


# Presentation Slides: Synergies in Natural Gas and Hydrogen Fuels

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## SYNERGIES IN NATURAL GAS AND HYDROGEN FUELS

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## Who Is Air Products?

- \$9 Billion global company in atmospheric, process and specialty gases, performance materials, equipment and services provider
- Serving industrial, energy, technology and healthcare markets worldwide
- Fortune 500 company
- Operations in over 40 countries
- 18,300 employees worldwide
- Known for our innovative culture and operational excellence
- Recognized industry leader in safety



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## World's Leader in Hydrogen

- World's largest merchant supplier
- H<sub>2</sub> production equivalent to fueling ~8 Million cars/day
- Bulk, liquid and pipeline distribution
- More than 500 H<sub>2</sub> customers
- H<sub>2</sub> Energy projects since 1993
  - >130 hydrogen station projects
  - >350,000 fuellings/yr
- Parlayed MHE, cell tower, DOD experiences
- Stations in 19 countries
- Broad IP estate



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## Air Products' Role in the LNG Industry



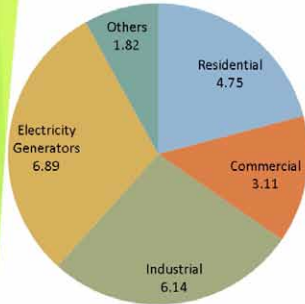
- World's foremost provider of Natural Gas Liquefaction technology and Equipment
  - Full range of process options: from small plants to the world's largest LNG process trains: 6 AP-X® Units On-Stream in Qatar
  - Awarded equipment supply for the world's 1<sup>st</sup> floating LNG (FLNG) project: Shell Prelude FLNG
  - Majority of the world's LNG production employs Air Products' processes and equipment (main cryogenic heat exchangers)
  - Main cryogenic heat exchangers manufactured by Air Products in the United States and exported worldwide

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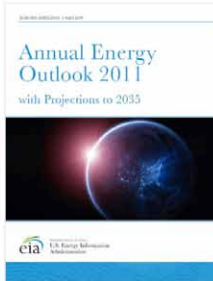
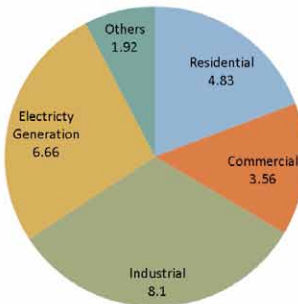


## Natural Gas in US

2009 Consumption 22.71 Tcf



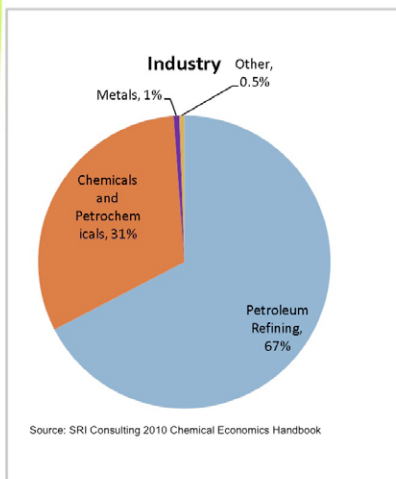
AEO 2011 Reference Case  
2025 Consumption 25.07 Tcf



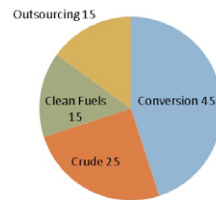
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## US Consumes ~3.2 Tcf of hydrogen annually



### Refining Hydrogen and Energy Driving Hydrogen Growth

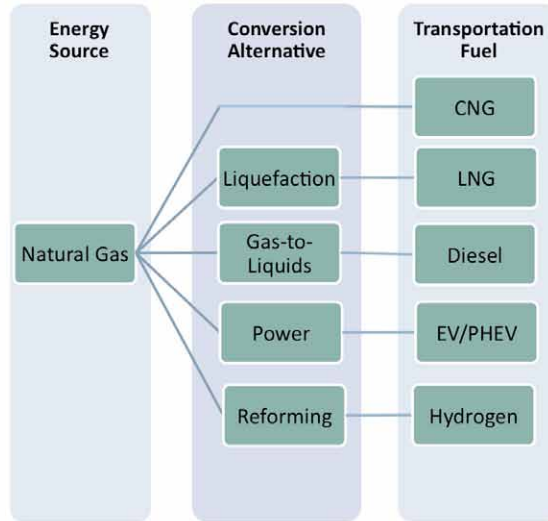


- Transportation fuels growth
- More heavy, sour crude
- Clean fuels legislation
- Increased outsourcing trend

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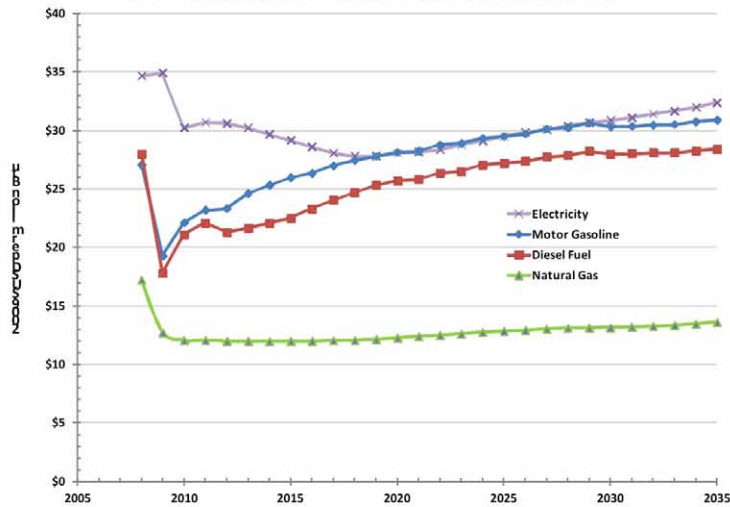
## Natural Gas Pathways Into Transportation



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Transportation Energy Price Projections (EIA Reference Case)



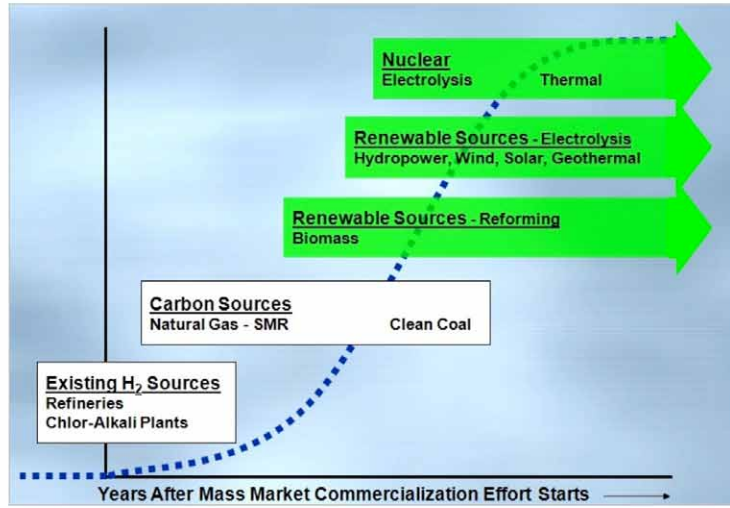
1 – Sales weighted-average price for all grades. Includes Federal, State, and local taxes.  
 2 – Diesel fuel for on-road use. Includes Federal and State taxes while excluding county and local taxes.  
 3 – Compressed natural gas used as a vehicle fuel. Includes estimated motor vehicle fuel taxes and estimated dispensing costs or charges.

Source: DOE EIA Annual Energy Outlook 2011 With Projections to 2035

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## Hydrogen Feedstock Evolution



- Hydrogen from natural gas is today's starting point
- Biomass is first logical step for large-scale renewable hydrogen
- Hydrogen from renewable electricity is regional / long-term

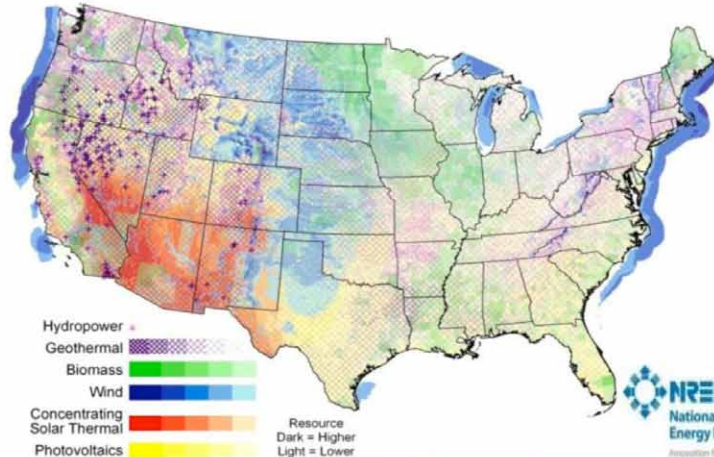
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## Renewable Hydrogen Potential



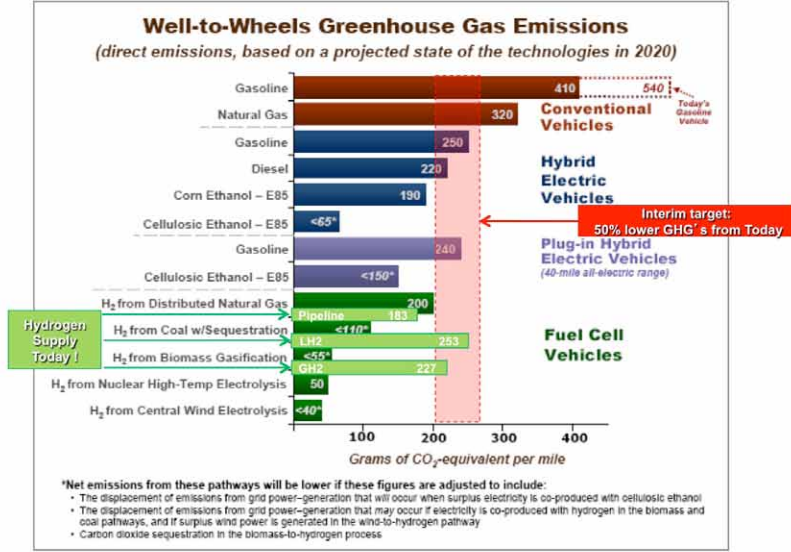
Resource	Biomass	Solar PV/CSP	Wind	Geothermal
Theoretical Potential	395 Million H2 cars	21 Billion H2 Cars	1,251 Million H2 Cars	270 Million H2 Cars

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## Significant GHG Reduction with Today's Supply



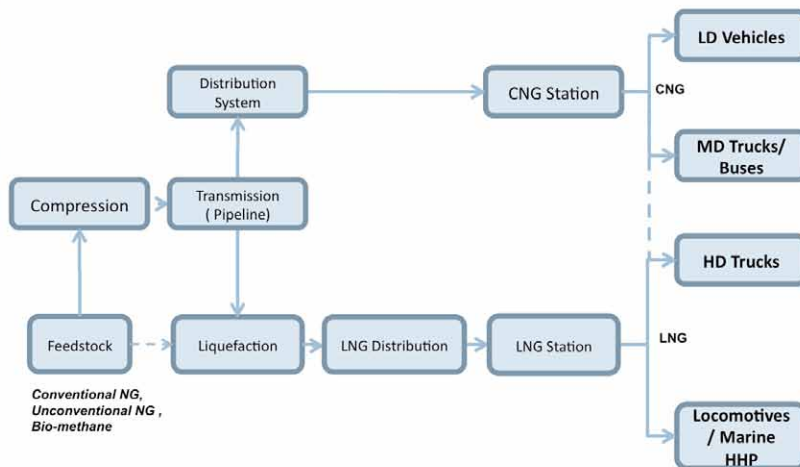
Adapted from DOE hydrogen program record #9002

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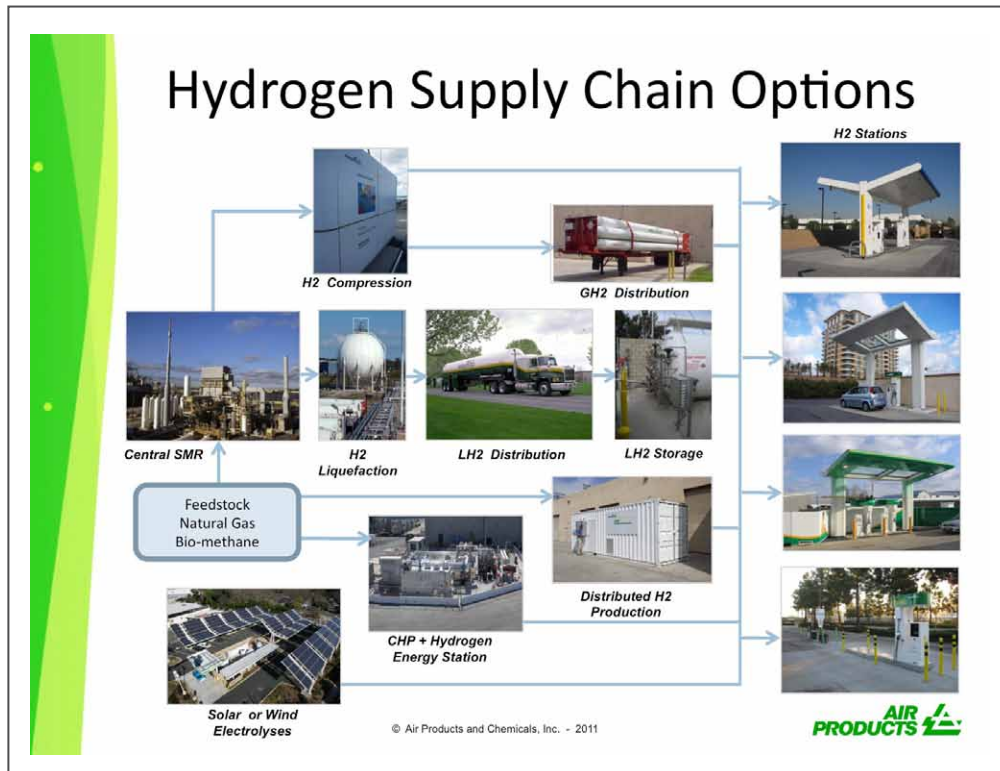
## CNG/LNG Supply Chain



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## Codes & Standards

### Importance of Codes & Standards

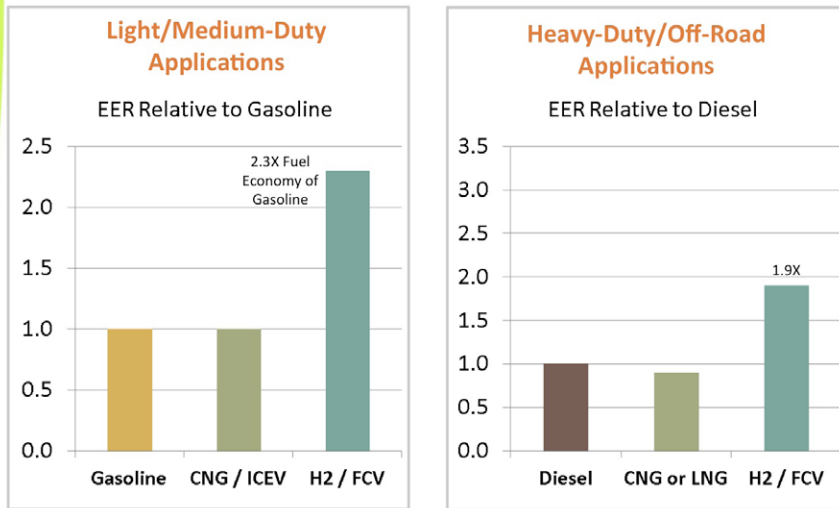
- Improves Safety
  - Paramount importance to all
- Provides Education to AHJ
  - Example: CGA pamphlets
- Provides Consistency
- Assists with Permitting
  - Appropriate C&S help AHJ's make decisions
- Helps with legal issues
- Levels playing field for all participants

### Progress in Codes and Standards Development

- It's frequently said "There are no Codes and Standards for Hydrogen Fueling".
- This is not the case.
- In fact, there are so many, we can't cover them all here today
- Industrial Codes and Standards
  - Adopted by reference
- Specific Fuel Station Codes and Standards
  - NFPA
  - I-Codes
  - SAE J2719
  - SAE J2601

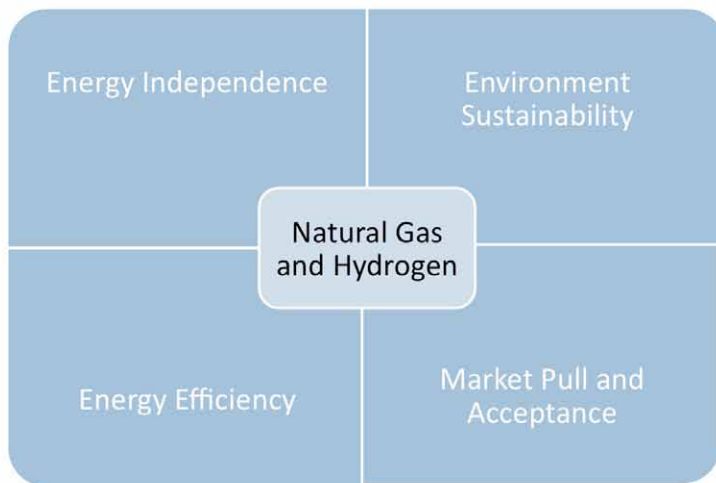
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### Energy Equivalent Ratios (EER) for Transportation Fuels



Source: CA Low Carbon Fuel Standard (LCFS) – 2011 Final regulation order

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## Summary

- US has an abundant amount of natural gas that's expected to be developed at low cost
- The substantially lower carbon footprint for natural gas and hydrogen produced from natural gas makes natural gas a bridge to a low carbon future
- US renewable energy supply is also abundant and important in developing the long-term solution
- Natural Gas and Hydrogen supply chain infrastructure continue to lower cost and expand in targeted markets
- End market Total Cost of Ownership of vehicle and fuel will influence market acceptance and market scale of alternative fuels

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