

## 27. Solar Panels

Finding total Area

$$5 \text{ acres} \times \frac{43560 \text{ ft}^2}{1 \text{ acre}} \times \frac{1 \text{ m}^2}{10.8 \text{ ft}^2} = 20166.667 \text{ m}^2$$

Calculating Energy Generated

$$20166.667 \text{ m}^2 \cdot \frac{1000 \text{ W}}{\text{m}^2} \cdot \frac{0.8 \text{ usable light}}{1 \text{ total land}} \cdot \frac{0.18 \text{ W actual}}{1 \text{ W theoretical}} \cdot 0.25 \cdot 1 \text{ year} \cdot \frac{8760}{\text{year}}$$
$$= 6359760000 \text{ Wh} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ MW}}{10^6 \text{ W}} = 6359.76 \text{ MWh} \approx \underline{6000 \text{ MWh}}$$

## Wind Scenario

Calculating Energy for 1 Turbine

$$1 \text{ Turbine} \rightarrow P = \frac{1}{2} \rho A v^3 = \frac{1}{2} (1.225 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3}) \cdot (\pi (3600 \text{ m}^2)) \cdot (7 \text{ m/s})^3$$
$$= 2376033.648 \text{ W} \cdot \frac{10^6 \text{ mW}}{1 \text{ W}} = 2.376 \text{ MW}$$

Energy Generated

$$\frac{2.376 \text{ MW}}{\text{turbine}} \cdot 5 \text{ turbines} \cdot \frac{8760 \text{ hr}}{\text{year}} \cdot \overset{\text{efficiency}}{0.27} \cdot \overset{\text{capacity factor}}{0.3} = 8429.692176 \text{ MWh}$$
$$= \underline{8000 \text{ MWh}}$$



28. Delivered Power = 100 MW     $P = I \cdot V$      $P_{loss} = I^2 R$

Voltage = 110 kV

There is a voltage drop & power dissipated over the line.

Voltage Drop =  $I \cdot R = 20 \Omega I$

Current through line  $\rightarrow I = \frac{P}{V} = \frac{100 \text{ MW}}{110 \text{ kV}}$   
 $= 909.09 \text{ A}$

$V_{\text{original}} - V_{\text{actual}} = 20 \Omega \cdot I$

$V_{\text{original}} = 20 \Omega \cdot I + 110,000 \text{ V}$   
 $= 128181.81 \text{ V}$

Power loss =  $P_{\text{delivered}} - P_{\text{actual}} =$

$P_{\text{loss}} = I^2 \cdot R = 16528925.6198 \text{ W}$

Power Output =  $P_{\text{delivered}} + P_{\text{loss}} = 100 \times 10^6 \text{ W} + 16.528925 \times 10^6 \text{ W} \approx 20 \text{ MW}$

Voltage Output = 130 kV

As a percent:  $\frac{P_{\text{loss}}}{P_{\text{delivered}}} = \frac{16,528,925.6198 \text{ W}}{100,000,000 \text{ W}} = 0.1652 \approx 0.2$



29. Capital Cost  $\rightarrow \$18/\text{bulb}$

Assuming  $1\text{kWh} = 30\phi$

$$CRF = \frac{0.04}{1 - (1.04)^{-10}} = 0.1232909443$$

$$\text{Capital Cost} \times CRF = \$2.21923/\text{year}$$

Fuel Costs (LED)

$$15\text{W} \times 1\text{year} \cdot \frac{8760\text{h}}{\text{year}} \cdot 0.3 = 39420\text{kWh} \cdot \frac{\$0.3}{\text{kWh}} = \$11826 \text{ annually}$$

Fuel Costs (Incandescent)

(From problem)

$$\$11826 \times 4 = \$47304$$

$$CCE = \frac{\text{Annualized Capital cost}}{\text{Annual Energy Savings}} = \frac{\$2.21923}{\$35471} = 6.255 \times 10^{-5}$$