PowerStudio

Create & enforce PC Power Management policies to reduce electricity costs & meet carbon footprint goals

Start saving energy today: reduce electricity costs and meet CO2 targets in less than four months with PowerStudio from Certero.

PowerStudio is an out-of-the-box, enterprise-level, PC Power Management software solution which, by applying centralized computer power policies, enables organizations to meet energy-saving goals with no adverse effect on user productivity or satisfaction.

With no dependencies on third-party products like SCCM, PowerStudio makes it easy to create and enforce flexible power policies. Customizable dashboards and business intelligence engine make it easy to calculate and share insight into cost, carbon, energy and time savings.

What makes PowerStudio right for you?

- Flexible power policies
  - Create policies for different areas of the business
- Support updates & maintenance
  - Automatically wake machines for out-of-hours updates
- No third-party dependencies
  - Everything you need to cut costs in a single product
- Flexible policy assignment
  - Use AD & OU groups to automatically assign policies
- Powerful in-built reporting engine
  - Quickly calculate & share reports on actual savings
Everything you need to start making savings today

Power Policies
PowerStudio provides a comprehensive set of controls which are used to facilitate the power management of client devices. There are no restrictions to the number of policies that can be created, empowering you to meet the specific needs of all teams and departments.

- Business Hours – Define rules for daytime
- Non-Business Hours – Define rules for night-time
- Maintenance Windows – Automatically wake the machine up to enable windows updates
- Critical Applications – Check if critical applications are running, if so suppress any power saving actions
- Document Management Scripts – Gracefully save open documents & close applications before performing a power saving action

Schemes
Schemes are a component of the policies which are used to define when a system should perform a power saving action. Multi-tier schemes to manage multiple power-saving options

- Manage devices & peripheral power consumption
- Apply schemes according to device type

Policy Assignment
Power saving policies can be applied to machines in a number of ways, including by Active Directory and Organizational Units. Policies can be automatically applied as devices move from one group to another.

PowerStudio Client
Full control of power management is achieved with a lightweight client, deployed and managed directly from PowerStudio.

- Deployed & managed without third-party tools
- Collects usage data for energy savings tools
- Manages documents saved during operations
- Performs high-level inventory to collect hardware specifications

Management Reports & Dashboards
PowerStudio includes a powerful reporting suite which makes it easy to calculate and demonstrate real-world energy and cost savings. Reports can present information based on cost, time, kilowatt hour and carbon-based values.

- Usage Report – Actual power utilization broken down into: Used, Idle, Monitor Off, Powered Off, Powered On
- Savings Report – Actual Savings evaluated by attributing the ‘powered off’ time to either the user or PowerStudio
- Powered On Report – Total number of machines that were left on between a specified time window that includes a breakdown of which ones were used or idle
- Comparison Report – Compares the current performance against a previous data range
- User Report – Summarized view of user activity across a defined period of time
- Dual Tariffs – Accommodates multiple tariffs to ensure accurate financial reporting

About Certero
At Certero, we’re passionate about customer success. It doesn’t matter how great our SAM tools are or how fantastic our Unified Platform is if our users aren’t happy. We broke the mold when we developed the world’s only truly Unified Platform for both SAM & ITAM stakeholders. No more disparate products, separate code bases and user interfaces. That’s why our customers don’t need to pay extra for expensive integration work, why setup is painless and how we’ve been able to build unrivalled functionality and automation.

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