

SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST: DATA ANALYTICS AND EVALUATION

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...to deliver **Customer Intelligence**via 'zero-touch' analytics...

...to help Utilities & Service
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POV: THE VALUE OF ANALYTICS ACROSS THE DSM PROCESS

- FirstFuel's core analytics provide value in M&V applications that extend throughout the energy efficiency and demand side management process chain.
- Analytic M&V solutions for residential and commercial markets should not be mixed together.

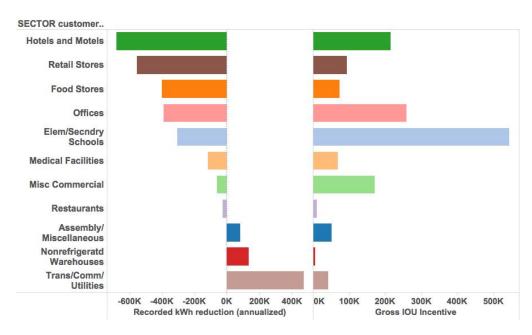




POV: THE PLACE FOR ANALYTICS IN EM&V

- Analytics can supplement but never replace current regulatory EM&V methods.
- Smart mix of conventional and analytics based methods can reduce the overall cost of delivering EM&V.
- EM&V community needs to come to an agreement on how best to use analytics in a regulatory framework.

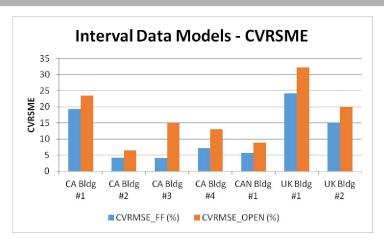
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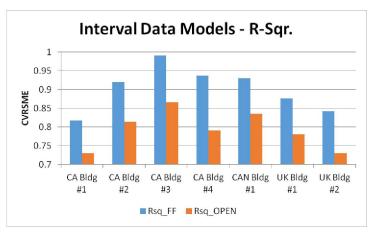


POV: PROPRIETARY MODELS VS. OPEN SOURCE MODELS

- Open Source models often lack the required accuracy for M&V for EM&V purposes in all but the deepest commercial retrofits.
- Proprietary models develop specifically for commercial applications are highly advanced, providing value beyond just predictive accuracy.
- Proprietary models deserve a place in the best practices for the use of analytics in EM&V.



NMBE both models ~ 0



FF vs. Top Open Source Interval Data (recent LBNL study)

