ENERGY STAR® Industry Partner Engagement Opportunities

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Agenda

• Background
• Strategic Energy Management (SEM) tools & resources
• Plant-level benchmarking tools
• The ENERGY STAR Challenge for Industry
• Leveraging ENERGY STAR recognition
By the numbers…

• 17 years of partnering with industry
• 950+ companies engaged
• 91 Fortune 500 industrial companies
• 31 sector-specific initiatives
• 15 plant benchmarking tools
• 175+ Certified industrial plants
• 426+ Challenge for Industry achievers
• 1 International partner – NR Canada
Approach

• Organizational management practices & programs
• Build energy efficiency culture
• Benchmarking & goal setting
• Recognition drives improvement
• Make it easy
Industrial Partnership

- Companies join ENERGY STAR to demonstrate a commitment to energy management
- Most are larger manufacturers
- Active participation by companies in sectors with industrial focuses
- Strong participation by companies with strong corporate energy management programs
- Increasing number of “supplier companies” joining ENERGY STAR
- ENERGY STAR partner companies are found in nearly every state
Strategic Energy Management

- **Guidelines for Energy Management** – Guidance for building an energy program
- **Energy Program Assessment Matrix** – Company EMS evaluation tool
- **Facility Energy Program Assessment Matrix** – Plant level evaluation tool
- **Teaming up to Save Energy** – Guidance on building an energy program
- **Energy Treasure Hunt Guidebook** – Instructions for energy treasure hunts
- **Employee Engagement Resources** – EPA offers a wide range tools and resources
- **Energy Performance Indicators** – Sector-specific benchmarking tools
- **Energy guides** – Sector-specific guides on energy saving opportunities
- **Energy management videos** – Short videos that promote energy management

[www.energystar.gov/industry](http://www.energystar.gov/industry)
Corporate Industry

ENERGY STAR Industrial program

Utility SEM programs

Small & Medium Manufacturers
Benchmarking & energy tracking tools

Plant Energy Performance Indicators (EPIs)
  • Scores the energy performance of specific industrial sites against the sector nationally

Energy Tracking Tool
  • Establishes production-based energy intensity metrics, set goals, tracks performance, and generates reports

Portfolio Manager
  • Scores the energy performance of selected commercial buildings and warehouses. Web-based energy tracking system for buildings
  • [www.energystar.gov/industrybenchmarkingtools](http://www.energystar.gov/industrybenchmarkingtools)
Energy Performance Indictors (EPI)

- Sector-specific energy benchmarking tools for selected industrial sites.
- Determines the energy efficiency of a plant by comparing at against the performance of the industry.
- Uses a statistical model based on industry-wide data
- Provides a 1 to 100 rating
- Basis for ENERGY STAR Certification
Industrial Focus Sectors

Ammonia Fertilizer
Breakfast Cereal
Cement
Concrete
Commercial Baking
  Cookies & Crackers
  Breads & Baked Goods
Corn Refining
Dairy Processing
  Fluid dairies
  Ice Cream
Fruit & Vegetable Processing
  Juice
  Potato Products
  Tomato Products
Glass
  Fiberglass
  Flat glass
  Container glass
Motor Vehicles
  Assembly Plants
  Engine Plants
  Transmission
Metal Casting
  Ferrous
  Aluminum
Petrochemical Manufacturing
Petroleum Refining
Pharmaceuticals
Printing
Pulp & Paper
  Integrated Mills
  Pulp Mills
Steel
  Primary Steel
  Mini Mills
Current EPIs & Ratings

- Automobile Assembly
- Cement Manufacturing
- Commercial Bread & Roll Bakeries
- Container Glass Manufacturing
- Cookie and Cracker
- Flat Glass Manufacturing
- Frozen Fried Potato Processing
- Integrated Pulp & Paper Mills

- Integrated Steel Mills
- Juice Processing
- Metal Casting:
  - Aluminum Casting
  - Iron (FE) Casting
- Pharmaceutical Manufacturing
- Pulp Mills
- Wet Corn Mills

Recognized by EPA for ENERGY STAR Ratings:
- Petroleum Refining – Solomons

To be released this fall:
- Fluid dairies (Milk)
- Engine Plants
- Transmission Plants

www.energystar.gov/epis
ENERGY STAR Certification

- Distinguishes best-in-class energy performance
- Only for industrial plants where EPA has released an ENERGY STAR scale/score
- Facilities must score a 75 or higher on an ENERGY STAR rating system to qualify for ENERGY STAR Certification
- Plants cannot have major Clean Air Act violations
- Energy performance must be reviewed and certified by a Professional Engineer (PE)

175+ Industrial Plants have earned Certification since 2006

87 plants certified in 2016:
- 63 trillion BTUs in savings

Certification numbers as of December 2016
Ways Program Sponsors can use EPIs

Account managers:
• Ask if plant benchmarks; if not, provide EPI
• Ask about the plant’s score:
  • If low – opportunity to engage on efficiency offerings
  • 75 or higher – work with plant to get certified

SEM programs:
• Provide as a benchmarking & goal setting resource
• Reinforces continuous improvement

Resource Acquisition:
• Use to evaluate sites for opportunities
• Low score plants = greater savings potential
Challenge for Industry

10% reduction in energy intensity within 5 years or less.

• Open to any manufacturing plant
• Reduction is based on the change from annual intensity baseline registered with ENERGY STAR
• Intensity metric (MMBTU/unit or MMBTU/sq ft) is determined by the plant or company
• No annual reporting
• Plants outside of the US can participate
• Verification process required for recognition

www.energystar.gov/industrychallenge
Taking the Challenge helped drive additional savings

- 80% Agree
- 20% Neutral

Energy performance after achieving the Challenge

- 80% Continued to improve
- 16% Remained flat
- 4% Deteriorated
Before & After

Established program & teams - Before %: 70

After - Est. Program %: 90

Informal program & teams - Before %: 16

Limited focus or projects - Before %: 14

After - informal program %: 10
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<td>Increased awareness and interest in energy efficiency among facility staff.</td>
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<td>Drove additional energy savings.</td>
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<td>Engaged more staff to participate in the energy program.</td>
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Recognition is a great efficiency tool!

- Engages and motivate people
- Raises awareness about energy efficiency opportunities & responsibilities
- Builds support for energy initiatives
- Makes the energy program more visible
- Makes energy less abstract to non-energy people.
- Drives additional savings

Very inexpensive to implement!
Ways to use the Challenge

Increase customer satisfaction by offering recognition!

- Encourage customers that receive rebates & incentives to sign up.
  - Your program may help them achieve the Challenge!
  - Account managers can assist customers with sign-up

- Help verify energy savings for customers without Professional Engineers

- Participate in recognizing sites that achieve the Challenge:
  - Coordinate with ENERGY STAR on offering certifications

- Work with ENERGY STAR to identify plants already in the Challenge who should be interested in your program’s offering
Recognition programs can help to sustain SEM investments

1. Set reduction goal and baseline
2. Pursue energy savings and strengthen SEM practices
3. Inspire others and continue to advance

SEM Program Participation

Year 1

Year 2

Year 3

Year 4

Year 5

Year 6

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What ENERGY STAR can offer

• Training for staff & account managers

• Phone support for technical questions

• Assistance with developing marketing content

• Updates and status of participants & program

• Help with promoting the Challenge through meetings / web conferences/ handouts etc.
Utility programs utilizing the Challenge

• Integrated the ENERGY STAR Challenge for Industry as part of the SEM/ Continuous Improvement program
• Promote the Challenge and offer support to customers
• Multiple customers participating

• Encouraged SEM program participants to take the Challenge
Questions / Comments
Thank you!