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# SOLAR ENERGY

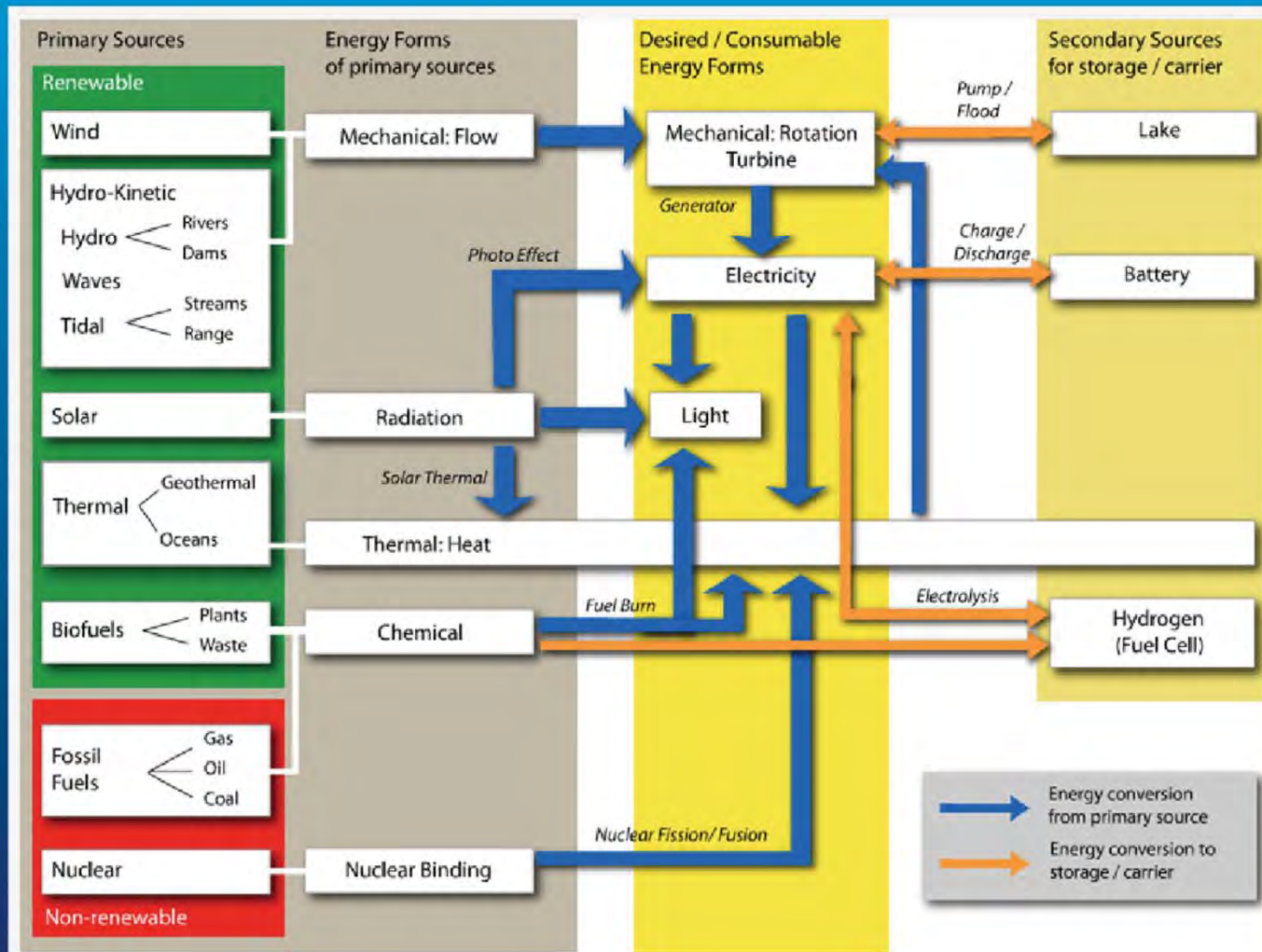
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# ENERGY SOURCES, FORMS & USES

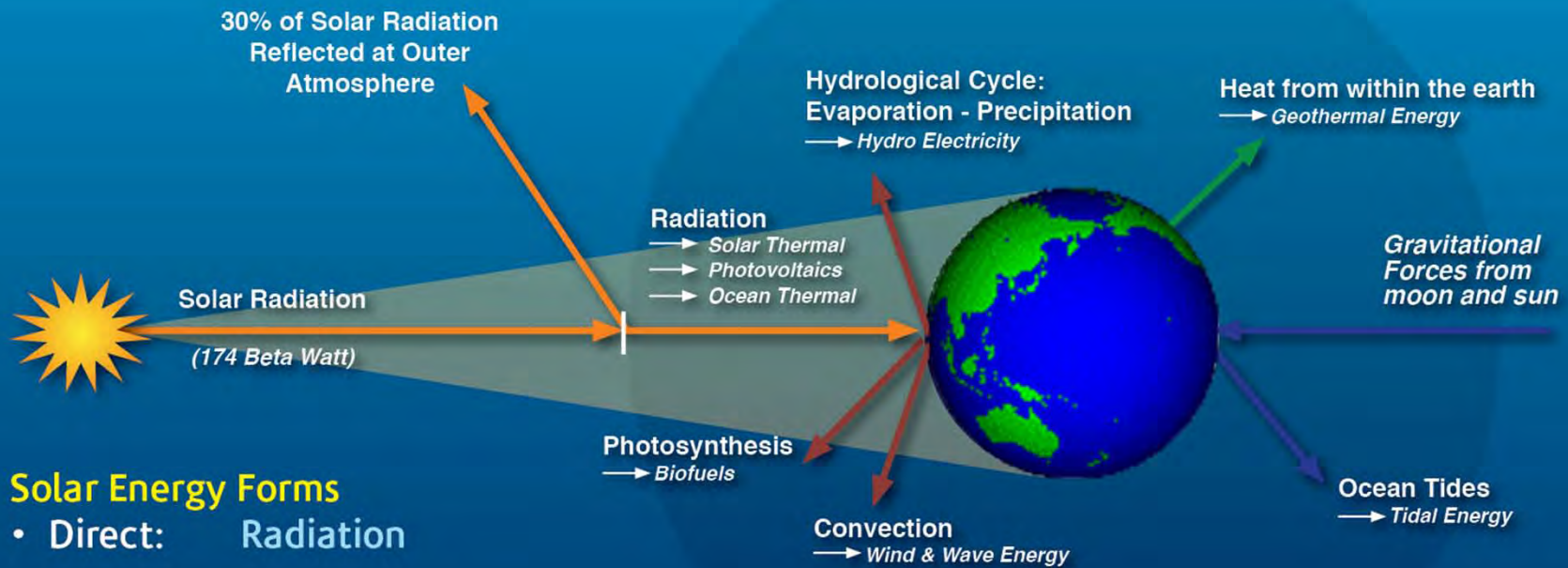


# ENERGY VALUE CHAIN



# RENEWABLE ENERGY FORMS

Annual Solar Energy to Earth Surface = 2 x All Earth Non-Renewable Resources  
(Coal, Oil, Gas & Mineral Uranium)



## Solar Energy Forms

- Direct: Radiation
- Indirect: Hydro-Power  
Wind & Wave Energy  
Bio-Energy

# USES & SOURCES OF WORLD ENERGY

- **World's Energy Consumption:**

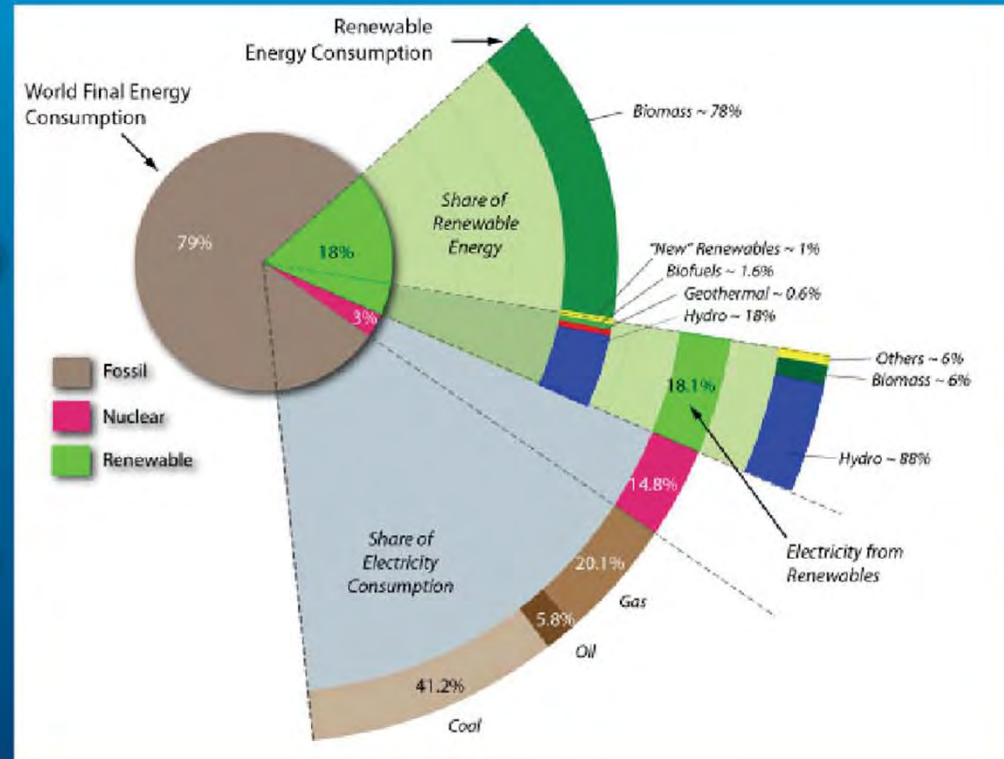
- 79% fossil
- 18% renewable
- 3% Nuclear

- **Renewable Energy**

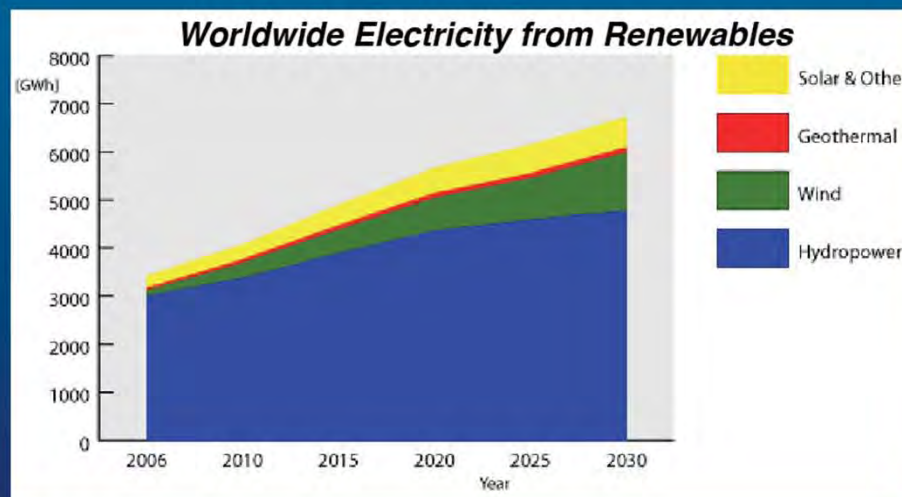
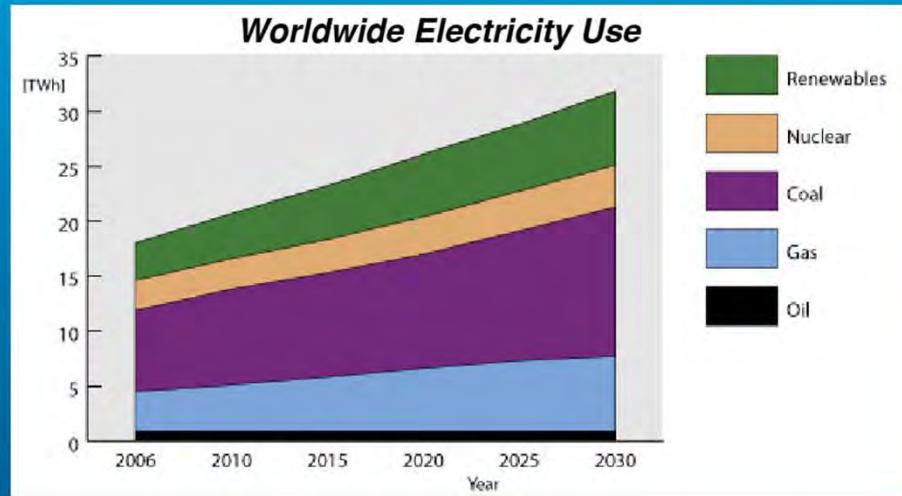
- 78% Biomass (mostly for heating)
- 18.1% Hydroenergy
- 1.6% Biofuels
- 1.0% New renewable (Wind & Solar)
- 0.6% geothermal

- **18% of Electricity Generation from Renewables :**

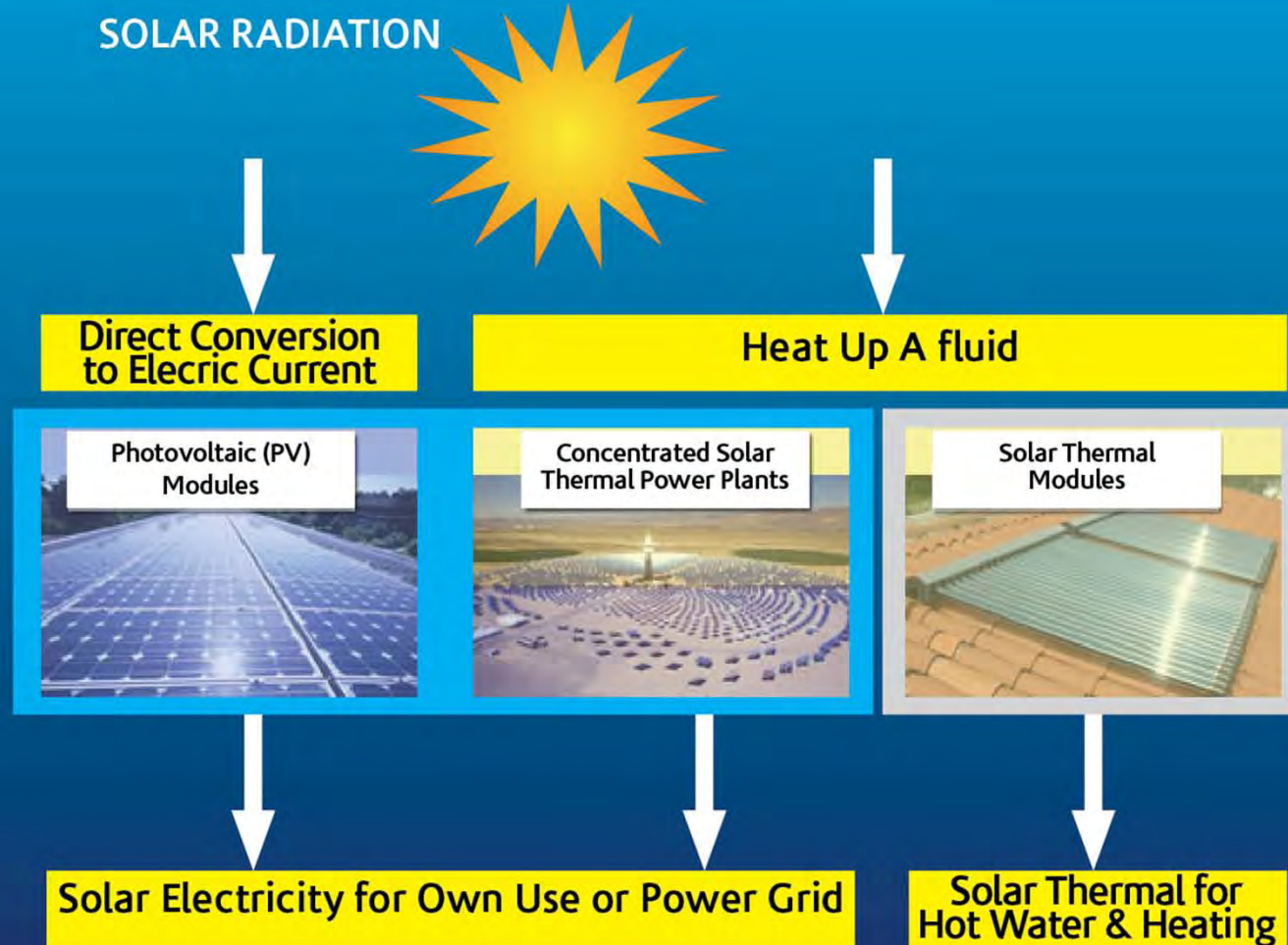
- 88% hydro
- 6% Biomass
- 6% Wind, solar & Geothermal



# WORLDWIDE ELECTRICITY FROM DIFFERENT FUELS & RENEWABLES

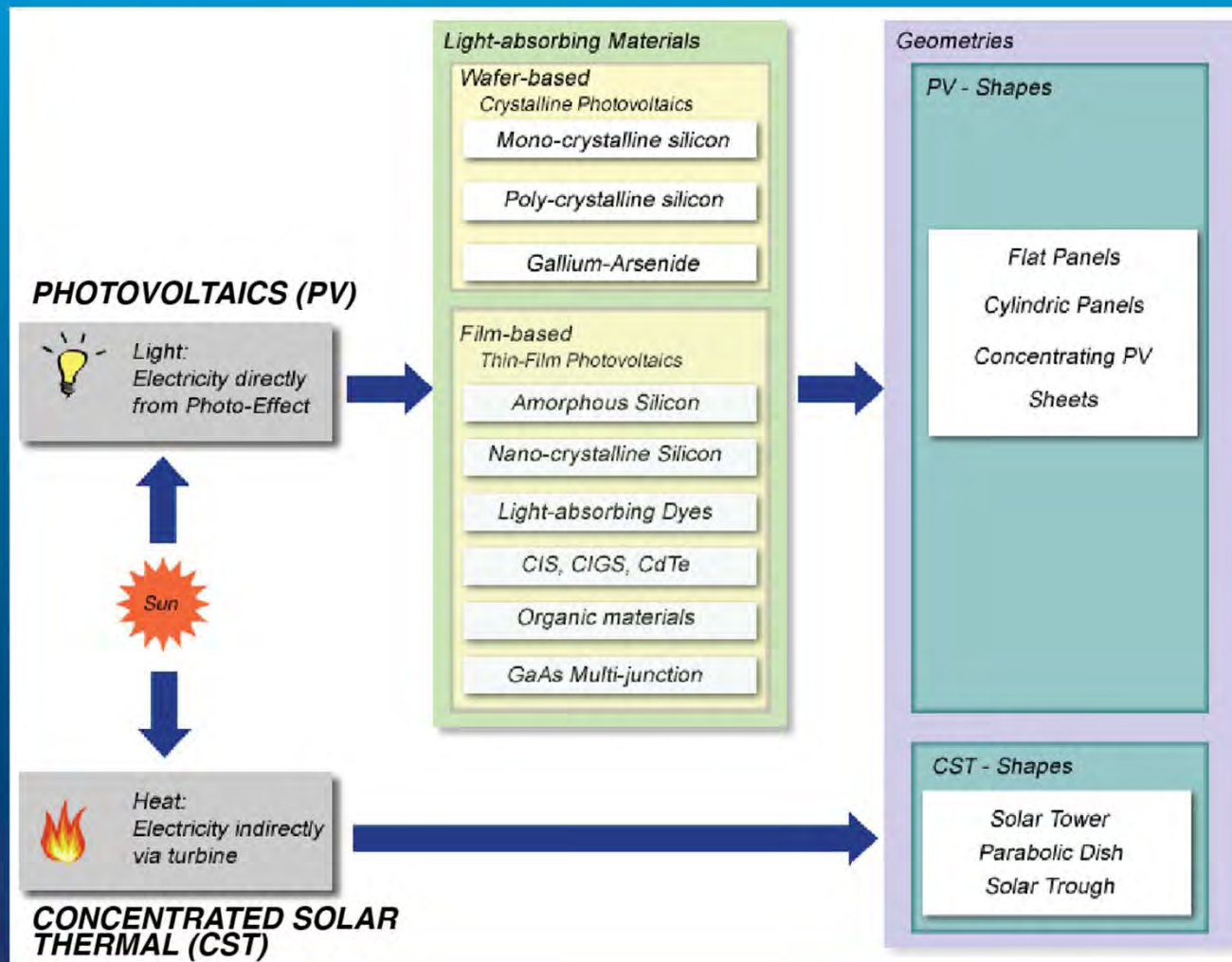


# SOLAR RADIATION TECHNOLOGIES



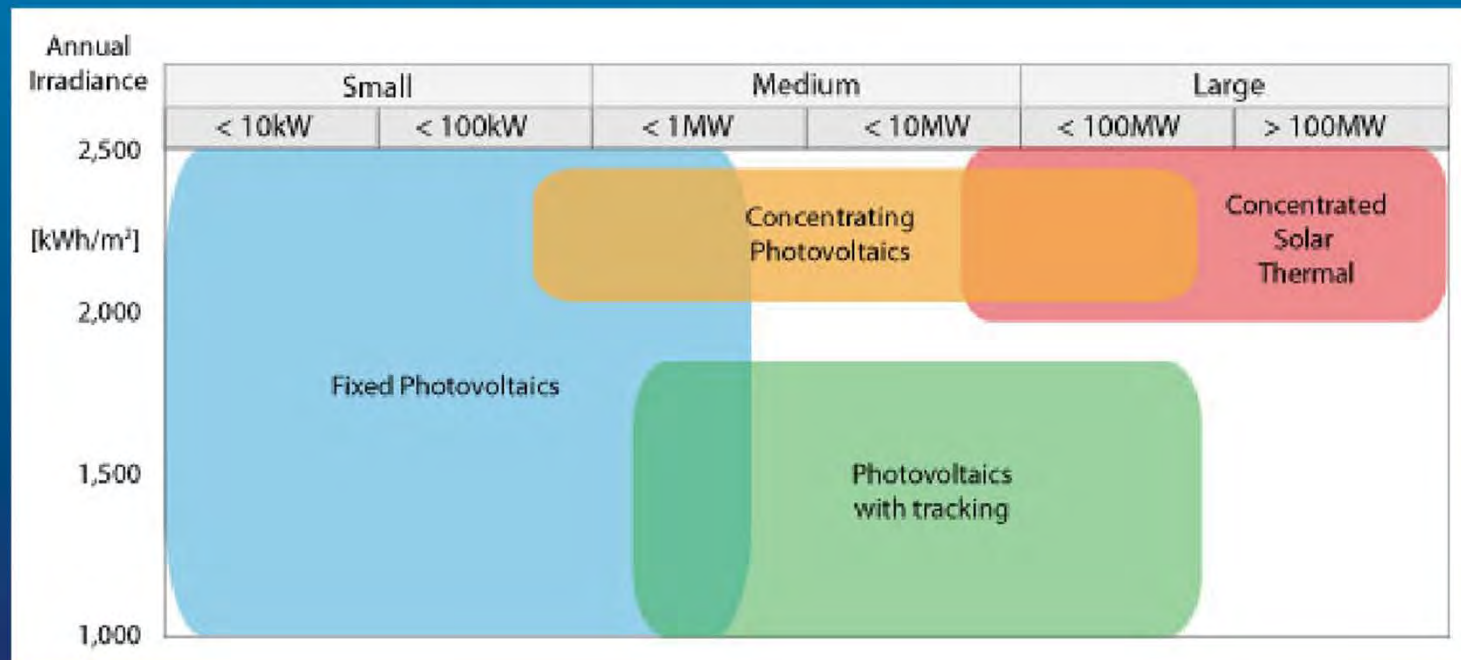


# SOLAR POWER TECHNOLOGIES

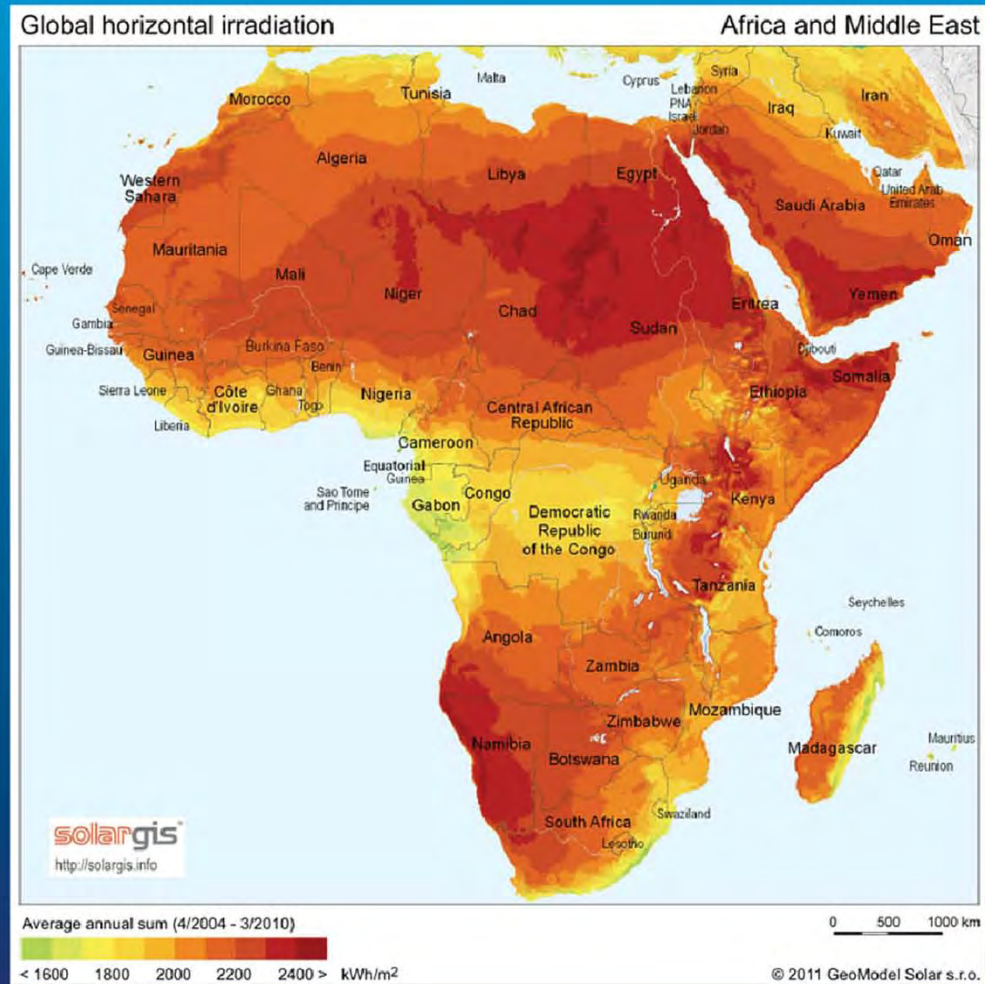


# SOLAR POWER TECHNOLOGIES

- The technology depends on:
  - Size and efficiency of installation
  - Annual Solar irradiance at site
- Concentrated energy target Locations where Annual yield  $>2000$  kWh/m<sup>2</sup>



# EGYPT IS ONE OF THE SUN BELT COUNTRIES



# CONCENTRATED SOLAR POWER (CSP)

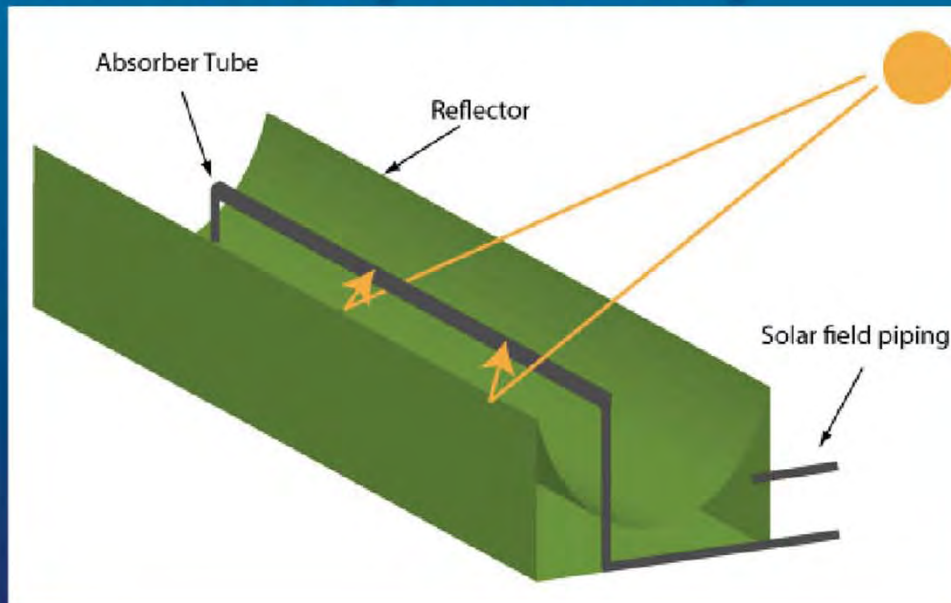
(Concepts & Applications)



# CONCEPTUAL CONFIGURATIONS OF CSP

## a) Linear parabolic trough reflectors:

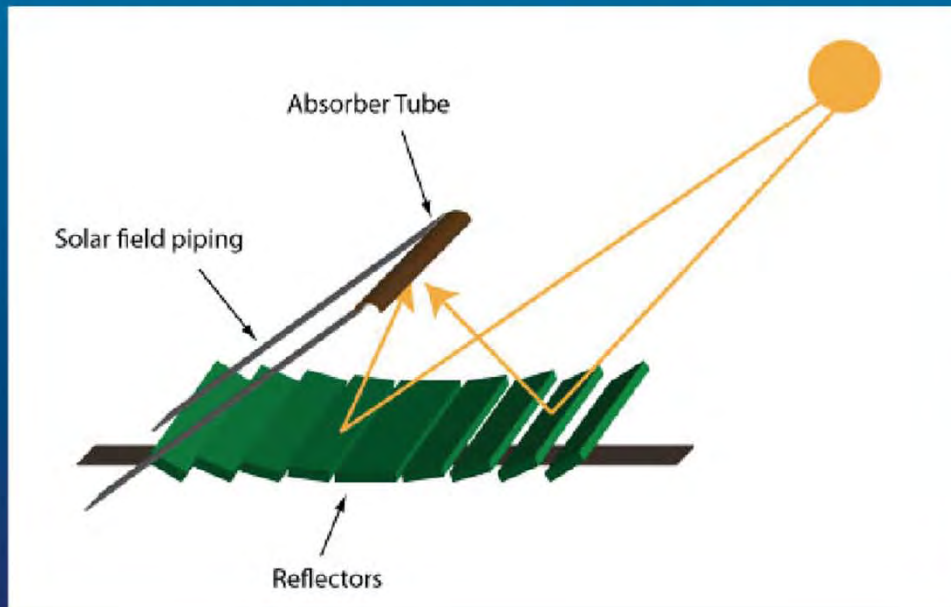
- Parallel collectors each 20-400 meter long
- Absorber tube transfer heated fluid to central heat exchange system
- Troughs track the sun over the day course
- Concentration ratio 100-500x
- Net Efficiency 14% annually



## CONCEPTUAL CONFIGURATIONS OF CSP (cont'd.)

### b) Linear Fresnel Reflector (new technology):

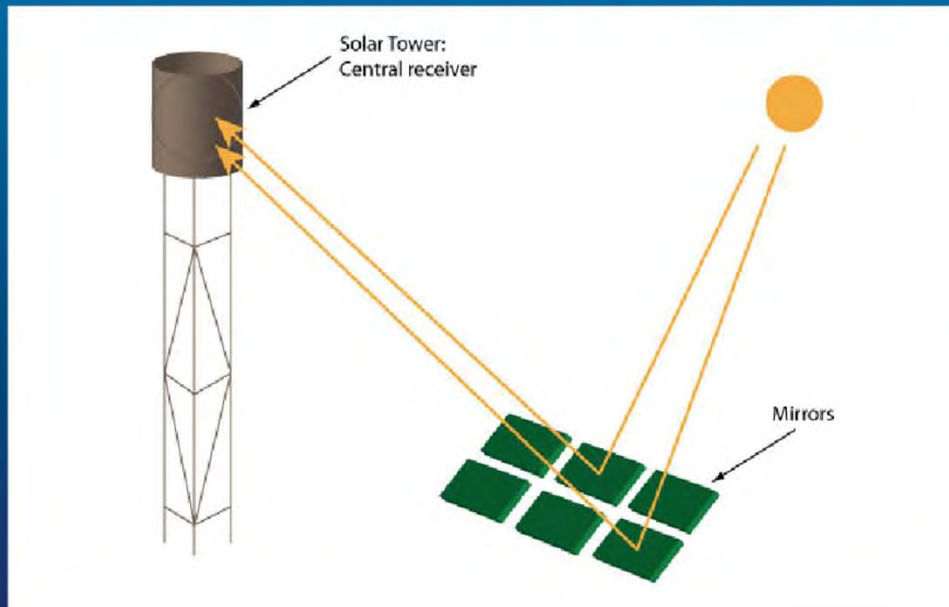
- Similar to parabolic trough concept except that it uses several reflector strips that automatically track the sun.
- Much less expensive than parabolic trough.
- Concentration ratio 500x at 400°C



## CONCEPTUAL CONFIGURATIONS OF CSP (cont'd.)

### c) Solar Power Tower:

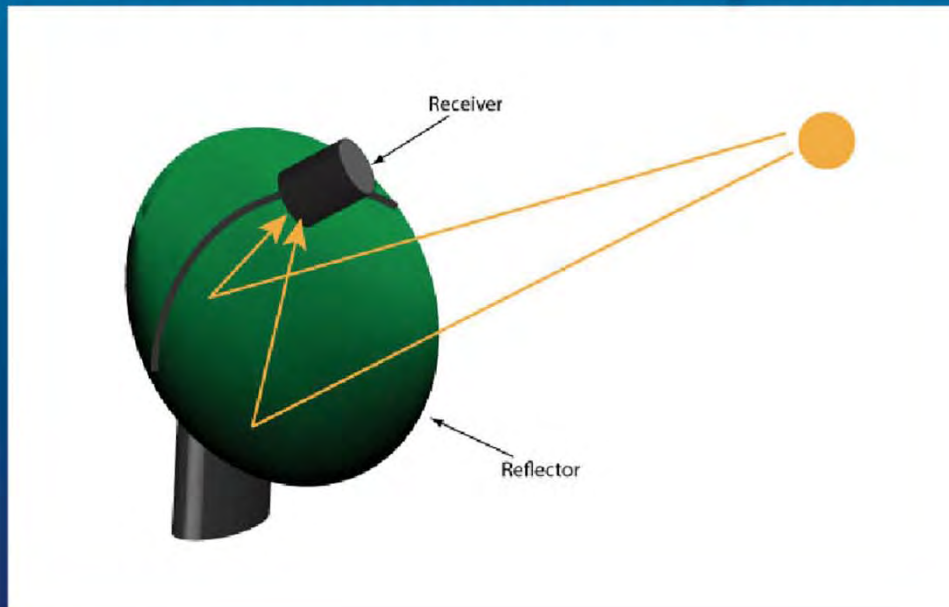
- Hundreds of ground reflectors to concentrate solar radiation into a heat absorbing receiver using automatic dual axis tracking system.
- Temperature up to  $1300^{\circ}\text{C}$  with concentration ratio 1000x.
- Annual solar electric efficiency about 25%.



## CONCEPTUAL CONFIGURATIONS OF CSP (cont'd.)

### d) Solar Parabolic Dish:

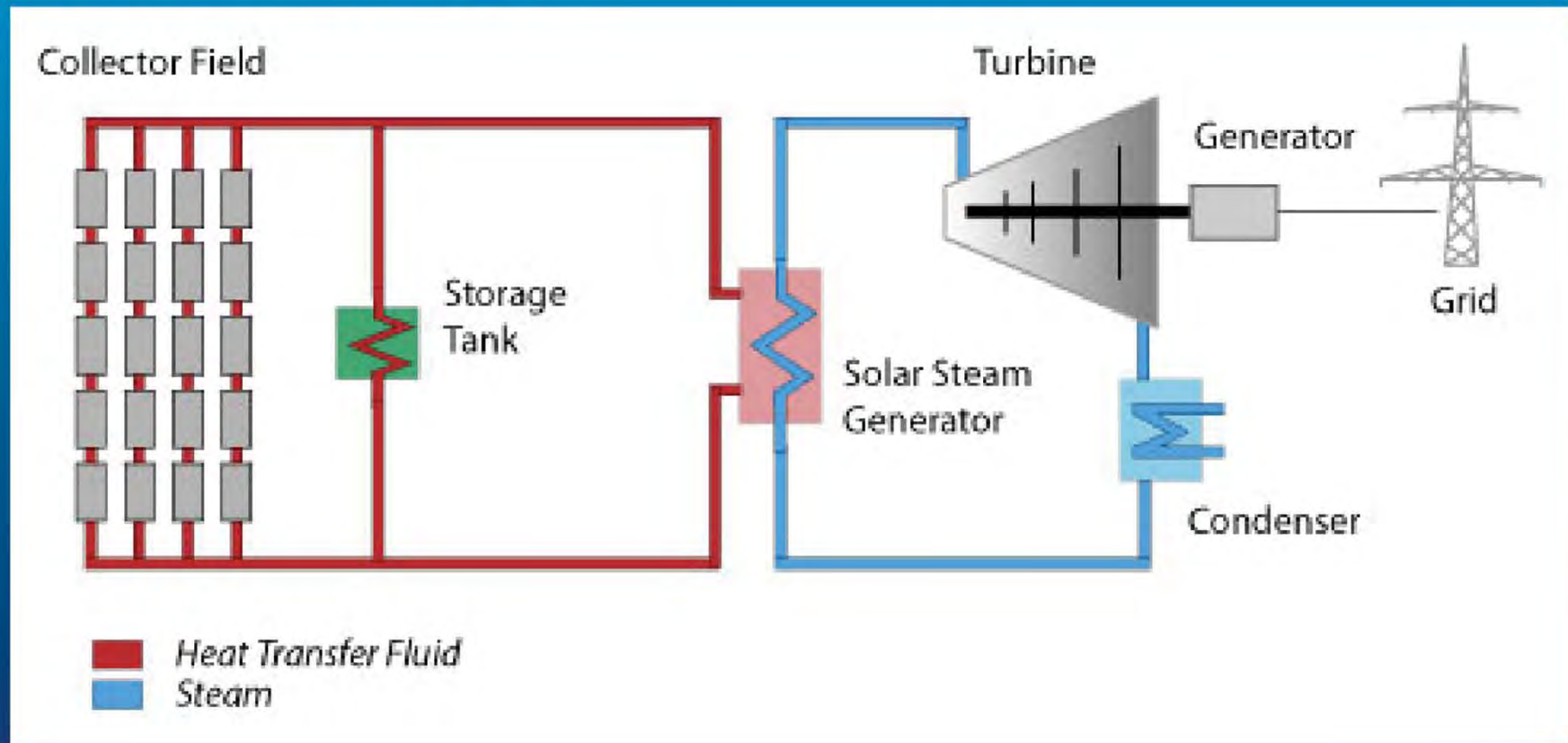
- Parabolic mirror reflector turns on two axis to track the sun.
- Direct light is reflected to a thermal receiver at mirror focal point.
- Temperature rise up to  $1000^{\circ}\text{C}$  with concentration ratio 1000X.
- Individual reflector output ranges from 10-15 KW.
- Peak Solar Electric efficiency about 31%.





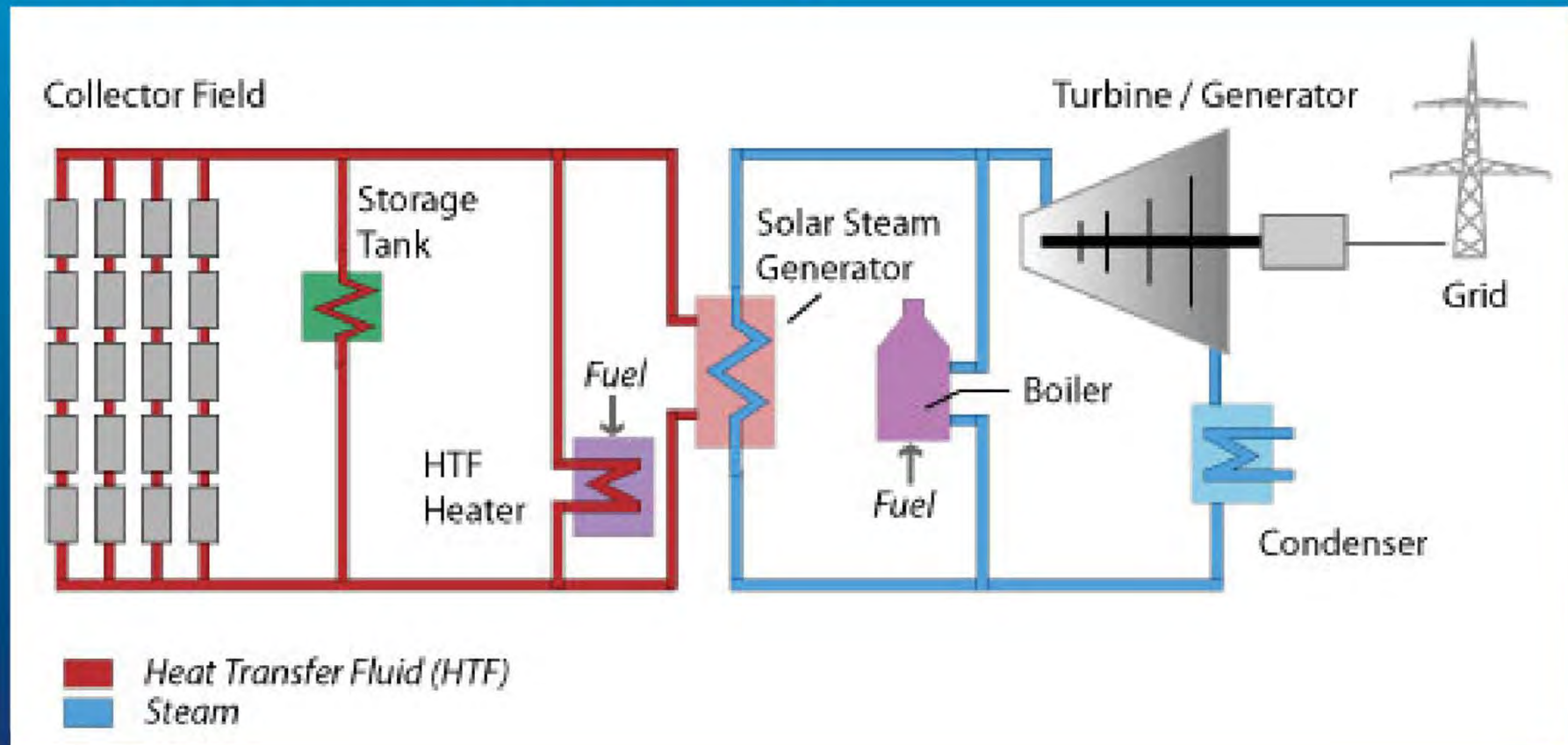
# TYPICAL APPLICATIONS OF THERMAL CSP

## a) Standalone Solar System



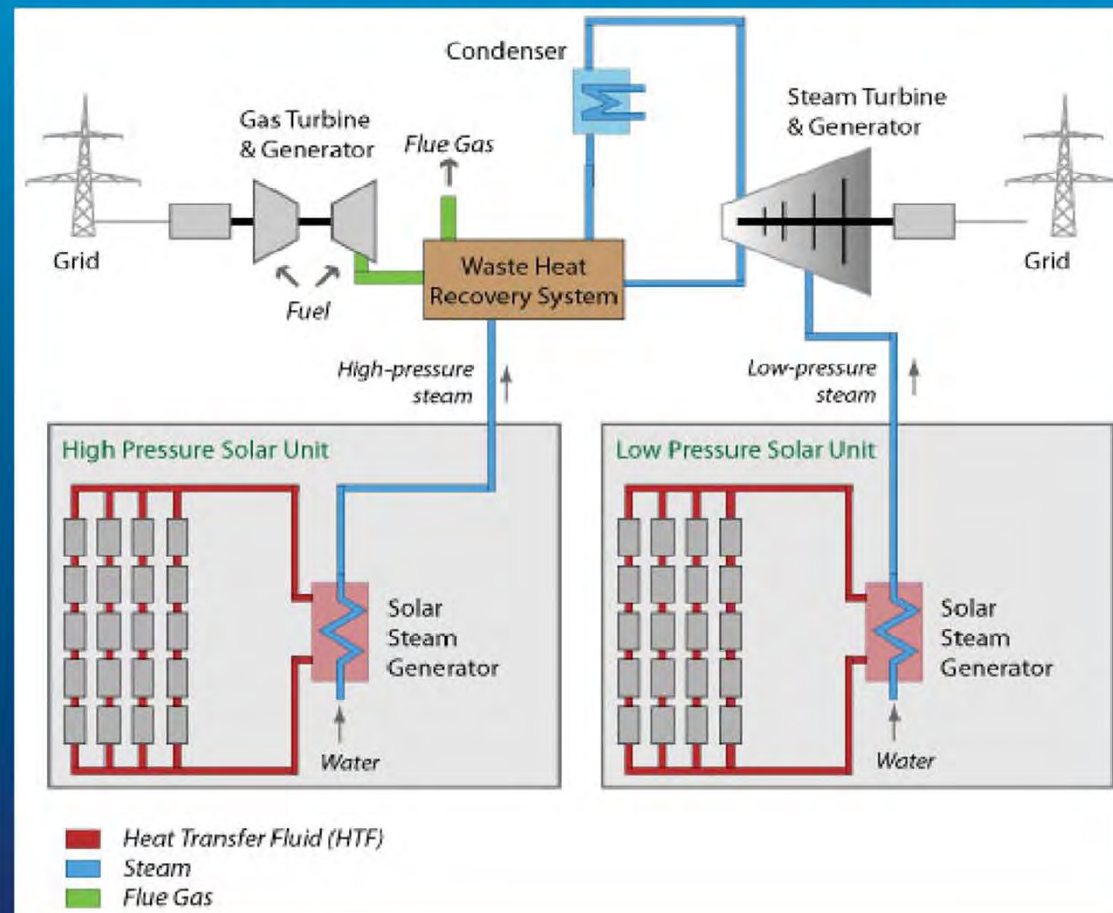
## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS OF THERMAL CSP (cont'd.)

### b) Hybrid System - Fossil Fuel Backup



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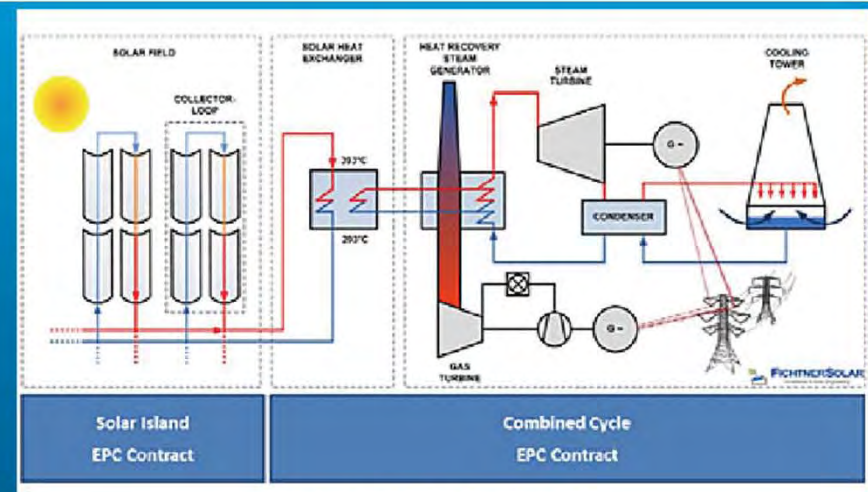
### c) Hybrid System - Integrated Solar Combined Cycle System (ISCC)



## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS OF THERMAL CSP (cont'd.)

### Integrated Solar Combined Cycle of Kuraymat - EGYPT

- Parabolic Trough Technology Integrated in a Combined Cycle Power Plant using Natural Gas.
- Total Plant Capacity 140 MW.
- Solar Island to Increase Steam Cycle Output & Save Gas during Daytime:
  - Capacity 61 MWth or 20 MWe.
  - 1920 Collector Modules of 131,000 M<sup>2</sup> Surface Area with Automatic Sun Tracking System.
  - Annual Solar Radiation Intensity  $\geq$  2400KWhr/ M<sup>2</sup>.

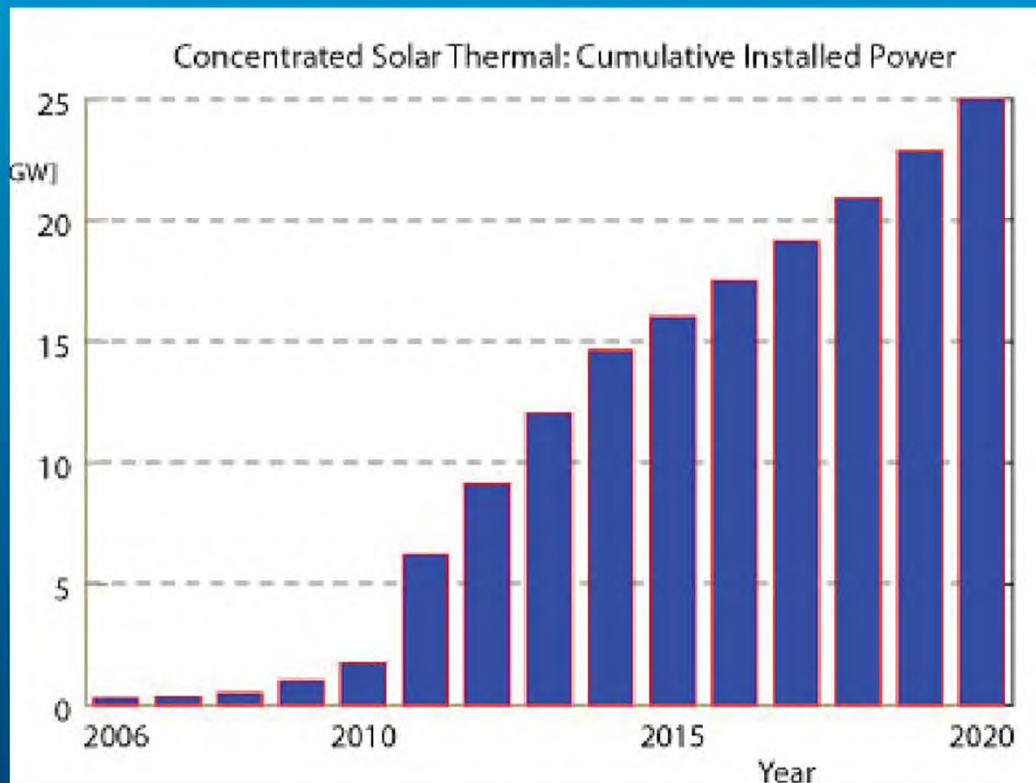


Technical Concept

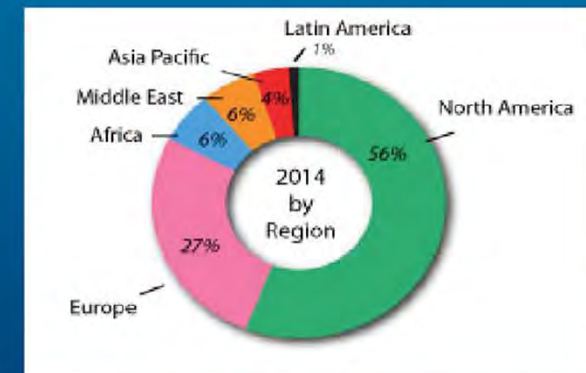
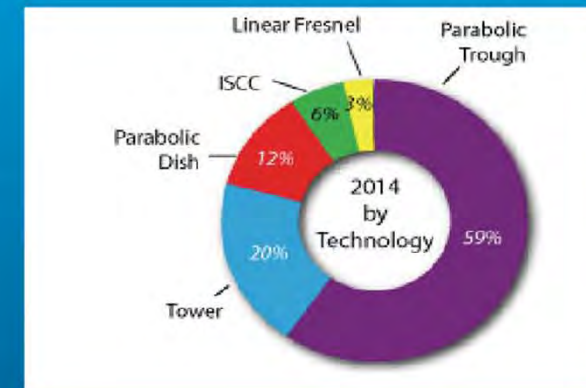


Solar Island

# CONCENTRATED SOLAR THERMAL POWER INSTALLATIONS



Concentrated Solar Thermal Cumulative Installed Power



Which Technology & Where it will be deployed

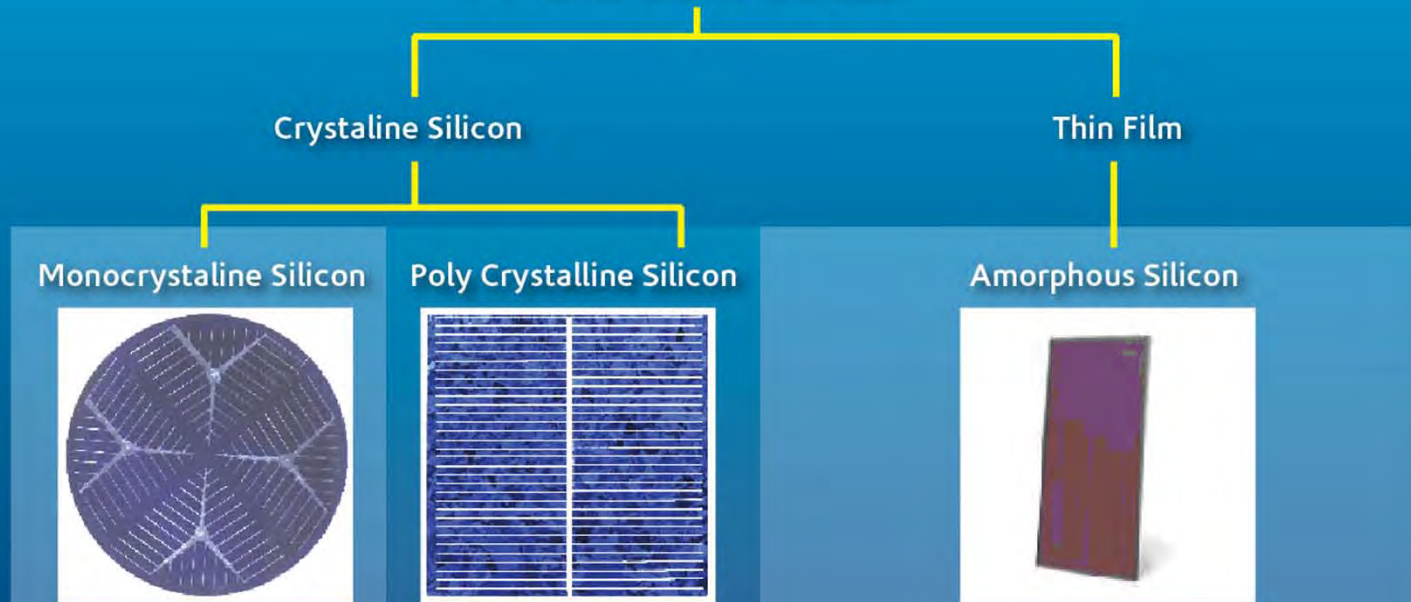
# PHOTOVOLTAIC SOLAR POWER

## CONCEPTS & CLASSIFICATION



# TYPES OF PV SILICON CELLS

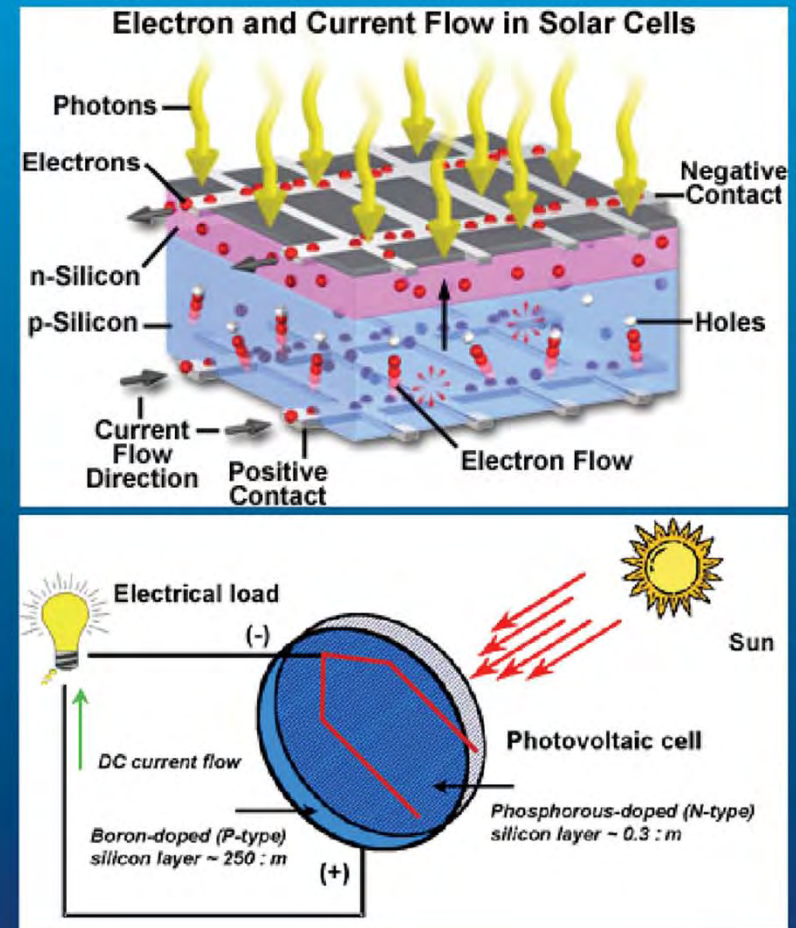
## PV SILICON CELLS



Composed of	Pure mono Crystalline Silicon Circular wafers 125-150 MM	Numerous grains of mono Crystalline Silicon rectangular wafers 100-150 MM	Amorphous Silicon Atoms on Thin Homogenous Layer
Cell effic.	15% -20%	13% -16%	7% -8%
Manufact. cost	****	***	**

# HOW PV CELL WORK

1. Photovoltaic cell is a solid semiconductor (e.g doped silicon chip) that releases electrons from the outer orbits of silicon atoms and creating holes upon subjection to light (**PHOTONS**).
2. Electrons are attracted to negative silicon doped surface (**N**) and holes to positive silicon doped surface (**P**) creating (**VOLTAGE**) difference between the surfaces of the silicon semiconductor (**P-N junction**)
3. Upon connecting the two sides of the semiconductor (**P-N junction**), a DC current flows.



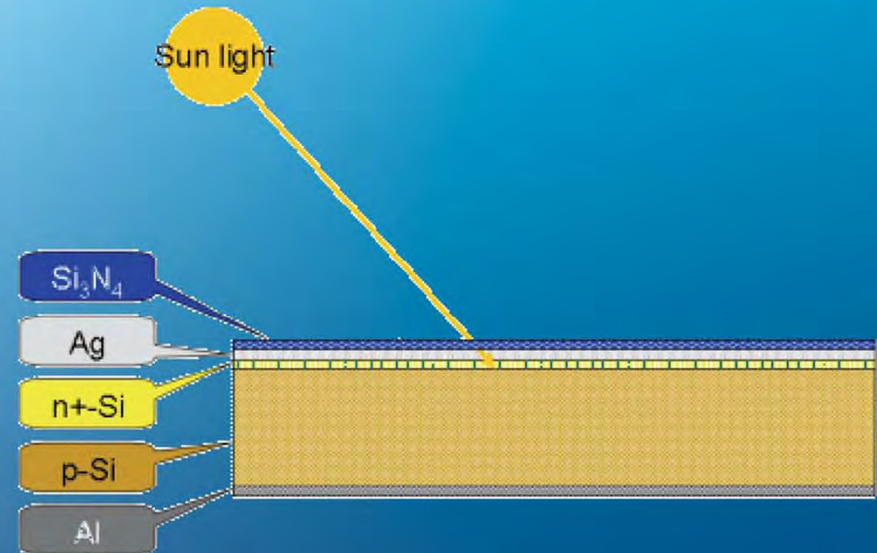


# SILICON PV SINGLE JUNCTION CELL

## OUTPUT

- The current (power) output of a single silicon PV cell is dependent on:
  - Intensity of light
  - Cell efficiency
  - Surface area
- Typical silicon PV cell produce 0.5 – 0.6 VDC under open circuit condition
- Typical silicon PV cell with 16 cm<sup>2</sup> area produces:
  - 2 watts power → Peak sunlight intensity
  - 0.8 watts power → 40% sunlight intensity

## COMPOSITION



Typical Solar Cell Composition (Single Junction)

Si<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> = Silicon Nitrate Antireflector.

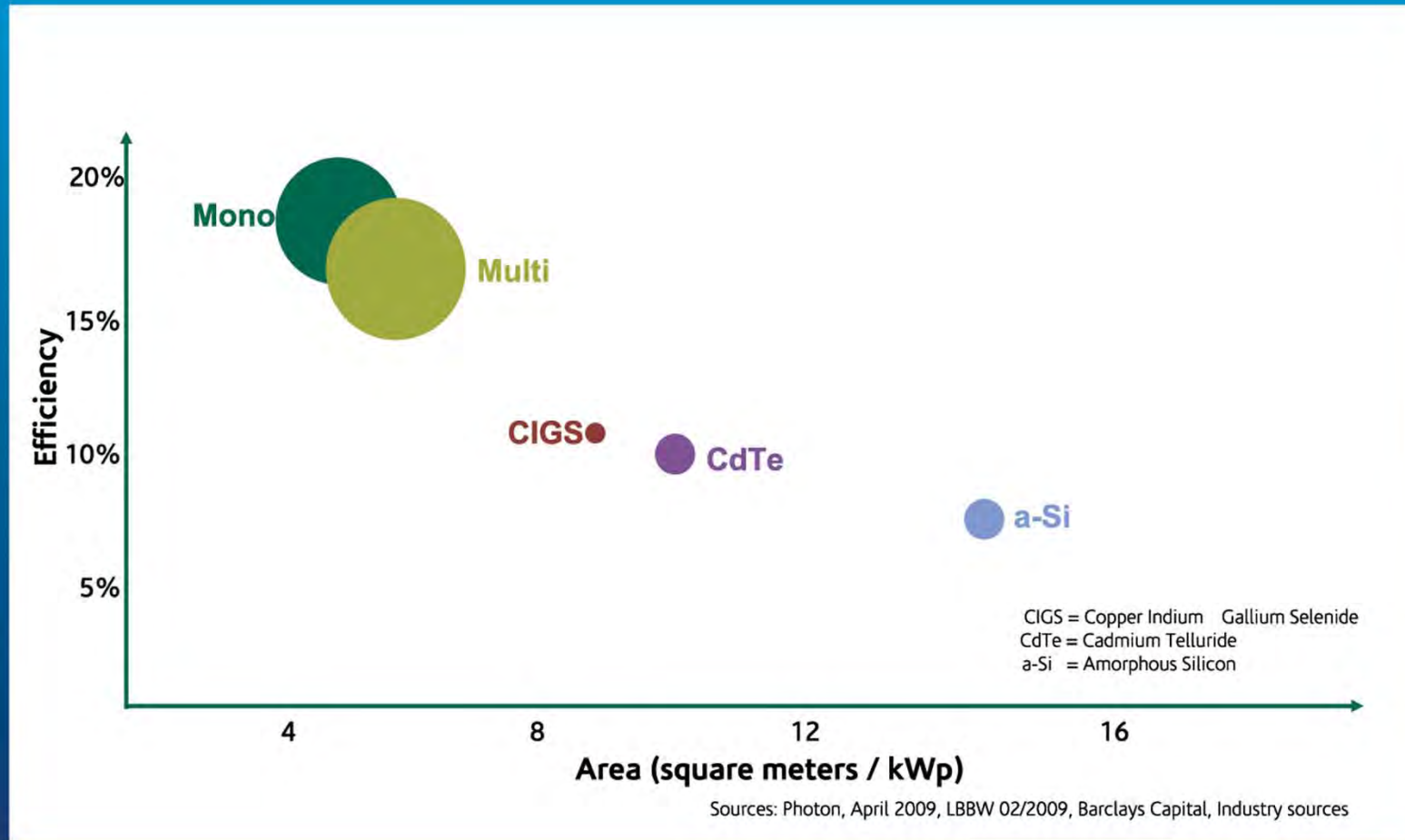
Ag = Printed Coating Silver Contact Finger

N-Si = Thin Phosphorous Doped (N-Type) Silicon Layer (0.3 Micron)

P-Si = Boron Doped (P-Type) Silicon Layer (250 Micron)

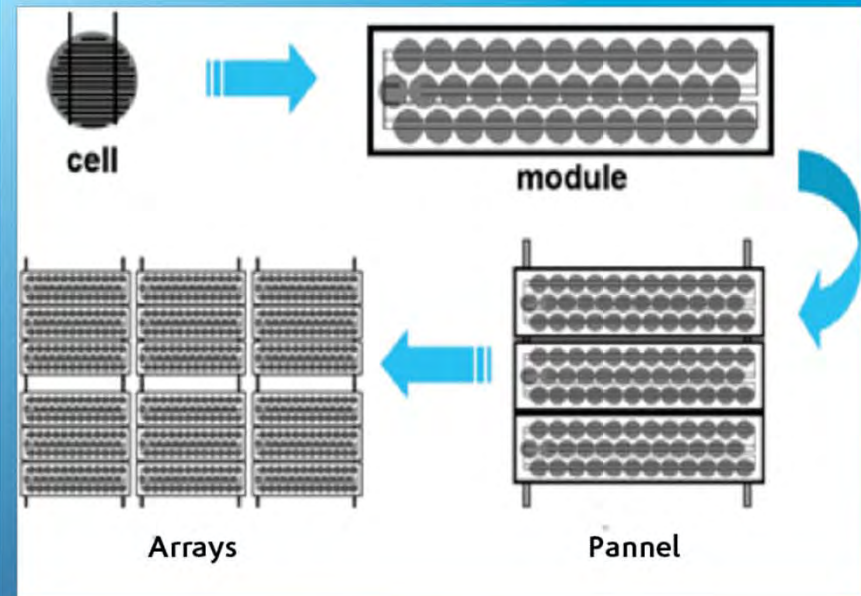
Al = Holoedral Alumenium Layer

# PV CELL vs. REQUIRED SQUARE METERS/KW<sub>p</sub>



# PV ENERGY CONVERSION COMPONENTS

1. **PV cells** are connected in series and /or parallel to produce higher voltage, currents & power levels
2. **PV module:** PV cell circuits sealed in an environmentally protected lamina.
3. **PV panel:** includes one or more PV module assembled and wired field installable unit
4. **PV array:** a power Generation unit consisting of a number of PV panels



## PERFORMANCE OF PV MODULE:

- Within 85% to 90% of the STC Rating.
- STC Rating: Max DC power output (watts) under Standard Test Conditions (STC).
- STC:
  - Operating Temp 25 °C .
  - Irradiating level 1000 w/m<sup>2</sup>.
  - Air mass 1.5 spectra / distribution

# CONCENTRATING PHOTOVOLTAICS (CPV)

CPV = Large area of sun light is focused on small area solar cell using optical devices (lenses or mirrors)

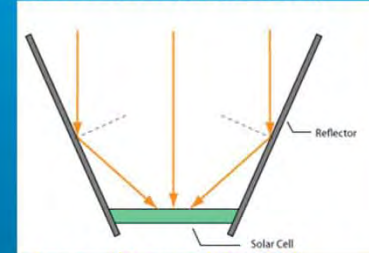
## Advantages

- Less PV material to capture the sunlight of non-concentrated PV.
- Makes use of the high efficiency of the expensive multi-junction cell to be more economically viable due to smaller space requirements
- Less expensive PV Cells used with optics manufactured in proven process

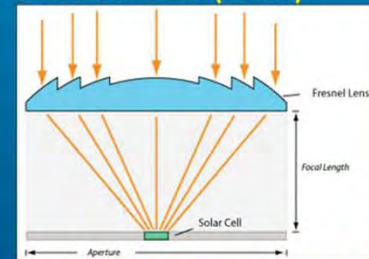
## CPV Classification by Concentration

Concentration	Low x2 – x10	Medium X10 – X100	High >X100
Tracking	Not needed	1-axis tracking	Dual Axis Tracking
Cooling	Not needed	Passive cooling	Active Cooling (Cooling Fluide)
PV material	High quality silicon	High quality silicon	Multi-junction Cells

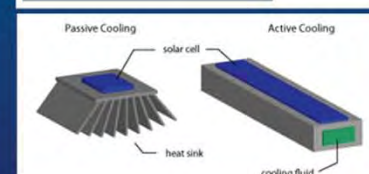
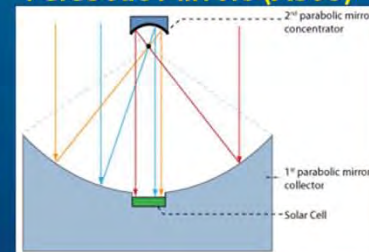
Reflectors (X1.5-X2.5)



Fresnel Lens (X500)



Parabolic Mirrors (X500)



## WHY SOLAR PV SYSTEMS:

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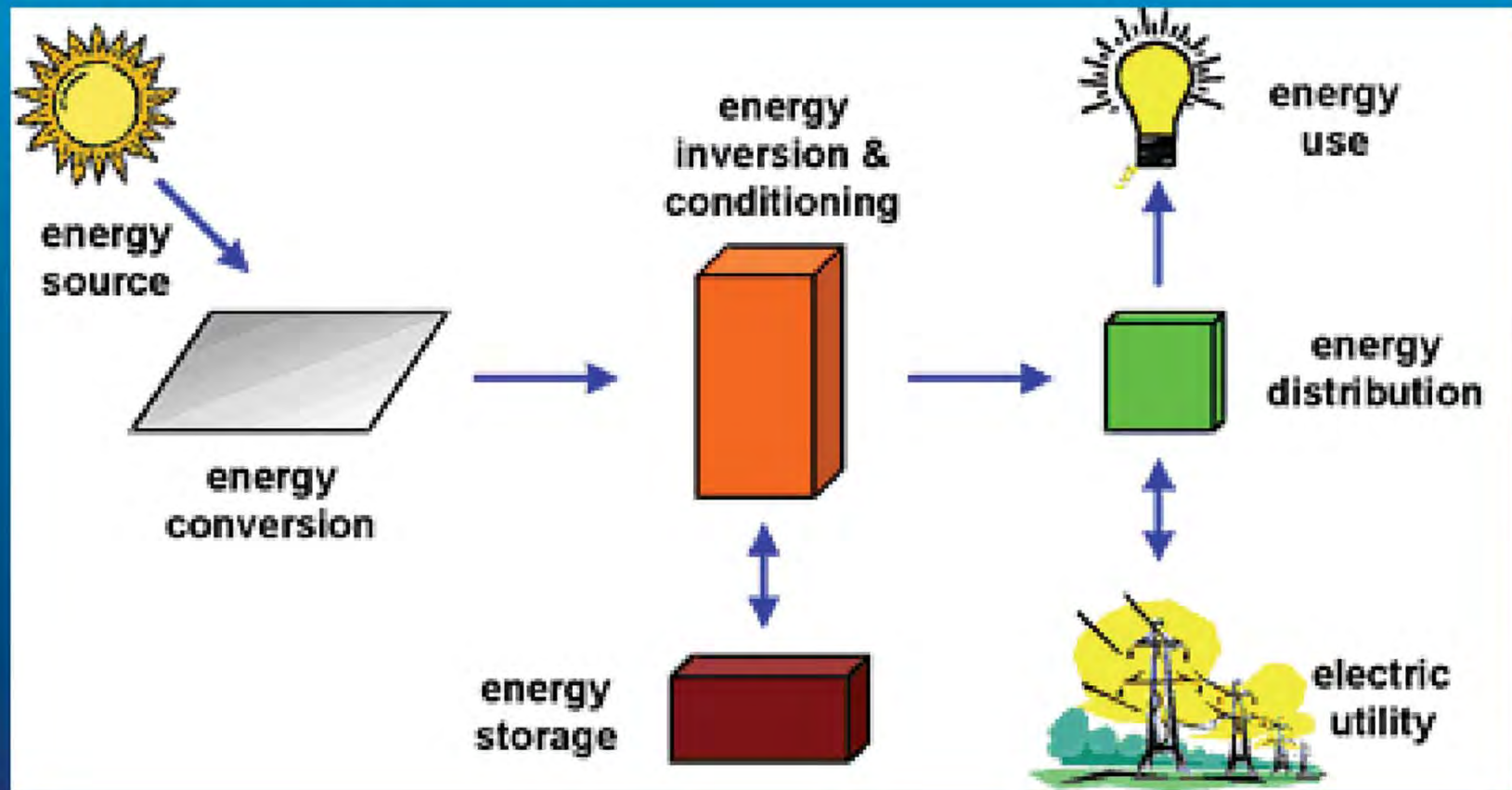
- The widest available **clean** renewable energy in the world (no waste).
- Fuel is **free**.
- Contributes in **reducing Global Warming** (minimal harmful emissions)
- Highly **reliable** (long life span 20-30 years & stable efficiency)
- **Low maintenance** (no moving parts)
- Brings **electricity anywhere** particularly to remote rural areas.
- PV Systems can be aesthetically **integrated in buildings** (BIPV) (integration in facade & Sun shade of a building)
- **Light weight**, easy to install and transport.
- **Pay back** of PV module is constantly decreasing (**1.5 -3 years**)
- **Energy produced** from a PV module = **6 to 8 times the energy needed for its manufacturing.**

# HOW PV SYSTEM WORKS



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## Major PV System Components

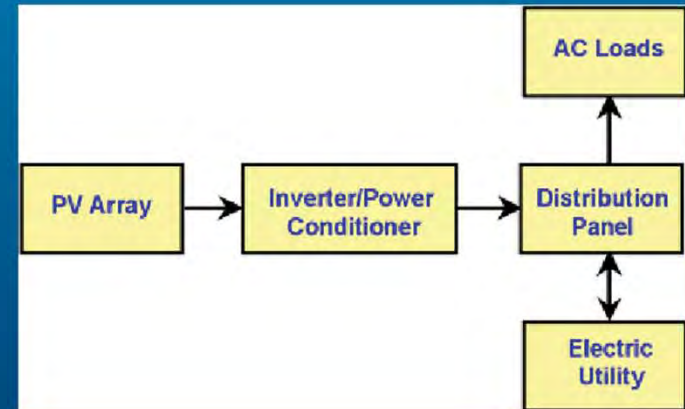
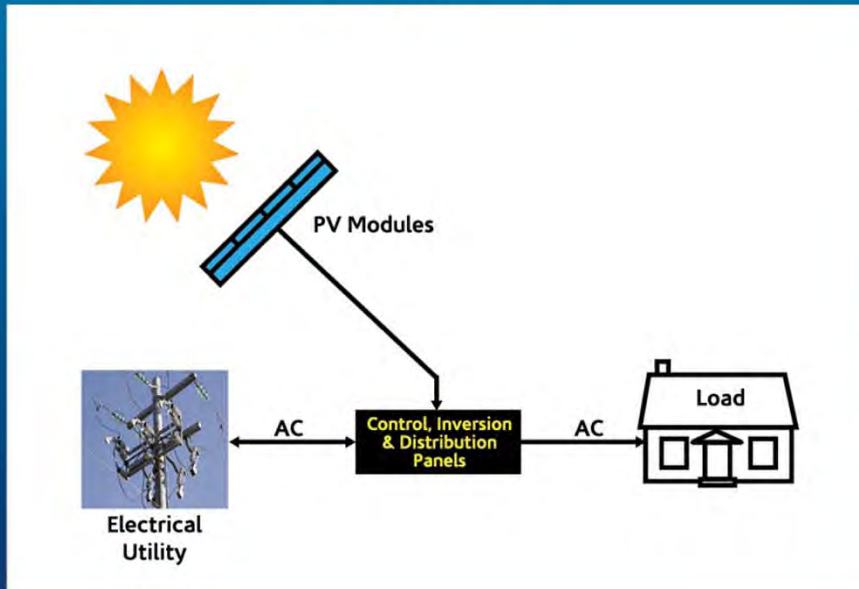


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- Direct Coupled PV System



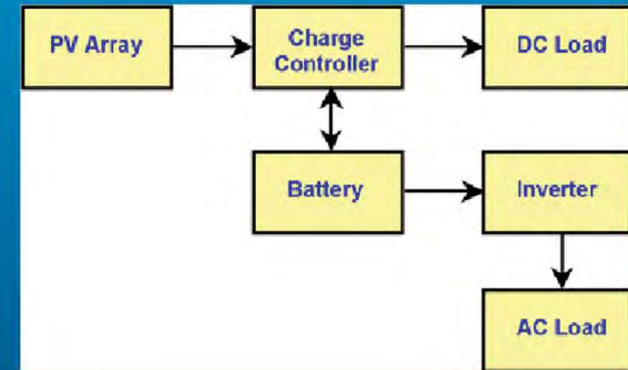
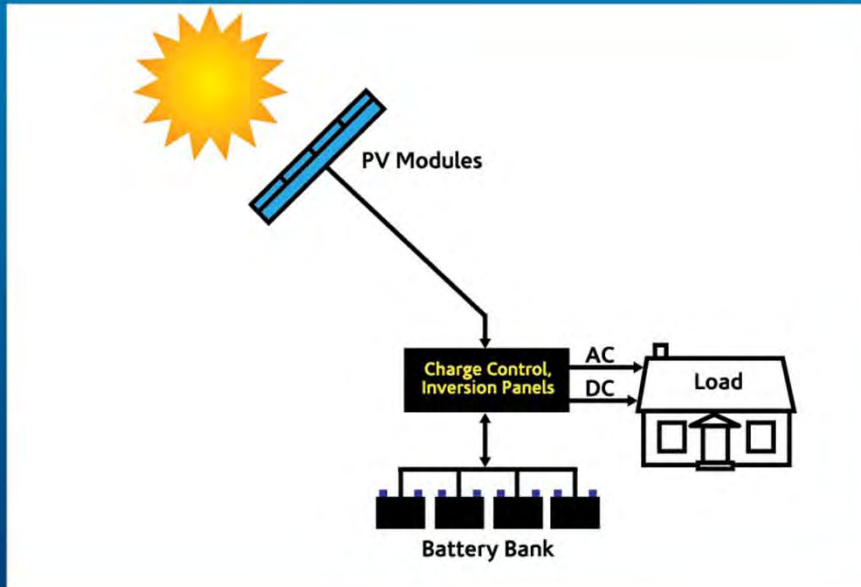
- Grid Connected PV System



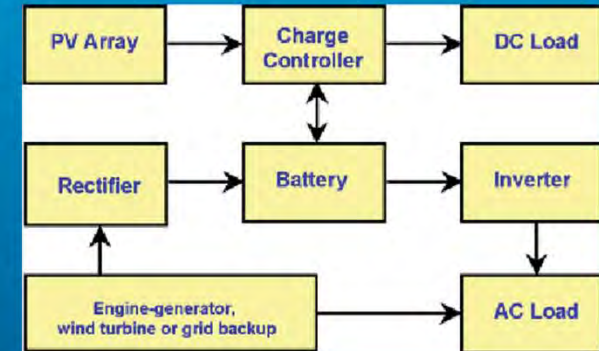
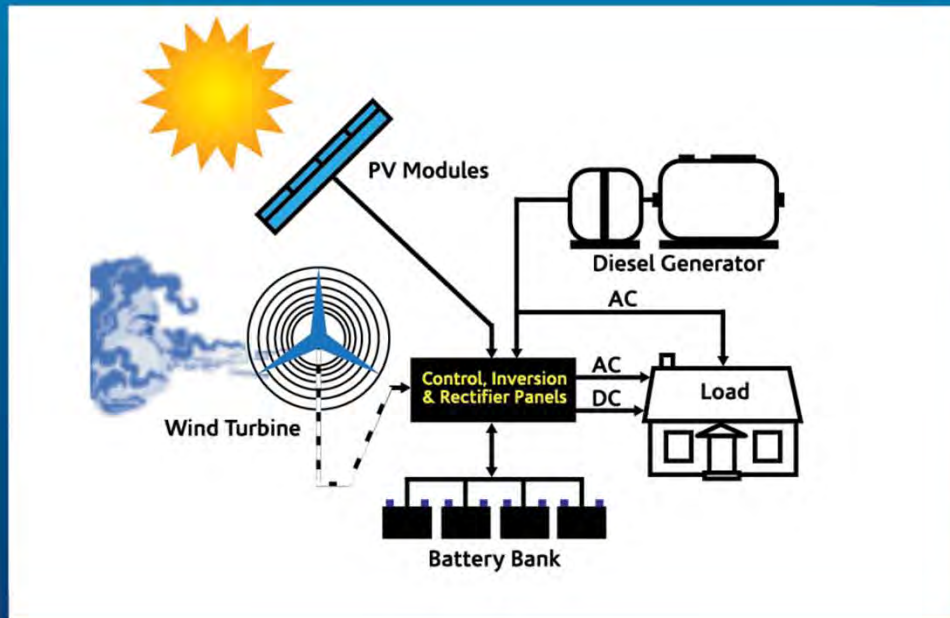


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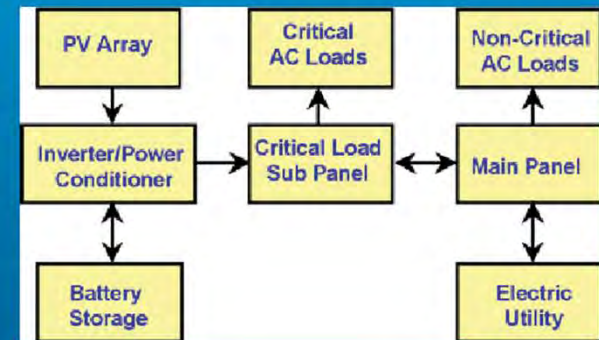
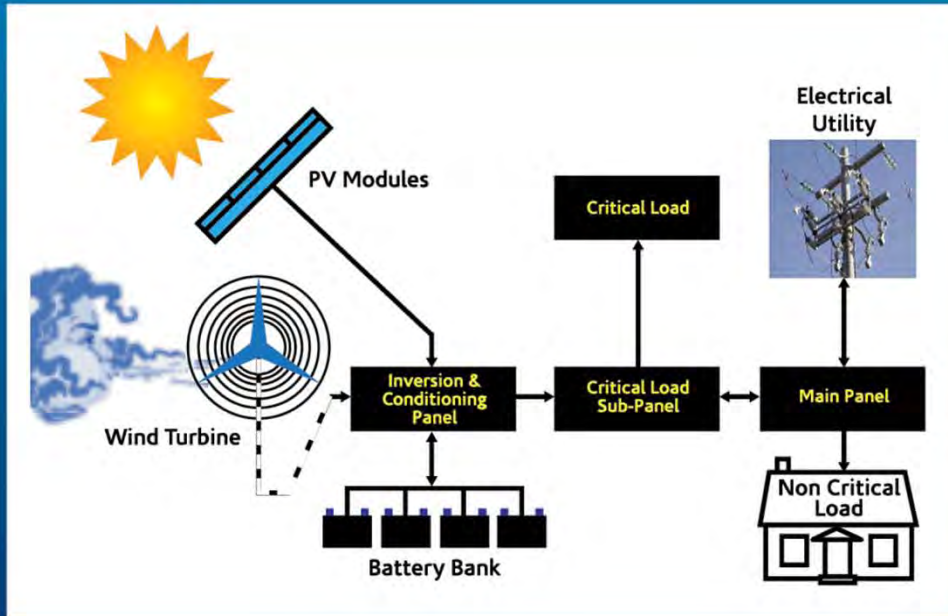
## Standalone PV System with Battery Storage Powering DC & AC Loads



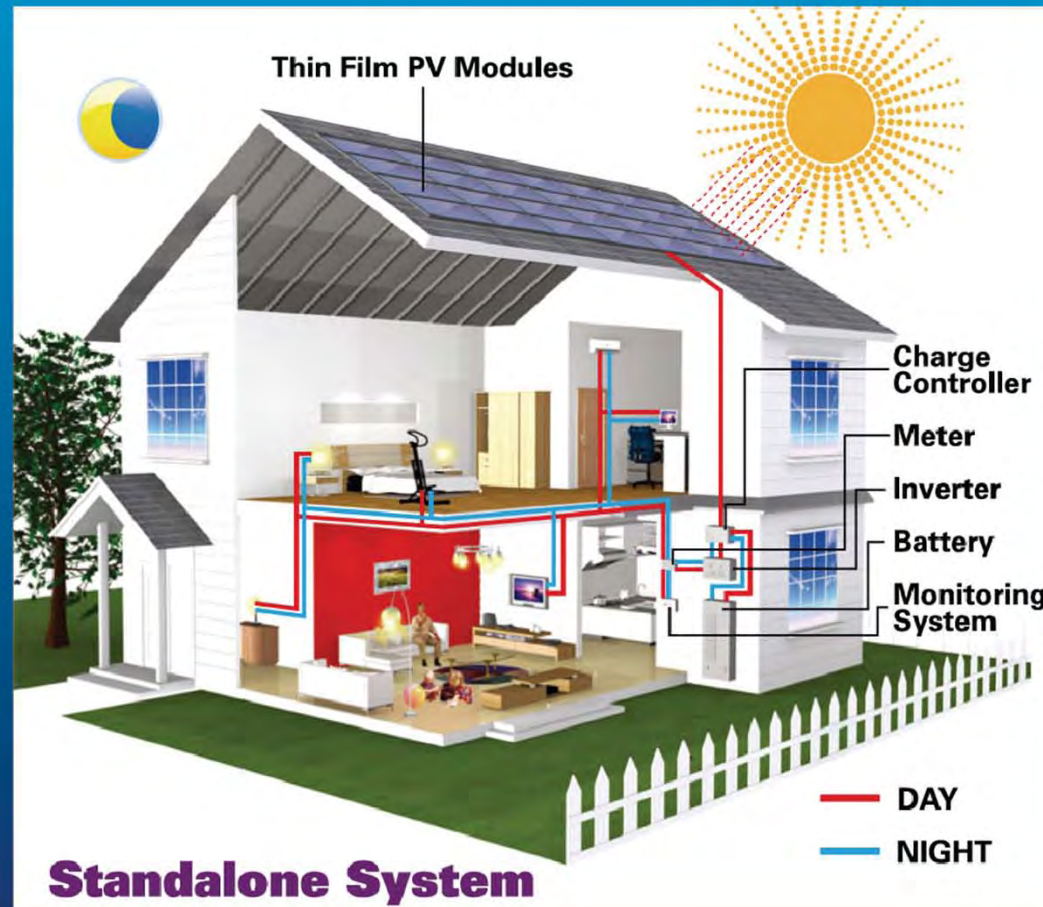
# HYPRID POWER SYSTEM



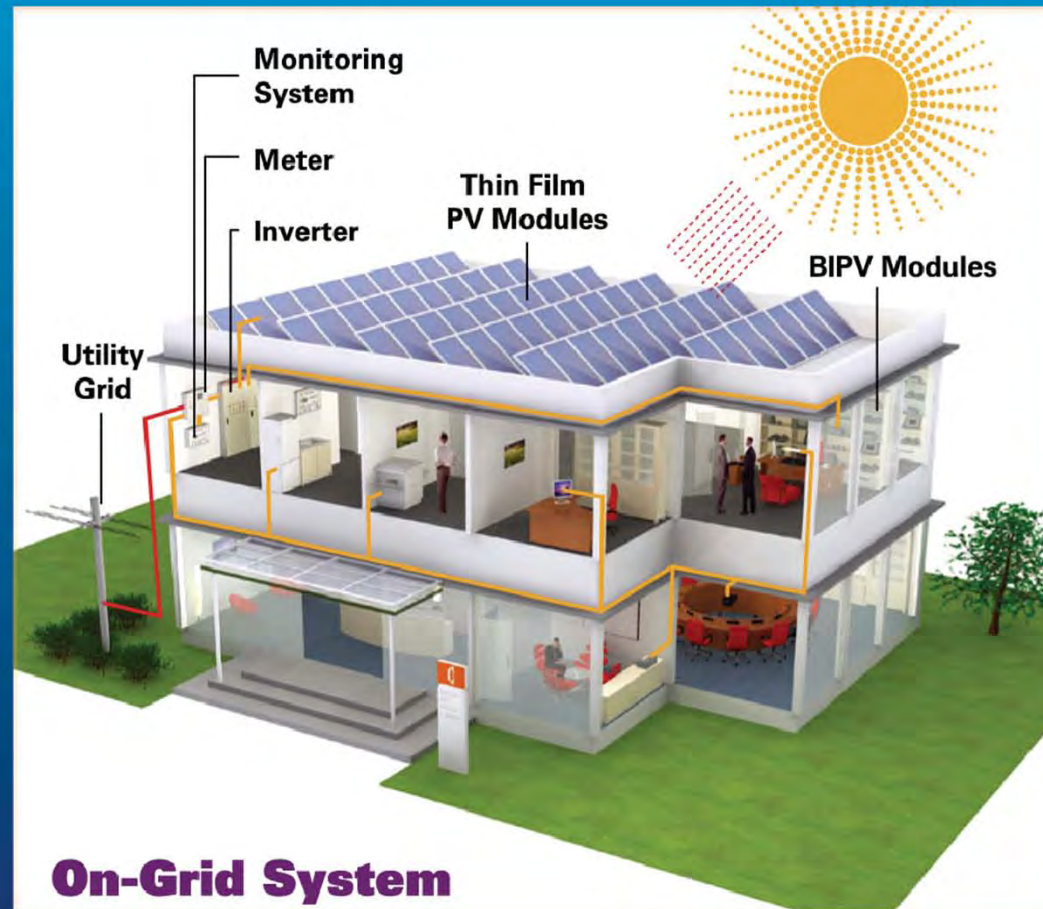
# HYPRID CRITICAL LOAD SYSTEM



# THIN FILM MODULES



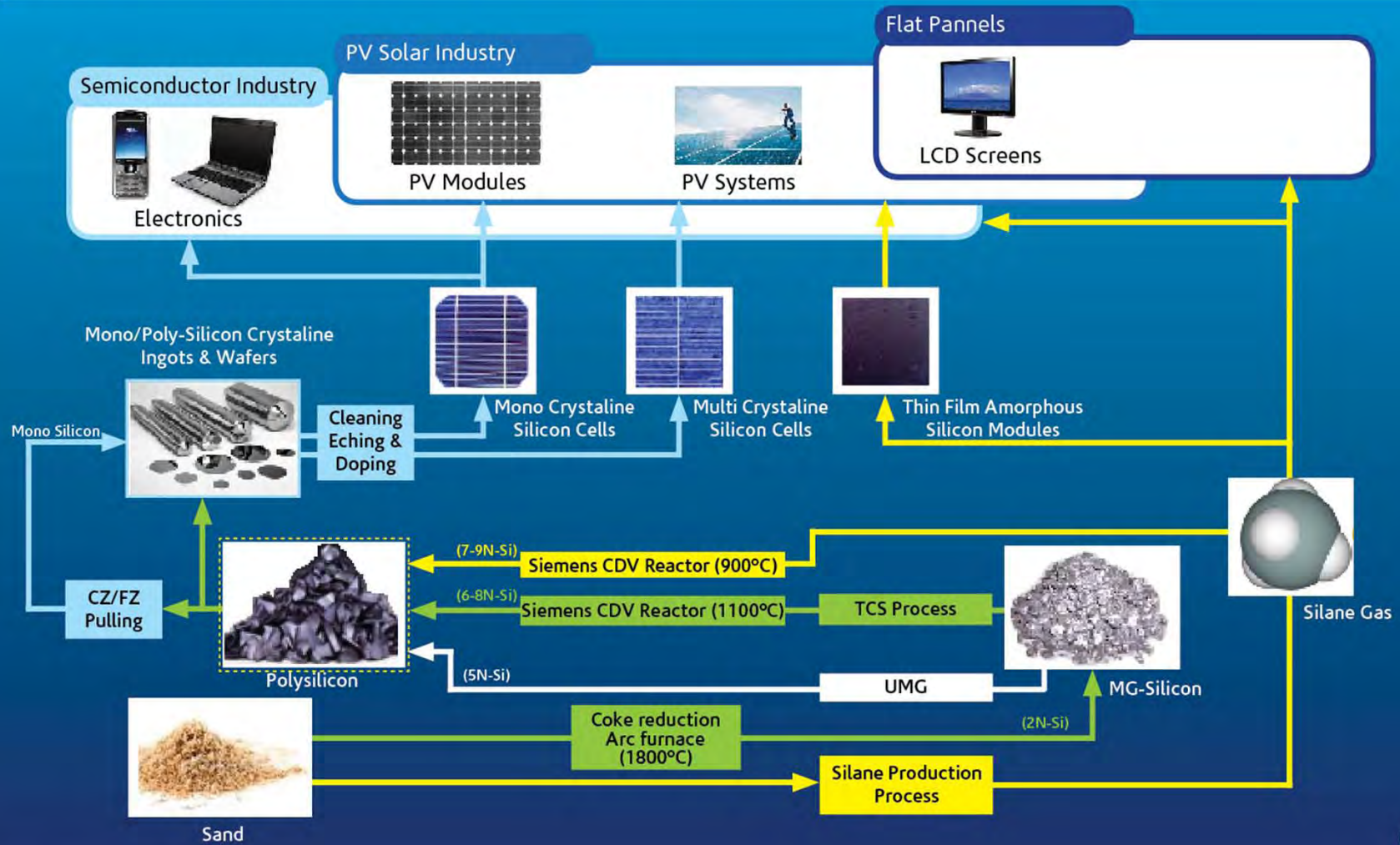
# THIN FILM PV & BIPV MODULES



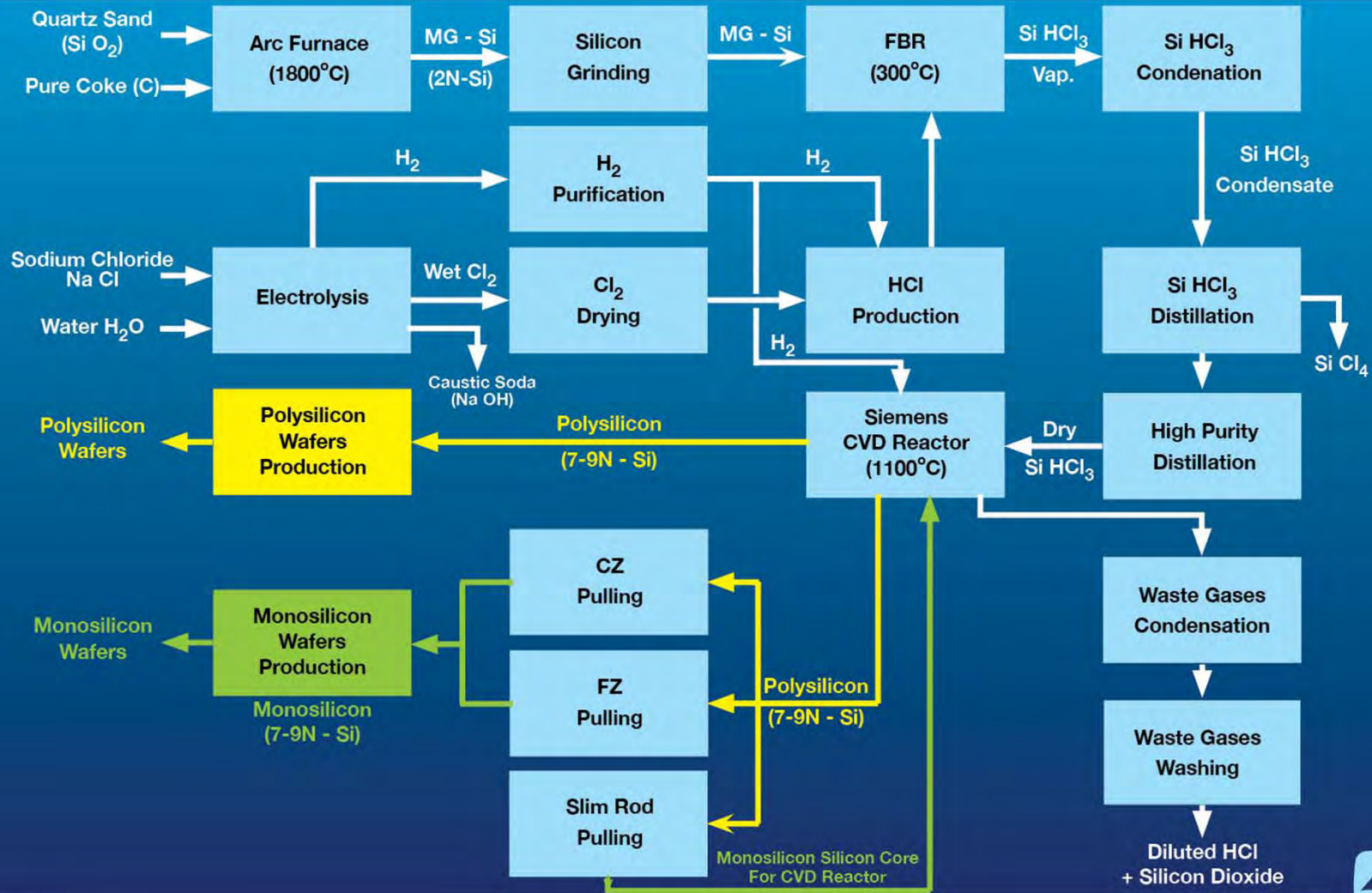
# PV SILICON CELLS & MODULES PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGIES



# CRYSTALLINE SILICON/SILANE VALUE CHAIN



# TCS PROCESS FOR POLYSILICON PRODUCTION





# PRODUCTION OF METALLURGICAL GRADE SILICON (MG-Si)

Equipment:

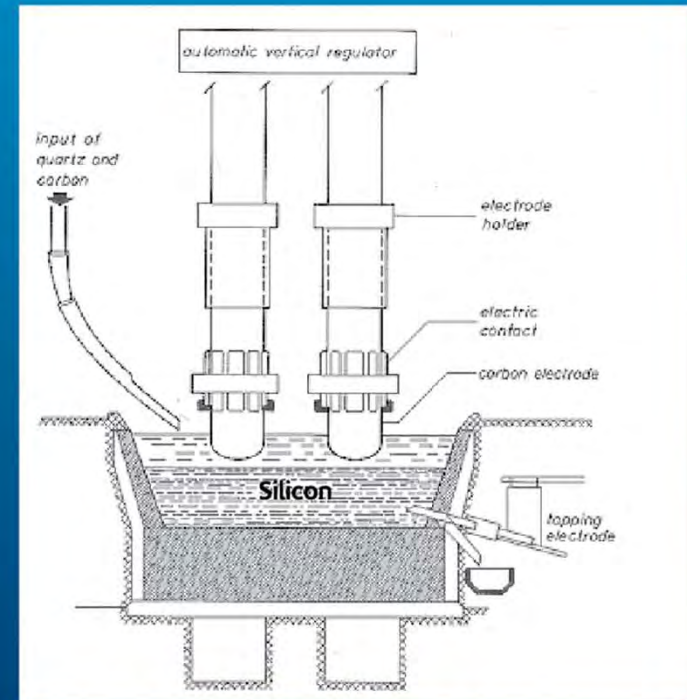
Arc Furnace

Main Reaction:



Quartz Sand + Very Clean Coke  $\xrightarrow{1800^\circ\text{C}}$   
MG-Silicon (2N-Silicon) + Carbon Mono-Oxide

Side Reaction:



ARC FURNACE FOR SILICA  
COKE REDUCTION

# PRODUCTION OF TRICHLOROSILANE (TCS)

Equipment:

Fluidised Bed Reactor

Main Reaction:



Side Reaction:



# PRODUCTION OF POLYSILICON (SIEMENS PROCESS)

Equipment:

Chemical Vapor Deposition Reactor (CVD Reactor)

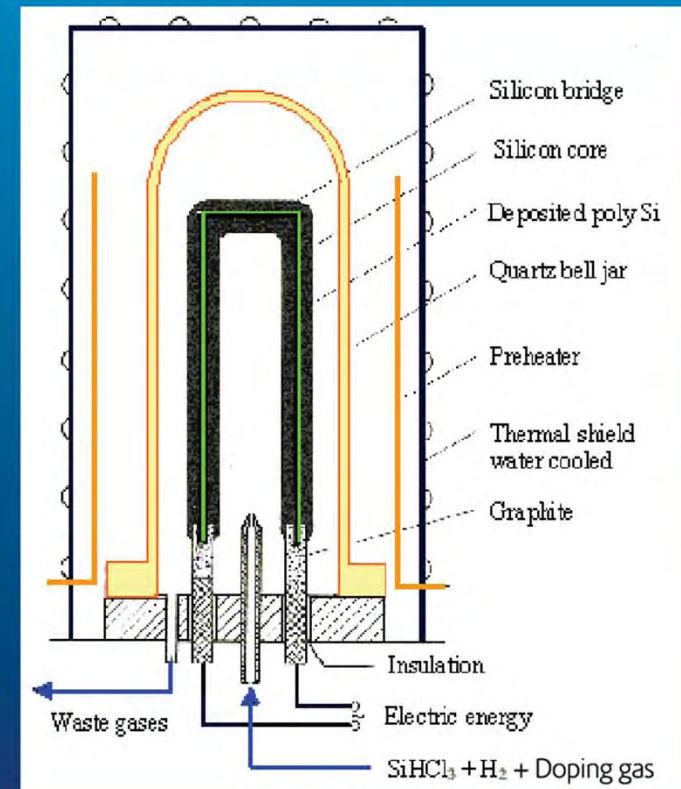
Reaction:



Trichloro Silane + Hydrogen (100L/min)  
+ Doping Gases (1ml/min)  $\longrightarrow$  Polysilicon  
layer (1kg/hr) + Hydrochloric Acid

**N.B**

- Doping gases  $\text{AsH}_3$  &  $\text{PH}_3$  are very poisonous.
- $\text{H}_2$  &  $\text{SiHCl}_3$  are Combustible/Explosive.
- HCL Gas is very Corrosive & Harmful.
- Reaction Should be Thoroughly Optimised & Controlled.



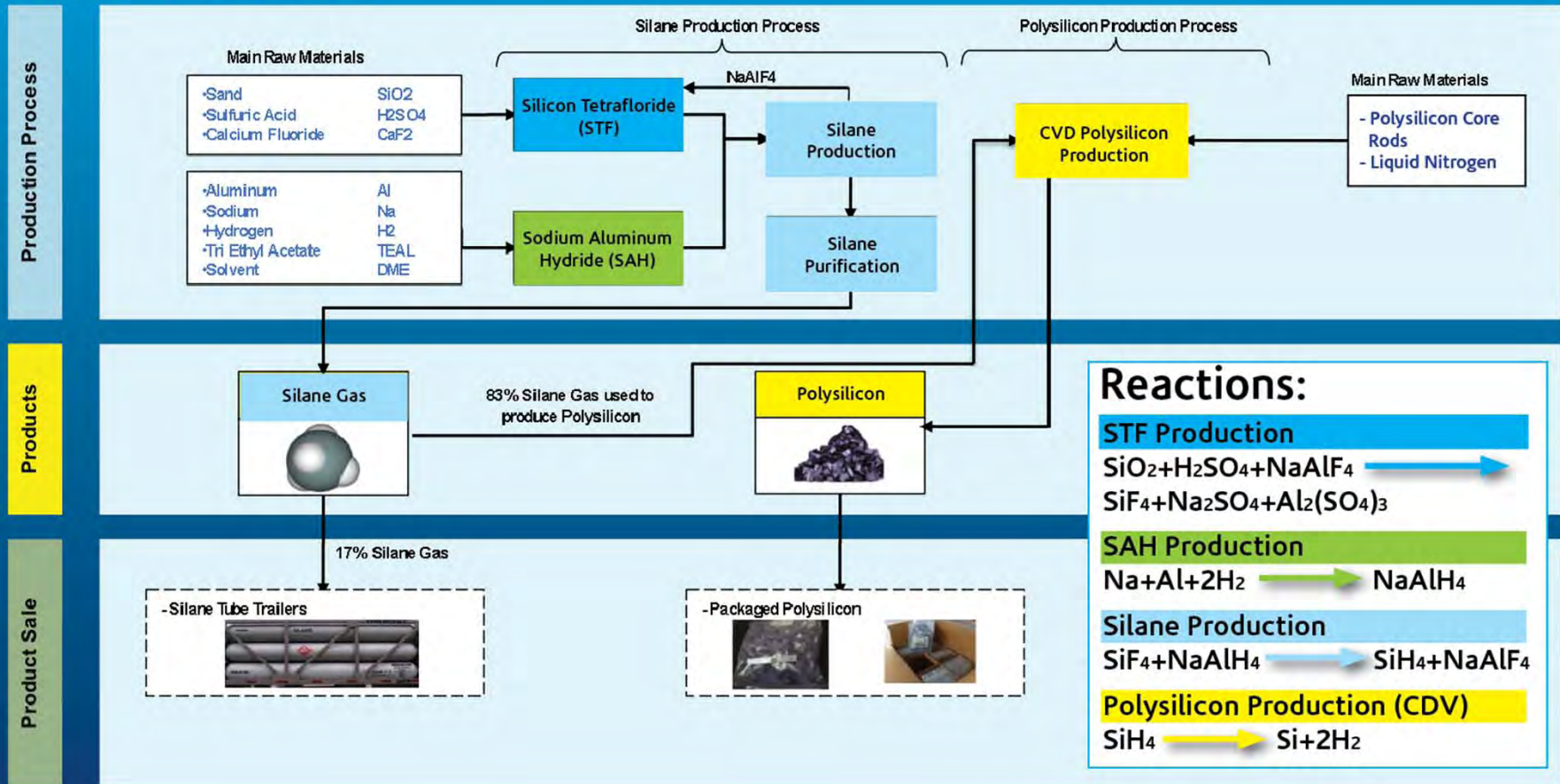
(CVD Reactor)

# DEPOSITED POLYSILICON BRIDGE

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# SILANE SIEMENS PROCESS FOR PRODUCTION OF SILANE & POLYSILICON

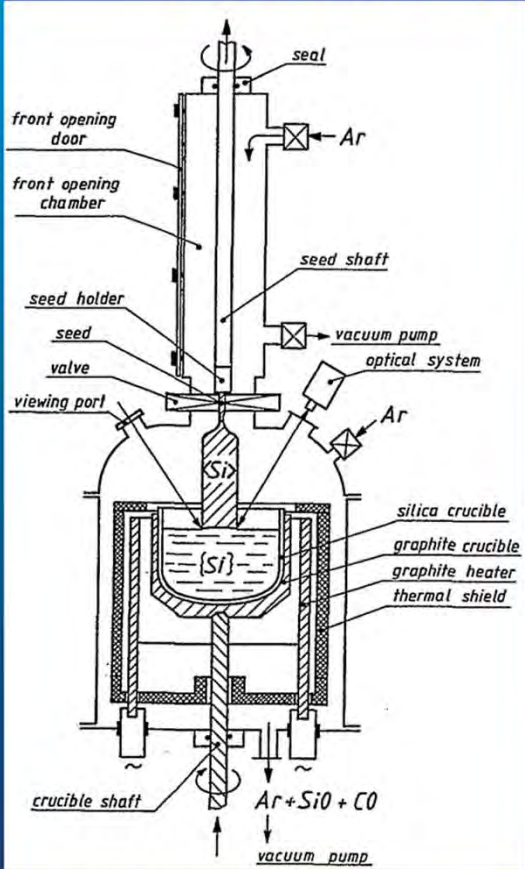


# POLYSILICON PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGIES BENCHMARKING

Benchmarking Criteria		Available to Buy Technologies		Other Competing but unavailable technologies	
Criteria		TCS Siemens	Upgraded Silane Siemens	Silane Siemens	Silane FBR
CAPEX	Average Expected CAPEX - EPC Cost (USD/KG)	120-150	129	129	131
	Energy Usage (KWH/Kg)	150-250	<b>50-60</b>	75-150	30-40
Operational Analysis	Raw Material Requirement (Relative to TCS)	100	75	75	75
	Man Power (Relative to TCS)	100	91	91	68
	Plant maintenance & Consumable per Kg (Relative to TCS)	100	63	63	63
	Total Cash Cost per KG (Relative to TCS)	100	<b>65</b>	75	51
	Used by (% of Total Global Polysilicon Production)	c.80%	Yingli, KCC and Ningbo Solar	REC	MEMC & REC
Strategic Key Points	Availability of Technology (Existing licensors)	Several	Only Virasa	None	None
	Product mix flexibility	Only Polysilicon	<b>100% flexibility to produce Silane and Polysilicon</b>	Only Polysilicon	100% flexibility to produce Silane and Polysilicon

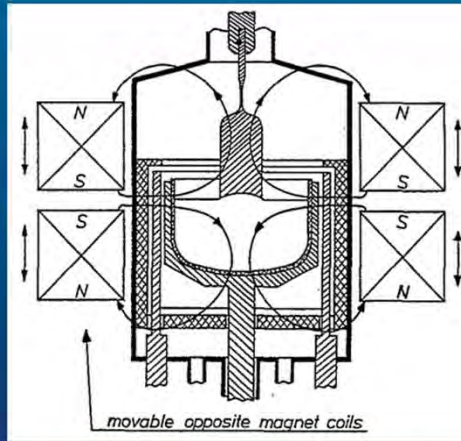
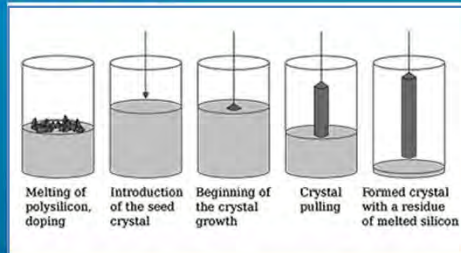
# MONOSILICON PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGIES

## Czochralski Process (CZ Process)



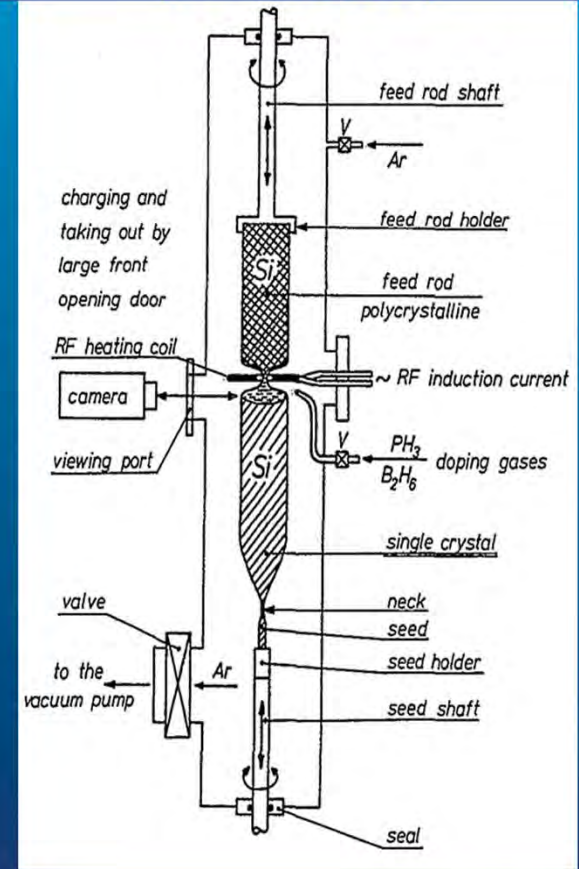
Furnace with Graphite Heater

### Process Concept



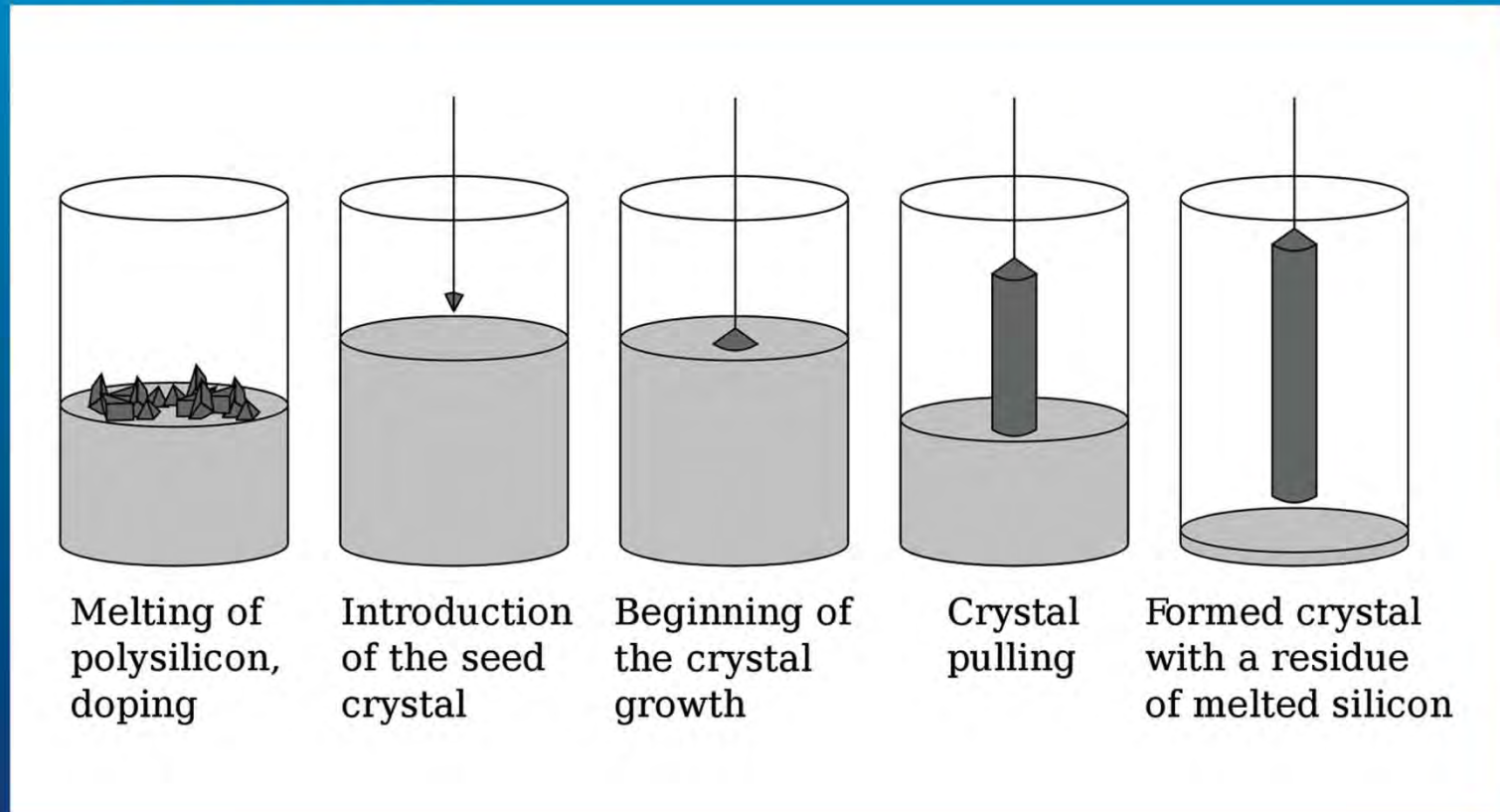
Furnace with 2 moveable opposite magnet coils for damping thermal convection of the melt

## (FZ Process)



# CZ Process Concept

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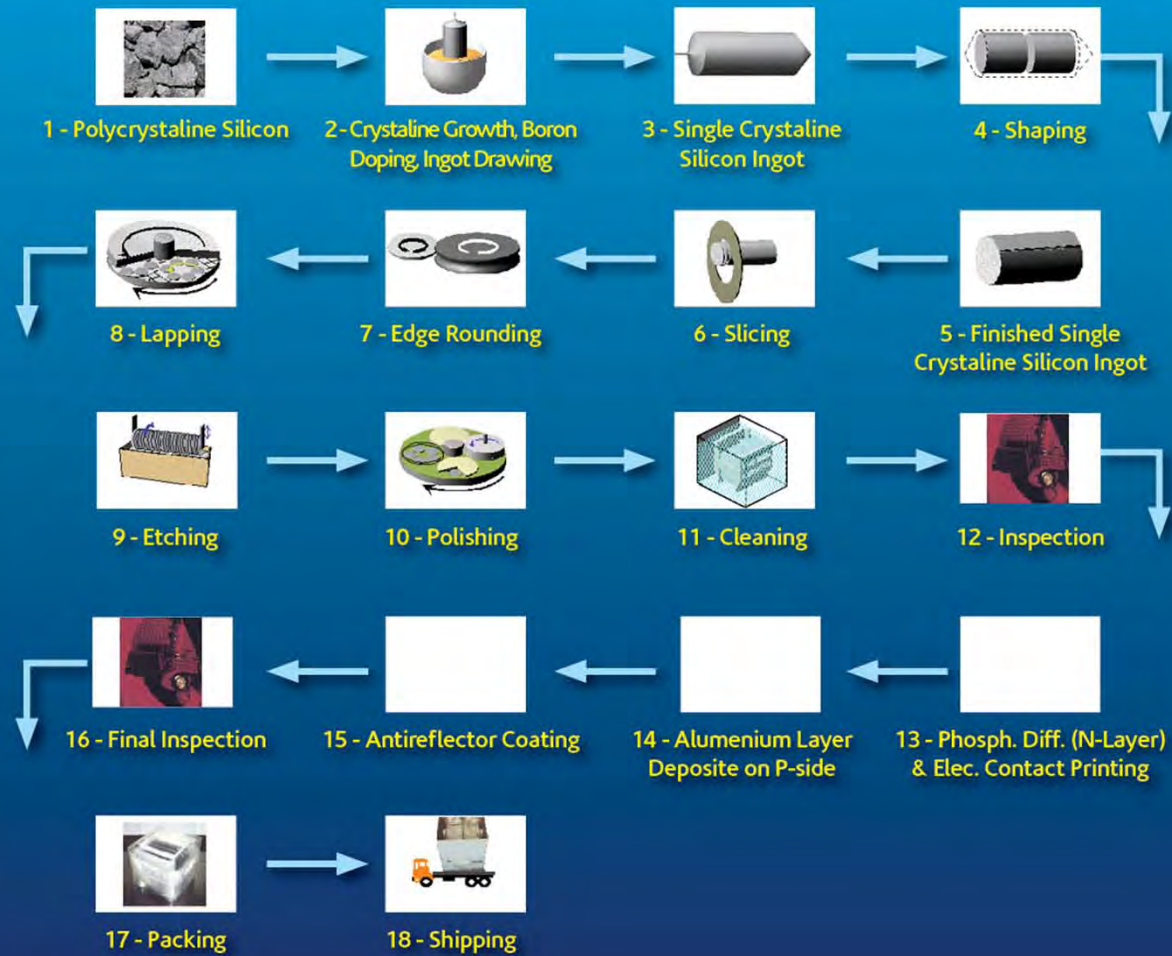


# MONOSILICON INGOT

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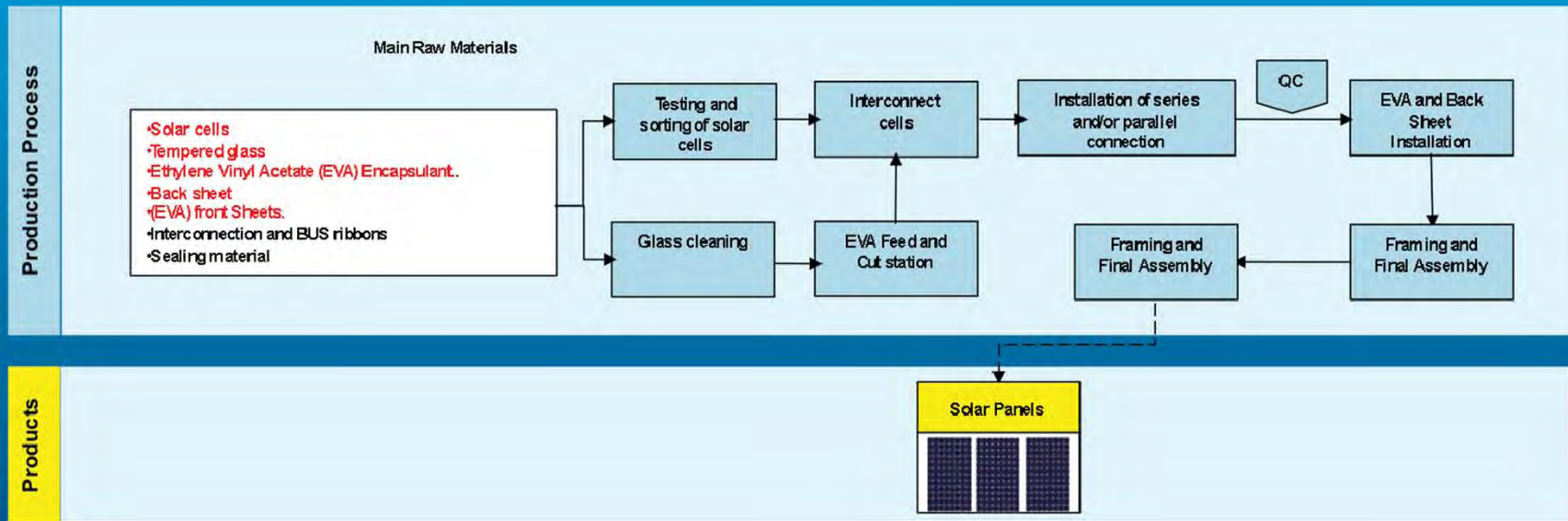


# WAFERS TECHNOLOGY



**Wafers Lapping Process**  
(Flatness Tolerance < 1micron for 1000 Cm<sup>2</sup> Surface Area of 300 mm Diameter Wafers).

# SOLAR MODULES PRODUCTION



# POLYSILICON PROCESS TECHNOLOGY

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## TCS SIEMENS TECHNOLOGY FOR POLYSILICON PRODUCTUION (SHORT VIDEO)

VIDEO

SKIP

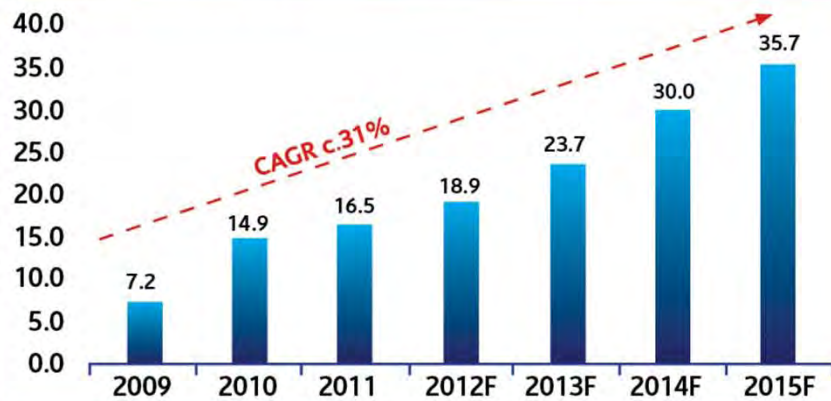


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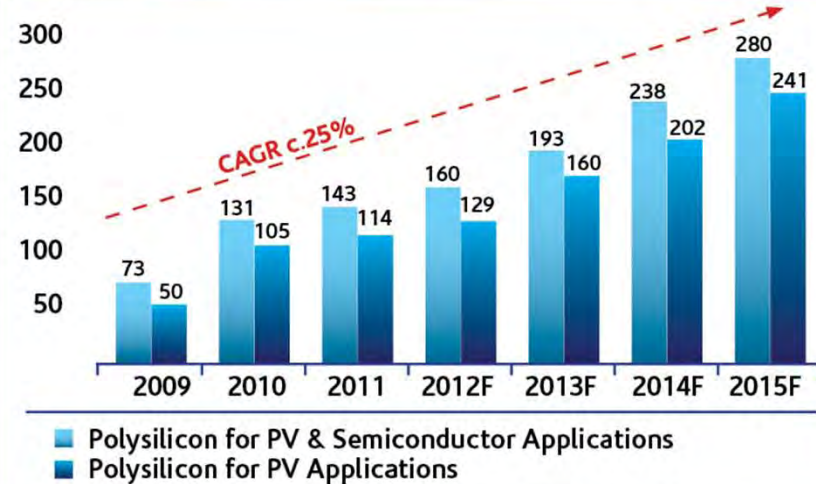
# POLYSILICON DEMAND OUTLOOK

**Global PV Market Short-term Outlook**  
PV Installations in MW



Source: Consensus Estimates of Morgan Stanley, EPIA, HC Estimates (2015 figure)

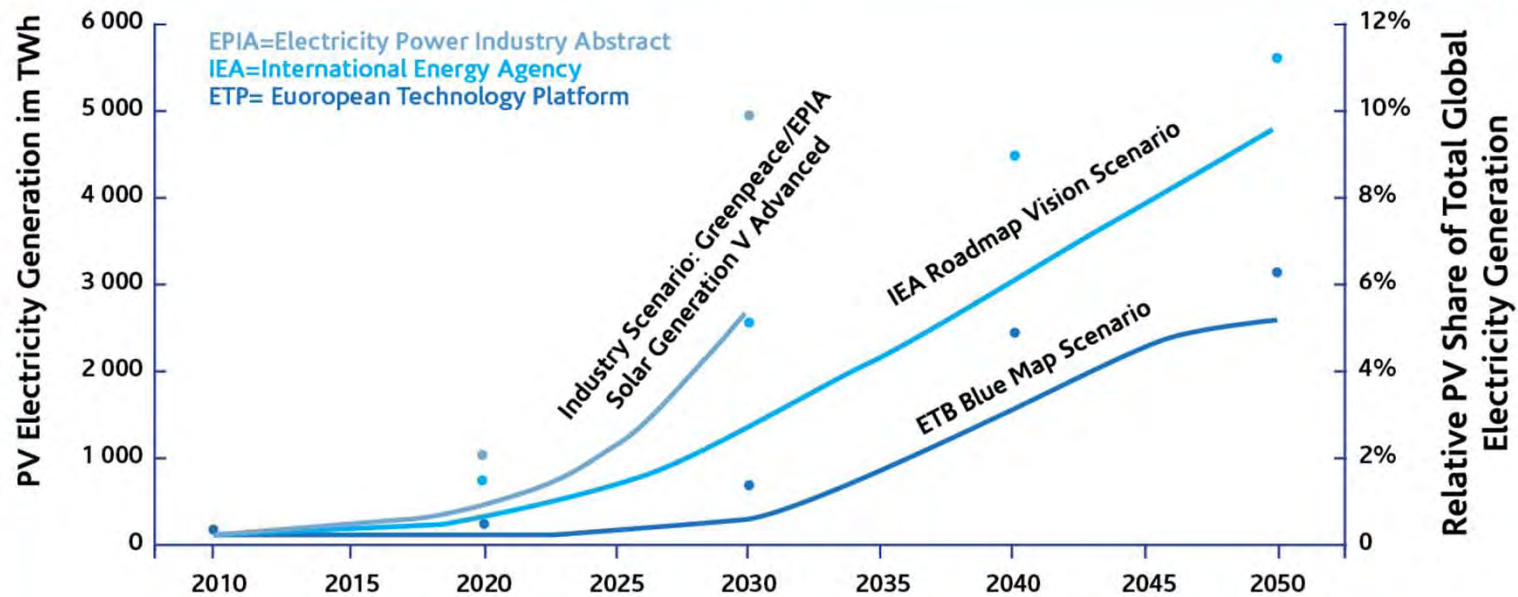
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# GLOBAL PV MARKET LONG-TERM OUTLOOK

## Global PV Market Long-term Outlook



IEA Roadmap envisions PV Providing 11% of Global Electricity Generation by 2050 compared to the current 0.1%

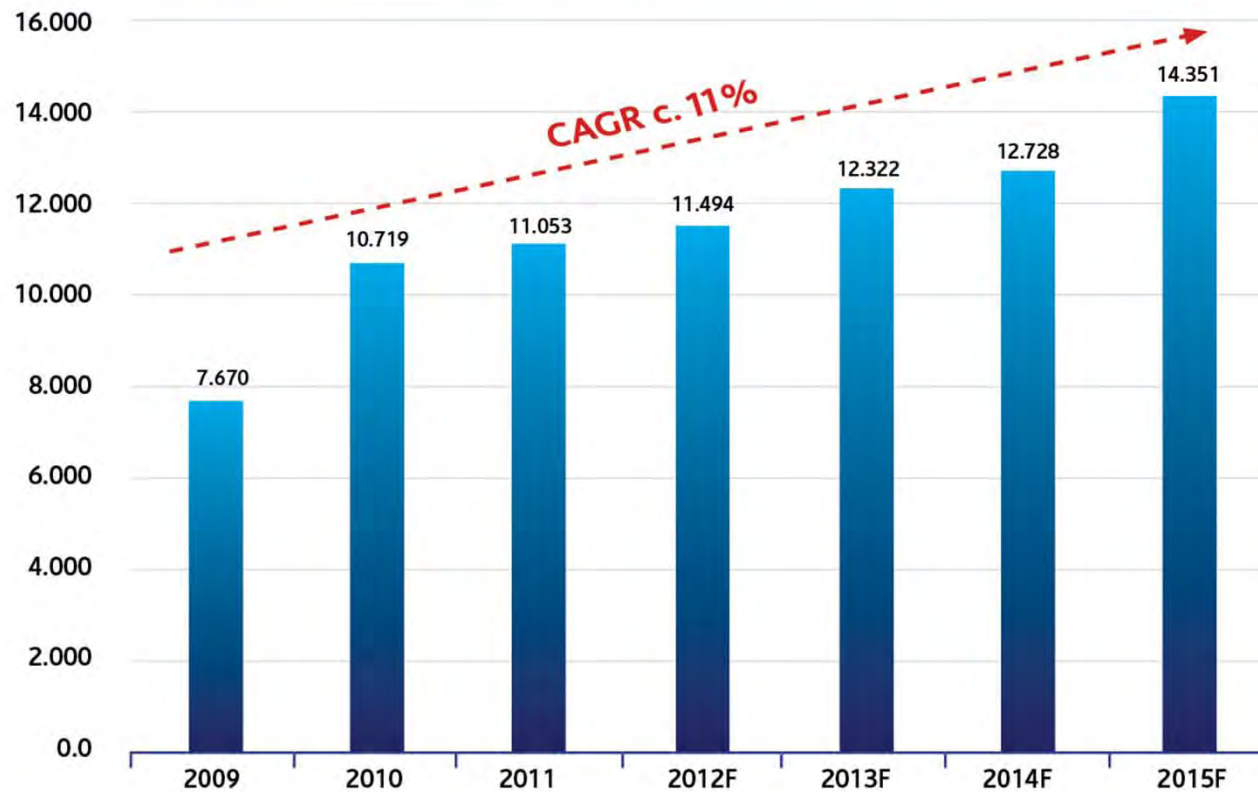
Source: EA Energy Technology Perspective 2008, EPIA/Greenpeace Solar Generation V generation of the ETB Blue map Scenario



# SILANE GAS DEMAND OUTLOOK

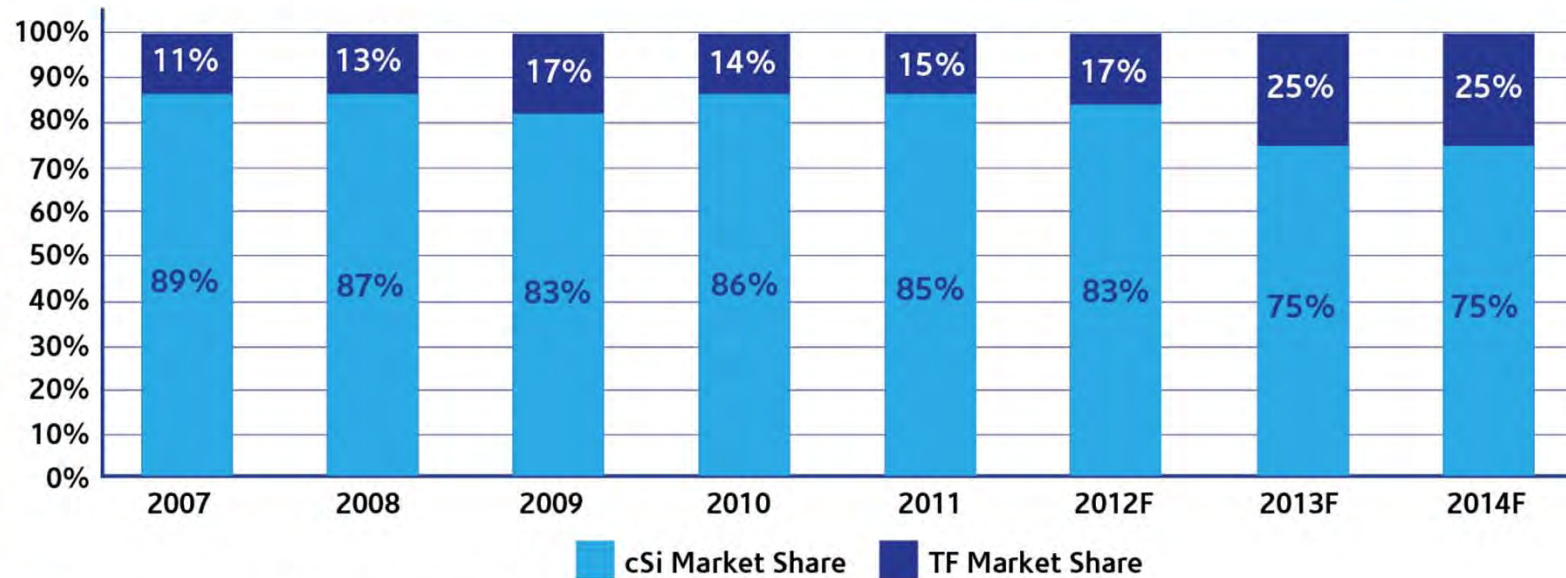
## Global Silane Demand Outlook

Tons per annum



# PV MARKET COMPOSITION

## % Market Share

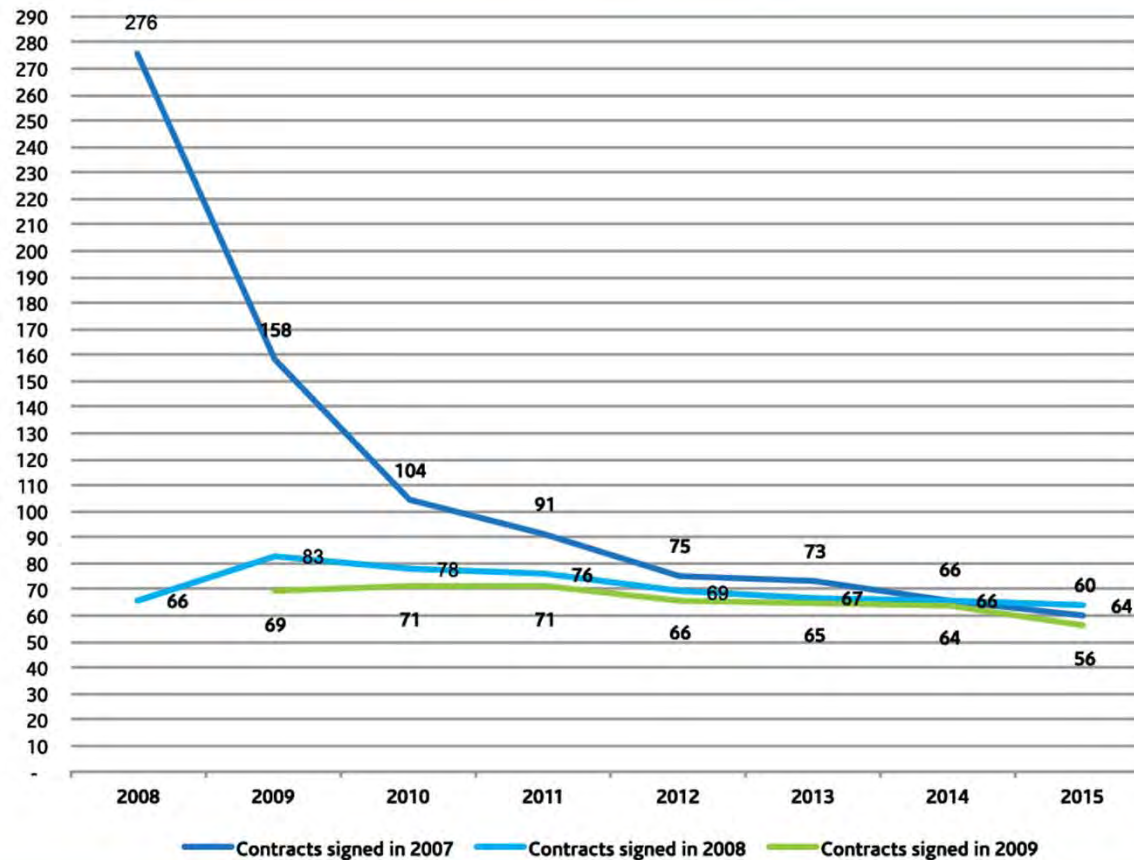


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# POLYSILICON, SILANE & PV MODULE PRICES

# POLYSILICON PRICE

## Polysilicon Contract Prices USD per Kg



# SILANE GAS PRICE

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## Bulk Deliveries:

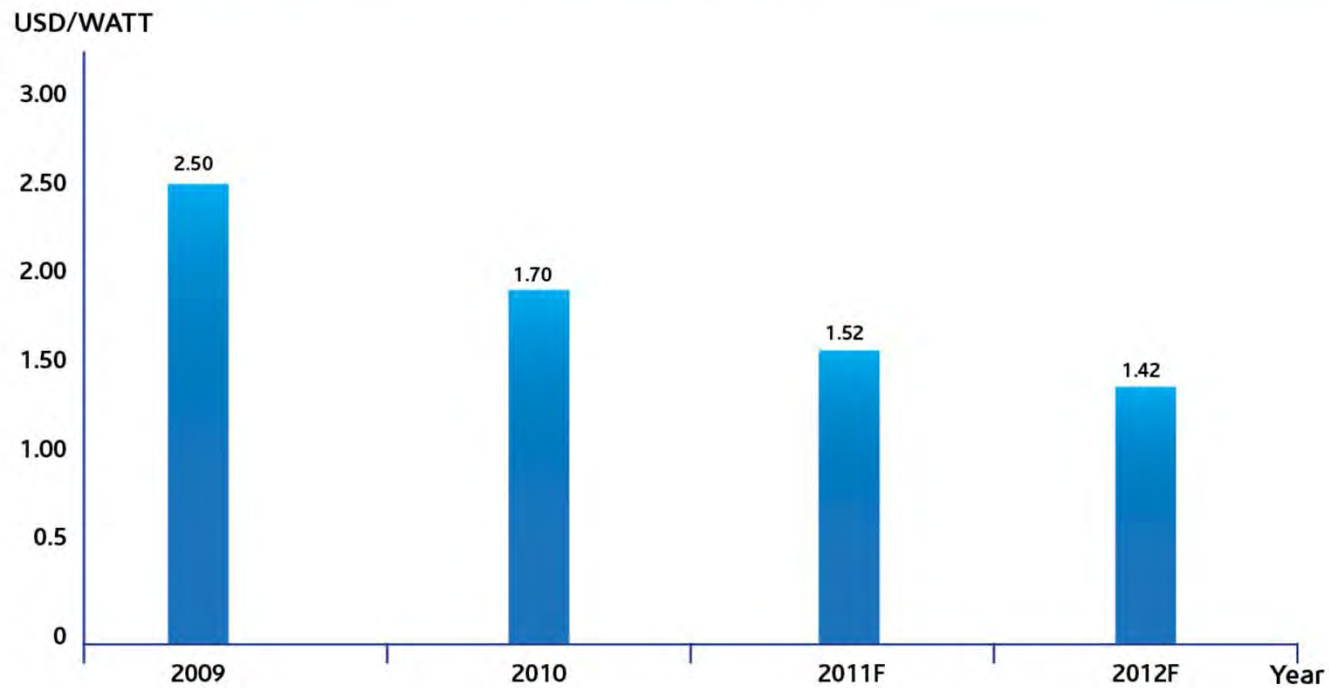
Currently	<b>55-70 USD/Kg</b>
Forecasted Near Future	<b>About 60 USD/Kg</b>

## In Cylinders:

Currently	<b>77-98 USD/Kg</b>
Forecasted Near Future	<b>About 80 USD/Kg</b>

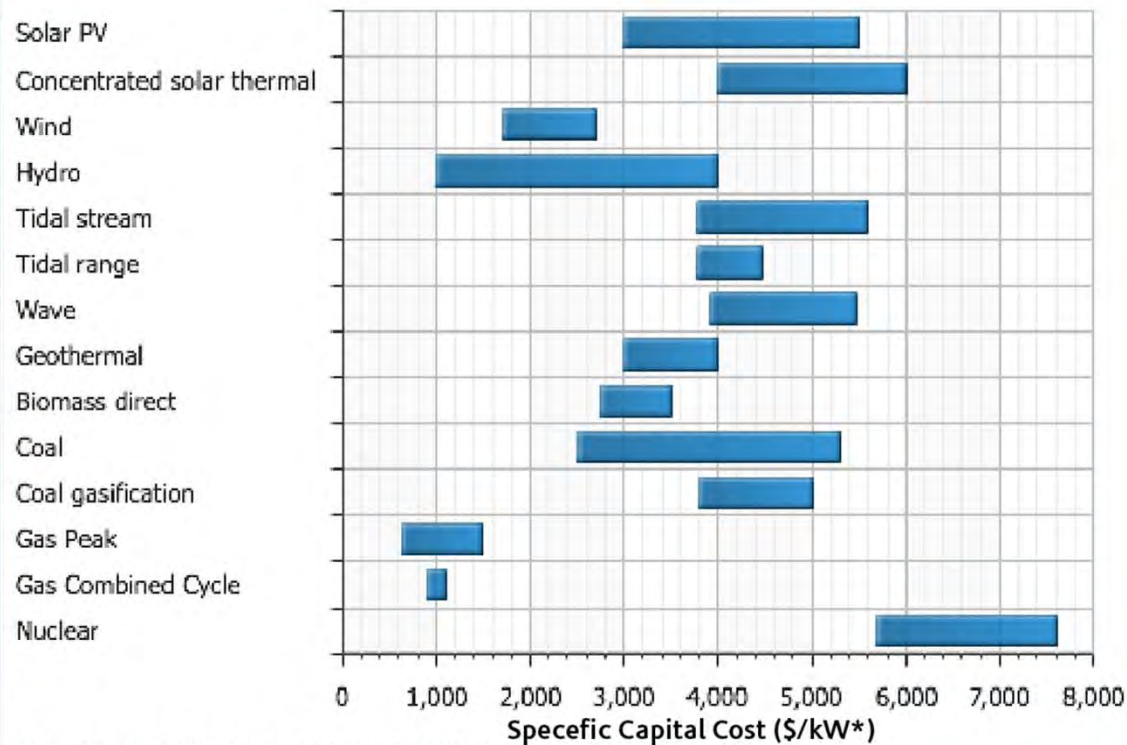
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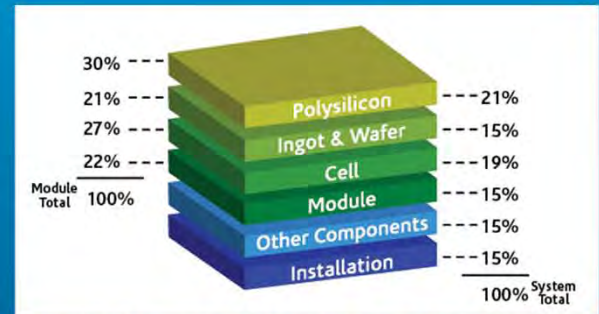


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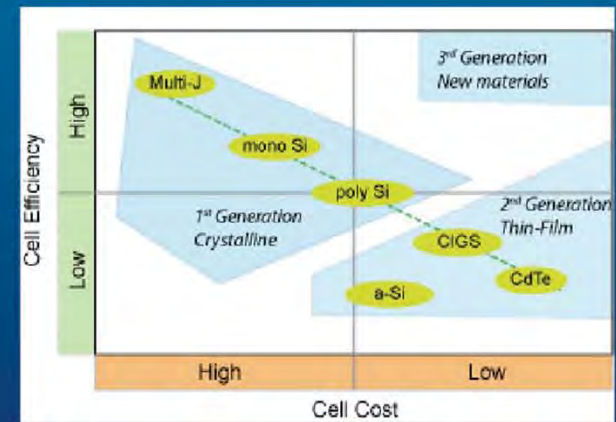
# PV ENERGY SYSTEM COST



Solar PV & Thermal CSP Plants are the most Capital intensive among renewable Energy Plants

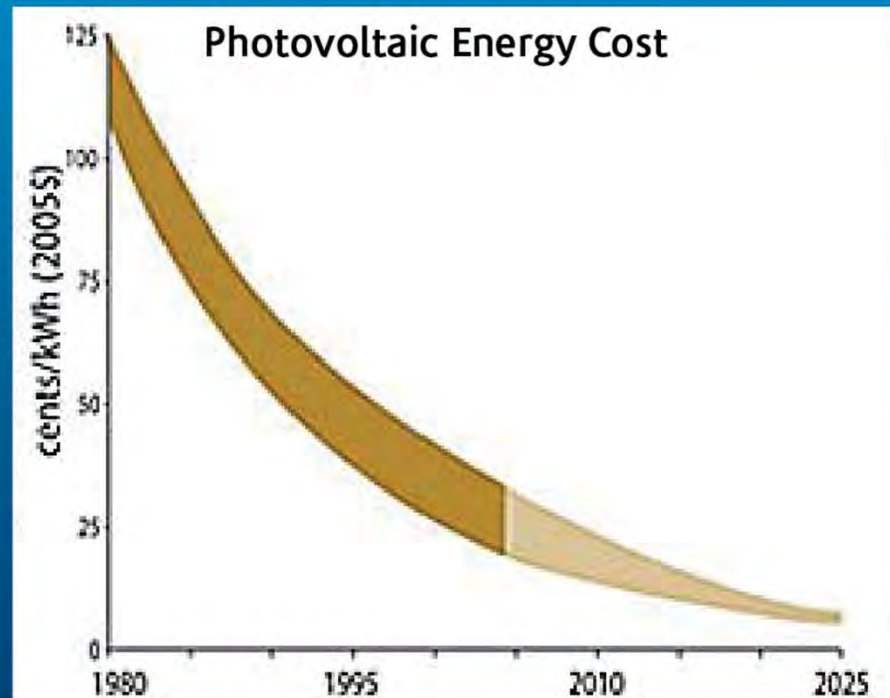
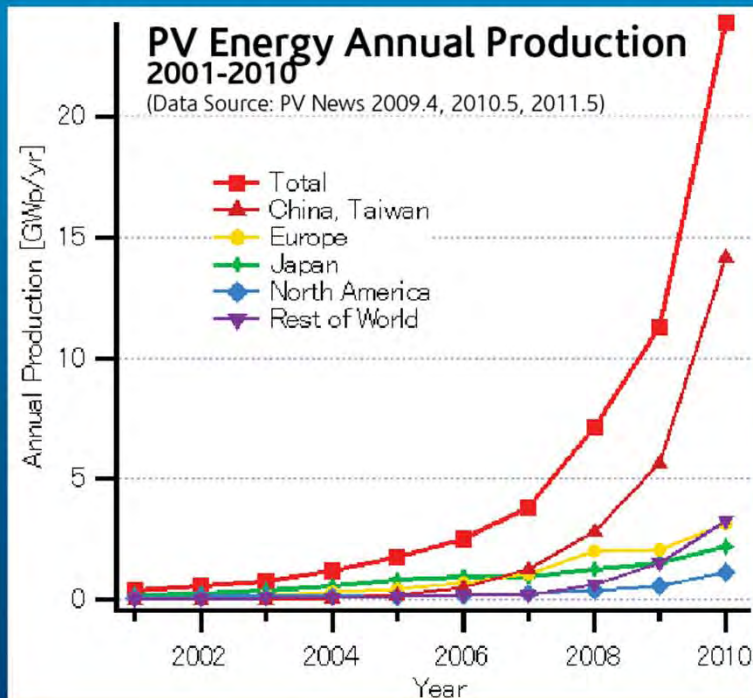


The PV Value Stack (Crystalline Silicon)



Cell Material Cost Versus Efficiency

# PV GENERATED ENERGY & RELEVANT COSTS





# **SOLAR ENERGY CONTRIBUTION IN EGYPT'S FUTUR DEVELOPEMENT**



## EGYPT IS AN IDEAL LAUNCHING PAD FOR PV INDUSTRY

- Availability of clean quartz sand as a cheap feed stock for polysilicon industry.
- Centralized ideal location to serve global wafer manufacturers (49% in China & Taiwan, 18% in Japan, 24% in Europe & 3% in USA).
- Competitive electrical power tariffs.
- Competitive taxation system (20% corporate tax vs. 43% in France, 30% in Spain and 25% in China).
- Large Pool of skilled labor.
- Governmental policies for favoring renewable energy (20% of electrical energy from renewables by 2020).
- One of the foreseen world's attractive growing and diversified economics in MENA region.

# SOLAR ENERGY IS A FAVORABLE RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCE FOR EGYPT

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- Egypt is within the sun belt countries enjoying:
  1. Highest intensity of direct solar radiation (1900-2800 Kw/m<sup>2</sup>/year).
  2. Long sun shine duration (9-11 hr/day).
  3. Mostly clear skies
- Solar energy can positively contribute in developing new industrial and urban communities in remote uninhabited locations(e.g. Sinai, Eastern & Western dessert):
  1. Standalone and hybrid electrical power generation.
  2. Water desalination.
  3. Lighting & HVAC of buildings.
- Clean energy production and use.

**THANK YOU**

