Top 10 Energy Efficiency Opportunities

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Whole Building

A comprehensive, performance-based approach to achieving 15+% energy savings in existing commercial buildings - quantification of energy use baselines and estimate savings at the whole building level leveraging the power of interval meter data.

Types of Energy Savings

- Simplified, integrated offering
- Bigger incentives tied to performance
- Flexibility to pursue a range of measures overtime
- Transparent and credible bill savings

Baseline Analytics, Examples
Small Commercial EMS

- Energy management system (EMS) products that offer integrated controls capabilities across multiple building systems (HVAC, Lighting, etc.) and are specially designed for small, existing commercial buildings.
- Targeting a deemed rebate.

Technology Examples

- Incenergy
- SIEMENS
- SCL X ELEMENTS
- Powerhouse Dynamics
- ENTOUCH CONTROLS
- novar
- LIGHTSTAT
• Software analytic tools can disaggregate whole building smart meter interval data into discrete end-uses like lighting, HVAC, hot water and plug loads
• This in addition to analysis of weather normalized load data allows for remote identification of operational energy efficiency opportunities
Steam Traps

• Significant Therms savings and Improved Reliability
  • Payback is in the 6-12 months time frame. Savings can be 100~10,000 Therms
  • Avoided shutdowns – Priceless.

• Low Customer Implementation Cost: 400$ for hardware & labor is 1-4 hours/ trap

• Customer Diversity (Large Commercial, Industrial & SMB)
  • Refineries, Chemical Facilities
  • Manufacturing
  • Food Processing
  • Ag (e.g: Greenhouses)
  • Healthcare
  • Biotech, High Tech
  • Universities & more
  • Commercial

• Have a structured audit process to identify failures; Use audit info to prioritize replacements
• Include Steam Leaks as part of your Audit (leaks
LED Ambient Lighting

- LED recessed fixtures and retrofit kits are the next generation of office lighting solutions.

- Lighting performance and energy efficiency have both improved dramatically.

- Dimmable nature of LEDs will allow for full control capability.

- Solid state technology allows for longer product lifetimes, decreasing long-term maintenance costs.
Advanced Lighting Controls

- Combining basic lighting controls into a comprehensive solution
- Increased savings
- Improved controls for end users
- Increase overall productivity

Controls along with LED maximizes LED energy performance
Why Ductless HVAC now?

• Well positioned for HVAC retrofits in SMB market.
  • Motivated Manufacturers: Offer free contractor installation & maintenance training.
  • Excited Distributors: Distributors have seen a significant increase in interest.
• Provides 30% energy efficiency over packaged AC. eSource and CEE support.
• Customer Payback: <3 years with distributors planning to discount new product.
• Proven Technology: Long and successful history in Asia and Europe.

With incentives, distributors predict increased market acceptance with their promotions, discounts and design/bid assistance.
HVAC QM Program

- Refrigeration Control Panel Testing and Calibration
- Refrigerant and Refrigeration Compressor Adjustments
- Cooling Coil Cleaning
- Condenser Fan/Motor Checked and Lubricated
- Condenser Coil Cleaning
- Fresh Air, Return, and Exhaust Air Dampers Checked for Obstruction and Lubrication
- Filter Replaced with Proper Media
- Electrical Connections Checked
- Return Air Fan/Motor & Supply Fan/Motor Checked and Lubricated
- Burner Section Combustion and Draft Tests
Data centers – including small server rooms in offices – are a significant and growing electricity end use. Optimized IT equipment, cooling approaches, and controls systems offer high potential to manage energy usage.

### Airflow Management
- Isolation of supply and return air
- Management of CRAC controls

### Emerging tech: Submersion Cooling
- Reduce cooling and server (fan) power
- High density
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### Top Ten Energy Conservation Solutions

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<td>This program employs software analytics to de-segregate interval meter data into discrete end-uses like lighting, HVAC, ventilation etc. allowing for remote identification of operational energy efficiency opportunities. RCx programs can now be more scalable and cost-effective for medium and small facilities, a segment not supported by traditional RCx programs.</td>
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<td>Commercial HVAC Quality Maintenance program provides rebates to facility owners and QM participating contractors to implement the ASHRAE national quality maintenance standard. Focused on packaged equipment the program does a full assessment of each system, recommends efficiency and maintenance measures, and provides rebates.</td>
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<td>Tremendous natural gas savings opportunities exist in steam system performance improvements – steam traps, steam leaks – with payback in months.</td>
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<td>Similarly, considerable electric savings/DR opportunities exist in compressed air systems (VFDs, Storage, Leak mitigation) and in lab fume hoods.</td>
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