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CCS Economic Analyses

**Comparing Coal IGCC with CCS and
Wind-CAES Baseload Power Options in
a Carbon-Constrained World**

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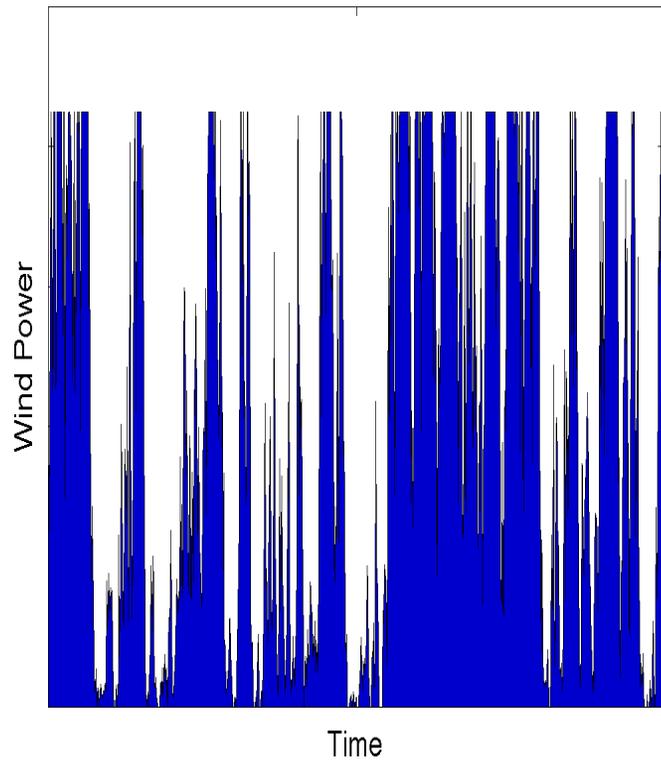
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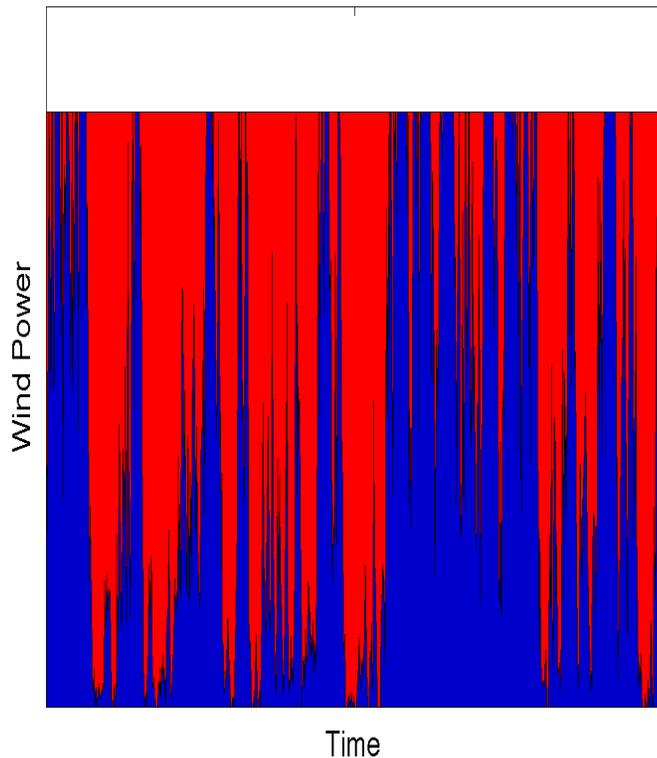
Outline

- Wind and Coal Comparison
- Strategies for Baseload Wind
- Dispatch Cost and Capacity Factor
- Generation Costs of Coal and Wind

Coal vs. Wind?



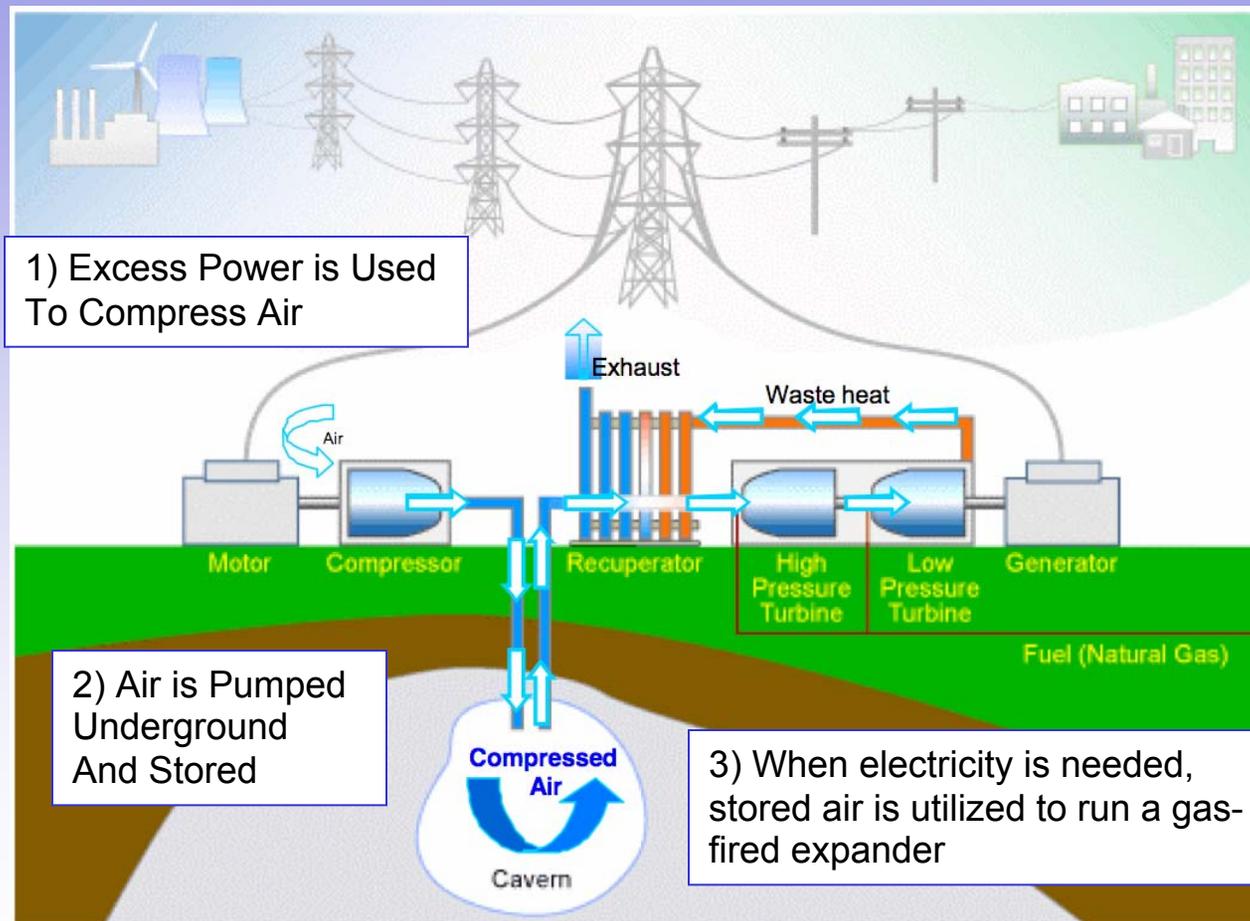
Coal vs. Wind?



Baseloading Wind

- Backup: Natural Gas (SC/CC)
 - Low Capital Cost
 - Fast Ramping
- Storage: CAES
 - Low Cost Bulk Storage
 - Potential for Widespread Availability

Compressed Air Energy Storage (CAES)



1) Excess Power is Used To Compress Air

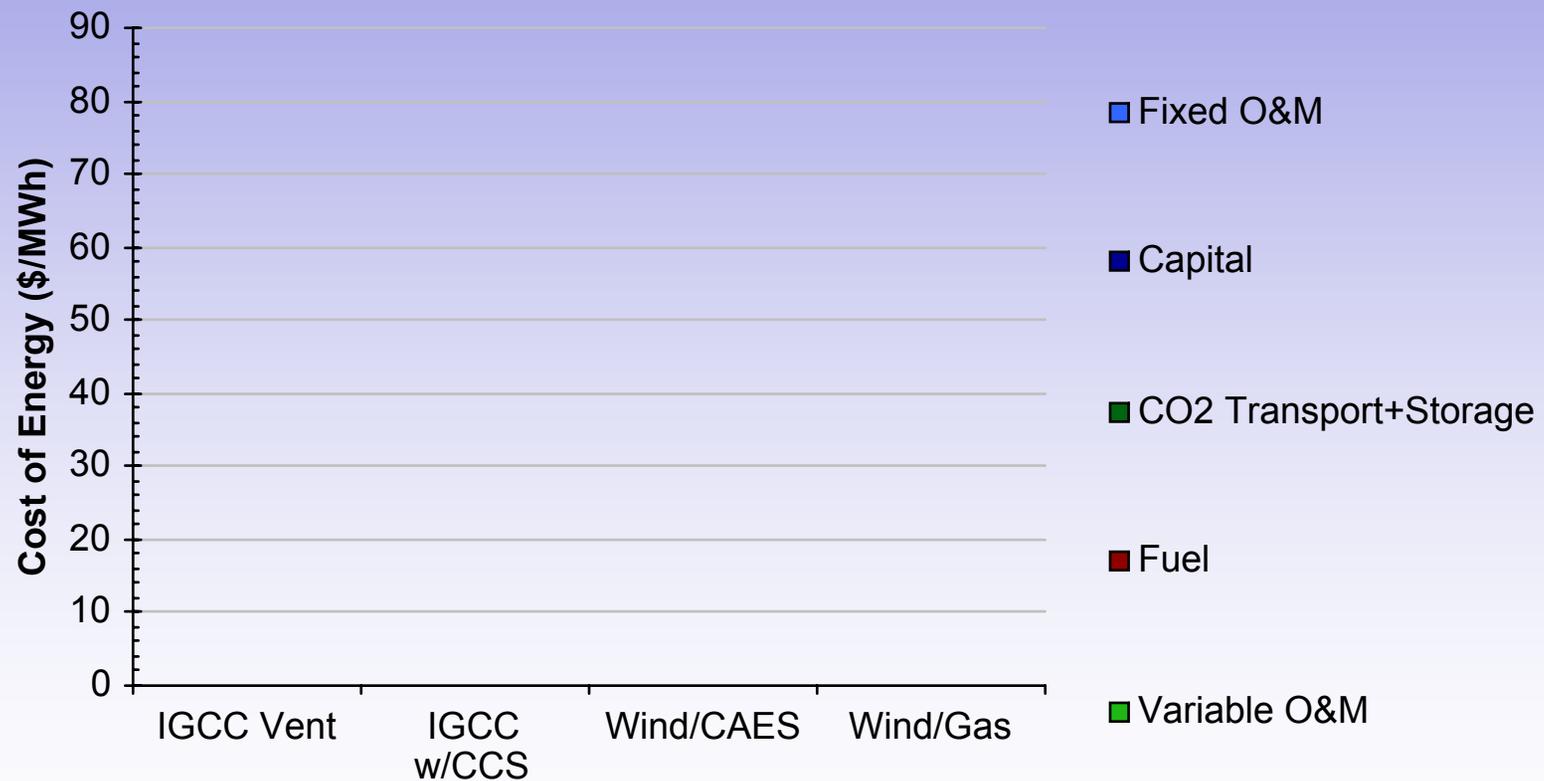
2) Air is Pumped Underground And Stored

3) When electricity is needed, stored air is utilized to run a gas-fired expander

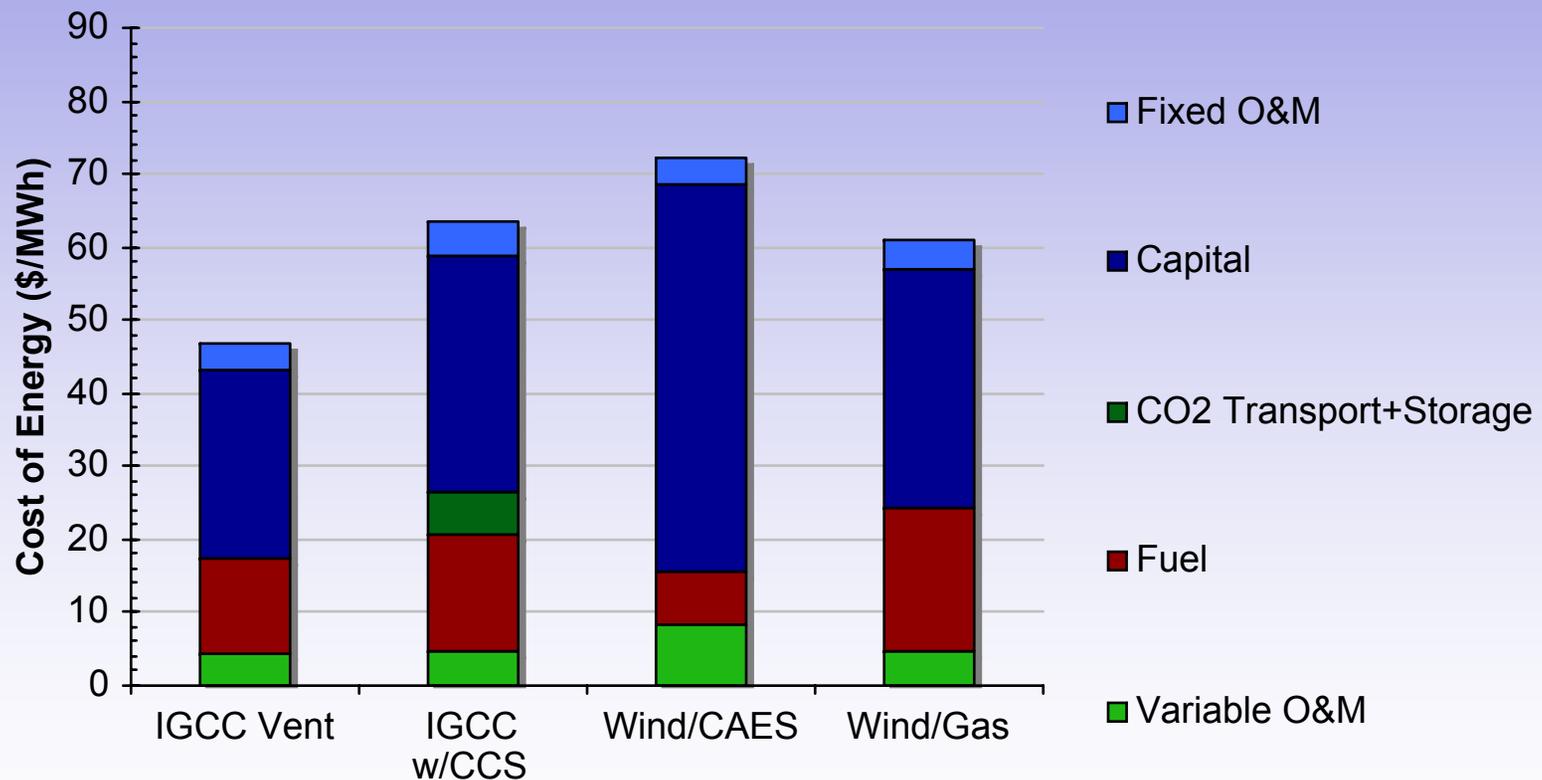
Basic Assumptions

- 15% Levelized Capital Charge Rate
- 85% Capacity Factor for All Systems
- IGCC Costs, GE Entrained Flow Quench Gasifier (FWE 2003)
 - IGCC-V: OCC \$1135/kW, LHV Eff 38%
 - IGCC-C: OCC \$1428/kW, LHV Eff 31.5%
- Wind/CAES Costs
 - \$923/kW Wind, \$453/kW, \$1.75/kWh CAES
- Gas Turbine Costs
 - \$234/kW SC, \$571/kW CC
- Fuel Costs, \$2002 (EIA 2006)
 - Natural Gas \$5.05/GJ HHV
 - Coal \$1.31/GJ HHV

Generation Costs for Baseload Options

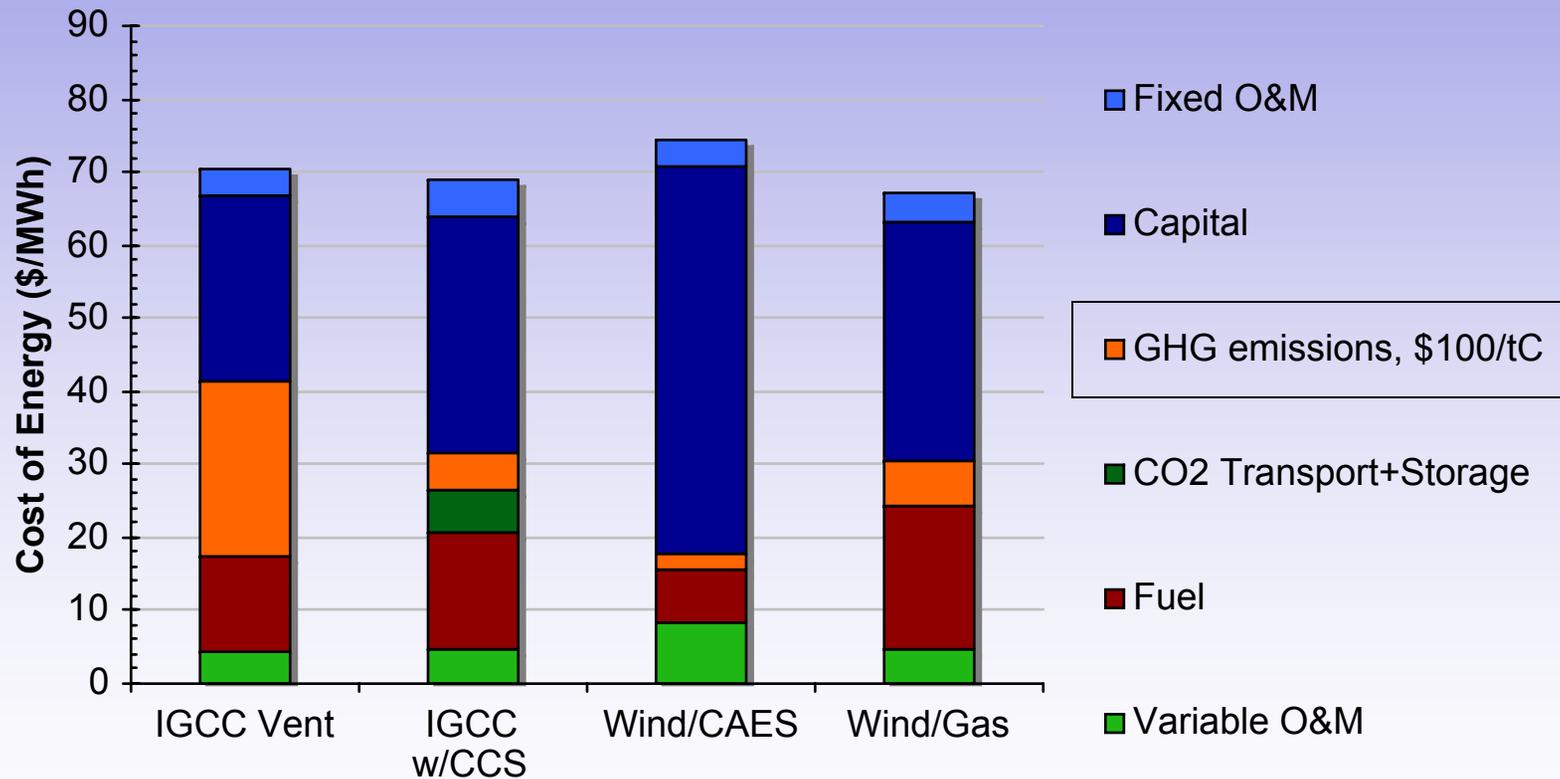


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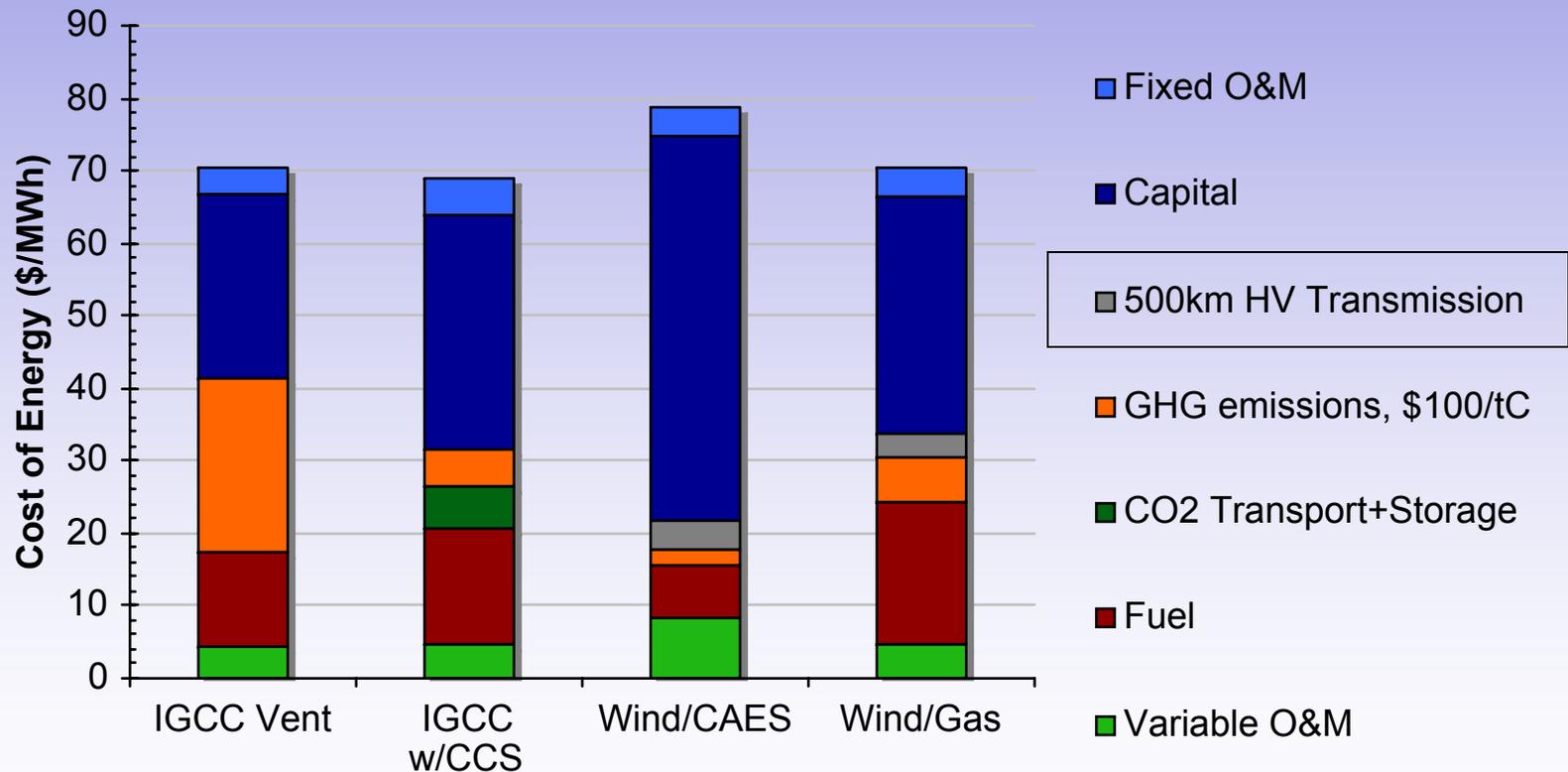
- **No valuation of GHG emissions**
- **No Transmission Costs**

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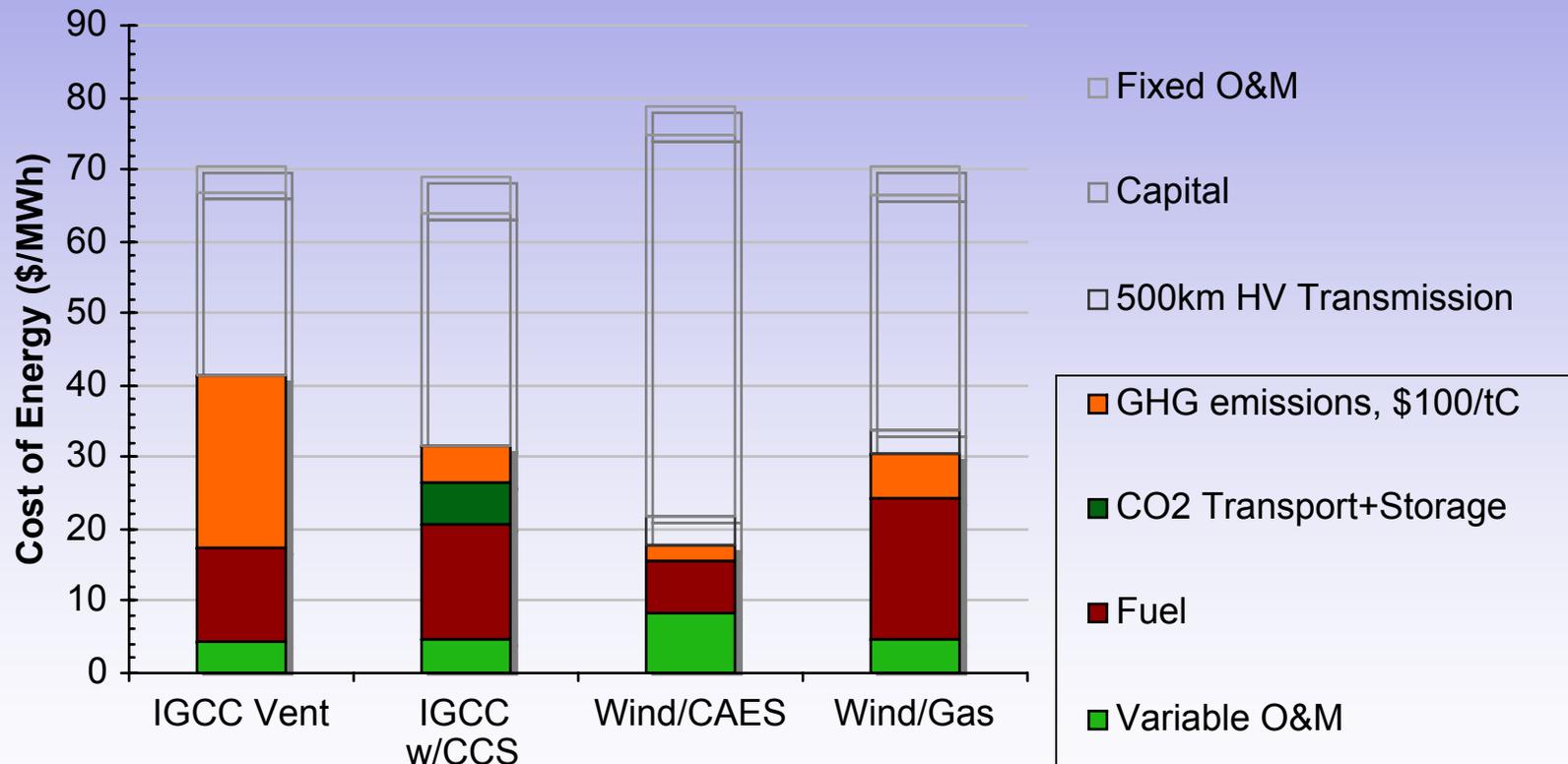


237 gC/kWh 53 gC/kWh 23 gC/kWh 62 gC/kWh

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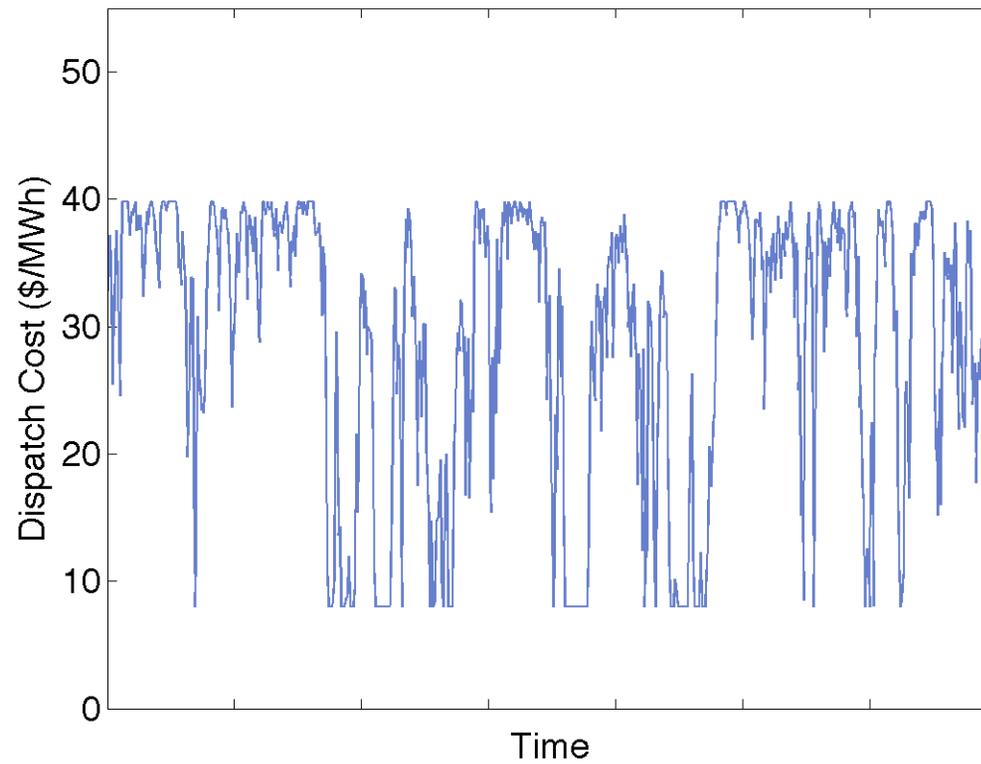


Highlighting Dispatch Costs

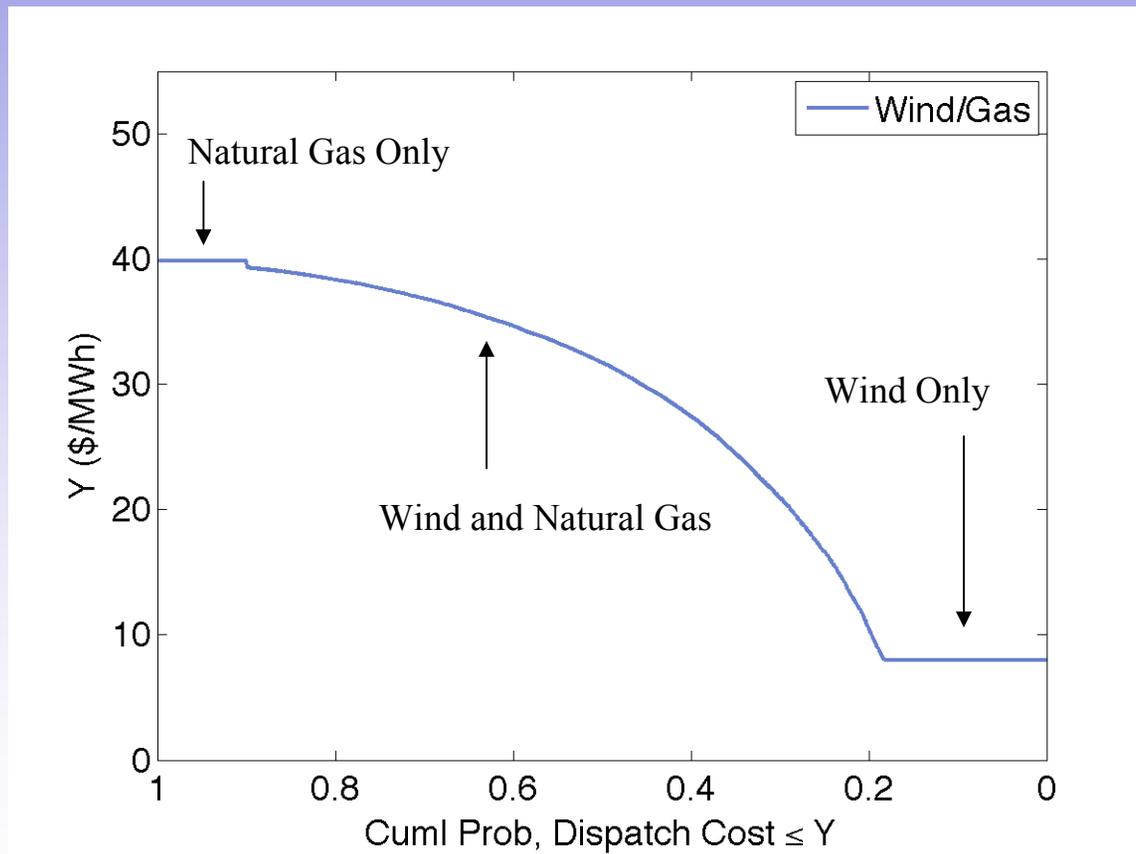
Dispatch Cost Concerns

- **Dispatch Cost:** fuel + variable operations and maintenance + greenhouse gas emissions price + CO₂ transport + storage (short-run marginal cost)
- Actual capacity factors determined in economic dispatch
- Systems called on based on dispatch cost
- Baseload viability requires competitive dispatch costs to sustain large capacity factors

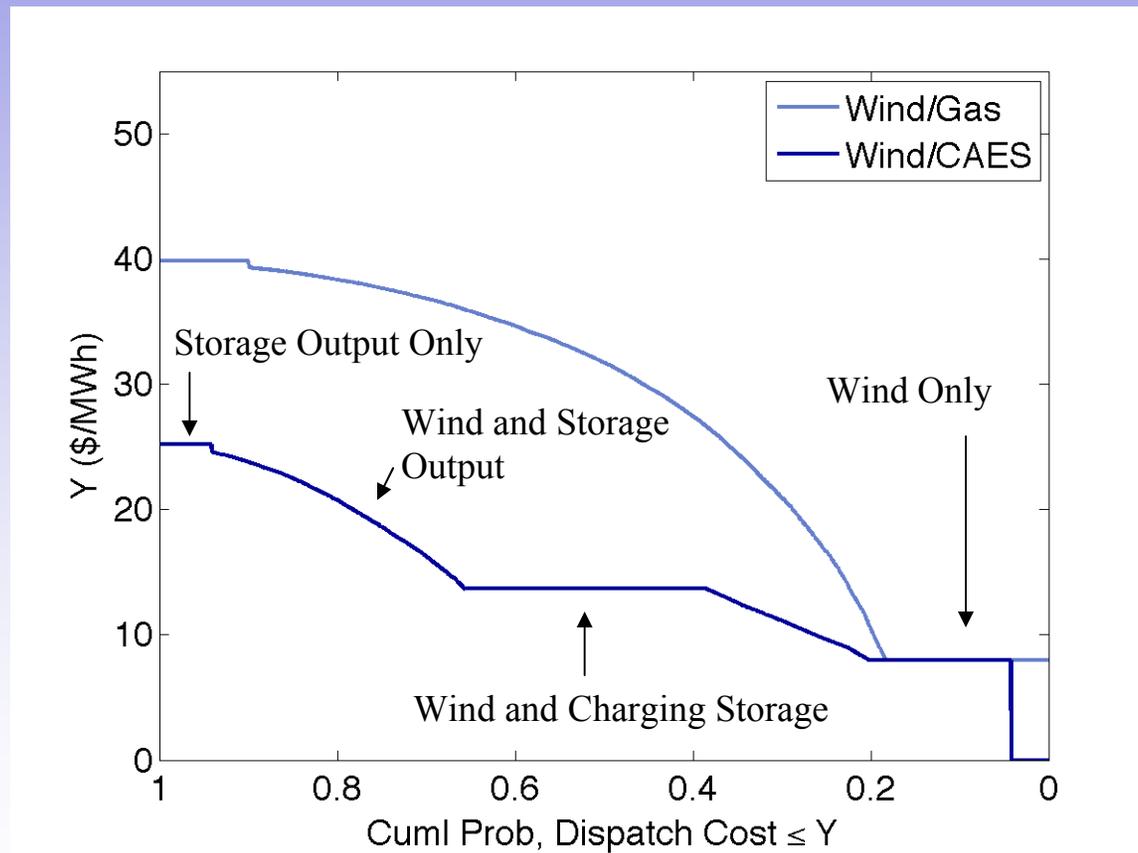
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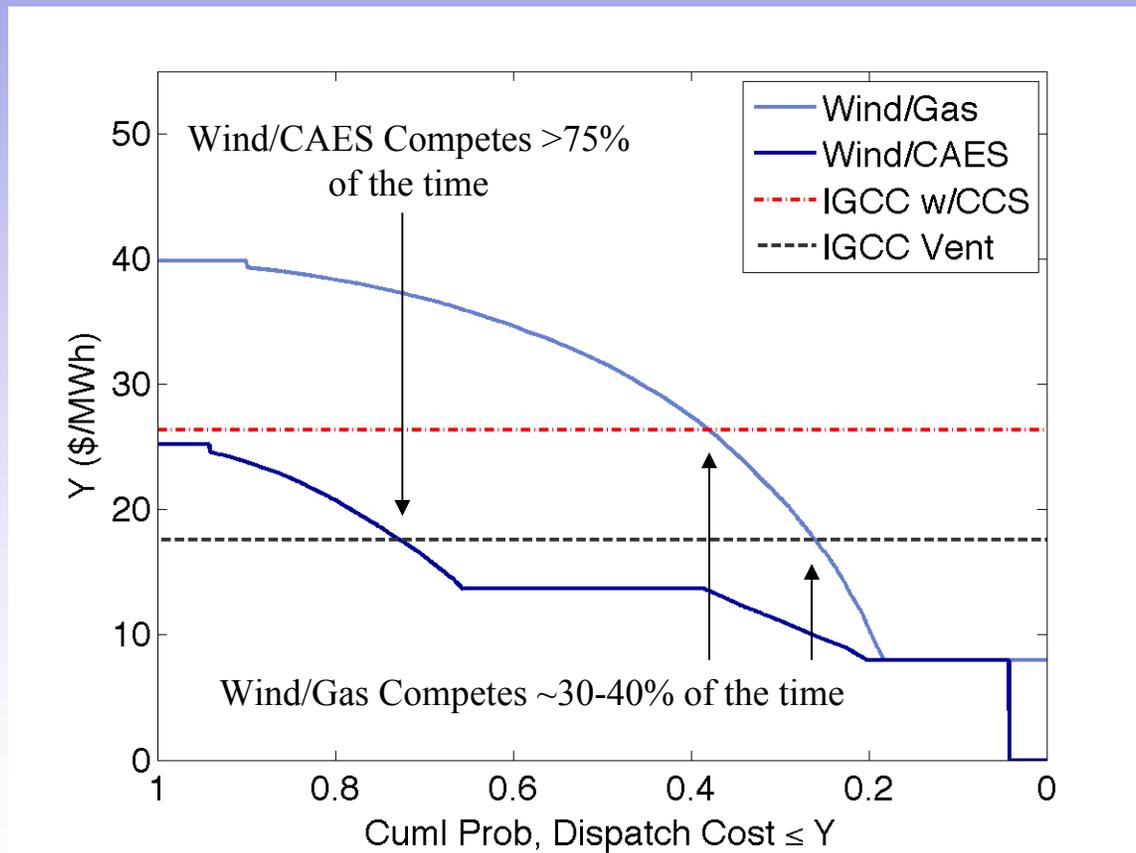
Variable Dispatch Cost: Wind/Gas



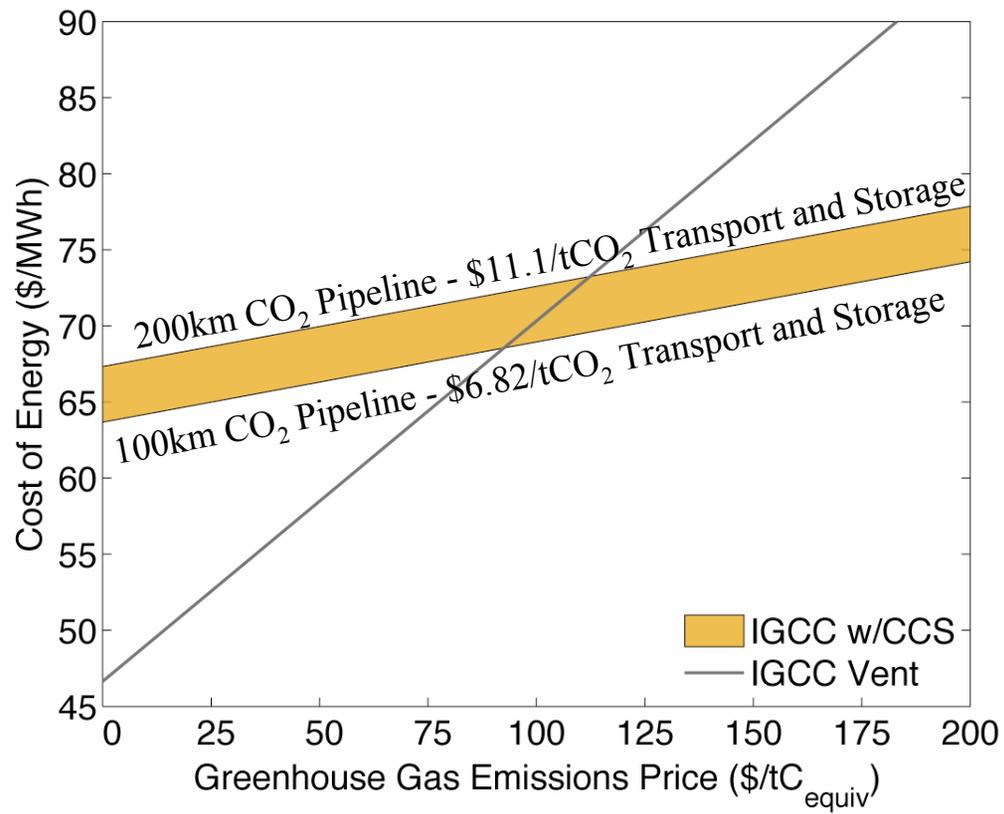
Variable Dispatch Cost: Wind/CAES



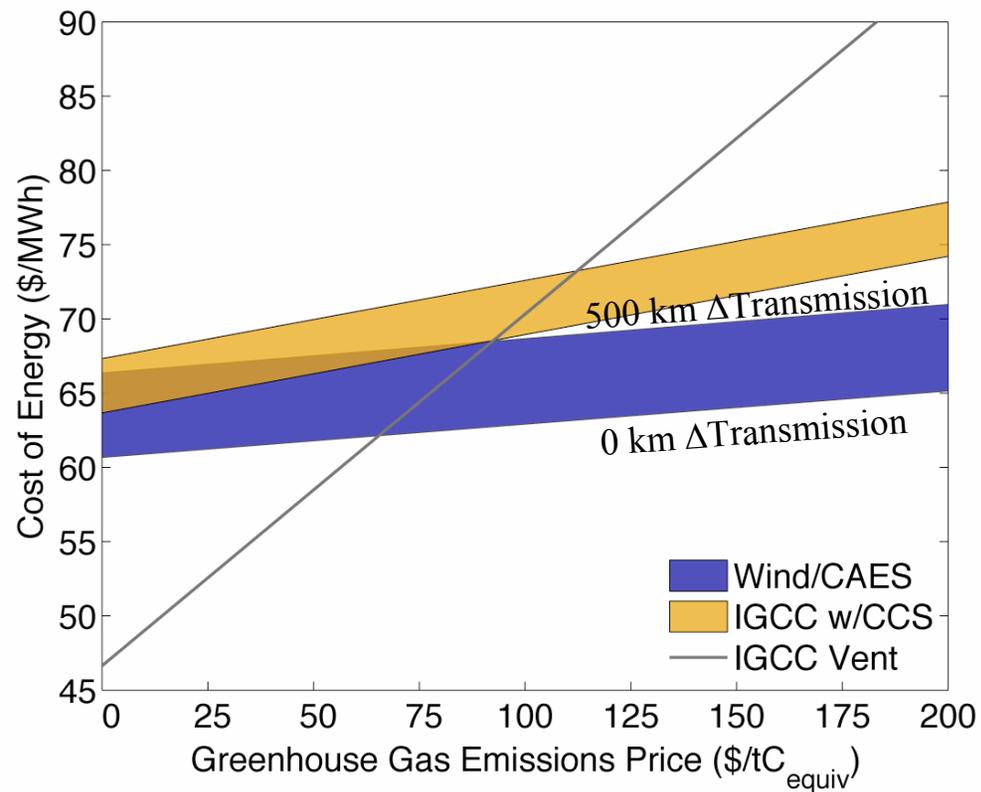
Dispatch Cost for Baseload Options



Generation Costs Revisited



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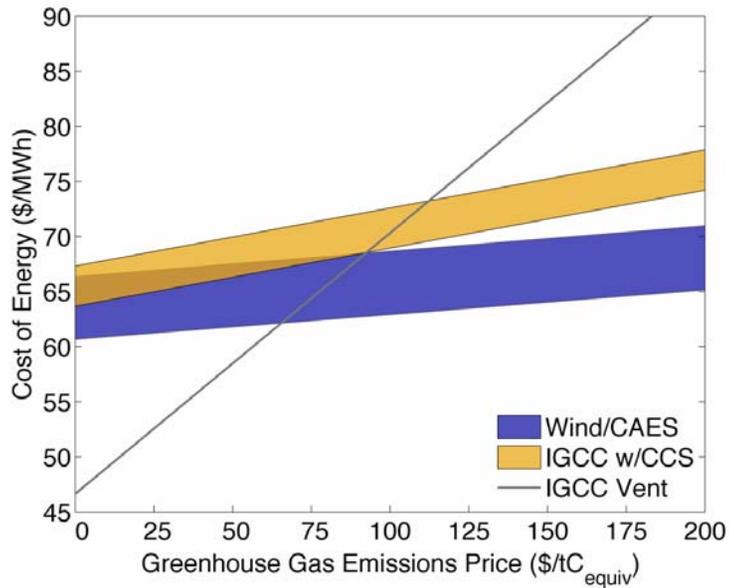


Class 5 Winds, 1.9¢/kWh Wind Production Tax Credit (PTC), Current Capital Costs

Generation Costs: Current vs. Projected

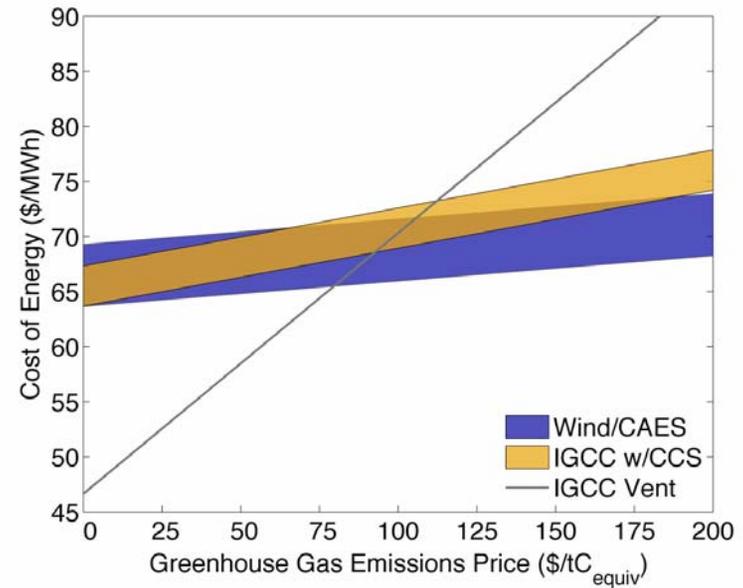
Current Conditions

Class 5 Winds, Production Tax Credit (PTC),
Current Capital Costs



Projected

Class 4 Winds, no Production Tax Credit (PTC),
Capital Cost Reductions for Wind and CAES



Conclusions

- Backup enables wind to participate in baseload
- High dispatch cost makes wind/gas unviable
- Wind/CAES has the potential to compete in dispatch and produce electricity at rates comparable to IGCC w/CCS
- Wind resource quality and remoteness as well as GHG emissions price will be critical factors



Energy Storage Options

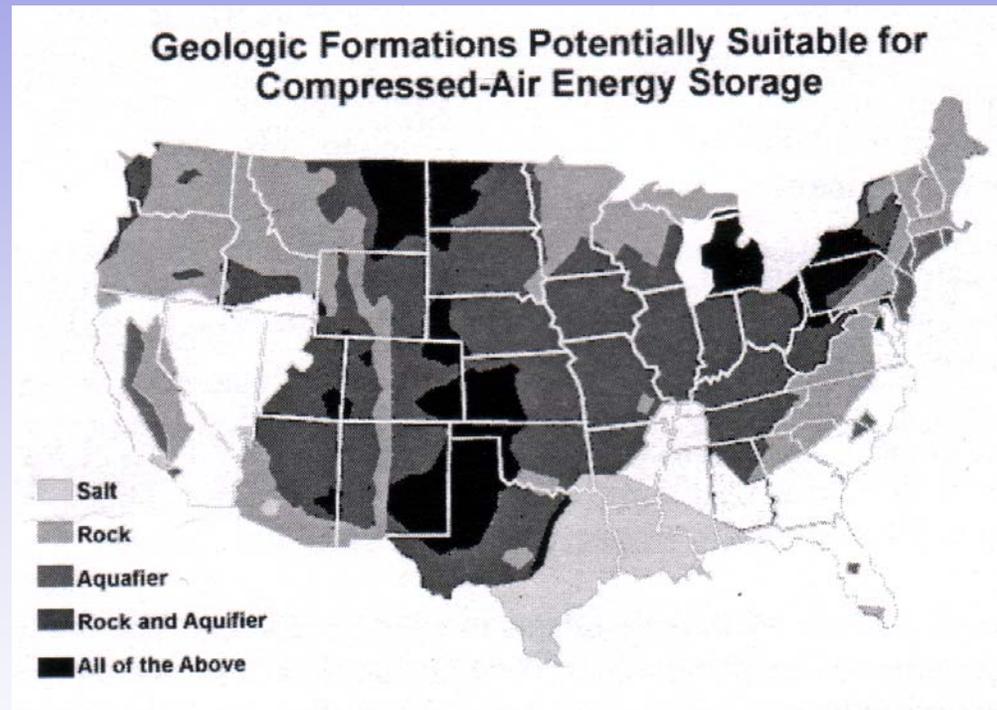
Source: PCAST, 1999 and EPRI/DOE, 2003

<u>Technology</u>	<u>Capacity (\$/kW)</u>	<u>Storage (\$/kWh)</u>	Cost of 20 hrs. storage (\$/kW)
→ Compressed Air Energy Storage (CAES) (300 MW)	440	1	460
Pumped hydroelectric	900	10	1100
Advanced battery (10 MW)	120	100	2100
Flywheel (100 MW)	150	300	6200
Superconductor (100 MW)	120	300	6100

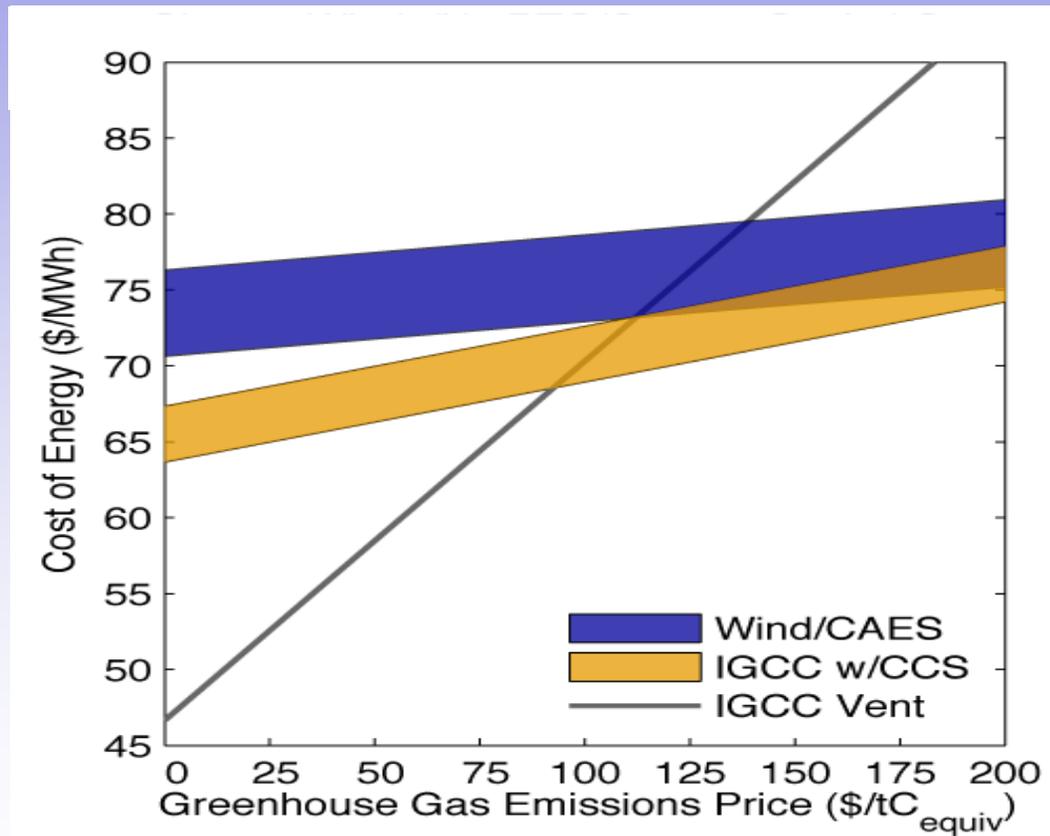
**CAES is clear choice for:
Several hours (or more) of storage
Large capacity (> ~100 MW)**

Availability of CAES

- Suitable geology for compressed air storage found over 80% of the area of the USA
- Locations coincident with high quality wind resources (e.g. Great Plains where much of the new capacity for coal generation is being planned)
- Availability of fuel source is an additional constraint for wind/CAES implementation



Generation Costs - no PTC



Class 5 Winds, No Wind Production Tax Credit (PTC), Current Capital Costs

Variable Dispatch Cost at \$100/tC

