

# GE Digital Energy

## The Future of Energy: Smart Grid and Beyond

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# Agenda

- Key Industry/Societal Trends
- Integration of Renewables
- Holistic Solutions
- Big Data, Analytics and Enterprise Data Management
- Industry Standards Vision
- Incentive-Based Regulation

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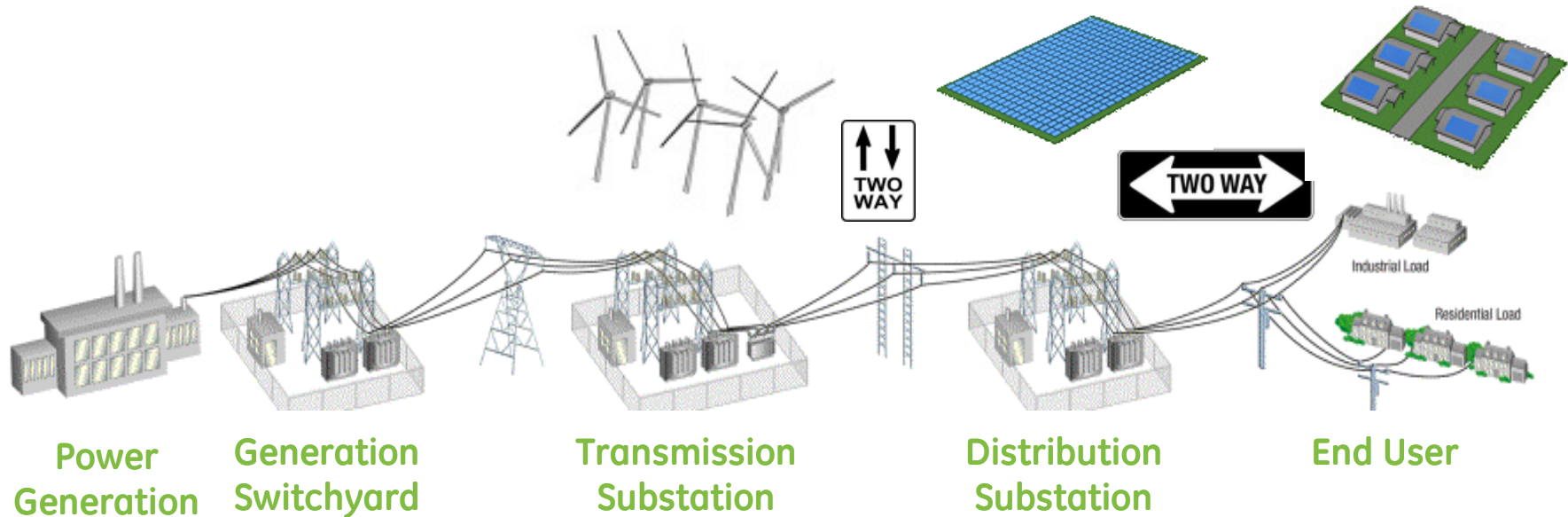
- ✓ Transitioning from Devices/Systems to Holistic Solutions
- ✓ Success = Technology, Standards, Policy
- ✓ Grid Flexibility + Self Healing + Reconfigurable
- ✓ Electrical Power Distribution Infrastructures Resiliency
- ✓ Big Data, the Cloud and Use of Social Media
- ✓ Convergence of IT and OT to Support Enterprise Data Management

# Integration of Renewables

# Distributed Generation

## Industry Challenge

A wide array of DG is creating unique challenges in the grid: two-way power flow, voltage regulation concerns.



Distribution controls and protection traditionally take advantage of and are designed only for uni-directional power flow

# Distributed Generation

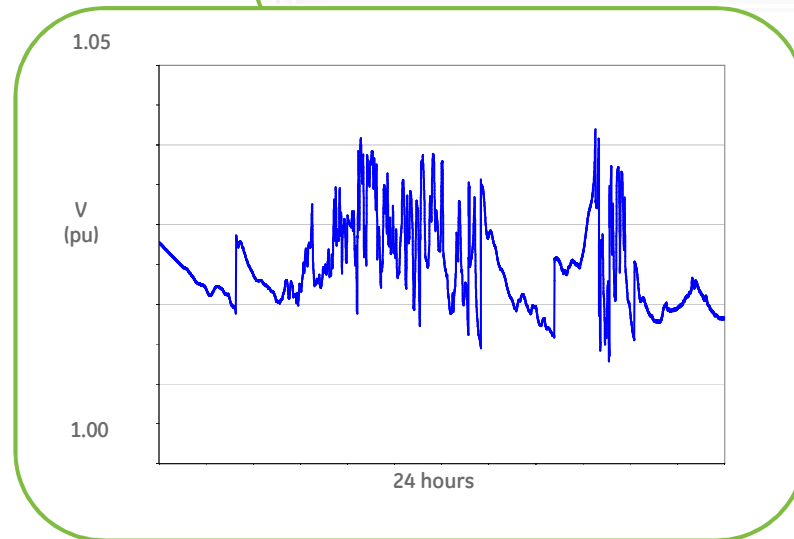
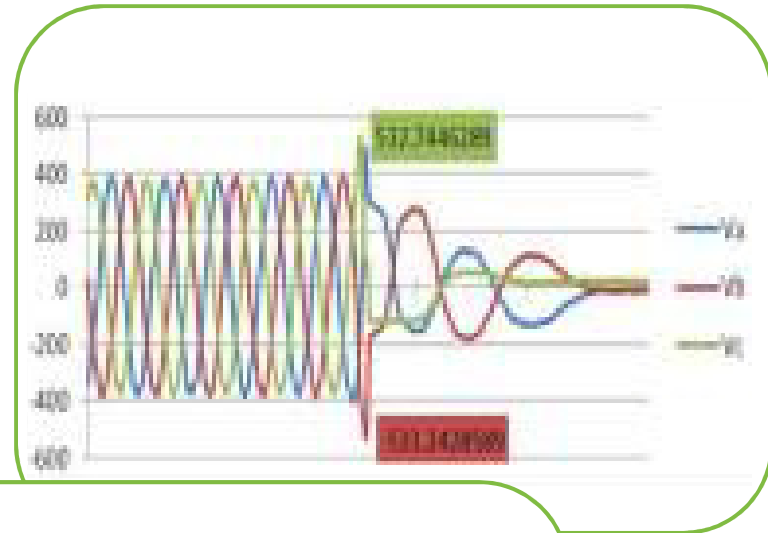
## Industry Challenge

Open circuit over-voltage due to unintentional islanding

Protection ratings not matched to fault currents

Varying Fault Currents due to DG

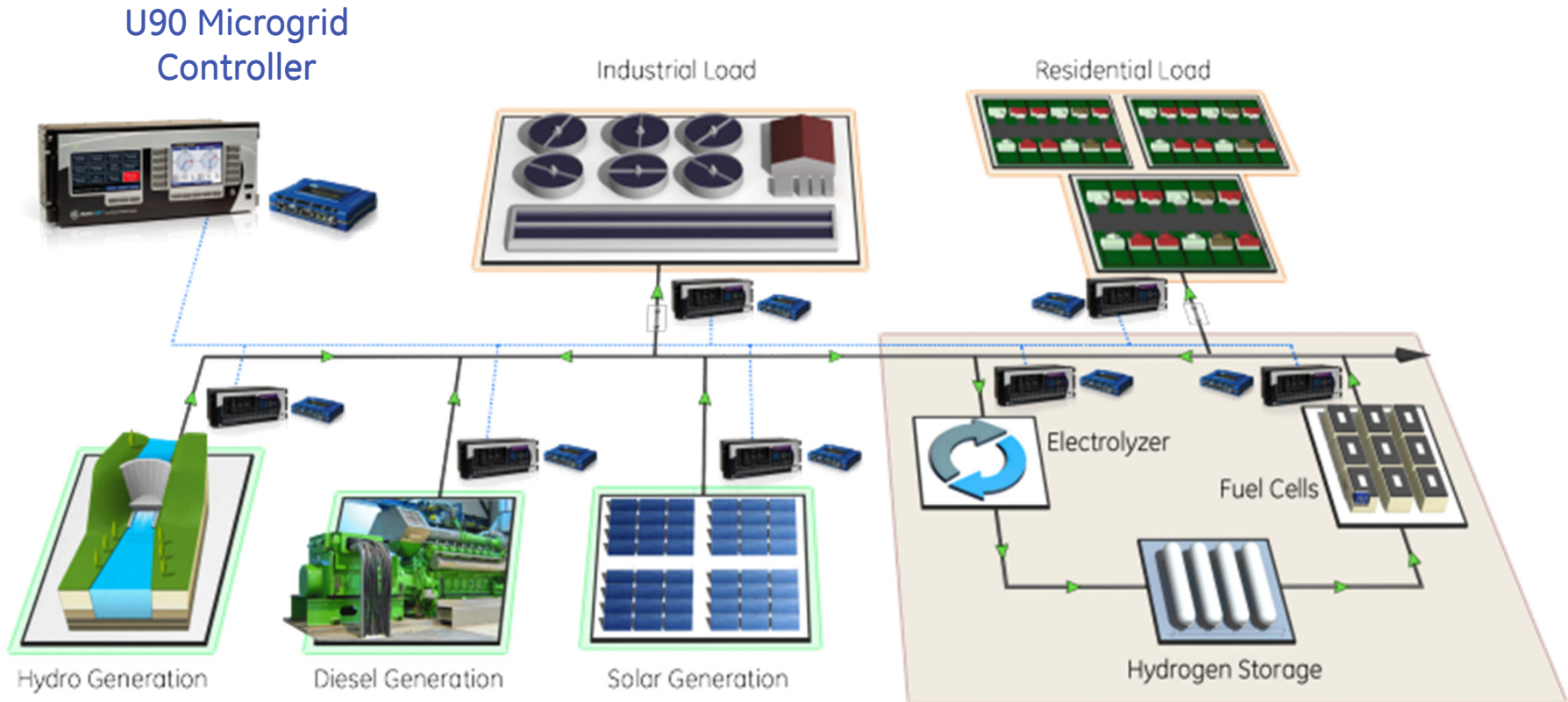
Stress on Voltage Regulation equipment



# Distributed Generation Integration

## Technology Solution

Optimal dispatch of complex energy resources



Smart control system to optimize and manage generators, energy storage and loads featuring:

- Optimal Dispatch
- Supervisory Controls
- Islanding/Tie-Line Controls

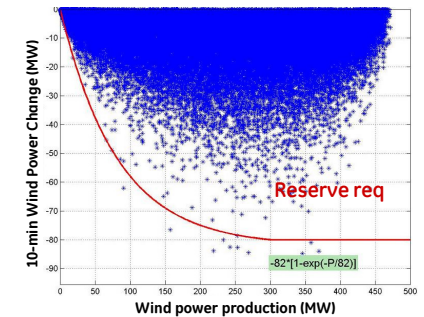
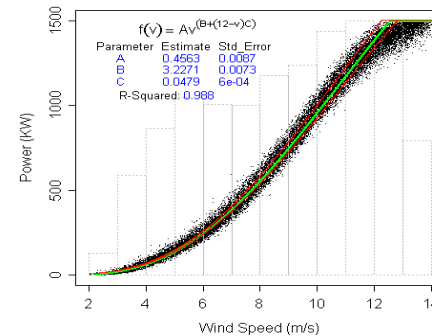


# Distributed Generation Integration

## Technology Solutions

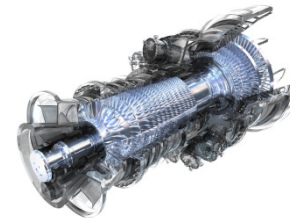
### Optimize conventional generation dispatch

- Leverage production forecasting in optimal dispatch
- Intelligent unit commitment and use of reserves

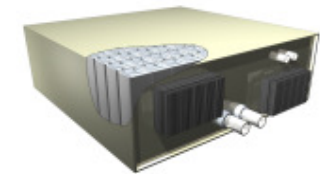


### Compensate for variability when needed

- Use of fast-start thermal generation
- Bridging storage (if needed)
- Demand response



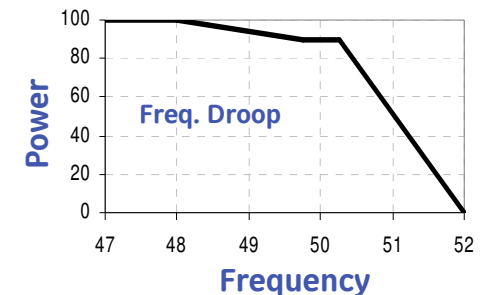
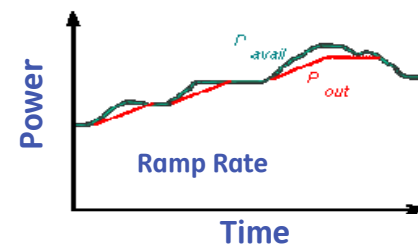
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GEMx Battery

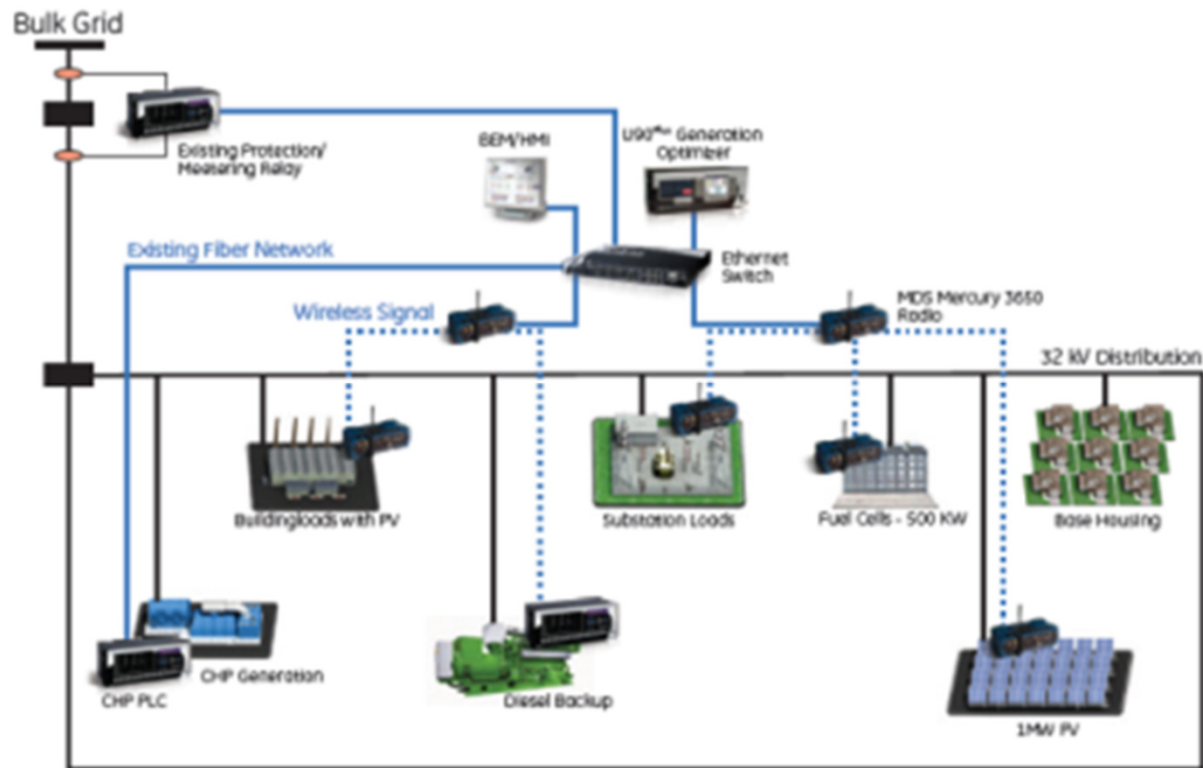
### Leverage full capabilities of the renewables

- Fault ride-through
- Volt/VAR regulation
- Ramp-rate controls
- Curtailment
- Inertial response



# Grid Edge Controllers and Microgrids

## Edge of grid transforming into Microgrids



# Impact of High Penetration of Rooftop Solar PV on the Distribution System

New Applications of Power Electronics (my Power Electronics magazine article – August 22, 2013 issue)

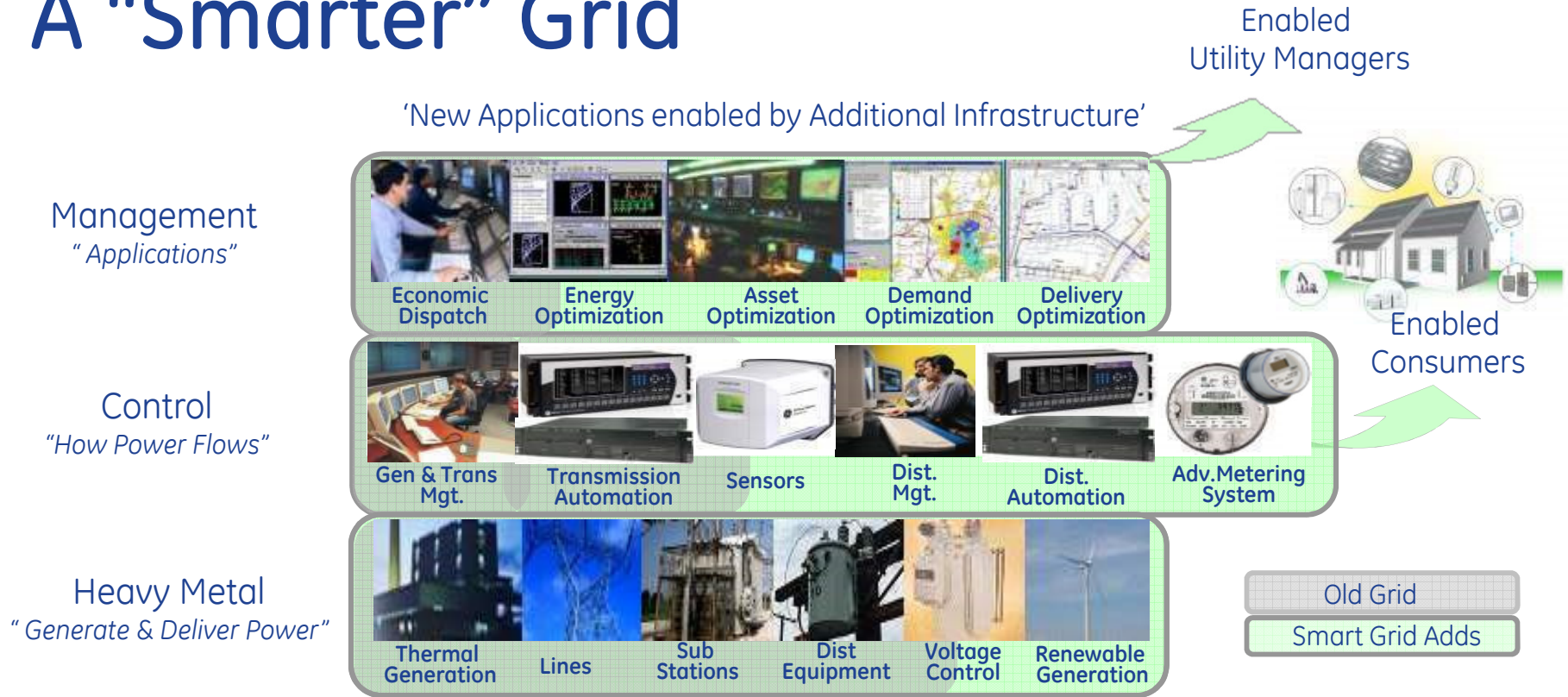
- Substation Transformer On-line Tap Changer
- Low Voltage Network Dynamic Grid Edge Controllers
- Increased capability from Inverters

The Death Spiral (Intelligent Utility magazine article – November /December 2013 issue)

- Impact of High Penetration of Rooftop Solar PV in the State of Queensland, Australia

# Holistic Solutions

# A "Smarter" Grid



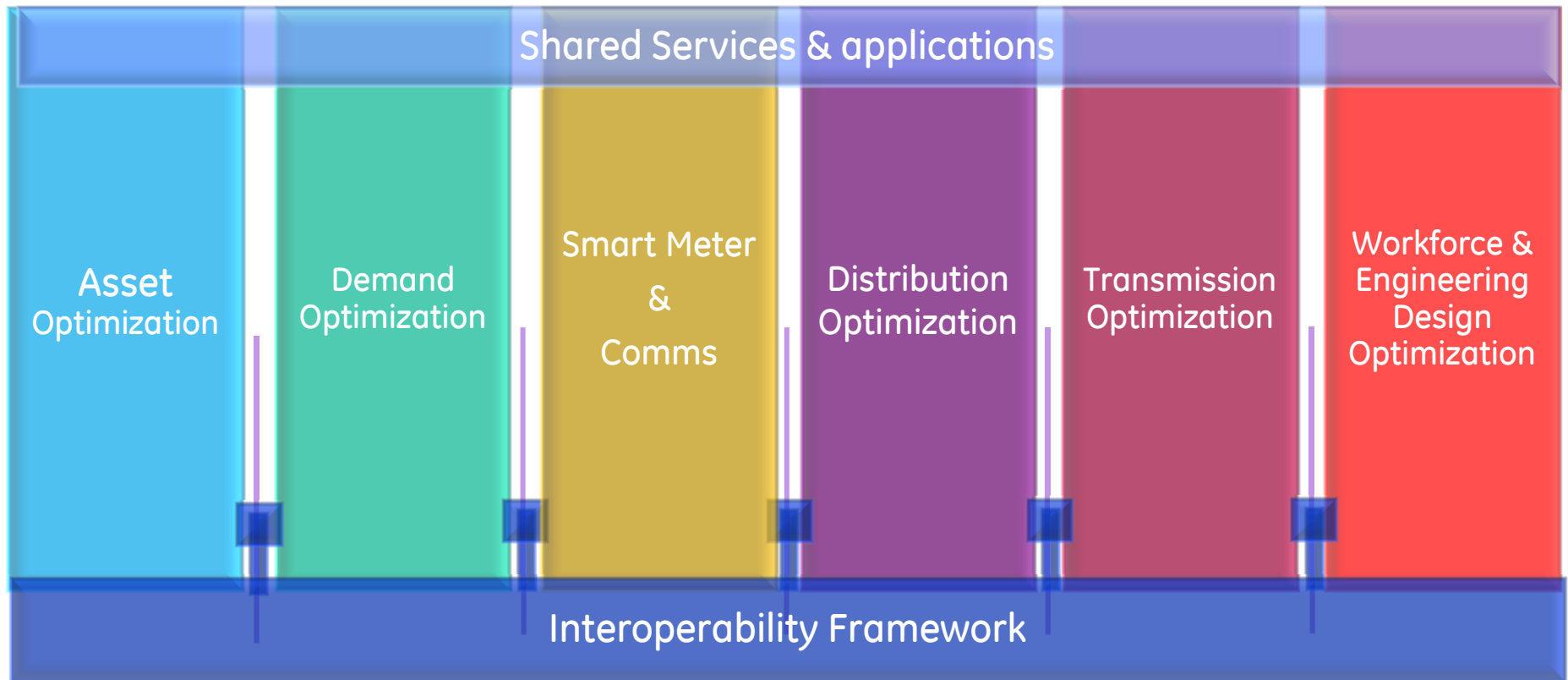
## Old Grid

- You call when the power goes out.
- Utility pays whatever it takes to meet peak demand.
- Difficult to manage high Wind and Solar penetration
- Cannot manage distributed generation safely.
- ~10% power loss in T&D

## Smart Grid

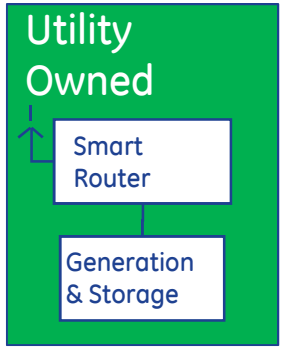
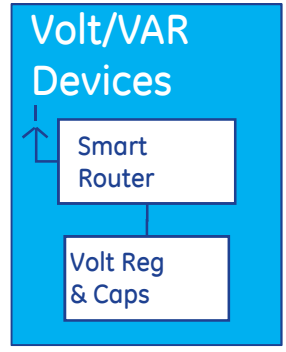
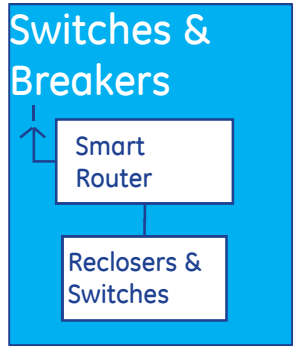
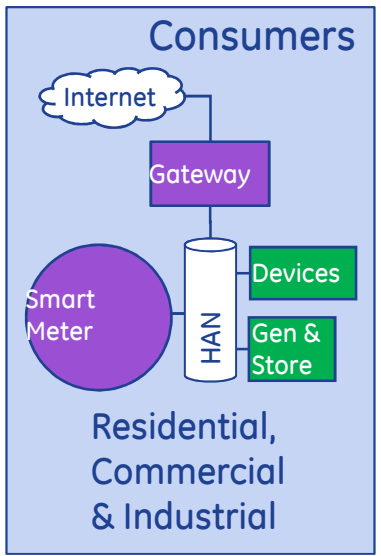
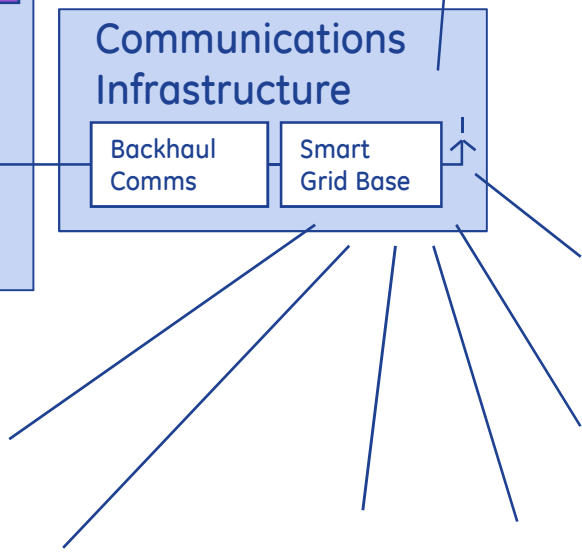
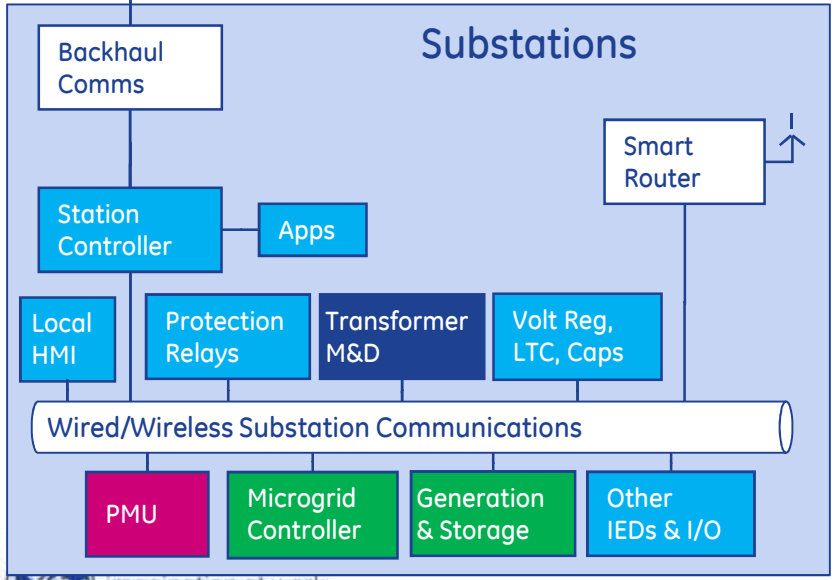
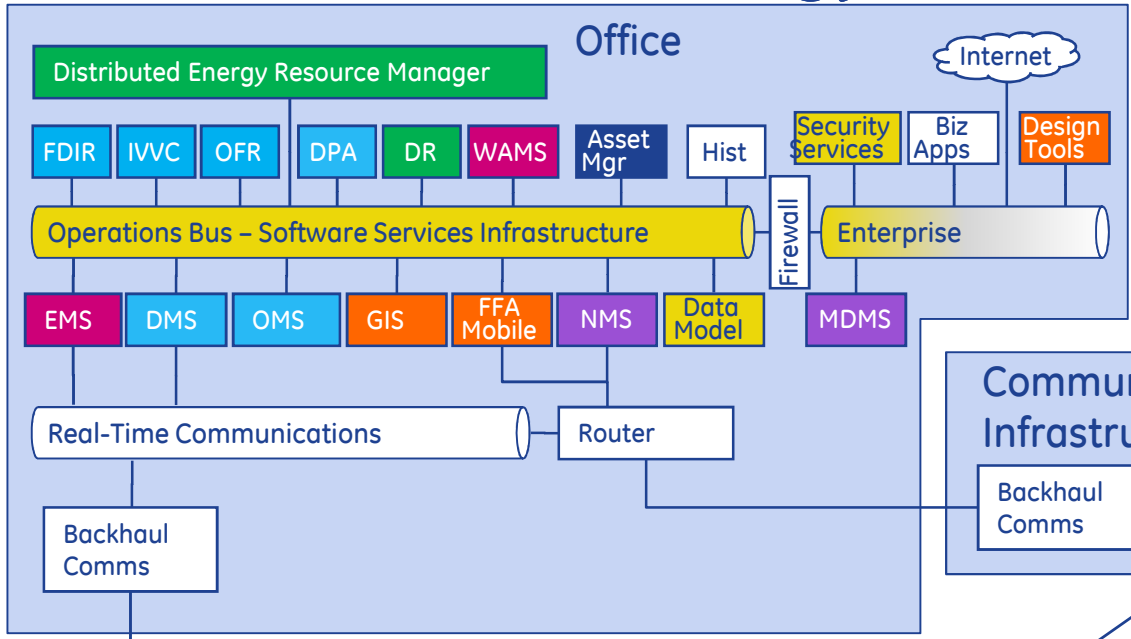
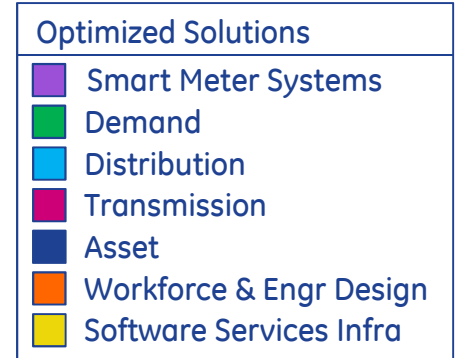
- ➔ Utility knows power is out and usually restores it automatically.
- ➔ Utility suppresses demand at peak. Lowers cost. Reduces CAPEX.
- ➔ No problem with higher wind and solar penetration.
- ➔ Can manage distributed generation safely.
- ➔ Power Loss reduced by 2+%... lowers emissions & customer bills.

# Smart Grid Holistic Solutions



Transitioning from products/systems to holistic solutions

# Smart Grid Technology Roadmap



# Smart Meters/AMI Integration with GIS, OMS and DMS

## Smart Meters/AMI

- Meter Readings
- Voltage => DMS
- Last Gasp Communication => OMS

## GIS

- Network Model Information => OMS, DMS

## DMS

- Status Changes => OMS

## Customers

- Phone Calls => OMS
- Social Media => OMS



# Big Data, Analytics and Enterprise Data Management

# Internet of Things (IoT)

Drive the next productivity revolution by connecting intelligent machines with people at work

## The "II" Connects...

### 1. Intelligent Machines

Leverage technology & communication to cost-effectively connect machines



### + 2. Big Data & Analytics

Combine the power of big data, big analytics, and industry physics



### + 3. People at Work

Connecting people any place, any way, and any time for intelligent operations



= A world that works better, faster, safer, cleaner and cheaper

Energy Value:

Global Energy  
Capex \$1.9T/year



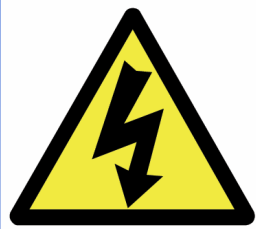
The first 1% annual savings equals \$300B over 15 years

# Analytics



**Meter Insight**  
(in development)

- Revenue Protection
- Power Quality and Reliability
- Load Forecasting and Research



**Outage Insight**  
(in development)

- Automated KPI data validation
- Dynamic KPI dashboards
- Outage Event Recorder
- Planned outage optimization
- Predictive Outage Analytics
- Accurate ETR



**Reliability Insight**  
(in development)

- Predictive vegetation management
- Asset health analysis
- System health analysis
- Lifecycle analysis and portfolio optimization



**Renewables Insight**  
(in design)

- PV load (dis)aggregation/ hotspot analysis
- Wind load (dis)aggregation and hotspot analysis
- EV penetration/ impact analysis
- DER load orchestration

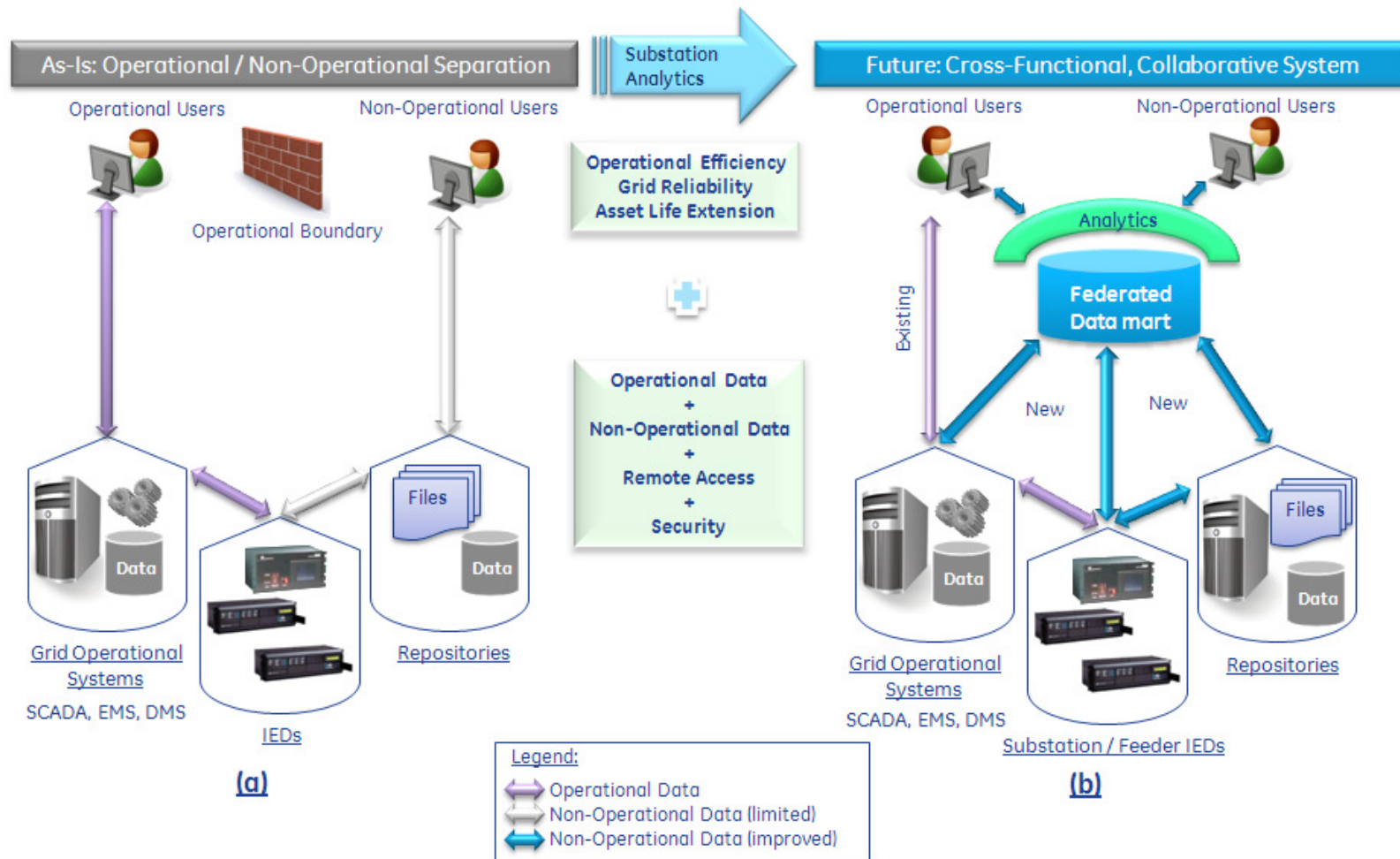


**Consumer Insight**  
(in design)

- Social media integration
- Customer Segmentation
- Customer Engagement
- Sentiment Analysis

# Enterprise Data Management

## Collecting data for Data Analytics



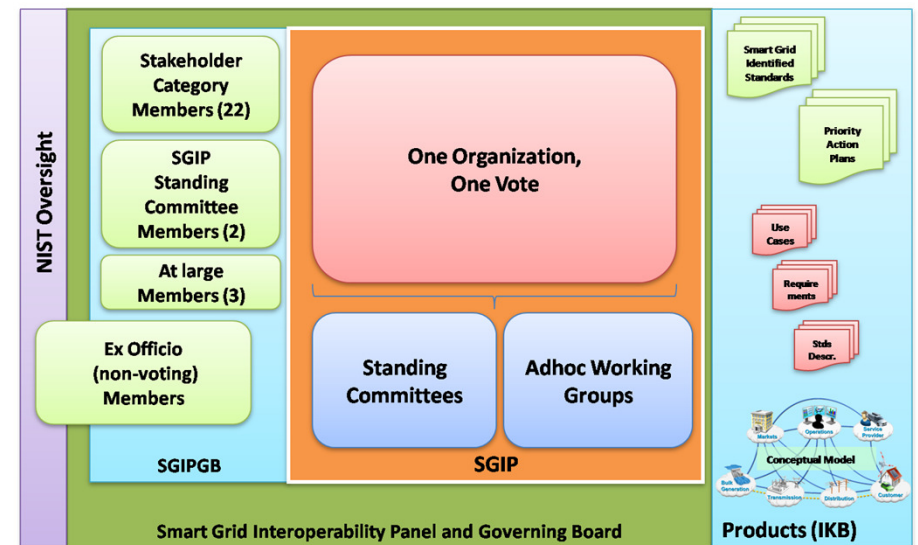
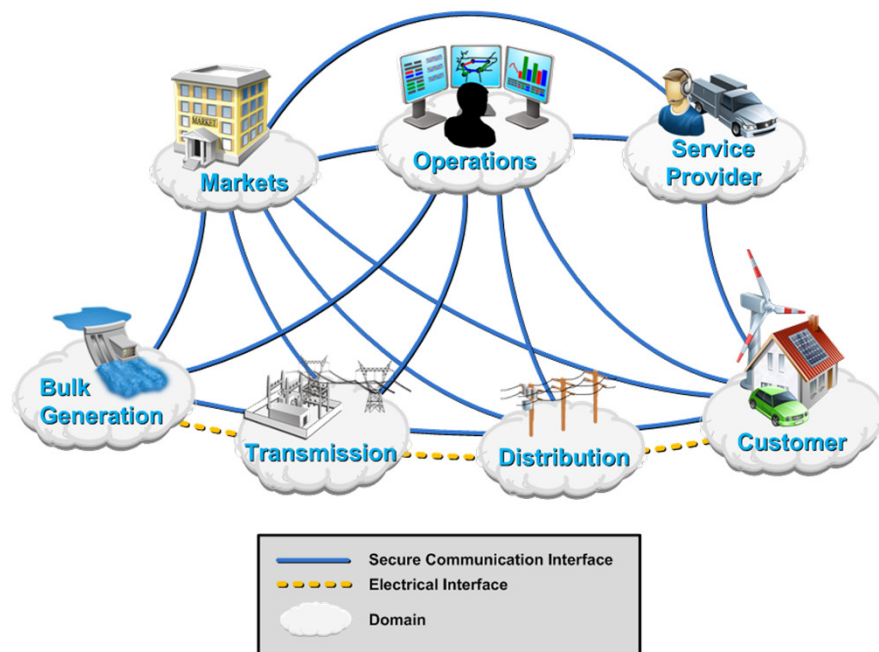
# Industry Standards Vision

# Example: Standards Framework

## National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST)

... Smart Grid Conceptual Reference Model

... Smart Grid Interoperability Panel (SGIP) Organizational Structure



# Smart Grid Foundational Standards



## NIST- Recognized Standards Release 1.0

Following the April 28-29 Smart Grid Interoperability workshop, NIST deemed that sufficient consensus has been achieved on 16 initial standards

On May 8, NIST announced intention to recognize these standards following 30 day comment period

NIST's announcement recognized that some of these standards will require further development and many additional standards will be needed.

NIST will recognize additional standards as consensus is achieved

| Standard   | Application  |
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| AMI-SEC System Security Requirements                 | Advanced metering infrastructure (AMI) and Smart Grid end-to-end security  |
| ANSI C12.19/MC1219                                   | Revenue metering information model   |
| BACnet ANSI ASHRAE 135-2008/ISO 16484-5              | Building automation  |
| DNP3   | Substation and feeder device automation  |
| IEC 60870-6/ TASE.2                                  | Inter-control center communications  |
| IEC 61850  | Substation automation and protection   |
| IEC 61968/61970                                      | Application level energy management system interfaces  |
| IEC 62351 Parts 1-8                                  | Information security for power system control operations   |
| IEEE C37.118   | Phasor measurement unit (PMU) communications   |
| IEEE 1547  | Physical and electrical interconnections between utility and distributed generation (DG)                           |
| IEEE 1686-2007                                       | Security for intelligent electronic devices (IEDs)   |
| NERC CIP 002-009                                     | Cyber security standards for the bulk power system   |
| NIST Special Publication (SP) 800-53, NIST SP 800-82 | Cyber security standards and guidelines for federal information systems, including those for the bulk power system |
| Open Automated Demand Response (Open ADR)            | Price responsive and direct load control   |
| OpenHAN  | Home Area Network device communication, measurement, and control   |
| ZigBee/HomePlug Smart Energy Profile                 | Home Area Network (HAN) Device Communications and Information Model  |

# What Does SGIP Do?

Identify user requirements and gaps in standards

Accelerate standards development and harmonization for interoperability of Smart Grid devices & systems

Identify necessary testing and certification requirements

Oversee the performance of these activities & continue momentum

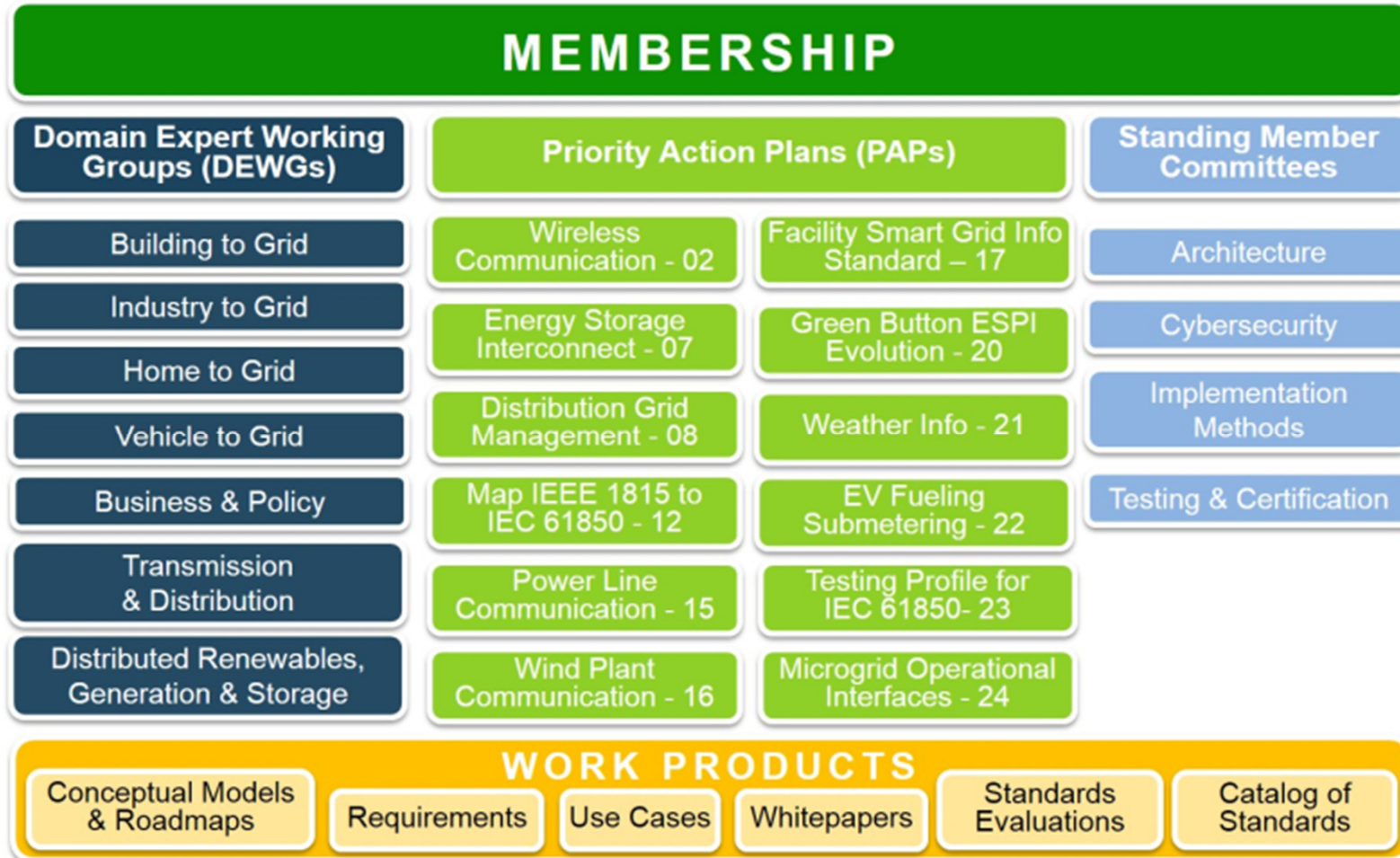
Inform and educate Smart Grid industry stakeholders on interoperability

Conduct outreach to establish global interoperability alignment



# SGIP Activity Areas

Standards – More needed than ever



# Communication Protocols

## Control Center to Control Center

- IEC 60870-6/TASE.2 – Inter-control Center Communications Protocol (ICCP)

## Control Center to Field Equipment

- IEEE 1815 (DNP3) – North American Suppliers
- IEC 60870-5 – European Suppliers
  - 101 – serial communications
  - 103 – protection devices
  - 104 – TCP/IP (network communications)

## Field Equipment

- IEC 61850 – substation automation and protection
- IEEE 1815 (DNP3) – substation and feeder device automation



# **SGIP**

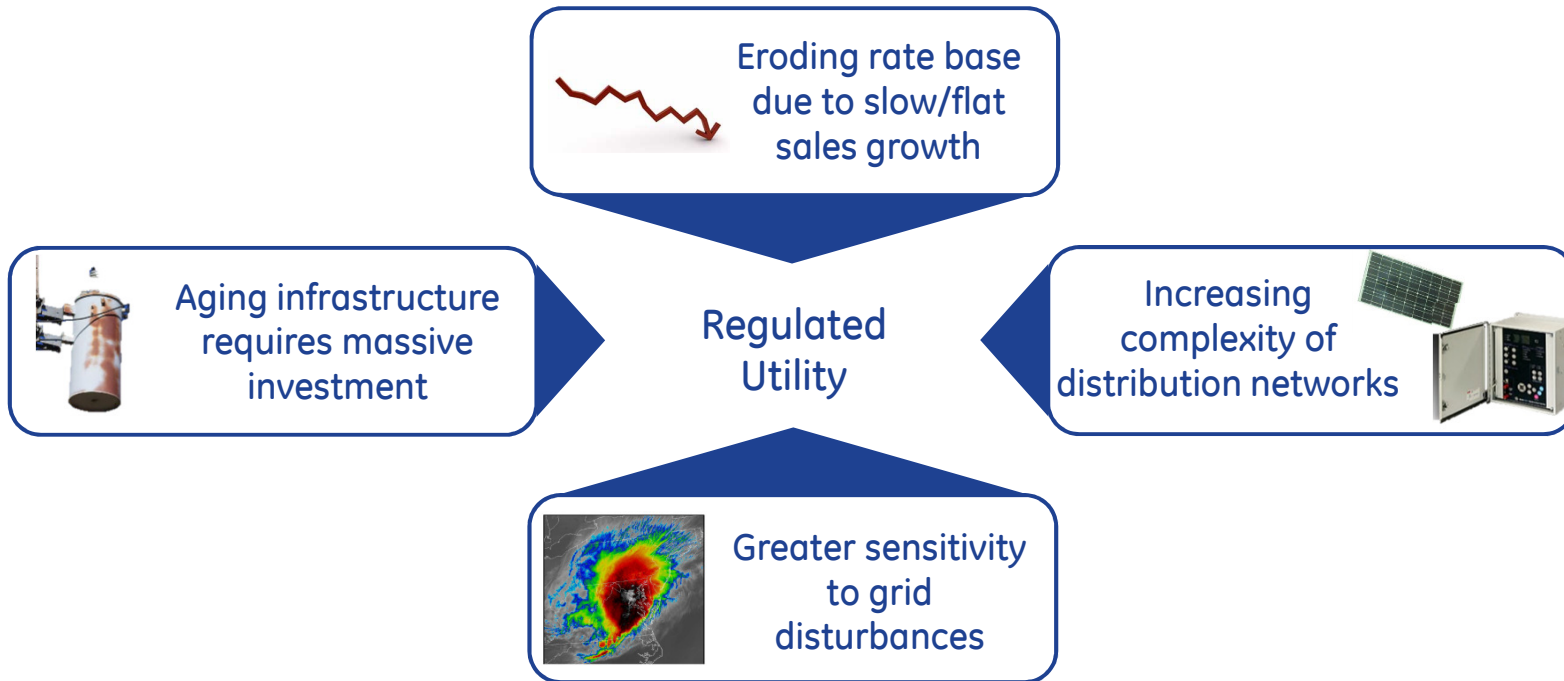
## **Accelerating Grid Modernization**

**[www.sgip.org](http://www.sgip.org)**

# Incentive-Based Regulation

# Velocity of Change

## Industry Trends Force Regulatory Rethink



### Challenges associated with traditional COS regulation

- "Least cost" approach to ratemaking often fails to provide utilities with consistent/adequate incentives to improve system performance
- Threat of disallowance discourages investment in new/innovative technologies
- Narrow focus on cost/benefit fails to provide utilities with adequate investment guidelines

# Velocity of Change

## Incentive Regulation... an Alt. Approach

### Key attributes

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- ✓ Ties utility profits to performance
  - Reliability
  - Efficiency
  - Power Factor
  - Consumer satisfaction
  - Safety
  - Other output-based metrics...
- ✓ Balances shareholder risk with performance rewards
- ✓ Combines certainty with accountability to protect ratepayers

### Recent examples

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#### Illinois

##### *Energy Infrastructure Modernization Act*

- Authorizes \$3.2 B in grid modernization investment
- Establishes mandatory performance targets
- Contains spending/rate cap to protect consumers



#### Maryland

##### *Grid Resiliency Task Force recommendations*

- PSC implementation of performance-based ratemaking structure to align customer, utility incentives
- Establishment of reliability-based metrics with associated rewards/penalties
- Targeted cost recovery tracker to promote investment



#### United Kingdom

##### *Revenue = Incentives + Innovation + Outputs (RIIO)*

- Extends review cycle to 8 years to increase certainty
- Establishes incentives for performance against reliability and environmental metrics
- Rewards utilities for executing projects under budget

IEEE Potentials Article  
November/December 2011

# Go West Young Man – My First Job

## Lessons Learned

Don't let a disappointing work situation affect your attitude and work, because it will change

No one is indispensable and continue to do more than expected and provide value to the company

Practice “precision without accuracy” in all engineering work

Get an MBA and know how to build the business case for a technical project

Get a PE license as soon as you have the required work experience (assuming you have passed the FE exam)

Serve as a mentor for young engineers

Get involved in outside activities (IEEE PES) giving talks, teaching courses and developing industry standards



John at work at Bechtel in 1975



Thank You!