

Developments in the European Energy Market and VGB's contribution

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- VGB has been active since 2007
- Partner of GIZ to support the "Excellence Enhancement Centre" operating as a selfsustaining organization

Some highlights:

- Study "Best Practices for Coal-Based Power Plants in Germany" – 300 pages about new build, operation, maintenance and servicing
- Project "Improvement of Electrostatic Precipitator Performance" by applying CFDmodeling at the reference, the Ramagundam power plant of NTPC



IGEF in Delhi, Feb 2015

EEC-Workshops in Delhi and Bangalore, March 2013

IGEF in Berlin, Feb 2013

EEC Inauguration, Feb 2012

VGB is active as a partner of GIZ and has set up a Memorandum of Understanding with the Central Electricity Authority.



CCS development in the EU

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E.ON's bold new beginning:

Demerger strategy aims to 'recapture entrepreneurial initiative' in future and classical

(WORLD ENERGY FOCUS March 2015)

CO₂-penalty for coal-fired

power plants
The German Federal Ministry of
Economics and Energy plans to
establish a CO₂-penalty for coalfired power plants in order to
meet the climate-targets
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Latest coal-based new builds in Western Europe turn out being stranded investments due to heavy delays and the "missing money problem"

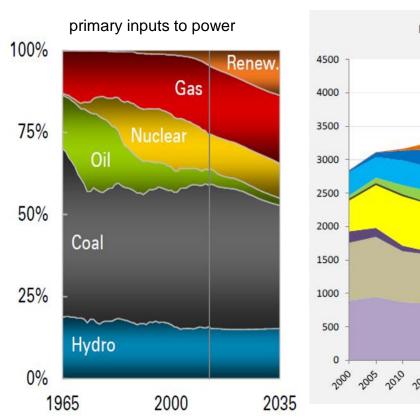
Major R&D projects aiming at 700°C / Advanced-Ultra-Super-Critical Technology such as ENCIO have been cancelled

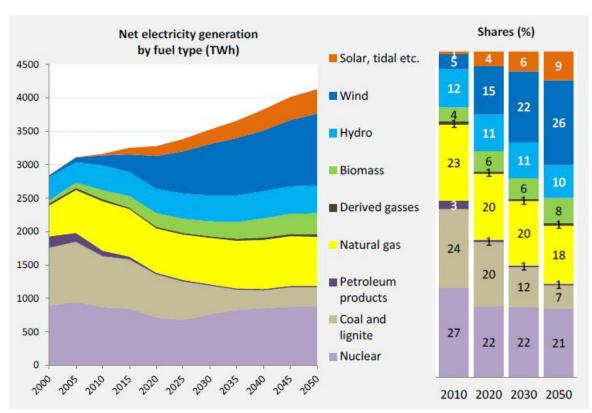
Coal-fired power plants: quo vadis?



World-wide

Europe





Source: BP Energy Outlook 2015

Source: EU Energy, Transport and GHG Emsission - Trends to 2050, EU Comission 2013

Coal based power plants will have a relevant share in power generation in the next two to three decades.





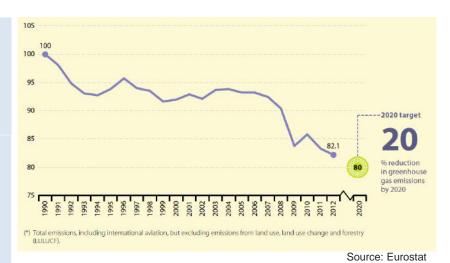
20/20/20 targets: CO₂ emission reduction, efficiency increase, share of renewables by 2020

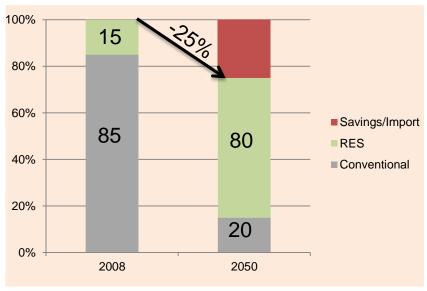
40% CO₂-reduction target, share of renewables of 27% of energy consumption, 27% efficiency increase by **2030 framework**

Reduction of greenhouse gases by 40% in 2020, by 80% in 2050

Phase-out of nuclear power by 2022

Increase of the share of renewables up to 80%, reduction of primary energy consumption by 50% and decrease of electricity consumption by 25% in 2050

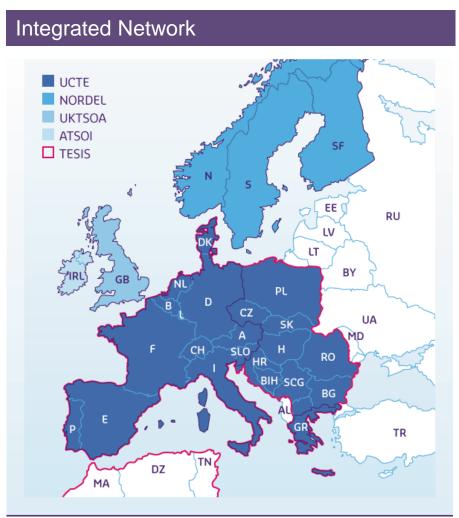


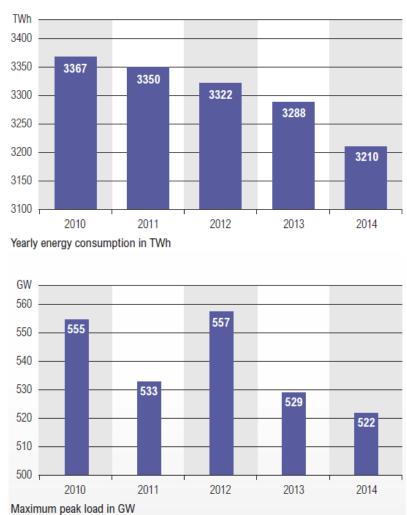


Reference year for CO₂-reduction:1990

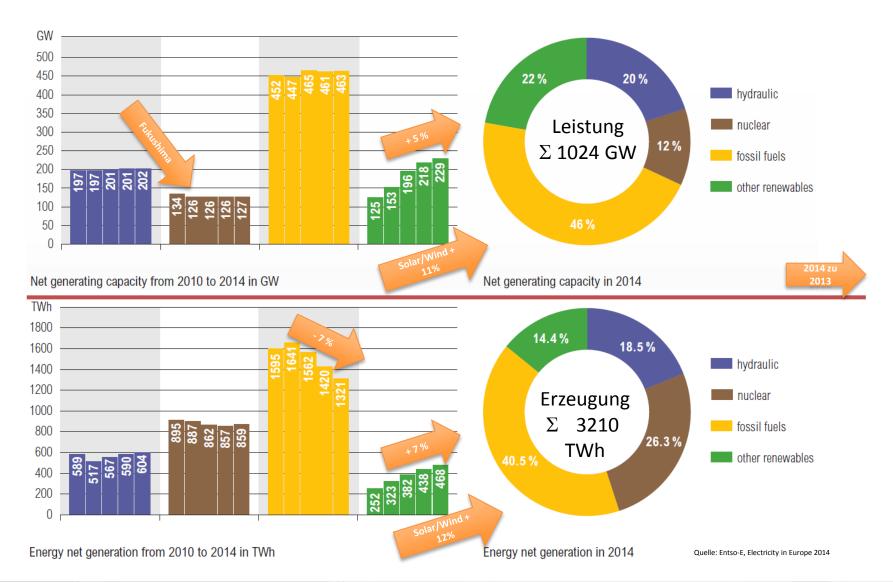








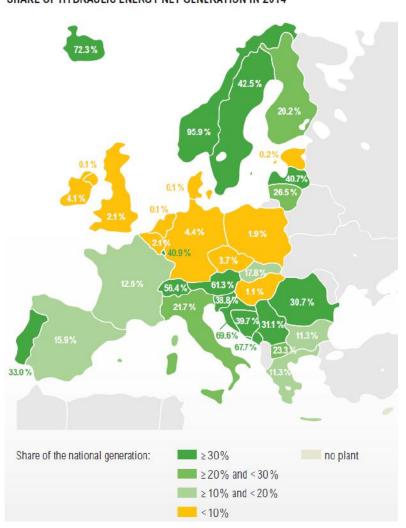




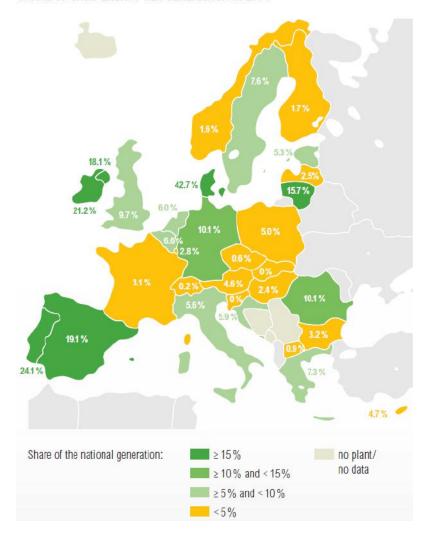




SHARE OF HYDRAULIC ENERGY NET GENERATION IN 2014

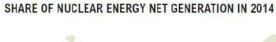


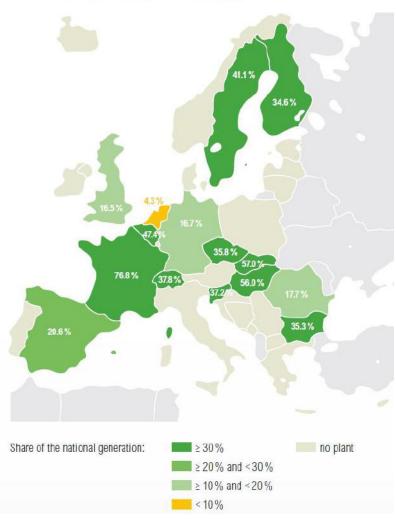
SHARE OF WIND ENERGY NET GENERATION IN 2014



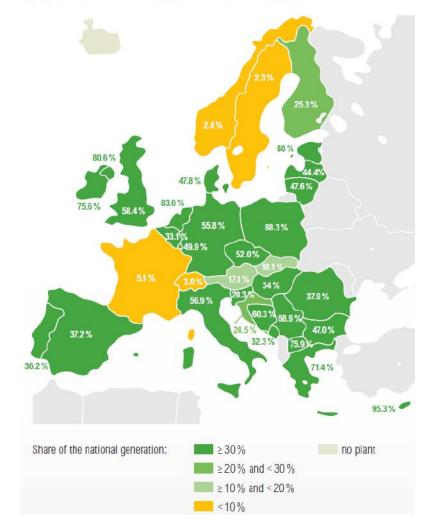






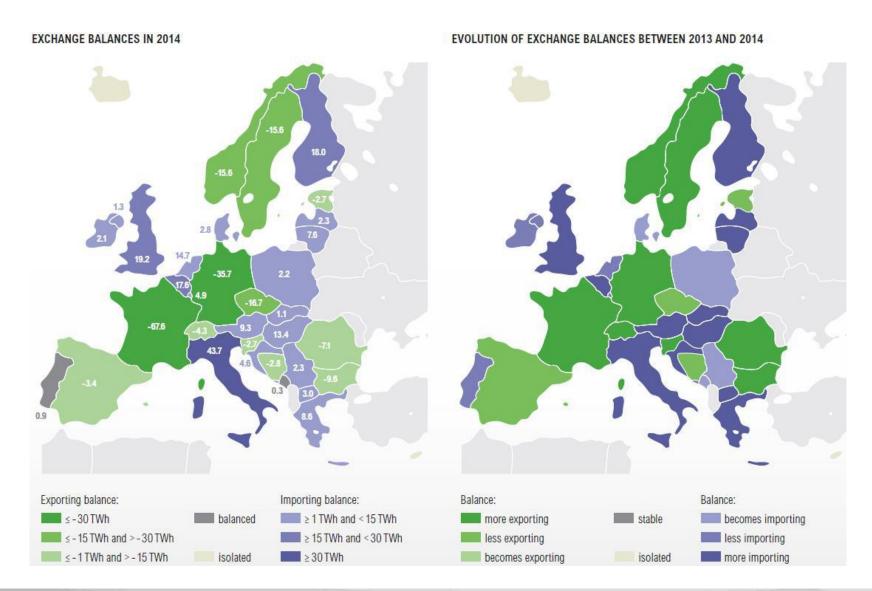


SHARE OF FOSSIL FUELS ENERGY NET GENERATION IN 2014









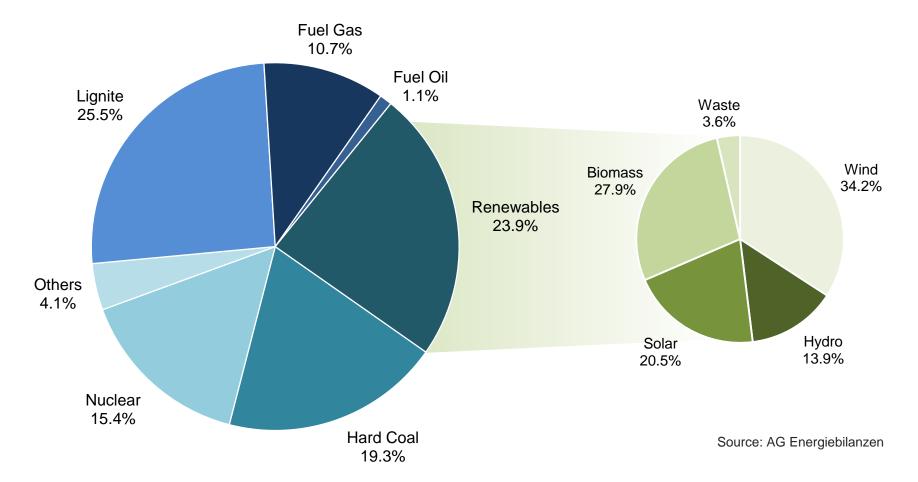




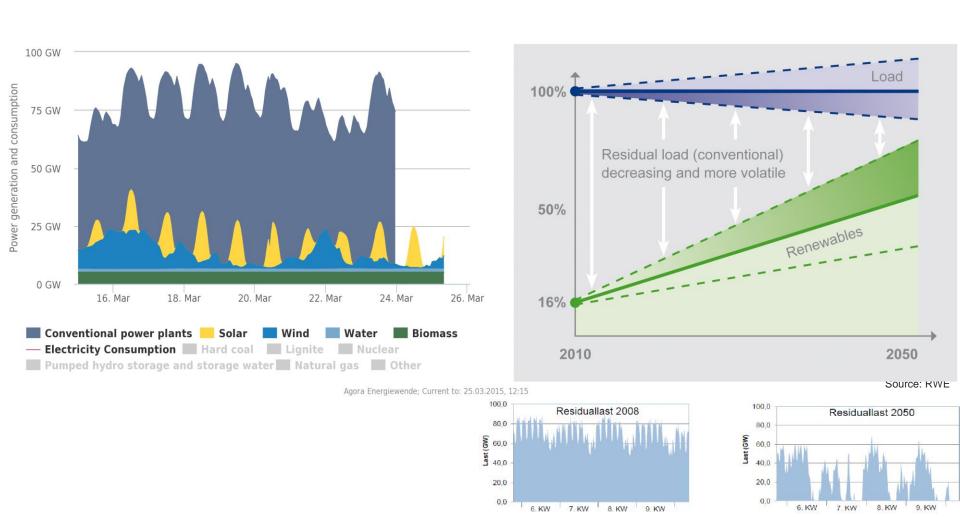
Power generation in Germany in 2013

Installed capacity: 189 GW

• Gross power production: 632 TWh

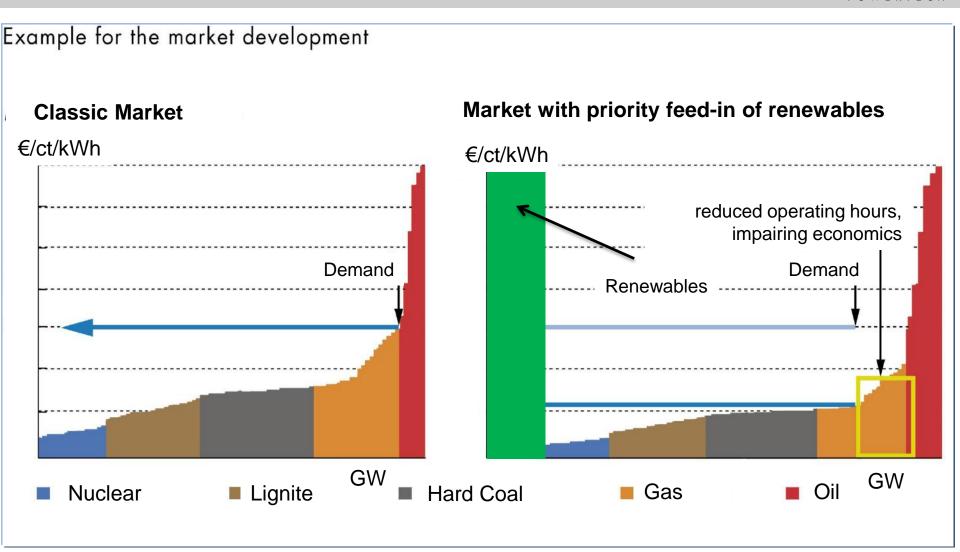






Even in Germany there will be a significant fossil-based capacity of 45 to 65 GW by 2030 to 2050. Big challenges are a decreasing residual load and increased fluctuations.

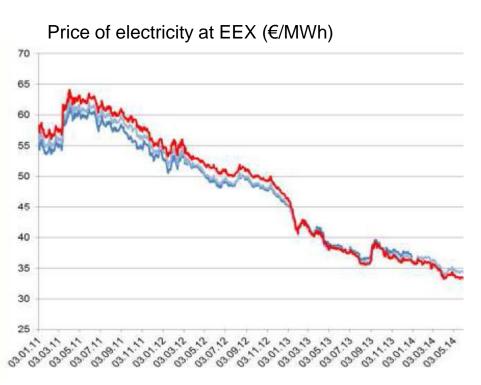


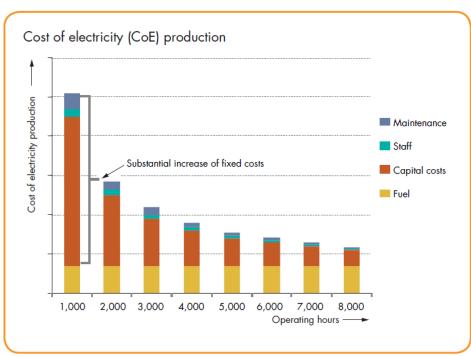


Consequences of the merit order distortion are lower wholesale prices and less operating hours.









Lower prices and less operating hours have deteriorated the profitability of conventional power plants, even on marginal costs.

