

EEPS 517

Energy Crises

(and the World of Energy)

Lecture 6 – German Energiewende

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Week 6

Week 1 – Overview and Course outline

Week 2 – Coal transition in UK & Timber crises in US

Week 3 – Oil Crisis of 1973-74

Week 4 – Oil Crisis of 1979-1980

Week 5 – California electricity crisis & Enron

Week 6 – German Energiewende

Week 7 - Chernobyl to Fukushima: Nuclear accidents and their aftermath

Week 8 - Natural gas disruptions and European experience

Week 9 - Forces of Nature: Hurricanes, Pandemics, Volcano Eruptions, Sun

Week 10 – Australian Energy Crisis: Blackouts, Renewables and Storage systems* (may shift)

Week 11- Climate Change

Week 12 - Turkey's energy crises and shaping of present energy system

Week 13 - Analytical methods : Building up scenarios, structured analysis and crisis management

Week 14 – Making of the next crisis

Reading List and Resources

Reading:

Energy Democracy: Germany's Energiewende to Renewables, Craig Morris , Arne Jungjohann, 2016, Chapter 1. Energiewende: The Solution to More Problems Than Climate Change

Energy Democracy: Germany's Energiewende to Renewables, Craig Morris , Arne Jungjohann, 2016, Chapter 5. The Power Rebels of Schönau

Energy Democracy: Germany's Energiewende to Renewables, Craig Morris , Arne Jungjohann, 2016, Chapter 7. The 1990: Laying the Foundations for the Energiewende

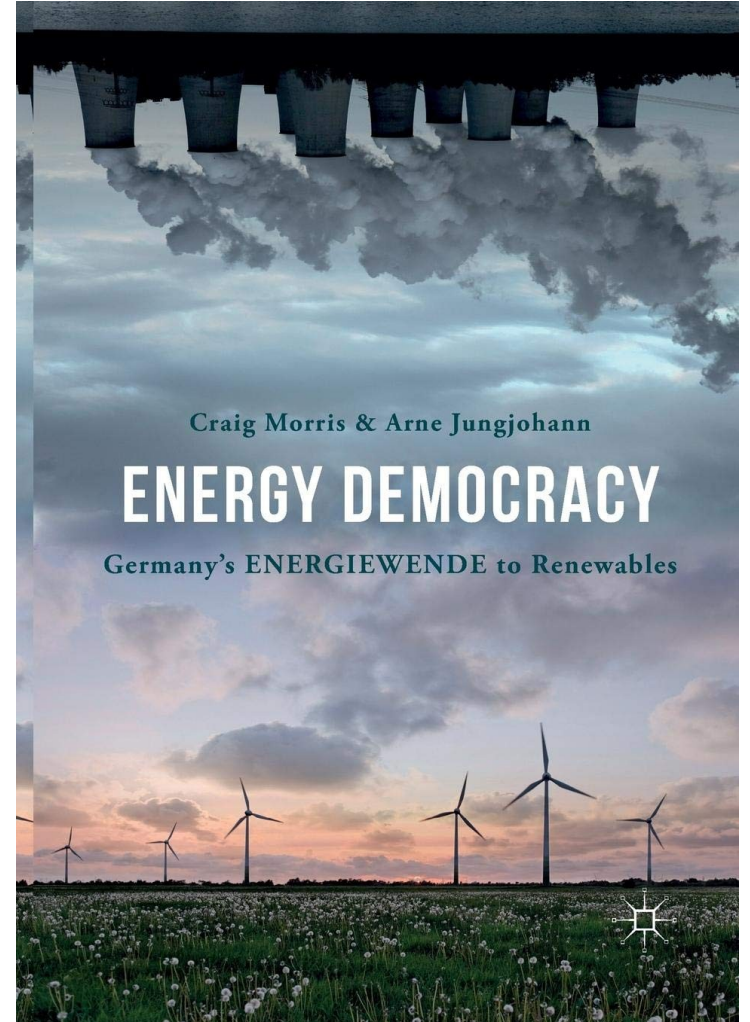
The German Energiewende – History and status quo, Jürgen-Friedrich Hake, Wolfgang Fischer, Sandra Venghaus, Christoph Weckenbrock, Energy, Volume 92, Part 3, 2015, Pages 532-546, ISSN 0360-5442, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.energy.2015.04.027>

German energy policy and the way to sustainability: Five controversial issues in the debate on the “Energiewende”, W. Fischer, J.-Fr. Hake, W. Kuckshinrichs, T. Schröder, S. Venghaus, Energy, Volume 115, Part 3, 2016, Pages 1580-1591, ISSN 0360-5442, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.energy.2016.05.069>

Exporting the Energiewende: German Renewable Energy Leadership and Policy Transfer, Karoline Steinbacher, Springer, Chapter 8 – Case Study California

Overview

- A bit of review
- History
- Energy Democracy Book (Energiewende)
- What are the lessons?
- Student presentations (not included)
- Quiz (as usual)



Why?

- Energiwende : A model renewables transition?
- Is it an industrial strategy shaped by crises?
- Is it a grass roots movements shaped by accidents?
- Is it transferrable?
- A historical example of what we may see in the future?
- Lessons

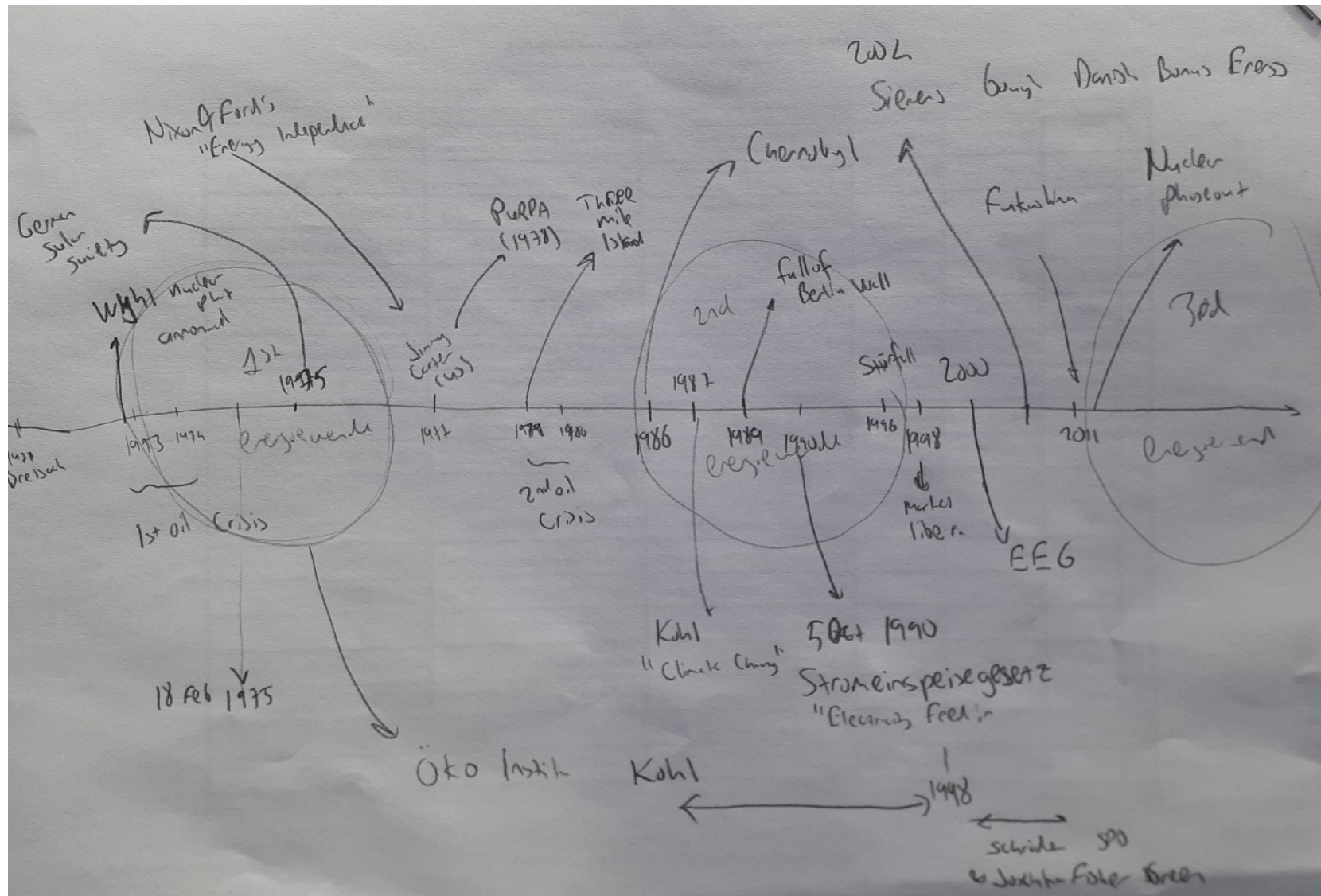
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<https://arnejj.org/the-book-energy-democracy/>

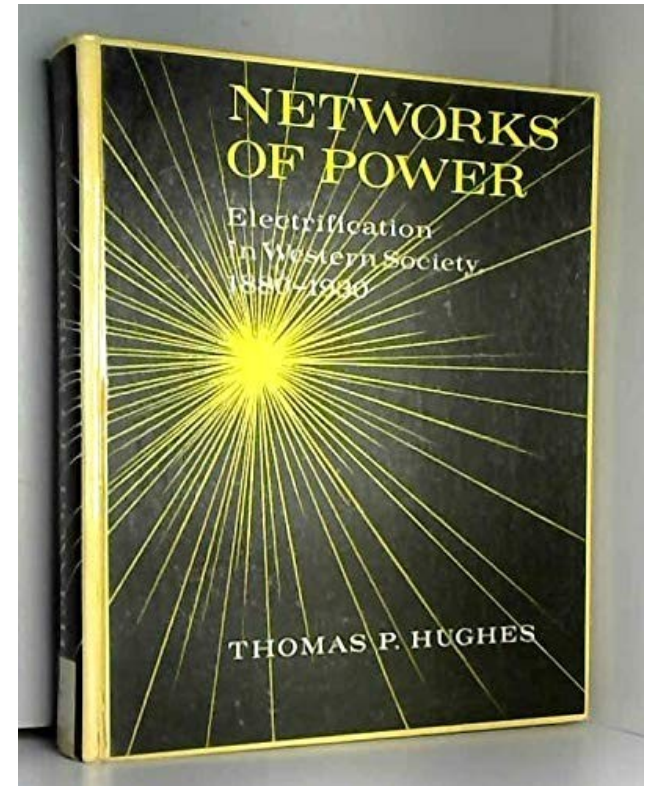
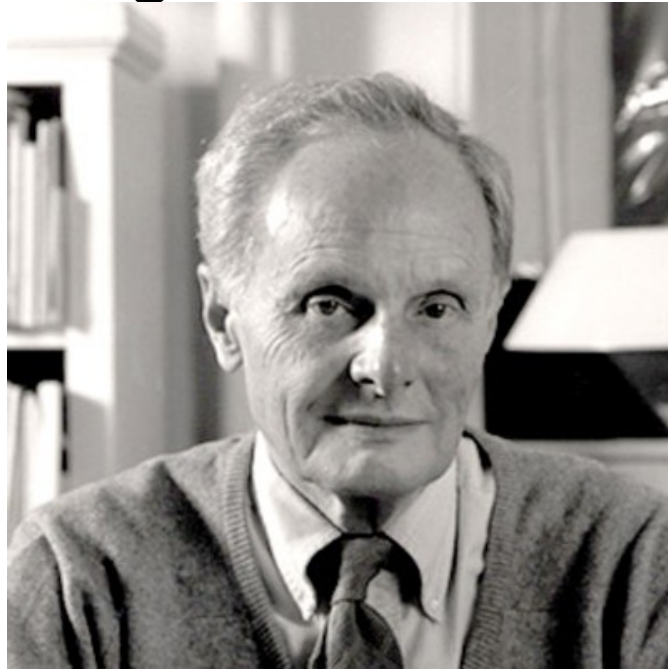
Lessons learned

- When demand/supply close to 1
 - Anyone may exercise market power
- The lag in cash flow creates imbalances
- Markets are highly affected by tech change
- Since price is constructed – flaws are inevitable
- Electricity market is not plug&play (grid maybe)



Networks of Power: Electrification in Western Society, 1880-1930."

- Thomas Hughes



Berlin - Elektropolis

- Berlin was the center of “electrical technology”
- 40-50% of all electrical engineers

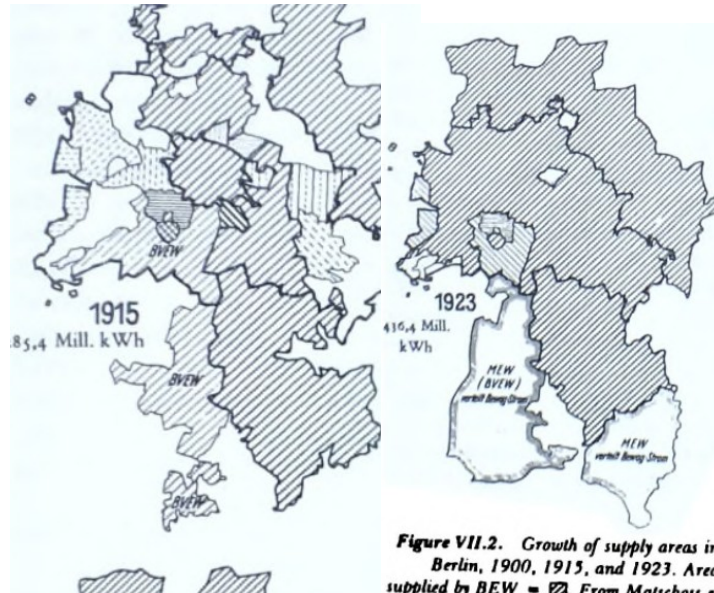
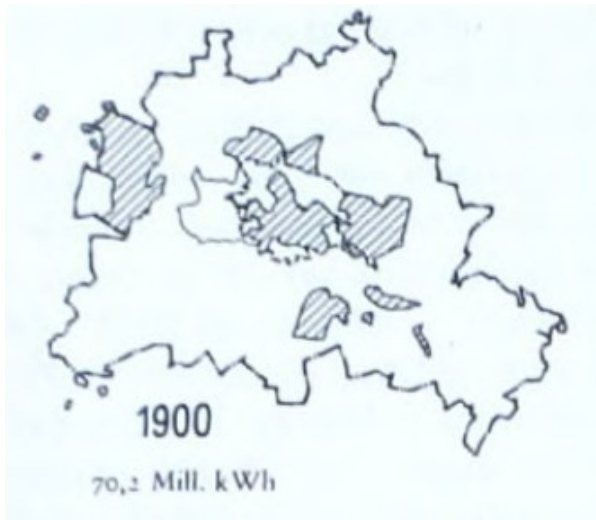


Figure VII.2. Growth of supply areas in Berlin, 1900, 1915, and 1923. Area supplied by BEW = [hatched pattern]. From Matschoss et al., 50 Jahre, p. 63.

CHAPTER VII

Berlin: The Coordination of Technology and Politics

Major Companies

- AEG
- Siemens



Figure V.14. Oil-filled, three-phase transformer used in the Lauffen-to-Frankfurt transmission system. From *Offizielle Zeitung ... Frankfurt am Main* 1891, p. 1095.

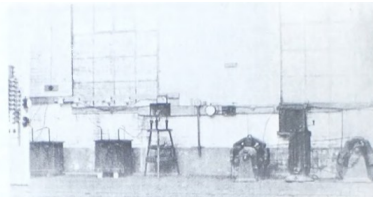


Figure V.15. Model designed by Charles E. L. Brown for testing alternating-current transmission system (January 1891). Generator (center); two oil-insulated transformers (left), and motor (right) which drive the generator. Courtesy of Brown, Boveri & Co., Baden, Switzerland.



Figure V.16. Three-phase motor designed by Daimler-Dobrowsky (the type used in the Lauffen-to-Frankfurt transmission system). From *Offizielle Zeitung ... Frankfurt*

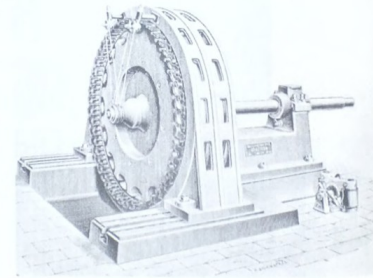


Figure V.17. Three-phase generator (designed by Charles E. L. Brown of the Maschinenfabrik Oerlikon) driven by water turbines at Lauffen. From *Offizielle Zeitung ... Frankfurt am Main* 1891, p. 599.

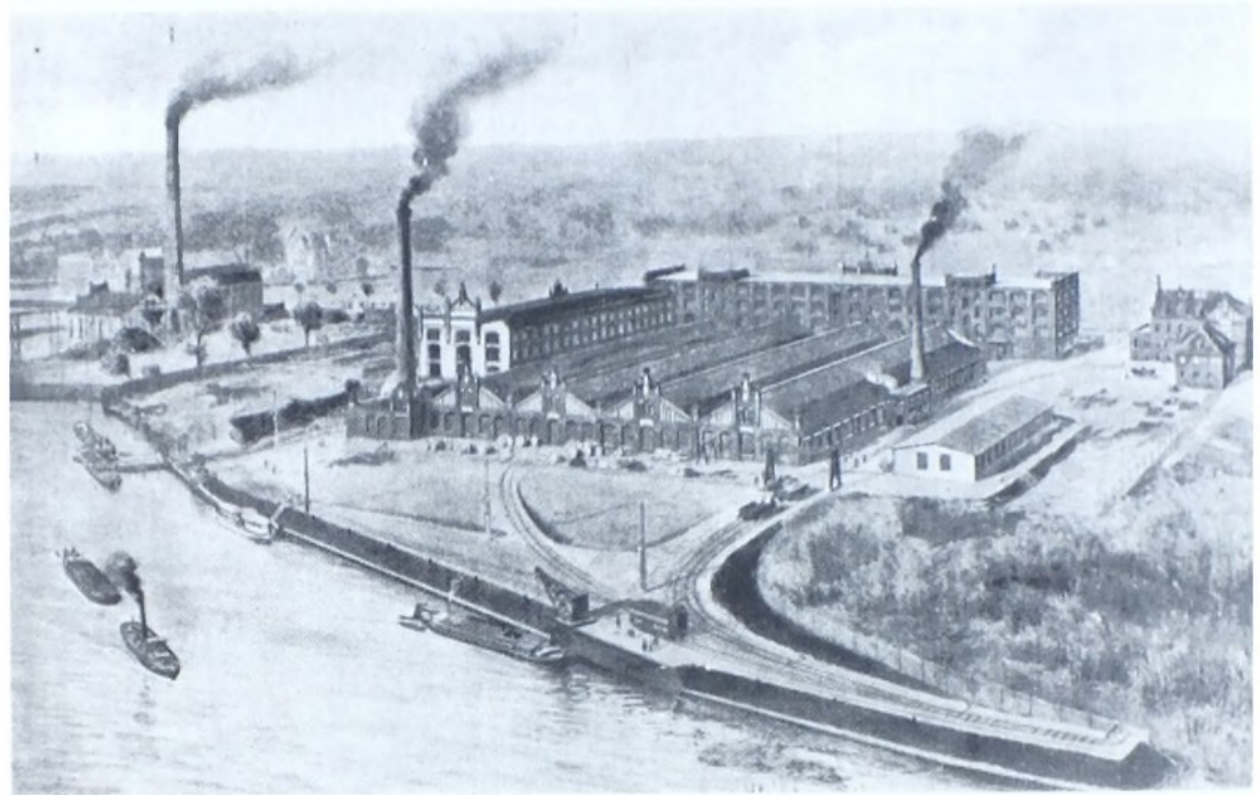
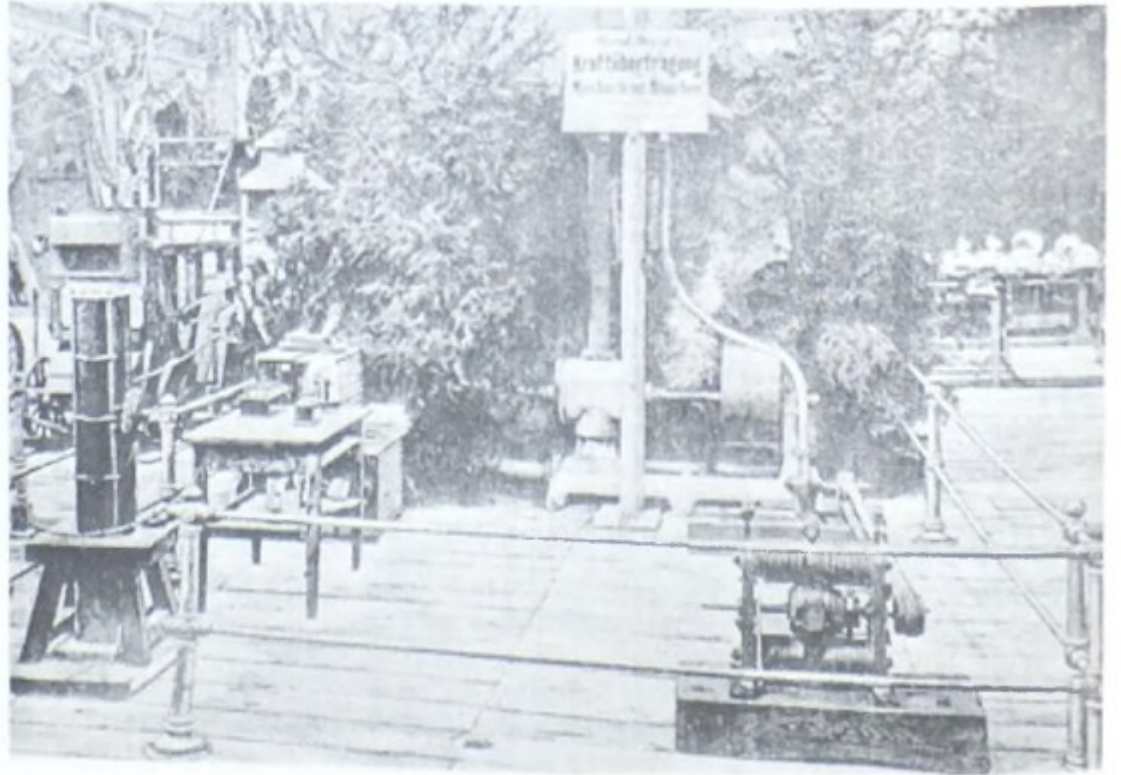


Figure VII.8. The polyphase central station at Oberspreewitz (left) and the AEG Cable Works, its primary load (right), 1897. From *Matschoff et al.*, 50 Jahre, p. 30.

1882 - Munich

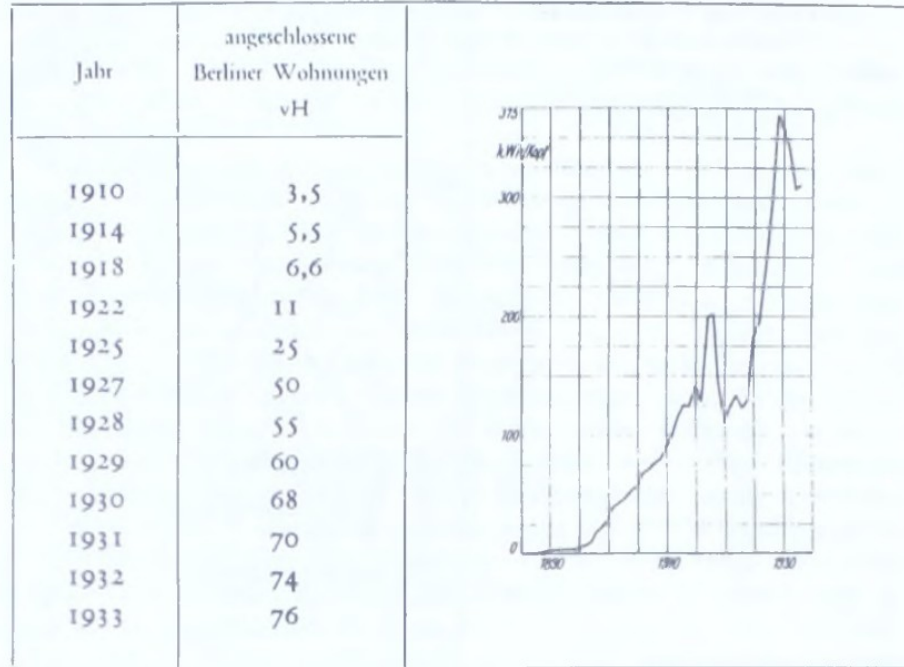
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Electricity consumption in Berlin

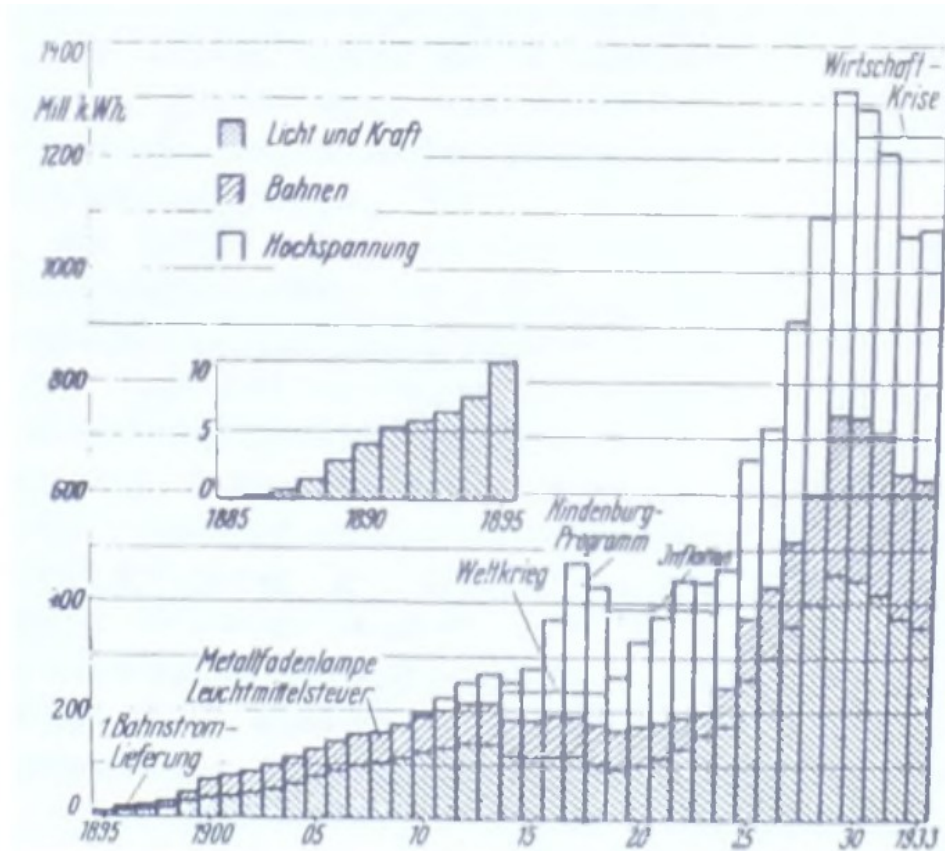
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Figure VII.5. Increase in electricity consumption in Berlin: Percentage of Berlin households connected (table left); increase in kilowatt-hours consumed per capita (graph right). From Matschoss et al., 50 Jahre, p. 56.



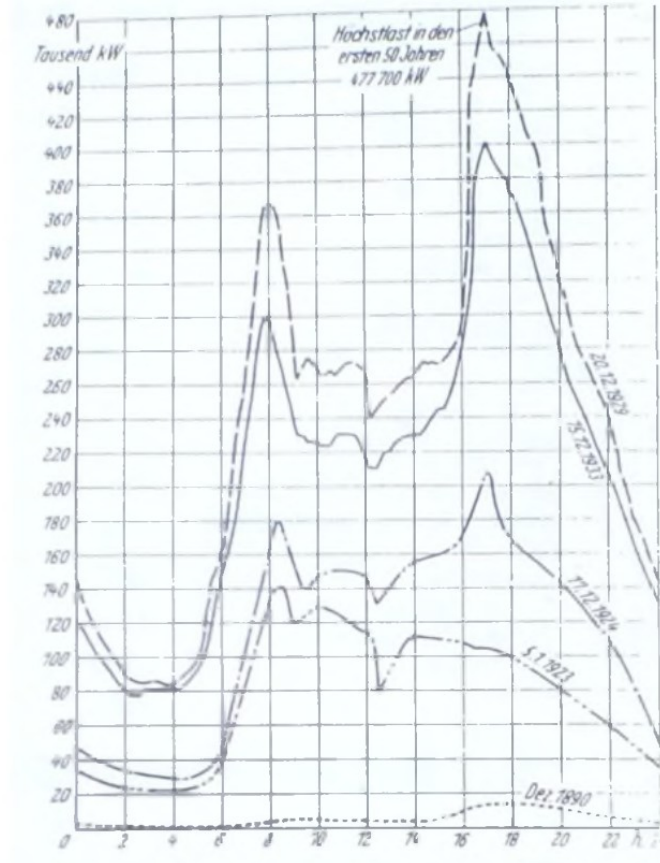
Electricity Consumption - Berlin

Figure VII.6. Development of various loads. BEW: Light and power (Licht und Kraft); electric traction (Bahnen); and high-voltage transmission (Hochspannung). From Matschoss et al., 50 Jahre, p. 89.



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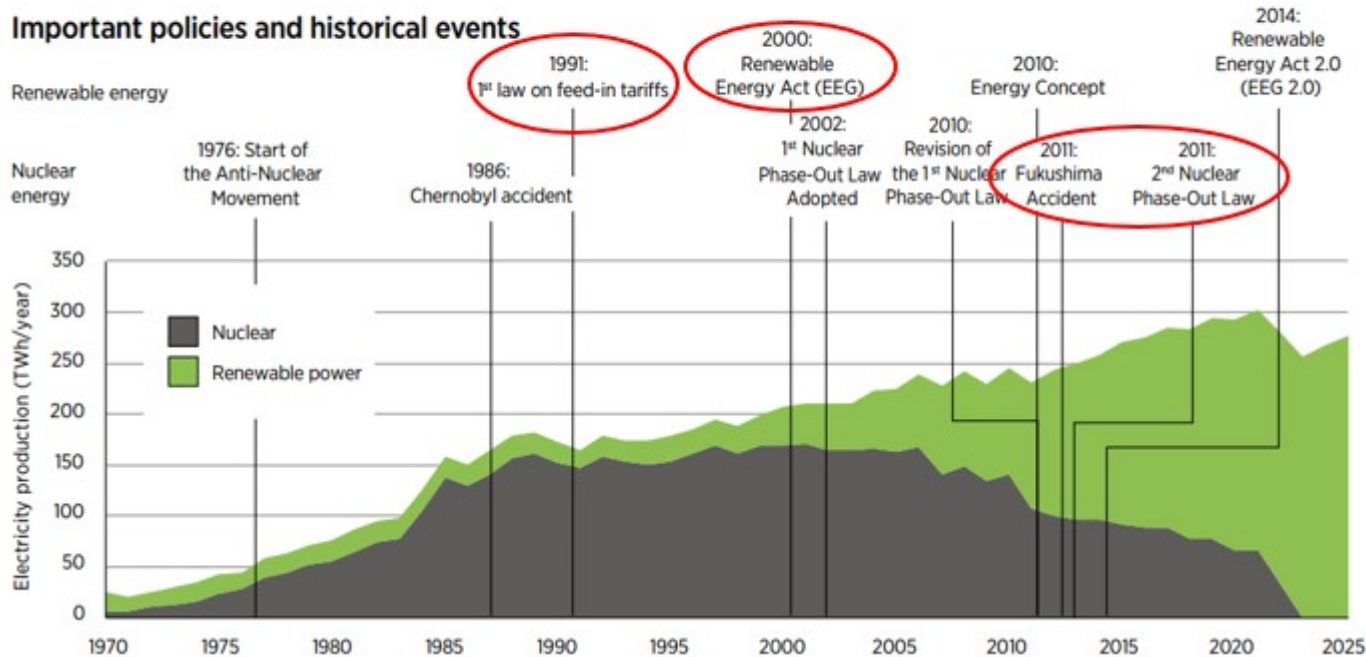
Figure VII.7. BEW load curves on days of highest load (Höchstlast). From Matschoss et al., 50 Jahre, p. 71.



Events

1. Take away: There is no silver bullet.

Important policies and historical events



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