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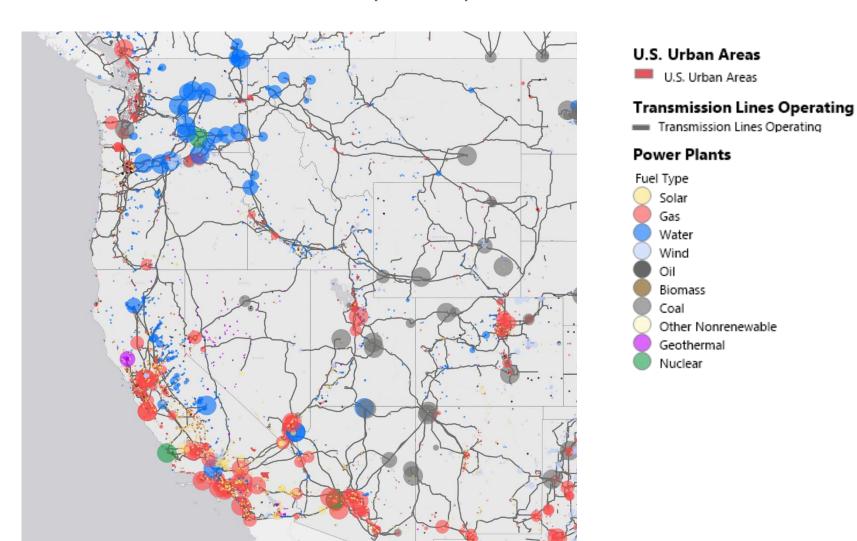
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Northwest Transmission Primer

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Western Generation, Load, and Transmission



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Proposed Focus Area List

1. In-state resources

California Desert
Tehachapi
Victorville/Barstow
Riverside East
Imperial Valley
San Joaquin Valley
Modesto to Bakersfield
Northern California
Solano and East Bay
Sacramento River Valley
Lassen & Modoc

2. Import/Export Paths

Eldorado/Mead/Marketplace Palo Verde/Delaney California-Oregon Intertie Central and Northern Sierra

3. Out-of-State Projects

WY and NM wind NV and AZ solar NV geothermal NW wind and geothermal OOS "Delivery" projects OOS "Network" projects





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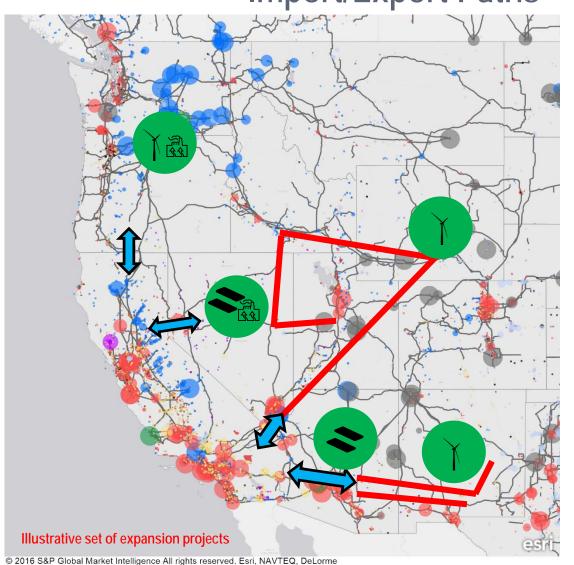


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TAFAs: Out-of-State Resources, Projects and Import/Export Paths



U.S. Urban Areas

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Transmission Lines Operating

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Power Plants

Fuel Type

Solar

Gas

Water

Wind

Oil

Biomass

Coal

Other Nonrenewable

Geothermal

Nuclear

Long-term firm transmission availability is limited between the Northwest/Intermountain resource TAFAs and Import/Export Path TAFAs.

This lack of commercially available transmission capacity supports the commercial need for additional transmission infrastructure.

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