**Energy Efficiency:** Opportunities in Remote HVAC Performance Monitoring











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## Turning Big Data into Intelligent Automated Action



## **HVAC Remote Diagnostics Service**

Identify **underperforming** and **degrading** HVAC systems



Reveals unrecognized issues in 6% of HVACs/month

# HVAC Performance Monitoring Study

- Leveraged mPowered program install base
- Identified homes for the study: 100
- Selected homes serviced: 40
- Total number homes with confirmed issues: 38
- Number of issues homeowner could have resolved: 5
- Reported repair per home (average): \$366

## HVAC Performance Monitoring Study High Level Results



**68%** Of home occupants did not feel significant enough impact on comfort to recognize there was a problem

## HVAC Performance Monitoring Study Distribution of HVAC issues found across the 40 homes



## **Utility & Consumer Benefits**

**Energy Savings:** Projected potential annual energy savings of 2.1% from resolving HPM detected HVAC faults across utility's connected thermostat base

**Money Savings:** Ability to diagnose and fix HVAC problems early on could potentially save consumers thousands on repairs and energy costs. For the utility, the HPM service requires no additional hardware.

**Customer Satisfaction:** Help consumers resolve HVAC issues that are undermining utility program performance. HPM Strengthens utility customer relationships through informing customer when they are losing money on wasted energy.

**HVAC rebate program participation:** HVAC maintenance and rebate programs typically rely on customers to realize that their HVAC system is dysfunctional. HPM notifications allow utilities to proactively offer HVAC rebate program participation to customers who offer the greatest energy savings potential for the program.

Early warning leads to energy savings and efficiency Attractive for consumers and service providers alike Charlie Gloeckner 703-350-8841 charlie.gloeckner@ecofactor.com

