

# Power Market Reform

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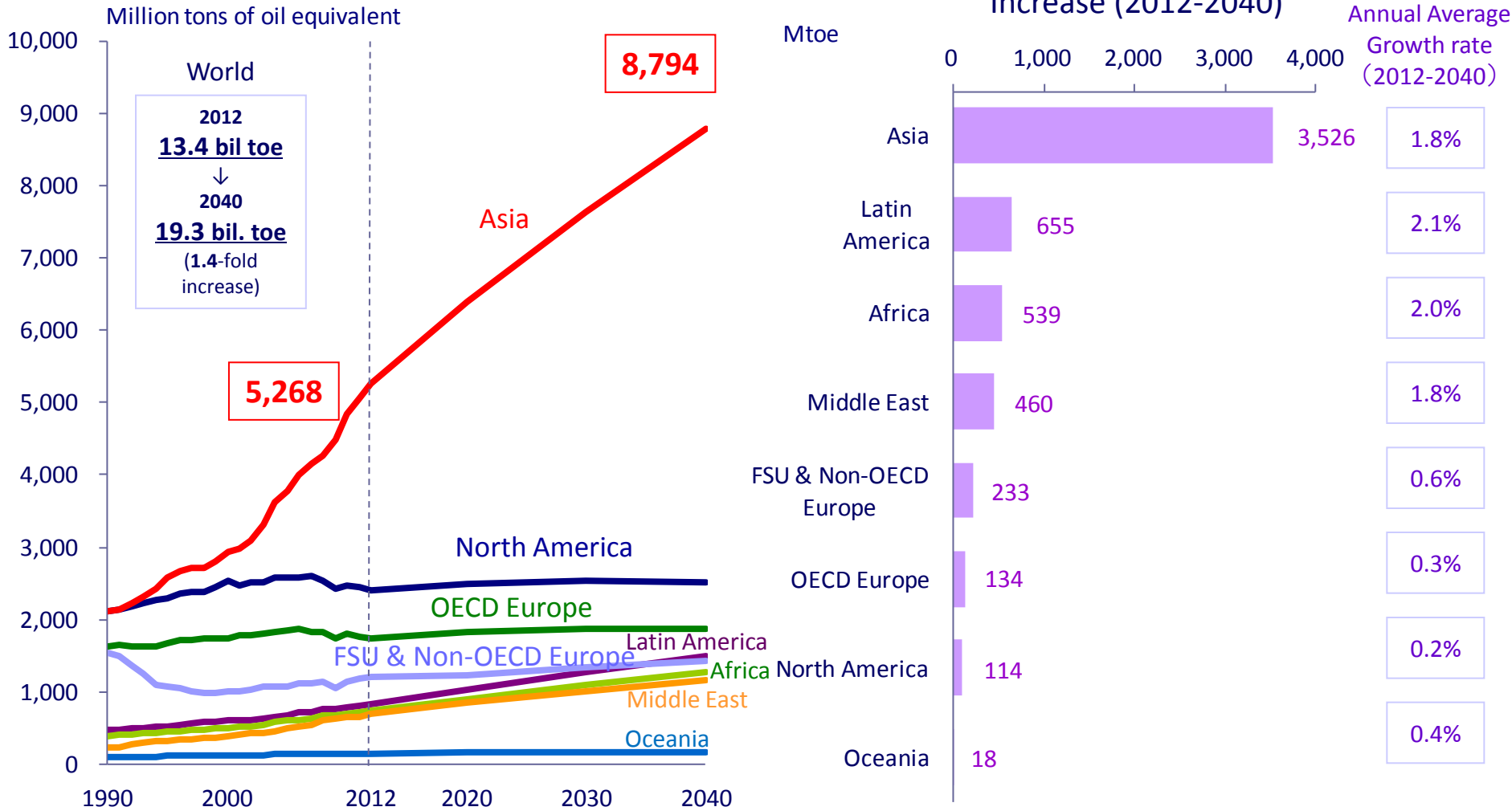
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# Introduction

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- Energy Situation in Asia
  - Findings from “Asia/ World Energy Outlook 2014”
- Some background on Electricity Market Reform
- Today’s Discussion Points

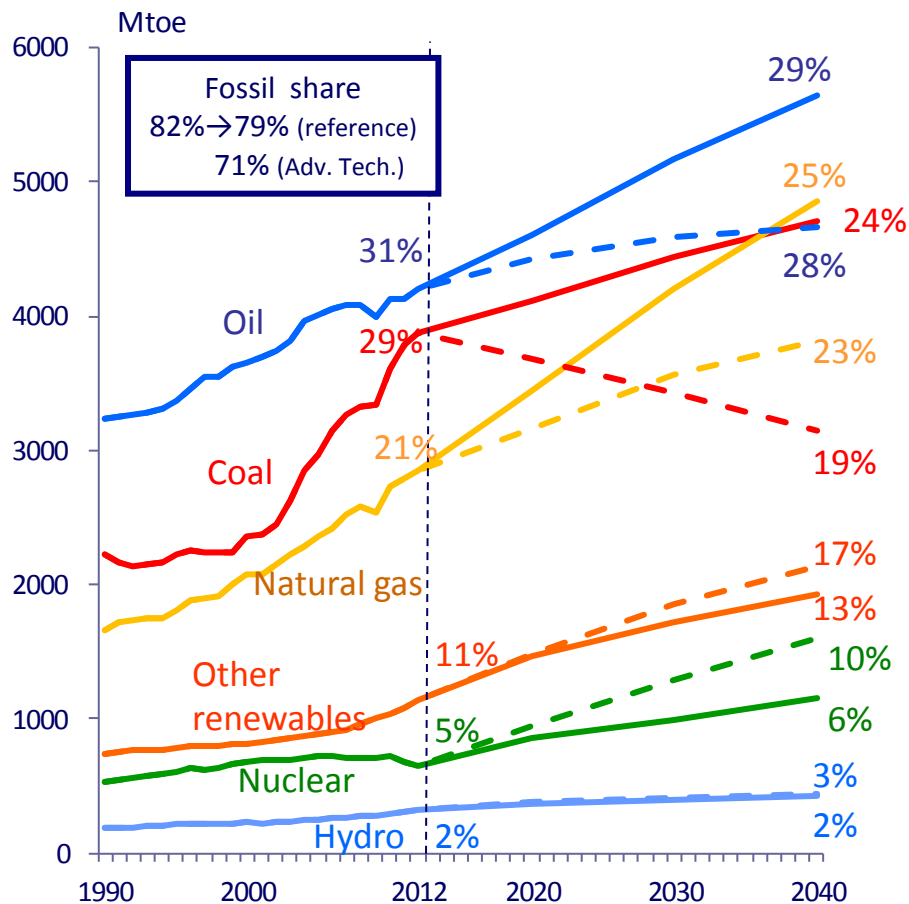
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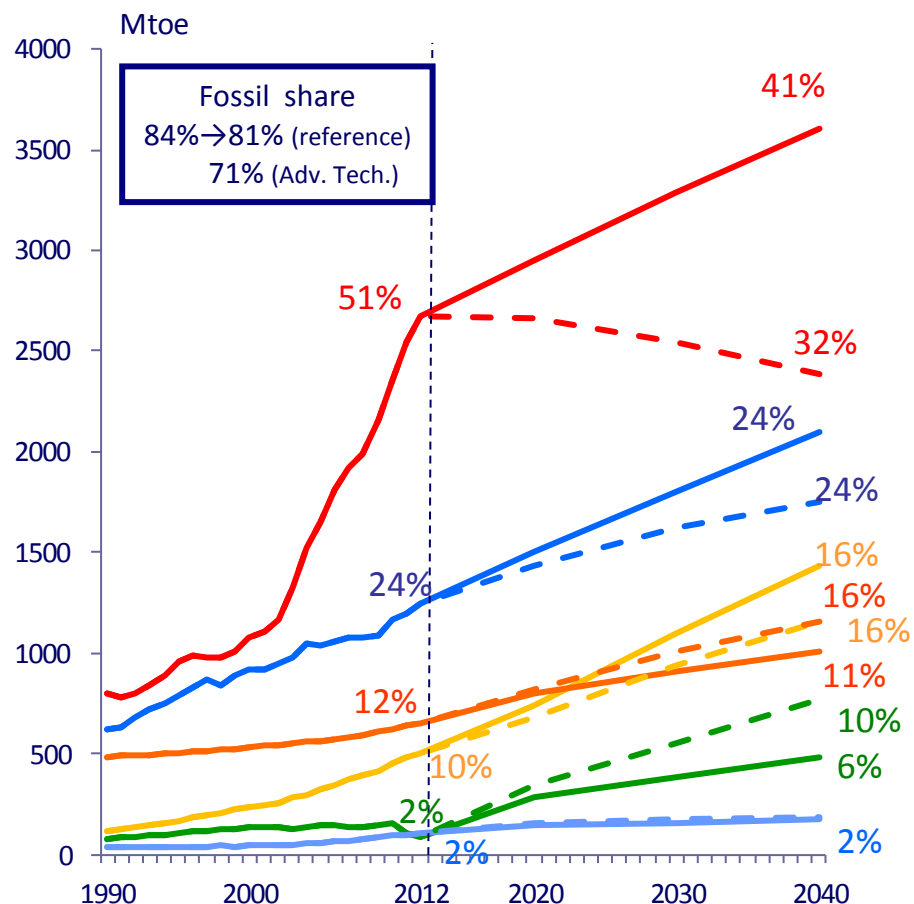
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# Primary Energy Demand by Energy

## World

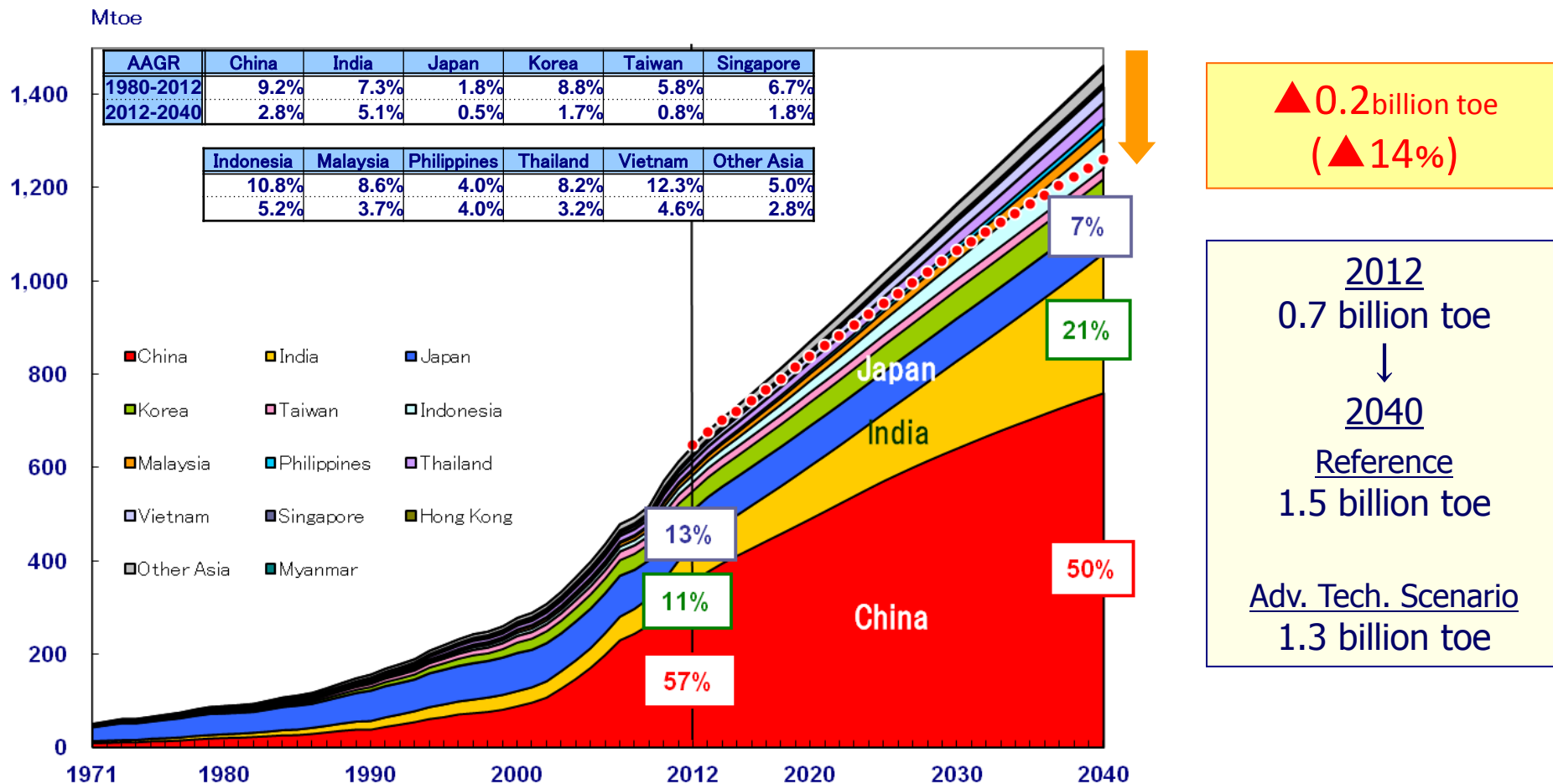


## Asia



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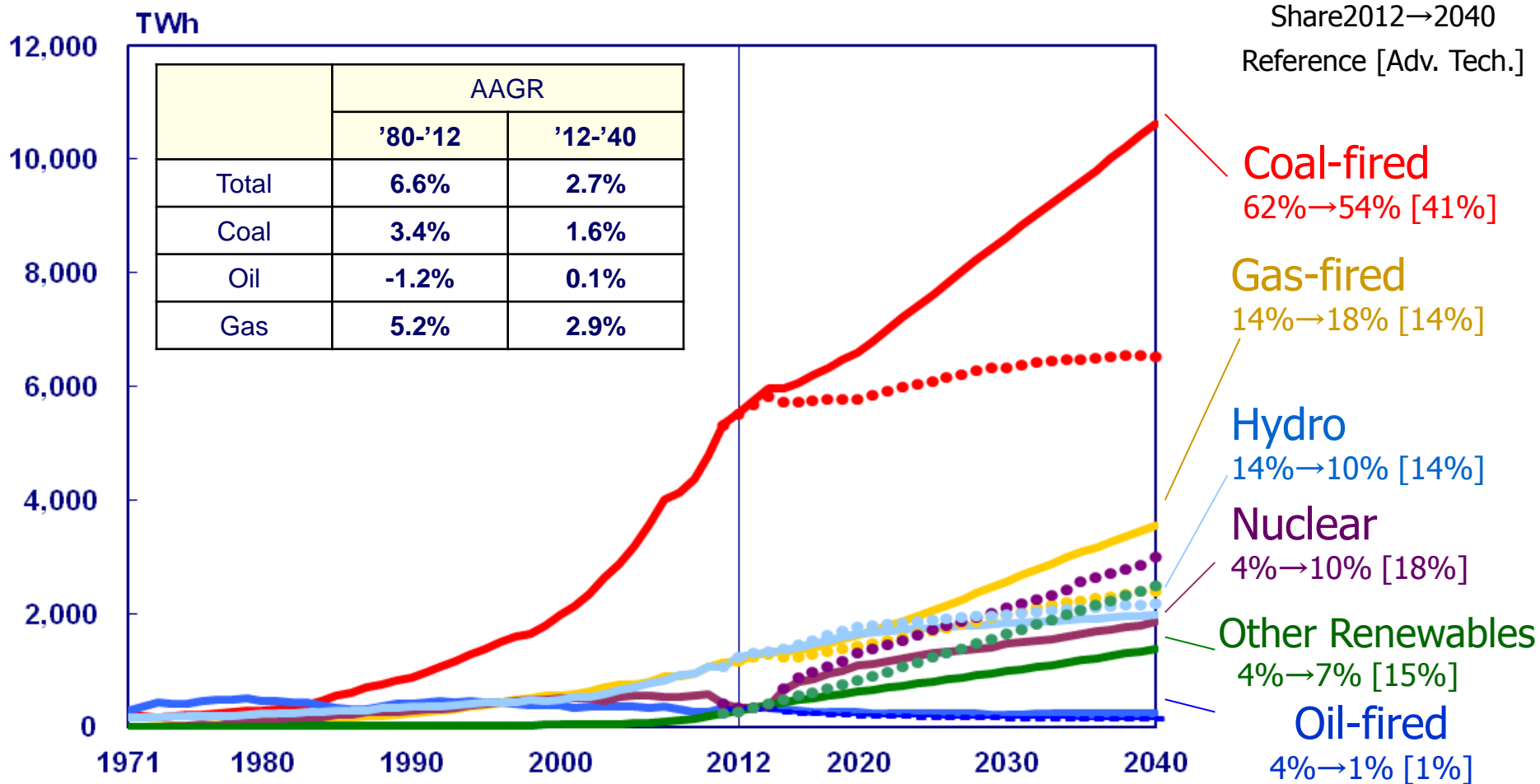
# Electricity Demand by Country (Asia)



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# Power Generation Mix by Source (Asia)

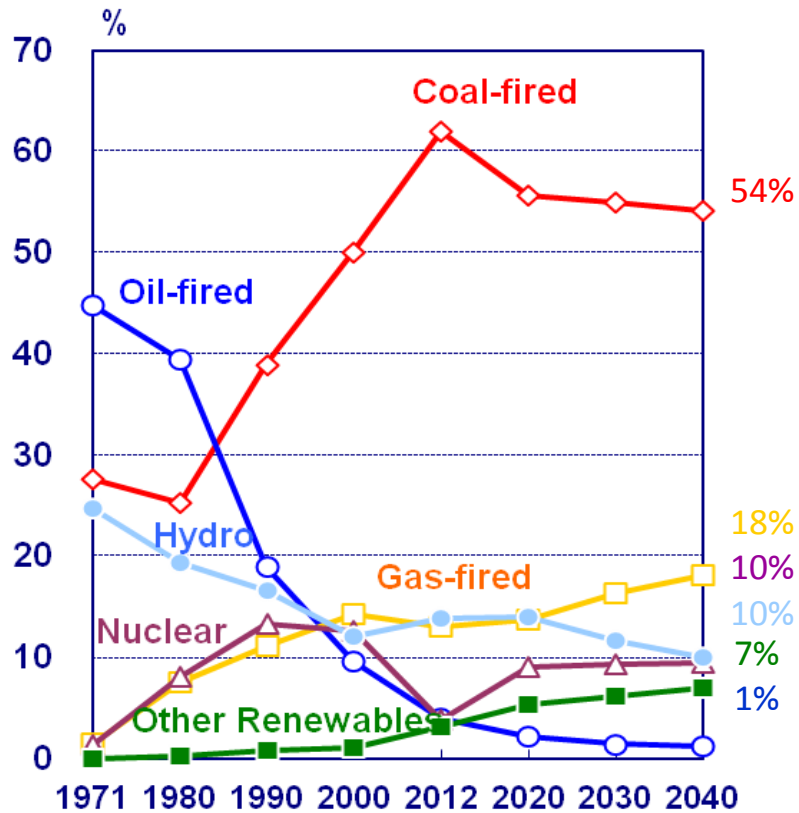
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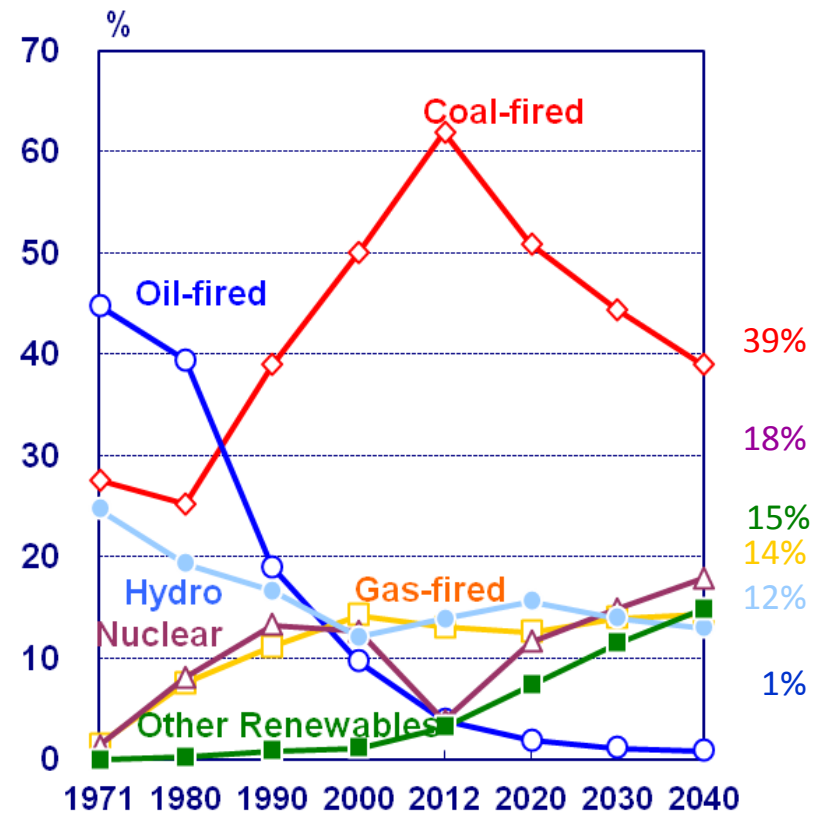
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# Power Generation Mix by Source (Asia)

## Reference Scenario



## Adv. Tech. Scenario

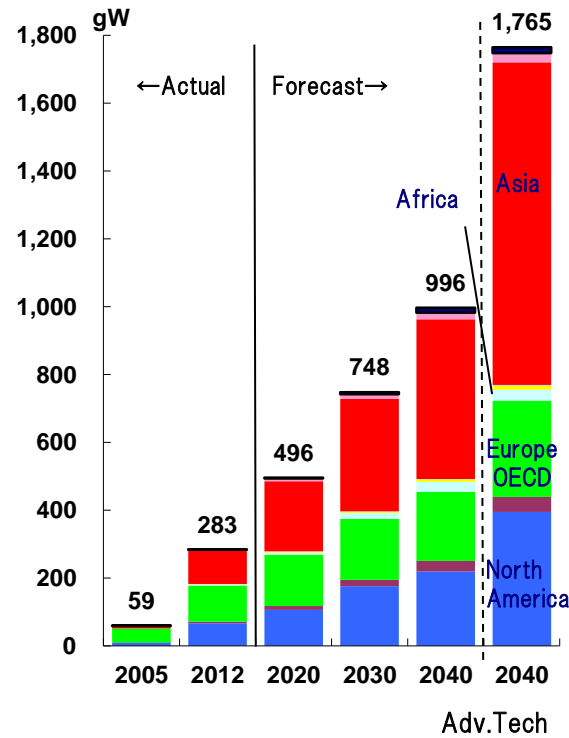
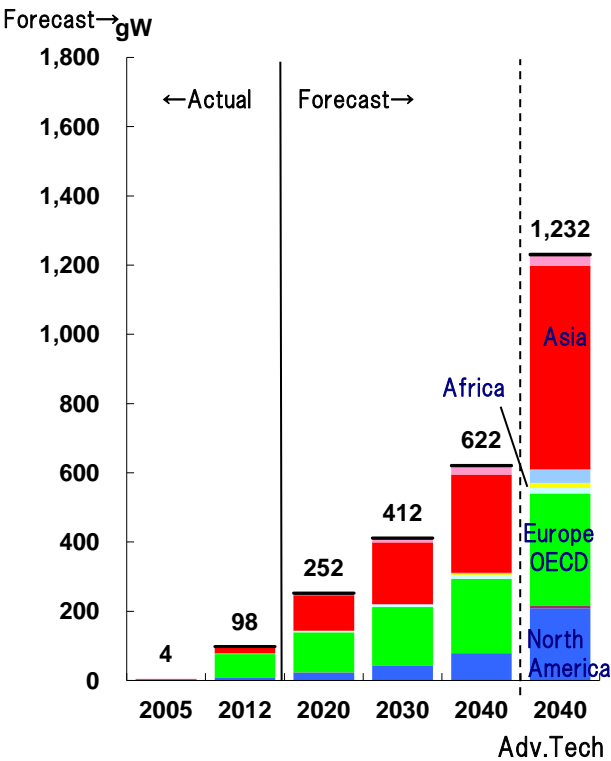


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# Electrical Power Plant Capacity by solar power and wind power generation (World)

Solar Power

Wind Power



Solar Power  
World Asia

World		Asia	
2012	98GW	2012	17GW
↓		↓	
2040		2040	
In Ref.	In Adv.Tech	In Ref.	In Adv.Tech
622 GW	1,232GW	284 GW	588GW
(6 times)	(13 times)	(17times)	(35times)

Wind Power  
World Asia

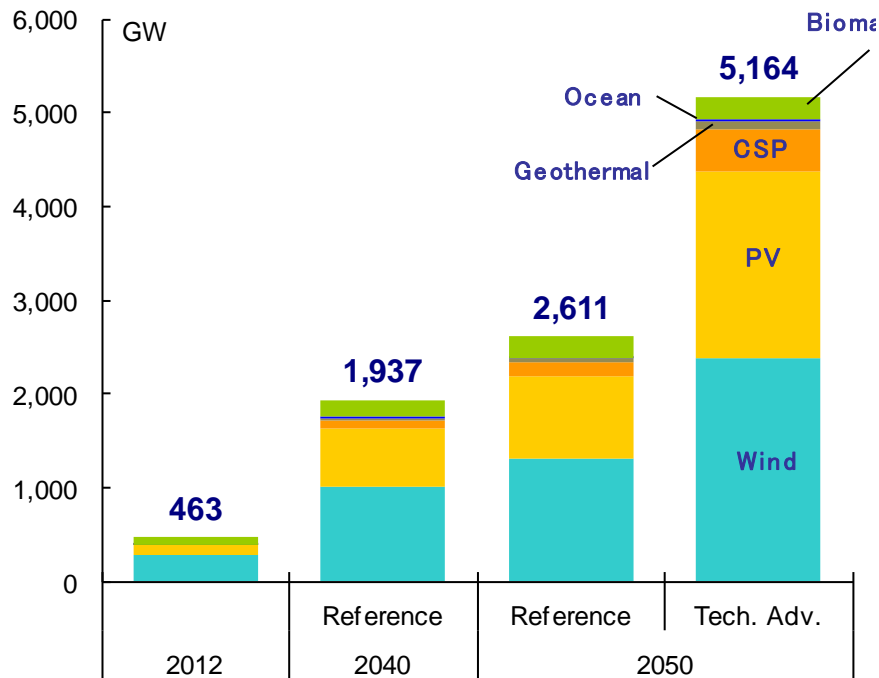
World		Asia	
2012	283 GW	2012年	98GW
↓		↓	
2040		2040年	
In Ref.	In Adv.Tech	In Ref.	In Adv.Tech
996 GW	1,765GW	471 GW	951GW
(4 times)	(6 times)	(5times)	(10times)

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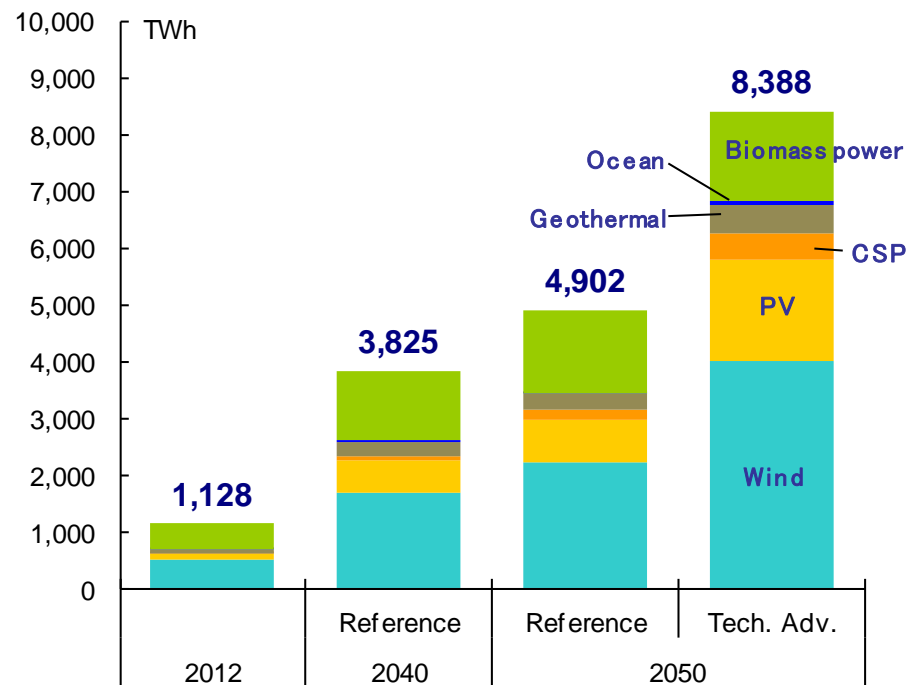


# Renewable Power Generation (World)

## Electric Power Capacity

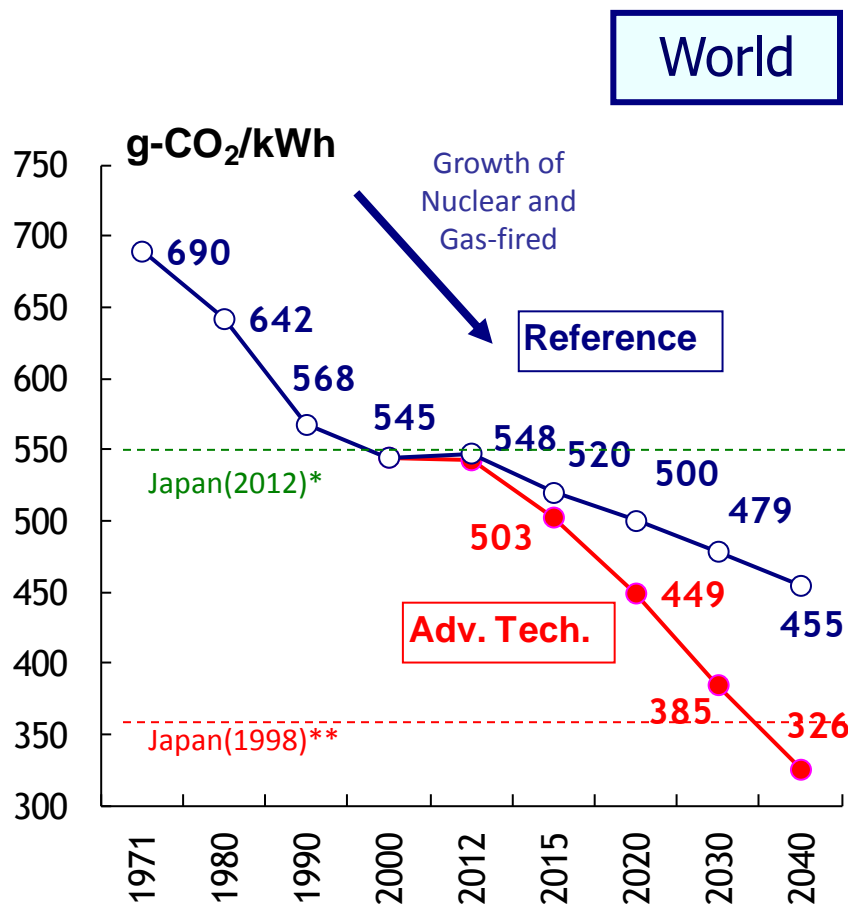


## Electric Power Generation

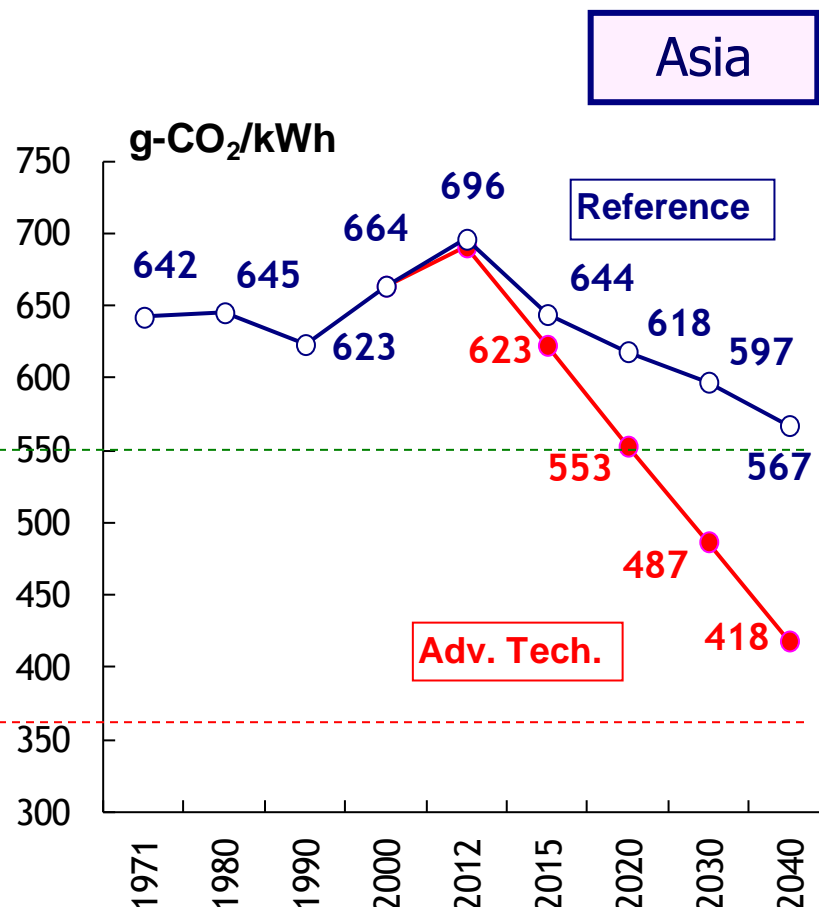


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# Carbon Intensity of Electricity (CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions per kWh)

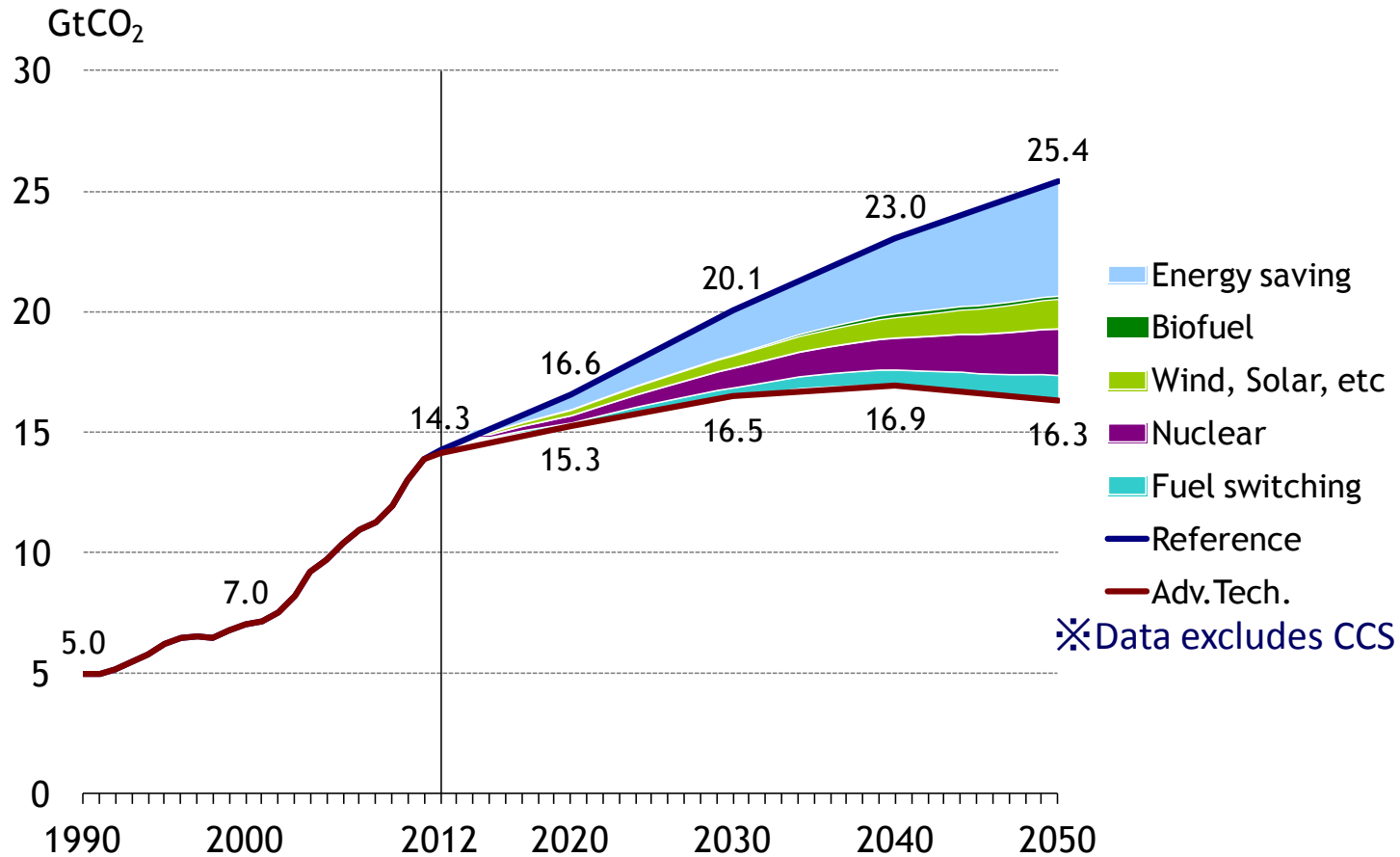


\*480g-CO<sub>2</sub>/kWh \*\*350g-CO<sub>2</sub>/kWh



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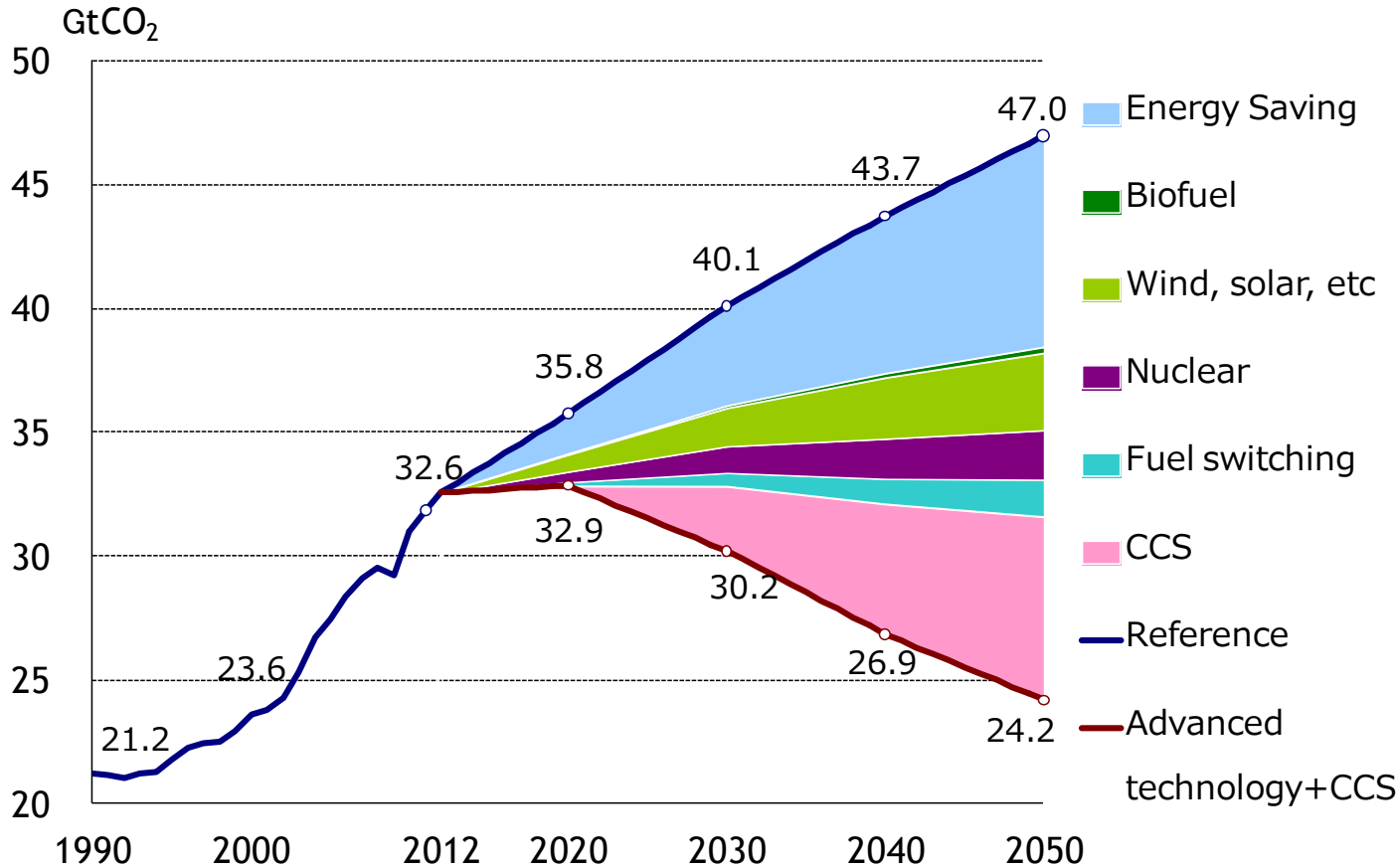
# CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions Reduction by Technology (Asia)



Source: IEEJ, Asia/ World Energy Outlook 2014

# CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions Reduction by Technology (World)

Reference  
[Adv. Tech.]+CCS



Total 22.8Gt  
49% reduction

Energy Saving  
37%

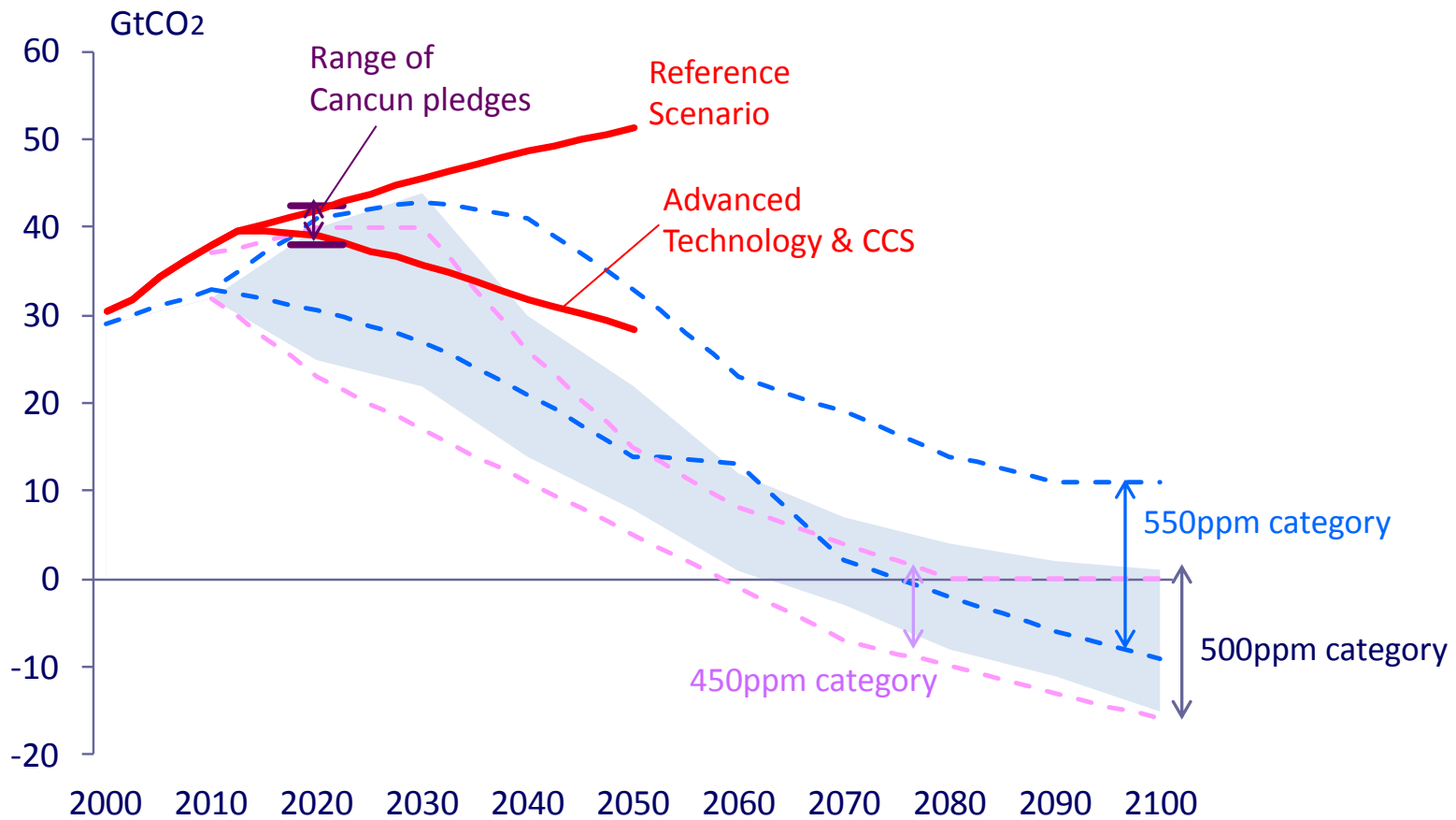
Fuel Switching  
30%

CCS  
33%

	Gt-CO <sub>2</sub>	Share
Energy saving	8.5	37%
Biofuel	0.2	1%
Solar, wind, etc	3.1	14%
Nuclear	2.0	9%
Fuel switching	1.5	7%
CCS	7.4	33%
計	22.8	100%

Source: IEEJ, Asia/ World Energy Outlook 2014

# CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions Paths by GHG Concentration Categories



Source: IEEJ, Asia/ World Energy Outlook 2014

# We need electricity

- Access to energy often means **access to electricity**.
  - The problem lies between ``**keeping** the lights on``(developed) and ``**turning** the lights on``(developing).
- Youth's **lifestyles** require electricity supply which they do not care from which power station or source it is generated...
- **Social systems & economic activities** : production lines, hospitals, offices, households, entertainment and comforts....
  - ➔ These **services** are supplied by **electricity**.
- New social infrastructures utilizing ICTs and ITs use electricity
- Sudden **blackout** means...
  - ➔ **no** train, **no** traffic lights, **no** medical equipment, **no** lightings, **no** A/C, **no** elevators, **no** water, etc.

# The market is not the same, any more

- The electricity sector in most developing economies was owned and operated within the **public domain**, through **vertically integrated** entities to perform the functions of **generation**, **transmission** and **distribution** (as well as infrastructure creation).
- **Vertically integrated monopolies**, based on **economies of scale** argument, were initially deemed to be **the best way** to deliver electricity to the majority, lacking access to it.
- We are no longer at the turn of the 20<sup>th</sup> century where **huge initial investments** were required **financed by governments**.
- Deregulation and liberalization of the market are required for **more efficient power supply** and **reduction of electricity prices**.
- We are in the 21<sup>st</sup> century and size of investments are **varied** with many different and **new players** in the market.

**Investments** are always at the core of the discussions for **reforms**.

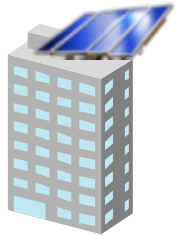
**Electricity** is unquestionably **a part of our lives!!**

# Technologies have evolved

- Initial installation of **big-scale** plants and grids
  - thermal power plants, nuclear power plants, national grids .....



- More **quick to install** technologies became available:
  - gas turbines, roof-top PVs, Fuel cells .....



- **System integration** is required connecting different sectors, businesses, customers, technologies, appliances and balancing supply-demand.
  - Smart cities, HEMs, BEMs, TEMs, ZEB .....



**BEMS**



**Smart**

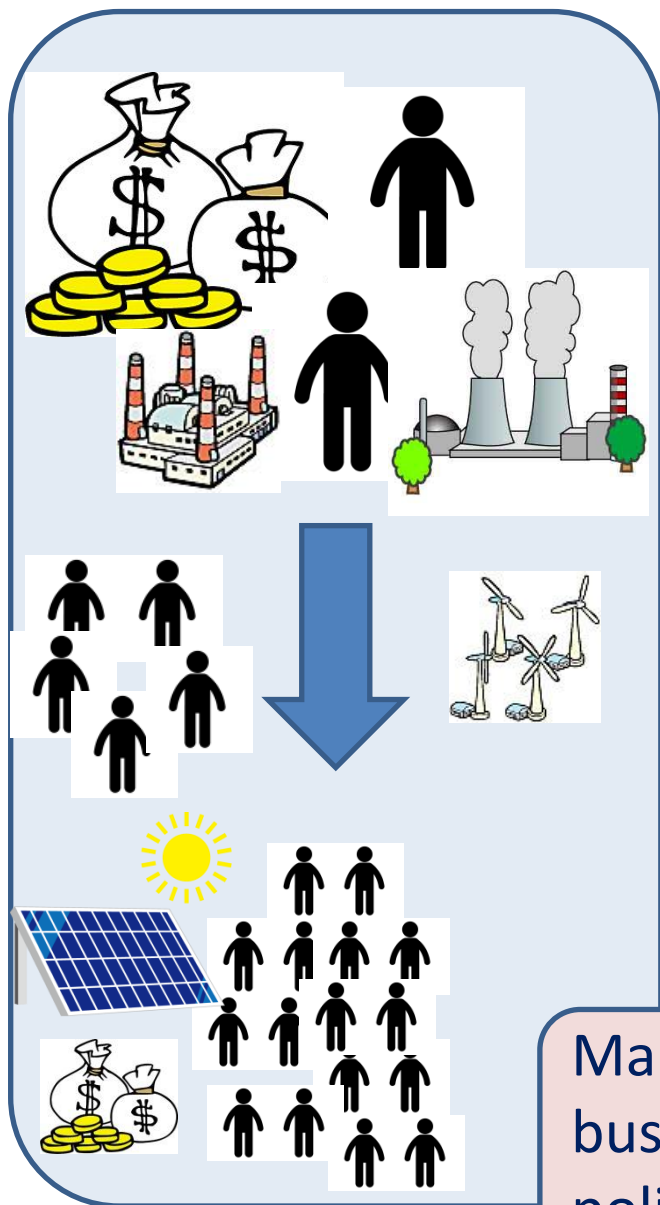
**community**



**HEMS**







<In the past, say 1980's to 90's>

- Investments by **governments** in the order of billions of \$\$\$ required.
  - National grid, nuclear, thermal plants...

<Since the 1990's...>

- Investments by **industries** in the order of millions of \$\$
  - Gas turbines, wind mills...

<Nowadays...>

- Investments by **individuals** in the order of thousands of \$
- Scales are different but more players there!

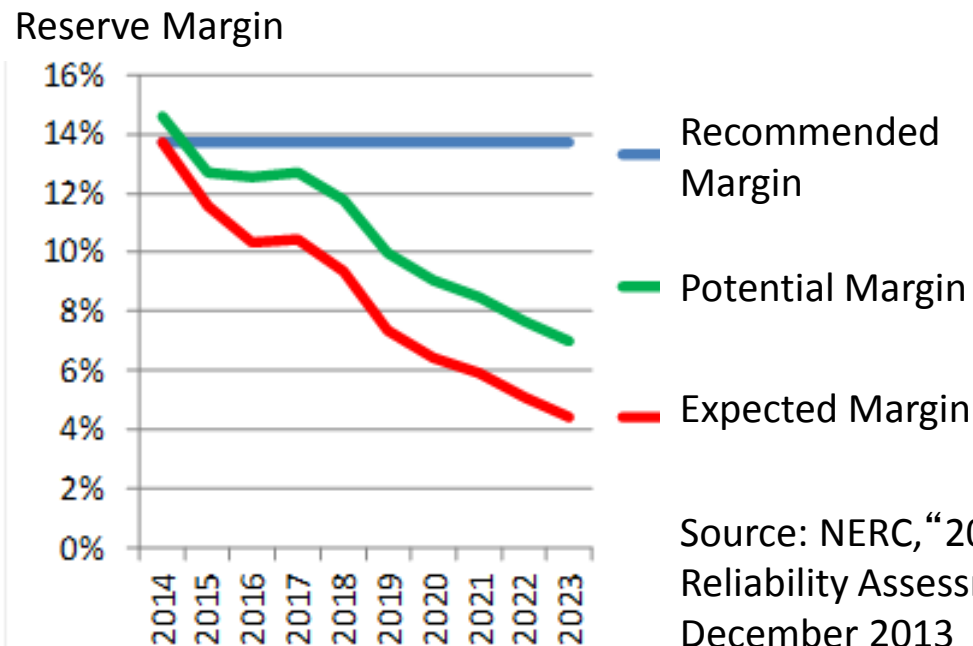
Markets are changing and it calls for changes in business models, technologies, price schemes, policies and others!!

# What is Market Reform?

- To unbundle vertically integrated monopolies to address inefficiencies and infuse transparency in the operations of state-owned enterprises
- To liberalize retail market, create competition and lower electricity prices ..... fundamental rule
- But concerns for supply security caused setbacks:
  - California (2000 summer, 2001 winter), Italy (2003), Scandinavia south (2003), North America Grid (2003),

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depending on national circumstances and requirements!!**

- 60% of the electricity consumption is supplied by **new marketers** (middleman).
- **Competitive** retail market with **no leading supplier**.
- **Increasing concern for insufficient future investment** to supply **increasing power demand** needed by growing economy (Shale).
- **Low reserve margin** is expected by 2020 (down to 4%) and **policy intervention** is being considered.



# Many Reasons Why we need Market Reform

- To **lower** the cost and retail prices at the competitive level with sufficient electricity supply relative to demand
- To **ensure** “nation-wide supply-demand balance” (Japan)
- To **transform** the power systems into more efficient ones (UK)
- To **unify** the energy market (liberalize retails, create ISO, ITO: EU)
- To **introduce** “competitive market” (USA)
- To **accommodate** “renewables” and address “climate change”
- To **introduce** more flexibility for consumers
- To **involve** customers through “demand response” to induce “peak shift”.

and many more....

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## Merits:

- More efficient management
- Lower electricity price introduced by new players and efficiency
- Diversification of service menu

## Demerits:

- Lower reserve margin induced by insufficient investment
- Higher risks of blackouts
  - ➔ supply security concern ➔ capacity market
- Difficulties in promoting low-carbon power generation
  - ➔ CfD (Feed-in-Tariff with Contracts for Difference :UK)

## The paradox..

- Electricity **prices** in a liberalized market are set according to the system **marginal cost** (i.e. the short-term marginal cost of the last plant required in order to meet demand). Wind has **high capital costs** but a **zero marginal cost** of generation.
- In order to encourage investments required in **wind** (or **other renewables**), government must offer **support schemes (FIT)** or subsidies which essentially **undermine** the role of the **liberalized market** in setting prices and motivating investments.
- The requirements for **investments** should be called for through the **price signals** rather than externally imposed standards or policy objectives.

- a) What is the **aim** of “Electricity Market Reform”?
- b) **How do we plan** to reform the market and/or **what have we done** and what are the **differences** and **similarities** among our ways of market reform?
- d) What are the **implications** of the market reform to the business sector and what business opportunities and challenges are there for them?
- e) Is **unbundling** **inconsistent** with the introduction of smart grids and **more renewables**?
- e) What are the **market design issues** in the presence of **low carbon technologies**?
- f) How to balance between “**reform**” and “**control**”?
- g) What are the **keys** to a **successful & functional** electricity sector?