

Jammu & Kashmir

1. As on 30.9.2016, the total installed capacity (including allocated share in joint and central sector utilities) of Jammu & Kashmir is 3142.34 MW. In the total installed capacity of the Jammu & Kashmir, the share of State Sector is 1511.53 MW whereas share of Central Sector is 1579.81 MW and the share of Private Sector is 51 MW.
2. The peak demand deficit and energy deficit in Jammu & Kashmir was 386 MW (15.2%) and 2535 MU (15.3%) respectively during (2015-16) which was much higher than national average (peak demand deficit was 3.2% & and energy deficit was 2.1 %).
3. The average AT&C losses of J&K was 51.87% during 2014-15. However, J&K has projected to reduce the AT&C losses at 22 % level by 2021-22.
4. State has significant large hydro potential of nearly 15,000 MW, out of which about 2274.35 MW has been exploited so far mostly by NHPC. The balance hydro potential need to be exploited at the earliest.
5. As per 2011 census, there are 6,337 un-electrified villages in Jammu & Kashmir. Out of which 6,233 villages (98.3%) has been electrified. The balance un-electrified villages are 104, all 104 villages to be electrified through grid which is yet to be awarded.
6. J&K has 14.97 lakhs rural households. Out of 14.97 lakhs rural household, 11.41 (76%) lakhs households has been electrified till date. The balance rural households 3.56 Lakh have been sanctioned under ongoing schemes. The State Government needs to accelerate the household's electrification as only 76% households are electrified till date.
7. 30 towns are covered under Part-A of R-APDRP and 53% funds have been released so far, whereas all the 30 towns are also covered under Part-B of R-APDRP along with 30% release of the funds. This scheme has been subsumed in Integrated Power Development Scheme (IPDS) in November 2014. The State Government should utilize the funds available under IPDS for improvement of Power sector.
8. Meanwhile, 85 towns are covered under Integrated Power Development Scheme (IPDS) in Jammu & Kashmir. However, Government of India has approved Rs. 444.50 crore for 85 towns. Out of which Rs. 377.75 crore is approved as grant but no grant released till now.

Source: Ministry of Power, Central Electricity Authority and REC/Deen Dayal Upadhyay Gram Jyoti Yojana.