

Sustainability Research for Cutting Edge Practice

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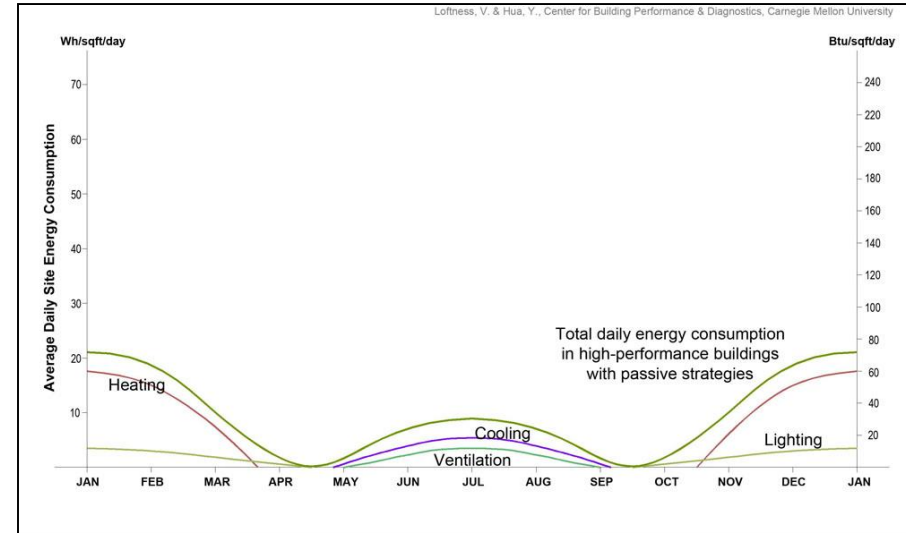
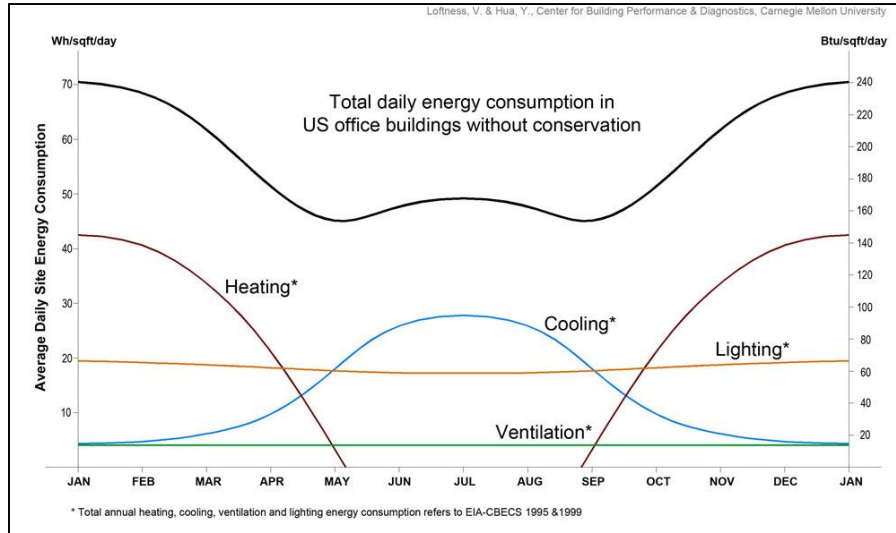
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Research on Systems Integration for Building Performance and Environmental Sustainability

**The Intelligent Workplace -
a Living Laboratory for
Innovative Enclosures, Heating, Cooling, Lighting,
Networking, Controls, & Interior Systems**

48-315 Environmental Systems: Climate, Energy in Buildings (9)
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Guidelines for High Performance Low Energy Buildings

Land-use, Site and Water

Enclosure

HVAC

Lighting

Networking

Interiors

Building Delivery Process

Example clients: State Department, Architect of the Capitol, Electricite de France, US Army CERL, BAC Singapore, Sichuan and Tainjin China, General Services Administration... & of course Educational Curriculum

ABSIC/CBPD Guidelines for *High Performance Enclosure Systems*



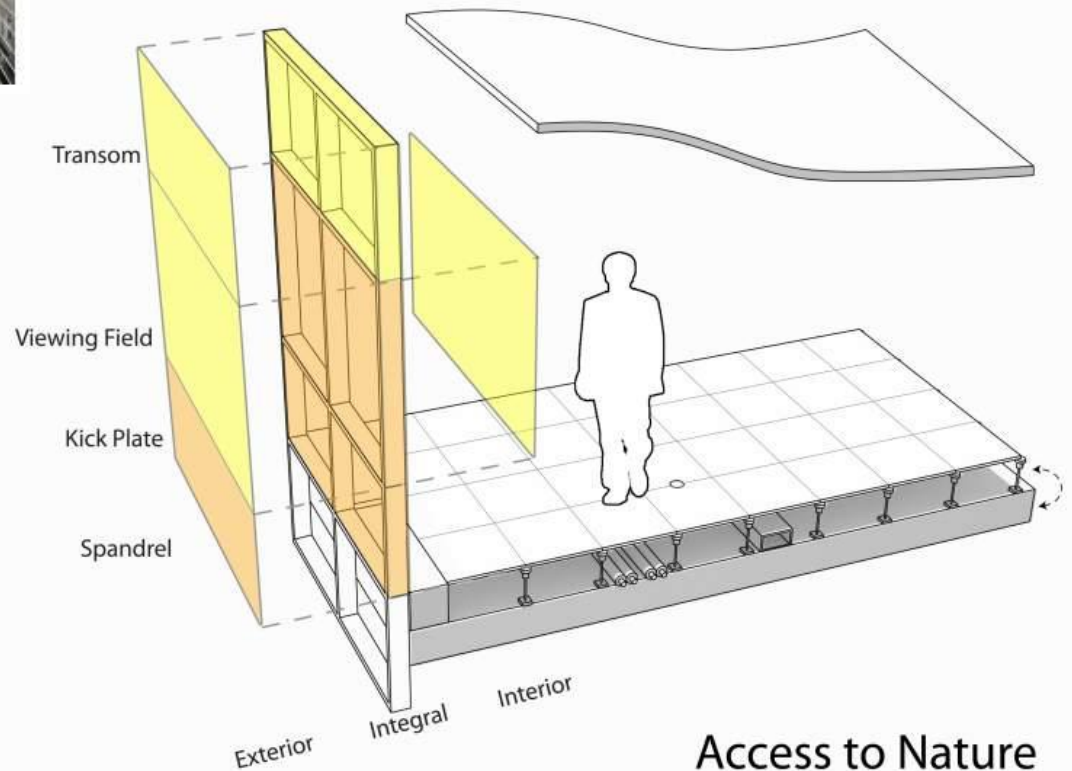
1. Maximize individual access to the natural environment
2. Maximize daylighting for task and ambient lighting
3. Maximize natural ventilation with mixed-mode conditioning
4. Minimize enclosure heat loss/heat gain
5. Design solar heat and glare control
6. Engineer load balancing and mean radiant temperature control
7. Engineer passive and active solar heating, cooling and power
8. Maximize enclosure integrity and material sustainability

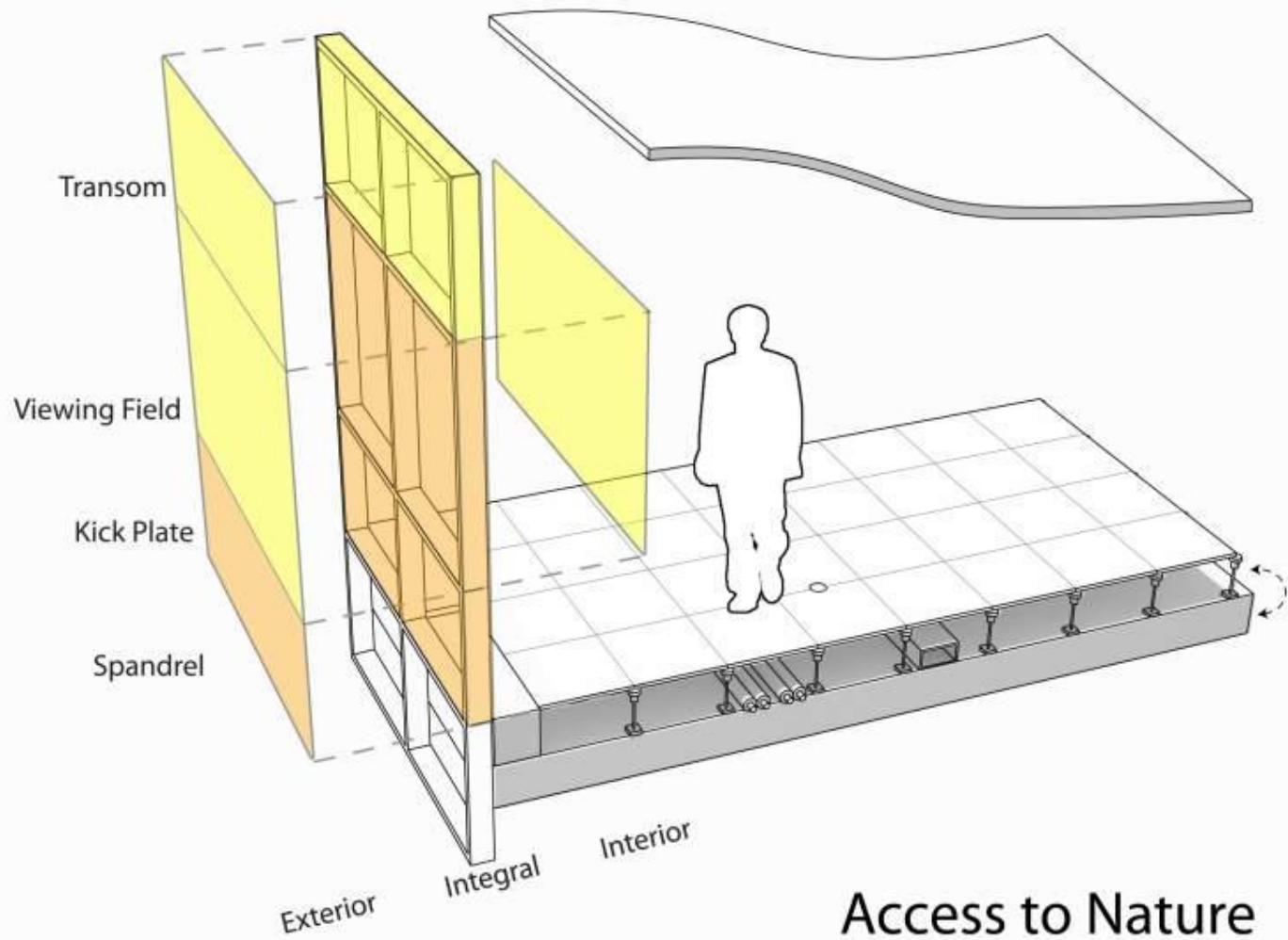
	INTERIOR	INTEGRAL	EXTERIOR
TRANSOM	A1	A2	A3
VIEWING FIELD	B1	B2	B3
KICK PLATE	C1	C2	C3
SPANDREL	D1	D2	D3



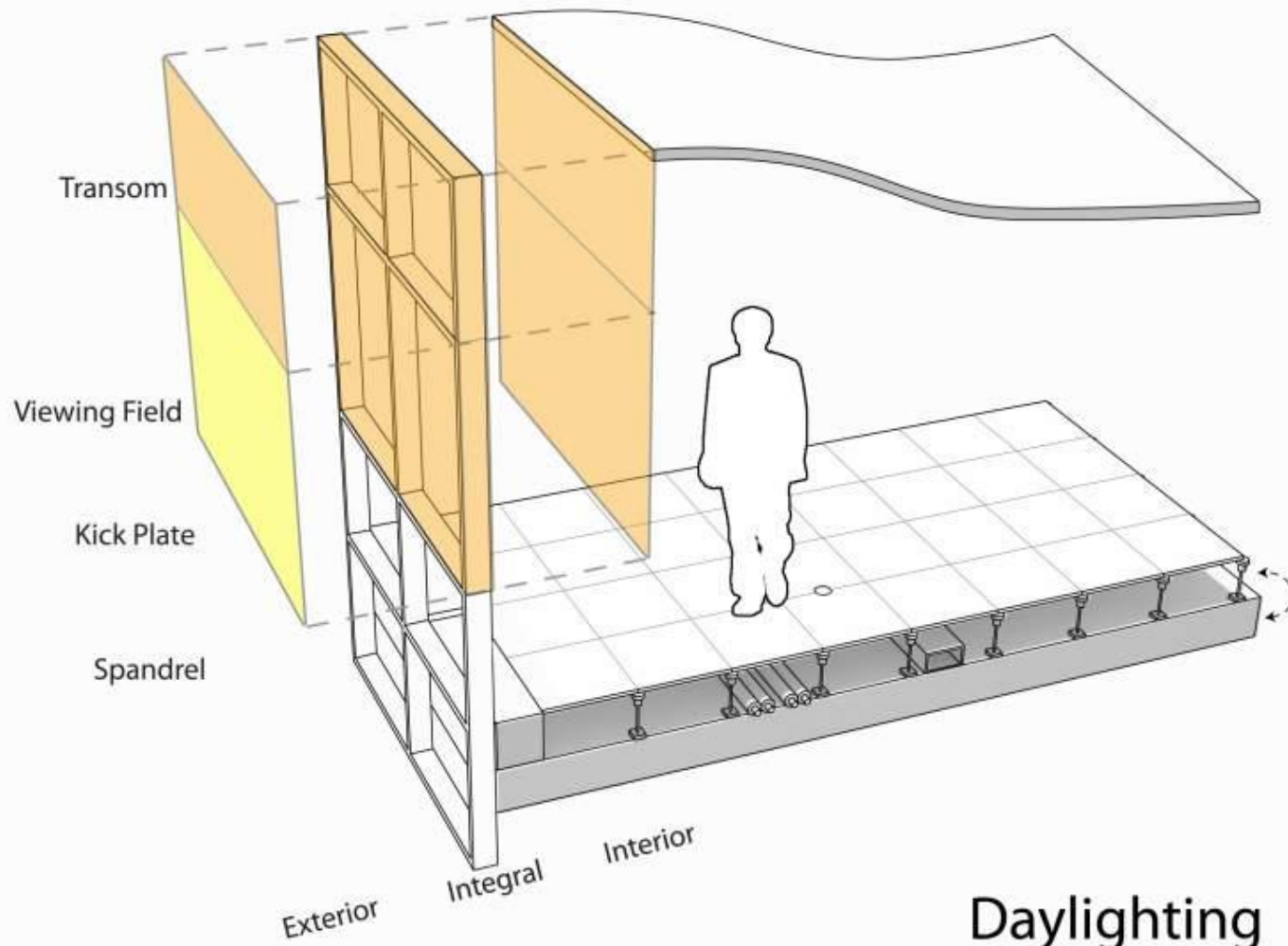
Sustainable Enclosures ensure:

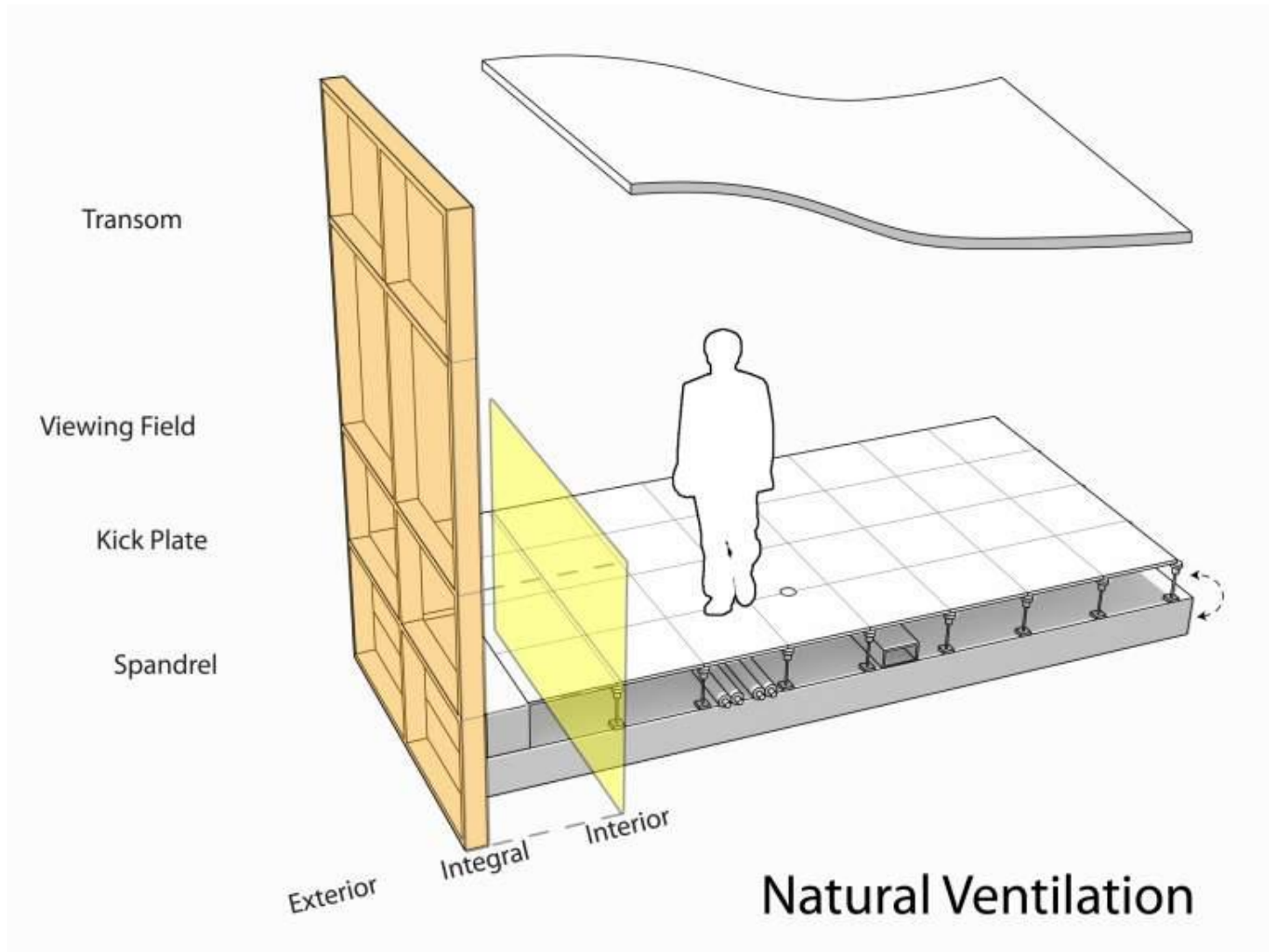
access to nature
 daylighting
 natural ventilation
 heat loss/ heat gain control
 solar heat and glare control
 load balancing
 heat & power generation
 water management
 longevity & change
 systems integration

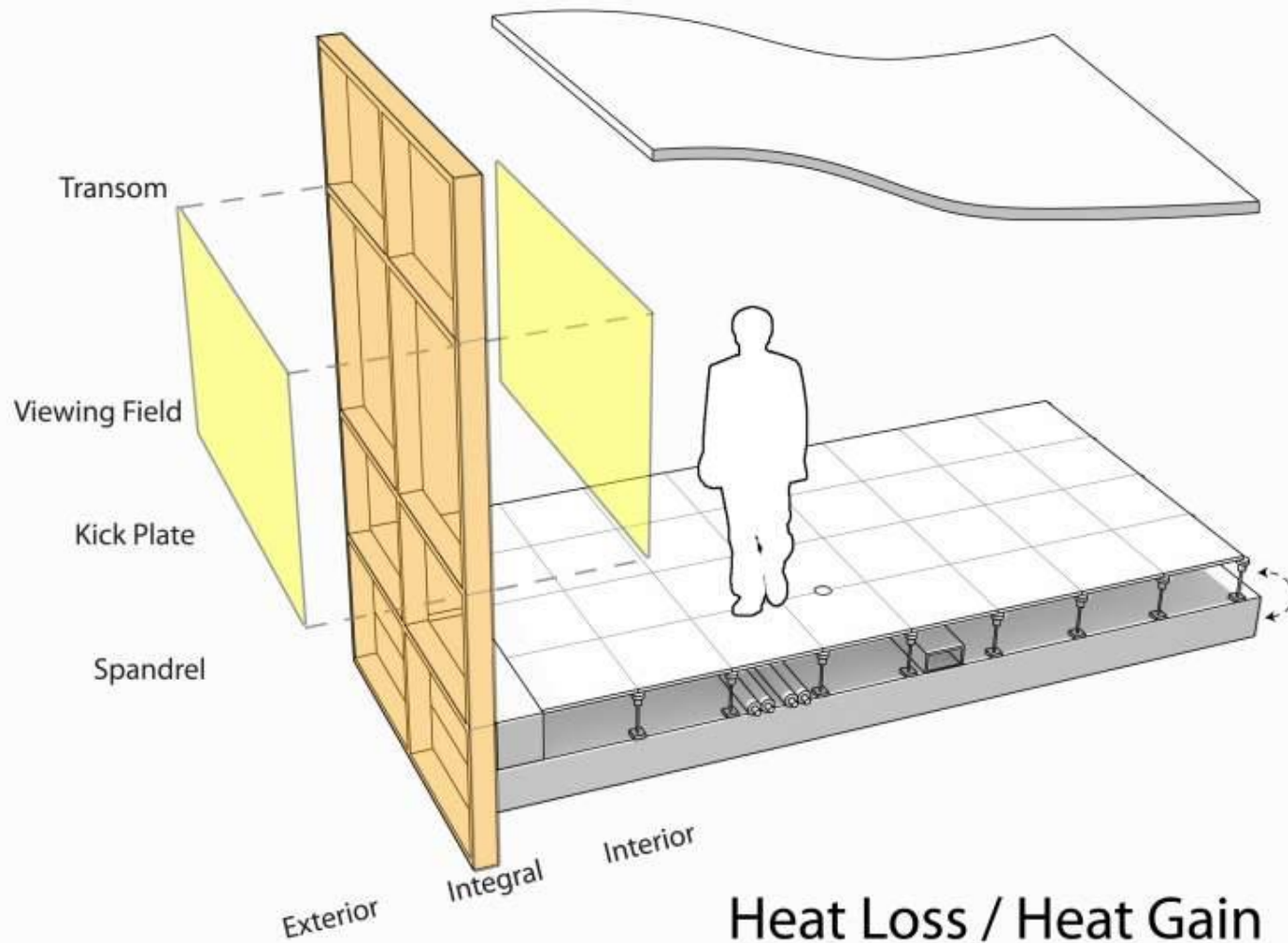


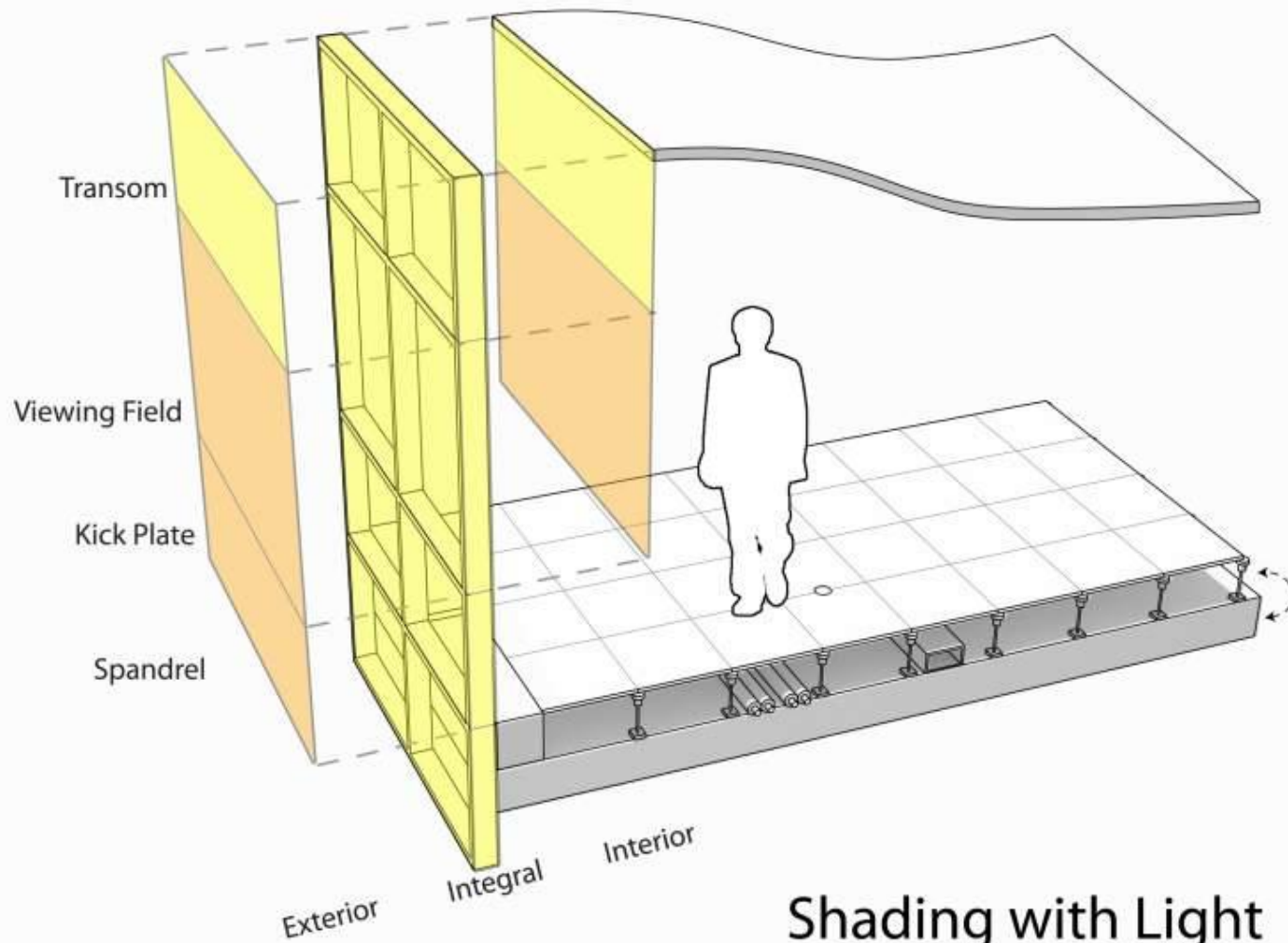


Access to Nature

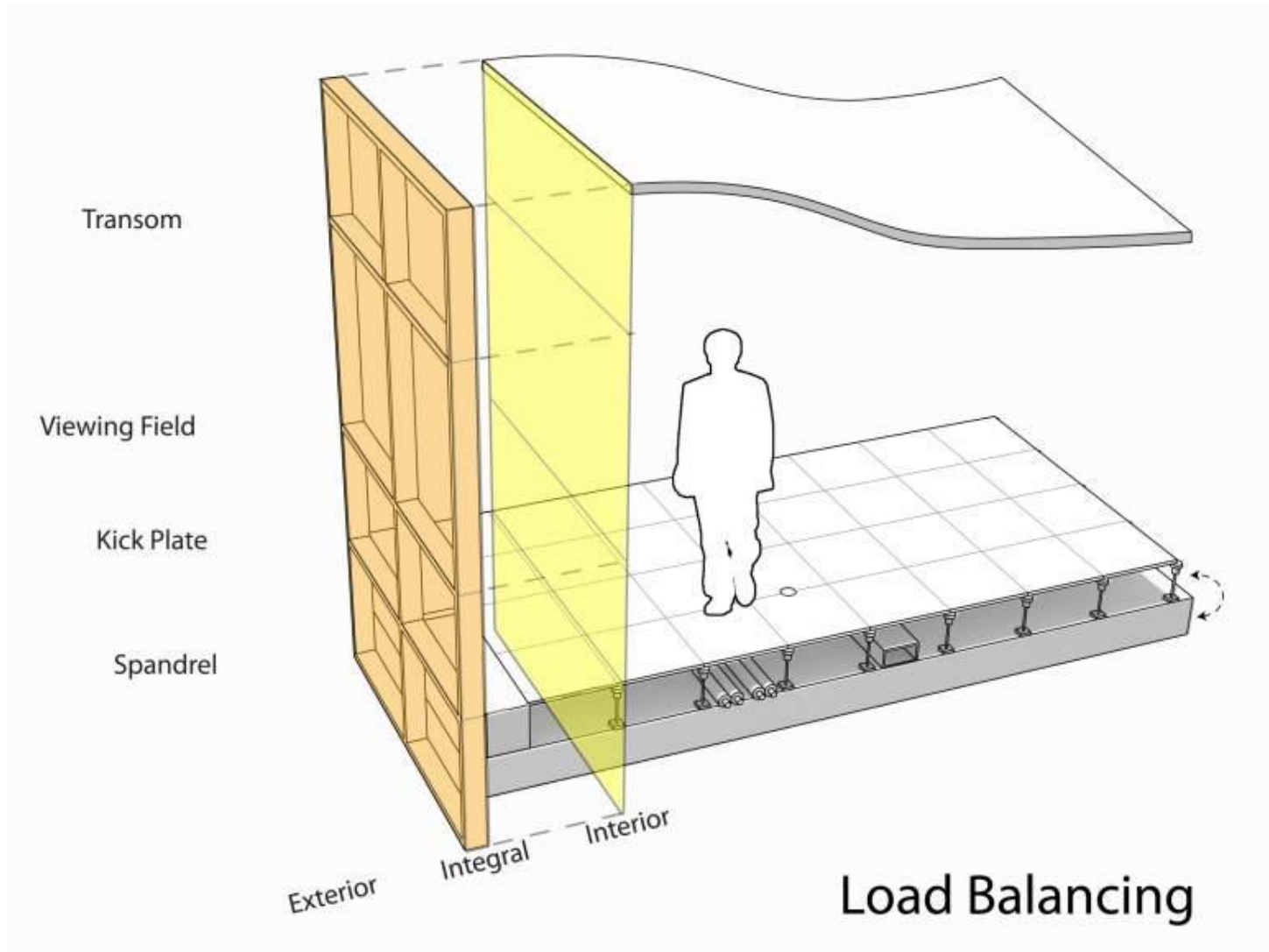


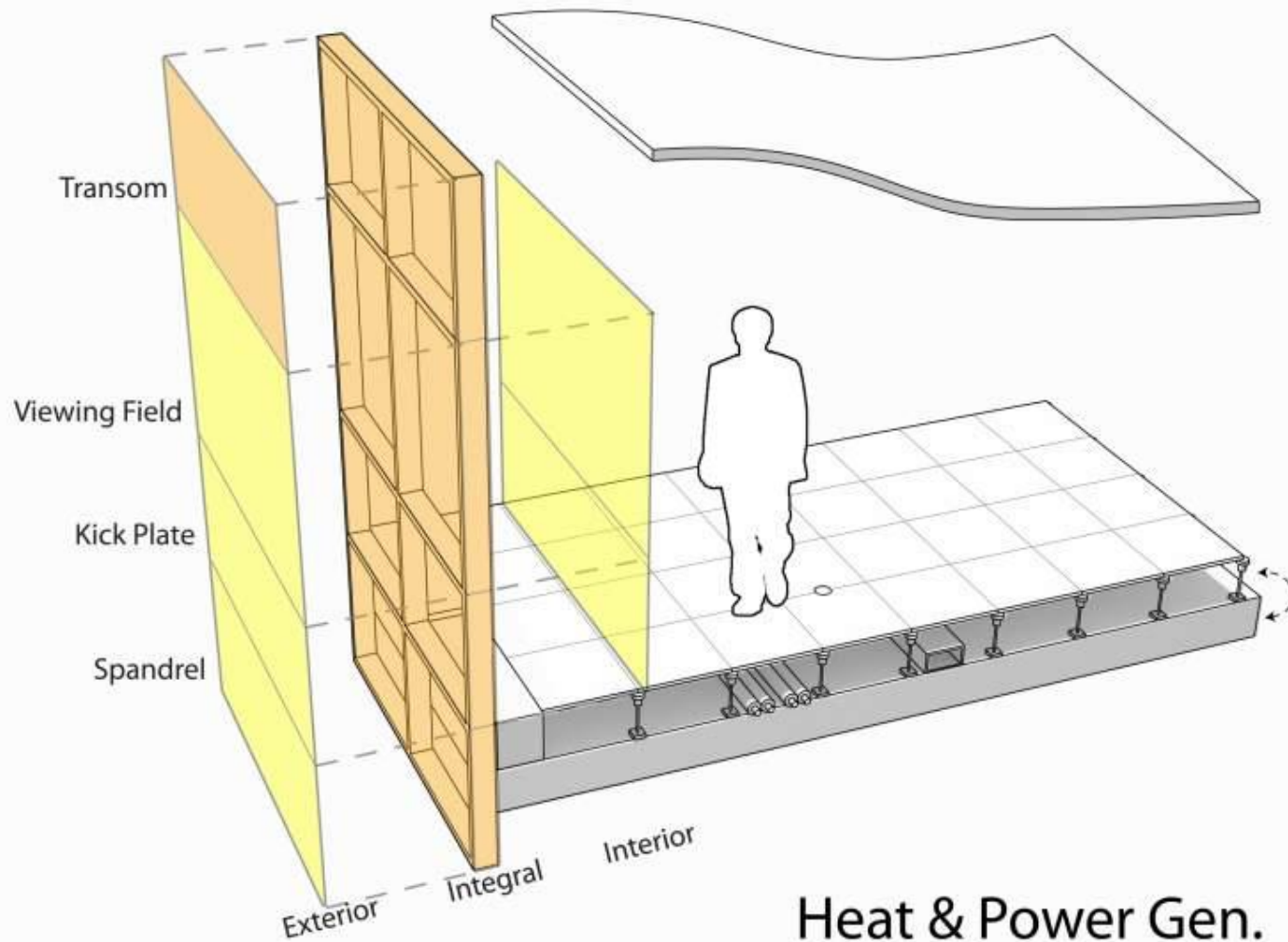




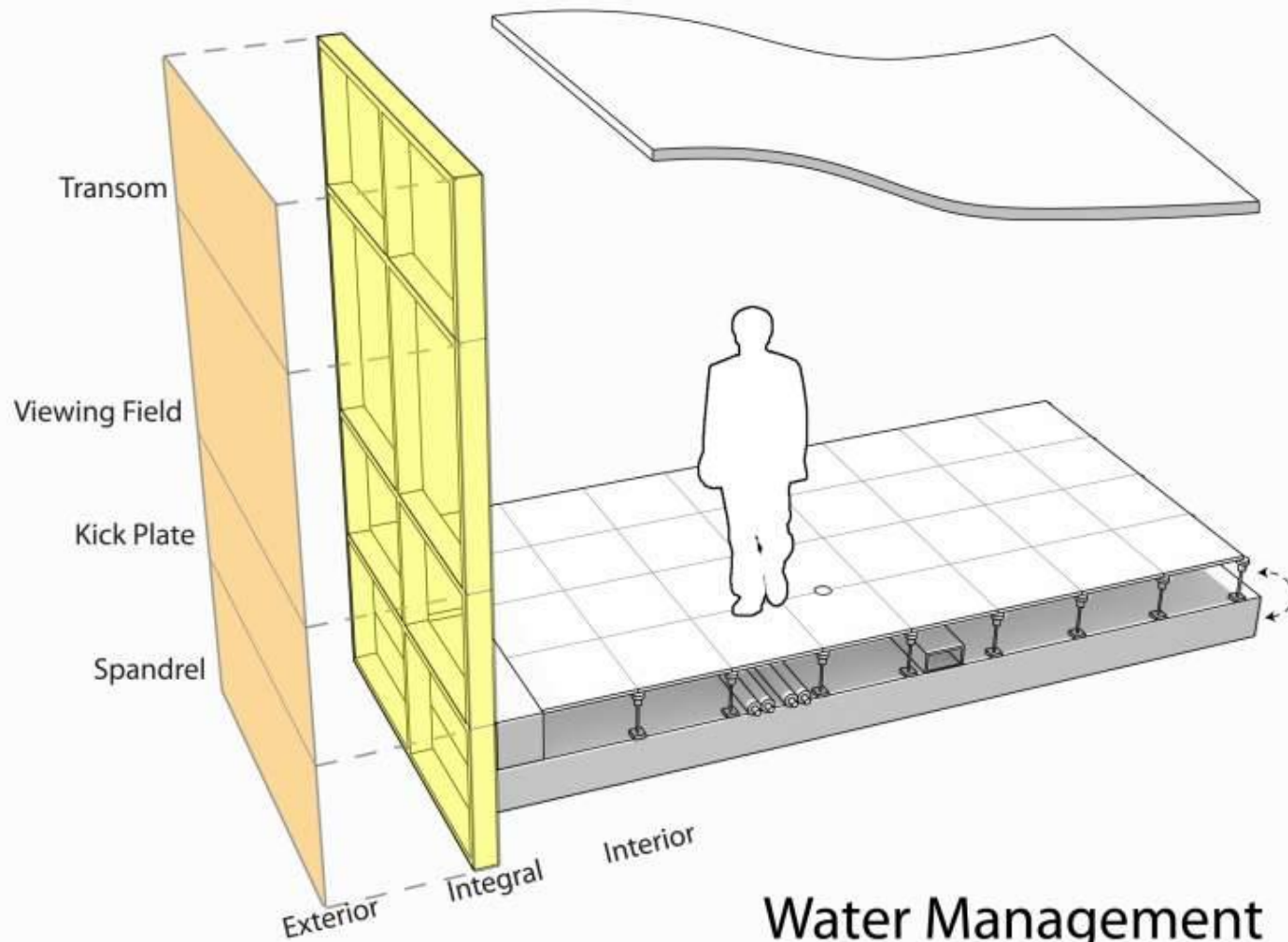


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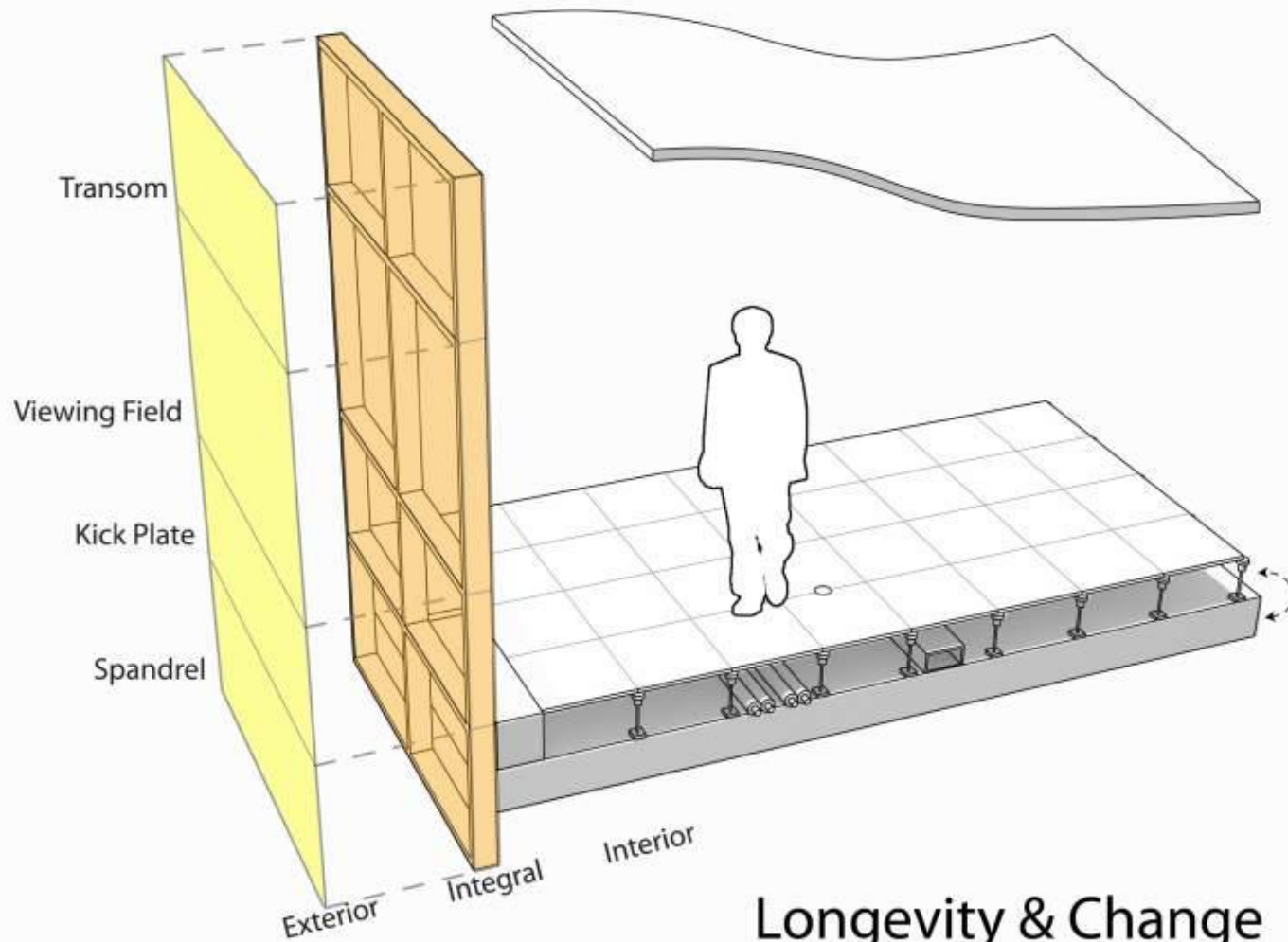




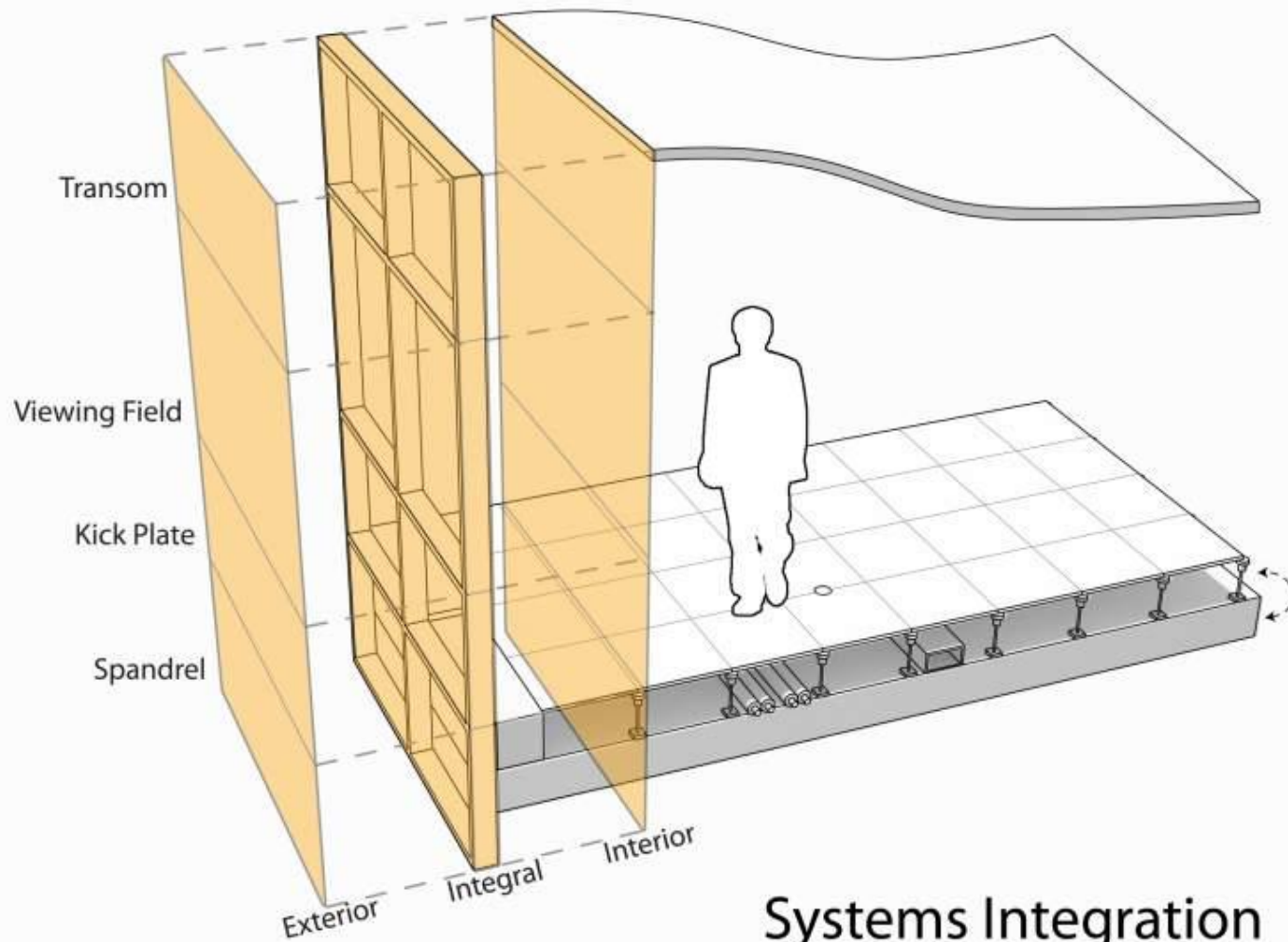
Heat & Power Gen.



Water Management



Longevity & Change



ABSIC/CBPD Guidelines for High Performance HVAC



1. Separate ventilation systems from thermal conditioning
2. Design for natural ventilation with mixed-mode conditioning
3. Provide task conditioning and individual control
4. Design for continuous change with plug and play HVAC & controls
5. Design architecture ‘unplugged’ for maximum efficiency and passive
6. Engineer load balancing
7. Engineer ‘energy cascades’ power, cooling, heating with renewables
8. Create distributed, communicating, modifiable automation systems
9. Pursue Innovative HVAC system integration with enclosure systems.

POE & the National Environmental Assessment Toolkit (NEAT)

48-721 Building Controls & Diagnostics (12)

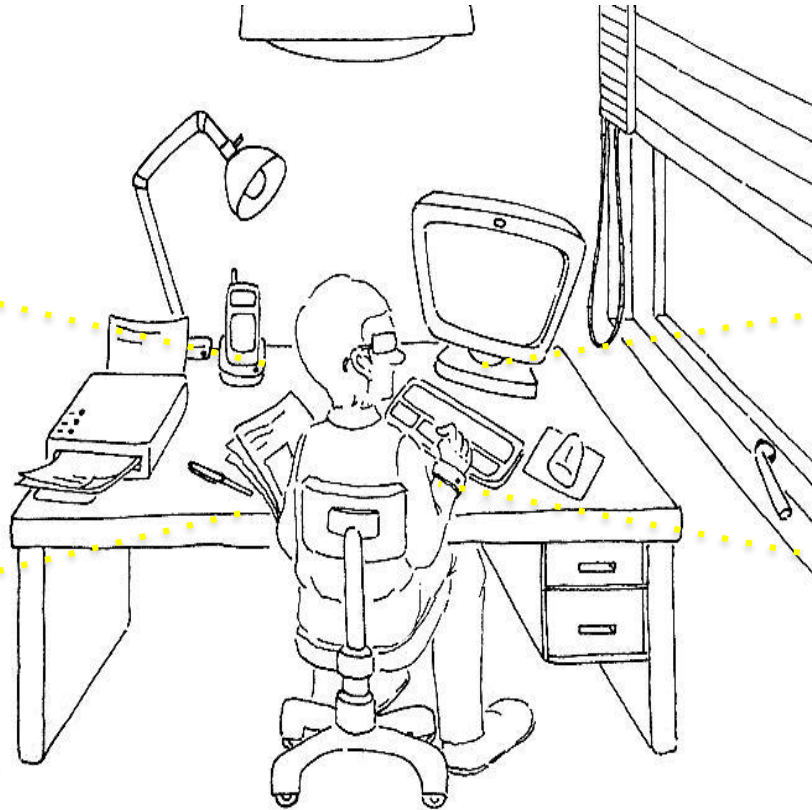
Make that POE+M
workstation measurements of:

Air Quality

- Carbon Dioxide
- Carbon Monoxide
- Total Volatile Organic Compounds
- Particulates
- Ozone
- Radon

Acoustic Quality

- Background sound levels
- Room Criteria
- Noise Criteria
- Balanced Noise Criteria



Visual Quality

- Light level desk
- Light level screen
- Light level keyboard
- Brightness contrast
- Uniform Glare Index

Thermal Quality

- Air temperature at 1.1 m
- Air temperature at 0.6 m
- Air temperature 0.1 m
- Relative Humidity
- Air velocity
- Vertical temp asymmetry
- Horizontal temp asymmetry

+ Personal factors

Clothing, Gender, Age, Activity/Metabolic Rate

Local signs of stress: heaters, fans, sweaters, blankets, deodorizers, taped over diffusers, blocked windows, computer shrouds, personal task lamps...

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Clients: GSA all feds, DOE, DOD, Bank of Am,
Lend Lease, EDF, Phipps, Convention Center

**user satisfaction
questionnaires
(BOSS and COPE)**

The screenshot shows the Evident 1.0 software interface. The main window displays a floor plan with a green dashed outline around a specific area, and a red arrow pointing to it. The interface includes a sidebar with a tree view, a top menu bar, and a main window with a toolbar and a status bar.

USER SATISFACTION SURVEY

This survey will assess occupant satisfaction in the workplace. It will take approximately 15 minutes to complete. The intent is to incorporate your views in the decision making process for future improvements of the workplace. Your answers will be confidential and your anonymity will be protected.

Enter control code:

If you have any questions about this study, feel free to contact the lead researcher of the study

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For any questions pertaining to your rights as a research subject, you may contact the Regulatory Compliance Administration office below.

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What Environmental Controls and Technology do you have access to in your Workstation ?						
Fill in the numbers you have used and average each; an importance level from High to Low.						
Visual Quality & Lighting (part 1)						
				Which forms of sun and light control do you have?	Need or Prefer	
Windows - Clear Glass	Windows-Tinted Glass	Clerestory Window	Natural Light	vertical blinds venetian shades roller shade curtains other shading device electronic shading light shut off	High Medium Low	
yes no	yes no	yes no	yes no		High Medium Low	
high medium low	high medium low	high medium low	high medium low		High Medium Low	
				Which forms of ambient light control do you have?	Need or Prefer	
Direct Light - Track/Fixed Lume	Direct Light - Track/Fixed Lume	Direct - Indirect Light	Indirect Light	on/off switch dimmer switch occupancy sensor daylight sensor other	High Medium Low	
yes no	yes no	yes no	yes no		High Medium Low	
high medium low	high medium low	high medium low	high medium low		High Medium Low	

**technical attributes of
building systems
(TABS)**



field
instrumentation
(NEAT)

CMU's On-Site User Satisfaction Questionnaire

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Name _____
 Address _____
 Phone Number _____
 E-mail _____

What building are you in (address it with)? _____
 What floor? _____
 How long have you worked here? _____

Is it typical work environment for you? _____

How do you feel about...	Very Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Very Satisfied
How do you feel about:								
1. Light and color (your workspace) (reading writing)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
2. Overall air quality in your work area	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
3. Odors in your work area	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
4. Temperature in your work area	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
How do you feel about your work space lighting:								
5. Intensity	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
6. Color	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
7. Glare	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
8. Uniformity	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
9. Flicker	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
How do you feel about:								
10. Acoustic appearance of your work area	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
11. Clutteriness of your work area	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
12. Level of acoustic privacy in your workspace	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
13. Level of visual privacy with your work area	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
14. Amount of time you spend conversations with your work area	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
15. How much time you spend to accommodate your work materials	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
16. Amount of equipment used from mechanical or office equipment	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
17. How much time you spend to use the equipment	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
18. Light for computer work	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
How often do you experience glare:								
19. On your computer screen	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
20. On other things (e.g., laptop)	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
21. From sunlight	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
How do you feel about it:								
22. At work in your work area	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
23. At home	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Slightly Dissatisfied Slightly Satisfied Not Satisfied Not Satisfied

(If dissatisfied with this air measurement, what are the conditions

	Self	Assistant	Associate	Senior	Manager	Director	VP
15. You often do the physical components in your work area.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()
16. Your access to a source of usable from where you work.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()
17. Distance between you and other people you work with.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()
18. Overall quality of lighting in your work area.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()
19. Frequency of distraction from other people.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()
20. Degree of distraction from your work by walls, screens or furniture.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()

Rank of importance 1-5	None	Slightly	Moderate	Quite Significant	Very Significant	Extremely Significant
21. Rank from 1st (the least) which would be important to support your effectiveness as a rank 12 or the most important and rank 5 (the least important)?	()	()	()	()	()	()

Please check the appropriate box:

Age	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70+
Gender	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
Education	High School	Community College	Bachelor Degree	Master Degree	Graduate Degree	Doctorate
Job category	Administrative	Technical	Professional	Management		

How do you feel about?

	Strongly Dislike	Dislike	Neutral	Likely	Like	Strongly Like
22. My department/agency is a good place to work.	()	()	()	()	()	()
23. I am satisfied with my job.	()	()	()	()	()	()
24. The environmental conditions in my work area affect my personal productivity.	()	()	()	()	()	()
25. I am satisfied with the indoor environment in my work area as a whole.	()	()	()	()	()	()

Please tick or comment for you would like to share with us related to your work satisfaction:

Please do not enter this information unless you are asked to.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/Town/Village: _____

State/Country: _____

Telephone: _____

Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

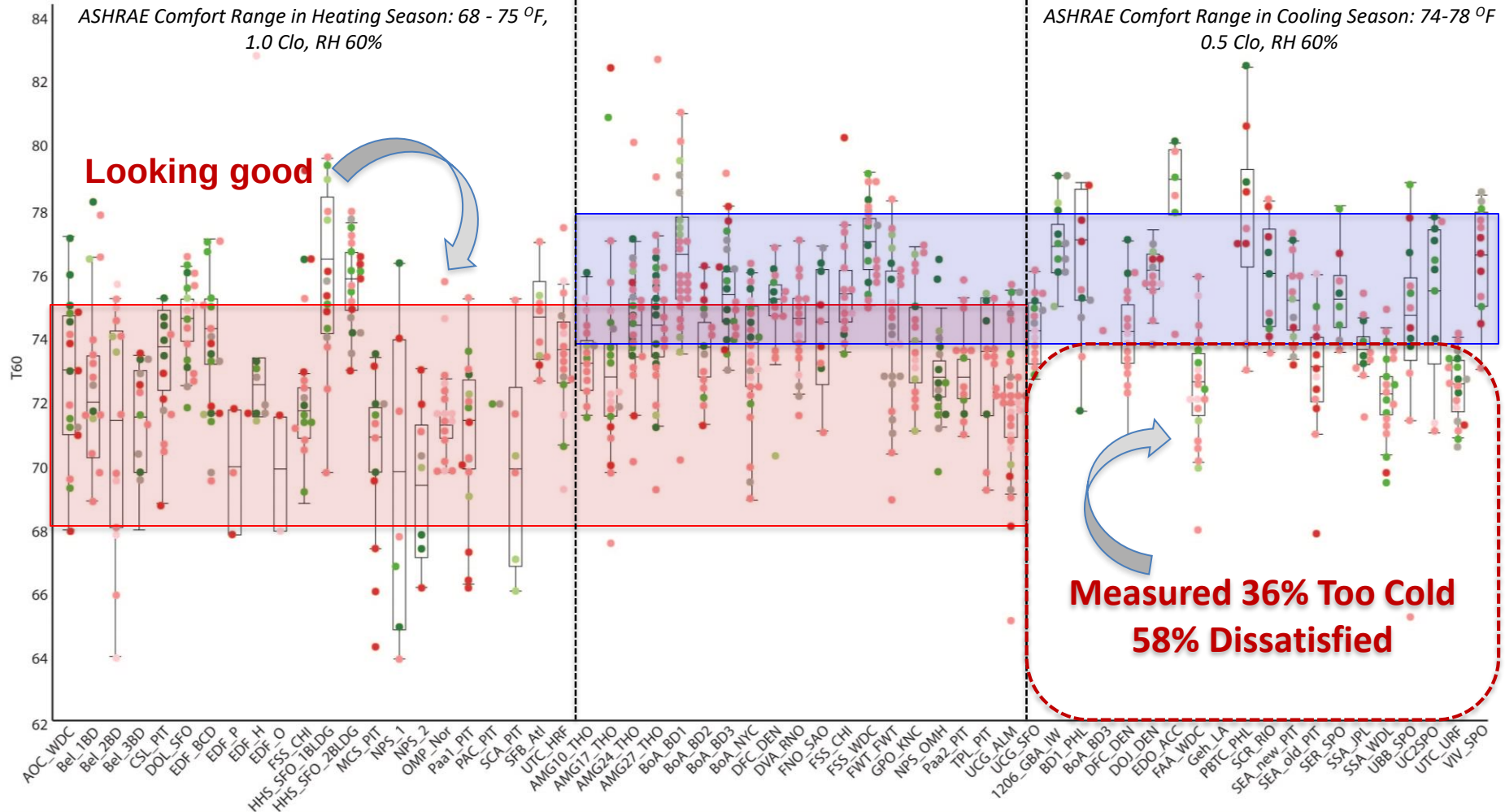
Air temperature measurements 0.6 m from the floor

CBPD, CMU (n = 1,282 workstations, 64 buildings)

Heating Season

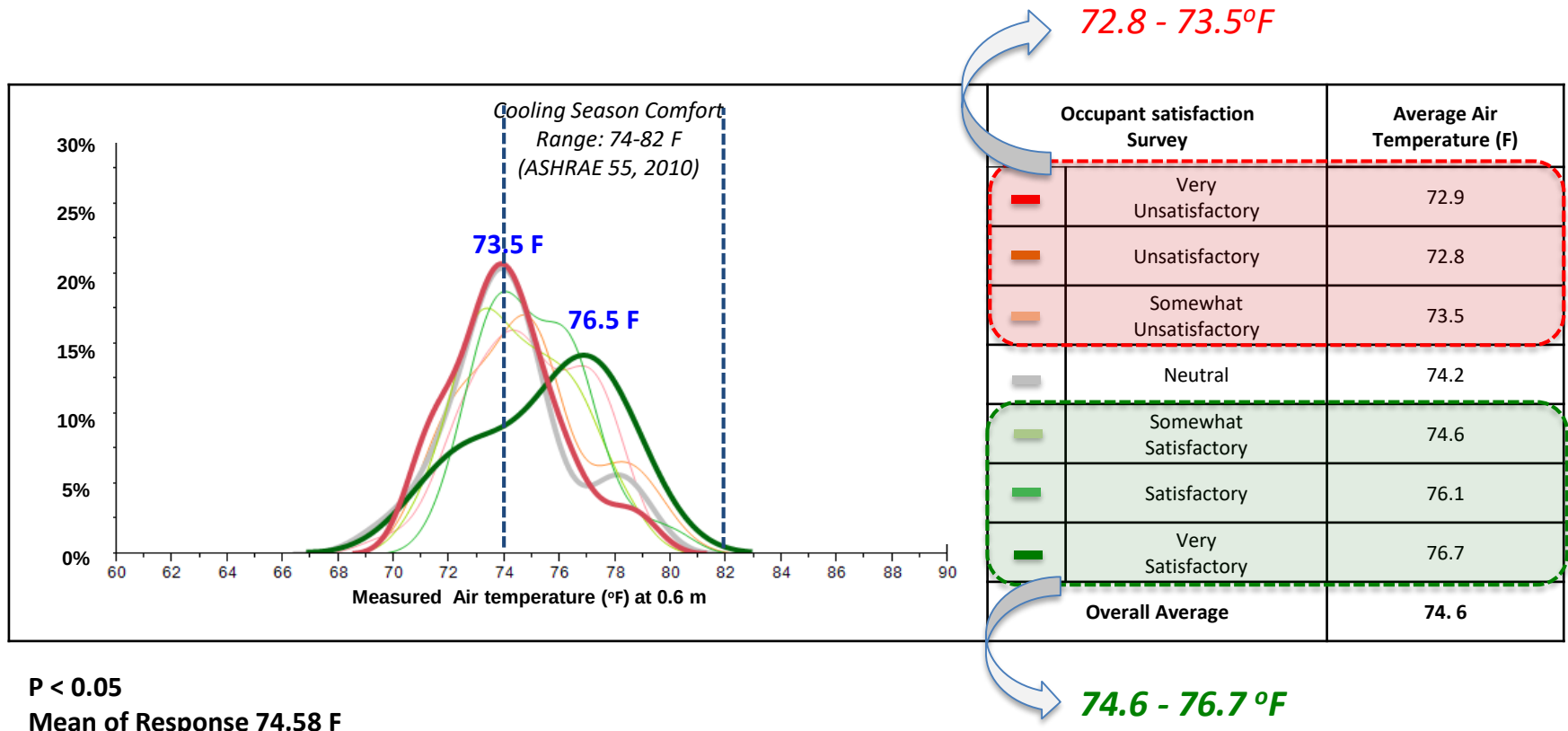
Swing Season

Cooling Season



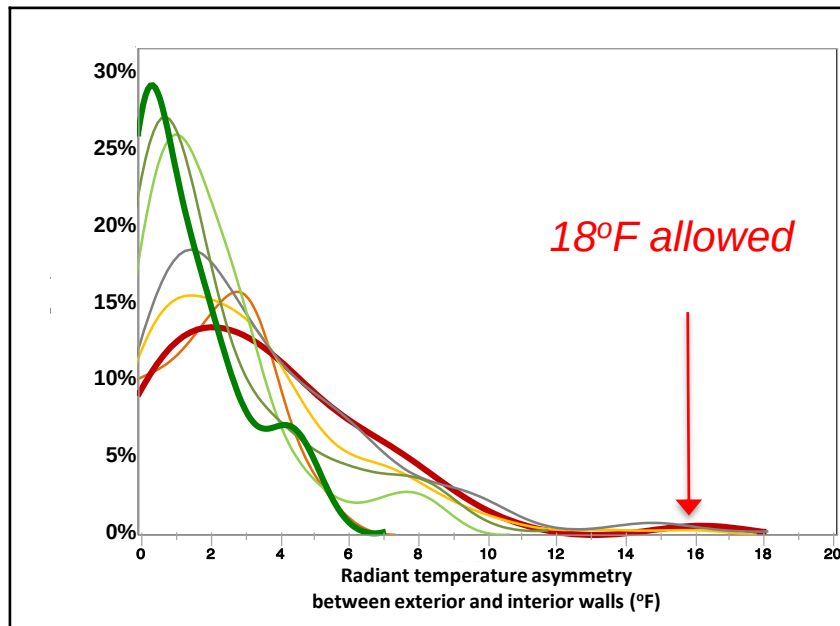
Cooling season user satisfaction with air temperature at 0.6 m

CBPD, CMU, Cooling Season (n=446)



Radiant temperature asymmetry & user satisfaction level

Perimeter Workstations (n=391)



$P < 0.001$
Mean of Response 2.97 °F

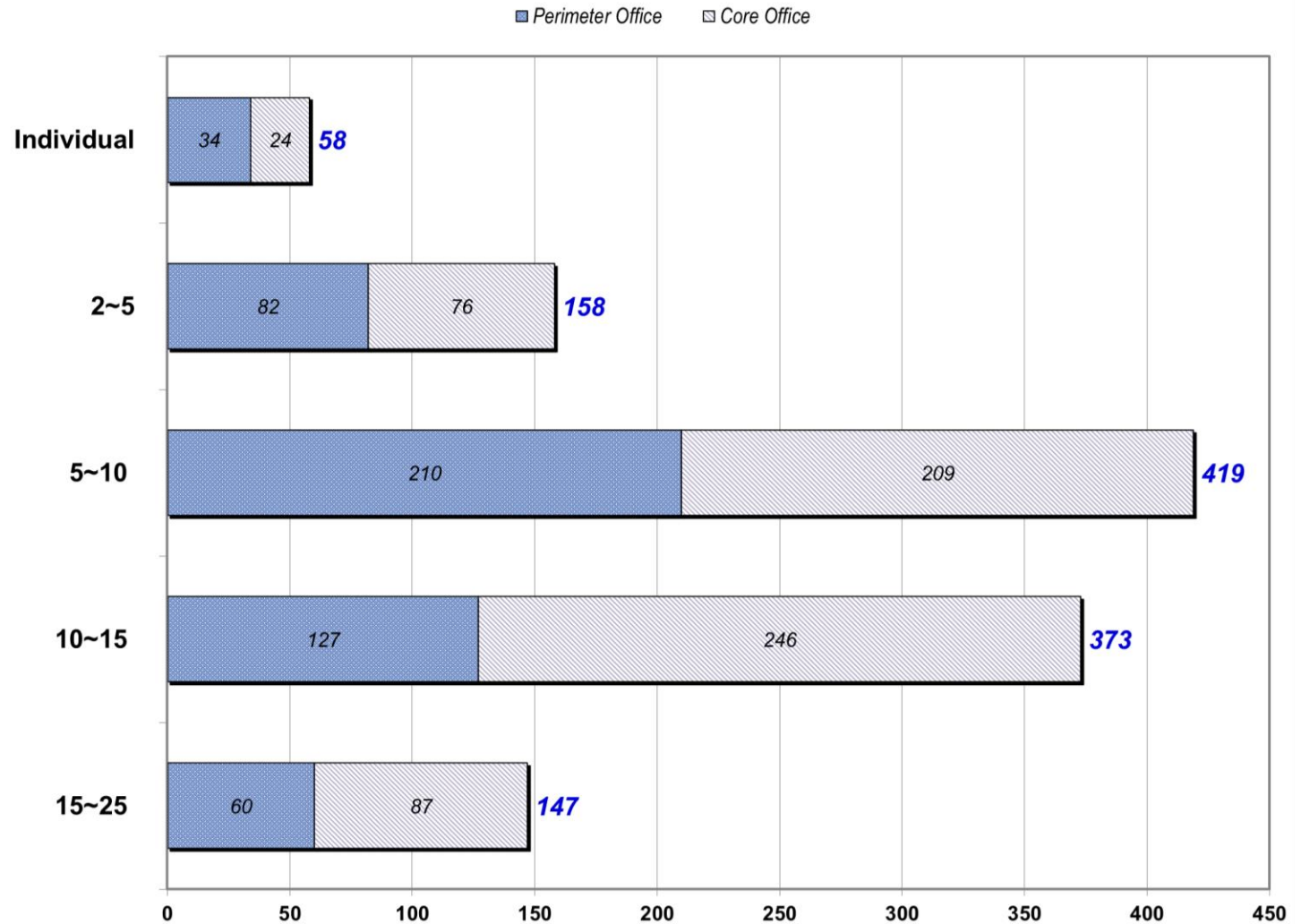
Occupant satisfaction Survey		Average Temp. Δ [Ex-In] (°F)
	Very Unsatisfactory	3.47
	Unsatisfactory	4.02
	Somewhat Unsatisfactory	3.65
	Neutral	3.35
	Somewhat Satisfactory	2.25
	Satisfactory	2.13
	Very Satisfactory	1.58
Overall Average		2.97

3.5 - 4.0 °F

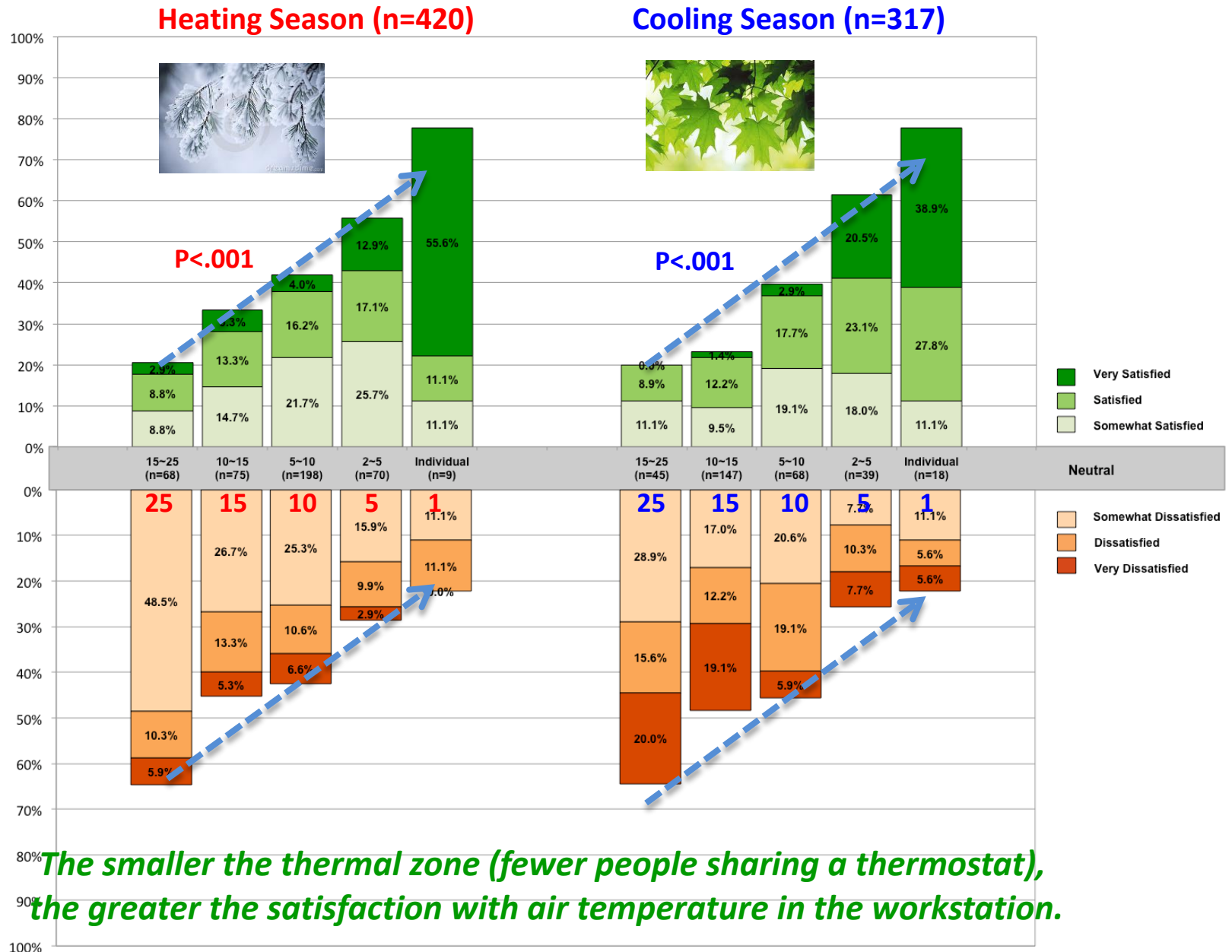
1.6 - 2.3 °F

Distribution in Size of Zone (TABS)

64 buildings, combination of Perimeter and Core workstations

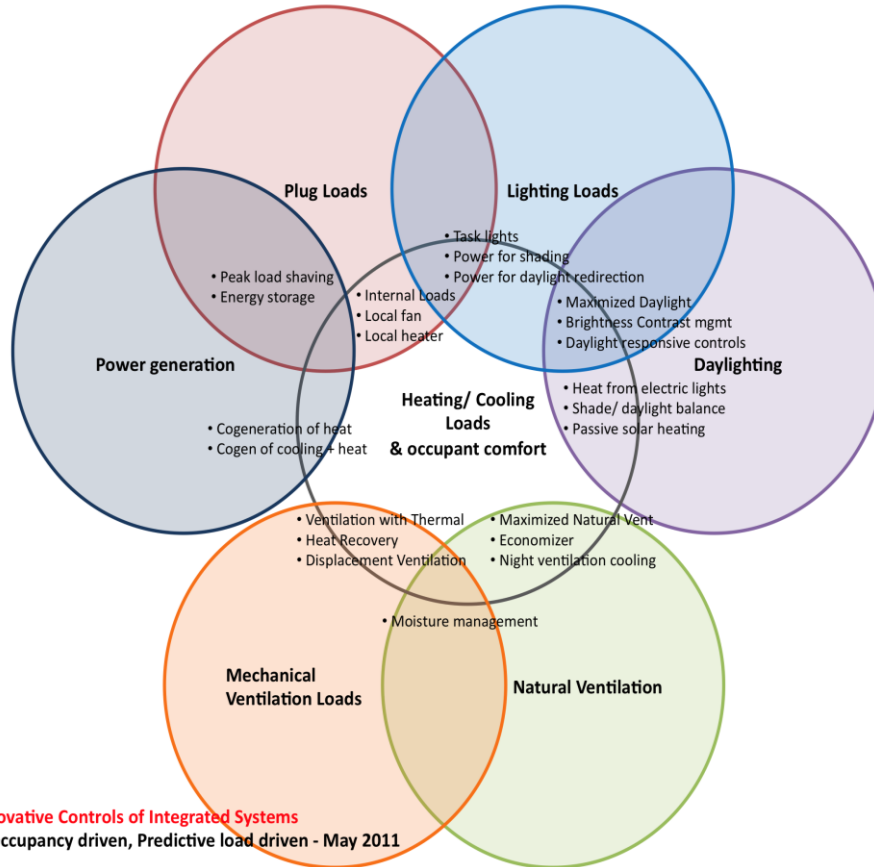


Temperature Satisfaction by "Size of Zone"

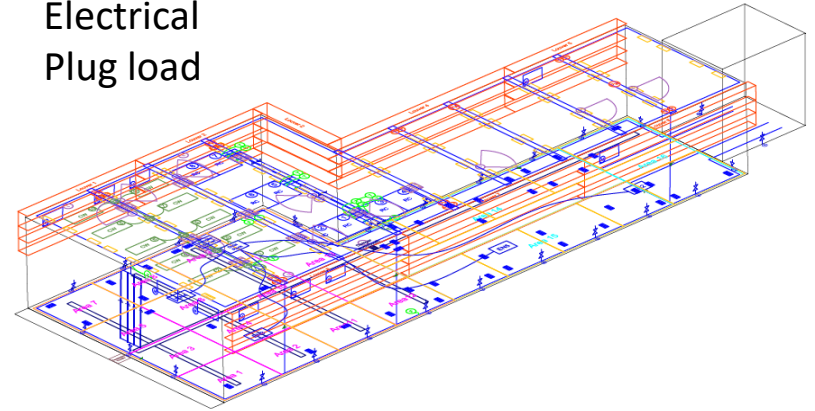


The Intelligent Workplace

Networked Intelligence Integrating all systems



- Heating
- Cooling
- Ventilation (mechanical and natural)
- Lighting, and day-lighting
- Electrical
- Plug load

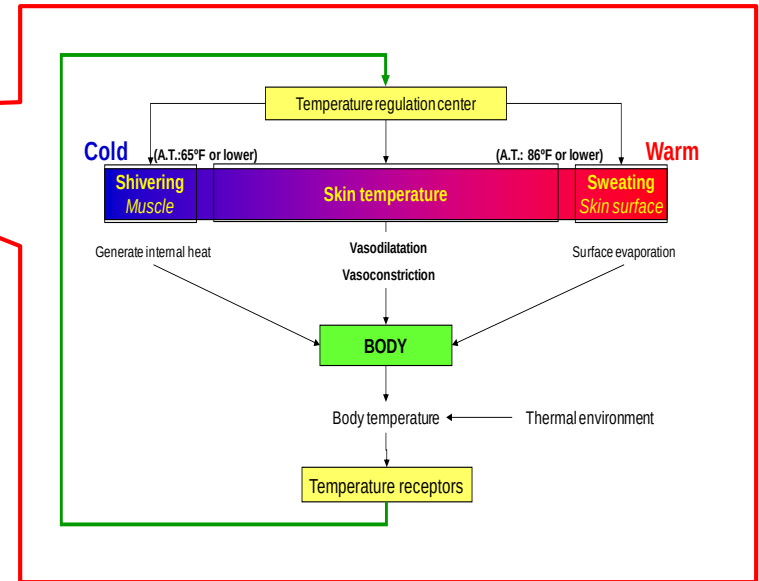
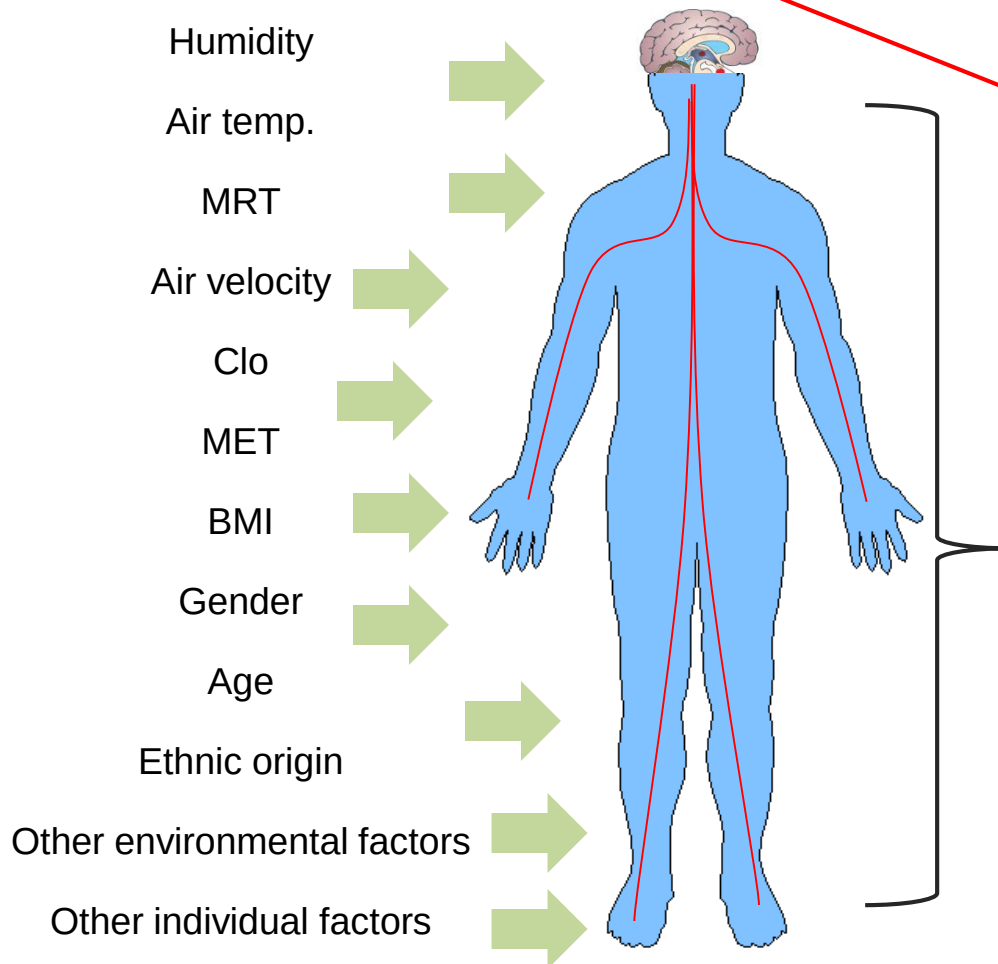


***sensors, actuators, user interfaces,
central intelligence & information feedback,
integrated system and control innovations
for IEQ and energy effectiveness.***

CMU/Siemens Innovative Controls of Integrated Systems
Passively driven, Occupancy driven, Predictive load driven - May 2011

Potential of using Bio-signals for Adaptive Individualized Controls

Factors Affecting Comfort

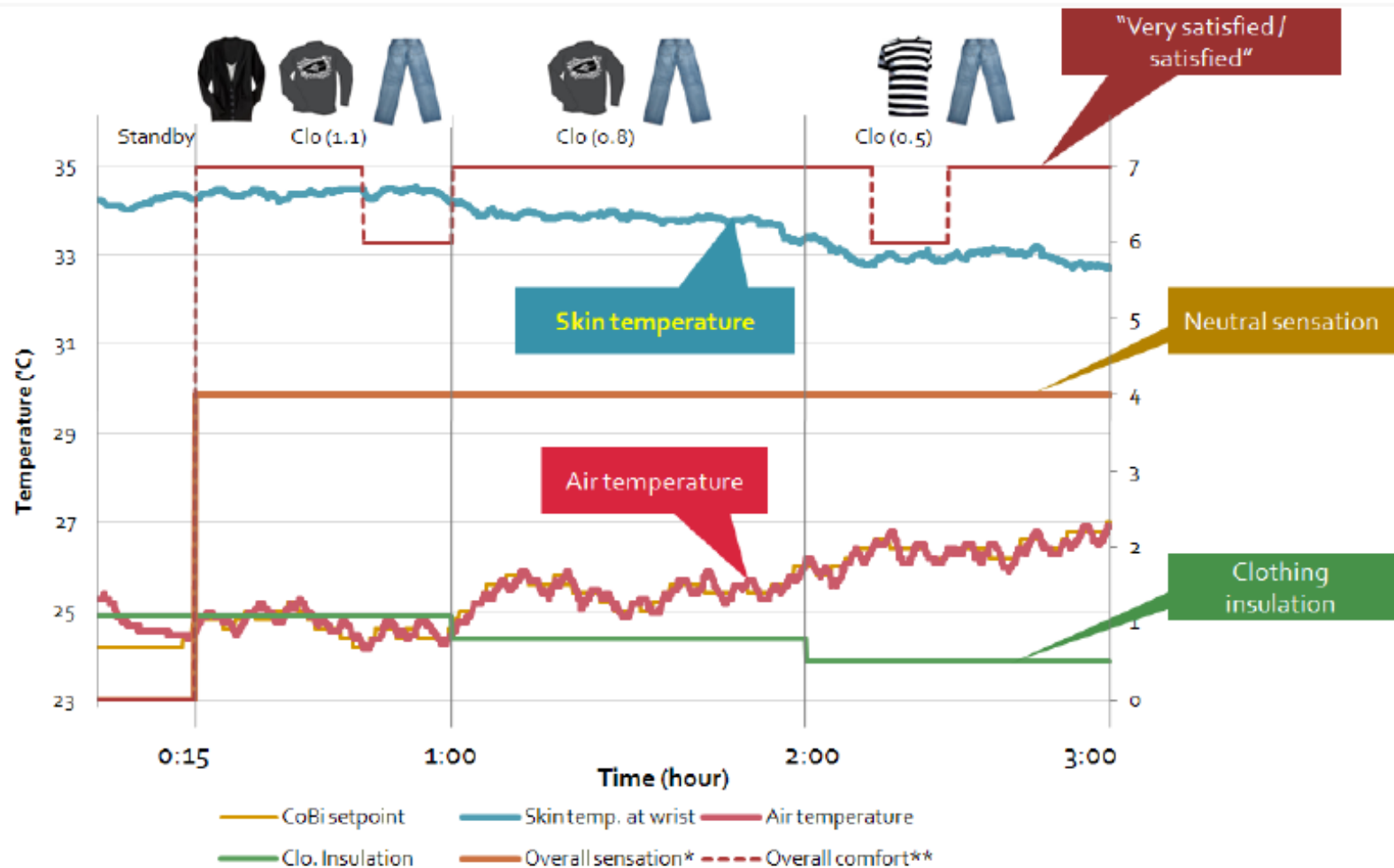


CoBi Bio-signals for thermal sensation prediction !!

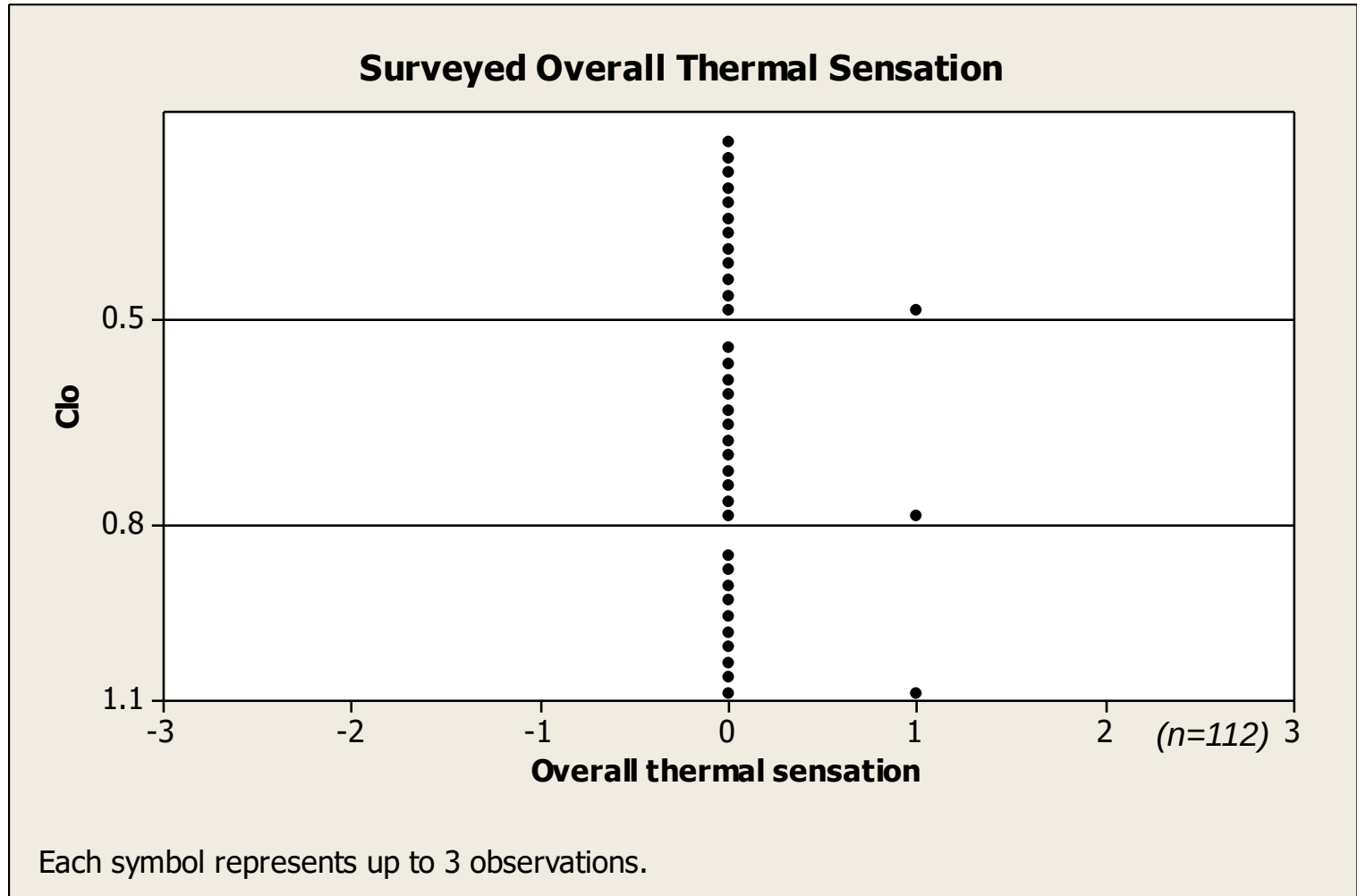
Applicable to ---

1. Individual control
2. Dynamic conditions
3. Real time control with non-intrusive sensing

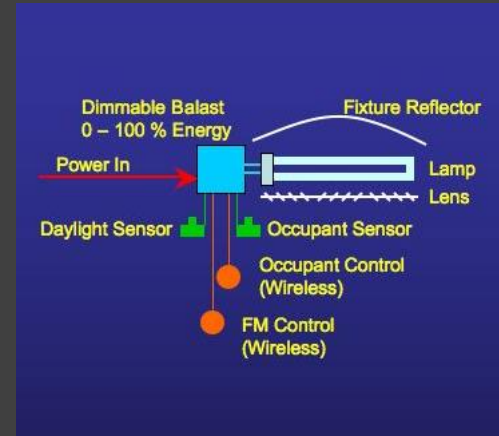
Wrist temperature driven air temperature settings result in outstanding satisfaction across different clo-values



With the CoBi controller, 93% reported thermally neutral sensations while 7% reported slightly warm sensation, as compared to an average US satisfaction of <60%.



ABSIC/CBPD Guidelines for *High Performance Lighting*

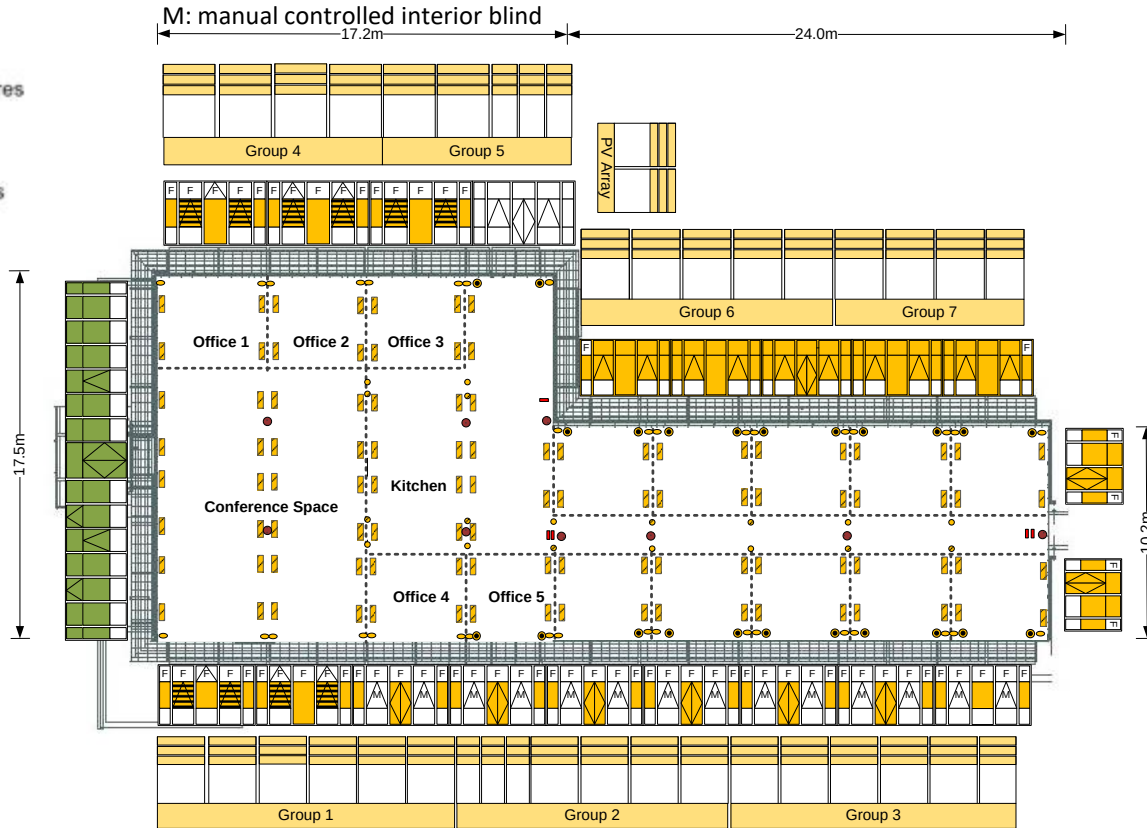


1. Provide Daylight as the dominant light source without glare or overheating
2. Separate task lighting from ambient lighting
(or design relocatable task-ambient systems)
3. Introduce indirect-direct lighting for spatial dynamics without shadowing.
4. Maximize lighting quality with high performance luminaires.
5. Provide for reconfigurability with plug-and-play fixtures.
6. Design for continuous change in lighting zone size and advanced controls
7. Pursue innovative lighting systems integration

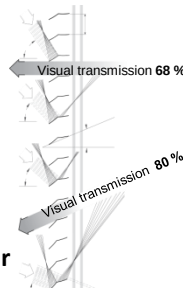
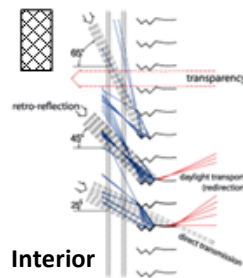
Building Controls Research: Intelligent Workplace & Field Testbeds

Lighting/ Daylighting/Shading Systems

-  100 Zumtobel LaTrave Fixtures
-  36 Pico Fixtures
-  12 Zumtobel Dancer Fixtures
-  23 Floor Light Fixtures
-  8 Fire Alarm Light Fixtures
-  5 Fire Exit signs
-  10 motorized blinds
10 24VDC switches
-  65 motorized blinds
130 110 VAC relays



- 7 Daylight Redirection Louver sets**
- 3 tiers
- 0° (closed) - 105° (fully open)
- 208 V, single phase



- 74 RetroSolar motorized blinds**
- 0 – 100% up and down
- 0° – 90° tilt
- 65 110VAC
- 10 24VDC



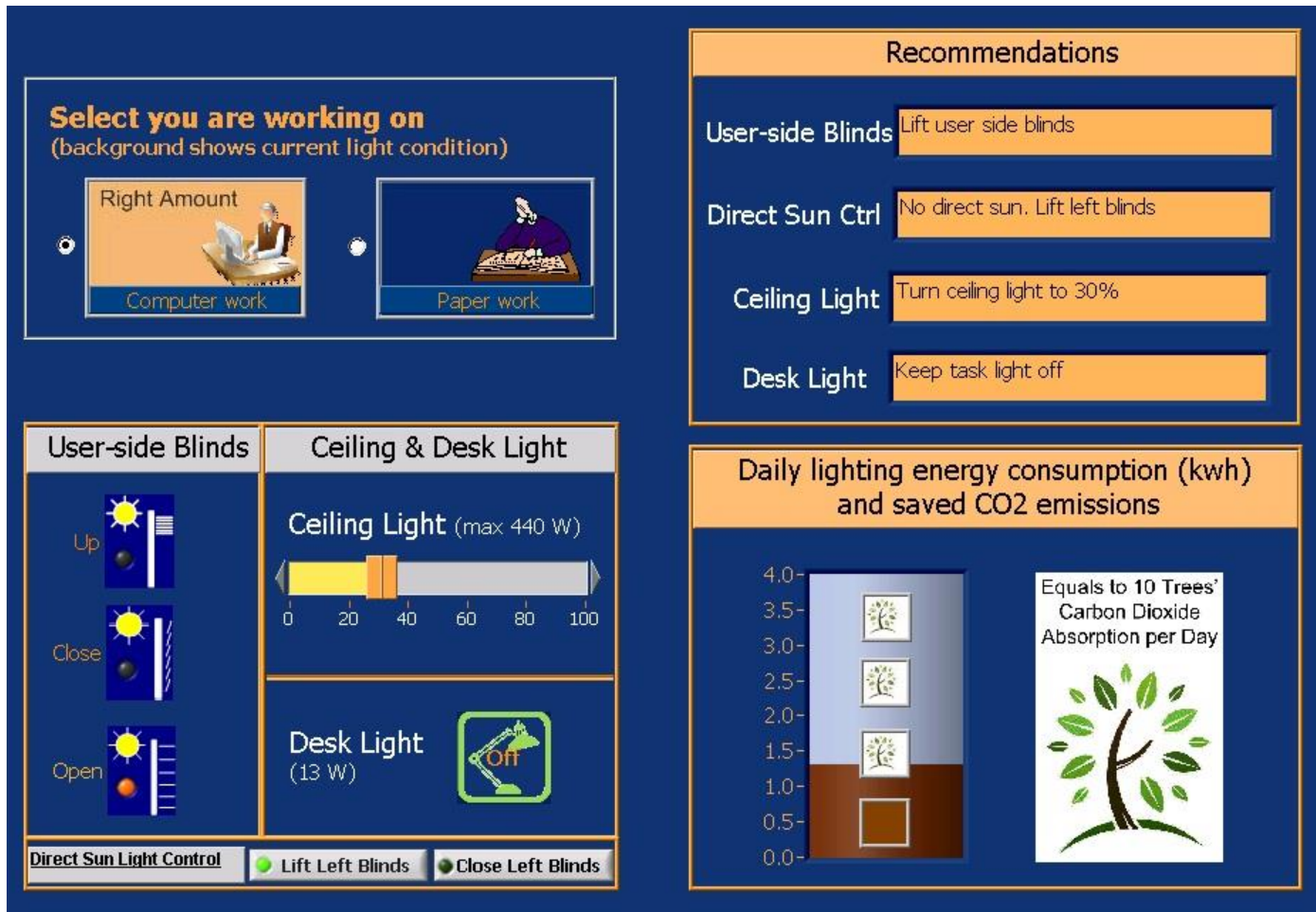
- 100 Zumtobel LaTrave relocatable luminaires**
- 20% up, 80% down light
- 1-100% dimming ballast
- 2 x 55W U-shape lamps
- LPD 1.63w/sf.



- 1 WaldmannTycoon**
- direct / indirect luminaires
- Occupancy sensor
- Daylight sensor



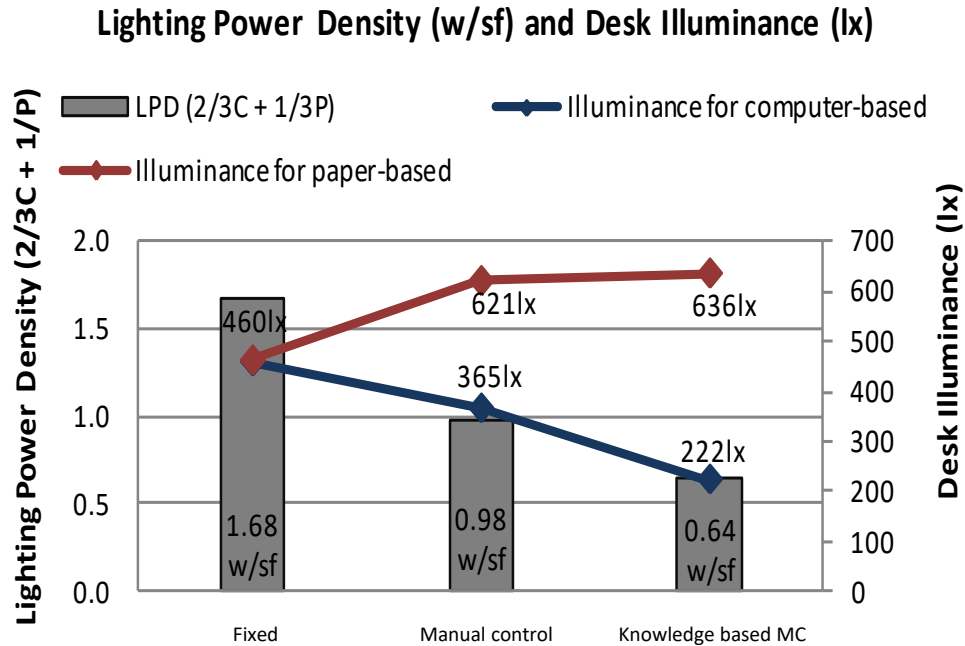
- 12 track light :**
- 15W LED
- 3000 K
- 770 Lumen



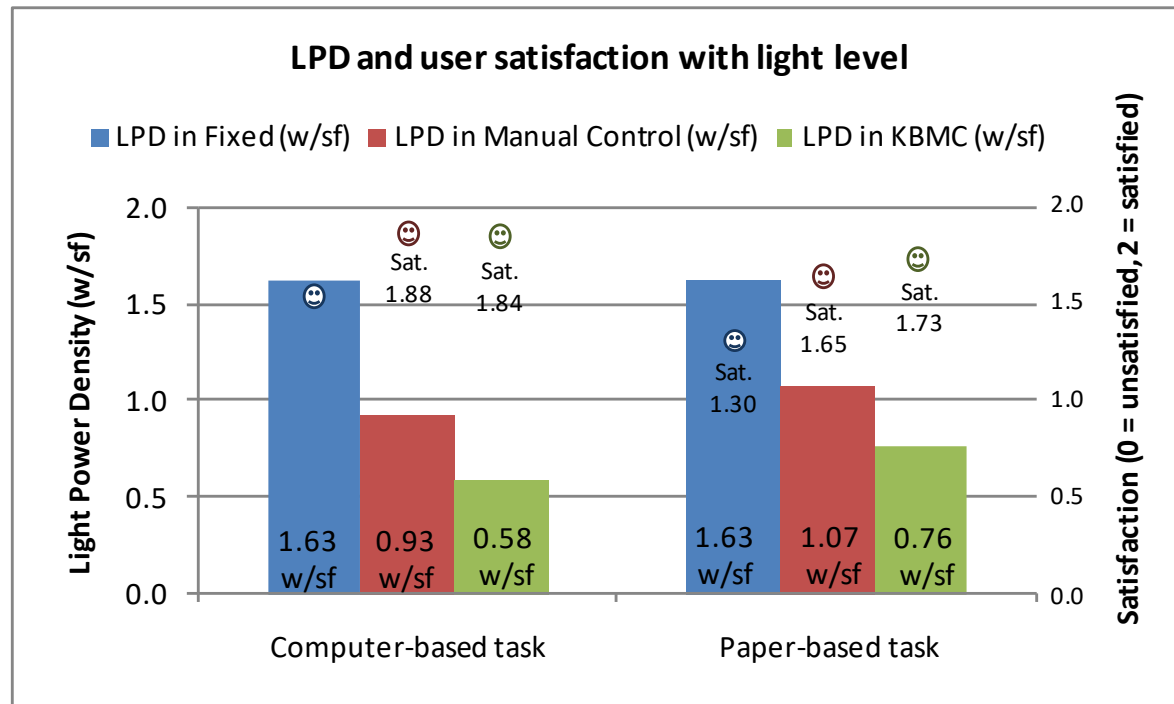
The Impacts of **Real-time Knowledge Based Personal Lighting Control** on Energy Consumption, User Satisfaction and Task Performance in Offices

Yung Gu, 2011 PhD dissertation

lighting power demand drops with user controls



- Lighting power demand was reduced 43% with manual settings (MC) compared to fixed (F) and was reduced 64% with KBMC regardless of task type.
- Desk top light levels for paper-based tasks was increased to over 620 lux with MC and KBMC compared to the 500 lux standard - at measurably lower energy.



✓ Manual controls of blinds and task lights and online control of overhead lights offer **43% energy saving** + **higher user satisfaction** + **no decrement in task performance**.

✓ Knowledge-based manual control of blinds, task lights and online control of overhead lights offer **64% energy saving** + no decrement in user satisfaction and task performance.

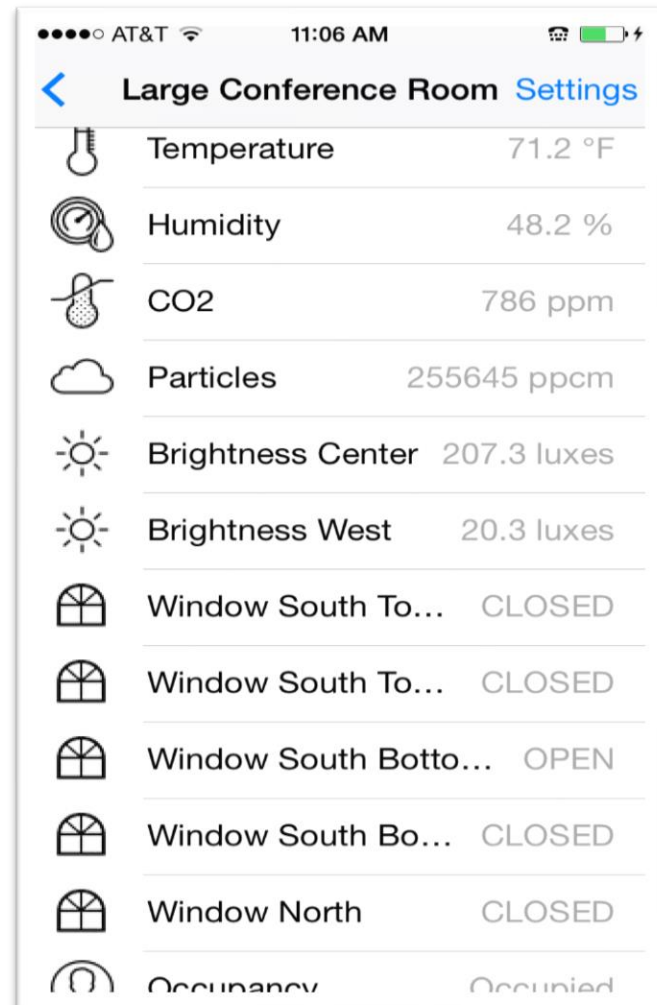
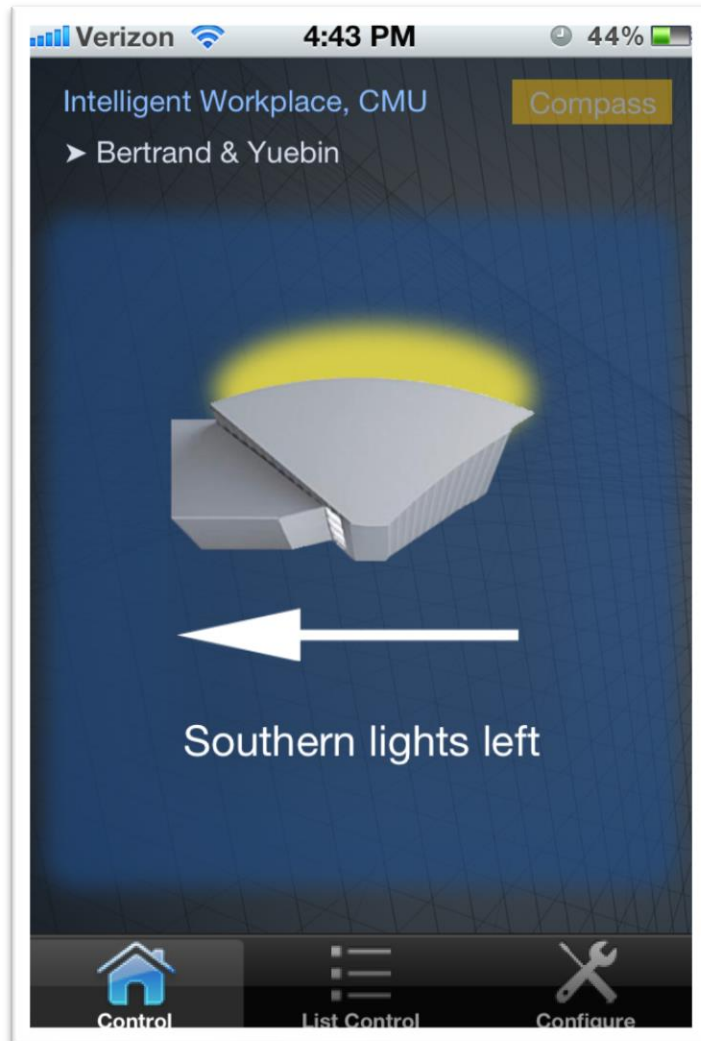
Innovative User integrated Control Solutions

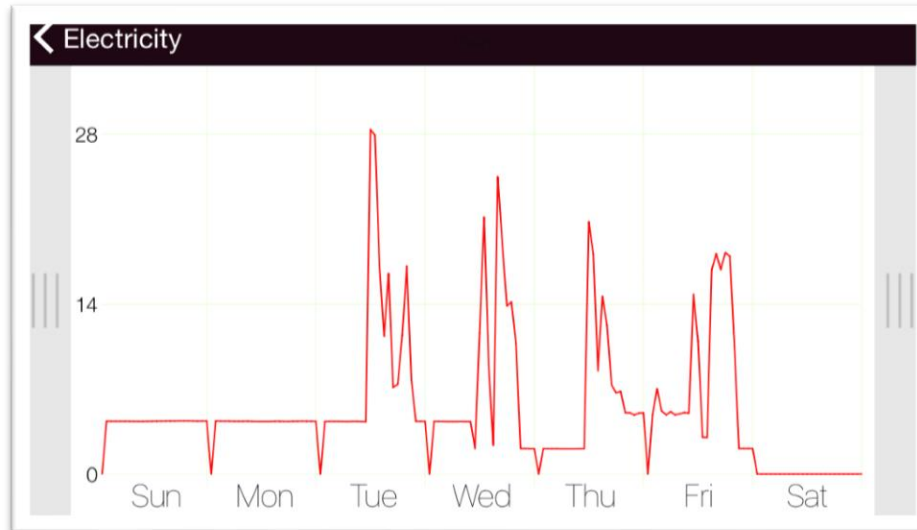
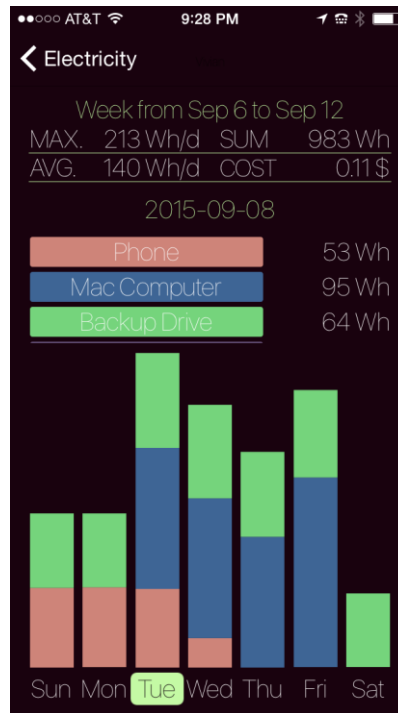
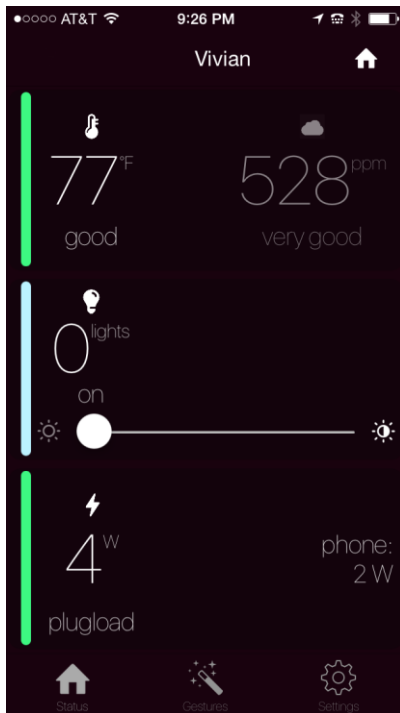
„Human in the Loop“ Smartphone:
an Occupancy Sensor, Environmental & Energy Feedback,
a “Magic” Remote



CMU CBPD & Technical University of Munich Master and PhD Thesis Projects

I-Phone User Interface – Sensors, Controllers, Energy Lights, Blinds, Task Lights, External Louvers & more





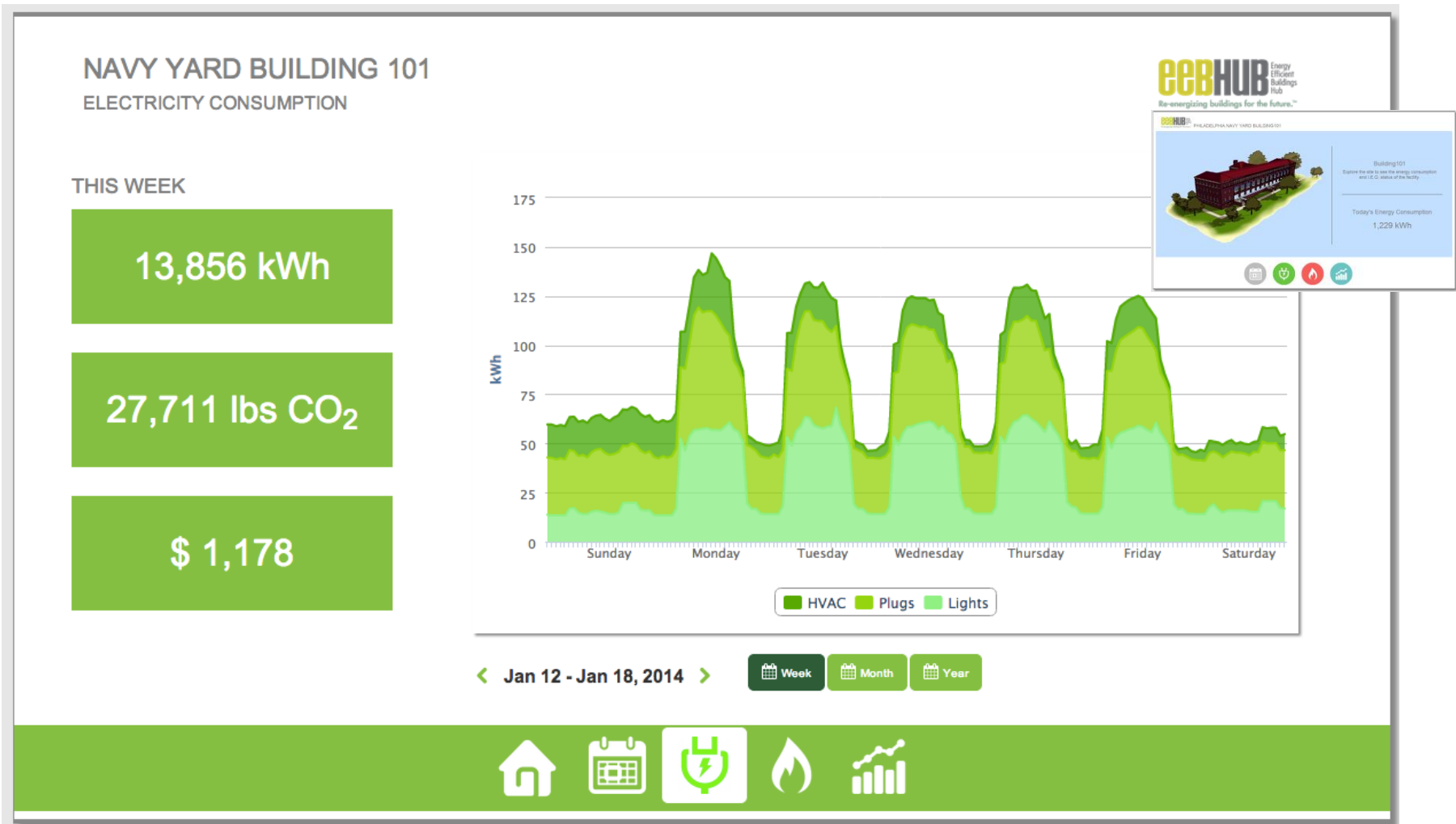
ABSIC/CBPD Guidelines for *High Performance Connectivity*



1. Design for the Internet of Things with distributed sensors and controls
2. Engineer independent plug-and-play networks – data/voice, power, security, and environmental services – with central communication
3. Design distributed cores for accessible, modifiable vertical distribution
4. Resolve integrated, reconfigurable plenum systems – ceiling or floor
5. Ensure user accessible, modifiable grid and nodes for connectivity
6. Create wiring harnesses for data/voice, power, security, environment
7. Select terminal units that provide all services in reconfigurable boxes
8. Create robust monitoring and individualized controls

Building Data Analytics

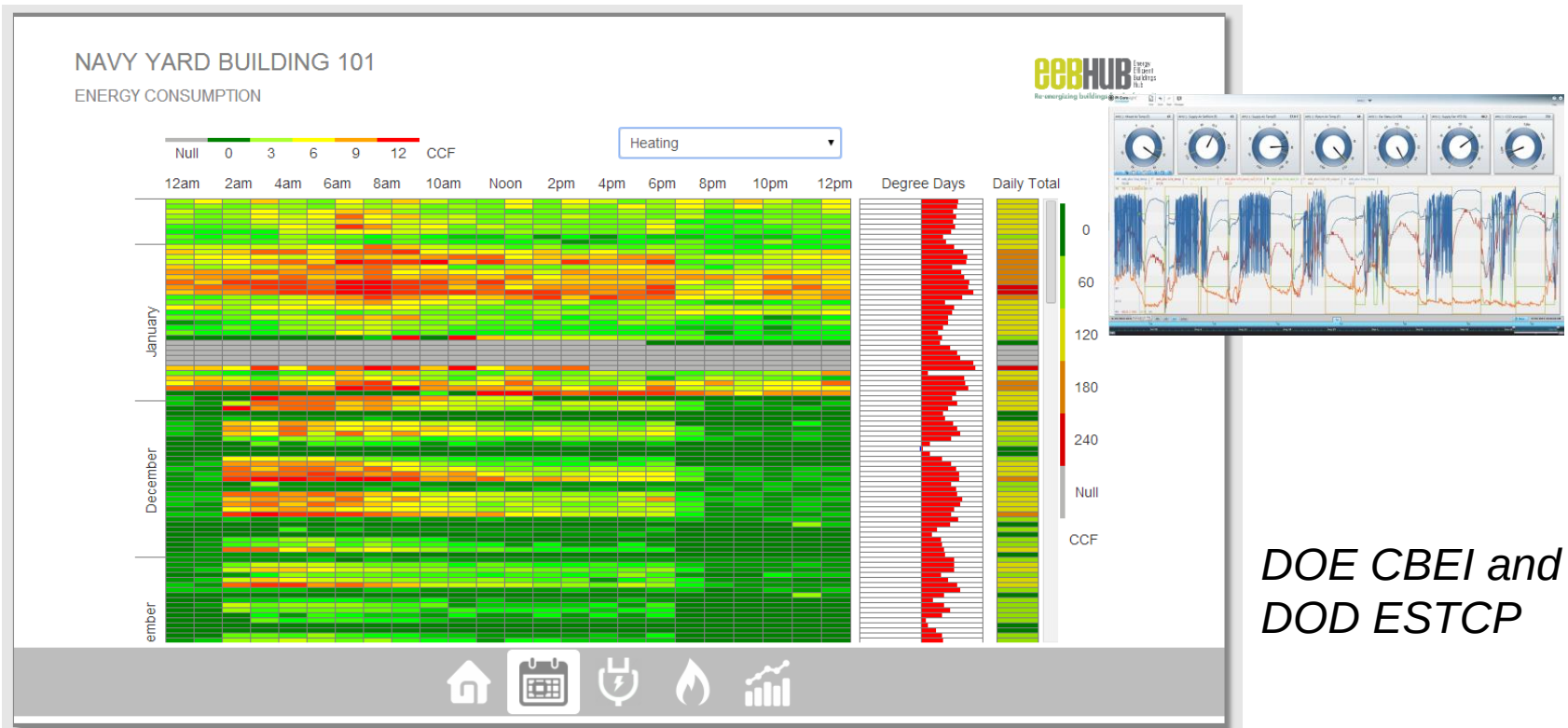
Intelligent Dashboards for Corporate and Campus Leaders [ID-C]



Building Data Analytics

Intelligent Dashboards for Facility Executives [ID-F]

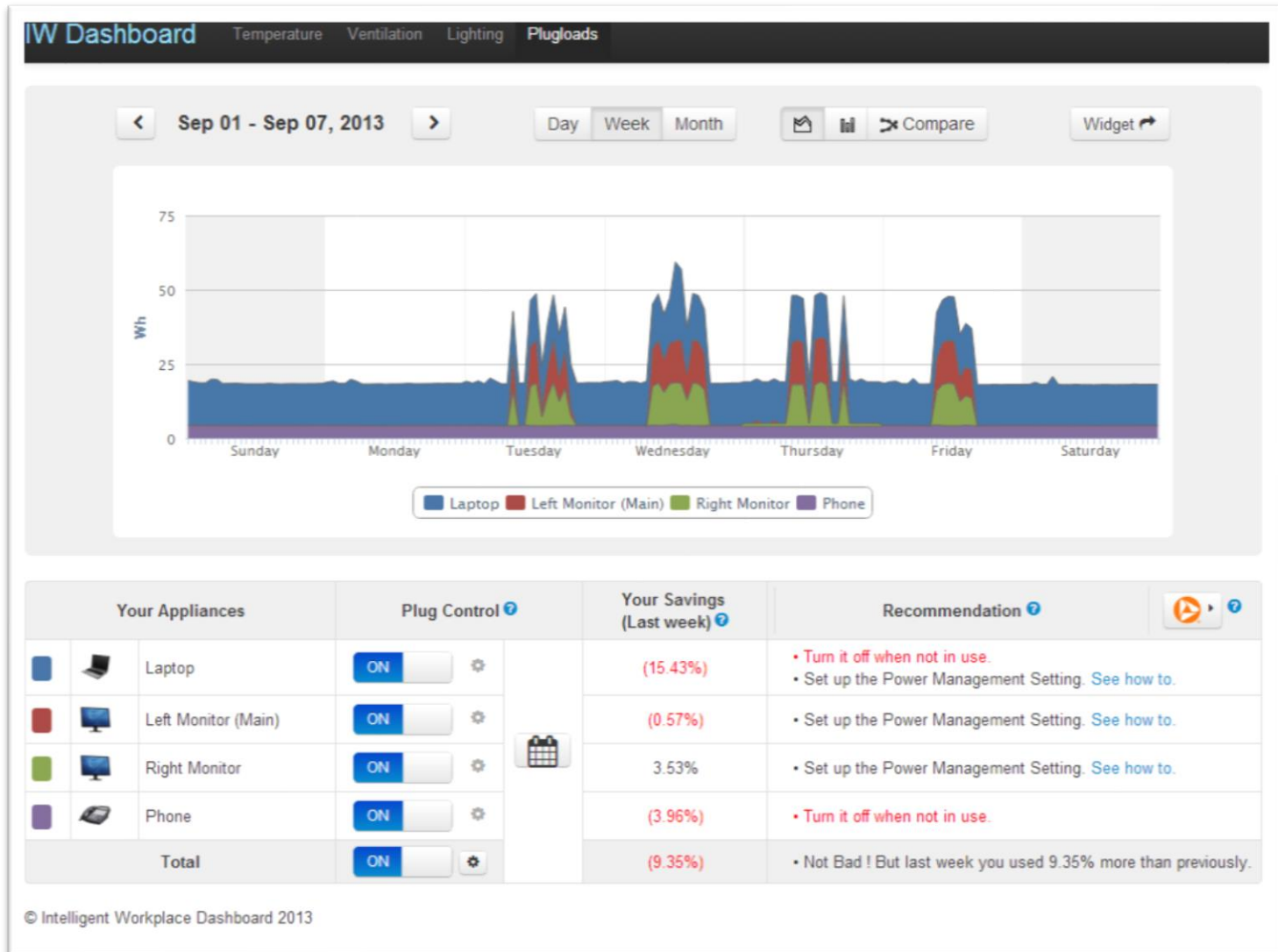
In alliance with OSIsoft, the CBPD has developed rapid, broadly applicable building analytics and communication output from multiple sources of real-time data to support energy efficiency recommendations, actions and verification.



*DOE CBEI and
DOD ESTCP*

Building Data Analytics

Intelligent Dashboard for Occupants (ID-O)



Dashboard | Plugloads Profile

rayyun.net/test02/upload05/workloads/profile.php

Dashboard Home About Contact Search Account

Overall Temperature Ventilation Lighting Plugloads

Plugloads Profile

[View Plugloads Monitor](#)

Step 1 Make a List of Your Appliances

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Computer



Desktop

Typical wattage: 30W

[Add](#)



Laptop

Typical wattage: 30W

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Printer

Typical wattage: 30W

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Scanner

Typical wattage: 30W

[Add](#)

Cooking



Coffee Maker

Typical wattage: 30W

[Add](#)



Microwave

Typical wattage: 30W

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Toaster

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Water Boiler

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Your Plugged-in Stuff

- Scanner
- Toaster
- Desktop
- Laptop

[Save and Go to Step2](#)



setting up
workstation
energy detection

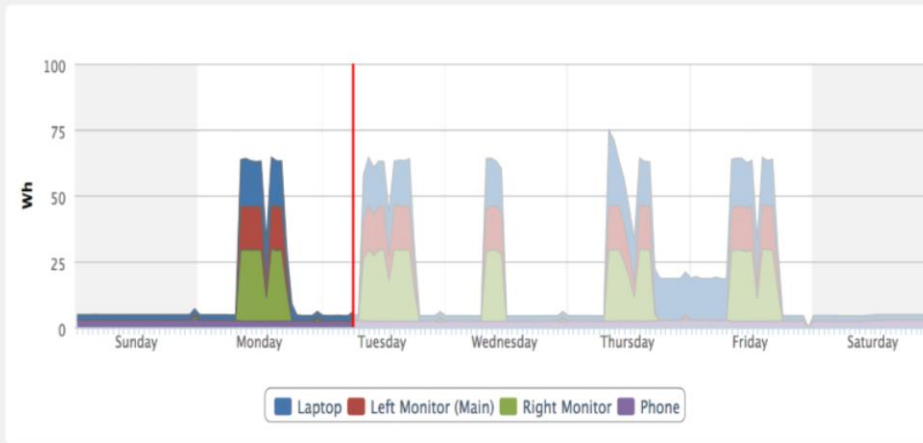
(wow, abandoned technology
is still drawing power)

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Day Week Month

Compare

Widget



communication

advancing
C3 qualities

Your Appliances	Plug Control ?	Your Usage (Last week) ?	Your Savings (Last week) ?	Recommendation ?
Laptop	ON	1055.14Wh	7.28%	• Set up your computer Power Management Settings to save up to 57%. See how to.
Left Monitor (Main)	ON	548.62Wh	12.30%	• Adjust your screen brightness to save up to 12%. See how to.
Right Monitor	ON	891.72Wh	(14.03%)	• Adjust your screen brightness to save up to 12%. See how to.
Phone	ON	386.3Wh	1.25%	• Turn it off when not in use.
Total	ON	2881.78Wh	1.87%	• Not Bad! Last week you saved an overall 1.87%

control

expert consulting

selecting the
format that
communicates to you:

Bar chart or linear graph
day, week, month, year

Overall Temperature Ventilation Lighting **Plugloads**

Plugloads Monitor

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Day

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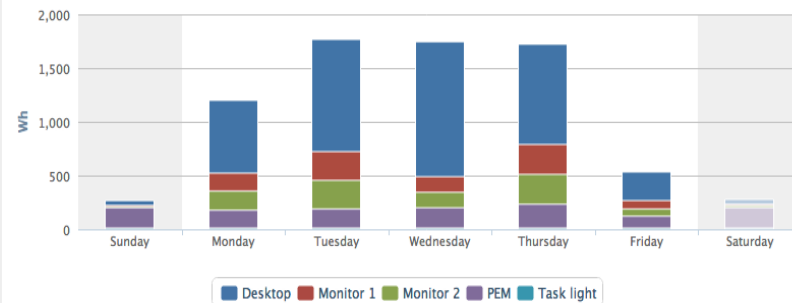
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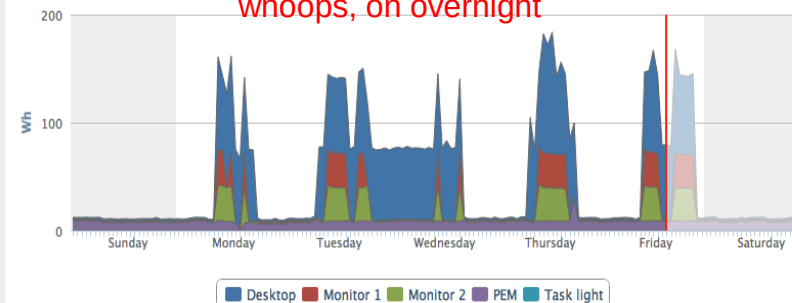
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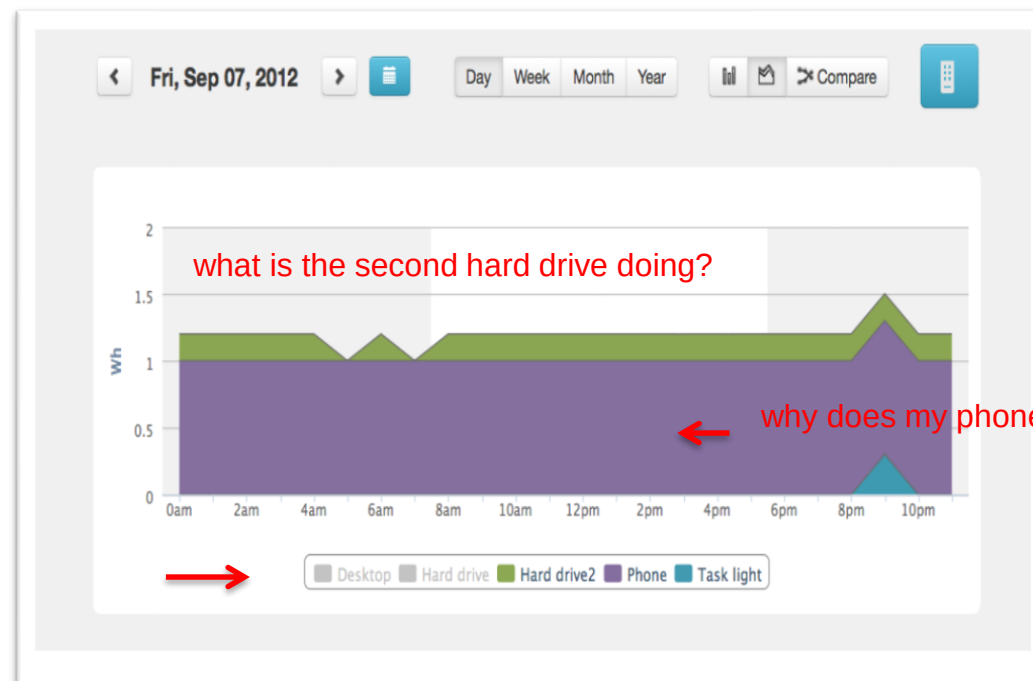
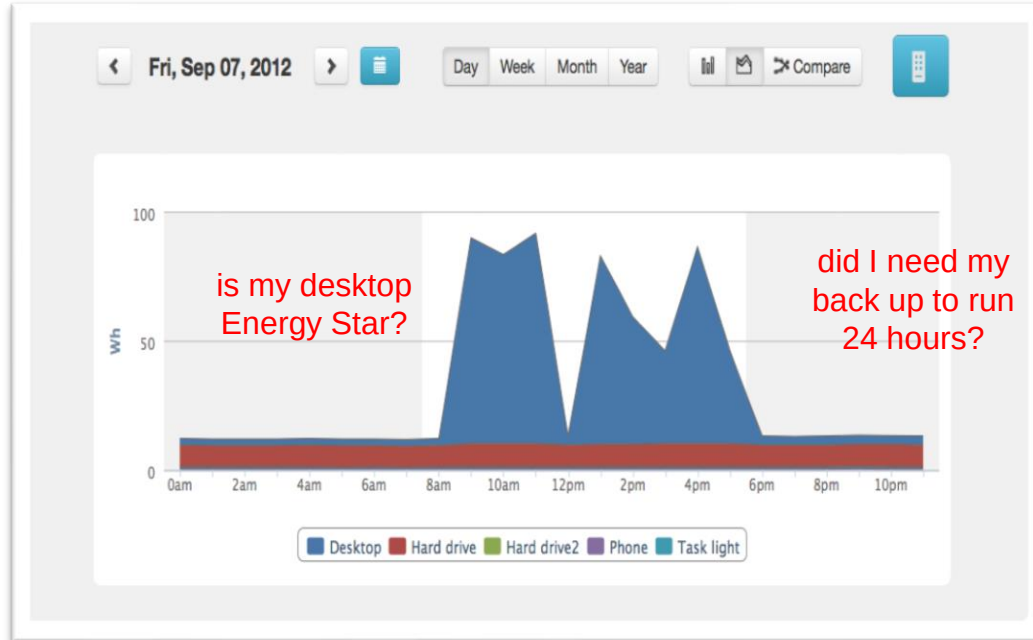


my desktop!



whoops, on overnight



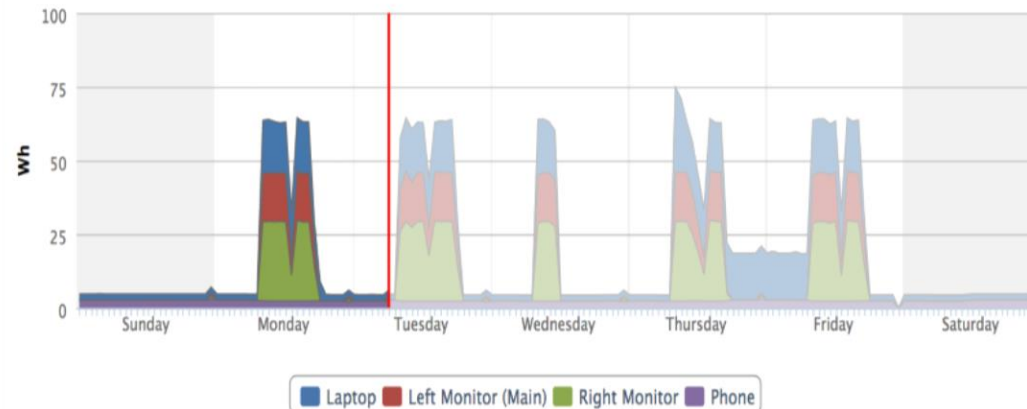


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following the
recommendations

(generated by expert
analysis of use)

Control Scheduler



(Drag it when it is ready)

1. Select control type

- ☒ Off
☐ On (Not recommended)

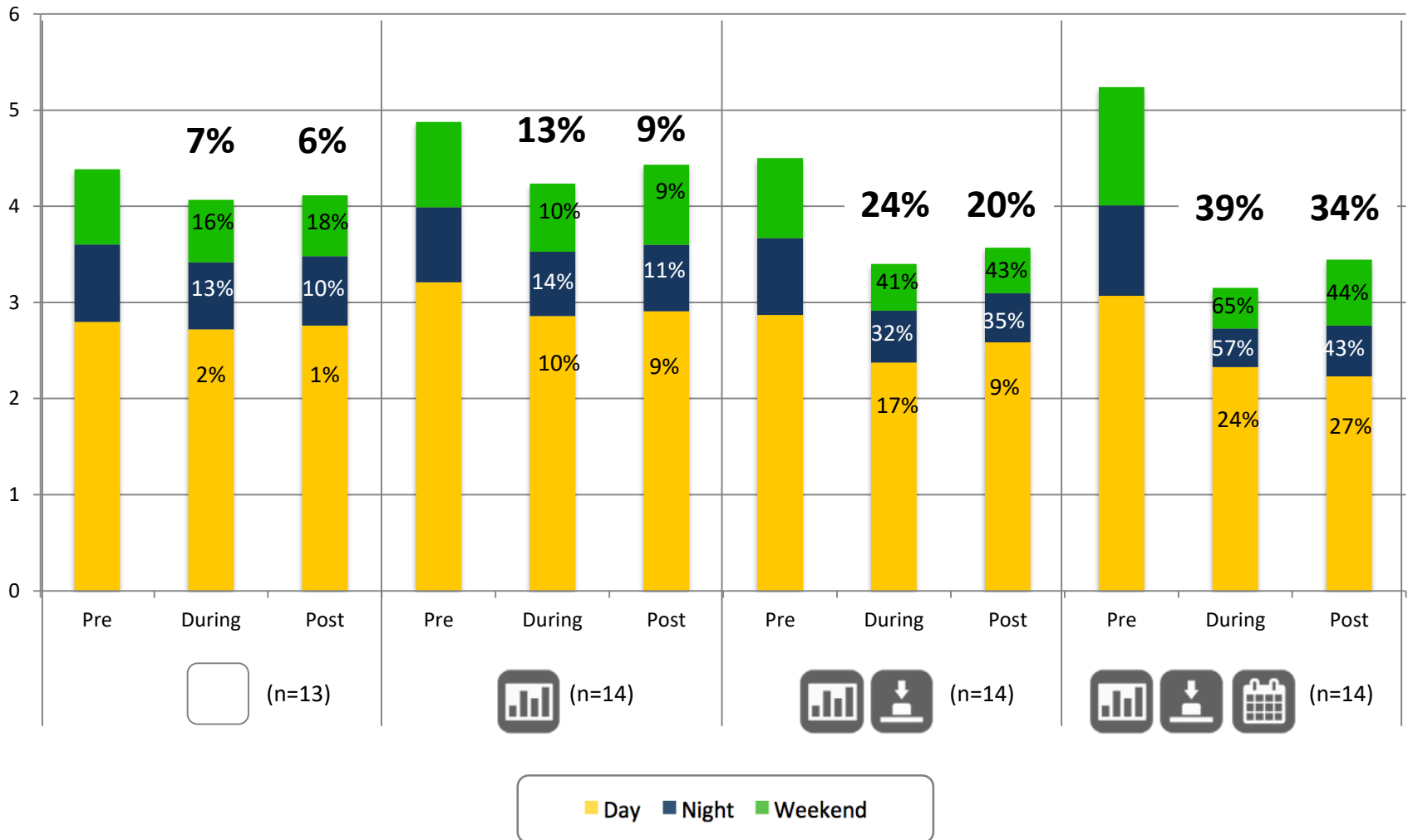
2. Select the devices you want to control.

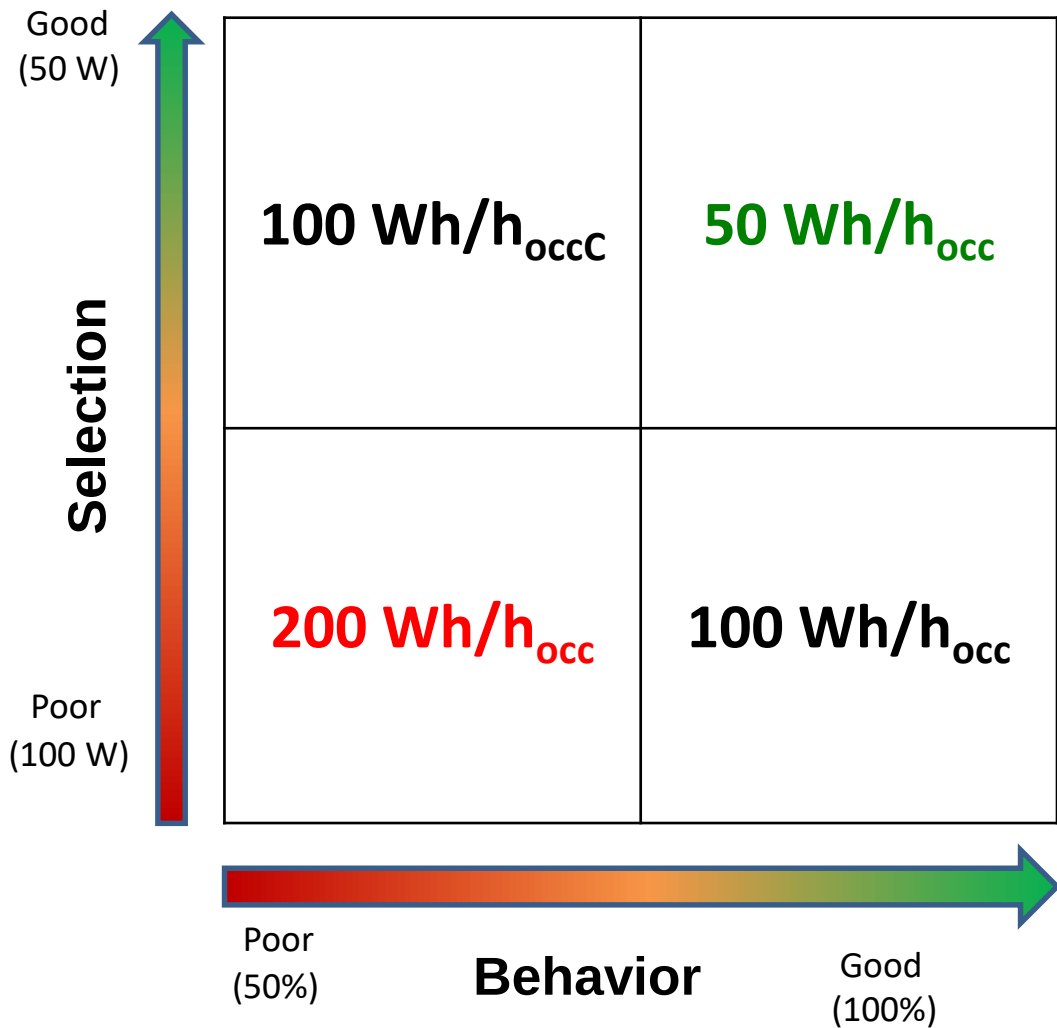
- ☒ Laptop
☒ Monitor
☒ Alarm Clock
☒ Phone

3. Drag the controller to the time table.



Energy Savings Per Group (Pre – During – Post)



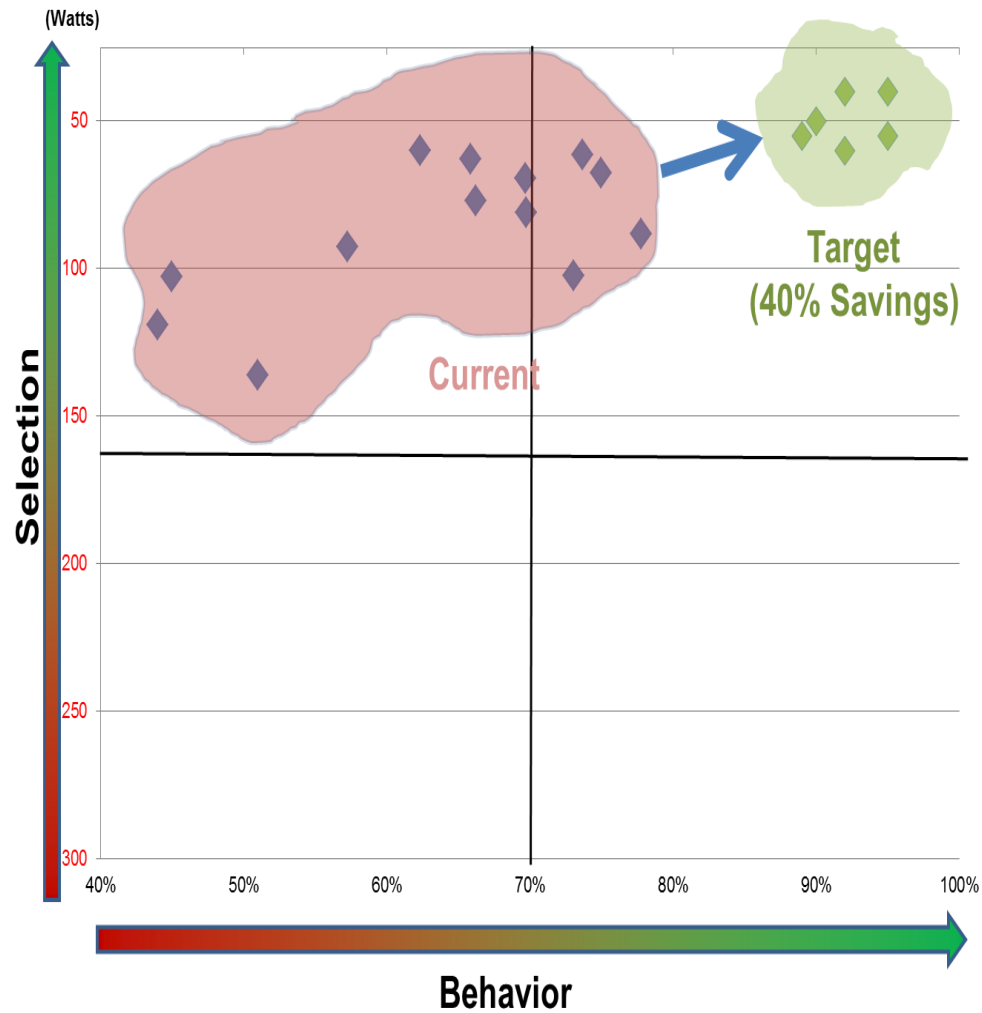


**plug load
sustainability matrix**

Selection driven by policy,
office protocol, feedback

+

Behavior driven by feedback,
incentives, competition, ease of
control



**a corporate
green leader:**
field data on
75 workstations



ABSIC/CBPD Guidelines for *High Performance Interior Systems*

1. Design neighborhood clarity & shared spaces with flexibility
2. Design layers of ownership, multiple work environments
3. Ensure ergonomics/ functional support for shared work processes
4. Ensure ergonomics/functional support for individual work processes
5. Design “layers of closure”, privacy and acoustic control
6. Design “layers of mobility” for workstations and workgroups
7. Provide levels of personalization
8. Ensure environmental infrastructure for changing densities/ closure
9. Ensure technical infrastructure to support changing densities/ closure
10. Select interior system/components for material & energy conservation
11. Select healthy, maintainable interior components
12. Design for access to the natural environment

Triple Bottom Line

Profit

Economy

Financial Capital

People

Equity

Human Capital



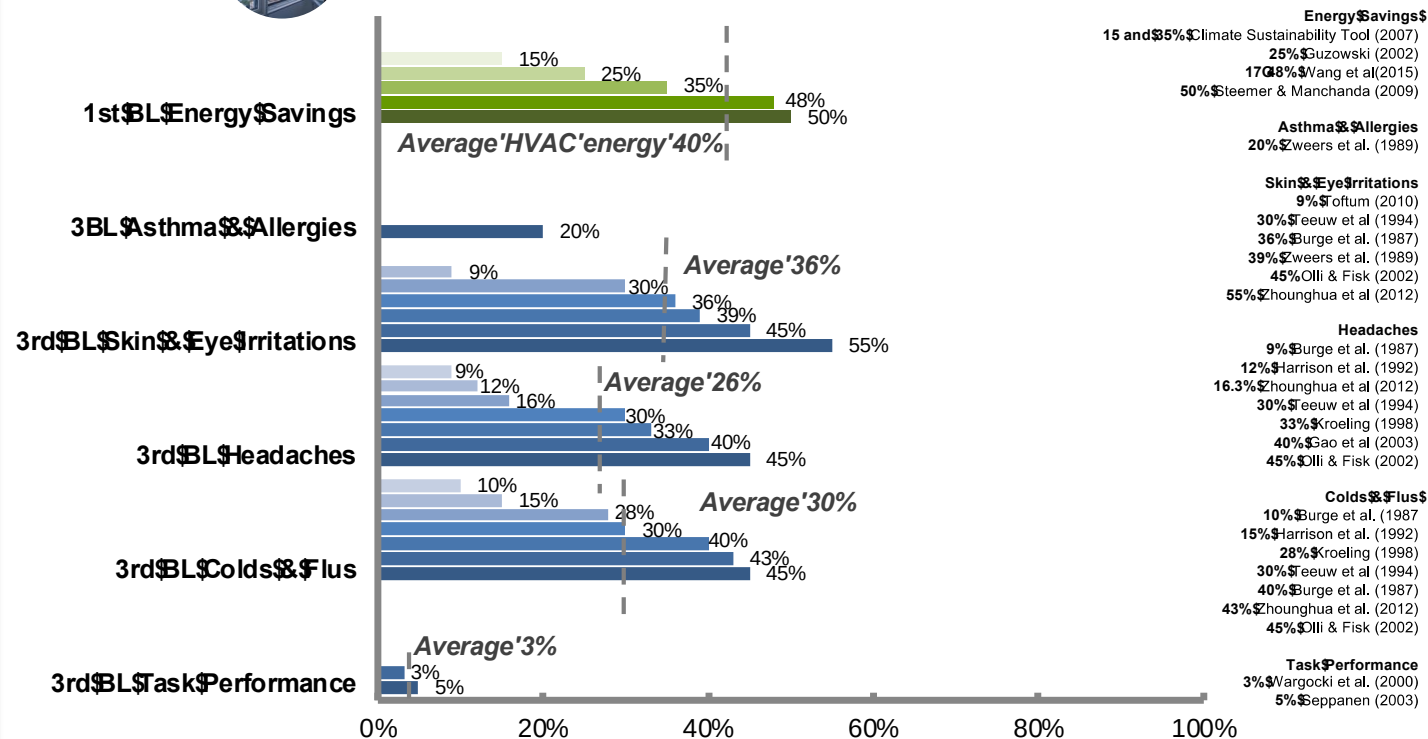
Planet

Environment

Natural Capital



Ensure Windows are Operable for Natural Ventilation



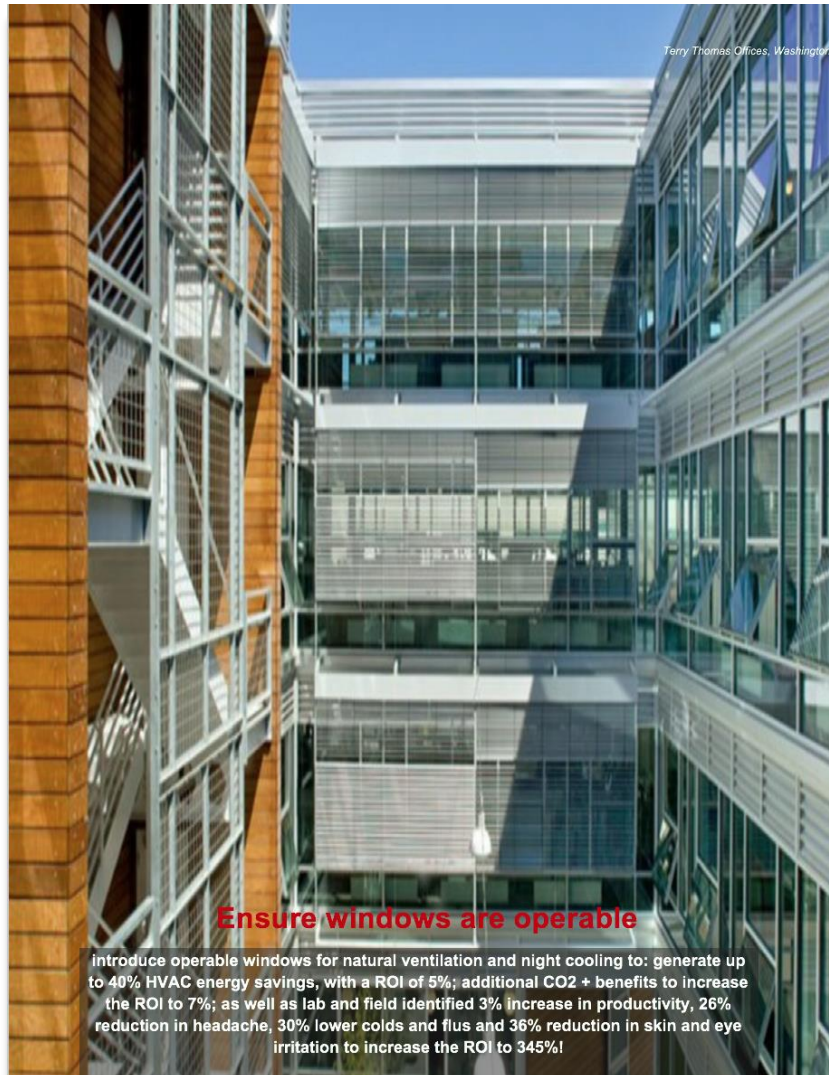


Table 19: Triple bottom line calculations for introducing operable windows for natural ventilation and night cooling

Costs of buying operable windows for natural ventilation and night cooling

	Per sq. ft.	Per employee
First cost for the investment	\$15	\$360
Initial Investment costs for a 100,000 sq. ft. building (for 1/3 baseline building perimeter area)	\$120,000	

1st Financial Capital savings

	Per sq. ft.	Per employee
HVAC Energy Savings (40%)	\$0.09	\$19
Annual 1 st bottom line savings	+\$0.09	+\$19
ROI (Financial)	5%	
Payback Period	19 years	
Cumulative 15-year Net Present Value	\$ 73,000	

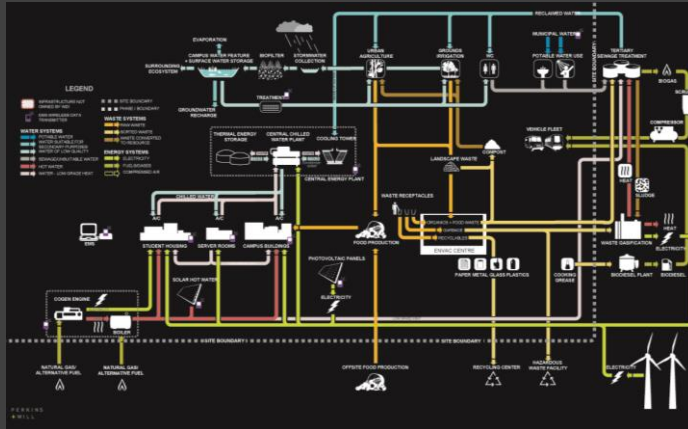
2. Financial + Environmental Capital savings

	Per sq. ft.	Per employee
Environmental benefits from energy savings of:	0.96 kWh	192 kWh
Air pollution emissions (SO_x, NO_x, PM, CH₄)	\$0.02	\$3
CO₂ reductions	\$0.01	\$2
Water savings	\$0.004	\$0.8
Annual 2 nd bottom line savings	+\$0.03	+\$5.8
Cumulative ROI (Financial + Environmental)	7%	
Payback Period	14 years	
Cumulative 15-year Net Present Value	\$94,950	

3. Financial + Environmental + Human Capital savings

	Per sq. ft.	Per employee
Headache reduction (26% * \$73)	\$0.10	\$19
Cold & flu reduction (30% * \$68)	\$0.10	\$20
Skin & eye irritation reduction (41% * \$86)	\$0.15	\$31
Asthma & allergies reduction (20% * \$105)	\$0.10	\$20
Productivity increase (3%)	\$5.62	\$1,125
Annual 3 rd bottom line savings	+\$6.21	+\$1241
ROI (Financial + Environment+ Human)	345%	
Payback Period	2 months	
Cumulative 15-year Net Present Value	\$ 805,700	

ABSIC/CBPD Guidelines for *High Performance Urban Systems*



1. Design for **mixed use** live-work-learn-play
2. Design for **mobility** with a transportation portfolio
3. Design the '**watershed**' with highest and best use for fresh water
4. Design the '**air shed**' for outdoor air quality
5. Design the '**waste shed**' including waste to energy
6. Design local **food** infrastructures
7. Merge data, power, voice with **smart infrastructures**
8. Design the **energy shed** with highest and best use for electric and thermal energies and buildings as power plants

GIS & Portfolio Data Analytics

Benchmarking Laws and 2030 Urgency

ID-C Challenge PNC:

To monitor and analyze a portfolio of 4000 Assets (Headquarter, datacenters, branches, ATMs) for strategic improvements

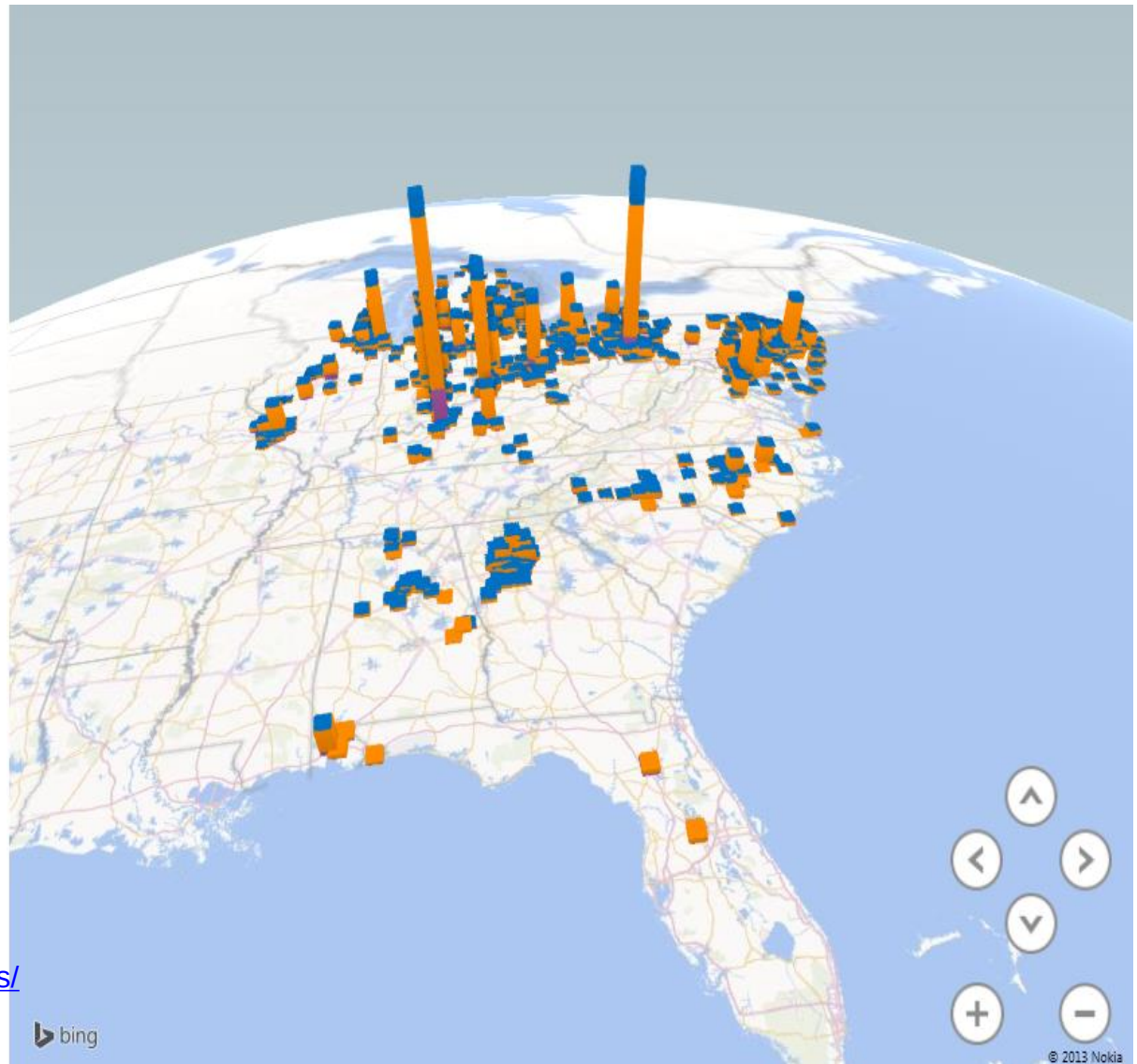
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City of Pittsburgh 140

CMU 85

GSA 1500

<http://www.cmu.edu/cbpdanalytics/>



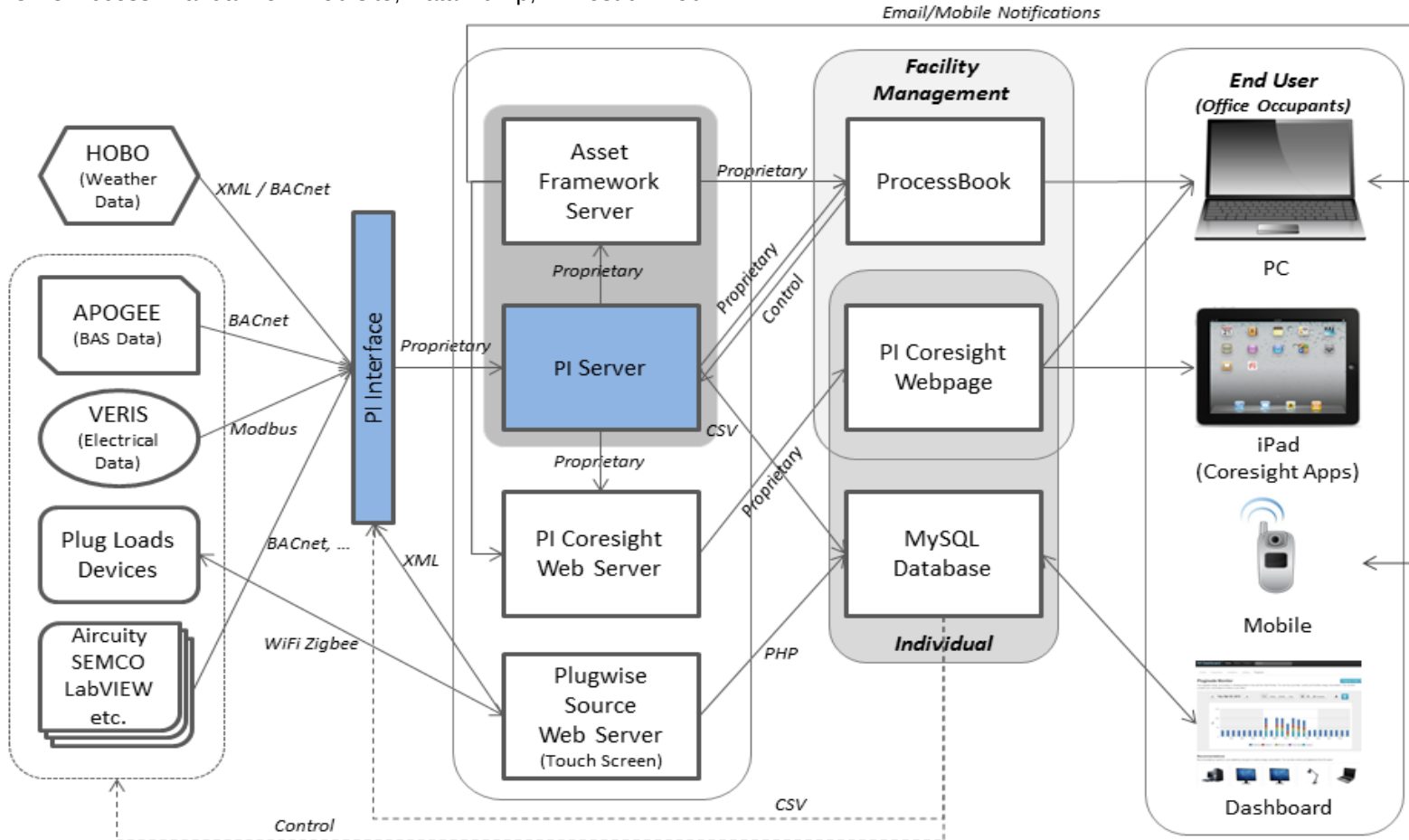
CBPD building a CMU Campus Wide database

Electric Meters 30+ buildings (queried each second)

Building Automation Systems for 15+ buildings

Environment & Weather Data

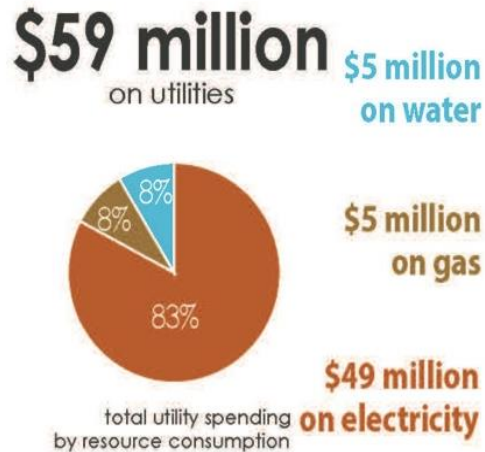
CMU Access: Manual from web-site, Data Dump, Pi Restful WebAPI



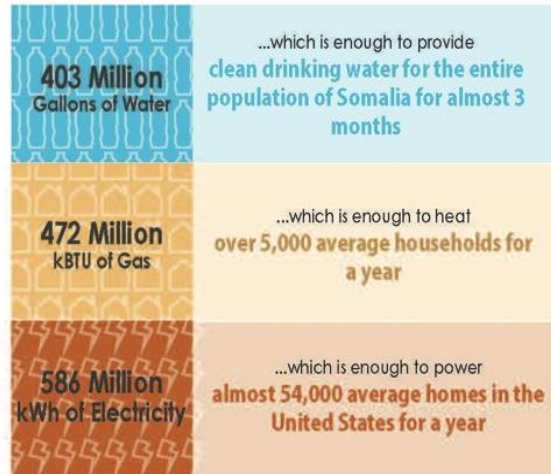
Integrated Intelligent Data Platform
CMU PiSystem (open data) & DOE SEED (non-proprietary)

2013 Utility Consumption Executive Summary

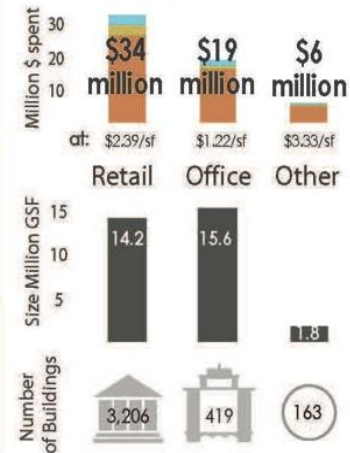
1 In 2013, spent a total of:



2 In 2013, consumed:



3 By building type, spent:



4 Rank of Potential for Saving by Resource Type and Building Type



#1 Office Energy (Electricity + Gas)
potential savings of: **\$2.3 million**
from top 25 energy expenditure buildings



#3 Office Water
potential savings of: **\$287 thousand**
from top 25 water expenditure buildings



#2 Retail Energy (Electricity + Gas)
potential savings of: **\$452 thousand**
from top 25 energy expenditure buildings



#4 Retail Water
potential savings of: **\$250 thousand**
from top 25 water expenditure buildings

2013 PNC RETAIL Energy (Electricity + Gas) 25 Highest Expenditures

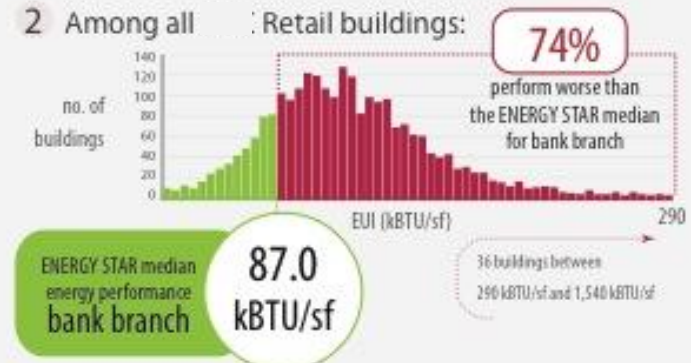


1 Retail Energy Profile:

2,533
buildings data out of 3,206 total

13 million
out of 14 million square feet total

\$31 million
total energy cost



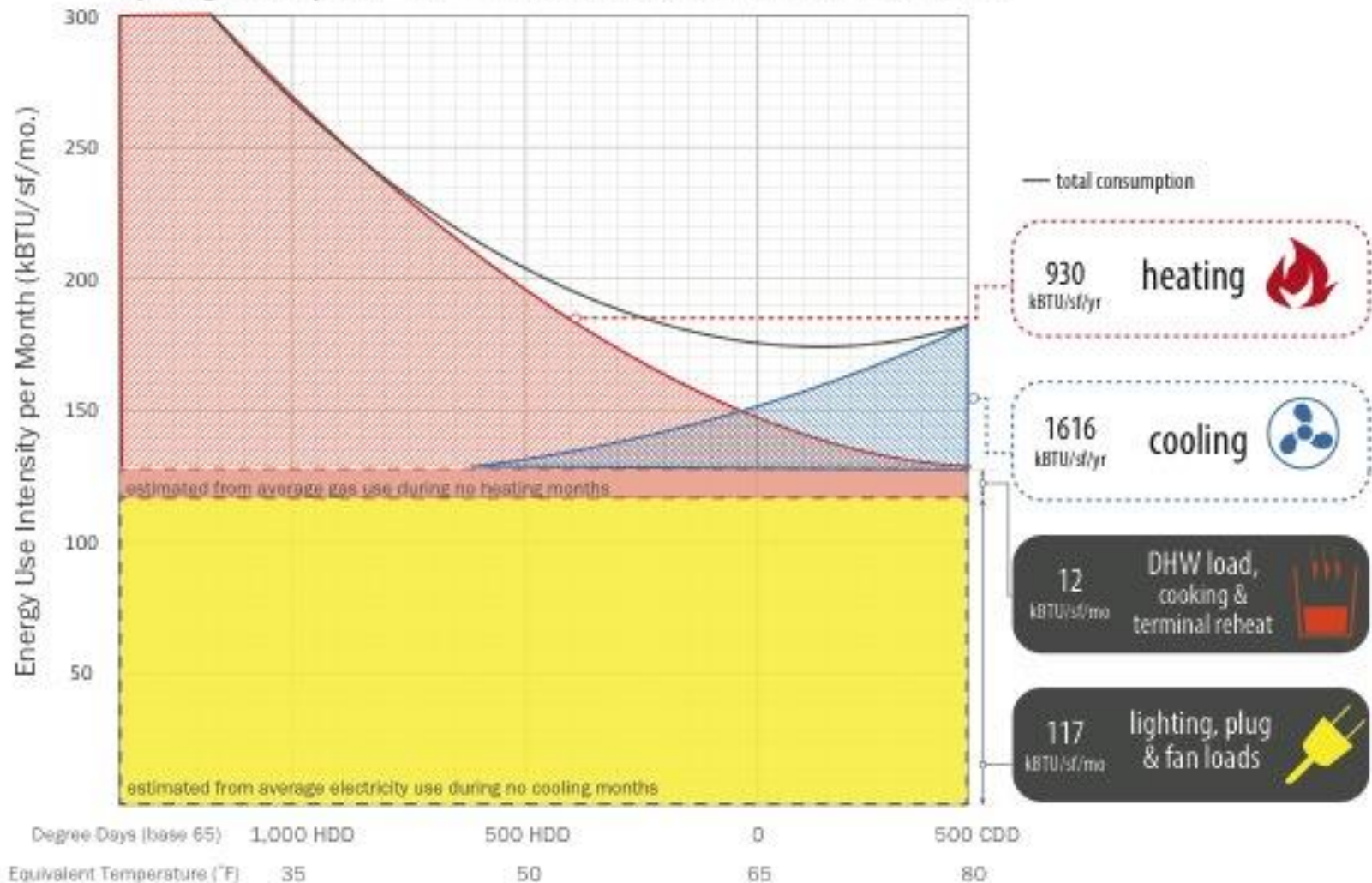
3 Top 25 Energy Expenditures

	total cost
1. Kalamazoo Main, MI	\$129,360
2. Naperville South Office, IL	\$89,752
3. Fall Hill - Fredericksburg, VA	\$85,671
4. Decatur Johnston St, AL	\$81,559
5. Civic Center, NJ	\$74,835
6. Dover, DE	\$73,217
7. Tucker, GA	\$64,921
8. Glenview Pointe, KY	\$62,729
9. Beverly IL - 10701 S Western Ave, IL	\$60,658
10. Plainfield - Park Avenue, NJ	\$60,592
11. Somerset, NJ	\$60,586
12. Miracle Mile - Monroeville, PA	\$58,628
13. Vineland - Landis Avenue, NJ	\$57,986
14. St Charles-Fox Field Commons Office, IL	\$55,121
15. Chatham Road Office, IL	\$52,217
16. Manassas Crossroads, VA	\$51,791
17. Opelika - 2nd Avenue, AL	\$50,354
18. Telegraph Office, MO	\$48,759
19. Pell City - North Martin Street, AL	\$46,392
20. Farmers & Mechanics, MD	\$46,081
21. Mobile - Crichton, AL	\$44,645
22. Morrow, GA	\$43,694
23. New Cumberland, PA	\$42,328
24. Ashland Building, KY	\$39,696
25. Asheboro - 115 S Fayetteville, NC	\$39,404

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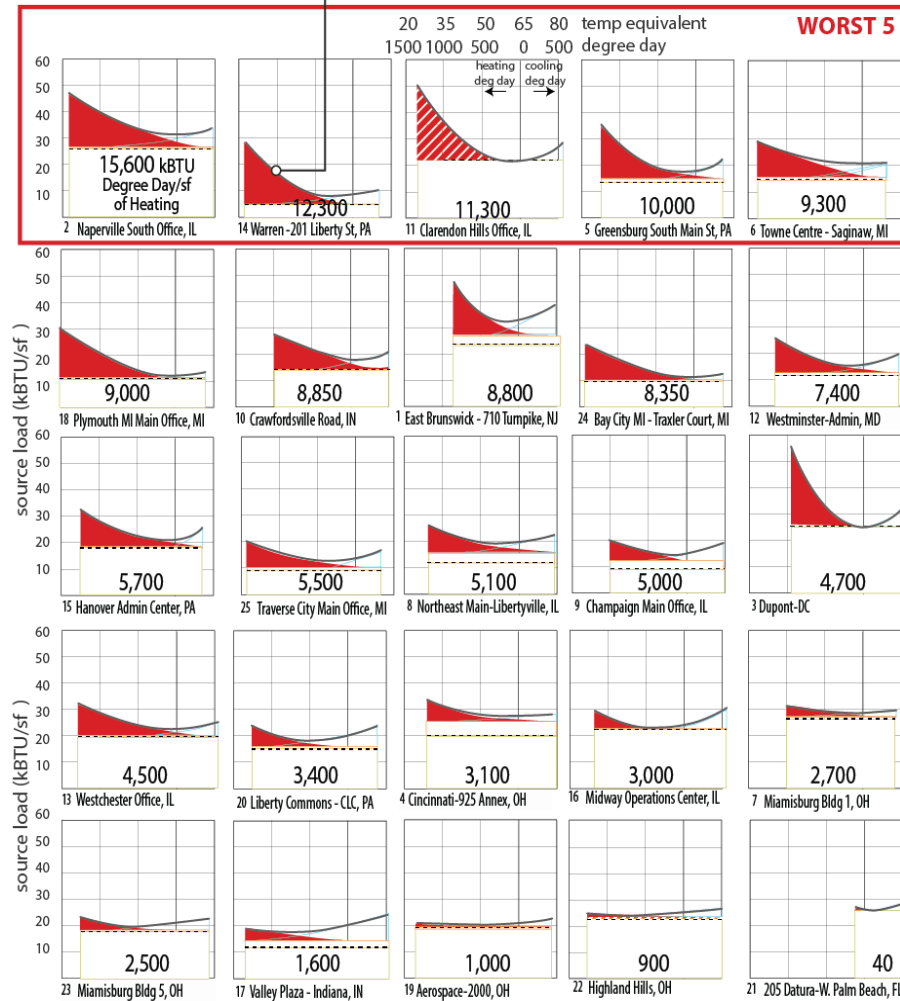
2011-2013 Monthly Gas and Electricity [Source](#) Consumption
by Degree Days for Bank Branch Kalamazoo Main, MI





2011-13 OFFICE HEATING of PNC's 25 Highest Energy Use Intensities Bank Branches Source Electricity & Gas

2 Heating (area under the curve) needs to be addressed in these buildings:



1 High heating load MAY be due to a building's:



Poor
Envelope

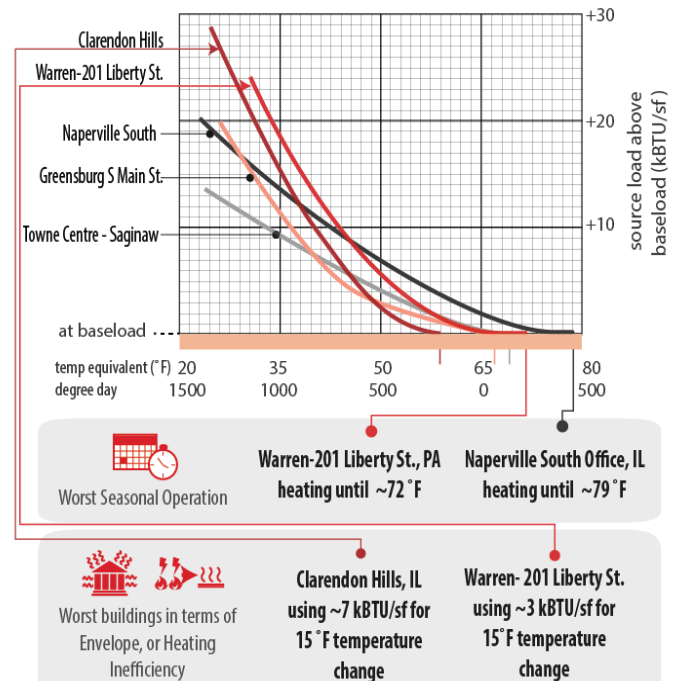


Heating System
Inefficiency



Poor Seasonal
Operation

3 A CLOSER LOOK: Highest heating loads of the 5 worst heating buildings determined by the slope of the curve

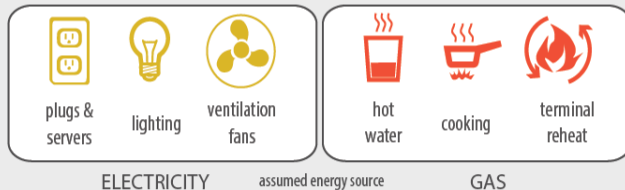


	approx. heating until:	per 15°F temp change:	Energy Signature
Naperville South, IL	79°F	~2 kBtu/sf	all electric buildings
Warren-201 Liberty St., PA	72°F	~3 kBtu/sf	buildings with gas consumption
Clarendon Hills, IL	68°F	~7 kBtu/sf	electric heating
Greensburg S Main St, PA	63°F	~3 kBtu/sf	base gas load
Towne Center Saginaw, MI	60°F	~3 kBtu/sf	base electric load
			total consumption



2011-13 OFFICE BASE LOADS of PNC's 25 Highest Energy Use Intensities Office Source Gas & Electric

1 Base loads MAY entail loads from:



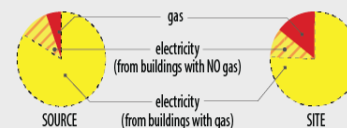
2 Out of the top 25 energy intense office buildings, 2 do not use gas.



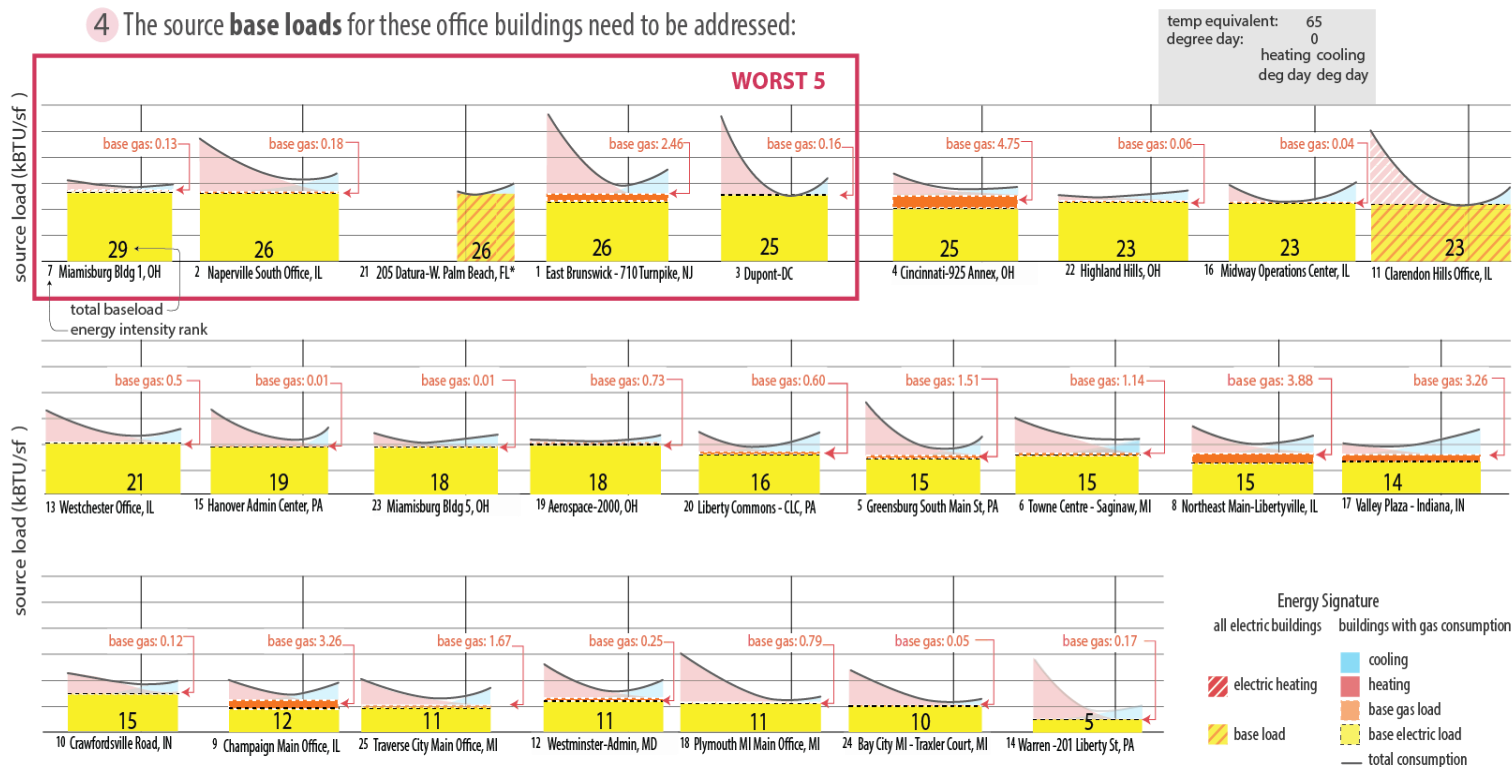
base loads in
buildings without
gas may include:



3 Electric base loads dominate PNC (top 25 energy intense) office base loads-- in both site and source energy.



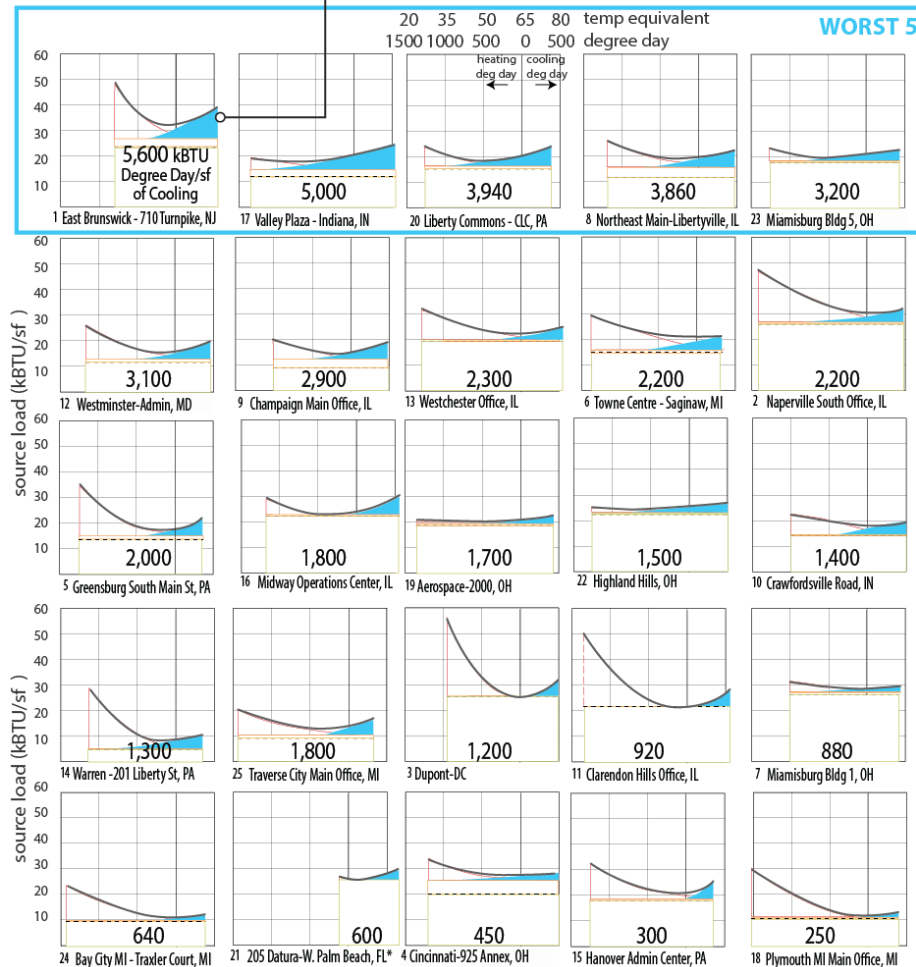
4 The source **base loads** for these office buildings need to be addressed:





2011-13 OFFICE COOLING of PNC's 25 Highest Energy Use Intensities Office Source Electricity

2 **Cooling electricity** (area under the curve) needs to be addressed in these buildings:



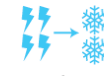
1 **High cooling MAY be due to a building's:**



Poor Envelope



Insufficient Shading

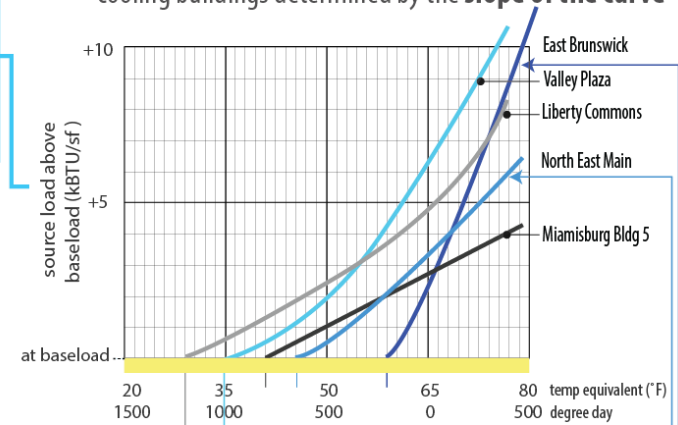


Air Conditioning Inefficiency



Poor Seasonal Operation

3 **A CLOSER LOOK: Highest cooling loads** of the 5 worst cooling buildings determined by the **slope of the curve**



Worst Seasonal Operation

Liberty Commons, PA
cooling until ~26°F

Valley Plaza, IN
cooling until ~35°F



Worst buildings in terms of Envelope, Insufficient Shading, or Air Conditioning Inefficiency

East Brunswick, NJ
using ~7 kBTU/sf for 15°F of temperature change

North East Main, IL
using ~3 kBTU/sf for 15°F of temperature change

	approx. cooling until:	per 15°F temp change:	Energy Signature
Liberty Commons, PA	29°F	~2 kBTU/sf	all electric buildings
Valley Plaza, IN	35°F	~2 kBTU/sf	buildings with gas consumption
Miamisburg Bldg 5, OH	41°F	~2 kBTU/sf	
North East Main, IL	46°F	~3 kBTU/sf	
East Brunswick, NJ	59°F	~7 kBTU/sf	

electric heating

base load

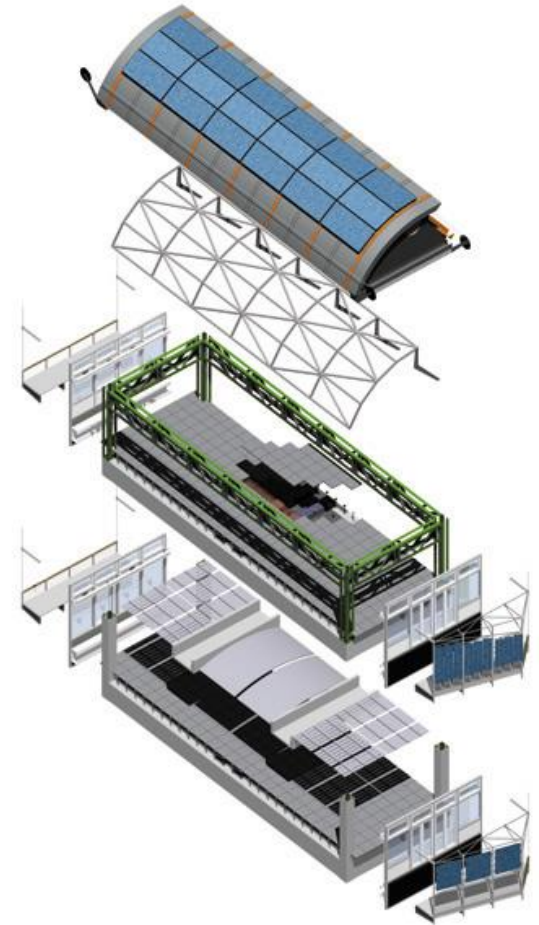
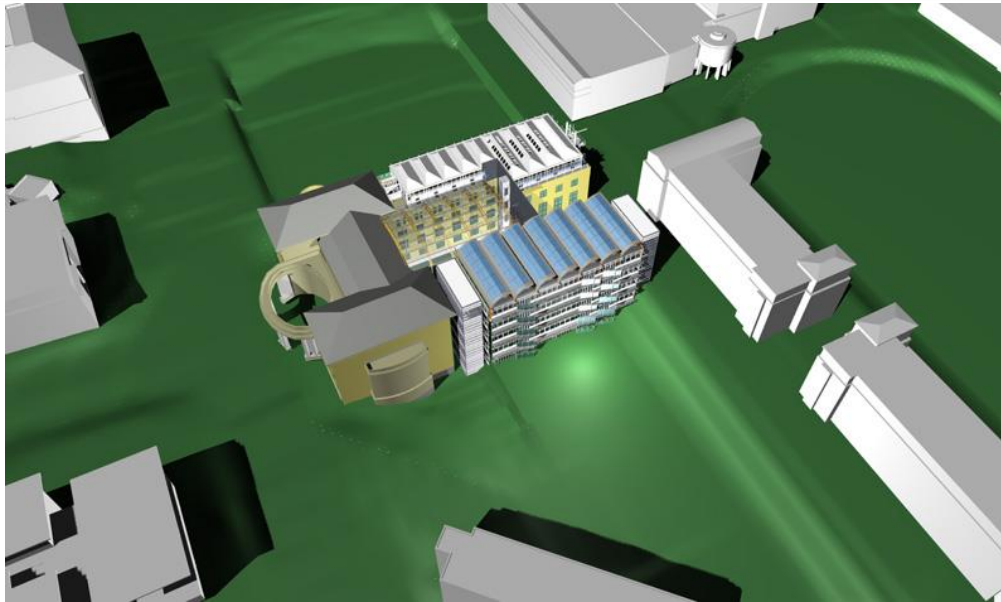
cooling

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base gas load

base electric load

total consumption



a MMX extension as a 'platform' for CMU Invention Works

Curricular and Technological Flexibility

Human Health and Productivity

Environmental Sustainability

Natural Conditioning towards Net Zero

Energy Cascades towards Energy Plus



Sustainability Research for Cutting Edge Practice

Vivian Loftness, FAIA