



APERC updates

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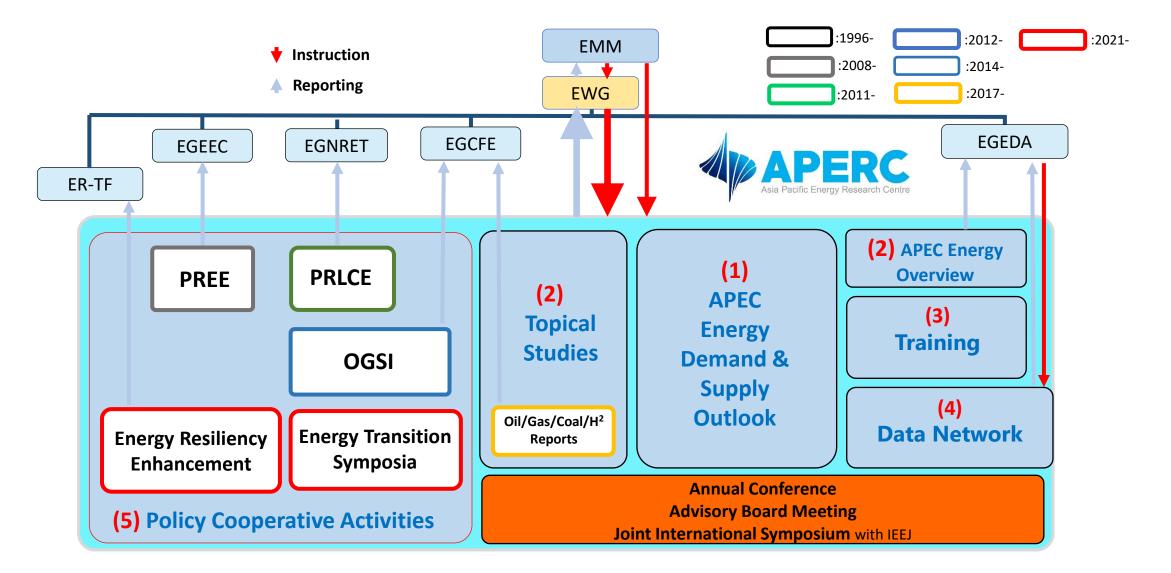


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APERC Activities





The APEC Energy Demand and Supply Outlook

A forward-looking exploration of potential energy futures in APEC



APEC Energy Demand and Supply Outlook

- Priority task for APERC under the APEC Energy Action
 Programme adopted by leaders in 1995
- Analyses and policy insights for energy demand and supply projections for APEC economies
- The 8th Edition Outlook published September 2022
- The modelling tools developed for the Outlook are used for training activities in APEC economies
- APERC researchers are modelling the 9th Edition Outlook to be published in 2025
 - → Preliminary results are being shared with member economies, with projections now extending to 2060





Updated scenarios for the 9th edition of the Outlook

The Reference scenario (REF)

- A set of economy-specific pathways where existing policies are retained, and new policy measures are included if and only if they are supported by implementation detail.
- In the absence of details, energy intensity, fuel switching, investment, technology deployment, and energy supply are assumed to loosely follow historical trends.

The Target scenario (TGT)*

- Illustrates a hypothetical pathway for each economy towards realizing energy-related policy targets, even if implementation details are not available.
- When details are not available, economy targets provide directional guidance and a general sense of policy priorities to inform assumptions.

* this scenario is different than the Target Scenario from the 7th Edition Outlook



Modelling challenges for the 9th Outlook

- The new Target scenario for the 9th Outlook meets economy level targets, no matter how unrealistic they may seem
- This is done to show that the targets may be 'achievable' but that the pathway may prove to be more challenging than many economies expect
- Uncertainty about costs remain
 - →There is a least coast framework that underpins certain aspects of the modelling but qualitative assessments need to be made due to cost uncertainty
 - → This is especially true when considering new and renewable energy technologies
 - → We're undertaking parallel work on integration costs of high shares of VRE
 - → Communicating cost uncertainty is a key objective of the 9th Outlook



The APEC Energy Overview

Analyzing the current energy situation in APEC



The APEC Energy Overview

 Annual publication highlighting the current energy situation in each of the 21 APEC economies

- Important for monitoring progress of APEC in meeting its aspirational energy goals:
 - → Doubling the share of renewables from 2010 to 2030
 - →Improving energy intensity by 45% from 2005 to 2035

- New for 2023 is a section devoted to energy transition challenges
 - → Emissions and energy security and the role of new and renewable energy technologies





Recent APERC activities

Peer review on low-carbon energy, carbon neutrality symposia, and oil and gas security relationship with new and renewable energies



Peer review on low-carbon energy, Peru – December 2023

- PRLCE events typically involve energy supply side considerations
 - → Complement peer review on energy efficiency (PREE) which focus more on energy demand



- Involves discussions of five experts with economy officials to deliver economy specific recommendations
 - →Peru report scheduled for publication later in 2024
 - → Hydrogen is a key focus alongside other renewable energy consideration



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APEC Symposia on Carbon Neutrality

- Promoting Energy Efficiency and Energy Management Systems, Tokyo, January 2024
 - →Energy efficiency in buildings, transport, and industry
 - → Energy Management Systems and Smart Cities
- Pursuing Decarbonization of Fossil Fuels, Kobe, October 2023
 - → Hydrogen, fuel ammonia, CCS, direct air capture
- Next symposium will be on **Bioenergy**, to be held in Bangkok, December 2024
- Participants include government officials, policymakers, and representatives from industry
 - → No single 'best' solution to achieving carbon neutrality



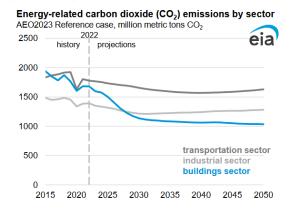
APEC Symposia on Carbon Neutrality

Symposium 2, Tokyo January 2024

Promoting Energy Efficiency and Energy Management Systems

Energy-related CO2 emissions fall across all AEO2023 cases because of increased electrification and higher equipment efficiencies

- In the residential and commercial sectors, higher equipment efficiencies and compliance with building codes extend ongoing declines in energy intensity
- Changes in the buildings fuel mix reduce energy-related CO₂ emissions, which decline faster in buildings than any other end-use sector



Data source: U.S. Energy Information Administration, Annual Energy Outlook 2023 Reference case (AEO2023)

Note: Figure includes emissions associated with electric power generation. Electric power sector emissions are distributed to each end-use sector according to their share of electricity consumption.



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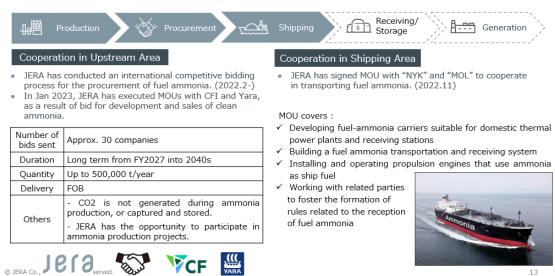
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Example of the role of efficiencies in different sectors in assisting with decarbonization challenges as analyzed by the EIA

Symposium 1, Kobe October 2023

Pursuing Decarbonisation of Fossil Fuels

Initiatives to Establish Hydrogen and Ammonia Supply Chain cont...



New energy supply chain challenges are being explored by many companies due to opportunities that align with decarbonisation ambitions

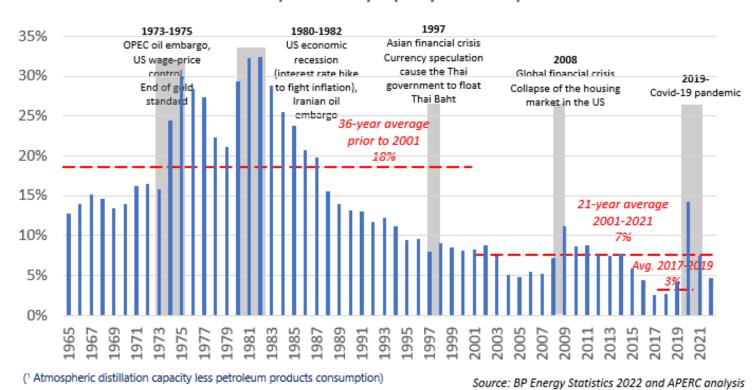


Oil and Gas Security Network Forum 2024 - Osaka, March 2024

 Collaboration is facilitated by APERC to better understand these issues

- Recent analysis of declining spare capacity was discussed in Osaka
 - → Declining spare capacity has hampered resilience to shocks.
- Biofuels can play a role in improving energy security.

% of Global Spare Refinery Capacity to Consumption





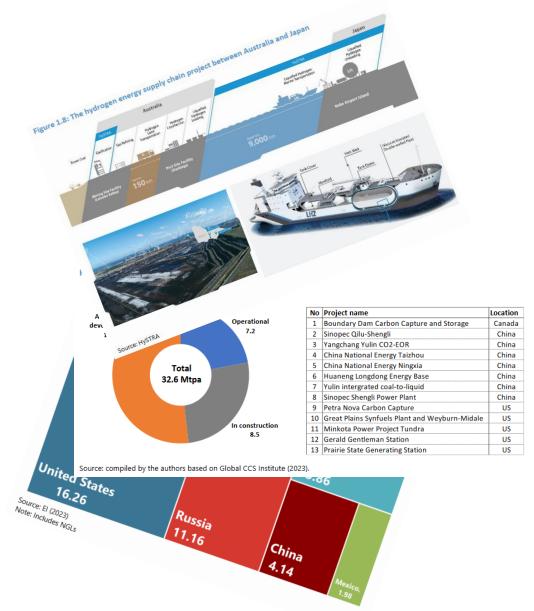
New Hydrogen report available soon

This report will complement the annual fossil fuel reports



New APERC report: Hydrogen report

- Annual publications that dissect coal, oil, and gas markets, will now expand to include hydrogen:
 - → Trade developments
 - → Technology breakthroughs
 - → Prices
 - → Supply and demand trends
 - →Short- to longer-term outlooks
- Economic contribution is analyzed alongside emissions and energy transition objectives of APEC member economies









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