

Innovative Opportunities for Food Producers

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Agenda

- Food Producer's Priorities
- CA FP Available Programs/Offerings
 - IOU EE Programs
 - IOU Strategic Energy Management Programs
 - Other Offerings
- Case Studies
 - Process Optimization



Food Producer's Priorities

- Safety
- Product Quality & Volume
- Costs & Budget
- Competitive Landscape
- Energy



CA FOOD PRODUCERS - AVAILABLE PROGRAMS/OFFERINGS



IOU EE Programs

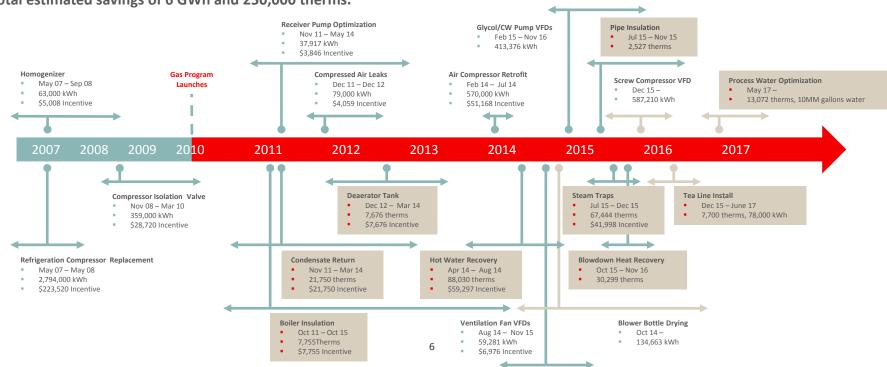
Purpose:

 Encourage investment in energy efficiency projects by providing an incentive for qualified energy efficiency measures that would not have been implemented without the program influence



Building Momentum & Trust with a Food Producer

19 utility-funded projects over three funding cycles and three utilities. Total estimated savings of 6 GWh and 250,000 therms.

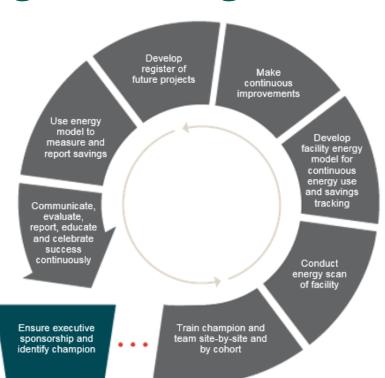




IOU Strategic Energy Management Programs

• Purpose:

- SEM is a holistic, whole facility approach,
 designed to identify and measure energy savings
 from all program activity at the facility, including:
- SEM focuses on people—not just projects and equipment
- Motivates employees to bring about changes that lead to long-lasting energy savings



Strategic planning with utility

Recruit cohort of facilities



Why SEM?

Benefits:

- Positions PG&E as a strategic energy partner
- Energy savings measured at meter level
- Ongoing technical support
- No free-ridership implications
- Existing conditions baseline!
- Additional milestone incentives



Other Programs/Offerings

- Food Production Investment Program (FPIP)
 - \$60 MM in funds available
 - Driving equipment replacement & early adoption

Electric Program Investment Charge (EPIC)



CASE STUDIES



Case Study: Process Optimization



Significant energy savings for Food Producer Project Developer recommended improvements to the plant's CIP system and secured incentives from IOU

Industry

Butter and Cheese Producer

Recommended Measure

 Install a preheating system that utilizes waste heat from the cogeneration system for the Clean-In-Place (CIP) system

Customer Support

- Completed Feasibility study, determined energy baseline and estimated energy savings to secure utility project approval and incentive
- Conducted M&V to confirm realized energy savings and seek final utility approval

Results

Saved 117,904 therms in annual energy consumption

Incentive Payment Received from Utility \$111,977

Expected Payback 1.35 Years



Case Study: Heat Recovery



Significant energy savings for Food Producer

Project Developer recommended improvements to the plant's oven and secured incentives from IOU

Industry

Snack Food Manufacturer

Recommended Measure

- Upgrading the proposed new oven with a heat recovery system.
- Heat recovery system will utilize three heat exchangers to preheat the oven intake air

Customer Support

- Completed Feasibility study, determined energy baseline and estimated energy savings to secure utility project approval and incentive
- Conducted M&V to confirm realized energy savings and seek final utility approval

Results

Saved 99,955 therms in annual energy consumption

Incentive Payment Received from Utility \$82,894

Expected Payback

1 Year



Case Study: Evaporator Fan Optimization



Significant energy savings for Food Producer Project Developer recommended improvements to the plant's refrigeration system and secured incentives from IOU

Industry

Fresh mixed salads and greens

Recommended Measure

- Replace evaporator fan motors with Electronically Commutated Motors (ECM).
- Add ECM controls to the pre-existing evaporators

Customer Support

- Completed Feasibility study, determined energy baseline and estimated energy savings to secure utility project approval and incentive
- Conducted M&V to confirm realized energy savings and seek final utility approval

Results

Estimated savings of almost 600,000 kWhs in annual energy consumption

Incentive Payment Received from Utility Estimated to be ~\$60.000

Expected Payback

1.3 Years

^{*}Project is approved for installation and awaiting project completion



Thank you

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