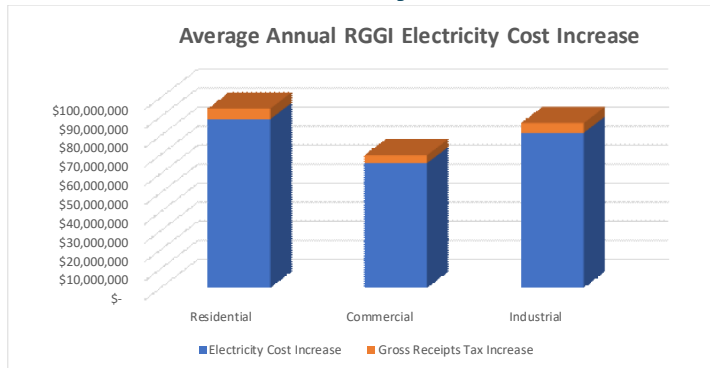




# Industrial Energy Consumers of Pennsylvania

## RGGI Cost to Pennsylvania



**\$250 Million Average Annual Electricity Cost Increase!**

## PA Lost Electricity Sales from RGGI

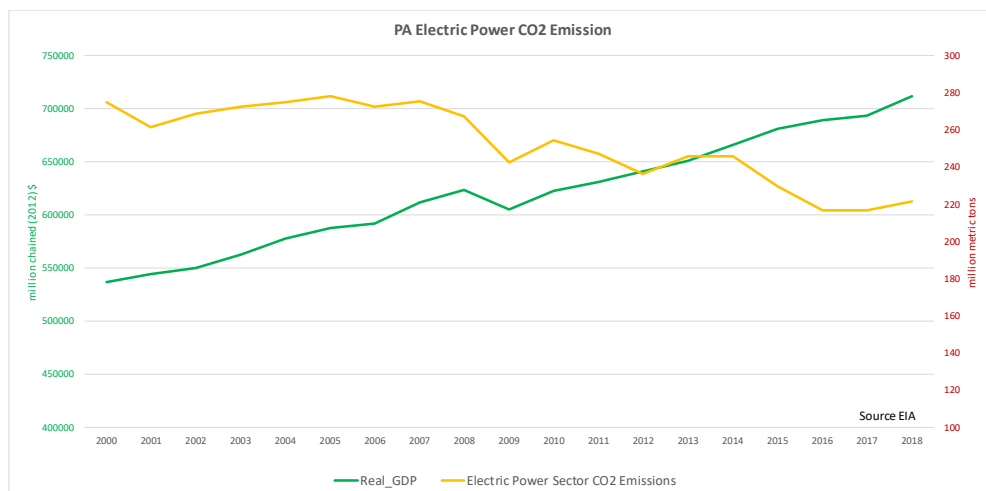
RGGI Impact on PA Electricity Exports	2022 - 2030
Reduction in Electricity Exports (MWh)	(234,630,574)
Lost Export Electricity Sales	\$ (8,058,844,827)

Pennsylvania manufactures and exports electricity! The modeling data included with the RGGI regulation proposal indicates a **reduction in the export / sales of electricity from PA to other states.**

### THE PROBLEM

IECPA member companies operate manufacturing facilities with significant expenditures dedicated to electricity costs. Moreover, because these manufacturing businesses are exposed to global trade, they cannot merely pass additional costs on to their customers without risking the loss of those customers to their global competition. For these companies, unless they are protected from the increased energy cost from the RGGI program, this places them at a competitive disadvantage to facilities in other states and countries that do not incur the cost of a RGGI like program. This will result in manufacturing moving production and the associated jobs out of Pennsylvania.

***Pennsylvania has already taken steps and passed laws to increase renewable energy supply and improve energy efficiency.*** Since the beginning of the Act 129 Energy Efficiency & Conservation Program (EE&C) in June 2009, utility customers have paid more than 2 billion dollars into this program. For manufacturing customers this current EE&C Program cost has been as much as 36% of the bill from the electric distribution utility. Pennsylvania has also established the Alternative Energy Portfolio Standard (AEPS) which requires utilities and electric generation suppliers to increase renewable electric generation.



***More importantly Pennsylvania's competitive electricity market continues to add lower carbon dioxide emitting generation while decreasing cost to customers and growing Pennsylvania's economy!***

Since 2000, Pennsylvania Electric Power CO2 emissions have decreased 20% while GDP has increased 33% without the added costs of participating in RGGI!