

DTE Energy's biomass plant begins operations

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DTE Energy Services Inc. (NYSE: [DTE](#)) has successfully converted a former coal-fired power plant to a biomass facility. In addition, DTE Energy also replaced the boilers and installed emission control technologies.

The [Stockton Biomass plant](#) will use about 320,000 tons of woody biomass fuel annually to generate about 45-MW, selling its [renewable power](#) to PG&E Company.

The plant began operation in 1989 as a coal-fired power plant and retired in April 2009.

DTE Energy purchased the plant in June 2010.