



# Climate Change & The Socio Economic Environment

*-What is the Bottom Line ?-*

*ENERGY*

# Presentation Outline

- Energy Sector Background
- Socio - Economic Impacts
- Emissions Reductions
- The Bottom Line

# Jamaica's Energy Situation

- Great dependence on imported oil, accounting for over 90% of its total energy use
- Exposed to oil price volatility and supply security issues, which threaten long term economic stability
- From 1998 to 2006 petroleum import bill increased from US\$323 million to US\$1.7 billion.
- Only 7% of the nations energy is obtained from Indigenous sources

## Jamaica's Energy Imports & Bill

Year	Imported Petroleum Volume ('000,000 bls)	Value (US\$ million)	Avg price (\$/bls)
1997	22.5	444.1	19.74
1998	22.8	323.0	14.17
1999	23.2	431.1	18.58
2000	24.4	688.1	28.20
2001	24.8	596.0	24.03
2002	25.2	640.7	25.42
2003	27.1	813.1	30.00
2004	26.1	943.4	36.15
2005	26.2	1.3 billion	49.62
<b>2006</b>	28.6	1.73 Billion	64.43

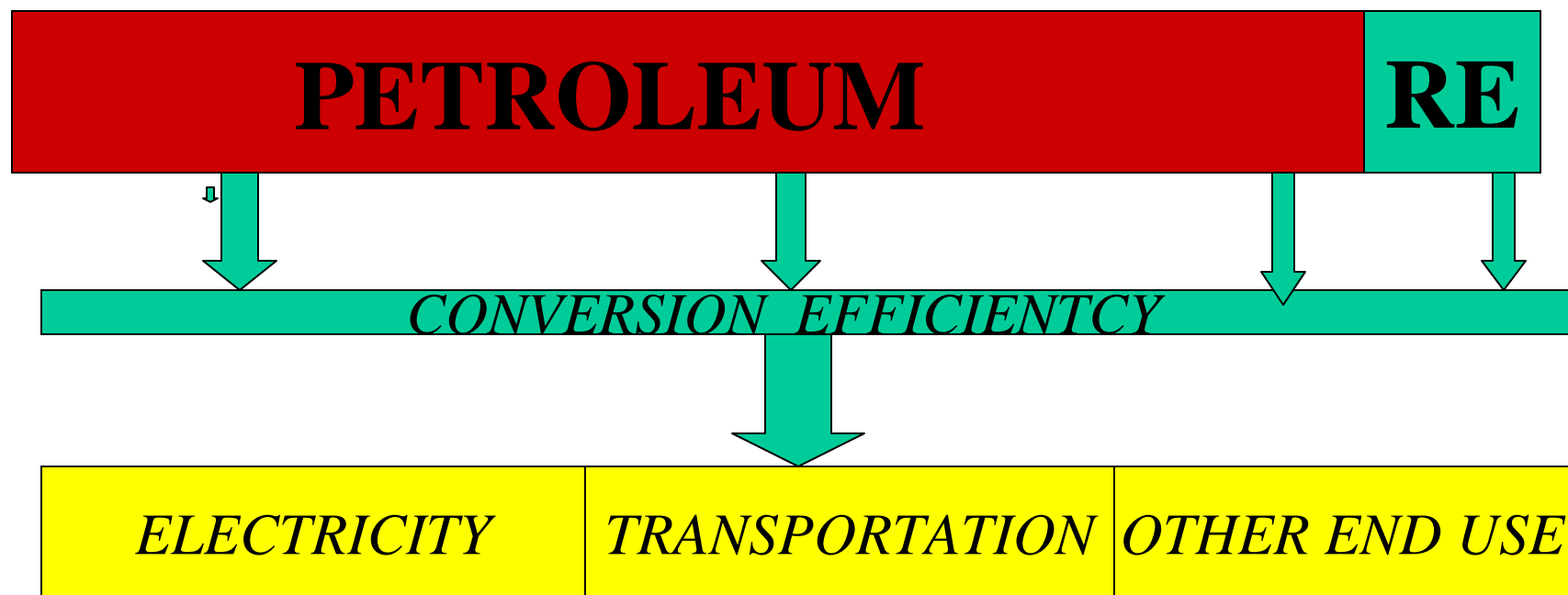


## Jamaica's Energy Policy 2006 – 2020 (Green Paper)

### **Objectives of the Policy:**

- Security of energy supply
- Energy diversification
- Energy efficiency & conservation
- Environmental protection
- Maintaining a competitive market environment

# Jamaica's Energy Supply and End Use



# Electricity Sector

**IMPACTS:** CLIMATE CHANGE, SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC

<p>Power Generation</p>	<p><b>Attribute:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Inefficient conversion</li> <li>• 95% is based on fossil fuel</li> <li>• Emission of CO<sub>2</sub> &amp; NO<sub>x</sub> which are GHG's</li> <li>• Direct link to climate change</li> </ul>
<p><b>Social &amp; Economic Impacts:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Supplies the Industrial, Commercial and Residential demand</li> <li>• Essential engine for Economic growth and development</li> </ul>	

# Electricity Sector

Transmission and Distribution Systems

## Attributes:

- Losses of over 20%
- Reaches all Industrial and Commercial demands
- over 90% of residential demand

## Socio Economic Impact:

- Good access to the means of production and convenient energy form
- Higher Energy Costs
- High theft of electricity
- Increased GHG's emissions due to higher Generation Req.



# Transportation Sector

## Public Transportation:

### Attributes:

- Inadequate Public System
- Greater emissions of GHG's
- Challenged road network (local)
- Improvement in National road infrastructure

### Opportunities:

- E-10 – Substitute up to 10% gasoline with ethanol
- Transform the sugar industry to a Cane industry (Biomass)
- Ethanol - environmentally friendly fuel
- Car Pooling (reduction of carbon footprint)
- Leverage the telecommunication Infrastructure (telecommute)

# Transportation Sector

## **Policy Issue:**

Need for more diesel-powered engines, flex fuel versus gasoline

## **Recommendation:**

Implement a lower tax on the more efficient diesel powered engines to increase the proportion of diesel-powered vehicles

Economy of scale is important for the introduction of flex fuel

## **Opportunities:**

- Reduce imported fuel consumption and by extension, reduce GHG emissions
- Development of the Bio Diesel Industry
- Opportunities for growth in various agricultural crops leads to greater employment

# Renewable Energy

## Development of indigenous energy resources

### Attributes:

- Reduction and elimination of GHG's
- Removes dependence on imported fuel
- Institutional focus
- Forces efficient use of the resource

### Opportunities:

- Distributed (onsite) Generation,
- Reduction of T & D losses
- Private sector investment in R.E (smaller individual projects)
- Reduction in GHG emissions (+ve impact on climate change)
- Trading Carbon Credits to enhance economic viability of projects

## Renewable Energy Contribution to Electricity Sector

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>PERIOD TARGET</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE TARGET</b>
2005	5.6%	5.6%
2007	6.5%	6.5%
2010	3.5%	10%
2020	5%	15%

# Renewable Energy Potential in Jamaica

<b>Source</b>	<b>Existing Capacity</b>	<b>Estimated Potential</b>
Wind	20.7 MW	60 MW
Hydro	23.8 MW	81.7 MW
Bagasse	940,000 boe	68 MW
Bio ethanol	40 million gallons	91 million gallons
Waste-to-energy		55 MW est.
Biogas	840 – 6,300 MWh est.	TBD
Solar	3 MWh est.	75 – 100 MWh
Photovoltaics	600 w est.	1.0 MW

# Opportunities under Kyoto Protocol

- Jamaica signed the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) in 1995 and ratified the Kyoto Protocol in February 2005
- PCJ's Centre of Excellence for Renewable Energy has identified 700,000 tons of CO<sub>2</sub> that could be developed for Trading under the Clean Development Mechanism.
- Wigton Wind Farm Ltd. presently trades its Carbon Emission Reductions (CER's).

# Clean Development Mechanism and Wind

- Average data pollutant savings per kWh from wind versus conventionally generated electricity are: 862 g CO<sub>2</sub> , 10 g SO<sub>2</sub> , 3 g NO<sub>2</sub> (BWEA, 1998)
  - The CO<sub>2</sub> savings are most significant
- There is a market for trading of CO<sub>2</sub> avoided as a result of operating renewable energy facilities
- WWF has been registered as a CDM project and has been trading its certified emission reductions (CERs).
- Cost : 5.5 Euros per ton of carbon dioxide saved between 2004 and December 2012
- US\$ 3.1 million to be earned over nine years by generating electricity from wind

# Energy Efficiency and Conservation

## **Policy Issue:**

Need to improve energy efficiency and practice conservation.

## **Attributes:**

- Reduction in Energy use leads to reduced GHG emissions
- Utilize renewable energy technology where appropriate
- Instills discipline in the use of energy

## **Opportunities:**

- Promulgate national energy efficiency building codes



# Residential and Home Owners Opportunities

- Promotion of the use of solar water heaters
- Efficient use of major household appliances
- Expanded use of Compact Fluorescent Lamps (CFL)
  - CFLs consume 70% less energy than incandescent bulbs
  - Last 10 times longer (8000-10,000 hrs.)
- Use of Photo Voltaic to get electricity from the Sun
- Use of small wing turbines
- Use of Methane from a bio- digester

# Commercial, Institutions and Small Business Opportunities

- Use of high efficacy fluorescent tubes and electronic ballasts
- Use of timers to reduce operating time for air conditioners
- Power factor correction
- Use of bio digesters to convert organic solid waste to Methane
- Use of efficient machines in the production process
  - Results in lower operating costs to the business and saves energy

# Industrial and Large Commercial Users Opportunities

- Cogeneration
  - To get multi- End Use of Energy from one source
- Power factor correction
- Time-of-use electricity billing

**Resulting in greater Economic benefit to Industry**



# Government and Public Sector Opportunities

- Power factor correction for NWC
- High efficiency electric motors for NWC
- Water pumping by wind power and Hybrid wind/solar solutions
- Time-of-use billing for irrigation pumps
- Retrofitting of all hospitals, health centres and educational institutions for which energy audits were carried out
- Lighting and air conditioning efficiency upgrade

ALL RESULTING IN GREATER ECONOMIC IMPACT AND  
MAKING A CONTRIBUTION TO REDUCED GHG.

# Energy Efficiency Initiatives

## UNDP/GOJ Programme of Environmental Management in Hospitals and Schools

- Implementation of energy efficiency and water conservation measures in 4 public hospitals
- Energy audits for 23 other hospitals
- Energy audits for 10 health centres
- Energy audits for 8 educational institutions



# What is the Bottom Line?

Improved profits can be realized from the following:

- Cogeneration in the sugar and electricity sectors
  - Increased use of Bio-mass
- More widespread use of natural gas in the electricity sector
- Employ energy management strategies
- Utilize renewable energy resources
- Use high efficiency motors or switch to less carbon intensive energy sources for water distribution
- Transportation planning and vehicle rationalization
  - Car Pooling
- Exploit opportunities for carbon trading

# Conclusion

## **Energy efficiency and conservation combined with the use of renewable energy solutions:**

- is essential in realizing greater economic benefits,
- satisfying the social demands for energy
- while making a positive contribution to the reduction of GHG's and
- impacting positively on Climate Change.



Thank You.

