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# Energy - Nationalisation or Privatisation

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Problematic : Which is the best between nationalization and privatization ?

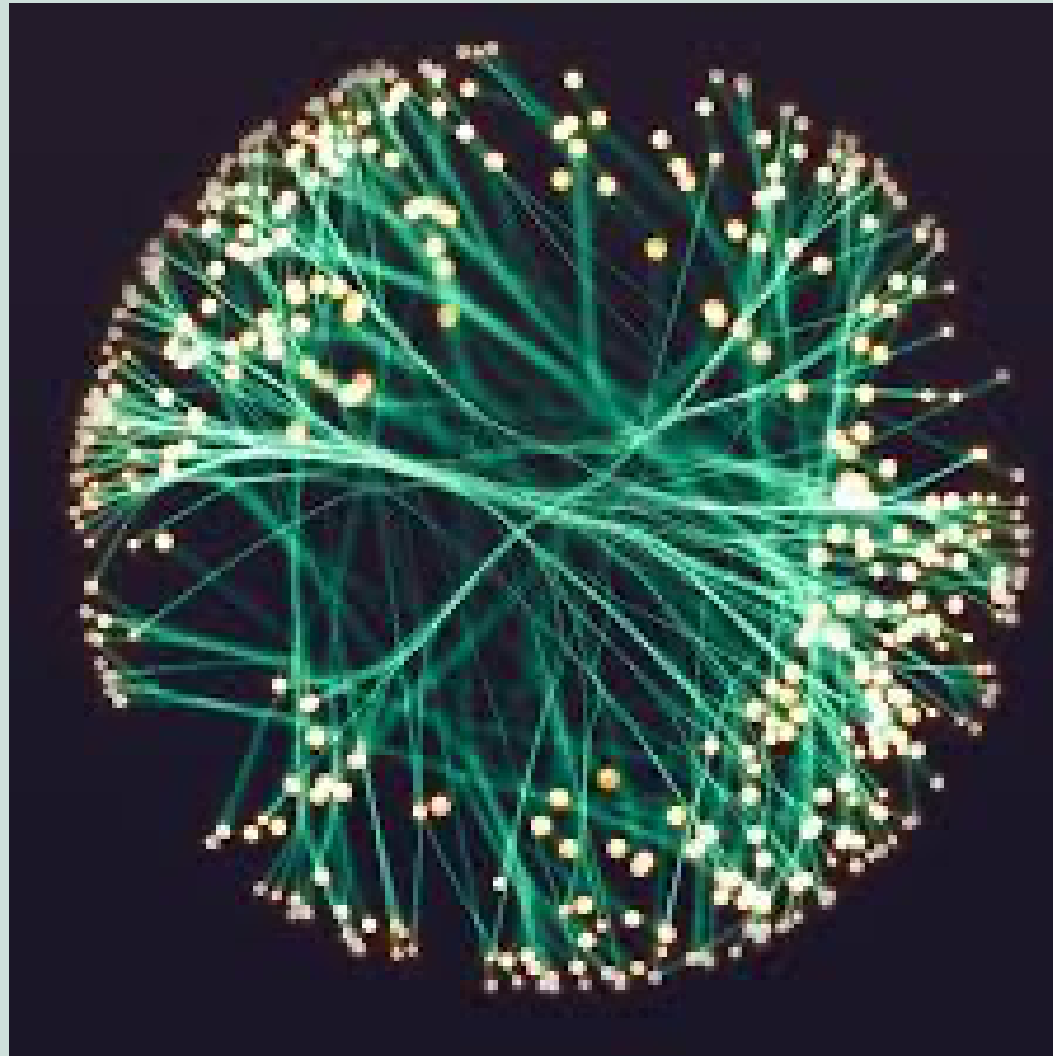


# Summary

I. Privatization

II. Nationalization

III. Example of  
nationalisation and  
privatisation with the UK  
and French model



## 1) Definition

= The process of transferring the production of goods and services from the public sector to the private sector.

## 2) Pros and Cons

→ Improved efficiency and innovation

→ Lack of political interference

→ Shareholders

→ Natural monopoly

→ Your services get worse

→ You don't get a democratic voice

## 1) Definition

= The process of taking privately-controlled companies, industries, or assets and putting them under the control of the government.

## 2) Pros and Cons

→ Low cost

→ You can decide democratically

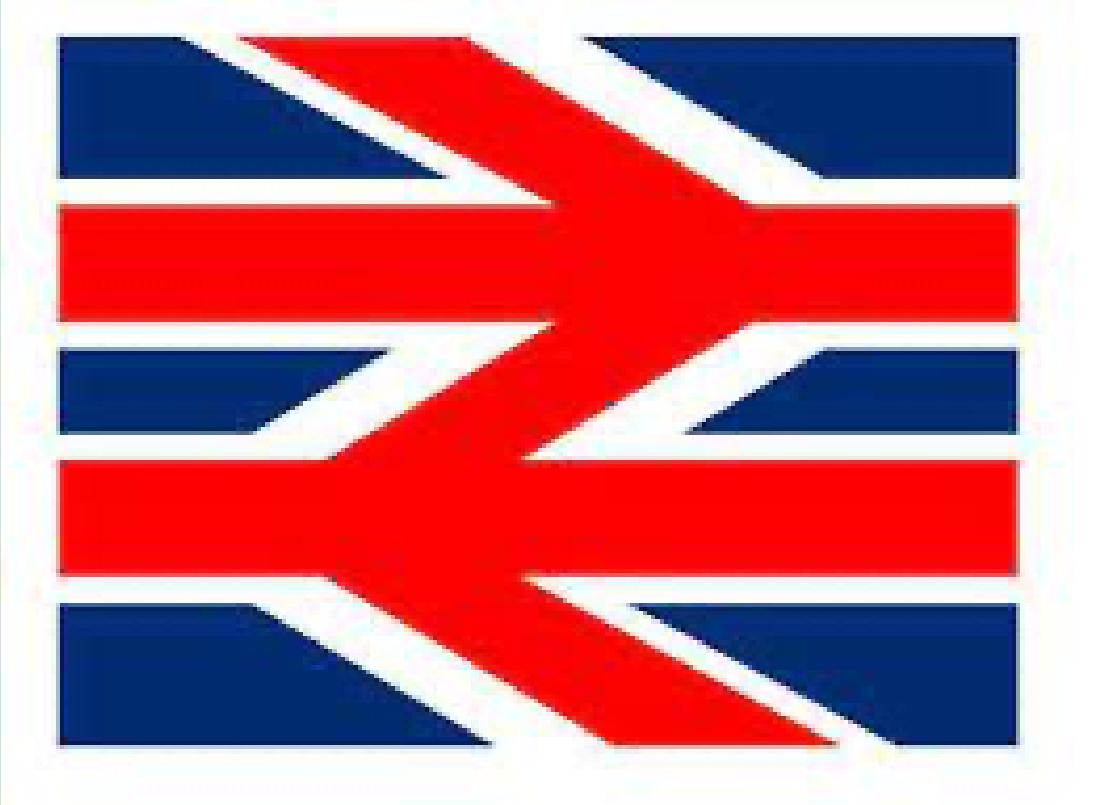
→ It helps to check exploitation

→ Corruption and mismanagement

→ Inefficiency

→ Government interference

Some examples of  
privatization and  
nationalization with the  
case of the UK and France



# UK Railway



- State owned since 1948
- Beginning of privatization in 1994  
Full privatization in 1997
- Thatcher's government : many companies were sold off
- John Mayor + Railways Act 1993
- Was and still is controversial

- Created in 1946
- First : partialy nationalized
- Barcelona 2002 : Chirac and Jospin
- Before 6 July 2022 : 84%
- 6 july 2022 : fully nationalized

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# Conclusion :

- No real solution
- No matter which one is implemented, the one in application will be criticized
- Each has advantages and disadvantages, so it's not clear which is better.



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