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#### **Purpose of Study**

This study was conducted in compliance with the requirements specified in "Protocols and Procedures for the Verification of Costs, Benefits, and Shareholders Earnings from Demand-Side Management Programs," as adopted by California Public Utilities Commission Decision 93-05-063, revised January, 1997, pursuant to Decisions 94-05-063, 94-10-059, 94-12-021, 95-12-054, and 96-12-079.

This study measured the gross and net energy savings from high efficiency lighting and high efficiency refrigeration measures for which rebates were paid in 1996 by Pacific Gas and Electric Company's Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Programs. Rebates were provided through (1) the Efficient Refrigerator Rebate Program (Efficient Refrigerator Rebate and Salesperson /Dealer Incentive components); and, (2) the Multifamily Property Direct Incentive Program (for lighting measures).

#### Methodology

Gross refrigeration savings for each refrigerator in the PG&E Program tracking database were developed by subtracting the model's annual energy consumption from the annual energy consumption standard for a model of the same size and attributes. Both annual consumption and federal standards were corroborated through the model numbers by comparing the tracking system databases with the data contained in the California Energy Commission's (CEC's) Directory of Certified Refrigerators and Freezers.

Net savings for refrigerators were calculated by multiplying a California residential refrigeration net-to-gross ratio to the gross savings. The net-to-gross ratio was developed for PG&E under a separate study called the *Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration 1996 First Year Statewide Load Impact Study Net-to-Gross Analysis (PG&E Study ID #373-2 and SDG&E Study ID #980).* This statewide report is included as Appendix B.

Gross savings for lighting measures were obtained by multiplying the number of observed fixtures times the kW savings per fixture times the annual hours each fixture is operated. Peak demand savings were determined by multiplying kW savings for all fixtures times the percent of fixtures that were reported to be on at the time on the system peak, a summer weekday afternoon. All operating and fixture confirmation data were collected via on-site surveys. Net-to-gross ratios, developed using a customer self-report method, were applied to gross savings in order to develop net impact estimates.

#### **Study Results**

The results of the evaluation are summarized in the following tables.

## **Summary of First Year Load Impact Results Appliance Efficiency Rebate Funded Refrigerators**

	Gross Savings	Gross Realization Rate	Net-to- Compo 1-FR	- 1	Net-to-Gross Ratio <sup>1</sup>	Net Savings	Net Realization Rate
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kW	521		1.00		1.00	521	
kWh	2,911,175		1.00		1.00	2,911,175	
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kW	661	1.27	0.76	0.54	1.30	859	1.65
kWh	4,320,624	1.48	0.76	0.54	1.30	5,616,810	1.93

<sup>1</sup> Evaluation source: Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration 1996 First Year Statewide Load Impact Analysis (PG&E Study ID #373-2).

#### Summary of First Year Load Impact Results High Efficiency Lighting

	Gross Savings	Gross Realization Rate	Net-to-Gr 1-FR	oss Ratio SO	Net Savings	Net Realization Rate
			EX ANTE			
kW	151.1		0.94	-	142.1	
kWh	1,420,151		0.94	-	1,334,942	
			EX POST			
kW	101.9	0.67	0.50	-	51.4	0.36
kWh	1,348,115	0.95	0.45	-	605,005	0.45

#### **Regulatory Waivers and Filing Variances**

No regulatory waivers filed.

There were no E-Table variances.

### FIRST YEAR LOAD IMPACT EVALUATION OF PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY'S 1996 RESIDENTIAL APPLIANCE EFFICIENCY INCENTIVES PROGRAM

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#### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report presents results of the First Year Load Impact Evaluation of Pacific Gas & Electric Company's 1996 Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Programs, and addresses the refrigeration and lighting end uses. For the project, both gross and net impact estimates were developed for energy consumption (kWh) and electric demand (kW).

#### 1.1 PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The 1996 Appliance Efficiency Programs focused on two end uses, refrigeration and lighting.

#### Refrigeration

Two PG&E refrigerator programs were available in 1996:

- the Efficient Refrigerator Rebate Program, and
- the Refrigerator Salesperson/Dealer Incentive Program.

The costs for these programs were split between Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives and Market Transformation funds, and benefits are divided proportionately between the two categories (51.2% Appliance Efficiency Incentives and 48.8 % Market Transformation). Information shown in this section is scaled to show accomplishments apportioned to the Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program.

The PG&E programs were designed to encourage refrigerator purchasers to save energy by buying new, high efficiency refrigerators. The programs provided incentives for the purchase of refrigerators that consumed less energy than is allowable under 1993 Federal Appliance Standards. The amount of incentive offered depended on the rate of energy consumption of the refrigerator relative to the federal energy consumption standard for the refrigerator.

The 1996 Efficient Refrigerator Rebate Program offered residential customers rebates of \$40, \$60, or \$80 when they purchased a new energy efficient refrigerator that was, respectively, 20, 25, or 30 percent or more efficient than the Federal Appliance Standard.

The Refrigerator Salesperson/Dealer Incentive Program incented appliance salespeople/dealers to stock and sell high-efficient refrigerators and encouraged salespeople to sell these refrigerators from October 1 through November 24, outside of the Efficient Refrigerator Rebate Program time period.

#### Lighting

In 1996, Multifamily Property Direct Incentive Program was the source of all lighting rebates evaluated in this study. The Multifamily Property Direct Incentive Program was not offered in



1996; net energy impacts during 1996 were from carry-over applications from 1995 which were paid in 1996.

#### 1.2 EVALUATION APPROACH

#### 1.2.1 Gross Impacts

Both refrigeration and lighting gross impacts were developed using an engineering approach.

Gross refrigeration savings for each refrigerator in the PG&E Program tracking database were developed by subtracting the model's annual energy consumption from the annual energy consumption standard for a model of the same size and attributes. Both annual consumption and federal standards were corroborated through the model numbers by comparing the tracking system databases with the data contained in the California Energy Commission's (CEC's) Directory of Certified Refrigerators and Freezers.

Gross savings for lighting measures were obtained by multiplying the number of observed fixtures times the kW savings per fixture times the annual hours each fixture is operated. Peak demand savings were determined by multiplying kW savings for all fixtures times the percent of fixtures that were reported to be on at the time on the system peak, a summer weekday afternoon. All operating and fixture confirmation data were collected via on-site surveys.

#### 1.2.2 Net Impacts

Net savings for refrigerators were calculated by multiplying a California residential refrigeration net-to-gross ratio to the gross savings. The net-to-gross ratio was developed for PG&E under a separate study called the *Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration 1996 First Year Statewide Load Impact Study Net-to-Gross Analysis (PG&E Study ID #373-2 and SDG&E Study ID #980).* This statewide report is included as Appendix B.

For lighting, net-to-gross ratios, developed using a customer self-report method, were applied to gross savings in order to develop net impact estimates.

#### 1.3 RESULTS

#### 1.3.1 Refrigeration

Table 1-1 summarizes impacts for the refrigerator rebate programs. Evaluation gross impacts exceed the initial PG&E assumptions. Differences can be accounted for by examining the planning assumptions in conjunction with evaluation findings and methodology:

• PG&E based the ex-ante calculations on an assumed average size refrigerator of 19 cubic feet. The actual program median size refrigerator was closer to 21 cubic feet. In addition, savings appears correlated with size, on a percentages as well as absolute basis, and the larger refrigerators had greatest savings.

- For planning purposes, PG&E discounted the assumed savings 13 percent below federal standards; yet, federal standards were used as the basis for this evaluation.
- PG&E based the ex-ante savings calculation on the lowest level in a savings category. The evaluation found program savings slightly higher than the minimum in each savings category. Most significant were the savings in the 30 percent and greater category where the average savings were found to be about 37 percent.
- The net realization rate for energy is almost 2 due to the combination of the gross realization rate and net-to-gross ratio that includes spillover estimates.

Table 1-1 Summary of First Year Load Impact Results Appliance Efficiency Rebate Funded Refrigerators

		Gross	Net-to-Gross		Net-to-	N	Net	
	Gross	Realization	Compo	nents	Gross <sup>1</sup>	Net	Realization	
	Savings	Rate	1-FR	SO	Ratio	Savings	Rate	
	EX ANTE							
kW	521		1.00		1.00	521		
kWh	2,911,175		1.00		1.00	2,911,175		
				EX PC	ST			
kW	661	1.27	0.76	0.54	1.30	859	1.65	
kWh	4,320,624	1.48	0.76	0.54	1.30	5,616,810	1.93	

<sup>1</sup> Evaluation source: Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration 1996 First Year Statewide Load Impact Analysis (PG&E Study ID #373-2).

#### 1.3.2 Lighting

Lighting impacts are summarized in Table 1-2. Gross energy impacts from the evaluation are similar to PG&E's ex ante estimates, but gross demand (kW) impacts are lower, reflecting the smaller fraction of multifamily common area lights that are estimated to be on during summer weekday afternoons. Many of the rebated lighting fixtures are located outside and are used primarily at night.

Evaluation net-to-gross ratios are also lower than PG&E's ex ante net-to-gross ratios, driving down the net realization rate. The rebated measures appear to be associated with a mature market in which customers' are willing to purchase high efficiency equipment on its own merit without a rebate. The result is that evaluation net savings estimates are less than half of the PG&E net savings estimates.

It is clear that the existence of PG&E lighting efficiency programs over the past decade could have had significantly impact on the transformation of the lighting efficiency markets. However, this evaluation did not address market transformation impacts, and the narrow focus of the net-to-gross analysis may contribute to the low estimates of net-to-gross ratios.

#### Table 1-2 Summary of First Year Load Impact Results High Efficiency Lighting

	Gross Savings	Gross Realization Rate	Net-to-Gr 1-FR	oss Ratio	Net Savings	Net Realization Rate
			EX ANTE	•	, ,	1
kW	151.1		0.94	-	142.1	
kWh	1,420,151		0.94	-	1,334,942	
			EX POST			
kW	101.9	0.67	0.50	-	51.4	0.36
kWh	1,348,115	0.95	0.45	-	605,005	0.45

#### RESIDENTIAL REFRIGERATION

#### 2.1 OVERVIEW

This section presents results of the Pacific Gas & Electric's 1996 Efficient Refrigerator Programs. Results are shown for the following PG&E programs:

- Efficient Refrigerator Rebate Program (Rebate), and
- Refrigerator Salesperson/Dealer Incentive Program (SPIFF).

The costs for these programs were split between Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives and Market Transformation funds, and benefits are divided proportionately between the two categories (51.2% Appliance Efficiency Incentives and 48.8% Market Transformation). With the exception of Section 2.11, Table 2-1, and Table 2-12, discussion in this Chapter addresses the Program overall. Information shown in Tables 2-1 and 2-12 of this chapter and in the corresponding M&E Protocol Table 6, Appendix C, is scaled to show accomplishments apportioned to the Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program.

#### 2.2 PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

PG&E describes its residential refrigeration programs as follows:1

#### **Residential Appliance Efficiency**

#### **EFFICIENT REFRIGERATOR REBATE PROGRAM**

The 1996 program offered residential customers rebates of \$40, \$60, or \$80 when they purchased a new energy efficient refrigerator that was 20, 25, or 30 percent or more efficient than the Federal Appliance Standard. In addition, all units were required to be CFC-free. The 1996 goal was 30,850 units. This program was funded between Residential Appliance Efficiency and Market Transformation programs. Benefits are divided proportionately between the two categories.

#### Salesperson/Dealer Incentive

This program also incented appliance salespeople/dealers to stock and sell high-efficient refrigerators and encouraged salespeople to sell these refrigerators from October 1 through November 24, outside of the efficient rebate program time period. Manufacturers informed PG&E that retailers often discontinue stocking efficient models during the non-rebate program months. Incentives to the salesperson and dealer for the 1996 program were as follows: 20 percent \$10/\$3, 25 percent \$15/\$5, and 30 percent \$20/\$8 where the incentives are paid to the salesperson and dealer, respectively.

#### Implementation Strategy

This program was implemented by working closely with the appliance manufacturers and retailers. Our efforts with the appliance industry maximized the number of qualifying models manufactured



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Pacific Gas and Electric Company: Annual Summary Report on Demand Side Management Programs in 1996 and 1997, April 1997, Section, Refrig: II/Res 3-4

and shipped to our service territory. Point-of-purchase materials, brochures, and applications were delivered directly to appliance retailers for promotion on the sales floor. Brochures, bill inserts, and an article in *Spotlight*, the PG&E bill insert newsletter, were used to promote the program directly to consumers.

#### Target Market

PG&E residential electric customers and appliance manufacturers and retailers.

#### 1996 PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

A total of 29,984 refrigerators were purchased in the Efficient Refrigerator Rebate program. This represents 12,458 units in the 20 percent category, 9,484 units in the 25 percent category, and 8,042 units in the 30 percent category.

In addition, the total participation in the 1996 salesperson/dealer incentive program was 7,228 units. This represents 2,801 units in the 20 percent category, 2,255 units in the 25 percent category, and 2,172 units in the 30 percent category as well as 200 kW and 1,115,300 kWh.

#### Net Energy Impacts (First Year)

	App. Eff.	Mkt. Trans.	Total
kW	521	497	1,018
kWh	2,911,420	2,774,469	5,685,889
therms	N/A	N/A	N/A

#### **Expenditures**

	Authorized	Budget	Actual
Appliance Efficiency-Rebate	\$1,024,000	\$1,024,000	\$1,222,156
Market Transformation	\$976,000	\$976,000	\$1,164,898
	\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000	\$2,387,054

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#### 2.3 SUMMARY OF RESULTS

Table 2-1 summarizes the savings estimated by the evaluation for Appliance Efficiency Rebate funded refrigerators. The refrigerator programs save almost six million kilowatt hours per year and almost nine hundred kilowatts.

Table 2-1
Summary of Impact Estimates: Appliance Efficiency Rebate Funded Refrigerators<sup>2</sup>

		Gross	Net-to-Gross		Net-to-		Net	
	Gross	Realization	Compo	nents <sup>3</sup>	Gross	Net	Realization	
	Savings	Rate	1-FR	SO	Ratio	Savings	Rate	
	EX ANTE <sup>4</sup>							
kW	521		1.00		1.00	521		
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kWh	4,320,624	1.48	0.76	0.54	1.30	5,616,810	1.93	

#### 2.4 EVALUATION METHODOLOGY

This section discusses the methodology used to evaluate PG&E's 1996 residential high efficiency refrigerator programs. The method used to calculate savings is consistent with the CADMAC *Protocols and Procedures for the Verification of Costs, Benefits and Shareholder Earnings for Demand-Side Management Programs* (Protocols) for residential refrigeration. Net savings were calculated by applying a net-to-gross ratio to gross savings. The net-to-gross ratio calculation method is documented in the *Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration 1996 First Year Statewide Load Impact Study Net-to-Gross Analysis*, which is included as Appendix B.

#### 2.4.1 Gross Impacts

Gross impact estimates were calculated using an engineering approach. This approach was validated by the CPUC and is consistent the California Protocols Table C-3B for residential high efficiency refrigeration impact studies. Savings were based on data contained in PG&E's 1996

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The costs for this program were split between Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives and Market Transformation funds, and benefits are divided proportionately between the two categories (51.2% Appliance Efficiency Incentives and 48.8% Market Transformation). Information shown in this table is scaled to represent accomplishments apportioned to the Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See Appendix B for a copy of the net to gross report.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Source: PG&E planning document.

Refrigerator Rebate Programs tracking system.<sup>5</sup> These PG&E databases contained the make and model number of refrigerators rebated in conjunction with the program. Participant records that did not contain the refrigerator make and model number were considered unconfirmed observations and were consequently dropped from the analysis. Unconfirmed refrigerators were not included in the gross savings estimate.

#### **Gross Energy Savings**

The energy savings were calculated for each refrigerator by subtracting the model's annual energy consumption from the annual energy consumption standard for a model of the same size and attributes. Both annual consumption and federal standards were confirmed through the model numbers by comparing the tracking system databases with the data contained in the California Energy Commission's (CEC) Directory of Certified Refrigerators and Freezers.<sup>6</sup> The American Home Appliance Manufacture's (AHAM) database was used as a backup source for consumption and standards information when program refrigerator model numbers were not listed in the CEC Directory. The total energy savings was calculated by summing the annual energy savings for all confirmed rebated refrigerators.

The equation used to calculate the gross energy is as follows:

$$GEI = \sum_{i}^{nr} (kWhStd_{i} - kWhRtd_{i})$$

where:

GEI = Gross Energy Impact

 $kWh Std_i$  = the rated kWh per year consumption of units

just meeting the Federal DOE standards,

computed by using the attribute

characteristics and adjusted volume of the

rebated unit

 $kWh Rtd_i$  = the rated kWh per year consumption of

rebated unit

i = for rebated unit I

nr = the total number of rebated units

#### **Gross Load Impacts**

The gross load impact for each refrigerator was calculated by applying a normalized refrigerator load factor applicable to the peak load hour to the average refrigerator load. The average load was calculated by dividing the gross energy impacts by 8,760 hour per year.

The equation used to calculate the gross load impact is as follows:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Database dated August 6,1997.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Dated November 30,1997.

$$GLI = GEI * \frac{NRL}{8760hr / yr}$$

where:

GLI = Gross Load Impact

NRL = Normalized Refrigerator Load, which is a

factor relating the load at a given time to the

average annual load =  $1.34^7$ 

#### 2.4.2 Net Impacts

Net impacts were calculated by multiplying a net-to-gross ratio to the gross savings. The net-to-gross ratio was developed under a separate study called *Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration 1996 First Year Statewide Load Impact Study Net-to-Gross Analysis*, which is included as Appendix B.

The net-to-gross ratio incorporates the calculation of spillover effects and free ridership.

The equation used to calculate the net savings is as follows:

$$NS = GS * NTG$$

where:

NS = Net Savings (kW or kWh)
GS = Gross Savings (kW or kWh)
NTG = Net-To-Gross Ratio = 1.3

#### 2.5 GROSS ENERGY SAVINGS

All energy savings are presented on a first year annual energy savings basis. In Table 2-2, total annual energy consumption data are presented for PG&E's efficient new refrigerator incentive programs.

Table 2-2 Annual Energy Consumption for the PG&E 1996 Efficient Refrigerator Programs

Program	Number of Refrigerators	Base Usage (from Standards) (kWh/year)	Program Refrigerator Usage (kWh/year)	Gross Energy Savings (kWh/year)	
Rebate	29,988	24,457,778	17,728,149	6,729,629	
SPIFF	7,236	6,076,760	4,367,671	1,709,089	
Combined	37,224	30,534,538	22,095,820	8,438,718	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Source: Analysis of SCE and PG&E Refrigerator Load Data AAG & Associates, Inc, prepared for the California DSM Measurement Advisory Committee, April 5,1995.

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The data show that over 37,000 high efficiency refrigerators were purchased as part of PG&E's programs. The combined gross savings from the two programs was approximately 8.4 million kilowatt-hours per year.

Table 2-3 provides average per-unit savings for three PG&E 1996 efficient refrigerator programs. These data show that the average high efficiency refrigerator purchased through one of the PG&E's programs saved 227 kilowatt-hours per year. The refrigerator consumes about 28 percent less energy than a comparable model that simply complies with federal appliance efficiency standards.

Table 2-3
Average Savings for the PG&E 1996 Efficient Refrigerator Programs

Program	Average per-unit Energy Consumption Standards for Program Refrigerators (kWh/year)	Average per-unit Energy Consumption for Program Refrigerators (kWh/year)	Average Annual per-unit Gross Energy Savings (kWh/year)	Average per-unit Percentage Savings
Rebate	816	591	224	27.5%
SPIFF	840	604	236	28.1%
Combined	820	594	227	27.7%

#### 2.5.1 Distribution of Gross Savings by Energy Efficiency Level

Table 2-4 shows the distribution of energy savings by the percentage of energy that was saved. The results present results of the two programs combined. The table reveals a slight decrease in the number of units as efficiency increases with the range being about 15,000 program refrigerators that saved 20 percent decreasing to about 10,000 program refrigerators saved about 30 percent or better. This table also illustrates that the program refrigerators that saved more than 30 percent, were units for which the base case federal consumption standards were higher. Base case standards for units that saved more than 30 percent were, on average, about 200 kilowatts per year greater than standards for those units that saved 25 percent and 300 kilowatts per year greater than the standards for those units that saved 20 percent.

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Table 2-4
Distribution of Combined Programs' Refrigerator Savings by the Percentage of Energy Savings

Refrigerator Category	Number of Units	Average per-unit Energy Consumption Standards for Program Refrigerators (kWh/year)	Average per-unit Energy Consumption for Program Refrigerator (kWh/year)	Average Annual per-unit Energy Savings (kWh/year)	Total Annual Energy Savings (kWh/year)
Units that save 20%	15,263	712	567	145	2,208,639
Units that save 25%	11,745	793	590	202	2,377,908
Units that save 30%	10,216	1014	636	377	3,852,171

Figure 2-1 illustrates that forty-one percent of the units purchased consumed 20 percent less than that allotted by federal appliance standards and thirty-two percent of the units sold saved 25 percent beyond standards. Twenty-seven percent of the program refrigerators saved at least 30 percent beyond the standards.

Figure 2-1
Distribution of the Number of Combined Program Refrigerators by Savings Percentage

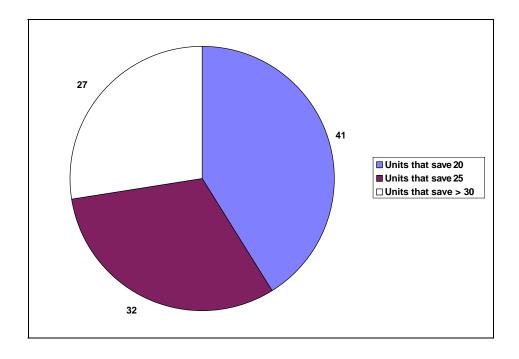


Figure 2-2 illustrates that forty-six percent of the energy savings were realized by units that saved 30 percent and that twenty-eight percent of the savings were realized by the units that saved 55 percent beyond federal standards. Twenty-six percent of energy savings were realized by the forty-one percent of the refrigerators that saved at least 20 percent beyond the federal standards.

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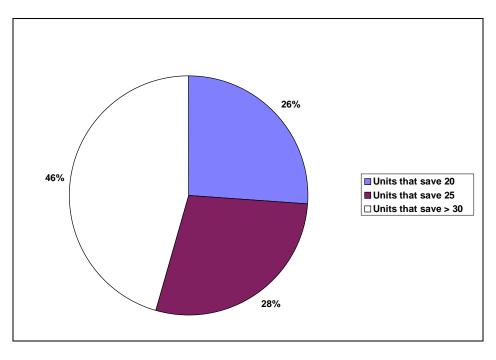


Figure 2-2
Distribution of Energy Savings by Savings Percentage

#### 2.5.2 Distribution of Gross Energy Savings by Refrigerator Size Category

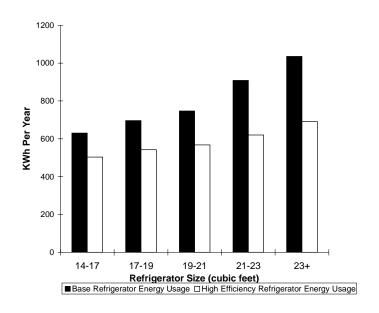
Table 2-5 provides a disaggregation of the combined programs' energy savings by refrigerator size. As would be expected, the average base case energy consumption increased as size increased, and correspondingly, the average energy savings generally increased as size increased. It is interesting to note that the greatest percent savings also occurs in the largest units and the smallest percent savings occurs in the smallest units.

Table 2-5
Distribution of Combined Programs' Refrigerator Savings by Refrigerator Size

		Average per-unit			
		Energy	Average per-unit		
		Consumption	Energy		
		Standards for	Consumption for	Average Annual	
Refrigerator		Program	Program	per-unit Gross	
Size (cubic		Refrigerators	Refrigerators	Energy Savings	Percentage
feet)	Number of Units	(kWh/year)	(kWh/year)	(kWh/year)	Energy Savings
14 - 17	5,906	630	503	127	20.2%
17 - 19	7,797	696	542	154	22.1%
19 - 21	7,899	747	568	179	24.0%
21 - 23	5,402	908	620	288	31.7%
23+	10,220	1,035	691	344	33.2%

Figure 2-3 graphically depicts an average energy consumption for program refrigerators relative to standard units of the same size.

Figure 2-3
Average Energy Use Comparison for Combined Programs' Refrigerators and Relevant Standards



#### 2.6 GROSS LOAD IMPACTS

Table 2-6 presents total peak demand consumption data for PG&E's 1996 new energy efficient refrigerator programs.

Table 2-6
Total Peak Demand Consumption Data for PG&E's 1996 Efficient Refrigerator Programs

			Program	Gross Peak
	Number of	Standards Base	Refrigerator Peak	Demand Savings
Program	Refrigerators	Peak Usage (kW)	Usage (kW)	(kW)
Rebate	29,988	3,741	2,712	1,029
SPIFF	7,236	930	668	261
Combined	37,224	4,671	3,380	1,291

The data show that approximately 37,00 high efficiency refrigerators were purchased as part of PG&E's programs. The peak demand savings is an estimated 1,291 kilowatts.

Table 2-7 provides average per-unit demand savings for PG&E programs. These data show that the average high efficiency refrigerator purchased through the programs saved 35 peak watts.

Average per-unit Average per-unit Average per-unit Standards Based Program Gross Peak Average per-unit Peak Usage Refrigerator Peak **Demand Savings** Percentage Program (Watts) Usage (Watts) (Watts) Savings Rebate 125 90 34 27.5% **SPIFF** 128 92 36 28.1% Combined 125 91 35 27.7%

Table 2-7
Peak Demand Savings for PG&E's 1996 Efficient Refrigerator Programs

#### 2.7 **NET SAVINGS**

Net savings were calculated by applying a net-to-gross ratio of 1.3 to the gross savings8.

Applying the 1.3 net-to-gross ratio to the gross savings estimates produces the results presented in Table 2-8. These data show that the net energy savings for PG&E's new energy efficient refrigerator programs was about 11 GWh/year and the peak demand savings was 1.7 MW.

Table 2-8
Net Savings for PG&E's 1996 New Refrigerator Programs

PG&E Programs	Number of Refrigerators	Net Energy Savings (kWh/year)	Average per- refrigerator Net Energy Savings (kWh/year)	Net Peak Demand Savings (kW)	Average per- refrigerator Net Peak Demand Savings (Watts)
Rebate	29,988	8,748,518	291	1,338	45
SPIFF	7,236	2,221,816	307	340	47
Combined	37,224	10,970,333	295	1,678	45

#### 2.8 Program Specific Results

This subsection provides program specific results disaggregated by refrigerator volume and efficiency level.

## 2.8.1 Distribution of Gross Energy Savings by Energy Efficiency Level by Program

Table 2-9 shows the distribution of energy saving by percentage of energy that was saved for each program. Most of the refrigerators sold through both programs were the models that saved 20% beyond standards. However, the higher efficiency models saving 25% and 30% beyond

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> See Appendix B for a copy of the net-to-gross report.

standards also sold well. In both programs, the 25% beyond standards models outsold the 30% beyond standard models by small margins.

Table 2-9
Distribution of Program Refrigerator Savings by the Percentage of Energy Savings

			Average per-unit			
			Energy	Average per-unit		
			Consumption	Energy	Average	
			Standards for	Consumption for	Annual per-	Total Annual
			Program	Program	unit Energy	Energy
	Refrigerator	Number	Refrigerators	Refrigerator	Savings	Savings
Program	Category	of Units	(kWh/year)	(kWh/year)	(kWh/year)	(kWh/year)
Rebate	Units that save 20%	12,459	708	565	144	8,825,454
Rebate	Units that save 25%	9,486	789	587	201	7,482,071
Rebate	Units that save 30%	8,043	1,013	637	376	8,150,253
SPIFF	Units that save 20%	2,804	728	580	148	2,041,886
SPIFF	Units that save 25%	2,259	811	604	207	1,831,121
SPIFF	Units that save 30%	2,173	1,014	634	380	2,203,753

#### 2.8.2 Distribution of Gross Energy Savings by Refrigerator Size by Program

Table 2-10 shows the distribution of refrigerators as refrigerator volume by program. Again both programs were similar in that the greatest number of units were sold for the largest size. The number of units sold generally increased as size increased with the exception of the 21 - 23 cubic foot size.

For both programs, as size increased so did efficiency with the most efficient refrigerators being 23 cubic feet or greater, saving 33% beyond standards. The lowest efficiency models were the smallest, 14 - 17 cubic feet, which saved 20% beyond standards.

SPIFF

Average per-unit Energy Average per-unit Average Consumption Energy Annual per-Standards for Consumption for unit Gross Refrigerator Program Program Energy Percentage Size (cubic Number of Refrigerators Refrigerators Savings Energy Program feet) Units (kWh/year) (kWh/year) (kWh/year) Savings Rebate 14 - 17 5,273 20% 630 503 127 Rebate 17 - 19 6,172 696 541 155 22% Rebate 19 - 21 6,233 745 567 179 24% Rebate 21 - 23 4,282 908 620 287 32% Rebate 23+ 8,028 1,035 691 344 33% SPIFF 14 - 17 633 630 504 127 20% 17 - 19 SPIFF 1,625 697 547 150 22% 19 - 21 SPIFF 24% 1,666 751 573 179 SPIFF 21 - 23 1,120 912 620 292 32%

Table 2-10
Distribution of Program Refrigerator Savings by Refrigerator Size

#### 2.9 Cross Program Analysis

2,192

23+

Both PG&E refrigerator programs were very successful in encouraging refrigerator buyers to purchase higher efficiency units. This section looks at program impacts in an attempt to gain insight that can be applied to future program design.

1,037

690

347

33%

One must keep in mind that the objective of SPIFF type programs are to ensure that manufactures and distributors continue to make high efficiency refrigerators available during the non "rebate" season. One goal toward meeting the objective would be for the savings from the SPIFF program to reflect the savings achieved in the rebate program. Figure 2-4 clearly illustrates that the goal was met. On a percentage basis, the SPIFF program tended to incent a slightly greater portion of the highest efficiency refrigerators, relative to the rebate program. This in contrast to the 1994 program year when the Rebate program refrigerators tended to be much more efficient than the SPIFF program refrigerators.

Figure 2-4
Percent of Refrigerators Purchased by Efficiency Level by Program

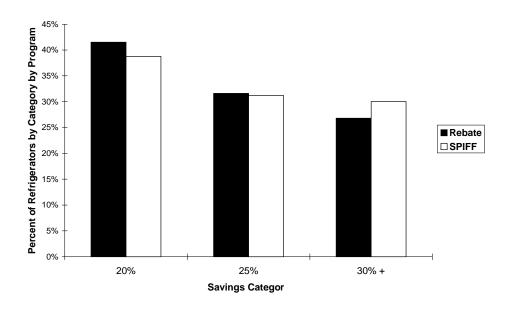
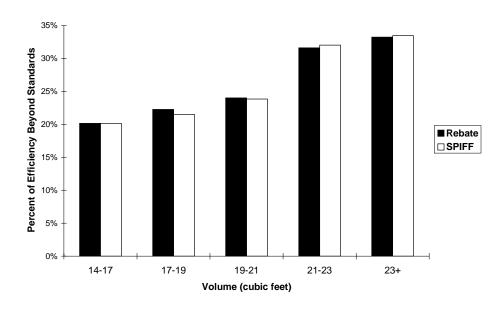


Figure 2-5, confirms the above finding and illustrates that, for each size category, the average energy savings was about the same for both the Rebate and SPIFF program refrigerators.

Figure 2-5
Refrigerator Energy Efficiency by Size by Program



Based on these results, one might conclude that it would be beneficial to shift the efficient refrigerator program emphasis more toward SPIFF type designs which are less expensive to implement. However, the question remains about whether the overall number of high efficiency refrigerators sold would be the same. In PG&E's 1996 program year, the SPIFF program clearly incented fewer refrigerators than the Rebate program, but it also ran for a shorter period of time and in a different season. The data presented here is insufficient to answer the broader programatic question.

#### 2.10 REALIZATION RATE ANALYSIS

As shown in Table 2-11, the ex-post gross energy savings estimate is almost 50% higher than the ex-ante gross energy savings estimate.

Gross Net-to-Gross Net-to-Net Realization Components<sup>9</sup> Gross Gross Net Realization 1-FR Savings Rate SO Ratio Savings Rate EX ANTE<sup>10</sup> kW 1,018 1.00 1.00 1,018 5.685.889 kWh 1.00 1.00 5.685.889 **EX POST** kW 1,291 0.54 1,678 1.27 0.76 1.30 1.65 kWh 8,438,718 1.48 0.76 0.54 1.30 10,970,333 1.93

**Table 2-11 Summary of Impact Estimates (Not Adjusted for Funding Source)** 

This difference can be accounted for by examining the planning assumptions in conjunction with evaluation findings and methodology.

- PG&E based the ex-ante calculations on an assumed average size refrigerator of 19 cubic feet. The actual program median size refrigerator was closer to 21 cubic feet. In addition, savings appears correlated with size, on a percentages as well as absolute basis, and the larger refrigerators had greatest savings.
- For planning purposes, PG&E discounted the assumed savings 13 percent below federal standards<sup>11</sup>; yet, federal standards were used as the basis for this evaluation.
- PG&E based the ex-ante savings calculation on the lowest level in a savings category. The evaluation found program savings slightly higher than the minimum in each savings

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> The 13 percent discount was based on the results of the study Pacific Gas & Electric Company Refrigerator Metering Part II: Costing Period Study. Prepared by Proctor Engineering Group and HBRS, Inc. September, 1994.



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> See Appendix B for a copy of the net to gross report.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Source: PG&E planning document.

category. Most significant were the savings in the 30 percent and greater category where the average savings were found to be about 37 percent.

The net realization rate for energy is almost 2 due to the combination of the gross realization rate and net-to-gross ratio.

#### 2.11 DIVISION OF SAVINGS BY FUNDING SOURCE

The costs for these programs were split between Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives and Market Transformation funds, and benefits are divided proportionately between the two categories (51.2% Appliance Efficiency Incentives and 48.8 % Market Transformation).

Table 2-12 Summary of Impact Estimates: Appliance Efficiency Rebate Funded Refrigerators<sup>12</sup>

		Gross	Net-to-	Gross	Net-to-		Net
	Gross	Realization	Compor	nents <sup>13</sup>	Gross	Net	Realization
	Savings	Rate	1-FR	SO	Ratio	Savings	Rate
EX ANTE <sup>14</sup>							
kW	521		1.00		1.00	521	
kWh	2,911,175		1.00		1.00	2,911,175	
			E	EX POST			
kW	661	1.27	0.76	0.54	1.30	859	1.65
kWh	4,320,624	1.48	0.76	0.54	1.30	5,616,810	1.93

<sup>12</sup> The costs for this program were split between Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives and Market Transformations funds, and benefits are divided proportionately between the two categories (51.2% Appliance Efficiency Incentives and 48.8% Market Transformation). Information shown in this table is scaled to represent accomplishments apportioned to Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> See Appendix B for a copy of the net to gross report.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Source: PG&E planning document.

#### HIGH EFFICIENCY LIGHTING

#### 3.1 PROGRAM BACKGROUND

In 1996, rebates for the installation of efficient lighting technologies evaluated in this study were disseminated via the Multifamily Property Direct Incentive Program. This program was authorized under the Residential Appliance Efficiency Program but was integrated into the Nonresidential Retrofit Express Program in 1995. As a result of a decrease in marginal costs and the incorporation of the results of the M&E studies, the Multifamily Property Direct Incentive Program did not pass the TRC test and was not offered in 1996. Net energy impacts during 1996 were from carry-over applications from 1995 which were paid in 1996.

For 1996, a total of 87 carry-over lighting applications were paid. PG&E estimated net energy first year impacts for these applications to be: 1,334,942 kWh and 142.1 kW.

#### 3.2 SUMMARY OF EVALUATION RESULTS

Savings estimated by the evaluation for high efficiency lighting are summarized in Table 3-1.

Table 3-1 Summary of First Year Load Impact Results High Efficiency Lighting

		Gross				Net
	Gross	Realization	Net-to-Gr	oss Ratio	Net	Realization
	Savings	Rate	1-FR	SO	Savings	Rate
			EX ANTE			
kW	151.1		0.94	-	142.1	
kWh	1,420,151		0.94	-	1,334,942	
			EX POST			
kW	101.9	0.67	0.50	-	51.4	0.36
kWh	1,348,115	0.95	0.45	-	605,005	0.45

Overall, the Program is estimated to be saving 605,005 kWh and 51.4 kW per year. Gross impact realization rates were estimated to be 0.95 for energy and 0.67 for peak demand. However, low evaluation net-to-gross ratio estimates lowered net realization rates to 0.45 for energy (kWh) and 0.36 for peak demand (kW).

The low evaluation net-to-gross ratio estimates may to attributable to several factors, including:

- a mature, transformed market for Program lighting technologies in which customers are aware of and utilize energy efficiency measures to reduce their energy costs; and
- a net-to-gross approach that did not directly incorporate the impacts of spillover and the Program's effect on market efficiency.



#### 3.3 EVALUATION METHODOLOGY

The lighting study methodology is discussed next. First, sampling issues are presented, followed by discussions of the gross saving analysis approach and the net-to-gross approach.

#### 3.3.1 Sampling Issues

Table 3-2 shows estimated accomplishments by primary measure type, using tracking system estimates of gross savings. The key measure types addressed by the Program are: hardwired compact fluorescent lighting (CFLs), high intensity discharge lighting (HIDs), T-8 fluorescent fixtures (T8s), and miscellaneous other measures such as efficient exit signs and lighting controls.

Table 3-2 Accomplishments by Measure Type

	Sites with		Ex Ante Gross Impacts <sup>2</sup>			
Measure Type	Measure Type <sup>1</sup>	Units Installed	kWh	%	kW	%
CFLs	53	2,050	463,980	33%	49.5	33%
HIDs	17	294	81,192	6%	8.6	6%
T8s	16	3,498	691,025	49%	72.8	48%
Other	36	663	187,141	13%	20.0	13%
Total Lighting	87	6,505	1,423,338	100%	150.9	100%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sites do not sum to total due to overlap of measures at some sites.

Since there were only 87 lighting applications to be evaluated, on-site surveys were attempted on a census of participating sites. A total of 71 on-site surveys were completed (out of 84 sites where a service address could be identified). Sixty-one of these sites were willing to complete the net-to-gross portion of the survey. Site completion accomplishments are summarized in Table 3-3. A disposition report is included in Appendix A.

Table 3-3 Summary of Sample

Population	Sample Frame (Service Address Identified)	Gross Analysis Sample	Net Analysis Sample
87	84	71	61

The 71 sites surveyed for the gross analysis represent 49% of expected kWh savings. Table 3-4 compares completed surveys to total sites by measure type. The main factor affecting the coverage of program impacts was the inability to recruit one large site representing over 500,000 kWh and 50 kW of expected impacts. Table 3-5 shows survey completion rates by customer size groupings (in terms of expected savings). As the table shows, the completion rate was lower for the larger sites. These sites tended to be maintained by property management groups who: 1) changed-over since the rebate; 2) could not provide a person who was knowledgeable about the rebate; and 3) were otherwise less likely to participate in the study.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Impacts in table are based on tracking system numbers with differ slightly from reported values.

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	Population		Completed			
Measure Type	Sites <sup>1</sup>	kWh	Sites <sup>1</sup>	% of Pop	kWh	% of Pop
CFL	53	463,980	40	75%	285,800	62%
HID	17	81,192	17	100%	81,192	100%
T8	16	691,025	28	175%	287,530	42%
OTHER	36	187,141	10	28%	39,419	21%
Total Lighting	87	1,423,338	71	82%	693,941	49%

Table 3-4
Comparison of Total and Completed Sites

Table 3-5
Completed Site by Customer Size

Site Size	Sites with	Completed Surveys	Completion
(Based on Expected Savings)	Known Address	Surveys	Rate
1. Over 11,900 kWh	21	14	67%
2. 4,000 - 11,900 kWh	21	19	90%
3. 1,500-4,000 kWh	21	19	90%
4. Under 1,500 kWh	21	19	90%
Total	84	71	85%

#### 3.3.2 Data Collection

Data collection consisted of on-site surveys of participant sites. All surveys were conducted by an experienced surveyor with a strong understanding of lighting technologies. The survey instrument was used collect information on the following:

- measure verification and location;
- operating schedules;
- measure removal information; and
- net-to-gross decision analysis information.

In a number of cases, where key participant personnel were not available on site, telephone follow-up interviews were conducted to gather operating information and Program participation decision making information used for the net-to-gross analysis.

A copy of the on-site survey instrument is provided in Appendix A.

#### 3.3.3 Gross Impact Analysis

Gross impacts were determined using an engineering analysis supported by the on-site surveys. Given the limited number of participants (since this program is a 1995 carry-over) and the difficulty in performing billing analysis on this market segment (i.e., problems in collecting and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sites do not sum to total due to overlap of measures at some sites.

aggregating bills for multi-account sites, nonprogram impacts at the sites, increases in the level of lighting services during the retrofit, etc.), an engineering analysis was the most appropriate approach for developing accurate gross savings impacts.

#### **Energy Impacts**

Energy savings were estimated using the following basic equation:

$$kWh_{Saved} = [Watts_{SavedPerFixture}] \times [Hours of Operation Per Day] \times [1 kWh / 1,000 Watts] \times 365.$$

For the study, hours of operation were determined separately for each lighting control strategy. For photocells, average hours of darkness were calculated. For timers, schedules were ascertained by observation and interview. For switches, customer interviews were used. Prior experience has shown that most of the affected lights are controlled by timers and photocells. Table 3-6 presents the distribution of fixture groups for the surveyed sites. Times and photocells control the majority of lights, especially when looking at the percent of connected load affected by Program measures. The high concentration in device-controlled fixtures increases the reliability of observed and self-reported lighting hours.

Table 3-6
Distribution of Surveyed Lighting Control Types

	Percent of Connected L	
Control Type	Percent of Fixture Groups	Savings
Switches	26%	14%
Photocells	43%	53%
Timers	31%	33%

Table 3-7 presents estimates of annual operating hours by key measure group. The "other" category consists of exit sign lights that are on continuously.

Table 3-7
Evaluation Estimate of Average Annual Operating Hours

Measure Type	Annual Operating Hours
CFLs	4,921
HIDs	4,410
T8s	5,626
Other	8,760

#### **Demand Impacts**

A peak coincident factor was developed by calculating the fraction of impacts that occur during the PG&E peak period, using collected hours-of-operation data. This factor was used to estimate demand savings using the following equation:

 $kW_{\text{Re}\,duced} = [Watts_{SavedPerFixture}]x[\text{Peak Coincident Factor}]x[1 \text{ kW}/1,000 \text{ Watts}].$ 

Table 3-8 presents peak coincidence factors (the percent of lights on at the time of the system peak) developed from project data. As the table indicates almost all of the HID and CFL savings are off peak. These lights are mainly used at night.

Table 3-8
Peak Coincidence Factors

Measure Type	Coincidence Factor
CFLs	0.15385
HIDs	0.05556
T8s	0.41250
Other	1.00000

Control measures (photocells and timers) were not addressed in the evaluation. These measures accounted for under 50,000 kWh and 6.0 kW of impacts. Realization rates for the rest of the Program measures were applied to PG&E ex ante estimates to derive the evaluation result for the control measures.

Once savings were estimated on a per unit basis, they were generalized to the participant population using ratio estimators. A ratio estimator is developed by comparing the initial estimates of savings to the enhanced estimates obtained from the site analysis. The total gross impact is derived from the following equation.

$$TOTSAV = \sum_{i} TOTSAV_{i}$$

$$TOTSAV_{i} = \sum_{j \in i} T_{j} * \frac{\sum_{k \in samp(i)} E_{k}}{\sum_{k \in samp(i)} T_{k}}$$

where:

TOTSAV = the total gross energy or demand impact;

 $TOTSAV_i$  = the total gross impact for strata i;

 $T_k$  = the tracking system impact estimate for site k; and

 $E_k$  = the enhanced engineering estimate for site k.

The sampling precision level can be calculated using the standard formula for a ratio estimator. The standard error of sampling is primarily a function of the correlation between T and E, the sample size, and the portion of expected savings in the sample.

#### 3.3.4 Net Savings

Net impacts were developed using a self-report free-ridership survey. Multi-family complex owners/managers were asked a series of questions to determine what they would have done in the

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absence of the program. Partial free ridership was also be determined. Consistency checks were built into the questioning sequence to ensure that reasonable responses were ascertained. The primary decision analysis framework, based on the survey contained in Appendix A, is shown in Figure 3-1.

In this framework, customers were asked if they would have installed the same number of measures without the rebate. For those who did not reply that they "definitely would have" installed the same number, additional questions were asked regarding the number of measures they would have installed and the efficiency level of alternative measures. This information was combined to develop free-ridership rates. Minor adjustments were made to the free-ridership rates at several sites to address inconsistent responses. For example, a small "other" site reported that they definitely would have installed the same number of measures without the rebate but also said they were not sure if the ultimate decision maker would have approved the installation without the rebate.

Question # Question 11 Question 12 Question 13 Question 14 Free Ridership no. installed Zero none Not have installed same number Probably installed same number (1 - X%) \* [(Alternative Installed Wattage Y a,b,c,d a,b,c,d Rebated Wattage) / installed X% of alternatives yes, installed (Wattage (Baseline Wattage - Rebate installed rebated number Wattage)] Y assigned) some Would have Pure Free Rider installed same number

Figure 3-1 Free-ridership Decision Analysis Framework

The key question in the decision sequence relates to whether or not participants would have installed the same number of measures without the PG&E rebate. As Figure 3-2 shows, a large

percentage of participants, across all measures, indicate that they would likely have installed the same number measures even without the rebate. In addition, for those who were not definite about installing the same number of measures, a large percent said they would still have installed some level of measures without the rebate (Figure 3-3). Review of these figures makes it clear that a large number of participants believe they would have installed efficient lighting technologies, even without the Program.

Figure 3-2 Likelihood of Installing the Same Number of Measures Without the Rebate

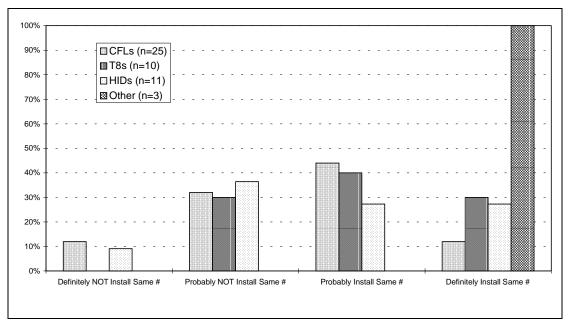
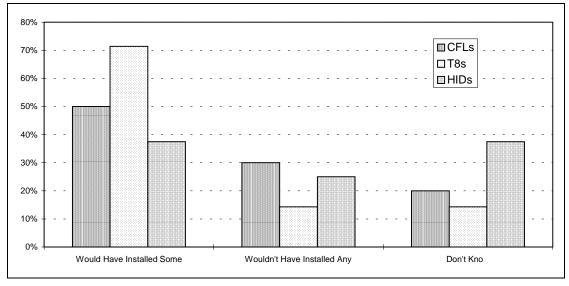


Figure 3-3
Likelihood of Installing Some Measures Without Rebate



Note: one of the "Other" measure participants responded to this question.

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For control measures that were not directly addressed in the evaluation, evaluation program netto-gross ratio averages were utilized.

#### 3.4 IMPACT RESULTS

Results of the impact analysis are present below. First gross impacts are provided, followed by estimated net-to-gross ratios and net impacts.

#### 3.4.1 Gross Impacts

Gross energy impacts are presented in Table 3-9. Overall, the realization rate of 0.95 shows that the PG&E ex ante estimates were quite close to realized levels. The CFL and HID measure groups had realization rates greater than one, while the T8s and "other" measures were somewhat below one. The higher level of HID savings appears related to the installation of larger-than-expected fixtures, resulting in a higher per unit savings estimate.

Table 3-9 First Gross Energy Impacts - kWh

	PG&E	Evaluation	Realization
Measure Type	Estimate	Result	Rate
CFLs	463,980	538,076	1.16
HIDs	81,192	171,506	2.11
T8s	691,025	504,181	0.73
Other Efficiency	138,808	88,581	0.64
Controls	48,333	45,771	0.95
Program Total	1,423,338	1,348,115	0.95

Gross peak demand (kW) estimates are presented in Table 3-10. Realization rates are lower than for the energy (kWh) savings. The primary factors lowering the kW realization rates are the lower coincidence factors associated with the summer afternoon system peak. Most multifamily lighting is outdoor night lighting and is not on during the day. HID lighting, used extensively in parking lots, has the lowest realization rate. The survey data indicated that only 6% of these lights were on during the time of the system peak.

Table 3-10 Gross First Year Peak Demand Impacts - kW

	PG&E	Evaluation	Realization
Measure Type	Estimate	Result	Rate
CFLs	49.5	33.1	0.67
HIDs	8.6	3.7	0.43
T8s	72.8	51.6	0.71
Other Efficiency	14.8	10.0	0.68
Controls	5.2	3.5	0.68
Program Total	150.9	101.9	0.68

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Table 3-11 presents gross impact confidence intervals.

Table 3-11 Gross Impact Confidence Intervals

		90% Confide	nce Interval	80% Confide	ence Interval
	Point Estimate	Lower bound	Upper bound	Lower bound	Upper bound
kWh Impacts	1,348,115	1,302,943	1,393,288	1,312,966	1,383,265
kW Impacts	101.9	91.6	112.2	93.8	109.9

#### 3.4.2 Net Impacts

Free-ridership rates and associated net-to-gross ratios are presented in Table 3-12. CFLs and HIDs showed net-to-gross ratios in the 0.25 range. It appears that these measures are rapidly becoming the standard technology for outdoor lighting. T-8 fixtures returned a higher net-to-gross ratio. Many more customers would probably have not changed out there fluorescent lighting systems without the rebates. The "other" category consists mainly of exit signs. Because exit signs are on 24 hours per day, use of high efficiency technologies is very cost effective for customer installation without the Program rebate. This result drives down the net-to-gross ratio. It should also be noted that only 3 customers were included in the calculation of the "other" net-to-gross ratio.

Table 3-12 Estimated Free-ridership Rates and Net-to-Gross Ratios

	Free-ridership	Net-to-gross				
Measure	Rate	Ratio (1-FR)				
CFLs	0.67	0.33				
HIDs	0.78	0.22				
T8s	0.27	0.73				
Other Efficiency	0.96	0.04				

Net savings estimates are obtained by applying the net-to-gross ratios in Table 3-12 to gross savings estimates (Tables 3-9 and 3-10). The average net-to-gross ratios of 0.45 (kWh) and 0.50 (kW) were applied to the gross "controls" impacts. Net impact results by measure type are shown in Table 3-13.

Table 3-13
First Year Net Savings Estimates by Measure

Measure	kWh	kW
CFLs	175,413	10.8
HIDs	37,217	0.8
T8s	368,556	37.7
Other Efficiency	3,277	0.4
Controls	20,541	1.8
Program Total	605,005	51.4

Table 3-14 presents net impact confidence intervals.

Table 3-14 Net Impact Confidence Intervals

		90% Confide	nce Interval	80% Confidence Interval			
	Point Estimate	Lower bound	Upper bound	Lower bound	Upper bound		
kWh Impacts	605,005	466,292	743,717	497,071	712,939		
kW Impacts	51.4	32.9	69.9	37.0	65.8		

Finally, evaluation savings estimates are compared to PG&E ex ante estimates in Table 3-15. The evaluation gross kWh estimates are similar to PG&E estimates, while the gross kW estimates are about one-third lower – as a result of the estimated low number of fixtures that are in use during summer weekday afternoons.

Evaluation net-to-gross ratios are also lower than PG&E's assumed net-to-gross ratios. The rebated measures appear to be associated with a mature market in which customers' are willing to purchase high efficiency equipment on its own merit. The result is that evaluation net savings results are less than half of the PG&E net savings estimates.

It is clear that the existence of PG&E lighting efficiency programs over the past decade could have had significantly impact on the transformation of the lighting efficiency markets. However, this evaluation did not address market transformation impacts, and the narrow focus of the net-to-gross analysis contributes to the low estimates of net-to-gross ratios.

Table 3-15
First Year Impact Results for High Efficiency Lighting

		Gross				Net					
	Gross	Realization	Net-to-Gr	oss Ratio	Net	Realization					
	Savings	Rate	1-FR	SO	Savings	Rate					
	EX ANTE										
kW	151.1		0.94	-	142.1						
kWh	1,420,151		0.94	-	1,334,942						
			EX POST								
kW	101.9	0.67	0.50	0.50 -		0.36					
kWh	1,348,115	0.95	0.45	-	605,005	0.45					



## LIGHTING SURVEY INSTRUMENT AND DISPOSITION REPORT



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PG&E Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentive Lighting Program
Multifamily Impact/Measure Retention Study

PG&E Account Number	Name of Owner (as on PG&E bill)	Tracking #
		CNTL
Name of Contact Person	Contact Phone	
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Name of Complex		
Address where Lighting items installed		
City	State	Zip

	Area	Measure	Fixture	Num	Num	Control	Ope	rating Sche	dule	Discrepancy	Removal	Years
	Code	Code	Code	Obsrvd	Expctd	Code		Summer	Winter	Code	Code	Since Remov.
1	AREACD1	MEASCD1	FIXTCD1	NUMOBS1	NUMEXP1	CTRLCD1	Wkday	OSWDS1	OSWDW1	DISCCD1	RMVLCD1	YRSREM1
							Wkend	OSWES1	OSWEW1			
2	AREACD2	MEASCD2	FIXTCD2	NUMOBS2	NUMEXP2	CTRLCD2	Wkday	OSWDS2	OSWDW2	DISCCD2	RMVLCD2	YRSREM2
							Wkend	OSWES2	OSWEW2			
3	ETC.						Wkday					
							Wkend					
4							Wkday					
							Wkend					
5							Wkday					
							Wkend					
6							Wkday					
							Wkend					
7							Wkday					
							Wkend					
8							Wkday					
							Wkend					



### **PG&E** Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentive Lighting Program Multifamily Measure Retention

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### Lighting Schedules

LS1_0	-LS1_23	LS2_	0-LS2_23	3	ETC.												
S	<b>51</b>	S	<b>32</b>	S	3	<b>S4</b>		S	55	<b>S6</b>		S	57	S	8	S	<b>59</b>
Hr	%on	Hr	%on	Hr	%on	Hr	%on	Hr	%on	Hr	%on	Hr	%on	Hr	%on	Hr	%on
Mid-		Mid-		Mid-		Mid-		Mid-		Mid-		Mid-		Mid-		Mid-	
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Notes:



**Table 1-Measure Codes for Lighting and Controls** 

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Code	Description
L87	Compact Fluorescent: Hardwire Fixture, 14-26 Watts (Res. Lighting)
L88	Compact Fluorescent: Hardwire Fixture, 27-50 Watts (Res. Lighting)
L86	Compact Fluorescent: Hardwire Fixture, 5-13 Watts (Res. Lighting)
L89	Hid Fixture: 0-70 Watts
L90	Hid Fixture: >= 71 Watts
L93	Fixture: Replace Lamp & Blst, 2 Ft, T-8 & Elec Blst
L94	Fixture: Replace Lamp & Blst, 3 Ft, T-8 & Elec Blst
L95	Fixture: Replace Lamp & Blst, 4 Ft, T-8 & Elec Blst
L96	Fixture: Replace Lamp & Blst, 8 Ft, T-8 & Elec Blst
L97	Fixture: T-8 Fixture & Ballast, 2 Ft, 2-Lamp
L98	Fixture: T-8 Fixture & Ballast, 2 Ft, 4-Lamp
L100	Fixture: T-8 Fixture & Ballast, 4 Ft, 1-Lamp
L101	Fixture: T-8 Fixture & Ballast, 4 Ft, 2-Lamp
L103	Fixture: T-8 Fixture & Ballast, 8 Ft, 2-Lamp
L53	Bypass/Delay Timer (Res. Lighting)
L85	Exit Sign: Led Or Electroluminescent (Res. Lighting)
L40	Exit Sign: Retrofit Kit (Res. Lighting)
L92	Fixture: Incand To Fluor Conversion W/Elec Blst (Res. Lighting)
L54	Photocell (Res. Lighting)
L52	Time Clock (Res. Lighting)
	Code  L87  L88  L86  L89  L90  L93  L94  L95  L96  L97  L98  L100  L101  L103  L53  L85  L40  L92  L54

**Table 2-Observed/Expected Discrepancy Codes** 

Code	Description
	Removal
D 1	Removed, not replaced
2	Removed, replaced with higher energy use (describe)
3	Removed, replaced with lower energy use (describe)
4	Removed, stockpiled
5	Never installed, stockpiled
	Non-operational
6	Temporarily taken out of operation
7	Not operating due to failure/maintenance (estimate date of return to operation)
8	Not being used to full capacity
	Not Identifiable
9	Could not locate
10	Could not assess
11	Could not confirm wattage
12	Never installed, not stockpiled
	Supplemental
13	Installed measures exceed tracking system count
14	Other (describe)



Code		Description
C 1		Manual switch
2		Photosensor
	3	Occupancy sensor
	4	Timer

**Table 4-Area Codes** 

Code		Description
A	1	Hallway
	2	Storage/utility
	3	Office
	4	Recreation area
	5	Parking lot
	6	Laundry room
	7	Exterior walkway
	8	Exit
	9	Kitchen
	10	Other

**Table 5-Removal Codes** 

	ode	Description Description
		Equipment Failure/Maintenance
R	1	Equip failed
	2	Performance unsatisfactory/did not like it
	3	Maintenance issues
	4	Remodeling
	5	Remodeled/new purpose
		Standby/Backup Equipment
	6	Standby unit
	7	Installed. not used
	8	Comfort/Human Aspects
	9	Unable to locate equivalent replacement
	10	Relocated; in use
	11	Did not think it saved energy
		<b>Equipment Use Redesigned</b>
	12	No longer needed for intended purpose
	13	Reduced operations
	14	Increased operations
	15	Reduced space
	16	Increased space
	17	Change of tenancy/use
		Supplemental
	18	Increased number of measures
	1	Other
	19	Missing/stolen
	20	Don't know
	21	Other (describe)



					LIGHTING	FIXTUR	E CODES				
Code	Lamp	Wattage	Code	Lamp	Wattage	Code	Lamp	Wattage	Code	Lamp	Wattage
C	OMPACT FLUORESO	CENTS		TAL HALIDE FIX	TURES		2' FLUORESCENT			8' T-12 FLUORESCEN	Γ
C005	CFL 5W	7	M032	MH 32W	40	•	T-12		8S11	1L8'STD STD	100
C007	CFL 7W	9	M070	MH 70W	95	2S11	1L2'STD STD	32	8S12	2L8'STD STD	173
C009	CFL 9W	11	M100	MH 100W	130	2S12	2L2'STD STD	50	8S13	3L8'STD STD	273
C011	CFL 11W	13	M150	MH 150W	195	2S13	3L2'STD STD	74	8S14	4L8'STD STD	346
C013	CFL 13W	15	M175	MH 175W	210		T-8		8M12	2L8'STD EEMAG	158
C015	CFL 15W	15	M250	MH 250W	300	2M71	1L2'T8 EEMAG	23	8M14	4L8'STD EEMAG	316
C018	CFL 18W	18	M400	MH 400W	460	2M72	2L2'T8 EEMAG	45	8E11	1L8'STD ELTRNC	87
CO20	CFL 20W	22	M750	MH 750W	825	2M73	3L2'T8 EEMAG	68	8E12	2L8'STD ELTRNC	147
C022	CFL 22W	24	M10X	MH 1000W	1080				8E14	4L8'STD ELTRNC	282
C026	CFL 26W	28	M15X	MH 1500W	1620		4' T-8 FLUORESCEN	T	8S21	1L8'EE STD	83
C028	CFL 28W	30				4M71	1L4'T8 EEMAG	37	8S22	2L8'EE STD	138
CO32	CFL 32W	34				4M72	2L4'T8 EEMAG	71	8S23	3L8'EE STD	221
CO36	CFL 36W	38	MEC	CURY VAPOR FIX	TURES	4M73	3L4'T8 EEMAG	108	8S24	4L8'EE STD	276
CO40	CFL 40W	42	V040	MV 40W	50	4M74	4L4'T8 EEMAG	142	8M22	2L8'EE EEMAG	123
1			V050	MV 50W	75	4E71	1L4'T8 ELTRNC	39	8M24	4L8'EE EEMAG	246
HA	LOGEN / TUNGSTEN	LAMPS	V075	MV 75W	95	4E72	2L4'T8 ELTRNC	62	8E21	1L8'EE ELTRNC	70
H020	Halogen 20W	30	V100	MV 100W	120	4E73	3L4'T8 ELTRNC	89	8E22	2L8'EE ELTRNC	113
H025	Halogen 25W	35	V175	MV 175W	205	4E74	4L4'T8 ELTRNC	114	8E24	4L8'EE ELTRNC	226
H035	Halogen 35W	45	V250	MV 250W	290						
H042	Halogen 42W	52	V400	MV 400W	455		4' T-10 FLUORESCEN	T		8' T-12 HO FLUORESCE	NT
H050	Halogen 50W	60	V10X	MV 1000W	1075	4S82	2L4'T10 STD	98	8S31	1L8'STD/HO STD	135
H065	Halogen 65W	75				4S83	3L4'T10 STD	157	8S32	2L8'STD/HO STD	257
H075	Halogen 75W	85		SODIUM FIXTUR	RES	4S84	4L4'T10 STD	196	8S33	3L8'STD/HO STD	392
T042	Tungsten 42W	42	L035	LPS 35W	60	4M81	1L4'T10 EEMAG	39	8S34	4L8'STD/HO STD	514
T052	Tungsten 52W	52	L055	LPS 55W	85	4M82	2L4'T10 EEMAG	72	8M32	2L8'STD/HO EEMAG	237
T072	Tungsten 72W	72	L090	LPS 90W	130	4M83	3L4T10 EEMAG	108	8M34	4L8'STD/HO EEMAG	474
T090	Tungsten 90W	90	L135	LPS 135W	180	4M84	4L4'T10 EEMAG	142	8E32	2L8'STD/HO ELTRNC	209
	· ·		L180	LPS 180W	230	4E81	1L4'T10 ELTRNC	39	8E34	4L8'STD/HO ELTRNC	418
	INCANDESCENT LA	MPS	S035	HPS 35W	45	4E82	2L4'T10 ELTRNC	62	8S42	2L8'EE/HO STD	227
I020	Incandes, 20W	20	S050	HPS 50W	65	4E83	3L4T10 ELTRNC	89	8S43	3L8'EE/HO STD	352
I025	Incandes. 25W	25	S070	HPS 70W	95	4E84	4L4'T10 ELTRNC	114	8S44	4L8'EE/HO STD	454
I034	Incandes. 34W	34	S100	HPS 100W	130				8M42	2L8'EE/HO EEMAG	207
I036	Incandes, 36W	36	S150	HPS 150W	195		4' T-12 FLUORESCEN	NT	8M44	4L8'EE/HO EEMAG	414
1040	Incandes, 40W	40	S200	HPS 200W	245	4S11	1L4'STD STD	57	8E42	2L8'EE/HO ELTRNC	178
I042	Incandes, 42W	42	S250	HPS 250W	300	4S12	2L4'STD STD	96	8E44	4L8'EE/HO ELTRNC	356
I050	Incandes. 50W	50	S310	HPS 310W	365	4S13	3L4'STD STD	153			
I052	Incandes. 52W	52	S400	HPS 400W	465	4S14	4L4'STD STD	192		8' T-12 VHO FLUORESCH	ENT
I055	Incandes. 55W	55	S10X	HPS 1000W	1100	4M11	1L4'STD EEMAG	50	8S51	1L8'STD/VHO STD	230
I060	Incandes. 60W	60				4M12	2L4'STD EEMAG	86	8S52	2L8'STD/VHO STD	450
I065	Incandes. 65W	65		QUARTZ LAMP	PS	4M13	3L4'STD EEMAG	136	8S53	3L8'STD/VHO STD	680
I067	Incandes. 67W	67	Q050	Quartz 50W	50	4M14	4L4'STD EEMAG	172	8S54	4L8'STD/VHO STD	900
I072	Incandes. 72W	72	Q075	Quartz 75W	75	4E11	1L4'STD ELTRNC	37	8S61	1L8'EE/VHO STD	200
I075	Incandes. 75W	75	Q100	Quartz 100W	100	4E12	2L4'STD ELTRNC	69	8S62	2L8'EE/VHO STD	390
I090	Incandes. 90W	90	Q150	Quartz 150W	150	4E13	3L4'STD ELTRNC	103	8S63	3L8'EE/VHO STD	590
I100	Incandes. 100W	100	Q200	Quartz 200W	200	4E14	4L4'STD ELTRNC	138	8S64	4L8'EE/VHO STD	780
I120	Incandes. 120W	120	Q250	Quartz 250W	250	4M21	1L4'EE EEMAG	43			
I135	Incandes. 135W	135	Q300	Quartz 300W	300	4M22	2L4'EE EEMAG	72		EXIT LIGHT FIXTURE	S
I150	Incandes. 150W	150	Q350	Quartz 350W	350	4M23	3L4'EE EEMAG	115	EX07	1-7W lamp CFL	8
I200	Incandes. 200W	200	Q400	Quartz 400W	400	4M24	4L4'EE EEMAG	144	EX09	1-9W lamp CFL	10
I300	Incandes. 300W	300	Q425	Quartz 425W	425	4E21	1L4'EE ELTRNC	28	EX10	2-5W lamps CFL	12
I500	Incandes. 500W	500	Q500	Quartz 500W	500	4E22	2L4'EE ELTRNC	59	EX14	2-7W lamps CFL	16
I750	Incandes. 750W	750	Q750	Quartz 750W	750	4E23	3L4'EE ELTRNC	85		2-15W lamps INC	30
I10X	Incandes. 1000W	1000	Q10X	Quartz 1000W	1000	4E24	4L4'EE ELTRNC	118		2-20W lamps INC	40
I15X	Incandes. 1500W	1500	Q15X	Quartz 1500W	1500				EXLD	LED Sign	5

Fluorescent	ABCDE where:	A = Length of Lamps	$\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{I}$	= Ballast Type $C = Lamp Type$ $D = Number of Lamps$			
Fixture		Ballast Type Codes				Lamp Type Codes	
Legend	S= Standard M= EE Magnetic	E= Electronic H= Hybrid	D=Dimmable	1= T12STD 2= T12EE	3= T12HO 4= T12HOEE	5= T12VHO 6= T12VHOEE	7= T8STD 8= T10STD



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#### A. Identification of Decision Maker

We would like to ask a series of questions relating to your decision to participate in the PG&E multi-family energy efficiency program and in your decision to install *energy efficient lighting* at this complex.

A.1.	Are you the	person primarily responsible for the decision to participate in the
	PG&E prog	ram for purchases of energy efficient lighting equipment?
	1. Yes.	Continue with interview.

2. No. Ask for name, phone number, and time when person responsible is available to be contacted. End interview.

### A.2. Were others at your company involved in authorizing that decision?

- 1. Yes.
- 2. No. (Skip to 4)
- 3. Don't know.

### A.3. Who had ultimate responsibility for the decision?

- 1. (interviewee) Continue with interview.
- 2. (someone else) Ask for name, phone number, and time when person responsible is available to be contacted. End interview.

Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_
Phone:\_\_\_\_\_\_
Time :\_\_\_\_\_\_

### **B.** Compact Fluorescents

- B.1. Are you satisfied with the performance of the Compact Fluorescents installed under the PG&E multi-family energy efficiency program?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- B.2. Is there anything PG&E could or should have done that would have increased your satisfaction?
  - 1. Yes. Describe:\_\_\_\_\_
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- B.3. Will you consider installing similar Compact Fluorescents in the future in this or other complexes?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No. (Skip to 6)
  - 3. Don't know.
- B.4. Will you consider installing similar Compact Fluorescents in the future without an incentive from PG&E?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- B.5. If you had not installed the Compact Fluorescents with a rebate from PG&E, do you think you would be considering similar installations of *energy efficient lighting equipment* (without incentives from the utility company)?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- B.6. Before this installation, had you installed similar Compact Fluorescents at this or any other complex without being provided an incentive by a local utility?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.

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B.7.	Had you been considering installing this type of Compact Fluorescents at this
	complex before exploring the possibility of receiving PG&E rebates?

- 1. Yes.
- 2. No. (Skip to 9)
- 3. Don't know.
- B.8. Had you researched the price of Compact Fluorescents before deciding to install the equipment rebated by PG&E?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- B.9. What made you start thinking about installing Compact Fluorescents at this complex?
  - 1. Standard practice.
  - 2. Reducing electric bills.
  - 3. A PG&E audit.
  - 4. Other. (describe:\_\_\_\_\_
  - 5. Don't know.
- B.10. At the time you purchased the Compact Fluorescents, did you believe the additional cost associated with the more efficient equipment would have been justified if PG&E had not provided a rebate?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- B.11. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, how likely is it you would have installed the number of Compact Fluorescents that you did?
  - 1. Definitely would not have installed the same number.
  - 2. Probably would not have installed the same number.
  - 3. Probably would have installed the same number. (Skip to 15)
  - 4. Definitely would have installed the same number. (Skip to 15)
  - 5. Don't know.
- B.12. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, would you have installed any *Compact Fluorescents*?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No. (Skip to 15)
  - 3. Don't know.

B.13.	If the PG&E rebate had not been available, about how many Compact
	Fluorescents would you have installed compared to the number that were
	installed?

- 1. Would have installed 25% as many.
- 2. Would have installed 50% as many.
- 3. Would have installed 75% as many.
- 4. Would have installed other percentage. (enter percentage \_\_\_\_\_%)
- 5. Don't know.

## B.14. For those *Compact Fluorescents* that you would not have installed if the PG&E rebate had not been available, what would you most likely have installed in their place?

- 1. ordinary incandescent light bulbs.
- 2. more efficient incandescent light bulbs, for example halogen bulbs.
- 3. screw-in compact fluorescents?
- 4. other. (describe \_\_\_\_\_)
- 5. Don't know.

## B.15. Do you believe the person who was ultimately responsible for the decision would have approved purchase of the same number of installed *Compact Fluorescents* without the rebate?

1. Yes. (If answer to question 11 was probably *or* definitely would *not* 

have installed the same number, probe why that is so given that purchase would have been approved. Then if answer to question 15 remains 'Yes,' ask questions 11 through 14 again

and adjust answers to each.)

2. No. (If answer to question 11 was probably *or* definitely would *have* 

*installed the same number*, probe how installation would have been possible without decision maker's approval. Then if answer

to question 15 remains 'No,' ask questions 11 through 14.)

3. Don't know.

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#### C. Fluorescents - Fixtures with Electronic Ballasts

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C.1.	•	fied with the performance of the Fluorescents installed under the amily energy efficiency program?	
	1. Yes.		
	2. No.		
	3. Don't know	<i>1</i> .	
C.2.	Is there anything PG&E could or should have done that would have increased your satisfaction?		
	1. Yes.	Describe:	

- 2. No.
- 3. Don't know.
- C.3. Will you consider installing similar Fluorescents in the future in this or other complexes?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No. (Skip to 6)
  - 3. Don't know.
- C.4. Will you consider installing similar Fluorescents in the future without an incentive from PG&E?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- C.5. If you had not installed the Fluorescents with a rebate from PG&E, do you think you would be considering similar installations of *energy efficient lighting* equipment (without incentives from the utility company)?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- C.6. Before this installation, had you installed similar Fluorescents at this or any other complex without being provided an incentive by a local utility?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.

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C.7.	Had you been considering installing this type of Fluorescents at this complex
	before exploring the possibility of receiving PG&E rebates?

- 1. Yes.
- 2. No. (Skip to 9)
- 3. Don't know.
- C.8. Had you researched the price of Fluorescents before deciding to install the equipment rebated by PG&E?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- C.9. What made you start thinking about installing Fluorescents at this complex?
  - 1. Standard practice.
  - 2. Reducing electric bills.
  - 3. A PG&E audit.
  - 4. Other. (describe:\_\_\_\_\_
  - 5. Don't know.
- C.10. At the time you purchased the Fluorescents, did you believe the additional cost associated with the more efficient equipment would have been justified if PG&E had not provided a rebate?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- C.11. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, how likely is it you would have installed the number of Fluorescents that you did?
  - 1. Definitely would not have installed the same number.
  - 2. Probably would not have installed the same number.
  - 3. Probably would have installed the same number. (Skip to 15)
  - 4. Definitely would have installed the same number. (Skip to 15)
  - 5. Don't know.
- C.12. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, would you have installed any Fluorescents?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No. (Skip to 15)
  - 3. Don't know.

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C.13.	If the PG&E rebate had not been available, about how many Fluorescents would
	you have installed compared to the number that were installed?

- 1. Would have installed 25% as many.
- 2. Would have installed 50% as many.
- 3. Would have installed 75% as many.
- 4. Would have installed other percentage. (enter percentage \_\_\_\_\_%)
- 5. Don't know.

## C.14. For those Fluorescents that you would not have installed if the PG&E rebate had not been available, what would you most likely have installed in their place?

- 1. no new ballasts, only lamps exactly like the lamps in place before the rebate.
- 2. no new ballasts, only lamps like the lamps in place before the rebate but with lower wattage (e.g., 34 Watt T12 in place of 40 Watt T12 lamps).
- 3. hybrid or efficient magnetic ballasts with T12 lamps.
- 4. electronic ballasts with T12 lamps.
- 5. other.
- 6. Don't know.

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## C.15. Do you believe the person who was ultimately responsible for the decision would have approved purchase of the same number of installed Fluorescents without the rebate?

1. Yes. (If answer to question 11 was probably *or* definitely would *not* 

have installed the same number, probe why that is so given that purchase would have been approved. Then if answer to question 15 remains 'Yes,' ask questions 11 through 14 again and adjust

answers to each.)

2. No. (If answer to question 11 was probably *or* definitely would *have* 

*installed the same number*, probe how installation would have been possible without decision maker's approval. Then if answer

to question 15 remains 'No,' ask questions 11 through 14.)

3. Don't know.

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### D. HID Lights - High Intensity Discharge Exterior Lighting

D.1.	Are you satisfied with the performance of the HID Lights installed under the
	PG&E multi-family energy efficiency program?

- 1. Yes.
- 2. No.
- 3. Don't know.

D.2.	Is there anything PG&E could or should have done that would have increased
	your satisfaction?

- 1. Yes. Describe:
- 2. No.
- 3. Don't know.
- D.3. Will you consider installing similar HID Lights in the future in this or other complexes?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No. (Skip to 6)
  - 3. Don't know.
- D.4. Will you consider installing similar HID Lights in the future without an incentive from PG&E?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- D.5. If you had not installed the HID Lights with a rebate from PG&E, do you think you would be considering similar installations of *energy efficient lighting equipment* (without incentives from the utility company)?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- D.6. Before this installation, had you installed similar HID Lights at this or any other complex without being provided an incentive by a local utility?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.

D.7.	Had you been considering installing this type of HID Lights at this complex before
	exploring the possibility of receiving PG&E rebates?

- 1. Yes.
- 2. No. (Skip to 9)
- 3. Don't know.
- D.8. Had you researched the price of HID Lights before deciding to install the equipment rebated by PG&E?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- D.9. What made you start thinking about installing HID Lights at this complex?
  - 1. Standard practice.
  - 2. Reducing electric bills.
  - 3. A PG&E audit.
  - 4. Other. (describe:\_\_\_\_\_\_
  - 5. Don't know.
- D.10. At the time you purchased the HID Lights, did you believe the additional cost associated with the more efficient equipment would have been justified if PG&E had not provided a rebate?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- D.11. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, how likely is it you would have installed the number of HID Lights that you did?
  - 1. Definitely would not have installed the same number.
  - 2. Probably would not have installed the same number.
  - 3. Probably would have installed the same number. (Skip to 15)
  - 4. Definitely would have installed the same number. (Skip to 15)
  - 5. Don't know.
- D.12. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, would you have installed any HID Lights?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No. (Skip to 15)
  - 3. Don't know.

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D.13.	If the PG&E rebate had not been available, about how many HID Lights would you
	have installed compared to the number that were installed?

- 1. Would have installed 25% as many.
- 2. Would have installed 50% as many.
- 3. Would have installed 75% as many.
- 4. Would have installed other percentage. (enter percentage \_\_\_\_\_%)
- 5. Don't know.

### D.14. For those HID Lights that you would not have installed if the PG&E rebate had not been available, what would you most likely have installed in their place?

- 1. standard incandescent lamps.
- 2. halogen or tungsten incandescent lamps.
- 3. other. (describe
- 4. Don't know.

## D.15. Do you believe the person who was ultimately responsible for the decision would have approved purchase of the same number of installed HID Lights without the rebate?

1. Yes. (If answer to question 11 was probably *or* definitely would *not* 

have installed the same number, probe why that is so given that purchase would have been approved. Then if answer to question 15 remains 'Yes,' ask questions 11 through 14 again and adjust

answers to each.)

2. No. (If answer to question 11 was probably *or* definitely would *have* 

*installed the same number*, probe how installation would have been possible without decision maker's approval. Then if answer

to question 15 remains 'No,' ask questions 11 through 14.)

3. Don't know.

E. (use name of specific measures) Other Lighting Measu	
	Exit Sign Retrofit Kits, Timers, Photosensors, and Other
	Lights

E.1.	Are you satisfied with the performance of the (use name of specific measures)
	installed under the PG&E multi-family energy efficiency program?

- 1. Yes.
- 2. No.
- 3. Don't know.
- E.2. Is there anything PG&E could or should have done that would have increased your satisfaction?
  - 1. Yes. Describe:\_\_\_\_\_
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- E.3. Will you consider installing similar (use name of specific measures) in the future in this or other complexes?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No. (Skip to 6)
  - 3. Don't know.
- E.4. Will you consider installing similar (use name of specific measures) in the future without an incentive from PG&E?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- E.5. If you had not installed the (use name of specific measures) with a rebate from PG&E, do you think you would be considering similar installations of *energy* efficient lighting equipment (without incentives from the utility company)?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- E.6. Before this installation, had you installed similar (use name of specific measures) at this or any other complex without being provided an incentive by a local utility?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.

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E.7.	Had you been considering installing this type of (use name of specific measures)
	at this complex before exploring the possibility of receiving PG&E rebates?

- 1. Yes.
- 2. No. (Skip to 9)
- 3. Don't know.
- E.8. Had you researched the price of (use name of specific measures) before deciding to install the equipment rebated by PG&E?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.
- E.9. What made you start thinking about installing (use name of specific measures) at this complex?
  - 1. Standard practice.
  - 2. Reducing electric bills.
  - 3. A PG&E audit.
  - 4. Other. (describe:\_\_\_\_\_\_
  - 5. Don't know.
- E.10. At the time you purchased the (use name of specific measures), did you believe the additional cost associated with the more efficient equipment would have been justified if PG&E had not provided a rebate?
  - 1. Yes.
  - 2. No.
  - 3. Don't know.

(The remaining 15 questions are divided into 3 groups of 5 questions each. The groups are

Exit Sign Retrofit Kits (questions 11 to 15), Lighting Controls (questions 16 to 20), and Other Lighting Measures (questions 21 to 25).

Ask only those groups of questions appropriate to the measures for this multifamily complex.)

- E.11. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, how likely is it you would have installed the number of any Exit Sign Retrofit Kits that you did?
  - 1. Definitely would not have installed the same number.
  - 2. Probably would not have installed the same number.
  - 3. Probably would have installed the same number. (Skip to 15)
  - 4. Definitely would have installed the same number. (Skip to 15)
  - 5. Don't know.

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E.12.	12. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, would you have installed any Exit Si Retrofit Kits?		any Exit Sign	
	<ol> <li>Yes.</li> <li>No.</li> </ol>	(Skip to 15)		
	3. Don't know.			
E.13.	would you have in 1. Would have ins 2. Would have ins 3. Would have ins		e, about how many Exit Signer number that were installed (enter percentage	<b>:</b> 1?
E.14.	rebate had not be place?  1. ordinary incand 2. more efficient in bulbs, for exam	ordinary incandescent light bulbs. more efficient incandescent light bulbs, for example halogen bulbs. screw-in compact fluorescents?		
	5. Don't know.		`	,
E.15.	_	urchase of the same nun	ately responsible for the de nber of installed Exit Sign R	
	1. Yes.	installed the same nur purchase would have be	1 was probably <i>or</i> definitely w nber, probe why that is so given approved. Then if answeuestions 11 through 14 again	en that r to question
	2. No.	installed the same nur been possible without de	I was probably <i>or</i> definitely w mber, probe how installation wecision maker's approval. The No,' ask questions 11 through	vould have en if answer
	3. Don't know.		_	

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E.16.	If the PG&E rebate had not been available, how likely is it you would have
	installed the number of Lighting Controls that you did?

- 1. Definitely would not have installed the same number.
- 2. Probably would not have installed the same number.
- 3. Probably would have installed the same number. (Skip to 20)
- 4. Definitely would have installed the same number. (Skip to 20)
- 5. Don't know.

### E.17. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, would you have installed any Lighting Controls?

- 1. Yes.
- 2. No. (Skip to 20)
- 3. Don't know.

### E.18. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, about how many Lighting Controls would you have installed compared to the number that were installed?

- 1. Would have installed 25% as many.
- 2. Would have installed 50% as many.
- 3. Would have installed 75% as many.
- 4. Would have installed other percentage. (enter percentage \_\_\_\_\_%)
- 5. Don't know.

## E.19. For those Lighting Controls that you would not have installed if the PG&E rebate had not been available, what would you most likely have installed in their place?

- 1. nothing.
- 2. other. (describe \_\_\_\_\_\_)
- 3. Don't know.

## E.20. Do you believe the person who was ultimately responsible for the decision would have approved purchase of the same number of installed Lighting Controls without the rebate?

1. Yes. (If answer to question 16 was probably *or* definitely would *not have* 

*installed the same number*, probe why that is so given that purchase would have been approved. Then if answer to question 20 remains 'Yes,' ask questions 16 through 19 again and adjust

answers to each.)

2. No. (If answer to question 16 was probably *or* definitely would *have installed the same number*, probe how installation would have been possible without decision maker's approval. Then if answer

to question 20 remains 'No,' ask questions 16 through 19.)

3. Don't know.

E.21.	If the PG&E rebate had not been available, how likely is it you would have
	installed the number of Other Lighting Measures that you did?

- 1. Definitely would not have installed the same number.
- 2. Probably would not have installed the same number.
- 3. Probably would have installed the same number. (Skip to 24)
- 4. Definitely would have installed the same number. (Skip to 24)
- 5. Don't know.

## E.22. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, would you have installed any Other Lighting Measures?

- 1. Yes.
- 2. No. (Skip to 24)
- 3. Don't know.

### E.23. If the PG&E rebate had not been available, about how many Other Lighting Measures would you have installed compared to the number that were installed?

- 1. Would have installed 25% as many.
- 2. Would have installed 50% as many.
- 3. Would have installed 75% as many.
- 4. Would have installed other percentage. (enter percentage \_\_\_\_\_%)
- 5. Don't know.

## E.24. For those Other Lighting Measures that you would not have installed if the PG&E rebate had not been available, what would you most likely have installed in their place?

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3. Don't know.

## E.25. Do you believe the person who was ultimately responsible for the decision would have approved purchase of the same number of installed Other Lighting Measures without the rebate?

1. Yes. (If answer to question 21 was probably *or* definitely would *not* 

have installed the same number, probe why that is so given that purchase would have been approved. Then if answer to question 25 remains 'Yes,' ask questions 21 through 24 again

and adjust answers to each.)

2. No. (If answer to question 21 was probably *or* definitely would *have* 

*installed the same number*, probe how installation would have been possible without decision maker's approval. Then if answer

to question 25 remains 'No,' ask questions 21 through 24.)

3. Don't know.

### **Final Sample Disposition Report**

	Total S	Sample
		Percent of
		Sample
	Frequency	Contacted
1996 Impact Particpants		
Could not accomodate in survey schedule - remote location	6	
Cancelled	1	1.28%
Refused	2	2.56%
Surveyed	71	91.03%
Contact person changed and new contact	1	1.28%
not aware of measures		
Unable to speak with appropriate contact person	3	3.85%
Total Contacted	78	100.00%
Average Number of Calls Per Site	2	
Minimum Number of Calls	1	
Maximum Number of Calls	7	

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### STATEWIDE REFRIGERATION NET-TO-GROSS ANALYSIS

# Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration 1996 First Year Statewide Load Impact Study Net-To-Gross Analysis

#### Final Report

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## CHAPTER 1 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report presents the results of Hagler Bailly's net-to-gross analysis for the first year load impact study for the 1996 refrigerator rebate programs of San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E) and Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E).

#### 1.1 Summary of Method and Results

The methodology employed in this study was in compliance with the requirements specified in "Protocols and Procedures for the Verification of Costs, Benefits, and Shareholder Earnings from Demand-Side Management Programs" ("Protocols"), as adopted by California Public Utilities Commission Decision 93-05-063, revised January 1997, pursuant to Decisions 94-05-063, 94-10-059, 94-12-021, 95-12-054, and 96-12-079.

There were seven principal analysis steps completed as part of this methodology:

- 1. Calculate the **total savings** from all refrigerators purchased in 1996 in the PG&E and SDG&E service territories. (Throughout the report, when we refer to "California" it should be understood that we are referring to the service territories of SDG&E and PG&E only.)
- 2. Determine the extent of **naturally occurring conservation** in 1996 in California.
- 3. Calculate **net savings** in 1996 in California by subtracting naturally occurring conservation (Step 2) from total California savings (Step 1).
- 4. Collect the **gross savings** from rebated refrigerators from PG&E and SDG&E (which were calculated from program tracking records according to rules in Table C-3B of the Protocols).
- 5. Calculate the **net-to-gross ratio** by comparing net savings (Step 3) with gross savings (Step 4).
- 6. Disaggregate total savings to quantify the levels of "true program savings," "free rider savings" and "spillover savings."
- 7. Estimate **precision** of the net-to-gross calculation.

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Chapter 2 contains a detailed description of the methodological processes employed for each of these analysis steps, Chapter 3 presents the specific results from each of these steps, and Chapter 4 contains a discussion of issues raised in this analysis. Table 1-1 summarizes the results.

**Table 1-1: Summary Results** 

	Tubic I IV building Tresuits	
Analysis Step	Description of Analysis	Result
1	Calculate total yearly savings in California	44,767,630 kWh
2	Determine extent of naturally occurring conservation in California	24,284,386 kWh
3	Calculate net yearly savings by subtracting results of Step 2 from results of Step 1	20,483,244 kWh
4	Calculate gross savings from rebated refrigerators	15,697,025 kWh
5	Calculate net-to-gross ratio by dividing results of Step 3 into results of Step 4	130.49%
6	Disaggregate net savings results from Step 3: 6a Determine free ridership rate 6b Apply free ridership rate to disaggregate savings Free Rider Savings True Participant Savings	23.7% 3,720,195 kWh 11,976,830 kWh
	Spillover Savings	8,506,414 kWh
7	Precision Results	(See Chapter 3)

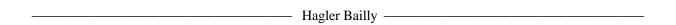
#### **1.2 Report Organization**

This chapter has provided a brief summary of the methods and results of our net-to-gross analysis for energy efficient refrigerators. Chapter 2 provides an overview of the study objectives and a detailed description of the methodology, and Chapter 3 contains the detailed study results. Chapter 4 presents a discussion of issues related to the study methodology and results. There are four appendices attached to this report:

- < Appendix A: M&E Protocols Table 6 for SDG&E<sup>1</sup>
- < Appendix B: M&E Protocols Table 7
- < Appendix C: SDG&E and PG&E Participant Free Rider Survey Instrument
- < Appendix D: Refrigerator Model Number Matches

The reader is encouraged to refer to Hagler Bailly's *Residential Market Effects Study*,<sup>2</sup> prepared for PG&E and SDG&E in March 1998, for additional context and background related to the net savings results analysis presented in this report.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Residential Market Effects Study: Refrigerators and Compact Fluorescent Lights. Prepared by Hagler Bailly for SDG&E and PG&E. March 1998. SDG&E Study ID #3902. PG&E Study ID #3302.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> PG&E's Table 6 is included in *Impact Evaluation of Pacific Gas and Electric Company's 1996 Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration*. PG&E Study ID #373-1. Prepared for PG&E by Xenergy, February 1998.

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### CHAPTER 2 OBJECTIVES AND METHODOLOGY

### 2.1 PURPOSE OF STUDY

This study was designed to produce a net-to-gross ratio applicable to the 1996 refrigerator rebate programs of SDG&E and PG&E for their first year load impact study. The methodology employed and described in this chapter was in compliance with the requirements specified in "Protocols and Procedures for the Verification of Costs, Benefits, and Shareholder Earnings from Demand-Side Management Programs" ("Protocols"), as adopted by California Public Utilities Commission Decision 93-05-063, revised January 1997, pursuant to Decisions 94-05-063, 94-10-059, 94-12-021, 95-12-054, and 96-12-079.

### 2.2 PROGRAMS EVALUATED

Both PG&E and SDG&E offered rebates for high efficiency refrigerators in 1996 under the umbrella of the Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives (RAEI) program. A description of the utility programs included in this analysis is provided below:

#### 2.2.1 PG&E

PG&E offered two distinct programs to encourage the sale of energy efficient refrigerators in 1996. The Efficient Refrigerator Rebate Program offered rebates to residential customers for the purchase of efficient refrigerators. The program was implemented in the summer months of 1996 through local retailers. The Refrigerator Salesperson/Dealer Incentive Program (SPIFF) offered incentives to salespeople and dealers between October 1 and November 24, 1996. Table 2-1 presents the relationship between the percentage of energy savings beyond the current federal efficiency standards (established in 1993) to the incentive offered through both of these programs.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Annual Summary Report on Demand Side Management Programs in 1996 and 1997, by PG&E, April 1997, page II\Res -3-4.

Table 2-1: 1996 PG&E Refrigerator Program Incentive Levels

	Percent Above 1993 Federal Efficiency Standards			
	20%	25%	30%+	
Efficient Refrigerator Rebate Program	\$40	\$60	\$80	
Salesperson/Dealer Incentive Program	\$10/\$3	\$15/\$5	\$20/\$8	

#### 2.2.2 SDG&E

SDG&E's refrigerator rebate program was offered throughout 1996. Table 2-2 presents the relationship between the percentage of energy savings beyond standards to the rebate offered.

Table 2-2: 1996 SDG&E Refrigerator Program Incentive Levels (\$)

Percent Above 1993 Federal Efficiency Standards:					
Dates Offered:	15-19.99%	20-24.99%	25-29.99%	30-34.99	35-39.99%
9/26/93 - 2/14/96	\$50	\$75	\$100	\$125	\$150
2/15/96 - 2/14/97	\$25	\$50	\$75	\$100	\$125

### 2.3 METHODOLOGY

Our methodology was designed to yield a net-to-gross ratio and allow us to disaggregate total savings into savings attributable to true participants, free riders, and spillover. There were five steps associated with developing the net-to-gross ratio applicable to PG&E and SDG&E refrigerator rebate programs. A sixth step was necessary to disaggregate total savings into its component parts. The seventh and final step relates to estimating the level of precision for our net-to-gross ratio. These seven steps are:

- 1. Calculate the **total savings** from all refrigerators purchased in 1996 in California<sup>2</sup> (both rebated and non-rebated).
- 2. Determine the extent of **naturally occurring conservation** in 1996 in California.
- 3. Calculate **net savings** in 1996 in California by subtracting naturally occurring conservation (Step 2) from total California savings (Step 1).

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Throughout the report, when we refer to "California" it should be understood that we are referring to the service territories of SDG&E and PG&E only.

- 4. Collect the **gross savings** from rebated refrigerators from PG&E and SDG&E (which were calculated from program tracking records according to rules in Table C-3B of the Protocols).
- 5. Calculate the **net-to-gross ratio** by comparing net savings (Step 3) with gross savings (Step 4).
- 6. Disaggregate total savings to quantify the level of "true program savings", "free rider savings" and "spillover savings."
- 7. Estimate the net-to-gross **precision**.

The following sections describe the methodological processes employed for each of these analysis steps.

### Step 1: Total Savings from Refrigerators Purchased in 1996 in California

Hagler Bailly implemented a random-digit dial phone survey of residential households in SDG&E and PG&E territories to estimate refrigerator purchase rates and efficiencies.<sup>3</sup> The survey included extensive screening questions to locate people who had bought new refrigerators in 1996 (they may or may not have been program participants). When we found refrigerator purchasers we asked them to read us their refrigerator model numbers and manufacturer names. By matching that data with the 1996 *Directory of Certified Refrigerators & Freezers* from the Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers (AHAM), we identified the exact size, type, efficiency, and electricity use per year of each refrigerator. Using formulas established by the current federal standards that refer to size and type of refrigerator, we calculated for each refrigerator the electricity it would have consumed if it consumed as much electricity as allowed in the current federal standards (which were established in 1993 and are in effect throughout the country). Comparing numbers from these calculations gives an estimate of the amount of electricity a given refrigerator saves compared to the federal standard. (This method is in compliance with Table C-3B of the Protocols.)

To determine the total savings from refrigerators purchased in 1996 in California, we first estimated the total number of refrigerators purchased in California in 1996 (both rebated and non-rebated) by multiplying the 1996 refrigerator purchase rate (determined through our customer survey) by the total number of households in California in 1996. Then, we multiplied the total number of refrigerators purchased in 1996 in California by the average per-unit savings over the 1993 federal standards for refrigerators purchased in 1996 in California. This gave us the estimate of the total savings in California compared to the federal standards.

<sup>3</sup> For a more extensive description of the methodology, see	Residential Market Effects Stud	y: Refrigerators
and Compact Fluorescent Lights. Prepared by Hagler Baill	ly for SDG&E and PG&E. Marc	h 1998. SDG&E
Study ID #3902. PG&E Study ID #3302.		

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### Step 2: Determine Extent of Naturally Occurring Conservation in 1996 in California

Hagler Bailly implemented a random-digit dial phone survey of residential households in the United States (excluding California) to estimate refrigerator purchase rates and efficiencies using the same method as discussed in Step 1. This data represented the comparison area and provides us with an estimate of the level of naturally occurring conservation in California. Since some of the people surveyed in this method would have been in regions with utility refrigerator programs, this method gives us a conservative estimate of the level of naturally occurring conservation.

We multiplied the average per-unit savings for refrigerators purchased in 1996 in the comparison area by the total number of refrigerators purchased in 1996 in California to get an estimate of the level of naturally occurring conservation (NOC) in California.

### Step 3: Calculate Net Savings in 1996 in California

Subtracting naturally occurring conservation (Step 2 results) from total savings in California (Step 1 results) gives us the total net savings in 1996 realized in California.

### Step 4: Collect 1996 Gross Program Savings

PG&E and SDG&E provided 1996 refrigerator rebate program gross savings estimates for use in this analysis. Both utilities employed an engineering approach to calculate gross savings in accordance to rules in Table C-3B of the Protocols.

**Step 4A. PG&E Gross Impacts.** PG&E's estimates were developed in a separate impact evaluation and are reported in PG&E Study ID #373-1.

### **Step 4B. SDG&E Gross Impacts.**

SDG&E's gross impacts were calculated using an engineering approach. This approach was validated by the CPUC and is consistent with the California Protocols for high efficiency refrigerator impact studies. Savings were based on data in SDG&E's 1996 Refrigerator Rebate Program tracking system. This database contains both the annual energy consumption and the federal annual energy consumption standards for each rebated refrigerator. SDG&E confirmed the consumption values by comparing them with data in CEC's Directory of Certified Refrigerators and Freezers.

SDG&E calculated total gross energy savings for each refrigerator by subtracting the model's annual energy consumption from the energy each model would have consumed if it were only as efficient as the current federal standards, using formulas based on its size and attributes. SDG&E calculated its total energy savings by summing the annual energy savings for all rebate refrigerators.

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SDG&E calculated total load impacts for each refrigerator by multiplying the average refrigerator load times a normalized refrigerator load factor applicable to the peak load hour of 1.34.<sup>4</sup> The average refrigerator load was calculated by dividing the gross energy impacts by 8,760 hours per year.

SDG&E calculated its gross energy and demand savings for their first earnings claim so no expost adjustment needed to be done for the current study.

### **Step 5: Calculate Net-to-Gross Ratio**

The net-to-gross ratio is determined by dividing the net savings (Step 3 results) by gross savings (Step 4 results).

### Step 6: Disaggregation of Total Savings to Estimate True Program Impacts and Spillover

The total savings compared to federal standards of refrigerators in California is composed of four components:

- 1. Savings from true participants
- 2. Savings from free riders
- 3. Spillover
- 4. Un-rebated naturally occurring conservation (or total NOC minus free riders)

Figure 2-1 shows these components divided into equal parts. We will present another version of this graph in the next chapter with the actual results.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Analysis of SCE and PG&E Refrigerator Load Data. (Project 2052R). AAG & Associates, Inc. Prepared for the California DSM Measurement Advisory Committee, April 5, 1995.

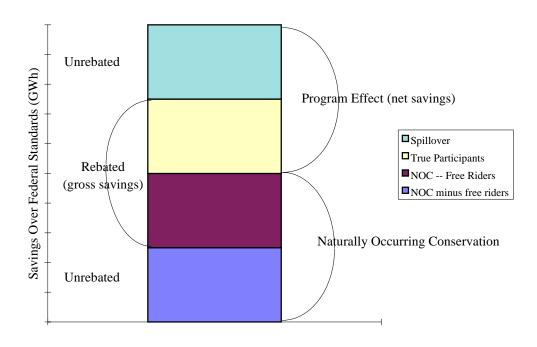


Figure 2-1: Components of Total Savings – Theory

(Components divided into equal parts for illustration only.)

The total savings compared to federal standards (the entire bar) is comprised of two main pieces: 1) total program effects and 2) naturally occurring conservation. Savings from true participants and spillover represent the total program effect (the "Program Effect" semicircle in the graph). As we discussed above (Step 3), total program effects (net savings) are calculated by subtracting NOC from total savings.

Naturally occurring conservation (the "Naturally Occurring Conservation" semicircle in the graph and calculated in Step 2) is composed of savings from free riders and un-rebated NOC (purchases of high efficiency refrigerators that were not affected by the program and did not receive rebates). Free riders are part of NOC because they would have purchased the refrigerator without the rebate.

To further disaggregate total savings and allow us to calculate spillover, additional calculations were applied to the program effect semicircle and the NOC semicircle. For this study, we estimated the free rider component using a self-report survey. The free ridership rate allows us to fix the lower bound of the rebated semicircle, which allows us to calculate the amount of spillover. The math for this calculation is as follows:

Total rebated savings - free riders = true participants Total program effects - true participants = spillover To measure the free-ridership rate, we implemented a separate survey of participants in the 1996 rebate programs (see Step 6a below). This free ridership rate was multiplied by the gross program savings to determine the level of "free rider savings".

### Step 6a: Calculation of Free Ridership Rate

The free ridership rate for the 1996 programs was determined using a self-report survey of program participants, as follows:

- < We completed a brief telephone survey with a total of 213 people who received refrigerator rebates for 1996 purchases ("participants") and asked a number of questions to determine the extent to which the program rebates influenced their purchase decisions.
- < Based on participant responses to these questions, those who met at least one of the following criteria were <u>not</u> considered to be free riders (i.e., they were true participants):
  - P Had <u>not</u> planned to buy a model of the same high efficiency level <u>before</u> hearing of the program rebate
  - P Would <u>not</u> have paid the full price for the same high efficiency model of refrigerator if the rebate had not been available
  - P Indicated that the rebate had at least some impact on their decision to purchase a high efficiency refrigerator (e.g., would not have purchased the same model without it, influenced the decision of when to buy new refrigerator, etc.)
- < Of the remaining participants, respondents were classified as free riders if they reported that they:
  - P Had planned to buy a model of the same high efficiency level <u>before</u> hearing of the program rebate
  - P Would have paid the full price for the same high efficiency model of refrigerator regardless of the rebate
  - P Indicated that the rebate had no impact on their decision to purchase a high efficiency refrigerator (e.g., would have purchased same model without it).
- There were a few participants who could not be classified as 100% free riders, but their responses indicated partial free ridership. We assigned them a free ridership rate of 50%.

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It is commonly believed that self-report free ridership surveys overestimate actual free ridership levels. This survey was designed to minimize this problem but it should still be considered to produce a conservative net-to-gross ratio.

Table 2-3 presents the specific question wording and logic used to determine free ridership rates.

Table 2-3: Free Ridership Question Wording and Logic

Question		Skip Pattern and
Number	Question Wording	Free Ridership Determination Logic
	-	
F1	Had you planned to buy a model of same	NO – not a free rider
	high efficiency level <u>before</u> you heard of the rebate?	YES/DK – ask F2
F2	Would you most likely have paid the full	NO – not a free rider
	price for the same high efficiency model	YES – ask F4a
	of refrigerator if the rebate had <u>not</u> been available?	DK – ask F3
F3	So, you are saying the rebate had no	NO/DK – ask F4a
	impact on your decision to purchase this high efficiency model of refrigerator?	YES – free rider
F4a	Can you clarify for me in your own	Open-ended question.
	words what impact, if any, the rebate had	Verbatim responses used to determine
	on your decision to purchase that high	free ridership.
	efficiency model of refrigerator?	

### **Step 7: Estimate the Precision of the Net-To-Gross Calculations**

The precision estimate for the net-to-gross estimate was calculated using the same method used in the 1994 study with the following equation.<sup>5</sup>

$$\sigma_{\overline{x}_1 - \overline{x}_2} = \sqrt{s^2 pooled \left(\frac{1}{N_1} + \frac{1}{N_2}\right)}$$

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program High Efficiency Refrigeration: 1994 First Year Statewide Load Impact Study. SDG&E Study ID #914. Xenergy, Inc., prepared for Southern California Edison and SDG&E, February 1996.

where:

$$\sigma_{x_1-x_2}^-$$
 = standard error of the difference

 $S^2$  pooled = pooled variance estimate

 $N_n$  = number of observations

The range of net savings = net savings estimate  $\pm \sigma_{x_1-x_2}^- * t$  where

t = critical value for t test at appropriate confidence interval.

The next chapter will present the results of the analyses completed in each of these seven steps. Chapter 4 includes a discussion of some of the issues that can help in interpreting the results.



### CHAPTER 3 RESULTS

This chapter presents the results of Hagler Bailly's net-to-gross analysis for PG&E and SDG&E 1996 refrigerator rebate programs. These results were derived using the methodology and the associated analytic steps described in Chapter 2. Results are presented below in Table 3-1 and discussed in more detail in the sections that follow.

**Table 3-1: Net Savings Analysis Results** 

Analysis Step	Description of Analysis	Result
1	Calculate total yearly savings in California	44,767,630 kWh
2	Determine extent of naturally occurring conservation in California	24,284,386 kWh
3	Calculate net yearly savings by subtracting results of Step 2 from results of Step 1	20,483,244 kWh
4	Calculate gross savings from rebated refrigerators	15,697,025 kWh
5	Calculate net-to-gross ratio by dividing results of Step 3 into results of Step 4	130.49%
6	Disaggregate net savings results from Step 3: 6a Determine free ridership rate 6b Apply free ridership rate to disaggregate savings	23.7%
	Free Rider Savings True Participant Savings Spillover Savings	3,720,195 kWh 11,976,830 kWh 8,506,414 kWh

### Step 1: Total Savings from Refrigerators Purchased in 1996 in California

As discussed in Chapter 2, the total yearly savings from refrigerators purchased in 1996 in California (again meaning just SDG&E and PG&E territories) were estimated by matching model and manufacturer data provided by survey respondents with data from AHAM. On average, the typical refrigerator purchased in 1996 in California saved 108.5 kWh per year compared to the current federal standard.

The survey results produced an annual refrigerator purchase rate of 7.5% – that is, 7.5% of the households in California purchased a new refrigerator in 1996. Multiplying this number by the number of households in SDG&E and PG&E territories (5,502,918) yields an estimate of the

number of refrigerators purchased in California in 1996 (412,719). Finally, multiplying the perunit savings by the number of refrigerators purchased gives us the estimate of the yearly savings in California when compared to the federal standards (44.8 GWh, or 108.5 \* 412,719).

### Step 2: Determine Extent of Naturally Occurring Conservation in 1996 in California

The comparison area (which was the entire country minus the entire state of California) provides us with an estimate of the level of naturally occurring conservation in California. Using the same method employed for Step 1, we calculated the average per-unit yearly savings for refrigerators purchased in 1996 in the comparison area compared to the current federal standards (58.8 kWh). Multiplying this by the number of refrigerators purchased in California in 1996 gives us an estimate of the level of naturally conservation in California (24.3 GWh).

### Step 3: Calculate Net Savings in 1996 in California

Subtracting naturally occurring conservation (Step 2 result) from total savings in California (Step 1 result) gives us the total net savings attributable to the program (20.5 GWh).

### **Step 4: Determine 1996 Gross Program Savings**

Both PG&E and SDG&E 1996 refrigerator rebate program gross savings estimates were provided to us for use in this analysis. Together, the utilities report a total of 15,697,025 kWh in gross program savings for 1996.

### **Step 5: Calculate Net-to-Gross Ratio**

The net-to-gross ratio is determined by comparing the net savings (Step 3 results) to gross savings (Step 4 results). The resulting ratio is 130.49%

### **Step 6: Disaggregation of Total Savings**

### **Step 6a: Calculation of Free Ridership Rate**

Using the methodology described in Chapter 2, the free ridership rate for the 1996 programs was determined to be 23.7%. Table 3-2 presents the results of this determination. We assigned a free ridership rate of 0.5 to partial free riders (adding 0.7% to the free-ridership rate).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> PG&E's estimates were developed in a separate impact evaluation and are reported in PG&E Study ID #373-1.



**Table 3-2: Free Ridership Rate Determination** 

Category	Response	Number of Responses	Percent of Responses
Non-Free Rider	Did <u>not</u> plan on purchasing same model of refrigerator <u>before</u> hearing about rebate	107	50.2%
	Would <u>not</u> have paid full price for same model of refrigerator if rebate was <u>not</u> available	16	7.5%
	Rebate confirmed decision of which model to purchase	13	6.1%
	Would not have purchased same model without rebate	8	3.8%
	Rebate influenced decision of when to buy	4	1.9%
	Don't know if rebate would have influenced purchase decision	13	6.1%
	•	161	<b>75.6%</b>
Free Riders	Rebate did not influence purchase decision	34	16.0%
	Had not heard of rebate until survey	2	0.9%
	Would have purchased anyway, rebate was a "nice bonus"	13	6.1%
		49	23.0%
Partial Free Rider	Rebate allowed purchase of larger unit with same efficiency level	2	0.9%
	Rebate was like a "reimbursement" to validate purchase	1	0.5%
	•	3	1.4%

### **Step 6b: Disaggregate Net Impacts**

As described in Chapter 2, the total savings compared to federal standards of refrigerators in California is composed of four components (Figure 3-1):

- 1. Savings from true participants
- 2. Savings from free riders
- 3. Spillover
- 4. Un-rebated naturally occurring conservation (or total NOC minus free riders)

The free ridership rate derived from the analysis completed in Step 6a was found to be 23.7%. Multiplying this free ridership rate by the gross program savings produces about 3.7 GWh of "free rider savings." Subtracting these free rider energy savings from gross savings yields about 12.0 GWh of "true program savings" (or savings that were the result of the program's direct influence – the rebate). Subtracting the true participant savings from the net savings realized in California (Step 3 result) results in about 8.5 GWh in "spillover savings" (20.5 GWh - 12.0 GWh). Spillover savings represent the amount of savings realized in California (a) outside of the direct influence of the utility rebate programs (i.e., unrebated purchases), and (b) over and above what would have naturally occurred in the market without the programs.

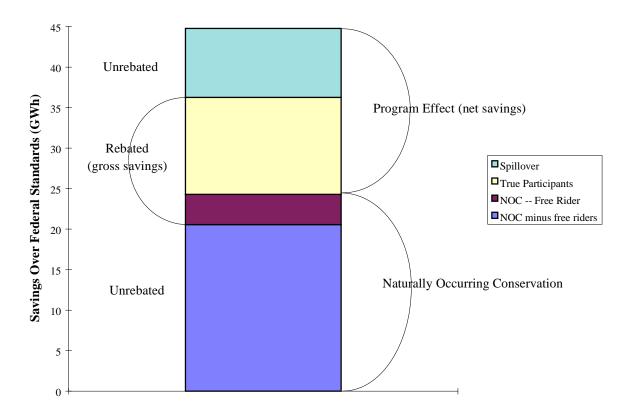


Figure 3-1: Components of Total Savings

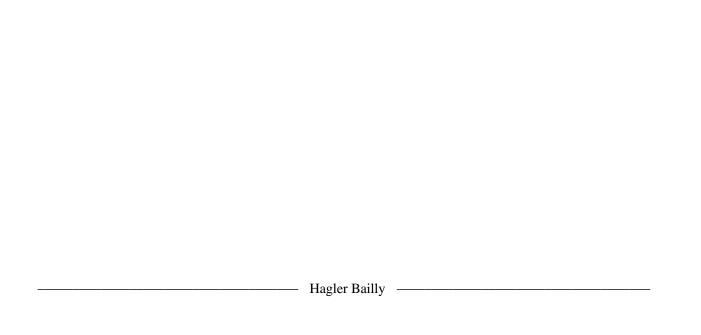
### **Step 7: Precision Estimate**

The analysis discussed above produced a net-to-gross ratio of 130.5%. Using the method described in Chapter 2, we calculated confidence intervals around the net-to-gross ratio. The 90% confidence interval around this number ranges from 191.6% to 69.3% (see Table 3-3). The 80% confidence interval around this number ranges from 178.2% to 82.8%.

**Table 3-3: Precision Estimate** 

	Per-Unit	Number	Total	Net-To-
Description of Analysis	kWh	of Units	kWh	Gross Ratio
Gross savings from rebated refrigerators			15,697,025	
Net savings	49.6	412,719	20,483,244	130.5%
90% Upper Bound	72.9	412,719	30,083,017	191.6%
90% Lower Bound	26.4	412,719	10,883,471	69.3%
80% Upper Bound	67.8	412,719	27,964,647	178.2%
80% Lower Bound	31.5	412,719	13,001,840	82.8%

(Note: The data used in the calculations have more decimals than shown in this table, as a result, multiplying per-unit kWh shown by the number of units shown will not result in the exact total kWh shown.)



### CHAPTER 4 DISCUSSION

This chapter presents a discussion of the methodology used in and the results of Hagler Bailly's net-to-gross analysis for the PG&E and SDG&E 1996 refrigerator rebate programs. This discussion is organized around two principal issues: (1) spillover results, and (2) free ridership results.

### 4.1 SPILLOVER RESULTS

As reported in Chapter 3, we estimate approximately 45 GWh in energy savings were realized in California in 1996. Just over half of this amount "would have occurred anyway" due to naturally occurring conservation (54%). About 27% was a direct result of the utilities' rebate programs in 1996, and the remaining 19% represents spillover savings.

Another way of interpreting the spillover results is to think of gains in refrigerator efficiency over time in terms of "percent above federal efficiency standards". Our market effects research found that although the number of rebates given in utility programs has declined over the years, the average efficiency of refrigerators sold through these programs relative to federal standards has steadily increased.

- < In 1986, the efficiencies of refrigerators bought in California were not significantly different from those bought in the rest of the country.
- In 1991, the average refrigerator purchased in California was 10.2% more efficient than the 1990 federal standards, which was significantly higher than the 5.7% found in the rest of the country. We estimate that virtually 100% of the difference in average efficiency between the refrigerators sold in California and the rest of the country is accounted for by refrigerators sold through utility programs. Therefore, it appears that had the utilities not offered rebate programs in 1991, refrigerators purchased in California would have been similar to those purchased in the rest of the country.
- < An assessment of the refrigerator rebate programs offered by Southern California Edison and SDG&E in 1994 concluded that the average efficiency of refrigerators purchased in

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Residential Market Effects Study: Refrigerators and Compact Fluorescent Lights. Prepared by Hagler Bailly for PG&E and SDG&E. SDG&E Study ID # 3902. PG&E Study ID #3302. March 1998.

Southern California was also higher than the comparison area, and 100% of the difference in refrigerator efficiencies was attributable to the utilities' rebate programs.<sup>2</sup>

### **Factors Contributing to Spillover**

We speculate that a combination of factors have contributed to the magnitude of spillover savings observed in the 1996 refrigerator market, as discussed below.

### Refrigerator Efficiency Standards

Refrigerator efficiency standards have been central to much of the changes in the industry over the past 10 years. California led much of the country by developing statewide refrigerator standards in 1987 and revising them for 1990. On November 17, 1989, the first federal refrigerator efficiency standards were set forth and they became effective on January 1, 1990. At that time, the federal standards were not as stringent as the statewide standards adopted in California for 1990. On January 1, 1993, the federal standards were revised and became consistent with the California statewide standards. These 1993 standards are still in force today.

### **Utility Program Incentive Design**

California utilities have been working for many years to influence the production of refrigerators that are even more efficient than required by the relevant standards. Consistently each year, utilities have altered their incentive structure as the more efficient models became available on the market (as evidenced by increased participation levels for these higher efficiency models). In reaction to increased equipment availability and improved market demand, utilities would scale back the incentive amount for the earlier models, or eliminate the incentive altogether, and offer increased incentives for even higher efficiency models.

### Market Reactions and Interactions

The changes in efficiency standards and utility incentive structures have led to several reactive and interactive effects within the distribution channel for refrigerators:

"Market Push" – manufacturers have produced high efficiency refrigerators both to (a) comply with changing statewide/federal standards, and (b) capture the market demand created by utility rebate programs designed to encourage the adoption of even higher efficiency models.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program, High Efficiency Refrigerators, 1994 First Year Statewide Load Impact Report. SDG&E Study ID #914. Xenergy, Inc., prepared for Southern California Edison and SDG&E, February 1996, page 4-2.

"Market Pull" – increased consumer awareness and demand for higher efficiency refrigerators has served to influence both manufacturer production and retailer sales of these models.

Overall, these factors combined have contributed to the magnitude of spillover savings observed in the 1996 California refrigerator market.

### 4.2 Free Ridership Results

The methodology used by in the 1994 study<sup>3</sup> incorporated the effects of spillover and free ridership and did <u>not</u> produce estimates of these factors separately. Hence, from that research it was not possible to determine whether spillover and free ridership effects were small or large and were canceling each other out. Our study produced results using a methodology that was similar to Xenergy's, but also calculated a separate free ridership rate which allowed us to determine the magnitude of spillover effects observed in the market. We were thus able to calculate the free ridership and spillover components of the net-to-gross ratio.

Our approach to determining the rate of free ridership was based on participants' self-reported responses and was consistent with the Protocols and with the California DSM Measurement Advisory Committee (CADMAC) *Quality Assurance Guidelines* regarding procedures for using self-report methods. For example, we included "set-up" questions which were used to guide respondents through a process of establishing benchmarks against which to remember the decision making process. In addition, our survey instrument also made use of multiple questionnaire items to measure free-ridership and address inconsistencies.

Earlier studies of free ridership also included participant responses regarding whether or not they had compared energy efficiency levels and prices of refrigerators <u>prior</u> to learning of the rebate. While these questions were included in our survey, the responses were not used in the free rider calculation for the following reasons.

Based on discussions with both PG&E and SDG&E prior to implementing the survey, it was agreed that in some parts of the market for refrigerators, rebates may have created situations where customers have no choice but to purchase an energy efficient refrigerator for certain types and sizes of refrigerator. In such areas, we expect free rider rates will be higher. For example, in those areas, customers shopping for refrigerators with no interest in or knowledge of efficiency or rebates are likely to come across one model that fits their needs (e.g., size, features, color, etc.) – they decide to buy it (literally have no choice) and only then learn that there is a rebate for the

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model they have chosen. To be conservative, in this analysis we have counted these people as free riders although earlier methods would have classified them as non-free riders since they did not compare efficiency levels or price differentials. (The definition of these purchasers as free riders is complicated by the fact that even though they would have bought the energy efficient refrigerator without the rebate, without the effects of the utility program they would not have been forced to purchase the energy efficient refrigerator, and so are in this sense affected by the program and are not free riders.) Thus, we agreed that we would ask questions about comparing efficiency levels and price differentials as part of the "set-up questions", but would not use participant responses to these questions in the free rider calculations.

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<sup>\*</sup> PG&E's Table 6 is included in *Impact Evaluation of Pacific Gas and Electric Company's 1996 Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration*. PG&E Study ID #373-1. Prepared for PG&E by Xenergy, February 1998.

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#### M&E PROTOCOLS TABLE 6 -- SDG&E

Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentive Programs
Designated Unit of Measurement: Refrigerator
ENDUSE: Residential Refrigeration

				5. A. 90% CONFIDENCE LEVEL			5. B. 80% CONFIDENCE LEVEL				
				LOWER BND	UPPER BND	LOWER BND	UPPER BND	LOWER BND	UPPER BND	LOWER BND	UPPER BND
1. Average Participant Group and Aver	age Comparison Group	PART GRP	COMP GRP	PART GRP	PART GRP	COMP GRP	COMP GRP	PART GRP	PART GRP	COMP GRP	COMP GRP
A. Pre-Install Usage	Pre-Install kW	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	Pre-Install kW	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	Pre-Install Therms	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	Base kW	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	Base kWh	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	Base Therms	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	Base kW/ designated unit of measurement	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	Base kWh/ designated unit of measurement	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
D Impact vacy vacas	Base Therms/ designated unit of measurement Impact Yr k	na	na	na	na na	na	na	na	na	na na	na
B. Impact year usage:	Impact Yr kWh	na	na	na na		na	na	na	na		na
	Impact Yr Therms	na na	na na	na	na na	na na	na na	na na	na na	na na	na na
	Impact Yr kW/ designated unit	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	Impact Yr kWh/ designated unit	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	Impact Yr Therms/ designated unit	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
2. Average Net and Gross End Use Loa		AVG GROSS	AVG NET	AVG GROSS		AVG NET	AVG NET	AVG GROSS		AVG NET	AVG NET
Stage and Gross End Ose Ede	A. i. Load Impacts - k	0.0959	0.1251	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	A. ii. Load Impacts - kWh	176	230	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	A. iii. Load Impacts - Therms	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	B. i. Load Impacts/designated unit - k	0.0959	0.1251	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	B. ii. Load Impacts/designated unit - kWh	176	230	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	B. iii. Load Impacts/designated unit - Therms	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. i. a. % change in usage - Part Grp - kW	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. i. b. % change in usage - Part Grp - kWh	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. i. c. % change in usage - Part Grp - Therms	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. ii. a. % change in usage - Comp Grp - k	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. ii. b. % change in usage - Comp Grp - kWh	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. iii. a. % change in usage - Comp Grp - Therms\	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
D. Realization Rate	D.A. i. Load Impacts - kW, realization rat	1.0	1.0	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	D.A. ii. Load Impacts - kWh, realization rate	1.0	1.0	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	D.A. iii. Load Impacts - Therms, realization rate	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	D.B. i. Load Impacts/designated unit - kW, real rat	1.0	1.0	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	D.B. ii. Load Impacts/designated unit - kWh, real rate D.B. iii. Load Impacts/designated unit - Therms, real rat	na 1.0	1.0 <b>na</b>	na na	na na	na na	na na	na na	na na	na na	na na
2 N 4 4 2 2 3 d	D.B. III. Load Impacts/designated unit - mems, rearrat		IIa			IIa	IIa			11a	IIa
3. Net-to-Gross Ratios	A. i. Average Load Impacts - k	RATIO		RATIO	RATIO			RATIO 82.8	RATIO		
	A. ii. Average Load Impacts - k A. ii. Average Load Impacts - kWh	1.3049 1.3049		69.3 69.3	191.6 191.6			82.8	178.2 178.2		
	A. iii. Average Load Impacts - KWII	na		na	na			na 62.6	na		
	B. i. Avg Load Impacts/designated unit - k	1.3049		69.3	191.6			82.8	178.2		
	B. ii. Avg Load Impacts/designated unit - k  B. ii. Avg Load Impacts/designated unit - kWh	1.3049	[	69.3	191.6			82.8	178.2		
	B. iii. Avg Load Impacts/designated unit - Therms	na		na oo.o	na			na	na		
	C. i. Avg Load Impact based on % chg in usage in impact	na		na	na			na	na		
	year relative to base usage in impact year - k										
	C. ii. Avg Load Impact based on % chg in usage in impact	na		na	na			na	na		
	year relative to base usage in impact year - kWh										
	C. iii. Avg Load Impact based on % chg in usage in impact	na		na	na			na	na		
	year relative to base usage in impact year - Therms										
4. Designated Unit Intermediate Data				PART GRP	PART GRP			PART GRP	PART GRP		
	A. Pre-Install average value	na		na	na			na	na		
	B. Post-Install average value	na		na	na			na	na		
6. Measure Count Data		NUMBER									
	A. Number of measures installed by participants in Part Grp	41,218									
	B. Number of measure installed by all program participants in the 12 months of the program year	na									
	C. Number of measures installed by Comp Grp	na									
7. Market Segment Data		na									
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## APPENDIX B M&E PROTOCOLS TABLE 7

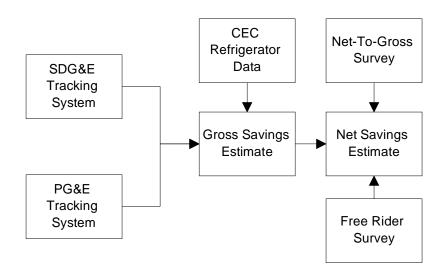
### A. OVERVIEW INFORMATION

- 1. Study Title and Study ID Numbers: Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration: 1996 First Year Statewide Load Impact Study: Net-To-Gross Analysis. SDG&E Study ID #980. PG&E Study ID #373-2
- 2. Program, Program year (or years) and program description: 1996 Residential Refrigerator Rebate Program. This program provided rebates for the purchase of refrigerators that consumed less energy than is allowable under federal appliance standards. The amount of the rebate offered depended on the rated energy consumption of the refrigerator relative to the current federal energy consumption standard for the refrigerator. See Chapter 2, Section 2.2 for details.
- **3.** End uses and/or measures covered: The program covered new, high efficiency refrigerators for the residential sector.
- **4. Methods and models used:** The methodology employed in this study is explained in Chapter 2.
- 5. Participant and comparison group definition: Program participants include all people who purchased high efficiency refrigerators and received rebates from SDG&E or PG&E in 1996. The comparison group was individuals who purchased refrigerators for their own, residential use in 1996 in the United States, excluding the entire state of California. Because the comparison group includes individuals who might have gotten a rebate, it leads to a conservative net-to-gross estimate.
- **6. Analysis Sample Size:** The population of all participants rather than a sample was used for the gross savings calculations. The population included 78,442 high efficiency rebated refrigerators. The sample used for the self-report portion of the net-to-gross analysis was comprised of 213 participants in SDG&E and PG&E territories who purchased refrigerators in 1996. The survey that was used to measure spillover included 897 screening surveys in SDG&E territory, 1,022 in PG&E territory, and 2,011 in the rest of the country (minus all of California). The screening survey yielded energy efficiency data on 42 refrigerators purchased in SDG&E territory in 1996, 60 in PG&E territory, and 117 in the rest of the country.

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### **B. DATABASE MANAGEMENT**

1. Flow chart illustrating relationship between data elements:

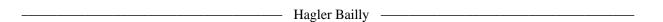


- 2. **Specific data sources:** See Chapter 2, Section 2.3 of the report.
- 3. **Data attrition process:** See Chapter 2, Section 2.3 of the report.
- 4. **Internal/Organizational data quality checks and procedures:** Not applicable.
- 5. Summary of data collected but not used: Not applicable.

### C. SAMPLING

- 1. **Sampling procedures and protocols:** See Chapter 2, Section 2.3, Steps 1 and 2.
- 2. **Survey information:** Appendix C provides the free rider survey instrument. The market effects survey also collected information used in this analysis, as well as information used for a separate study. <sup>1</sup> Random digit dialing screening calls were completed in 3,930 households (1,919 in California and 2,011 nationally). Respondents were asked if they purchased a refrigerator in 1986, 1991, or 1996. If they did, they were asked to read the model number and provide the manufacturer name. Valid refrigerator model numbers were collected for 102

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See the following report for a complete discussion of the survey method and purpose: *Residential Market Effects Study: Refrigerators and Compact Fluorescent Lights.* Prepared by Hagler Bailly for SDG&E and PG&E. March 1998. SDG&E Study ID #3902. PG&E Study ID #3302.



refrigerators purchased in California in 1996 and for 117 purchased nationally. The difference between the 3,930 screening surveys and the 219 valid model numbers is composed of the following:

- Respondents who did not purchase a refrigerator in 1996.
- 1996 refrigerator purchasers who were unwilling or unable to find their refrigerator model number.
- 1996 refrigerator purchasers who provided refrigerator model numbers that could not be found in the 1996 *Directory of Certified Refrigerators & Freezers* published by the Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers (AHAM).

### **Spillover Survey Attrition Table**

	SDG&E	PG&E	National	Total
Total Screening Surveys	897	1,022	2,011	3,930
Completed Refrigerator Surveys†				
1996	49	77	147	273
1991	59	59	122	240
1986	55	54	95	204
Total	163	190	364	717
Valid Refrigerator Model Numbers ‡				
1996	42	60	117	219
1991	49	40	77	166
1986	21	28	42	91
Total	112	128	236	476

<sup>†</sup> Purchased refrigerators in either 1996, 1991, or 1986. Fully completed surveys used in the market effects analysis, some additional partially-completed surveys were included in the market share analysis. The market effects analysis is reported in *Residential Market Effects Study: Refrigerators and Compact Fluorescent Lights*. Prepared for San Diego Gas & Electric and Pacific Gas & Electric by Hagler Bailly. March 1998. SDG&E Study ID #: 3902. PG&E Study ID #: 3302.

<sup>‡</sup> Purchased refrigerators in either 1996, 1991, or 1986 and provided refrigerator make and model numbers that could be matched to AHAM data to obtain refrigerator characteristics and energy usage. These surveys were used in the market share analysis.

Free Rider Survey Attı	rition Ta	able
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	SDG&E	PG&E	Total
Starting Sample	215	190	405
No phone number	23	19	42
Ineligible †	13	2	15
Adjusted sample	179	169	348
Language Barrier	1	2	3
Refused	21	16	37
Unable to contact after 6 attempts	25	34	59
Completed surveys	103	110	213
Response rate ‡	57.5%	65.1%	61.2%

<sup>†</sup> Ineligible includes business numbers

3. Statistical descriptions: Not applicable.

### D. DATA SCREENING AND ANALYSIS

- 1. Procedures used for treatment of outliers, missing data points, and weather adjustments: Respondents who did not provide refrigerator model numbers or who provided ones that could not be found in the AHAM database were re-called to attempt to collect valid model numbers. Collected model numbers were matched one-by-one with the 1996 AHAM refrigerator database. When exact matches could not be found the numbers were compared to other similar numbers of the same brand and manufacturer within the database. The first round of analysis considered clear character errors, omissions, or additions. The next round of analysis considered similar model numbers to identify characters, or strings of characters, that provided a clue to the energy use characteristics. In the final round of analysis, numbers that were not found in the booklet for the appropriate year were compared to numbers in the previous and succeeding years. Hand matching was required because small variations are often made to model numbers to indicate cosmetic differences between refrigerators and each variation of model number may not be represented in the AHAM data. For example, two refrigerators in the same brand and model may be different colors which would slightly change the overall model number. Because of all of the slight variations the model numbers were matched by hand to ensure proper identification. The matched model numbers are shown in Appendix D.
- 2. Controlling for the effects of background variables: See Chapter 4.
- 3. **Procedures used to screen data:** See Chapter 2, Section 2.3.

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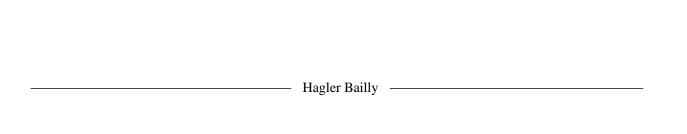
<sup>‡</sup> Computed as (completed surveys/adjusted sample)

- 4. **Regression Statistics:** No regression models were used. Not applicable.
- 5. Specification:
  - a. No regression models were used. Not applicable.
  - b. No regression models were used. Not applicable.
  - c. No regression models were used. Not applicable.
  - d. No regression models were used. Not applicable.
  - e. No regression models were used. Not applicable.
- 6. Error in measuring variables: Not applicable.
- 7. **Autocorrelation:** Not applicable
- 8. **Heteroskedasticity:** Not applicable.
- 9. Collinearity: Not applicable.
- 10. **Influential data points:** Not applicable.
- 11. **Missing data:** See discussion under point one above.
- 12. **Precision:** See Chapter 3, Step 7.

### E. DATA INTERPRETATION AND APPLICATION

The rationale for choosing this method is presented in Chapter 2, section 2.3.

# APPENDIX C SDG&E AND PG&E PARTICIPANT FREE RIDER SURVEY INSTRUMENT



### **CASEID** Unique Identification Number

### REFRIGERATOR PARTICIPANTS

### IDENTIFYING CORRECT RESPONDENT—REFRIGERATOR PARTICIPANTS

- **I2a** Who in your household was involved in the decision of what type of refrigerator to purchase?
  - 1 Respondent
  - 2 Respondent and someone else
  - 3 Someone else in household [ASK TO SPEAK WITH THAT PERSON]
  - 4 Other [SPECIFY WHO; ASK TO SPEAK WITH THAT PERSON]
  - -8 Don't know
  - -9 Refused

### ESTABLISHING BENCHMARK FOR DECISION PROCESS—REFRIGERATOR PARTICIPANTS

B1 What were your main reasons for purchasing a new refrigerator? (DO NOT READ; INDICATE ALL THAT APPLY)

For B1a to B1d:

- 1 Didn't have a refrigerator and needed on
- 2 Wanted a second refrigerator
- 3 Old refrigerator quit working
- 4 Old refrigerator still worked, but was not working properly
- 5 Old refrigerator cost too much too run; wanted energy-efficient refrigerator
- 6 Remodeled kitchen and wanted new refrigerator
- 7 Moved to a new residence
- 9 Need one for a rental unit
- 10 Need a bigger one
- 11 Wanted different type of refrigerator (one with more options)
- -8 Don't know/recall
- -9 Refused
- B1a 1<sup>st</sup> Response B1b 2<sup>nd</sup> Response B1c 3<sup>rd</sup> Response B1d 4<sup>th</sup> Response

B2	Did you hear about [SDG&E's/PG&E's] refrigerator rebate program BEFORE you started to shop for a new refrigerator?					ted to	
		Yes, heard about the No, became aware Don't know/recall Refused			d shopping		
B3a	When and	When and how did you first learn about [SDG&E's/PG&E's] rebates for refrigerators?					
	11 -8	Few years ago when replacing refrigerators for apartments Through a flyer sent with bill Ad in newspaper Ad in newspaper and flyer in bill After purchased refrigerator At the store/displays in store (Sears) From park manager From salesman/employee of store Word of mouth (friends, colleagues, etc.) Ad on TV Not sure when heard of it Don't know Refused					
<b>B4</b>	How many	stores did you visit	while looking	for a new ref	frigerator?		
		stores None Don't know/recall Refused	[SPECIFY H	OW SHOPP	ED FOR REFR	IGERATOR]	
B5		of 1 to 5 with 1 bein igerator you wanted				easy was it to	find the
	1 Very easy	2	3	4	5 Very difficult	-8 Don't know	-9 Refused
B6	Did the sale	esperson encourage	you to buy a h	igh efficienc	y model of refri	gerator?	
	1 3 -8 -9	Yes No Don't know/recall Refused					

B7	When you were looking at new refrigerators, did you compare the energy efficiency level or efficiency ratings of different refrigerators?							
		Yes No Don't know/recall Refused	[SKIP TO F1] [SKIP TO F1]					
B8	Did you co	ompare efficiency levels	s of refrigerators BEFORE you heard about the rebate?					
		Yes No Don't know/recall Refused NA	[SKIP TO F1] [SKIP TO F1]					
В9	Did you co	ompare the prices of alte	ernative refrigerators BEFORE you heard about the rebate?					
		Yes No Don't know/recall Refused NA						
Free	RIDER Q	UESTIONS—REFRI	GERATOR PARTICIPANTS					
F1	Had you pl rebate?	lanned to buy a model o	of the same high efficiency level BEFORE you heard of the					
		Yes No Don't know/recall Refused	[SKIP TO DEMOGRAPHICS]					
F2	•	ı most likely have paid te had <u>not</u> been availabl	the full price for the same high efficiency model of refrigerator e?					
	1 3 -8 -9 !	Yes No Don't know/recall Refused NA	[SKIP TO F4a] [SKIP TO DEMOGRAPHICS]					

- **F3** So you are saying the rebate had no impact on your decision to purchase this high efficiency model of refrigerator?
  - 1 Yes

[SKIP TO DEMOGRAPHICS]

- 3 No
- -8 Don't know/recall
- ! NA

(CATI CONSISTENCY CHECK: If the respondent answers "don't recall" to F2, or "no" or "don't recall" to F3, ask F4a)

- **F4a** Can you clarify for me in your own words what impact, if any, the rebate had on your decision to purchase that high efficiency model of refrigerator?
  - 1 Would not have purchased without the rebate
  - 2 Confirmed decision of which model to purchase
  - 3 The rebate had not impact
  - 4 Rebate allowed me to get a little bigger model of the same efficiency level
  - 5 Rebate influenced decision on when to buy
  - 6 Would have purchased refrigerator anyway, the rebate was a nice bonus
  - 7 It was like a reimbursement to validate the purchase
  - 8 Had not heard about rebate until the survey
  - 9 Impacted by a combination of rebates from the utility and the store
  - 10 Rebate had a little impact
  - 11 Rebate allowed us to purchase a higher efficiency model
  - -8 Don't know
  - -9 Refused
  - ! NA

[SKIP TO DEMOGRAPHICS]

# **DEMOGRAPHICS—ALL PARTICIPANTS**

Finally, I need to ask you a few questions about your household. I want to assure you that all your answers are confidential. This information is only used for classification purposes.

**D1a** In what type of residence do you live?

- 1 Single family detached house
- 2 Mobile home or house trailer
- 3 2-4 unit multi-family building
- 4 5+ unit multi-family building
- 6 Condominium
- 7 Apartment
- -8 Don't know
- -9 Refused

**D2a** Do you own or rent this residence?

- 1 Own or buying
- 2 Rent or lease
- 4 Government owns building
- -8 Don't know
- -9 Refused

**D3** What is the highest grade of schooling you have completed?

- 1 Grade school or less
- 2 Some high school
- 3 High school graduate
- 4 Some business or technical school
- 5 Business or technical school graduate
- 6 Some college
- 7 College graduate (4-year degree)
- 8 Some graduate work
- 9 Graduate degree
- -8 Don't know
- -9 Refused

<b>D4</b>	Which of the	he following age categories best describes your age? Are you ?
	1	Less than 25 years old
	2	25 to 34 years old
	3	35 to 44 years old
	4	45 to 54 years old
	5	55 to 59 years old
	6	60 to 64 years old
	7	65 years old or older
	-8	Don't know
	-9	Refused
<b>D5</b>	Finally, wh	nich of the following broad categories best describes your total household income in
	•	e taxes? Was it ?
	1	Less than \$10,000
	2	\$10,000 to \$14,999
	3	\$15,000 to \$19,999
	4	\$20,000 to \$29,999
	5	\$30,000 to \$39,999
	6	\$40,000 to \$49,999

- 1 Male
- 3 Female

7 \$50,000 to \$74,999 8 \$75,000 to \$99,999 9 \$100,000 or more -8 Don't know -9 Refused

# APPENDIX D REFRIGERATOR MODEL NUMBER MATCHES

During the customer survey, respondents were asked to read the brand and model number of their refrigerator. Collected model numbers were matched one-by-one with the 1996 *Directory of Certified Refrigerators & Freezers* from the Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers (AHAM). When exact matches could not be found the numbers were compared to other similar numbers of the same brand and manufacturer within the database. The first round of analysis considered clear character errors, omissions, or additions. The next round of analysis considered similar model numbers to identify characters, or strings of characters, that provided a clue to the energy use characteristics. In the final round of analysis, numbers that were not found in the booklet for the appropriate year were compared to numbers in the previous and succeeding years. Hand matching was required because small variations are often made to model numbers to indicate cosmetic differences between refrigerators and each variation of model number may not be represented in the AHAM data. This appendix presents all of the matched model numbers for the 1996 data.

Brand	Model Given	Model Found
Admiral	RSWA228A	RSWA228AA*
Amana	5SXD2252W/20C	SXD22S2
Amana	BB120TE	BB120T
Amana	BR2256L	BR22S6
Amana	BX2055L	BX20S5
Amana	BX2055W	BX20S5
Amana	BX2255L	BX22S5
Amana	BX22A2W	BX22A
Amana	BX22RL	BX22R5
Amana	BX22S5E	BX22S5
Amana	BX22S5L	BX22S5
Amana	FRD27S4W	SRD27S4
Amana	SCD25TL	SCD25T
Amana	SCD25TL	SCD25T
Amana	SMD 22TBW	SXD22N
Amana	SRD2553W	SRD25S5
Amana	SRD25S5	SRD25S5
Amana	SRD25S5E	SRD25S5
Amana	SRD25S5W	SRD25S5
Amana	SSD25NBW	SSD25NB
Amana	SX25NW	SX25S
Amana	SXD22S2L	SXD22S2
Amana	SZI20NL	SZI20N
Amana	TA18TW	TA18T
Amana	TH21S3W	TH21S3

Brand	Model Given	Model Found
Amana	THI1863	THI18T
Amana	TXI21A3W	TXI21A3
Amana	TY2154W	TY21S4
Frigidaire	FRS22WNCW	FRS22WNC*1
Frigidaire	FRS22XGCWI	FRS22XGC*1
Frigidaire	FRS22XGWI	FRS22XGC*1
Frigidaire	FRS24XGZW	FRS24XHA*2
Frigidaire	FRS24ZGEW	FRS246ZGE*0
Frigidaire	FRS26ZSEB	FRS26ZSE*0
Frigidaire	FRT18KRE	FRT18TRC*1
GE	PFX20JAXA WW	TFX20JAX
GE	TBH18DATFROH	TBH18DAX
GE	TBX 18DA	TBX18DAX
GE	TBX 21 JAX FRAA	TBX21JAX
GE	TBX14DAX	TBX14DAX
GE	TBX16SIXGRAD	TBX16SIX
GE	TBX18DA	TBX18DAX
GE	TBX18JAXKRAA	TBX18JAX
GE	TBX18K	TBX18KAY
GE	TBX18SA	TBX18SAX
GE	TBX21JI	TBX21JIX
GE	TBX21MAXBRAA	TBX21MAX
GE	TBX21NI	TBX21NIX
GE	TBX22PASSRAA	TBX22PAX
GE	TBX22QA	TBX22PAX
GE	TBX22QAYARWW	TBX22PAX
GE	TBX22TASMRBB	TBH22PAS
GE	TCX22ZA	TCX22ZA
GE	TFHW24R	TFHW24RR
GE	TFX 20 JA	TFX20JAS
GE	TFX20JR	TFX20JRX
GE	TFX20JRX;	TFX20JRX
GE	TFX20NWX	11112001111
GE	TFX222RXDWW	TFX22JRX
GE	TFX24JR	TFX24JRX
GE	TFX24PRXB	TFX24PFX
GE	TFX24R	TFX24RR
GE	TFX24S	TFX24SR
Gibson	MRT18FNBWI	MRT18FNB*1
Gibson	RT19PNAWO	MRT19PNB*2
Hotpoint	CKX18CAXCRWH	CTX18CAX
Hotpoint	CSH2GRT	CSH22GRT
Hotpoint	CSHX20KAXA	CSX20KAX
Hotpoint	CSX22GAY	CSX22GAS
Hotpoint	CSX22GR	CSX22GAS CSX22GRS
Hotpoint	CSX22GRXA	CSX22GRX
Hotpoint	CTH18EATFRW	CTH18EAT
Hotpoint	CTX14CAPBRWH	CTX14CAT
Hotpoint	CTX14CAFBRWH	CTX14CAT CTX14CYT
Hotpoint	CTX18BXKRWH	CTX14CTT CTX18BAX
погропи	CIMIODAKKWII	CIAIODAA

Brand	Model Given	Model Found
Hotpoint	CTX18EA	CTX18EAX
Hotpoint	CTX18GA	CTX18GAX
Hotpoint	CTX18GIXGRWW	CTX18GIX
Hotpoint	CTX18LYYBRWH	CTX18LYY
Hotpoint	CTX18LYYZRWH	CTX18LYY
Hotpoint	CX18G1SERWH	CTX18GIX
Kelvinator	MRT 18 BRAWO	MRT18BRC*0
Kenmore	106.95324	95324**
Kenmore	106.954551	95455**
Kenmore	106.9552881	95528
Kenmore	106.9552921	95529**
Kenmore	106.9555711	95557**
Kenmore	106.9555953	95559**
Kenmore	106.955712	95579**
Kenmore	106.965181	96518**
Kenmore	106.9658215	96582**
Kenmore	106.973831	97383**
Kenmore	106.975061	97506**
Kenmore	106.9759713	97597**
Kenmore	1069430010	94300**
Kenmore	1069552610	95526
Kenmore	1069555781	95557**
Kenmore	1069555781	95557**
Kenmore	1069638610	96386
Kenmore	1069659780	96597**
Kenmore	1069730681	97306**
Kenmore	1069738312	97383**
Kenmore	1069758613	97586**
Kenmore	253 936 1012	2539363010
Kenmore	2539668480	25396684*0
Kenmore	2539768411	2539768310
Kenmore	363-9759681	97596*
Kenmore	363.9731783	97317*
Kenmore	363.9759611	97596*
Kenmore	363.9764711	97647
Kenmore	3639550417	95504*
Kenmore	3639554710	95547*
Kenmore	3639711580	97515*
Kenmore	3639742884	97428*
Kenmore	3639752713	97527*
Kenmore	3639761514	97615**
Kenmore	3639762881	97628*
Kenmore	564.9933611	564.9935611
Kenmore	5649630410	564.96304*0
Kenmore	5649931741	564.9931741
Kenmore	596.953561	596.95356*
Kenmore	9550580	95505**
Kenmore	9552611	95526**
Kenmore	9555712	95557*
Kenmore	9557913	95579**

Brand	Model Given	Model Found
Kenmore	9658280	96582**
Kenmore	9750311	97503**
Kenmore	9751713	97517**
Kitchenaid	KBRS21 KDWH01	KBRS21KD**0*
Kitchenaid	KBRS21KDWH01	KBRS21KD**0*
Kitchenaid	KBRS22K	KTRS22KA**0*
Kitchenaid	KFRS27SDA	KSRS27QA**1*
Kitchenaid	KSR25QALIO	KSR*25QA**0*
Kitchenaid	KSRC22DA	KSRC22DA**0*
Kitchenaid	KSRP27QDALOO	KSRP27QD**0*
Kitchenaid	KSRS25FDWH01	KSRS25FD**0*
Kitchenaid	KSRS25QAWH10	KSRS25QA**1*
Kitchenaid	KSUS27QDWH00	KSUS27QD**0*
Kitchenaid	KTHC18KBWH00	KTHC18KB**0*
Kitchenaid	KTRS19KDAL01	KTRS19KD**0*
Kitchenaid	KTRS21KDAL02	KTRS21KD**0*
Kitchenaid	KTRS21KDWH04	KTRS21KD**0*
Kitchenaid	KTRS21MDWH	KTRS21MD**0*
Magic Chef	RB193A	RB193A*
Magic Chef	RC223A	RC223T*
Magic Chef	RV150T	RB150T*
Maytag	RCW2000D	RCW2000DA*
Maytag	RSD2000D	RSD2000DA*
Maytag	RSD2000D	RSD2000DA*
Maytag	RSD2400C	RSD2400DA*
Maytag	RST2200F	RSD2200DA*
Maytag	RSW24EODAE	RSW24EODA
Maytag	RSW2700E	RSW2700DA*
Maytag	RTD1800C	RTD1700CA*
Maytag	RTD21EOC	RTD21EODA*
Maytag	RWS22A00	RSW2200EA
Montgomery Ward	HMG19136	HMG19136
Montgomery Ward	HMG19155	HMG19155
Montgomery Ward	HMG211447	HMG21144*
Montgomery Ward	HMG21146	HMG21144*
Montgomery Ward	HMG21153	HMG21154*
Montgomery Ward	HMG231740	HMG23174*
Montgomery Ward	HMG62164	HMG62164*
Montgomery Ward	HMG67184	HMG67184*
Roper	RT12BKXDW00	RT12DK*D*0*
Roper	RT18HDXDW*5	RT18HD*D*0*
Roper	RT8HDXDW05	RT18HD*B*0*
Tappan	TRT18NREWO	MRT18JRB*1
Westinghouse	MRT18CSCW	MRT18CSC*0
Westinghouse	MRT18GREWO	MRT18GRC*0
Westinghouse	RT173L	MRT17HZB*1
Whirlpool	ED 22PW	ED22PW*D*0*
Whirlpool	ED20TKXDWOO	ET20TK*D*0*
Whirlpool	ED22DQXBB01	ED22DQ*B*0*
Whirlpool	ED22PW	ED22PW*A*0*

Brand	Model Given	Model Found
Whirlpool	ED25DQ	ED25DQ*A*0*
Whirlpool	ED25DQ	ED25DQ*A*0*
Whirlpool	ED25DQ	ED25DQ*D*0*
Whirlpool	ED25DS	ED25DS*D*0*
Whirlpool	ED25DSXDB03	ED25DS*D*0*
Whirlpool	ED25DSXDW01	ED25DS*D*0*
Whirlpool	ED25PWXAWO1	ED25PW*D*0*
Whirlpool	ED25TW	ED25TW*D*0*
Whirlpool	ED27DQ	ED27DQ*A*0*
Whirlpool	ET 20BK	ET20PK*D*0*
Whirlpool	ET18GKXDNO5	ET18GK*D*0*
Whirlpool	ET18NK	ET18NK*A*0*
Whirlpool	ET18NKXAN03	ET18NK*A*0*
Whirlpool	ET18PKXAW00	ET18PK*A*0*
Whirlpool	ET18ZK	ET18DK*A*0*
Whirlpool	ET1AGK	ET18GK*D*0*
Whirlpool	ET20NMXAW01	ET20NM*D*0*
Whirlpool	ET20PM	ET20PM*D*0*
Whirlpool	ET21DK	ET21DK*D*0*
Whirlpool	ET21DK OR DM	ET21DK*D*0*
Whirlpool	ET21DK/ET21DK/ET2	ET21DK*D*0*
	1DM	
Whirlpool	ET21DKXZWO4	ET21DK*D*0*
Whirlpool	ET25DK	ET25DK*D*0*
Whirlpool	ETI8DKXBWOI	ET18DK*B*0*
Whirlpool	TT18CK	ET18ZK*D*0*
Whirlpool	TT18DKXEW03	ET18DK*A*0*
White Westinghouse	15CSCW	MRT15CSC*2
White Westinghouse	FRS26WRC	MRS24WRC*0
White Westinghouse	MRS20HRAW4	MRS20HRA*4
White Westinghouse	WRT 21NR CD	WRT21NRC*0*



# PROTOCOLS TABLES 6 AND 7

This appendix presents the CPUC Protocols: Table 6 and Table 7. The following tables are presented in order:

- Table 6 Refrigeration
- Table 6 Lighting
- Table 7 Refrigeration
- Table 7 Lighting

# **Table 6 - Refrigeration**

# PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC M&E PROTOCOLS TABLE 6 - RESULTS USED TO SUPPORT PY96 HIGH EFFICIENCY REFRIGERATOR APPLIANCE INCENTIVE PROGRAMS FIRST YEAR LOAD IMPACT EVALUATION, FEBRUARY 1998, PG&E STUDY ID NO. 373

Designated Unit of Measurement: REFRIGERATOR END USE: RESIDENTIAL REFRIGERATION

	AL REFRIGERATION			5. A. 90% CON	FIDENCE LEVEL	5. B. 80% CON	FIDENCE LEVEL
				LOWER BOUND		LOWER BOUND	
. Average Participant	Group and Average Comparison Group	PART GRP		PART GRP	PART GRP	PART GRP	PART GRP
A. Pre-install usage:	Pre-install kW	na	1	na	na	na	na
	Pre-install kW	na	1	na	na	na	na
	Pre-install Therm	na	1	na	na	na	na
	Base kW	2,392	1	na	na	na	na
	Base kWh	15,633,683		na	na	na	na
	Base Therms	na	1	na	na	na	na
	Base kW/ designated unit of measurement	0.125		na	na	na	na
	Base kWh/ designated unit of measurement	820		na	na	na	na
	Base Therms/ designated unit of measurement	na		na	na	na	na
B. Impact year usage:	Impact Yr k	1,731		na	na	na	na
paar y can acaaga	Impact Yr kW	11,313,060	1	na	na	na	na
	Impact Yr Therm	na	1	na	na	na	na
	Impact Yr kW/designated unit	0.091	1	na	na	na	na
	Impact Yr kWh/designated unit	594	-	na	na	na	na
	Impact Yr Therms/designated unit	na		na	na	na	na
Average Not and Gre	oss End Use Load Impacts		AVG NET	AVG NET	AVG NET	AVG NET	AVG NET
Average Net and Ort	A. i. Load Impacts - k	661	859	458	1,266	547	1,178
	A. ii. Load Impacts - kWh	4,320,624	5,616,811	2,994,192	8,278,315	3,577,476	7,699,351
	A. iii. Load Impacts - KWII	4,320,024 na	na	2,994,192 na	0,270,313	3,377,470 na	7,099,331 na
		0.035	0.046	0.024	0.067	0.029	0.062
	B. i. Load Impacts/designated unit - k						
	B. ii. Load Impacts/designated unit - kWh	227	295	157	435	188	405
	B. iii. Load Impacts/designated unit - Therms	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. i. a. % change in usage - Part Grp - k	27.6%	na	na	na	na	na
	C. i. b. % change in usage - Part Grp - kWh	27.6%	na	na	na	na	na
	C. i. c. % change in usage - Part Grp - Therm	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. ii. a. % change in usage - Comp Grp - k	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. ii. b. % change in usage - Comp Grp - kWh	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. ii. c. % change in usage - Comp Grp - Therms	na	na	na	na	na	na
. Realization Rate:	D.A. i. Load Impacts - kW, realization rate	1.27	1.65	na	na	na	na
	D.A. ii. Load Impacts - kWh, realization rate	1.48	1.93	na	na	na	na
	D.A. iii. Load Impacts - Therms, realization rate	na	na	na	na	na	na
	D.B. i. Load Impacts/designated unit - kW, real rate	1.27	1.65	na	na	na	na
	D.B. ii. Load Impacts/designated unit - kWh, real rate	1.48	1.93	na	na	na	na
	D.B. iii. Load Impacts/designated unit - Therms, real rate	na	na	na	na	na	na
Net-to-Gross Ratios		RATIO		RATIO	RATIO	RATIO	RATIO
	A. i. Average Load Impacts - k	1.3		69%	192%	83%	178%
	A. ii. Average Load Impacts - kWh	1.3		69%	192%	83%	178%
	A. iii. Average Load Impacts - Therms	na		na	na	na	na
	B. i. Avg Load Impacts/designated unit of measurement -		1				
	kW	1.3		69%	192%	83%	178%
	B. ii. Avg Load Impacts/designated unit of measurement -		1				
	kWh	1.3		69%	192%	83%	178%
	B. iii. Avg Load Impacts/designated unit of measurement -	-	1				
	Therms	na		na	na	na	na
	C. i. Avg Load Impacts based on % chg in usage in Impact		1	**			
	year relative to Base usage in Impact year - k	na		na	na	na	na
	C. ii. Avg Load Impacts based on % chg in usage in Impact		1				
	year relative to Base usage in Impact year - kWh	na		na	na	na	na
	C. iii. Avg Load Impacts based on % chg in usage in			1100			
	Impact year relative to Base usage in Impact year - Thms	na		na	na	na	na
Designated Unit Inte		PART GRP	1	PART GRP	PART GRP	PART GRP	PART GRP
Designated Unit Inte	A. Pre-install average value	na PART GRP	-	na PART GRP	na PART GRP	na PART GRP	na
	B. Post-install average value	na	-	na	na	na	na
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Measure Count Data		NUMBER	-				
	A. Number of measures installed by participants in Part	40					
	Group	19,059	-				
	B. Number of measures installed by all progra						
	participants in the 12 months of the program year	19,059	Ţ				
	C. Number of measures installed by Comp Group	na					
Market Segment Dat		na NUMBER					
Market Segment Dat			-				

Note: The costs for this program were split between Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives and Market Transformation funds, and benefits are divided proportionately between the two categories (51.2 % Appliance Efficiency Incentives and 48.8 % Market Transformation). Information shown in this table is scaled to represent accomplishments apportioned to the Residential Appliance Efficiency





# **Table 6 - Lighting**

#### **M&E PROTOCOLS TABLE 6**

Designated Unit of Measurement: Lamp ENDUSE: Lighting

1. Average Participant	Group and Average Comaprison Group	Participant	Comparison								
A. Pre-install usage:	Pre-install kW	na	na	1							
	Pre-install kW	na	na	1							
	Pre-install Therms	na	na	1							
	Base kW	na	na	1							
	Base kWh	na	na	1							
	Base Therms	na	na	1							
	Base kW/ designated unit of measurement	na	na	1							
	Base kWh/ designated unit of measurement	na	na	1							
	Base Therms/ designated unit of measurement	na	na	1							
B. Impact year usage:	Impact Yr k	na	na	1							
	Impact Yr kW	na	na	1							
	Impact Yr Therms	na	na	1							
	Impact Yr kW/designated unit	na	na	1							
	Impact Yr kWh/designated unit	na	na		5. A. 90% CONF	IDENCE LEVEL			5. B. 80% CONF	IDENCE LEVEL	
	Impact Yr Therms/designated unit	na	na	LOWER BND	UPPER BND	LOWER BND	UPPER BND	LOWER BND	UPPER BND	LOWER BND	UPPER BND
2. Average Net and Gr	ross End Use Load Impacts	AVG GROSS	AVG NET	AVG GROSS	AVG GROSS	AVG NET	AVG NET	AVG GROSS	AVG GROSS	AVG NET	AVG NET
and ago not and of	A. i. Load Impacts - kW	101.9	51.4	91.6	112.2	32.9	69.9	93.8	109.9	37.0	65.8
	A. ii. Load Impacts - kWh	1,348,115	605,005	1,302,943	1,393,288	466,292	743,717	1,312,966	1,383,265	497,071	712,939
	A. iii. Load Impacts - KWII	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	197,071 na	712,939 na
	B. i. Load Impacts/designated unit - kW	0.016	0.008	0.014	0.017	0.005	0.011	0.014	0.017	0.006	0.010
	B. ii. Load Impacts/designated unit - kW	207	93	200	214	72	114	202	213	76	110
	B. iii. Load Impacts/designated unit - Therms	na	na	na	na na	na na	na na	na	na	na na	na
	C. i. a. % change in usage - Part Grp - kW	na	na	na na	na na	na na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. i. b. % change in usage - Part Grp - kW	na	na	na	na na	na na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. i. c. % change in usage - Part Grp - Kwii	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. ii. a. % change in usage - Part Grp - Therms C. ii. a. % change in usage - Comp Grp - kW	na	na na	na na	na na	na na	na	na	na	na	na
	C. ii. b. % change in usage - Comp Grp - kWh	na				na		na	na	na	na
	C. ii. c. % change in usage - Comp Grp - Kwii		na na	na na	na na		na na		na		
D. Realization Rate:	D.A. i. Load Impacts - kW, realization rate	na 0.67	0.36	0.61	0.74	na 0.23	0.49	na 0.62	0.73	na 0.26	na 0.46
D. Realization Rate.	D.A. ii. Load Impacts - kWh, realization rate	0.95	0.36	0.92	0.74	0.25	0.49	0.62	0.73	0.26	0.46
	D.A. ii. Load Impacts - kwn, realization rate  D.A. iii. Load Impacts - Therms, realization rate		0.45 na							na	0.53 na
	D.B. i. Load Impacts - Therms, realization rate  D.B. i. Load Impacts/designated unit - kW, real rate	na 0.67	0.36	na 0.61	na 0.74	na 0.23	na 0.49	na 0.62	na 0.73	0.26	0.46
	D.B. ii. Load Impacts/designated unit - kWh, real rate	0.87	0.36	0.92	0.74	0.25	0.49	0.62	0.73	0.26	0.46
	D.B. ii. Load Impacts/designated unit - Kvvn, real rate  D.B. iii. Load Impacts/designated unit - Therms, real rate	0.95 na	0.45 na	0.92 na	na	na	na	0.92 na	na	na	0.53 na
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3. Net-to-Gross Ratios		RATIO		RATIO	RATIO			RATIO	RATIO		
	A. i. Average Load Impacts - kW	0.50		na	na			na	na		
	A. ii. Average Load Impacts - kWh	0.45		na	na			na	na		
	A. iii. Average Load Impacts - Therms	na		na	na			na	na		
	B. i. Avg Load Impacts/designated unit of measurement - kW	0.50		na	na			na	na		
	B. ii. Avg Load Impacts/designated unit of measurement - kWh	0.45		na	na			na	na		
	B. iii. Avg Load Impacts/designated unit of measurement - Therms	na		na	na			na	na		
	C. i. Avg Load Impacts based on % chg in usage in Impact year relative										
	to Base usage in Impact year - k	na		na	na			na	na		
	C. ii. Avg Load Impacts based on % chg in usage in Impact year relative										
	to Base usage in Impact year - kWh	na		na	na			na	na		
	C. iii. Avg Load Impacts based on % chg in usage in Impact year relative										
	to Base usage in Impact year - Thms	na		na	na			na	na		
4. Designated Unit Int				PART GRP	PART GRP			PART GRP	PART GRP		
	A. Pre-install average value	na		na	na			na	na		
	B. Post-install average value	na		na	na			na	na		
6. Measure Count Data		NUMBER		-				-			
	A. Number of measures installed by participants in Part Group	See next page									
	B. Number of measures installed by all program participants in the 12										
	months of the program year	See next page									
	C. Number of measures installed by Comp Group	na									
7. Market Segment Da	ta										
	A. Distribution by CEC climate zone	na									

# M&E PROTOCOLS TABLE 6 (CONTINUED)

6A/6B Measure Count Data				
Measure	Participant Group	Population		
BYPASS/DELAY TIMER (RES. LIGHTING)	3	98		
COMPACT FLUORESCENT: HARDWIRE FIXTURE, 14-26 WATTS (RES. LIGHTING)	240	300		
COMPACT FLUORESCENT: HARDWIRE FIXTURE, 27-50 WATTS (RES. LIGHTING)	40	78		
COMPACT FLUORESCENT: HARDWIRE FIXTURE, 5-13 WATTS (RES. LIGHTING)	984	1,672		
EXIT SIGN: LED OR ELECTROLUMINESCENT (RES. LIGHTING)	28	28		
EXIT SIGN: RETROFIT KIT (RES. LIGHTING)	87	504		
FIXTURE: INCAND TO FLUOR CONVERSION W/ELEC BLST (RES. LIGHTING)	6	6		
FIXTURE: REPLACE LAMP & BLST, 2 FT, T-8 & ELEC BLST	2	29		
FIXTURE: REPLACE LAMP & BLST, 3 FT, T-8 & ELEC BLST	4	56		
FIXTURE: REPLACE LAMP & BLST, 4 FT, T-8 & ELEC BLST	1,032	2,723		
FIXTURE: REPLACE LAMP & BLST, 8 FT, T-8 & ELEC BLST		80		
FIXTURE: T-8 FIXTURE & BALLAST, 2 FT, 2-LAMP	18	_		
FIXTURE: T-8 FIXTURE & BALLAST, 2 FT, 4-LAMP	26			
FIXTURE: T-8 FIXTURE & BALLAST, 4 FT, 1-LAMP	32			
FIXTURE: T-8 FIXTURE & BALLAST, 4 FT, 2-LAMP	349	423		
FIXTURE: T-8 FIXTURE & BALLAST, 8 FT, 2-LAMP	53	111		
HID FIXTURE: 0-70 WATTS	134	134		
HID FIXTURE: >= 71 WATTS	160	160		
PHOTOCELL (RES. LIGHTING)	25	26		
TIME CLOCK (RES. LIGHTING)	1	1		
Total	3,224	6,505		

# **Table 7 - Refrigeration**

#### A. OVERVIEW INFORMATION

# A.1. Study Title and Study ID Number

Study Title: Impact Evaluation of Pacific Gas and Electric Company's 1996 Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Programs

Study ID No: 373-1: Residential Appliance Efficiency: Refrigerators

# A.2. Program Year and Program Description

Program year: 1996

The PG&E energy efficient refrigerator programs were designed to encourage refrigerator purchasers to save energy by buying new, high efficiency refrigerators. The programs provided incentives for the purchase of refrigerators that consumed less energy than is allowable under federal appliance standards. All units were required to be CFC free. The amount of incentive offered depended on the rate of energy consumption of the refrigerator relative to the federal energy consumption standard for the refrigerator.

# A.2.a) Efficient Refrigerator Rebate Program (Rebate)

The 1996 program offered residential customers rebates of \$40, \$60, or \$80 when they purchased a new energy efficient refrigerator that was 20, 25, or 30 percent or more efficient than the Federal Appliance Standard. In addition, all units were required to be CFC-free. The 1996 goal was 30,850 units. This program was funded between Residential Appliance Efficiency and Market Transformation programs. Benefits are divided proportionately between the two categories.

#### **Refrigerator Incentives Offered by Rebate Program**

Percentage Energy Savings Beyond Federal Standards	Rebate Amount
20%	\$40
25%	\$60
30% or more	\$80

# A.2.b) Refrigerator Salesperson/Dealer Incentive Program (SPIFF)

This program incented appliance salespeople/dealers to stock and sell high-efficient refrigerators and encouraged salespeople to sell these refrigerators from October 1 through November 24, outside of the efficient rebate program time period. Manufacturers informed PG&E that retailers often discontinued stocking efficient models during the non-rebate program months. Incentives to the salesperson and dealer for the 1996 program were as follows: 20 percent \$10/\$3, 25 percent \$15/\$5, and 30 percent \$20/\$8 where the incentives are paid to the salesperson and dealer, respectively.

<b>Refrigerator</b>	Incentives	Offered	by S	SPIFF	<b>Program</b>
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Percentage Energy Savings Beyond Federal Standards	Salesperson/ Dealer Incentive
20%	\$10/\$3
25%	\$15/\$5
30% or more	\$20/\$8

#### A.3. End Uses Covered

The program covered new, high efficiency refrigerators.

#### A.4. Methods and Models Used

This section discusses the methodology used to evaluate PG&E's 1996 new energy efficient refrigerator programs. The method used to calculate gross savings is consistent with the CADMAC Protocols and Procedures for the Verification of Costs, Benefits and Shareholder Earnings for Demand-Side Management Programs (Protocols) for residential refrigeration. Net savings were calculated by applying a net-to-gross ratio to gross savings. The net-to-gross ratio calculation method is documented in the Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration 1996 First Year Statewide Load Impact Study Net-to-Gross Analysis which is included as Appendix B.

#### A.4.a) Gross Impacts

Gross impacts were calculated using an engineering approach. This approach was validated by the CPUC and is consistent the California Protocols for high efficiency refrigerator impact studies. Savings were based on data contained in PG&E 1996 Refrigerator Rebate Programs tracking system.

#### (1) Gross Energy Savings

The energy savings were calculated for each refrigerator by subtracting the model's annual energy consumption from the annual energy consumption standard for a model of the same size and attributes. Both annual consumption and federal standards were based on the data contained in the CEC's Directory of Certified Refrigerators and Freezers. The American Home Appliance Manufacture's (AHAM) database was used as a backup source for consumption and standards information when program refrigerator model numbers were not listed in the CEC Directory. The total energy savings was calculated by summing the annual energy savings for all confirmed rebated refrigerators.

The equation used to calculate the gross energy is as follows:

$$GEI = \sum_{i}^{nr} (kWhStd_{i} - kWhRtd_{i})$$

where:

GEI = Gross Energy Impact

 $kWh Std_i$  = the rated kWh per year consumption of units

just meeting the Federal DOE standards,

computed by using the attribute

characteristics and adjusted volume of the

rebated unit

 $kWh Rtd_i$  = the rated kWh per year consumption of

rebated unit

i = for rebated unit I

nr = the total number of rebated units

#### (2) Gross Load Impacts

The gross load impact for each refrigerator was calculated by applying a normalized refrigerator load factor applicable to the peak load hour to the average refrigerator load. The average load was calculated by dividing the gross energy impacts by 8,760 hour per year.

The equation used to calculate the gross load impact is as follows:

$$GLI = GEI * \frac{NRL}{8760hr / yr}$$

where:

GLI = Gross Load Impact

NRL = Normalized Refrigerator Load, which is a

factor relating the load at a given time to the

average annual load =  $1.34^{1}$ 

Source: Analysis of SCE and PG&E Refrigerator Load Data, AAG & Associates, Inc., prepared for the California DSM Measurement Advisory Committee, April 5, 1995.

# A.4.b) Net Impacts

Net impacts were calculated by multiplying a net-to-gross ratio to the gross savings. The net-to-gross ratio was developed under a separate study *Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Program: High Efficiency Refrigeration 1996 First Year Statewide Load Impact Study Net-to-Gross Analysis* which is included as Appendix B. The method incorporates the calculation of gross spillover effects and free ridership.

The equation used to calculate the net savings is as follows:

$$NS = GS * NTG$$

where:

NS = Net Savings (kW or kWh)
GS = Gross Savings (kW or kWh)
NTG = Net-To-Gross Ratio = 1.30

# A.5. Participant and Comparison Group Definition

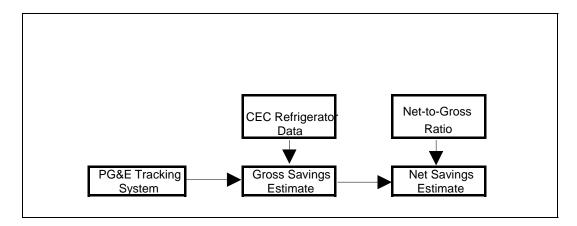
Program participants include all people who purchased high efficiency refrigerators and received rebates PG&E in 1996. There was no comparison group used in this analysis.

# A.6. Analysis Sample Size

No sample was used for gross savings calculations. The population included 37,224 high efficiency rebated refrigerators.

#### B. DATABASE MANAGEMENT

#### B.1. Flow Chart



#### **B.2.** Specific Data Sources

PG&E Tracking System and CEC Refrigerator Database. See methodology discussed above.

#### B.3. Data Attrition

There are 37,282 refrigerator observations in the PG&E database. Of that total, 37,036 refrigerator observations have model numbers found in the CEC database, and 246 observation do not match. Using 9 model numbers from the AHAM database, account for another 188 observations. The total number of usable observations is 37,224. All units are qualifying high efficiency refrigerators. The total count is 12 more units than the 37,212 units that were reported in *the PG&E Annual Summary of DSM Programs - April 1997*.

Of the 58 observations with model numbers that do not match either database, all but 4 units have model numbers that say "QUALIFIYING", making them unusable. The remaining 4 units' model numbers also unusable due to assumed data entry errors.

# B.4. Data Quality

Not applicable. Data not linked to customers. Model numbers in tracking system matched model numbers in CEC or AHAM databases.

### B.5. Data Collected Specifically for the Analysis but not Used

None.

#### C. SAMPLING

Not applicable.

#### C.1. Sampling Procedures and Protocols

Not applicable.

#### C.2. Survey Information

Not applicable.

#### C.3. Statistical Descriptions

Not applicable.

#### D. DATA SCREENING AND ANALYSIS

#### D.1. Outliers, Missing Data Points and Weather Adjustment

Not applicable.

# D.2. Control for the Effects of Background Variables

Not applicable.

D.3. Screening Data

Not applicable.

D.4. Regression Statistics

Not applicable.

D.5. Specification

Not applicable.

D.5.a) Heterogeneity

Not applicable.

D.5.b) Changes

Not applicable.

D.5.c) Self-Selection

Not applicable.

D.5.d) Omitted Factors

Not applicable.

D.5.e) Interpretation as Net Impacts

Not applicable.

D.6. Error in Measuring Variables

Not applicable.

D.7. Autocorrelation

Not applicable.

D.8. Heteroskedasticity

Not applicable.

### D.9. Collinearity

Not applicable.

D.10. Influential Data Points

Not applicable.

D.11. Missing Data

Not applicable.

D.12. Precision

Not applicable.

# E. DATA INTERPRETATION AND APPLICATION

# E.1. Net Impacts

Net impacts were calculated using methods falling under category 1d of Section E of Protocols Table 7 and other application methods agreed upon by CADMAC

#### E.2. Rationale

The method conforms to ProtocolsC-3B.

The costs for these programs were split between Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives and Market Transformation funds, and benefits and accomplishments are divided proportionately between the two categories (51.2% Appliance Efficiency Incentives and 48.8 % Market Transformation).

APPLIANCE EFFICIENCY PROGRAM EVALUATION - REFRIGERATORS	TABLE
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# **Table 7 - Lighting**

#### A. OVERVIEW INFORMATION

# A.1. Study Title and Study ID Number

Study Title: Impact Evaluation of Pacific Gas and Electric Company's 1996 Residential Appliance Efficiency Incentives Programs

Study ID No: 372: High Efficiency Lighting

# A.2. Program Year and Program Description

Program year: 1996

In 1996, rebates for the installation of efficient lighting technologies evaluated in this study were disseminated via the Multifamily Property Direct Incentive Program. This program was authorized under the Residential Appliance Efficiency Program but was integrated into the Nonresidential Retrofit Express Program in 1995. As a result of a decrease in marginal costs and the incorporation of the results of the M&E studies, the Multifamily Property Direct Incentive Program did not pass the TRC test and was not offered in 1996. Net energy impacts during 1996 were from carry-over applications from 1995 which were paid in 1996.

For 1996, a total of 87 carry-over lighting applications were paid.

#### A.3. End Uses Covered

Lighting.

#### A.4. Methods and Models Used

Gross impacts were determined using an engineering analysis supported by the on-site surveys. Energy (kWh) and demand (kW) impacts were developed using the following basic equations:

Energy:

$$kWh_{Saved} = [Watts_{SavedPerFixture}] \times [Hours of Operation Per Day] \times [1 kWh / 1,000 Watts] \times 365.$$

Demand:

$$kW_{\text{Reduced}} = [Watts_{SavedPerFixture}]x[\text{Peak Coincident Factor}]x[1 \text{ kW}/1,000 \text{ Watts}].$$

Net impacts were developed using a self-report free-ridership survey. Multi-family complex owners/managers were asked a series of questions to determine what they would have done in the absence of the program.

# A.5. Participant and Comparison Group Definition

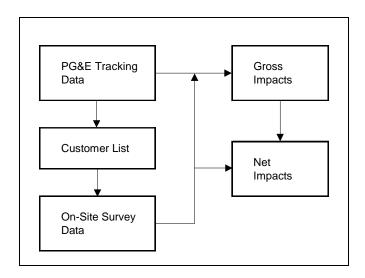
Program participants were defined as multifamily common area customers who purchased high efficiency lighting and received rebates from PG&E in 1996. There was no comparison group used in this analysis.

# A.6. Analysis Sample Size

Number of customers: 71 complexes Number of measures: 3,224 units

### B. DATABASE MANAGEMENT

#### B.1. Flow Chart



# **B.2.** Specific Data Sources

Tracking Data:

MFAPP96.SD2 SAS dataset - application-level data MFITEM96.SD2 SAS dataset - item (measure) level data

On-site survey data:

LIGHT1.SD2 SAS dataset - light fixture types, counts and operating hours

LIGHT2.SD2 SAS dataset - participation decision questions

Program files:

LIGHT.SAS SAS program to determine gross impacts and output net-to-gross

frequencies for net-to-gross analysis

LIGHTNTG.XLS Net-to-gross analysis spreadsheet

#### B.3. Data Attrition

Total program sites:	87
Sites with identified service address:	84
Sites surveyed for gross impacts:	71
Sites surveyed for net impacts:	61

# B.4. Data Quality

The PG&E control number was used to link tracking data and survey data.

### B.5. Data Collected Specifically for the Analysis but not Used

Not applicable.

### C. SAMPLING

Not applicable.

#### C.1. Sampling Procedures and Protocols

Not applicable.

# C.2. Survey Information

Survey instrument and sample disposition are provided in Appendix A of the Report.

### C.3. Statistical Descriptions

Not applicable.

### D. DATA SCREENING AND ANALYSIS

# D.1. Outliers, Missing Data Points and Weather Adjustment

Not applicable.

### D.2. Control for the Effects of Background Variables

Not applicable.

#### D.3. Screening Data

Not applicable.

# D.4. Regression Statistics

Not applicable.

D.5. Specification

Not applicable.

D.5.a) Heterogeneity

Not applicable.

D.5.b) Changes

Not applicable.

D.5.c) Self-Selection

Not applicable.

D.5.d) Omitted Factors

Not applicable.

D.5.e) Interpretation as Net Impacts

Not applicable.

D.6. Error in Measuring Variables

Not applicable.

D.7. Autocorrelation

Not applicable.

D.8. Heteroskedasticity

Not applicable.

D.9. Collinearity

Not applicable.

D.10. Influential Data Points

Not applicable.

#### D.11. Missing Data

Not applicable.

#### D.12. Precision

Not applicable.

#### E. DATA INTERPRETATION AND APPLICATION

# E.1. Net Impacts

Net impacts were calculated using methods falling under category 1c of Section E of Protocols Table 7 and other application methods agreed upon by CADMAC

#### E.2. Rationale

Given the limited number of participants (since this program is a 1995 carry-over) and the difficulty in performing billing analysis on this market segment (i.e., problems in collecting and aggregating bills for multi-account sites, nonprogram impacts at the site, increases in levels of lighting services during the retrofit, etc.), an engineering analysis was the most appropriate approach for developing accurate gross savings impacts. To accompany this gross savings approach, a self-report net-to-gross method was deemed most appropriate. Other net-to-gross methods based on statistical comparisons were not suitable for this study, given the limited number of participants, the large variation in types of multifamily complexes, and subsequent difficulty in identifying an appropriate control group.