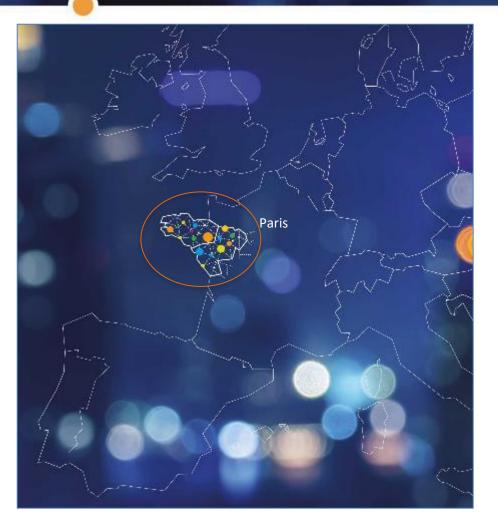
# The webinar will start soon – stay tuned





### SMILE : a large scale smart-grids deployment



A territory to set up a showcase for smart-grids technologies & application

A program tackling a wide range of issues:

Integration of renewable energy sources,

Demand management, Flexibility for local/national needs Electric vehicles (e.g. V2G/V2H,

smart charging)

Energy data management

- Smart-building
- Self consumption

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# SMILE : a programme with various stakeholders

Lead by regional governments of Bretagne and Pays de la Loire

Kick-off on april 2016

SMILE aims at supporting emergence, implementation and deployment of collaborative projects in smart grids & energy management

#### More than 300 stakeholders :

- Companies: from start-ups to national companies, DSO & TSO (electricity & gas)
- Public authorities: Regions, local authorities, cities...
- Clusters, chambers of commerce & innovative centers\*
- Research centers
- NGO
- ...





## SMILE: Various smartgrids projects

#### 89 projects, tackling one of the five following topics:

- Smart grids, flexibility and smart areas
- Collective self-consumption and smart buildings
- Islands and non-connected areas
- Green mobility
- Demand-side management, data and consumer engagement

#### Around 250 millions euros of investment in the projects

51 millions of investment from the DSO and TSO for electricity grids





### **Recupelec Rezo**

Philippe Jacubowski – E4V



**SMILE** 



# 2 fold project:

- Récupélec
- Recovery of fatal energy fom battery manufacturing
- Upon final testing: capacity control
  - 1.Batteries are fully charged
  - 2.Batteries are fully discharged
- Energy from discharge
  - Was dissipated
  - Now re-intection in factory network
    - Self consumption in factory
    - Exceedent goes in storage batteries

### • Rézo

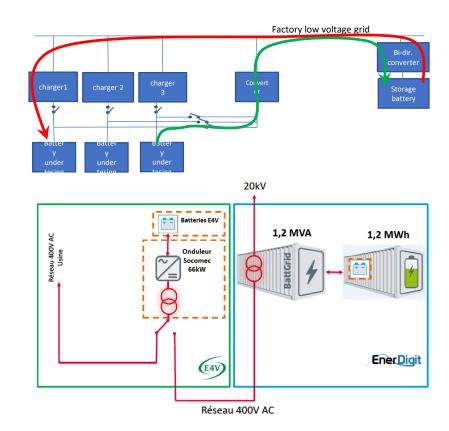
- Service to the grid by a battery buffer (1MWh typically)
- Frequency adjustment
  - Frequency too low,
     → buffer gives energy to the grid
  - Frequency too high
     → buffer takes energy from the grid
- Grid back up
  - Upon failure of power plant
  - Buffer provides high power during 15-30mn
    - To let a back-up thermal plant ramping

# RécupélecRézo

- The battery buffer and associated converters + transformer is an expensive asset
- Daily use for frequency control
  - Use of 20% of battery capability in terms of Energy and power
- Grid back-up is an exceptional event
  - once or twice a year
- ➔ RecupelecRezo: use of batteries for other purposes
  - Part of battery buffer is used for grid services
  - Part of battery buffer is used for energy recovery in E4V factory

# RecupélecRézo implementation

- Recupelec at E4V factory
  - Set up converters and charger with switch matrix for testing
  - Implement a storage battery and bi-directional converter
- Rézo
  - Build-up iso container(s) for battery buffer and converters
  - Install containers at E4V factory
  - Build-up HV connection







- LFP Li-Ion manufacturer since 2008
- Green technology
  - Ethical & environment friendly
- > 25 000 vehicles powered by E4V
  - Special / professional vehicles
  - License free light cars
- Stationnary applications
  - Grid support, smart grid
  - Renewables, Railways, Hydrogen
- Locations in France
  - Le Mans: Pack factory & design, projects
  - Bordeaux: BMS design (HW, SW, Diag tools and cloud)







### **E-Factory**

### Laurent Meyer – Entech SE



**SMILE** 

Introduction to E-Factory project

# Entech smart energies

10/11/2020 Laurent MEYER

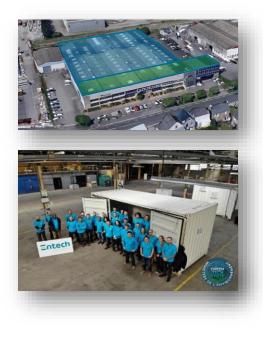
# Entech SE: @Glance

### Energy conversion - Energy Storage – Photovoltaic

With a **wide experience** and **numerous references** in Energy storage and Power conversion solutions, the **multidisciplinary** teams of Entech offer their skills to help and assist the **Industry Leaders** reaching their **Sustainable Development** Goal.

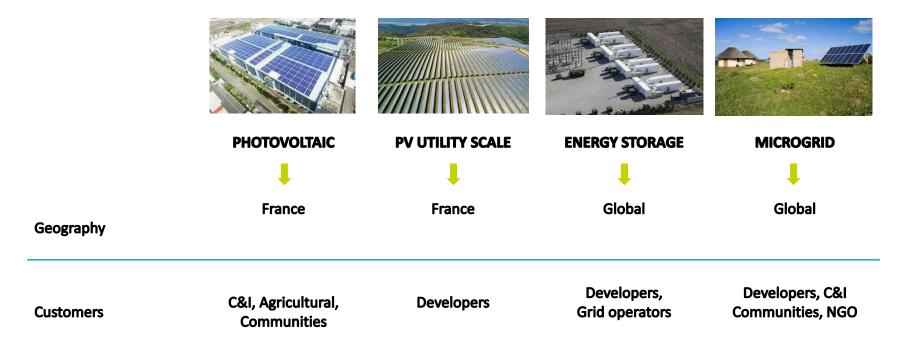
**Agile and reactive**, Entech smart energies develops long-lasting relations to guarantee the success of your **innovative projects**.







## **Entech SE: Business Lines**





Conversion and energy storage systems

# Entech SE: Innovation as the main differentiator

#### **Innovation and R&D**

**Innovation and expertise** in the **electrical conversion chain** remain the differentiating markers of Entech smart energies.

Entech smart energies has created and built very complex energy conversion systems for various applications such as **marine energies** or **second life batteries**.











Blue Solutions



**Project genesis** 



#### Stage: FAT completed

#### **Energy Storage Systems in French Guyana**

Application: load shifting & enhanced frequency response

- 1<sup>st</sup> project: 5 MVA / 5,1 MWh dedicated to frequency regulation services
- 2<sup>nd</sup> project: 5 MVA / 8,5 MWh to daily arbitrage purposes
- Design, integration and installation
- Response time < 200ms</li>
- Compliance with EDF SEI standards
- Samsung Li-ion batteries (NCM 111) & Danfoss air cooling drives
- Scope of supply: PCS + PMS + EMS + SCADA + O&M





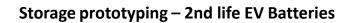




## Entech SE: Special applications & Prototypes

Stage: Commissioned





Application: energy shifting & frequency regulation

- 1st project: 30kVA / 80kWh @ 60% SOH (confidential customer)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> project: 80kVA / 80kWh @ 60% SOH (mix Nissan and PSA EV batteries)
- Design, integration and installation
- Architecture DC/DC + DC/AC
- Implementation of the monitoring and supervision system
- Scope of supply: PCS + PMS + SCADA + O&M



2<sup>nd</sup> project funded by:





# Entech SE: PV plants utility scale

Stage: Under construction

#### Montmorillon construction project (CRE 4.5)

#### Ground : landfill

- Location : Vienne department FRANCE
- Gabion foundation for PV tables
- String inverters
- EPC : Design, procurement and installation
- 4170 MWh/an







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9504 solar panels



# Entech SE: Prototyping Key References

### Realization of a customized EV charging station for Entech SE's vehicles

- Smart charging station (compatible V2G)
- Charge algorithm limitating the power demand on the network
- Supervision system



#### Realization of a fast charging station for a client

- Charge up to 350kW 1000VDC
- CCS and Chademo protocol
- Confidential architecture



Our certifications:







Conversion and energy storage systems

# Our vision $\rightarrow$ E-Factory



- ✓ New Entech SE headquarter in Quimper, France
- Industrial innovation demonstrator to prove technical and economical interest for combined production, storage, charging stations and industrial comsumption, providing services to electrical grid

# **E-Factory**



✓ Investment : 3 M€

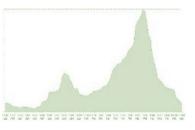






Passive building under construction of 4200 m<sup>2</sup>, consisting of 1000  $m^2$  of offices and 3200 m<sup>2</sup> of production workshop

**Design and assembly** of **integrated** energy production, conversion and **storage solutions**.



**Challenging load profile** : peak demand for testing multi MW storage systems, grid tied or of grid former

Peak consumption 1000 kVA ( 350 kW building + 650 kVA test bed)

### ~470 kWp



#### Systems :

- Rooftop
- sun-breaker
- parking shelter

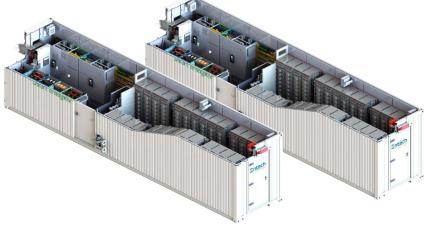
### Application :

- Collective self-consumption
- 3 to 6 Neighbors



### 2,5 MW / 2,5 MWh

- Energy storage with different technologies, including 2<sup>nd</sup> life EV batteries :
- Applications :
  - Grid services : FCR, voltage stabilisation, islanding,
  - Renewable energie integration







- Ultra-fast charging (1 x 350 kW) associated with storage system
- Smart charging point : 4 x 100 kVA DC
   + 10 x 22 kVA AC + 4 x 7 kVA AC
   modular charging
- All DC charger are bi-directionnal for V2G (5 points) providing grid services
- Particular and company fleet



- Production : PV 470 kWp
- Storage : 2 x 1,25 MWh / 1,25 MW
- Consumption : 1000 kVA
- EV :
  - 1000 kVA = 1 x 350 kW DC + 4 x 100 kVA DC + 10 x 10 kVA AC + 4 x 7 kVA AC modulable charging

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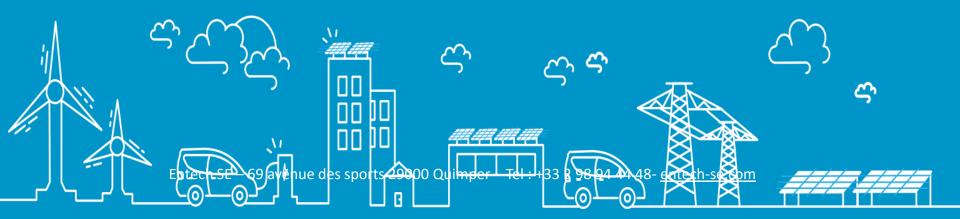


• Building and equipment under construction, will be done by Q1 2021





Energy conversion and storage





Energy Storage in Wallonia : regional ecosystem & ongoing projects/



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### TWEED, Energy Cluster in Belgium, Wallonia/Brussels

#### Created in 2008

- TWEED = 140 premium members (88% are companies) developping technologies in the Energy sectors to ensure a global Sustainable Development.
   + More than 400 players/technologies in our ecosystem
- #Networking #Support #Projects #Studies #ValueChain #Roadmap #Promotion #Information #International #Energy Marketplace,...
- Discover all the players and hopefully your future partners - thanks to a structured navigation and a search engine, very easy to identify and contact an organization, : <u>www.rewallonia.be</u> !



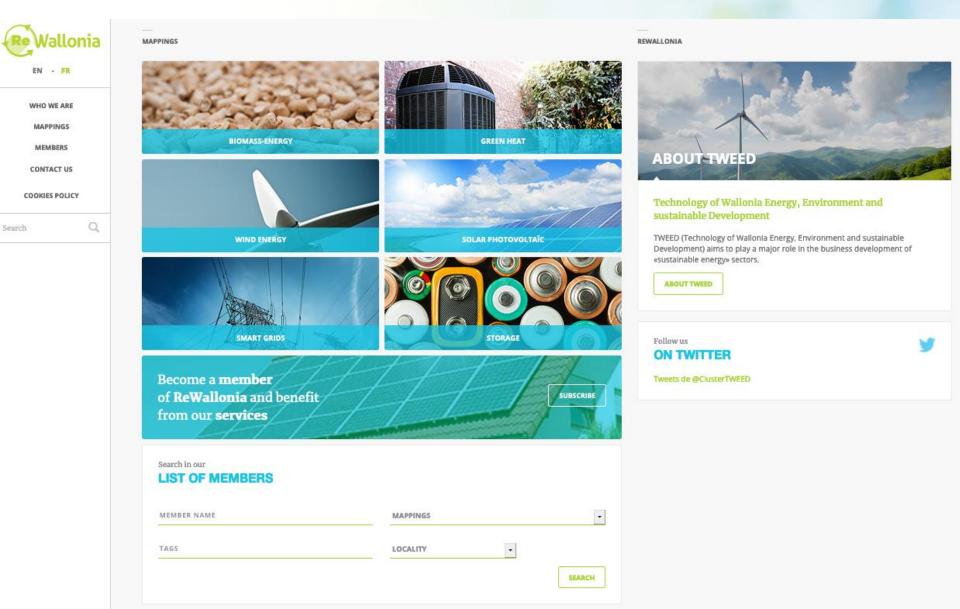
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Low-carbon mobility Energy efficiency in buildings Energy conversion and storage **Smart grids** Energy efficiency in industry Renewable energies mix **Microgrids** 



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# ReWallonia – Players (> 350)

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#### COMET TRAITEMENTS



Come Traitments SA is active in the treatment and recycling of residue from metallic waste shredding: End-of-Life vehicles (ELVs), Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE), scrap metal, etc. We have several facilities that allow us to treat more than 150,000 tons of shredding res

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We have several facilities that allow us to treat more than 150,000 tons of shredding residue per year, in order to reuse the ferrous and non-ferrous metals, plastic materials, and mineral components. In addition to our production activities, Comet Traitments also has an R&D unit that allows us to industrialize processes adapted to new types of waste in our industry and which include end-of-life photovoltaic panels. What's more, Cornet Traitements has a partnership with the Solarcycle project that was approved as part of the Walloon Marshall Plan, and seeks to reuse end-of-life PV in the silicon sector.

#### Chemical storage

· From the pyrolysis of residues of grinding synthetic fuels

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Comet Traitements Plc.

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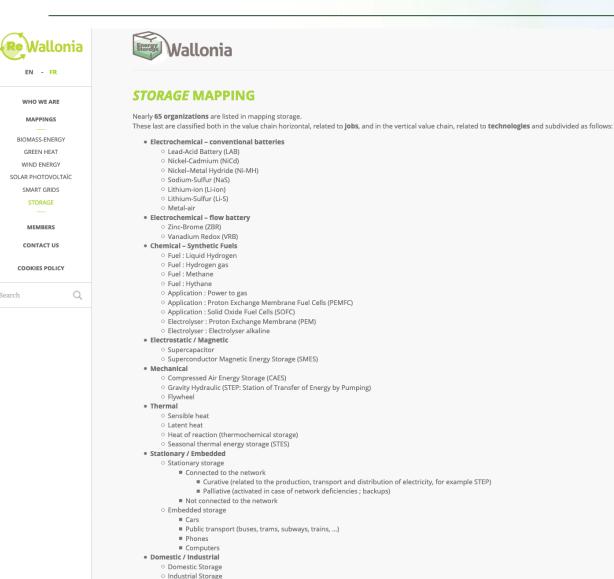
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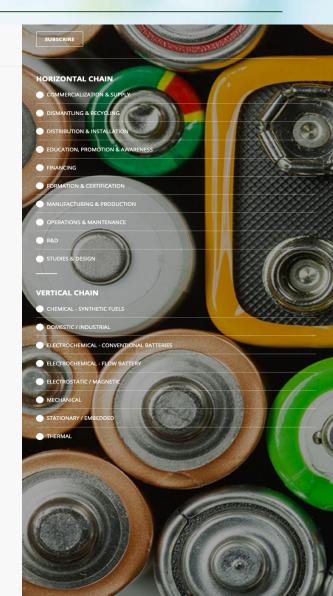


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### TWED **ReWallonia – Mapping Storage**



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# ReWallonia – Mapping Storage



# ReWallonia – Projects



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#### **PROJETS WALLONS**







**STATUT:** Terminé**TYPE:** International**DÉBUT:** 2013**FIN:** 2017**DURÉE:** 4 ans

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#### DESCRIPTION

SOTHERCO

Conception et développement d'un système de stockage thermochimique intersaisonnier.

Sotherco fait suite au projet Solautark. L'objectif est de modéliser, dimensionner, concevoir, contrôler et évaluer un système de **stockage thermochimique par sorption** intersaisonnier et compact capable de répondre à la demande de chauffage d'un bâtiment basse énergie. En plus de tests à l'échelle du laboratoire, deux prototypes sont intégrés dans des systèmes complets capables d'**assurer la demande d'un bâtiment basse énergie**. Ces prototypes sont testés de manière semi-virtuelle sur une longue période.

Sotherco est un projet de niveau de recherche TRL 3-6. Il a reçu des fonds du septième programme-cadre de recherche et de développement technologique de la commission européenne (FP7).

#### PARTENAIRES



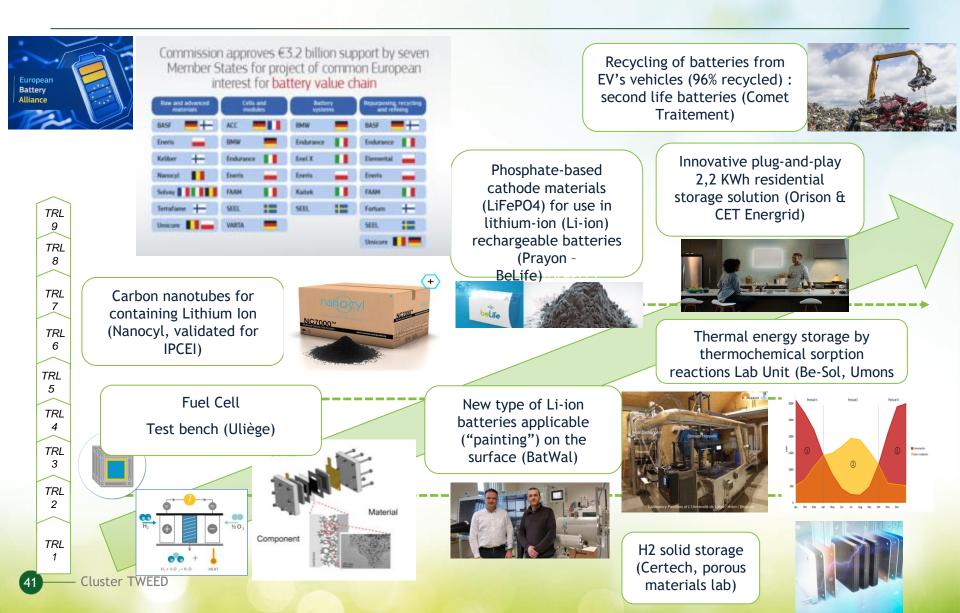
# **Energy Storage in Wallonia**

**Ongoing projects** 



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# Zoom in Storage Expertise in Wallonia, from Lab to market (examples)

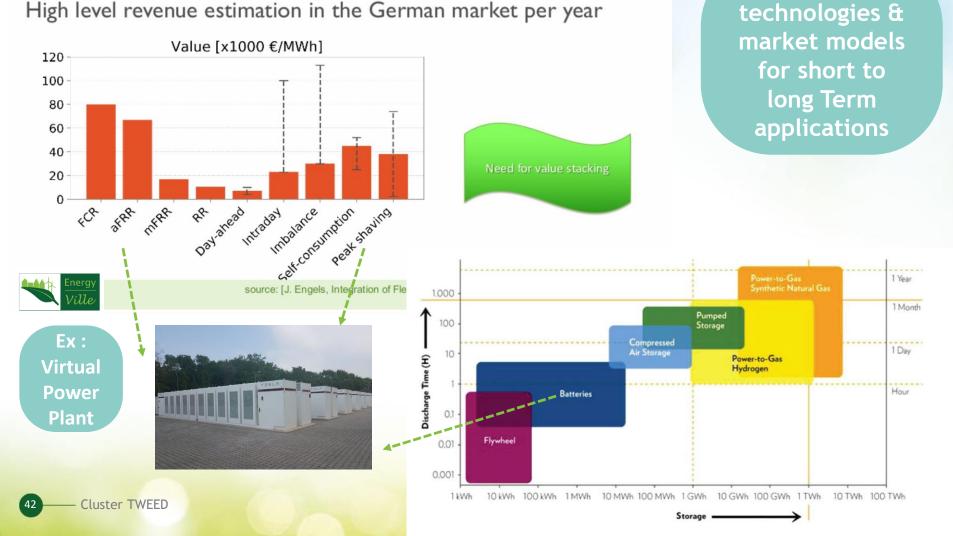


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# Applications

# Battery Storage Applications

## High level revenue estimation in the German market per year

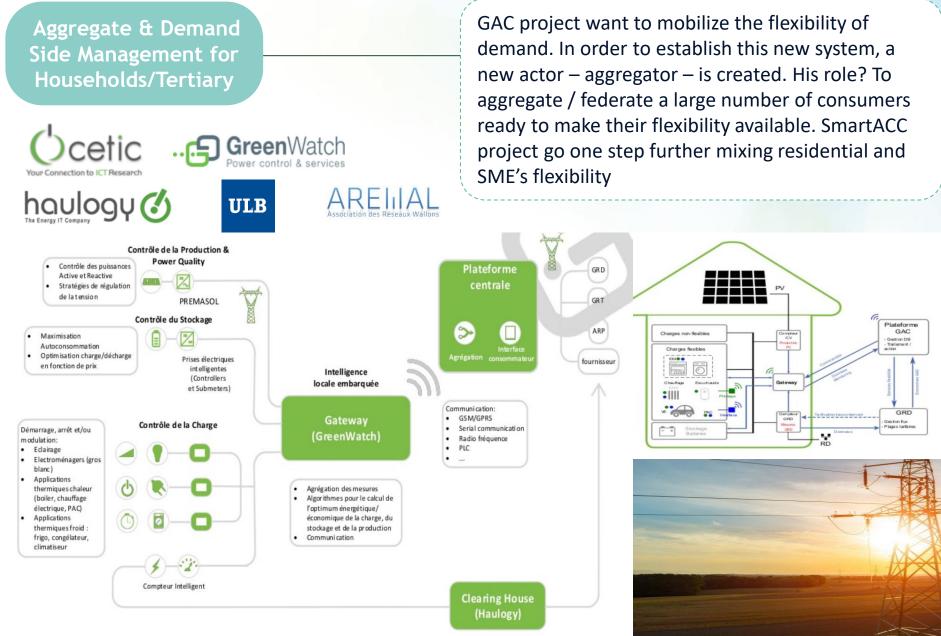


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#### # Short-Term Hours

# GAC / Smart ACC







## MiraCCle



DC MicroGrid at Business Park Level





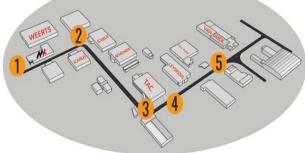




MiraCCle project aim si to design and implement a pilot DC microgrid in the industrial park between 7 SME's and a shared storage unit





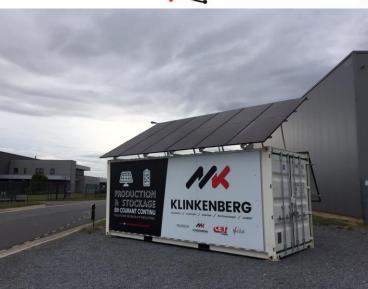












#### # Short-Term Hours

# PEPS

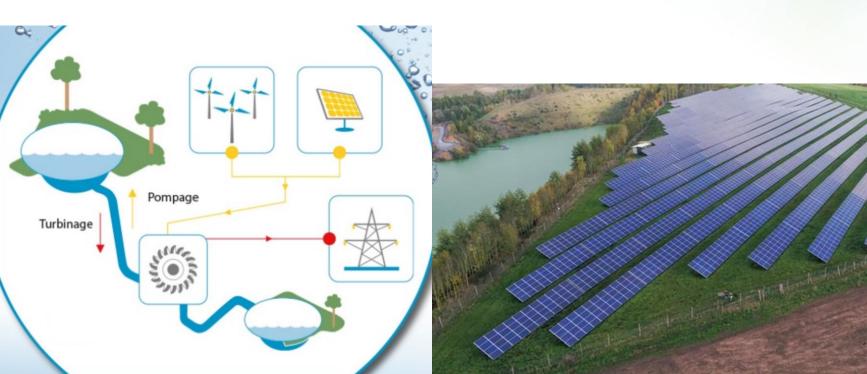


Mini pumped hydro storage (PEPS) in Wallonia





Innovative concept of mini pumped hydro storage (PEPS) with pre-sized components in mines and quarries, coupled with renewables on sites : modular concept, easily reproducible, piloted and monitored remotely in a 4.0 approach of operations and maintenance. Target a production time of 2 to 4 hours depending on the space available and a range of 1 MW to 5 MW



#### # Short-Term Hours - Days

## Accutherm



STORAGE OF (COLD) THERMAL ENERGY WITH REFRIGERATION INSTALLATIONS

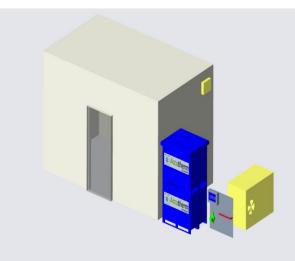






ACCUTHERM aims to use integrated phase change materials within a complete cold storage system with the final objective of proposing an advantageous alternative to electric batteries that maximises the use of renewable forms of energy (intermittent by definition). ACCUTHERM allows for the shifting of peak energy consumption to times when energy is far less in demand and therefore cheaper: 90% of energy needs are concentrated within a period of 8 hours out of 24







#### # Short-Term Hours - Days

## Industore



Energy Storage/Flexibility Potential for Industry







InduStore has quantified and leveraged the potential of energy flexibility in industrial sites, using advanced analytic methods such as optimization. By reducing energy costs and providing new sources of profit, InduStore allows industrial sites to increase their competitiveness. 5 types of levers are teken into account (Load Shedding, Load Shifting, Load Rescheduling, Fuel Switching, CHP



InduStore targets a **global optimization approach** for energy flexibility



#### # Long-Term Days - Weeks

# H2 Coop Storage



Energy Community with hybrid storage (H2)



Development of tools enabling the deployment and management of a multi-energy Renewable Energy Community with hybrid storage community



# BATTERIE Puissance Vitesse d'Inversion Capacité de stockage Restitution de chaleur Rendement cycle Cogénération Méthane/Nydrogène

### PILES À HYDROGÈNE



Cogénération Méthane/Hydrogène

#### SMART ENERGY HUB

Puissance

Vitesse d'inversion

#### Capacité de stockage







#### # Long-Term Days - Weeks

## Interest

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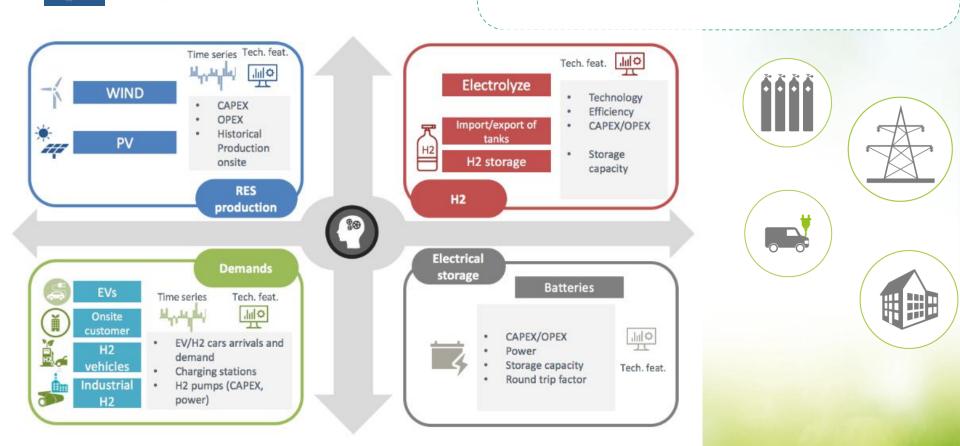


Integrated refuelling stations with EV & H2

Certech

R&D partner in chemistry

INTERESTS aims the creation of an optimization tool allowing the definition, the sizing and the management of "integrated stations" of production, storage and consumption (refuelling) of renewable energy (electricity / hydrogen)





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#### MiRIS

#### François Henry – John Cockerill



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# John Cockerill Energy MiRIS Project



# **200 years of industrial experience... To respond to the needs of our time**











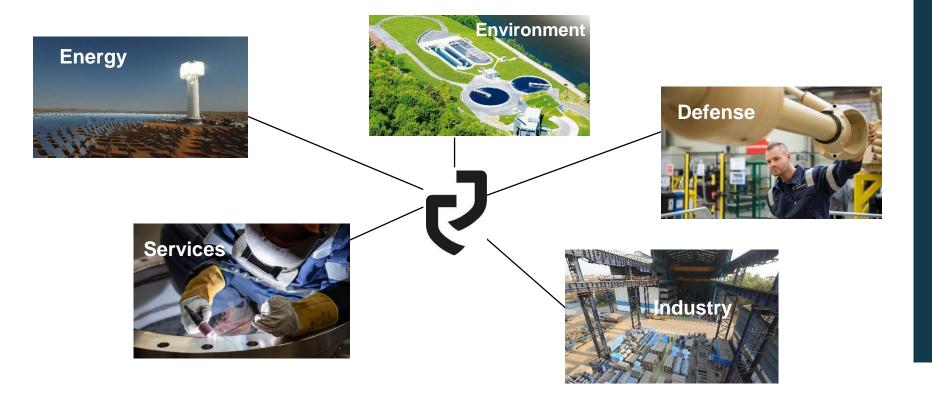




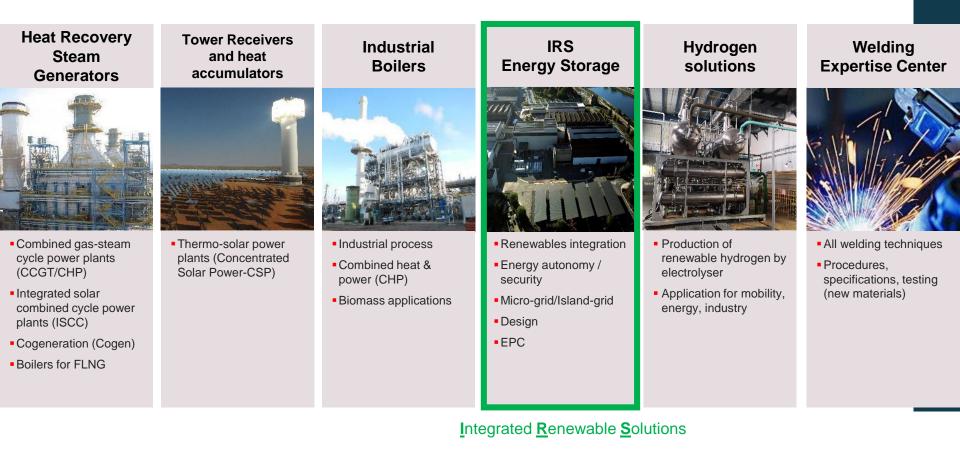




# **Our sectors of activity**



# John Cockerill Energy

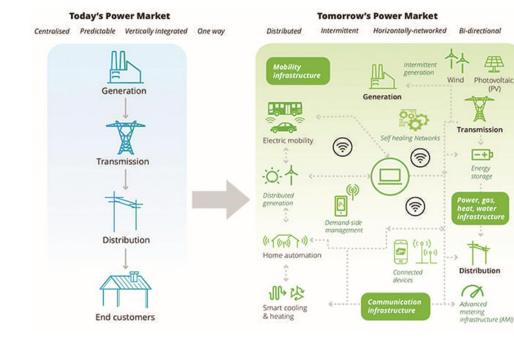


# New context in the Energy sector

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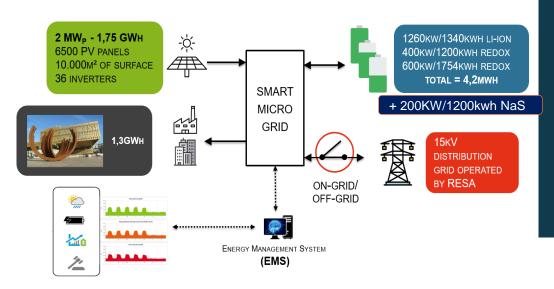




(PV)

# **MiRIS** project

- Decision in 2017
- Erection started in 2018
- Total investment :10 M€
- Subsidies from Walloon Region & federal government
- Smart micro-grid with multiple configurations
- Testing plateform
- 2 MWp of PV
- 500 kW of diesel generator
- 4 battery technologies
  - 2,5 MW / 5,5 MWh
- Others will come...You ?







# MiRIS site @ Seraing (Liège, Belgium)



# **MiRIS site pictures**











## **PV** system



Different kind of roofs (sheds, flat...) Carports South + East/West orientation 35 string inverters (3 x 400VAC)

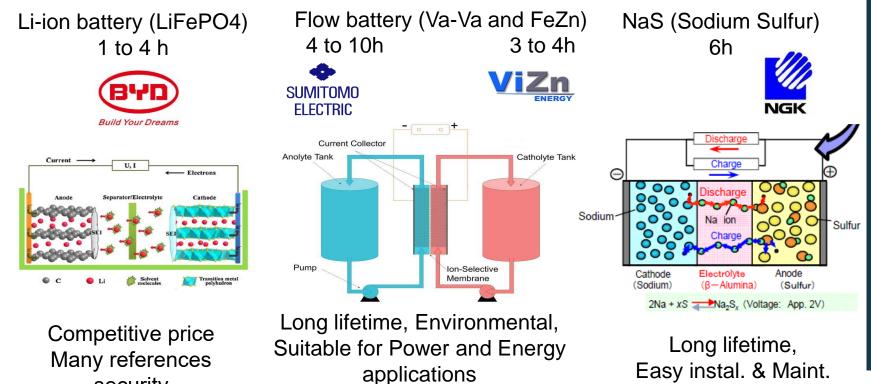
## **Battery technologies**

security

Open-mind to technologies



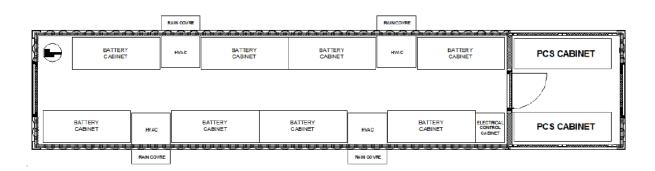
# The different battery technologies for the best solution based on solid partnership



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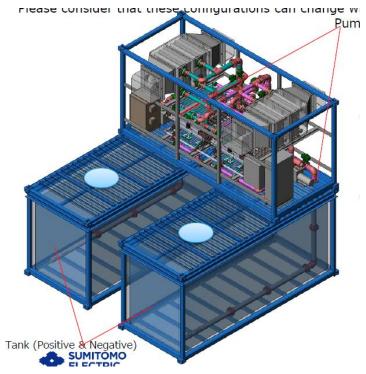
# Li-ion container from BYD

- One 40 ft container
- Battery & PCS included (no transformer)
- Power : 1260 kVA @ 400 VAC
- Energy capacity : 1340 kWh @ 400 VAC
- Working mode :
  - On-grid : P/Q control
- Efficiency : 89,8%





# **Flow batteries John Cockerill**





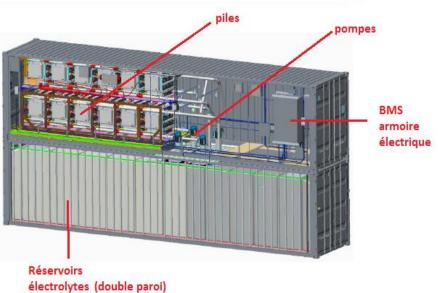


Sumitomo (Va-Va) : 500kW / 1750 kWh / 3,5hCoupled to AC grid through grid forming PCS Electrolyte volume 116 m<sup>3</sup> Weight ~ 200 t

# **Flow Battery ViZN**



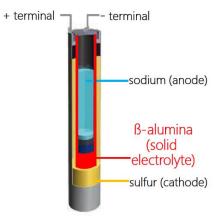




ViZn (Zn-Fe) : 400 kW / 960 kWh / 2,5h

# **NAS battery from NGK**





package unit 1.2MW / 8.64MWh

NAS battery (NGK) 200 kW/1200kWh Working @ ~ 300°C



# All kind of electrical grid configuration All kind of technologies

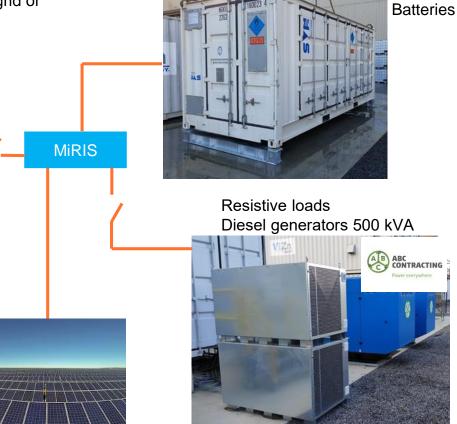
All can be tested in real grid environment or in closed grid or islanded grid

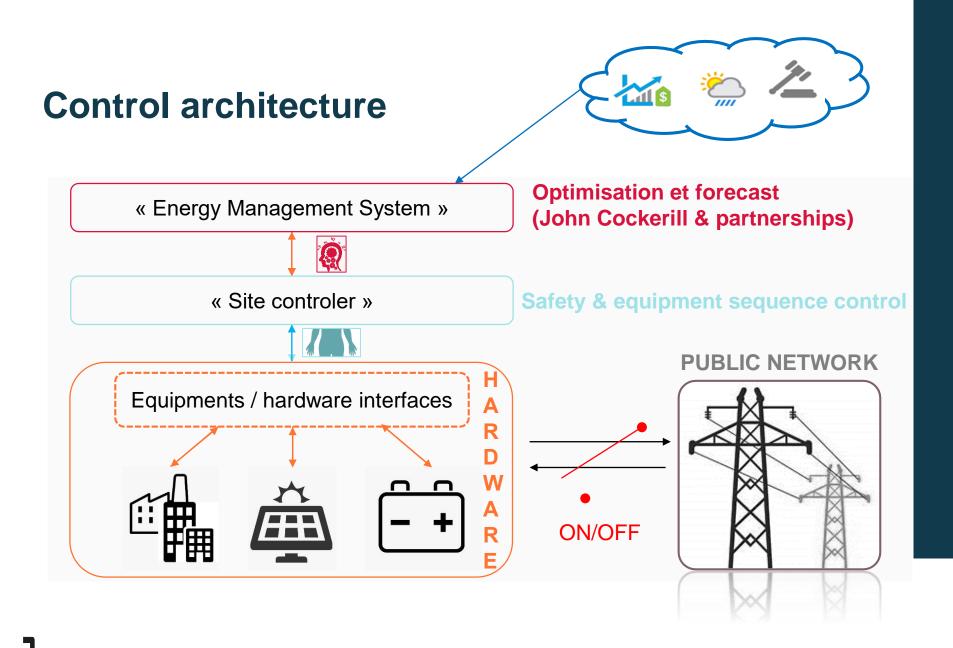
Any process tha can be bring to us can be tested !



John Cockerill loads (offices & workshops)

Renewable production



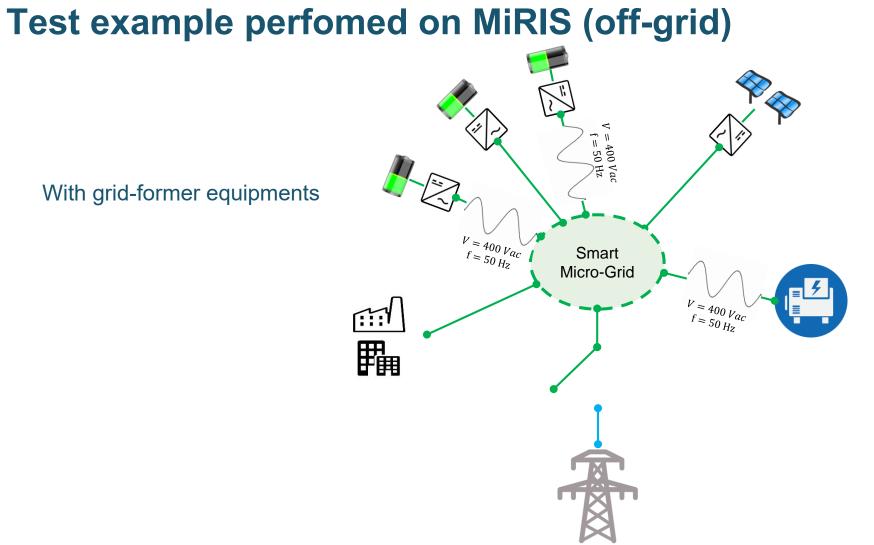


# **Control architecture : site ,tests management & measurements**

- Real time monitoring
- Test bench interface for
- grid cycles programming
- Grid power quality measurements included





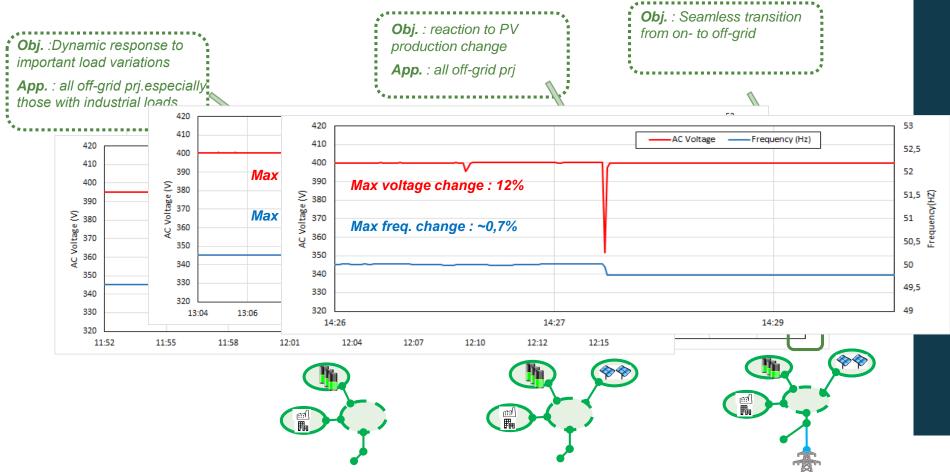


With grid-former equipments

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# **Test example perfomed on MiRIS**

performance analysis of battery with grid forming PCS



# Conclusions

- MiRIS advantages and services are multiple
- Highly versatile platform
- Battery storage behaviors analysis
- Multiple microgrid configuration can be tested : On-grid, Off-grid, weak grid
- Investigation of the integration of RE production in electrical grid
- Hybridization between technologies (ex. : genset combining battery, RE & Diesel Generators)
- Grid behavior and power quality analysis tanks to electrical power analyser included
- Testing platform allowing to test electrical equipments (400 VAC grid) and software
- Complete microgrid configurations can be tested with load, processes (simulated & real)
- Ready to welcome you on our testing platform for your specific needs (any equipement, process or software to be validated on an electrical grid)





# Storage

Frederik Loeckx

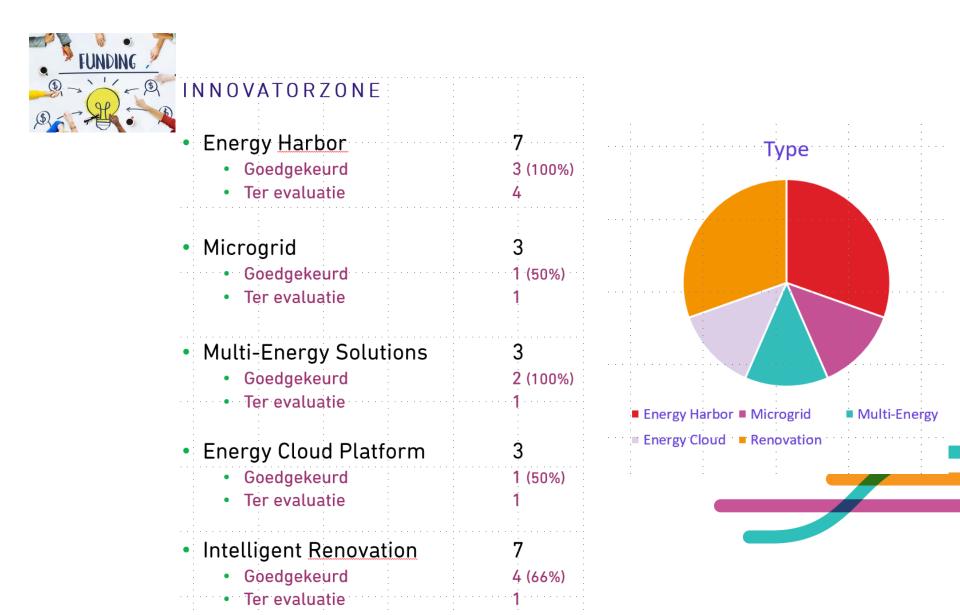
#### WHAT ARE THE ACTIVITIES OF FLUX50?



Flux<sub>50</sub> orchestrates and facilitates the realisation of a smart energy region, aiming to create economical value for Flemish companies.



#### WHAT ARE THE ACTIVITIES OF FLUX50?



#### FOCAL SESSIONS: ENERGY STORAGE





# North-West Europe RegEnergy



#### **Renewable Energy Regions**

Connecting urban demand & rural supply

# STEPS STORAGE OF ENERGY & POWER SYSTEMS IN NWE



In the last decades, we have seen a tremendous growth of distributed power production from renewable sources on a local and regional level. For stakeholders to maintain grid stability and optimise their business models, they need to invest in safe, affordable and sustainable power storage capacity. Many SMEs in the NWE area have developed these solutions, but they have a hard time validating their products. Transnational action is needed to benefit from their innovations. Otherwise, traditional battery products from overseas corporates will outpace them - they already supply 80% of the mid-size storage market in the EU. STEPS will tackle the two main challenges

keeping North-West European businesses from becoming competitive:

Limited access to test beds: Emerging energy storage products often take years to reach precommercial TRL. Having access to testing sites is crucial for any SME's pathway to commercialisation and market-access and, ultimately, to drive innovation and job creation in NWE.





Fragmented regulation: Each country has its own energy market regulations which influence a products' technical specifications and the profitability of the business model.

There are three key pillars for creating a transnational environment in which innovative, sustainable and safe energy storage products can be developed more efficiently with maximised commercial usability and international competitiveness:



Regional energy regulation and legislation will be explored to help SMEs tailor their solutions to foreign market conditions.



**Engagement with actual end-users** will take place in form of regional "user-boards" where individual needs for medium capacity storage are analysed and ideal testbeds identified.



Connecting SMEs with suitable end-users from all across NWE to demonstrate storage solutions at client testing sites, help reshape their business cases and adapt their technology on a cross-regional level.

To accelerate innovation in medium-scale energy storage, STEPS is planning to bring 25 new storage products & solutions to a pre-commercial level.

STEPS will drive down the time energy storage SMEs typically spend on technology demonstration before reaching market maturity from an average of 5 years to 1-2, while maintaining maximum commercial usability.

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# Primeur: wijkbatterij in Oud-Heverlee slaat groene stroom op

In de Ophemstraat in Oud-Heverlee wordt de zonne-energie die overdag geproduceerd wordt opgeslagen in een batterij en vrijgegeven in de avonduren. Het proefproject is een primeur voor België.

Lien Moris | 27 mei 2020



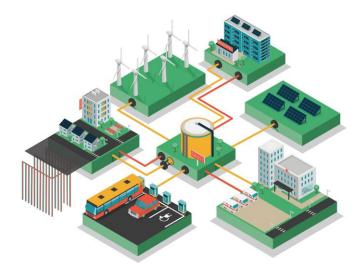
#### **ENERGY GENERATORS**





Lokaal energie opwekken

#### ENERGIEGEMEENSCHAPPEN IN ONTWIKKELING



#### Green Energy Park / Zellik

#### De Staak / Opwijk



#### WINDMOLEN







ZONNEPANELEN

Op drie bedrijven worden er zonnepanelen geplaatst.



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#### 7 BEDRIJVEN

In deze eerste lus zijn er 7 bedrijven die energie afnemen in het smart grid.



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Hoogveld

Dendermonde

Energie die niet gebruikt wordt in deze bedrijfssite kan terug worden afgegeven aan het net.

opgeslagen in batterijen.



Lokaal energie opslaan BATTERJ Op zonnige dagen zal er meer energie worden opgewekt dan verbruikt kan worden. De overige energie wordt

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# **Green Energy Park**

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### GREEN ENERGY PARK & VUB

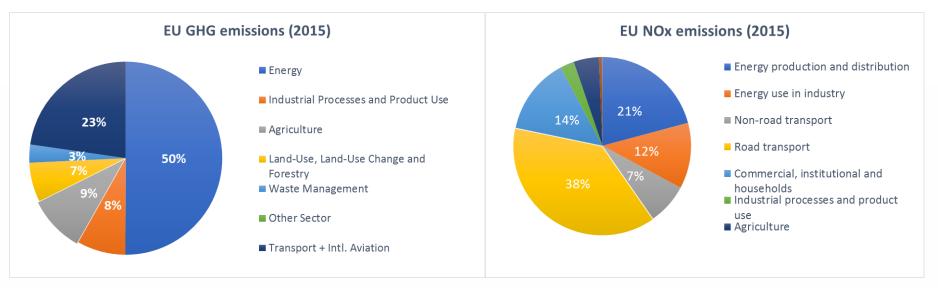
#### ENERGY STORAGE FOR ENERGY COMMUNITIES: WHAT IS THE



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#### POLLUTION

#### EMISSION



Source: http://www.eea.europa.eu/data-and-maps/data/dataviewers/greenhouse-gases-viewer

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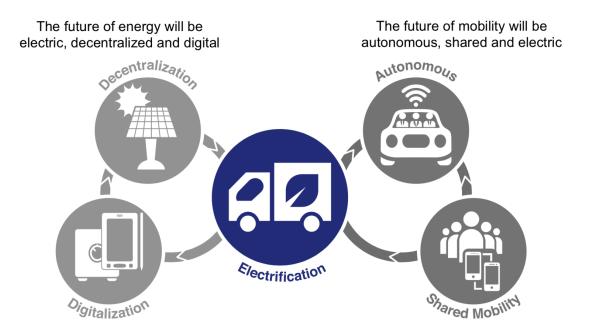
### TRANSITION

### TREND

	Today	Tomorrow
Power generation structure	Few, large fossil and nuclear assets	Many small decarbonized generators
Electricity market	Centralized	Decentralized market
Transmission	Simple transmission structure	Clustering and regionalized balancing
Distribution	One way	Two way
Digitalization	Ferraris meter	Digital multi-metering and IoT
Consumer	End consumer	Prosumers and electrification
Energy vectors	Single	Multi energy vectors



#### SECTORS



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#### ECOSYSTEM

NEED FOR A DISRUPTIVE TRANSITION

#### Many challenges:

- Technology
- Economic sustainability
- Social Acceptance
- Legislation
- Multi-stakeholder co-creation and collaboration

#### **Demonstrator Living Lab**

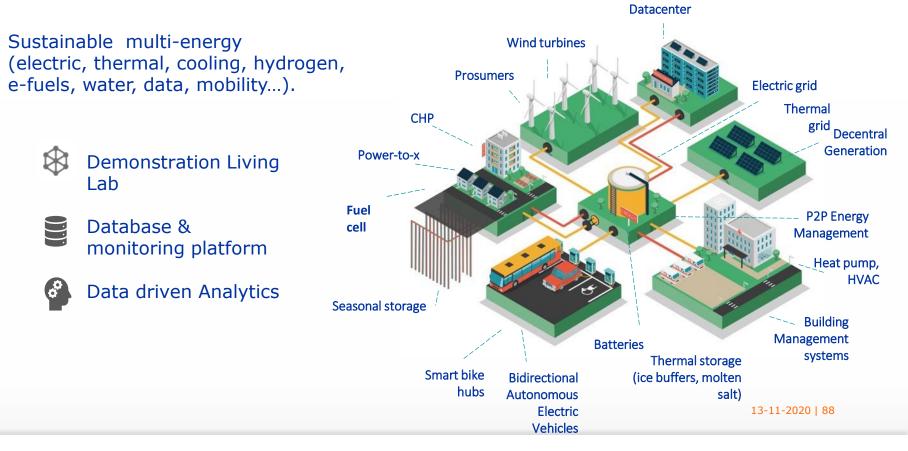
• Test and showcase facilities at high TRL

#### Co-creation ecosystem platform

- Academics
- Authorities
- Industry
- Citizens and end users



#### STRATEGIC INTERDISCIPLINARY R&D CENTER



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#### BASED ON STRONG TRACK RECORD OF MICROGRID MANAGEMENT

#### Brussels Health Campus



#### BRUSSELS SMART GRID HEALTH CAMPUS

#### Distribute Energy in Time

- Storage in buffers when cheap and/or abundant
- Usage of buffders when grid to expensive
- ICE buffers
- BEO-fields
- Thermal buffers Cogeneration Batteries (UPS)



#### BASED ON STRONG TRACK RECORD OF MICROGRID MANAGEMENT

#### Electric + Thermal Grid

ELECTRIC GRID



THERMAL GRID



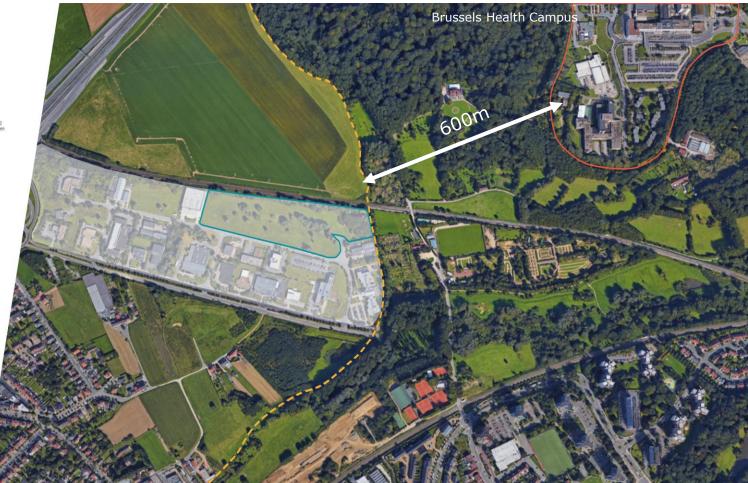






researchpark zellik

> 21 Buildings 72 Companies





#### GREEN ENERGY PARK

#### Key Figures

- 50% Off Grid
- CO2 neutral
- Researchpark Zellik
- 72 Companies
- 35.000m<sup>2</sup> building surface
- 2 km road
- Parking 400 vehicles
- On-site production
- 4 MW solar
- 9 MW Wind
- 2,5MW Generators
- 500 kW Cogeneration

- Energy storage
- 1,5MWh batteries
- 1MWh Borehole Thermal Energy Storage (BTES
- Thermal grid
- 2 km
- 22 buildings
- Up to 4MW
- Electric grid:
- 2 X20MW connection
- 3 km electric grid, including partial DC
- 100 charging stations



#### SMART VILLAGE LAB





#### QUESTIONS?

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#### SELECTION OF RESEARCH PROJECTS

North-West Europe RegEnergy **Regenergy :** RE supply and demand partnerships between urban and surrounding rural areas with an innovative integrated regional approach. Neighbourhood batteries are implemented and validated in a real-life environment.



Battery 2030PLUS: BATTERY 2030+ large-scale research initiative: Battery Roadmap development . H2020: 1/09/2020 – 31/08/2023 <u>http://battery2030.eu</u>



**BAT4EVER:** Autonomous Polymer based **Self-Healing** Components for high performant LIBs H2020: 1/09/2020 – 31/08/2023



**SPARTACUS:** Spatially resolved acoustic, mechanical and ultrasonic **sensing** for smart batteries H2020: 1/09/2020 – 31/08/2023



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#### STATIONARY BATTERIES RESEARCH TOPIC

- Cost-Effective Battery Solutions
  - Lithium Ion, Lead Acid, Redox Flow, Fuel Cell, Hydrogen, Second Life, etc.
  - Where to use which technology?
- Smart Grid Storage Technology
  - Second-Life Battery Systems for Smart Grid Applications.
  - Next Generation Batteries (Cobalt Free, Nickel Free, Post Lithium & Solid State).
  - Hybrid Battery solutions
- Battery Modules for Stationary Applications:
  - Embedded Sensing Technology
  - Intelligent Battery Management Strategies (Machine Learning, AI)
  - Smart Thermal Strategies
  - Smart Charge/Discharge scheduling and dedicated modelling for Stationary applications.
- Digital Twin, Industry 4.0:
  - Digitalization of Battery Packs and Modules
  - Safe, Reliable and flexible performance
  - Manufacturability

