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**Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy**

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**Save Energy Now**

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## **The Pledge:** Voluntarily agree to reduce energy intensity by 25% or more over 10 years

### **Why Take the Pledge?**

- Reduce energy costs and carbon footprint
- Minimize risk related to volatile energy costs
- Enhance competitiveness
- Promote energy security
- Be recognized as an energy and environmental leader





# Energy Policy Act (EPAct) of 2005, Section 106

## **Section 106: Voluntary Commitments to Reduce Industrial Energy Intensity**

- Authorizes the Secretary of Energy to enter into voluntary agreements with industrial firms that consume significant amounts of energy to reduce the energy intensity of their production activities
- The goal is a 2.5% annual reduction in energy intensity for each year from 2007-2016
- Requires DOE to recognize and publicize the achievements of participants
- Industry participants eligible to receive DOE financial and technical assistance





## Industry Already Sets Energy Efficiency Goals

- **Dow**
  - Reduce energy intensity 25% between 2005-2015
- **Ford**
  - Improve energy efficiency by 14% over 5 years (normalized for production changes)
  - Increase energy efficiency by over 18% in North American facilities between 2000 and 2005
- **Intel**
  - Reduced energy use by more than 4% per unit of product per year from 2002-2006
- **Proctor and Gamble**
  - Produce 71% more product per unit of energy in 2004 (vs, 1990)
- **3M**
  - Improve energy efficiency 20% indexed to sales in 2010 (vs. 2005)
  - Improve energy efficiency by 27% indexed to sales in 2005 (vs. 2000)
- **AMD**
  - Reduce energy use by 30% in 2007 (vs. 2002)
  - Achieved 48% actual savings by 2005

Includes both historic and planned improvements



## Becoming a Save Energy Now Leader

1. Pledge to adopt a goal to reduce energy intensity 25% or more over 10 years
  - Develop an energy intensity baseline
  - Develop an energy management plan
  - Designate an energy manager or leader
2. Take steps to reduce energy intensity and reduce carbon emissions
3. Report energy intensity data and achievements annually to DOE







## What DOE Provides

- Priority access to energy system assessments on multiple industrial systems and emerging advanced technologies
- Tailored assistance in developing the energy baseline and energy management plan, plus ongoing access to expert advice
- Waived fees for training workshops on financing options, advanced technology, energy management, software tools, etc.
- Easy access to proven, energy analysis tools, services, and other resources
- National, high-level recognition for pledge participation and subsequent achievements





## Launching the Pledge

- Identify “charter members” among leading industrial companies
  - Publicize their participation in media
- Officially launch with public signing ceremony
- Hold Summit (Southeast)
  - Stimulate dialogue among stakeholders (utilities, labs, members of Congress, and manufacturers)
  - Attract more pledges from industry





## Industry Supports Save Energy Now

An industry steering committee provided DOE with feedback on the *25 in 10* Pledge concept:

- View the *25 in 10* goal as a potentially achievable stretch goal.
- Expressed enthusiasm about promoting the pledge to their management.
- Plan to encourage their CEOs to attend a public pledge signing event with the Energy Secretary.



### DOE Pledge Industry Steering Committee

3M  
AMD  
APC  
Arizona Dept. of  
Commerce Energy  
Office  
Boeing

California Energy  
Commission  
Dow Chemical  
Emerson Electric  
Ford Motor Company  
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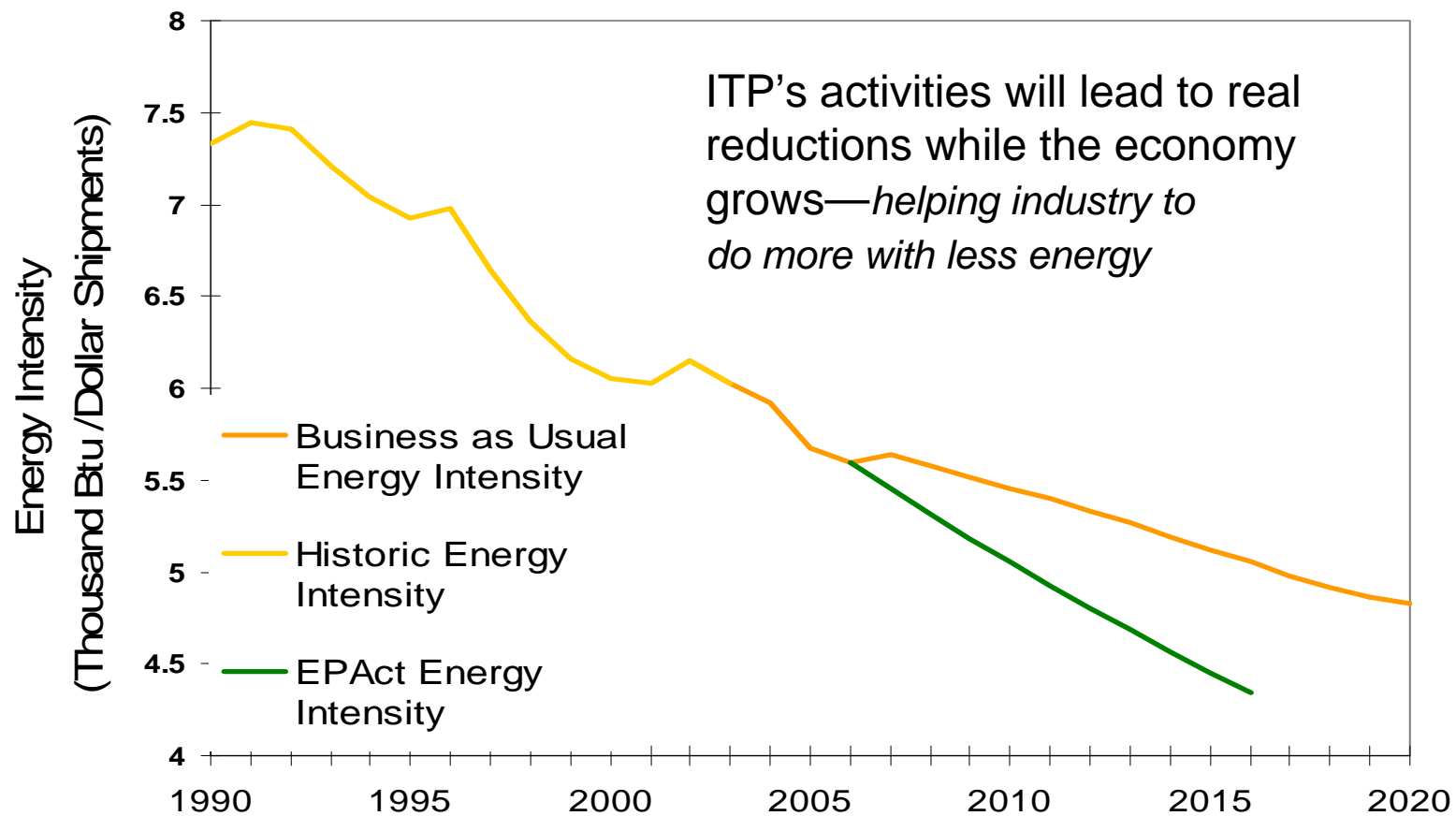
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## Potential Impact of “25 in 10”





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