

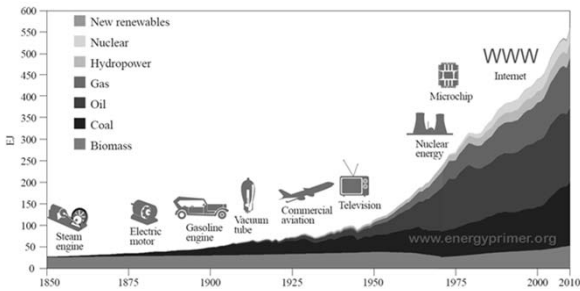
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Fallstudie II
Mineralische und
energetische Rohstoffe

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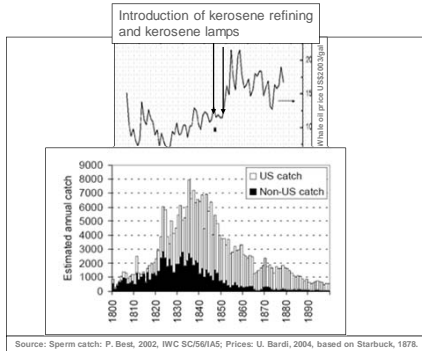
World Energy Supply (EJ)



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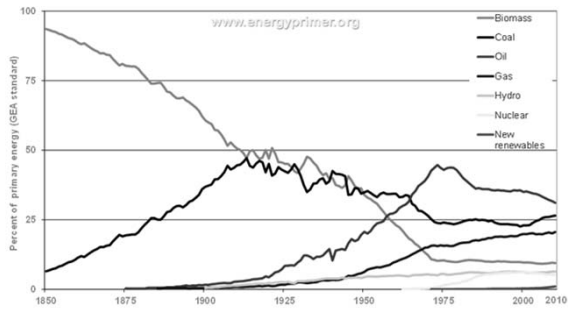
Whale Catch and Whale Oil Prices



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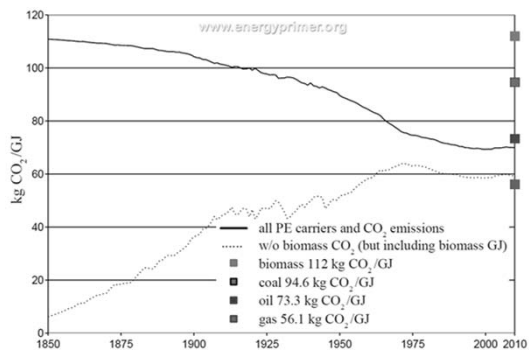
Primary Energy Substitution



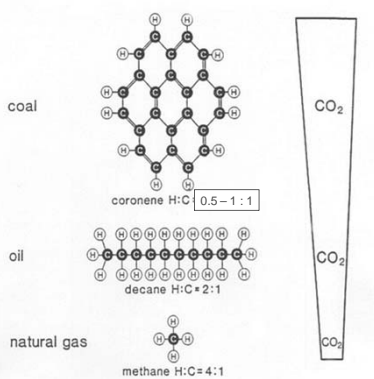
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World - Carbon Intensity of Primary Energy

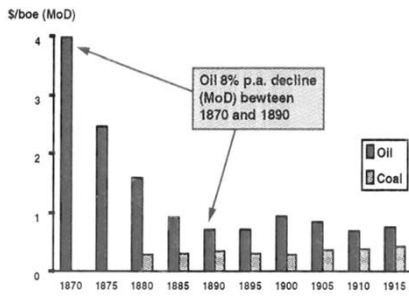


H:C Ratios (Ruhrgas, 1996)



Price of Oil and Coal 1870-1915

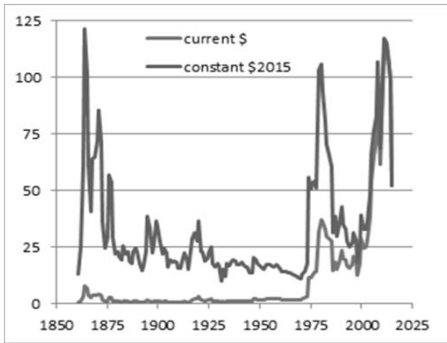
Source: Group Planning SHELL, 1994.



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Crude Oil Prices (BP, 2016)

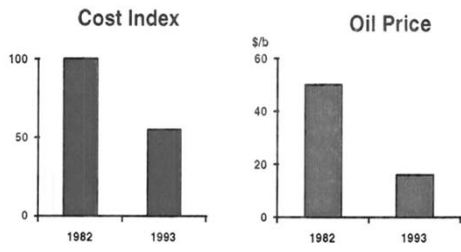


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Capacity Cost of Troll Field (North Sea)

Source: Group Planning SHELL, 1994.



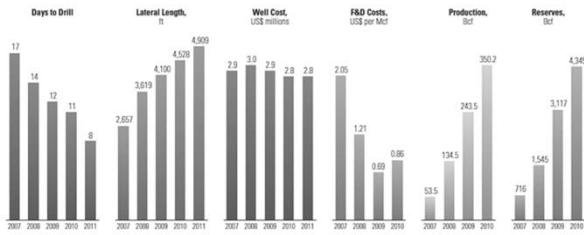
7.0% p.a. R.T. cost reduction

High prices beget high costs; low prices beget low costs (M. Adelman)

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Fracking Productivity Increases (Southwestern Energy)



Continuous process improvement. Over a four-and-a-half year period, from 2007 to 2011, Southwestern Energy reduced days to drill (dark blue) by 52%, even though the lateral length was increased by more than 84% (pink). Well costs (dark red) were flat to slightly lower during the period but the company's finding and development costs (F&D, light blue) were significantly reduced during the period. Production (gold) and reserves (green) greatly increased during the study period. (Data for 2011 are for the first six months of the year.)

Source: Schlumberger, 2011

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Recurring Perception of Scarcity

"...the data at hand in regard to the gas still available underground ... make it probable that the annual output will never be very much more than it was during the period 1916 - 1920."

R.S. McBride and E.G. Sievers (USGS),
Mineral Resources of the United States, 1921, p.340.

US gas production:
22 Mtoe in 1920
100 Mtoe in 1995

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A Digression - Hotelling's Rule (1931): Optimal Production of Non-renewable Resources

- Assuming: Static deposit, static technology, perfect (price) foresight
- Investment choice: Develop deposit or invest money in financial market

$$\Delta P_t / P_t = r_t$$

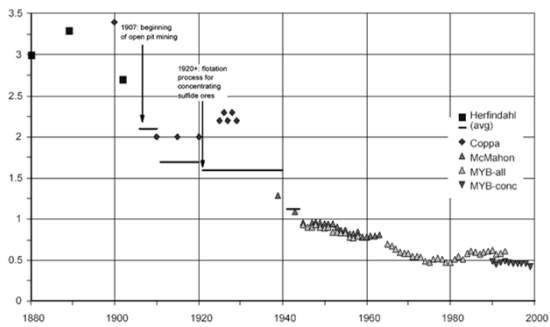
- Optimal production: resource prices rise at least with general interest rate
- History: Prices decline, costs decline even faster (productivity, technology, substitution)

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US – Copper Ore Grades (Percent)

Source: Ayres et al., 2001.

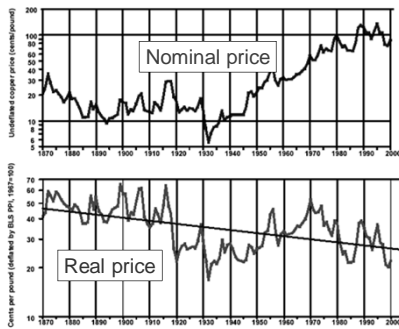


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US Copper prices (cents/lb)

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Changing Mineral Reserves

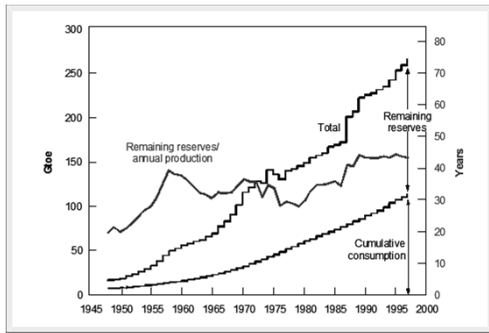
(Cohen, 1995)

Mineral	Reserves 1950	Production 1950-1980	Reserves 1980
Copper	100	156	494
Iron	19,000	11,040	93,466
Aluminum	1,400	1,346	5,200
Lead	40	85	127

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Recoverable Conventional Oil Reserves and Cumulative Production

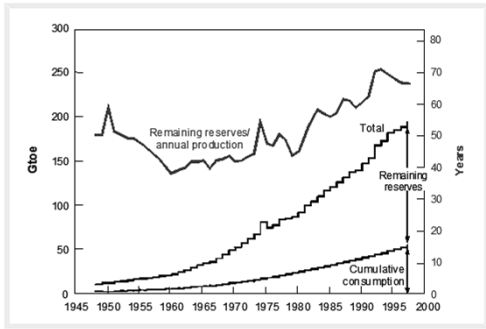


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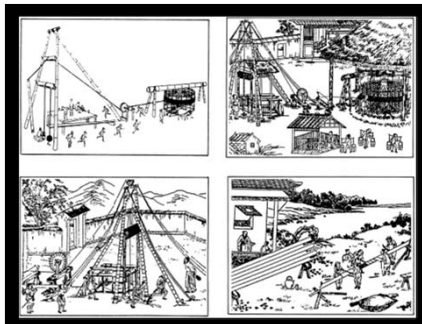


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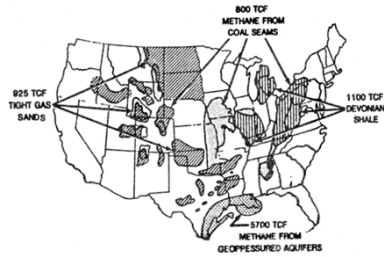
Natural Gas Use in China



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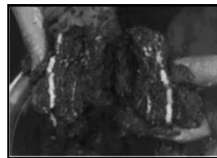
UNCONVENTIONAL GAS RESOURCES OF UNITED STATES



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Methane Hydrates (Clathrates)



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Global Hydrocarbon Reserves and Resources in ZJ (10^{21} J)

in ZJ	Production to/in		Reserves	Resources	Other Occurrences
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Lowest reserves/resources: conventional oil and gas
Largest occurrence: methane hydrates

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Gas					
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Unconventional	2	0.2	306 - 1025	612 - 1867	>15000
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**IPCC: "discernible influence on climate system:
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Remaining carbon budget to stay below 2° C: 300-<1000 GtC**

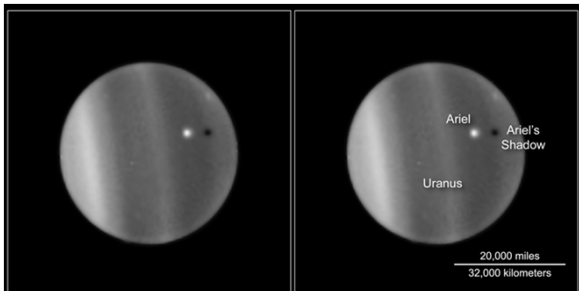
Something Wrong with Theory?

- Historical success rate in US oil/gas drilling: No better than with random drilling
- Depletion of fields postponed: Refill from below: Jean Whelan="state of art"
- Deep gas hypothesis: Tommy Gold=highly controversial
- Gas tracers (C-14): Abiogenic gas=Yes, but minor curiosity?
- Gas hydrates: How to explain quantities and occurrence (e.g. in deep sea bottom)?
- Methane abundance in extraterrestrial environments: Relevance for planet Earth?

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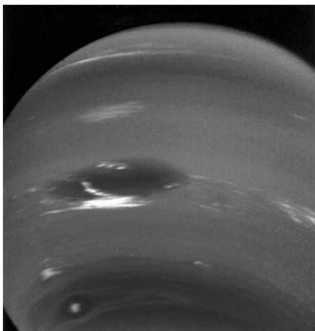
Why is Uranus' (or Neptune's) Atmosphere Blue? (Methane=Natural Gas)



Uranus and Ariel
Hubble Space Telescope • ACS/WFC

NASA, ESA, and L. Sromovsky (University of Wisconsin, Madison) STScI-PRC06-42

Neptune



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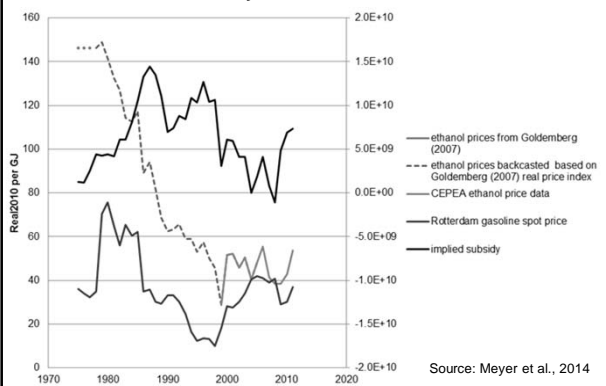
Renewable Resources (in ZJ, input equivalent*)

in ZJ	PE input in 2005 "reserves"	technical potential "resources"	Annual flows "occurrences"
Biomass	0.460	.2 - .3	1.3
Geothermal	0.001	.8 - 1.4	1.5
Hydro	0.030	.05 - .06	0.16
Solar	<.001	62 - 280	3900
Wind	0.001	1.3 - 2.3	110
Ocean	-	3.2 - 10.5	1000
Total		70 - 300	5000

* = renewable flow harvested, [input]. For energy output multiply with efficiency (3 – 90% [ocean – biomass])

Source: GEA Energy Primer, 2012

Brazil – Ethanol vs. Gasoline and Crude Oil Prices 1975-2011 Note cumulative subsidy of 240 Billion Real or ~140 billion US\$



Source: Meyer et al., 2014

A Useful Reminder

The probability of occurrence of predicted energy trends is inversely proportional to the intensity of the underlying consent

(H.R. Linden)

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Zusammenfassung Block 6 (Rohstoffe & Verfügbarkeit)

- reserves, resources, occurrences
- resources = function of knowledge, economics and technology
- Knowledge and economics are dynamic (function of dynamic technology)
- orders of magnitude for energy:
- reserves: 1200 Gtoe (1000 GtC)
- resources: 3300 Gtoe (3000 GtC)
- occurrences: >24000 Gtoe (>13000 GtC)
- largest fossil occurrence: methane hydrates
- recoverability: concentration, cost dynamics
- abundance/scarcity: technologically and economically constructed

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