

An aerial photograph of a road curving through a dense green forest. A blue digital circuit path is overlaid on the road, starting from a car on the road and extending into the background. The path consists of a main line with several circular nodes and branching lines, resembling a circuit board or data network. The background is a dark blue gradient with a faint circuit pattern.

Eaton's Energy Transition Overview

Presentation for IEEE SusTech

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The electrical industry's role is expanding to become the central switchboard to power the future as we move to a net zero carbon energy system.

Electrification

75M

Projected EV chargers in 2030

50%

Increase in proportion of global building energy from electricity

Renewables

~50%

Global GDP covered by government Net zero pledges

75%

Of global additions in power gen through 2050 from solar and wind

Digitalization

~56B

Connected devices by 2025

75%

Proportion of enterprise-generated data processed at the edge by 2025

Grid resilience

67%

Increase in major US power outages over the last two decades

~900GW

New storage needed for US to shift 100% renewable energy

← Energy transition →

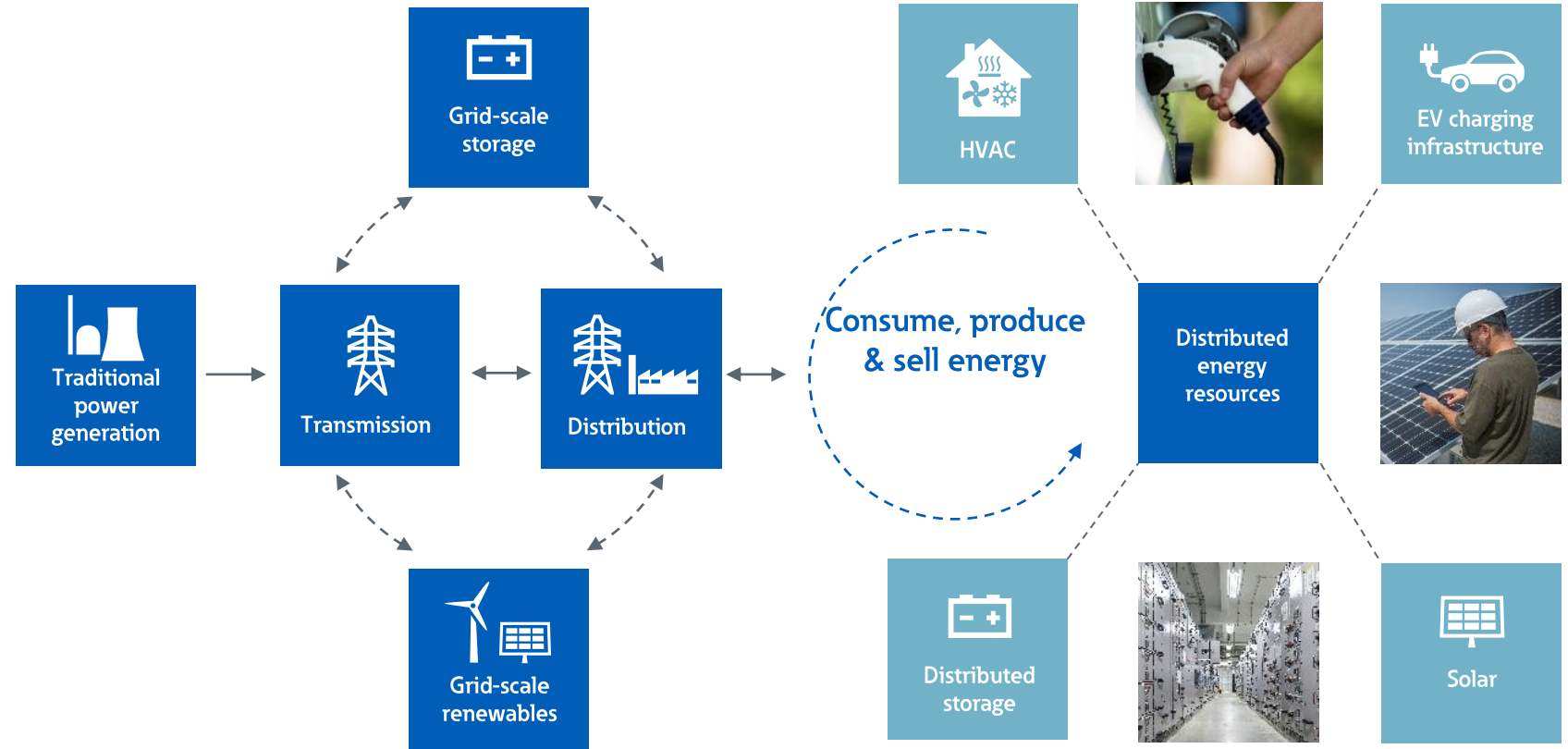
The energy transition will require flexible energy systems.

EVERYTHING AS A GRID is our approach to reinventing the way power is distributed, stored and consumed. With advanced technologies and digital intelligence, we are unlocking a low-carbon energy future for all.



The new power landscape

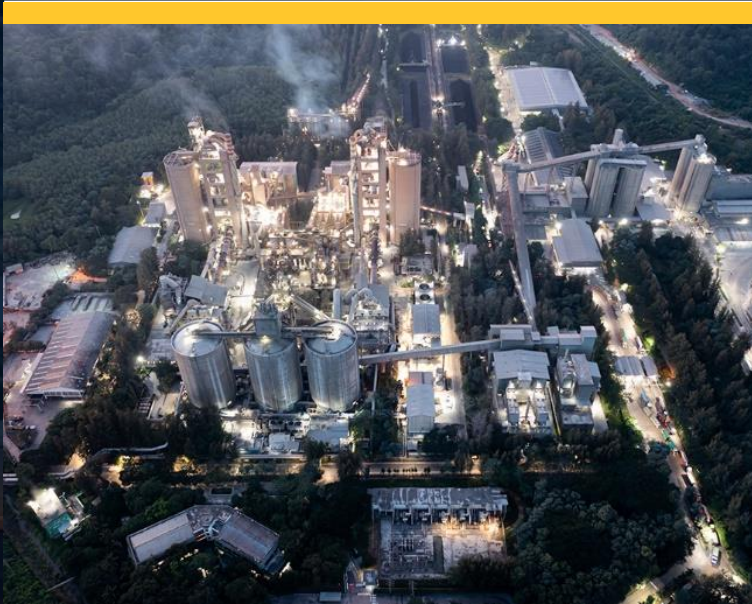
EVERYTHING AS A GRID



Enabling customers to safely add more renewables, storage and electrical vehicle infrastructure to their energy mix.

Mining, metals, minerals commercial buildings applications

Reliability and efficiency to maximize ROI and safety



Products, solutions and services to design, build and operate for resiliency and a low-carbon energy future

- Commercial power distribution products
- Backup power, UPS, surge & IT power distribution
- Conduit, cable & wire management solutions
- Intelligent energy management software
- Indoor and outdoor lighting and control solutions
- Microgrid and DER solutions
- EV charging infrastructure
- Service – power systems engineering, turnkey project management
- Furniture for technology-intensive environments

Brightlayer Industrial suite

A new perspective on scalable software solutions.



Optimize your operations

- Remotely capture data and insights from power equipment in dangerous environments
- Increase power and operational reliability with proactive maintenance



Leverage actionable insights

- Recognize and remediate issues before failure occurs
- Extend equipment life and increase revenue-generating potential



Improve safety and compliance

- Dispatch personnel with the right tools, parts and protective gear
- Capture data to support environmental and sustainability goals

Buildings require a comprehensive infrastructure solution to enable sustainable, resilient and cost-effective performance

Eaton's comprehensive EV charging infrastructure offerings include equipment, software and engineering services solutions to meet EV charging project requirements.

EV charging

AC Level 2 and DC level 3 fast chargers for residential, commercial, and fleet operations

Battery storage

Eaton xStorage Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) includes batteries, inverters and management software to shave peak demand cost for EV charging applications

EV Charge management software

Enables users to operate a network of charging stations, from charging point management and power management to financial rules

Microgrids and Distributed Energy Resource (DER) integration

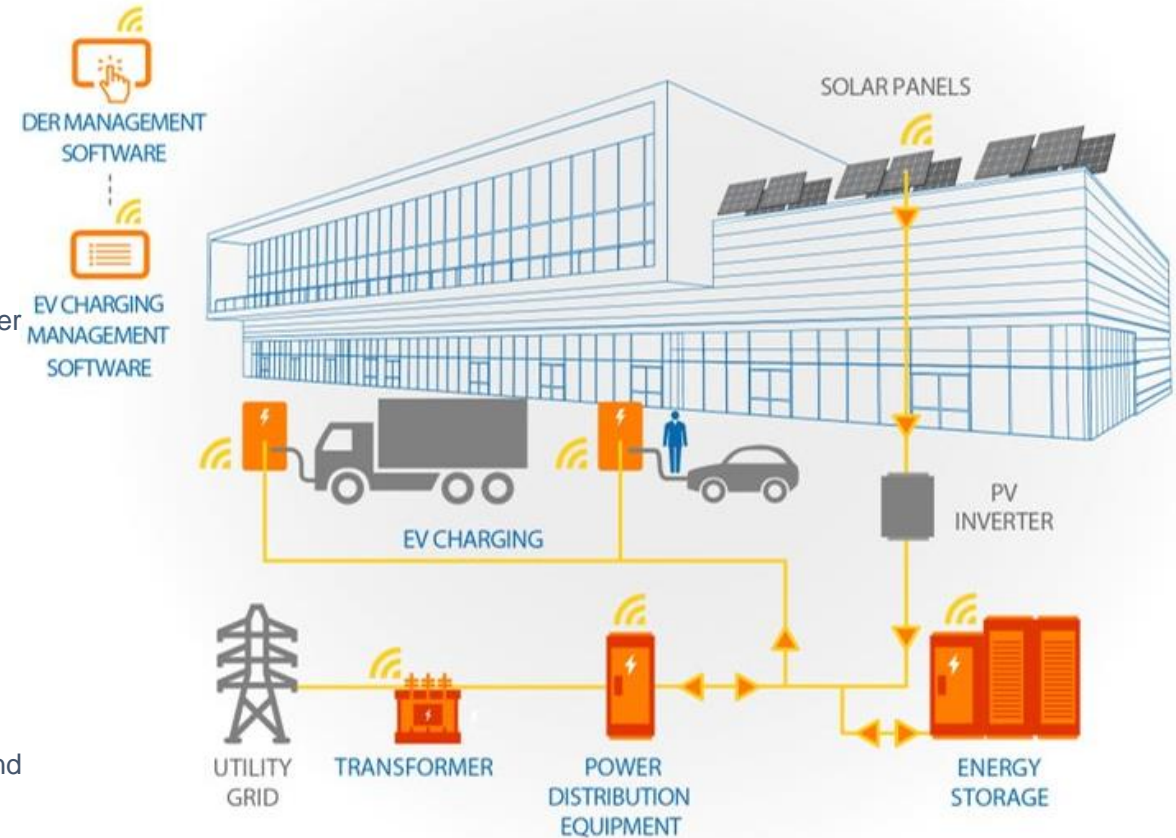
Incorporate local solar photovoltaics and other renewables into new or existing infrastructure to maximize charger deployment and help meet sustainability goals

Power distribution equipment and grid connection upgrades

Installation and upgrades of electrical equipment, including transformers, switchgear, switchboards, and panelboards









Electrical engineering services

Includes feasibility analysis of planned EV deployment sites, power systems analysis of electrical infrastructure, electrical system conceptual design and configurations, system protection analysis and recommendations, automation and control solutions and turnkey electrical services



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Eaton's full EV Charging Infrastructure portfolio works together to simplify fleet electrification & enables lower TCO

	AC charger range			DC charger range	Power distribution equipment	Energy storage	Digital solutions	
	Eaton Green Motion EV Smart Breaker Charger	Eaton Green Motion Building Series	Eaton Green Motion Fleet Series	Eaton DC Fast Charger	Eaton Broad Portfolio of Power Distribution Equipment	Eaton xStorage BESS	Eaton Green Motion EV Charger Manager app	Eaton EV Charging Network Manager (CNM)
								
Max output power rating	7.7 kW @ 240 Vac	7.7 -11.5 kW @ 240 Vac	19.2 kW @ 240 Vac	50kW to 150 kW @ 480Vac	120 Vac – 38 kVac	250kW-1MW / 250kWh/340kWhr rating		
Residential private	●				●		●	
Multi-tenant residential	●	●	●		●	●		●
Workplace and Community		●	●	●	●	●		●
Fleet and Highways			●	●	●	●		●

AC vs DC Charging

AC Level 1

- 120V
- Home
- Up to 2.4kW

AC Level 2

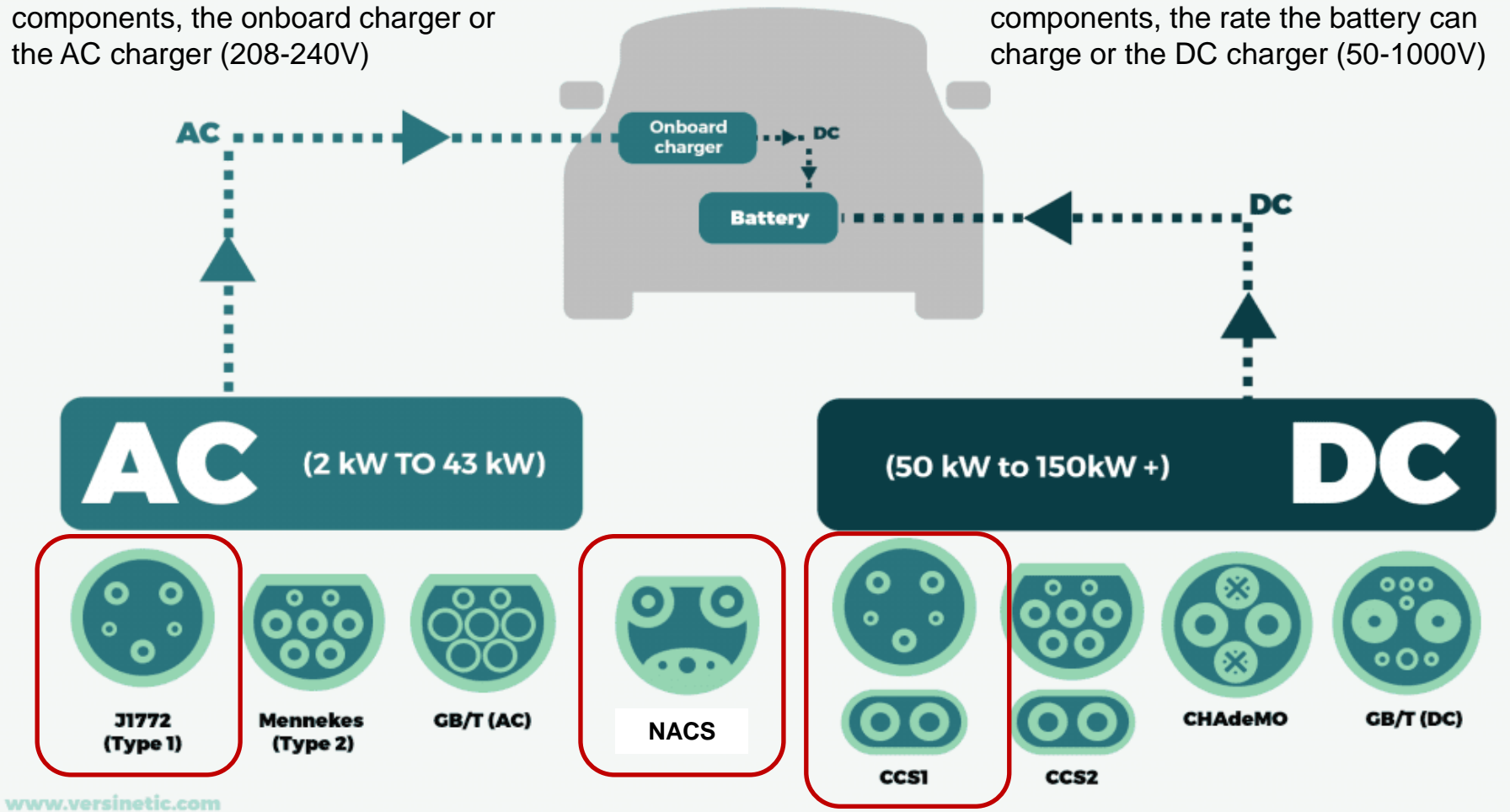
- 240V
- Home / Public / Fleet
- Up to 19.2kW

Fast DC

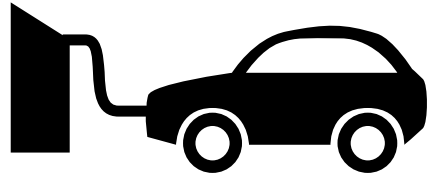
- 400-1000V
- Public / Fleet
- 50kW and higher

AC is limited by the lowest of the two components, the onboard charger or the AC charger (208-240V)

DC is limited by the lowest of the two components, the rate the battery can charge or the DC charger (50-1000V)



Vehicle charging example



90 kWh battery (typically charge 20% to 80%)
 $Time (h) = 0.6 \times 90 \text{ kWh} / (\text{rating of charger})$

Rating of charger	Location	Charger Type	Charger Ampacity	240V Charge Time	208V Charge Time	30 Miles Charge Time
7.7kW	Home	Level 2	32A	7.0 hours	8.1 hours	1.3 hours
9.6kW	Work / Public	Level 2	40A	5.5 hours	6.5 hours	1.0 hours
11.5 kW	Work / Public	Level 2	48A	4.75 hours	5.4 hours	0.9 hours
19.2 kW	Fleet / Public	Level 2	80A	2.75 hours *	3.2 hours	0.5 hours
Rating of charger	Location	Charger Type		400-1000VDC		30 Miles Charge Time
50 kW	Public	Fast DC		1.0 hours		12 minutes
150 kW	Public	Fast DC		30 minutes		4 minutes

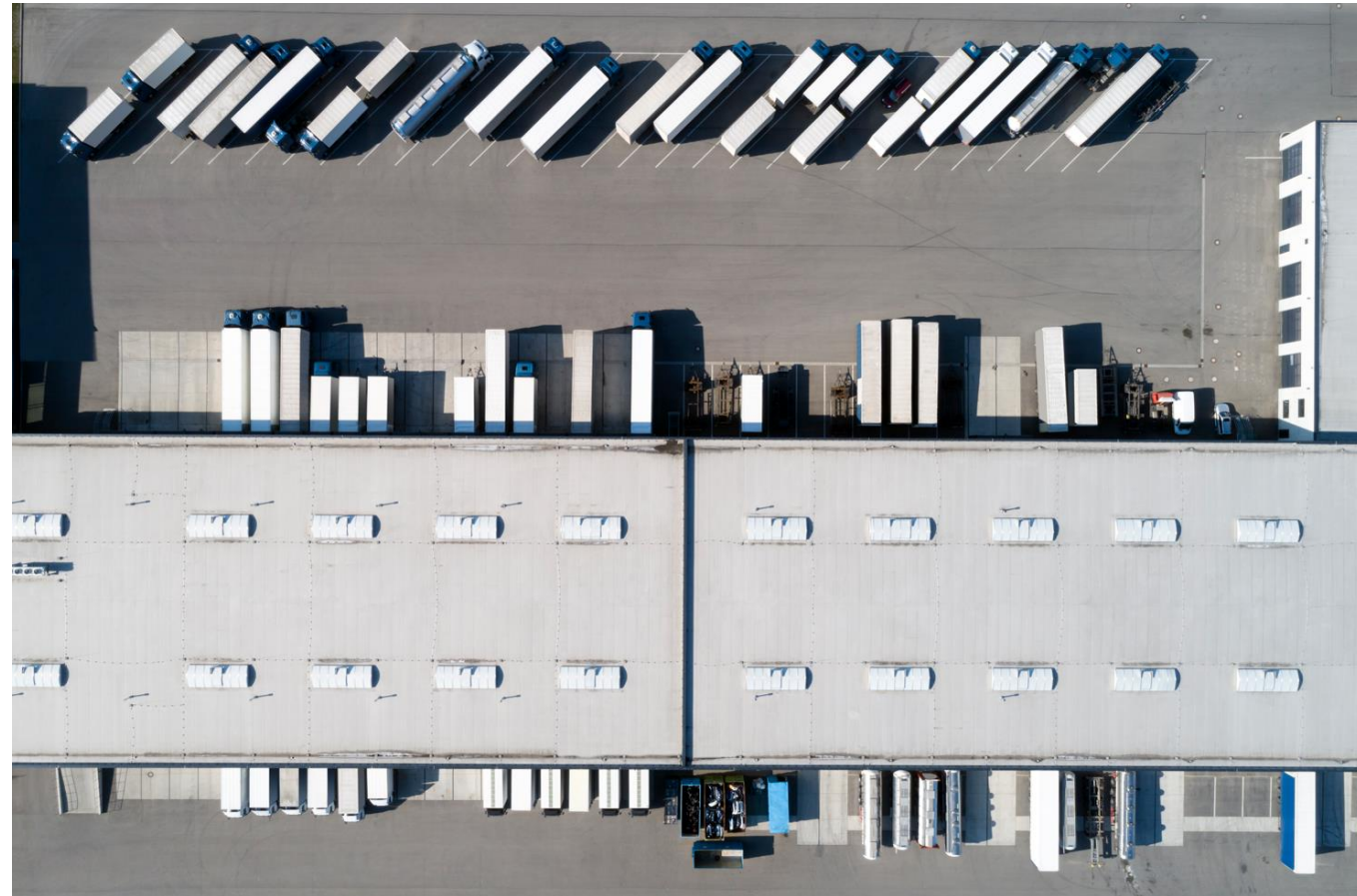
Case study: Impact of truck electrification on the grid

Depot Characteristics:

- 100 Class 6 trucks
- 30 Class 8 trucks
- Site load today ~ **500 kW**

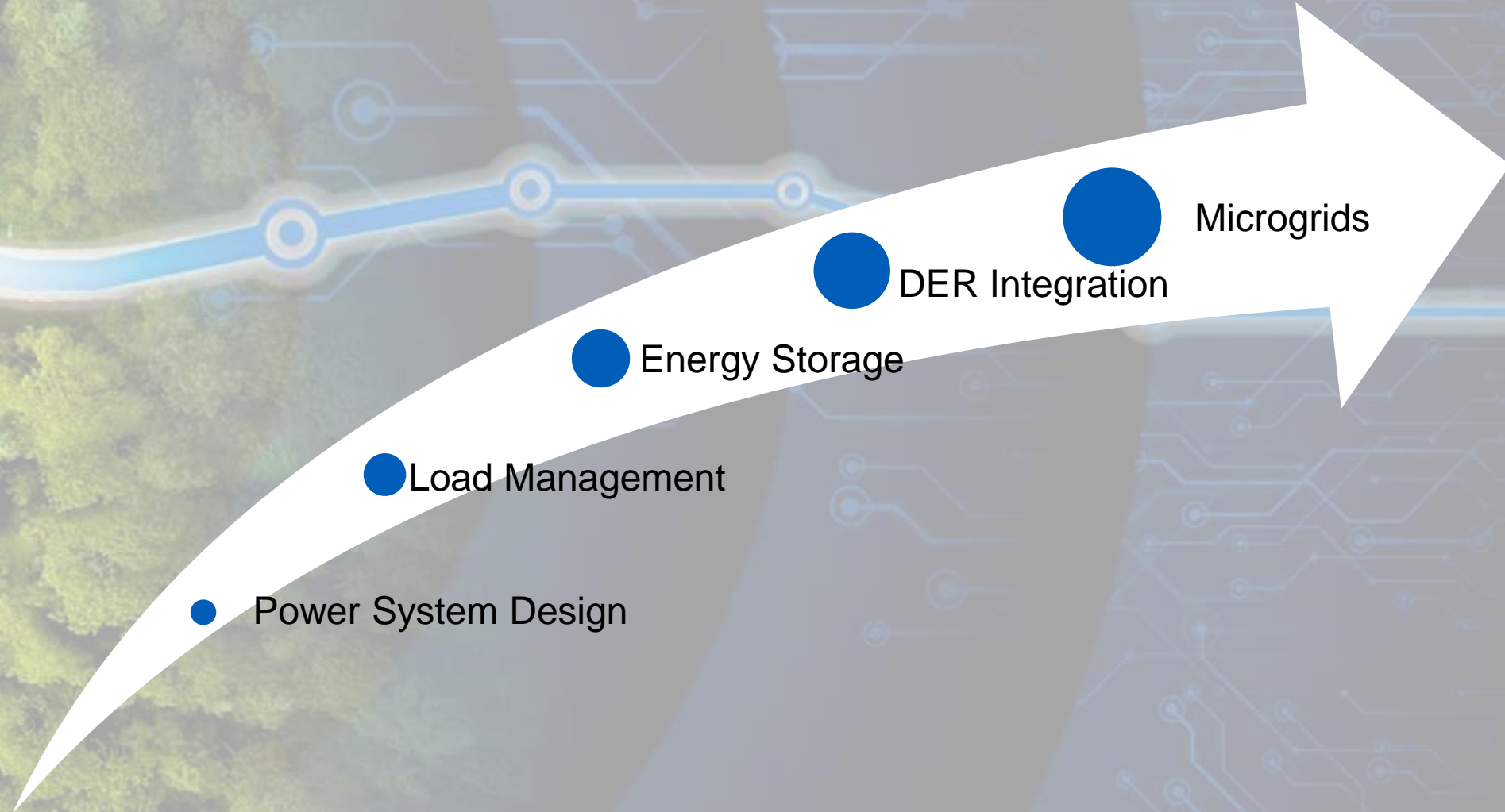
Electrified Depot:

- Class 6 trucks: ~ 100 kWh per day
 - 10,000 kWh in 8 hours = **1250 kW** (@ 100% LF)
- Class 8 trucks: ~ 400 kWh per day
 - Overnight charging
 - 12,000 kWh in 8 hours = **1.5 MW**
 - Slip-seating (multi-shift)
 - 400 kWh in 45 min = ~550 kW per vehicle
 - Assume 4-6 vehicles charging = **2 – 3 MW**



Depot's load on the grid can go from 2.5X to 6 times based on charging deployed

Hierarchy of Dealing with Power Scarcity



EV Charging Infrastructure Power System Design

Power System Design

Load Management

Energy Storage

Microgrids



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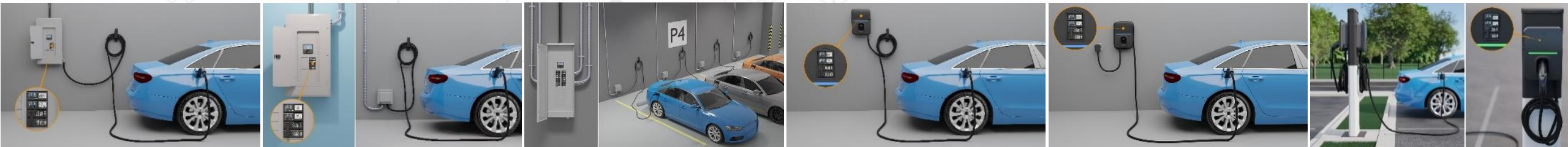
Green Motion EV Smart Breaker Chargers

Flexible installation and integration options

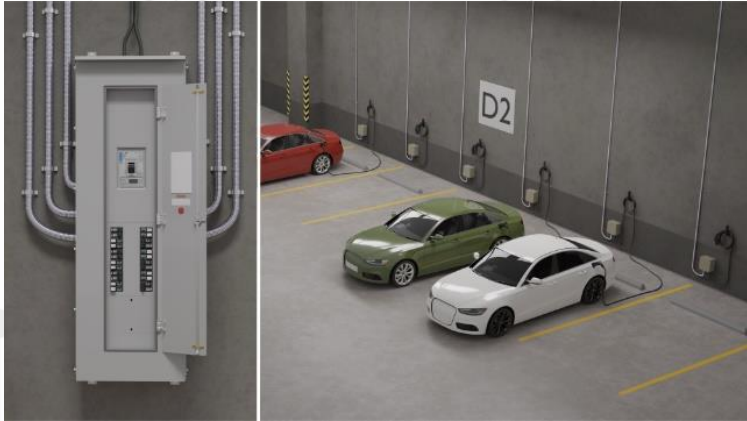


- 32A (7.7kW @ 240V) AC Level 2 Charger with integral **communications, control & revenue grade metering**
 - 2P 40A BR & BAB styles
- Energy Star Certified
- Open approach through cloud APIs and OCPP enables integration with your preferred charging management solution.
 - OCPP = Open Charge Point Protocol
- The universal J1772™ charging connector is compatible with any EV meeting the SAE J1772™ charging standard
- UL listed and tested for electrical safety and features 20mA ground fault protection

EV Smart Breaker Charger



EV charging integrated assemblies for scalable EV Charging deployments



EV Charging integrated Panelboards

- EV Charging Smart Breakers (EV Chargers) integrated in panelboards for cleaner, cost effective installations
- Expandable up to 10 Chargers per Panelboard for PRL3X designs and up to 18+ Chargers in IFS (Integrated Facility System) switchboard
- Better protection against vandalism, expensive components hidden inside a supply closet
- Ideal solution for depot charging where scalable EV systems are needed
- Optional 4G connectivity with external hotspot



EV Charging integrated Busway

- EV Charging integrated Busway designs for cost effective, scalable EV Charging deployments
- Offering for 19.2kW (80A) and 7.7kW (32A) charging
- Utilizes existing plug-in busway
- Expandable up to 25 Chargers per 2500A run.
- New designs improve moisture resistance for plug-in busway
- Ideal solution for depot charging where scalable EV systems are needed
- Optional 4G connectivity with external hotspot

Green Motion Fast DC



Positioning

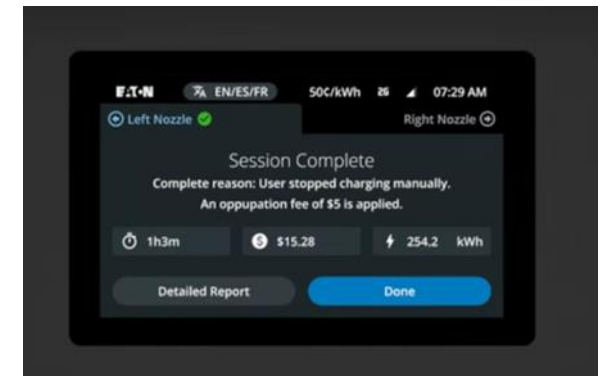
- ❖ Fleet and public parking where high output high speed charging is required

Specification

- ❖ 50-150kW dual and single nozzle design
- ❖ 480V three phase power input
- ❖ CCS1 nozzle
- ❖ Support current and future EVs with 400-1,000 Vdc charging
- ❖ Small footprint at 150 kW when compared to other solutions
- ❖ Support OCPP 1.6J (Open Charge Point Protocol)
- ❖ Various payment methods available through CNM

Warranty

- ❖ 2 years parts



EV Charging Infrastructure – Load Management

Power System Design

Load Management

Energy Storage

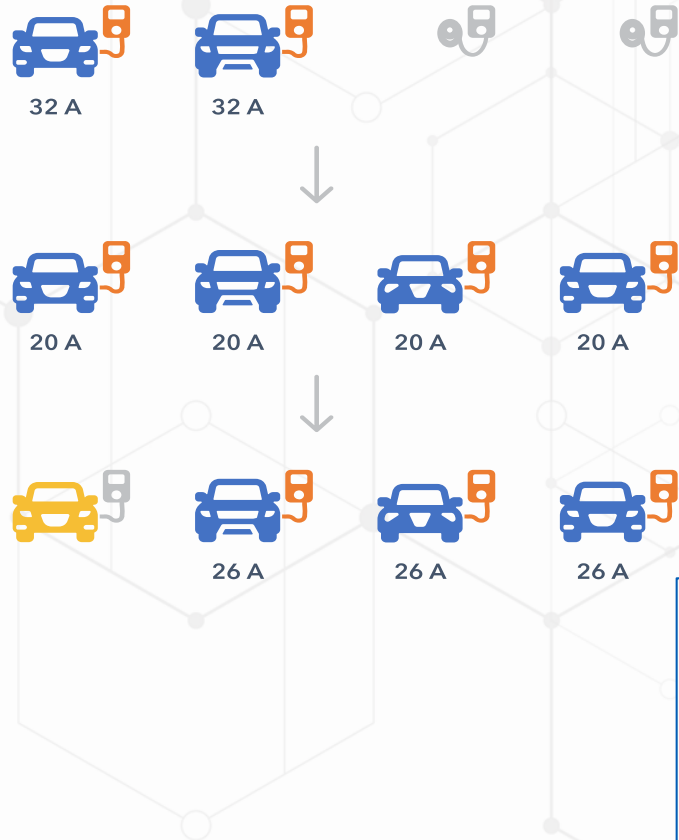
Microgrids



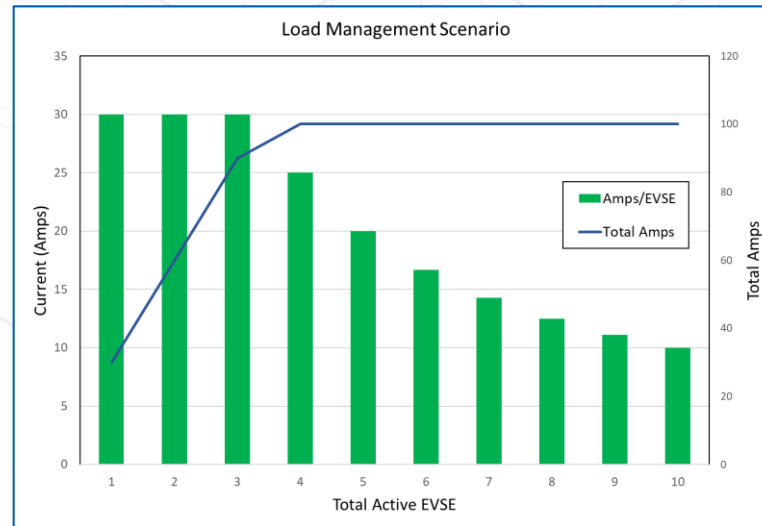
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Power Management



- Creates a virtual twin electrical panel with both EVSE and uncontrolled loads
- Allows site hosts to install more chargers on a limited electrical service
- Output amperage is automatically adjusted based on the number of vehicles plugged in to a group of chargers

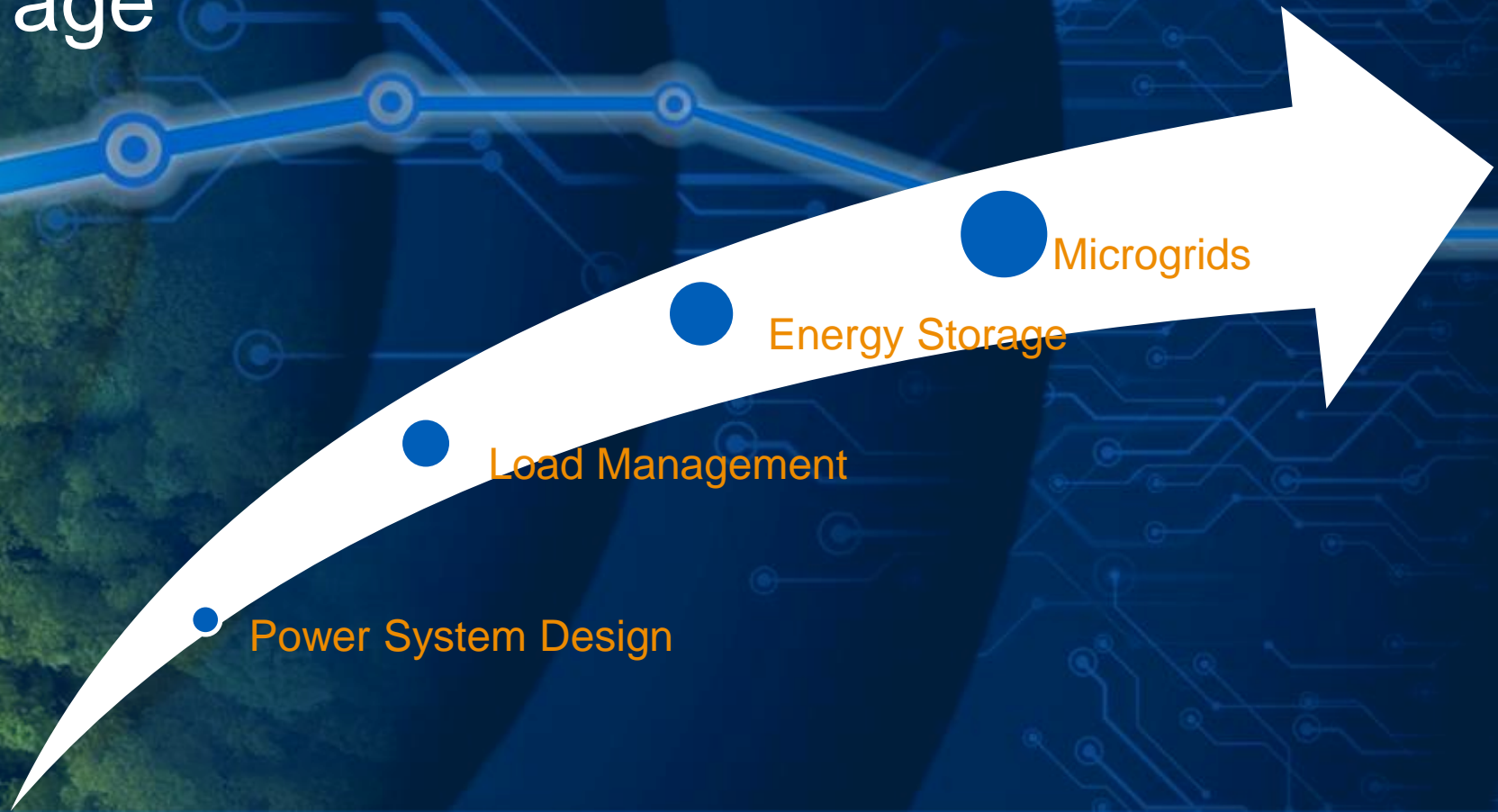


CNM Features Delivered

- Power Management
 - Proportional sharing across a group of EVSE
 - Single phase and 3 phase
 - Load leasing model to protect in event of network outage
 - Accommodation for reserved loads
 - Requires assisted setup process

The screenshot displays the Eaton ChargeLab.io Power Management interface. The left sidebar contains navigation options: Overview, CHARGER MANAGEMENT (Chargers, Pricing, Access, Power), FLEET MANAGEMENT (Vehicles), and ADMIN (Company, Reports, Payouts, RFID cards). The 'Power' option is highlighted with a red arrow. The main content area shows 'Power management' for 'Eaton, Peachtree City, GA', indicating '5 of 8 chargers being power managed'. It details 'Panel 1' with a 100 A rating, 80 A limit, and 6 loads. A list of chargers is shown with their current status (0.0 A / 32 A, 0.0 A / 40 A, etc.) and phase (A, N). A SmartBreaker 32A is also listed as an unmanaged load.

Energy Storage



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xStorage 250-1000 BESS

Product overview



Power: 250 to 350kW
Usable energy: 250 or 340kWh
Installed energy: 279 or 372kWh



Power: 250 to 700kW
Usable energy: 500 or 680kWh
Installed energy: 559 or 744kWh



Power: 250 to 1,000kW
Usable energy: 750 or 1,020kWh
Installed energy: 839 or 1,117kWh

Applications	Energy functions	Environment	Listings
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• EV fast charging• Community buildings• Commercial buildings• Industrial facilities• Microgrids	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Peak shaving• Load shifting• Backup power• Solar self-consumption• Demand response	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Enclosures: IP54/NEMA 3R• Temperature: -25°C to 55°C• Humidity: 5% to 100% non-condensing• Elevation: 1000m without derating	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• System: UL 9540• PCS: UL 1741 SA,SB IEEE1547• Batteries: UL 1973, 9540A



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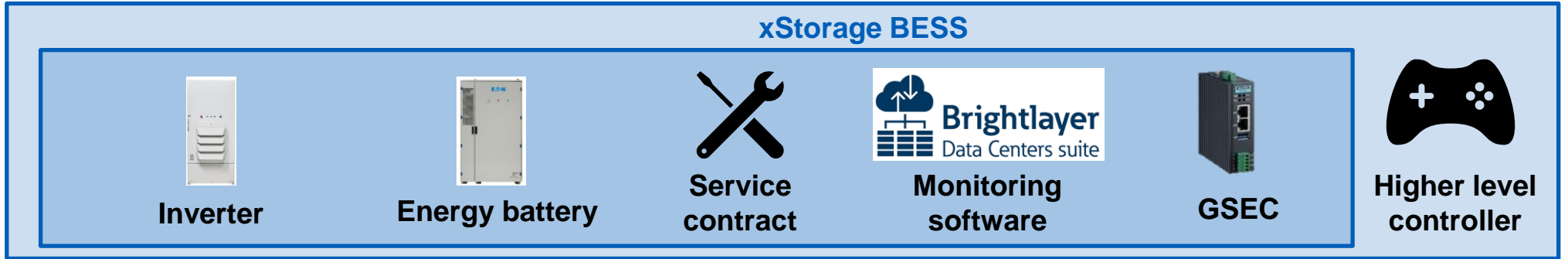
xStorage

Storage / Operation Optimization / Financial Optimization

xStorage features:

- FFR, grid code compliance
- DR
- Peak shaving
- Arbitrage
- Islanding
- PV integration

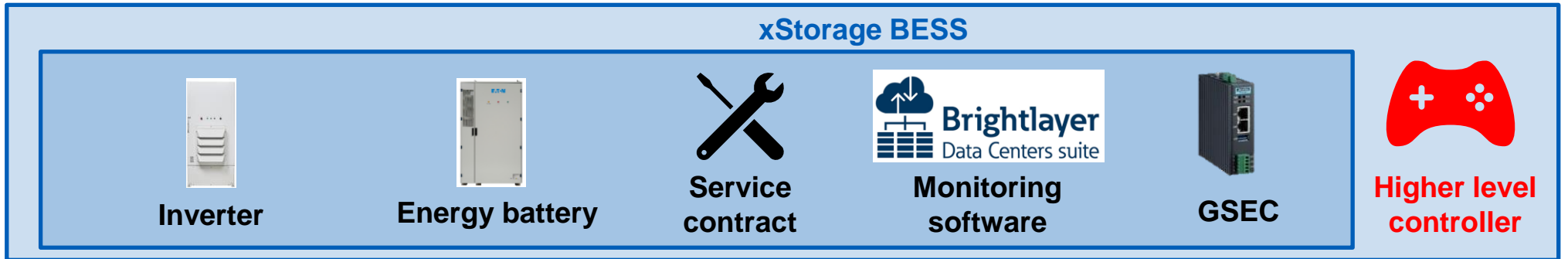
Base Storage



xStorage w/ Aggregation features:

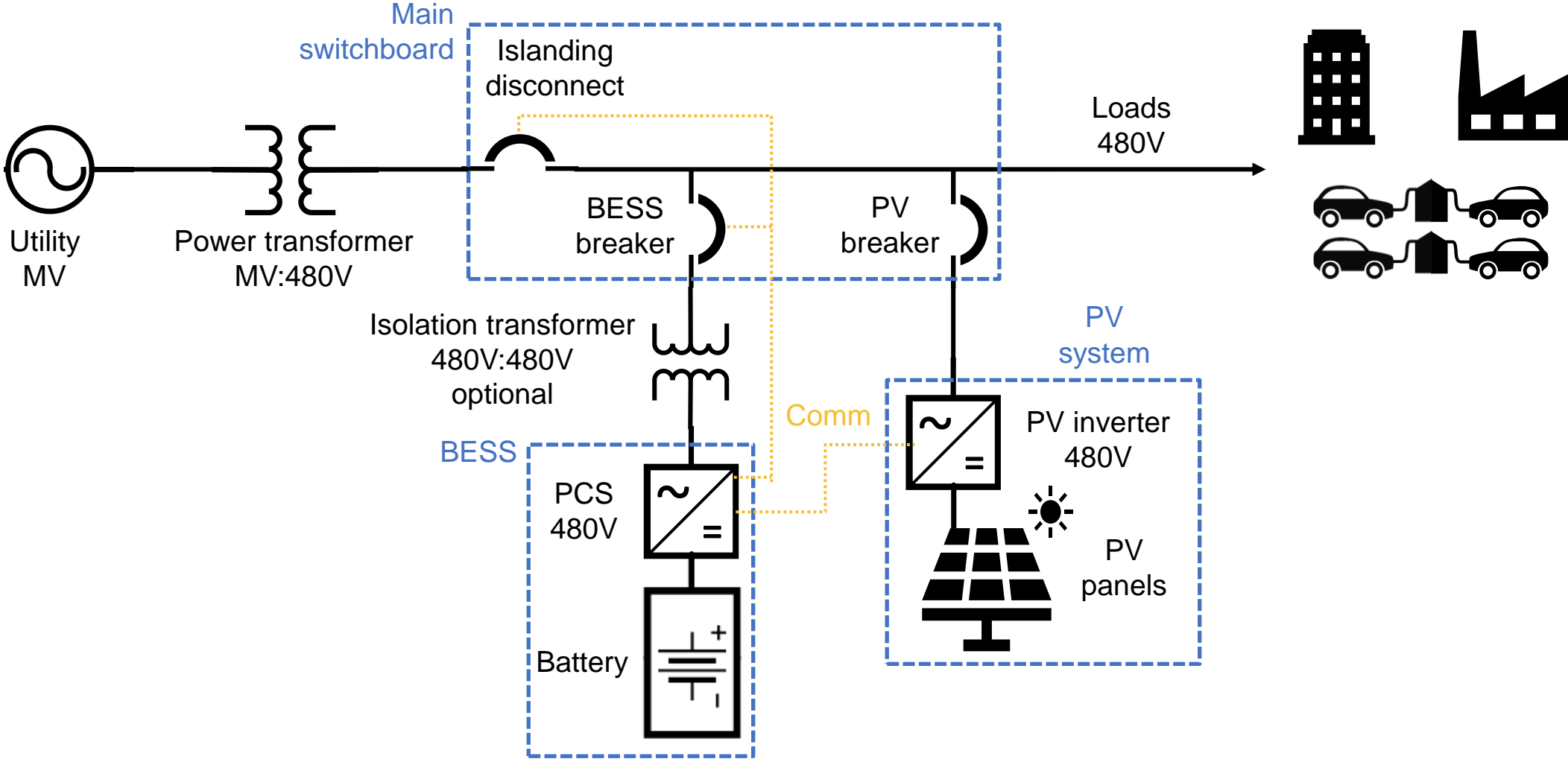
- FFR
- DR Peak shaving, arbitrage

Optimization

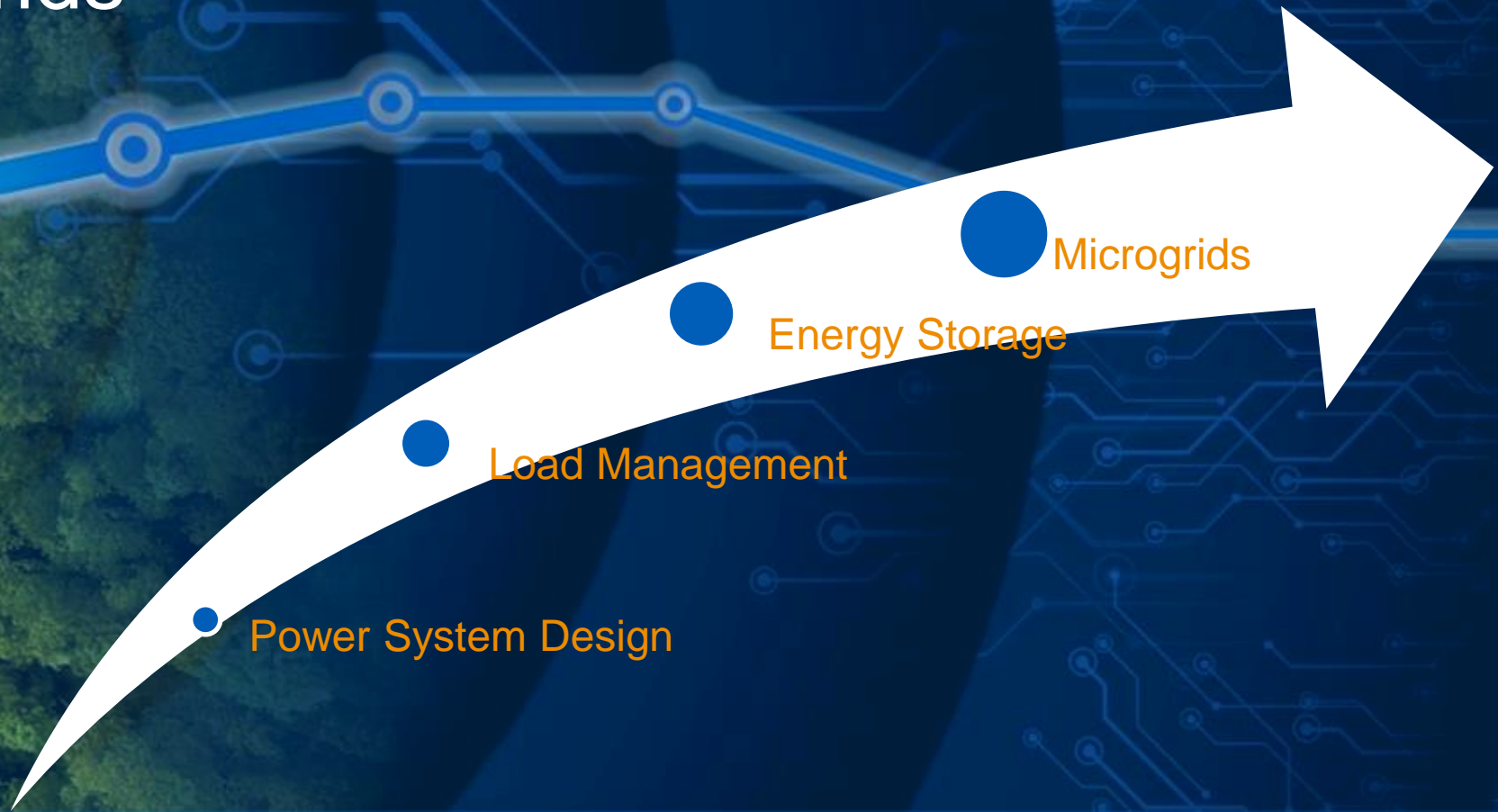


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BESS simple one-line



Microgrids



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Eaton's broad microgrid capabilities

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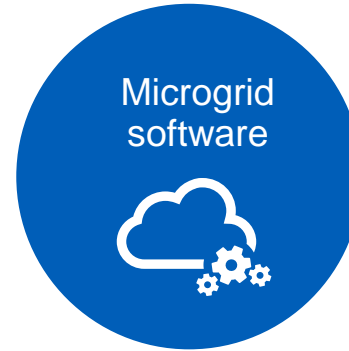
Feasibility study to evaluate the economic and resilience impact of your microgrid project



Leading turnkey services and power systems engineering capability for technical microgrid project development



Expansive electrical portfolio and robust supply chain to procure solar PV and battery energy storage



Intelligent microgrid controls paired with economic **optimization software** to deliver energy savings



Unlock additional value from your DER assets by enrolling in **flexibility programs** such as demand response



Ongoing system maintenance from Eaton's highly trained team of dedicated **field services personnel**

Eaton offers customers the ability to **fund projects as an operational expense**



by seamlessly structuring deals with trusted financing partners



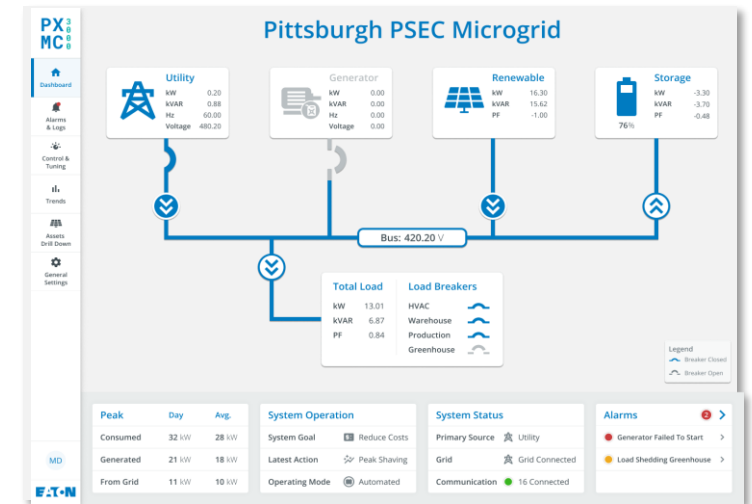
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Eaton's Power Xpert Microgrid Controller (PXMC)

PXMC system features

- ✓ **Intelligent system-level controller** that interfaces with device-level local controllers
- ✓ **Web-based user interface** for monitoring & control (optional HMI screen)
- ✓ **Automated system sequence of operations** based on user-defined parameters
- ✓ **Control strategies** such as renewable firming, peak shaving, and islanding
- ✓ **Self-consumption** – maximize energy consumption from on-site and renewable sources
- ✓ **Manage transition functions** including load shedding and grid reconnect – black start
- ✓ **Modular system architecture** that can be scaled to the application
- ✓ **Software suite** for system configuration and commissioning
- ✓ **Alarm** and event management
- ✓ **Historian data logging** of system events (optional)

*Right-sized solution for your application
Built on Eaton's industrial-grade gateway platform*



PXMC 5000
Fully customizable
engineered-to-order solution



PXMC 3000
Configurable solution based
on a select list of
pre-validated DER assets

Industrial-grade Gateway platform | Programmable logic (Soft PLC) IEEE 2030.7 / 1547 and IEC 61850 / 61131.3 compliant
Over 80 communication protocols supported including Modbus and DNP3 Client/Server

Built-in Cybersecurity | Meets all IEEE and IEC requirements for substation-grade equipment (IEEE 1686 and IEC 62351)
Embedded cybersecurity • Built-in firewall • TLS encryption • AES 128/256 • X.509 malware protection
Compliant with UL-2900-1 • NERC CIP • NIST Smart Grid security guidelines

Pow-R-Line Xpert microgrid switchboard (or switchgear)

A fully integrated intelligent, scalable, and efficient solution for your microgrid infrastructure

Intelligent

Eaton's family of Power Xpert Microgrid Controllers provide a **right-sized control solution** for any microgrid application

Optional external monetization interface give a facility the ability to unlock additional revenue streams from their flexible generation assets

Scalable

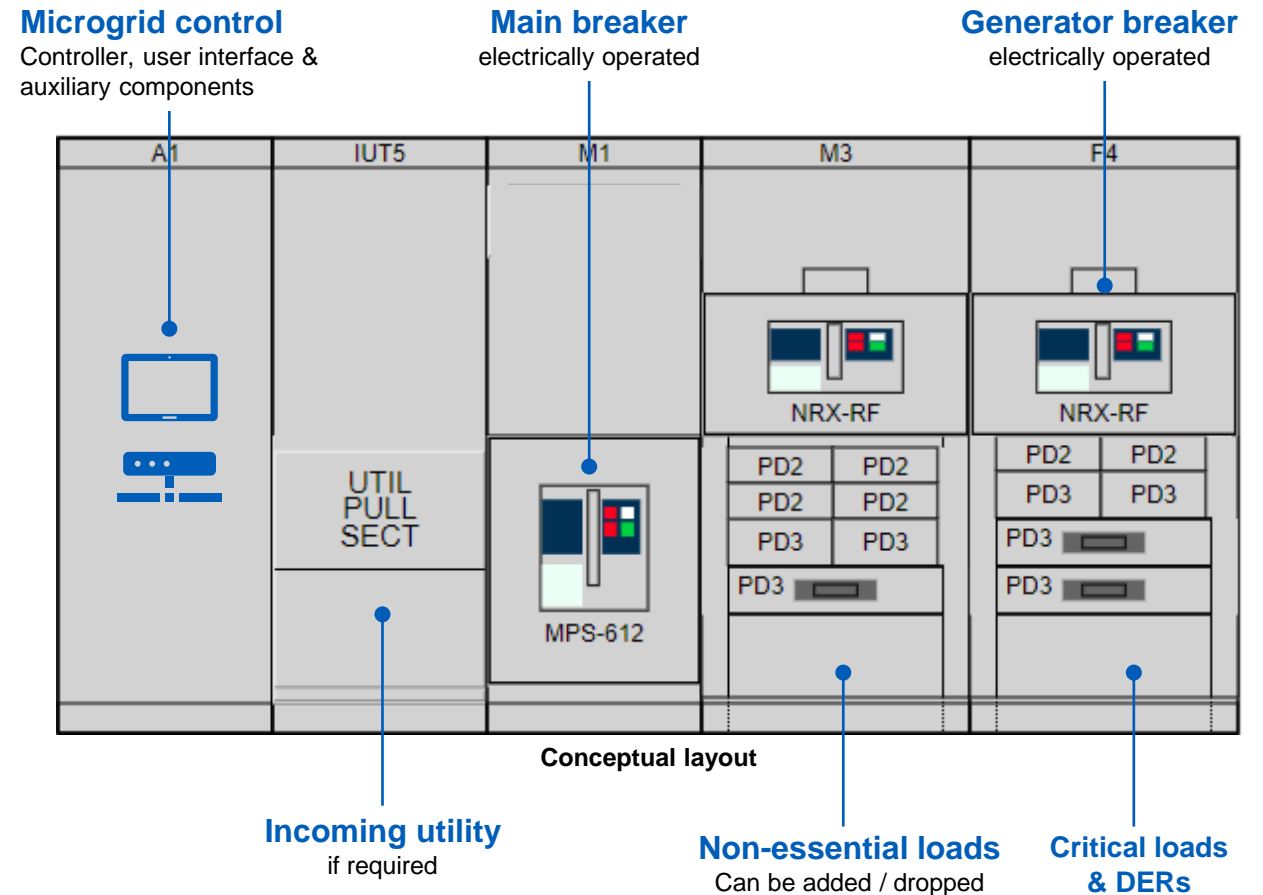
The microgrid control components are contained in a single panel structure to **future-proof the design** and easily add new DERs and loads

A wide range of switchboard integrated metering, protection and control options offer a solution customized to any application.

Efficient

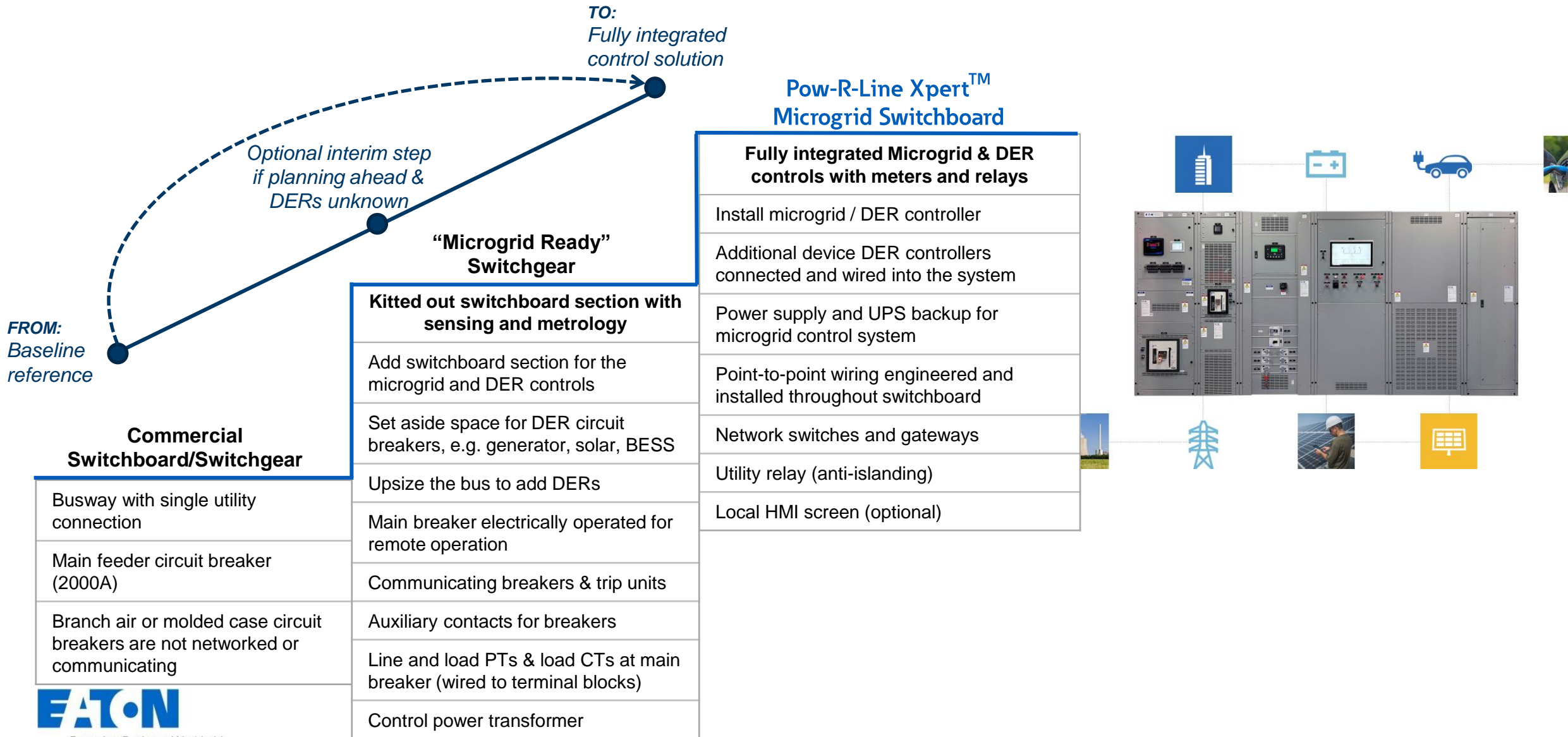
Cost and lead time are always a factor, Eaton supports a **configurable built-to-order approach** reducing microgrid control design and manufacturing time.

All control and protection aspects of the integrated solution are factory assembled, integrated, and tested to ensure smooth field installation and commissioning.



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Meet customers where they are on their energy transition journey: Option to “future proof” their power system design to add DERs at a later phase

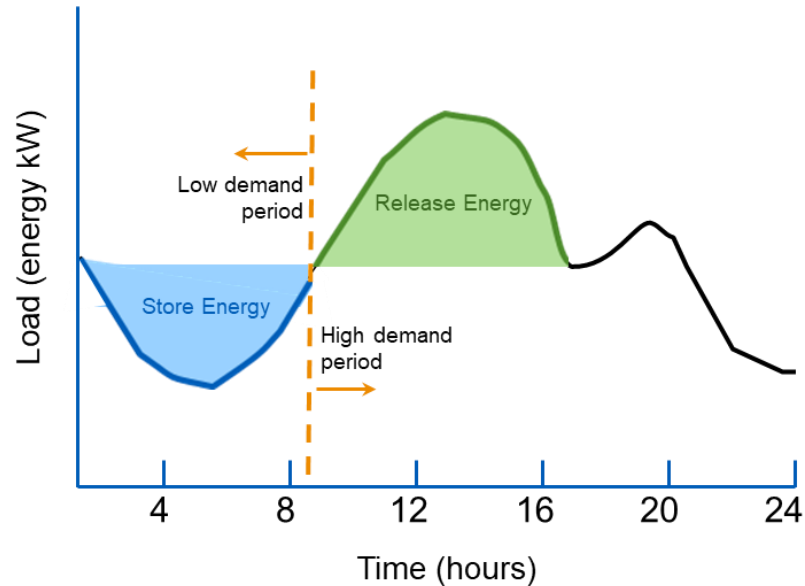


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Battery storage basic use cases

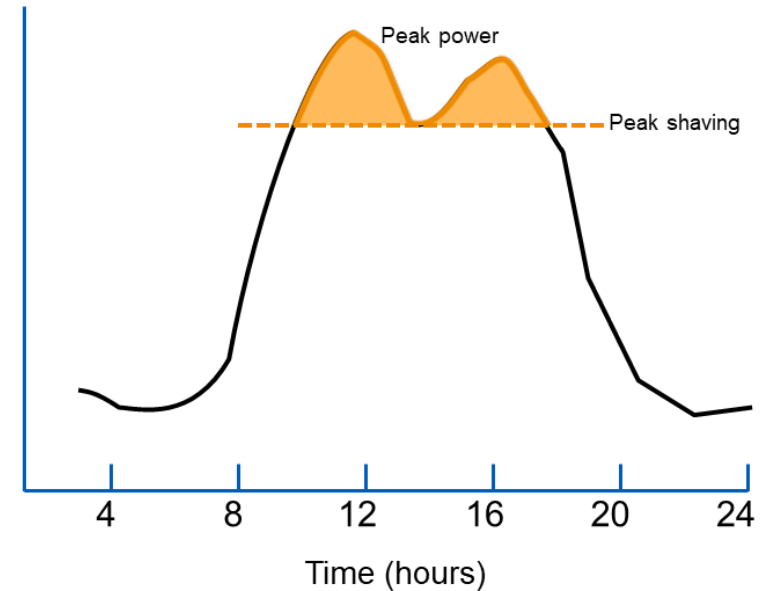
Energy arbitrage

Store energy in off-peak hours when utility rates are lowest, use stored energy when utility rates are highest



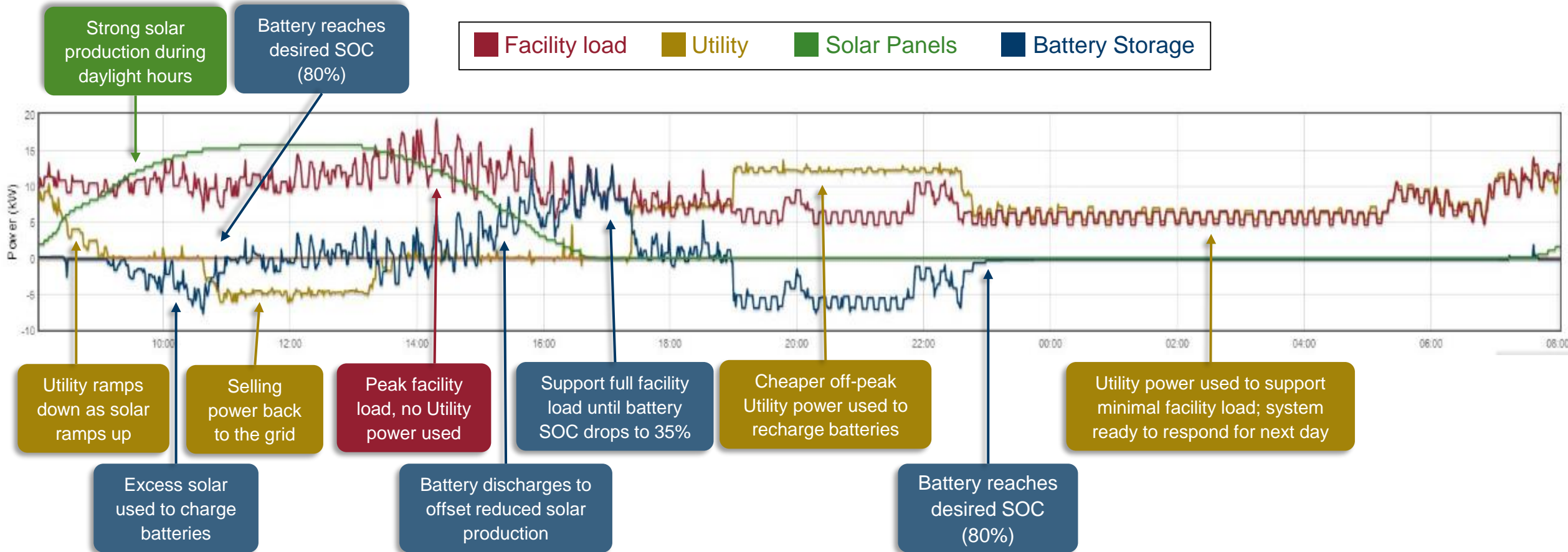
Peak shaving

Dispatch battery to lower peak loads to reduce utility demand charges – highest 15 min power usage per month



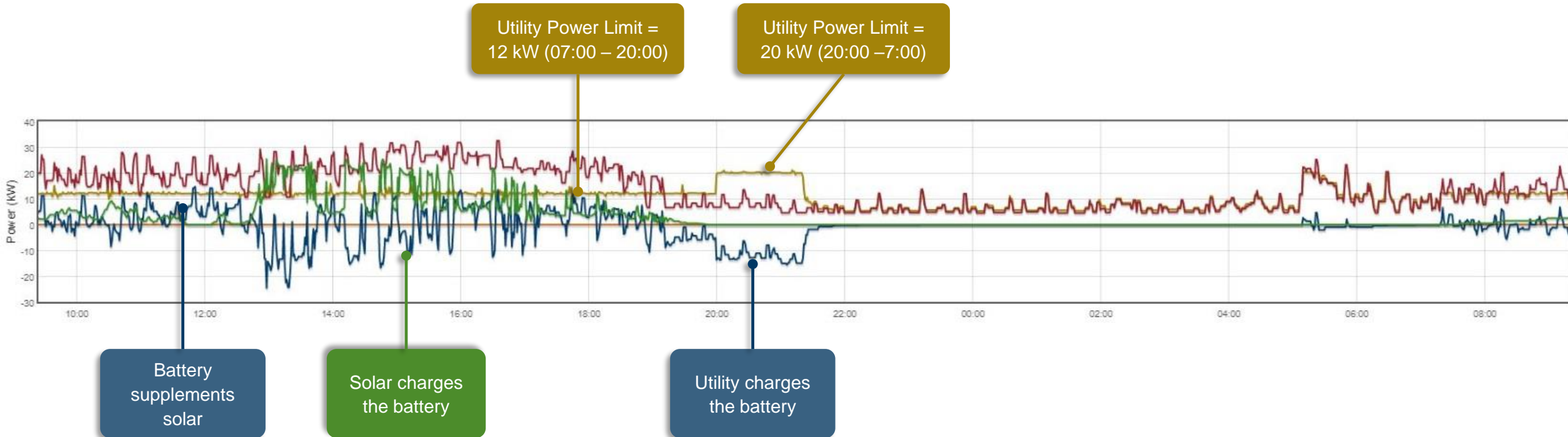
Actual microgrid performance – 24 hour period

Sunny winter day: solar and battery support the load 100% with excess solar capacity charging battery then sold back to grid



Microgrid peak shaving functions

Cloudy to partly cloudy summer day: Scheduled operation to limit utility power throughout the day - avoid demand charges




Case Study:

Microgrid at Eaton's circuit breaker factory in Arecibo, Puerto Rico


Solution:

Eaton and Enel X partnered to develop and finance a microgrid at the site by leveraging our respective intelligent power management capabilities.

The microgrid solution contributes to local sustainability and resiliency efforts while delivering cost savings and additional revenue streams with DER monetization.




Energy as a Service (EaaS) financing provided by Enel X through a 20-yr PPA

Watch the video: Eaton.com/MicrogridProjects 




Result:


Balance business goals by fully integrating the microgrid and on-site power generation with more renewables enabling two-way power flow with decentralized generation.




Integrated **5MW solar + 1.1MWh battery energy storage** into the power infrastructure



Transformed Eaton's operations to become more **sustainable and resilient...**



...all while **reducing energy costs by >12%**



Microgrid designed to withstand hurricanes

Eaton's Arecibo Puerto Rico microgrid

[Link to NEW
Arecibo microgrid
video](#)



Solar panels in adjacent fields secured with in-ground racking



Batteries provide ride-thru power when clouds pass over the solar panels



Two solar inverters convert DC to AC power from >19,000 solar panels



MV switch sends power from inverters to each building to tie them together

Arecibo microgrid Power Distribution Equipment and controls



Installed new conduits to route power sources to the centralized switchgear and controls

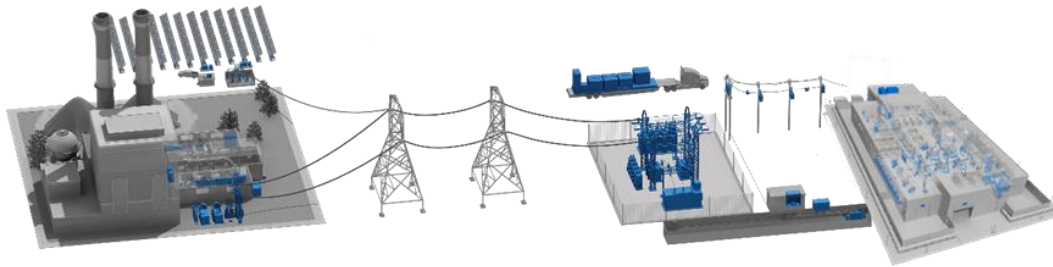


Economic optimization software paired with intelligent microgrid controls manage DERs and utility power



Replaced Eaton's aging switchgear with intelligent power distribution equipment that has paralleling capability

Microgrid complements utility power from **LUMA**



- **Net metering** – credit for exporting excess clean power generated to the local power grid
- **Reduces strain on the power grid** during peak demand periods on the island

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