# Advanced Reactors

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### Continuum of Innovation



#### **Advanced Fuels**



2020

**Large Light Water** 



Vogtle 3 & 4

#### **Micro-Reactors**



Oklo Aurora

2025

2030

#### **Small Modular Reactor**



NuScale

#### **Advanced Non-LWRs**

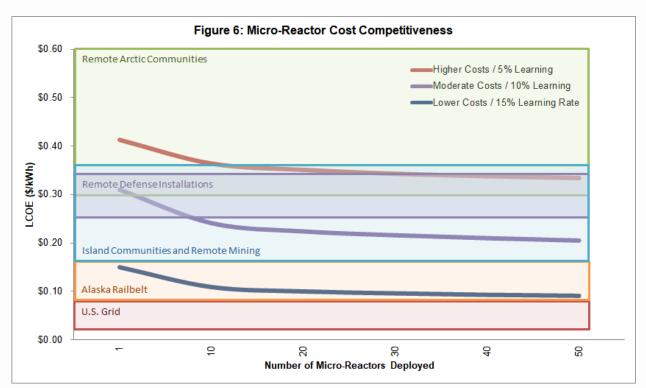


2035

- Hi-temp gas
- Liquid metal
- Molten salt

## Micro-Reactor Cost Competitiveness





#### Reference Micro-Reactor

- First of a kind
- 10 MWe

#### **Moderate Costs**

- \$150 million capital cost
- 5¢/kWh operating cost
- < 24 month construction</p>

NEI: Cost Competitiveness of Micro-Reactors for Remote Markets, April 2019

## **Financing Options**

- Private financing
  - Municipal utilities
  - Developer or third party capital
- Federal support
  - Production tax credits
  - Loan guarantees
  - Power purchase agreements
- State support
  - Reduce barriers to entry
  - Tax incentives
  - Construction work in progress



