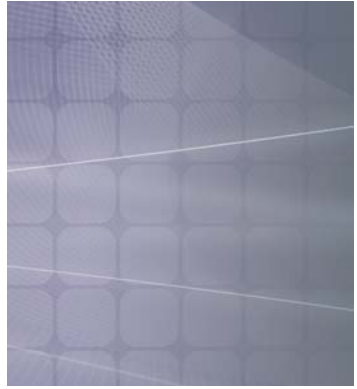




TWACS[®] HANfx[™]

HOME AREA NETWORKING



Empowering customers to make intelligent choices on how they use energy.

The **Aclara HANfx** solution reduces peak-demand energy costs by encouraging customers to proactively cut power usage. The HANfx system is an expandable home area network that employs a variety of intelligent devices such as programmable thermostats and simple in-home displays. It helps customers stay informed about peak pricing, current demand, and their own power usage, allowing them to make smart decisions and empowering them to conserve energy.

HANfx delivers

Scalable architecture

One-way in-home displays migrate to two-way demand-response devices

Flexible technology

Supports standards-based technologies including ZigBee[®] and Z-Wave[®]

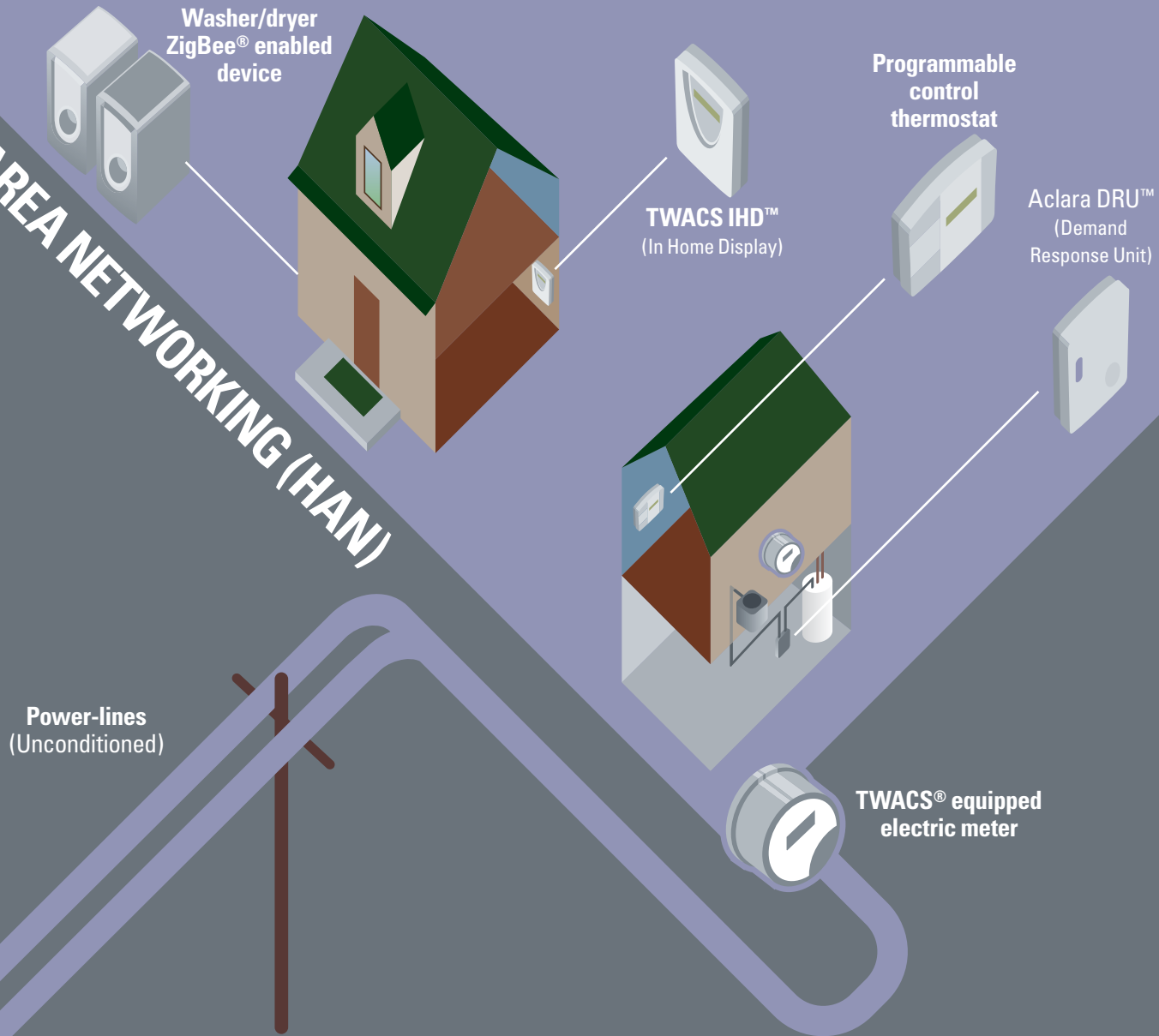
Migration path

Create comprehensive energy-conservation strategies with HANfx

Customer benefits

- Transparent demand response
- Improved interaction with utility
- Awareness of energy pricing
- Increased conservation

HOME AREA NETWORKING (HAN)



Utility benefits

- Comprehensive demand response
- Critical peak-pricing notification
- Demand and usage feedback
- Prepay information



Experience the intelligence of reliable utility performance with the industry's most complete suite of fixed-network AMI/AMR technologies and meter data management software (MDMS). Aclara is the singular brand and identity representing the power-line solution of DCSI (TWACS®), the RF technology of Hexagram, Inc. (STAR® Network), and the MDMS system of Nexus Energy Software. These three companies now operate as Aclara Power-Line Systems™ Inc., Aclara RF Systems™ Inc., and Aclara Software™ Inc., respectively, and serve water, gas, and electric utilities worldwide.



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