



OTD Overview

CH4 Connections

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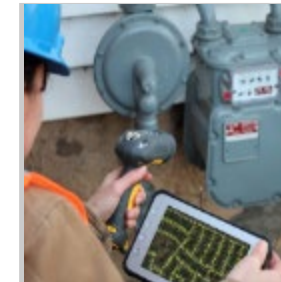
Operations Technology Development (OTD) Overview

Established 2003

Stand-alone, not-for-profit, member-controlled company where gas utilities work together to develop technology solutions to common issues

- Annual membership dues are calculated based on number of customer meters
- New projects selected by members based on needs
- Each member votes their own dollars to specific projects
- All members have access to all project information

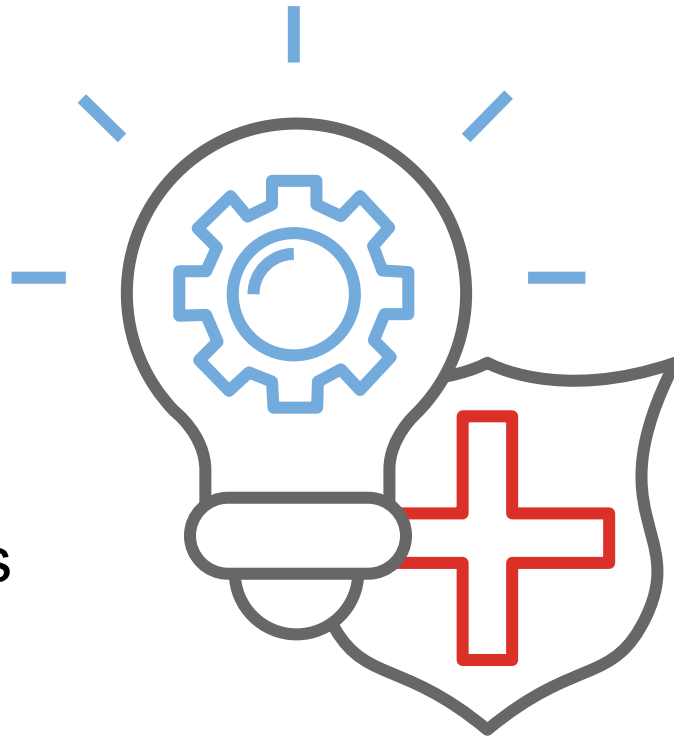
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OTD Mission and Goals

Mission

- Identify, select, fund, and oversee research projects resulting in innovative solutions and the improved safety, reliability, and operational efficiency of natural gas systems



Goals

- Enhance safety
- Enable operational excellence
- Minimize environmental impact
- Practice good science

OTD Members

Serving more than **70** million gas consumers in the U.S., Canada, and France



Navigating Change

- Focus is always Safety and Risk
 - Know your system
 - Leverage new technologies and methods
 - Leverage your data
- Leverage R&D Findings to Communicate with stakeholders
 - Leadership
 - Vendors
 - Governing Agencies
 - Customers