

# **Energy Vision: Looking Forward**



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## Forum: "Climate Change, Research and Resources & Reliability"

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#### Born in a Blackout

Founded in 1973 as an independent, non-profit center for public interest energy and environmental research



New York City, The Great Northeast Blackout, 1965

#### Three Dimensions of EPRI's Value

#### **Thought Leadership**



#### **Industry Expertise**



#### **Collaborative Model**



## **Independent**

**Nonprofit** 

**Collaborative** 



#### **Our Members...**

- 450+ participants in more than30 countries
- **EPRI** members generate approximately 90% of the electricity in the United States
- International funding of 25% of EPRI's research, development and demonstrations

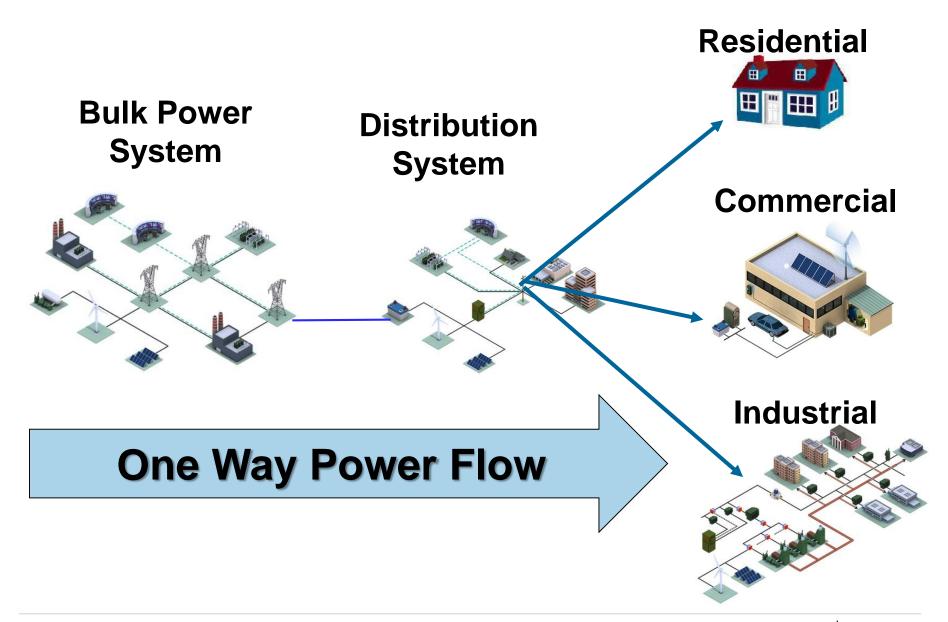
Electricity

Environmentally

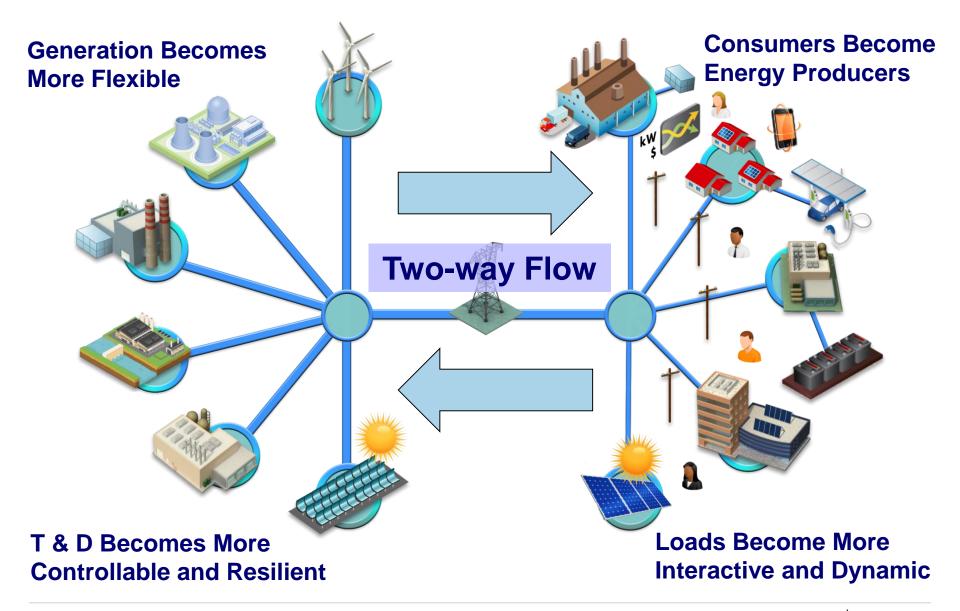
Responsible



#### **Electricity Sector 1.0 - Yesterday's Power System**

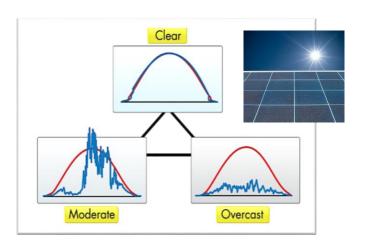


### Electricity 2.0 – Local Resources & "The Integrated Grid"

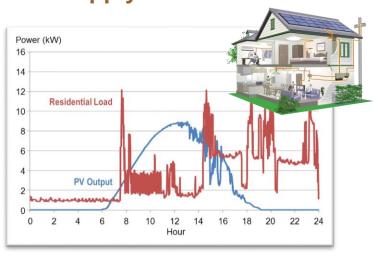


### **Energy and Capacity**

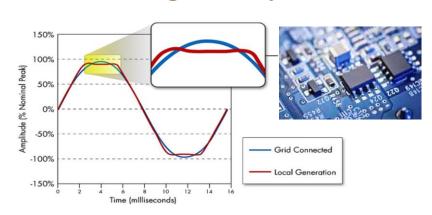
#### 24 by 7 Electricity



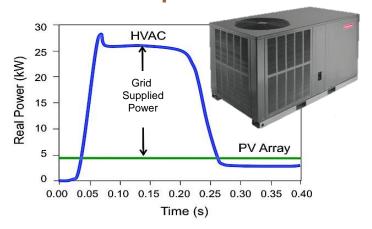
#### **Supply and Demand**



#### **Voltage Quality**

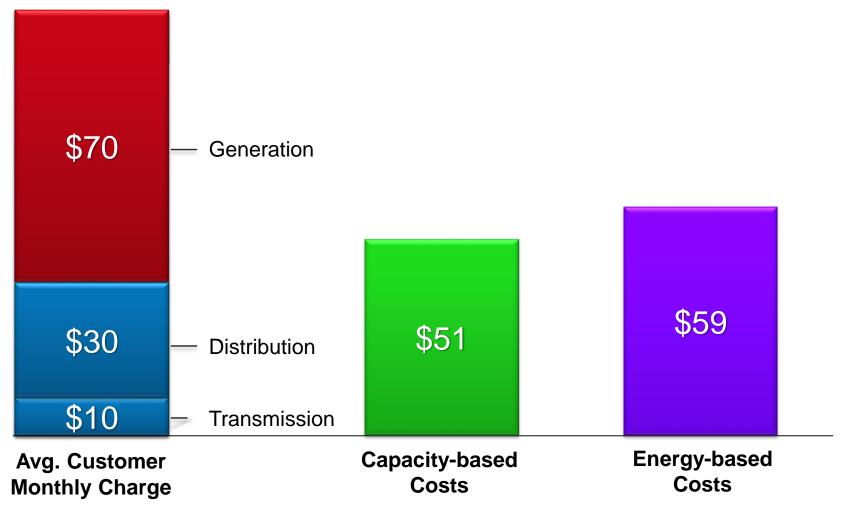


#### **Startup Power**





## Energy (Mwh) and Capacity (MW) – The Cost of Grid Connected Services



Generation (Energy/Fixed Cost) breakdown based on PJM market analysis (2011)

T&D (Fixed/Variable) cost breakdown based on current SCE Implied Cost Estimates (source: E3)



## Electricity and Energy 3.0 – Connected "The Internet of Things" - Services and Devices



Convenience, Comfort, Choice, Control...Cost-Effectively



## 195 Nations Adopt First Universal Climate Agreement At COP21 Talks In Paris – December 12, 2015



(left to right) UN climate chief Christiana Figueres; UN Secretary-General Ban ki-Moon; French Foreign Minister and president of the COP21 meetings Laurent Fabius; French President François Hollande,

### **Essential Elements of the Paris Climate Agreements**

"Should" not "Shall"

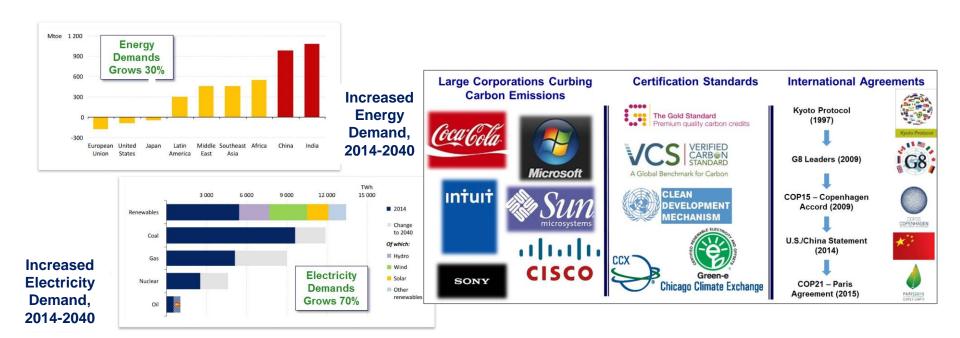
- 1. Each Country/Party submits "Nationally Determined Contributions" (NDC) & Measures
- 2. "Common but differentiated responsibilities and respective capabilities" (Best Effort)
- 3. Update NDCs at common <u>5-year intervals</u> toward 2050 goals
- 4. Establish a central project <u>crediting mechanism</u> (Kyoto Protocol)
- 5. Establish a "Transparency and Accountability" framework
- 6. <u>5-year "Stocktaking"</u> progress on mitigation, adaptation and finance
- 7. Reduce Climate "vulnerability" and increase Climate "resiliency"
- 8. Establish a mechanism for "loss and damage" assessment (Warsaw Int'l mechanism)
- 9. Developed countries committed to \$100 billion/year by 2020 (public & private funds)



### **Energy and Emissions**

## **ENERGY**: Smarter Global Demand and Use of Energy

## **EMISSIONS**: Global Focus on Economy-wide Emission Reduction



**ELECTRICITY**: grows faster than total energy

Global Focus: Smarter Energy with Significantly Reduced Emissions



#### **EPRI Scenario Outcomes: "Global Points of View"**



## **Energy 4.0 - Vision of the Future - "Integrated Energy Network"**



WHY?



### "Integrated Energy Network" - Three Evolving Infrastructures





"Integrated Energy Network"

A Network of Infrastructures that connects customers with clean energy production and use



### A Look Ahead - I. Producing Cleaner Energy



"Reducing emissions from the production of electricity and other forms of energy"



### **Transition to Cleaner Electricity Generation ~2030**



Renewables



Distributed Energy Resources



**Ultra Supercritical** 

Renewable Growth will be Global

Pace and Scale of Nuclear, Coal and Natural Gas will vary from Region to Region



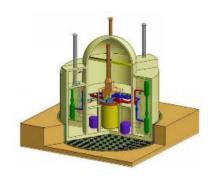
**Natural Gas** 



**Nuclear** 



## Pathway to Cleaner Electricity/Energy Generation ~2050



Generation IV Nuclear (co-production – electricity, hydrogen steam)



**Large-Scale Storage** 

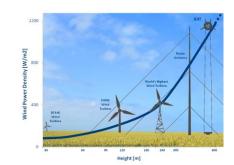


Advanced Power Cycles (e.g., Supercritical CO<sub>2</sub> Cycle)

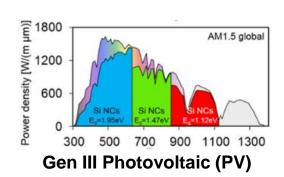


Coal and Gas Carbon
Capture and
Sequestration

Technology innovation in the next decade will be key to ensure all options for cleaner energy production are available in the long term



**High Altitude/Power Wind** 



## A Look Ahead – II. Using Cleaner Energy

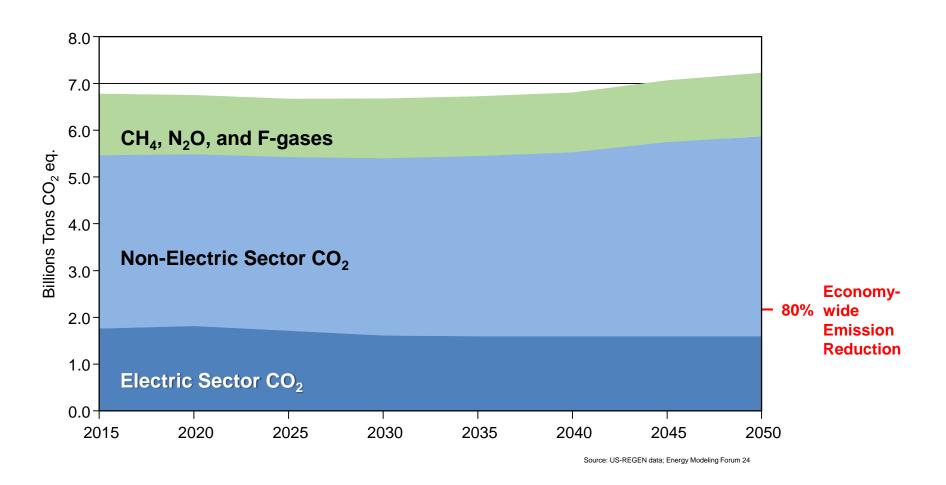


#### "Electrification Enables other Sectors of the Economy to Decarbonize"



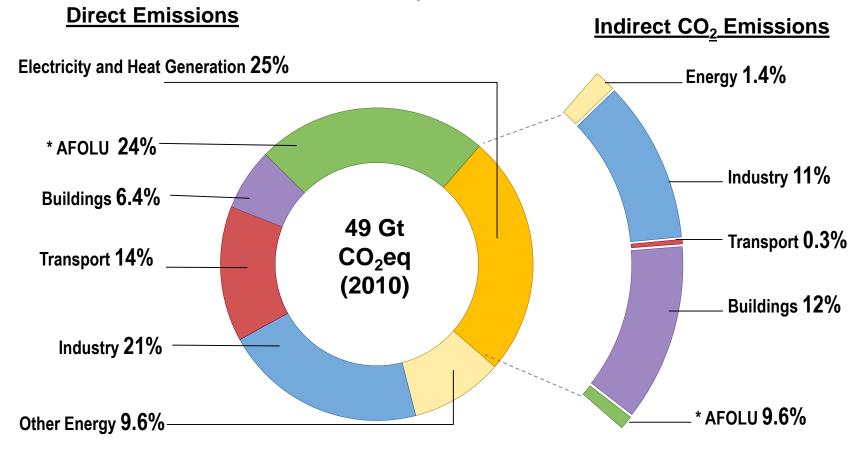
## **U.S. Economy-wide Emissions**

#### **Example Scenario**



### **Clean Electricity Enables Economy-wide Emission Reduction**

#### Global *Economy-wide* Emission

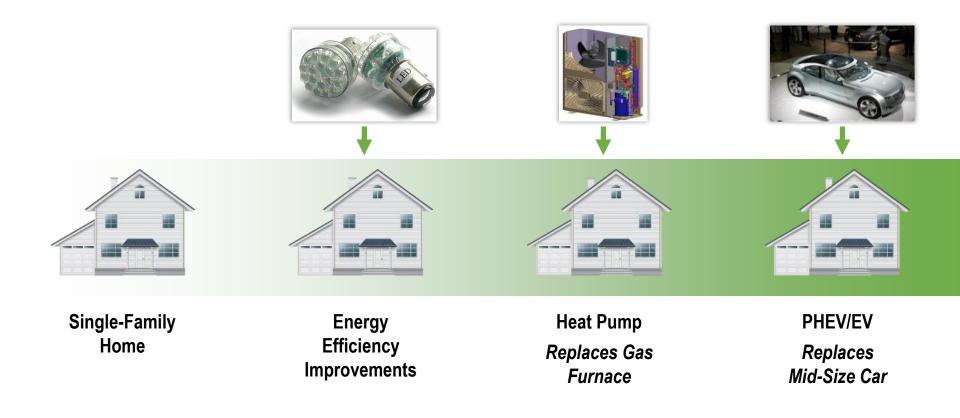


#### **Cleaner electricity:**

- Reduces indirect emission and direct emissions
- Enables production of other clean energy to further emissions

## **Using Cleaner Energy**

#### One Example of Efficiency and Electrification to Reduce Emission



## **Transition to Using Cleaner Energy ~2030**



**Electric Vehicles** 



**Advanced Energy Communities** 



**Industrial Processes** 



**Rail Electrification** 



**Heat Pumps** 

## Pathway of Cleaner Energy Use ~2050



Hydrogen



**Transportation Electrification** 



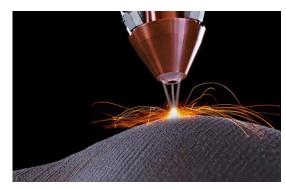
**Teleheating** 



**Bioenergy** 



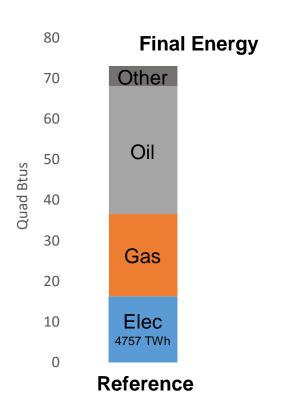
**Indoor Agriculture** 

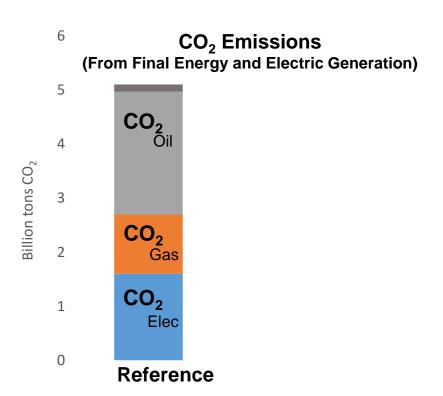


**Advanced Manufacturing** 

## **EXAMPLE:** Assume U.S. 70% Emission Reduction by 2050

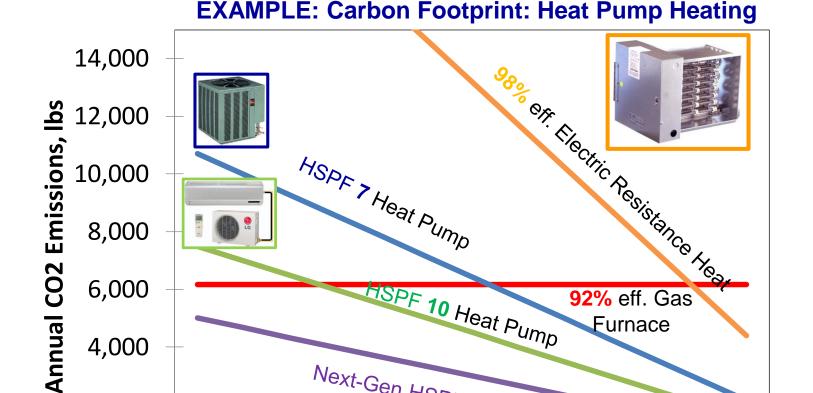
#### **Example Scenario**





#### **Efficiency and Electrification Key to Emission Reduction**

### "The Gift that Keeps on Giving" – Electrification



Next-Gen HSPF 13

1.5 1.4 1.3 1.2 1.1 1.0 0.9 0.8 0.7 0.6 0.5 0.4 0.3 Carbon Intensity of Delivered Electricity, lbs/kWh

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### A Look Ahead - III. Integrating Energy Resources



## "The Integration of Electrons, Molecules and Bytes"



## **Enabling a Transition: Integrating Cleaner Energy**

#### **Transmission**



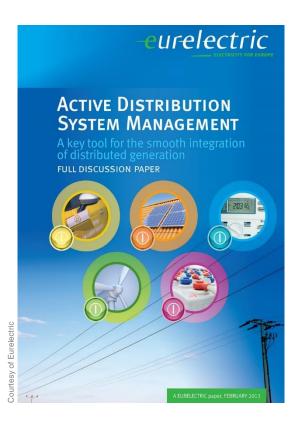
#### Flexible Resources



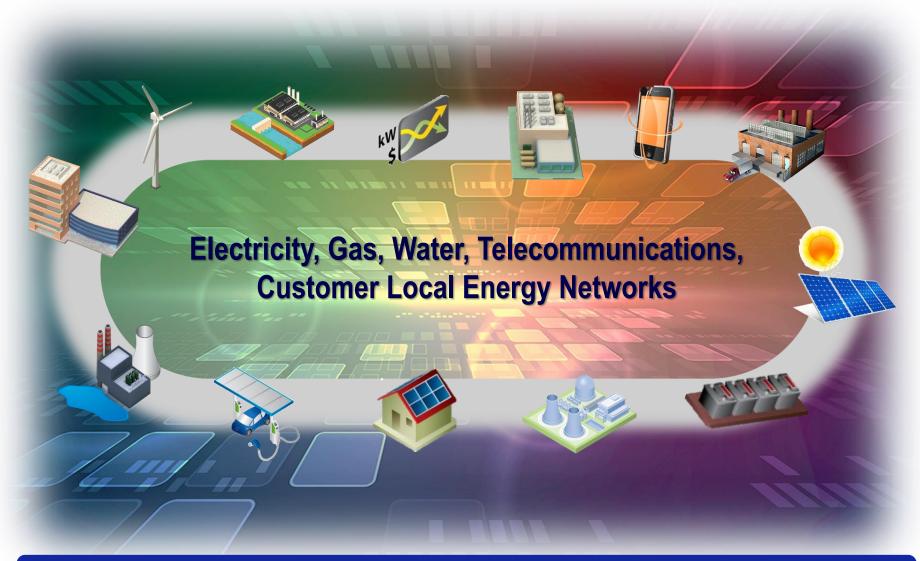




#### **Smart Distribution**



#### **Integrating Energy Resources**



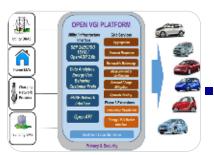
Providing Cost Effective Choice and Control with Increased Convenience and Comfort

## Integrated Electric Grid: Enables Electricity and Transportation Interface



#### National Charging Infrastructure Deployment

- ->\$1B US of utility-owned/operated infrastructure
- Utility web portal data access and analytics, billing interface



#### **Electricity Grid-to-Vehicle Interface**

- Time-of-Use rates and Demand Response signals
- EV batteries: grid optimization



#### **High Power Fast Charging Infrastructure**

150 kW / 350 kW leads to ~1.5 MW / 3.5 MW per "gas station"

**Value of the Grid: Electricity to Cleaner Transportation** 



## **Increasing Interface: Electricity, Gas and Water Infrastructure**







#### Natural Gas and Electricity

- Pipeline and gas compression/electric generation station
- Electric/gas markets
- Power to gas (H<sub>2</sub>) and gas to power (fuel cell)

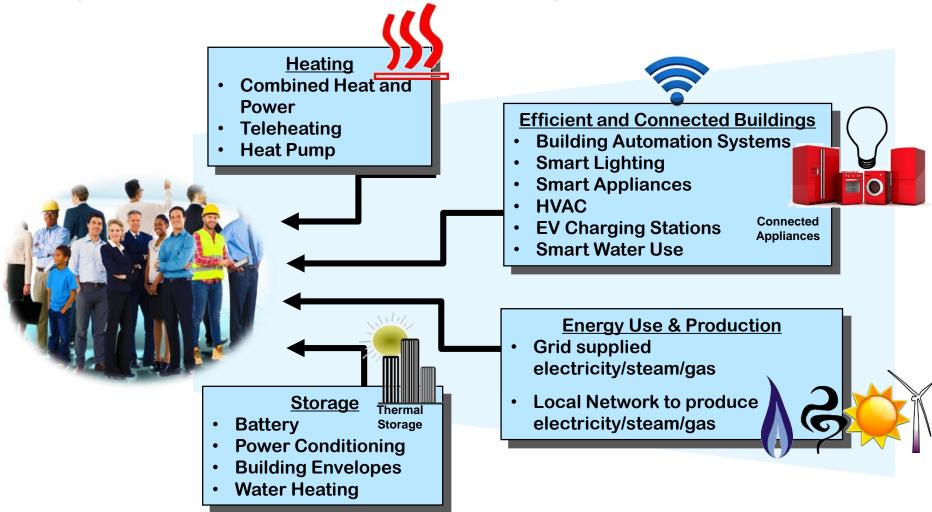
#### Water and Electricity and Energy

- Water for electricity and electricity for water transportation
- Electricity for water treatment, e.g., desalination
- Electrotechnology for reducing water use, e.g., microwave drying

Value of the Grid: Electricity to Cleaner Gas and Integrated Water Infrastructure



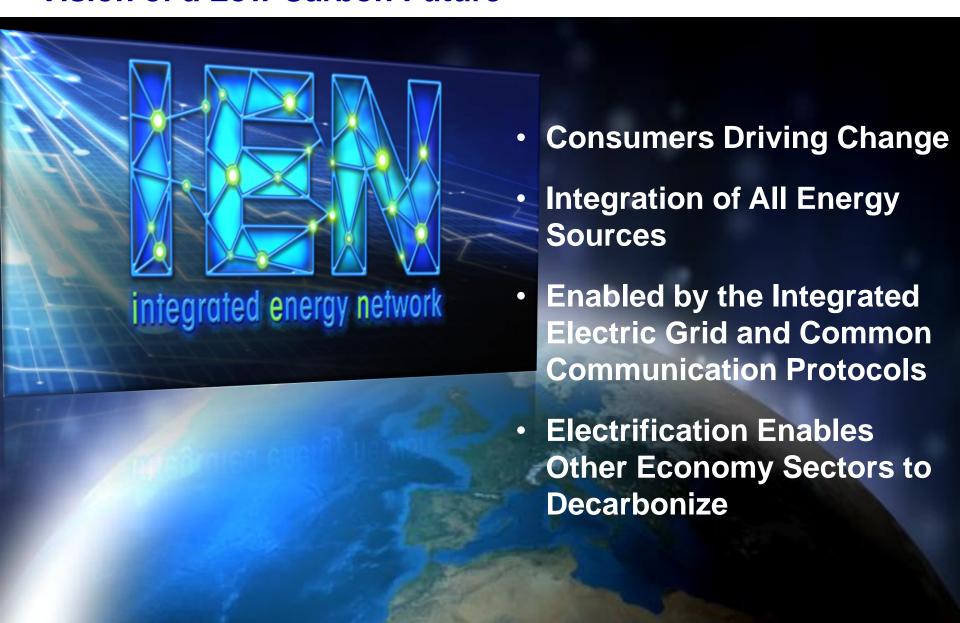
## **Integrated Grid Enables Local Energy Grid**



Increasingly Clean "Energy" will be Produced and Used Locally



#### **Vision of a Low Carbon Future**





## **Together...Shaping the Future of Electricity**