



“Natural Gas: Fueling the Future”

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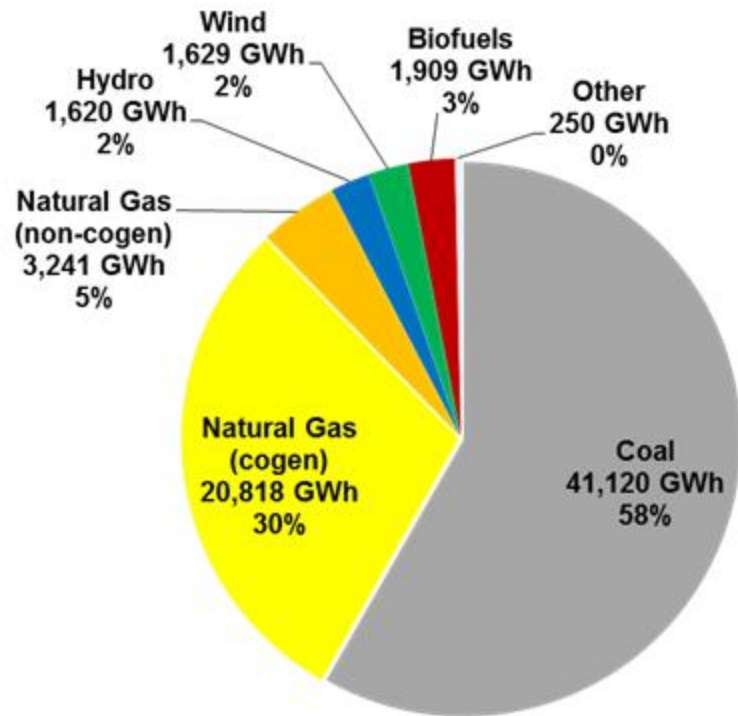
Canadian Energy Strategy

- Tremendous opportunity for leadership on world stage
- Supporting growth in sustainable hydrocarbon production
- Unleashing innovative technology
- Advancing renewable and alternative energy
- Shifting energy demand through energy efficiency and conservation
- Finding new markets
- Growing a knowledge-based economy



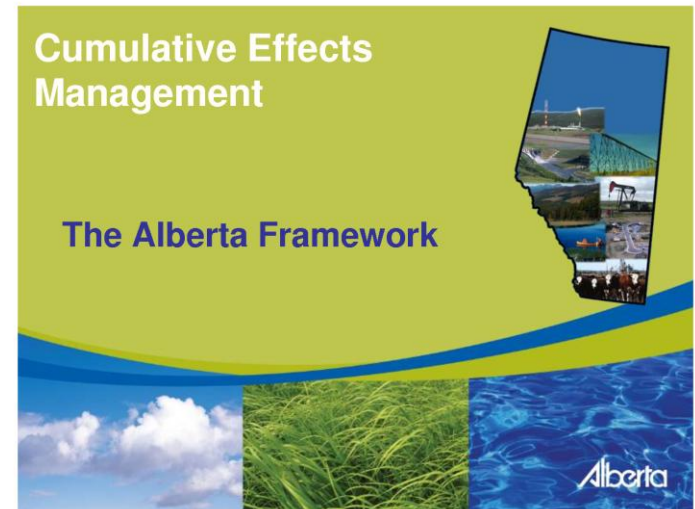
Natural Gas: Alberta Context

Alberta Electricity Generation by Source 2010



Natural Gas: Sustainable Development

- Alberta is committed to sustainable development
- Natural gas is one important component of Alberta's multi-faceted approach to emissions reduction
- Regulatory review, strategic planning and publicly available information are priorities



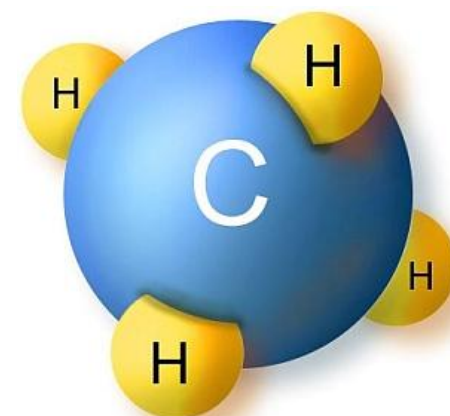
Natural Gas: Future Development

- Alberta Environment and Water and Alberta Energy working in partnership on managing cumulative effects
- Coordinating efforts with other jurisdictions



Natural Gas: Innovation and Technology

- Green Transit Incentives Program (Green *TRIP*)- \$2 billion dollar initiative launched in 2010 to support wider range of sustainable public transit alternatives
- Role of private and public sector
- Collaboration with other jurisdictions on infrastructure objectives and research





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