
Renewable Energy Management Centers in India

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Indian Power System : Paradigm shift in Generation Portfolio

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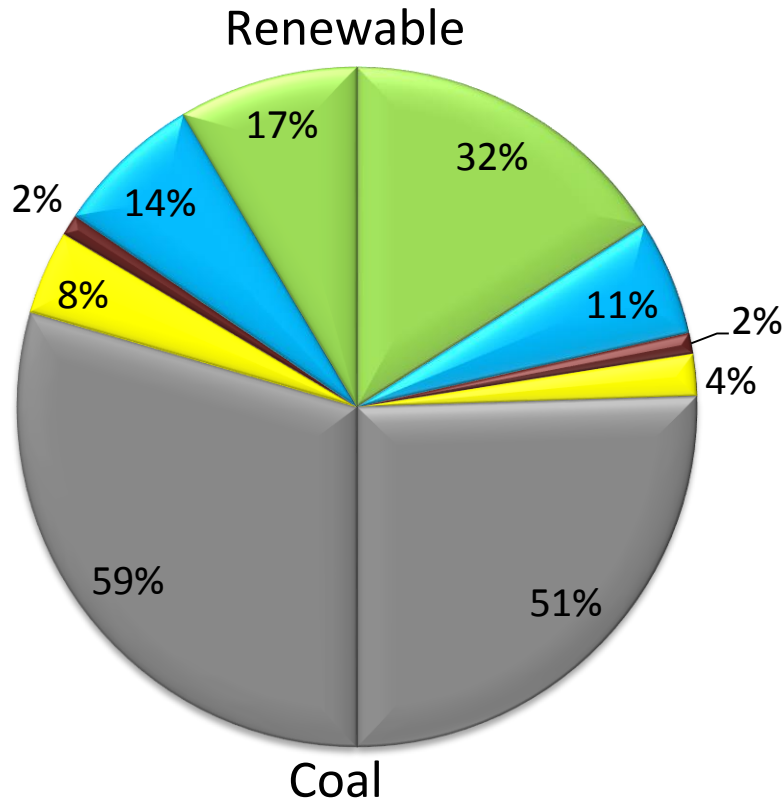
2022

Generation : 327GW

Renewable : 57.2GW

Peak Demand :
159GW

Annual Consumption:
1142BU



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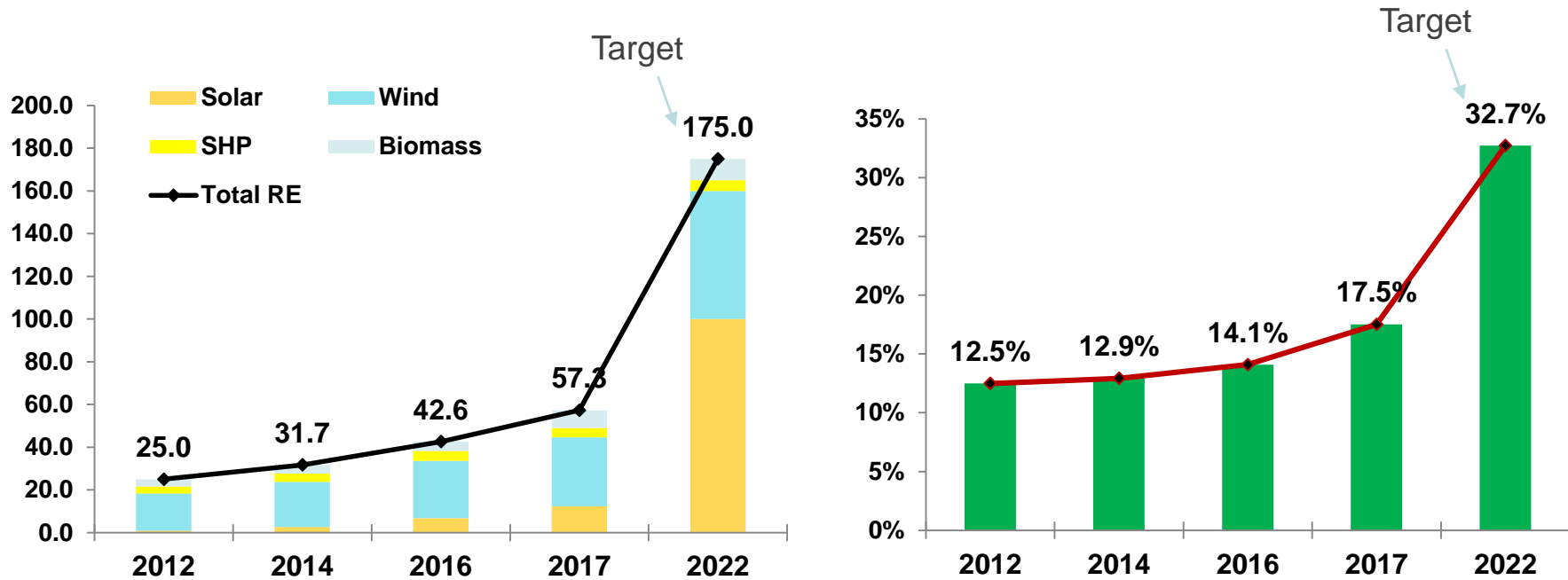
Generation : 534GW

Renewable : 175GW

Peak Demand :
234GW

Annual Consumption:
1566BU

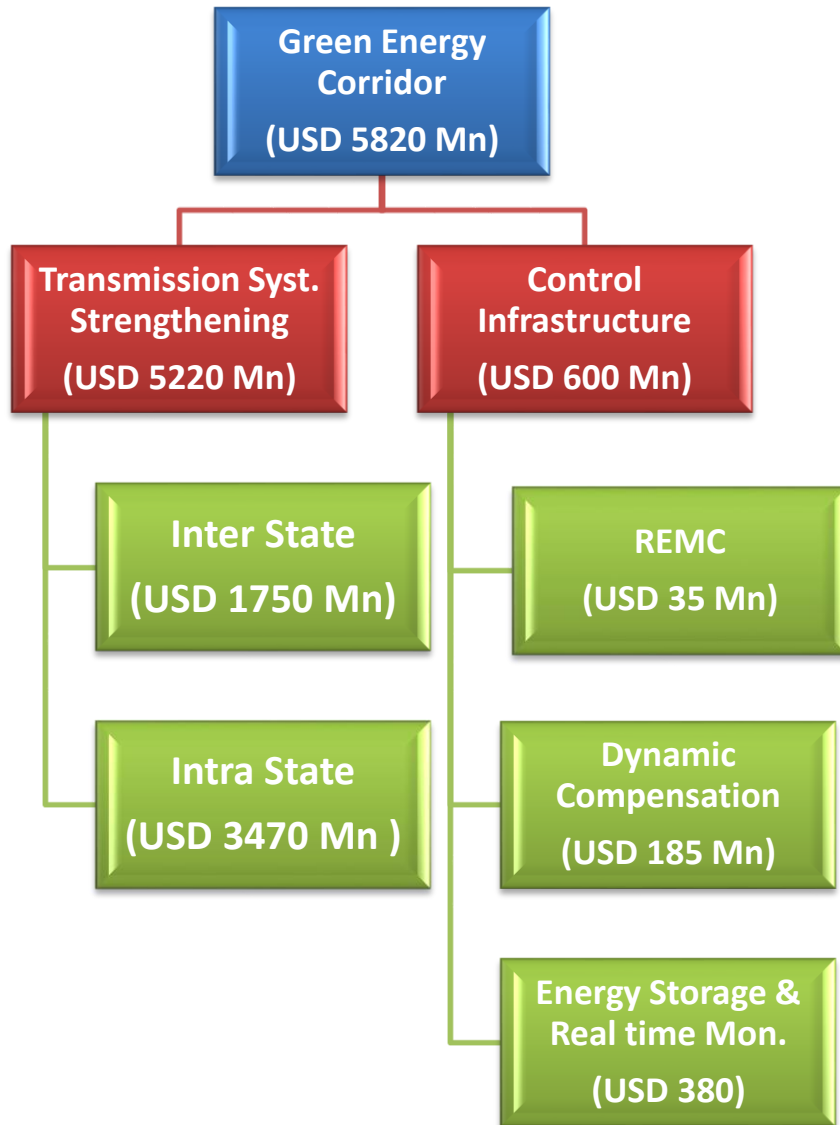
Renewable Penetration in India-2022



COP-21 Commitment By 2030

- 33-35% Reduction in Emission Intensity
- 40% of electricity from non-fossil fuel
- Carbon-Sink to absorb 2.5 to 3 billion tonnes of CO₂

Green Energy Corridors : Components



- Transmission System Strengthening at Intra State (InSTS) as well as Inter state level (ISTS)
- Renewable Energy management centers equipped with RE forecasting, scheduling & monitoring systems
- Dynamic reactive Compensation (SVC/STATCOM) at strategic locations
- Grid Scale Energy Storage

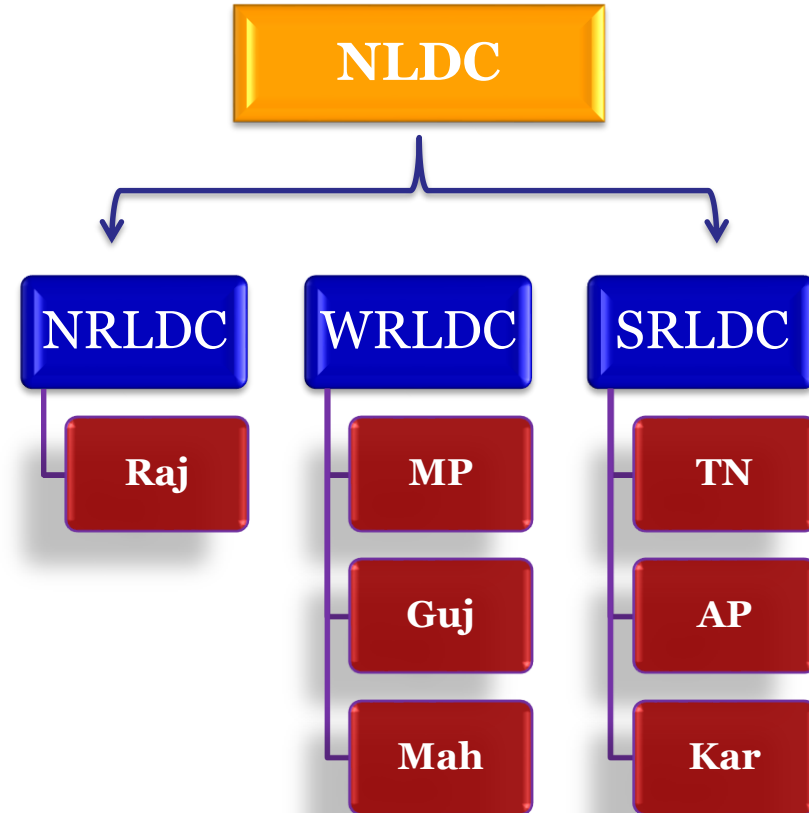
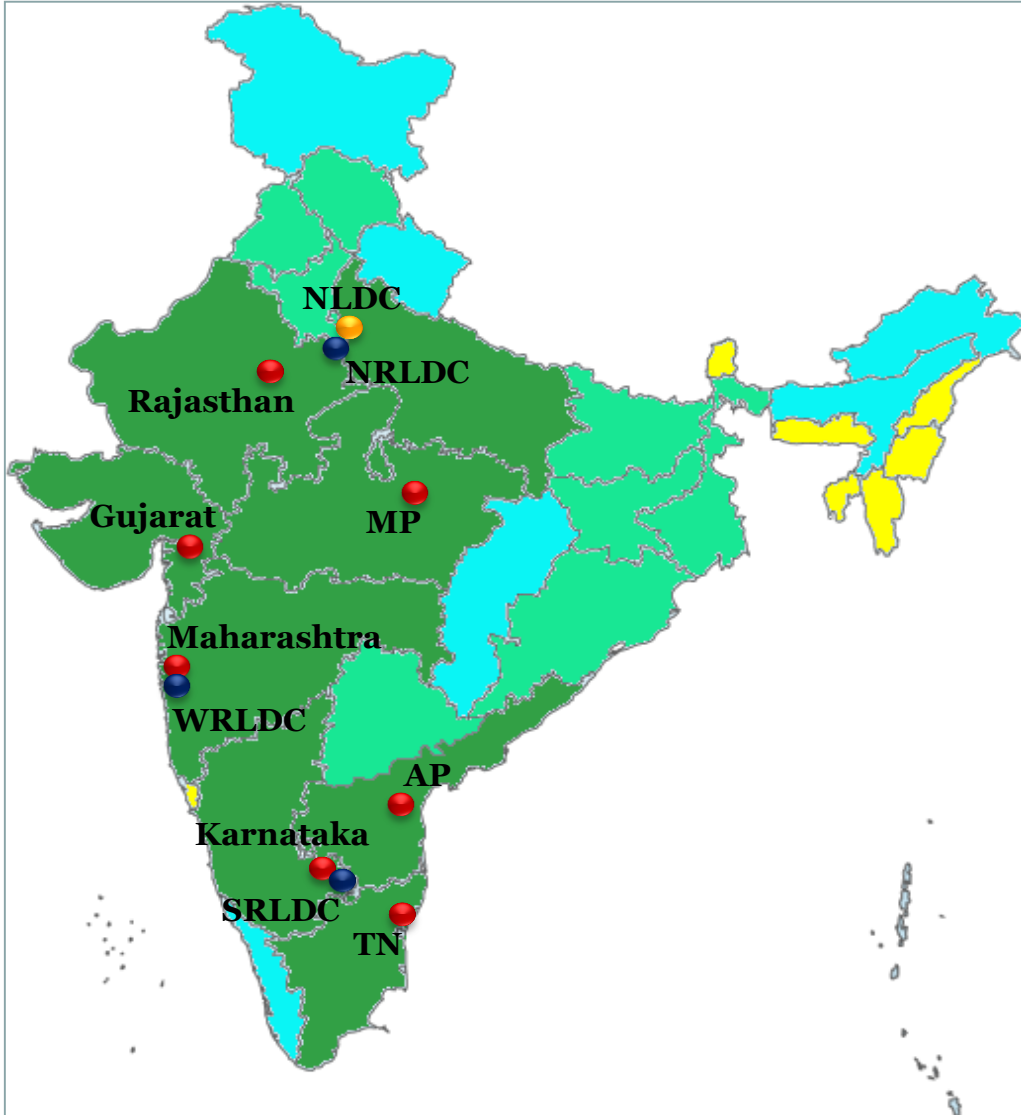
Background of REMCs_India

- RE Forecasting is critical in addressing uncertainty of VERs, facilitating grid integration of RE
- Establishment of Renewable Energy Management centers (REMC) equipped with Forecasting systems envisaged as part of control infrastructure of Green Energy Corridors
- REMCs at RE resource rich State, Regional & National level are proposed to be co-located with respective Load dispatch centers
- 11 nos. REMCs envisaged in states LDCs (7), respective Regional LDCs (3) and NLDC (1)

Background of REMCs_India

- German Govt. through GiZ provided technical assistance for preparation of REMC DPRs
- Govt. of India (GoI) assigned Power Grid Corp to implement REMCs
 - Estimated Cost – About 55 million Euros (USD 62 million)-Funded by GoI
- PGCIL to hand over the REMC upon its commissioning to respective owners (SLDC/RLDC-POSOCO)

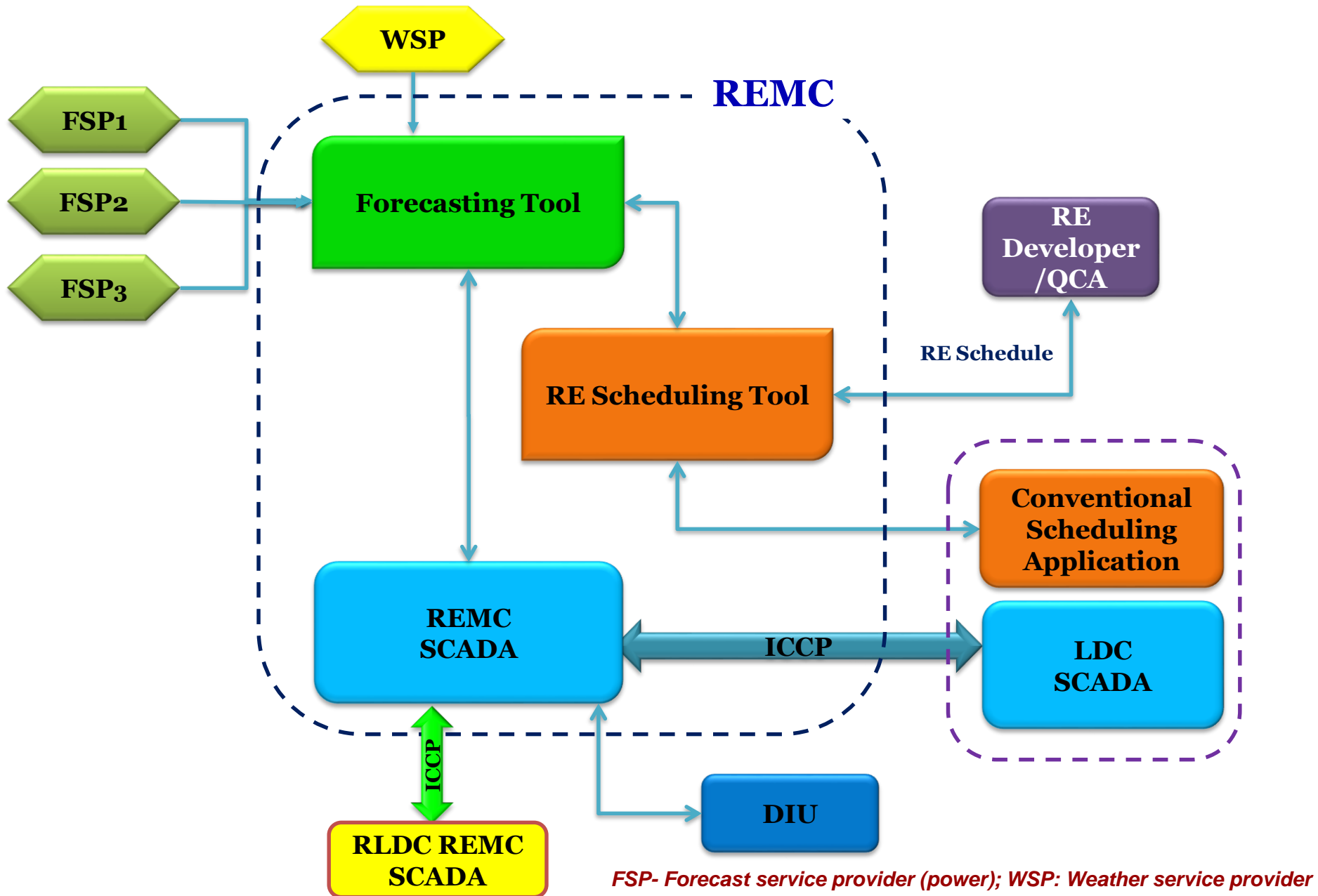
REMC Locations



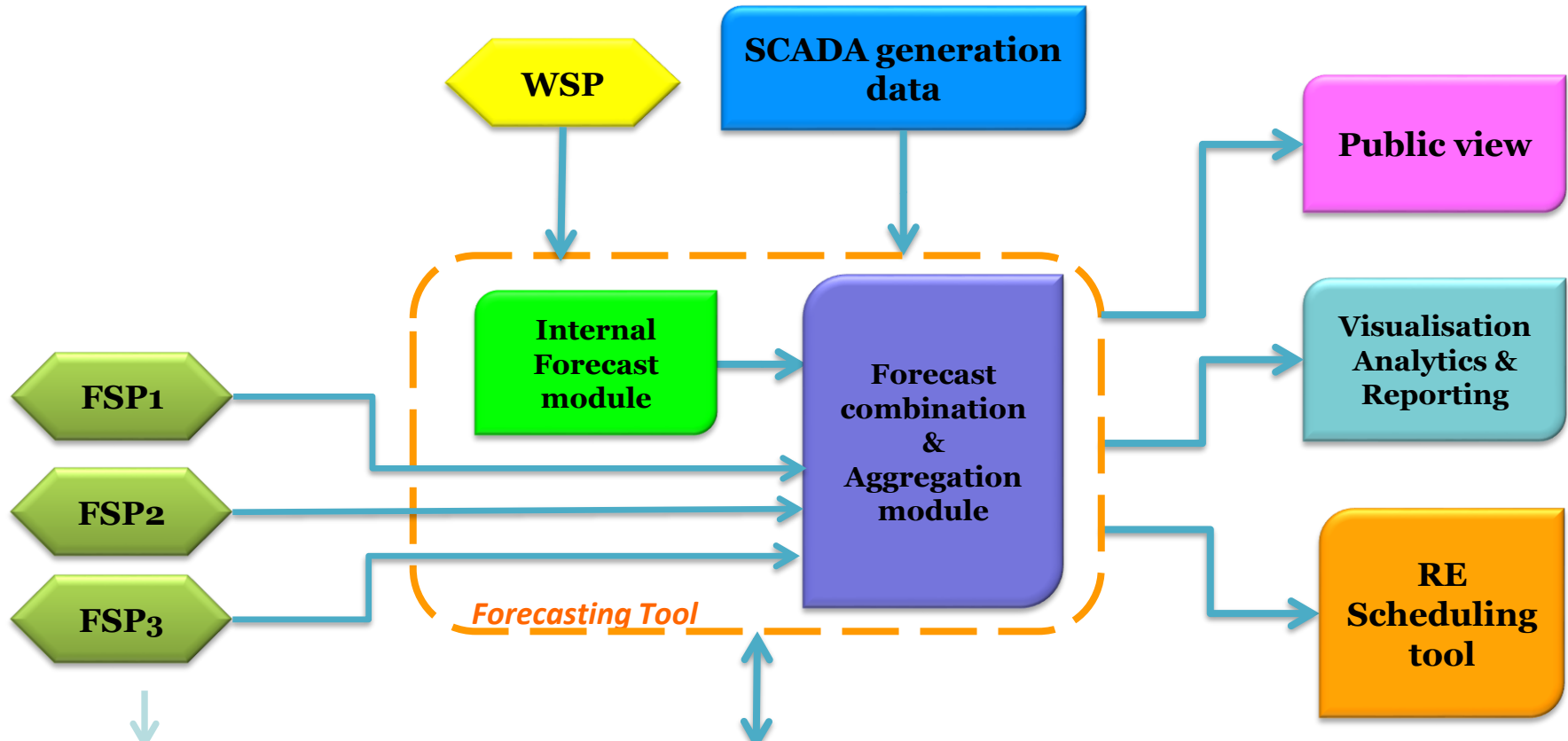
REMC Scope of works

- Forecasting of RE generation on Very short term (15 mins), day-ahead, Intra day and week-ahead basis
- Real time tracking of generation from RE sources and its geo-spatial visualization
- Scheduling solutions including for QCA/Project Developers
- Close coordination with respective LDC for RE generation and control for smooth grid operation
- Single source information repository and coordination point for RE penetration (Static /dynamic data)

REMC Architecture



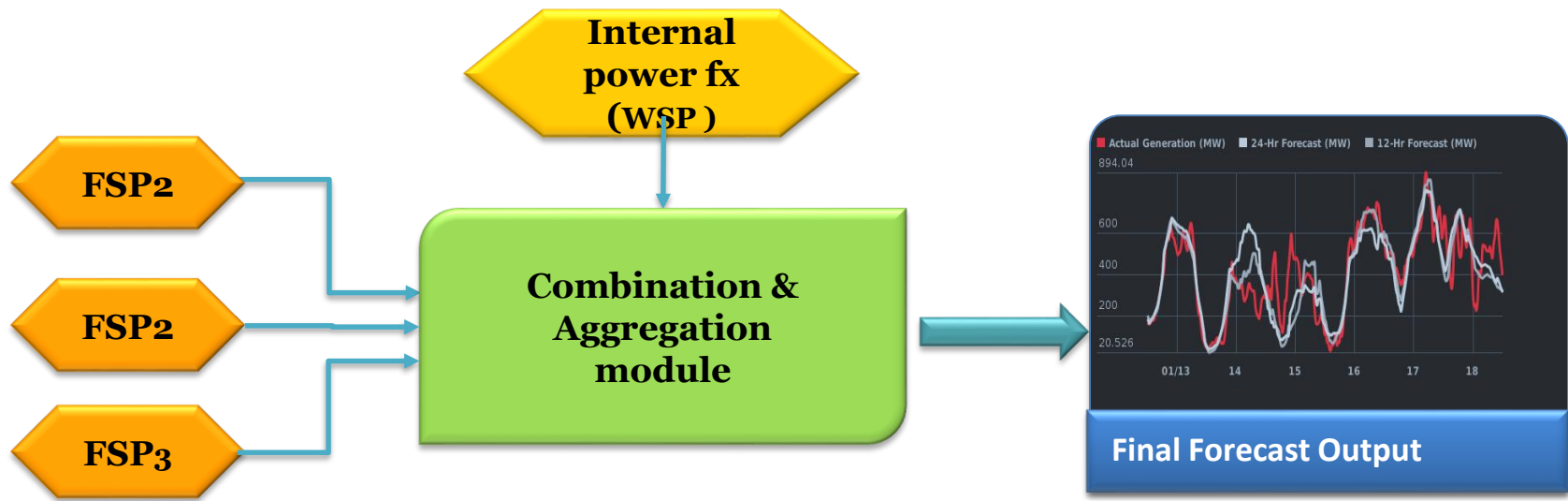
RE Forecasting Tool



- Performance based payments terms
- Performance based retention terms

Fx Combination & Aggregation module

- Forecast available for a single area/location have different strengths & weaknesses due to weather situations
- Statistical combination of multiple forecasts using auto adaptive algorithms shall help in generating blended/accurate forecast
- Optimised Forecast to be generated at aggregated/state as well as pooling station level/QCA/Generator level

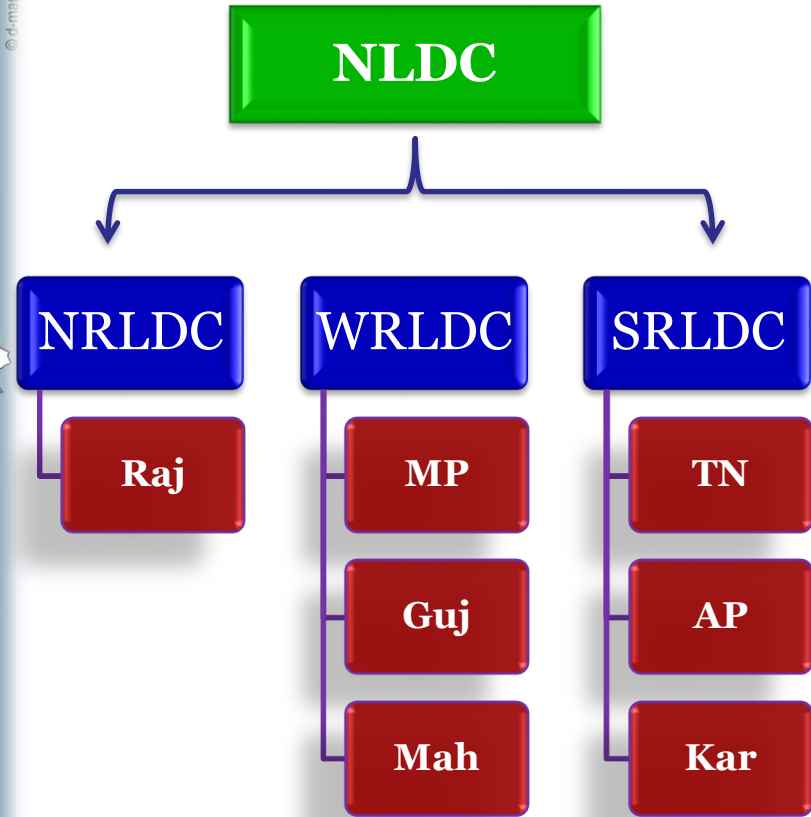


Way Forward

- Implementation of REMCs in India progressively from Sep'18: 1st Project award in June'17
- Operationalisation of REMCs for SR, WR & NR packages
- 2nd Phase REMCs in few other states are to be taken up

Thank you

REMC Locations



Salient features of RE Forecasting Tool

- Data Exchange
 - Share Static, Historical and Real Time SCADA data with Forecast Service Providers (FSPs)
 - Collect Power forecast from different FSPs as well as Internal Fx tool
 - Transfer of power forecasts to scheduling Tool
 - Historical data from Repository

- RE Forecasting
 - Use forecast from different FSPs and internal forecast system to generate blended final forecast
 - Week Ahead, Day Ahead, Intraday & short term forecasts

- Analysis module
 - Accuracy Analysis of power forecasts which has implication on payments terms – performance based payments
 - Performance based retentions terms for FSPs (after two years)