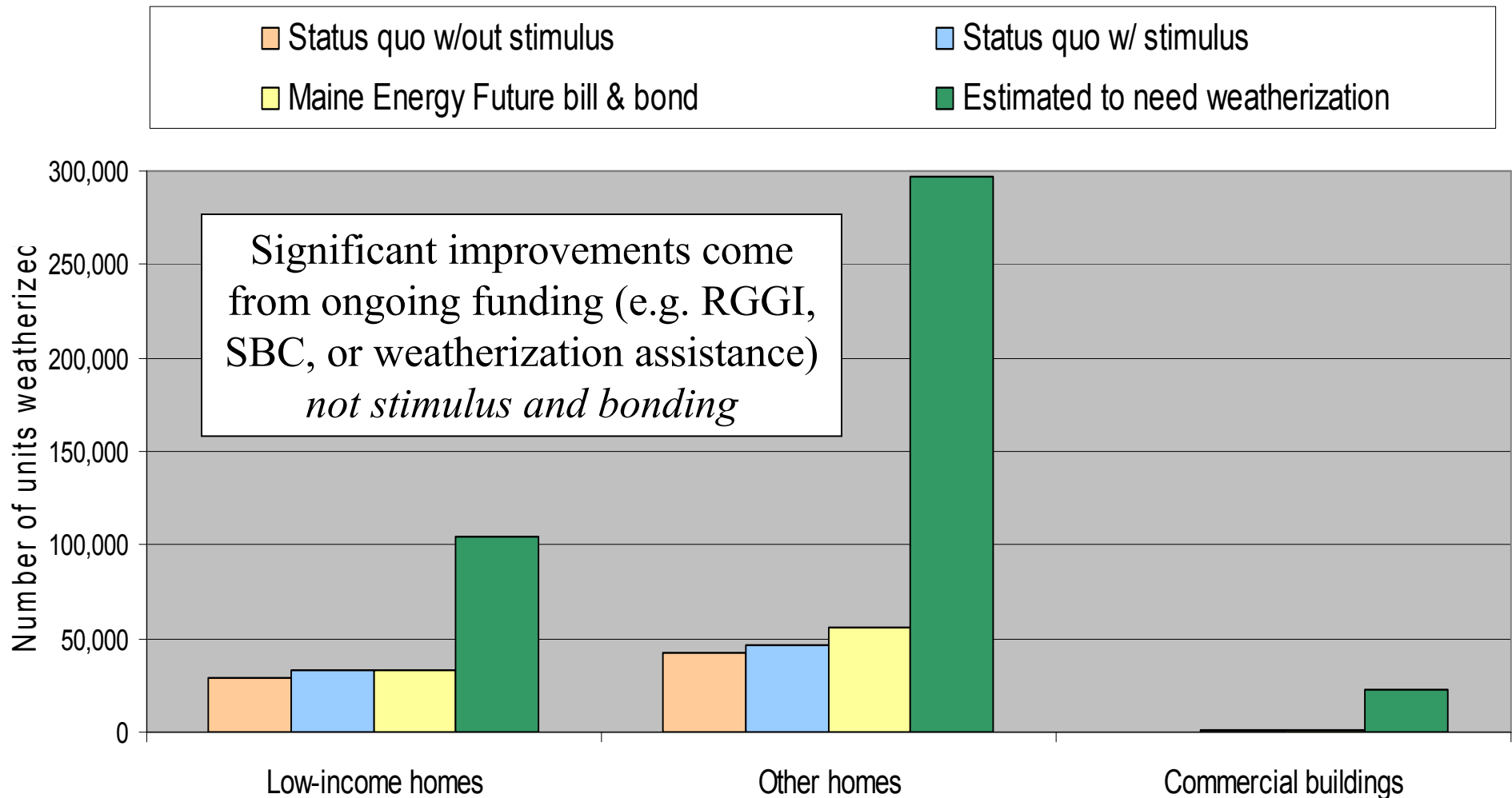


Total buildings improved over 20 years: Comparison of bill to status quo & need



Details

This includes generous assumptions about status quo:

- Ongoing federal weatherization assistance continues at current record high of \$8 million/year;
- RGGI continues indefinitely (or any federal pre-emption provides equivalent efficiency funding);
- All existing home performance weatherization crews work full time, year-round for 20-years;
- “Status quo w/ stimulus” includes estimated number of homes from MSHA and PUC stimulus plans (about 4500 homes each)

The need is calculated based on initial estimates of existing housing stock, and represents about 75% of total existing single family and multi-family units.

The Maine Energy Future bond will devote \$24 million to non-low income weatherization.