Key survey findings

53% of IT managers are already using a data center power management system

Power management aligns with your existing goals

Common methods of power-reducing practices and power consumption management goals

Power-reducing practices used

- 62% of IT managers use power-management tools
- 51% use detailed power monitoring
- 40% raise the ambient air temps of their data centers

Power consumption management goals

- 55% of IT managers plan to reduce energy consumption by support infrastructure
- 54% plan to improve power usage monitoring
- 45% plan to reduce idle resource energy usage

For increasing energy efficiency in IT, OpEx savings are top of mind

- 75% Minimize costs
- 65% Have more servers in same amount of space
- 64% Be more environmentally responsible
- 50% Meet carbon credit allocation
- 48% Meet facility requirements
- 31% Meet government mandate

Power and cooling issues are a top challenge

- 44% of IT managers report experiencing power issues at least weekly
- 37% report experiencing cooling issues at least weekly

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