



# Smart solution for NZEB

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## **The vision (within the process of leading change, J Cotter, 2005)**

Going beyond the features of the existing model:

- end-user centrality
- social inclusion: ethics and development
- energy, environmental, economic, social policies
- environmental cost

**Recast of EED, EPBD, RESD**



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# De-carbonization of energy (according to Energy Union pillars)

## 2030

- 40% GHG reduction
- 27% RES
- 30% energy efficiency

## 2020

- 20% GHG reduction
- 20% RES
- 20% energy efficiency

2020

2030

2050

## Roadmap 2050

80-95% GHG reduction



## SEN (Italy: 2017-2030)

-40 % GHG; 30% EE; 27% RES

This means a minimum developing rate in (2015-2030) compared to what realized in (2010-2015), according to a 50% renewable electricity of overall end consumptions.

Furthermore, heat renewable (geothermal, bioenergies, solar, heat pumps) has to double what done in (2010-2015).



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## Role of Buildings / 1

- Even in Italy H&C is responsible of 50% of overall consumptions with more than 70% by imported gas
- RES penetration is less than other sectors (20%)
- The defined RES percentage of NZEB (50%) may be reached only in a coherent standard frame related to the specificity of the Country (i.e.: importance of summer cooling loads)

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## Role of Buildings /2

Furthermore, in order to match those goals:

- Existing buildings renovation from a present value of 0,5-1,2% sqm per year must arrive to 2%
- not-ETS sector may include, according to the existing emission level, a deep renovation moving from today 15-25% consumption reduction towards future 60-80% (Integrated Deep Renovation, i.e. connection with anti-seismic improving)

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## Role of Buildings /3

Main topic:

- The climate finance: innovative business models for EE to force the bridge between finance and actual economy (long-term tools)
- Effective information of the prosumers (domestic sector)
- Big data management, i.e. EE in ultra-large band design

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## How to approach nZEB policy

- A multidisciplinary approach
- A GD scenario (smart grid for electricity, heat and gas coupled with coherent storages)
- Supporting the update of digital systems (Virtual Power Plant VPP, ICT applied to energy, ultra-large band connection, smart DSO)
- The role of R&D

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# **NZEBnet**

## **Collaborative platform for the development and the implementation of NZEB**

An Research Program of National Interest (PRIN)

<http://www.iwebyou.it/nzeb/>



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## Perchè il progetto?

## Why the project

Finalità della ricerca

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**TASK FORCE #1 (Labs Roma1 e Roma2)**

*Smart energy systems*: a reference cellar for energy communities; EMS

**TASK FORCE #2 (Labs UniCassino e UniCagliari)**

ex-ante and post-retrofit of existing buildings monitoring and auditing.

**TASK FORCE #3 (Labs IUAV e UNICAL-Cosenza)**

The envelope, innovative materials (PCM)

**TASK FORCE #4 (Labs UniSA e UniCassino)**

IEQ and its monitoring and control

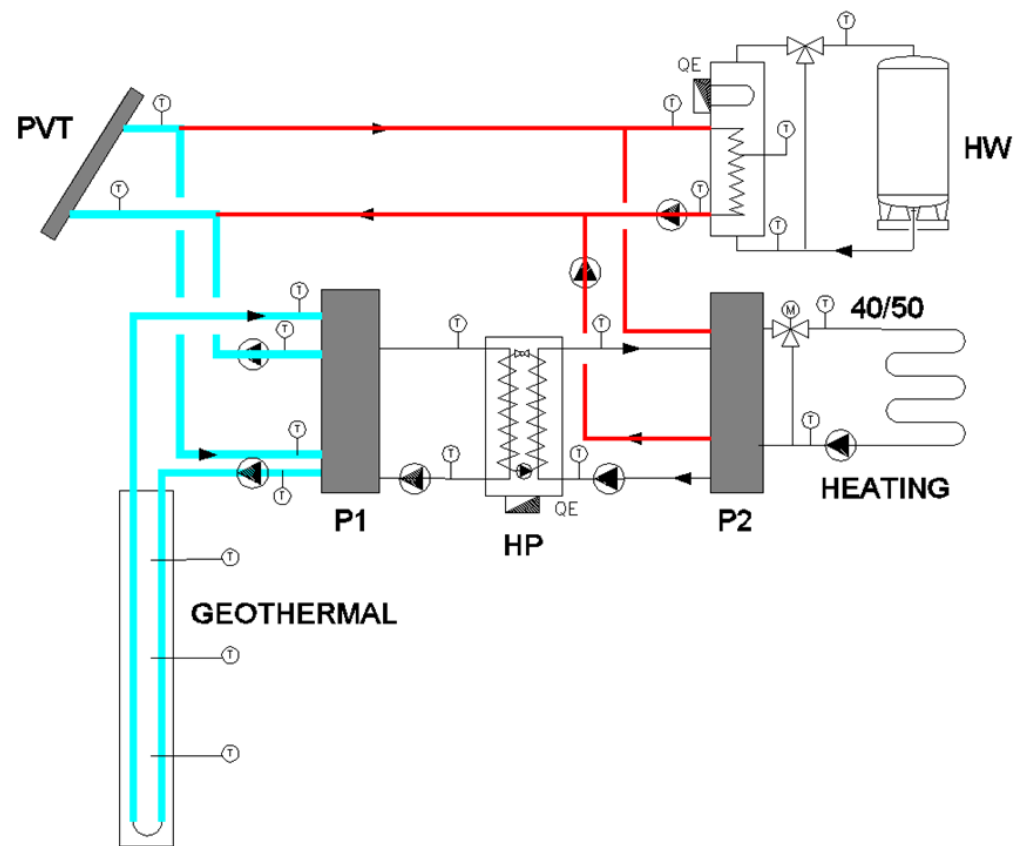
**TASK FORCE #5 (Labs PoliTO e Roma3)**

*Cost Optimality* in energy auditing for existing buildings: and interactions between energy/enviromental and economic analyses. Choice of EEM

**TASK FORCE #6 (Labs PoliMI e UniTrento)**

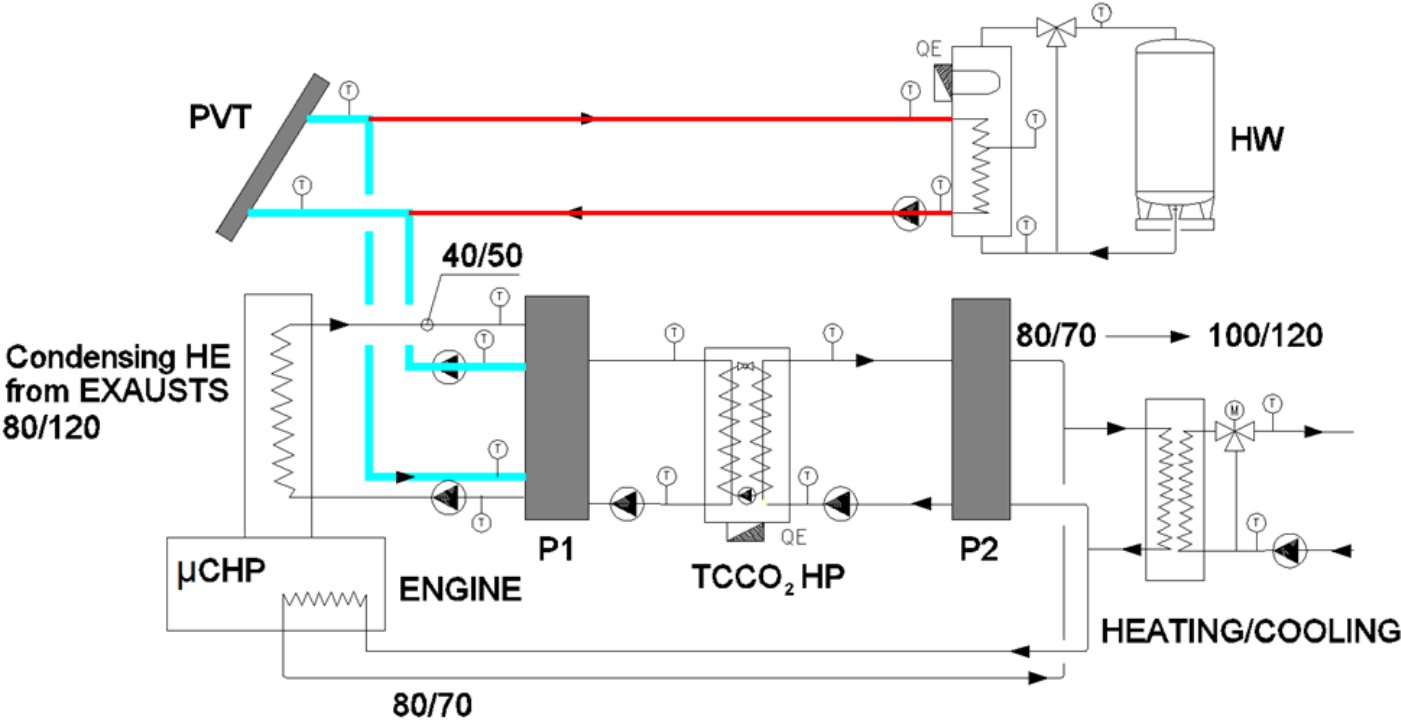
Dynamic simulation for energy auditing in existing buildings

## HP dual source

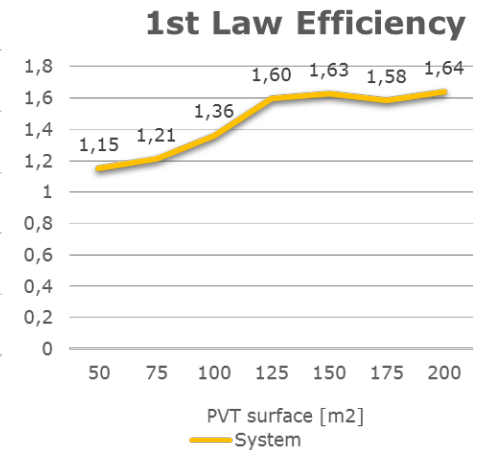
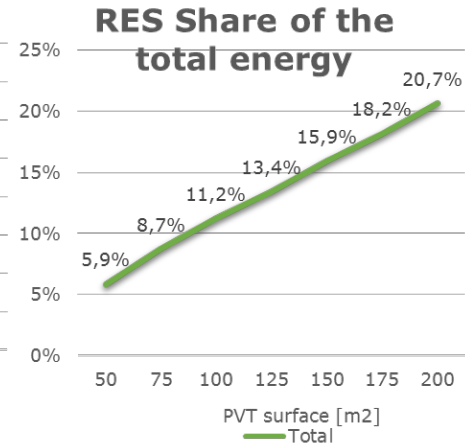
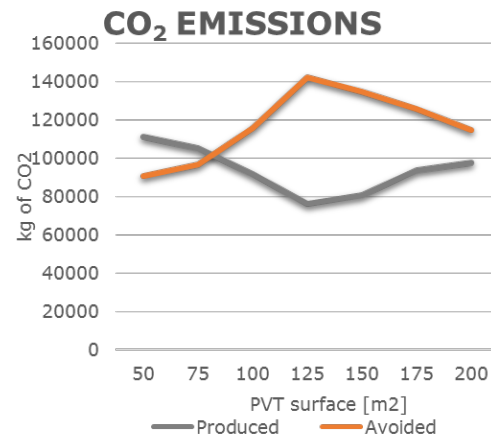
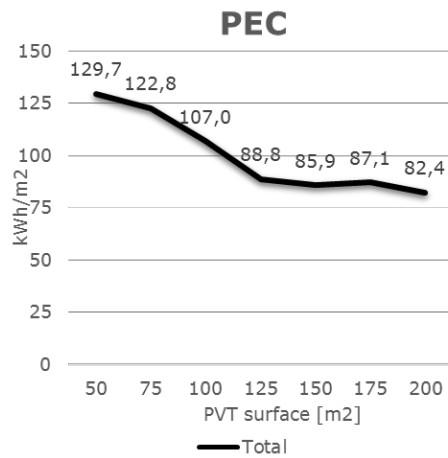
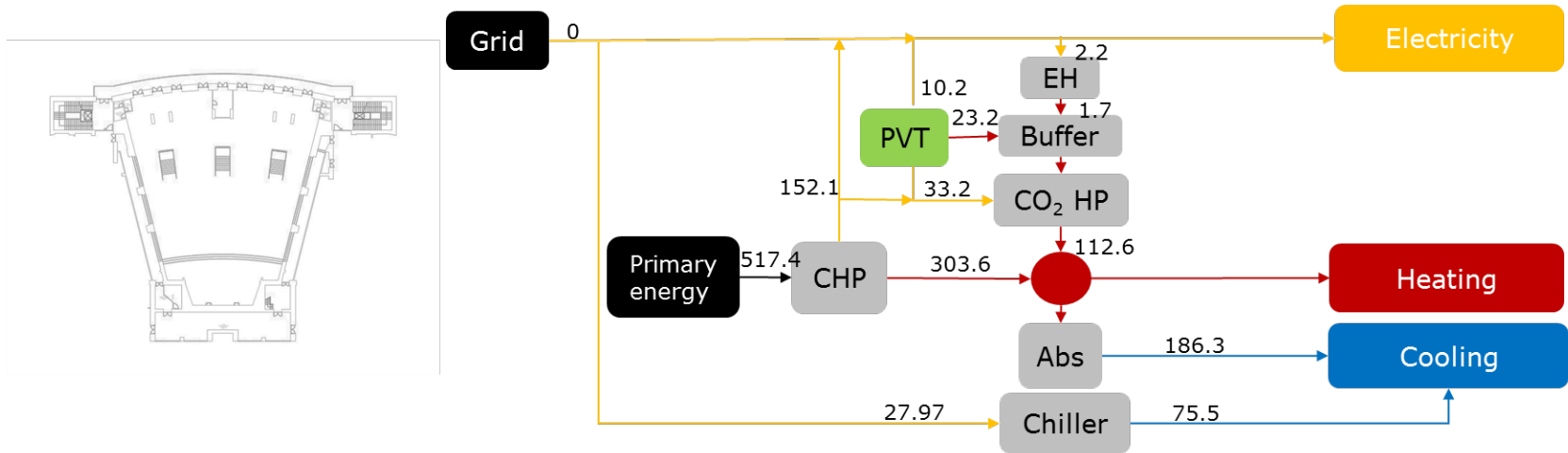


PVT + geothermal as heat (renewable) source of a water-water heat pump

# HP-TCCO<sub>2</sub>

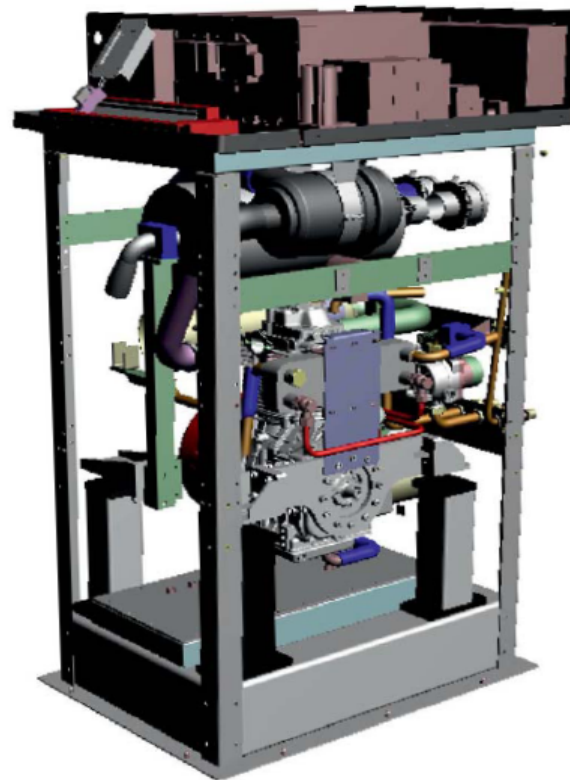


PVT + uCHP as heat (renewable) source of a TCCO<sub>2</sub> heat pump



## Domestic ICE $\mu$ CHP (5 kWe, 12 kWt)

$\mu_e=26\%$ ,  $\mu_t=78\%$



## Numerical model of a micro gas turbine fuelled with H<sub>2</sub>NG blends and comparison with experimental data



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H<sub>2</sub> volumetric fraction added to the natural gas is not taken into account as primary energy



Energy from fossil fuel reduction with H<sub>2</sub> enrichment of natural gas

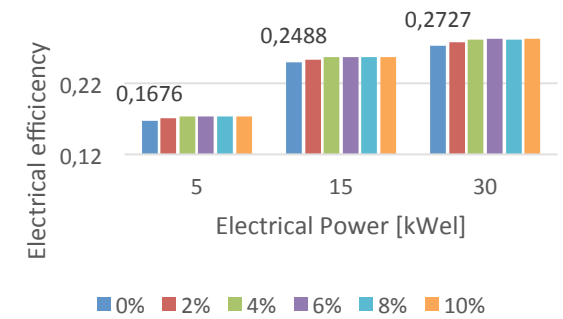
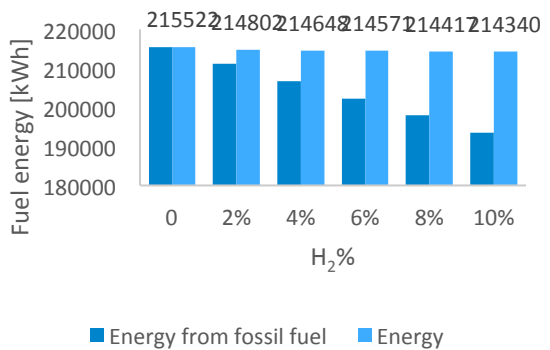
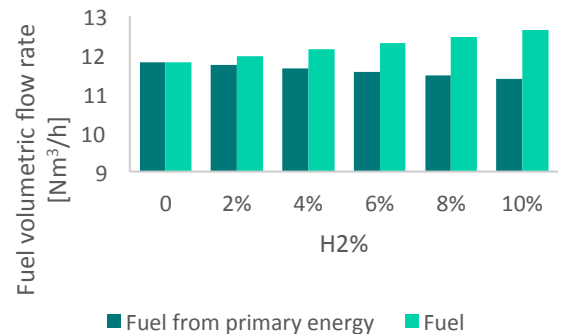


32% reduction of fossil fuel consumption with H<sub>2</sub> content equal to 10%



3,24% Increase of electrical efficiency with hydromethane @10% of H<sub>2</sub> by volume

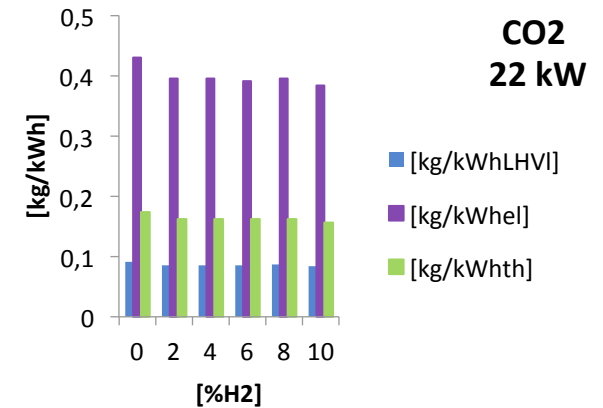
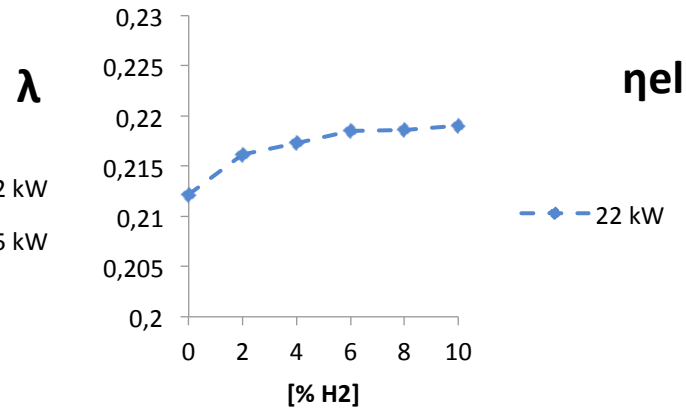
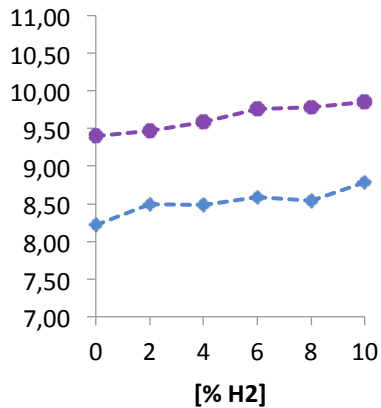
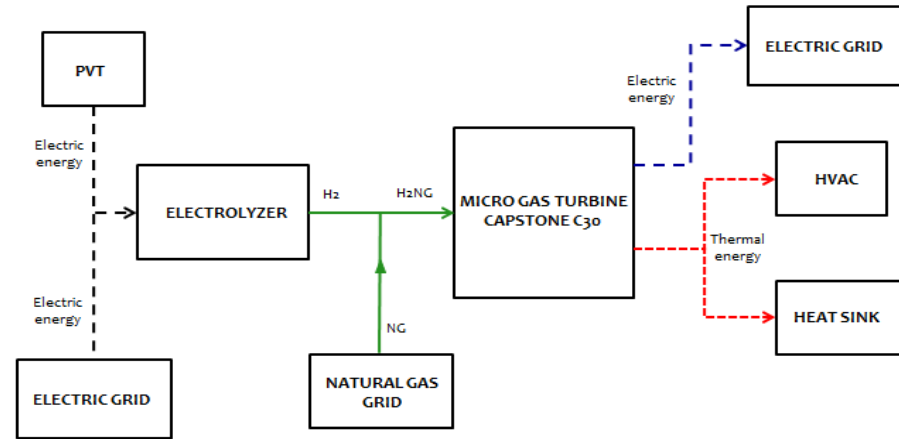
Overall fuel energy reduction due to slight increase of electrical and heat recovery efficiency



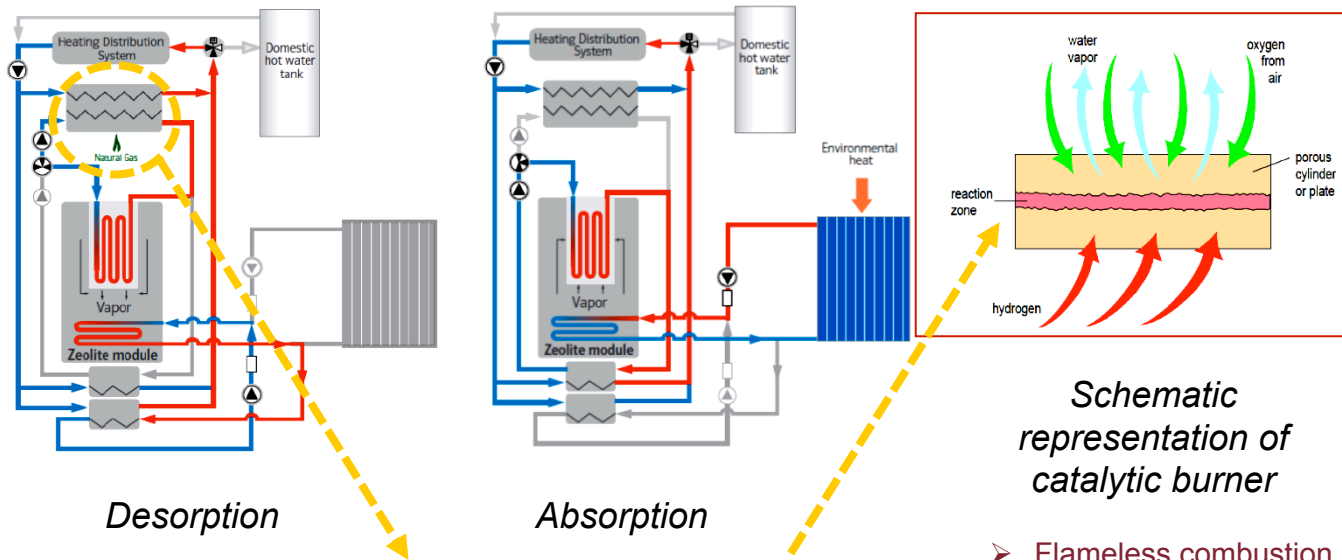


## Experimental characterization of a micro gas turbine fuelled with H<sub>2</sub>NG

- Results obtained by increasing hydrogen up to 10% vol. :
  - Relative equivalence ratio,  $\lambda$ , increase: 4%  $\div$  7%
  - Maximum electrical efficiency increase: 0,00584
  - No drawbacks in the characteristic parameters of the MGT
  - CO<sub>2</sub> emissions reduction
  - Specific emissions lower than those resulting from separate heat and electricity production



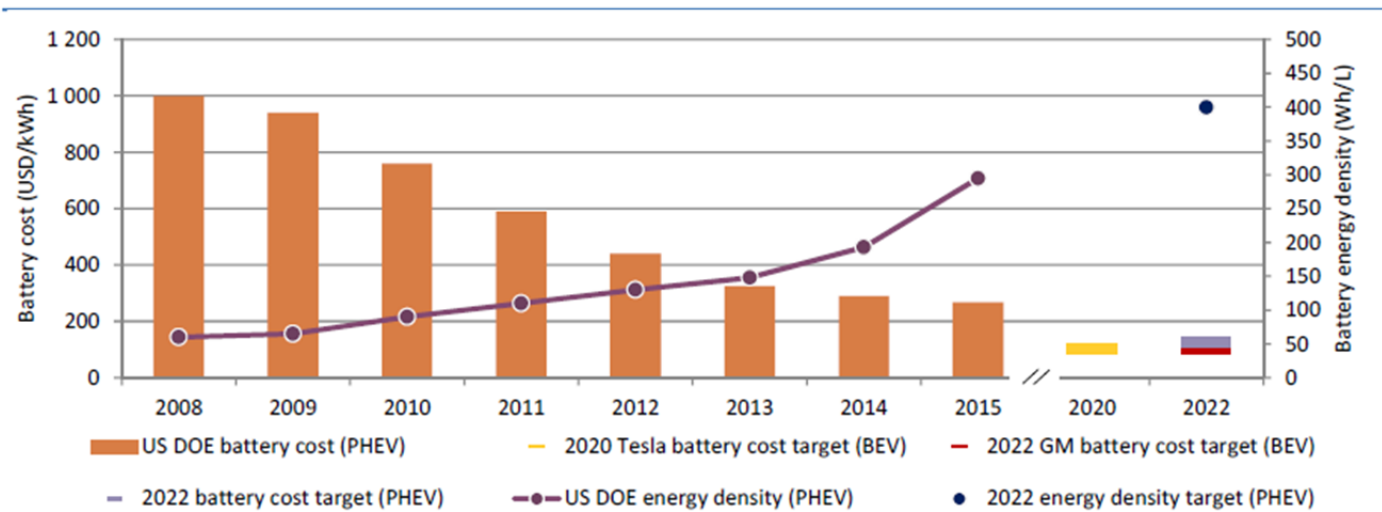
# Hydrogen-driven Gas Heat Pump



**Burner modifications and substitution**

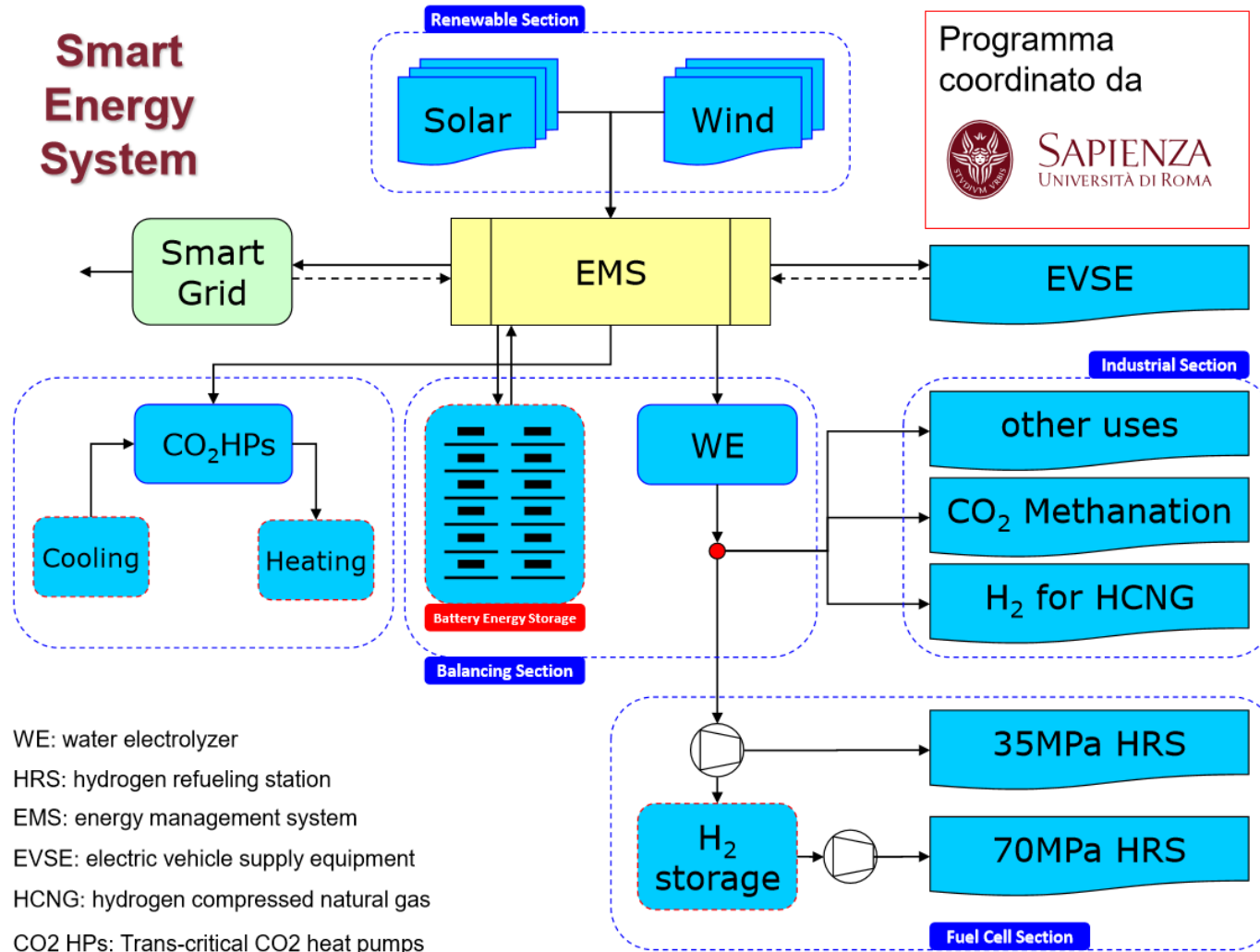
- Flameless combustion
- Low temperature combustion
- No nitrogen oxides
- No backfiring issues

# Batteries costs/energy density



IEA, Global EV Outlook 2016

# Smart Energy System



WE: water electrolyzer

HRS: hydrogen refueling station

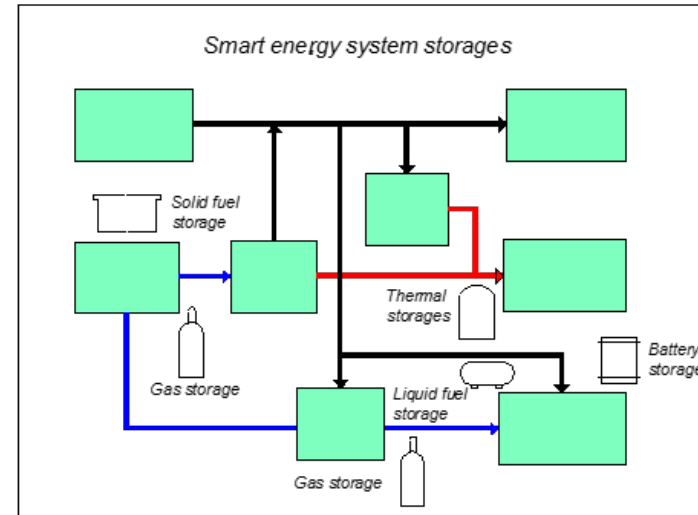
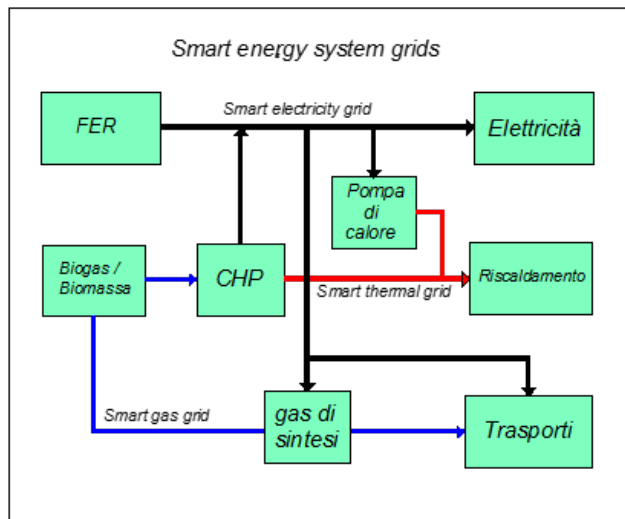
EMS: energy management system

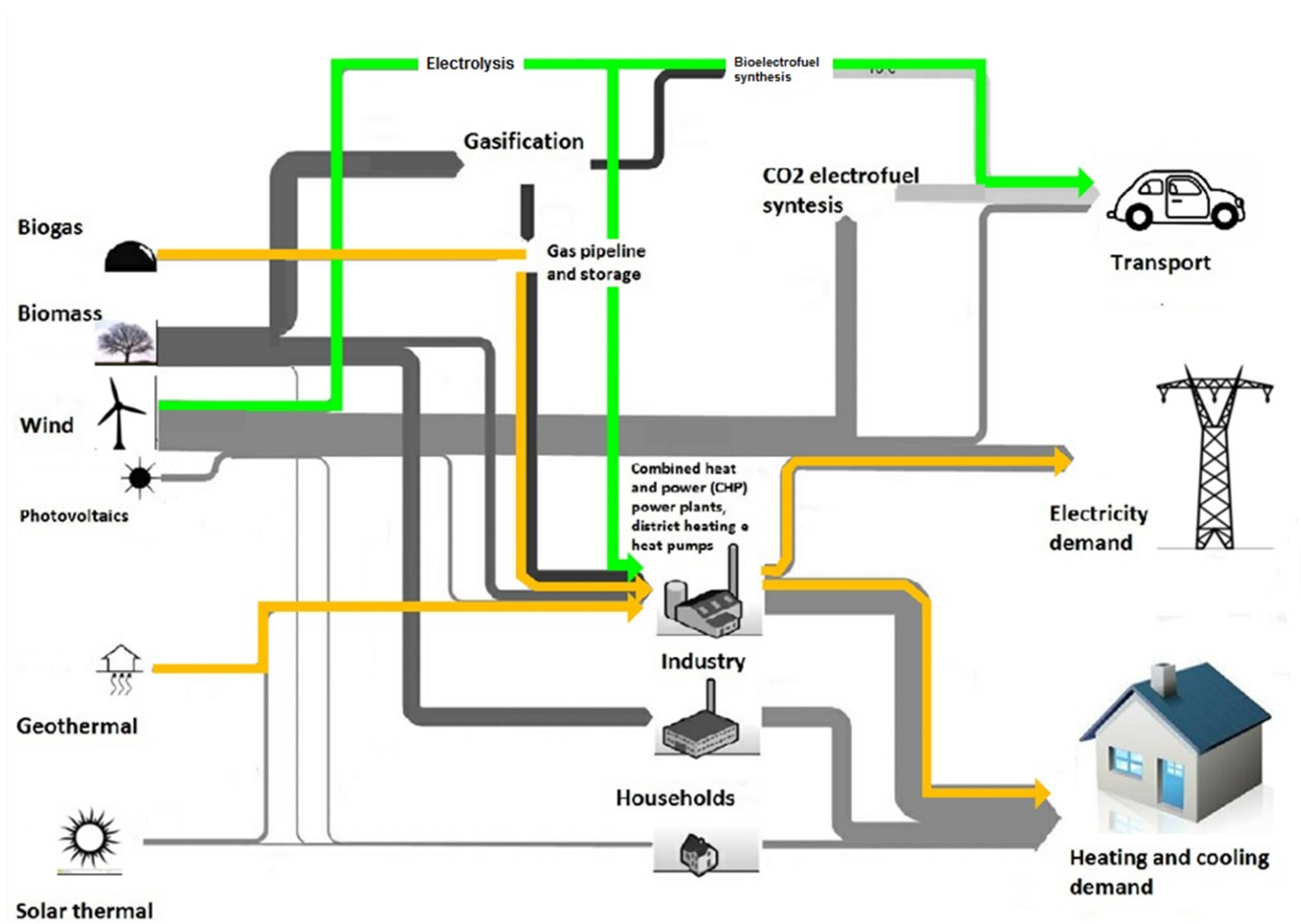
EVSE: electric vehicle supply equipment

HCNG: hydrogen compressed natural gas

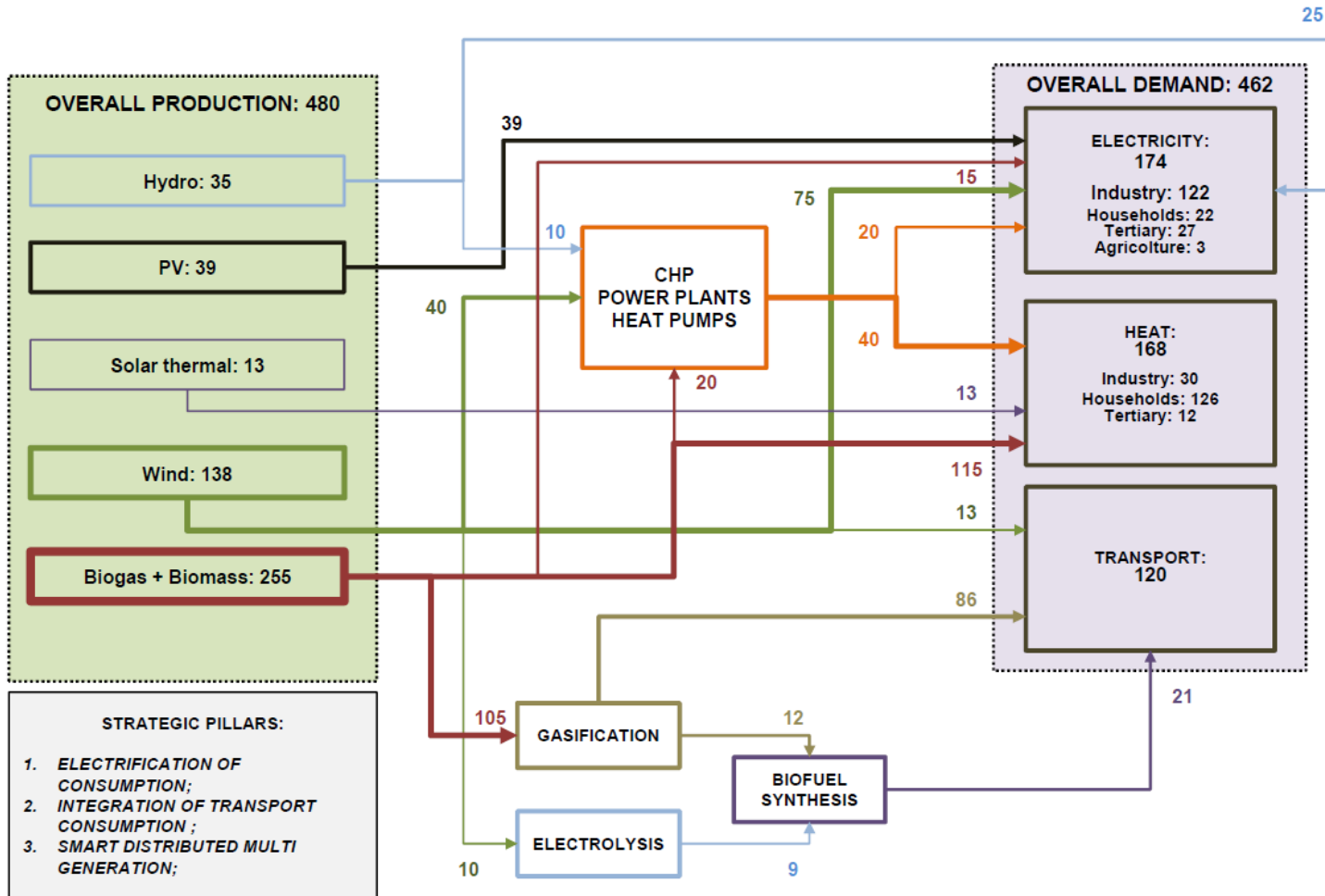
CO<sub>2</sub> HPs: Trans-critical CO<sub>2</sub> heat pumps

# Towards the Smart Energy Systems (SES)





**100% RES SCENERY at 2035**  
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