

**Figure 25** · Reactor Outages in France in 2020 (in number of units and GWe)

## Unavailability of French Nuclear Reactors in 2020

### Reactors Offline the Same Day (Zero Output)

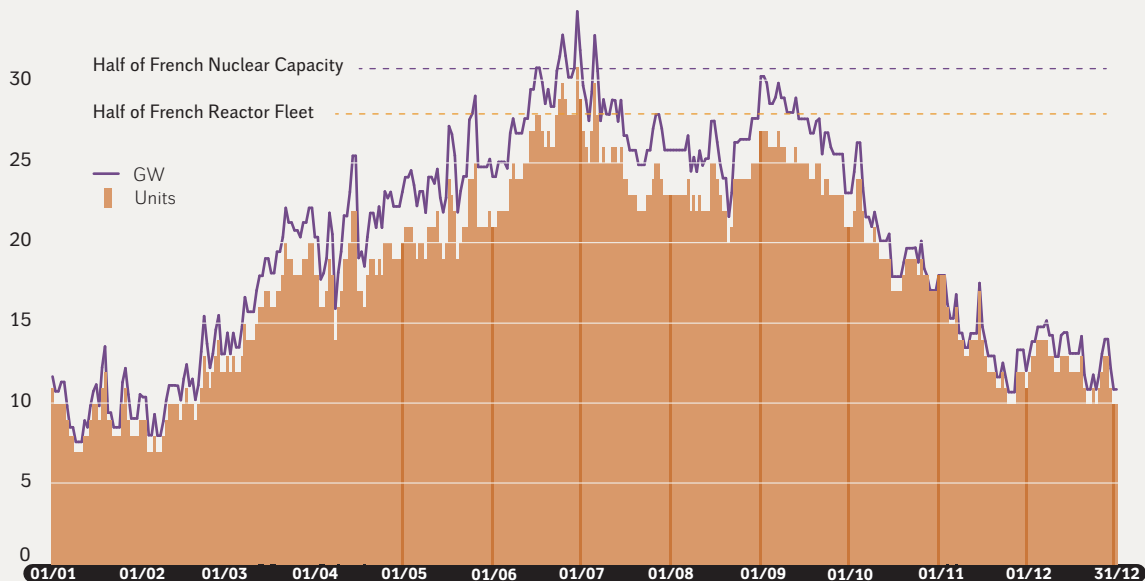
in Units and Capacity

#### 2020

On 335 days—92% of the year—10 reactors or more did not provide any power at least part of the day, of which 169 days—46% of the year—20 or more reactors.

The maximum number of reactors offline simultaneously was 30 (33 GW) and the minimum 6 (6.7 GW).

Twenty reactors or more were off-line simultaneously during the equivalent of 158.5 days (43% of the year).



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Note: For each day in the year, this graph shows the total number of reactors offline, not necessarily simultaneously as all unavailabilities do not overlap, but on the same day. The two Fessenheim reactors closed in the first half of the year are not represented.