## TURNTIDE

## Application Note: Turntide Proportional Energy Reporting (PER)



# An automated, streamlined approach to monitor tenant energy usage

For landlords of multi-tenant residential and commercial buildings using Daikin VRV systems with their Turntide subscription, Turntide's Proportional Energy Reporting (PER) evaluates indoor energy usage based on outdoor unit meter information to generate estimated, apportioned monthly usage reports, all with minimal installation effort and costs. It may help streamline utility usage apportionment, no matter how many tenants you have or how many VRV systems you run.

Through the Autodiscovery feature on the Turntide App, Turntide extracts VRV system data for all the connected indoor units. With Turntide PER, you get hassle-free, estimated, proportional energy data reporting.

## **Key Benefits**



#### **Reduce Costs**

Produce comprehensive reports easily and effectively



#### Gain Insights into VRV Indoor Unit Use

Estimates how much of the total system power is used by each individual VRV indoor unit



#### **Evaluate Utility Usage**

Power consumption data can be used with other third-party property management tools to estimate a tenant's portion of condenser unit energy consumption

#### What is Turntide PER?

Turntide PER, when used with Daikin VRV systems, provides the user with estimated, apportioned total power consumption by Daikin individual indoor units from outdoor units.

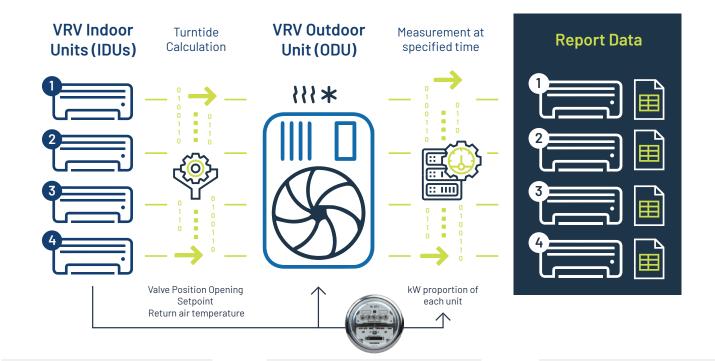
Turntide PER is a feature that leverages Turntide App data. The Turntide PER calculation starts with determining the indoor unit's thermal energy consumption. With this information, an apportioned energy usage for the indoor unit can be derived from the outdoor units' total meter energy consumption. This provides a reasonable, estimated apportionment of the total calculated power consumed.

Turntide PER is less expensive to install, easier to install, and more flexible than competing products. Because of system variables, Turntide PER does not provide revenue-grade information about each user's consumption.

#### Who is Turntide PER For?

Turntide PER is for landlords of multi-tenant residential and commercial buildings (i.e., malls, apartments) with Daikin VRV systems who are looking for a simple, low-cost cloud-based solution to assist with estimating individual tenant energy use.

## **How It Works**



Turntide computes proportional thermal energy usage of each indoor unit with available data



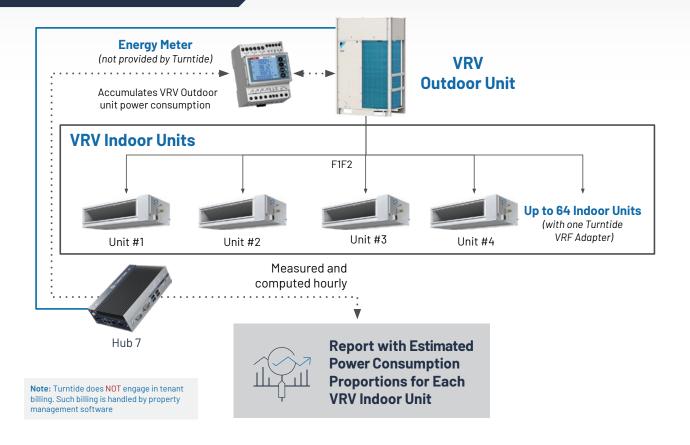
Turntide accumulates ODU-related energy data and uses it to estimate proportional usage of each IDU



Turntide generates estimated kWh consumption reports and then shares them securely

Note: An active Turntide App subscription is required to access Turntide PER functionality

## **How To Get Started**



## Simple Installation Process

Note: At this time PER activation can only be completed by Turntide or a qualified Turntide rep.

Install Energy Meters to
Accumulate Outdoor Unit
Electrical Power Consumption\*

(Meters are not provided by Turntide)

Provision, configure, install, & wire BACnet energy meters to measure/report electrical power consumption of all ODUs at a site.

\*An energy meter can typically measure more than 1 Outdoor Unit



Use Turntide's Autodiscovery to Auto-Onboard All Indoor Units

Using Autodiscovery on the Turntide App, Turntide will automatically extract VRV system data, with no further integration or installation work.

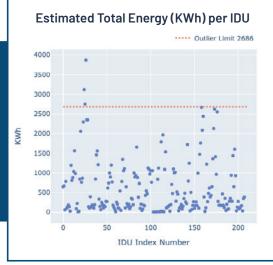
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#### **Receive VRV Reports**

Reports can then be used in property management processes for estimated usage apportionment and energy outlier tracking.

Report includes: Summary Results, Estimated Total Energy per IDU graph (see example to right), Outliers, Exclusions, Top Trends.



Example report showing outliers

#### Exclusions - Please Note:

Turntide PER technology is intended for use with Daikin VRV systems, and is not intended for use with other systems, including Daikin RA and RA Multi (single split and multi-split) air conditioning heat pump products.

All customers of Turntide's PER Services acknowledge and agree that (a) the PER Services should only be used in connection with the relevant third-party products or systems identified by Turntide in writing, (b) the PER Services do not provide revenue-grade metering and should only be used for monitoring and apportionment estimation purposes, (c) the accuracy and performance of metering devices is beyond Turntide's control and the PER Services are only an estimate, and (d) except to the extent expressly agreed otherwise by Turntide in writing, Turntide makes no representations or warranties regarding the PER Services, express or implied, including with regard to compliance with local, regional or federal utility billing requirements.

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