



EE392n: Intelligent Energy Systems

Communication Methods for Energy Management

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Communication Methods for Energy Management

- Communication Protocols
- Load Side Problem
 - Problem Constraints that shaped it
 - Clean Slate Smart Load
- Solution Concepts
 - Architecture
 - Components and Topology
 - Communication Method
 - Information Model
- What's Needed Next

Energy Grid

Generation / Transmission / Distribution

SCADA Protocol

DNP3

IEC 60870-5

IEEE 61850

GOOSE / GSSE

Load (Residential, Commercial, Industrial) - RS-485 / IP

SNMP

Barber-Colman

Zigbee

ALC WebCTRL SOAP Interface

DeviceNet (CIP)

Lennox SysBus

BACnet

Trane Com3-4

Dallas

TCS Basys

Modbus

SNRA

C-Bus

ETC-USAP

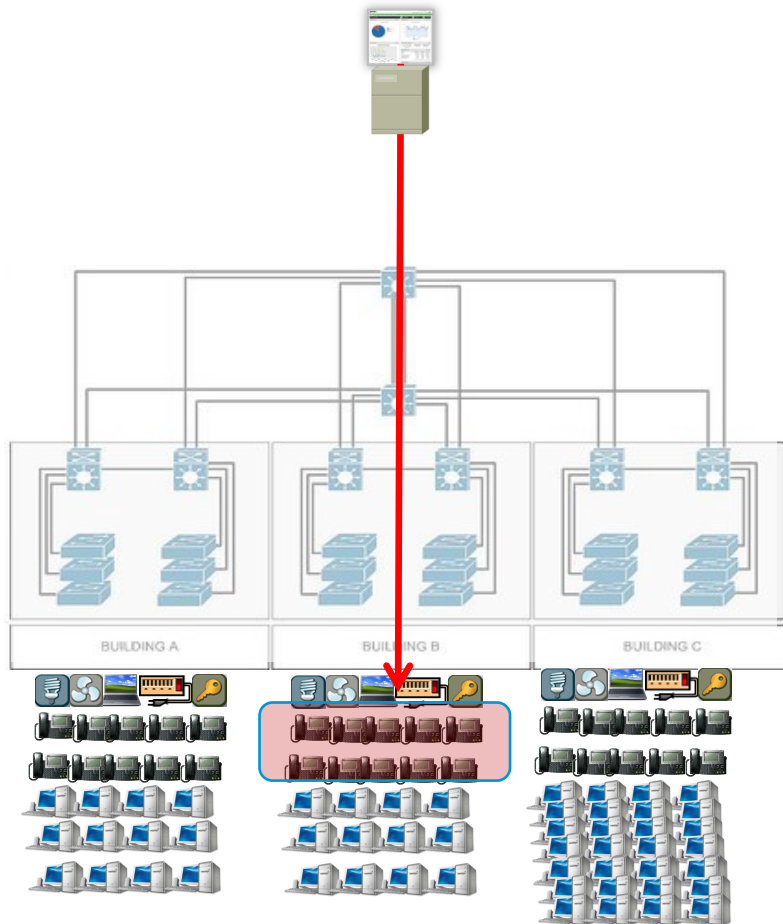
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OmniMeter

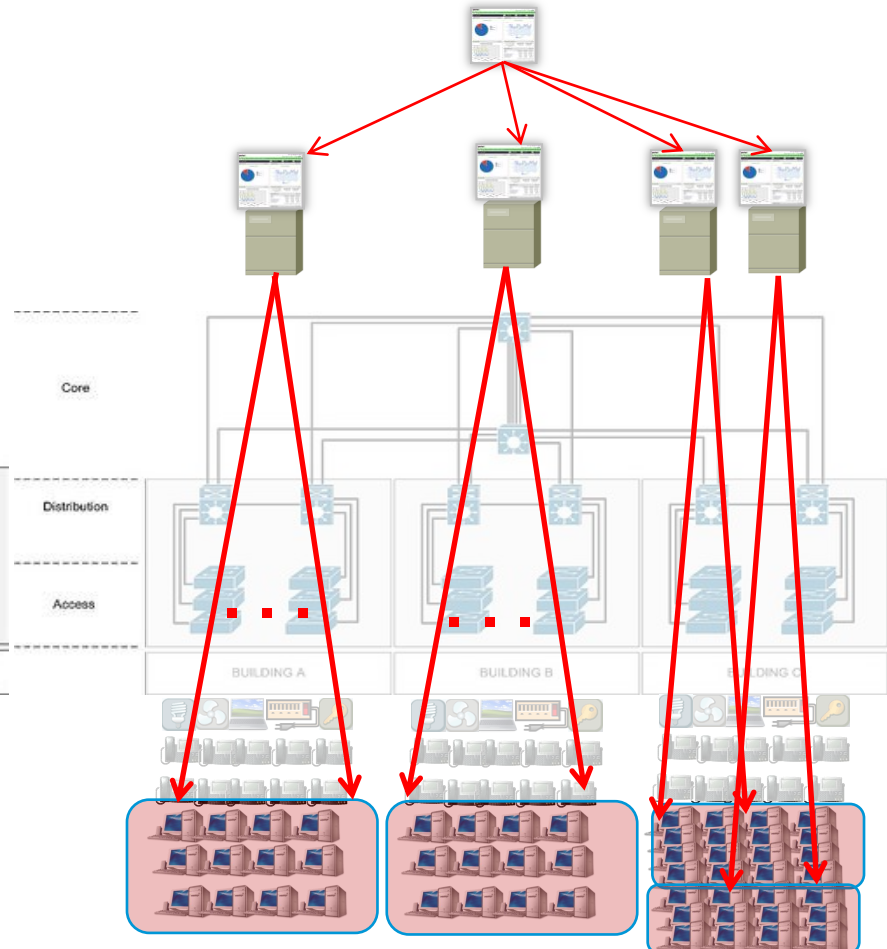
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Load Management Overlays

Single Overlay

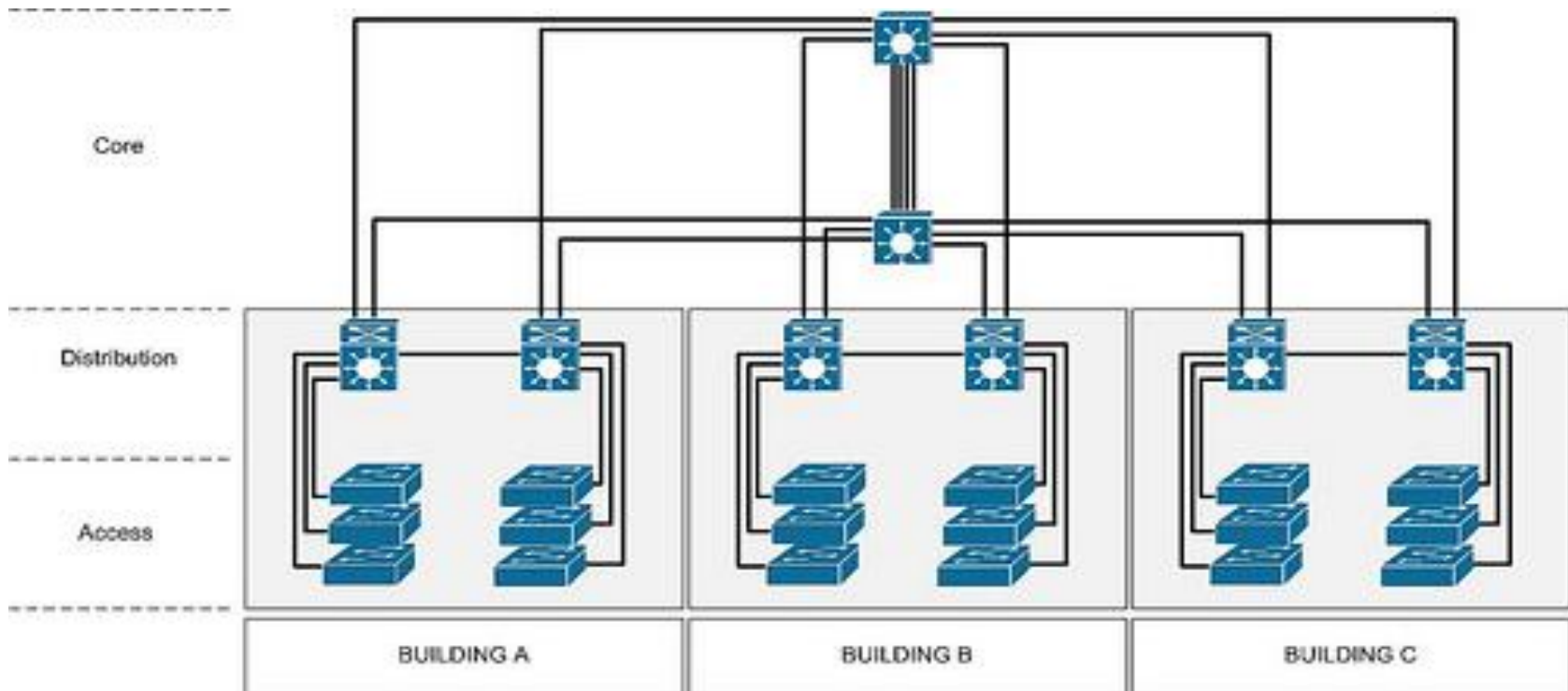


MoM Overlay



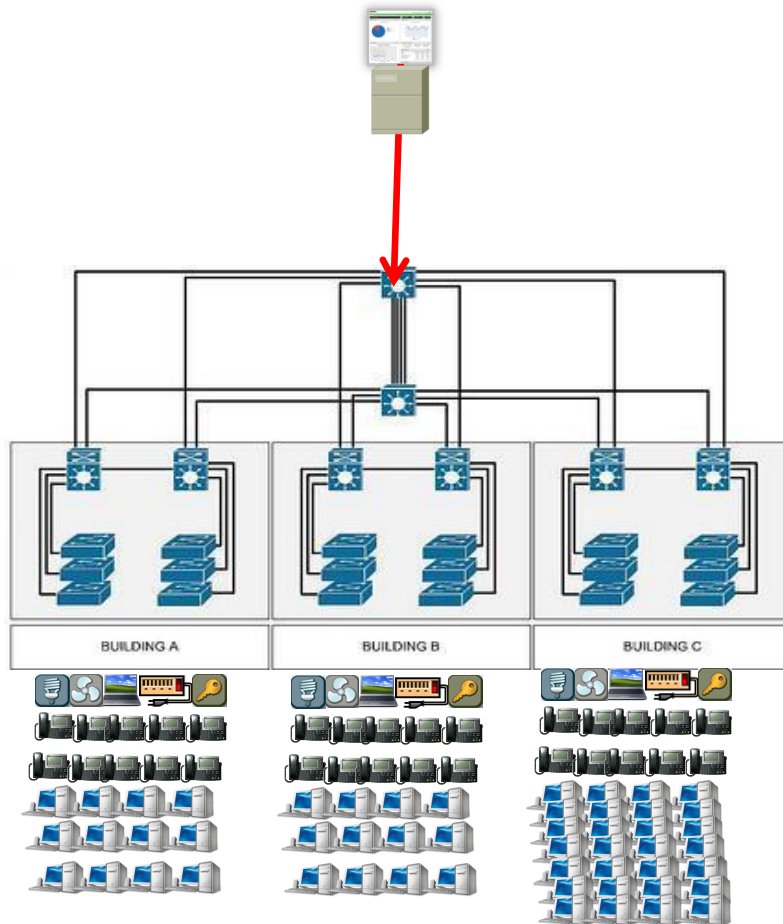
Note: Overlay and multiple connections is repeated for each type and vendor of devices or management solution - shown is just for PC..

Revealing a Network Topology

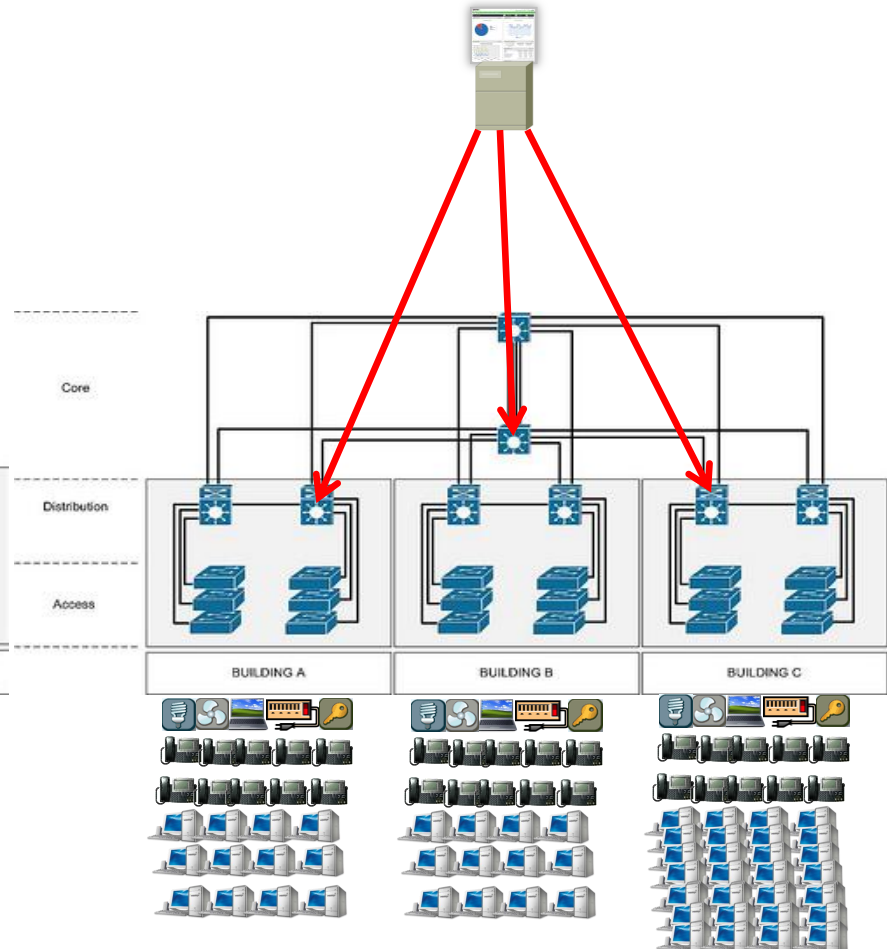


Network as the Overlay

Single Overlay

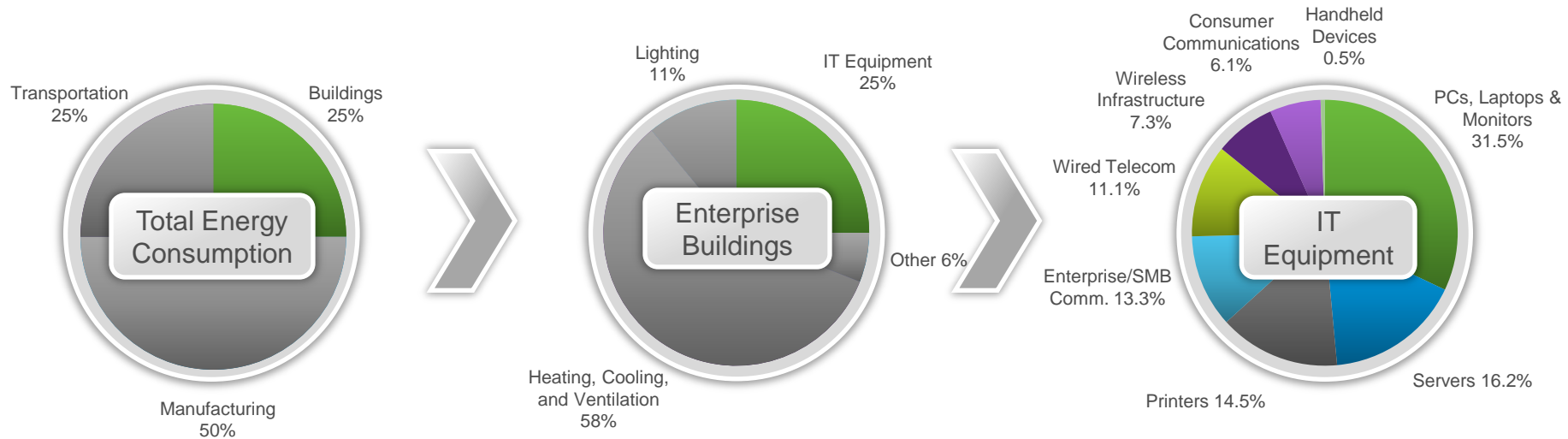


MoM Overlay



Load Side Problem

Energy Consumption



Cost Savings

- Rising energy costs
- IT device proliferation
- Change Behavior

Sustainability Mandates

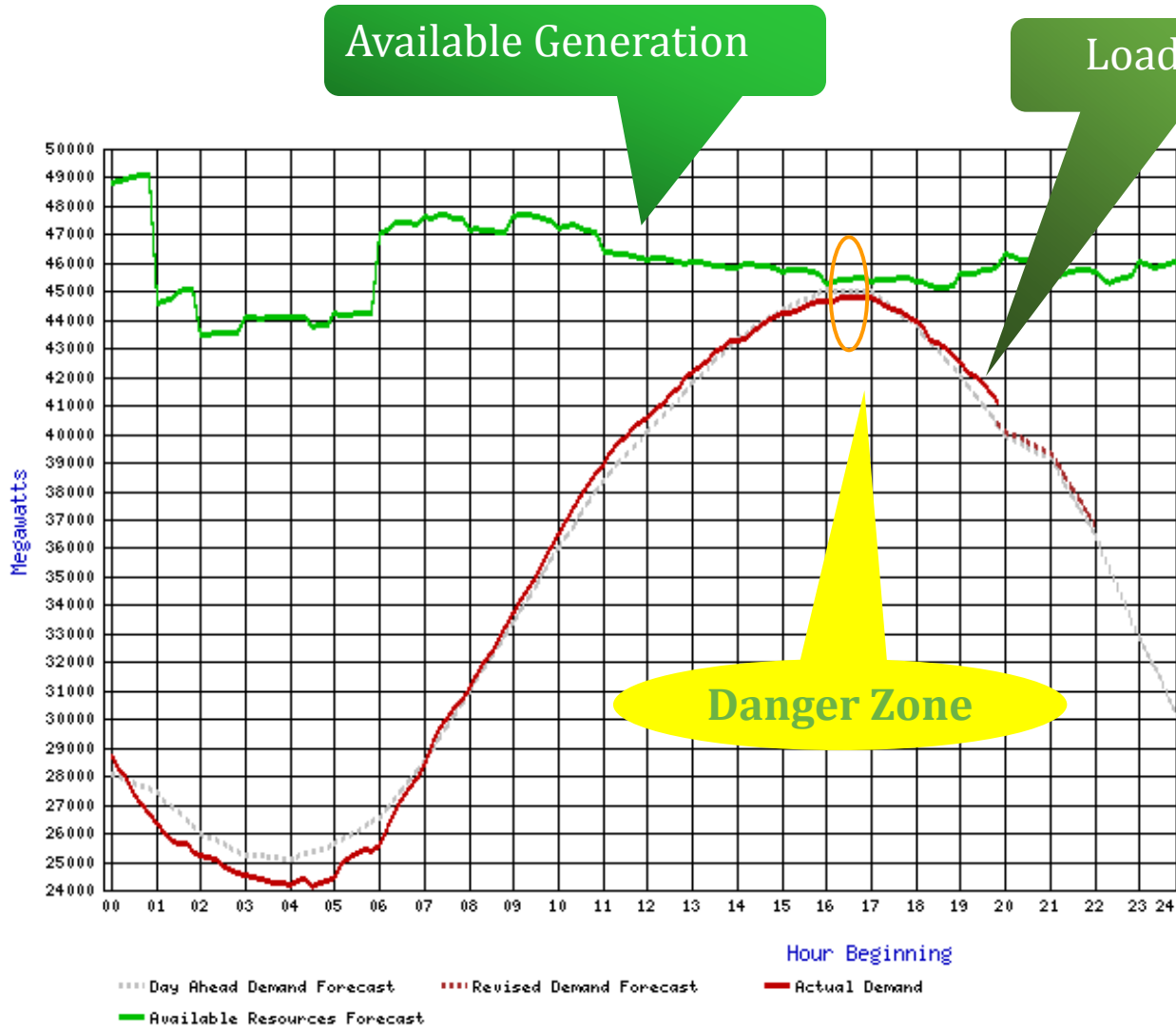
- Regulatory compliance
- Government mandates
- Company requirements

Source: BOMA 2006, EIA 2006, AIA 2006

Source: UK Energy Efficiency Best Practice Program; Energy Consumption Guide 19: Energy Use in Offices

*Source: Gartner Dataquest, Forecast of IT Hardware Energy Consumption, Worldwide, 2005-2012.

Problem: The Electric Load Curve and Peak Billing



Load Demand

Available Generation

- Passive strategies reduce the curve
- Active strategies shape the curve
- Networked systems will drive efficiency

California Heat Wave 7/6/07

New Energy Regulatory Mandates

Canada Energy Efficiency Act
 – external power supplies,
 battery chargers, TV set top
 boxes, and digital TV adapters

**EU EuP Directive – energy using products,
 including set top boxes; Data Center Code
 of Conduct**

**Japan – networking
 equipment**

**US Energy Policy Act of
 2005 – battery chargers
 and external power
 supplies; EnergyStar for
 Servers, Storage, UPS,
 and Data Centers**

**China – TV
 receivers, set top
 boxes, and DVD
 players**

**Mexico evaluating
 efficiency standards for
 electronic products**

**Australia – DVD
 players and
 recorders, hard disk
 recorders, AV
 receivers, other
 audio / video
 equipment**



**US HR 3221 – external power supplies, promote energy efficient data centers.
 HR 6 – energy efficiency labeling for set top boxes and DVR products.**

Enacted / Proposed

Original Mission: Reduce Energy Usage for Network Devices



BUT... Looking at a Device....

Power per port of attached devices in a Cisco Test Building

How much of the power for a switch is used to actually do switching?

Between 40-150W to do switching - based on model, load and/or rate (GE v 10GE)

What percentage of a switch's power is used to power attached devices?

70% of Power supply on average used to power PoE

What's the average aggregate power consumption of devices connected to a switch ?

48 port switch has on average 3392W connected to it

What's the average per port power usage?

~70W per port - TODAY!

Redefined the Problem

- **Smart Load**

Add E to FCAPS for Network Management (FCAPS+E)
Network plus attached devices can be a smart load

- **Monitor**

Awareness of energy (usage, context, demand, quality)
Fast Protocol for collection and aggregation

- **Control**

Normalized information over common interface
Fast Protocol for control especially peak demand

- **Interact**

Interface to Smart Grid / Control / Procurement (ADR)

Clean Slate view of a Smart Load

- Needs Communication and Semantics

- Communication

Create a **scalable** grid computer from a selection of devices to be managed

Self organize into a domain via discovery

Nodes in the domain should implement **distributed hash maps**

Nodes will **aggregate** data for subtended or associated endpoints

Use a **broadcast** protocol for message propagation

Layer 3 ISIS type flooding (why not multicast you ask)

Responses to broadcast can be aggregated and reduced

Adds aggregation, map / reduce, search

Fast response for requests to collect or control

No single point of failure, registry, or aggregation

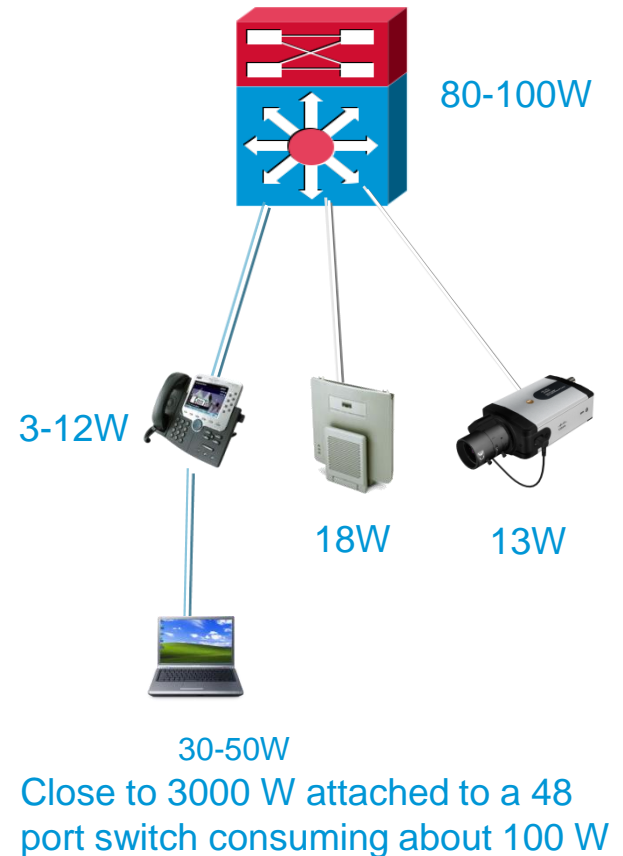
- Semantics

Information Model for Energy with Context

Control Interface

Solution Architecture Goals

- Use the **network** to measure, monitor and manage energy.
- Allow the **network nodes** to be the command and control plane for power management
- Network Node is an arbiter or **timer** for energy management
- Use the nodes to **aggregate** power usage reporting
- Allow the network to provide **secure**, reliable energy management
- Develop an **eco-system** to manage anything connecting to the network.
- **No Technology Religion** – Everything that draws power controlled using lowest common denominator



Solution Concepts

Cisco EnergyWise Architecture

MANAGEMENT / SMART LOAD APPLICATIONS

Energy Management Applications

Network Management Applications

Building Management Systems

EnergyWise Management API



Cisco Catalyst Switching Network

Management API



Gateways

SDK



EnergyWise SDK – PARTNER DEVICES



IT DEVICES

POE / POE+ / UPOE



Building Protocols/Devices

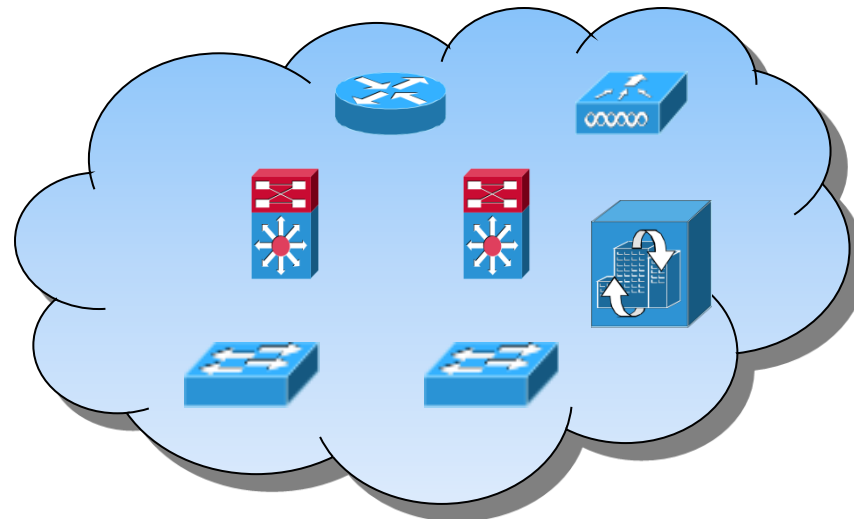


BUILDING DEVICES

Use the network to create a Smart Load

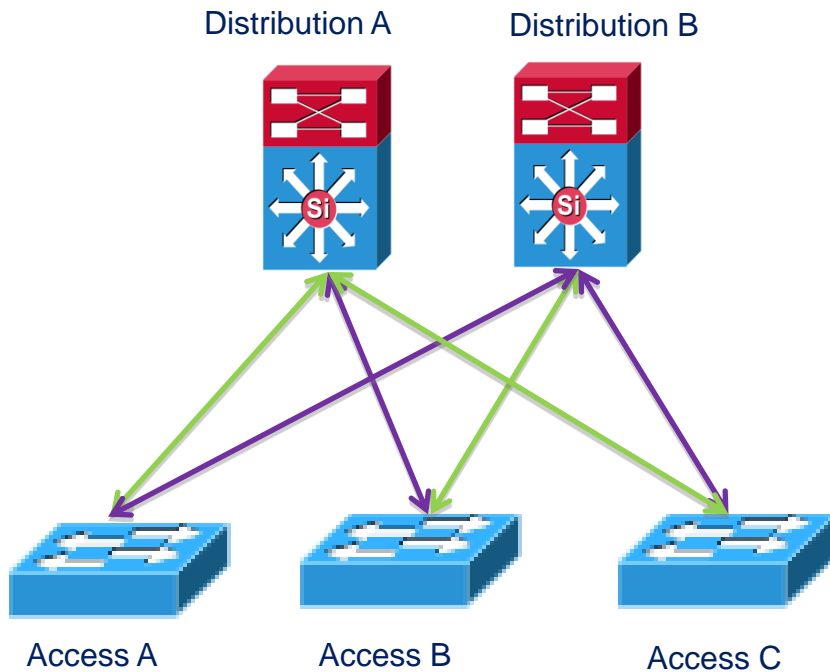
- Logical grouping of devices that are managed as **one power consuming unit**
- **Self organize** to form a grid for communication
- Members can **propagate messages** within the domain
- Domain members create neighbor relationships with each other and parent child relationships with endpoints
- The domain is a **single unit of energy management**

Cisco EnergyWise Domain

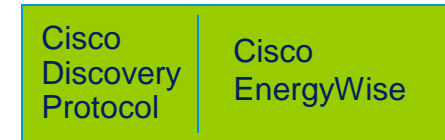


Network Devices can Self Organize

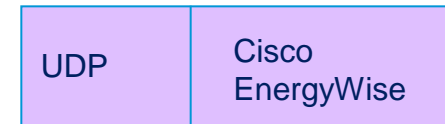
- Neighbor relationships are discovered through Cisco® Discovery Protocol , LLDP, or User Datagram Protocol (UDP) handshakes



Cisco Discovery Protocol Handshake



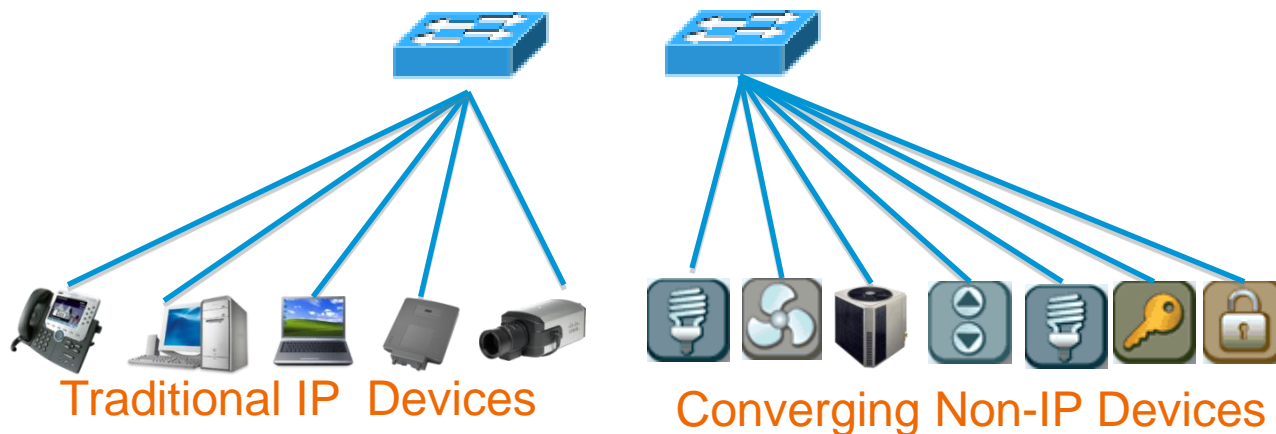
UDP Handshake



- Alternatively, can establish static neighbors

Endpoints

- Endpoints connect to a **parent** for aggregation, control (query or time of day)
- Pattern exists for PoE, PDU, Lighting, Utility-Building, etc.
- Endpoints **respond** to command and control queries but do not forward them.
- Endpoints could speak many different protocols
BACNET, MOD-BUS, Zigby, SNMP, LonBus, CIP

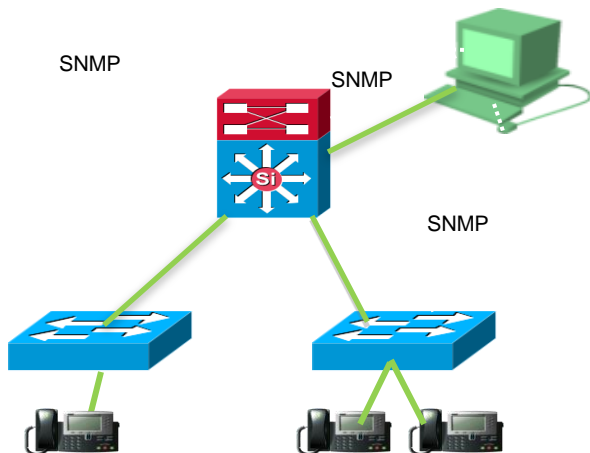


Communication

Scaling

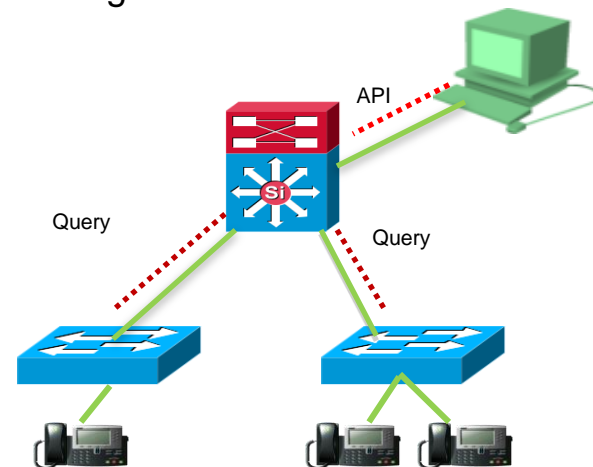
- Need a protocol that is fast and can scale as a domain grows
- Adding more management stations to process does not scale
- Use the natural order and scale of internetworking
- Group network communities to form a smart load with attached devices

Point to Point from Central Management



Processing done by single management station.
Requires more messages sent and not parallel

Broadcasting within a Domain



Internetworking adds processing as grid increases in size. Less messages sent and parallel

Query and Messaging

A domain becomes a virtual distributed power information database
Provides the ability to query this database for information similar to SQL

Question : What is the power consumed by building X?

SQL Query :

```
Select sum(usage) from MyDomain where importance <= 100 and  
name like "BldgX%";
```

Cisco EnergyWise Query:

```
Switch# energywise query importance 100 name BldgX* sum usage
```

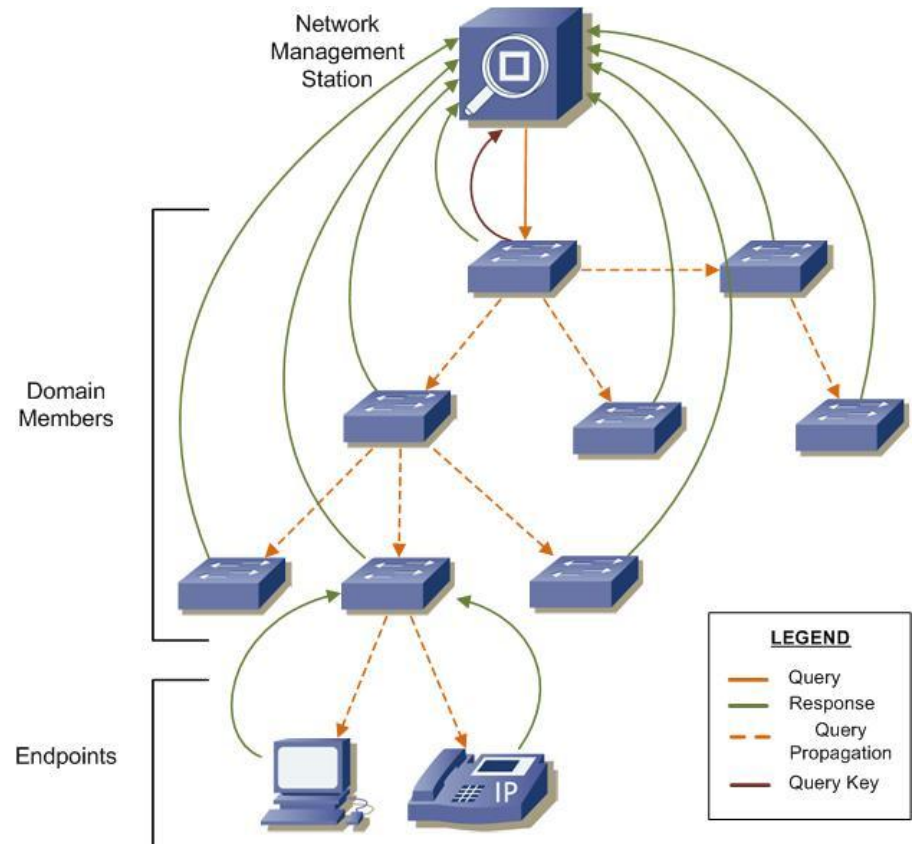
Message Propagation

Requests are flooded at Layer 3
(Similar to ISIS)

Only local trimming needed
(No routing tables)

Leverage the usage pattern
(Not a chatty protocol)

Efficient for Broadcast
(not Point-to-Point)



Queries

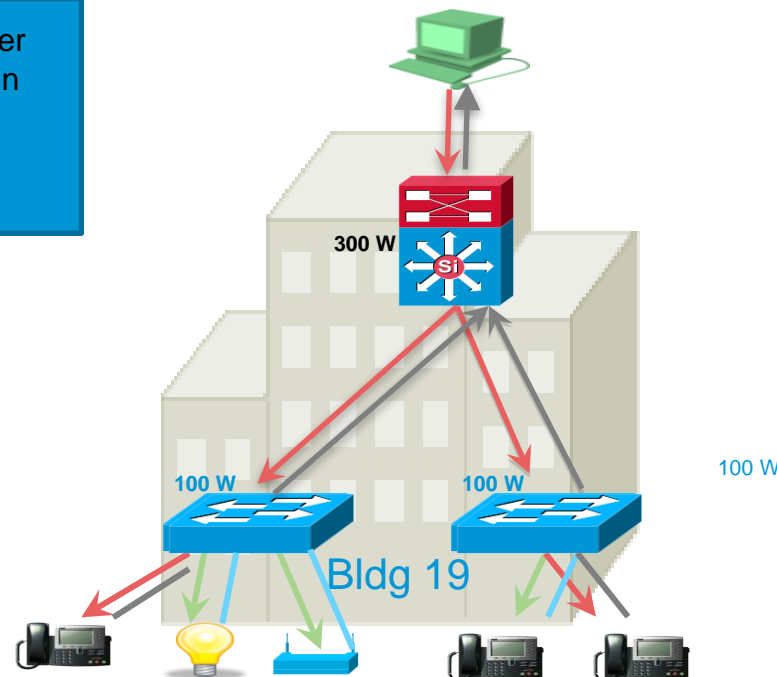
Data is TLV based and provides distributed hash map

Allows for aggregation and map/reduce type processing

- Set : Change power levels of devices using Cisco® EnergyWise query
- Sum : Get the aggregated power consumption of all the devices searched
- Collect : Get a list of individual power consumptions of all the devices searched

Query : What is the power consumed by the domain bldg 19 ?

Response: 596 Watts



Minimal and Expandable Information Model

- **Identification**

Class : Make/Model (species)

Instance : Unique identifier within domain (UUID)

- **Security**

Authentication : message Digest

Authorization : with Access

Encryption : Not addressed. Deferred to network.

- **Energy**

Power : instantaneous reading

Energy : Odometer

Demand / Quality : optional based on existing standards

Levels : monitor and control interface

Caliber : characteristics of a measurement

- **Context**

Domain : management community

Role : use in the deployment

Keyword : tagging for arbitrary organization

Importance : local setting rolled up to relative rating

Security

Management Secret

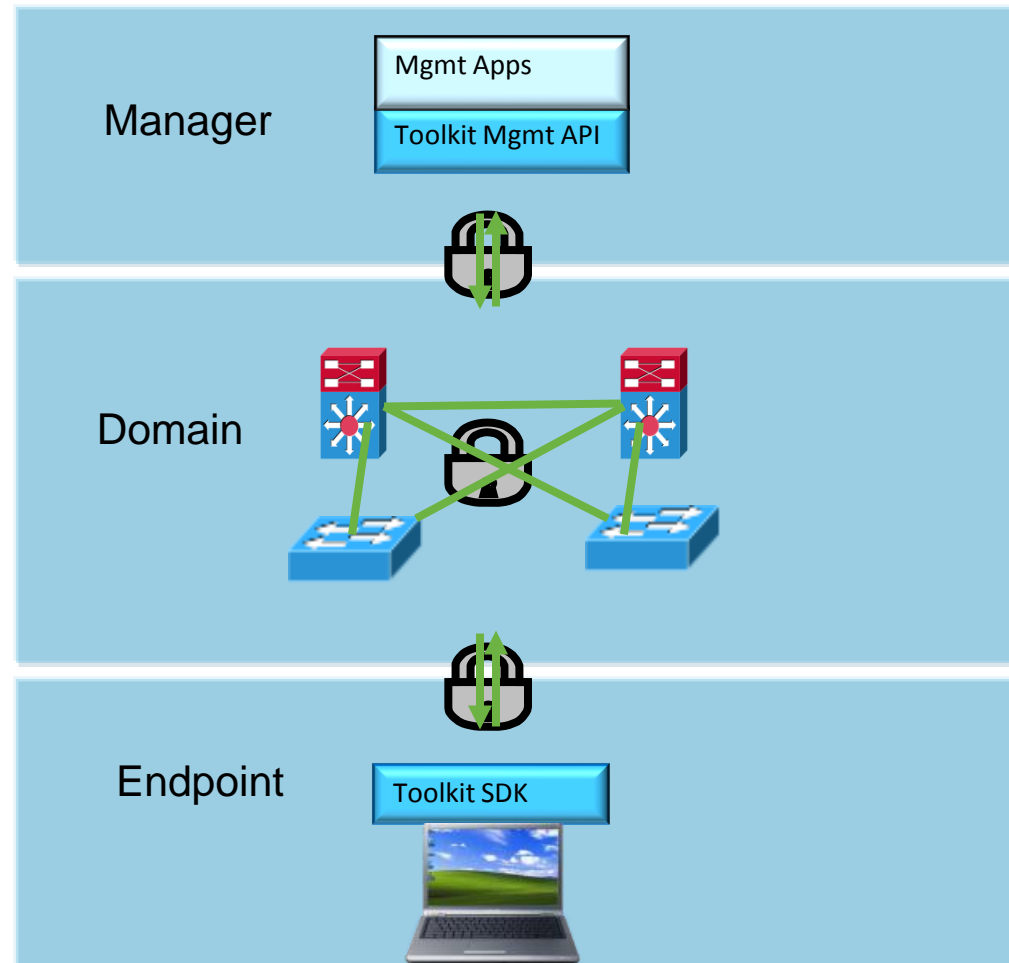
Authenticates communication from a management station

Domain Secret

Authenticates communication between members

Endpoint Secret

Authenticates communication between domain endpoints.



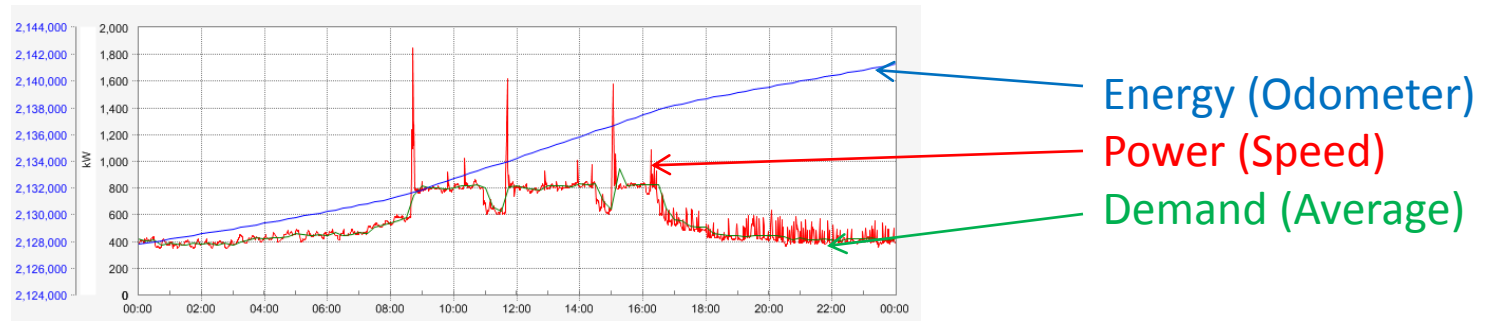
Semantics & Control Interface

Energy Awareness...

Energy (W) is a resource that enables work to be done

Power (P) is the rate of converting energy to work per unit of time

Demand (kW) is the average rate of energy consumed per interval of time



- US Utilities charge for the highest interval demand in a month
 - Demand is figured at each main incoming meter
 - Demand acknowledges equipment capability to absorb short-time overloads
 - Demand charges add penalty and uncertainty to cost forecast

Context: Keywords, Roles, Importance

ExampleLight:

Type – Light

Role – Decorative

Keyword – Lobby, Public

Importance – 20

ExampleWorkStation:

Type – Workstation

Role – Equities Trading

Keyword – Trading, Restricted

Importance – 90

Importance...

90 to 100 Emergency response

80 to 90 Executive or business critical

70 to 79 General or Average











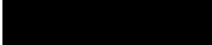
60 to 69 Staff or support

40 to 59 Public or guest

1 to 39 Decorative or hospitality

Control Interface

Representation of device power states

Category	Color	Code	Color	Level	Label
Operational (1)		FF0000	Red	10	High
				9	HighMinus
		FFFF00	Yellow	8	Medium
				7	MediumMinus
		00FF00	Green	6	Low
				5	LowMinus
Standby (0)		0000FF	Blue	4	Ready
				3	Standby
		A52A2A	Brown	2	Sleep
				1	Hibernate
Nonoperational (-1)		000000	Black	0	Off/SoftOff

Standards based levels

State	DMTF Power State	ACPI State	MIB Power EW/IETF State Name
Non-operational states:			
0	Off-Hard	G3, S5	Shut/Mech Off
0	Off-Soft	G2, S5	Shut/Soft Off
1	Hibernate	G1, S4	Hibernate/Hibernate
2	Sleep-Deep	G1, S3	Sleep/Sleep
3	Sleep-Light	G1, S2	Standby/Standby
4	Sleep-Light	G1, S1	Ready/Ready
Operational states:			
5	On	G0, S0, P5	Low/LowMinus
6	On	G0, S0, P4	Frugal/Low
7	On	G0, S0, P3	Medium/MediumMinus
8	On	G0, S0, P2	Reduced/Medium
9	On	G0, S0, P1	High/HighMinus
10	On	G0, S0, P0	Full/High

Queries: Sums and Deltas

Summing can give the total possible power change in the domain based on present configuration options.

```
Switch# energywise query importance 50 keyword `Decorative` sum delta
```

```
EnergyWise query, timeout is 3 seconds:
```

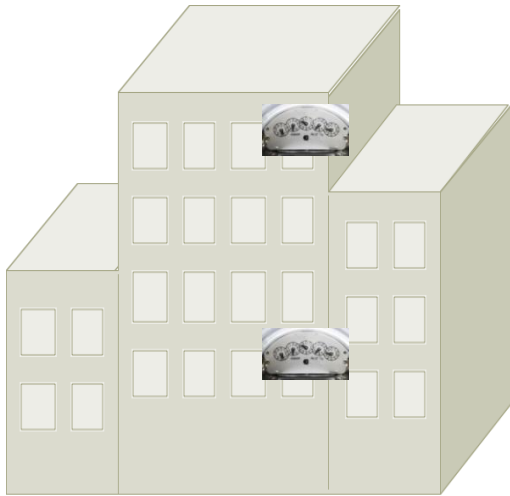
Level	Label	Delta Power (W)
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0	Shut	-723.8
1	Hibernate	-610.3
2	Sleep	-520.3
3	Standby	-520.3
4	Ready	0.0
5	Low Minus	0.0
6	Low	0.0
7	Medium Minus	0.0
8	Medium	0.0
9	High Minus	+223.8
10	High	+223.8

```
Queried: 48      Responded: 48      Time: 0.15 seconds
```


Deployments

Metering and Sub-metering

Midsize Branch Office



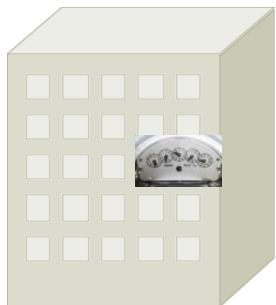
1 or More Meters
or Submeters

Large Campus Building



Many Meters or
Submeters

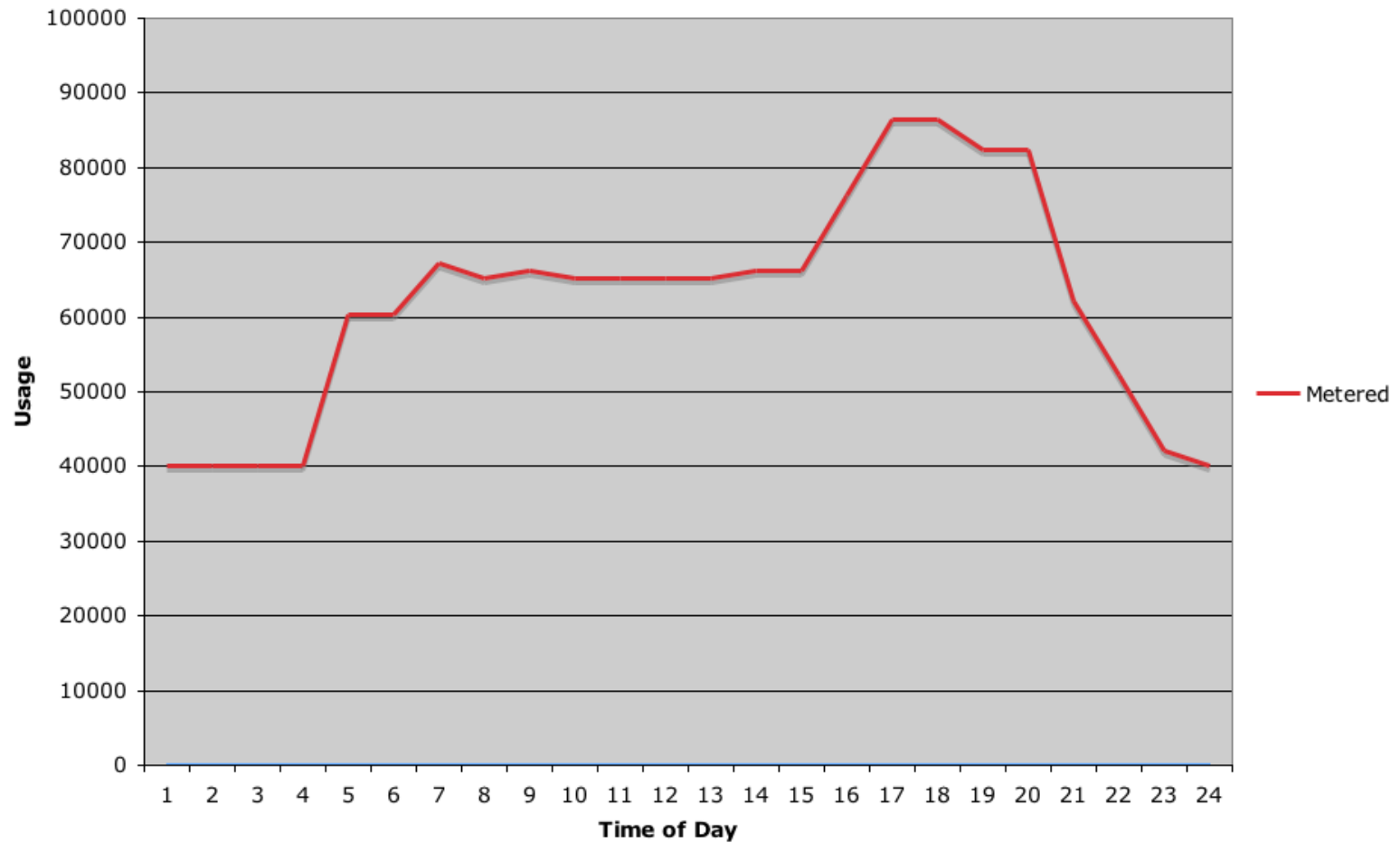
Small Branch Office



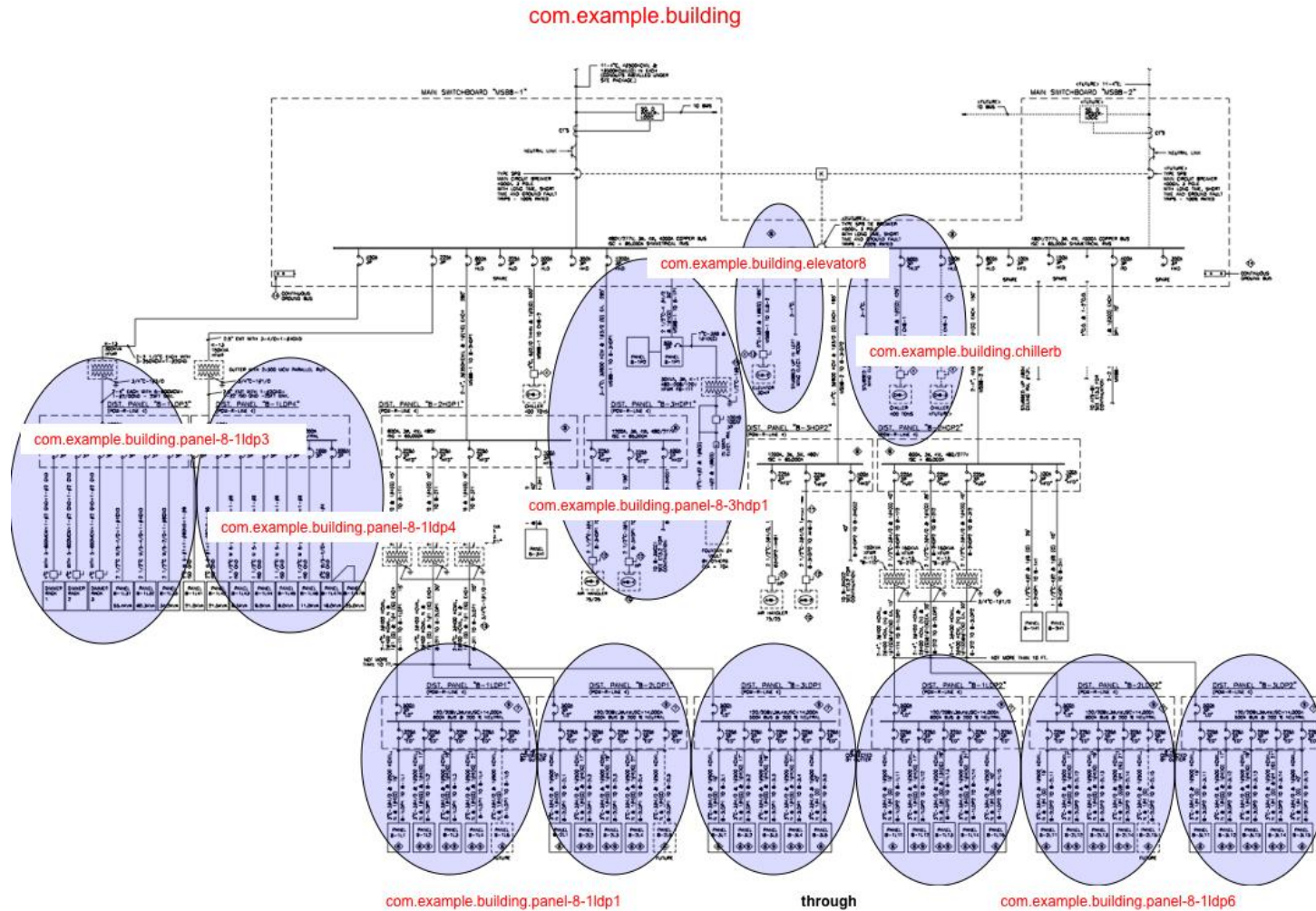
1 Submeter

Typical Metering

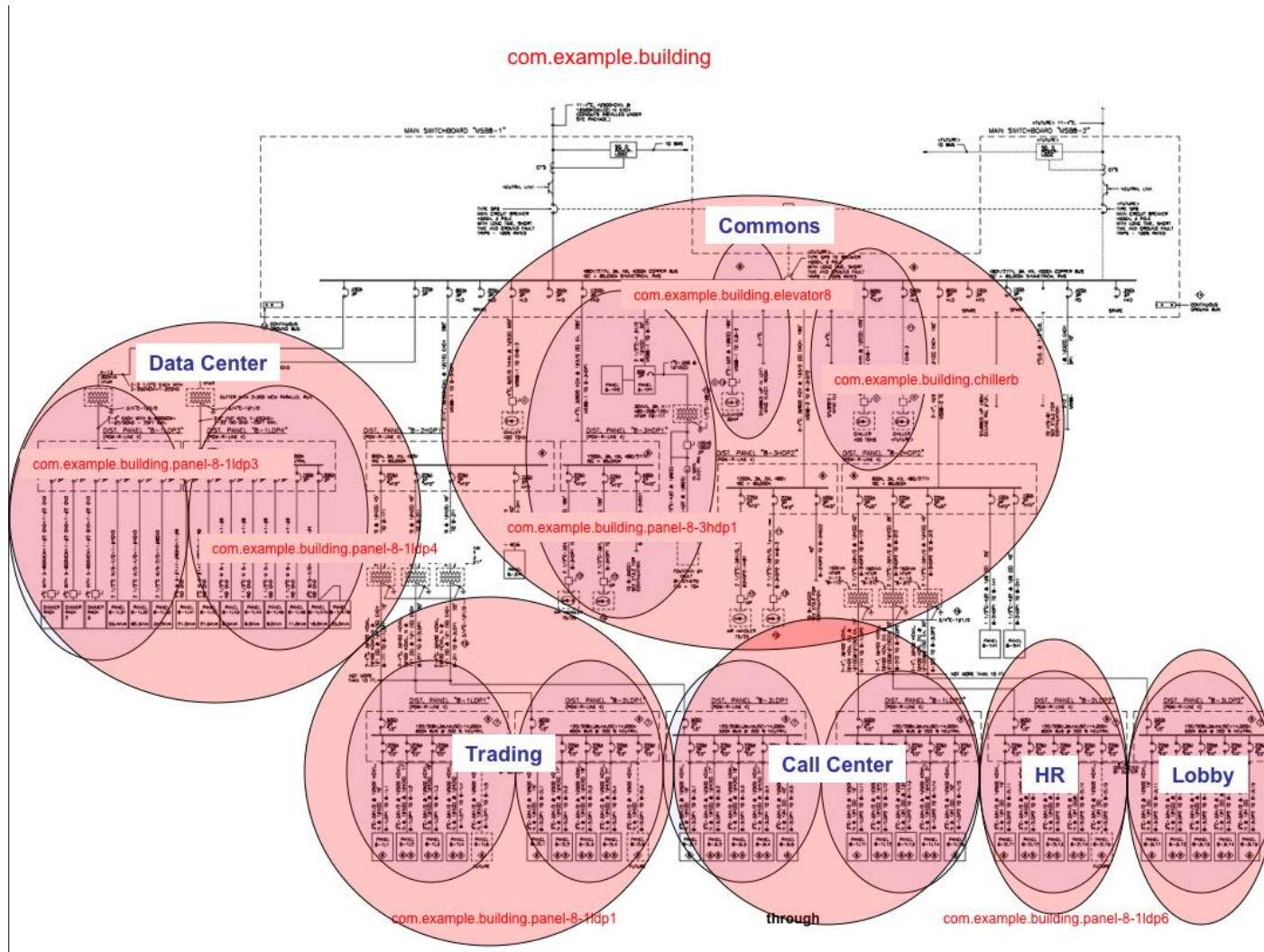
Energy Domain Metered



Match Energy Domains to Electrical Distribution

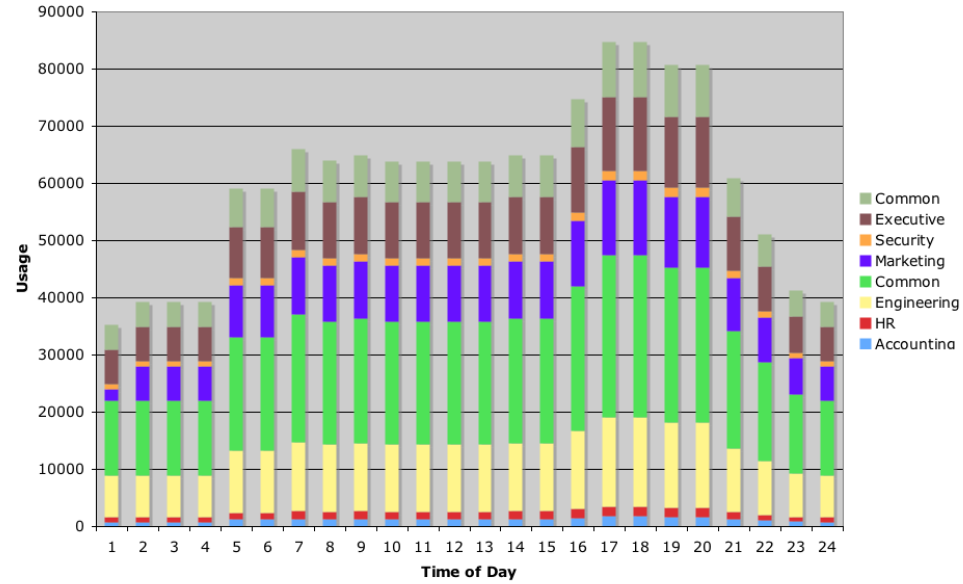


Add Business Context

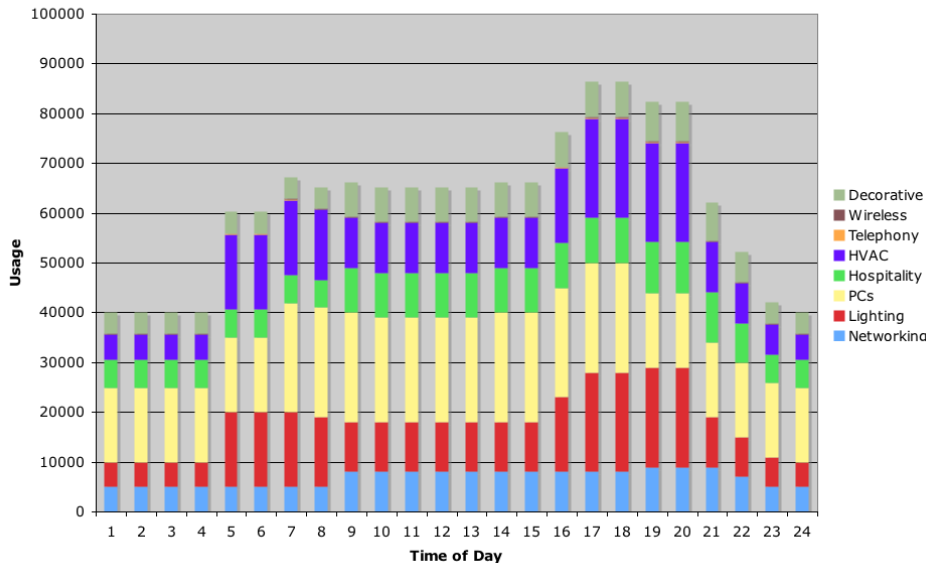


Details From Domain Estimating True Metering

Energy Domain Business Context



Energy Domain Details



What's Needed Next...

Eco-System



Management – Energy, Network, Others



Enterprise Infrastructure Partners



End Devices



BMS, Gateways



Services, Regional, Other Value-add



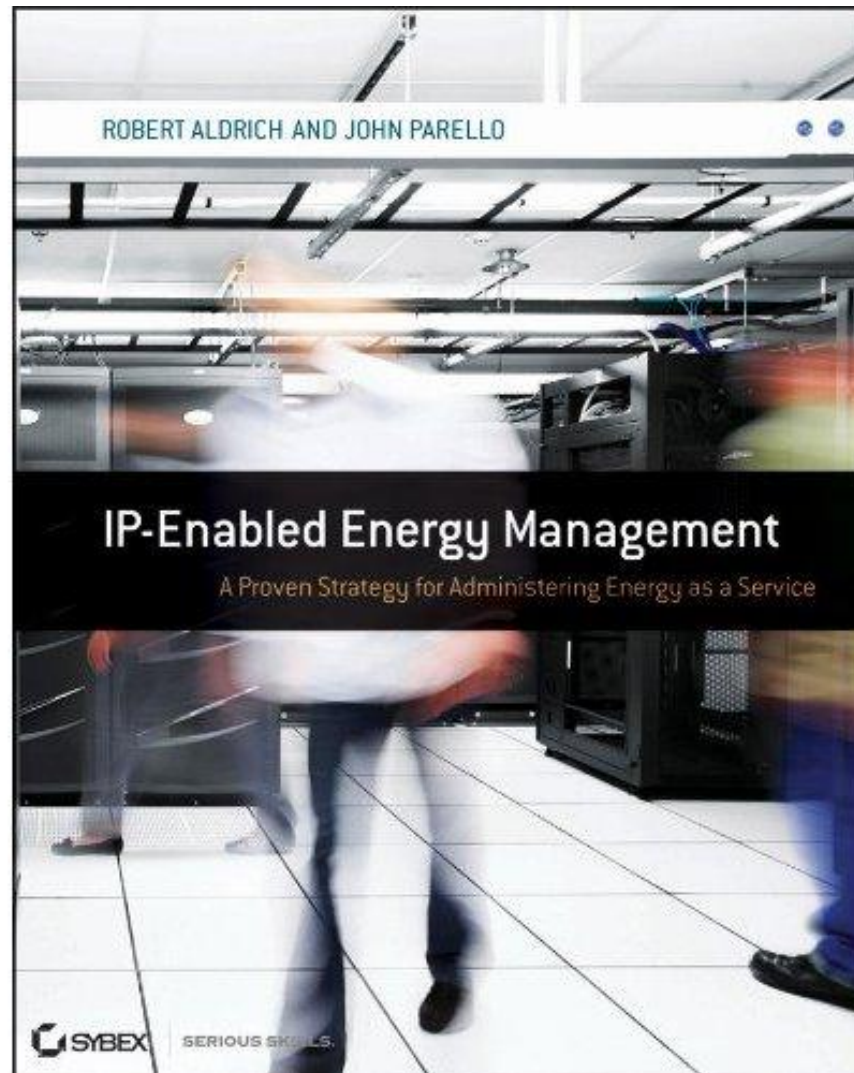
Standards Work

- Established IETF EMAN working Group
 - Leading effort for Energy over IP
 - Standardizing Information Model first
 - Specifying Architecture
 - Working with Existing bodies such as DMTF, IEC, IEEE, ASHRAE etc
- ODVA work with CIP for Industrial Automation
- Integration via 802.3az (EEE)

Areas for Research

- Power distribution like VOIP (power setup, power route, QoS)
- Negotiating Power, Energy, and Demand over Electrical lines
 - Identification of devices based on power characteristics
- Sleeping a device and proxy presence
- Broadcast communication
 - Storm prevention within a palatable multicast
 - How to add Point-to-Point easily (registry?)
- Estimating and Characterizing Measurements (virtual devices)
- Protocol translations and routing (mediation)
- Accounting / Negotiating overlapping measurements
- Track energy cost of packet / routing based on cost
- Predicting MTTR and/or Maintenance based on energy usage

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