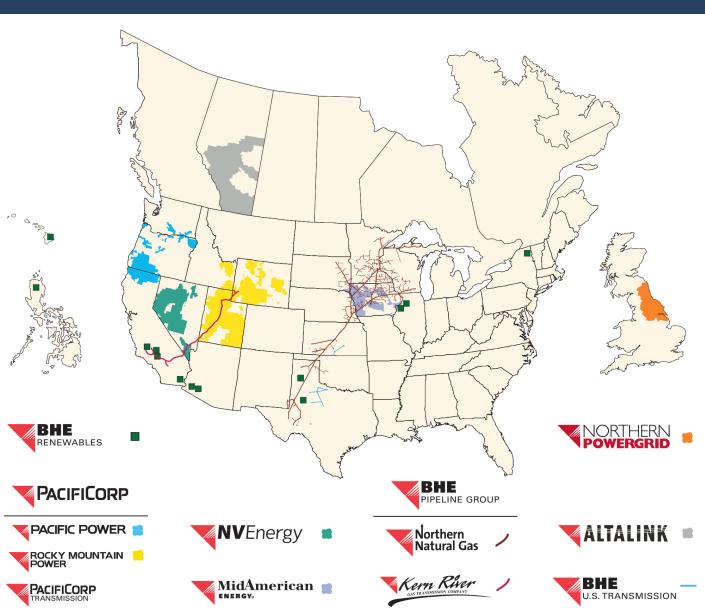




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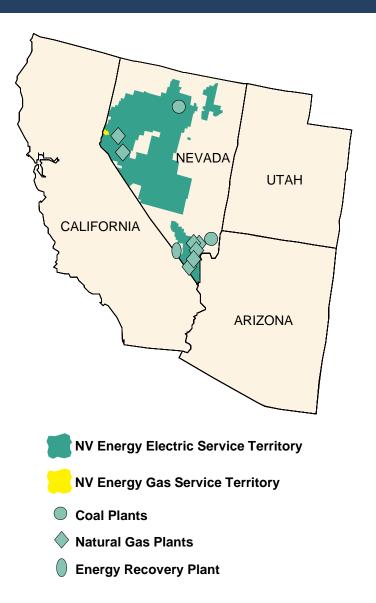


- 11.5 million customers worldwide
- 21,000 employees worldwide
- \$82.3 billion of assets
- \$17.3 billion of revenue
- 32,600 miles of transmission lines
- 16,400 miles of natural gas pipeline
- More than 34,000 MW of owned and contracted generation capacity
- 34% of owned and contracted generation capacity is renewable or noncarbon

Diverse Operations with Significant Scale Operational Resources Available to NV Energy

- Berkshire Hathaway Energy's integrated energy companies operate in 11 states
- Northern Powergrid has 3.9 million end-users, making it the thirdlargest distribution company in Great Britain
- With assets at PacifiCorp, NV Energy and AltaLink, BHE is the largest transmission owner in the Western Interconnection
- Together, Northern Natural Gas and Kern River deliver approximately 8% of the natural gas consumed in the U.S.
- BHE has about 1,300 megawatts of solar projects in operation 6% of the U.S. solar market
- BHE has more than 5,000 megawatts of wind generation under construction and in operation – 7% of the U.S. wind market

NV Energy



- Main offices in Reno and Las Vegas, Nevada
- Approximately 2,450 employees
- 1.2 million electricity and 0.2 million natural gas customers
- Provides service to 90% of Nevada population, along with tourist population of 40 million
- 6,138 MW⁽¹⁾ owned generation capacity (summer peak)

Customers benefitting from Renewable Energy

- 1,311* megawatts of renewable energy producing in Nevada
- Customers are benefitting from:
 - 20 Geothermal projects
 - 12 solar projects
 - 5 small hydros & Hoover Dam
 - 4 biomass/methane
 - 1 waste heat recovery
 - 1 wind farm

* Does not include 200 megawatts from more than 20,000 rooftop installations

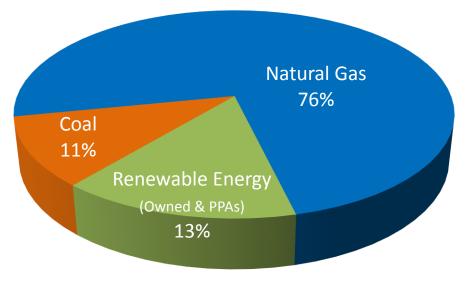


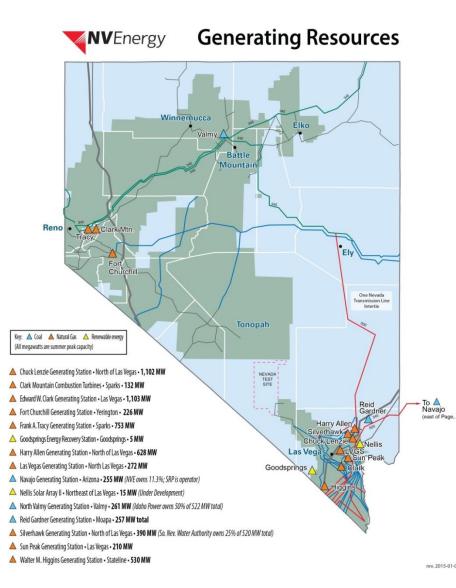
Generating Assets

 NV Energy owns all or part of 14 generating stations with a summer generating capacity totaling 6,138 MW*

NV Energy Capacity Percentages*

Summer capacity for coal/natural gas; renewable energy contract capacity





* Information on this slide as of April 1, 2016

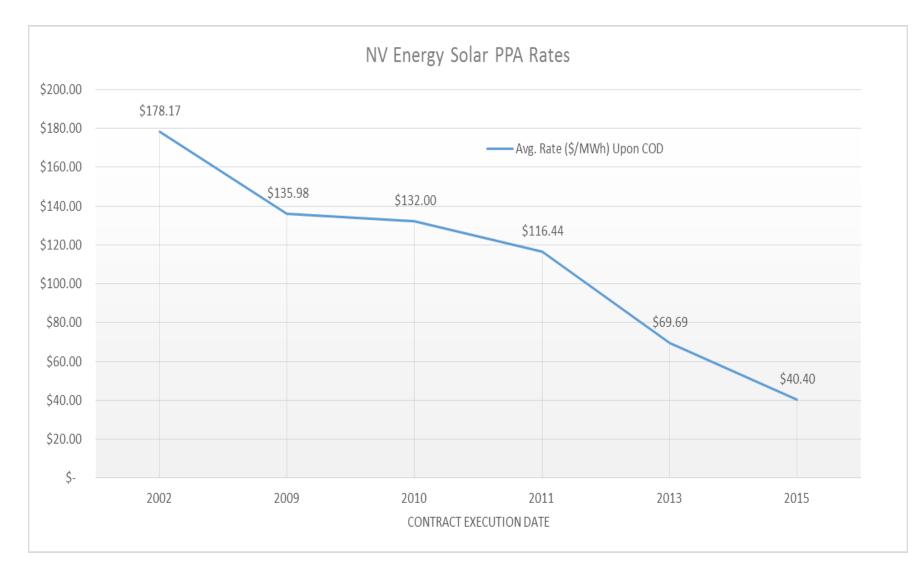
Crescent Dunes

- Achieved power purchase agreement commercial operation date in November 2015
- Provides NV Energy with a dispatchable renewable energy resource
- Has ran 22 hours in a single day
- It is really cool



- Nevada's Renewable Portfolio Standard ("RPS") has been in place since 1997 and requires NV Energy to have 25% of it's energy supply from renewable resources by 2025
 - 20% Renewables and Energy Efficiency for 2015-2019
 - 22% Renewables and Energy Efficiency for 2020-2024
- NV Energy is currently at 21.2% overall with our northern customers at 31.3%
- The RPS has a solar "carve-out". NV Energy must supply at least 1.5% of retail sales with solar by 2025

Universal-Scale Solar PPA Pricing



Next Steps in Nevada

- The governor has re-convened the New Energy Industry Task Force charging it with providing recommendations on the best energy policies for Nevada's future.
- The Governor's Office of Energy Director will serve as chair.
- While there will be an emphasis on rooftop solar and net metering, the task force will foster the creation of a modern, resilient, and cost-effective energy grid, and support distributed generation and storage

CSP Challenges in Nevada

• Price

- The 2009 contract for Crescent Dunes actually was cheaper than the lowest-priced PV dollars-per-megawatt-hour basis at that time.
- Today, PV projects are less than forty dollars-per-megawatt-hour
- Policy
 - There is currently no policy on storage in Nevada
 - Solar thermal no longer receives a multiplier for renewable energy credits, and even if the multiplier was 2.0x to 3.0x, CSP is likely not competitive
- Gas
 - With "lower for longer" natural gas prices, peak capacity, which is needed for only a few hours 2-3 months per year, looks to be economically filled by quick-start peaking units