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The logo for NucNet, featuring the word "NucNet" in a stylized, handwritten-style font. The "N" is large and prominent, with the "ucNet" following in a similar script. There are horizontal lines at the end of the "t".

Taiwan Nuclear Output Increases

Taiwan's six operating nuclear power units generated a total of 38 terawatt-hours (TWh) of electricity in 2002 – up 8.5% on the previous year's figure (35 TWh).

The three nuclear plants at Chinshan, Kuosheng and Maanshan, with two operating units at each site, contributed a nuclear share of 22.9% to total domestic electricity production – compared to 21.6% in 2001 – while total electricity consumption in Taiwan increased by 5.3%. The average load factor was 87.8%.

Construction continues at two nuclear units at Lungmen, Taiwan's fourth nuclear power plant. Completion of the units is scheduled for 2006 for unit one and 2007 for unit two.

Source: Atomic Energy Council, Taiwan

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