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- Chapter 602—Generation
- Chapter 603—Power system planning and management
- Chapter 604—Operation
- Chapter 605—Substations

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CHAPTER 602—GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION OF  
ELECTRICITY—GENERATION

## SECTION 602-01—POWER STATIONS

## 602-01-01

## centrale électrique

Équipement destiné à la production d'énergie électrique et qui comprend les ouvrages de génie civil, de conversion énergétique ainsi que l'appareillage associé.

## power station

An installation whose purpose is to generate electricity and which includes civil engineering works, energy conversion equipment and all the necessary ancillary equipment.

## электрическая станция

Установка для генерирования и преобразования электрической энергии, включающая необходимое основное и вспомогательное оборудование.

## 602-01-02

## parc de production

Ensemble des moyens de production d'un réseau.

*Note.* — On peut ne considérer qu'un sous-ensemble défini d'un parc de production (exemple: parc thermique).

## generation system

The total means of generation in a system.

*Note.* — One can also consider only one given subgroup (thermal generation system for example).

## электрогенерирующая система

Совокупность генерирующего электрическую энергию оборудования энергетической системы.

*Примечание.* — Можно понимать также оборудование определенной группы электростанций (например, генерирующая система тепловых электростанций).

## 602-01-03

## aménagement hydro-électrique

Complexe ordonné d'ouvrages de génie civil, de machines et d'appareillages divers destiné principalement à transformer l'énergie potentielle de gravité de l'eau en énergie électrique.

## hydroelectric installation

An ordered arrangement of civil engineering structures, machinery and plant designed chiefly to convert the gravitational potential energy of water into electricity.

## гидроузел энергетического назначения

Комплекс сооружений, машин и другого оборудования, предназначенный главным образом для преобразования потенциальной энергии воды в электрическую энергию.