



# Recapitulation

From Last Year's Peer Review:  
It's 2015 and we have:

- A world at peace
- CO<sub>2</sub> global warming is established
- The world aspires to the American standard of living

*Our vision of the emission-free energy economy*



# The Answer

CyroEnCom

A foundation for energy delivery based on  
a spread of cryogenic technologies

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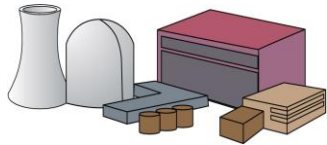
# What's New This Year?

# MgB<sub>2</sub> !

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# The Ideal Energy Infrastructure

- Safe, "renewable," nuclear fission power
  - "Pebble"-based, He cooled
  - Fuel reprocessing to capture actinide cycle
- "All-Superconducting" electric power generation and delivery
  - Cables, transformers, storage
- The "hydrogen economy" realized
  - Cryogen for superconductivity
  - End-use thermal energy

# The Model Community "Laguna Genome"

- Industrial/Academia
  - 5 factories - IDCs/1 University
- Service Support
  - 3 Shopping Centers
- Residential
  - 100,000 Homes

# Electric/Thermal End Use Assumptions

- What is average thermal energy consumption (e.g., space heating, domestic hot water, cooking, drying, swimming pool, fireplaces...etc.?)
- About the same as electrical energy consumption (Southern California)

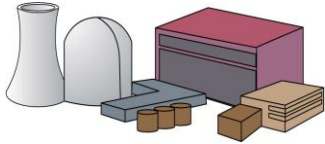
# Laguna Genome: Energy Requirements

	Electrical (MWe)	Thermal (MWt)
6 "I/A" @ 10 MWe ea.	60	60
3 "Malls" @ 10 MWe ea.	30	30
100,000 "Homes" @ 4 KWe ea.	400	400
Total	490	490

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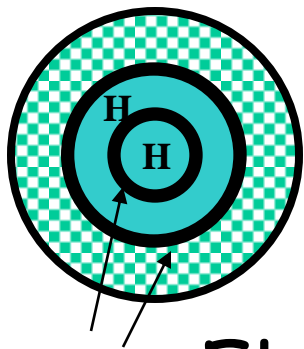
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# Generation

- 1500 MWe Total
  - 1000 MWe
  - 450 MWt ( $H_2$  from electrolyzed  $H_2O$ )
  - 50 MWe for cryogenics





# Transmission

*Overview*

## HTS • Electrical

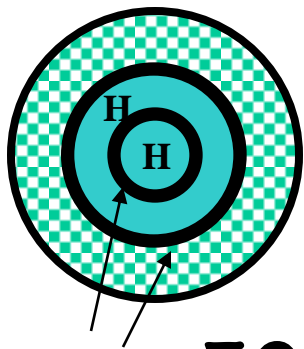
- Low voltage dc superconducting bipolar coaxial cable loop

## • Thermo-Chemical

- Circulating Liquid  $H_2$  ring (used to cool lvdcs cable)

## • Common Corridor

- Sealed subterranean tunnel



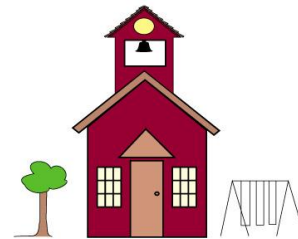
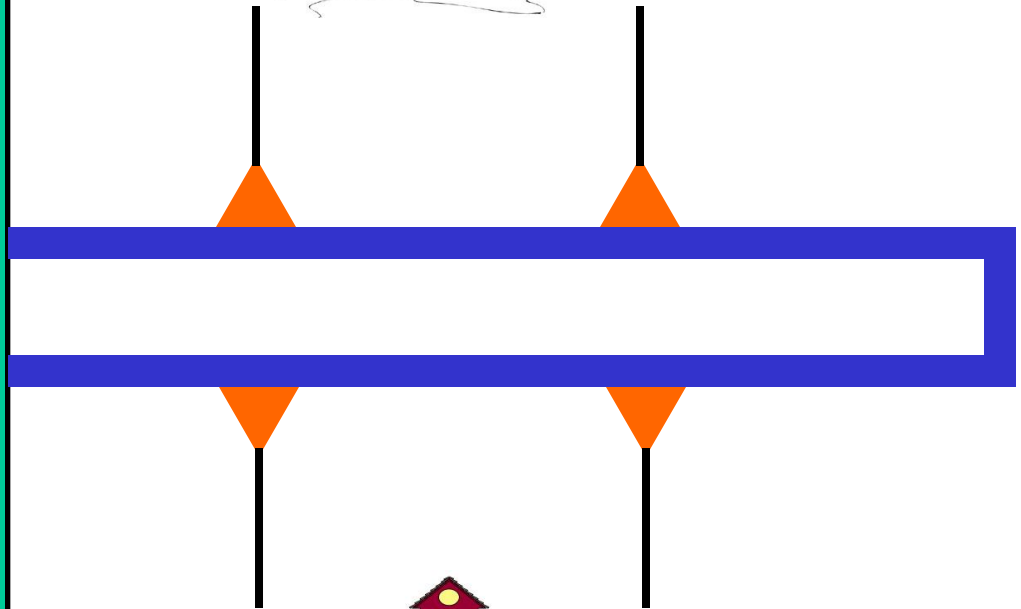
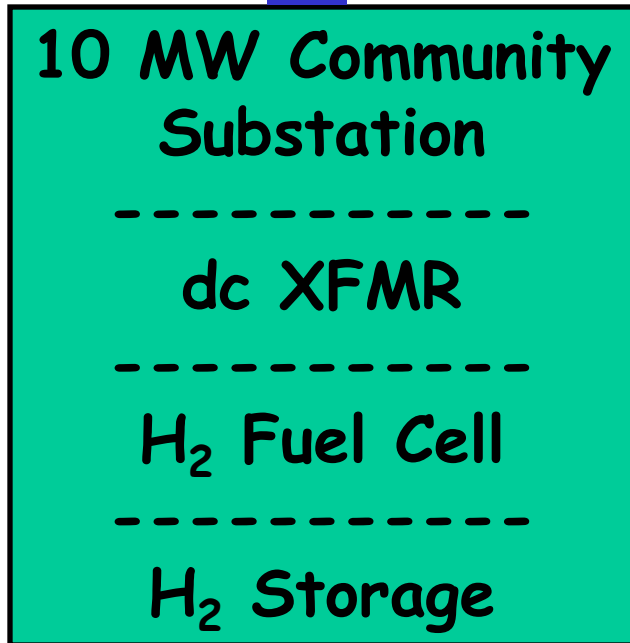
# Transmission

*Particulars*

HTS • 500 MW, 10,000 A, +/- 25,000 V

- 1.5 B btu/hr, liquid H circulation
- 150 km, 2-m diameter, 20-m deep sealed tunnels (trickle-down from Fermilab's Big-Bang-atron)

# Distribution



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# Distribution

## *Overview*

- Liquid H<sub>2</sub> to Gaseous for Cooling
- 2000 A @ +/- 100 Vdc



# End Use

**Streetside Service**

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100 A @ +/- 25 Vdc

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H<sub>2</sub> @ 200 K, 100 psi

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PLC @ 5 MHz

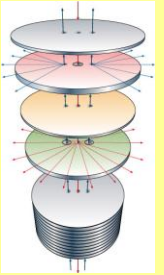
H<sub>2</sub> Heat Exchanger for AC

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H<sub>2</sub> for Heat/Hot H<sub>2</sub>O

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Household Fuel Cell

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Inv/Conv for Electricity

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H<sub>2</sub> Storage for Auto



# Hindenburg Hysteria



*The Hindenburg did not crash  
Because of a hydrogen leak!*

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