

## eBusiness Watch

# Roundtable discussion: ICT and e-Business Implications for Energy Consumption

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- 1- Top ICT priorities for Energy efficiency**
- 2- SmartGrids vision 2020 for Energy efficiency**
- 3- Conclusion**



## 1- Top ICT priorities for Energy Efficiency

# What are the trends and challenges of Energy ?



## Energy trends

1. **Overall compliance** (Finance, environment, standards, HR, etc)
2. **European SmartGrids “internet like”**
  - internal markets
  - security of Supply
  - climate changes
  - 20/20/20 European Energy policy goals
3. **Market liberalization, competition, lower barriers to entrance, Unbundling & Supplier Switch**
4. **Growth and Mergers & Acquisitions**
5. **Productivity & Operational excellence** through best practices
6. **Global Market Leadership** at least in one service
7. Coverage across the **value chain**
8. **Customer retention and recruiting**
9. Quality of Service, **Value Added Services, Demand Side and Response Management**
10. **Effective investments** and better **return on Assets**
11. **Multi-Utilities Services**
12. **Tailored tariffs, flexible contracts** and **new targeted products**
13. **Increased channels to market**

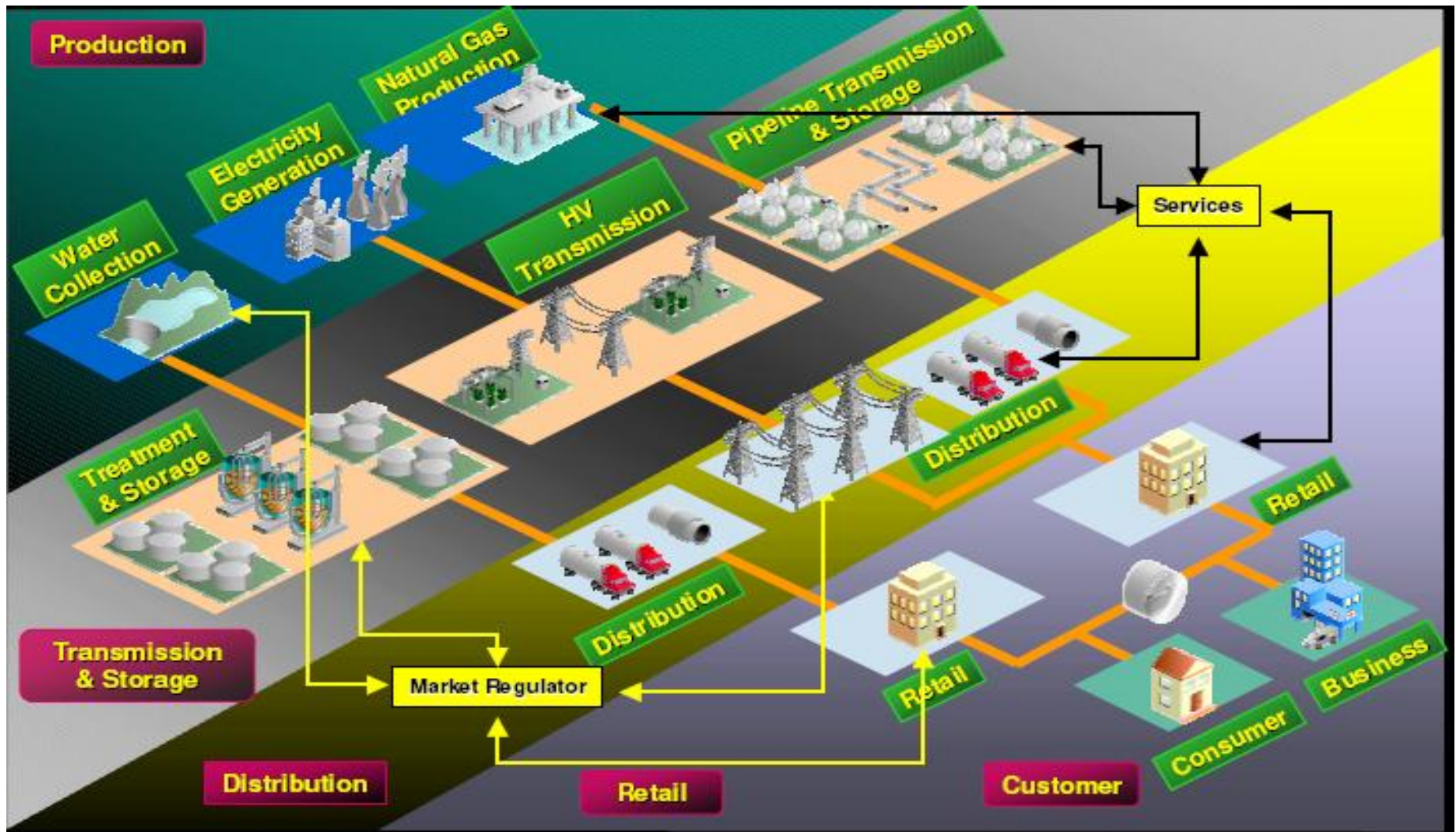
## IT Challenges

- A. **From 1 Customer administration to multiple roles for multiple players**
  - ✓ Across Gencos, TSOs, DSOs, Suppliers, retailers & market
  - ✓ Unbundled System Architecture compliant with regulations
  - ✓ Flexible Business Process Platform
  - ✓ Service Oriented Architecture role based
  - ✓ Intercompany Data Exchange
- B. **From stable service demand to changing needs and regulations**
  - ✓ Automated Metering Infrastructure and DSM
- C. **From a simple uniform information flow to multiple external communications**
  - ✓ Bi-directional Transmission communication
  - ✓ Event management and Volume of Meter Data Exchanged
- D. **Tremendous pressure on the 'cost to serve'**
  - ✓ Integrated Metering and Energy Data Lifecycle Management
  - ✓ Minimal cost of services, support and customer management
- E. **Many external suppliers**
  - ✓ Energy Data Management
  - ✓ Retailing and Trading

It is a major transformation ...



Unbundling of infrastructure Assets & Energy services in a traditionally regulated market moving towards deregulation



# Agenda of the Energy Industry



## Impact on Information Technology

Energy Efficiency	1	Compliance	++
	2	Energy Sources	+
	3	De-Regulation	++
	4	Globalization	+
	5	New Technologies	++
	6	Profitability	++
	7	Reliability & Safety	++
	8	Energy Politics	0

# Agenda of the Utilities Industry Deregulation



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- Enterprise unbundling
- Increasing importance of Retail
- Competition
- Market model
- Regulatory market rules
- Non-Discrimination
- **“Energy Capital Management”**
  - Evaluation of energy data
  - Procurement/Trading
  - Energy portfolio management
  - Reconciliation & settlement
  - Risk management
- New role of Energy Retail Company
- **SmartGrids Energy Efficiency goals (20/20/20)**

# Agenda of the Utilities Industry New Technologies



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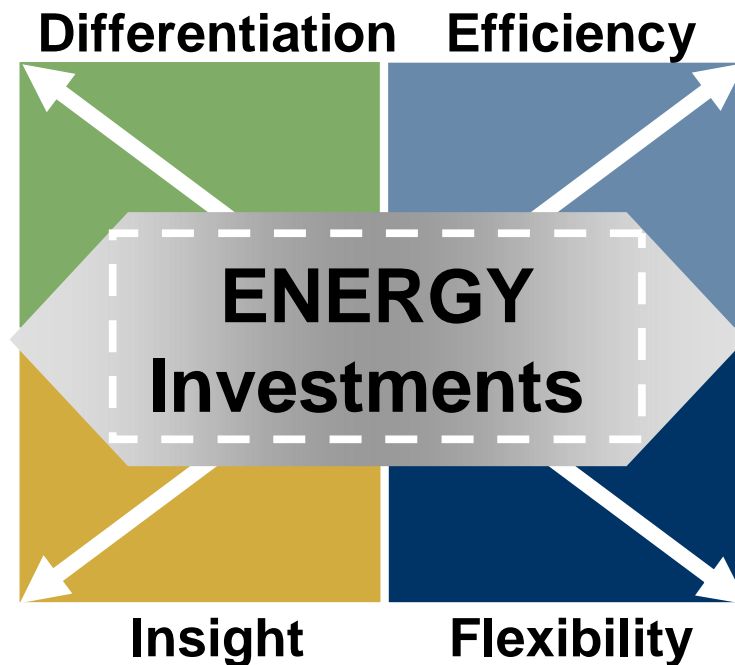
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- Applying advanced technology standards in . . .
  - Generation (i.e. Renewable Energy Sources)
  - Transmission (i.e. Intelligent Grids → Virtual Utilities)
  - **Distribution & Metering (i.e. Automated Meter Infrastructure and Demand Side Management) targeting energy efficiency**
  - Communication Technology (i.e. BPL, Wireless, RF, Satellite)
- Information Technology
  - User Interface Technology, Simplification
  - Web services/Portals
  - **Energy Capital Management**
  - Pervasive devices
  - Data security
  - Desk top integration
- **SmartGrids Energy Efficiency goals (20/20/20)**

# 4 dimensions for Energy investments

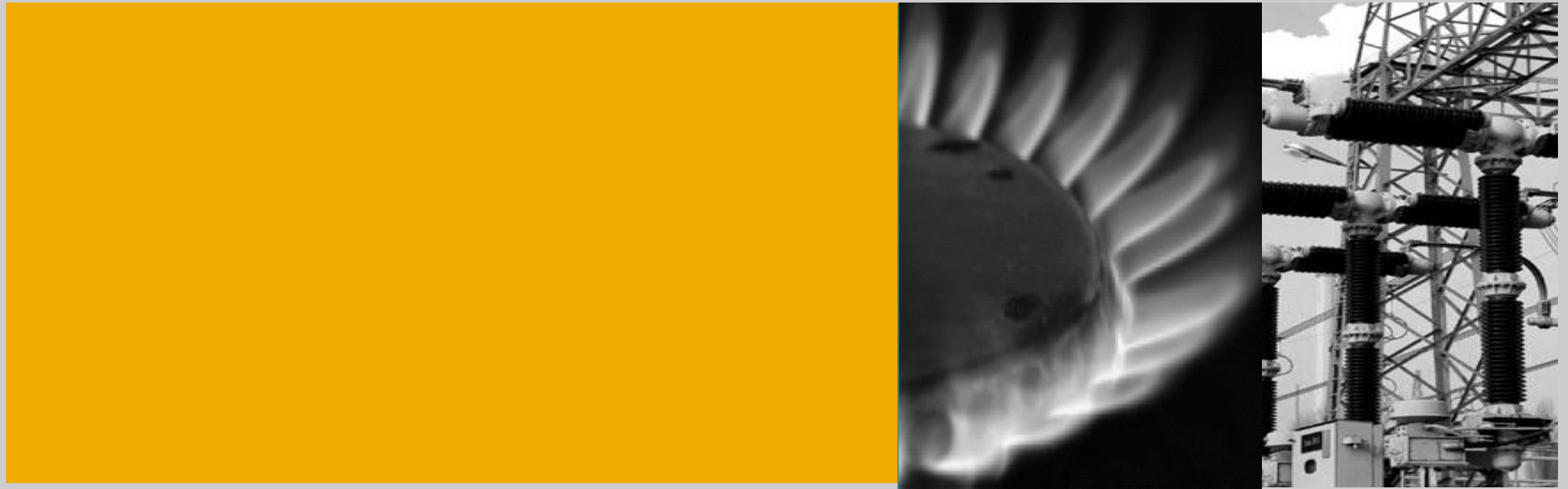
Automated meter infrastructure  
 Energy Data Management  
 Energy Ledger/Portfolio Management  
 Forecasting, scheduling and risk management  
 DER, Energy Trading, RCM

Supplier switch and payment process  
 Utilities Customer Electronic Services (UCES)  
 Business Process exception Management  
 Selling and Billing of energy and services  
 Maximizing return on Capital assets (EAM)



Analytics for Utilities  
 Sarbanes Oxley – Regulatory compliance  
 Strategic Enterprise Management / BSC  
 Corporate Social responsibility  
 sustainability

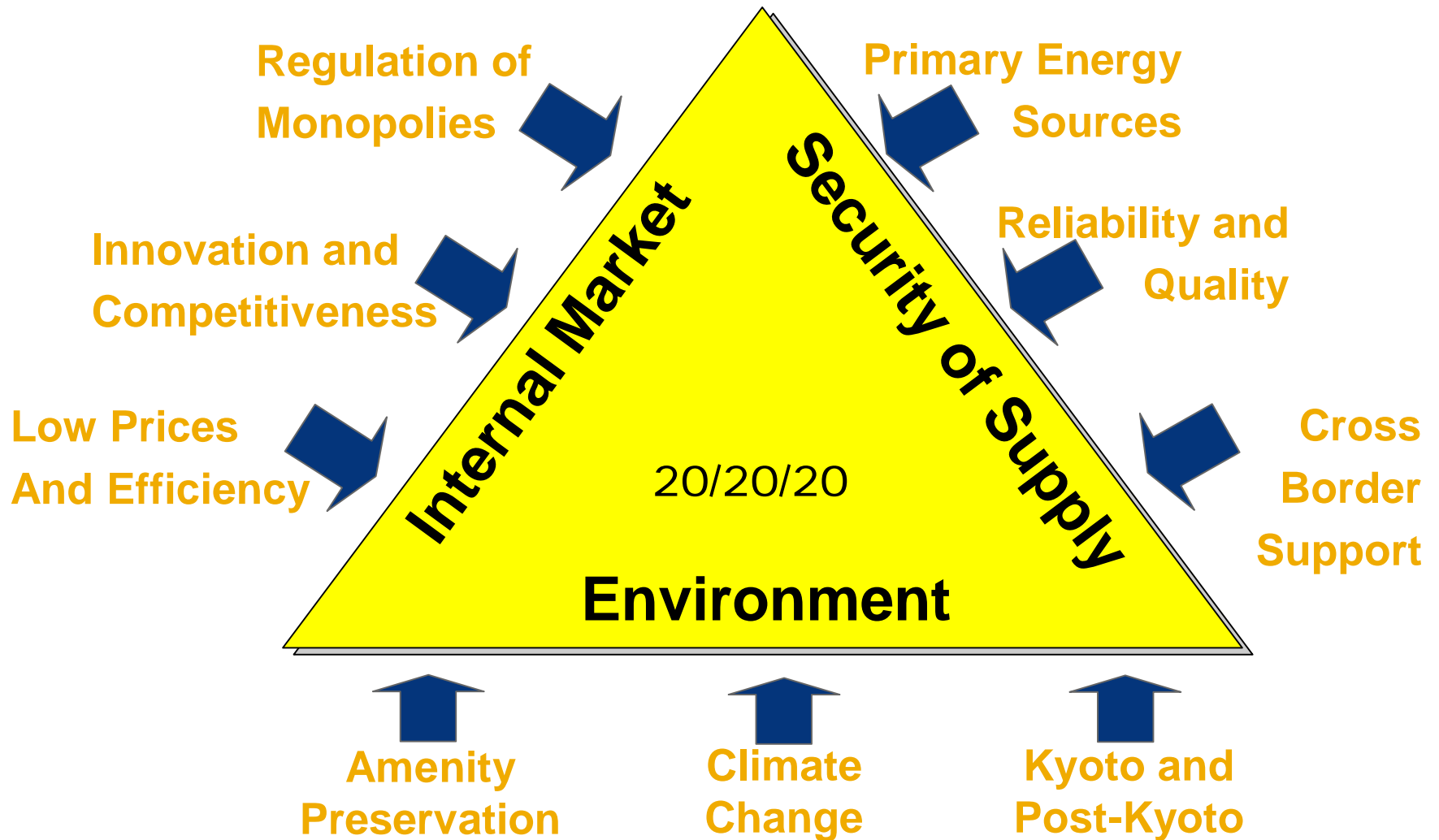
ESA Enablement  
 Open technology platform  
 Flexible reporting  
 Mobile Asset Management  
 Customer acquisition



## 2- SmartGrids vision 2020 for better energy efficiency

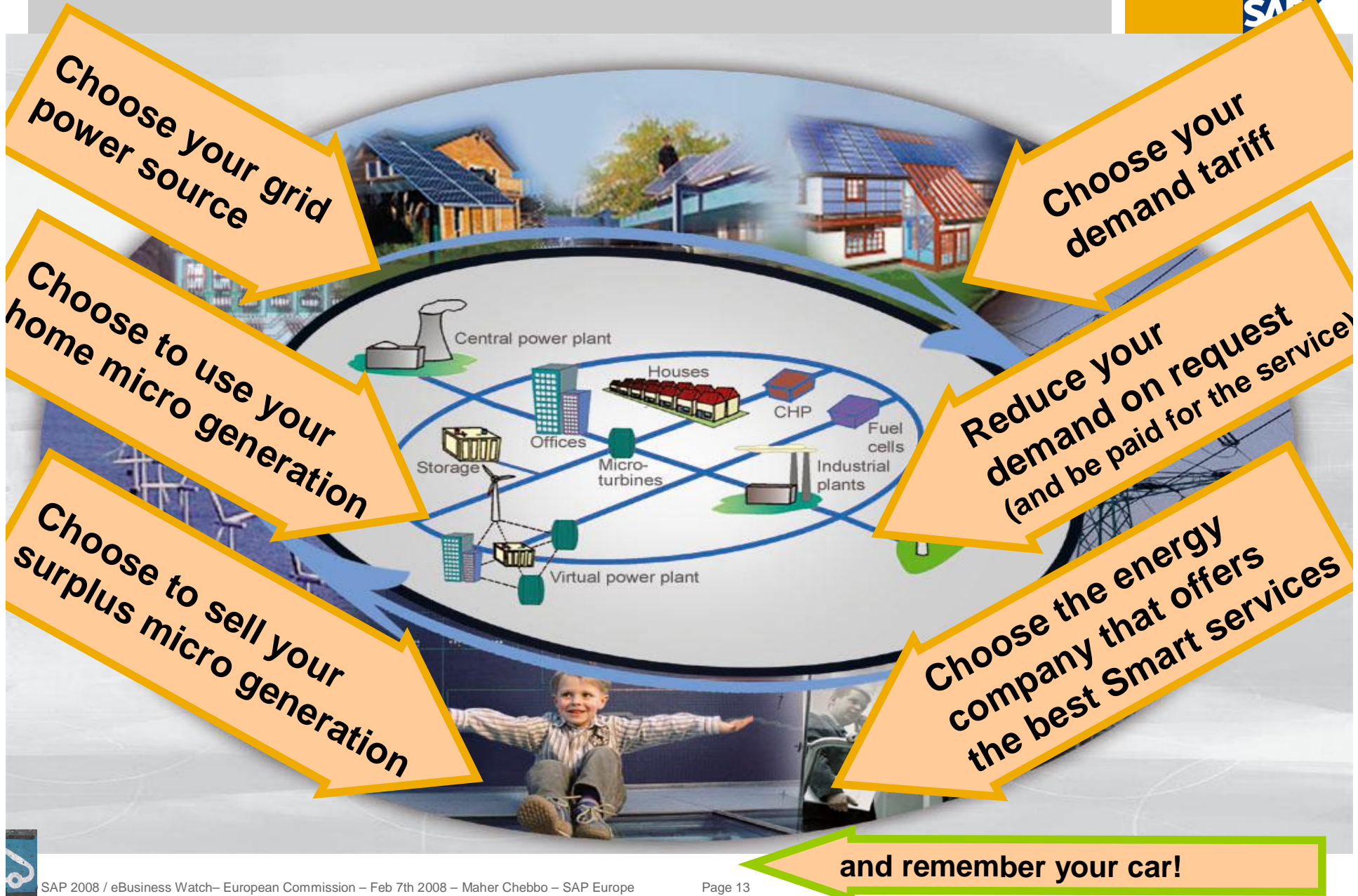
- 1. €750bn** in EU power infrastructure is needed over the next 30 years  
€90bn in Transmission, €300bn in Distribution, and €350bn in generation
- 2. Grids now 40 yrs old:** a massive renewal programme is unavoidable
- 3. EU policies** (EU Energy policy signed in Jan 2007) for energy security and environment set demanding goals in 2020 compared to 1990
  - ⇒ *20% less energy consumption*
  - ⇒ *20% less Carbon emission*
  - ⇒ *20% of energy produced from renewable energy*
- 4. New network architectures and customer interactions are needed**

# Drivers towards SmartGrids : 20/20/20 goals

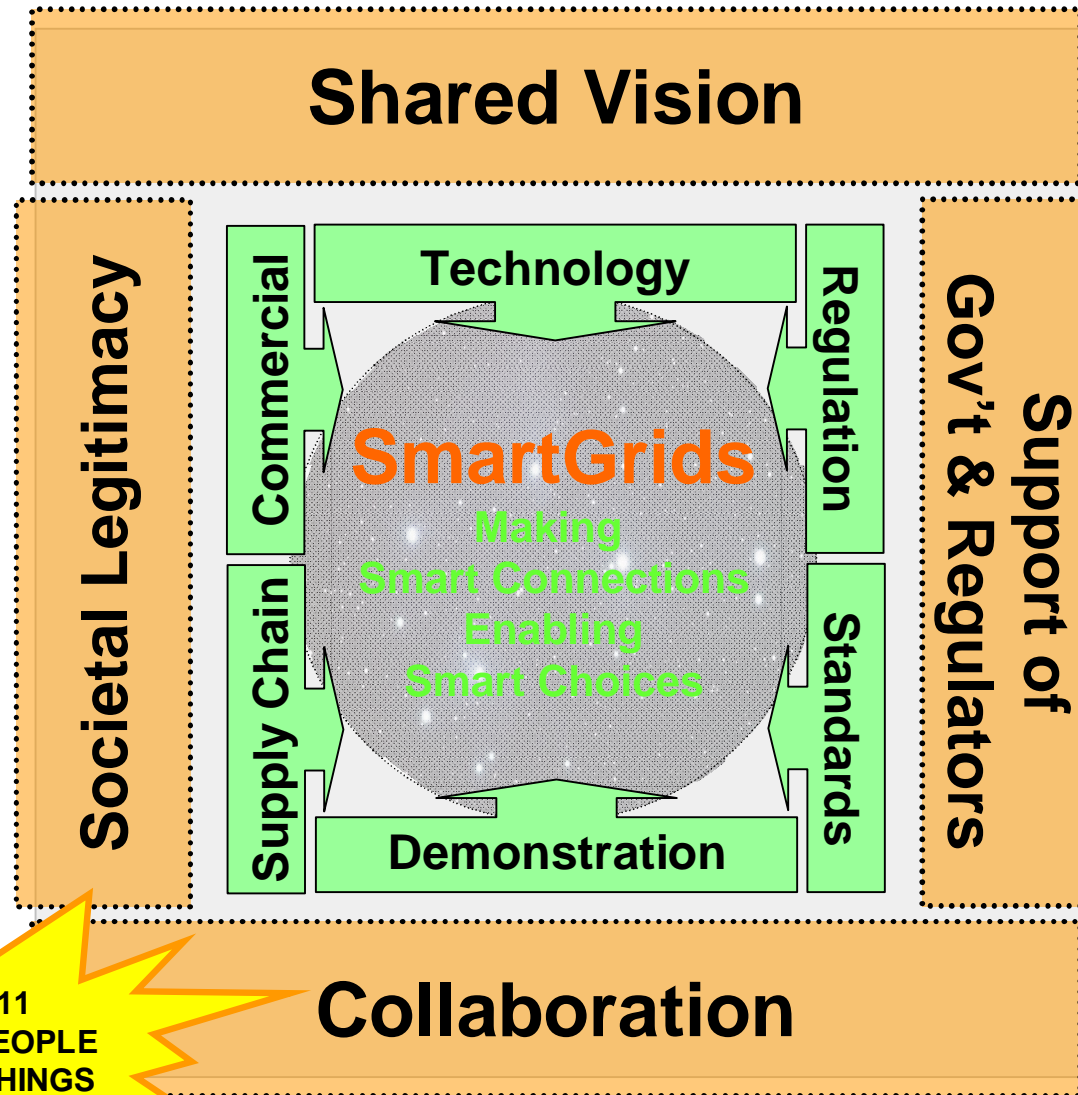


# Think Efficient homes of the future ...

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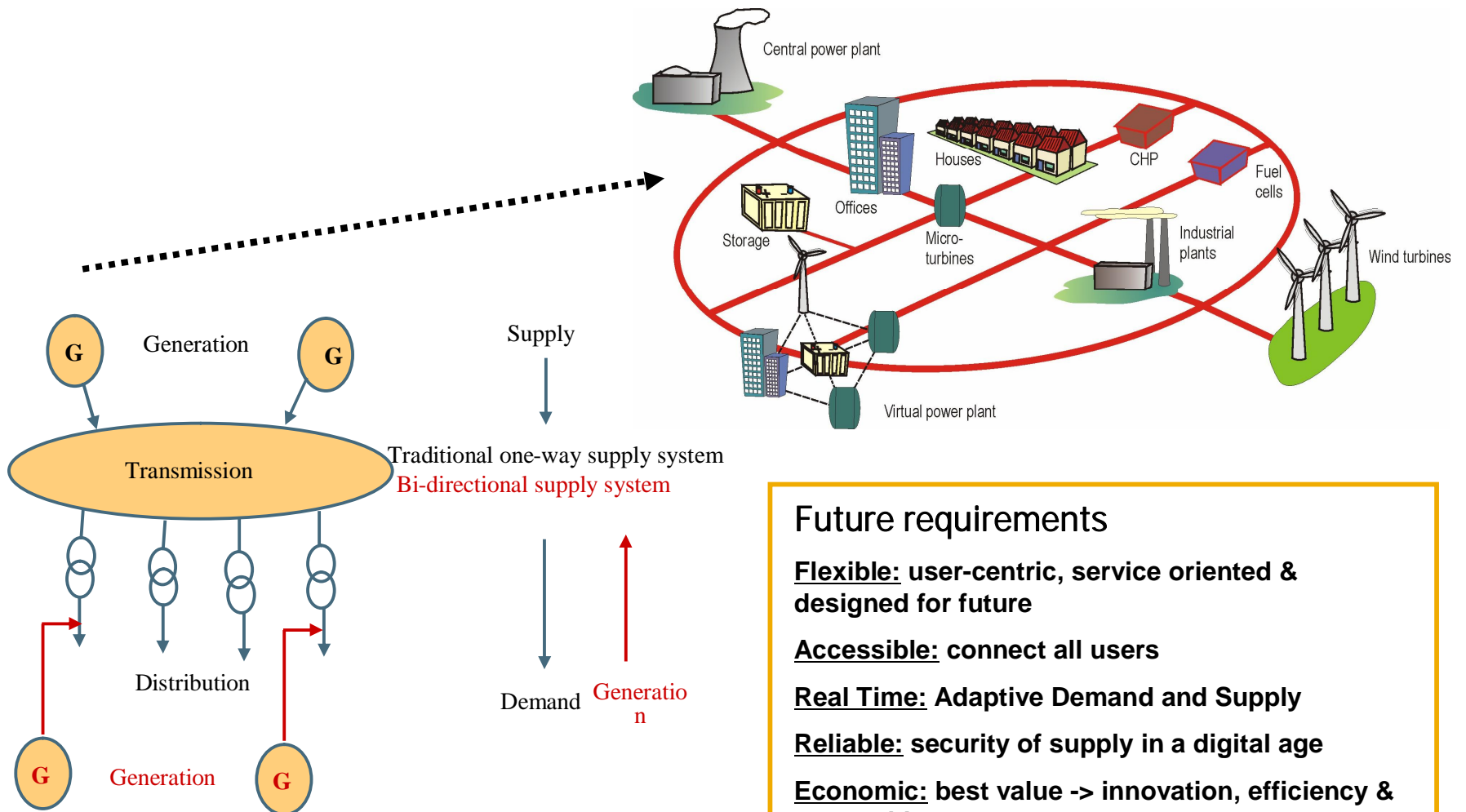


# The 10 Elements of success of SmartGrids for better Energy Efficiency



and No. 11  
IT'S ONLY PEOPLE  
THAT GET THINGS  
DONE

# The SmartGrids design becomes internet like



# The SmartGrids move for energy efficiency and role of ICT



20th Century Grid	21st Century Smart Grid
Electromechanical	Digital
Very limited or one-way communications	Two-way communications every where
Few, if any, sensors – “Blind” Operation	Monitors and sensors throughout – usage, system status, equipment condition
Limited control over power flows	Pervasive control systems - substation, distribution & feeder automation
Reliability concerns – Manual restoration	Adaptive protection, Semi-automated restoration and, eventually, self-healing
Sub-optimal asset utilization	Asset life and system capacity extensions through condition monitoring and dynamic limits
Stand-alone information systems and applications	Enterprise Level Information Integration, inter-operability and coordinated automation
Very limited, if any, distributed resources	Large penetrations of distributed, Intermittent and demand-side resources
Carbon based generation	Carbon Limits and Green Power Credits
Emergency decisions by committee and phone	Decision support systems, predictive reliability
Limited price information, static tariff	Full price information, dynamic tariff, demand response
Few customer choices	Many customer choices, value adder services, integrated demand-side automation

# How customer participation will evolve ?



**... from passive to active transactions in the marketplace to save end consumer's energy and balance the load for distributors**

## Stakeholders involved

EU, GO, Utilities, ...

Customer - Utilities

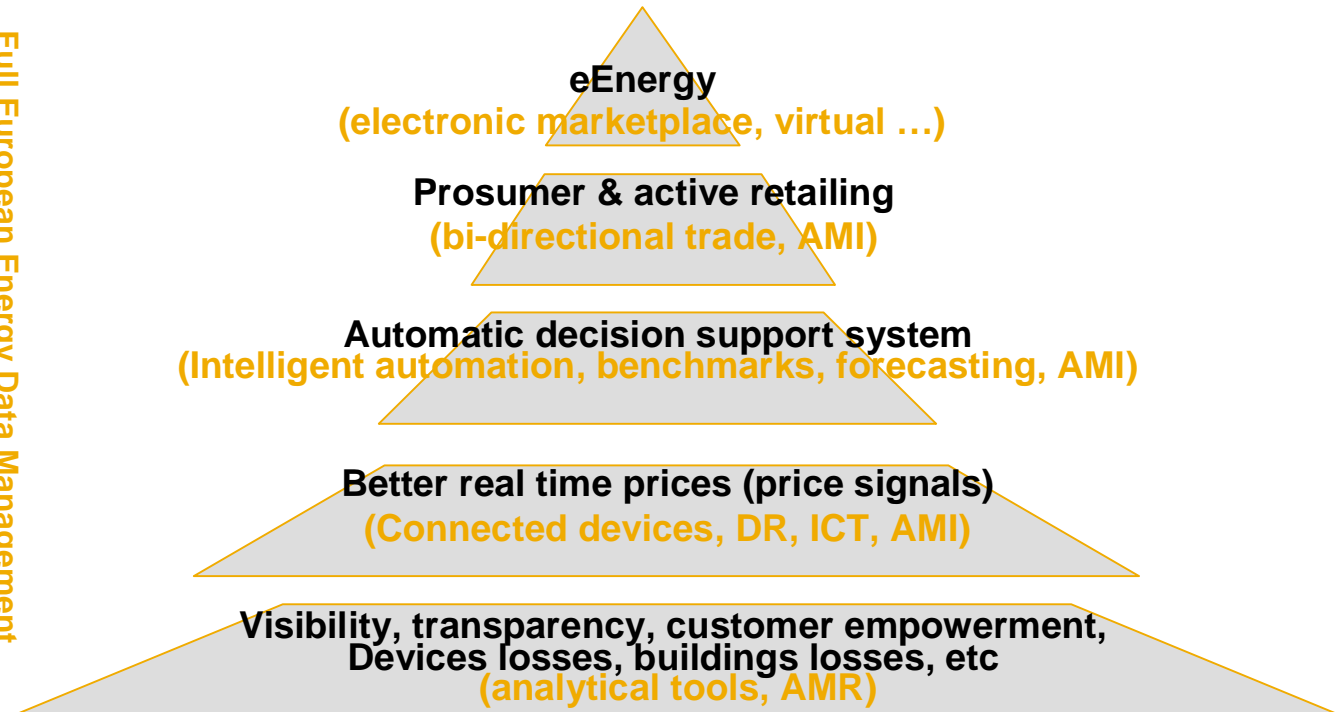
Suppliers, Customers,  
Technology & Services

Suppliers to  
Customer

Customer

Full European Energy Data Management

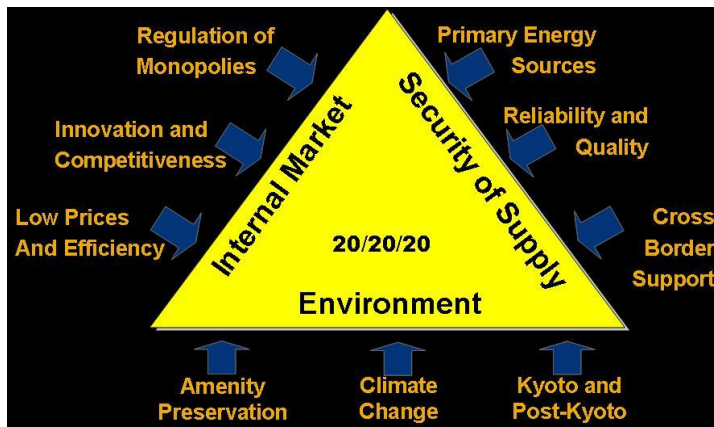
## Customer participation aspects (technology enabled)



# SmartGrids business cases assessed to be delayed



## ... Aiming at Strategic Deployment of SmartGrids Programs 2020



### Business Case 1 : Infrastructure

Development and Operation of Grid Infrastructure for the Efficient Electricity Market and Secure Electricity Supply

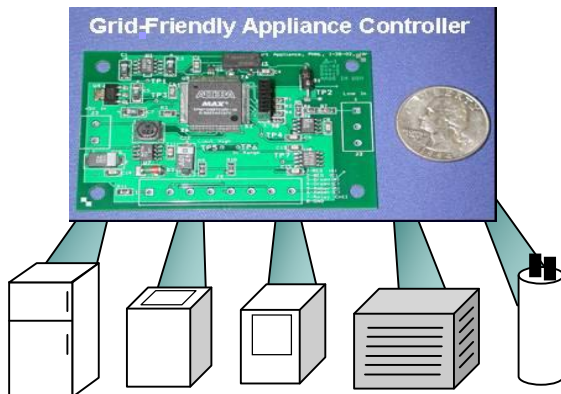
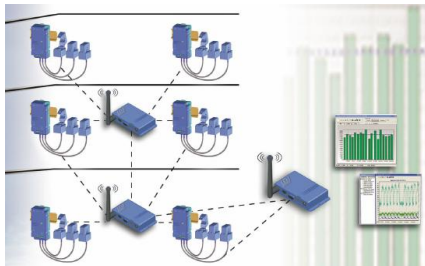
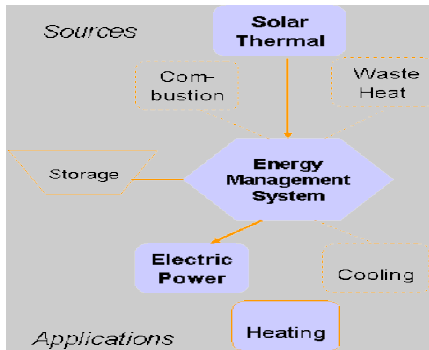
### Business Case 2 : Users

Definition and deployment of Value Added Services to customers

# SmartGrids BC 2 : Development & deployment of Value Added Services to customers



## Projects submitted to SmartGrids for Strategic Deployment till 2020



**Project 1 : Development of Standard Customer Interface(s) providing Value Added Services to customers**

*(Customer Interface Technologies and standards)*

**Project 2 : Smart Energy Management (for Large DG) of Demand & Supply and Customer participation**

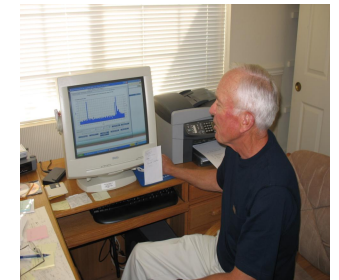
*(Innovative Energy Management strategies for large DG penetration, storage and demand response)*

**Project 3 : Development of an intelligent Smart Home Controller**

*(The distribution networks of the future - customer driven markets)*

**Project 4 : Definition of an Organizational and legal framework for customer centric network control**

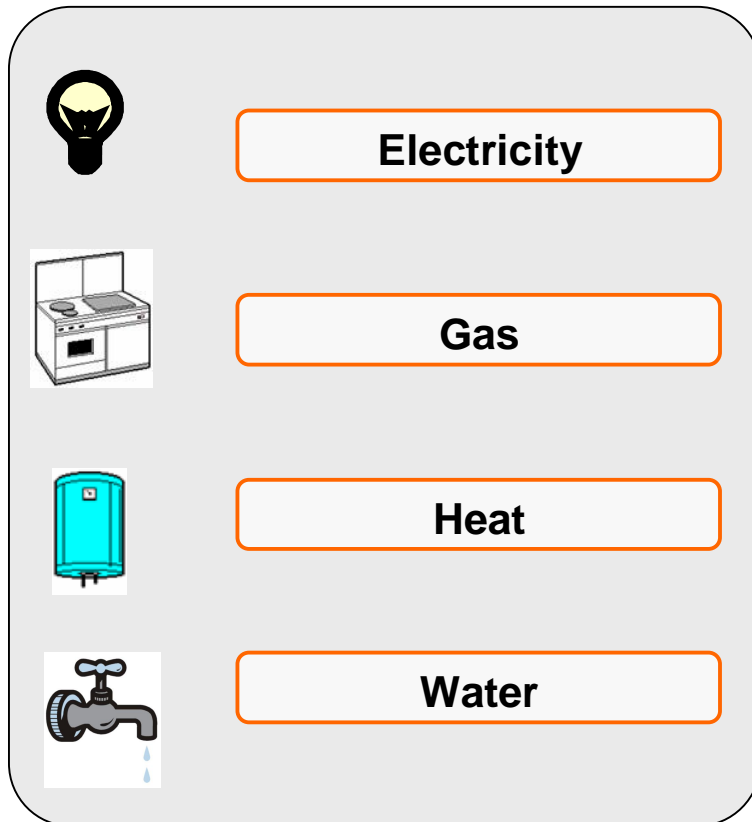
*(The networks of the future - a system engineering approach to study the operational integration of distributed generation and active customers)*



# How customers will benefit from Value Added Services ?



## ... Through multi-Utilities convergent Metering and Billing



AMI  
Web Services



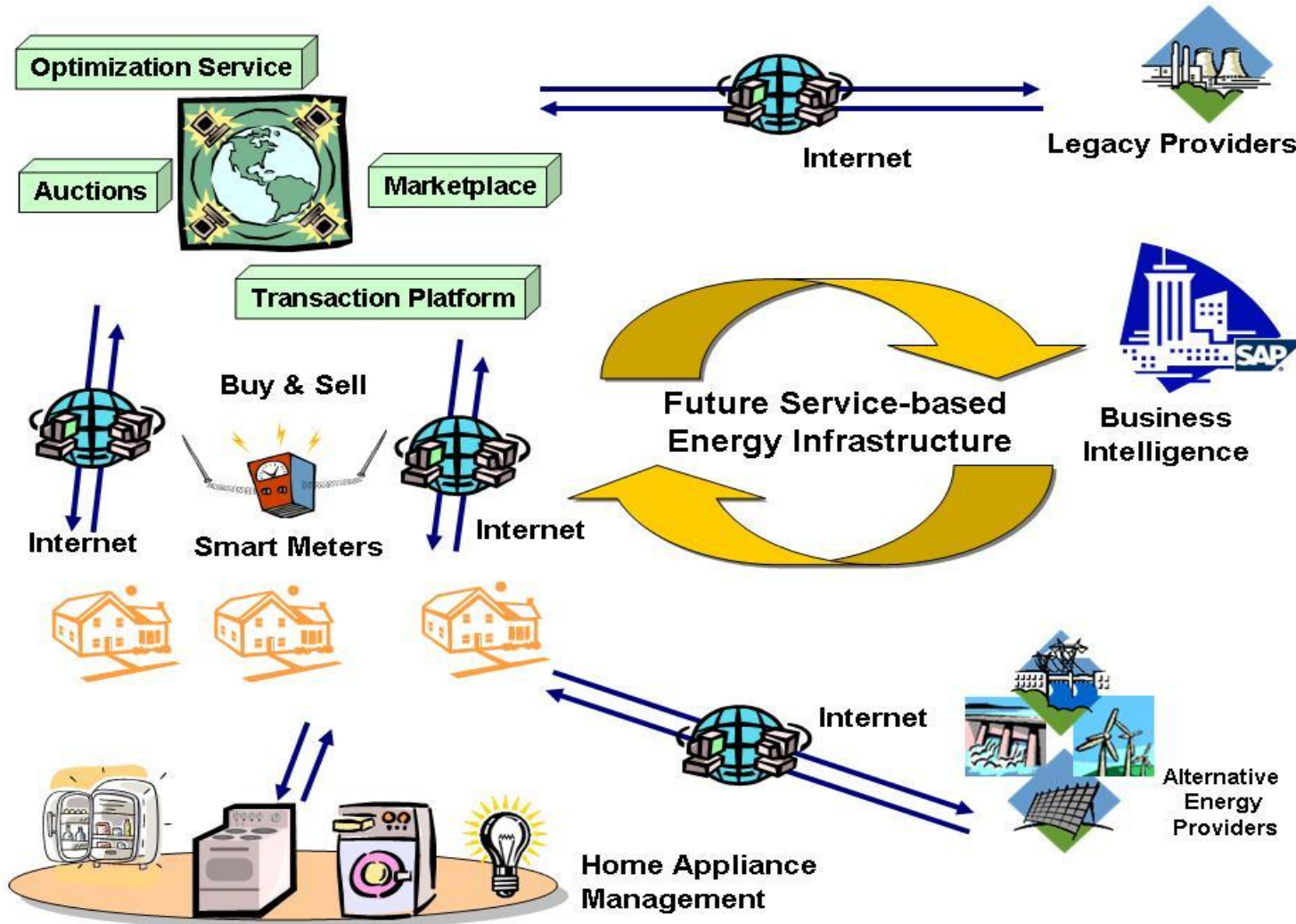
All in one  
Virtual  
E-meter

- One bill
- One (virtual) metering Combined tariffs
- Optimized Costs
- Service coordination

# How electronic transactions will evolve in the marketplace ?



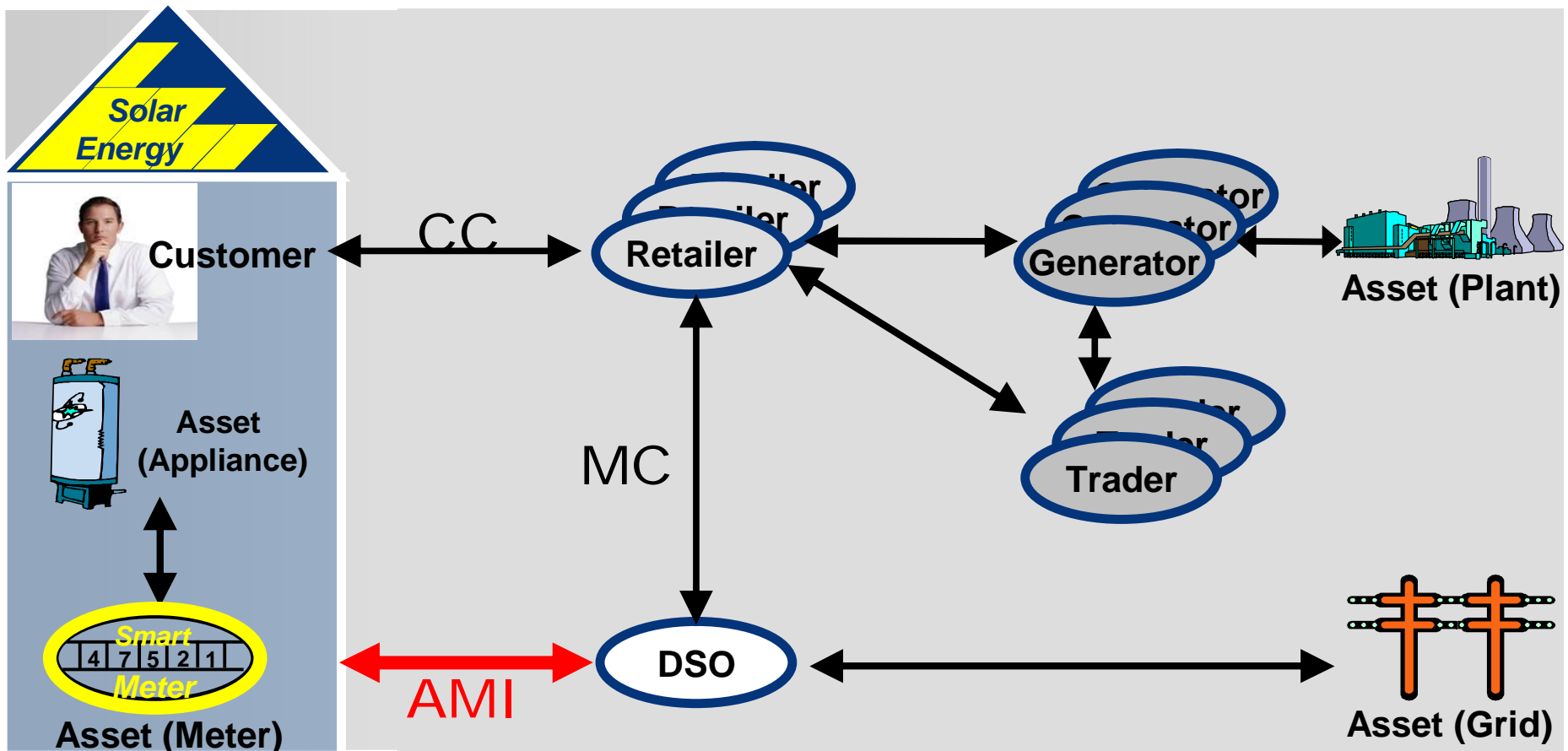
## ...Towards an Electronic European Energy Marketplace (eEEM)



# How Network will « talk » to consumers ?



...Through Automated Metering Infrastructure (AMI) providing Value Added Services

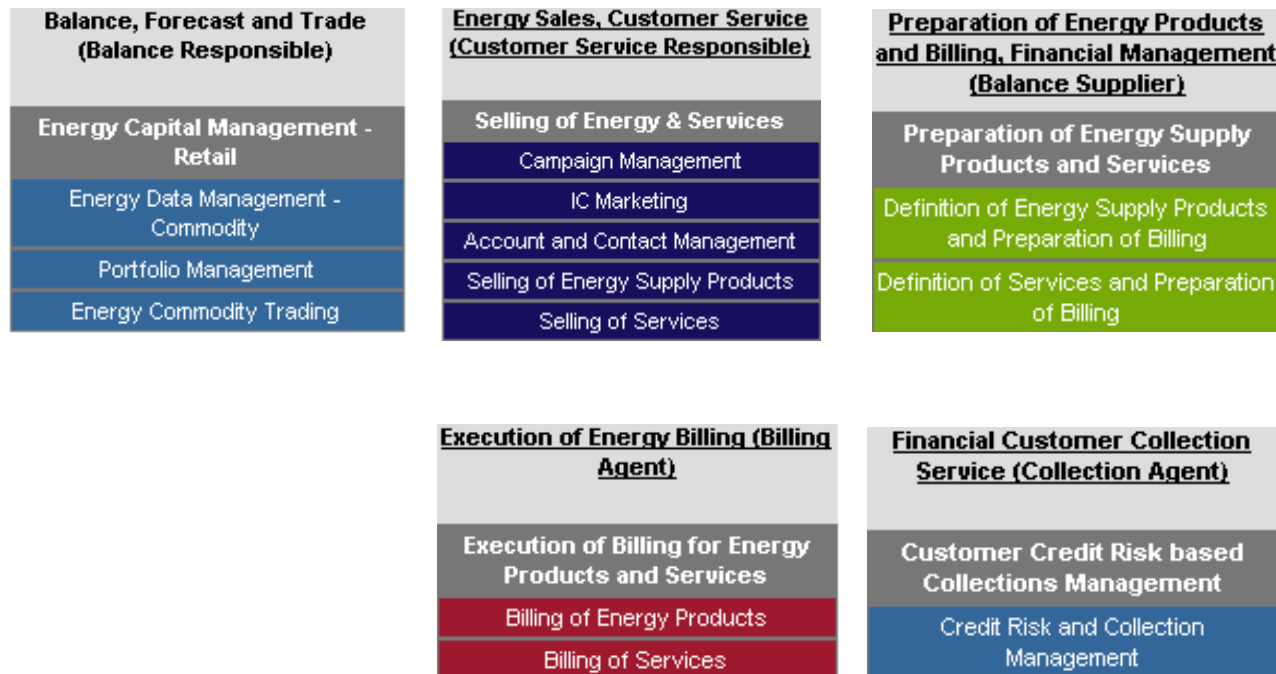


# Retailer Marketing and Customer Services in liberalized Energy Markets



Suppliers & Partners	Balance, Forecast and Trade (Balance Responsible)	Energy Sales, Customer Service (Customer Service Responsible)	Preparation of Energy Products and Billing, Financial Management (Balance Supplier)	Execution of Energy Billing (Billing Agent)	Financial Customer Collection Service (Collection Agent)	Customers & Channels
	Energy Capital Management - Retail					
		Selling of Energy & Services				
		Customer Service Management				
			Handling of Device and Measurement Data			
			Preparation of Energy Supply Products and Services			
			Grid Usage and Service Provider Agreement - Retail			
			Customer Financials Management			
				Execution of Billing for Energy Products and Services		
					Customer Credit Risk based Collections Management	

# Processes of Retailer Marketing and Customer Services in liberalized Energy Markets



# Customer Relationship Management : Key Account Management



Calculating quotation for: **New York, Pinewood Avenue 45678, test, 1, 104**

Data basis for customer				Reload Data	Energy purchase price (SRP)	
Consumption values	On-Peak	Off-Peak	Max kW/Mon.		On-Peak (06:00 - 22:00)	Off-Peak (22:00 - 06:00)
Jan 04	102,00 kWh	76,00 kWh	17,00 kW		0,10 \$/kWh	0,07 \$/kWh
Feb 04	98,00 kWh	78,00 kWh	14,00 kW		0,13 \$/kWh	0,09 \$/kWh
Mrz 04	97,00 kWh	44,00 kWh	16,00 kW		0,13 \$/kWh	0,09 \$/kWh
Apr 04	99,00 kWh	43,00 kWh	16,00 kW		0,13 \$/kWh	0,09 \$/kWh
Mai 04	101,00 kWh	66,00 kWh	17,00 kW		0,12 \$/kWh	0,08 \$/kWh
Jun 04	102,00 kWh	60,00 kWh	18,00 kW		0,12 \$/kWh	0,08 \$/kWh
Jul 04	102,00 kWh	49,00 kWh	19,00 kW		0,11 \$/kWh	0,07 \$/kWh
Aug 04	101,00 kWh	49,00 kWh	16,00 kW		0,12 \$/kWh	0,08 \$/kWh
Sep 04	96,00 kWh	61,00 kWh	14,00 kW		0,13 \$/kWh	0,09 \$/kWh
Okt 04	100,00 kWh	62,00 kWh	14,00 kW		0,15 \$/kWh	0,10 \$/kWh
Nov 04	99,00 kWh	68,00 kWh	14,00 kW		0,16 \$/kWh	0,11 \$/kWh
Dez 04	98,00 kWh	71,00 kWh	22,00 kW		0,17 \$/kWh	0,11 \$/kWh
<b>Total/Max.</b>	<b>1195,00 kWh</b>	<b>727,00 kWh</b>	<b>22,00 kW</b>			

Distributor data		Rental for interval meter etc.	
Duration of usage	87,36	Rental f. interv. meter	49,90 \$
Distributor	SAP Energy	Stromwandler	25,20 \$
Current prices (energy/demand)	29,16 ct/kWh    3,63 €/kW/a	ISDN Modem	9,90 \$



# Analytics for better Decision support and predictions



Welcome Hardy Zimmermann

Collaboration | Search | Advanced Search

Management | Administrator | Customer Service | Meter Reading | Billing

Management Reporting | Case Resolution | Department Efficiency | Process Efficiency

History | Back | Forward

### Sales 2004

Month	Nonresidential customers	Residential customers
JAN	35	15
FEB	35	15
MAR	45	15
APR	10	10
MAY	10	10
JUN	10	10
JUL	10	10
AUG	10	10
SEP	10	10
OCT	10	10
NOV	10	10
DEC	10	10

### Exceptions in Processes last 12 months

Process Area	Exception Rate
Billing	14.23 %
Customer Service	20.73 %
Invoicing	6.26 %
Meter Reading	2.32 %

Bus.Process Area	Business Process	Processes	No. of Except.	Except. quote
Meter Reading	Enter Meter Reading Result as Plausible	1,988		
	Enter Meter Reading Result as Implausible	28	28	100.0 %
	Release Meter Reading Result	77		
	Execute Mass Order Creation	137	1	0.7 %
	Execute Order Creation	1,725	99	5.7 %
	Execute Estimation	1,554		
	<b>Result</b>		<b>5,509</b>	<b>128</b>

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Billing

Customer Service

Invoicing

Meter Reading

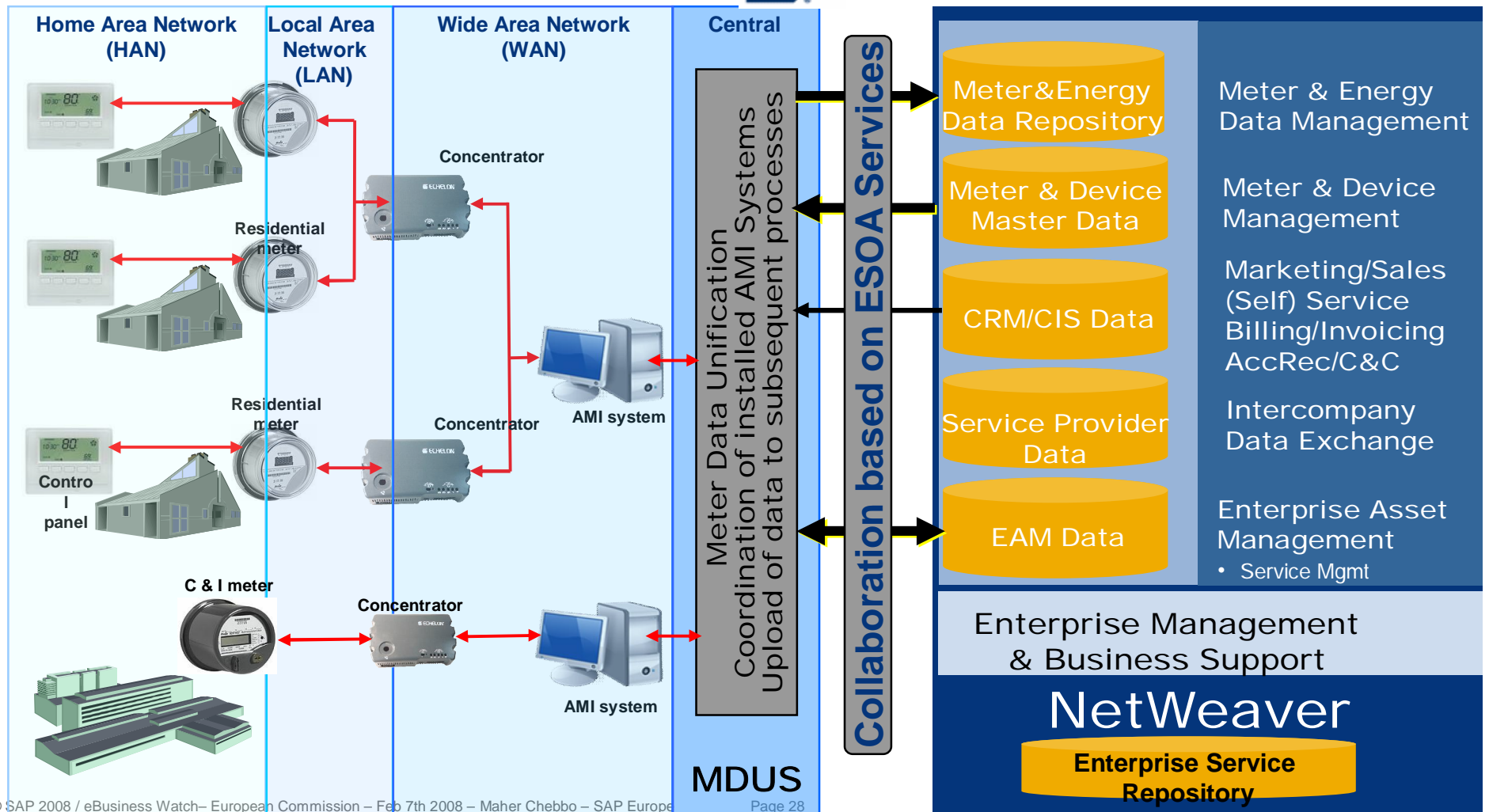
Filters

# How customer communication intrerface will evolve?



## ... towards Standard Meter Data Unification (MDU)

Technical Processes by AMI Vendor product: Commercial Proc's by SAP products



# How customers will benefit from Value Added Services ?



## ...Through Web services scenarios enabled by Automated Metering Infrastructure (SAP AMI) and Demand Response

Billing & Customer Services	Customer Interface	Delivery	Energy Procurement	Field Services / System Recovery	Installation & Maintenance
Multiple clients read demand and energy data automatically from customer premises	Customer reduces demand in response to pricing event	Distribution operator curtails customer load for grid management	Real-time operations curtails (or limits) load for economic dispatch (ES&M)	AMI system recovers after power outage, communications or equipment failure	Utility installs, provision and configure the AMI system
Utility remotely limits or connects / disconnects customer	Customer reads recent energy usage and cost at site	Distribution operators optimize network based on data collected by the AMI system	Utility procures energy and settles wholesale transactions using data from the AMI system	-	Utility maintains the AMI system over its entire life cycle
Utility detects tampering or theft at customer site	Customer uses pre-payment services	Customer provides distributed generation	-	-	Utility upgrades AMI system to address future requirements
Meter reading for gas & water utilities	Multiple clients use the AMI system to read data from devices at customer site	Distribution operator locates outage using AMI data and restores service	-	-	-



### 3- Conclusion

# Benchmark improvements in Customer Information Systems due to ICT (examples from SAP)



## Tangible Benefits

	Improvement %
Improved Call Center Productivity	2% - 5%
Reduced call volume through web- and phone self service	5% - 10%
Improved Meter Reading Productivity	2% - 5%
Improved Billing/Collections Productivity	2% - 3%
Payment Handling Efficiency Gains	1% - 2%
<b>Cost to Serve (leading to cheaper energy costs)</b>	<b>25% - 60%</b>
Cost Avoidance – integration between CIS and SAP systems	70% - 80%

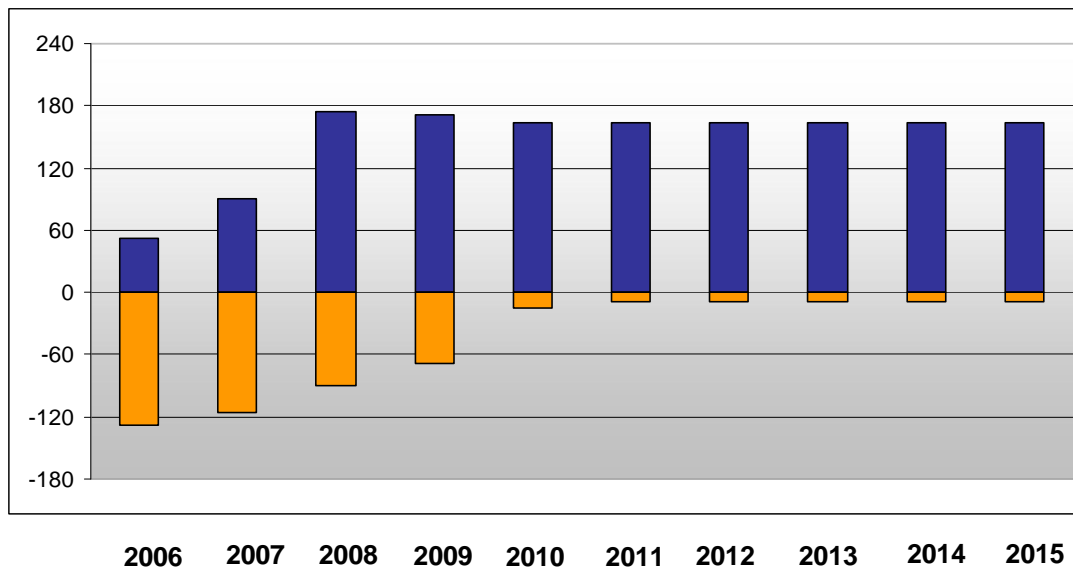
## Strategic Benefits

- Improved customer satisfaction metrics
- Ability to track and quickly report customer service and satisfaction metrics
- Better knowledge of customer base
- Improved billing accuracy
- Improved alignment and consistent execution of corporate strategy
- Improved productivity and quality through integrated business processes
- Creation of scalable processes positioned for rapid revenue and customer growth

# SAP investments @ Southern California Edison returned 71% IRR and 500 M\$ savings



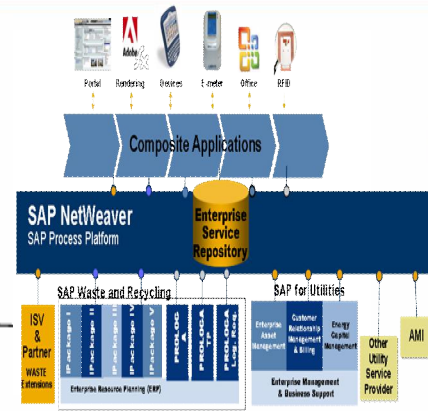
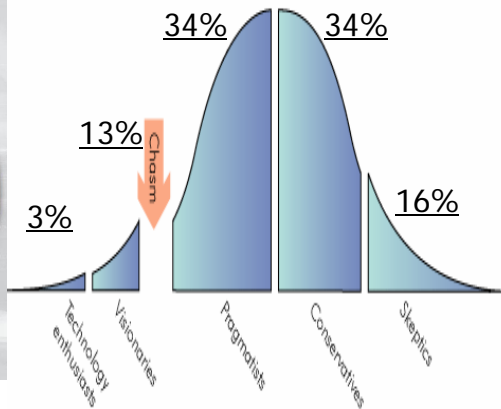
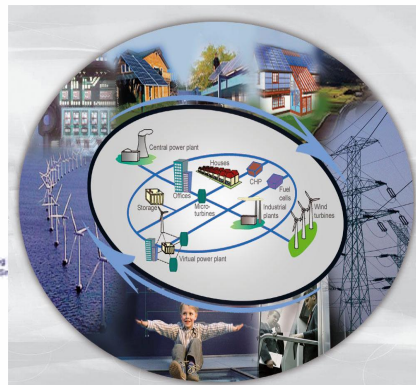
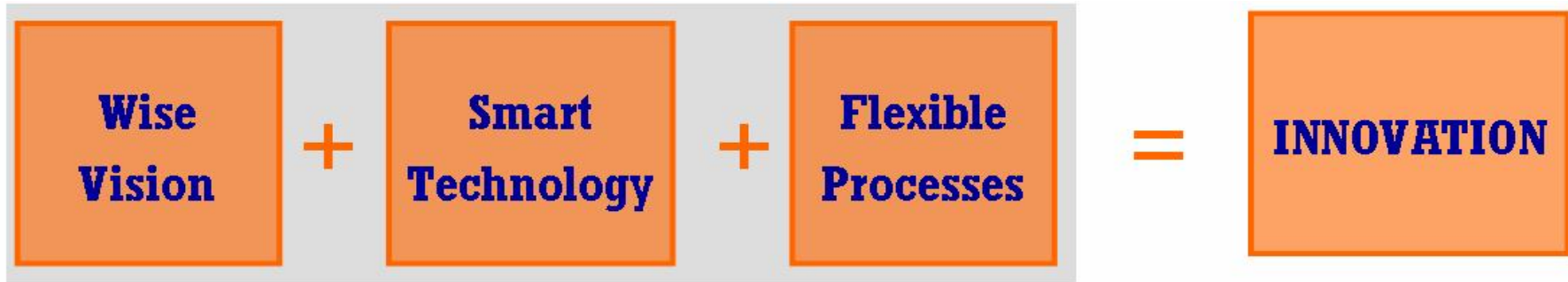
## Cash Flow Analysis- SCE Scope (\$MM)



Project Economics	
NPV @ 10%	\$500 MM
Project IRR	71%
Benefit / Cost	2.4

Benefit	51.5	90.2	173.6	171.8	163.8	163.8	163.8	163.8	163.8	163.8
Cost	(127.8)	(115.3)	(89.4)	(68.0)	(14.6)	(9.6)	(9.6)	(9.6)	(9.6)	(9.6)

# The route to Smart investments in Energy efficiency...



- Automated Metering Infrastructure
- Customer gateway to market

**CORE**  
Focus: Differentiation



Technology providers

