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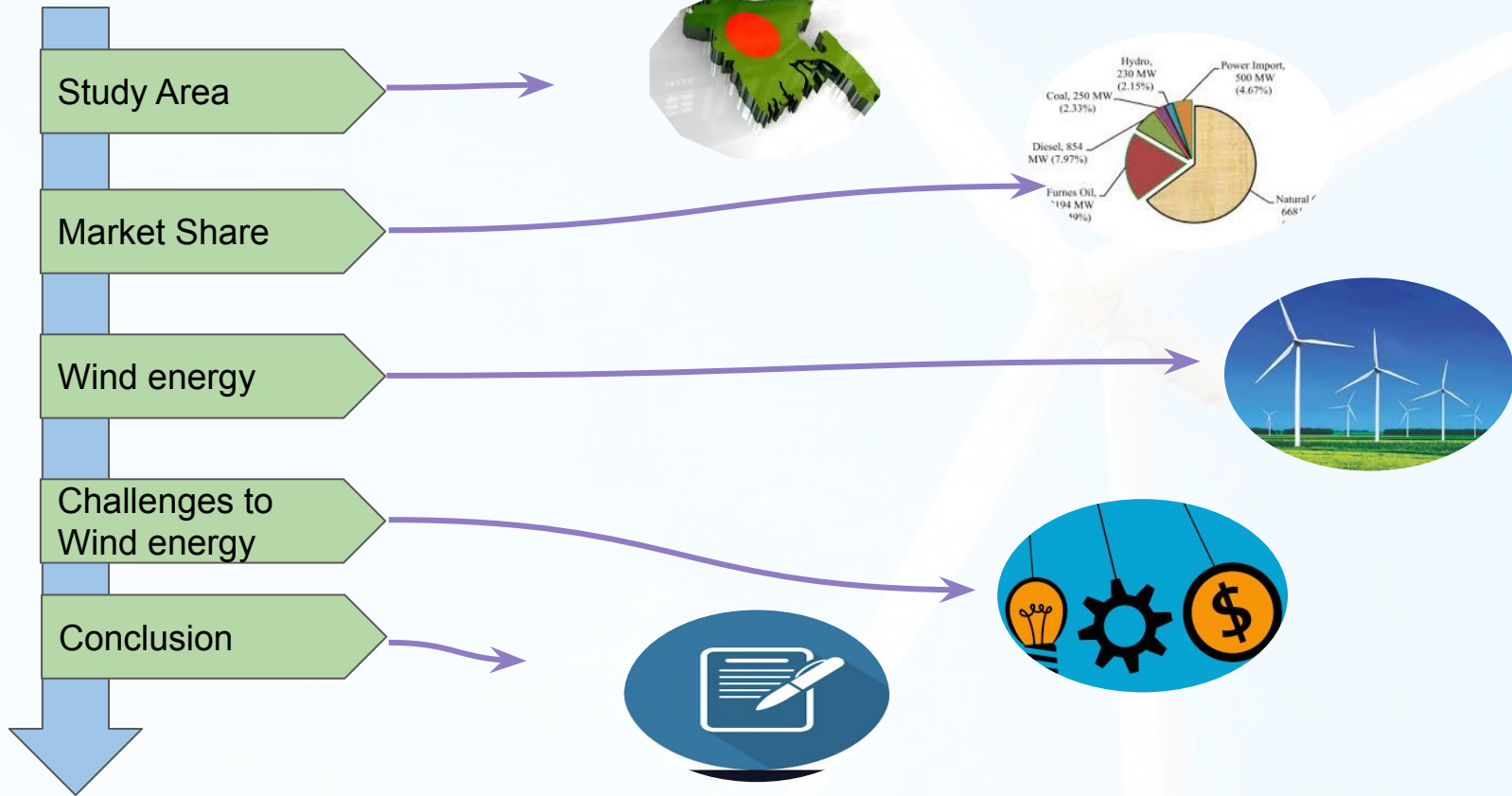
# Prospects of Wind Energy in Bangladesh

Exam protocol of **MNF-Eco-115 : Planning and Construction of a Wind Farm**

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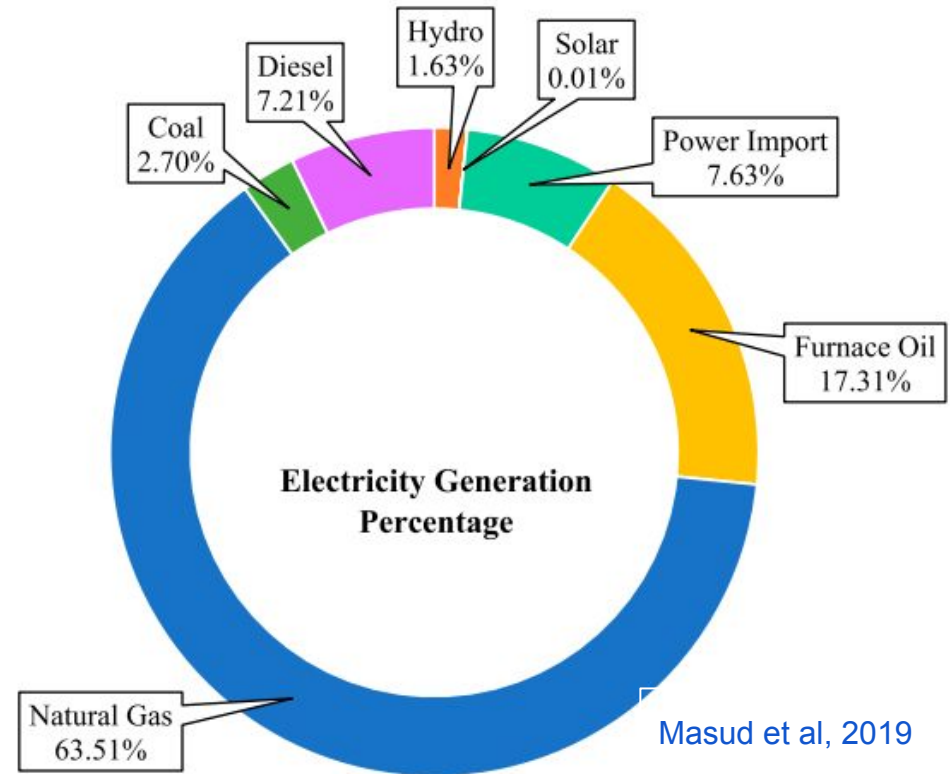
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BPDB, 2021



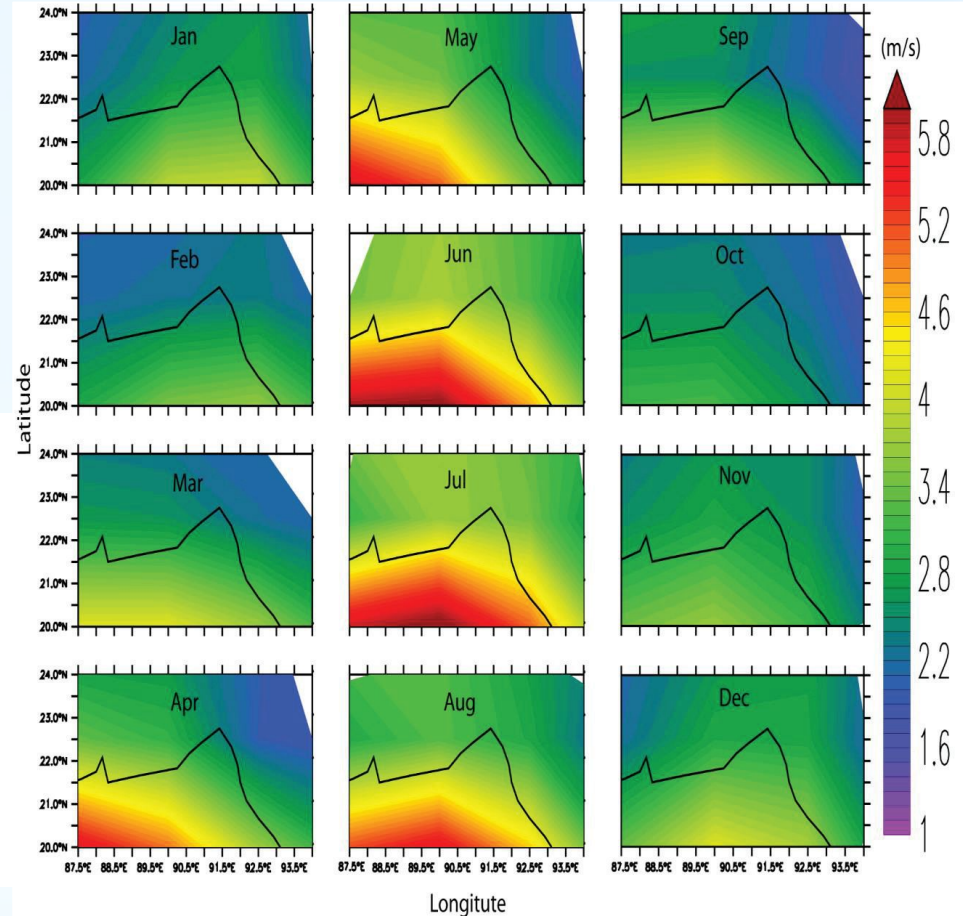
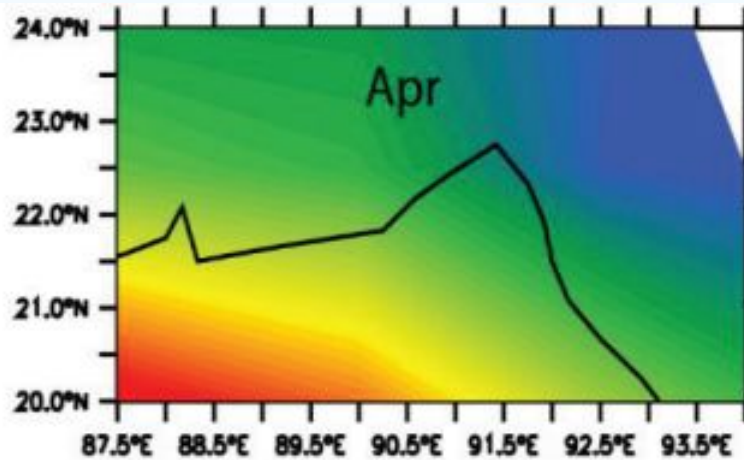
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### Challenges to Wind Energy

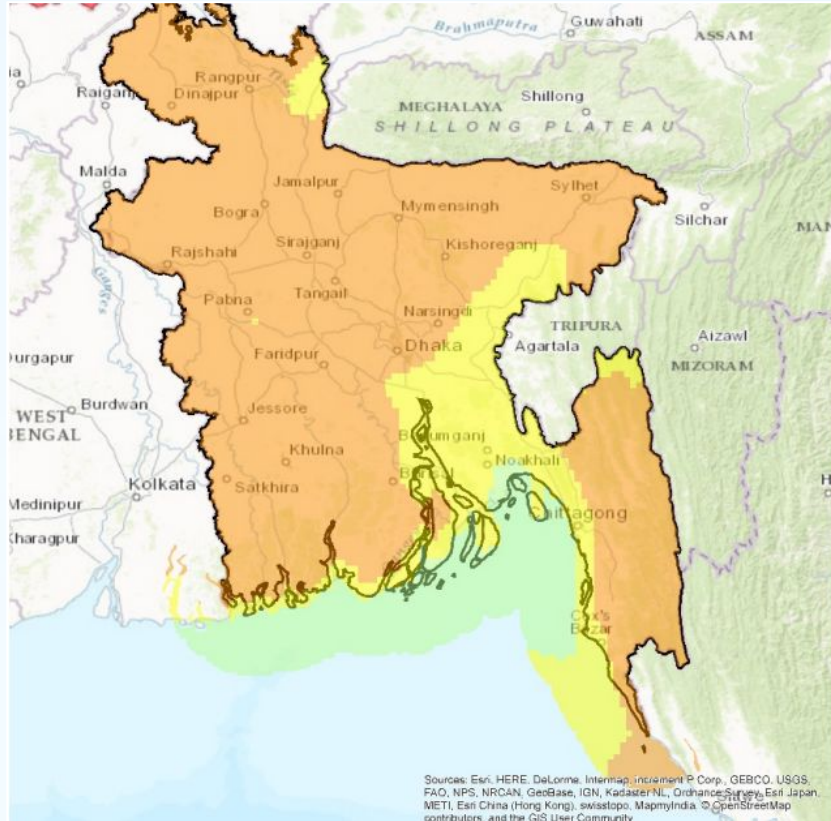
- Wind Speed
- Competition with Solar energy
- Infrastructure insufficiency
- Lack of suitable transfer grids
- Land Scarcity
- Cyclones
- Corruption

Monthly wind speed varies depending on the latitude and longitude. (from 1990 to 2016).

Speed < 5 m/s is considered as low (Baseline Study Wind Energy Bangladesh, 2017)



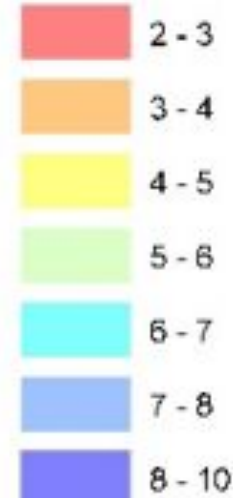




## Legend

### NREL SWERA

Annual wind speed (m/s @50m)

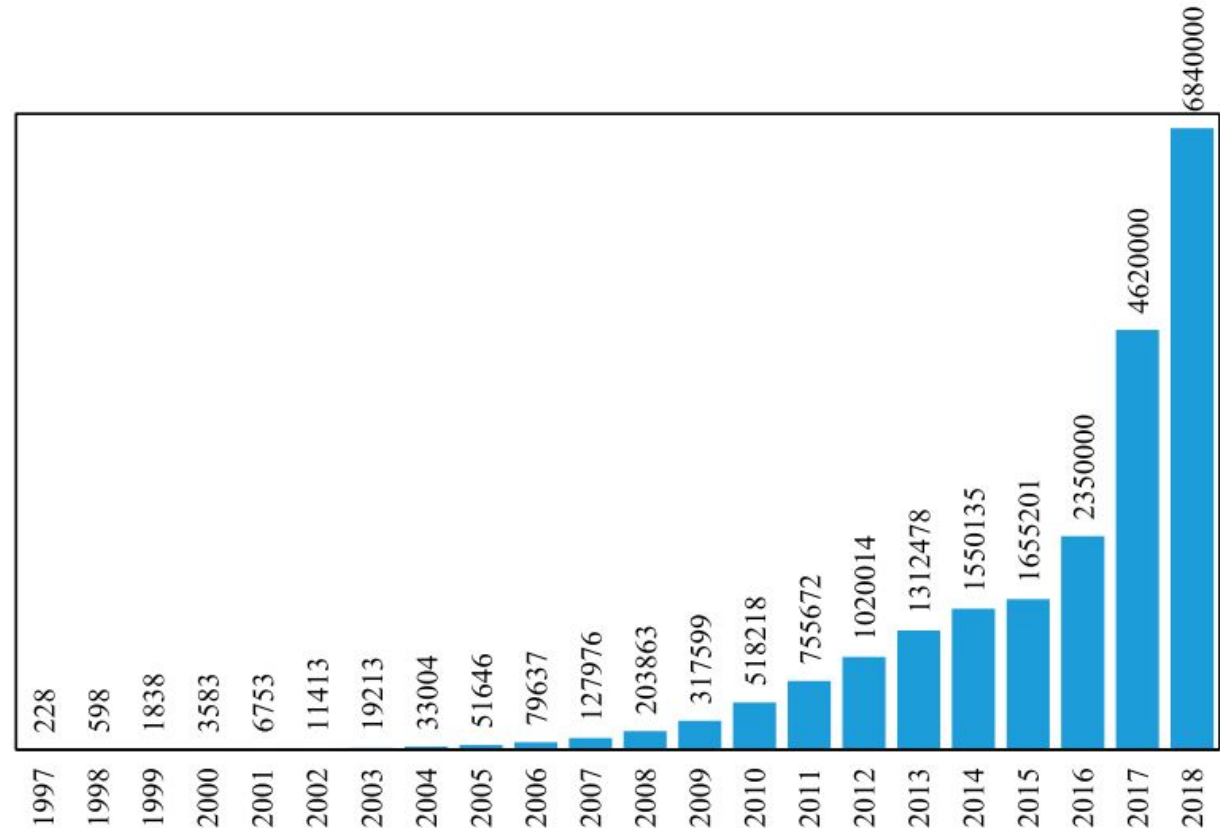


Country boundaries

Baseline Study Wind Energy Bangladesh, 2017

Approx. 18 million people are under with 7 million of **Solar Home System**

IDCOL, 2019





**Table 01: Classification of Cyclones In South Asian Sub-Continent**

<b>Depression</b>	Winds up to 62 km/h
<b>Cyclonic Storm</b>	Winds from 63-87 km/h
<b>Severe Cyclonic Storm</b>	Winds from 88-118 km/h
<b>Severe Cyclonic Storm of Cyclone Intensity</b>	Winds above 118 km/h

More than 50 cyclones hit Bangladesh since 1950 and 20% of them are categorized as severe.

Hossain & Mallik, 2020

Wind turbine requires approx. 1 acre permanent and approx. 2 acres of temporary land use during installation and decommission per MW

Installing Wind turbine will be land consuming considering the limited arable land in Bangladesh

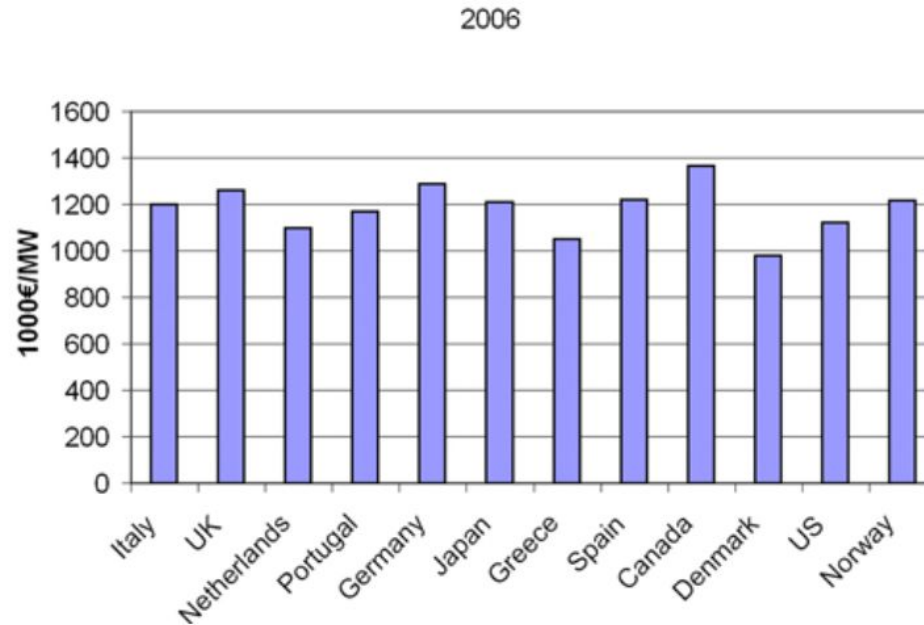




Lack of sufficient roads in coastal areas for heavy machinery transport could be a problem. Making new roads will consume considerable amount of land area.

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**Figure 1.1: Total Investment Cost, Including Turbine, Foundation and Grid Connection, Shown for Different Turbine Sizes and Countries of Installation**



Source: Based on data from the IEA





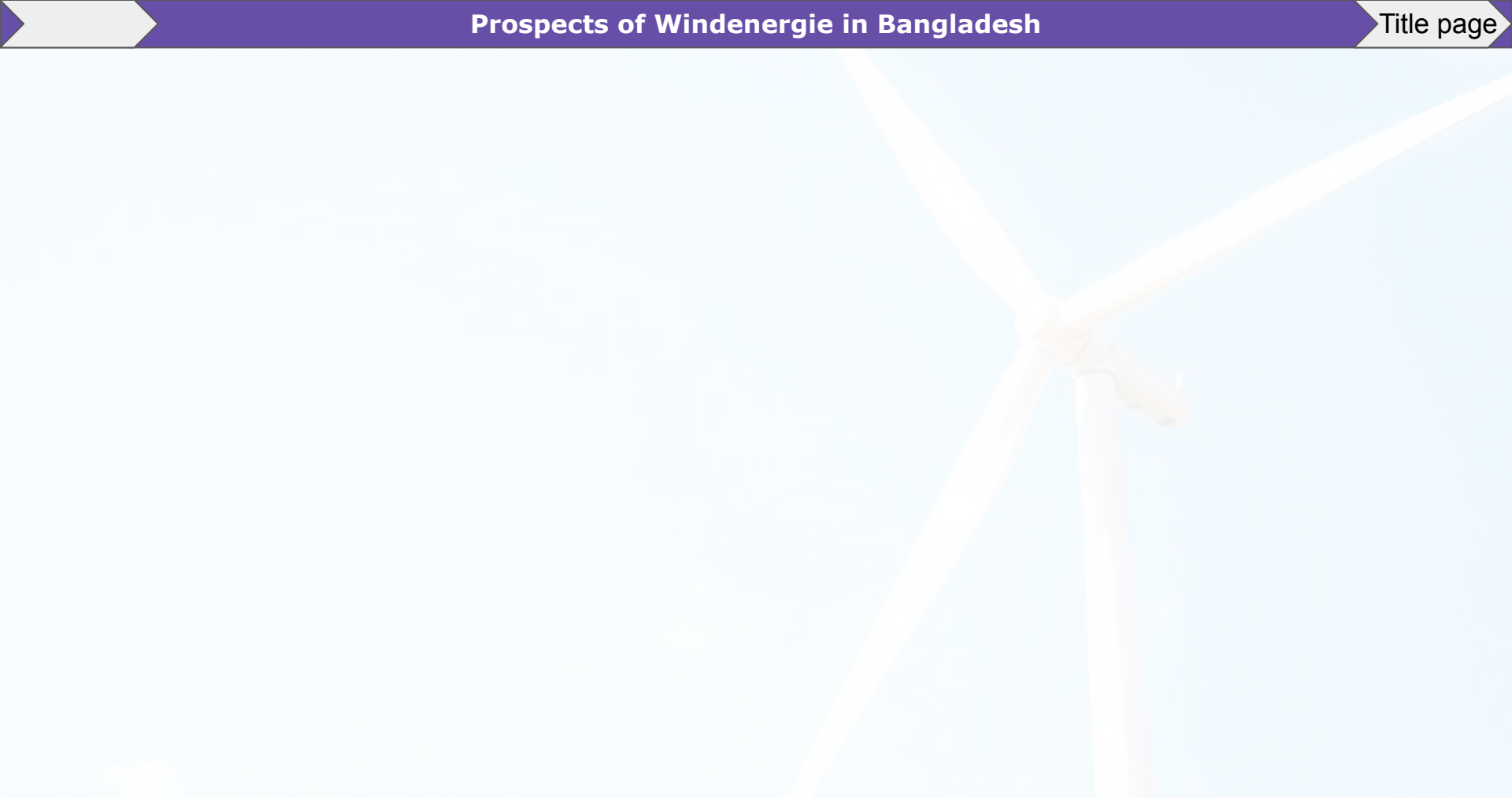


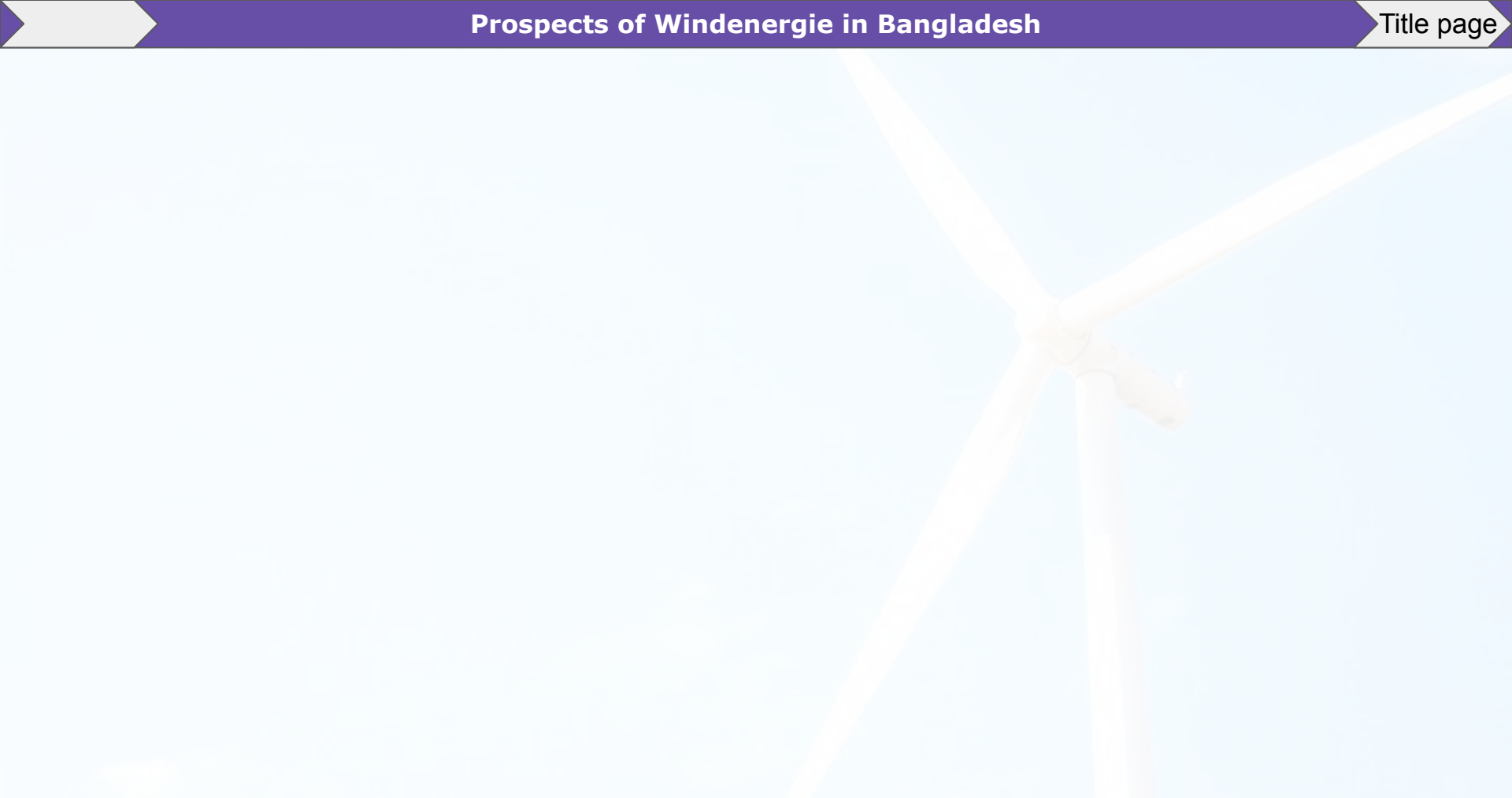
## Is there any way? Yes!!

- Small scale turbine  
Overcome grid scarcity
- Offshore Wind Farm  
Overcome arable land scarcity
- Hybrid Plant (combination of wind and PV)  
Interchangeable options depending on the season
- Planning for more robust solution  
Long-term consideration for Big Offshore wind farm











## links and infos:

1. [Australia invested 760 m for 1.76 GW](#)
2. [Bangladesh has over 34,000MW of untapped wind power](#)
3. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7j-aiUNUN4s>
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## References:

1. bangladesh Image [source](#)

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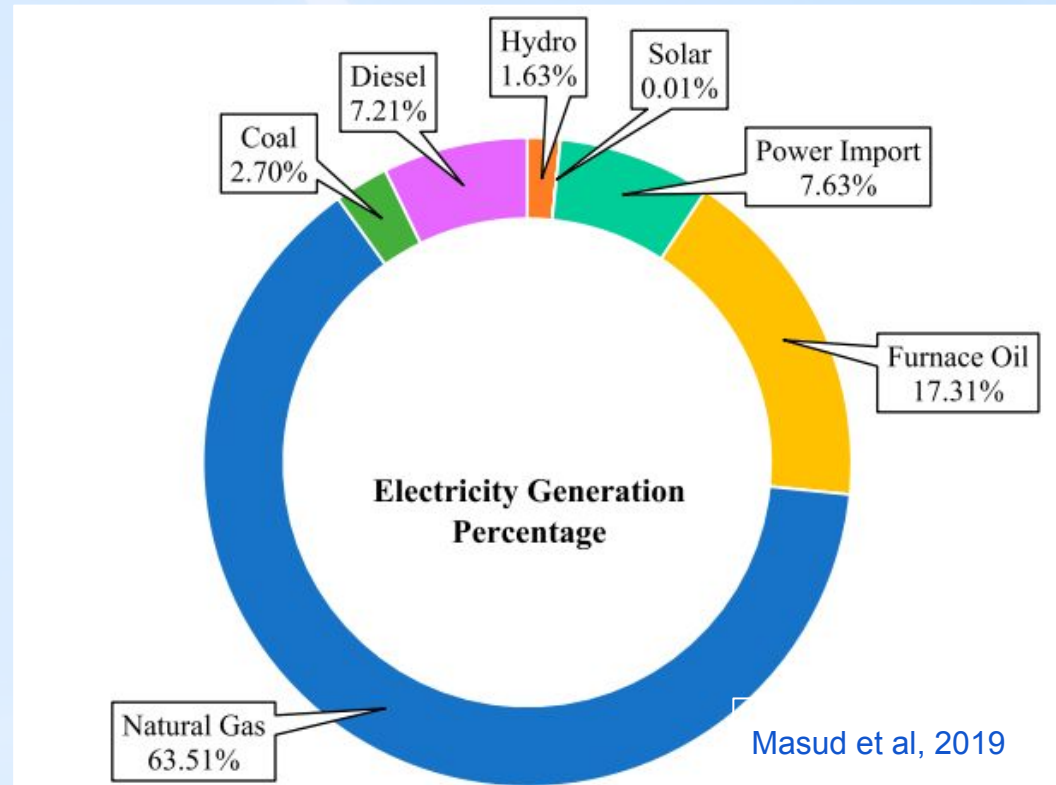
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## Outline:

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- 2) Energy sources and market condition
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  - b) Tariff
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  - b) Private investment
  - c) State-Private investment
  - d) Running Mechanism