



An Introduction to Distributed Generation (DG) Applications

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Course Objectives

An Introduction to Distributed Generation (DG) Applications

The evolution of the electricity markets has changed....Distributed Generation is a broad category and although there are some more apparent applications of the concept; some applications may not be top of mind when customers are considering their approach to an energy strategy or inquiring about on-site generation.

This course will provide an approach to categorizing these distributed generation (DG) uses and explain a few of these opportunities in greater detail.

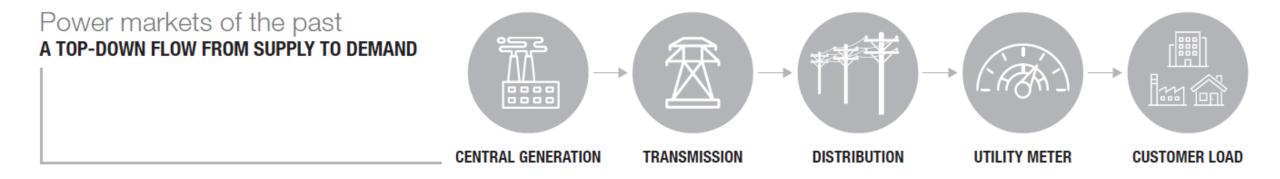
After completing this course, participants will be able to:

- Describe energy ecosystem trends and the needs driving the evolution of DG
- Identify the categories of DG applications (Use Cases) and components of the system
- Define possible DG approaches to customer energy needs.

What is "Distributed Generation?"

The Evolution of Power Markets

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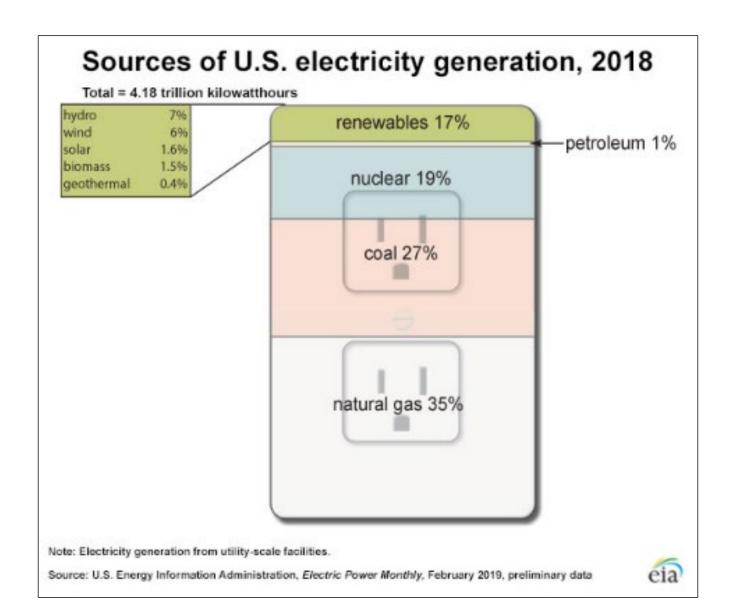
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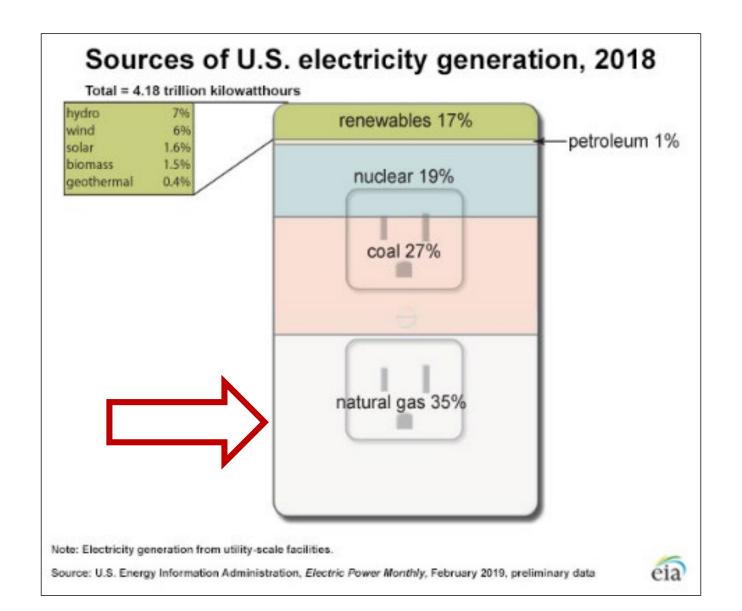
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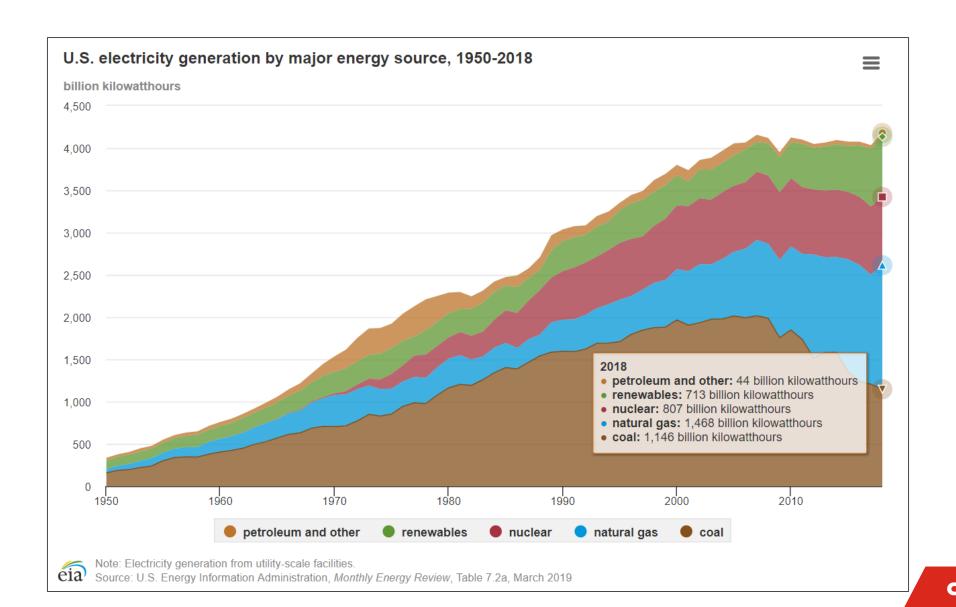
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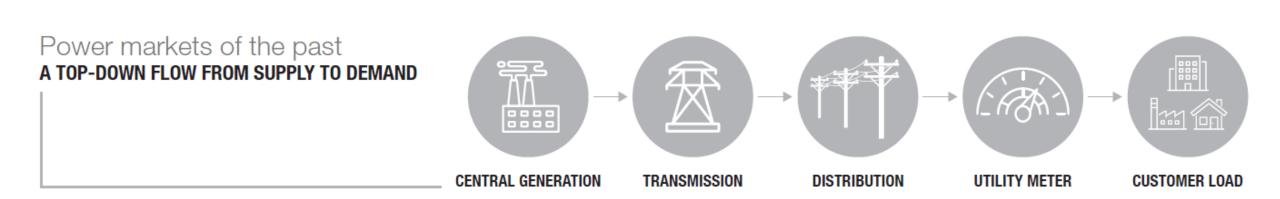
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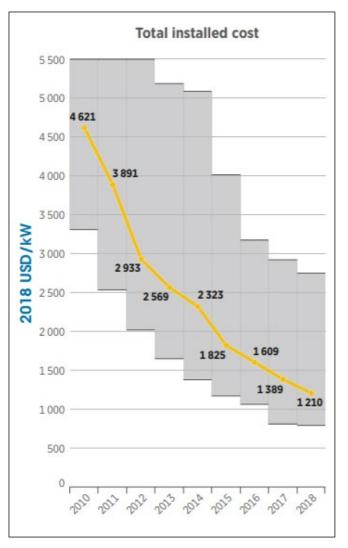
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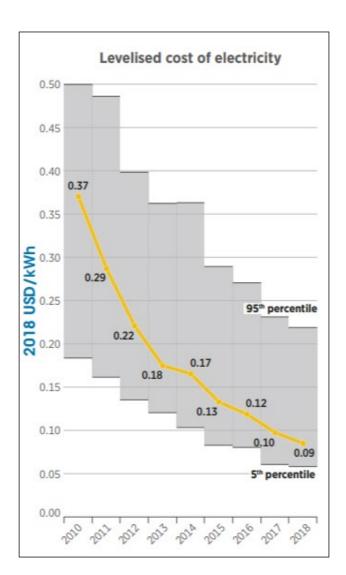
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Solar (PV) Cost Decline







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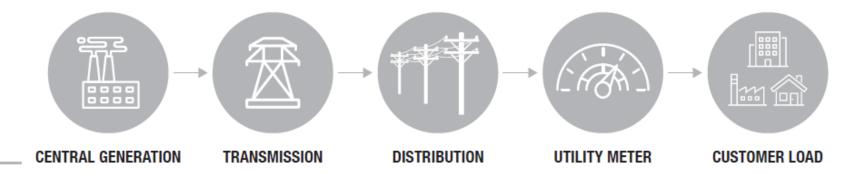
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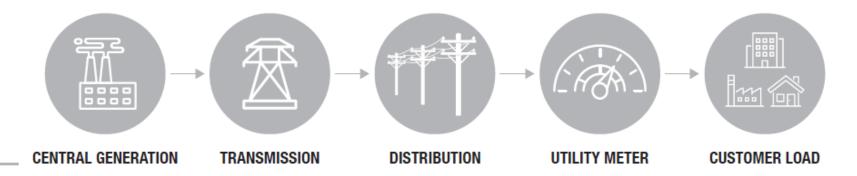
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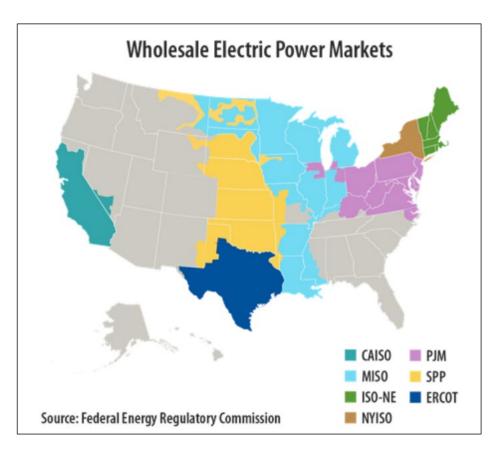
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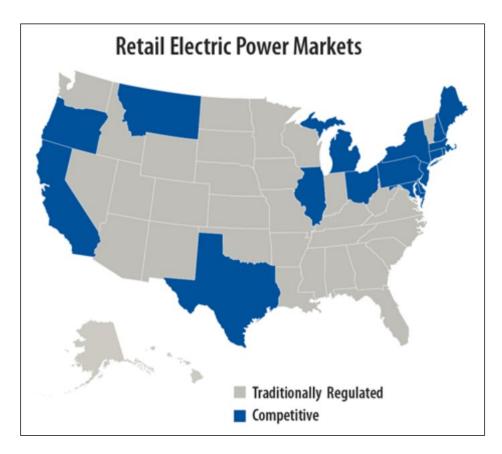


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De-Regulation of markets

Regulated and De-Regulated Markets

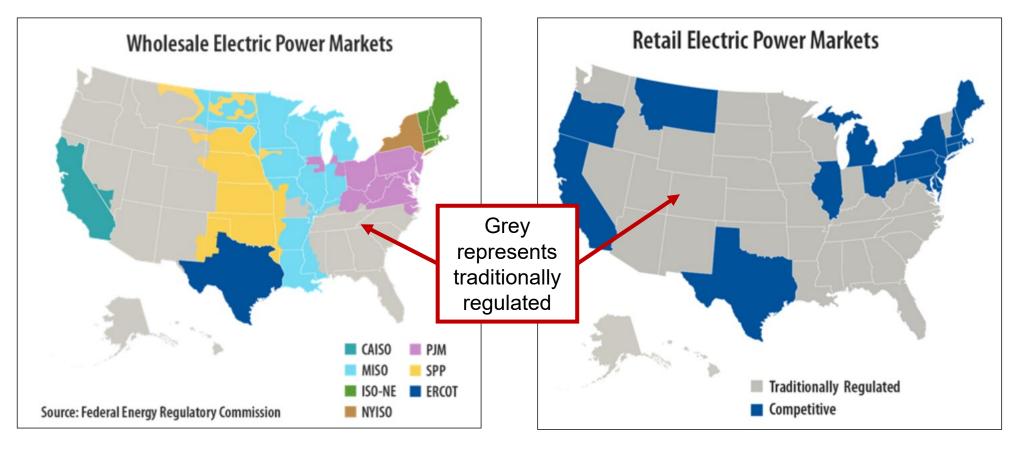




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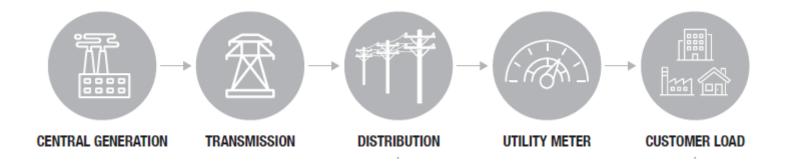
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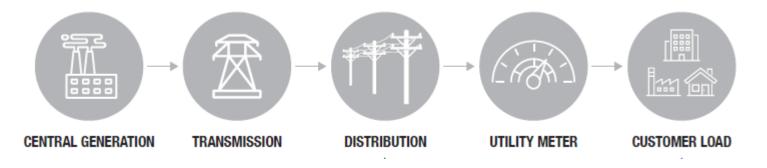
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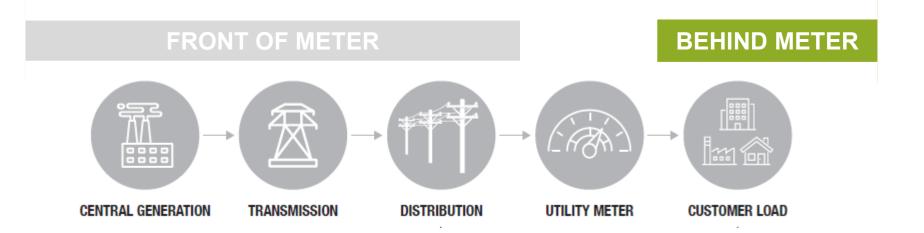
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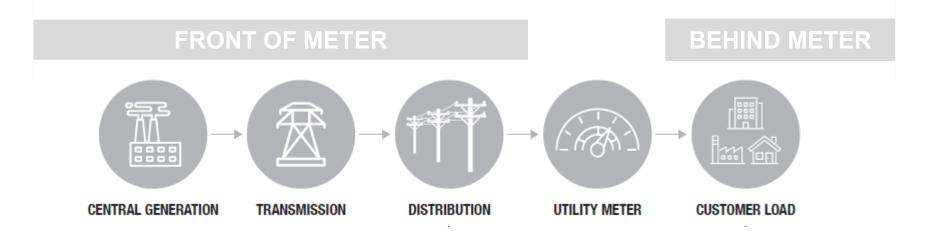


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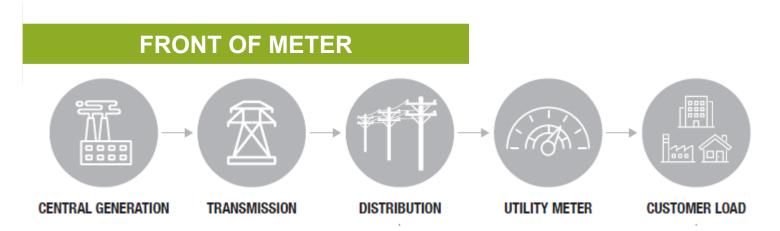
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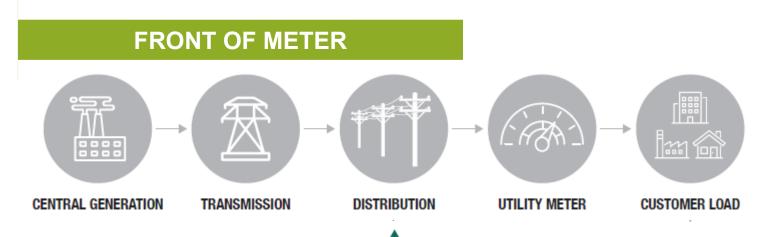
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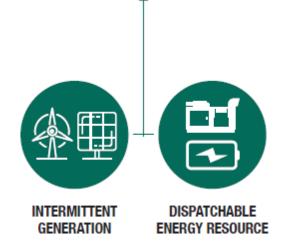
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Alternatives to major transmission infrastructure are enabling power providers to leverage power generation closer to the demand.

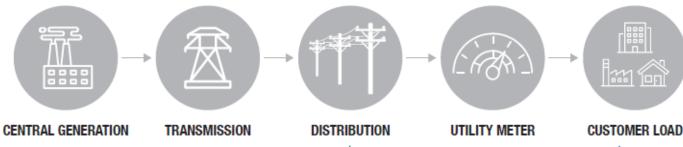


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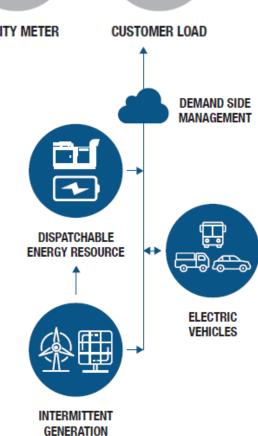
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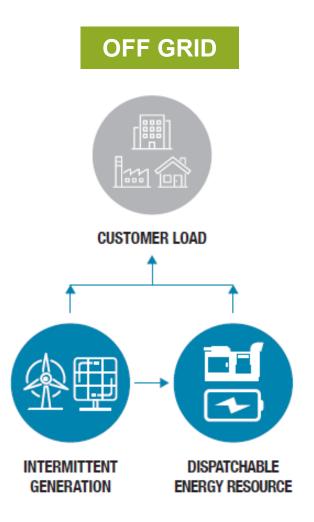


Energy consumers have the option to be in control of the source and cost of their power.

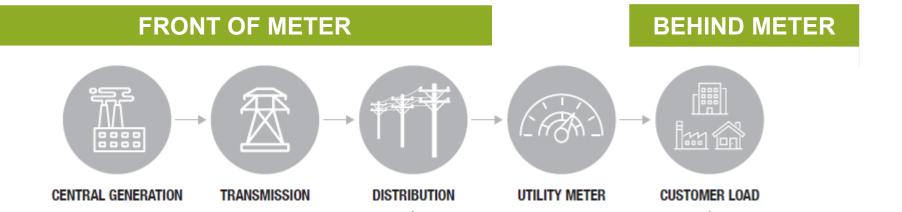


Defining the Customers

Customers with weak or no grid infrastructure have options to produce their own reliable power.



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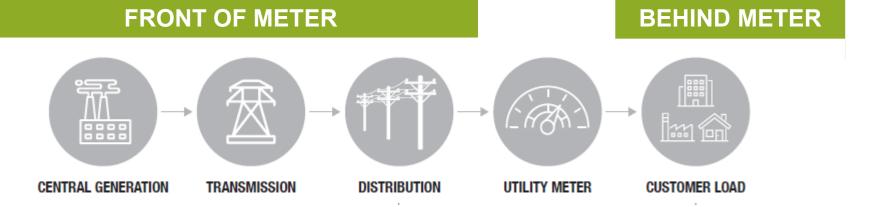
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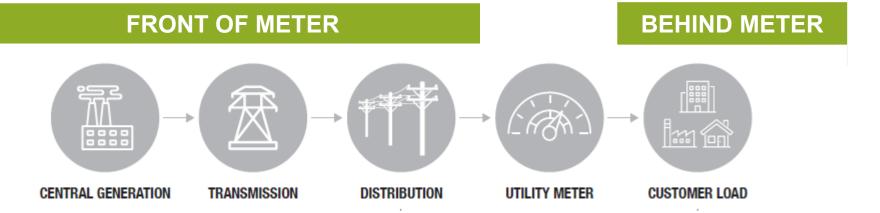
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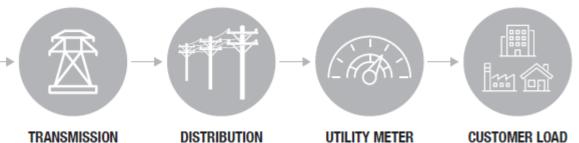
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Producers / Consumers

- Islands
- Rural growth areas
- **Mining Operations**

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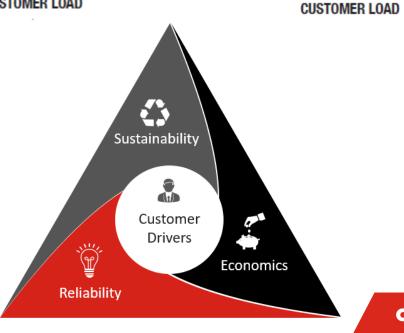


VARYING PURCHASE MOTIVATORS

Capital Expense

CENTRAL GENERATION

- Operating Expense
- Resiliency / Reliability
- Carbon Footprint / Renewable Integration
- Regulatory Pressures



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Concept Check

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- a) True
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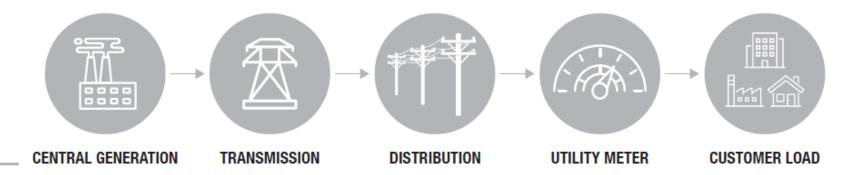
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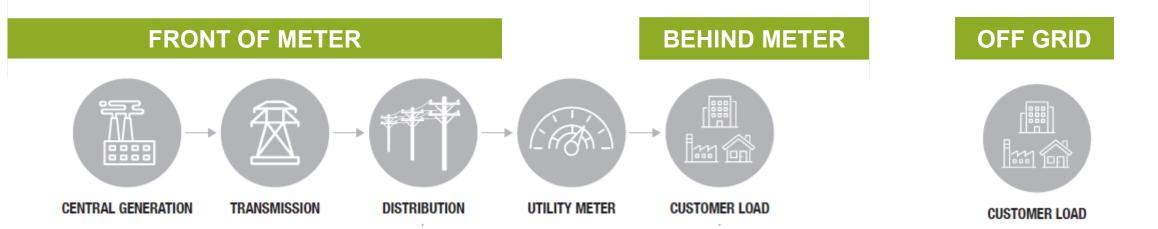
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How is DG used by these customers?

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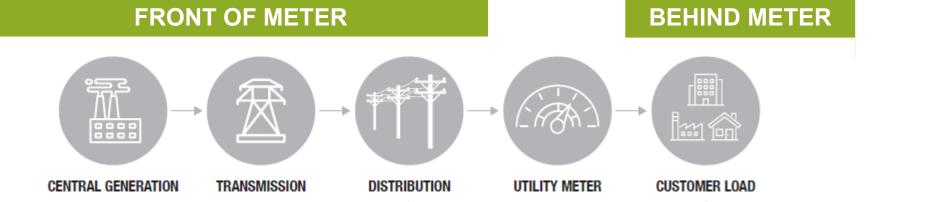
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GRID FIRMING

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- Balancing the intermittency of Renewable Sources
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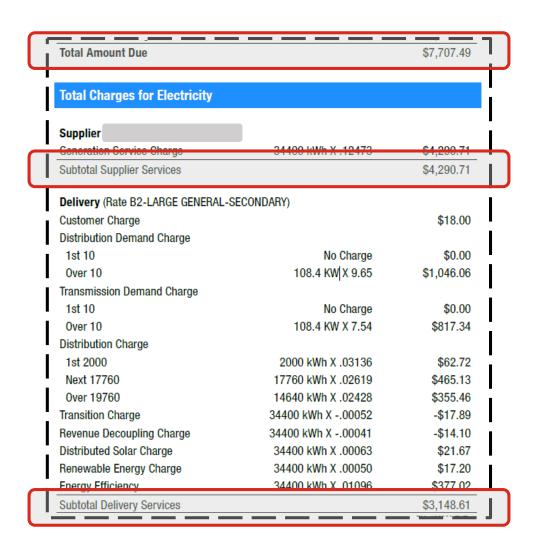


ENERGY MANAGEMENT

- Demand Response
- Balancing the intermittency of Renewable Sources
- Leverage multiple right-sized assets in a system (microgrid)
- Energy Resiliency

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Customer Use Cases



Customers are billed for their energy in numerous ways, sometimes a mix of different charges.

Understanding the rate structure of the utility bill can uncover opportunities for cost savings through selfgeneration.

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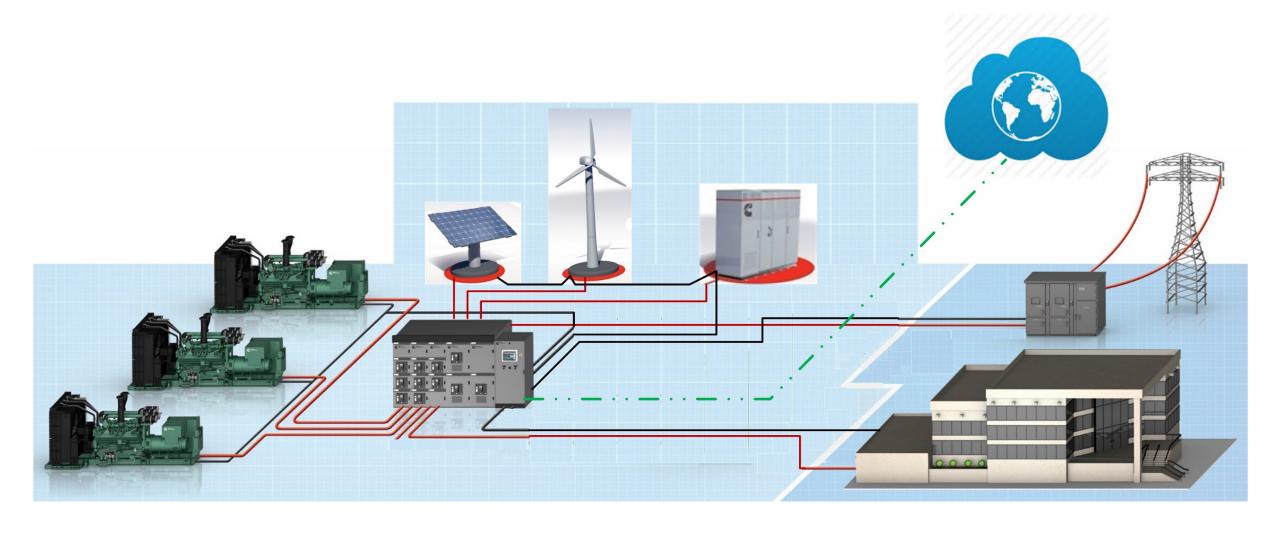
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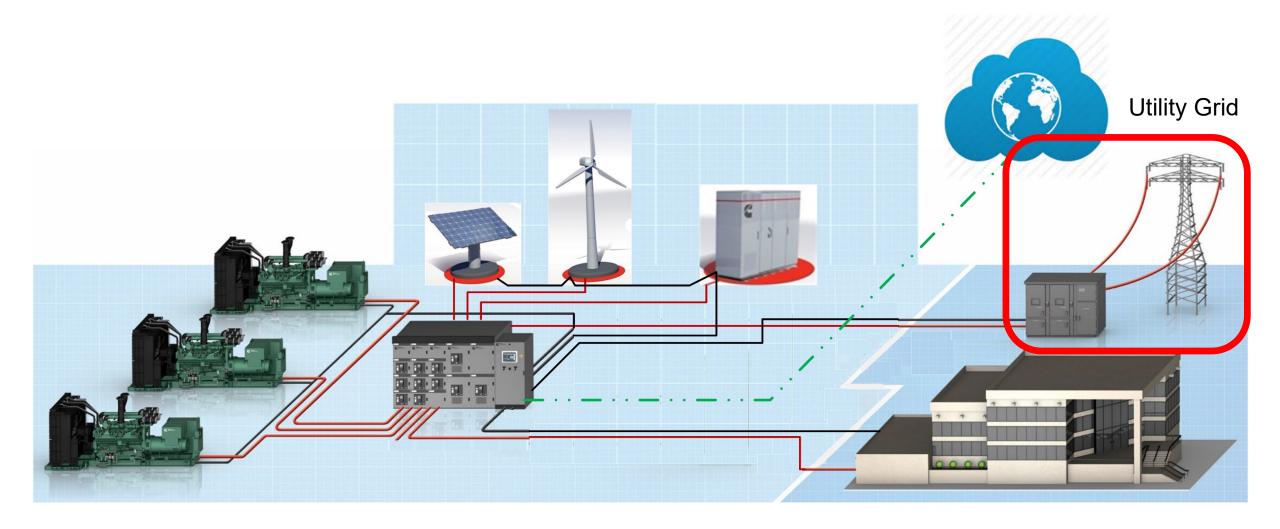
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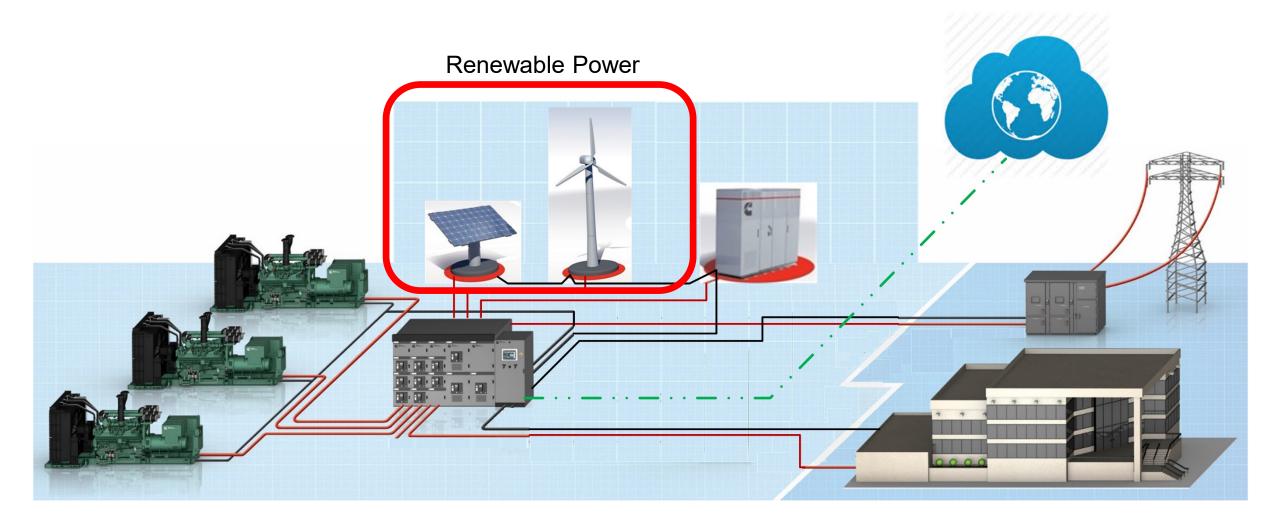
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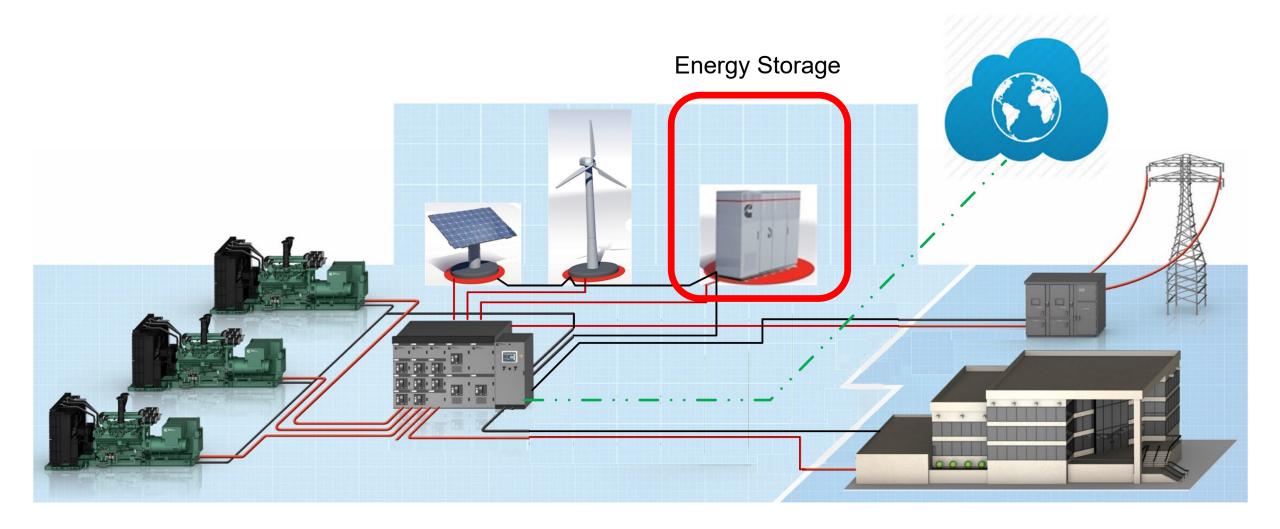
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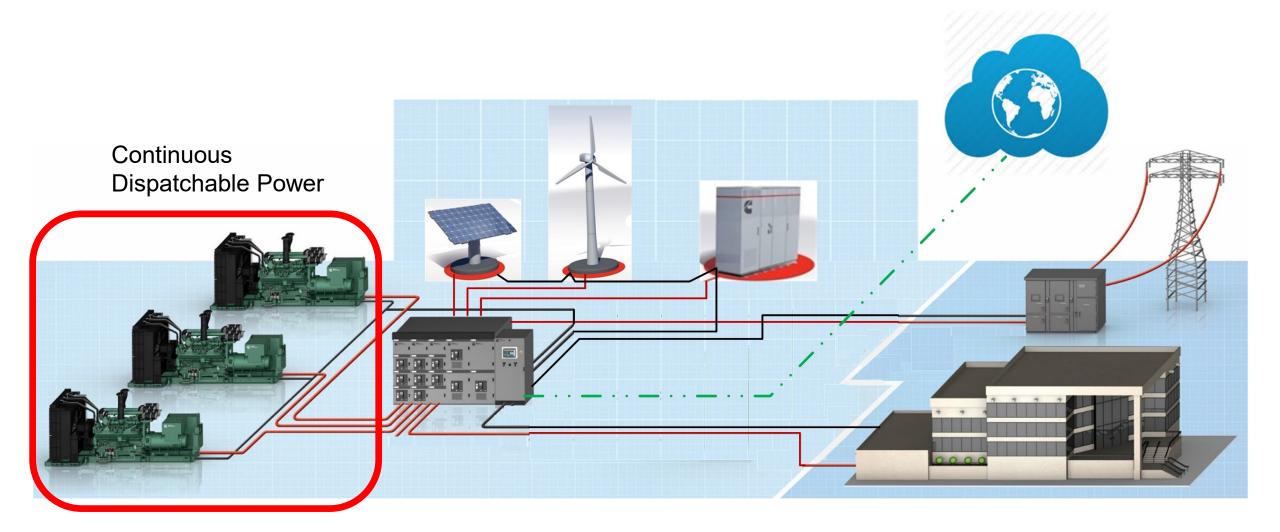
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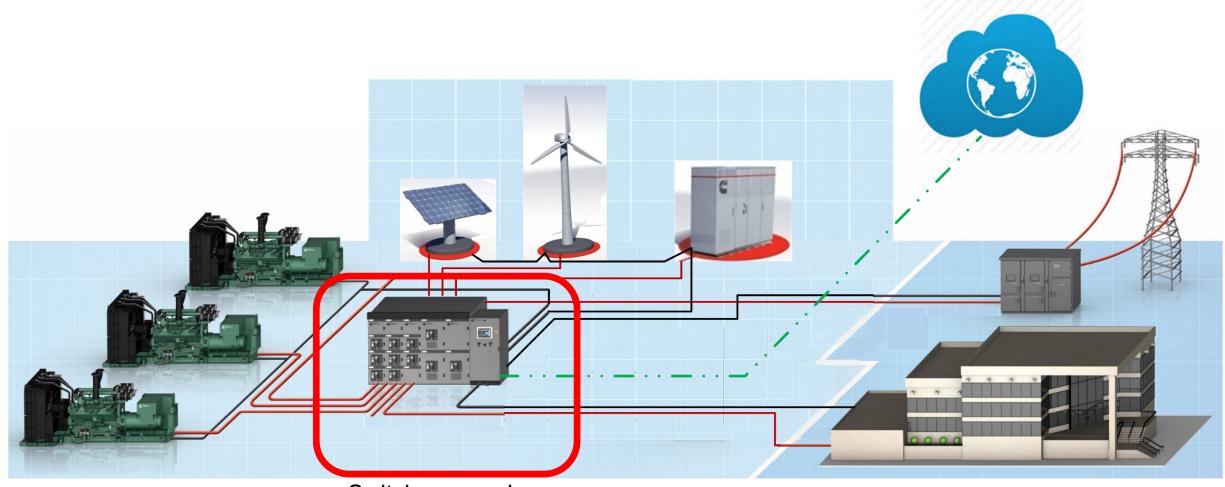








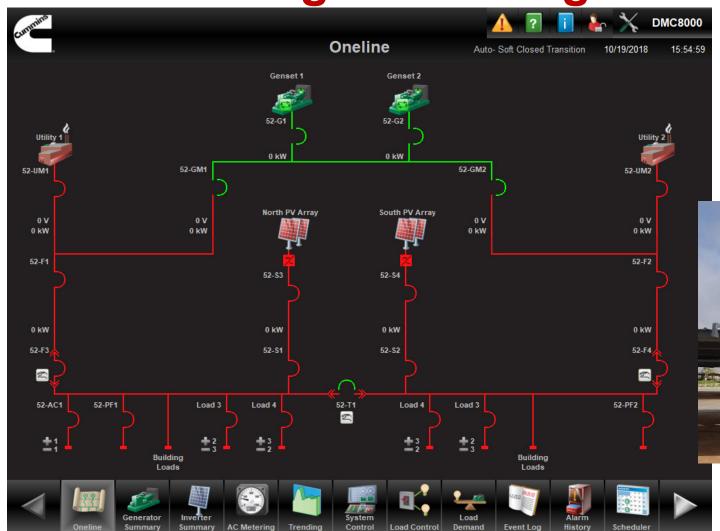




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Multi-Asset Power System World Wide Connection

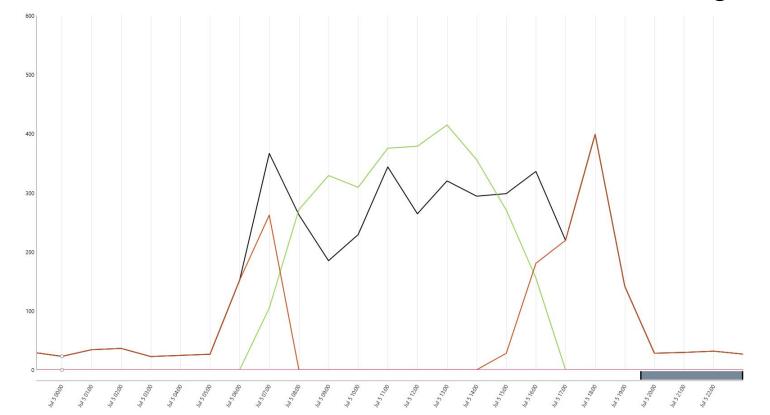
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- Total annual PV output is estimated to be 1,065 MWH
- This results in 1,081 metric tons of reduction in green house gas per year



Black – Load Green – PV or

Green – PV output

Brown – Utility import

Help customers understand their energy system needs by asking leading questions...

Many customers might not come to you specifically looking for a distributed generation system.

These customers may have...

- reliable grid power
- no expertise to figure out the cost/benefit of self generation
- initial interest in backup generation only

Site Location

Are they in a deregulated Utility Market?

Monetization opportunities

Can they monetize their onsite power generation source now or in the future?

Renewable Integration

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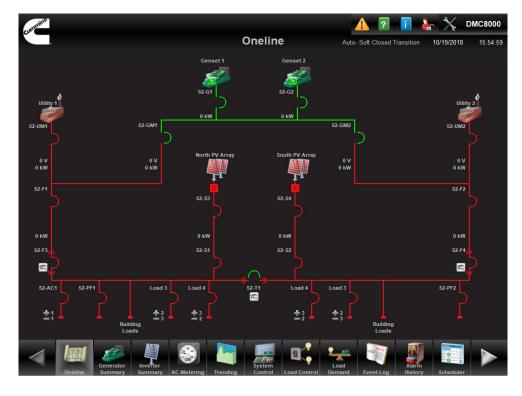
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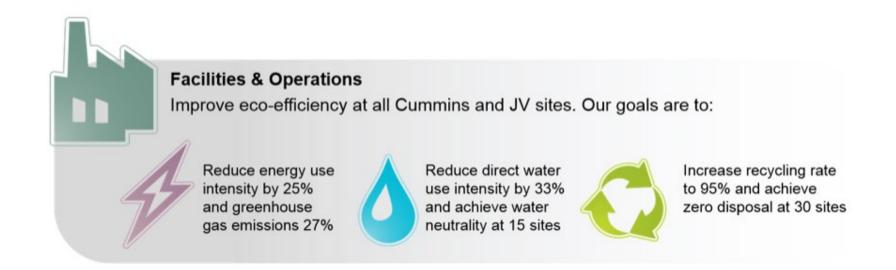
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Additional Resources

Cummins White Papers

- The Latest Evolution Of Distributed Energy Resources:
 Opportunity For Business Within The PJM
- An introduction to the Smart Grid
- Utilizing Flare Gas to Generate Power for the Oil and Gas Sector
- Evaluating cogeneration for your facility: A look at the potential energy-efficiency, economic and environmental benefits

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- Functions and Features of Generator Set Control Based Paralleling
- Specifying Gaseous Generator Sets
- Paralleling Power System Design Considerations and System Level Control





Out of competition has come innovation, allowing businesses within the PJM footprint to leverage new and sophisticated distributed energy resources

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