



**PERFORMANCE
MEETS
AFFORDABILITY**

**GREEN CLASS
COMMUNITY**

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GREEN CLASS COMMUNITY

- Continuation of iPro 323's theoretical *Zero Community*
- Design an affordable and efficient housing community in Evanston

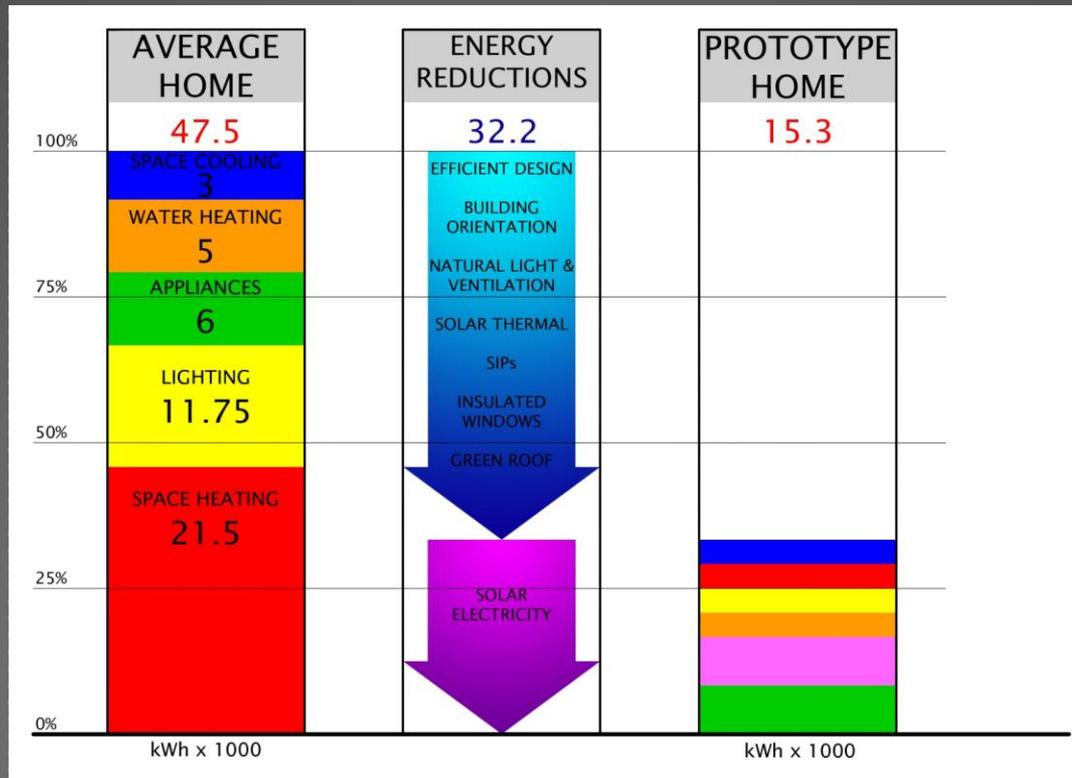


ZERO COMMUNITY

- ▶ iPro 323 created an almost self sustaining house
- ▶ Greatly reduced energy consumption
- ▶ Sacrificed affordability for sustainability

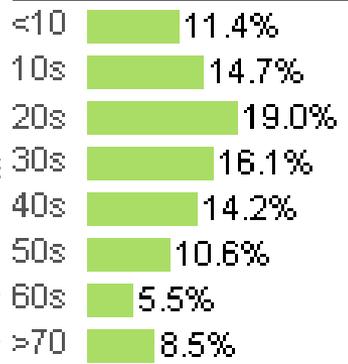
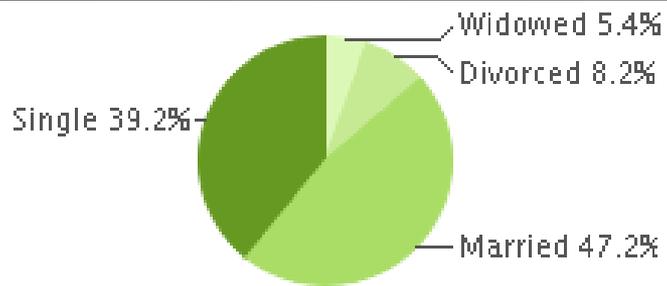


ENERGY USAGE

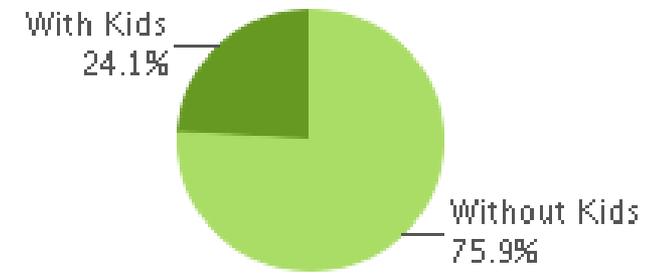
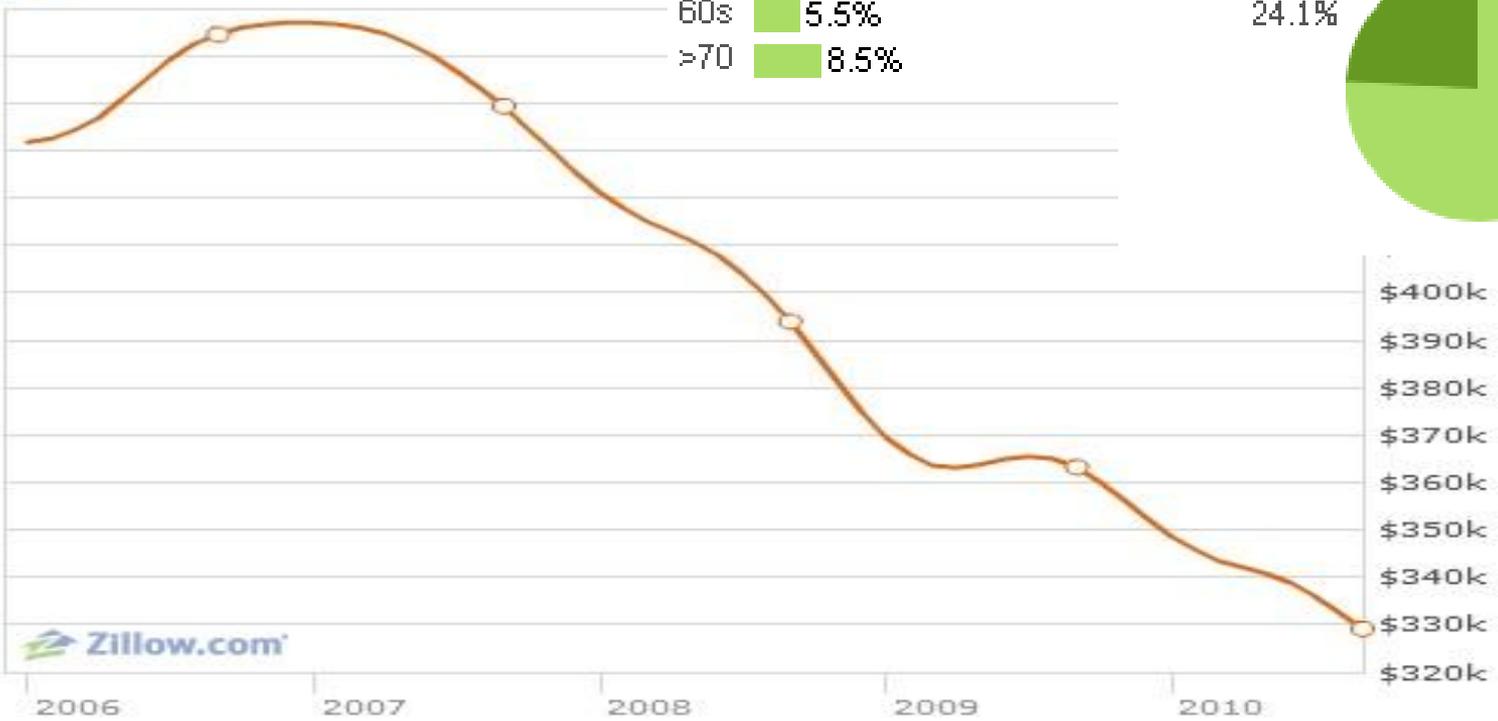


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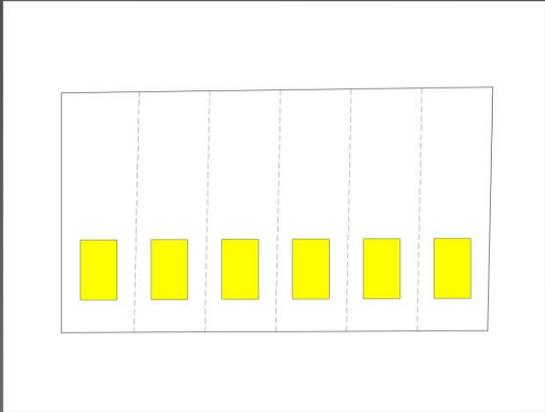
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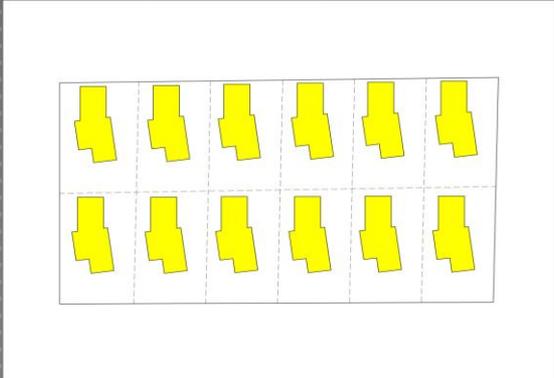
○ Evanston



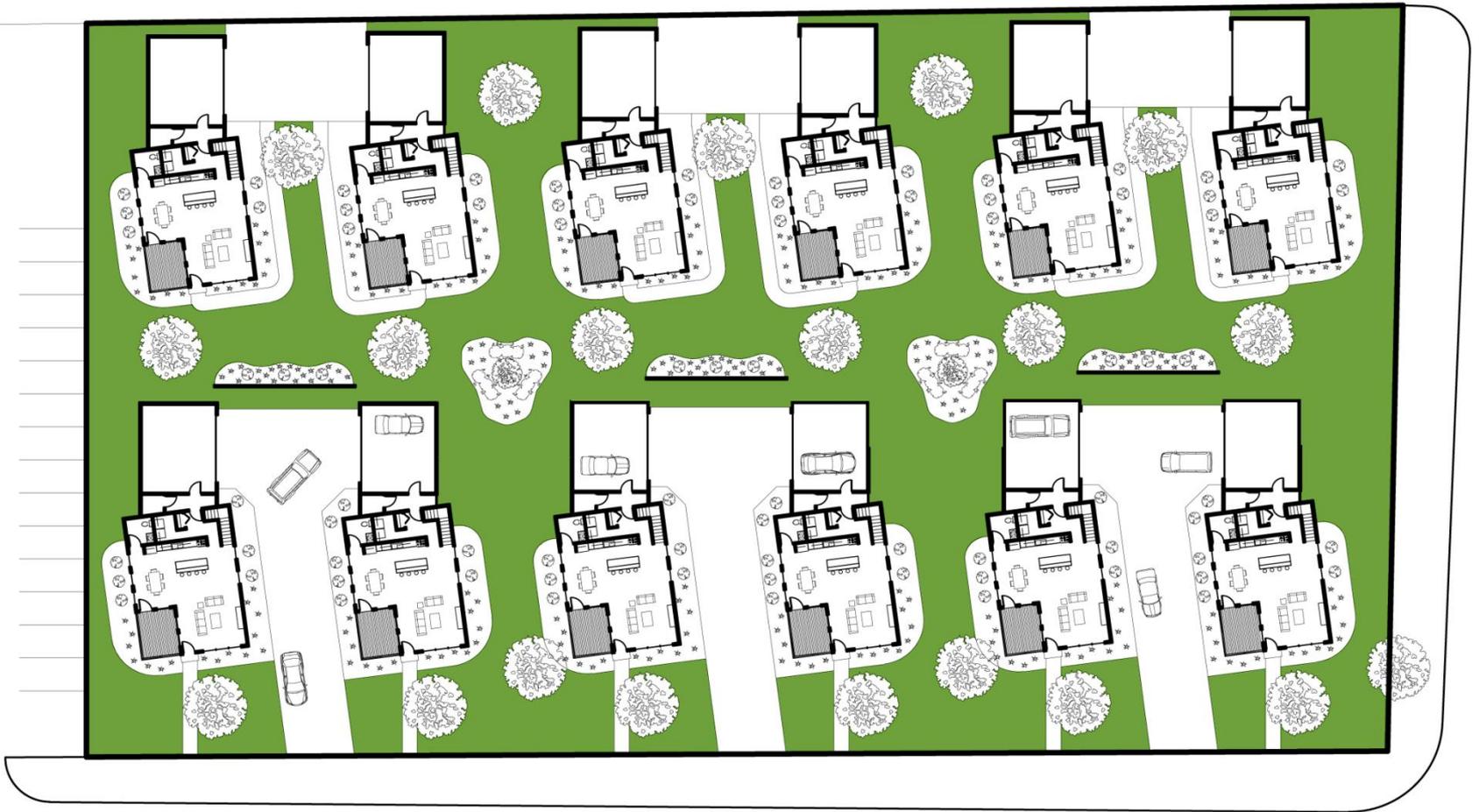
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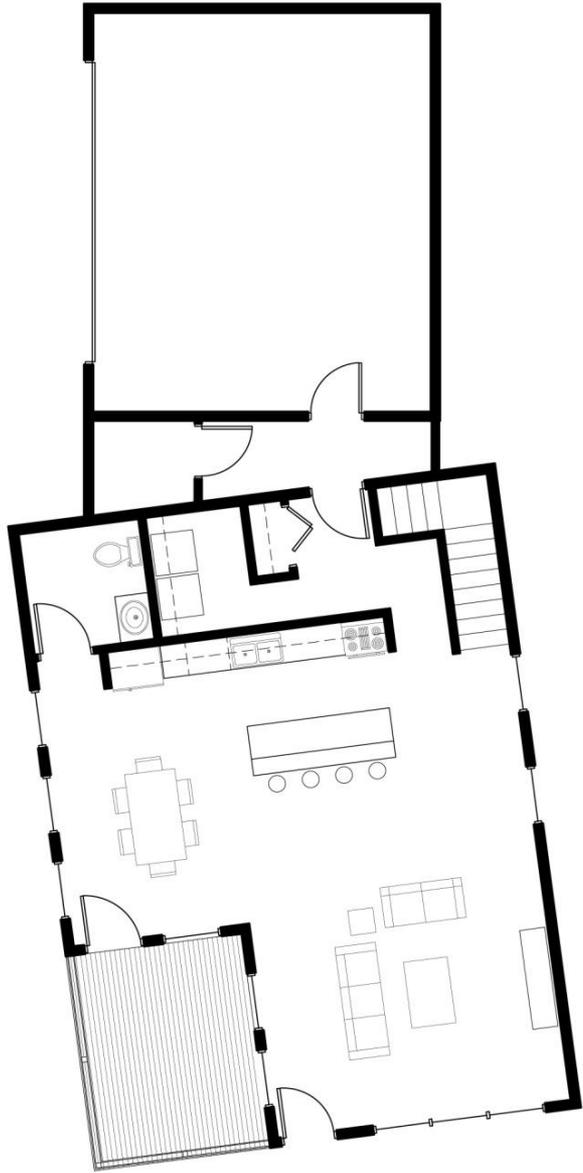
TYPICAL LAND USE



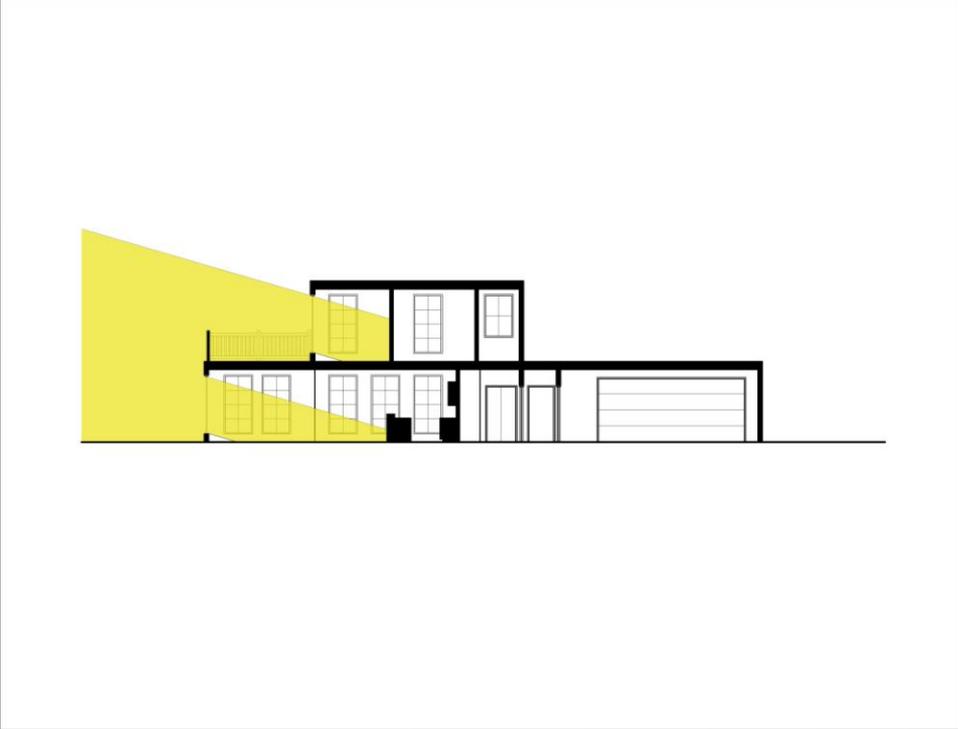
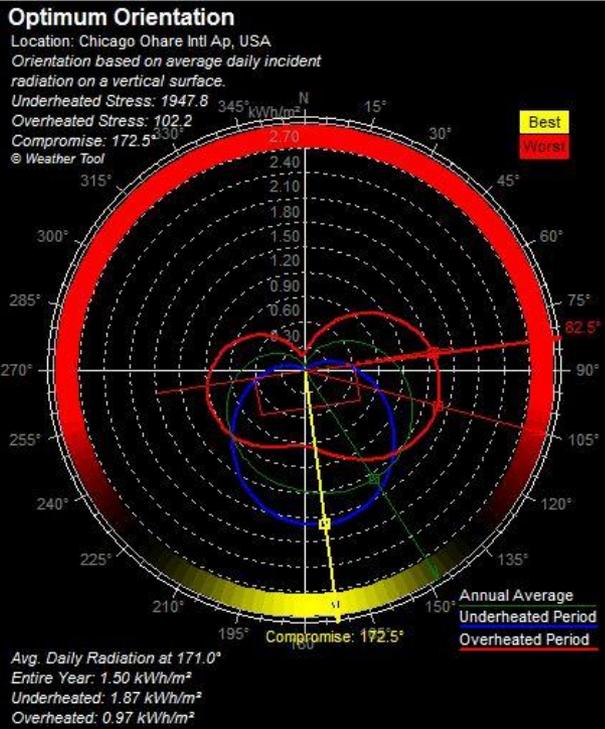
PROPOSED LAND USE



SITE PLAN



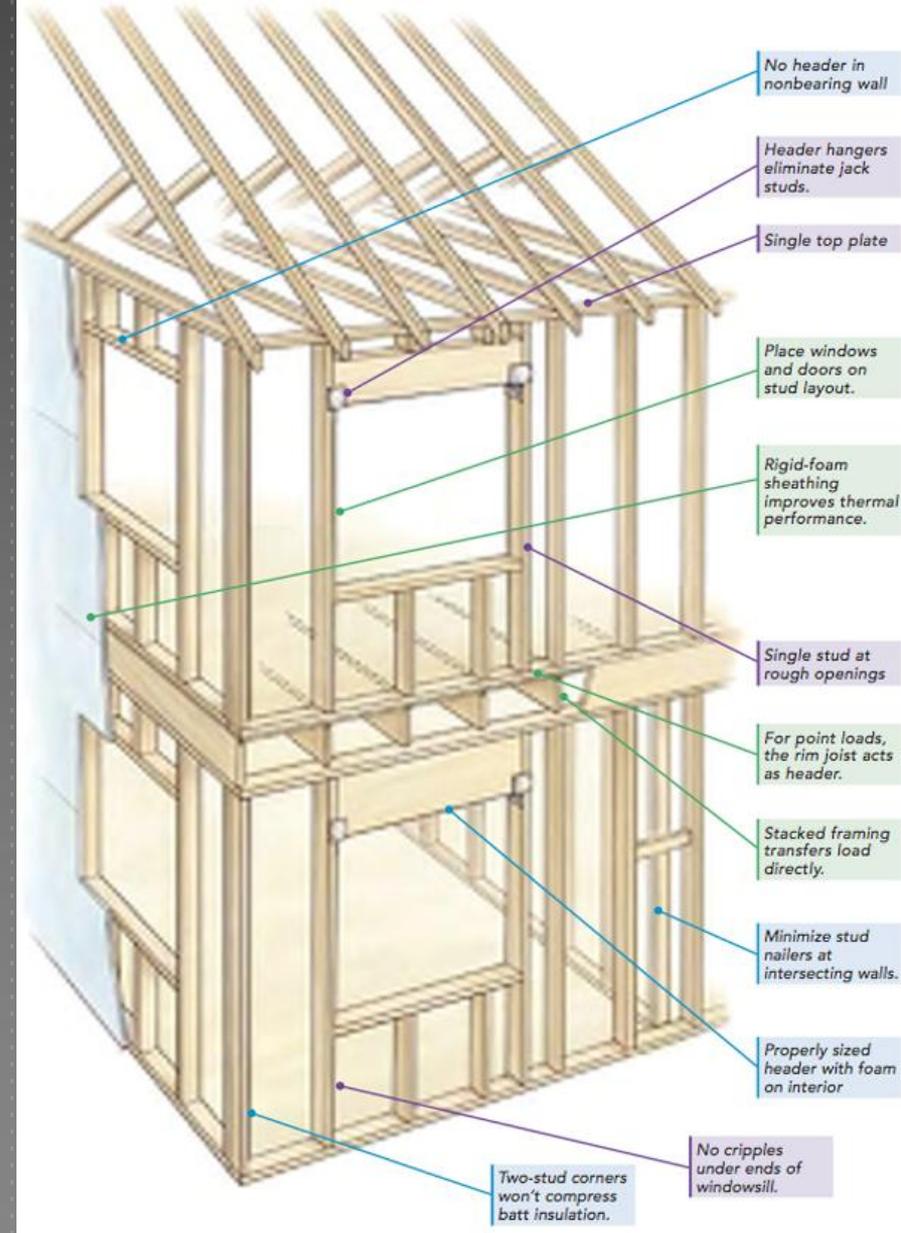
SOLAR EXPOSURE



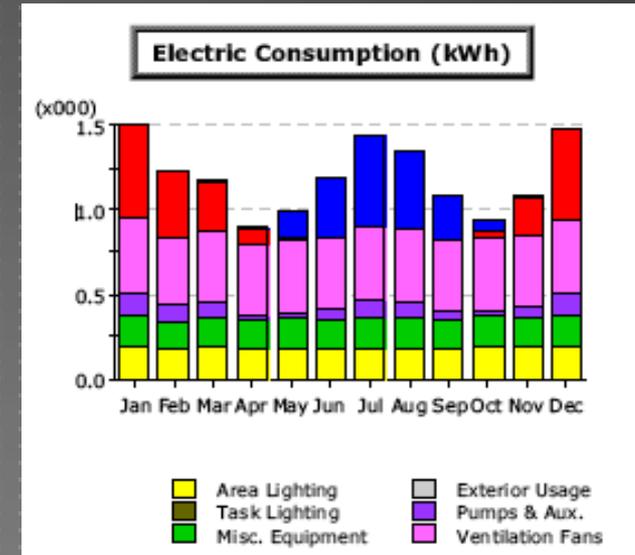
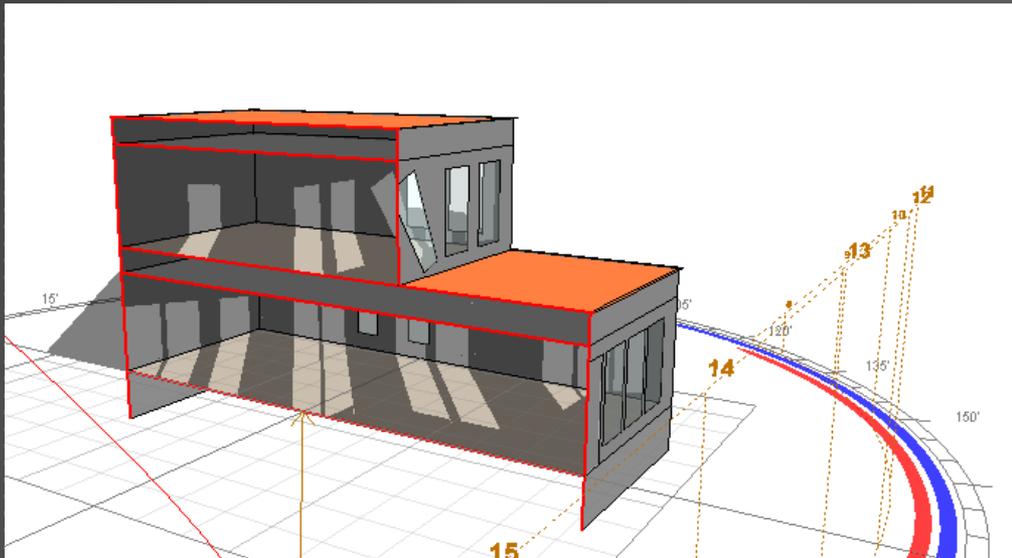
BUILDING ENVELOPE

- ▶ Advanced Framing Techniques
 - ▶ Less wood, more insulation
 - ▶ Enhances performance
- ▶ Build-Up
 - ▶ Thermal bridging
 - ▶ Brick façade
- ▶ Best envelope for the money

Structure Type	R Value	Cost
Traditional Stick Framing	R	\$
Advanced Framing	RR	\$
Structurally Insulated Panels	RRR	\$\$
Insulated Concrete Forms	RRR	\$\$\$\$



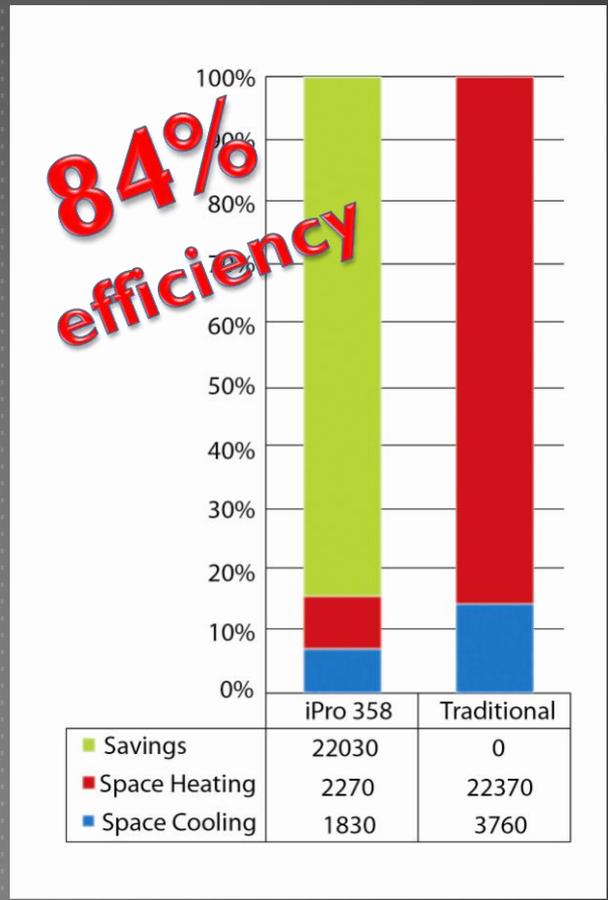
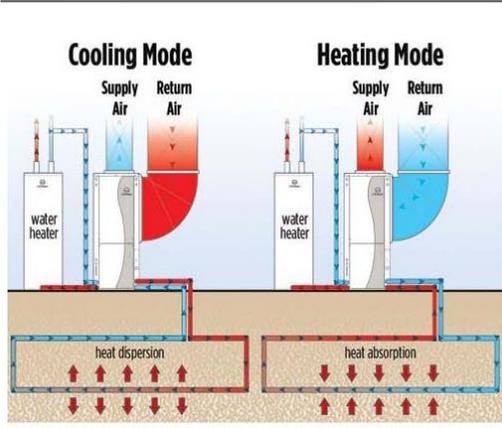
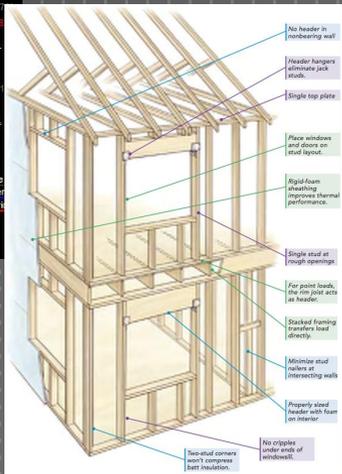
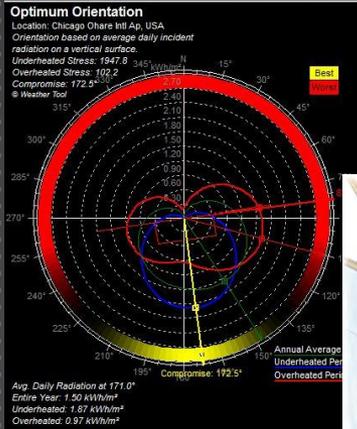
ENERGY MODELING



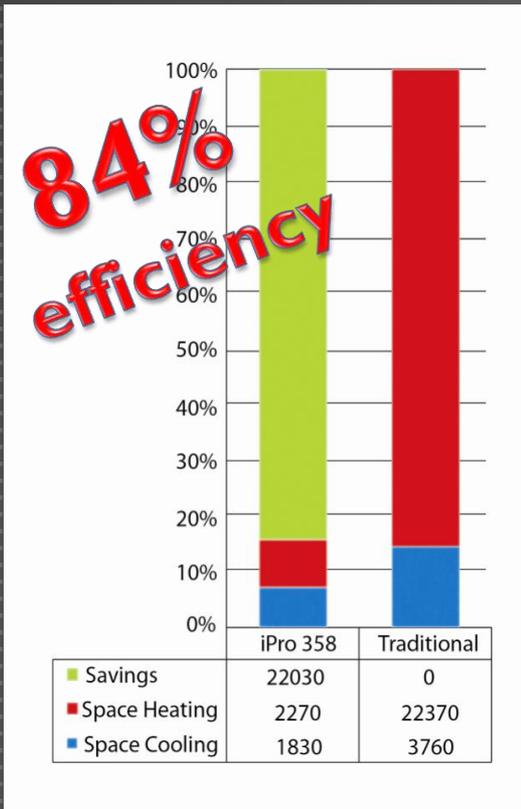
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ENERGY MODELING: TRADITIONAL HOUSE COMPARISON



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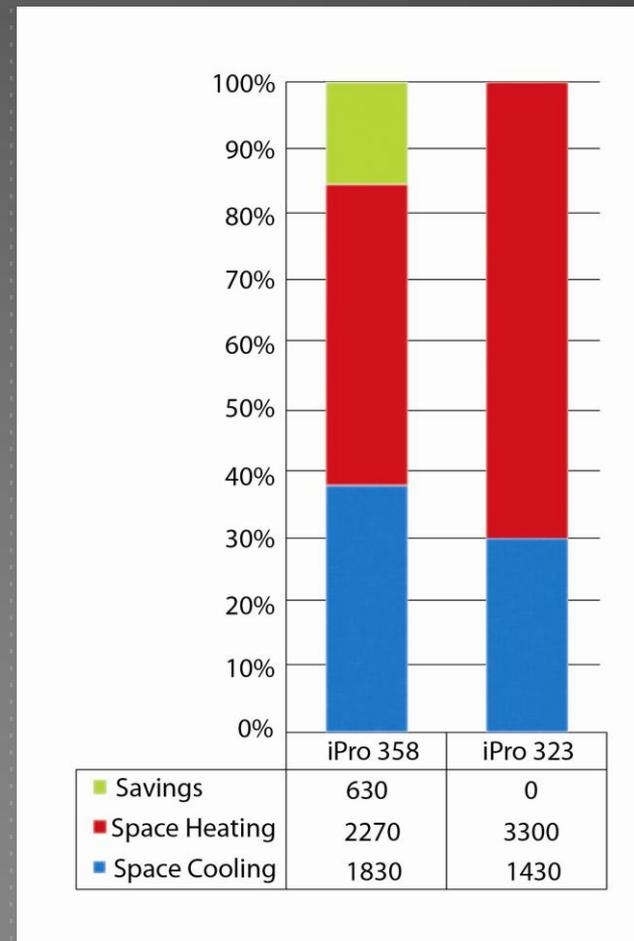


	Energy Consumption	Annual Cost
Traditional House	26130 kWh	\$2900
Our Model	4000 kWh	\$280

You save \$2620 annually

ENERGY MODELING: IPRO 323 COMPARISON

- Similar Systems
- 13% more efficient
- 80% of the cost

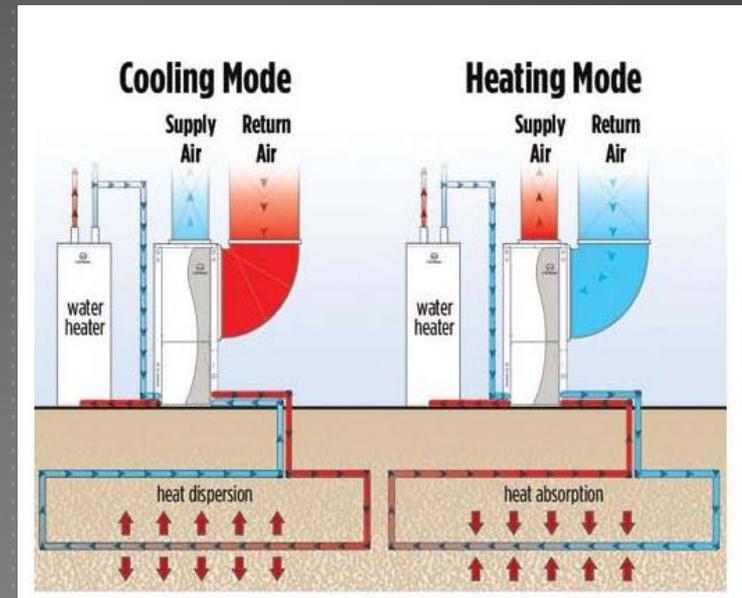


ACTIVE SYSTEMS

- ▶ Geothermal Furnace
- ▶ Energy Recovery Ventilator
- ▶ Instantaneous Water Heater
- ▶ Life Ware System

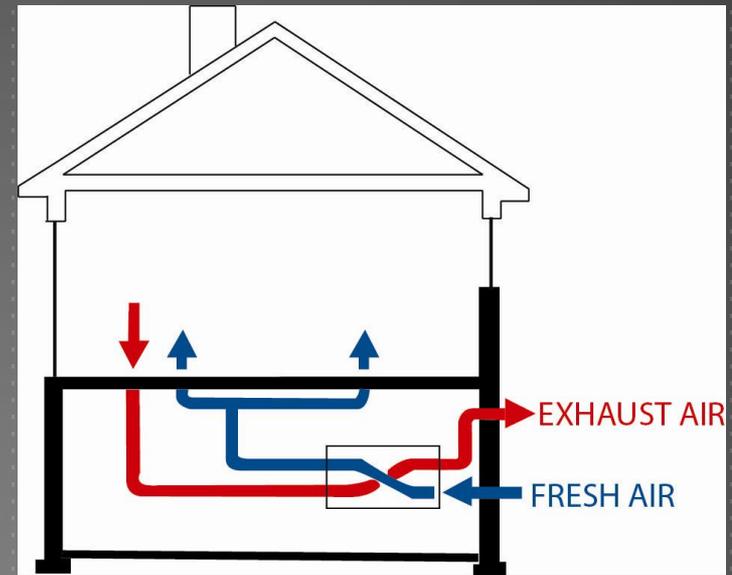
ACTIVE SYSTEMS: GEOTHERMAL FURNACE

- ▶ Uses the ground as a heat sink
- ▶ Forced air system
- ▶ Uses electricity only
- ▶ Energy consumption reduced by 21%
- ▶ Pay back in 7 years



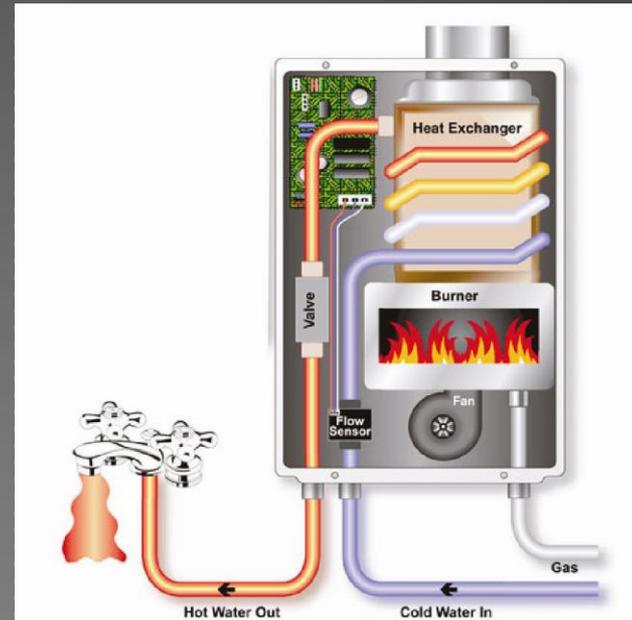
ACTIVE SYSTEMS: ENERGY RECOVERY VENTILATOR

- ▶ Recovers energy from exhaust air
- ▶ Can recover up to 80%
- ▶ Helps balance thermal field



ACTIVE SYSTEMS: INSTANTANEOUS WATER HEATER

- ▶ On demand energy consumption
- ▶ Energy consumption reduced by 24%
- ▶ Pay back in 4 years



ENERGY CONSCIOUSNESS

- ▶ Complete home Automation
- ▶ Can save up to 20%

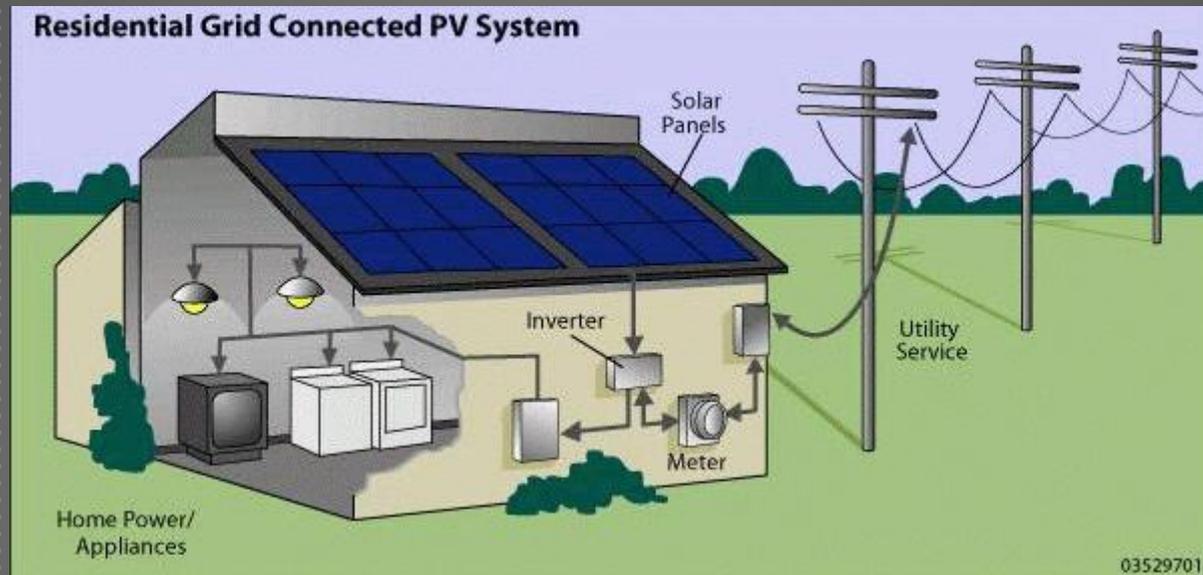


OPTIONAL SYSTEMS

- ▶ Photovoltaic Cells
- ▶ Solar Thermal Collectors
- ▶ Electrical Radiant Under Floor Heating

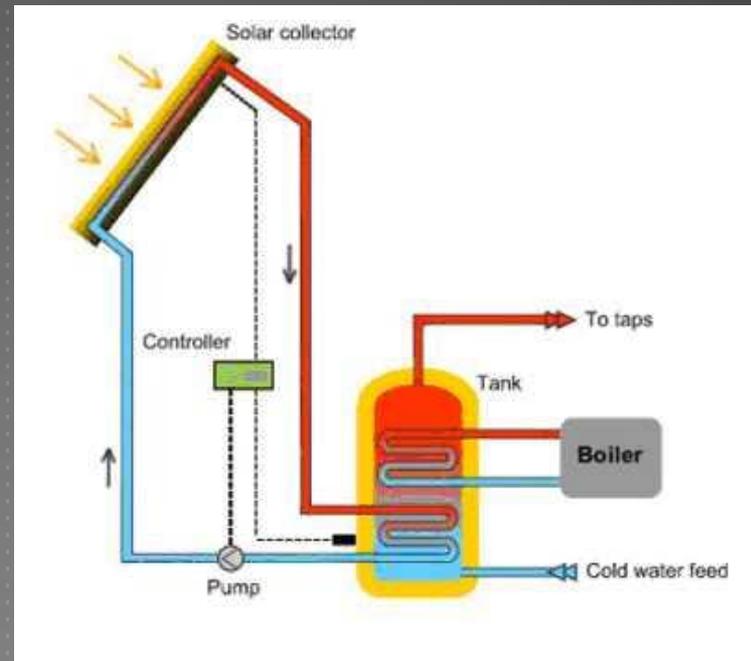
OPTIONAL SYSTEMS: PHOTOVOLTAIC CELLS

- Transforms solar radiation into DC power
- Requires inverter and connection to grid



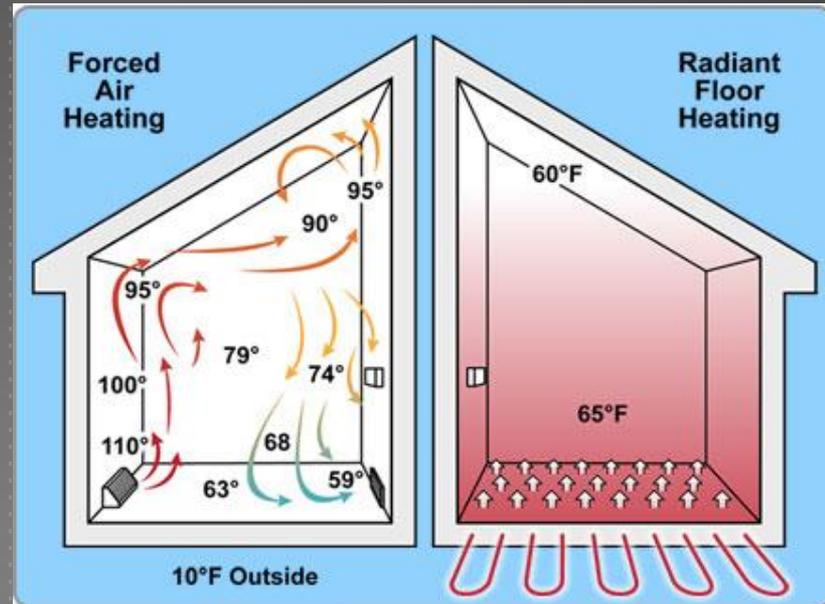
OPTIONAL SYSTEMS: SOLAR THERMAL COLLECTORS

- Uses solar radiation to heat liquid medium
- Reduces fuel needed for domestic hot water



OPTIONAL SYSTEMS: ELECTRICAL RADIANT FLOOR HEATING

- Electrical resistance radiates up through the floor
- More efficient than forced air
- Exclusive use in bathrooms



PAYMENT MODEL

- ▶ Rent To Own
- ▶ Attract Investors – Consistent Return
- ▶ Attract Tenants – Try before you buy.
- ▶ Monthly Payment – 80% Rent, 20% Down Payment
- ▶ 3 Years – Option to buy
- ▶ Mutually Beneficial



FINANCIALS

- ▶ Sell Price = \$300,000/Unit
- ▶ Projections (Total)
 - ▶ Expenses = \$3,447,191
 - ▶ Revenue = \$3,720,000
 - ▶ Profit = \$272,809
 - ▶ Rate of Return = 26%



CONCLUSION

- ▶ Sustainable yet affordable
- ▶ Systems pay for themselves over time and considerable reduction in energy usage
- ▶ Sell Price lower than comparable market price
- ▶ Attractive sell even in the midst of a housing slump
- ▶ Attractive buy for Customers who want to go green
- ▶ Go Green and Save Green



Questions?

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