

Welcome to the Gas Turbine Association 2019 Congressional Briefing

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Introduction & Gas Turbines Overview

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What is GTA?

The unified industry voice for US leadership and economic growth with gas turbines

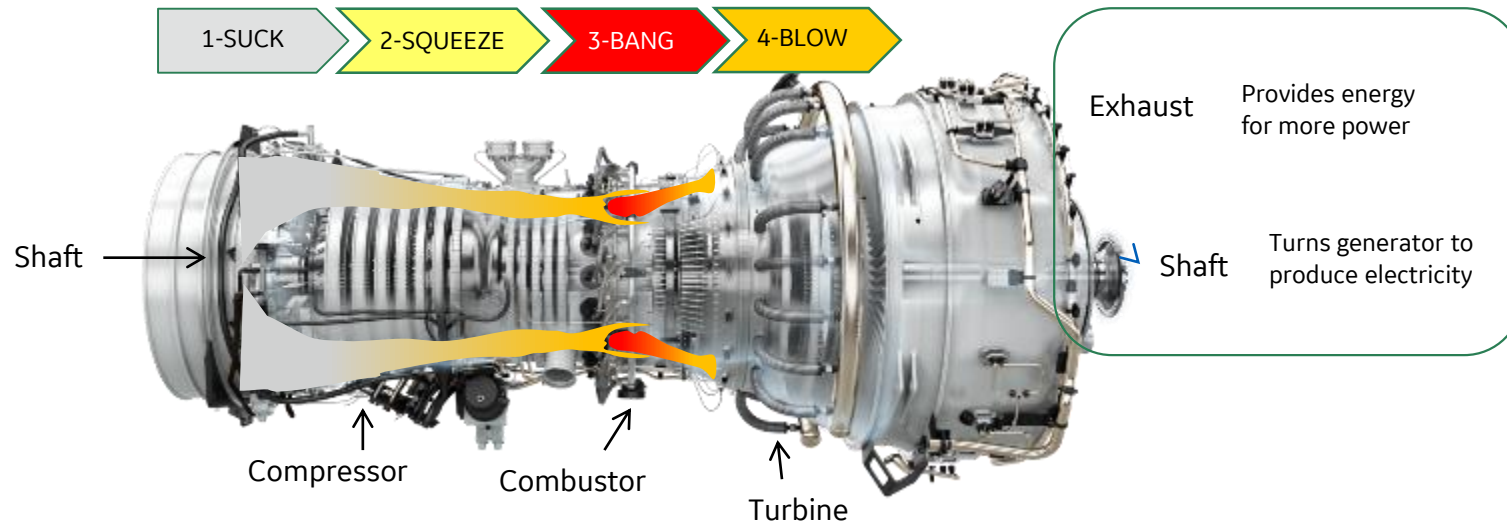
Our commitment

1. Promote gas turbine technology for **clean, cost-effective & reliable power + oil & gas transmission**
2. Create **high quality US jobs & intellectual know-how** ... design, manufacturing & operation
3. **Inform public policy & policy makers** on the value & expanded use of gas turbines

Learn more at: GasTurbine.org

What is a Gas Turbine?

Gas turbine elements



Applications

Land



Offshore



Aviation



Why Gas Turbines

Gas turbine uses

- Electric power generation
- Combined heat and power
- Industrial processes and steam
- Waste to energy
- Oil and gas transmission
- Military missions

Benefits

Affordable: Lowest electric cost for U.S. rate payers

Clean:

- The most electrical output per square mile
- <50% GHG emissions vs. coal generation
- Efficient use of **abundant natural gas resources**

Reliable:

- **Dispatchable flexible power**... there when you need it
- Perfect complement to renewable sources

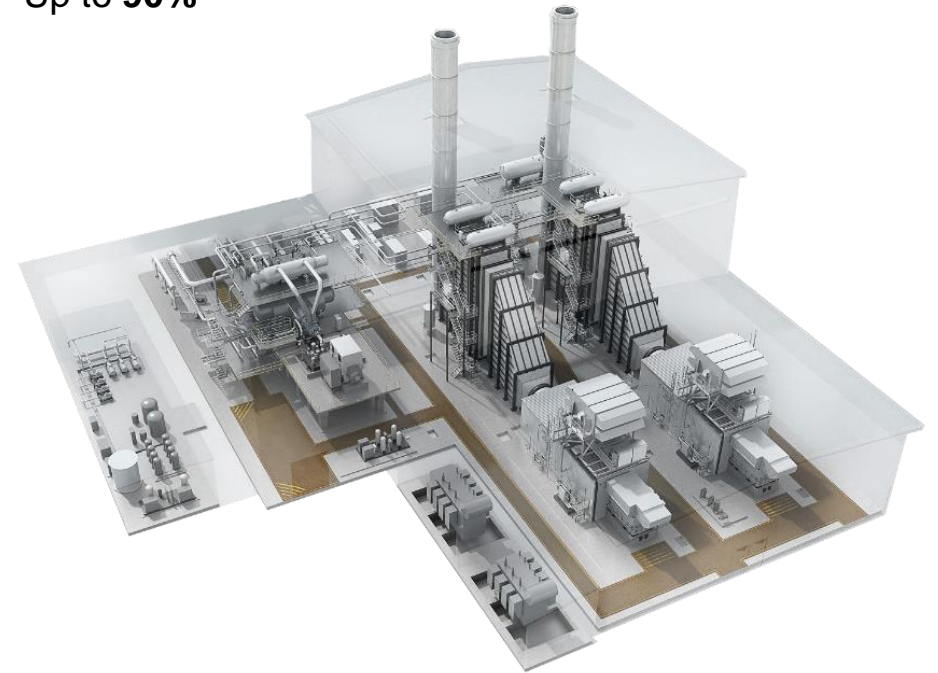
Efficiency targets

Electrical

- Up to **50%+** (gas turbine only)
- **65-67%+** (gas turbine + steam turbine)

Heat & Power

- Up to **90%**



Gas Turbines Power the U.S. Capitol Complex



The Capitol Power Plant

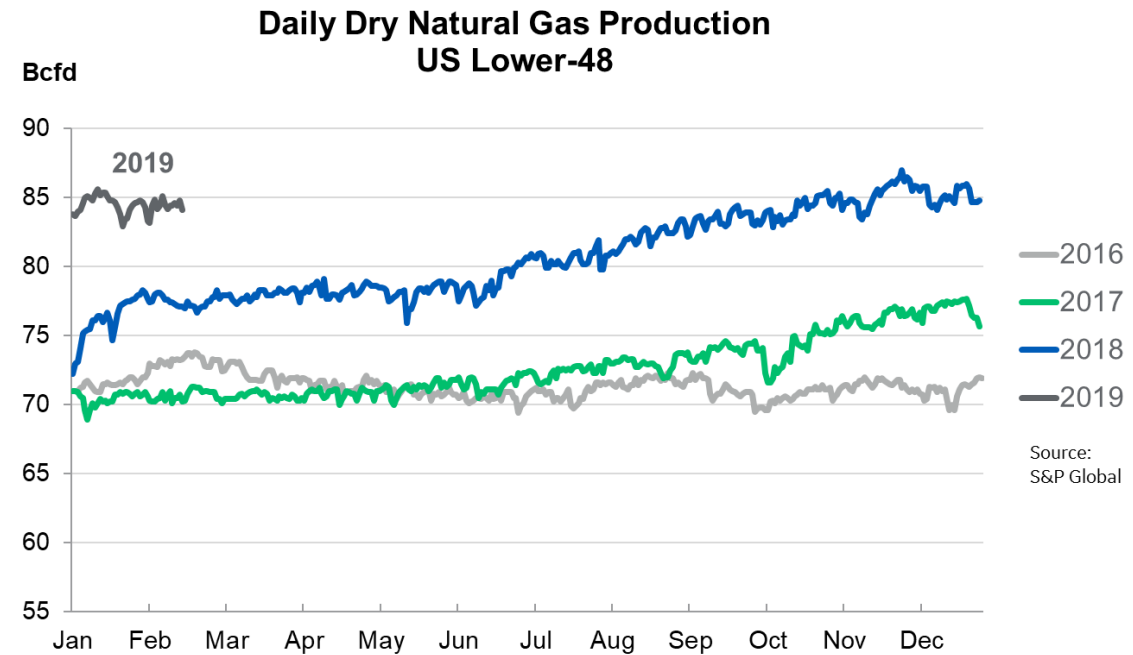
www.aoc.gov/cogeneration

Natural Gas as U.S. Foundation Fuel

Brendan O'Brien, AGA
Bert Kalisch, APGA

Record levels of natural gas production in 2018

Shale gas is responsible for the recent increase in gas resources



Information provided by American Gas Association (AGA) ... see appendix

Public Utilities Perspective

- ✓ Natural gas is America's foundation fuel
- ✓ We need more ways to leverage this resource
- ✓ One of the best and most efficient ways is through use of highly efficient gas turbines
- ✓ While energy is the lifeblood of the economy, R&D is the lifeblood of our energy industry

Information provided by American Public Gas Association (APGA) ... see appendix

Key Note: The Critical Importance of Advanced Gas Turbines

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The Future of Energy

Power is foundational

It is the underpinning of modern life, and a basic human right.

It's the spark that sets progress in motion, moving the world forward, enabling growth, health, connection and safety in communities large and small.



The Top 10 Challenges Facing Humanity for the Next 50 Years

Richard Smalley, Rice University

- 1 Energy
- 2 Water
- 3 Food
- 4 Environment
- 5 Poverty
- 6 Terrorism & War
- 7 Disease
- 8 Education
- 9 Democracy
- 10 Population

Access to affordable, reliable, and more sustainable power is critical to address nearly every one of these challenges.



The Global Energy Landscape is in the Midst of a Grand Transformation

The world is shifting towards a combination of distributed and central generation.

Strong renewable growth continues, as flexible thermal generation plays an important, but changing role.

Battery storage enables intra-day shifting, but inter-day and seasonal storage requires a technology shift.

Electric vehicles will transform both the transportation and power sectors.

Digital technologies will be pervasive and transformative, opening up new business models.

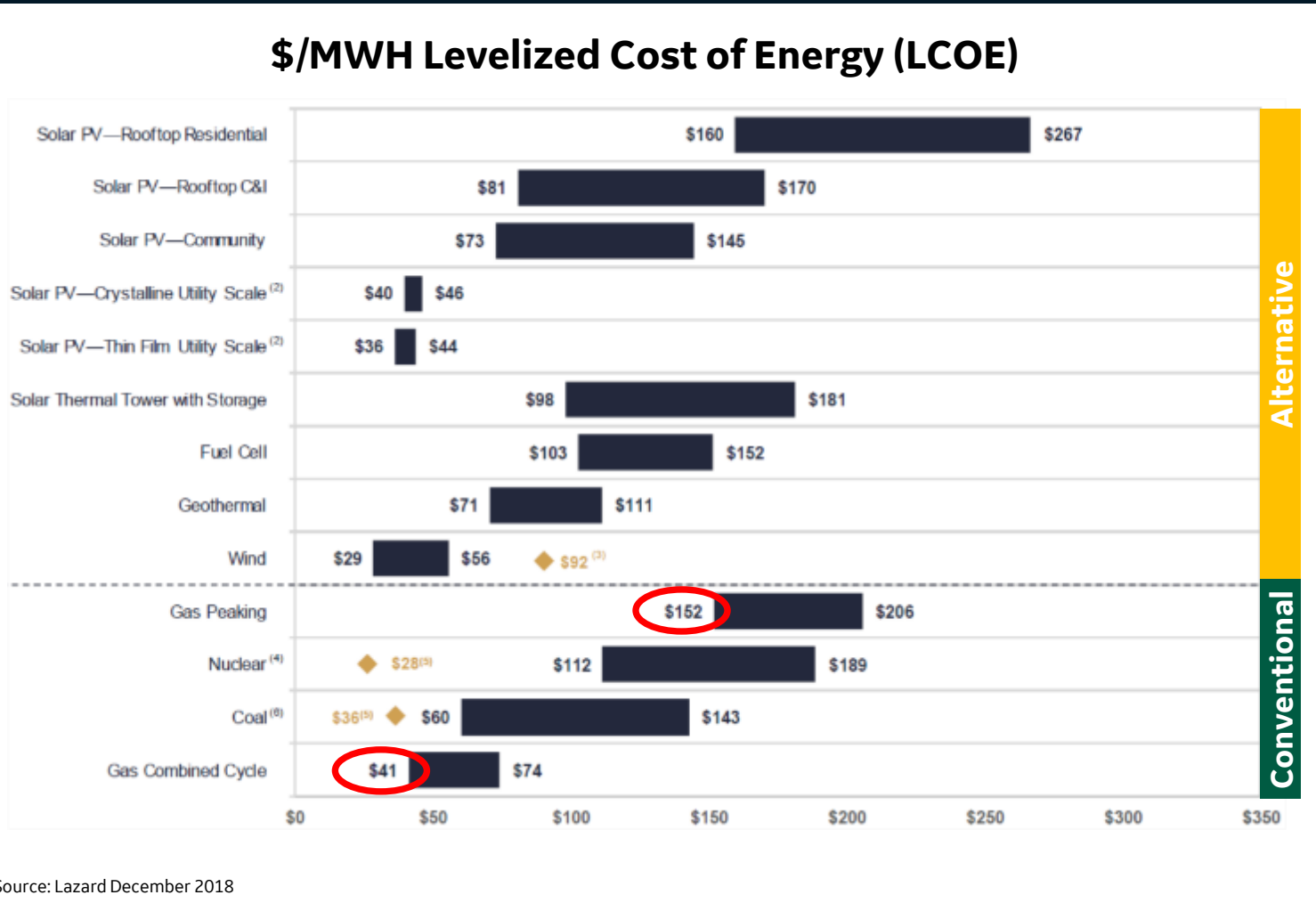
Regional differences and nuances affect how this plays out



Levelized Cost of Energy ... Shifting Gas Lower

- Alternative source LCOE driven by capital cost to install
- Gas lowest capital cost with fuel cost 60-80% of LCOE
- Increase efficiency directly lowers cost & emissions

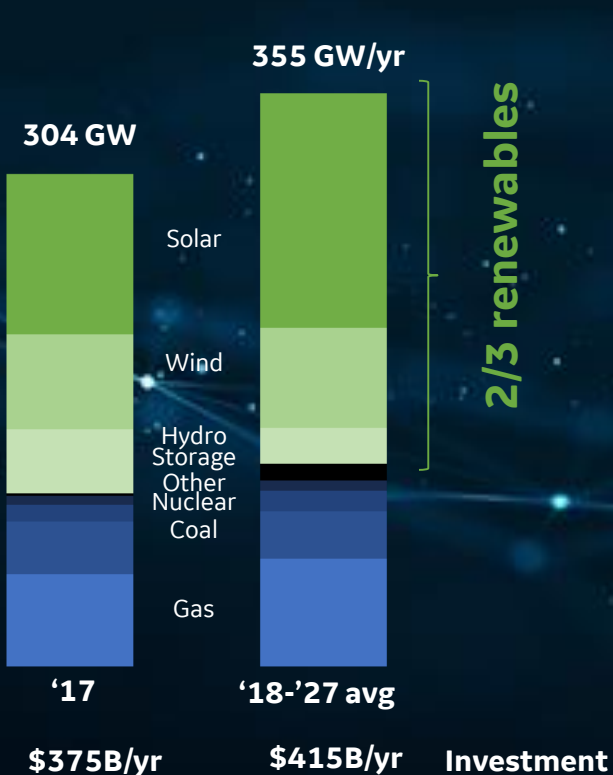
Gas Generation	U.S. Average today	Target with R&D
Simple Cycle	32%	50%+
Combined Cycle	52%	65%+



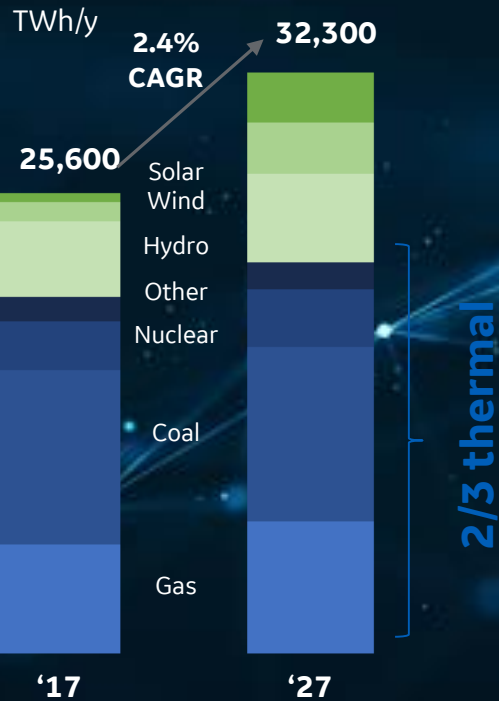
The Future of Energy

GLOBAL TOTALS

New Plant Orders

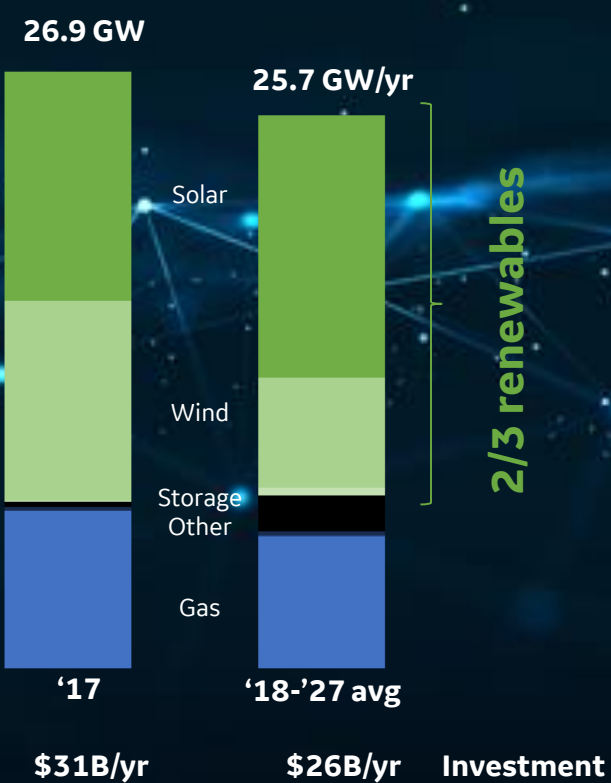


Electricity Generation

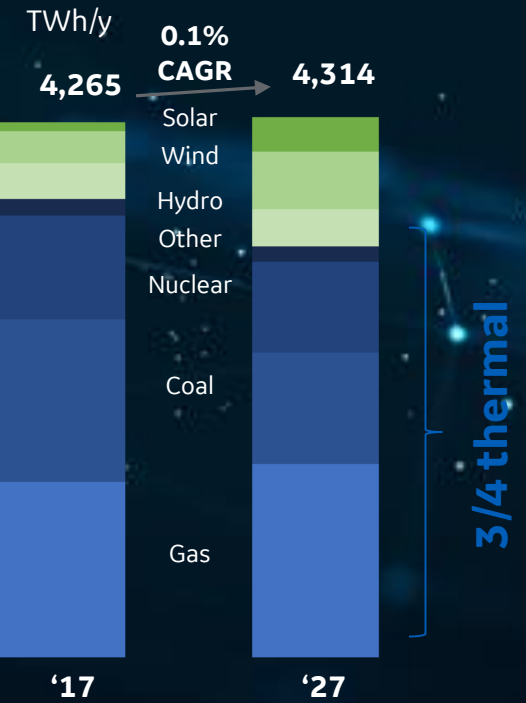


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New Plant Orders



Electricity Generation



Power sector shift towards increasing renewables, hybrids and gas



Renewables Growth is Real and Unabated

- ✓ **Renewables** forecasted to account for **2/3** of global new plant investment over the next decade
- ✓ **Solar** orders in 2017 **exceeded** new **gas** capacity orders
- ✓ **Increasing end-consumer demand ...** for zero-carbon power alternatives
- ✓ **California** received **more power** from **solar than gas** in May

Natural Gas is the Best Complement

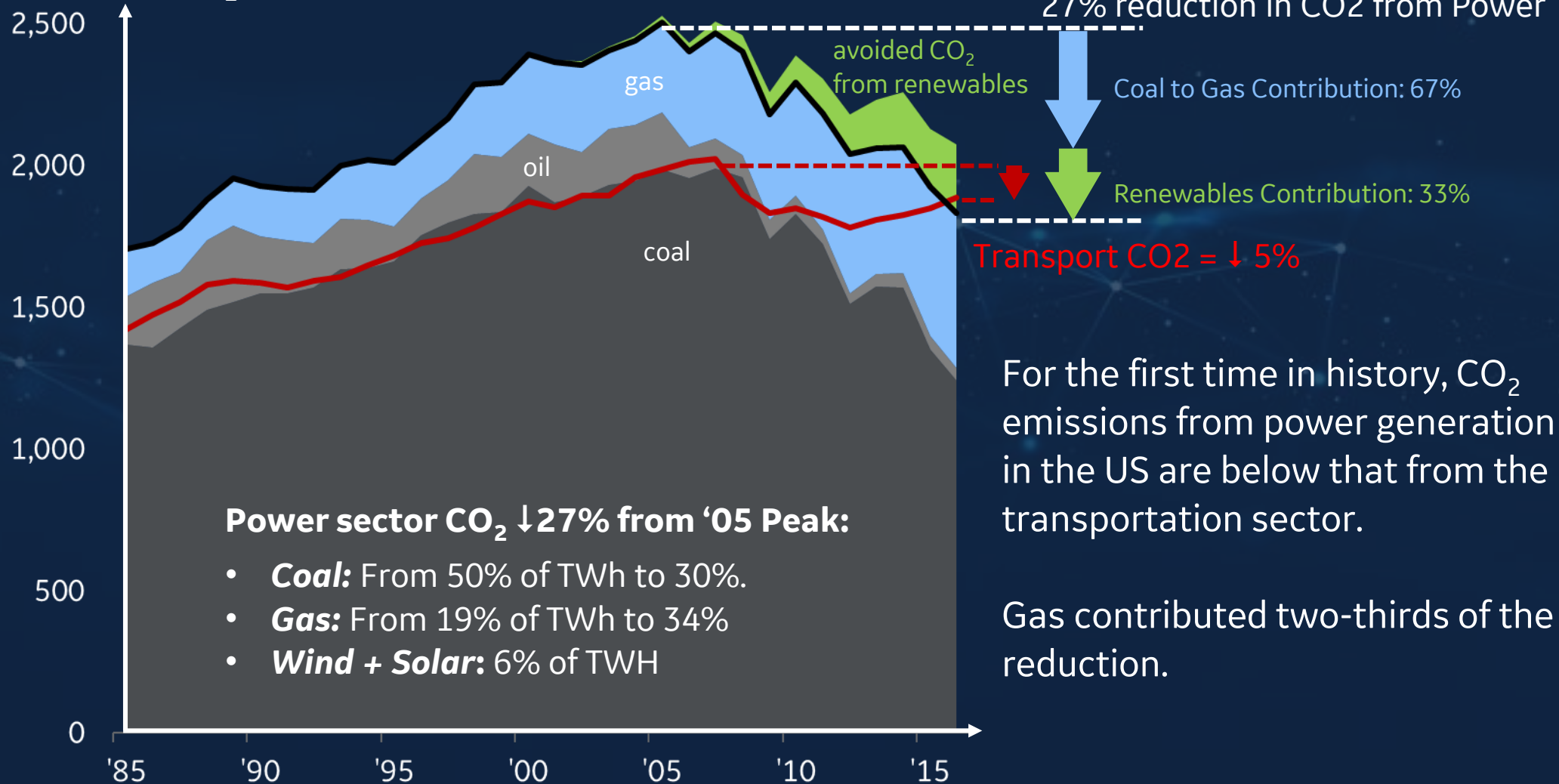
- ✓ **US reduced CO₂ emissions 27% from its '05 peak ...** Coal-to-gas switching accounted for 2/3, saving the equivalent of 10% of the transportation sector CO₂ emissions (~65M passenger vehicles)
- ✓ **Dispatchable ...** there when needed
- ✓ **Flexible ...** fast start and ramping, low turn-down
- ✓ **Affordable ...** lowest capex technology, good for firming
- ✓ **Fast to meet urgent needs ...** simple cycle on-line as fast as 90 days



An Example of Gas Contribution to CO₂ Reductions

Emissions From the U.S. Electric Power Sector

Million Metric Tons CO₂



Power sector CO₂ ↓27% from '05 Peak:

- **Coal:** From 50% of TWh to 30%.
- **Gas:** From 19% of TWh to 34%
- **Wind + Solar:** 6% of TWh

Transport CO₂ = ↓ 5%

For the first time in history, CO₂ emissions from power generation in the US are below that from the transportation sector.

Gas contributed two-thirds of the reduction.



Power Density Matters

City density is growing

- **1/4** of global population is in cities of **1M+ people**
- **10%** are in megacities with **10M+ people**

Cities are electrifying

- NYC plans to electrify all transit busses **by 2040**
- Satisfying this power load with solar PV alone would require **covering 15%** of Manhattan with panels

Gas is most land-efficient

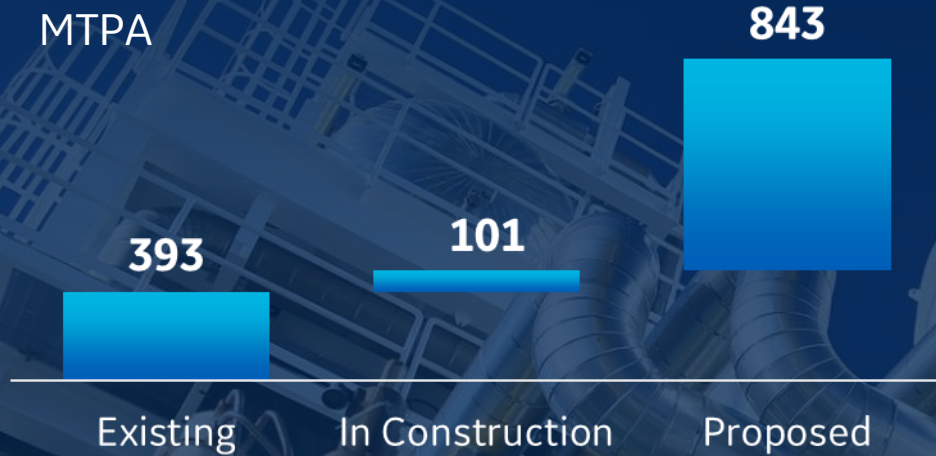
- Natural gas requires **50-100 times** less space per MWh generated compared to renewables + storage

Gas generation plays a vital role in dense urban areas where space is a premium



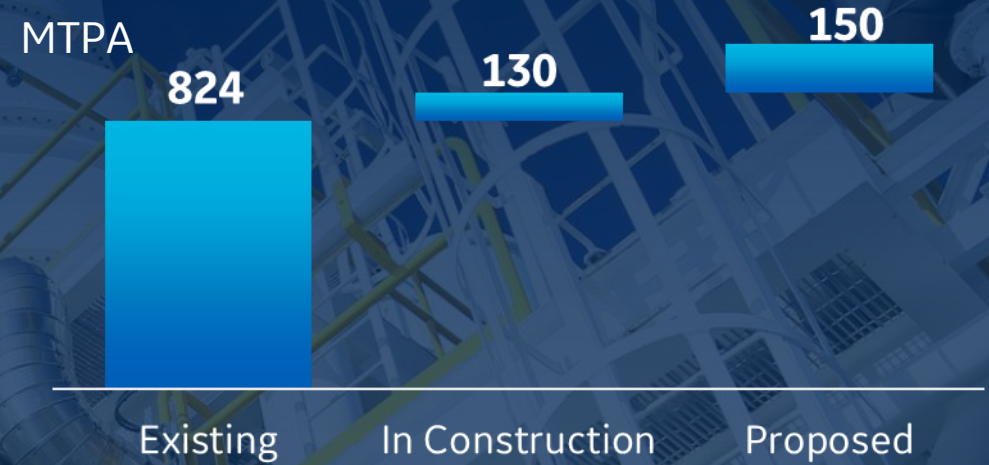
LNG Increasing Access to Affordable Gas

LIQUEFACTION CAPACITY



- **28 MTPA added in 2018**
- **19** countries with capacity ... **6** countries have **2/3** of the capacity ... Qatar, Australia, Malaysia, Indonesia, Algeria, Nigeria
- **40%** of proposed new capacity in US

REGASIFICATION CAPACITY



- **23** MTPA added in 2018
- **37** countries with capacity
- In-construction capacity bringing LNG access to **5** additional countries ... Bahrain, El Salvador, Ghana, Philippines, Croatia

LNG enabling fuel substitution in power sector



Gas Power Role in the Future of Energy

- **Strong renewable growth continues** ... flexible gas generation is the best complement
- **Gas generation key for national & energy security** ... dispatchable & reliable
- **Coal to gas switching & higher gas generation efficiency** ... effective path for decarbonization
- **U.S. economic benefits significant** ... high quality jobs & high value exports
- **Significant areas of gas technology R&D** ... requires investment & support

Position the U.S. to lead in gas turbine technology



Advances Needed in Gas Turbine Research and Development: Industry, Universities, and Government Collaborations Lead to Success

Professor Karen A. Thole



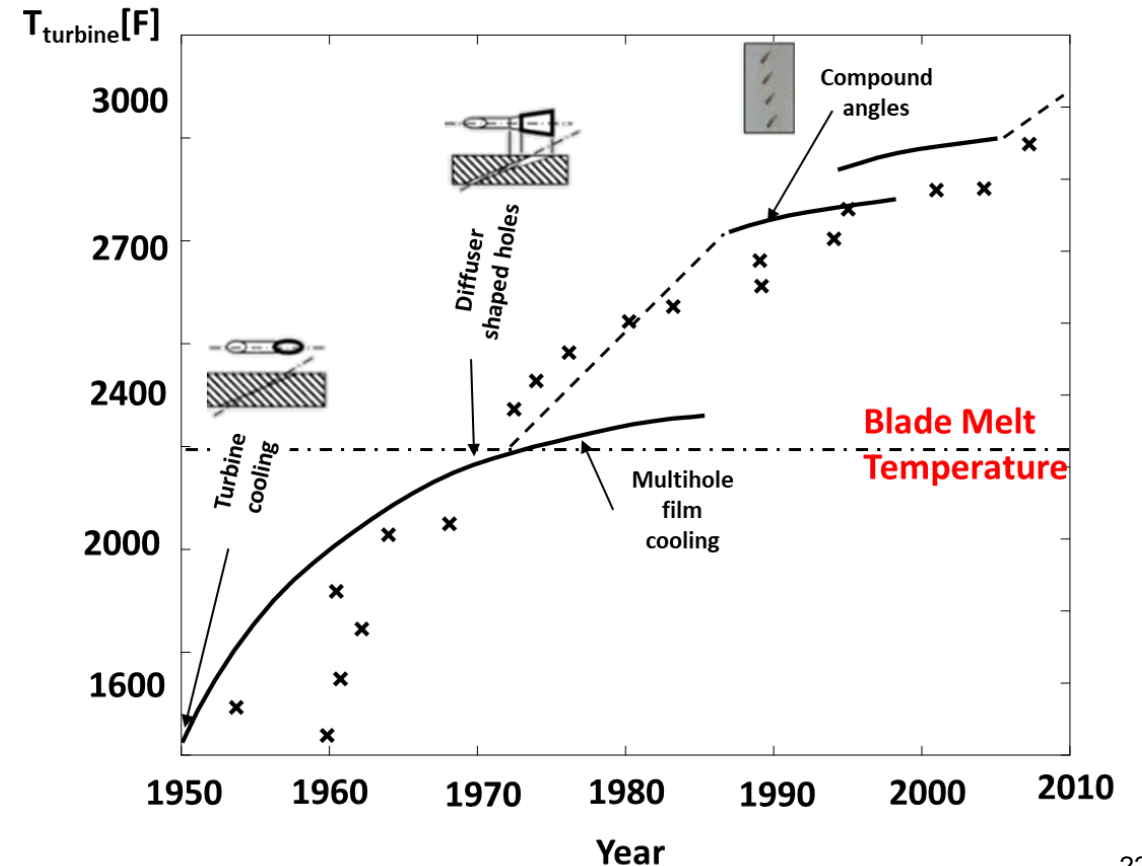
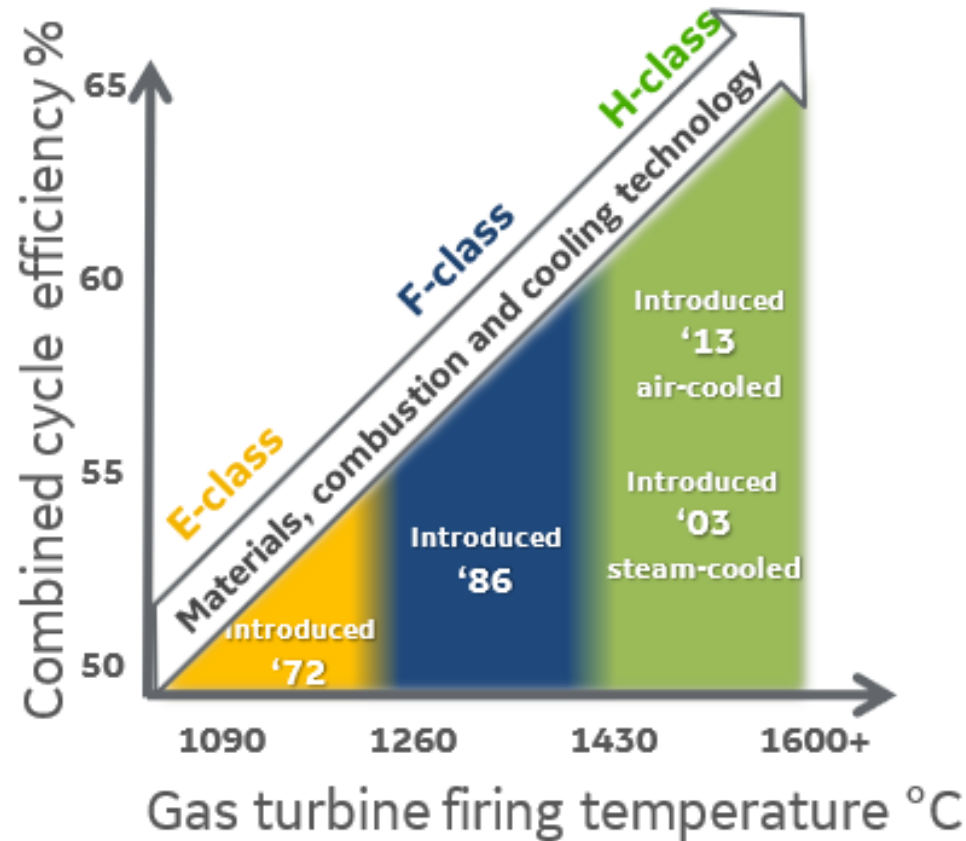
PennState



High turbine efficiencies, which translate to lower CO₂ emissions, are directly related to turbine inlet temperatures

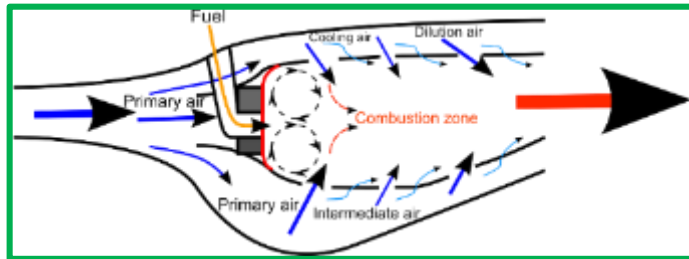
Thermal efficiencies increase as turbine inlet temperatures increase

Improved cooling technologies permit increases in turbine inlet temperature

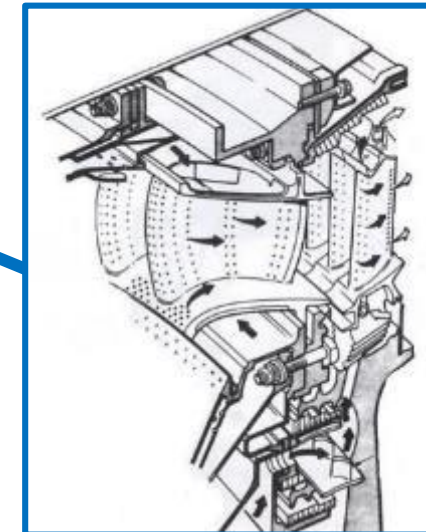
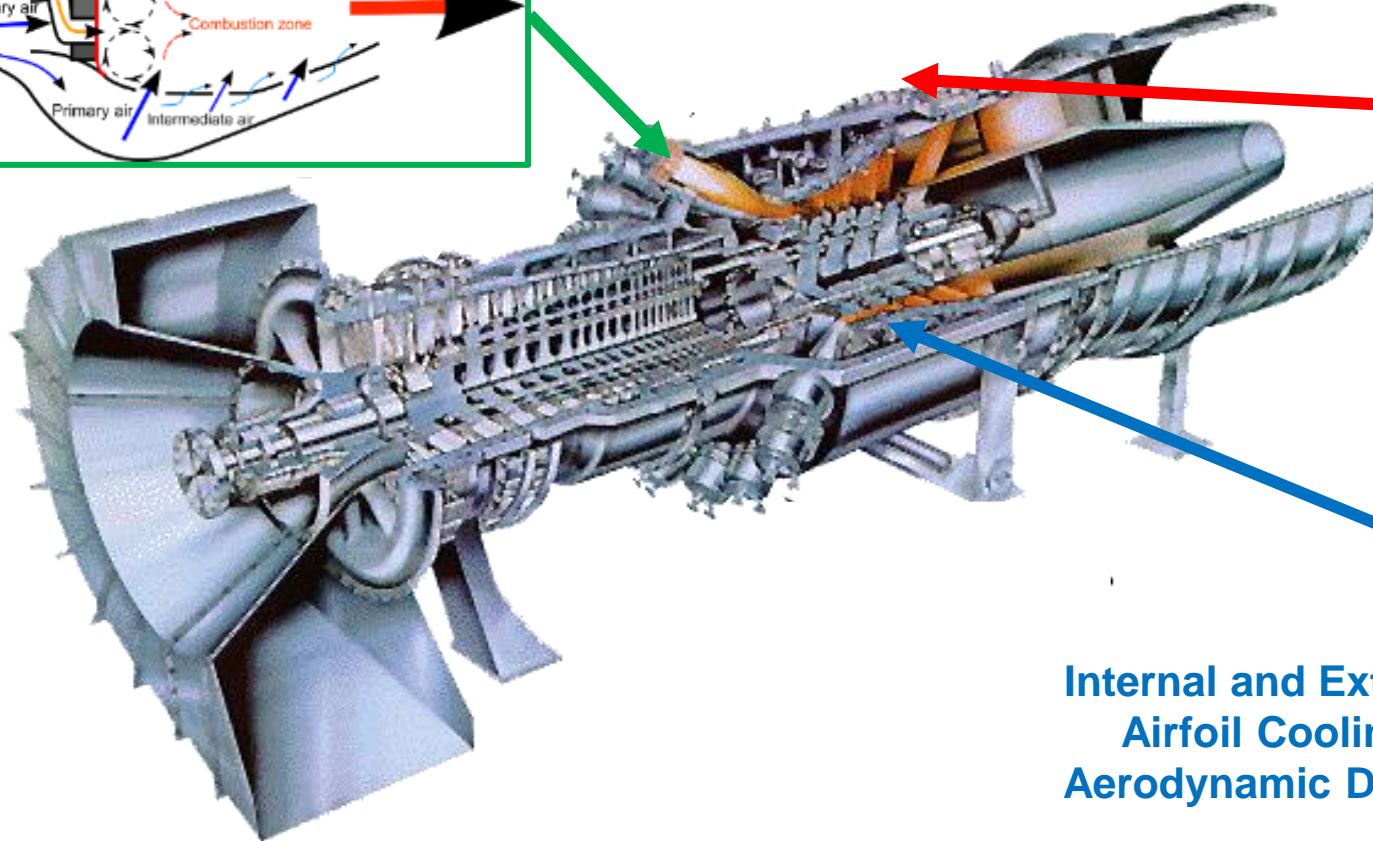


Needed technology development to advance gas turbine components: compressor, combustor, and turbine

**Advanced Combustor Designs,
Reduced Instabilities, Flexible Fuels**

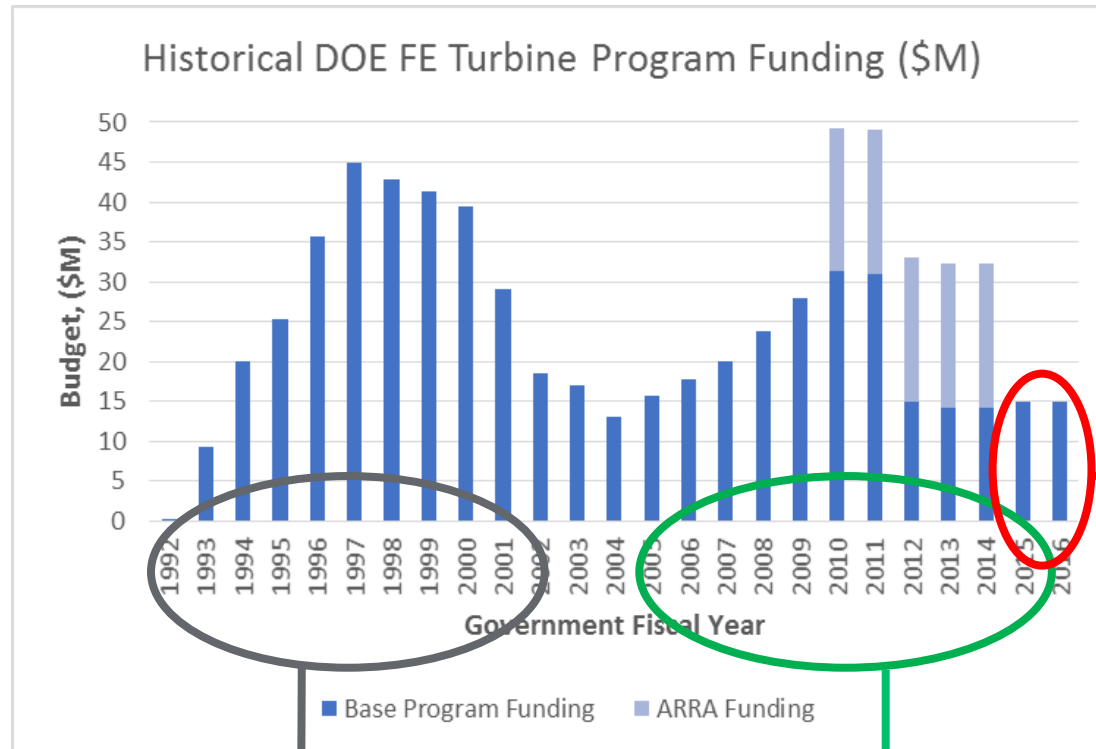


**Advanced Manufacturing for Complexity
and Speed; High Temperature Material**



**Internal and External
Airfoil Cooling;
Aerodynamic Design**

DOE funding for turbine research is directly applicable to improving efficiencies (reducing impact to the environment)



AT Program (2014–2025)

- Moving to 65% efficiencies
- Full scale, full can combustion test at 3100F w/ < 25ppm NO_x
- CMC nozzle design selected
- CMC combustor components down-selected from 50 concepts to 2
- Dry gas seal initial design completed for end seal in utility scale SCO₂ expander

ATS Program (1992–2002)

- GE delivers most adv. 60% eff. NGCC
- Siemens produces adv. G-class components
- Focus on NG

H₂ Turbine Program (2005–2015)

- Solved H₂ combustion problem
- Revolutionized combustion
- Advanced cooling architecture through advanced manufacturing

Gas Turbine R&D: Industry, Universities, and Government

Why is it important?

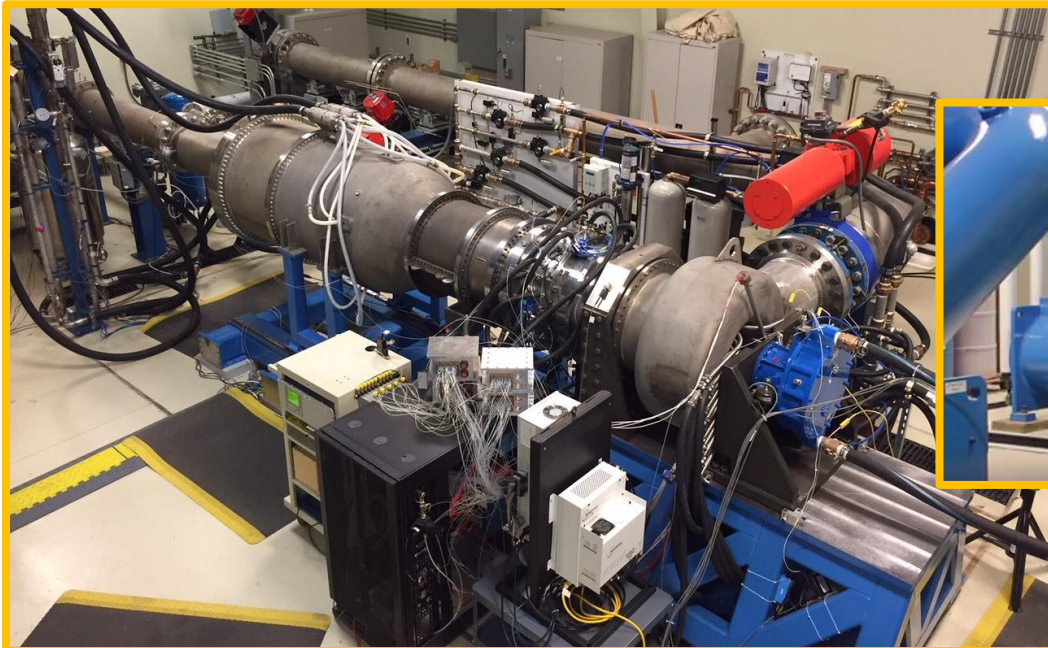
Universities contribute to the DOE's goals of clean energy technology through efficient, reliable, robust, low emission turbines by doing research with direct applications

Through teaching and research, universities educate the future workforce where advanced degrees with practical experience are a requirement



Pratt & Whitney's Center of Excellence at Penn State

An Illustration of a Successful University-Industry-Government Partnership



Summary

Investment is needed in a range of technologies to advance turbine efficiencies

Gas turbine research through DOE is impactful to the industry and ensures universities are doing relevant research

Educating the future work force of US students requires significant investments in infrastructure



GTA requests support for H.R.2659

“To establish a research, development, and technology demonstration program to improve the efficiency of gas turbines used in combined cycle and simple cycle power generation systems.”

Introduced: 05/10/2019

Sponsors: Rep. Paul Tonko [D-NY] and Rep. David McKinley [R-WV]

Committee: House - Science, Space, and Technology

APPENDIX

Natural Gas Landscape

Natural Gas as a Foundation Fuel



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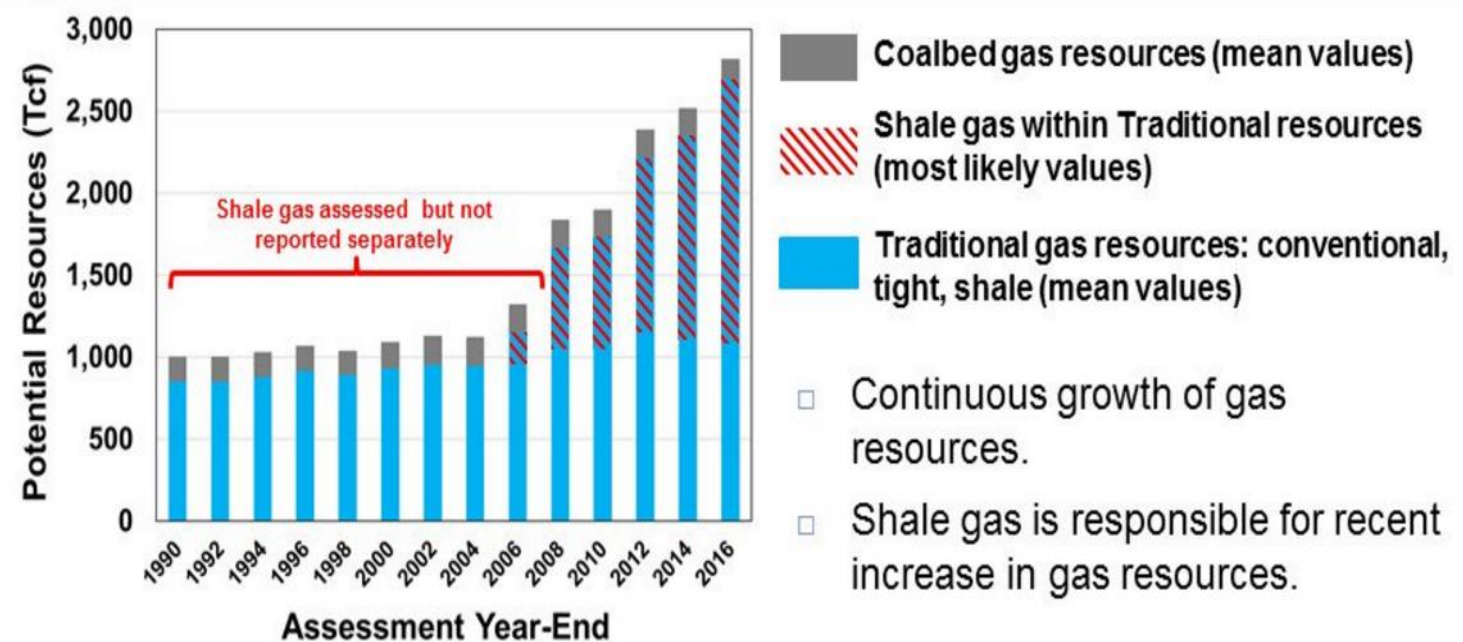


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Natural gas as a potential resource continues to grow



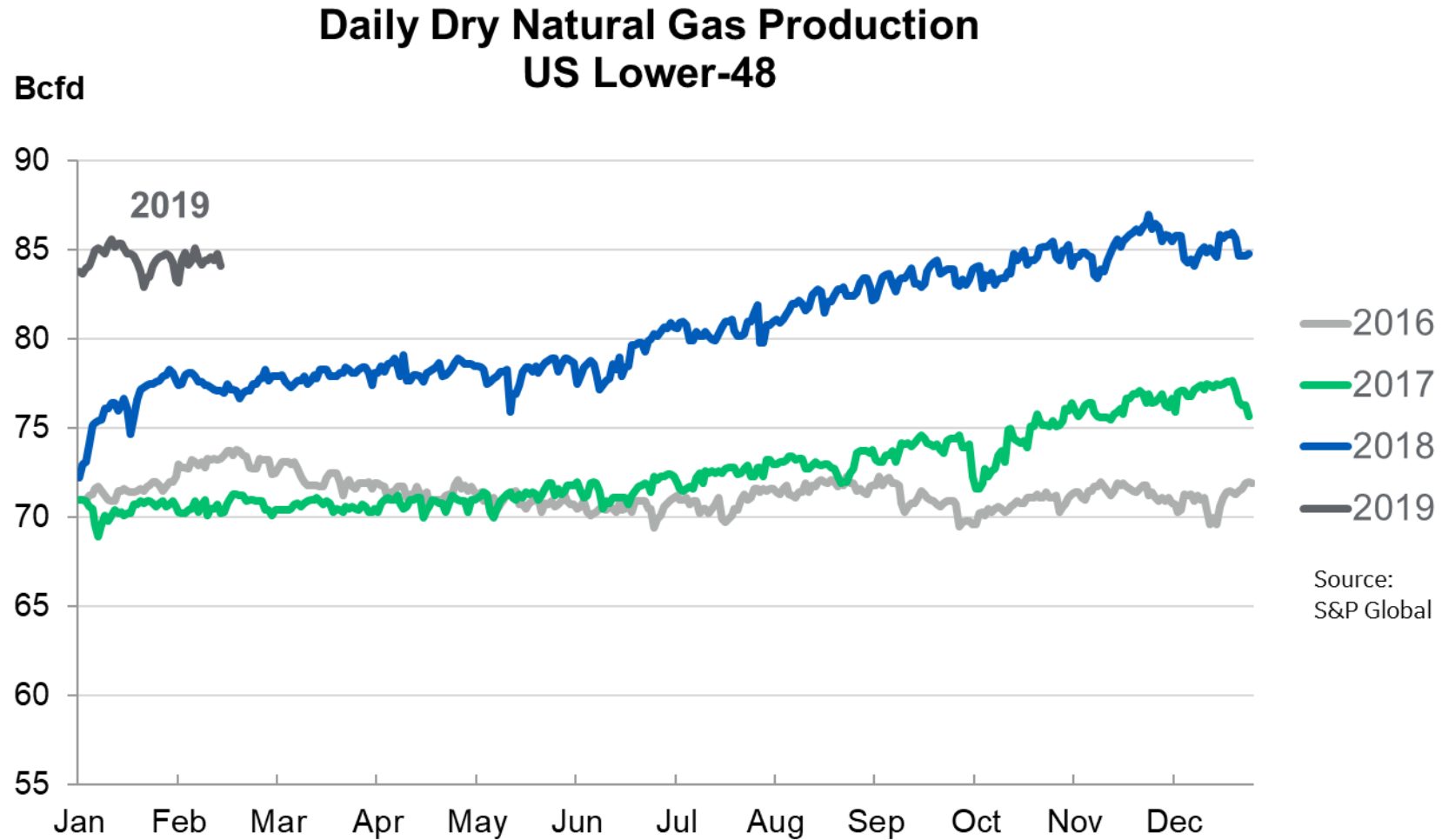
Source: Potential Gas Committee, Colorado School of Mines

And Then There Was Abundance

The U.S. estimated future supply of natural gas (reserves plus resources) stood at 3,141 Tcf at year end 2016—enough natural gas to meet America’s diverse energy needs for more than 100 years. The estimated future supply has more than doubled for the period 1990–2016.



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Shale vs. Conventional Gas Production

Jelly Donut

Conventional Drilling
Basic Vertical Penetration
Limited Formation Contact

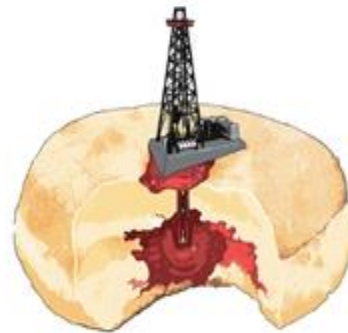


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Tiramisu

Unconventional Drilling
More Sophisticated Horizontal Penetration
Extensive Formation Contact

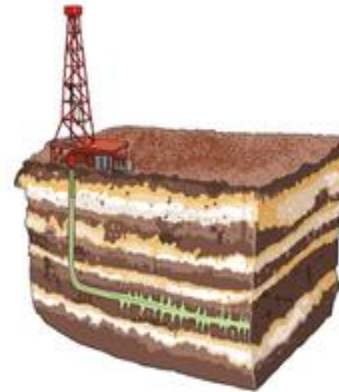
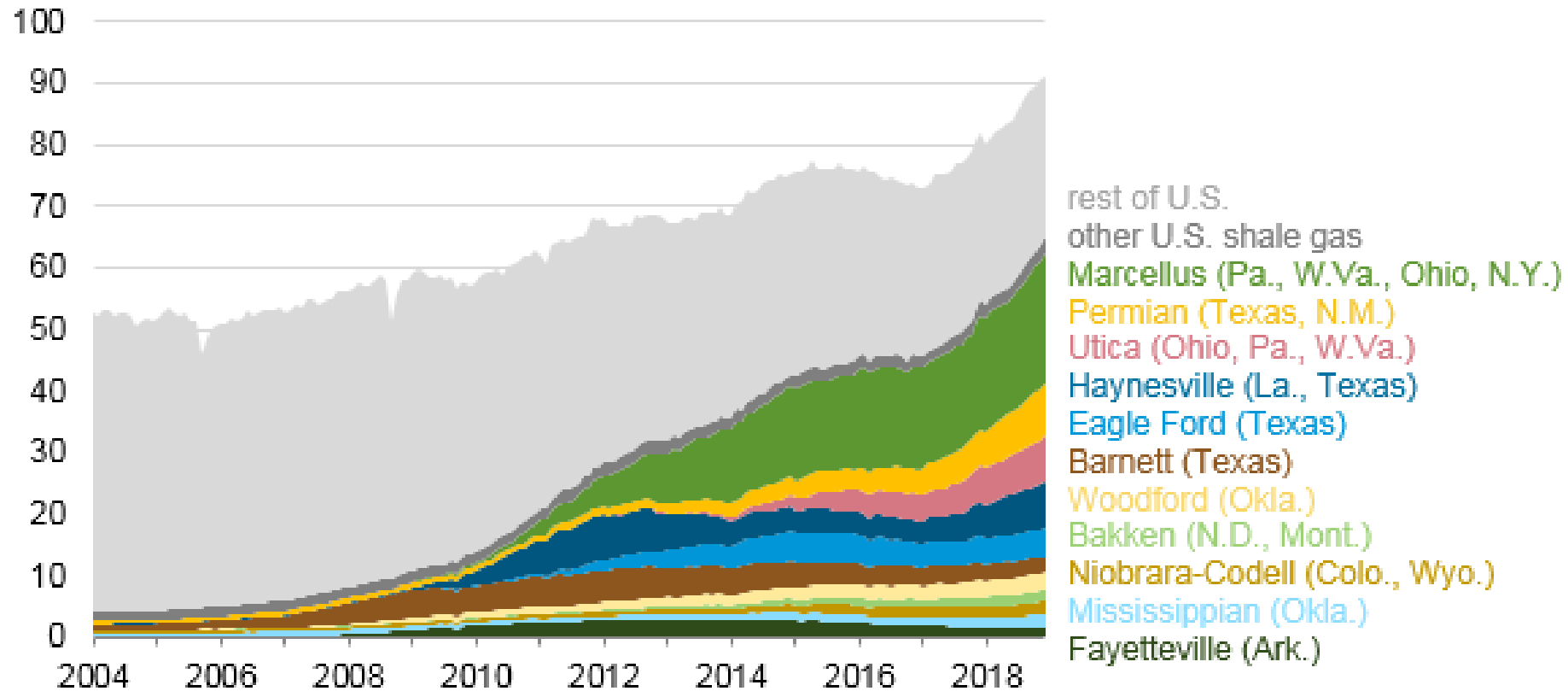


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Drilling into conventional sources is like sticking a straw in a jelly donut – the petroleum is trapped in a large single formation that just flows out under pressure. Drilling into unconventional sources like oil and gas shale is quite different, more like tiramisu – the petroleum is in many layers that have to be individually tapped using horizontal drilling and fracking methods to open up the rock. Saudi Arabia has a bunch of really big jelly donuts. The United States has lots of tiramisu, plus some pretty good jelly donuts as well. Source: Jim Scherrer

Domestic Shale Gas Production

Monthly U.S. dry natural gas production (2004-2018)
billion cubic feet per day



Public Utilities Perspective

Bert Kalisch
President and CEO, American Public Gas Association

Who is APGA?

- 1,028 Publicly Owned Gas Systems in U.S.
- 741 are APGA Members
 - States Served: 37 states
 - Serve approximately 5 million customers
 - Employees: 21,000
 - Miles of Main: 120,000

APGA Mission

The **Safe** and **Reliable** delivery
of **affordable** natural gas
at **just and reasonable** rates.

The Benefits of Direct Use

- Reliable
- Affordable
- Abundant / Domestic
- Direct-Use: 92% Efficient
- Reduces consumer energy costs
- Reduces greenhouse gas emissions
- Resilient

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A move away from large remote generation to more distributed generation

- Higher efficient units
- Greater reliability
- Smaller T&D losses

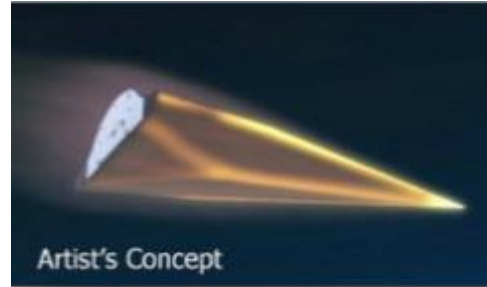
The United States Advanced Ceramics Association

John Holowczak
USACA Chair

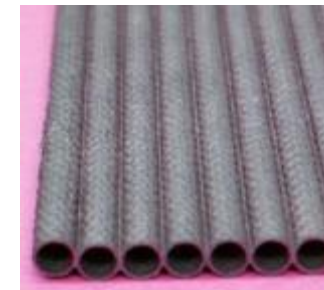
What are Advanced Ceramics?

Lightweight, strong materials capable of performing in extreme environments:

- High Temperature and Pressure
- High Stiffness and Durability
- Ultra Hard & Tough Surface

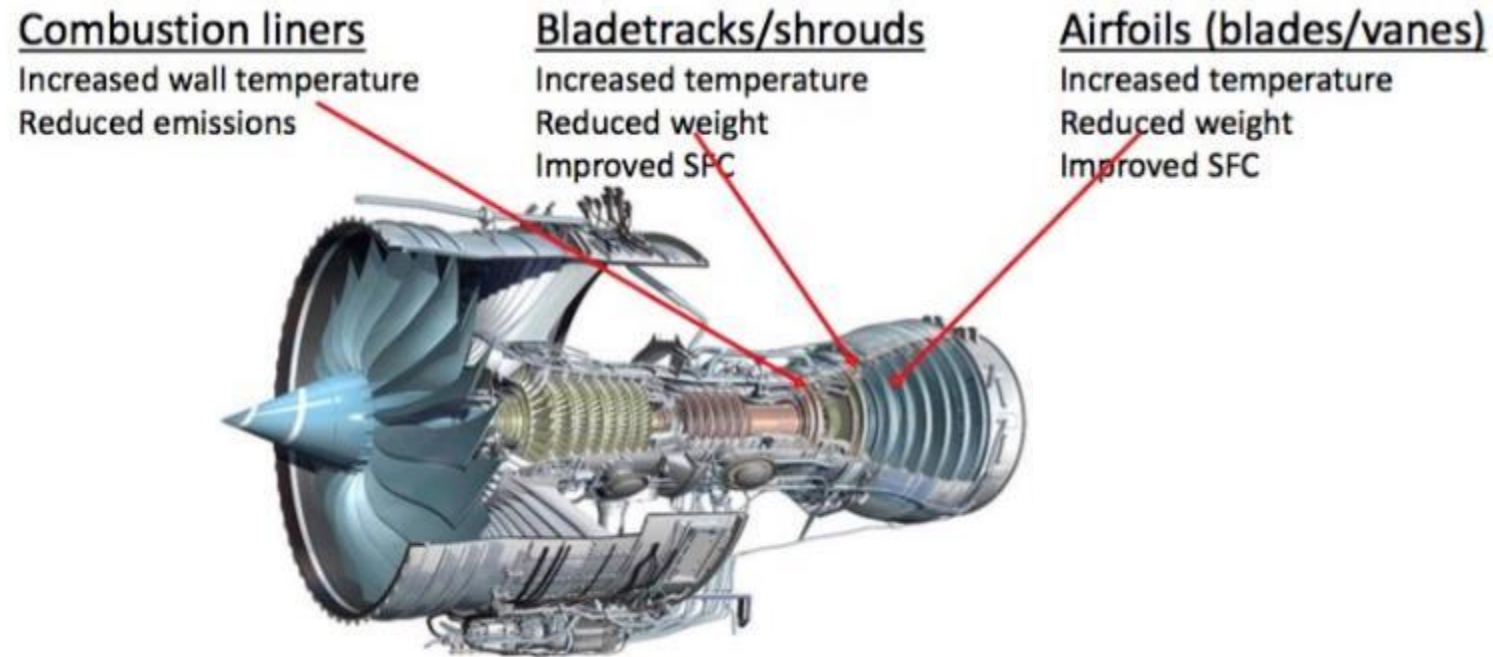


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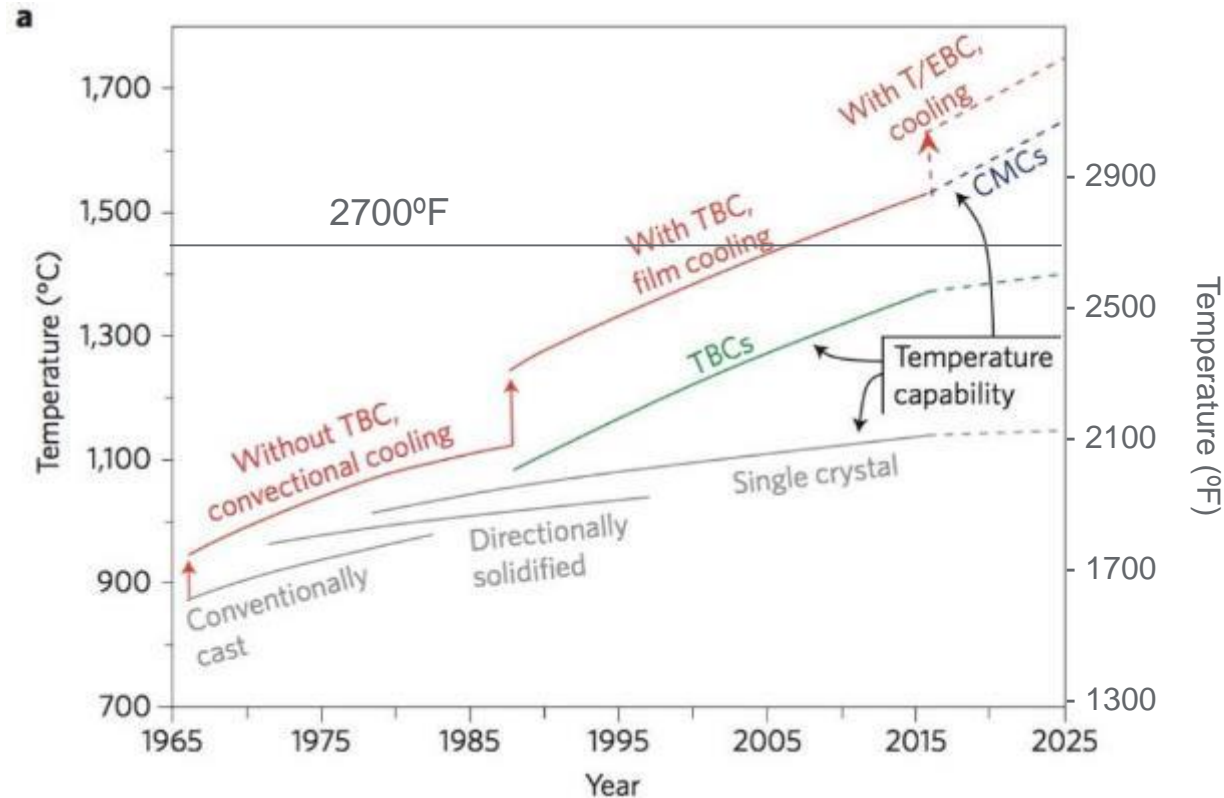
CMC Applications in Advanced Gas Turbines

Ceramic Matrix Composites (or CMCs) are a subgroup of ceramics made from ceramic fibers embedded in a ceramic matrix.



Applications in both static and rotating components.

Why 2700°F CMCs?




The recent National Academy of Sciences study identified 1480°C (2700°F) CMCs of particular research interest.

These could dramatically reduce or eliminate cooling in many parts of an engine and thus boost efficiency and lower weight.

Adapted from a) Nature Materials, V15, 8/16 and b) NAS Commercial Aircraft Propulsion and Energy Systems Research: Reducing Global Carbon Emissions, 2016.

Peer countries recognize “turbine CMC” race is on

4-2 CMC開発の実用化に向けて② 


○プロジェクト最終目標（平成31年度）【IHI、川崎重工業】

- 室温引張強度200MPa以上、1400℃×400Hr曝露後強度低下20%以下を満足するCMC材料を開発する。
- 開発したSiC繊維がCMC材料に適用可能であることを確認する。

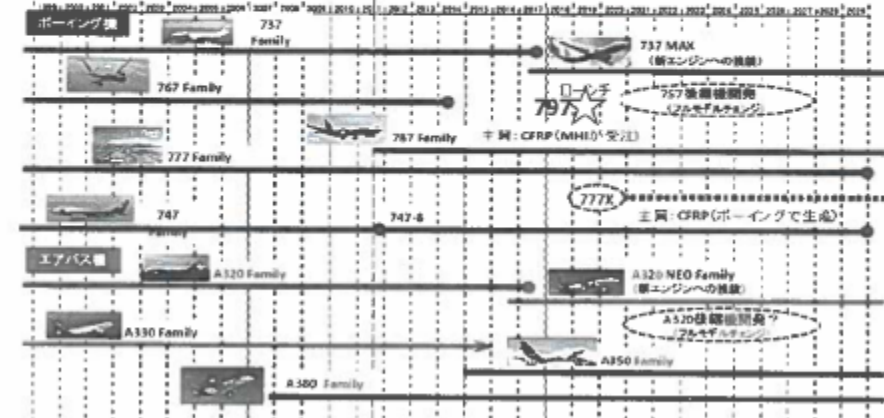
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- プロジェクト終了後、次世代エンジンへの適用を目指して、IHIは、高圧タービンのシュラウド・静翼、川崎重工業は、燃焼器パネルに向けてCMC部材を開発し、試験・評価を行う。

2019 NEDO CMC material capability goal

4-3 成果の実用化に向けた戦略① 

- 本事業では、海外OEMの次期量産機の開発計画に合わせて技術開発を推進することが重要。
- 次期量産機のローンは、2019年(B797(仮))、2025年(B737、A320後継)と予想される。



出典：我が国航空機産業の現状と課題 NEDO一部改題
http://www.meti.go.jp/committee/summary/0001640/pdf/059_h02_00.pdf

Japan’s New Energy Development Organization (NEDO) investing \$62M into a 2550°F class CMC material development; engine component demonstrations as next step, targeting turbine component market, temperature exceeds U.S. industry capability

Potential for U.S. to lose its manufacturing base in turbine components