

Regional Carbon Sequestration Partnerships Review Meeting

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Introduction & Overview

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SECARB Presentation Outline

- **Introduction and Overview**

 - Ken Nemeth

- **Progress on Completing Phase I**

 - Pat Esposito

 - Public Outreach, Regulatory & Permitting, MMV, COOP

 - Dick Rhudy and Nick Irvin

 - Sources, Sinks & Infrastructure

 - Test Site Program

- **Completing Phase I and Preparing for Phase II**

 - Bill Higginbotham

 - Chairman's Initiatives for 2005

 - Jerry Hill

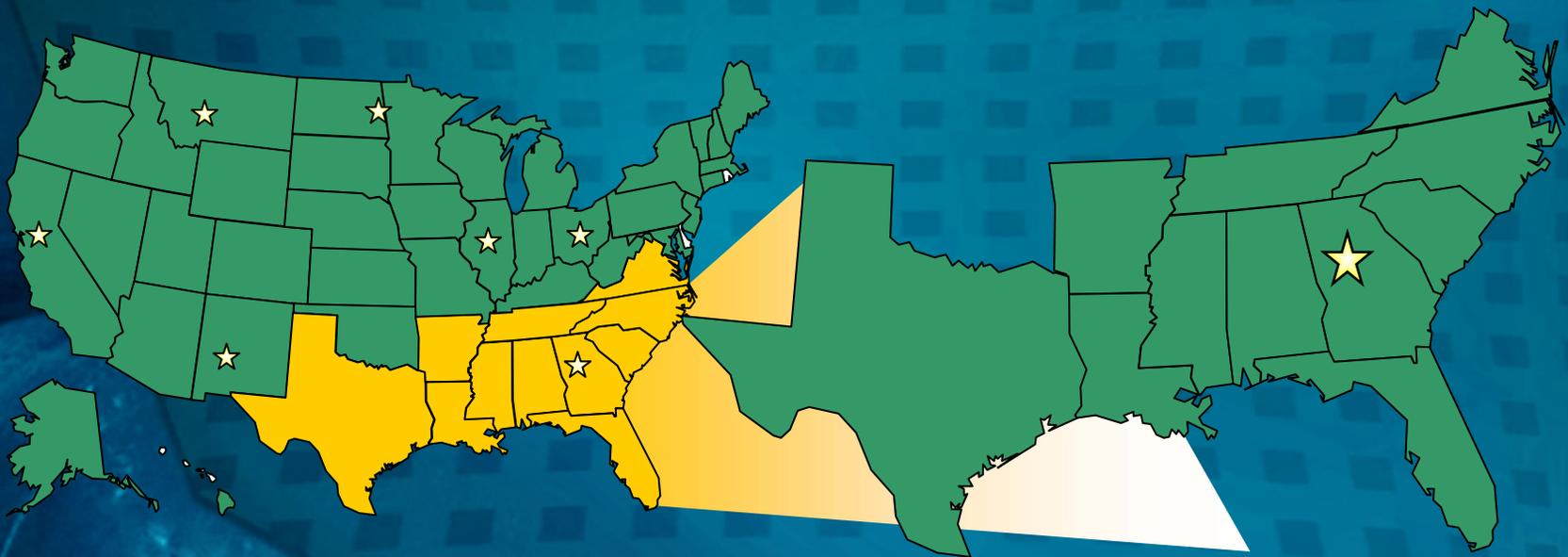
 - Identifying "Most Promising Opportunities"



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SECARB Technical Team

Partner Name	City	State	Cong. Dist.
Southern States Energy Board (SSEB) [LEAD]	Norcross	GA	4
Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI)	Palo Alto	CA	14
Mississippi State University, Diagnostic Instrumentation Analysis Laboratory (MSU-DIAL)	Mississippi State	MS	3
Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)	Cambridge	MA	8
Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) Public Power Institute (PPI)	Chattanooga	TN	3
Winrock International	Morrilton	AR	2
Augusta Systems, Incorporated	Morgantown	WV	1
Texas Bureau of Economic Geology	Austin	TX	10
Virginia Tech Center for Coal and Energy Research	Blacksburg	VA	9
Applied Geo Technologies (AGT)	Choctaw	MS	3
Geological Survey of Alabama (GSA)	Tuscaloosa	AL	7
Susan Rice and Associates, Incorporated (SARA)	Grass Valley	CA	4
Advanced Resources International (ARI)	Arlington	VA	8
The Phillips Group	Elkins	WV	2
RMS Research	Charleston	WV	2
U.S. Department of Energy, National Energy Technology Laboratory (DOE/NETL)	Pittsburgh	PA	



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Partnership “Technology Coalition”

- AGL Resources
- American Electric Power
- Arkansas Oil and Gas Commission
- BP America
- Center for Energy and Economic Development
- ChevronTexaco Corporation
- Clean Energy Systems, Inc.
- Dominion
- Duke Power
- Edison Electric Institute Energy Services
- Florida Power & Light Company
- Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority
- Georgia Forestry Commission
- Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission
- Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality
- North American Coal Corporation, The
- North Carolina State Energy Office
- Nuclear Energy Institute
- Oak Ridge National Laboratory
- Old Dominion Electric Cooperative
- Progress Energy
- SCANA Corporation
- South Carolina Public Service Authority/Santee Cooper
- Southern Company
- Tampa Electric Company
- Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA)



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SECARB Industrial Partners – Virginia Tech

Partner Name	Primary Energy Interest
Natural Resource Partners	Land Holding
Piney Land Company	Land Holding
Berwind Land Company	Land Holding
Bright Industries	Land Holding
Pocahontas Land Company	Land Holding
Tampa Electric (TECO)	Utility & coal Production
Penn Virginia Resources	Land holding & gas production
Arch Mineral	Coal production
Peabody	Coal production
AMVEST	Coal production
Eagle Companies	Coal production
First Energy	Utility
GenPower	Utility



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Budget

Start Date	End Date	Government Cost	Cost Share	Total Cost
9/30/03	9/30/05	\$ 1,599,908	\$ 399,977	\$ 1,999,885

- DOE Costs to Date: \$ 706,950.09
- Cost Share to Date: \$ 185,203.85
- Total Costs to Date: \$ 892,153.94



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Progress on Completing Phase I

Dr. Patrick Esposito, Sr.
Augusta Systems



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Regulatory, Permitting, Safety and Accounting Research Plan

- ❑ Analysis of state, federal, and tribal statutes and regulations applicable to regulatory, permitting, and safety issues
 - Specific geologic sequestration focuses include existing laws and administrative practices for CO₂ capture, transport, injection, and storage
 - Specific terrestrial sequestration focuses include existing law and administrative practices for mine land reclamation, no till farming, soil conservation, brownfield restoration, among others
- ❑ Investigation of GHG accounting frameworks



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Update on Regulatory, Permitting and Safety Research Activities

- Geologic sequestration achievements:
 - Compilation of potentially applicable laws and regulations in SECARB region and other models, including those governing UIC wells and other non-UIC wells
 - Coordinated analysis with IOGCC effort
 - Analysis of laws/regulations for certainties and ambiguities



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Update on Regulatory, Permitting and Safety Research Activities

- Terrestrial sequestration achievements:
 - Compilation of potentially applicable laws and regulations in the SECARB region and other models, including those for mine land reclamation, brownfield restoration, land and soil management, etc.
 - Analysis of laws/regulations for certainties and ambiguities



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Update on Accounting Framework Research Activities

- ❑ Terrestrial sequestration achievements:
 - Accounting framework achievements:
 - Performed analysis of current USDOE 1605(b) requirements and published proposed revisions
 - Completed survey of state accounting methods
 - Assessed domestic public and private accounting framework models
 - Studied international accounting framework measures
- ❑ End result: Compilation of SECARB region accounting framework drivers



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Next Steps on Regulatory, Permitting, Safety and Accounting Activities

- ❑ Develop draft action plans for:
 - Regulatory, permitting, and safety framework action plans with sections covering both geologic and terrestrial sequestration applications
 - Accounting framework action plans
- ❑ Submit action plans for review to SECARB Technical Team and Technology Coalition
- ❑ With input, finalize action plans



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Outreach Plan

- ❑ SECARB initial actions:
 - Facilitation of SECARB Technology Coalition Meeting in January 2004
 - Hosting of SSEB Chairman's Forum and meeting of SECARB Technology Coalition in May 2004
 - Development by SSEB of the SECARB website
 - Completion of the USDOE/NETL Sequestration Communications Workshop series
 - Conducting outreach research activities: industry focus group and stakeholder interviews



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SECARB Focus Group – Sept. 12, 2004



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Outreach Plan (cont.)

- Key leverage points:
 - SECARB Technology Coalition
 - Existing SSEB Committee and Task Force structures
 - Carbon Offset Opportunity Program



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Facilitating Sequestration Efforts in the Region

- ❑ Carbon Offset Opportunity Program:
 - USDOE/NETL - sponsored platform to match potential investors with contemplated GHG offset and reduction projects, with a focus on carbon sequestration, in a manner that emphasizes voluntary action
 - CO-OP being introduced to potential users nationwide
 - As part of national roll-out, SECARB has embraced CO-OP as a vehicle to catalyze sequestration projects in SECARB and reduce transaction costs for stakeholders

Opportunity Name	Opportunity Category	Target GHGs	Start Year	End Year
1020 Carbon Sequestration	Pj-Equity	NCO	2005	2015
1020 Cement Kiln CO2 Reduction	Pj-ERU/Equity	CO2	1997	2010
1022 CB Reforestation Project	Pj-ERU	CO2	1996	2021
1023 Estima Heating Efficiency	Pj-ERU	CO2	1990	2013
1021 Forest Investment Inc. Project	Pj-Equity	CO2	1999	2050
1024 Missouri Fuel Switch to Gas	Pj-ERU	CO2	2000	2027



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Next Steps on Outreach Activities

- ❑ Initiate general outreach via SECARB deployment of CO-OP
- ❑ Conduct final actions on outreach research activities: finalize ongoing efforts, synthesize information
- ❑ Develop draft outreach action plans
- ❑ Submit draft outreach action plans for review by SECARB Technical Team and Technology Coalition
- ❑ With input from SECARB, finalize action plans



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Context for Phase II

- ❑ Regulatory, Permitting, Safety, and Accounting Research Activities
 - Significant to effort as initial decisions about regulatory, permitting, safety, and accounting approaches for potential Phase II projects could impact future sequestration frameworks
 - Action plans could have lasting impact in the region beyond Phase II and into wide-scale deployment
- ❑ Outreach Activities
 - Central to effort as public awareness of and knowledge regarding sequestration is essential
 - New technology applications bring inherent needs for informed dialogues and communications – it is assumed that sequestration deployment will follow this model



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Monitoring, Measurement & Verification

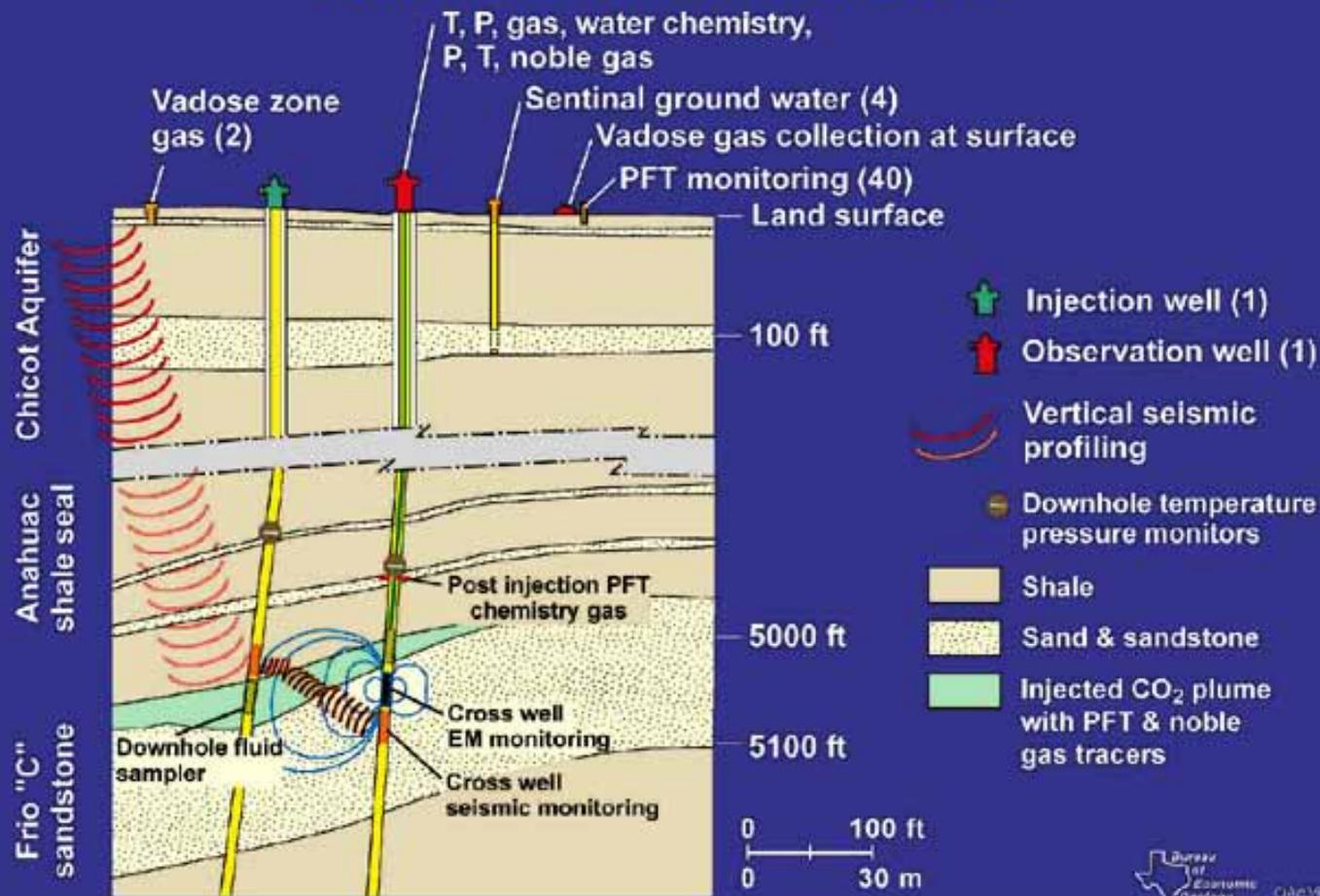
- ❑ Determine methods for MMV
- ❑ Ensure QA/QC protocols available
- ❑ Importance of MMV:
 - The public wants to know that sequestration is safe and effective
 - State, federal and international agencies want to monitor commitments
 - Investors and credit traders want to know that sequestration is working



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MONITORING AND VERIFICATION TECHNOLOGIES AT FRIO BRINE PILOT SITE



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Progress on Completing Phase I (cont.)

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Electric Power Research
Institute

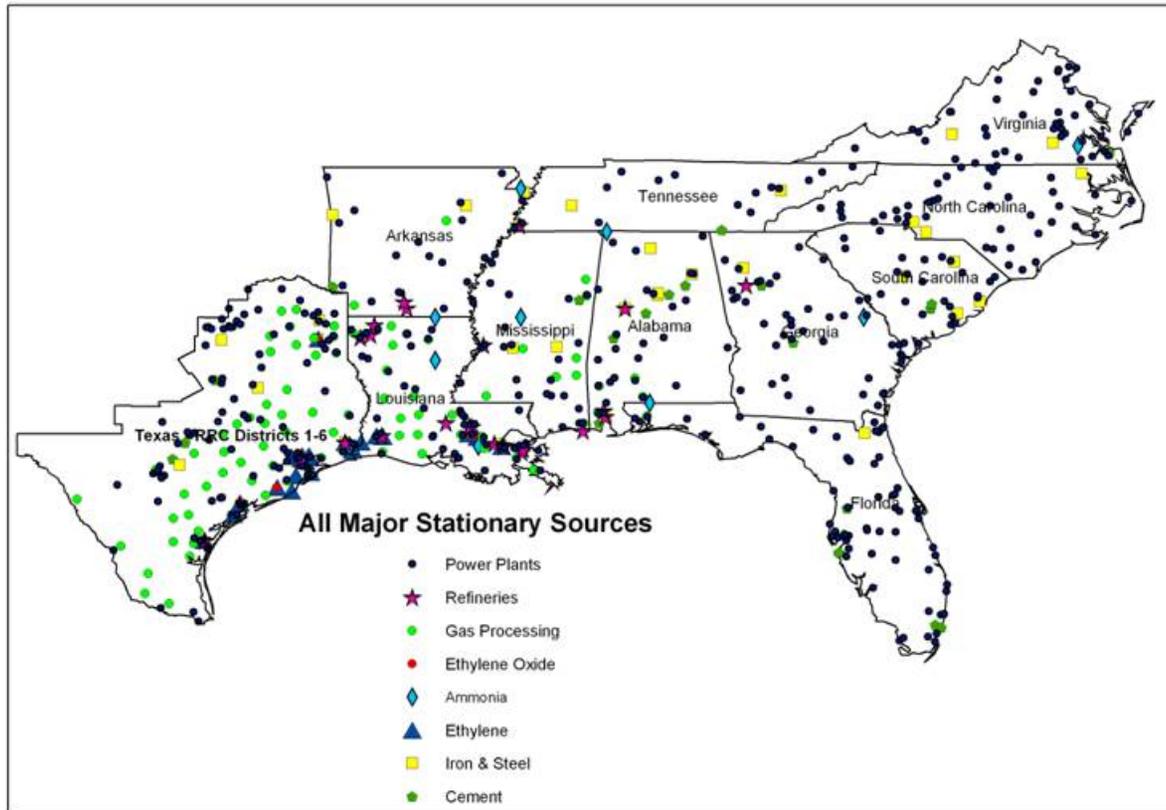
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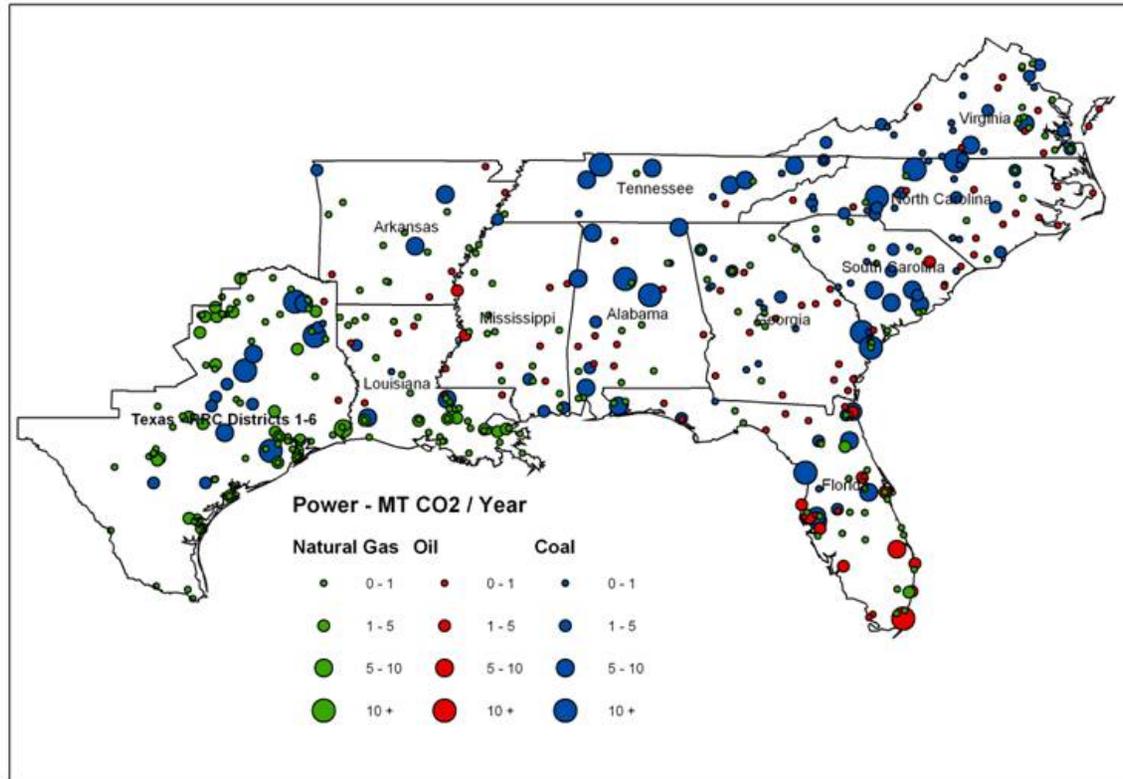
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Power Plants



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Power Plants

State	Number of Power Plants	CO2 Emissions - by Fuel (MT/Year)			
		Coal	Natural Gas	Oil	Total
Alabama	34	69	1.1	4	74
Arkansas	21	22	2.5	1	26
Florida	98	75	12.4	52	140
Georgia	66	30	1.0	3	34
Louisiana	70	20	25.6	2	48
Mississippi	31	12	1.9	7	21
North Carolina	52	69	0.7	1	71
South Carolina	29	37	0.1	5	43
Tennessee	20	55	0.2	0	56
Texas (RRC Districts 1-6)	148	112	79.6	1	193
Virginia	59	36	1.4	2	40
Total	628	538	126	79	743

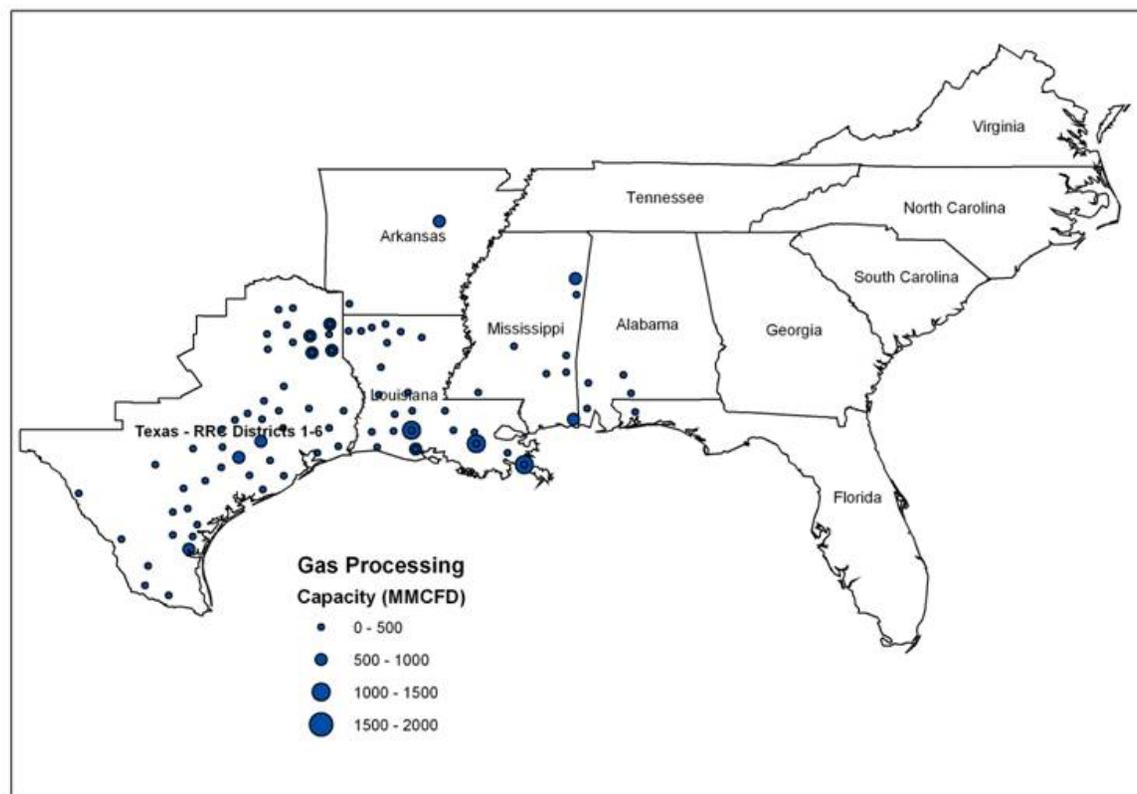
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Gas Processing Plants



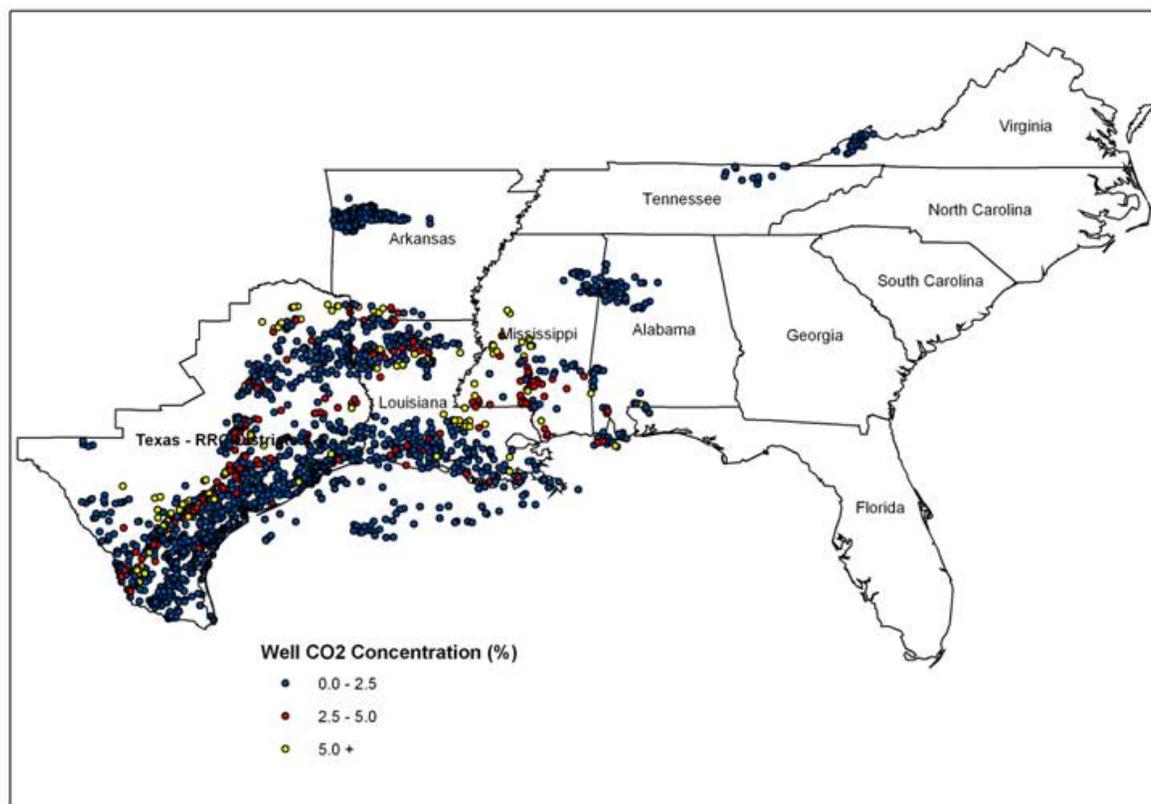
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Gas Wells



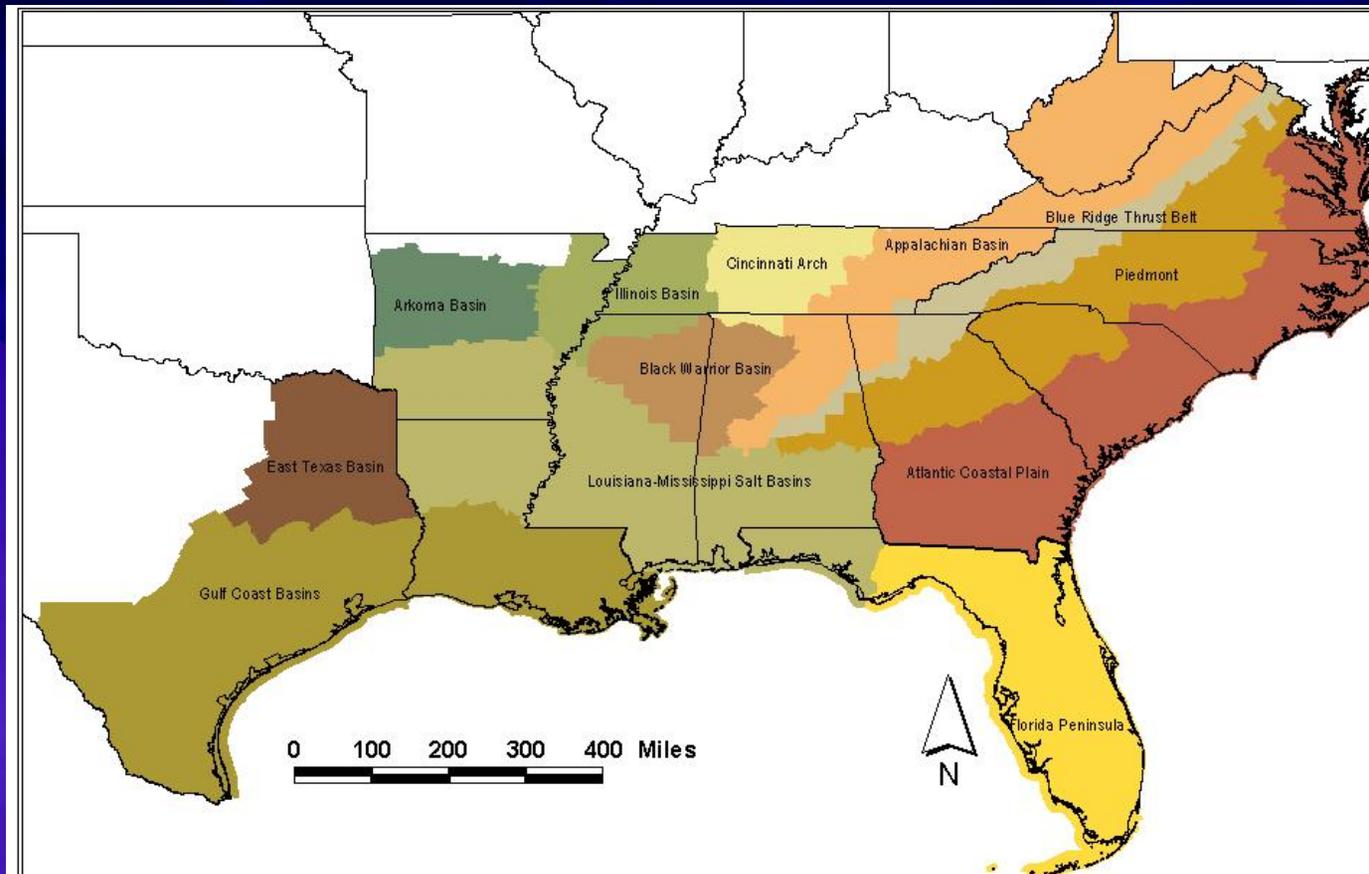
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Geological Provinces of the SE Regional Partnership



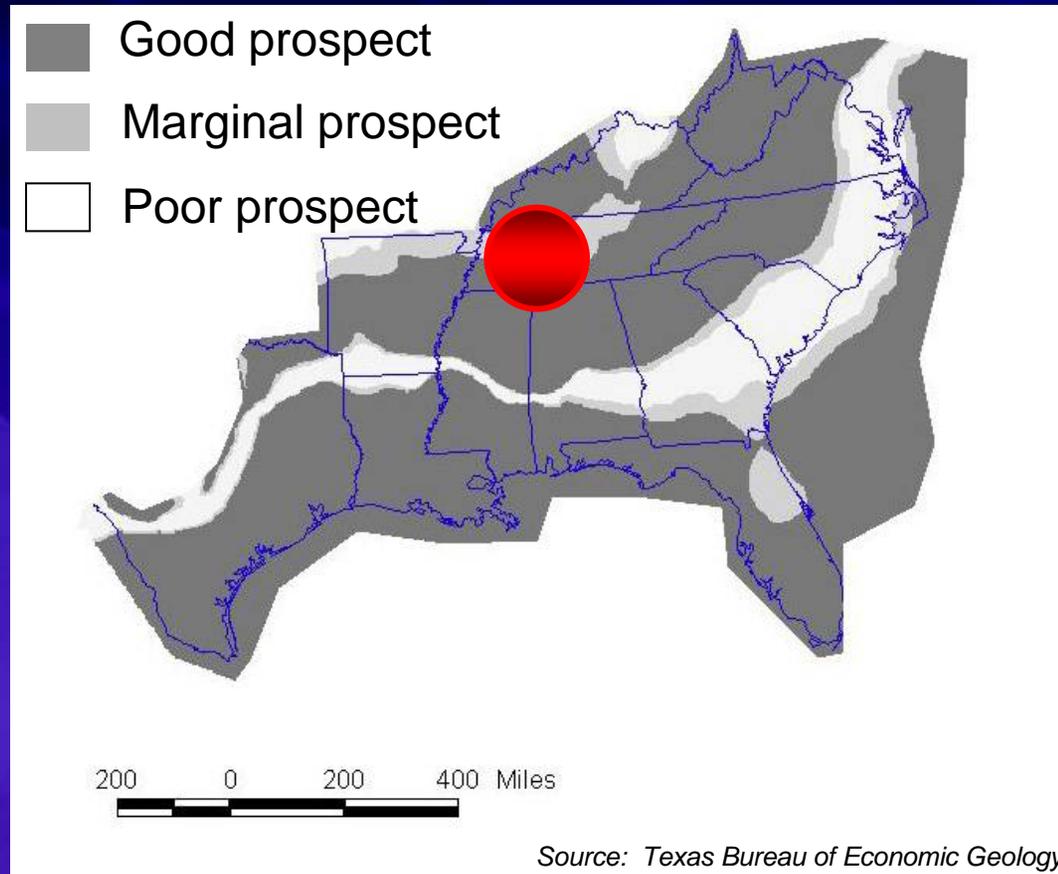
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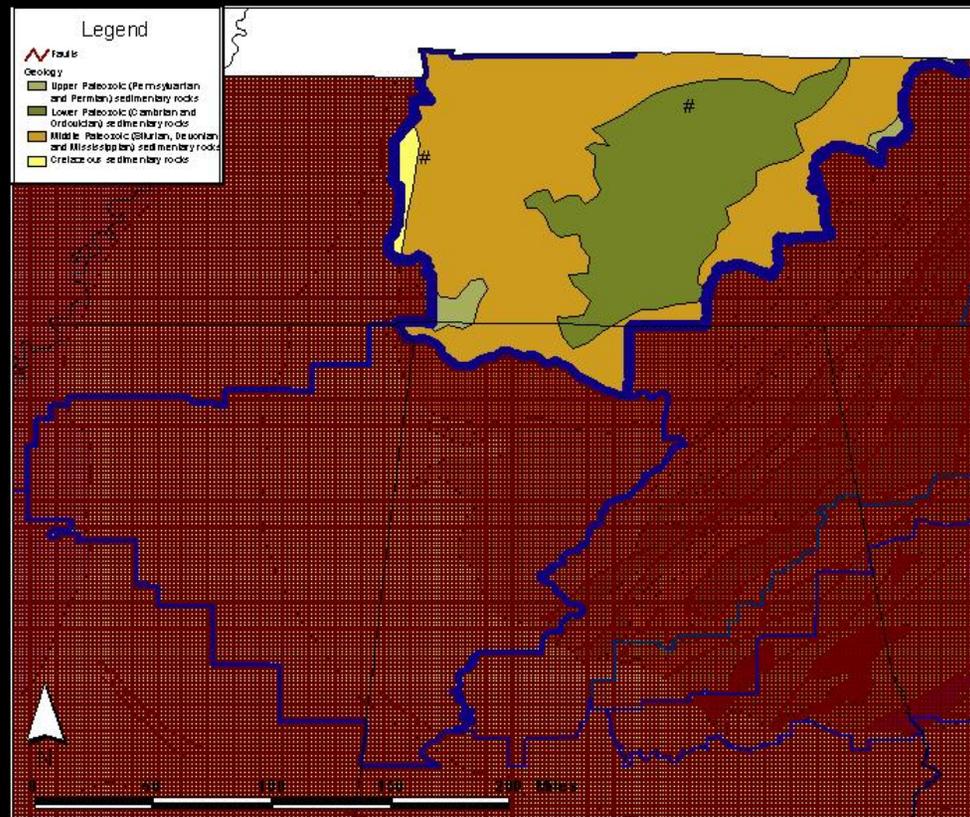
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Southern Cincinnati Arch: Surface Geology And Structural Features



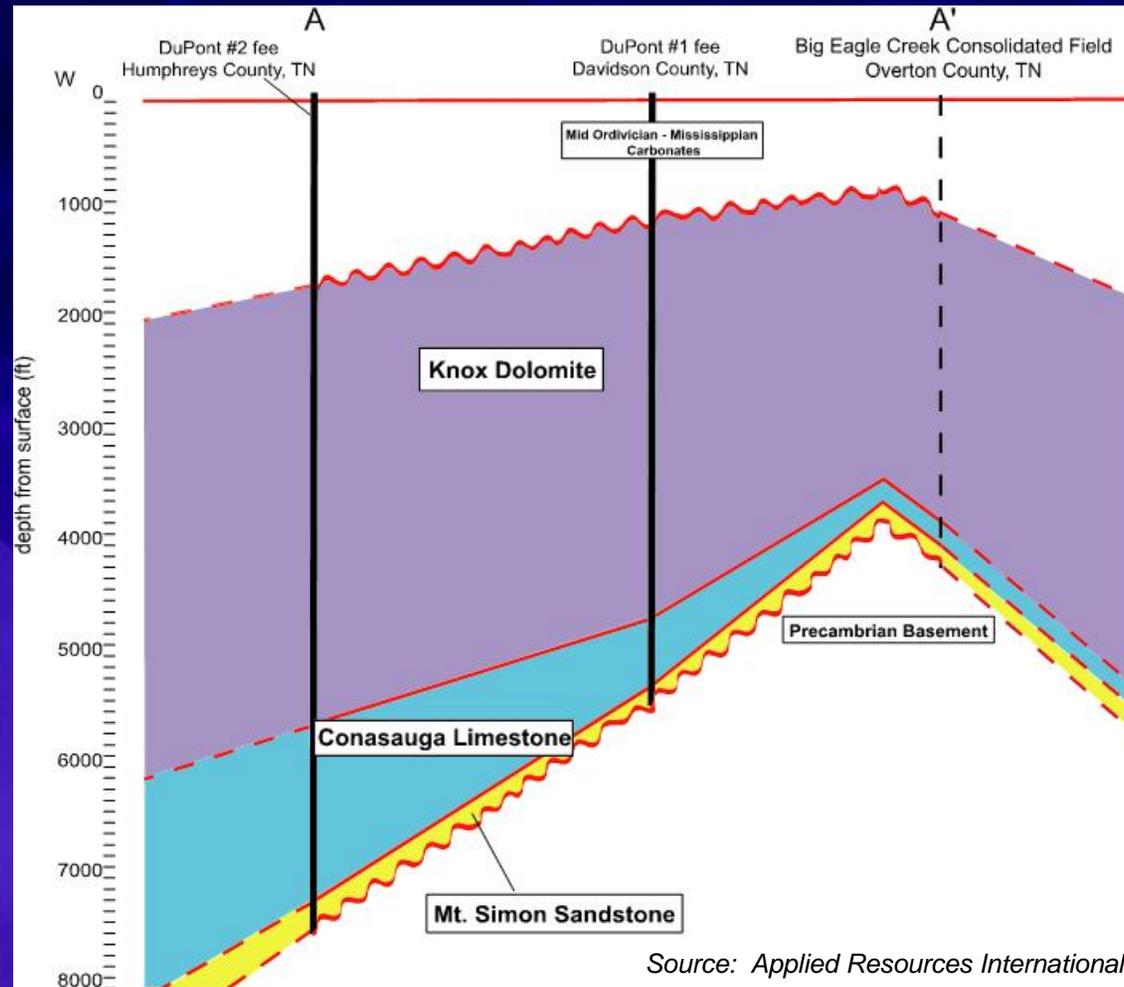
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Southern Cincinnati Arch: Cross-Section



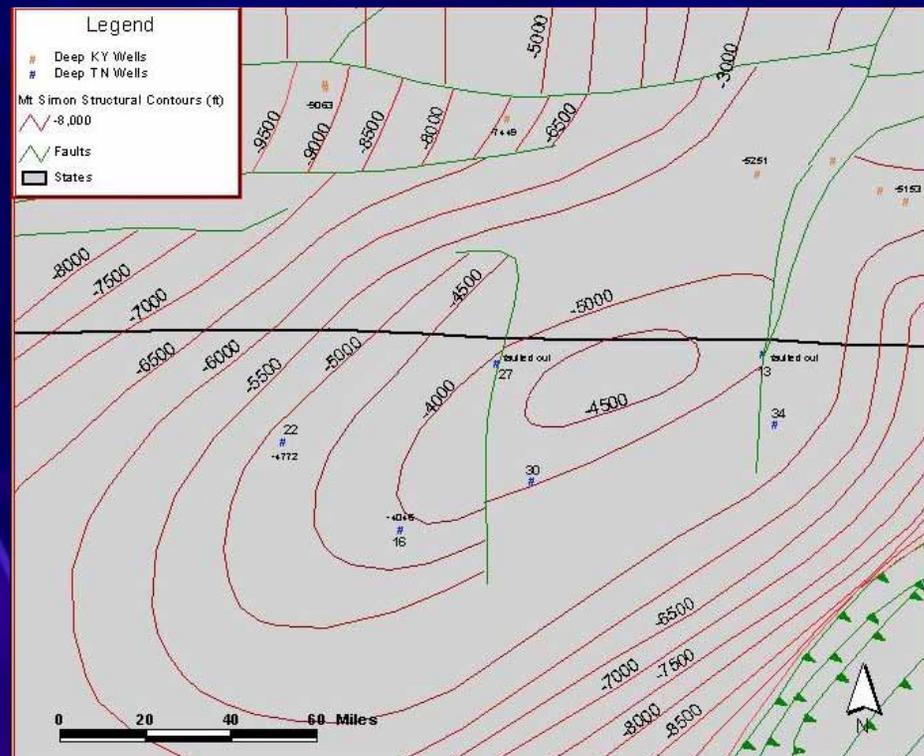
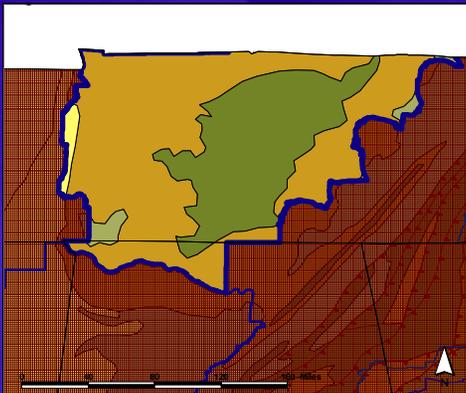
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Southern Cincinnati Arch: Reservoir Structure

Structural contours on top of Mt. Simon (Rome/Basal Sand) Formation

Within this area the
Mt Simon (Rome/
Basal Sand)
Reservoir thickness
is 100 feet based on
data from wells
#22 and #16



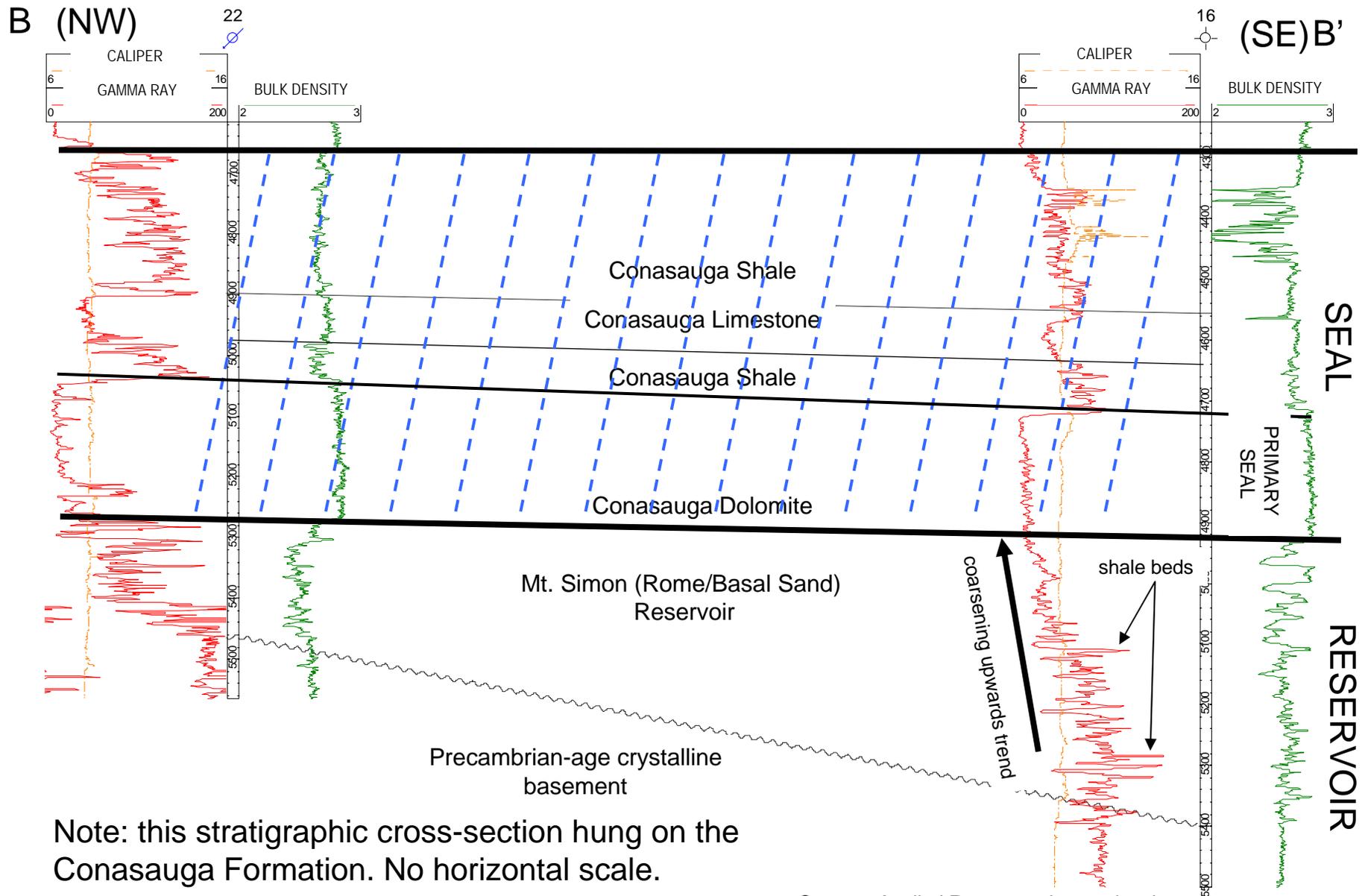
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Southern Cincinnati Arch: Reservoir and Seal



Source: Applied Resources International

Southern Cincinnati Arch: Reservoir Storage Capacity and Injectivity

Reservoir and Fluid Properties*

Porosity = 10%**
Permeability = 15.9 md
Temperature = 113°F
Pressure = 2,330 psi
Thickness = 100 feet
Salinity = 25,000 ppm
CO₂ Solubility = 125 scf/bbl
Residual CO₂ = 23%
CO₂ FVF = 2,278 scf/bbl

**The Mt. Simon (Rome/Basal Sand) Formation characteristics are based on a core report for well #22 in Davidson County.*

***Average of core and geophysical log porosity calculations and measurements*

Storage Capacity (CO₂)

Area = 5,000 mi²*
Capacity = 0.71 MMt/mi²
TOTAL = 3,558 MMt

- In solution = 595 MMt
- Trapped = 1,996 MMt
- Free = 967 MMt

Injectivity (CO₂)**

$$q_{sc} = \frac{(\Psi_2 - \Psi_1)kh}{\gamma TP_t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} q_{sc} &= (\text{CO}_2 \text{ injection rate}) \\ &= 18 \text{ MMscfd/well} \\ &= 1,047 \text{ t/d per well} \end{aligned}$$

** For Nashville Dome
** Calculated using pseudo pressure equation for CO₂*

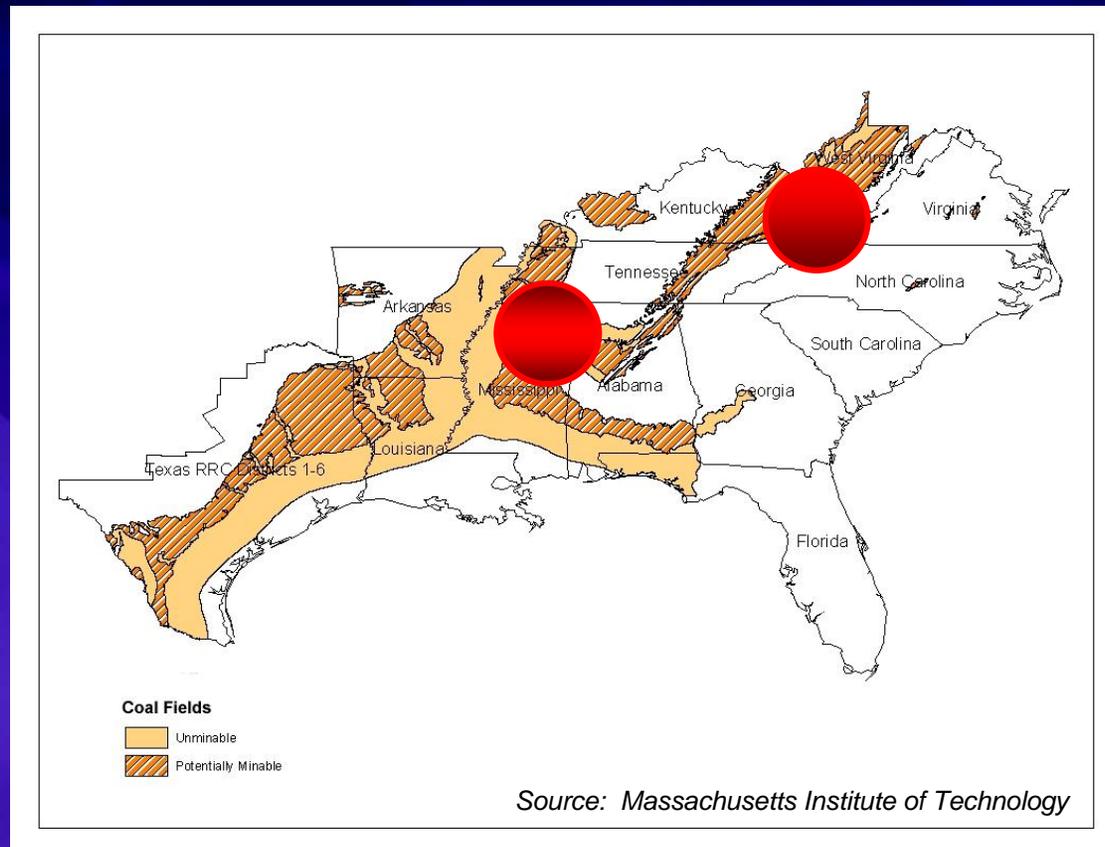
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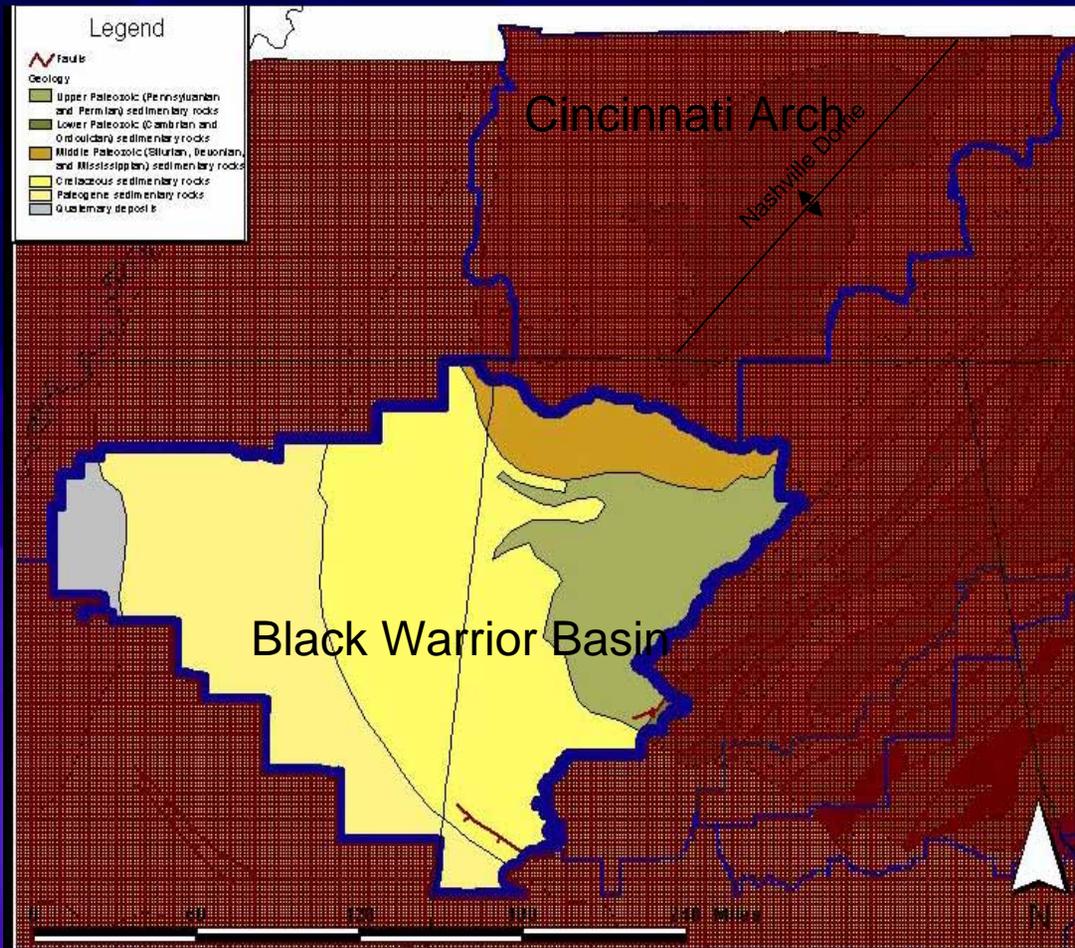
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Black Warrior Basin: Geology



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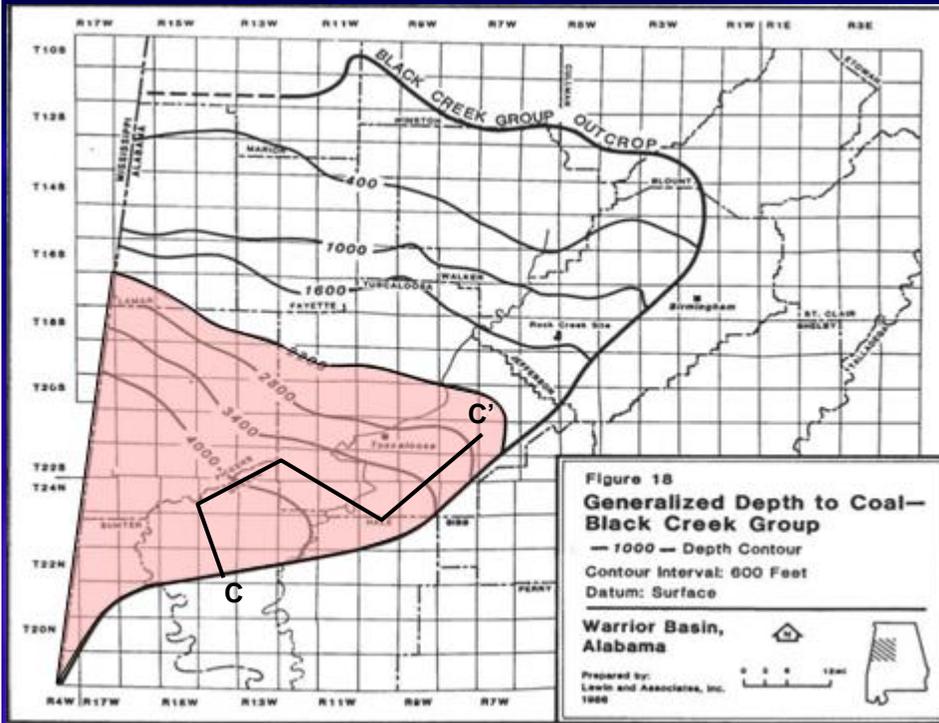


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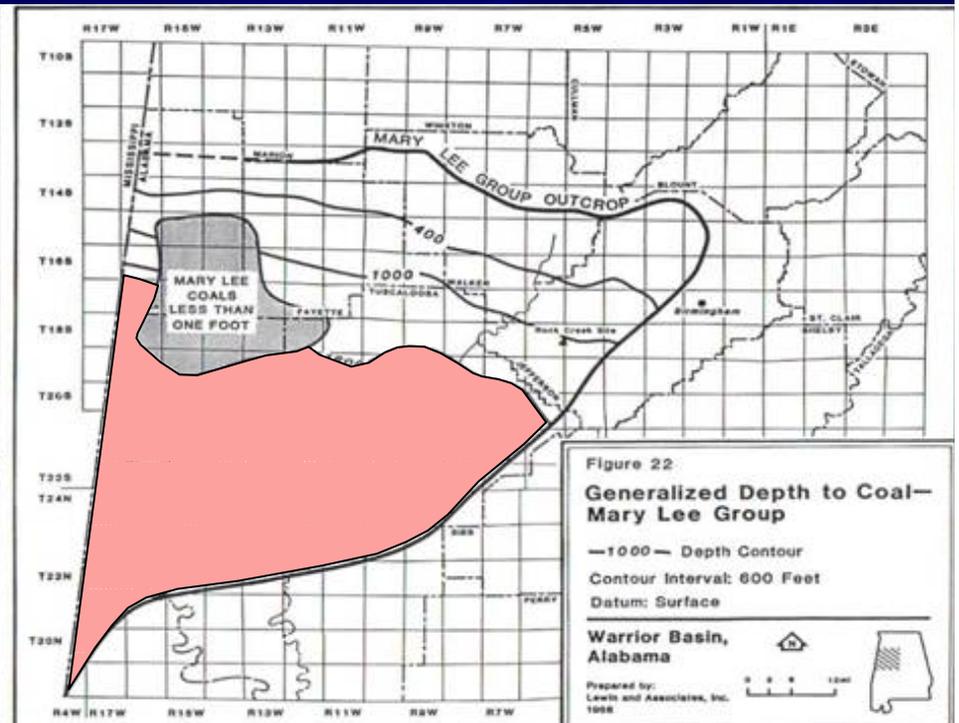


Black Warrior Basin: Depth to Black Creek and Mary Lee Coal Groups

Unminable Portion of the Black Creek Coal Group



Unminable Portion of the Mary Lee Coal Group



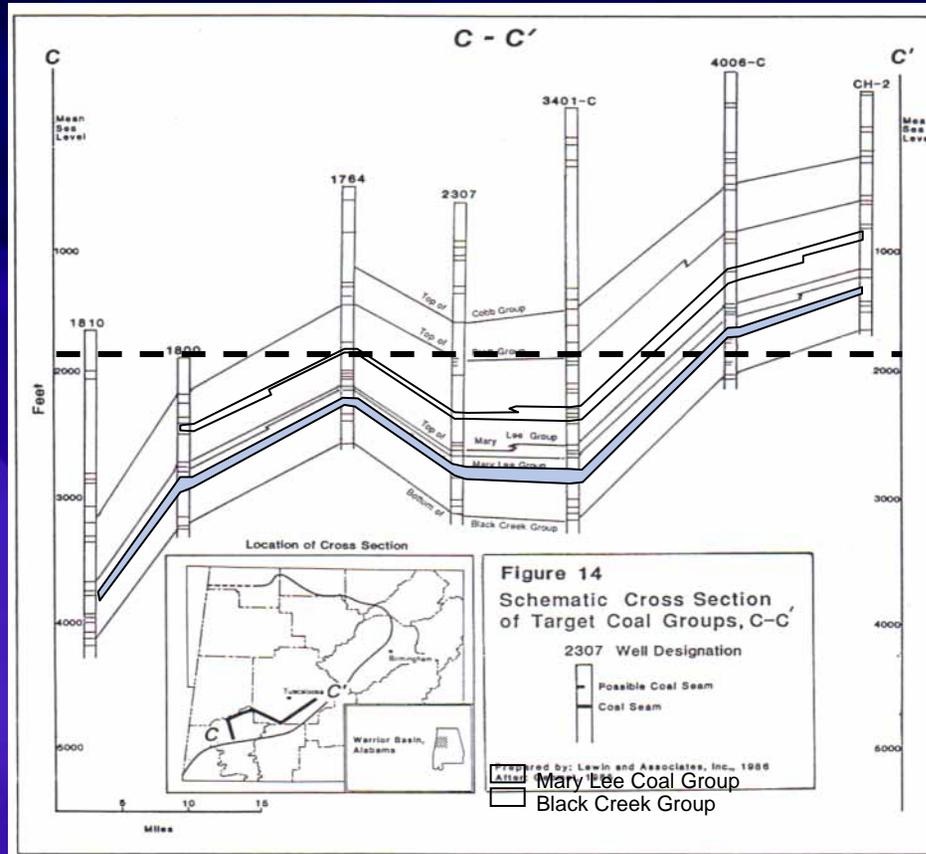
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Black Warrior Basin: Depth to Black Creek and Mary Lee Coal Seams



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Black Warrior Basin: Reservoir Storage Capacity

Reservoir Properties

1. Black Creek Group

Thickness = 4 feet

Min Depth = 2,200 ft

Average Depth = 3,600 ft

Primarily High Vol A
and Med Vol

2. Mary Lee Group

Thickness = 6 feet

Min Depth = 2,200 ft

Average Depth = 3,400 ft

High Vol A

Injectivity (CO₂)

To be determined

Storage Capacity (CO₂)

1. Black Creek Group

Area = 2,200 mi²

Volume = 5,632,000 acre-feet

Mass = 10.1×10^9 tons

CO₂ per ton = 1,100 cf/ton

TOTAL CO₂ = 648 MMTons

2. Mary Lee Group

Area = 1,800 mi²

Volume = 6,912,000 acre-feet

Mass = 12.4×10^9 tons

CO₂ per ton = 1,000 cf/ton

TOTAL CO₂ = 723 MMTons

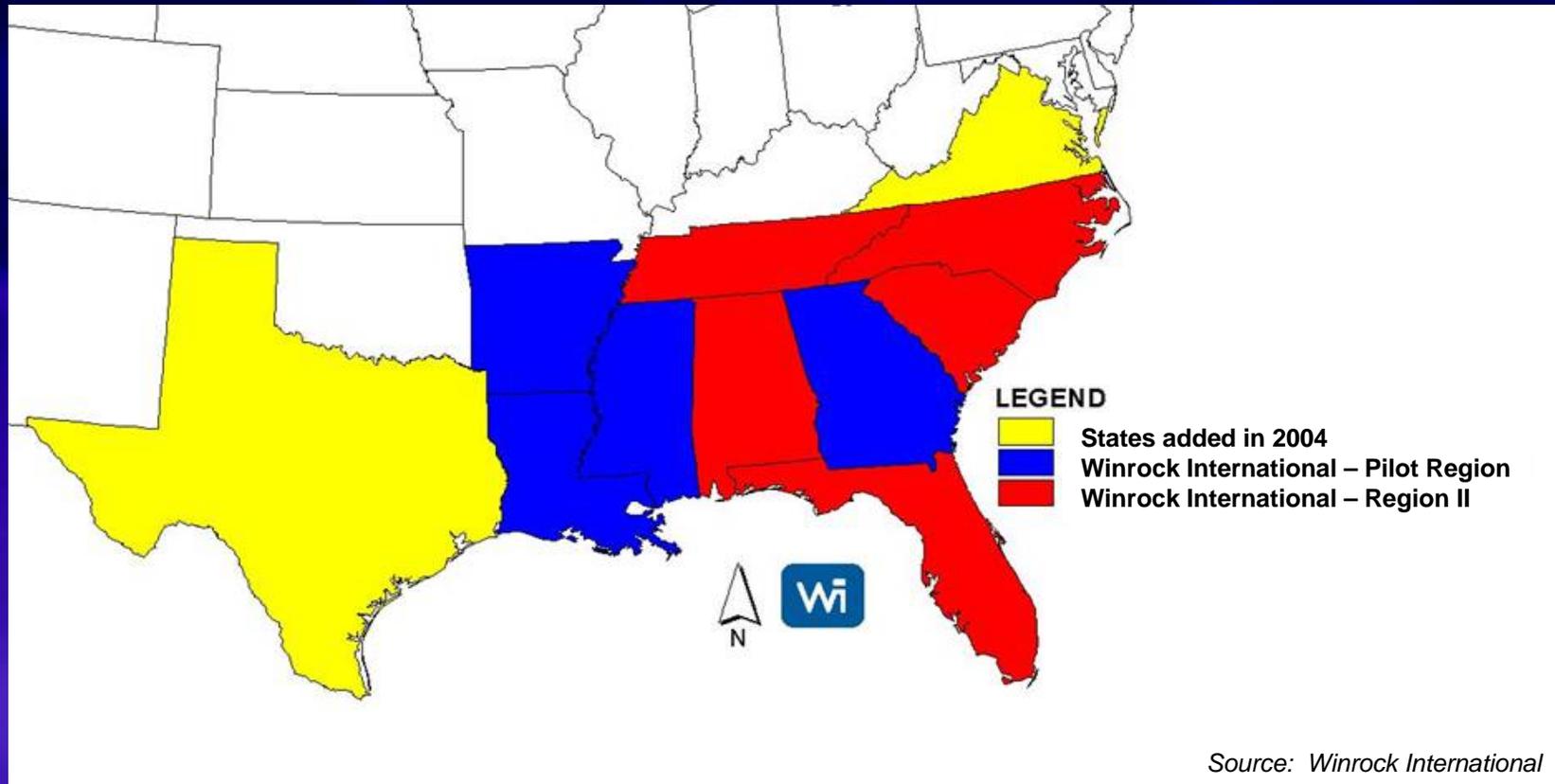
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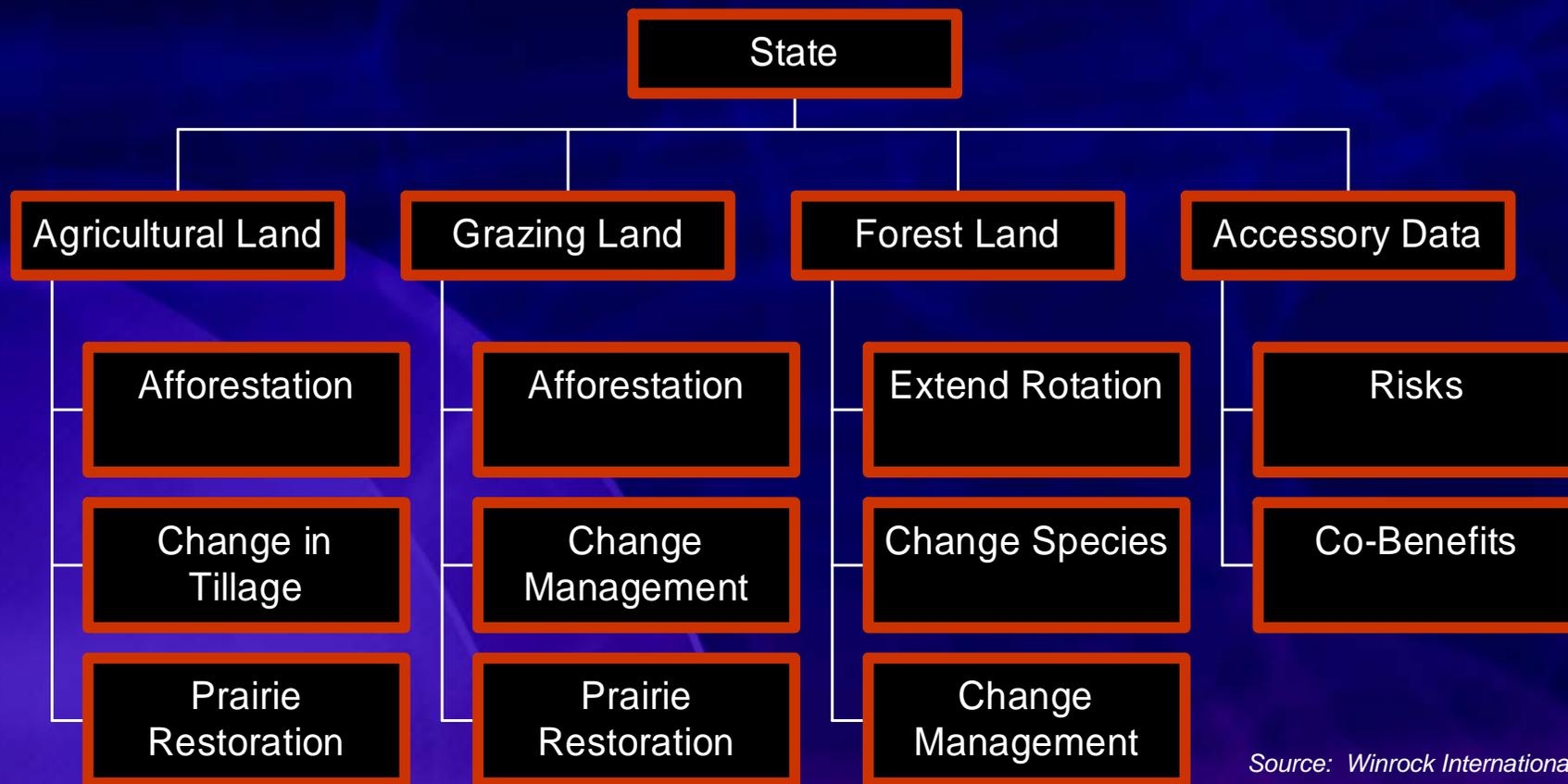
Terrestrial Evaluation



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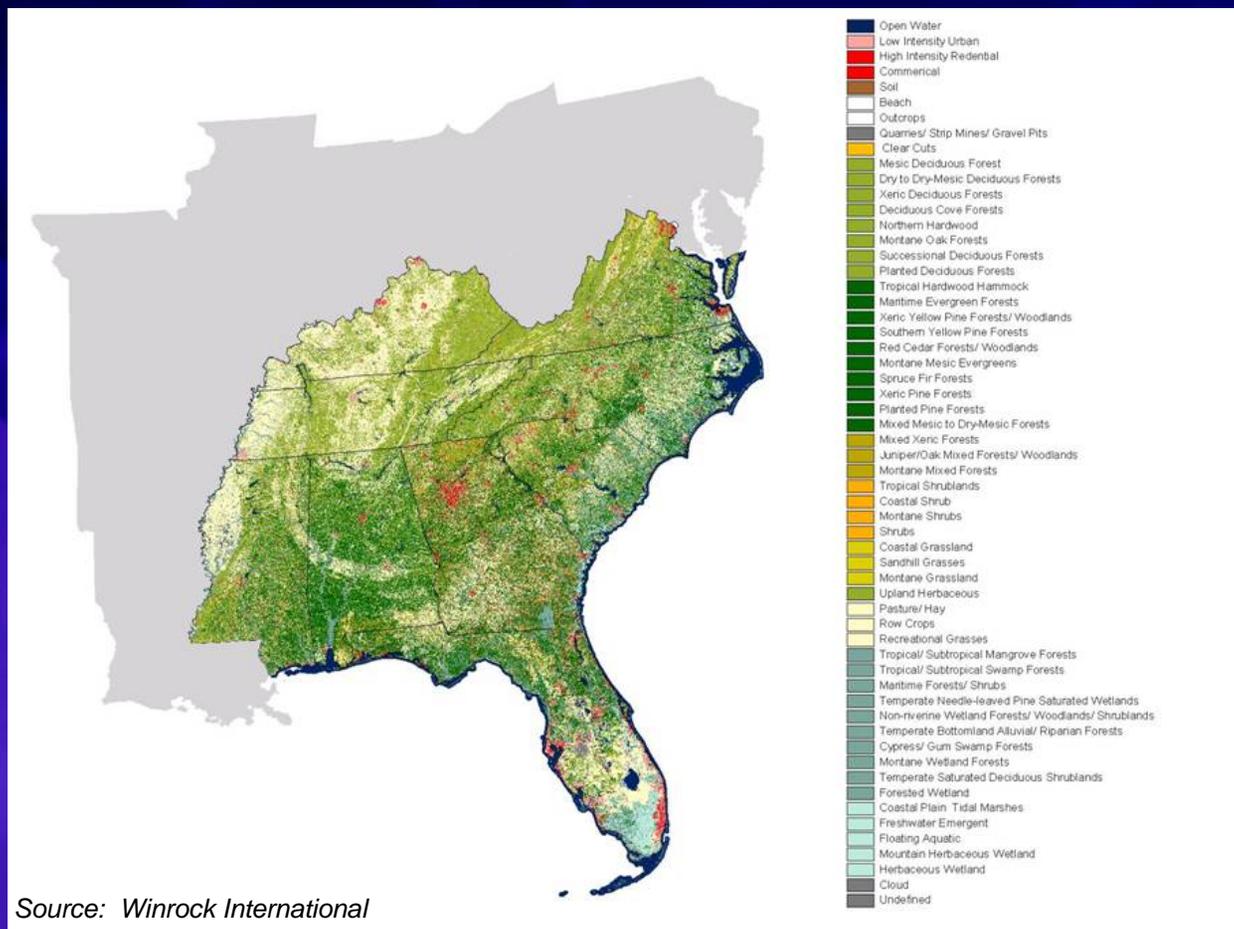
Overall Data Structure



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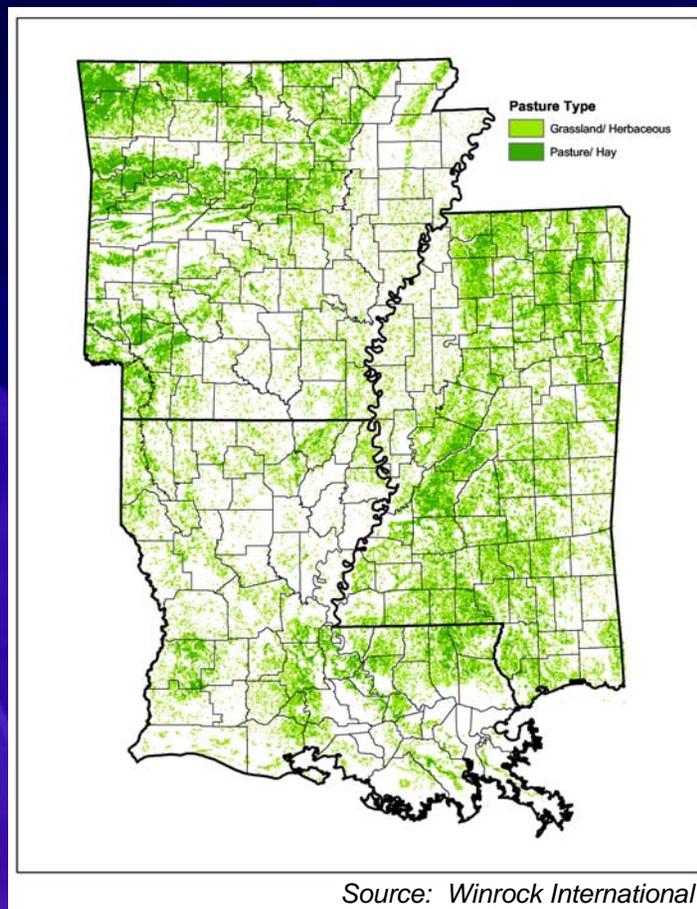
Gap Analysis



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Grazing Lands

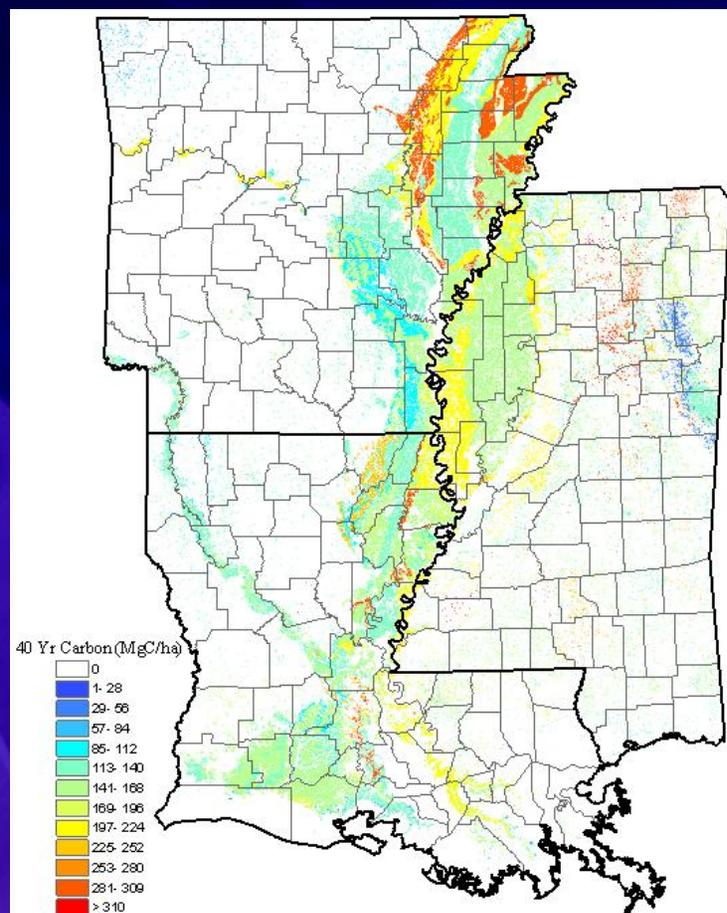


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Afforestation on Agricultural Lands

– tons carbon per
hectare after 40
years



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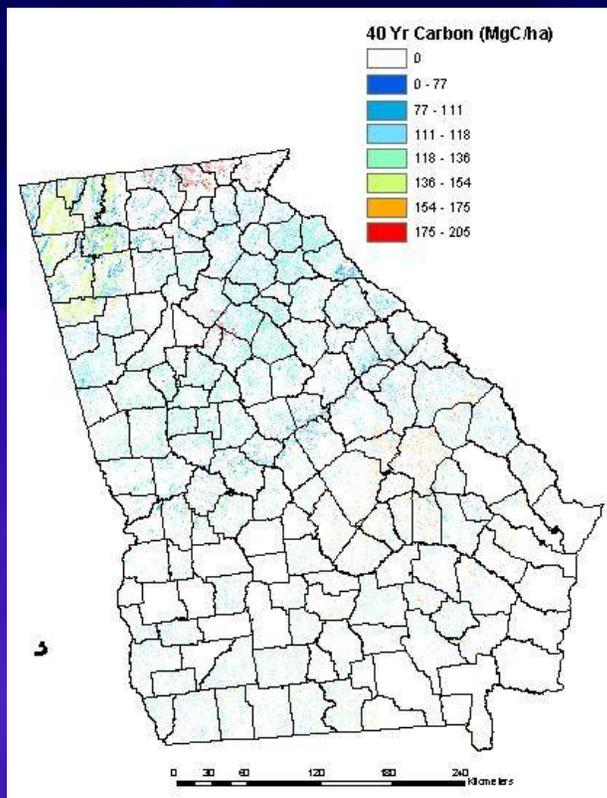


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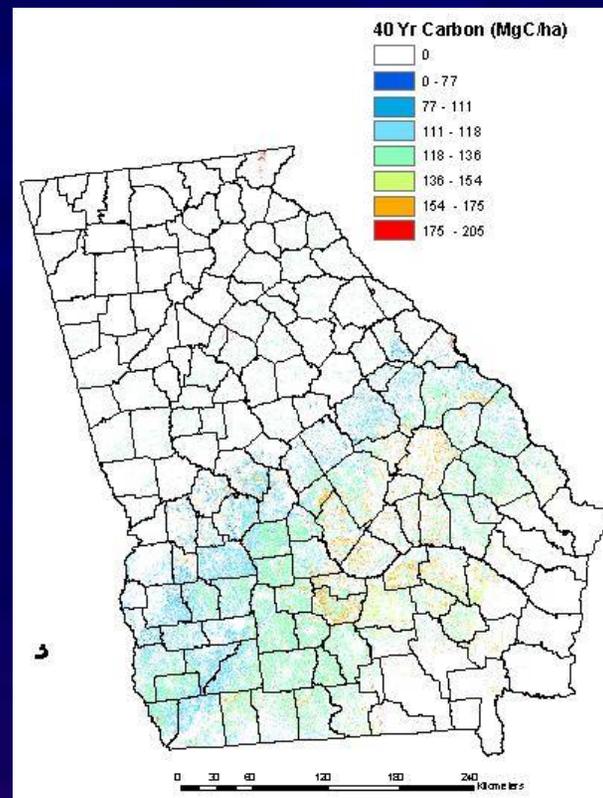


Afforestation

Grazing Lands



Ag Lands



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Test Center Initiative

- ❑ A set of two or three pilot-scale test centers to develop and evaluate CO₂ combined capture and containment
- ❑ At existing power plants, in real operating environments
- ❑ A single well disposal/storage design for initial pilot testing
 - Nominally 10 MW
- ❑ The goals include:
 - Accelerate development of cost-effective options
 - Evaluate technical and environmental issues at a reasonable size
 - Collect long-term data (10 years worth)



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Phase I: Scoping Study

□ Status

- Six EPRI members
- One test center engineering and cost
- Best sites selected from member plants from capture viewpoint
- Site-specific storage evaluation
 - Four finalists selected
 - Selection committee to select final plant
- Fold information into regional partnership Phase 2

□ Example of a site evaluation

- First time this has been done in this level of detail

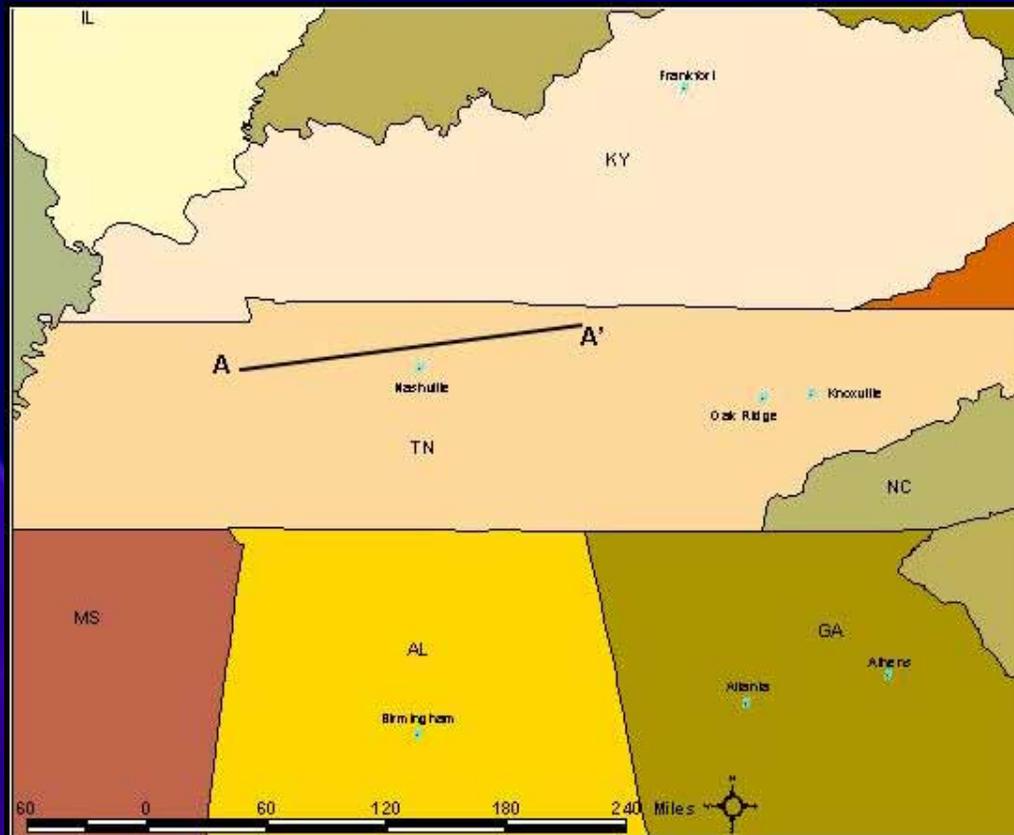


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General Plant Location

- ❑ Oil/Gas Reservoirs
 - Too shallow and low capacity
- ❑ Coal
 - Movable
- ❑ Aquifer
 - Nearby and of significant volume



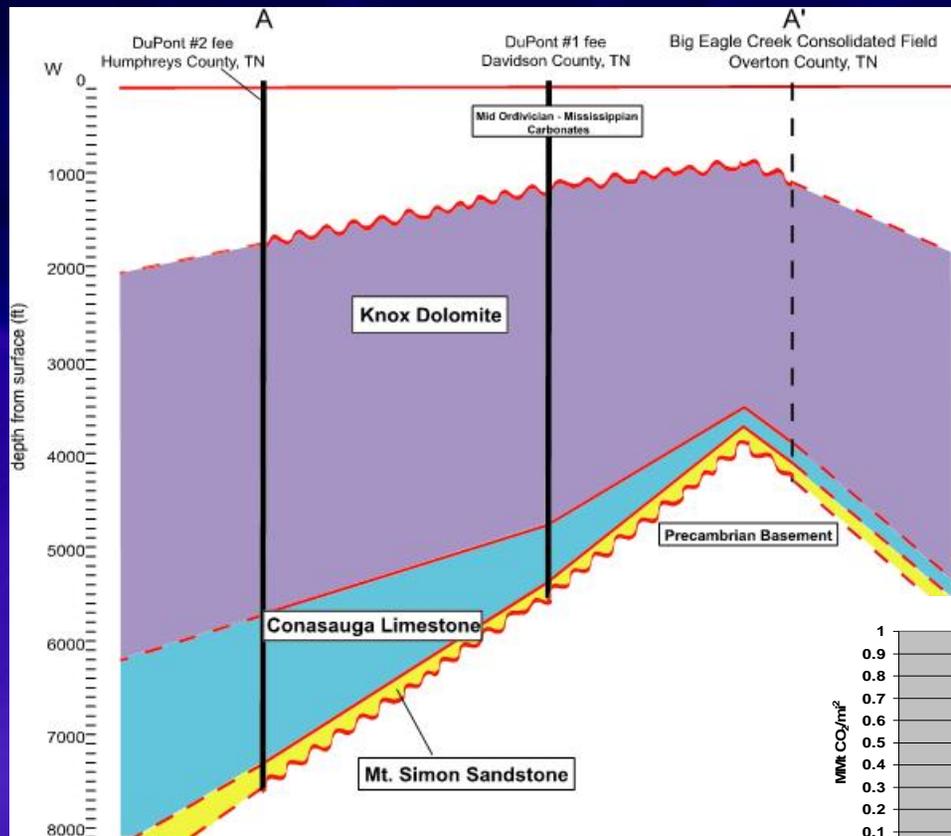
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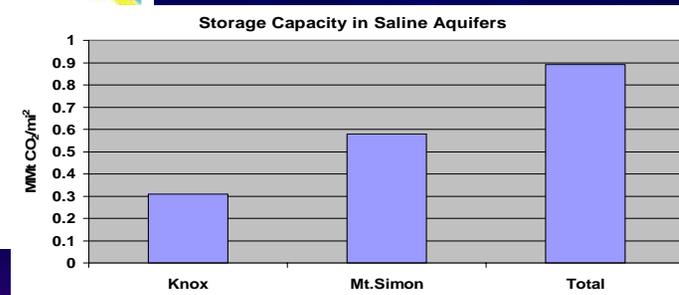
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Geologic Storage Capacity



Plant Emissions =
 0.80 MM t CO₂ / y
 MM t CO₂ / mi² =
 0.89
 Need approx. 27
 mi² for 30 y



Source: Applied Resources International

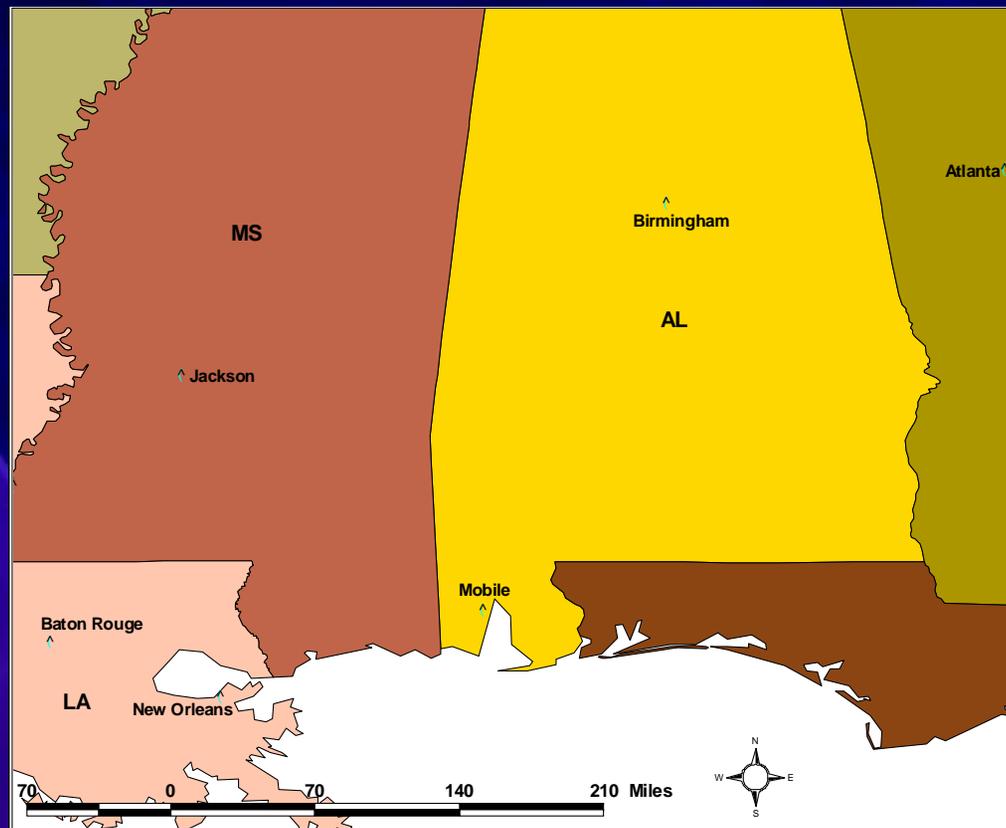


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General Plant Location

- ❑ Oil/Gas Reservoirs
 - 40 to 50 miles away
- ❑ Coal
 - Lignites 30 miles away (more data needed)
- ❑ Aquifer
 - Nearby and of significant volume
- ❑ Salt Dome
 - 80 miles away



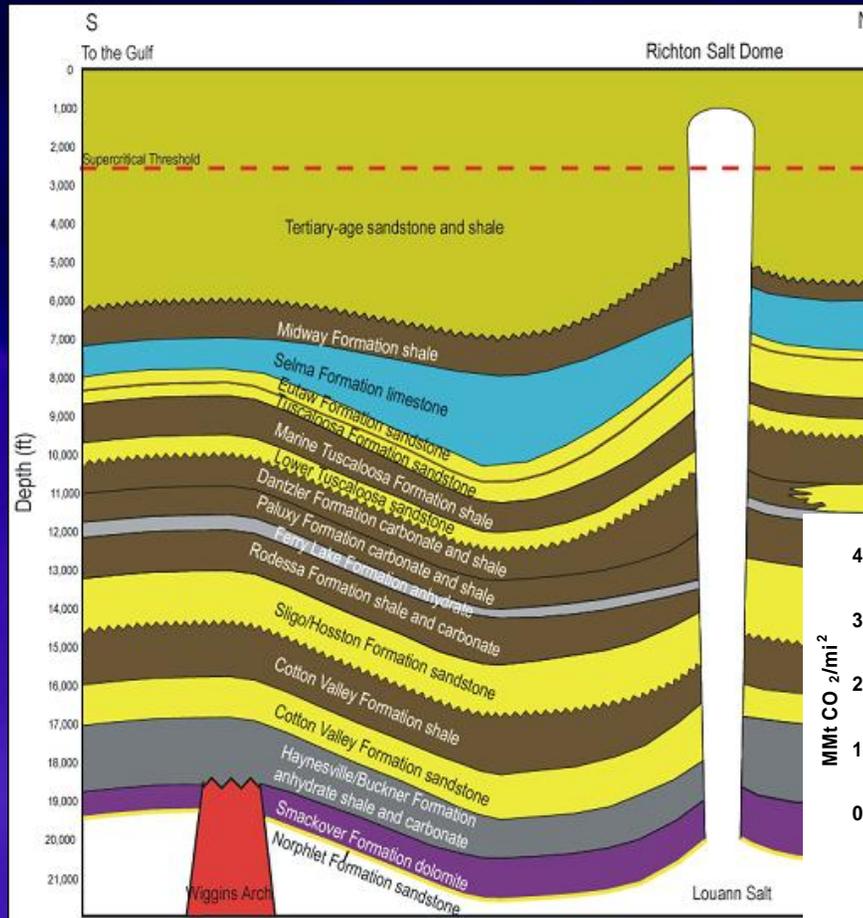
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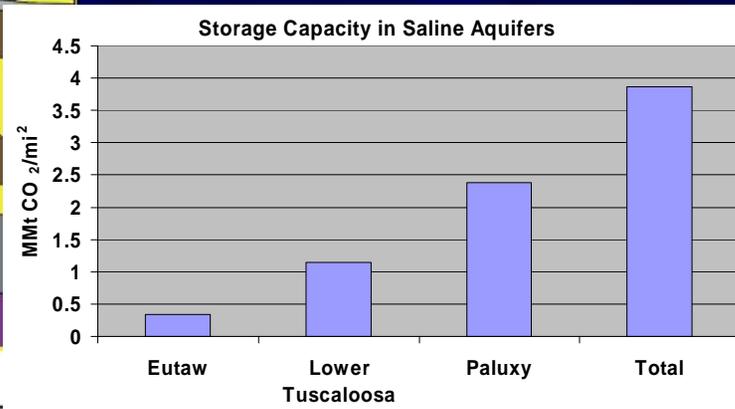
Geologic Storage Capacity



Plant Emissions =
 0.80 MM t CO₂ / y

MM t CO₂ / mi² =
 3.87

Need approx. 6.2 mi²
 for 30 y



Source: Applied Resources International



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Future Efforts

- ❑ At the end of the scoping study, plan to have one facility preliminary design and cost
- ❑ Planning that one of the options to be considered for the SECARB region will be a facility based on the results of this project
- ❑ Several utility members of the project have indicated support for such a facility and an interest in a combined capture and storage pilot based on gas from a coal-fired boiler



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Completing Phase I and Preparing for Phase II

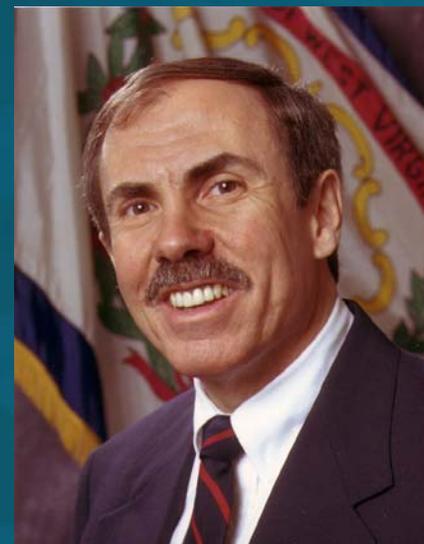
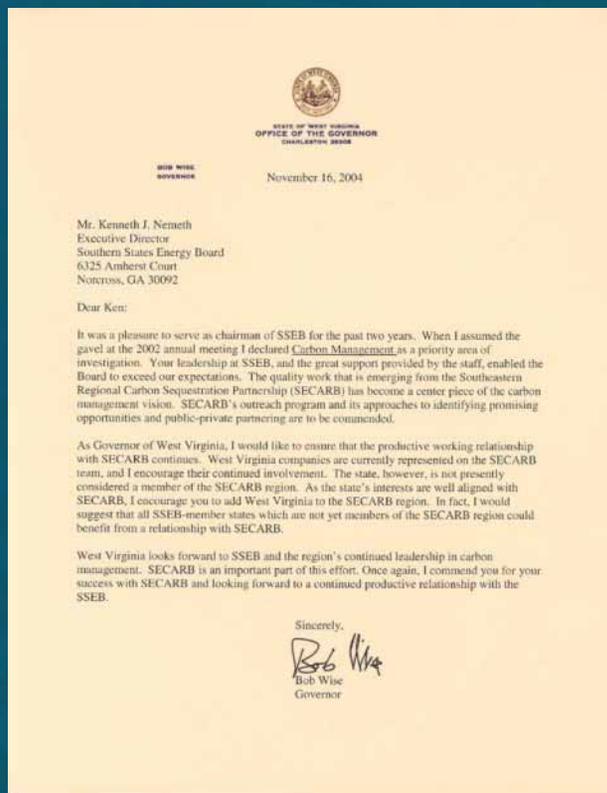
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Kentucky Coal Council



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Carbon Management & Clean Coal Initiatives



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Dr. Gerald R. Hill
Southern States Energy Board



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Next Steps on Regulatory, Permitting, Safety, and Accounting Activities

- ❑ Transition from general assessment towards opportunity-specific focus
- ❑ Address terrestrial and geological opportunities that emerge as promising
- ❑ Develop action plans with input from SECARB technical team, Technology Coalition and stakeholders associated with promising options



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Outreach Activities

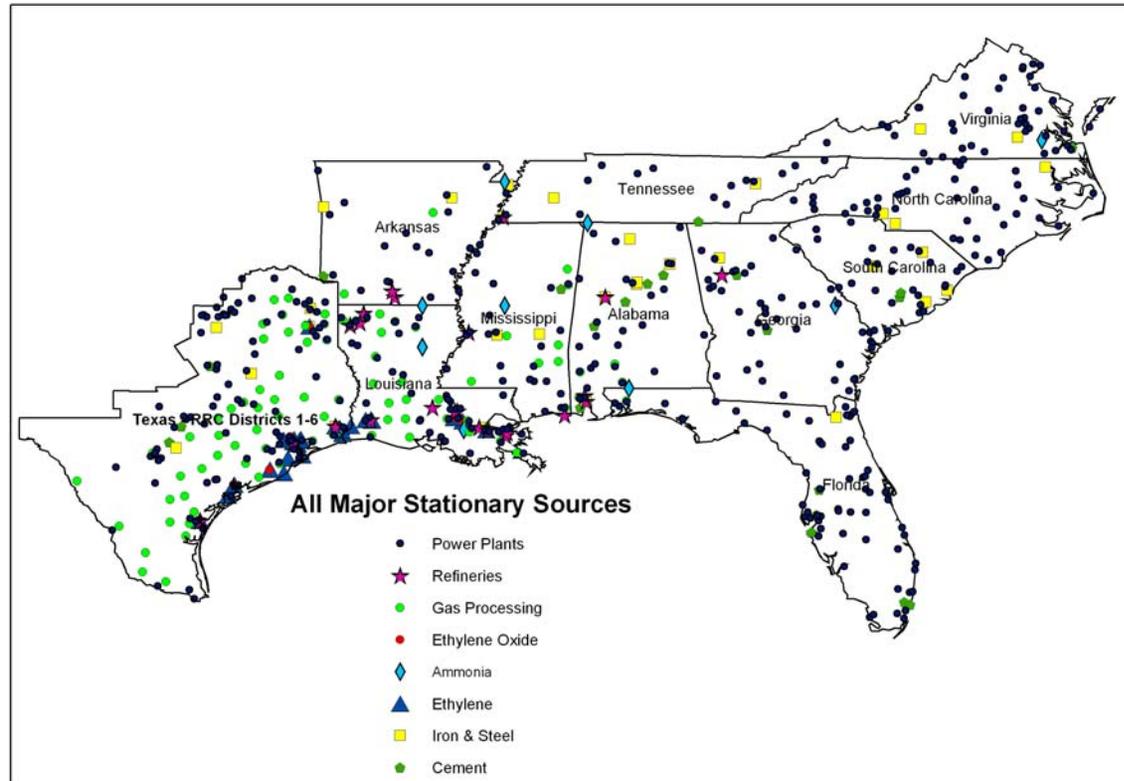
- ❑ Transition from general outreach activities towards opportunity-specific focus
- ❑ Develop action plans with input from SECARB technical team, Technology Coalition and stakeholders associated with promising options
- ❑ Engage local stakeholders BEFORE announcing site-specific opportunities



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Capture/Separation Sources

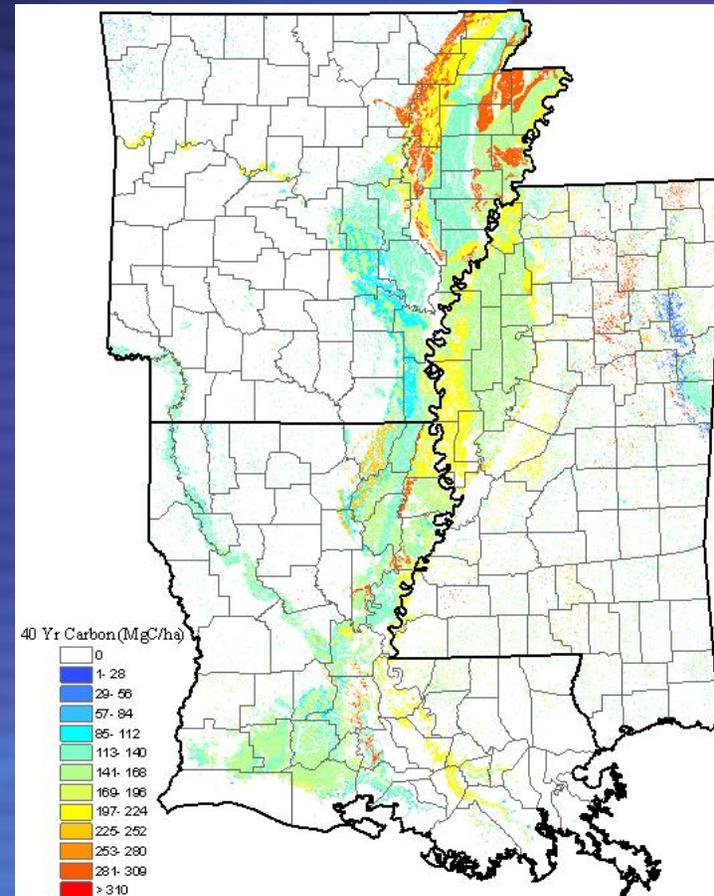


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Terrestrial Sinks

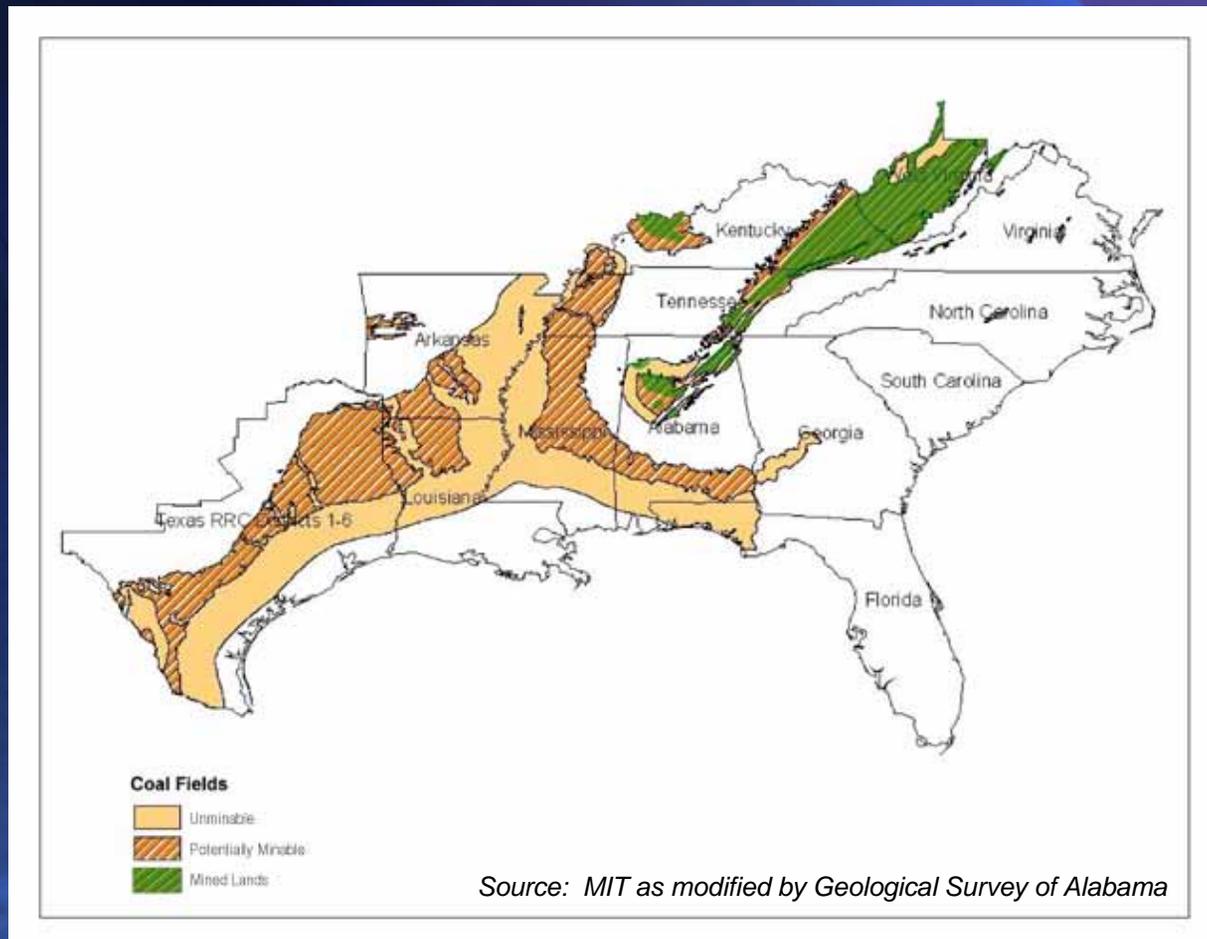
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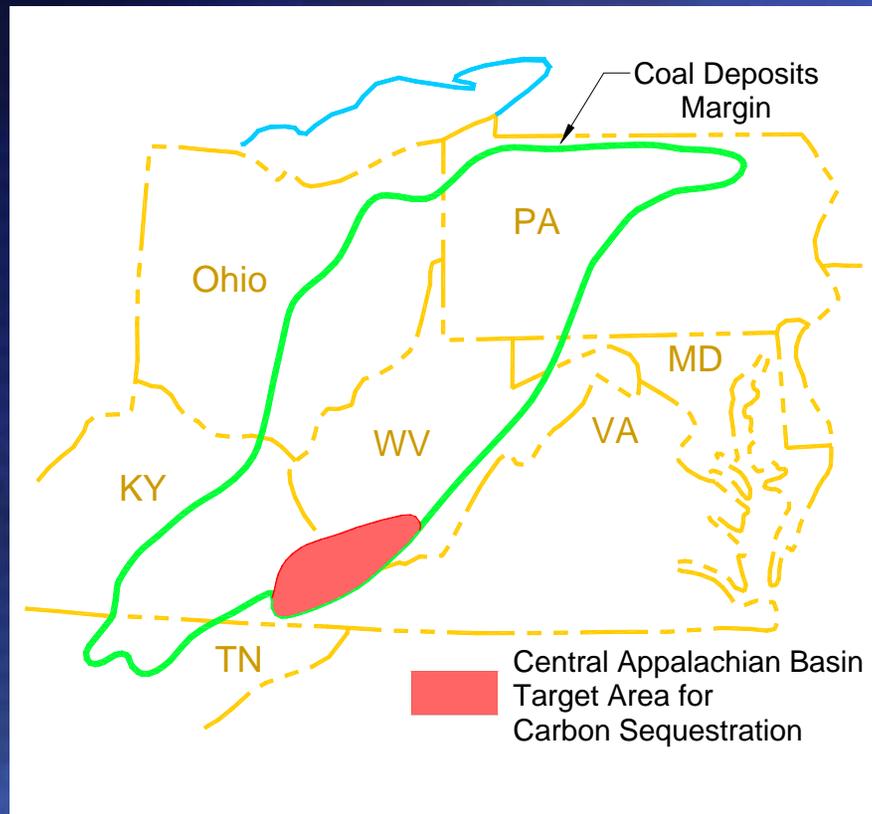
Coal Sinks and Inventory of Mine Lands



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Coal Sinks and CBM



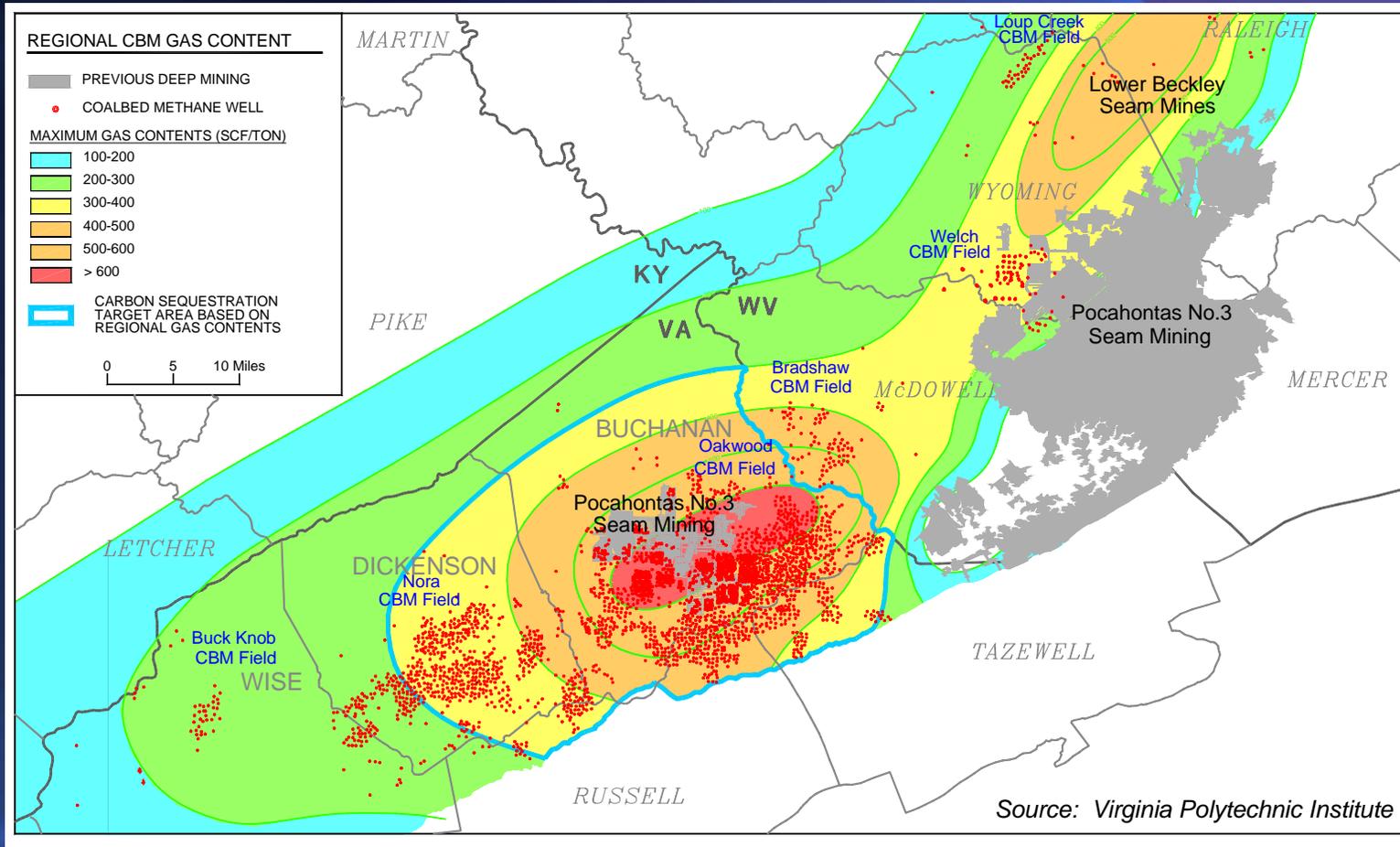
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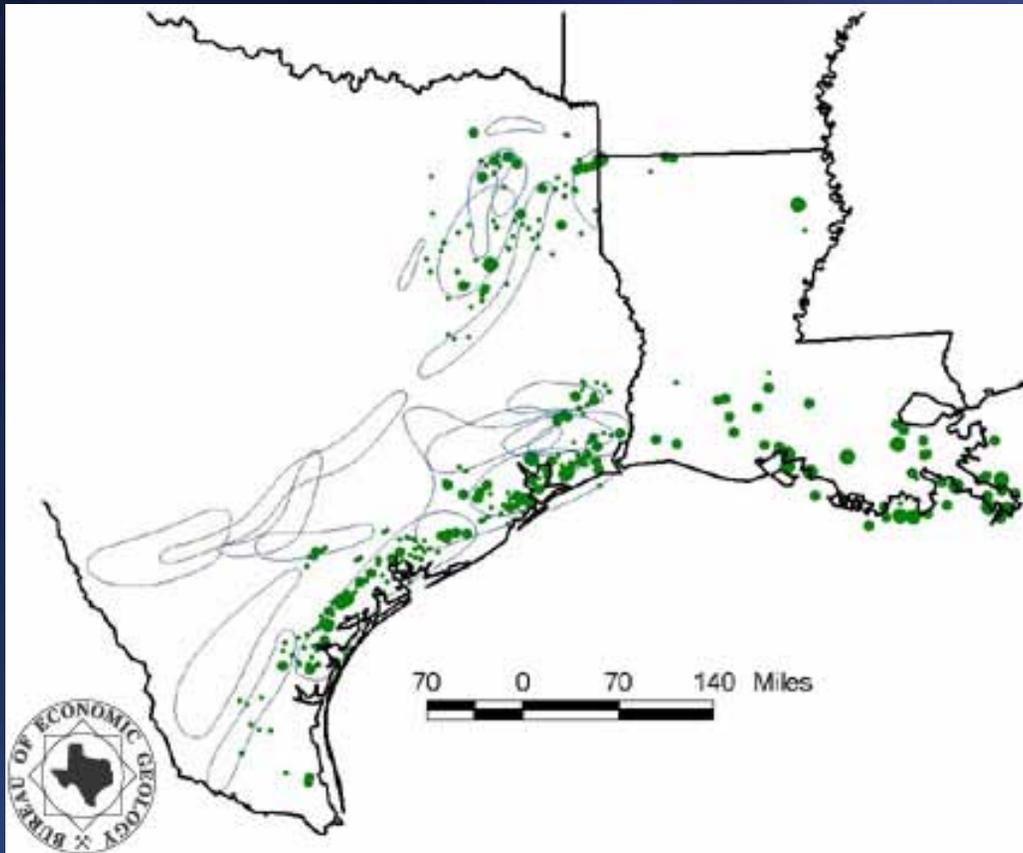
Coal Sinks and CBM



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EOR Sinks



Cumulative production
(million bbls)

- >100
- 10 -100
- <10

Capacity assessment
in fields
that could have
economic offset
for storage with EOR
prior to
depletion



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Screening Gulf Reservoirs for EOR Potential

Texas:

- Oil reservoir database developed for Texas: total of 3,266 reservoirs.
- Applied screening criteria for 21 Texas Gulf Coast counties and work with Mississippi as part of DOE SE Regional Partnership.
- 33 North-Central and East Texas counties.
- 360 candidates screened in Texas Gulf Coast & 274 candidates screened in North-Central and East Texas counties.

Louisiana:

- DOE TORIS database utilized to screen 122 candidates.
- Continued work with LA Geological Survey as part of DOE SE Regional Partnership.

Mississippi:

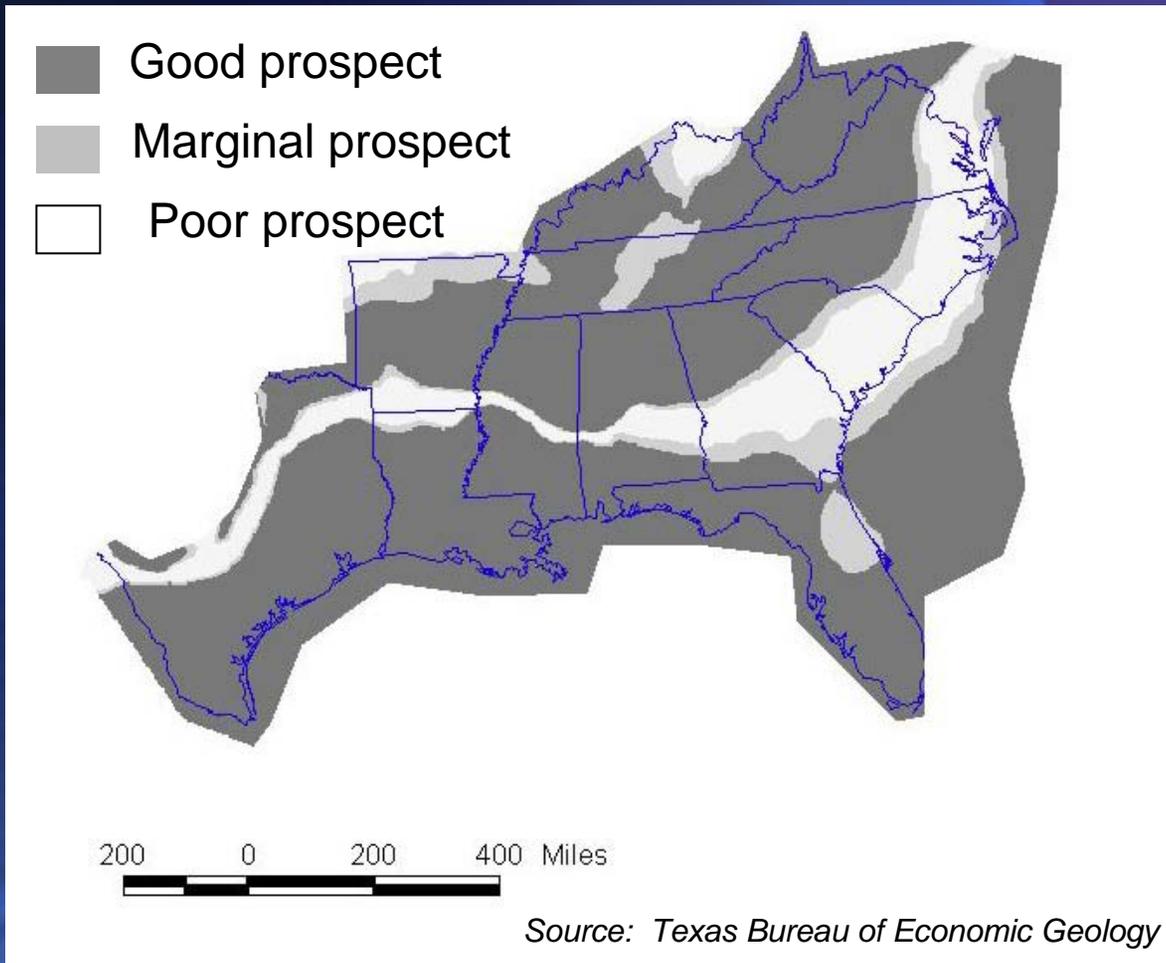
- DOE TORIS database utilized to screen 11 candidates.
- Only current floods (Little Creek & Mallalieu, West) located.
- Continued



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Saline Sinks



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Importance and Monitoring, Measurement and Verification

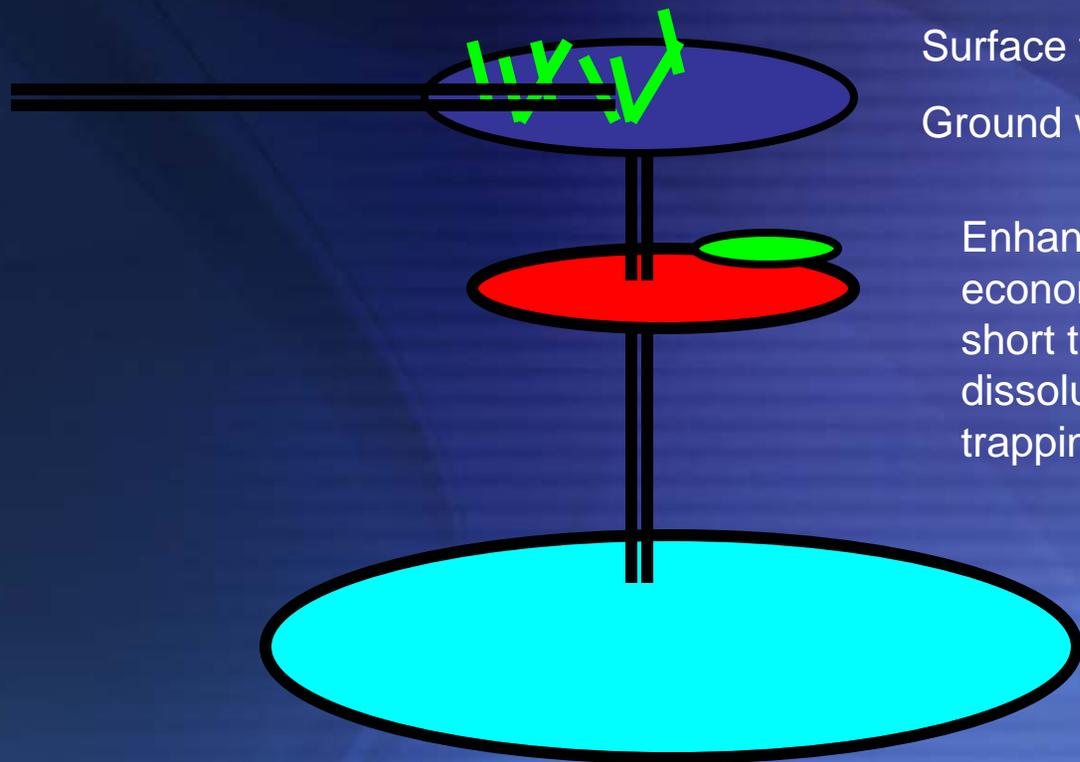
- ❑ The public wants to know that sequestration is safe and effective
- ❑ State, federal and international agencies want to monitor commitments
- ❑ Investors and credit traders want to know that sequestration is working



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Environment/Storage/Economic Project – MMV Design



Surface features & elevation

Ground water & risk assessment issues

Enhanced oil (gas/CBM) production economics, well leakage risk, long and short term trapping in reservoir by dissolution in water and oil and phase trapping

Very large volume storage in brine – foot print, permanence, fluid displacement interaction with faults, Ultimate fate of injectate.

Source: SECARB & Gulf Coast Carbon Center



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Regional Attributes – A Temporal Approach

Near-Term  Terrestrial Sinks

- Address YR2012 Voluntary Targets



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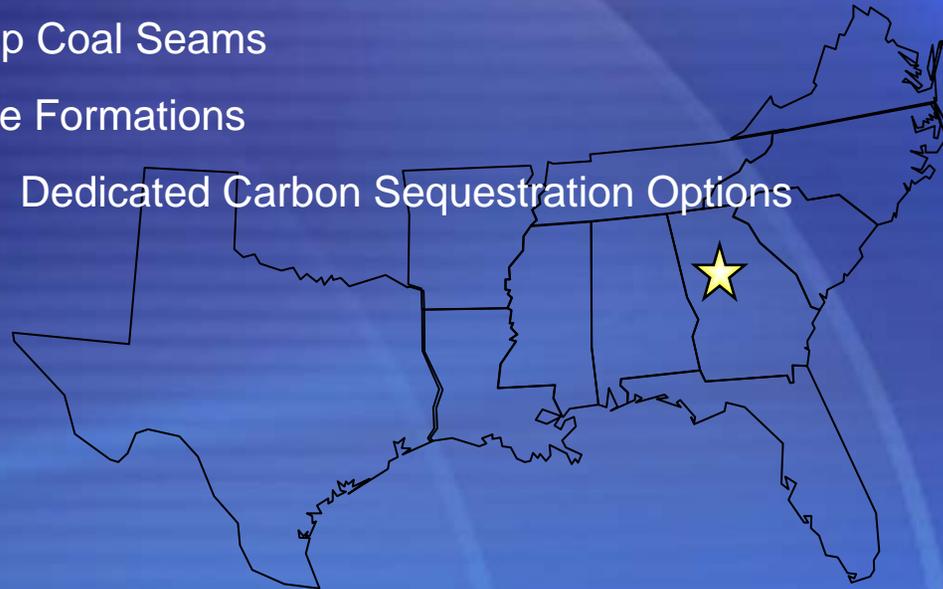
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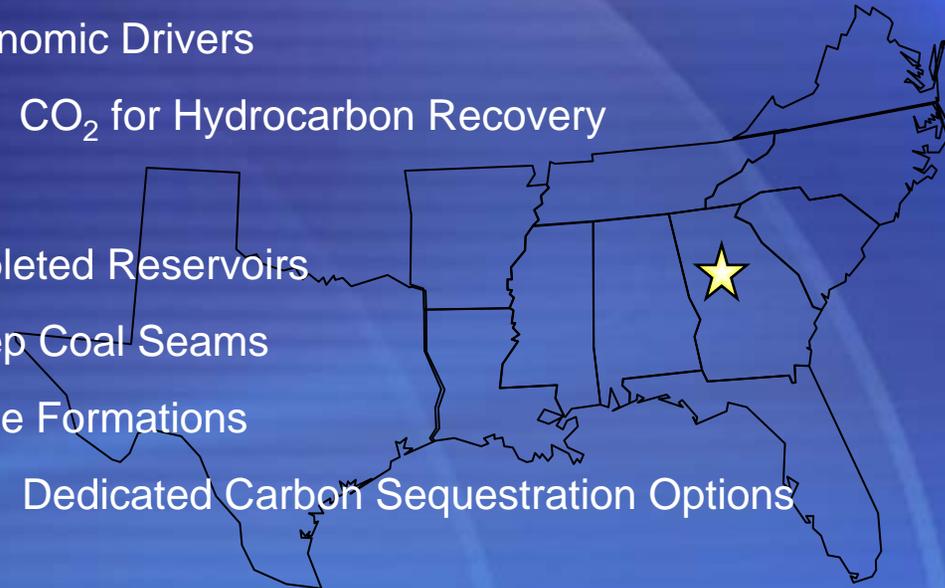


Regional Attributes – A Temporal Approach

- Near-Term**  Terrestrial Sinks
- Address YR2012 Voluntary Targets

- Mid-Term**  EOR & CBM
- Economic Drivers
- CO₂ for Hydrocarbon Recovery

- Long-Term**  Depleted Reservoirs
- Deep Coal Seams
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- Dedicated Carbon Sequestration Options



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Regional Carbon Sequestration Partnerships Review Meeting

November 16-17, 2004
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

