











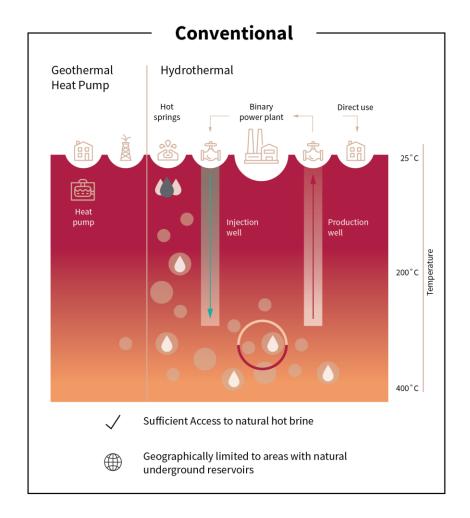


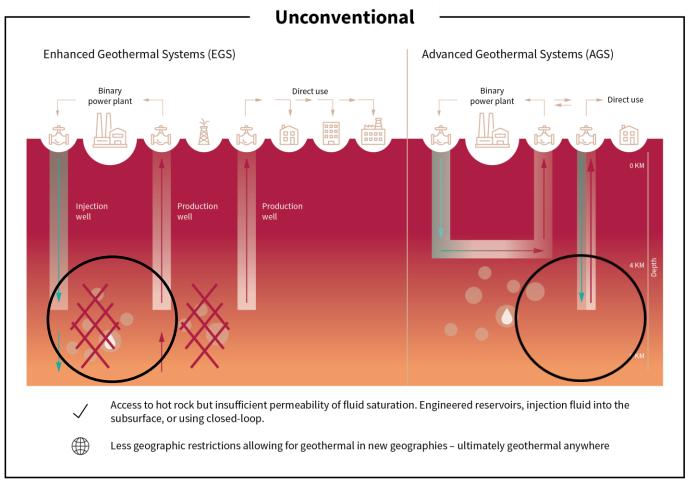






# The Geothermal Ecosystem 2023





# Improving the Case for Geothermal

#### **Diversifying revenue streams:**

- Energy Sales
- Capacity Factor
- Investment Tax Credits (ITC)
- Others: Direct Lithium Extraction

### **Project timelines:**

- Improving regulatory framework (current permitting 12-24 months)
- Reducing permitting timelines

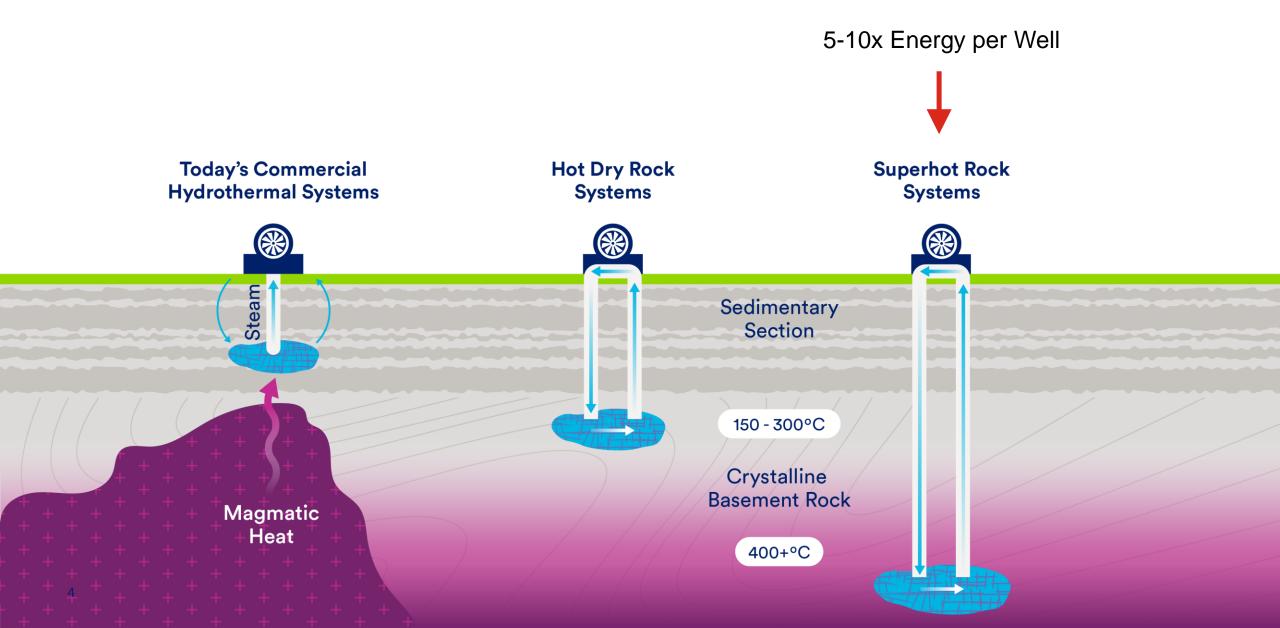
### **Technology to improve economics:**

- Lower drilling costs (30%-70% of cost)
- Lower risk profile
- Greater depths:
  - improved generation
  - available everywhere

#### **Where Geothermal Wins**

- Baseload: Capacity Factor
- Better utilization of transmission infrastructure
- Ability to scale up: transferable skilled workforce

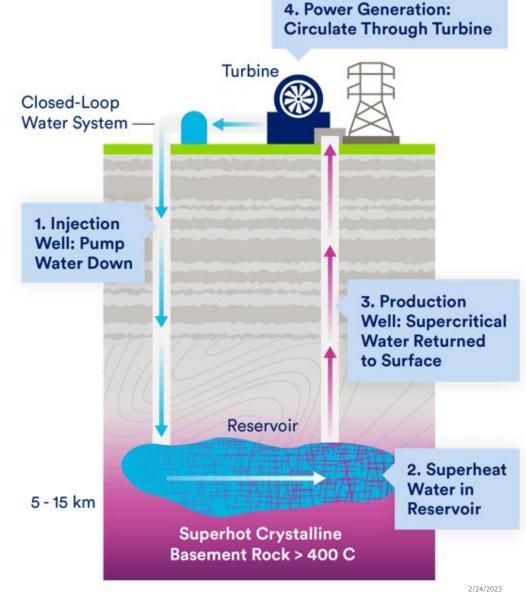
# New Markets, Super Hot Rock



# **New Markets Super Hot Rock**

**Value Proposition** 

- Competitive power
- Zero greenhouse gases
- Endless no-cost Earth energy resource, accessible worldwide with super deep drilling innovation
- Dispatchable, meaning always on, baseload power
- Energy dense, high energy with a small surface footprint
- Pivots fossil power to geothermal across the globe.
- Generate hydrogen without carbon as a transportation fuel
- Potential to repower fossil power plants
- Significant engineering advancements required but does not depend on scientific breakthroughs



## **New Markets Super hot rock**

Main Technical Challenges

- Low ROPs
- Drilling temperatures beyond electronic capability
- Completions design
- High Temperature Casing and Cement



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# New Markets, Super hot rock

Low ROP

Past - Roller Cone



Present - Fixed Cutter



Future - Non-traditional

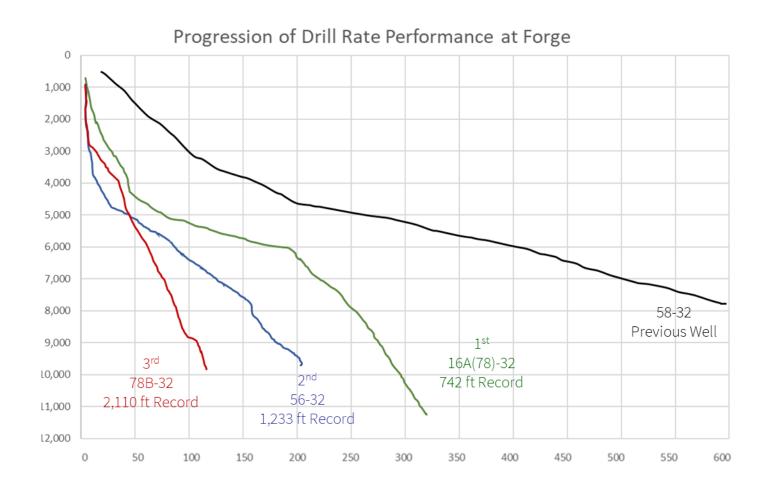


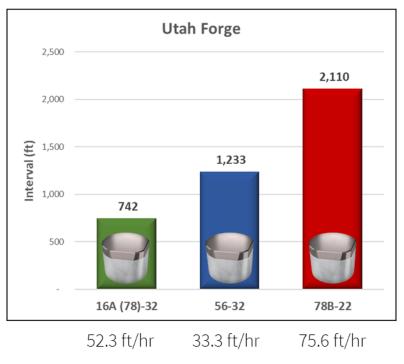
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### New Markets, Super hot hard rock

#### Proven Performance at Utah Forge

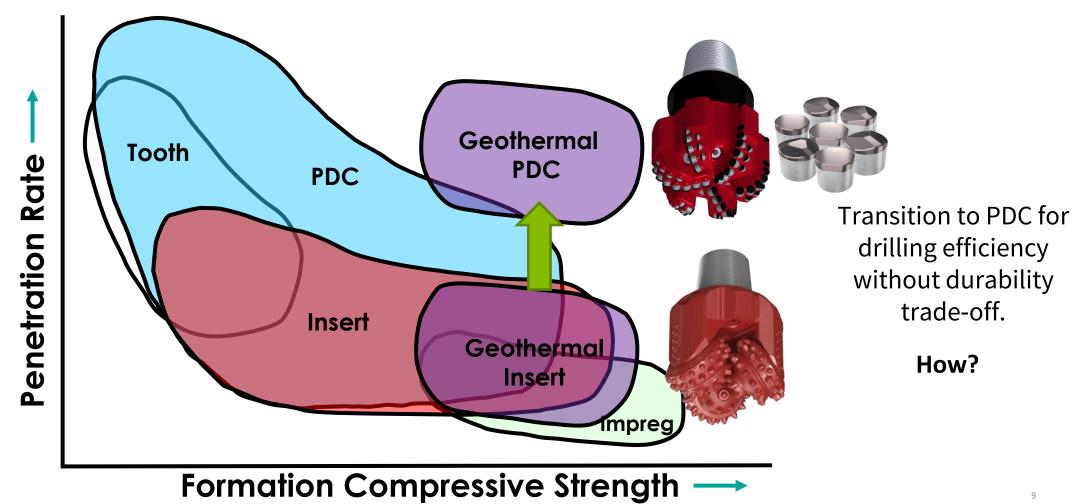




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# **Drilling Technology - Present**

**Transition from Insert Bits to Advanced PDC** 

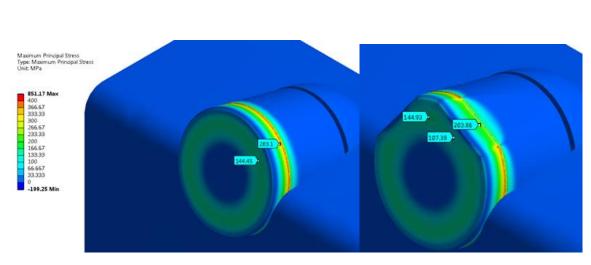


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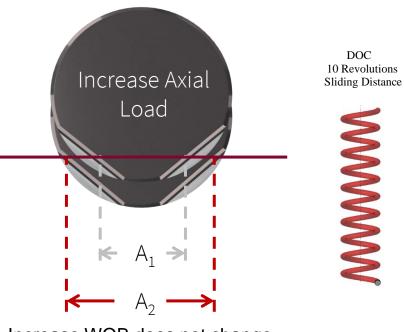
# **Drilling Technology - Present**

#### Transition from Insert Bits to Advanced PDC

• Stronger V-shaped cutter technology allows for higher WOB to be applied



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Increase WOB does not change force per area. Area changes to maintain force equal to rock strength. (SPE-210468-MS)

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2 x DOC

½ x Sliding Distance

5 Revolutions

### New Markets, Super hot hard rock

Future Drilling Technology, Particle Impact Drilling

- Collaboration between Particle Drilling
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- Removes rock by blasting it away with hardened steel particles
- Lab & Field Testing are very promising
- 2 runs, 900ft at 48 ft/hr





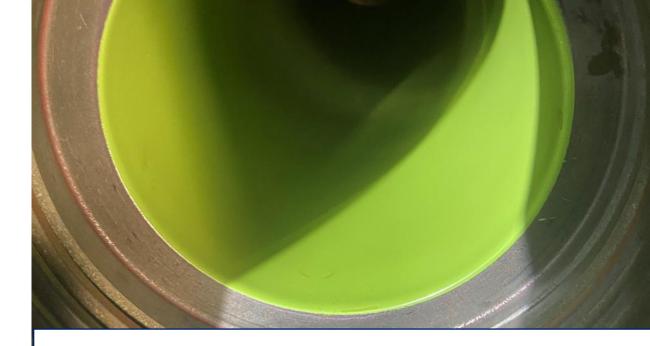


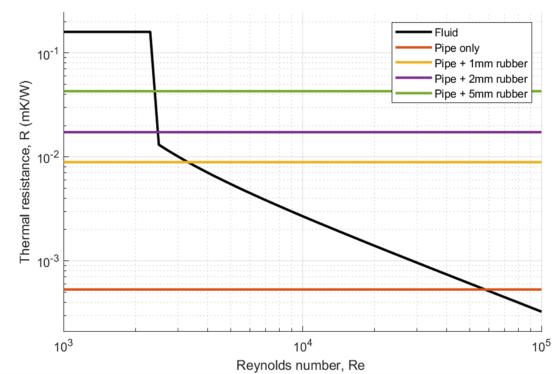
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### New Markets, Super Hot Rock

Drilling temperatures beyond electronic capability, Taking a System Approach

- Coatings
- Insulated drill pipe
- Mud coolers
- High flow rates
- Large diameter pipe
- Laminar flow
- Fast connections with automation
- Continuous circulation

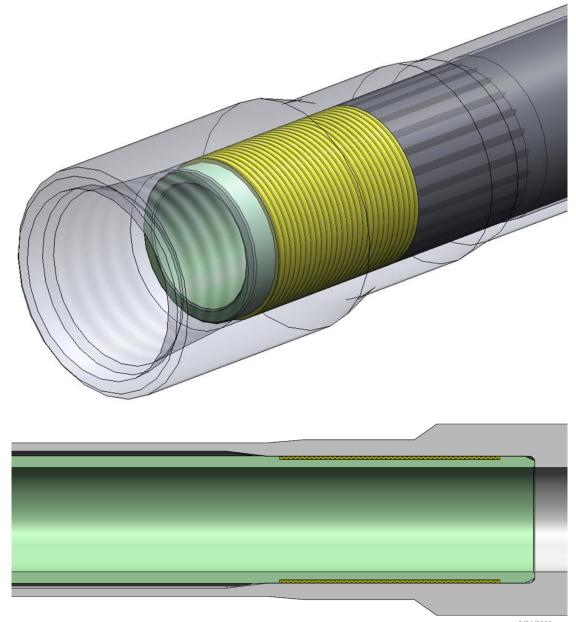




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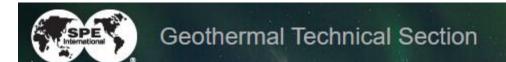
Drilling temperatures beyond electronic capability

- Insulated drill pipe
- Patent Filled in Jan 2023
- Eavor Workshop Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>
- 2-3 Coated Surfaces



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