Energy transition & jurisdictions

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The future as painted by our customers ...



- Green energy will be cheap and abundant
- Energy supply will be zero carbon
- Fossil fuels will be a thing of the past
- Generation will be solely through renewable energy
- Households would be self-sufficient, or able to pool surplus to support others

We wholeheartedly agree!

Within 15 years, we could have up to:



4GW rooftop solar



2GWh residential storage



2.5GW additionaldemand500k electric vehicles



2GW electric hot water

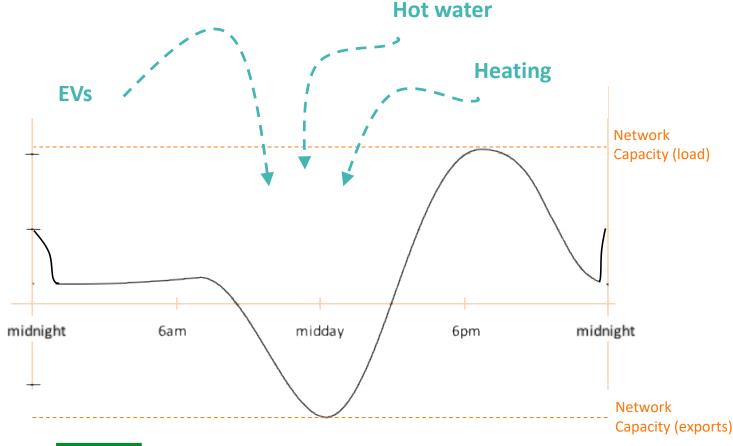
By 2035, South Australia will be **routinely** supplied by **100% rooftop solar PV**

We have an exciting opportunity to lead the world in creating an affordable, reliable, low carbon energy system ...

... powered significantly by customers!

Low cost, low carbon energy will unlock new economic opportunities for our state as a clean energy powerhouse

Our challenge is to make this work



Our investment in network capacity to meet air-conditioning demand means we have enough spare for **ALL** these new applications

However it's not trivial!

We need to manage **10GW+** of resource onto a **3GW** network

This creates challenges at every level of the industry



... all on a power system designed for 3GW peak demand

And we can't forget the fundamentals

- 1. Affordable and equitable energy supply
- 2. Empowering customer choice and flexibility
- 3. A reliable, resilient and safe electricity network
- 4. Enabling clean energy and unlocking future value for our State



National vs. Jurisdictional

- Transition requires speed & agility ≠ national approach
- Each jurisdiction does have unique circumstances
- By some jurisdictions leading, we can learn before adopting a national approach
- However, it would be desirable if this were acknowledged and understood by policy and rule-makers, so that our end-goal remains national consistency
- Also desirable would be agreed principles & architecture



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