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Geothermal Energy Categories

Electricity

Binary Fluids (195-300°F)
- Coproduction

Hydrothermal > 300°F

EGS > 300°F
- Sedimentary Basin
- Hot Dry Rock
- largest projects

Geopressured



Timeline of Geothermal - Oil & Gas Focus

1975 Texas Geothermal Resources Act written

1989 First Geopressure

2009 Texas H.B. 4433 Hydrocarbon Tax Exemption from Severance
Oil/Gas Tax for Geothermal Wells

2009 RPSEA.org awards project to Gulf Coast Green Energy and
Denbury Resource in central MS

2009 DOE Geothermal Technologies program funds projects in
ND, TX, LA

2010 Oregon Institute of Tech. powers-up with PWPS PureCycle®

2010 DOE Geothermal Low-Temperature "Road Mapping" plan
established

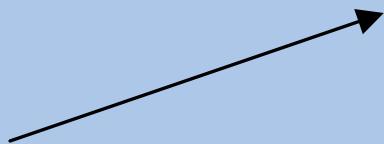
2011 North Dakota research project compares all current binary
technologies for oil field settings and presents at SMU
Geothermal Conference in June.

2012 New National Geothermal Database System includes all of
Texas RRC O/G data for geothermal projects.





Extending the life of oil/ga fields



Geothermal development in O/G fields is right on target!

Currently experimental in US, Australia, Germany, & UK

The Future is UP OU!