

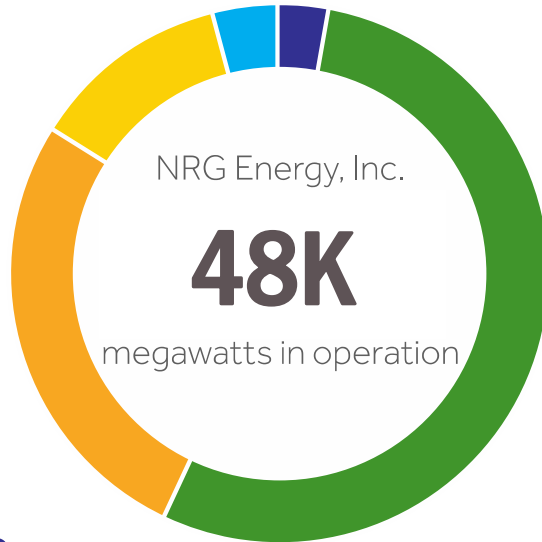
# Microgrids – District Energy & CHP Synergies

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# NRG by the Numbers

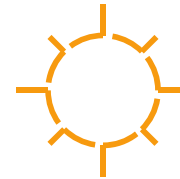


Global, diverse energy



## 3,000,000

recurring customers within NRG retail brands

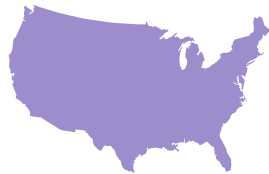


One of the nation's largest

## SOLAR

power generators

Ownership interest in nearly **140**  
power-generation facilities across 29 states



Largest independent  
power producer in U.S.



## Fortune 200



# District Heating and Cooling



## San Francisco, CA

- Steam: 454 MMBtu/hr
- 175 customers



## Omaha, NE

- Steam: 735 MMBtu/hr
- Chilled water: 29,250 tons
- 120 customers



## Minneapolis, MN

- Steam: 1,100 MMBtu/hr
- Chilled Water: 40,000 tons
- 150 customers



## Pittsburgh, PA

- Steam: 295 MMBtu/hr
- Chilled water: 12,935 tons
- 50 customers



## Harrisburg, PA

- Electricity: 12 MW
- Steam: 370 MMBtu/hr
- Chilled water: 3,600 tons
- 145 customers



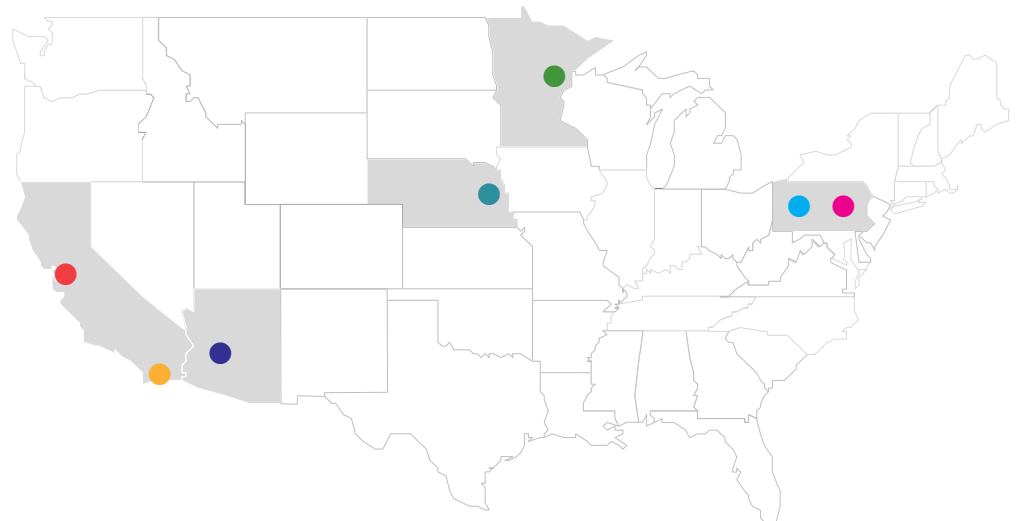
## San Diego, CA

- Chilled water: 8,825 tons
- 16 customers



## Phoenix, AZ

- Chilled water: 38,100 tons
- 35 customers



# Combined Heat & Power



## Harrisburg, PA

- 4.1 mmBTU/hr



## Bridgeport U, CT

- 1.4 MW fuel cell power plant
- Capacity to deliver 4 mmBtu/hr of heat



## Plainsboro, NJ

- 4.6 MW
- 34.1 mmBTU/hr
- 72.3 MLB/hr of boilers
- 3700 tons chilled water
- 1,000,000 gallon thermal storage



## Princeton, NJ

- 248 kW
- 1,445 kBTU/hr



## Dover, DE

- 104 MW
- 70 MLB/hr



## San Francisco, CA

- Two 250 kW Reciprocating Engines
- 2.6 MMBTU/hr



## San Diego, CA

- 1.5 MW Recip Eng
- 2,000 ton Gas Turbine Chiller
- 940 tons (waste heat to chilled water)
- District cooling



## ASU-Tempe, AZ

- 8.3 MW
- 80 MLB/hr steam
- 10,000 tons chilled water



## Tucson, AZ

- 1.6 MW
- 46 MLB/hr
- District heating & cooling



## Henderson, NV

- 90 MW CC
- 140 MLB/hr



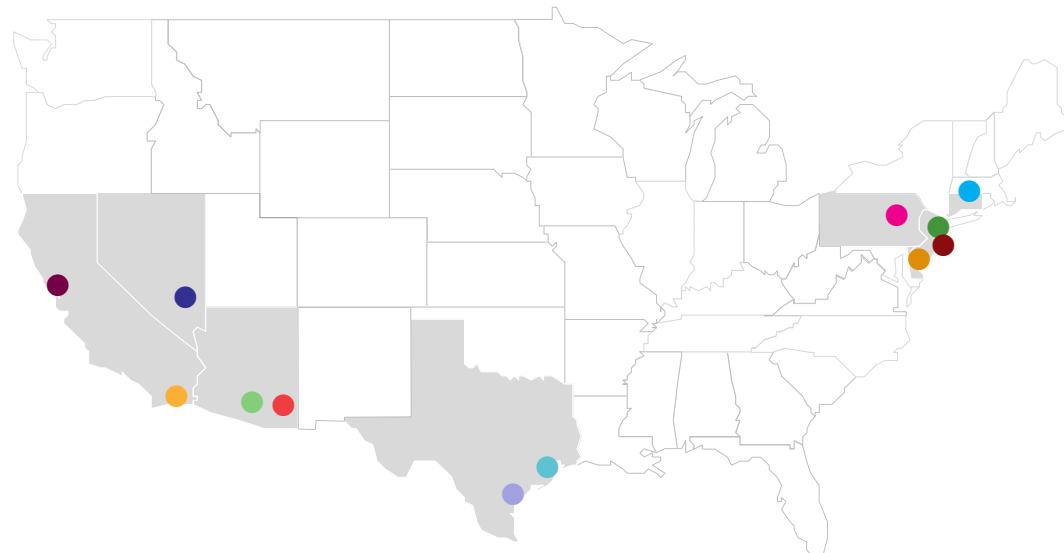
## Corpus Christi, TX

- 560 MW
- 1 MLB/hr steam



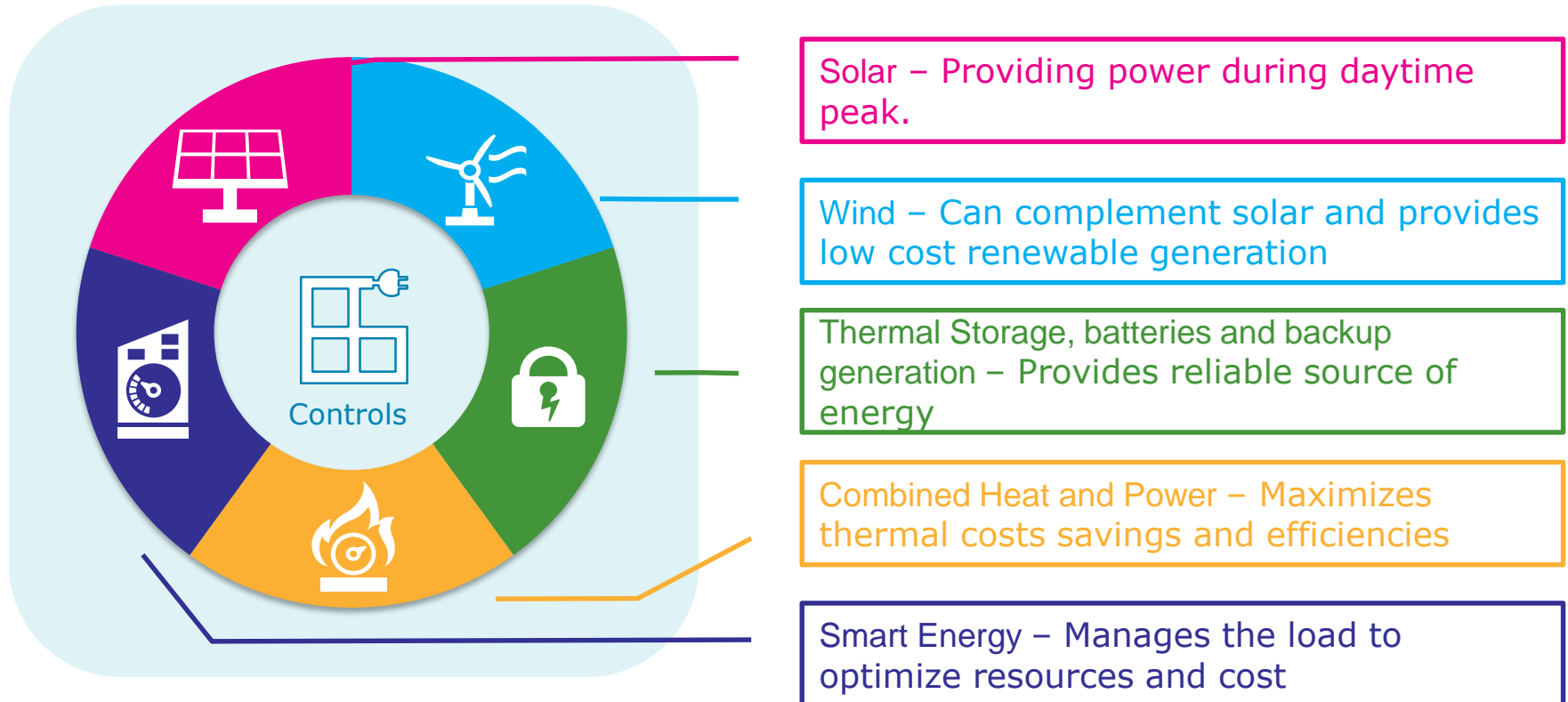
## San Jacinto, TX

- 176 MW
- 1200 MLB/hr





# Microgrid Systems



**Network of distributed energy resources that can either be tied to the grid or "islanded" allowing a building, city or campus to leverage diversified fuels and technologies to provide clean, reliable and high-quality power.**

# Integrated Energy Systems

## Integrated energy systems

On-site power generation that keeps critical infrastructure running regardless of external circumstances



### Resiliency

Can create an island in case of grid failure, by closing the grid connection and using the facility's own energy production to run the facility

### Reliability

Approximately 90% uptime with CHP, and up to 99%+ with added batteries or backup generators

### Sustainability

Options for reduced emissions, integrated renewables and energy savings



# Arizona State University (Tempe Campus)



On-site Solar



Sun Devil Energy Center CHP

## Total Tempe Campus System

- Electrical Capacities – 16 MW PV, 9 MW CHP, 6 MW Thermal Storage, 8 MW Diesel Gen
- Thermal Capacities - Steam 200,000 lb/hr, CHW 30,000 tons (mech), Thermal Storage 6,000 tons

# NRG Energy Center Princeton Princeton Hospital



A state-of-the-art combined heat and power (CHP) plant

## Hospital Campus System

- Electrical Capacities – 200 KW PV, 5 MW CHP, 1 MW Thermal Storage, 6 MW Diesel Gen
- Thermal Capacities - Steam 50,000 lb/hr, CHW 3,000 tons (mech), Thermal Storage 1,000 tons







**CHP** – 4.6MW natural gas plant supplies 100% of heating & cooling needs and most of the electrical needs



**Enterprise Energy Management** – Advanced software system optimizes operations for energy use and cost efficiency



**Backup generation** – With the grid down, the 3 back-up generators can support the hospital's essential power needs



**Chillers** – Three 1,000-ton electric chillers and one 700-ton absorption chiller provide chilled water



**Grid** – Can draw power from or export to the PJM power grid



**Thermal Storage** – 1.2 M gallon chilled water storage for cooling the hospital



**Solar** – 200kW Solar Array provides electricity, and reduces carbon emissions



**EVgo** – Two 30 amp electric vehicle charging stations



Financing



Operations & Maintenance



# Growth of District Energy, CHP & Micro Grids

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- Recognition of value of localized resiliency and reliability
- Local support from stakeholders & champions
- Government/utilities
- Sustainability/efficiency drivers - integrating renewables and energy efficient technologies (CHP)
- Timing
- Economics/capital

Thank you.

