

A young boy is shown in profile, blowing on a dandelion seed head. The seeds are floating in the air. In the background, there is a green field with several wind turbines under a blue sky with scattered clouds.

StruxureWare Demand Side Operation

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The New Energy World



What is a Microgrid?



Why Microgrids?



Microgrid Architecture



Optimization Software



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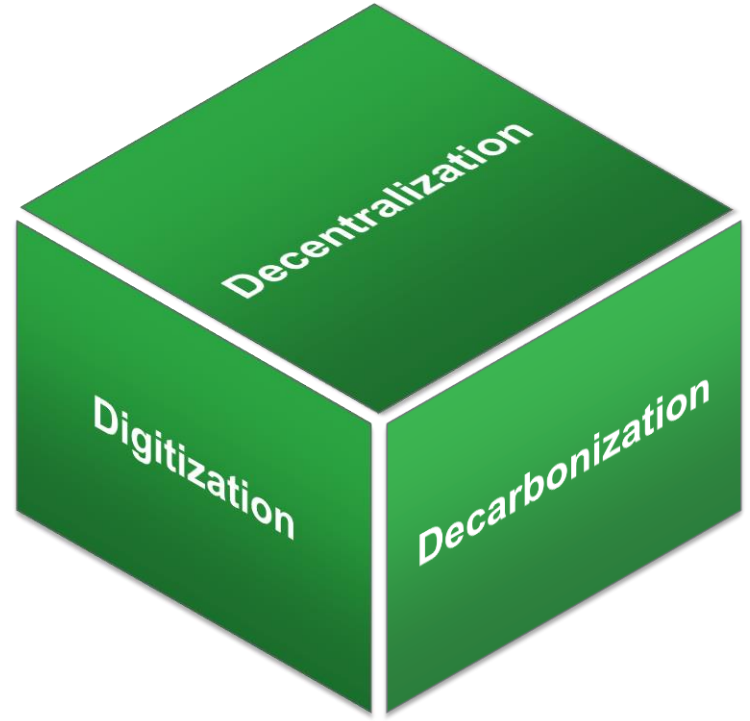
Shedd Aquarium Case Study



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Questions?

The New World of Energy in 3Ds



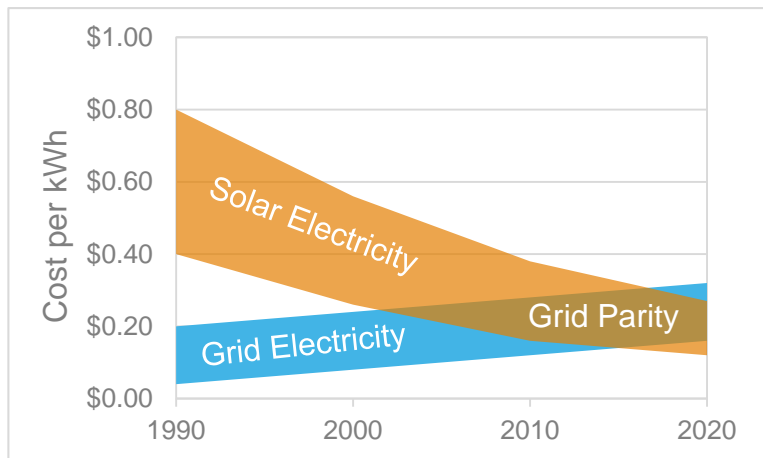
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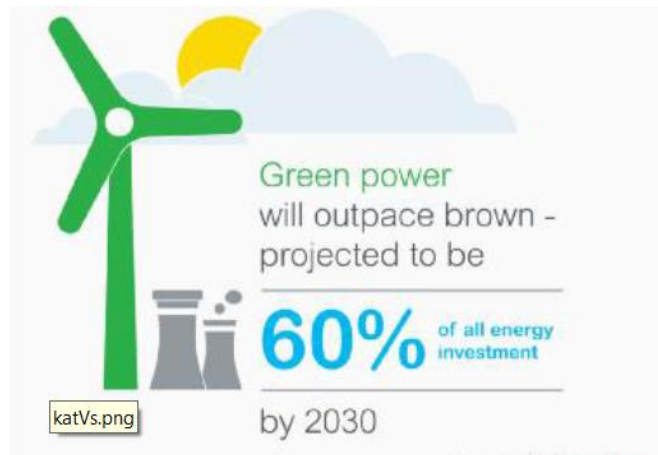
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Reduced Cost for Renewable Energy



Make Renewable Energy Attractive



& Carbon Reduction Policy

COP21

EPA Clean Power Plan

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Proliferating automated devices connecting the “grid of things”

Big data integration
Internet of Things will connect

50Bn devices
by 2020

Data source: IDC

- more / better data unlocks better / faster decision making
- reduced investment to achieve situational awareness required for microgrid
- improved root cause analysis / troubleshooting
- better lifecycle management

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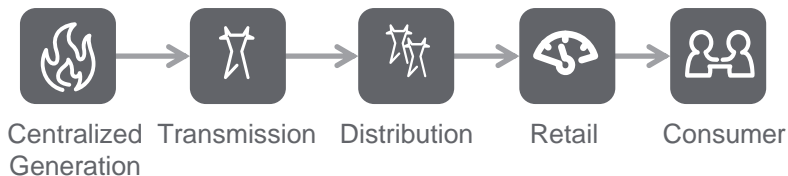
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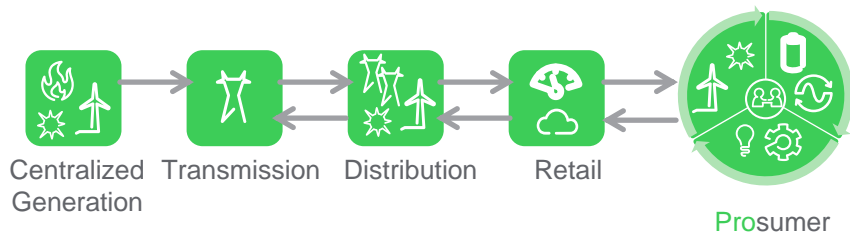
Decentralization

Historical Energy Value Chain



- one-way energy flow
- suboptimal utilization of centralized generation
- passive consumers / inelastic demand
- limited choice
- limited communication

The New Energy Landscape



- n-way energy flow
- generation is local and green
- integrated and tailored energy supply chain
- connected, aware, and empowered consumers and suppliers

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What is a Microgrid?

An integrated energy system consisting of interconnected Distributed Energy Resources (controllable loads, energy storage, production sources) which as an integrated system can operate in parallel with the grid or in an intentional islanded mode.

In Normal Operations

DER (Distributed Energy Resources)



On-site renewables and power generation facilities utilized in parallel with grid



Grid



May be possible to sell excess power back to the grid through a net metering contract

Switch

Client Campus

Buildings

Data Centers



In Island Mode

DER (Distributed Energy Resources)



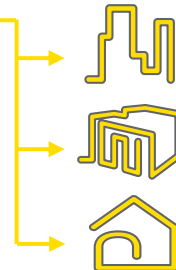
Microgrid will generate energy from local sources in the case of a grid outage



Grid



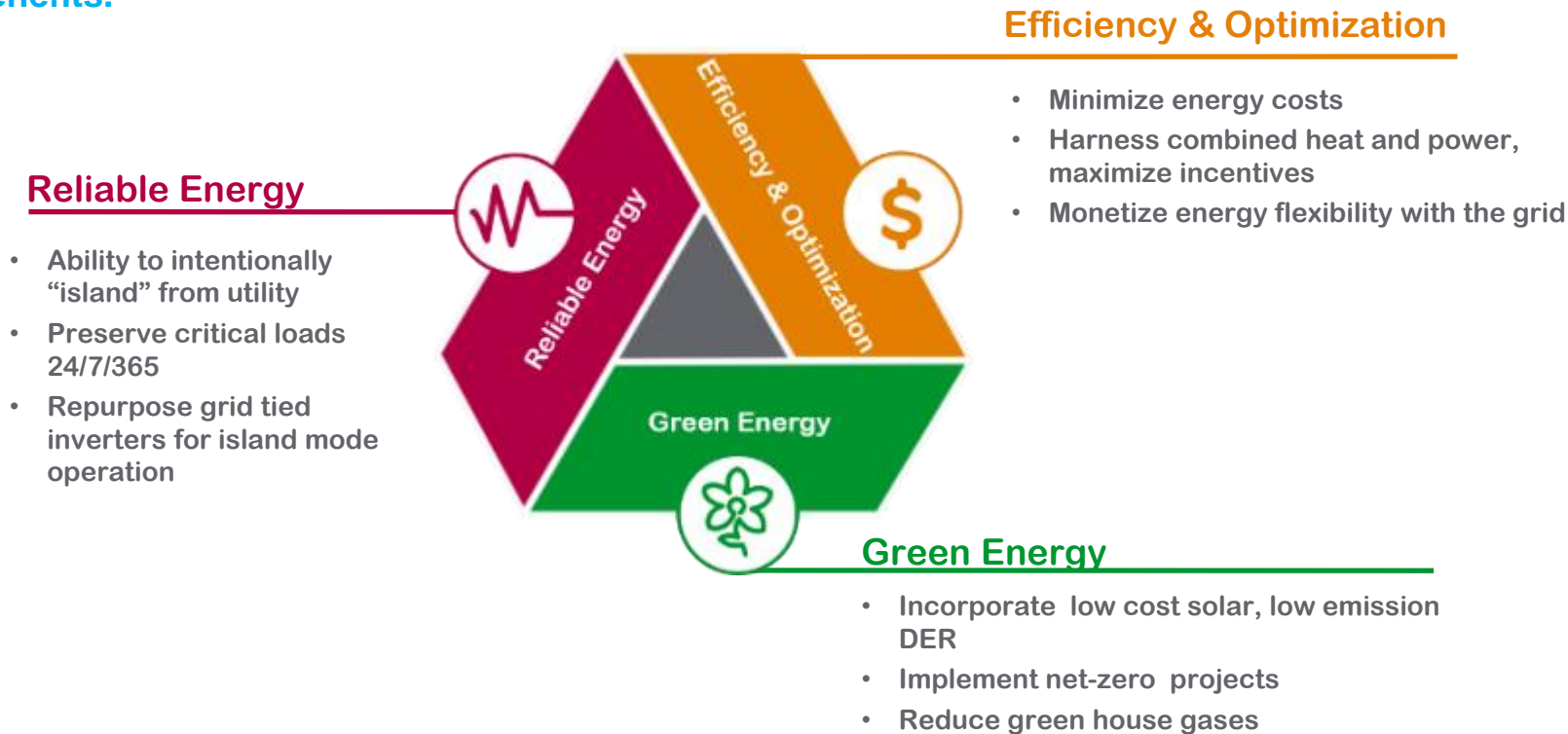
In an outage or event, the microgrid controller closes connection to the grid as needed



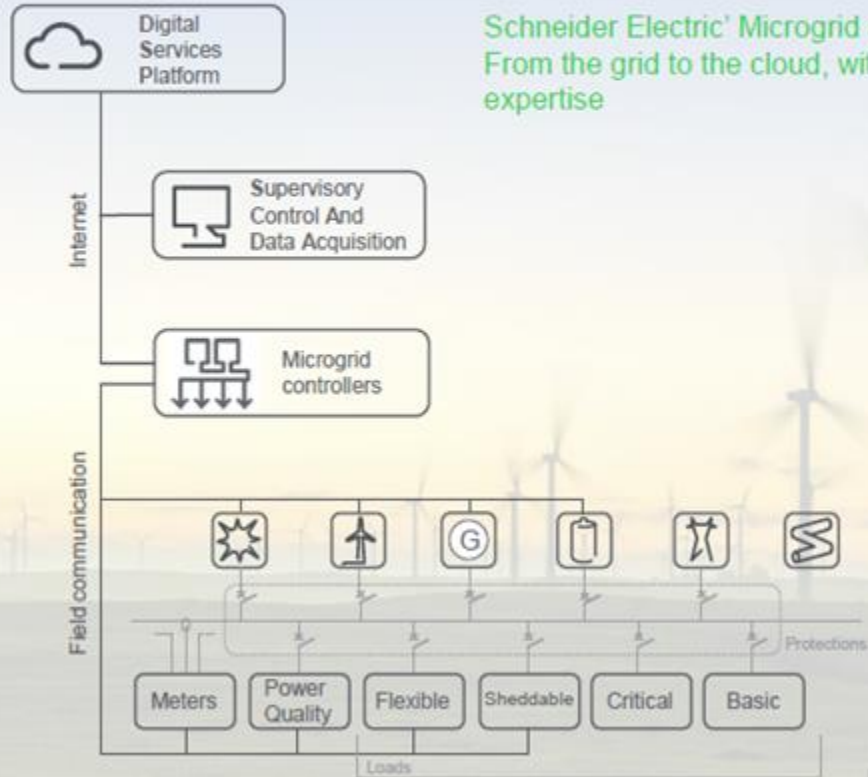
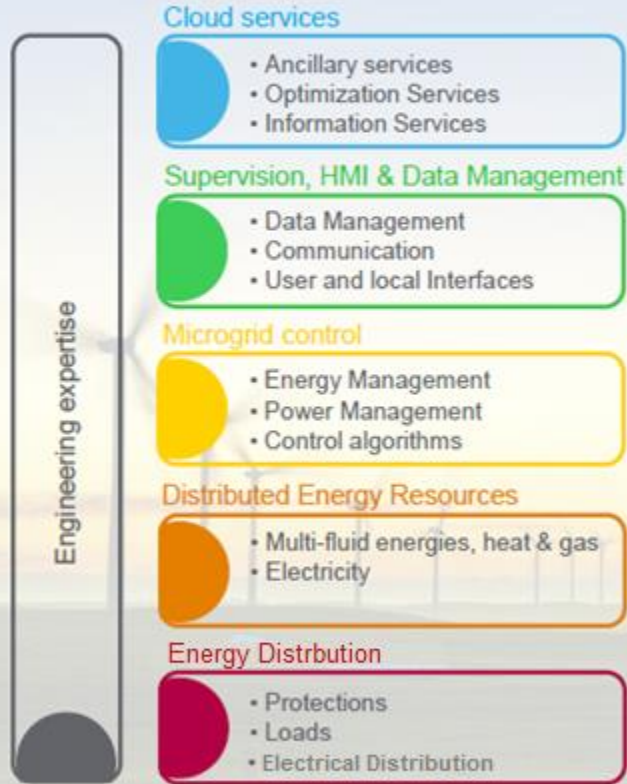
...which as an integrated system can be controlled as a single entity and operate in parallel with the grid or in an intentional *islanded* mode.

Why Microgrids & Optimization Software?

Customized DERs deliver enhanced reliability; efficiency and optimization; and environmental benefits.



Microgrid Architectures



Schneider Electric' Microgrid architecture:
From the grid to the cloud, with engineering expertise

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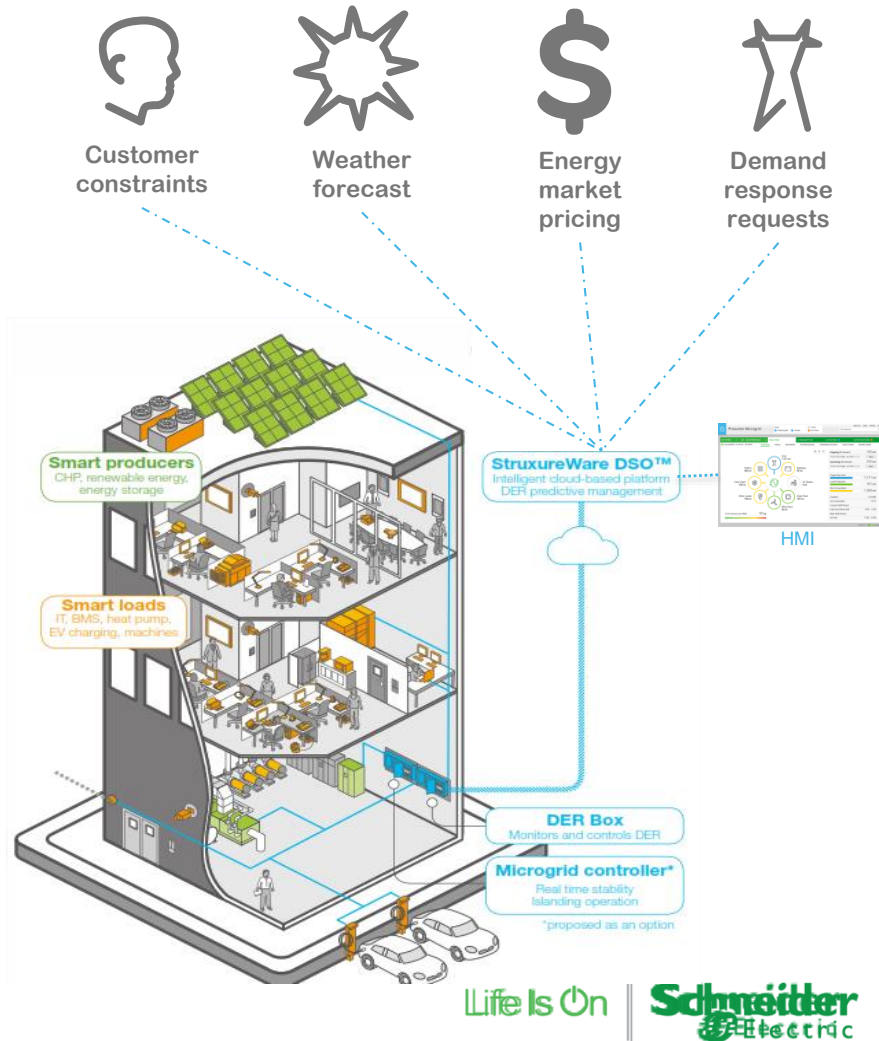
StruxureWare Demand Side Operation

(Software as a Service)

forecast and optimize

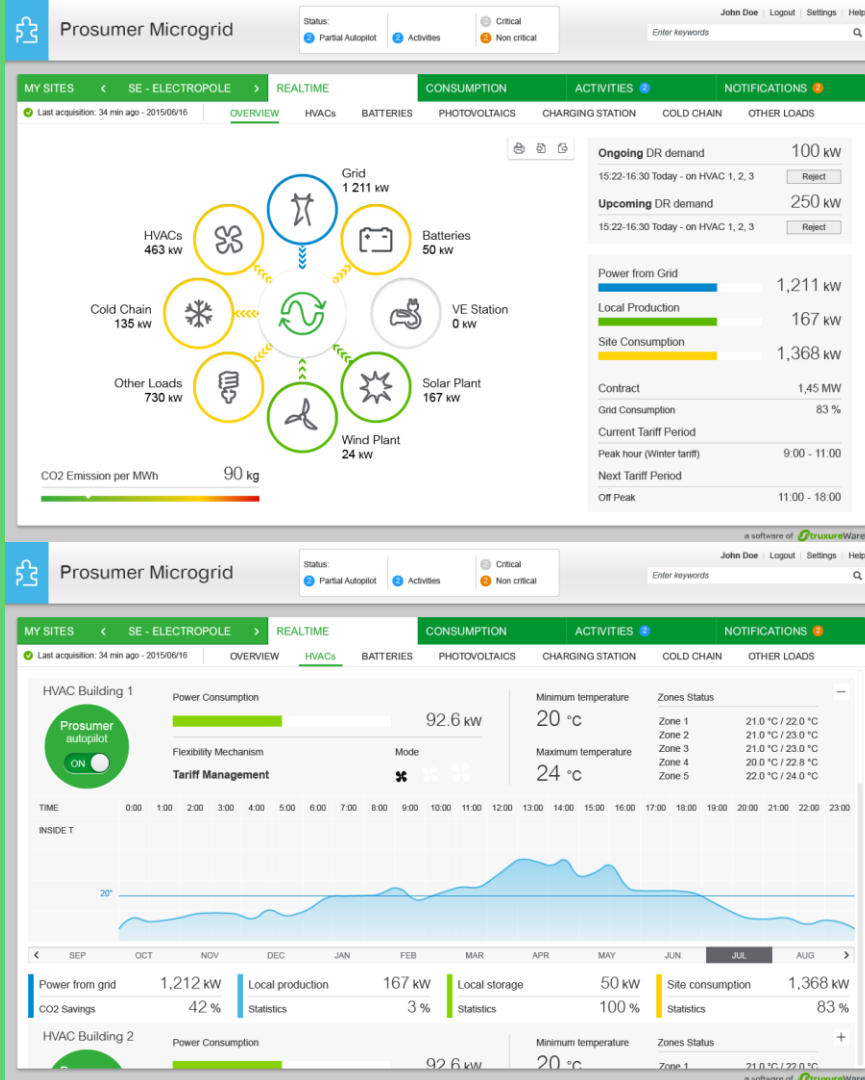
when to

consume, produce, store, or
sell energy

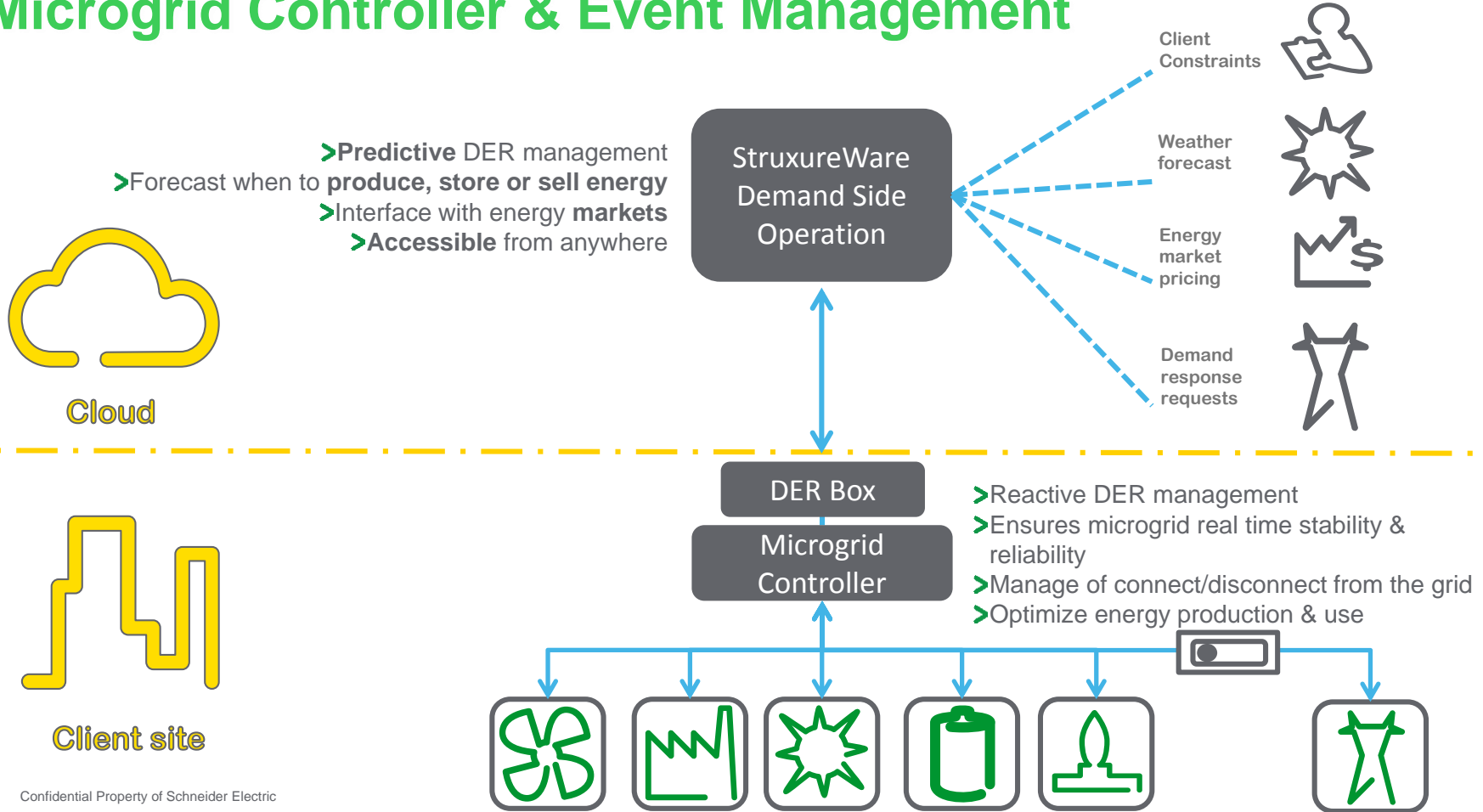


A Solution for Site Managers

- **Remote monitoring of DER**
 - Peace of mind for monitoring and visualization
- **Tariff Management**
 - Consume or produce energy at the most advantageous time based on variable utility rates
- **Demand Control**
 - Reduce demand charges
- **Self consumption**
 - Leverage your on site production capability
- **Demand Response**
 - Participate into the grid balancing mechanisms
- **Island mode**
 - Leverage weather forecasts to anticipate black-outs

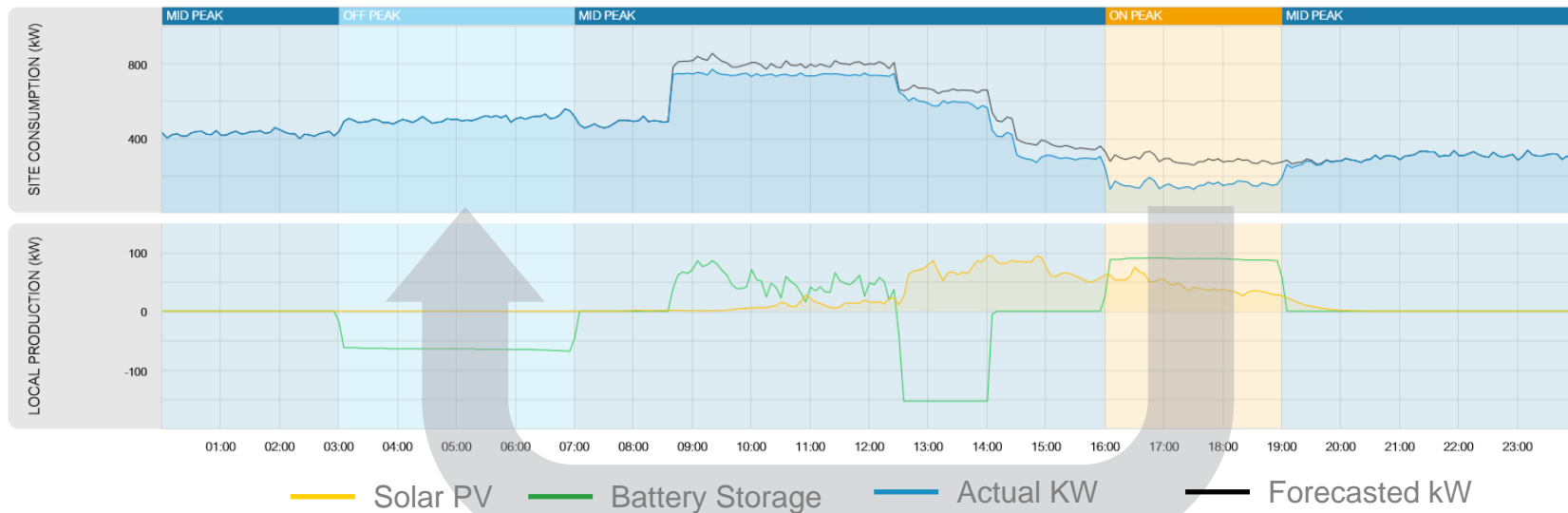


Microgrid Controller & Event Management



Tariff Management

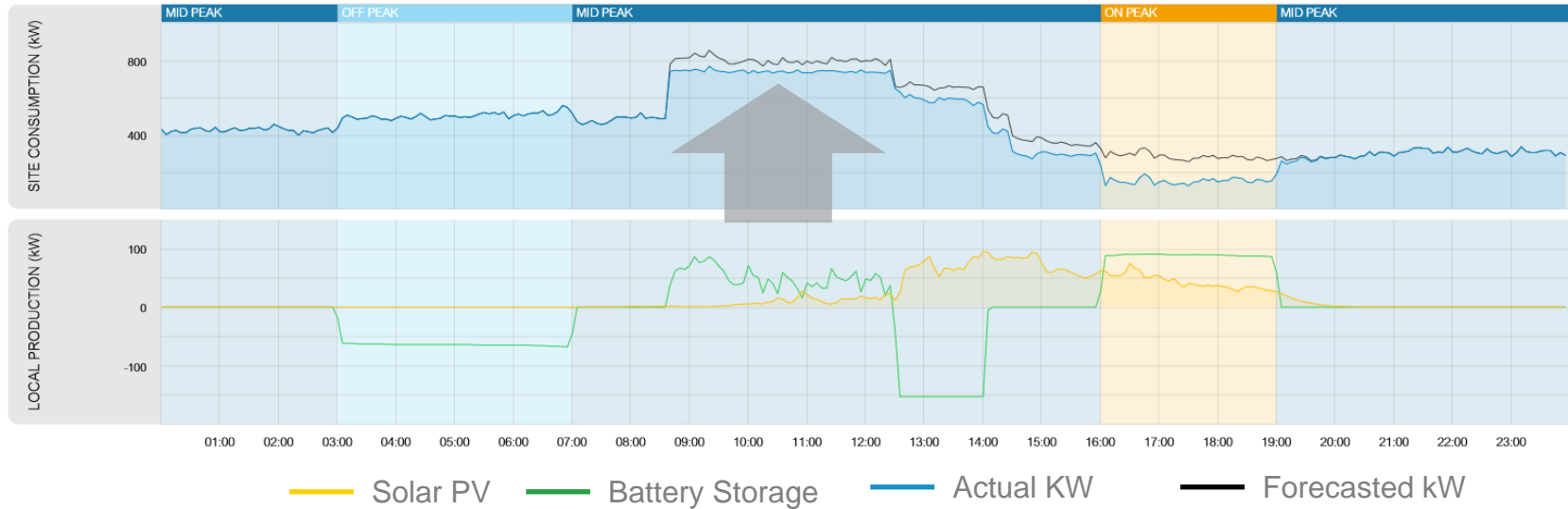
Shift consumption from times of high cost to times of low cost



- **Example 1:** charge an energy storage system during “off peak” period and discharge it during “on peak” period
- **Example 2:** consume energy with HVAC during “off peak” period (pre heating or pre cooling) and coast to reduce energy consumption during “on peak” period

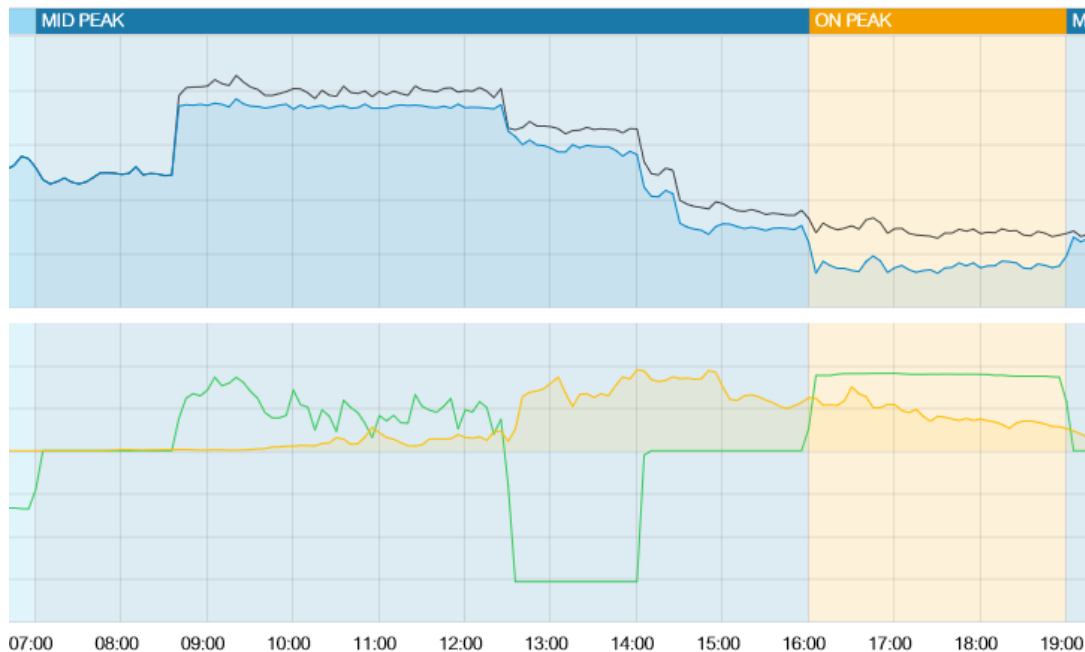
Demand Management

Minimize / avoid fees by shaving peak demand



- *Example 1:* dispatch energy storage to supply some load to avoid a peak
- *Example 2:* shed loads (HVAC, EV Chargers, etc.) to avoid setting a peak
- *Example 3:* Sequence the start of large loads to avoid coincident peak demand

Illustrating the benefit

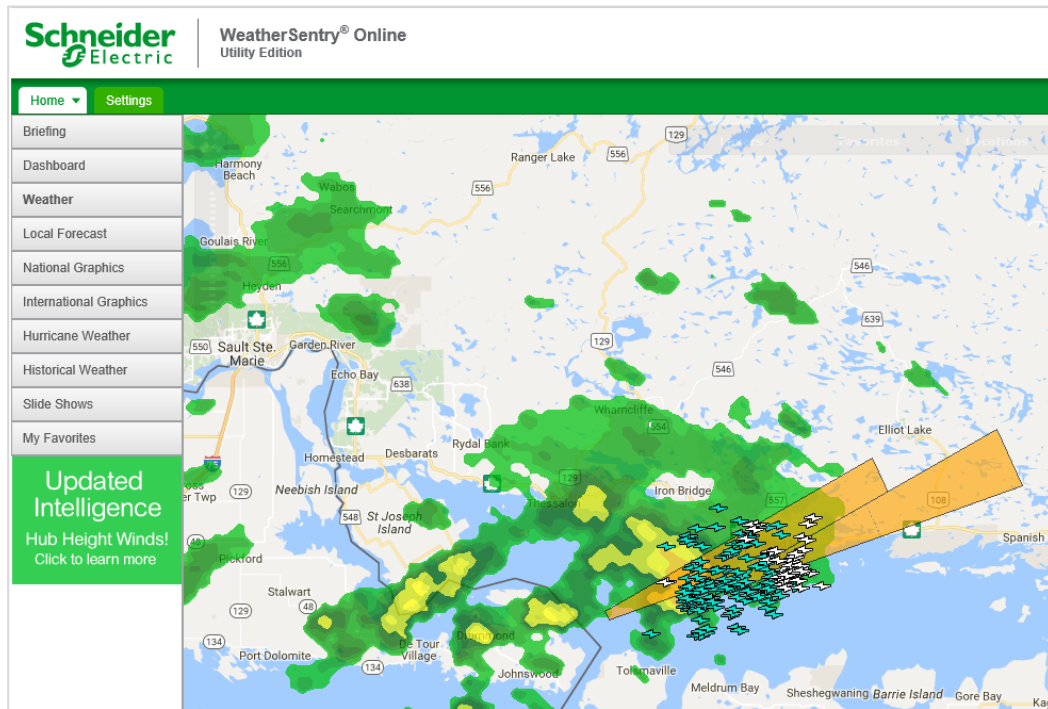


< CONSUMPTION & SAVINGS >	
Baseline Consumption	67648 \$
Savings	16952 \$

Subtracting actual energy procured vs. modeled consumption allows us to calculate the financial savings and net carbon reduction

Storm Hardening

Optimize for resiliency when weather threatens site operation



Weather prediction and power quality monitoring can proactively trigger resiliency optimization measures including:

- Charge the battery to full capacity
- Warm and pre-lube emergency generation
- Adjust protective relay settings
- Proactively island the site
- Shed non essential load
- Electrically isolate sensitive equipment

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Key features of Optimization Software Solutions

- Fully comprehensive and integrated solution (EMS, PMS) with Demand Side Operation and Microgrid Controller
 - Optimization in both grid tied and off grid modes
 - DER agnostic (3rd party)
 - Scalable design that accompany your microgrid journey
 - Expertise on design and creation of your microgrid
- Software as a Service (SaaS) Business Model on Demand Side Operation
 - Continuous support and updates for customers
- Intuitive and easy to use user interface
 - Simplify user experience
- Forecast and automatic optimization of DER
 - Simplify user experience
- Connection with third party platform (web services)
 - Easily collect information from improving DER management
- Integration of third party Matlab algorithm (Matlab factory)
 - Solution customization





Cases Study

Frequency Regulation with Battery Storage & PV Monitoring / Forecasting



Project at a Glance

- 1MW / 250kWh Battery Storage System
 - 265 kW PV System
 - Utility Feed and Building Load Monitoring
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- ✓ Largest building battery installation in the state of Illinois and the first of its kind to be installed at a zoo or aquarium in the nation
 - ✓ Connected to Shedd's electrical distribution system and provides frequency regulation services, peak-load demand and the need for emergency back-up power
 - ✓ Funded by a grant from the Illinois Department of Commerce & Economic Opportunity and installed by Schneider Electric
 - ✓ *Project brings Shedd Aquarium one step closer to being the nation's first clean-energy-powered cultural institution in the nation*



Efficiency & Optimization

- StructureWare Demand Side Operation for remote monitoring load forecasting
- Frequency Regulation using Reg D signal every 4 seconds
- PV monitoring for peak shaving and Peak Load Contribution avoidance



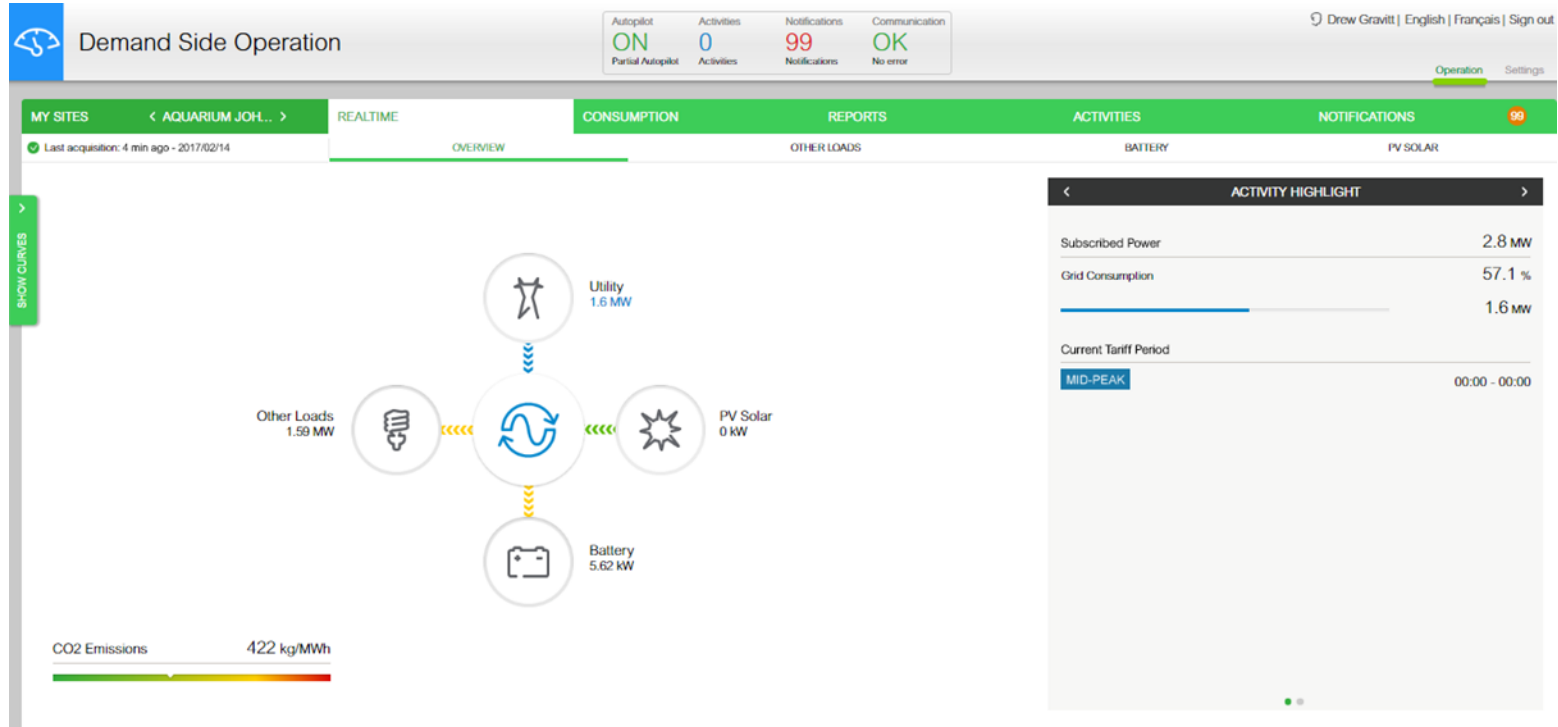
Green Energy

- Solar Energy producing approx. 315 kWh per year
- Battery Storage helping maintain grid stability
- Serves as a best practice to deploying an environmentally sustainable PV and Battery Storage System in Chicago, IL

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Real Time Site Overview

Remote Monitoring and Load Forecasting

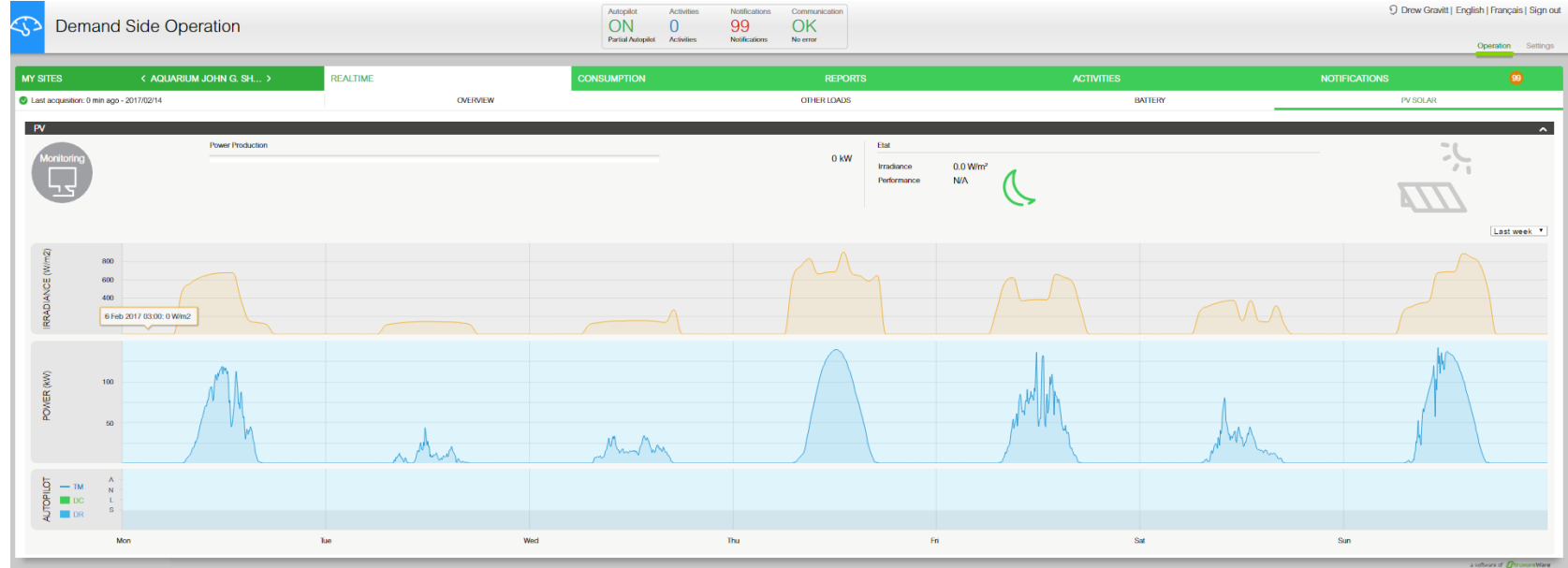


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PV Monitoring and Forecasting

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— PV Irradiance

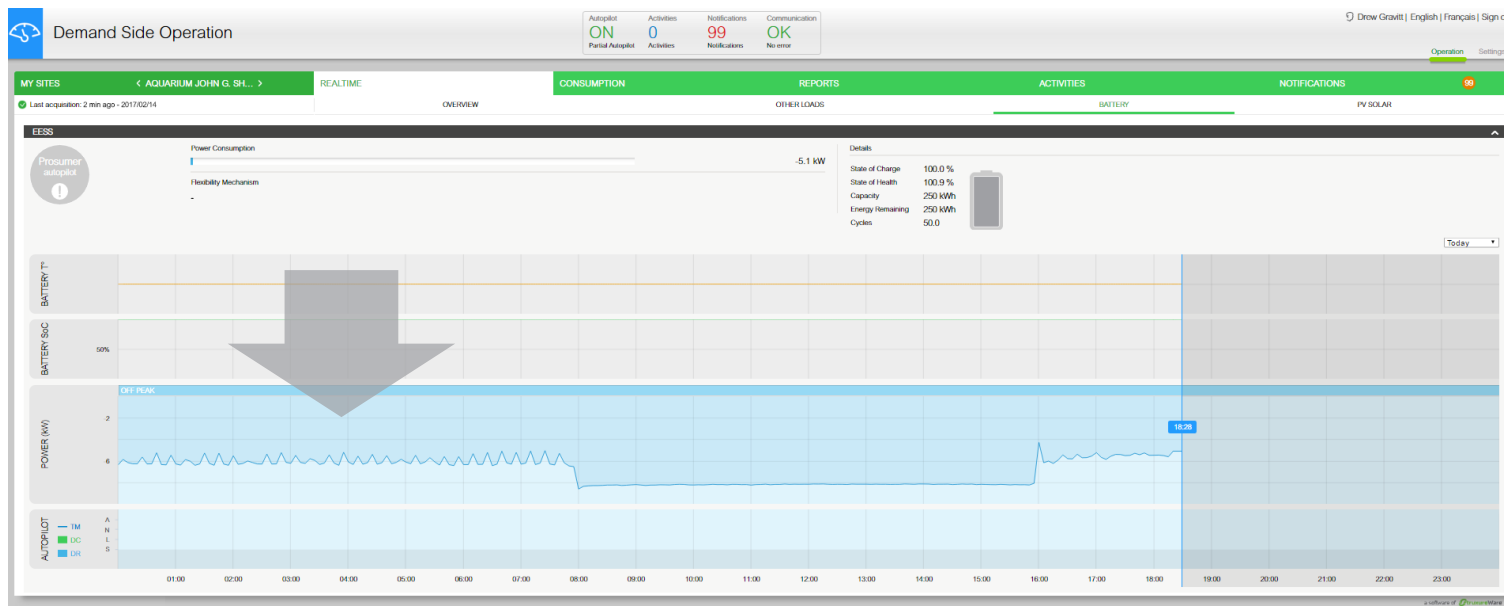
— Actual KW

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Frequency Regulation

Generate Revenue in PJM Market



— Battery Temperature — Battery State of Charge — Actual KW

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Thank you

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