

Federal Facilities Council



National Gallery of Art

“Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets”

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The National Gallery of Art



- ❖ Andrew Mellon donated his art collection in 1936 to the U.S. for a new national art museum
- ❖ Designed by Russell Pope
- ❖ West Building built March 1937 – December 1940
- ❖ Mellon's children funded a second building for modern art, designed by I.M. Pei
- ❖ East Building built 1971 – June 1978
- ❖ Sculpture Garden constructed and opened in May 1999
- ❖ Nearly 5,000,000 visitors annually



WEST

EAST

Facilities Management at the National Gallery of Art



- ❖ 1,374,000 square feet of facilities
- ❖ 10.2 acres of landscaped grounds
- ❖ 6.2 acre National Sculpture Garden
- ❖ 70,900 linear feet of glass windows
- ❖ 16,800 light fixtures
- ❖ 64 rest rooms
- ❖ 363 plumbing fixtures
- ❖ 34 conveyance systems
- ❖ 53 major air handling systems
 - ❖ most with air washers
- ❖ 1,500 major facility assets
- ❖ 10,000 point BAS



EAST



The National Gallery of Art's Mission



“To serve the United States of America in a national role by preserving, collecting, exhibiting, and fostering the understanding of works of art at the highest possible museum and scholarly standards.”



Facilities Management Mission



“...preserving...great works of art.”

Temperature = 70-degrees F +/- 5-degrees

Relative Humidity = 50% +/- 5%



Sustainability - a Hot Topic Around the World



Triple Bottom Line

Environmental
Protection &
Resource
Conservation



Economic
Prosperity &
Continuity

Social
Well-Being &
Equity

Sustainability:
“...meeting the
needs of the
present without
compromising the
ability of future
generations to
meet their own
needs.”



Sustainability - Legislation



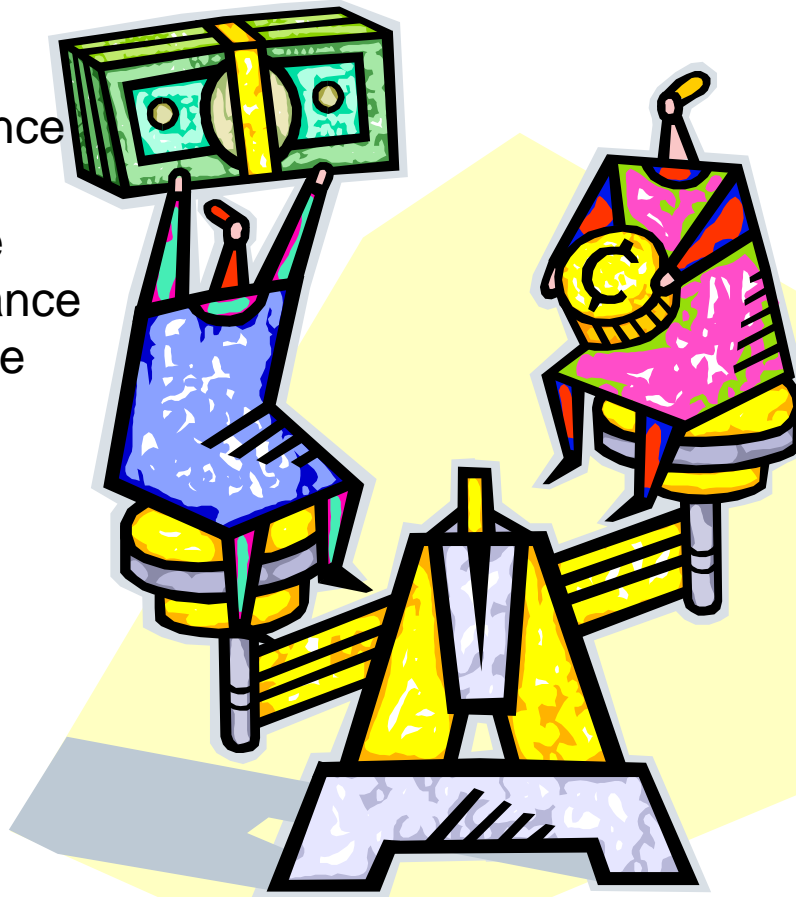
- 1965 Solid Waste Disposal Act
- 1970 Clean Air Act
- 1976 Resource and Recovery Act
- 1978 National Energy Act
- 1980 Energy Security Act
- 1998 EO 13101 – Greening the Government Through Waste Reduction, Recycling, and Federal Acquisition
- 2005 Energy Policy Act
- 2006 ISO 14064-1/2/3 “Greenhouse Gases”
- 2006 Guiding Principles for Federal Leadership in Sustainable Buildings
- 2007 Energy Independence and Security Act
- 2007 EO 13423 - Strengthening Federal Environmental, Energy, and Transportation Management
- 2009 The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009
- 2009 EO 13514 - Federal Leadership in Environmental, Energy, and Economic Performance



Balancing Sustainability with Budget



Art Preservation
Staff
Visitors
Daily Cleaning
Preventive Maintenance
Daily Operations
Routine Maintenance
Emergency Maintenance
Deferred Maintenance
Equipment
Utilities Bills
Exhibitions
Art Moves
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Special Events
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Safety
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IT



Sustainability Goals
Energy Consumption
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Green Cleaning
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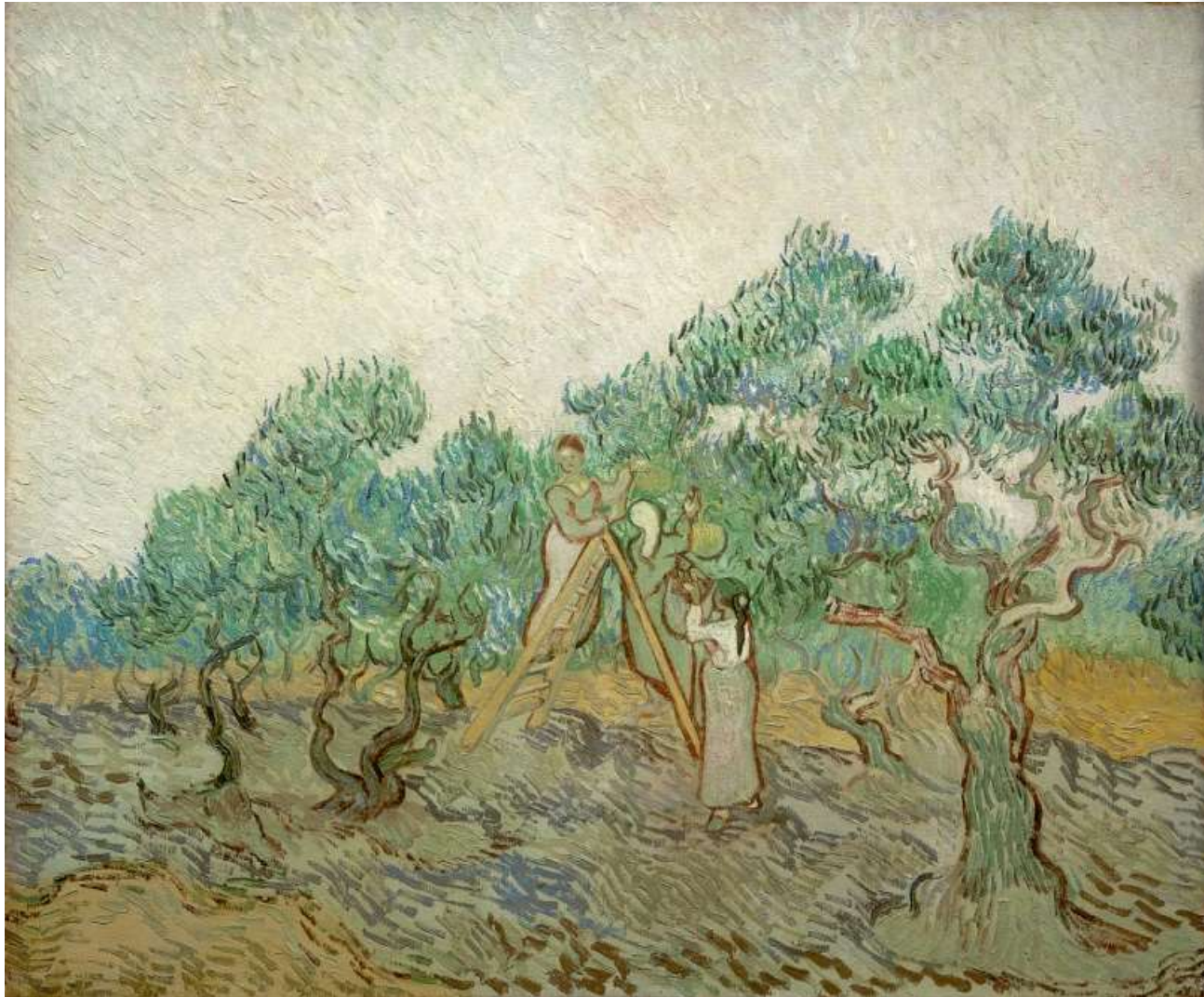
Reach for All Hanging Fruit



High Hanging Fruit

Medium Hanging Fruit

Low Hanging Fruit



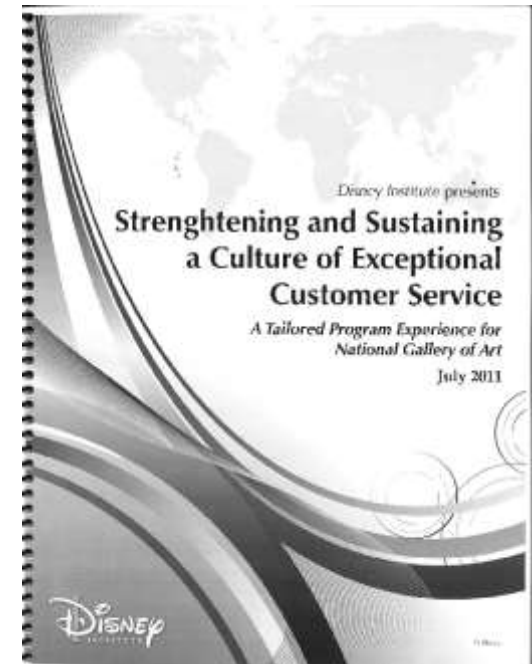
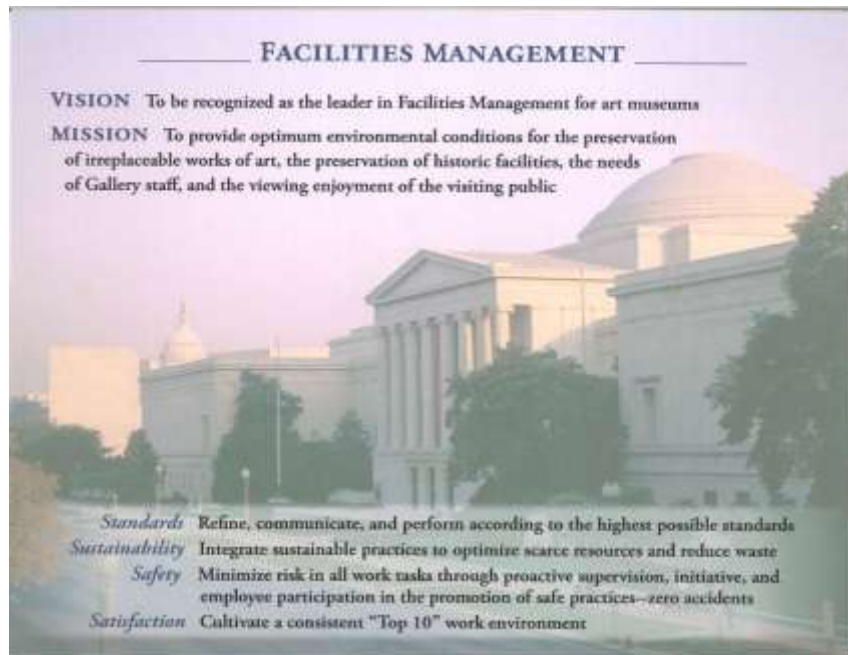
Vincent van Gogh,
The Olive Orchard, 1889



Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Alignment of Vision, Mission, and Goals



Leaders empowered to improve services, to include sustainable practices



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Fruit: Establish a Sustainability Office



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Fruit: Good Communications Between Gallery Staffs

- **Curators**
- **Exhibitions**
- **Design and Construction**
- **Registrar**
- **Conservators**
- **Safety - Risk Management**
- **Fire Marshal**
- **Security**
- **Facilities Management**
- **Legal – Loan Agreements**



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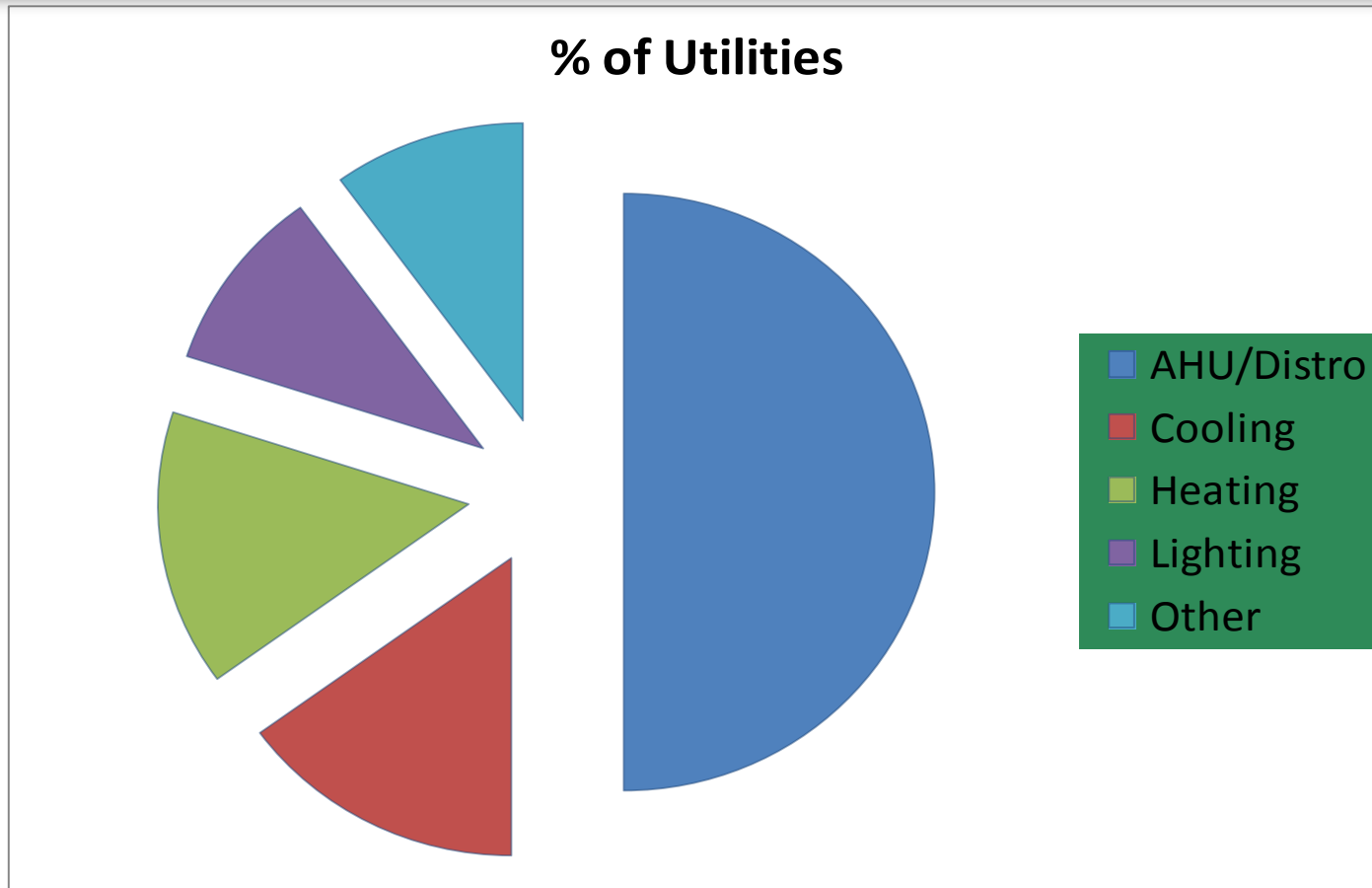
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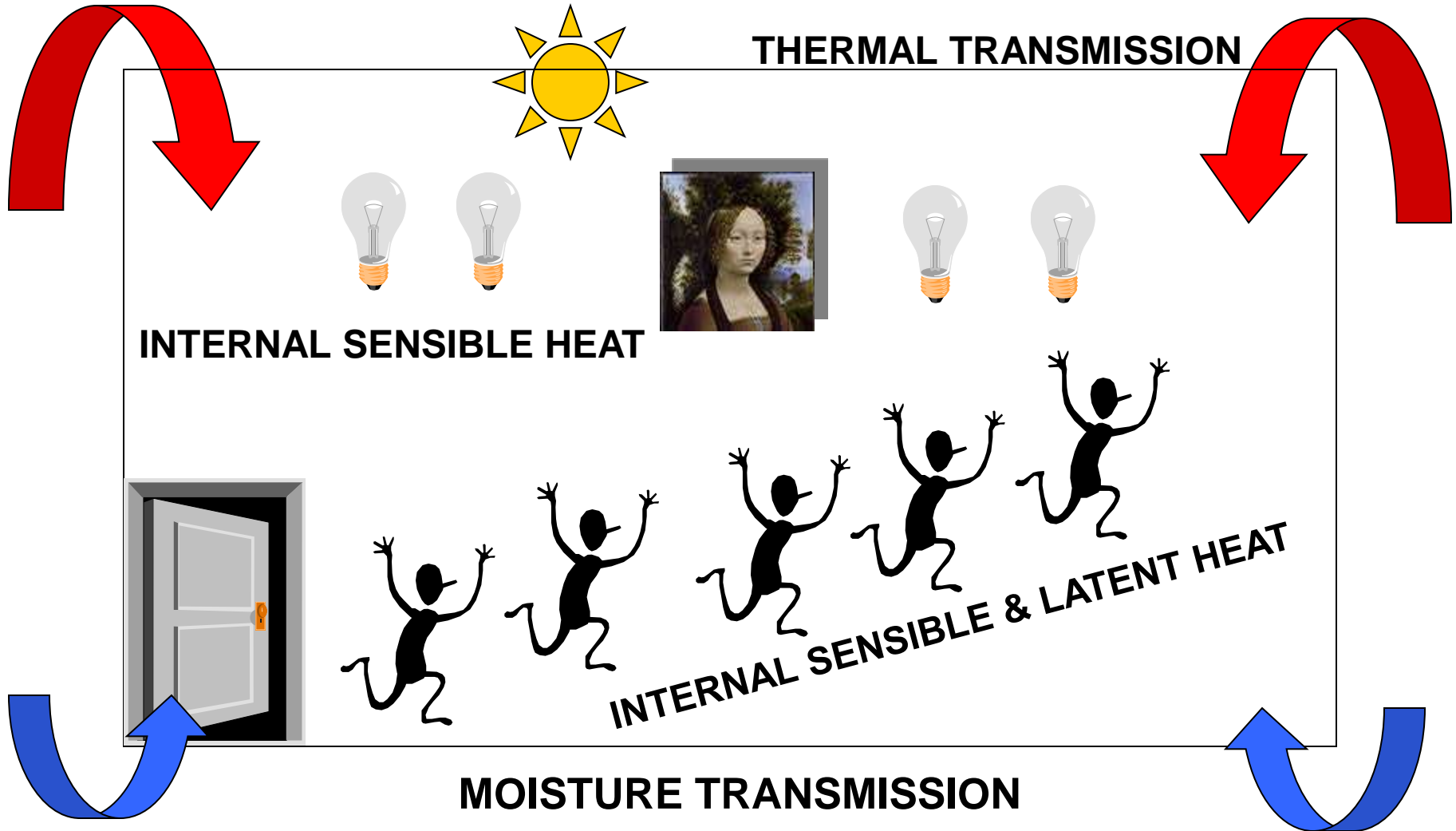
Fruit: Know Where You Are Spending in Your Facilities



So Let's Look at Our Building



SOURCES OF HEAT AND MOISTURE TRANSMISSION



Facilities Management Mission

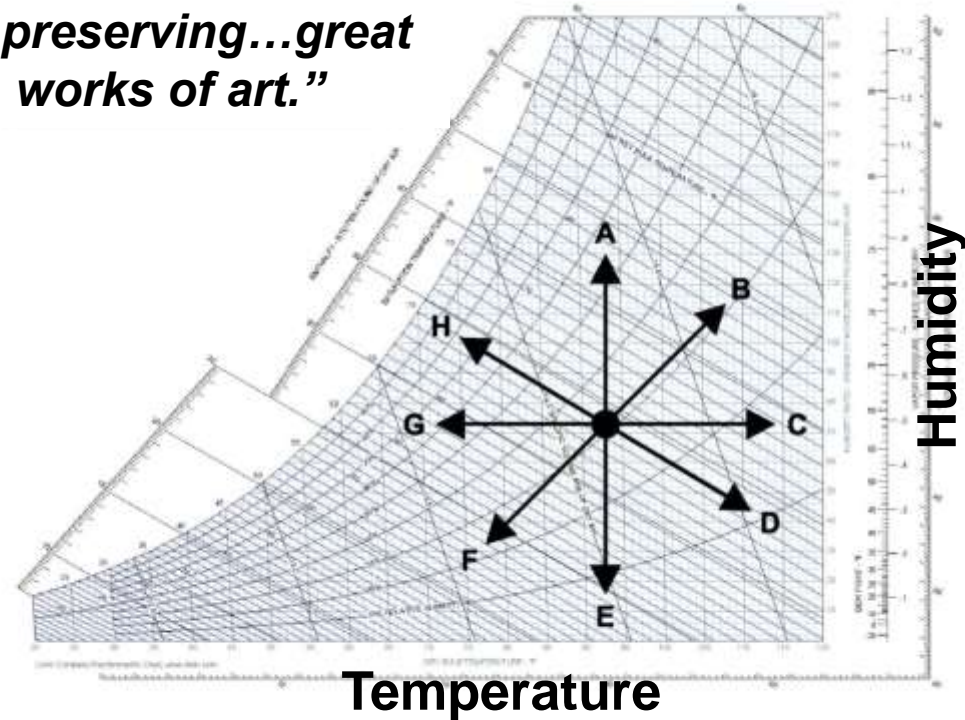


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- A – Humidification Only (Up)
- B – Heating and Humidifying
- C – Sensible Heating Only (Right)
- D – Desiccant Dehumidifying
- E – Dehumidification Only (Down)
- F – Cooling & Dehumidifying
- G – Sensible Cooling Only
- H – Evaporative Cooling Only



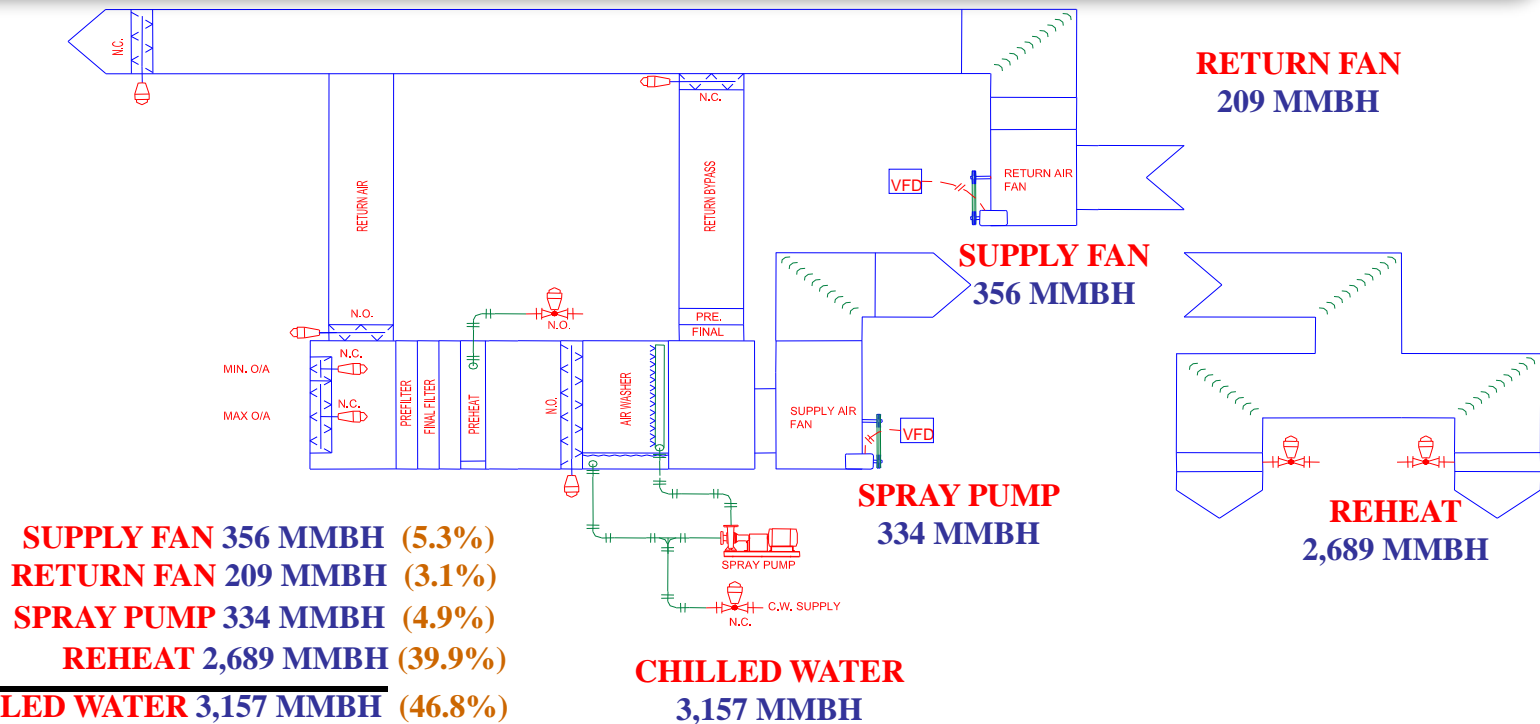
PSYCHROMETRIC PROCESSES



Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Conduct Regular Energy Audits to Check the Condition and Efficiency of Your Equipment



TOTAL ENERGY CONSUMPTION
6,745 MMBH

* MMBH = 1 MILLION BTU/HR

Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



WAC NO. 16 OCCUPIED SPACE COOLING LOAD SUMMARY

SPACE NO.	FLOOR AREA (SF)	CEILING (BTU/ HR)	WALL (BTU/ HR)	LAYLIGHT SOLAR (BTU/ HR)	LIGHTS (BTU/ HR)	PEOPLE SH (BTU/ HR)	ROOM SH (BTU/ HR)	PEOPLE LH (BTU/ HR)	ROOM TH (BTU/ HR)
M-46	848	14,378	---	6,020	6,649	4,240	31,287	4,240	35,527
M-47	1,283	21,495	5,090	11,200	10,946	6,416	55,147	6,416	61,563
M-48	1,166	19,648	---	9,100	7,331	5,830	41,909	5,830	47,739
M-49	959	16,129	3,959	8,064	7,945	4,794	40,891	4,794	45,685
M-50	944	15,903	3,733	8,064	6,308	4,720	38,728	4,720	43,448
M-50A	203	---	1,697	---	4,297	1,015	7,009	1,015	8,024
M-50B	378	1,316	---	---	6,343	1,890	9,549	1,890	11,439
M-50C	210	---	---	---	4,910	1,051	5,961	1,051	7,012
M-51	848	14,378	---	6,048	7,297	4,240	31,963	4,240	36,203
TOTAL	6,839	103,247	14,479	48,496	62,026	34,196	262,444	34,196	296,640

NOTES:

1. PERIMETER ZONE (RHC 16-1) PEAK COOLING - SEPTEMBER 6:00 PM, 80°F DB.
2. INTERIOR ZONE (RHC 16-2) PEAK COOLING - JULY 2:00 PM, 92°F DB.
3. OCCUPANCY - 50 SF/PERSON, 250 BTU/HR SH, 250 BTU/HR LH.

178,914 BTU/HR

**60%
OF TOTAL
LOAD**

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NEW HEADER PRESSURE CONTROL



NEW PUMP VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVE



NEW AIR FLOW STATIONS



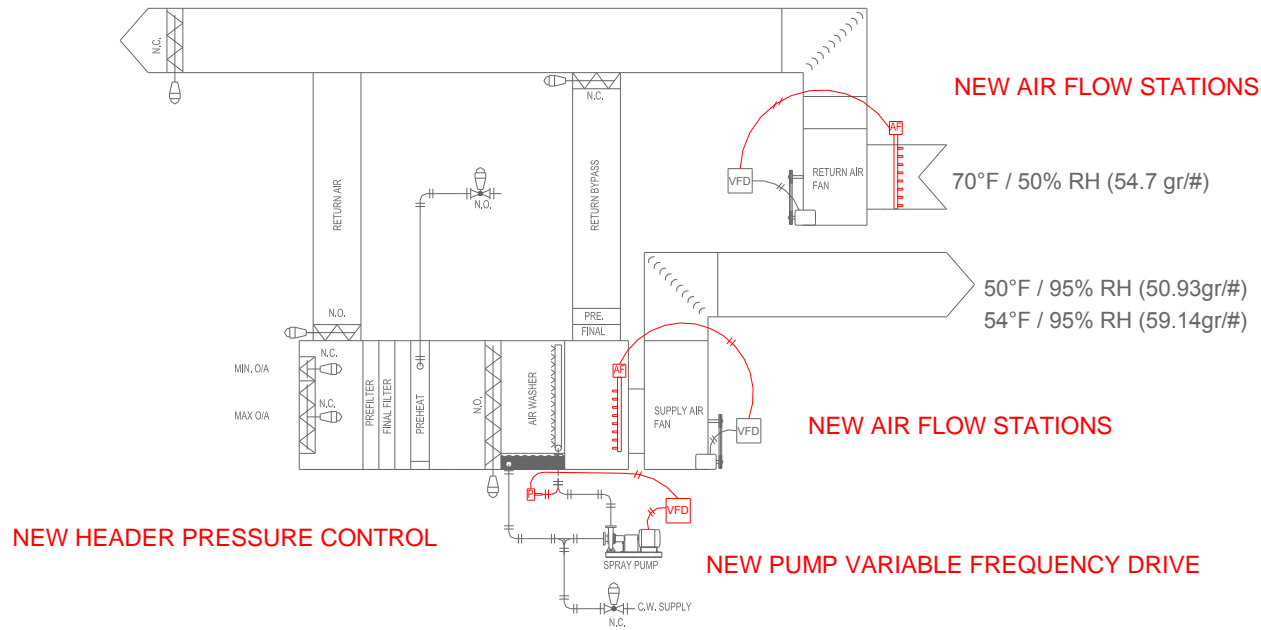
NEW INSTRUMENTATION

- SUPPLY FAN AIR FLOW STATION
- RETURN FAN AIR FLOW STATION
- SPRAY PUMP VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVE
- SPRAY HEADER PRESSURE CONTROL

NEW CONTROL SEQUENCE MODIFICATION

- SUPPLY FAN AIR FLOW SET TO MAINTAIN 14,000 CFM
- RETURN FAN AIR FLOW SET TO MAINTAIN 11,900 CFM
- SPRAY PUMP VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVE CONTROLLED FROM HEADER PRESSURE SENSOR
- SPRAY HEADER PRESSURE CONTROL MAINTAINS A HEADER PRESSURE EQUIVALENT TO 151 GPM
- RE-IMPLEMENT DISCHARGE AIR RESET FOR HUMIDITY CONTROL

Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



- REDUCE AIR VOLUME FROM 18,700 CFM TO 14,000 CFM
- REDUCE SPRAY PUMP FLOW RATE FROM 290 GPM TO 151 GPM
- REDUCE OUTSIDE AIR VOLUME FROM 2,805 CFM TO 2,100 CFM
- ADJUST INDIVIDUAL GALLERY OUTLETS BASED ON LOAD CALCULATIONS FOR INDIVIDUAL GALLERIES

Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



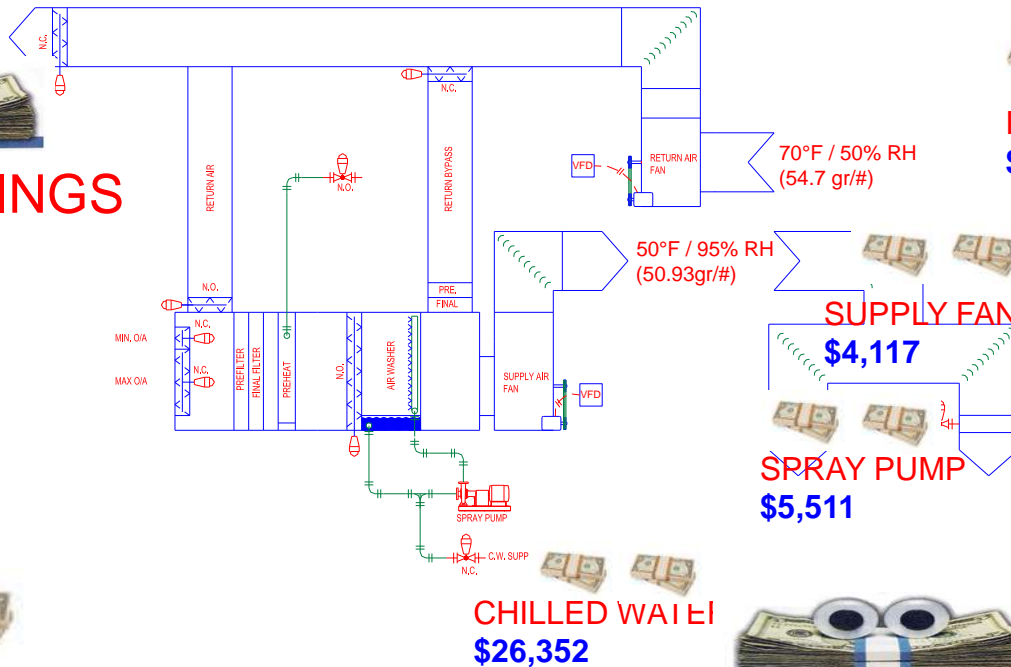
Fruit: Align HVAC Use With Occupancy

WEST AC#16

MODEL AFTER THE RE-INSTRUMENTATION AND AIR & WATER BALANCE AND IMPLEMENTATION OF UNOCCUPIED BYPASS



BYPASS SAVINGS
\$23,223



RETURN FAN
\$2,059

SUPPLY FAN
\$4,117

SPRAY PUMP
\$5,511

REHEAT
\$54,884

CHILLED WATER
\$26,352



TAB SAVINGS
\$65,622



UNOCC SAVINGS
\$20,263

TOTAL OPERATING COST
\$92,985

Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



TOTAL ESTIMATED WEST BUILDING SAVINGS



WEST BLDG TAB SAVINGS
\$524,073



WEST BLDG UNOCCUPIED SAVINGS
\$506,613



WEST BLDG BYPASS SAVINGS
\$578,841

ESTIMATED WEST BUILDING SAVINGS
\$1,609,527

Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Be Creative with HVAC Schedules

Rolling Outages"...The following units will turn off for 60 mins and come back on to help conserve energy.

THESE UNITS WILL SHUT DOWN FOR 60MINS IN A 24 HOUR PERIOD
WEST BUILDING UNITS

	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON
WAC1	12M	2AM	9PM	11PM		
WAC2	2AM	4AM	7PM	9PM		
WAC3	7AM	8AM	10PM	11PM		
WAC4	3AM	4AM	6PM	7PM		
WAC6		945AM	5PM			
WAC7	DOESN'T SHUT DOWN					
WAC12	4AM	5AM	8AM	9AM		
WAC13	1AM	3AM	9AM	10AM		
WAC14	5AM	6AM	8PM	9PM		
WAC15	7AM	8AM	10PM	11PM		
WAC18	2AM	4AM	6PM	8PM		
WAC19	5AM	6AM	8PM	10PM		
WAC16	8AM	9AM	11PM	12M		
WAC8	DOESN'T SHUT DOWN..UNIT HAS EXHAUST HOODS					
WAC21	1AM	3AM	9AM	10AM		
WAC"X"	3AM	4AM	6PM	7PM		
WAC20	DOESN'T SHUT DOWN					
WAC21	1AM	3AM	9AM	10AM		
WAC22	DOESN'T SHUT DOWN					
WAC26	DOESN'T SHUT DOWN..UNIT HAS A SPRAY BOOTH					

EAST BUILDING UNITS

EAC1	12M	2AM	8AM	9AM
EAC2	3AM	4AM	7PM	8PM
EAC3	DOESN'T SHUT DOWN			
EAC4	4AM	5AM	7PM	9PM
EAC5	1AM	2AM	9AM	10AM
EAC6		6AM	5PM	
EAC7	2AM	3AM	5PM	6PM
EAC8	DOESN'T SHUT DOWN			
EAC10	8AM	9AM	11PM	12AM
EAC12	12M	1AM	9AM	10AM
EAC9	5AM	6AM	10PM	11PM
EAC13	12AM	6AM	7AM	8AM
EAC14	7AM	8AM	11PM	12M
EAC21	7AM	8AM	11PM	12M

EAST BUILDING CON'T

EAC22	DOESN'T SHUT DOWN			
EAC23	5AM	6AM	9PM	10PM
EAC31	4AM	5AM	7PM	8PM
EAC20		12AM	6PM	7PM
EAC11	7AM	8AM	10PM	11PM
EAC27	3AM	4AM	7PM	9PM
EAC24	4AM	5AM	8PM	10PM
EAC25	1AM	3AM	5PM	6PM
EAC26	6AM	7AM	10PM	11PM
EAC28	2AM	4AM	7PM	9PM
EAC32	12AM	6AM	7AM	9PM
EAC33		6AM	6PM	
EAC34		6AM	6PM	
EAC35	5AM	6AM	8PM	9PM
EAC36	12M	1AM	6PM	7PM
EAC30	3AM	4AM	6PM	7PM



Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Use Daylighting Where Possible



Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Convert Lights to Lower Energy Use Lights



Incandescent



Fluorescent



LEDs



Improvements with Fluorescents



**Replaced 93 T-8's
with 45 new T5's**

**Put lights on BAS
schedule &
added motion sensors**



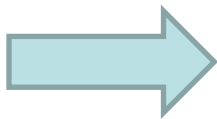
Use Available Technology



New Gallery Lights

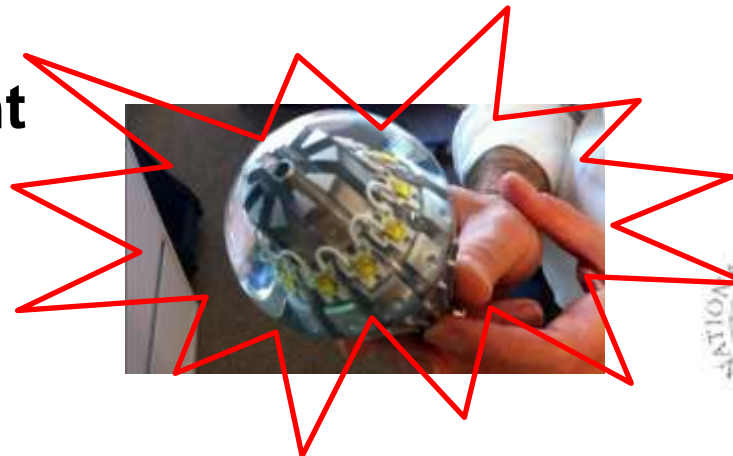
- 90W → 19.5W
- No visible light differences
- 41-year life
- Temperature drop ~3-degrees
- ~4-year payback (getting better)

COTS



High Tech Light

- Full light spectrum
- No LED “droop”
- Minimal heat
- UL listed
- 1/4 wattage of LED



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Fruit: Add Metering and Sub-Metering



**BAS Sensors
(T/RH/Pressure)**



Chilled Water Sub-Meter



Air Flow Meter



**Electricity Meters
& Sub-Meters**



**Water Meter
& Sub-Meters**



Building Automation System



- ❖ Proprietary system since 1990's
- ❖ 2006 migration to "open system"
- ❖ Going wireless
- ❖ 51 major AHUs
- ❖ 116 digital controllers
- ❖ 10,000 total points
- ❖ 800 T/RH sensors
- ❖ Lighting controls
- ❖ Chiller plant control



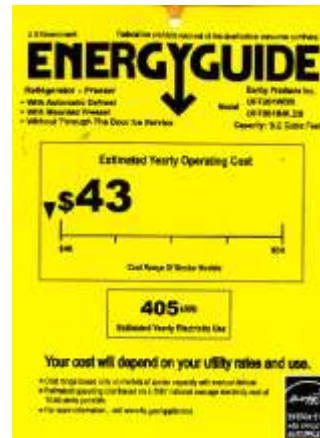
Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Buy Energy Efficient Equipment



Auto Duplex Print



Danby



DDRT113

Danby



The Perfect Fit

Danby's bottom mount refrigerator is compact and feature loaded. Boasting the original Energy Star designator, up to 11 glass shelves, 2 glass vegetable crisper, and a frozen storage basket, this model is sure to fit all your needs. At just under 66 inches tall and less than 24 inches wide, the compact design of the DDRT113 is ideal for apartments, condos or as a secondary refrigerator.



<http://www.danby.com/products/DDRT113>

BOTTOM MOUNT REFRIGERATOR | DDRT113

Features:

- 5.2 cu. ft. GRT (Glass Refrigerator Technology) Bottom Mount Refrigerator
- Energy Star Certified
- Frost-free operation, guaranteed 10-year warranty
- 11 glass shelves, 2 glass vegetable crisper and 1 frozen storage basket
- Compact design, 24 inches wide, 66 inches tall
- Dual temperature control with glass cover
- 2 reversible glass doors, 32 interior storage compartments
- 3 interior drawers included



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Learn from Others Within Your Industry



Fruit: Benchmark Against Other Like Facilities



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(IFMA)*

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(AAM)*



Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Schedule Work During Regular Shift Hours



Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Use New Sustainable Technology in Daily Business



Low & No VOC Paints



Re-Using What We Have



Timers on Irrigation systems



Motion Sensors



Green cleaning

Green seal certified



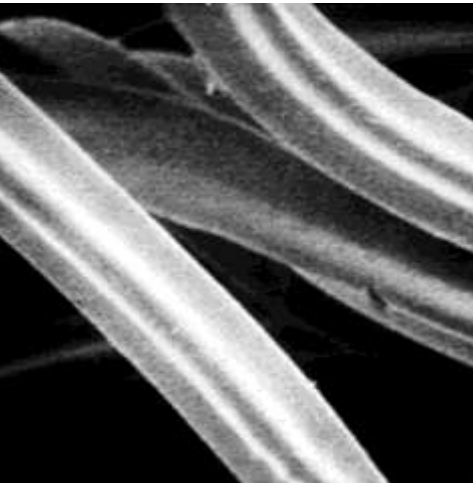
EPA Design for Environment



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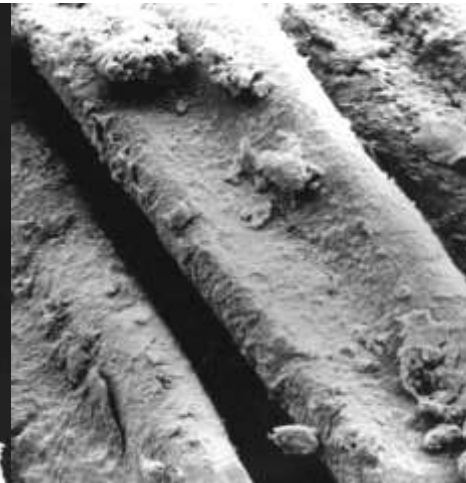
Different Cleaning Systems = Different Carpet “Life”



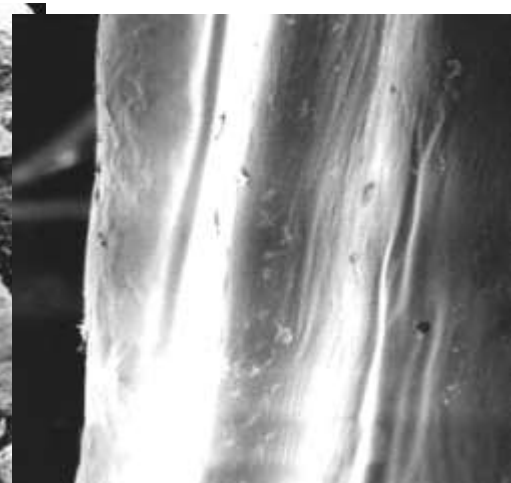
New Carpet Fiber



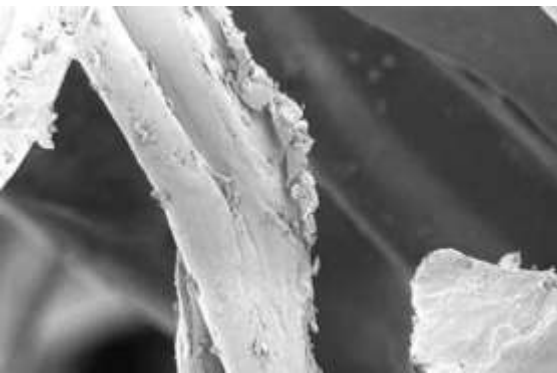
New Carpet Fiber
After **Wet Extraction**
Cleaning



New Carpet Fiber
After **Spin Bonnet**
Cleaning



New Carpet Fiber
After Sustainable
Carpet Cleaning



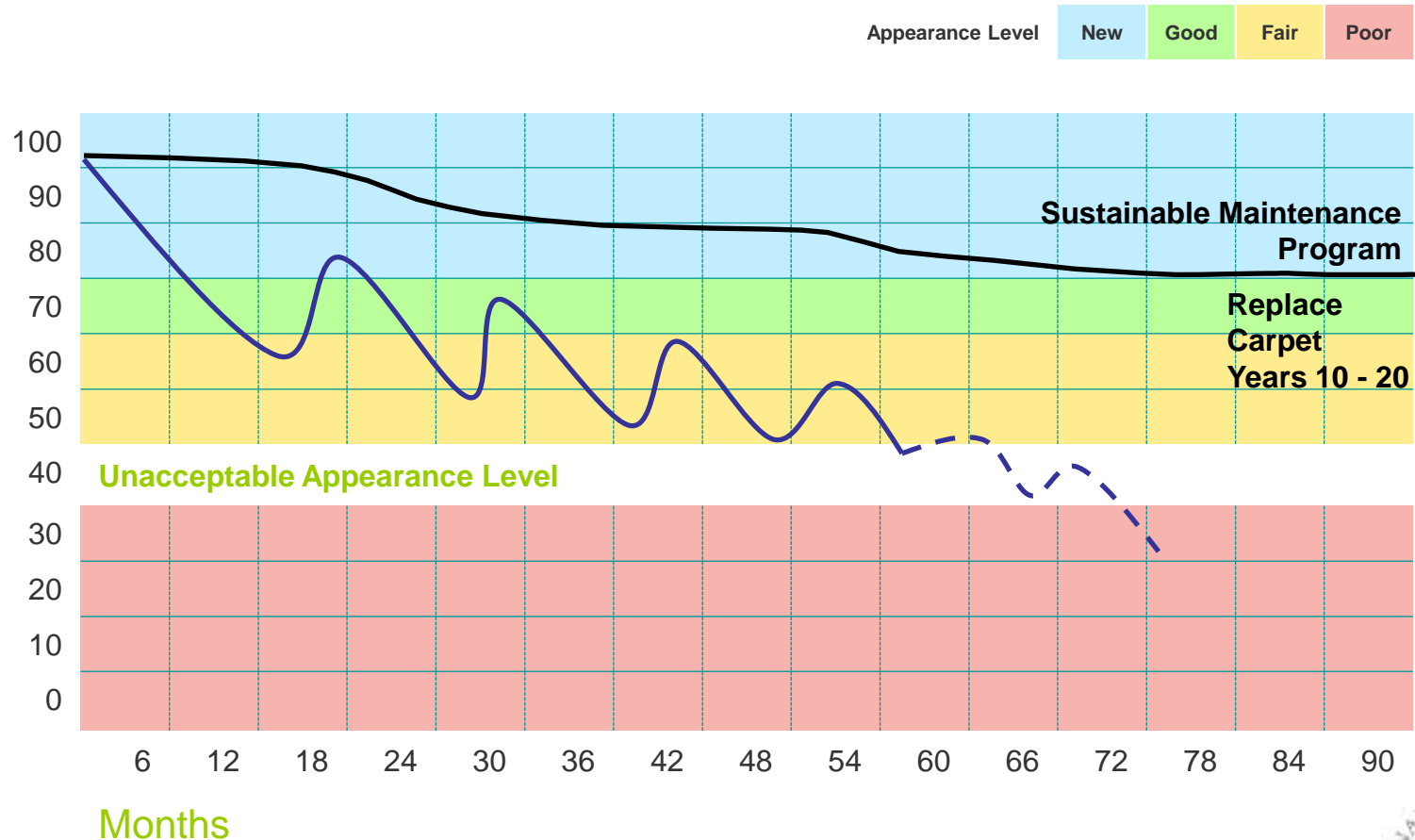
New Carpet Fiber
Crystalline Cleaning



Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Proper Maintenance Extends the Life of Carpet



Reduces Landfill Waste AND saves money!!!!



Keep up with Training and Technology



Fruit: Look for Free or Inexpensive Training



Webinars



**Local Training
& Conferences**



Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Network with Others in Profession



Meeting Federal Mandates



EO 13423

- **30% reduction in energy consumption by 2015**

EO 13514

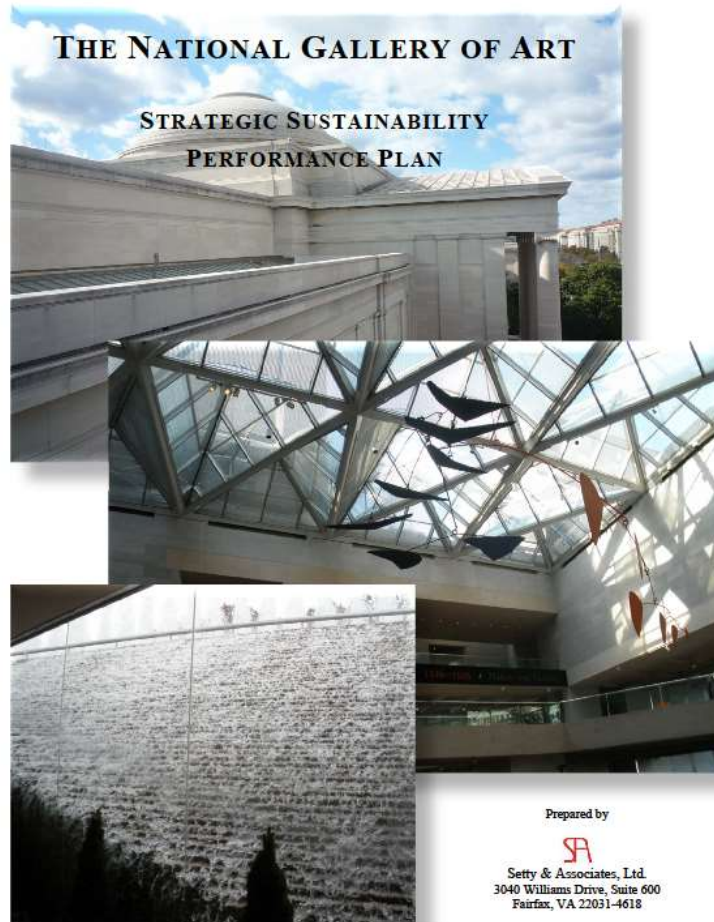
- **28% reduction in GHG building emissions by 2020**



Develop a Plan of Action



Fruit: Use Subject Matter Experts



“20/20 by 2020”

20% reduction in
energy consumption

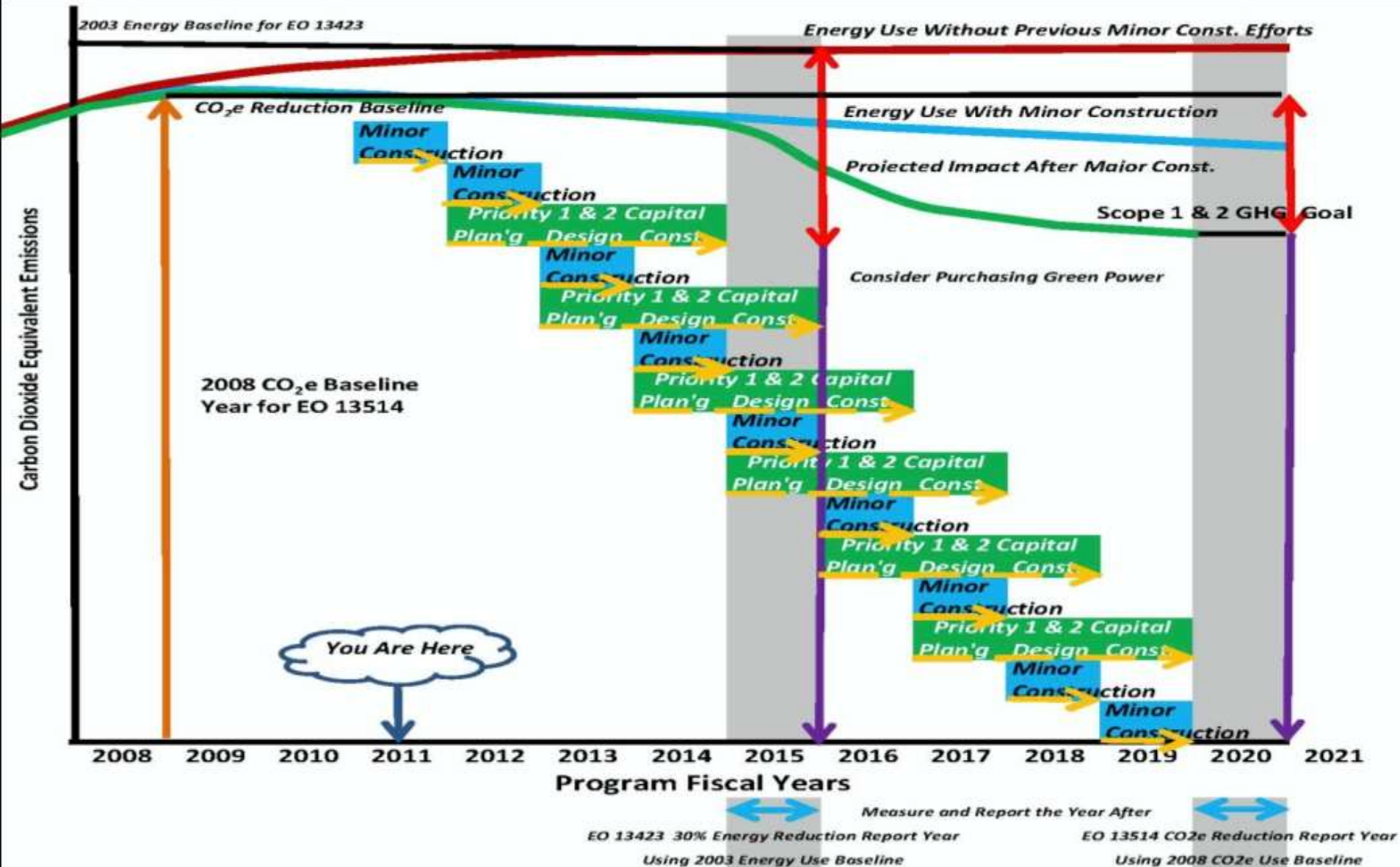
20% reduction in
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Work Within Budget System & Constraints



Understand the Big Picture

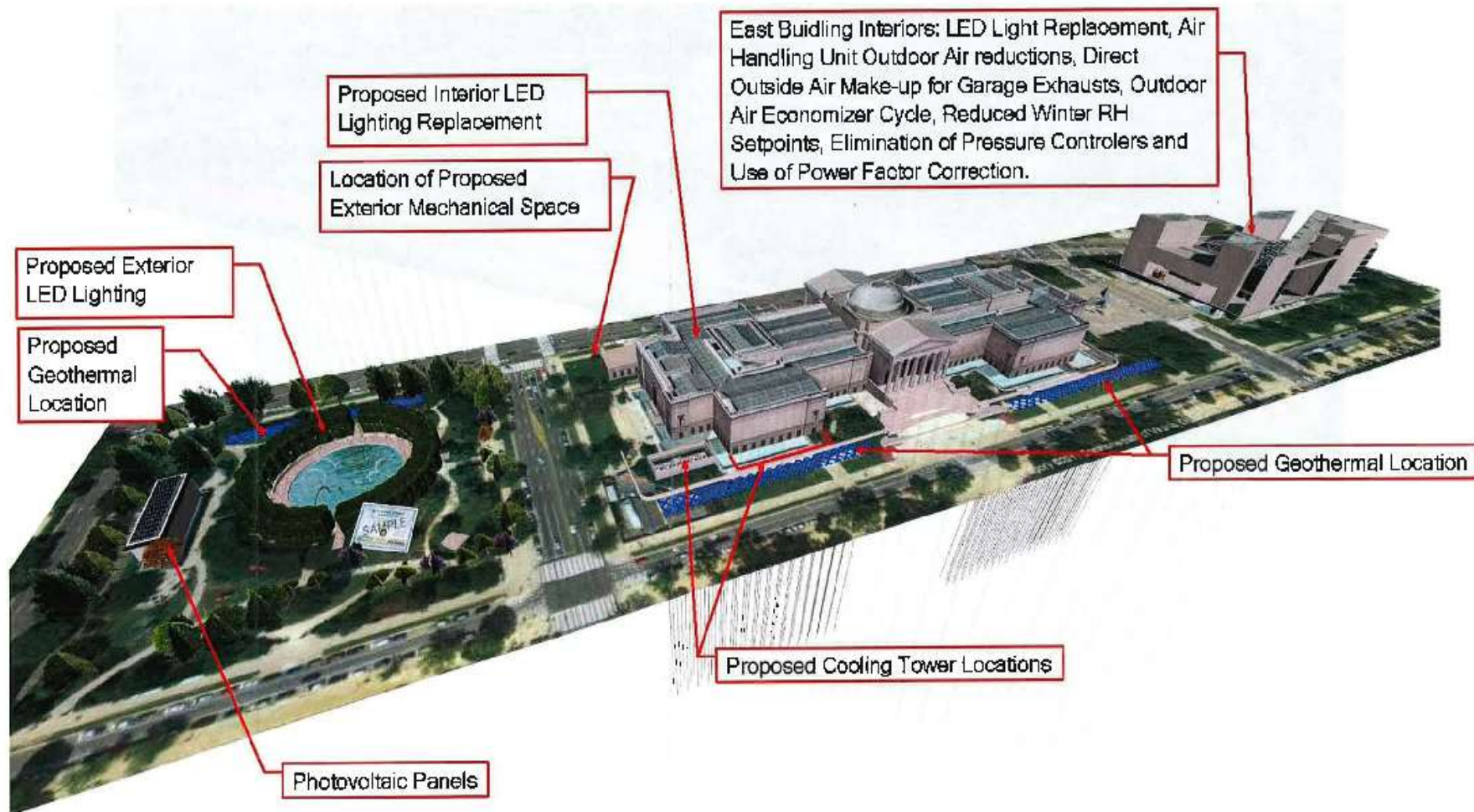


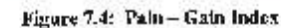
THE NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

STRATEGIC SUSTAINABILITY PERFORMANCE PLAN

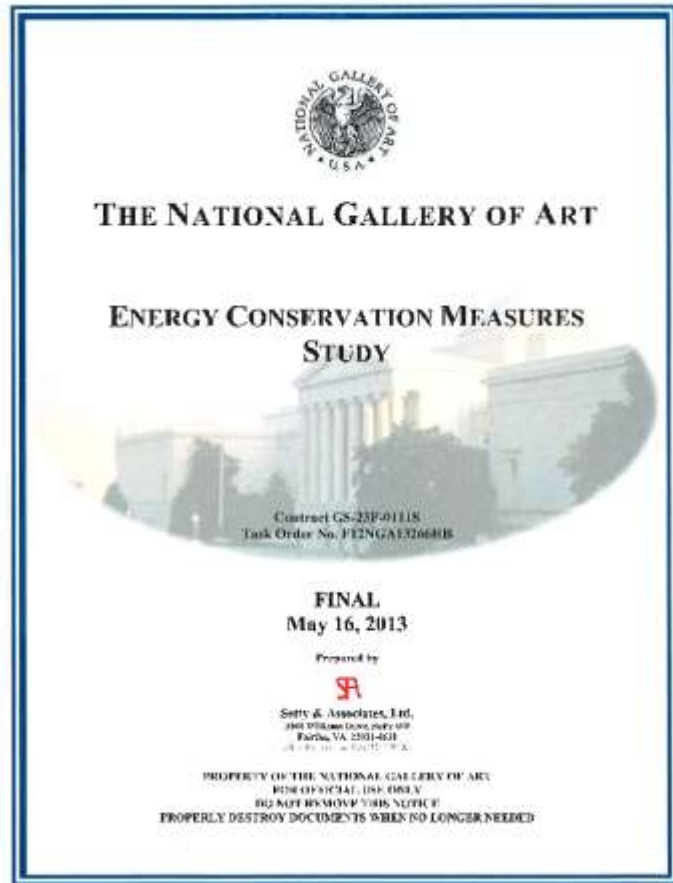
FINAL SUBMISSION

C.15.8 Whole Complex Perspective





Design and Develop Energy Conservation Measures



1. Sculpture Garden Pavilion
2. Gallery Lighting Retrofit
3. Continuous Commissioning (CCX)
4. Cascades Café – EAC 33 and EAC 34 Renovations
5. Air Filtration Retrofit
6. Steam Metering
7. Power Shaver



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Don't Be Afraid to Reach for the High Fruit



Adding a 4th Heat Exchanger and De-Rating a 3rd



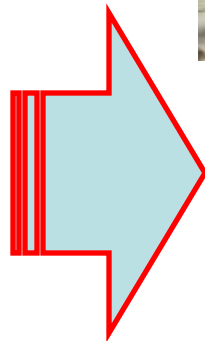
6,000 gpm -
3,500 gpm



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3,500 gpm



3,500 gpm -
2,500 gpm



2,500 gpm -
1,000 gpm

SEQUENCE
10,500 gpm
7,000 gpm
3,500 gpm

SEQUENCE
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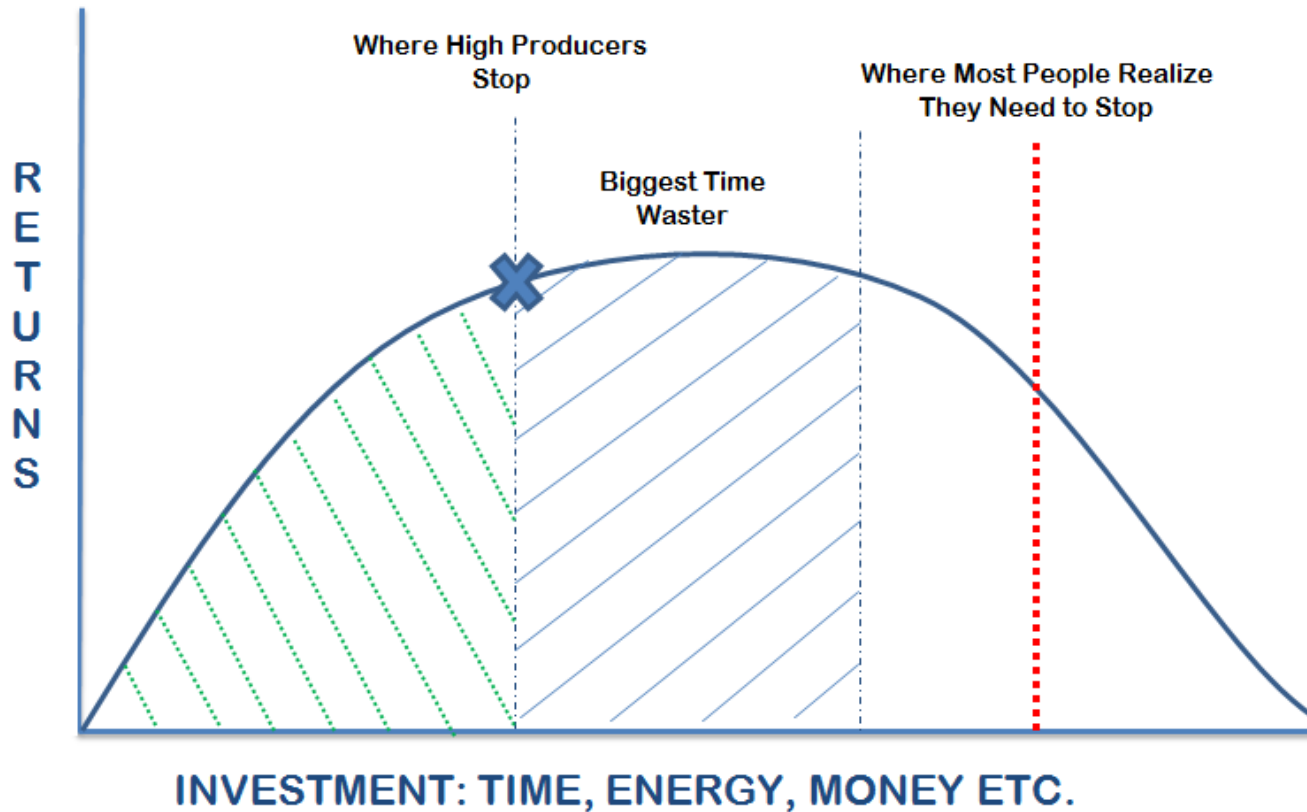
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Know When to Stop Reaching



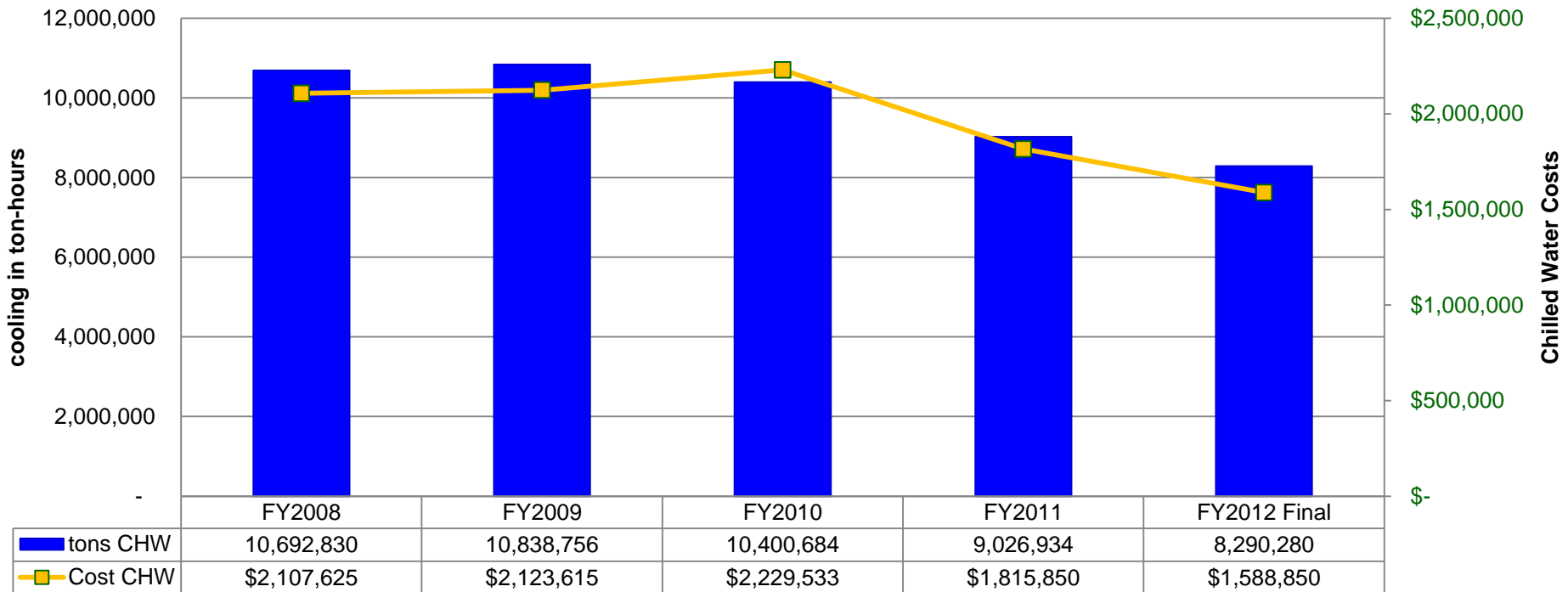
Law of Diminishing Returns



Measure and Trend Results



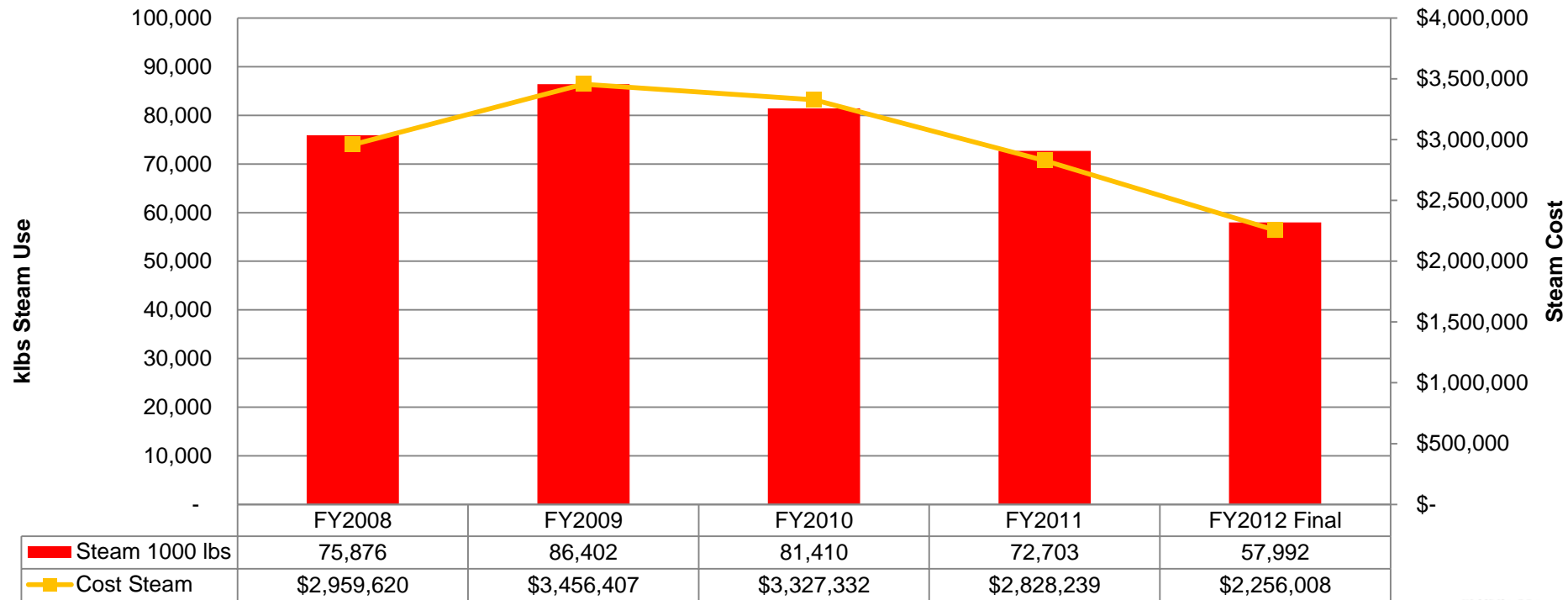
Chilled Water Consumption and Cost by FY



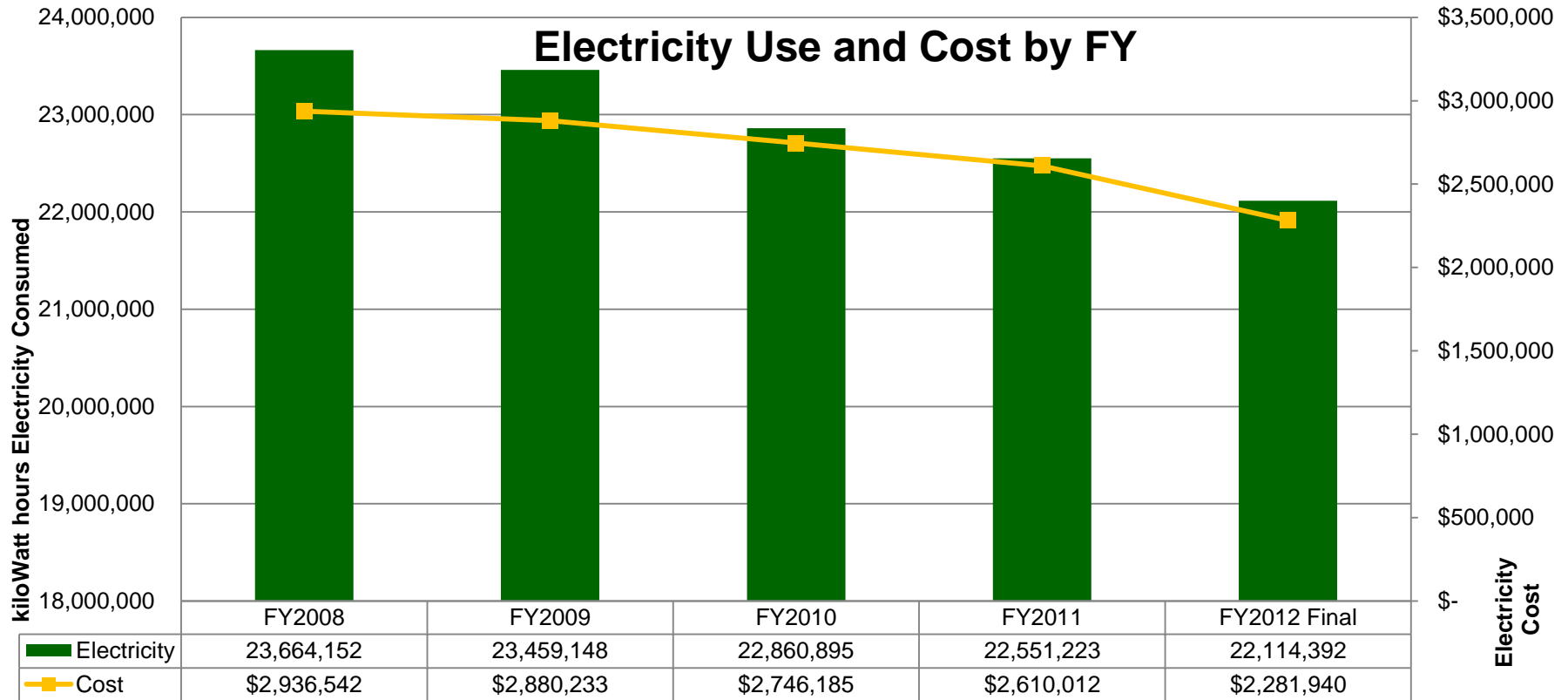
Measure and Trend Results



Steam Use and Cost by FY



Measure and Trend Results

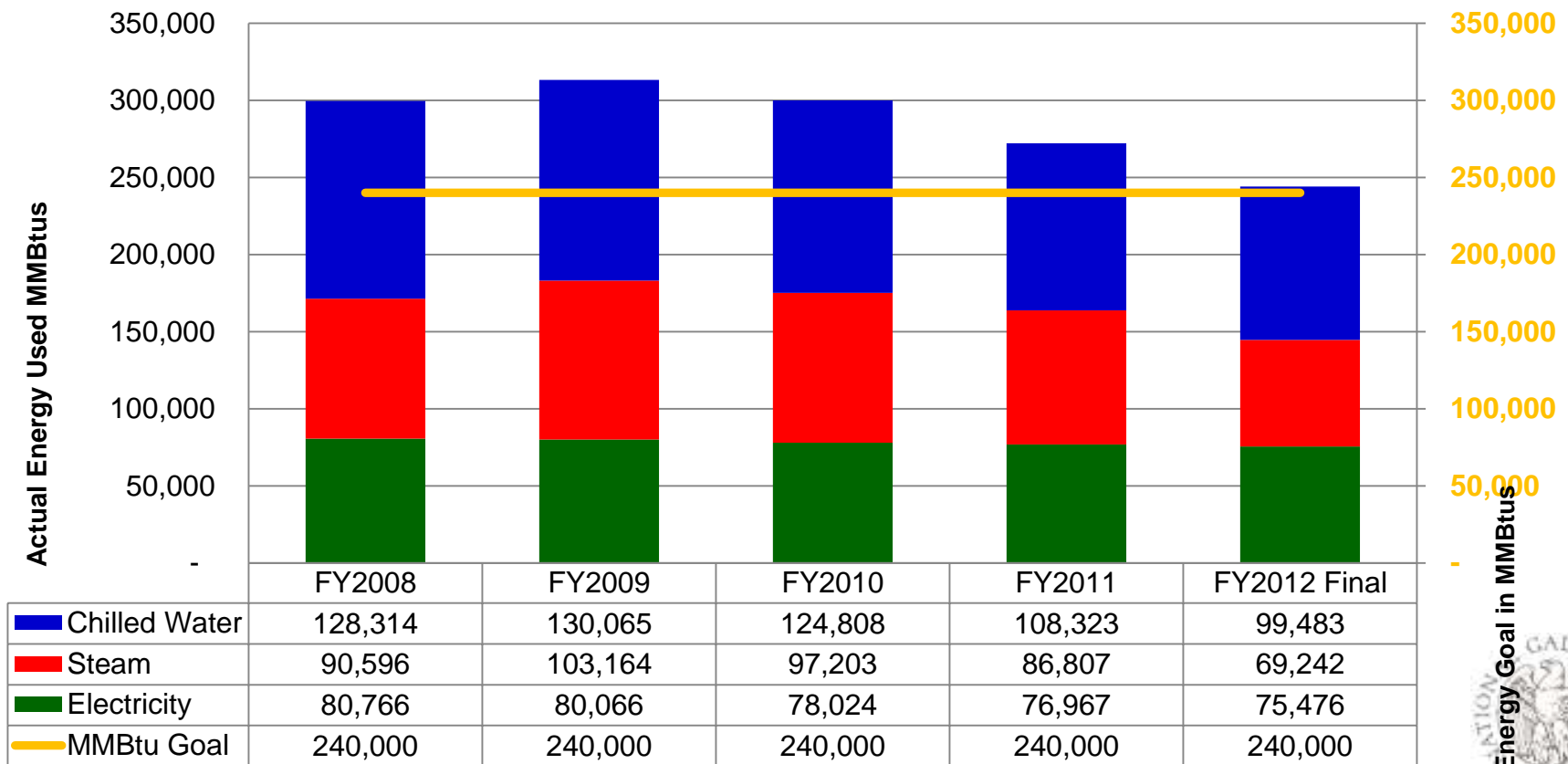


Determine if Reaching Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Track Success with KPI's

NGA Energy Use by Fiscal Year in MMBtus

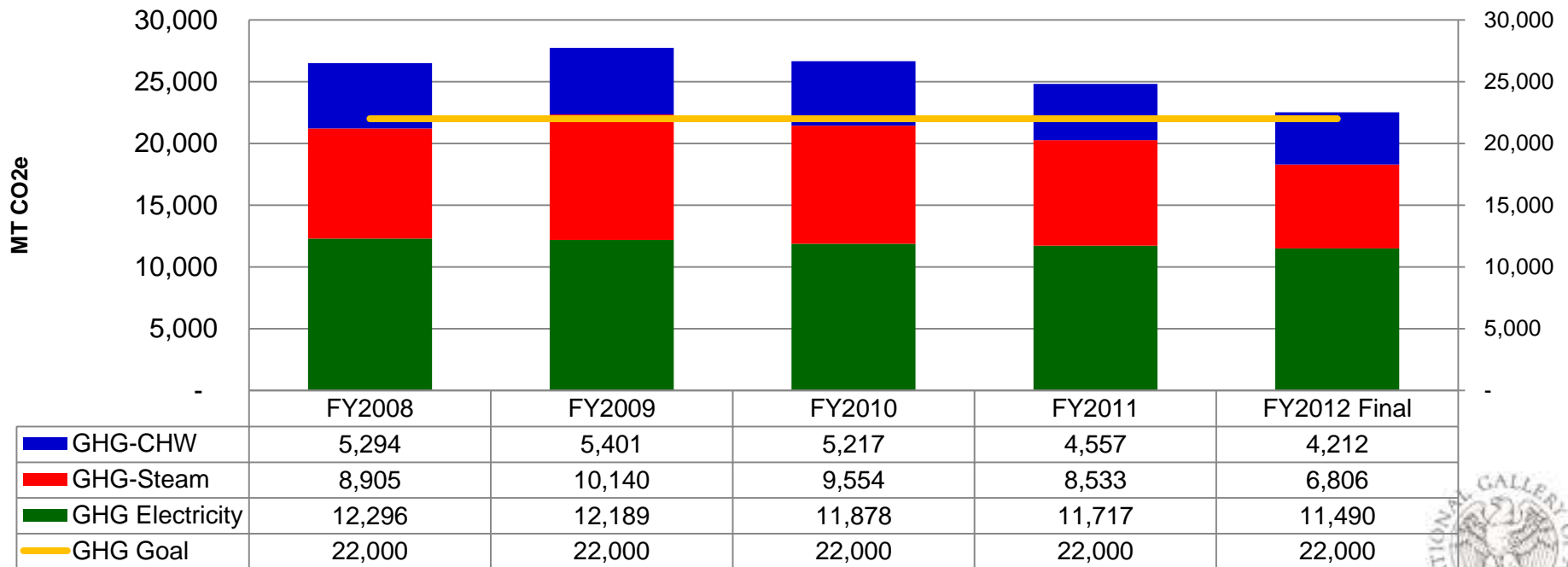


Determine if Reaching Energy Costs Targets



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NGA Greenhouse Gas Emissions in Metric Tons Carbon Dioxide equivalents (MT CO₂e): Goal - 20% Reduction by 2020



Measure Against Similar Agencies



NGA		FY2010 OMB Scorecard on Sustainability/Energy	
	Scope 1&2 GHG Emission Reduction Target Submitted comprehensive inventory as 2005 baseline for Scope 1&2 GHG Reduction		Score: G
	Scope 3 GHG Emission Reduction Target Submitted comprehensive inventory as 2005 baseline for Scope 3 GHG Reduction Target		Score: G
	Reduction in Energy Intensity Reduction in energy intensity in goal-subject facilities compared with 2005.		Score: G
	Use of Renewable Energy Use of renewable energy as a percent of facility electricity use:		Score: G
	Reduction in Potable Water Intensity Reduction in potable water intensity compared with 2005.		Score: G
	Reduction in Fleet Petroleum Use Reduction in fleet petroleum use compared to 2005.		Score: G
	Green Buildings Sustainable green buildings.		Score: G

SAMPLE

Standards for Success — Red Standard, Yellow Standard, Green Standard			
Scope 1&2 GHG Emission Reduction Target		GREEN: Developed a base year and a complete, comprehensive 2010 GHG inventory for Scope 1&2 and submitted to CIO and OMB by 10/1/10.	
		YELLOW: Developed a base year and 2010 GHG inventory for Scope 1&2 but was unable to deliver a completed inventory on time to CIO and OMB.	
		RED: Did not develop a base year and 2010 GHG inventory for Scope 1&2.	
Scope 3 GHG Emission Reduction Target		GREEN: Developed a base year and a complete, comprehensive 2010 GHG inventory for Scope 3 and submitted to CIO and OMB by 10/1/11.	
		YELLOW: Developed a base year and 2010 GHG inventory for Scope 3 but was unable to deliver a completed inventory on time to CIO and OMB.	
		RED: Did not develop a base year and 2010 GHG inventory for Scope 3.	
Reduction in Energy Intensity		GREEN: Reduced energy intensity (Btu/C\$F) in USA goal-subject facilities by at least 10 percent compared with 2005 and is on track for 20 percent reduction by 2015.	
		YELLOW: Reduced energy intensity (Btu/C\$F) in USA goal-subject facilities by at least 10 percent compared with 2005.	
		RED: Did not reduce energy intensity (Btu/C\$F) in USA goal-subject facilities by at least 10 percent compared with 2005.	
Use of Renewable Energy		GREEN: Use of at least 1 percent electricity from renewable sources as a percentage of facility electricity use. At least 1.5 percent of facility electricity can come from non-renewable (just 2005). (Thermal and mechanical renewable can be included in the 1.5 percent non-renewable, but not the 1 percent goal. i.e., an agency meets all non-renewable requirements with thermal or mechanical energy (1.5 percent), but would still need an additional 1 percent from renewable electricity sources.)	
		YELLOW: Use of at least 1 percent renewable energy from electric, thermal or mechanical sources in power facilities and equipment, but less than half was obtained from non-renewable (just 2005) or part of the requirement was met with thermal and mechanical renewable energy.	
		RED: Did not use at least 1 percent renewable energy from electric, thermal or mechanical sources in power facilities and equipment.	
Reduction in Potable Water Intensity		GREEN: Reduced water intensity by at least 8 percent from final approved 2007 baseline and is on track for 20 percent reduction by 2015.	
		YELLOW: Reduced water intensity by at least 8 percent from final approved 2007 baseline.	
		RED: Did not reduce water intensity by at least 8 percent from final approved 2007 baseline.	
Reduction in Fleet Petroleum Use		GREEN: Achieved a 10 percent reduction in petroleum use in its entire vehicle fleet compared to 2005 and is on track for 20 percent reduction by 2015.	
		YELLOW: Achieved at least 8 percent reduction in petroleum use in its entire vehicle fleet compared to 2005.	
		RED: Did not achieve at least 8 percent reduction in petroleum use in its entire vehicle fleet since 2005.	
Green Buildings		GREEN: Demonstrates implementation of Guiding Principles for Federal Leadership in High Performance and Sustainable Buildings (GP) for new, existing and leased buildings, and is on track to meet 20% goal by 2015 by reporting that at least 10% of buildings in USG C\$F meet GP as reported in the Federal Real Property Profile (FRPP).	
		YELLOW: Incorporates Guiding Principles into all new design contracts for construction, major renovations and leases and at least 5 percent of C\$F at its building inventory meet USG C\$F goals GP as reported in FRPP.	
		RED: Cannot demonstrate compliance with GP on new construction, major renovations, or leases and/or less than 5 percent of building inventory, either by number of buildings or C\$F, meet USG C\$F goals GP as reported in FRPP.	

*C\$F — Green Square Rating



Best Practices to Meet Mission and Energy Costs Targets



Fruit: Spread the Good News



Topic: Recycling at the National Gallery of Art

Date: March 6, 2012

Reduce, Reuse & Recycle

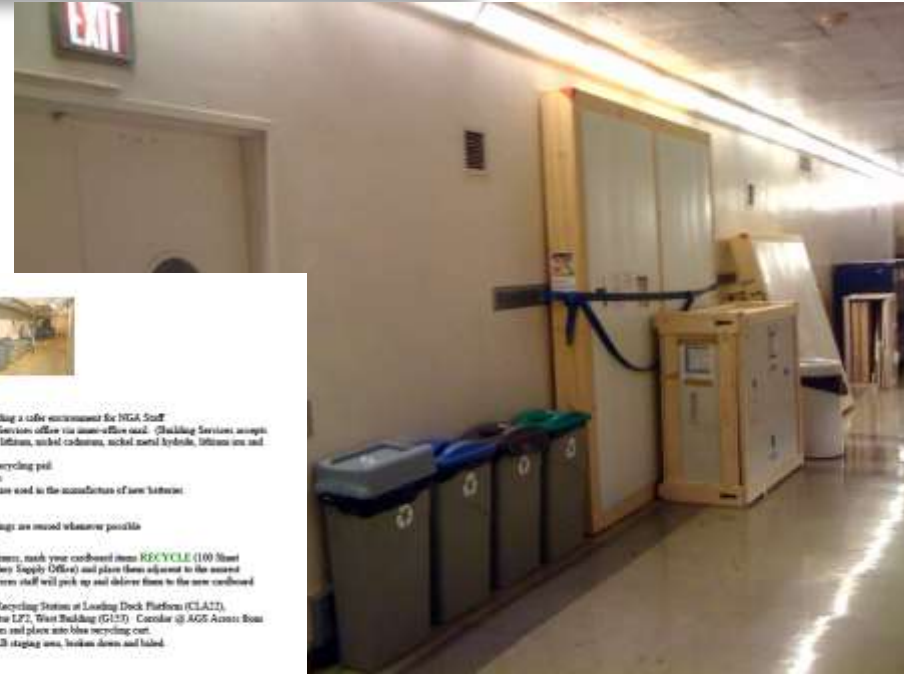
Recycling opportunities (see reverse for more details):

- ❖ Batteries – alkaline, nickel cadmium, and more
- ❖ Building materials – doors, sinks, toilets, etc.
- ❖ Cardboard, including corrugated
- ❖ Construction materials – construction, demolition, renovation
- ❖ Containers – aluminum cans, glass and plastic bottles, food containers
- ❖ Cooking oil
- ❖ Electronics
- ❖ Florescent lamps – CFL, tubes
- ❖ Metal – scrap
- ❖ Paper – glossy, brochures, newsprint, copier paper – all paper
- ❖ Plastics – acrylic sheeting, ABS, nylon, polyethylene sheeting
- ❖ Toner cartridges
- ❖ Wood – scrap, pallets

- The Gallery currently recycles batteries, cardboard, containers (plastic and glass), florescent lamps and paper.

Note: All types of paper are recyclable; this includes brochures, maps, color and white.

- Food Service contractors recycle cardboard, containers and cooking oil.
- Reuse building materials as appropriate.
- Recycling of construction materials is stipulated and included in AAE and AFM contracts.
- The Gallery will occasionally recycle Metal and Wood based on volume.



Details of Current Recycling Efforts at NGA:

Batteries

- Recycling batteries has the important benefit of providing a safer environment for NGA Staff.
- Gallery staff sends used batteries to the Building Services office via same-office mail. (Building Services accepts the following types of batteries: alkaline, primary lithium, nickel cadmium, nickel metal hydride, lithium ion, and small sealed lead acid batteries)
- Building Services staff places batteries into 55 lb recycling pail.
- Filled recycling pail is mailed to Battery Solutions.
- Battery Solutions sorts batteries; useful materials are used in the manufacture of new batteries.

Building materials

- Architectural components and fixtures of the buildings are reused whenever possible.

Cardboard

- From your ER, WB or CL office: At close of business, stack your cardboard items RECYCLE (100) Street "RECYCLE" tables are now available at the Gallery Supply Office) and place them adjacent to the nearest elevator without blocking entrance. Building Services staff will pick up and deliver items to the new cardboard bins and the procedure.
- Or take your cardboard to the nearest Cardboard Recycling Station at Loading Dock Platform (CLA27), CL Room (CLB7) – adjacent to Freight Elevator L27, West Building (G137) Circular @ AGS Access from the trash compactors enclosures. Break down boxes and place into blue recycling cart.
- Cardboard collected by AFM-BD, delivered to CLB staging area, broken down and baled.

Construction materials

- Continue to include in AFM & AAE contracts.

Cooking Oil: Restaurant Associates (RA) – Gallery Restaurants

- Used cooking oil is collected in containers by RA Staff and taken to the CLB RA cove each night.
- RA's vendor, Valley Province Co. Inc., collects the used cooking oil once a week. Used oil is refined and reused.

Glass and Plastic Containers & Pumps

- Items are deposited by Gallery staff at three recycling stations: WDC162 (Lounge), ERB330 (EPF, 465 Lobby), CLA27 (Vending @ AGP), CLB16 (Vending @ McDonalds).
- Building Services empties containers and transports items to CLB area for staging.
- Restaurant Associates separates glass and plastic bottles at tray return area, put in plastic bags and take to CLB staging area.
- All paper is recyclable. White paper (copier/printers) collected by Gallery staff in small office boxes and dropped into large printer station boxes. Building Services staff empties printer station boxes and transports paper to CLB cove for staging.
- Georgetown Paper Stock Co. picks up collected materials once a week.

Florescent Lamps

- Recycling fluorescent lamps has the important benefit of providing a safer environment for NGA Staff.

- AFM Electric Shop repackages used fluorescent tubes in old boxes.
- Electric Shop transports packaged lamps to CLA1 (Garage Storage Room).
- AFM Vendor (Ray Lighting), picks up old lamps and recycles them.

Acrylics – Plaster

- Conservation initiated acrylic recycling with their vendor. DCL and DED participate.

Guest Services Informational/GSD, Sculpture Garden Pavilion

- Contract stipulates recycling of containers and cardboard. These items are collected and picked up by GRT's vendor.



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Fruit: Track Success With KPI's

Fruit: Add Metering and Sub-Metering

Fruit: Alignment of Vision, Mission, and Goals

Fruit: Look for Free or Inexpensive Training

Fruit: Convert Lights to Lower Energy Use Lights

Fruit: Establish a Sustainability Office

Fruit: Use Subject Matter Experts

Fruit: Align HVAC Use With Occupancy

Fruit: Use Daylighting Where Possible

Fruit: Schedule Work During Regular Shift Hours

Fruit: Conduct Regular Energy Audits to Check the Condition and Efficiency of Your Equipment

Fruit: Use New Sustainable Technology in Daily Business

Fruit: Know Where You Are Spending in Your Facilities

Fruit: Benchmark Against Other Like Facilities

Fruit: Good Communications Between Gallery Staffs

Fruit: Buy Energy Efficient Equipment

Network with Others in Profession

Fruit: Be Creative with HVAC Schedules

Fruit: Spread the Good News

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Thank you!

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