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OVERVIEW

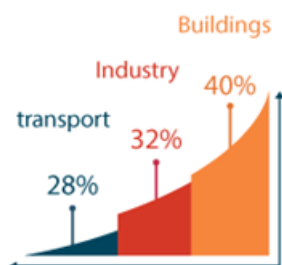
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- Independent Research & Innovation institute for Government and Industry
- Established by law in 1932
- Not-for-Profit
- 5 focus areas:
 - Industry
 - (in transition)* Healthy Living
 - Defence, Safety & Security
 - Urbanisation
 - Energy
- Approx. 3500 people
- Deeply involved in national and international research programmes



ENERGY BUILT ENVIRONMENT

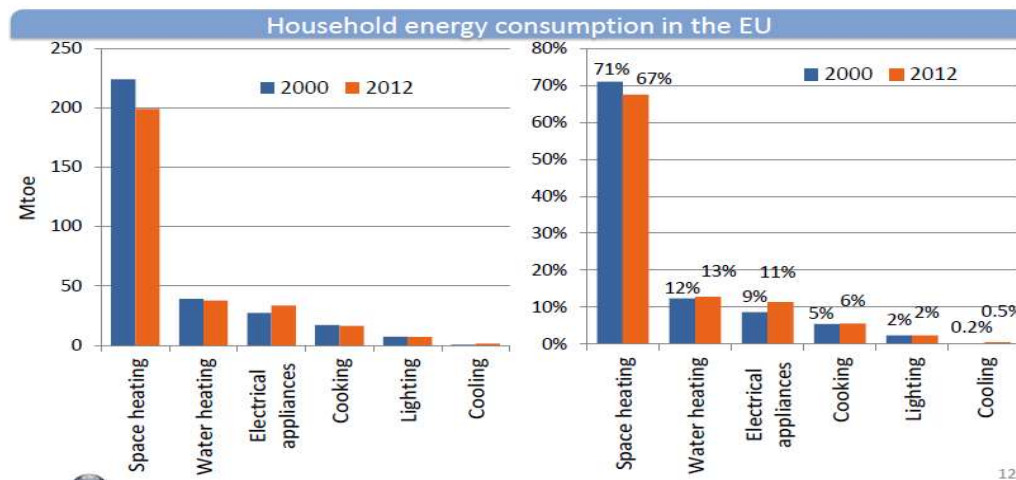
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ENERGY CONSUMPTION

Buildings account for 40% of the European Union's total energy consumption.

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~ 80 % heat

NL average (gas):

~ 1500 m³ gas

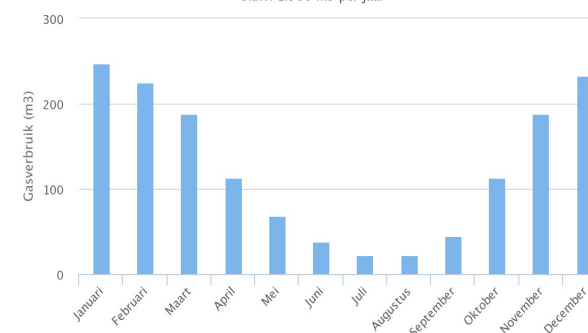
~ 50 GJ

~1000 Euro/yr

NL: 97 % houses
gas connected



Gasverbruik per maand
O.b.v. 1.500 m³ per jaar



ENERGY PRODUCING BUILDINGS

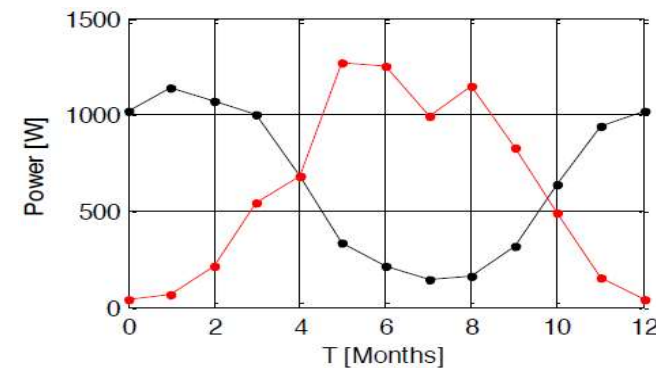
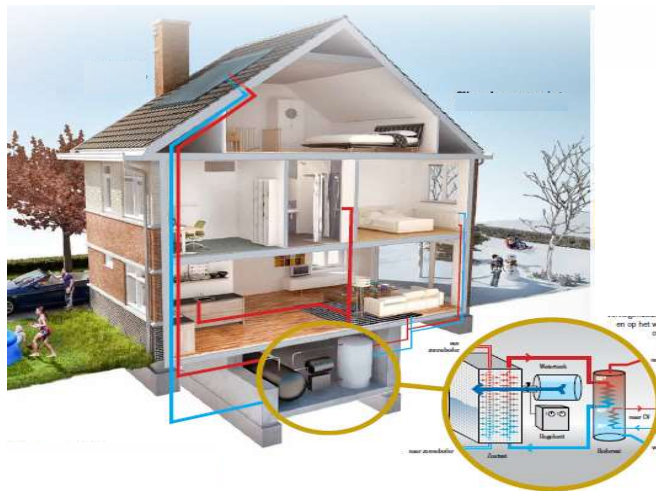
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- **Maximise energy production**
- **Optimise energy storage (short/long term)**
- **Minimise use (while maintaining comfort & health)**



TCM SEASONAL STORAGE OF SOLAR ENERGY

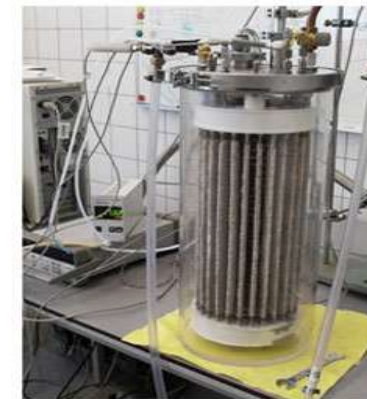
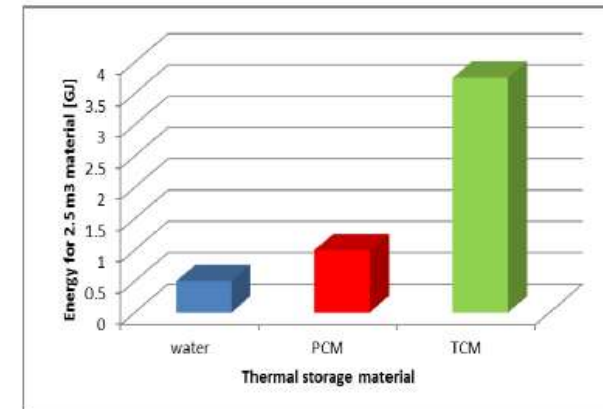
- › Total roof collector heat suffices for space heating of dwellings (alternatively: PV + Heat pump system)
- › Excess heat in summer stored for later use in winter
- › E.g. 10GJ storage \rightarrow $\sim 10\text{m}^3$ system \rightarrow $\sim 1\text{GJ/m}^3$ guideline



HEAT STORAGE

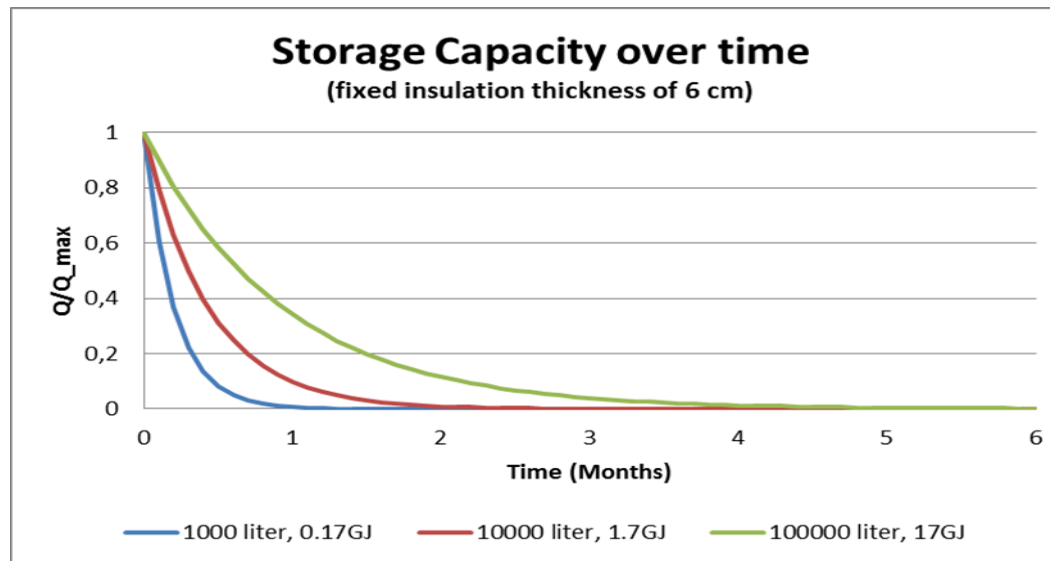
Possibilities for thermal energy storage:

1. Sensible (water)
2. Latent (PCM)
3. Thermochemical:
 - 1st generation: *Adsorption* (silica gel, zeolites)
 - 2nd generation: *Absorption* (salt hydrates)





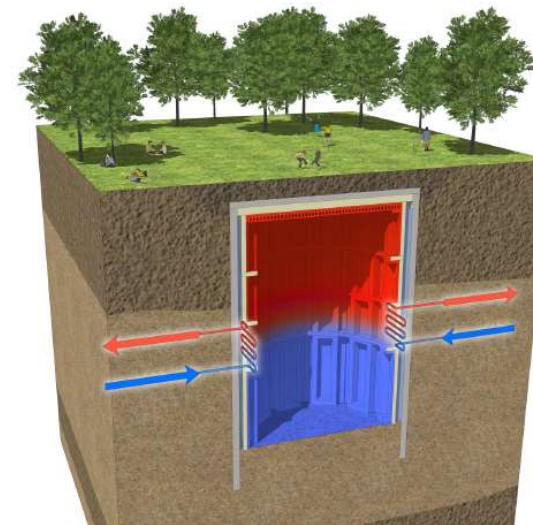
HOT WATER STORAGE TANK



EXAMPLES



5700 m³ heat store
2900 m² solar thermal, Munich 2007



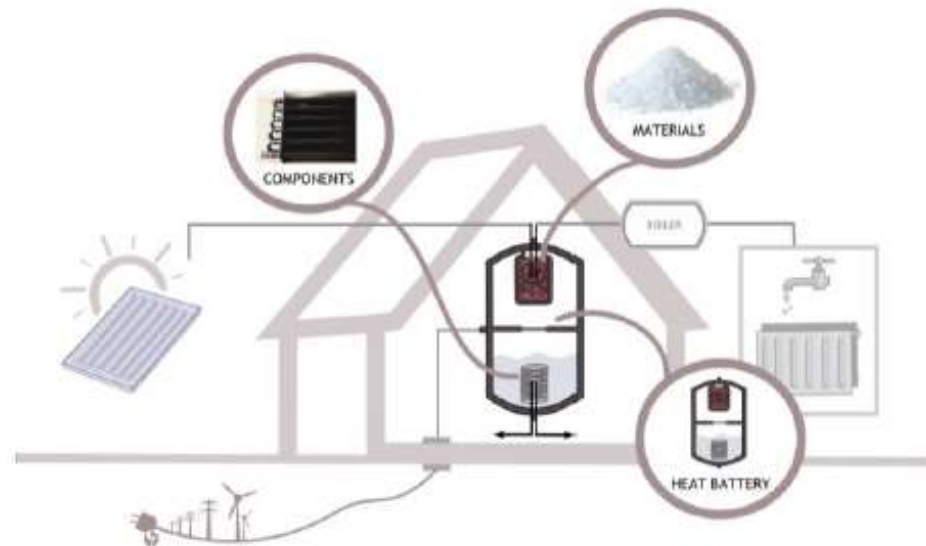
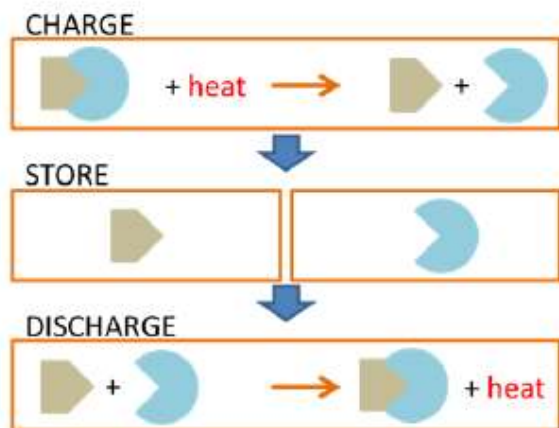
ECO vat (NL, under development)

EXAMPLE: Denmark, Vojens

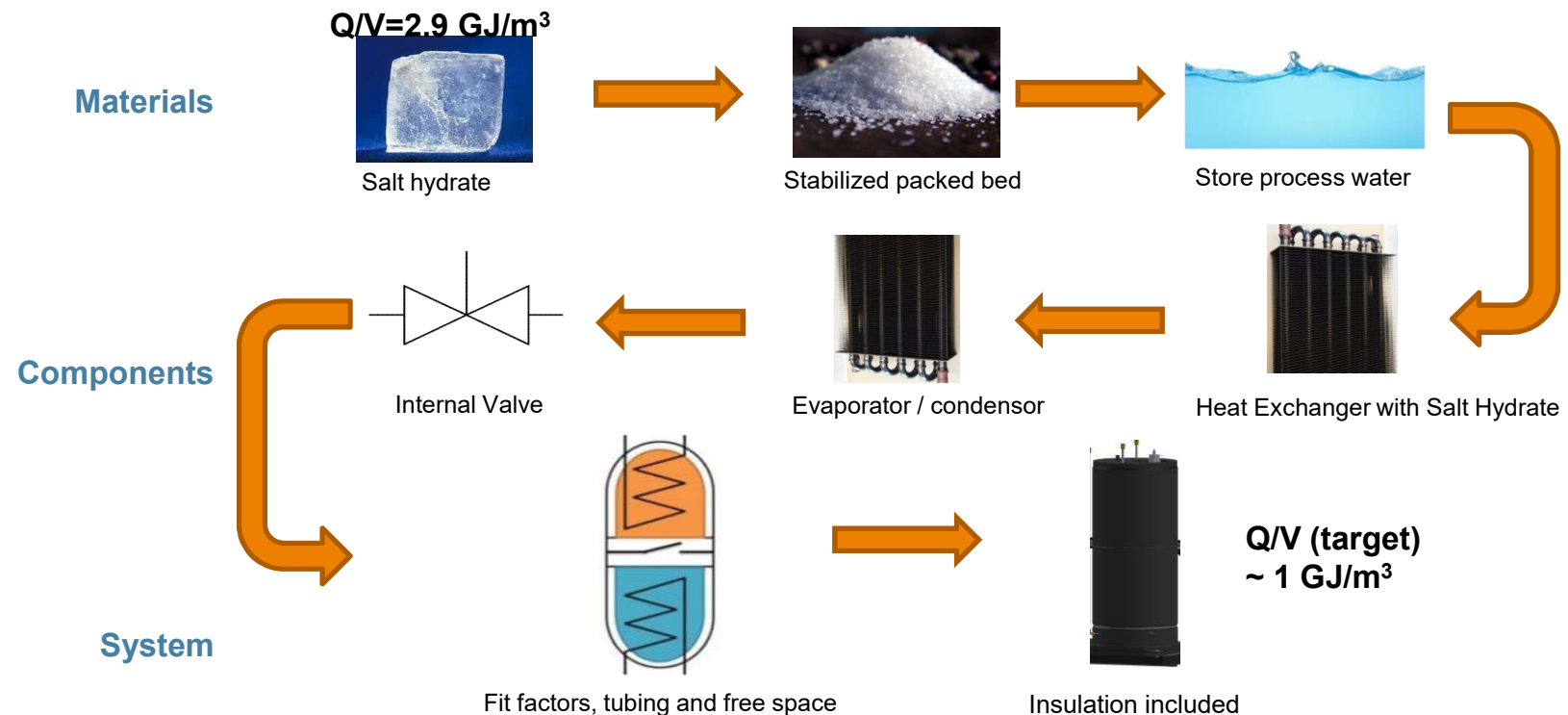
200.000 m³, operational since 2016. City with 7,655 inhabitants (50 MW_{th}; 55 – 60 % heating demand)



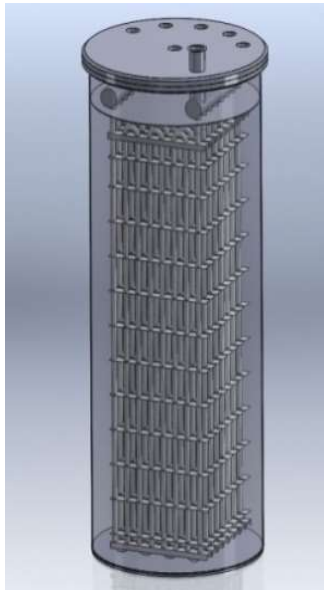
HEAT STORAGE – HEAT BATTERY



TCS Storage density material → component → system



THERMO-CHEMICAL HEAT BATTERIES



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Motor operated
valve reactor side

Motor operated
valve E/C side

Motor operated
Internal valve

Pressure sensor
and manual
operated valve

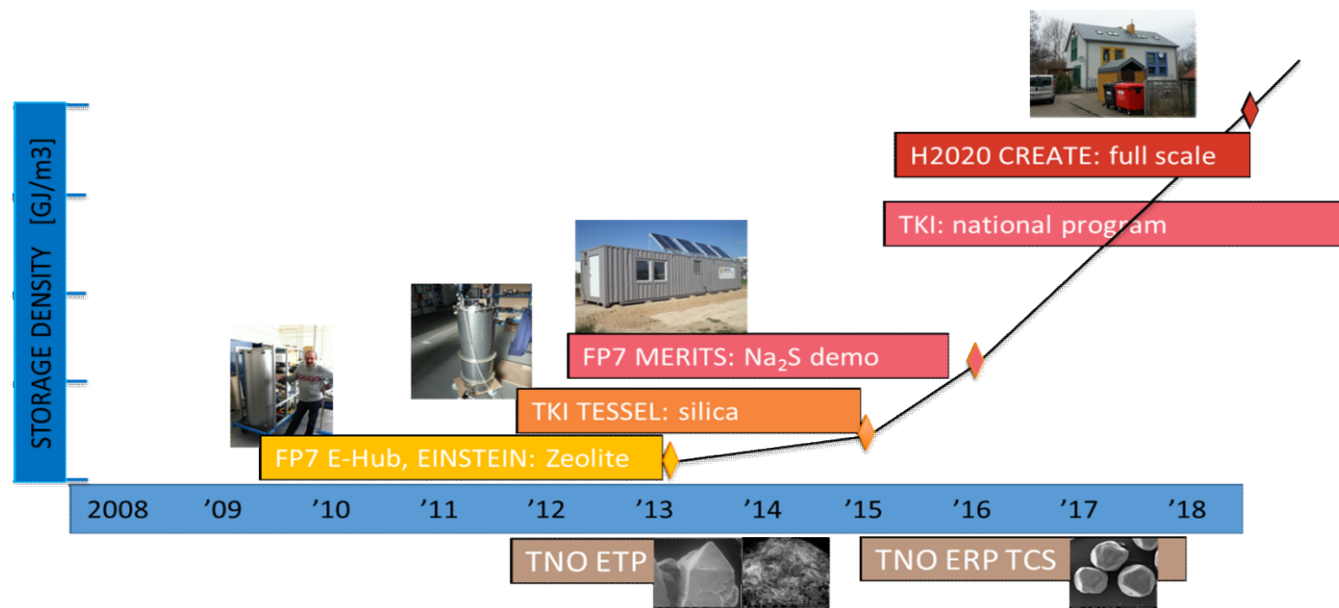


Seasonal thermal battery

- Capacity demo: $\sim 0.2 \text{ GJ/m}^3$
- Modular: 8 modules
- Fixed bed, vacuum system
- TCM material: Na_2S
- Currently @ TNO, Delft
($\sim 0.5 \text{ GJ}$ (135 kWh) capacity)



EVOLUTION OF KPI: ENERGY DENSITY





MJP - COMPACTE CONVERSIE & OPSLAG



LOSS FREE HEAT STORAGE (HEAT BATTERY)

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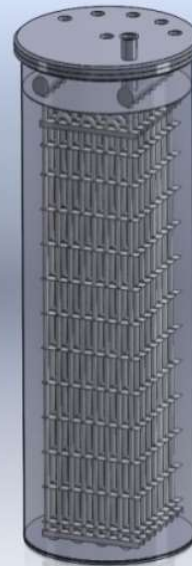
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<https://youtu.be/FZu2qDeOqFQ>

FINAL REMARKS / DISCUSSION

- › Long term (seasonal) storage needed for large scale integration of renewable energy (decoupling supply – demand)
- › Different kinds of (seasonal) heat storage possible, choice depending on local conditions:
 - Individual solutions (dwelling/building level)
 - Cooperative solutions ((semi-) large scale storages, potentially combined with local micro-grids)
- › Economic viability (> 20 years lifetime, no/low maintenance) and system integration important development topics

Energy production



Minimising use



Positive energy balance

