

# Decarbonizing Universities for a Sustainable Future

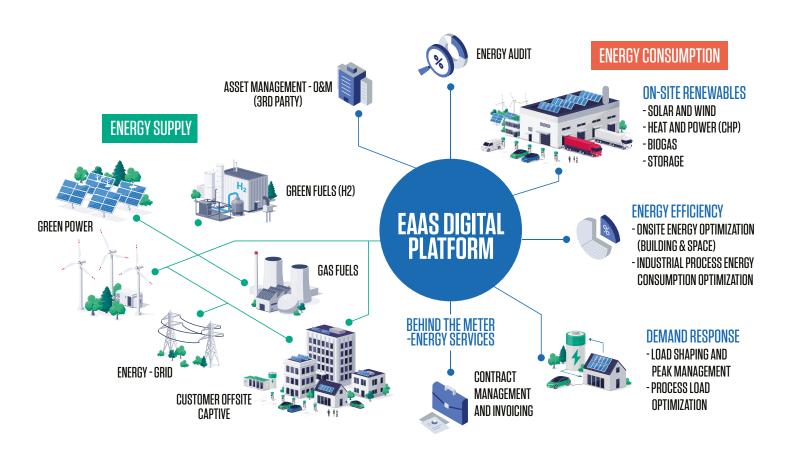
Studies show that universities can emit up to 1.0 metric ton of  $CO_2$  per person annually, with campuses consuming over one-third of global energy. Heating and cooling account for 40% of campus energy, worsened by outdated systems and tight budgets.

To achieve net zero by 2050, over 1,000 universities are adopting renewables, advanced technologies, and electric vehicles. **Infosys' Al and IoT-powered Energy-as-a-Service** solution optimizes energy use, cuts costs by 5-30%, and reduces emissions, driving sustainability.

## How Infosys' EaaS Can Help Unlock Energy Savings

Infosys, a global leader in digital services and consulting, is a carbon neutral company with decades of experience helping universities decarbonize their energy management.

Our EaaS solution provides a comprehensive approach for universities to optimize energy costs, improve efficiency, and reduce carbon emissions. It ensures a reliable energy supply through a combination of digital technologies and sustainable energy sources.



## Revolutionizing University Campuses – EaaS as a Sustainability Partner

Infosys EaaS helps universities achieve sustainability by offering tailored green energy solutions. Our platform enables universities to reduce energy usage by 25-30%, improve energy generation by 5-10%, enhance asset

efficiency by 5-10%, and cut  $CO_2$  emissions by 50-70%. Successful implementations in India and Germany demonstrate our ability to drive both sustainability and operational efficiency for universities.

## Key Features of EaaS Offering for Universities



## Comprehensive Energy Dashboard

Real-time energy insights for smarter decisions



### **Peak Demand Management**

Predictive analytics optimize energy use for labs, events.



## **Supply Optimization**

Market-driven cost reduction and efficient energy trading.



### **Al-Driven Energy Efficiency**

Optimizes asset performance and reduces waste



#### **Renewables & Mobility**

Integration of solar panels, EV charging, and storage.



## Battery Energy Storage (BESS) Dashboard

Al optimizes battery use for cost savings.

## **Benefits for Universities**



#### **Integrated Energy Management**

Single-platform optimization for cost and sustainability.



### **Optimized Sourcing**

Efficient procurement for reliable, cost-effective energy.



#### **Green Energy Mix**

Increased renewables for decarbonization.



#### **Reduced Consumption**

Al forecasting lowers energy usage and carbon footprint.



### **Operational Efficiency**

Intelligent monitoring enhances asset performance.

## Case Study 1: Accelerating Decarbonization Digitally at Infosys Pune Campus: EaaS Implementation & Success

The Infosys Pune Development Center, a campus with 40,000 employees and 18 buildings, faced the challenge of managing energy consumption efficiently and sustainably across its vast operations. To address this, the center piloted the Infosys-bp EaaS solution.

The EaaS platform, powered by AI and designed to be hardware-agnostic, played a crucial role. By analyzing data from diverse energy sources and assets across the campus, the platform empowered the development center to make data-driven decisions regarding energy usage and investments and this data-driven approach yielded significant results:



**75%** 

Increase in renewable energy utilization



10%

Improvement in energy efficiency



Reduction in unit energy costs

These outcomes demonstrate the effectiveness of EaaS in accelerating energy transition and delivering substantial environmental and economic benefits for organizations.

Value delivered at Infosys Pune Campus

## Case Study 2: Transforming Energy Management at a Leading German Airport

Germany's leading passenger and cargo airport, a major hub for European trade, handles millions of passengers and hundreds of thousands of tons of cargo annually. Committed to 2045 climate neutrality, they partnered with Infosys to implement an EaaS solution.

Infosys mapped the airport's energy landscape, including critical assets like boilers, chillers, and CHP plants. Hourly energy and cost data were then onboarded to the EaaS platform for analysis and visualization. EaaS recommendations, including optimizing CHP, maximizing BESS, and upgrading to heat pumps, resulted in:



Improve Energy Efficiency opportunity by





Reduction in unit price of power



Equivalent CO,e avoided

~10% (5600 tC02e/vear)

EaaS solutions helped this airport advance sustainability by optimizing CHP, improving boiler and chiller efficiency, leveraging energy market flexibility, and adopting cleaner energy storage technologies.

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