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Taking Demand Response to Scale: the TABEDE solution

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What is TABEDE?

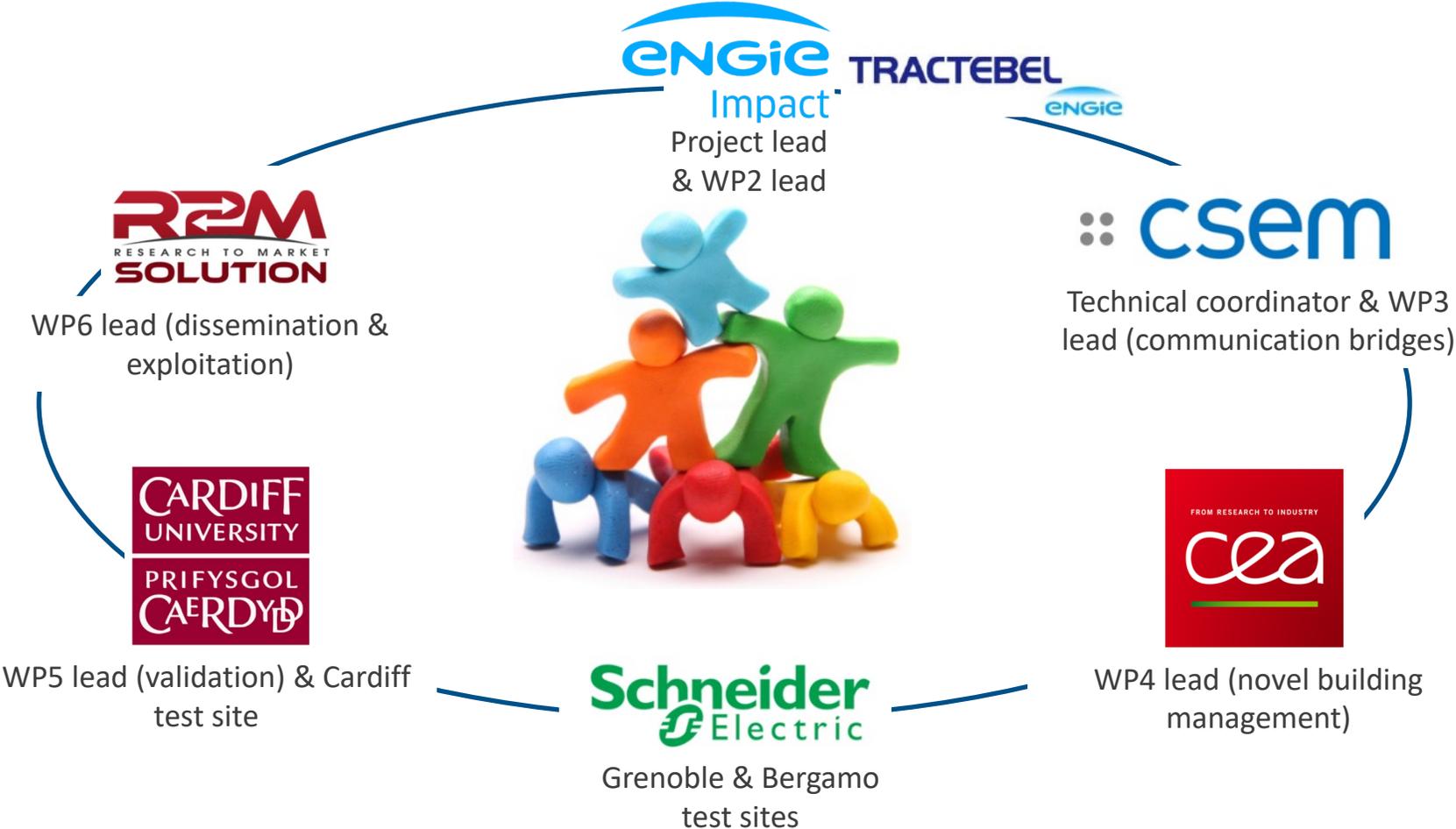


TABEDE is a 3-year project funded by the European Commission that aims to allow all buildings equipped with Energy Management Systems to integrate energy grid demand response schemes, independently of communication standards.



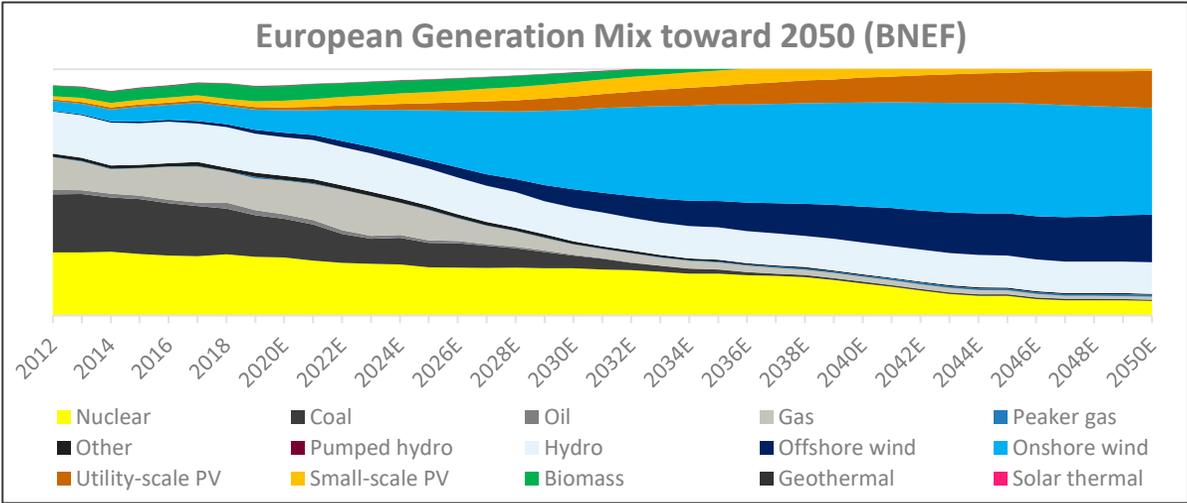
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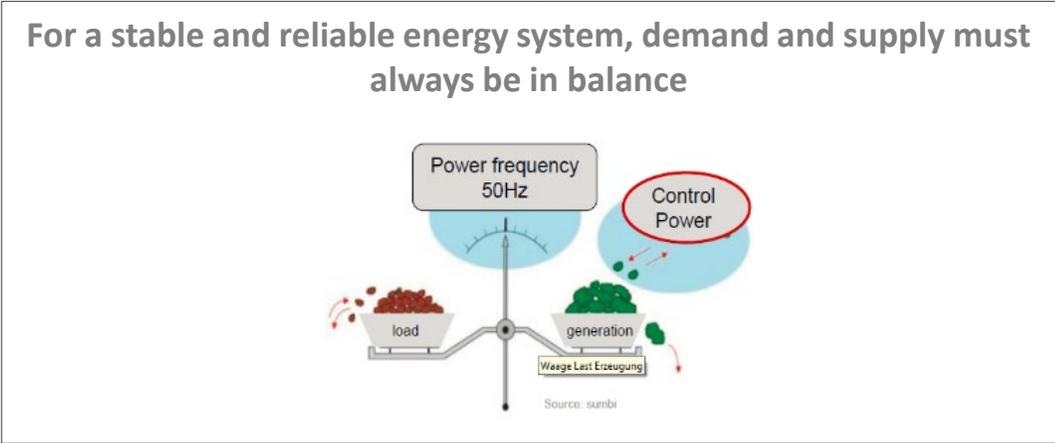
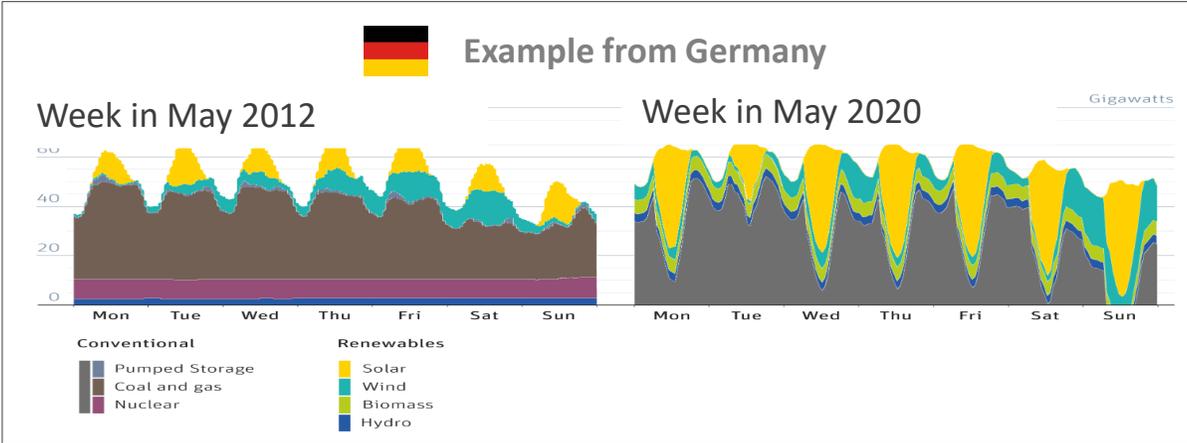
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While Europe's renewable energy deployment brings significant social benefits, it increases system variability and thus requires more (demand) flexibility



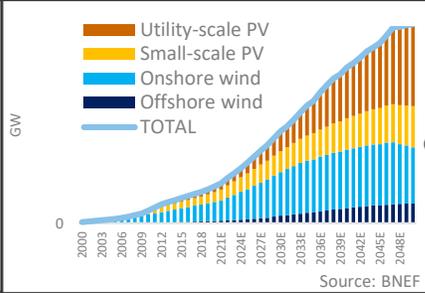
Social Benefits of Renewable Energy in Europe until 2030

- €180 billion**
 Of additional public and private investment per year from 2021
- 900,000 new jobs**
 In Europe linked to the clean energy sector
- 1% increase**
 In economic growth over the next decade
- ≤ 40 % reduction**
 Of Greenhouse Gas Emissions

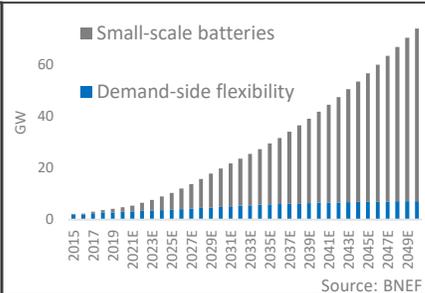


The significant uptake of renewable deployment goes along with increasing flexibility potential, e.g. via automated demand, storage and electric vehicles

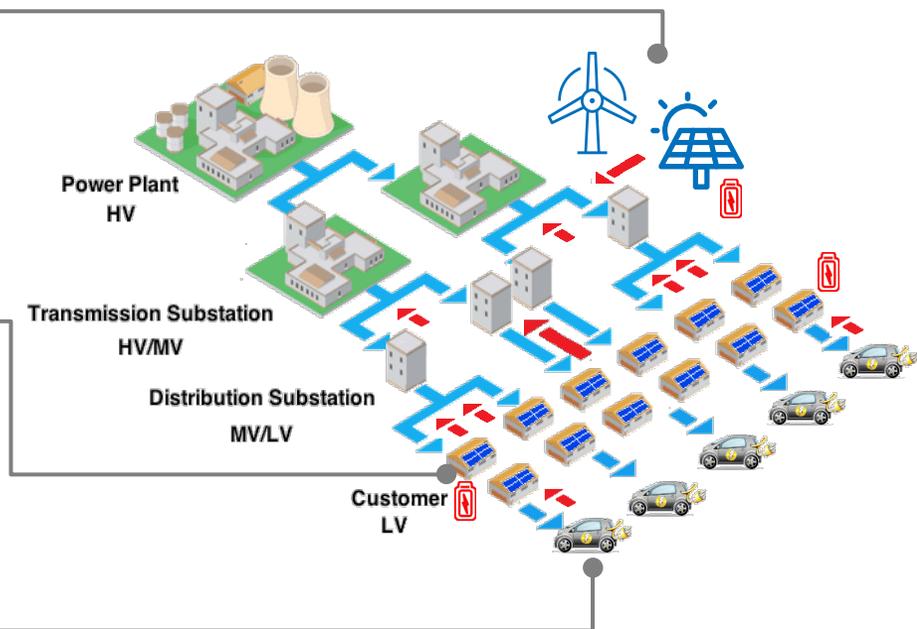
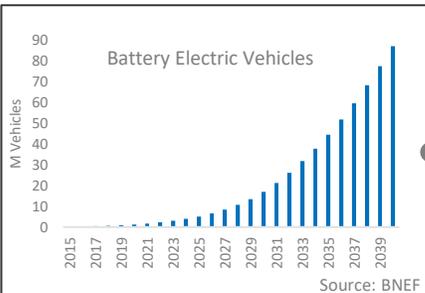
- **With increasing variable Wind & Solar production ...**
- **About 780 GW and 1.8 TW wind and solar capacity across Europe by 2030 and 2050 respectively**



- **... consumers can support the grid by valorizing their flexibility and local assets ...**
- **About 20 GW and 75 GW of distributed flexibility across Europe by 2030 and 2050 respectively**



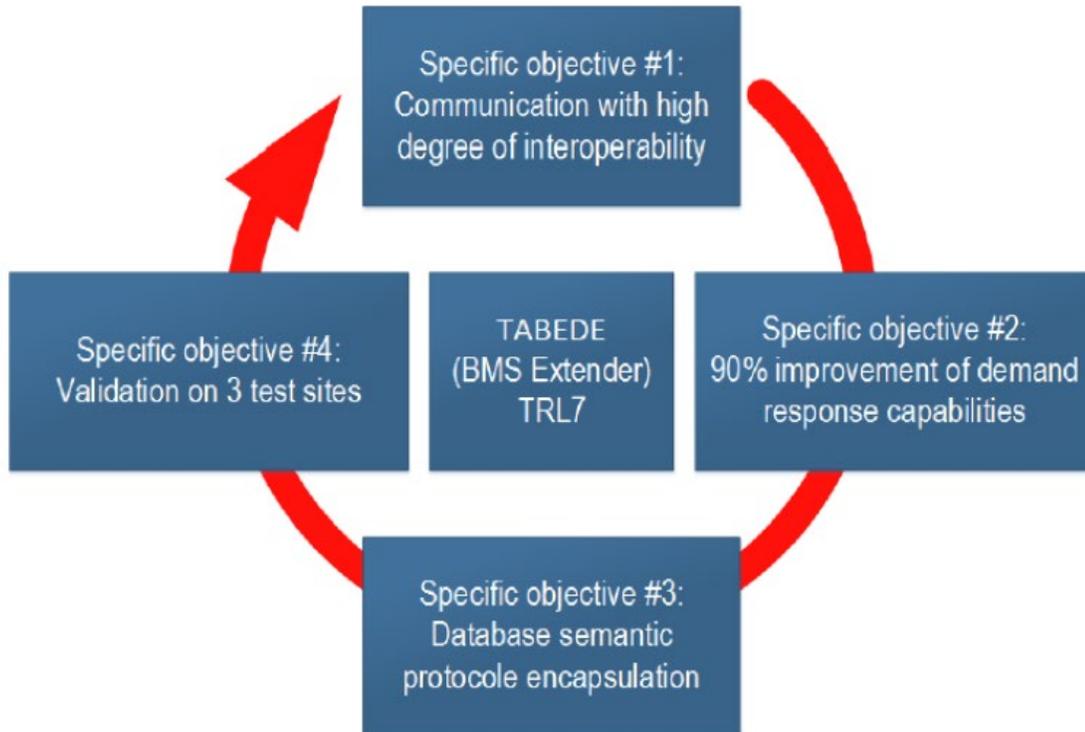
- **... including EVs, that may create or relieve grid congestion**
- **About 17 M and 87 M Battery Electric Vehicles across Europe by 2030 and 2040 respectively**



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TABEDE extender objectives



Specific objective #1:

- Numerous field buses available
- Software architecture modularity:
 - Allows easy integration of new protocols
 - Allows seamless deployment locally or in the cloud

Specific objective #2:

- Set-points can be provided to take control actions
- Information can be customized by the end-user

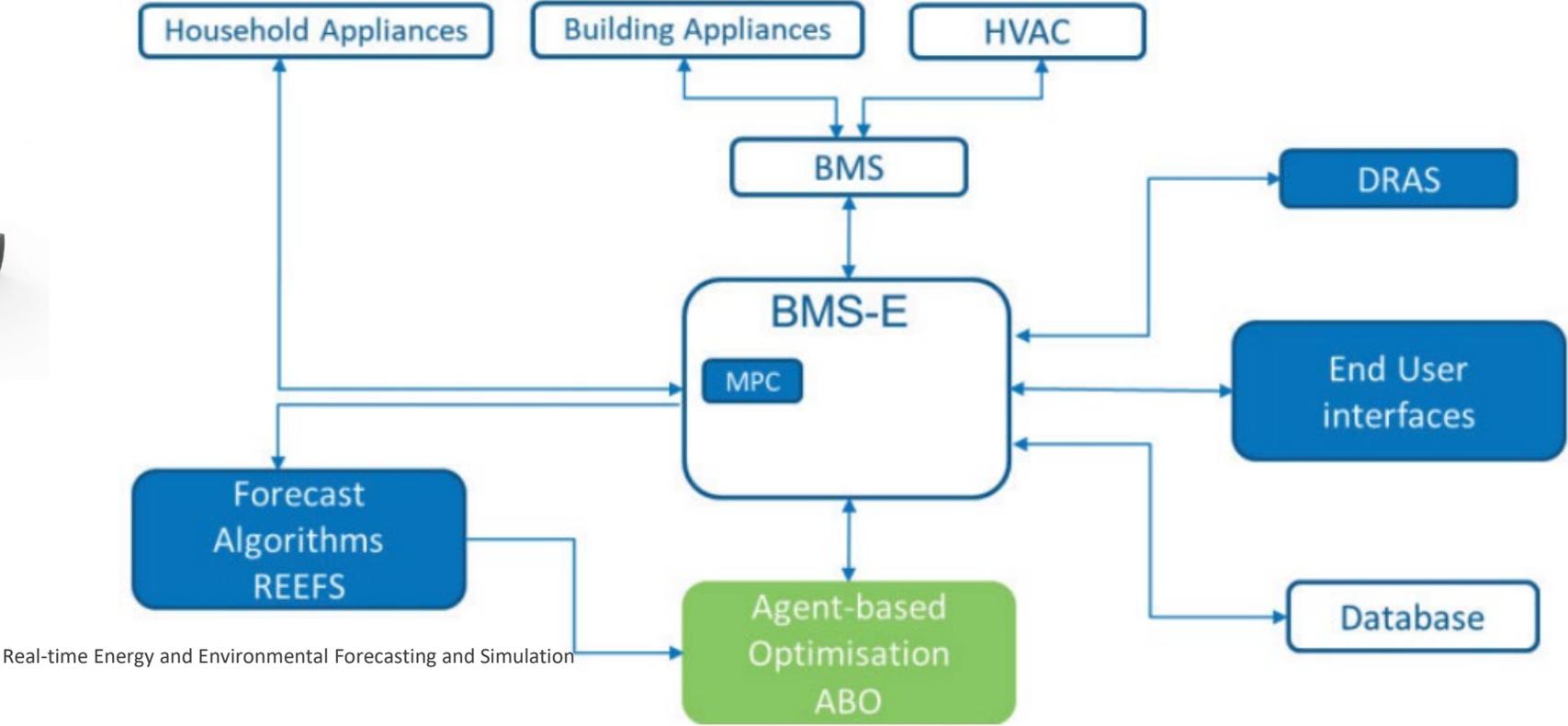
Specific objective #3:

- Devices and appliances are identified for flexibility assessment
- ABO, DRAS and BMS-E exchange semantic information via MQTT

Specific objective #4:

- Already working for 2/3 test sites

TABEDE overall architecture & constitutive elements



Communication Bridges—BMS-Extender

Characteristics:

- Hosts a computer-module Raspberry Pi on a custom-designed board
- Running Linux Raspbian
- Molded polyhurethane housing

Inputs/Outputs:

- 1x Ethernet
- 3x USB (for optional ZigBee, Z-Wave, ...)
- WiFi
- Bluetooth
- EnOcean
- Modbus
- KNX

User Interfaces:

- 6x status LEDs (e.g. power, error, connection)
- 3x buttons (power, pairing, reset)
- Single-page application frontend



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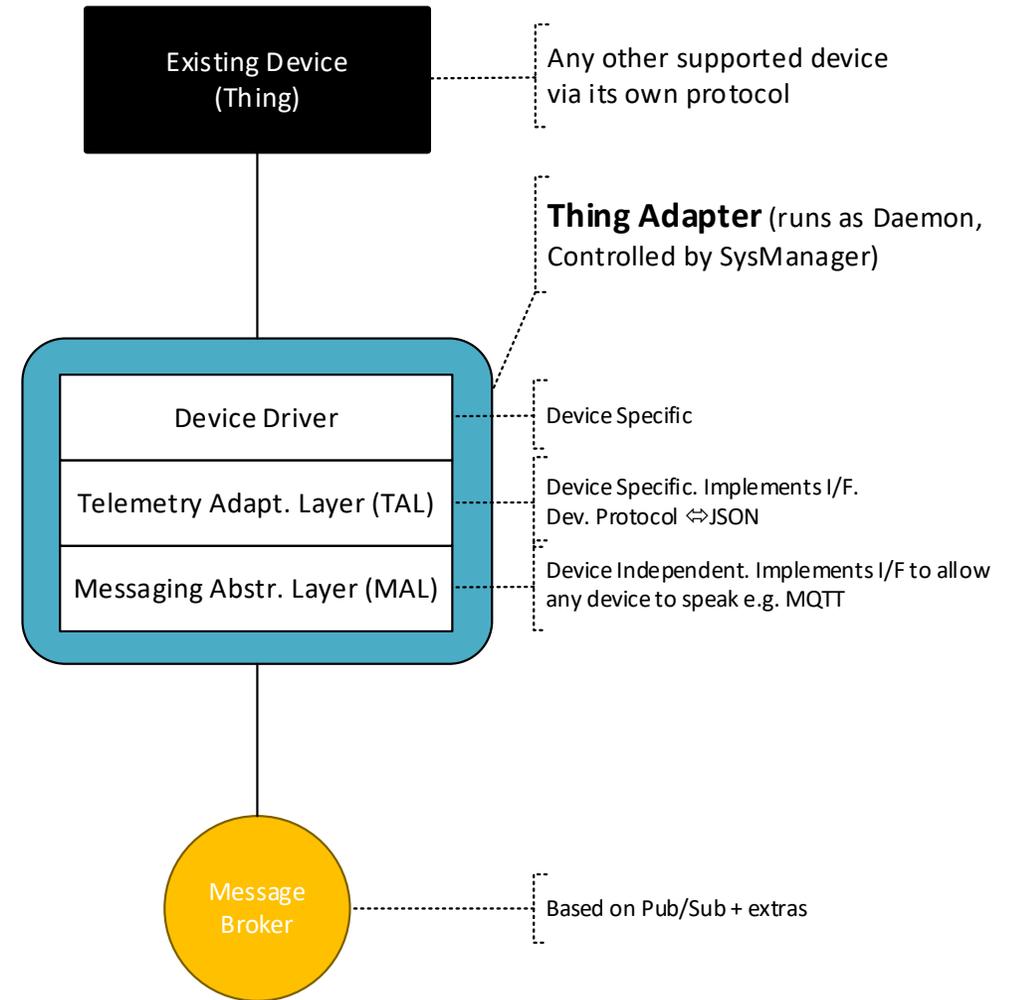
The BMS-E supports the following protocols:

- WiFi
- Bluetooth
- EnOcean
- Modbus

An Ethernet and three USB ports allow accomodating growing peripherals such as:

- KNX
- ZigBee
- Z-Wave

The modularity of our software architecture allows seamless integration of any type of protocol / field buses. A common layer of interoperability is at the heart of our architecture. This typically allows any new protocol to be supported very easily simply by developing a very simple driver.

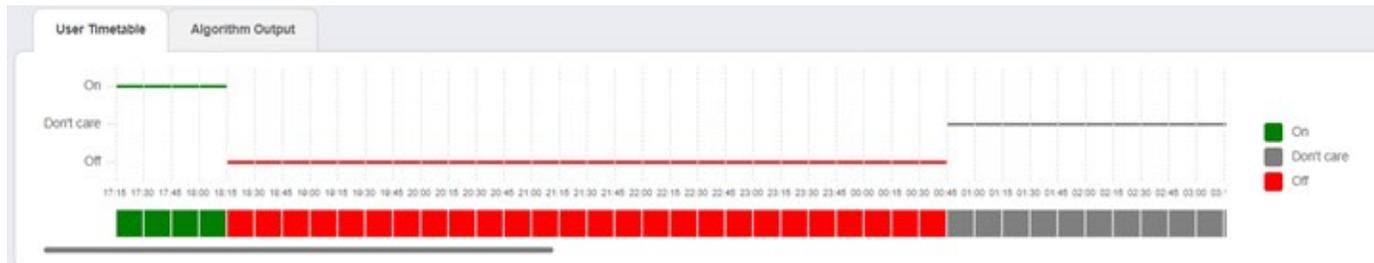


End user interface

- Widgets to show appliance data
- Graphic visualization of data



- Graphic input of user preferences



? Current (current)

0.013 A

Mon Jun 22 2020 17:10:26

Electric radiator

? Temperature (ambient-temperature)

24 °C

Mon Jun 22 2020 17:10:29

Hallway thermostat

? State (status)

OFF ON

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Washing machine

? Power (power)

0.000444 kW

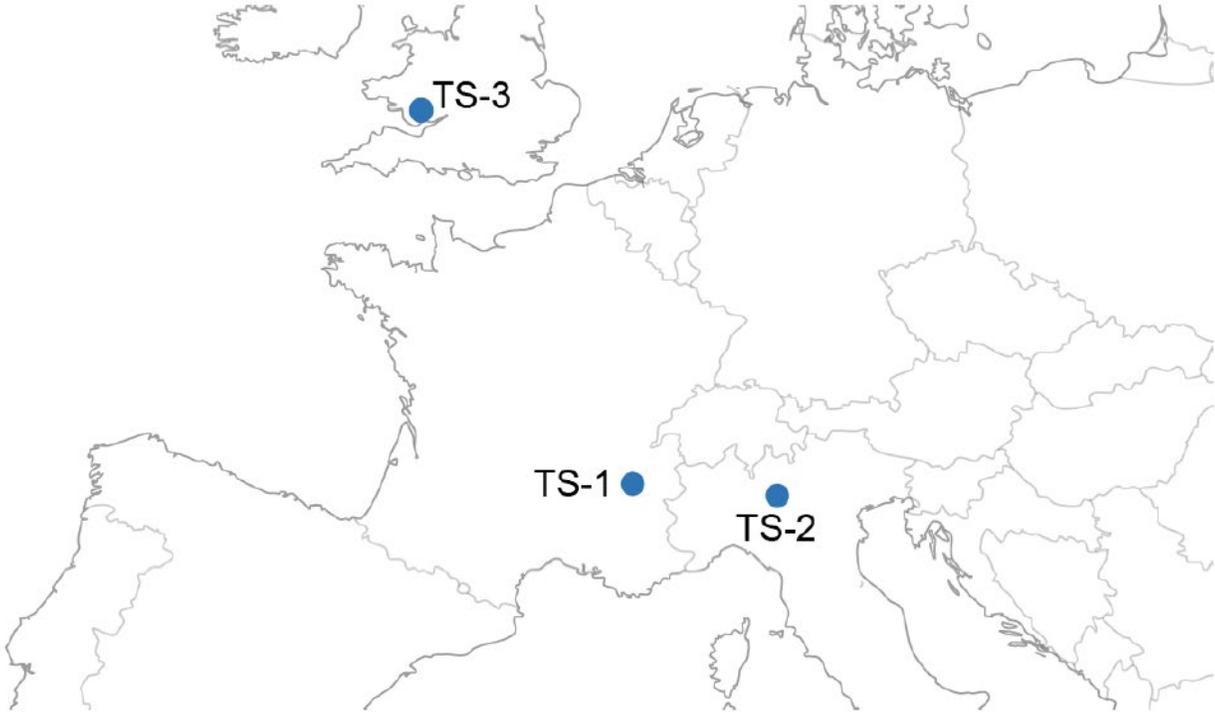
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Washing machine

Final solution



TABEDE test site overview



Site	Location	Type	Responsible
TS1	Grenoble, France	Industrial Campus	SCHN
TS2	Bergamo, Italy	Residential Building	SEI
TS3	Cardiff University, UK	Smart House	CU

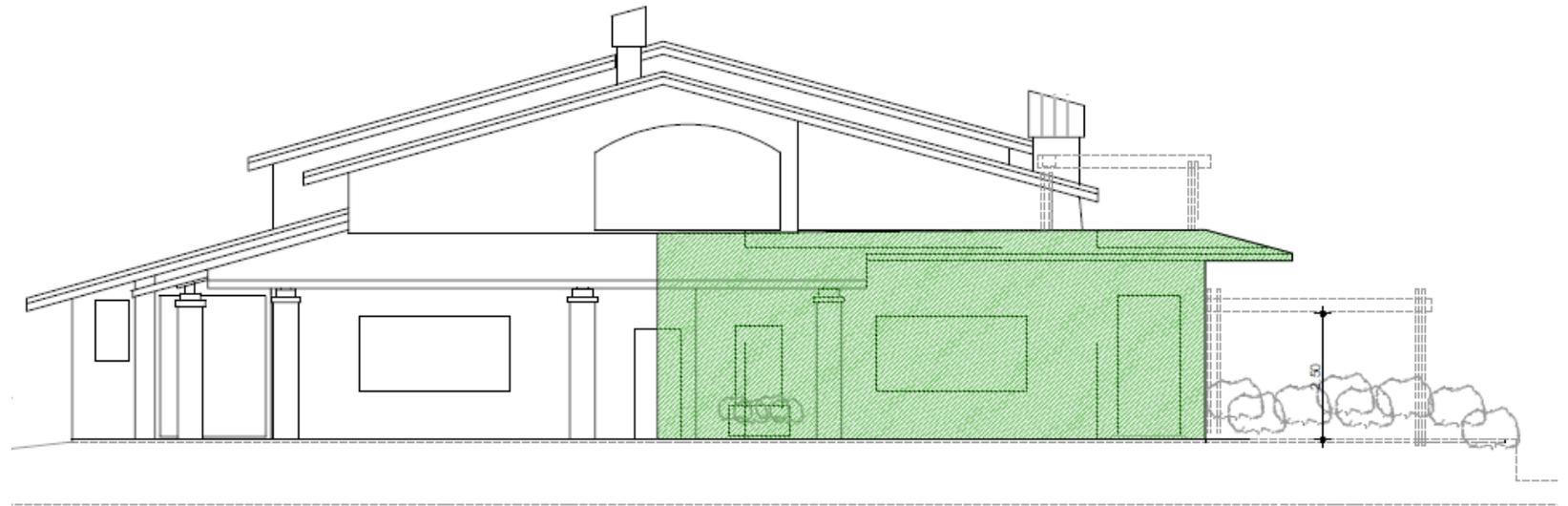
Schneider, Grenoble, FR, test site



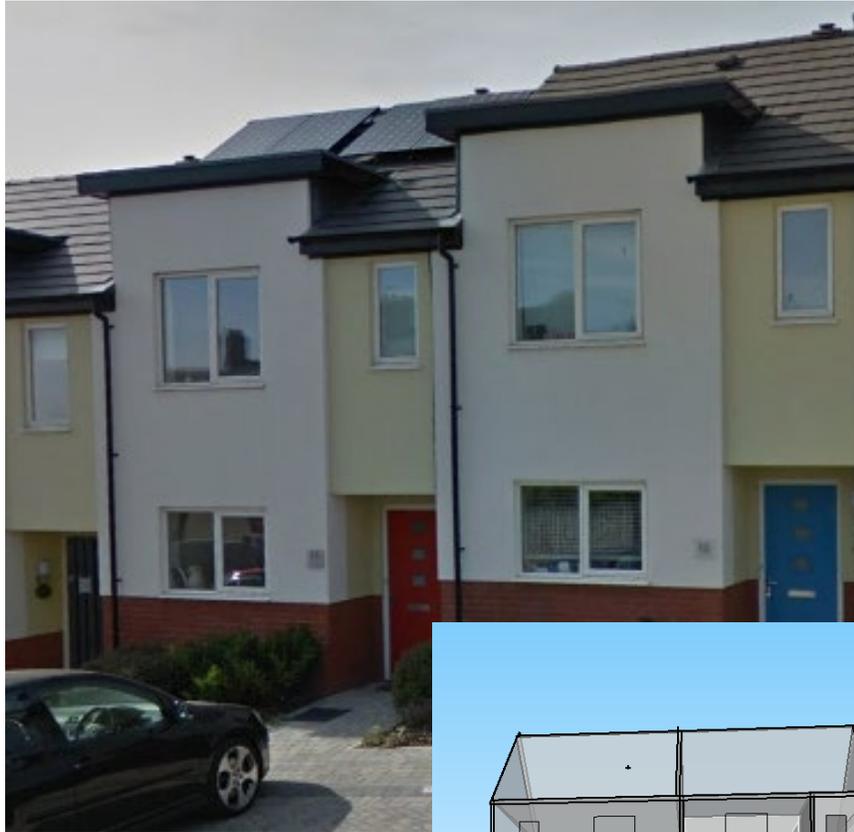
- Use case 1: Test full system loop to validate TABEDE's applicability to a large commercial building
- Use case 2: Analyze flexibility and cost savings from implicit DR signals
- Use case 3: Analyze flexibility and cost savings from explicit DR signals

Schneider, Bergamo, IT test site

- Use case 1: TABEDE controls appliances to respect maximum 3 kw power request from electricity provider
- Use case 2: TABEDE adjusts device consumption patterns to reduce costs in response to differentiated electricity prices
- Use case 3: TABEDE directs excess solar PV generation to heat and store water in on-site tank



Cardiff, UK, test site



- Use case 1: Test interoperability of BMS-E through automatic detection of home devices
- Use case 2: TABEDE optimizes device consumption to match on-site solar PV production
- Use case 3: Test effectiveness of MPC backup solution for thermal comfort if TABEDE connection is lost
- Use case 4: TABEDE optimizes electric bill in response to solar production and differentiated electric tariffs

Transferring TABEDE technologies to the market:

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: *“Real case applications of TABEDE BMS-Extender system for Demand Response”* (Fri, Nov 20, 2020 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM CET).

Registration

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