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Welcome to the 2nd SmartCoDe Expert Cooperation Workshop on Energy Efficiency in Buildings 2011!

Events in the year since the last SmartCoDe Expert Cooperation Workshop on Energy Efficiency have further emphasized the urgent need to replace traditional energy with renewable energy. However, the issue is not a purely fossil fuel problem. Certainly, carbon dioxide emissions from fossil fuel power plants remain one of the major problems. But the catastrophic Fukushima incident is a reminder that carbon dioxide is not the only concern – we must prepare for the replacement of nuclear energy. If decisions to eventually discontinue nuclear energy generation are not to lead to even greater consumption of fossil fuels, we must dramatically accelerate our development and deployment of renewable energy sources. Failure is not an option.

The shift to renewable energy sources presents us with two fundamental imperatives:

- We must take measures to manage the volatility and unpredictability inherent to almost all major renewable energy sources.
- We must match our future energy consumption to the available supply of (renewable) energy, and not vice versa as it is today.

In addition, we must enable intelligent (“smart”) energy nets that allow distributed energy generation and storage, and we must devise efficient energy storage methods, such as pump storage, power-to-gas, batteries, and so on.

The SmartCoDe project focuses on the two imperatives. Much work has been done already – and is ongoing. This workshop delves into the details and will provide you with an update of the project status.

I hope you will enjoy the event – and audience participation is welcome!

Kind Regards,



Peter Neumann
Project Coordinator

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Agenda

Time	Modul	Speaker
8:30	Registration / Coffee	edacentrum
9:30	Welcome	P. Neumann / Dr. C. Pröfrock edacentrum
9:40	Invited Paper: Energy Management in Households and Built Environments: Assessment of PV and Wind Micro- generation Technologies	Dr. S. Djokic The University of Edinburgh
10:25	Wind Energy Forecasting for Distributed Generation	Dr. T. Bertényi Quiet Revolution Ltd.
10:55	Coffee break	
11:25	Invited Paper: Short-term solar energy forecasting for network stability	Prof Dr. H. Hermanns Saarland University
11:55	Categorizing Energy using Products (EuPs) for partially decentralised Energy Management	M. Damm Vienna University of Technology
12:25	Lunch	
13:45	The SmartCoDe Node Functional Prototype	E. Holleis Tridonic AG
14:15	Invited Paper: Sounds for Energy-Efficient Buildings	A. Barona Solintel
14:45	Coffee break	
15:15	The SmartCoDe Demonstrator - a testbed to evaluate energy management	Prof. Dr. V. Malbasa University of Novi Sad
16:00	SmartCoDe - System-in-Package Considerations	T. Herndl Infineon Technologies Austria AG
16:30	Closing words	Dr. C. Pröfrock edacentrum
16:40	End	

Invited Paper:

Energy Management in Households and Built Environments: Assessment of PV and Wind Micro-generation Technologie Dr. S. Djokic (The University of Edinburgh)



Dr Sasa Djokic is a Senior Lecturer in Electrical Power Systems, Programme Director for MSc Studies in Sustainable Energy Systems and Leader of the Power Systems Group in the School of Engineering at the University of Edinburgh, UK.

He received Dipl-Ing and MSc degrees in electrical engineering from the University of Nis, Serbia, and PhD degree in the same area from the University of Manchester, UK. From 1993 to 2001 he was with the Faculty of Electronic Eng. of the University of Nis. From 2001 to 2005 he was with the School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering at the University of Manchester. He joined the University of Edinburgh in October 2005.

In the general area of Power System analysis, Dr Djokic's research focuses on the assessment of reliability and power quality performance of networks with distributed energy generation/storage resources, including highly dispersed micro-generation systems, as well as on the development of improved system load models, fully incorporating demand-side management and responsive demand functionalities.

Dr Djokic is a Senior Member of IEEE, Member of IET, Associate Member of IESNA and SaRS, and also actively participates in a number of IEEE, CIGRE, CIRED, IES, UIE and BSI/IEC international Committees and Working Groups.

Abstract

Due to the space limitations and lower levels of primary energy resources, renewable-based generation technologies implemented in built environments are usually realised as micro and small-scale systems, commonly known as micro-generation (MG) technologies. Although the individual MG units are highly dispersed and small in sizes, their total numbers are expected to increase significantly in the future, when their aggregate effects and provided benefits (e.g. in a large urban area) are, in essence, similar to those of medium to large-scale generation systems. Additionally, MG will provide residential customers with an attractive option for reducing overall electricity consumption and energy bills, particularly when appropriate incentives and subsidies are incorporated in their installation grants and when they can negotiate suitable tariffs for generated and grid-exported electricity. Despite the fact that the selection of optimal MG technology is usually determined by locally available renewable energy resources, PV and wind-based MG systems are currently the two most common types of MG in the majority of European countries, requiring, therefore, improved and more accurate aggregate models for their analysis.

The correct analysis and representation of MG systems requires detailed assessment of input energy resources and accurate modelling of applied generation technologies. Using Midlothian region in Scotland, UK (around the city of Edinburgh) as an example, a new methodology for assessing performance of PV/wind MG technologies and analysing their aggregate effects on the operation of typical LV/MV distribution networks will be introduced and discussed. The presented analysis takes into account relatively high levels of temporal and spatial variations of input solar/wind energy resources in urban areas, which typically change on a both short-term scale (e.g. minute-by-minute, or hourly variations) and long-term scale (e.g. daily, weekly, or seasonal variations), as well as from one (geographic or network) location to another. Based on the estimated ranges of these variations, the outputs of aggregate PV and wind MG will be calculated and correlated with the corresponding variations in load demands, allowing to obtain improved and more accurate aggregate system load models, capable of correctly representing not just the connected loads, but also all supply network components and all MG units connected downstream the point of aggregation. As the proposed aggregation methodology allows to identify demand-manageable portion of the load in the total demand, implementation of specific demand-side management schemes in networks with different penetration levels of MG will be discussed and illustrated on a number of selected practical cases and scenarios for energy management in households and built environments in future “smart grids”.

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ENERGY MANAGEMENT IN HOUSEHOLDS & BUILT ENVIRONMENTS: Assessment of PV and Wind Micro-generation

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Renewable Generation in Built Environment (I)

General Characteristics:

- highly variable (spatially and temporally)
- micro/small systems — **Micro-generation**
- highly dispersed (e.g. in a large urban area)
- mix of different technologies (wind, PV...)

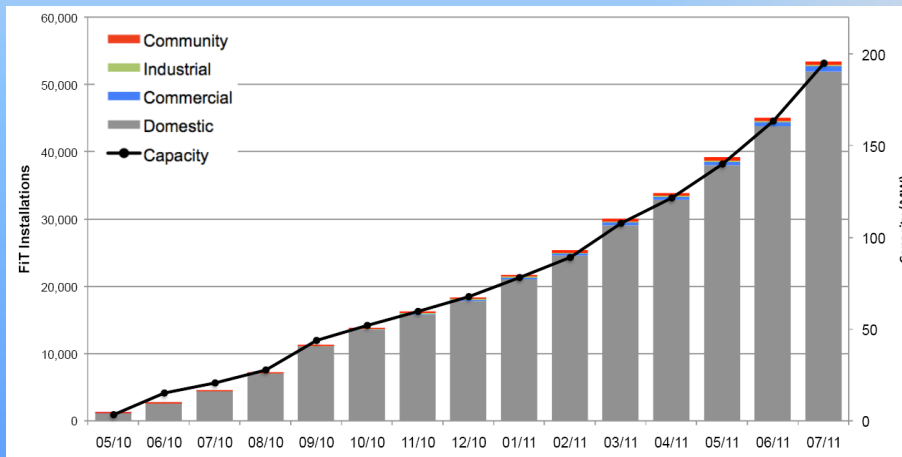
Similarity with Load Analysis, e.g. **Demand Side Management (DSM)**
(both are Energy Management functionalities in future “Smart Grids”)

Large number of small in size and highly dispersed individual units, connected in parallel to LV networks, exhibiting short, medium and long-term variations, as well as large changes from one geographic or network location to another

Renewable Generation in Built Environment (2)

The analysis of MG is connected with uncertainties and requires assessment of stochastic variations

When present in high numbers, aggregate effects of MG & DSM (e.g. at bulk supply points at MV) can be significant...



**After introducing
Feed-in Tariffs in
the UK...**

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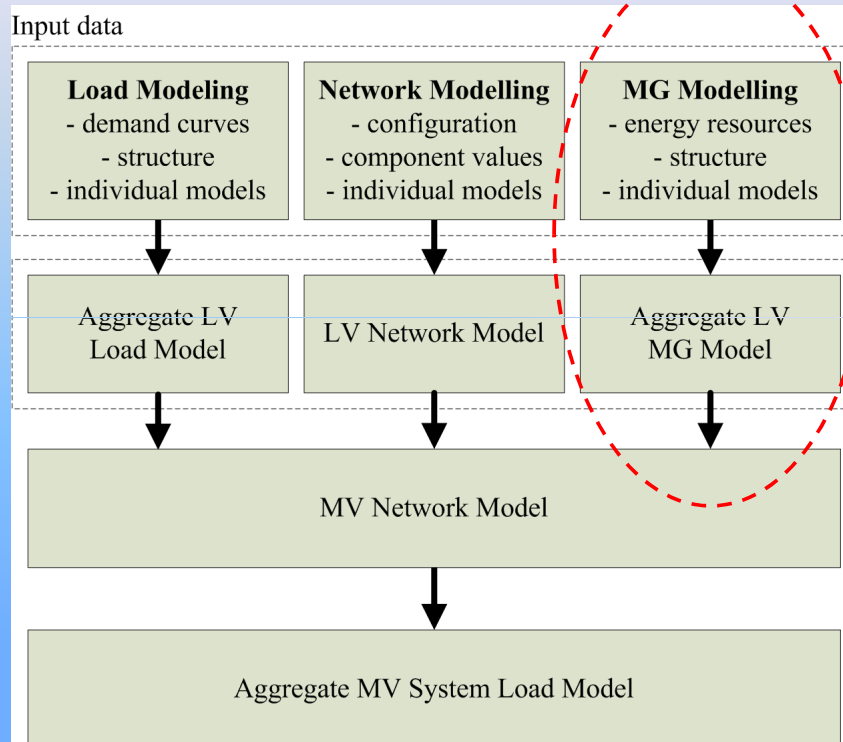
Lecture Overview

Energy Management in Households/Built Environments: Assessment of PV and Wind Micro-generation (and Demand Side Management)

Effects of MG & DSM (individual/combined) on network operation/performance:

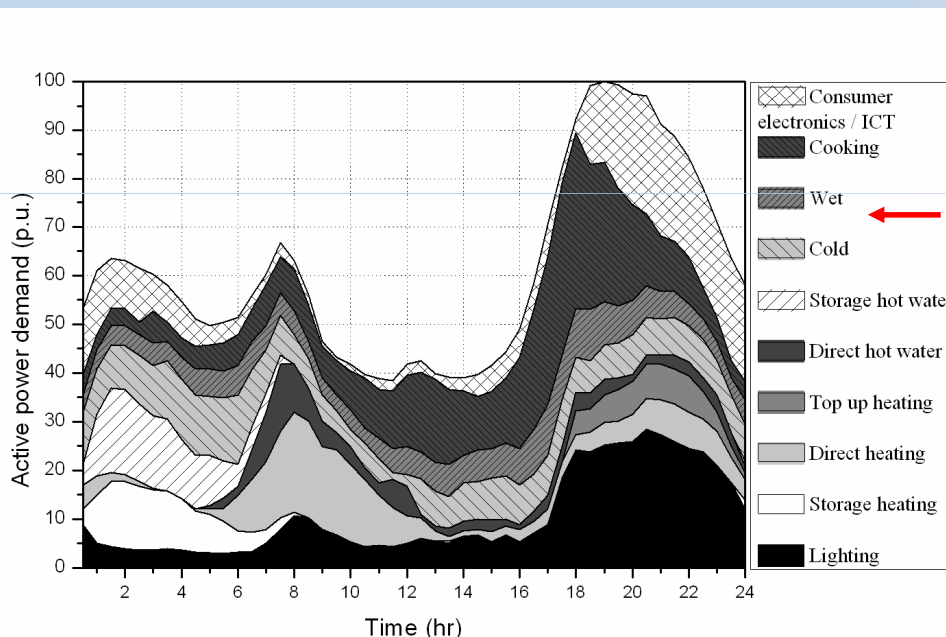
- Detailed network model (typical LV/MV residential distrib. network)
- Two renewable MG technologies: μ PV and μ Wind
- Assessment of input solar and wind energy resources
- Description of residential load mixes and daily load curves
- Aggregate residential load model (with identified DSM-portion)
- Correlation of μ PV and μ Wind outputs with loads/demands
- Illustrated using Midlothian region in Scotland, UK
(around the city of Edinburgh)

Aggregation Methodology



Aggregate LV Load Model (I)

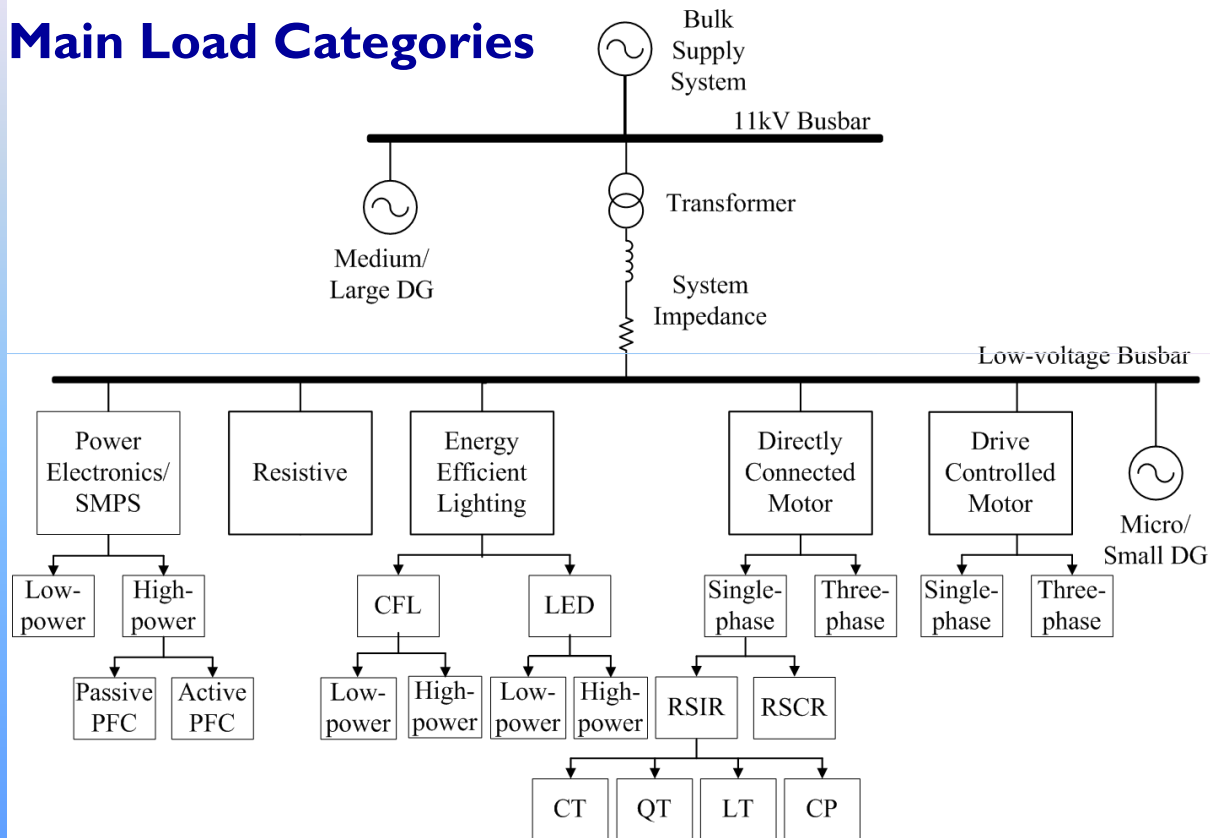
Daily Load Curves Available (at 11kV or higher levels)
Should be "Decomposed" in Main "Load Categories"



Available for DSM

Aggregate LV Load Model (2)

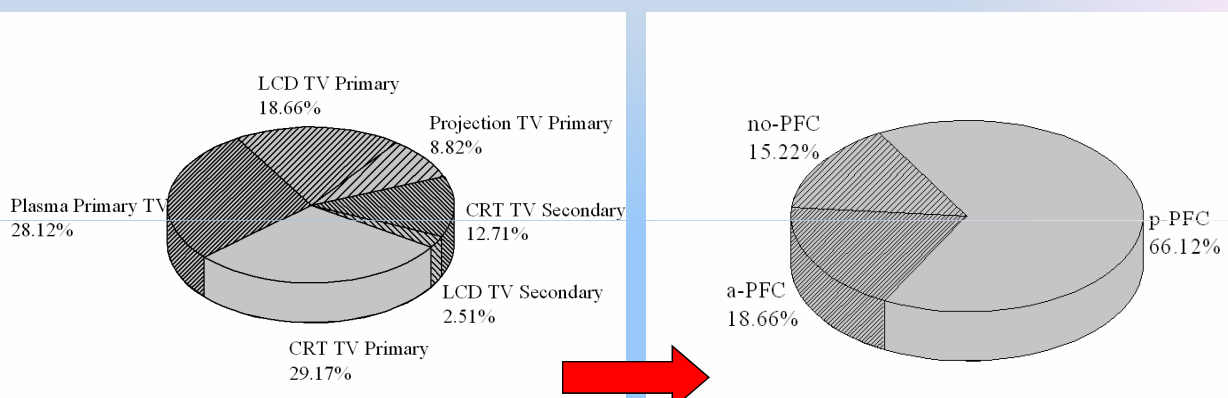
Main Load Categories



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Aggregate LV Load Model (3)

From (End-use) Load Type to (Modelling) Load Category

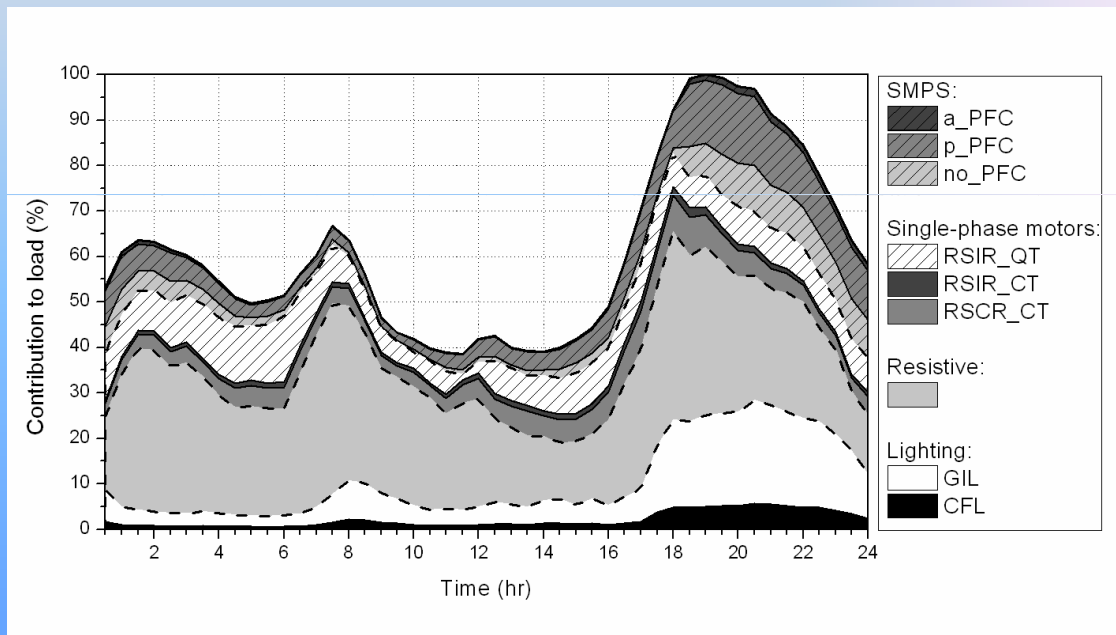


It is only an example – can be applied to all other types of loads...

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Aggregate LV Load Model (4)

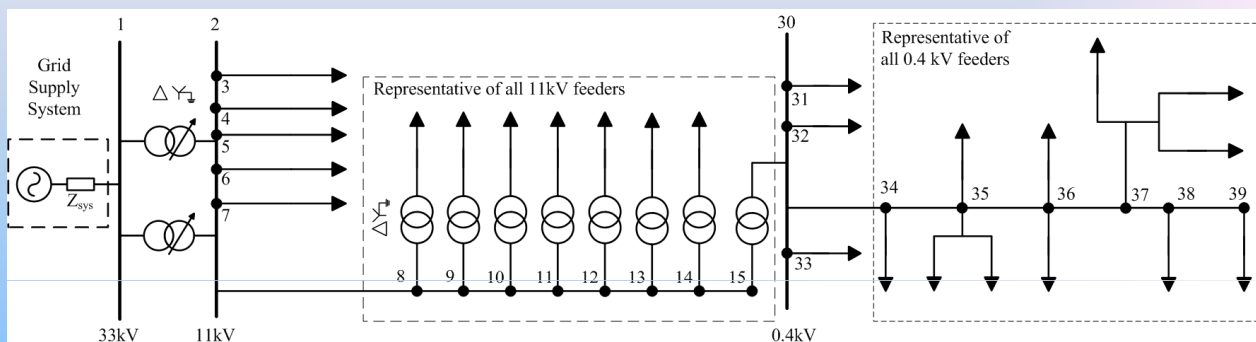
Decomposition of Daily Load Curve



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LV Network Model

Typical LV/MV Residential Network (Configuration & Parameters)



Cables:

Operating Voltage (kV)	Feeder Type	Max. Length (km)	Cross section (mm ²)	R/km	X/km	B/km
11	Cable	10	185	0.12271	0.06575	0.00023954
			95	0.14403	0.06662	0.00017804
0.4	Cable	0.2	185	89.84	43.68	-
			95	171.12	53.47	-

Transformers:

Operating Voltage (kV)	Vector Group	Rating (MVA)	R	X	Tap range (p.u.)		Tap step (p.u.)
			(p.u. on 100MVA)	(p.u. on 100MVA)	Min	Max	
33/11	Dyn11	15	0.06	1	0.8	1.05	0.0143
11/0.4	Dyn11	0.5	2.04	9.28	0.95	1.05	0.025

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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (1)

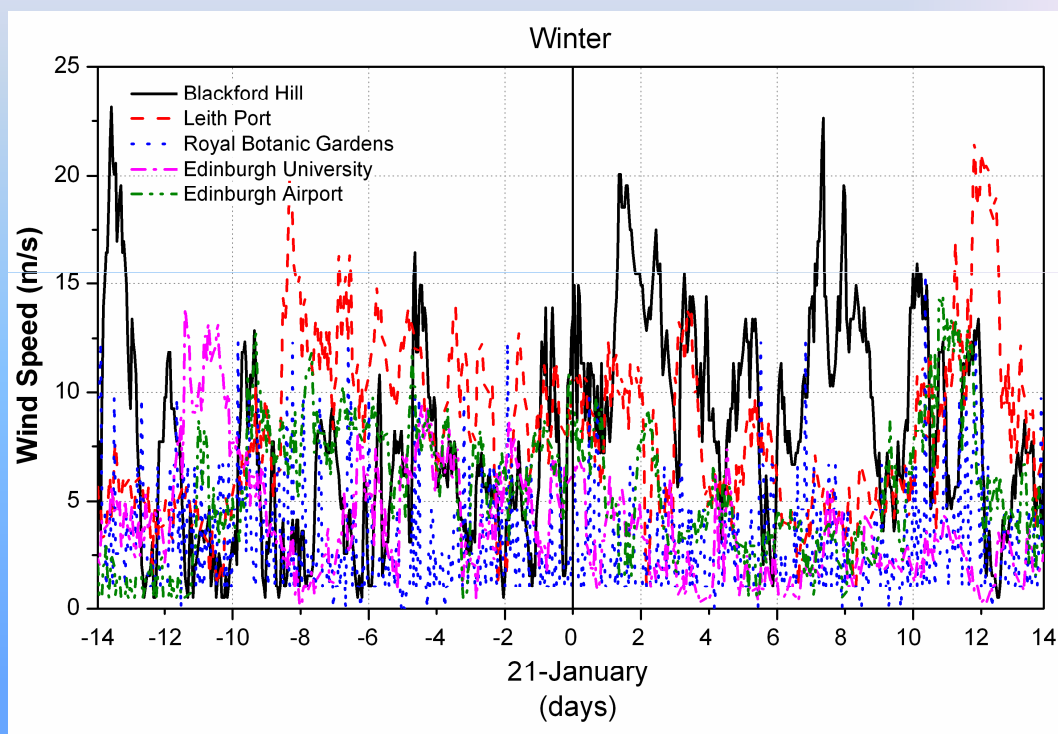
Assessment of Input Energy Resources: City of Edinburgh (15km x 15km)



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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (2)

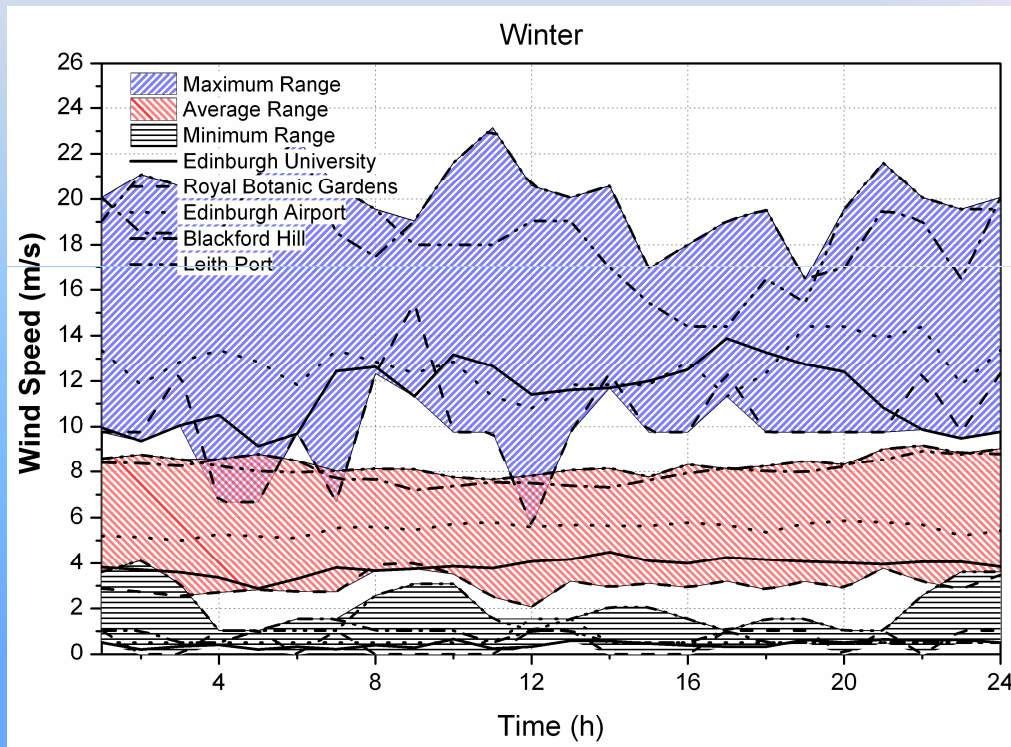
Assessment of Wind Energy Resources: 5 Sites, ± 14 Days



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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (3)

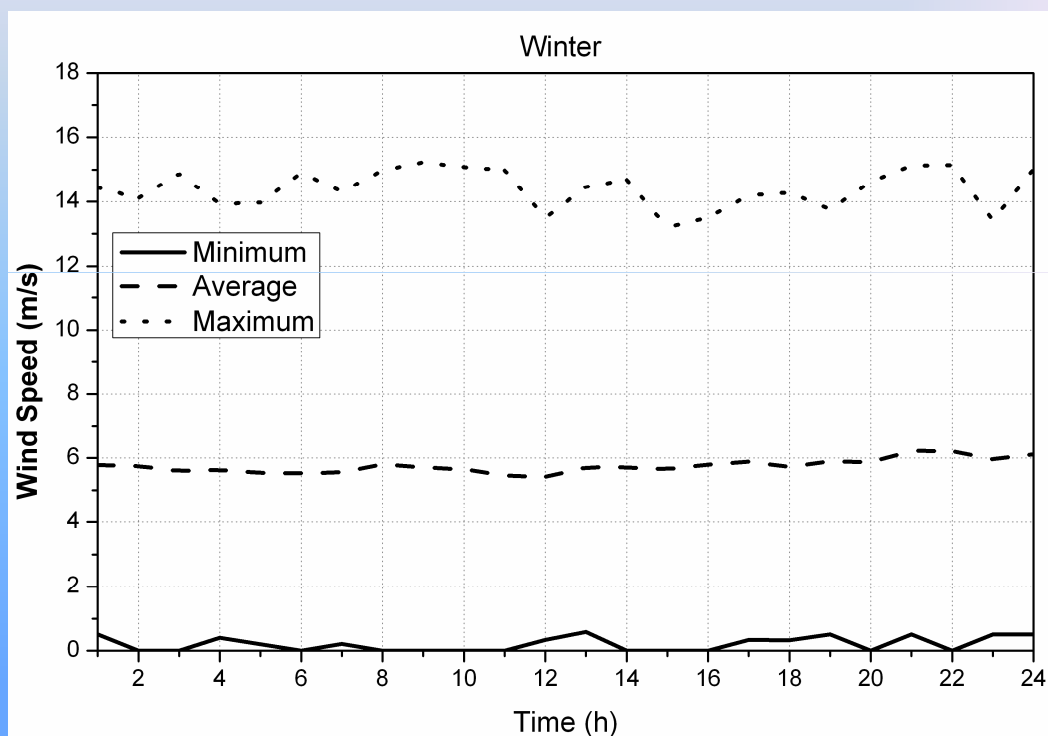
Assessment of Wind Energy Resources: 5 Sites, Averages



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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (4)

Assessment of Wind Energy Resources: All Sites, Max/Min/Ave



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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (5)

Assessment of Power Outputs: Generic μ Wind Models:

- Database with ~ 190 μ WTs from 60+ manufacturers
- Manufacturers from US, UK, China, Canada, Spain, Ireland...
- Horizontal/Vertical Axis Systems (168xHAWTs, 20xVAWTs)
- 95% with rated power < 10 kW
- For ~ 140 μ WTs, power curve provided in specification
- Four Generic μ WTs \rightarrow represent majority of μ WTs on the market

$$P_{G\mu WT_1} = -7.29v + 3.12v^2, \text{ for } v \geq 2.4 \text{ m/s} \dots\dots\dots \text{Generic } \mu\text{WT_1}$$

$$P_{G\mu WT_2} = -11.47v + 4.26v^2 - 0.12v^3, \text{ for } v \geq 3 \text{ m/s} \dots\dots\dots \text{Generic } \mu\text{WT_2}$$

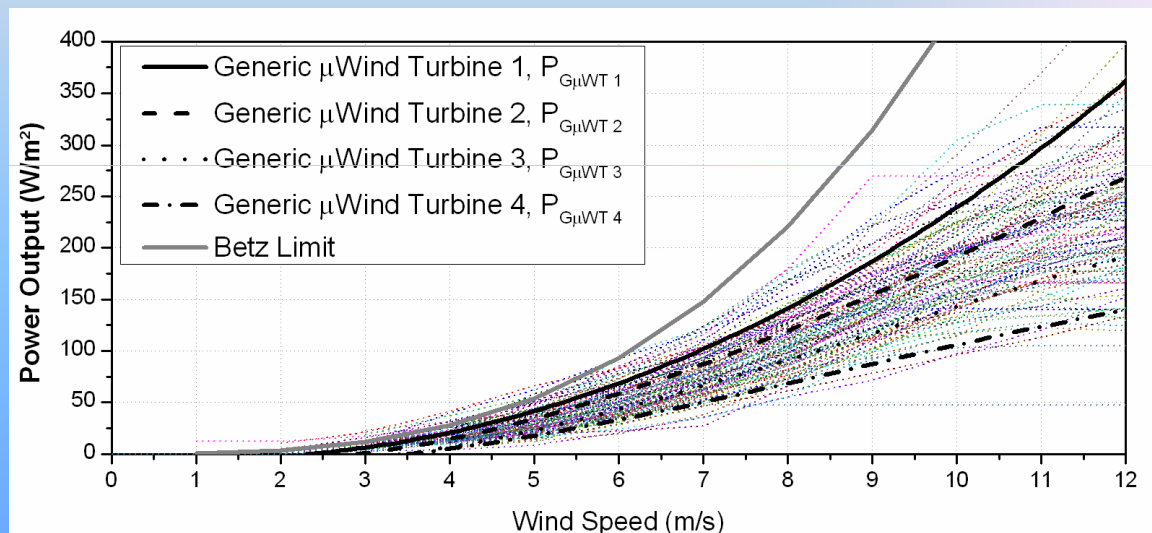
$$P_{G\mu WT_3} = -13.1v + 4.34v^2 - 0.16v^3, \text{ for } v \geq 3.2 \text{ m/s} \dots\dots\dots \text{Generic } \mu\text{WT_3}$$

$$P_{G\mu WT_4} = -6.2v + 2.86v^2 - 0.11v^3 - 6, \text{ for } v \geq 3.3 \text{ m/s} \dots\dots\dots \text{Generic } \mu\text{WT_4}$$

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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (6)

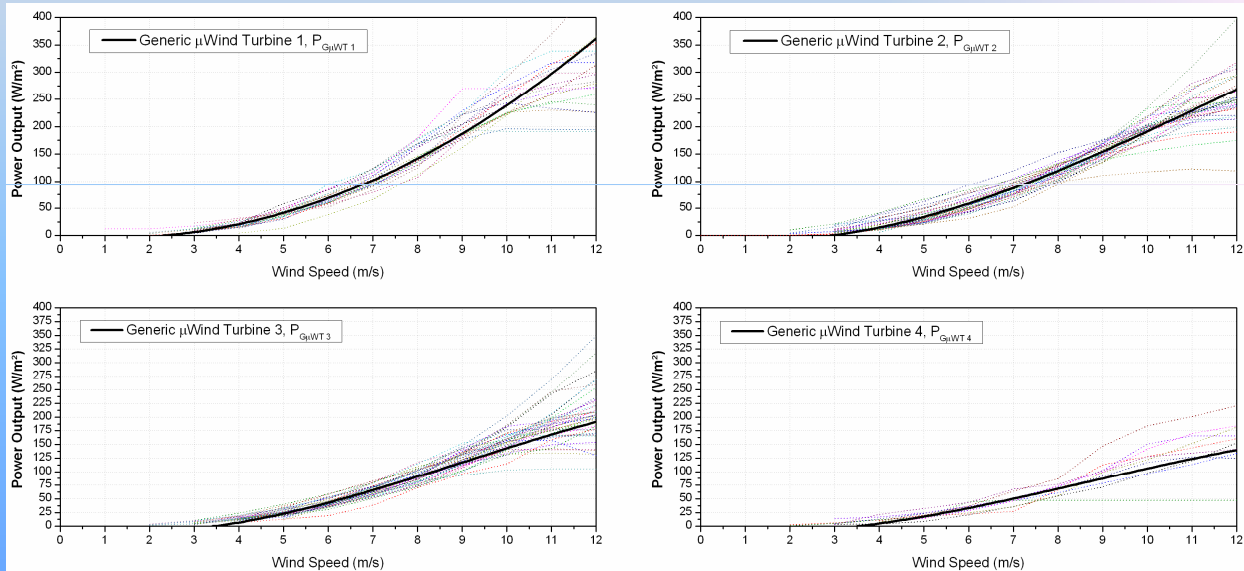
Generic μ Wind Turbine Models: Power Curves



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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (7)

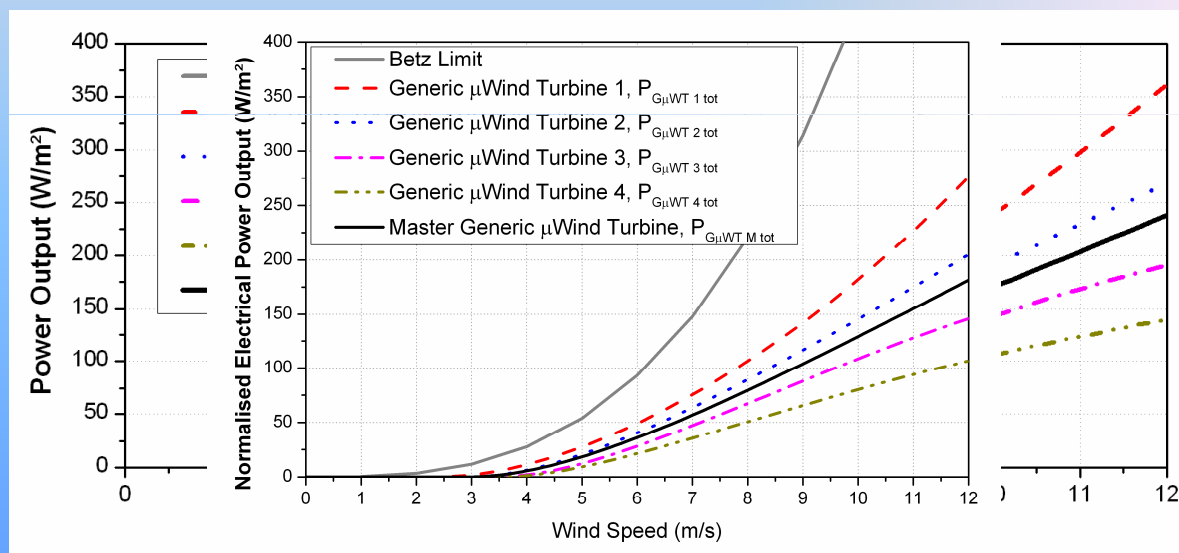
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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (8)

Aggregate (“Master”) Generic μ Wind Turbine Model
Mix/Aggregation of Generic μ WT1 - 18%, Generic μ WT2 - 32%
Generic μ WT3 - 32%, Generic μ WT4 - 18%

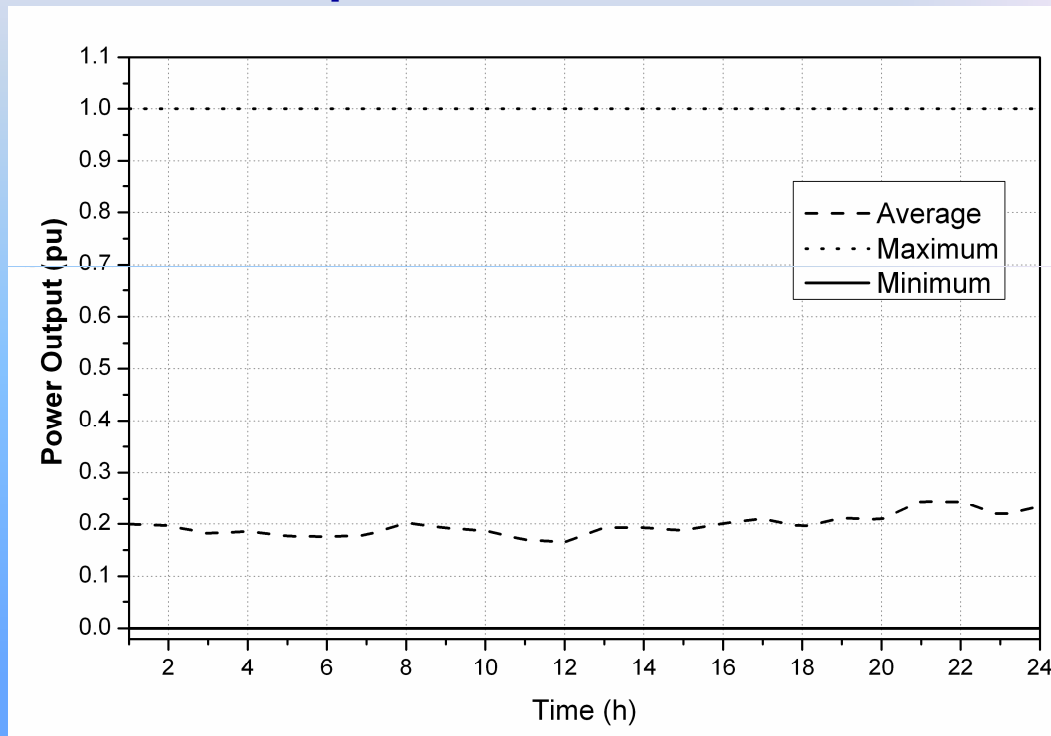


$$P_{G\mu WT_M_tot} = (1 - e^{-0.75(v-3)})(-7.87v + 2.92v^2 - 0.084v^3), \text{ for } v \geq 3 \text{ m/s}$$

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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (9)

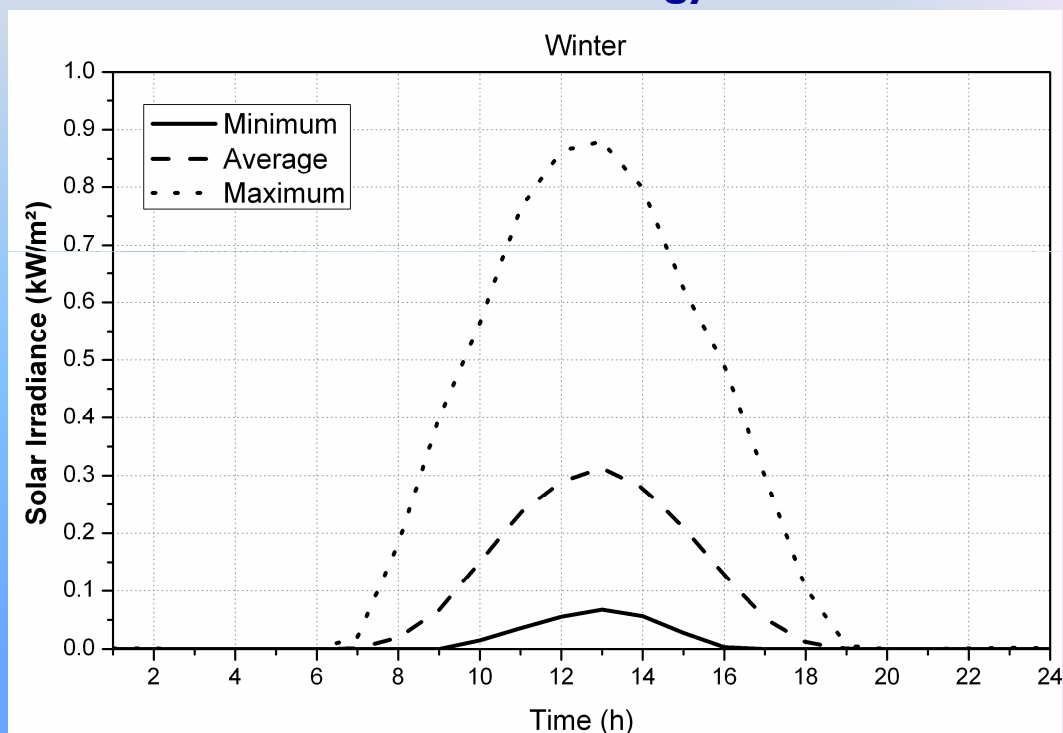
μ Wind Power Outputs for Estimated Wind Resources



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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (10)

Assessment of Solar Energy Resources: Following the Same Procedure as for Wind Energy Resources...



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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (I1)

Assessment of Power Outputs: Generic μ PV Models:

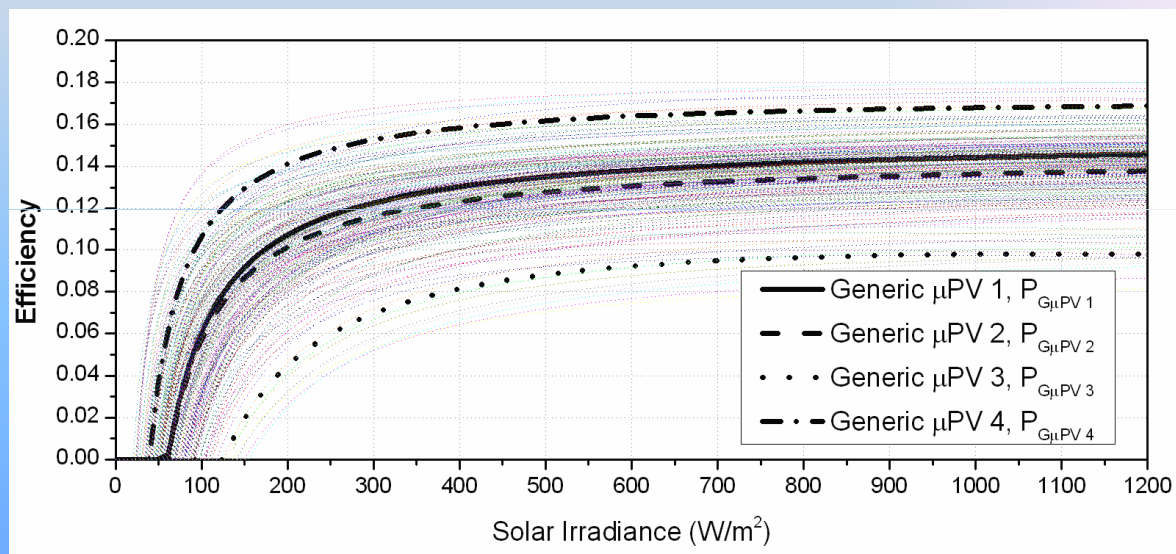
- Database with 240+ μ PV systems from few dozen manufacturers
- Again, manufacturers from around the World
- Four main technologies
- Monocrystalline, polycrystalline, thin film and amorphous
- Manufacturer's specifications thoroughly examined
- Four Generic μ PVs \rightarrow represent majority of μ PVs on the market

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{G\mu PV_1} &= 0.134(1 - e^{-0.04S_{irr}})S_{irr} && \text{.....Generic } \mu\text{PV_1} \\
 P_{G\mu PV_2} &= 0.136(1 - e^{-0.04S_{irr}})S_{irr} && \text{.....Generic } \mu\text{PV_2} \\
 P_{G\mu PV_3} &= 0.09(1 - e^{-0.04S_{irr}})S_{irr} && \text{.....Generic } \mu\text{PV_3} \\
 P_{G\mu PV_4} &= 0.163(1 - e^{-0.04S_{irr}})S_{irr} && \text{.....Generic } \mu\text{PV_4}
 \end{aligned}$$

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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (I2)

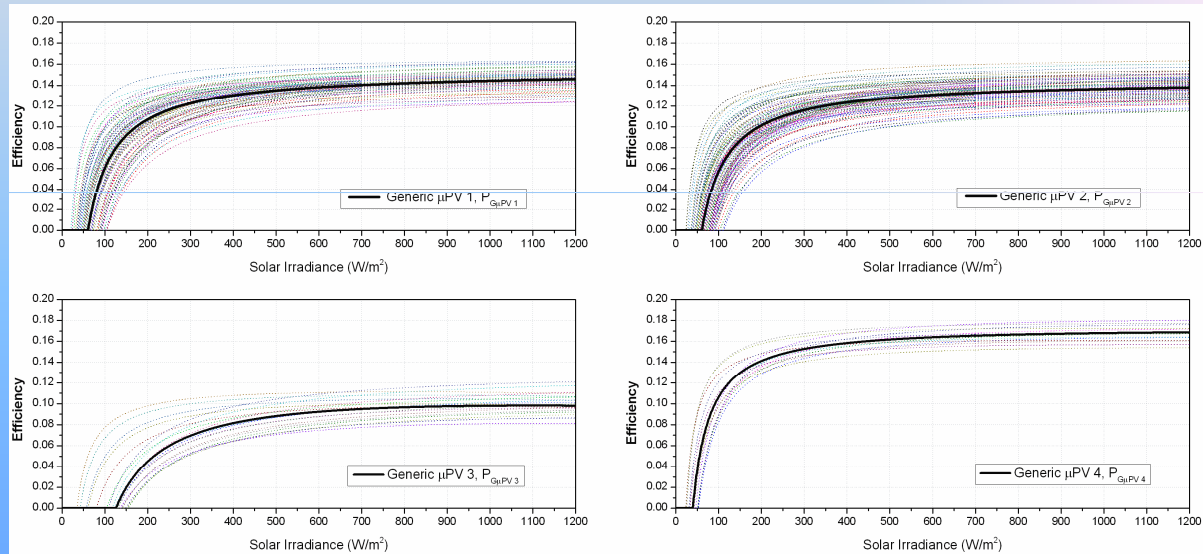
Generic μ PV Models: Efficiencies



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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (I3)

Generic μ PV Models: Efficiencies

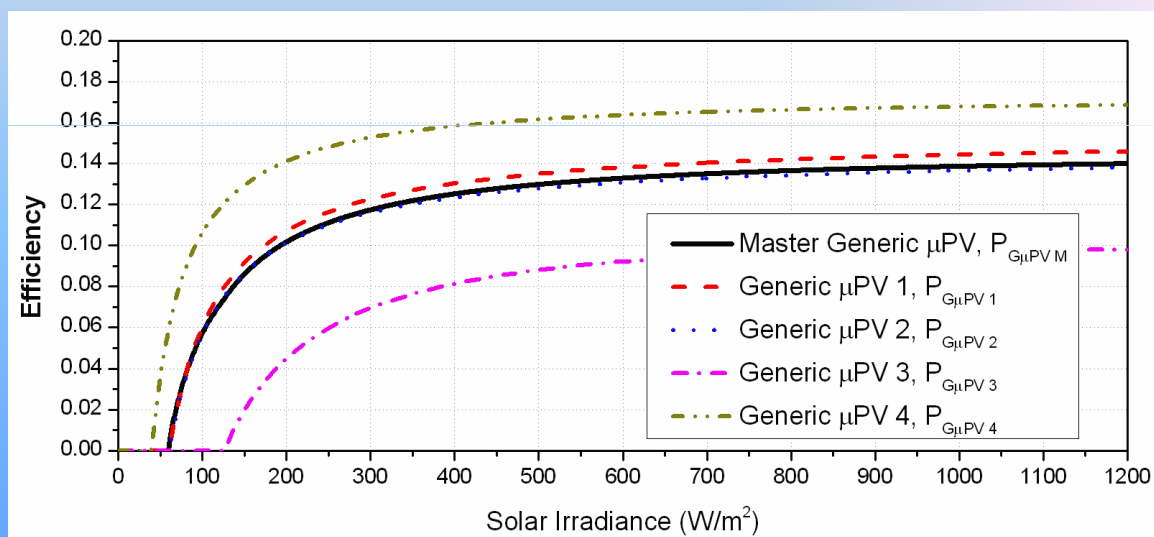


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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (I4)

Aggregate ("Master") Generic μ PV Model

Mix/Aggregation of Generic μ PV1 - 40%, Generic μ PV2 - 43%
Generic μ PV3 - 9%, Generic μ PV4 - 8%

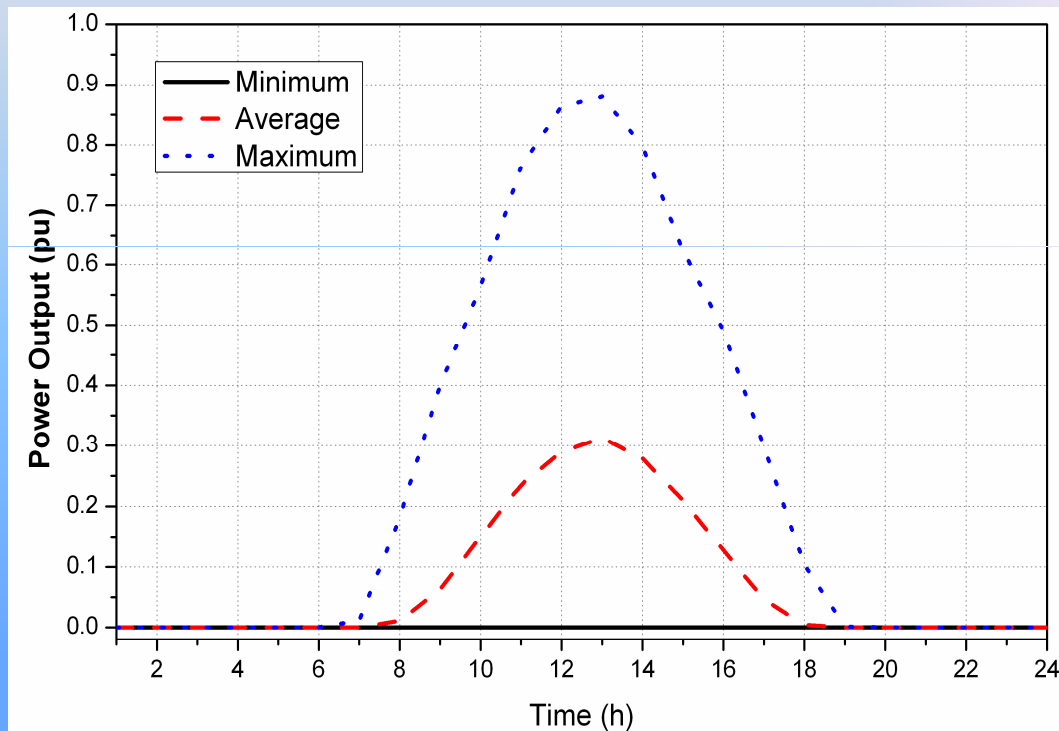


$$P_{G\mu PV_M} = 0.133(1 - e^{-0.04S_{irr}})S_{irr}$$

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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (15)

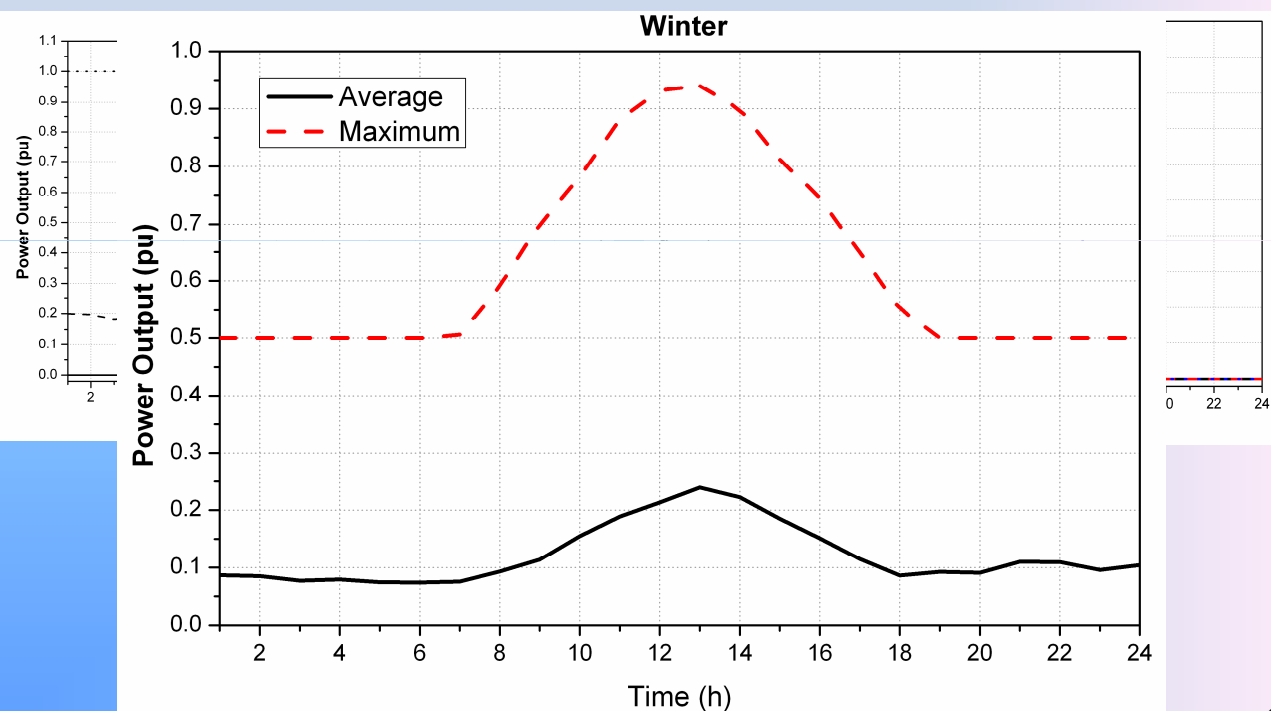
μ PV Power Outputs for Estimated Solar Resources



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Aggregate Micro-generation Model (16)

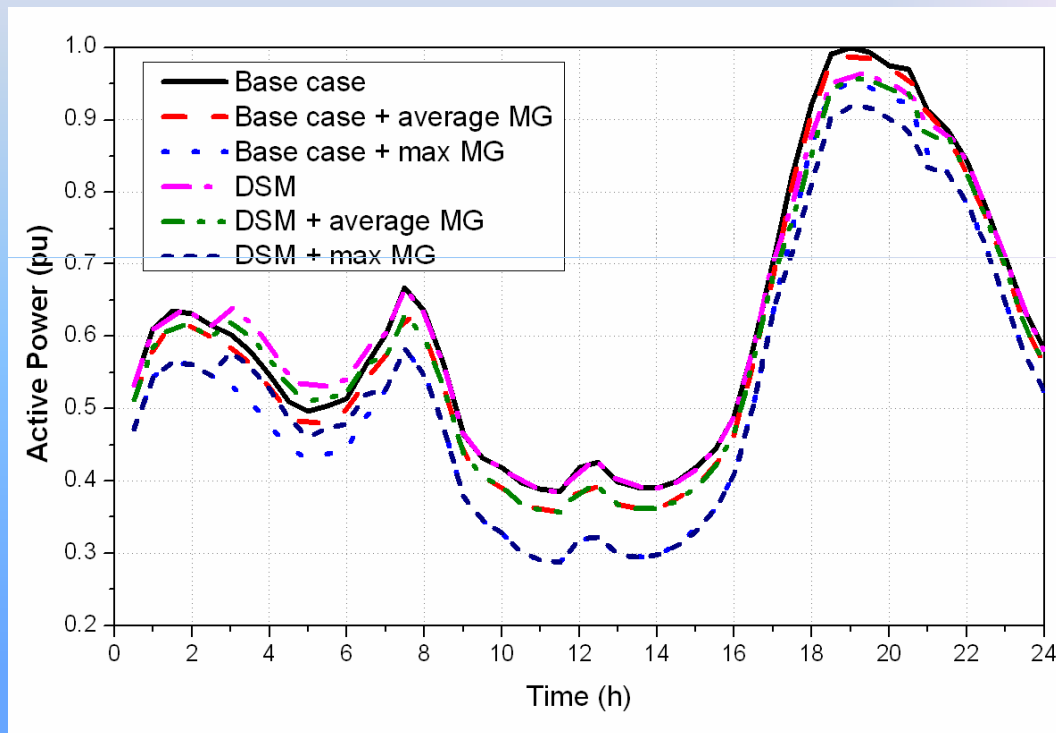
Combined μ Wind & μ PV (50%-50%) Power Outputs



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Impact & Performance Assessment (1)

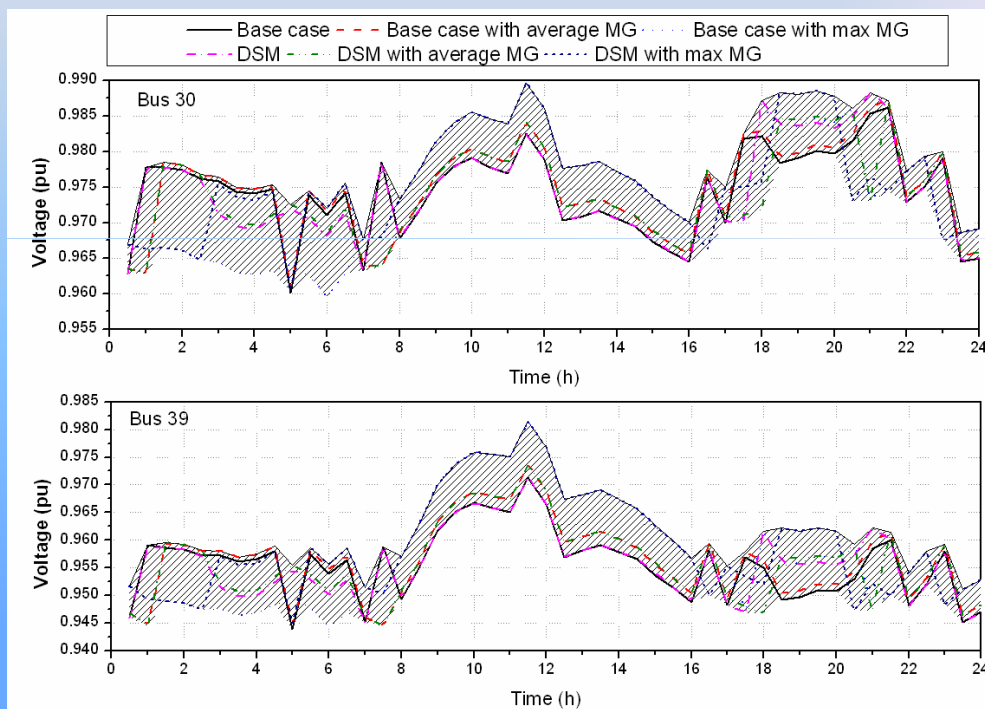
Change in Active Power Demand:



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Impact & Performance Assessment (2)

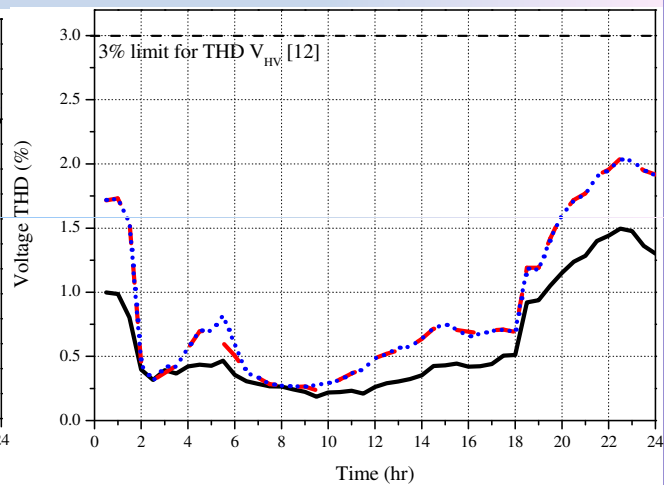
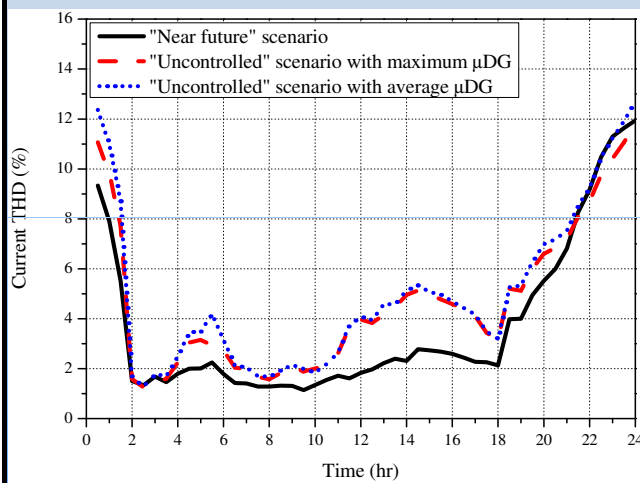
Change in Voltage Profiles:



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Impact & Performance Assessment (3)

Harmonic Distortion (MG & Incandescent → CFL):

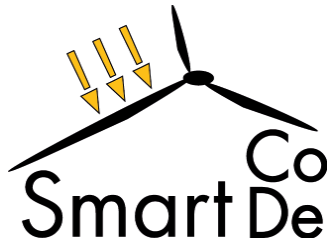


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Discussion & Questions?

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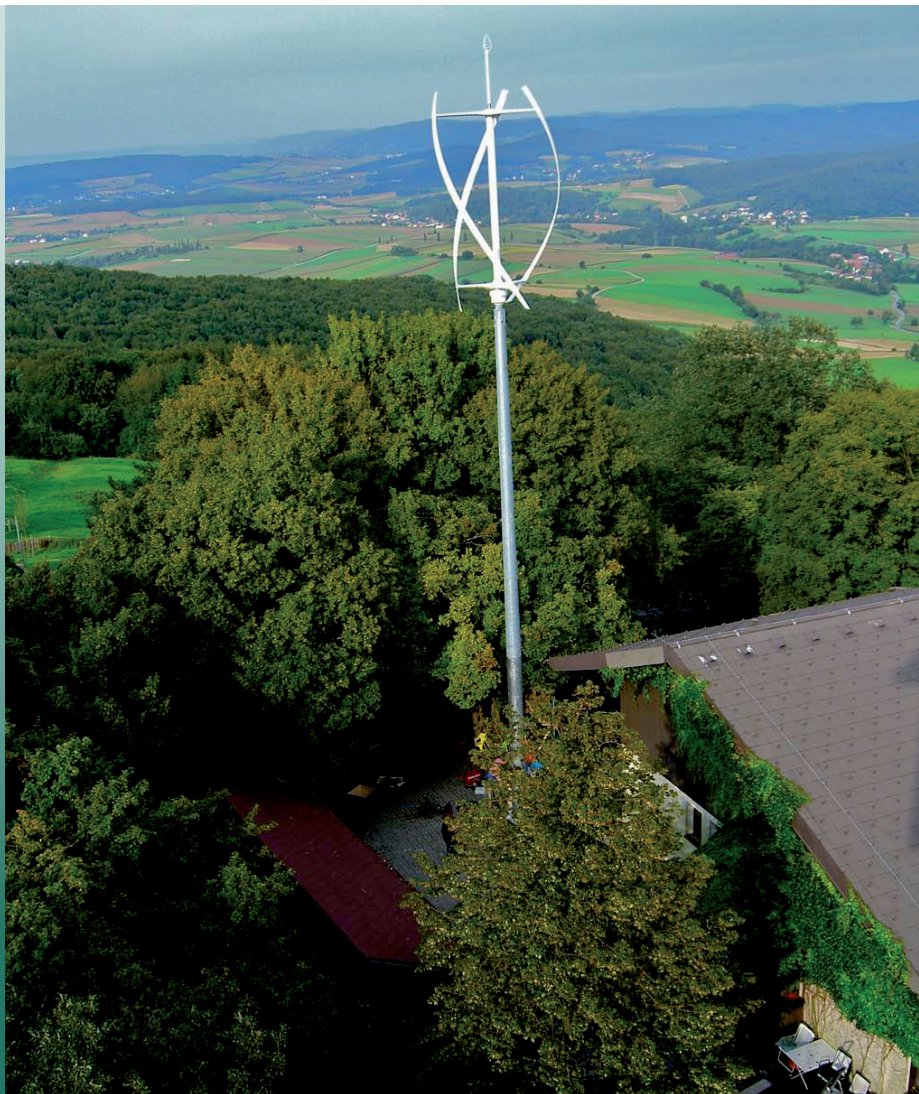
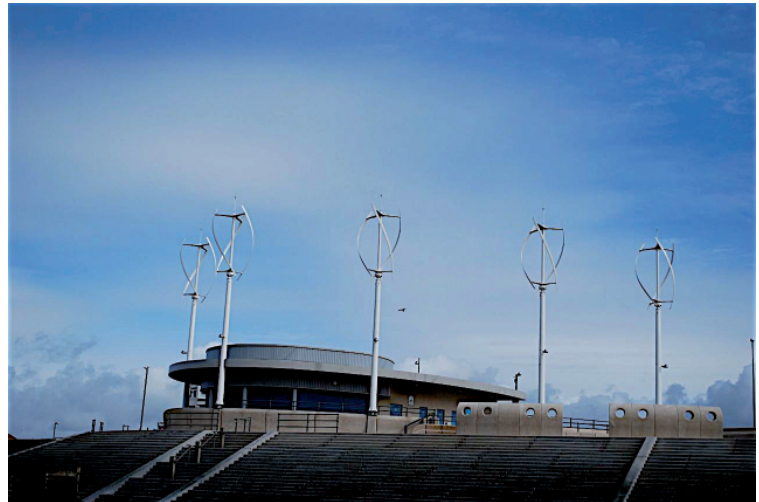
Wind Energy Forecasting for Distributed Generation

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Author: Dr. Tamás Bertényi, Quiet Revolution Ltd.

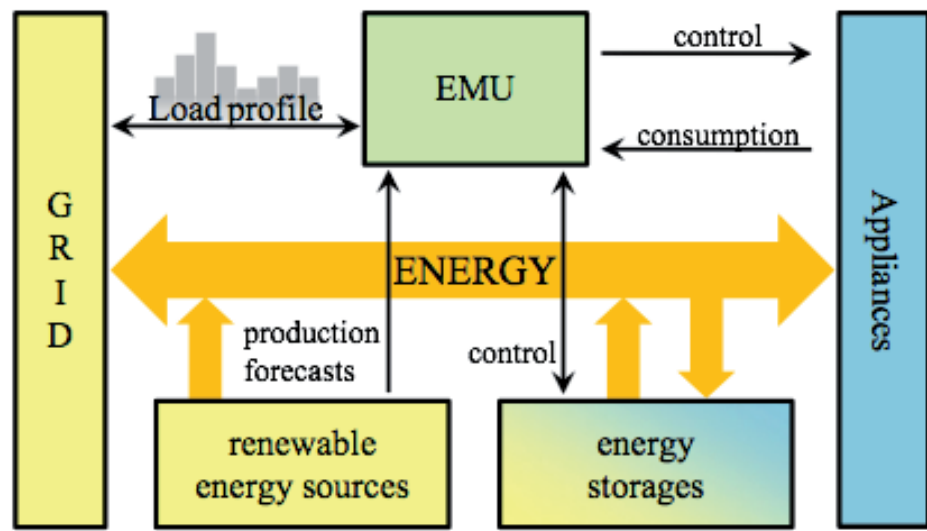
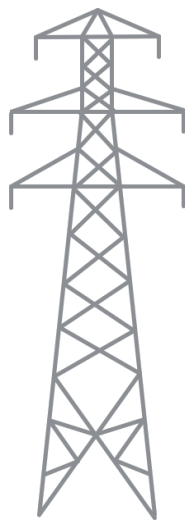
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Energy Neighbourhood:

- Building with Energy Using Products (EUP)
- Daily energy use profile
- Local Energy Producer (LEP) in the form of a vertical axis wind turbine
- Energy Management strategy to optimise local energy use and local energy production



Energy Neighbourhood:

- Energy Management strategies become much more interesting when you integrate energy storage and local energy production
- Energy storage can be a variety of different “virtual storage” solutions. LEP is a qr5 vertical axis wind turbine
- Objective is to optimise the local energy consumption



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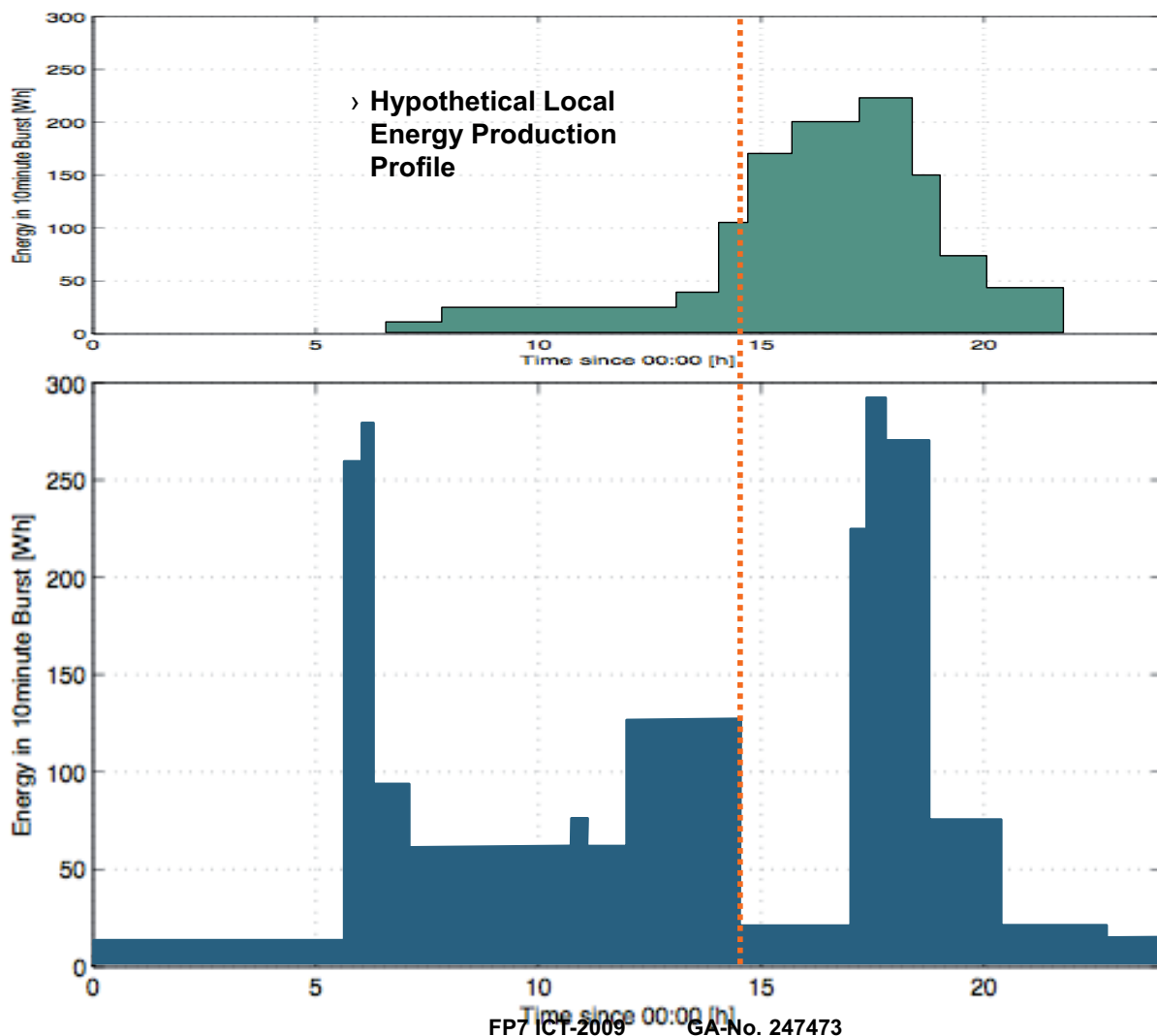
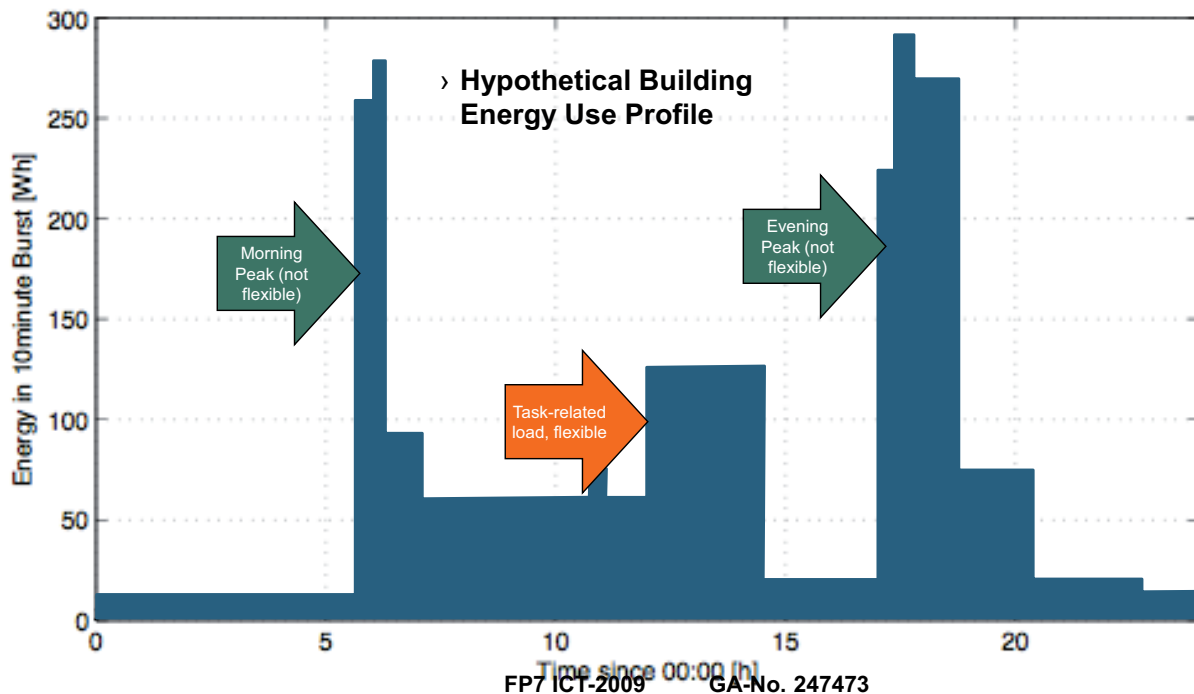
quietrevolution qr5

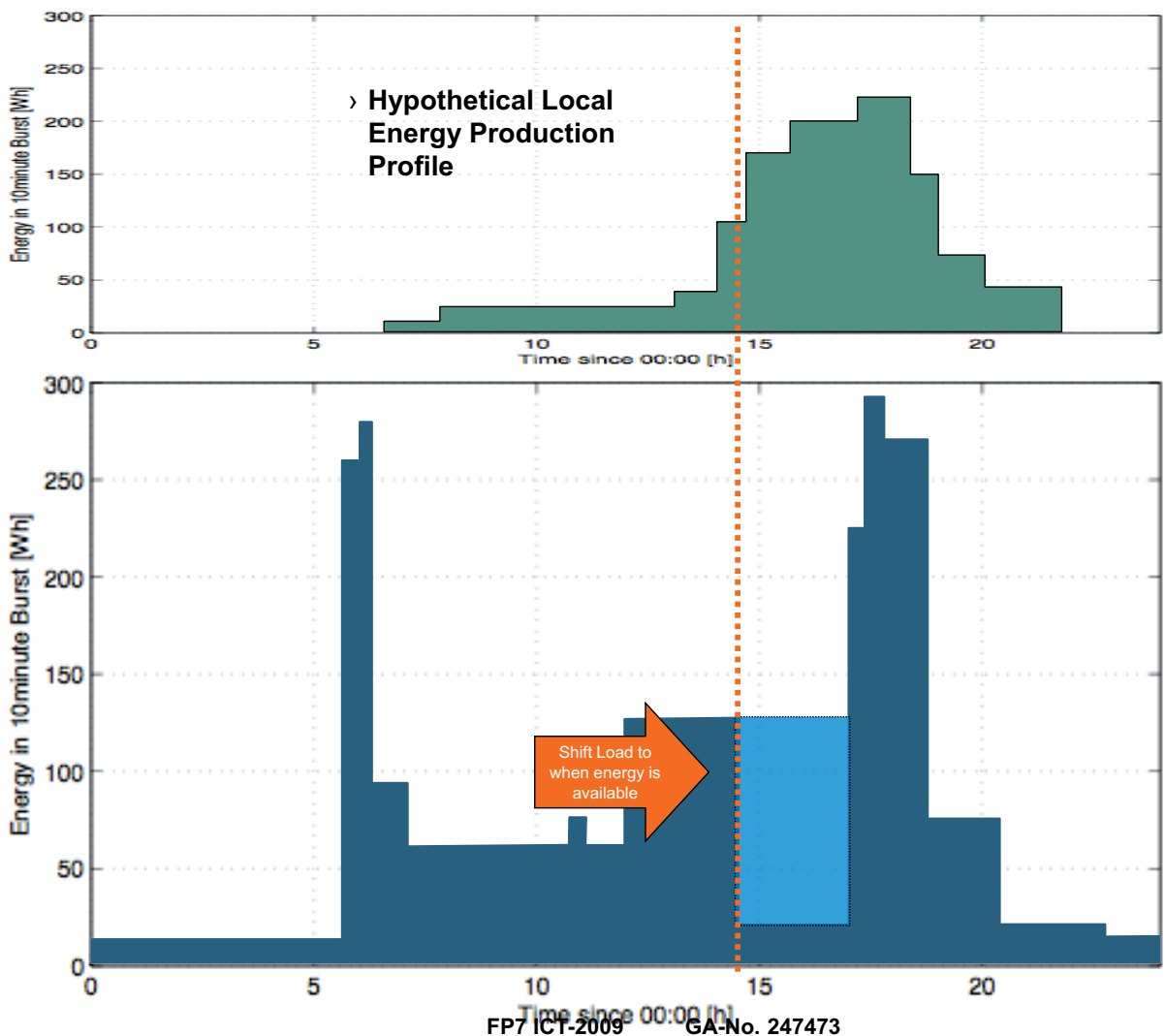
- Small Scale: <50kW and <200m²
- QR5: 7.5kW peak aerodynamic, 16m²
- larger than micro wind
- Decentralised energy production
- Integrated with society
- Cost: €23,000 + installationDesign
Life: 25 years



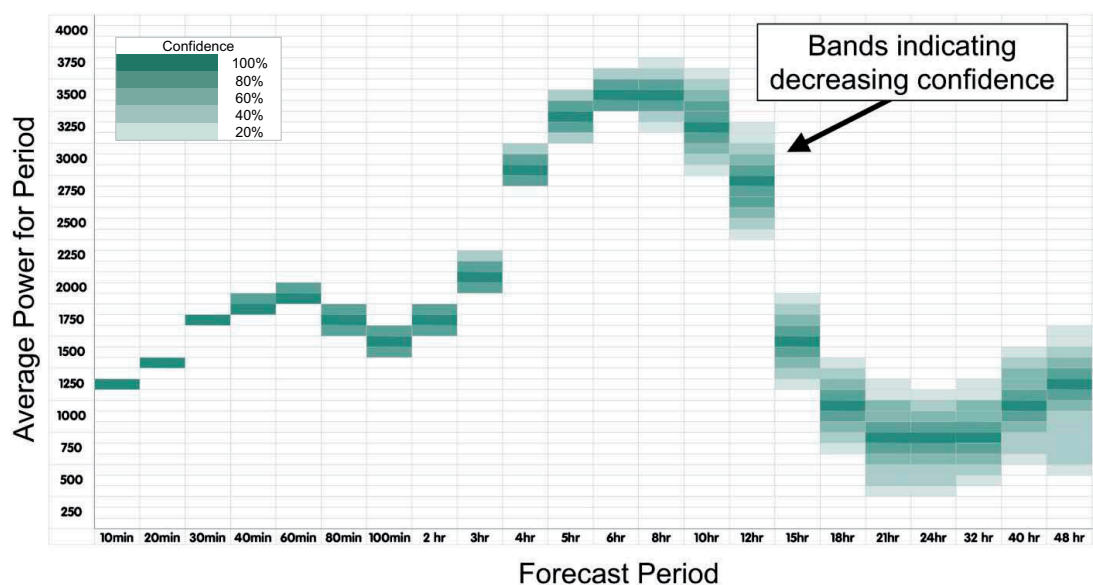
Why do we need Energy Forecasting?

- › DSM and SmartCoDe project becomes a lot more interesting if there is a **Local Energy Producer**
- › Provides end user with options:
 - use locally generated energy (offset local consumption); coordinate demand with forecast supply
 - or sell back to grid (export) when tariff is high
 - potential to engage in spot energy market (strategically timed export)





Wind energy forecast can be critical input for effective demand side management



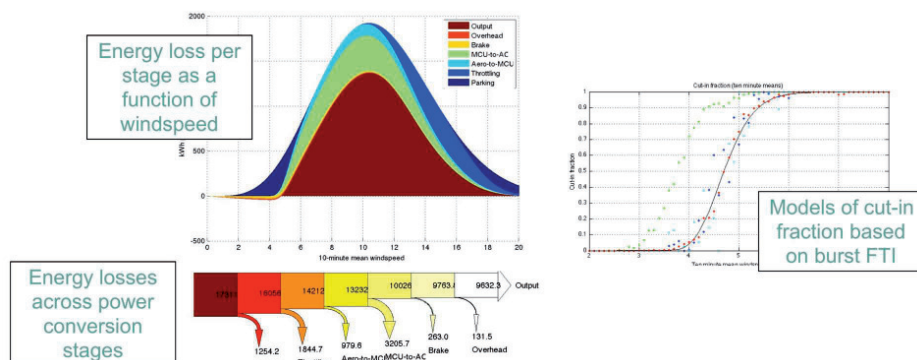
- › Energy forecast is supplied to Energy Management Algorithm
- › Represents forecast energy for period
- › Duration of period gets longer the further into the future we look
- › Band of confidence to aid decision making

Why is quietrevolution interested in SmartCoDe?

- › Effective integration of Local Energy Producer (such as a small-scale wind turbine) into energy neighbourhoods can:
 - Increase the value of the energy produced by the turbine
 - Decrease the volatility of the renewable energy source to the overall electrical network

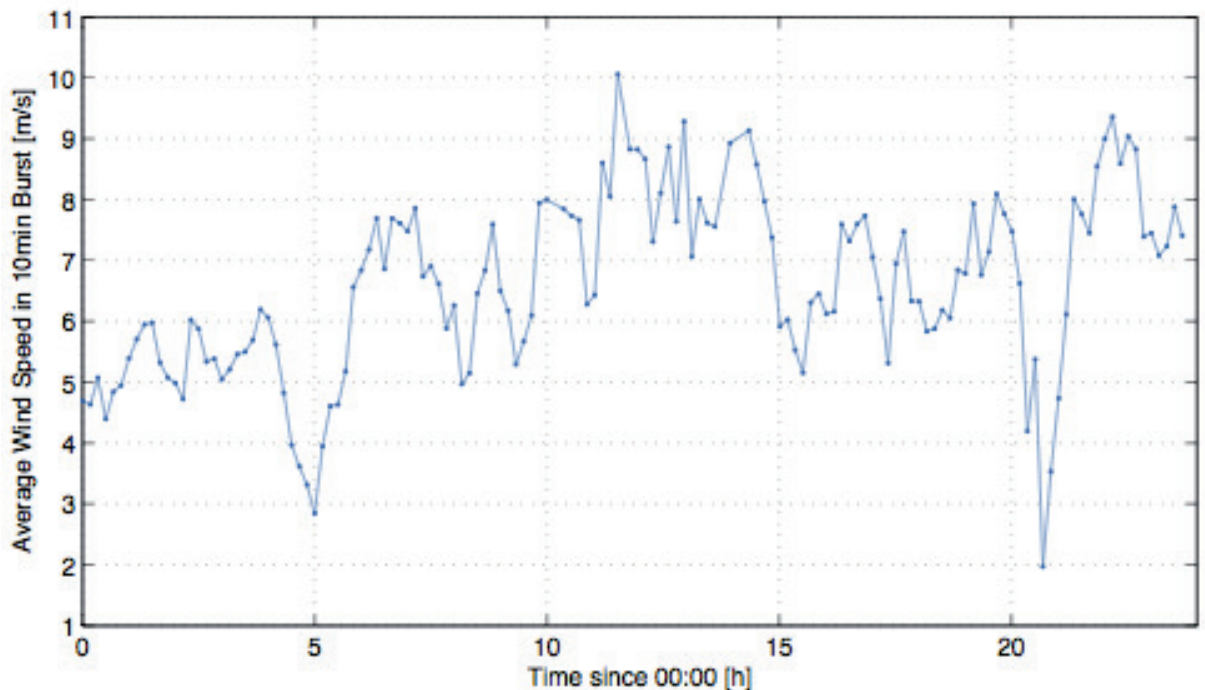
Wind Resource Forecast -> Wind Energy Forecast

- › In year 1 of the SmartCoDe project we developed an Advanced Energy Yield Model
- › Allows us to accurately predict energy output of the wind turbine based on the available wind resource, even for very short periods



The challenge of wind resource forecasting

› Wind speed is very variable or “volatile”



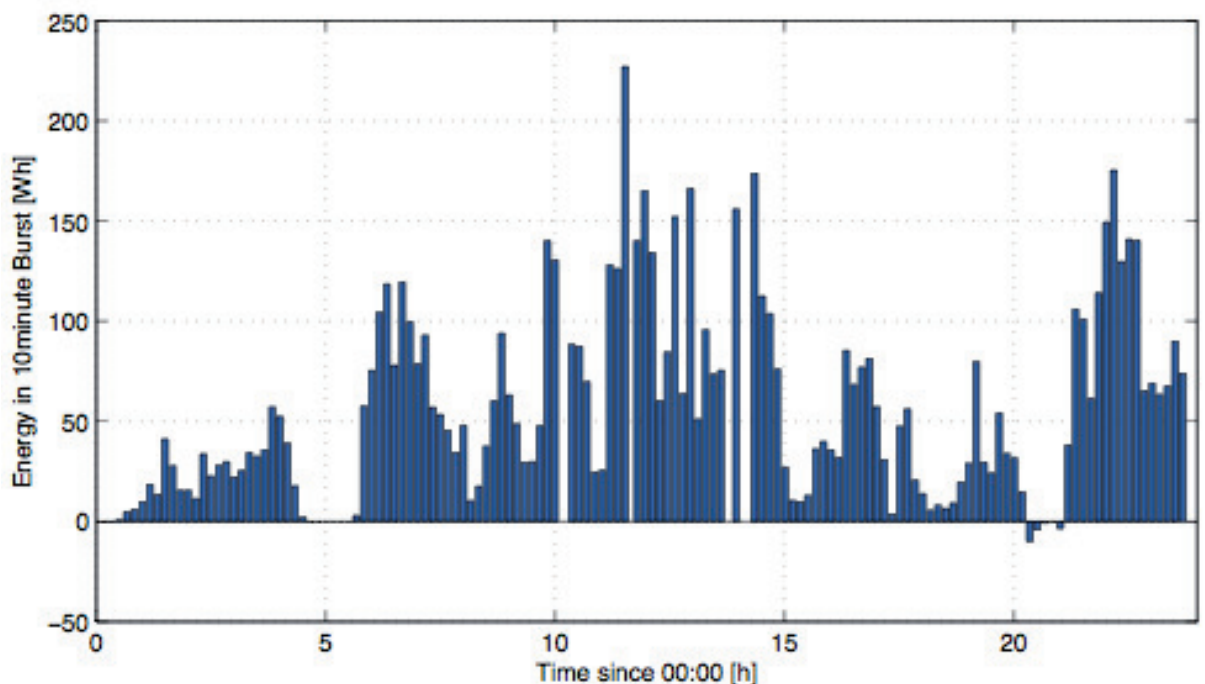
– The above is a 24 hour period (September 8, 2011) measured wind data from the SmartCoDe demonstrator site presented as ten minute averages

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The challenge of wind resource forecasting

› And worse, energy is proportional to the **cubic** power of wind speed!

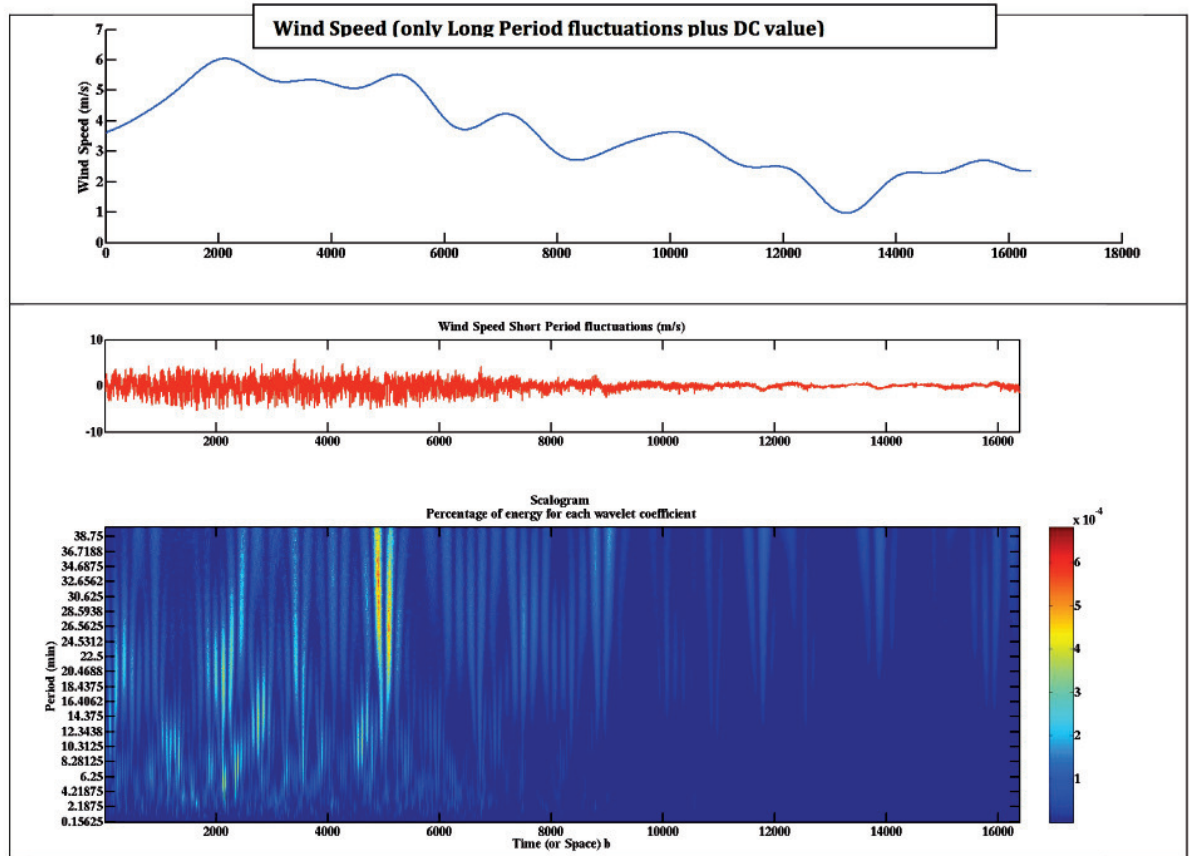


– The 10 minute average energy produced by the SmartCoDe demonstrator turbine for the same 24 hour period.

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Fluctuations exist in both frequency and time



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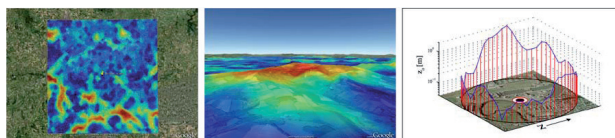
How do we do wind energy forecasting?

- › We are **not re-inventing** weather forecasting!
- › Use weather forecasting of wind resource from a nearby weather station(s) as **input** to energy model
- › But forecast information is given at coarse **macro scale**, far away from wind turbine, and usually at wrong height
- › Need to **correct** macro scale forecast to **local micro-scale**

How do we “correct” the weather forecast?

One Option: physical model

- › Need to **correct** macro scale forecast to **local micro-scale**
 - Local terrain roughness
 - Local turbine height
- › Need to understand atmospheric boundary layer physics
- › **Not a practical solution**
 - requires too much detail
 - too much subjective “tuning” required
 - expensive and not robust



z_0 [m]	Classification	Landscape description
0.0002	Sea	Water surface: Open sea or lake, tidal flat, snow-covered plain.
0.005	Smooth	Featureless land surface: Beaches, marsh and fallow open country.
0.03	Open	Level open country: Heather, moor and tundra.
0.10	Roughly open	Open agricultural: Cultivated or natural area, low crops or plant cover.
0.25	Rough	Built agricultural: Cultivated or natural area, high crops and buildings.
0.5	Very rough	Suburban: Intensely cultivated landscape
1.0	Skimming	Towns: Densely built-up area.
≥ 2	Chaotic	High-rise: City centres with a mixture of

Existing classification of Z_0 is very subjective and prone to significant error

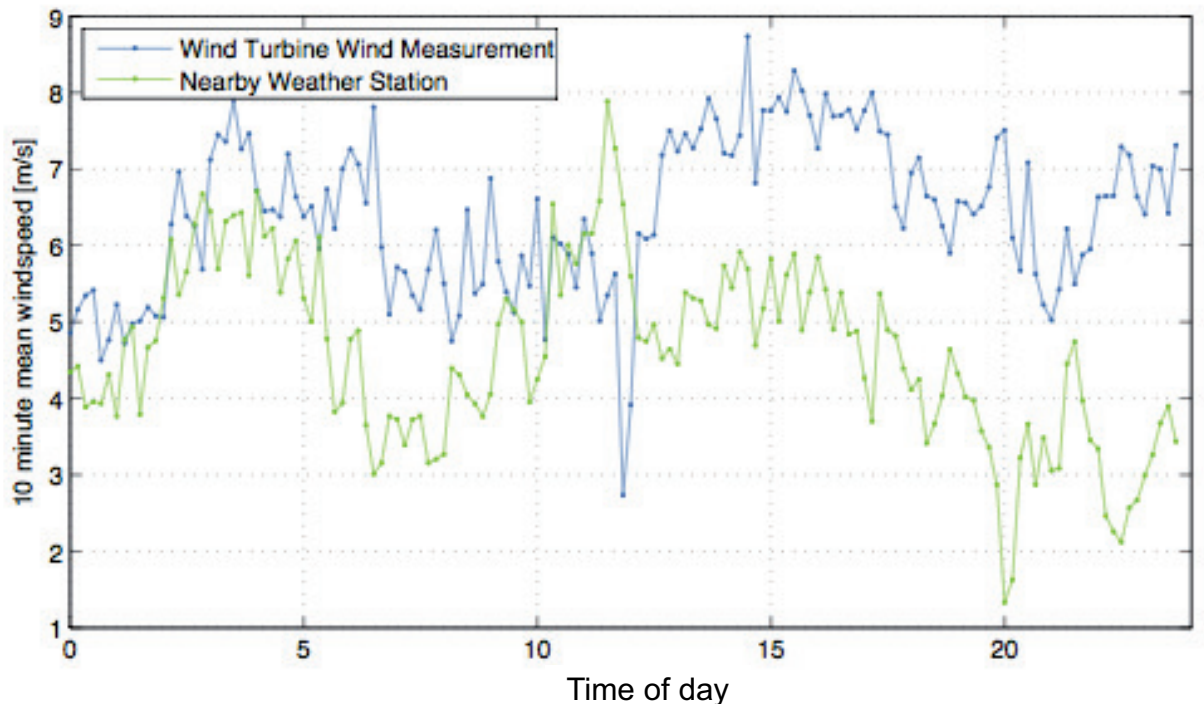
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How do we “correct” the weather forecast?

Better Option: fit empirical model using “machine learning” (such as ANNs and variations)

- › Identify key variables: wind speed, turbulence, wind direction
- › Start by **training** the model
 - provide a data set of **historical** data from nearby weather station
 - local wind data from turbine for the same period of time
 - need to judiciously select training data to provide a **complete** set of statistics but at same time avoid over-learning
- › Once model has learnt how to correct weather station to local turbine based on historical data, can apply to future wind forecast
- › In parallel, continue machine learning
 - continue to compare current conditions at local site to current conditions at weather station. Model adapts to longer-term variations, such as seasonal changes or local topographical changes (growth of trees, new buildings)
- › Inconsistency in mapping weather forecast can provide input to confidence weighting

Correct nearby weather station to local turbine



- Real-world data is presented from qr5 wind turbine and a weather station located 21 km away
- Correlation is not simply scaling absolute data - need to understand underlying physics
- Additional inputs are turbulence in each 10 minute burst and average wind direction

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Wind Energy Forecasting for Distributed Generation

- › Integrating Local Energy Production into an energy neighbourhood opens up many more opportunities for effective Energy Management
- › Knowledge of future energy production (i.e. wind energy forecast) needs to be matched with expected energy demand profile for best results
- › Wind energy forecast is challenging due to volatility of wind
- › Use existing nearby weather station forecasts as input - don't reinvent the wheel!
- › Develop machine-learning algorithms to correct weather station wind forecast to local wind turbine location
- › Model is continuously adapted with time

Invited Paper:

Short-term solar energy forecasting for network stability

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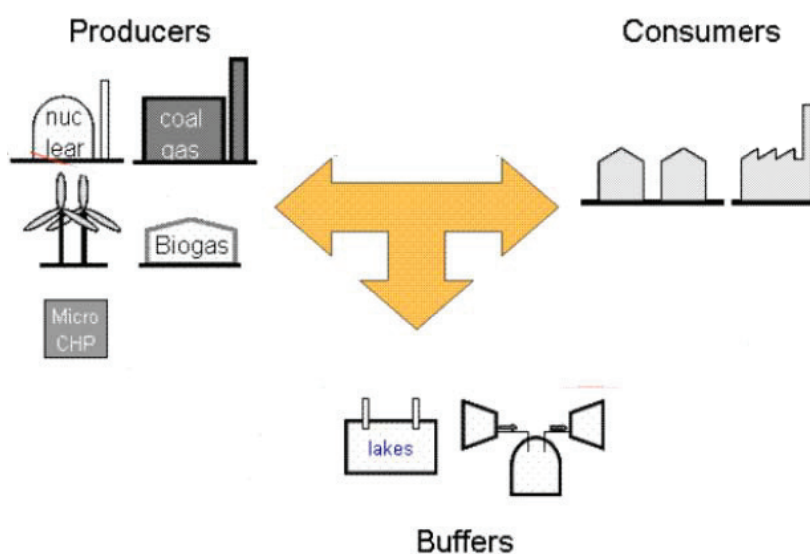
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Principal Electricity Market Participants

Producers

- thermal:
 - nuclear,
 - gas,
 - coal
 - cogeneration of heat/power
- renewable:
 - wind, solar, biogas, water
 - geothermal



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- consumers are charged for the costs incurred by the energy they consume

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- production entities are hardly controllable
- frequent interruptions of energy availability on the consumer side
- often comes with the allocation of electricity quotas to consumer
- mechanisms to control the consumer side characteristics

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Prime responsibility: maintain the electricity flow inside the grid in balance.

Deviations need to be corrected within pre-specified time bounds

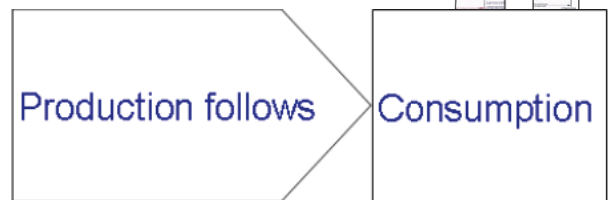
Accounting grids are tightly interwoven by physical entities (cables, transformers)

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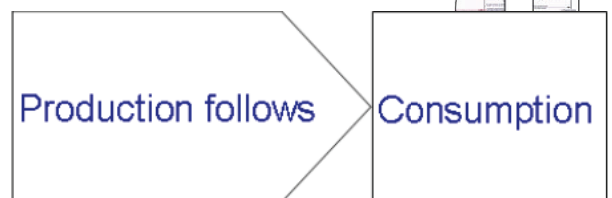
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This balance is essential for stable and reliable network operation:

Overprovisioning (or underconsumption) results in frequency drops,
underprovisioning results in frequency jumps.

Too excessive frequency deviations : malfunctioning on consumer side.
chain reactions may lead to network collapse ('blackout').

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about 10% of peak consumption.

Control energy can be traded across grids,
this is a characteristic feature to maintain stability.

Notably, there is a considerable energy loss because of ineffectiveness of pump-storage.

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- What happened:

- drastically more solar power in the net than announced the day before
- Germany @ lunchtime: surplus of 7000 MW
- Complete negative control energy exhausted (- 4300 MW)
- Emergency reserve imported from neighbouring countries (- 2800 MW)

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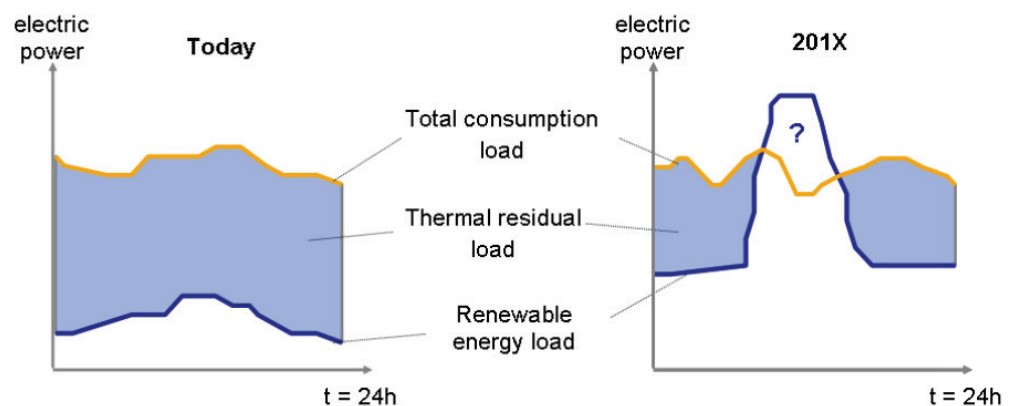
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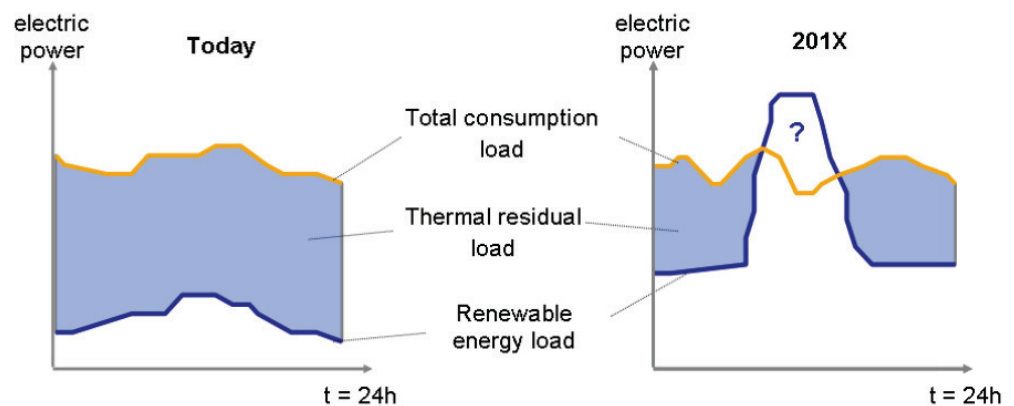
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So far: base load power plants have low marginal costs
should operate most suitable all the time (running river, nuclear or lignite fired).

Concerns:

- *What happens in situations when renewable energy production is higher than total consumption?*

- *What production entities are needed,*

if all the base consumption load is covered by renewable energy?

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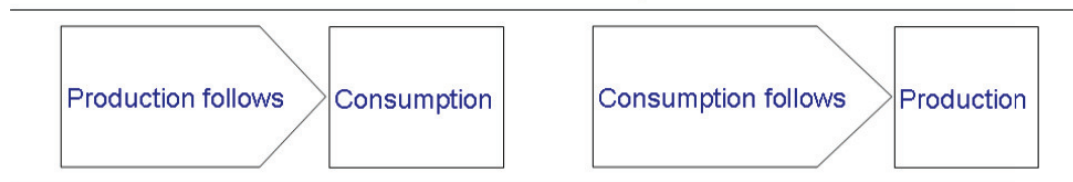
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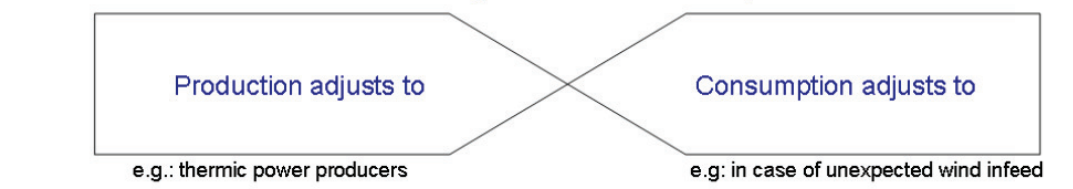
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Current Principles



Necessary Future Principle



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Balancing the volatility in production (partly) on the consumer side

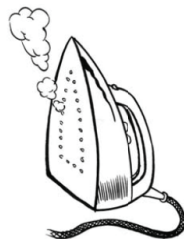
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What to Control on the Consumer side?

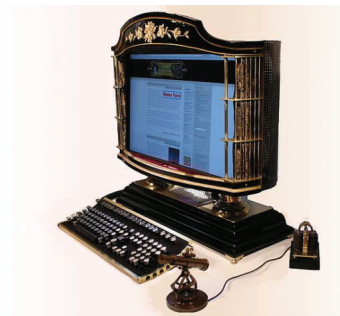
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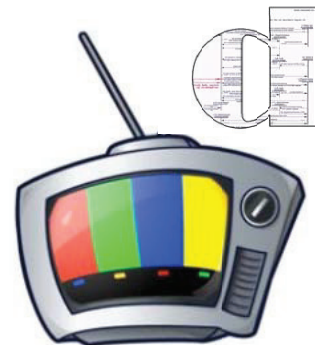
Ironing?



PC?



TV?



Electrical water warming?

Climate control?

Cooling control?

Air pressure applications?

Off-peak storage heating?

Geothermal heating?

Electrical and hybrid electrical vehicles?



The segment of 'schedulable' consumers in Germany is in the order of a few ten thousands of MW.

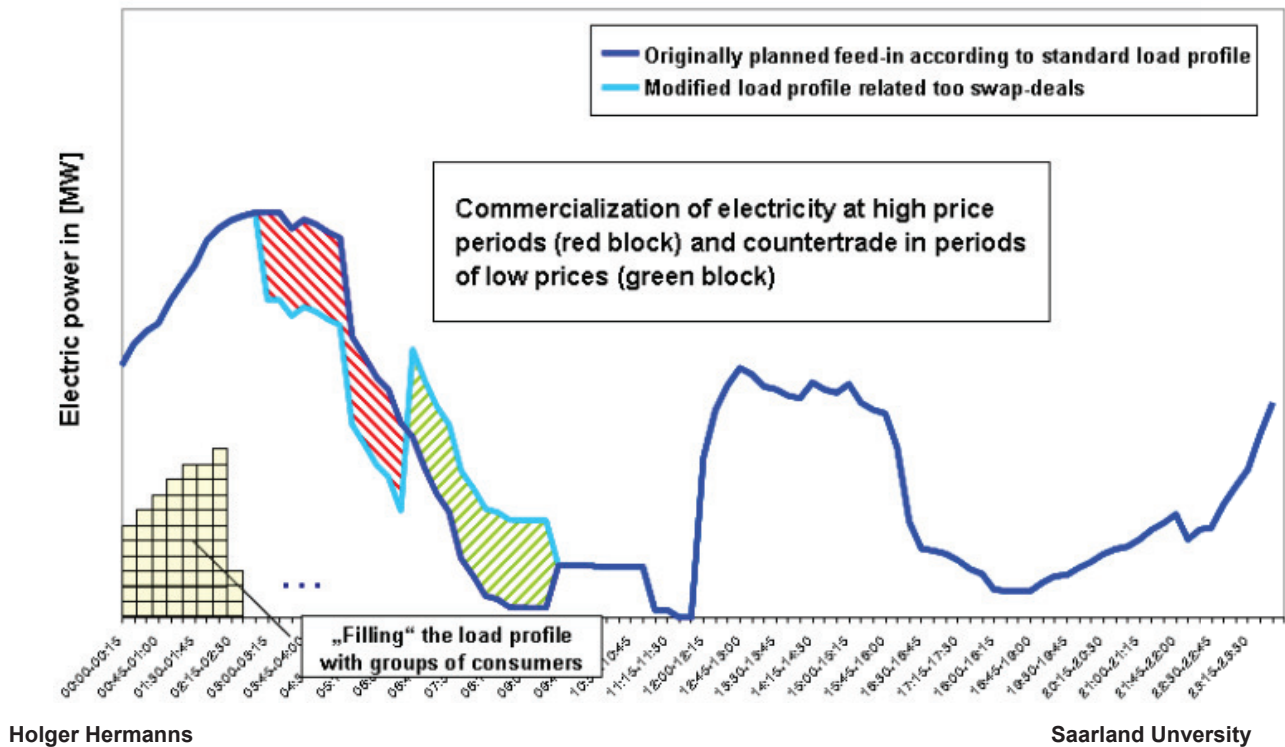
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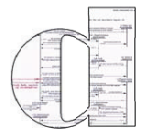
How to make profit from this? And stabilize the network ?



The Principle of electrical Swap-Deals (schematic account)



Short term prediction of photovoltaic energy production



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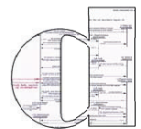


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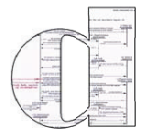
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Underestimation on sunny days (and at daytime)

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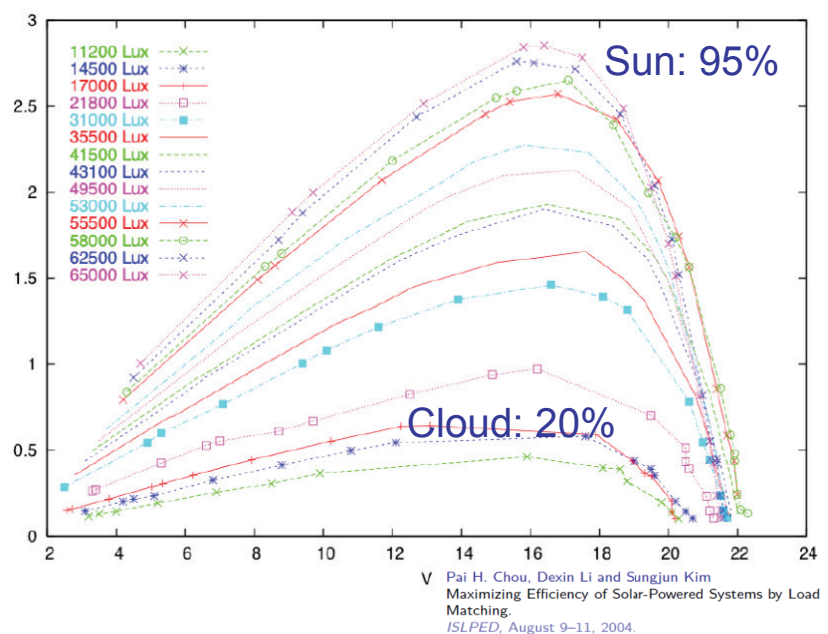
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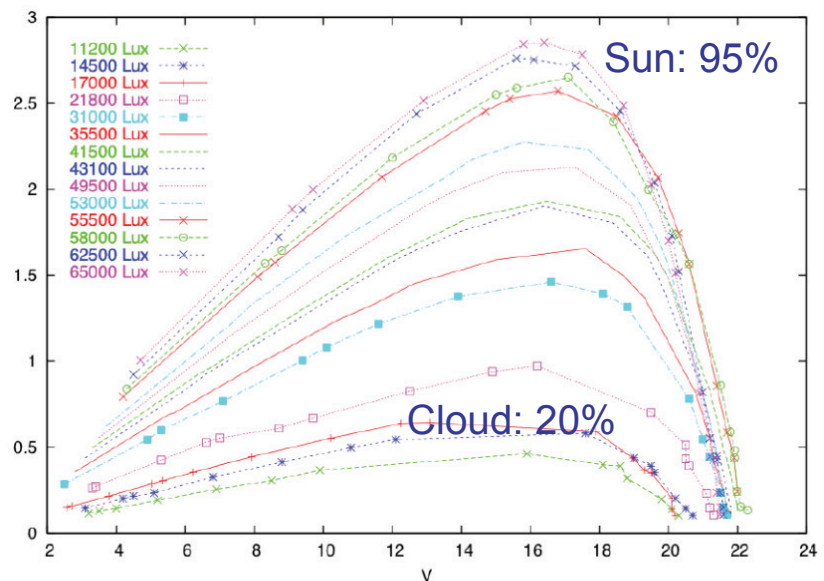
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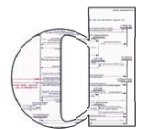
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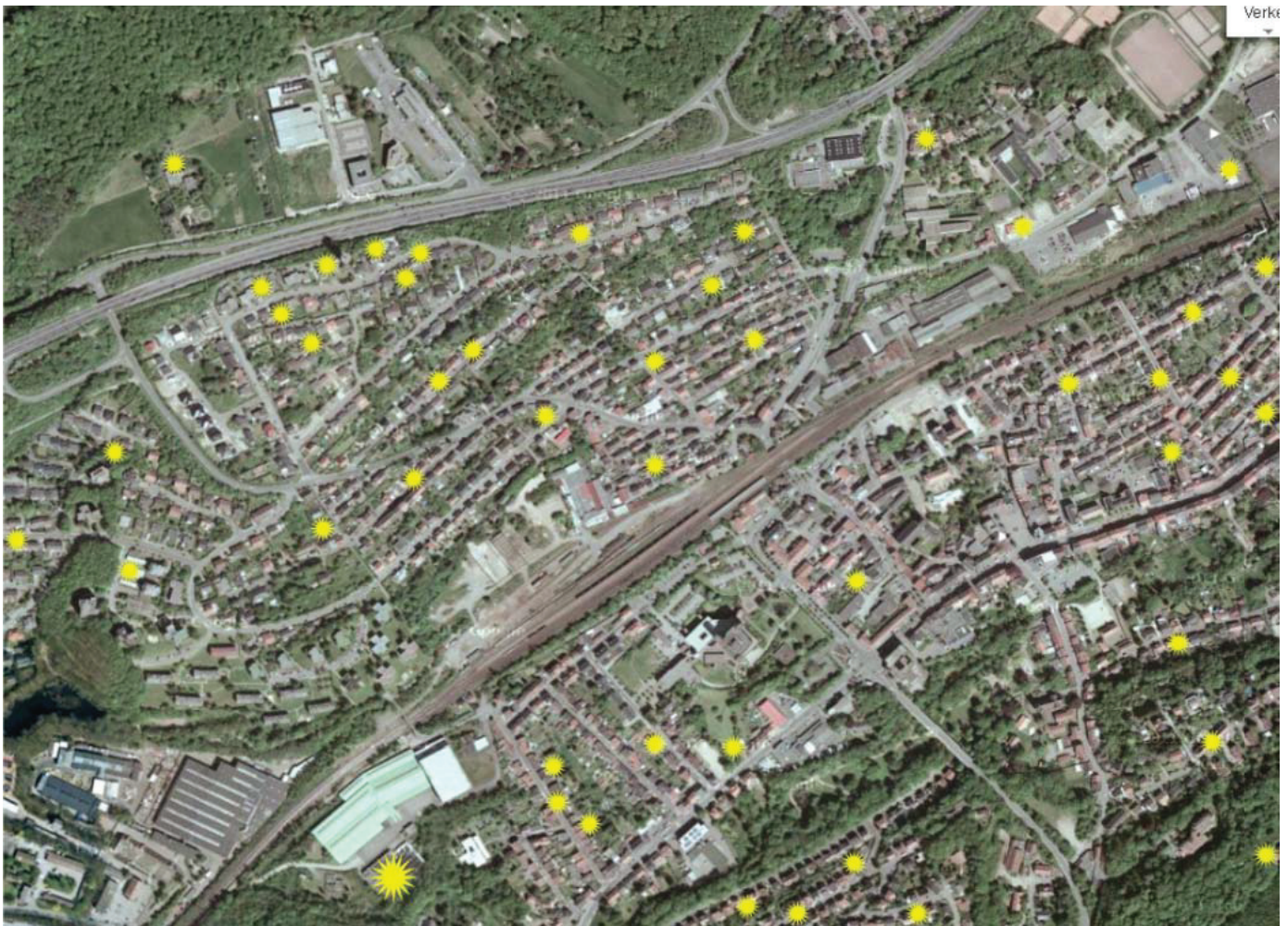
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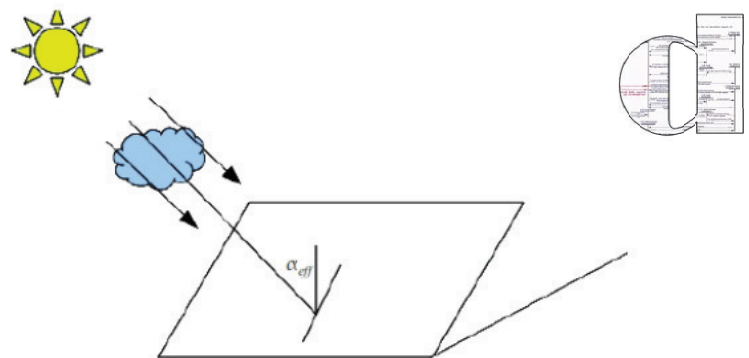
- cloud cover
- light intensity
- diffusion
- at high, middle, low altitude
with
- fine time granularity (1 hr)
- spatial resolution as fine as possible (3.8 km)



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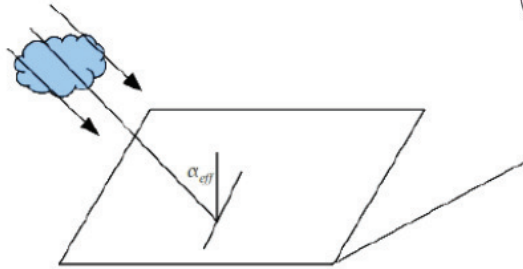
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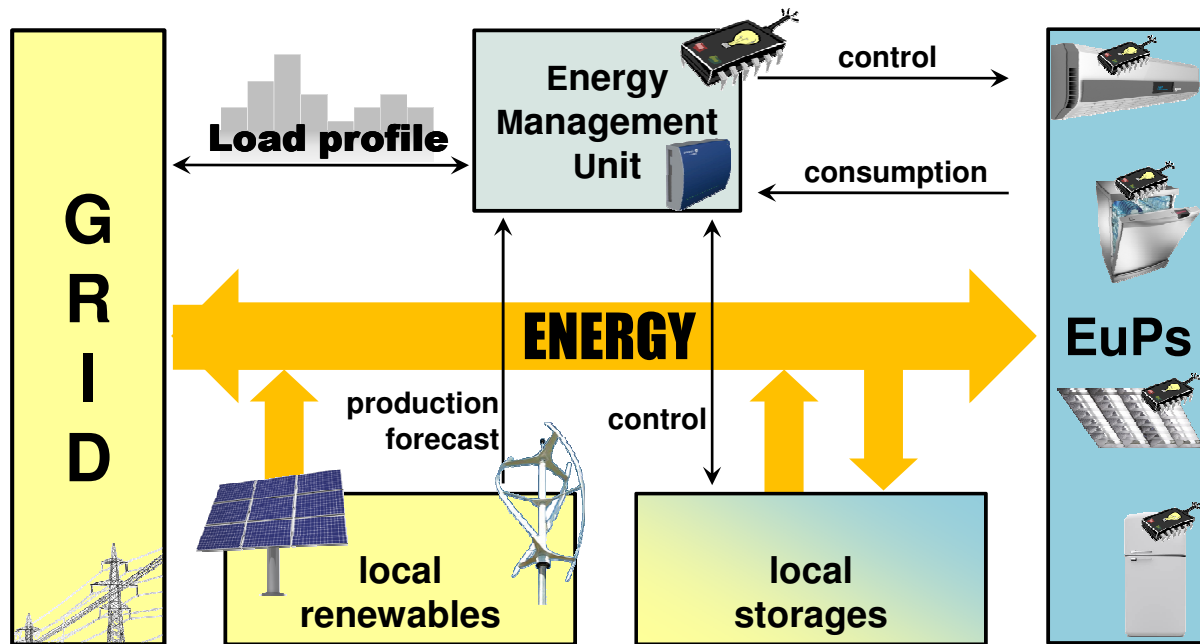
Categorizing Energy using Products for partially decentralised Energy Management

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Outline

- SmartCoDe Energy Management problem
- A semi-decentralised approach
- Cost function-based Energy Management
- Classification of Energy using Products (EuPs)
- EuP-class specific Energy Management
- Conclusion

SmartCoDe Energy Resource Cluster



Goal: Harmonise energy consumption with local energy production

Target Area and Requirements

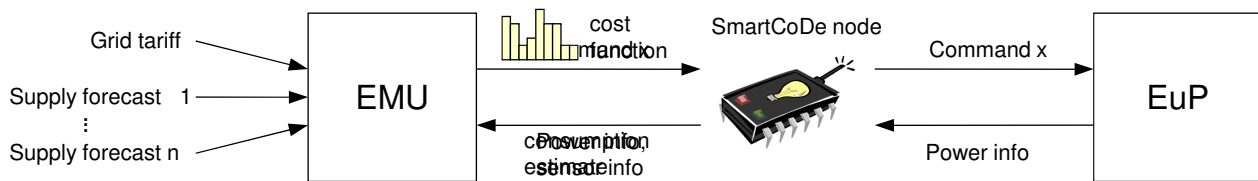
■ Target Area:

- Average EU neighbourhoods & small commercial buildings
- Connected to the public grid
- Utilise local renewable energy (solar-panel, wind-turbine)

■ Requirements for Energy Management (EM)

- The EM-approach should allow to **maximize the usage of** locally produced **renewable energy**.
- The EM-interference **should be acceptable by the user**.

Centralised and Semi-Decentralised Control



Semi-decentralised: EuP classes on commands, provides sensor info

- Cost functions concerning future time periods issued by EMU
- Node controls EuP autonomously while obeying to costs

Centralised vs. Semi-Decentralised Energy Management Approach

	Centralised	Semi-decentralised
Communication overhead	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sensor data has to be transmitted • Control commands with high frequency 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No sensor data has to be transmitted • Directives can have lower frequency
EuP Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Micromanagement • Every important aspect of the EuP has to be known by EMU 	EuP only needs to know <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EuP class • Power consumption forecasts
EMU crash / absence / communication problems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SmartCoDe nodes "headless" • What happens to control loops? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SmartCoDe nodes can operate autonomously
SmartCoDe Node design / software	Simple	Complex
Load balancing between nodes	Easier to achieve since EMU has complete control and knowledge	Harder to achieve due to autonomy of SmartCoDe nodes
Micro-managing	Is the principle here	Still possible for selected EuPs / EuP classes

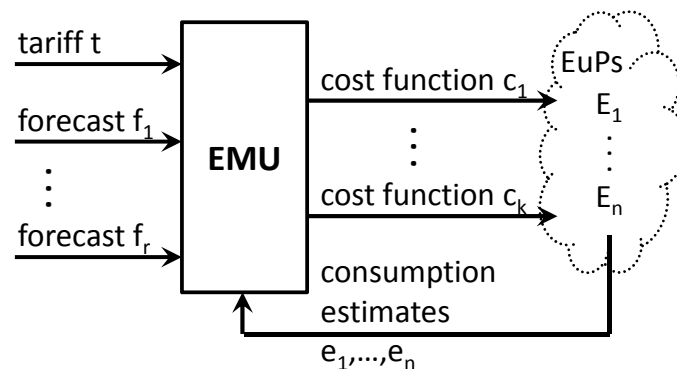
SmartCoDe Semi-Decentralised Energy Management approach

Energy Management Unit:

- Receives tariffs, consumption and production forecasts
- Issues **cost functions** to EuPs w.r.t. a certain optimisation goal

SmartCoDe Node:

- Receives cost function
- Controls EuP while minimising cost w.r.t. cost function
- Produces power **consumption estimates**



Existing demand control message: The ZigBee® Smart Energy Load Control Event

Octets	4	2	1	4	2	1	1
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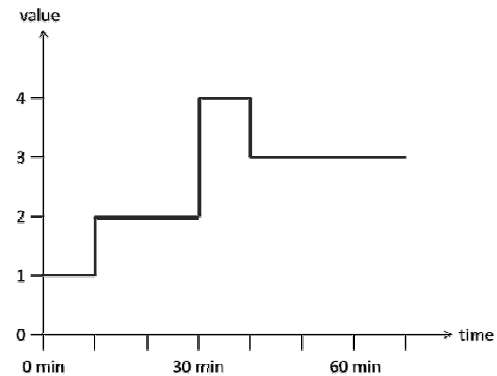
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2	1	Voluntary
3	2	Voluntary
4	3	Voluntary
5	4	Voluntary
6	5	Voluntary
7	Emergency	Mandatory
8	Planned Outage	Mandatory
9	Service Disconnect	Mandatory
0x0A-0x0F	Utility Defined	Utility Defined
0x10-0xFF	Reserved	

Problems:

- Too much information for our purposes
- Small granularity leads to a lot of messages
- ...and we need small granularity (~10 minutes)

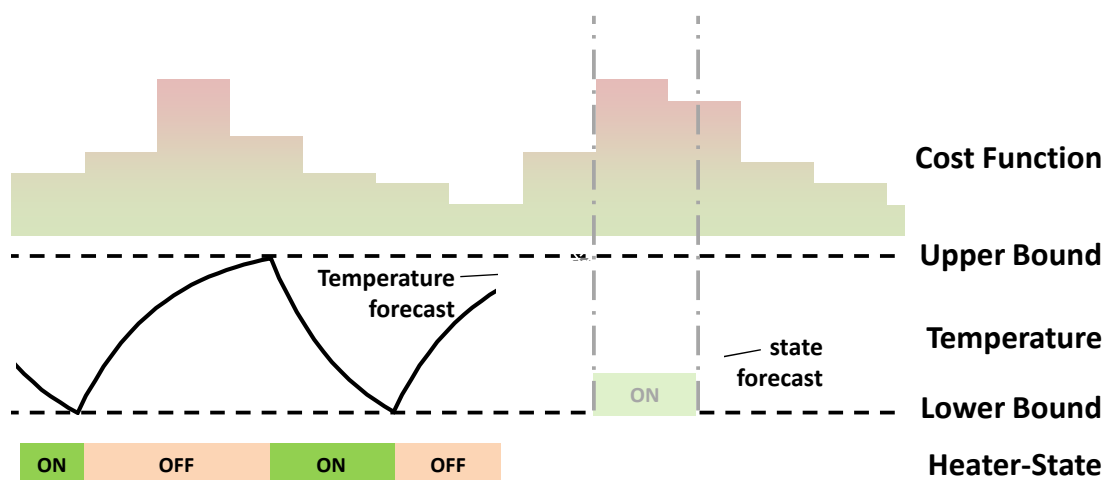
SmartCoDe Cost Function Format

- Values are **abstract** costs
- Step-function** approach
- Example: (10 min , 1) , (20 min , 2) , (10 min , 4) , (30 min , 3)
- Time resolution can be set (1s – 1h)
- Basically bundles a series of ZigBee SE load control events



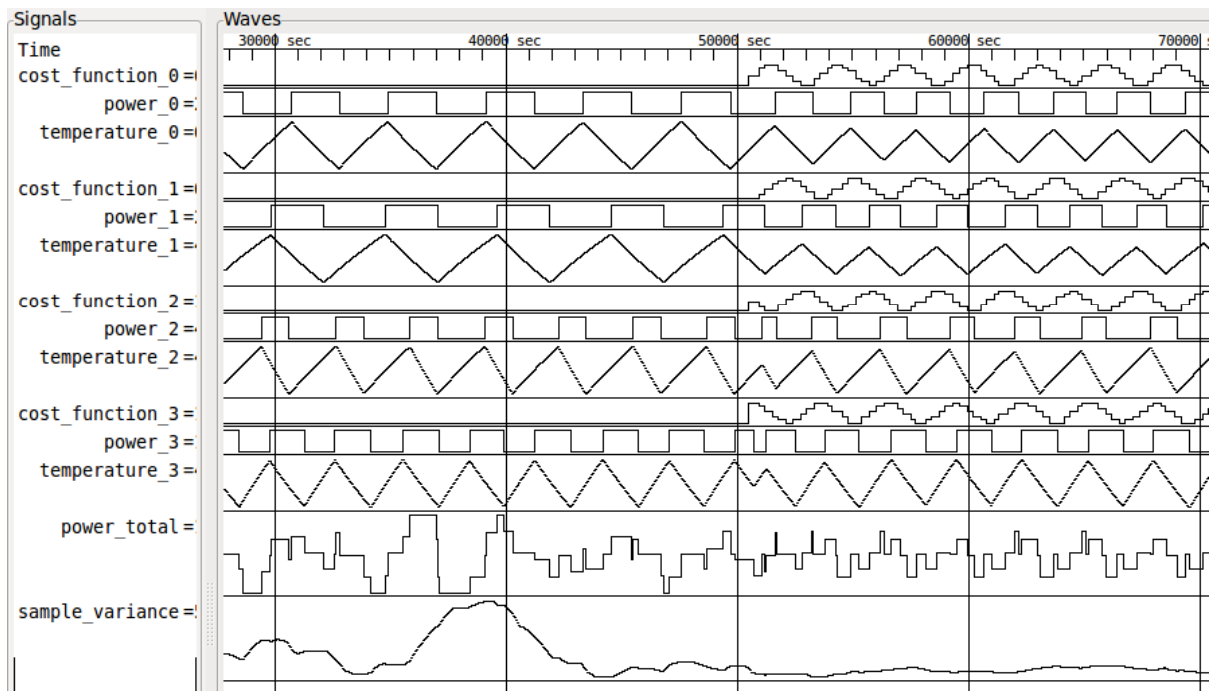
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Local Control Example: Cost Function Based Bang-Bang Control of a Fridge

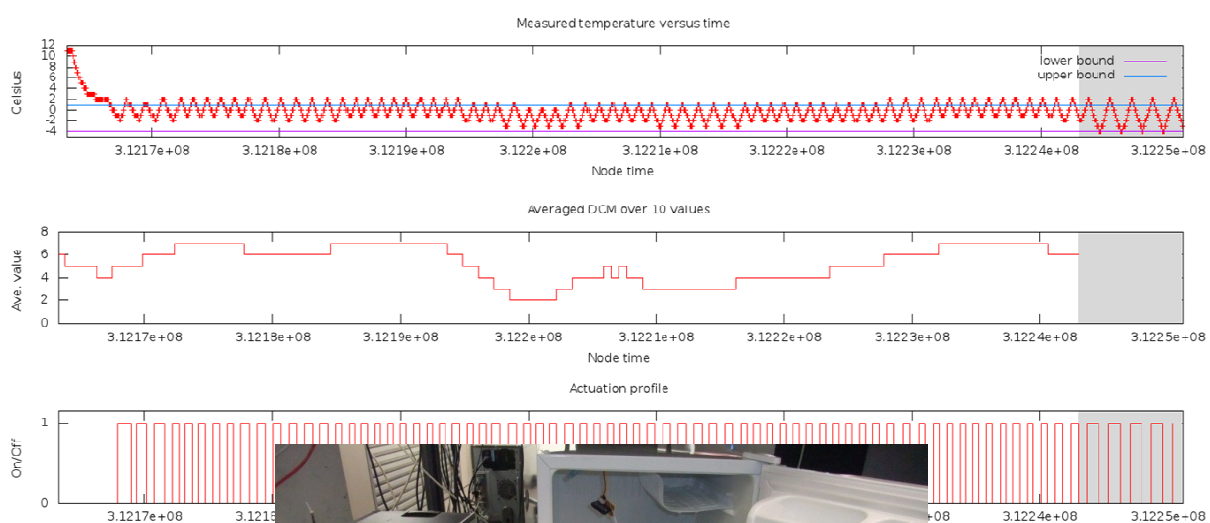


- SmartCoDe node plans ahead to minimise costs
- Generates control plan → effectively a consumption forecast
- Temperature forecast needed

Global Control Example: Load Balancing of Four Fridges with Cost Functions



Working Cost-Function Based Bang-Bang Control on the Functional Node Prototype



EuP Classification - Motivation

- Each class collects EuPs with similar...
 - Service
 - Interfaces
 - Energy Management leverage
- One SmartCoDe node variation for each class
 - Mostly software, in principal also hardware
 - Especially: cost function-based energy management

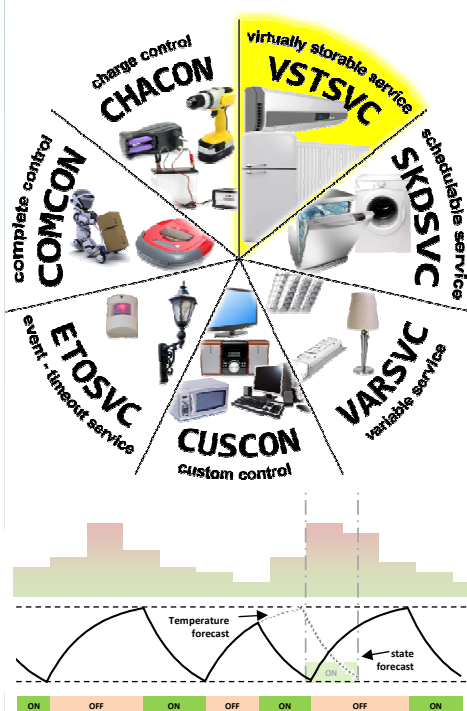
SmartCoDe EuP Classification



SmartCoDe EuP Classification

Class	Description	Parameters			Energy Management		Examples
		Configuration	Sensor input	Online input	Strategy	cost	
VARSVC	Variable Service: The appliance provides a user-variable service, possibly balanced with sensor input.	tolerance bounds	current state of the service, e.g. illuminance	user demand, e.g. setpoint for illuminance	Minimise consumption while balancing the service with user demand, tolerance bounds and sensor measurement.	No	dimnable lighting, blinds, fans
VSTSVC	Virtual Storage service: The appliance provides a inert, user-variable service which can serve as a virtual storage.	tolerance bounds	current state of the service, e.g. temperature	user demand, e.g. setpoint for temperature	Balance service with user demand and sensor measurement while exploiting the virtual storage property.	Yes	Fridge, Freezer, HVAC, Water-boiler
SKDSVC	Schedulable Service: The appliance provides a service which can be scheduled within a certain time-frame.	runtimes and power profiles of the different programs	none	time-frame	Start program within the given timeframe such that the program's load profile produces minimal costs.	Yes	washing machine, dryer, dishwasher, baking machine
ETOSVC	Event-Timeout Service: The appliance is control-led by sensor events and time-outs.	time span	sensor event, e.g. presence detection	none (indirectly through sensor input)	Control appliance according to sensor events and time-outs.	No	lighting controlled by presence detector (e.g. on corridor)
CHACON	Charge Control: The appliance charges a possibly removable device.	charging policy	current charge status, device presence	device removal re-insertion	Charge device such that costs are minimised, while obeying charging policy.	Yes	battery chargers, hand-held vacuum, emergency backup storages
COMCON	Complete Control: Like CHACON, but the usage of the charged power can also be con-trolled.	charging policy, duty cycles, time slots	current charge status	none	Like CHACON, but also control the usage of the appliance cost-effectively while obeying to the given time-slots and duty cycles.	Yes	robot vacuum, robot lawn-mower
CUSCON	Custom Control: device does not fit into other classes.	none	none	user demand	Automatic Energy Management No probably not tolerable by user; custom schemes can be defined which are implemented by the EMU.	No	HiFi, PC, Oven

VSTSVC – Virtual Storages

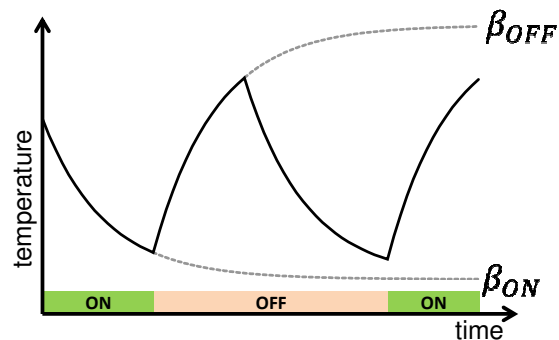


- Inert service (mostly thermal) which can store energy
- Energy Management:
 - Store energy (e.g. cool down) when cost is low, switch off when cost is high
 - Keep temperature in between bounds
- Issues
 - Parameters of thermal process (e.g. thermal capacitance) needed for planning
 - These parameters need to be learned by the SmartCoDe node

VSTSVC: Modelling and Learning the Thermal Process

- Discrete time lowpass model:

$$t_{i+1} = \alpha \cdot \beta + (1 - \alpha) \cdot t_i$$
 - t_i : temperature in step i
 - α : Smoothing factor
 - β : boundary temperature (one β for each power level)

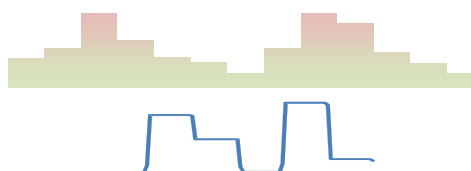


- Useful for
 - Temperature forecast
 - Power forecast
 - Smart cost-function based control algorithm
- Need to learn α and the β 's
- Microcontroller algorithm
 - Least square method
 - Error term computed from temperature measurements
 - random search

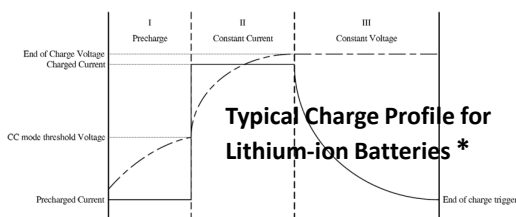
SKDSVC – Schedulable Services



- User chooses a program and a deadline
- Energy Management:
 - Run program such that deadline is met
 - Find start time such that program load profile produces minimal cost
- Issues
 - Program load profile might not be fixed, e.g. can depend on load
 - In principle, a program can be interrupted, but the process might suffer



CHACON & COMCON – Charging EuPs



* Taken from Dung, L.-R., & Yen, J.-H. ILP-based algorithm for Lithium-ion battery charging profile. Proceedings of the 2010 IEEE International Symposium on Industrial Electronics (ISIE), (S. 2286 - 2291). Bari, Italy

- In between VSTSVC and SKDSVC
 - Provided service: charge status – is inert
 - Charging process can be scheduled
- Energy Management:
 - Schedule charging at minimal cost
 - Obey to charging policy
- COMCON: robotic services
 - Discharging (i.e. using the device) can also be controlled
 - Still exotic, yet interesting EM opportunities

VARSVc & ETOSVC



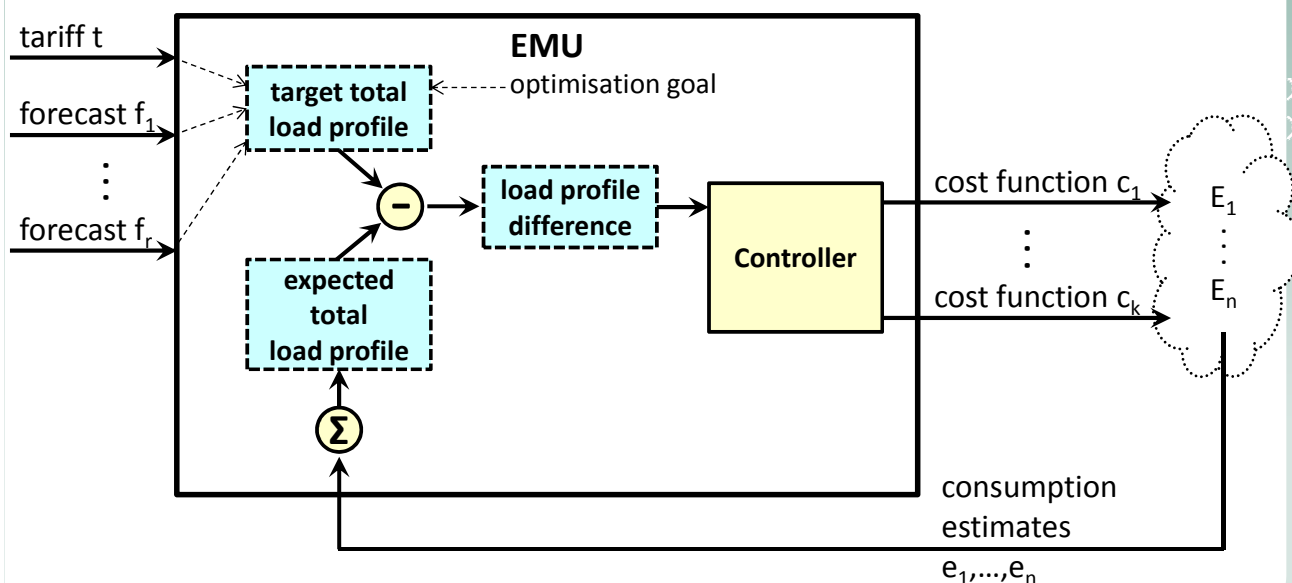
- Covers mostly lighting applications
 - VARSVC: Dimmable lighting, possibly controlled by luminance
 - ETOSVC: Presence detection
- No cost-dependent Energy Management
 - Possible user acceptance issues
 - Worth considering in Island scenarios
- Interesting aspects apart from EM:
 - Networking, Commissioning
 - Consumption forecast

CUSCON – Custom Control



- No Energy Management possible
 - User interaction too high
 - Or process too critical
- SmartCoDe infrastructure usable for custom control
 - Remote control, e.g. via a home gateway
 - User defined schedules
 - Ambient assisted living

A Global Energy Management Control Loop

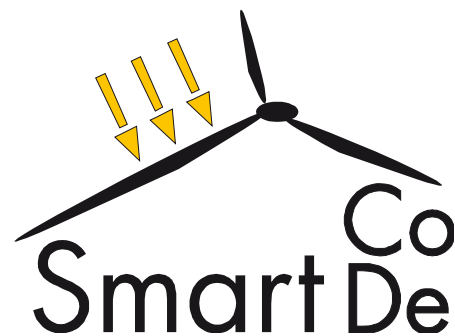


Conclusion

- Semi-decentralised Energy Management provides abstraction...
 - ...between EMU and EuP
 - ...between global and local energy management
 - ...to keep competence of EuP control with the manufacturer
- Approach can be extended to cover several hierarchy levels
- EuP classification
 - Collects EuPs which can be handled similar
 - Interfaces and EM-opportunities
 - EM algorithms

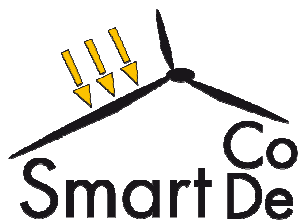


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- Questions
- Remarks
- Ideas
- Objections



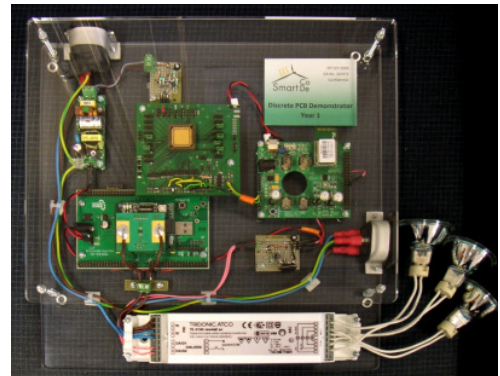
The SmartCoDe Node Functional Prototype

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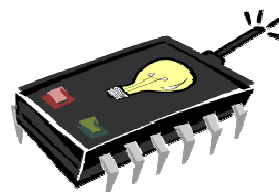
SmartCoDe Progress

Year 1:
Discrete prototype

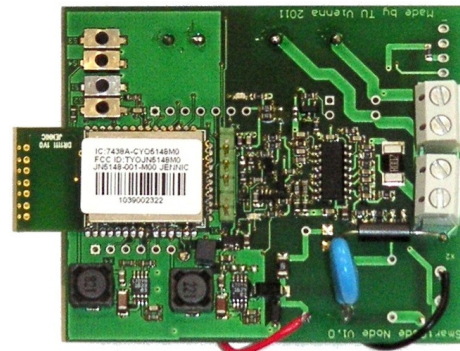
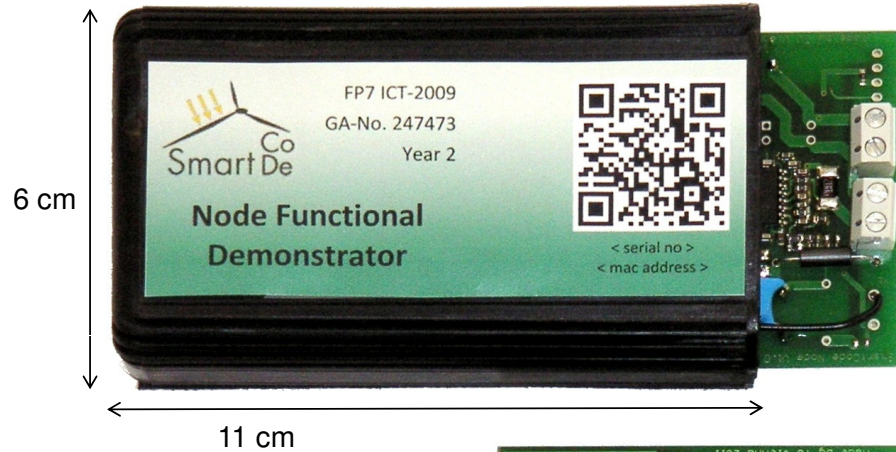


Year 2:
Functional prototype
Demonstrator

Year 3:
System on chip prototype



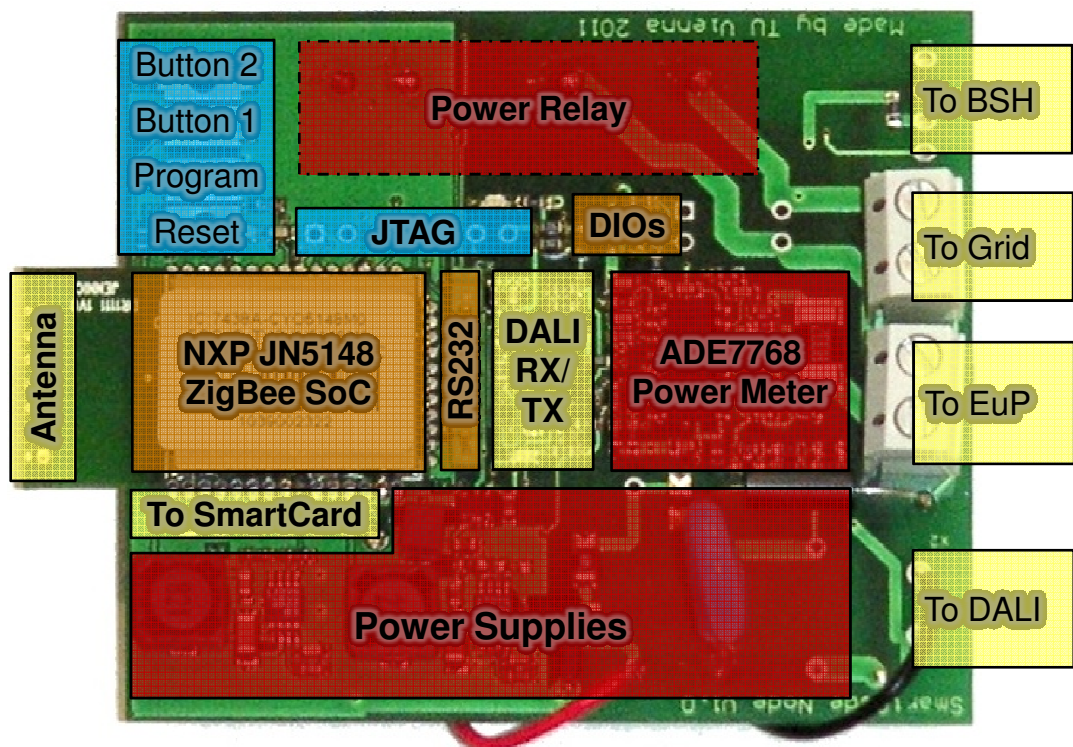
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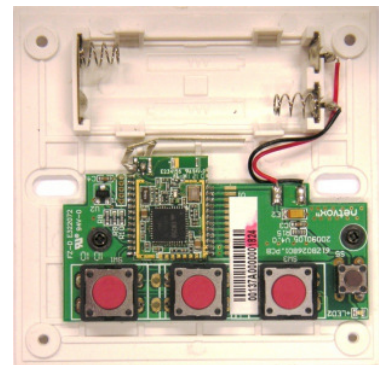
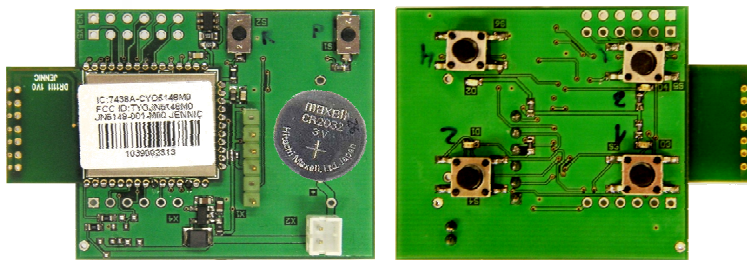
Functional Prototype Versions & Periphery

Energy Management

- › Power meter
- › Power relay
- › White box control interface
- › Remote temperature sensor node

Lighting Demonstration

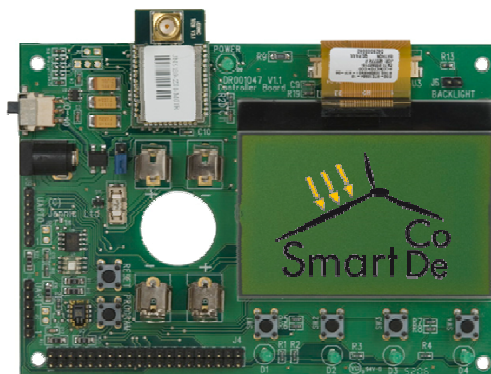
- › DALI interface
- › DALI supply: 6 mA (1 sensor + 1 ballast)
- › Remote light switch



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Energy Management Unit & Coordinator Node



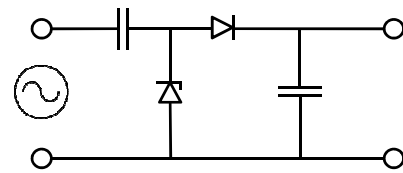
- › Monitor & supervise consumption
- › Calculate cost functions from forecasts & grid tariff
- › Network management

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Power Supply

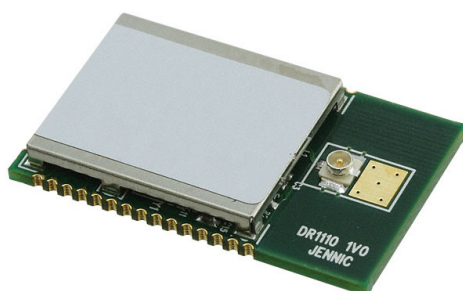
- › Non-insulated
- › Capacitive topology:
230 V_{AC} -> 43 V_{DC}
- › Buck converter:
43 V -> 3.3 V
- › Max load: 200 mW, overall efficiency: ~ 70%
- › Pros:
 - Realistic test bed for SmartCoDe SoC
 - Low cost, robust & state of the art
- › Cons:
 - Need to isolate all I/O and maybe antenna
 - Need to isolate human interface elements
 - Always consumes maximum load on primary side



NXP JN5148

Transceiver

- › 2.4 GHz, IEEE 802.15.4
- › AES & MAC accelerator
- › Time of flight ranging
- › RX: -95 dBm, 17.5 mA
- › TX: 2.5 dBm, 15.0 mA



CPU

- › 32 bit, 32 MHz RISC
- › 128 kB ROM
- › 128 kB RAM
- › External Flash (512 kB)
- › 11 mA @ 32 MHz
- › Sleep: 3.5 µA – 0.1 µA
- › Usual peripherals

Software

- › ZigBee 2007 PRO
- › Profiles: HA, SE, ...
- › Multithreaded OS
- › GCC based tool chain
- › Over the air upgrade

Why ZigBee?

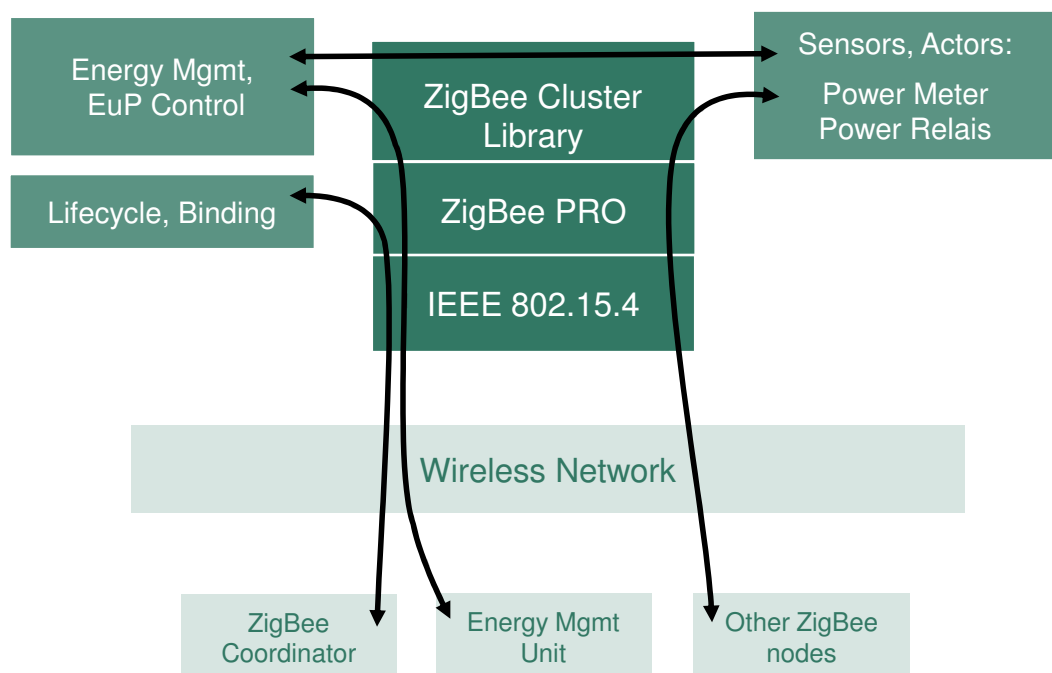
Pros:

- › Ecosystem, tools, commercially available devices
- › Standard application protocols to build on
- › Cryptographic building blocks to build on
- › Network management (discovery & binding protocols)
- › Straight forward to put data on the network (using discoverable standard protocols)

Cons:

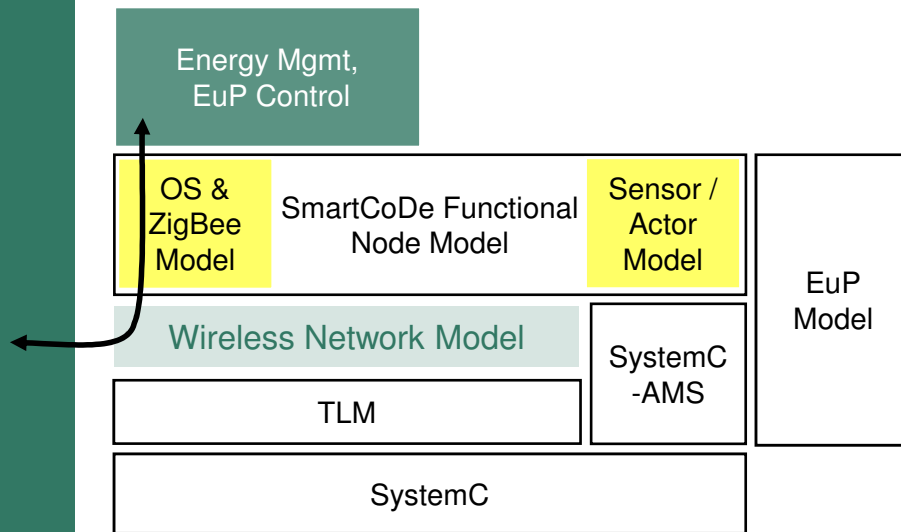
- › Large and complex standard
- › Hardware requirements (for routers)

Software Overview





SystemC Based Simulation Environment



Simple porting between simulation environment and hardware

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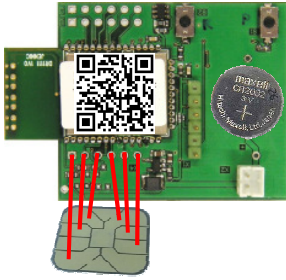
Supported Data Services

	Role	Clusters
SmartCoDe Node	Metering Device	Simple Metering (S)
	Mains Power Outlet	On/Off (S)
	Temperature Sensor Client	Temp. Measurement (C)
	Temperature Sensor	Temp. Measurement (S)
	SmartCoDe EuP	SC Demand Control (C)
	SmartCoDe Schedule UI Client	SC Schedule (C)
		Time cluster (C)
Temperature Sensor Node	Temperature Sensor	Temp. Measurement (S)
Schedule UI Node	SmartCoDe Schedule UI	SC Schedule (S)
SmartCoDe EMU Node	SmartCoDe EMU	SC Demand Control (S)
		Simple Metering (C)
		Time cluster (S)

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Advancing the State of the Art in Security



- › Locally rooted chain of trust (no certification authorities)
- › Efficient out of band key exchange
- › Applicable to small and large networks



- › Security chip (Infineon SLE77) optional
- › Security chip improves tamper resilience

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Invited Paper:
Sounds for Energy-Efficient Buildings
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Abstract

The EU FP7 project "Sounds for Energy-Efficient Buildings" (S4EeB) will develop and deliver a prototype to optimize the existent Building Management Systems (BMS) by means of acquiring, identifying, monitoring, and adding the parameter of "occupancy level" in buildings and surroundings to enhance operations and eliminate unnecessary consumptions of energy for Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning, Lighting (HVACL), and other existent production and consumption systems, while maintaining users' comfort. This will be achieved through the integration of a low-cost novel network of audio sensors with other building sensing and controls and the improvement of the strategies and algorithms of automation and conditioning deployed, calibrated and validated in two shopping malls and one international airport in real operational situation in order to demonstrate that energy savings and benefits justify the investment, providing new market solutions and supporting reduction of climate change.

S4EeB

Sounds for Energy Efficiency in Buildings

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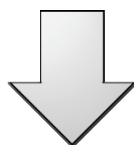
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Develop and deliver a prototype to optimize the existent Building Management Systems (BMS) by means of acquiring, identifying, monitoring, and adding the parameter of "occupancy level" in buildings



Buildings account for 40% of energy end-use in the EU and 70% of this consumption is used for (**HVACL**) systems. Make them more efficient is key to achieve the goals of reducing CO₂ emissions by 20%, improving the energy efficiency by 20% by 2020.



The project **S4EeB** builds a simple and cheap ICT solution for Energy-efficient Buildings (EeB), integrating the **OCCUPANCY LEVEL** parameter, providing valuable information cheaply to the Digital Control Centre (**DCC**) for the creation of more Energy efficient Buildings (**EeB**) in **conditioning systems** without losing comfort or privacy of users.



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The product, named **BEMO** optimizes the Energy Management system of buildings (BEM). It is composed of three main parts:

- **Audio and Sensors System:** Sensing and Listening.
- **Acoustic Processing Unit:**
 - Meaning and understanding through detection.
 - Discriminates the level of occupancy.
 - Learning through retraining process.
- **Web-Monitor:**
 - Integrating and monitoring parameters of occupancy level.
 - Optimizing strategies and algorithms.
 - Quantifying energy consumption savings.



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S4EeB will include **low cost and energy-efficient audio and occupancy sensor** in public buildings and surroundings.

S4EeB will record and report:

- Operations of control and quantify the energy savings.
- Total cost of operation.
- CO2 footprint reduction.
- Benefits that accrue to calculate the ROI and pay-back of the investment.



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The objective is to deliver the following marketable prototypes:

1.Occupancy Monitor: Acquire through microphones, audio and a central unit to process background sounds and noises and monitor the occupancy level in buildings and surrounding areas.

2.Occupancy Sensor (all in one): Acquire sounds and noises, process the raw audio data and transfer the signal to the central unit of the audio system, with a back line for its self retaining.

3.Acoustic air/water flow metering: A scalable modular air/water flow metre for HVAC systems to transfer via wireless the flows of conditioning conductions to the central unit of control and optimisation , with a back line for its self retaining.

4.Central Audio Unit: A central Acoustic Processing Unit (APU) working on LYNIX open-source software (OSS) for monitoring the types of occupancy and activities in the main areas of buildings and surroundings.



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5. **BEM Optimiser (BEMO).** Connects to Building Energy Management. It is composed of:
 1. **Synchroniser module:** A BEMO prototype module for a synchronised monitoring of the following parameters:
 1. Occupancy from APU.
 2. Conditioning for the BEM and/or sensing network.
 3. Generation/consumption subsystems.
 4. Automation systems.
 2. **Optimiser module:** A BEMO module for modelling simulation, quantification and optimisation of the BEM strategies and algorithms to reduce the amounts of energy consumed for conditioning and lighting, generation plants and other existent energy systems in the building.



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3. **Messaging Module:**
 1. Informing
 2. Reporting
 3. Alerting
 4. Alarming
4. **Learning Module:** A BEMO module for progressive and semi-automatic self-learning:
 1. AED algorithms
 2. Decision tools and risk management layer of the sounds system.
 3. Optimisation of BEM.
 4. Logical layer for provision of profitable interoperable services of maintenance, control and security without losing comfortability of users.



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6. Manual for use, installation, integration and set-up.

7. Operative Demonstrators. In three fully operative buildings:

- ✓ PRINCIPE PIO shopping mall in Madrid.
- ✓ MAREMAGNUM shopping mall in Barcelona.
- ✓ LINATE international airport in Milan.



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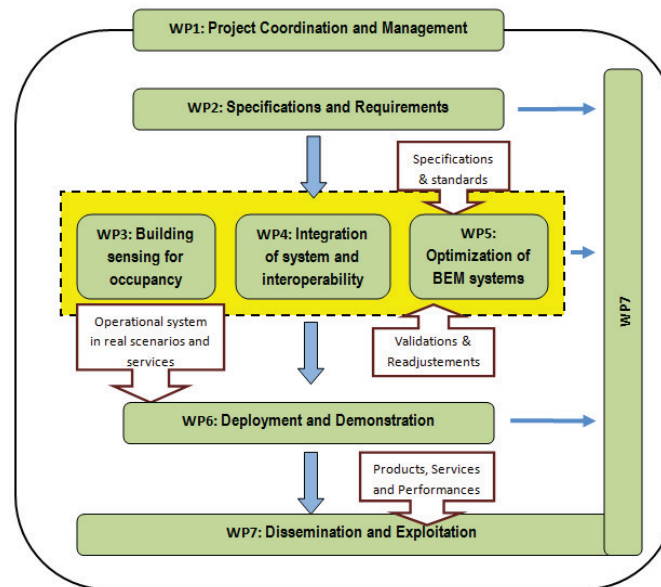


- World-wide innovative ICT for EeB solution
- Savings of 5-10% in energy consumption and cost.
- Reduction of CO₂ emissions in 2-4% in Spain or 3.75-7.5% in Italy, approximately.
- 5% reduction of cost in maintaining, repairing conditioning systems fails and malfunctions.
- Controlling and management of public buildings.
- Payback period of less than one year in public buildings

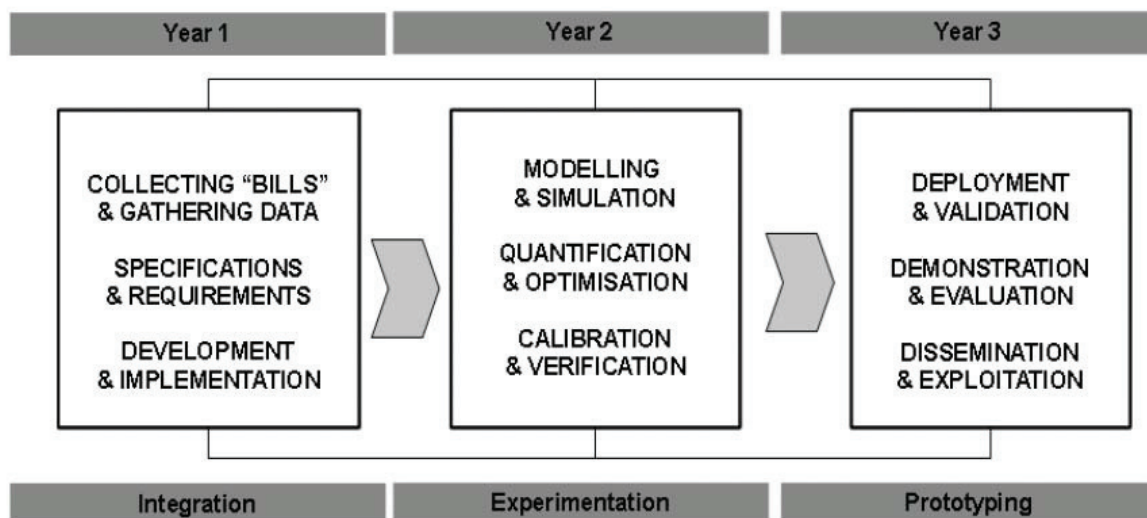


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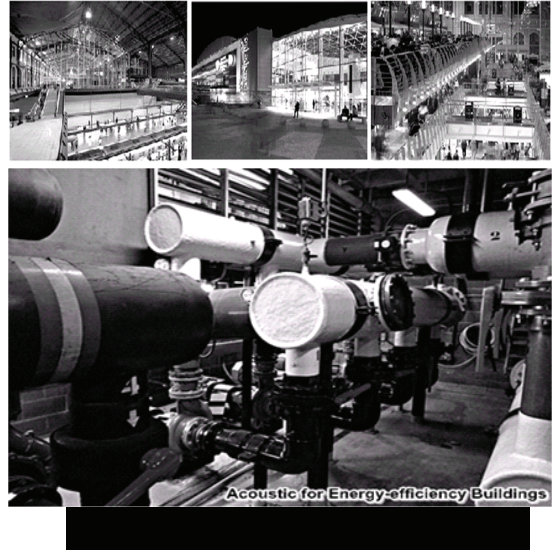
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Goal

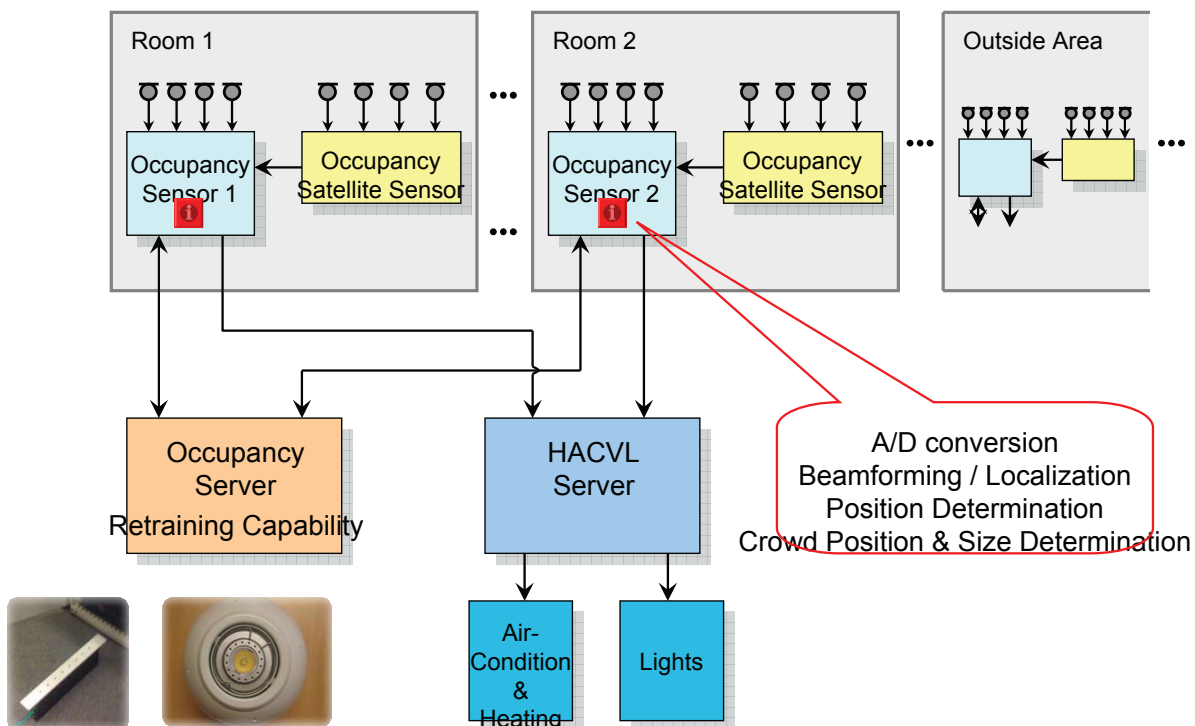
- Energy savings by means of acoustic scene analysis
 - Obtain parameter „occupancy“. How many persons are doing what in buildings?
 - Use obtained information to manage HAVC systems

Acoustic Technologies

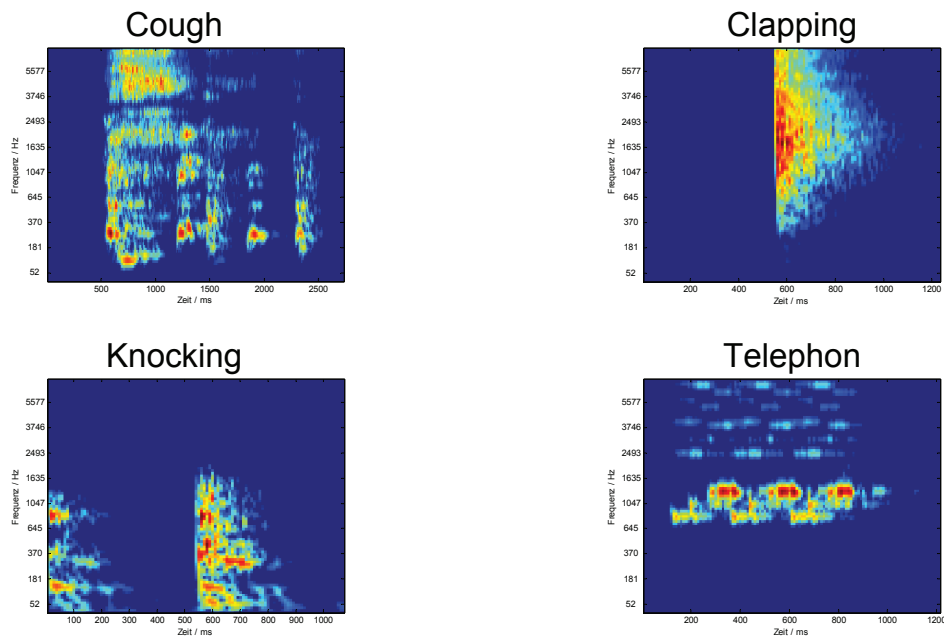
- Acoustic position estimation and tracking / spatial filtering
- Acoustic Event Detection and Classification
- Semi-automatic learning algorithms



Acoustic Sensing in S4EeB

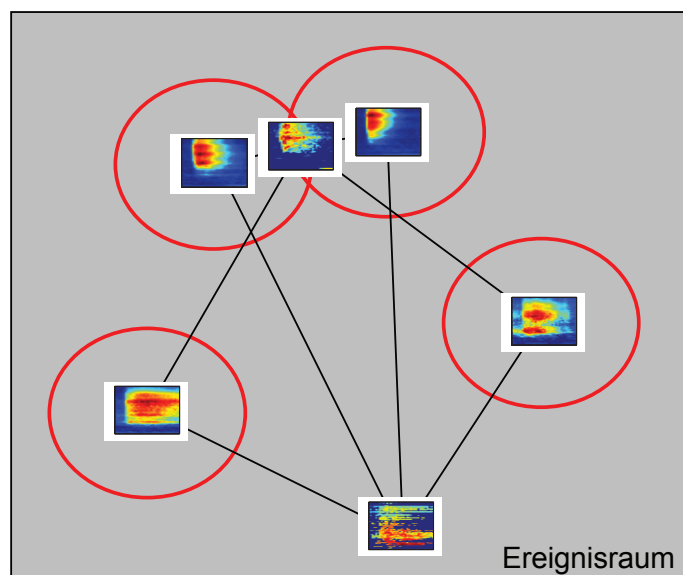


Acoustic Event Detection and Classification

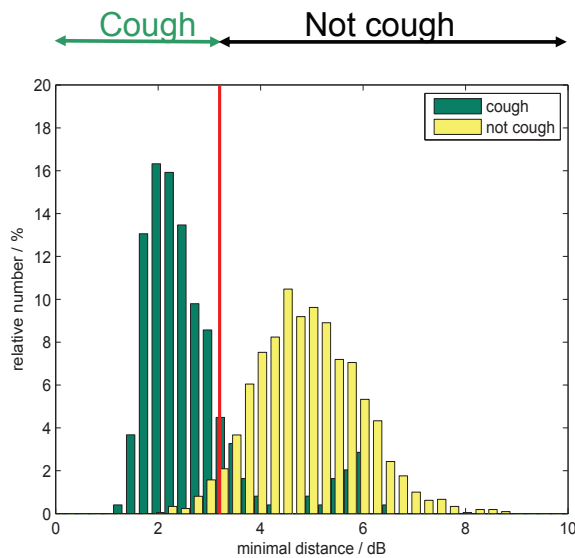


Cough Detection - A simple classifier

- Simple classifier: Self-Organizing Map (SOM)
- Distance comparison to previously trained models

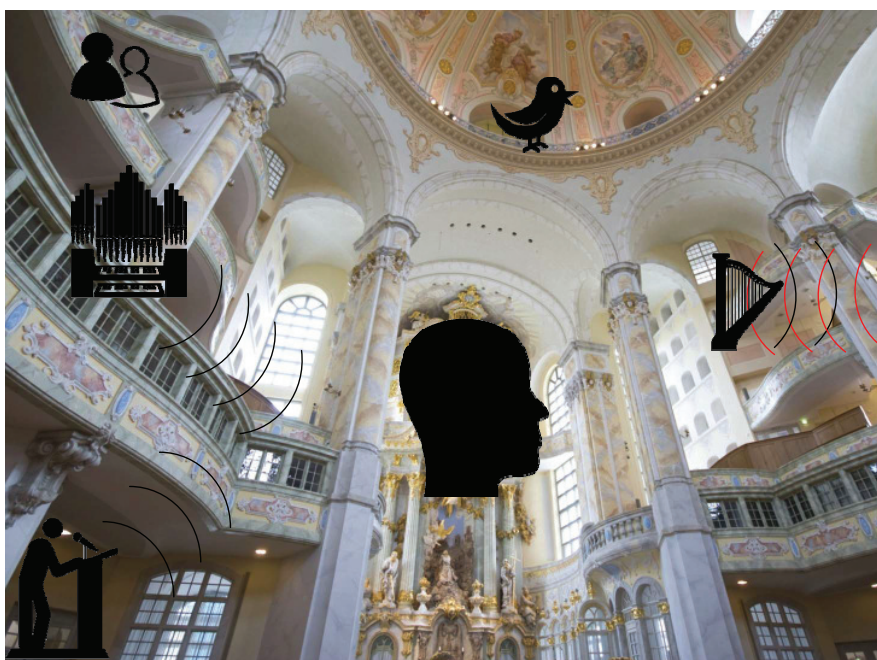


Classifier Performance



- > 80 % correct hit rate for classification of coughs
- ~ 97% of all non-cough events correctly classified

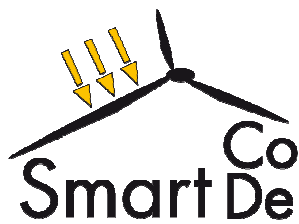
Acoustical challenge





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The SmartCoDe Demonstrator - a testbed to evaluate energy management

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Summary of demonstrator

Objective:

- Set up a demonstrator including „living lab“, together with a local energy generator,
- Demonstrate the Project outcome to a broad community.

Experience to be gained:

- Usability of the approach in a „real world scenario“,
- Dependability of communication between nodes in wireless network,
- Validation of models and simulation results.



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Outline

Goals and objectives of demonstrator

Demonstrator location and structure

Calculation of energy savings

Assessment of project impact

Conclusions

Goals and objectives

Show the outcome of the project to a broad community.

Get practical experience on the usability of the approach in a “real-world scenario” that embraces regenerative energies (wind turbine, solar panel), energy using products and local energy management.

Evaluate the outcomes under realistic conditions.

Prove that all the theoretical assumptions and models produced in SmartCoDe are correct.

Provide a feedback to the models developed so that real-world data can be integrated to finalize the models.

Show to the public that the concept and implementation of SmartCoDe is feasible and thus provide a proof that the budgets of the project are spent for the benefit of the society.

Specific technical objectives

Prove that SmartCoDe methods for automated energy management are efficient.

Show the benefits of SmartCoDe high resolution energy management.

Show the communication and remote control of EuPs using the SmartCoDe devices.

Demonstrate technical and economic feasibility and benefit of SmartCoDe intelligent energy management.

Quantify possible energy savings due to:

- Classical energy management,
- High resolution energy management,
- Coordination of supply systems,
- Coordination of energy using products, and
- Reduction of peak load.

Demonstrator location: Buchberg, Austria

Buchberg location includes a building used as restaurant as well as home for a family of five. The building is equipped with a small wind turbine, energy using products and energy management system.

Almersberg site is in addition, it is close to Buchberg and already has some of the needed equipment available.



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Demonstrator structure: Buchberg site

Step 1: Technical Overview – „Consumption Model“

	Number	Power	Usage Hours	Consumption	Consumption estimations
Deepfreezer: summary	4	0,86	3671	3.157	5,3% 12 month/a 24 hours/d in use
Whirlpool AFG 6512G	1	0,2	2281	456	0,8% DF1 / 1,25 kWh p d / 503l est: 0,2kW
Austria Haustechnik GTX 47SS	1	0,22	4480	986	1,6% DF2 / 2,70 kWh p d / 386l
AHT CC400 Type 807 Eskimo	1	0,3	3772	1132	1,9% DF3 / 3,10 kWh p d / 364l
Elin GTL 0191	1	0,14	4171	584	1,0% DF4 / 1,60 kWh p d / 180l (est: 1,6 kWh pd)
Washingmaschine BSH WM16S750	1	2,30	209	480	0,8% estimation 300 washings a 1,6 kWh
Washingmaschine Miele Meteor 1000	1	2,40	213	510	0,9% estimation 300 washings a 1,7 kWh
Dryer BSH WDT60	1	1,50	160	240	0,4% estimation 150 dryings a 1,6 kWh
Dryer Electrolux EDC 5310	1	4,37	150	656	1,1% estimation 150 dryings a 4,37 kWh
Oven BSH HTSHBP7	1	3,70	81	300	0,5% estimation 500 preparations a 0,6 kWh
Cooling room	1	0,08	8760	394	0,7% est. 12 month/a 24 hours/d 60% on duty
Restaurant	1	6,00	5368	32.208	53,7% est. 11 month/a 16 hours/d in use
Sightseeing tower	1	1,80	8760	15.768	26,3% 12 month/a 24 hours/d est 1,8kW in use
Household	1	0,50	8760	4.380	7,3% 12 month/a 24 hours/d est 0,5kW in use

The analysis helps to understand, which devices and consumers have what part in all over power consumption at the demonstrator.

It is a kind of „consumption model“ which has to be changed according to the detailed results of the measurement.

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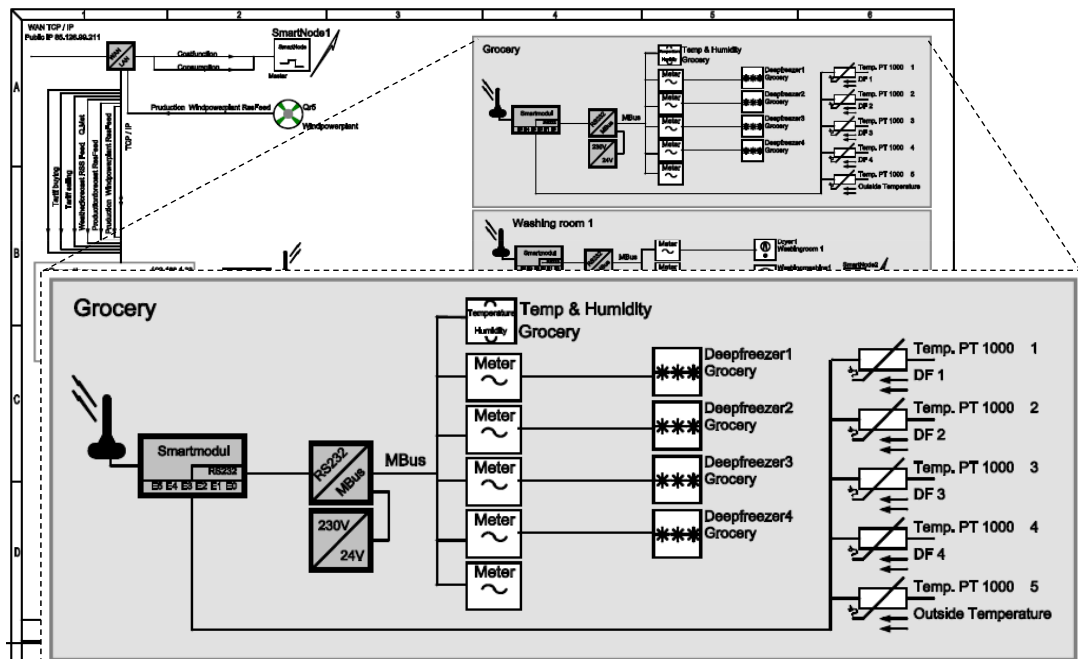
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Demonstrator structure: Buchberg site

Step 2: Measurement Concept



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Demonstrator structure: Buchberg site

Energy Management Unit (EMU)

- built in and operative
- connected to the router
- connection to smart module tested



Grocery

- power and temperature measurement in four deep freezers
- room temperature and –humidity are measured
- outside temperature is measured

Washing Room 2 (toilette)

- power measurement for washing machine
- power measurement for dryer
- room temperature measured



Demonstrator structure: Buchberg site

Main Electrical Distribution

- measurement of the main power meter (EVU)
- power measurement for sightseeing tower
- power measurement for cooling room
- power measurement for restaurant
- power measurement for oven
- power measurement for dryer
- power measurement for washing machine (1st floor)
- room temperature restaurant measured



Wind Power Plant

- connected to the router



Demonstrator structure: Buchberg site

Step 3: Optimisation Concept

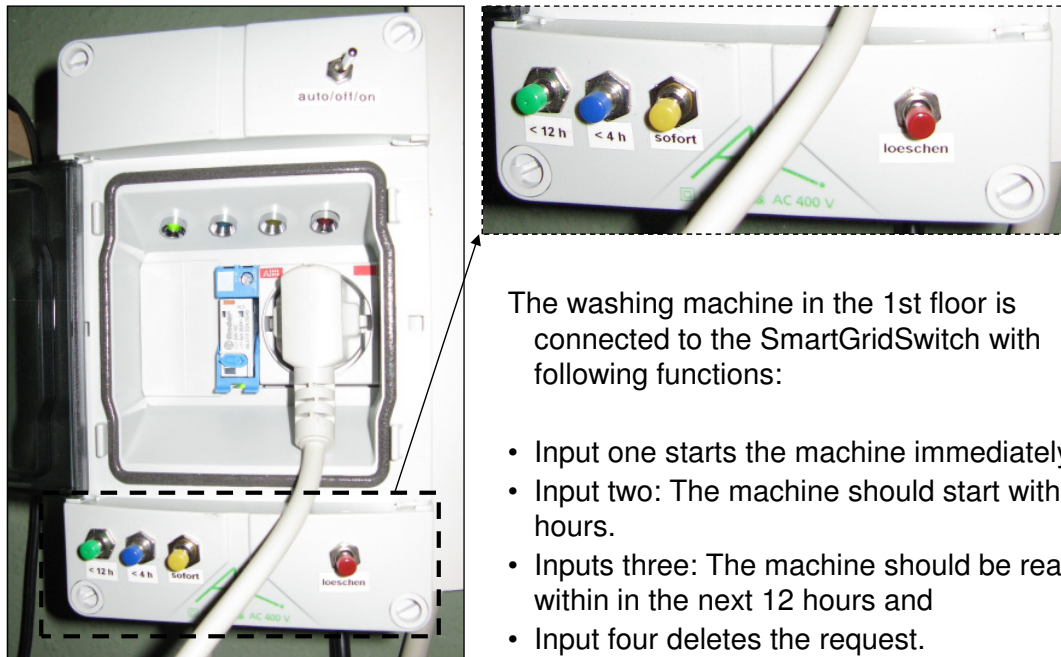
The concept consists of

Energy Management Unit (EMU)

- SmartGridSwitch – simple device for testing user interaction
- SmartCodeNodes – advanced intelligent devices



Demonstrator structure: Buchberg site



The washing machine in the 1st floor is connected to the SmartGridSwitch with following functions:

- Input one starts the machine immediately.
- Input two: The machine should start within 4 hours.
- Inputs three: The machine should be ready within in the next 12 hours and
- Input four deletes the request.

Demonstrator structure: Buchberg site

The following devices will be connected with a SmartCoDeNode:

- 4 refrigerators at the grocery
- Washing machine 1 at the Washing Room 1
- Oven 1 at the Restaurant
- Dryer 2 at the Washing Room 2
- Open: Cooling Room
- Open: Automate at the Sightseeing Tower

Almersberg location



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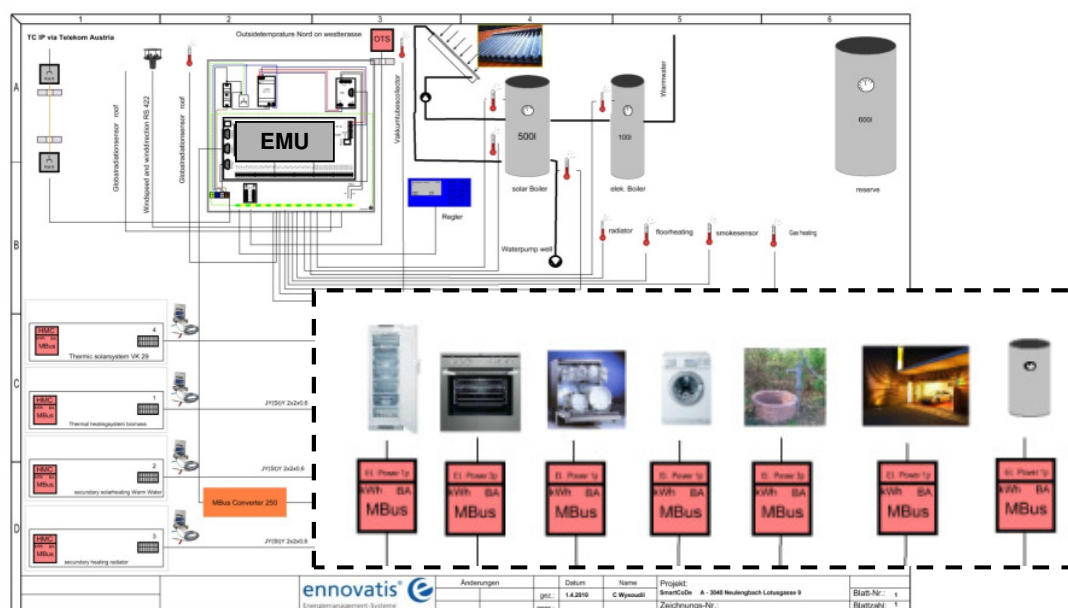
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Demonstrator structure: Almersberg site

Measuring Concept



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Analysis of the measured data

Demonstrator will be used to:

- Calculate energy production by local energy production (wind generator and photovoltaic),
- Calculate energy consumption by local energy using products,
- Calculate energy savings compared to the pre-demonstrator energy consumption at the demonstrator site.

Quantification of possible energy savings due to:

- classical energy management,
- high resolution energy management,
- coordination of supply systems,
- coordination of energy using products, and
- reduction of peak load.

Steps to determine energy savings at demonstrator

1. Measure, collect and record baseline data.
2. Install and test the components and the demonstrator as a whole and verify that the demonstrator installation works properly (commissioning).
3. Measure and collect energy and operating data after the demonstrator is installed in a systematic way which is consistent with the baseline period.
4. Calculate the energy savings, report and present all the collected and computed data in a way which is suitable to demonstrate the effect of the demonstrator on the energy savings.

Calculation of energy savings

The methods which will be used to calculate energy savings are based on the IPVMP protocol (document: „*International Performance Measurement & Verification Protocol (IPMVP)*“, March 2002, www.ipmvp.org).

Energy saving is the difference among the consumption according to the energy efficiency measures (EEM) and measured during the reporting period and the consumption prior the implantation (baseline period).

Consumption is influenced by different variables like weather, usage or occupancies. It is necessary to have consumption and conditions data prior the implantation of EEM in similar conditions as after the EEM. Also it is necessary to make suitable adjustments for changes in conditions and independent variables.

Assessment of project impact

The goal of the SmartCoDe project is to provide a solution which will allow manufacturers of energy using products to:

- add energy management functionality,
- with additional features such as remote control, safety and security,
- for very little additional cost,
- and thus enable local entities to participate in the energy market as an intelligent, managed “sub-grid” that can even contribute to a demand side management.

How do we evaluate and assess the overall impact of the project?

Economic feasibility

To assess the economic feasibility of the project we will address several aspects:

- What costs are involved for the different kind of groups (user, equipment provider, energy provider),
- How can invested cost be refund for the different kinds of groups, for example lesser energy costs, market penetration, lesser net load (i.e. lesser peaks probably mean that the maximum net load with which nets are built can be reduced),
- What actually are the benefits apart from energy cost reduction, for example what are community benefits as related to the CO2 reduction.

Economic feasibility (continued)

We will compare the baseline data with the data collected during the demonstrator operation at the two demonstrator locations, and calculate energy savings due to the local energy production and intelligent energy management.

Energy cost savings will be classified as relative to:

- Cost reduction for buying energy from a third party (for example, the public grid),
- Load reduction for energy out of the public grid,
- Peak load reduction for energy out of the public grid,

Applicability and usability issues

We will have an external reviewer inputs to prepare, conduct and analyse the applicability and usability of the SmartCoDe solution.

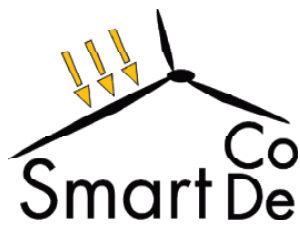
The analysis will be based on monitoring the behaviour of the inhabitants of demonstrator locations to get an understanding how they used the demonstrator equipment and if they are using the suggested methods in an appropriate way.

Conclusions

We presented SmartCoDe demonstrator concept and structure, as well as how we will use the demonstrator to evaluate energy savings and assess the impact of the project.

Demonstrator is installed at Buchberg, with additional site at Almersberg, both near Vienna, Austria, with wind turbine, photovoltaic panel, energy using products, measurement sensors and SmartCoDe nodes, energy management system in place, and the web site showing the relevant demonstrator data.

In the forthcoming period we plan to use demonstrator to collect data which will be needed for calculation of energy production, consumption and savings.



SmartCoDe System-in-Package (SiP) Considerations



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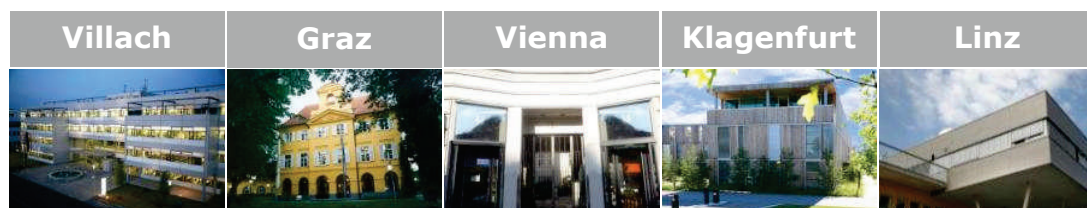
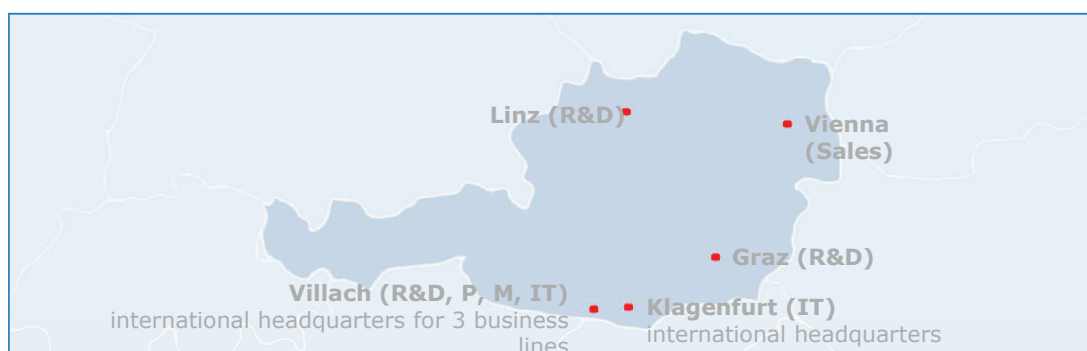
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- › Status Development of Key Elements:
Metering IC, Power Supply
- › Discussion on partitioning SiP/SoC
- › Conclusion



Introduction & Scope

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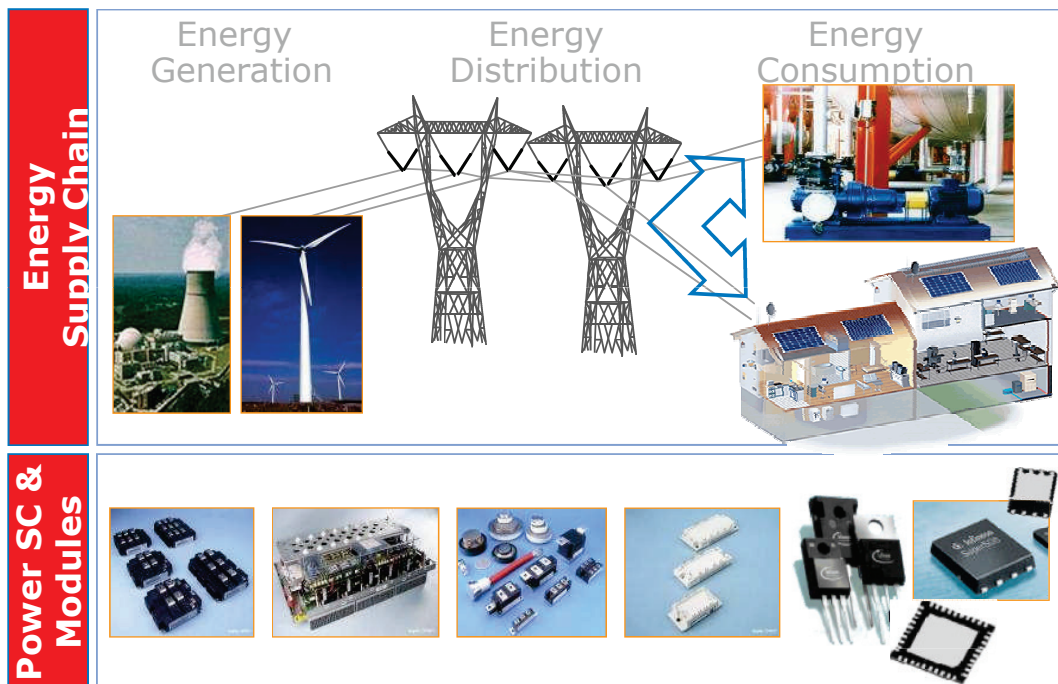
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...Now Going Further to the Energy CONTROL Level

SmartCoDe Target Module

- › Miniaturized wireless networked smart device for power metering and control of energy using products at low costs
 - Lighting units
 - (Home-) appliances
 - Intelligent power plug
 - ...



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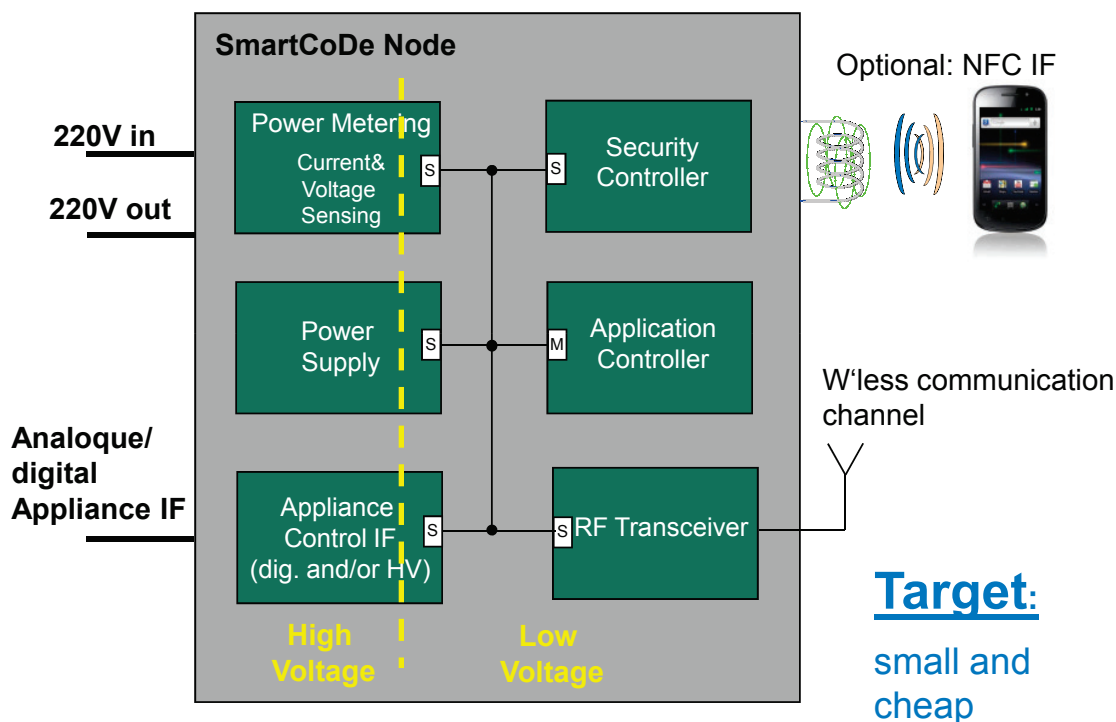
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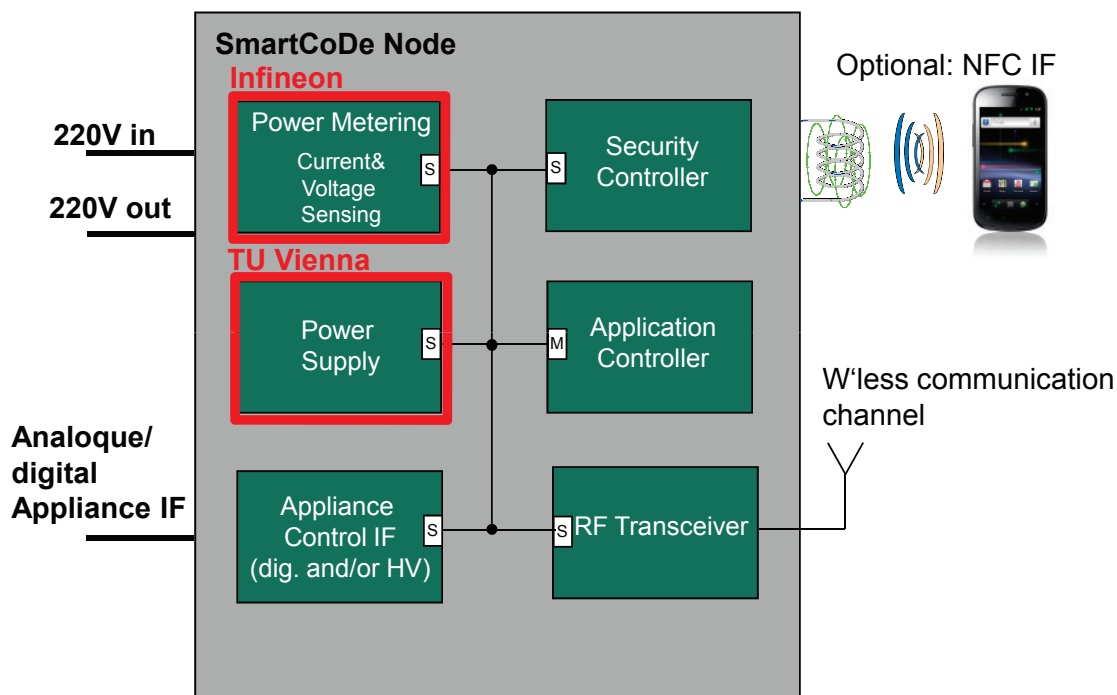
Application cases to be considered

- › Lighting units (**LED**, neon lamps, halogen lamps, bulb, ...)
- › Appliances control (e.g. fridge, washing machine, ...; with digital or analogue interface)
- › Intelligent power plug (Power plug control & metering)
- › Smart Metering only (measure, store and report metering information)
- › Sensors (temperature, humidity, presence, light level,...)
- › Master- resp. Gateway Node (need to also perform SW-centric network management tasks, key management,...)
- ›

Basic Functional Blocks of a full functional SmartCoDe Node



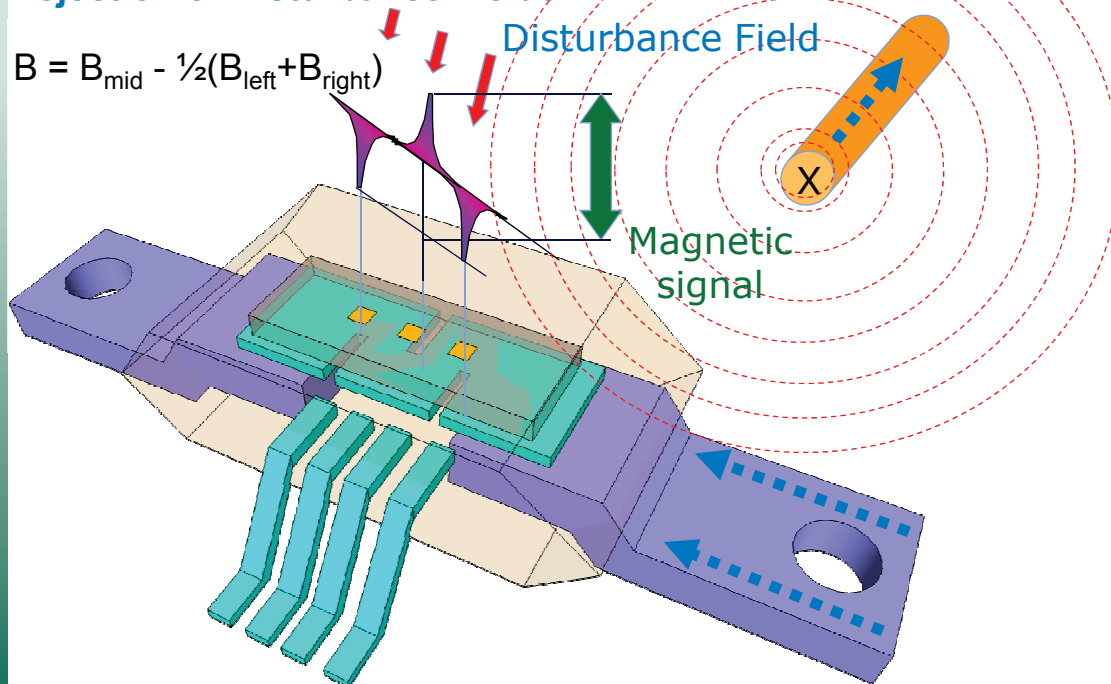
Key Components developed throughout SmartCoDe



Key element: Current (Power) sensing

Triple Hall Sensor: Rejection of Disturbance Fields

$$B = B_{\text{mid}} - \frac{1}{2}(B_{\text{left}} + B_{\text{right}})$$



Dual Hall Sensor: Differential principle

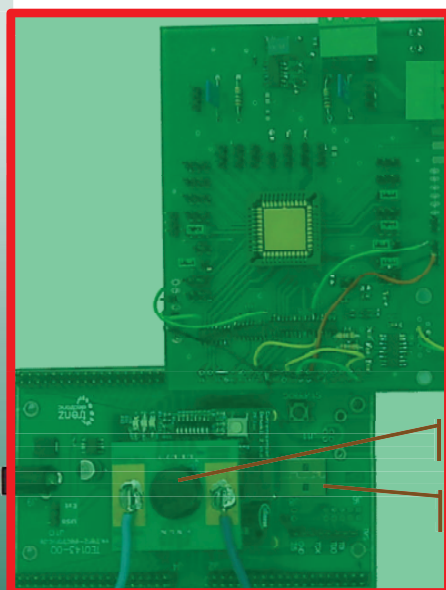
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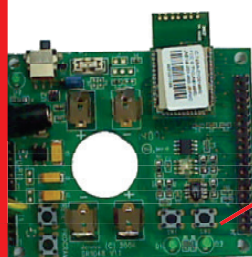
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First functional Demonstrator (year 1)



**Metering functionality
spread over 2 PCBs**

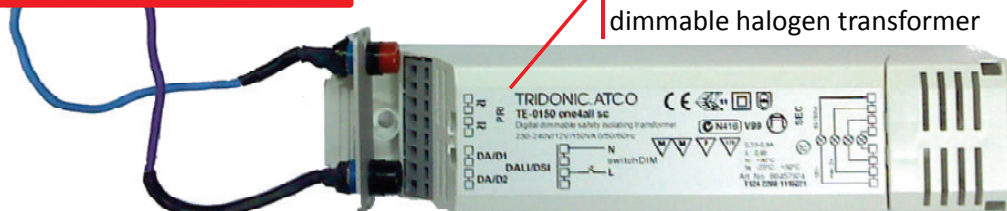


Wireless module

Hall-based current sensor (analogue)

FPGA: dig. post-processing of
current & voltage signals

Test load: DALI controlled,
dimmable halogen transformer

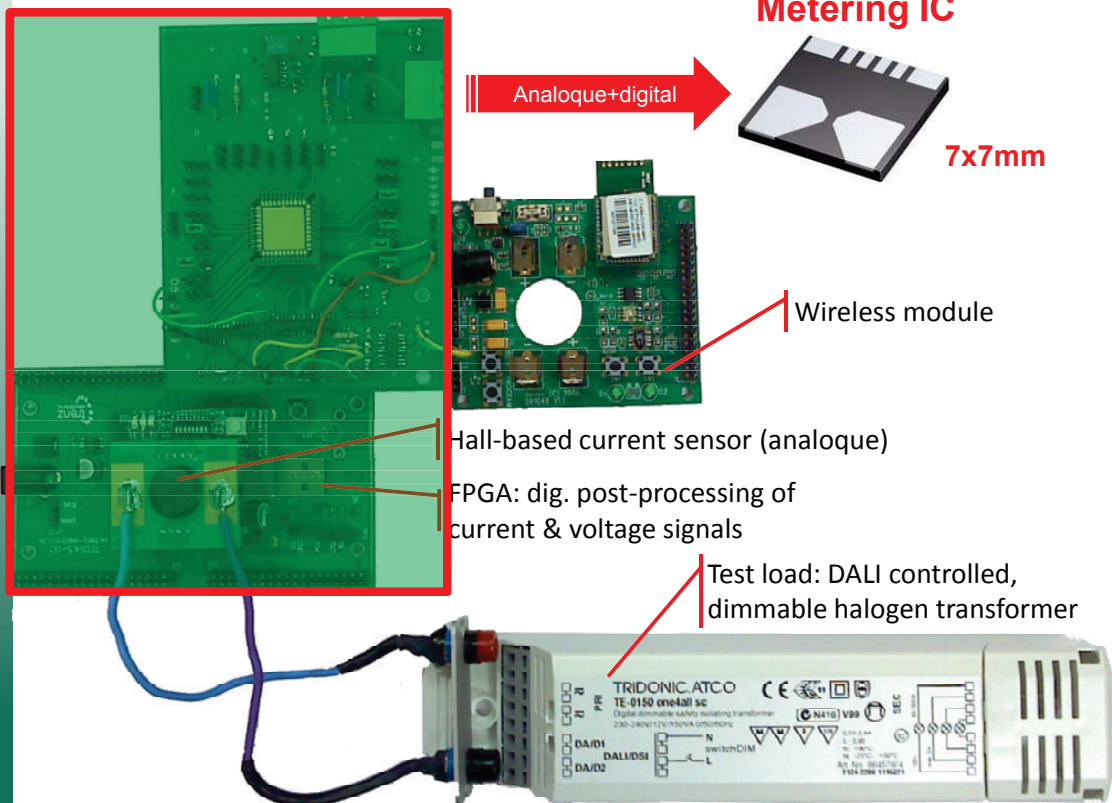


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Metering Sensor: First fully integrated samples now ready for test

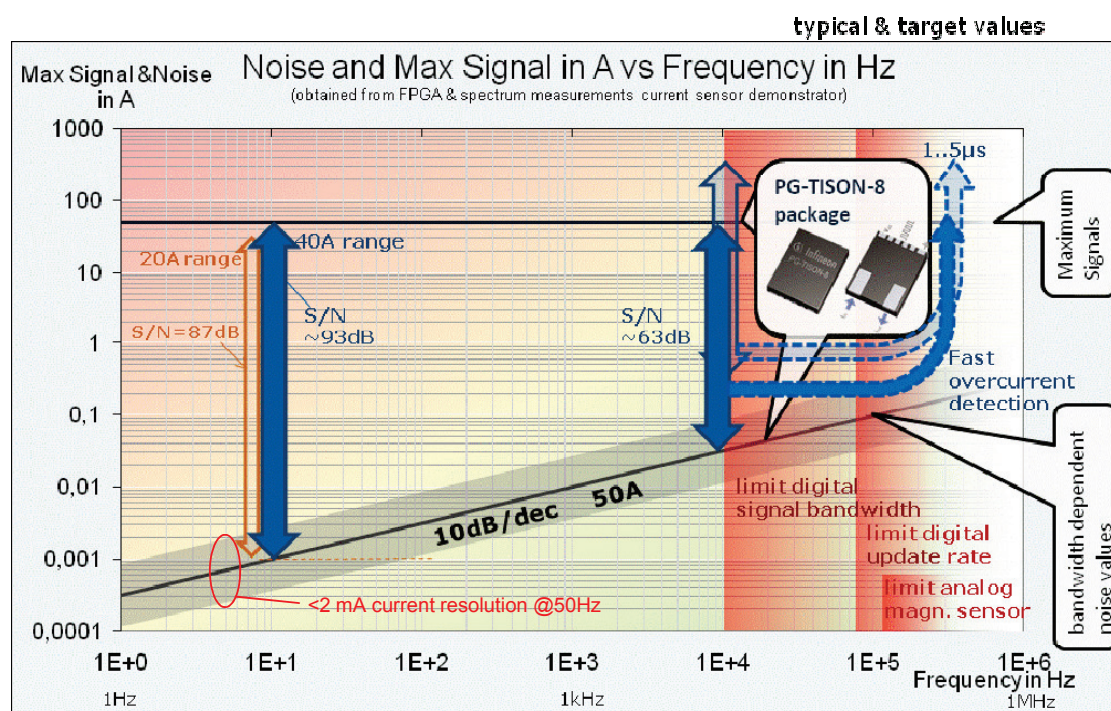


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Noise & Dynamic Range of Current Sensor Section



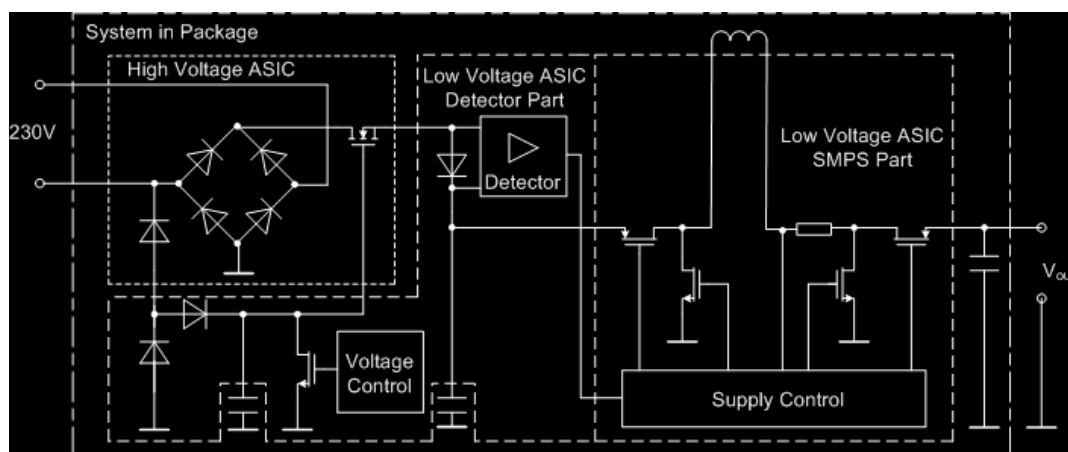
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Power Supply

SmartCoDe Power Supply SMPS based, with detector and capacitive startup

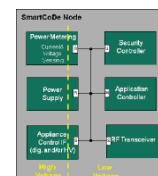


- No clumsy components
- Low count of external passives
- High efficiency

Development ongoing

Discussion: Partitioning SiP/SoC

SoC or SiP ?



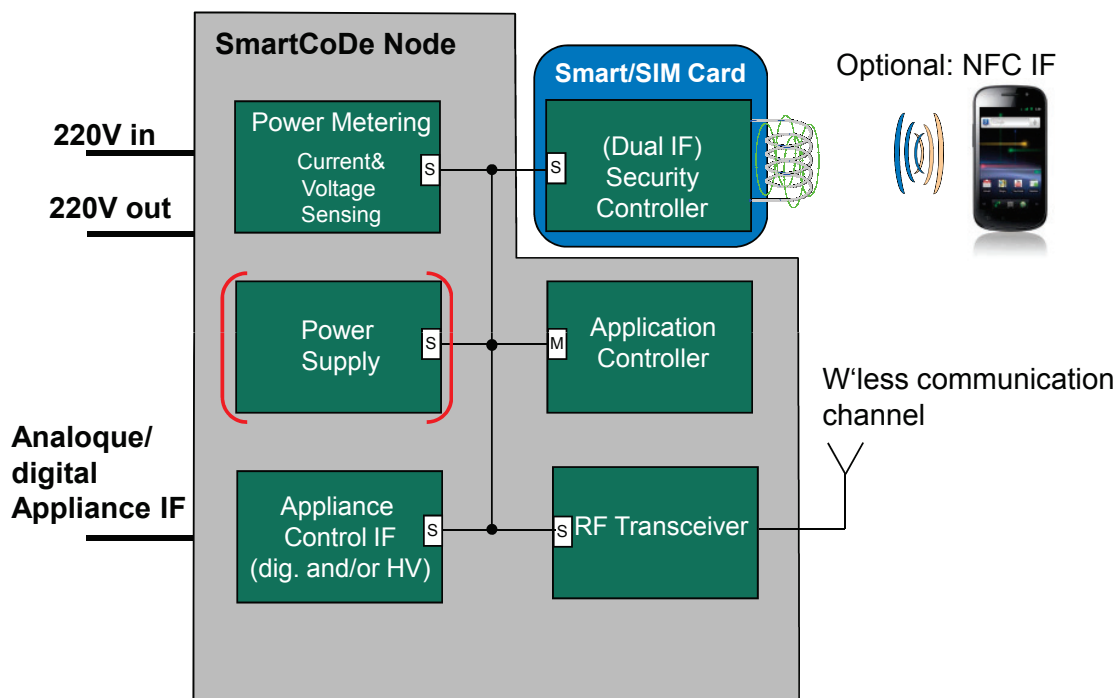
› SoC:

- › Integrating CMOS technologies can implement almost all functions on single chip, with some external passives
- › Optimize chip-area, reduce assembly- and logistic costs
- › Pays off only for highest volume
- › Could be long term target once standardizing issues are clearly settled

– SiP:

- › Can use different, “best fitting” semiconductor technologies and specific process optimizations
- › Due to low number of component-I/Os and interconnects in a SmartCoDe node this does not add significant costs:
 - no multi-layer substrates/PCBs required
 - Could apply cheap sub-packaging
 - » e.g. SMD only to make use of homogeneous assembly line
 - » cope with heterogeneous reliability/hermeticity requirements
 - low risk of yield drop
- › Mid-term target: chip embedding/eWLP => keep value chain in wafer fab
 - paves the way towards a true integration of frontend- and backend-processes. It streamlines the manufacturing process undergone by a highly heterogeneously integrated device, like a SmartCoDe module, from silicon start over assembly, packaging, testing and shipment.

SmartCoDe Partitioning Option 1

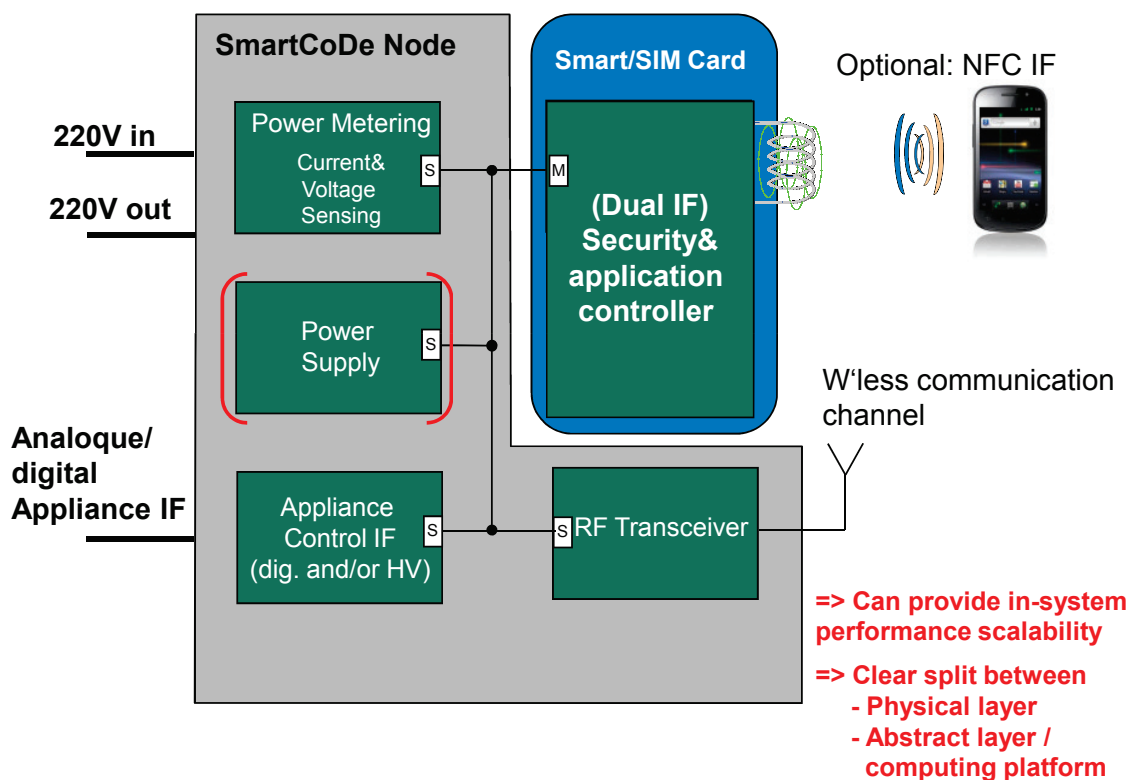


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SmartCoDe Partitioning Option 2

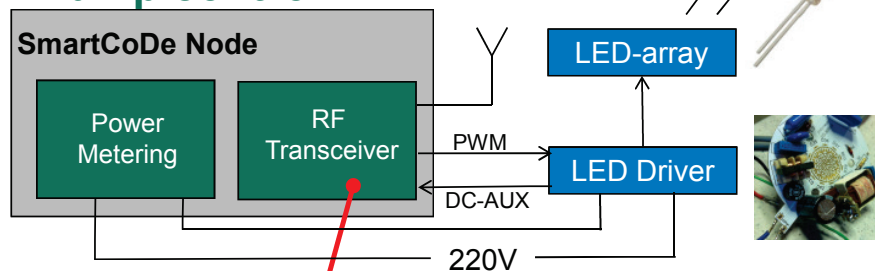


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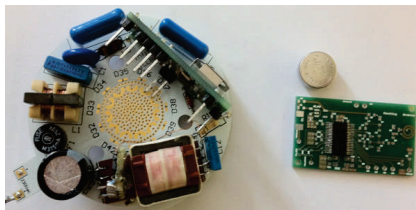
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Example of a „minimum“ system configuration: LED Lamp control



Infineon Smart TRX (prototype from EU funded project „CHOSen“):
includes RF-FE, BB, AES crypto acceleration, programmable
ISM for MAC-acceleration & simple protocols/applications

- ⇒ not all applications might require all functional units
- ⇒ due to the high number of light sources in buildings a highly optimized approach is particularly interesting

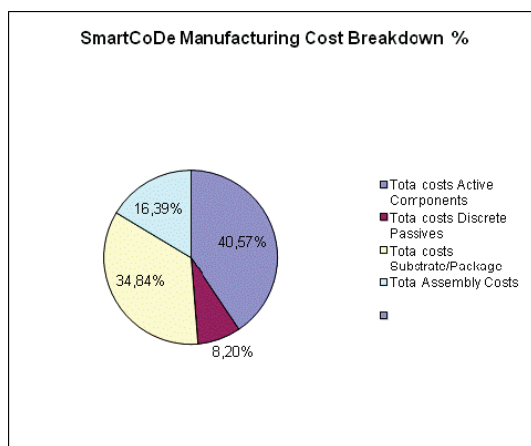


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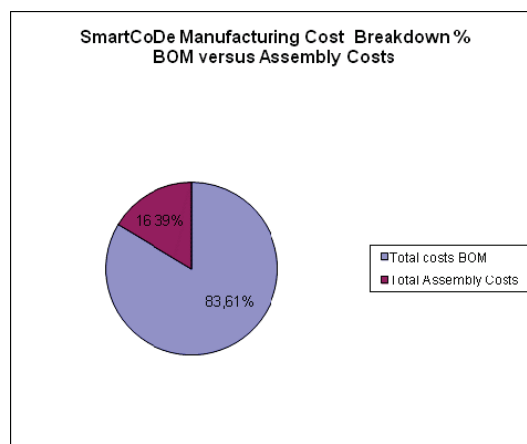
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Initial SmartCoDe HW Node Cost Indications



- Total costs: < 5€ possible (based on full functional node)
- Lower costs possible if not all functions are required or when striving for higher single chip integration (costs are BOM dominated)



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Possible Cost Optimizations

- › Costs dominated by
 - **active components**
 - **substrate/packaging**
- › Means for Optimization
 - **cost drop over the years**
particularly for eWLP once mature, homogeneous Frontend/Backend fabs are set in place
 - **higher single chip integration (of heterogeneous functions; e.g. usage of CMOS integration technologies)**
 - **tailoring/optimization to specific (killer-niche) application**
 - **digitally intensive approaches (digital logic shrinks best)**
 - **different feature variants (w/wo security, power supply, metering)**

An affordable technology for everyone...



Tent lights off !

Thank you for your attention...

**Never
stop
thinking**