



Agenda and Objectives



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The electrical supply chain of the future will incorporate a higher percentage of renewable energy (i.e. wind and PV solar). While clean and unlimited, these forms of energy are intermittent in nature and will require some form of energy storage to meet their potential. Thermal storage is not only an easy way to store energy but it is reemerging as a valuable energy and energy cost saving technology for building owners.

We'll cover a bit of theory and application, then demonstrate the design steps for a small ice storage system from layout to operation and control. We'll discuss how to make it affordable, expose hidden costs in energy tariffs which raise ROI, and identify and address the most common stumbling blocks.

By attending this ENL you will be able to:

1. Provide a clear understanding of how an ice storage system operates
2. Provide an economic rationale for ice storage
3. Dispel common myths about ice storage
4. Understand how to avoid the most common stumbling blocks

Agenda

- 1) Opening (welcome, agenda, introductions)
- 2) Why ice storage
 - a) Electrical infrastructure
 - b) Economics
 - c) Environmental stewardship
 - d) Myths about ice storage
- 3) Typical applications
- 4) Electricity rate introduction
- 5) Design overview
 - a) Partial versus full
 - b) Influences driving partial storage
 - c) Influences driving full storage
 - d) Considerations
- 6) Controls
- 4) Economic summary

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Susanna is an applications engineer at Trane with over eleven years of experience with chilled-water systems and HVAC building load and energy analysis. Her primary responsibility is to aid system design engineers and Trane personnel in the proper design and application of HVAC systems. Her main areas of expertise include chilled-water systems and ASHRAE Standard 90.1. She is also a Certified Energy Manager.

She has authored several articles on chilled water plant design, and is a member of ASHRAE SSPC 90.1 Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings. Susanna earned a bachelor's degree in industrial and systems engineering from the University of Florida, where she focused on building energy management and simulation.


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Lee is an engineer in the Systems Engineering Department with over 28 years experience at Trane. His career at Trane started as a factory service engineer for heavy refrigeration, helping to introduce the CVHE centrifugal chiller with electronic controls to the industry. Following that Lee was a member of the team that kicked off the microelectronic building automation and Integrated Comfort Systems controls – ICS - offering at Trane. He continues to push new unit and system control and optimization concepts into the industry. As a Systems Engineer Lee also has the opportunity to discuss HVAC system application and control with owners, engineers and contractors on a daily basis.


Lee has a Bachelors degree in Mechanical Engineering from Michigan Technological University. He is a Registered Professional Engineer in the State of Wisconsin.

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Paul is a vice-president at CALMAC Manufacturing Corporation with over 20 years experience in the ice energy field. CALMAC celebrated its 60th birthday in 2008 and has a long history of providing valuable energy saving products. Paul's career at CALMAC started as a regional sales manager responsible for sales and distribution of ice storage systems in the Midwest. Without utility incentives and off peak rates, Paul specialized in developing partial ice energy storage applications in schools and offices and demonstrating their viability with life cycle costs. He has been involved in several hundred ice storage projects all over the world. Currently Paul is Marketing and Sales Manager for CALMAC. He has authored several articles on ice energy storage and rightsizing cooling plants with energy storage, is a member of ASHRAE and is a LEED Accredited Professional. Paul has a degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of Nebraska.



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- Overview—why ice now?
- Typical applications
- Qualifying a job
- Design process
- Minimizing first cost, maximizing ROI
- Project level considerations
- Controls
- Economics

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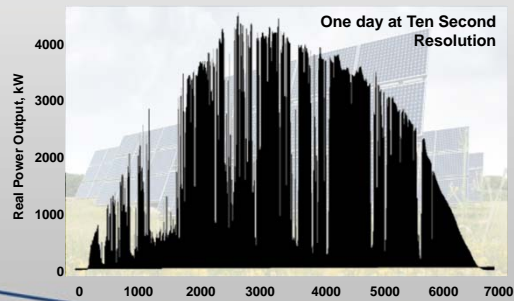
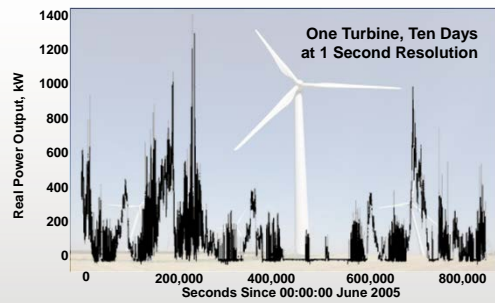
Why Ice Storage
and Why Now?



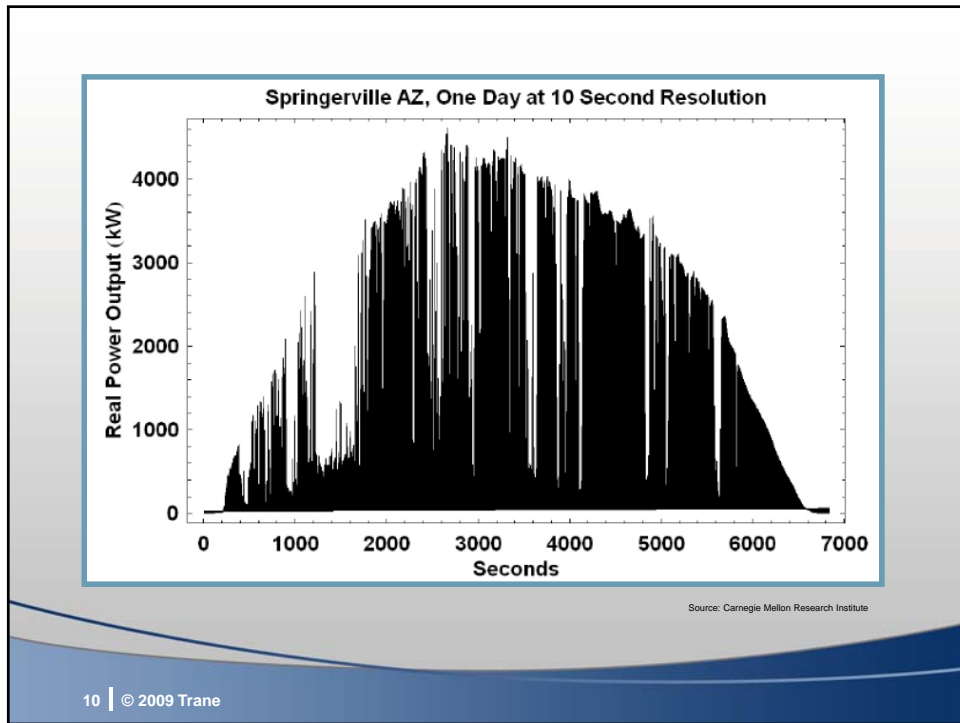
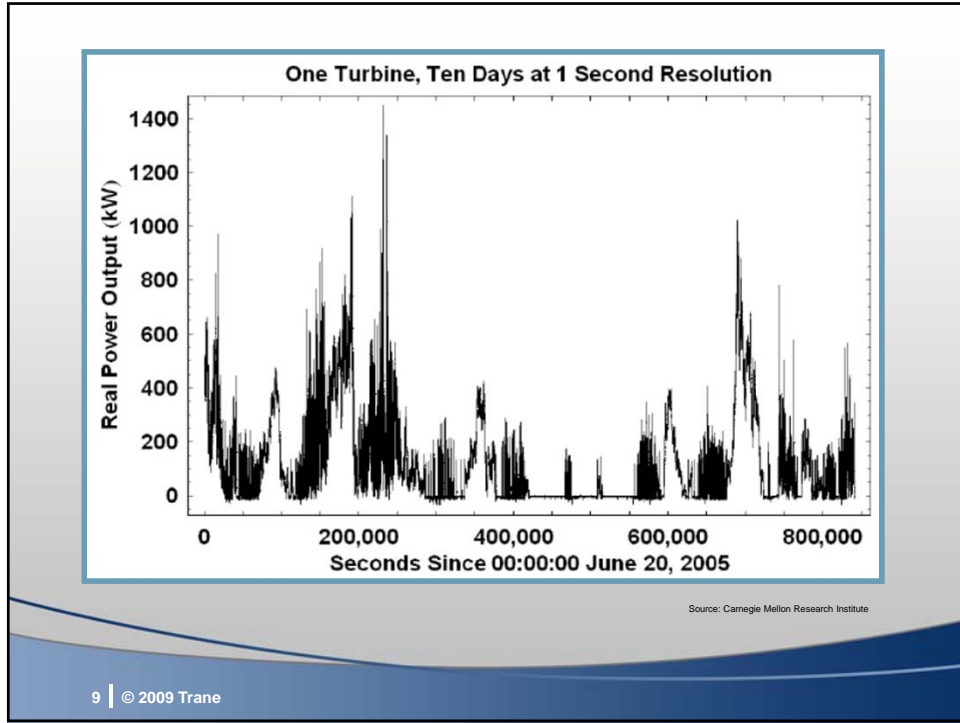
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1. “Green” power needs it
2. It reduces CO₂ emissions
3. It saves money and has a good ROI

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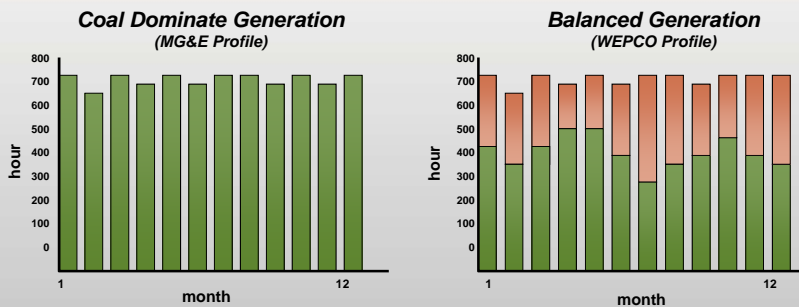
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Simulation of Source Energy Utilization and Emissions for HVAC Systems

A report ASHRAE TC 6.9 in response to the 991-TRP work statement

ASHRAE TC 6.9 Research Project Monthly Power Plant Fuel Source



ASHRAE TC 6.9 Research Project Ice Storage Site, Source, & CO₂ Savings

System	Coal Dominant Utility Generation Profile			Coal/Natural Gas Utility Generation Profile		
	Site Electricity (% of base)	Source Energy (% of base)	CO ₂ Emission (% of base)	Site Electricity (% of base)	Source Energy (% of base)	CO ₂ Emission (% of base)
Electric Chiller (base)	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Office Ice Storage	86%	86%	86%	86%	86%	86%
School W/C—Ice	88%	88%	87%	88%	88%	88%
School A/C—Ice	87%	87%	86%	87%	87%	88%

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Simulation of Source Energy Utilization and Emissions for HVAC Systems Conclusions

“Thermal energy storage systems should be promoted as an environmentally beneficial technology. These systems have been historically touted as beneficial in terms of operation cost. This study suggests that the economic benefits can be accompanied by environmental ones...”

“...Source energy reductions were generally on the order of 10%. Global warming impact reductions were also on the order of 10%...”

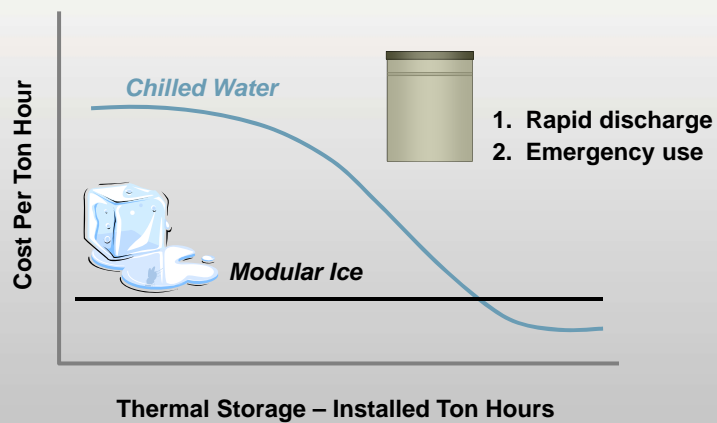
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Why Concentrate on Ice? Thermal Storage Incremental Cost



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Energy Storage Background



- Ice harvesters
- Ice on pipe—external melt
- Encapsulated ice storage
- Modular ice on pipe
—internal melt

Six Modes of Energy Storage Systems

1. Charging
2. Charging and cooling a night time load
3. Chiller cooling
4. Energy storage cooling
5. Chiller and energy storage cooling
6. Off

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Ice on Pipe—Internal Melt



Strengths

- Six modes of operation
- Efficient, modular, reliable
- Cataloged data
- Fast installation

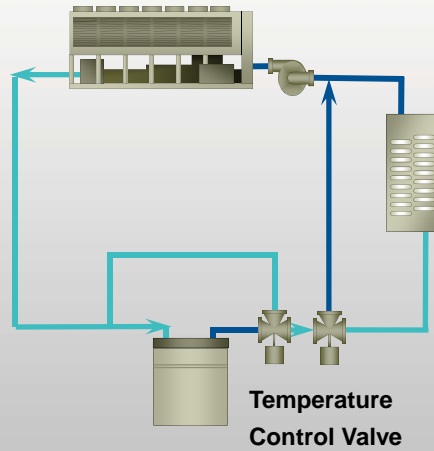
Weaknesses

- Secondary heat transfer fluid
- Not easily direct buried

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Ice on Coil—Internal Melt

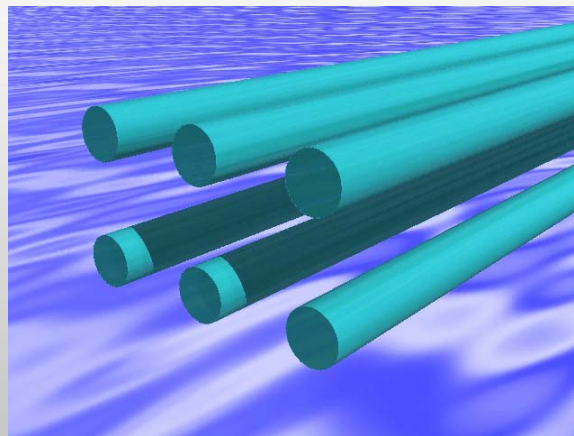
- Easily adapts to chilled-water system
- Added:
 - Blending valve
 - Diverting valve
 - Ice tank(s)
 - Controls
 - Heat transfer fluid



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Ice Building and Melting Cycle

Ice on Pipe—Internal Melt



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Rules of Thumb for Partial Ice Storage Designs

- Most projects are partial storage unless utilities support full storage with rebates
- Chiller loses 1/3 of capacity during ice build
- Ice making time is usually 8 to 10 hours
- Typical systems store about 1/4 to 1/3 of the total design day ton-hours
- Chiller reduction
 - To 50% in schools, 35%–40% office buildings
- Design for high delta T, 15°F to 18°F

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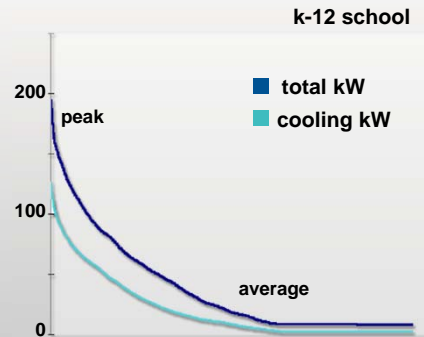
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Visualize the Potential Impact

- Building kW load duration curve
- Diversity factor
 - Average load/peak load
 - Total kW
 - HVAC kW
 - Chiller tons



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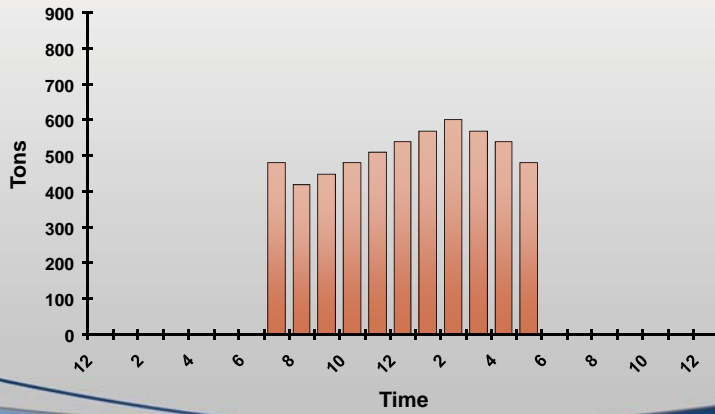


Ice flattens load profile for utility rate negotiation

- 21 chillers
33,000 tons
- 156 ice tanks
23,400 ton-hours
- Ice storage saves \$423,000/year
- Self-generates at 4–5 cents/kWh
- Purchases at 7.5–8.5 cents/kWh

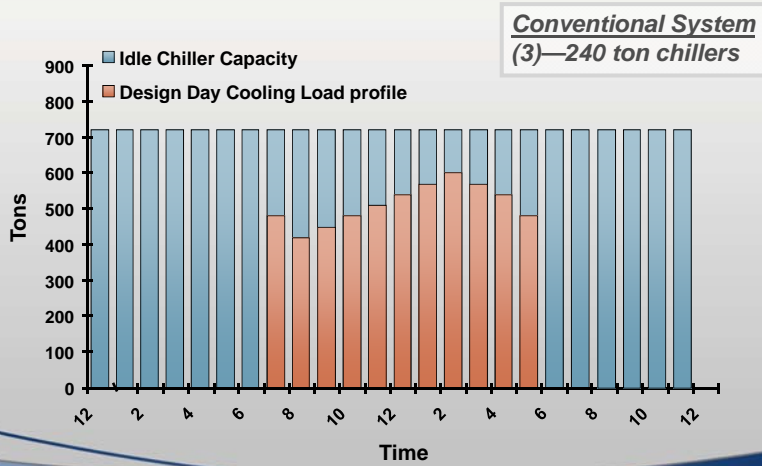
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Design Day Load Profile



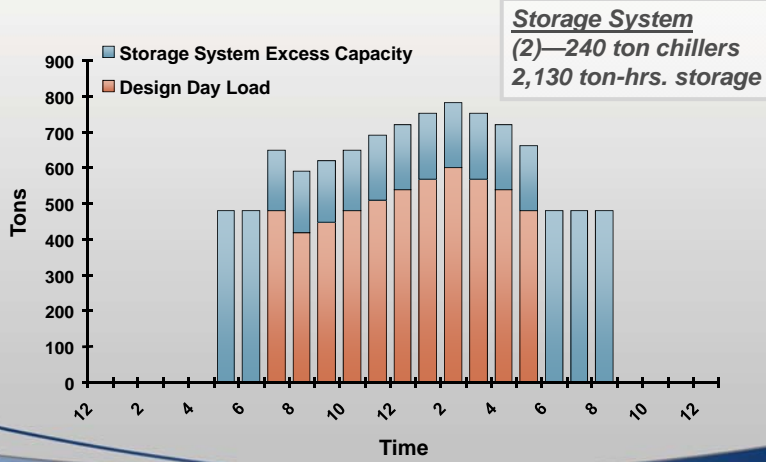
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How Much Chiller Capacity?



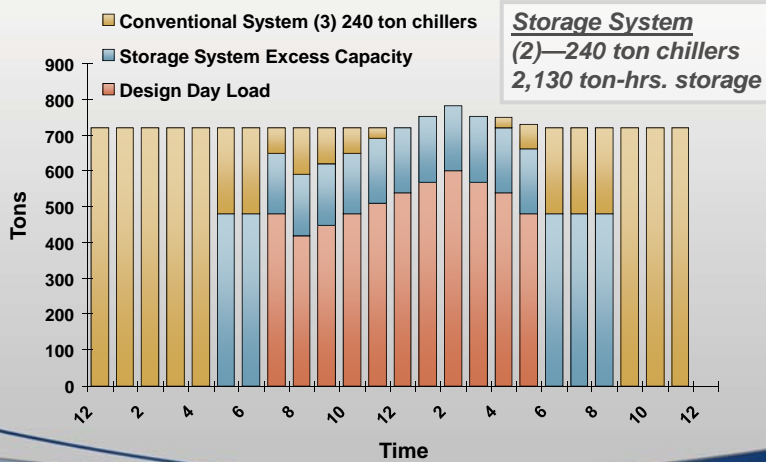
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Comparable Ice Storage Design



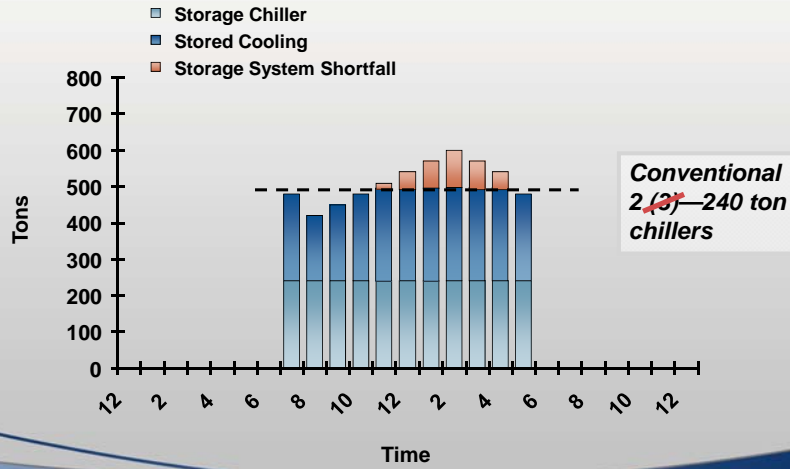
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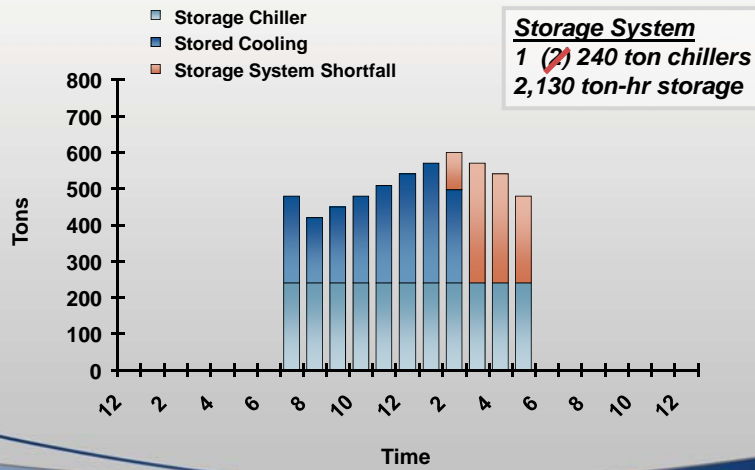
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Design Day With Chiller Outage



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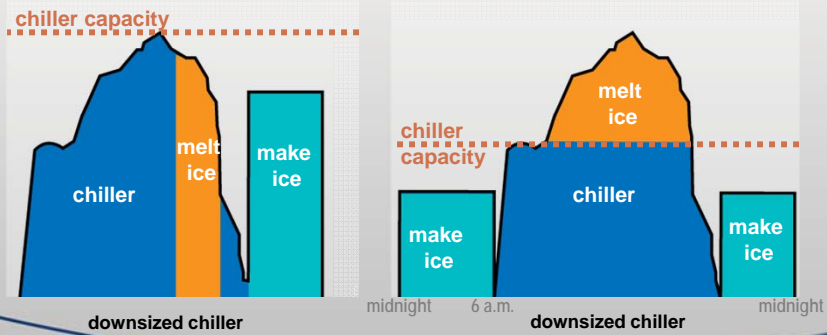
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Full Storage

- Short on-peak windows or
- Good rebates available

Partial Storage

- Reduces peak demand
- Shifts load to more efficient time



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Air-cooled or Water-cooled?

- Not that much design difference
- Air-cooled
 - Reduces initial investment for efficient system
 - Fewer components to select
- Water-cooled
 - Large chiller capacities (>500 tons)
 - May require multiple stages of compression
 - Expanded economizer cycle

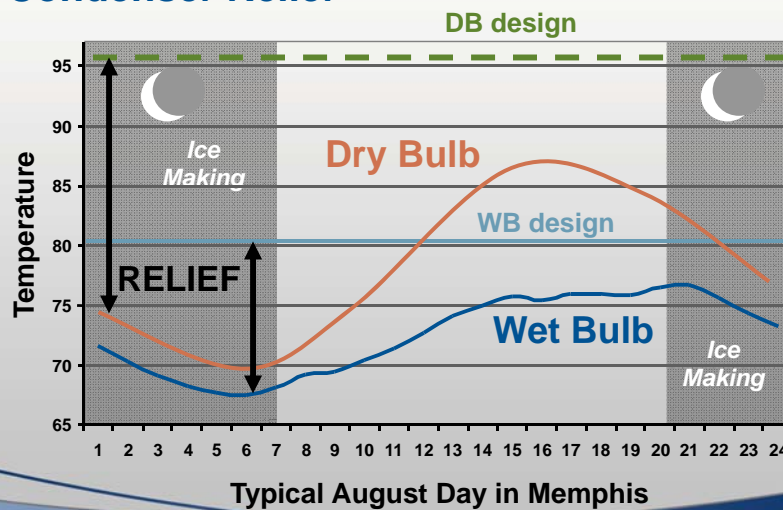
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Expand “Free” Cooling Cycle

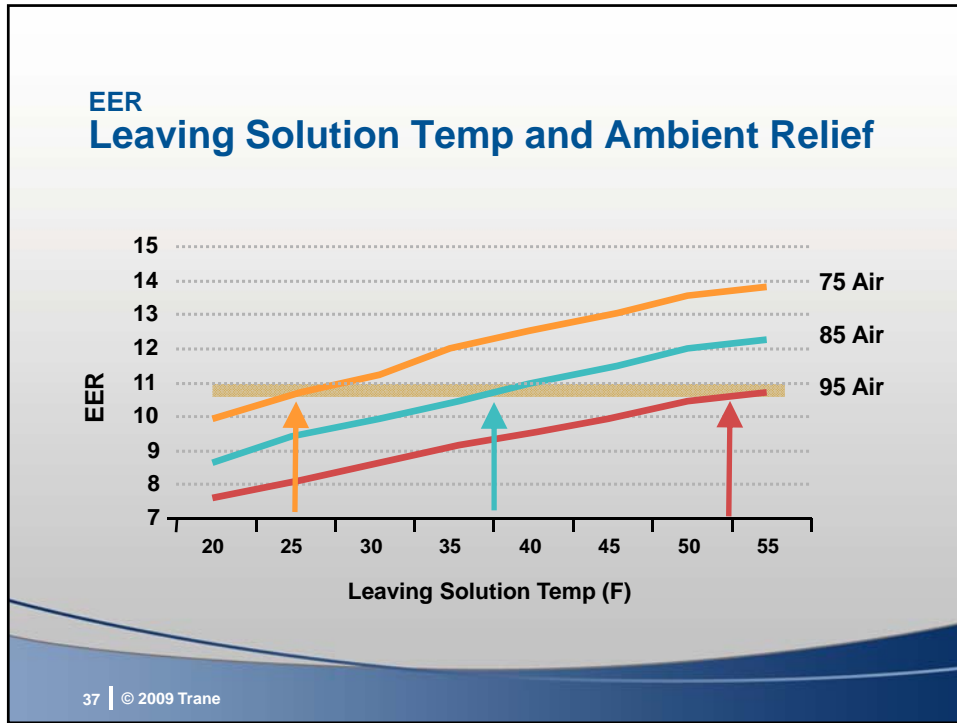
- Ice extends the hours for water economizer free cooling cycle
- Reduces tower energy by charging tanks at night with fans unloaded

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Condenser Relief



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Fossil Ridge High School

- 260,000 ft² conditioned space
- Grades 10–12
- 1,800 students
 - Rule of thumb
 - **400 sq. ft./ton**
- Peak load—250 Tons
 - **1,040 sq. ft./ton**
- Actual chiller—130 tons, 1,280 ton hrs ice storage
 - **2,000 sq. ft./ton**

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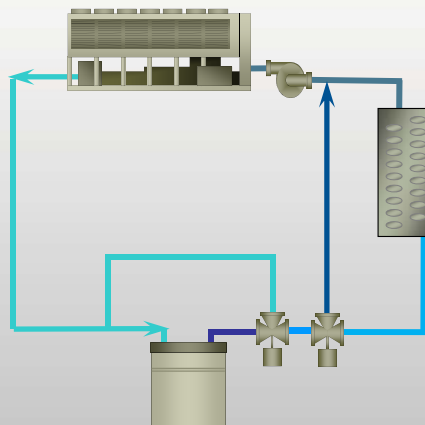
Retrofits

- Chillers/systems being replaced anyway
 - Ice chillers of equal capacity cost the same
 - Cost less if downsize the chillers
- Energy prices are high
- Energy shortages are common
- Rebates or incentives are available
 - States (California, New York)
 - Utilities (Duke Power, FPL)

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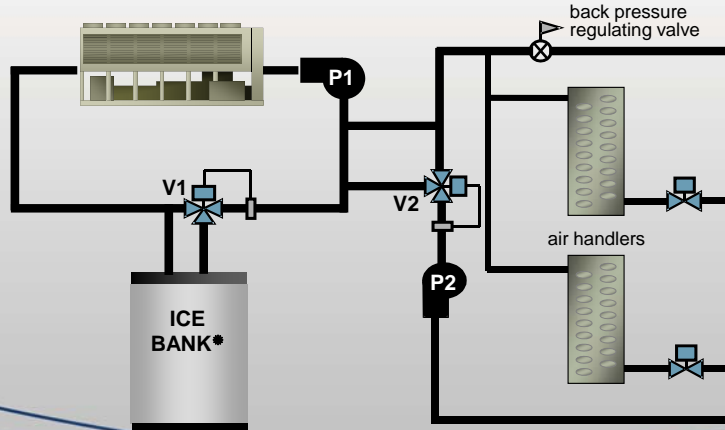
Simple Air-Cooled Chilled Water System

- Chiller
- Downstream ice tanks
- Blending valve
- Diverting valve
- Controls
- Heat transfer fluid



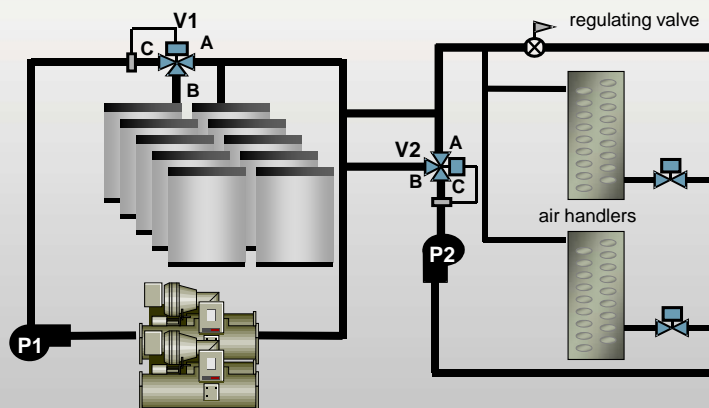
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Ice Tanks in Series Downstream of Screw/Scroll Chiller



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Ice Tanks in Series Upstream of Centrifugal Chiller



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Ice and Chillers in Series

S.I.C.

- Chiller in upstream position:
 - Increases chiller efficiency (screws more than CTVs)
 - Increases chiller capacity (screws more than CTVs)
 - Decreases ice capacity
 - Simplifies system layout
 - Tank capacity loss doesn't exceed chiller efficiency and capacity benefits
 - Smaller system, screw or scroll—tanks downstream
- Chiller in downstream position:
 - Decreases chiller efficiency
 - Decreases chiller capacity
 - Increases ice capacity (reduced number of tanks?)
 - Tank capacity benefit is substantial
 - Larger system, centrifugals—tanks upstream



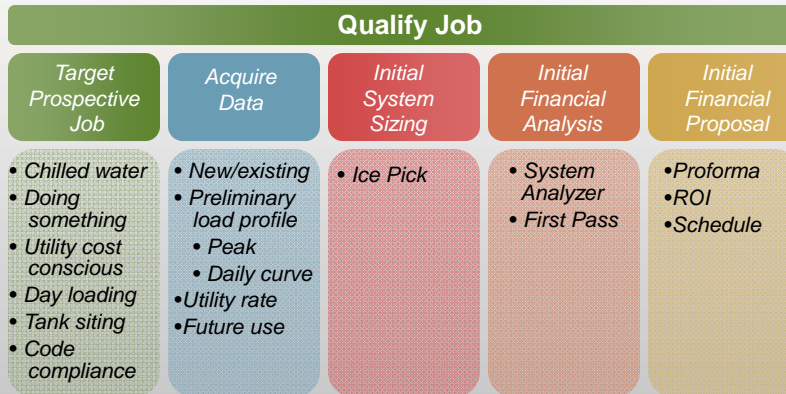
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Ice Storage Design Process



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Ice Energy Storage Design Project Specifics

- Chilled water
- Building usage and future plans
 - Emergency cooling
 - Enhanced redundancy
 - Expansion
 - Green energy
 - Teaching tool

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Ice Energy Storage Design Project Specifics

- Chilled water
- Building usage and future plans
- Space for tank farm
 - Outside
 - Inside
 - Stacked
 - Partial or complete burial



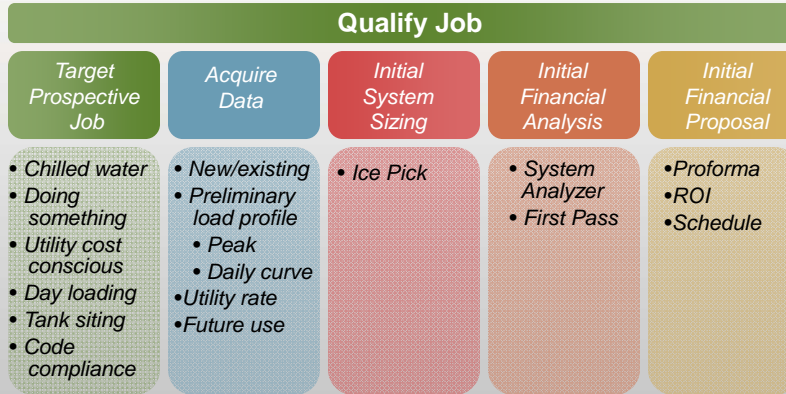
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Ice Energy Storage Design Project Specifics

- Chilled water
- Building usage and future plans
- Space for tank farm
- System distribution design
 - Glycol throughout system
 - Wide delta T/low flow / low temp
 - Constant/variable flow
 - Dedicated ice/cooling chillers

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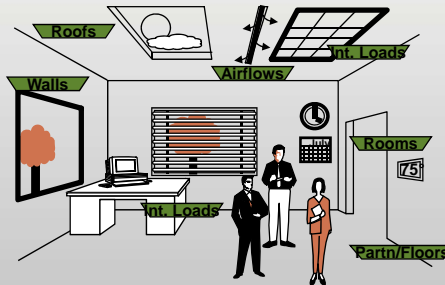
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Ice Energy Storage Design Acquire Data

- Cooling load
 - Design day hourly profile
 - Tall peak?
 - Low and flat?
 - Off peak usage?
- Acquire from...
 - Load program
 - Chiller logs
 - BAS logs



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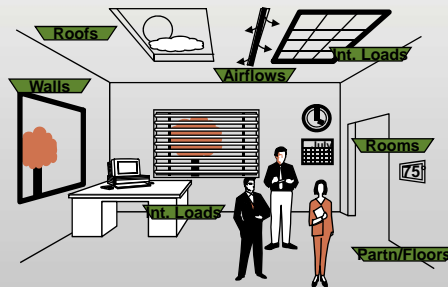
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Preliminary Analysis
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Ice Energy Storage Design Cooling Load

- 24 hour design day load profile from
 - Load program
 - Chiller logs
 - BAS logs
- Night loads
 - > 20% of peak loads
 - If > 20% consider night chiller



Internal-Melt Tank Dynamics

- Performance dependencies
 - Flow rate
 - Temperatures
 - Ice capacity remaining
- Performance requirements
 - Peak discharge rate
 - Hourly discharge rate
 - Total storage capacity




Equipment Selection Criteria

- Heat transfer fluid type and concentration
- Ice tank model
- Chiller daytime contribution as a % of nominal
- Chiller charging capacity as a % of nominal
- Supply and Return delta T
- 24 hour load profile
 - Full or partial storage

IcePick—Input Screens

CHILLER AND TANK SELECTION PARAMETERS

Tank Model	1190
Chiller Cooling Capacity (% of nominal)	100
Chiller Ice-making Capacity (% of nominal)	69.67
System Supply Temperature (F)	40
System Return Temperature (F)	56
System Type	Chiller Upstream


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Design Day Load Profile

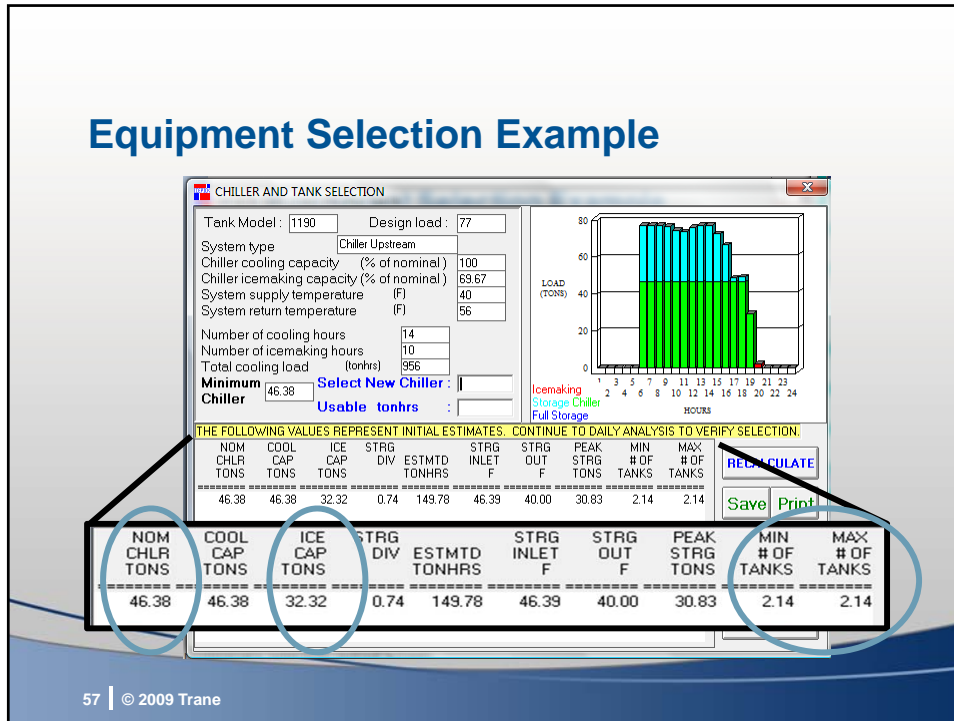
DESIGN DAY LOAD PROFILE DATA

FILE	PRINT	TONS			TONS			
FILE	PRINT	LOAD	TYPE	CHILLER %	LOAD	TYPE	CHILLER %	
1		0	I	69.67	13	77.21	P	83
2		0	I	69.67	14	77.21	P	83
3		0	I	69.67	15	72.71	P	83
4		0	I	69.67	16	66.54	P	83
5		0	I	69.67	17	48.61	P	83
6		77.21	P	83	18	49.16	P	83
7		77.21	P	83	19	29.41	P	83
8		77.21	P	83	20	2	I	69.67
9		76.64	P	83	21	0	I	69.67
10		74.49	P	83	22	0	I	69.67
11		73.76	P	83	23	0	I	69.67
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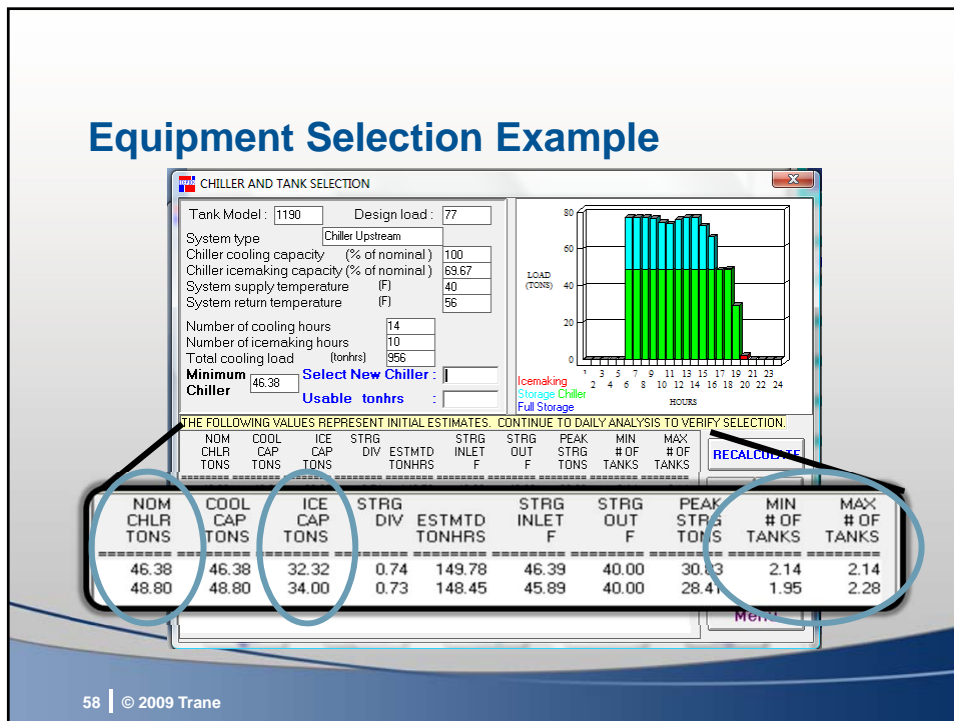
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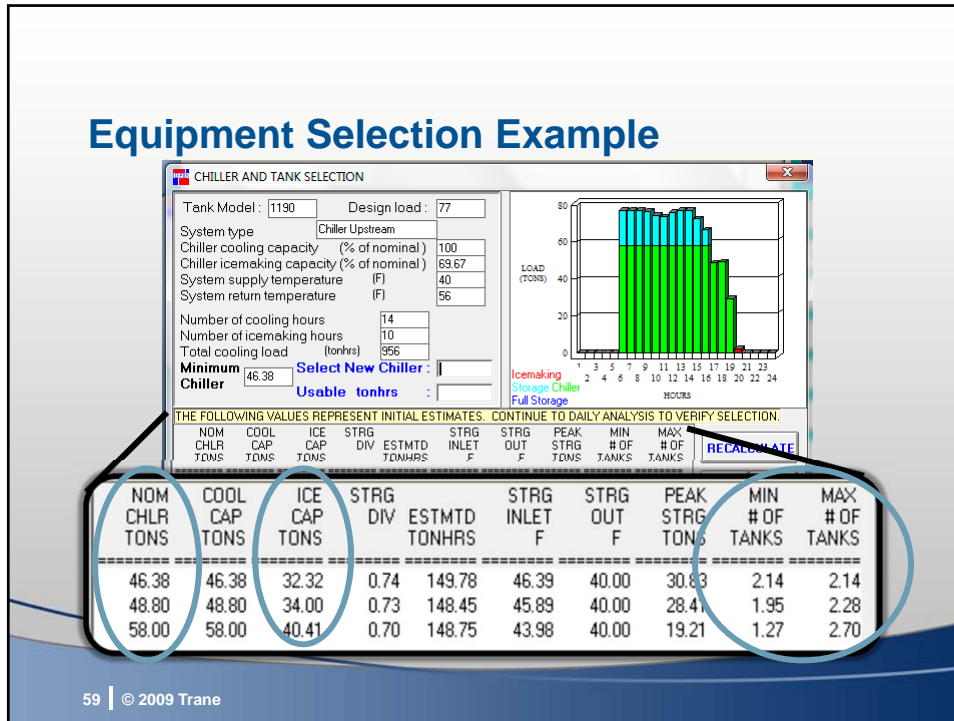
Equipment Selection Example



Equipment Selection Example



Equipment Selection Example



CHILLER AND TANK SELECTION

Tank Model: 1190 Design load: 77

System type: Chiller Upstream

Chiller cooling capacity (% of nominal): 100

Chiller icemaking capacity (% of nominal): 69.67

System supply temperature (F): 40

System return temperature (F): 56

Number of cooling hours: 14

Number of icemaking hours: 10

Total cooling load (tonhrs): 956

Minimum Chiller: 46.38 Select New Chiller: []

Usable tonhrs: []

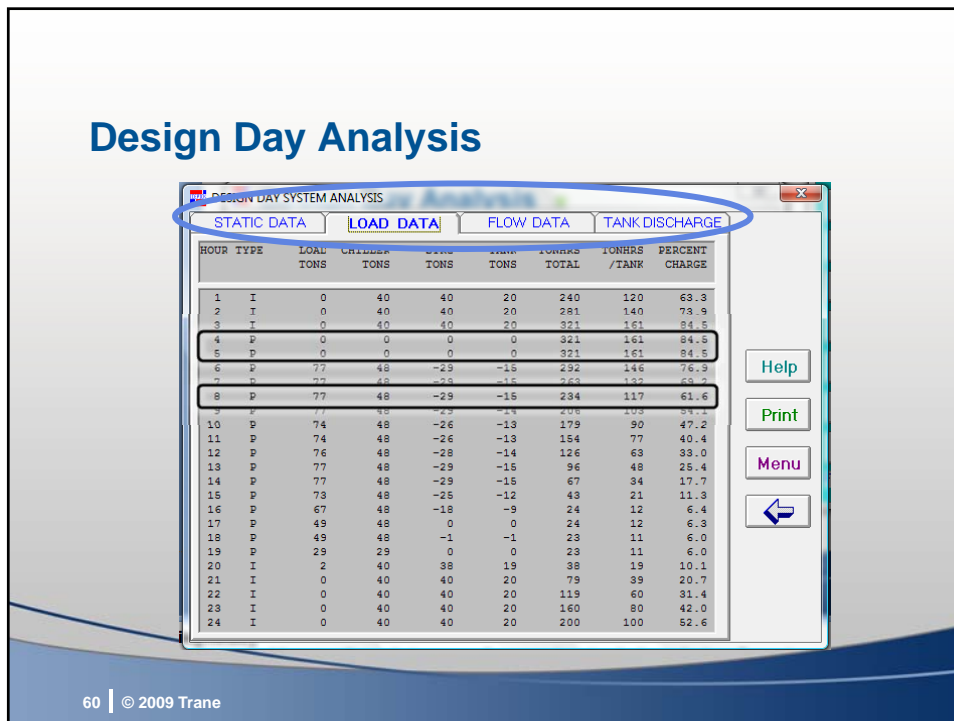
LOAD (TONS) vs HOURS (1-24) chart showing peak load around 70 tons.

THE FOLLOWING VALUES REPRESENT INITIAL ESTIMATES. CONTINUE TO DAILY ANALYSIS TO VERIFY SELECTION.

NOM CHLR TONS	COOL CAP TONS	ICE CAP TONS	STRG DIV	ESTMTD TONHRS	STRG INLET F	STRG OUT F	PEAK STRG TONS	MIN # OF TANKS	MAX # OF TANKS
46.38	46.38	32.32	0.74	149.78	46.39	40.00	30.83	2.14	2.14
48.80	48.80	34.00	0.73	148.45	45.89	40.00	28.41	1.95	2.28
58.00	58.00	40.41	0.70	148.75	43.98	40.00	19.21	1.27	2.70

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Design Day Analysis



DESIGN DAY SYSTEM ANALYSIS

STATIC DATA | **LOAD DATA** | FLOW DATA | TANK DISCHARGE

HOURLY TYPE	LOAD TONS	CHILLER TONS	TANK TONS	TANK TONS TOTAL	TONHRS /TANK	PERCENT CHARGE	
1 I	0	40	40	20	240	120	69.3
2 I	0	40	40	20	281	140	79.9
3 I	0	40	40	20	321	161	94.5
4 P	0	0	0	0	321	161	84.5
5 P	0	0	0	0	321	161	84.5
6 P	77	48	-29	-15	292	146	76.9
7 P	77	48	-29	-15	263	132	69.2
8 P	77	48	-29	-15	234	117	61.6
9 P	77	48	-29	-15	205	103	57.1
10 P	74	48	-26	-13	179	90	47.2
11 P	74	48	-26	-13	154	77	40.4
12 P	76	48	-28	-14	126	63	33.0
13 P	77	48	-29	-15	96	48	25.4
14 P	77	48	-29	-15	67	34	17.7
15 P	73	48	-25	-12	43	21	11.3
16 P	67	48	-18	-9	24	12	6.4
17 P	49	48	0	0	24	12	6.3
18 P	49	48	-1	-1	23	11	6.0
19 P	29	29	0	0	23	11	6.0
20 I	2	40	38	19	38	19	10.1
21 I	0	40	40	20	79	39	20.7
22 I	0	40	40	20	119	60	31.4
23 I	0	40	40	20	160	80	42.0
24 I	0	40	40	20	200	100	52.6

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Ice Storage Selection Options

46 ton nominal chiller/3 ice tanks

or

58 ton nominal chiller/2 ice tanks

Less charging time

Demand limit chiller on peak day

or

70 ton nominal chiller/3 ice tanks

Higher first cost

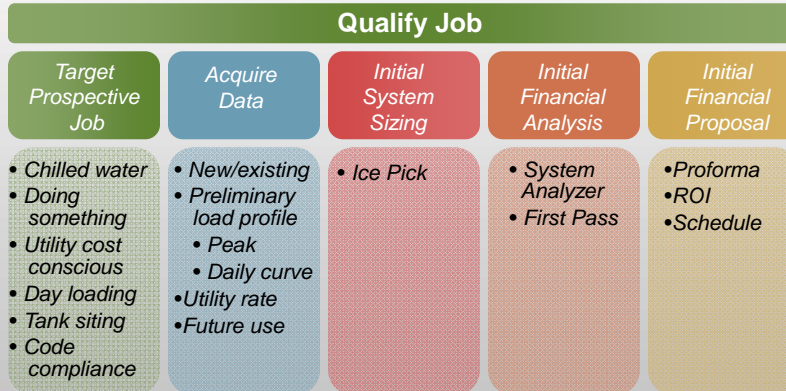
Will it pay back?

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Qualifying Design
—Utility Rates
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Ice Energy Storage Design Acquire Data

- Cooling load
- Utility rates
 - kW charge—Ratcheted?
 - On-Peak/Off-Peak—kW and/or KWh
 - Real time pricing
 - Up front or on-going incentives

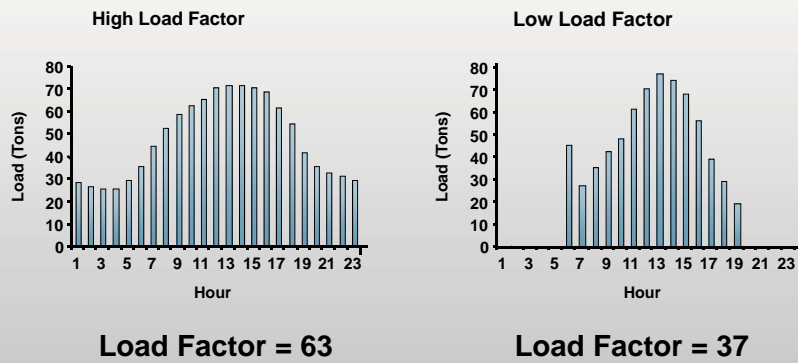
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Ice Energy Storage Design Monthly Load Factor

$$\frac{\text{Month's kWh Usage}}{\text{Peak Demand (kW)} \times 730 \text{ hours per month}}$$

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Ice Energy Storage Design Monthly Load Factor



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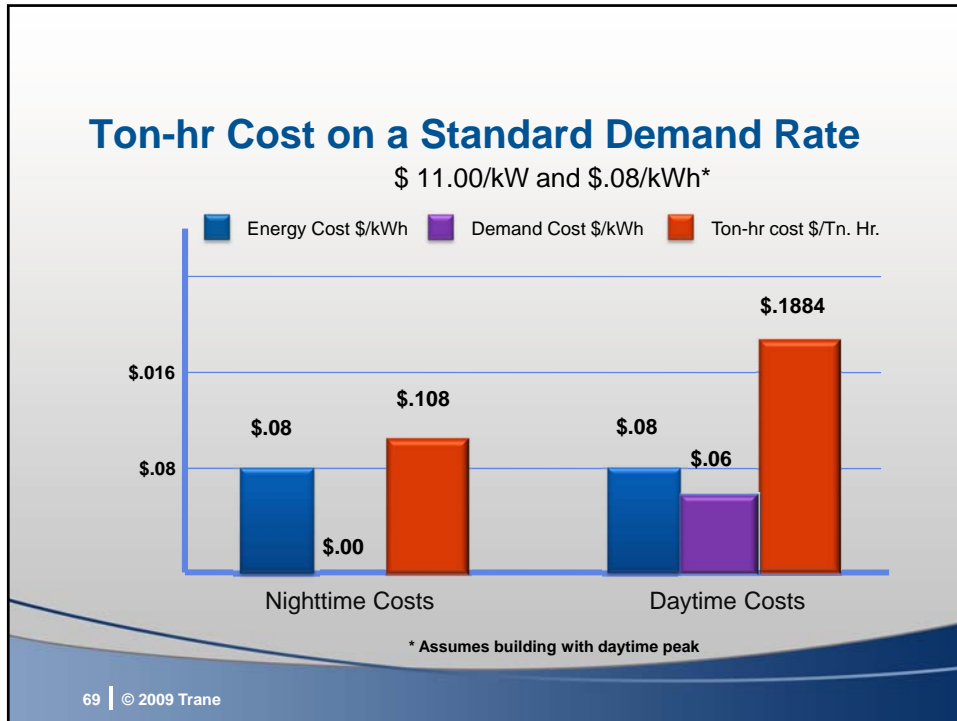
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Electric Rates and Types

- Demand rate—most common
 - Ratchet
 - Time of day



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- Demand rate—most common
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 - Stepped rate
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Georgia Power Electric Rates PLM-4

All consumption (kWh) not greater than

200 hours times the billing demand:

First 3,000 kWh	@.....	9.317¢ per kWh
Next 7,000 kWh	@.....	8.540¢ per kWh
Next 190,000 kWh	@.....	7.350¢ per kWh
Over 200,000 kWh.....	@.....	5.696¢ per kWh

All consumption (kWh) in excess of 200

hours and not greater than 400 hours times the billing demand..... @..... 0.949¢ per kWh

All consumption (kWh) in excess of 400

hours and not greater than 600 hours times the billing demand..... @..... 0.715¢ per kWh

All consumption (kWh) in excess of 600

hours times the billing demand..... @..... 0.623¢ per kWh

Minimum Monthly Bill:

- A. \$15.00 base charge plus \$6.83 per kW of billing demand with a ratchet of 95% of peak
- B. Summer demand

Electric Rates and Types

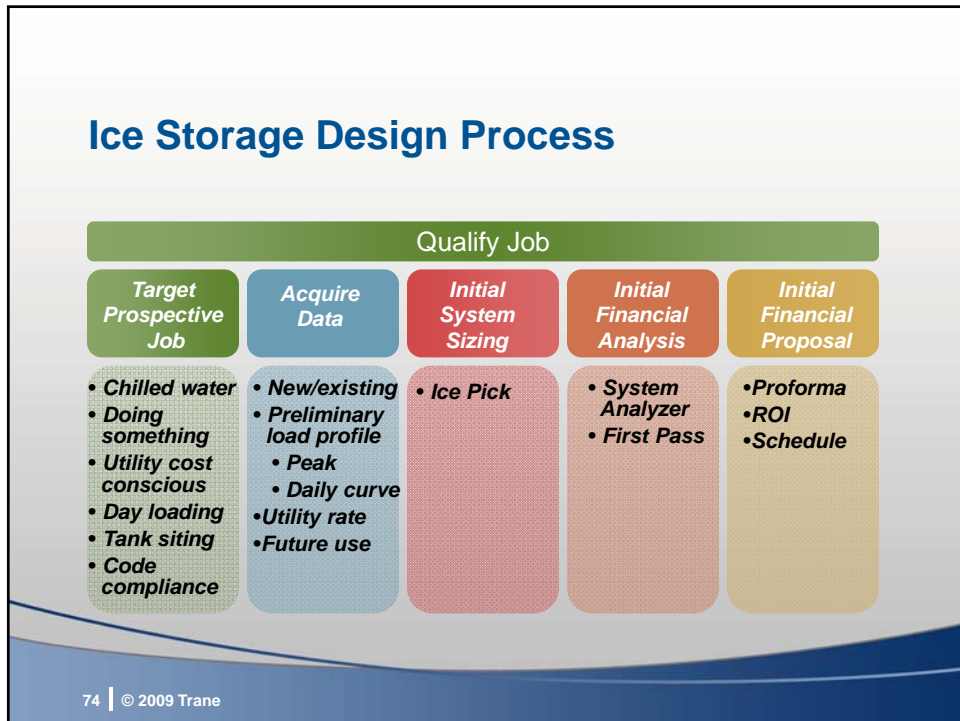
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 - Time of day
- Stepped rate
- Flat rate
- Real-time pricing



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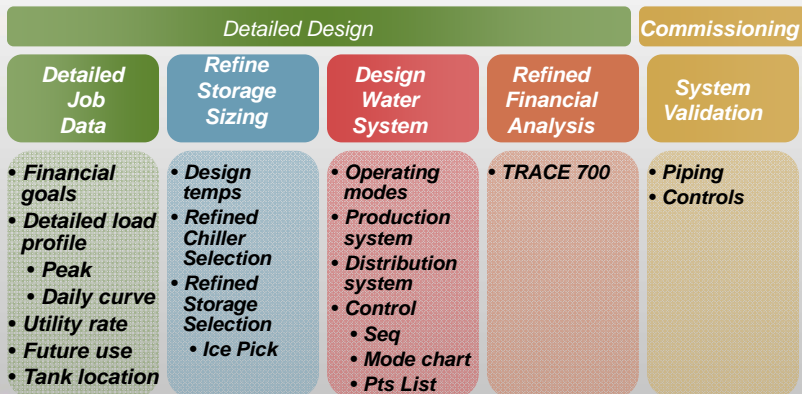



Ice Storage Design Process

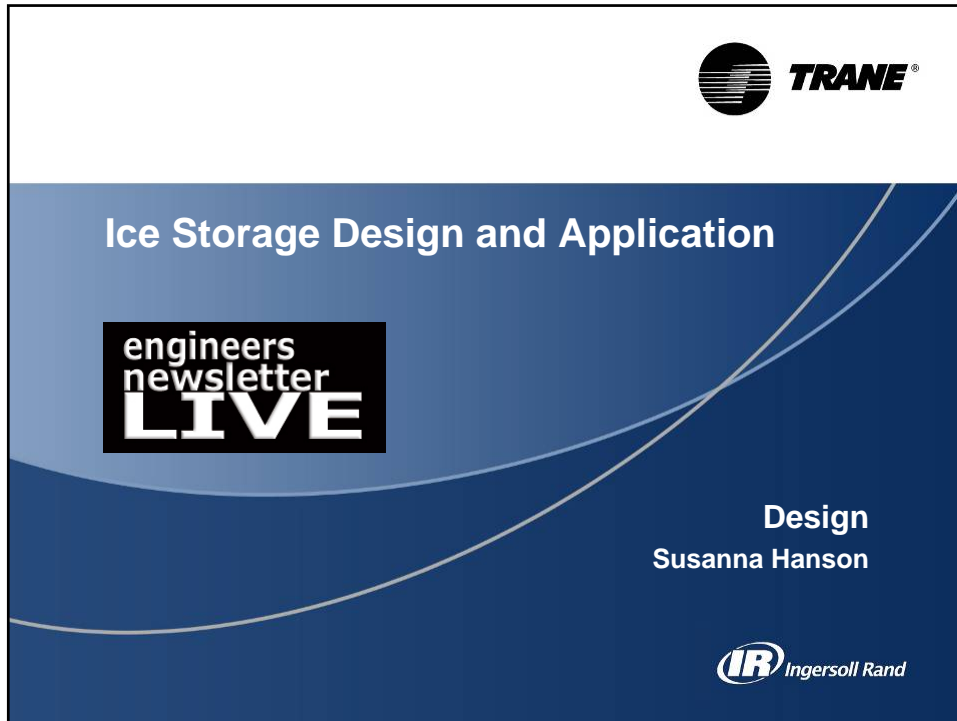


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Ice Storage Design Process



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Proper Use of Glycol

- EG v PG
 - EG more efficient
 - PG less toxic
- Affect on coils
 - New
 - Existing
- Affect on chillers
 - Reduced heat transfer
 - Reduced flow rates, wider delta T

Proper Use of Glycol


solution	freeze point	specific heat	viscosity
water	32°F	1.0 Btu/lb-°F	1.5 cp
ethylene glycol (25%)	11.4°F	0.90 Btu/lb-°F	3.2 cp
propylene glycol (30%)	9.3°F	0.92 Btu/lb-°F	5.2 cp

fluid temperature = 40°F

Proper Use of Glycol

- Do you *want* glycol through the whole building?
 - Smaller systems—yes
 - Freeze protection in coils (no need for coil pumping)
 - Not a lot of glycol, avoid HX cost
 - Larger systems—maybe not
 - First cost of glycol
 - Pumping cost
 - Glycol compatible control valves
 - Heat exchangers are a one time cost
 - Head pressure requirements for larger systems

Proper Use of Glycol—Coils



solution	entering fluid °F	coil rows	total capacity MBh	pressure drop (air) in. H ₂ O	fluid flow rate gpm	pressure drop (fluid) ft. H ₂ O
water	45	6	455	0.64	75.5	6.89
25% EG	45	6	395	0.62	86.4	7.83

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25% EG	45	6	455	0.65	120.7	14.3
25% EG	40	6	455	0.64	84.1	7.52

We didn't change the coil, so this works in existing building retrofits too

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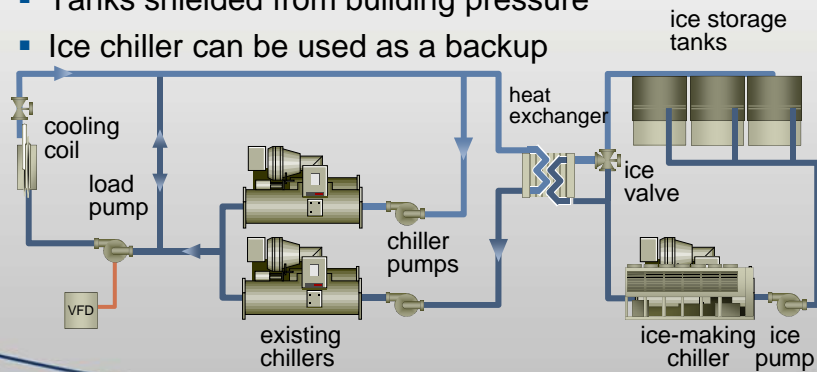
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25% EG	40	6	455	0.64	84.1	7.52
25% EG	38	6	455	0.64	76.8	6.41

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Dedicated Ice Chillers with HX

- Ice chiller on tank loop shields building from glycol
- Tanks shielded from building pressure
- Ice chiller can be used as a backup



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Chiller Impact of Glycol

- Chiller plus ice cooling mode
 - 48–56 for upstream chiller
 - 60-ton nominal chiller
 - 25% glycol
 - Ice making capable
- Ice charging mode
 - 21.6 average leaving chiller (from IcePick)
 - 134 gpm (from IcePick)
 - 60-ton nominal chiller
 - 25% glycol

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Chiller Selections—Dual Modes

CGAM-1, 48-56

Performance			
Unit type:	High efficiency	Full load efficiency:	10.7 EER
Unit nominal tonnage:	60 tons	IPLV:	15.8 EER
Capacity:	59.50 tons	NPLV:	16.8 EER

Evaporator			
Evap application:	Ice making w/ interface	Evap fluid freeze point:	11.40 F
Evap leaving temp:	48.00 F	Evap fouling factor:	0.00010 hr-ft²-deg F/Btu
Evap entering temp:	56.00 F	Min evap flow rate:	71.00 gpm
Evap flow rate:	190.70 gpm	Press drop at min evap flow:	5.70 ft H2O
Evap press drop:	35.70 ft H2O	Max evap flow rate:	213.10 gpm
Evap fluid type:	Ethylene glycol	Press drop at max evap flow:	43.90 ft H2O
Evap fluid concentration:	25.00 %	Pressure vessel code:	BPHE - exempt from ASME

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Chiller Selections—Dual Modes

CGAM 21-27 EG

Performance			
Unit type:	High efficiency	Full load efficiency:	7.1 EER
Unit nominal tonnage:	60 tons	IPLV:	15.8 EER
Capacity:	39.60 tons	NPLV:	11.6 EER

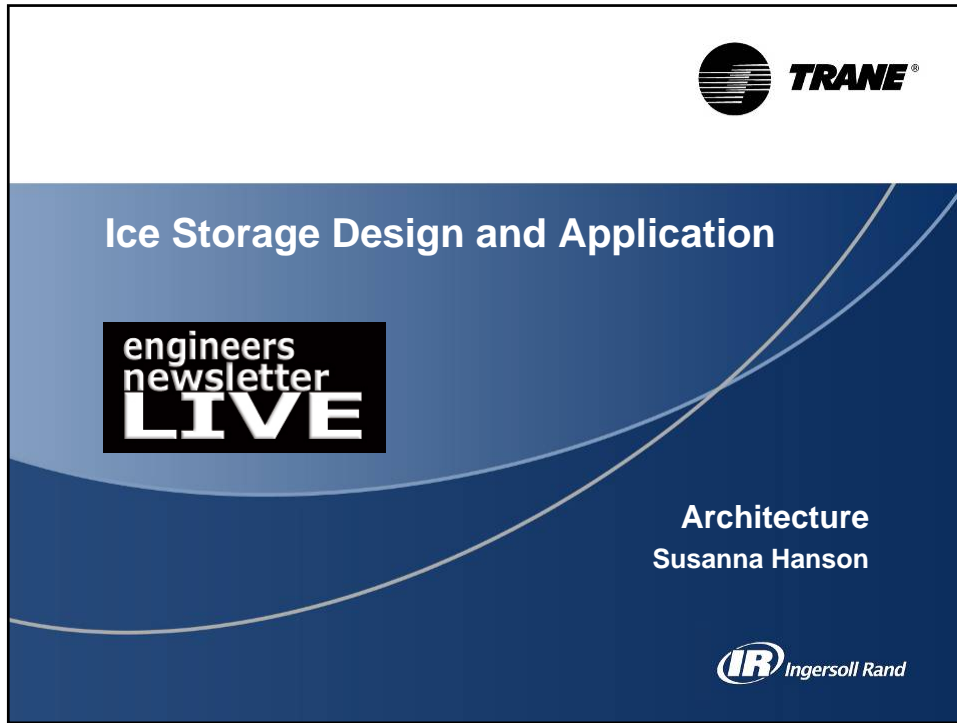
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Evap leaving temp:	21.60 F	Evap fouling factor:	0.00010 hr-ft ² -deg F/Btu
Evap entering temp:	27.60 F	Min evap flow rate:	71.00 gpm
Evap flow rate:	170.40 gpm	Press drop at min evap flow:	5.70 ft H ₂ O
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Proper Use of Glycol—Chillers

- Tank surface area affects tank charging temperature
 - Ice tank types and tank manufacturers vary
 - May need another tank if the charging temp is too low
 - Make sure chiller can handle the charging temperature
 - Chiller types and chiller manufacturers vary
- Chillers are selected for lower leaving water temperatures—why not take advantage of it?
 - Wider system ΔT —lower flows
 - Lower supply water temperatures

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Design—Project Level Considerations

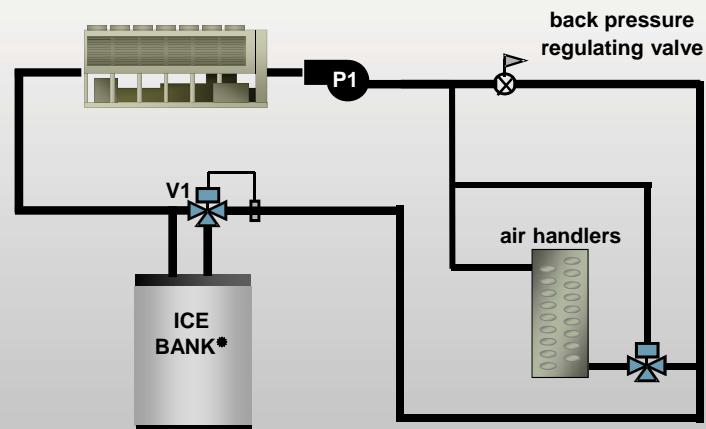
- How should it be piped
 - Constant volume—3-way valves on AHU coils
 - Constant primary/variable secondary
 - Variable primary flow
- Direction of flow during charge and discharge
 - Same direction for best operation

Chilled Water Distribution Design Constant Volume

- 3-way valves on coils
- Wider delta Ts reduce pumping horsepower
 - Larger CV system justified
- Better for small systems

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Chilled Water Distribution Design Constant Volume



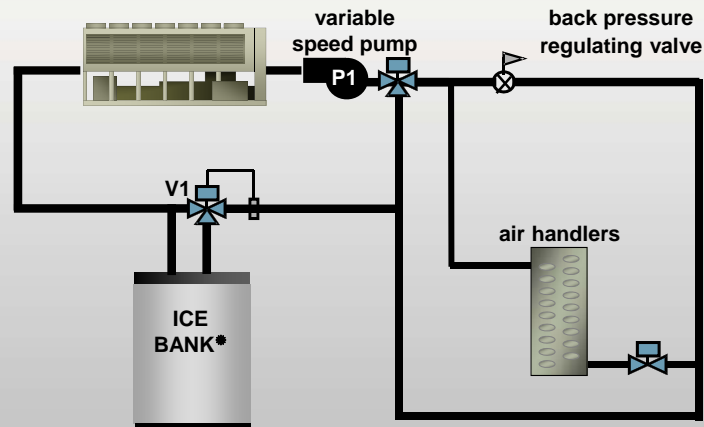
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Chilled Water Distribution Design Variable Primary Flow

- **Preference for high system delta T in systems with ice**
 - Gives the chiller more flow turndown
 - New chiller designs don't need this for good turndown
- **If glycol throughout system**
 - Variable flow and pump pressure optimization save more energy than primary secondary
 - Wide delta T may have eliminated pump penalty already
- **Not as much experience**
 - IcePick does not currently model it
- **Controls more complicated**
 - Cool plus charge mode more difficult

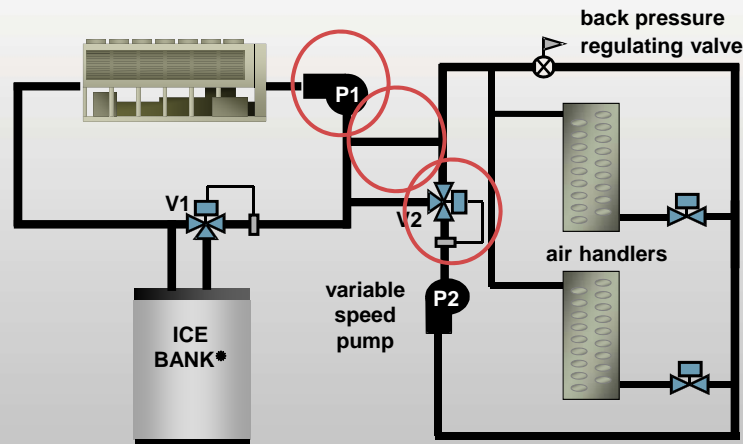
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Chilled Water Distribution Design Variable Primary Flow



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Chilled Water Distribution Design Constant Primary/Variable Secondary



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Chilled Water Distribution Design Constant Primary/Variable Secondary

- Ice chillers and cooling only chillers
 - Simplified pumping and control
- Natural way to blend water temps to control the distribution supply water temp
 - Needed for simultaneous Freeze + Cool mode
- If glycol throughout system
 - Variable flow and pump pressure optimization
 - Increased net-usable ton hours from higher return water temperatures

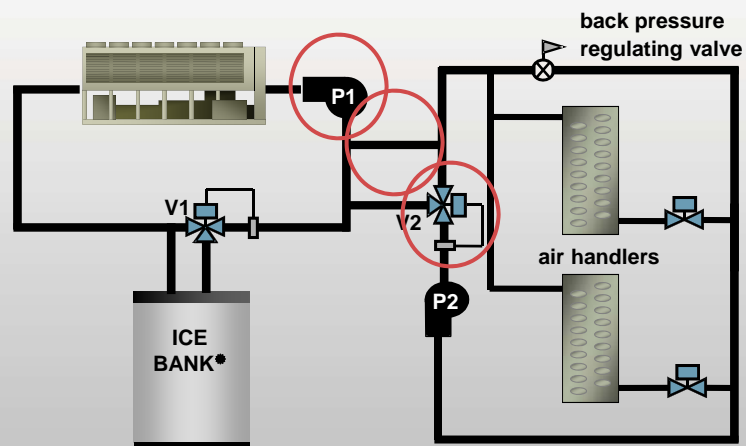
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Alternative Designs

- How many pumps? Pump location?
- Bypass location?
- Valves location?

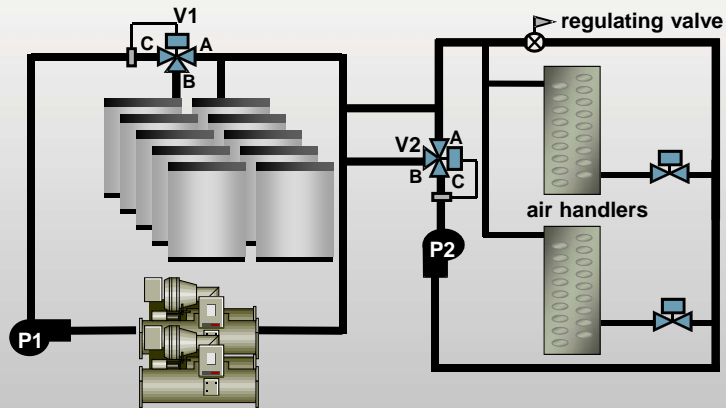
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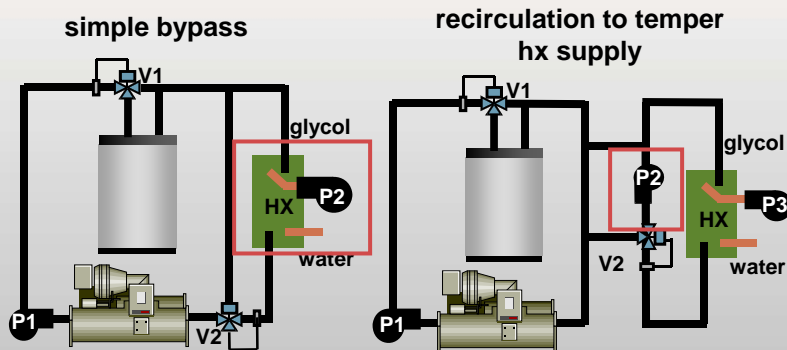
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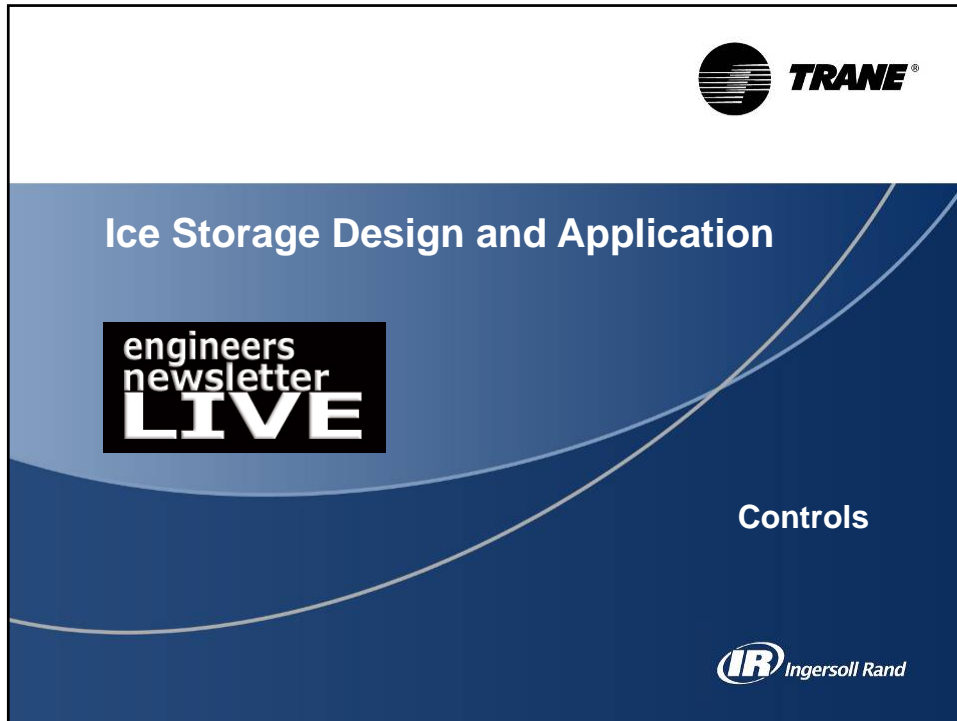


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Series, Decoupled, Chiller Downstream



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Thermal Storage
Control of an ICE System

- Define and document the modes
- Define the goal
- Coordinate with the utility rate structure
- Operator interface

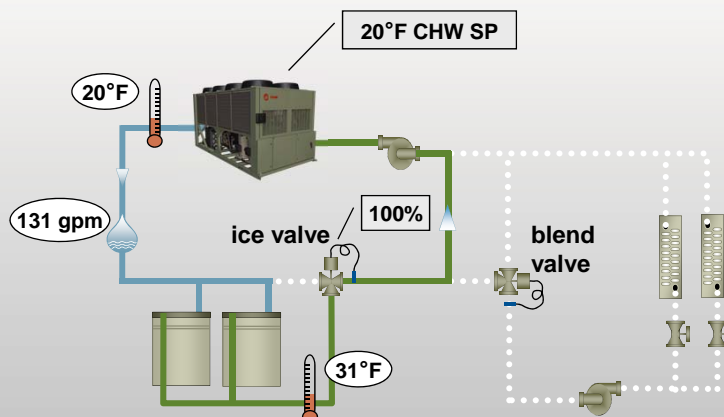
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Thermal Storage Control System Operating Modes

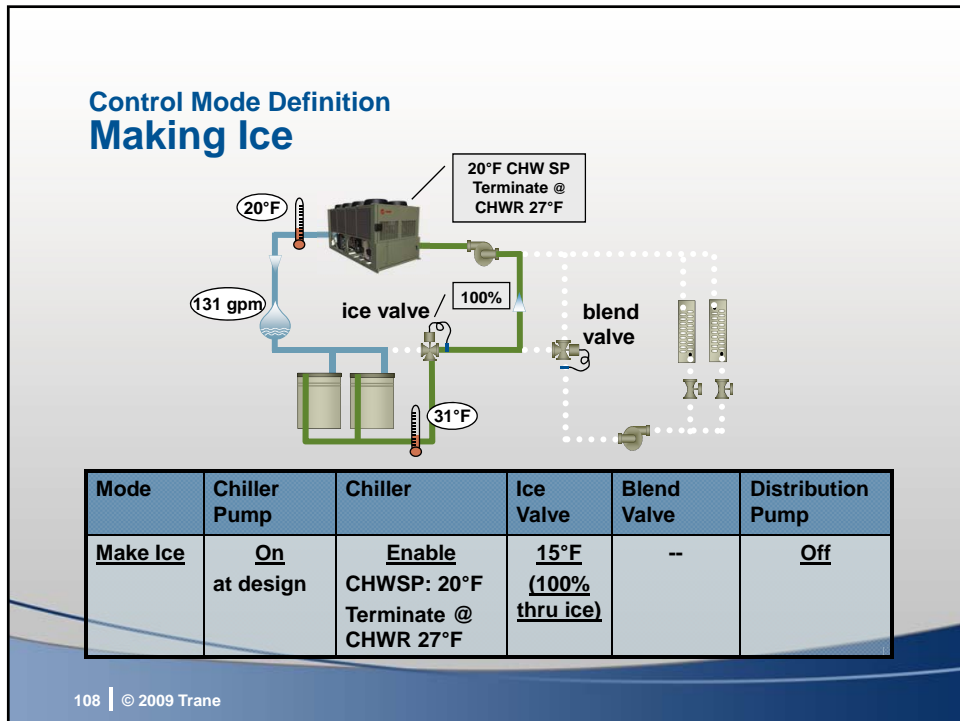
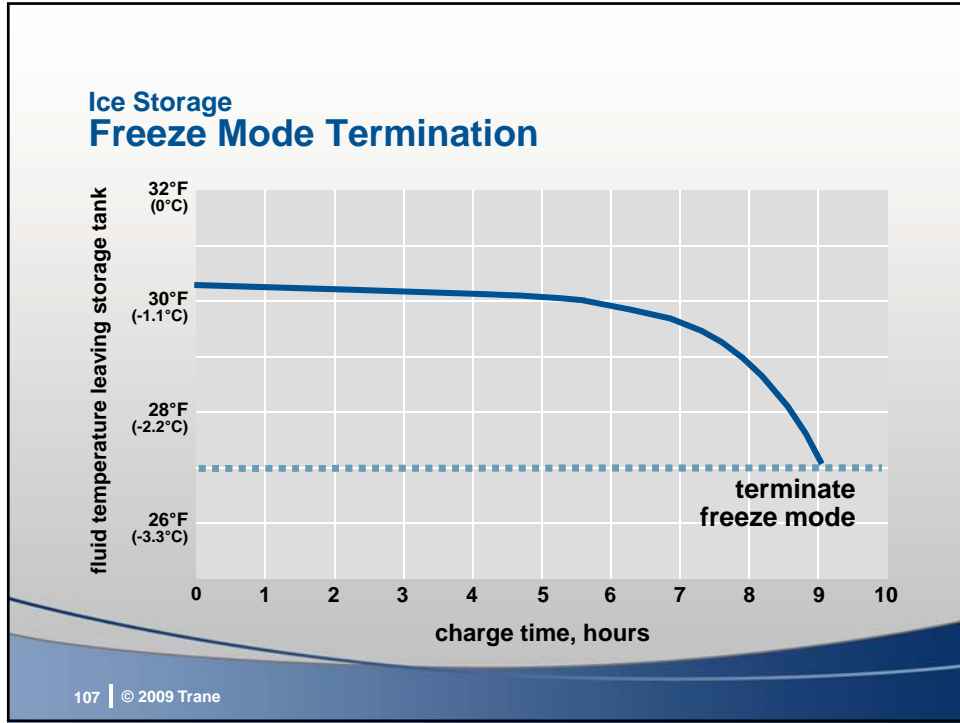
1. Cool building with chiller only
2. Cool building with ice only
3. Cool building with chiller & ice
4. Make ice
5. Make ice & cool building
6. Off

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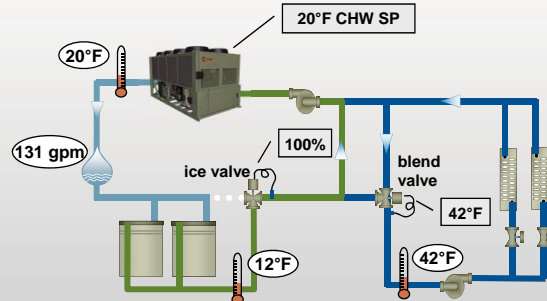
System Mode Diagrams Ice Making Mode



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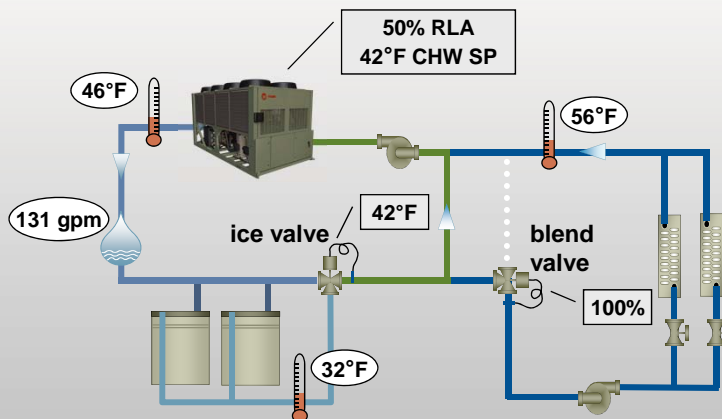
Control Mode Definition Making Ice and Cool



Mode	Chiller Pump	Chiller	Ice Valve	Blend Valve	Distribution Pump
<u>Make Ice</u>	<u>On</u> at design	<u>Enable</u> CHWSP: 20°F Terminate @ CHWR 27°F	15°F (100% thru ice)	42°F	Modulate on remote ΔP

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Control Mode Definition Chiller + Ice Cooling



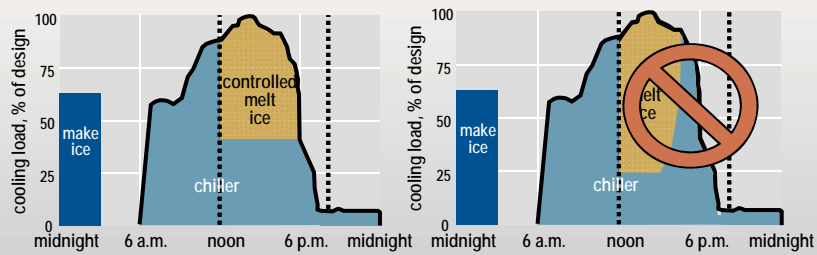
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Ice Energy Storage Energy Saving Goal

- Peak shaving—kW reduction
- Load shifting—kWh deferral
- Real-Time pricing response

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Energy Saving Goal Peak Shaving—kW Reduction

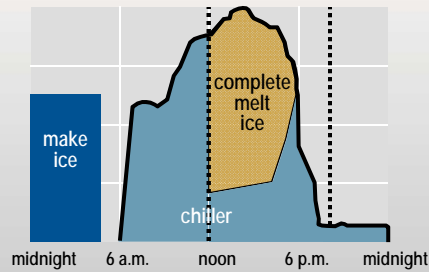


kW avoidance

Do not run out of ice!

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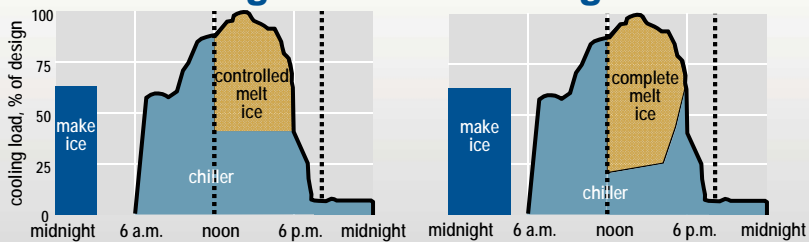
Energy Saving Goal Load Shifting—kWh Deferral



kWh deferral
Melt as much ice as possible!

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Control Mode Definition Peak Shaving vs. Load Shifting



Mode	Chiller Pump	Chiller	Ice Valve	Blend Valve	Distribution Pump
Chiller + Ice Cooling	<u>On</u> at design	<u>Enable</u> RLA Limit: 50% CHWSP: 42°F	<u>42°F</u>	<u>40°F</u> (100% to load)	Modulate on remote ΔP
Chiller + Ice Cooling	<u>On</u> at design	<u>Enable</u> RLA Limit: 30% CHWSP: 42°F	<u>42°F</u>	<u>40°F</u> (100% to load)	Modulate on remote ΔP

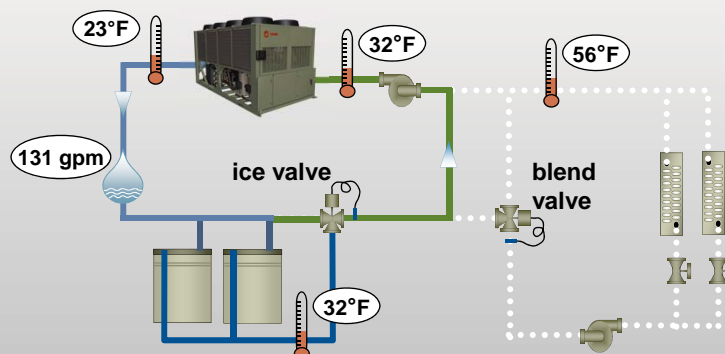
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Ice Storage Control Mode Definition

Mode	Chiller Pump	Chiller	Ice Valve	Blend Valve	Distribution Pump
Chiller Only	On	Enable CHWSP 42°F	55°F (0% Ice)	40°F (100% to load)	Modulate on remote ΔP
Ice Only	On	OFF	42°F	40°F (100% to load)	Modulate on remote ΔP
Chiller & Ice	On	Enable CHWSP 42°F RLA Limit 30-50%	42°F	40°F (100% to load)	Modulate on remote ΔP
Make Ice	On	Enable CHWSP 23°F	15°F (100% to ice)	80°F 0% to load)	Off
Make Ice & Cool	On	Enable CHWSP 23°F	15°F (100% to ice)	42°F	Modulate on remote ΔP
Off	Off	Off	-	-	Off

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Control Mode Definition Diagnostics



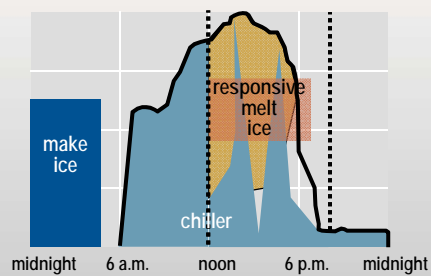
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Control of an Ice System Utility Rate Coordination

- Time of day based mode selection
- Direct measurement of building demand
- Demand response signal from utility
- Monitoring of real-time pricing

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Energy Saving Goal Real Time Pricing Response



kWh deferral
Melt as much ice as possible!

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Control of an Ice System Informed Operators

- Operator interface
 - Well-documented sequence of operation
 - Mode diagram based graphical interface
- Flexible chiller demand control
 - Three button manual control

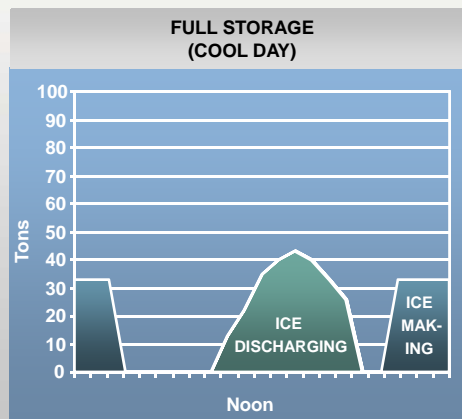
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Control of an Ice System Keep It Simple

Hot &
Humid
Day

Warm
Day

Cool
Day



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Thermal Storage Control of an ICE System

- Define the modes
 - Support all six
- Define the goal
 - Peak shaving—kW reduction
 - Load shifting—kWh deferral
 - Real-time pricing response
- Coordinate with the utility rate structure
 - Direct measurement of building demand
 - Time of day based mode selection
 - Demand response signal from utility
 - Monitoring of real-time pricing
- Operator interface

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Making the Economics Work

- Use actual utility rate for life cycle costs if possible
- Use storage for the safety factor
- Use actual load profile for equipment selection
- Take credit for smaller electrical and mechanical ancillary equipment
- Take advantage of any utility rebates that might be available
- Use low flow high delta T energy distribution
- Use low temperature air distribution

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Energy Charges:

\$ 0.0700/kWh On-Peak

\$ 0.0477/kWh Off Peak

Demand Charge:

\$ 8.33/kW/month

10% less energy/sq ft. than average Florida state building

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Fort Myers Regional Service Center

	<u>Conventional A/C System</u>	<u>Energy Storage</u>
Chillers	\$717,000	\$447,000
Ice Storage	\$0	\$357,000
Pipe & Pumps	\$ 395,000	\$264,000
Air Distribution	\$ 988,000	\$976,000
TOTAL COST	\$ 2,100,000	\$2,044,000
FPL Rebate	\$0	\$187,500
NET Cost to Customer	\$ 2,100,000	\$1,856,500
Net Cost/Ton	\$2,800	\$2,475
Net First Cost Savings		\$ 243,500
Annual Savings over past 3 years		
Electricity (Demand & Energy)		\$119,500
Maintenance & Water (no cooling towers)		\$25,000
Total Annual Operating Savings		\$144,500

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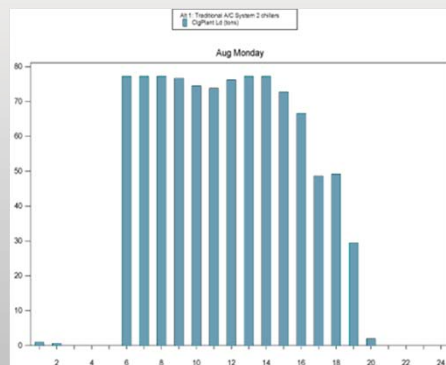
Economic Assumptions

- Electricity: \$0.09198 per kWh, first 15,000
\$0.04347 thereafter
- Demand: \$0.00 first 50 kW
\$12.91 thereafter
- Base: (2) 50-ton air-cooled chillers, no ice
- Alt 1: 60-ton air-cooled chiller, 320 ton-hours of ice
- Alt 2: 70-ton air-cooled chiller, 464 ton-hours of ice

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Load Profile

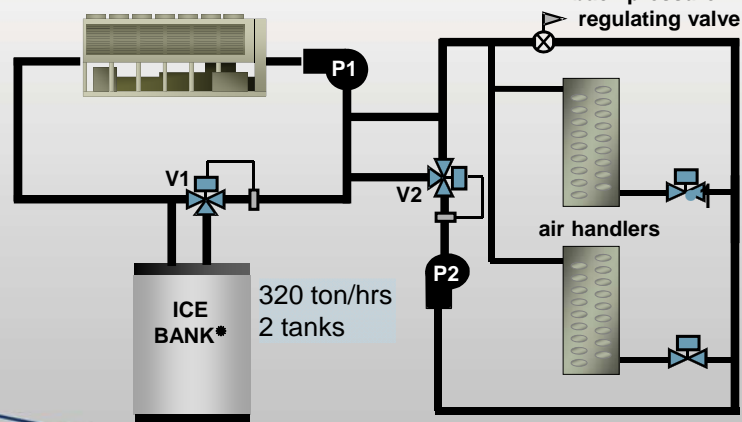
- Peak design: 77 tons
- 4°F unoccupied setback
- Minimal unoccupied load
- Optimum start
- Base case: (2) 50-ton chillers



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Thermal Storage Possibilities

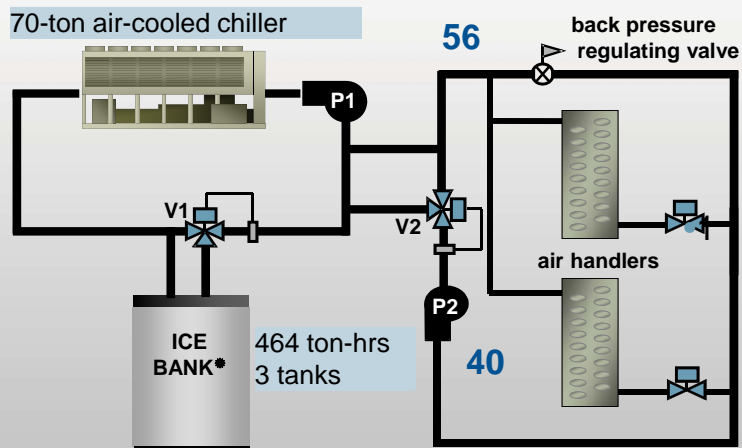
60-ton air-cooled chiller



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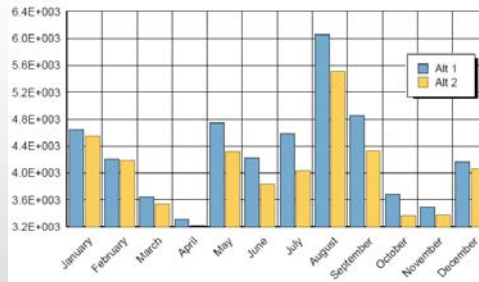
70-ton air-cooled chiller



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Economics

- Alt 1: (2) 50-ton chillers
- Alt 2: (1) 60-ton chiller
(2) tanks (320 t-h)
- Alt 1: \$51,600/yr
- Alt 2: \$48,300/yr
- Alt 1: \$143,000 first cost
- Alt 2: \$158,000 first cost
- 3.7 year payback
- IRR 30%



Economic Summary

Alternative Number	Installed Cost	First Year Util. Cost	Final Year Util. Cost	First Year Maint. Cost	Final Year Maint. Cost	Life Cycle Cost
1	143,000.00	51,599.49	51,599.49	2,000.00	2,000.00	616,080.07
2	158,015.00	48,329.84	48,329.84	1,200.00	1,200.00	579,690.40

Alt - Alt	First Cost Difference	Simple Payback	Net Present Value	Life Cycle Payback	Internal Rate of Return
2 - 1	15,015.00	3.7 yrs	36,389.67	4.8 yrs	29.7 %

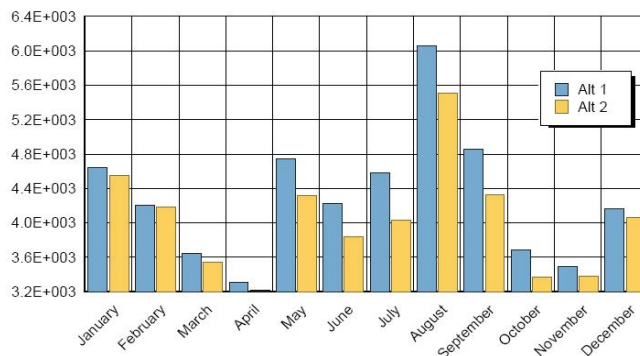
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Economic Comparison of the Alternatives

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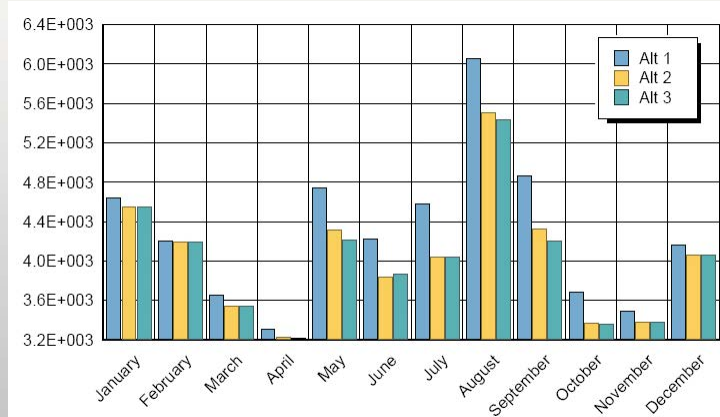
Reduced Demand

Alternative 1		Traditional A/C System 2 cl	
Yearly Time of Peak: 14(Hr) 8(Month)			
Equipment Description	Electrical Demand (kw)	Percent of Total (%)	
Cooling Equipment			
Air-cooled chiller - 002	61.68	27.72	
Air-cooled chiller - 001	68.88	30.95	
Sub total	130.56	58.67	

Alternative 3		Larger Thermal Storage 1 c	
Yearly Time of Peak: 11(Hr) 8(Month)			
Equipment Description	Electrical Demand (kw)	Percent of Total (%)	
Cooling Equipment			
Air-cooled chiller - 001	59.54	36.46	
Sub total	59.54	36.46	

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Larger Storage System



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Larger Storage System

- Lower kW
- About the same kWh
- 11 year payback versus no storage, 10.5% IRR
- Smaller storage system better

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2	158,015.00	48,329.84	48,329.84	1,200.00	1,200.00	579,690.40
3	193,023.00	48,035.53	48,035.53	1,200.00	1,200.00	612,192.71

Economic Comparison of the Alternatives

Alt. - Alt.	First Cost Difference	Simple Payback	Net Present Value	Life Cycle Payback	Internal Rate of Return
2 - 1	15,015.00	3.7 yrs	36,389.67	4.8 yrs	29.7 %
3 - 1	50,023.00	11.5 yrs	3,887.36	15.1 yrs	10.9 %
3 - 2	35,008.00	118.9 yrs	-32,502.31	Does not pay back	Does not pay back

Alternative 1		Traditional A/C System 2 cl	
Yearly Time of Peak: 14(Hr) 8(Month)			
Equipment Description	Electrical Demand (kw)	Percent of Total (%)	
Cooling Equipment			
Air-cooled chiller - 002	61.68		27.72
Air-cooled chiller - 001	68.88		30.95
Sub total	130.56		58.67
Alternative 2		Thermal Storage 1 chiller 2	
Yearly Time of Peak: 11(Hr) 8(Month)			
Equipment Description	Electrical Demand (kw)	Percent of Total (%)	
Cooling Equipment			
Air-cooled chiller - 001	69.86		40.23
Sub total	69.86		40.23
Alternative 3		Larger Thermal Storage 1 c	
Yearly Time of Peak: 11(Hr) 8(Month)			
Equipment Description	Electrical Demand (kw)	Percent of Total (%)	
Cooling Equipment			
Air-cooled chiller - 001	59.54		36.46
Sub total	59.54		36.46

What If We Got a Rebate?

Economic Summary

Alternative Number	Installed Cost	First Year Util. Cost	Final Year Util. Cost	First Year Maint. Cost	Final Year Maint. Cost	Life Cycle Cost
1	143,000.00	51,599.49	51,599.49	2,000.00	2,000.00	616,080.07
2	146,015.00	48,329.84	48,329.84	1,200.00	1,200.00	567,690.40
3	179,023.00	48,035.53	48,035.53	1,200.00	1,200.00	598,192.71

Economic Comparison of the Alternatives

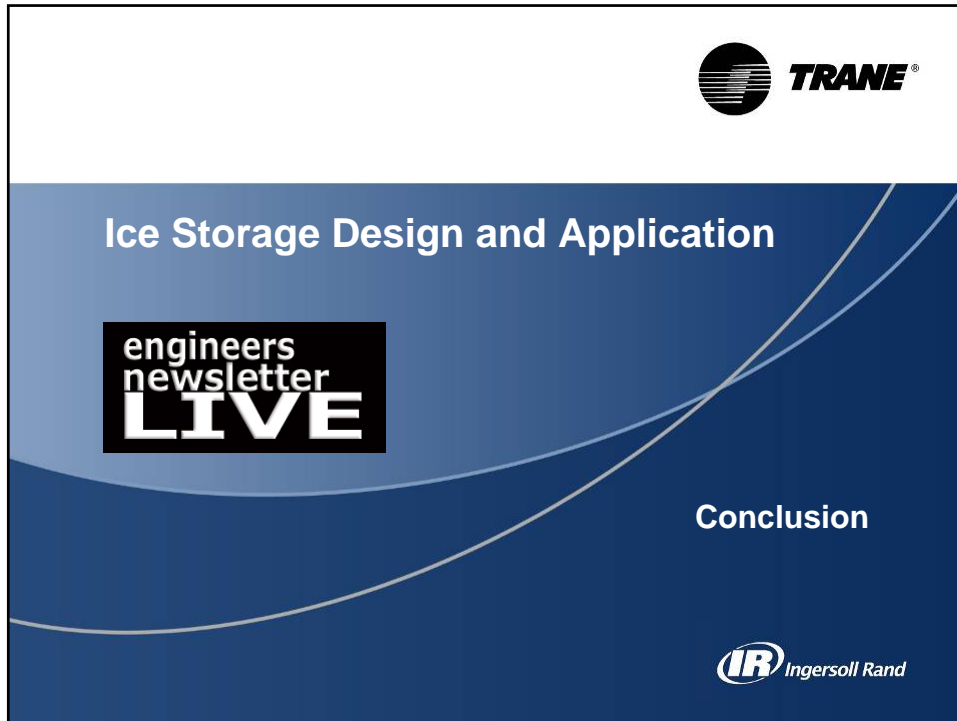
Alt. - Alt.	First Cost Difference	Simple Payback	Net Present Value	Life Cycle Payback	Internal Rate of Return
2 - 1	3,015.00	0.7 yrs	48,389.67	0.8 yrs	135.0 %
3 - 1	36,023.00	8.3 yrs	17,887.36	14.2 yrs	15.0 %
3 - 2	33,008.00	112.2 yrs	-30,502.31	Does not pay back	Does not pay back

Economic Comparison of the Alternatives

Alt. - Alt.	First Cost Difference	Simple Payback	Net Present Value	Life Cycle Payback	Internal Rate of Return
2 - 1	3,015.00	0.4 yrs	75,417.46	0.5 yrs	240.3 %
3 - 1	36,023.00	4.2 yrs	53,111.56	5.8 yrs	25.0 %
3 - 2	33,008.00	26.3 yrs	-22,305.90	Does not pay back	Does not pay back

Could We Have Done More to Maximize ROI?

- Other benefits
- Focus on incremental cost to the project
- Negotiate with utility for different tariff



Ice Storage Design and Application Summary

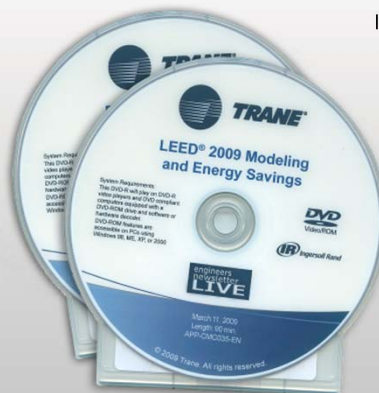
- Reduces a building's utility bill and benefits the environment as well
- Will play a significant role in the utility grid of the future
- Applicable over a wide range of building sizes and types
- Simple and economical
- You don't need a time-of-day rate, an expensive kilowatt-hour charge, or even a demand ratchet to get an attractive return on investment

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