

# Dynamic Load Control and the Smart Grid in NYC

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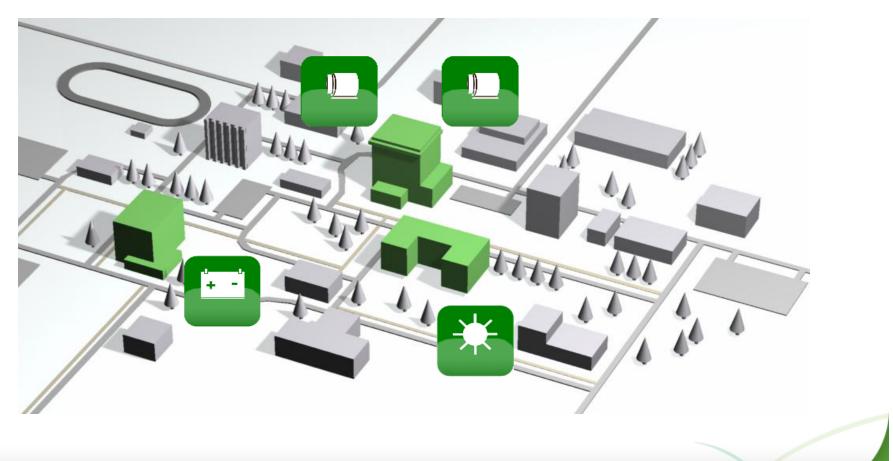
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# <u>Converting Load Control into</u> <u>Energy Assets</u>



Earning a Revenue Stream and Cutting Costs by Managing and Curtailing Load.

And Doing Good at the Same Time.





## Electric Pro-sumer Definition

# pro-sum-er |pr**ō**-so**ō**m**ə**r|

-noun

An electric consumer that proactively produces maximum <u>economic and environmental</u> benefits by using information, technology, distributed generation, and storage resources to successfully reduce and reshape energy demand on the grid.



# Where We Are Today?



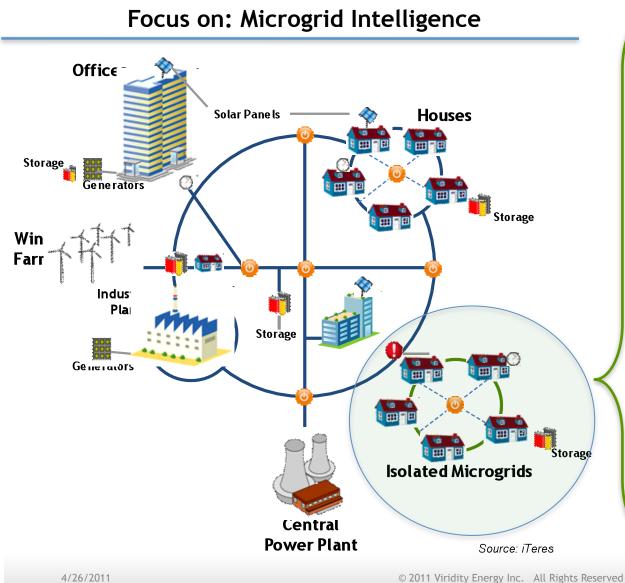
Just like IT and telecom, our energy network is on the cusp of a paradigm shift – led by advanced technology, networked devices, and <u>informed consumer choice</u>.



- New technology allows for a dynamic distributed power network, where load can be controlled, dispatched and valued as virtual power generation
- April 2011 FERC Order: a MW generated is financially equivalent to a MW conserved
- Consumer-led demand management leads to lower power prices and a more secure grid



#### viridityenergy Microgrids will transform power distribution, enabling new levels of system reliability and efficiency



### Self-healing

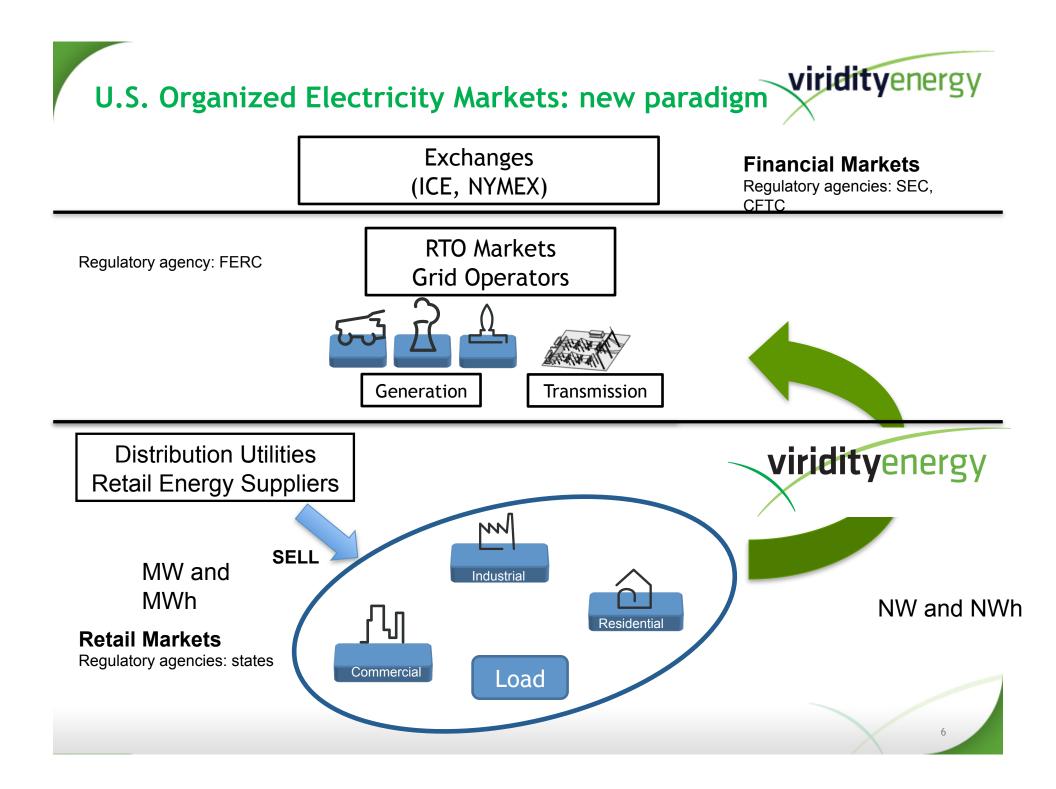
- Responds to system disturbances automatically
- Capable of operating as an "island" off of the regional grid

#### Self-coordination

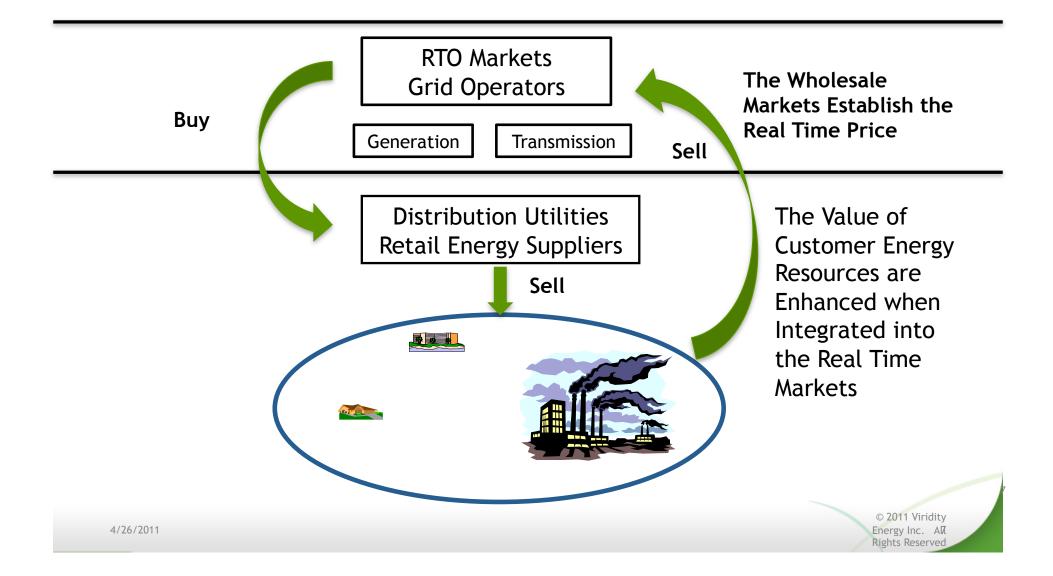
Coordinates real-time demands of energy users, distributed resources, microgrid operations and distribution system integrity

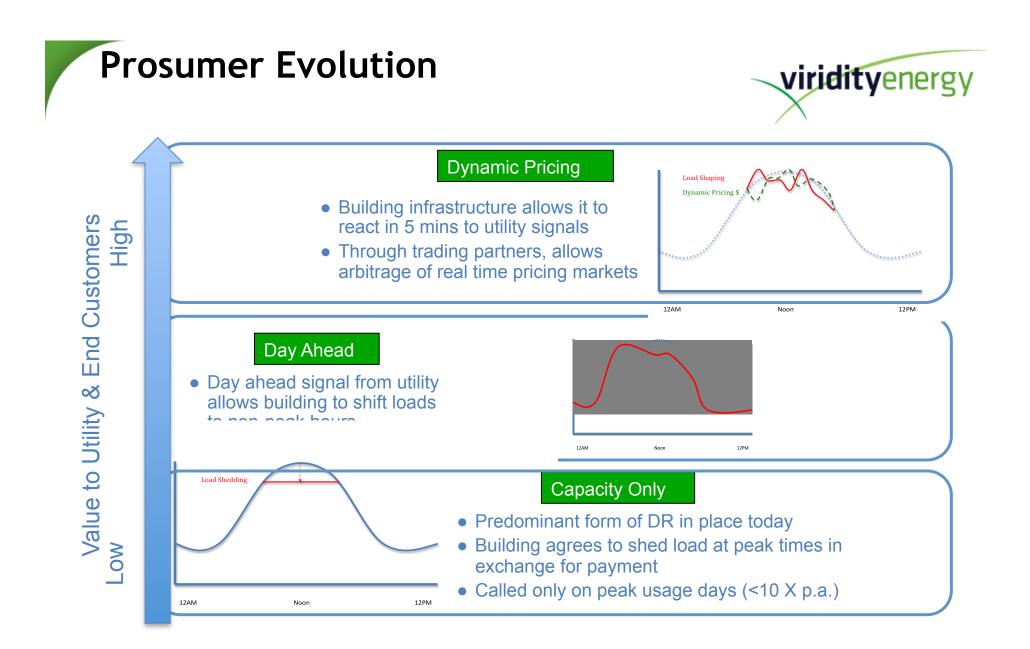
#### Self-scheduling

 Schedules dispatch of distributed energy resources using decisioning tools to optimize overall grid operational performance



Viridity Energy's Demand Optimization (vs. Traditional Deman**viridity**energy Response) integrates controlled load into real time market operations as a virtual power resource (a closed loop system)



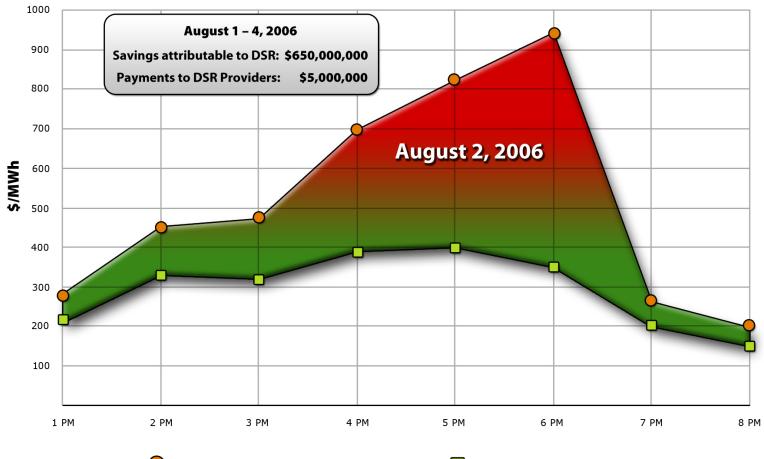




**Economic Value to the Market** 



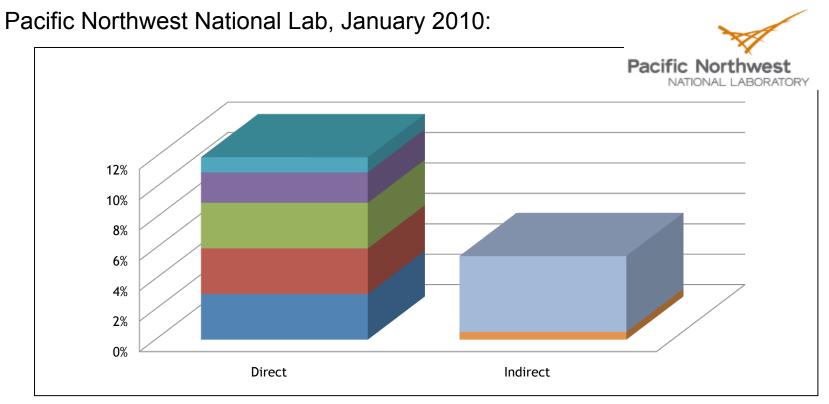
#### PJM – Impact of Demand Response on Prices



Estimated prices without Demand Reductions 🛛 🧧 Prices with Demand Reductions



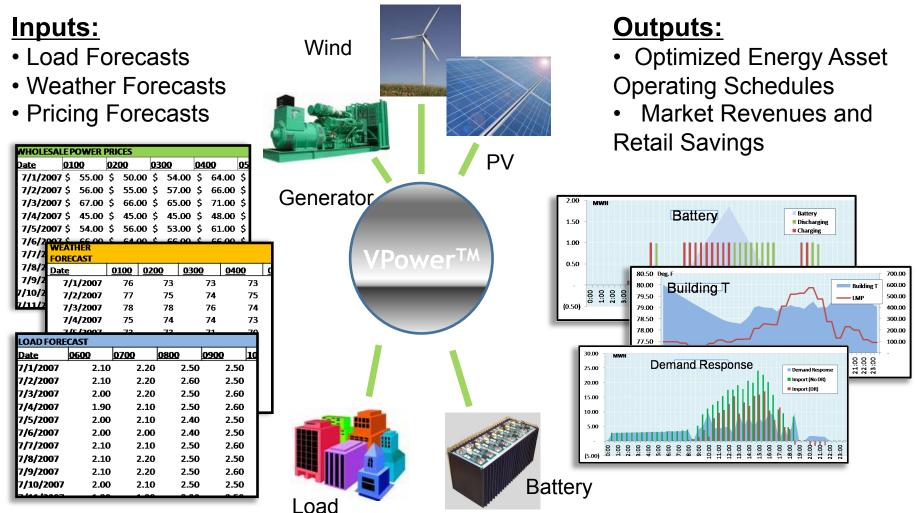
A fully implemented smart grid can cut CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by 12% in 2030. - equal to the output of 66 coal-fired power plants.



→ PNNL estimates that smart grid will enable an additional 6% indirect reduction of  $CO_2$  emissions by making wind, solar, and efficiency more cost-effective.

## **Creating the Pro-Sumer**

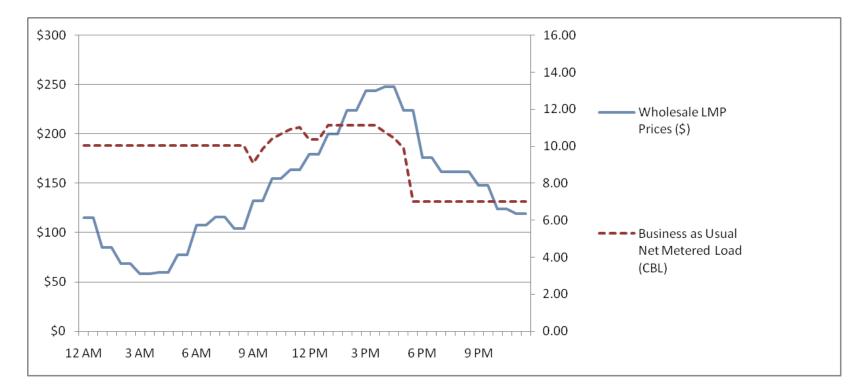




To participate in this complex landscape, individual users need tools and optimization platforms as sophisticated as those used by the markets.

### **Business as Usual**

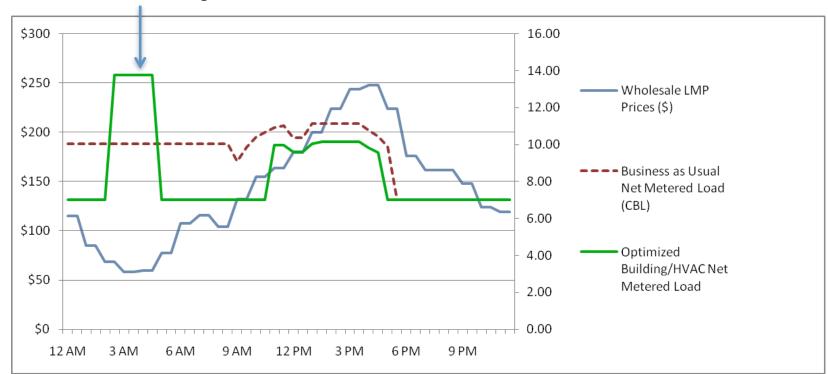




Business as Usual	
Daily Electricity Bill:	\$13,574
Supply Savings:	n/a
Virtual Generation Revenue:	n/a
Total Daily Economic Benefit:	n/a

### Optimized Building/HVAC Net Metered Load



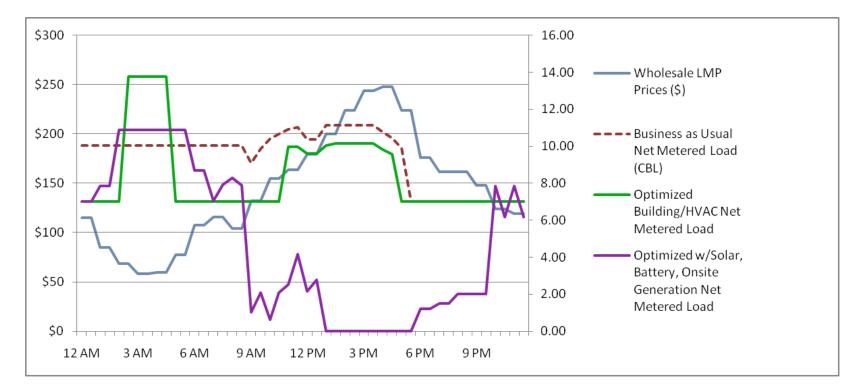


Pre-cooling

Optimized Building/HVAC Case		
Daily Electricity Bill:	\$12,153	
Supply Savings:	\$1,422	
Virtual Generation Revenue:	\$3,108	
Total Daily Economic Benefit:	\$4,530	

### Optimized w/Solar, Battery, Onsite Generation





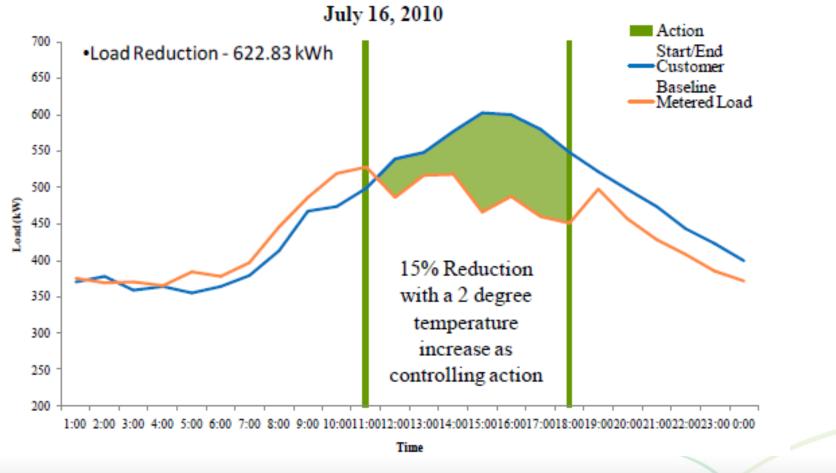
#### Optimized w/ Solar, Storage, and Onsite Generation Case

Daily Electricity Bill:	\$6,723
Generation Costs:	(\$13,218)
Supply Savings:	\$6,851
Virtual Generation Revenue:	\$17,832
Total Daily Economic Benefit:	\$11,465

## The Value of Optimized Load in a Real Time Wholesale Market



#### One Day in July: How Viridity Optimizes Distributed Resource Economic Value



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# **Overview- NYC SGDG**



Viridity is one of 8 Partners in this DOE Funded Project

- Viridity's Specific Scope -
  - Optimize energy load resources on select buildings to reduce energy costs and enhance market opportunities
  - Monitor and control energy resources based on real-time information such as weather and market signals
  - Provide Curtailment services to Con Edison and schedule demand side resources back into the grid
  - Aggregate different customer loads as virtual generators to provide supply and demand side economic benefit
  - Define and Monitor carbon footprint for and dispatch accordingly
  - Participate in Lower Manhattan and Long Island City DOE Smart Grid Demonstration Events

