



Status of the Biofuels Industry in Wisconsin

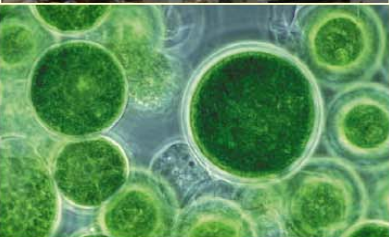
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Outline

- Energy Independence Mission & Focus
- Biofuels vs. Petroleum Based Fuels
- Feedstock Production
- Biofuels Production





Energy Independence Mission

- Generate 25% of electricity and transportation fuels from renewable resources by 2025
- Capture 10% of the emerging bio industry and renewable energy market by 2030
- Become national leader in groundbreaking energy research



Focus

- Ensure and facilitate implementation of Governor's energy independence initiatives
- Serve as single point of contact for businesses, local units of government and NGOs pursuing bio development, energy efficiency, and energy independence
- Develop energy independence policy options for consideration by Governor
- Identify federal funding opportunities and facilitate applications for funding
- Identify barriers to implementation of Governor's energy independence initiatives
- Serve as the State Energy Office

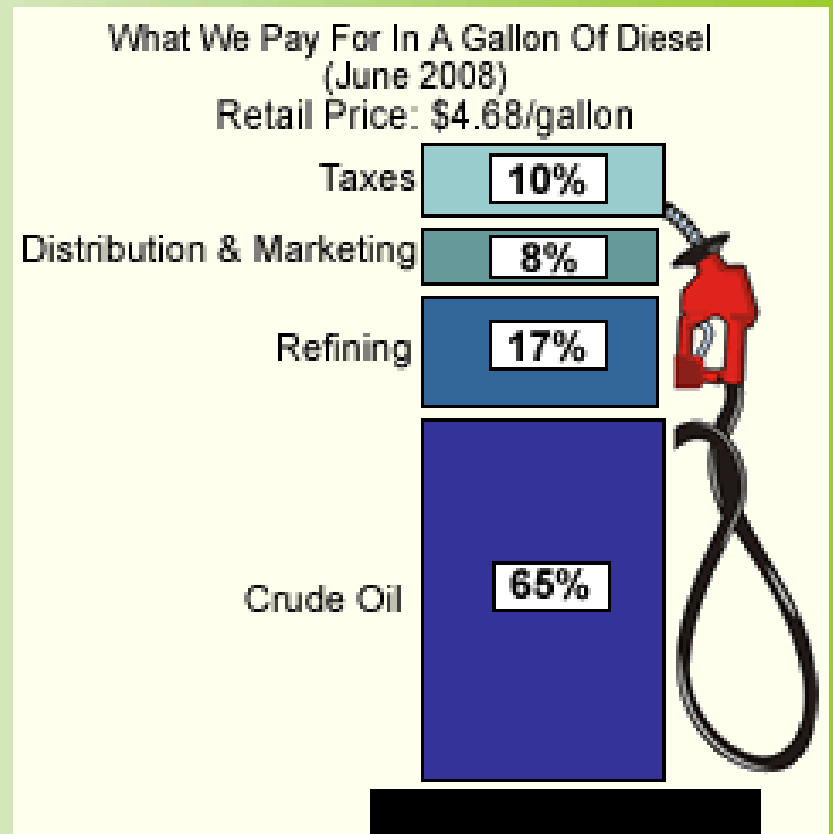
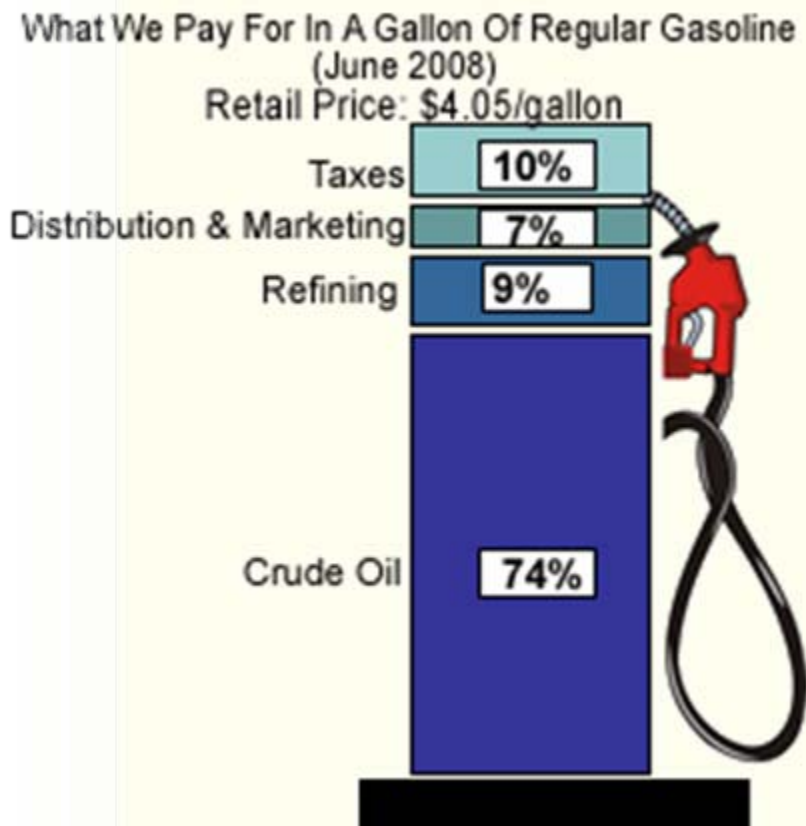




Biofuels vs. Petroleum Based Fuels



Gasoline/Diesel Price Breakdown



*Source: Energy Information Administration

2007 US Energy Consumption

(quadrillion of BTUs)*

Petroleum	39.818
Natural Gas	23.625
Coal	22.811
Electricity Net Imports	0.106
Nuclear	8.415
Renewables ^a	6.830
Total	101.605

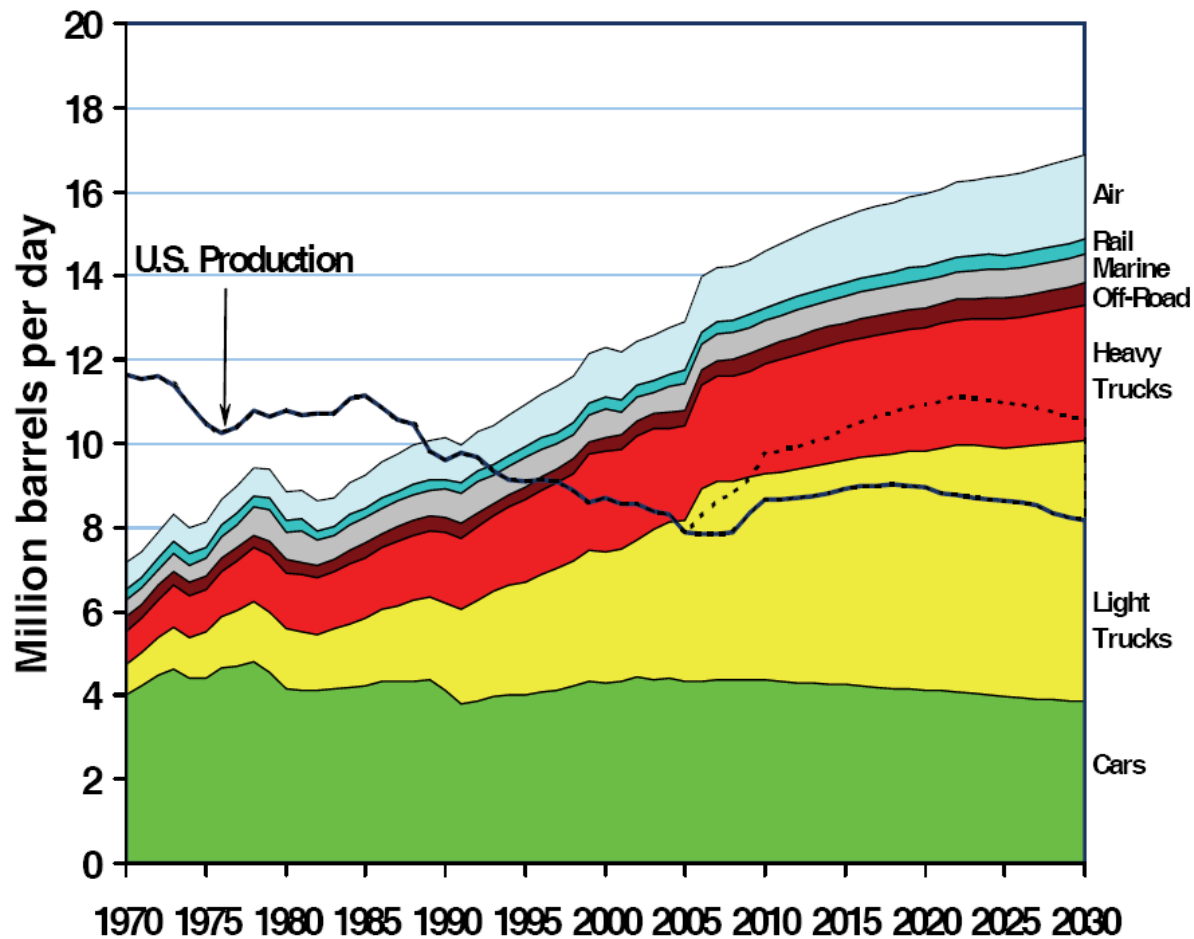
*Source: Energy Information Administration – Preliminary Estimates

^a includes biomass (biofuels, wood to fuel), geothermal, hydroelectric, solar & wind

Note - BTU conversions vary by type of fuel (i.e. conventional fuel 125,000btu/gal)

US Petroleum Consumption in the Transportation Sector

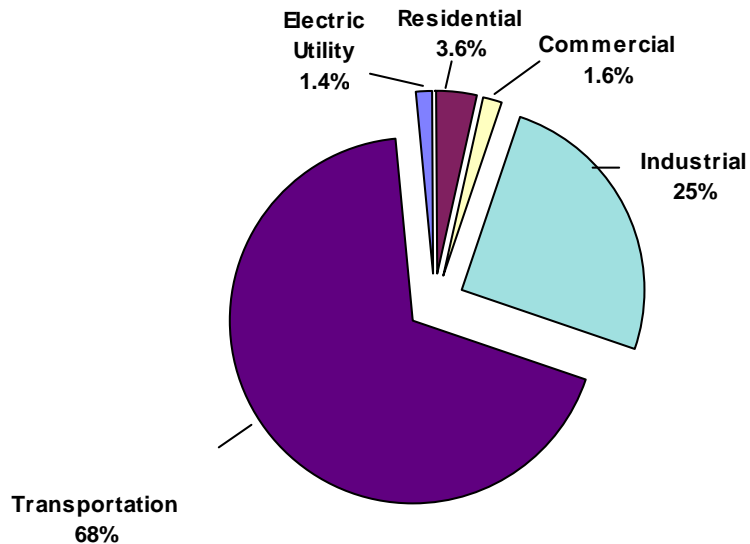
Figure 1.6. United States Petroleum Production and Consumption, 1970–2030



US & WI Petroleum Consumption

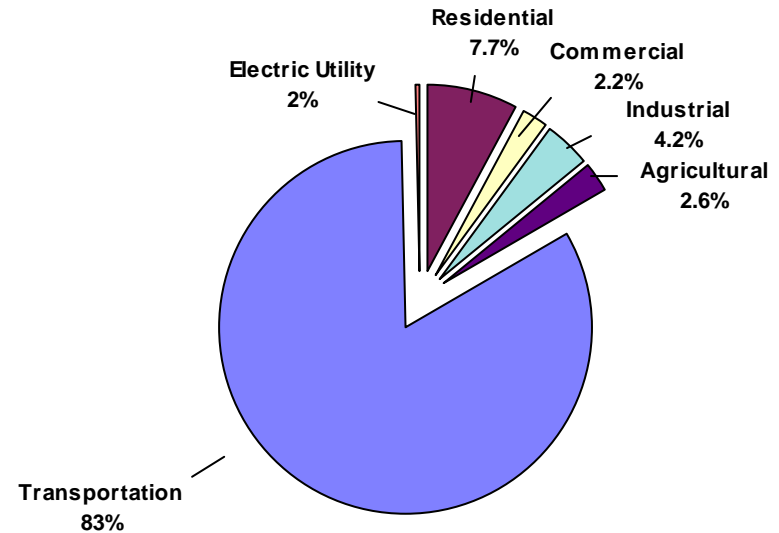
(by Sector)

2006 US Petroleum Consumption



Total = 312 Billion Gallons

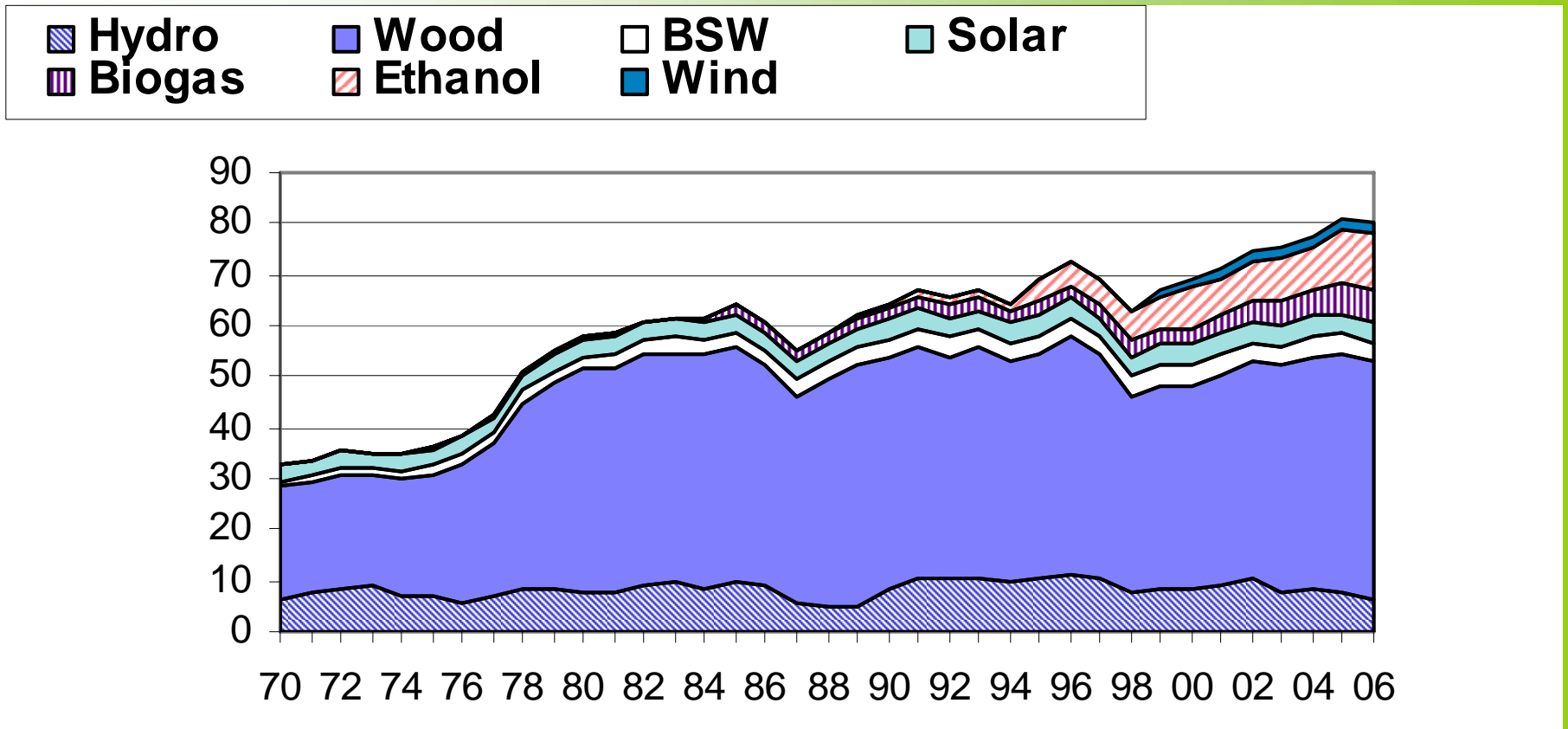
2006 WI Petroleum Consumption



Total = 4.1 Billion Gallons

WI Renewable Energy Use

(by Fuel Type, Trillions of BTU)



*Source: 2007 WI Energy Statistics

**BSW – Bio-Solid Waste

US Fuels Consumption in Transportation

Fuel	2006 US (Thousand Gallons/GGE)	2006 WI (Thousand Gallons/GGE)	2007 WI (Thousand Gallons/GGE)
Gasoline	140,146,000	2,390,045	2,431,345 (est.)
Diesel	44,247,000	782,534	780,385 (est.)
LPG	173,130	3,215	2,331
CNG	172,011	215	206
Biodiesel (B100)	260,606	383	809
Ethanol (E85/E10)	3,773,209	130,414	161,235

*Source: EIA & WI Alternative Fuel Use Report

** Gasoline Gallon Equivalents

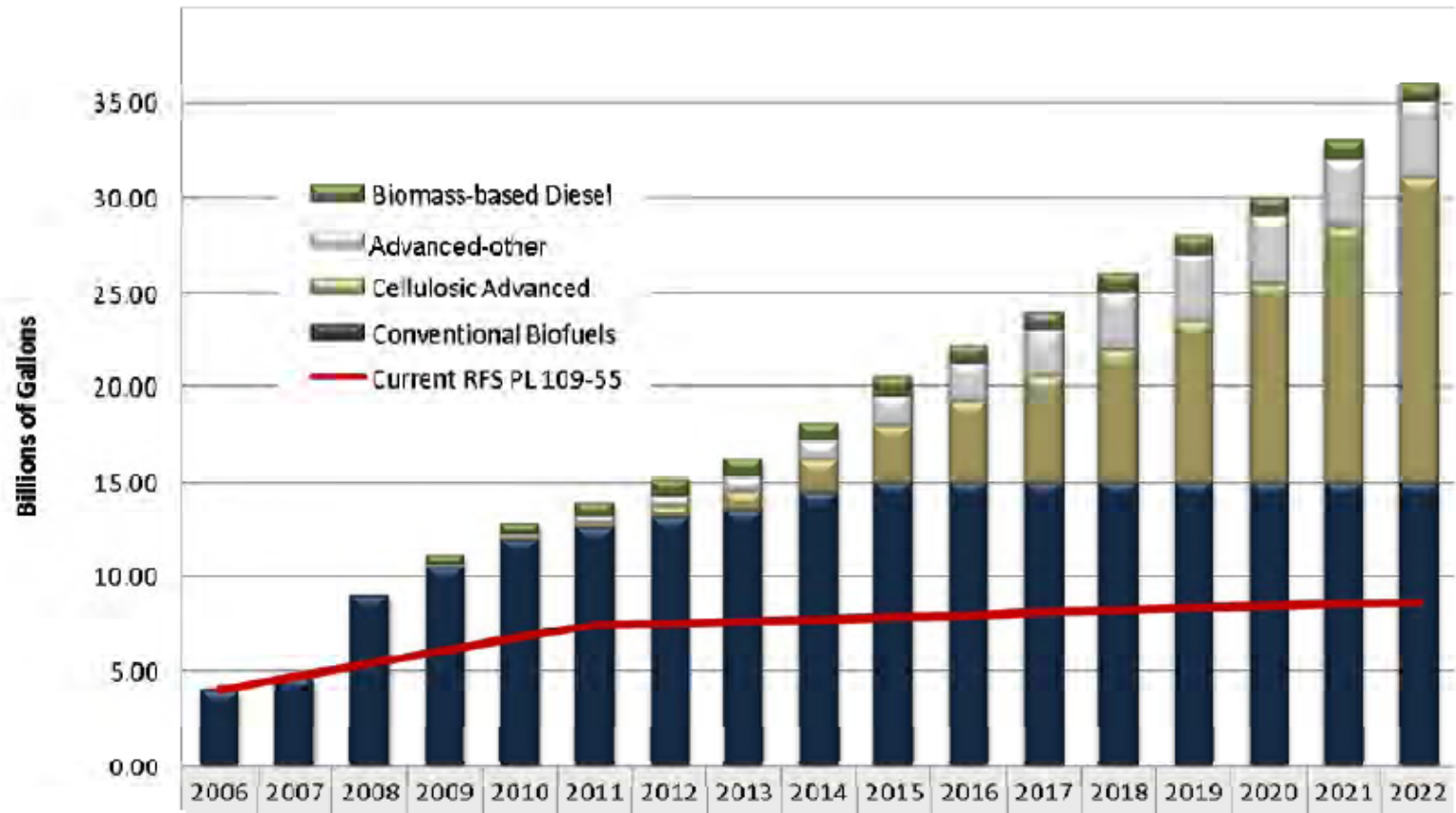
Federal Biofuels Legislation

- Federal
 - Energy Independence & Security Act – RFS

Calendar year	Applicable volume of renewable fuel (in billions of gallons):
2006	4.0
2007	4.7
2008	9.0
2009	11.1
2010	12.95
2011	13.95
2012	15.2
2013	16.55
2014	18.15
2015	20.5
2016	22.25
2017	24.0
2018	26.0
2019	28.0
2020	30.0
2021	33.0
2022	36.0

Federal Renewable Fuels Standard

Energy Independence and Security Act (EISA) Renewable Fuels Standard

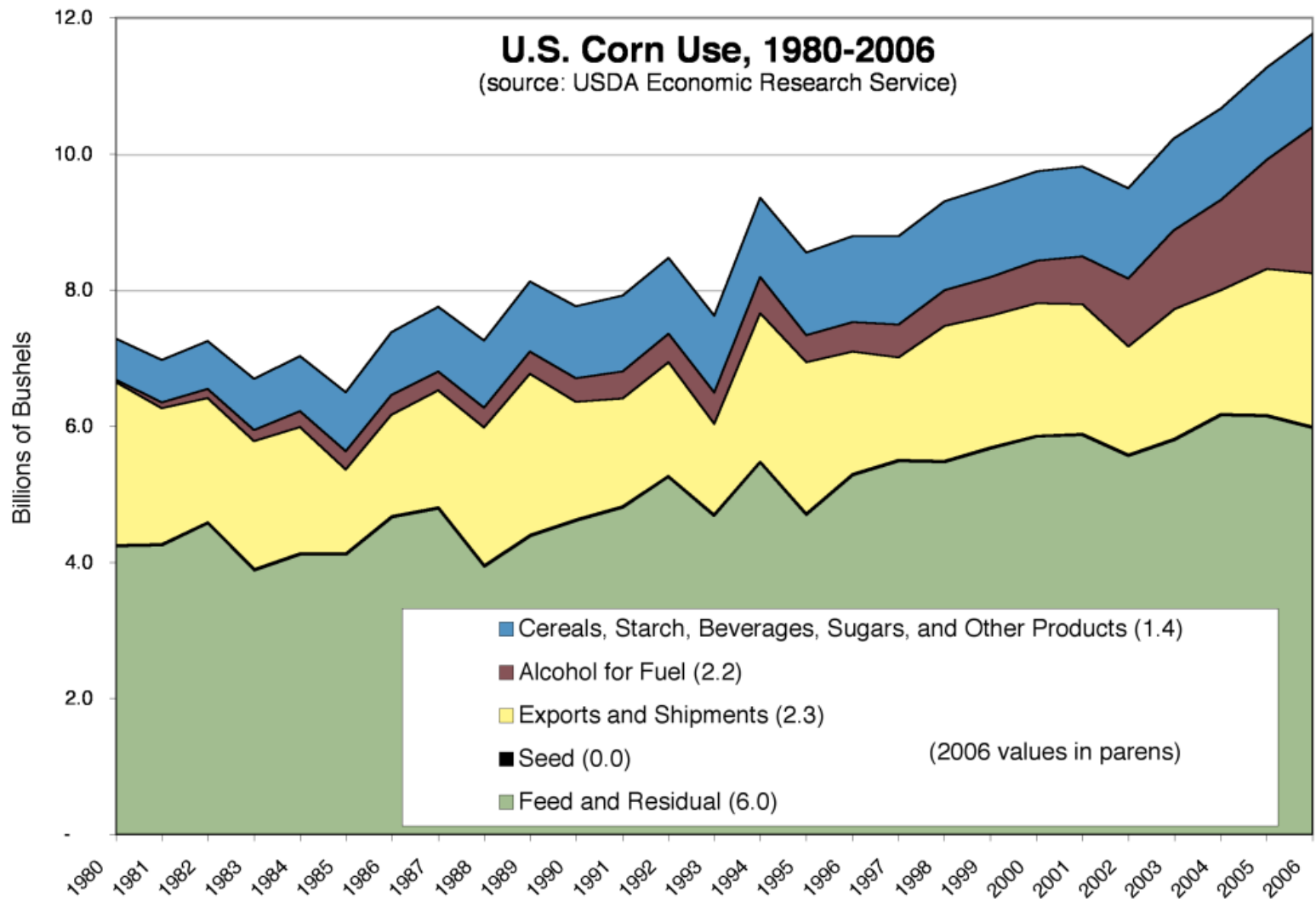




Feedstock Production



US Corn Use



WI Ethanol & Corn

- 2007 Production
 - 442* million bushels of corn
 - ~300 million gallons of ethanol
- ~107 million bushels of WI's corn to ethanol
- ~24% of Wisconsin's corn crop (up 4 % from 2006)

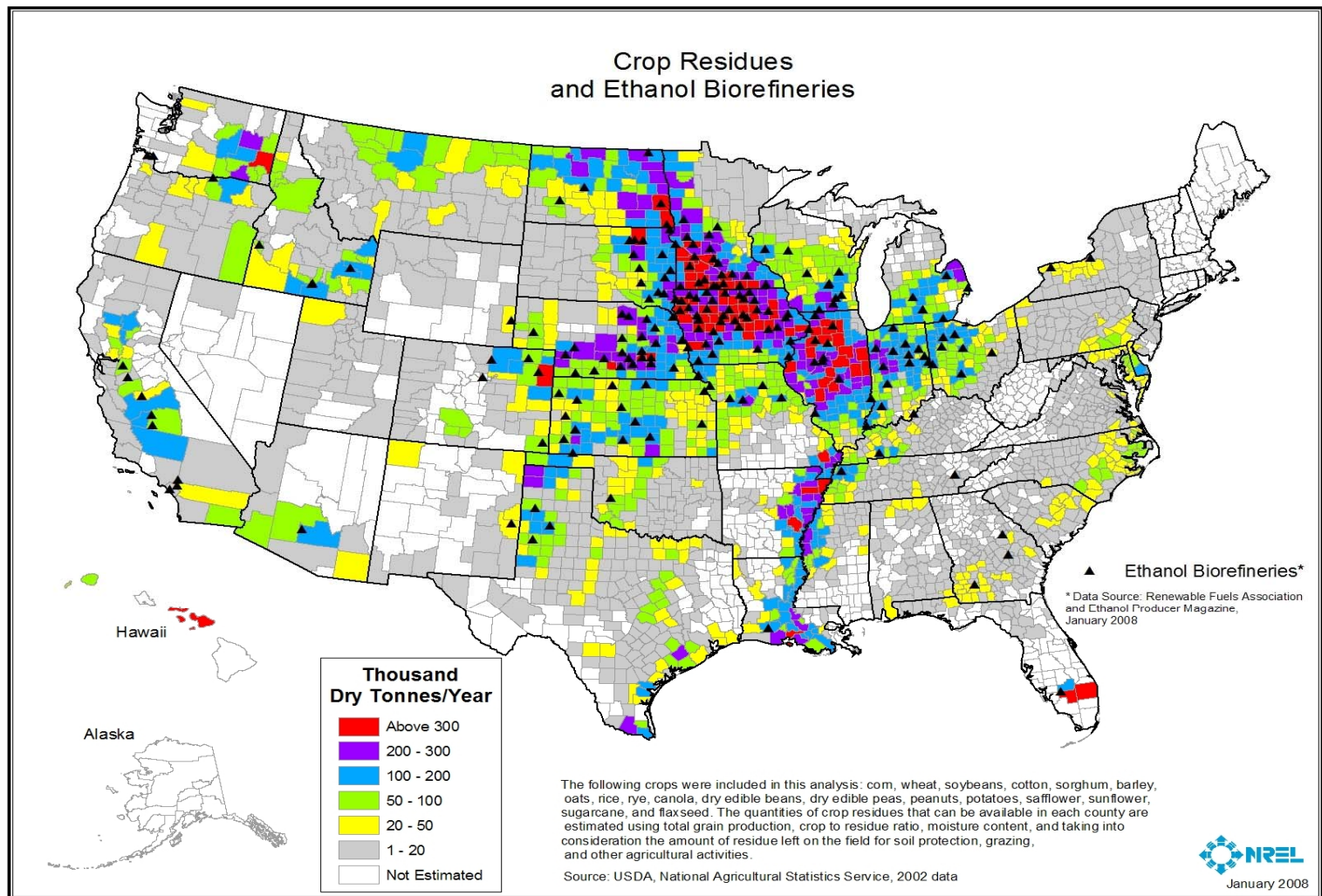
*Source: National Agriculture Statistics Service

WI Ethanol Future Feedstock Advantage



- Woody Biomass
 - Forestry & Paper industry
- Land for Grasses
 - SE WI
- Dairy Industry
 - “No Whey! Company Converts Cheese Waste into Ethanol”

Resource Availability (For lignocellulosic ethanol)



WI Biodiesel & Soy

- 2007 Production
 - 51* million bushels of soybeans
 - ~58 million gallons of biodiesel capacity
 - not producing at capacity because of feedstock costs
 - 2007 production estimated at 7.4 million gallons
 - Need for crushing capacity and market development
 - Many plants are using multi-feedstock systems

Emerging Biodiesel Feedstocks

- Waste Vegetable Oil
- Rendered fats & oils
- Corn oil
- Algae



WI Biomass to Biofuels Potential

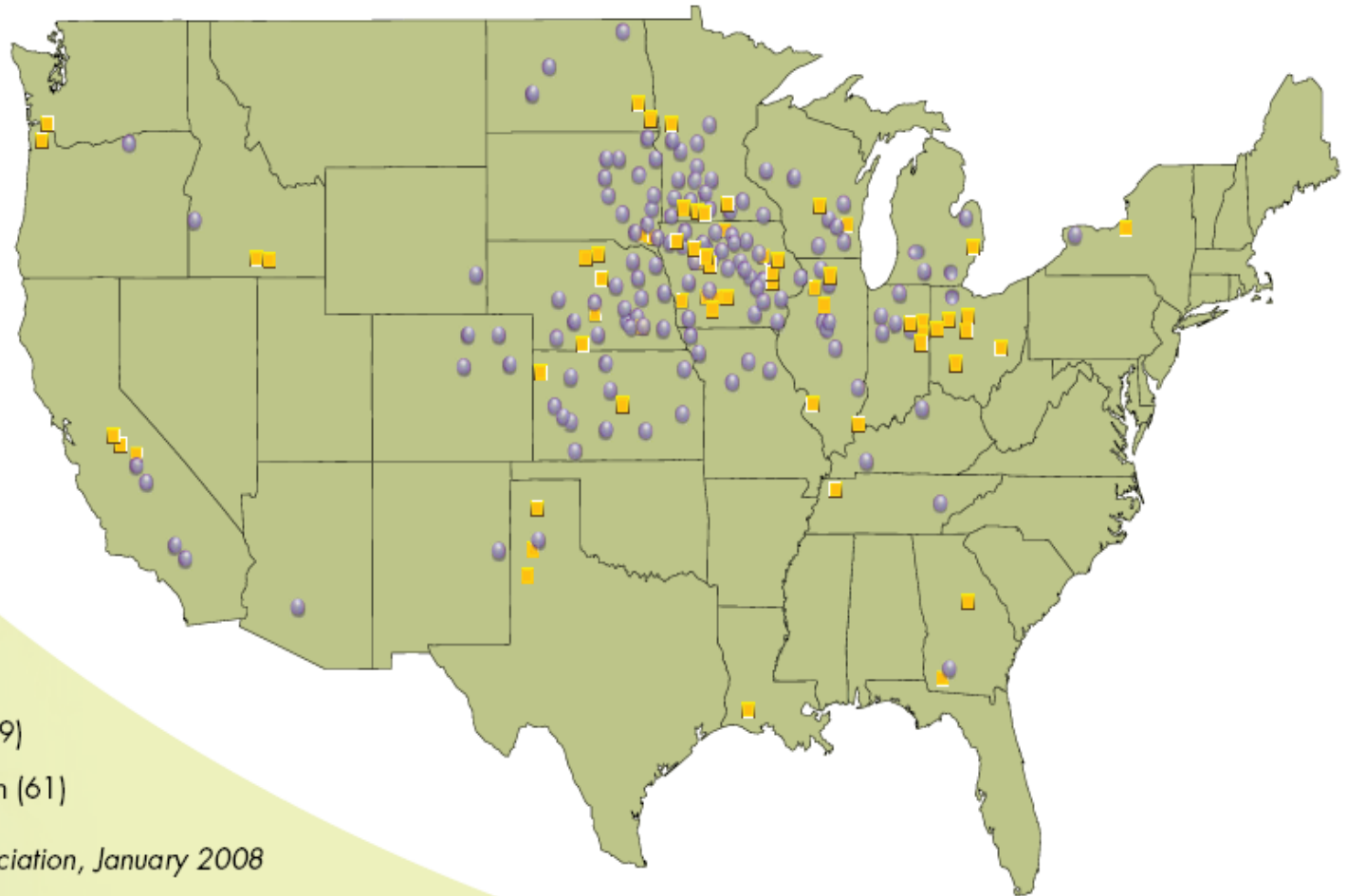
Supply	Biomass (Million Tons/Yr)	Coal Equivalent (Million Tons/Yr)
Crop Residues	4,419	3,023
Switchgrass on CRP	3,126	2,125
Forest Residues	2,011	1,367
Hybrid Poplars	2,912	1,980
Primary Mill	1,621	1,102
Secondary Mill	69	47
Urban Wood	548	372
Manure	51	12
Total Fuel Potential	14.76	10.03



Biofuels Production & Use



US Ethanol Production Facilities



● Biorefineries in production (139)

■ Biorefineries under construction (61)

Source: Renewable Fuels Association, January 2008

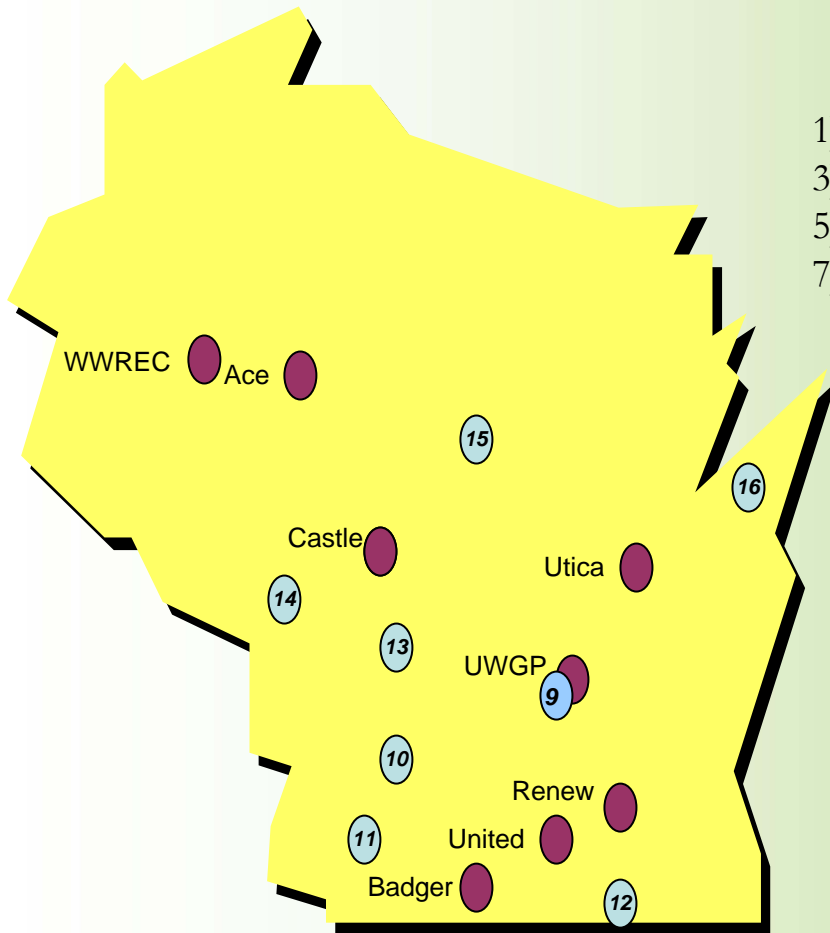
US Ethanol Production Capacity

U.S. ETHANOL PRODUCTION CAPACITY BY STATE
In Millions of Gallons

	Online	Under Construction/ Expansion	Total
Iowa	2059	1435	3,494
Nebraska	1143.5	691	1,834.5
Illinois	887	254	1,141
Minnesota	619.6	457.5	1,077.1
South Dakota	683	283	966
Indiana	470	450	920
Ohio	68	470	538
Kansas	432.5	75	507.5
Wisconsin	408	90	498
Texas	100	255	355
North Dakota	123	220	343
Michigan	215	50	265
California	73	155	228
Tennessee	67	138	205
Missouri	201	0	201
New York	50	114	164
Oregon	40	108	148
Colorado	125	0	125
Georgia	0.4	120	120.4
Arizona	55	0	55
Washington	0	55	55
Kentucky	35.4	0	35.4
New Mexico	30	0	30
Wyoming	5	0	5
Louisiana	0	1.5	1.5
Total	7,888.4	5,536	13,424.4

Source: Renewable Fuels Association, January 2008

WI Ethanol Production



8 Operating Ethanol Plants

Current Production Capacity: 473 million gallons

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| 1) Badger Ethanol - Monroe | 2) Ace Ethanol - Stanley |
| 3) Utica Energy - Oshkosh | 4) UWGP - Friesland |
| 5) WWREC - Wheeler | 6) United Ethanol - Milton |
| 7) Renew Energy - Jefferson | 8) Castle Rock - Necedah |

1 Under Construction

Production Potential: 50 million gallons

- 9) Didion - Cambria

Proposed Ethanol Plants

Proposed Production: 350+ million gallons

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|----------------|----------------------|
| 10) Arena | 11) Belmont |
| 12) Sharon | 13) Reedsburg |
| 14) Sparta | 15) Wisconsin Rapids |
| 16) Luxembourg | |

Plant List

<http://power.wisconsin.gov>



Ethanol Use in Transportation

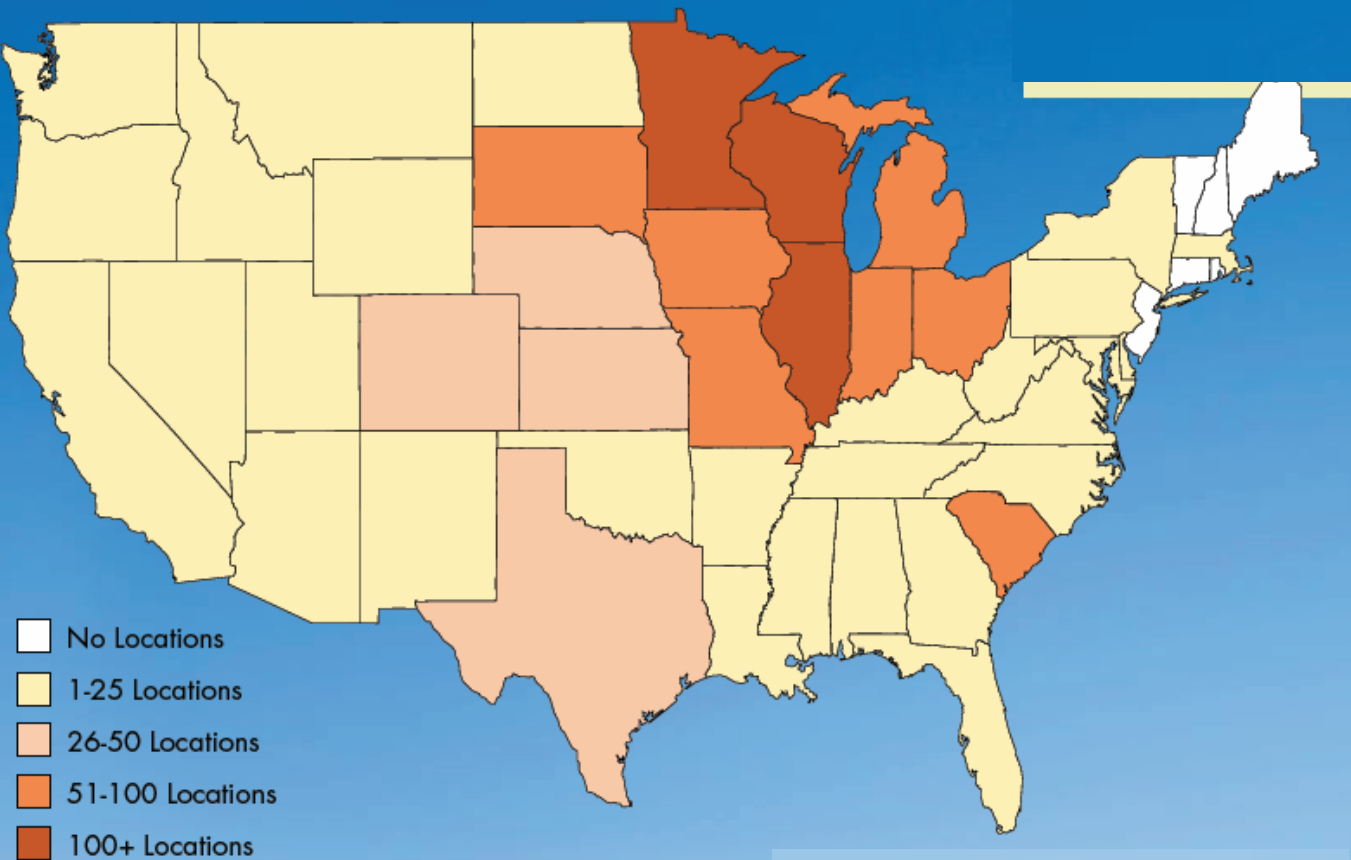
- Two Major Blends
 - E10 – a blend of 10% ethanol & 90% regular unleaded
 - Can be used in all vehicles normally fueled with regular unleaded
 - Offered at nearly 75% of gas stations in WI
 - E85 – a blend of 85% ethanol & 15% regular unleaded
 - Can only be used in a Flexible Fuel Vehicle (FFV)
 - Nearly 50 different models available (<http://power.wisconsin.gov>)
 - GM Products produced in Janesville, WI – Yukon, Suburban, Tahoe

E85 Vehicle Facts

- There are ~7 million FFVs on US Roadways*
- WI has 141,000 FFVs
 - 3% of national FFV count
 - 2% of all WI registered on-road vehicles
- Many Wisconsin consumers are not aware they are operating an FFV



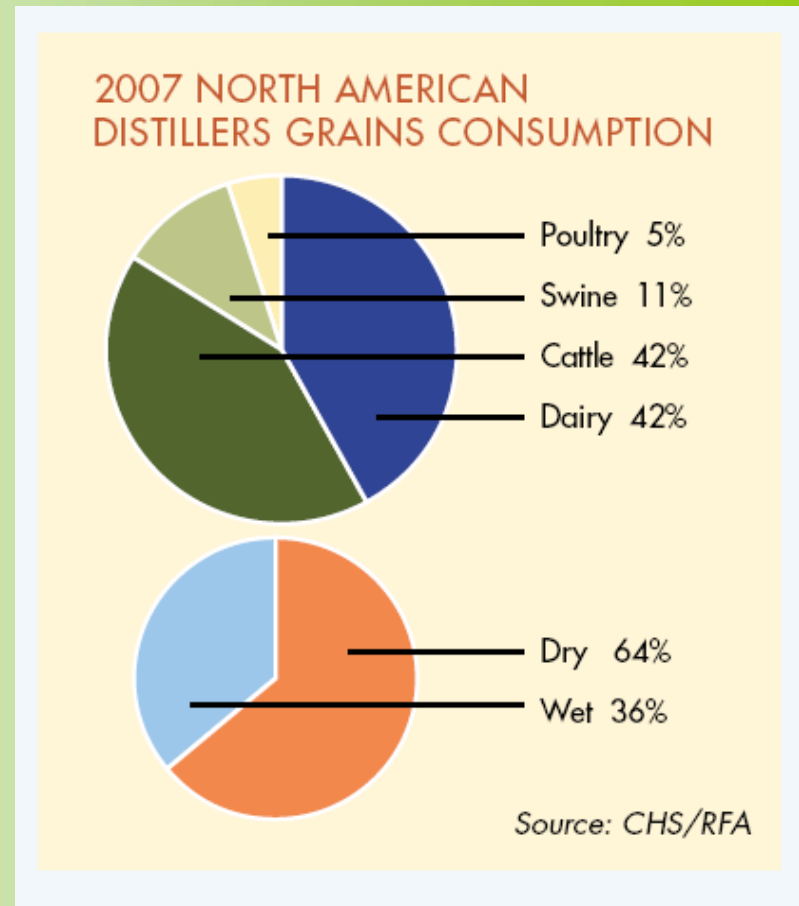
US E85 Refueling



Source: Renewable Fuels Association/
National Ethanol Vehicle Coalition, January 2008

Ethanol Co-Products & Primary Markets

- Pure Ethanol (200 proof) – Transportation
- Dried Distiller's Grains (DDGS) or Wet Distiller's Grain (WDGS) - Animal Feed
- Carbon Dioxide - Beverages/Dry Ice
- Syrup - Animal Feed/Energy



WI E85 Availability and Use

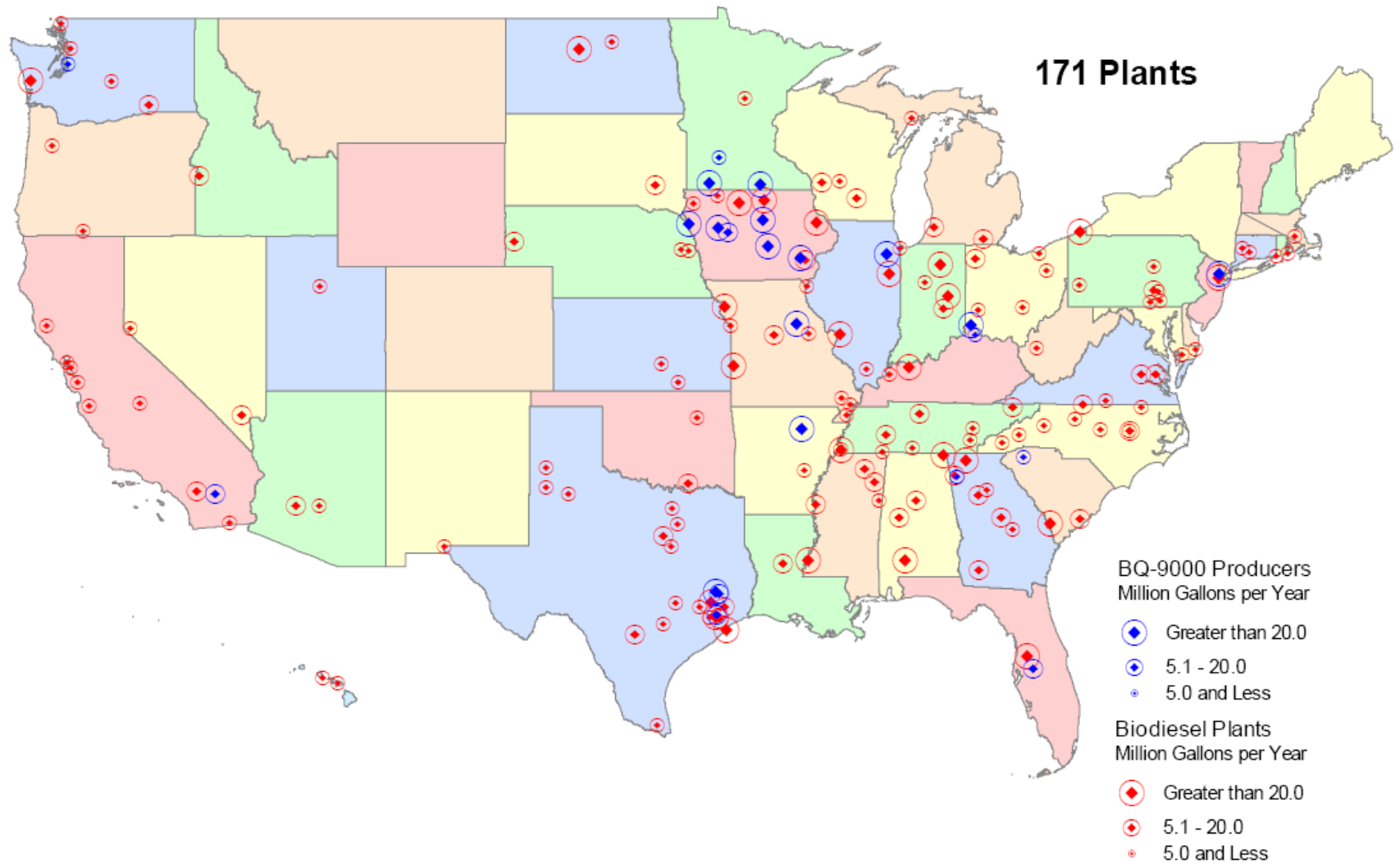


Station Lists and Brochures
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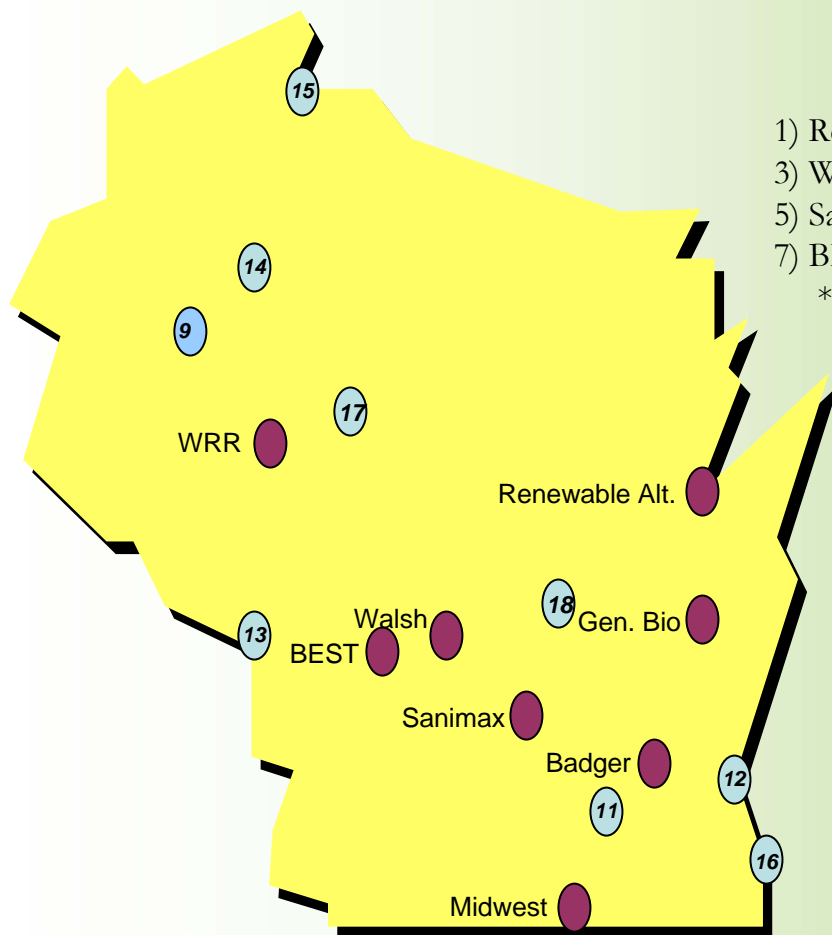
- 111 E85 refueling stations in WI
 - 105 open to the public, 1 private, 5 coming soon
- Wisconsin's E85 use*
 - 2004: 106,000 gallons
 - 2005: 787,000 gallons
 - 2006: 2.7 million gallons
 - 2007: 4.8 million gallons

*Source: Wisconsin Biofuels and Alternative Fuel Use Report

US Biodiesel Production Facilities



WI Biodiesel Production



8+ Biodiesel Plants*

Current Production Capacity: 58 million gallons

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|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1) Renewable Alternatives – Green Bay | 2) Generation Bio - Kiel |
| 3) WRR Enviro Services – Eau Claire | 4) Badger Biodiesel - Watertown |
| 5) Sanimax Energy – DeForest | 6) Walsh Biofuels - Mauston |
| 7) BEST Biodiesel – Cashton | 8) Midwest Biofuel – Clinton |

*on Farm Producers

1 Under Construction

Production Potential: 3 million gallons

- 9) Sun Power – Cumberland

8 Proposed Plants

Proposed Production: 76+ million gallons

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| 10) Jefferson | 11) Milwaukee |
| 12) La Crosse | 13) Spooner |
| 14) Ashland | 15) Racine |
| 16) Owen | 17) Ripon |

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Biodiesel Co-Products & Primary Markets

- Biodiesel, B100 (Transportation Sector)
- Glycerin (Soaps, feed supplement)
- Methanol (Recovered, waste)



Biodiesel Use in Transportation

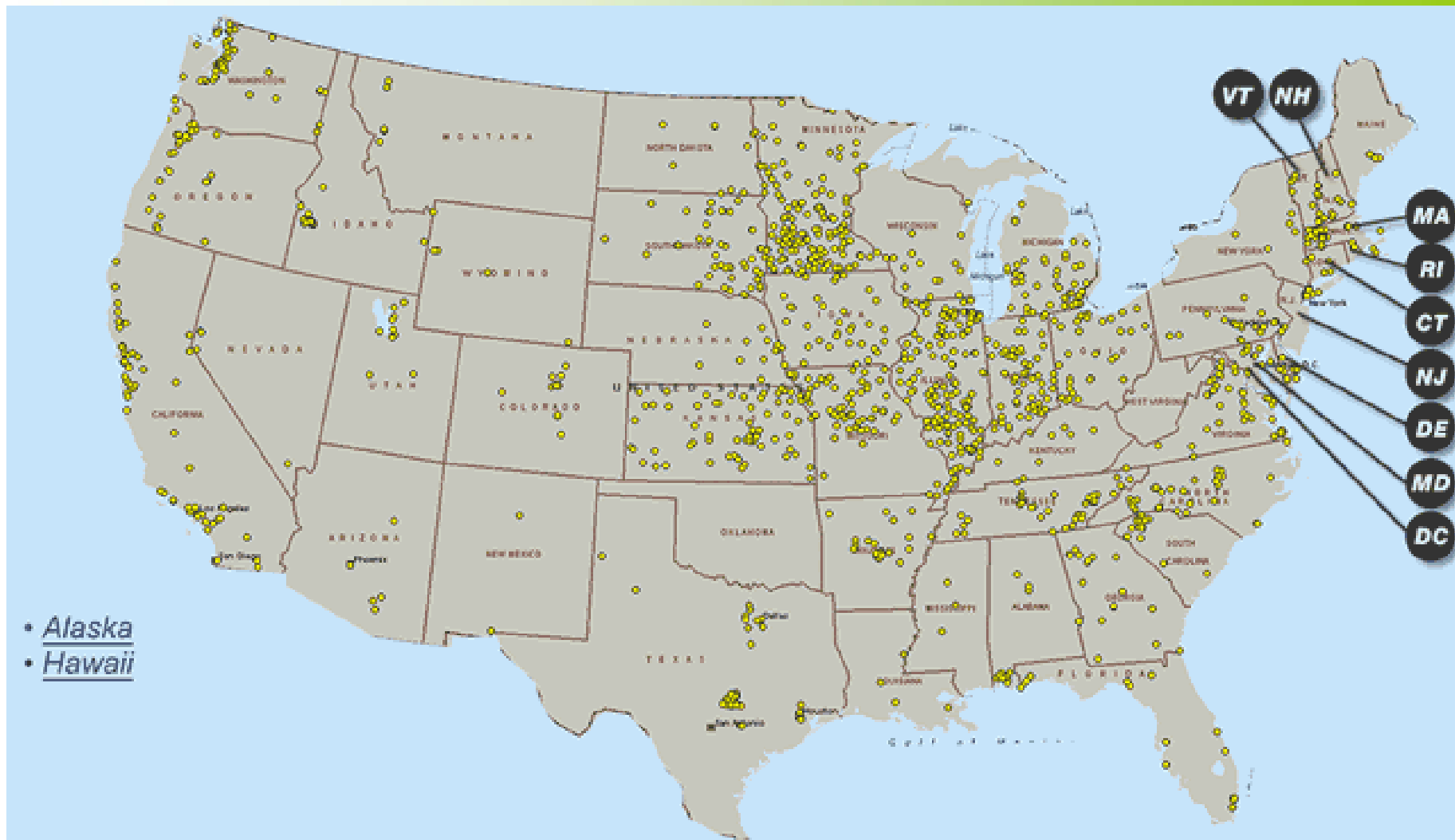
- Common Blends (BXX)
 - B5 – a blend of 5% biodiesel & 95% petroleum diesel
 - B20 – a blend of 20% biodiesel & 80% petroleum diesel
 - B100 – Pure biodiesel
 - All blends can go in all diesel vehicles, with little or no modifications

Biodiesel (Diesel) Vehicle Facts

- WI has over 292,000 diesel vehicles
 - 4% of all WI registered on-road vehicles
- Markets for Use
 - School buses, Public transportation, Farm operations, Corporate fleets, Construction equipment, Long-haul trucking



US Biodiesel Refueling



Biodiesel Availability and Use



- 30+ Biodiesel refueling stations in WI
- 23 Biodiesel Distributors
- Blends of B5-100 Available

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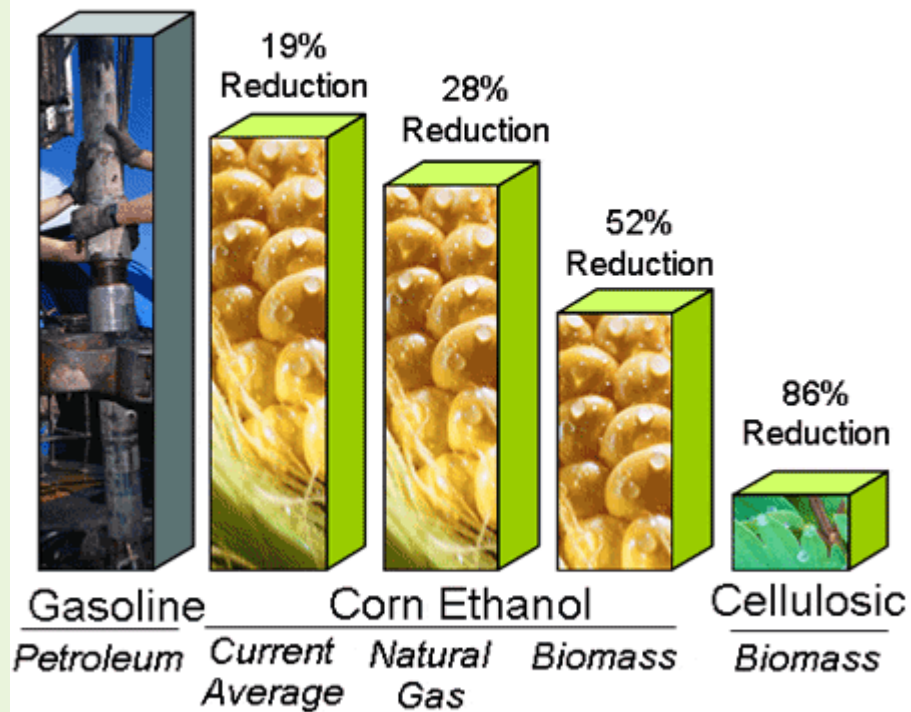
Biofuels Benefits

- Local Economic Impacts
 - Economy & Job Creation Benefits
 - Agriculture, Farmers & Rural Communities
- Energy Security & Independence
- Environment & Clean Air
 - Significantly reduce air pollution and greenhouse gases
- Superior Fuel
 - Lubricity
 - Increase Engine Performance
- Positive Energy Balance

Biofuels Benefits



**Greenhouse Gas Emissions of
Transportation Fuels**
By Type of Energy Used in Processing



Source: Wang et al, *Env. Res. Letters*, May 2007



Biofuels Challenges

- Sustainability/Environmental Impact
- Facilities Growth Limitations
- Integration/Funding of and Feedstocks and New Technology
- Market Forces – commodity/energy prices
- Availability to Consumer

Questions



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