

FortisBC Resource Planning Engagement Session

Speaker & participant introductions



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Housekeeping

- We encourage you to participate through video, but not required
- When you're not speaking, please mute yourself to reduce background noise
- We will have plenty of breaks for questions and discussion but feel free to speak up at any time throughout the presentation
 - We encourage you to use the hand-up function to indicate you'd like to speak
 - When we call upon you, you can un-mute yourself and speak up
 - You may also use the chat functionality if you'd prefer
- The session audio/video will not be recorded, however, the chat history will be saved for note-taking purposes





Safety reminders

- Ensure you're comfortable at your workstation
- If you need to, stand-up and stretch
- Take breaks as needed, we will also have a break within the agenda



Disclaimer for an open dialogue

- The input provided during this workshop may become public during our regulatory proceedings
- However, we will not attribute input to any specific individual or community
- We encourage you to provide further input during the formal regulatory proceedings – even if your opinions have changed
- We intend to provide the presentation and meeting notes from today's session online on our website – you will have an opportunity to review these notes prior to us publishing them online



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Partners and communities

We serve the communities in which we live and work.

We are committed to enhancing mutually beneficial relationships to support our business operations.

These relationships include Indigenous communities, where understanding, respect, open communication and trust are key values embedded in our formal Statement of Indigenous Principles.



Why strong Indigenous relationships are important to FortisBC

- Guided by our Statement of Indigenous Principles created in 2001
- We are continually working to build mutually beneficial relationships with Indigenous communities, their leadership and their members.
 - Commitment to early and transparent engagement
 - Awareness training for FortisBC staff
 - Opportunities for economic partnerships and employment for Indigenous peoples
- We support the U.N. Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, and the Truth & Reconciliation Commission's Calls to Action
- Progressive Aboriginal Relations Certification (PAR)







Focus of today's session

- To better understand your community energy priorities and plans for the future
- To gather your input on our upcoming long term electric and gas resource plans











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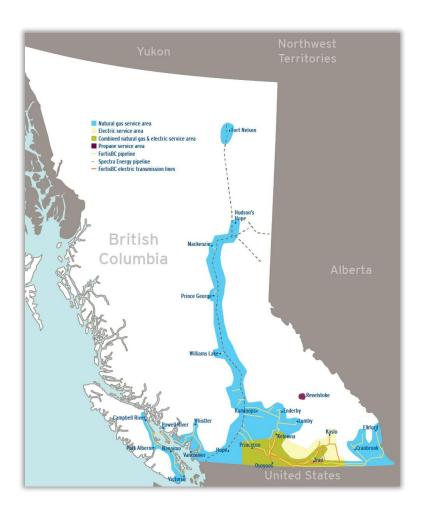


Brief overview of pre-read materials





FortisBC overview



- FortisBC infrastructure serves 57
 Indigenous communities and crosses 150 Traditional Territories
- Largest energy provider in the province
- We serve 1.2 million customers providing:
 - electricity
 - natural gas
 - renewable gas
 - propane
 - alternative energy solutions
- We employ 2,400 people



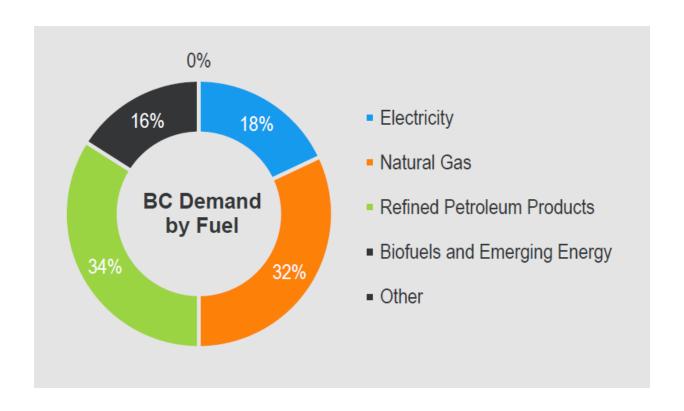
FortisBC shared service territory





Energy demand in BC by fuel

Refined petroleum products account for largest share

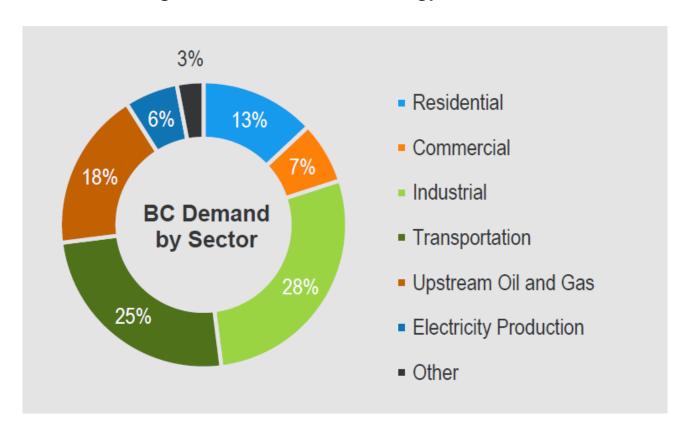


Source: Canada Energy Regulator – Canada's Energy Future 2019 and CanESS (CANSIM)



Energy demand in BC by sector

Industry consumes a significant amount of energy

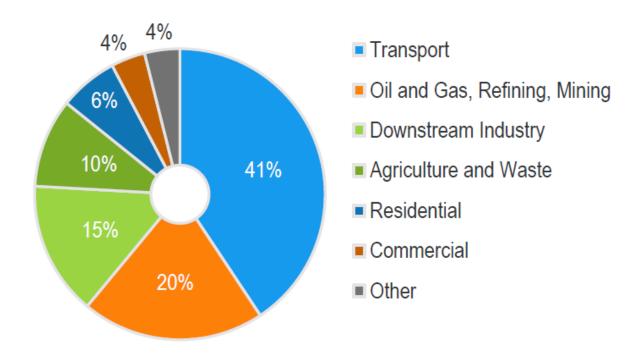


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GHG emissions in BC by sector

Industry & transportation are the biggest contributors



Source: BC GHG Inventory



Resource planning process

What resources must FortisBC have in place to supply customers' energy needs safely, reliably and cost-effectively over the next 20 years?





Natural gas vs. electricity resource planning

Electricity

Generation

Market Purchases

Transmission & Distribution Delivered to Customers Energy Efficiency & Conservation















Natural Gas

Generation

Market Purchases

Distribution

Delivered to Customers Energy Efficiency & Conservation















Resource planning objectives

- Ensure cost effective, secure and reliable energy for customers
- Provide cost-effective demand-side management and cleaner customer solutions
- Ensure consistency with provincial energy objectives
 - Example: Clean Energy Act and CleanBC
- Address prior BC Utilities Commission (BCUC) directives



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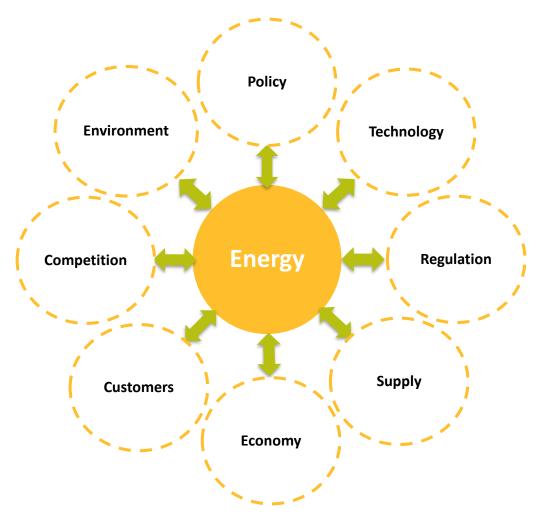


Energy planning landscape in BC



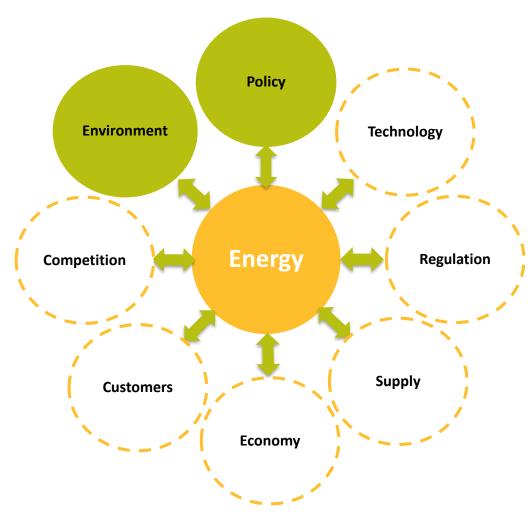


Energy planning framework





Energy planning framework



Clean Growth Pathway to 2050

Sharing goals to lower GHGs and drive economic growth

FortisBC has always been:

- offering solutions to help customers reduce GHGs
- collaborating with industry, public, government and regulators
- helping inform the CleanBC consultation process





4 pillars of our Clean Growth Pathway to 2050









CleanBC

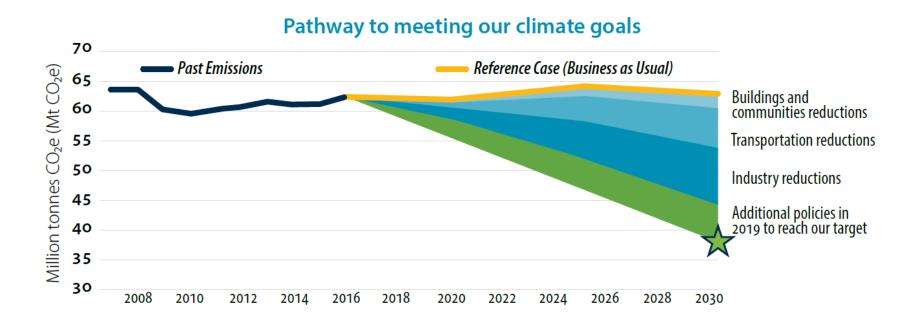
- CleanBC is the provincial climate and economic plan to achieve greenhouse gas emissions by 2030.
- Plan outlines specific actions in the following categories:
 - Better buildings
 - Reducing pollution from industry
 - Cleaner transportation
 - Reducing emissions from waste
 - Clean energy jobs
- FortisBC is a critical partner to achieve the BC Government's goals.





CleanBC GHG emissions reduction target

40% reduction in GHG emissions by 2030





Alternative pathways

FortisBC commissioned Guidehouse to:

- develop pathways for BC to achieve an 80% GHG reduction
- compare two options to get there including Electrification and Diversified Pathways
- analyze GHG reductions, costs, reliability and risks to British Columbians





Electrification & Diversified Pathways

Electric Pathway



Energy efficiency

 Both pathways have similar energy efficiency assumptions



Fuel switching

 100% of buildings heat & water to electric. Electric heat pumps key.



Transportation

- Both assume 100% LD vehicles to EV
- Significant role for EVs in medium and heavy duty (MD/HD) vehicles



Energy supply

- 3% renewable gas
- 45% electricity

Diversified Pathway



Energy efficiency

Gas heat pumps key



Fuel switching

- NG to renewable gas
- Small percentage NG to electric



Transportation

 Significant role for NG in MD & HD vehicles

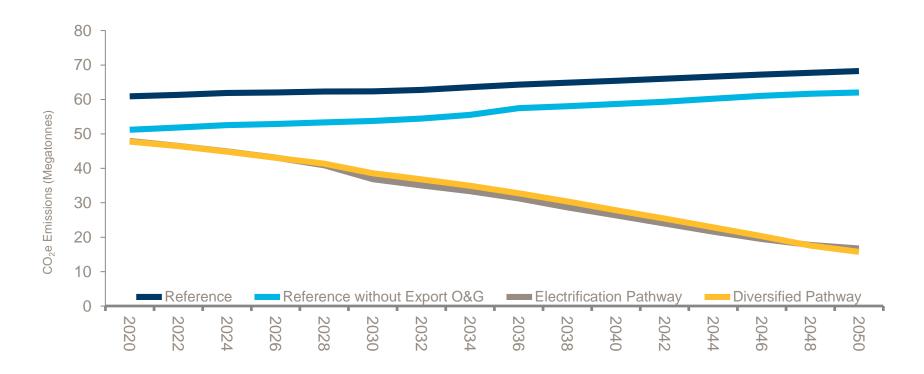


Energy supply

- 14% renewable gas
- 37% electricity



Both pathways achieve the same level of GHG reductions

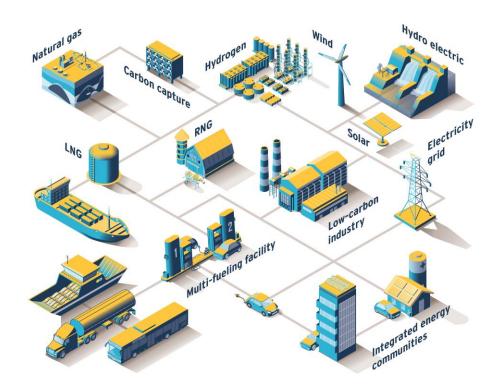


Oil and Gas sector emissions attributable to exports are excluded from both the Reference Case emissions and Pathway emissions



A diversified approach to climate action

- Achieves the Province's 80% reduction target
- Reduces de-carbonization costs
- Considers peak day demand and related infrastructure
- Provides resiliency and reliability
- It's not either/or, it's both/and



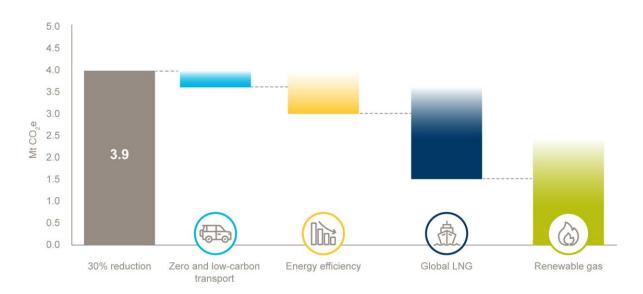


How we'll measure our progress to 2050

We set an ambitious emissions reduction target

Our 30BY30 target will:

- reduce our customers' GHG emissions by 30% by 2030
- be a milestone that we measure our progress by





Resource planning considerations

CleanBC

Clean Growth Pathway to 2050

Resource Plans

Guidehouse Pathways Study

30BY30 Target



Questions for clarification





Discussion: How does the energy landscape in BC impact you? What are the challenges and opportunities you face?

Economic & Social Development

Affordability

Access

Employment

Environmental Stewardship

GHG Emissions

Air Quality

Ecosystem Impacts

Reliability

Supply

Resilience

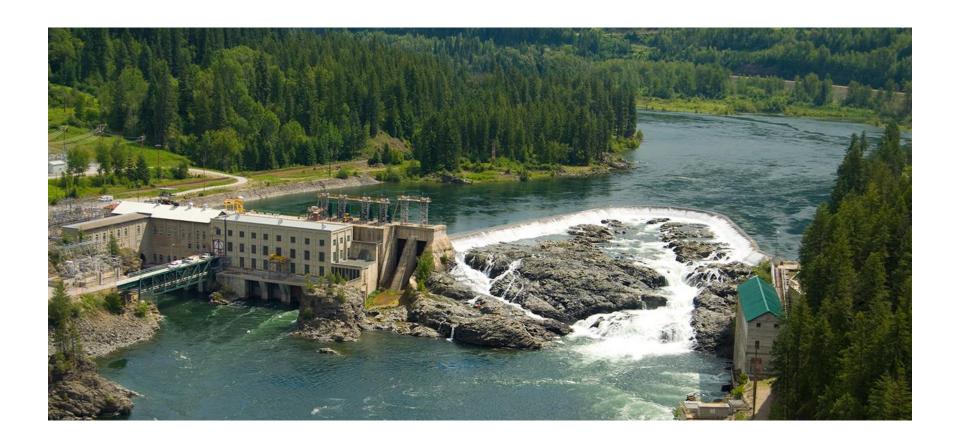


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Electricity future demand scenarios





Energy vs. capacity

Energy



- The electricity produced or used over a period of time (e.g. a year)
- Is analogous to an Odometer reading
- Usually measured in GWh

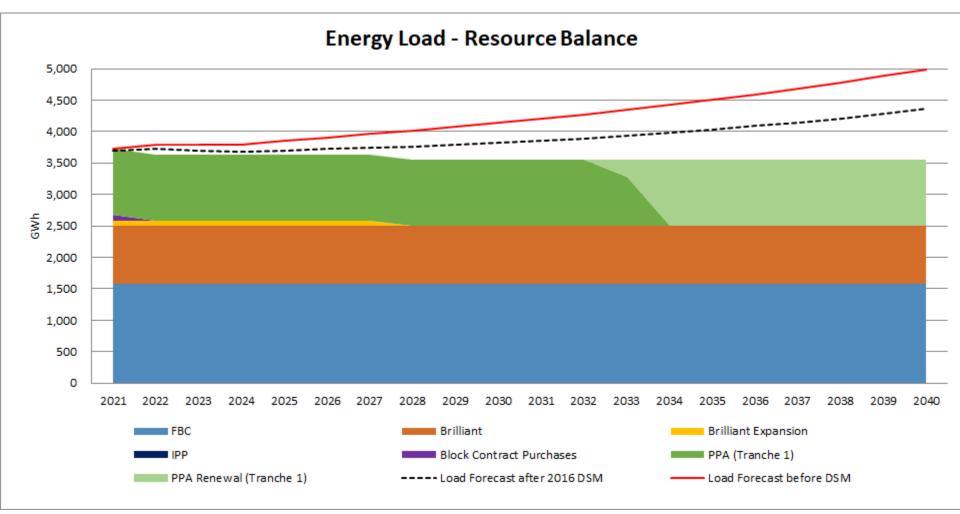
Capacity



- The instantaneous system electricity demand at any given time
- Is analogous to a snapshot Speedometer reading
- Usually measured in MW



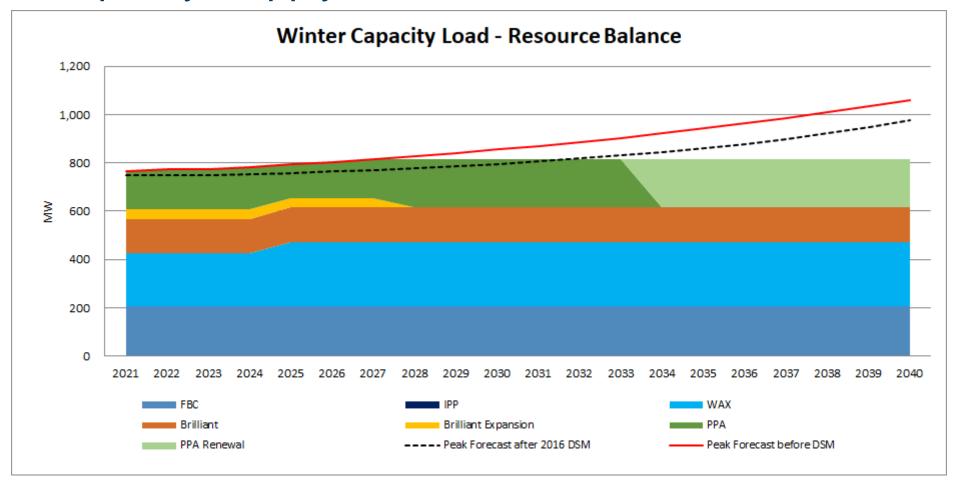
Energy: supply vs. demand



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Capacity: supply vs. demand



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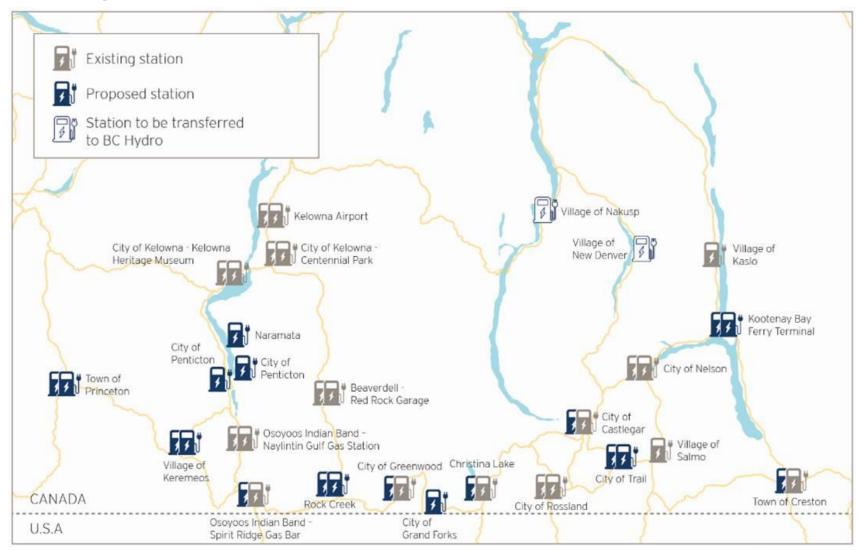


Scenario load drivers

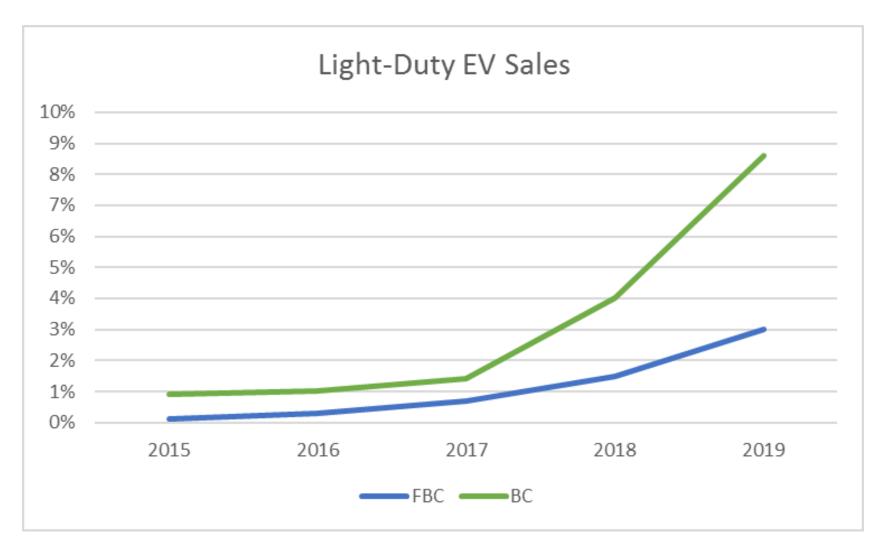
Load Driver	Short Form	Effect on System Load (+/-)
Residential Integrated Photovoltaic Solar and Storage	IPSS-RES	
Commercial Integrated Photovoltaic Solar and Storage	IPSS-COM	
Electric Vehicles, Light Duty and Medium/Heavy Duty	LD EVs MHD EVs	
Fuel Switching – Gas to Electricity	FS – G2E	
Fuel Switching – Electricity to Gas	FS – E2G	
Climate Change	cc	
Large Load Sector Transformation	LLST – Data Centres LLST - Cannabis	
Hydrogen Production	HP	
Carbon Capture and Storage	ccs	



Transportation electrification

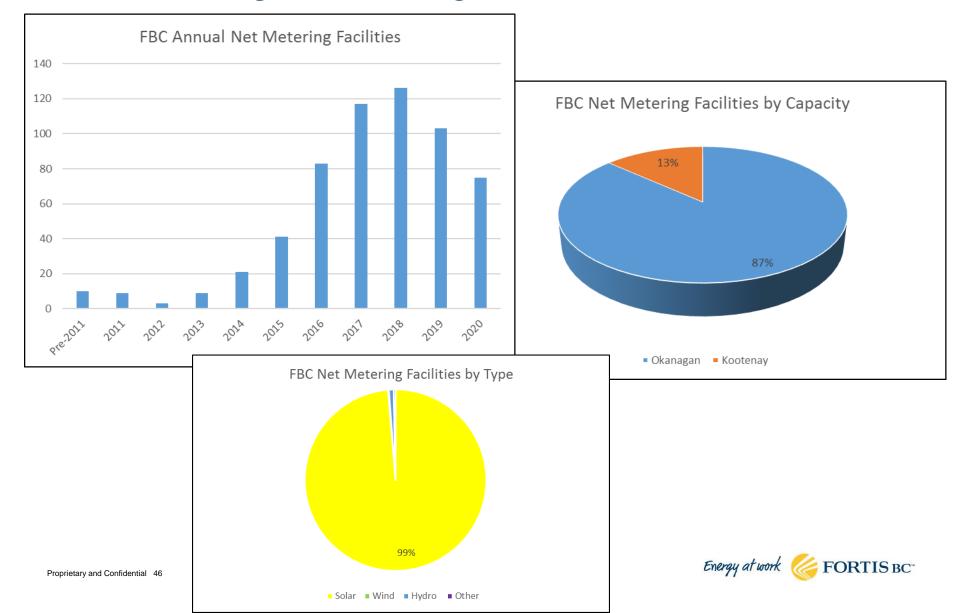


EV growth

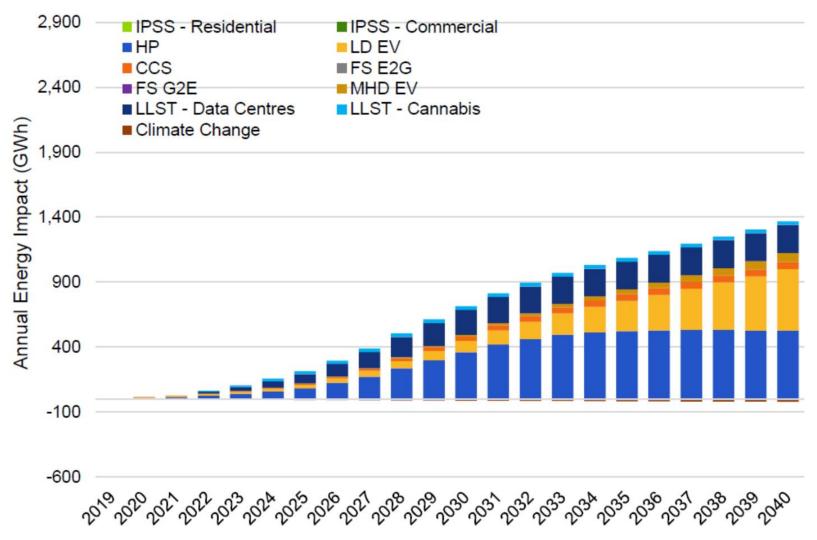




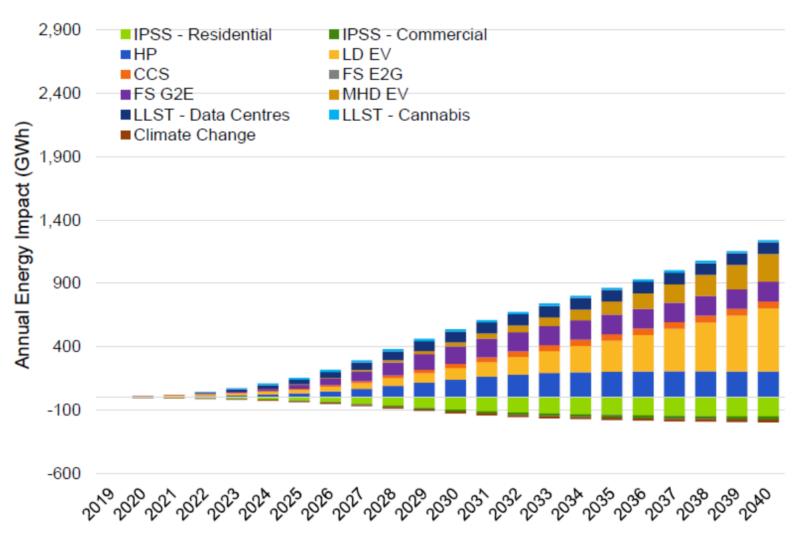
Distributed generation growth



Diversified Energy Scenario

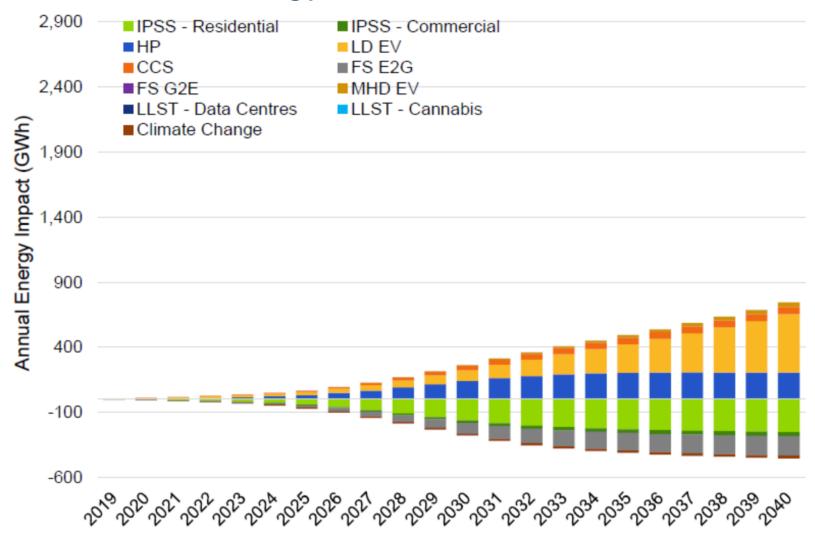


Deep Electrification Scenario





Distributed Energy Scenario



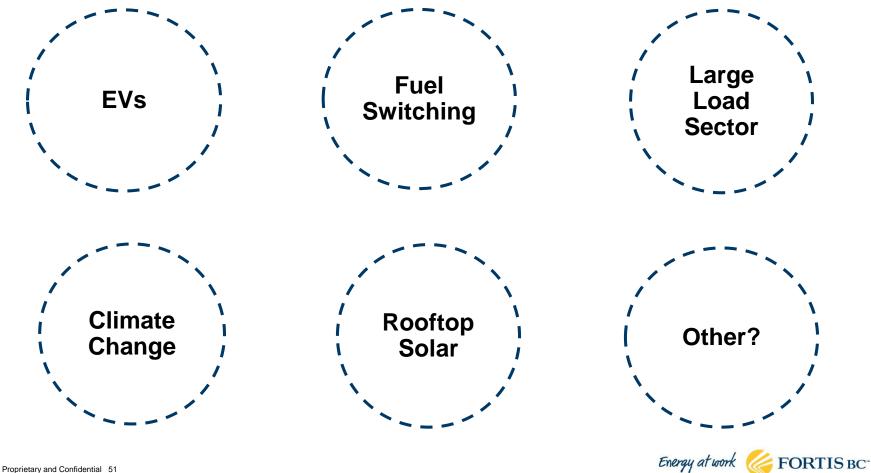


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Discussion: What is driving your future electricity needs?



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Electricity supply options



Resource considerations

Technical

Energy and capacity

Financial

Unit Cost

Environmental

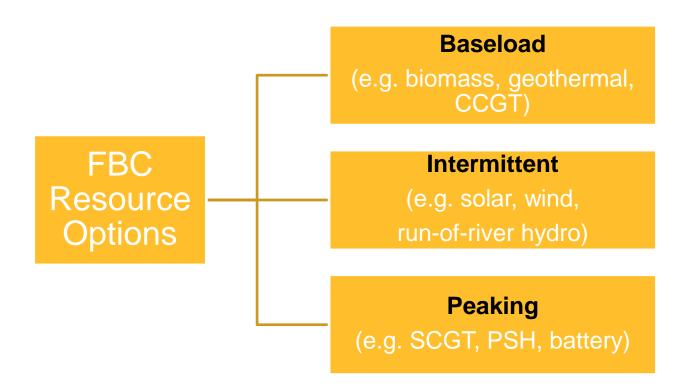
Footprint & GHG Emissions

Social/Economic

Jobs & Revenue

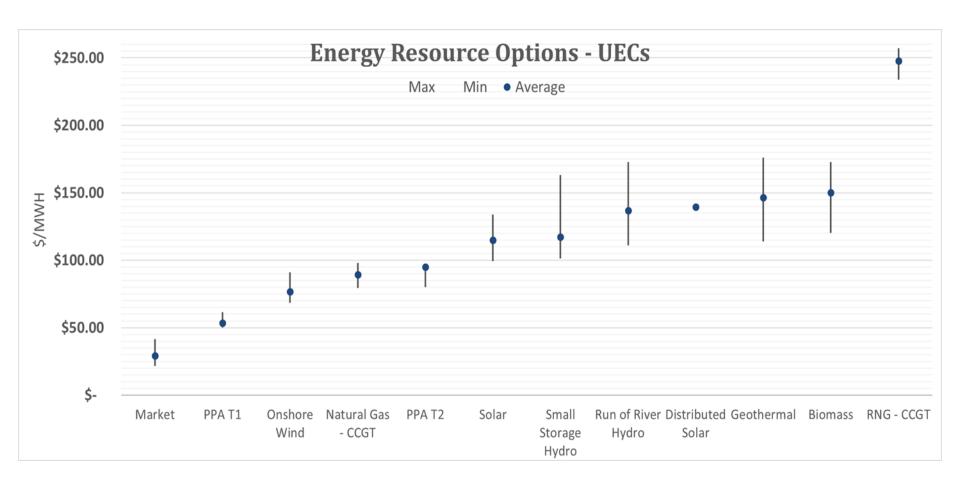


Supply-side resource types



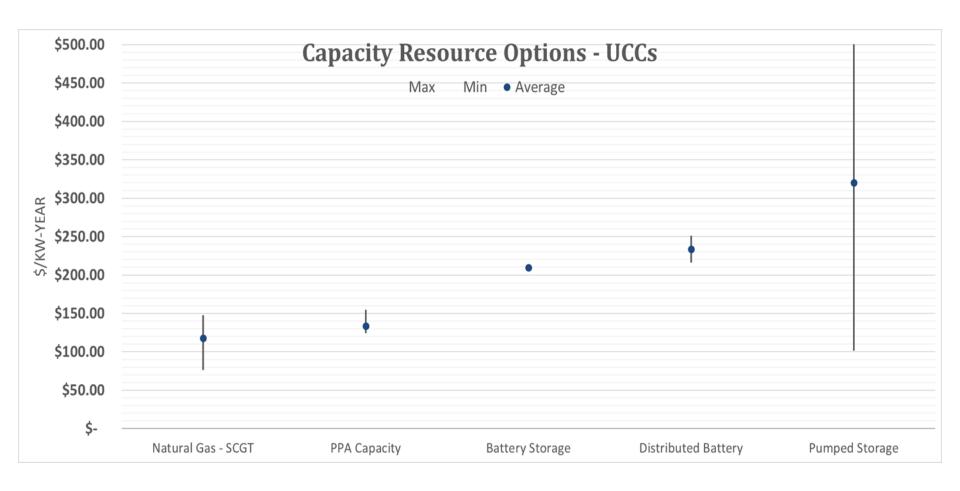


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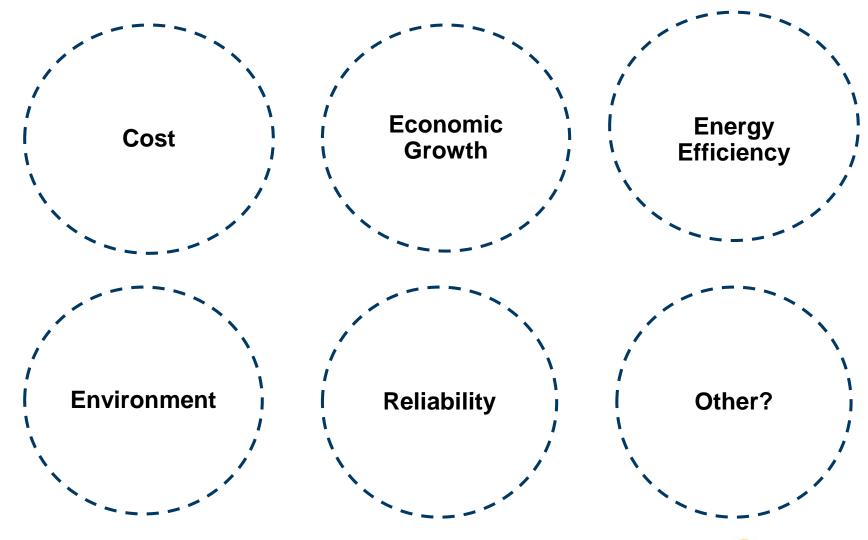


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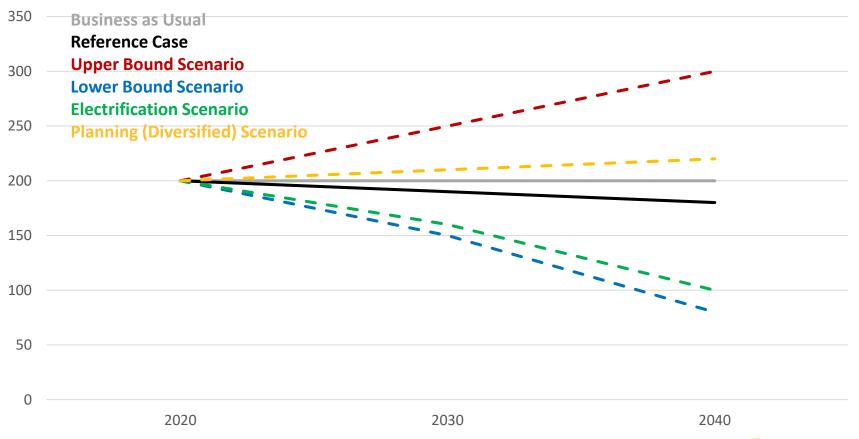
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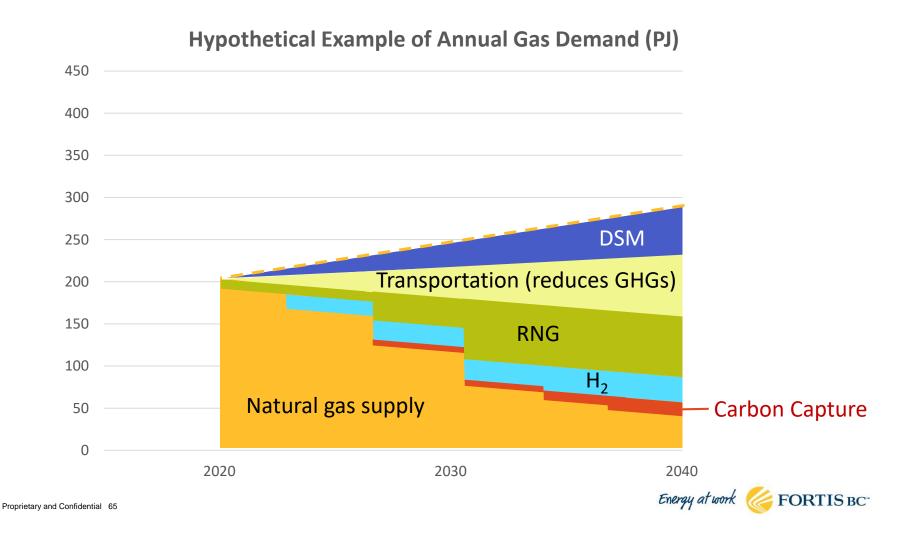
Demand forecast taxonomy

Illustrative Annual Gas Demand without DSM, NGT & LNG (PJ)

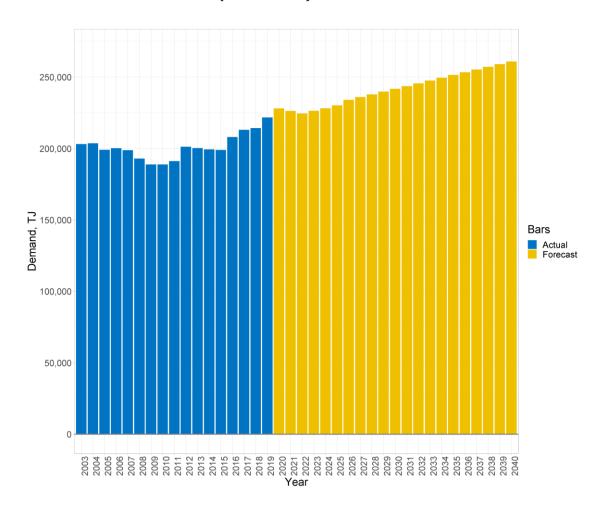


Demand and supply balance

Key to meeting GHG targets

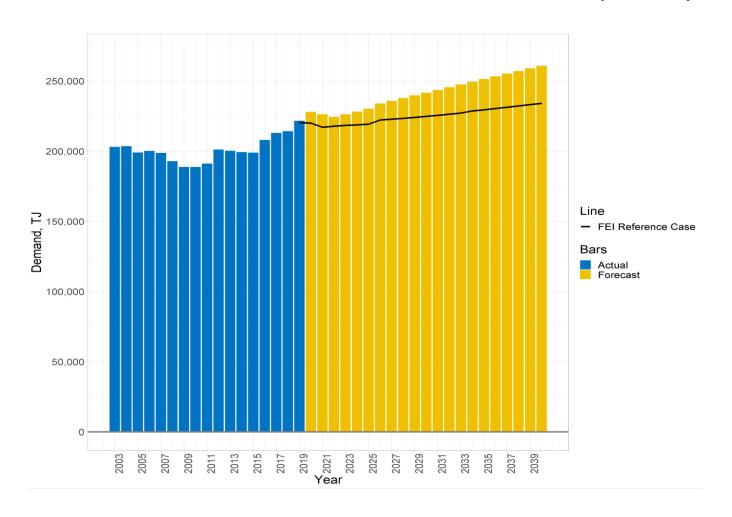


Business as Usual (draft)



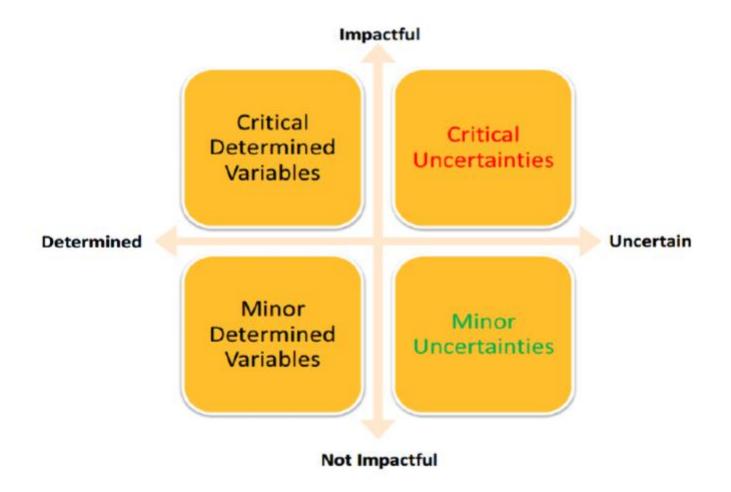


Business as Usual & Reference Case (draft)





Demand scenario drivers





Demand scenario drivers

- NGT Demand
- Fuel Switching
- Carbon Price
- New Construction Codes
- Appliance Standards
- Retrofit Codes
- RNG Production
- RNG Cost
- Hydrogen Production
- Hydrogen Cost

- Carbon Capture & Storage (CCS)
 Production
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 Cost
- Economic (Customer) Growth
- LNG Exports
- Natural Gas Price



Demand scenario analysis

- Lower Bound Scenario
- Upper Bound Scenario
- Planning (Diversified) Scenario
- Electrification Scenario
- Economic Stagnation
- Price-based Regulation



Demand scenario comparison

Planning (Diversified) Scenario

Electrification Scenario

High Customer Growth

Moderate Codes &

G2E Fuel Switching

High NGT

Low Customer Growth

Accelerated Codes & Standards

G2E Fuel Switching

Low NGT



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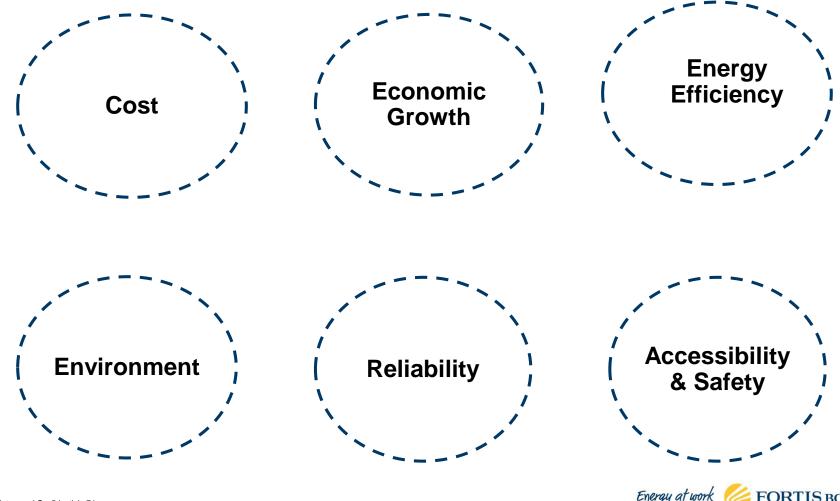
Discussion: Which drivers are of most interest to you and why? Which ones represent new opportunities or challenges for you?

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Wrap-up and next steps





Wrap-up and next steps

- Thank you for your input and feedback today, we appreciate it
- We will be sharing the meeting notes with you shortly
- Additional Indigenous, community and customer engagement session will take place throughout 2021 for the Long Term Gas Resource Plan
- Feedback for the resource plans can be addressed to irp@fortisbc.com
- Any questions or concerns can be addressed to getinvolved@fortisbc.com

Filing Date: FortisBC Long Term Electric Resource Plan (June 30, 2021) Filing Date: FortisBC Long Term Gas Resource Plan (March 31, 2022)



Thank you



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