

Top Customer Engagement Tools for Utilities



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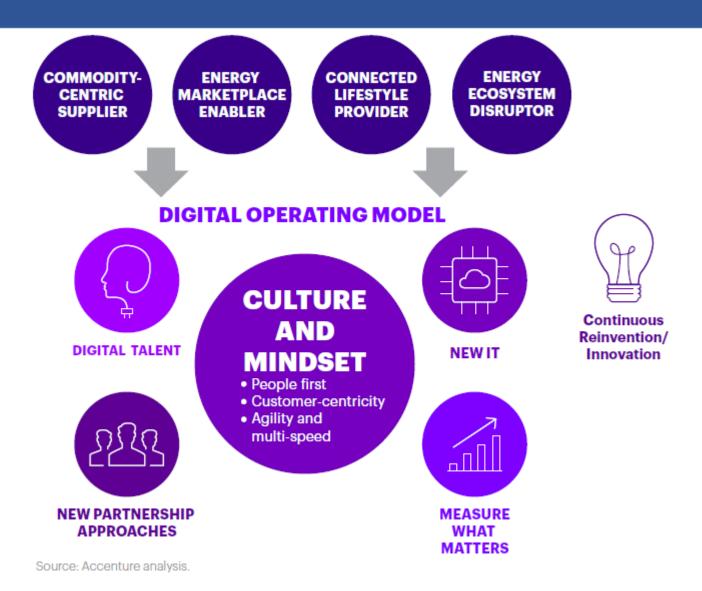
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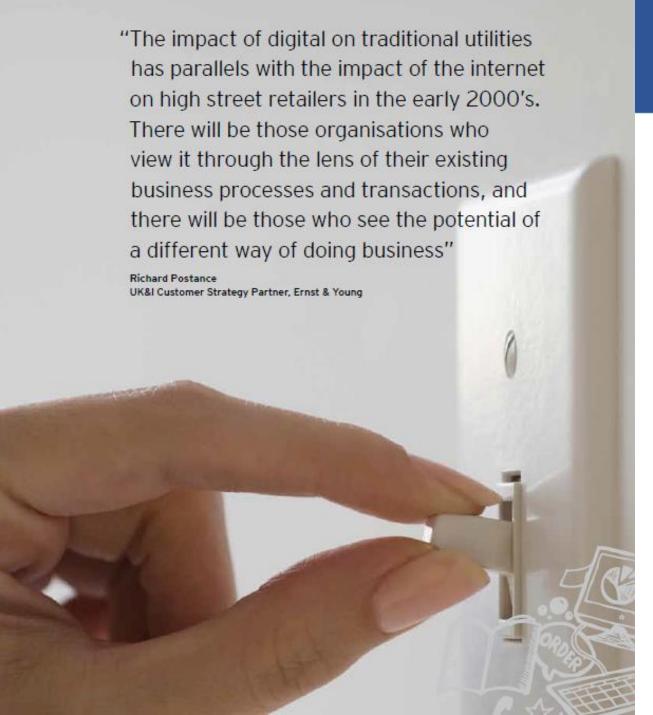
Industry Trends

"A RELENTLESS FOCUS ON THE FUTURE"

Customer expectations are now liquid, and challenging energy providers to keep pace with standards set in other industries. In this era of the digitalization of everything, and of hyperrelevant personalization, a relentless obsession with customers is no longer an option. It's a must.

Accenture Consulting New Energy Consumer: New Paths to Operating Agility





A different way of doing business

"...digital technology, and the changes in consumer behavior and expectations which accompany it, coupled with increased regulatory pressures, are set to change that business in fundamental ways.

- Utilities have the chance to re-invent themselves
- Energy suppliers need to gain customers confidence
- Community-based customer care, provided through digital technology

Ernst & Young: A different way of doing business: Digital in utilities

Forbes 2018 Trends in Digital Marketing

Relevant to utilities...

True Understanding of the Customer Journey: Using data to understand customers better

Live / Interactive Video: Increase communications channel

Conversational User Interfaces: Amazon Alexa... changing way we interact with customers – Google – 20% of Searches are Mobile Voice

Video Marketing: "Video is becoming the most popular and influential form of digital content"... "if done right." (Mark Zuckerberg, Video is a Mega Trend" likely to be 82% of internet traffic by 2020)

Personalization: Attention is currency. Non personalized marketing is going the way of the fax machine

Predictive Algorithms: Al, Machine Learning

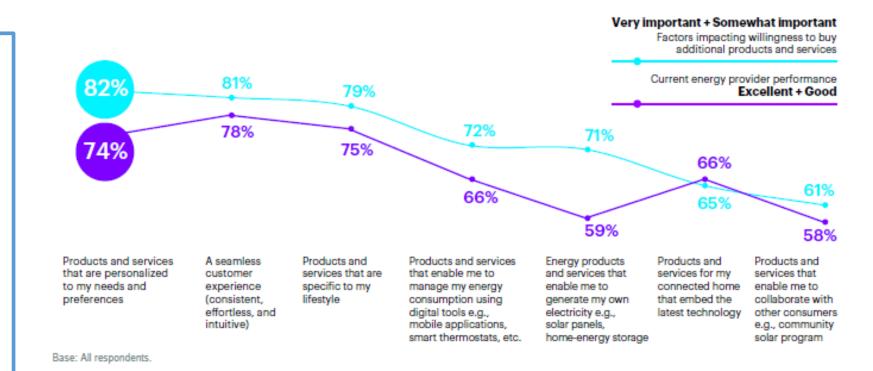


Dec. 18, 2017 Forbes: How Digital Marketing Will Change is 2018: 15 Top Trends



Encourage Digital Engagement

- Get personal
- Delight customers
- Use gamification
- Embrace innovation
- Make it easy
- Educate customers
- Train agents



Source: The New Energy Consumer research program, 2017 consumer survey.

NEW ENERGY CONSUMER NEW PATHS TO OPERATING AGILITY

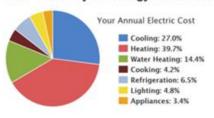
Get Personal

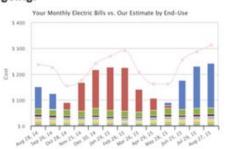
Your 2016 Year-End Summary

Dear Barbara Berry,

As a registered attendee of the 2016 EMACS Conference, Apogee Interactive has prepared this customized energy summary report for you. Email info@apogee.net to learn more about how Apogee Interactive provides advanced tools that help utilities engage residential and commercial customers.

Here's where your energy dollars are going:





Here are some easy tips and recommendations to lower your energy costs in your home:

- Set your thermostat at 78"F in the summer and 68"F in the winter and leave it alone. With each degree decrease on your thermostat in the winter and increase in the summer, you can immediately realize a 3 to 4 percent decrease in energy use.
- Install and preset an ENERGY STAR® programmable thermostat to automatically reduce energy usage when you are away or sleeping. Constantly changing the temperature causes your system to work harder.
- Turn down your water heater thermostat. A setting of 120°F is fine for most homes.
- Take quick showers instead of baths. This greatly reduces the amount of hot water used.
- Use ENERGY STAR® qualified compact fluorescent light bulbs (CFL) or LED light bulbs. They use threequarters less electricity, generate 75 percent less heat and last up to 10 times longer than standard incandescent lighting.

My Account

Track your Daily usage and sign up for alerts when your daily or monthly usage hits certain levels.

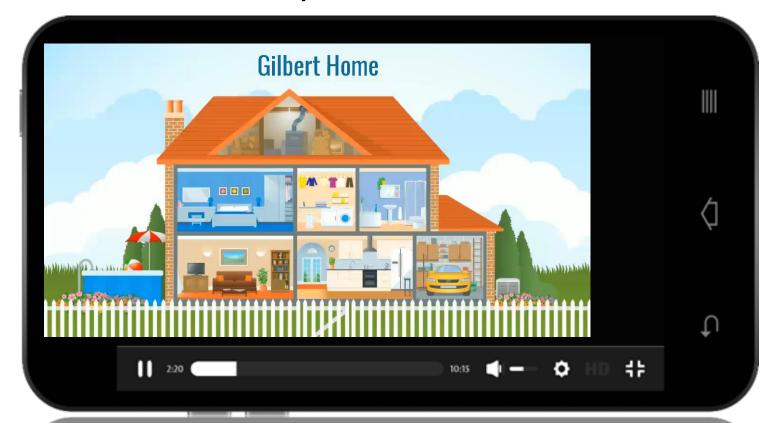
LOGIN NOW

Self-Service Energy Survey

For a more precise and personalized energy report, log in and give us details about your household.

CONDUCT SURVEY

- ✓ Satisfaction Up 16%
- ✓ = 100 pts. JD Power



Get Personal

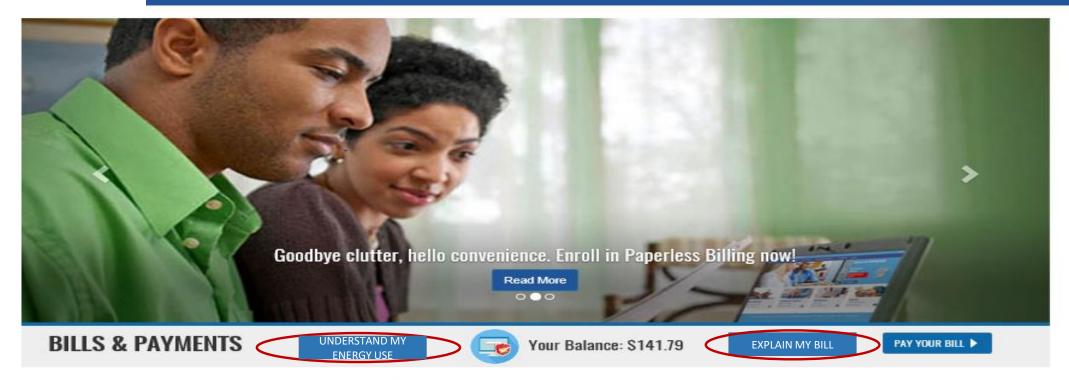
BILLS AND PAYMENTS

YOUR ACCOUNT

OUTAGES AND SAFETY

YOUR PROFILE

MESSAGE CENTER















46% Open Rates

30% Click-through

99% Positive feedback





- Mobile friendly
- Captures Profile Info
- Enables Relevant Messaging
- Facilitates Target Marketing
- Dollarized energy-saving recommendations
- Links to your programs, resulting in...



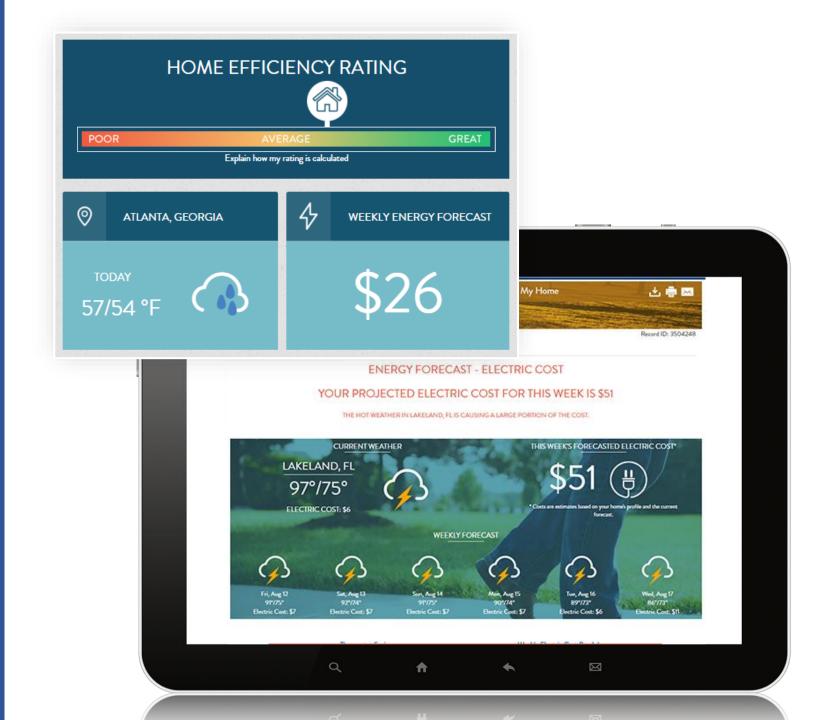


5x
increase in
program participation





Provides Home Rating
Forecasts Weather
Predicts Energy Cost...
While time to impact bill



Congratulations!

You have successfully conducted an online audit of your home. This personal summary report is based upon your unique evaluation. It estimates your electricity and fuel usage during the past year based on how you described your home in the home profile, your actual weather, and your utility's rates.

Summary of Your Home Inputs

Home	Home Type:	Medium House (160 Sqft.)	0-3500
Occupants	People in the home:	4	
Cars	Gas / Diesel Electric	Miles Per Day Miles PerGallo Miles Per Day Percent Charg	Save
Insulation	Insulation Type:	Some Insulation	\$50
Heating and Cooling	Heating and Cooling Type:	Heat Pump	pery
Comfort Settings	Heat Setting: Cool Setting:	71°F 73°F	Save
Water Heater	Water Heater Type:	Electric Water	То
Appliances	Refrigerators: Freezers: Clothes Washer: Clothes Dryer: Cooking Type: Dishwasher: OxConcentrator	1 1 Electric Electric Electric Electric 1	Save To \$26
Lighting	Lighting Type:	Mix of CFL/L conventional	Save
Pools & Hot Tubs	Pool: Pool Heated By: Hot Tub:	Yes Heat Pump No	\$11 per y

Your Personal Savings Tips

Programmable Thermostats:

Your best money saving tip is using a programmable/SMART thermostat. It can save you as much as \$501 a year by holding 68°F for heating and 78°F for cooling when you are home and automatically setting to 55°F for heating and 85°F for cooling when you are away. Caution: Older heat pumps should only be adjusted by 2°F for heating to avoid triggering the emergency heat mode.

Save Up \$409

Save Up

\$501

per year

Cooling Setting:

If you raise your cooling setting from 73°F to 78°F, you could save as much as \$409 per year.

Save Up \$264

per year

per year

Insulation Upgrade:

Installing ceiling and floor insulation can save you up to \$264 a year.

Save Up \$110

per year

Cooling System Upgrade:

Replacing your cooling system with a new high efficiency heat pump can save you up to \$110 a year.

Save Up \$91

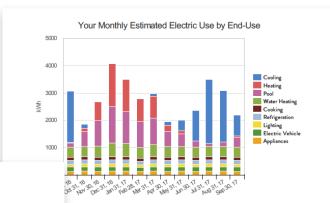
per year

Heating Setting:

If you lower your heating setting from 71°F to 68°F, you could save as much as \$91 per year.

Heating System Upgrade:

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Monthly Electric Use

142

5554

365 6947

Avg. Temp	Days	Cooling	Heating	Refrig.	Lights	ElectricVehicle	Cooking/ Dishwasher	Water Heating	Laundry	Other Appl.	Pool	Total
7L1 F	30	785	49	153	94	160	120	372	104	12	352	2199
76.6F	31	1903	0	159	97	165	124	380	107	12	158	3105
78.2 F	31	2365	0	159	97	165	124	380	107	12	106	3514
74.2 F	30	1122	0	153	94	160	120	368	104	12	238	2370
68.5 F	31	394	96	159	97	165	124	387	107	12	461	2002
65.0 F	30	153	208	153	94	160	120	384	104	12	574	1960
55.1F	31	83	807	159	97	165	124	446	107	12	974	2973
52.9F	28	0	841	143	88	149	112	391	97	11	955	2786
49.5 F	31	0	1187	159	97	165	124	476	107	12	1184	3510
451F	31	0	1547	159	97	165	124	504	107	12	1353	4068
55.7 F	30	0	700	15			Electric	Dill Co	mnorio			

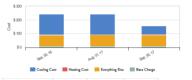
Electric Bill Comparison











		Last Year 09/30/16	Last Month 08/31/17	O9/30/17
	Avg. Temp	76.5°F	76.6°F	71.1°F
	Cost	\$254	\$258	\$185
	Days of Service	30	31	30

This application uses your local weather and energy rates. This is only an estimate of your actual energy use.

Delight Customers



Knowledge is power - use your energy wisely

Have you ever wondered what impacts your energy use at home the most? Or what changes might impact your electric bill?

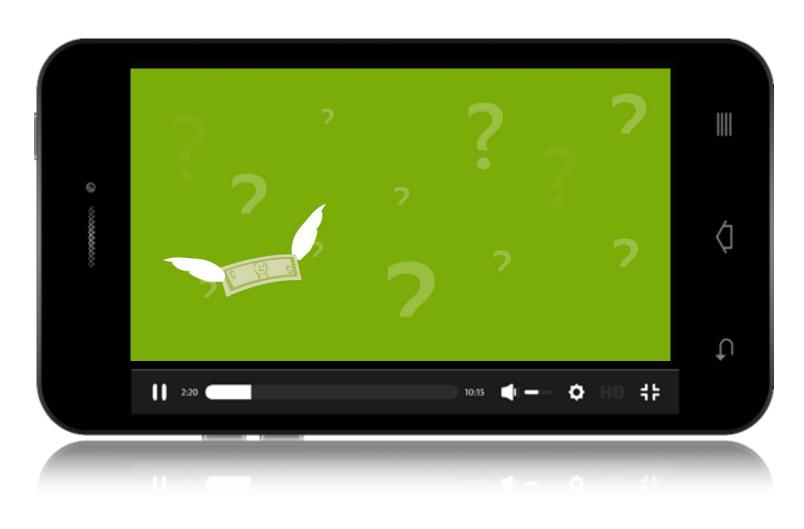
Check out this short video so you can see for yourself. Find out more in our Online Home Energy Audit along with other energy-saving tips that can help you use energy wisely.

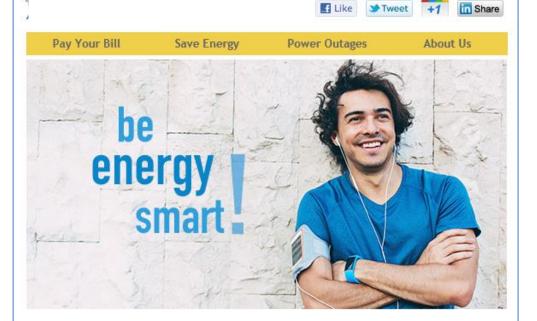
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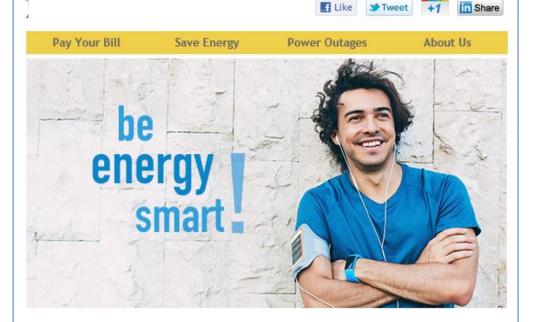
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TOTAL

Total Annual kWh:	Total Annual Cost:
952	\$75

COMPONENTS

-01	MPON	VEIVI2									
Television Annual kWh: 497 Kitchen Annual kWh: 79								Annual Cost: \$40	>		
							Annual k	Wh: 79		Annual Cost: \$7	>
Refrigerator							Annual	kWh: 0		Annual Cost: \$0	>
Utility Room Ann							Annual kWh: 0			Annual Cost: \$0	>
Livir	ng Room						Annual k	Wh: 376		Annual Cost: \$28	~
	Number	r	Select Components	Hr	rs/Day We	ekdays	s Hrs/Day Weekends			Annual kWh	Annual Cost
-	1	+	Stereo	-	4	+	-	0	+	157	\$12
_	2	+	VCR/DVD	_	2	+	-	2	+	219	\$16
Bath	room						Annual	kWh: 0		Annual Cost: \$0	>
Bedroom Annual kWh: 0							Annual Cost: \$0	>			
Medical Equipment Annual kWh: 0							Annual Cost: \$0	>			
Office							Annual	kWh: 0		Annual Cost: \$0	>
Heating / Cooling							Annual	kWh: 0		Annual Cost: \$0	>
Garage							Annual kWh: 0			Annual Cost: \$0	>
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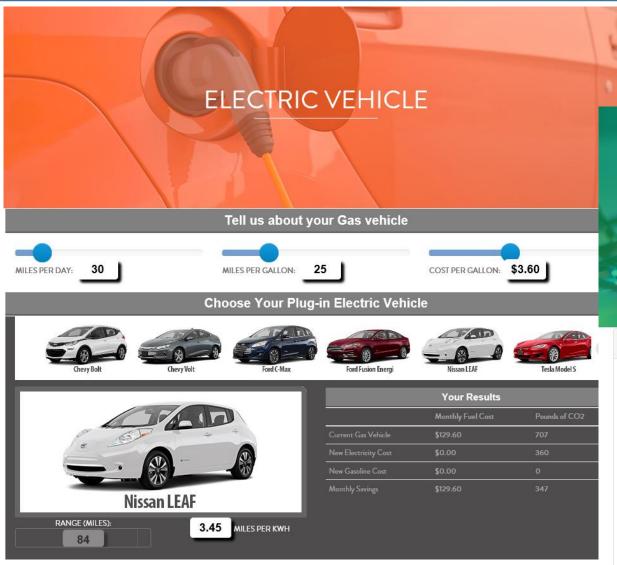
Public Service Announcement Videos

- Severe Storm
- Hurricane
- Beat the Peak
- 42 Movies and Growing!

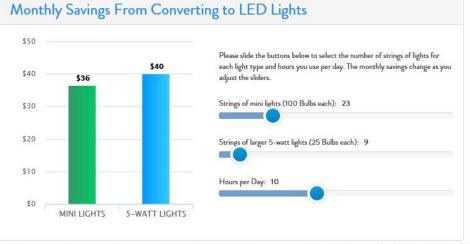




Use Gamification







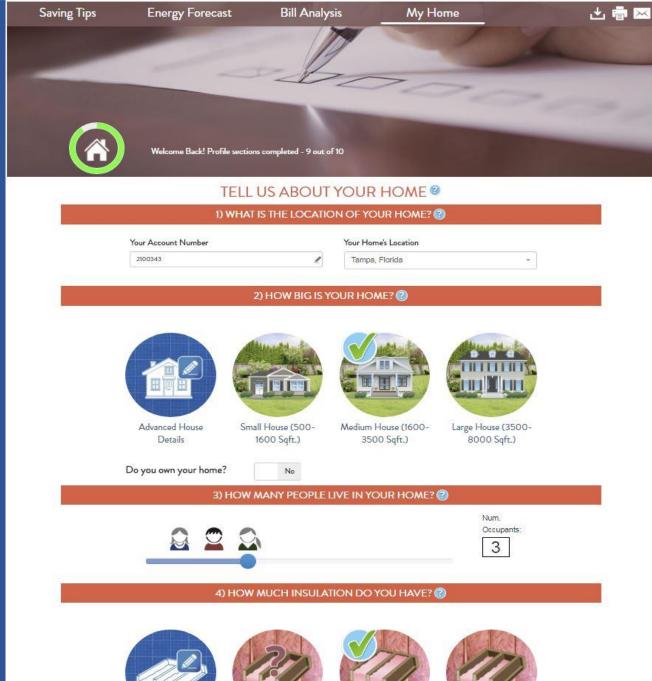
Benefits of L.E.D Lights:
• Longer life (up to 50,000 hrs.)

Safe - very little heat.

Up to 90% lower electric costs.

No burned out bulbs to find.

UNDERSTAND MY ENERGY USE: Home Profile











The EMP WER PLATFORM

Keys to Engagement:



Personalized



Outbound

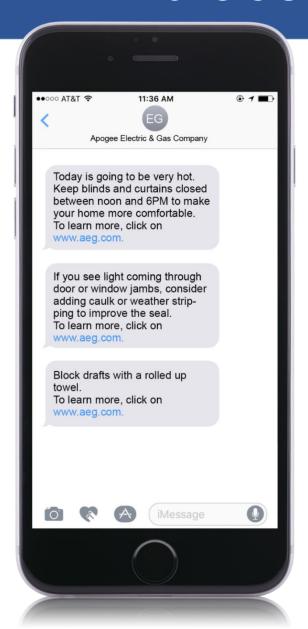


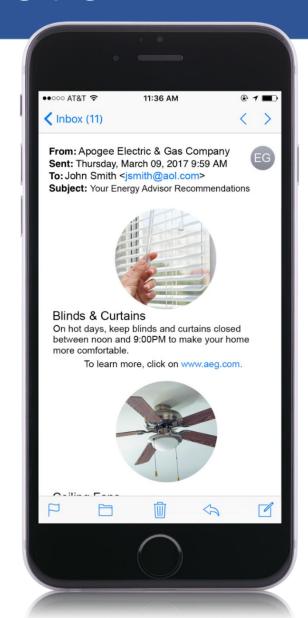
Proactive

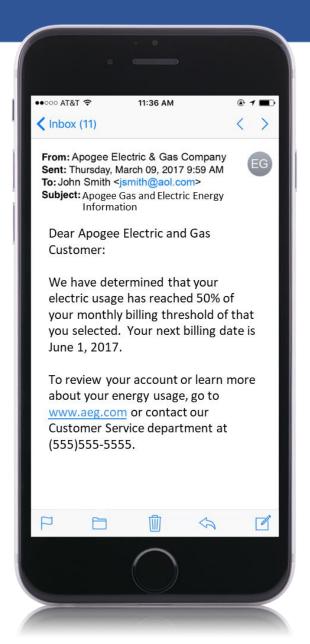
Game-like interface generates profiles and powers energy analysis



Embrace Innovation

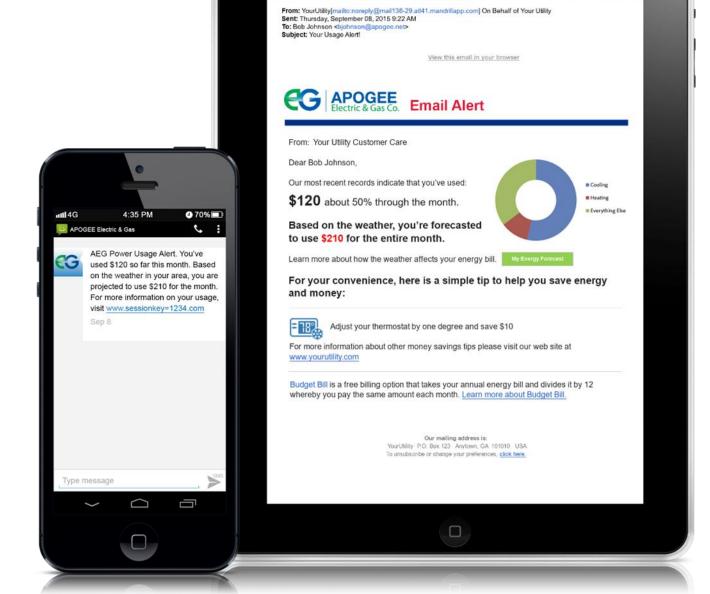






Make it easy

- ✓ Mid-cycle or Threshold
- ✓ Text or e-mail
- ✓ Uses weather and energy use patterns to forecast bill amounts



Educate customers





ENERGY FORECAST - ELECTRIC COST

YOUR PROJECTED ELECTRIC COST FOR YOUR CURRENT BILLING CYCLE IS \$173-\$235







Bill Analysis



Saving Tips

Insulation Upgrade:
Installing ceiling and floor insulation can save you up to
EnergyWise Attic Insulation Pro

Clear Filters

Receive up to \$300 towards upgrading your attic insulation

by participating in this EnergyWise program.

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ENERGY STAR & Appliances:

If you change out your older major appliances in your house to Energy Star® appliances, you could save up to \$112 a year.



EnergyWise Cooling System Tune-Up Program Get \$30 for Residential Cooling System Tune-Up with this EnergyWise rebate.



- Addresses needs of income challenged
- Simple to implement turnkey solution
- Stand-alone or existing program enhancement
- Leverages current community programs
- Mobile phone focused



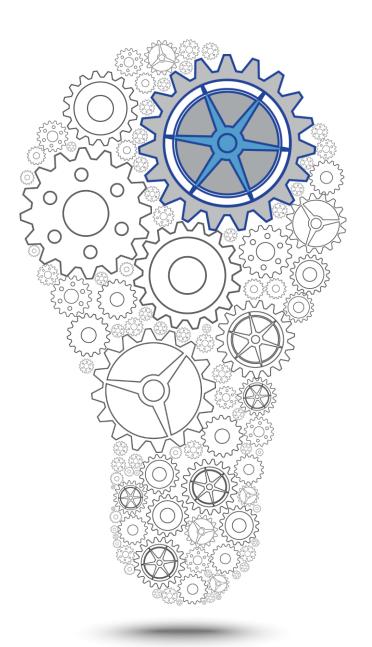
Train agents

Service the Customer with the information they need

Tools for CSRs: Instant Analysis Quick Analysis Detailed Analysis

- √ Consultative
- ✓ Trusted Advisor





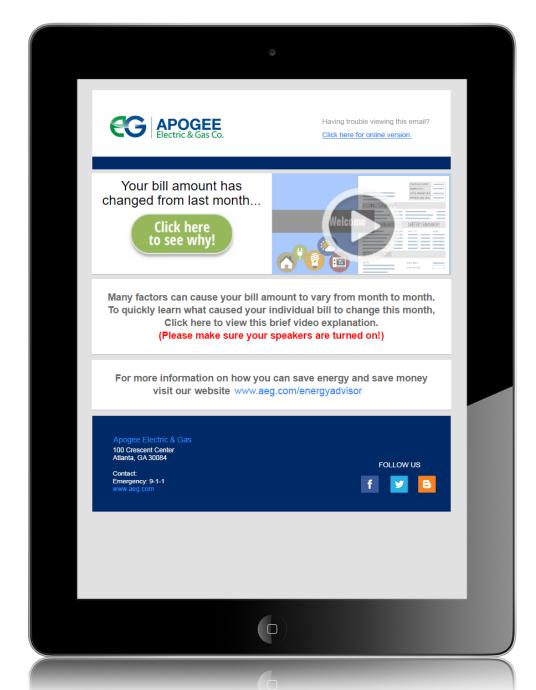
EMP WER PLATFORM

"Apogee's Customer Engagement Platform is the most comprehensive in the industry."

N/VIGANT®

Monthly E-mails

- We customize an ongoing communications campaign
- Specific to your utility and your goals
- Embedded videos add Wow factor



Public Service Announcement Videos

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Special Purpose Calculators

- Attract Attention
- Fun to Use
- Informative
- Drive Programs

- Electric Vehicle
- Solar
- Water Heating
- Paperless Billing
- Space Heating
- Heating Compare
- Heat Pump
- Lighting
- Appliance
- Cooking
- And many more





Lighting Savings Calculator









Field Audit Application

- Reduces time on-site
- Involves customer
- Powerful productivity tool for energy auditors
- Creates informative report

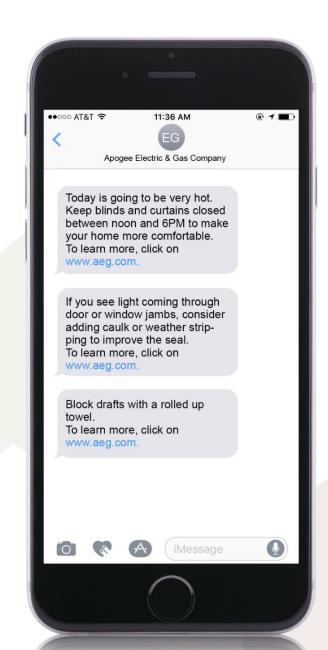


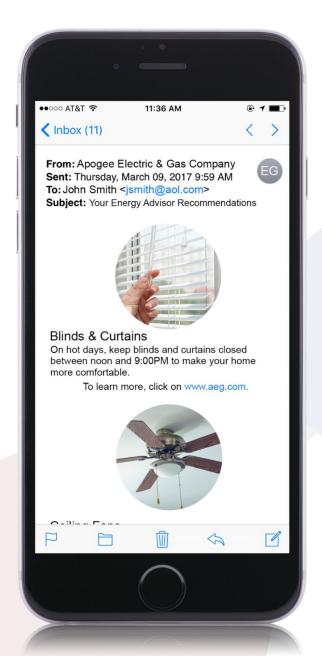
Behavioral Alerts

Text or e-mail

Custom design

Your messages





The Future of Customer Engagement





Apogee is...

- Software as a Service (SaaS)
- Focused on:







Customer Satisfaction

Program Participation

- Best-in-Class Data Analytics
- Known for Innovation







Entering our 25th Year

Serving
Hundreds
of Utilities

Achieving
Extraordinary Client
Retention