



Certified Measurement & Verification Professional[®] Training Program

A Certified Measurement & Verification Professional (CMVP[®]) is an individual who measures and verifies energy usage and energy requirements throughout a building or across multiple facilities. They develop metrics so that investment in energy, water, demand management, retrofit, and renewable energy projects can be evaluated, and prioritized. A CMVP[®] can often help a company realize substantial savings.

About this Program

This training program is designed to provide attendees an understanding of industry best practices for measurement and verification (M&V), including how to evaluate the performance of efficiency projects, and how to best apply the International Performance Measurement and Verification Protocol (IPMVP) standard. AEE's CMVP[®] program is presented in conjunction with the Efficiency Valuation Organization[®] (EVO[®]).

What You Will Learn

- Learn how to measure, verify and evaluate metrics for prioritizing investment in energy, water and demand management, and renewable energy projects.
- Learn how to apply the core M&V program concepts and framework to a wide variety of facilities, including existing and new buildings and industrial processes.
- Undertake a review of the IPMVP and learn essential concepts of IPMVP options A, B, C & D.
- Learn why the ISO 50001 standard for Energy Management Systems is critical for M&V professionals.

At-a-Glance

- » This training program prepares attendees to take the Certified Measurement & Verification Professional[®] (CMVP[®]) exam.
- » This program is held over 3 days, with a voluntary exam on day 4.
- » You earn 1.8 CEU | 18 PDH | 3.6 AEE Credits for completing this program.

Key Takeaways

- » Work through practical examples to demonstrate the topics and procedures covered.
- » Review the various areas of the Body of Knowledge associated with AEE's certification exam.
- » Discuss how to apply what you have learned to your business and applications.
- » Leave with a course workbook and other tools that are invaluable in the field.

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Who Should Attend

The program is of greatest value to those undertaking or assessing M&V energy projects. Obtaining AEE's CMVP® certification provides international credibility among energy management and M&V communities. Attendees of this program have included existing M&V professionals, energy engineers, energy managers, energy analysts, financial executives, manufacturing and facilities managers, and energy consultants.

Course Outline

- Measurement
- Short Examples and Best Applications
- M&V Planning
- Critical Issues
- M&V Calculations
- Retrofit Isolation Details
- IPMVP Options A and B
- IPMVP Option C (Whole Facility Performance Assessment)
- IPMVP Option D (Missing Baseline or Reporting Period Data)
- IPMVP Adherence: Core Concepts & Uncertainty Assessment
- Other M&V Applications
- Summary and Review of a Detailed M&V Plan

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Certification Eligibility

The prerequisites to qualify for the certification process take into account the diverse education and experience applicants may have. Each candidate must meet the required criteria at

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CURRENT QUALIFICATION		EXPERIENCE
4-year engineering/architectural degree OR Pr.Eng, Registered Architect	PLUS	+3 years
4-year degree in technology, environmental science, physics or earth science		+3 years
3-year technical qualification		+5 years
4-year degree in business or business related		+5 years
4-year unrelated degree		+5 years
2-year associate degree		+5 years
NONE: no current qualification		+10 years
Current status of CEM		X
Current status of CBEP		n/a
Employment at company in related field		n/a
Years of work experience required - in addition to the current qualification - must be related to the certification discipline applied for.		

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Our Instructors

Over three days, one of our professional instructors will guide you through M&V, and the IPMVP. Their teaching and industry experience allows them to deliver information that is of the most relevance and practical value to attendees.



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Daily Agenda

Day 1

Measurement

- Key Concepts and Terminology
- IPMVP's Savings Equation 1
- Adjustment of Savings
- Whole Facility Measurement vs. Retrofit Isolation Methods
- M&V Cost and Savings
- IPMVP Savings Equation 2 and Statistics
- Comparing Energy Performance to Building Codes

Short Examples & Best Applications

- Multiple ECM Building Retrofit
- New Building
- Lighting Efficiency Improvement
- Compressed Air Leakage Control

M&V Planning

- M&V Planning Theory and Details
- Fundamental Principles
- Setting Boundary of Measurement
- Types of Savings (Energy Cost Avoidance, Normalized Savings, Backcasting)
- Baseline Data and Independent Variables
- Adjacent Measurement Periods
- Measurement Equipment (Metering, Installation, Maintenance and Safety)

- Routine Reporting Procedures & Quality Control (ISO 9001)
- M&V Plan Template (IPMVP Core Concepts, Chapter 7)

Day 2

Critical Issues

- Missing Data During Reporting Period
- M&V Budget (Balancing Cost and Uncertainty)
- Baseline Adjustments (BLAs)
- BLA Squabble (Baseline Change)
- Utility Rates for M&V (Cost Savings Reports/Pricing Methods)
- Verification (Operational, Independent, and Retrofit Isolation Verification Methods)
- Adherence with IPMVP

M&V Calculations

- Language and Application of Statistics in M&V
- Sampling Methods
- Linear Regression Modelling and Tests
- Determining Uncertainty in Savings Estimates (Project Bankability)
- Rounding and Accuracy

Day 3

Retrofit Isolation Details

- A and B Method (Retrofit Isolation Options)
- Detailed Examples
- Summary of Issues

Option C Details (Whole Facility Performance Assessment)

- Option C Method Review
- Detailed Summary of Issues
- Software for Utility Bill Analysis

Option D Details (Missing Baseline or Reporting Period Data)

- Simulation and Method Overview
- Industrial Processes
- Simulation Quality Issues

Other M&V Applications

- Persistence of Energy Savings
- M&V in a Recommissioning Context (RCx)
- M&V Monitoring and Targeting (M&T)

Summary and Review of a Detailed M&V Plan

- Adherence with IPMVP
- Selecting and Option
- Preparing and M&V Plan