

Wind Turbine Facts:

The wind turbines at the Big Spring Wind Farm are taller than:

- Statue of Liberty
- The length of the Goodyear Blimp
- U.S. Capitol Building
- The length of a 747 Jetliner

The TXU family of companies has been honored by the American Wind Energy Association with its Utility Leadership Award "for leading the Texas wind energy boom."

TXU Global Renewable Energy Projects

Texas wind energy is not the only place TXU is investing in renewable energy—we're doing it across the globe too.

We estimate that in 2001 TXU renewable projects worldwide provided enough energy to power more than 355,000 homes or the annual needs of one million people.

The New Texas Energy Boom: Harnessing the Wind



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Energizing Homes with Renewable Energy

For more than 30 years, TXU Energy has been researching and supporting the development of renewable energy. Today, we are proud to lead Texas and the Southwest in the purchase of renewable energy—it is clean, efficient and represents an important part of a diversified fuel portfolio.



Here are some additional facts about TXU Energy and renewable energy that you might not know:

- When announced projects are completed, TXU Energy will be the third-largest purchaser of wind energy in the United States and the largest in Texas and the Southwest.
- In 2001, TXU Energy increased its purchases of wind energy by more than 800 percent. By the end of 2003, we will purchase wind power from 680 of Texas' 1,200-plus commercial wind turbines.
- Today, TXU Energy receives electricity from 440 wind turbines, enough to power the needs of more than 81,000 Texas homes. By the end of 2003, TXU will receive enough renewable energy to power the annual needs of more than 132,000 Texas homes.
- TXU Energy began purchasing renewable energy long before any state requirements. In fact, our research started in the 1970s. We are committed to increasing the amount of renewable energy as part of a diversified energy portfolio.



TXU Energy purchases long-term (10+ year) contracts for renewable energy to enable these large-scale projects to obtain construction funding. We also have similar arrangements with other traditional power plants.

While we are one of the largest energy producers in the United States, TXU Energy is also proud to be one of the cleanest. By supporting legislative and community clean air initiatives, vigorously controlling emission rates and increasing renewable energy purchases, we are working to help keep our air clean now and for generations to come.