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Based upon the Farid Zakaria you tube video:

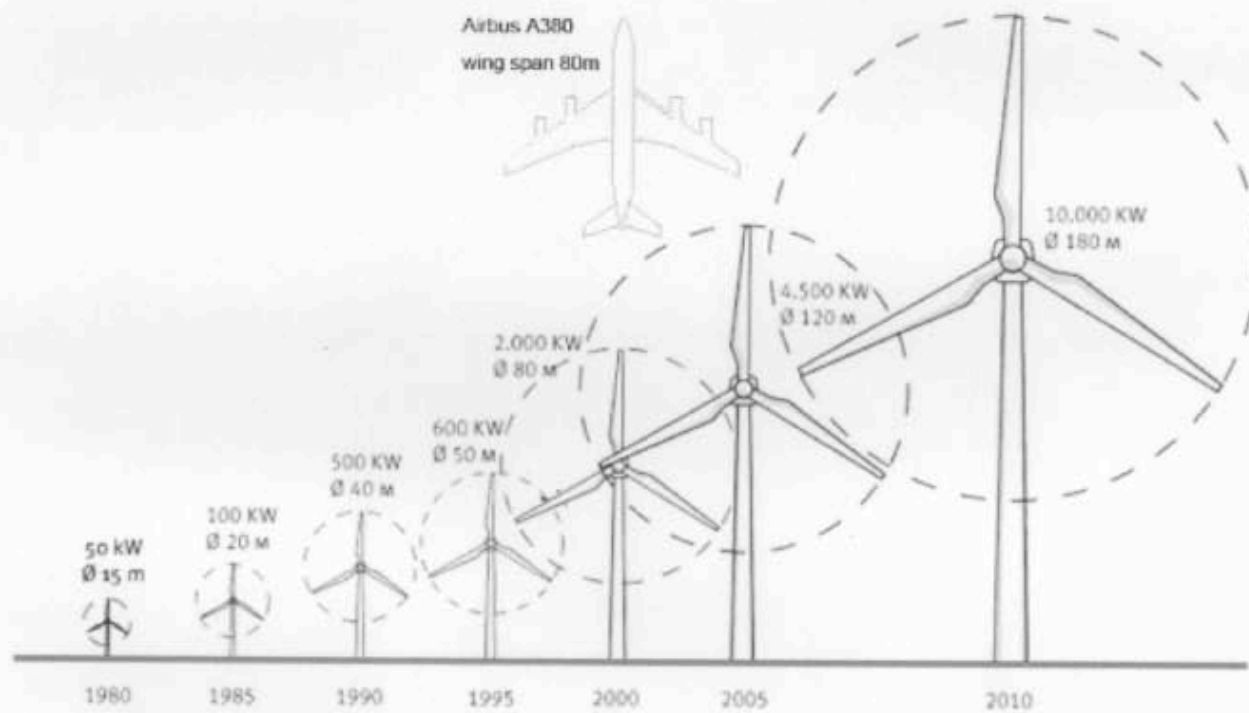
How much electrical energy will Denmark get from wind energy by 2020?

How much electricity in France comes from reused nuclear fuel ?

The solar energy capacity in Germany is what fraction of the total solar capacity in the world?

Turbine Sizes

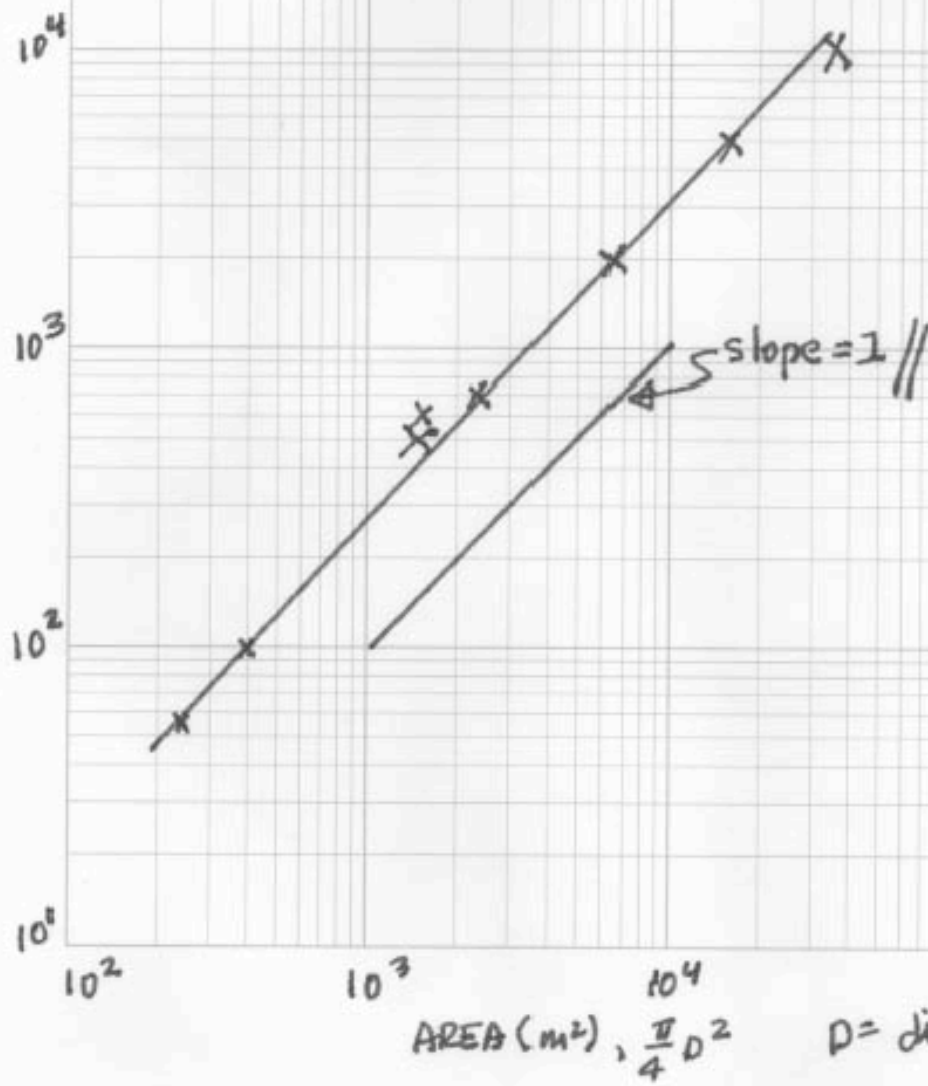
Horizontal axis
(HAWT)



Trend toward bigger turbine sizes

Power (kwatts)

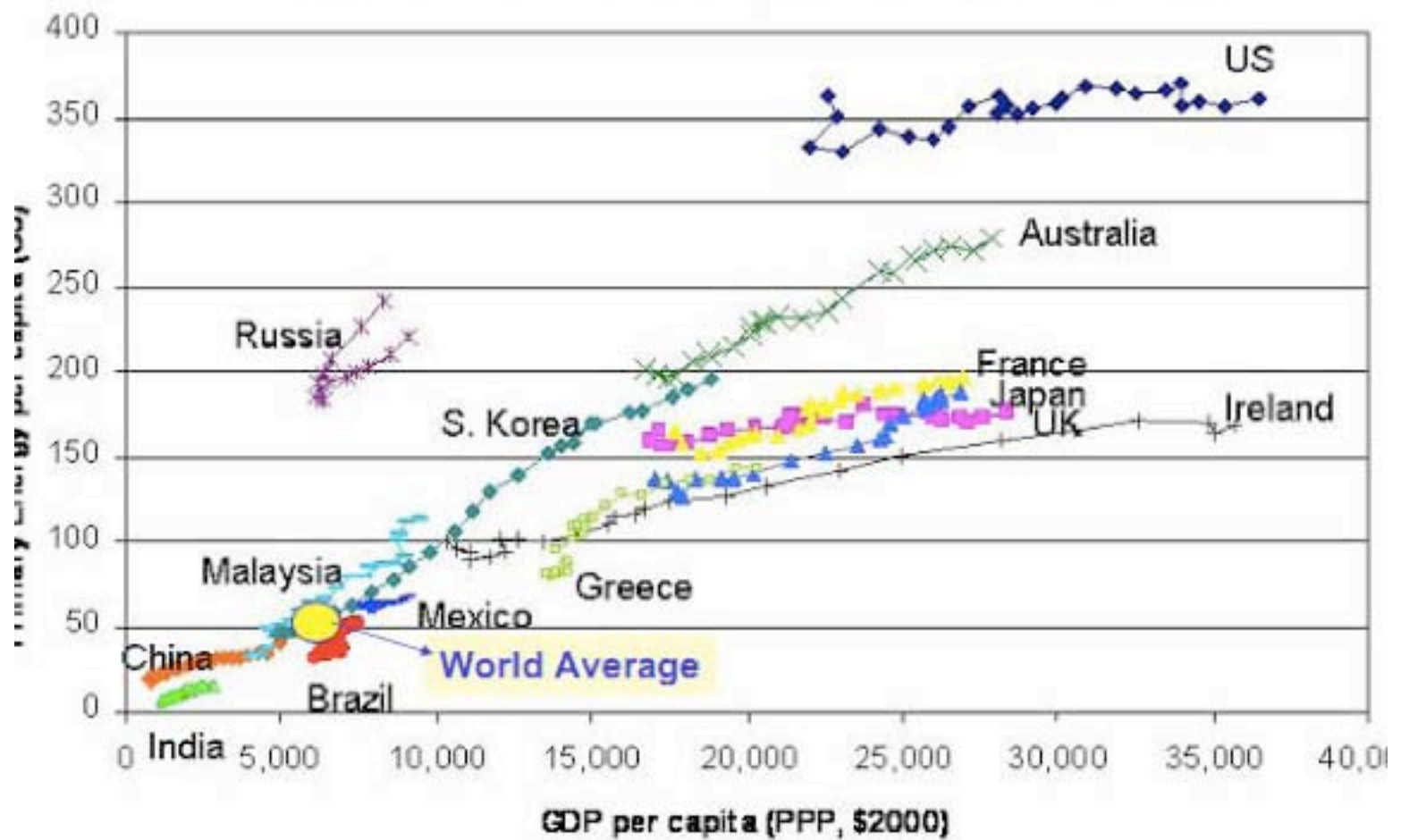
Wind Turbine Power



AREA (m²), $\frac{\pi}{4} D^2$

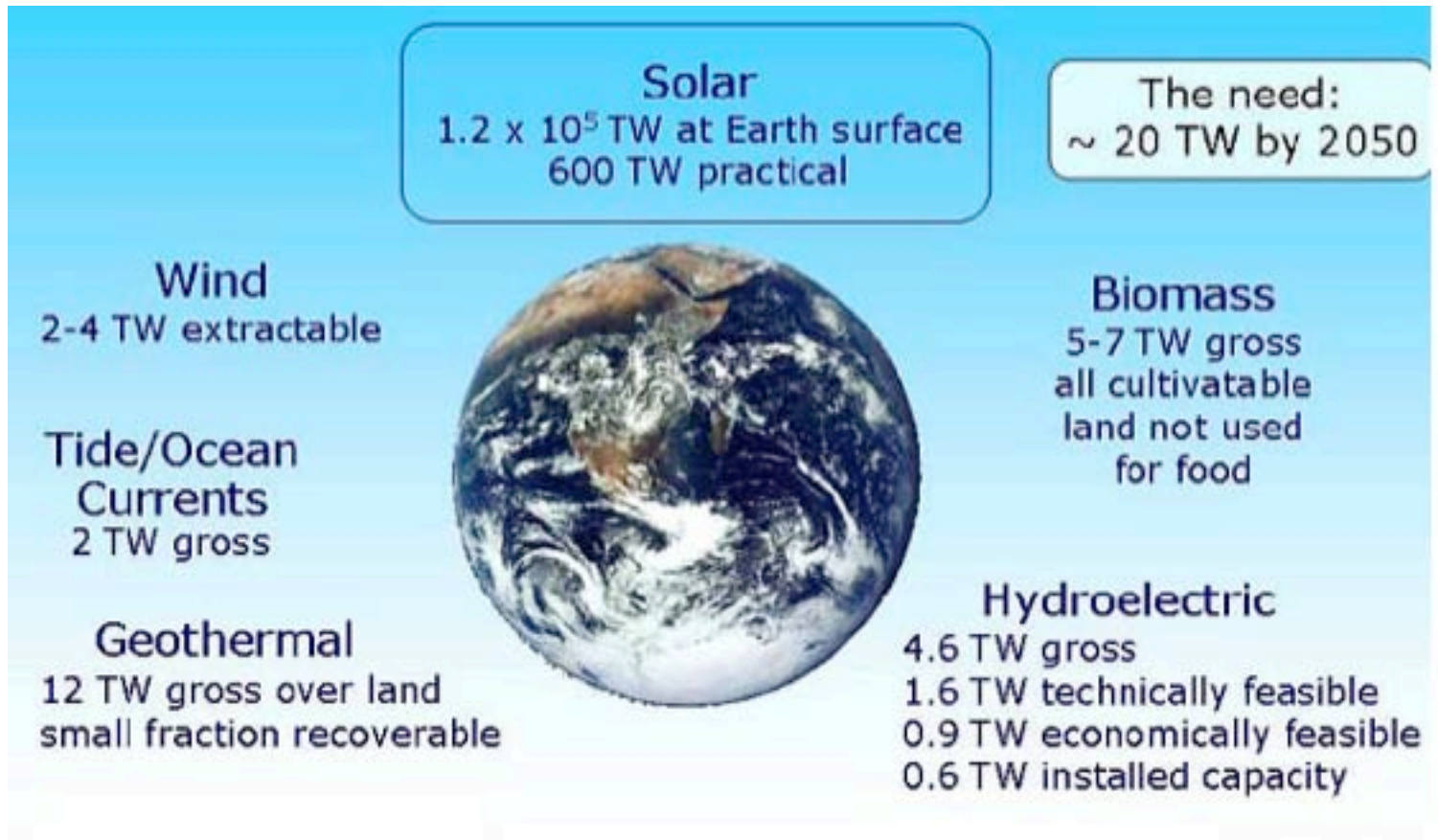
D = diamo. blades (m)

energy demand and GDP per capita (1980-2004)



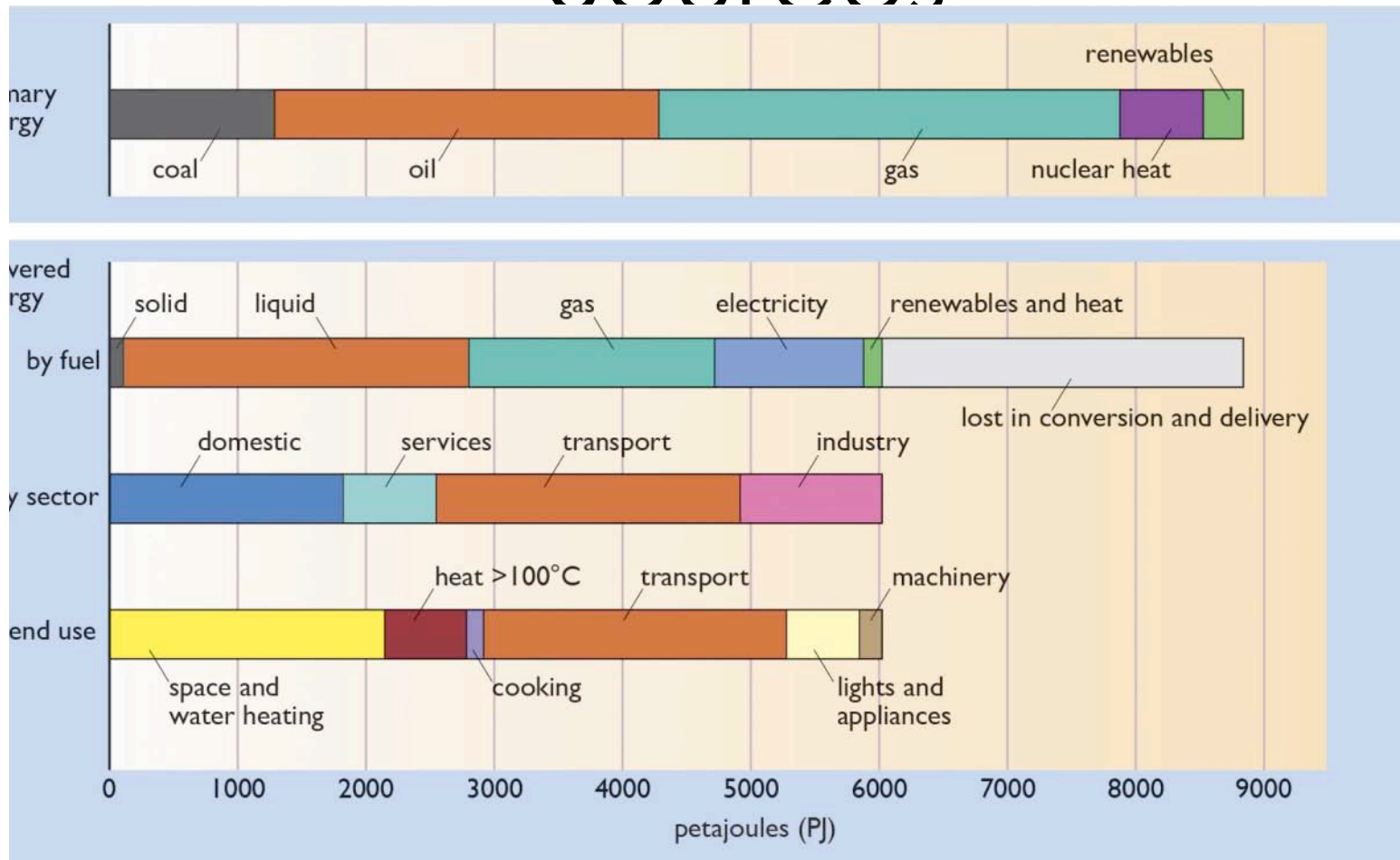
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What is the energy solution?

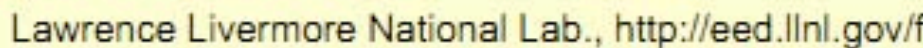


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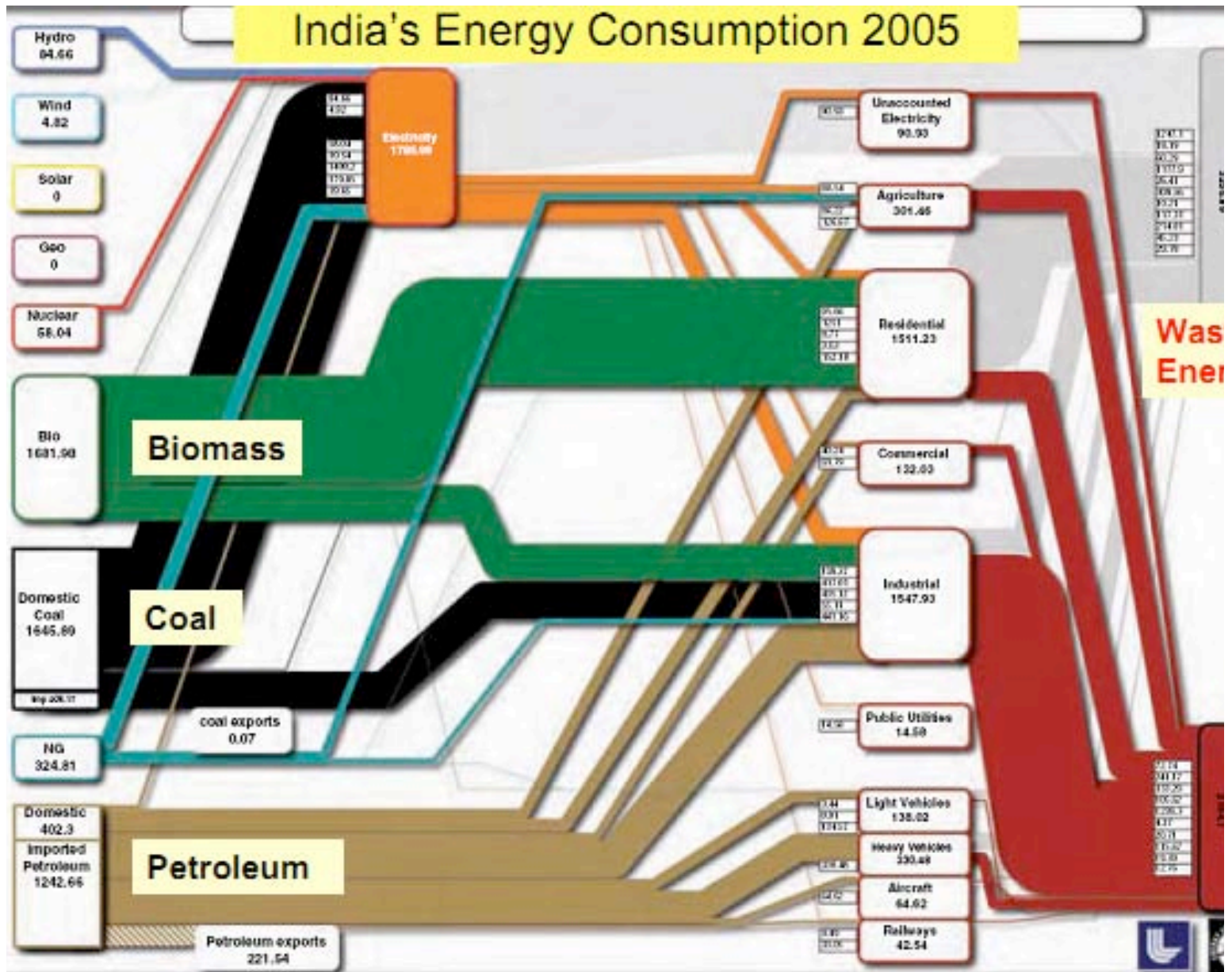
Use of Different Energy Sources



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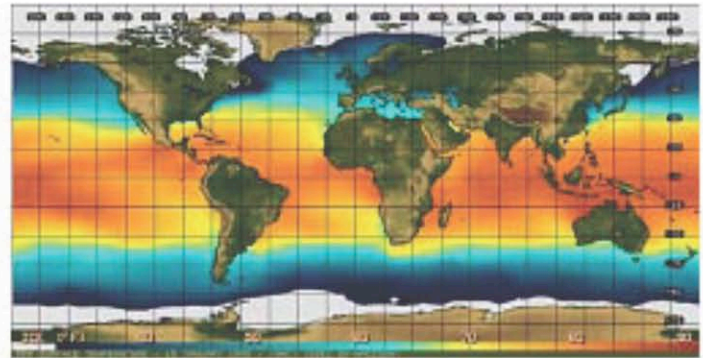
India's Energy Consumption 2005



Energy from the Oceans?



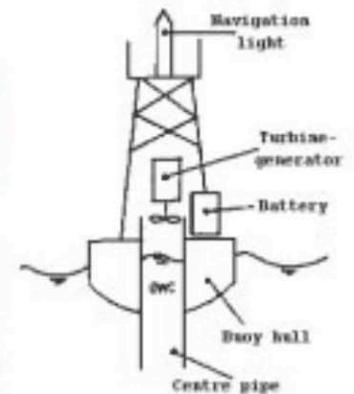
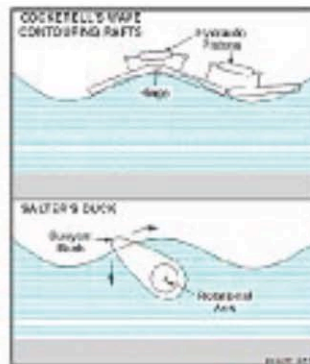
Currents



Thermal Differences



Tides



Waves

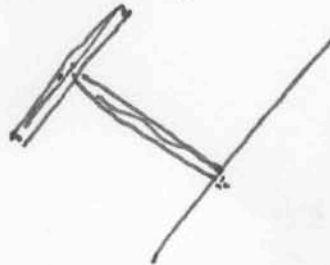
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TIDAL POWER

1. TIDAL STREAM GENERATOR
kinetic energy

2. TIDAL BARRAGES
potential energy

* 3. DYNAMIC TIDAL POWER
(hasn't been tried) 1997



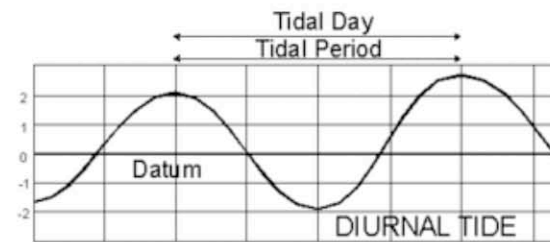
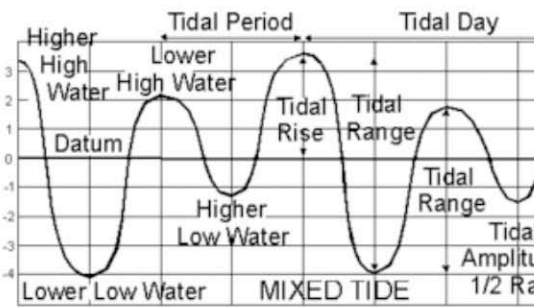
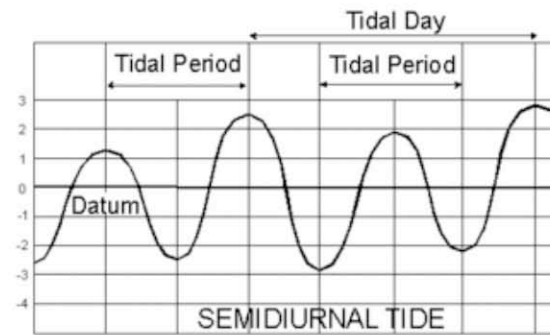
Tidal Power

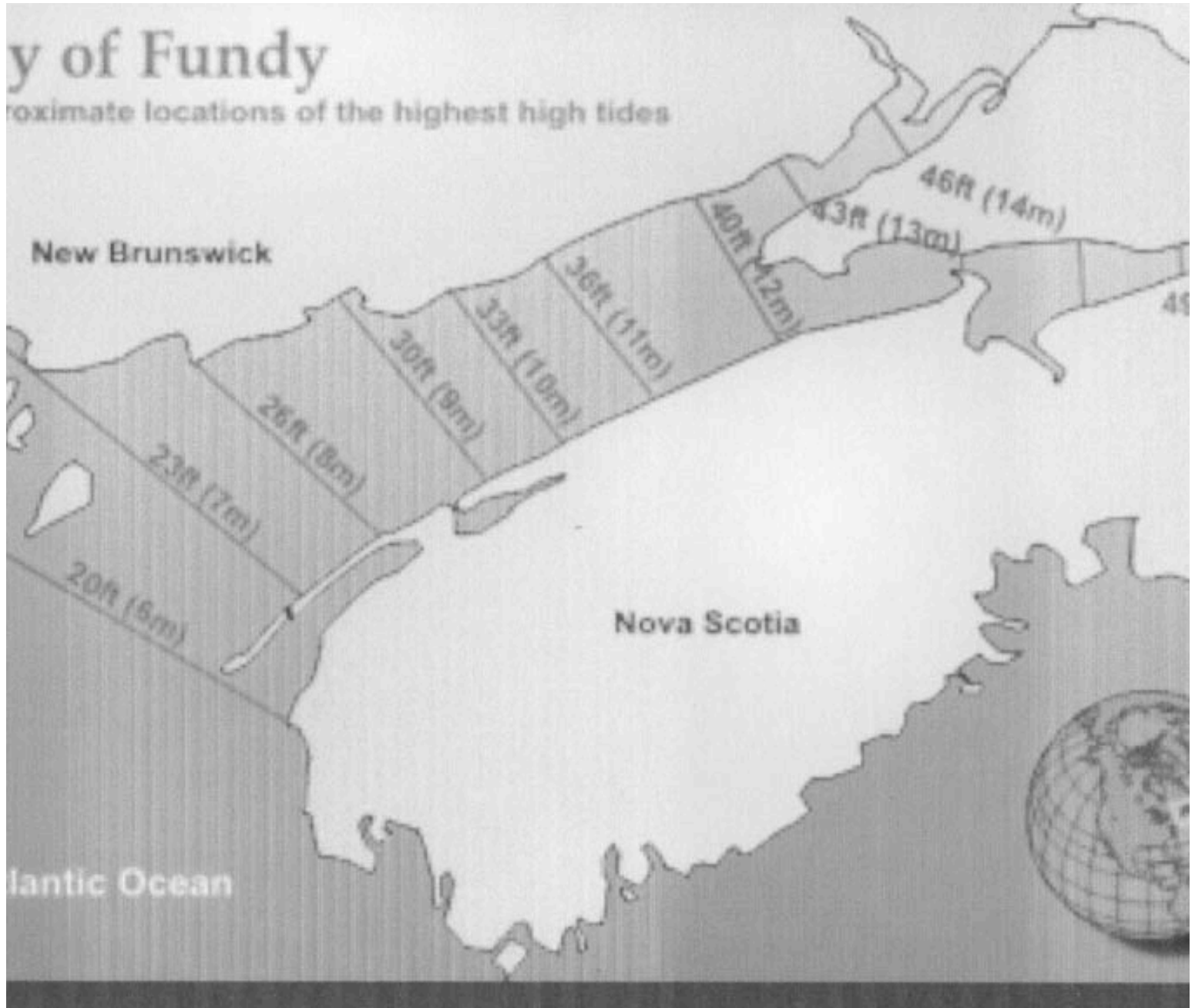


Rance Tidal Power Station bridges the Rance River in Brittany, France. The

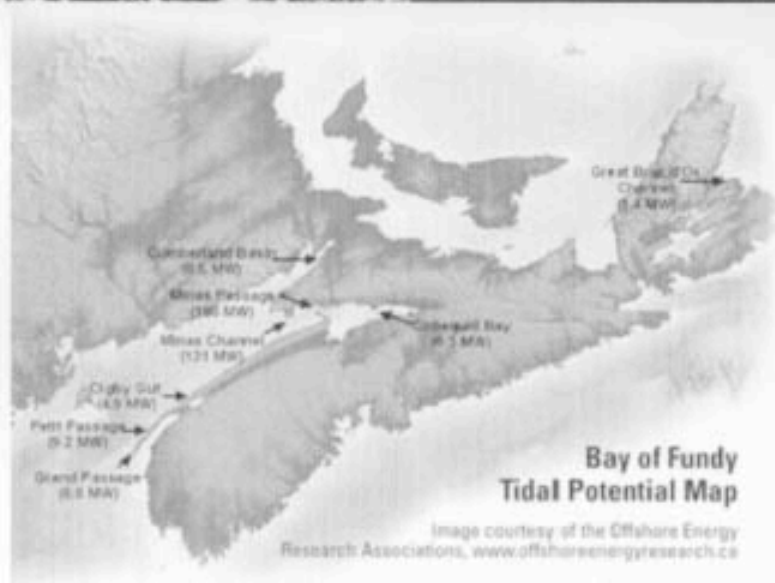
Tidal Height (in feet above or below the standard datum)

Distribution of Tidal Phases

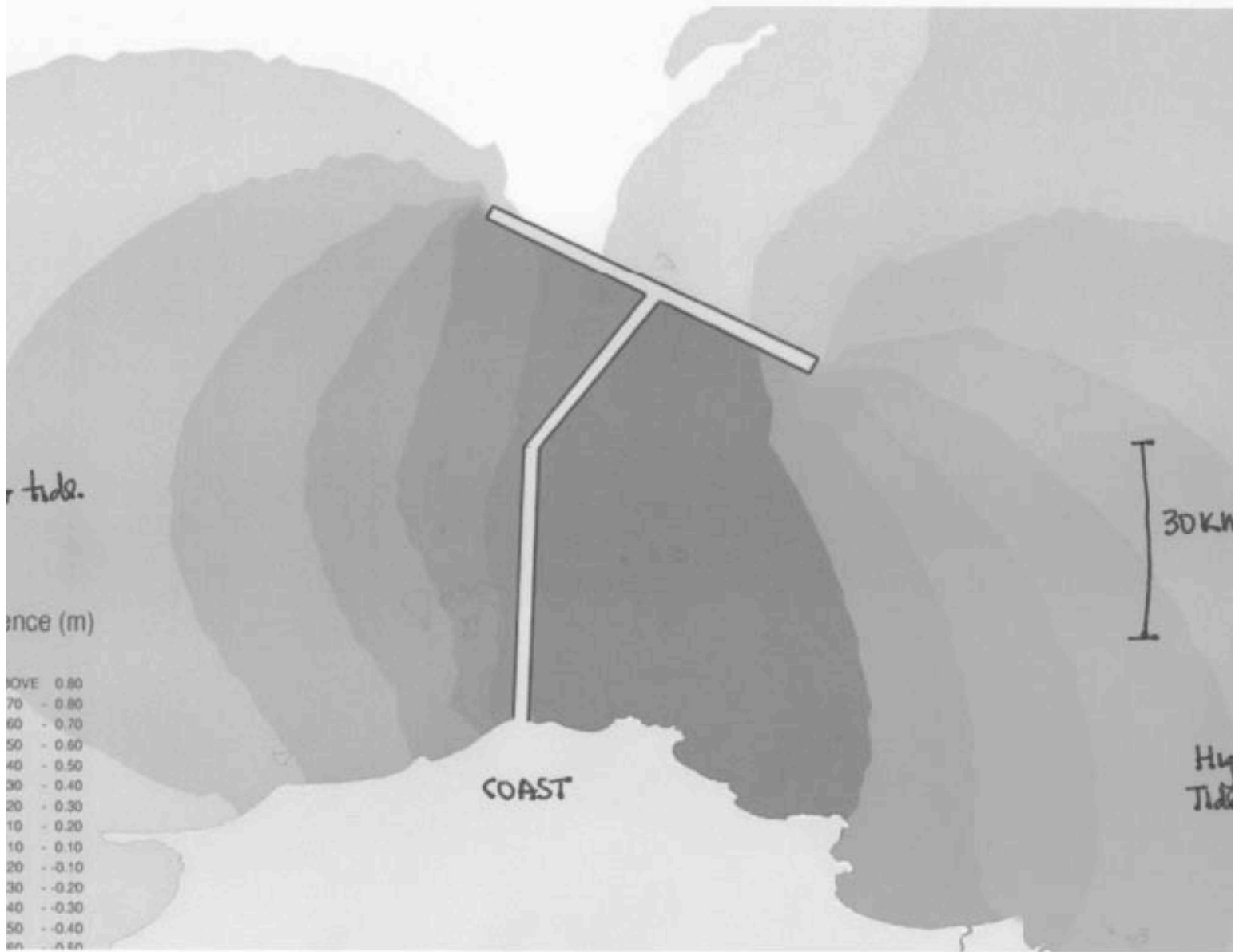




From Dunlap



DYNAMIC TIDAL POWER



UK, China, Korea / tides ~ parallel to coast

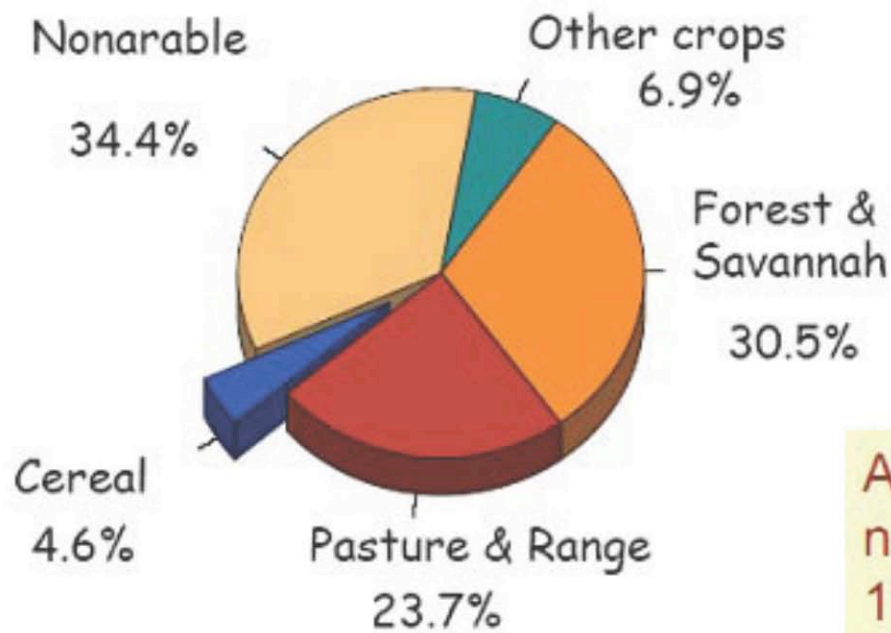
from K. Hulsbergen, 2010

Global: Top Down

- Requires Large Areas Because Inefficient (0.3%)
- 3 TW requires ≈ 600 million hectares = $6 \times 10^{12} \text{ m}^2$
- 20 TW requires $\approx 4 \times 10^{13} \text{ m}^2$
- Total land area of earth: $1.3 \times 10^{14} \text{ m}^2$
- Hence requires $4/13 = 31\%$ of total land area

Land Usage

Does not include
the ocean/algae
based



Amount of land
needed for 20 TW at
1% efficiency:

9% of land

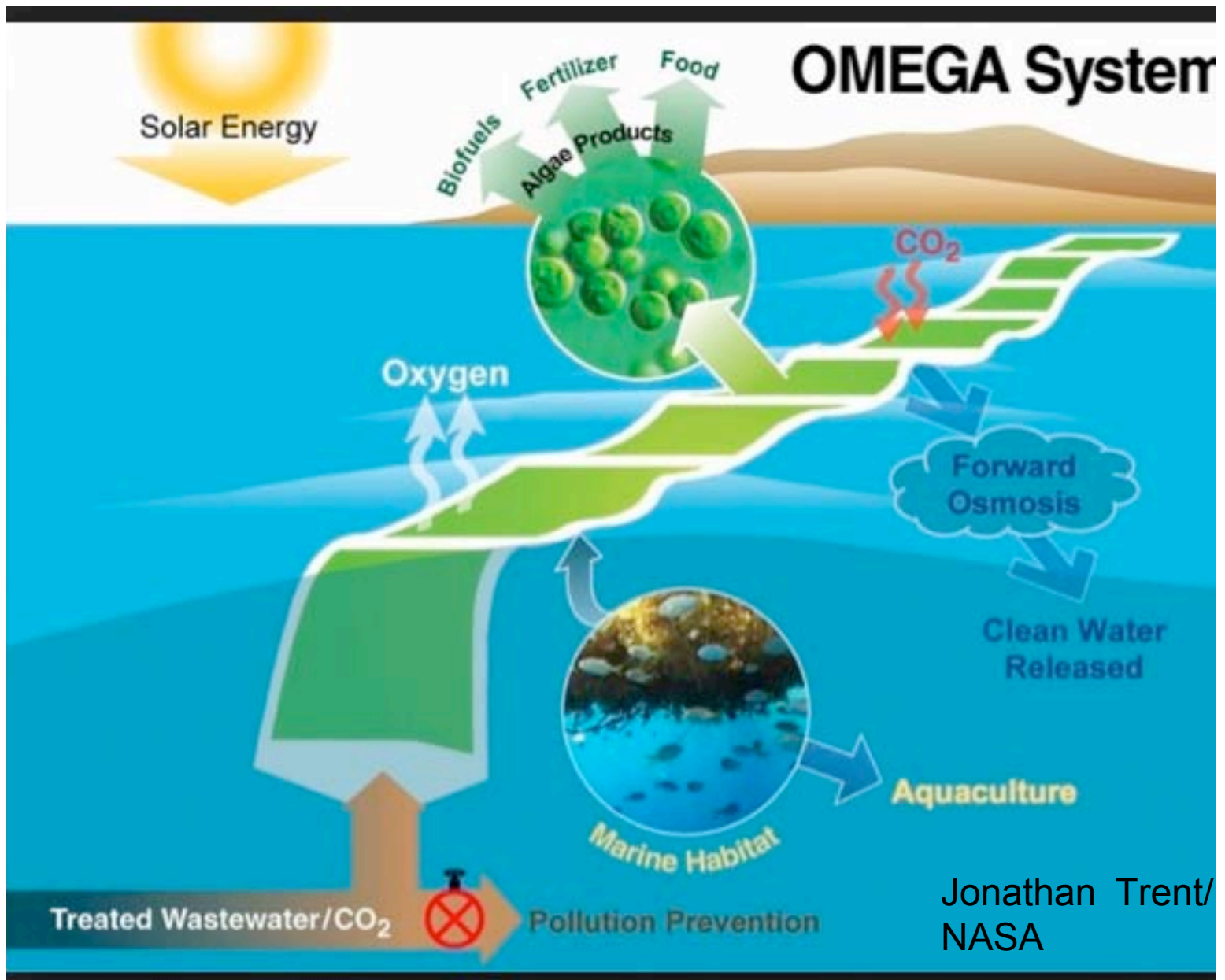
AMBIO 23,198 (Total Land surface 13,000 M Ha)

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Biofuels

CROP	Harvest- able Biomass (tons/ acre)	Ethanol (gal/t)	Million acres needed for 35 billion gallons of ethanol	% 2006 harvested US cropland needed
Corn grain	4	500	70	25.3
Corn stover	3	300	105	38.5
Corn Total	7	800	40	15.3
Prairie	2	200	210	75.1
Sorghum	2	200	210	75.1
Switch- grass	6	600	60	20.7
Miscanthus	17	1700	18	5.8
Tank Algae*	80+	600+	< 10	< 2
*assumes CO₂ input				

Dan Kammen, Berkele



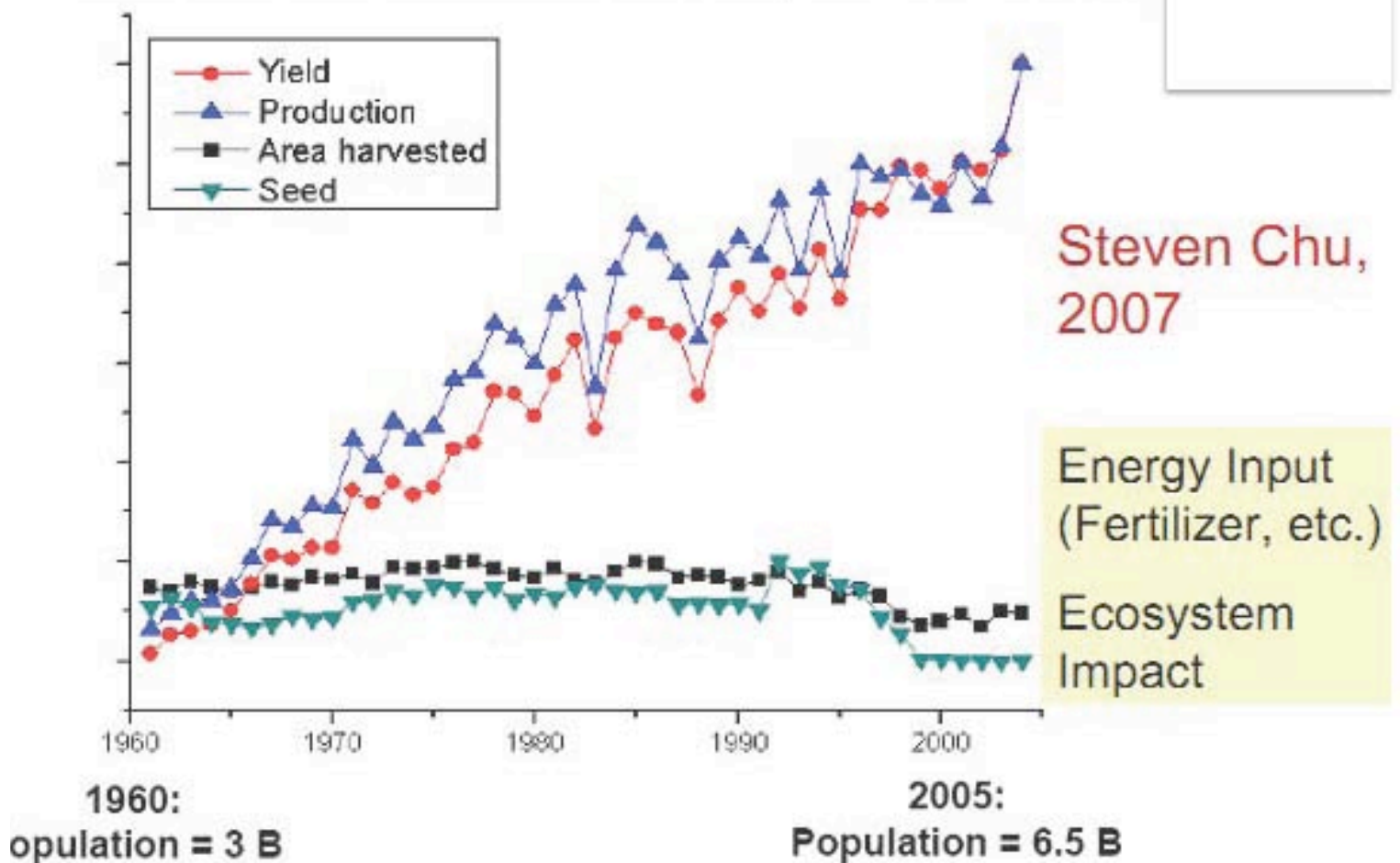
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NASA

Algae Growing Facility Testbed at NOAA Labs in Santa Cruz



Jonathan Trent

World Production of Grain (1961 – 2004)



Source: Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), United Nations

Solar Energy Potential

- Theoretical: 1.2×10^5 TW solar energy potential
- Practical: ≈ 600 TW solar energy potential
- Onshore electricity generation potential of ≈ 60 TW (10% conversion efficiency):
- *Photosynthesis*: 90 TW
- Generating 12 TW (1998 Global Primary Power) requires 0.1% of Globe = 5×10^{11} m² (i.e., 5.5% of U.S.A.)

Solar Source



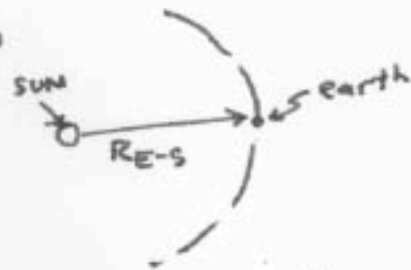
Energy Content	Magnitude
Solar Radiation on Earth	5,500,000 EJ
Solar Radiation on lower regions on Earth	3,800,000 EJ
Global Coal Resources	200,000 EJ
Global Plant Mass	10,000 EJ
Global Fossil Fuel Production	300,000 EJ
Typical Caribbean Hurricane	40 EJ
Hiroshima Bomb (1945)	0.000084 EJ

Energy From The SUN

$$P_{\text{TOTAL}} = 7.3 \times 10^{26} \text{ watts (more or less isotropic)}$$

power density at earth from sun:

$$\frac{P_{\text{TOTAL}}}{A} = \frac{P_{\text{TOTAL}}}{4\pi R_{E-S}^2}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{P_{\text{TOTAL}}}{A} &= \frac{7.3 \times 10^{26} \text{ watts}}{4\pi (1.49 \times 10^{11} \text{ m})^2} \\ &= 1367 \text{ watts/m}^2 \\ &\quad \uparrow \text{power density emitted from SUN.} \end{aligned}$$

$R_{E-S} = 1.49 \times 10^{11} \text{ m}$
changes by $\sim 3\%$ during
year (closer in winter
in north)

Power incident on earth

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{P_E}{\cancel{A}} &= \left(\frac{P_{\text{TOTAL}}}{A} \right) \pi r_e^2 \quad \begin{array}{l} r_e = 6.371 \times 10^6 \text{ m} \\ \text{(rad of earth)} \\ \text{looks like a "disk"} \end{array} \\ &= 1367 \frac{\text{watts}}{\text{m}^2} \pi (6.371 \times 10^6 \text{ m})^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{P_E = 1.73 \times 10^{17} \text{ watts}}$$

only 50% gets to earth surface
(rest reflected or absorbed by atmosphere)

Energy from The Sun (2)

the power density that actually gets to earth surface is the INSOLATION.

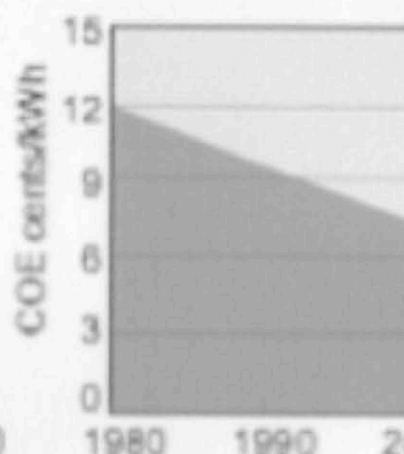
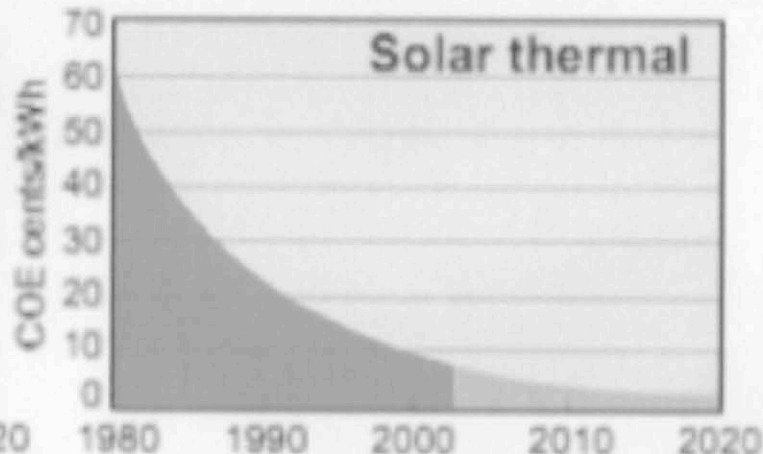
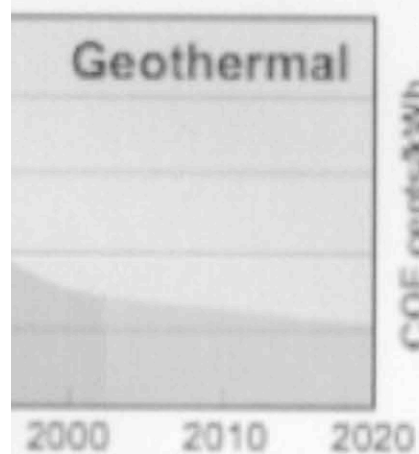
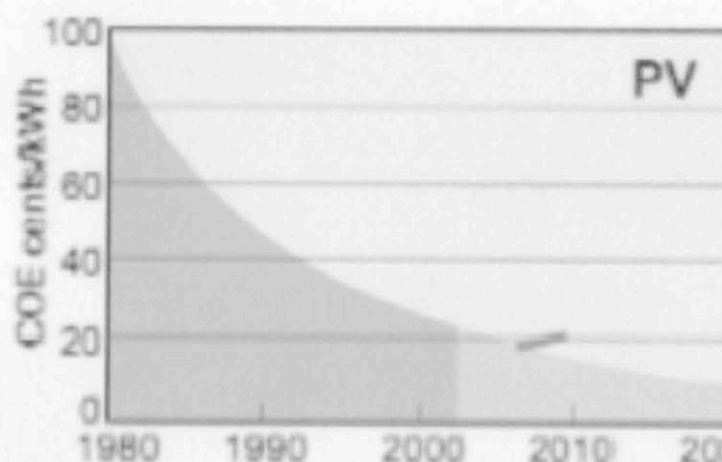
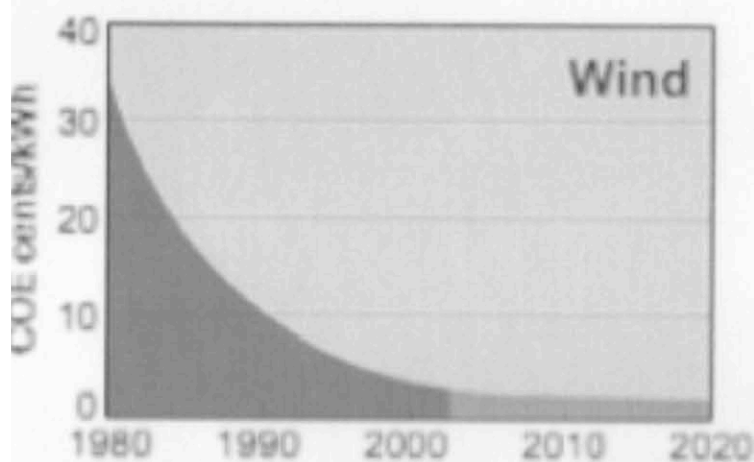
$$\frac{P_{\text{SURF}}}{A} \cong \frac{\frac{1}{2} P_E}{4\pi r_e^2} = 168 \text{ W/m}^2 \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{average over} \\ \text{the entire surface} \\ \text{over a day} \end{array} \right.$$
$$= 53.2 \frac{\text{BTU}}{\text{ft}^2 \cdot \text{hr}}$$

\therefore average energy from sun / day / unit area

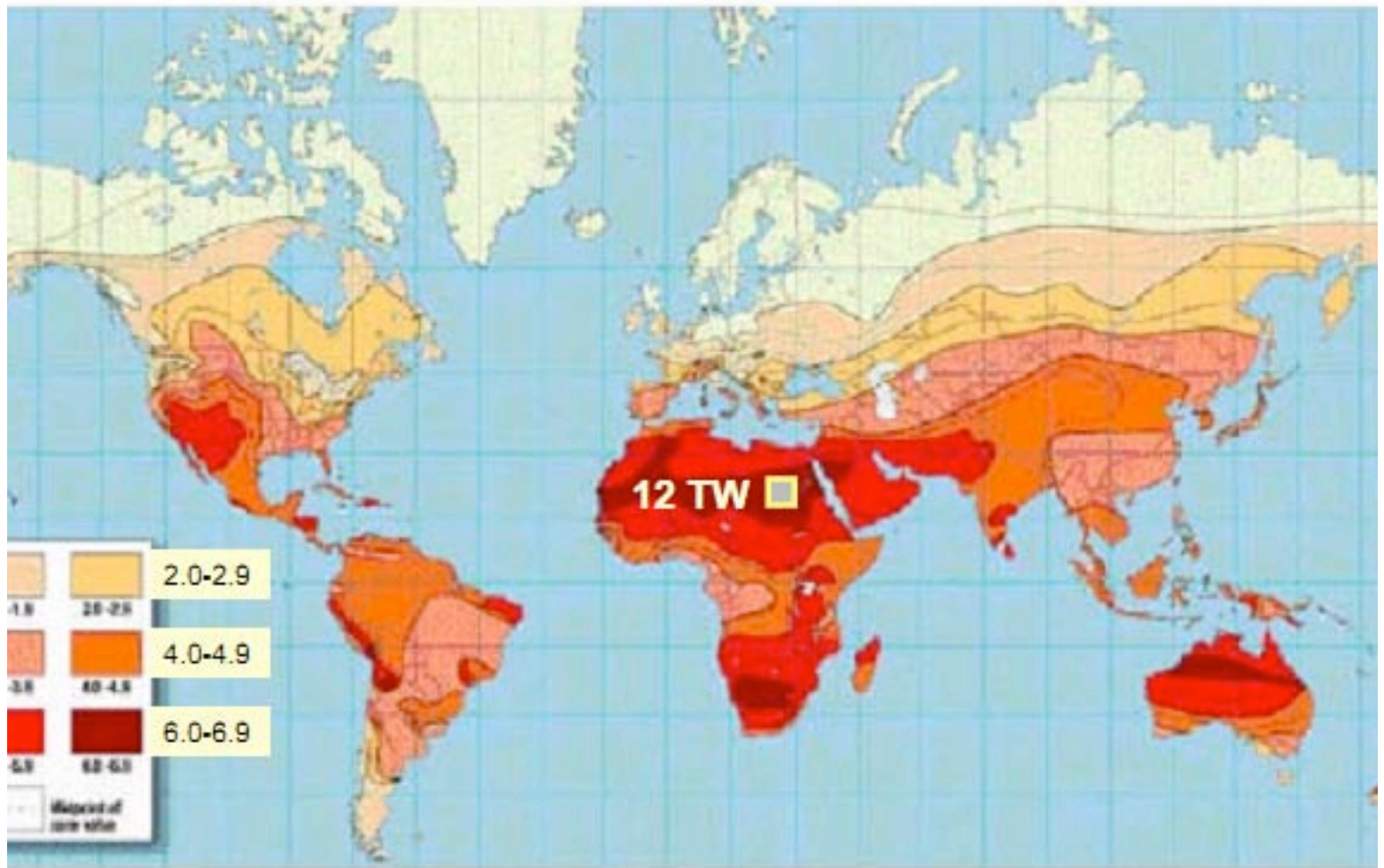
$$\begin{aligned} E_{\text{AVG}} &= 168 \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}^2} \times 8.64 \times 10^4 \frac{\text{sec}}{\text{day}} \\ &= 14.5 \text{ MJ/m}^2 \\ &= 1277 \text{ BTU/ft}^2 \end{aligned}$$

of course this depends upon any particular location, time of day, the day of the year and the latitude.

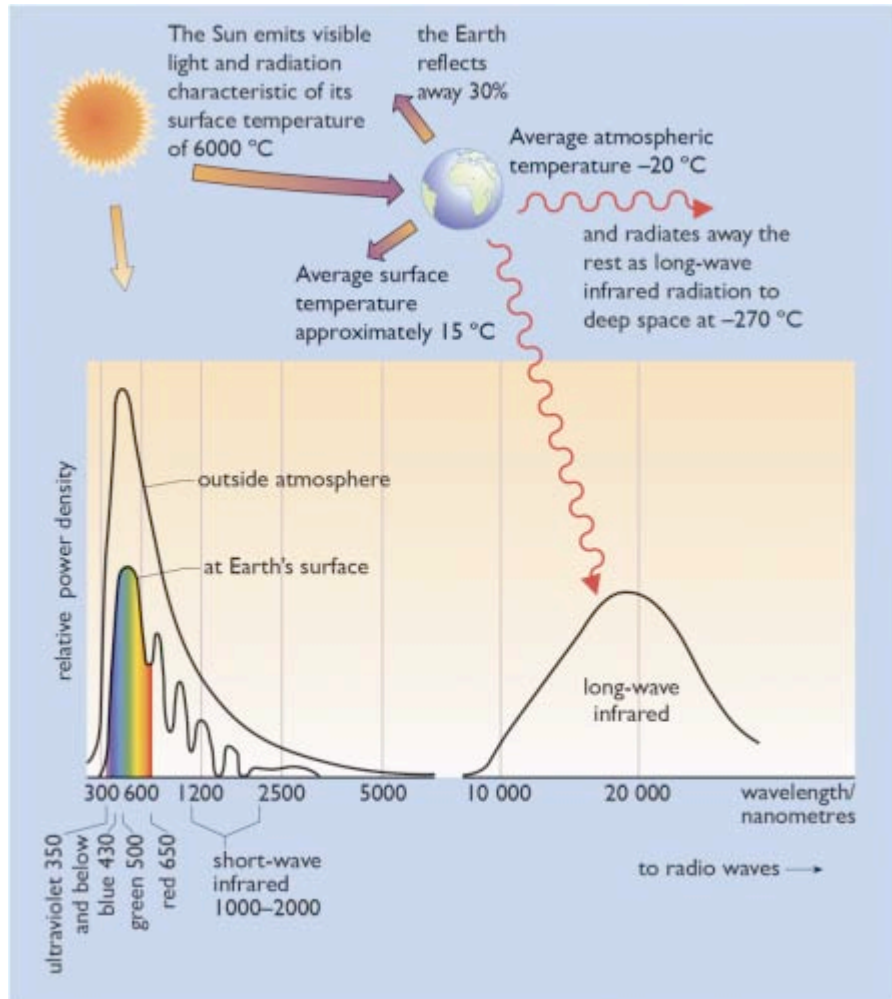
elized cents/kWh in constant \$2000



World Insolation

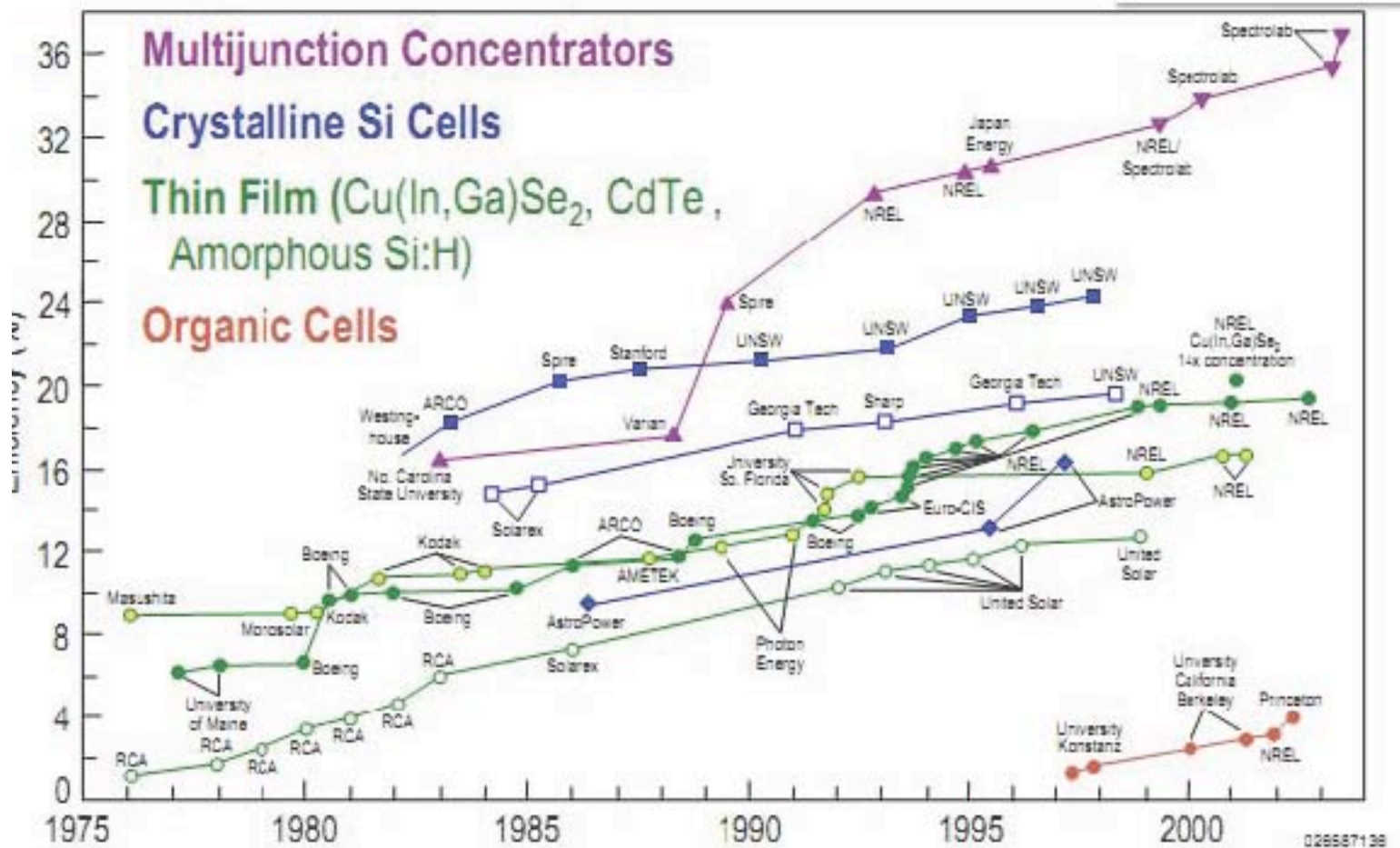


Solar Irradiation



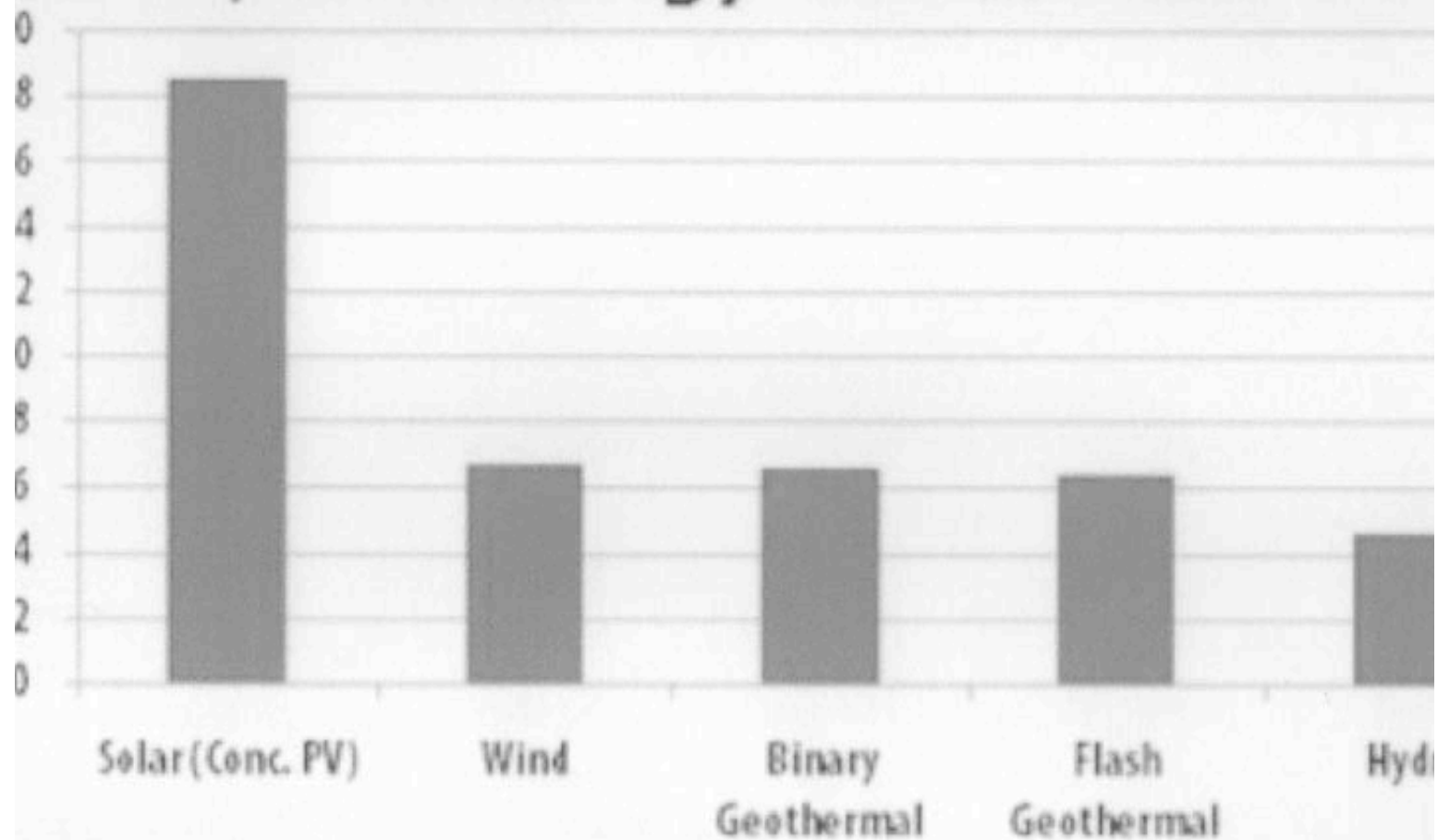
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Best Research-Cell Efficiencies



.. Kazmerski, National Renewable Energy Laboratory, National Center for Photovoltaics

Alternative Energy Generation Costs, U.S. Energy Commission 2006

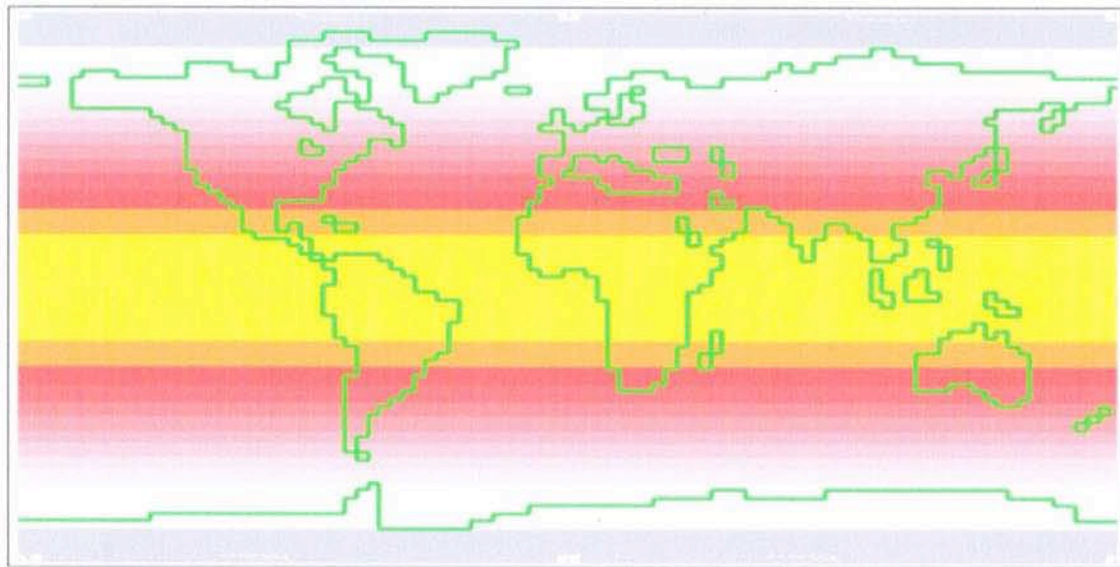


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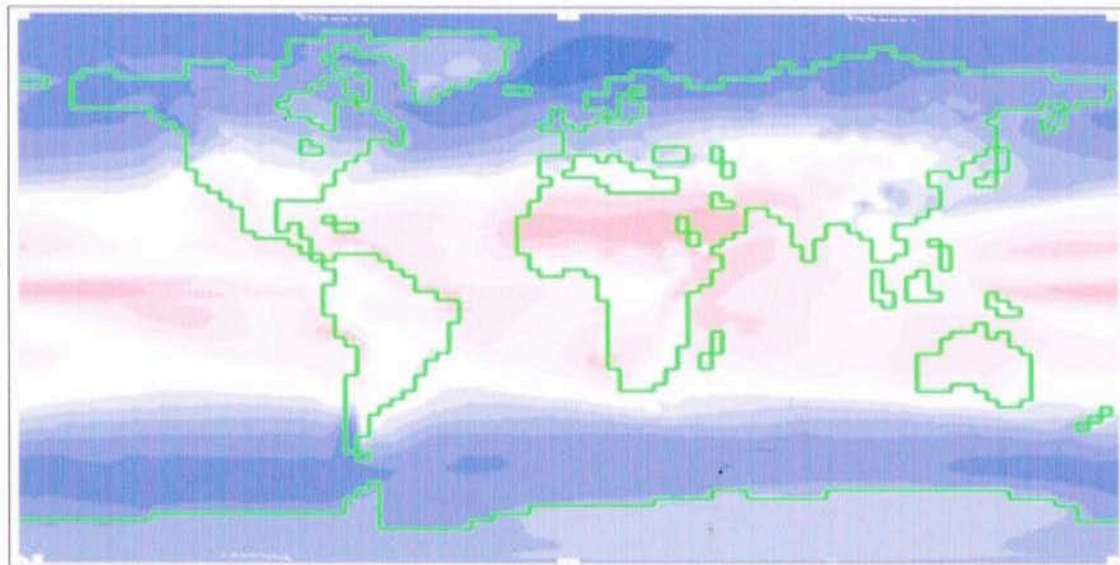
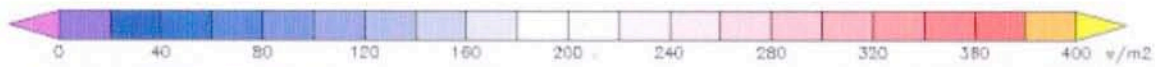
[aas.berkeley.edu/pdf/newsletter/2012Spring.p](http://aas.berkeley.edu/pdf/newsletter/2012Spring.pdf)

conomic discuss of comparative costs of electric
eration that includes subsidies, etc.

Solar Irradiance (in Watts/m²)



Top of
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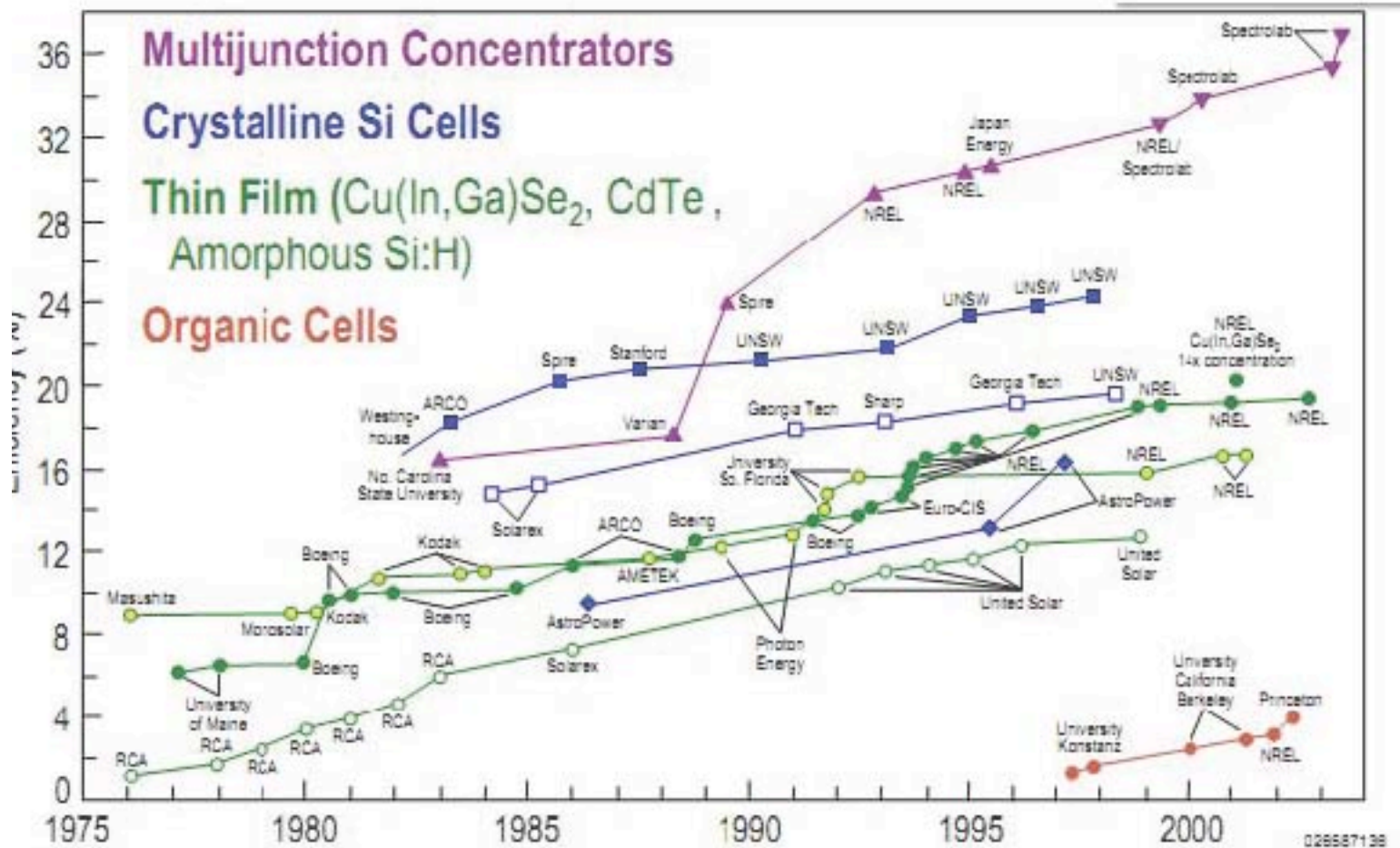
Earth's
surface

Several Ways of Capturing the Energy from the Sun

Two Ways for Producing Heat and Electricity

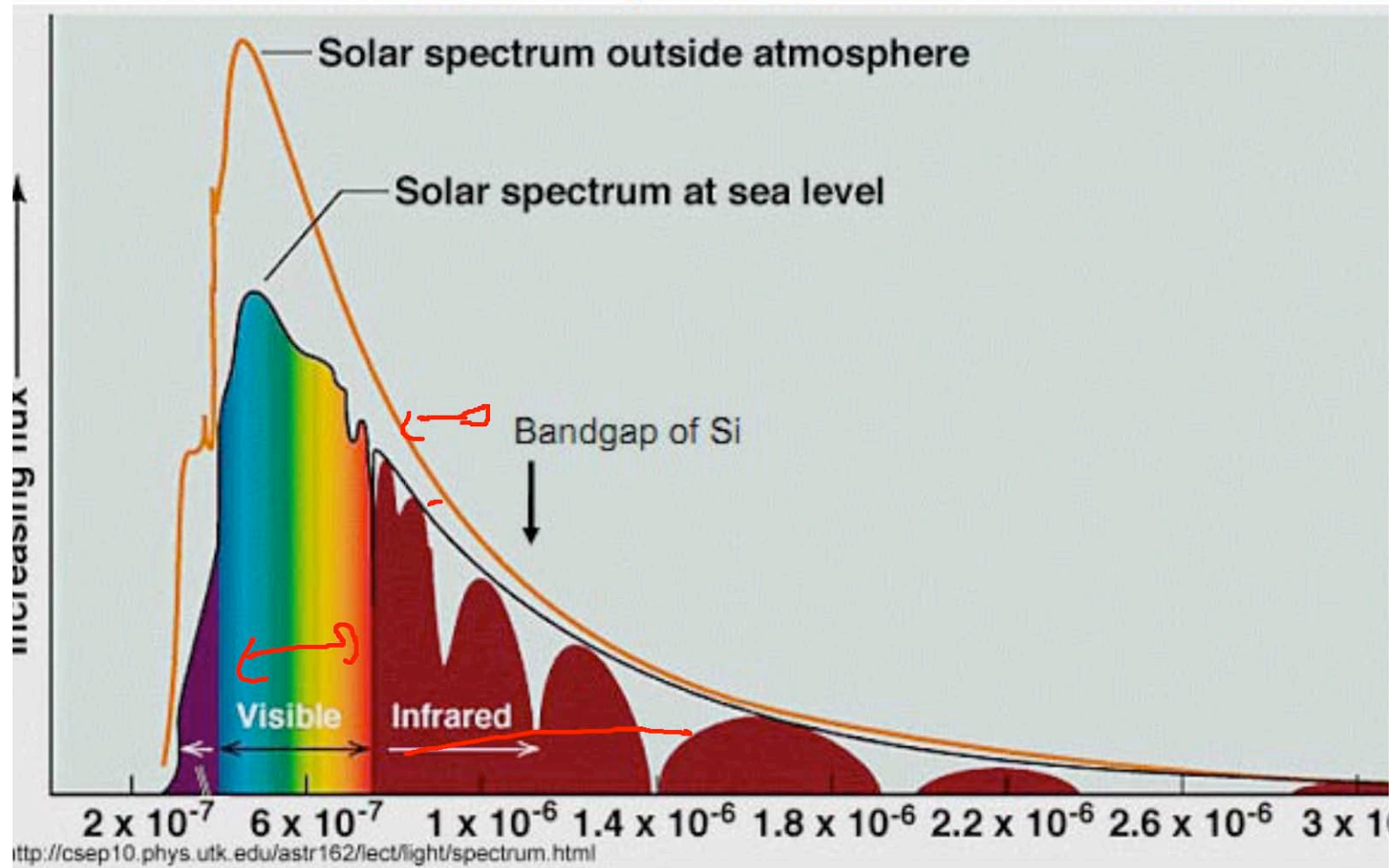
We will discuss them in more detail later.

Best Research-Cell Efficiencies



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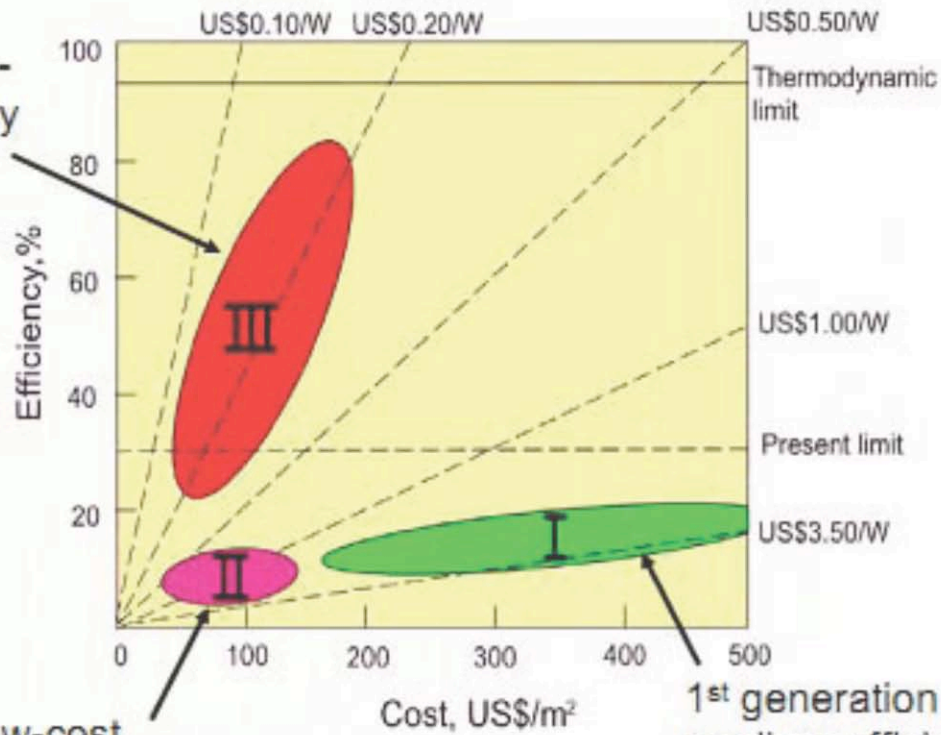
Solar Spectrum



Cost/Efficiency

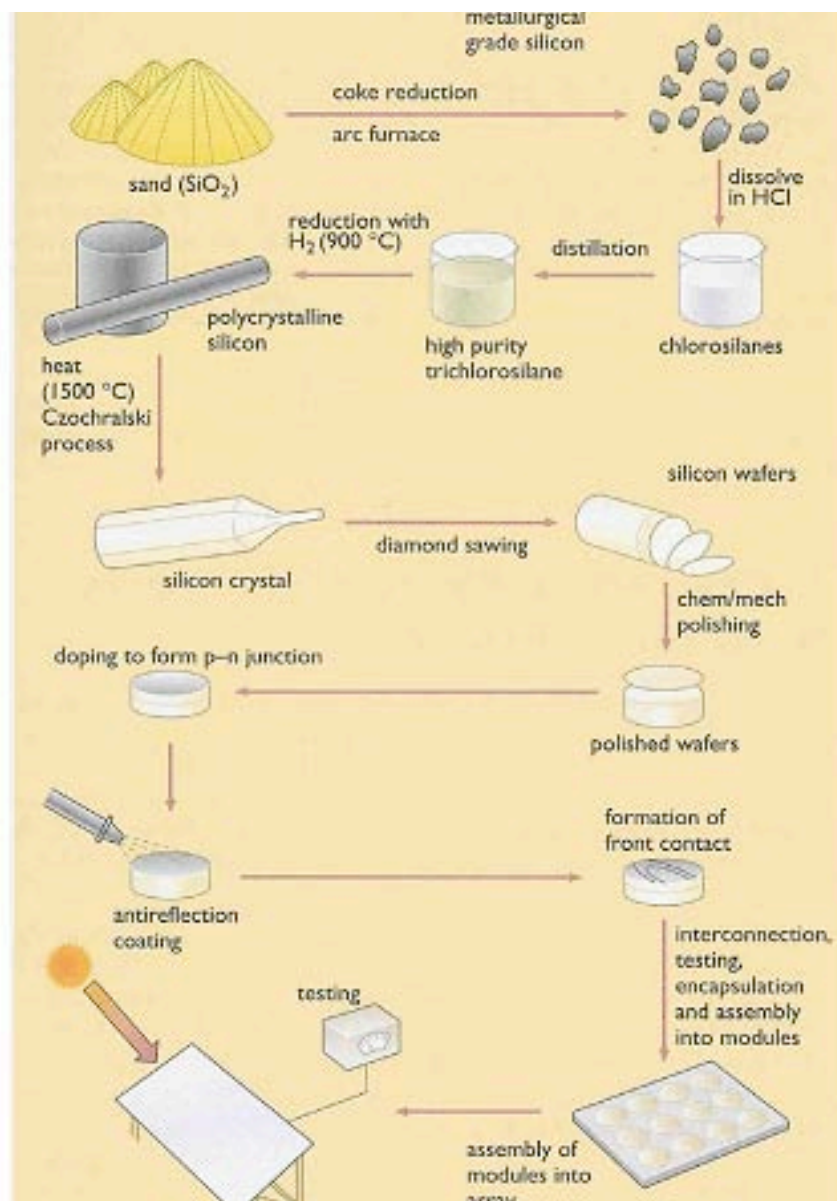
Cost/watt and cost area are important

3rd generation low-cost high efficiency



2nd generation low-cost low efficiency

1st generation high-cost medium efficiency



**Boyle
Renewable
Energy Sources**

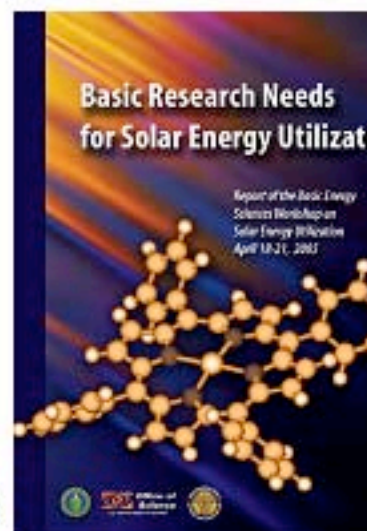
BASIC RESEARCH NEEDS FOR SOLAR ENERGY UTILIZATION

Chair: Nathan S. Lewis, Caltech, George Crabtree, Argonne

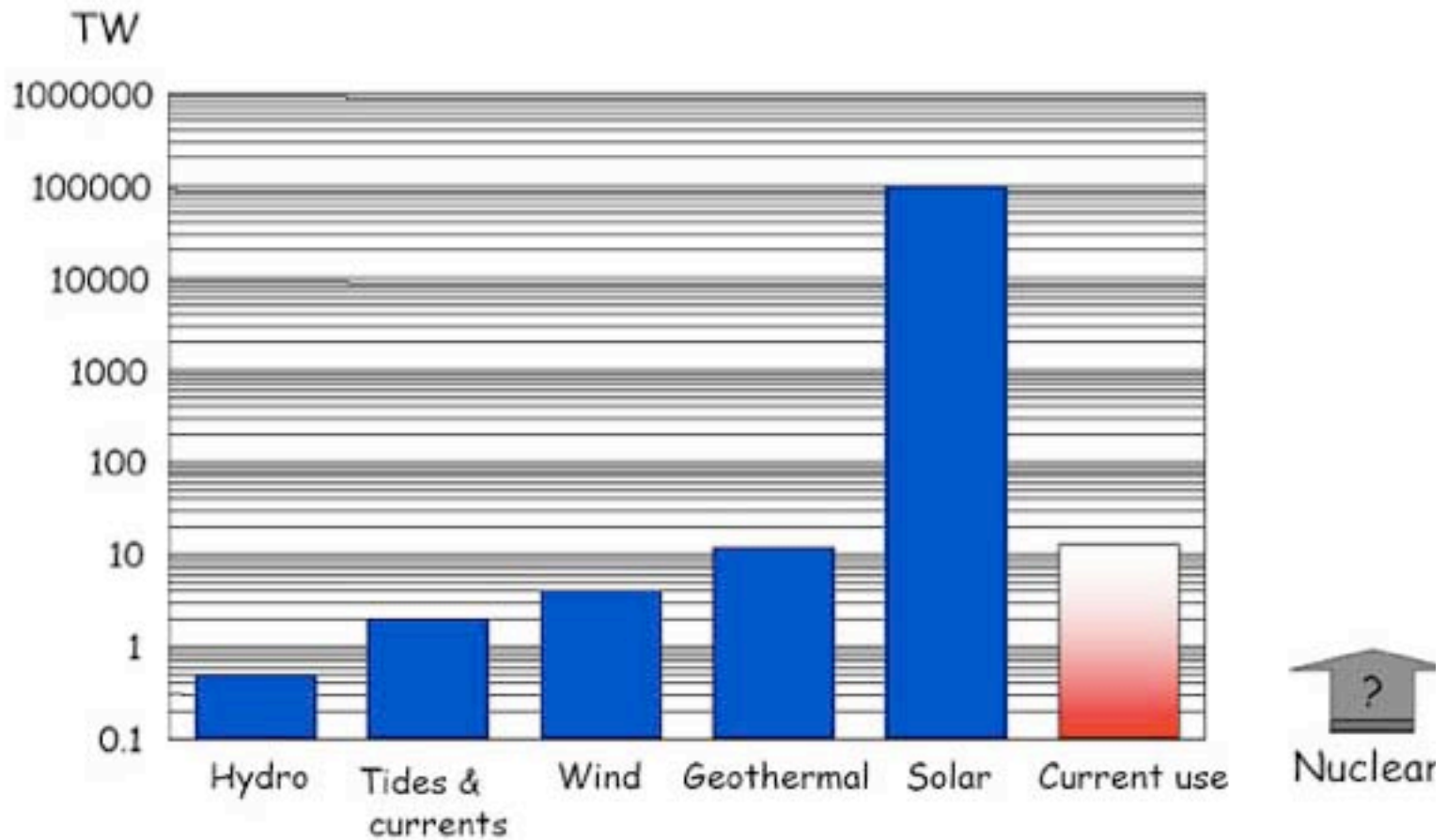
April 2005

PRIORITY RESEARCH DIRECTIONS

- 50% Efficient Solar Cells
- Plastic Photovoltaics
- Nanostructures: Low Cost and High Efficiencies
- Fuels from Water and Sunlight: Efficient Photoelectrolysis
- Leveraging Photosynthesis for Production of Biofuel
- Bio-inspired Smart Matrix for Solar Fuels Production
- Solar-powered Catalysts for Energy-rich Fuels Formation
- Bio-inspired Molecular Assemblies for Integrating Photon-to-fuels Pathways
- Achieving Defect-tolerant and Self-repairing Solar Conversion Systems
- Solar Thermochemical Fuel Production
- New Experimental and Theoretical Tools
- Solar Energy Conversion Materials by Design
- Materials Architectures for Solar Energy: Assembling Complex Structures



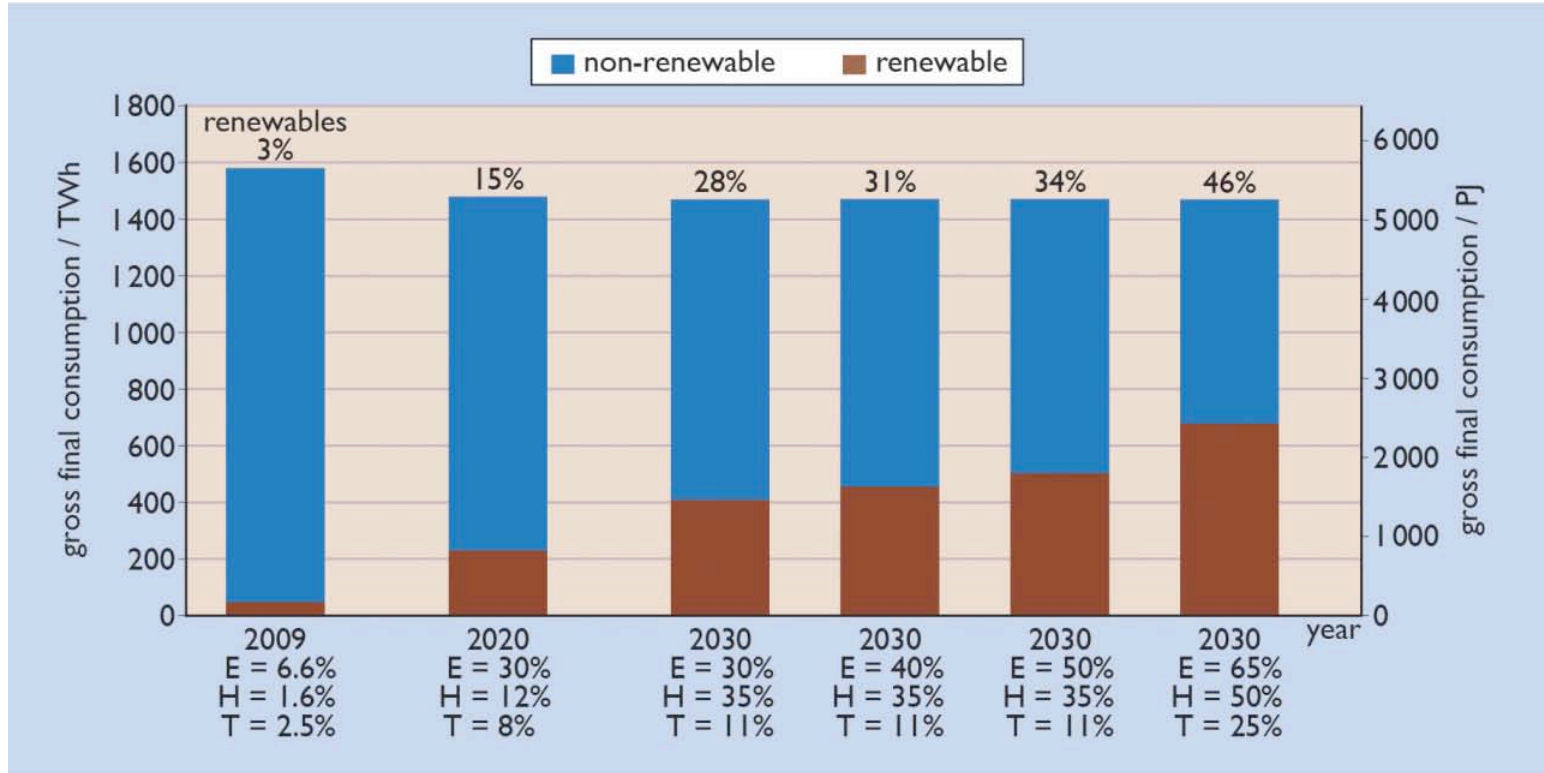
Potential of Carbon Free Energy Sources



From: Basic Research Needs for Solar Energy Utilization, DOE 2005

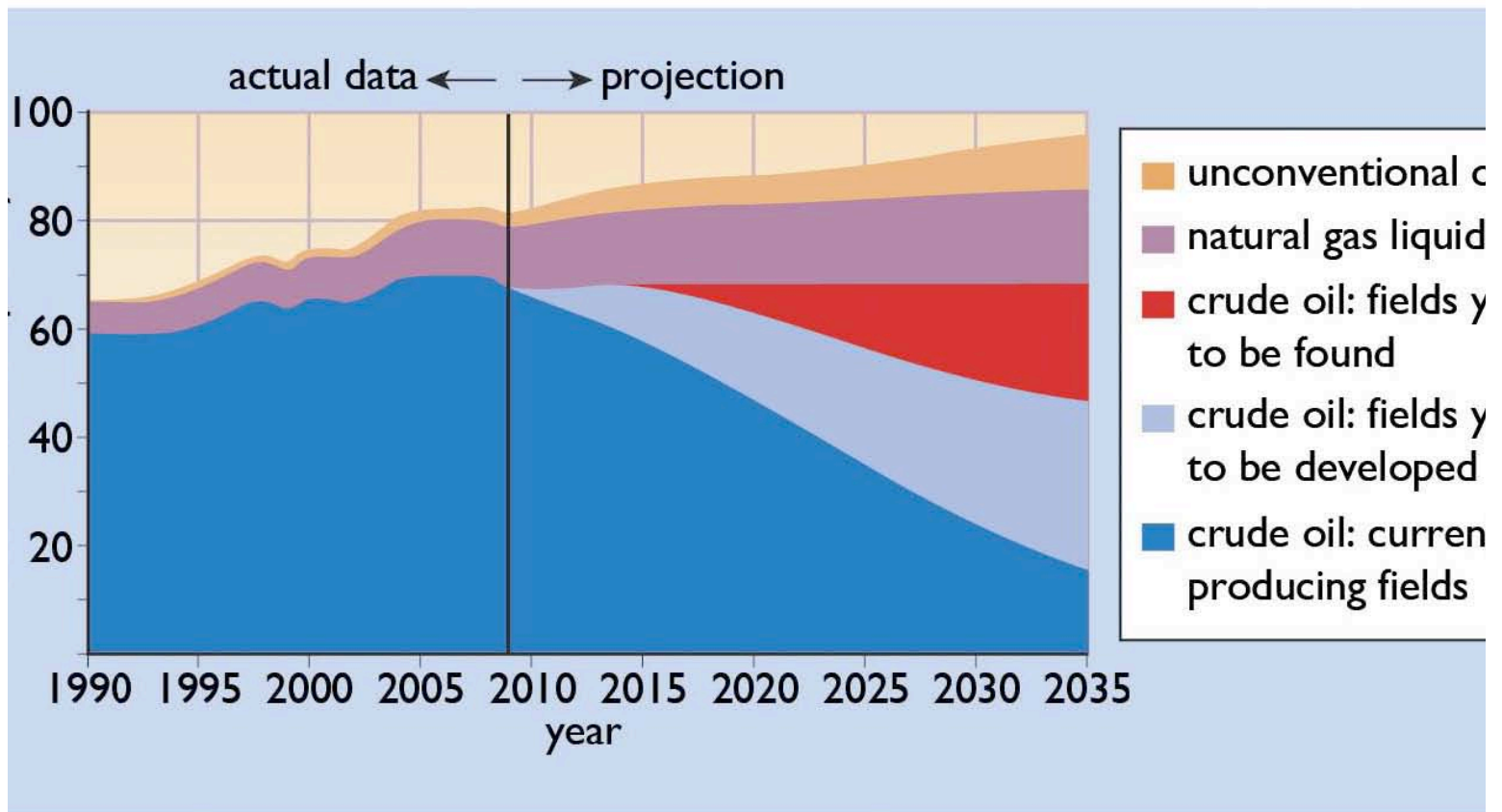
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Potential Contributions of Renewable in the UK



Committee on Climate Change (2011) *The Renewable Energy Review*, Committee on Climate Change

E = electricity, H = heat, T = transport



World Energy Outlook Report (2010), International Energy Agency

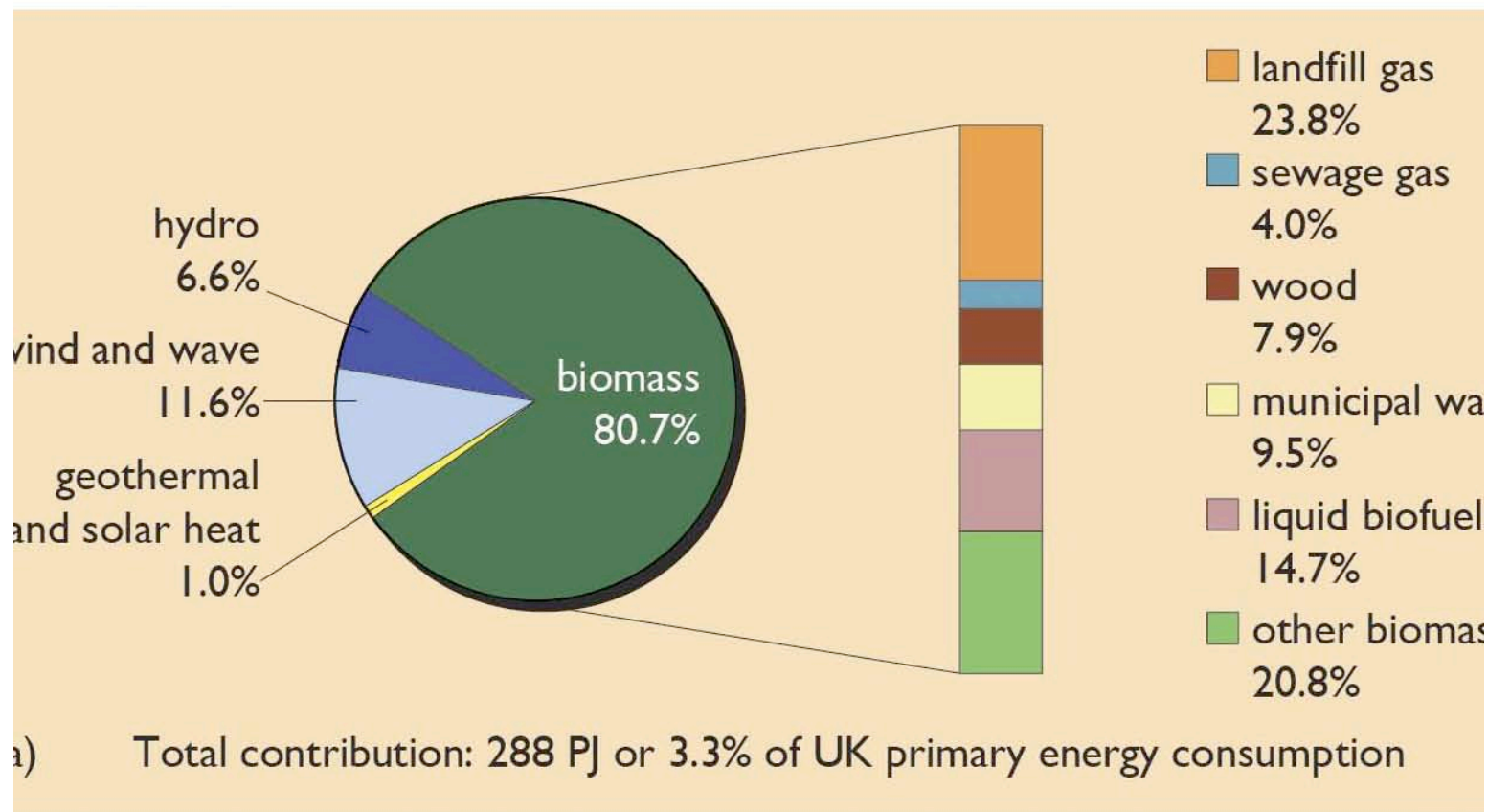
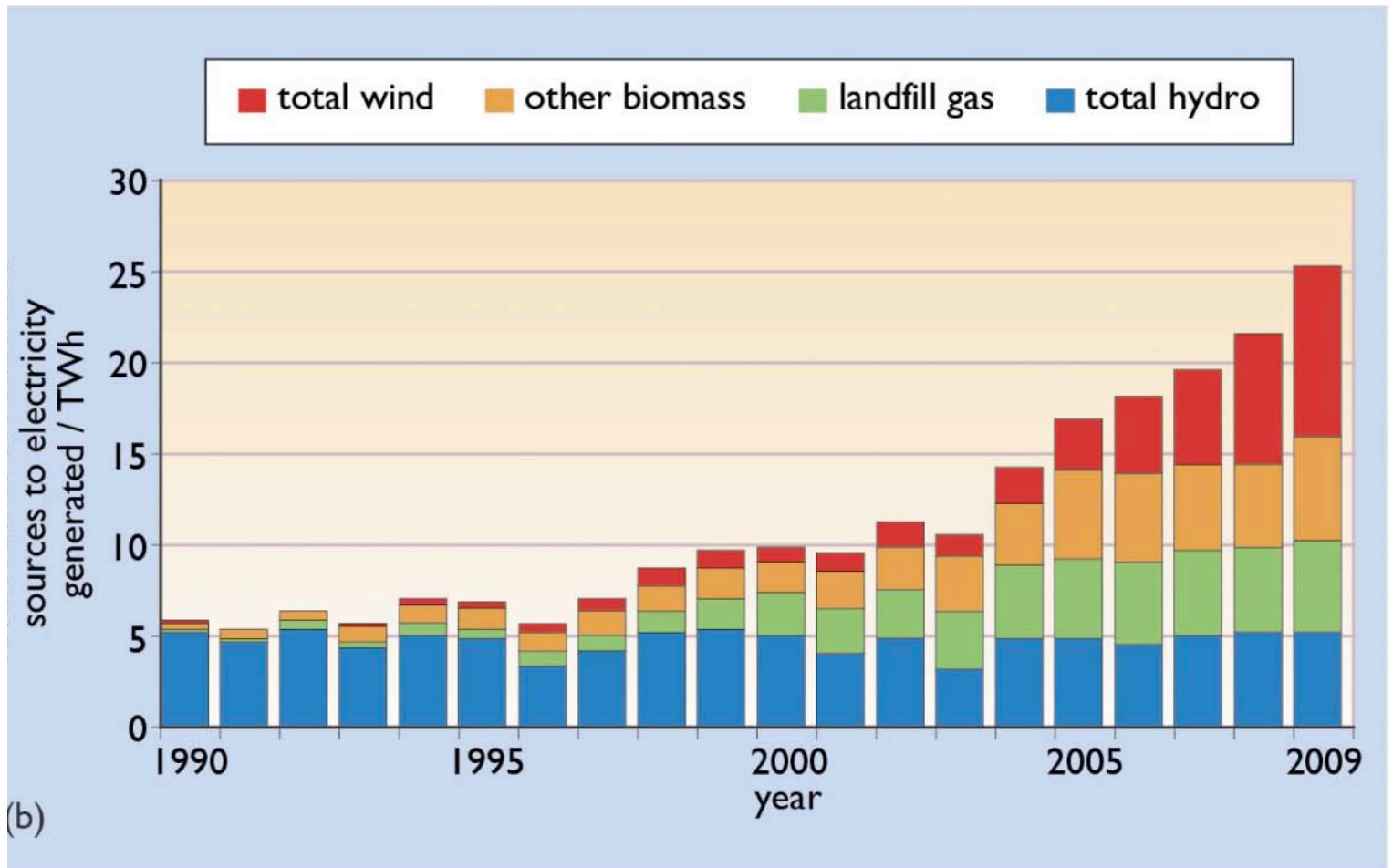


Figure 1.6b



Energy Storage Options

