



GeoEnergy Enterprises™

The GeoColumn™ Geothermal Heat Pump Company

Geothermal Energy Workshop

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Introduction

- GeoEnergy Enterprises, LLC
 - An Early Stage Business
 - Corporate, Manufacturing, Sales Offices located in New York, Research & Development Labs – Tennessee
 - Developed & Patented a novel, high-efficiency Geothermal HVAC System for use in residential and light commercial applications.

- SBU SBDC Client



- NYSERDA Grant Recipient



- Presenter and Program Committee Member for the AERTC Advanced Energy Conference



- LIPA Rebate Qualified Supplier of Geothermal HVAC Systems





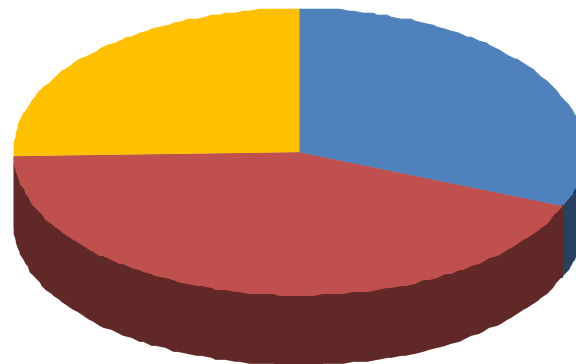
Energy Demand is Growing at an “Unsustainable” Pace

Energy

- Conventional sources are unsustainable
- Costs continue to increase
- Conventional sources impact the environment
- Buildings consume a lot of it



US Primary Energy Consumption



■ TRANSPORTATION	28%
■ BUILDINGS	39%
■ INDUSTRY	23%

We need a “SUSTAINABLE” Solution!



THE ENERGY BALANCE

- An Oak Ridge National Lab (ORNL) study claims that Geothermal Heat Pumps have the ability to offset 35-40% of the projected growth in building energy consumption between now and 2030
- DOE is tasking its teams with facilitating the deployment of 1,000,000 geothermal heat pumps per year by 2016 - as compared to the current roughly 100,000 units.
- The primary barriers to broad acceptance are high installed cost, uncertainty of scope of cost, and errors in design and installation.
 - ORNL study also sites the *“lack of new technologies and techniques to improve GHP system cost and performance”*.



STATE OF THE ART

- All heat pumps work on the principal of the Carnot cycle and have essentially the same four components:
 - Compressor
 - Condenser
 - Evaporator
 - Expansion Device
- The vast majority of heat pumps in the market are Air-to-Air systems which suffer from the outdoor location of the evaporator or condenser coils.
 - Efficiencies of Carnot systems with various refrigerants as the working fluid decrease as the condensing / evaporating temperatures go to the extremes.



The Hidden Resource!

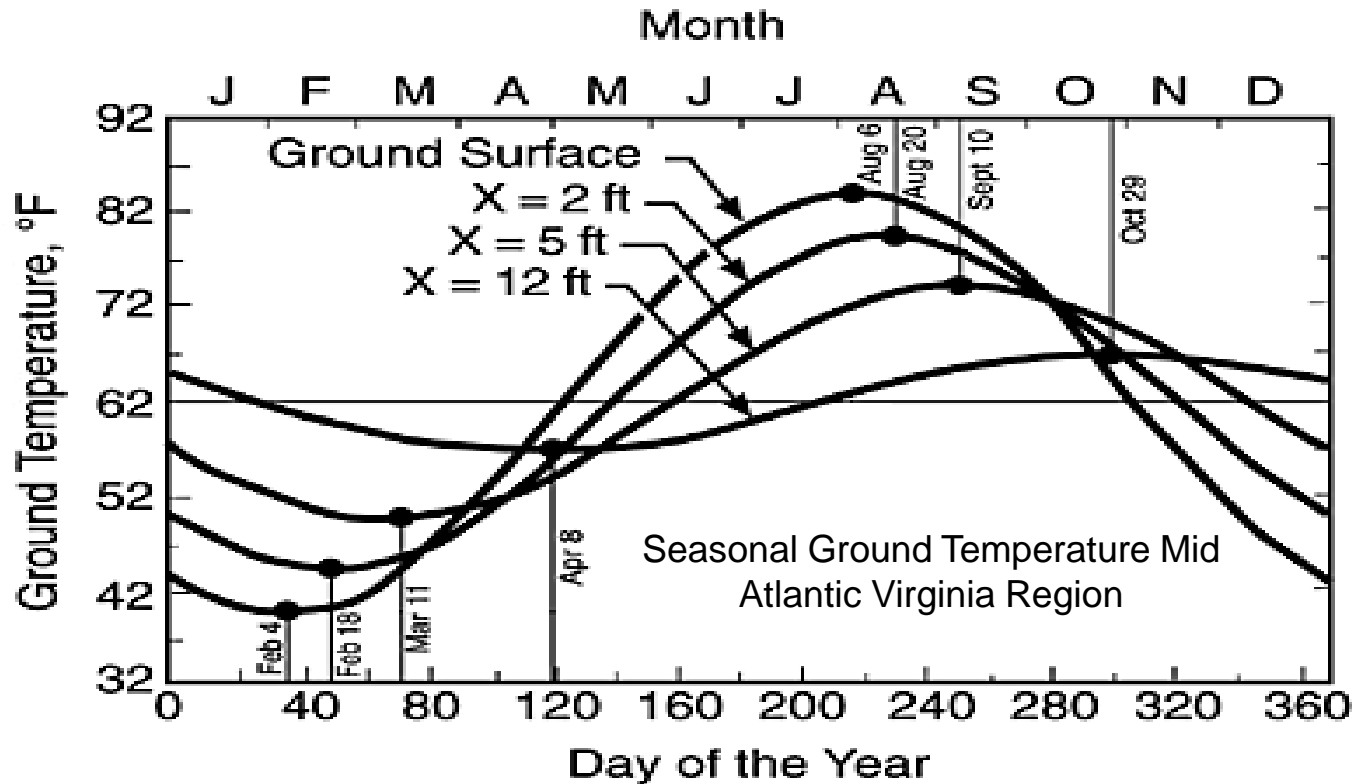
Just below the surface of the earth, the temperature is virtually constant!



The World needs a System to Utilize this Energy!



Is Geothermal a Solution?

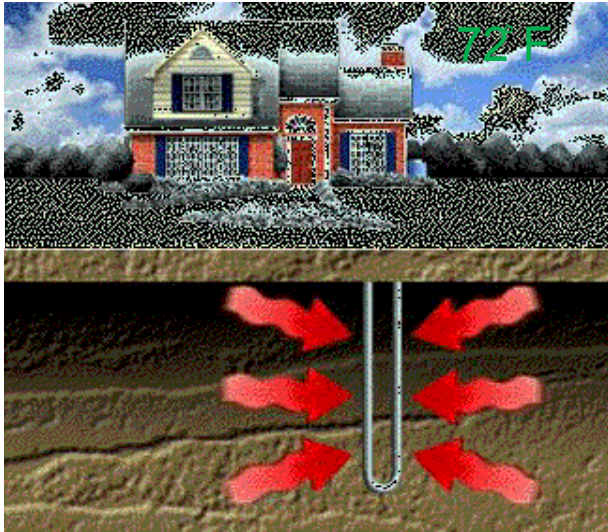


12' Below the Grounds Surface, is an Untapped Constant Source of Energy.

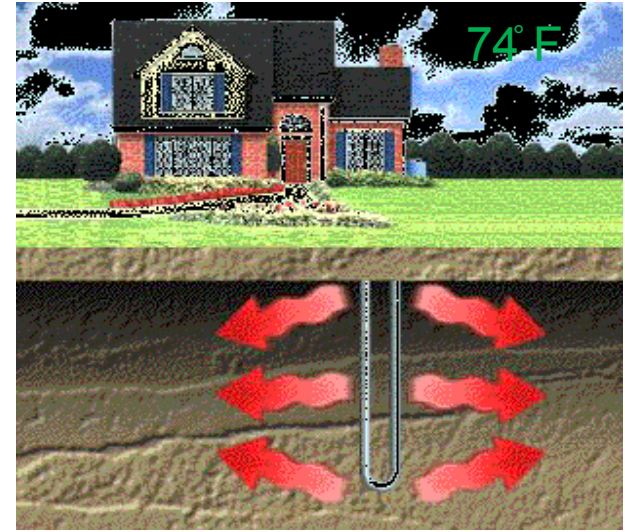


The Geothermal Equation

Air Temp 0° F in Winter



Air Temp 95° F in Summer



Ground Temp 55-65° F

1 Unit of Electrical Energy = 4-6 Units of Geothermal Energy Produced

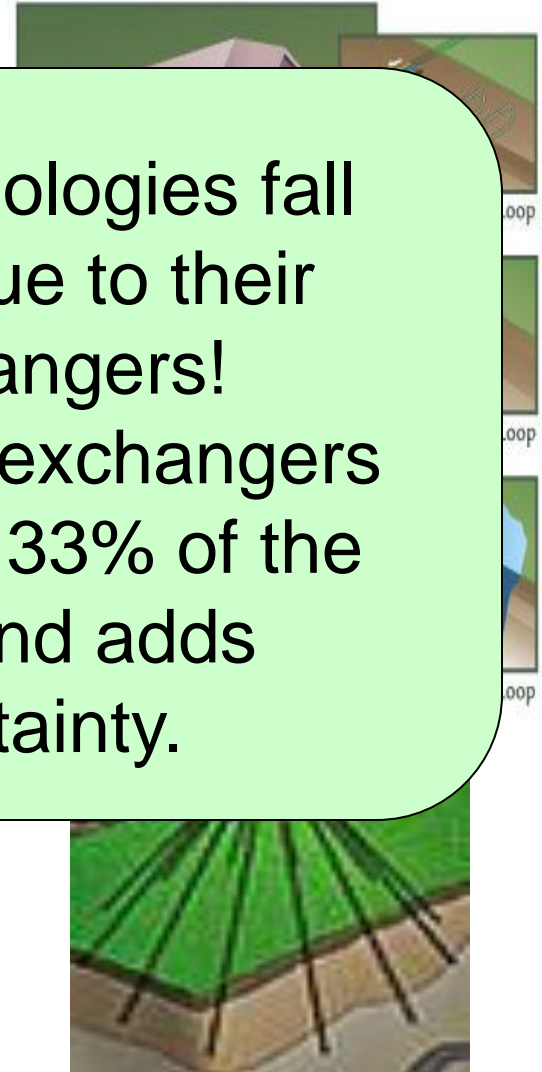


The Evolution of Geothermal

1st Generation - Open Loop Water Source - Pump and Dump Groundwater

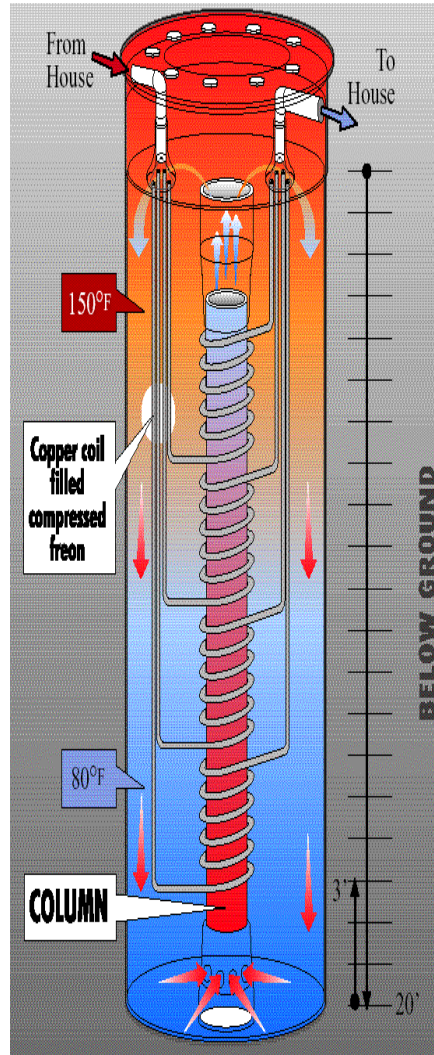
Existing Geothermal Technologies fall short of broad adoption due to their ground loop heat exchangers!
The adoption of these heat exchangers typically accounts for over 33% of the entire installation cost and adds complexity and uncertainty.

Standard heat pump compressor is used to move Freon through arrays of long (100') copper tubing to interact directly with a land mass
Requires large excavation or deep drilling (100'+) and grouting
Leak in underground ACR pipe requires HX reinstallation





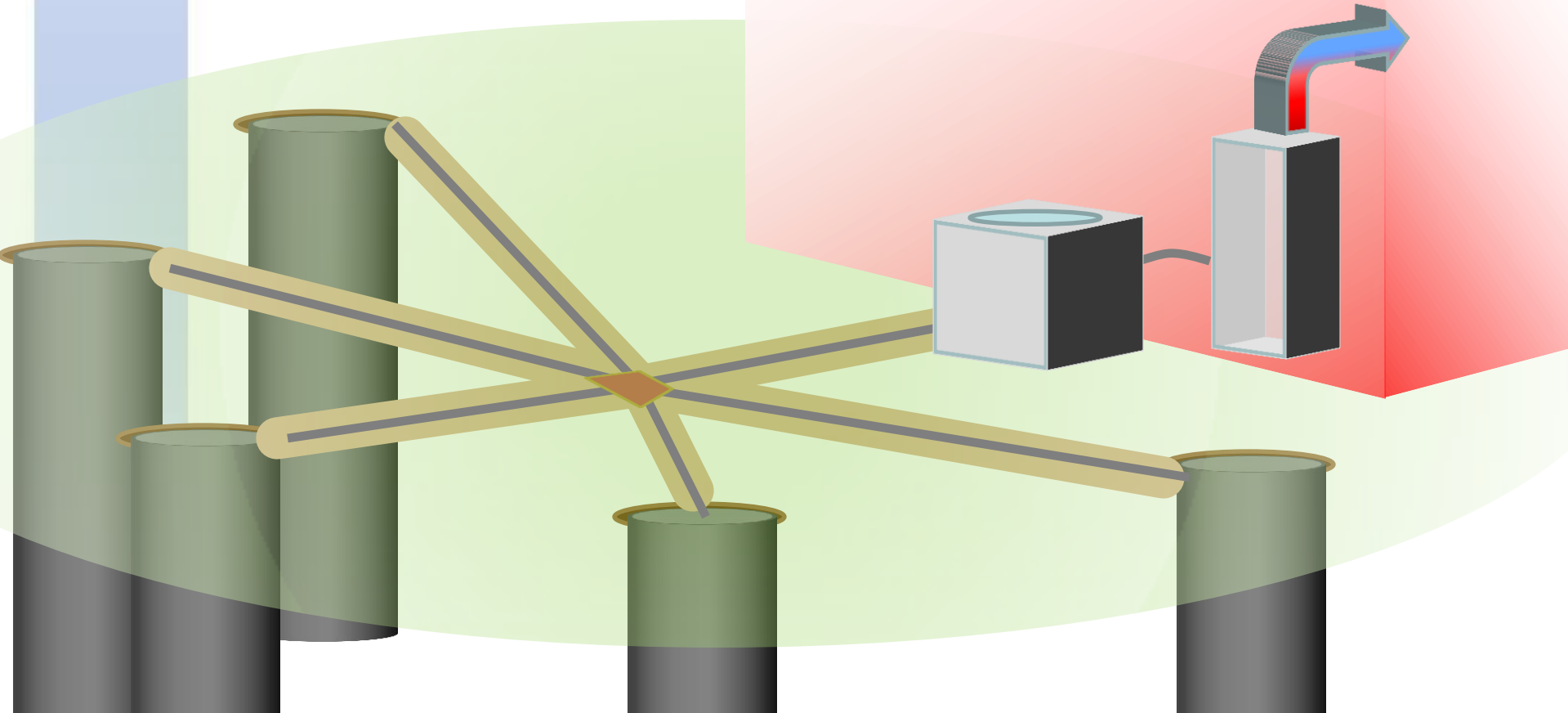
GeoEnergy's Patented GeoColumn is the Critical Difference!



- ✓ 2 - 3 Day Full System Deployment
- ✓ Predictable Performance
- ✓ High efficiency
- ✓ 25% Less System Cost
- ✓ Simple Payback: 3-7 years
- ✓ Environmentally Friendly
 - No glycol
 - No aquifer impact



The GeoEnergy GeoColumn System





GeoEnergy's Residential Simple Payback Estimate

	Standard System (SEER 13-16)	GeoEnergy Enterprises System
Installed Cost to Cust	\$15,000	\$30,000
30% Federal Tax Credit		\$9,000
Less Tax Credit	\$15,000	\$21,000
Avg. Utl. Bill mo./yr.	\$500/\$6,000	\$300/\$3,600
Annual Savings	0	\$2,400
Simple Payback		3 years
Carbon Saved	0	9 metric tons (1.5 cars)

Long Island New York, 2000 sq. ft. home



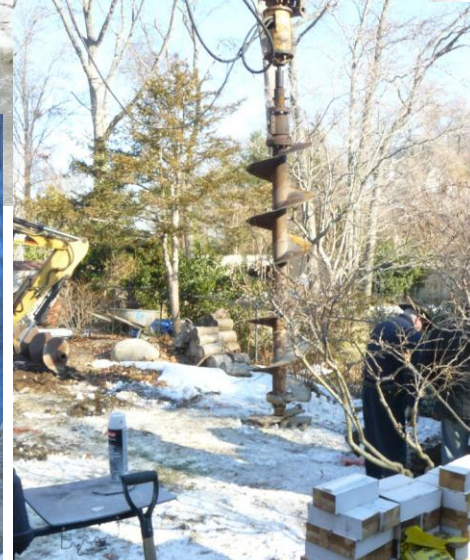
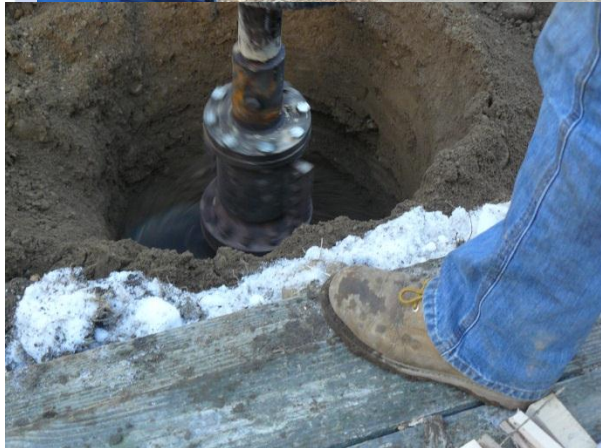
MILESTONES and PROJECTIONS

- ✓ Key Patent - Granted
- ✓ Prototypes - Phase II complete
- ✓ Field Tests – Excellent results
- ✓ Utility Rebates – LIPA in place
- ✓ NYSERDA Agreement in place
- ✓ Supply Chain – Vendors identified and participated in prototype phase
- ✓ UL/ETL Intertek Safety Listing
- ✓ AHRI/Energy Star Intertek 3 ton Unit Testing Complete
- ✓ First Order Installed – Data Monitoring underway
- Acquire AHRI/Energy Star for Entire Product Family
- Install Additional Data Acquisition Sites
- Production Capable





First Installation Pictures





Thank You!

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