# New Mexico Renewable Energy Overview

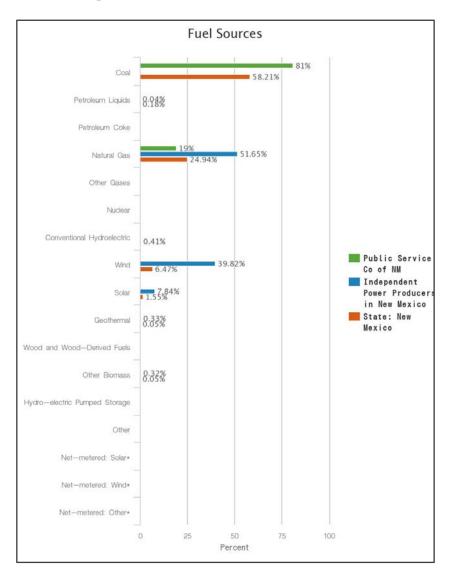




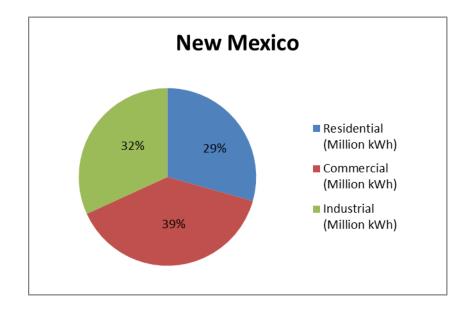
## **Fuel Source Mix for Electricity in New Mexico**

Ranking for entire state (2013 data)

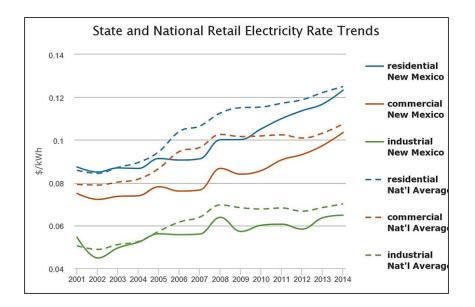
- 1. Coal (58%)
- 2. Nat Gas (25%)
- 3. Wind (6.5%)
- 4. Solar (1.5%)



## **Electricity Profile**



Sector	Public Service Co of NM	New Mexico Avg.	Nat'l Avg.
Residential	0.1231	0.1250	0.1250
Commercial	0.1020	0.1035	0.1075
Industrial	0.0587	0.0701	0.0701





## Cumulative Renewable Electricity Installed Capacity (MW) (2013) WEST

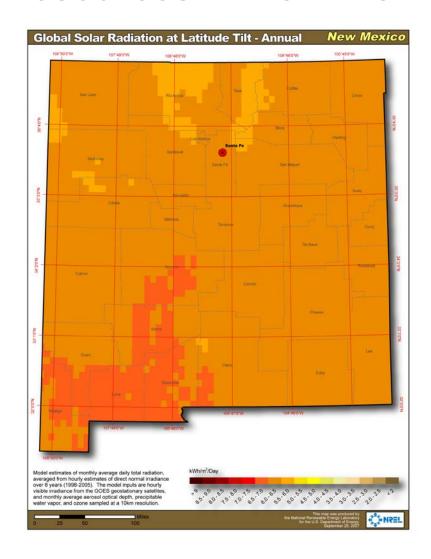
	Wind	PV*	CSP	Geothermal	Biomass	Hydropower	Total Renewables	Per capita Renewable Electricity watts/person
California	5,829	5,183	489	3,012	1,452	10,040	26,005	678
Washington	2,808	27	0	0	423	20,957	24,215	3,474
Oregon	3,153	63	0	33	409	8,243	11,900	3,028
Arizona	238	1,563	283	0	41	2,718	4,843	731
Idaho	973	2	0	18	148	2,541	3,682	2,264
Colorado	2,332	360	0	0	18	645	3,356	637
Montana	645	3	0	0	4	2,639	3,291	3,242
Nevada	152	424	64	626	3	1,052	2,322	832
Wyoming	1,410	1	0	0	0	303	1,714	2,942
New Mexico	778	257	0	0	7	82	1,123	538
Hawaii	206	358	7	51	270	26	919	654
Utah	325	16	0	52	13	262	668	230
Alaska	62	0	0	0	12	420	494	672

## Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS)

- Eligible Technologies: Geothermal Electric, Solar Thermal Electric, Solar Photovoltaics, Wind (All), Biomass, Hydroelectric, Landfill Gas, Wind (Small), Anaerobic Digestion, Fuel Cells using Renewable Fuels Zero Emission Technology
- Applicable Sectors: Investor-Owned Utility, Cooperative Utilities
- Standard: Investor-owned utilities; 20% by 2020; Rural electric cooperatives:
   10% by 2020
- Technology Minimum: For IOUs in 2020:
  - Solar: 20% of RPS requirement (4% of sales)
  - Wind: 30% of RPS requirement (6% of sales)
  - Other renewables: 5% of RPS requirement (1% of sales)
  - Distributed Renewables: 3% of RPS requirement (0.6% of sales)
- Certain cost containment mechanisms built in



## Solar Resources in New Mexico



## **Installed Solar Capacity GTM Report**

	Rank			Installations (MW&)			
State	Cumulative	2014	Q1 2015	Cumulative	2014	Q1 2015	
California	1	1	1	9,439	3,549	718	
Nevada	5	3	2	822	339	97	
New York	8	7	3	456	147	59	
North Carolina	4	2	4	1,011	397	58	
Massachusetts	6	4	5	806	308	55	
Texas	10	8	6	379	129	49	
New Jersey	3	6	7	1,489	240	38	
Arizona	2	5	8	1,818	247	3Z	
New Mexico	11	10	9	355	88	31	
Maryland	13	12	10	242	73	27	
Hawaii	7	9	11	466	107	26	
Georgia	14	17	12	180	45	19	
Connecticut	16	16	13	147	56	17	
Colorado	9	13	14	412	67	13	
Vermont	22	18	15	79	38	9	
Louisiana	23	19	16	71	31	6	
Florida	15	20	17	164	22	5	
Oregon	21	25	18	89	8	4	
Washington	26	22	19	42	14	4	
Missouri	18	11	20	115	73	3	
Washington, D.C.	31	31	21	13	3	3	
Utah	27	23	22	32	10	3	
Virginia	30	29	23	14	6	3	
Pennsylvania	12	24	24	247	10	2	
Minnesota	28	28	25	22	6	2	
Ohio	20	21	26	104	15	2	
Tennessee	17	15	27	131	56	1	
Delaware	24	26	28	62	7	1	
New Hampshire	33	30	29	8	3	1	
Indiana	19	14	30	113	59	1	
Wisconsin	29	32	30	20	2	1	
Illinois	25	27	32	55	6	1	
South Carolina	32	33	33	12	1	0	

- Cumulative—New Mexico ranks 11<sup>th</sup> with 355 MW<sub>dc</sub> of PV installed.
- 10<sup>th</sup> for 2014 (88 MW<sub>dc</sub>)
  - 9<sup>th</sup> for Q1 2015 installed capacity(31 MW<sub>dc</sub>)
  - 4,775 Installations
    - 4388 residential
    - 363 commercial
    - 24 utility

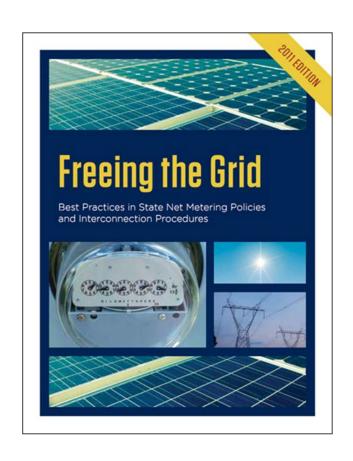
## Interconnection and Net Metering (Freeing the Grid Rating)

#### Interconnection - Grade A

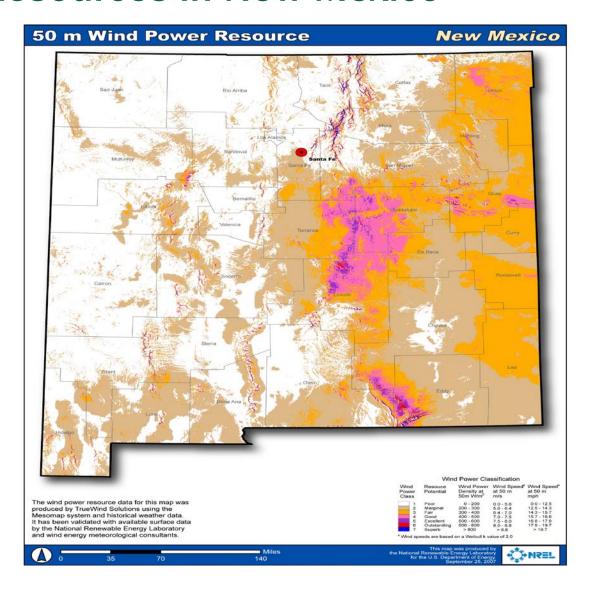
- Recommendations:
  - Prohibit requirements for a redundant external disconnect switch
  - Prohibit requirements for additional insurance

### Net Metering - Grade B

- Recommendations:
  - 1. Allow customers to retain RECs
  - Credit net excess generation at the retail rate and provide the option of indefinite rollover
  - Allow meter aggregation and net metering for shared or community systems



## Wind Resources in New Mexico



## New Mexico Wind Farm



## **New Mexico Wind Facts**

## Wind Projects

- Installed wind capacity: 812 MW
- State rank for installed wind capacity: 18th
- Number of wind turbines: 595
- State rank for number of wind turbines: 17th
- Wind projects online: 12
- Wind capacity under construction: 680 MW

## **Current Wind Generation**

- In 2014, wind energy provided 7.04% of all in-state electricity production.
- Equivalent number of homes powered by wind: 207,000

## **New Mexico Wind Farms**

- 204 MW New Mexico Wind Energy Center
  - De Baca and Quay Counties
- 80 MW Caprock Wind Ranch
  - Quay County
- 120 MW San Juan Mesa Wind Project
  - Roosevelt County
- 90 MW Aragonne Wind Facility
  - Guadalupe County
- 2 MW Llano Estacado
  - Curry County
- 100 MW High Lonesome Mesa
  - Torrance County
- 102 MW Red Mesa Wind Energy Center
  - Cibola County
- 50 MW Macho Springs Power



## **Programs and Policies**

NAME	Category	Policy/Incentive Type	Created
Net Metering	Regulatory Policy	Net Metering	1/1/2000
Solar Easements & Rights Laws	Regulatory Policy	Solar/Wind Access Policy	1/1/2000
Biomass Equipment & Materials Compensating Tax Deduction	Financial Incentive	Sales Tax Incentive	4/29/2005
Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy Bond Program	Financial Incentive	Bond Program	4/29/2005
Renewable Portfolio Standard	Regulatory Policy	Renewables Portfolio Standard	12/19/2002
Renewable Energy Production Tax Credit (Corporate)	Financial Incentive	Corporate Tax Credit	3/11/2002
Mandatory Utility Green Power Option	Regulatory Policy	Mandatory Utility Green Power Option	1/16/2003
PNM - Performance-Based Solar PV Program	Financial Incentive	Performance-Based Incentive	1/17/2006
Solar Market Development Tax Credit	Financial Incentive	Personal Tax Credit	3/9/2006
Efficient Use of Energy Act	Regulatory Policy	Public Benefits Fund	4/24/2006
Building Energy Code	Regulatory Policy	Building Energy Code	7/31/2006
Sustainable Building Tax Credit (Personal)	Financial Incentive	Personal Tax Credit	5/7/2007
Sustainable Building Tax Credit (Corporate)	Financial Incentive	Corporate Tax Credit	5/8/2007
Renewable Energy Production Tax Credit (Personal)	Financial Incentive	Personal Tax Credit	5/25/2007
Solar Energy Gross Receipts Tax Deduction	Financial Incentive	Sales Tax Incentive	5/25/2007
Alternative Energy Product Manufacturers Tax Credit	Financial Incentive	Industry Recruitment/Support	5/25/2007
Advanced Energy Tax Credit (Corporate)	Financial Incentive	Corporate Tax Credit	5/31/2007
Central New Mexico Electric Cooperative - Residential Energy Efficiency Rebate Program	Financial Incentive	Rebate Program	6/6/2007
PNM - Residential Energy Efficiency Rebate Program	Financial Incentive	Rebate Program	7/3/2008
Interconnection Standards	Regulatory Policy	Interconnection	8/15/2008



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Farmington Electric Utility System - Net Metering	Regulatory Policy	Net Metering	8/22/2008
Xcel Energy - Solar*Rewards Program	Financial Incentive	Performance-Based Incentive	3/19/2009
El Paso Electric Company - Small and Medium System Renewable Energy Certificate Purchase Program	Financial Incentive	Performance-Based Incentive	3/24/2009
Advanced Energy Tax Credit (Personal)	Financial Incentive	Personal Tax Credit	4/17/2009
Local Option - Renewable Energy Financing District/Solar Energy Improvement Special Assessments	Financial Incentive	PACE Financing	7/15/2009
PNM - Commercial Energy Efficiency Rebate Program	Financial Incentive	Rebate Program	8/11/2009
El Paso Electric Company - Commercial Efficiency Program	Financial Incentive	Rebate Program	12/15/2009
El Paso Electric Company - Residential Efficiency Program	Financial Incentive	Rebate Program	12/15/2009
Geothermal Heat Pump Tax Credit (Personal)	Financial Incentive	Personal Tax Credit	12/21/2009
Geothermal Heat Pump Tax Credit (Corporate)	Financial Incentive	Corporate Tax Credit	12/21/2009
Gross Receipts Tax Exemption for Sales of Wind and Solar Systems to Government Entities	Financial Incentive	Sales Tax Incentive	2/16/2010
Advanced Energy Gross Receipts Tax Deduction	Financial Incentive	Sales Tax Incentive	3/19/2010
Property Tax Exemption for Residential Solar Systems	Financial Incentive	Property Tax Incentive	3/24/2010
Xcel Energy - Residential Energy Efficiency Rebate Program	Financial Incentive	Rebate Program	4/8/2010
Energy Efficiency Resource Standard	Regulatory Policy	Energy Efficiency Resource Standard	12/13/2010
Agricultural Biomass Income Tax Credit (Corporate)	Financial Incentive	Corporate Tax Credit	12/14/2010
Agricultural Biomass Income Tax Credit (Personal)	Financial Incentive	Personal Tax Credit	12/14/2010
El Paso Electric Company - SCORE Plus Standard Offer Program	Financial Incentive	Rebate Program	12/15/2009
New Mexico Gas Company - Residential Efficiency Programs	Financial Incentive	Rebate Program	2/9/2011
New Mexico Gas Company - Commercial Efficiency Programs	Financial Incentive	Rebate Program	2/9/2011

