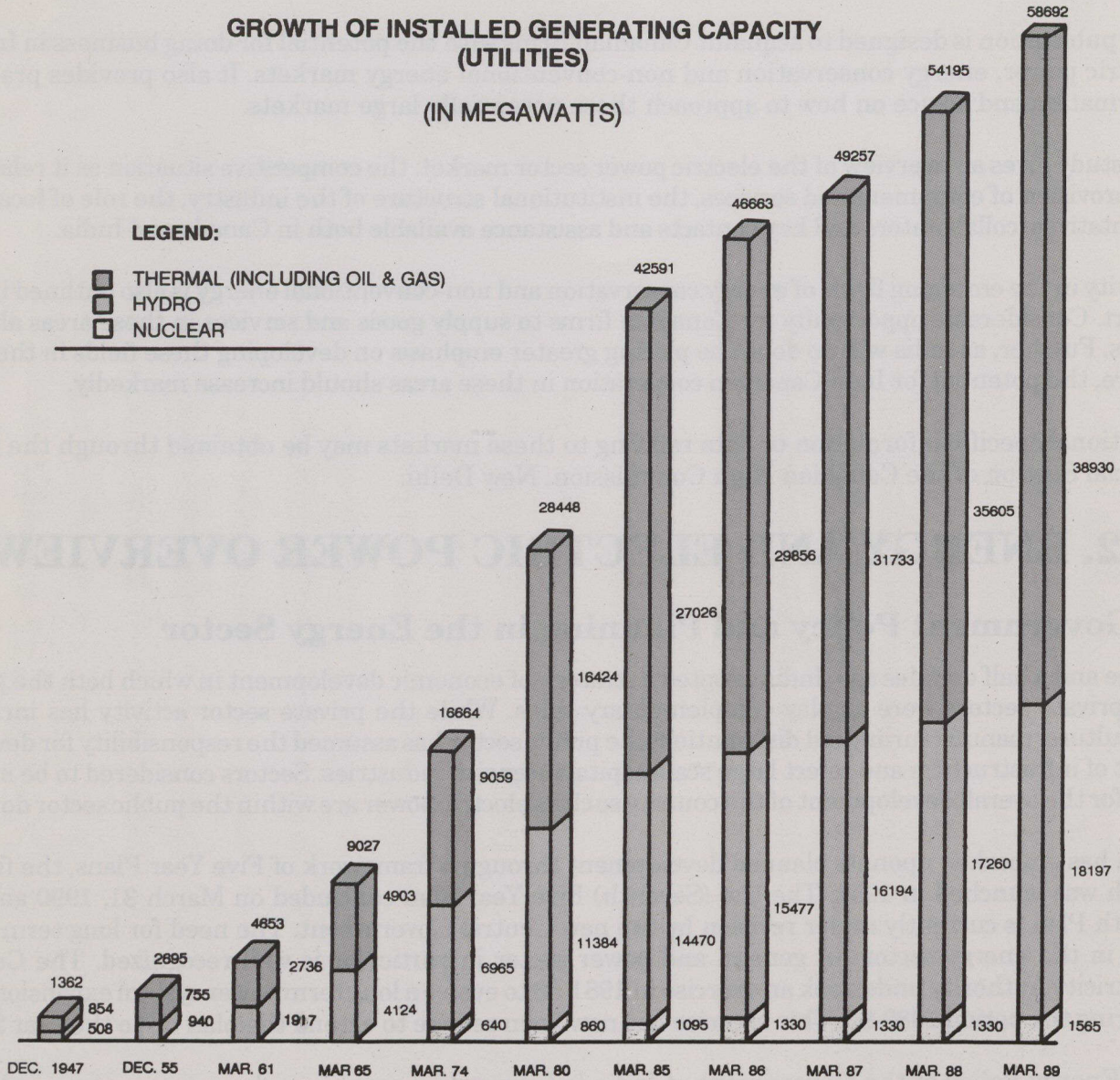


## GROWTH OF INSTALLED GENERATING CAPACITY (UTILITIES)

(IN MEGAWATTS)



- vii) Intensification of research and development activities in the field of new and renewable energy sources.
- viii) Organisation of training for the personnel engaged at various levels in the energy sector.

The Government of India has tremendous challenges on its hands and must make major progress in all of the above areas in the face of ever increasing demands for energy and critical funding constraints.

### b) Electric Power Supply

The electric power sector plays a key role in meeting the energy needs of the Indian economy