



Introduction to HYBUILD

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HYBUILD

INNOVATIVE COMPACT HYBRID ELECTRICAL/THERMAL STORAGE SYSTEM
FOR LOW ENERGY BUILDINGS

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1 HYBUILD in a nutshell

- Project start: **10/2017**
- Project end: **03/2022**
- Overall EU contribution: **5,995,840 €**
- Consortium: **20 partners, 9 countries**
- Coordinator: COMSA



Kick-off meeting Brussels - 10/2017



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1 HYBUILD in a nutshell

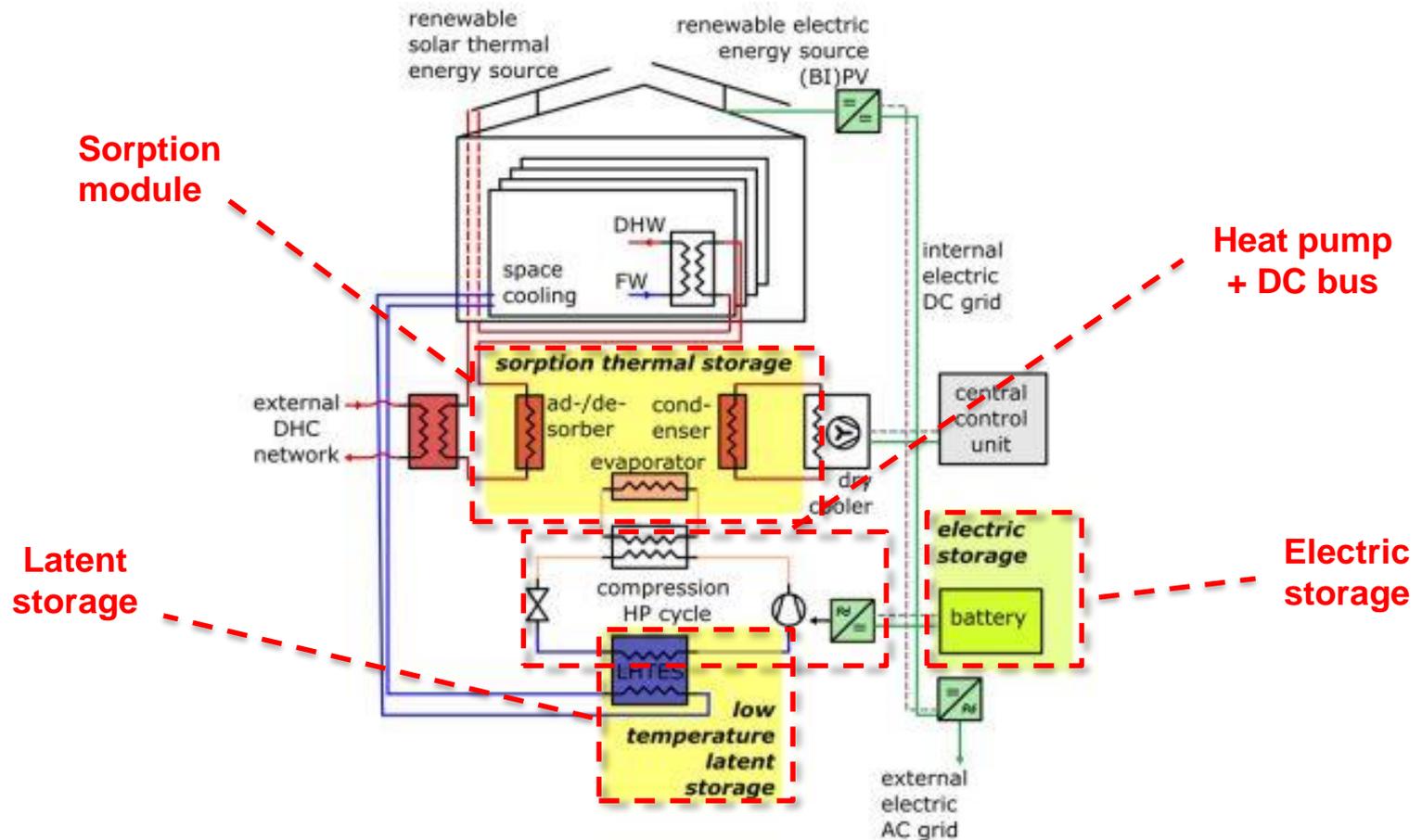
- HYBUILD aims to develop **two innovative hybrid storage concepts**
 1. For **Mediterranean climate** primarily for **cooling energy** supply
 2. For **Continental climate** primarily meant for **heating and DHW** supply
- The concepts are based on innovative components such as:
 - a **compact sorption module**
 - a **high-density latent storage**
 - a **reversible vapour compression heat pump**
 - a **DC-bus interconnection**
- The whole systems will be properly managed by **advanced controls** and **Building Energy Management Systems (BEMS)**
- The systems will be **validated** in **three different demo-sites**

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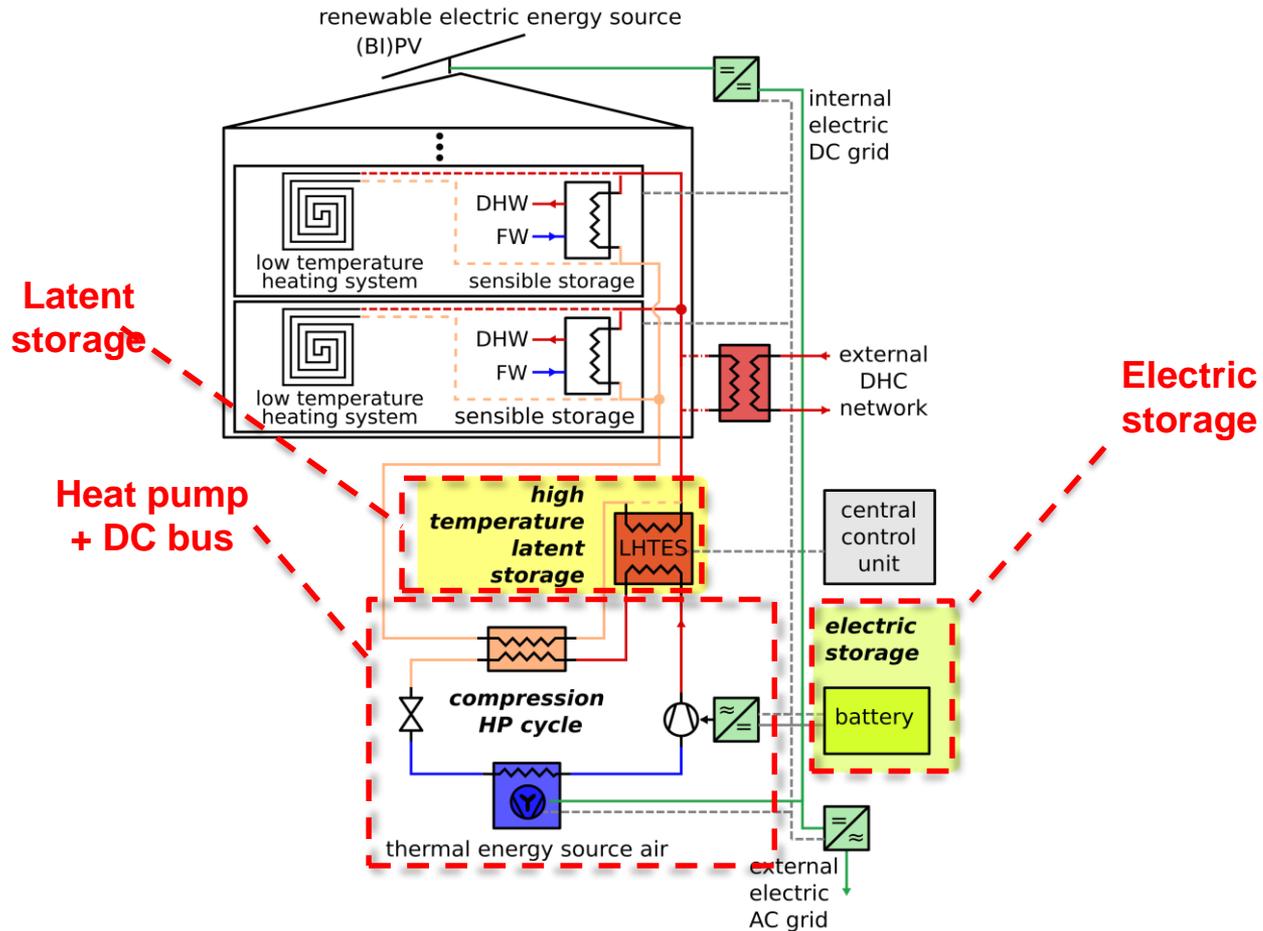
2 Overall concept

Mediterranean system (cooling)



2 Overall concept

Continental system (heating & DHW)



3 Implementation

TRL 3 - 4

TRL 5

1st year

KPIs definition and first modules modelling and design



3rd year

Control development and pre-intervention one-year demo-sites monitoring



Full-year demo-sites monitoring and system model validation for replicability analysis

4th & 1/2 year



Integrated systems at lab-scale, testing and design optimization



2nd year



Installation of the integrated storages in the demo-sites and start monitoring



4th year



3 Implementation **HYBUILD** prototypes
Hybrid Energy Storage for Buildings

Continental system



Mediterranean system



4 Innovation in HYBUILD

From the EEB-06-2017 call:

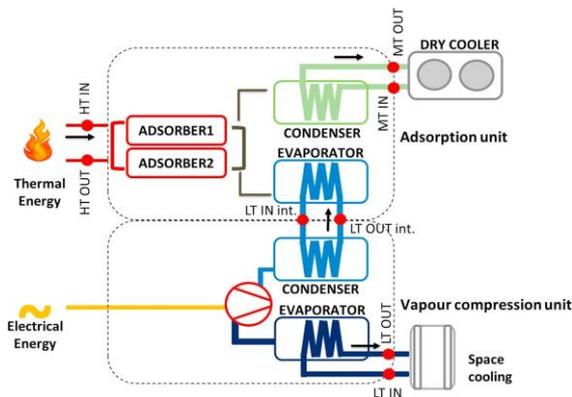
... hybrid approaches encompass different aspects, which may be addressed separately or coherently:

- *high efficiency **conversion and storage** of surplus **renewable electricity** into **heat**;*
- *multifunctional use in **both heating and cooling** applications at different temperature grades;*
- *different time scales, e.g. in **seasonal storage** of high temperature **solar heat and peak-shaving** in lower temperature heat–pump applications.*

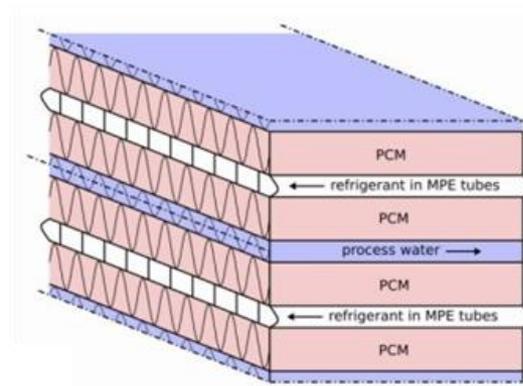
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high efficiency conversion and storage of surplus renewable electricity into heat:

- System based on reversible heat pumps to convert electricity into energy for heating/cooling or DHW;
- Innovation @ heat pump level fully integrated with the sorption and latent storage.



Integrated hybrid sorption/vapour compression chiller

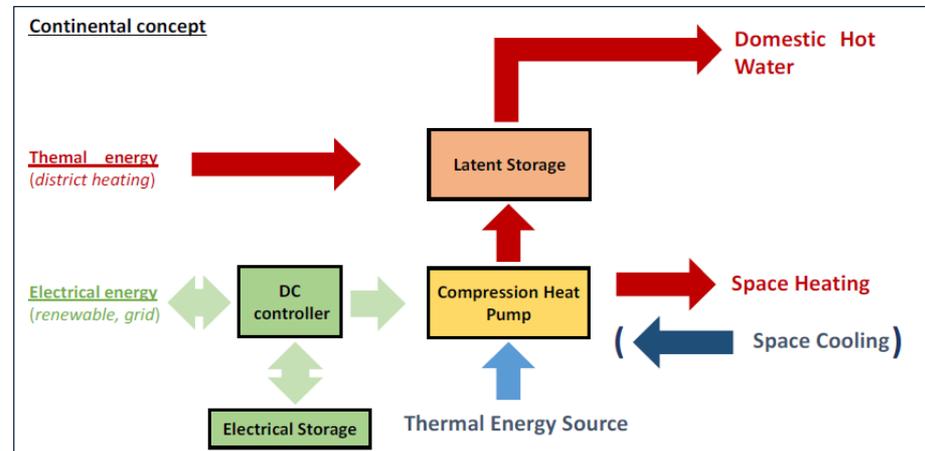
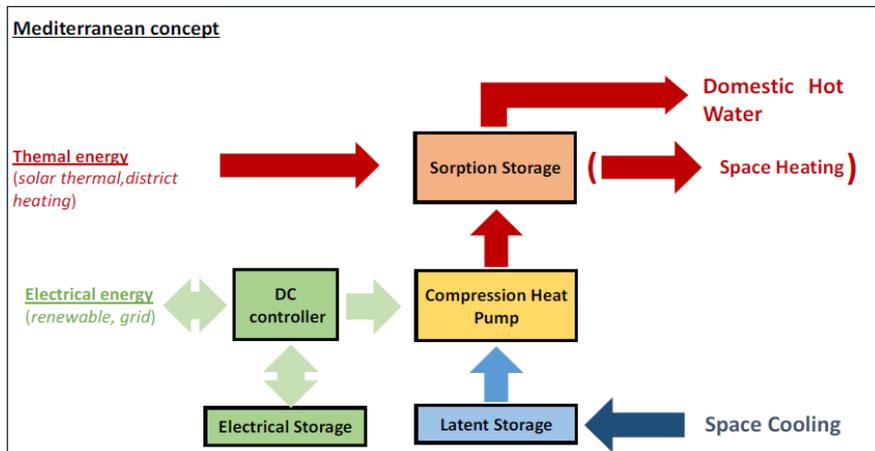


Modular integrated PCM/water/refrigerant storage

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multifunctional use in both heating and cooling applications at different temperature grades:

- Two systems specifically optimized for cooling and heating season;
- Mediterranean concept able to increase the electric COP of the chiller thanks to the sorption storage;
- Continental concept able to recover and store energy from super-heated gas out from the compressor to provide DHW, increasing the overall COP.



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different time scales, e.g. in seasonal storage of high temperature solar heat and peak-shaving in lower temperature heat-pump applications:

- Possibility to operate the sorption module both as short-term or long-term storage;
- Latent storages to increase flexibility in operation and efficiency of the heat pumps on daily basis;
- Electrical storages to further increase the flexibility and self-consumption of the system.

5 Critical aspect in the implementation

Integration of the heat pump & sorption chiller & latent storage

Overall system control logic definition and implementation

Continuous one full-year post-intervention monitoring at demo sites

6 Conclusions

- HYBUILD project will develop innovative fully-integrated components for hybrid electric/thermal storage solutions at domestic level
- The developed solutions will be optimized for both heating and cooling applications. Three demo sites will be employed to validate the solutions
- The lab-scale systems have been completed and their testing under lab-controlled conditions is performed
- A clear critical aspect is represented by the overall system control implementation at the demo sites



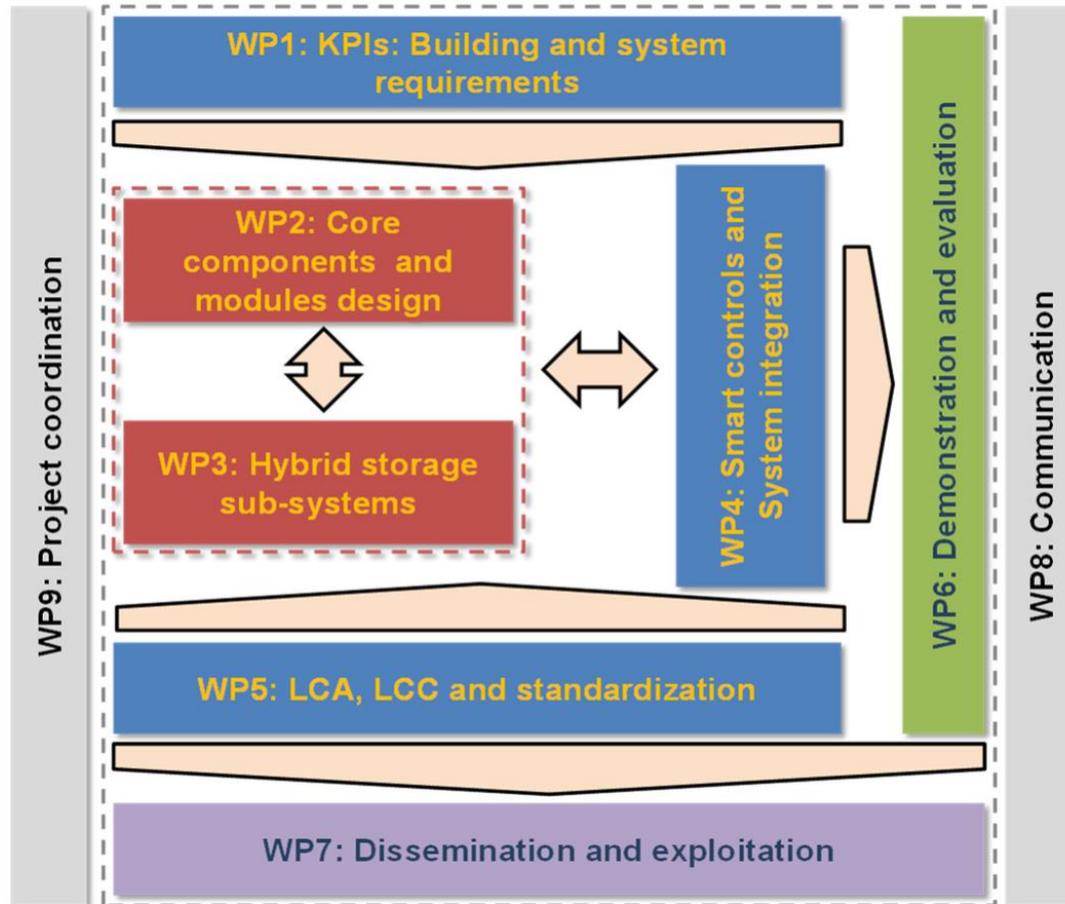
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3 Implementation



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