



## Visit at UC Davis

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## Energy Efficient Lighting & Daylighting

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# Presentation Outline

- **About CLTC**
- **CA Driving Forces for Energy Efficiency**
  - Energy Codes vs. Best Practices
- **Fundamental Lighting Design Strategy**
  - **Spectral Power Distribution**
  - **Candle Power Distribution**
  - **Controls**
    - Lighting
    - Daylighting
    - Integrated controls
- **Smart Luminaires, Windows & Skylights**

# CLTC Establishment (2002 - 2003)



University of California, Davis



California Energy Commission



National Electrical Manufacturers Association



US Department of Energy

# CLTC Mission & Activities

- To stimulate, facilitate & accelerate the development, application & **commercialization** of **energy-efficient lighting** and **daylighting** technologies.
- **Mission-driven Activities**
  - Research & Development
  - Field Testing & Demonstration
  - Outreach, Education & Training
- In **partnership** with utilities, manufacturers, end users, builders, designers, researchers, academicians, and governmental agencies



## FOUNDING ORGANIZATIONS



## UTILITIES



## MANUFACTURERS



## LARGE END-USERS



# California Global Warming Solutions Act (AB 32)

Air Resource Board (ARB)

Signed 2006

Reduce **greenhouse gas emissions** to 1990 levels by 2020

- 12% reduction *from current* emissions levels
- 30% reduction *from projected* business-as-usual levels
- Annual reduction of 4 tons of CO<sub>2</sub> per capita
  - From 14 tons to 10 tons by 2020

# Huffman Bill (AB 1109)

Signed 2007

Reduce average statewide **lighting energy consumption** by 2018

- Indoor **Residential** Lighting  
*not less than 50%* from the 2007 levels
- Indoor **Commercial** Lighting  
*not less than 25%* from the 2007 levels
- **Outdoor** Lighting  
*not less than 25%* from the 2007 levels

# California's Strategic Lighting Plan

September 23, 2012

**60–80% statewide reduction** in electrical lighting energy consumption **by 2020**

September 2008

California long term  
**ENERGY  
EFFICIENCY**  
STRATEGIC PLAN

ACHIEVING MAXIMUM ENERGY SAVINGS IN CALIFORNIA FOR 2009 AND BEYOND

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# Standard Practice...

# Best Practice!

**2008 BUILDING ENERGY EFFICIENCY STANDARDS FOR RESIDENTIAL AND NONRESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS**

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION


**REGULATIONS / STANDARDS**



Effective January 1, 2010

December 2008  
CEC-400-2008-001-CMF


Arnold Schwarzenegger  
Governor



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# CALGreen Code

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Assembly Bill introduced on February 2, 2009

**Zero Net Energy (ZNE)** standards for buildings starting in 2020

Effective January 2011

*CALGreen*

California Code of Regulations  
Title 24, Part 11

California Building Standards Commission



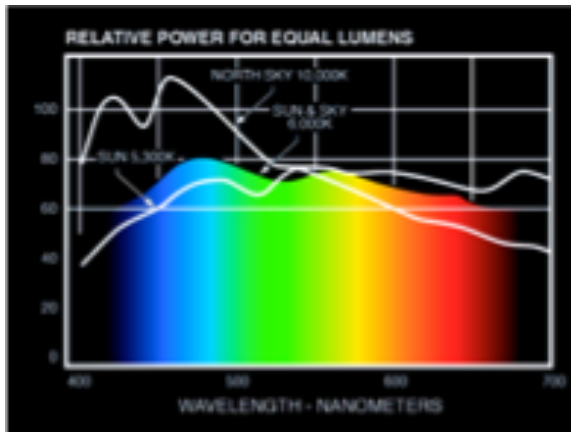
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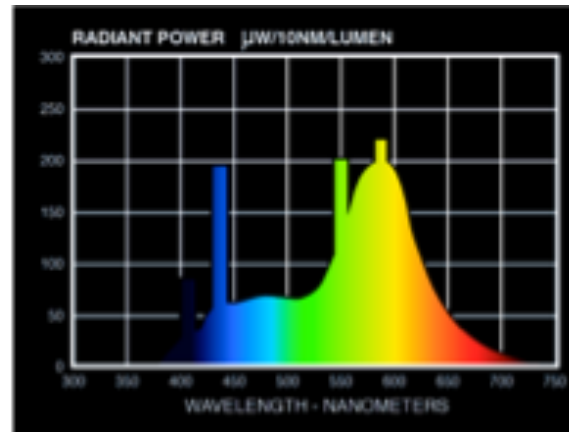
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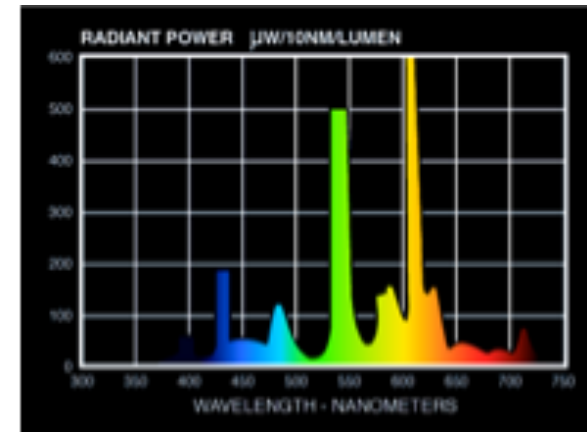
# Spectral Power Distributions



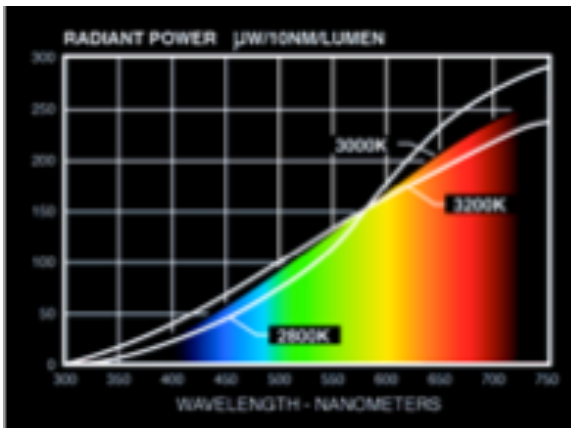
Daylight



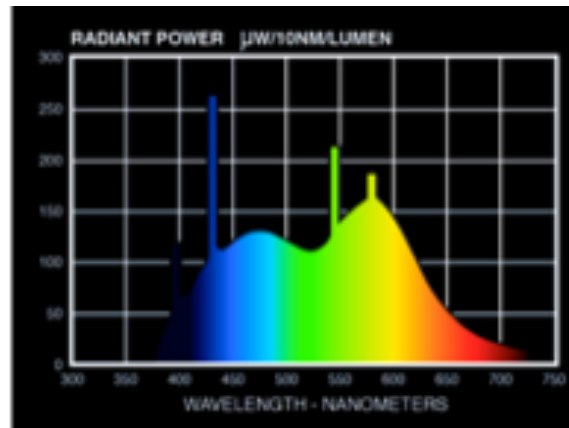
Cool White Fluorescent



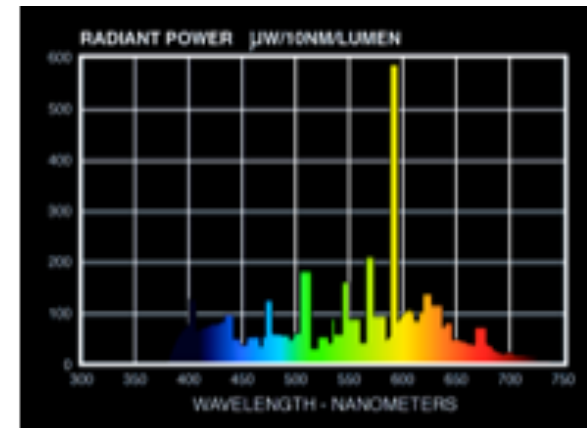
Tri-Phosphor 3500K



Incandescent

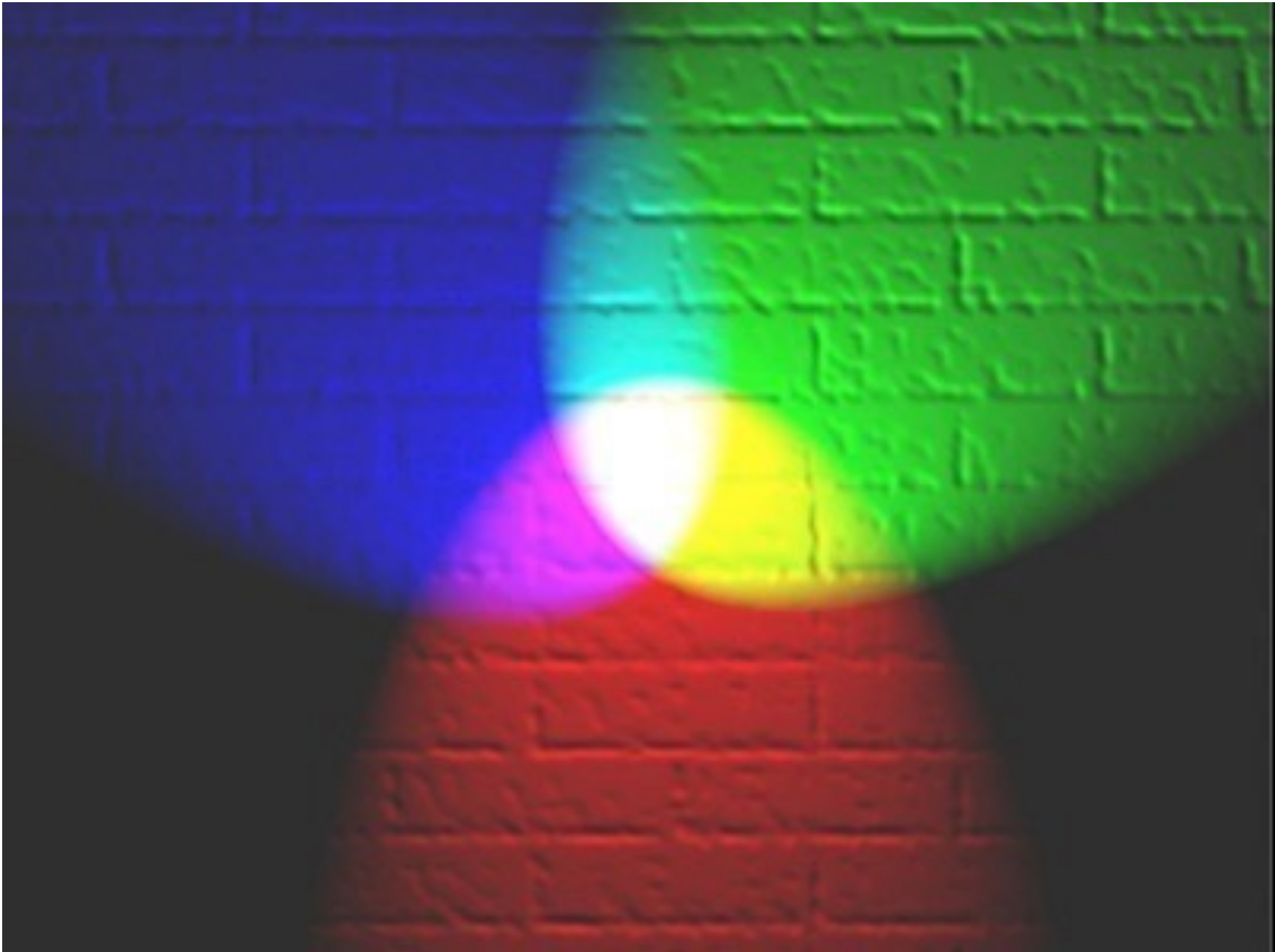


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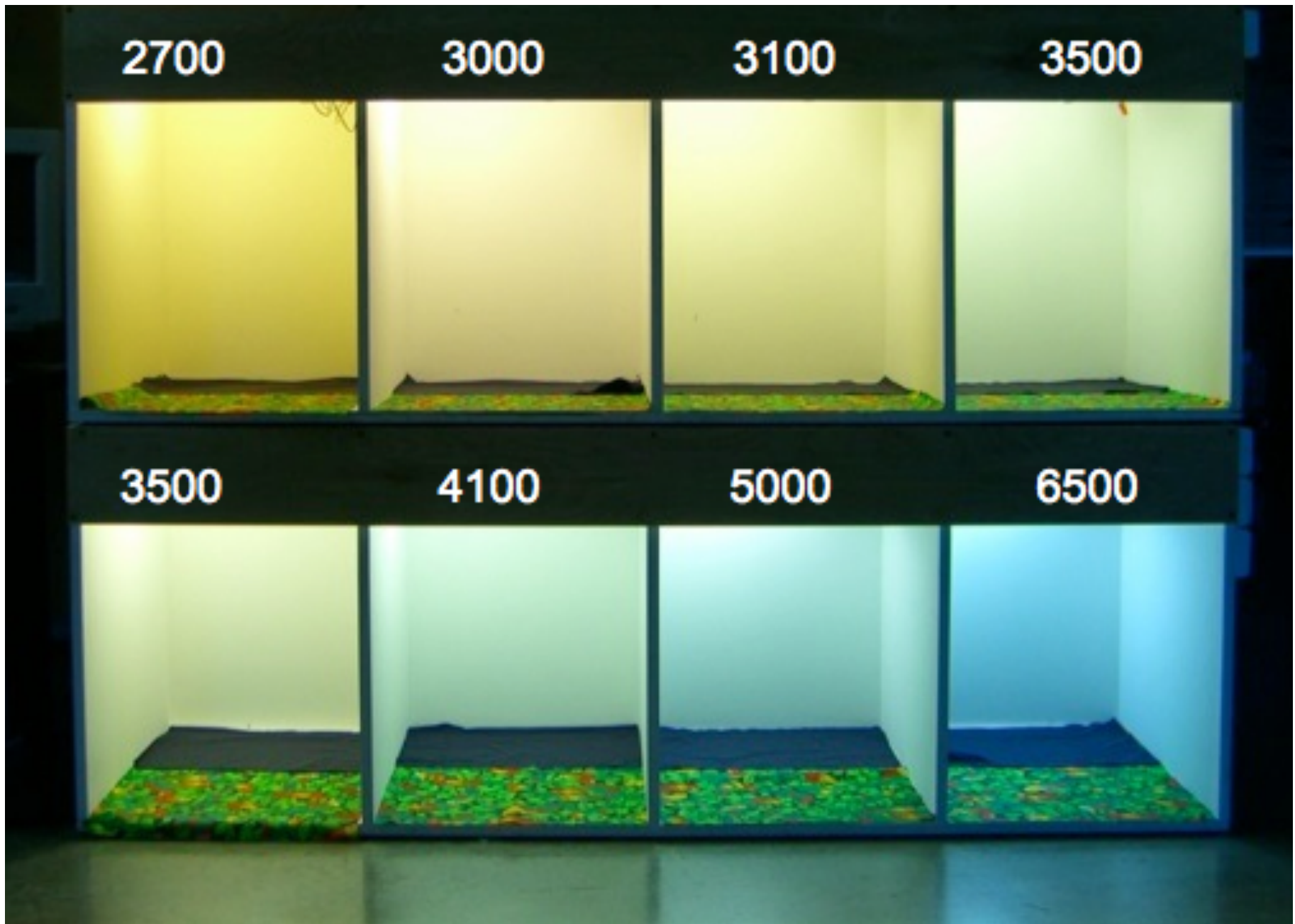


Metal Halide

# Perception of White Light



# CFL Correlated Color Temperature



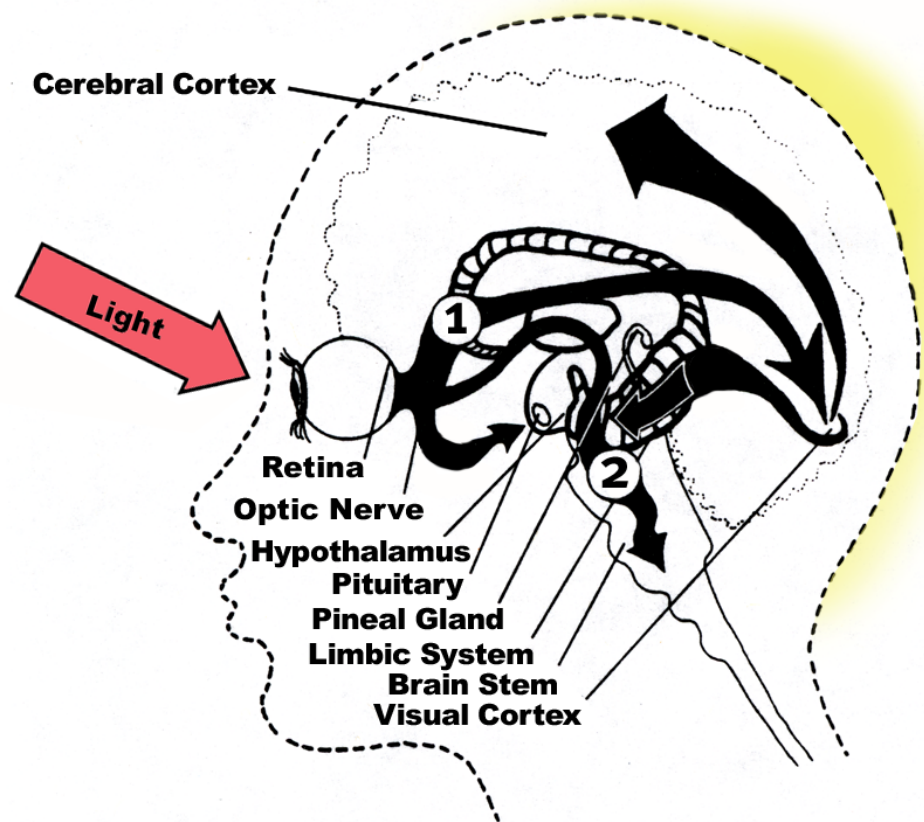
# Visual & Circadian Pathways

## 1. Visual Pathway

- Light stimulates the cerebral cortex for vision & perception

## 2. Circadian Pathway

- Light causes messages along a biological pathway (Hypothalamus, Pituitary, Pineal Gland) that are used to regulate the body's autonomic nervous and endocrine systems



# Human Evolution - Sunrise





# Human Evolution - Daytime



# Human Evolution - Sunset



# Evolution - Night



# Evolution - Light at Night



# Evolution - Light at Night



# American Medical Association - June 2012

## Light Pollution: Adverse Health Effects of Nighttime Lighting

*Report 4 of the Council on Science and Public Health (A-12) of the American Medical Association*

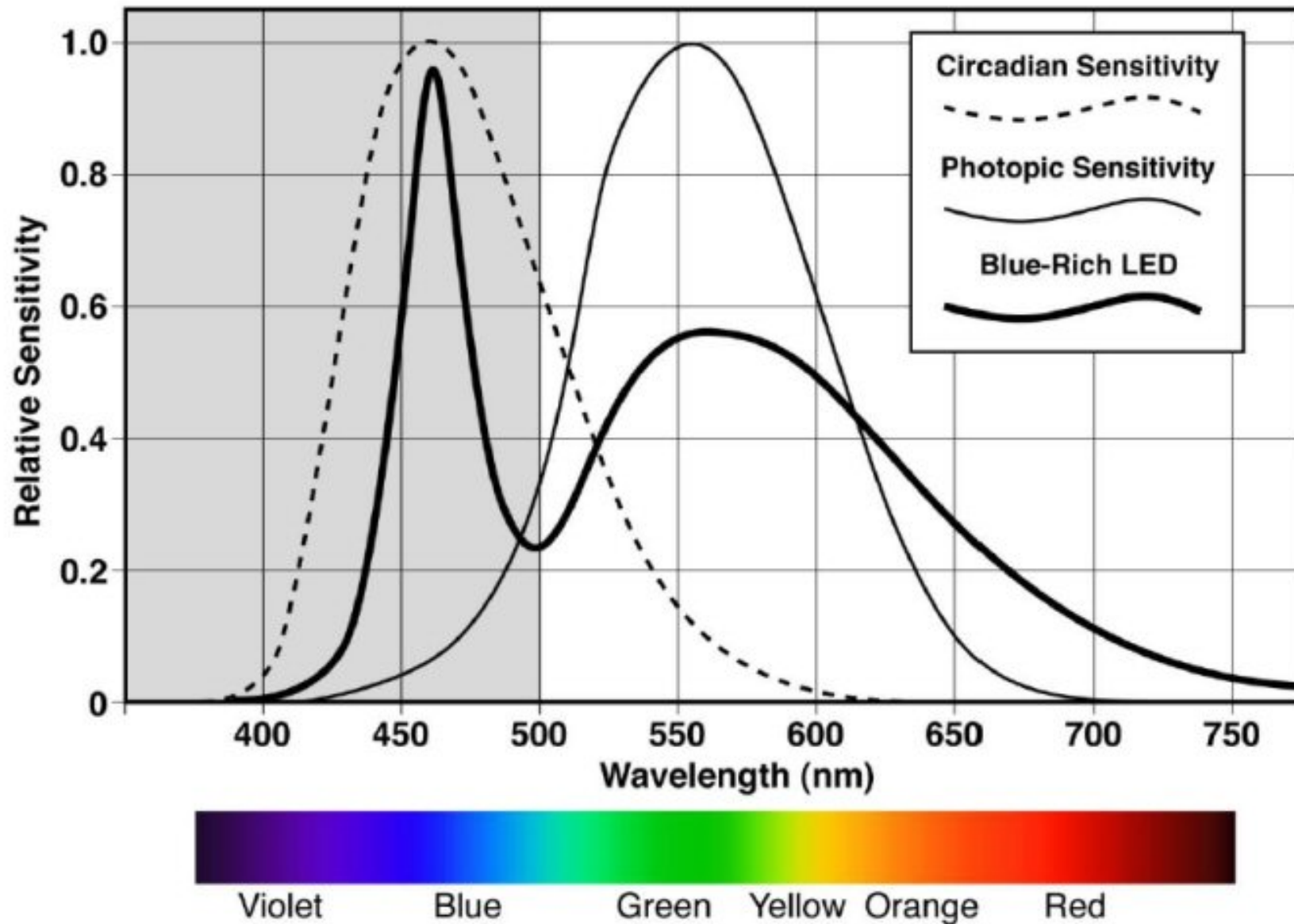
**Biological adaptation to the sun has evolved over billions of years.**

The **power to artificially override the natural cycle** of light and dark is a **recent event** and represents a **man-made self-experiment on the effects of exposure to increasingly bright light during the night** as human societies acquire technology and expand industry.

Among the latter (health effects) are potential **carcinogenic effects** related to melatonin suppression, especially **breast cancer**. Other diseases that may be exacerbated by circadian disruption include **obesity, diabetes, depression** and **mood disorders**, and **reproductive problems**.

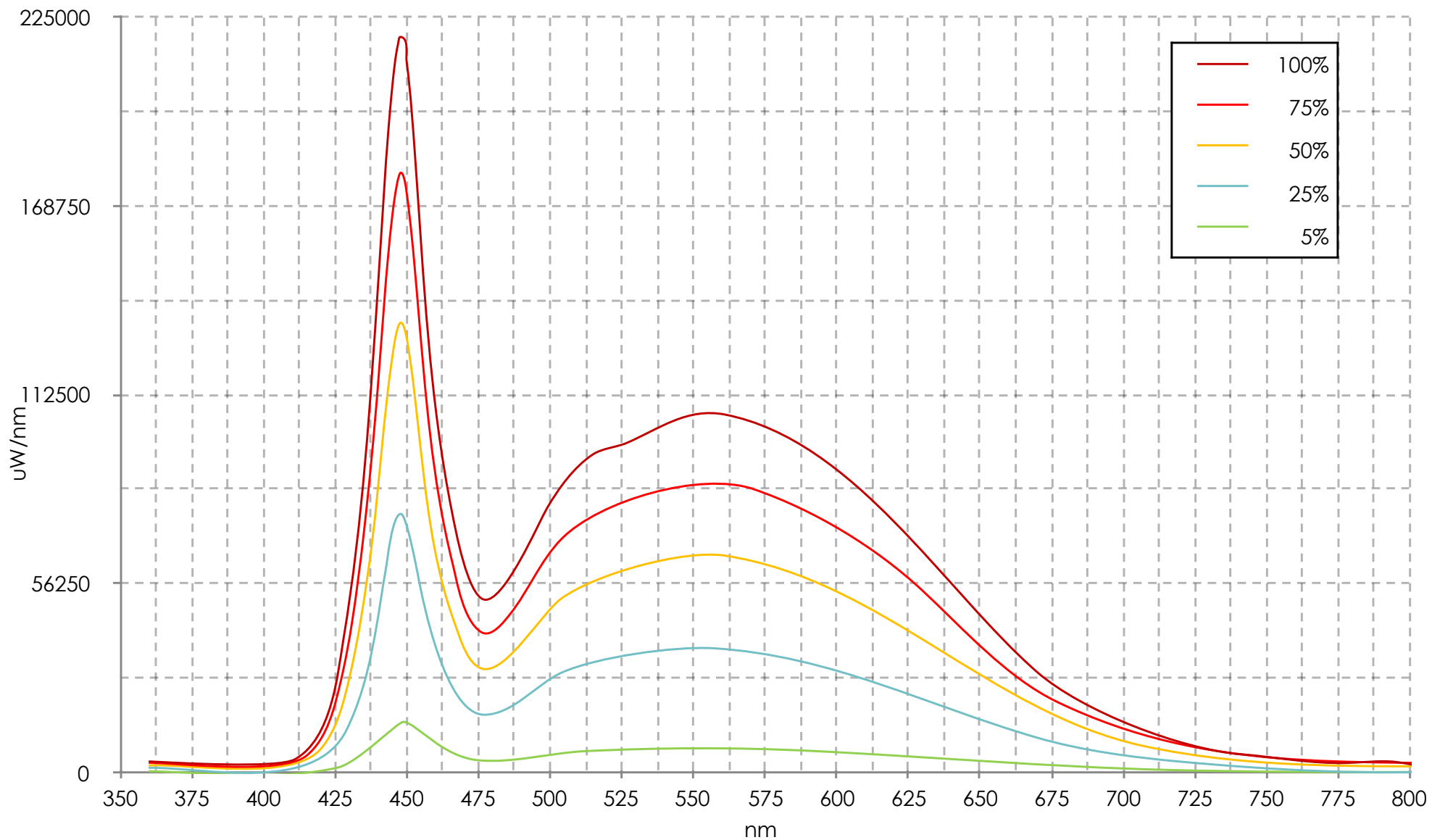
**Due to the nearly ubiquitous exposure to light at inappropriate times relative to endogenous circadian rhythms, a need exists for further multidisciplinary research** on occupational and environmental exposure to light -at-night, the risk of cancer, and effects on various chronic diseases.

# Blue-rich LED & Circadian Sensitivity



6500K CCT

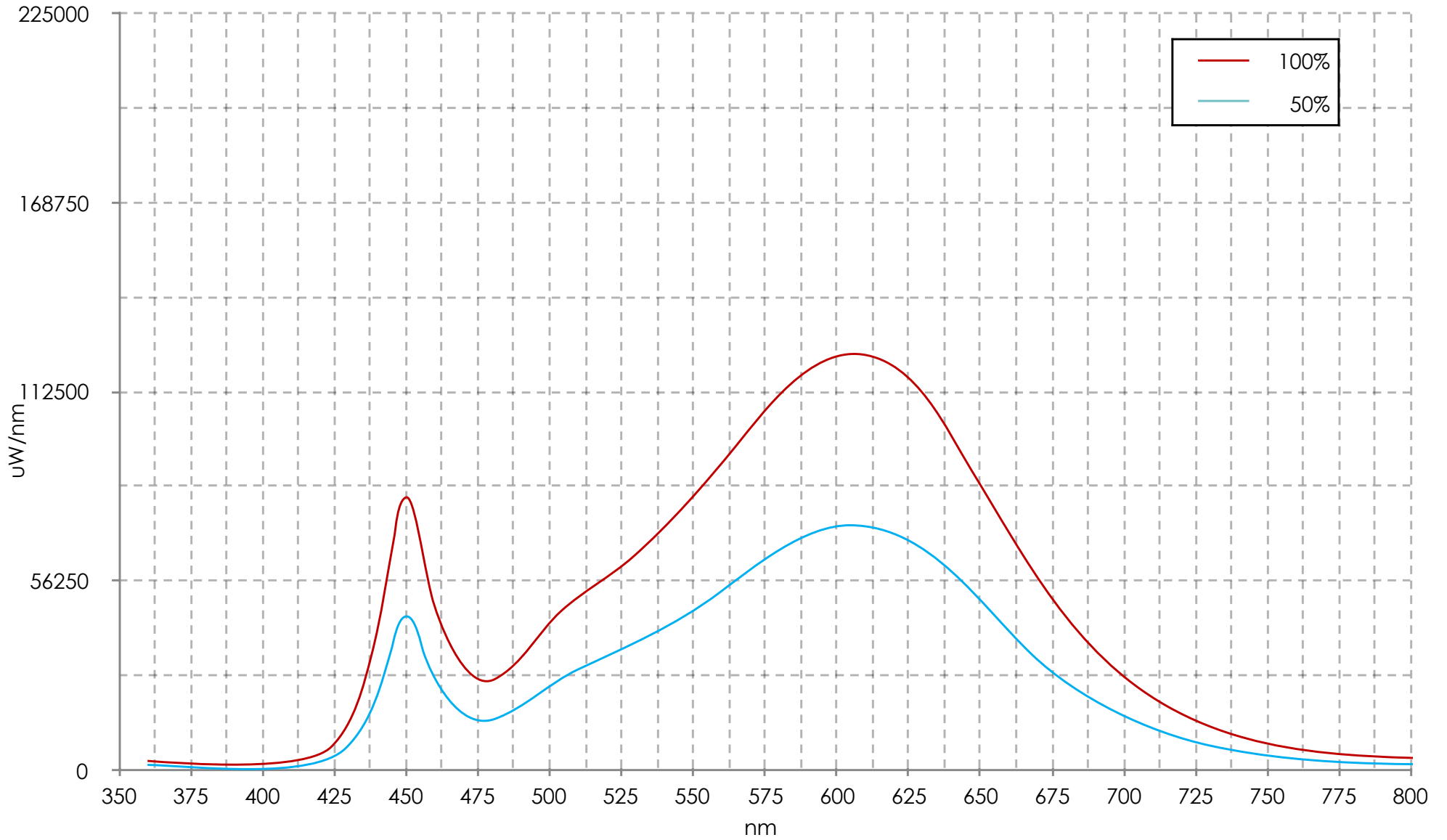
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3000K CCT

Spectral Power Distribution



# Spectrally Tunable Lighting

Two LED sources dimmed individually...

Low CCT (2,700K)

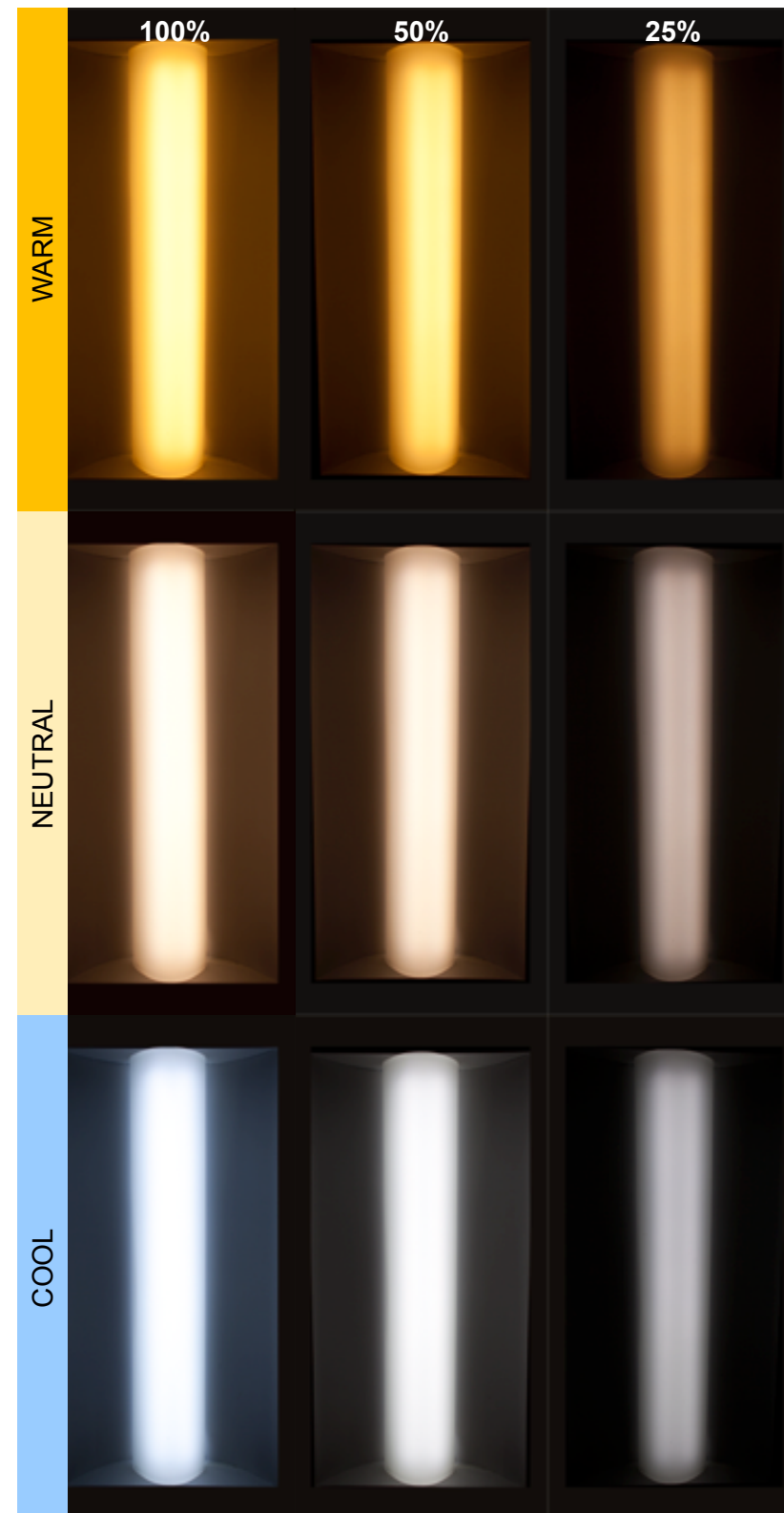
High CCT (6,000K)

...can produce the whole range of CCTs...

From low (2,700K) to high (6,000K)

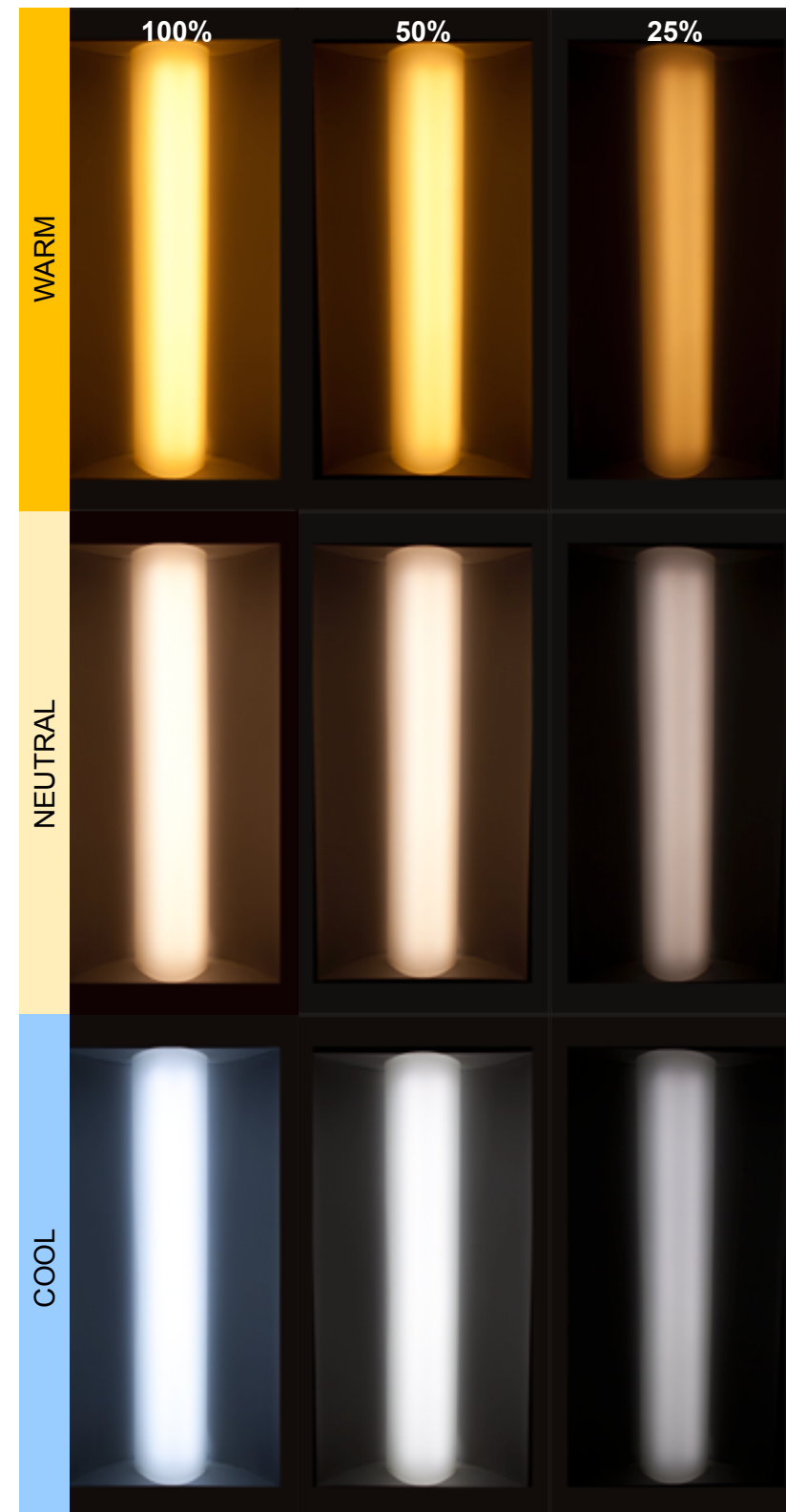
...along the whole dimming range

From 0% to 100% output (50% each)



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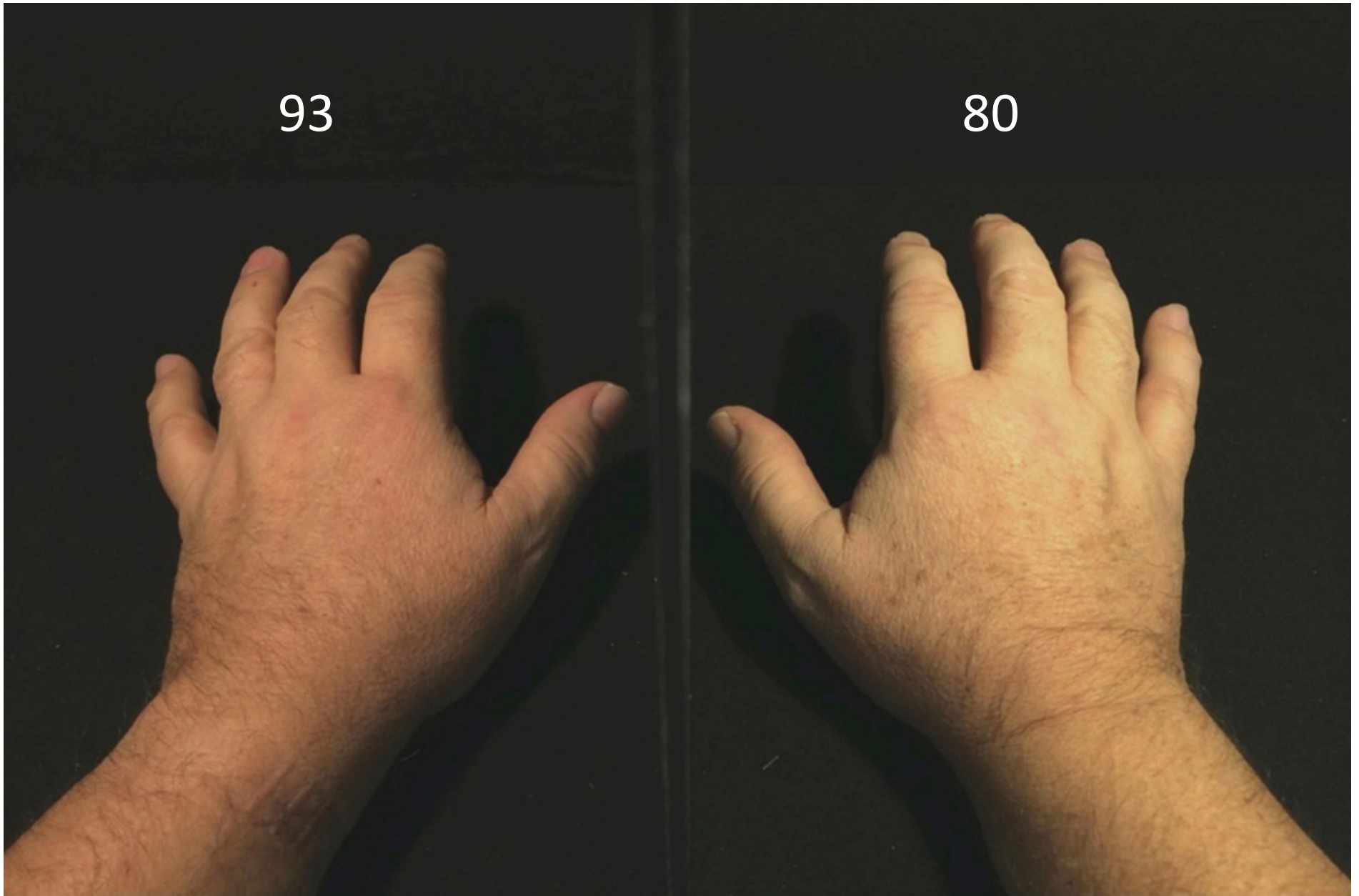
- **Research & Development**
  - Technology
  - Human Factors
- **Multiple Applications**
  - Office spaces
  - Assisted living
  - Hospitals
  - Hotels
  - ...



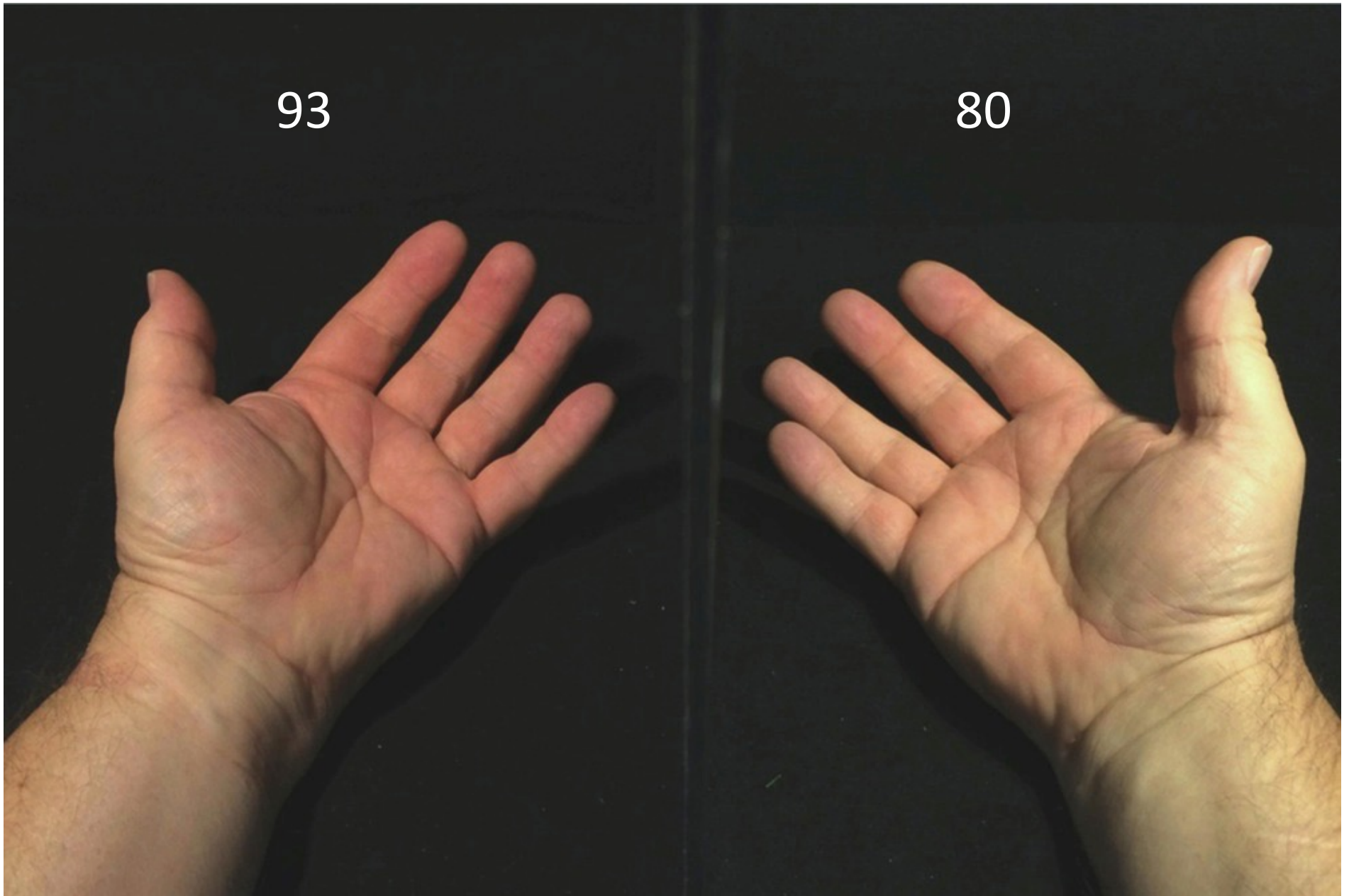
# Color Rendering is Most Important!

- **Human vision evolved with full spectrum radiators**
- **“Natural color experience is a basic human right”**
  - Prof. Lorne Whitehead, Ph.D., University of British Columbia
- **CRI measures distortion from what we evolved with**
  - Daylight (high CCT)
  - Incandescent (low CCT)
- **Incandescent & Daylight CRI is 100 (by definition)**
  - 80 CRI (Energy Star) is twice as bad as 90 (CA Quality Spec)

# Color Rendering Index



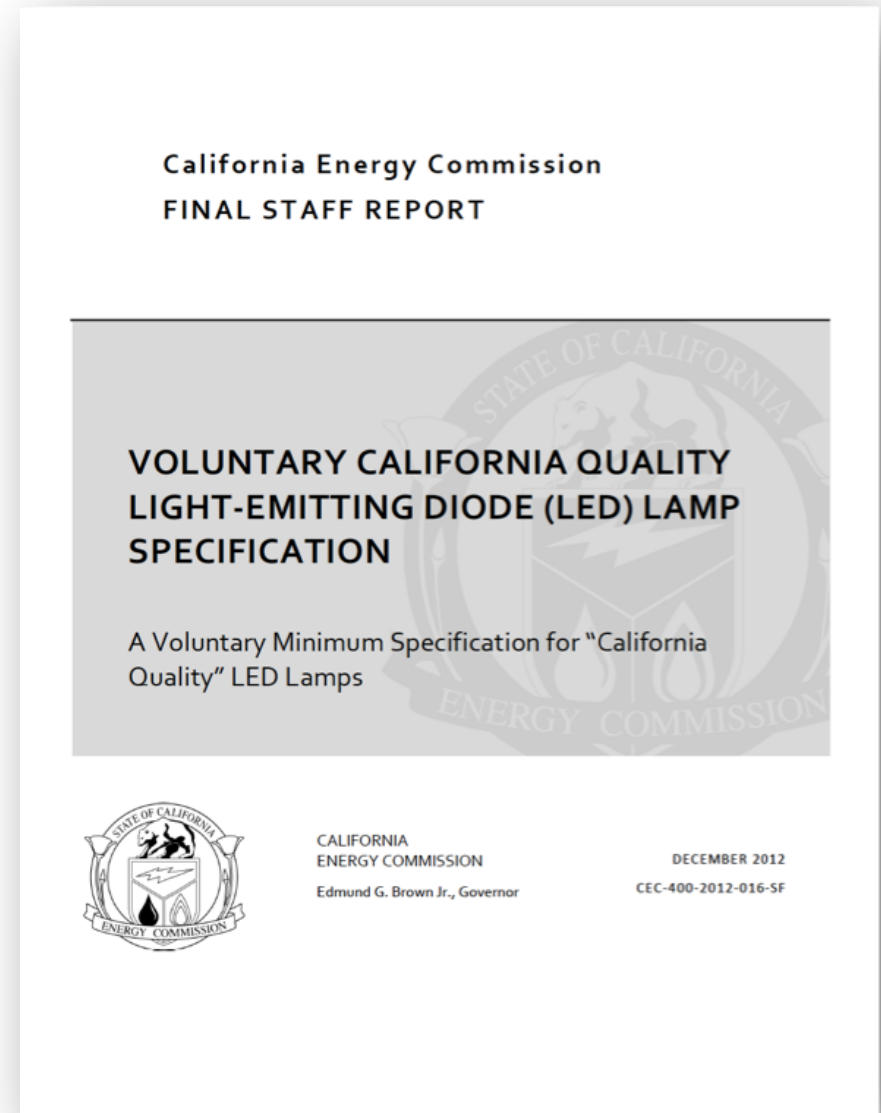
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# CA LED Lighting Quality Specification



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- **Quality focused**
- **Attached to rebates**



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  - CCT
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  - Consistency
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  - Dimming
  - Flicker
  - Noise
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California Energy Commission  
FINAL STAFF REPORT

## VOLUNTARY CALIFORNIA QUALITY LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE (LED) LAMP SPECIFICATION

A Voluntary Minimum Specification for “California  
Quality” LED Lamps



CALIFORNIA  
ENERGY COMMISSION  
Edmund G. Brown Jr., Governor

DECEMBER 2012  
CEC-400-2012-016-SF

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**Adaptive** Lighting is **Automated** Implementation

# Adaptive (a.k.a. Smart) Lighting Systems

- Automatically adjust their light output...
- ...based on environmental conditions...
- ...to optimize space & building performance

# Adaptive **Electric Lighting** Systems

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  - Maximize Comfort & Wellbeing
  - Minimize Energy Requirements
  - Minimize Peak Electricity Demand
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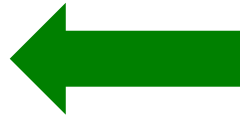



# Adaptive Outdoor Lighting – Circa 2005



- **Two light sources** - LED (2W) & CFL
- **One Photo sensor** - Both light sources off during daytime
- **One Occupancy sensor** - LED on during vacancy & CFL on during occupancy



# Key Electric Lighting Control Strategies

	Automated Controls	Key Challenge
• High-end Tuning		
• <b>Occupancy/Vacancy!</b>		 <b>What Is Happening</b>
• <b>Daylight Harvesting!</b>		 <b>What Is Happening</b>
• <b>Scheduling</b>		 <b>Easy</b>
• <b>Demand Response!</b>		 <b>What To Do</b>
• Manual Control		

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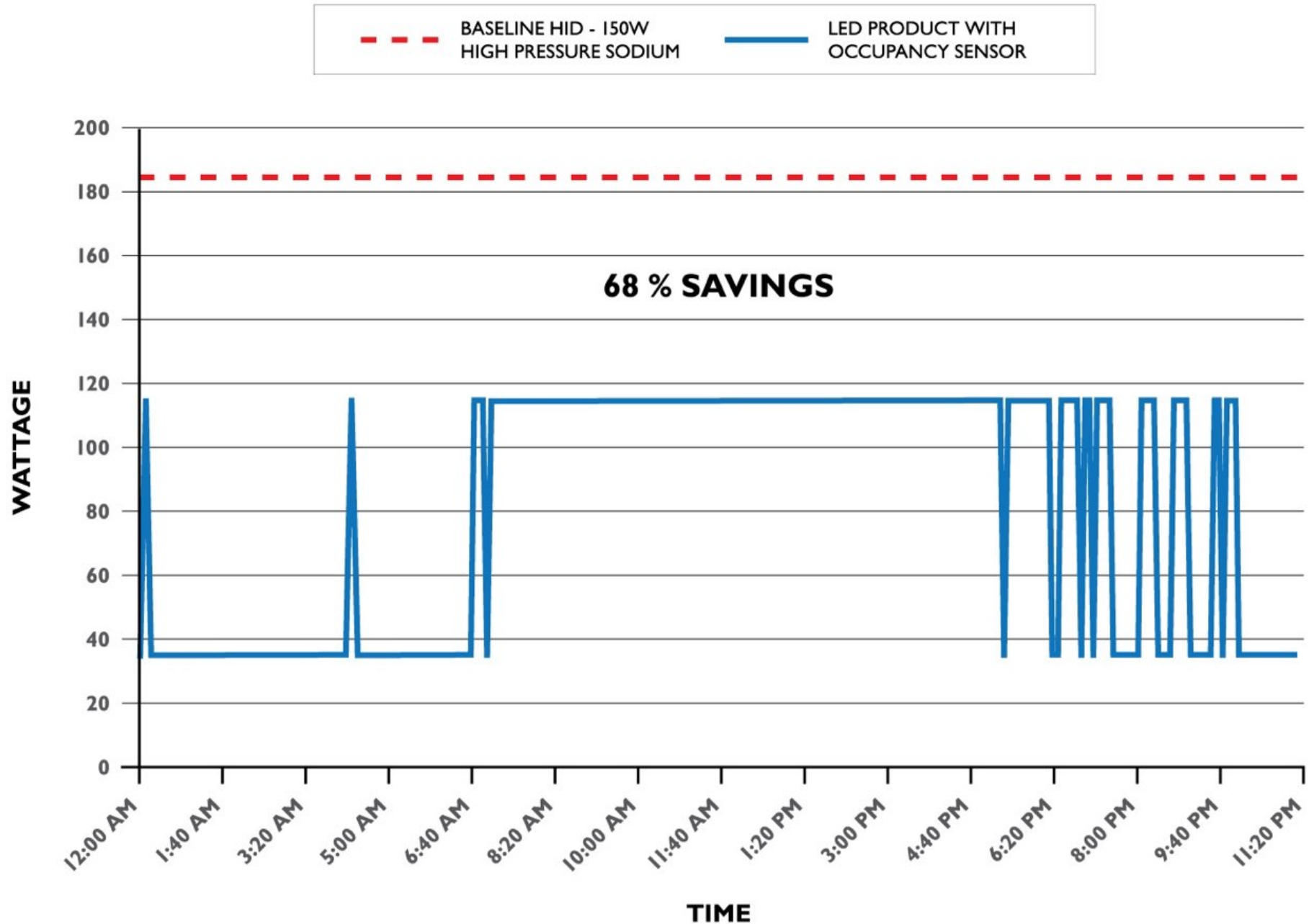


# Occupancy-based bi-level parking lighting

*one of our largest outdoor opportunities for energy savings*



# Occupancy-based Bi-level Parking Lighting





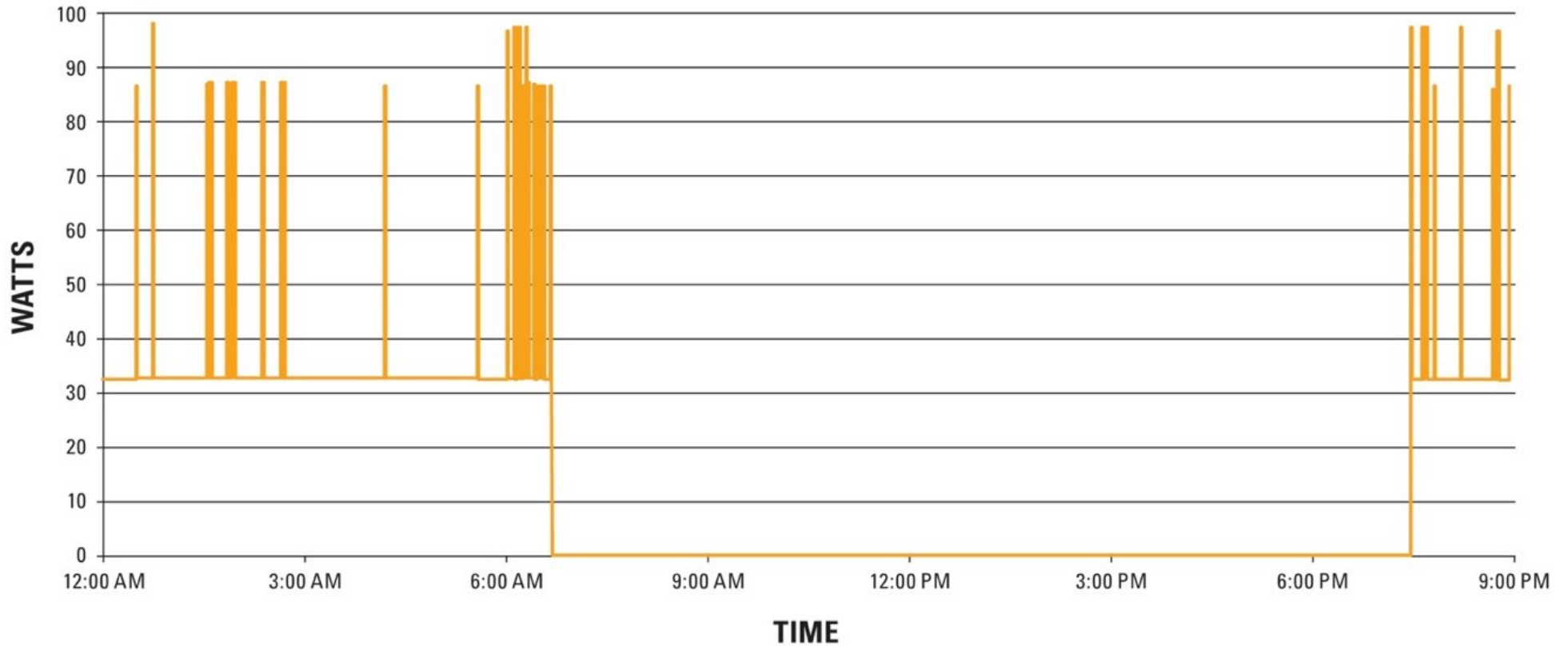
# Bi-Level LED Bollards



Arcade Creek park  
California Department of Public Health

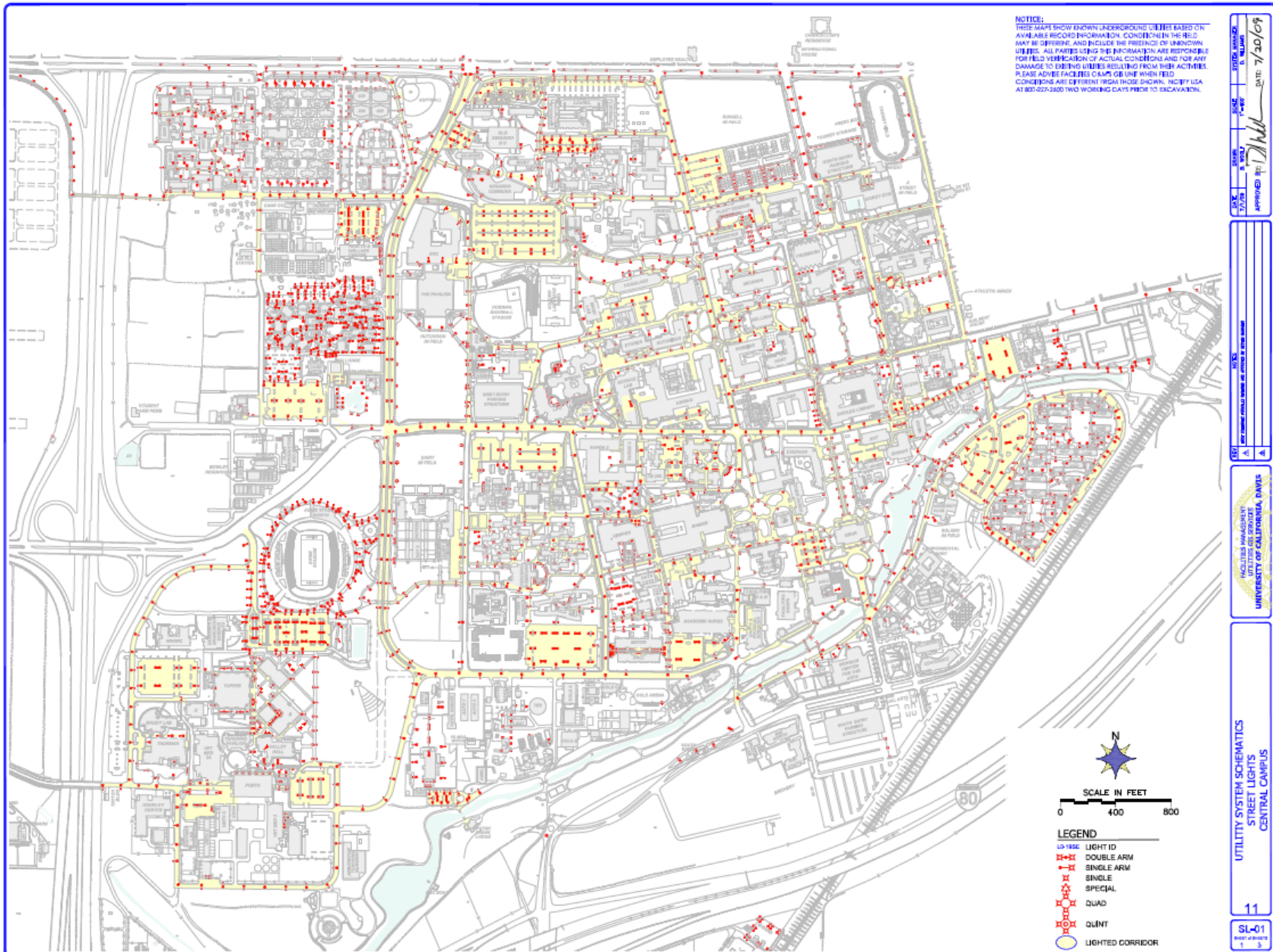
Bollards operate in low mode 85% of the time

# Occupancy-based Bi-level Pathway Lighting



# UC Davis Campus Today

~1,600 Networked Occupancy-Based Bi-Level Outdoor Luminaires

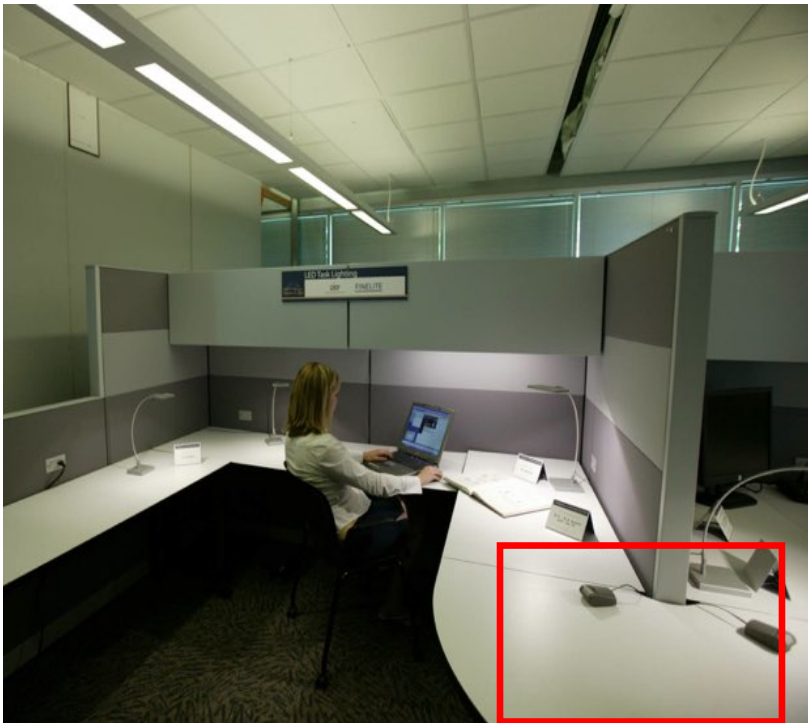


# Adaptive Street Lighting - 2nd Street, Davis



# Task Ambient Lighting Strategy

- Low overhead ambient lighting
- High quality task lighting (desktop, under-cabinet)
- Total power: 0.5W/ft<sup>2</sup>
- Occupancy control on task lighting



# Adaptive Stairwell Lighting

Typically illuminated continuously

Low rate of occupancy

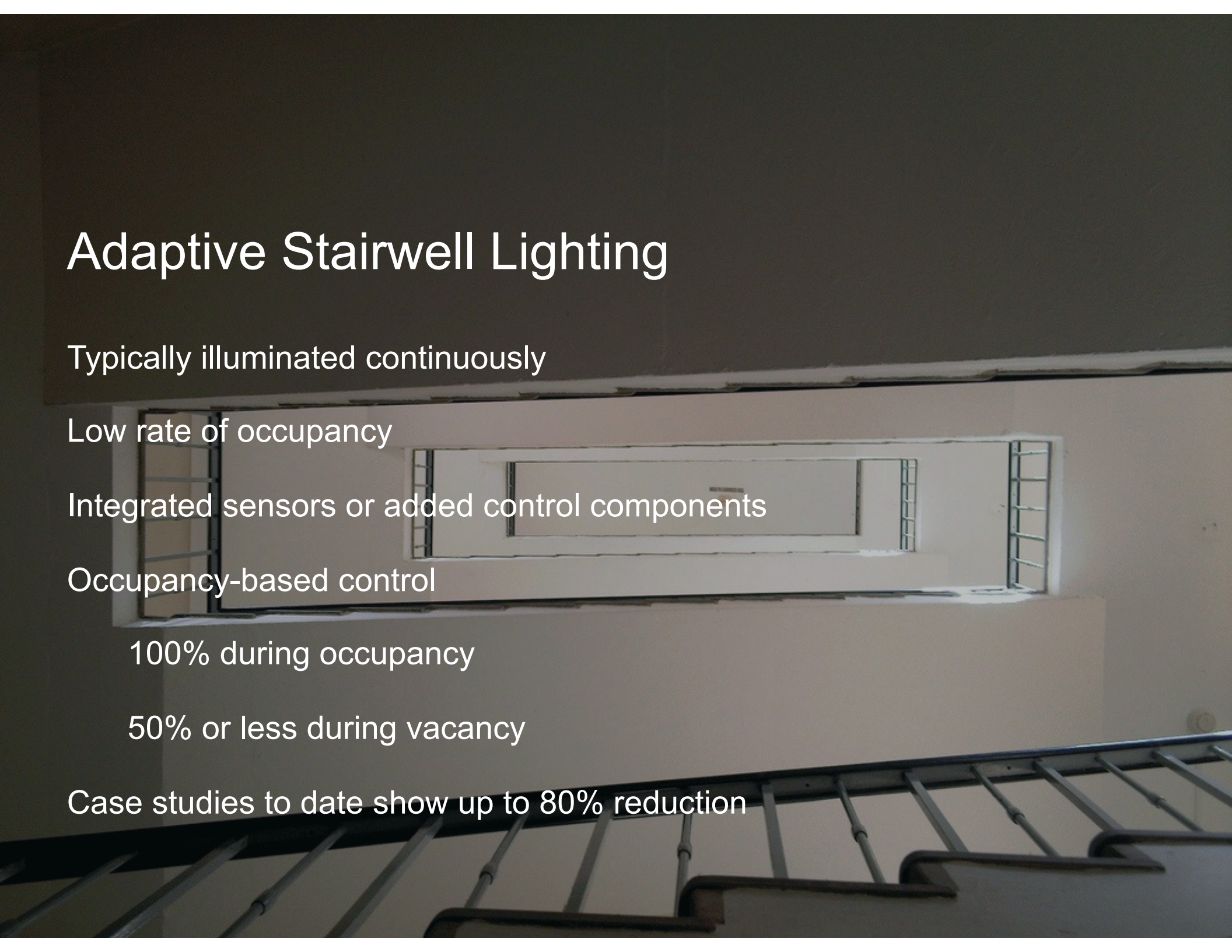
Integrated sensors or added control components

Occupancy-based control

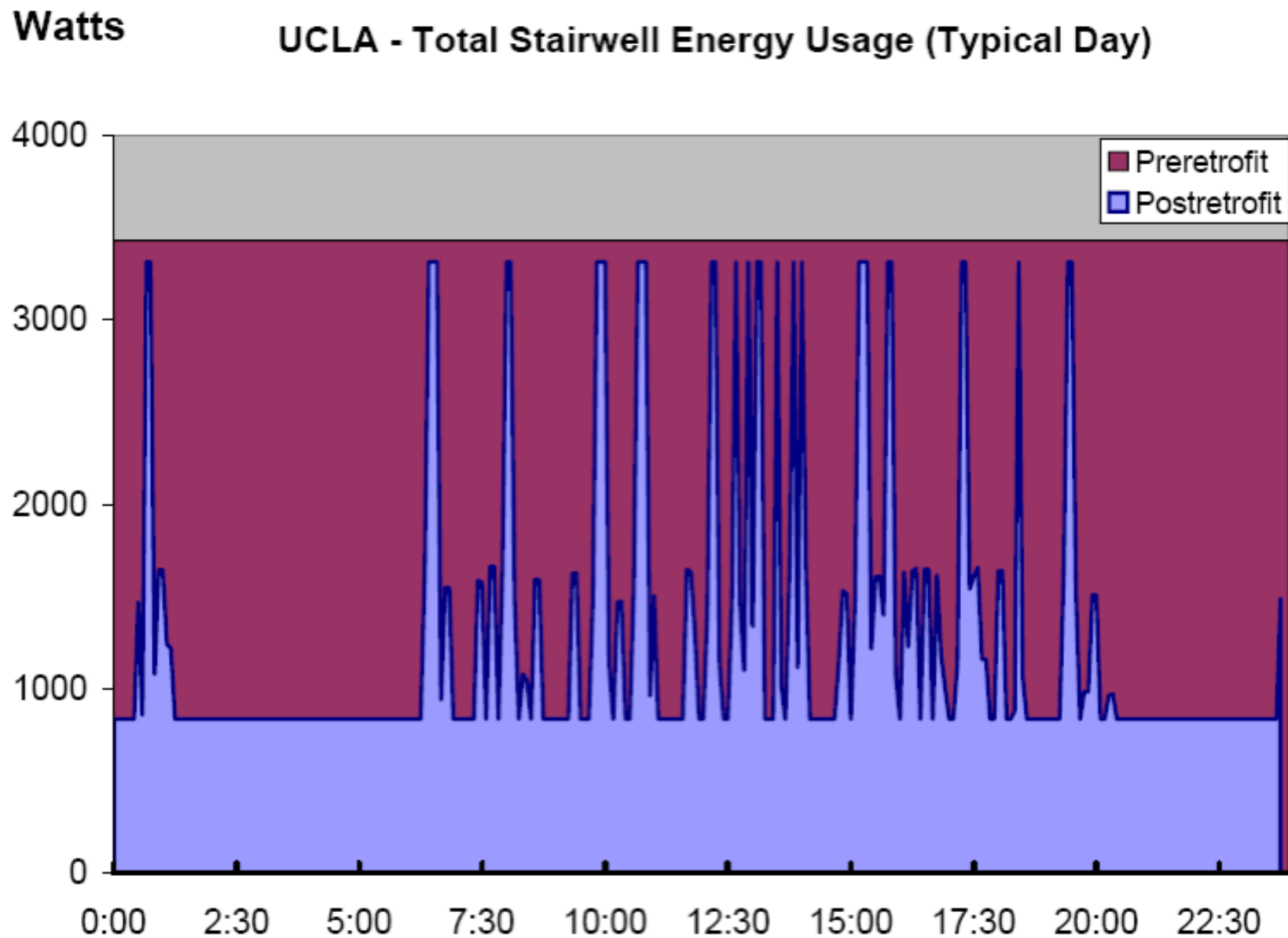
100% during occupancy

50% or less during vacancy


Case studies to date show up to 80% reduction



# Stairwell Occupancy-Based Bi-Level Controls



# Adaptive Corridor Lighting



- Typically illuminated continuously
- Intermittent occupancy
- Occupancy-based control
  - 100% during occupancy
  - 50% or less during vacancy
- Case studies to date
  - Commercial
  - Educational
  - 40-50% savings





## **UC Davis Case Study**

### *Bainer Hall*

- **18% average occupancy**
- **73% average energy savings**



# UC Santa Barbara Corridors Study

- **Occupancy rates for 50 corridors across 11 buildings on UCSB campus**
- **Occupancy ranged from 2.6% to 25.9%**
- **Average occupancy of 10.2% across all buildings**
- **12.3% corridor occupancy in first floors, 8.9% elsewhere**



# Electric Lighting Controls for Daylight Harvesting

- Reduce electric lighting based on available daylight
- Among most promising energy efficiency strategies
  - Significant **energy savings**
    - Lighting
    - Cooling
  - Significant **peak demand reduction**
    - Daylight availability coincides with peak demand



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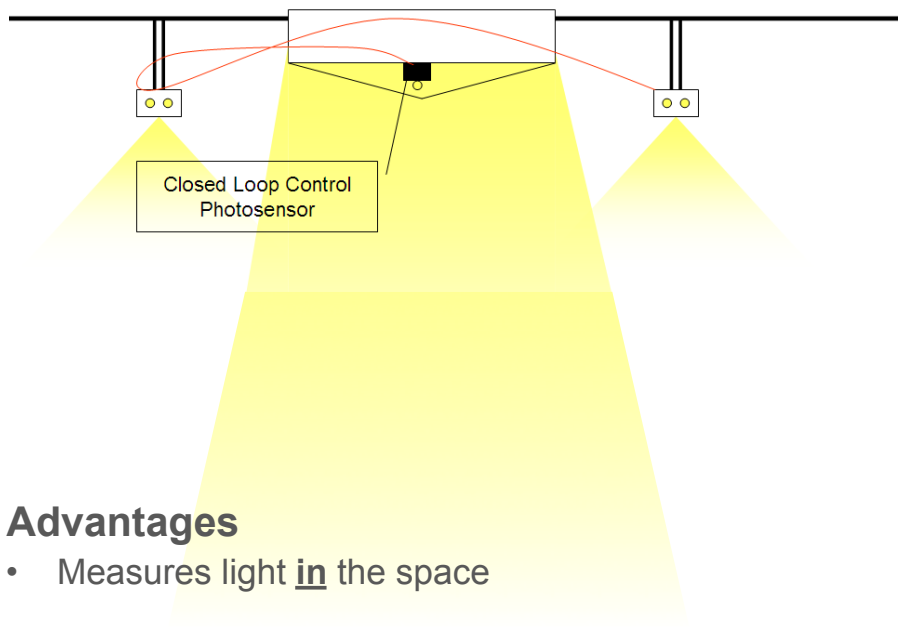
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# Traditional Daylight Sensing Strategies

## Closed Loop Sensing Affected by electric lighting



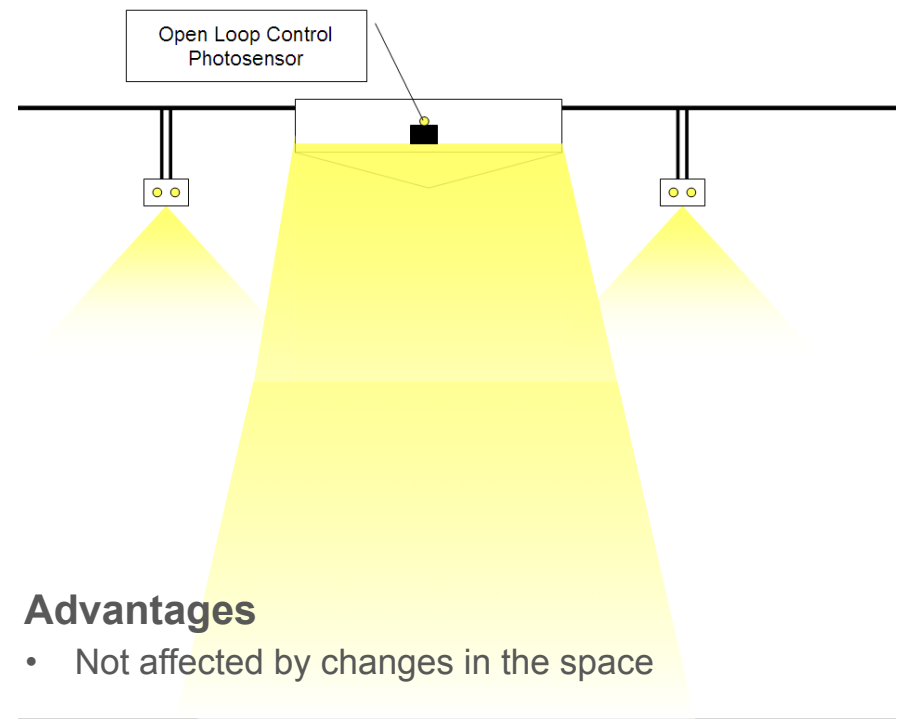
### Advantages

- Measures light in the space

### Disadvantages

- Requires re-calibration after long-term changes (geometry and reflectance of interior surfaces)
- Cannot differentiate between:
  - Daylight changes (fluctuations in daylight levels)
  - Short-term space changes (moving occupants/objects)

## Open Loop Sensing Not affected by electric lighting



### Advantages

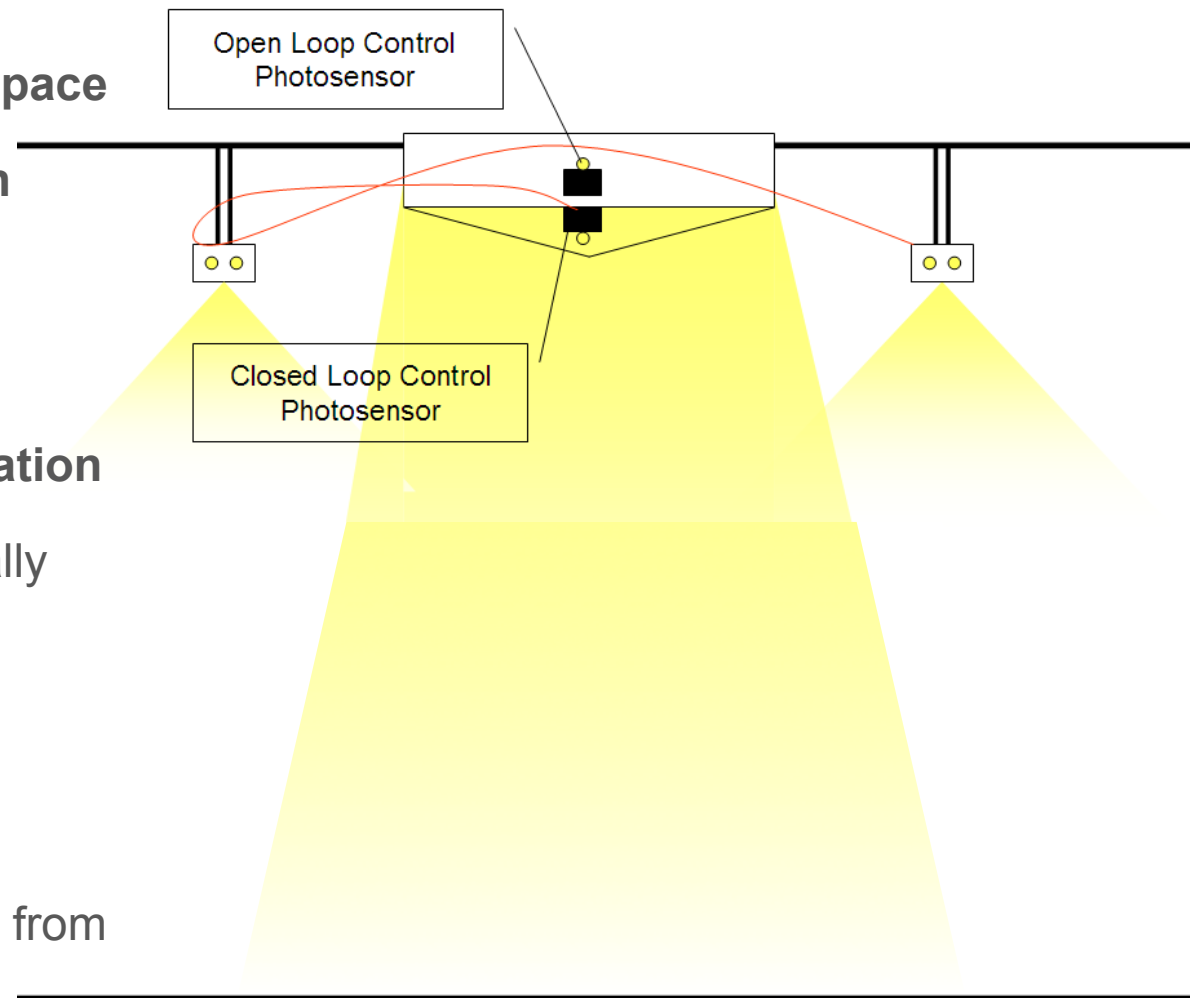
- Not affected by changes in the space

### Disadvantages

- Requires commissioning
- Not an accurate indicator of daylight levels in the space

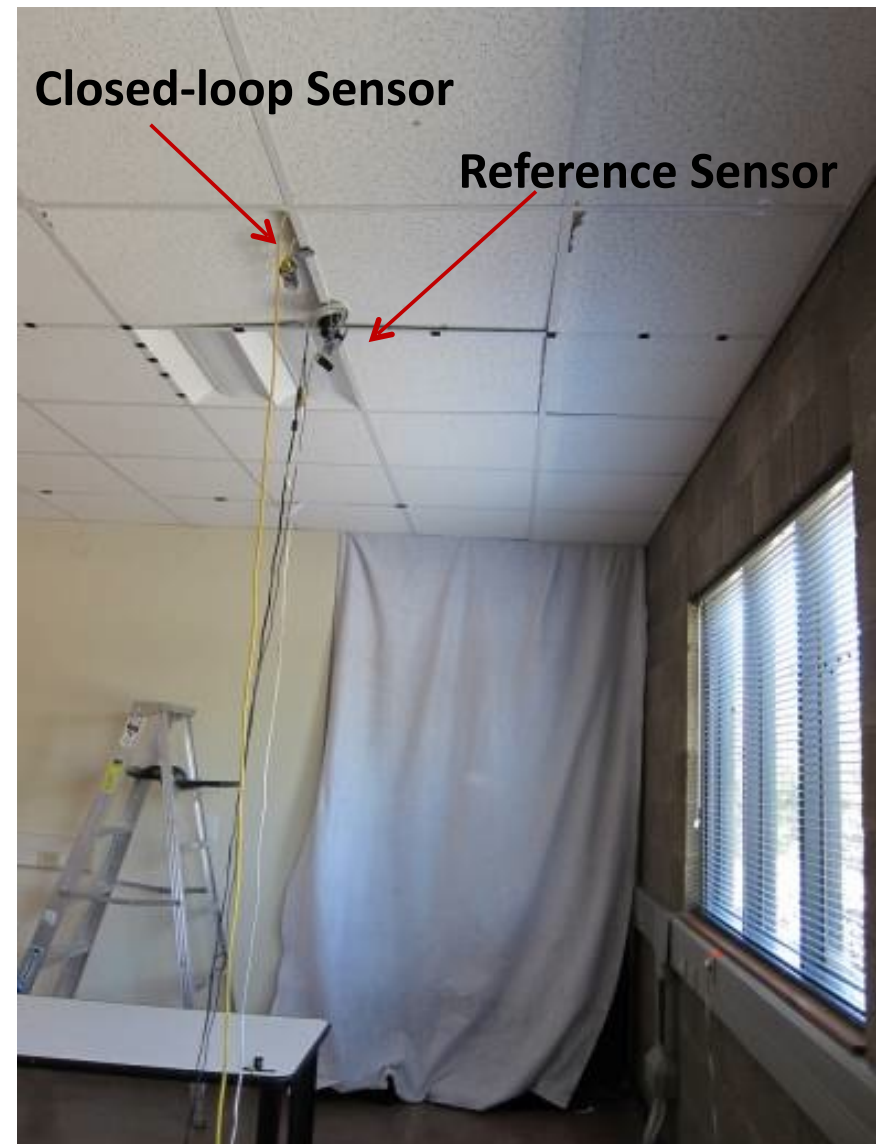
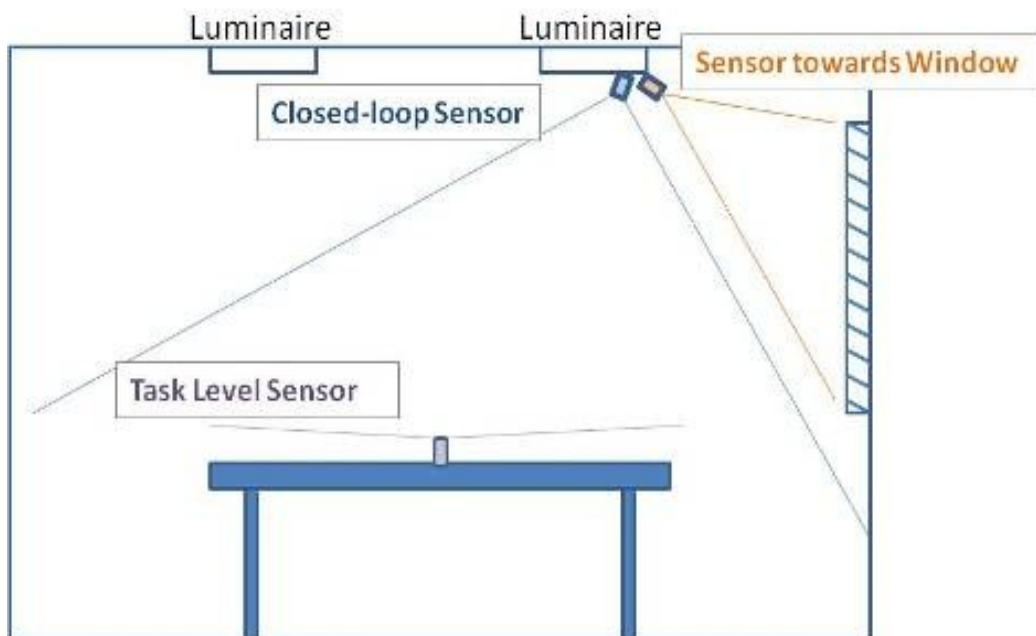
# Dual-Loop Daylight Sensing

- **Measures light in and out of the space**
- **Automatic closed-loop calibration**
  - Based on electric light levels
  - No need for commissioning
- **Continuous closed-loop re-calibration**
  - Closed loop sensor automatically adjusts to interior changes
  - No need for re-commissioning
- **Dual sensor logic**
  - Differentiates daylight changes from changes to interior reflectance values

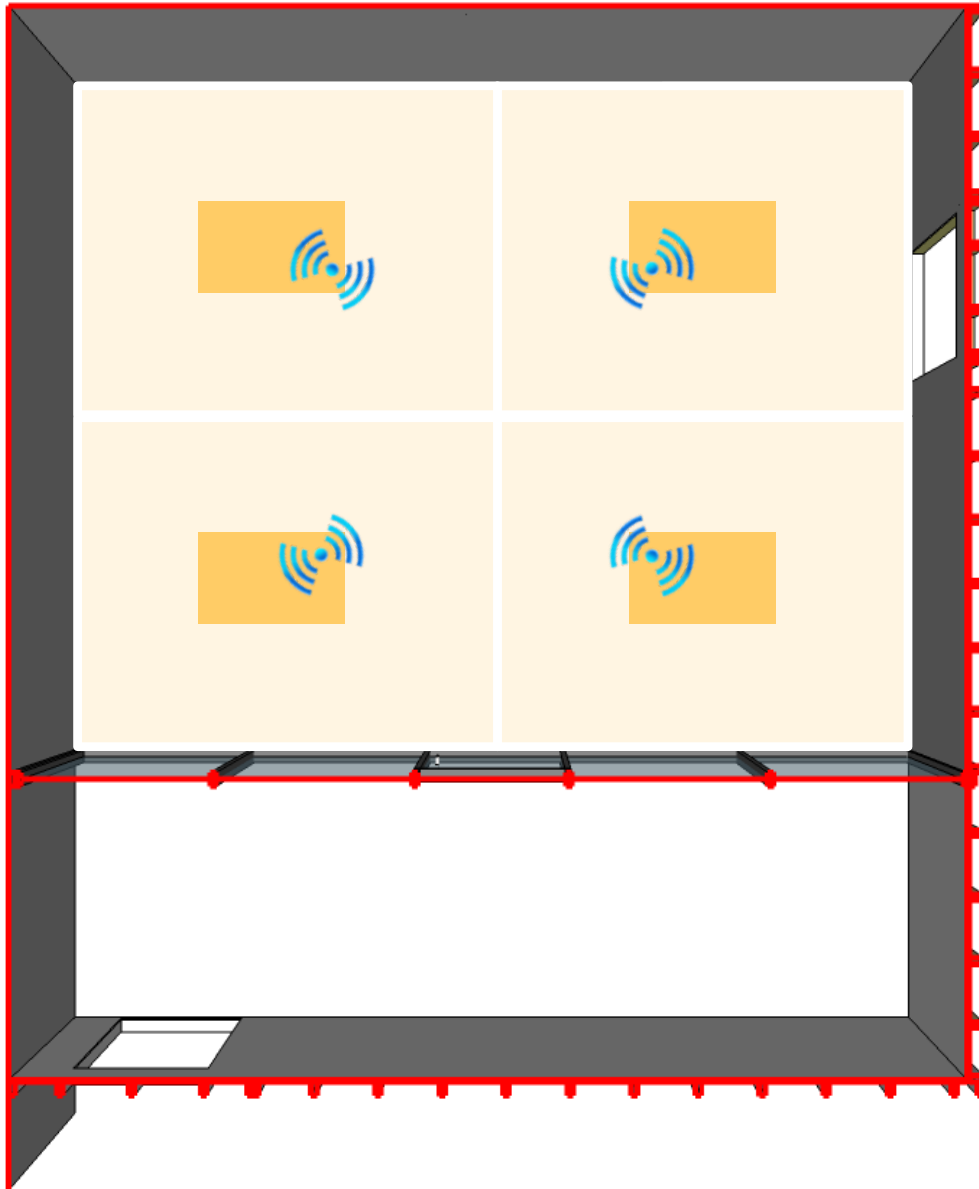


# Dual Loop for Window Applications

- **It works!** ...through...
- **Very Expensive Commissioning**
  - Knowledge & Time
    - Reference Sensor
      - Position
      - Field of View



# Redundant Sensing Strategy



- You can fool one sensor at a time
- Fooling multiple sensors at the same time in the same way requires special choreography...

# Daylight Harvesting Optimization Strategy

- Reduce electric lighting based on available daylight *and after electric lighting is off or at minimum output*
- **Adjust fenestration transmittance** based on
  - HVAC status
  - Potential for glare



# Smart Windows & Skylights

- **Multi-sensor-based automated controls**
  - Occupancy, light, air temperature, etc., indoors & outdoors
- **Multiple performance aspects**
  - Luminous, thermal, ventilation, view, safety, etc.



# CLTC Daylight Harvesting Laboratory



# Integrated Control Strategy

- During **Occupancy** Focus on **Comfort**
- During **Vacancy** Focus on **Energy Efficiency**



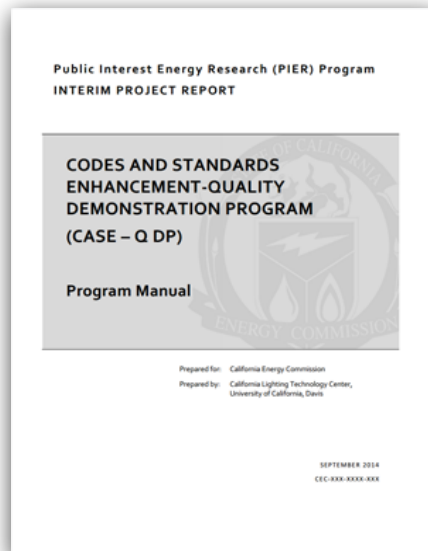
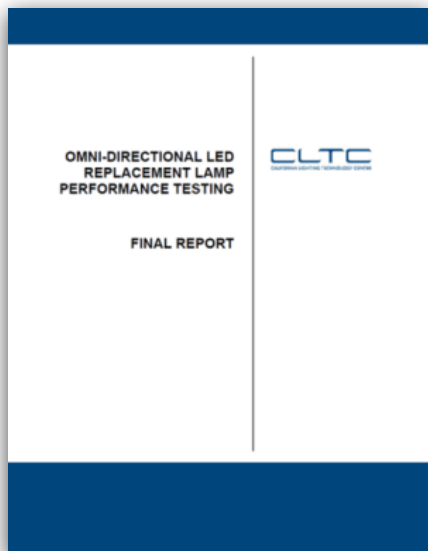
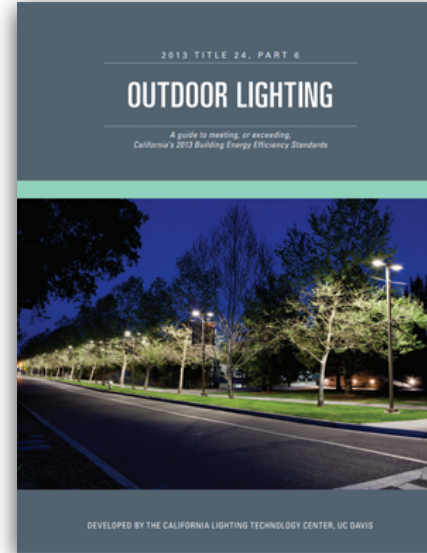
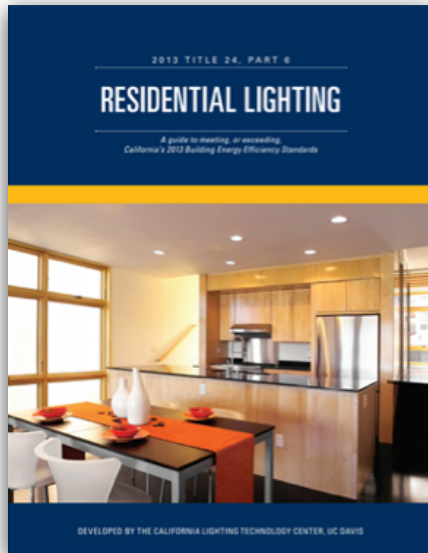
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- During **Vacancy** Focus on **Energy Efficiency**
  - Adjust fenestration for cooling/heating loads
  - Turn electric lighting off or dim down
  - Adjust HVAC for thermal comfort & indoor air quality

# Selected CLTC Publications (links to CLTC web site)





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