

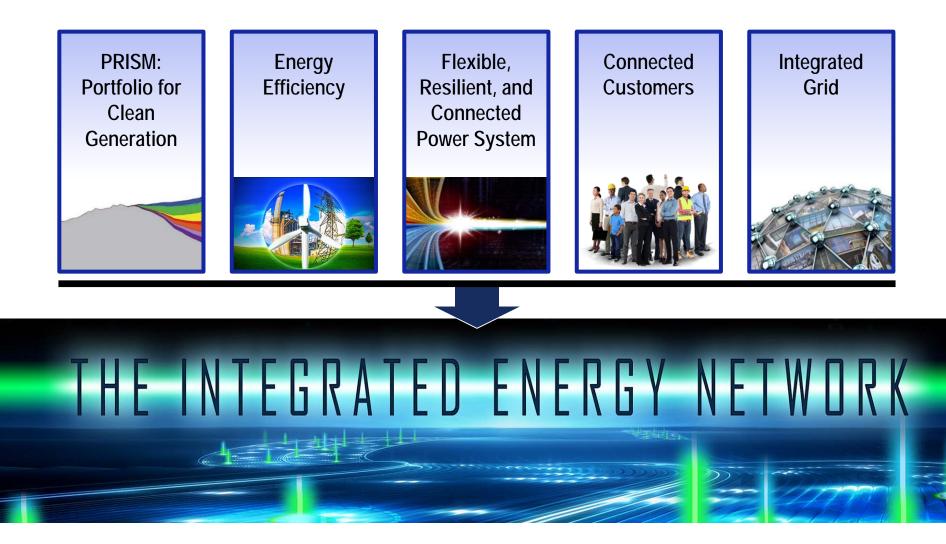
Integrated Energy Network: Pathways for Action

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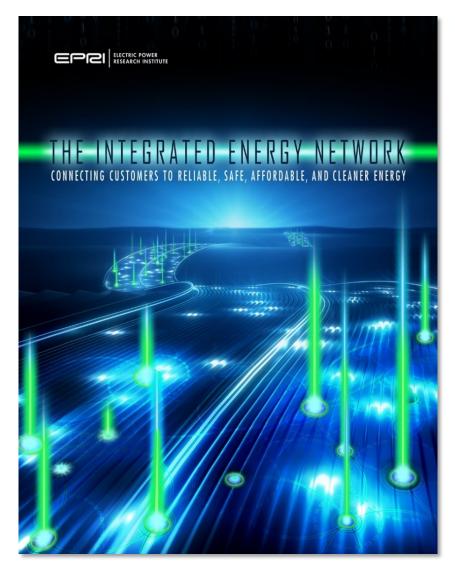
The Integrated Energy Network Builds upon Decades of EPRI Thought Leadership





Integrated Energy Network

Connecting Customers to Reliable, Affordable, and Cleaner Energy



Published in February, this document provides an introduction to our thinking.

We welcome your engagement as we refine the concept and action plans!

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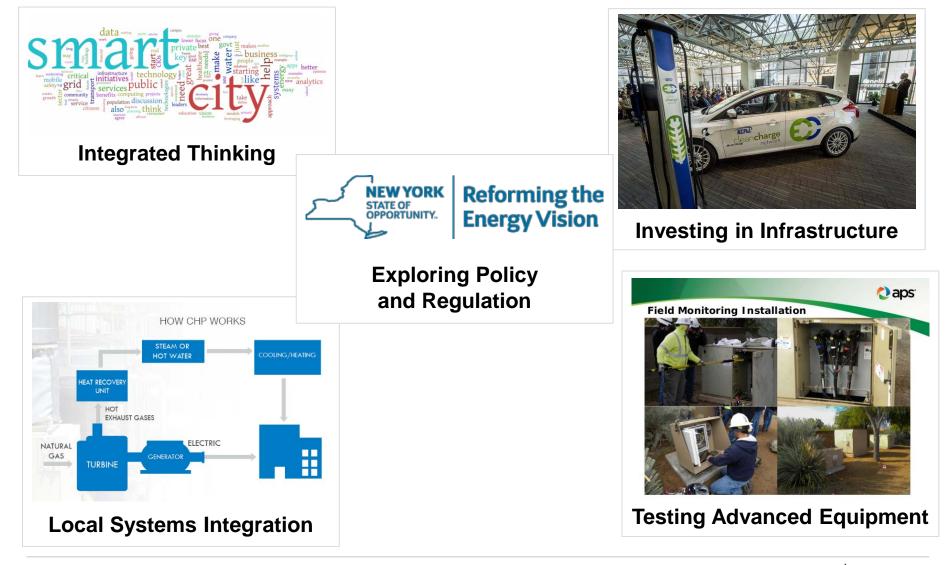
Customers at the center

Flexible central generation, storage, new loads, active customers and better forecasts balance variable generation Physical connections augmented by secure data and communications

Energy and Natural Resource Systems are Integrated to Provide Reliable, Safe, Affordable, Cleaner Energy and Expanded Customer Choice



Governments and Companies are Taking Steps Towards the IEN... But are Only Scratching the Surface





The IEN: Consumer, Producer and Delivery Perspectives



Cross-cutting Issues



Integrated Energy Network – Key Insights

- The IEN requires rethinking energy
- Efficiency and electrification play essential roles in the future energy system
- Integrated (Electric) Grid enables the IEN
- Innovation is needed in technology, policy, regulation, business models and market designs to effect an efficient transformation
- Global collaboration in innovation necessary







Together...Shaping the Future of Electricity



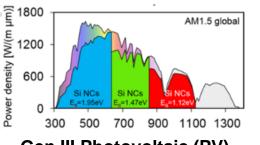
Producing Cleaner Energy



Renewables



Ultra Supercritical



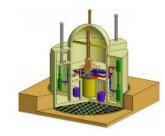
Gen III Photovoltaic (PV)



Large-Scale Storage



Natural Gas



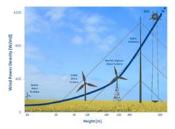
Generation IV Nuclear (co-production – electricity, hydrogen steam)



Distributed Energy Resources



Advanced Power Cycles (e.g., Supercritical CO₂ Cycle)



High Altitude/Power Wind

Technology, policy, and regulatory innovation in the next decade can expand the options for the future





Using Cleaner Energy – Through Efficiency and Electrification



Electric Vehicles



Advanced Energy Communities



Industrial Processes



Hydrogen and Biofuels



Heat Pumps



Rail Electrification



Teleheating



Indoor Agriculture and Advanced Manufacturing



Integrating Energy Resources



Transmission



Flexible Resources







Smart Distribution

