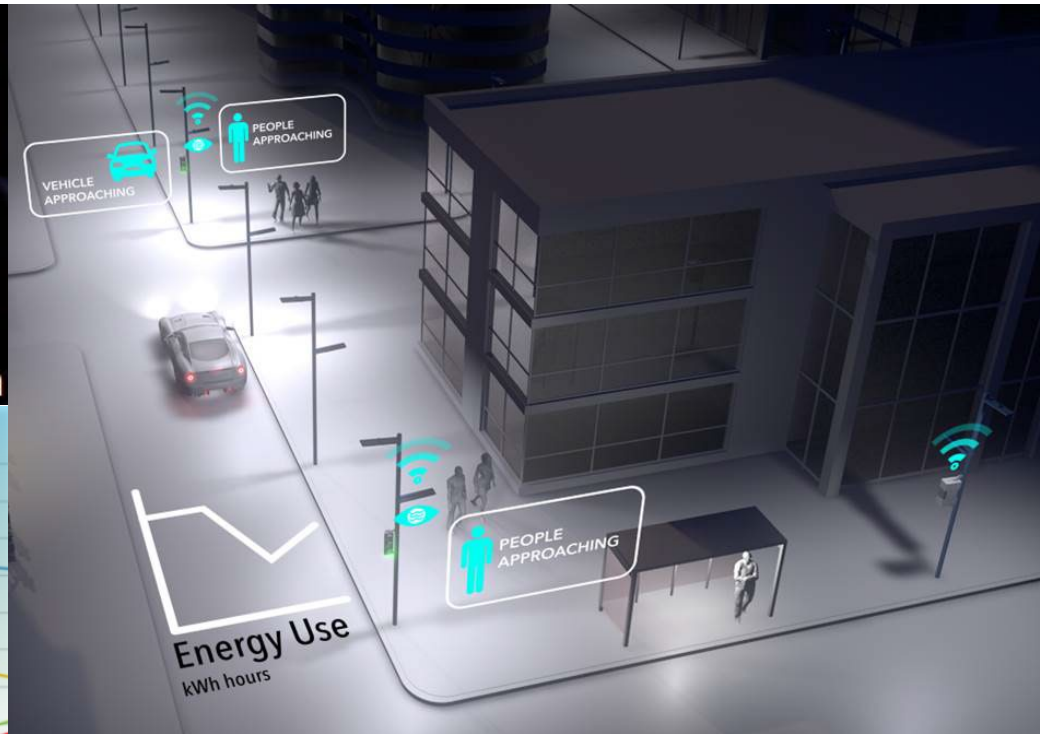
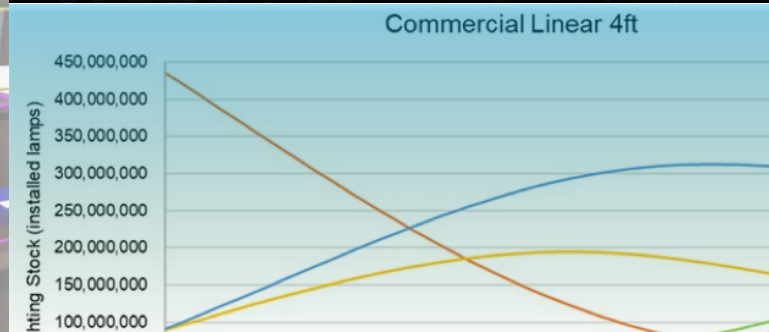
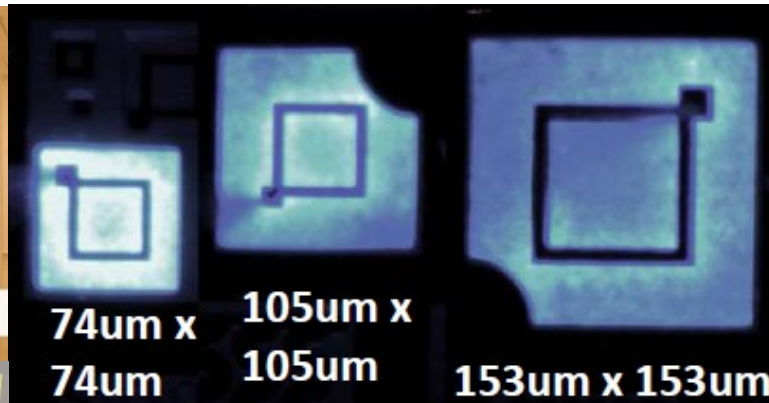
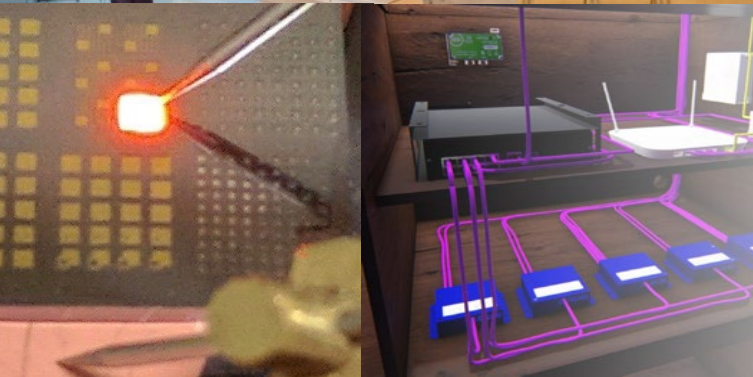


Lighting R&D Workshop *Welcome*

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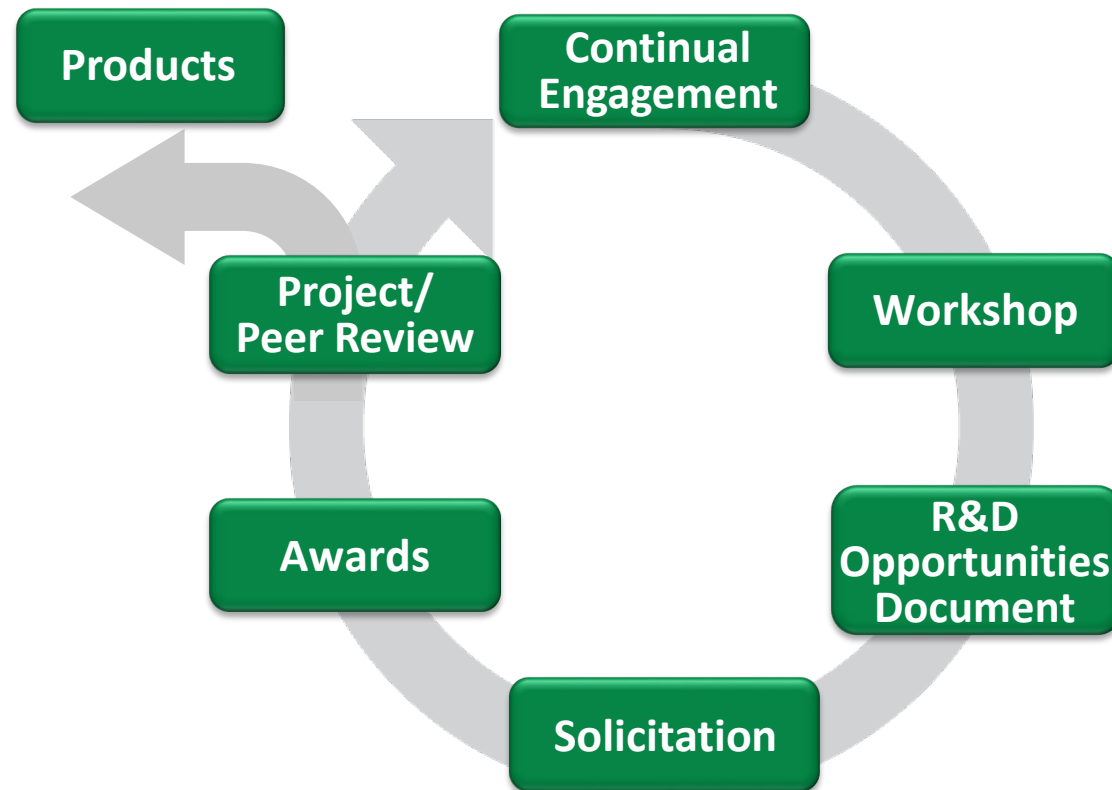
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The Wheel Keeps Turning

SSL community input from workshops and small topical meetings shape R&D priorities and DOE solicitations



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Lighting R&D Results to Date

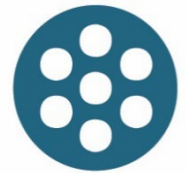
Attributable to DOE program



335
Projects



431
Patents

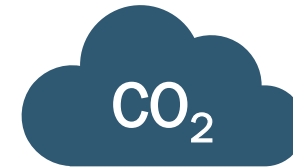


346
Products

Attributable to LED adoption
(DOE's lighting market model)



140
Billion kWh
saved per year



98
Million
Tonnes CO₂
per year



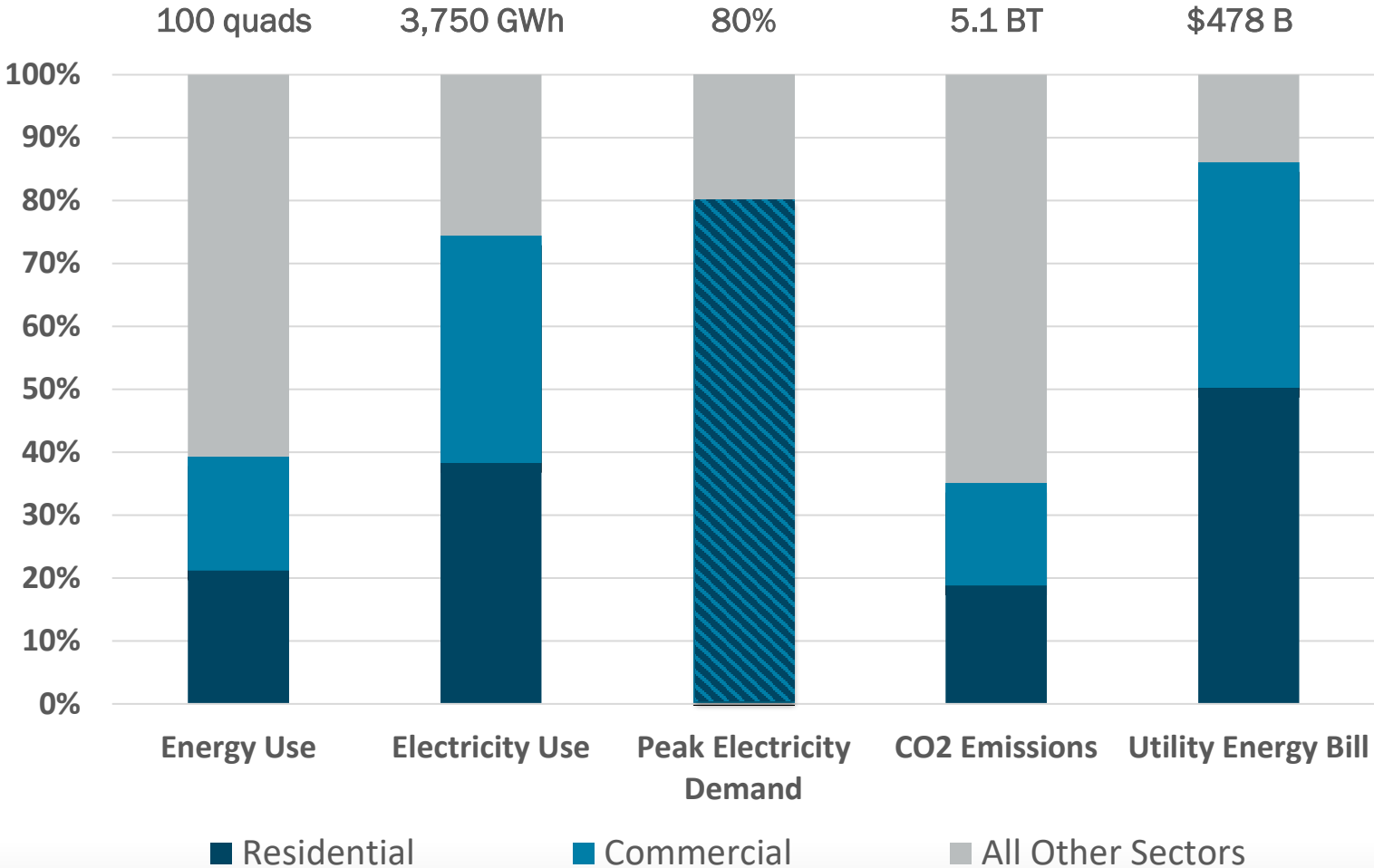
14.7
Billion
energy costs
avoided per year

Buildings are the largest sector of the US energy economy

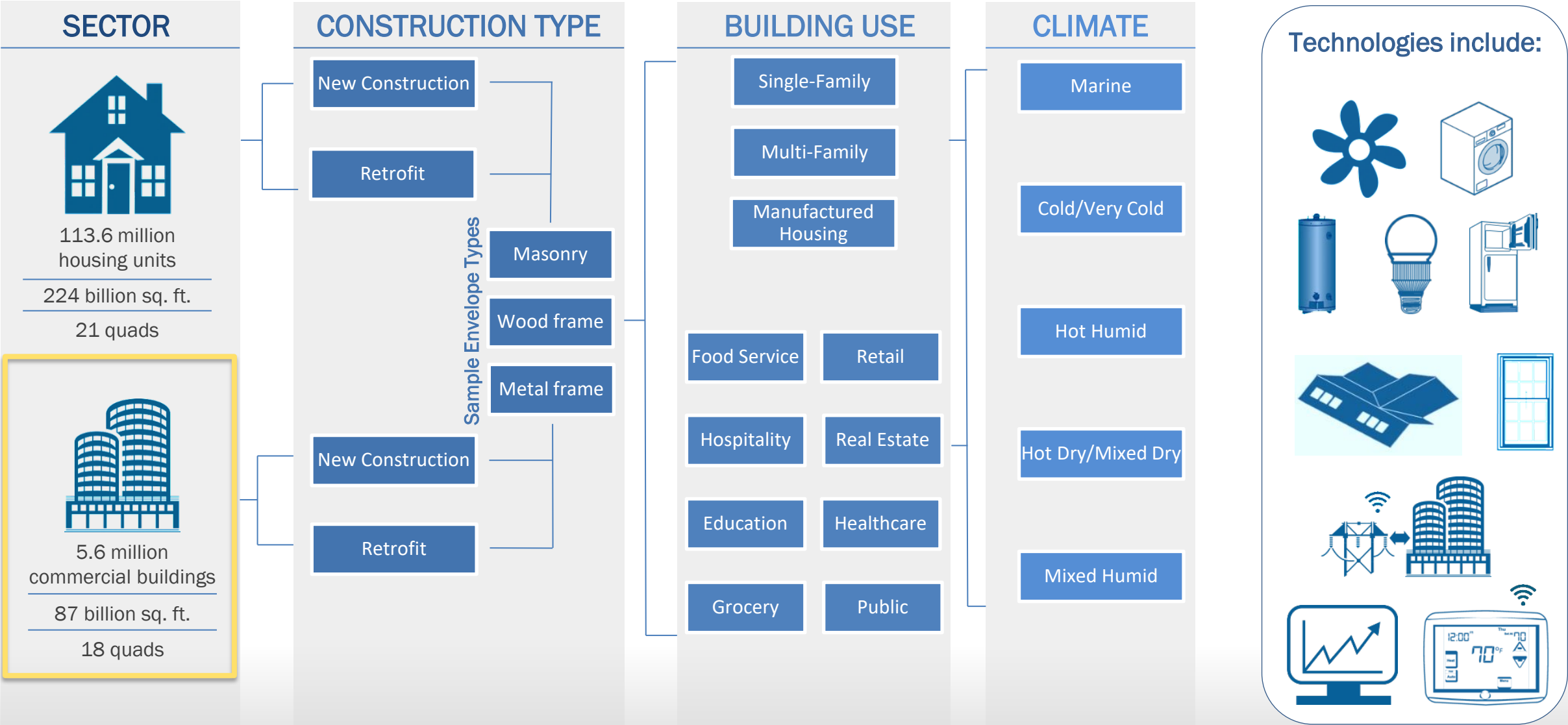
120+ million buildings in the U.S.

~50% ≥ 40 years old

≥ 30+% energy is wasted



Building energy use is complicated

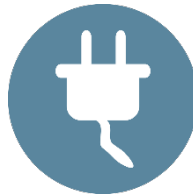


Buildings are key to decarbonizing the US economy

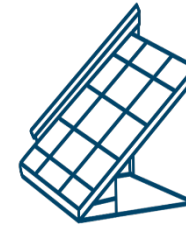
Buildings are an important part of the decarbonization solution and have critical connections to the health, prosperity, and happiness of Americans



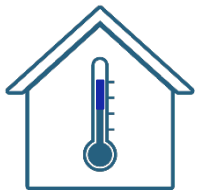
Building retrofits and efficient equipment can reduce the need for energy supply, while cutting customer energy bills by up to 38%.



Electrification of building equipment can **cut direct emissions** by 12%.



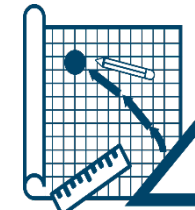
Buildings provide an opportunity to **coordinate and optimize DERs** (PV, EV, batteries).



Emerging thermal energy storage from buildings provides great promise to further deep **energy storage options**.



Smart technologies can further optimize building equipment to help reduce expensive peak load and shift time of energy use.



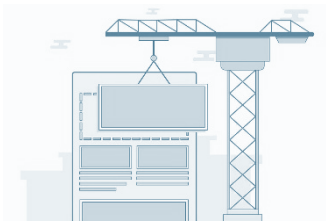
Passive design and smart energy management can increase the **resilience** of homes and businesses while reducing energy bills and improving occupant comfort.

Approaches to maximize carbon reductions

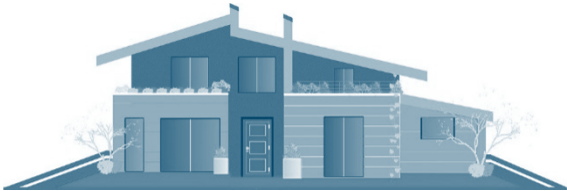
Achieving deep decarbonization in the new construction sector will require a variety of strategies that match energy efficient technologies and strategies with the needs of various market actors.

Advanced Building Codes

Codes offer an opportunity to embed resiliency and GEB technologies as well as advance priorities such as electrification and the promotion of DERs



Zero Energy Buildings



ZEBs when strategically paired with demand flexibility and energy storage have the potential to offer resilient, safe, operational buildings in case of natural disaster.

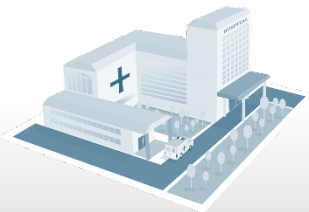
Embodied Carbon



Embodied carbon emissions from the building sector produce 11% of annual global GHG emissions, and approximately half of all the emissions from new construction between 2020 and 2050 will be attributable to embodied carbon.

Energy-Intensive Buildings

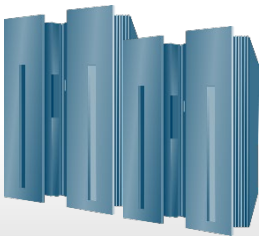
Energy intensive buildings typically are host to either societally critical or high-value-add activities. Examples include:



Hospitals



Restaurants



Data Centers

Community-Based Efficiency

Emphasis on energy investments benefitting people from all backgrounds, focusing on communities who have suffered the most from pollution, including low-income rural and urban communities, communities of color, and Native communities.



BTO: 8-10 Year Strategy

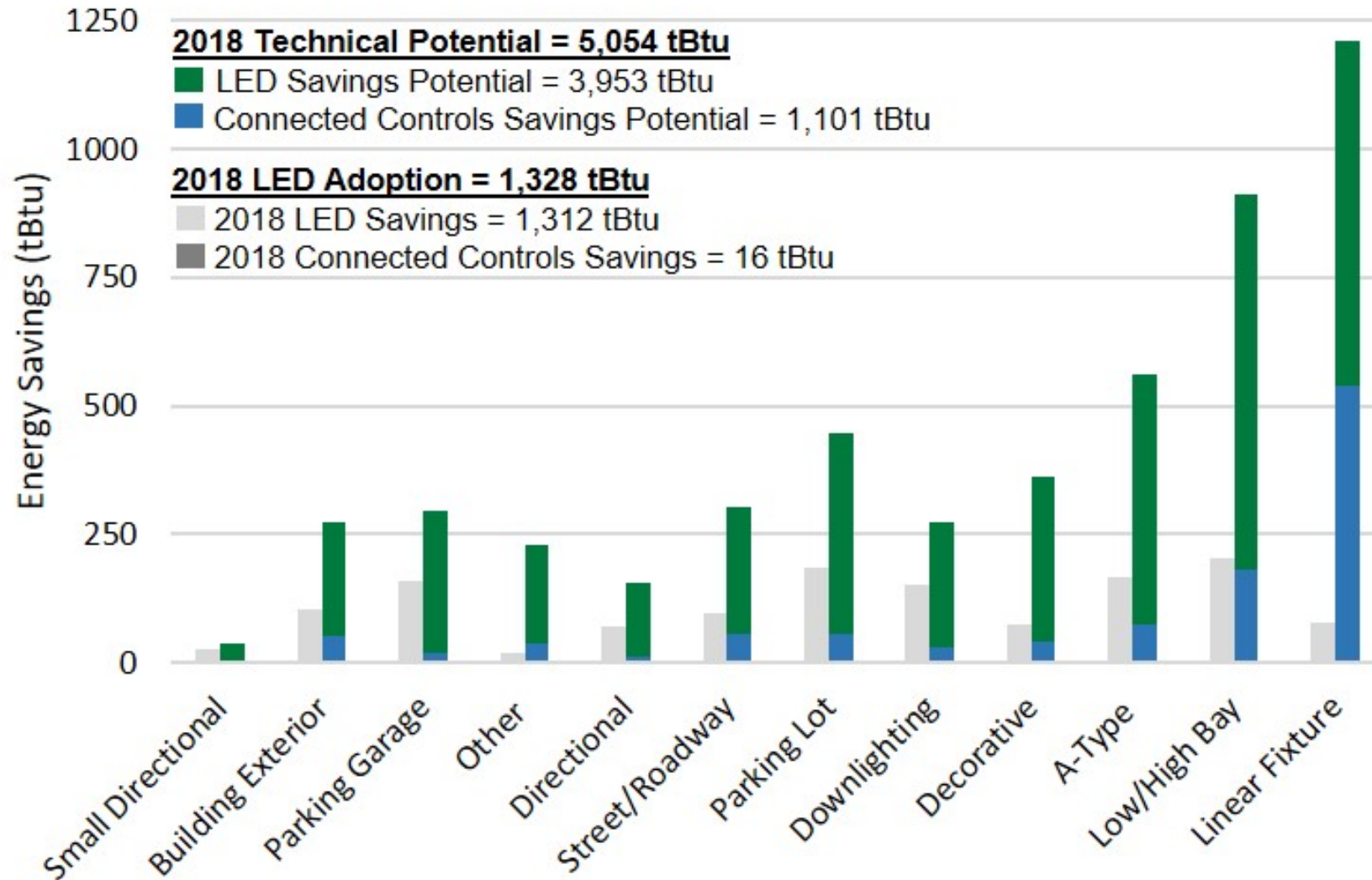
BTO Priorities

- 1) **Aggressive, Accelerated Energy & Carbon Savings:** Advanced research, development, commercialization & deployment of next-gen technologies, materials, practices
- 2) **Lock-in Savings with Codes & Standards:** Accelerated, aggressive appliance & equipment efficiency standards & building codes, incl. building performance standards for existing buildings.
- 3) **Grid-interactive loads/Demand flexibility:** Enable buildings to quickly shift their power demand in response to grid & other signals for renewables integration, peak management, etc.
- 4) **Advanced building construction practices deployment:** Quick, efficient, and cost-effective high-quality residential and commercial building upgrades; focus on equitable solutions and on reduced embodied carbon
- 5) **Beneficial Electrification:** Electrify end uses via market transformation to cost-effectively reduce CO₂ emissions and improve occupant comfort, productivity, health

Key Goals by ≤2030

- ✓ 30% reduction in energy use intensity in buildings from 2010 levels
- ✓ Support the achievement of key Administration goals:
 - Upgrading 4 million buildings
 - Creating >1M good-paying jobs w/choice to join union
 - Spurring construction of 1.5 million sustainable homes and housing units
 - Decarbonizing US power grid
 - Standards & codes are in place, on time
 - Other Administration bldgs-related priorities & goals
- ✓ All new commercial construction is net-zero energy; advanced building construction practices in common usage
- ✓ Buildings can provide the needed demand flexibility to for renewables integration, affordability, reliability/resilience
- ✓ Continue transforming lighting

Progress and Potential for Buildings also holds for Lighting

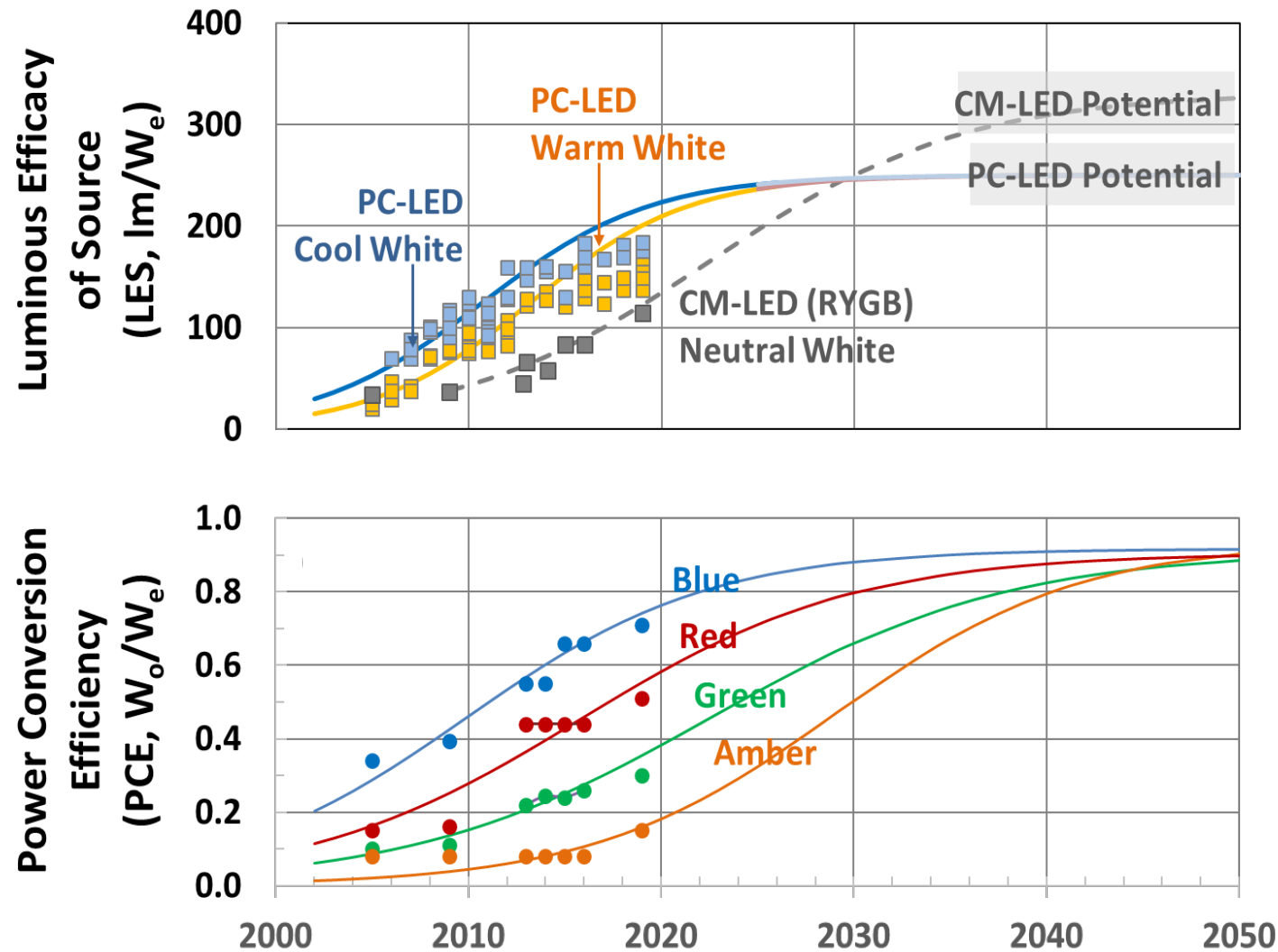


Low/high bay, parking lot and garage, and A-type LED products currently save the most energy.

In contrast, linear fixtures offer the highest savings potential.

Progress in control technologies will be key to unlocking the full potential energy savings.

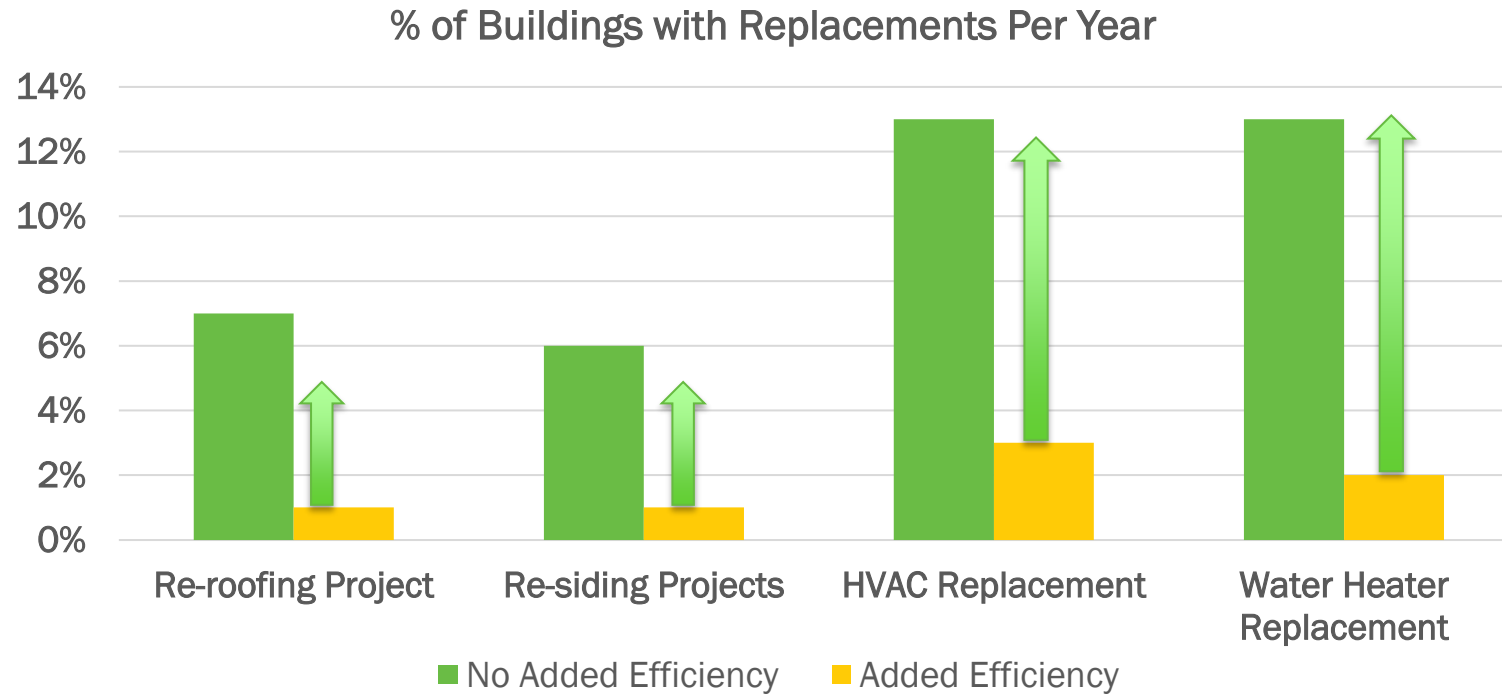
LED Program Targets



Best-performing LEDs are only halfway to ultimate DOE goals

Significant technology development headroom remains

Near-term opportunities for high impact market transformation focus areas



Near-term opportunities based on market, performance and programs:

- Grid-interactive heat pump water heaters
- Heat pump HVAC systems with smart thermostats
- Connected lighting
- Thin triple windows

BTO Market Transformation Support Activities

Analysis & identification of market acceleration opportunity

Determine collaboration & partnerships for market pull

Produce unbiased, validated information

Leverage funding for innovation & validation

Promote skill development & training programs

Provide national recognition through market engagement

Develop Codes & Standards

Focus on technologies that are primed to enter the market, and drive adoption through holistic market transformation

Beyond Legacy Functionality: It's not (only) Lumens per Watt

Lighting...and health impacts



...and safety impacts



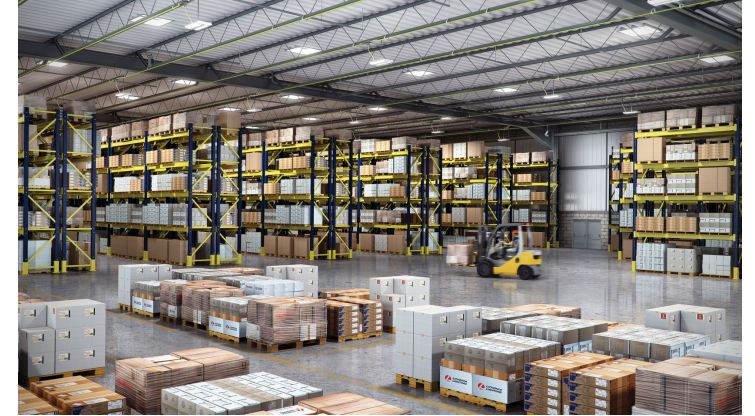
...and productivity and quality impacts

Next-generation Lighting: Energy Savings, Better Experiences

High quality light



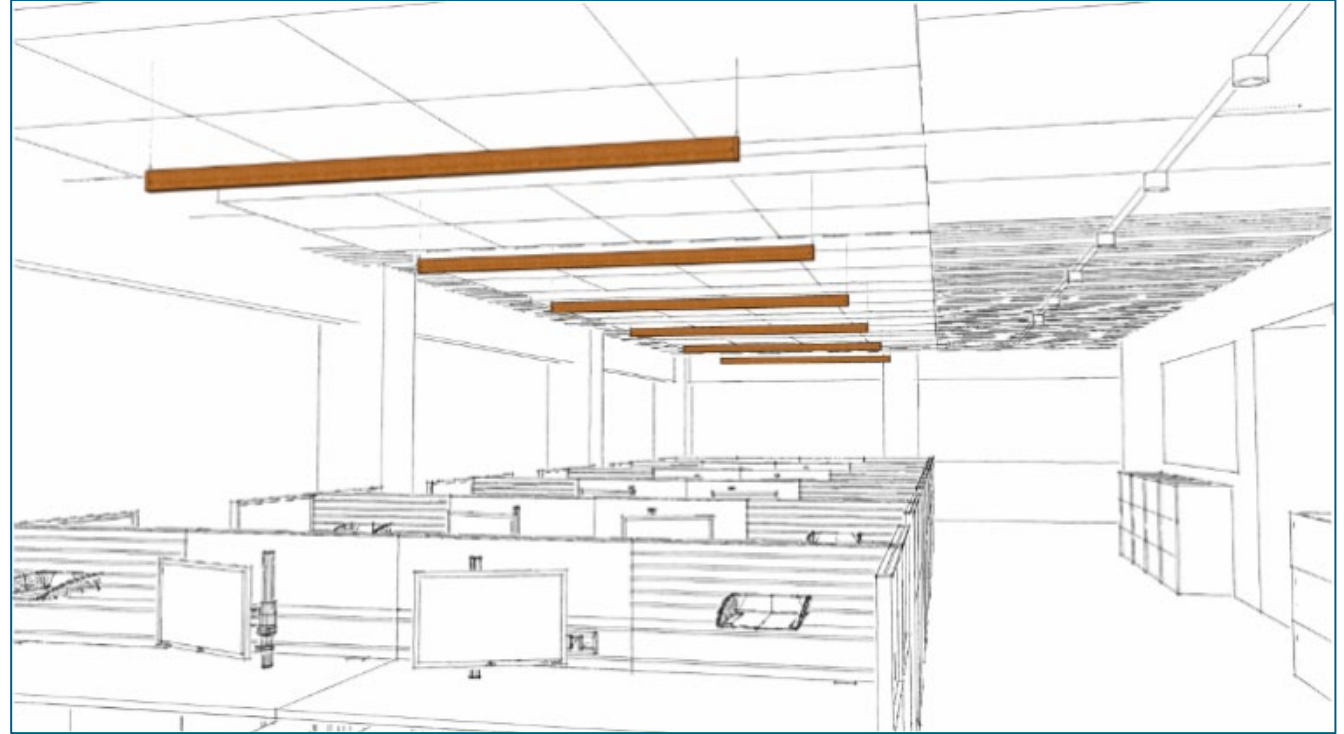
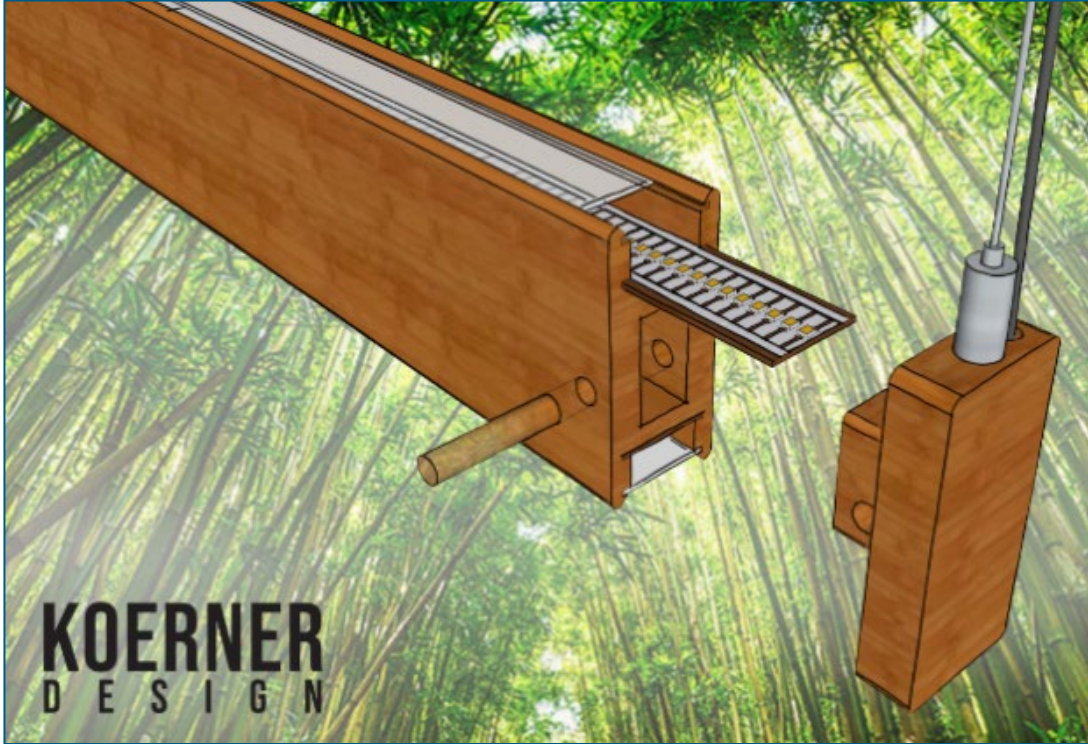
Intelligent controls



Feedback between technology and design

Photos (left and right top) courtesy of Lithonia Lighting. Photo (right bottom) courtesy of OLEDWorks.

New form factors and sustainable manufacturing



Bamboo pendant by Koerner Design: Winner of the DOE Manufacturing Innovator Challenge, Sustainable Manufacturing of Luminaires

New L Prize

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Building decarbonization value proposition for the U.S. and the world



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Cornell University

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**Color Characterization of an RGB Projector
for Lighting Application Efficacy**



PennState

Yi-Chia Tsai, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

**Next-Generation Green Light-Emitting Diodes
by Novel Cubic III-Nitrides**



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Ruqayah Bhuiyan, University of Georgia

Lettuce Tolerates Fluctuating Light, Potentially

Reducing Energy Costs in Controlled Environment Agriculture



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Yunping Huang, University of Washington

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The Visual Experience of Fine Art Under Low Illuminance



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