

Bridging the Gap Between Legacy Grid and Tomorrow's PV, Storage, and Microgrids: Feasibility and Design Considerations



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How The Grid Will Evolve











Grid Defection

Loosely connected Islands of Self Generation

Distributed
Resource
Connected to
Grid but not
Integrated

Connection
Rules Require
DER to
Provide Grid
Voltage/VAR
and Fault
Ride-Through

Guided
Deployment of
DER
Integrated
with
Distribution
System
Operation

A Fully
Integrated
Grid with
Market/TSO/
DSO/DER
Coordinated
Planning &
Operation

Policy, Interoperability Standards, Market & Interconnection Rules and Technology will Drive Transformation



Power System Transformation



Generation Cycling and Flexibility



Grid Operations & Planning



Renewable Integration and Energy Storage



Distribution



Information and Communication Infrastructure

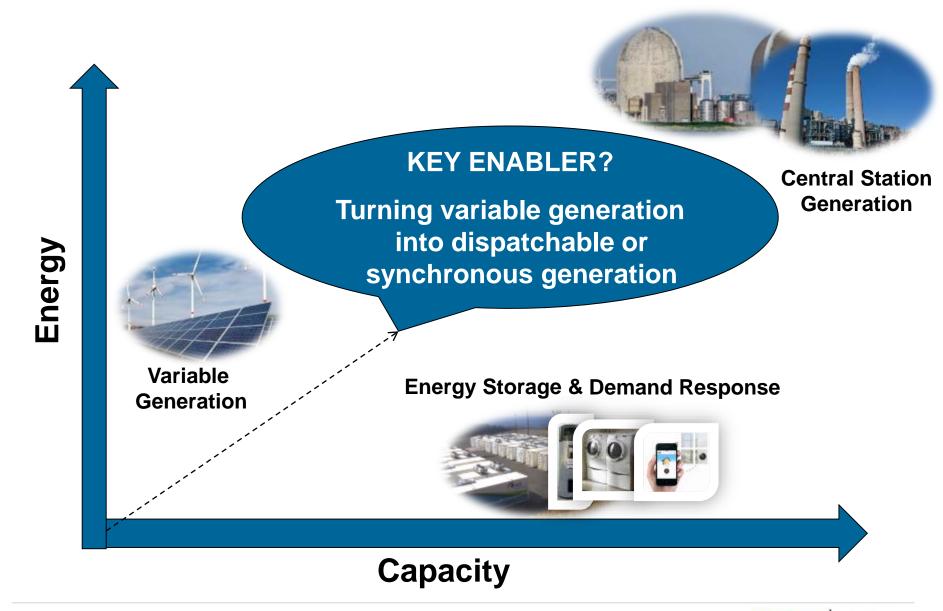




Energy Utilization

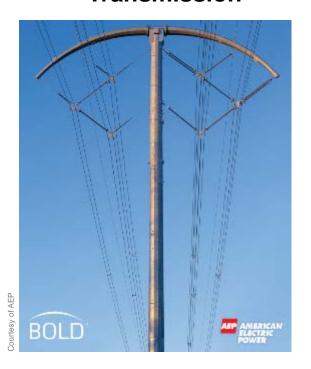
Question is not "if" or "when" the change will come...but rather how fast

Technology Evolution and Impact on Capacity and Energy



Integrated Grid Enables a Transition to Cleaner Electricity and Enables Integration of Energy

Transmission



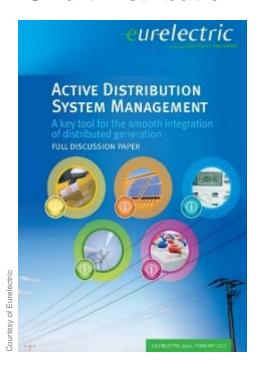
Flexible Resources



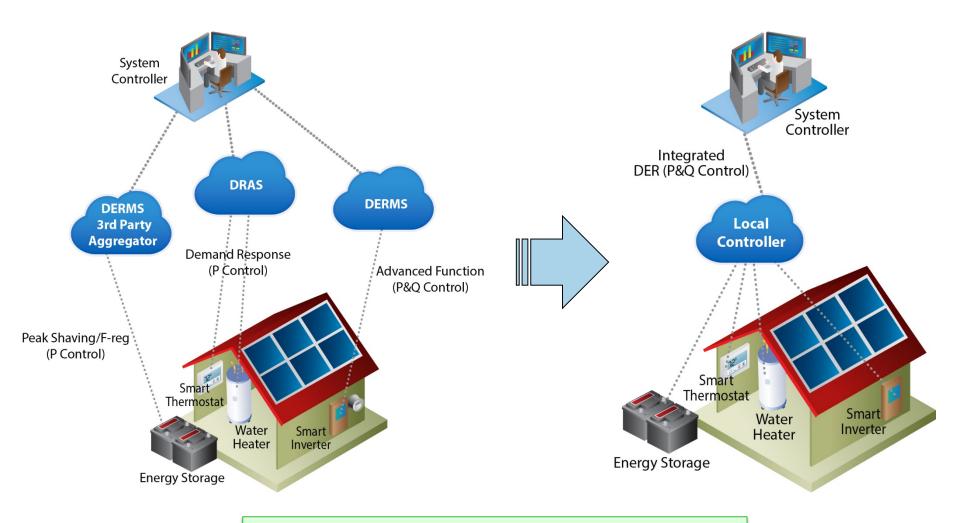




Smart Distribution



DER – Today vs Tomorrow



How The Grid Will Evolve: Possible Outcome Interconnected -> Integrated



Key Elements within the Integrated Grid

Architecture for the Integrated Grid



- Information and Communication Infrastructure
- Enterprise Interoperability
- Distributed Controls
- Open Application
 Platforms
- Cyber Security

Dynamic Customer Engagement



- **Energy Efficiency**
- Voltage Response
- Demand Response
- Local Generation and Storage (EV)
- Resiliency
- Customer Services
- CIS

Integrated Planning and Operations



- Integrated Models
- Advanced Simulation
- Real Time Systems
- Distributed Controls and Demand Response
- Risk-Based
- Forecasting and Analytics
- Visualization

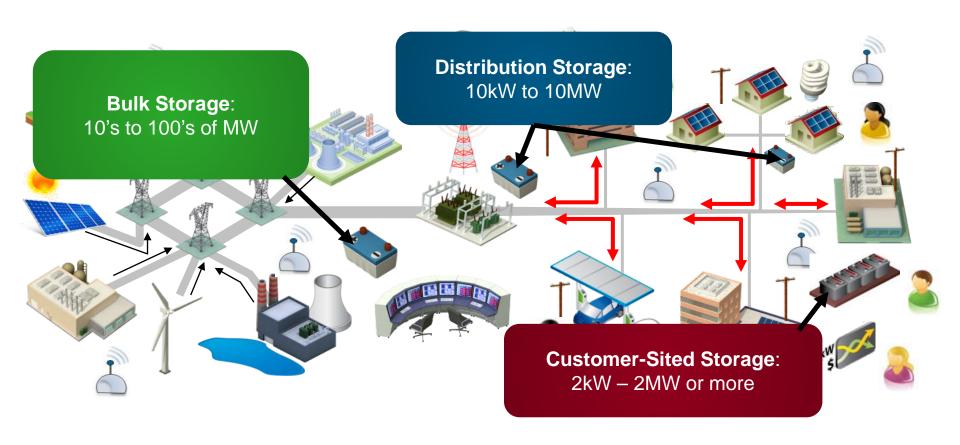
Advanced Asset Management



- Sensors and Communications
- Advanced Analytics
- Maintenance and Diagnostics
- · Reliability and Resiliency
- Visualization and Decision Support



Storage Anywhere



Almost limitless permutations of storage and other resources are possible

Energy Storage Can Serve Multiple Uses

- Capacity Resource: Peaker replacement or non-wires alternative
- Flexibility Resource: System ramping, renewable variability and uncertainty
- Reliability / Resiliency Resource:
 Electricity inventory for reserves
- Voltage / Power Quality Resource: Power conditioning system capabilities



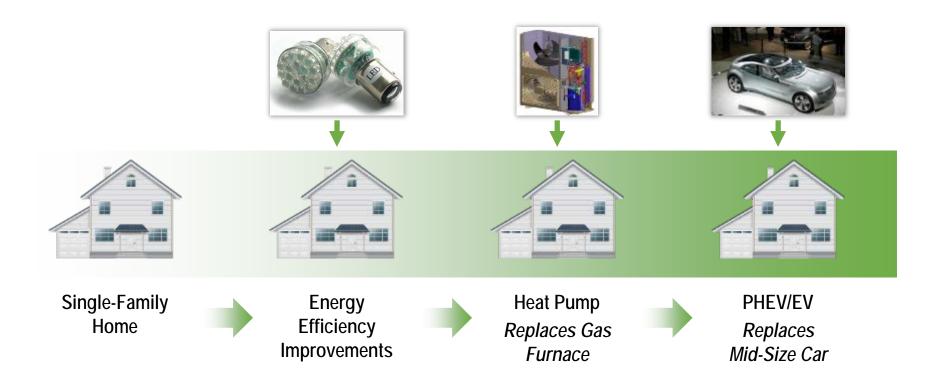








Using Cleaner Energy – A Customer's Perspective



Electrification and efficiency are steps to reduced emissions you can take today



Example of Technology Demonstration

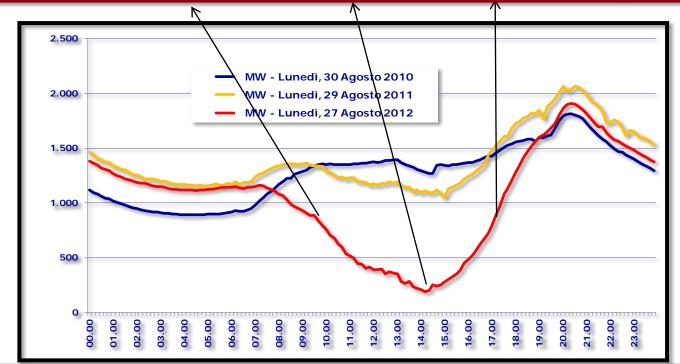
DER as a Load Shaping Tool







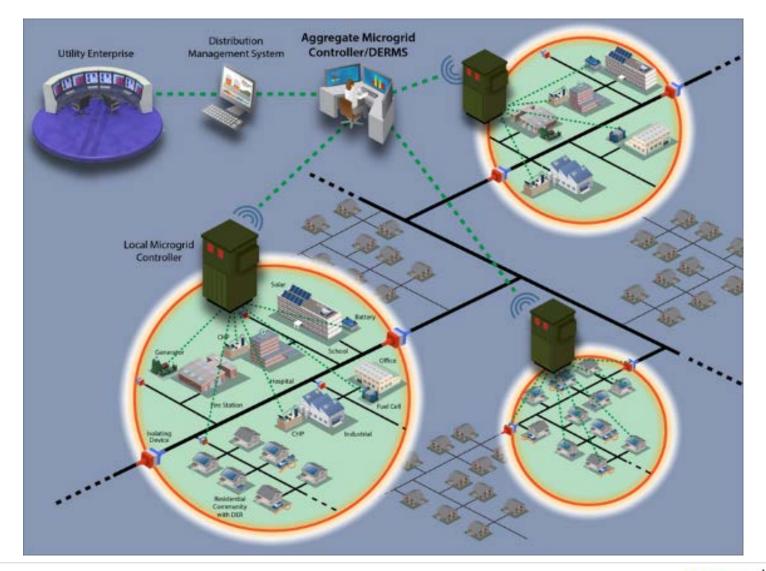
What can impact of DER be on the overall load shape?



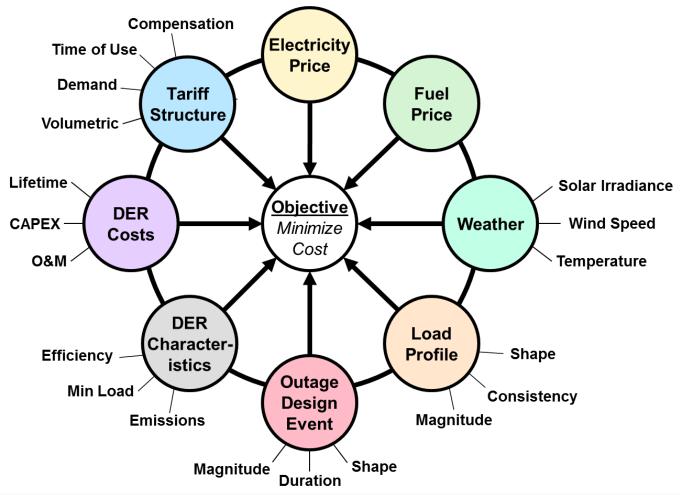
Source; ENEL – Measured Data from Southern Italy

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Grid Interactive Microgrids



Key Parameters Impacting Microgrid Cost



A variety of factors, many interconnected, impact the overall design and cost of a microgrid. Certain factors are considered fixed inputs (i.e. assumptions) while other factors are varied to in order to evaluate the sensitivity of their impact on overall cost.



The Integrated Energy Network and Efficient Electrification Enables:"



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DOE SHINES Project: Beneficial Integration of Solar, Storage, and Load Management



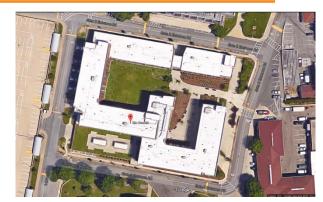
Case Western Reserve University (CWRU) Cleveland, OH

PV-50kW, ES-50kW/200kWh



Residential Demo Site, Pensacola, FL

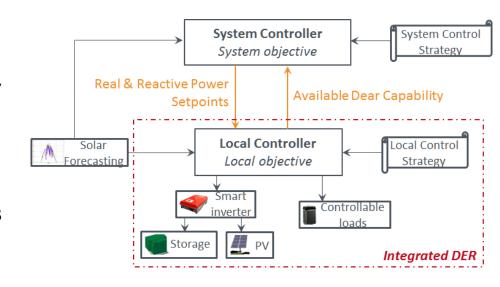
PV-10kW, ES-14kW/40kWh



CUNY, Queens Flushing, NY

PV-50kW, ES-100kW/200kWh

- Making the grid ready for seamless integration of solar plus storage to support customer choice
 - while optimizing the electric system: technically and economically
- Making solar plus storage more operationally integrated
 - in a cost competitive manner
- Improving the value proposition of solar plus storage and other distributed energy resources
 - extending benefits beyond customer premises





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