

# IITGn hosts talk on future electricity needs

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**E**lectricity requirement in India will increase up to 6.8 times in the next fifty years," said former chairman of the Atomic En-

ergy Regulatory Board, professor SP Sukhatme at Indian Institute of Technology Gandhinagar (IITGN) on Monday. He was speaking on 'Estimating India's Future Needs of Electricity'.

Emphasising the need for

frugal use of electricity, Sukhatme said that days of plentiful and cheap energy are over.

He also said that electricity and fresh water will be two big issues in the country in the future.