



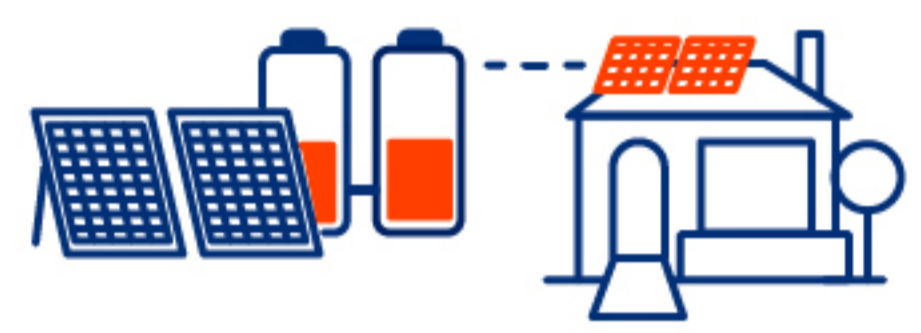



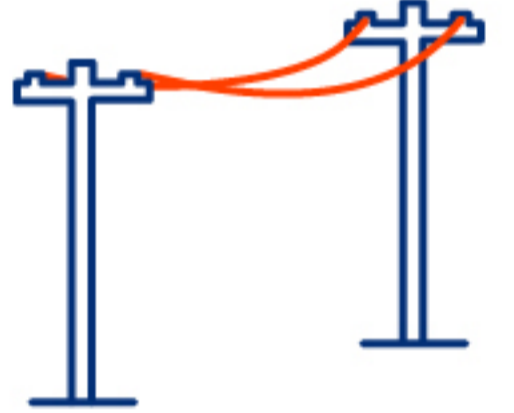



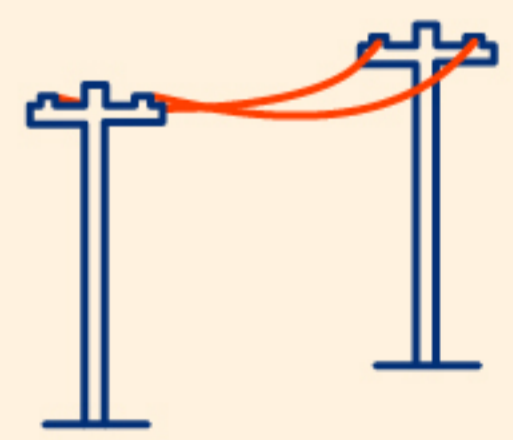









|  | Essential Energy   | Community   | Retailer/registered generator  | Baseline assumptions  |
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| <p>Roles and responsibilities</p>   | <p>Provide connection approvals for battery and solar connections.</p>  | <p>Provide governance over microgrid design, ownership and commercial arrangements.</p>  | <p>Provide mechanism for operation and market services.</p>   | <p>Each customer can own and control behind the meter solar and batteries which contribute to the microgrid.</p>       |
| <p>Ownership</p>                  |  | <p>Community provides land and social licence for microgrid</p>                        | <p>Proponent invests in and owns the microgrid</p>    | <p>Poles and wires always remain under the ownership of Essential Energy</p>   |
| <p>Operation and maintenance</p>  |  |   | <p>Maintains and operates the microgrid in the market</p>   | <p>Community <b>have</b> chosen to allow third parties to own shared assets such as solar farms and batteries</p>   |
| <p>Network Services</p>           |   |    | <p>Value sharing arrangement allows reliability benefits to be shared</p>                                 | <p>Community needs to define governance and decision making</p>    |
| <p>Market Services</p>            |  | <p>Benefits (financial and non-financial) shared with the community</p>                | <p>Revenue generated through market services delivered to asset owners through commercial agreements</p>  | <p>Functional control of when and how to island is jointly owned by Essential Energy and the owner of microgrid</p>  |