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#### NRM's **Refrigeration Optimization Solutions**

An overview of the company, the products, and the industries we serve



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#### Who is NRM?

National Resource Management provides optimizations for commercial and industrial refrigeration systems (walk-in coolers, walk-in freezers, reach-in coolers, refrigerated warehouses). These optimizations include smart controls, high-efficiency equipment upgrades, predictive fault detection, and a state-of-the-art analytics platform.

Our customers achieve a wide range of benefits such as energy savings, extended equipment life, real-time performance metrics, automated temperature logging, and more...

And we take a small-business approach to big-business needs. Our sales, support, and installation teams comprise in-house, NRM employees who have the appropriate licenses and certifications. All of our hardware and software is designed, tested, manufactured, and shipped from our Canton, MA-based facility.

# Who can NRM help?

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#### **Refrigerated Warehouses**

- Cold Storage
- Wholesale/Distribution
- Produce Processing
- Floral









#### Institutional

- Higher Education
- K-12
- Dining Services
- Life Sciences









#### **Food & Beverages**

- Foodservices
- Grocery
- Restaurants
- Independent Retail
- Convenience Stores
- Liquor Stores
- Breweries/Brewpubs
- Hospitality/Entertainment



# Are any of these areas critical to your success?

- Food Safety & Quality
- Product Loss Prevention
- Equipment Diagnostics and Fault Detection
- Reducing Energy Consumption
- Sustainability
- Temperature Tracking and Logging
- Federal, State, and Industry Regulatory Compliance

#### These solutions might be perfect for you





- Energy-Management Control System for Commercial & Industrial Refrigeration
- Web-Based Automated Fault Detection & Predictive Diagnostics – IoT at Work
- Real-time Monitoring, Alarming on Safe Temperature, Equipment Performance
- Comprehensive, Turnkey Approach to Energy Efficiency Retrofits with Utility Support
- Performance Improvement & Innovation
  through Monitoring Based Commissioning

### **Small Cold Rooms**

- Precise Temperature Control
- Adaptive Defrost Cycles
- Custom Cooling Schedules
- Evaporator Fan Cycling
- Timed System Shutdown
- Existing EMS Integration
- Stored Operational Data
- Equipment Alarms & Alerts
- Anti-Sweat Door Heater Control
- System Bypass





## Large Cold Rooms

- Precise Temperature Control
- Adaptive Defrost Cycles

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- Custom Cooling Schedules
- Evaporator Fan Management
- Scheduled System Shutdown
- Cloud-Based Operational Data
- Access & Manage Refrigeration from any Device via Browser
- Equipment Alarms & Alerts
- System Bypass & Diagnostics



## **Remote Site Manager (RSM)**

- Real-Time Performance Metrics
- Summary Page for all Zones
- 24/7 Equipment Supervision
- Automated Temperature Logging
- Instant Email or Text Notification
  of Mechanical Issues
- Securely Stored Data for M&V
- Mobile Access to Data and Settings



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## A unique and comprehensive solution

#### **Real-Time Operations Summary**

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NRM CoolTrol MC Series 4					Temperature °C					Status				Starts 24 Hr.			% Run 24 Hr.			% Run 7 Days		
Description	Notes	Status		Space	Evap	Dif	SP	24hr	Mode	Dfrst	Sol	Fan	Comp	Sol	Comp	Fan	Sol	Comp	Fan	Sol	Comp	Fan
Mol-Bio Cooler RCU08	_	1	D	6.9	6.2	3	<u>4</u>	4.6	Run	Off	Off	Off	0.4	13	13	118	8.6	9.8	30.8	7. <b>9</b>	9.1	30.3
Mol-Bio Cooler RCU09	_	🎤		8.1	8	1.5	<u>4</u>	4.8	Run	Off	On	On	0.2	14	27	106	19	13.1	38.3	11.1	11.6	32.2
Mol-Bio Freezer RCU11	_	1	D	-18.5	-19.1	3.2	-20	-18.8	Run	Off	Off	Off	0.0	27	36	<b>9</b> 7	27. <b>6</b>	27.9	41.9	32.3	20.5	45.7
Mol-Bio Freezer RCU12	_	1	ľ	-19.2	-20.5	1.2	-20	-18.6	Run	Off	On	On	15.8	38	43	94	30.5	30.3	43.9	30.3	30.3	43.9
Protein Lab 3.151B RCU17	_	1		4.9	1.3	3	<u>4</u>	5.2	Run	<u>Off</u>	Off	Off	0.2	37	37	119	19	20.9	<mark>39</mark> .5	18	20.1	38.7
Protein Lab 3.151B RCU18	_	1		4.2	2.4	1.5	<u>4</u>	4.6	Run	Off	Off	On	-1.2	34	34	125	7. <b>9</b>	10.2	35.7	8.2	10.4	36
Protein Lab 3.152 RCU13	_	1		5.8	3.2	2	<u>4</u>	5.2	Run	Off	Off	Off	0.2	54	55	107	19.8	22.6	44.6	19.6	22.3	43.9
Protein Lab 3.152 RCU14	_	1		6.5	6.1	3.5	<u>4</u>	5.5	Run	Off	Off	Off	0.3	5 <b>6</b>	56	114	11	14.5	35.2	10.9	14.5	34.1

Alarms or try the new Alarms Interface Beta Version												
Start Time	End Time	Ack Time	Text									
2017-11-28 14:17:15			LTC0006 Mol-Bio Cooler RCU09 Compressor Failed To Respond									

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#### Food Safety "Peace of Mind"

Automated temperature tracking to ensure your products never fall out of the designated safe zone.

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Consult visual trends for the last 24 hours to the last 7 days.



#### Improved Equipment Diagnostics and Troubleshooting

Quickly spot and remedy hard-to-find issues that waste money, put unnecessary strain on your equipment, and could possibly lead to a catastrophic failure.

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Arm your technician with valuable information they didn't have before.



# An Average Reduction of 40% in the Refrigeration System's Energy Usage

\*\* As compared to 100% runtimes prior to controls

NRM CoolTrol MC Series 4		Temperature °F					Status				Amps	Amps Starts 24 Hr.			% Run 24 Hr.			% F	) VS		
Description	Notes	Status	Space	Evap	Dif	SP	24hr	Mode	Dirst	Sol	Fan	Comp	Sol	Comp	Fan	Sol	Comp	Fan	Sol	Comp	Fan
35F Dry CU07	Elec Def	4	35	36	4	35	36.3	Run	Off	Off	Off	1	1	5	37	72.4	0	77.5	20.7	9.6	35.2
35F Dry CU08	Elec Def	4	35	32	4	35	35.6	Run	Off	Off	Off	0.5	10	15	81	28	28.2	39.1	22.5	22.7	34.9
35F Dry CU09	Elec Def	9	35	32	5	35	36.6	Run	Off	Off	On	12.9	11	22	74	39.8	39.6	50.2	30	30	42.6
35F Dry CU10	Elec Def	71	35	35	2	35	35.6	Run	Off	Off	Off	0.6	3	6	88	22.1	22.2	34	13.2	13.5	26.9
35F Dry CU11	Elec Def	71	35	35	2	35	35.4	Run	Off	Off	Off	0.5	2	20	130	2.1	2.3	19.9	3.2	3.6	21
35F Wet CU12	Elec Def	9	37	36	4	35	35.8	Run	Off	Off	Off	0.2	10	16	119	9.4	9.6	26	7.3	7.5	24.4
35F Wet CU13	Elec Def	4	37	36	4	35	36.1	Run	Off	Off	Off	1.1	6	10	119	8.7	8.8	27.7	6.5	6.7	24.4
35F Wet CU14	Elec Def	9	36	35	2	35	35.9	Run	Off	Off	Off	1.8	5	5	125	6.5	6.6	23.7	6.7	6.9	24

All refrigeration systems are designed to handle the hottest day of the year, so they all run at 100% of their capacity at all times. Solution ensures your system runs only when you need it to, putting money back into your pocket.

#### **Extended Equipment Life**



Solution provides a timed system shutdown feature for taking inventory, stocking, deliveries, temperature tracking, or any other in-cooler/freezer work that require employees to be in the cold area for an extended period of time.

#### A great system must be able to provide the greatest value to all stake holders

- Must be user-friendly and show "at a quick glance" status of recent operation
- Provide real time alerts or alarms for both temperature and equipment
- Enable users to remotely access operation and view trends and history
- Allowing users to change settings, start defrosts and
- Quick fault detection and easy diagnosing to identify cause of faults
- Issues are easy to drill down to identify when they started, what likely caused it and provide a quick way to communicate with other users
- All changes made by users are time stamped and are part of audit trail

## **Case Studies**

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#### Life Technologies – Austin, TX

Total Number of Walk-ins: 61 Coolers & Freezers Annual kWh Savings: 1,504,300 kWh Implemented Measures: CoolTrol Evaporator fans upgraded to EC motors Remote Site Manager Anti-sweat door heater controls



#### Aeronaut Brewing Co. – Somerville, MA

#### Total Number of Cold Rooms: 4 (Kegs cooler, Hops cooler, Food freezer, Packaged Products cooler) Annual kWh Savings: 17,369 kWh Implemented Measures: **Remote Site Manager** CoolTrol 10 evaporator fans upgraded to EC motors Smart Defrost Kit **Glycol Monitoring** Utility Incentive: 50% of upfront cost



#### **TD Garden – Boston, MA - \*Phase 1**

Total Number of Walk-ins: 32 Coolers & Freezers Annual kWh Savings: 185,000 kWh

Implemented Measures:

36 zones of low to medium-temp spaces controlled via CoolTrol & Remote Site Manager 62 evaporator facts upgraded to EC

62 evaporator fans upgraded to EC motors

Anti-sweat door heater controls

\*Additional retrofits were performed in followup phases as budget became available.



### **Thank You!**

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