

AAPG Energy Opportunities

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Energy, Carbon and Poverty

Seeking the Radical Middle



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The Dilemma

Most people do not know how
electricity is made or where
gasoline comes from.

But... they think they do!



The Narrative

Renewables and batteries are
“clean” and “good”
Fossil energy and nuclear are
“dirty and “bad”...

Outline

- ❖ Energy
- ❖ Carbon
- ❖ Poverty
- ❖ Radical Middle

Energy Security

Affordable

Cost: per unit of energy

Price Volatility: stable or fluctuating

Infrastructure: cost to build the plant

Available

Access: substantial resources

Reliable

Intermittent: source consistent or variable

Safe: natural/human causes

Sustainable

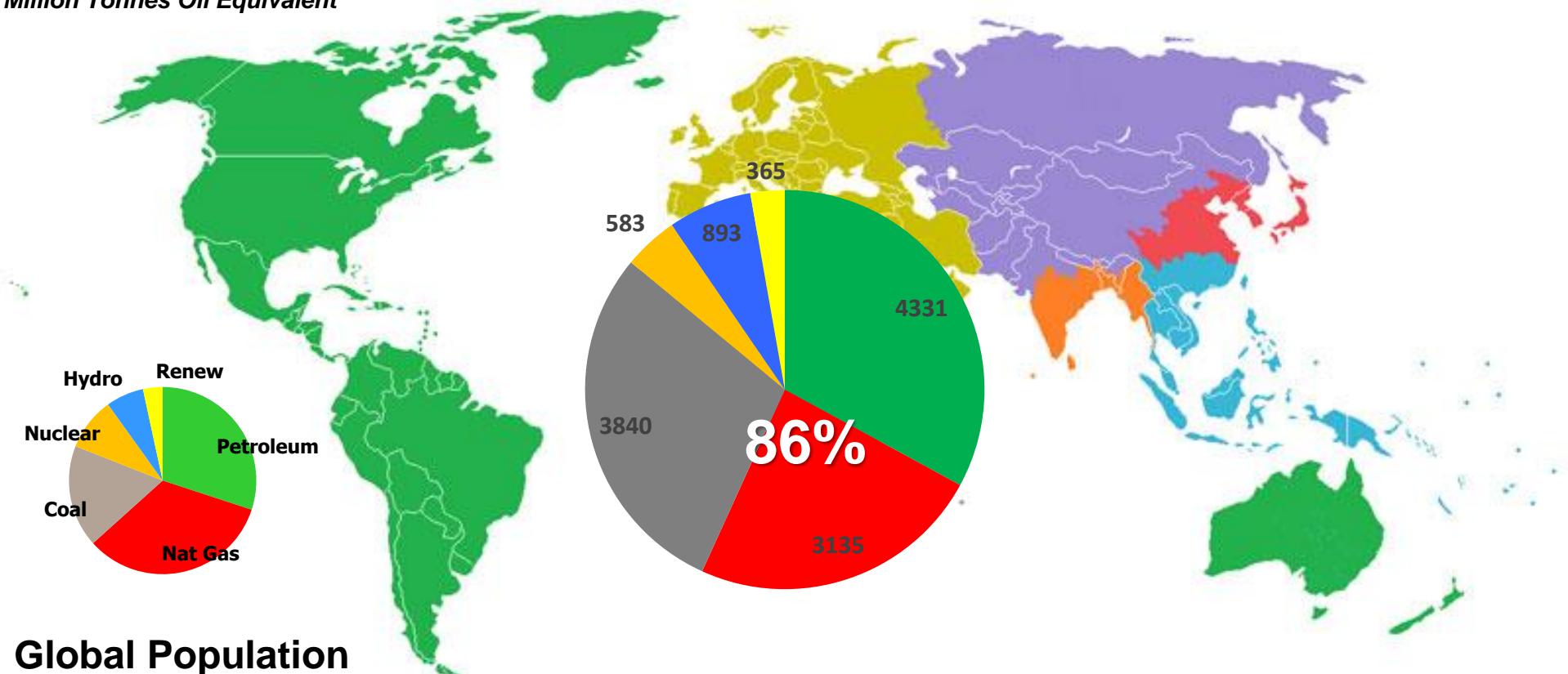
Clean: air and atmospheric emissions

Dense: energy per area, weight and volume

Dry: fresh water use/risk

The Global Energy Mix

Million Tonnes Oil Equivalent



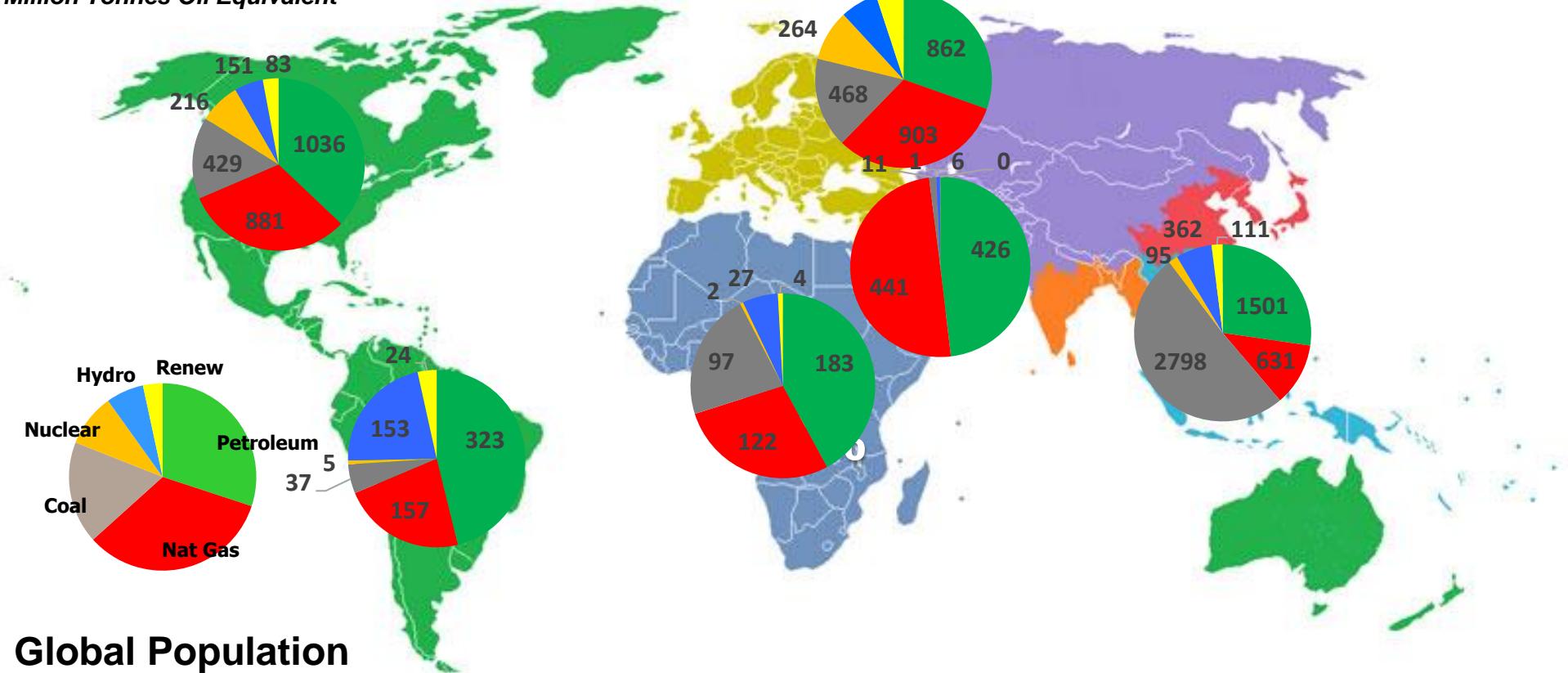
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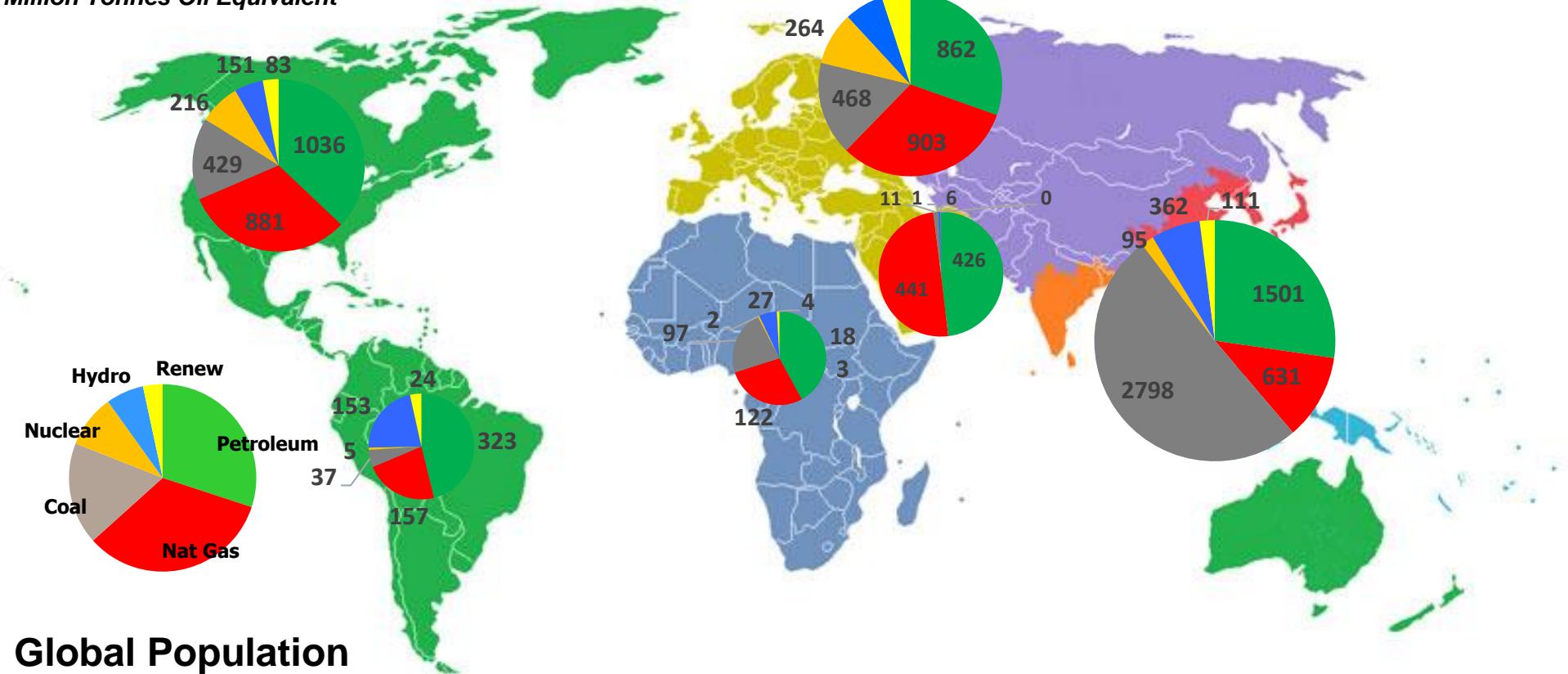
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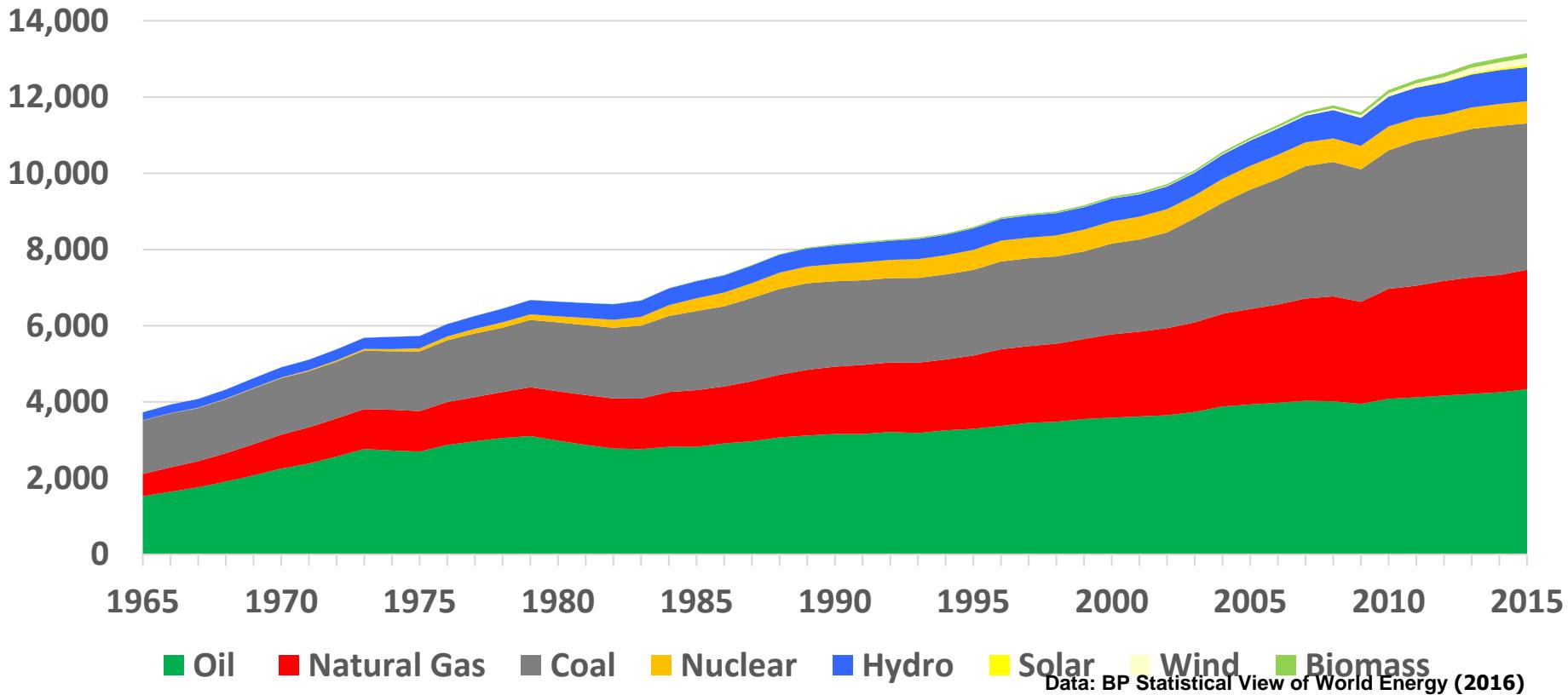
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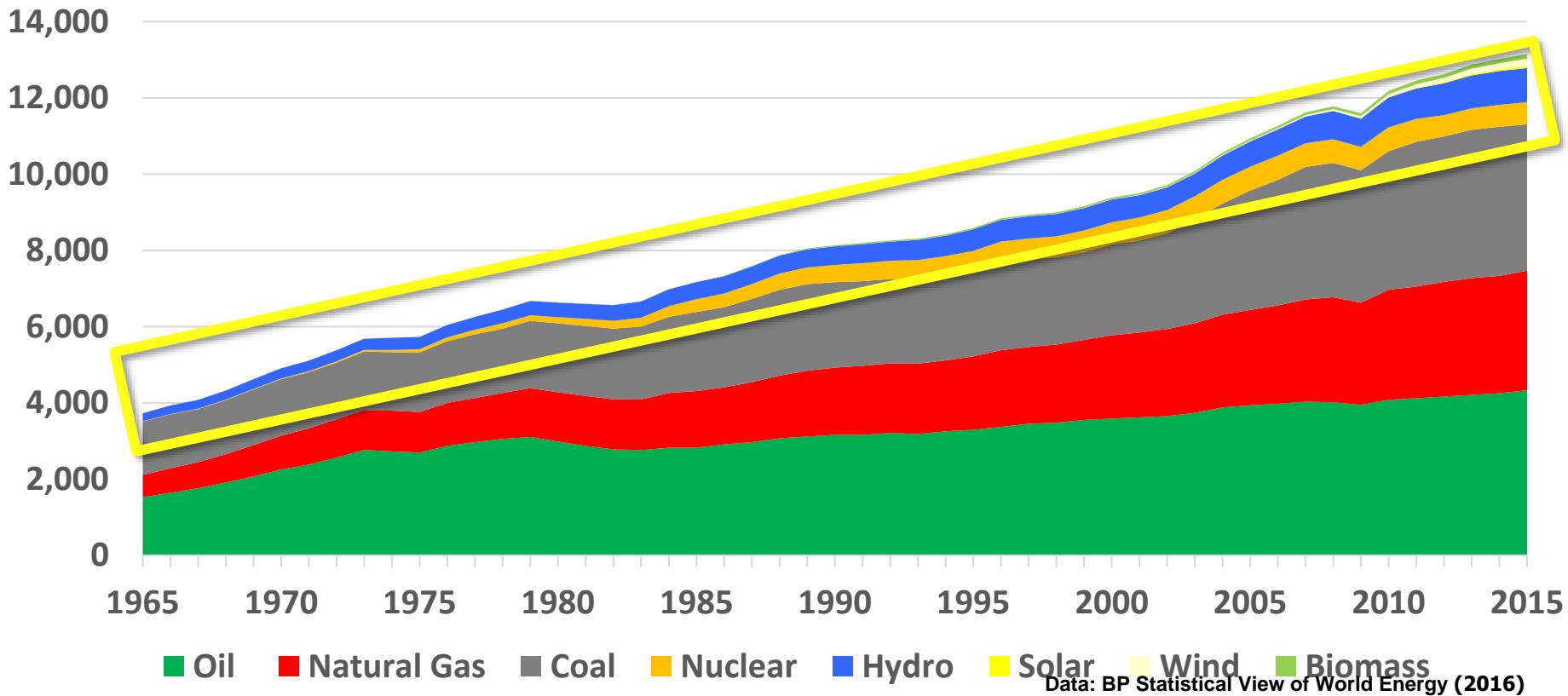
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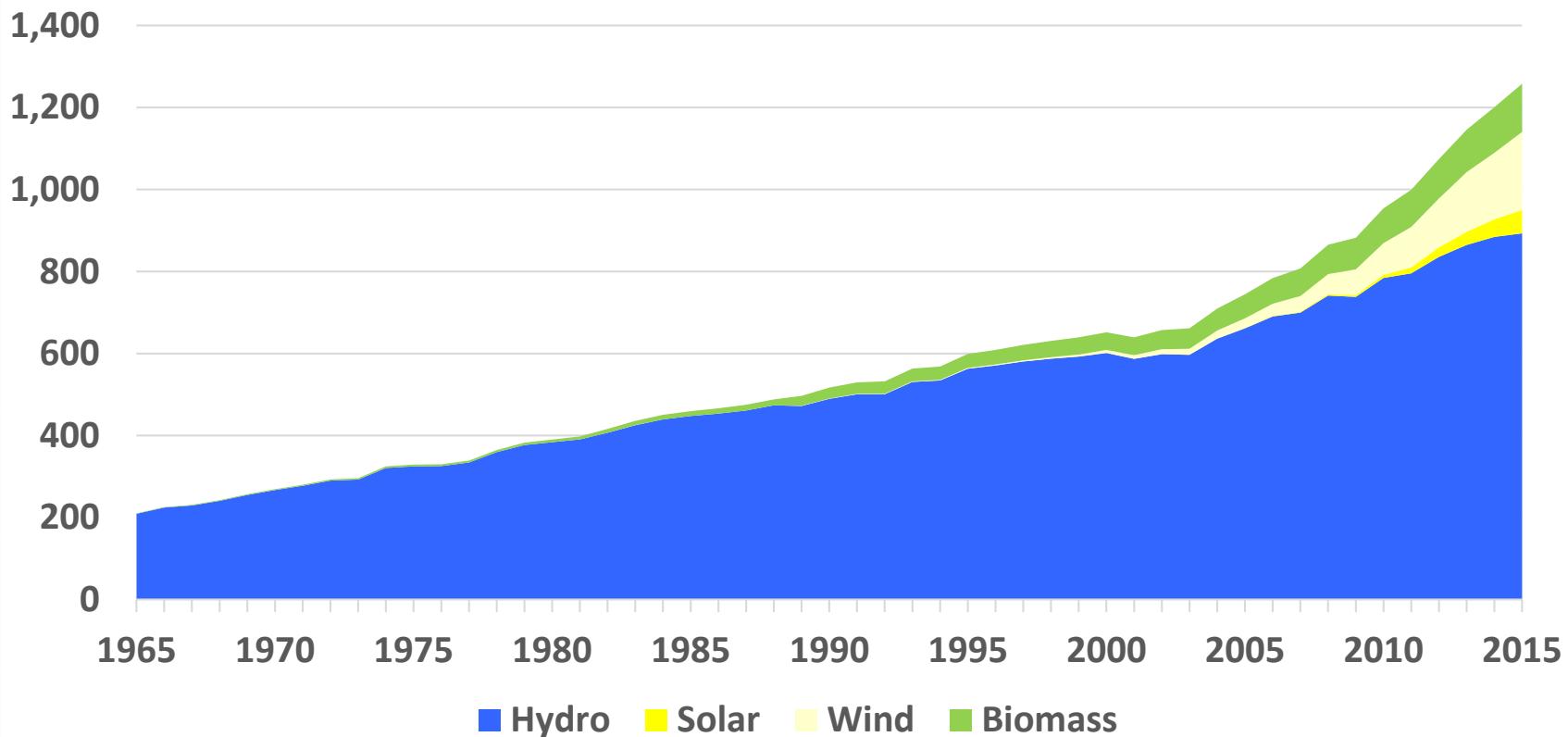
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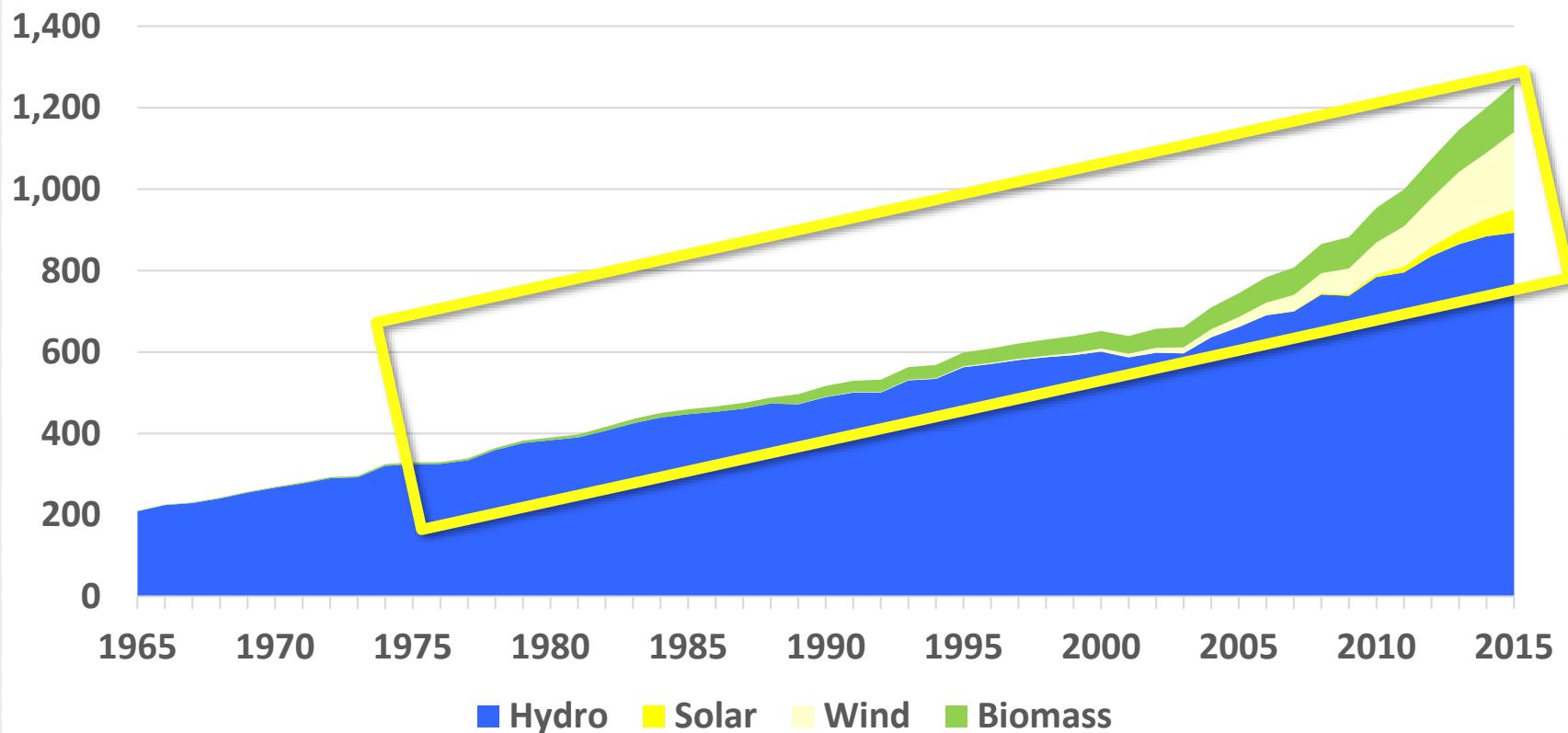
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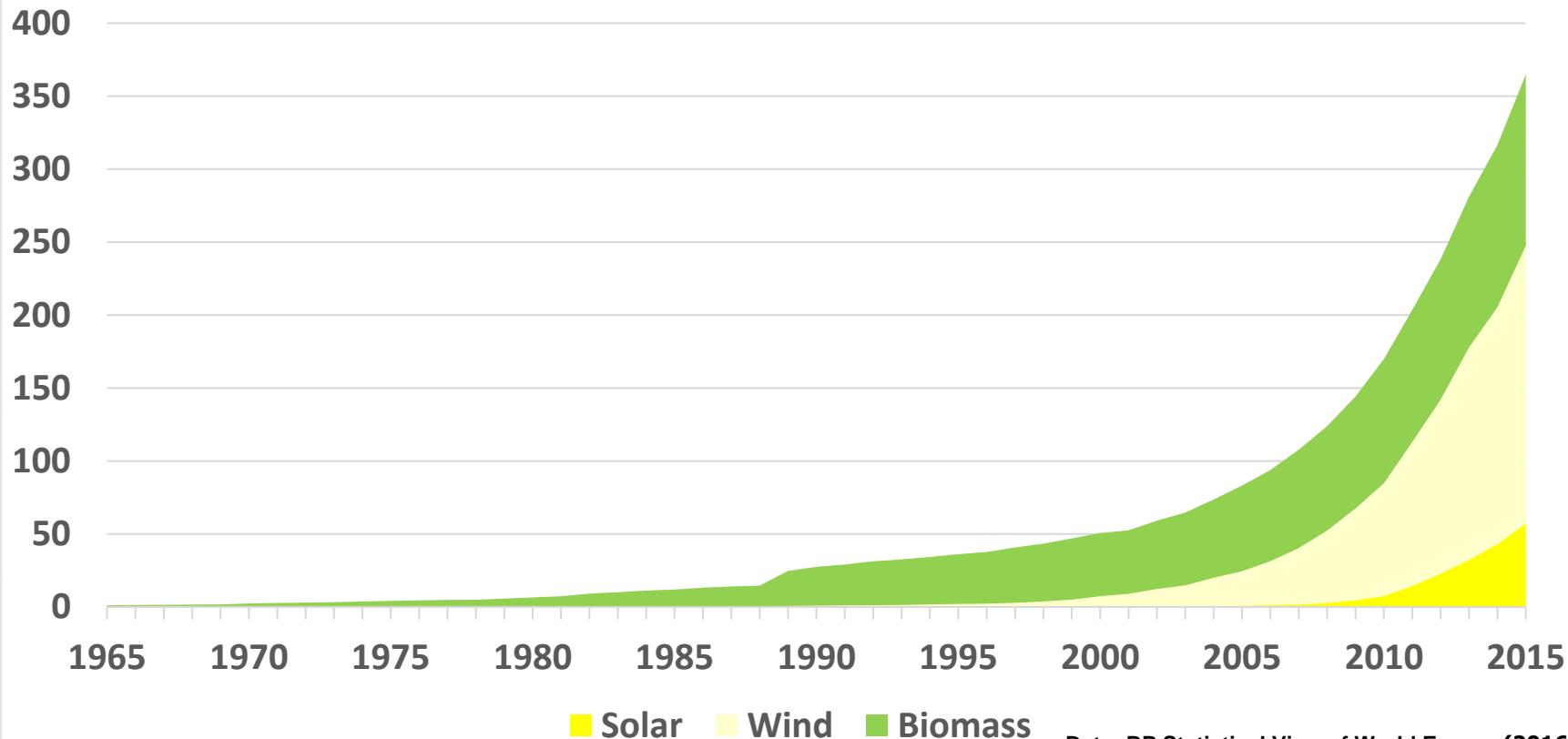
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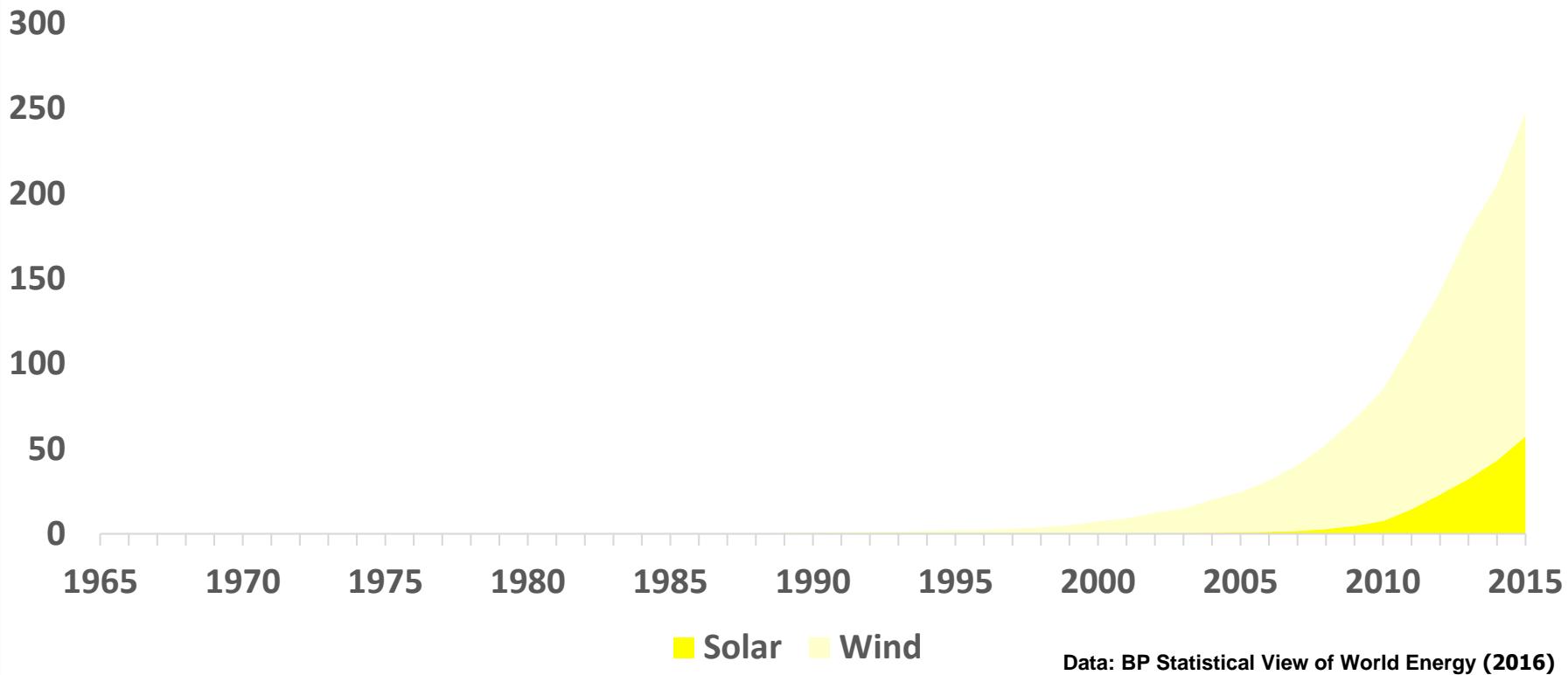
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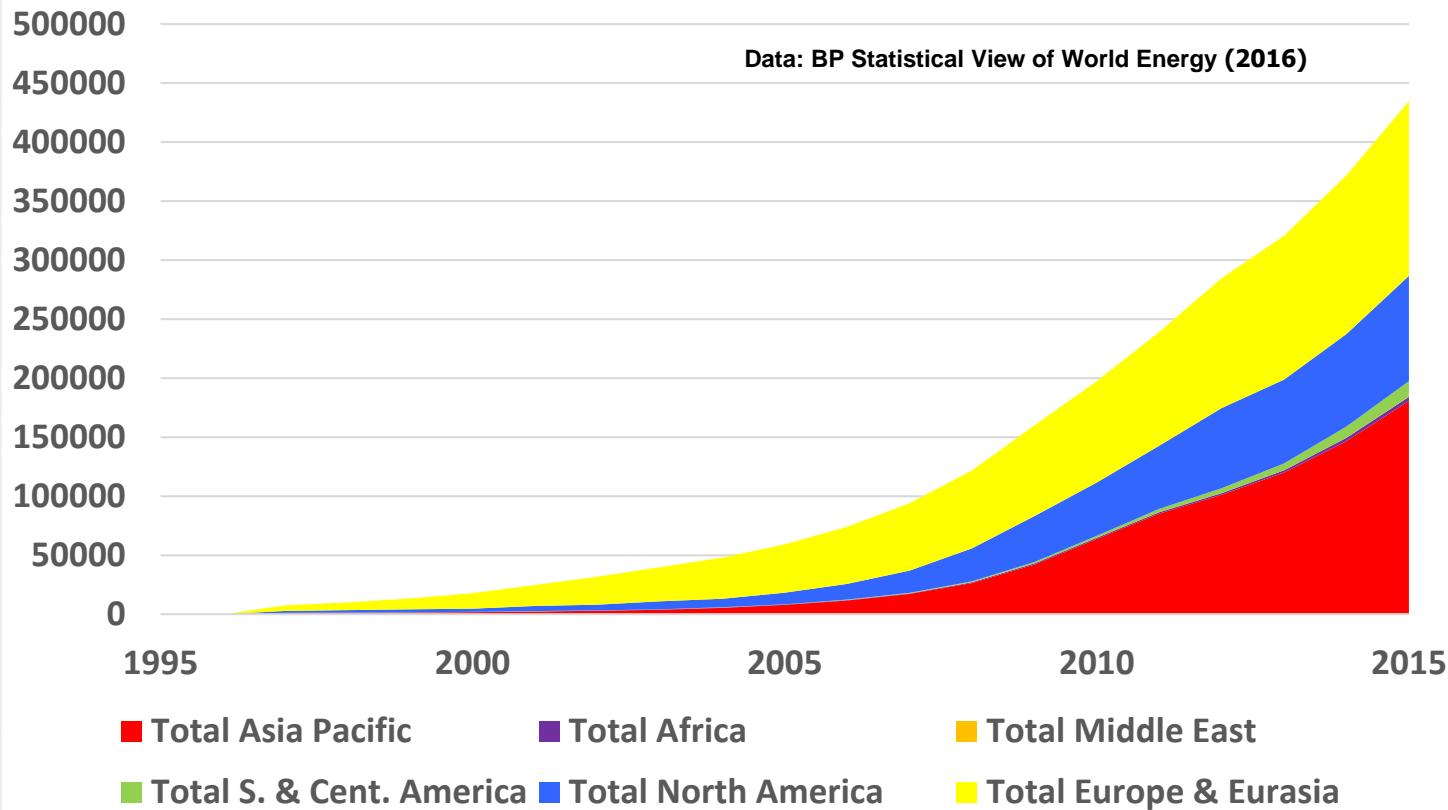
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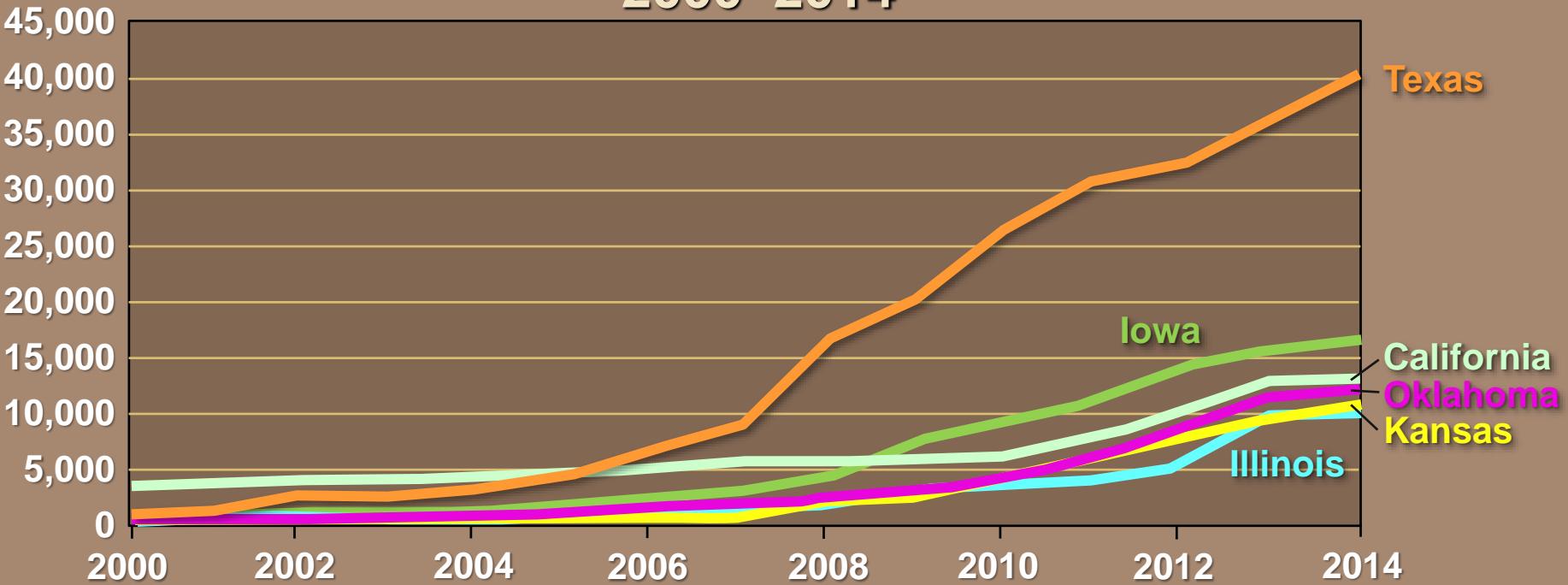
Installed Wind Capacity (MW)



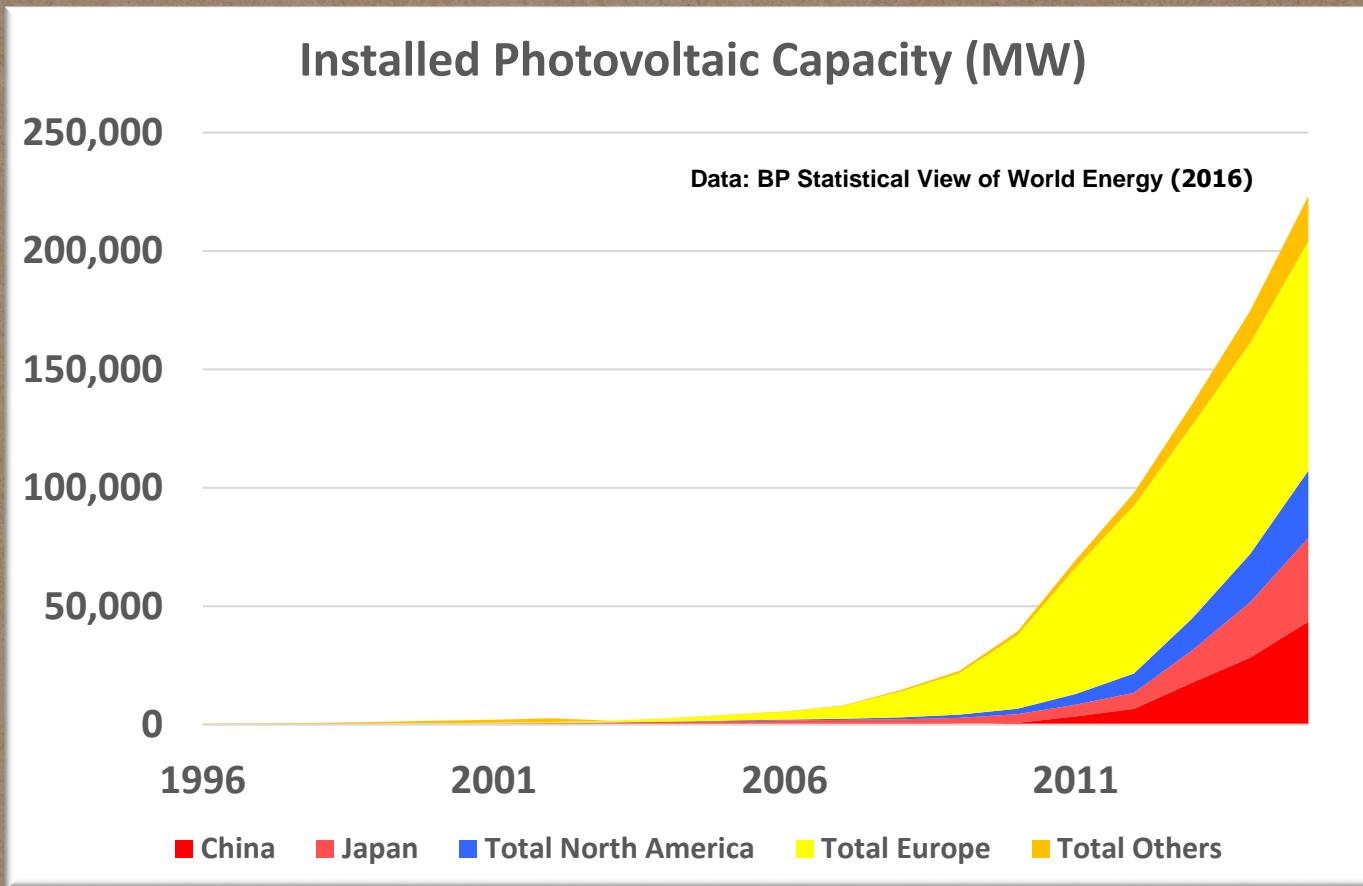
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Growth in U.S. Wind Generation 2000–2014

Million Kwh

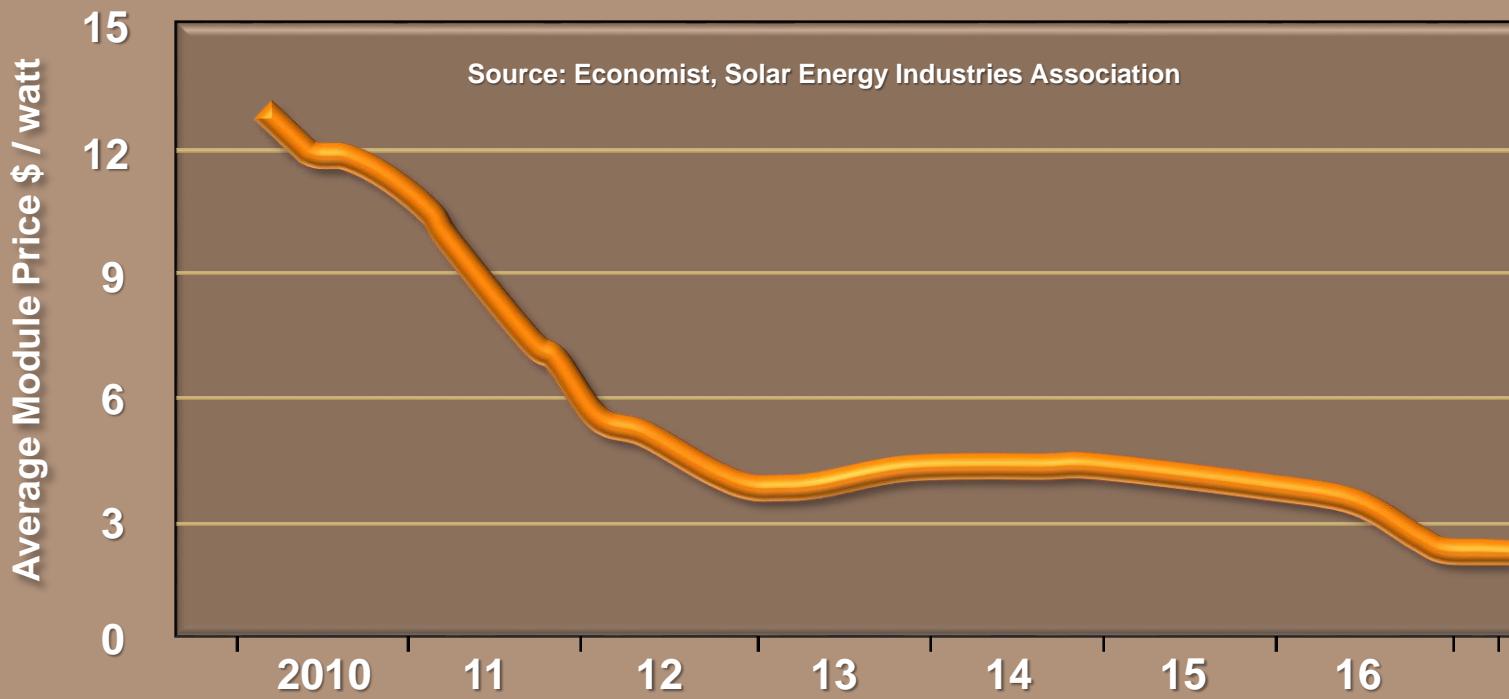


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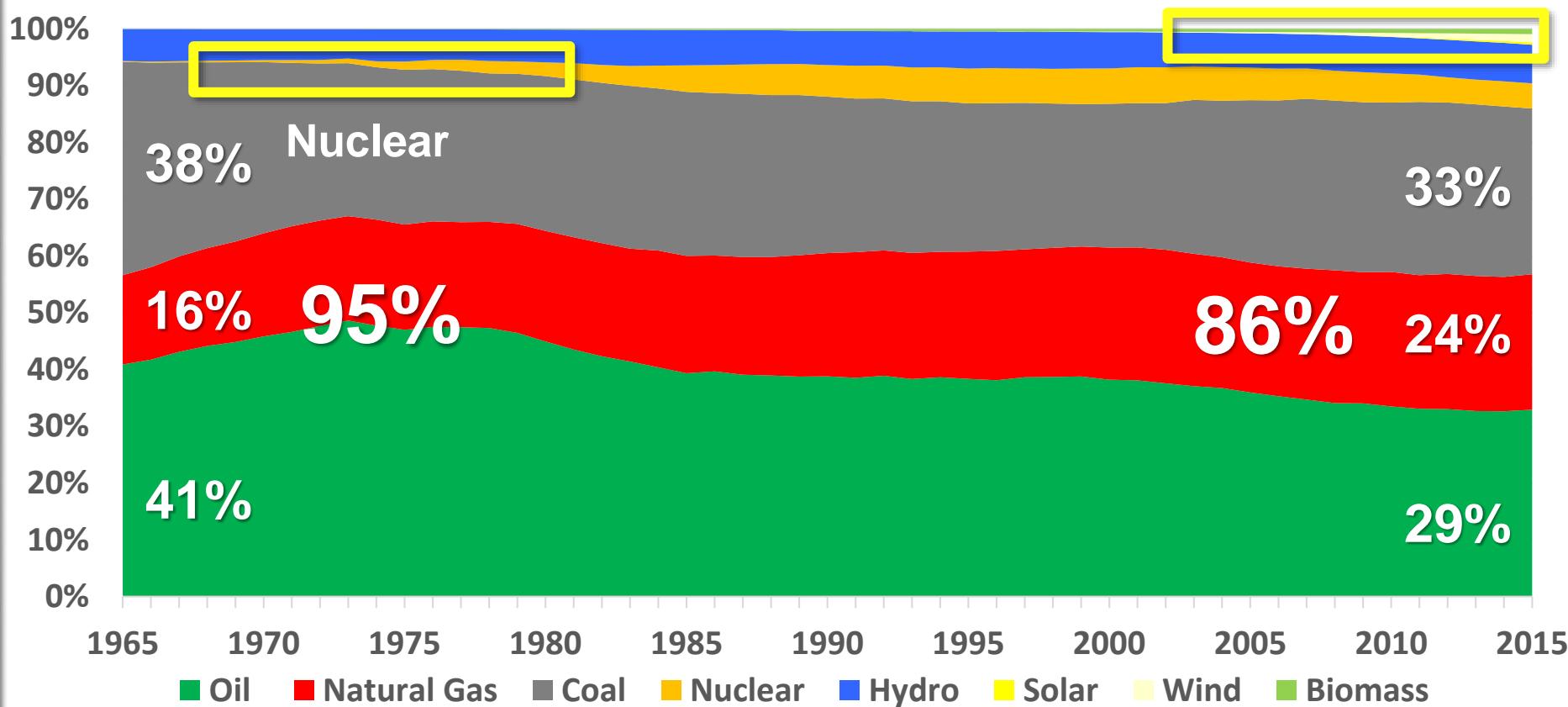
United States Solar photovoltaics



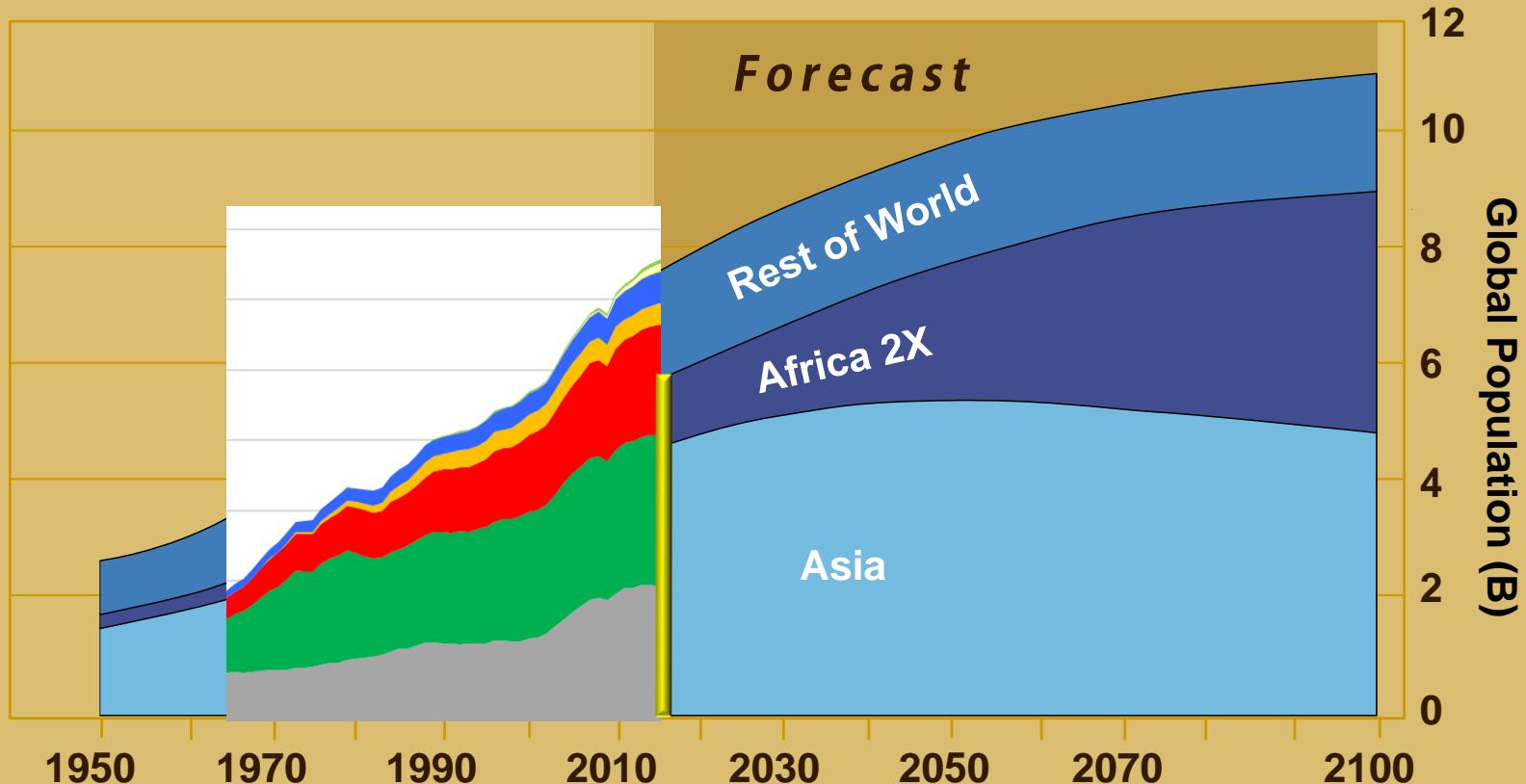
Source: Economist, Solar Energy Industries Association

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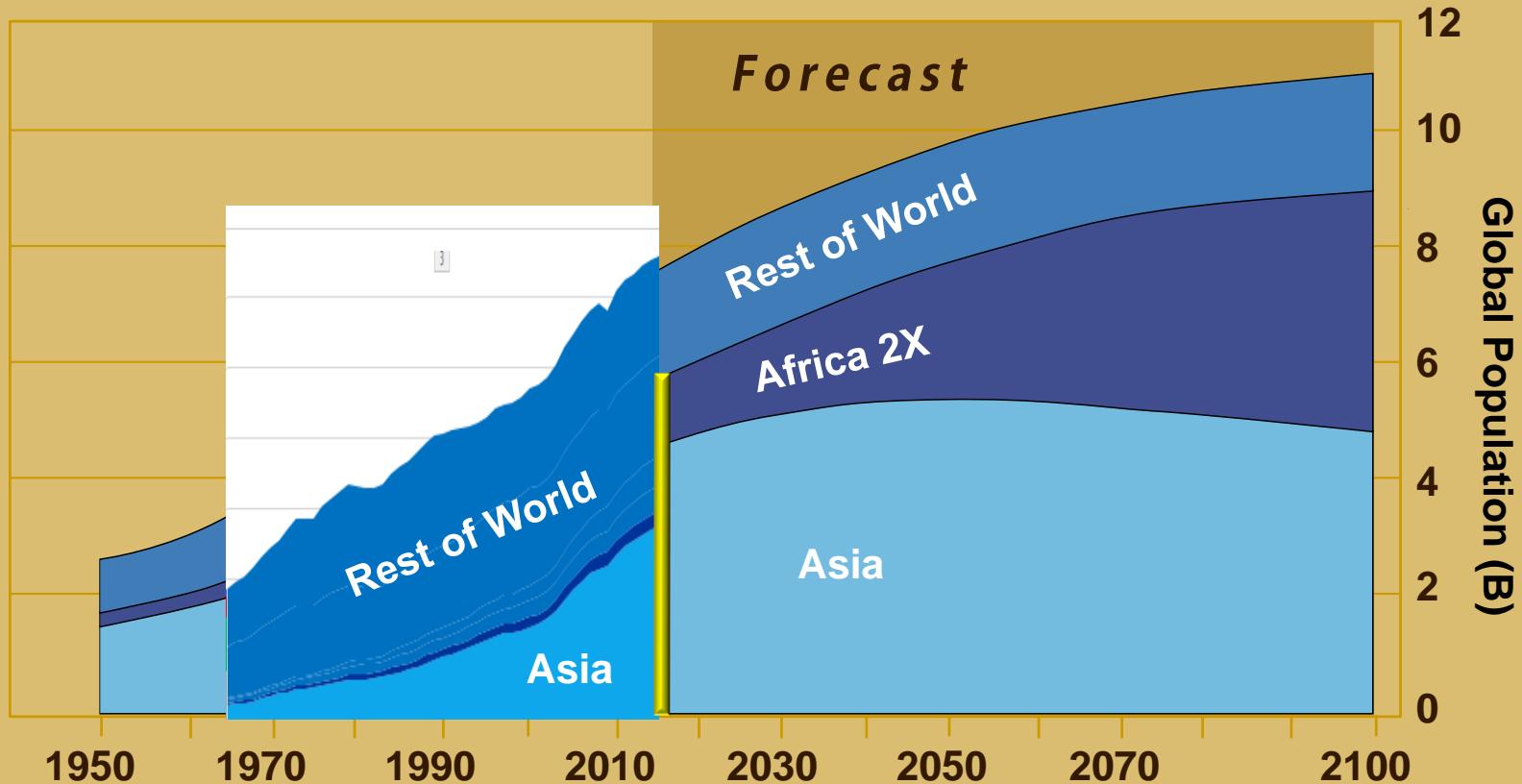
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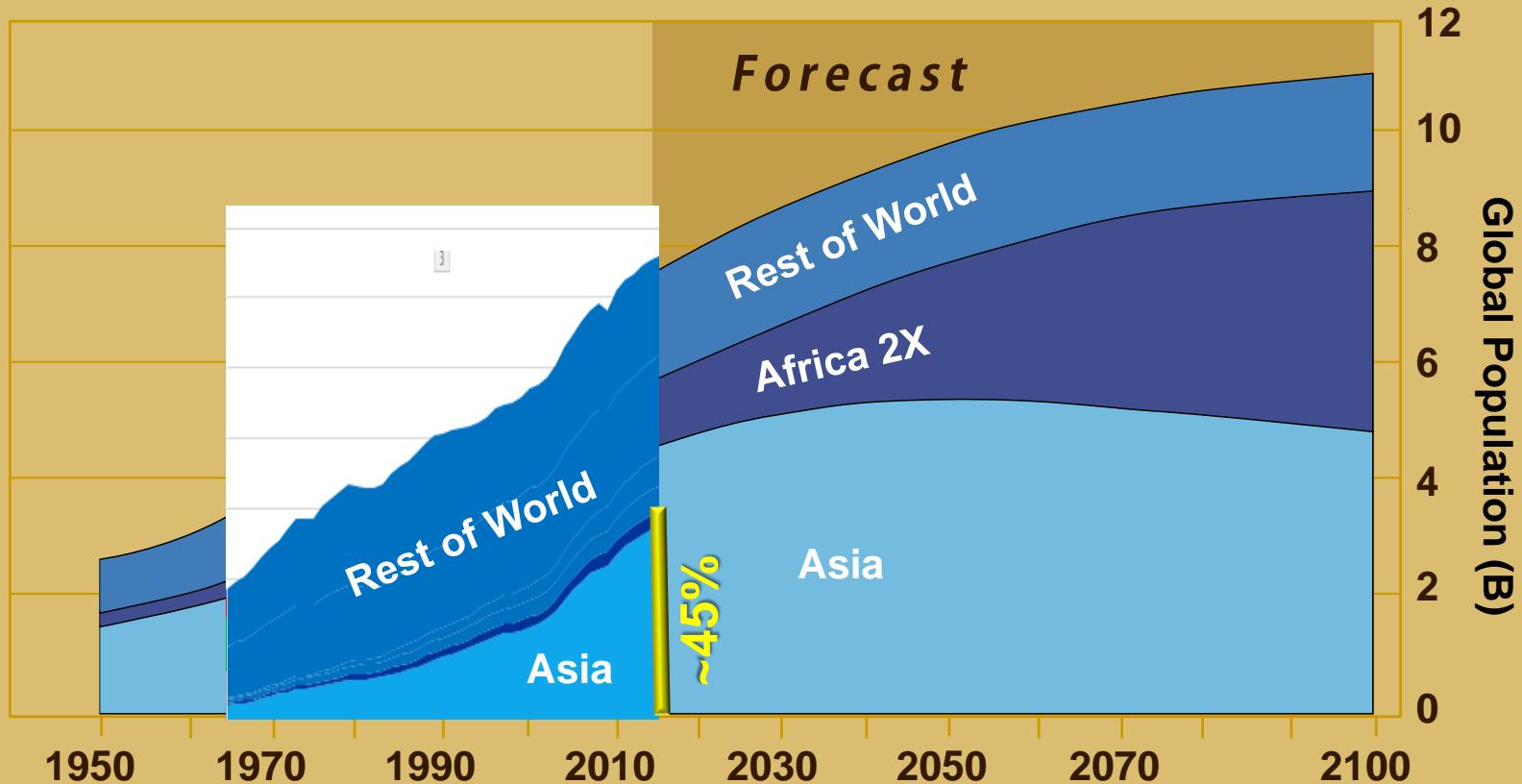
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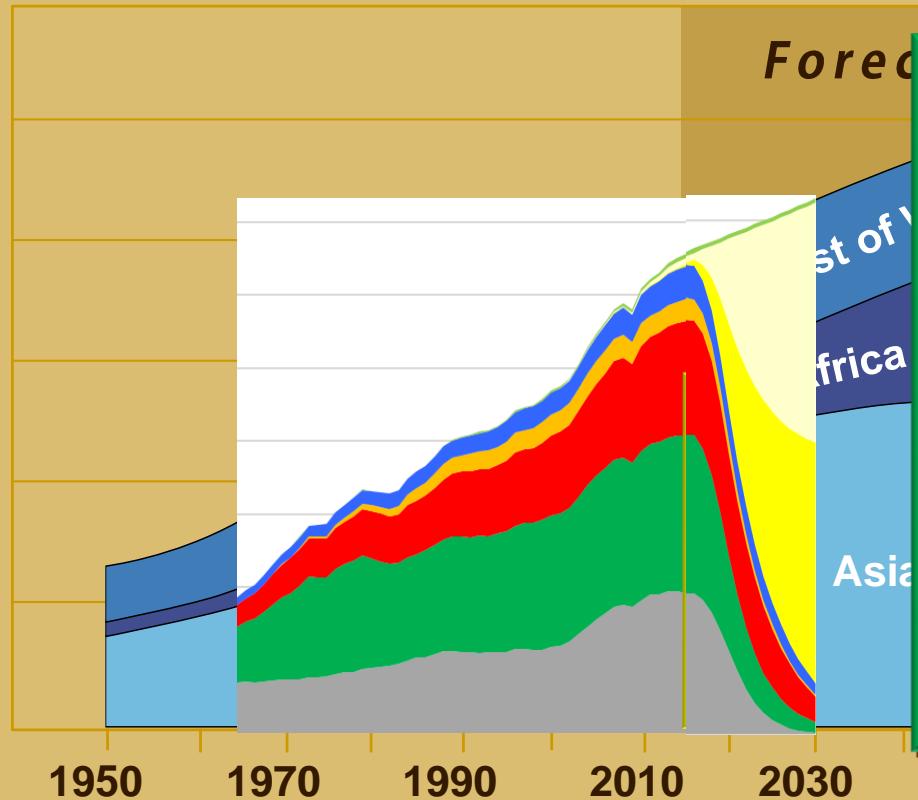


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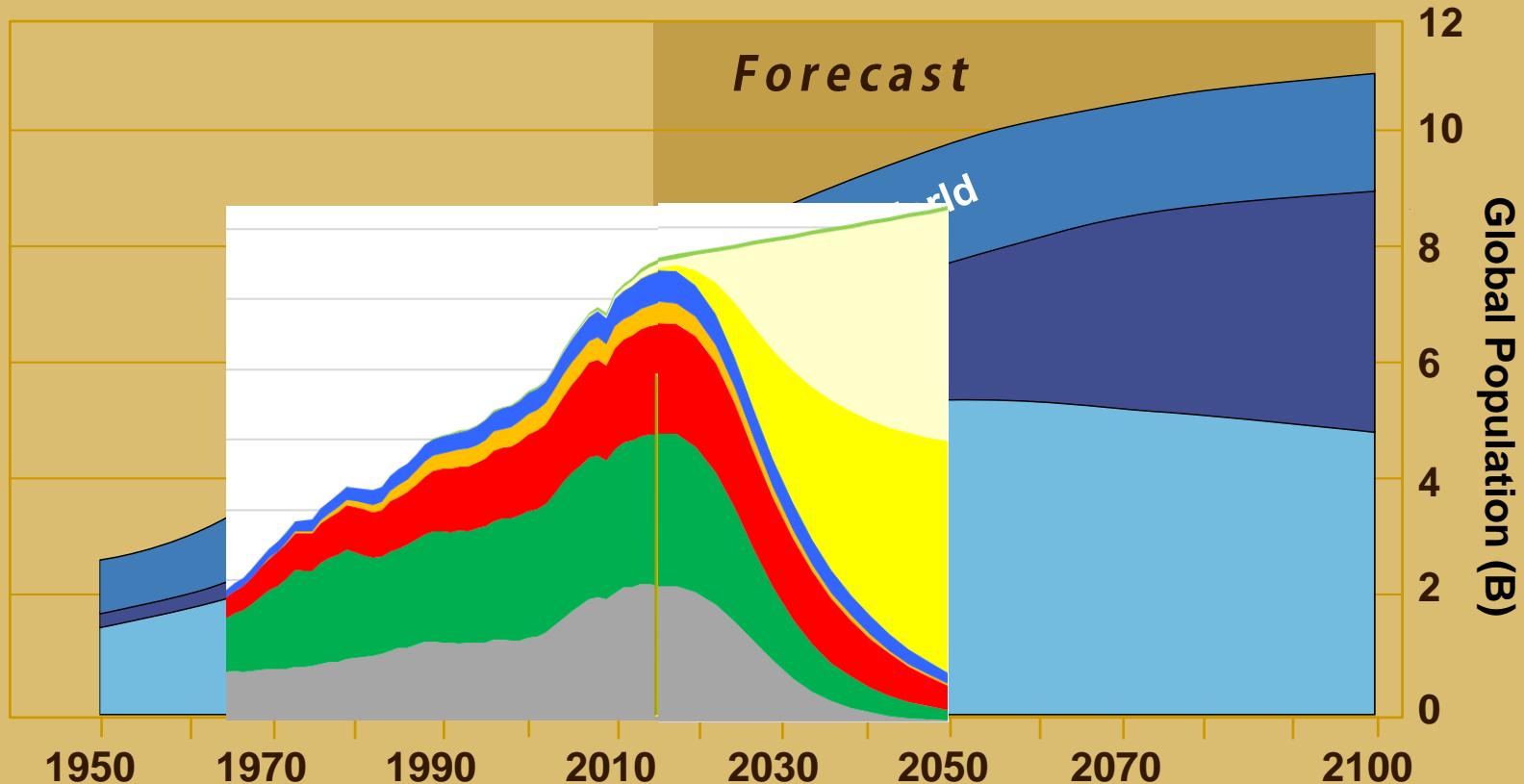
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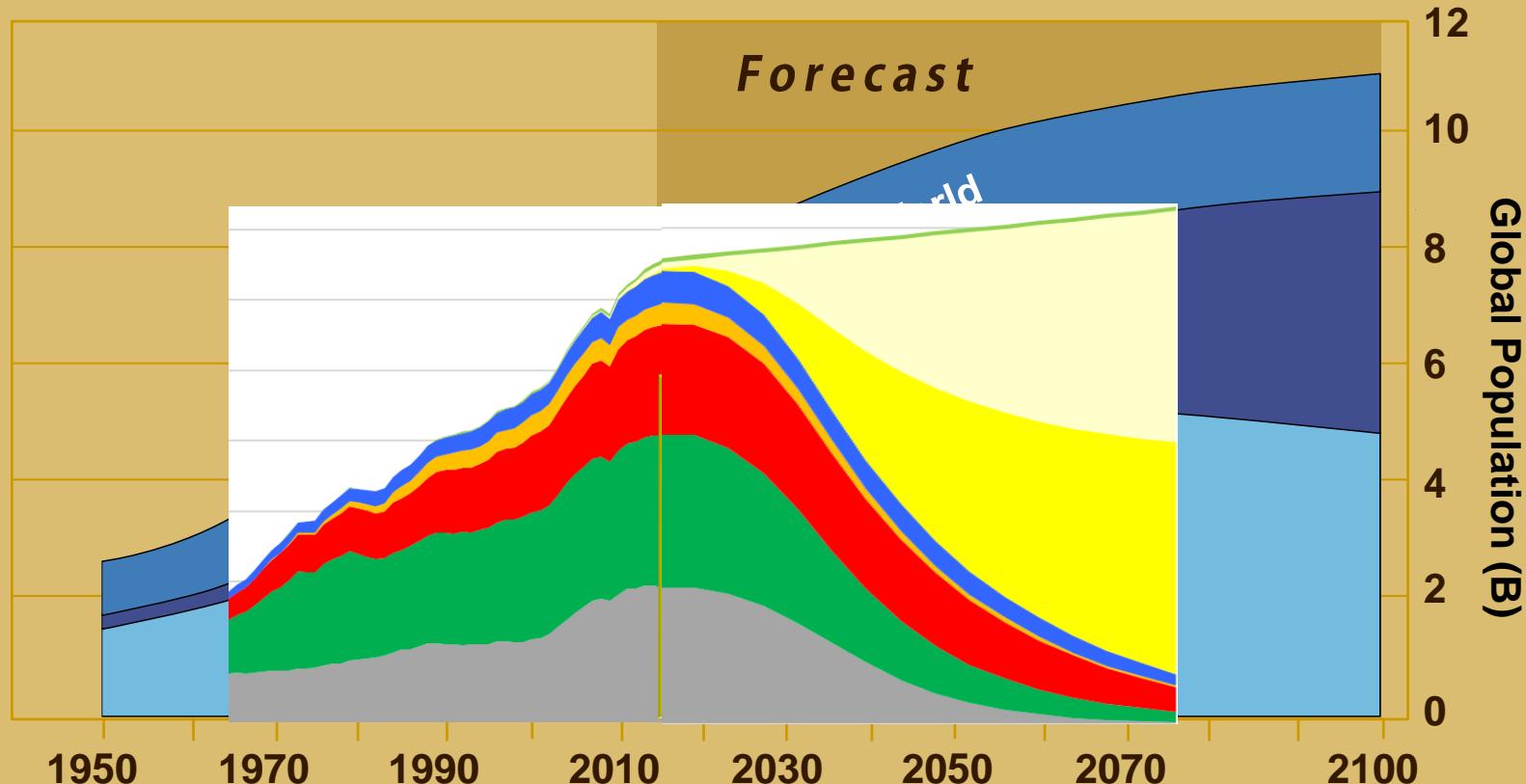


“The world could be 100% wind, wave and solar by 2030, if just for political will...”

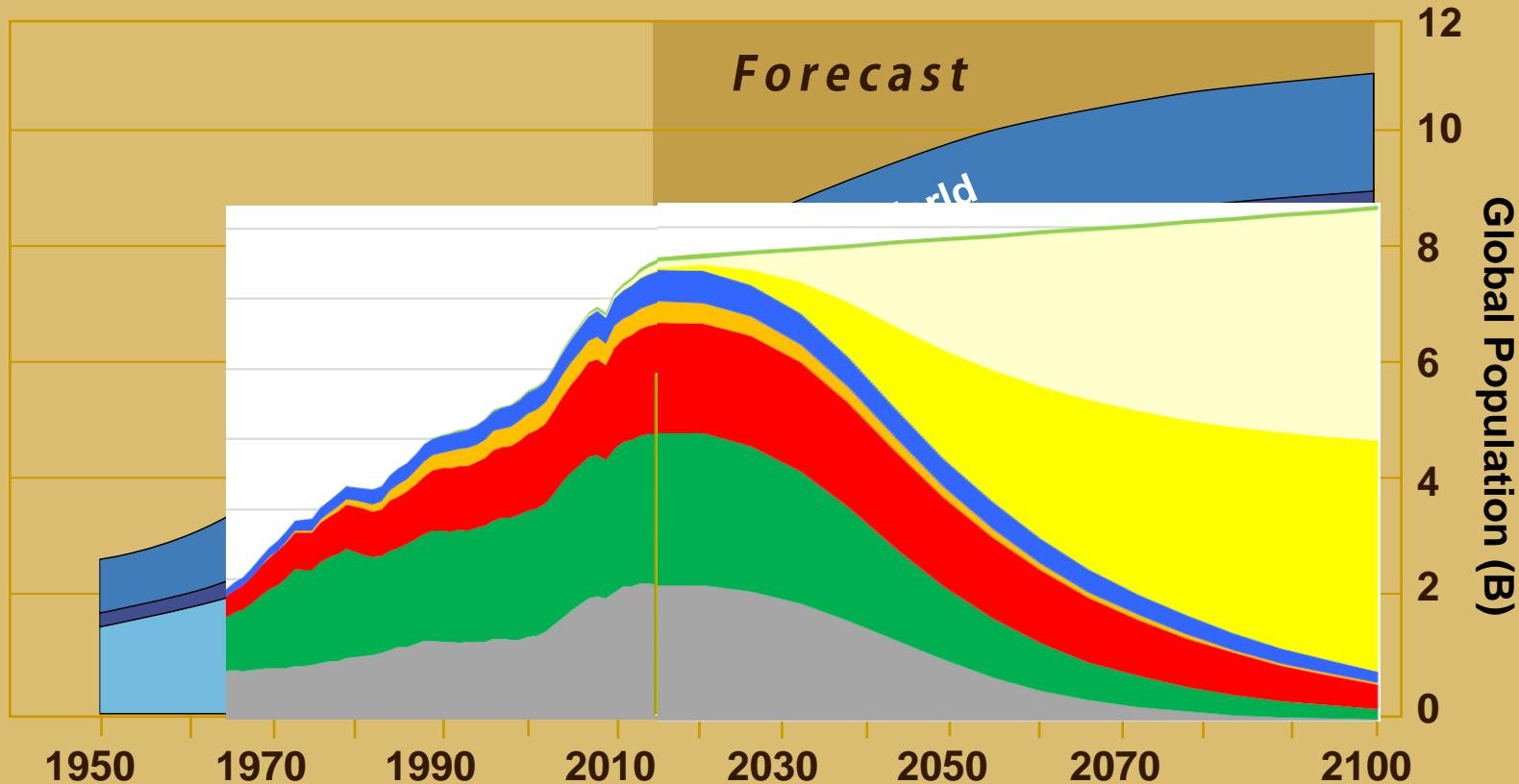
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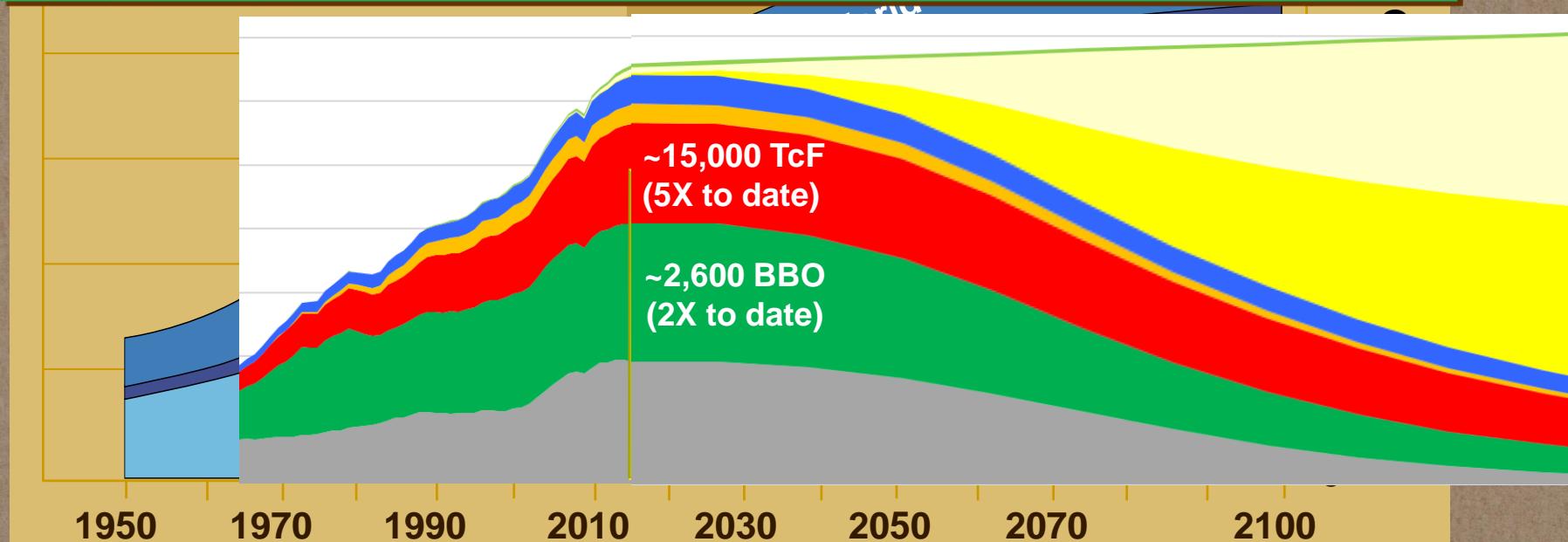
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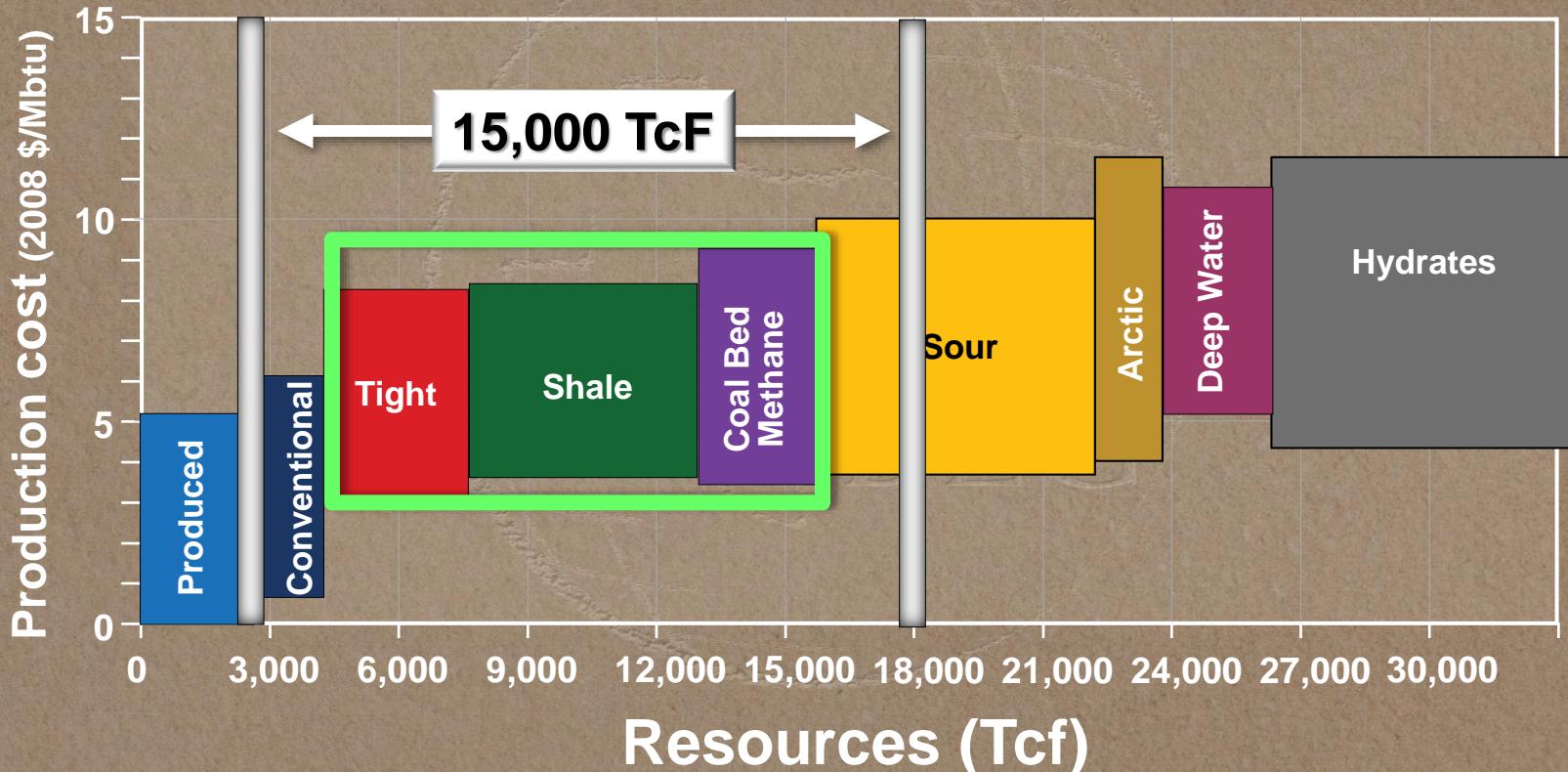
Are there affordable, available, reliable and sustainable:

- fossil energy and nuclear resources to meet this demand?
- renewable energy resources to meet this demand?



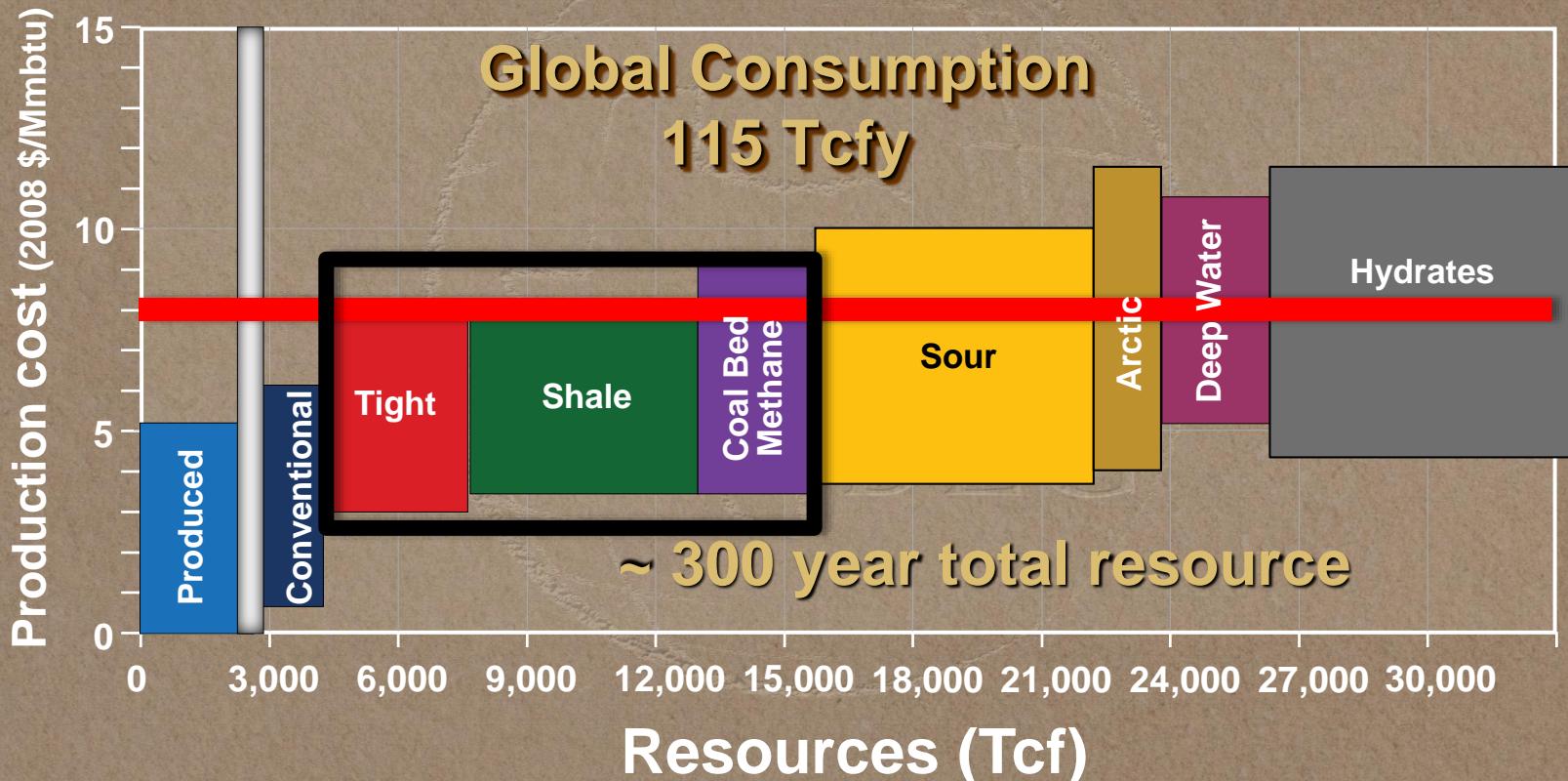
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Resources v. Cost



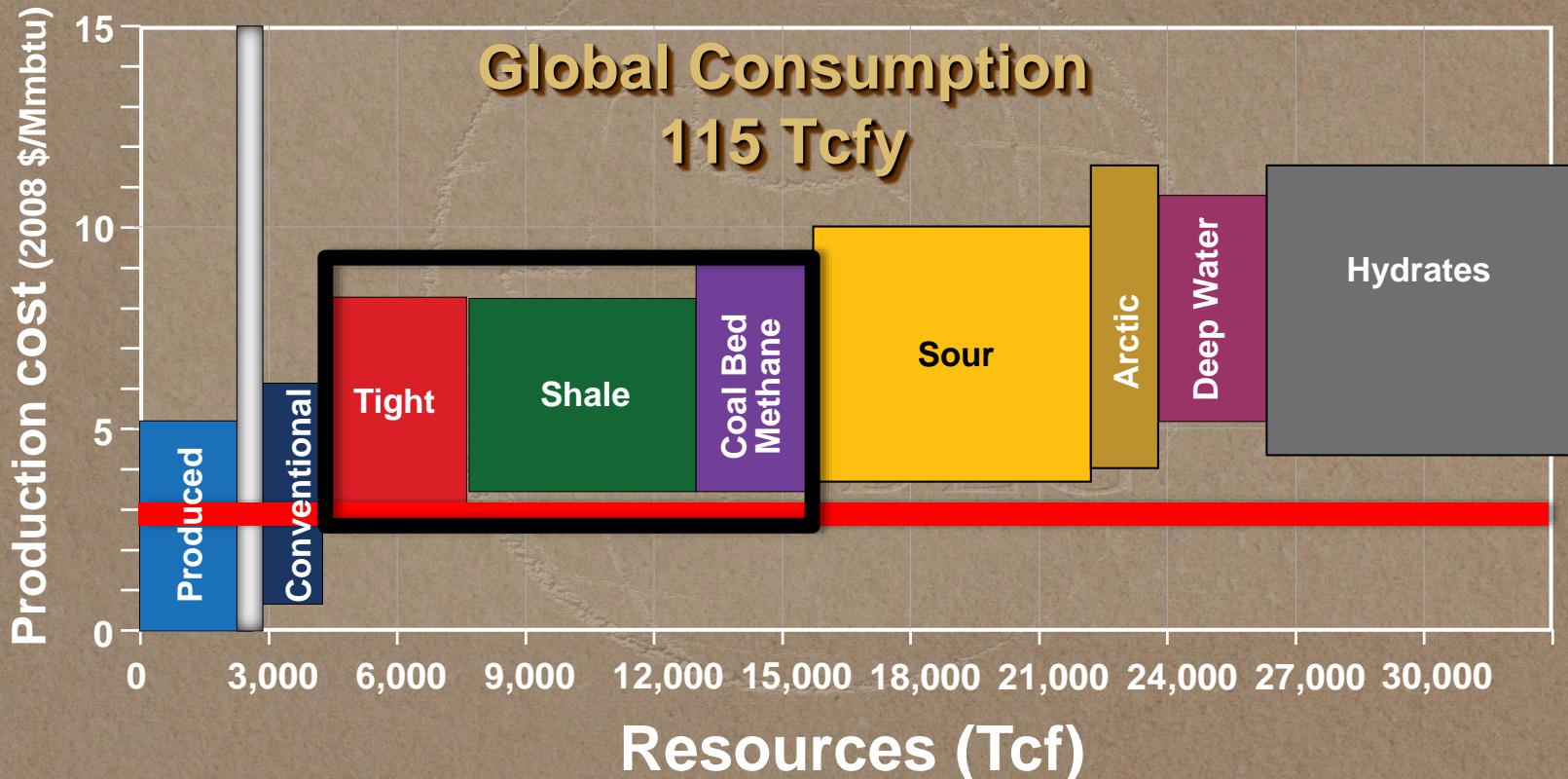
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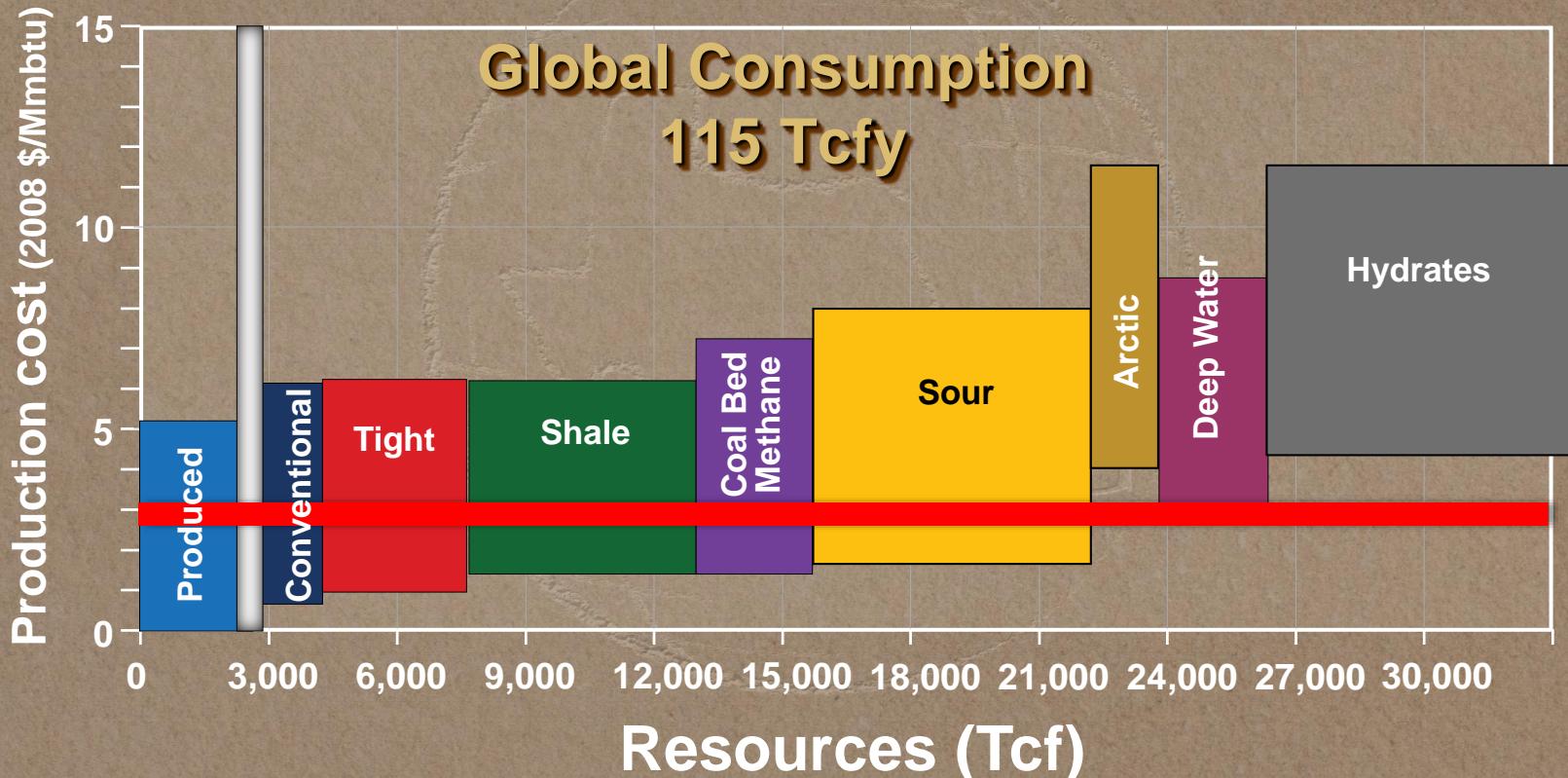
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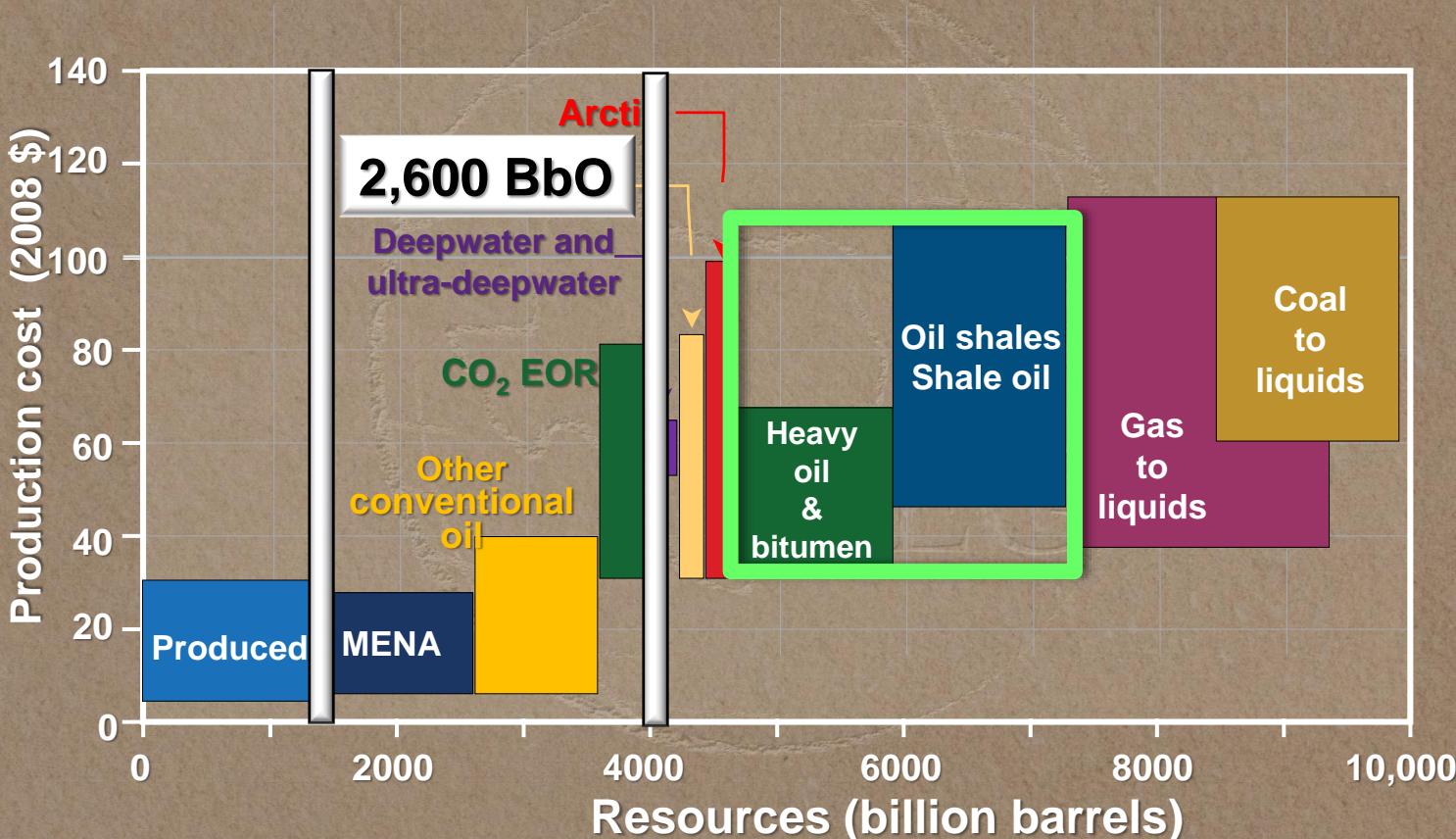
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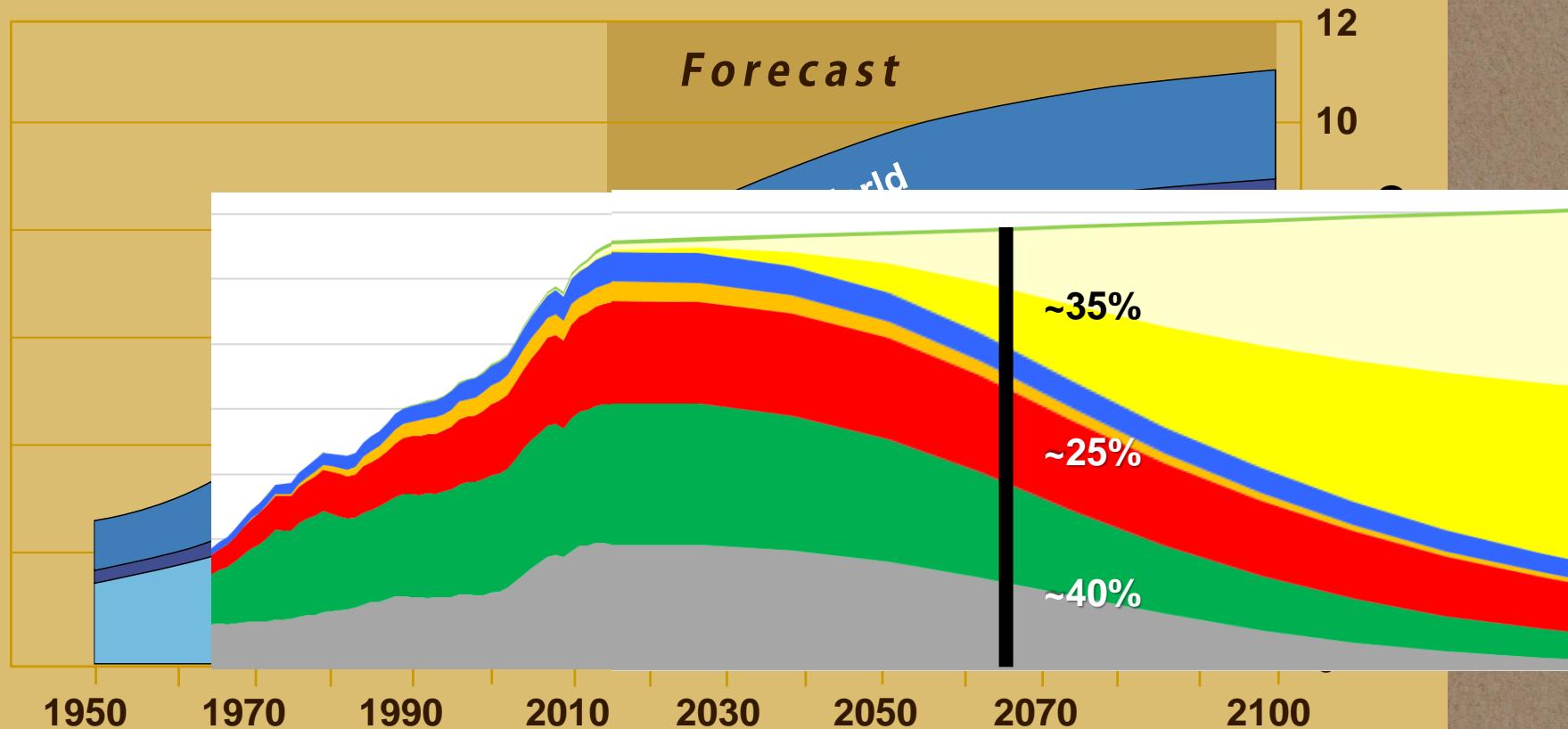
Reserves are a function of
Price, Cost, Technology,
Policy and Demand

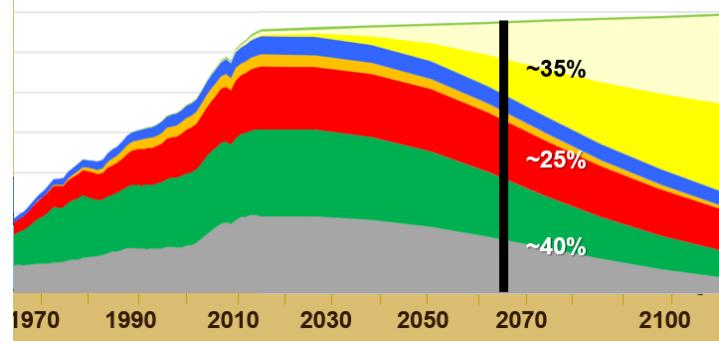
Oil Cost of Supply

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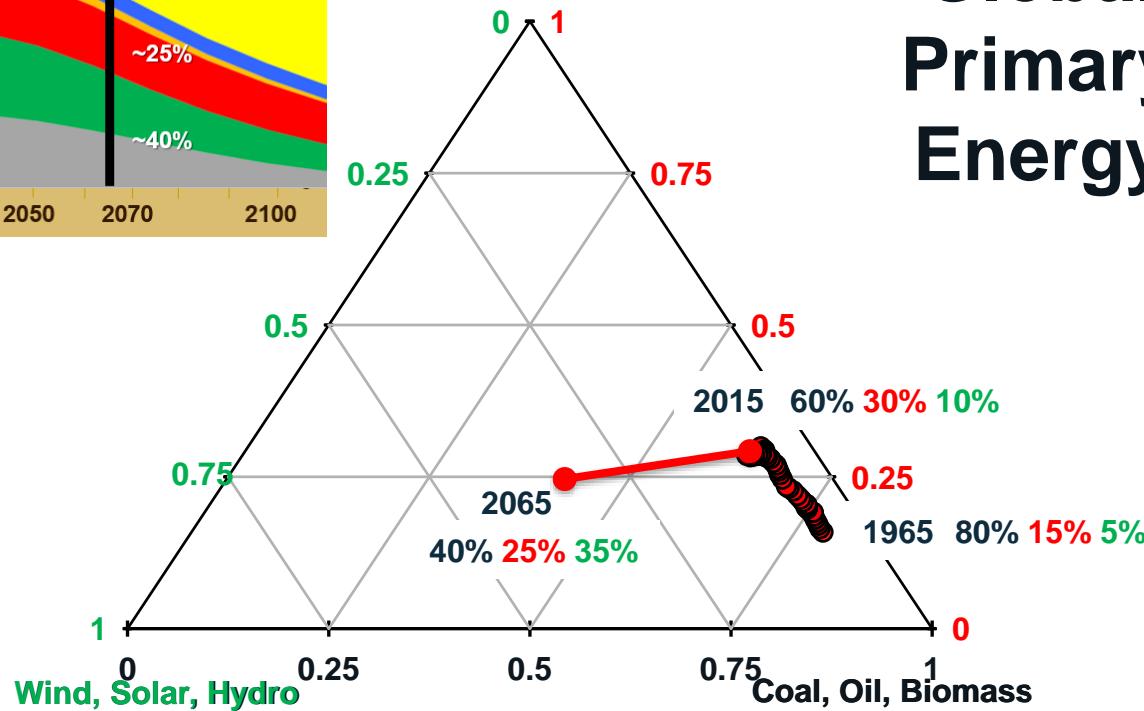
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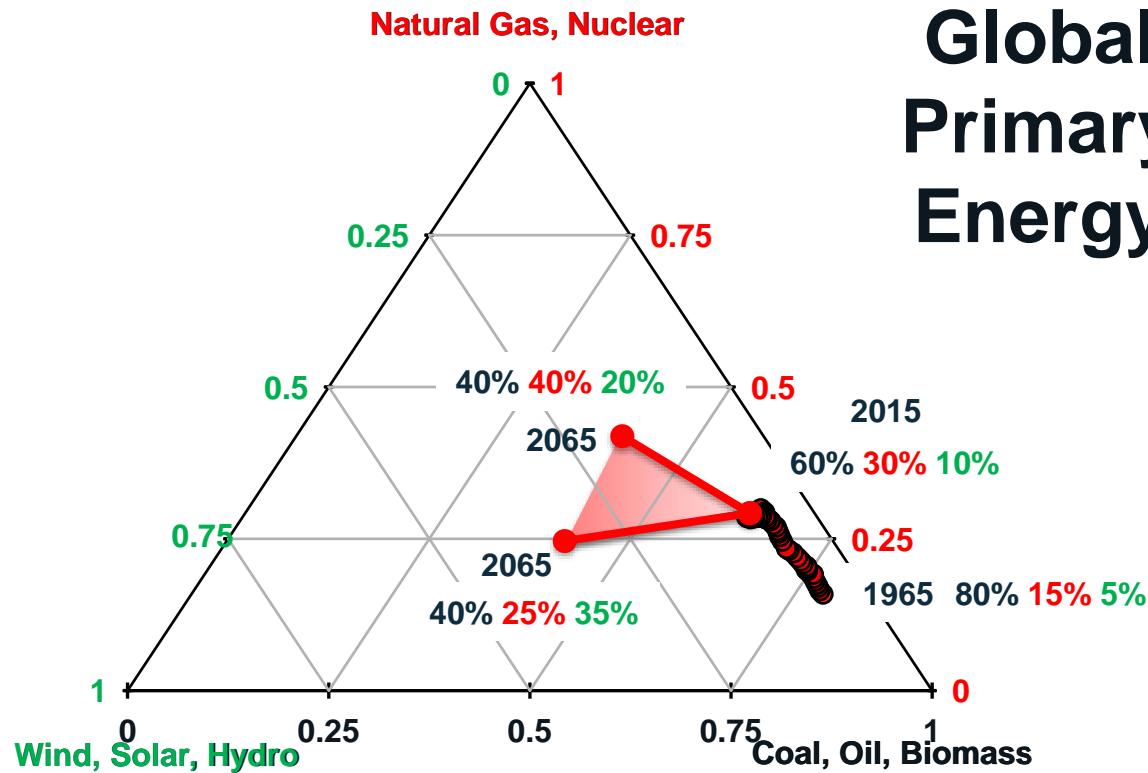


Natural Gas, Nuclear

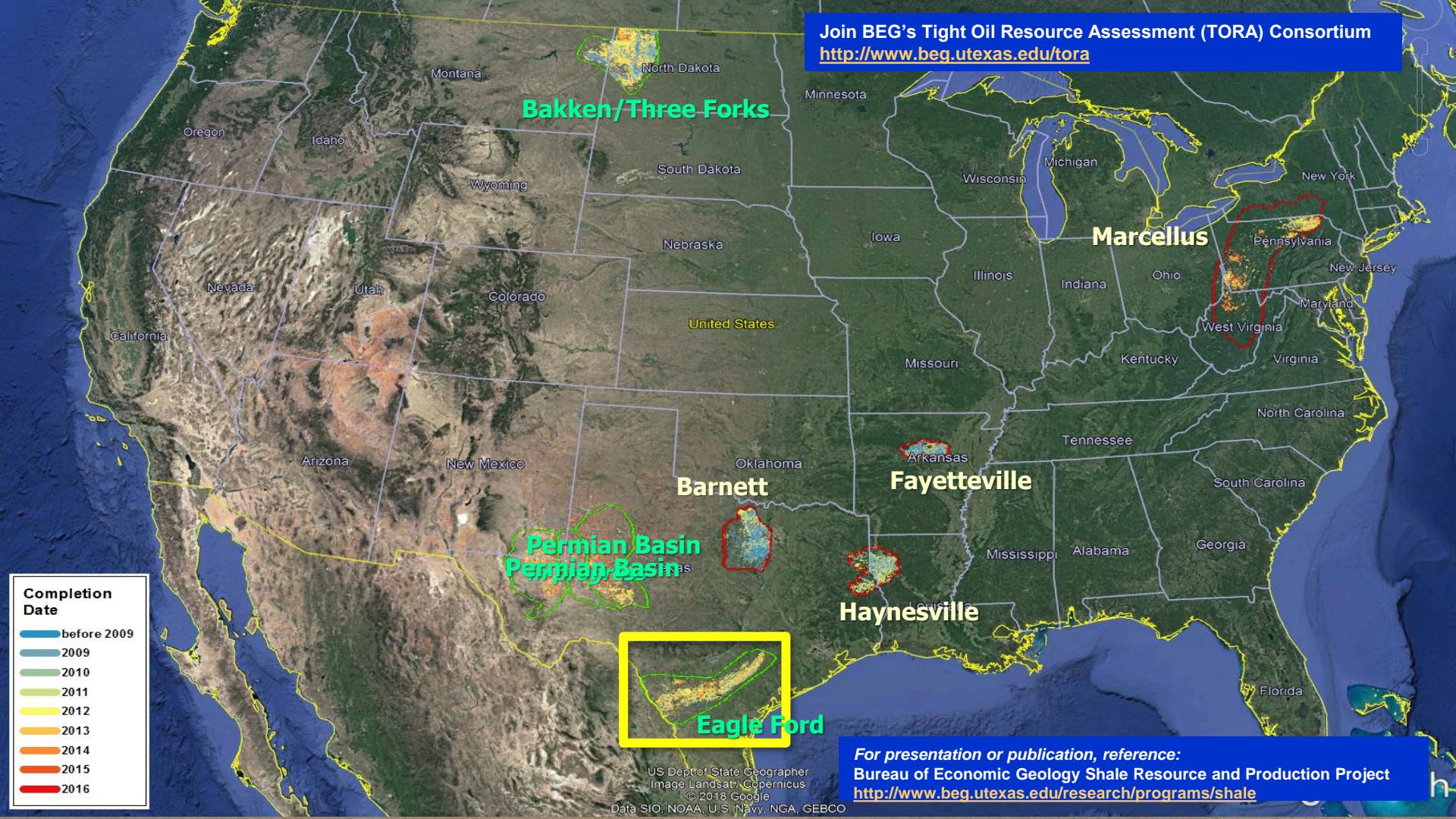
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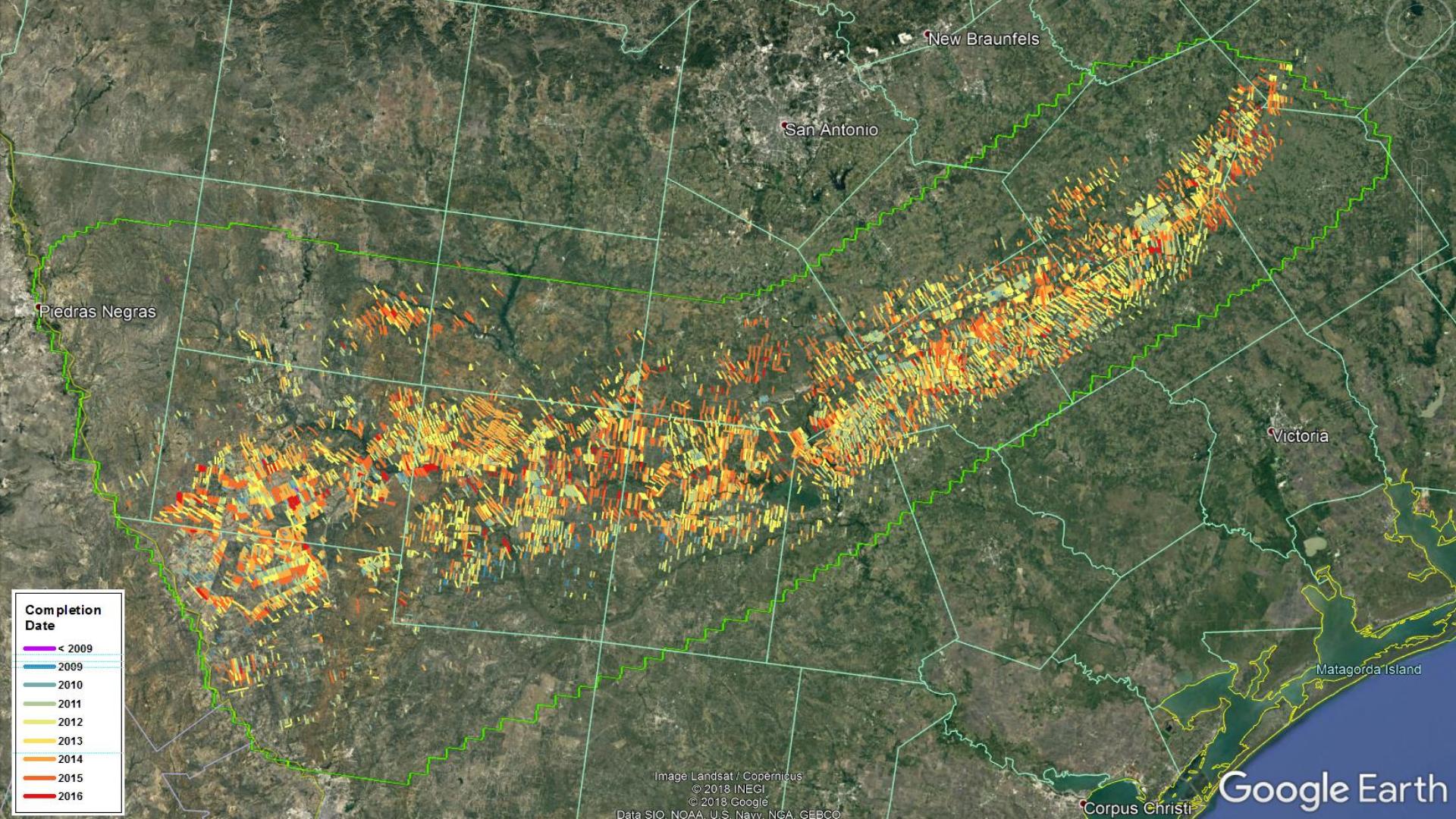
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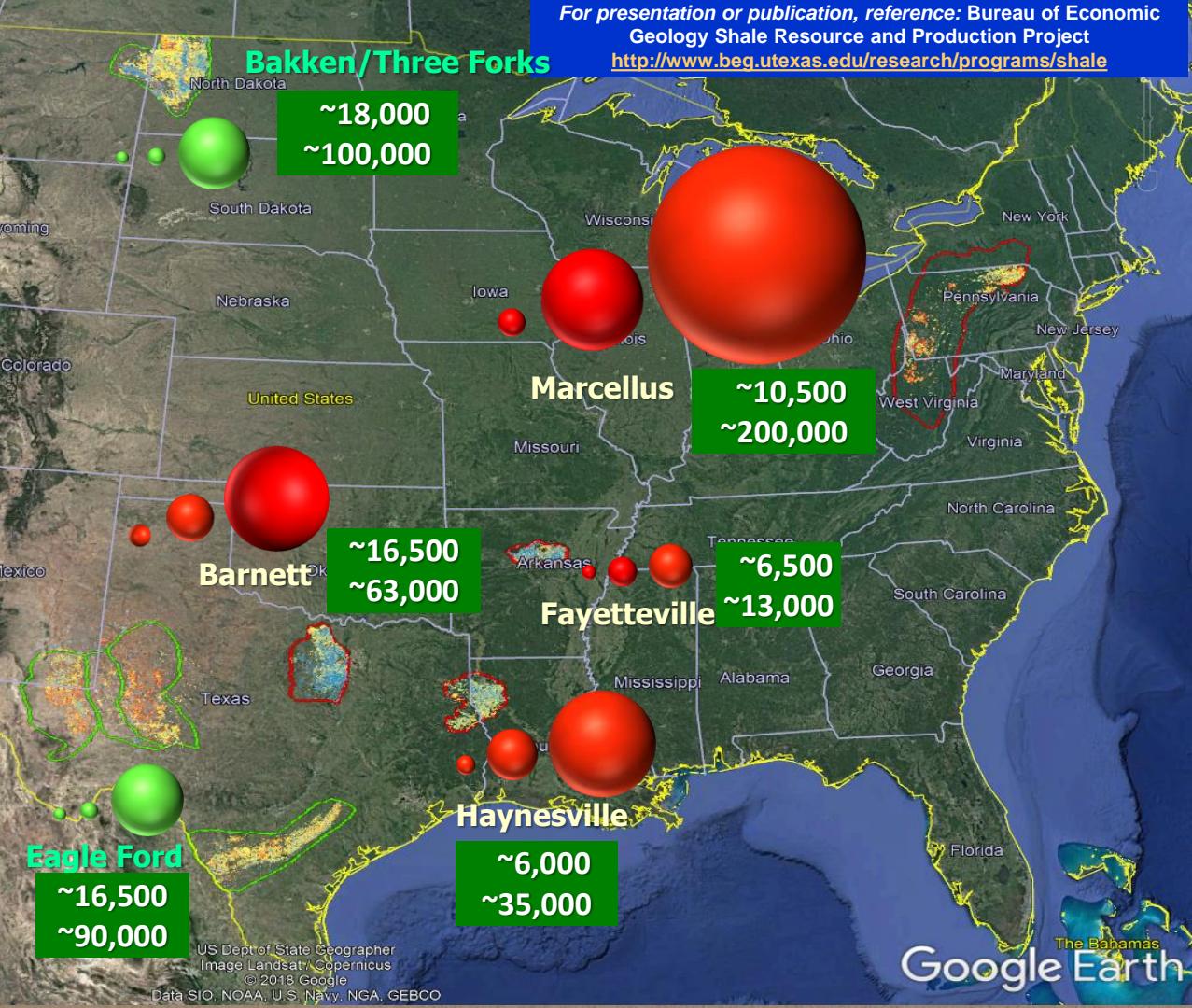
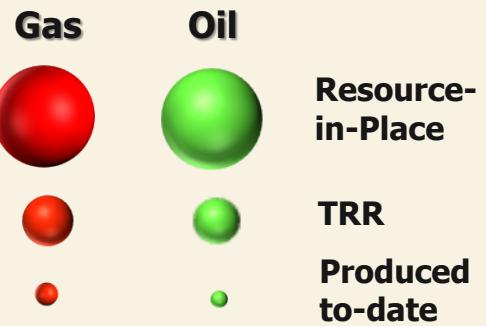
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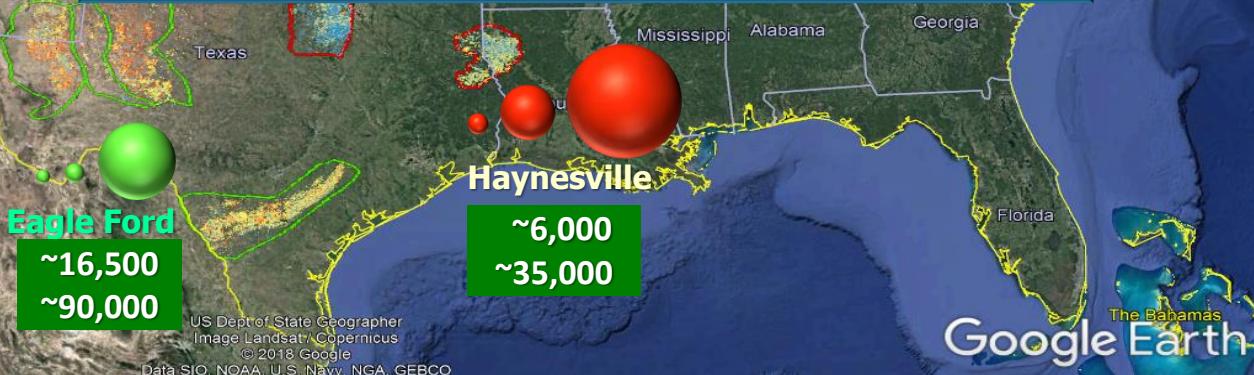
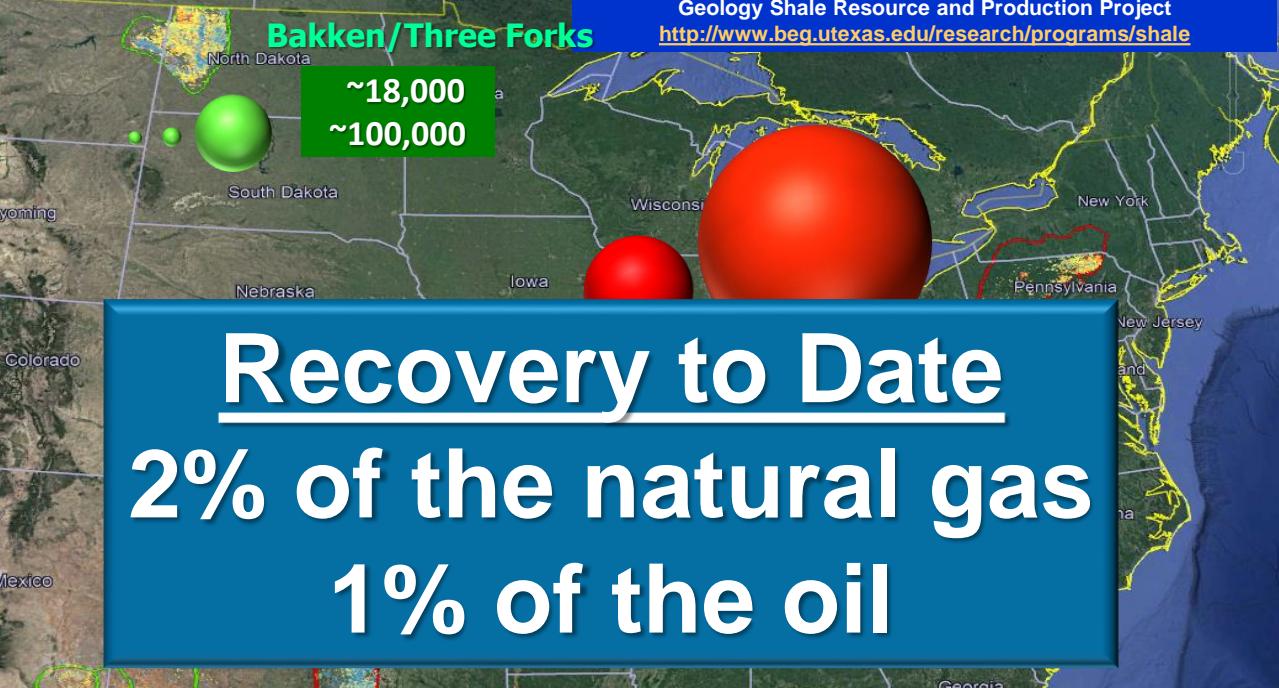
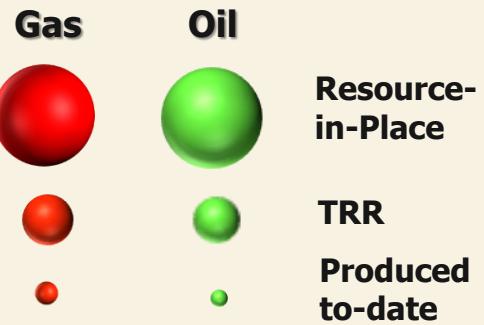
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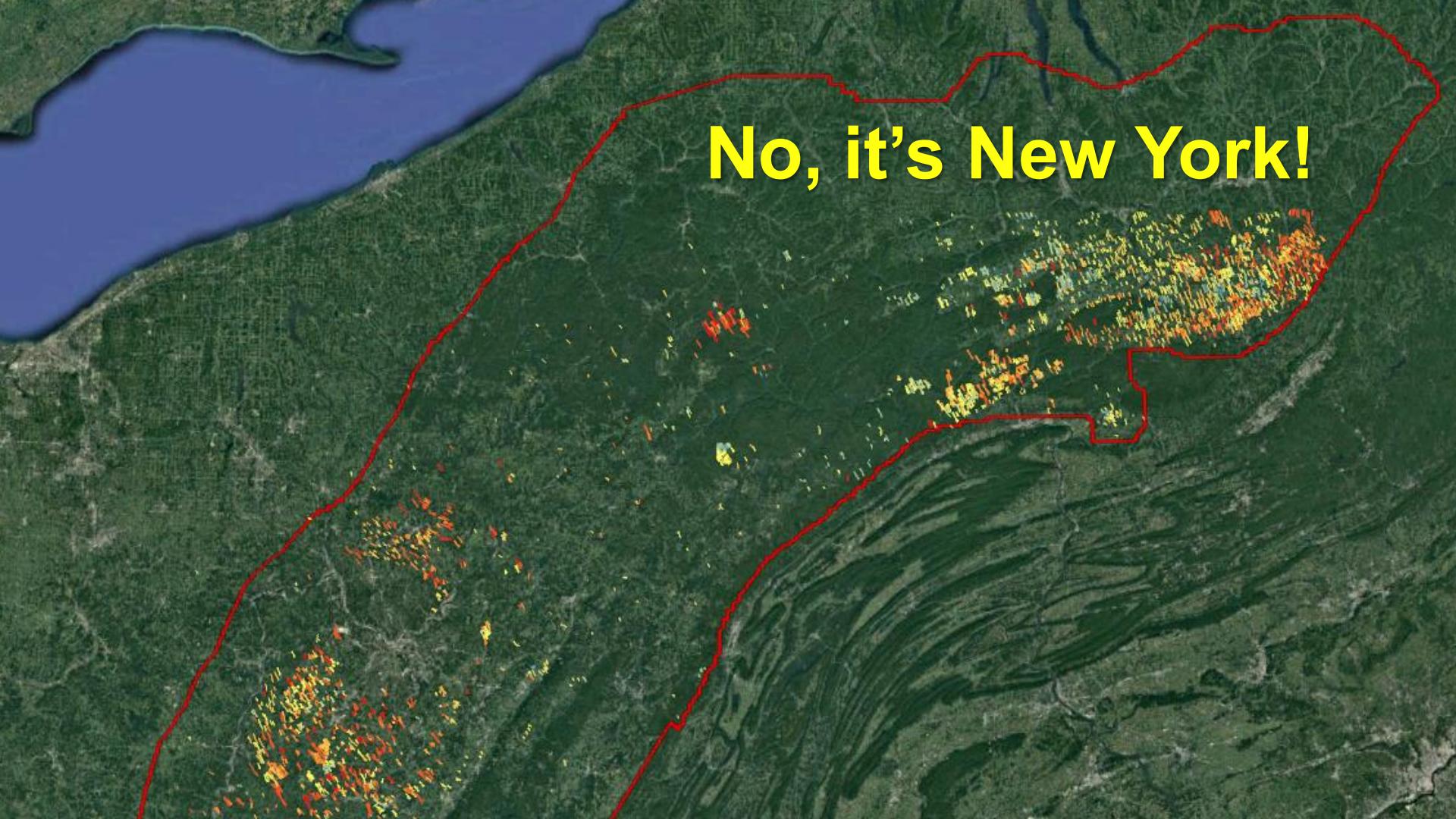
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Environmental Impact Coal, Oil, Natural Gas

- Mining and Manufacturing *Land, Water, Emissions*
- Drilling and Completion: *Land, Water*
- Transportation: *Pipelines, Trucks, Ships, Rail*
- Refining and Petrochemicals: *Emissions*
- Combustion: *Vehicle and Power Plant Emissions*

Is this a Shale Basin?

A satellite map of upstate New York, showing a large area of green forest. Several clusters of orange and yellow dots are scattered across the landscape, indicating active forest fires. A thick red outline traces the state's border, and a thinner red line follows the northern and western edges of the forested areas where fires are occurring.

No, it's New York!

Environmental Impact *Renewables and Batteries*

- Mining and Processing *Land, Water, Emissions*
- Manufacturing: *Turbines, Panels, Batteries*
- Production: *Land for “Farms”*
- Transmission: *Electricity*
- Disposal: *Landfill*

Energy Key Points

- Fossil energy demand remains strong, and resources are vast
- Wind and solar are a small component of the mix but growing quickly in some regions
- No form of energy, at scale, is without environmental impact

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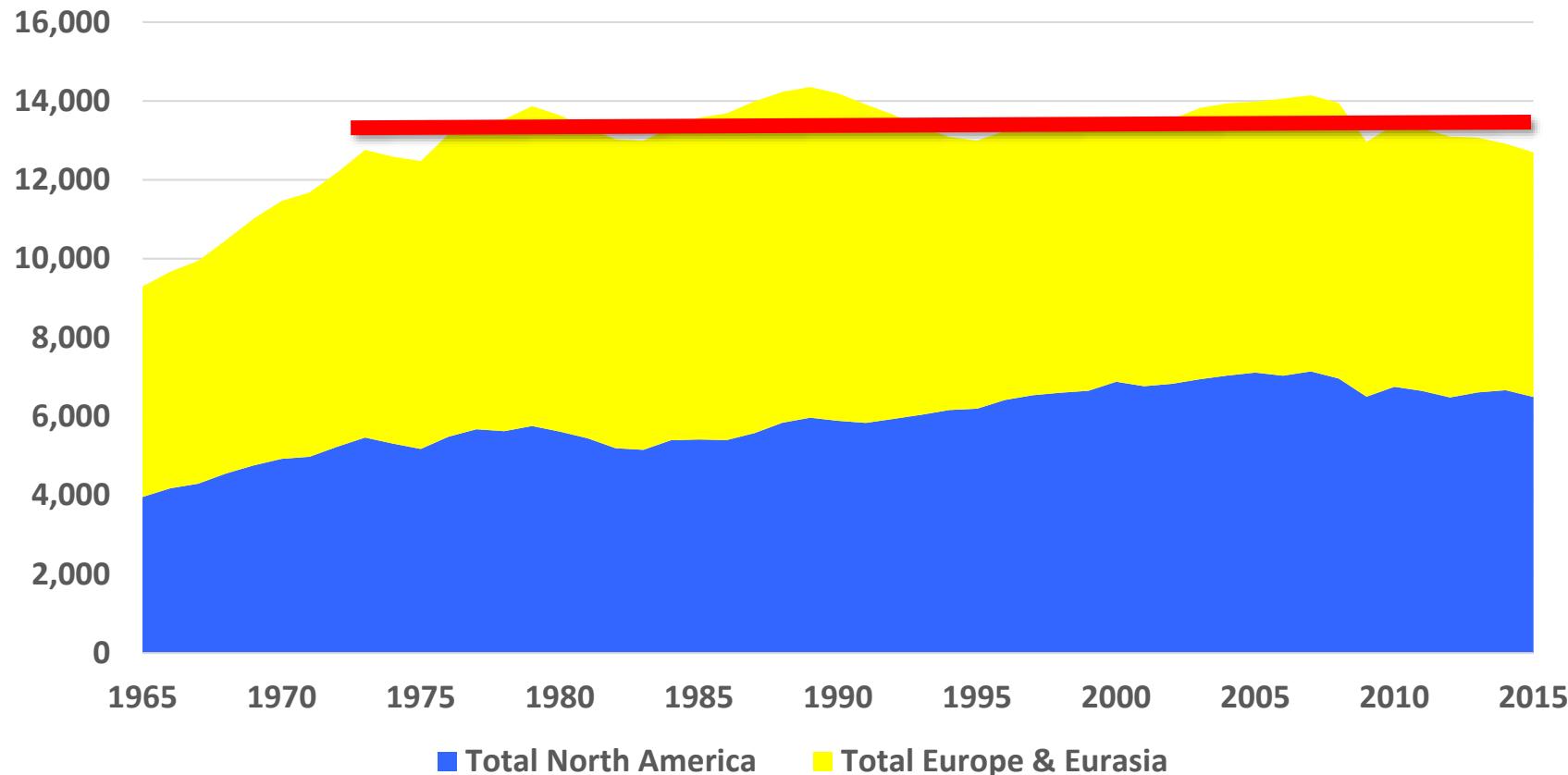
Yogi...



“In theory there ain’t no difference between theory and practice, but in practice there is.”

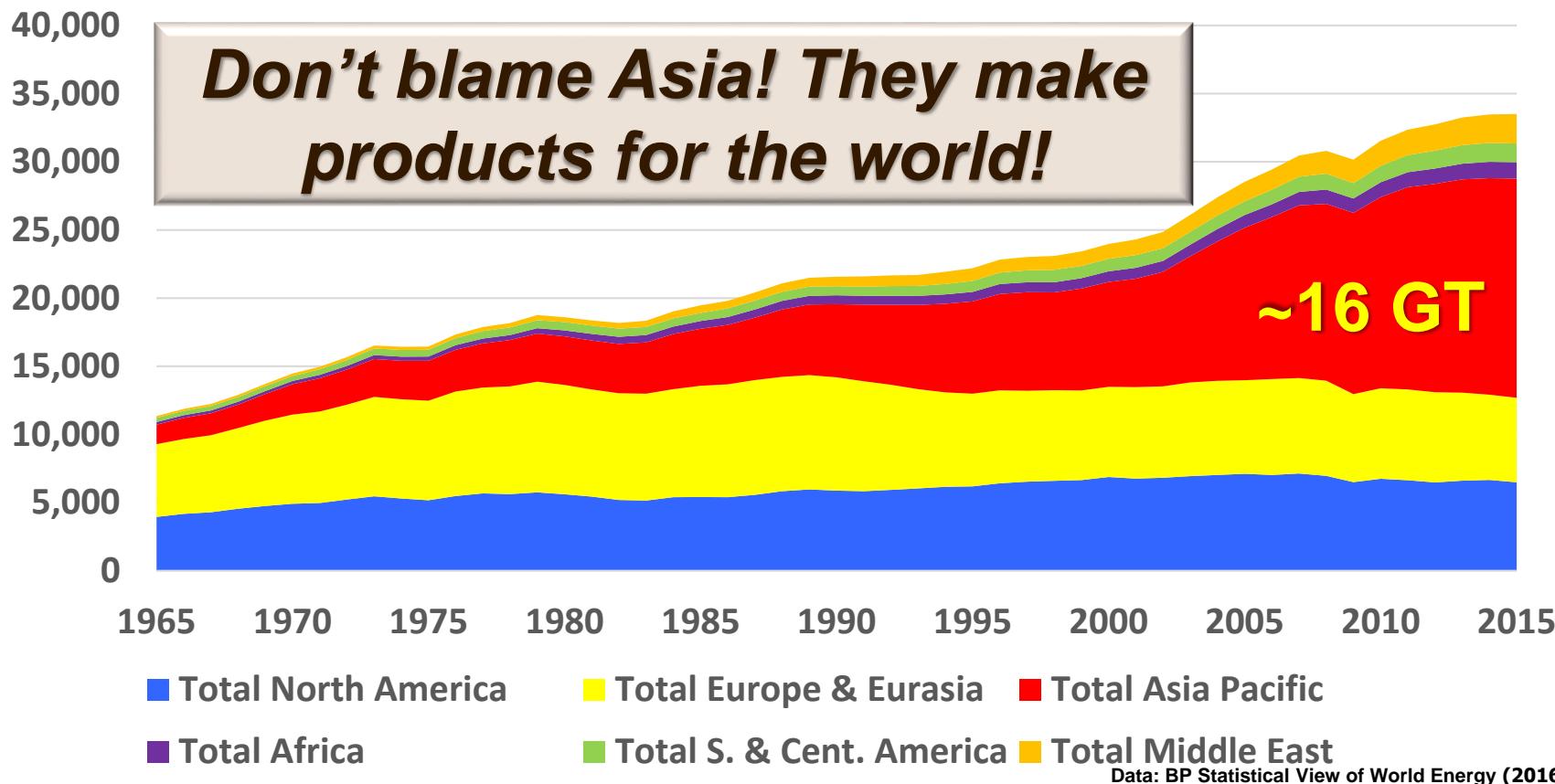
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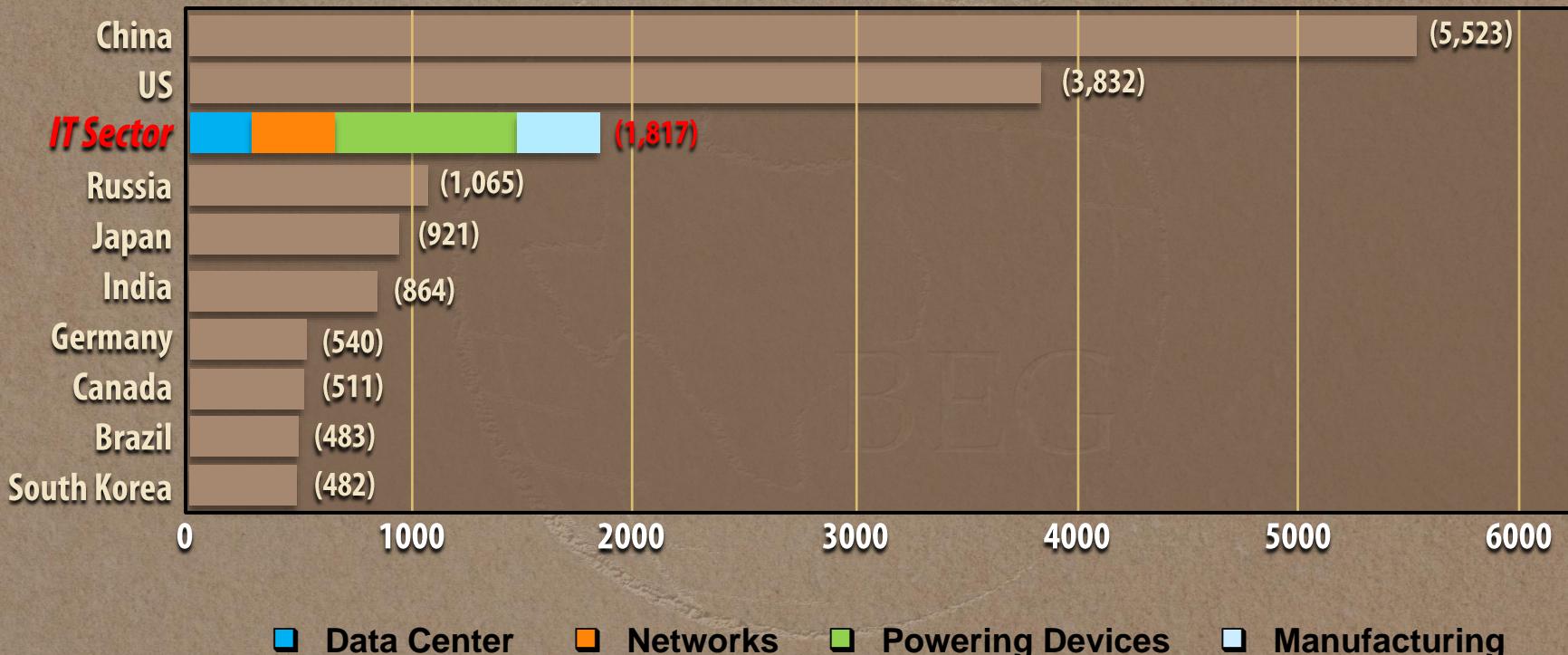
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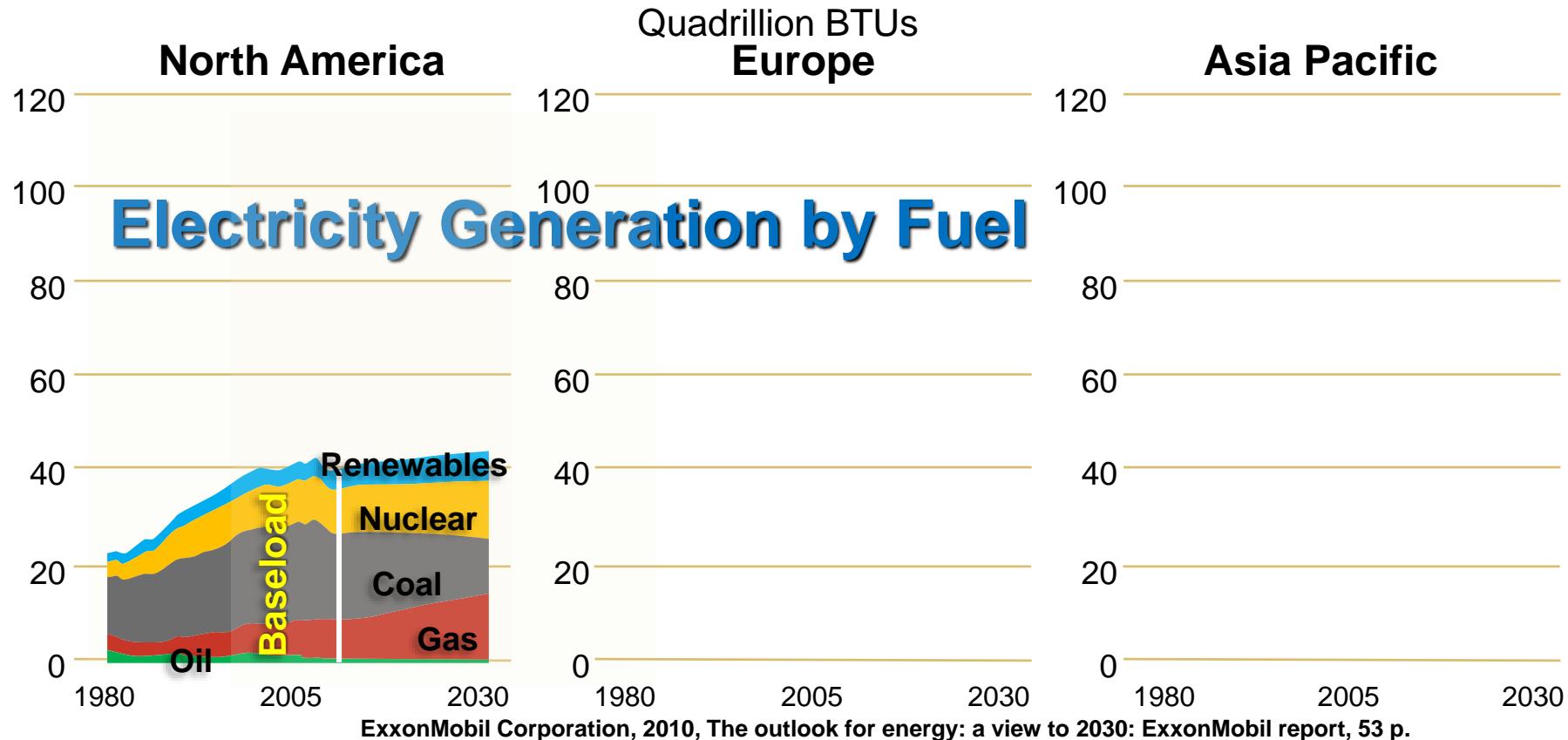
Electricity Use

(2012: Billion KwH)

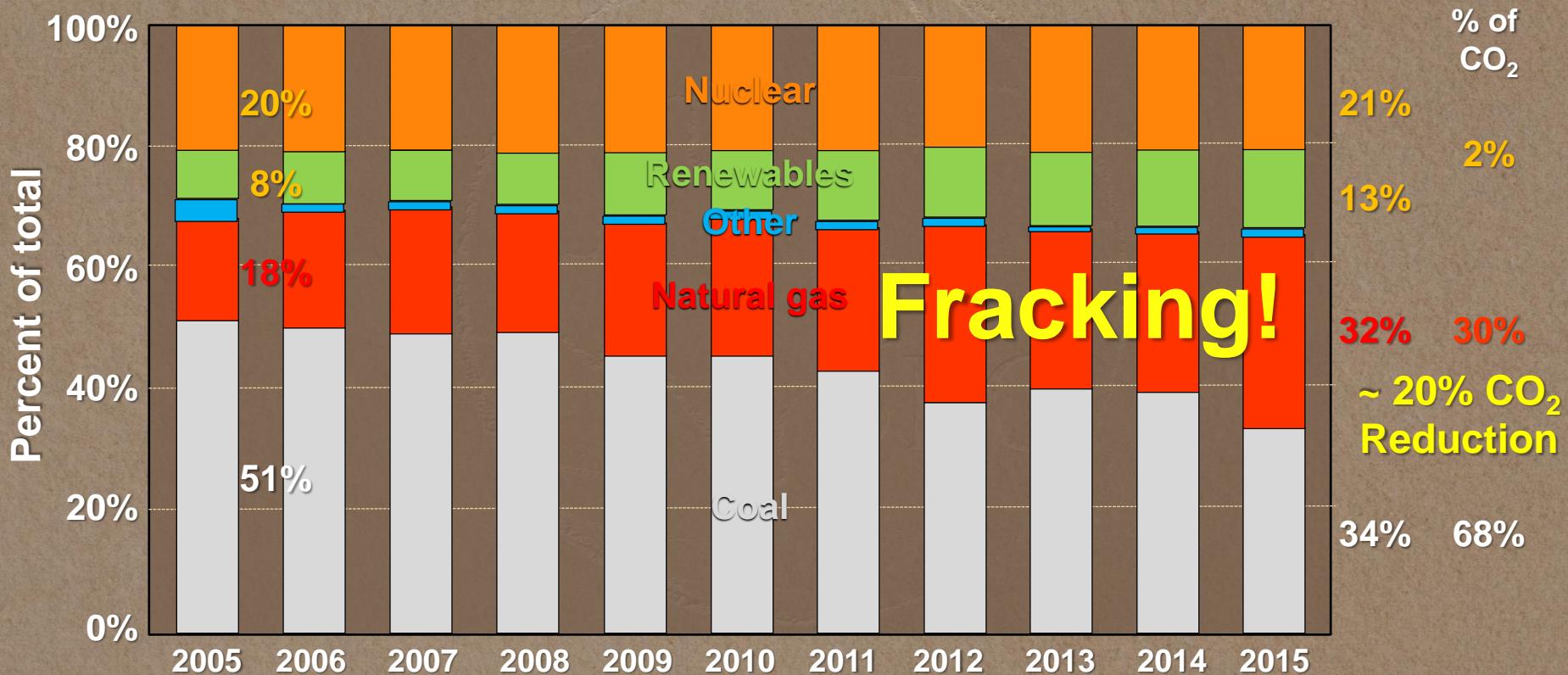


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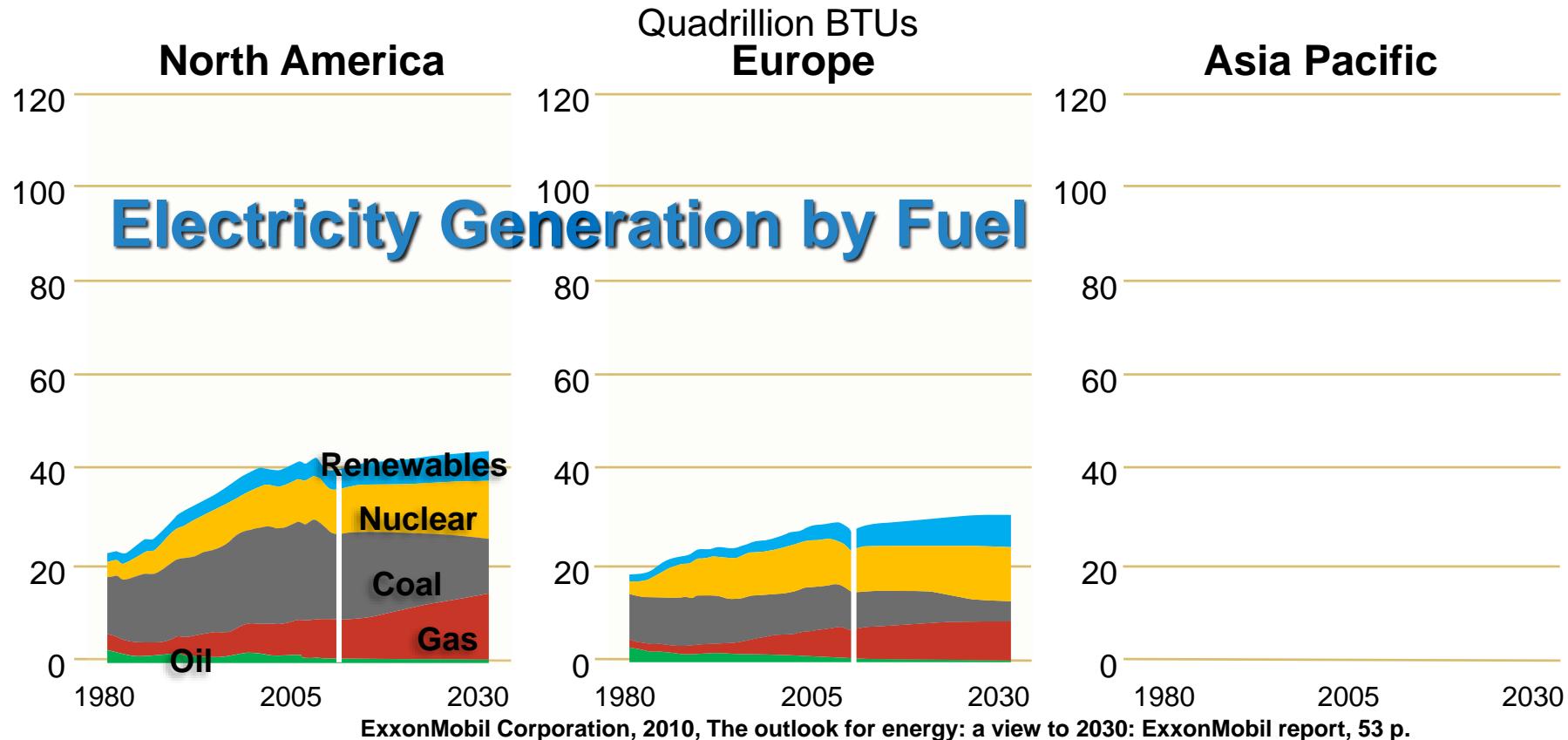
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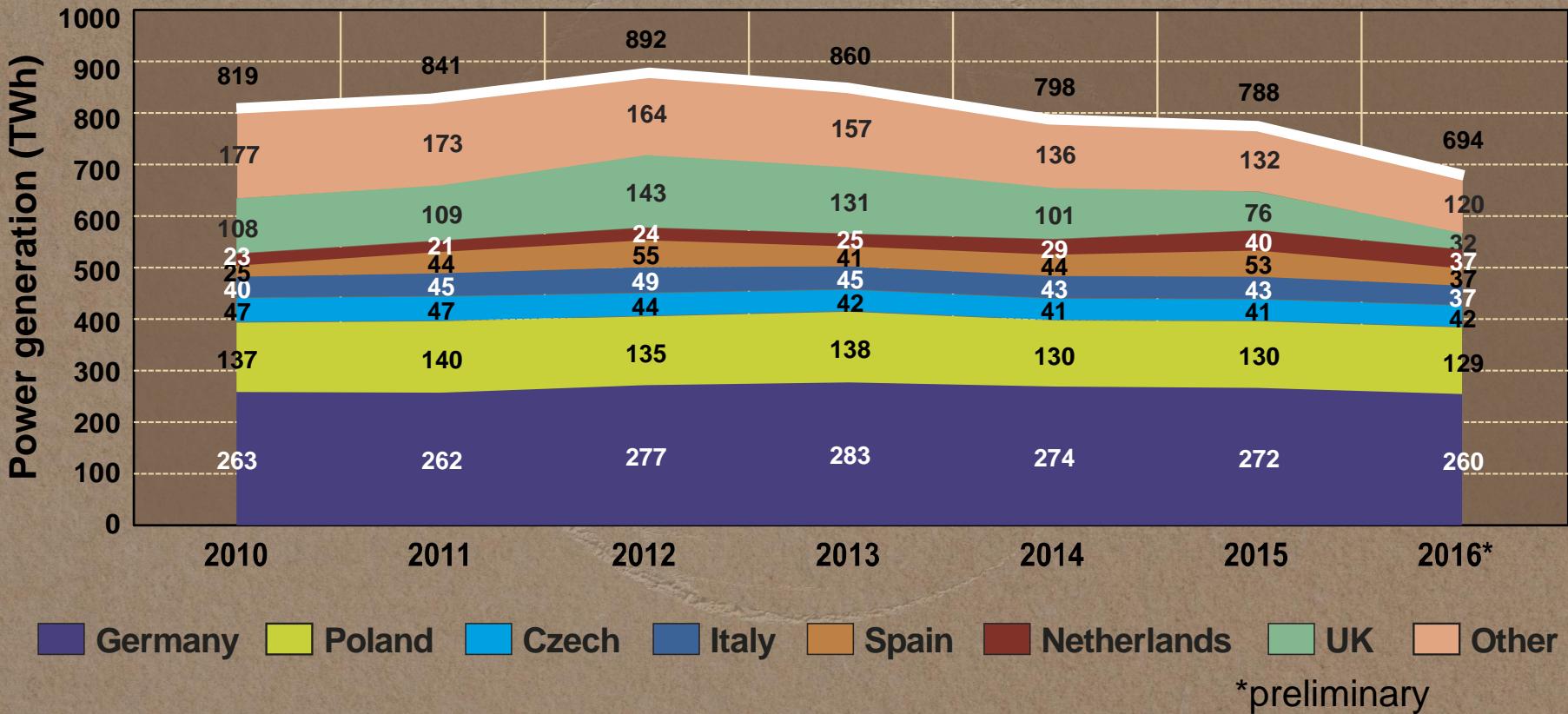
U.S. Electric Generation Shares (2005-15)



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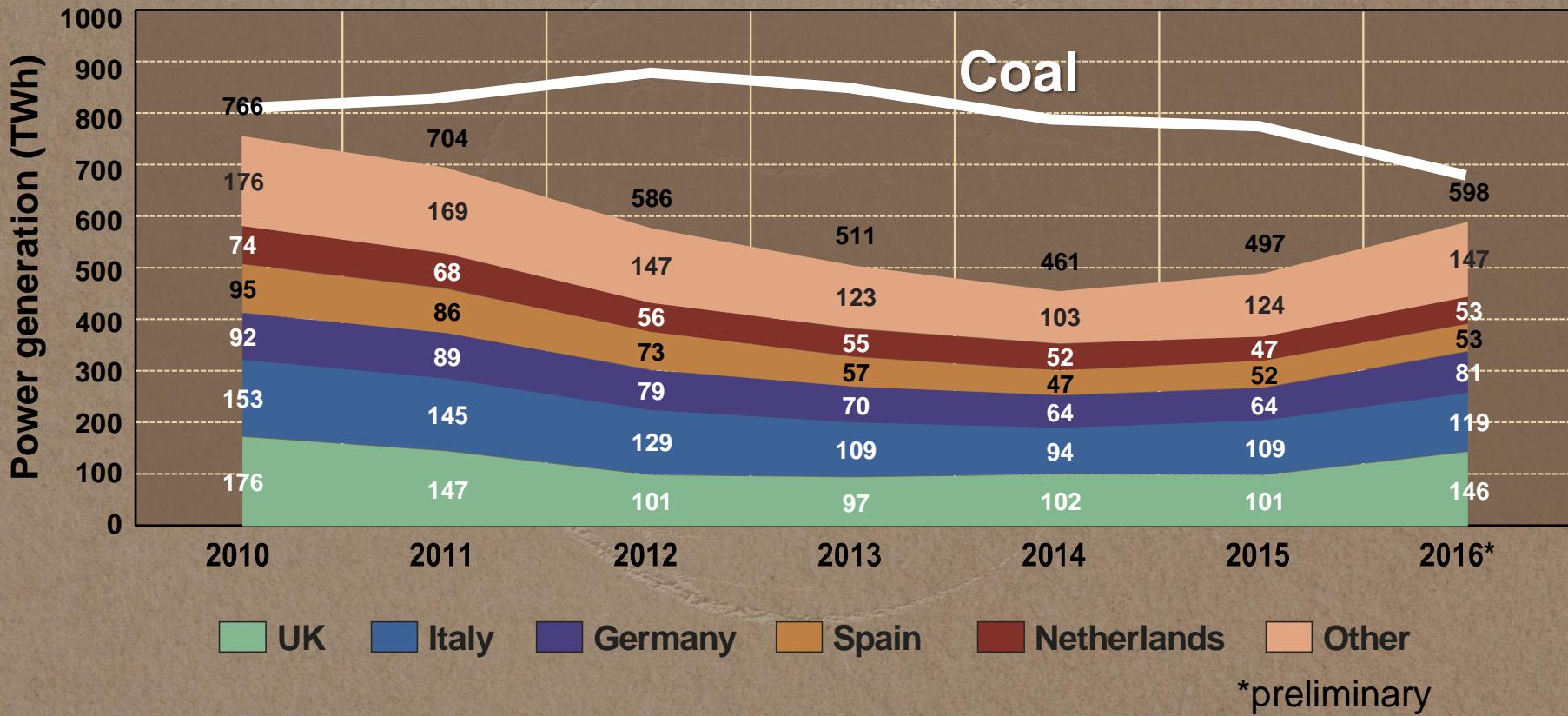


European Coal Generation

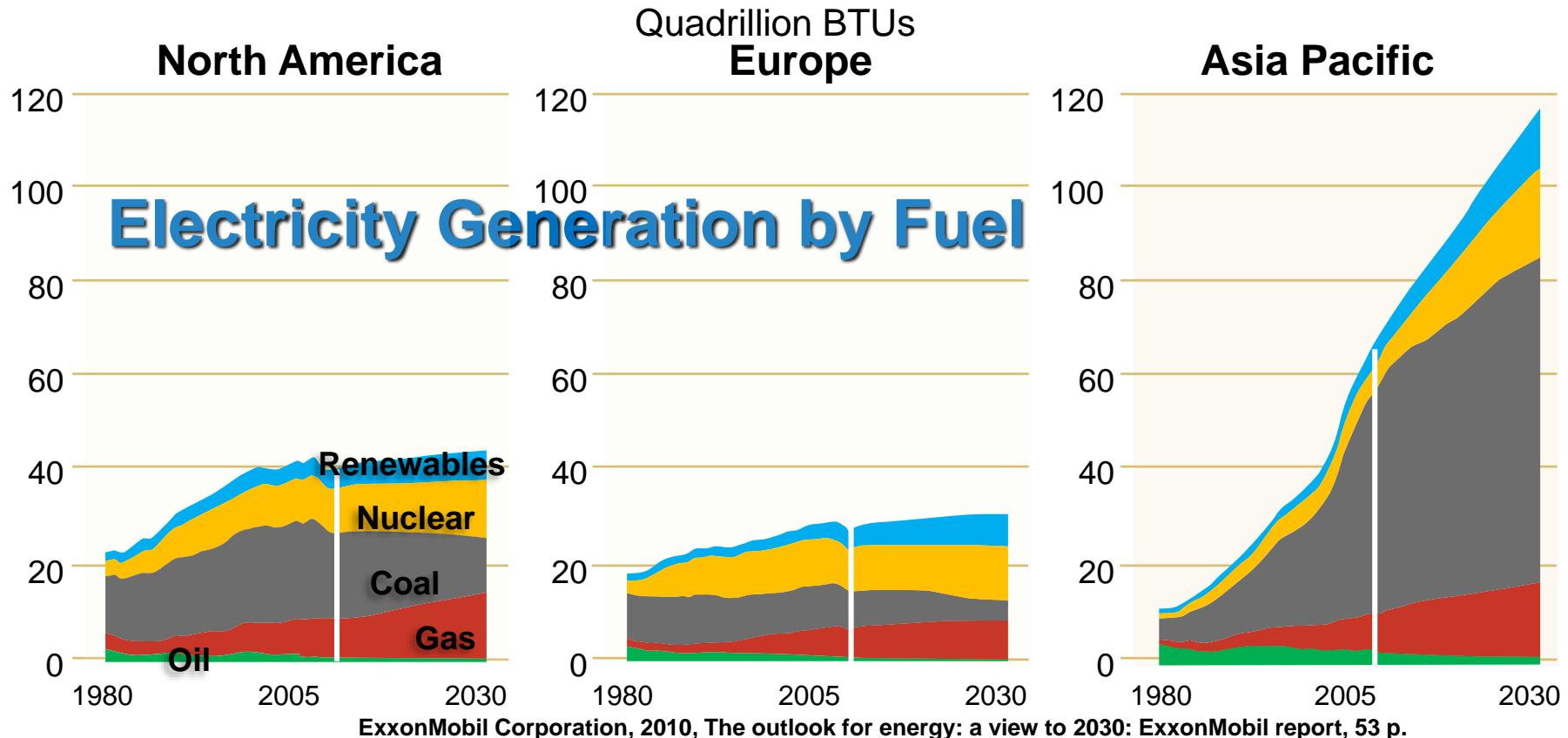


Germany Poland Czech Italy Spain Netherlands UK Other

European Natural Gas Power Generation

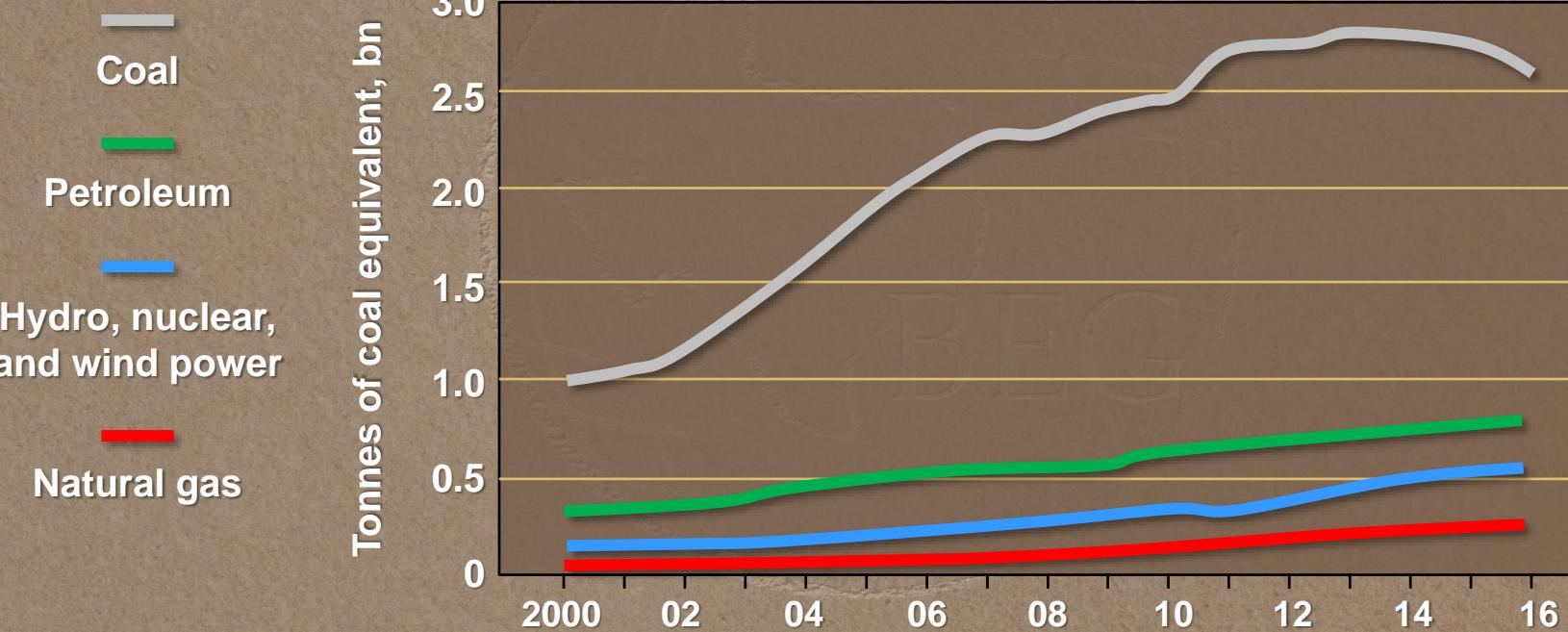


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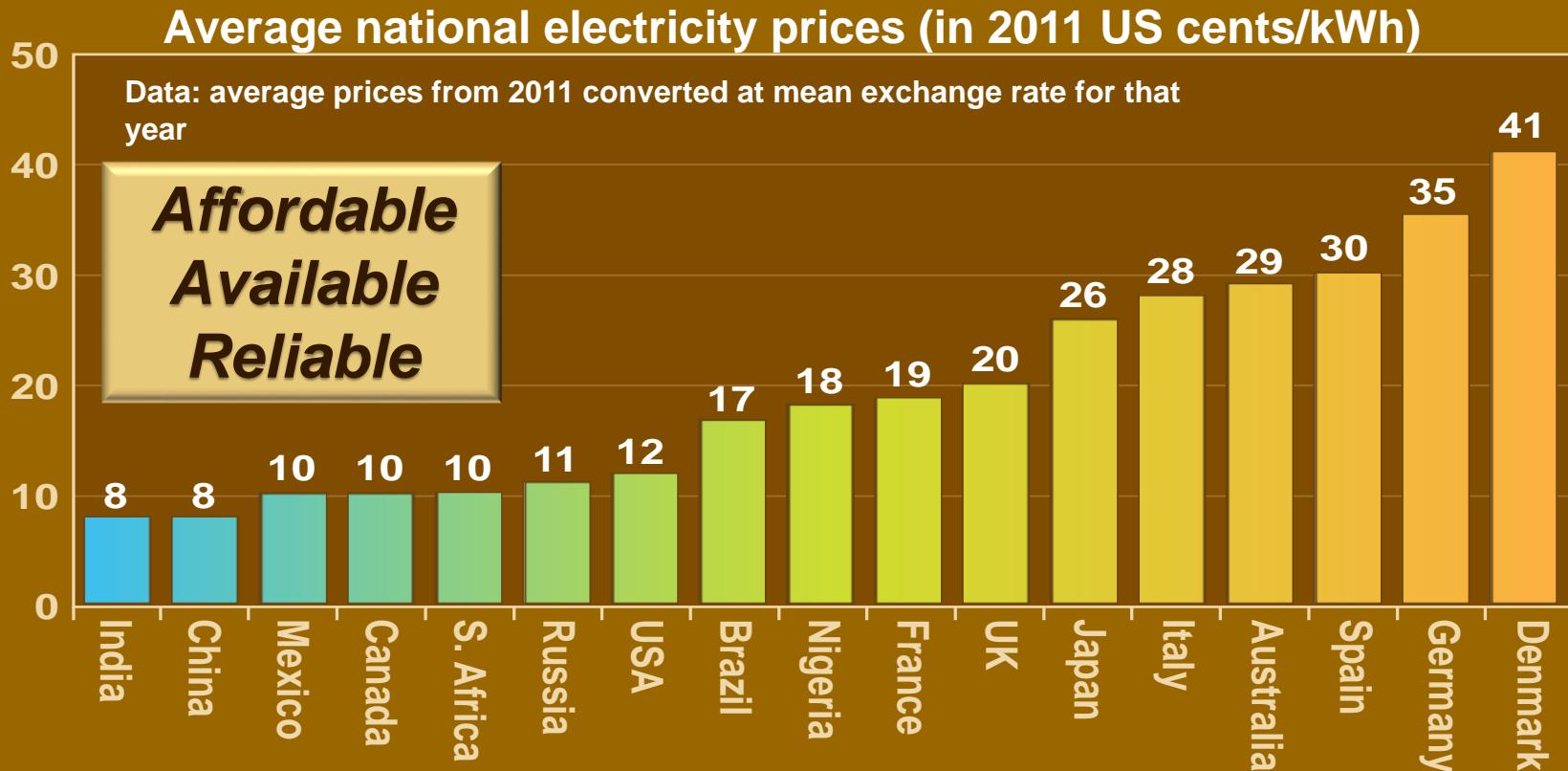


China

Energy Consumption by Fuel Type



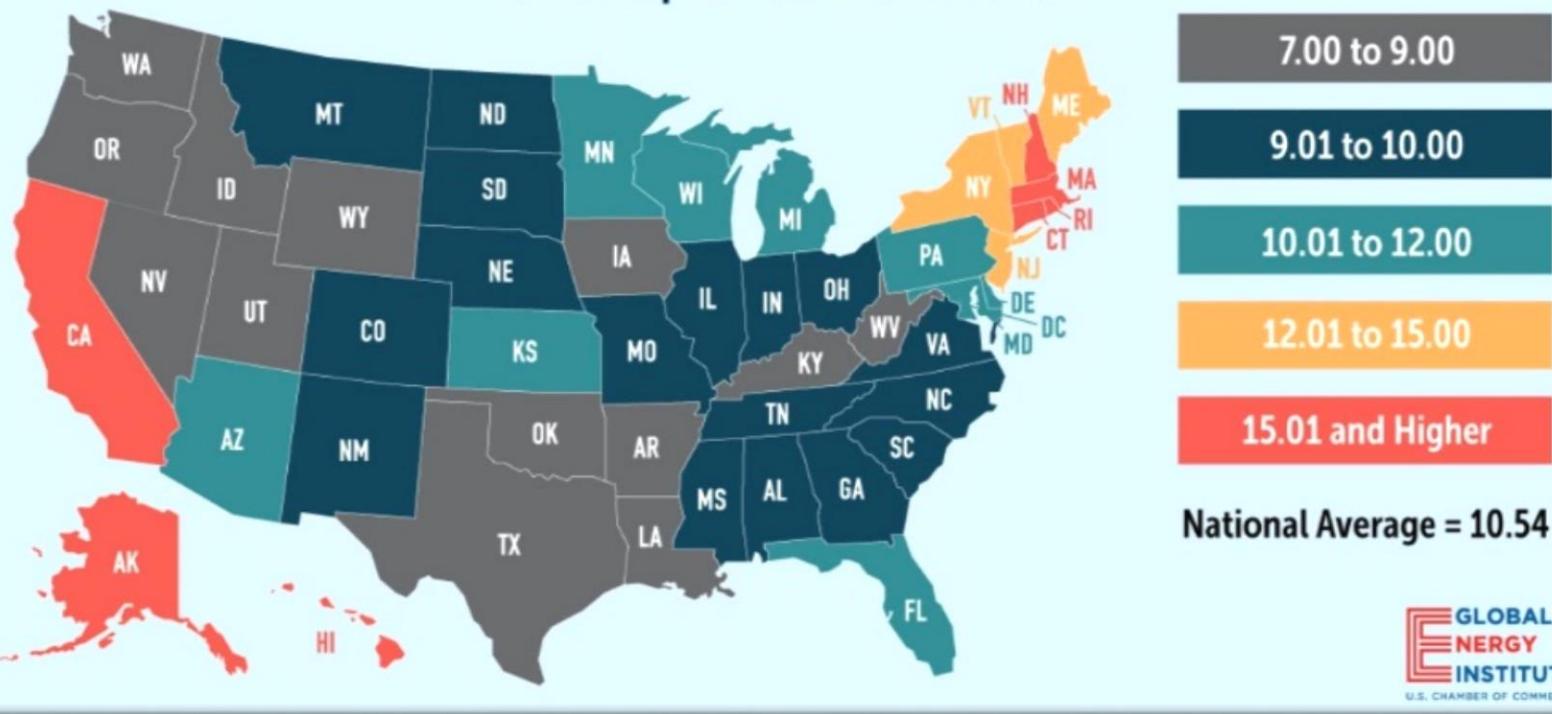
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Sources: IEA, EIA, national electricity boards, OANDA, shrinkthatfootprint.com

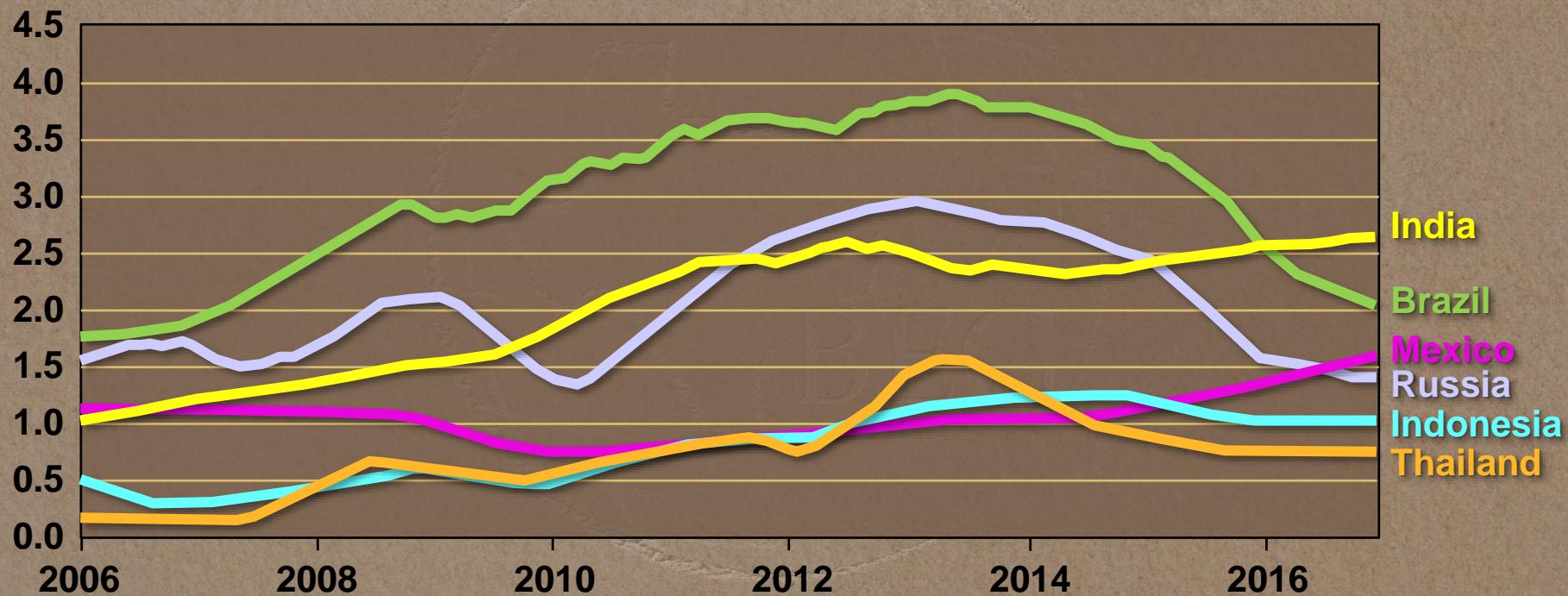
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2017 U.S. Average Electricity Retail Prices (cents per kilowatt hour)



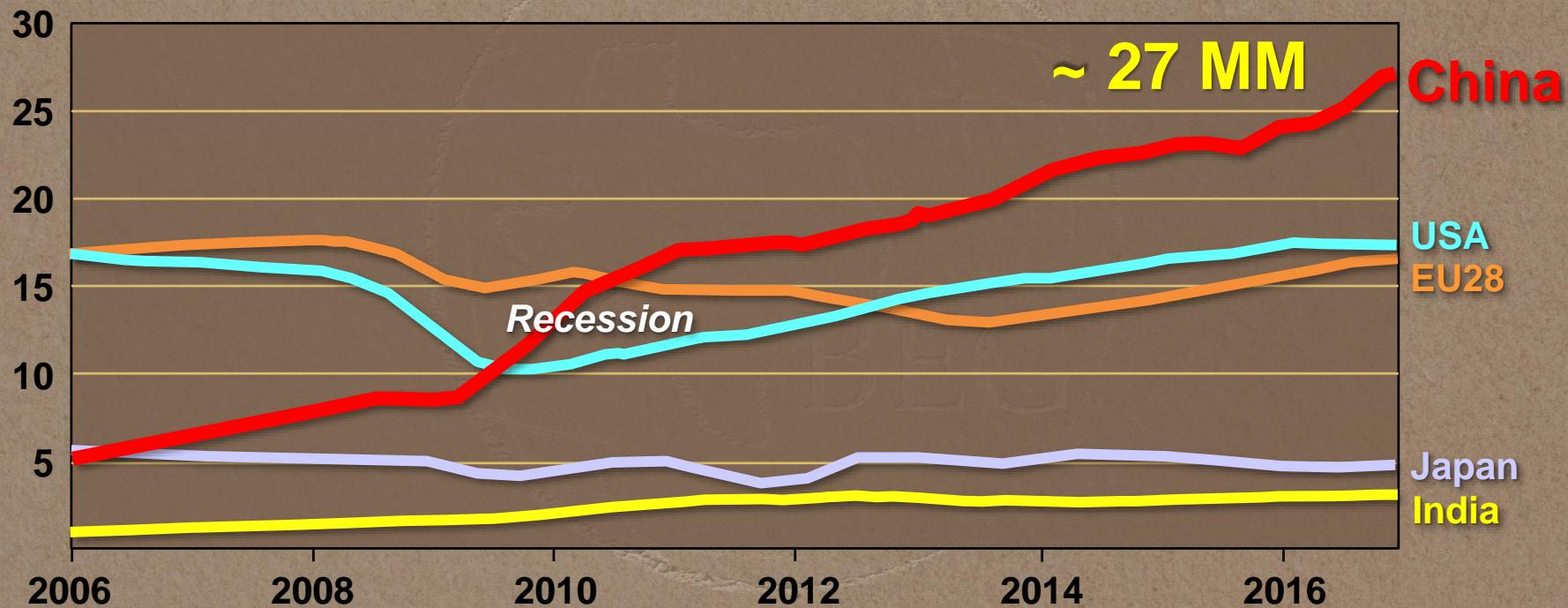
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Rolling 12-month (million)

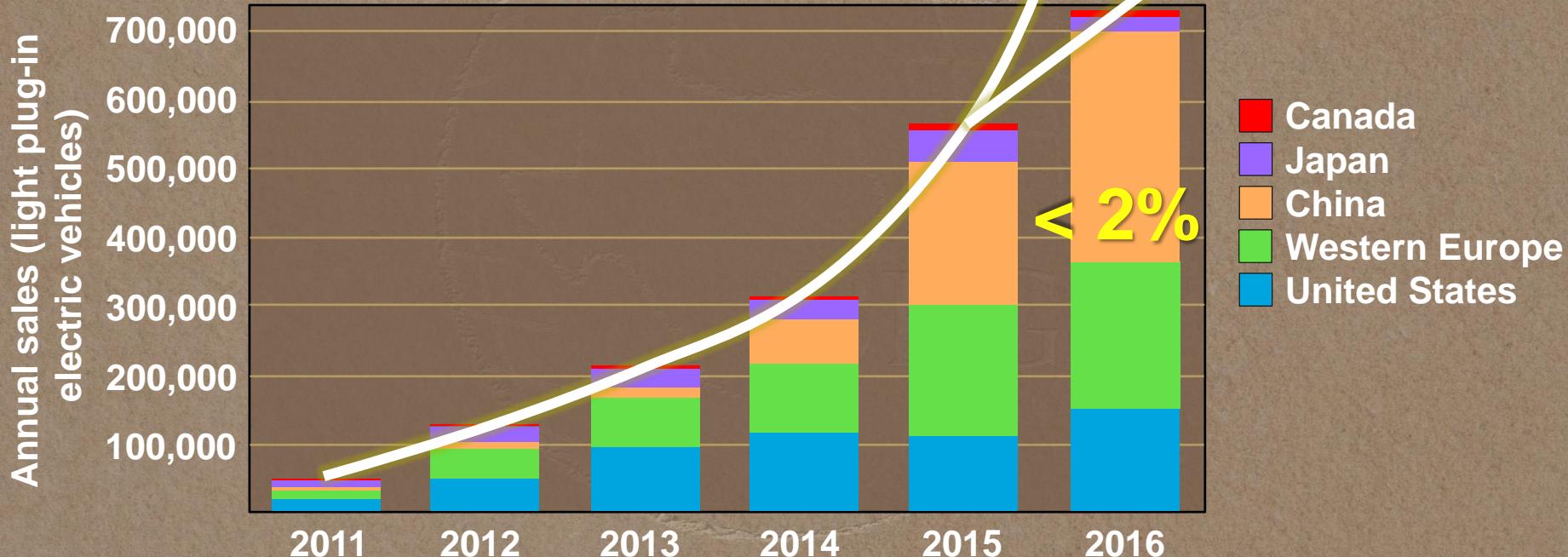


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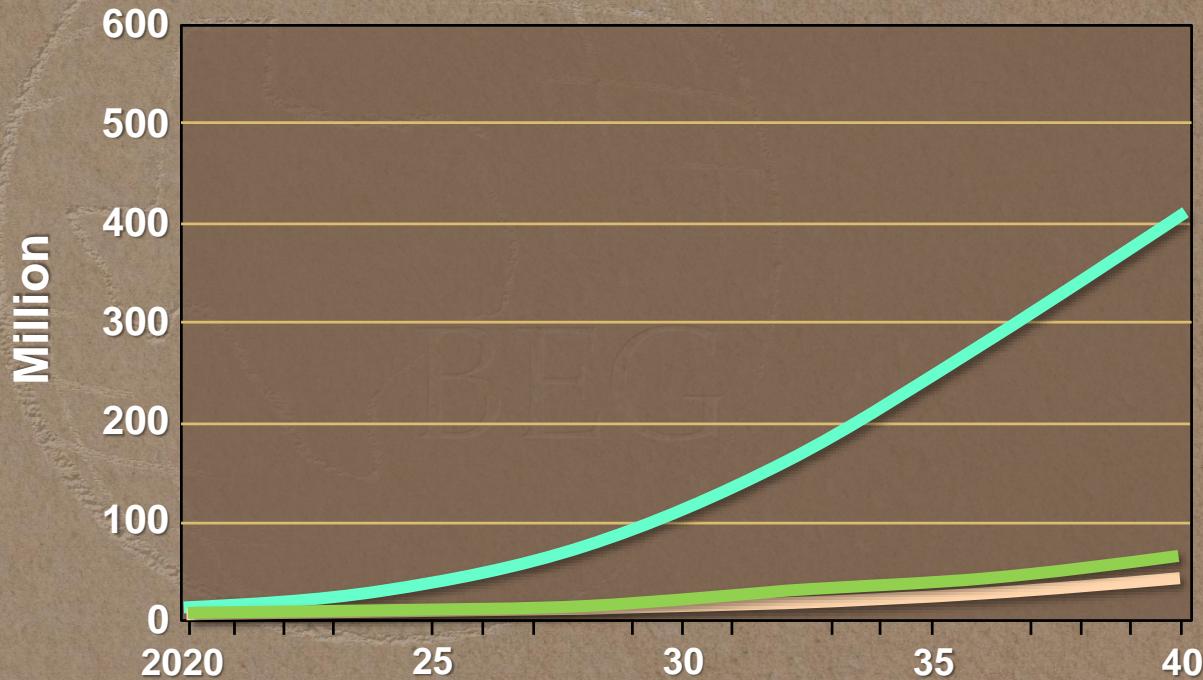


Global Annual Sales Light-Duty Plug-In Electric Vehicles (2011 – 2016)



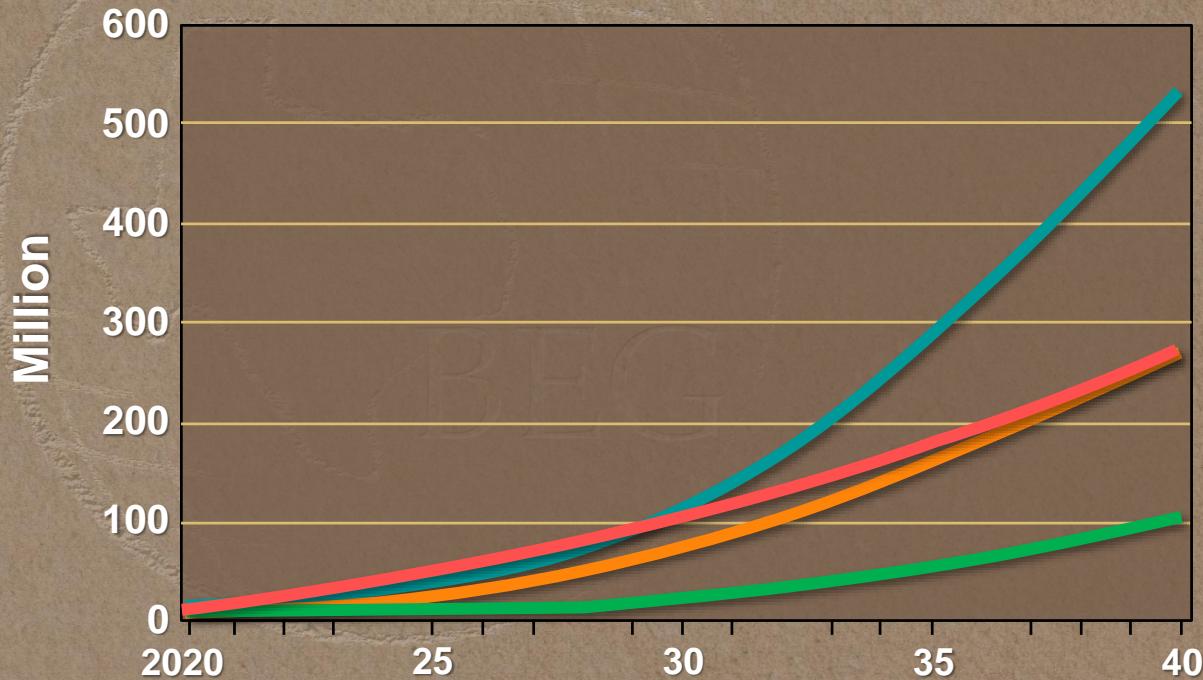
Cumulative Electric-Vehicle Forecasts

2016	2017
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OPEC	10
ExxonMobil	10
EIA	10



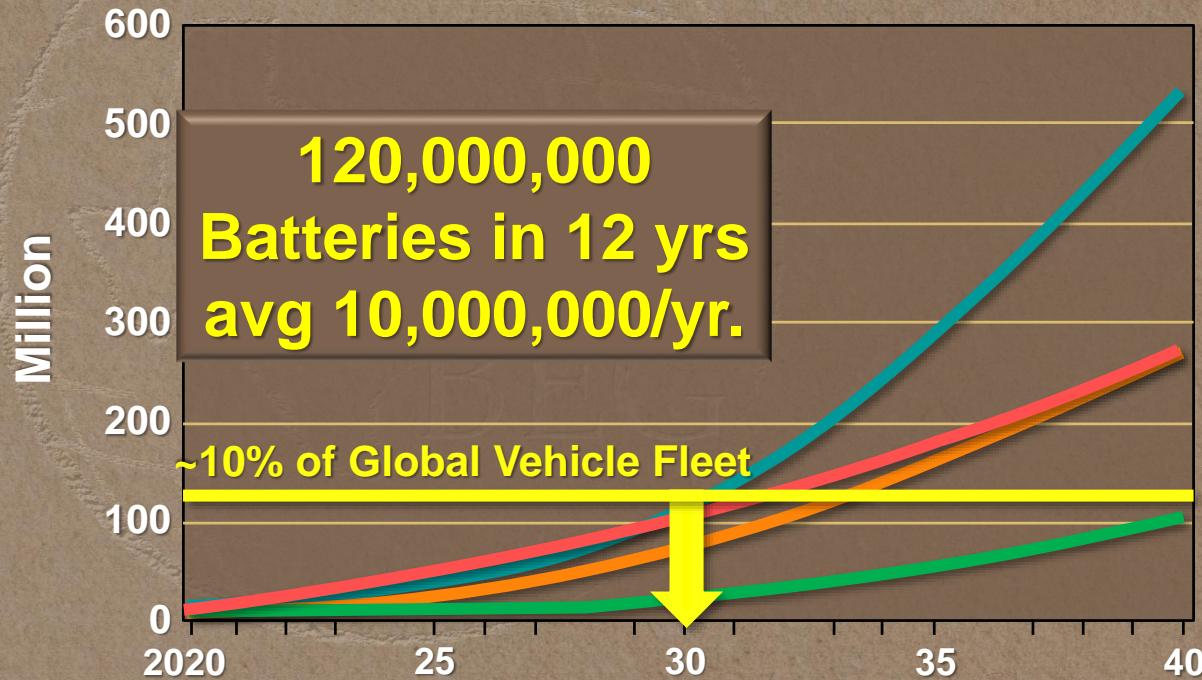
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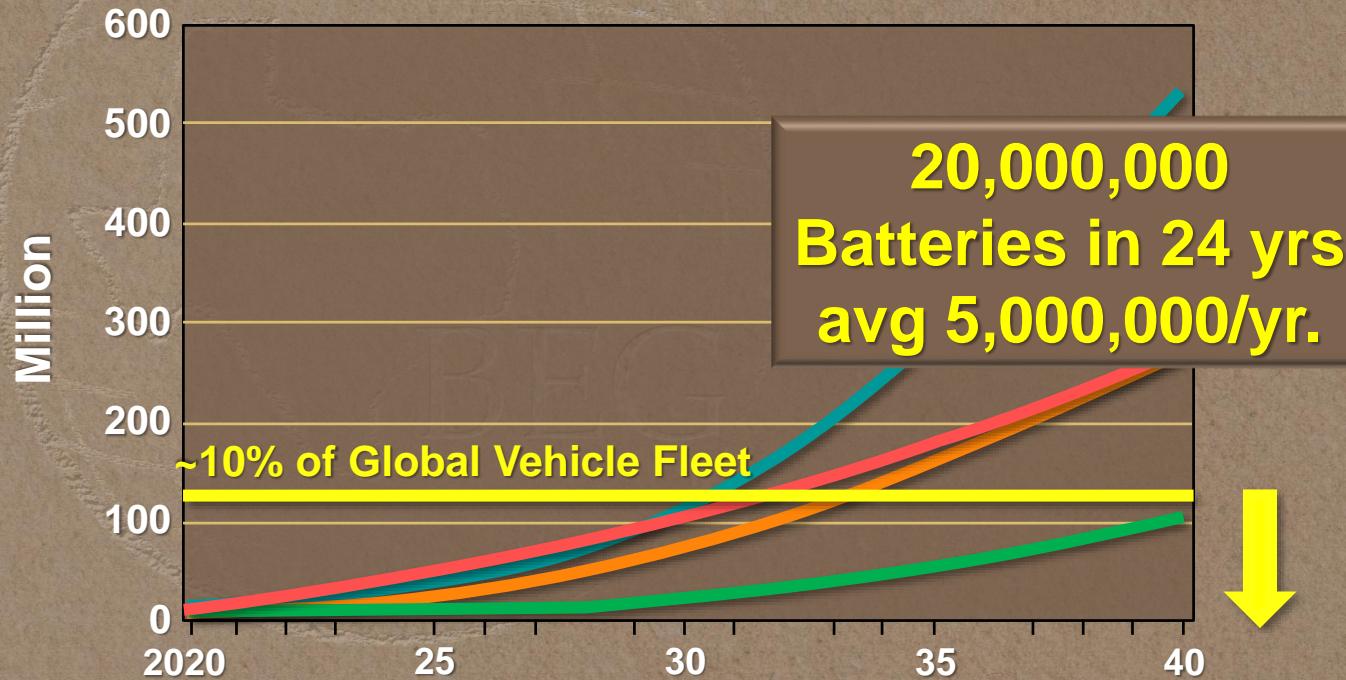
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OPEC	
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CO₂ Reduction Strategies

- Efficiency
 - Coal Substitution
 - Carbon Capture and Sequestration
 - Atmospheric Removal of Carbon
- ...Adaptation**

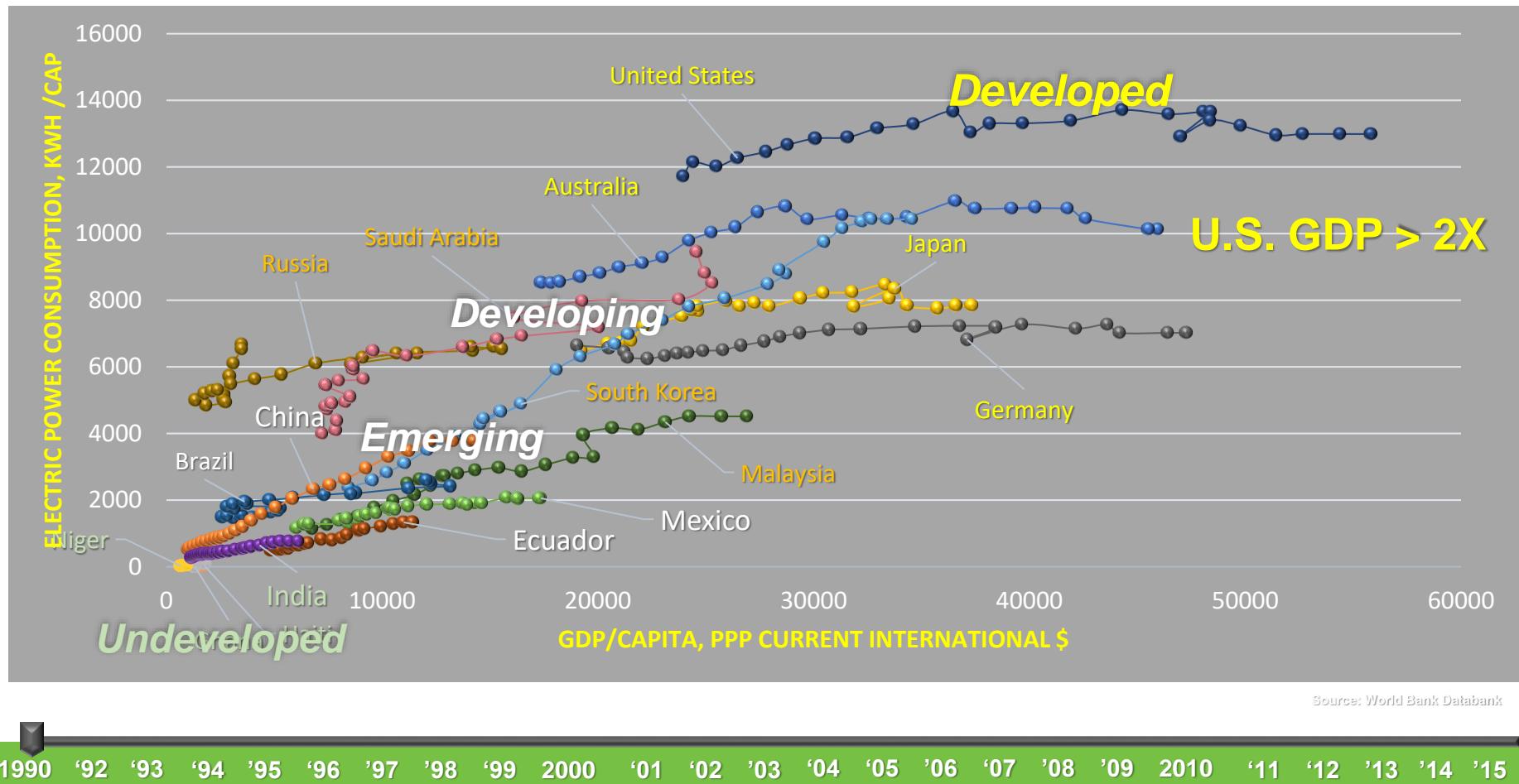
Carbon Key Points

- Renewables will grow, but are not enough to reduce CO₂ emissions at scale
- Natural gas and nuclear can reduce CO₂ emissions at scale
 - ✓ Limit methane emissions
- Electric Vehicle growth will not mitigate the demand for liquid petroleum fuels

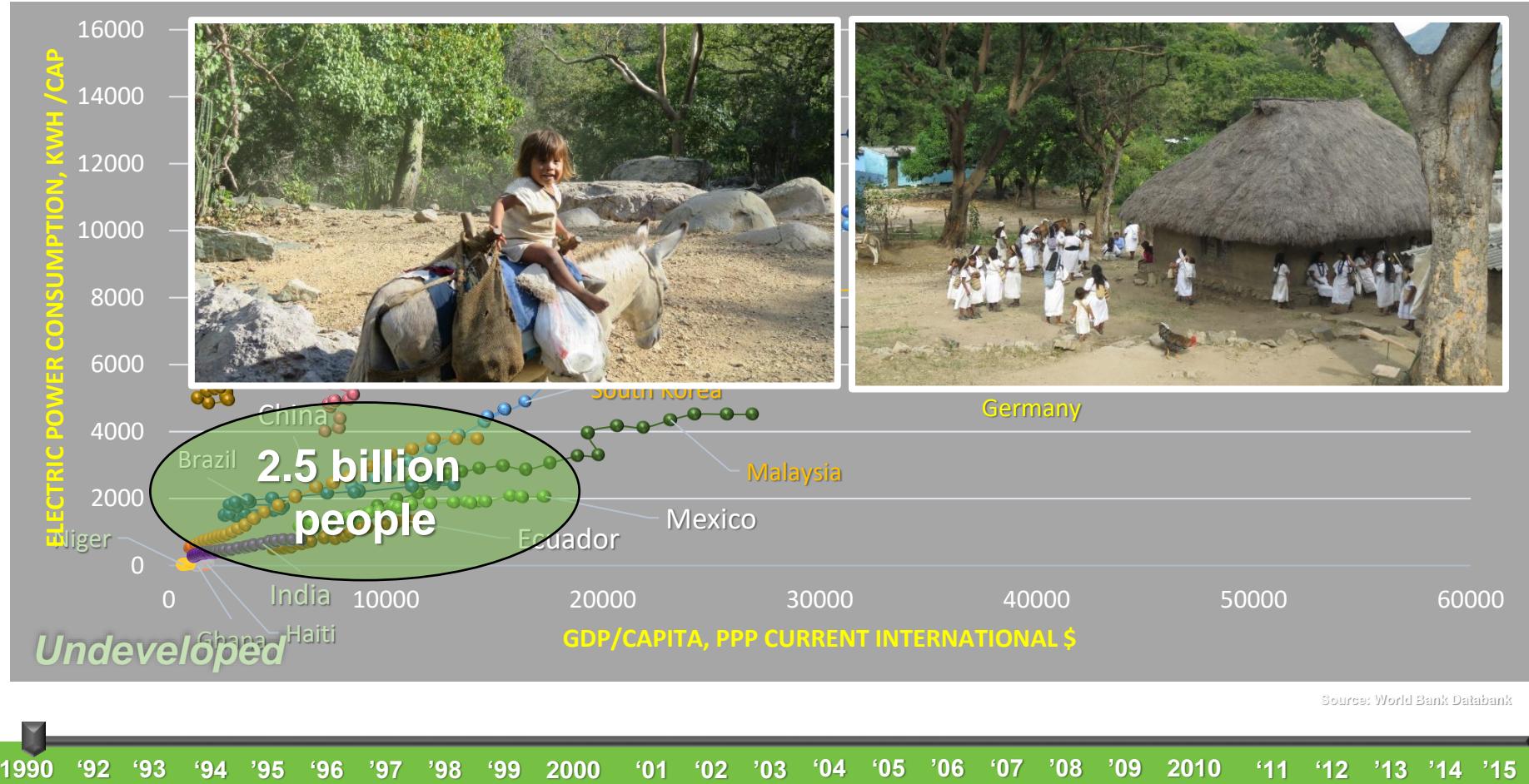
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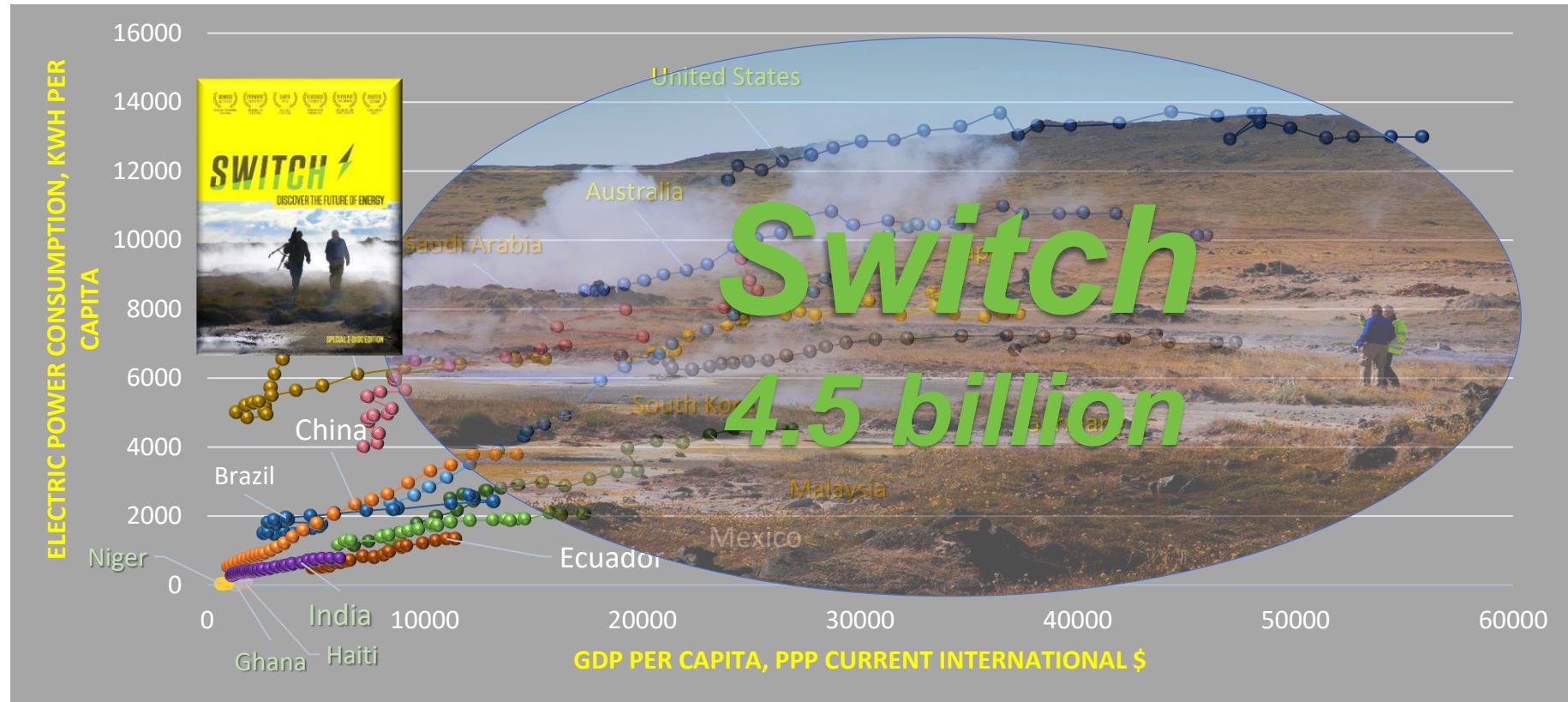
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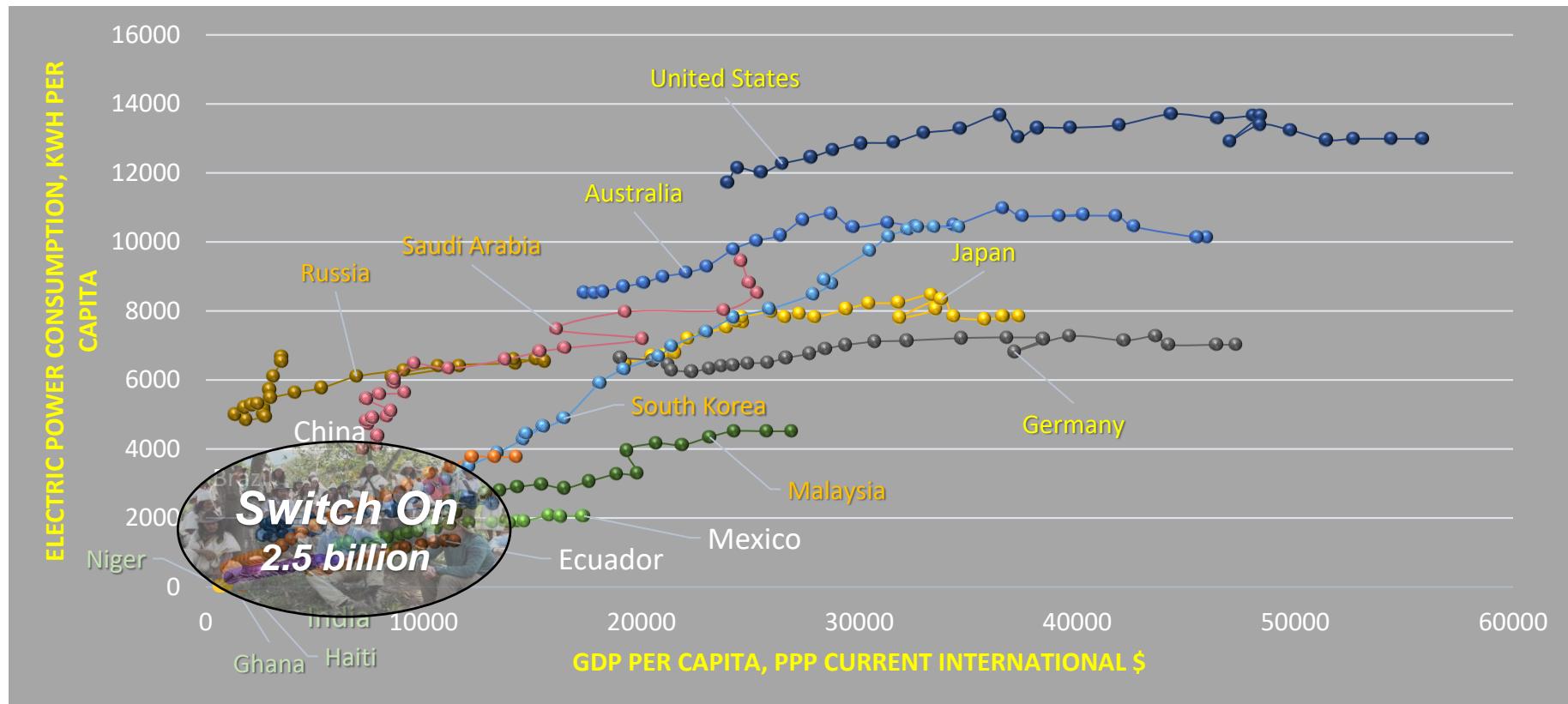


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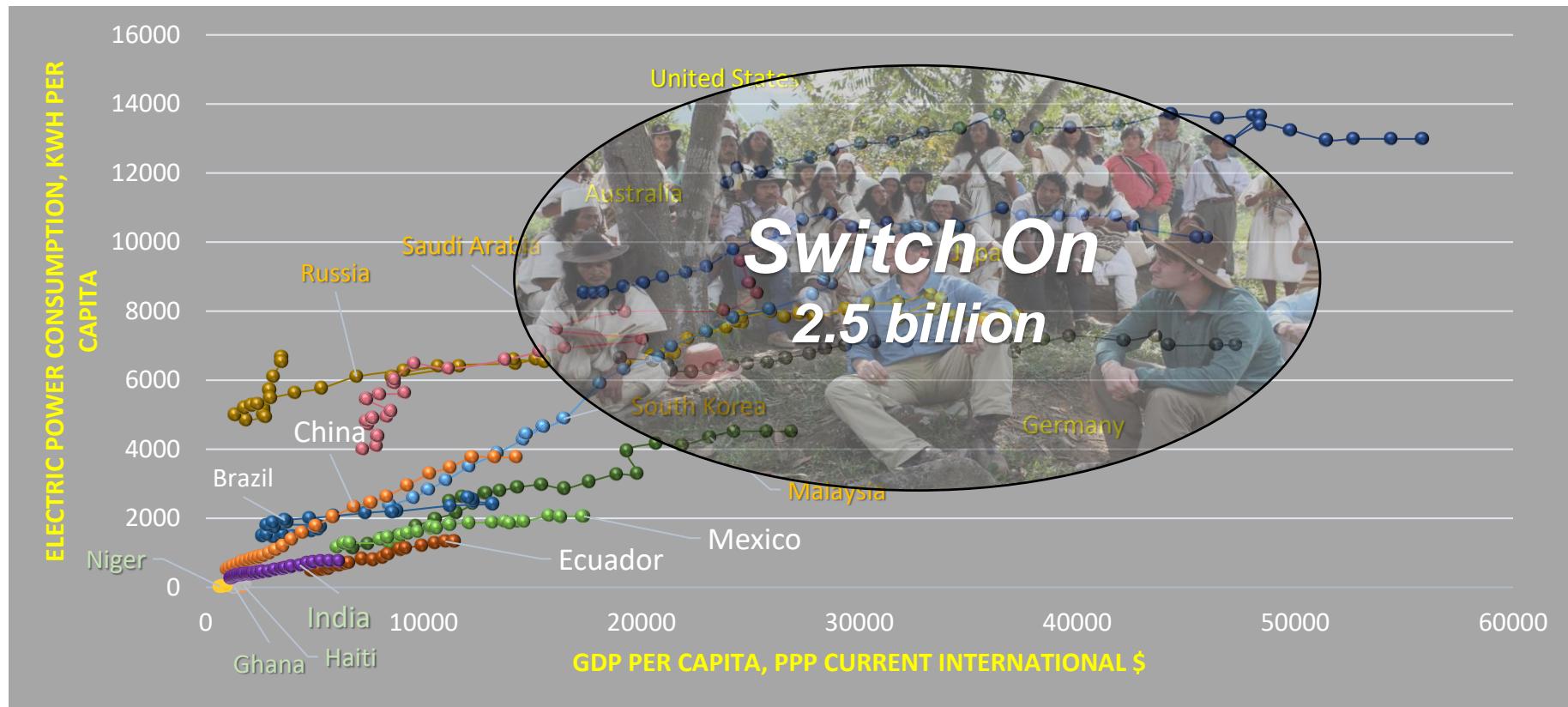
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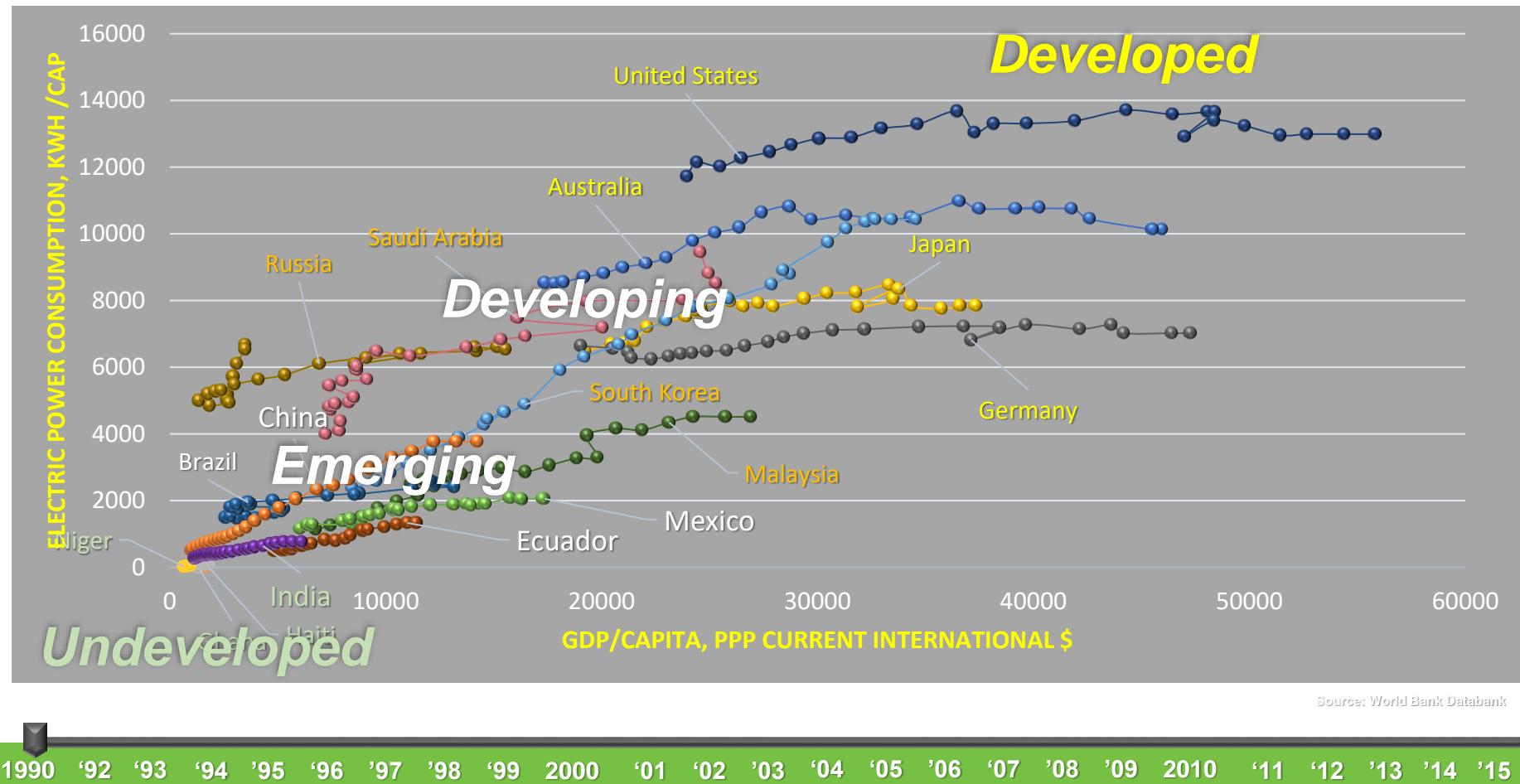
It's Time to Educate & Power the People







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Electricity and Poverty

Poverty and electricity access in selected developing countries, circles sized by total population

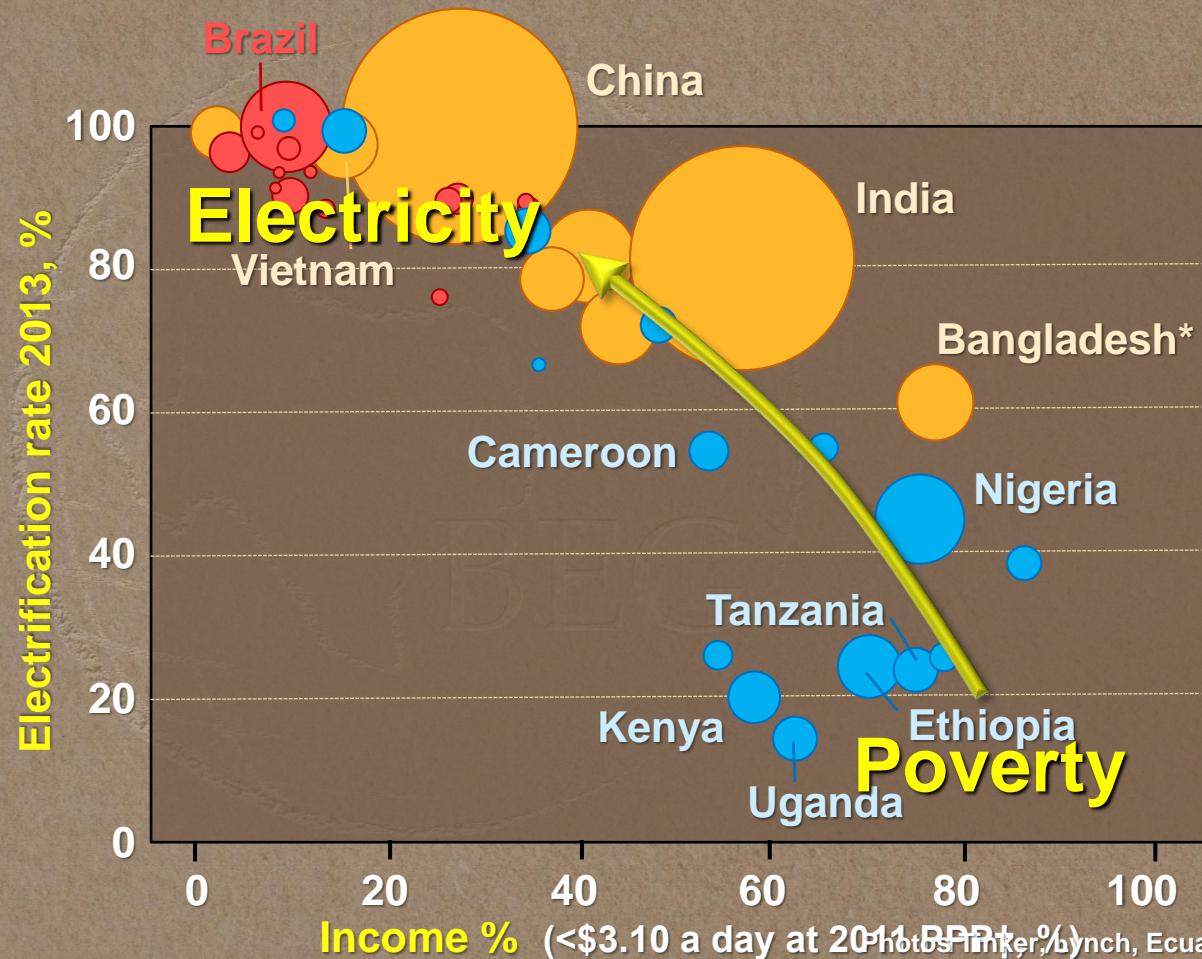
Africa

Asia

Latin America

* Bangladesh uses 2005 PPP and \$2 a day poverty line

† Purchasing power parity



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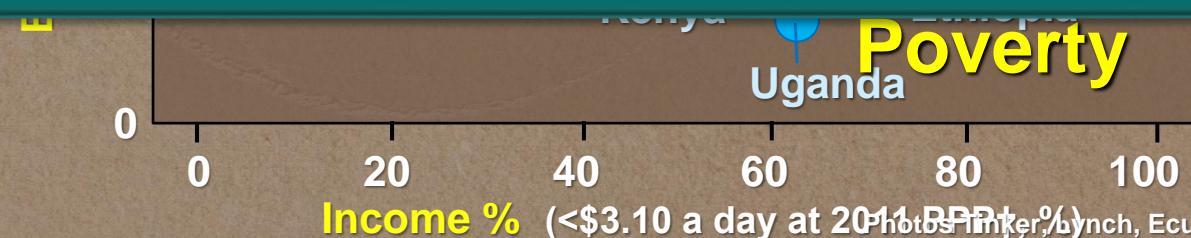
Poverty and electricity access in selected developing countries,



Energy does not end poverty.

Poverty cannot be ended without energy.

a day poverty line
† Purchasing power parity





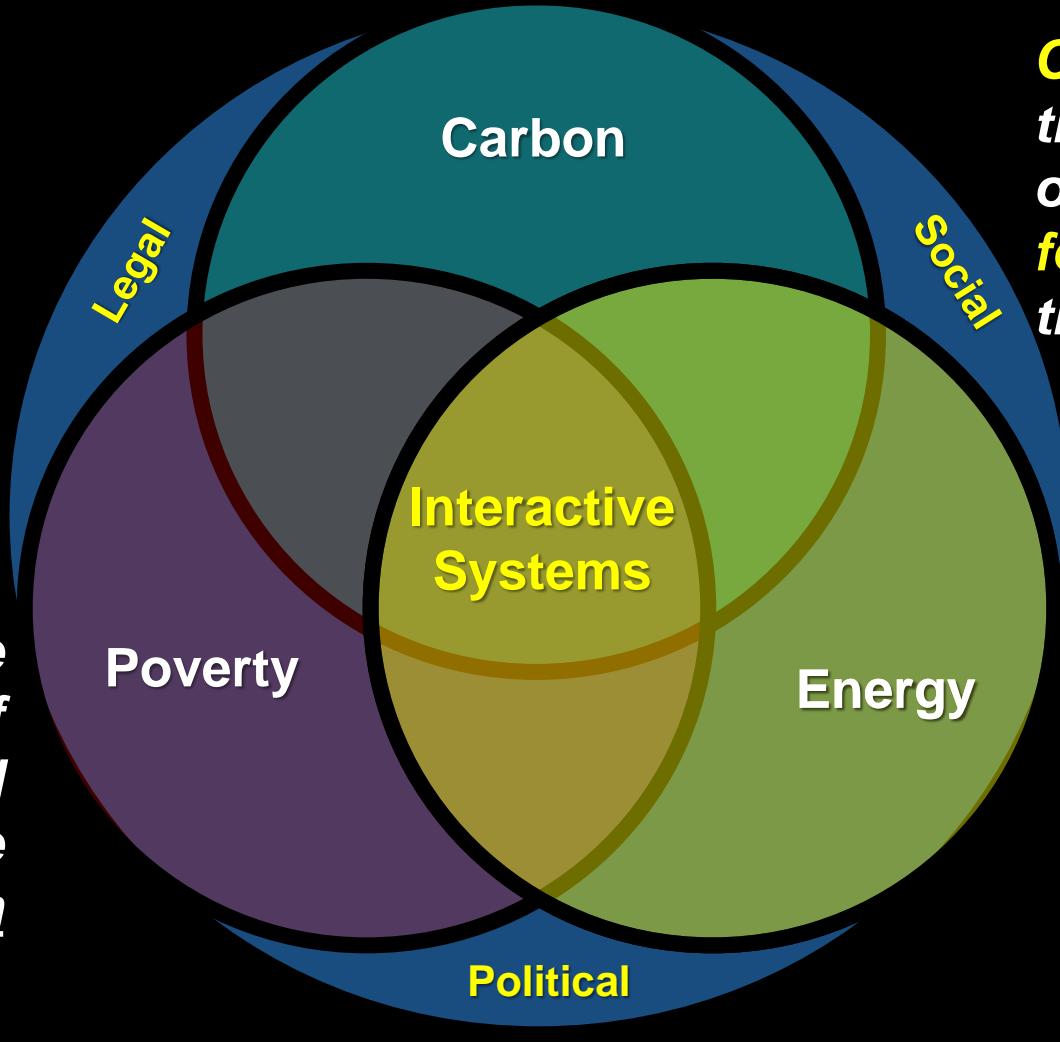
Poverty Key Points

- Energy underpins modern economies and helps lift the world from poverty
- Energy resources vary by region and nations will use the energy resources that they have to reduce energy poverty

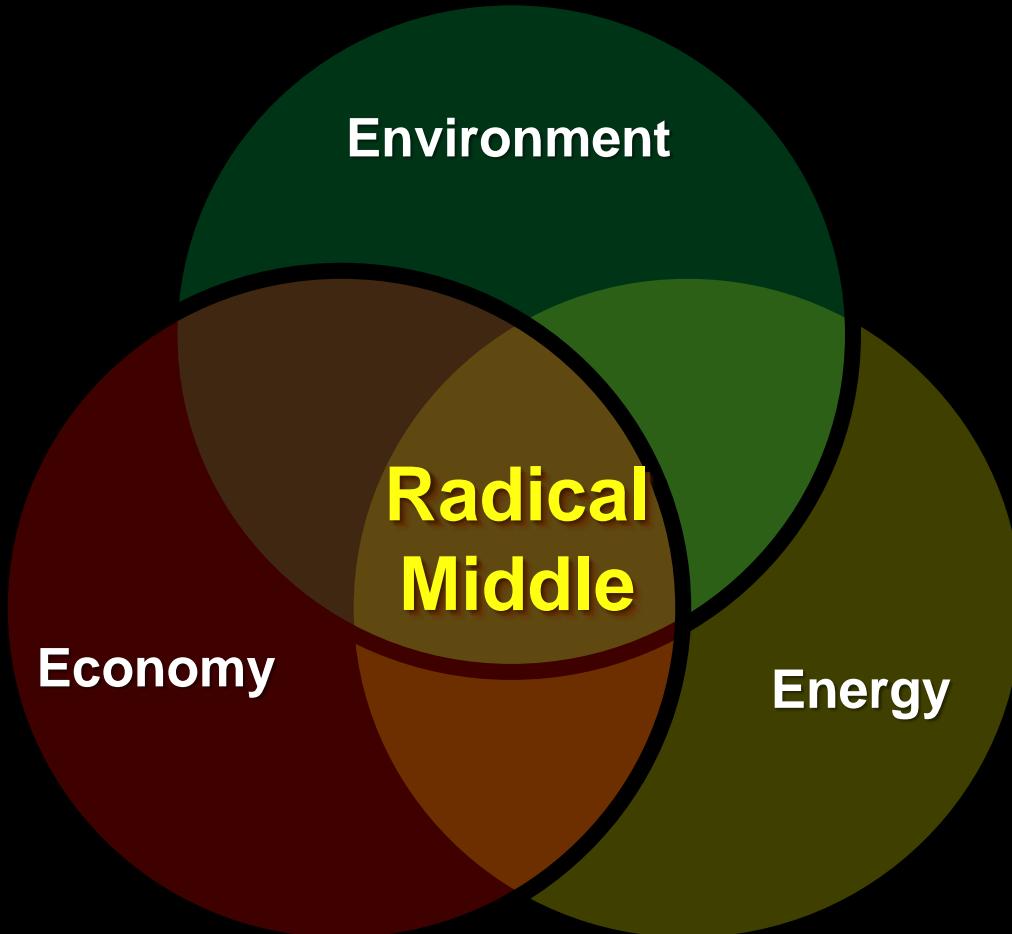
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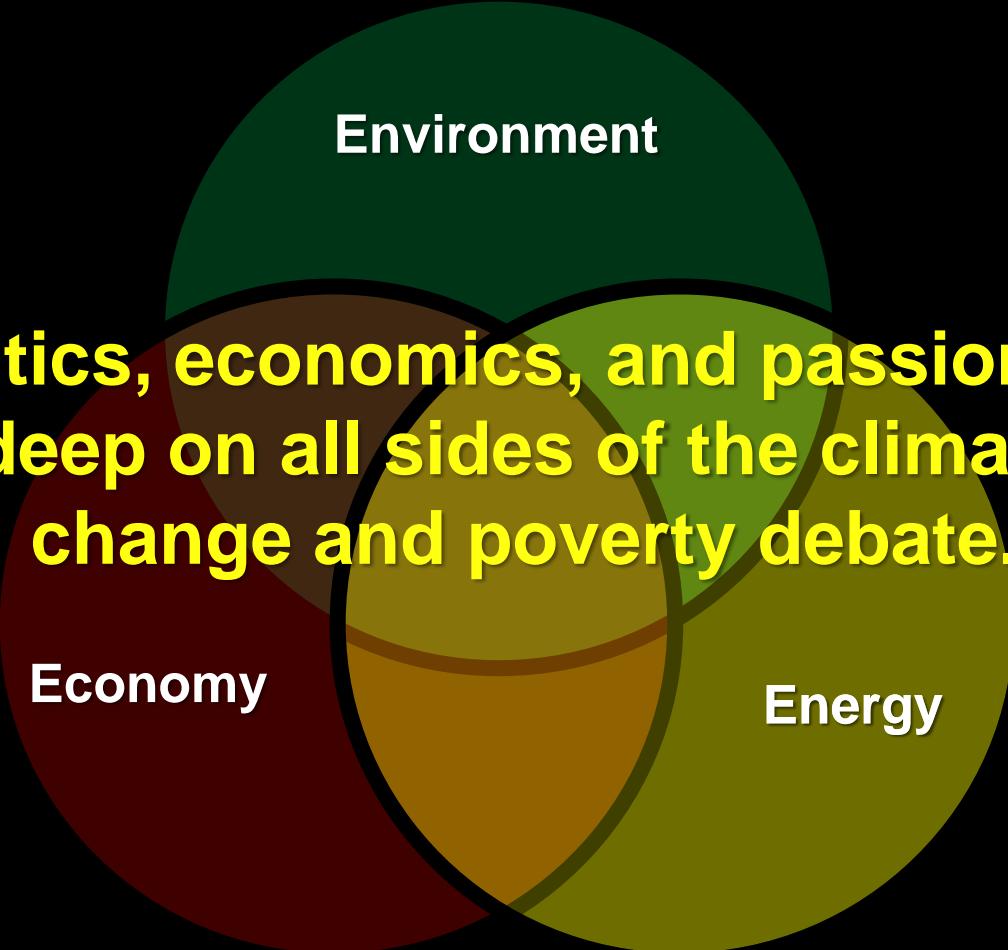
- ❖ Energy
- ❖ Carbon
- ❖ Poverty
- ❖ Radical Middle

Poverty is the major issue of our time, and fossil fuels are the solution



Climate Change is the major issue of our time, and **fossil fuels** are the problem



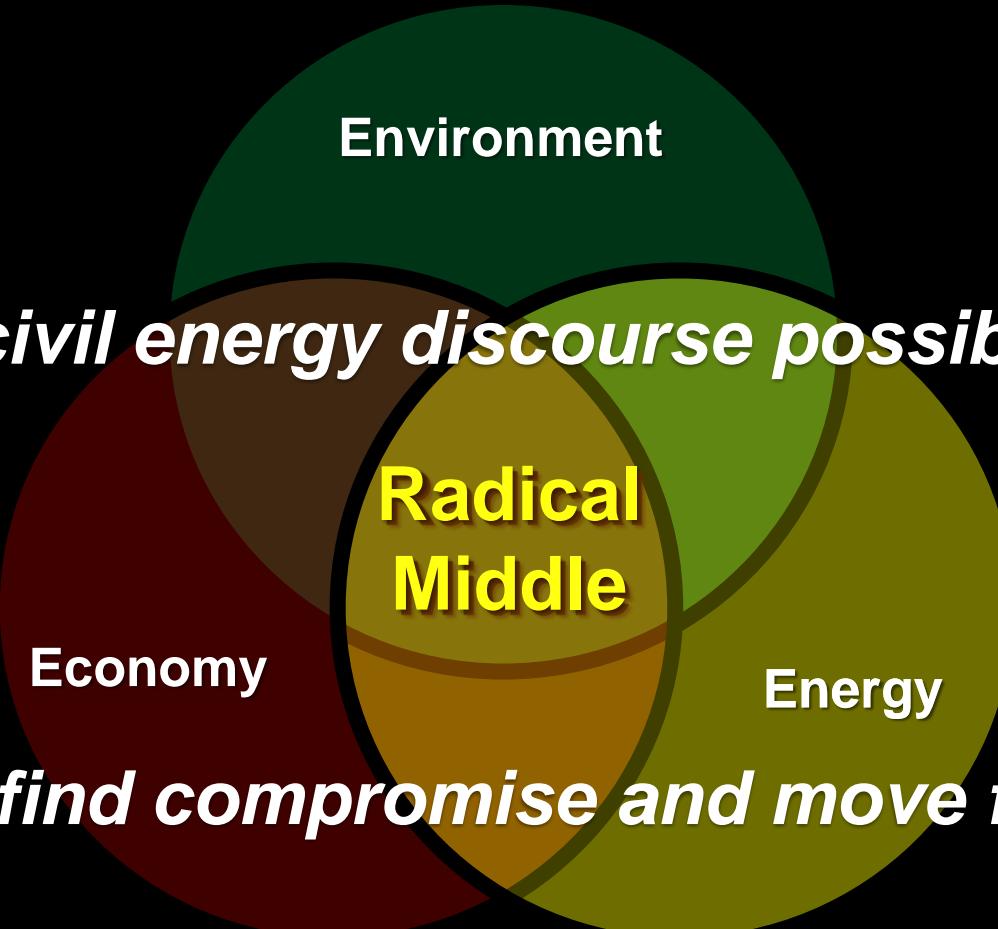


Environment

**Politics, economics, and passion run
deep on all sides of the climate
change and poverty debate.**

Economy

Energy



Is civil energy discourse possible?

**Radical
Middle**

Economy

Energy

Can we find compromise and move forward?

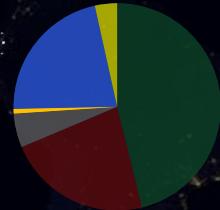
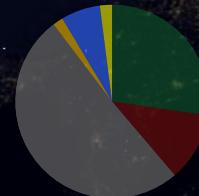
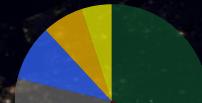
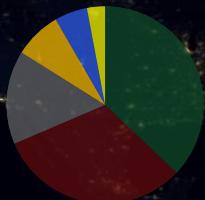
Towards a Radical Middle

- Understand that no form of energy is perfect
- Focus energy policy on energy security
- Make energy efficiency and energy storage tactical
- Assess the environmental impact of *all* energy
- Recognize energy poverty as a critical challenge

Engage in Energy Education!



There are those who want to.....



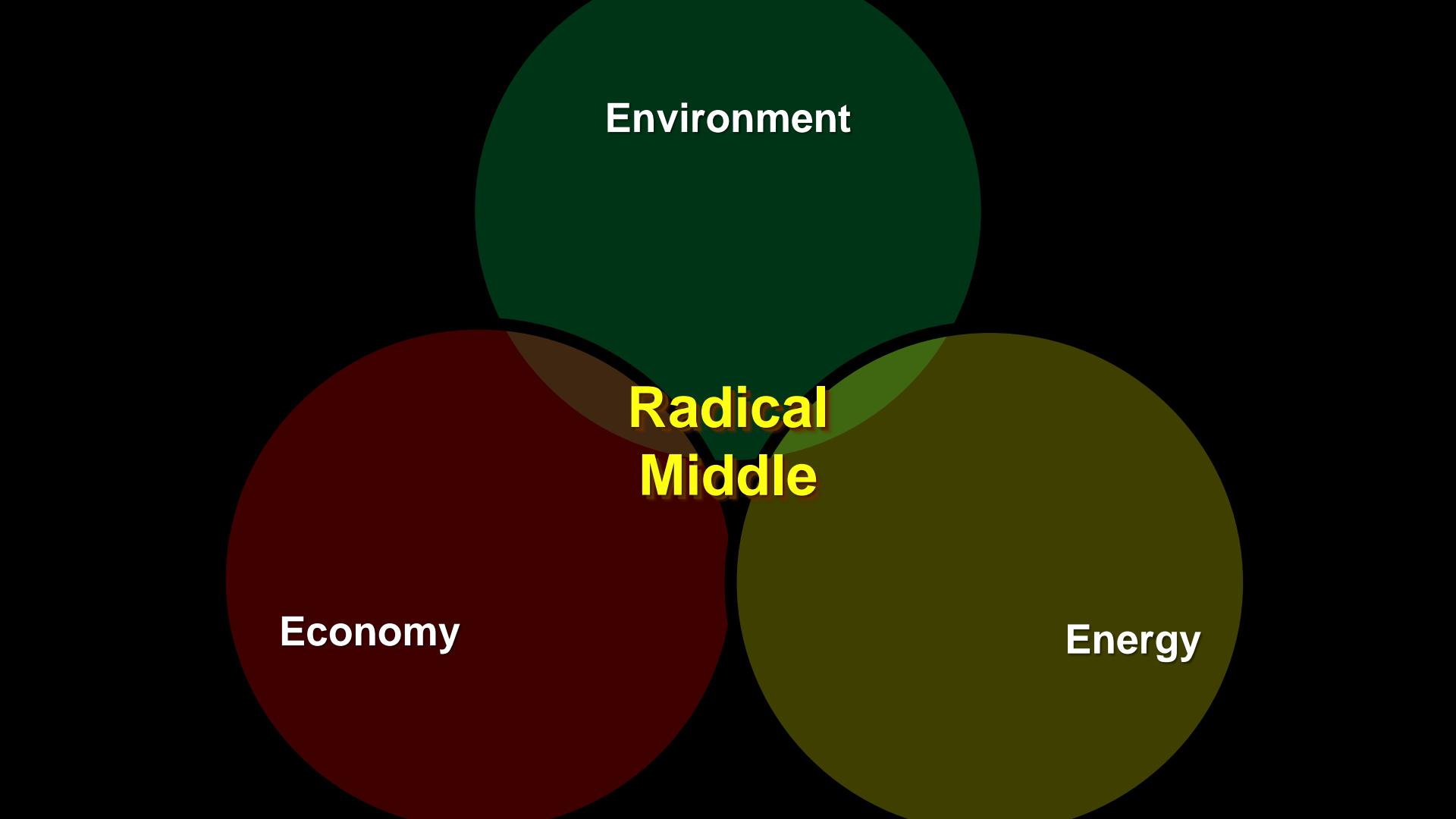
...keep It in the Ground.



But it will keep *Them* in Poverty.



Lift Them
from Poverty!



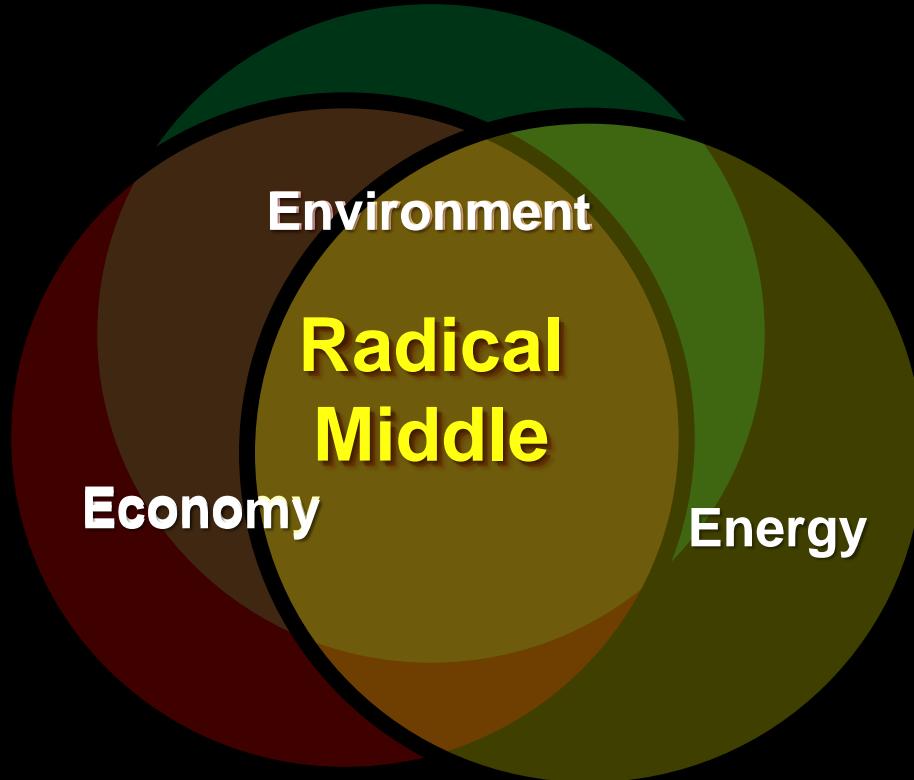
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Environment

**Radical
Middle**

Economy

Energy





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