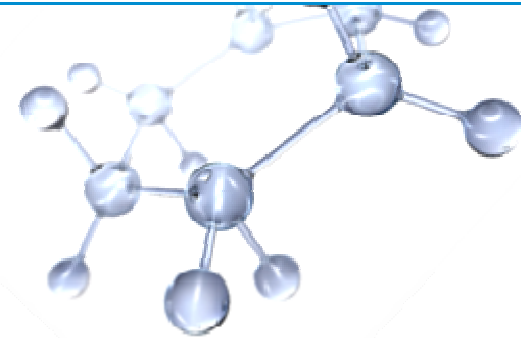


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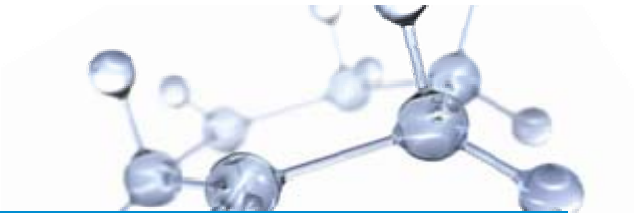


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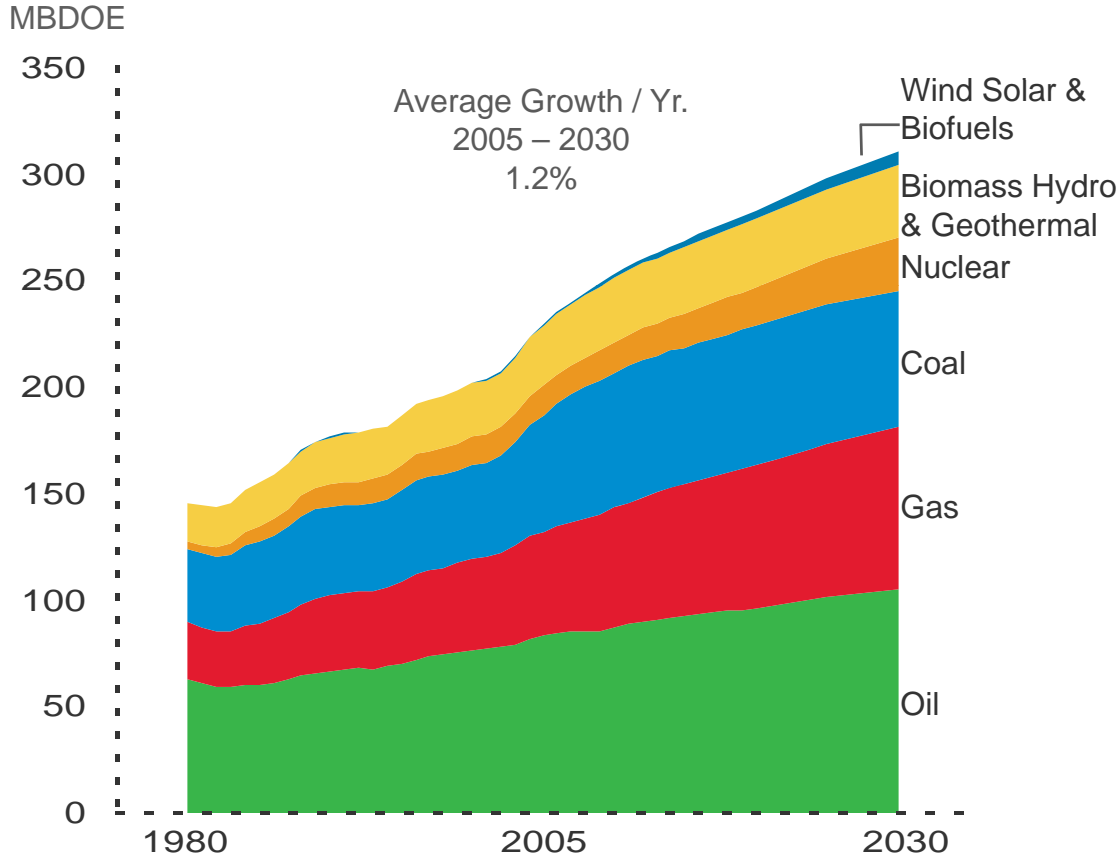
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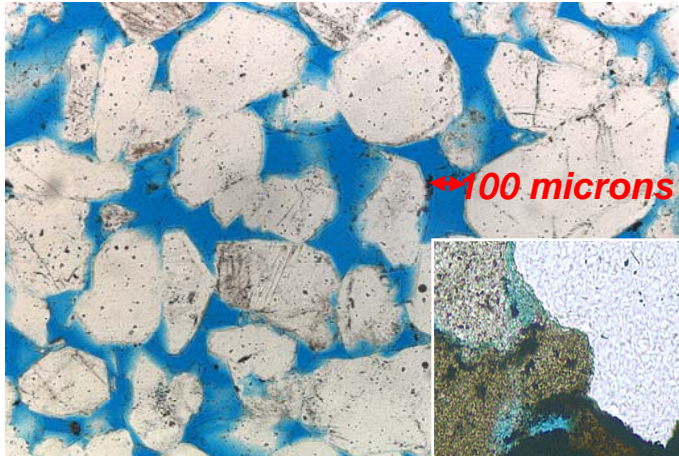
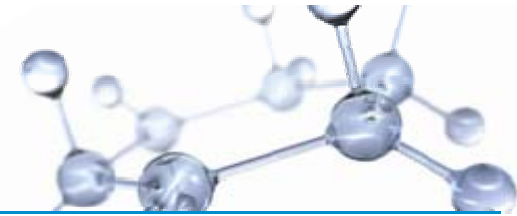
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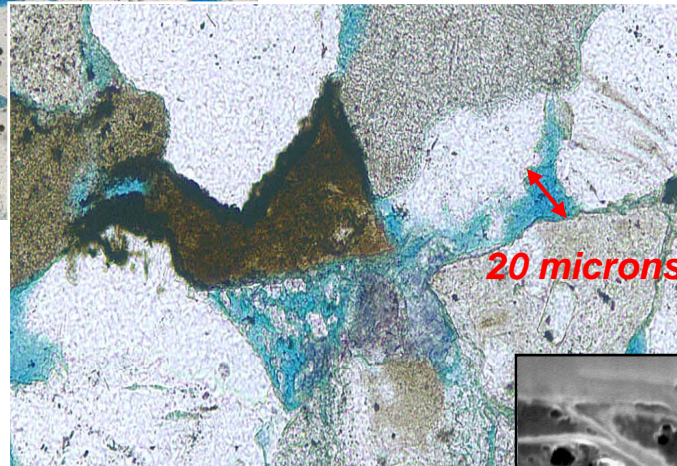
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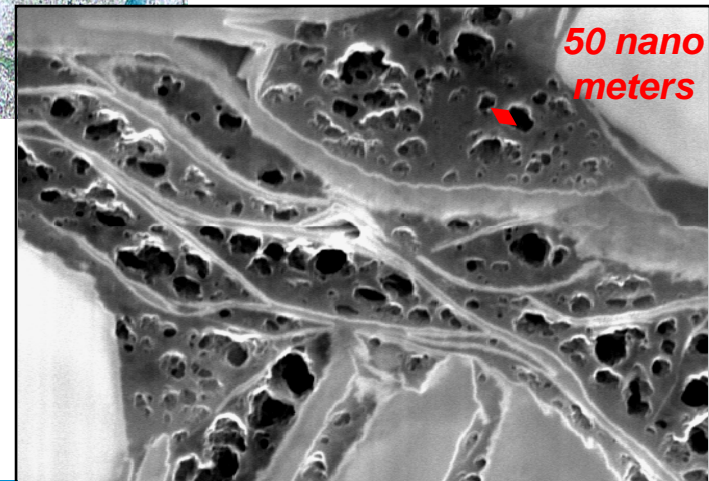
# challenges of unconventional gas



**Conventional Gas Pore Space**



**Tight Gas Pore Space**



**Shale Gas Pore Space**

Diameter of average human hair is about 100 microns

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