

# BHAIRON GHATI HE PROJECT (2x32.5=65 MW) SALIENT FEATURES

#### LOCATION

State Uttaranchal District Uttaranchal River Bhagirathi

#### Dam site

Location D/S of confluence of Jadhganga with

Bhagirathi river

Latitude 31° 01' 55" N
Longitude 78° 51' 35" E
Nearest Airport Dehradun
Nearest rail head Rishikesh

## **HYDROLOGY**

Catchment area at dam site 2660.0 sq km
Maximum average discharge at dam 266.0 cumec
Minimum average discharge at dam site 17.8 cumec

### **RESERVOIR**

Full Reservoir Level (FRL)

Minimum Drawdown level (MDDL)

Gross storage at FRL

Live storage

Area under submergence at FRL

2642.0 m

2630.0 m

1.883 M cum

0.853 M cum

13.27 ha

# **DIVERSION TUNNEL**

Number 1

Size 4.5 m diameter

Length 500 m Diversion discharge 80 cumec

#### DAM

Type Gravity Dam



Top elevation of dam El 2644.0 Height of dam above 34.0 m

River bed level

Length of dam at top 88.0 m
River bed level EI 2610.0 m

# **SPILLWAY**

Design flood (PMF) 8495.0 cumecs
Type Ogee type
Crest elevation El 2617.50 m

Number of bays 3 of 13 m x 17.50 m

Length of spillway 51.0 m

## **INTAKE**

Invert level El 2619.50 m

Number

Size of gate 5.3 m x 5.3m

### **DESILTING CHAMBER**

Number

Size 230 m x 12 m x 17 m

Design discharge 80.0 cumecs

Particle size to be removed 0.2 mm and above

### **HEAD RACE TUNNEL**

Number 1

Size 4.5 m Shape Horse shoe Length 5.1 km

Design Discharge 66.40 cumecs

### **SURGE SHAFT**

Number 1

Size 10 m diameter

Height 80.0 m



## PRESSURE SHAFT

Numbers 1 No.
Size 3.75 m
Length 230 m

# **POWER HOUSE**

Type Underground Installed capacity 2x32.5 MW

Number of units 2

Power house cavern size 63.50 m x 21.5 m x 30.0 m

Type of turbine Vertical Axis Francis

C.L. of turbine EI 2509.50 m Rated Head 108.90 m

### **TAIL RACE**

Size 5.0 m
Type D - shape
Length 190.0m
Design Discharge 66.40 cumec
River Bed Level El 2510 m
Maximum TWL El 2515.0 m

#### **SWITCHYARD**

Size Gas Insulated Switchyard (GIS) on

the floor above the transformer/s in

P/H cavern

### **POWER GENERATION**

Installed capacity 65 MW

Annual energy generation

i) 90% dependable year 293.18 GWh

ii) Energy in 90% year

on 95% availability 279.45 GWh

**CONSTRUCTION PERIOD** 

5 years