1 GWe "Oil Well" on the Moon

The Jamestown Group of High Frontier

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Commodities from the Moon:

"Zero Mass & Speed of Light"

- Information: 40%+ of economies
 - Communications
 - C-Band, Ku-Band, LEO-HEO-GEO, Routers, IP
 - GPS, Navigation
 - Data Servers, Archives
 - Fifth Node
 - Observations
 - Earth Resources, Environment,
 - Weather, Climate
 - Solar System, Milky Way, Galaxy
- Energy: Enabling Resource
 - Solar: Lunar SP, SPS
 - Nuclear: Fission, Fusion, He3

Opportunities

- Communications: 2009 -
 - Early Claim/Deployment on Lunar Surface
 - Digital Human Heritage Archive "Alexandria"
 - Com/Nav Services for all Moon Users
- Observations / Condominium: 2010 -
 - Early Sun Observations Instruments Deployment
 - Lunar Cosmic Rays Water Observatory (2015-)
- Energy: 1 GWe by 2020 (2015-2020)
 - Solar Energy Technology RDT&E Missions
 - Energy for Lunar Applications/Operations
 - Moon to Earth, Moon to Geo Applications

Toward A 1 GWe "Oil Well on the Moon"

A Market Financed RDT&E Decadal Effort



SNAP-based 35 kWe Plant

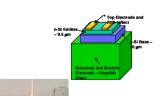
IOSTAR-based 1 MWe Plant

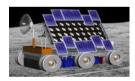
5 MWe Solar Demo

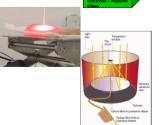
1 GW Solar

10 kW In-Situ Solar Demo

Analogues Robotic Precursors









2007 - 2010 2011 - 2014

Humans on Moon

Lunar Use/Production







Industrial/Terrestrial Phase Start-up

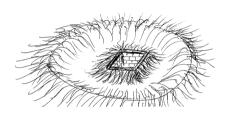


2015-2020

2020+

"Water Observatory":

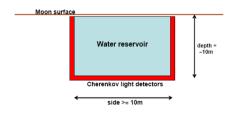
A Unifying Early ISRU Demonstration Driven by Non-Aerospace Applications/Users

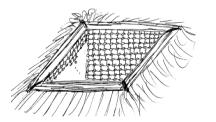


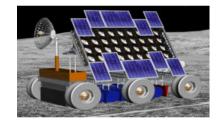


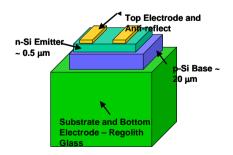


Lunar facility for HE gamma rays and HE Cosmic Rays (surface > ~100m² modules)

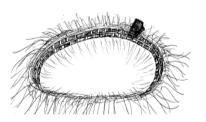










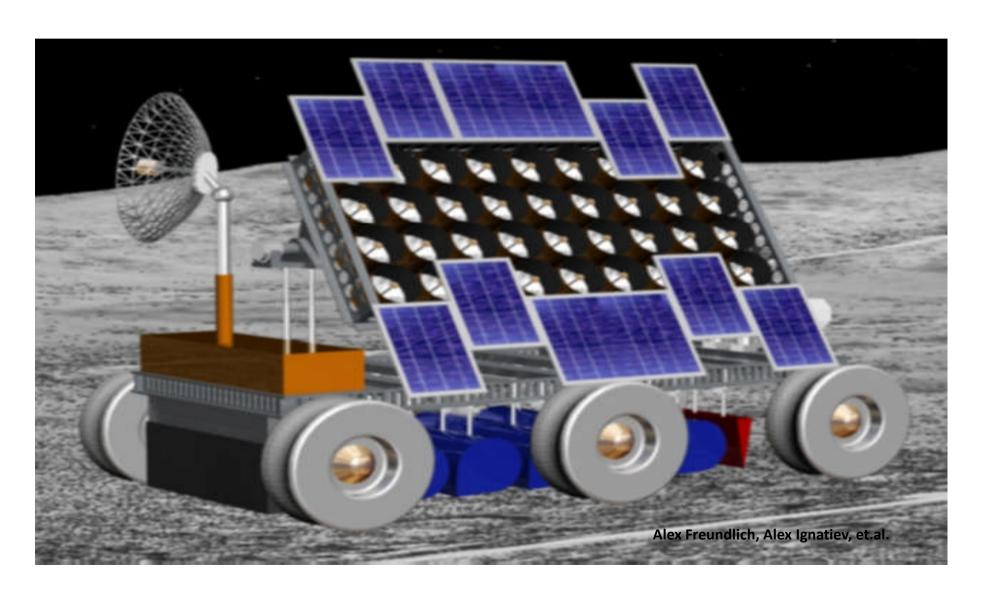


ISRU Energy Options

Data Processing Archiving Transmission

Mining Construction Engineering

In-Situ Automated Regolith Processing for Solar Cell Production



Automatic Solar Cell Production Unit Using in-situ Lunar Materials



Closing Thoughts on Energy

- Four key uncertainties impacting near-term decisions on new generation:
 - Future cost of CO₂
 - Future price of natural gas
 - Spent nuclear fuel storage
 - CO₂ capture and storage
- Extraordinary opportunity to develop and demonstrate a very low emissions portfolio of generation technologies for operation by 2020.

Launch Vehicle Opportunities

2010 -2020

The Atlas V Growth Alternative:

- Lower Risk intact crew abort throughout avoid "ketch-up" failure scenario
- Lower Cost anywhere from \$3 Billion to \$10 Billion
- Earlier US Capability 2015 vs. 2018 and slipping

Other US Options:

- Falcon IX, Aries V (2015 if accelerated!)
- Meeting the Russian and Chinese Challenges (2015 and 2017 respectively)
- Possibly even Indian and Japanese pre-emption if we stay on present "sleep-walking" course
- The Moon will be a Multi-player world by 2015

Toward 1 GWe on the Moon

Energy Demonstration Project BASELINE CASE

| | 2007-2010 | 2011-2014 | 2015-2020 | 2020+ |
|---------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Phases | RDT&E | PROTOTYPE | INITIAL OPS | FULL OPS+ |
| Equity & Debt | ~\$500MM | ~\$1B - \$2B | ~\$4B -\$10B | EXIT |
| # of Shares | 100,000 | 120,000 | 140,000 | 140,000 |
| Revenues | ? | ? | ? | \$0.66-\$74B |
| Value | ? | ? | ? | \$3.4-\$75B |
| Per Share | \$50K | ? | ? | \$23K-508K |