

The AES Corporation 2009 Fact Sheet

The AES Corporation is one of the world's leading power companies, providing affordable and sustainable energy through our generation and distribution businesses. Founded in 1981 as one of the first Independent Power Producers in the U.S., we pioneered private investment in power generation and distribution in many countries. Today, we are in some of the world's fastest growing markets and our operating capabilities across diverse fuel types and technologies make us well-positioned to help meet this demand.

GLOBAL REACH & RELIABILITY

Today AES develops, constructs, acquires and operates facilities to improve the reach and reliability of electricity around the world, from the U.S. to Chile, and from Bulgaria to China and Cameroon. We deploy our operational experience and global scale to apply best practices from construction, sourcing, and management throughout our global platform.

STABILITY & GROWTH THROUGH DIVERSITY

The diversity of our portfolio – across fuel sources, technologies and markets – contributes to the stability and growth of AES. We generate and distribute electricity from a variety of energy sources – biomass, coal, diesel, hydropower, natural gas, oil, solar, and wind – to help meet the world's changing energy needs.

POWERING TOMORROW

At AES we constantly keep an eye to the future by identifying technologies that have the potential to help our facilities operate more efficiently. Our experience developing and operating facilities enables us to anticipate trends and to bring technologies to market.

A TRUSTED PARTNER

Commitment to the communities where we work has always been a hallmark of AES. By improving the reach and reliability of access to electricity, we have improved the quality of life in dozens of countries. We strive to be a good corporate citizen in each of the communities where we operate. This includes developing managerial and technical talent, having local partners, and engaging advisory boards.

MAKING POWER POSSIBLE: AES PEOPLE

AES people have a global perspective and local insight. Our talented workforce applies the knowledge gained in one market to other businesses throughout our portfolio. In everything we do, we are each guided by our shared values to put safety first, act with integrity, honor commitments, strive for excellence and have fun through work.

AES Business Lines

AES' experience in developing and operating power facilities and utilities enables us to deliver the appropriate mix of energy for each of the markets we serve through our **Core Power**, **Renewables** and **Climate Solutions** business lines.

Core Power Encompasses power generation facilities and distribution companies.

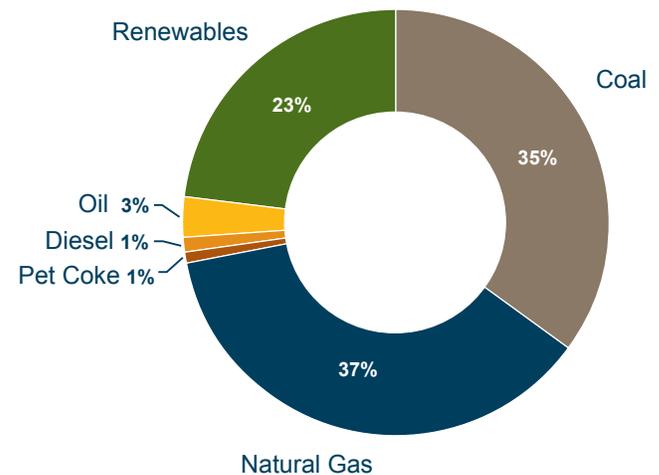
Generation Through our generation businesses, we sell electricity to utilities and other wholesale customers. The majority of our generation capacity is contracted under long-term agreements, and about 40 percent is sold through short-term contracts.

Utilities AES delivers electricity to more than 11 million customers, and include AES Eletropaulo in Sao Paulo, Brazil, one of the largest distribution companies in Latin America, as well as the Indianapolis Power & Light Company.

Renewables We have applied our knowledge of power markets to develop renewable energy projects, generating power from the sun, water and wind, and co-firing biomass at some of our thermal facilities.

Climate Solutions At AES, we have applied our project development and knowledge of energy markets to register Clean Development Mechanism and Joint Development Initiative projects with the UN. In the U.S., our venture with GE Energy Financial Services, **Greenhouse Gas Services, LLC**, develops next generation offset technologies.

Global Business Portfolio



- 29 countries
- 5 continents
- 39,659 MW¹
- 14 utilities
- \$16 billion revenues²
- \$35 billion assets²

¹ As of September 17, 2009. This does not include projects in construction (approximately 2,500 MW)

² 2008