A look into the future of Energy Efficiencies



We won't let history define our future. Our actions will speak for us. Our determination will turn doubters into believers.

Future Power Considerations

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Power

Optical

Rectenna

Triboelectricity

Sodium-Ion

batteries

- Triboelectricity- Enables production of an electrical charge from friction caused by two different materials coming into contact
- Optical rectenna- Electromagnetic waves into direct current electricity
- Flexible generator-Solid-state devices that directly convert heat to electricity without moving parts
- Enhanced controls-Plant control systems and compute controls all inclusive
- Sodium Ion batteries-Could be a replacement for Lithium
- U Beam batteries- Uses ultrasound to transmit electricity

U beam batteries

Future Cooling Considerations



- Energy reuse Capture waste heat and repurpose
- *New* Chemical solution Emerging chemical solution that will enhance heat transfer
- Submerge cooling Utilizing an immersive solution for infrastructure and at compute level
- Enhanced controls Plant control systems and compute controls all inclusive

What could this mean to existing infrastructure

- Resiliency Right condition and right controls know your environment
- Energy efficiencies Need to be more energy efficient will be the driver
- More efficient designs Thinking outside of the box
- Long range planning/flexibility Must be a visionary to develop a sustainable over arching plan that includes strategies for both power/ cooling & connectivity to the site
- Closely coupled/integrated control systems are a must Algorithms based on compute demand/power availability/environmental all meeting the most optimum curve in the respective design
- New team members (e.g., chemical engineers, high voltage engineers)
- Collaboration of efforts Can't do it alone

Alternative sources of power







- Fuel cells
- Wind/solar
- Geo thermal
- Nuclear fusion

Future Cooling Considerations







- Hyperbolic Cooling Tower
- Plate Frame Heat Exchangers
- Absorption Machines

Completing the Puzzle

Smart Grid / Micro Grid





- All inclusive in one arena
- Self sustaining system
- Utilization of the grid as back up power
- Low impact to the community
- No impact to the aging outside infrastructure (e.g., transmission lines and piping)

Life is all about choices...

