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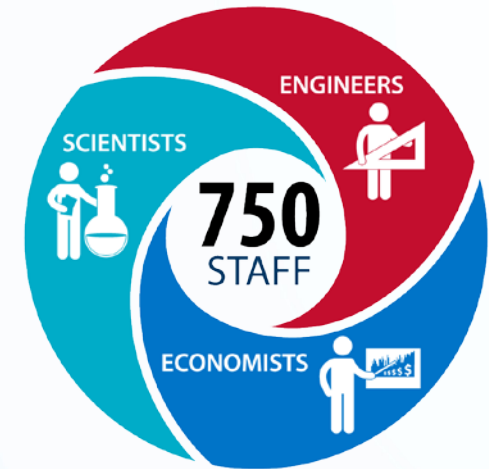
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WILLDAN OVERVIEW

We Are

- High Growth Professional Services Consulting Company
- Solving Problems with Critical Resources

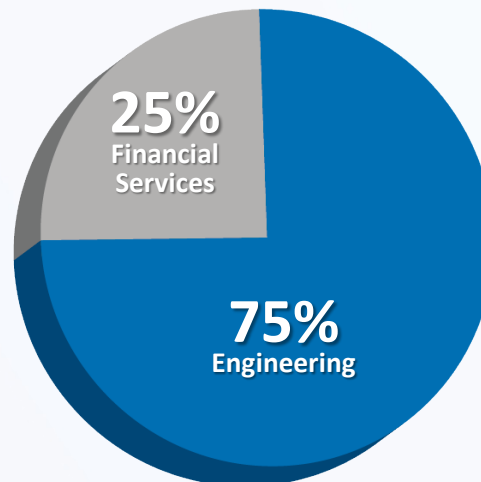
A PEOPLE COMPANY



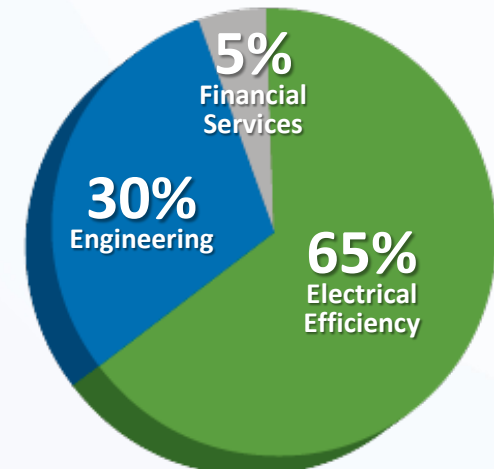
OUR FY15 STATS

- \$135m Revenue
- 25% Revenue Growth
- 7.5% EBITDA Margin
- \$8.1m Cash Flow from Operations

2007

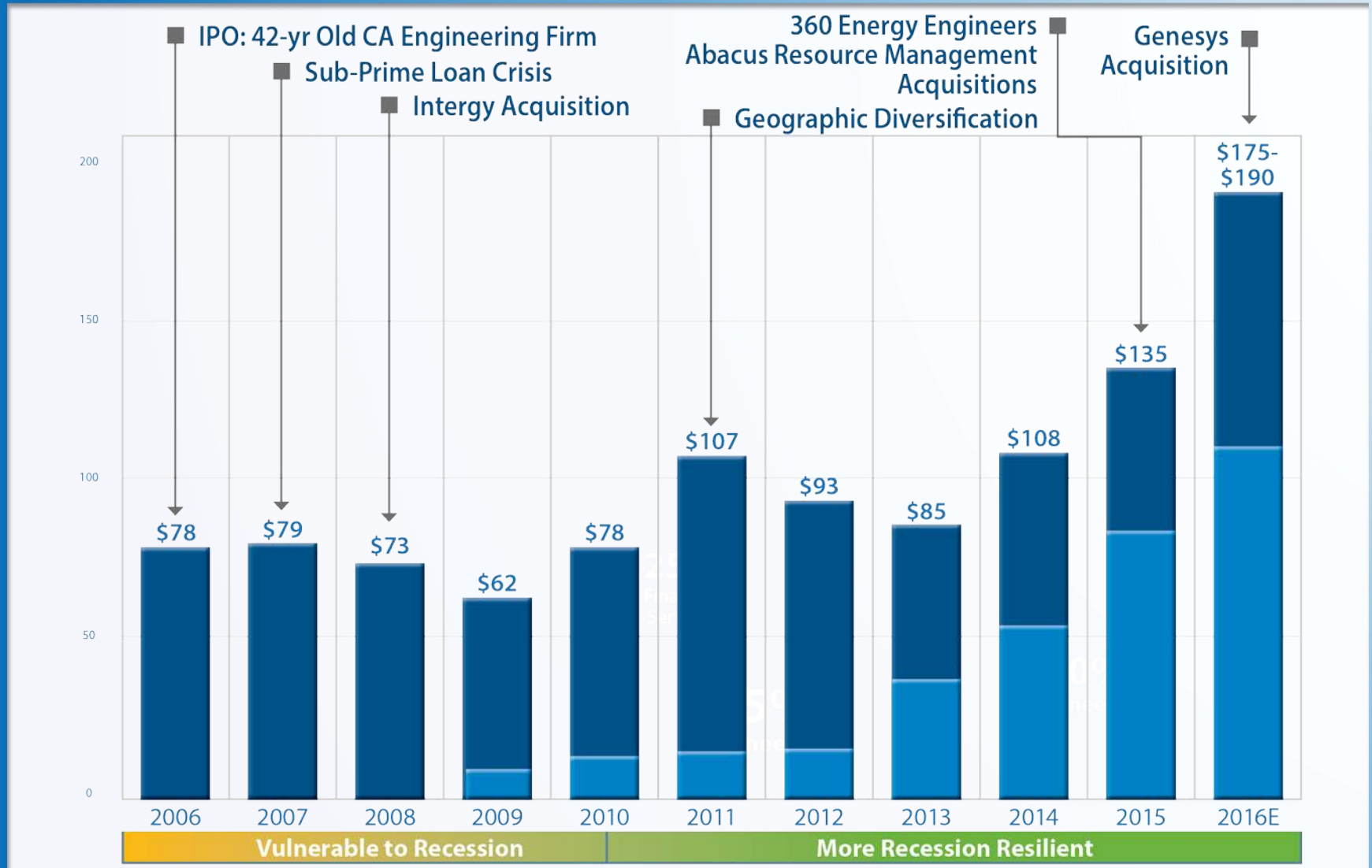


Now



HISTORY

Revenue (\$m)



Electrical Efficiency

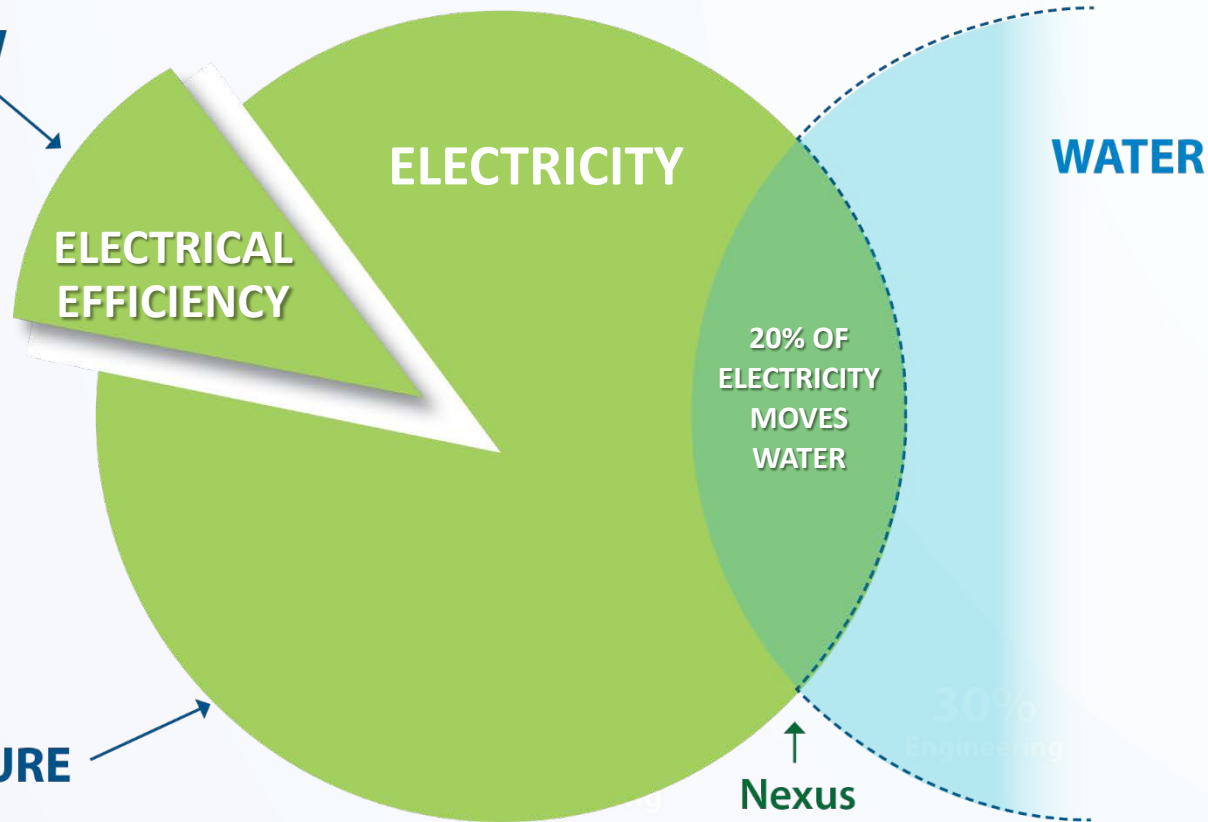
WHY ELECTRICAL EFFICIENCY?

Critical Resources

WILLDAN NOW

- Electrical Efficiency Focused
- Price of Oil Has Nearly No Impact to Business

WILLDAN FUTURE



Market Has Deep-Rooted Growth Drivers

ELECTRICAL EFFICIENCY – MOST COST-EFFECTIVE SOURCE¹

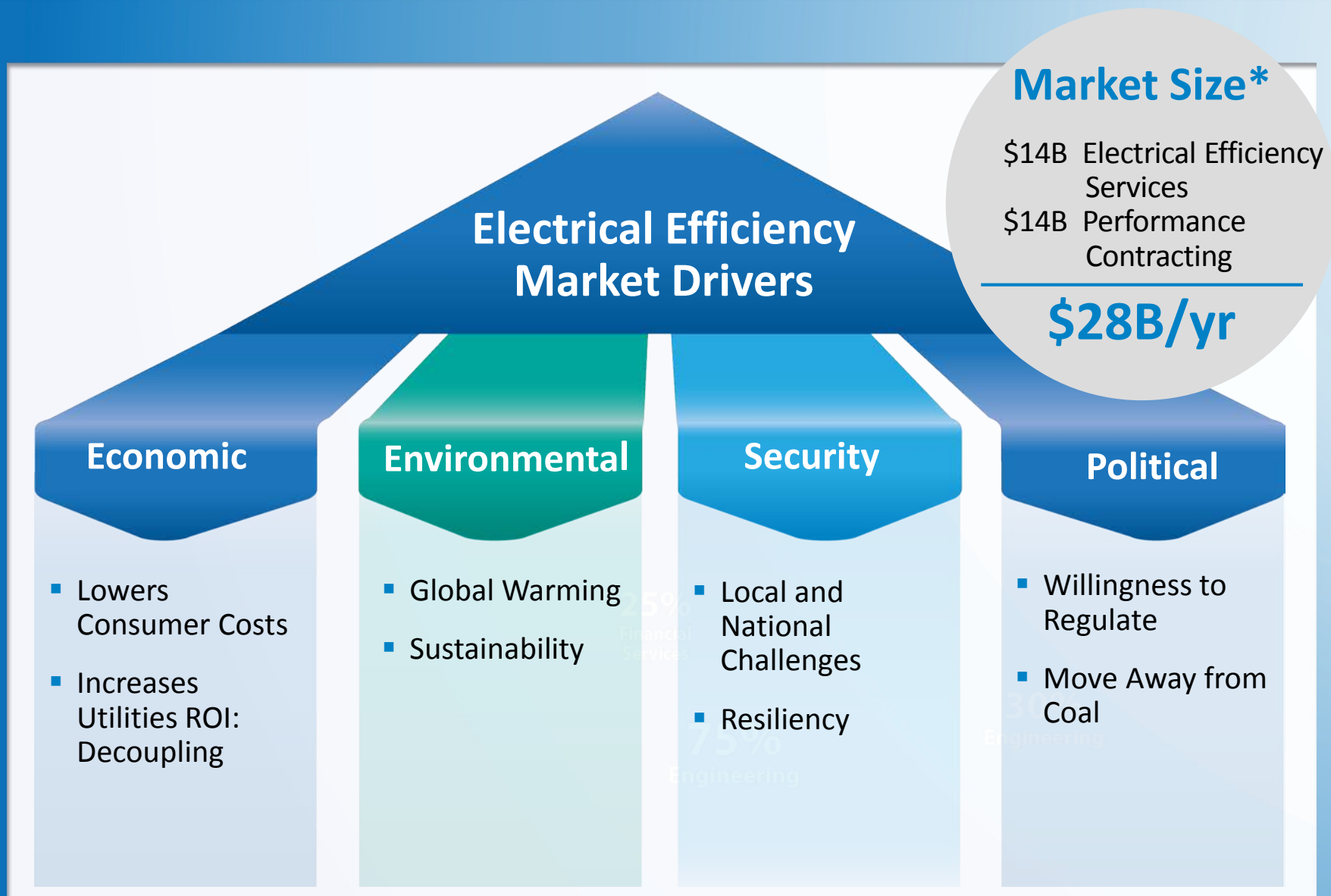
Levelized Cost of New Generating Technologies in 2018

(2011 \$/MWh)

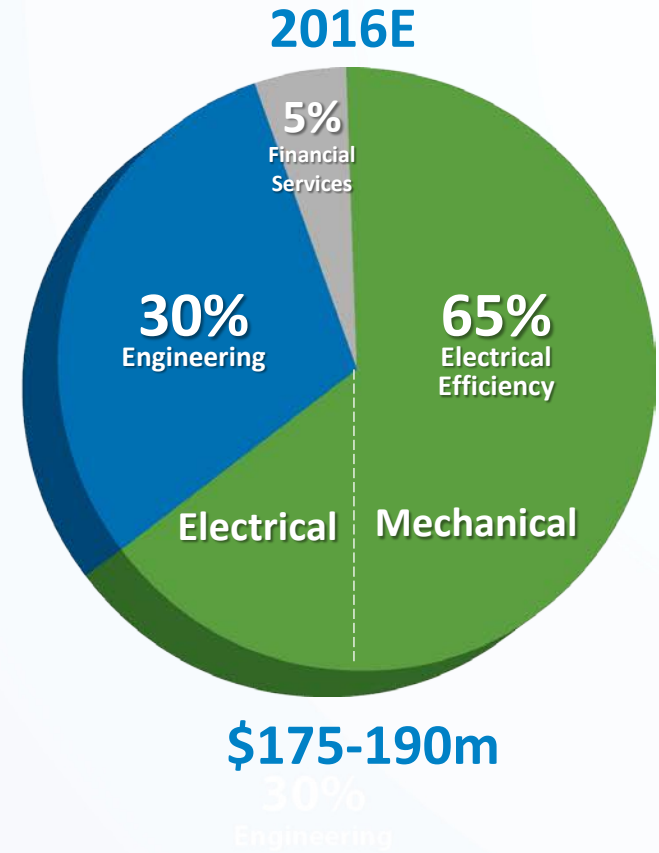
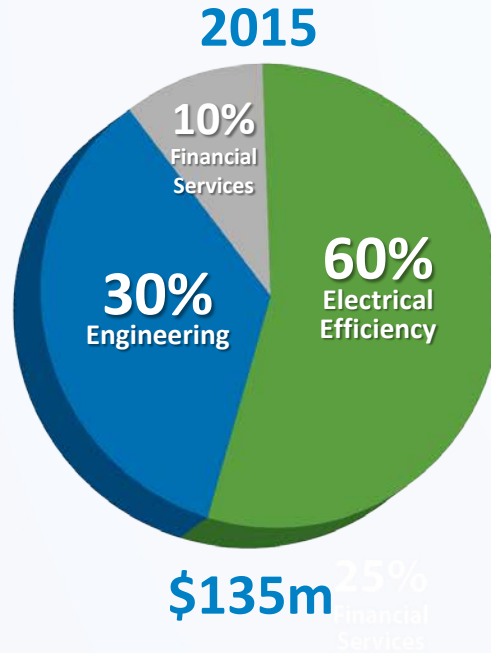
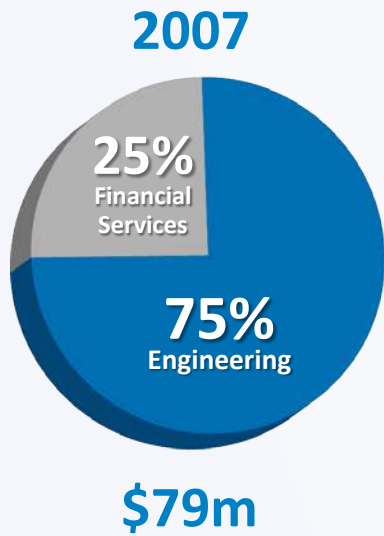


(1) Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration, Annual Energy Outlook 2013

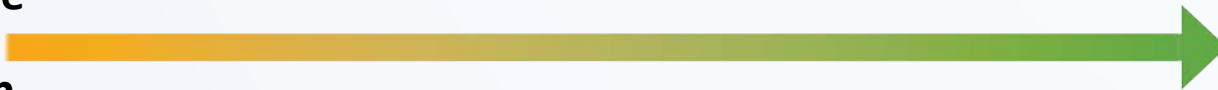
DEEP-ROOTED GROWTH DRIVERS



MORE RECESSION RESILIENT










Vulnerable
to
Recession



More
Recession
Resilient

DIVERSIFIED CUSTOMER BASE

Client Category	% Willdan 2015		Example Customers
	Now	Future	
Utilities	50%	Decrease %	   
State & Local Government	35%	Grow %	 <p>State of California</p> <p>State of New York</p>
Industrial	7%	Grow %	Small Business
Commercial	6%	Grow %	 
Federal Government	<2%	Grow %	30%--
Residential	0%	None	--
International	0%	Consider	--

ROOM FOR GROWTH – FRAGMENTED MARKET

Competitors

Category	Name	Ticker	Revenue (\$m)
Management Consultants	– Navigant	NCI	\$834
	– ICF	ICFI	\$1,132
	– Ameresco	AMRC	\$631
Accounting	– Cap Gemini	CGEMY	\$13,480
	– Accenture	ACN	\$31,170
	– PricewaterCoopers	--	--
Equipment Manufacturing	– Honeywell International	HON	\$38,580
	– Siemens AG	SIEMENS.NS	\$81,040
	– Johnson Control	JCI	\$37,179
Engineering Firms	– AECOM	ACM	\$17,990
	– Black & Veatch	--	\$3,600
	– CH2M Hill	--	\$5,400
Private Equity-Backed Roll-up	– Goodcents	--	\$50
	– Franklin Energy	--	\$100
	– CLEAResult	--	>\$150

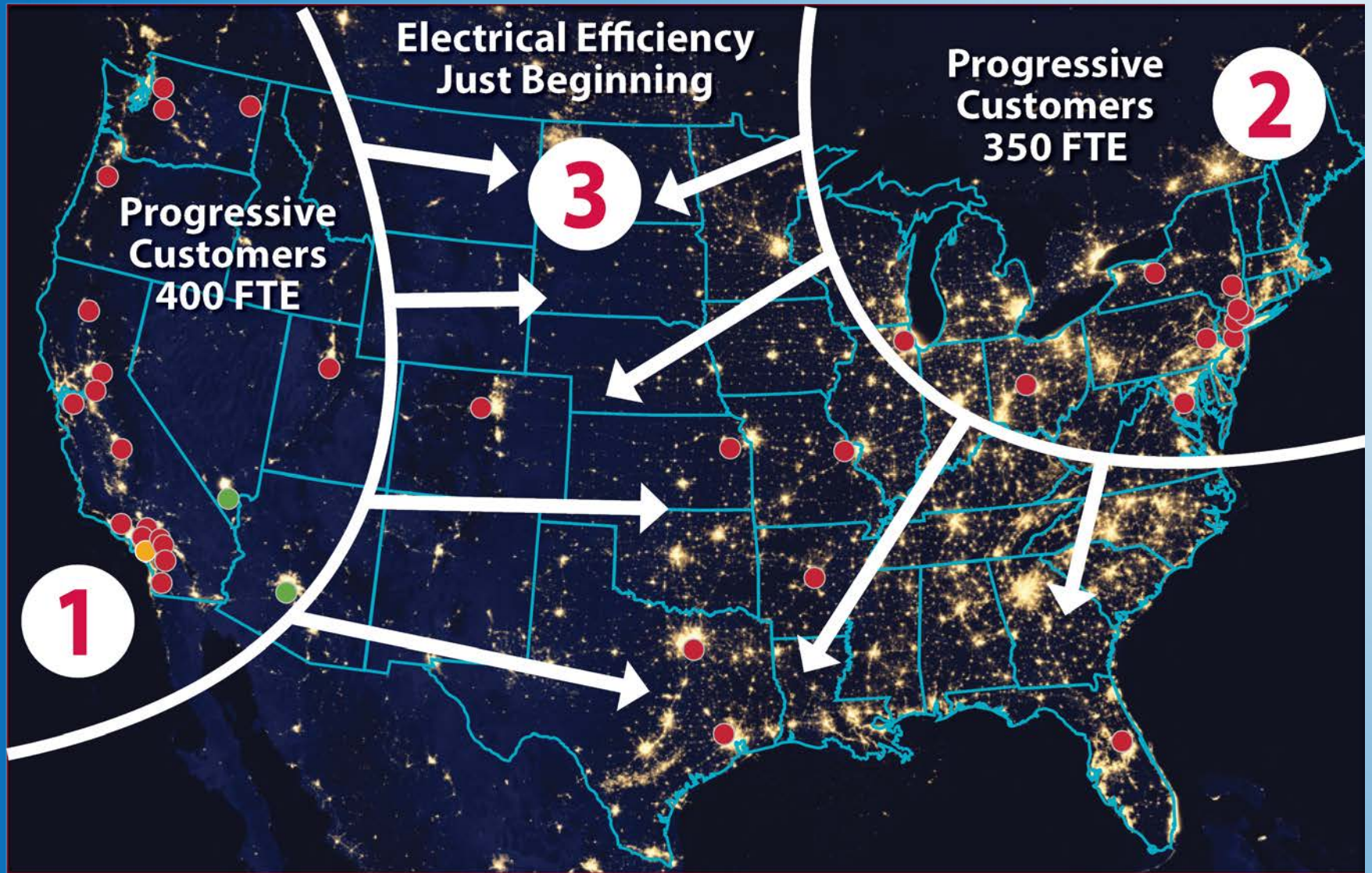
VESTED AND EXPERIENCED MANAGEMENT TEAM

Understands That Organic + Acquisitive = Value Creation

	Size Company that Helped Build	Growth Method	Years with Company
Tom Brisbin <i>President & CEO</i>	\$1B	organic	8 years
Stacy McLaughlin <i>CFO</i>	—	—	5 years
Mike Bieber <i>SVP, Corporate Development</i>	\$3B	70 acquisitions & organic	1 years
Ed Saltzberg <i>SVP, Corporate Development</i>	\$1B	organic	1 years
Marc Tipermas <i>President, National Programs</i>	\$1B	organic	8 years

Management and employees own ≈ 40% of shares

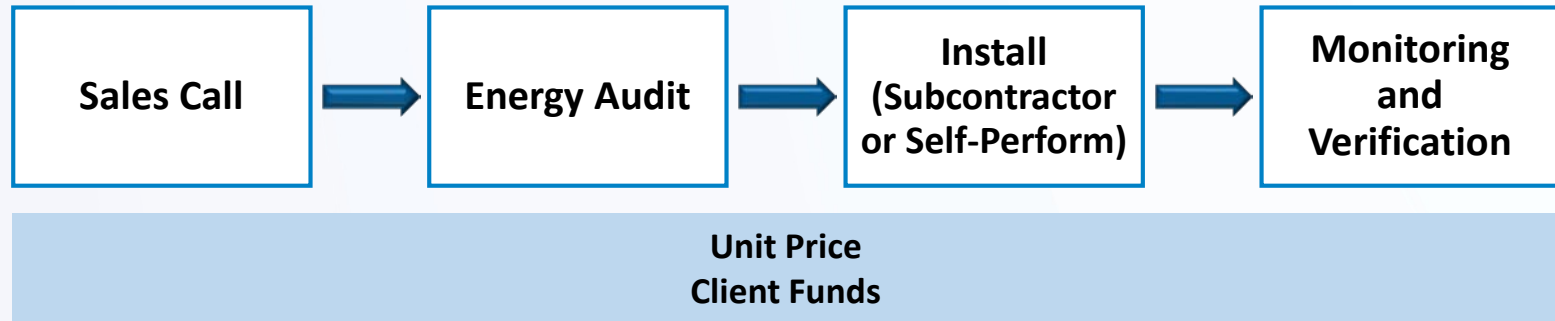
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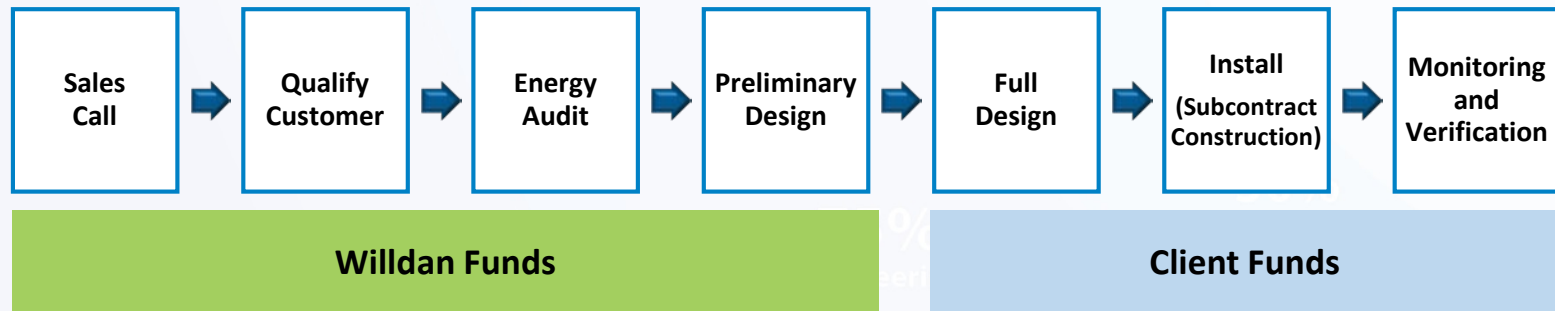
● = Headquarters ● = Original Offices ● = Geographic Expansion

EXAMPLE ELECTRICAL EFFICIENCY PROJECTS

Utility Contracts



Performance Contracts



CROSS-SELLING SUCCESS

Electrical Efficiency Projects for **20** Major Utilities

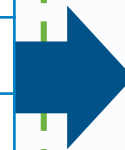


Paid to Interface with **8,200** Customers/Year



Cross-Selling Success

Sample Projects	Approx. Value	Status
1. California LCR	\$90m	Won
2. NorthWest Utility	\$35m	Won
3. NY Village	\$2m	Won
4. KS Municipality	\$4m	Won
5. Large Hotel Chain	\$2m	Won
6. Elk Grove LED	\$3.5m	Won
7. Con Edison Multifamily	\$41m	Won



Organic Growth YTD **23%**

Enabled by Abacus, 360 and Genesys Acquisitions

75%

30% Engineering

ELECTRICAL EFFICIENCY ENGINEERING ACQUISITION



Genesys

- Adds power engineering services to the East Coast
- Expands capabilities with universities and hospitals
- Adds >\$30M revenue/ accretive to earnings in 2016

Services

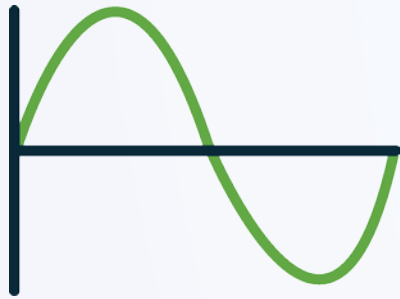
75%
Engineering

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EXISTING vs FUTURE ENERGY GRID

Existing Energy Grid

GENERATION



Alternating Current (AC)

TRANSMISSION

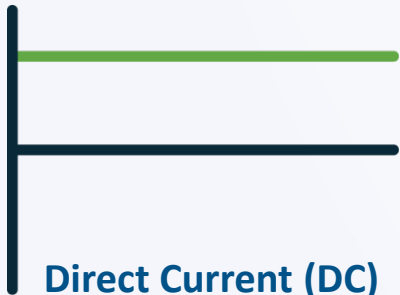


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Future Energy Grid

GENERATION



Direct Current (DC)

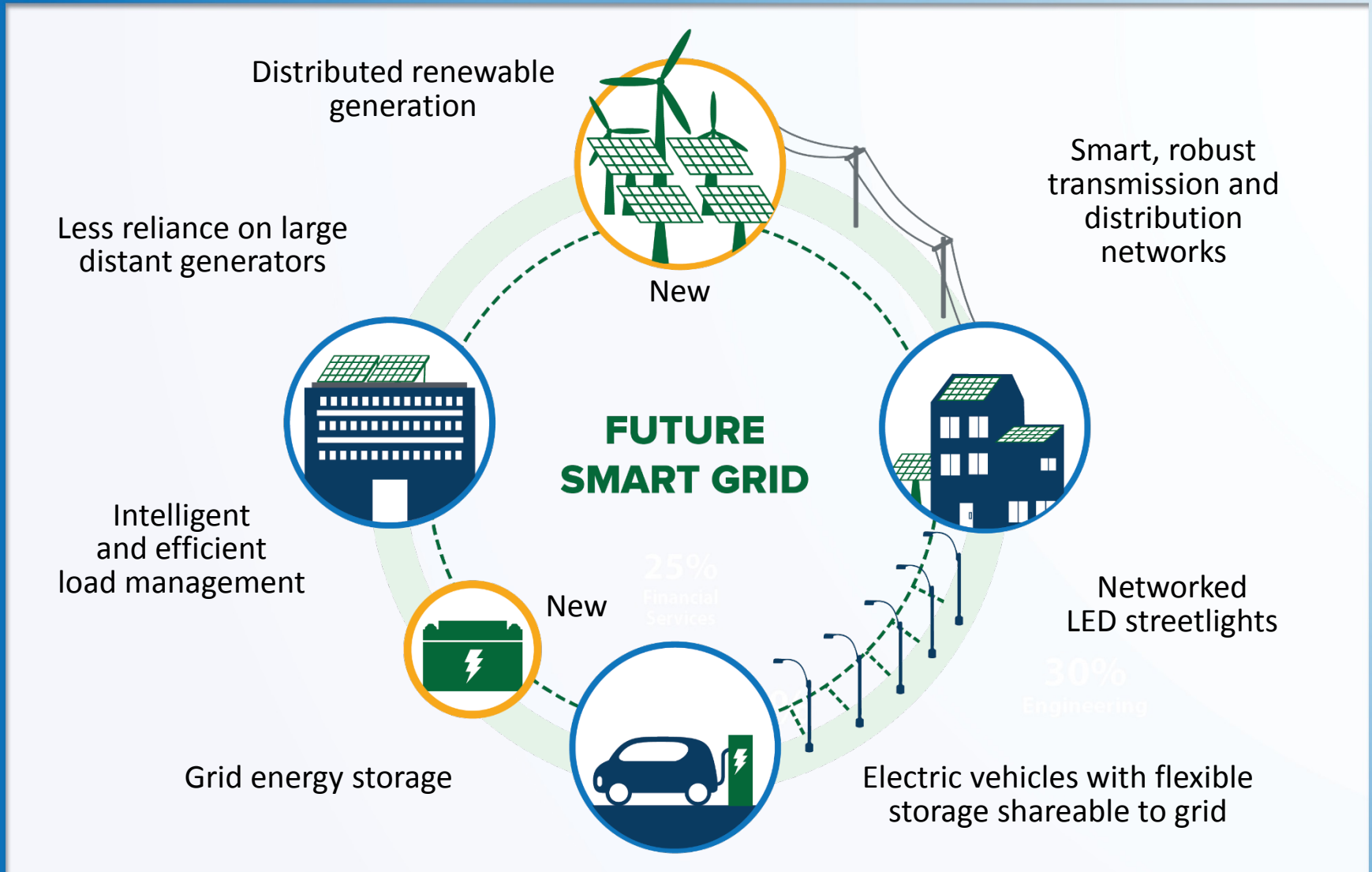
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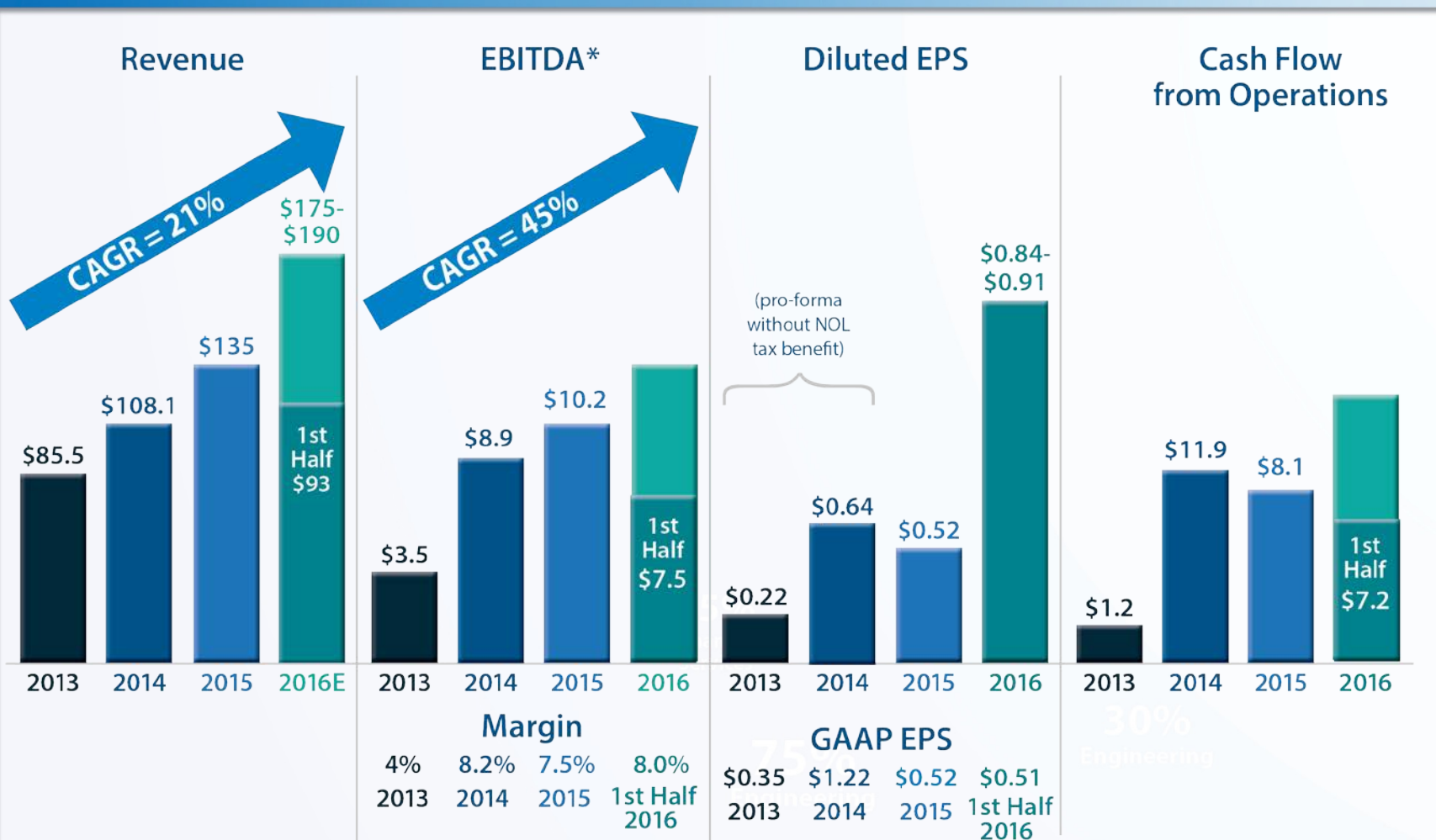


FUTURE SMART GRID



THREE-YEAR FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

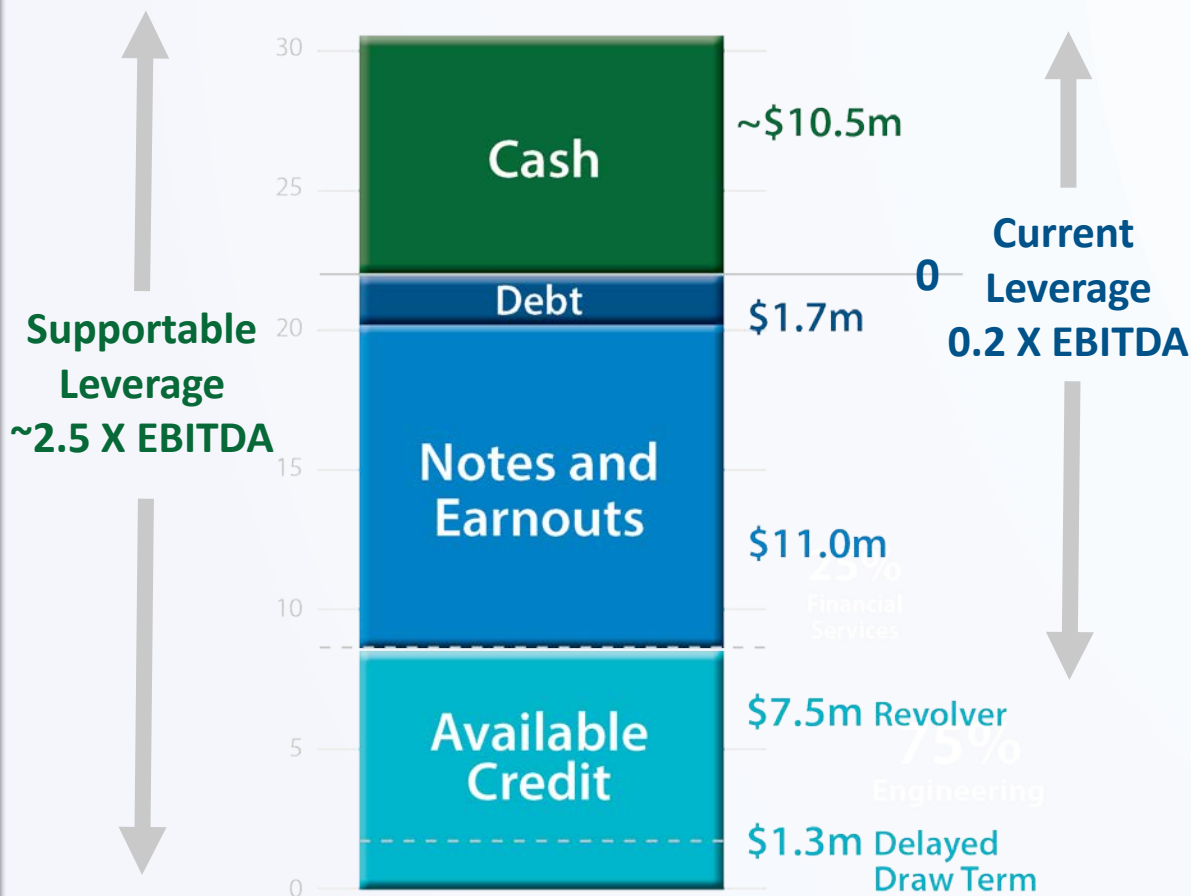
\$ in millions



** Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization. EBITDA is not a measure calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and should not be considered a replacement for GAAP results. See appendix for a reconciliation to GAAP financial measures.

BALANCE SHEET/ACQUISITION STRATEGY

At End of Q2 2016

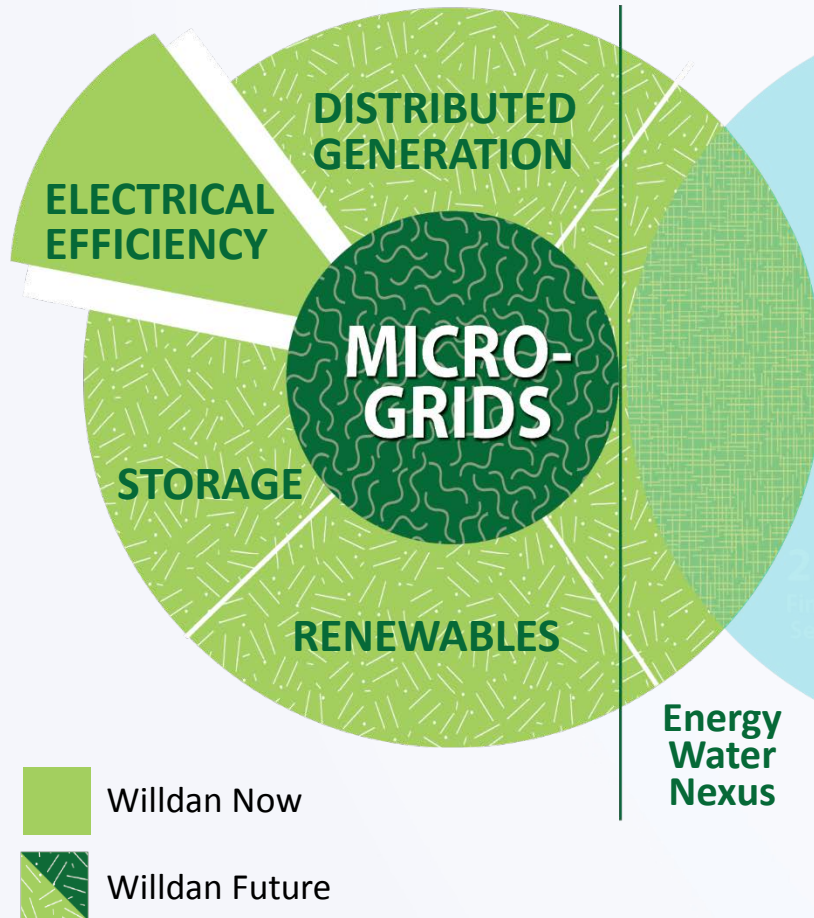


- Target small accretive tuck-in acquisitions
 - Expand geographically
 - Expand service offerings

Acquisitions	Rev/yr	Acquired
360 Energy Engineers	\$15M	1/2015
Abacus	\$10M	1/2015
Genesys	\$30M	3/2016

GROWTH STRATEGY

Energy



	Long-Term	Mid-Point 2016E
Organic Growth	>10%	~15%
Accretive Acquisitions	>10%	~20% Complete
Total Growth	>20%	>35%

SUMMARY

- We are a high-growth electrical efficiency company
- We have a vested and experienced management team
- **2016 Outlook:**

	Range	Growth%
Revenue	\$175-190m	30-41%
Diluted EPS	\$0.84-0.91m	62-75%