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POWER GENERATION



- The United States produces over 20% of its total power from nuclear energy.
- Nuclear energy is the cheapest energy; at 1.7 cents/kWh, nuclear power is 29% cheaper than its closest competitor. Nuclear energy is also the most reliable energy and is the largest steward of greenhouse gases.
- America's nuclear energy industries employ over 475,000 people.
- Nuclear energy technicians earn well above average wages while working in a spectrum of disciplines that includes electrical, mechanical, instrument & controls, health physics, chemistry, and operators.



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