

Heat Pumps for Environmental Protection

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Outdoor units







Heat pumps come in all shapes and sizes to meet your needs and aesthetics.





Light Commercial













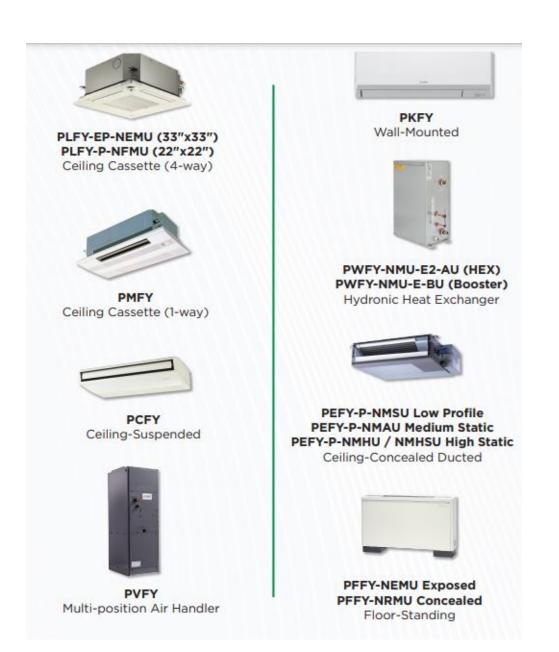
- Available in 36,000 and 48,000 Btu/h capacities
- ▶ 100% heating capacity at 1° F
- ▶ 78% heating capacity down to -13°F, utilizing flash injection technology
- Models are Energy Star* qualified
- Base Pan Heater standard







Commercial, Industrial, Large Multi-family













Elsewhere on 01/11/2022 with heat pump only heat



Large home in Princeton MA

with large multi-zone system.

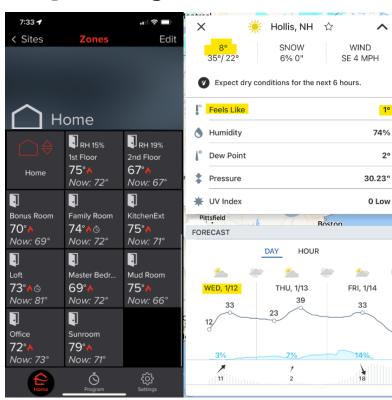
Heat pump delivering exactly

temperature at -14F.

what is being asked. Wind chill

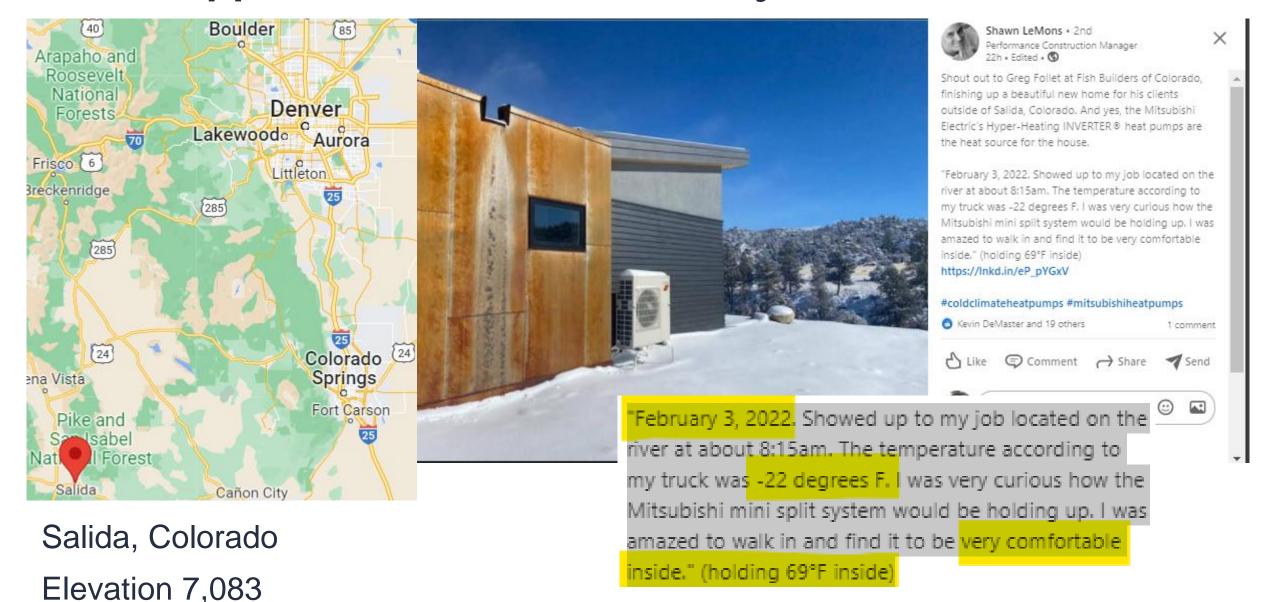


2 story colonial outside Bangor ME. Multiple condensers. Wind chill temperature at -21F.



Very large home in Hollis NH. 3 outdoor units, 2 PEADs, and 8 wall units January 12 snapshot. No problem maintaining temps on the 11th either.

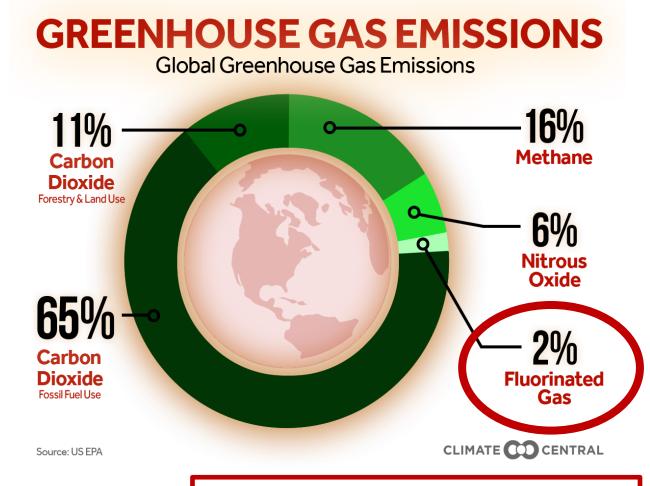
What happens when it is ridiculously cold?



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Why Another Refrigerant Transition?

- Environmental concerns
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- Ozone Depleting Potential (ODP)
- Global Warming Potential (GWP)
- A transition should
 - Result in a reduction in emissions
 - Refrigerant GWP
 - Direct: Leaks
 - Indirect: Source Energy
 - Maintain or improve capacity and energy efficiency
 - Maintain or improve safety and reliability



Small %, but up to several thousand times the GWP of CO₂ per compound

High Pressure Refrigerants – Challenging to Replace

Pressure	Туре	Refrigerant	Toxicity	Flammability	ODP	GWP	
High	HCFC	R-22	А	1	1	1,810	
	HFC	R-410A	А	1	0	1,924	—
	HFC	R-466A	А	1	0	733	
	HFC	R-32	А	2L – BV 6.7	0	677	
	HFC	R-454B	А	2L – BV 5.2	0	467	—
	HFC	R-152a	Α	2 – BV 23	0	138	
		R-290 (Propane)	А	3 – BV 40	0	5	



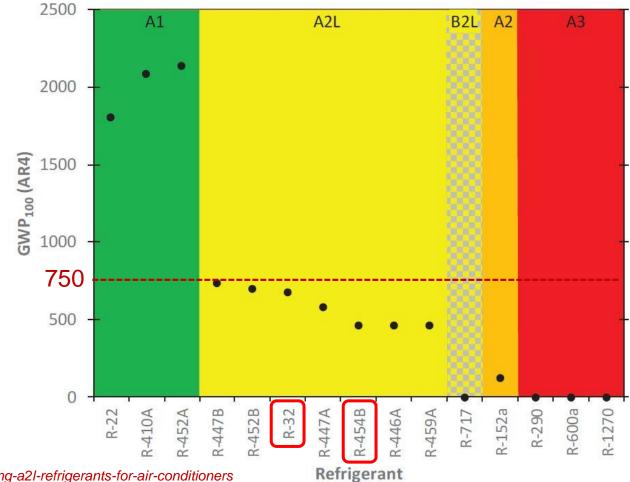


Source: NEEP



R-410A Replacement: The Challenge is Flammability

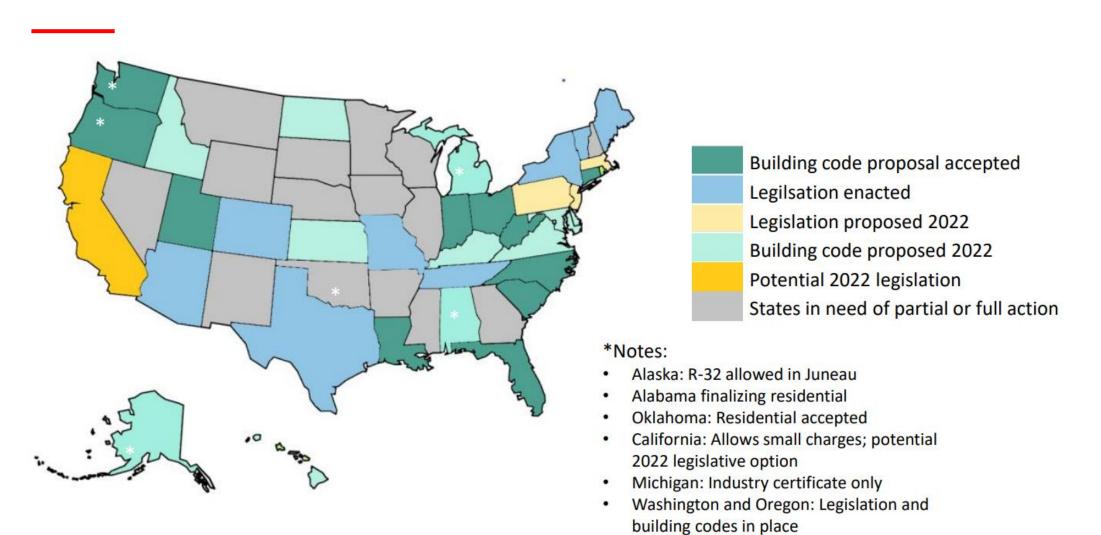
- Flammability and GWP are essentially inversely proportional for higher pressure refrigerants
- Removal of the fluorine-based chemicals lowers GWP, but results in an increase in volatility



https://www.achrnews.com/articles/141733-understanding-a2I-refrigerants-for-air-conditioners



Low-GWP Refrigerant Building Code Update (Air Conditioning)





Consumer Liaison Group Meeting

ISO Releases Annual 10-Year Forecast Report

- Issued on April 29, the annual Capacity, Energy, Loads, and Transmission (CELT) Report is the primary source for assumptions used in ISO system planning studies
- Overall electricity use is expected to increase 1.4% annually over the ten year period (22'-31')
- Summer peak demand is expected to increase 0.3% annually
- Winter peak demand is expected to increase
 1.5% annually



https://www.iso-ne.com/static-assets/documents/2022/06/clg_meeting_george_iso_new_england_update_presentation_june_9_2022.pdf



The Grid is just fine.



ISO New England Update

Consumer Liaison Group Meeting

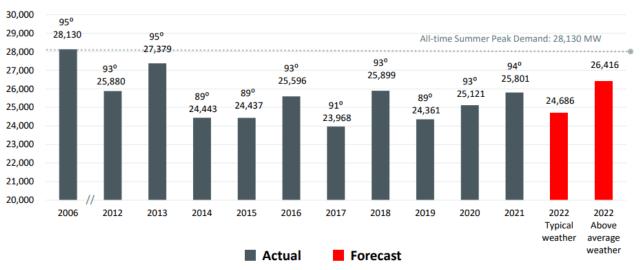
2022 CELT Includes 10-Year Forecasts for Heating Electrification and Light-Duty Electric Vehicles

- The CELT forecasts that by 2031:
 - More than 1.5 million light duty <u>electric vehicles</u> will be deployed in New England
 - More than 1.1 million <u>air-source heat pumps</u> will be deployed in the region
- Transportation electrification from EVs is forecasted to contribute
 1,535 MW to the winter peak and 1,096 MW to summer peak in
 2031–2032
- Heating electrification is forecasted to contribute 1,899 MW to the winter peak in 2031–2032, under average weather conditions
- The ISO began including forecasted impacts of heating and transportation electrification on state and regional electric energy and demand in the 2020 CELT report

Weather Drives Summer Peak Demand

Historical and Projected Peak Demand in New England

Annual Summer System Peak (MW) and temperature at time of peak*



*Temperature is dry-bulb temperature in degrees Fahrenheit based on weighted average of eight New England weather stations. Summer 2022 50/50 and 90/10 forecasted peaks include the demand-reducing effects of energy-efficiency measures acquired through the Forward Capacity Market and behind-the-meter solar.

Sources: ISO-NE Seasonal Peaks'Since 1980, 2022 CELT Forecast

 New England has more than 31,000 MW of total capacity available this summer



Decarbonization!



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		CO2			Seasonal	
		generated per	Seasonal	Seasonal	% CO2	
		therm	% CO2	% CO2	change	
		equivalent	change	change	from	
		heat provided	from NG	from Oil	Propane	
State	#/Mwh	by ASHP	to ASHP	to ASHP	to ASHP	
DE	857	4.77	-59%	-70%	-66%	
RI	839	4.51	-61%	-72%	-68%	
MA	752	4.49	-62%	-72%	-68%	
MD	580	2.98	-75%	-81%	-79%	
CT	522	2.81	-76%	-83%	-80%	
NJ	475	2.60	-78%	-84%	-81%	
NY	396	2.33	-80%	-86%	-83%	
NH	223	1.35	-88%	-92%	-90%	
ME	210	1.34	-89%	-92%	-90%	
VT	1	0.01	-100%	-100%	-100%	

Building heating with fossil fuels accounts for ~39% of all carbon emissions in the US.

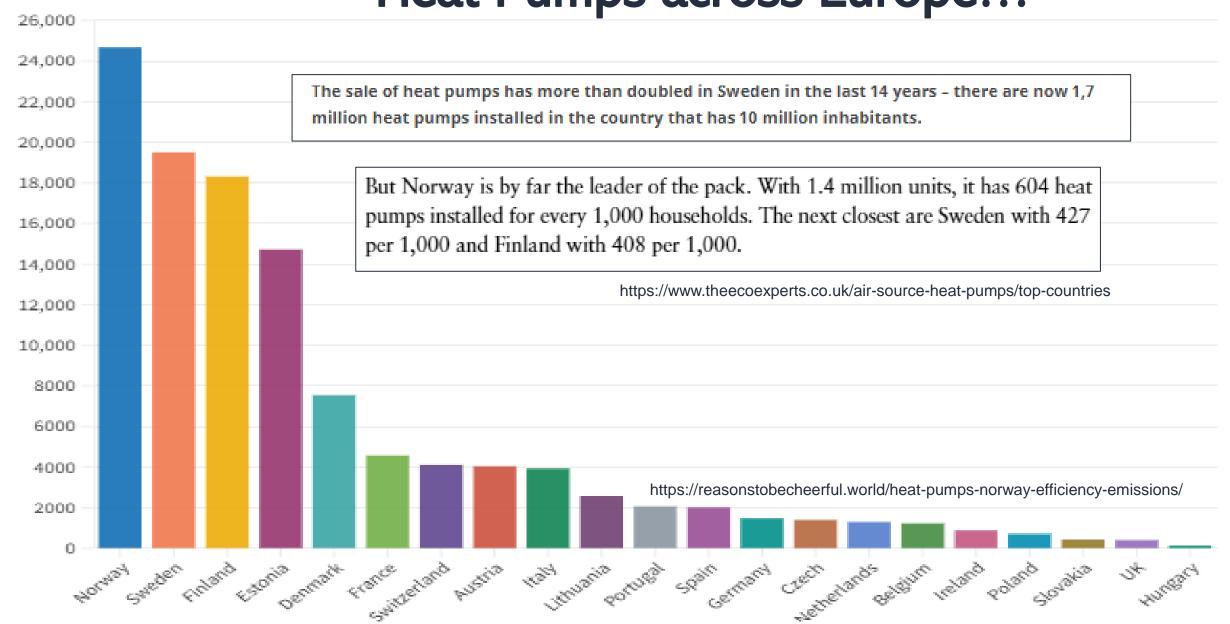
- 11.7 pounds of CO2 is emitted per therm of Natural Gas burned in a conventional furnace or boiler.
- 16.1 pounds of CO2 is emitted per therm of Oil burned in a conventional furnace or boiler.
- 13.9 pounds of CO2 is emitted per therm of Propane burned in a conventional furnace or boiler.

Based on calculation of COP of FS12 hyper heat unit in state weather bin conditions against 2020 Carbon output per MWH in US States.



Heat pumps per 100,000 people





Q: Was it just incentives?

A: No, it required regulation too.

News > World > Europe

Norway to ban the use of oil for heating buildings by 2020



'Those using fossil oil for heating must find other options by 2020,' says country's Environment Minister

Maya Oppenheim • Sunday 02 July 2017 16:29 • Comments



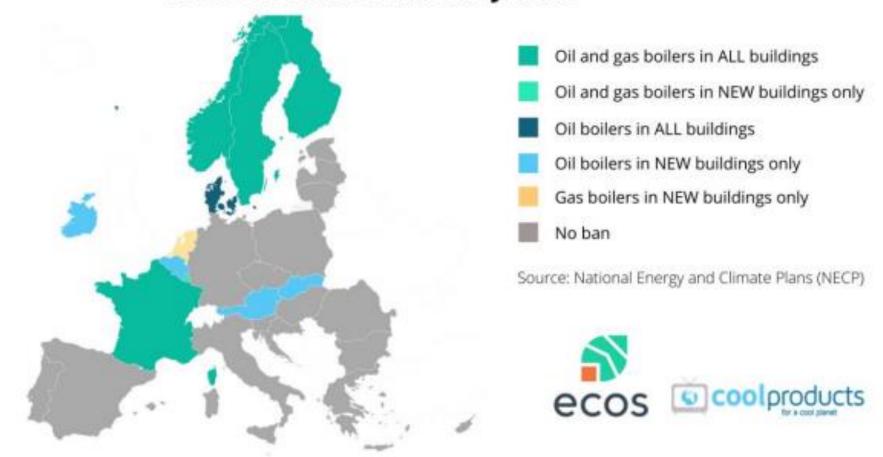


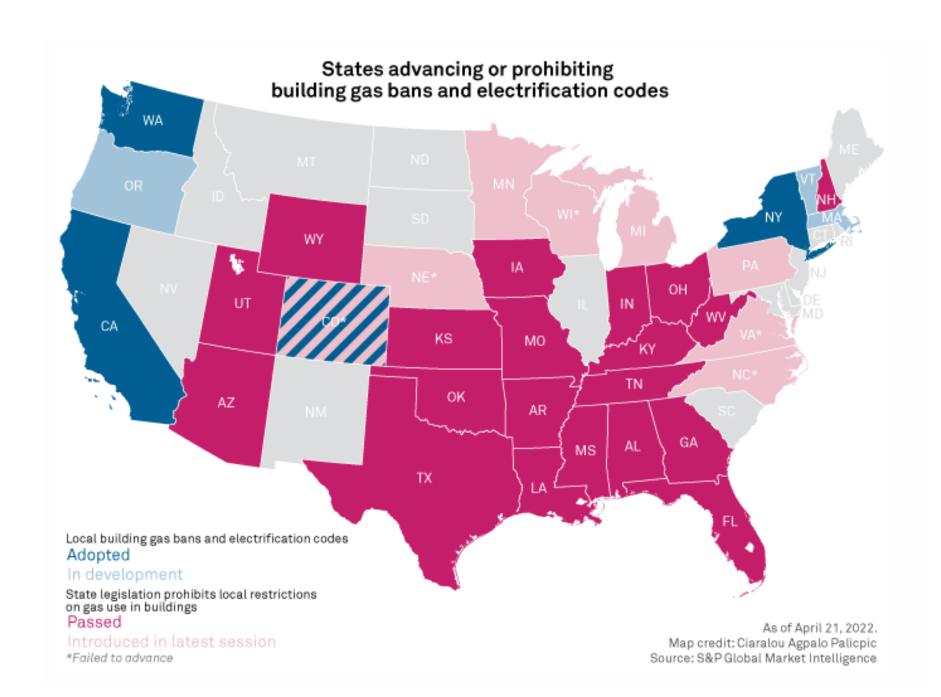




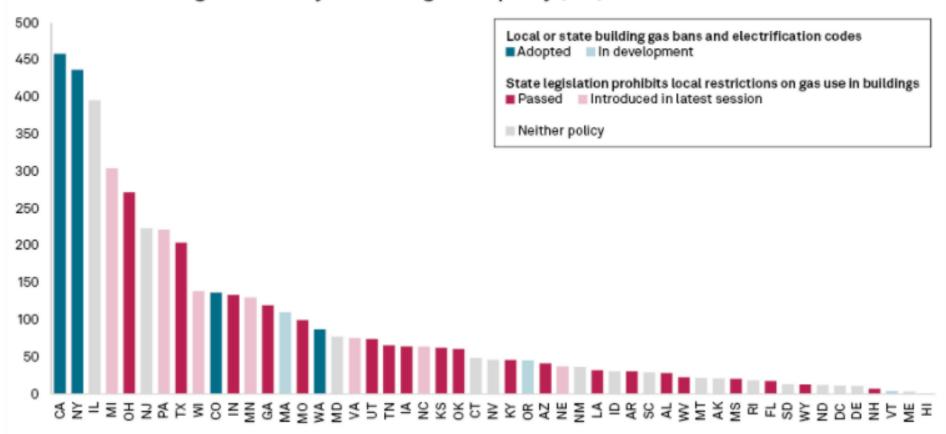
Heating with oil used to be quite common in Norwegian homes and commercial buildings. But this practice was banned at the beginning of 2020, with few exceptions.

End of fossil-fuel heating in the European Union. What types of boilers will be banned by 2024?





Residential natural gas volume by state and gas use policy (Bcf)



As of June 8, 2022.

The North Carolina governor vetoed a gas ban preemption bill. Virginia lawmakers dropped preemption language from a bill. The legislative session ended before the Nebraska and Wisconsion bills received votes. Michigan, Minnesota and Pennsylvania bills are still active.

Sources: U.S. Energy Information Administration; S&P Global Market Intelligence

The residential and commercial sectors accounted for 15% and 11% of total U.S. gas consumption in 2021, according to the EIA.



Electrification = Opportunity

More heat pump use = less burning stuff

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