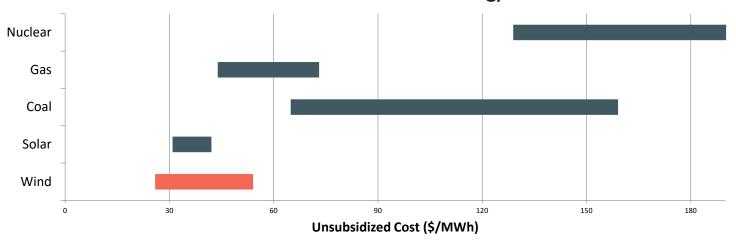


WIND & SOLAR POWER ARE COST COMPETITIVE

Wind is the cheapest source of new electricity generation in the Midwest, and is cheaper than existing coal plants and competitive with existing natural gas. The cost of solar has plummeted in recent years.

Unsubsidized Levelized Cost of Energy \$/MWh



Wind	Solar	Coal	Gas	Nuclear
\$26-54	\$31-42	\$65-159	\$44-73	\$129-198

Source: Lazard Levelized Cost of Energy 14.0, Oct. 2020

In the last decade, the cost of wind has fallen 70 percent and solar power has fallen 90 percent.

