

# Building evaluation capacity in Vietnam

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## **Agenda**



- Context
- Goal of the work
- What we did
- The outcomes
- Conclusions

#### **Context**











#### Australia-Vietnam co-operation:

- Online registration system
- Standards development
- Test laboratories
- Monitoring, Verification and Enforcement
- Research program
- Impact modelling
- Capacity building
  - Governance
  - Policy development
  - Communications
  - Evaluation

## Goal



- Ministry of Industry and Trade wanted to build capacity to:
  - Forecast energy savings
  - Evaluate impact of MEPS and energy labels
  - Utilise data to refine and develop policy
- Program designed with this in mind:
  - Registration system sales mix
  - Market studies appliance use and attribution
  - Label display survey compliance

## **Activity**

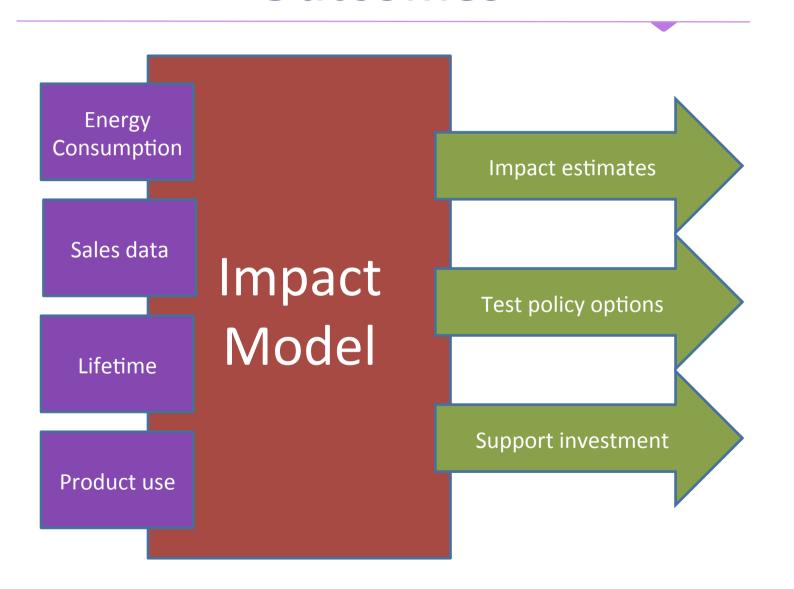


#### Training program:

- Modelling energy consumption and savings compared to baseline
- Estimating the extent to which energy savings can be attributed to program
- Principles of evaluation
- Collecting and utilising data

### **Outcomes**





## **Conclusions**



- Greater interest in use of evidence
- Enthusiastic about impact estimates
- Increased survey and data collection skills
- Less interest in using evaluation to develop/ refine policy
- It would have been nice to...
  - Have more time
  - Introduce evaluation concepts sooner
  - Identify and involve local experts



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