**Topic #1**

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Energy is essential to our society to ensure our quality of life and to underpin all other elements of our economy. Renewable energy technologies offers the promise of clean, abundant energy gathered from self-renewing resources such as the sun, wind, earth, and plants. Virtually all region of the United States and the world has renewable resources of one type or another.

Renewable resources currently account for about 10% of the energy consumed in the United States, most of this is from hydropower and traditional biomass sources. Wind, solar biomass, and geothermal technologies are cost-effective today in an increasing nunber of markets, and is making important steps to broader commercialization.

Each of the renewable energy technologies is in a different stage of reserch, development, and commercialization and all have differences in current and futur expected costs, current industrial base, resource availability, and potential inpact on greenhouse gaz emissions.

The technical status, cost, and applications of major renewable energy technologies and implications for increased adoption of renewables will be review.

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	+ Essential ≠
	+ Availability ≠
	+ Major ≠
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Arabic, French.

