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Energy Storage

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Mission and scope

The TCP-ECES mission is to contribute in the energy transition toward a renewable energy based energy system by:

- Joint R&D + pre-standardisation work.
- Scope:
 - heating, cooling & electricity;
 - Central & Decentralised
- Integral solutions, impact on other domains like Solar, Heat pumps, SG, DHC, Energy Conservation.



About ECES TCP

Current high-priority themes for energy storage in ECES

Thermal energy (for cooling & heating):

- Underground energy storage
- Compact thermal storage

Electrical energy:

- integration aspects in grids,
- Storage in buildings and electric mobility

Modelling:

improve position of energy storage in models



The transition of our energy system



"old model"

SMART GRIDS

remote operation, DSM. Variable rates and tariffs. gamification

DATA MANAGEMENT & CONTROL

ENERGY STORAGE

Heat/Cold and **Electricity** (electrical vehicles)

CENTRAL RENEWABLE **ENERGY PRODUCTION**

Wind, Hydro,

"PROSUMERFICATION"

Local energy consumption and renewable production connected



The transition of our energy system

Abundant (variable) renewable energy production





• (Changing) variable load profiles



Focus on storage and flexibility

Development

- Historical focus mainly on production and energy savings for heating, cooling and electricity consumption
- New domain: matching variable production and variable load profiles (+increased cooling demand and EV)
- Sector coupling required for comprehensive approach (P2C, P2H, P2P, P2M2P, etc)
- → Position of Energy Storage and Flexibility:



Storage and Cooling

Developments Cold Storage

- Decentralised options:
 - mainly for office buildings
 - proven technology
- Example: Japan
 - Abeno HARUKAS Buld. (OSAKA)



Technology





Storage and Cooling

Developments Cold Storage

- Centralised options:
 - Mainly district cooling
 - Using UTES (Underground storage) / Aquifers
 - Proven technology
- Example: Netherlands

Greenhouses and office districts





Storage and Cooling



• Value for storage determined by:

- Cooling load / (additional) electricity cost for infrastructure
- High dependency on day/night rates electricity
- Economics require:
 - Dynamic pricing
 - Long term stability in pricing structure



ECES TCP / Mission Innovation

Challenge #7: affordable heating and cooling

Increased international effort to address need for decarbonisation of fast growing heating and cooling demand.

Priority areas like:

- Energy storage (TES- heating / cooling)
- Heatpumps
- Cooling / heat rejection
- Predictive maintenance
- Work plan under development



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Thank you

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