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# DISTRIBUTED GENERATION FOR LARGE CUSTOMERS

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# OVERVIEW

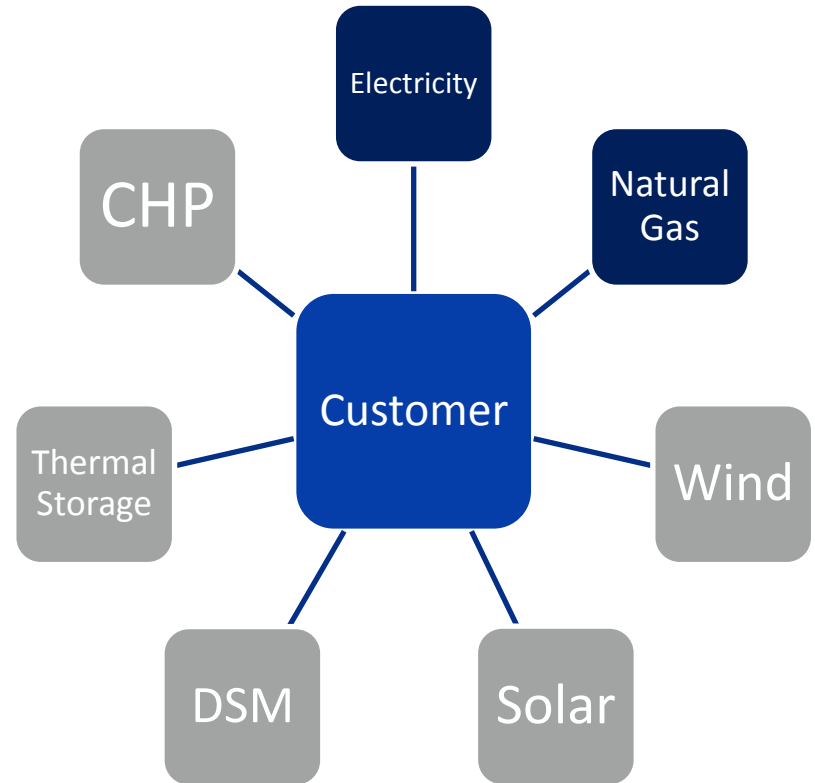
- Market Influences for Distributed Generation
- Where it Works
- Utility Involvement
- Case Study: GRU – South Energy Center
- Questions & Answers

# MARKET INFLUENCES

# ENERGY DELIVERY



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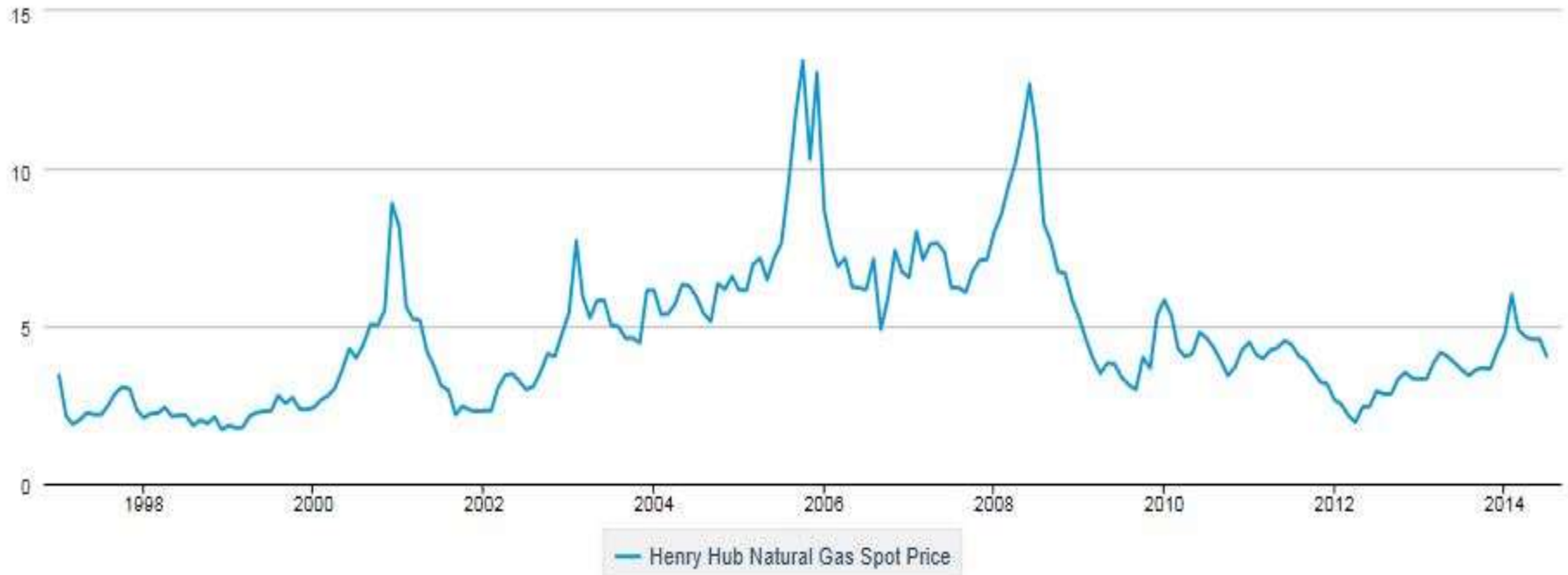
# MARKET INFLUENCES

- ▶ Over the past 5 years, several key market influences have led to an increased interest in the installation of:
  - Distributed Generation
  - Cogeneration
  - Combined Heat and Power (CHP)
  - Microgrids
- ▶ Market influences for onsite generation include:
  - Low natural gas costs and increasing electricity costs
  - Increasing costs to utilities (and central plants) for environmental compliance
  - Necessity of the availability of critical infrastructure in the event of natural or man-made disasters
  - Interest in maintaining manufacturing equipment uptime

# NATURAL GAS PRICES

- ▶ Historic highs in 2006 and 2008
- ▶ Average 2014 price: \$4.78/MMBtu

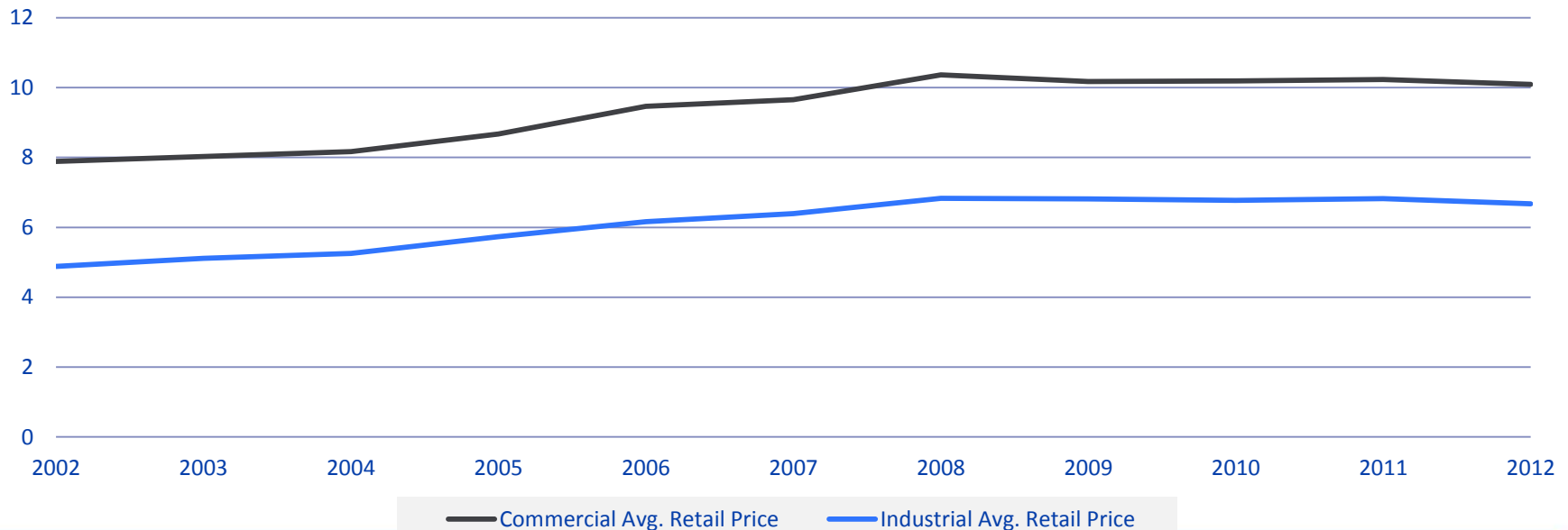
Dollars per Million Btu



# ELECTRICITY PRICES

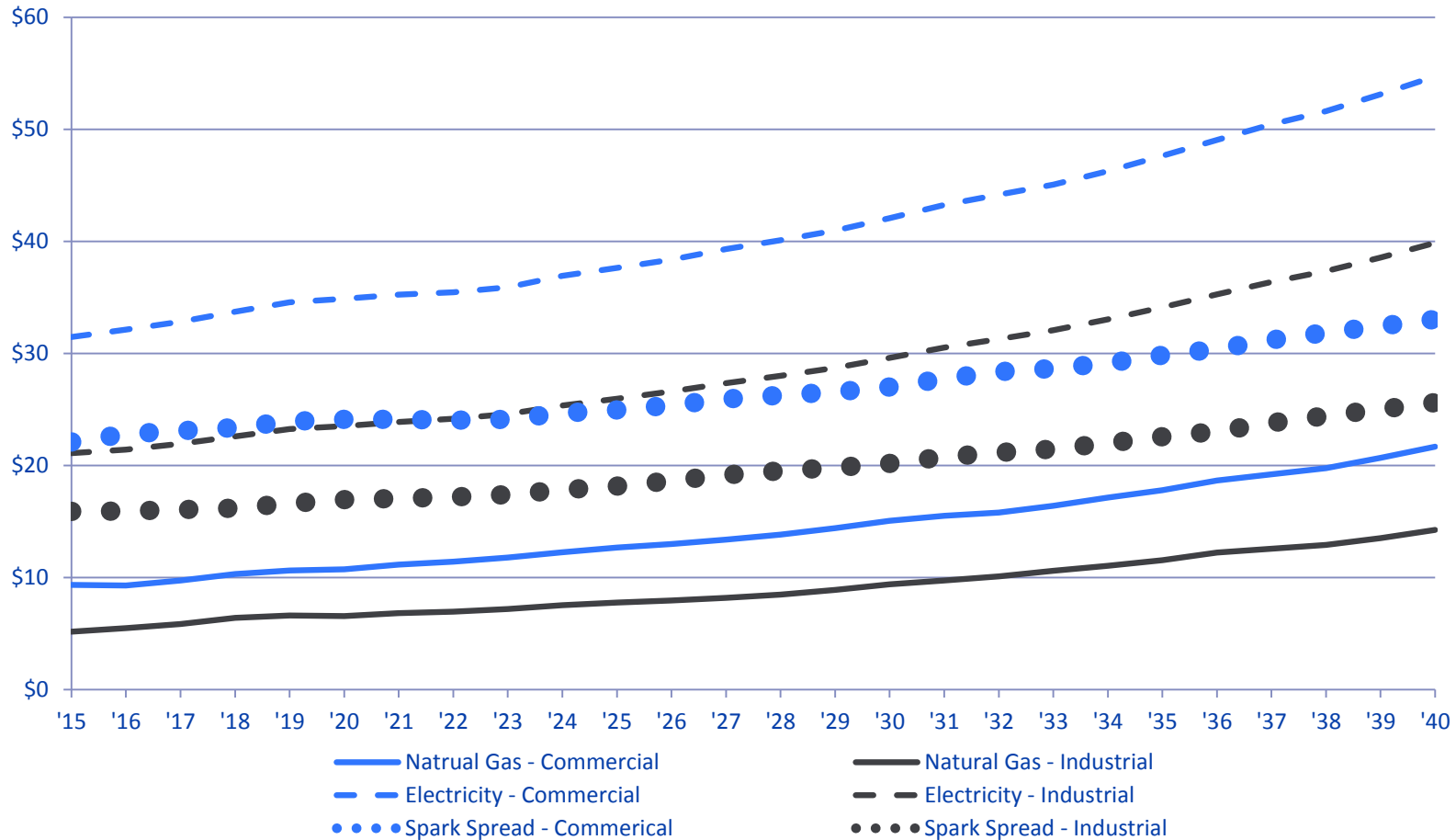
- ▶ Historic highs in 2008
- ▶ Average 2014 price:
  - ¢10.50/kWh (commercial)
  - ¢6.91/kWh (industrial)

Cents per kWh



# NATURAL GAS AND ELECTRICITY FORECASTS

Natural Gas and Electricity Price, \$/MMBtu (DOE EIA)





# EVOLVING ENVIRONMENTAL DRIVERS

- ▶ Clean Power Plan – Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Regulation
- ▶ Clean Air Interstate Rule (CAIR) –  $\text{NO}_x$  and  $\text{SO}_2$  regulation to control  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$
- ▶ New Source Review – All criteria pollutants
- ▶ Supreme Court Ruling on the Tailoring Rule



# RECENT STORMS/UTILITY OUTAGES

## WEATHER DROVE 80% OF ALL MAJOR OUTAGES BETWEEN 2003 AND 2012

- ▶ Most frequent weather-related causes for utility outages
  - 59% Storms and extreme weather
  - 19% Cold and ice storms
  - 18% Hurricanes and tropical storms
  - 3% Tornadoes
  - 2% Extreme heat and wildfires

Source: Think Progress “Extreme Weather Has Driven A Ten-Fold Increase In Power Outages Over The Last Two Decades”



# WHERE IT WORKS

# WHY CHP?

- ▶ Increases redundancy, reliability, and resiliency
- ▶ Efficiency
  - Coal plant: 30-40%
  - Combined cycle plant: 40-50%
  - CHP: 70-90%
- ▶ Emissions reductions
- ▶ Utility cost savings
- ▶ Emergency service



# WHY CHP?

Combined heat and power (CHP) provides a source of power and thermal energy that may be black started as part of a microgrid at greater efficiencies and economies than traditional electric generating assets.

## ► Redundancy

- Power source
- Fuel diversity
- Thermal source

## ► Resiliency

- Ride through
- Black start

## ► Reliability

- High availability
- React to fuel uncertainty

# TYPICAL TECHNOLOGIES

- ▶ Gas turbines (4-50 MW)
- ▶ Reciprocating engines (2-18 MW)
- ▶ HRSGs (5,000 – 350,000 lbs/hr)
- ▶ Steam turbines (2-50 MW)

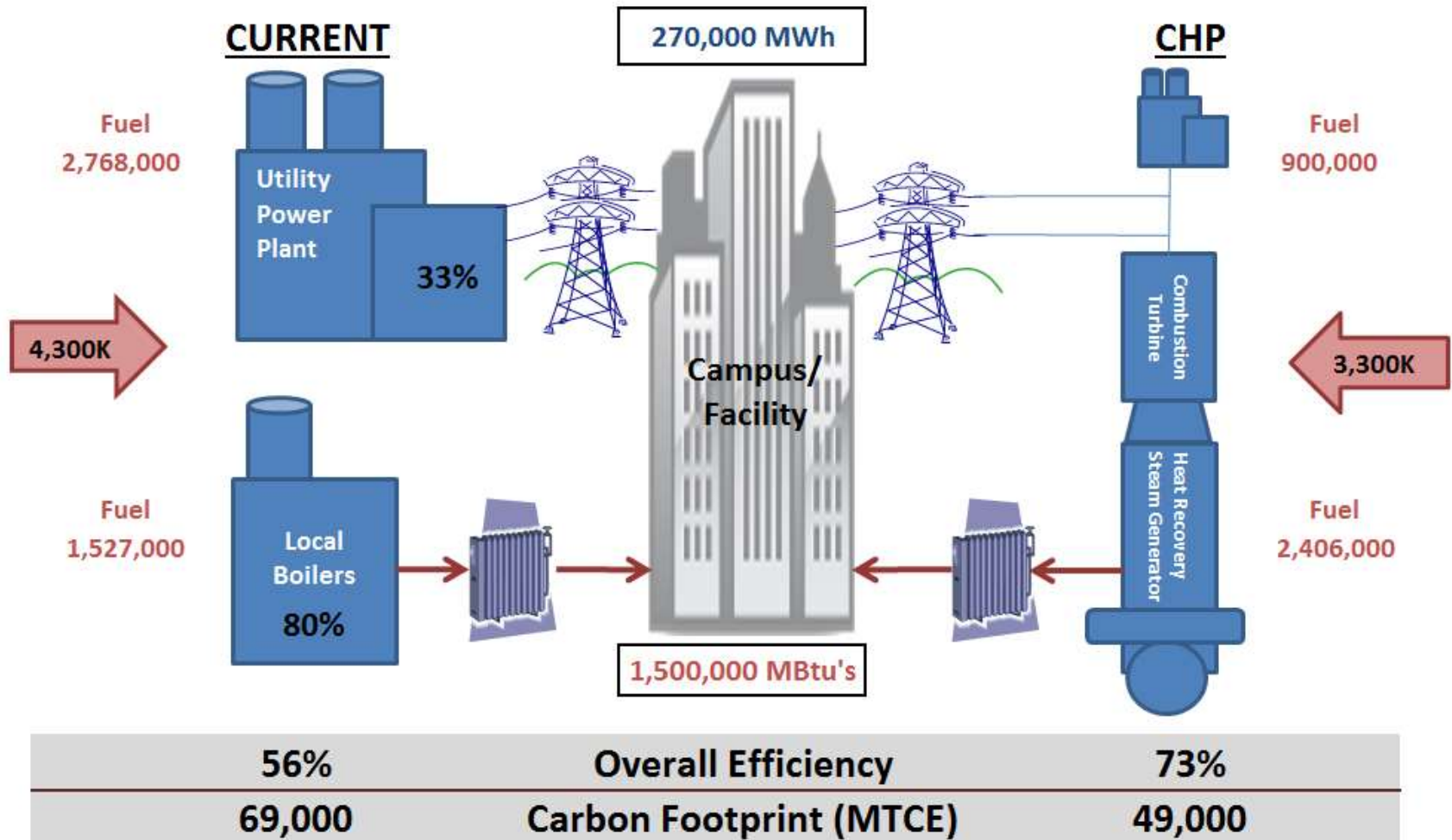


# TYPICAL TECHNOLOGIES

## HEAT RECOVERY POTENTIAL (RULES OF THUMB)

- ▶ Reciprocating engines
  - Approximately 1.2 lbs/hr of 100 psig saturated steam per kW
  - Approximately 2.5-3.0 MMBtu of hot water per MW (jacket water and exhaust in series)
- ▶ Gas turbines
  - Unfired approximately 4.0-6.0 lbs/hr of 100 psig saturated steam per kW
  - Fired to 1600F approximately 2 x unfired capacity

# CHP EFFICIENCY





# WHERE CHP?

- ▶ University campuses
- ▶ Hospitals
- ▶ Military bases
- ▶ Manufacturing facilities
- ▶ Research facilities
- ▶ Data centers

Type	MW	Heat/Power Ratio
Universities	5-30	High
Hospitals	4-10	Low-Medium
Industrial/Manufacturing	5-60+	Medium-High
Government/Military	5-60	Low-Medium
Mixed Use Developments	3-10	Low

# UTILITY INVOLVEMENT

# UTILITY-OWNED CHP

## UTILITIES INVEST IN CHP BECAUSE THEY...

- ▶ Can enter into long-term contracts with mature costumers and continue or add a predictable revenue stream.
- ▶ Low barriers to entry (interconnect, expertise, etc,)
- ▶ Can add affordable capacity and potentially forgo the costs associated with upgrading their existing power plants to meet environmental regulations
- ▶ Strategic distribution/transmission advantages
- ▶ Have access to capital

# UTILITY-OWNED CHP

PRIVATE COMPANIES AVOID CHP BECAUSE THEY...

- ▶ Find capital costs of CHP prohibitive
- ▶ Are cautious about entering into the electricity production business, which falls outside of their expertise
- ▶ Do not have necessary skills to operate/maintain
- ▶ May not be able to take full advantage of all the byproducts/benefits of CHP

# UTILITY OWNED CHP

## ADVANTAGES TO UTILITY COMPANIES

- ▶ Protect load
- ▶ Maintain client relationship
- ▶ Good will through environmental stewardship
- ▶ Gas sales
- ▶ Low cost capacity
- ▶ Distribution relief

## ADVANTAGES TO CUSTOMERS

- ▶ Cost savings
- ▶ Meets environmental goals
- ▶ Energy backup
- ▶ Improved reliability
- ▶ Resiliency
- ▶ Real estate
- ▶ Core business

# Good Partnership Candidates

- ▶ Greenfield Facilities
- ▶ Open Markets (PJM, ERCOT, etc)
- ▶ Old/Inefficient Equipment
- ▶ Predictable consistent thermal loads
- ▶ Key distribution location
- ▶ Overall Size
- ▶ Spark Spread

## Initial CHP Feasibility Survey



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Facility Information	
Facility Location:	Key Distribution Location? <small>(ie - will distributed generation in this area reduce need for planned transmission upgrades)</small>
Facility Type: (Hospital, University, Manufacturing, etc.)	
Overall Facility Square Footage:	Plant Area Square Footage:
CHP Feasibility Rating Criteria: (circle as applicable)	
<b>Facility Space Availability</b> No Free Space (1) ————— Some Free Space (3) ————— Very Open (>10k ft2 for large CHP) (5)	
<b>Existing Equipment Age</b> Recently Installed (< 5 yrs) (1) ————— Some Old Equipment (5) ————— Ready for Replacement (> 30 yrs) (10)	
<b>Heating Load Fluctuation</b> Highly Variable (1) ————— Daily Load Swings (3) ————— Seasonal Variation (4) ————— Nearly Constant (5)	
<b>Cooling Load Fluctuation</b> Highly Variable (1) ————— Daily Load Swings (3) ————— Seasonal Variation (4) ————— Nearly Constant (5)	
<b>Electric Load Fluctuation</b> Highly Variable (1) ————— Daily Load Swings (3) ————— Seasonal Variation (4) ————— Nearly Constant (5)	
<b>Retail Electric Rate</b> \$0.04 / kWh (1) ————— \$0.06 / kWh (2) ————— \$0.08 / kWh (3) ————— \$0.10 / kWh (4) ————— \$0.12 / kWh (5)	
<b>Retail Gas Rate</b> \$12.00 / MMBTU (1) ————— \$10.00 / MMBTU (3) ————— \$8.00 / MMBTU (5) ————— \$6.00 / MMBTU (7) ————— \$4.00 / MMBTU (10)	
<b>Annual Natural Gas Usage</b> 10,000 MMBTU (10,000 klbs steam) (1) ————— 500,000 MMBTU (2) ————— 10,000,000 MMBTU (10,000,000 klbs steam) (3)	
<b>Annual Electrical Energy Usage</b> 5,000,000 kWh (Avg 500 kW) (1) ————— 250,000,000 kWh (Avg 25 MW) (2) ————— 500,000,000 kWh (Avg 50 MW) (3)	
<b>Annual Hours of Operation</b> 1000 hrs. (1) ————— 3500 hrs. (3) ————— 7000 hrs. (7) ————— 8760 hrs. (10)	
Survey Score:	< 30: Not Good, 30 - 40: Some Potential, > 40: Great
Spark Spread:	< 10: Not Good, 10 - 15: Some Potential, > 15: Great
Spark Spread = 293 [MMBTU/kWh] * Power Cost [\$ / kWh] - Gas Cost [\$ / MMBTU]	

# KEY CHALLENGES

- ▶ Regulatory Hurdles
  - Municipal Utility, Regulated Utility, IPP, IOE, etc.
  - Rate Based, PPA, Capital Commitment, etc
- ▶ O&M Strategy
  - Operational Staff
  - Maintenance Staff
- ▶ The Deal
  - Point of demarcation
  - Performance and Uptime Guarantees
  - Rate Structure
  - Fixed vs variable costs
  - Contribution to Capital
  - Duration

# CASE STUDY

GRU

South Energy Center





# APPLICATION OVERVIEW

- ▶ New medical campus focused on treatment of cancer
- ▶ Multiphase construction
- ▶ Energy services outsourced as design / build / own / operate / maintain



# OVERVIEW

## SHANDS CANCER HOSPITAL

- ▶ University of Florida
- ▶ Phase 1
  - 500,000 SF
  - 200 bed
  - Level 1 trauma
- ▶ 35 Year Plan
  - 3,000,000 SF
  - 1200 bed
  - 15 MW
  - 16,000 tons



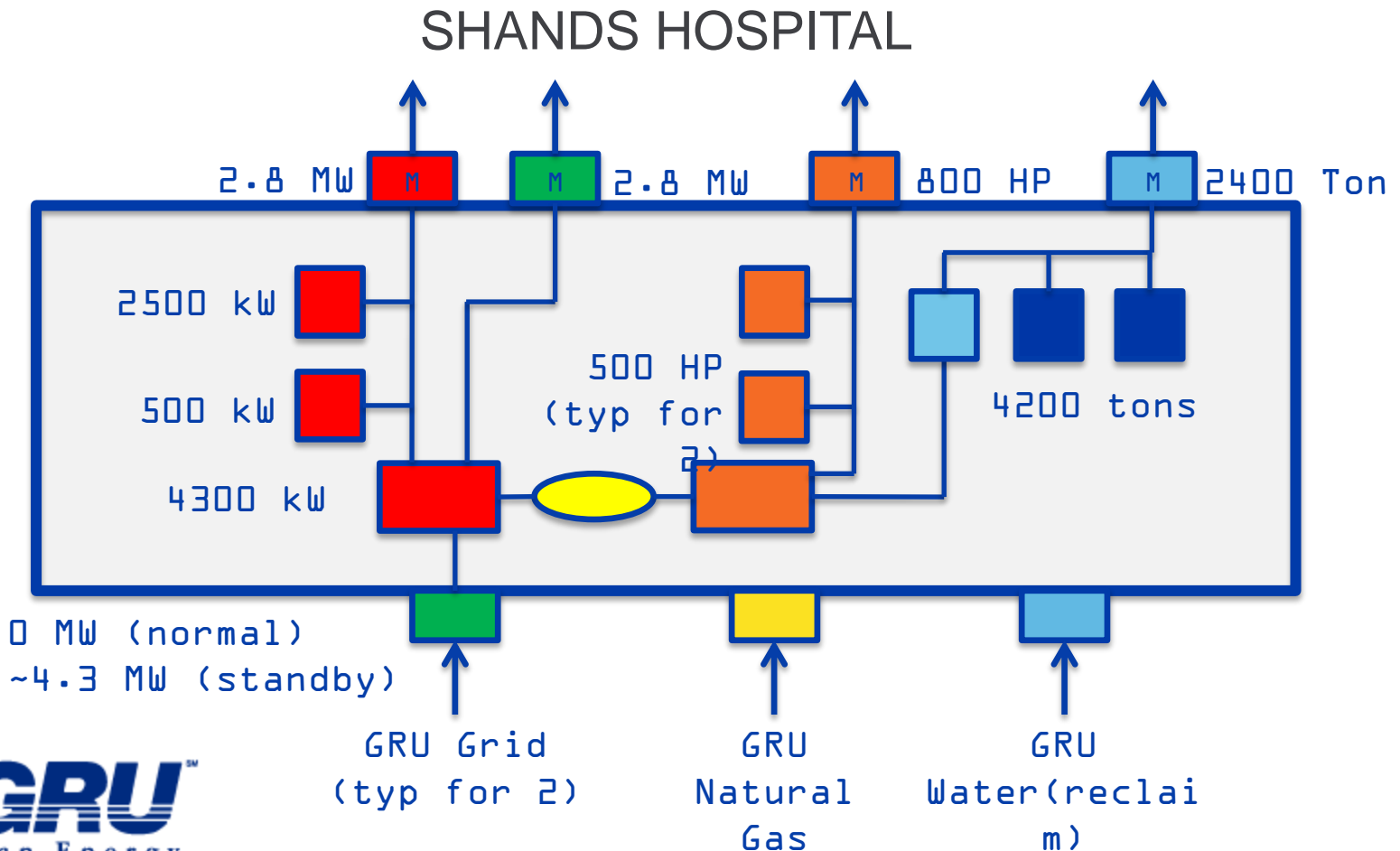
# TECHNICAL OVERVIEW

## GRU SOUTH ENERGY CENTER

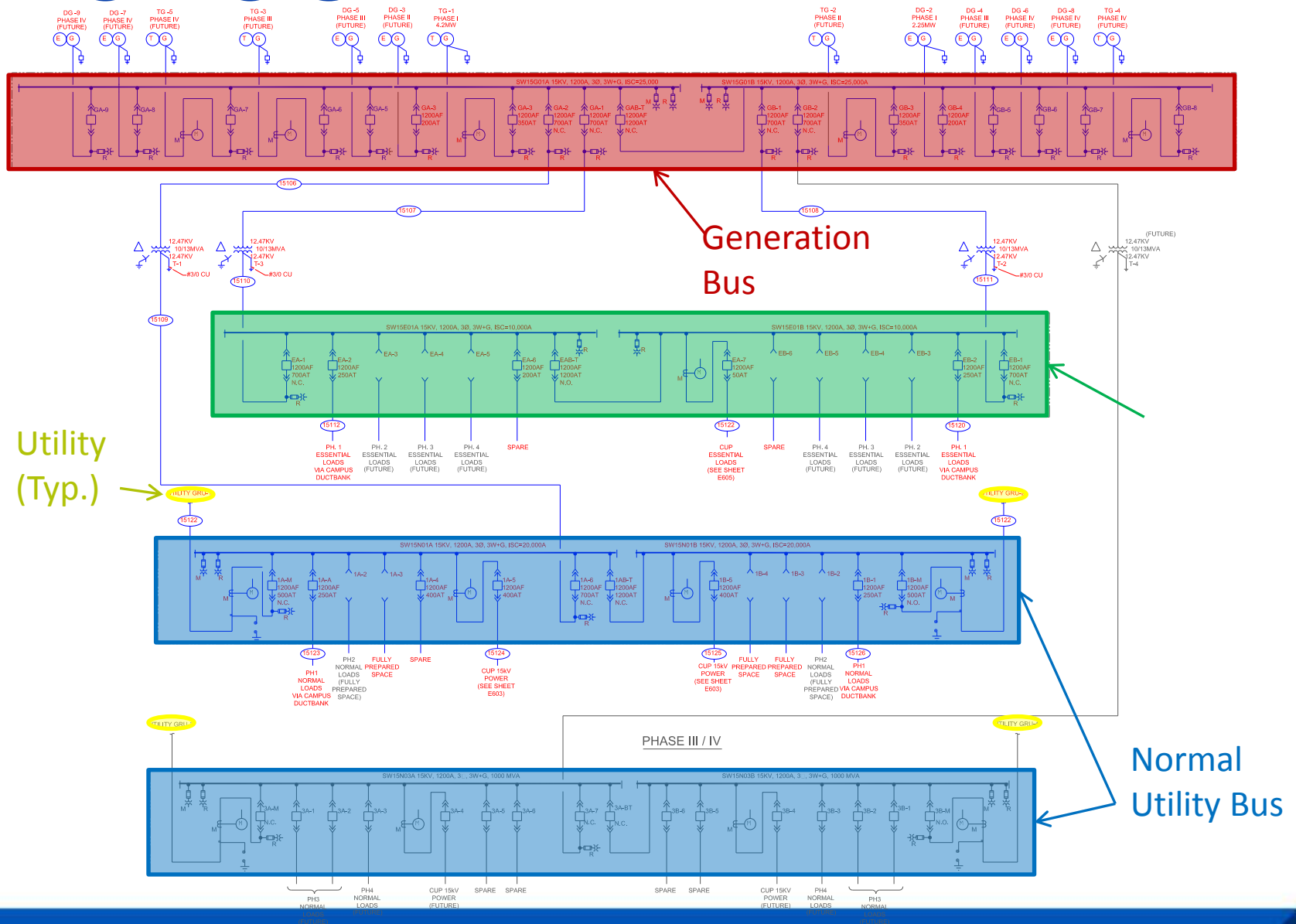
- ▶ 4.3 MW recuperated combustion turbine
- ▶ 40 klbs/hr heat recovery steam generator
- ▶ Back-up boiler
- ▶ 4,200 Tons of cooling
- ▶ 2.25 MW emergency diesel
- ▶ 500 kW black start diesel



# SOUTH ENERGY CENTER



# MICROGRID



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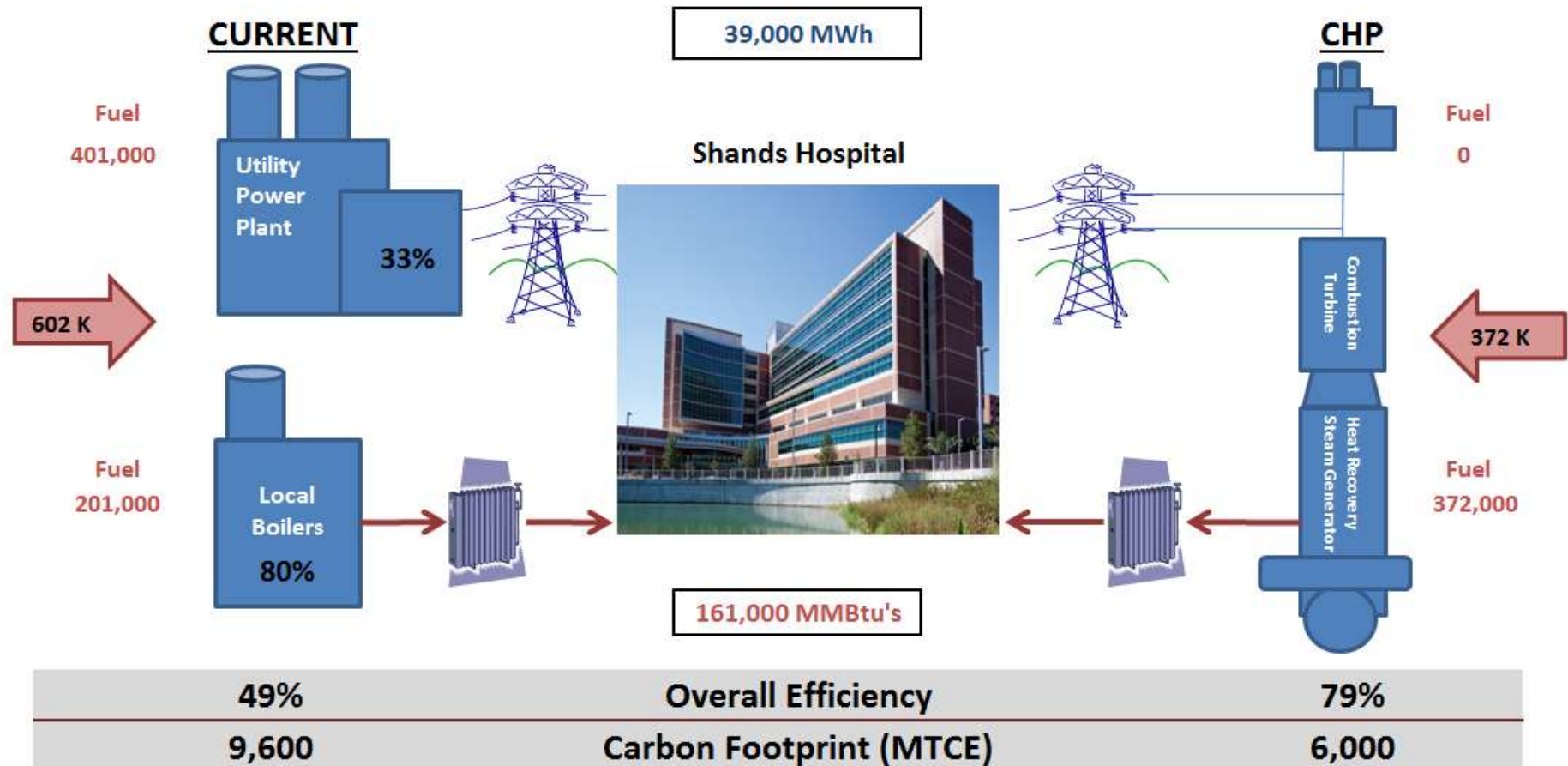
## BENEFITS

- ▶ Partnership between hospital and municipal utility
- ▶ Combined heat & power for efficient generation of utilities
- ▶ Multiple levels of redundancy
- ▶ Fully load diesel generators during testing
- ▶ CHP yields 80% efficient operation
- ▶ Hospital achieved LEED Gold certification thanks to Energy Center
- ▶ Concentrate on core business





# SEC EFFICIENCY



# OVERCOMING CHALLENGES

- ▶ Regulatory Hurdles
- ▶ O&M Structure
- ▶ The Deal





# QUESTIONS & ANSWERS



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