# Sourcing Sales of Electricity





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- State Studies and Regulations
- Tangible Personal Property vs. Service
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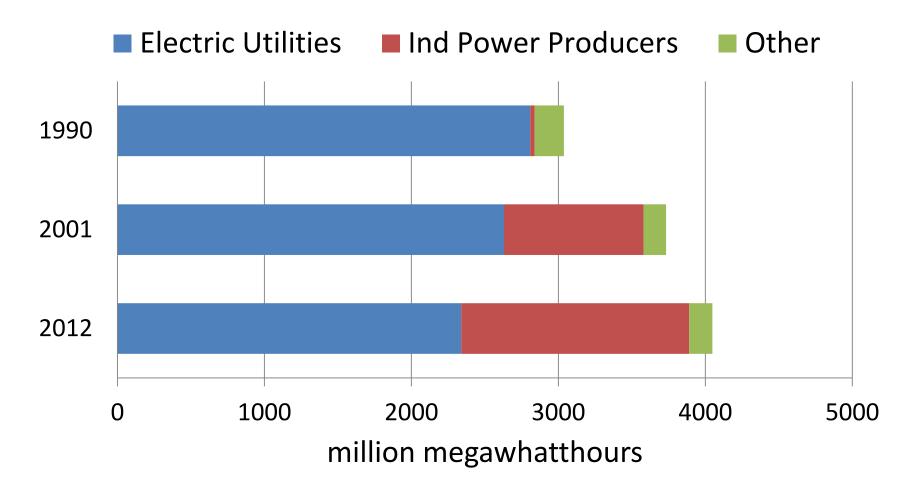




 UDITPA Was not Intended to Apply to Regulated Utilities

## Net Generation by Sector

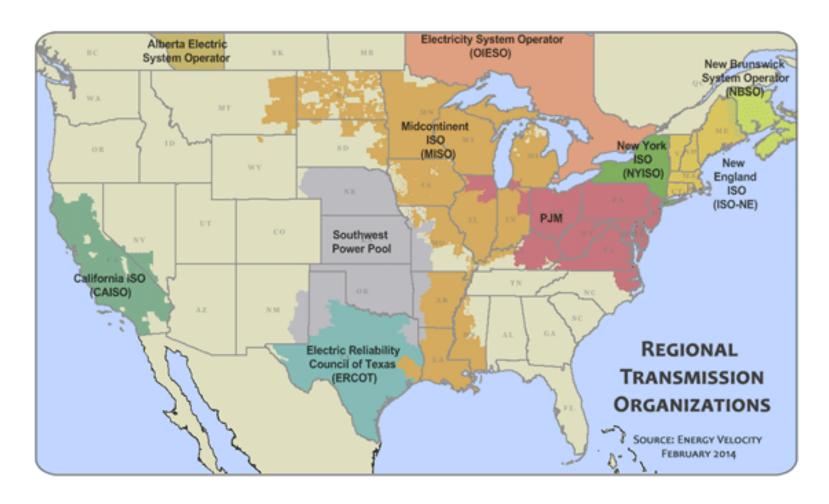




Source: Energy Information Administration, Electric Power Annual, Various Years

## Regional Transmission Organizations



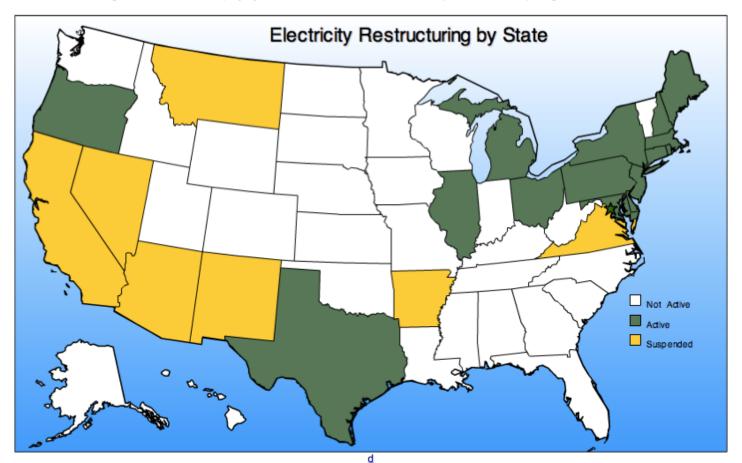


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### **Retail Competition**



- . The map below shows information on the electric industry restructuring. Click on a State for details.
- · Restructuring means that a monopoly system of electric utilities has been replaced with competing sellers.



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#### **State Studies**





- NESTOA
- Arkansas
- Minnesota
- Oklahoma
- Pennsylvania
- Washington
- Federation of Tax Administrators
- National Conference of State Legislators (NCSL)

#### State Regulations





- Massachusetts
   Special sales factor rules for electric industry taxpayers.
- Oregon
   Sales is sourced to Oregon if the delivery is to Oregon.

### What is Electricity?





For Income Tax Purposes, States Definite Electricity As

Tangible Personal Property (31)
Service (6)
Intangible Property (4)
Other (2)

Source: Multistate Corporate Tax Guide (Healy and Schadewald), Sales of Electricity, CCH, Wolters Kluwer.

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#### **Recent Cases**

- Pacificorp (2002)
- Powerex (2012)
- EUA Ocean (2006)

#### **Next Steps**

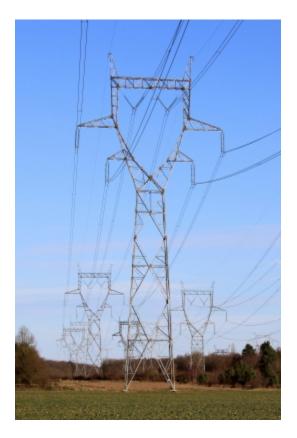




- Solicit Industry Involvement
- Educational Phase
- Survey the States
- Review NESTOA
   Proposal and State
   Regulations
- Review sourcing rules for natural gas

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