

Carbon Emissions and Energy Reduction

Presentation



GLOBAL PROBLEM

- The world's climate is changing at unprecedented rates
- Increase in the average temperature of the earth
- Human activity
- Imbalance of Greenhouse Gases (GHG) in the atmosphere.
- Rising costs of fossil fuel

Therefore urgent action is required!





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- No Kyoto Protocol obligations
- Total emissions: 2,47M tons of CO2 in 2007 (130th)
- No current Carbon tax legislation but pressure mounting
- Energy crisis constant increase in electricity tariffs (18% in 2008,15% in 2009 plus TOU & 15% as of 1st July 2010)
- Up to 80% of energy from dirty coal and diesel in dry season (Van Eck and South Africa mostly)
- Reliance on South Africa for up to half of consumption







