

Implications of a Fast Nuclear Phase-out: The German Example

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Major Goals of the German „Energiewende“

- Phase out of nuclear energy (2022)
- GHG emissions:
(compared to the level of 1990)
 - 40% by 2020
 - 55% by 2035
 - 80% by 2050
- Total primary energy supply (TPES):
 - 50% by 2050
- Share of renewables (RES) in TPES:
 - ≥30% by 2030
- Electricity demand:
 - 10% by 2020
- Share of RES in electricity generation:
 - 50% by 2030
 - 80% by 2050
- Heat demand of building stock:
 - 20% by 2020
- Share of RES in final energy demand of the transport sector:
 - 10% by 2020

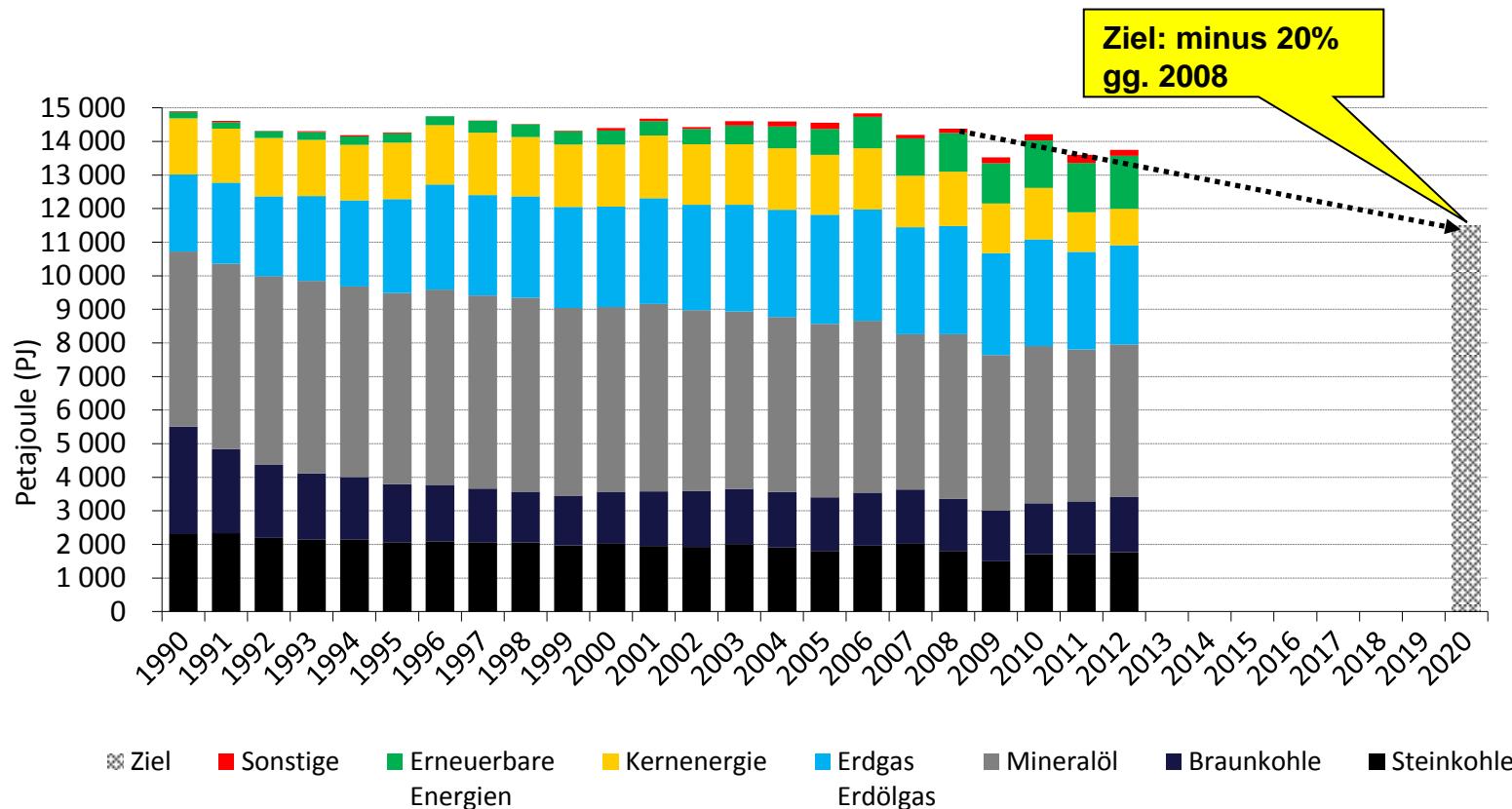
Energiewende - Milestones/Meilensteine

1979-1985	Deutscher Bundestag - Enquête-Kommission „Zukünftige Kernenergie-Politik“
1980	Krause/Bossel/Müller-Reißmann: Energie-Wende. Wachstum und Wohlstand ohne Erdöl und Uran
1987-1990	Deutscher Bundestag - Enquête-Kommission „Vorsorge zum Schutz der Erdatmosphäre“
1994	Alt: Die Sonne schickt uns keine Rechnung. Die Energiewende ist möglich
2000	Vereinbarung zwischen Bundesregierung und Energieversorgungsunternehmen
2000-2002	Deutscher Bundestag - Enquête-Kommission „Nachhaltige Energieversorgung unter den Bedingungen der Globalisierung und der Liberalisierung“
2003	WBGU: Welt im Wandel – Energiewende zur Nachhaltigkeit
2011	Ethik-Kommission: Deutschlands Energiewende – Ein Gemeinschaftswerk für die Zukunft

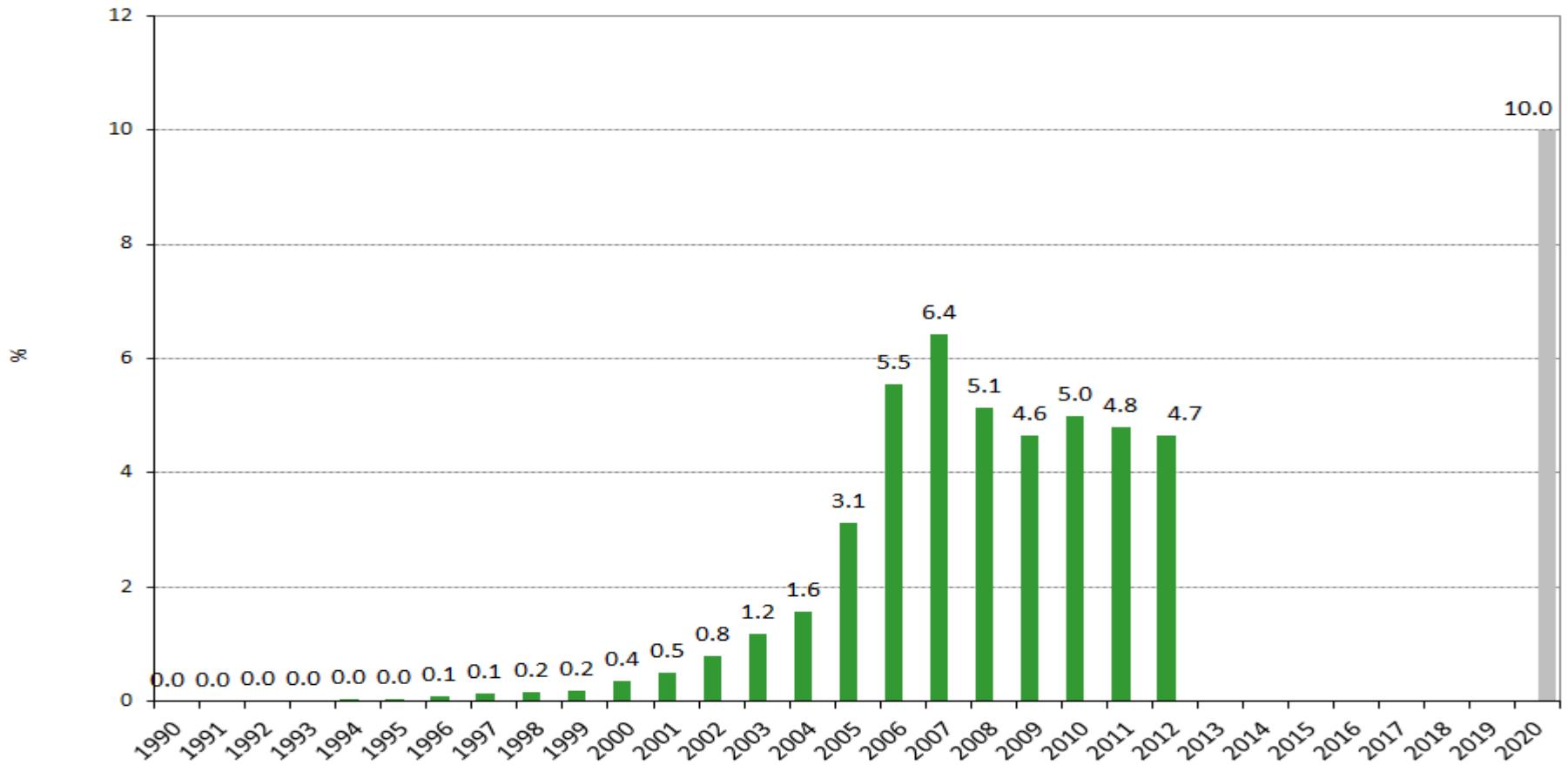
Monitoring



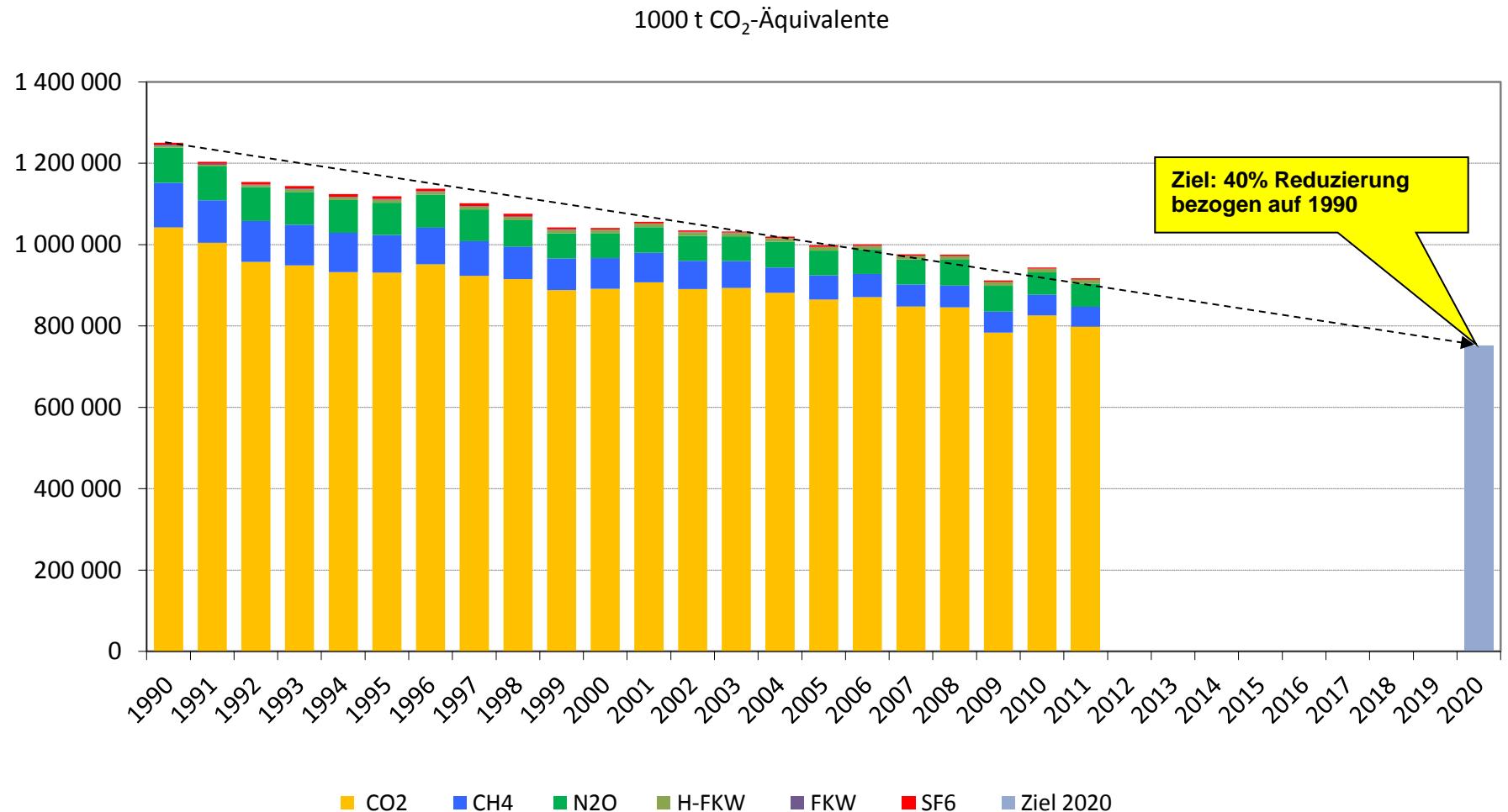
Monitoring Primary Energy in Germany



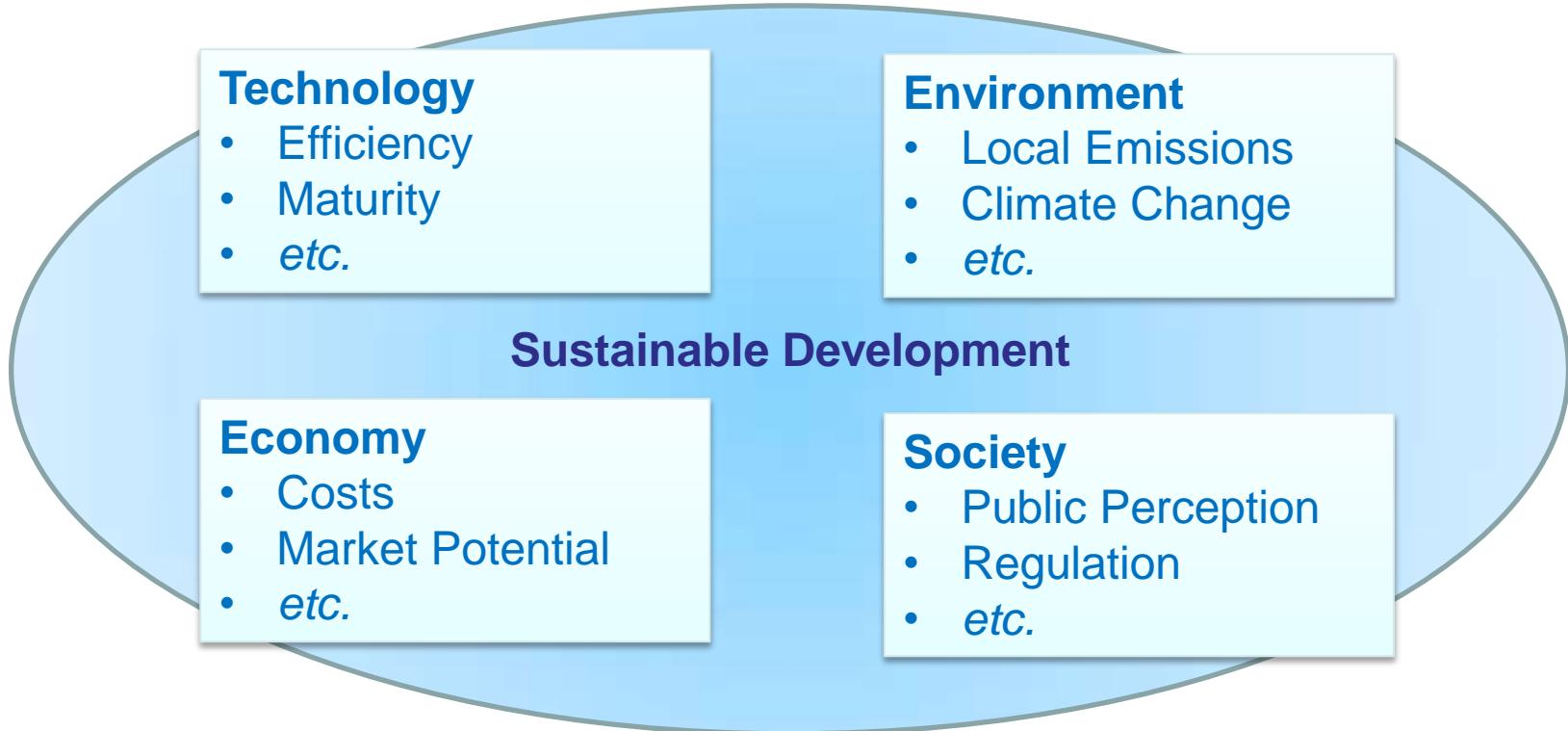
Monitoring Share of biofuels



Monitoring CO₂ Emissions

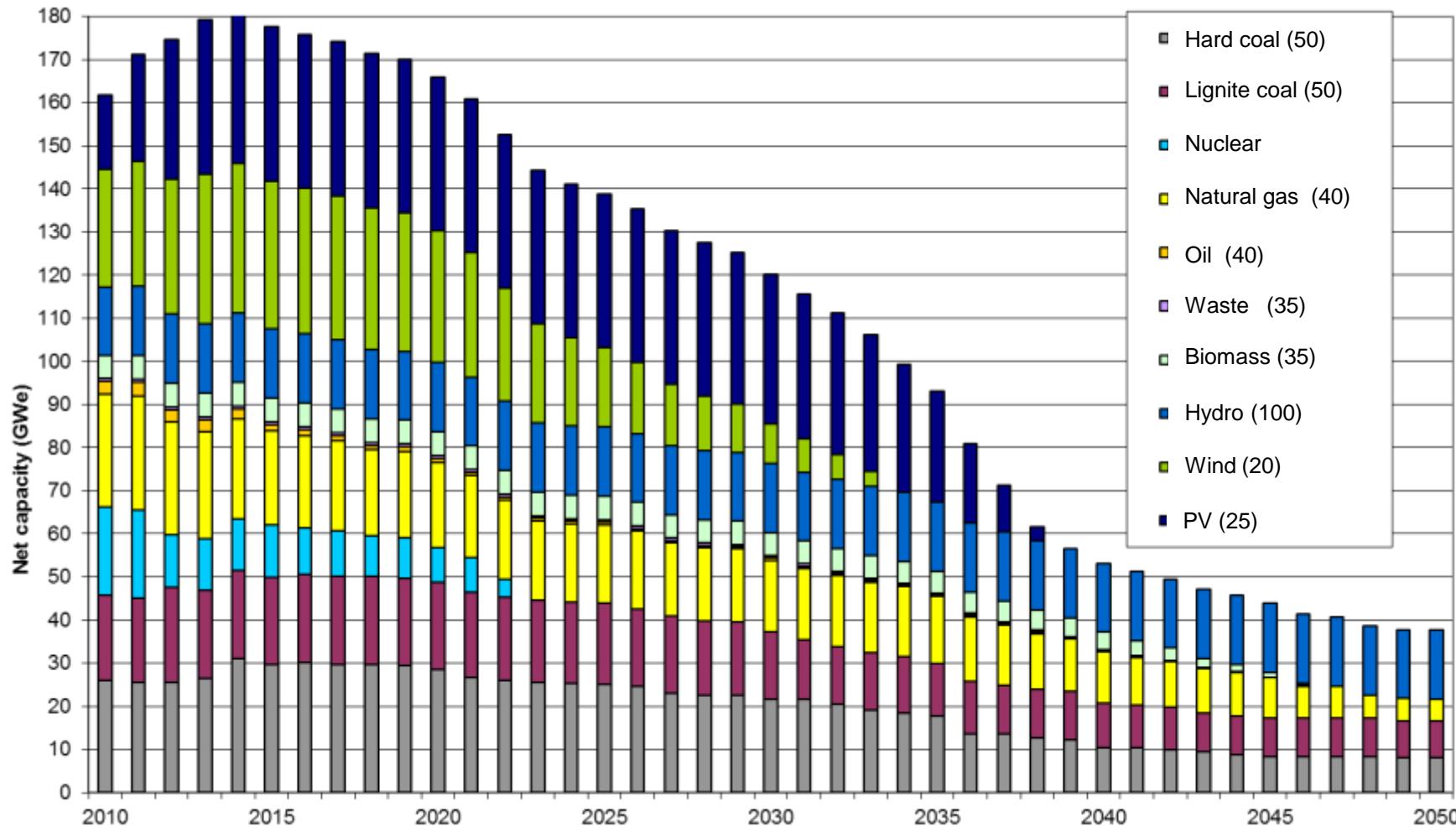


Assessment of Energy Technologies and Energy Systems



Scientific Basis for Multi-dimensional and Multi-criteria Societal/Political Decision-Making

Development of power plant capacity in Germany



Advice: Numbers in parathesis(...) = technical lifetime

Approach for security of electricity supply

Figure: Power flows and Grid Development Plan - grid topology 2022

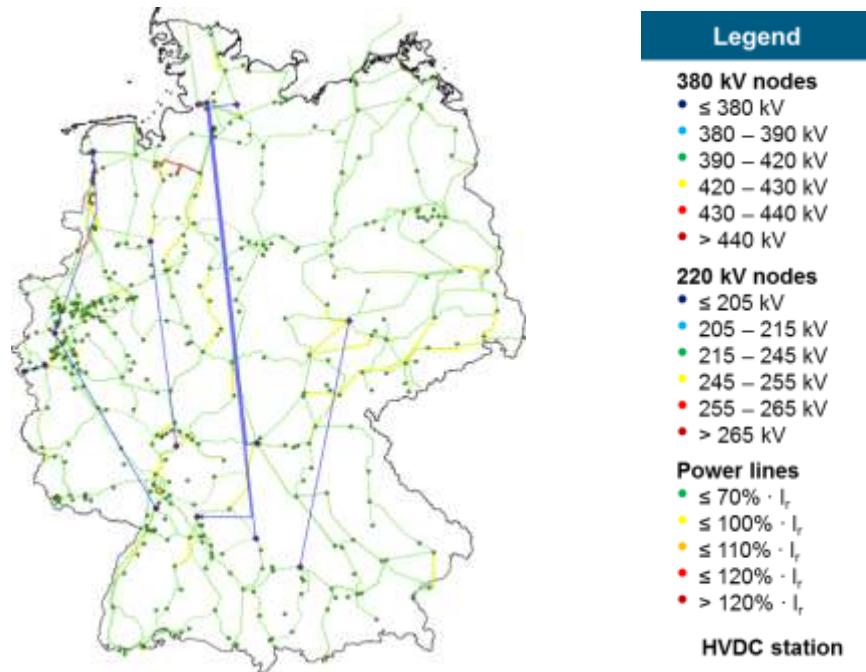
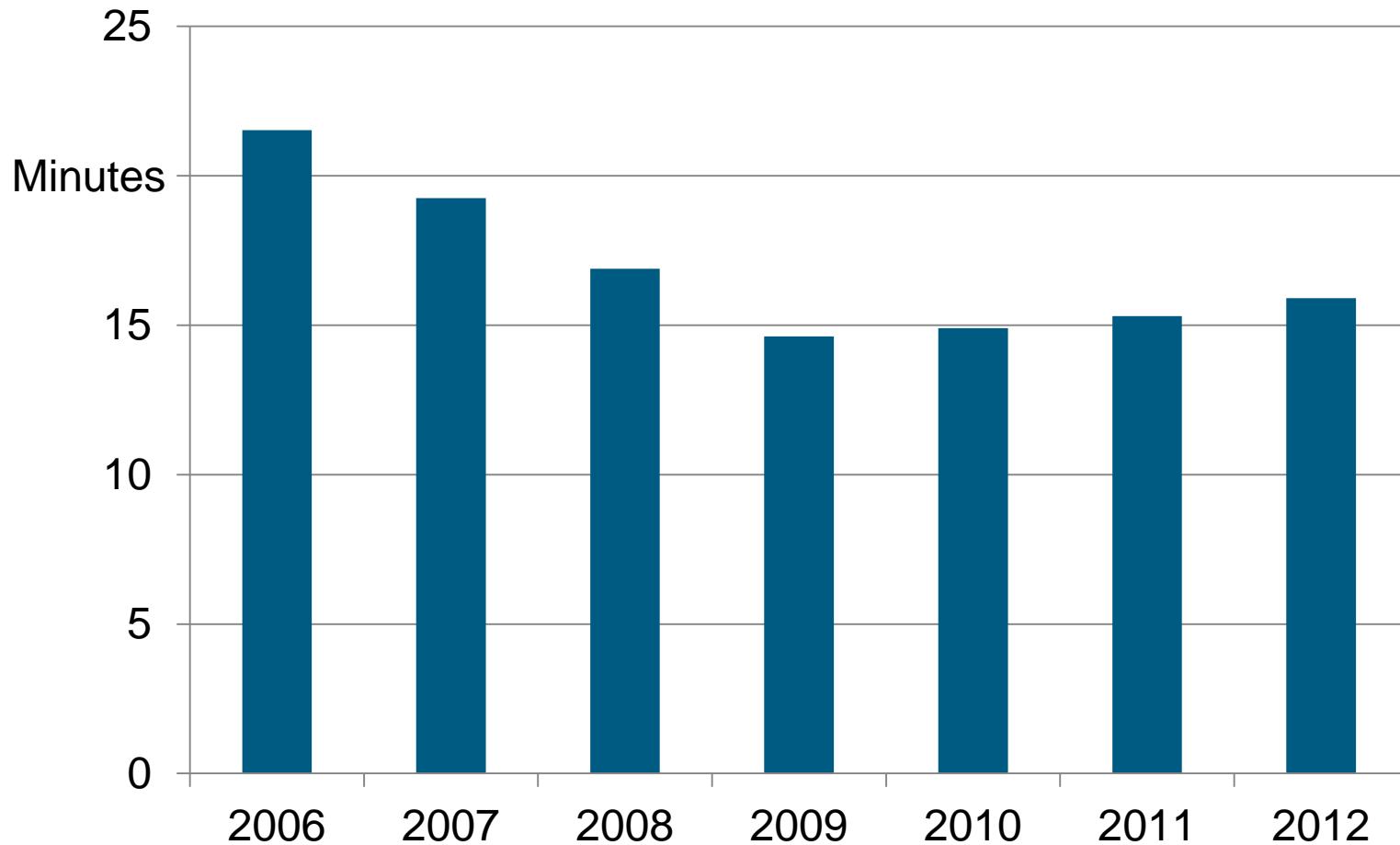


Figure: Power flows and Energy Concept - grid topology 2012



T. Pesch – H.J. Allelein – J.-Fr. Hake (2014): Impacts of the transformation of the German energy system on the transmission grid. The European Physical Journal Special Topics 1-15

Supply interruptions in Germany (SAIDI)



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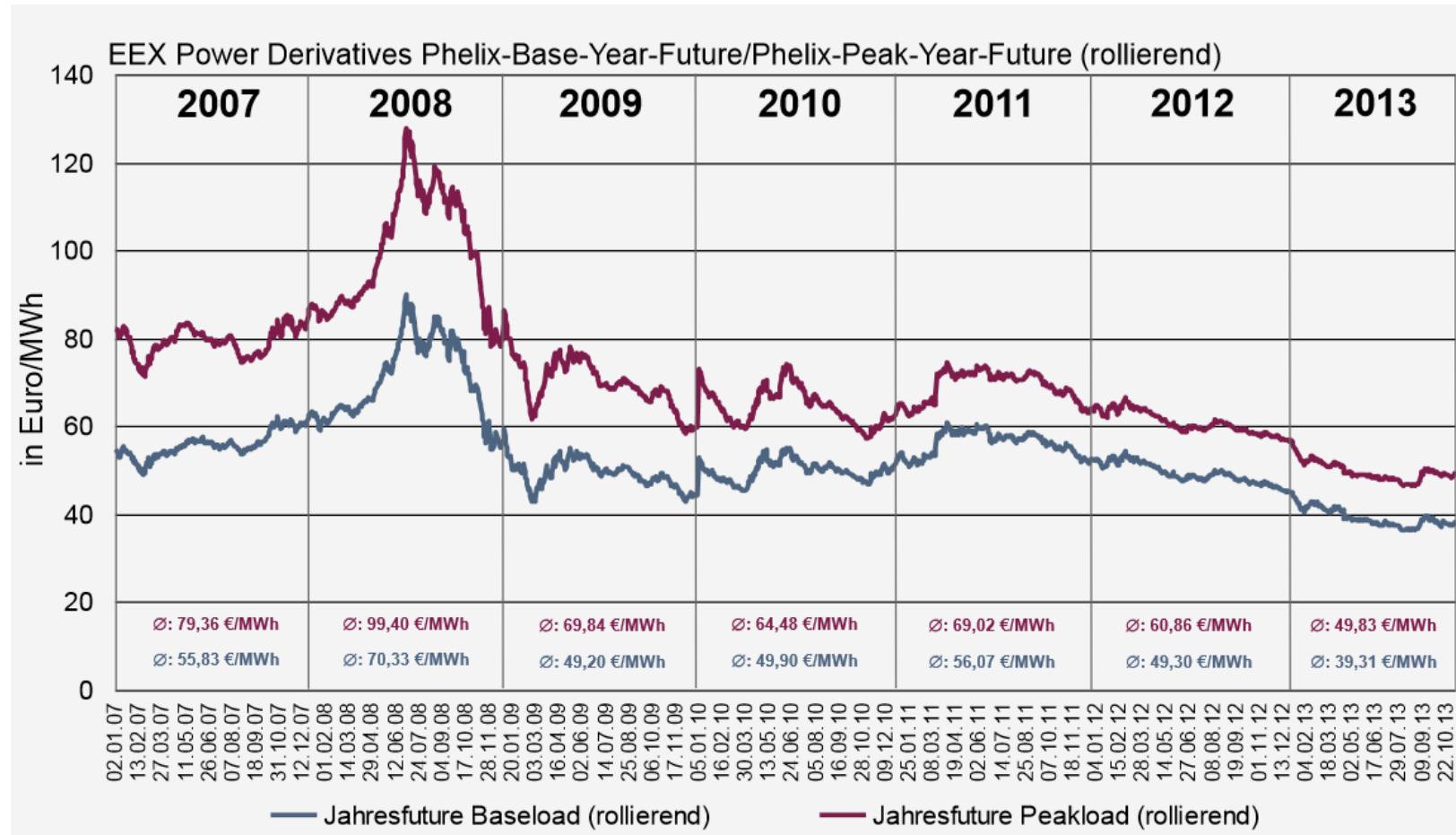
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EEX Price Development

Futures market

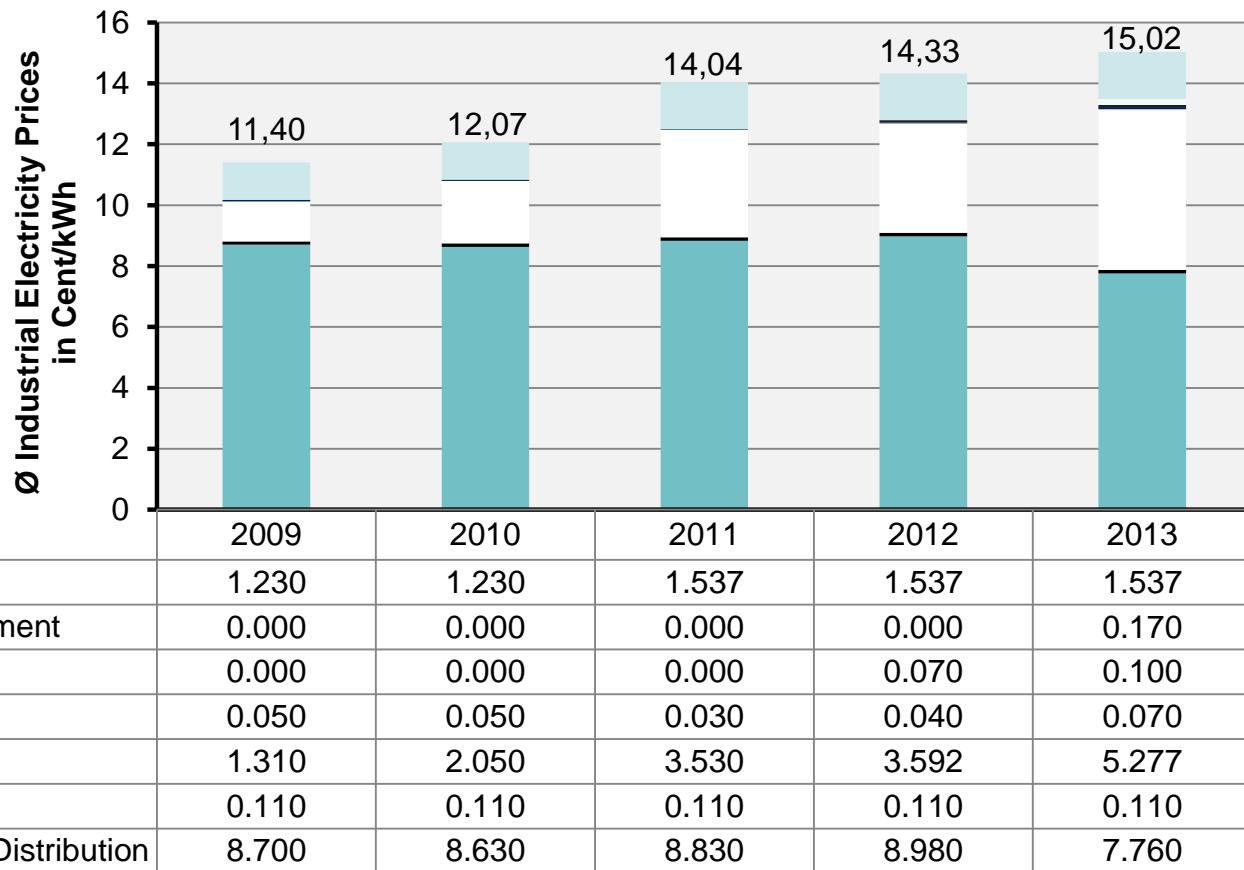


- Futures market is decisive for long-term procurement costs

Source: BDEW, Strompreisanalyse, Nov. 2013, mit Daten der EEX

Industrial Electricity Prices

Annual consumption: 160 to 20.000 MWh, supply at medium voltage level

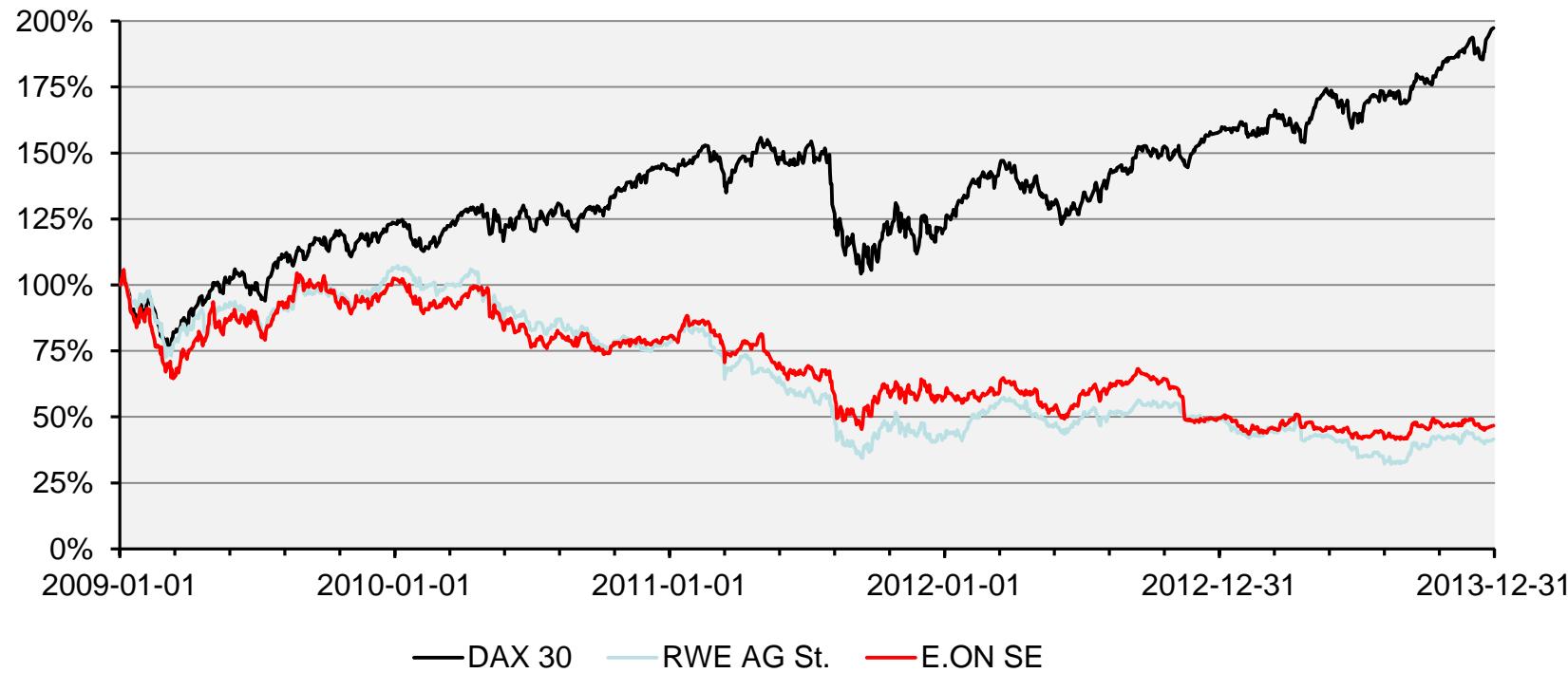


* Since 2010: Application AusgleichMechV

Source: BDEW, Strompreisanalyse, Nov. 2013

Development DAX 30, RWE, E.ON

Historical day opening price from 2009 to 2013, normalized to the beginning of 2009

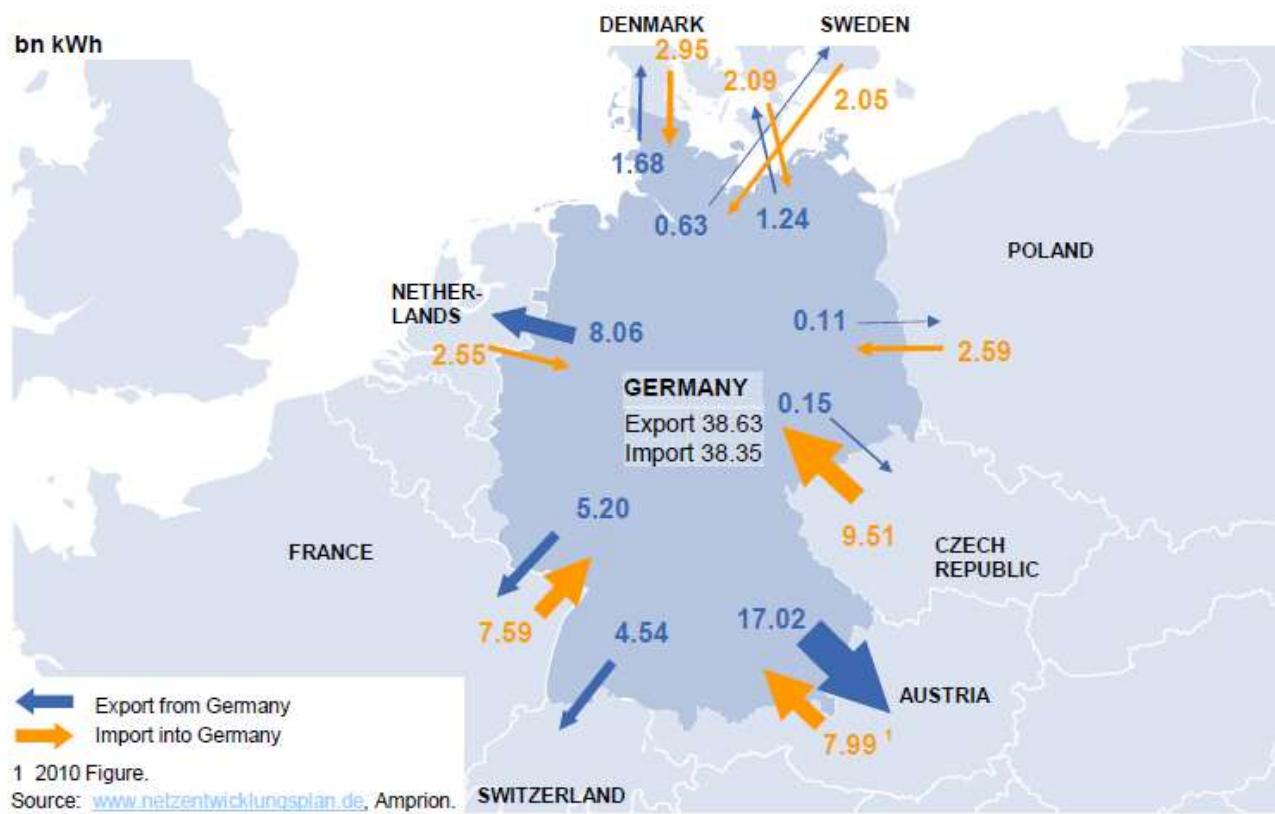


- Development DAX 30: + 97,38%
- Development RWE AG St.: - 58,47%
- Development E.ON SE: - 53,26%

➤ Opposite price development from RWE, E.ON and DAX 30

Source: finanzen.net (Abgerufen: 16.06.2014)

German Electricity Exports/Imports

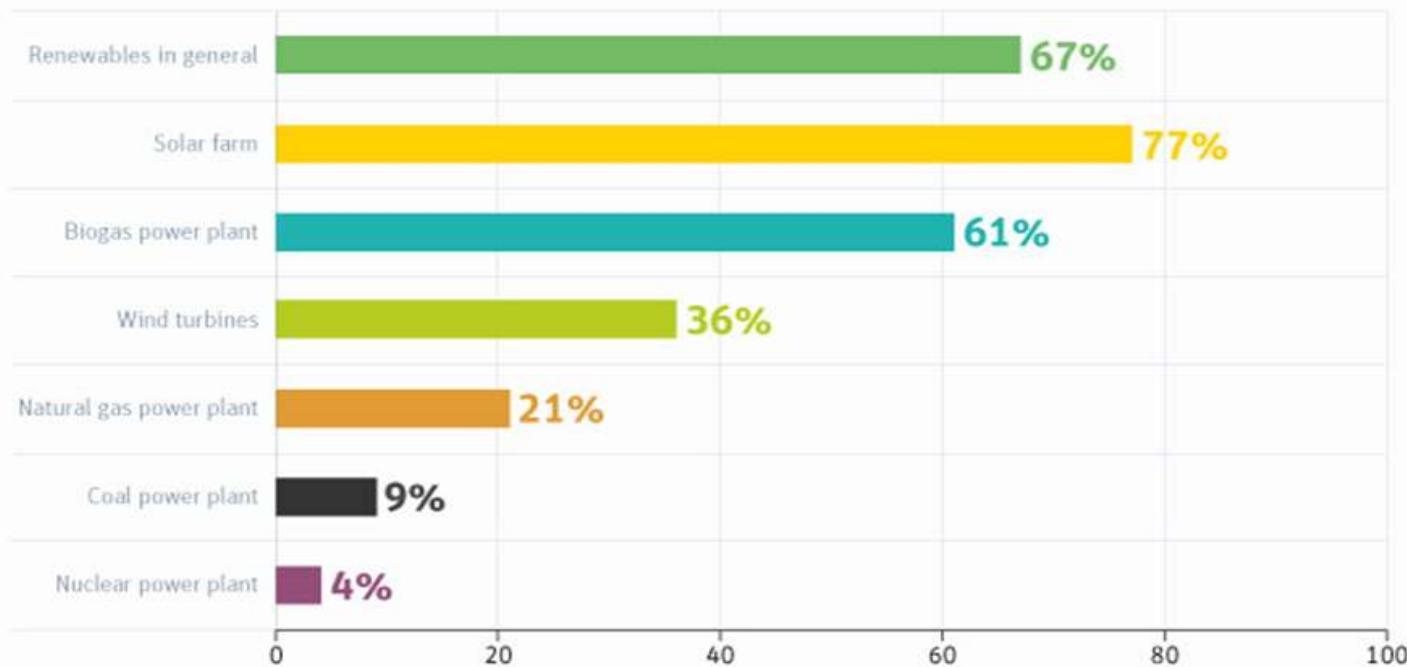


Public Opinion about Power Plants

Renewables have broad support in Germany

Share of Germans who "like" or "like a lot" living close to power generation. October 2012

Source: www.unendlich-viel-energie.de 



PERSPECTIVES

Observations - Status and Perspectives

Technology

- high level of maturity
- competition of concepts
- structural changes

Policy

- political framework unstable and inconsistent
- measures stimulate high prices
- changing visions

Environment

- local emissions at low level
- climate protection

Economy

- prices at high-level/affordability
- new business models

Society

- public acceptance is given
- local acceptance missing

Lessons Learnt

- The Energiewende addresses all sectors of the economy.
- The technological basis for the transformation exists. Changes to the existing infrastructure are required.
- Higher shares of volatile energy sources require a smarter management.
- Energy security has remained at a very high level.
- Time represents an important factor for structural changes.
- Economic impacts ... Business cases change according to new priorities in governmental and parliamentary decision making.
- Strong public support for the Energiewende.
- In Europe, a transformation of national energy systems must be compatible with the neighboring energy systems.

Warning

There is no RESET-key!



Thank you very much!

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