



5 It is also worth mentioning the case containing the Ozonit healing instrument which became famous in the scene from the legendary film *Postřižiny* (Cutting It Short).

6 The exposition of electricity meters documents the development of metering technology from the oldest mechanical types to the present digital instruments.



Technical and Documentary Museum of Prague Power Supply

The companies of the PRE Group make use of the latest technology to provide quality services and electricity supplies to customers, above all in the Capital City of Prague as well as in the Czech Republic. They also appreciate the “legacy of their ancestors” and a more than a hundred year history of the electrification of the Czech Lands.

This rich history of the generation and distribution of electricity from the start of the last century right up to the present day is documented in an exhibition at the Technical and Documentary Museum of Prague Power Supply.

The history of the PRE museum began in 1997 on the occasion of the 100th anniversary of the establishment of the legal predecessor of Pražská energetika, a.s. – Elektrické podniky královského hlavního města Prahy (Electrical Works of the Royal Capital City of Prague). The employees of the company at that time and several other enthusiasts managed to bring together an extensive collection of exhibits for future generations which continued to grow in the years to follow thanks to many patrons.

In the following decade it was not only the museum’s collections that were extended, but the number of visitors increased from the ranks of the professional and lay public.

In early 2008 the museum left its original seat in Novovysočanská street. After several months of building alterations, demanding removal work and assembly of the expositions, the PRE Group reopened its collections to the public in the new imposing rooms of the Holešovice substation (close to Holešovice Rail and Bus Station and the Metro “C” Line Station) in Jankovcova street in Prague 7.

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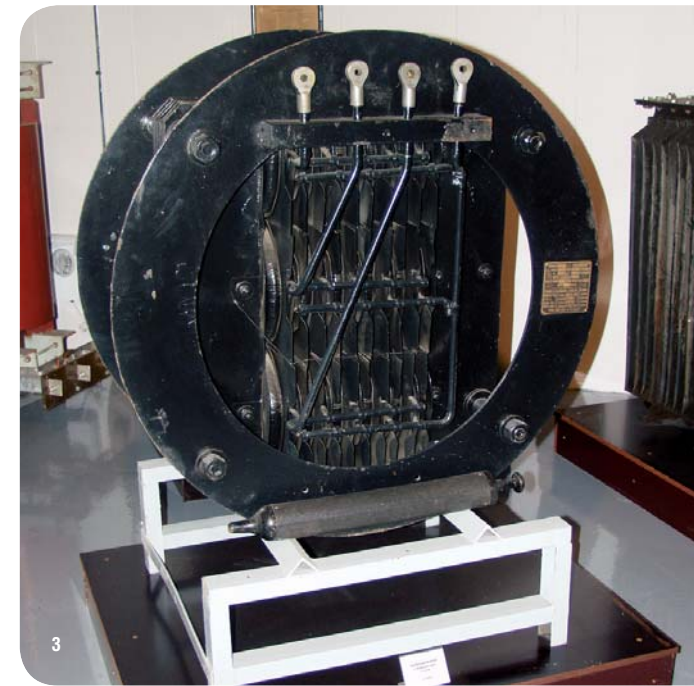


1 Building of the Technical and Documentary Museum of Prague power supply.

2 Main element of the genuine control panel from the Jih substation (of the 1930's) is the original Italian marble.

3 Dry power 3000/120 V transformer of 1914 is one of the oldest museum exhibits.

4 Among the exhibited objects of considerable historic and documentary value visitors to our museum can also find true "gems". One of them is a coin electricity meter of 1938 – one of the fairest types of equipment of its kind: it supplies electricity (and lights up a bulb) precisely in such an amount as the value of a coin that the consumer inserts in it.



In the extensive exposition in a space of almost 500 square metres visitors will find high and low voltage equipment, metering instruments, work and protective aids as well as written documents of a technical nature documenting the history of Prague's electrification. You can find network charts, building plans, photographs of equipment and facilities, public law documents, station lists, historical textbooks, technical specifications and the like. A new addition to the exposition is a display documenting the activities of our dishonest non-paying "customers".

What is particularly valuable to experts – and unique on a European scale – is the link between history and the present day on one site.

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