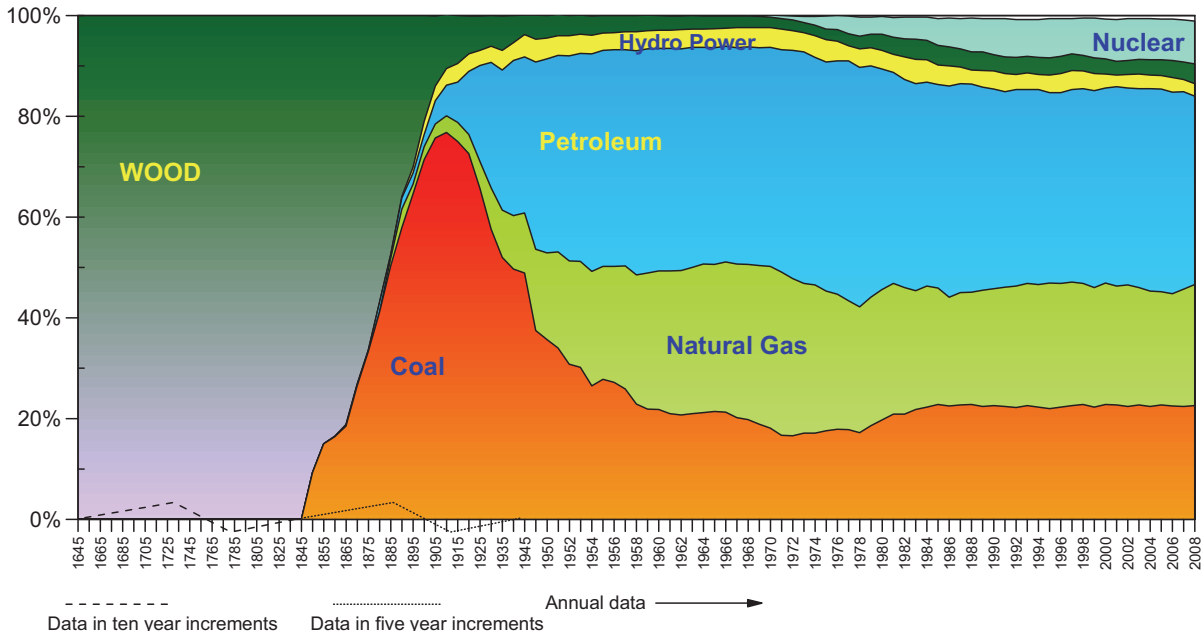


Figure 2. U.S. Energy Consumption by Source, 1645-2008 (Percent of total energy consumption)

- Wood gave way to coal, followed by petroleum and natural gas as the the country's main energy sources



Data Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration, <http://www.eia.doe.gov/>