

Twining « Improvement of the Energy Efficiency in Turkey »

Presentation of the software VisualDOE.3

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Available Detailed Energy Simulation Tools



DOE-2 : Whole building analysis program

Interface as eQuest, PowerDoe, VisualDoe, etc.

BLAST: building Load Analysis and System Thermodynamics. Uses heat balance method

EnergyPlus : Combination of DOE & Blast + additional features

Energy10 : For residential and small commercial buildings I.e. buildings with one or two zones or small (<10, 000 ft²)

Building Design Advisor: Early stages of design and optimization

TRNSYS : Designed to simulate the transient performance of thermal energy system

A public domain program for building energy analysis; sponsored by DOE.

Predicts hourly energy use and energy cost.

INPUTS: Hourly weather information, building description and HVAC system and utility rates

Structure

BDL, Loads, Systems, Plants and Economics

Sequential method to link these models

Uses weighting factor method

Default libraries for building construction

Can use Metric and English units

Uses

Energy conservation studies

Building design studies

What is VisualDOE 3.1

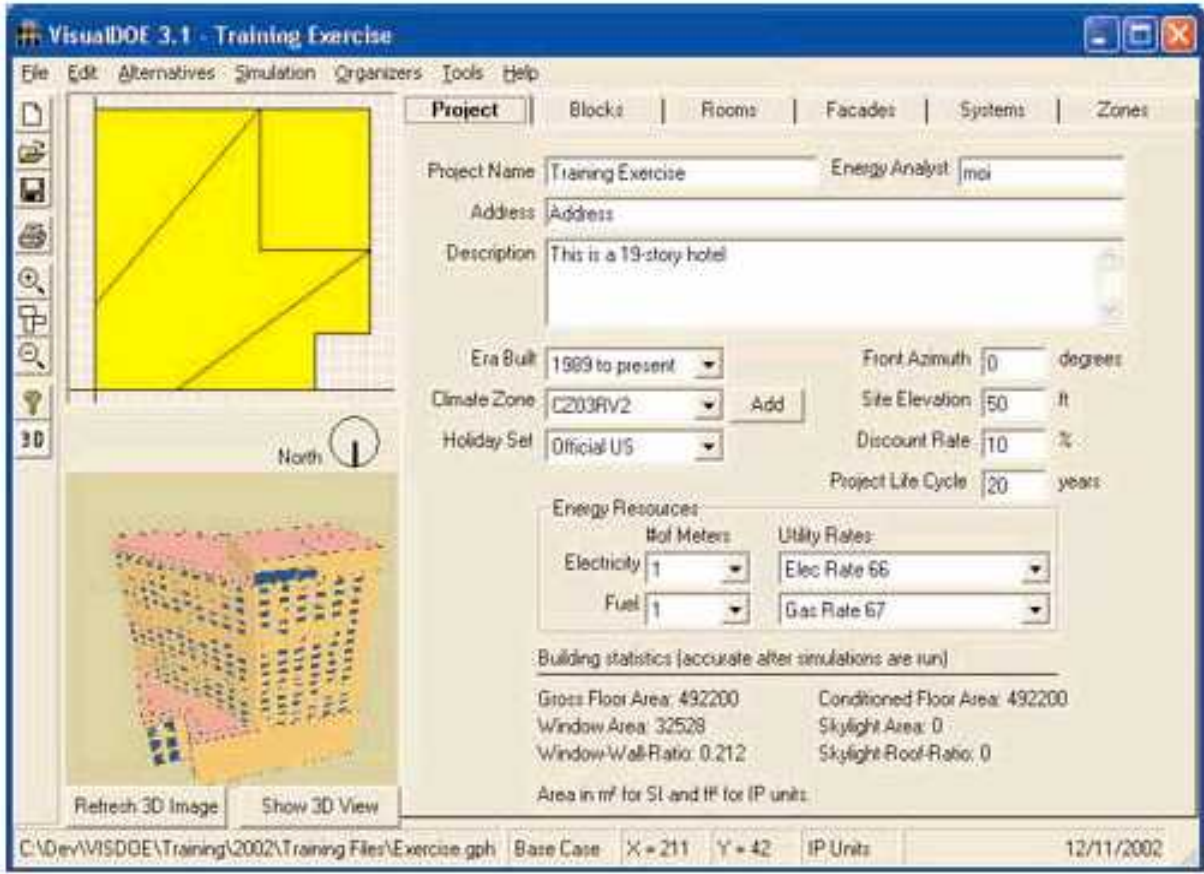
VisualDOE 3.0 is a third generation Windows . application that enables architects, engineers, energy analysts and utility personnel to quickly evaluate the energy savings of building design options.

. VisualDOE is designed so that more advanced calculation engines such as EnergyPlus can be used with the interface.

The VisualDOE 3.0 Windows . interface is truly graphic. Pictures of your building and HVAC system diagrams are produced as you create your model..

WHAT IS VISUALDOE 3.1?

VisualDOE 3.1 is a green building design tool that helps users quickly and accurately evaluate energy and demand impacts of design alternatives using the powerful DOE-2 simulation engine developed by Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory. The program covers major building systems, including building envelope, lighting, daylighting, service water heating, HVAC and central plant. VisualDOE runs on PCs with the Microsoft

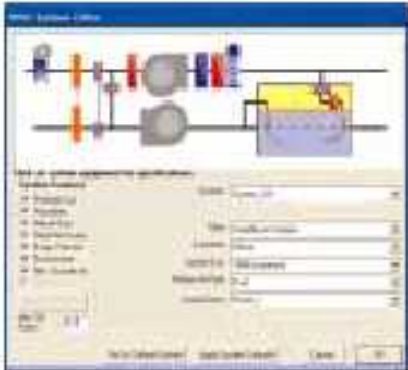


VisualDOE 3.1 Main Form

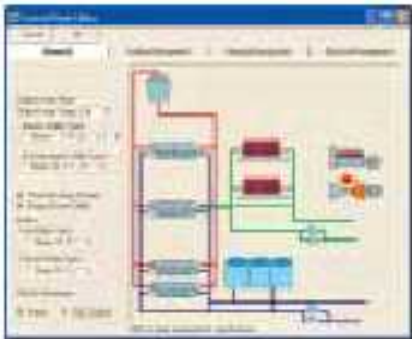
VisualDOE emphasizes the balance between the ease-of-use and the flexibility for users with different levels of simula-

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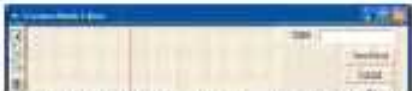
File Edit Document View Window Help



HVAC Editor - Click on images of system components to define properties.



Central Plant Editor - Options include air and water cooled chillers, absorption chillers, thermal energy storage and cogeneration.



WHO'S USING VISUALDOE?

VisualDOE has more than one thousand licensed users in more than thirty five countries. The program is targeted for use by architects, engineers, MEP firms, energy consultants, utilities, national laboratories, universities, energy service companies, HVAC equipment manufacturers, and building product manufacturers.

ENERGY CONSERVATION MEASURES (ECMs)

A wide variety of ECMs can be studied with VisualDOE.

Envelope

Insulation for walls, roofs and floors, mass walls and roofs, cool roofs, exterior shades, coating on walls, building shape and orientation.

Windows and Skylights

Type of windows and skylights, interior and exterior window shades, window orientation, window area, skylight area.

Lighting and Daylighting

Lighting systems, lighting controls, daylighting controls, occupancy sensor.

HVAC System and Equipment

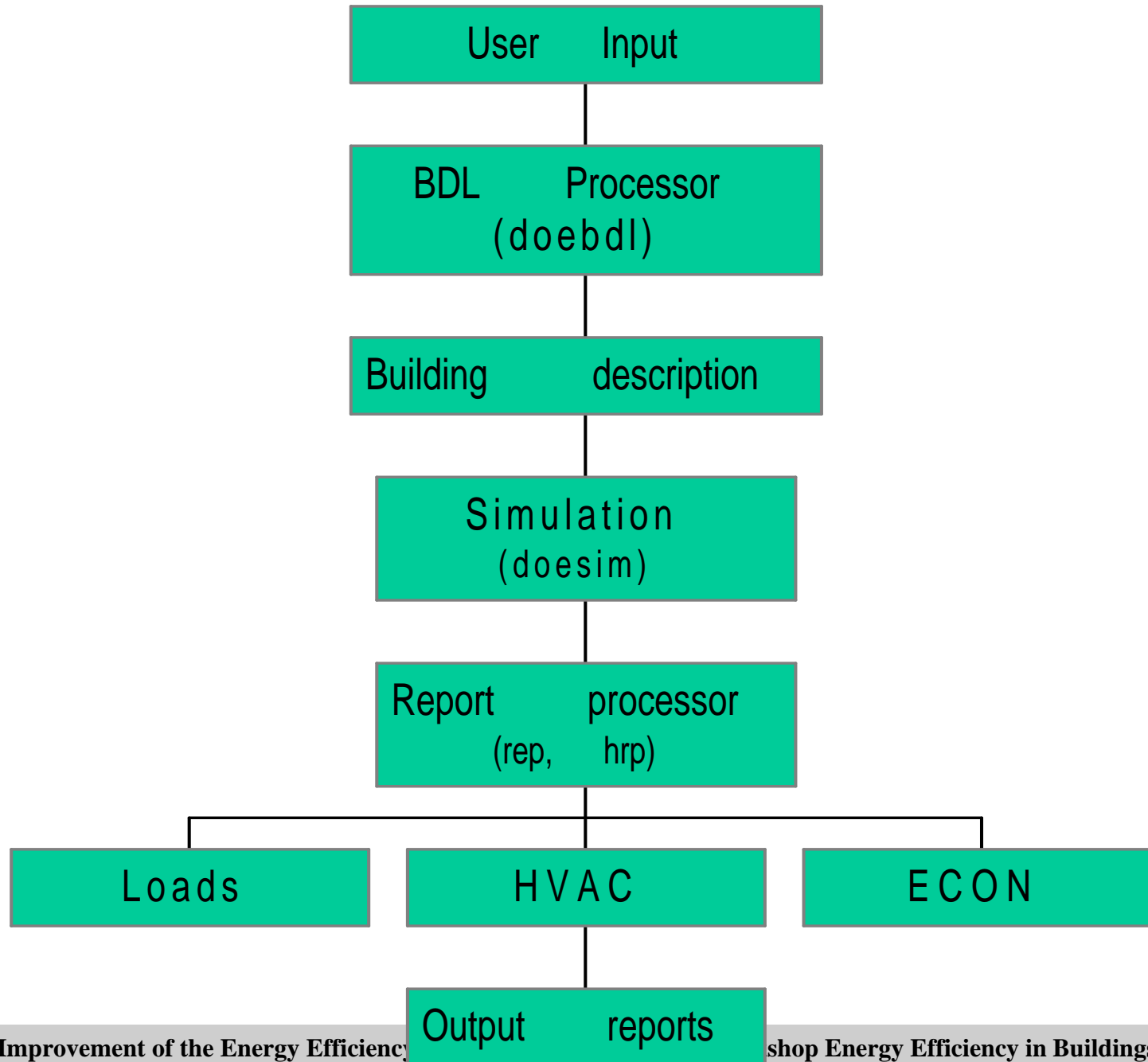
System type, economizer, fan efficiency and control, supply air temperature set point and control, demand control ventilation, heat recovery, zoning and reheat.

Central Plant

Chillers: types, sizing and selection, capacity control, staging, efficiency, CHW loop design and pumping control. Cooling Tower: efficiency, CWS setpoint, approach, CWS reset, capacity control. Boiler: efficiency, HW loop design and pumping control. Thermal Energy Storage system and Co-generation system.

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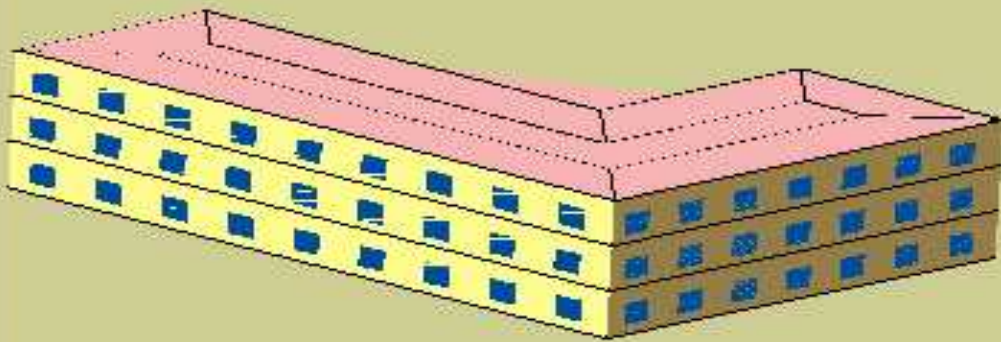
DOE.3 flow diagram



Arranging Blocks

Blocks can be located on the same level or stacked on top of each other. models that are constructed with standard block shapes.

3D View of the Model



- Items to Display
- Exterior Walls
 - Roofs
 - Floors
 - Interior Partitions
 - Ceilings
 - Interior Floors
 - External Shades
 - Plenum Walls
 - Skylights
 - Windows
 - Daylight Sensors

Select All Clear

Scope

All

Redraw

Copy View

View Controls

Projection **Orthogonal**

Type **Floor Plans**

Style **Solid Surfaces**

Near Plane **1**

Far Plane **2000**

Extent

Field Of View

Offset

X:

Y:

Z:

Note:

You can also hold down the CONTROL key with the LEFT or RIGHT mouse button and drag to circle around the scene.

Start



Microsoft PowerPoint ...

VisualDOE 3.1 - A1-5

3D View of the Model



Project Folder

The Project folder is used to enter general information about your project.

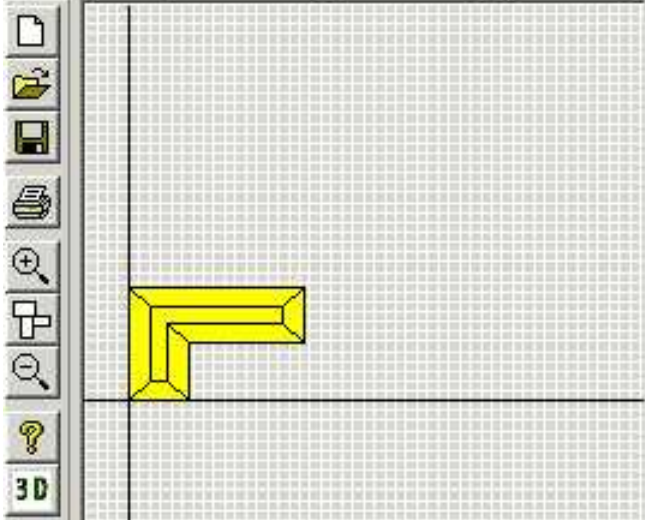
Name. A descriptive project name.

Address. The address of your project,.

Description. A description of your project,

Energy Analyst. The name of the person who is responsible for performing the energy analysis.

Climate Zone (list box). Select a climate from the list of available choices.



Project | **Blocks** | Rooms | Facades | Systems | Zones

[-] [L] [H] [N] [+] [S] [U] [T] [C]

Name: Block_1 Area (excluding floor multiplier): 12442.42

List of Blocks (3):
Block_1
Block_2
Block_3

Constructions:
Roof: Base Case Roof (light-20cm)
Floor: Base Case (Slab)
Int Floor: Base Case Floor (Light)
Partitions: Base Case Partition

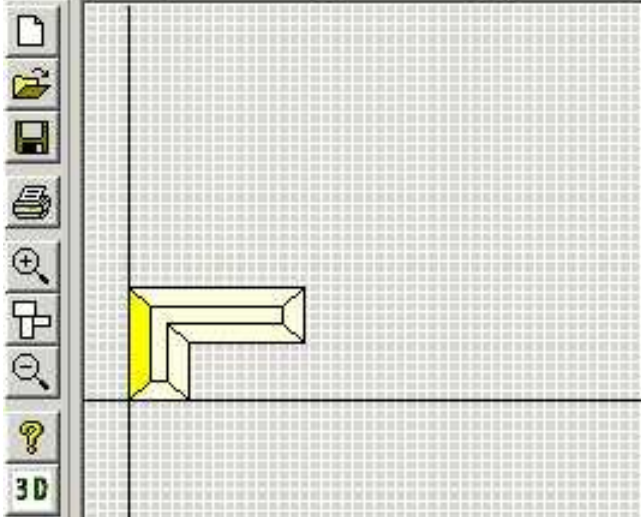
Zoning: Interior Perimeter
Level: Level 1 - Bottom
Number of Floors: 1
Floor to Floor Ht.: 11.5
Plenum:

X: 0 Y: 0
Perimeter Depth: 20
Width: 164 Depth: 114.83
Width 2: 55.7 Depth 2: 59

Edit Defaults Apply Defaults

Dimensions are in feet.

Refresh 3D Image Show 3D View



Name: Room_2 Area (excluding floor multiplier): 1,897 ft² Zone Totals*

List of Rooms (21)

- Room_1
- Room_10
- Room_11
- Room_12
- Room_13
- Room_14
- Room_15
- Room_16
- Room_17
- Room_18
- Room_19
- Room_2**
- Room_20
- Room_21
- Room_3
- Room_4
- Room_5
- Room_6
- Room_7
- Room_8
- Room_9

Level: 1
Block: Block_1

LPD 1.39 W/ft² 2636.2 Watt

Light to Space 1.00 (Fraction)

EPD 0.93 W/ft² 1763.8 Watt

Occ. Density 33.20 ft²/Person 57.126 people

Zone Type Conditioned

Occupancy New School (A1-S)

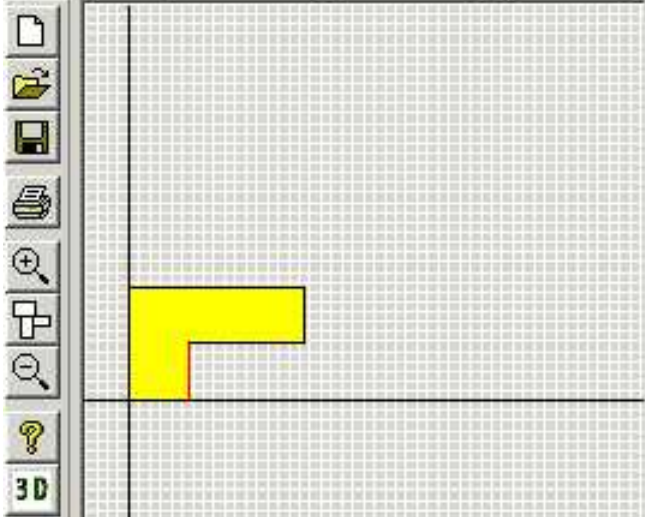
Infiltration 0.50 air-changes/hr

Skylight

Daylight Control None

Process Loads Edit Defaults Apply Defaults

Refresh 3D Image Show 3D View



Level 2



Project | Blocks | Rooms | **Facades** | Systems | Zones

Name: Srf_336

Facade Width: 59.0 Number Bays: 4

Spec. Method: Typical Bay

Wall Const: Base Case Wall (light-15 cm)

Glazing: Single Clear 6 mm

Window Choice: A1-S Window

Bay Width: 14.0

Sill Height: 2.3

Orientation: West

Window Area: 148.4

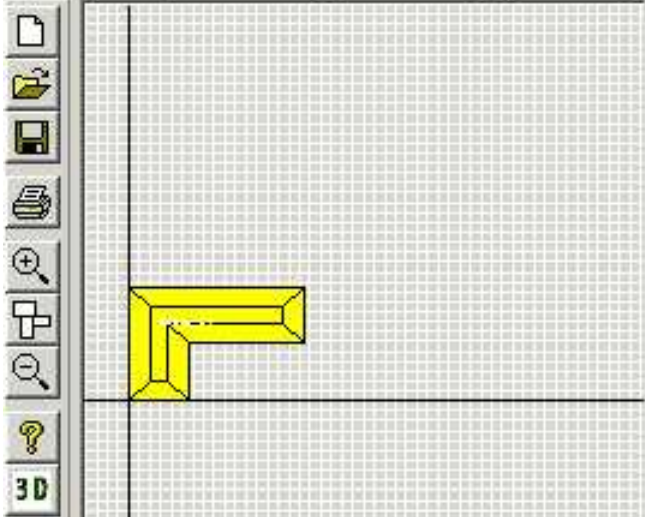
Dimensions are in feet: Xval Yval

List of Facades (18):
Srf_322
Srf_325
Srf_328
Srf_331
Srf_334
Srf_336
Srf_340
Srf_343
Srf_346
Srf_349
Srf_352

Room: Room_13
Block: Block_2

Edit Defaults Apply Defaults

Refresh 3D Image Show 3D View



- System Assignments
- One System for Building
 - One System for Each Block
 - One System for Each Zone
 - Custom
- Use Smart HVAC Defaults

Conditioned Area: 37327 ft²
Type: Packaged Single Zone

System Name
System_2510

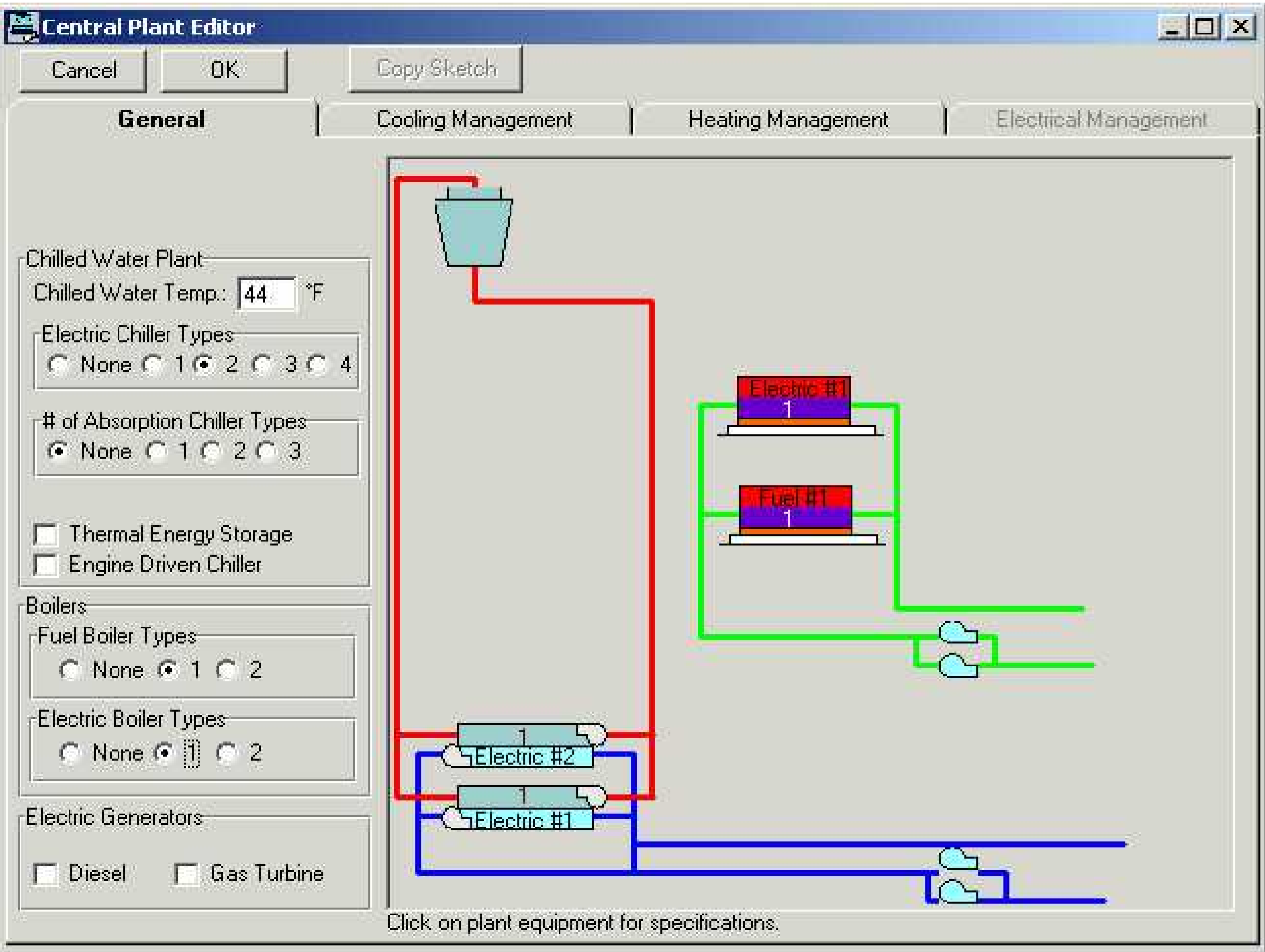
- List of Systems (1)
- System_2510

HVAC System Editor

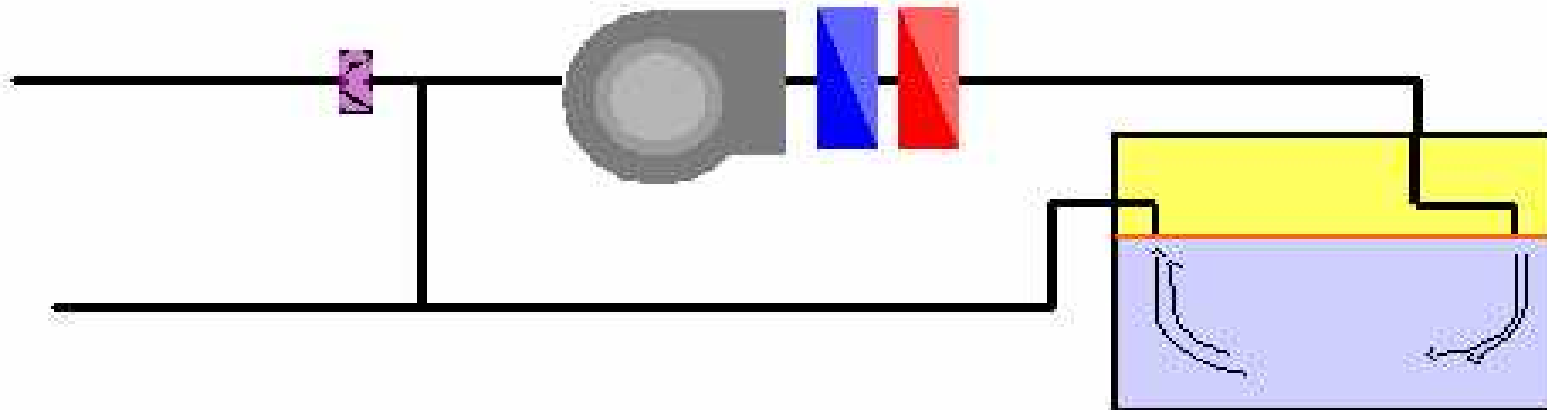
Central Plant Editor

Water Heating System Editor

Refresh 3D Image | Show 3D View



HVAC Systems Editor



Click on system equipment for specifications.

Copy Sketch

System Features

- Preheat Coil
- Humidifier
- Return Fan
- Heat Recovery
- Evap. Precool
- Economizer
- Min. Outside Air
- Natural Vent.

Natural Ventilation

Min. OA Ratio:

System:

Type:

Schedule:

System Era:

Return Air Path:

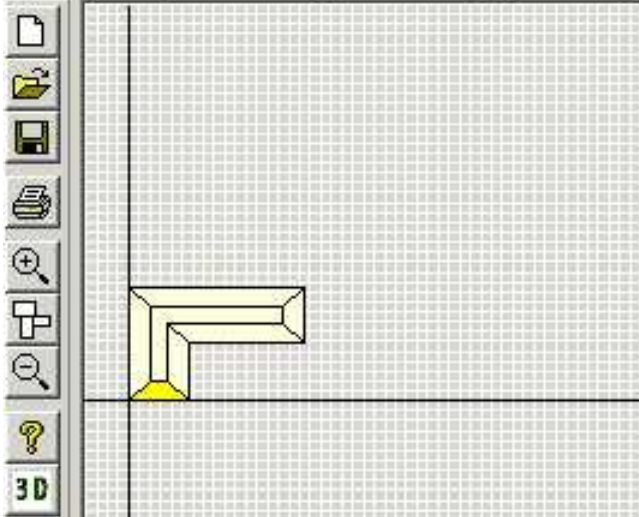
Control Zone:

Set As Default System

Apply System Defaults

Cancel

OK



3D

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Project | Blocks | Rooms | Facades | Systems | **Zones**

List of Conditioned Zones (21) Area: 714.0 ft²

- Room_1
- Room_10
- Room_11
- Room_12
- Room_13
- Room_14
- Room_15
- Room_16
- Room_17
- Room_18
- Room_19
- Room_2
- Room_20

System: System_202

Thermostat Type: Two-Position

Min. Flow Ratio: 0.3

Supply Air:

- Let Program Size
- Total Flow: 0
- Flow/Area: 0
- Air Change/Hr: 0

Outside Air:

- Total Flow: 568.4
- Flow/Person: 18
- Air Change/Hr: 2.83
- Frac Supply Air: 0

Exhaust Fan Baseboards Zone Reheat

Flow units are in CFM, and area is in ft².

Edit Defaults Apply Defaults

Refresh 3D Image Show 3D View

Type Window

Library Items (27)

- 6 x 6.5 single clear
- 6 x 8 single clear
- 6040 double bronze
- 6040 double clear
- 6040 double green
- 6040 double reflective (hard coat)
- 6040 double reflective (soft coat)
- 6040 single bronze
- 6040 single clear
- 6040 single green
- 6040 single reflective
- 6X6 Double Low E

Copy >

Delete

Rename

Edit

Add New

Project Items (4)

- A1-H Wind (GF)
- A1-H Wind (Tow)
- A1-H Wind (Tow-N)
- A1-H Wind (Tow-S)

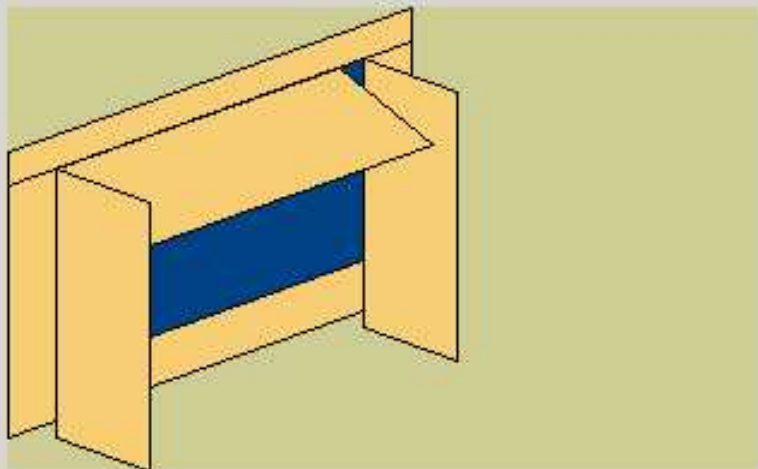
Selected Item Description

Property	Value
Name	6 x 6.5 single clear
Type	Window
Height (ft)	6
Width (ft)	6.5
Exterior Shade	Yes
Interior Shade	Yes

Exit

Window		Exterior Shade		Interior Shade		Frame	
				Overhang			
	Fin Left	Fin Right	Projection	2	Window Recess	0.10	
Projection	2	2	Width	6			
Height	8	8	Edge to Jamb Left	0			
Head to Top Fin	2	2	Head to Bottom OH	0			
Jamb to Fin	0	0	Angle	45			

All dimensions are in feet.



Redraw Cancel OK

Edit Glazing Double Clear 3/12/3 mm

Method

- DOE2 Glazing Library
 U-value/SC

OK

Cancel

DOE-2 Description	DOUBLE CLEAR IG
DOE-2 Code	2001
Number of Glazings	2
Shading Coefficient	0.89
Light Transmission	0.812
U-factor (center of glass)	0.491 Btu/h-ft ² ·°F
SHGC (0 degree incidence)	0.762

Import Glazing from WINDOW 4.1 File

This glazing is a part of the DOE2 glass library.

Construction Editor

Name: Wd. Frm. 24" o.c. R-0 + 2" EI

Type: Wall

Absorptance: 70%

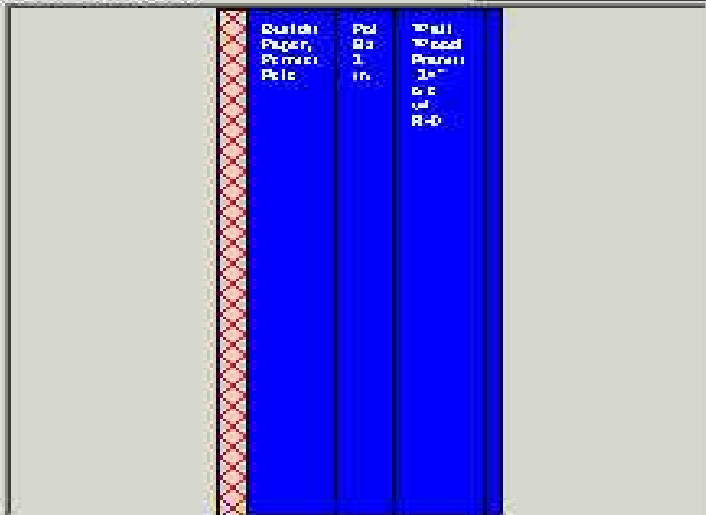
Roughness: 3 - Textured

Inside Surface: Non Refl. Wall

Enter U-factor

Outside Emissivity: 0.9

Sketch of Construction (left exterior) Clear Construction



Construction Details

Property	Value
Name	Wd. Frm. 24" o.c.
ID	279
Type	Wall
Fixed	False
NameD...	Asm185

Materials

Classes

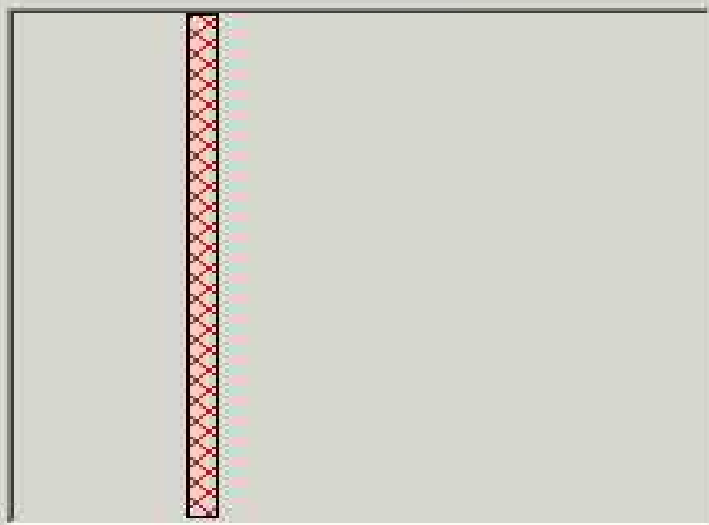
- All
- Insulation
- Exterior Finishes
- Framing/Insulation

Buttons: Organizer, Edit Material

Choices

- Stucco 1 in.
- Building Paper, Permeable Felt
- Polystyrene, Expanded, 2 in.
- Wall Wood Framing 24" o.c. w/ R-0
- Gypsum Board 5/8 in.

Sketch of Selected Material



Material Details

Property	Value
Name	Stucco 1 in.
Type	ExteriorFinishes
DOE-2 ...	True
Fixed	True

Copy Sketch

OK

Cancel

Occupancy Editor



Name

Fixed

Room/Zone Schedules

People

Lights

Equipment

Infiltration

Heating Temperature

Cooling Temperature

System Schedules

Domestic Hot Water

Fans

Outside Air

PIU Temperature

PIU Temperature HtPIU

Heating Design Temp °F

Cooling Design Temp °F

Lighting Power Density W/ft²

Equipment Power Density W/ft²

Occupant Density ft²/person

Details

Sensible Heat Gain Btu/h/person

Latent Heat Gain Btu/h/person

Note: These schedules may be shared by other occupancies. Any change to a schedule will impact all occupancies sharing the schedule. To create a new schedule, please go to the Schedules Organizer.

Edit Selected Schedule

Cancel

OK

Day Schedule Editor



Name

OFFCITWD

Schedule Type

Temperature

Day Type

Weekday

Fixed



Show Scale

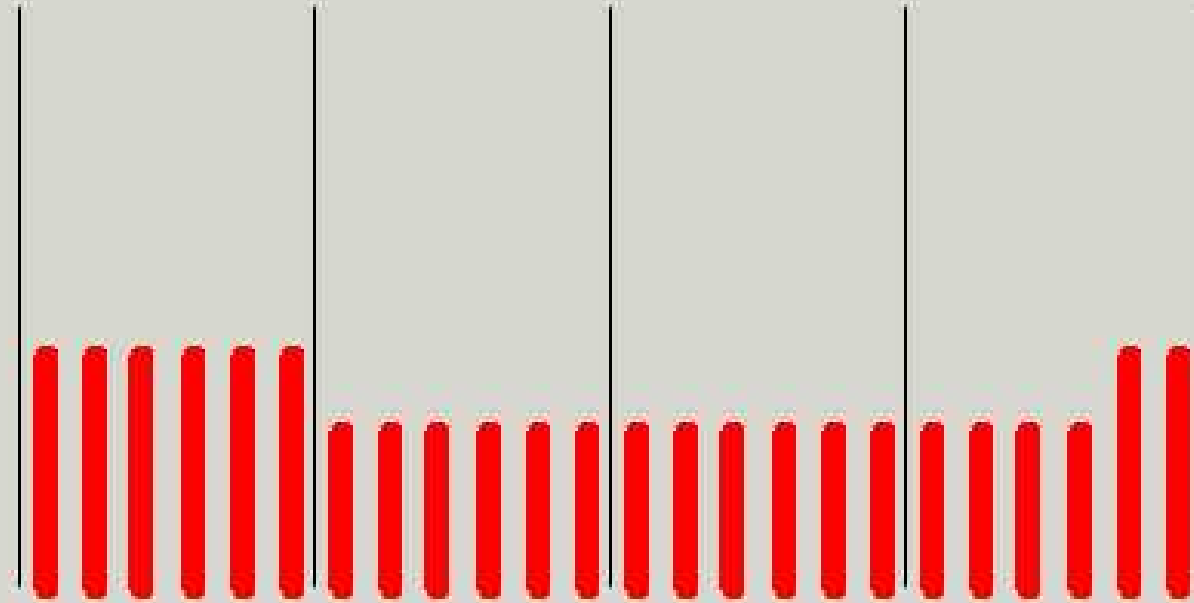
Midnight

6 AM

Noon

6 PM

Midnight



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Open Library

Cancel

OK

Utility Rate Editor

Fixed

Name

Service Provider

Description

Resource Type

Effective Date

Rate Type

Billing Day

Service Charge

Demand Charge

Schedule

Demand Ratchet

Rate Limit Maximum Rate

Escalation Rate %

Cancel

OK

Utility Charges

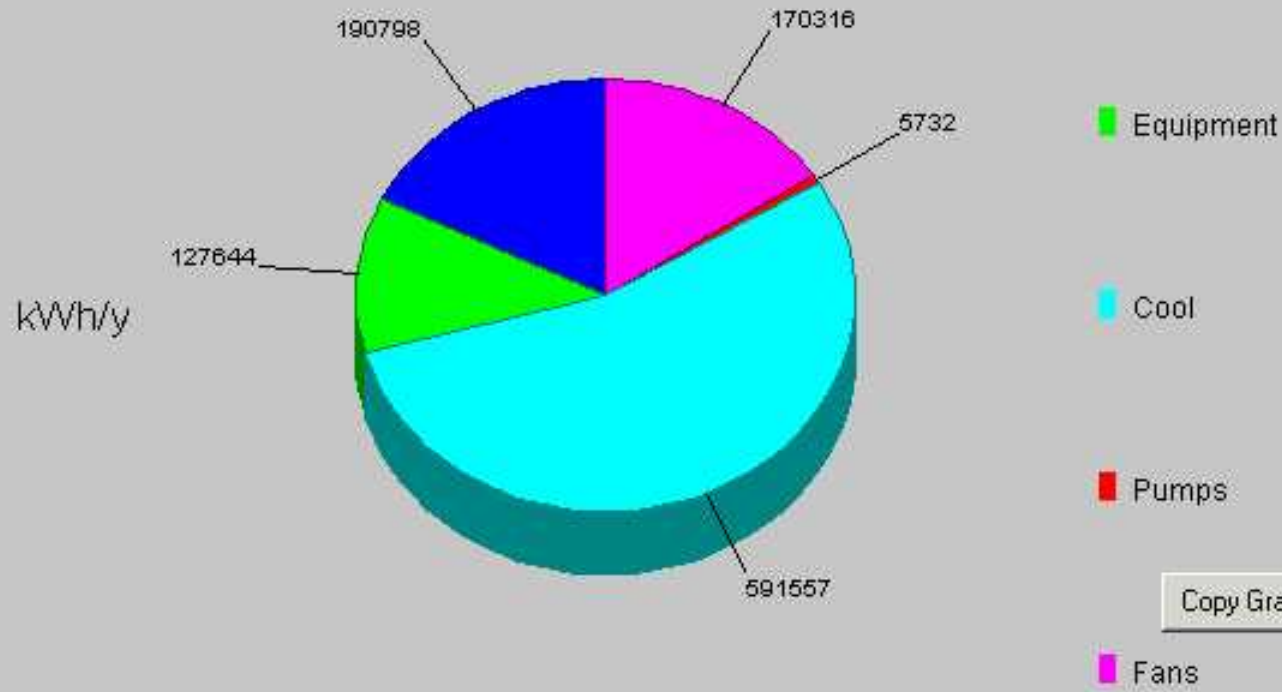
- Charge Periods
- Summer on-peak
 - Summer mid-peak
 - Summer off-peak
 - Winter mid-peak
 - Winter off-peak

Name

Property	Value
Name	Summer on-peak
ID	10311
IDLib	0
Charge Type	Energy
Energy Charge Unit	\$/kWh
Charge Item 1	
ID	10312
Item Type	Energy
Number of Blocks	1
Block 1	
Size 1	0 - ∞
Cost 1	0.055

Edit Charge Period

Electric End Uses



- Hourly Data
- Electricity End Uses**
- Fuel End Uses
- All End Uses
- Monthly Electricity
- Monthly Electric Demand
- Monthly Fuel

- Design Alternatives
- Base Case**

Update Graph

Edit Graph

Exit

Print Preview ADEME

Export RTF Export PDF Close

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VisualDOE 3.1 - Systems Summary

Project Information

Name: New A1-H
 Address: Beirut
 Description: High Rise Hotel
 Analysis done by: Rana Rizk @ Universite Libanaise-Faculte de genie 3
 Project File: c:\documents and settings\administrator\desktop\new a1-h.gph
 Case Name: Base Case
 Case Description: Base Case
 Number of Systems: 1

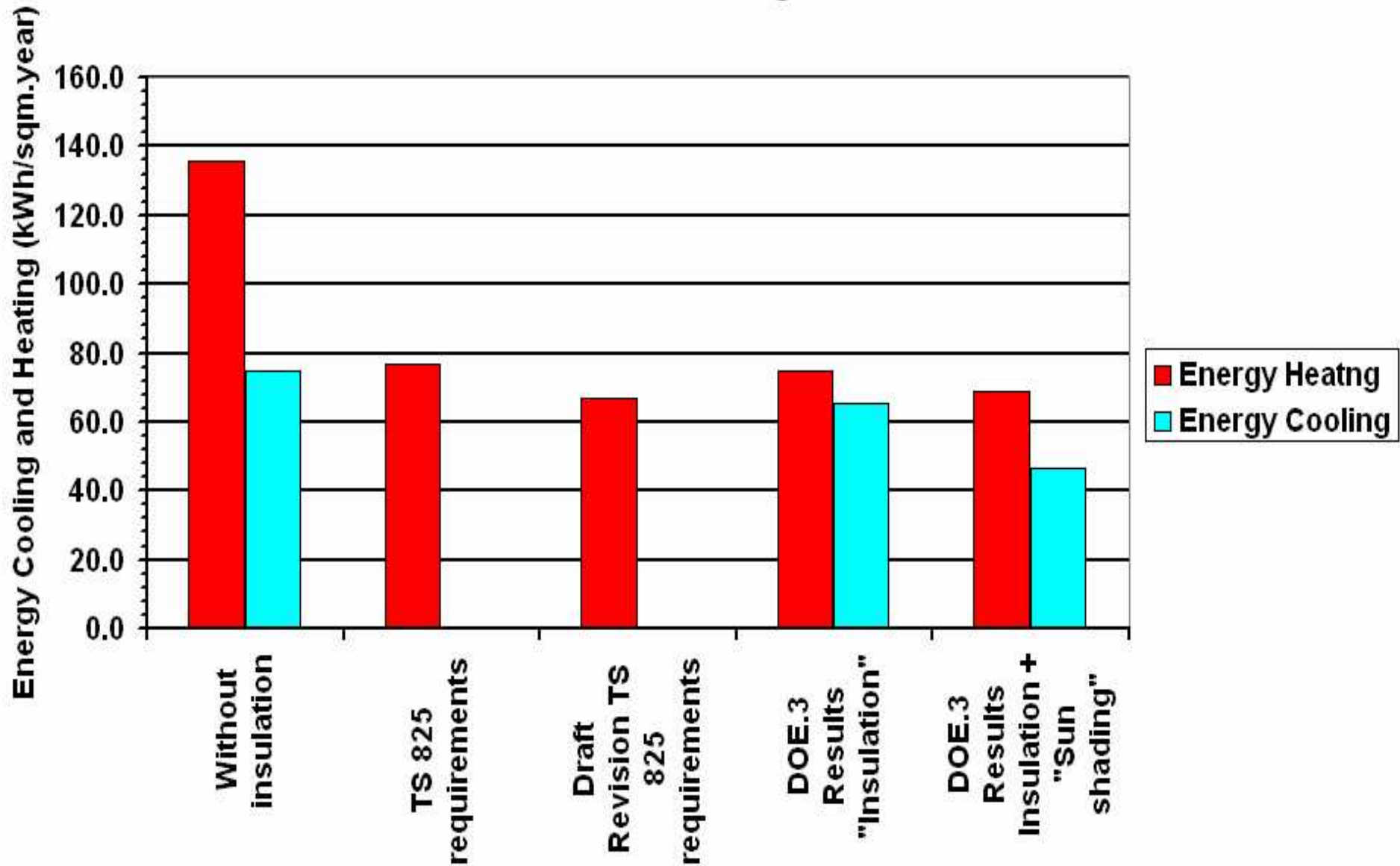
Systems Summary

Name	Type	Cond. Area (ft ²)	Supply (CFM)	Min. OA	Cooling Cap (kBtu/h)	Heating Cap (kBtu/h)	Cooling Peak (kBtu/h)	Heating Peak (kBtu/h)	Cooling Energy (MBtu)	Heating Energy (MBtu)
System_202	PSZ	125349	111630	0.202	4170.6	2416.8	4138.6	1863.6	5962	1079

Systems Summary per Conditioned Area

Name	Type	Cond. Area (ft ²)	Supply (CFM/ft ²)	Min. OA	Cooling Cap (Btu/h/ft ²)	Heating Cap (Btu/h/ft ²)	Cooling Peak (Btu/h/ft ²)	Heating Peak (Btu/h/ft ²)	Cooling Energy (kBtu/ft ²)	Heating Energy (kBtu/ft ²)
System_202	PSZ	125349	0.891	0.202	33	19	33	15	48	9

Comparison TS 825 Requirements and DOE.3 Results for a Residential Building in ANKARA



What's New in Version 3.1

- . Easier simulation results diagnosis
- . LEED style end -use report
- . Life cycle cost analysis of design alternatives
- . Revised all reports for SI units
- . Modeling Tips to save your time and help diagnose simulation results
- . Weather File Converter to pack and unpack DOE -2 weather files
- . Create a big energy model with 1024 zones and 256 systems
- . Shows building statistics while you build an energy model
- . Improved custom block editor and DXF file import to create complicated building shapes
- . New 3D view controls
- . Enhanced VisualDOE Reports for more useful information of the building, zones and systems
- . Share library file to make VisualDOE network compatible
- . One-stop editor showing files of input, BDL, output, hourly reports, and weather statistics
- . Flexible data input of room internal heat gains in either power density or total power use
- . Flexible data input of zone air flow. Air flow autosized or manually sized
- . Define source energy use and process loads of a room
- . Adds escalation rate at the utility rate editor for life cycle cost calculation

Thank you

Questions ?