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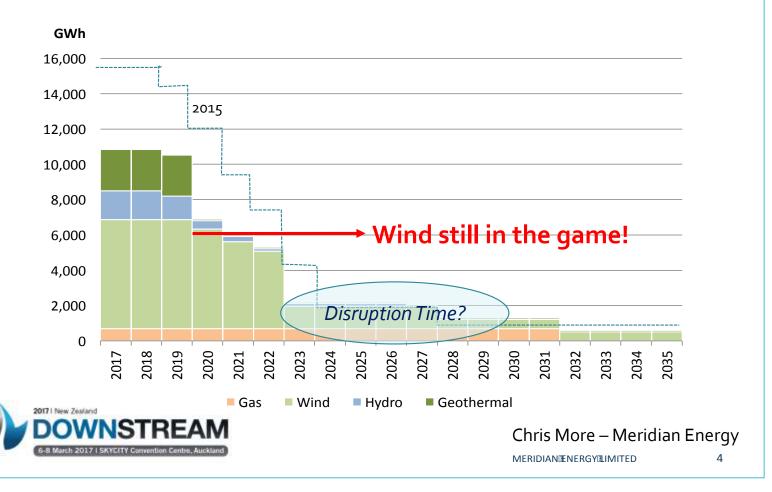
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New Generation Consent Maturity Profile (2017)





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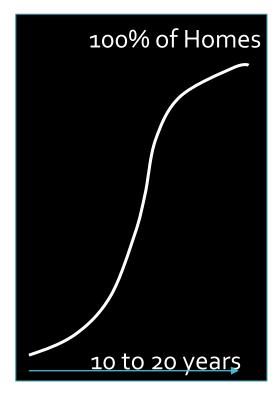






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Disruption Time?

Policy



Price

Investment Risk X

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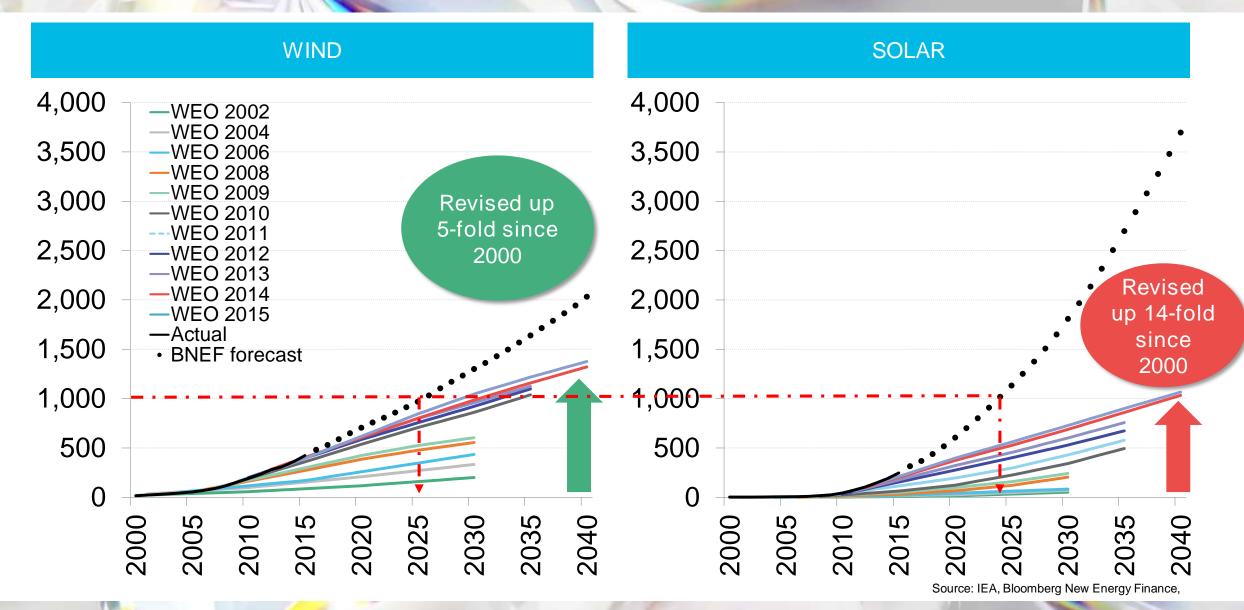
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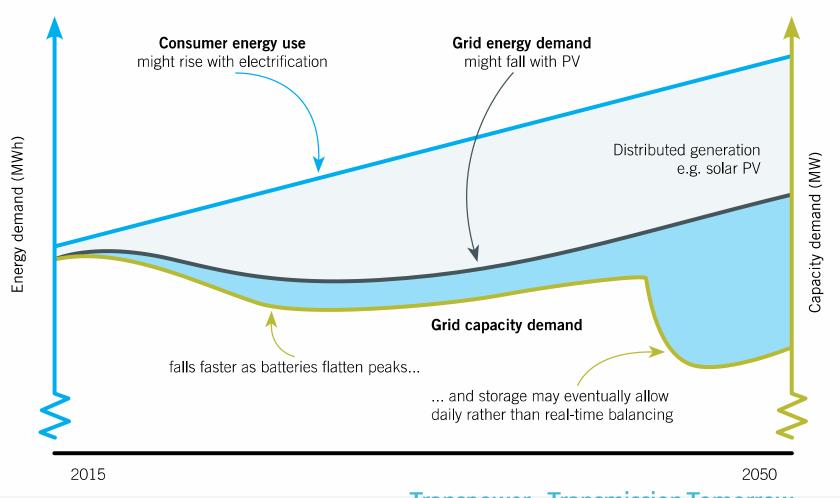
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POTENTIAL EFFECTS OF TECHNOLOGY ON DEMAND



Transpower - Transmission Tomorrow



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Consumers

How does wind energy stack up..

Investment Drivers	Wind	Other Generation	Solar PV	Demand Side/Storage
Market Competition	Average	Average	Average	Strong
Technology Mass Production	Good	Poor	Strong (Swanson's Law)	Strong
Global Economics	Strong	Poor	Strong	Strong
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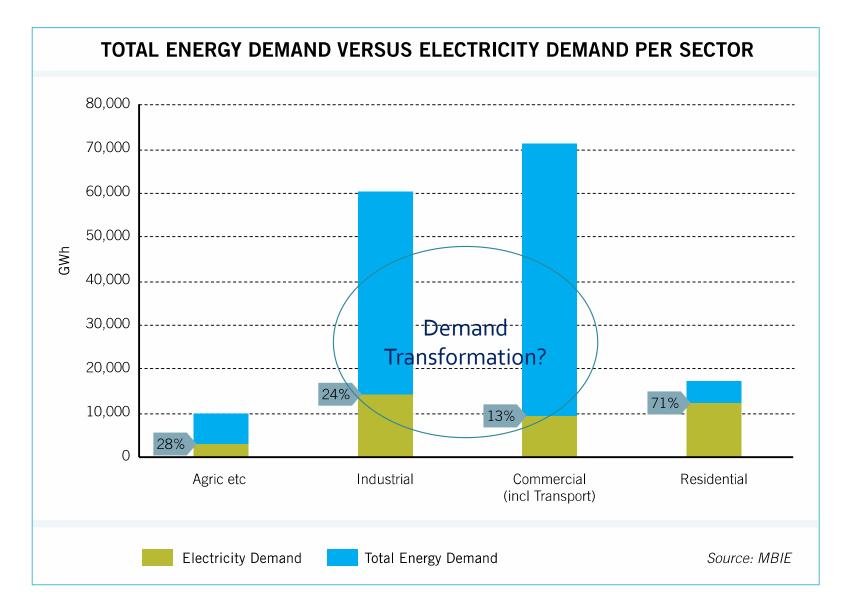
What do you do if you are;

Mr. Iceman?

Lower Carbon Economy

R&D/Marketing efforts

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Next Decade...



Tomorrows Transmission!

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