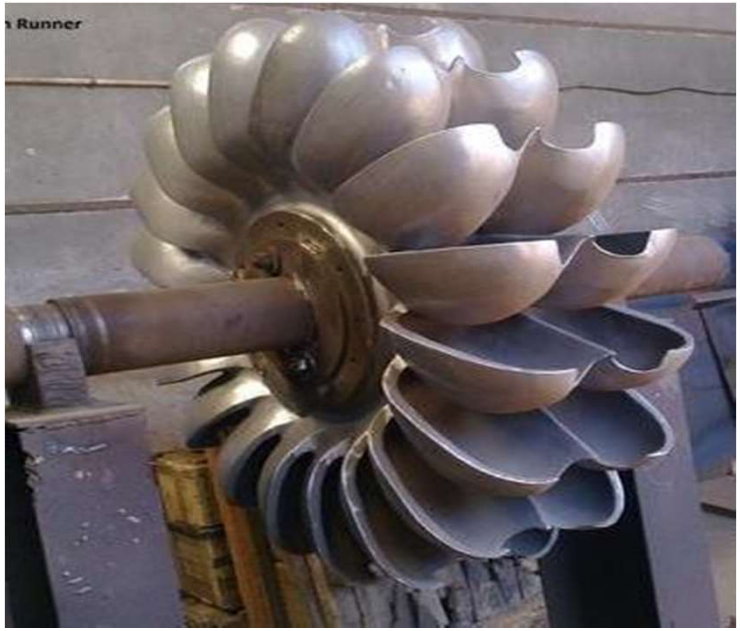
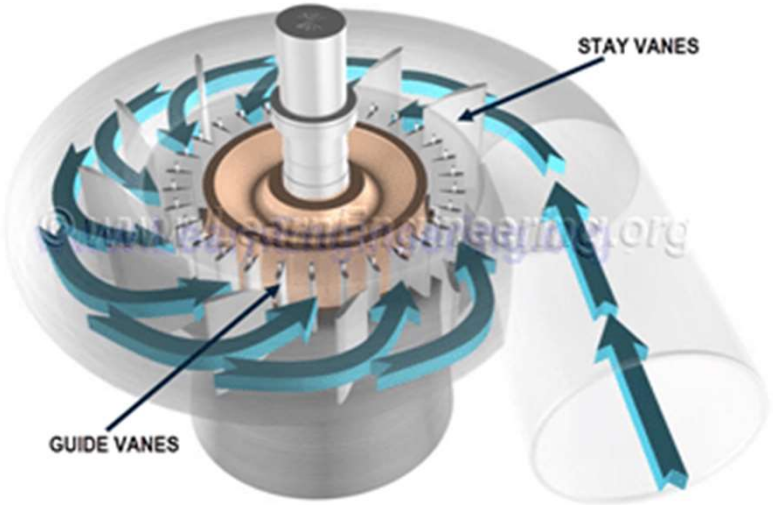
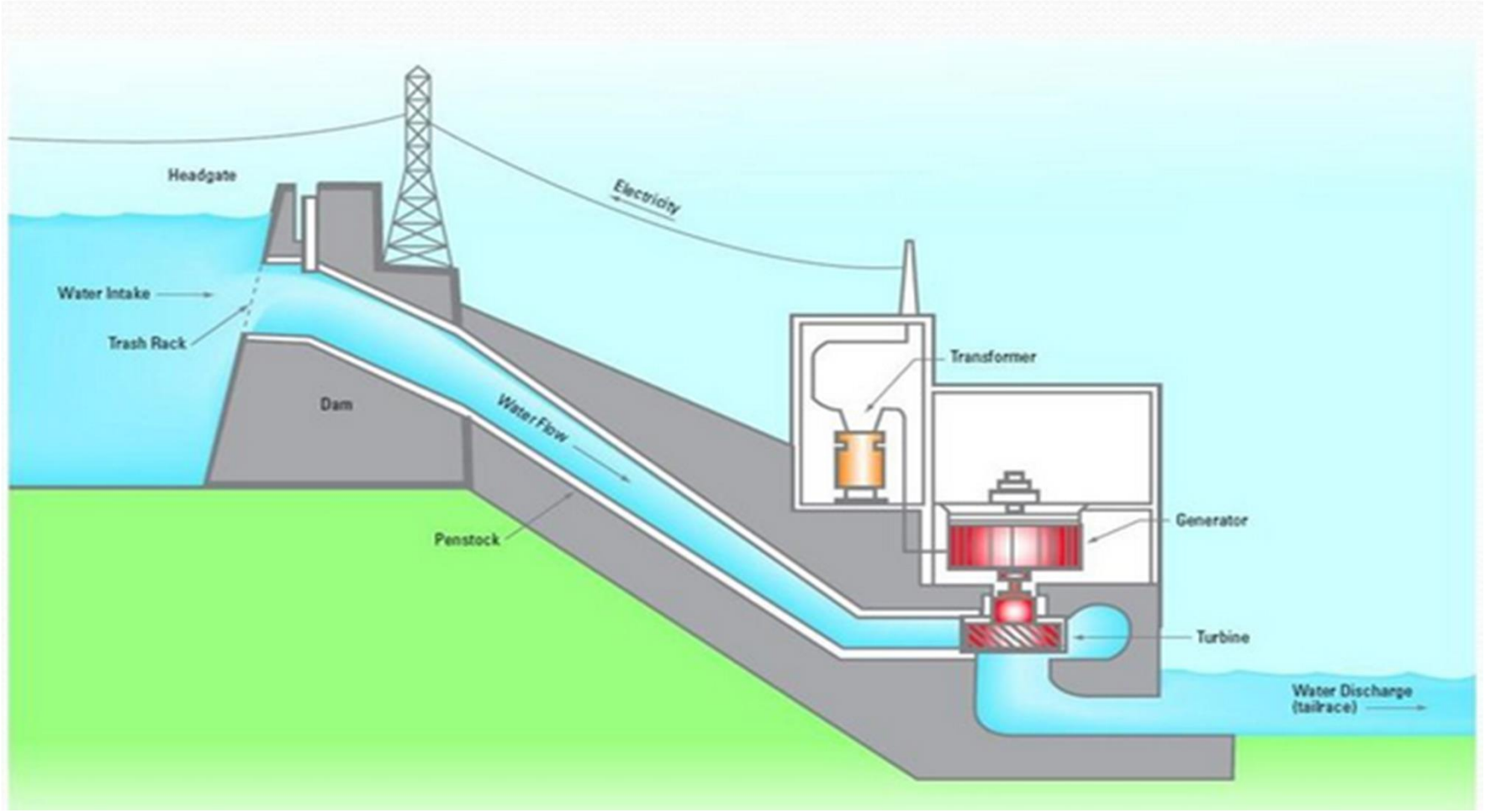
Turbine

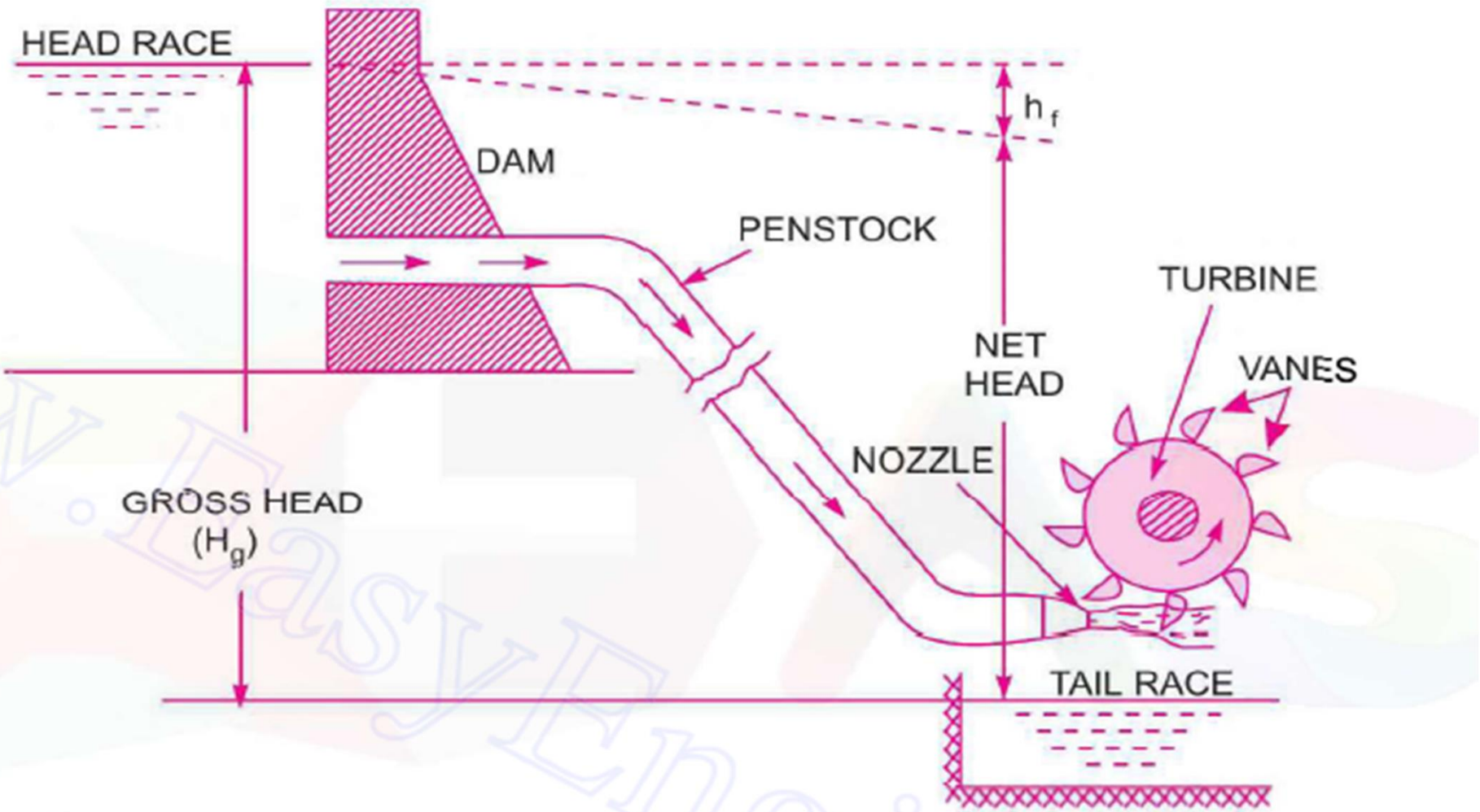




Layout of hydroelectric power plant



$$H = H_g - h_f$$


HEAD RACE
h_f
DAM
PENSTOCK
TURBINE
NET
HEAD
VANES
NOZZLE
GROSS HEAD
(H_g)
TAIL RACE

Dam → Constructed across rivers.

1) Reservair → Natural
- mountains.
- Natural spring.

Artificial.
- Dam.

Appreciable gradient or slap required.

Penstock → Pipes of large diameter carry water under pressure

made of Steel.
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Control
↑
Valve → control the discharge of water or

Surge tanks.
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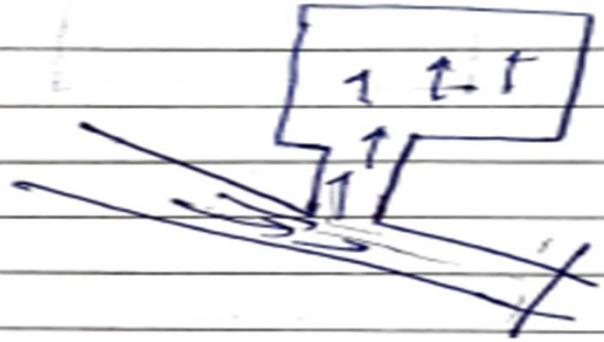
Surge drum.
Surge Pool.



Neutralized the sudden changes of Pressure in Flow.
if we closed the Penstock suddenly → Flowing water Hits the gate. with very Large Force.
if we required more water. For running the Turbine.

Water hammer. Effect
hydraulic Shock.

(3) Turbine → having different types of vanes.

Gross head (Hg) → difference b/w head race & tail race.

Hg = Head race − Tail race.

Energy available at turbine inlet.

Nozzel inlet. → when ideal flow condition is consider. (No loss)