

Hawaiian Experience with the Integration of Uncertainty Forecasts into the EMS

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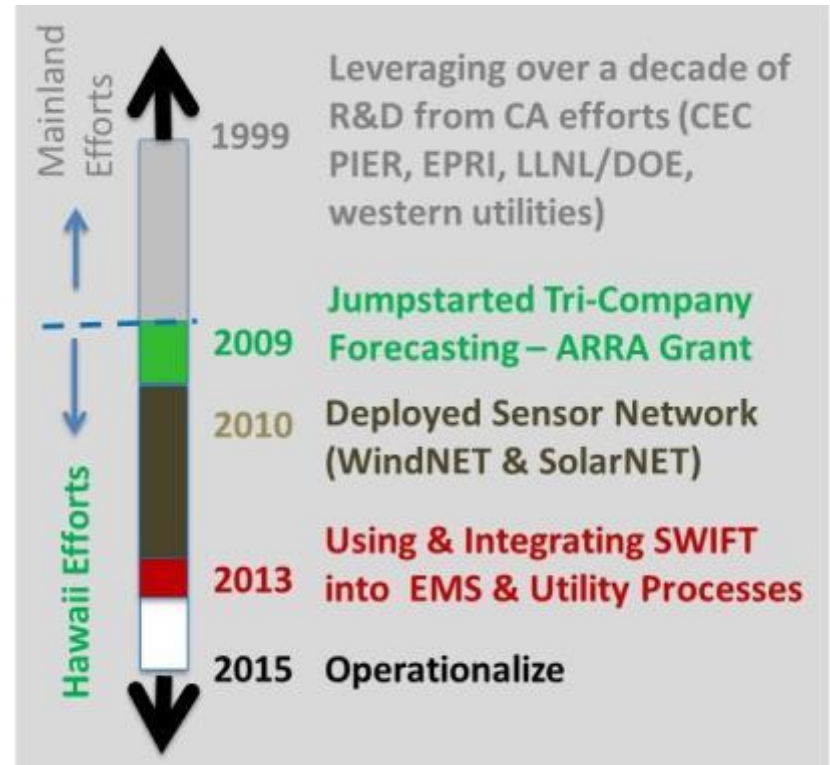


Renewable
Energy
Planning

Overview

- The operational challenge in Hawaii: recent events
- Maximizing value from the SWIFT forecast system
- SEAMS for SHINES: new tools and approaches to manage variability
- EMS integration activities

*SWIFT: Solar and Wind
Integrated Forecast Tool*



Phase 1:
Improve Forecast Models
= Address Operational Need

Phase 2:
Monitoring & Field Validation
= Building Confidence

Phase 3:
Integrate & Operationalize
= Retool & Train Workforce

Some Perspective

Forecasts will NOT...

- Be a “silver bullet”
- Be perfect
- Tell operators what to do
- Be useful without practice
- Solve everything

Forecasts Are...

- Improving situational awareness
- Being used to inform decision-making especially during sensitive times or conditions
- Being Improved
- Being Integrated (process + tools + knowledge base)
- Helping reduce risks & uncertainties

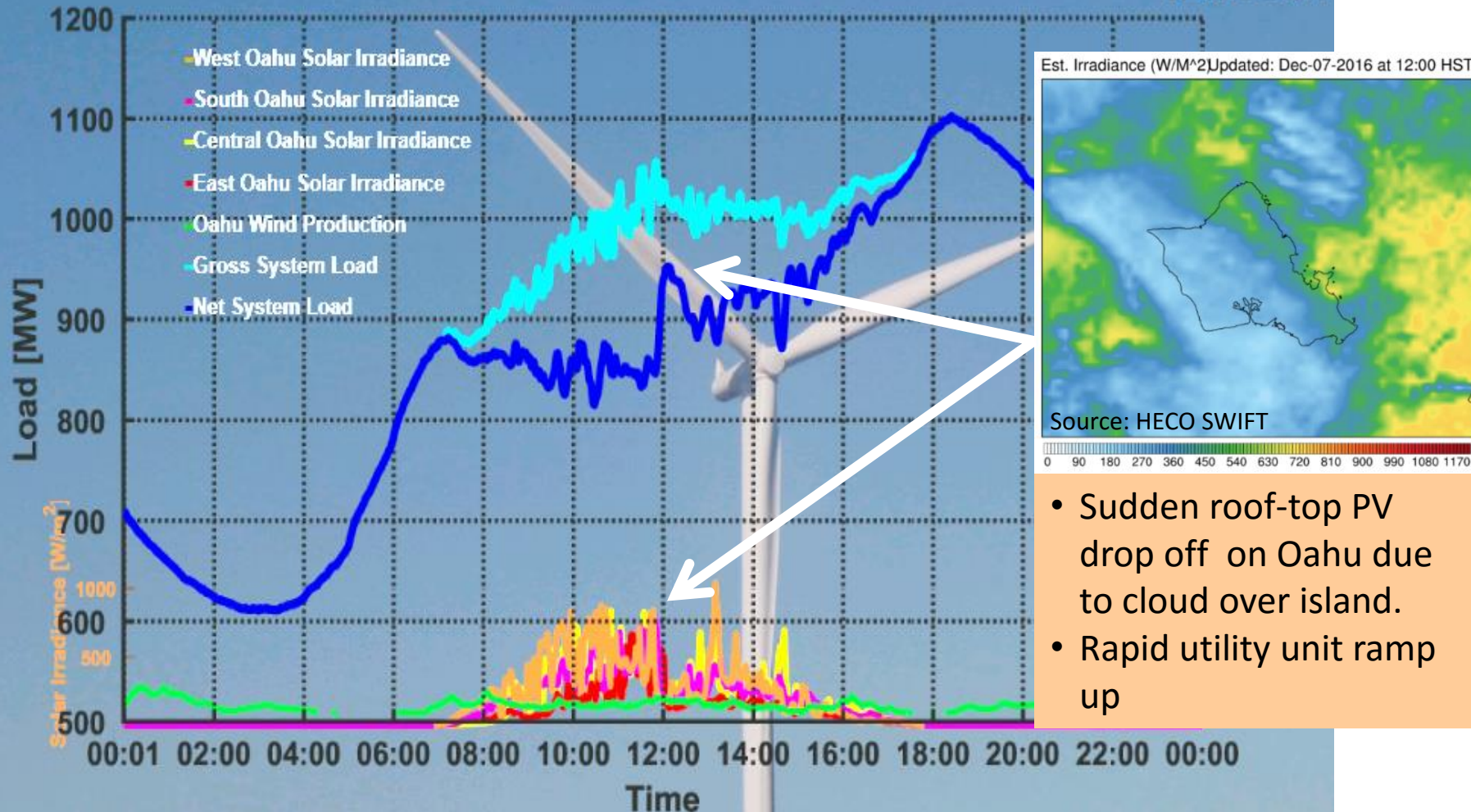


Extreme Net Load Variability: 100 MW/15 Min UP

Renewable Watch - Oahu

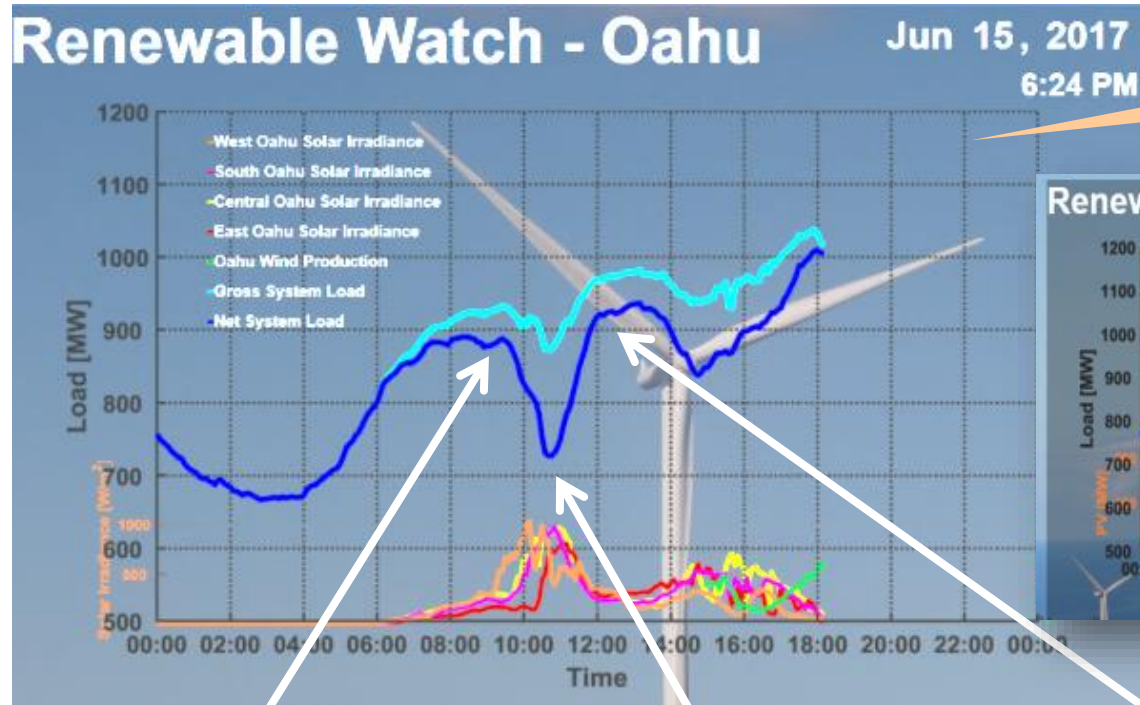
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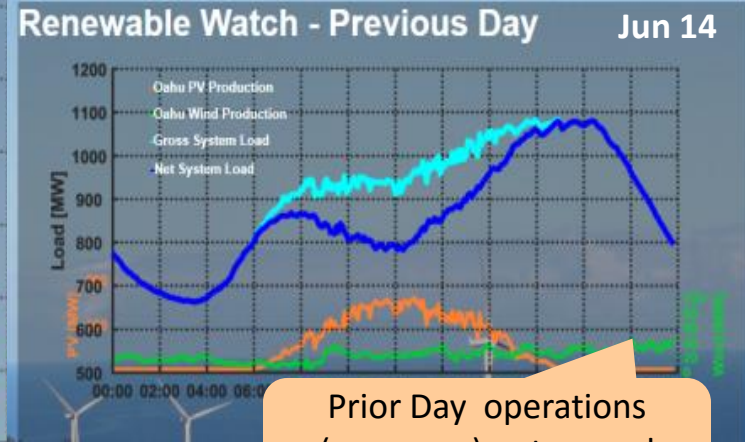


- Sudden roof-top PV drop off on Oahu due to cloud over island.
- Rapid utility unit ramp up

Extreme Net Load Variability: 200 MW UP/DOWN in 1 HR

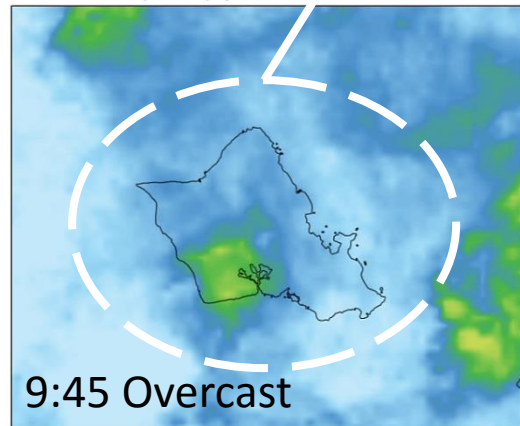


Approx 200 MW
Down and Up Ramp

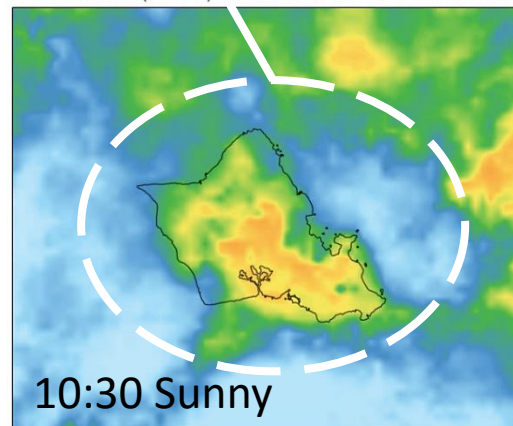


Prior Day operations
(no ramps) not a good
indicator of current day

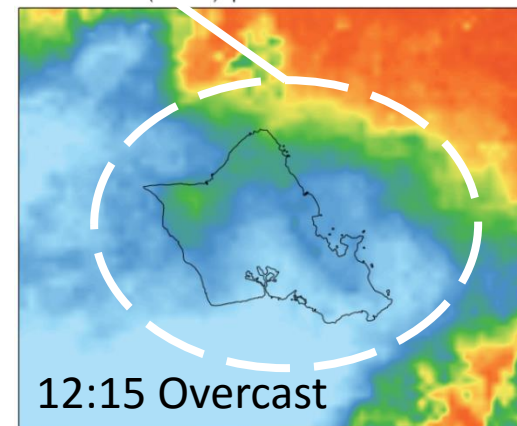
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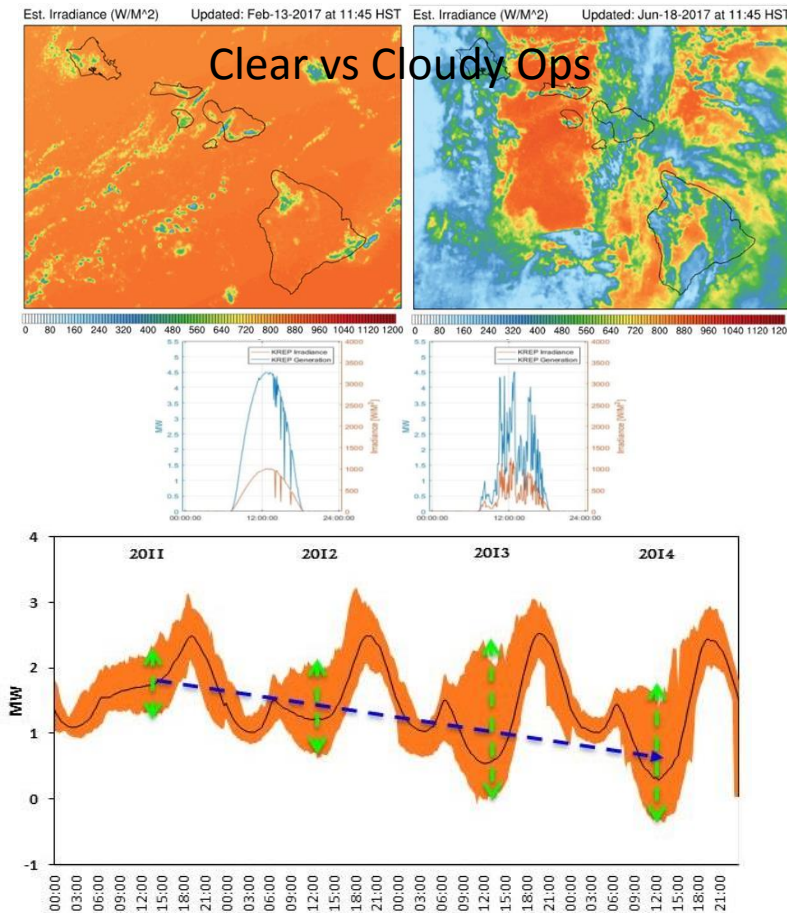


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Grid Changes Increase Uncertainty

- Variable & uncertainty in weather
- Uncertainty and change with customer resources (PV, storage, EV & Load) impacting traditional Supply = Demand
- Change in dispatch procedure & reserve planning (more dynamic vs traditional economic dispatch)
- Deployment of smart devices
- New operator tools & integration procedures



$$\text{Generation} \pm \Delta \text{Reserves} = \text{Customer Demand}$$

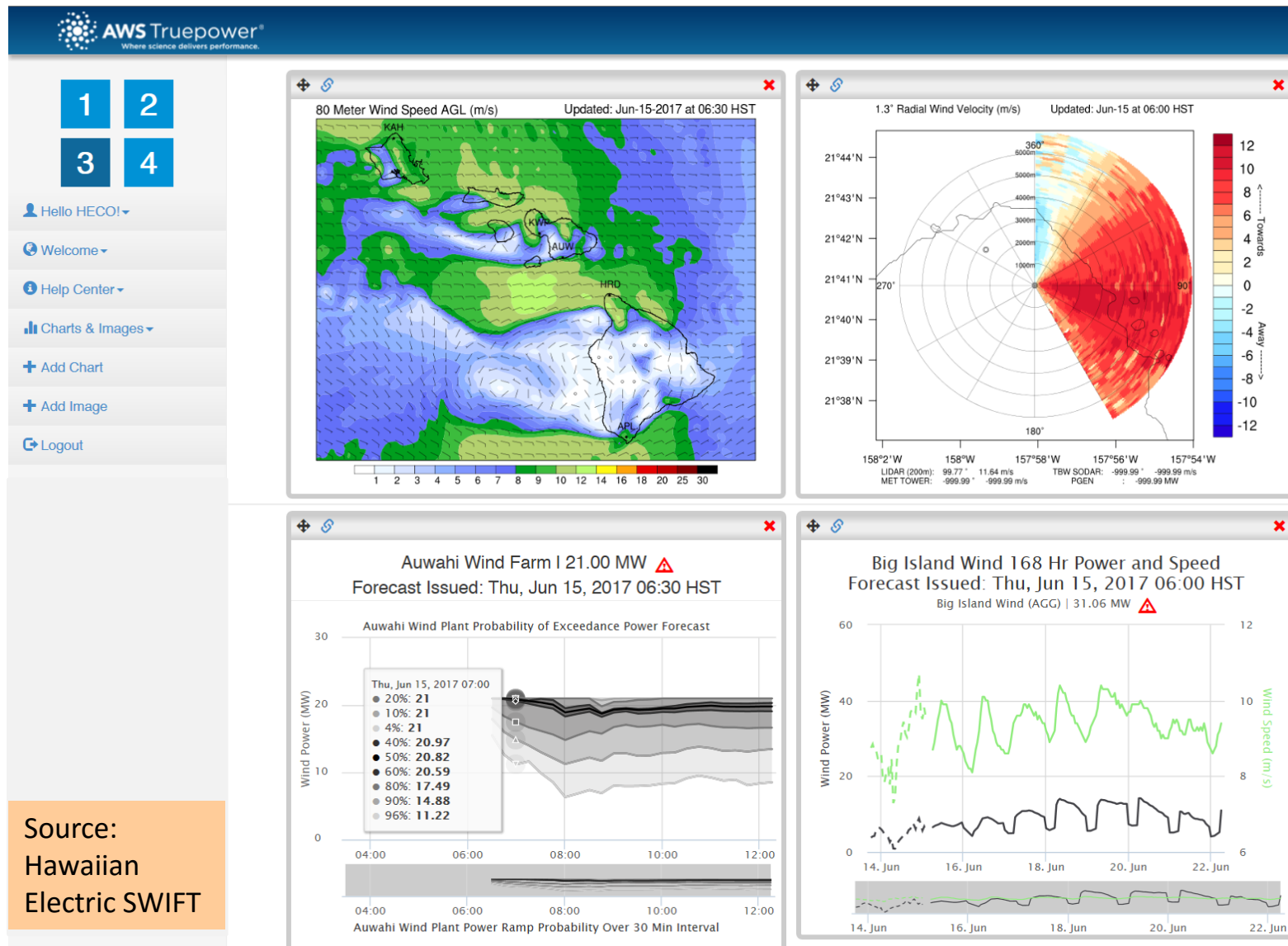
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$$\sum \text{Customer Distr. Gen} \pm f(\text{Weather, time})$$

Maximizing Value from SWIFT

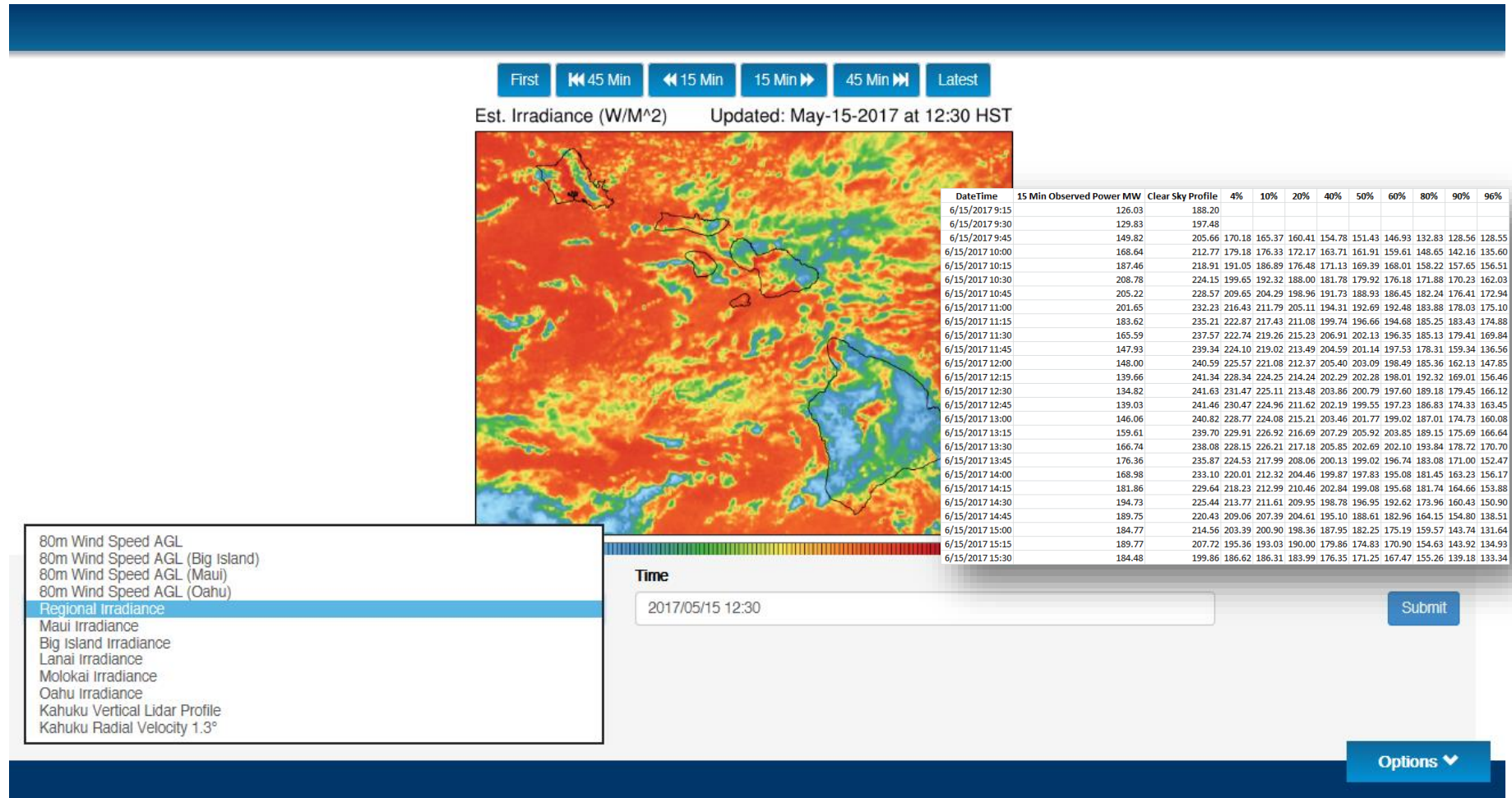
- User Engagement User Training & Feedback
 - User + Forecaster training & feedback on tools/screens
 - Post-event analysis & reviews. Which forecasts were good and what to improve on
- Forecast Enhancements & Research
 - Grid impact driven event analysis: rate of change triggers for ramps, variability during transitions, enhancing satellite imagery for early mornings
 - Review of sensitivities/correlations, new metrics based on “tails”
- Incorporate into Decision-Making & Risk Management
 - Review past events and forecasts for 5-10-15min operating decisions
 - Assess operational contingencies and how to use smart technologies for responding to these short duration events.
- Integration & Automation
 - Integrate and demo controls for edge-of-grid devices under SEAMS for SHINES

Information Flow: Customizable SWIFT Dashboard



Source:
Hawaiian
Electric SWIFT

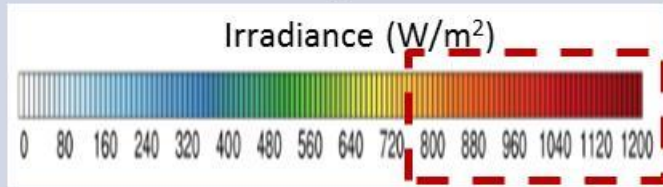
Event Analysis: Geospatial Graphics and Data Downloads



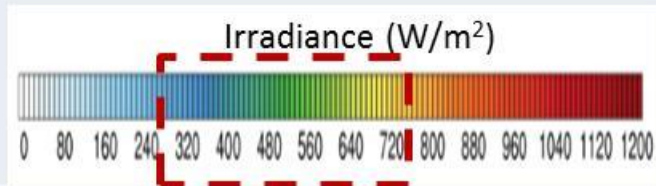
Training: Solar Conditions Reference Sheet

Resource Production by Irradiance Level

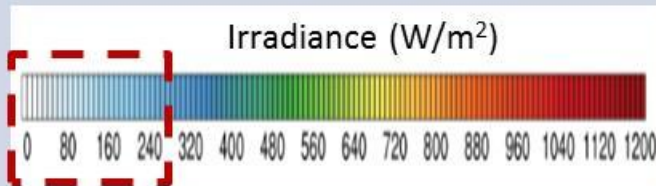
High Production
Greater than 800 W/m²



Moderate Production
From 300 to 800 W/m²

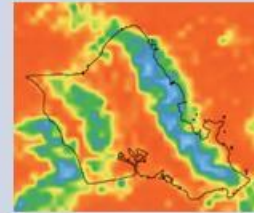


Zero to Low Production
From 0 to 300 W/m²

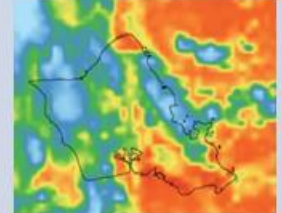


Visual Reference

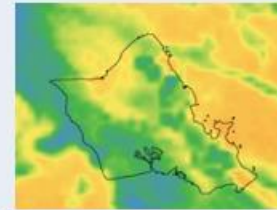
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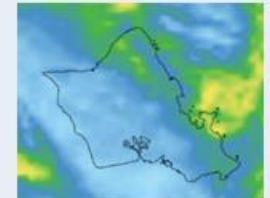
Variable



Steady



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Energy Management System

Distribution Information Interface (DII)



Secure Data & Interface & Comm

Aggregators



DG/DER/SHINES

EMS PLATFORMS



GE/Alstom



Siemens

SECURE DATA INTERFACE



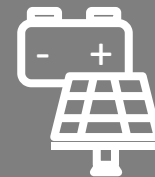
In2lytics/Referentia

RENEWABLE PRODUCTION FORECAST



AWS Truepower

SHINES TECHNOLOGIES



Stem

Apparent



Gridco

ECONOMIC EVALUATIONS



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SEAMS for SHINES Project

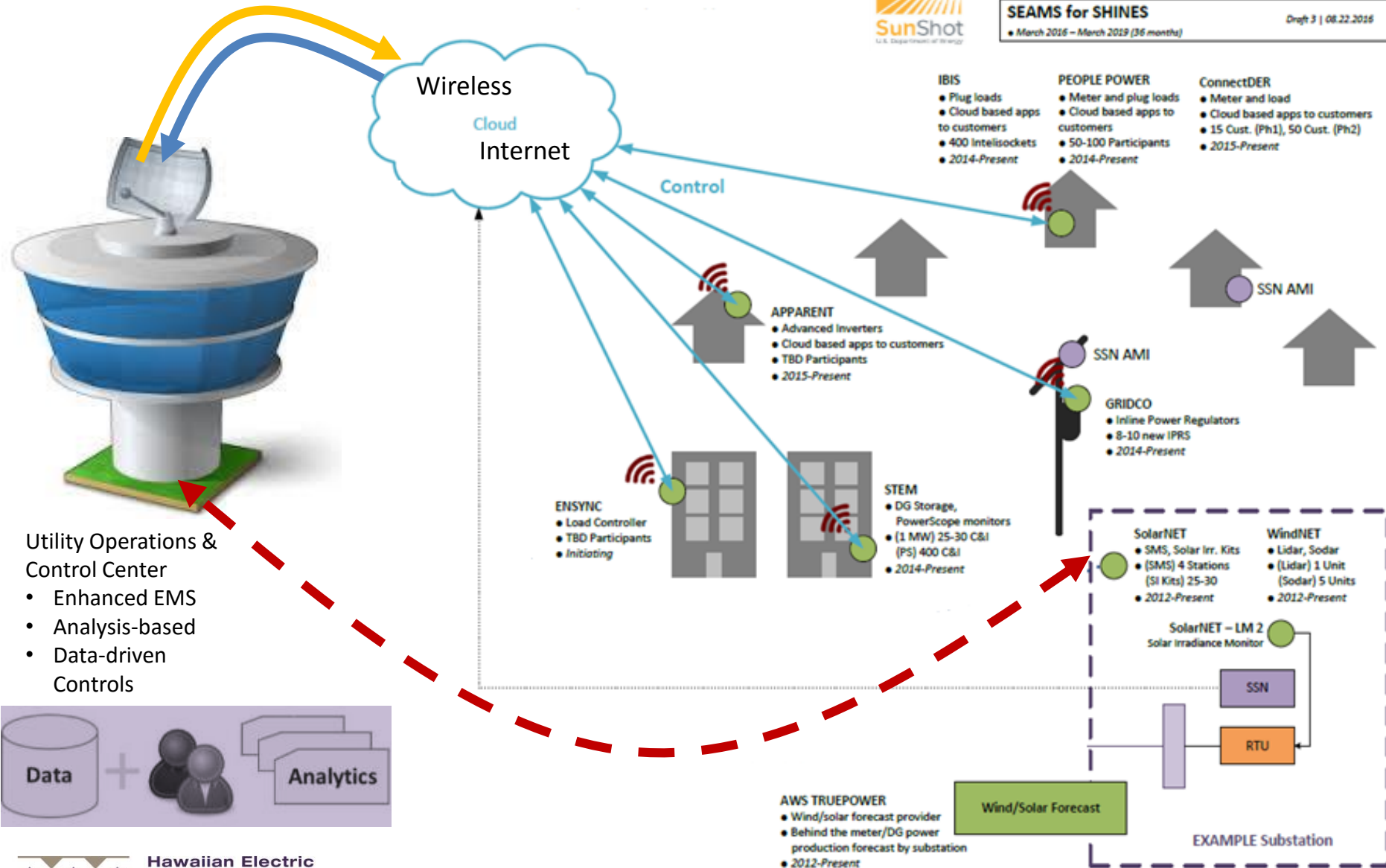
Physical Architecture - Enhancing Visibility through Customer Sited Devices



SEAMS for SHINES

• March 2016 – March 2019 (36 months)

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Source: Hawaiian Electric SEAM for SHINES Project

New Smart Devices with Forecasts & Controls



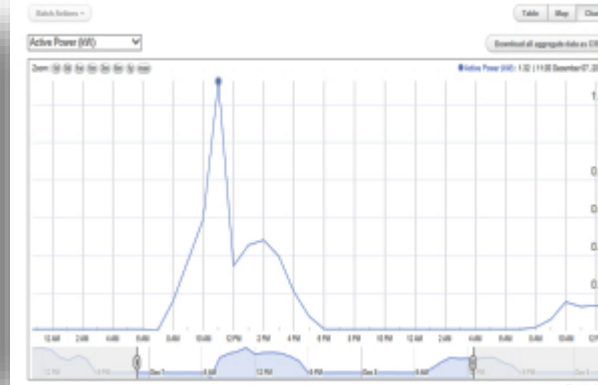
Utility approved Blueline device attached to utility meter.



ConnectDER Meter Interconnect

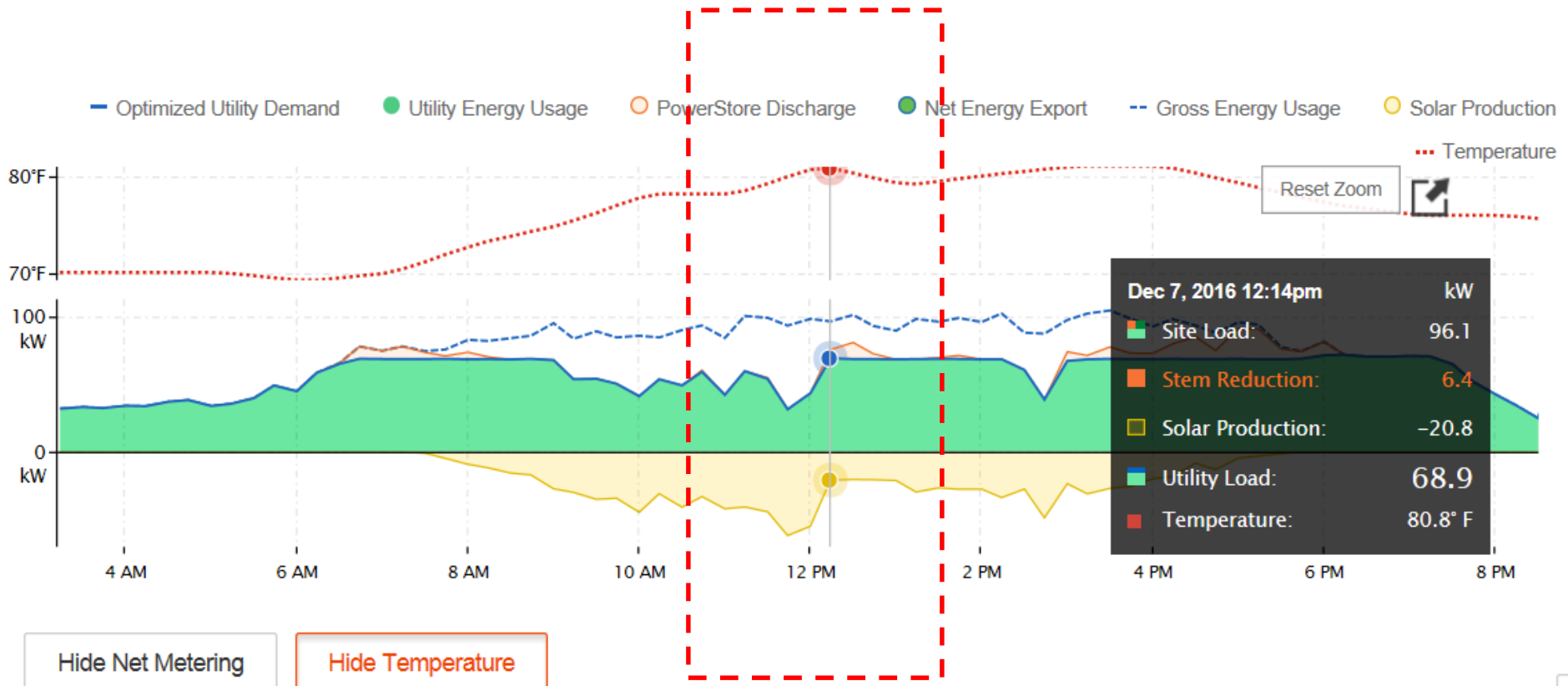


Stem Powerscope



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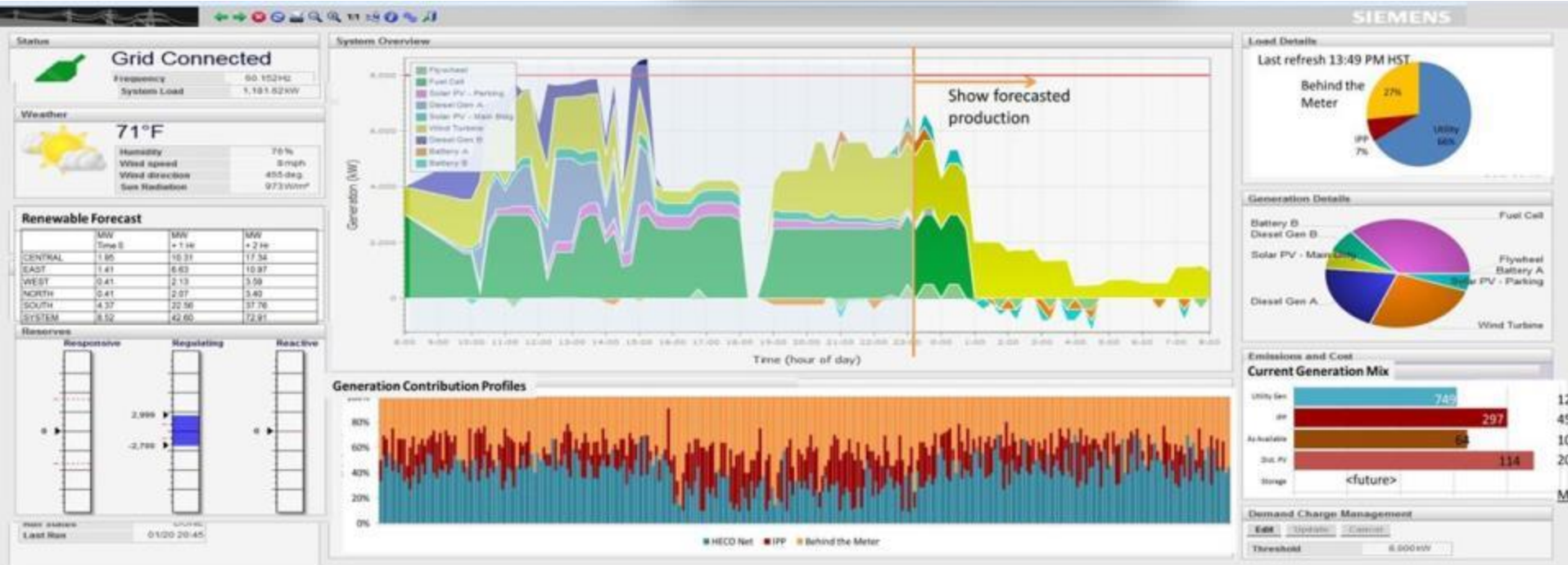
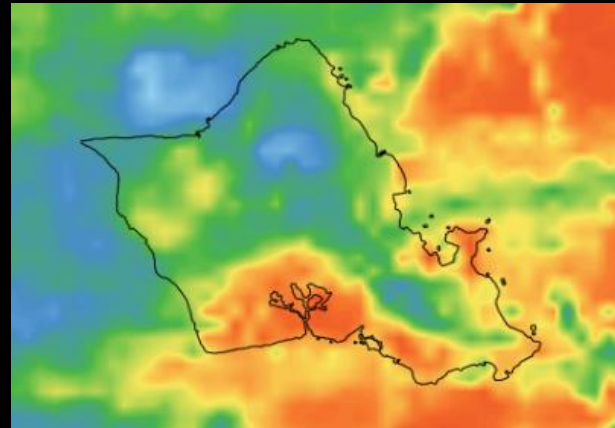
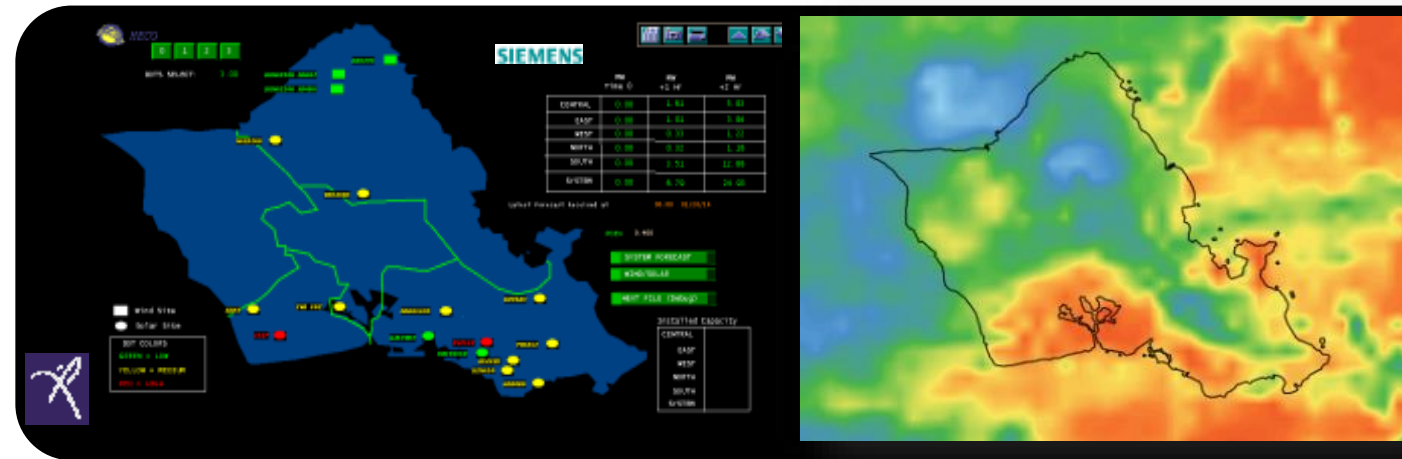
Coupling Forecasts and Smart Devices: Learn How and When to Use New Technologies to Help Support the System



- Intelligent storage demonstrated response to drop in customer PV, maintaining level load at customer site through controlled discharge of PV.
- Provided grid response support during event (6.4kW at 12:14pm)

Integrating VDER into EMS-X Grid Tools to “See & Manage”

- Geographic displays
- Link System Impact with Weather Features
- Post Event analysis & Reviews with Ops increase awareness



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Questions/Comments??

Mahalo for the Support



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