

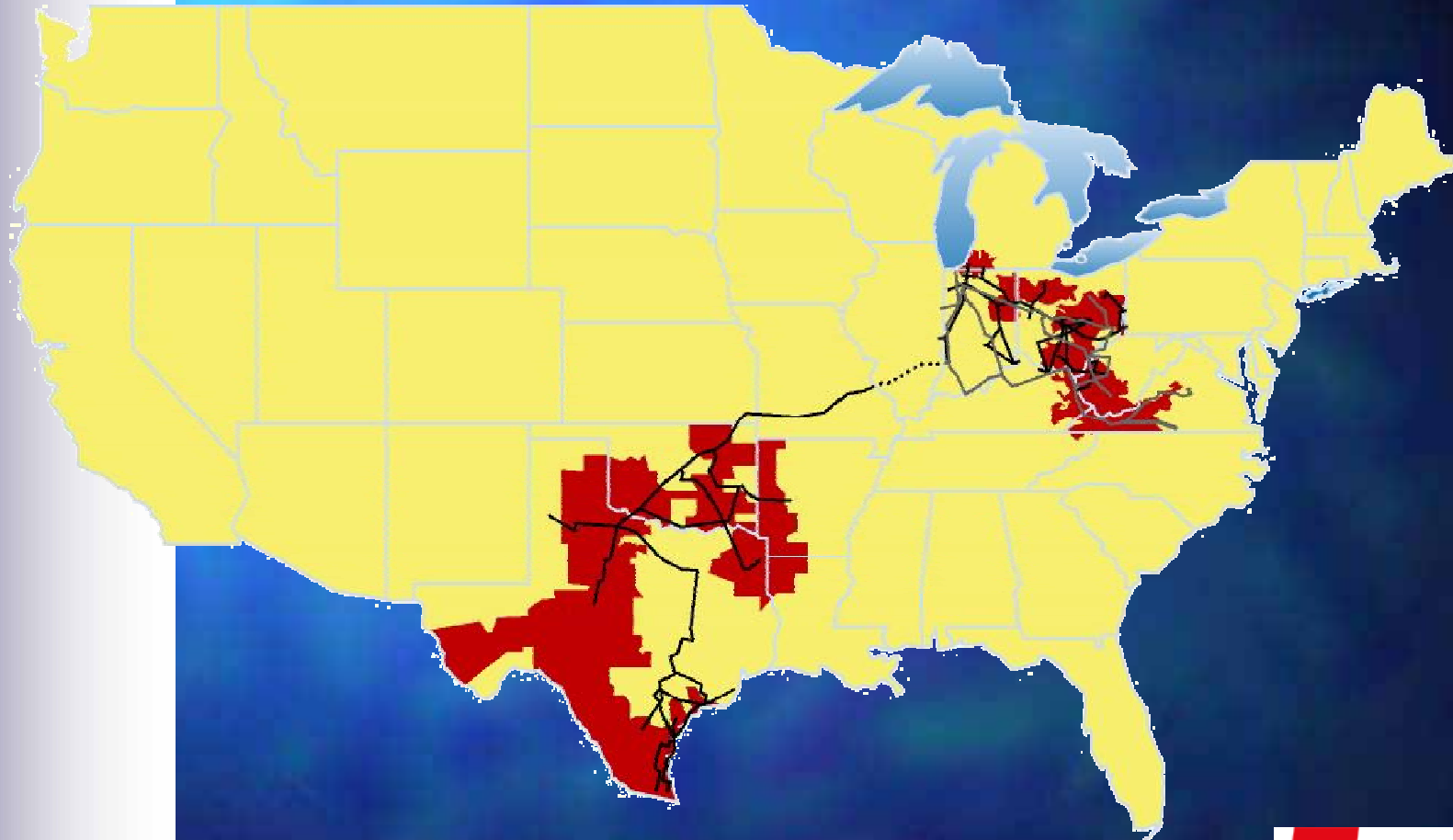
Welcome to Columbus !!

- Largest Metropolitan City in Ohio
- Home of The Ohio State University, Columbus Blue Jackets, Columbus Crew and Columbus Clippers
- State Capital
- Great restaurants

AEP Facts

- U.S. Electric Sales (2005) - 214 million MWH
- Revenue - \$12.1B; Income - \$1.03B
- Coal-fired Capacity ~ 25,000 MW
- Gas-fired Capacity ~ 8,000 MW
- Annual Coal Use ~ 80 million tons
- 2006 Construction CapEx ~ \$3.7B
- Celebrate our 100th Anniversary – Dec '06

AEP Service Territory



The Future of New Generation – Key Questions

- What will the Utility Industry Build?
- How will it Perform?
 - Efficiency
 - Reliability
 - Environmental 'Footprint'
- What will it cost ?

What are the Options?

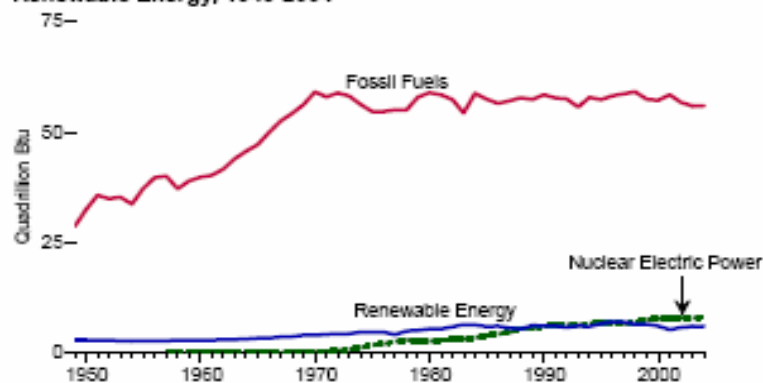
- Natural gas combustion turbines in both Simple Cycle (CTs) and Combined Cycle
 - Low Emissions / Low CapEx / High O&M
- Solid Fuel (Bit/PRB/Lignite + Waste fuels + Petcoke + Tires + ?????)
- Renewables (Wind, Bio-fuel combustion or gasification, solar)
- Nuclear
- Storage (Pumped Hydro, Battery, Compressed Air)

The Answer Is?

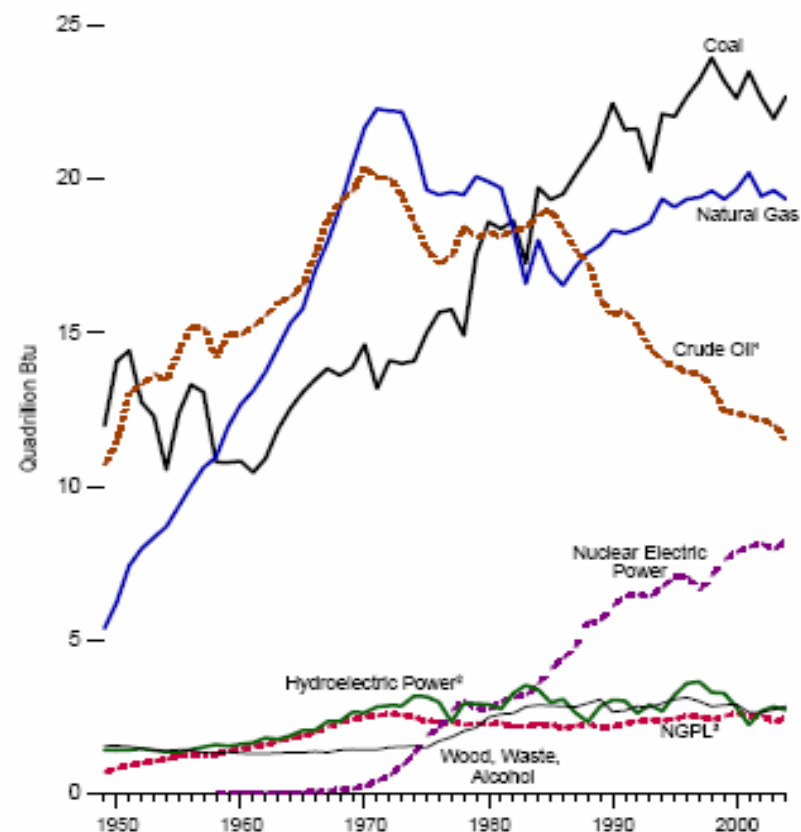
- All of the above will serve a particular niche market with Coal, NG and Nuclear providing the vast majority of our needs
- Cost of Fuel + Environmental Permitting + Electric Grid Demands will establish the mix of generation technologies used
- The Price of Electricity will rise – substantially over the next 7-10 years!!

Figure 1.2 Energy Production by Source

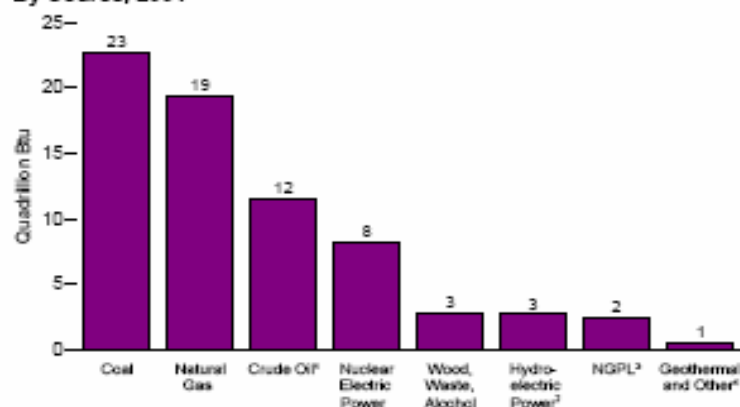
By Fossil Fuels, Nuclear Electric Power, and Renewable Energy, 1949-2004



By Major Source, 1949-2004



By Source, 2004



¹ Includes lease condensate.

² Conventional hydroelectric power.

³ Natural gas plant liquids.

⁴ Solar and wind.

Note: Because vertical scales differ, graphs should not be compared.

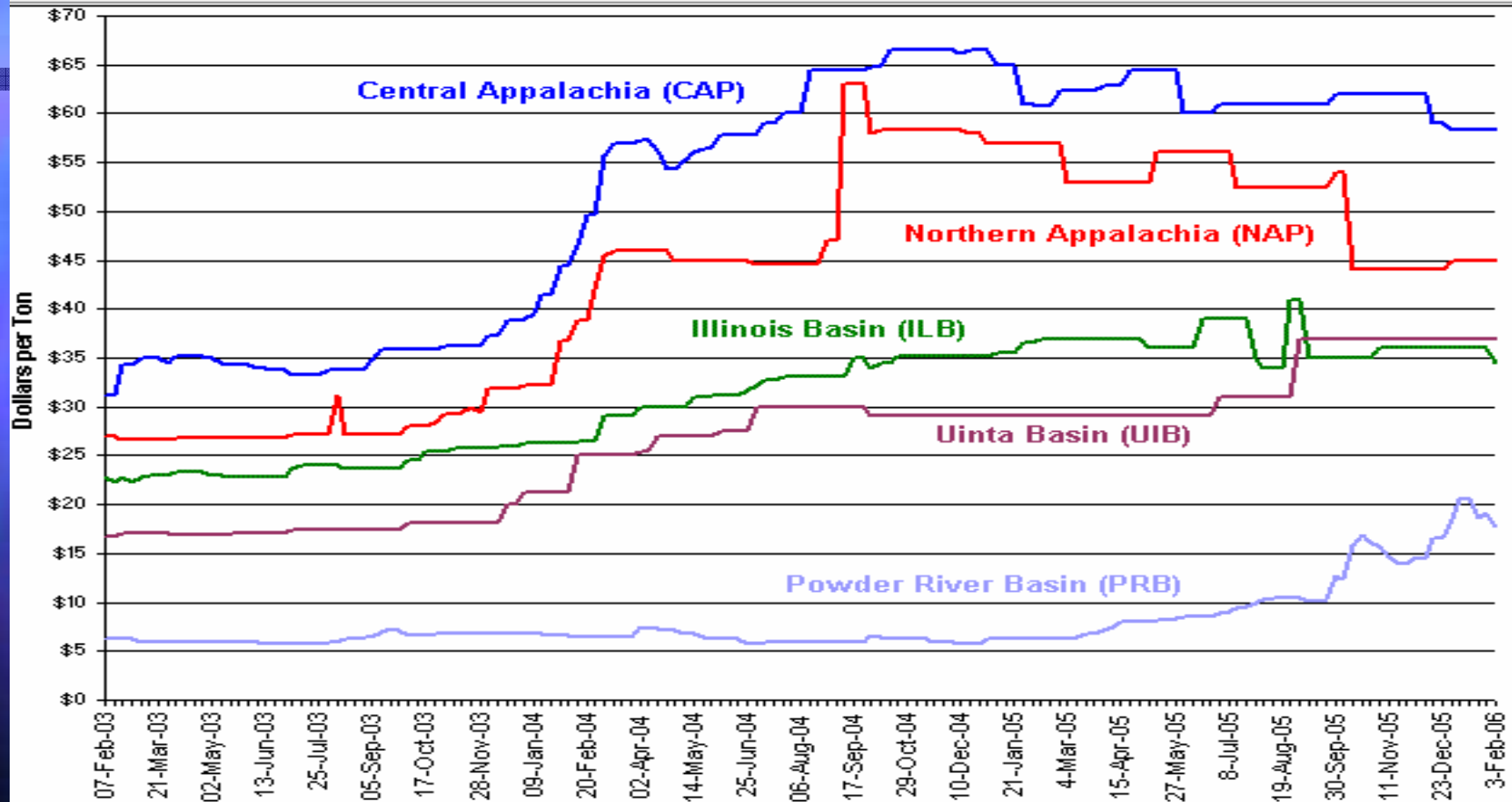
Source: Table 1.2.

Net US Gas Imports, 1970 – 2025

EIA-AEO 2005



**Average Weekly Coal Commodity Spot Prices
Business Week Ended February 3, 2006**



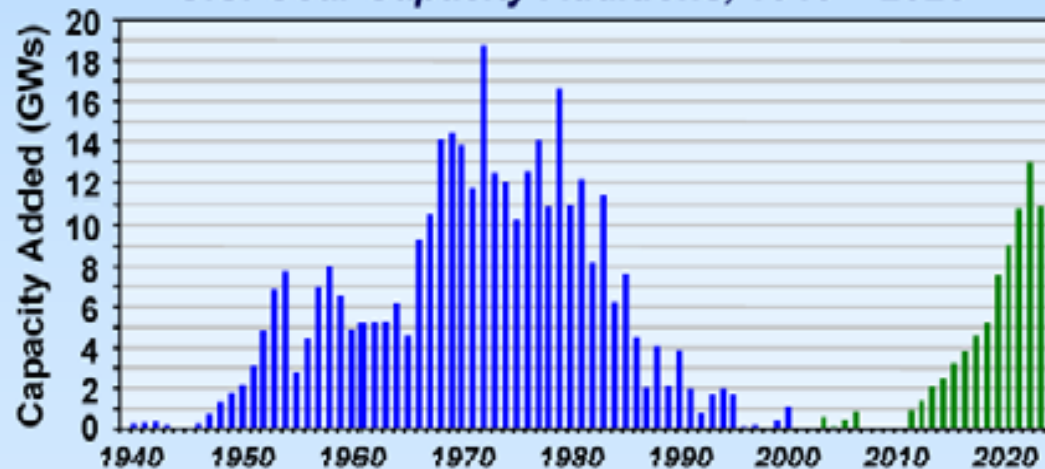
Key to Coal Commodities by Region¹

Central Appalachia: Big Sandy/Kanawha 12,500 Btu, 1.2 lbSO₂/mmBtu
Northern Appalachia: Pittsburgh Seam 13,000 Btu, < 3.0 lbSO₂/mmBtu
Illinois Basin: 11,800 Btu, 5.0 lb SO₂/mmBtu

Powder River Basin: 8,800 Btu, 0.8 lb SO₂/mmBtu
Uinta Basin in Colo.: 11,700 Btu, 0.8 lb SO₂/mmBtu

- **Construction has not kept pace with growth**
 - 70% load growth in past 25 years
 - Lagging investment in generation and transmission infrastructure
- **Existing plants are approaching their operating limits**
 - Nuclear: 1990, 66% capacity factor 2004, 91% capacity factor
 - Coal : 1990, 59% capacity factor 2004 74% capacity factor
- **Demand expected to grow another 20% over next 10 years**
 - U.S. set new record for power demand week ending Jul. 23, 2005

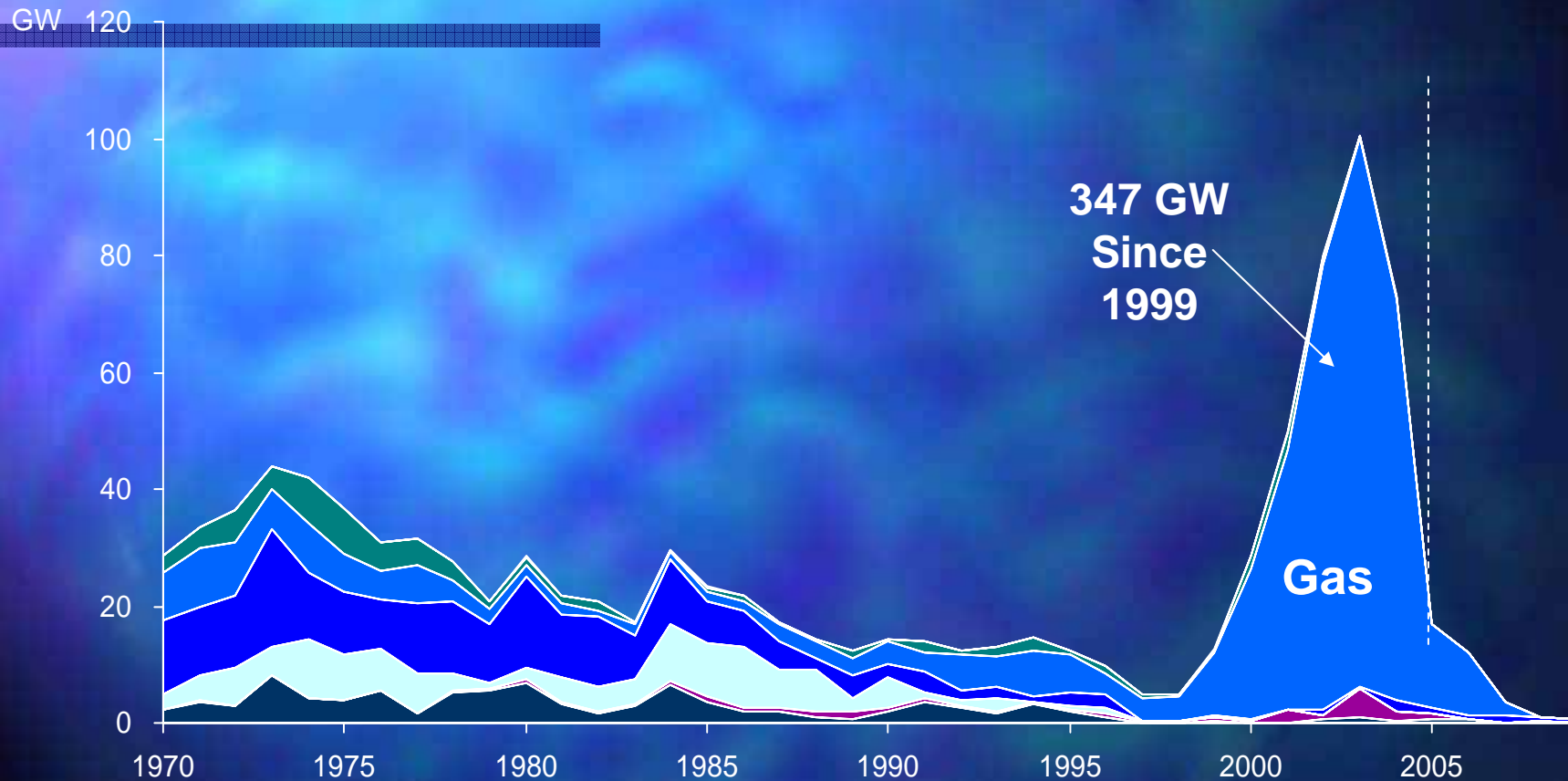
U.S. Coal Capacity Additions, 1940 – 2025



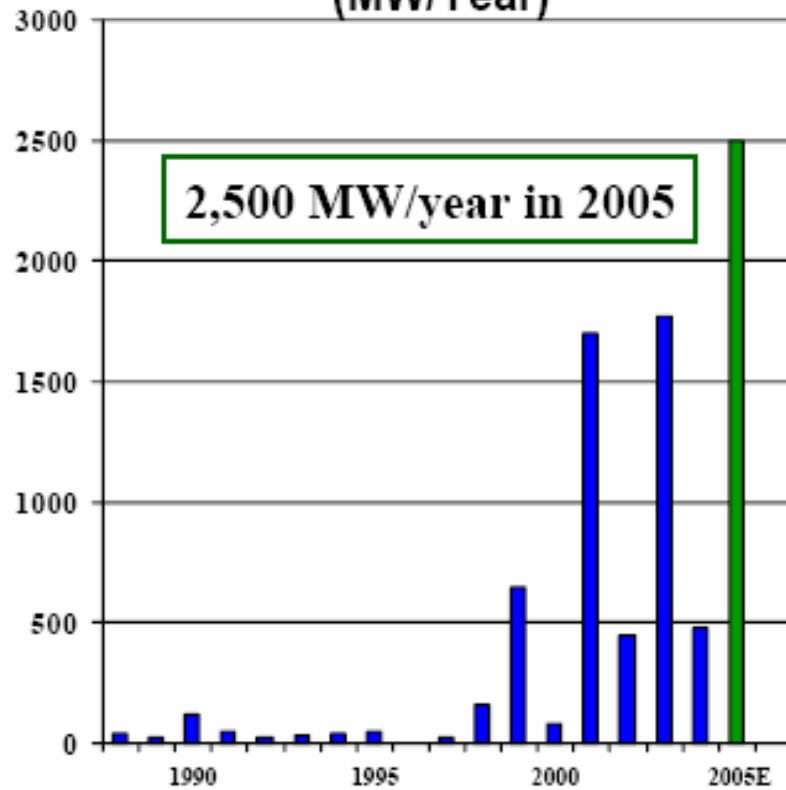
Industry Growth Trend Not Seen in 50 Years



US CAPACITY ADDITIONS



US Wind Power Installations (MW/Year)



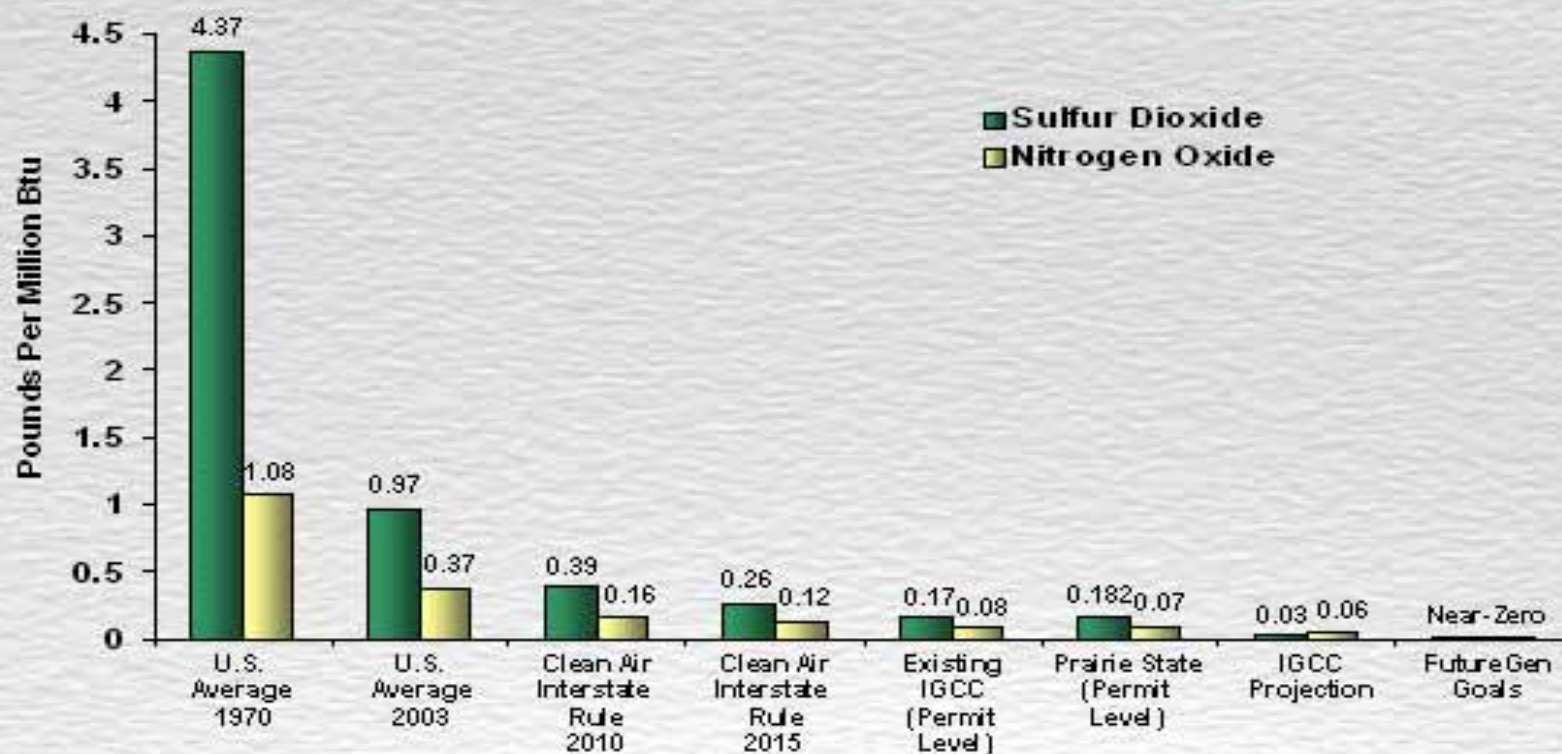
Sources: AWEA



7,000 MW Installed Base in US
48,000 MW Installed Base Worldwide
Plus Hydro, Geo, CSP and Biomass

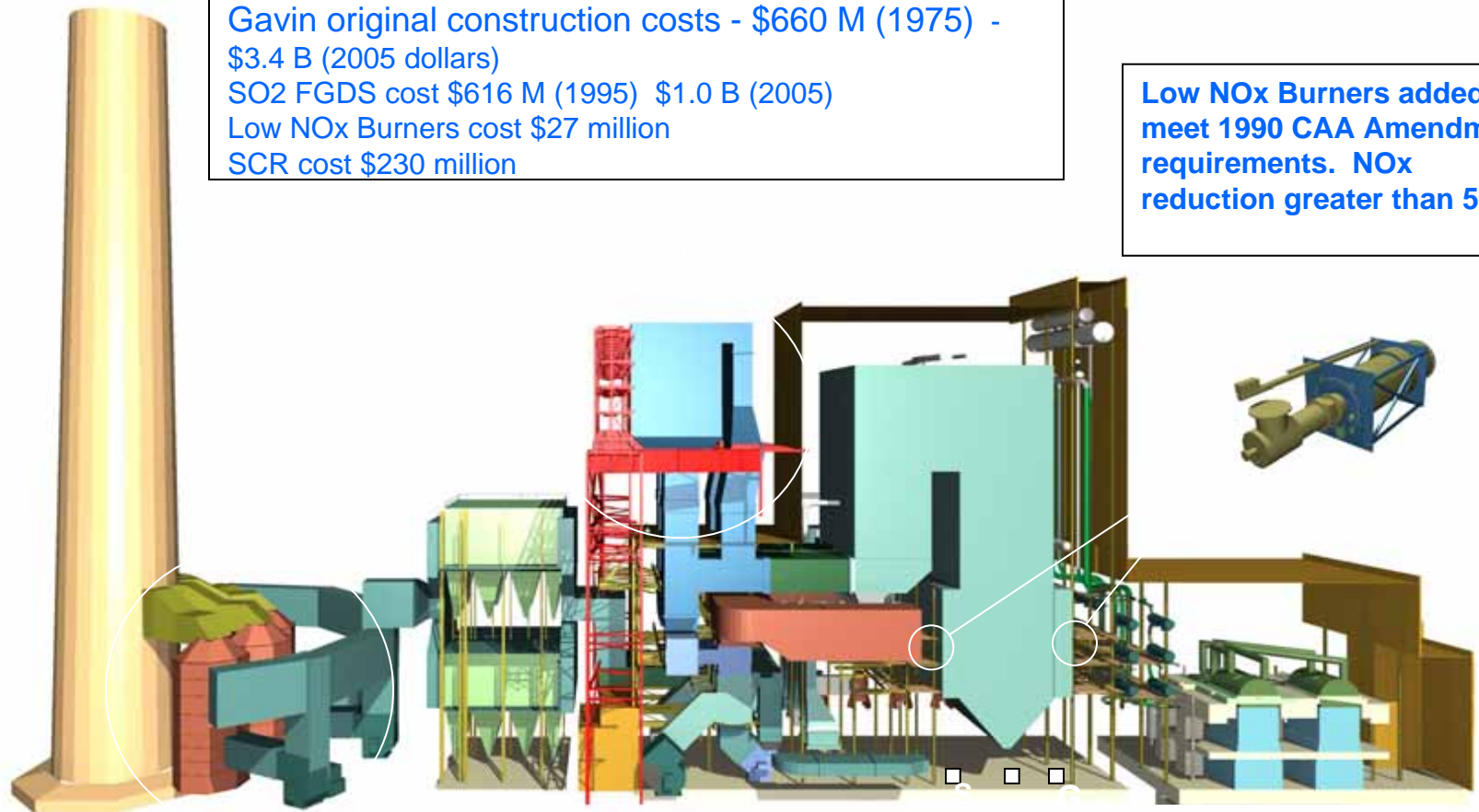
The Path to Zero Emissions from Coal-Fueled Generating Plants

Emissions from Coal-Fueled Generating Plants

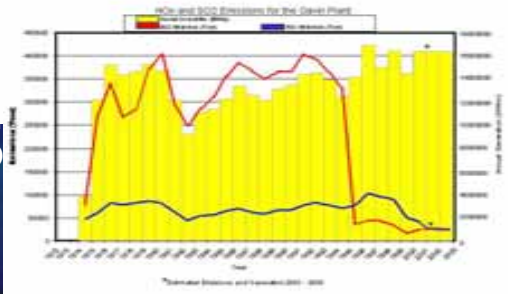


Gavin original construction costs - \$660 M (1975) -
 \$3.4 B (2005 dollars)
 SO2 FGDS cost \$616 M (1995) \$1.0 B (2005)
 Low NOx Burners cost \$27 million
 SCR cost \$230 million

Low NOx Burners added to meet 1990 CAA Amendment requirements. NOx reduction greater than 50 %



SO2 Scrubbers added to meet 1990 CAA Amendment requirements. SO2 reduction greater than 90%



NOx C

Solid Fuel Plant for Today

- Flexible Coal based fuel source with blending for PRB + Bituminous
- High Efficiency: HR < 9000 Btu/kwh
 - USC Steam cycles : 3800psi/1100F/1100F
- Small Enviro Footprint:
 - SO₂ < 0.1 #/mmBtu; NO_x < 0.06 #/mmBtu
 - PM < 0.02 #/mmBtu; No SO₃ plumes/low HAP
 - Lower CO₂ through efficiency + Cap/Sequest

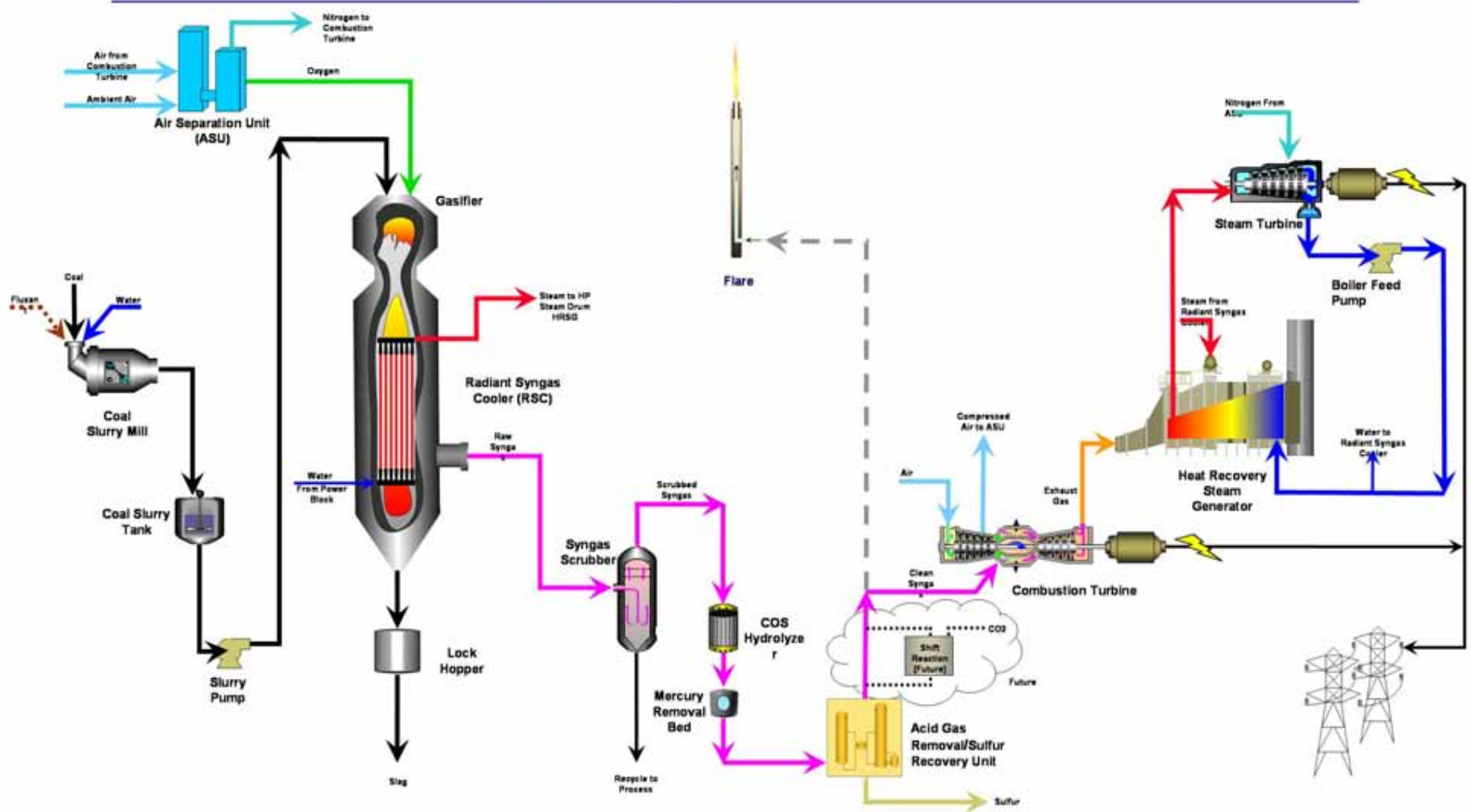
Emission Control Technologies

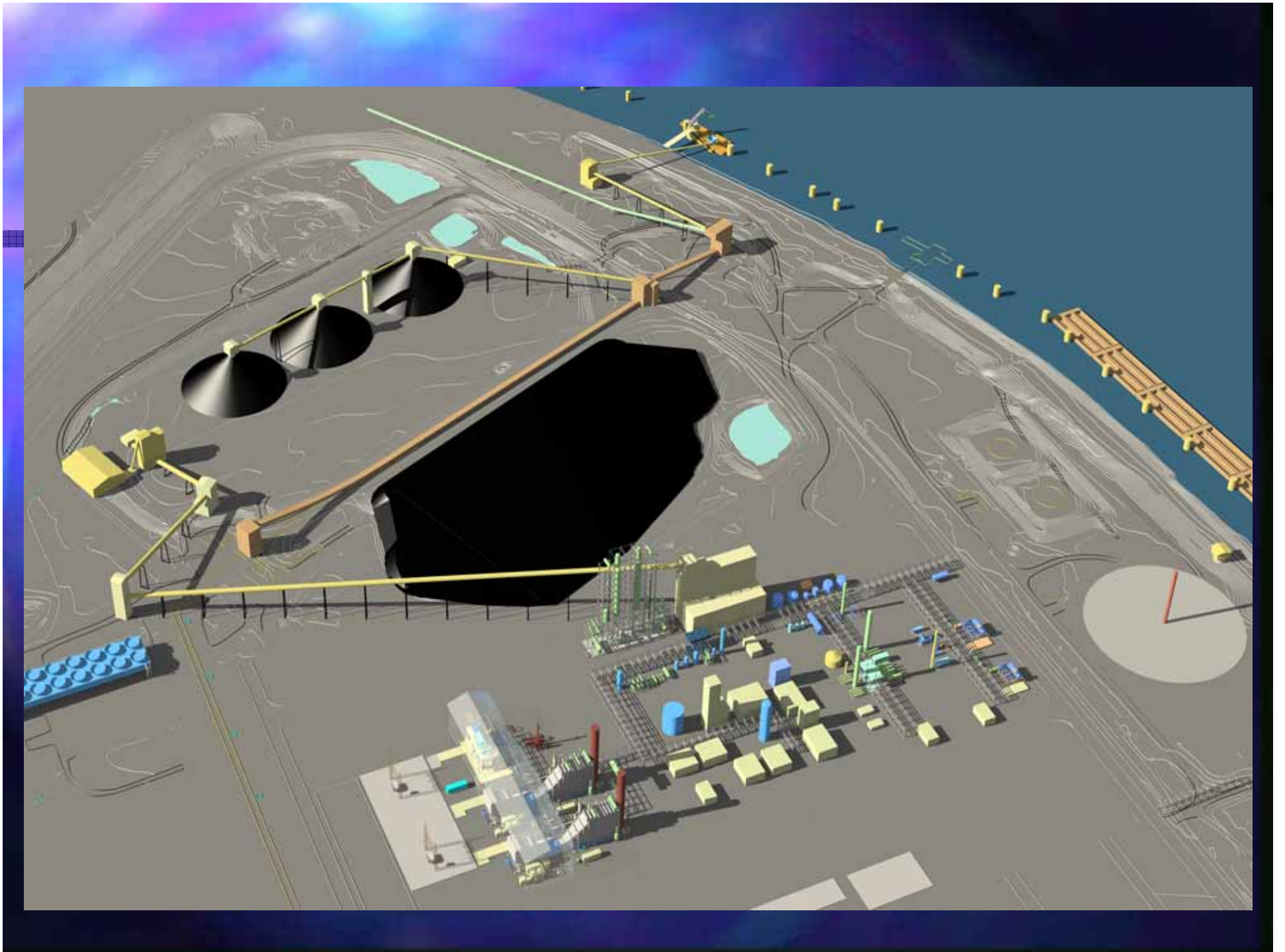
- PRB = LNB+OFA/SCR/DFGD/ACI/FF
- Bituminous/Lignite =
LNB/SCR/EPS/WFGDS/WESP(option)
- Waste fuels = CFB/SNCR/DFGD/ACI/FF

NEW UNIT COST = \$1500 – 2300/KW !!!!

COE @ BusBar = 5 to 8 cents/kwh!!!

AEP INTEGRATED GASIFICATION COMBINED CYCLE (IGCC) CONFIGURATION





Design it Safe, Keep it Safe!

- Thoughtful, careful design must be at the core of any new or upgraded APC equipment
- Must consider ergonomics in design including egress and component access
- Electrical design must allow safe access to critical monitor points – separation of HV components
- Clearance process must be clear and logical
- Reliability will be a 'compliance' issue - CAM.

HUMOR SLIDE



MISTAKES

IT COULD BE THAT THE PURPOSE OF YOUR LIFE IS
ONLY TO SERVE AS A WARNING TO OTHERS.

HUMOR SLIDE



AGONY

NOT ALL PAIN IS GAIN.