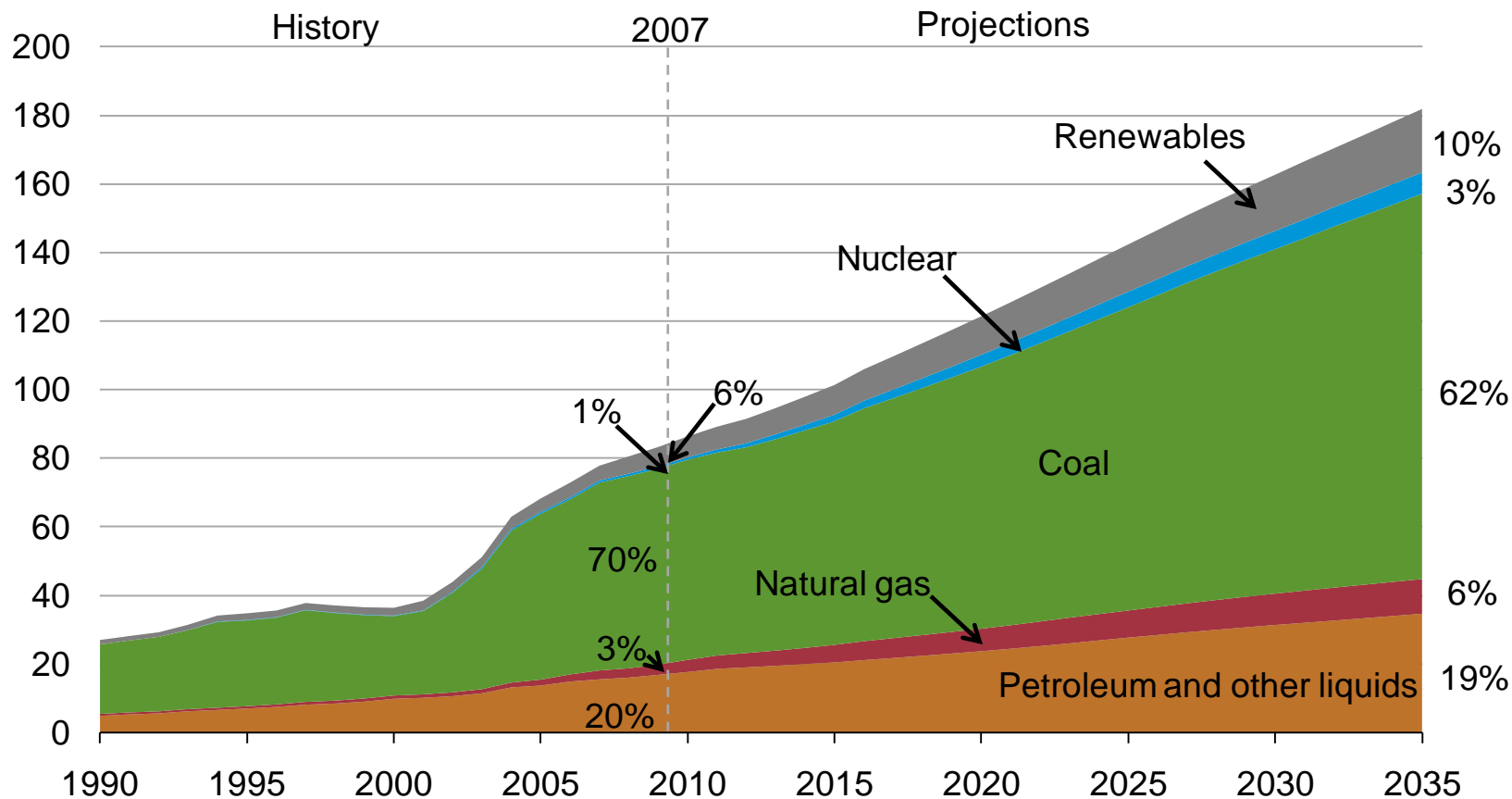


China's energy use is projected to grow rapidly over the next 25 years in the Reference case projection from EIA's latest *International Energy Outlook*

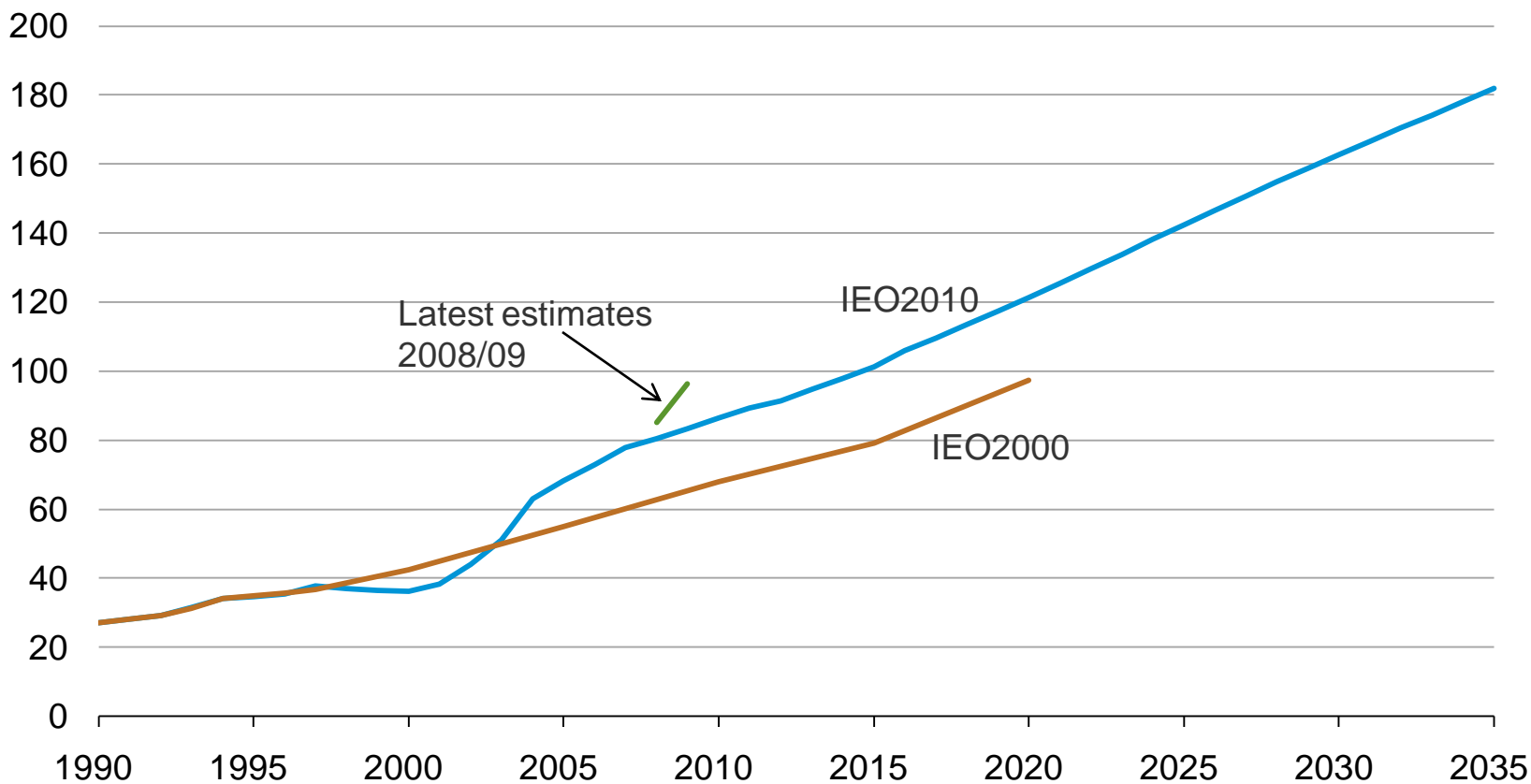
energy consumption in China
quadrillion Btu



Source: EIA, *International Energy Outlook 2010*

EIA projections over the past decade have tended to underestimate the growth in China's energy use

China's total energy consumption
quadrillion Btu



Source: EIA, *International Energy Outlook 2000* and *International Energy Outlook 2010*