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The Water Conservation Opportunities Because of the Rapid Rise in Water and Sewer Rates

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What Will be Covered

- A brief survey of the cost of water and wastewater to the customer
- A look at the opportunities
- How to put the cost of water into terms that People can really understand

Cost of Water

Circle of Blue

May 7, 2014

<http://www.circleofblue.org/waternews/2014/world/price-water-2014-6-percent-30-major-u-s-cities-33-percent-rise-since-2010/>

***Price of Water 2014: Up 6
Percent in 30 Major U.S.
Cities; 33 Percent Rise Since
2010***

Long-term trends in consumer prices (CPI) for utilities

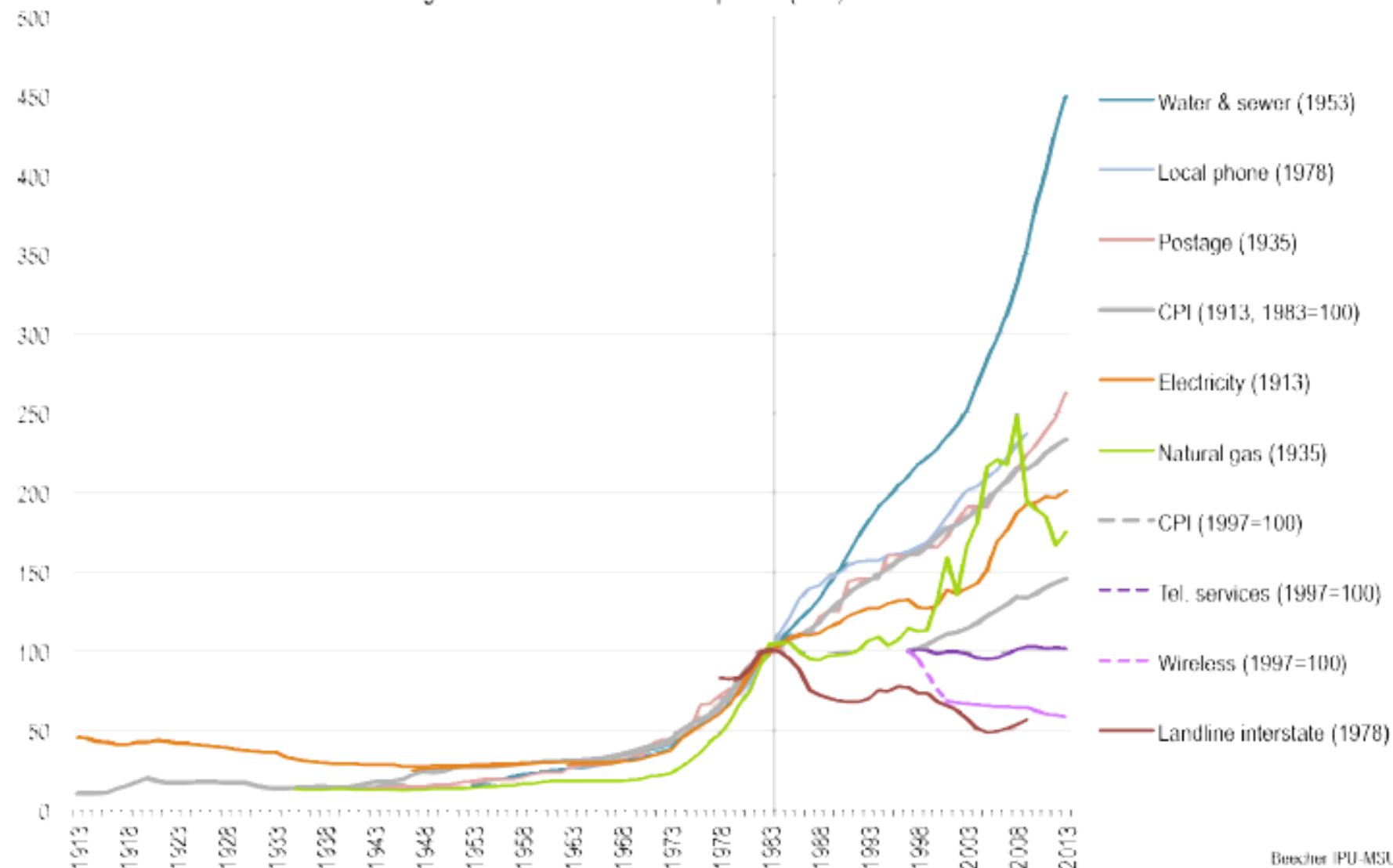
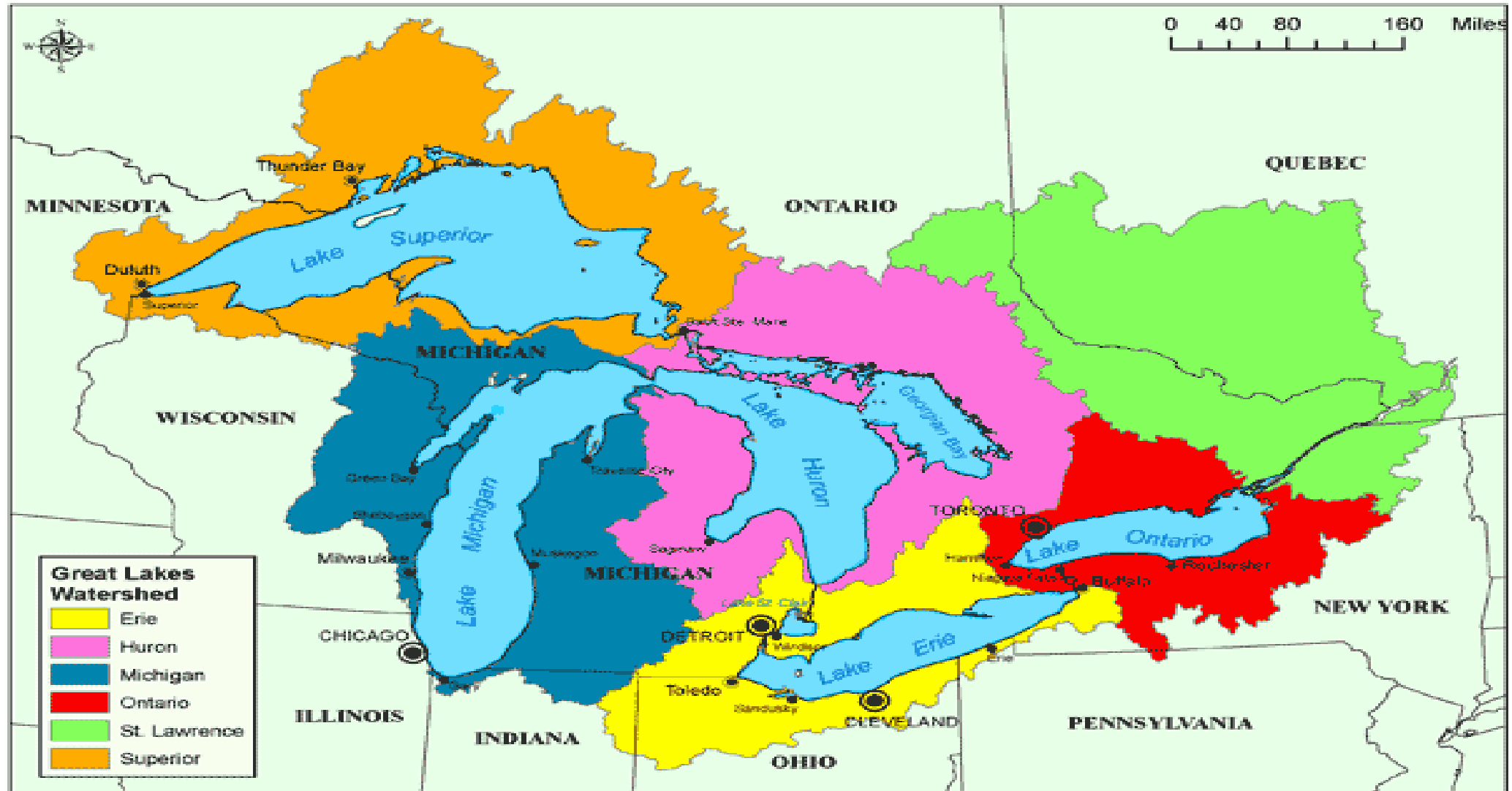


Exhibit 1. Long-term trends in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for utilities (1913-2013). The index is set to 100 for 1982-1984 except for telephone and wireless services, where the index is set to 100 for 1997. Year (*) indicates start of series.

Even in Chicago, the Mayor Wants to Double Water Rates!

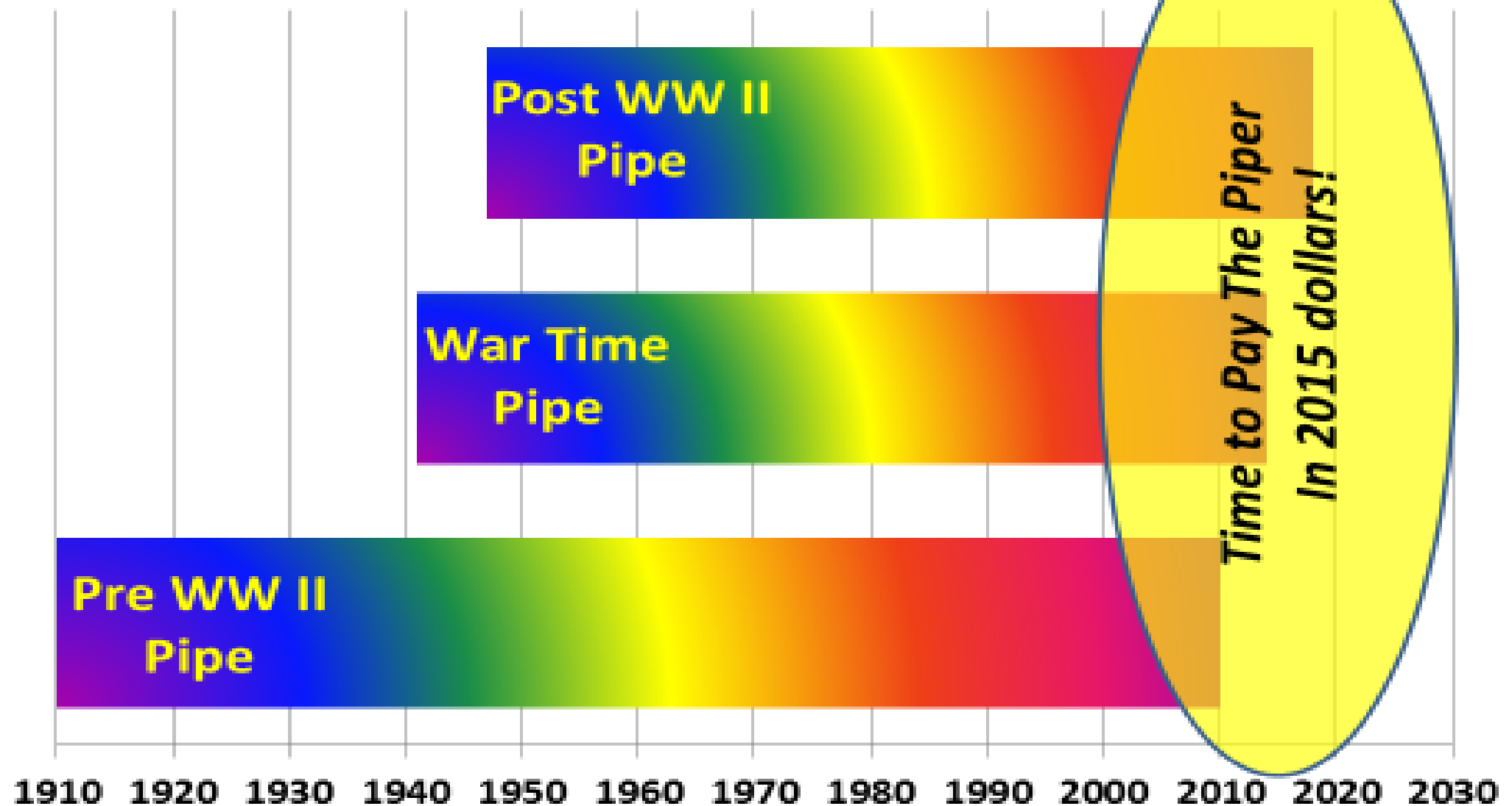


"Water is the
oil of the 21st
century."

*Andrew Liveris,
Chief Executive,
Dow Chemical Co.,
August 2008.*

American Society of Civil Engineers
gives the nation's water systems
a grade of
D,
the lowest grade of any infrastructure
including roads and bridges.

Life Cycle of Large Water Pipes

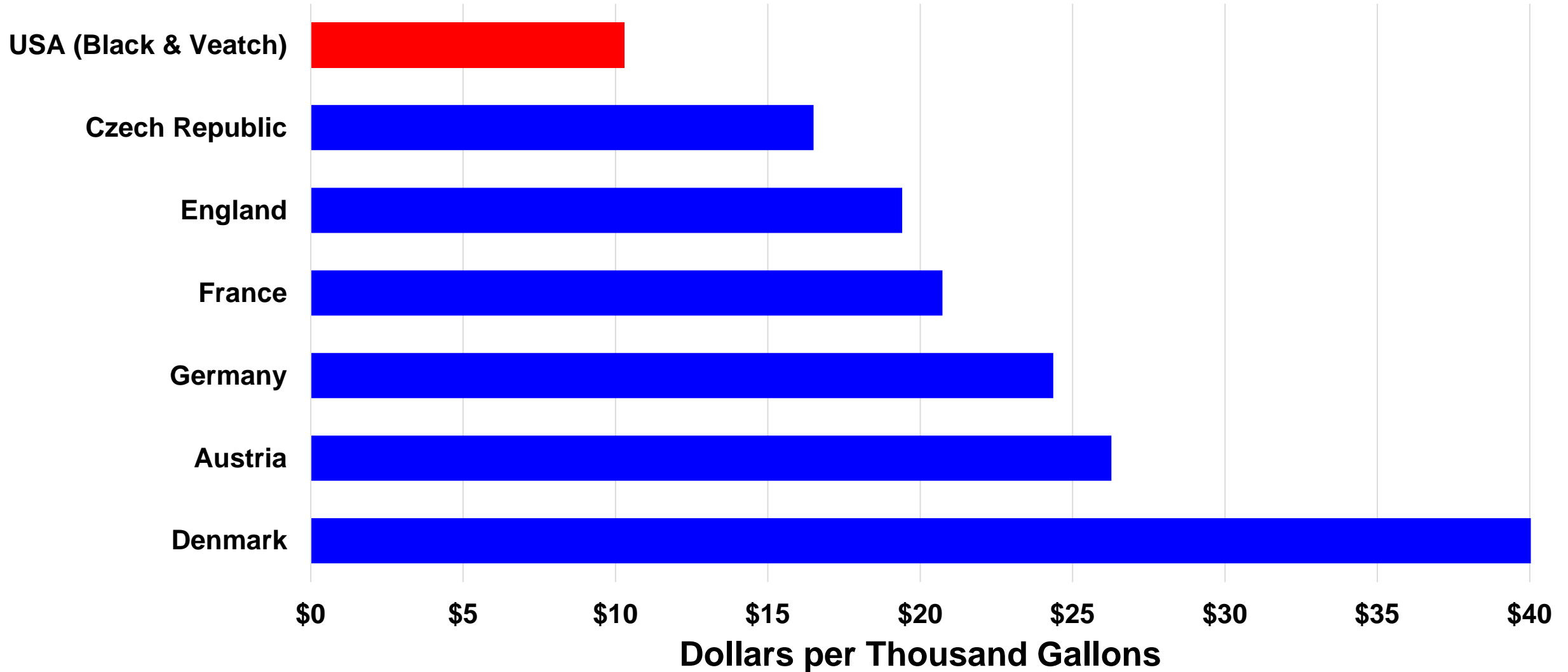


Average Residential Water and Sewer Rates in European Countries Compared to USA

Sources of Information:

Europe - <http://www.globalwaterintel.com/archive/12/9/market-profile/global-water-tariffs-continue-upward-trend.html>

USA - <http://bv.com/docs/management-c>



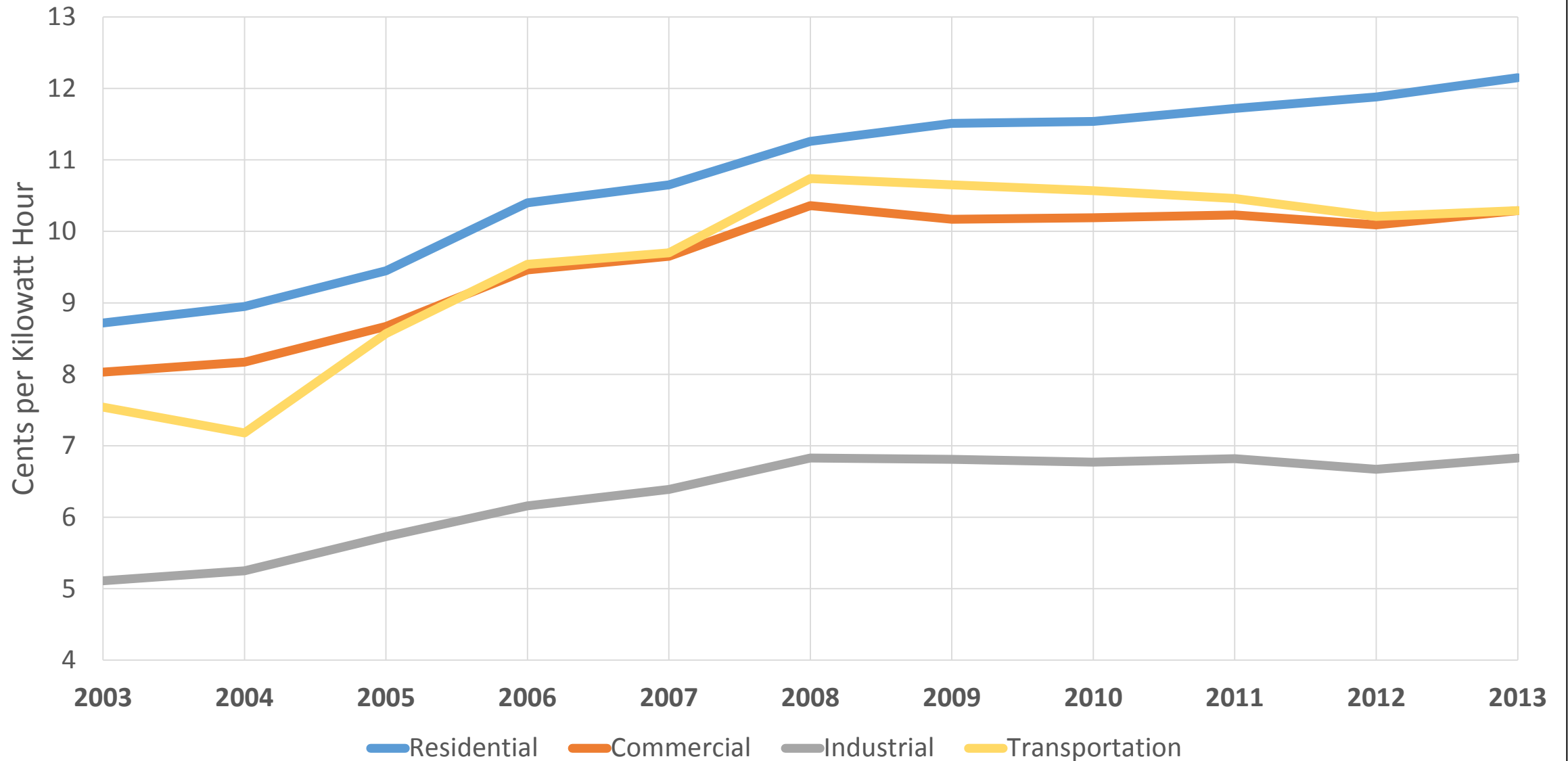
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The True Cost of Water

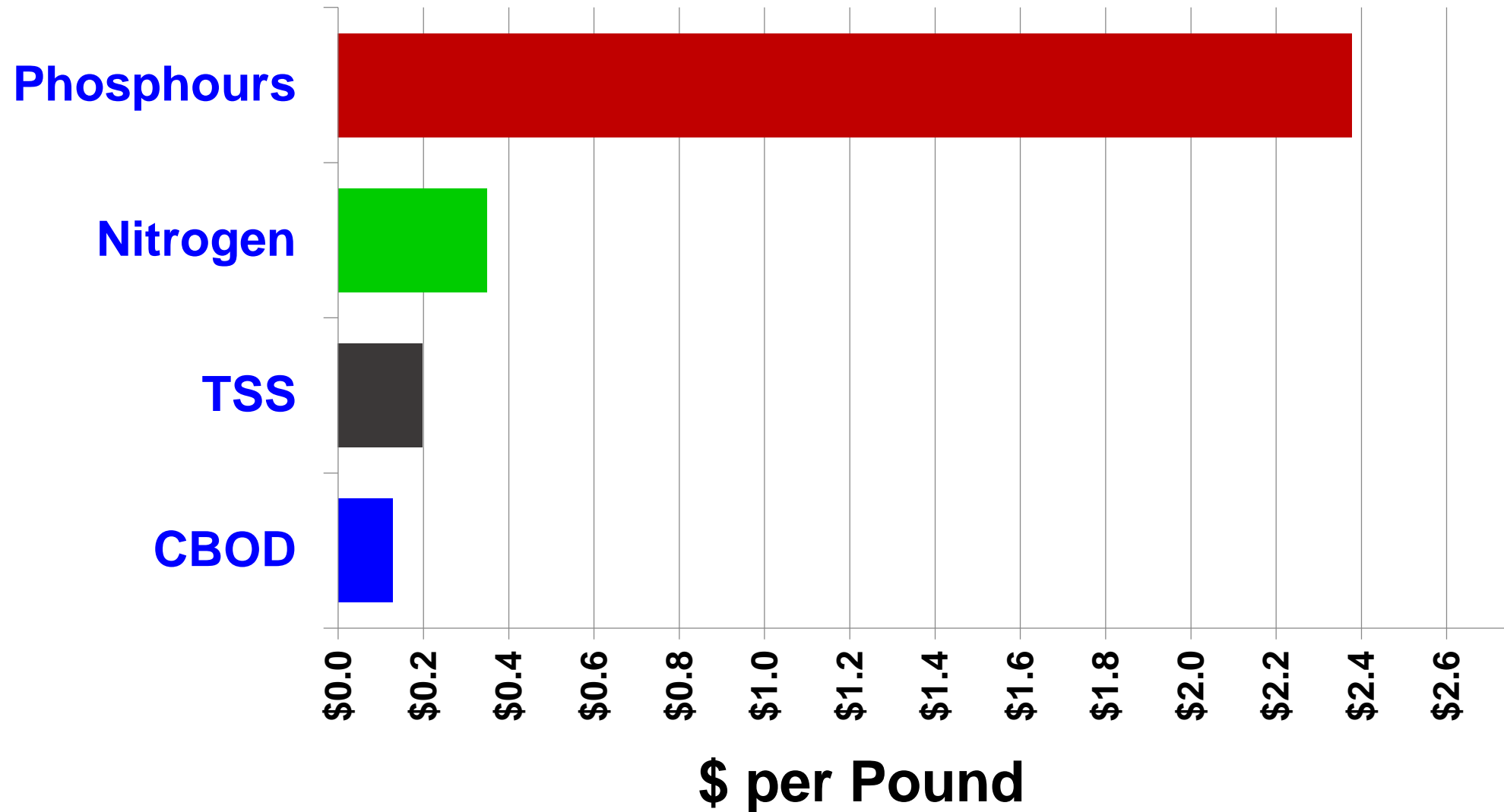
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National Average Electricity Prices

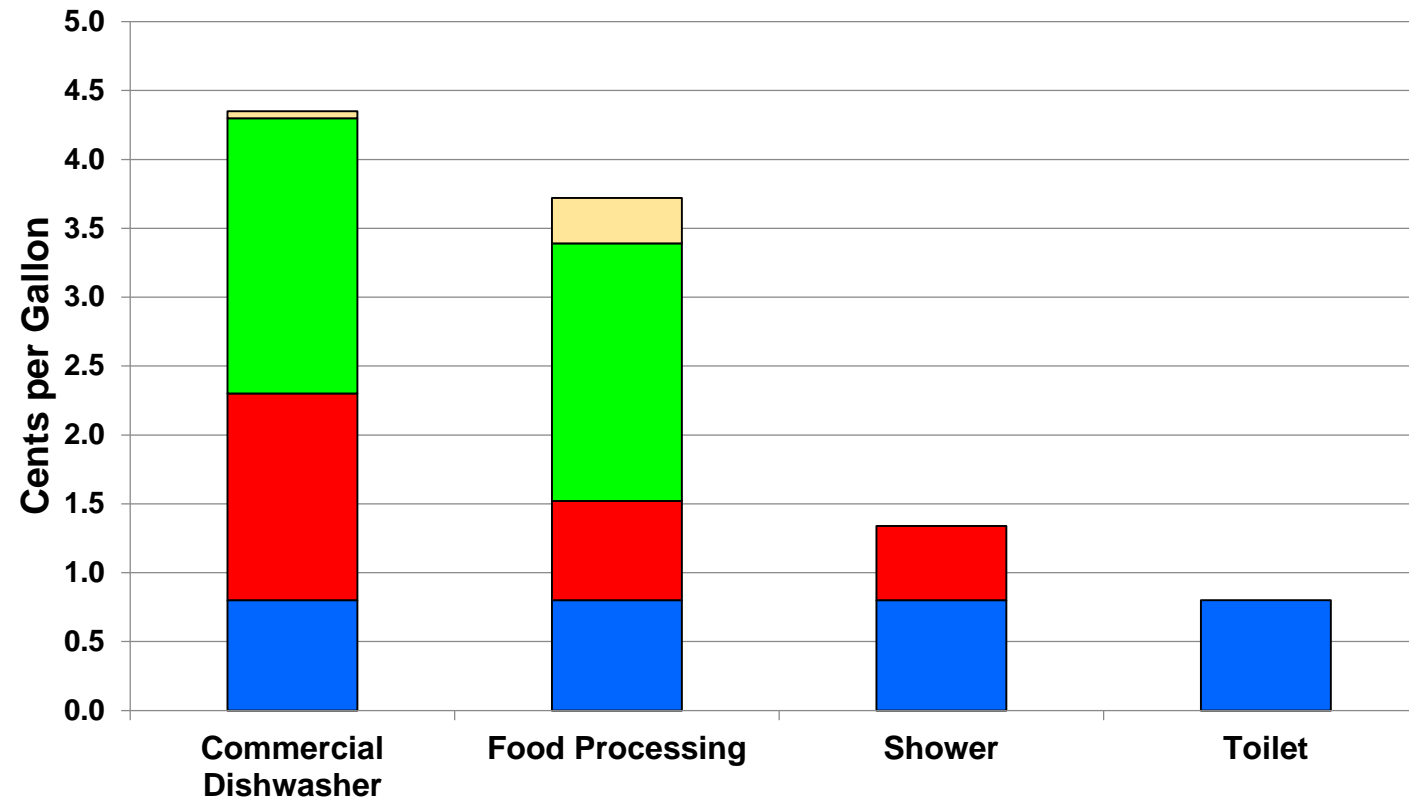
(Energy Information Administration)



Example of Pretreatment Wastewater Charges



Cents per Gallon of Water Used By Type of Use



Water/Sewer

Energy

Chemical

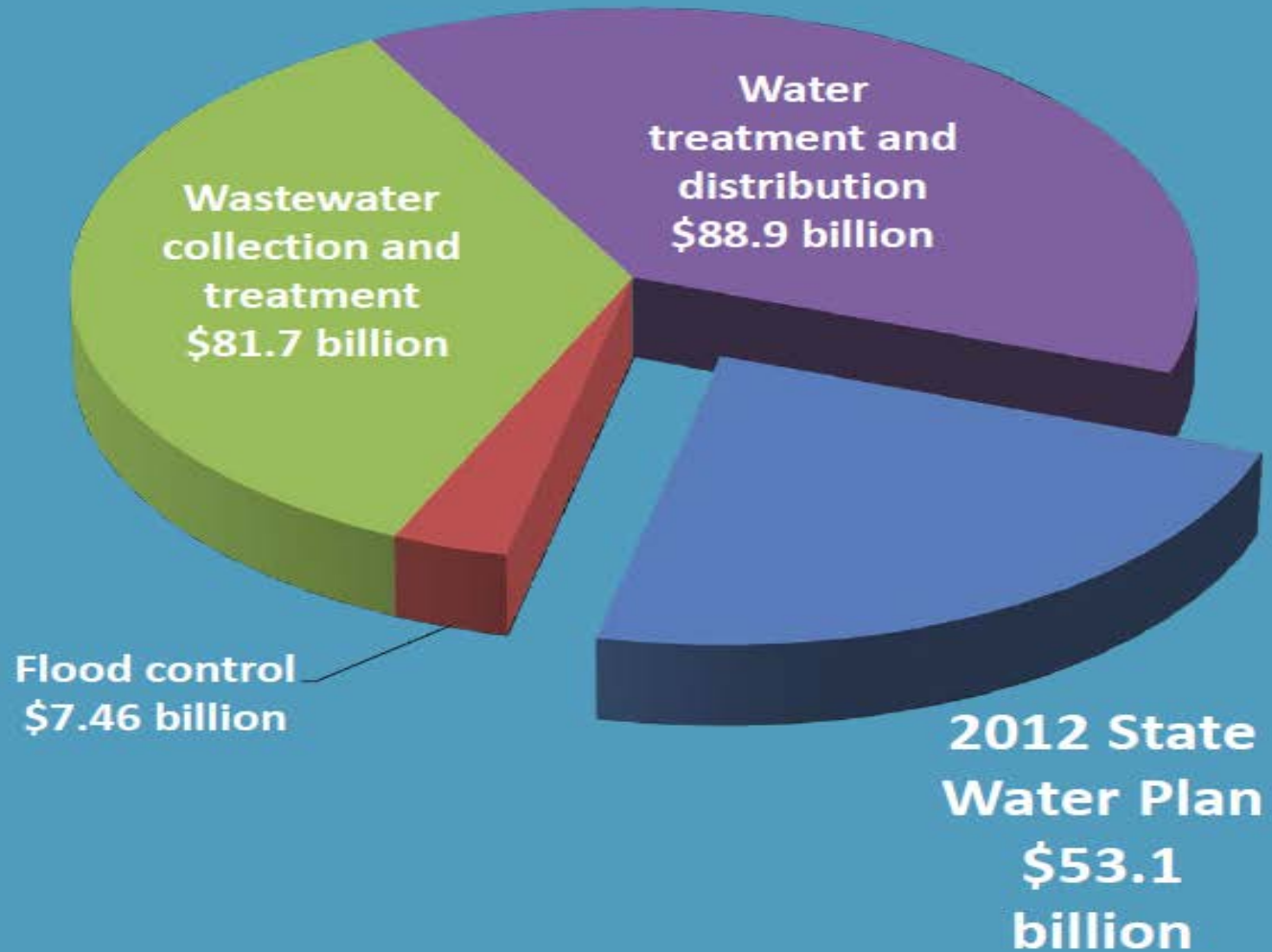
BOD/TSS Charge

Texas' Water Needs



Total capital costs
for water supplies,
water treatment
and distribution,
wastewater
collection and
treatment, and
flood control:

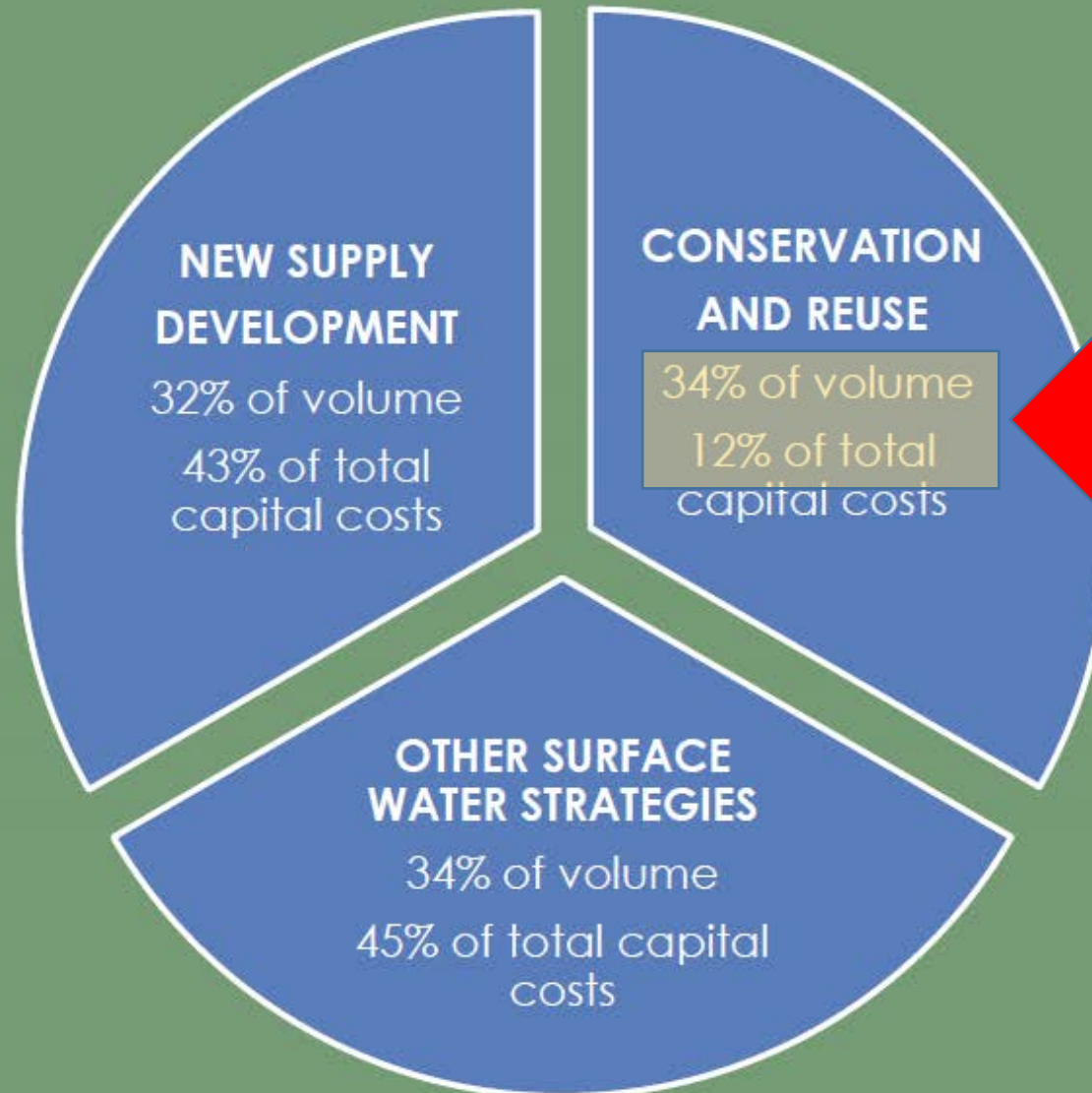
\$231 billion



What will the SWIFT fund?



SWIFT and
SWIRFT will
fund
projects in
the **2012
State Water
Plan.**



The Cheapest Water
You Will Ever Have
Is The Water You
Already Have!

Now, with water efficiency, a community can fit a larger economy on the same amount of water resources and the same amount of capital investment.

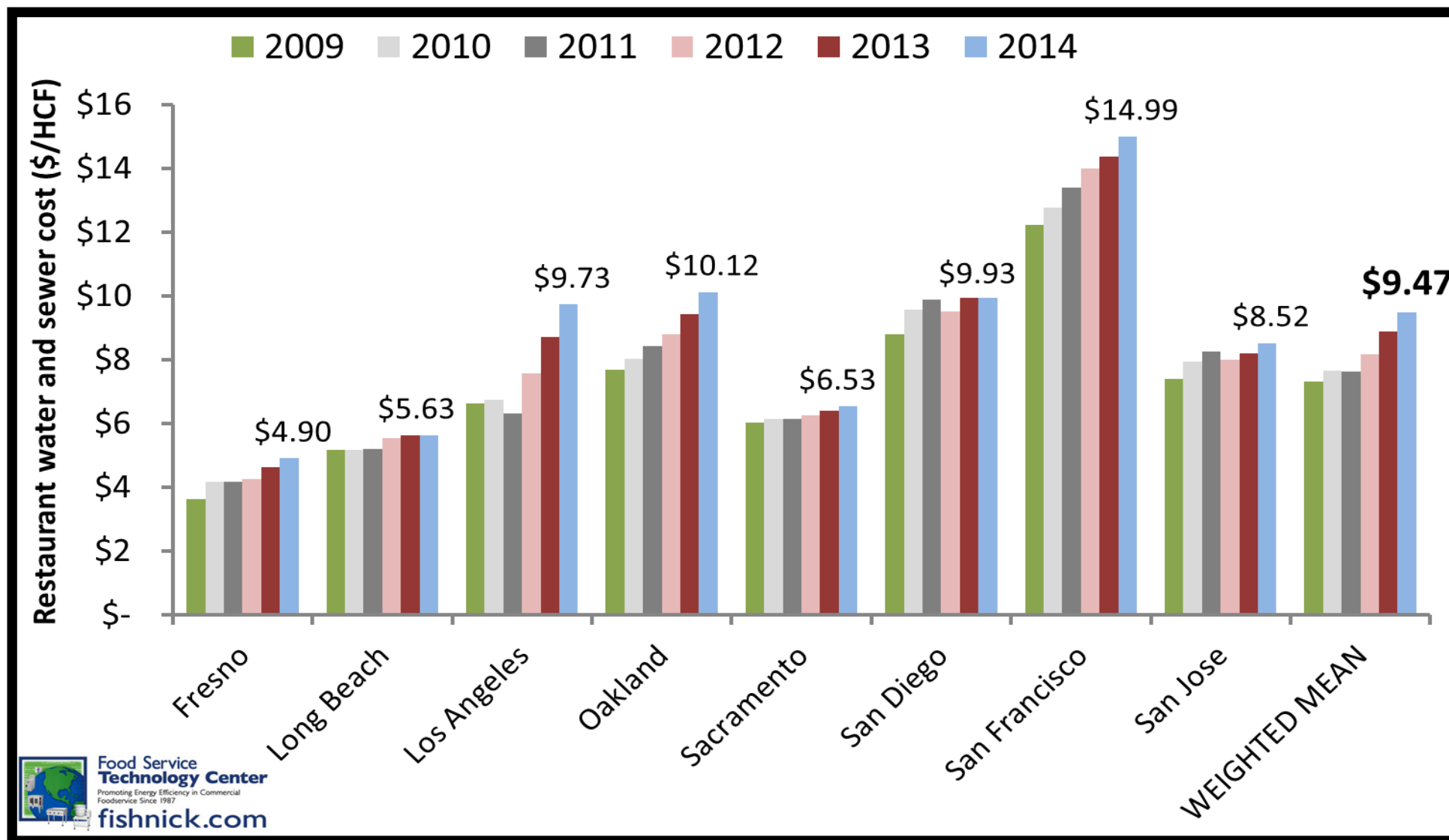
Say it so thy understand it!

GIBBERISH?

To the average person

- **Drachmas per Cubic Cubit**
- **Farthings per Cubic Furlong**
- **Dollars per Acre Foot**
- **Dollars per HCF or CCF**
- **Dollars per thousand gallons**

Water & Wastewater Costs for Restaurants in California in Dollars per hundred cubic feet

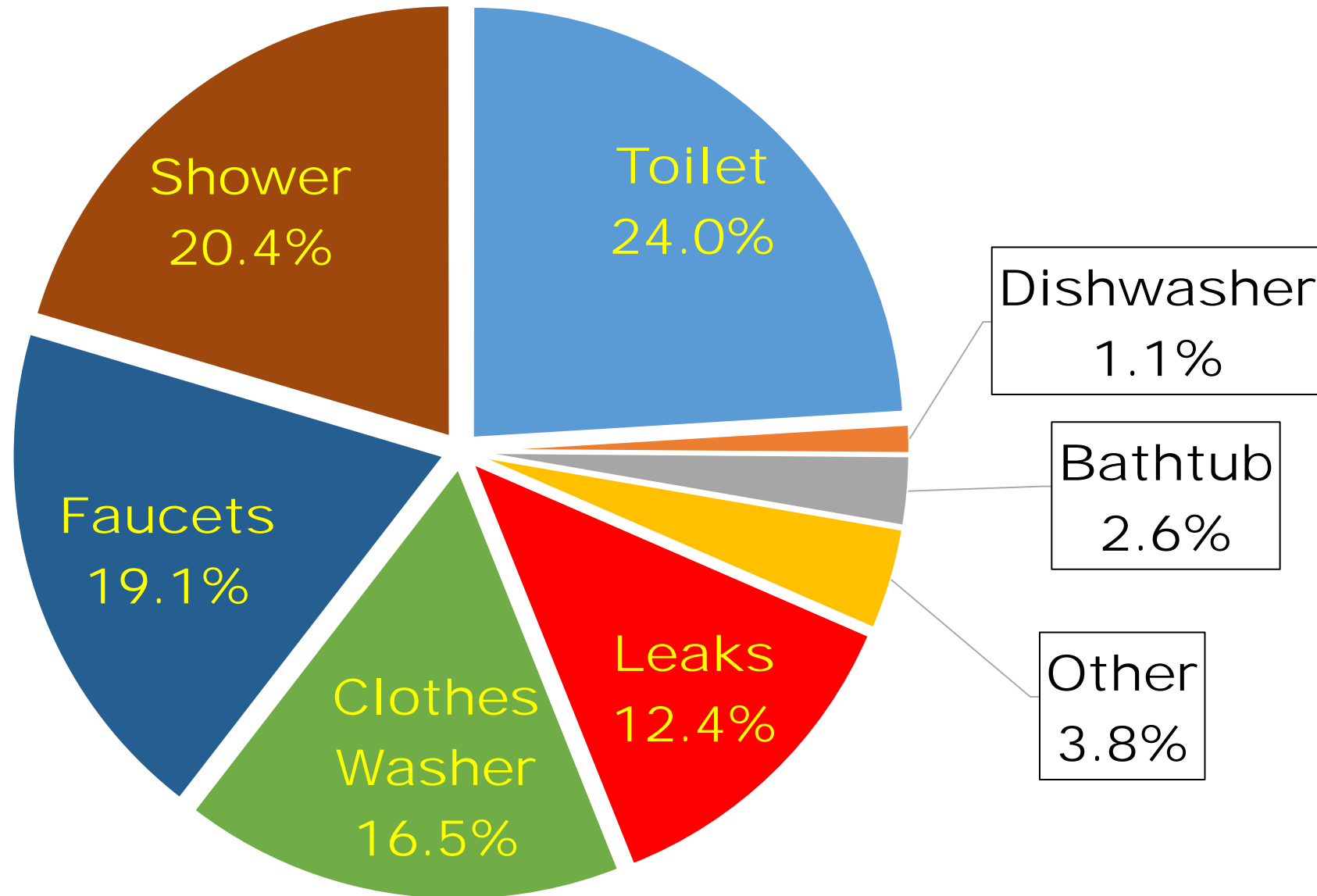


Example of Understanding Water Cost

City	\$/HCF	\$/kGal	Cents/ Gal	Cents/ Flush 1.28 gpf	Cents/Flush 5.0 gpf
Fresno	4.9	6.55	0.66	0.8	3.3
Long Beach	5.63	7.53	0.75	0.9	3.8
Sacramento	6.53	8.73	0.87	1.1	4.4
San Jose	8.52	11.39	1.14	1.5	5.7
Los Angeles	9.73	13.01	1.3	1.6	6.5
San Diego	9.93	13.28	1.33	1.7	6.6
Oakland	10.12	13.53	1.35	1.7	6.8
San Francisco	14.99	20.04	2.00	2.6	10.0

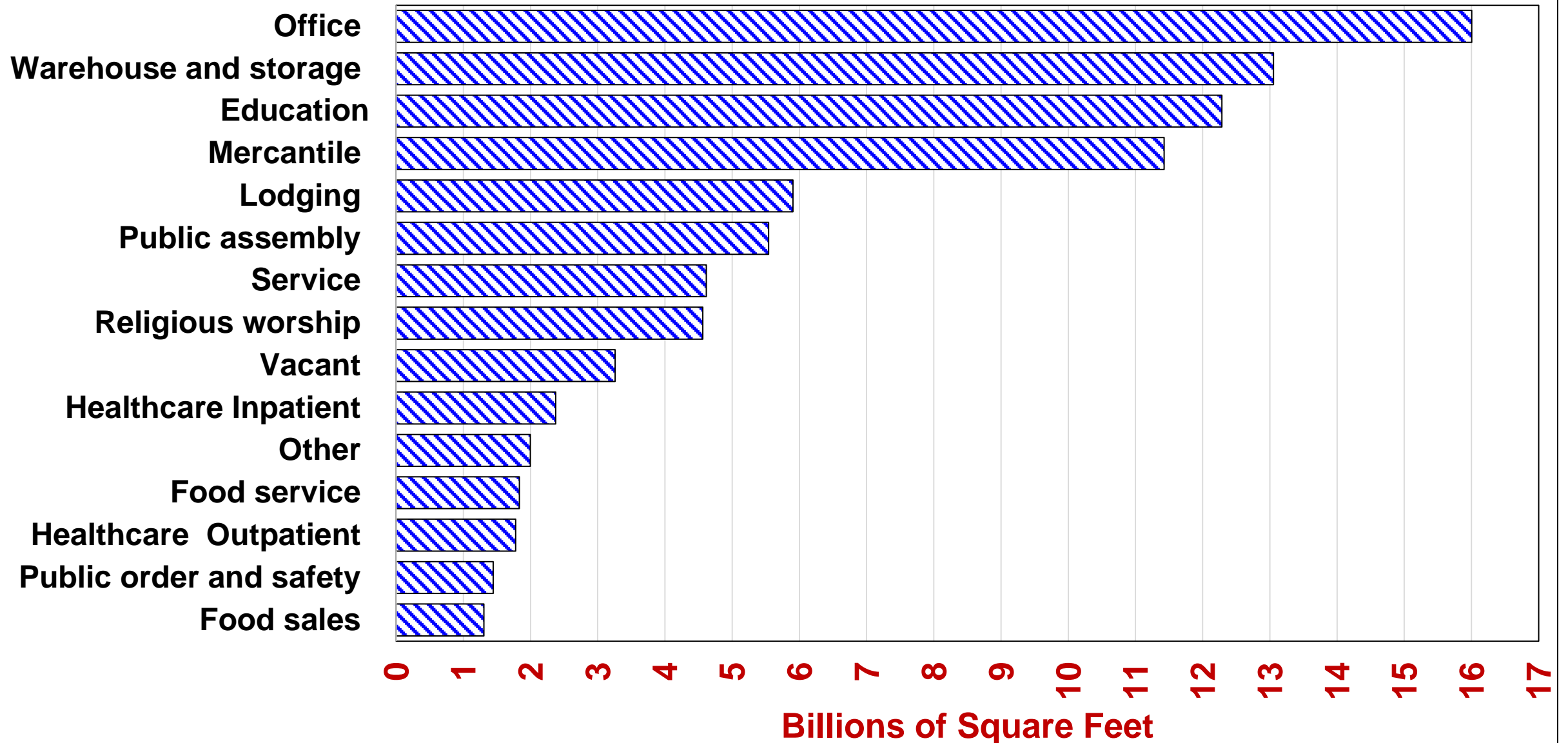
The Audience

Residential Indoor Water Use 2014

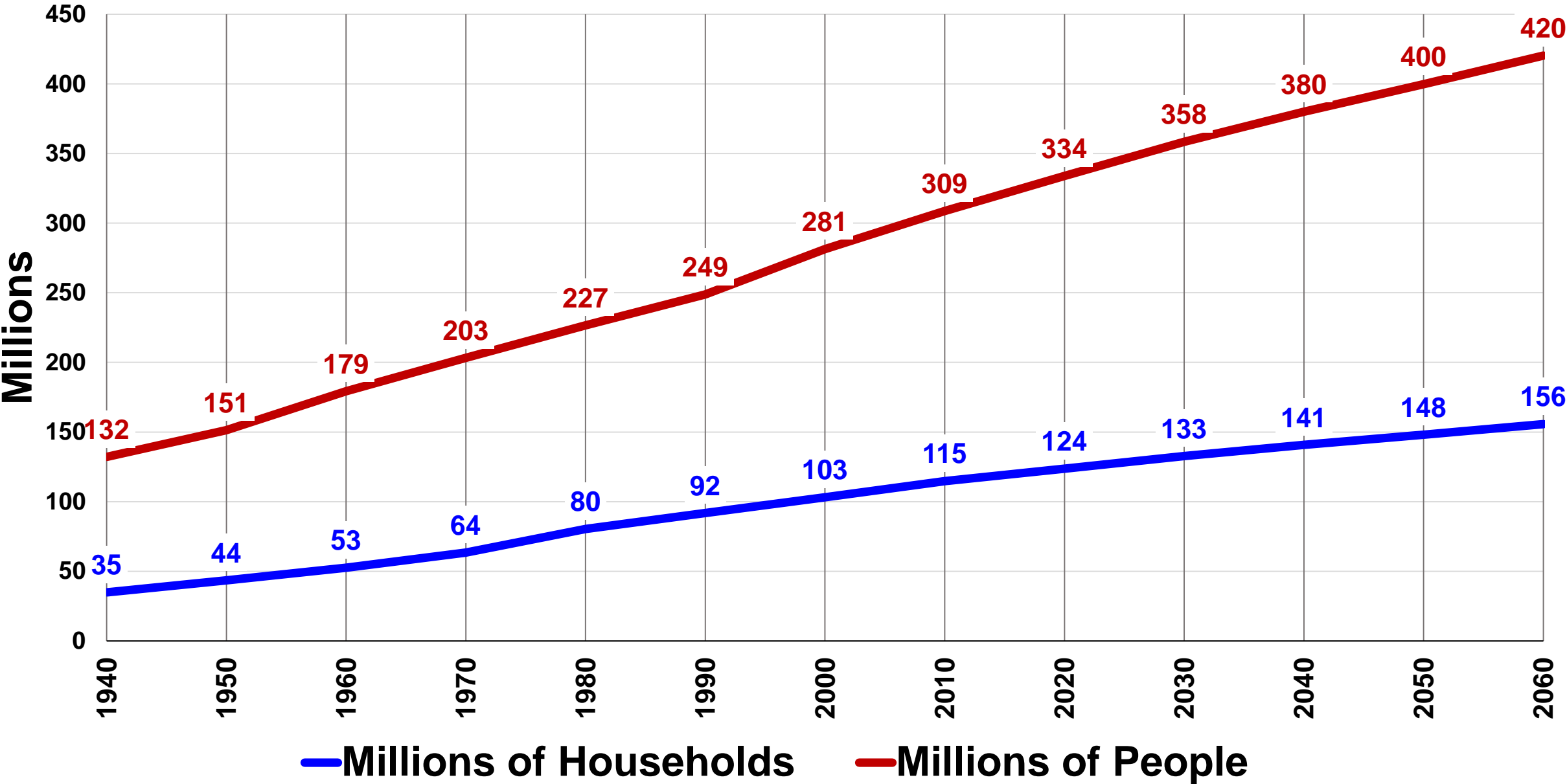


Commercial Buildings in USA

Billions of Square Feet in 2012



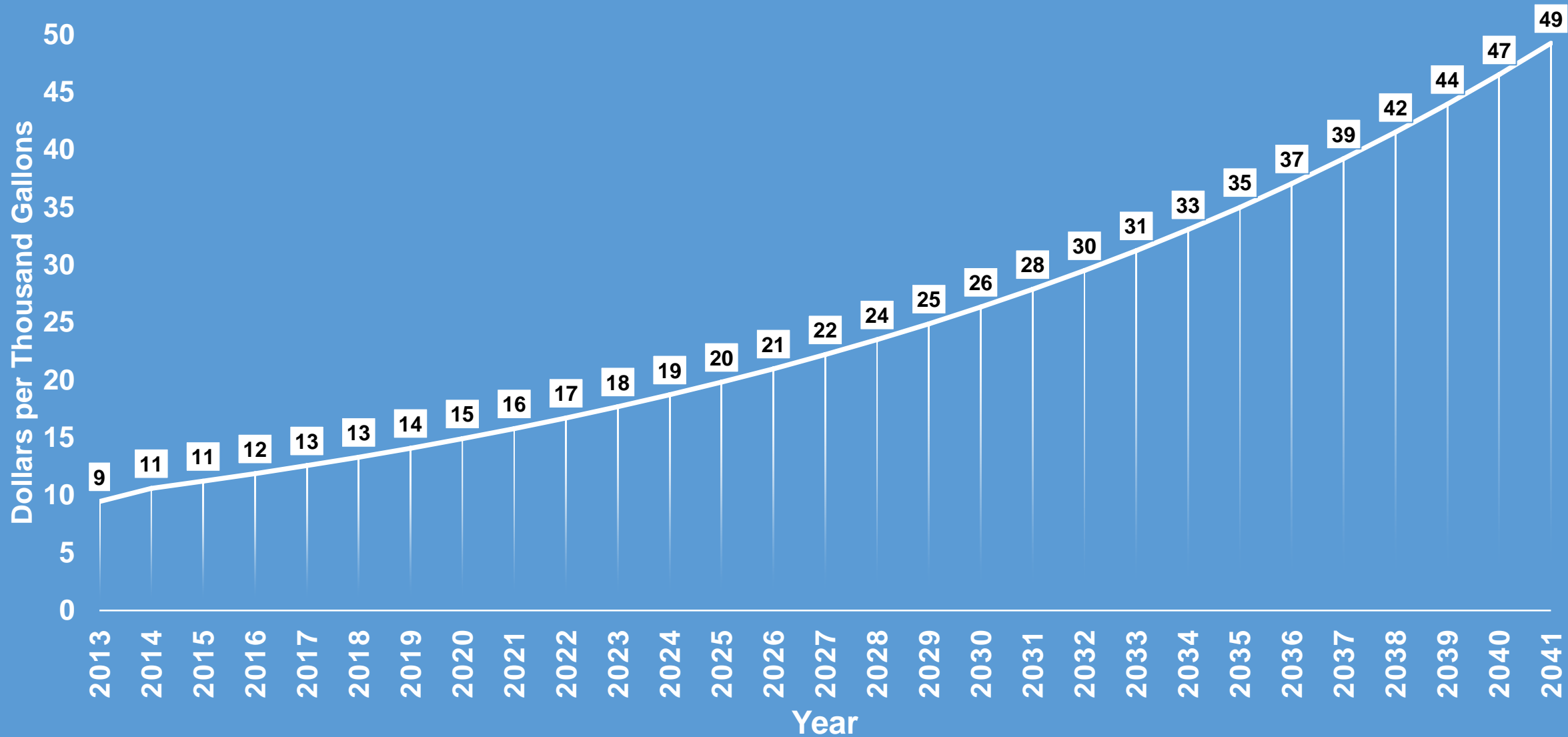
Population and Housing Statistics for USA



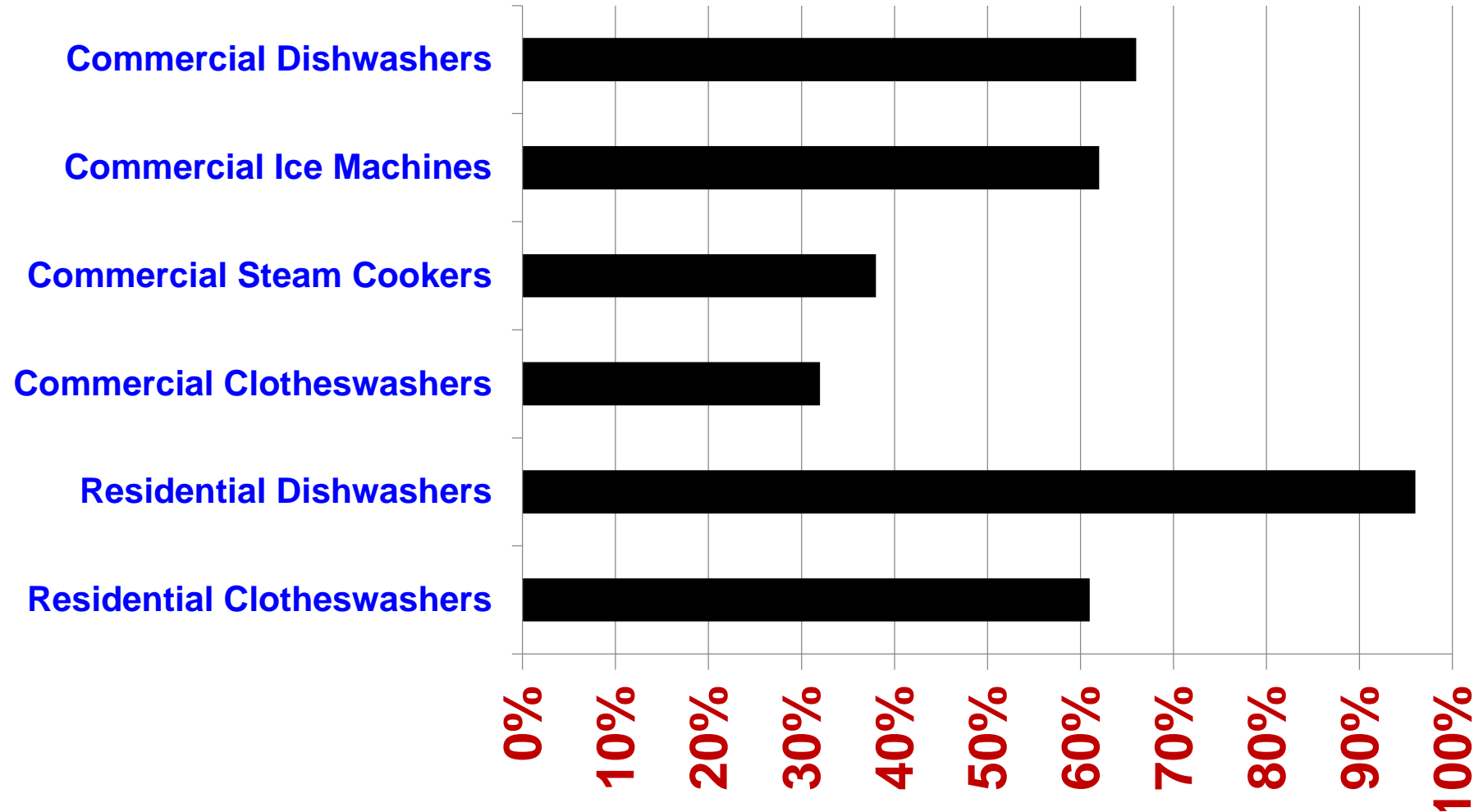
The Costs

In understandable terms.

PROJECTED FUTURE COST OF WATER AT CURRENT INFLATION RATE OF 5.85%



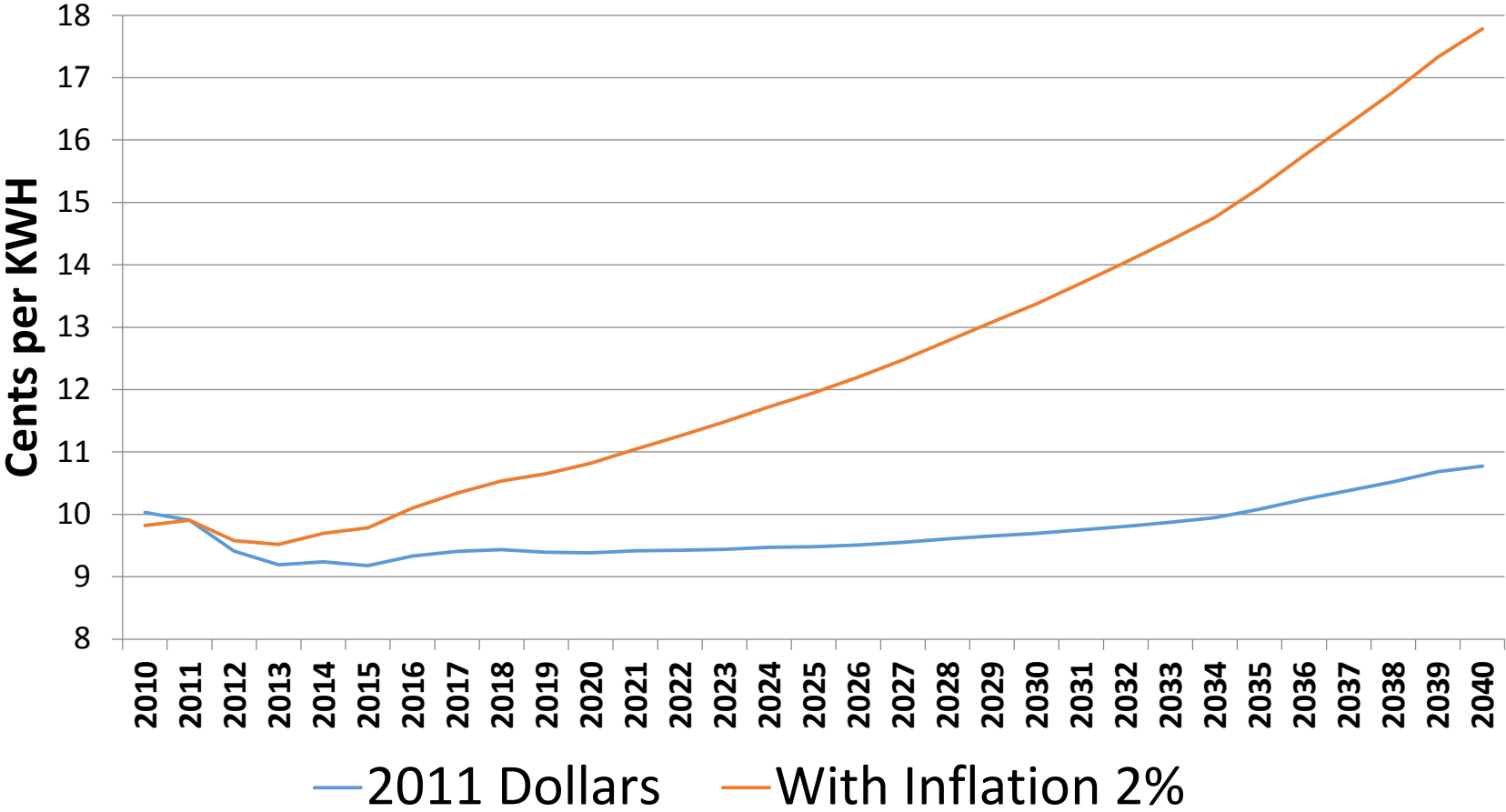
Water Using Appliance Energy Star® Market Penetration in 2011



Cents per KWH

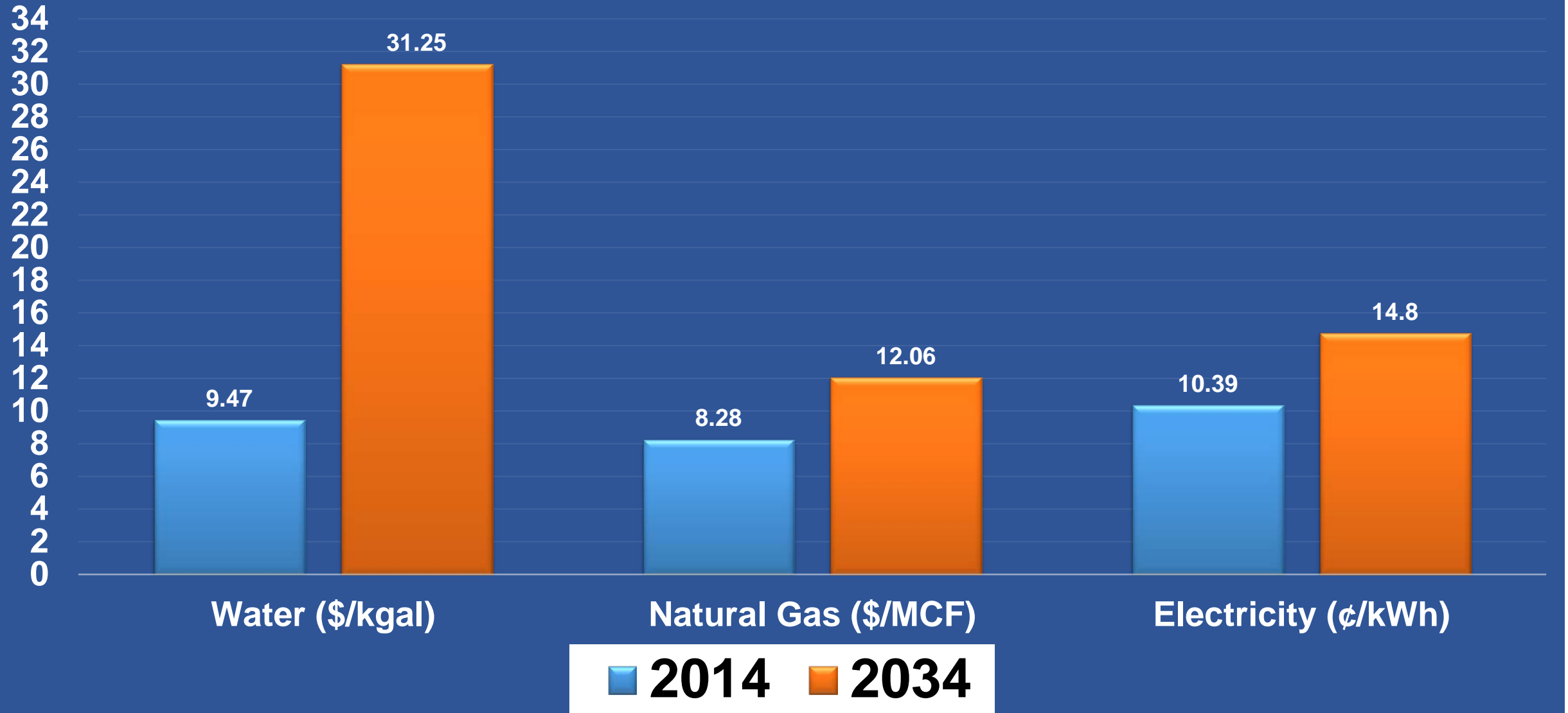
(With & Without Inflation)

Energy Information Administration

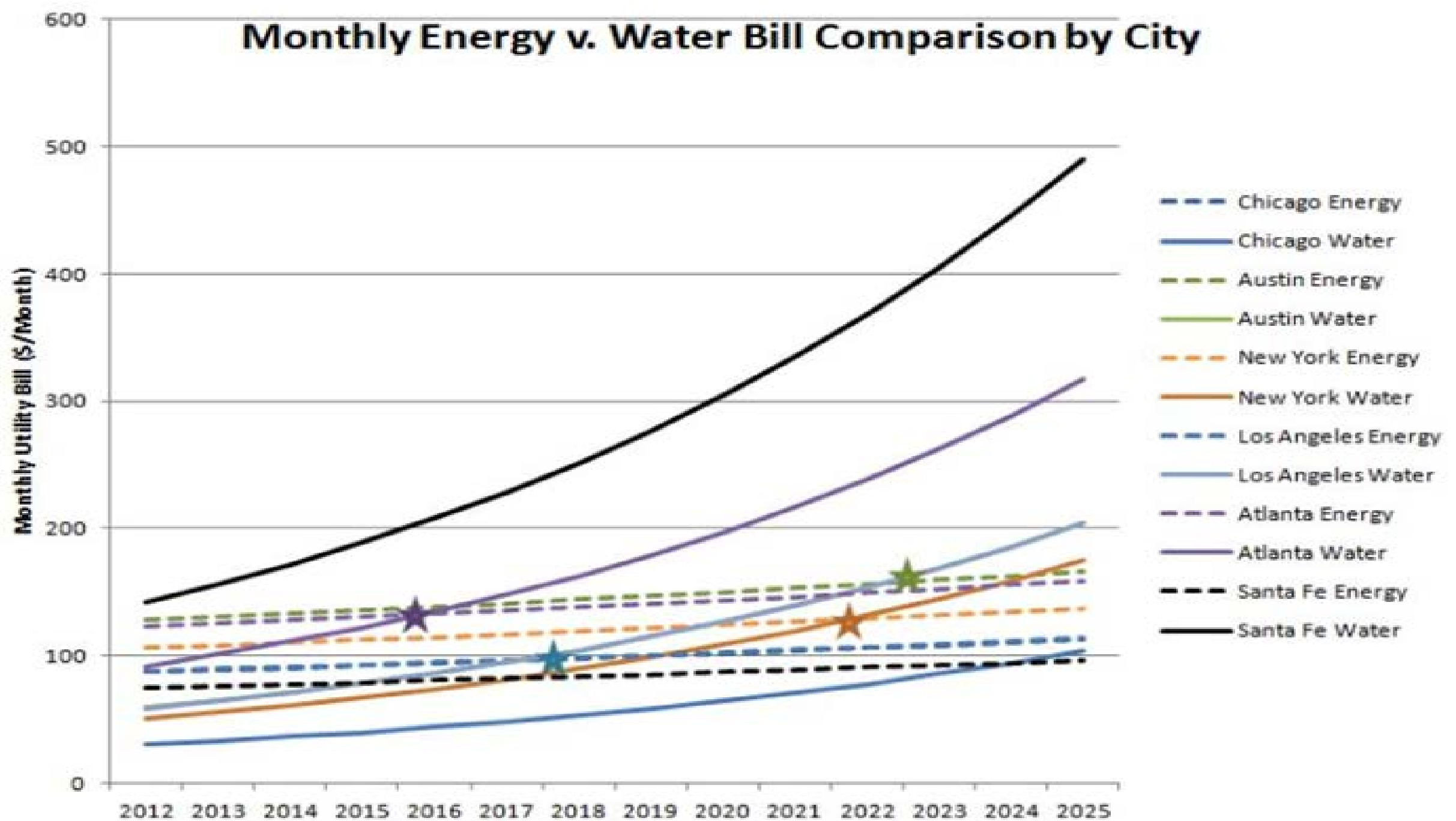


Projected Future Costs

(water = 5.85%, Electricity & Nat. Gas = 2%)



Monthly Energy v. Water Bill Comparison by City



Cost to Flush a Toilet at Current Inflation Rate of 5.85%

Gallons per Flush	Cents per Flush in 2014	Cents per Flush in 2034
5	4.9	15.4
3.5	3.4	10.8
1.6	1.6	4.9
1.28	1.2	4.0

Dollars per Year for Toilet Flushing for 2014

Gallons per Flush	Cents per Flush	Type of Facility		
		Home	Office	Restaurant
		6 flushes per day (365 days)	35 flushes per day (260 days)	75 flushes per day (365 days)
5	4.9	\$107	\$446	\$1,341
3.5	3.4	\$74	\$309	\$931
1.6	1.6	\$35	\$146	\$438
1.28	1.2	\$26	\$109	\$329

Dollars per Year for Toilet Flushing for 2034

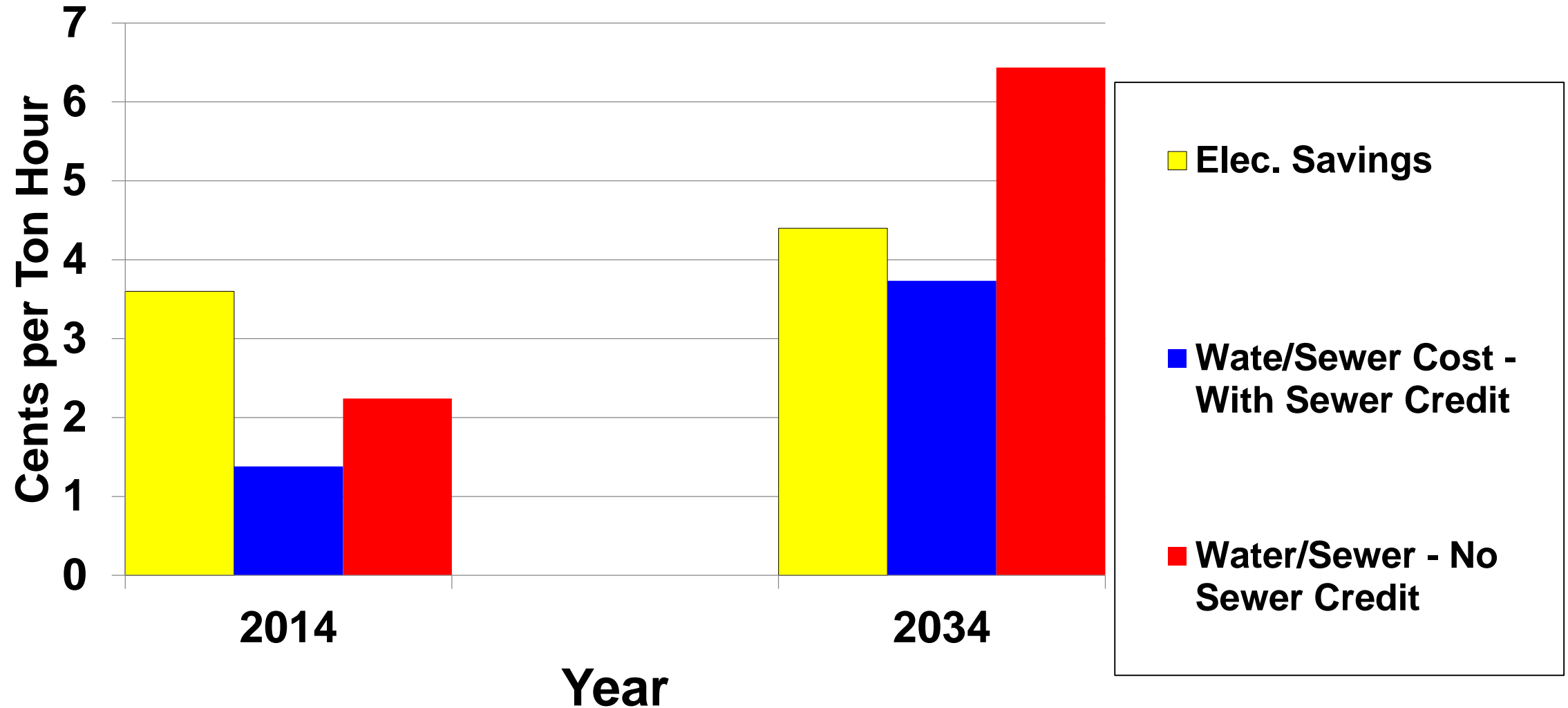
Gallons per Flush	Cents per Flush	Type of Facility		
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5	15.4	\$337	\$1,401	\$4,216
3.5	10.8	\$237	\$983	\$2,957
1.6	4.9	\$107	\$446	\$1,341
1.28	4	\$88	\$364	\$1,095

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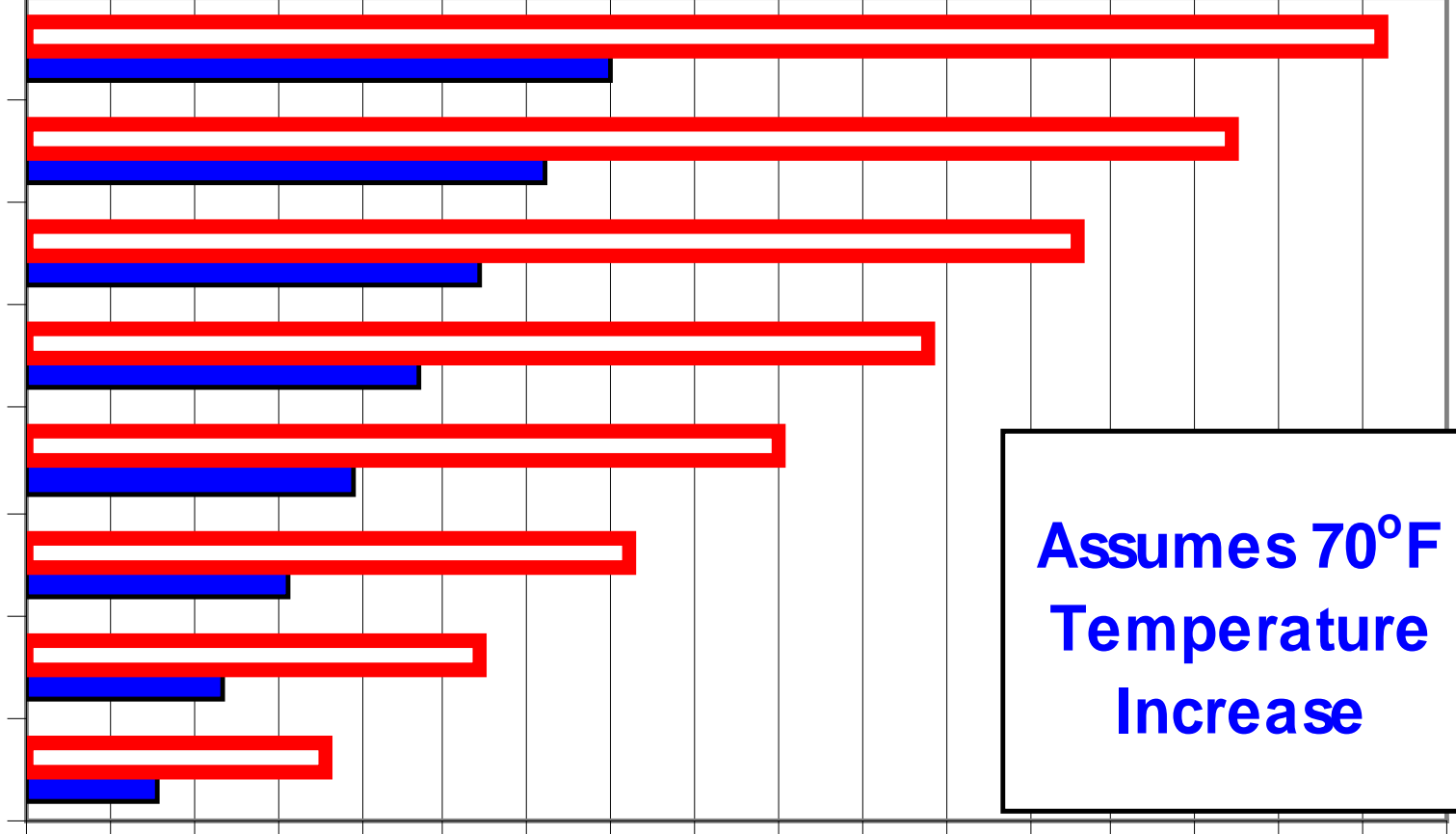
Cooling Tower Energy and Water/Sewer Cost per Ton Hour



Energy Costs for Heating Water

Cents/kWh or \$/MCF

18
16
14
12
10
8
6
4



Assumes 70°F
Temperature
Increase

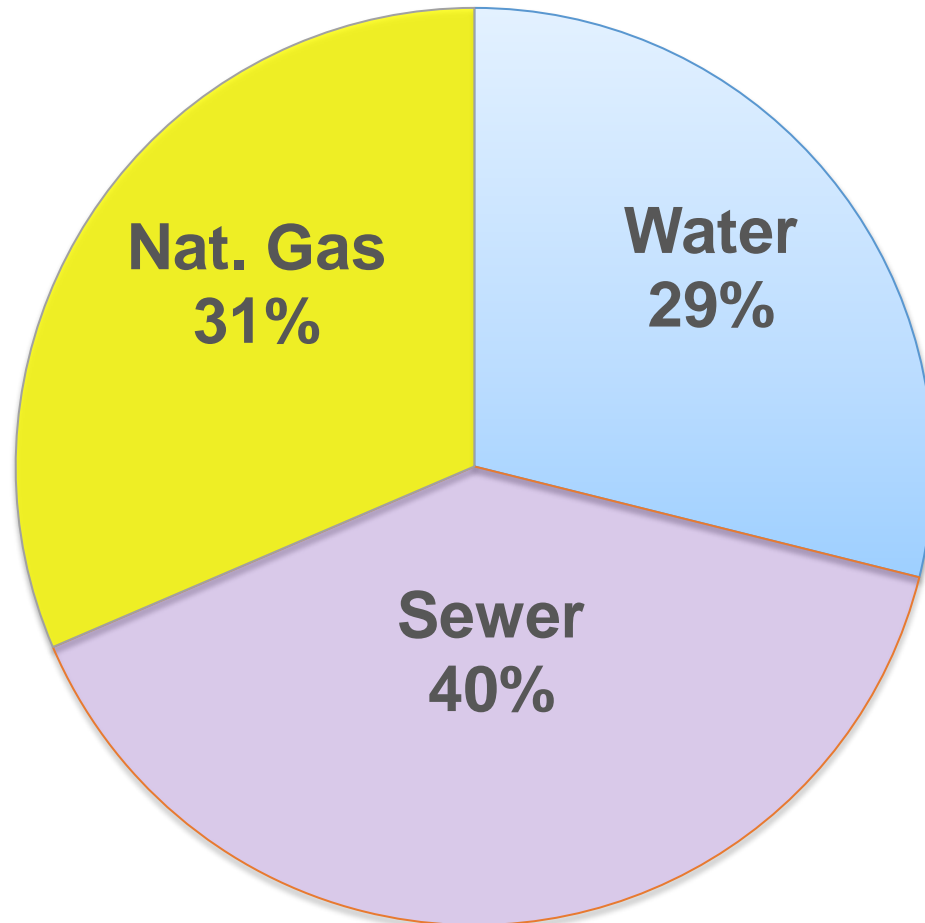
\$0 \$2 \$4 \$6 \$8 \$10 \$12 \$14 \$16 \$18 \$20 \$22 \$24 \$26 \$28 \$30 \$32 \$34

\$/1,000 Gallons

■ Gas □ Electric

National Average Cost for Water Heated with Natural Gas

1.57 ¢/gallon, \$15.70/Kgal, \$11.75/HCF (ccf)

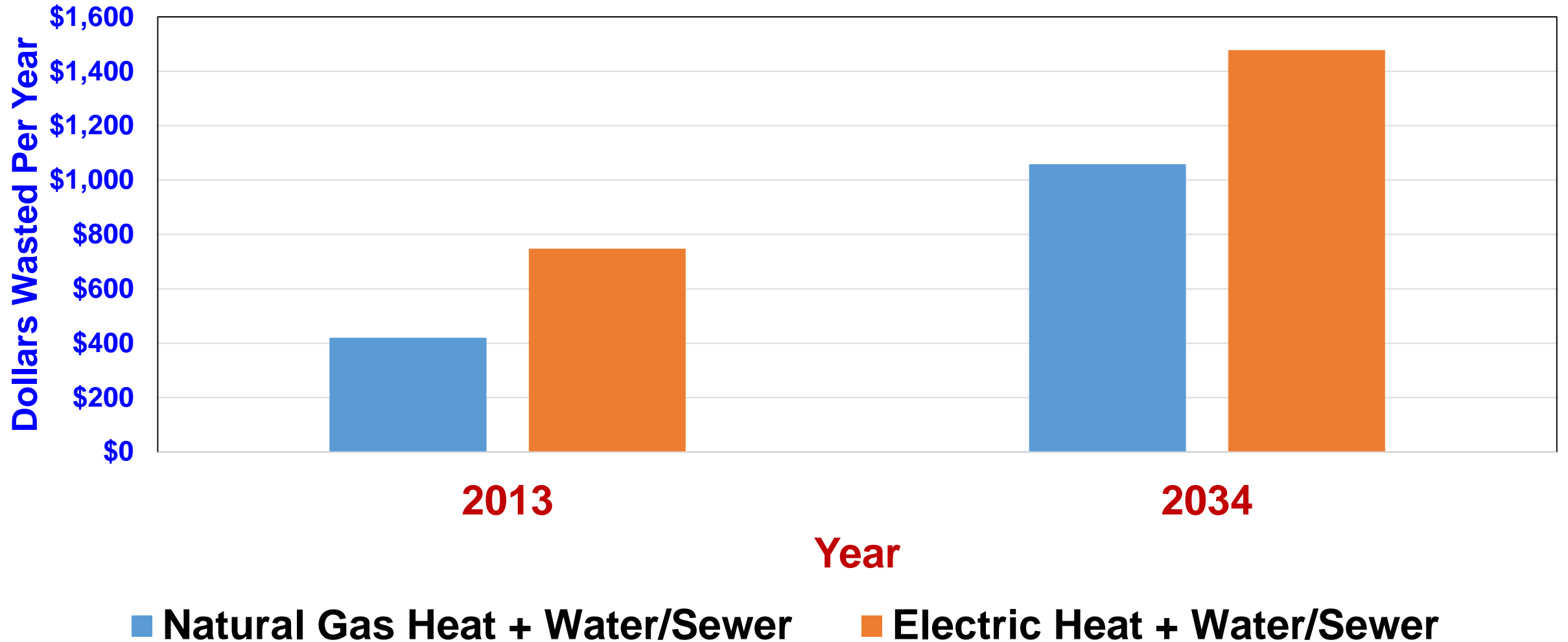




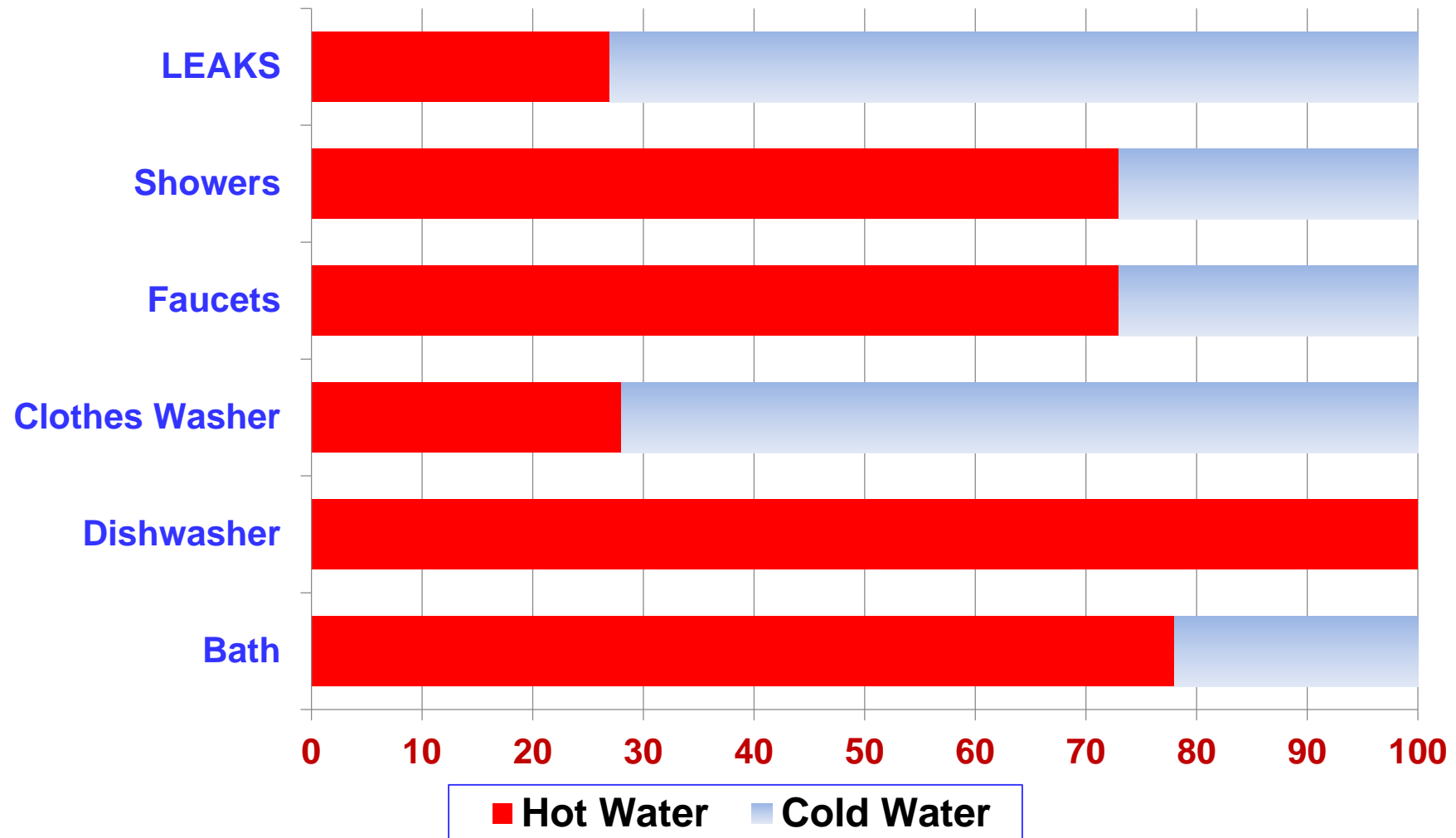
***What does this
0.05 gpm leak
mean to you in
dollars &
cents?***

Cost of This Leak per Year		
Resource	2014	2034
Water & Sewer	\$249	\$821
Natural Gas	\$171	\$237
Electric	\$499	\$657

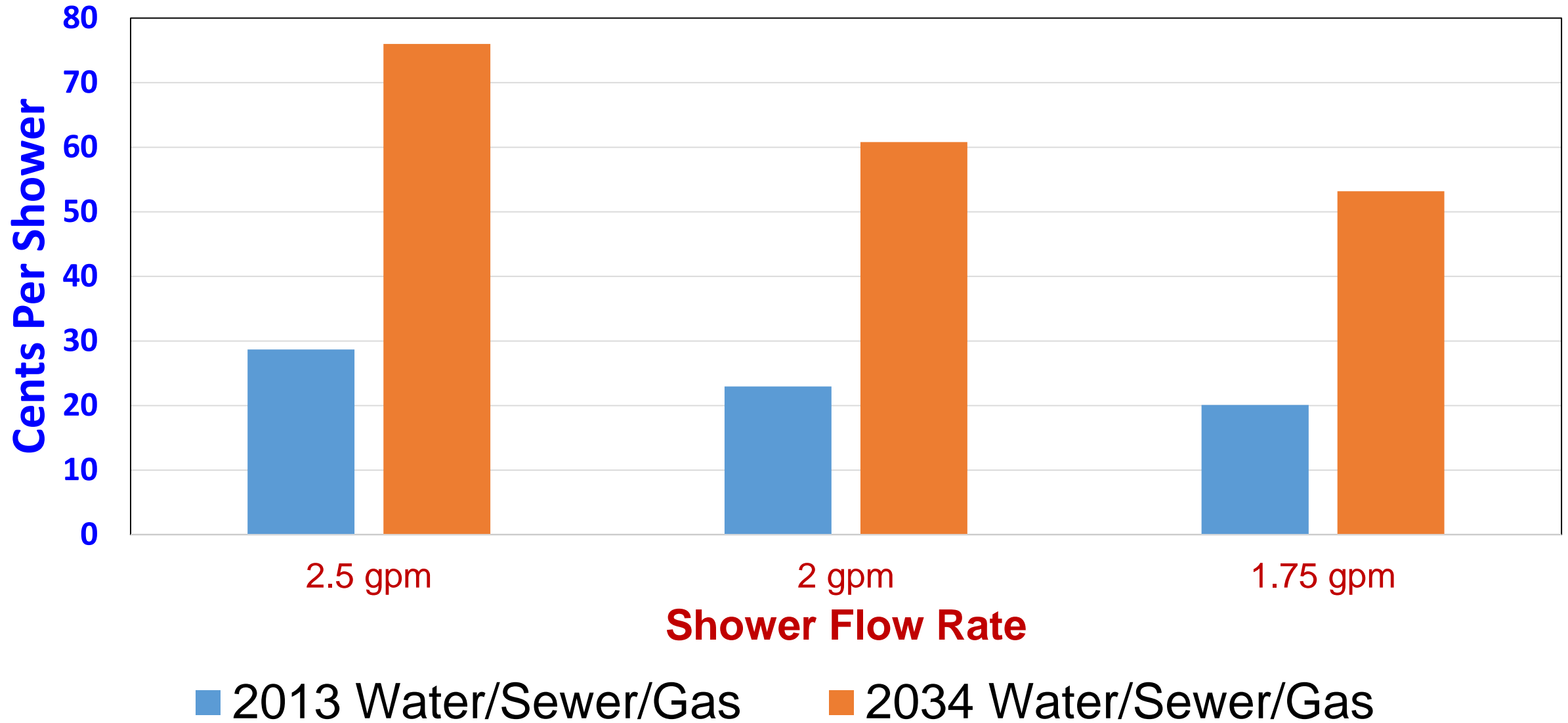
Cost of Leaking Faucet Example per Year



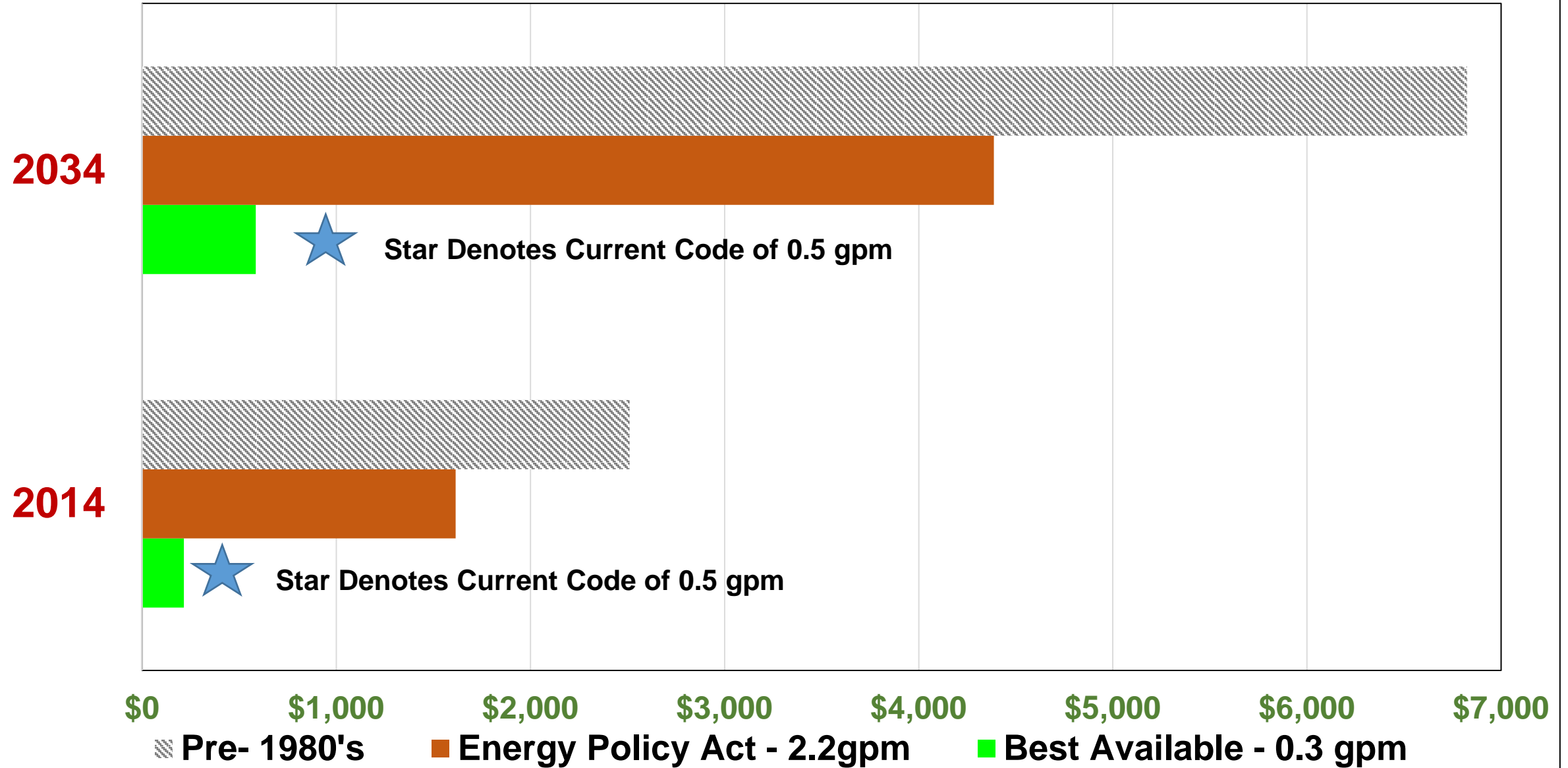
Hot and Cold Water Use Percentages



Cost of an 8 minute shower



Annual Cost of Hand Washing



Pre-Rinse Spray Valves



More water
Less pressure



Forceful
Spray

Old Spray Valve

❖ 4-6 GPM

❖ 8-12 Cents/Min.

New Spray Valve

❖ 1.28 GPM

❖ 2.6 Cents/Min.

Boilerless Steamers



- 90% less water
- 75% less energy
- No water hookup
- No sewer hookup
- No vent
- No de-liming



Once through
cooling from
refrigeration unit
= 30,000 gallons a
day!

At Avg. W/WW cost,
30,000 gallons a day

= **\$294**

a day.

Pop up Sprinkler Heads Have Flow Rates of 1.5 gpm to 5.5 gpm



What does it cost to water?

- The old standard pop up uses 4 gpm.
- That is 4¢ per head per minute
- If there are 15 heads and you operate it for 20 minutes, it costs \$12.
- That is equal to paying an employee \$36 per hour.
- Wow many zones do you have and how many times do you run them a week?
- By the way, at 5.85% inflation, in 20 years (2034) it will cost you \$38 to water 20 minutes which is equal to an employee at \$114 per hour.

**When do they purchase new
fixtures and appliances?**

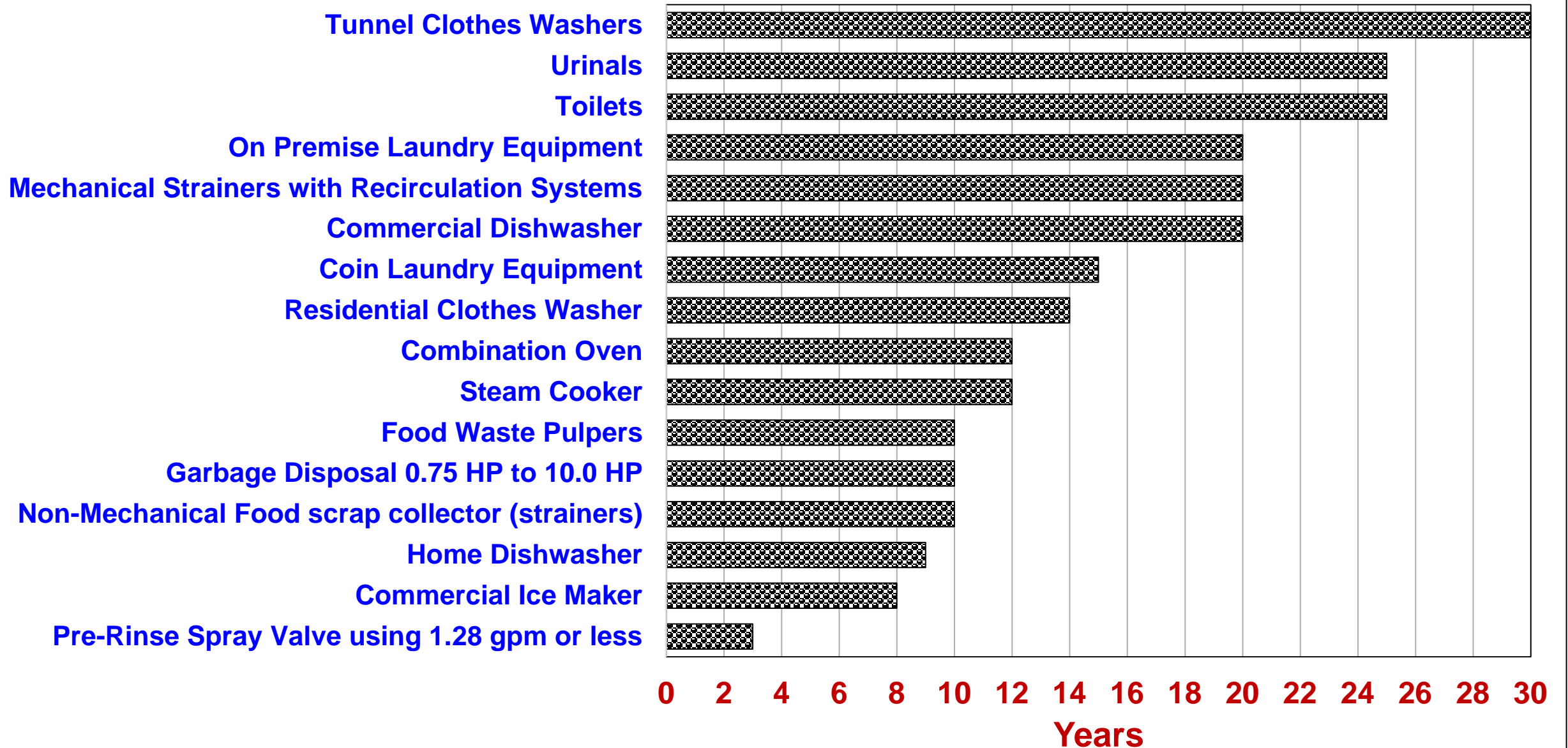
Average Age and Half Life of Selected Water Using Fixtures and Appliances

Type of Equipment	Average Age Years	Half Life Factor
Pre-Rinse Spray Valve - 1.28 gpm	3	16.67%
Commercial Ice Maker	8	6.25%
Home Dishwasher	9	5.56%
Non-Mechanical Food scrap collector (strainers)	10	5.00%
Garbage Disposal 0.75 HP to 10.0 HP	10	5.00%
Food Waste Pulpers	10	5.00%
Steam Cooker	12	4.17%
Combination Oven	12	4.17%
Residential Clothes Washer	14	3.57%
Coin Laundry Equipment	15	3.33%
Commercial Dishwasher	20	2.50%
Mechanical Strainers with Recirculation Systems	20	2.50%
On Premise Laundry Equipment	20	2.50%
Toilets	25	2.00%
Urinals	25	2.00%

Example

- A “widget with an eight year life.
- This means that half of the types of equipment will be replaced by attrition in eight years.
- The Factor = $50\% / 8 = 6.25\%$
- If this is a “normal” Gaussian distribution curve, all will be replaced in 16 years, BUT??
- What this table and graph do tell you is the GENERAL rate at which equipment is replaced.

Average Life of Appliances

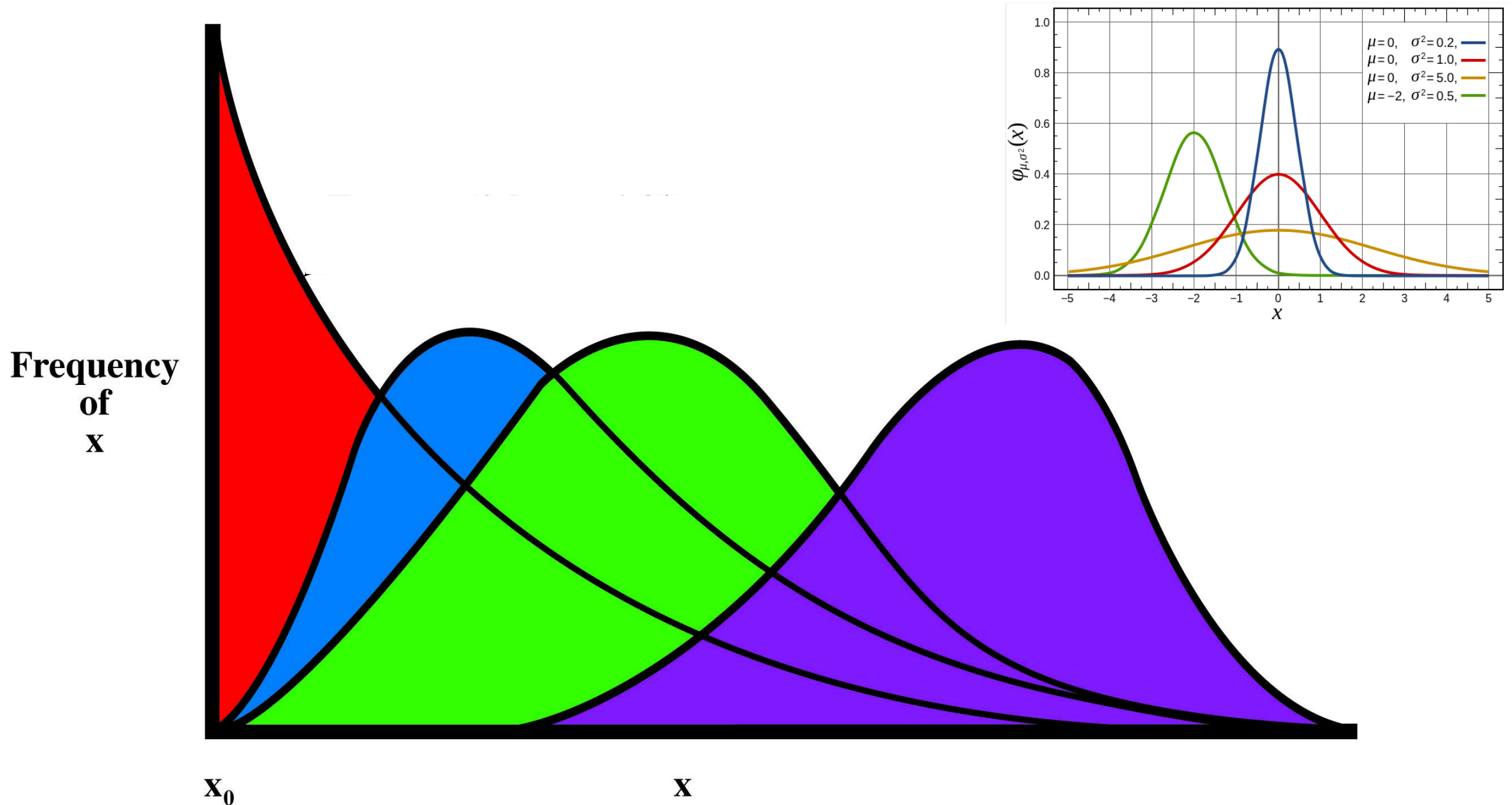


Cooling Tower Life Expectancy

Source: newOOMtable.doc

Construction Material	Typical Life Span	Cost
Wooden	10	Low
Galvanized Metal	12	Low
Epoxy Treated Metal	15	Med
Plastic	20	Med
Plastic Coated Metal	25	Med
Stainless Steel	30	High
Ceramic	35	Highest
Air Cooled	20-25	Low

Distribution of Data



Information on Cost of Commonly Used Fixtures, Equipment and Appliances

Type of Commercial Equipment	Typical Range of Cost per Piece of Equipment
ENERGY STAR [®] rated Boilerless Steam Cooker	\$10,000 to \$35,000
ENERGY STAR [®] rated Boilerless Combination Oven	\$10,000 to \$35,000
ENERGY STAR [®] Dishwasher, Under Counter, Low Temp	\$2,500 to \$5,000
ENERGY STAR [®] Dishwasher, Under Counter, High Temp	\$2,500 to \$5,000
ENERGY STAR [®] Dishwasher, Door Type	\$3,500 to \$9,000
ENERGY STAR [®] Dishwasher, Single Tank Conveyor Type	\$9,000 to \$30,000
ENERGY STAR [®] Dishwasher, Multi-Tank Conveyor Type	\$15,000 to \$35,000
Pre-Rinse Spray Valve using 1.28 gpm or less	\$80 to \$200
ENERGY STAR [®] Commercial Ice Maker	\$1,750 to \$4,000 for up to 1,000 lb./day
ENERGY STAR [®] Commercial Ice Maker	\$3,000 to \$10,000 for very large ice makers
Non-Mechanical Food scrap collector (strainers)	\$80 to \$600
Garbage Disposal 0.75 HP to 10.0 HP	\$200 to \$6,000
Mechanical Strainers with Recirculation Systems	\$1,800 to \$12,000
Food Waste Pulpers	Over \$25,000
Residential Clothes Washer	\$400 to \$2,000
ENERGY STAR [®] Coin Laundry Equipment	\$500 to \$3,000
On Premise Laundry Equipment	Wide range
Tunnel Washers	\$400,000 to One Million
Toilets	\$150 to \$400
Urinals	\$150 to \$400

Utility Life Cycle Cost Analysis

- The cost to operate the fixture, appliance, or piece of equipment over its useful life
- Look at all utility costs
- Most of the time the capital costs are small compared to the life cycle savings

Generalized Energy Recommendations from DOE for **Ice Machines** Used at Federal Facilities

Machine Capacity in Pounds of Ice Produced per Day	Kilowatt Hours for Air Cooled Machines	Kilowatt Hours for Water Cooled Machines	Difference	Energy Cost Savings (Cents per 100 pounds of ice @ 10)
500 to 750	<5.5	<4.1	1.4	14
750 to 1500	<5.0	<3.5	1.5	15
1500 up	<4.6	<3.4	1.2	12
Average Savings per 100 Pounds of Ice Based on Electricity at 10 Cents per kWh				13.7

Air Cooled Cost Savings Using DOE Latest Recommended Energy Standards for Ice Machines

At a water/wastewater cost of only **\$2.50/Kgal!!!!**

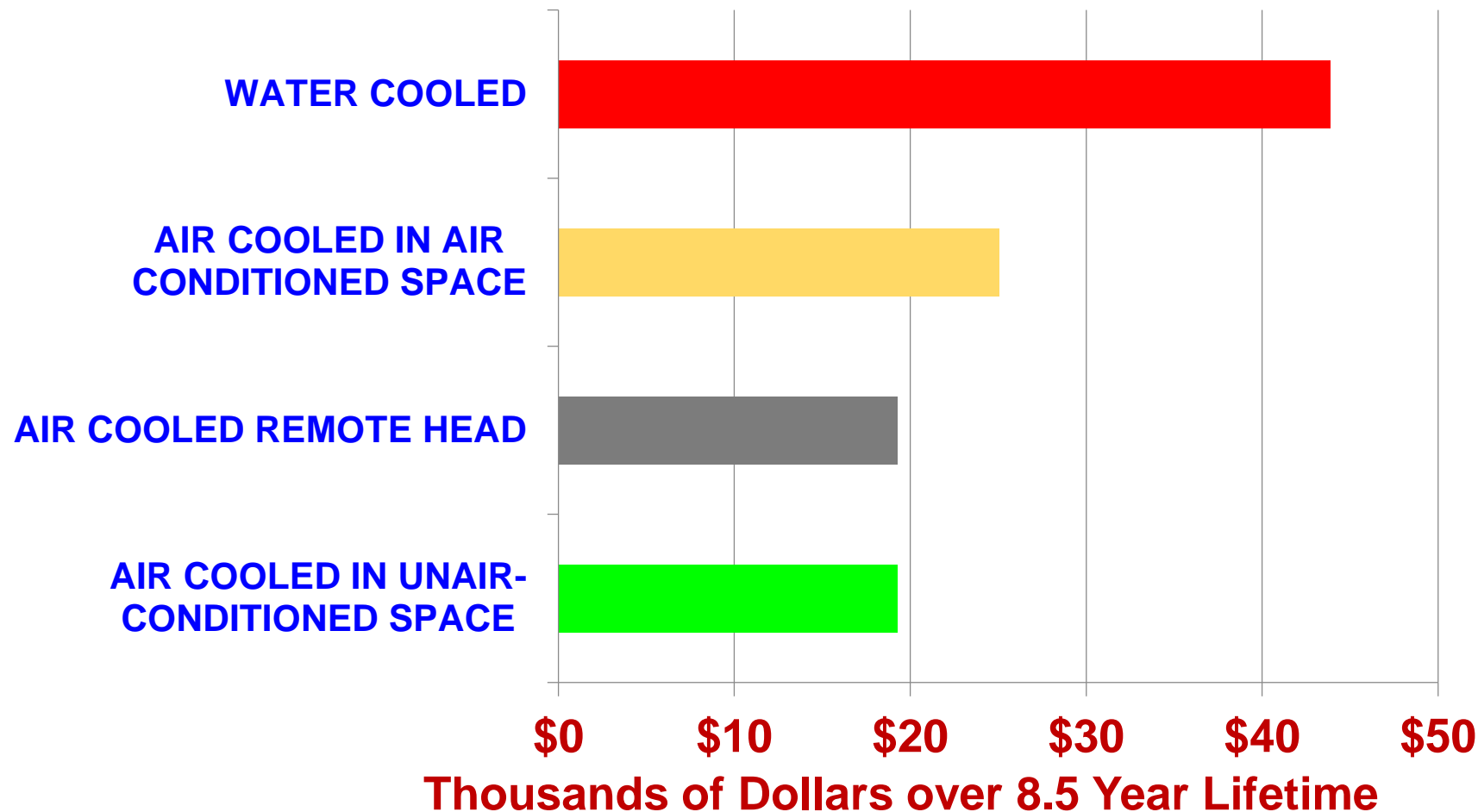
Nationally, cost = \$9.74/Kgal in 2013

Gallons per 100 lb.	Cost of Water and Wastewater Combined \$2.50 per kGal (Cents/100 Pounds)	Energy Savings per 100 Pounds With Water Cooled Equipment (Cents/100 Pounds)	Net Savings per 100 Pounds with Air Cooled Equipment (Cents/100 Pounds)
85	21.25	13.7	7.6
100	25	13.7	11.3
150	37.5	13.7	23.8
200	50.0	13.7	36.3

Lifetime Utility Costoveranalysis

1,000 lb/day machine, Water \$7.60/kGal. Elec. 10 cents/kWh, 120 gallons of cooling water, DOE Recommended Efficiencies

This size ice maker cost about \$3,000.



Understandable terms

**If you don't
measure it, you
can't manage it!**





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