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Supplementary Information Appendix

Derivation of results used for this study.

Energy required for vehicles		Low case	High case
A1(S1)	2007 onroad vehicle miles traveled in the U.S. (mi/yr)	3.237E+12	3.237E+12
A2 (S2)	Total onroad vehicle fleet mileage (mpg)	1.711E+01	1.711E+01
A3=A1/A2	Gallons of fuel (gas+diesel) used (gal/yr)	1.892E+11	1.892E+11
A4	Lower heating value gasoline (MJ/kg)	4.400E+01	4.400E+01
A5	Gasoline density (kg/m ³)	7.500E+02	7.500E+02
A6	Gallons per cubic meter (gal/m ³)	2.642E+02	2.642E+02
A7=A4*A5/A6	Energy stored in gasoline (MJ/gal)	1.249E+02	1.249E+02
A8=A3*A7	Energy needed to power gasoline vehicles (MJ/yr)	2.363E+13	2.363E+13
A9 (S2)	Gasoline vehicle efficiency (fraction)	1.600E-01	1.800E-01
A10=A8*A9	Net energy to power U.S. onroad vehicles (MJ/yr)	3.781E+12	4.254E+12
A11	MJ per kWh	3.600E+00	3.600E+00
A12=A10/A11	Net energy to power U.S. onroad vehicles (kWh/yr)	1.050E+12	1.182E+12
U.S. and world CO ₂ emissions			
B1 (S3)	U.S. onroad vehicle CO ₂ 2007 (MT-CO ₂ /yr)	1.466E+03	1.466E+03
B2 (S3)	U.S. other-vehicle CO ₂ (MT-CO ₂ /yr)	4.696E+02	4.696E+02
B3 (S4)	U.S. coal-electricity CO ₂ 2007 (MT-CO ₂ /yr)	1.958E+03	1.958E+03
B4 (S4)	U.S. natural gas-electricity CO ₂ (MT-CO ₂ /yr)	3.618E+02	3.618E+02
B5 (S4)	U.S. oil electricity CO ₂ (MT-CO ₂ /yr)	5.450E+01	5.450E+01
B5 (S4)	U.S. non-elect, non-transport. CO ₂ (MT-CO ₂ /yr)	1.661E+03	1.661E+03
B6=B1+B2+B3+B4+B5	U.S. total fossil CO ₂ 2007 (MT-CO ₂ /yr)	5.971E+03	5.971E+03
B7 (S5)	World total CO ₂ 2007 (MT-CO ₂ /yr)	3.345E+04	3.345E+04
B8 (S6)	Fraction of upstream+combust onroad CO ₂ from combust	7.500E-01	7.500E-01
B9=B1/B8	U.S. onroad combust+fuel prod CO ₂ 2007 (MT-CO ₂ /yr)	1.955E+03	1.955E+03
U.S. CO ₂ emissions per kWh electricity generated			
C1 (S7)	US electricity CO ₂ (g-CO ₂ e/kWh) (1998-2000 avg)	6.060E+02	6.060E+02
C2 (S7)	US electricity CH ₄ (g-CO ₂ e/kWh) w/GWP 25	1.259E-01	1.259E-01
C3 (S7)	US electricity N ₂ O (g-CO ₂ e/kWh) GWP 298	2.595E+00	2.595E+00
C4=C1+C2+C3	Total US electricity CO ₂ e (g-CO ₂ e/kWh) (1998-2000)	6.087E+02	6.087E+02

Wind turbine characteristics			
D1(S8)	Mean annual wind speed (m/s)	8.500E+00	7.000E+00
D2 (S9)	Turbine rated power (kW)	5.000E+03	5.000E+03
D3 (S9)	Turbine rotor diameter (m)	1.260E+02	1.260E+02
D4=(0.087*D1-D2/D3^2)			
(S10)	Turbine capacity factor	4.246E-01	2.941E-01
D5	Hours per year (hrs)	8.760E+03	8.760E+03
D6=D2*D4*D5	Turbine energy output without losses (kWh/yr)	1.860E+07	1.288E+07
D7	Turbine effic. with transmission,conversion, array losses	9.000E-01	8.500E-01
D8=D6*D7	Turbine energy output with losses (kWh/yr)	1.674E+07	1.095E+07
D9=(4*D3)*(7*D3)/10^6			
(S10)	Area for one turbine accounting for spacing (km ²)	4.445E-01	4.445E-01
D10	Diameter of turbine tubular tower (m)	4.000E+00	5.000E+00
D11=PI*(D10/2)^2/10^6	Area of turbine tower touching ground (km ²)	1.257E-05	1.963E-05
D12	Lifetime of wind turbine (yr)	3.000E+01	3.000E+01
D13 (S11)	Energy to manufacture one turbine (kWh/MW)	4.277E+05	1.141E+06
D14=D13*D2/(D12*1000)	Energy to manufacture one turbine (kWh/yr)	7.128E+04	1.901E+05
D15=0.5*(D6a+D6b)	Avg turbine energy output before transmission (kWh/yr)	1.574E+07	1.574E+07
D16=D3*D2/D15	Energy payback time (yr) for given turbine and winds	1.359E-01	3.624E-01
D17=D14*C4	Single-turbine CO ₂ emissions (g-CO ₂ e/yr)	4.339E+07	1.157E+08
D18=D17/D15	Single-turbine CO ₂ emissions (g-CO ₂ e/kWh)	2.757E+00	7.352E+00
D19	Time lag (yr) between planning and operation	2.000E+00	5.000E+00
D20	Time (yr) to refurbish after first lifetime	1.000E+00	2.000E+00
D21=C4*(D19+D20*(100yr/D12))/100yr	CO ₂ emissions due to time lag (g-CO ₂ e/kWh)	3.247E+01	7.102E+01
D22=D21-D21	Wind minus wind time lag CO ₂ (g-CO ₂ e/kWh)	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
Wind-powered battery-electric vehicles (wind-BEV)			
E1 (S12)	Battery effic. (delivered to input electricity ratio)	8.600E-01	7.500E-01
E2=A12/E1	Energy required for batteries for U.S. BEV (kWh/yr)	1.221E+12	1.576E+12
E3=E2/D8	Number of turbines required for U.S. wind-BEV	7.298E+04	1.439E+05
E4=E3*D9	Area to separate turbines for U.S. wind-BEV (km ²)	3.244E+04	6.397E+04
E5	Square km per square mile	2.590E+00	2.590E+00
E6	Land area of U.S. (50 states) (mi ²)	3.537E+06	3.537E+06
E7=E6*E5	Land area of U.S. (50 states) (km ²)	9.162E+06	9.162E+06
E8=E4/E7	Fraction of U.S. land turbine spacing for wind-BEV	3.541E-03	6.983E-03
E9	Land area of California (mi ²)	1.560E+05	1.560E+05
E10=E9*E5	Land area of California (km ²)	4.039E+05	4.039E+05
E11=E4/E10	California land fraction for spacing for U.S. wind-BEV	8.031E-02	1.584E-01
E12=E3*D11/E5	Footprint on ground U.S. wind-BEV (km ²)	9.170E-01	2.826E+00
E13=E12/E7	Fraction of U.S. land for footprint for all wind-BEV	1.001E-07	3.084E-07
E14=E3*D17/10^12	Wind-BEV onroad vehicles CO ₂ (MT-CO ₂ e/yr)	3.167E+00	1.665E+01
E15=(B9-E14)/B9	Percent reduction FFOV CO ₂ due to wind-BEV	9.984E+01	9.915E+01
E16=E15*B9/B6	Percent reduction US CO ₂ due to wind-BEV	3.268E+01	3.245E+01
E17 (AWEA, 2008S19)	Water for turbine manufacture (gal-H ₂ O/kWh)	1.000E-03	1.000E-03
E18=E17*D6*E3	Gal-H ₂ O/yr required to run U.S. wind-BEV	1.357E+09	1.854E+09
Wind-powered hydrogen fuel-cell vehicles (wind-HFCV)			
F1 (S2, S13)	hydrogen fuel cell efficiency (fraction)	5.000E-01	4.600E-01
F2=A10/F1	Energy required for U.S. HFCV (MJ/yr)	7.563E+12	9.248E+12
F3	Lower heating value of hydrogen (MJ/kg-H ₂)	1.200E+02	1.200E+02
F4=F2/F3	Mass of H ₂ required for fuel for HFCV (kg-H ₂ /yr)	6.304E+10	7.709E+10
F5 (S2, S13)	Leakage rate hydrogen (fraction)	3.000E-02	3.000E-02

F6=F4/(1-F5)	Mass of H2 required with leakage (kg-H2/yr)	6.499E+10	7.947E+10
F7	Higher heating value of hydrogen (MJ/kg-H2)	1.418E+02	1.418E+02
F8 (S14)	Electrolyzer efficiency	7.380E-01	7.380E-01
F9=F7/(F8*F2)	Electrolyzer energy needed per kg-H2 (kWh/kg-H2)	5.337E+01	5.337E+01
F10 (S15)	Compressor Motor size (kW)	3.000E+01	3.000E+01
F11 (S15)	Electricity use as function of motor size (fraction)	6.500E-01	6.500E-01
F12 (S15)	Capacity of compressor (kg/year)	3.030E+04	3.030E+04
F13=D5*F10*F11/F12	Compressor energy needed per kg-H2 (kWh/kg-H2)	5.639E+00	5.639E+00
F14=F9+F13	Electrolyzer+compressor en req. (kWh/kg-H2)	5.901E+01	5.901E+01
F15=F6*F14	Electrolyzer+compressor Energy for all H2 (kWh/yr)	3.835E+12	4.690E+12
F16=F15/D8	Number of turbines required for wind-HFCV	2.292E+05	4.284E+05
F17=F16*D9	Separation area for turbines for wind-HFCV (km2)	1.019E+05	1.904E+05
F18=F17/E7	Fraction of U.S. land for spacing for wind-HFCV	1.112E-02	2.078E-02
F19=F17/E10	Fraction of California land for spacing for wind-HFCV	2.522E-01	4.714E-01
F20=D11*F16/E5	Turbine ground footprint for wind-HFCV (km^2)	2.880E+00	8.411E+00
F21=F16/E3	Ratio of turbines, wind-HFCV:wind-BEV	3.140E+00	2.977E+00
F22=F16*D17/10^12	Wind-HFCV CO2 from turbine lifecycle (MT-CO2e/yr)	9.944E+00	4.957E+01
F23=(B9-F22)/B9	Percent reduction FFOV CO2 due to wind-HFCV	9.949E+01	9.746E+01
F24=F23*B9/B6	Percent reduction US CO2 due to wind-HFCV	3.257E+01	3.190E+01
F25	H2 Molecular weight (g/mol)	2.01588	2.01588
F26	H2O molecular weight (g/mol)	18.01528	18.01528
F27=F26/F25	Water required for electrolyzer (kg-H2O/kg-H2)	8.936682739	8.936682739
F28	Density of liquid water (kg/m3)	1000	1000
F29=F27*A6/F28	Water required for electrolyzer (gal-H2O/kg-H2)	2.361E+00	2.361E+00
F30=F29*F6	Water required for wind HFCV (gal-H2O/yr)	1.534E+11	1.876E+11
F31=E18*F16/E3	Water for turbine manufacturing (gal-H2O/yr)	4.261E+09	5.517E+09
F32=F30+F31	Total water required (gal-H2O/yr)	1.577E+11	1.931E+11
Solar PV panel characteristics			
G1 (S16)	Sample solar panel rated power (W)	1.600E+02	1.600E+02
G2 (S16)	Mean capacity factor accounting for sunlight, PVs, inverter	2.000E-01	1.000E-01
G3=G1*G2*D5/1000	Single-panel energy output before transmis. loss (kWh/yr)	2.803E+02	1.402E+02
G4	Transmission efficiency	9.500E-01	9.000E-01
G5=G3*G4	Single-panel output w/ transmis. loss (kWh/yr)	2.663E+02	1.261E+02
G6 (S16)	Sample solar panel area (m2) plus walking space	1.888E+00	1.888E+00
G7 (S17)	Lifetime of solar panel (yr)	3.000E+01	3.000E+01
G8 (S17)	Single-panel CO2 emissions (g-CO2e/kWh)	1.900E+01	5.900E+01
G9=G8*G3	Single-panel CO2 emissions (g-CO2e/yr)	5.326E+03	8.269E+03
G10	Time lag (yr) between planning and operation	2.000E+00	5.000E+00
G11	Time (yr) to refurbish after first lifetime	1.000E+00	2.000E+00
G12=C4*(G10+G11*100yr/ G7)/100yr	CO2 emissions due to time lag (g-CO2e/kWh)	3.247E+01	7.102E+01
G13=G12-D21	Solar PV minus wind time lag CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
Solar-PV powered battery-electric vehicles (PV-BEV)			
H1=E2/G5	Number of solar panels required for US PV-BEV	4.586E+09	1.249E+10
H2=H1*G6/10^6	Land+roof (km^2) for solar panels to power US PV-BEV	8.658E+03	2.358E+04
H3 (est.)	Fraction of solar panels on rooftops	3.000E-01	3.000E-01
H4=H2*(1-H3)	Land (km^2) for solar panels to power US PV-BEV	6.060E+03	1.650E+04
H5=H4/E7	Fraction of U.S. land for PV-BEV solar panels	6.615E-04	1.801E-03
H6=H4/E10	Fraction of California land for PV-BEV solar panels	1.500E-02	4.086E-02

H7=H4/E12	Ratio of solar-PV to wind land footprint for BEV	6.608E+03	5.841E+03
H8=H4/E4	Ratio of solar-PV to wind total spacing for BEV	1.868E-01	2.580E-01
H9=H1*(G9+G13)/10^12	PV-BEV CO2 emissions from solar panels (MT-CO2e/yr)	2.443E+01	1.033E+02
H10=100*(B9-H9)/B9	Percent reduction FFOV CO2 due to PV-BEV	9.875E+01	9.472E+01
H11=H109*B9/B6	Percent reduction US CO2 due to PV-BEV	3.232E+01	3.100E+01
H12 (S18,S19)	Water for building/cleaning panels (gal-H2O/kWh)	4.000E-02	4.000E-02
H13=H12*G3*H1	Gal-H2O/yr required to run U.S. PV-BEV	5.142E+10	7.002E+10
Corn Ethanol for E85 vehicles			
I1 (S20)	Efficiency of new E85 vehicles	3.200E-01	2.600E-01
I2=A10/I1	Energy required for new E85 vehicles 2007 (MJ/yr)	1.182E+13	1.636E+13
I3	Lower heating value of ETOH (MJ/kg)	2.680E+01	2.680E+01
I4	Density of ETOH (kg/m3)	7.870E+02	7.870E+02
I5=I3*I4/A6	Energy in ETOH (MJ/gal)	7.984E+01	7.984E+01
I6=I2/(0.2*A7+0.8*I5)	Gallons E85 for onroad vehicles (gal)	1.330E+11	1.841E+11
I7=I6*0.8	Gallons of ETOH in E85 for all U.S. onroad vehicles (gal)	1.064E+11	1.473E+11
I8=I6-I7	Gallons of gasoline in E85 for all U.S. onroad vehicles (gal)	2.660E+10	3.683E+10
I9 (S21)	kg-ETOH per bushel of corn	7.860E+00	7.860E+00
I10 (S21)	Bushels per acre on irrigated + nonirrigated land	1.810E+02	1.400E+02
I11	Square meters per acre	4.047E+03	4.047E+03
I12=I9*A6/I4	Gal-ETOH per bushel of corn	2.638E+00	2.638E+00
I13=I12*I10	Gal-ETOH per acre of dry corn	4.775E+02	3.694E+02
I14=I7/(I13*10^6)	Million acres of corn needed for all vehicles	2.228E+02	3.988E+02
I15=I14*I11	Square km of corn for all vehicles	9.016E+05	1.614E+06
I16=I15/E7	Fraction of U.S. land for corn-E85	9.840E-02	1.762E-01
I17=I15/E10	Fraction of California land for corn-E85	2.232E+00	3.995E+00
I18 (S22)	Total acres of harvested corn in U.S. 2003	7.350E+07	7.350E+07
I19 (S23)	Acres of irrigated corn U.S. 2003	9.750E+06	9.750E+06
I20=I19/I18	Fraction of harvested acres that are irrigated	1.327E-01	1.327E-01
I21 (S23)	Bushels per acre on irrigated land	1.780E+02	1.780E+02
I22=I21*I12	Gal-ETOH per acre of dry corn	4.696E+02	4.696E+02
I23 (S23)	Water required for corn (acre-feet-H2O/acre-land)	1.200E+00	1.200E+00
I24	U.S. gallons per acre-foot	3.259E+05	3.259E+05
I25=I23*I24/I22	Gal-H2O-irrigation/gal-ETOH	8.326E+02	8.326E+02
I26=I25*I20	Irrigated+nonirrigated gal-H2O/gal-ETOH	1.104E+02	1.104E+02
I27 (S24)	Gal-H2O-energy /gal-ETOH	1.100E-01	1.100E-01
I28 (S25)	Gal-H2O-factory/gal-ETOH	4.500E+00	4.500E+00
I29=I26+I27+I28	Total Gal-H2O/gal-ETOH	1.151E+02	1.151E+02
I30=I29*I7	Gal-H2O/yr required for all U.S. onroad vehicles	1.224E+13	1.695E+13
I31 (S26)	Total U.S. water use 2000 (gal/day)	4.080E+11	4.080E+11
I32=I31*365 days/yr	Total U.S. water use 2000 (gal/year)	1.489E+14	1.489E+14
I33=I30/I32	Fraction of U.S. water demand for corn-E85	8.220E-02	1.138E-01
I34=I15/E7	Ratio of corn-E85 to wind-BEV land footprint	9.831E+05	5.711E+05
I35 (S6, S28)	Percent change in FFOV CO2 with 100% corn-E85	-2.400E+00	9.300E+01
I36=I35*B9/B6	Percent change in US CO2 with 100% corn-E85	-7.856E-01	3.044E+01
I37=I36*0.30	Percent change in US CO2 with 30% corn-E85	-2.357E-01	9.133E+00
Cellulosic ethanol for E85 (cel-E85) vehicles			
J1 (S27, S29)	Tons dry matter/acre	1.000E+01	2.300E+00
J2 (S27)	Gallons-ETOH/ton-dry matter	1.000E+02	8.000E+01
J3=J1*J2	Gallons-ETOH/acre	1.000E+03	1.840E+02

J4=I7/(J3*10^6)	Million acres of switchgrass for all vehicles	1.064E+02	8.006E+02
J5=J4*I11	Square km of switchgrass for all cel-E85	4.305E+05	3.240E+06
J6=J5/E7	Fraction of U.S. land for cel-E85	4.699E-02	3.536E-01
J7=J5/E10	Fraction of California land for cel-E85	1.066E+00	8.021E+00
J8=J5/E12	Ratio of cel-E85 to wind-BEV land footprint	4.695E+05	1.147E+06
J9=J5/E4	Ratio of cel-E85 to wind-BEV total spacing	1.327E+01	5.064E+01
J10=0.5*I26	Irrigated+nonirrigated gal-H2O/gal-ETOH	5.522E+01	5.522E+01
J11=J10+I27+I28	Total Gal-H2O/gal-ETOH	5.983E+01	5.983E+01
J12=J11*I7	Gal-H2O/yr required for U.S. cel-E85	6.366E+12	8.814E+12
J13=J12/I32	Fraction of U.S. water demand for cel-E85	4.275E-02	5.919E-02
J14 (S6,S28)	Percent change FFOV CO2 with 100% cel-E85	-5.000E+01	5.000E+01
J15=J14*B9/B6	Percent change in US CO2 with 100% cel-E85	-1.637E+01	1.637E+01
J16=J15*0.30	Percent change in US CO2 with 30% cel-E85	-4.910E+00	+4.910E+00
Nuclear-powered battery-electric vehicles (nuclear-BEV)			
K1 (S30)	Average nuclear power plant size (MW)	8.470E+02	8.470E+02
K2 (S31)	Capacity factor globally 2005	8.590E-01	8.590E-01
K3=K1*K2*1000*D5	Energy per plant before transmission (kWh/yr)	6.374E+09	6.374E+09
K4=G4	Transmission efficiency	9.500E-01	9.000E-01
K5=K3*K4	Energy per plant after transmission (kWh/yr)	6.055E+09	5.736E+09
K6=E2/K5	Number nuclear plants to run U.S. nuclear-BEV	2.017E+02	2.747E+02
K7 (S32)	Nuclear CO2 lifecycle emissions (g-CO2e/kWh)	9.000E+00	7.000E+01
K8 (S33)	H2O evaporation nuclear (gal/kWh)	4.000E-01	7.200E-01
K9=K8*K3*K6	Gal-H2O/yr required to run U.S. nuclear-BEVs	5.142E+11	1.260E+12
K10=K9/I30	Fraction of U.S. water demand for nuclear-BEV	3.453E-03	8.464E-03
K11=K10*F16/E3	Fraction of U.S. water demand for nuclear-HFCV	1.084E-02	2.519E-02
K12 (S34)	Land required for mining uranium (ha-year/GWh)	6.000E-02	6.000E-02
K13 (S34)	Footprint+buffer for nuclear facility (ha-year/GWh)	2.600E-01	2.600E-01
K14 (S34)	Land for waste disposal for one plant (km^2)	8.000E-02	8.000E-02
K15	km^2 per hectare	1.000E-02	1.000E-02
K16=(K12+K13)*K15*K3/10^6+K14	Land (km^2) for one nuclear facility with buffer	2.048E+01	2.048E+01
K17 (S35)	Land (km^2) for nuclear facility buildings only	1.000E+00	4.000E+00
K18=K12*K3*K15/10^6+K14+K17	Footprint on ground (km^2) for one facility	4.904E+00	7.904E+00
K19=K16*K6	Land with buffer (km^2) to run US nuclear BEV	4.130E+03	5.624E+03
K20=K18*K6	Footprint on ground (km^2) to run US nuclear-BEV	9.892E+02	2.171E+03
K21=K19/E7	Fraction of US land for nuclear-BEV	4.508E-04	6.138E-04
K22=K21/E7	Fraction of US land for footprint of nuclear-BEV	1.080E-04	2.370E-04
K23=K20/E12	Ratio of nuclear to wind land footprint for BEV	1.079E+03	7.683E+02
K24=K19/E4	Ratio of nuclear to wind total spacing for BEV	1.273E-01	8.791E-02
K25	Lifetime of nuclear power plant (yr)	4.000E+01	4.000E+01
K26 (see text)	Time lag (yr) between planning and operation	1.000E+01	1.900E+01
K27	Time (yr) to refurbish after first lifetime	2.000E+00	4.000E+00
K28=C4*(K26+K27*100yr/K25)/100yr	CO2 emissions due to time lag (g-CO2e/kWh)	9.131E+01	1.765E+02
K29=K28-D21	Nuclear minus wind time lag CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	5.884E+01	1.055E+02
K30 (see text)	Nuclear emissions from war/terrorism (g-CO2e/kWh)	0.000E+00	4.100E+00
K31=(K7+K28+K30)*E2/10^12	Nuclear-BEV CO2 emissions (MT-CO2e/yr)	8.286E+01	2.830E+02
K32=100*(B9-K31)/B9	Percent reduction FFOV CO2 due to nuclear-BEVs.	9.576E+01	8.552E+01
K33=K32*B9/B6	Percent reduction US CO2 due to nuclear-BEVs	3.135E+01	2.799E+01

Hydroelectric powered battery-electric vehicles (hydro-BEV)			
L1 (S34)	Selected plant size (MW)	1.296E+03	1.296E+03
L2 (S36)	Capacity factor	4.240E-01	4.240E-01
L3=L1*L2*1000*D5	Energy per plant before transmission (kWh/yr)	4.814E+09	4.814E+09
L4=L3*G4	Energy per plant after transmission (kWh/yr)	4.573E+09	4.332E+09
L5=E2/L4	Number of hydro plants to run U.S. hydro-BEV	2.671E+02	3.637E+02
L6 (S34, S37)	Hydro CO2 emissions (g-CO2e/kWh)	1.700E+01	2.160E+01
L7 (S38, see text)	H2O evaporation hydroelectric (gal/kWh)	4.500E+00	7.560E+00
L8=L8*L3*L6	Gal-H2O/yr required to run U.S. BEVs	5.785E+12	1.323E+13
L9=L8/I31	Fraction of U.S. water demand for hydro-BEV	3.885E-02	8.887E-02
L10=L3*F15/E2	Fraction of U.S. water demand for hydro-HFCV	1.220E-01	2.645E-01
L11 (S34)	Area(km ²) required for single reservoir	6.531E+02	6.531E+02
L12=L11*L5	Area (km ²) required to run U.S. BEVs	1.744E+05	2.375E+05
L13=L12/E7	Fraction of US land for hydro-BEV	1.904E-02	2.592E-02
L14=L12/E12	Ratio of hydro to wind land footprint for BEV	1.902E+05	8.405E+04
L15=L12/E4	Ratio of hydro to wind total spacing for BEV	5.377E+00	3.713E+00
L16 (see text)	Lifetime of hydro power plant (yr)	8.000E+01	8.000E+01
L17 (see text)	Time lag (yr) between planning and operation	8.000E+00	1.600E+01
L18	Time (yr) to refurbish after first lifetime	2.000E+00	3.000E+00
L19=C4*(L17+L18*100yr/L16)/100yr	CO2 emissions due to time lag (g-CO2e/kWh)	6.392E+01	1.202E+02
L20=L19-D21	Hydro minus wind time lag CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	3.145E+01	4.920E+01
L21=(L6+L20)*E2/10 ¹²	Hydro-BEV CO2 emissions (MT-CO2e/yr)	5.917E+01	1.116E+02
L22=100*(B9-L21)/B9	Percent reduction FFOV CO2 due to hydro-BEVs (%)	9.697E+01	9.429E+01
L23=L22*B9/B6	Percent reduction US CO2 due to hydro-BEVs (%)	3.174E+01	3.087E+01
Concentrated solar power powered battery electric vehicles (CSP-BEV) without storage			
M1	Typical plant size (MW)	1.000E+02	1.000E+02
M2 (S39)	Capacity factor without storage	2.500E-01	1.300E-01
M3=M1*M2*1000*D5	Energy per plant before transmission (kWh/yr)	2.190E+08	1.139E+08
M4=G4	Transmission efficiency	9.500E-01	9.000E-01
M5=M3*M4	Energy per plant after transmission (kWh/yr)	2.081E+08	1.025E+08
M6=E2/M5	Number CSP plants to run U.S. CSP-BEV	5.870E+03	1.537E+04
M7 (S40)	Lifetime of CSP plant (yr)	3.000E+01	3.000E+01
M8 (S40, S41)	Energy payback time (yr)	4.167E-01	5.583E-01
M9=0.5*(M3a+M3b)	Avg energy per plant before transmission (kWh/yr)	1.752E+08	1.664E+08
M10=M9*M8/M7	Energy to manufacture one CSP plant (kWh/yr)	2.433E+06	3.098E+06
M11=M10*C4	Single-CSP plant CO2 emissions (g-CO2e/yr)	1.148E+09	1.886E+09
M12=M11/M9	Single-CSP plant CO2 emissions (g-CO2e/kWh)	8.454E+00	1.133E+01
M13 (S42)	H2O consumption wet-cool parabolic trough (gal/kWh)	7.770E-01	7.770E-01
M14=M13*M3*M6	Gal-H2O/yr required to run U.S. CSP-BEV	9.989E+11	1.360E+12
M15=M14/I32	Fraction of U.S. water demand for wet-cool CSP BEV	6.708E-03	9.134E-03
M16=M14*F15/E2	Fraction of U.S. water demand for wet-cool CSP HFCV	2.106E-02	2.719E-02
M17 (S42)	Land area required (km ²) per installed MW CSP	1.900E-02	2.430E-02
M18=M17*M1	Land area required (km ²) for one 100 MW plant	1.900E+00	2.430E+00
M19=M18*M6	Land area (km ²) required to run U.S. CSP-BEV	1.115E+04	3.735E+04
M20=M19/E7	Fraction of U.S. land for CSP-BEV	1.217E-03	4.077E-03
M21=M19/E10	Fraction of California land for CSP-BEV	2.761E-02	9.248E-02
M22=M19/E12	Ratio of CSP to wind footprint area for BEV	1.216E+04	1.322E+04

M23=M19/E4	Ratio of CSP to wind spacing area for BEV	3.438E-01	5.839E-01
M24 (see text)	Time lag (yr) between planning and operation	2.000E+00	5.000E+00
M25	Time (yr) to refurbish after first lifetime	1.000E+00	2.000E+00
M26=C4*(M24+M25*100yr/M7)/100yr	CO2 emissions due to time lag (g-CO2e/kWh)	3.247E+01	7.102E+01
M27=M26-D20	CSP minus wind time lag CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	0.000E+00	0.000E+00
M28=(M12+M27)*E2/10 ¹²	CSP-BEV CO2 emissions (MT-CO2e/yr)	1.033E+01	1.785E+01
M29=100*(B9-M28)/B9	Percent reduction FFOV CO2 due to CSP-BEVs (%)	9.947E+01	9.909E+01
M30=M29*B9/B6	Percent reduction US CO2 due to CSP-BEVs (%)	3.256E+01	3.243E+01
Coal with CCS powering battery-electric vehicles (CCS-BEV)			
N1 (S34)	Typical plant size (MW)	4.250E+02	4.250E+02
N2 (S34, S43)	Capacity factor	8.500E-01	6.500E-01
N3=N1*N2*1000*D5	Energy per plant before transmission (kWh/yr)	3.165E+09	2.420E+09
N4 (S41)	Increase in energy required for CCS (fraction)	1.400E-01	4.000E-01
N5=N3/(1+N4)	Energy available for transmission (kWh/yr)	2.776E+09	1.729E+09
N6=N5*M4	Energy per plant after transmission (kWh/yr)	2.637E+09	1.556E+09
N7=E2/N6	Number of coal plants to run U.S. CCS-BEV	4.631E+02	1.013E+03
N8 (S44)	Coal CO2 direct emissions w/o CCS (g-CO2/kWh)	7.900E+02	1.017E+03
N9 (S43)	CCS CO2 reduction efficiency	9.000E-01	8.500E-01
N10=N8*(1-N9)	Coal CO2 direct emissions w/ CCS (g-CO2/kWh)	7.900E+01	1.526E+02
N11(S44)	Coal non-direct lifecycle CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	1.760E+02	2.890E+02
N12=N10+N11	Total lifecycle coal-CCS CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	2.550E+02	4.416E+02
N13 (S45)	H2O consumption from coal-fired power (gal/kWh)	4.900E-01	4.900E-01
N14=N13*N3*N7	Gal-H2O/yr required to run U.S. CCS-BEV	7.181E+11	1.201E+12
N15=N14/I32	Fraction of U.S. water demand for CCS-BEV	4.822E-03	8.064E-03
N16 (S34)	Land area for coal facility (km ²)	1.290E+00	1.290E+00
N17 (S34)	Land area for rail to transport coal (km ²)	8.600E-02	8.600E-02
N18 (S34)	Land area for coal mining (km ²)	3.800E+00	3.800E+00
N19=N16+N17+N18	Total land area for one coal plant (km ²)	5.176E+00	5.176E+00
N20=N19*N7	Land area (km ²) to run U.S. CCS-BEV	2.397E+03	5.242E+03
N21=N20/E7	Fraction of U.S. land for CCS-BEV	2.616E-04	5.722E-04
N22=N20/E12	Ratio of CCS to wind footprint area for BEV	2.614E+03	1.855E+03
N23=N20/E4	Ratio of CCS to wind spacing area for BEV	7.390E-02	8.194E-02
N24	Lifetime of coal-CCS power plant (yr)	3.500E+01	3.000E+01
N25 (see text)	Time lag (yr) between planning and operation	8.000E+00	1.600E+01
N26	Time (yr) to refurbish after first lifetime	2.000E+00	3.000E+00
N27=C4*(N25+N26*100yr/N24)/100yr	CO2 emissions due to time lag (g-CO2e/kWh)	8.348E+01	1.583E+02
N28=N27-D21	Coal-CCS minus wind time lag CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	5.102E+01	8.725E+01
N29=N8-N10	CO2 injection rate into ground (g-CO2/kWh)	7.110E+02	8.645E+02
N30 (see text)	E-folding lifetime against leakage	1.000E+05	5.000E+03
N31=N29-N29*N30*(1-exp(-500yr/N30))/500yr	Average leakage over 500 years (g-CO2/kWh)	1.775E+00	4.182E+01
N32=(N11+N28+N31)*E2/10 ¹²	CCS-BEV CO2 emissions (MT-CO2e/yr)	3.759E+02	8.990E+02
N33=100*(B9-N32)/B9	Percent reduction FFOV CO2 due to CCS-BEVs	8.077E+01	5.400E+01
N34=N33*B9/B6	Percent reduction US CO2 due to CCS-BEVs	2.644E+01	1.768E+01
Geothermal-powered battery-electric vehicles (geo-BEV)			
O1	Typical plant size (MW)	1.000E+02	1.000E+02

O2 (S46)	Capacity factor	9.700E-01	8.900E-01
O3=O1*O2*1000*D5	Energy per plant before transmission (kWh/yr)	8.497E+08	7.796E+08
O4=O3*G4	Energy per plant after transmission (kWh/yr)	8.072E+08	7.017E+08
O5=E2/M4	Number of geothermal plants to run U.S. geo-BEV	1.513E+03	2.245E+03
O6 (S46, S47)	Geothermal lifecycle CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	1.510E+01	5.500E+01
O7 (S46)	H2O consumption from geothermal (gal/kWh)	5.000E-03	5.000E-03
O8=O7*O3*O5	Gal-H2O/yr required to run U.S. geo-BEV	6.428E+09	8.753E+09
O9=O8/I32	Fraction of U.S. water demand for geo-BEV	4.316E-05	5.878E-05
O10 (S46)	Geothermal land requirement (m ² /GWh)	4.040E+02	4.040E+02
O11=O10*O3	Land area (km ²) for one plant	3.433E-01	3.150E-01
O12=O11*O5	Land area (km ²) to run U.S. geo-BEV	5.194E+02	7.072E+02
O13=O12/E7	Fraction of U.S. land for geo-BEV	5.669E-05	7.719E-05
O14=O12/E12	Ratio of geothermal to wind footprint area for BEV	5.664E+02	2.503E+02
O15=O12/E4	Ratio of geothermal to wind spacing area for BEV	1.601E-02	1.106E-02
O16	Lifetime of geothermal power plant (yr)	4.000E+01	3.000E+01
O17 (see text)	Time lag (yr) between planning and operation	3.000E+00	6.000E+00
O18	Time (yr) to refurbish after first lifetime	1.000E+00	2.000E+00
O19=C4*(O17+O18*100yr/O16)/100yr	CO2 emissions due to time lag (g-CO2e/kWh)	3.348E+01	7.710E+01
O20=O19-D21	Geothermal minus wind time lag CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	1.015E+00	6.087E+00
O21=(O6+O20)*E2/10 ¹²	Geo-BEV CO2 emissions (MT-CO2e/yr)	1.968E+01	9.624E+01
O22=100*(B9-O21)/B9	Percent reduction FFOV CO2 due to geo-BEVs	9.899E+01	9.508E+01
O23=O22*B9/B6	Percent reduction US CO2 due to geo-BEVs	3.240E+01	3.112E+01
Wave-powered battery-electric vehicles (wave-BEV)			
P1 (S48)	Device size (MW)	7.500E-01	7.500E-01
P2 (S48)	Nominal wave power (kW/m)	5.500E+01	5.500E+01
P3 (S48)	Nominal energy per device before transmis. (kWh/yr)	2.700E+06	2.700E+06
P4 (S49)	Actual wave power (kW/m)	3.400E+01	2.800E+01
P5=(P7/P2)*P3/(P1*D5*1000)	Capacity factor	2.540E-01	2.092E-01
P6=P1*P5*1000*D5	Energy per device before transmission (kWh/yr)	1.669E+06	1.375E+06
P7=P6*G4	Energy per device after transmission (kWh/yr)	1.586E+06	1.237E+06
P8=E2/P7	Number of wave devices to run U.S. wave-BEV	7.703E+05	1.274E+06
P9 (S50)	Wave CO2 emissions (g-CO2e/kWh)	2.170E+01	2.170E+01
P10 (S48)	Width of wave device (m)	3.500E+00	3.500E+00
P11 (S48)	Length of wave device (m)	1.500E+02	1.500E+02
P12=P10*P11/10 ⁶	Ocean surface footprint (km ²) for one wave device	5.250E-04	5.250E-04
P13=P12*P8	Ocean surface footprint (km ²) to run U.S. wave-BEV	4.044E+02	6.686E+02
P14 (S48)	Ocean surface array spacing (km ²) for one wave device	2.500E-02	2.500E-02
P15=P14*P8	Ocean surface array spacing (km ²) to run U.S. wave-BEV	1.926E+04	3.184E+04
P16=P15/E7	Fraction of U.S. land (over the ocean) for wave-BEV	2.102E-03	3.475E-03
P17=P13/E12	Ratio of wave to wind footprint area for BEV	4.410E+02	2.366E+02
P18=P15/E4	Ratio of wave to wind spacing area for BEV	5.936E-01	4.977E-01
P19 (S50)	Lifetime of wave device (yr)	1.500E+01	1.500E+01
P20 (see text)	Time lag (yr) between planning and operation	2.000E+00	5.000E+00
P21	Time (yr) to refurbish after first lifetime	1.000E+00	2.000E+00
P22=C4*(P20+P21*100yr/P19)/100yr	CO2 emissions due to time lag (g-CO2e/kWh)	5.276E+01	1.116E+02
P23=P22-D20	Wave minus wind time lag CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	2.029E+01	4.058E+01
P24=(P9+P23)*E2/10 ¹²	Wave-BEV CO2 emissions (MT-CO2e/yr)	5.129E+01	9.813E+01

P25=100*(B9-P24)/B9	Percent reduction FFOV CO2 due to wave-BEVs	9.738E+01	9.498E+01
P26=P25*B9/B6	Percent reduction US CO2 due to wave-BEVs	3.187E+01	3.109E+01
P27 (AWEA, 2008S19)	Water for device manufacture (gal-H2O/kWh)	1.000E-03	1.000E-03
P28=P27*P6*P8	Gal-H2O/yr required to run U.S. wave-BEV	1.286E+09	1.751E+09
Tidal-powered battery-electric vehicles (tidal-BEV)			
Q1 (S51)	Tidal turbine rated power (MW)	1.000E+00	1.000E+00
Q2 (S52)	Capacity factor	3.500E-01	2.000E-01
Q3=Q1*Q2*1000*D5	Energy per device before transmission (kWh/yr)	3.066E+06	1.752E+06
Q4=Q3*G4	Energy per device after transmission (kWh/yr)	2.913E+06	1.577E+06
Q5=E2/Q4	Number of tidal devices to run U.S. tidal-BEV	4.193E+05	9.992E+05
Q6 (S37)	Tidal CO2 emissions (g-CO2e/kWh)	1.400E+01	1.400E+01
Q7 (S51)	Turbine rotor diameter (m)	1.150E+01	1.150E+01
Q8 (S51)	Ocean floor footprint (km^2) for one tidal device	2.880E-04	2.880E-04
Q9=Q8*Q5	Ocean floor footprint (km^2) to run U.S. tidal-BEV	1.208E+02	2.878E+02
Q10=(4*Q7)*(7*Q7)/10^6 (S10)	Ocean floor array spacing (km^2) for one tidal device	3.703E-03	3.703E-03
Q11=Q10*Q5	Ocean floor array spacing (km^2) to run U.S. tidal-BEV	1.553E+03	3.700E+03
Q12=Q11/E7	Fraction of U.S. land (over ocean floor) for tidal-BEV	1.695E-04	4.038E-04
Q13=Q9/E12	Ratio of tidal to wind footprint area for BEV	1.317E+02	1.018E+02
Q14=Q11/E4	Ratio of tidal to wind spacing area for BEV	4.786E-02	5.784E-02
Q15 (same as wave)	Lifetime of tidal turbine (yr)	1.500E+01	1.500E+01
Q16 (see text)	Time lag (yr) between planning and operation	2.000E+00	5.000E+00
Q17	Time (yr) to refurbish after first lifetime	1.000E+00	2.000E+00
Q18=C4*(Q16+Q17*100yr/ Q15)/100yr	CO2 emissions due to time lag (g-CO2e/kWh)	5.276E+01	1.116E+02
Q19=Q18-D21	Tidal minus wind time lag CO2 (g-CO2e/kWh)	2.029E+01	4.058E+01
Q20=(Q6+Q19)*E2/10^12	Tidal-BEV CO2 emissions (MT-CO2e/yr)	4.188E+01	8.599E+01
Q21=100*(B9-Q20)/B9	Percent reduction FFOV CO2 due to tidal-BEVs	9.786E+01	9.560E+01
Q22=Q21*B9/B6	Percent reduction US CO2 due to tidal-BEVs	3.203E+01	3.129E+01
Q23 (S19)	Water for turbine manufacture (gal-H2O/kWh)	1.000E-03	1.000E-03
Q24=Q23*Q3*Q5	Gal-H2O/yr required to run U.S. tidal-BEV	1.286E+09	1.751E+09
U.S. energy consumption			
R1 (S53)	Coal electricity kWh/yr 2007	2.024E+12	2.024E+12
R2 (S53)	Oil electricity kWh/yr 2007	5.364E+10	5.364E+10
R3 (S53)	NatGas electricity kWh/yr 2007	8.815E+11	8.815E+11
R4=E2	WBEV Vehicles kWh/yr 2007	1.221E+12	1.576E+12
R5=(B2+B5)*(R1+R2+R3+ R4)/(B6-B2-B5)	Other kWh/yr	2.320E+12	2.517E+12
Number of wind turbines required to displace CO2			
S1=R1/D8	Number of turbines to displace U.S. coal electricity	1.210E+05	1.849E+05
S2=R2/D8	Number of turbines to displace U.S. oil electricity	3.205E+03	4.900E+03
S3=R3/D8	Number of turbines to displace U.S. natgas electricity	5.267E+04	8.052E+04
S4=E3	Number of turbines to power U.S. BEVs	7.298E+04	1.439E+05
S5=R5/D8	Number of turbines to displace other U.S. sources	1.386E+05	2.299E+05
S6=S1+S2+S3+S4+S5	Number of turbines to displace all U.S. CO2	3.884E+05	6.441E+05
S7=B7*S6/B6	Number of turbines to displace world CO2	2.176E+06	3.608E+06

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