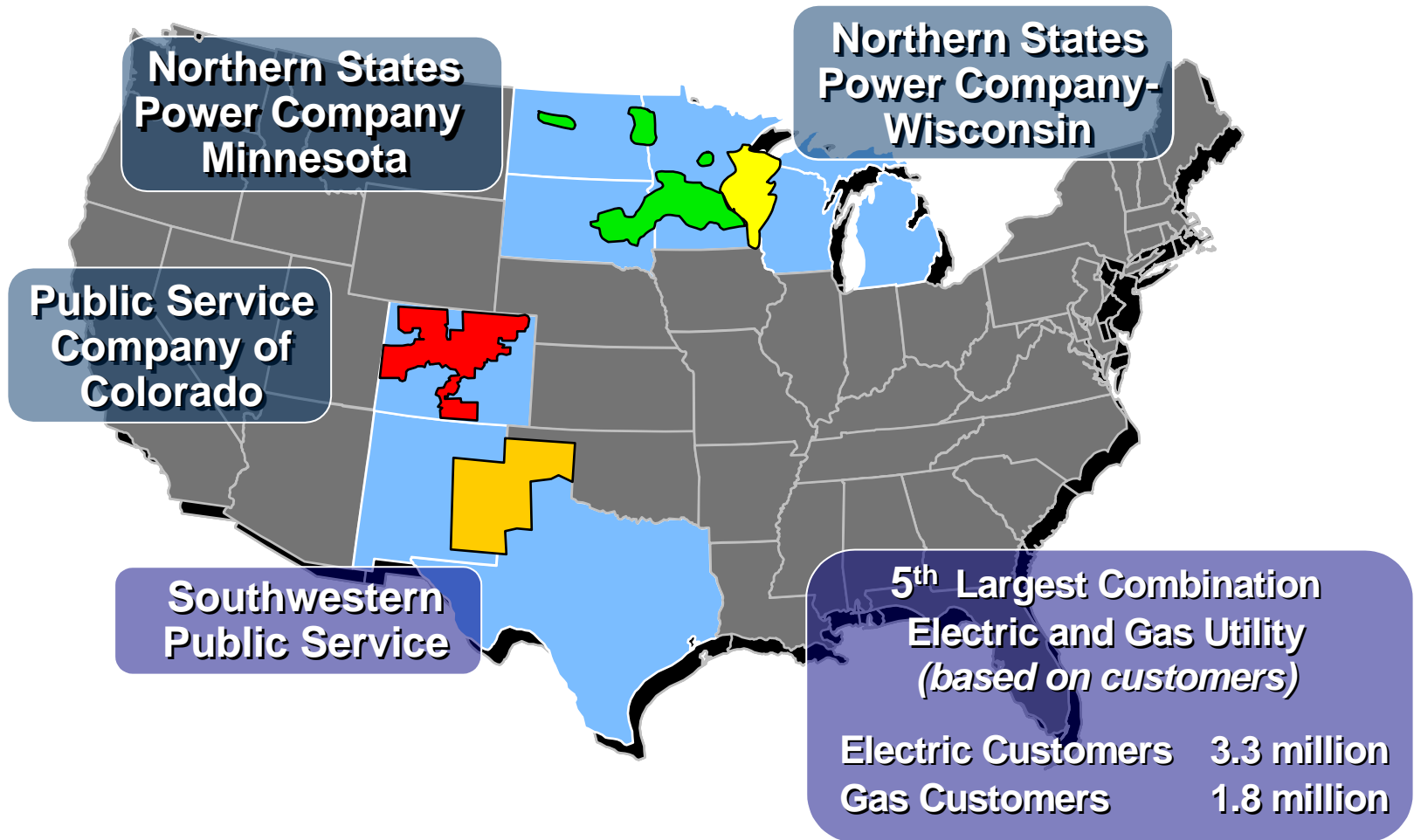




*Solar*Rewards*

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Who is Xcel Energy?



- **5th Largest Combination (Gas & Electric) Utility ***
 - 3.3 million electric customers
 - 1.8 million natural gas customers
- **#1 Wind Provider ***
- **#5 Solar-Integrated Utility ****

**Source: Xcel Energy's 2008 Fact Card*

*** Source: SEPA's 2008 National Utility Solar Survey*

*What is Solar*Rewards?*



- **Available to more than 1.5 million electric customers in Colorado**
- **Launched in May, 2006, as a result of the voters' adoption of Amendment 37, which established Colorado's Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS)**
- **Represents half of the solar requirement of the RPS**

- **Small**

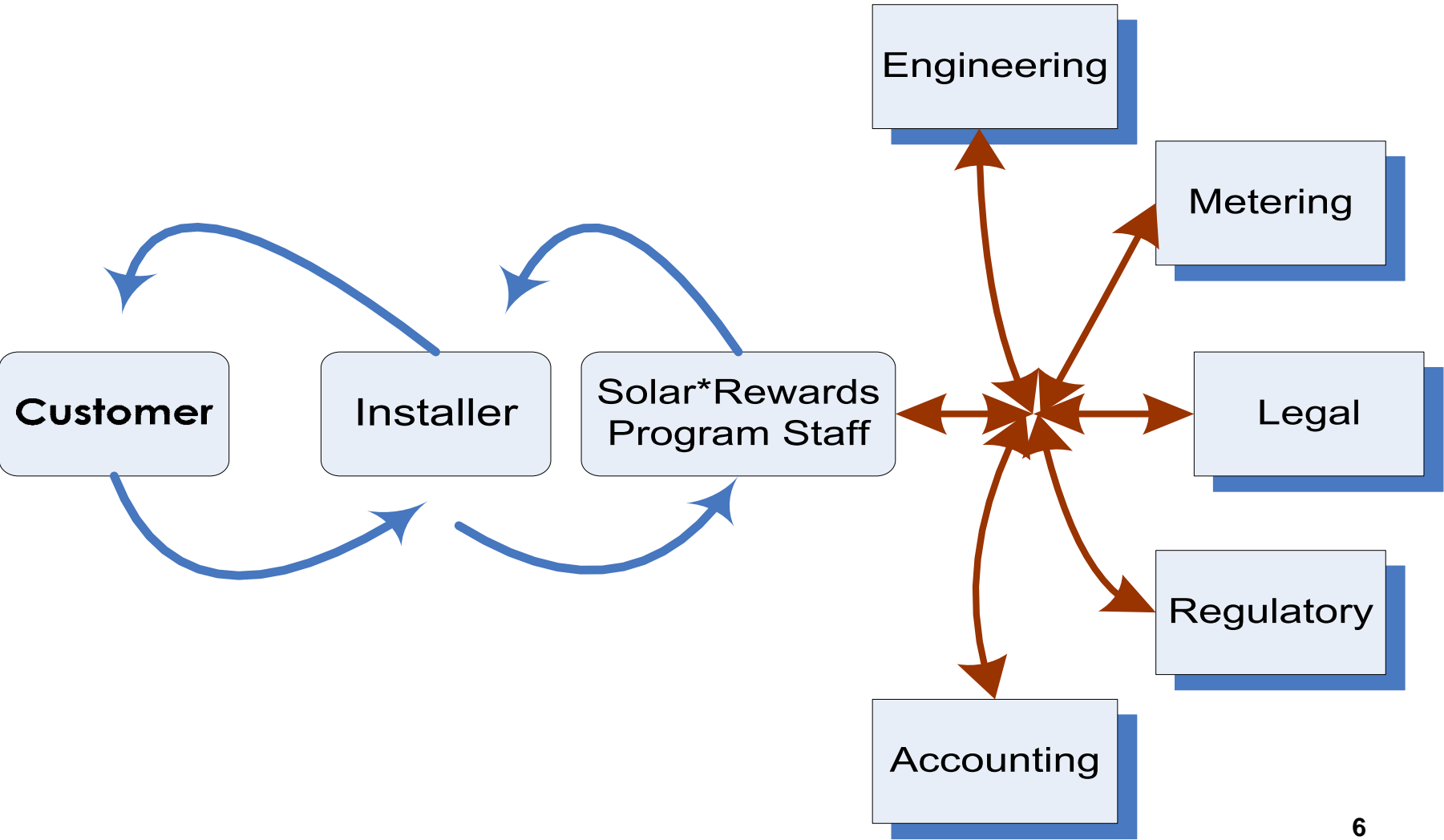
- Systems .5 kW to 10 kW
- Pays Rebate and REC payment in full upon project completion

- **Medium**

- Systems 10 kW to 100 kW
- Pays \$2.00/watt rebate (up to \$200,000 cap) and \$115/MWh monthly REC payment

- **RFP**

- Systems 100 kW – 2 MW
- \$200,000 available for rebate
- Projects are awarded through a competitive bidding process



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Solar*Rewards

Solar photovoltaic or PV electricity generation is a clean and sustainable source of renewable energy for Colorado. Our solar program allows you to receive cash back for installing a PV system at your home or business in Colorado. The Solar*Rewards program provides incentives based on the size of the system you install:

	Small	Medium	Large
System size	0.5 kW - 10.0 kW DC	10.1 kW - 100.0 kW DC	100.1 kW - 2 MW DC
Program type	Standard Offer	Standard Offer	Request for Proposals (RFP)
Who qualifies?	Locations served by Xcel Energy in Colorado		
Type of buildings	Residential and business	Residential and business	Business
Availability	Now available	Open. 500 kW available 9-12-2007	Closed. RFP deadline was 1/11/07.
Rebate	\$2 per watt DC capacity*	\$2 per watt DC capacity*	\$200,000 rebate cap*
Renewable Energy Credit	\$2.50 per watt DC capacity	Monthly payment of \$115 per MWh of energy produced.	Paid monthly per MWh of energy produced.
Total payment	Calculate your payment	N/A	N/A
Contract term	20-year contract		
Rebate process	Learn more	Learn more	Learn more
Application	Apply here	Apply here	Program closed.

* Paid upon installation

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