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# Why Integrate Energy Storage Into a Behind-the-Meter CHP System?



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# **Overview**

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# What is Energy Storage?

- Capturing and storing energy produced at one time to perform useful processes at a later time
- Involves converting energy from forms that are difficult to store to more conveniently or economically storable forms
- Stored energy can be used in the event of a power outage, voltage sag, or if a particular power source is unable to meet its demand



# **Types of Energy Storage Batteries**

#### Flow Batteries:

- Stores energy in chemically reactive liquids, held in two tanks separate from the actual battery cell
- System pumps the two liquids from the tanks into a cell where a chemical reaction releases electrons that supply power onto the grid

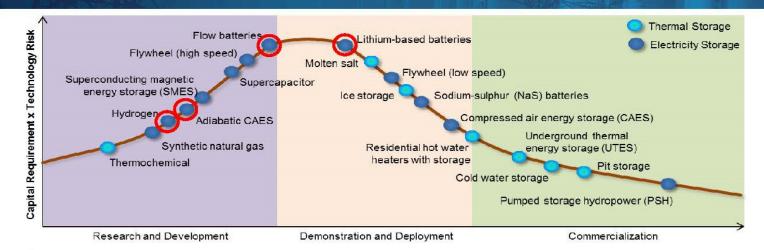
### Solid State:

- lithium ion, nickel-cadmium, sodium sulfur
- As the battery charges, chemical ions move through the electrolyte from the positive to the negative
- From the negative to the positive electrode, as the battery discharges



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#### **Technology Evolution – 2013-2016**



#### **Technology:**

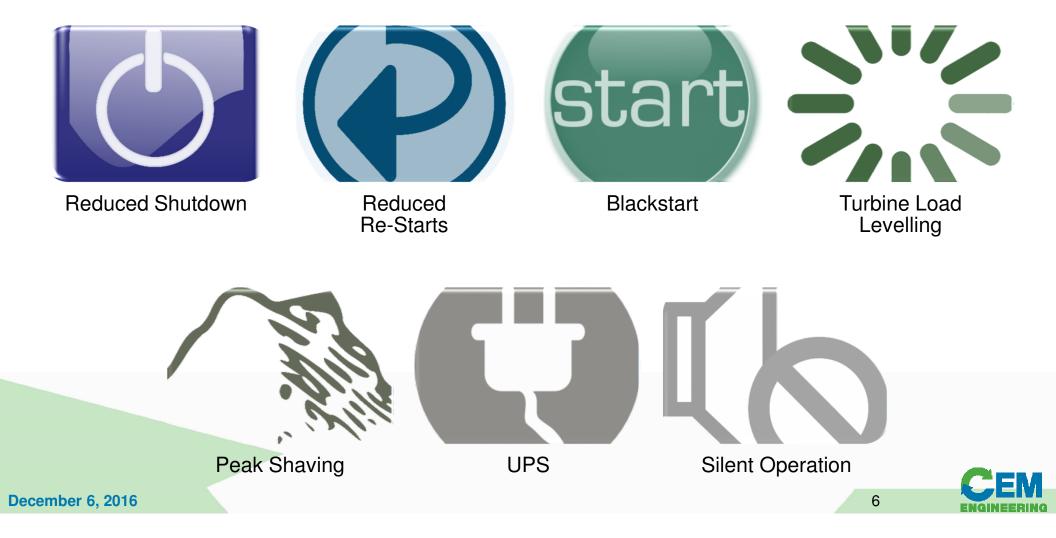
- Li-ion have become the most installed new battery type (2012-2016)
- Cell costs have been decreasing, and are expected to continue:
  - Flow batteries ( $680 \rightarrow 350/kWh$ )
  - Li-ion (\$550 → \$200/kWh)
- Fully Installed costs are higher:
  - Inverter & interconnect ~\$450/kW
  - BMS & control ~\$325/kW
  - Installation & contingency ~\$250/kW

#### **Research and Development:**

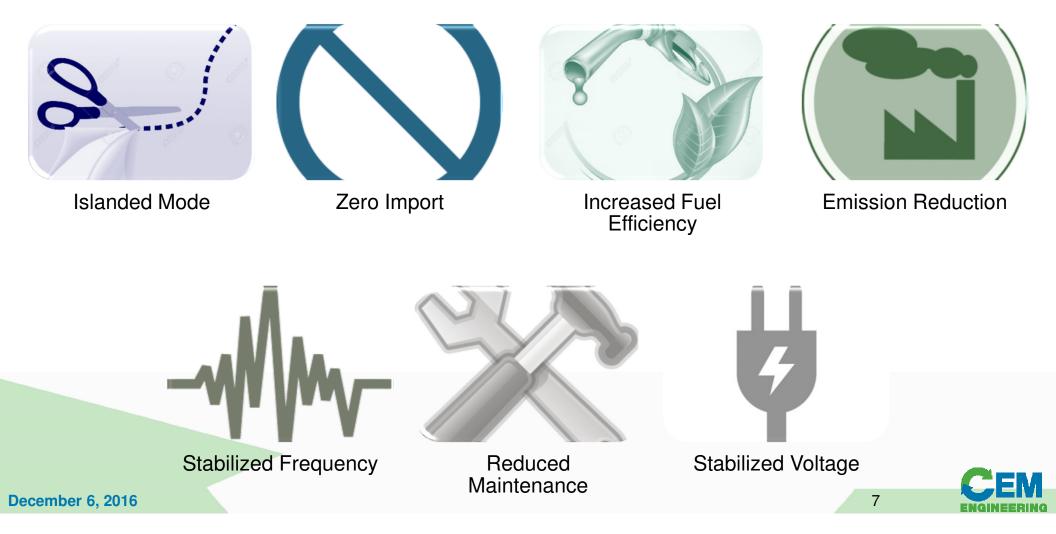
- University based research Networks
  - Future Energy Systems Research Institute (U of Alberta)
  - NSERC NEST Network
    (Ryerson)
  - UBC/Fraunhofer Clean Energy
    Partnership
- US DOE Energy Storage Program
- Energy Storage Integration Council (ESIC

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## **Benefits of Energy Storage**

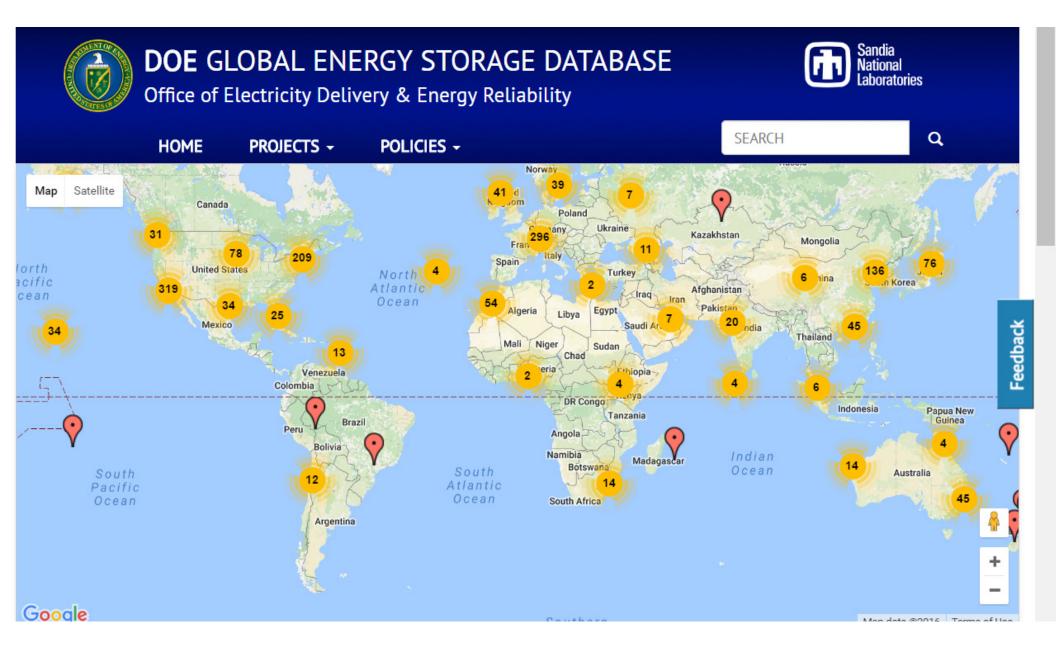


### **Benefits of Energy Storage**





THE ECO-H<sup>™</sup> SYSTEM MONITORS THE POWER DEMAND AND REACTS INSTANTLY TO TRANSIENT LOADS BY EITHER PROVIDING OR ABSORBING POWER. THE ECO-LOGIC<sup>™</sup> MAINTAINS THE GENSET(S) TO OPERATE AT A HIGHER LOAD EFFICIENCY WHILE DAMPENING THE GENSET(S) RESPONSE.



### **Examples of Energy Storage** Ryerson University – Centre for Urban Energy (600 kW.h)

- Academic-industry partnership with Ryerson University, Hydro One, Toronto
- Hydro and IESO to test a homegrown battery system in downtown Toronto. The project's goal is to demonstrate how off-peak electricity can be stored to help improve grid performance during outages, fix power quality issues, and mitigate capacity constraints on the grid.



 The battery system is connected to Ryerson's Centre for Urban Energy located in the Merchandise building (a mixed-use facility) and can provide up to 600kWh of electricity.



### **Examples of Energy Storage** Stem – 1.3 MW Indoor Energy Storage System

- Mixed-use corporate complex with 2.1 million square feet of space, owned by LBA Realty.
- The battery system will be the largest indoor energy storage system in the U.S.





### **Typical Capacities** (Assuming 1 MW<sub>e</sub> of Total Power)

Description	Power Transient Management	Peak Demand and Power Transient Management	Peak Demand and Power Transient Management
Battery Design Energy @ Beginning of Life (kW.h)	160.5	2,142	2,562
Usable Energy @ Beginning of Life (kW.h)	151	2,014	2,408
Depth of Discharge Range	65% - 85%	5% - 95%	5% - 95%
Total Battery Racks (Populated of Total Racks)	6 of 6	46 of 55	55 of 55



# Why Integrate Storage Into CHP?

- 1) Quality of remaining power purchased can fluctuate.
- 2) Cost of remaining power purchased can remain very high.
- 3) Pressure to reduce natural gas use/CO<sub>2</sub>
- 4) Prime movers cannot always electrically load follow perfectly, in the islanded mode.
- 5) Not all CHP systems have blackstart capability





# **Case Study: Campbell Company of Canada**

- 85 Years in Canada
- Plant Opened: August 1931
- Total Plant : 550,000 sq. ft.
- Annual Volume: 12.5 Million Adjusted Cases
- Human Resources: 400 non-union and 147 office
- Two-thirds of Campbell Canada's ingredients (fresh carrots, potatoes, and mushrooms) come from within three hours drive of our plant
- Sole Campbell Plant in Canada producing canned products
- First Campbell Plant in North America producing Aseptic carton product











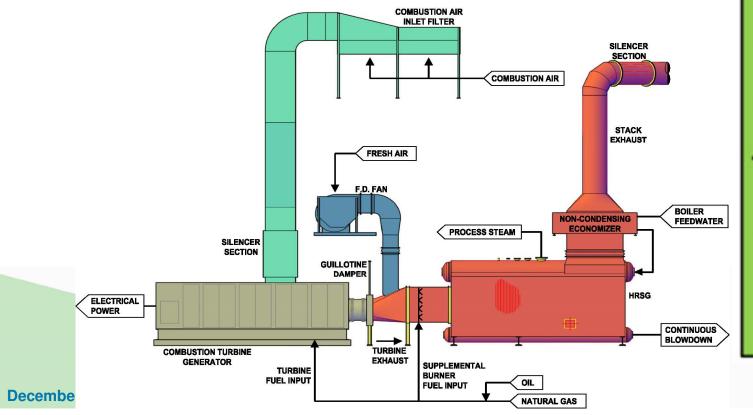
## 4.8 MW CHP System: Online Since December 2015!





# **Outputs**

 GTG Up to 4.8 MW power. HRSG 28,000 lbs/hr steam@165 psi from exhaust heat and up to 90,000 lbs/hr of Steam



Project will produce 92% of annual electricity and 93% of annual steam. Annually, Toronto will utilize approximately 40% more natural gas, but the generated electricity will have a net reduction of GHG emissions by approximately 9,300 tonnes CO<sub>2e</sub>.

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### **Heat Recovery Steam Generator**





### **Gas Turbine Generator**

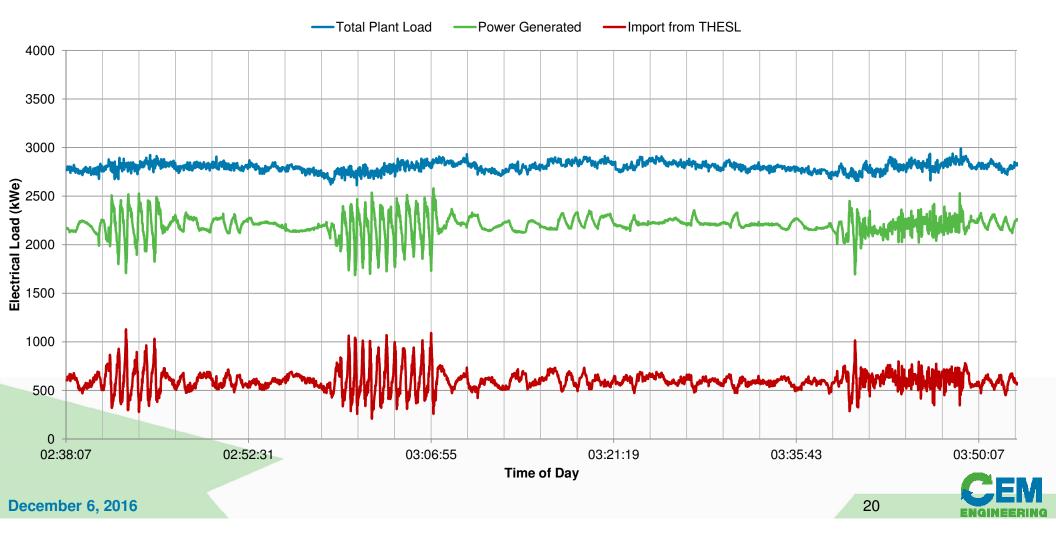


# Problem

- The CHP system has been operating for about one year.
- Frequent power blips from electrical LDC (roughly 1 every 3 weeks)
- Cost of remaining power purchased (200 kW<sub>e</sub> 300 kW<sub>e</sub>) very high (roughly 35¢ CAD/kW.h)
- Cost of lost production is crazy
- Plant losing new product/volume due to power blips

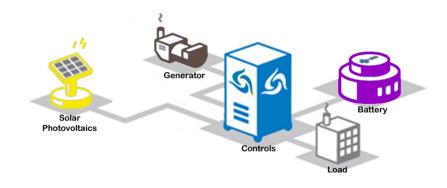


### **1-Second Interval Data**



# **Proposed Project**

- 1 MW/2 MW.h battery storage
  - Lithium ion (LG)
  - Containerized
- Islanded from the electrical grid (that is, microgrid)
- 500 kW of solar PV panels
- 8 electric vehicle recharging stations

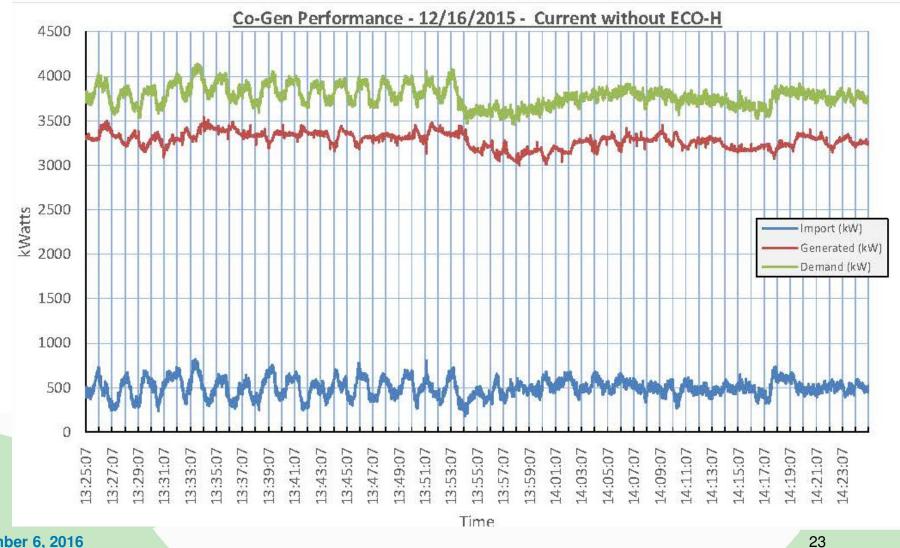


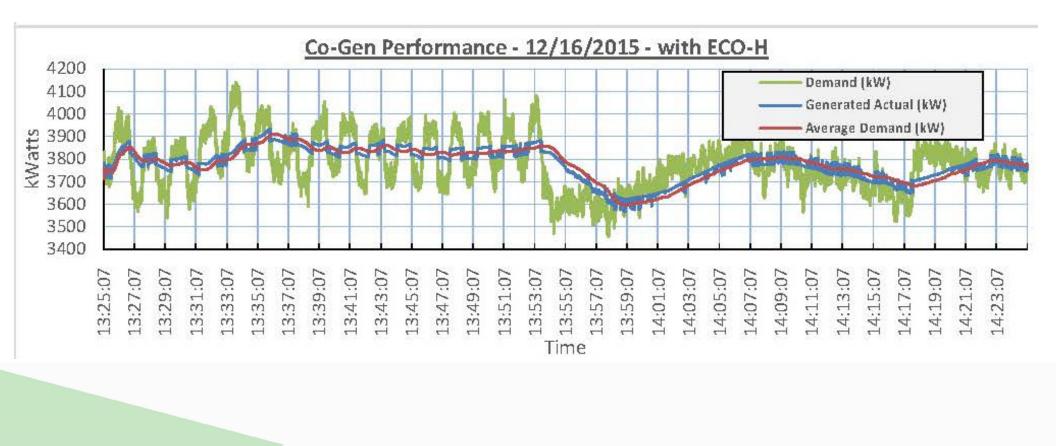


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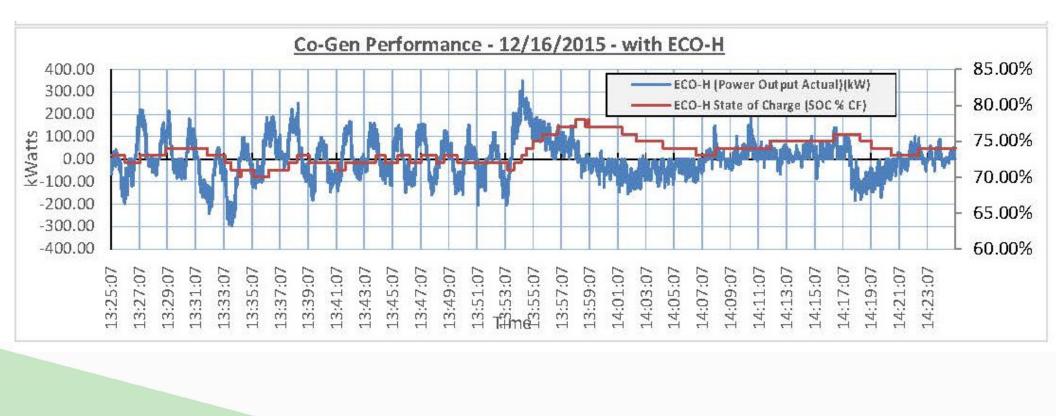






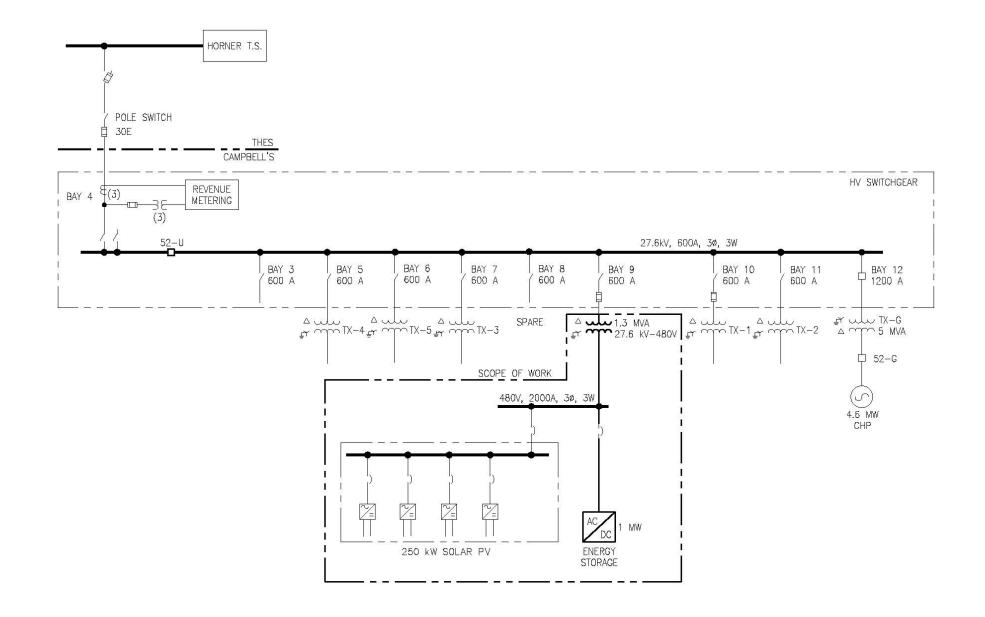












# Approximate Capital Cost (\$000's CAD)

Storage Capacity: 120 Minutes		
Main Equipment	3,930	
Installation by Trades	680	
Civil/Structural	130	
Professional Services	850	
Project Contingency (10%)	510	
Approximate Capital Cost (Supply/Install)	6,100	



# Typical Business Case (\$000's CAD)

Storage Capacity: 120 Minutes		
Purchased Electricity Avoided (Per Year) 6,000 MW.h x \$110/MW.h	660	
Lost Production Avoided (Per Year) \$50,000/occurrence x 12 occurrences/year	600	
Value of CO2 Credits Generated 1,700 tonnes/yr x \$30/tonne	50	
Total Potential Cost Savings (Per Year)	1,310	
Rough Net Capital Cost (After Grant)	3,050	
Simple Payback	2.3 years	



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# **CO<sub>2</sub> Tonnes/Year Saved**

- CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions Factor for Natural Gas:
- Gross FCP Heat Rate:
- Total Electricity Saved:

0.059 tonne CO<sub>2</sub>/mmBtu

4,700 Btu/kW.h (HHV)

6,000 MW.h/year

- $CO_2$  Savings = 6,000 MW.h/year x 4,700 Btu/kW.h x 0.059 tonne  $CO_2$ /mmBtu
- $CO_2$  Savings = 1,700 tonne  $CO_2$ /year



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#### What gaps still exist?



#### Competitiveness

 <u>Total installed costs</u>, including manufacturing and grid integration costs, must be less than the monetizable benefits of individual projects.



#### Industry Acceptance

 All stakeholders must have solid understanding of storage technology's <u>benefits and risks</u> relative to other options



#### Validated Reliability and Safety

• Sample performance data, standard testing protocols and validation tools must be readily available to a variety of stakeholders to ensure validated performance of new technology.



#### Equitable Regulatory Environment

 Any <u>artificial barriers to the installation, and operation</u> (including the sharing of benefits) must be identified and eliminated in order to reduce financing and project development risk

<sup>13</sup> U.S. Department of Energy "Grid Energy Storage", Dec 2013

