# Financing Fuel Cells

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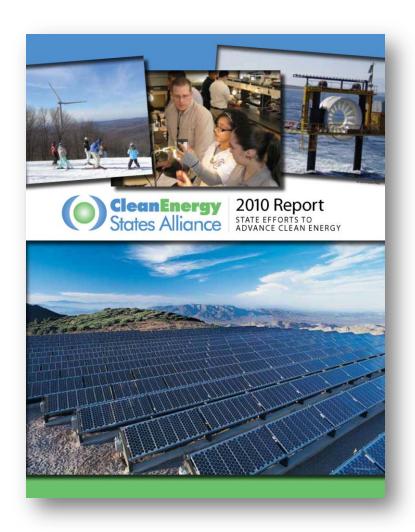




# What is CESA?

A nonprofit coalition of state and sub-national clean energy funds and programs working together to develop and promote clean energy technologies and markets.

www.cleanenergystates.org





# Financing Fuel Cells: A Simple Proposition

- For more rapid commercialization of fuel cells, easy financing is essential
- Businesses and individuals are hesitant to tie up significant amounts of money in an installation that will pay back gradually
- State agencies worry about end-users taking on all of the risk of a fuel cell installation
- The experience of the solar industry shows the importance of financing options





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Fuel Cell Financing Options (CESA/DOE Webinar - August 30, 2011)







# **The UTC Power Advantage**

Rising energy costs



- Significant Energy savings through:
  - 80 90% system efficiency
  - Combined heat and power
- Payback in 3-5 years

Strained Utility Grid, unreliable power



- Assured power generated on-site:
  - Business continuity
  - Risk mitigation
  - Can serve as emergency shelter

Sustainability and carbon reduction



- Clean, quiet & virtually pollution free:
  - Reduced emissions
  - Zero water consumption
  - Qualifies for LEED points







# Why choose UTC Power for your fuel cell?

- Company history
- Financial stability
- Technology Leadership
- Product support
- Financial incentives
- Flexible options

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# **United Technologies Corporation**

**UTC Power** 

#### Fortune 50 corporation

\$54.3B in annual sales in 2010

~60% of sales are in building technologies







UTC Fire & Security



Research Center



Hamilton Sundstrand







# **UTC Power**

#### **About Us**



- Fuel cell technology leader since 1958
- ~ 430 employees
- 750+ Active U.S. patents, more than 300 additional U.S. patents pending
- Global leader in efficient, reliable, and sustainable fuel cell solutions

#### **Stationary Fuel Cells**



**Transportation** 



**Space & Defense** 







# PureCell® Model 400 Solution

#### **Examples of Best Fit Customers: Facilities with 24/7 Power and Heating Demand**

**Supermarkets** 



**Bottling** 



**Hospitals** 



**Mixed Use** 



**Hotels** 



**Bio-tech/Industrial** 



**Educational Institutions** 



**Utilities** 









# **Stationary Fuel Cell Solutions**

# Flexible fuel cell application and varied experience



Price Chopper New York



St Helena's Hospital California



World Trade Center New York



Coca-Cola Refreshments New York



Samsung/GS Power South Korea



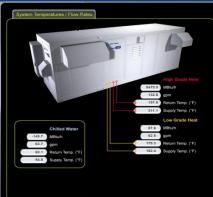
New Haven Public Schools
Connecticut



# **Customer Support**







- 24/7 powerplant monitoring, troubleshooting, maintenance
  - Reducing mean time to repair increasing customer uptime
- Customer service headquarters located in CT with easy access to on-site engineering and manufacturing support
- Global network of UTC Power service employees
  - UTC Power provides complete 10-year service package





# **UTC Power Financial Advantage**

#### Financial Incentives

### Fuel Cell Incentives:

- ➤ Federal Investment Tax Credits
  - ➤ Max of \$3,000/kW or 30% of project cost, in effect until 12/31/2016.
- 1603 Grant (in lieu of FITC)Max of \$3,000/kW or 30% of project cost, in effect until 12/31/2011.
- ➤ Accelerated Depreciation
  ➤ (100% in 2011, 50% in 2012, 5-Year MACRS)
- State Grants/Incentives







# **UTC Power Financial Advantage**

# Financing Option

# **Energy Service Agreement (ESA)**:

- No upfront capital investment.
- Ownership/maintenance resides with UTCP.
- Inclusive of equipment, installation, maintenance.
   Includes bumper-to-bumper service; preventive maintenance, scheduled and unscheduled overhauls.
- Pricing reflects monetization of available incentives; FITC, State Grants, etc.
- >Fuel not included.

(May pay for use of system with operating energy budget)







# **Summary**

# PureCell® Model 400 kW Power Plants Deliver:

- ✓ Energy Savings
- ✓ Reliable Power
- ✓ Carbon, Water and Pollution Reductions
- ✓ Sustainable Attributes (LEED®)

#### **UTC Power Offers:**

- ✓ Experienced Project Management
- ✓ Full 24/7 Aftermarket Service
- ✓ Option to Purchase or Lease

Visit <u>www.utcpower.com</u> to learn more







**Delivering Smart Energy Today**™

Corporate Overview
August 2011

#### **About ClearEdge Power**

- Established in 2003
- Privately funded through:
  - Kohlberg Ventures
  - Applied Materials
  - Artis Capital
  - Sempra
- An Energy Technology Company
  - Design & Manufacture
  - Service & Maintenance
- 75,000 sq. ft. manufacturing floor
- Certifications/Listing:
  - KGS Global Certification
  - ISO 9001 Quality Management Systems
  - ISO 14001 Environmental Systems
  - ETL Listing Gas NRTL
  - CSA Listing Pending Approval
  - **CE Certification** Underway (European)





- Designed to address the urgent concerns:
  - Increased demand on grid infrastructure
  - Base Load Power
  - High energy costs
  - Environmental impact



#### **Energy is on the same journey**







#### **From This**

To This

To This

- More changes in the energy industry in the next 20 years than in the last 100 years
  - Technological innovations
  - Disruptive business models
- Federal and state energy and environmental policies are driving the change
- Customers expect greater choice, control, and sustainability



### **ClearEdge5 – Delivering Smart Energy Today**

Combined heat and power 5kWh distributed power system

CE5 converts natural gas into power and heat without burning it

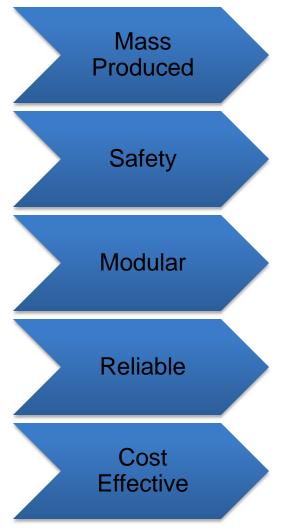
High efficiency, low cost, on-site generation

Smart fuel cell technology

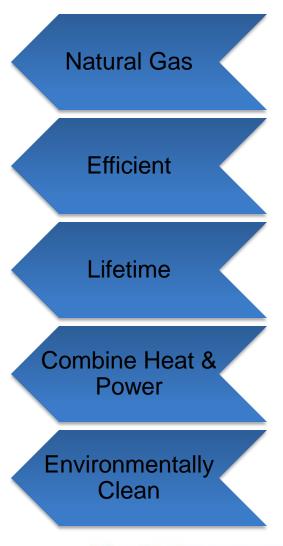


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### **ClearEdge Power Fuel Cell Attributes**









#### **Modular System Architecture**

#### **Product Expansion**

**CE FT** 

- 5-10kW
- Data center
- Large residential

#### **CE15**

- 10-15kW applications
- Light commercial

#### **CEXX**

- 20-50kW applications
- Medium commercial

#### **Derivative Capability:**

- Fault tolerance
- Grid independence
- 208V 3 phase
- 48V DC
- Extreme weather
- Propane compatible

applications

#### Market Expansion

#### **Data Centers**

- Data centers
- Server rooms

#### Residential

- Niche market
- Short sales cycle

#### Commercial

- Small business
- Hotel
- Retail
- Fitness

#### International

· Off-grid applications

#### Utility

 Power generation expansion



#### **Base Unit**

#### CE5

- Base unit 5kW
- High efficiency
- Low maintenance
- Standard components

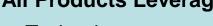


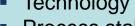
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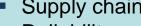
- Technology
- **Process stability**
- Supply chain
- Reliability











Certifications



# **Top Vertical Markets**

Senior Living Centers, Affordable, REIT, Multi-Family
Hotels, Full Service Multi-Unit Restaurants, Country Clubs and Spas
Public and private: K-12 Schools, Community Colleges, Universities (including dormitory housing)
Priority – 1. Gas Companies 2. Hybrid Electric & Gas 3. ESCOs
DOE, DOD, Civilian, Emergency first responders, City/State/Federal Buildings
High-end residential
Small-to-medium size business data centers / server rooms



#### **Industry Segment Leaders**

#### **Hampstead Lafayette Hotel**

- City of San Diego Historic Landmark
- 8 Unit Install



#### **Village Lindo Paseo Dormitory (SDSU)**



- \$1M savings in construction costs
- 9 Unit Install

#### **Irvine Unified School District**

- (2) High school facilities / pools
- 12 Unit Install



#### **Cambrian Center**



- Low Income Senior Living (HUD)
- 4 Unit Install



### **ClearEdge Power: Delivering Smart Energy Today**



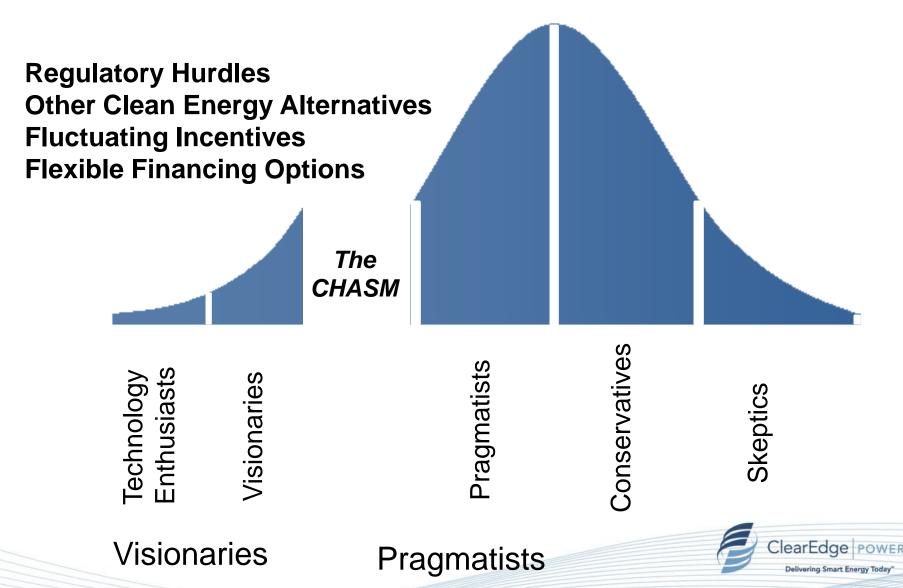




- Reduce Harmful Emissions
- Increase Reliability through Distributed Generation
- Reduce Demand on the Grid
- Comply with Regulatory Mandates
- Insulate against Rising Electricity Rates



#### **Key Challenges and Barrier for Fuel Cell Adoption**



#### ClearEdge Power Go-to-Market Model



#### **Customers Expect Choices**

- Purchase System
- Lease Systems
- Utility Model

# ClearEdge Power Initiatives

- We Sell Systems not Power
- Direct Lease Offering
- Working to Offer 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Offering
- Work with Partners for PPA's





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