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Smart Energy Networks-Research Activities in Europe

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The Austrian Strategy Finding Process ENERGIE 2050

The medium and long term security of our energy supply is one of the major concerns of the 21st century. Questions arise, such as: Which paths of progression are preferable? Which technological options need to be developed? Which chances and risks can be identified? In order to clarify such questions and to provide future technologies and solutions, research will play an important role.

Within the frame of the Austrian strategy finding process **ENERGIE 2050**, initiated by the Austrian Federal Ministry of Transport, Innovation and Technology, topics like security of supply, new scenarios as well as the network of global, European and regional strategies are discussed with stakeholders. Long-term strategies and measures along with adequate research goals are developed.

A crucial role is granted to results that have been achieved so far with the "Austrian Programme on Technologies for Sustainable Development", the outcome of EU research projects and experience from international co-operation in the framework of the IEA (International Energy Agency). In this regard, as one of seven key issues for the **new Austrian Energy Research Programme**, the topic of **Intelligent Energy Systems and Grids** was identified as a central area of research for the future.

Hence, it is a pleasure and honour for Austria to host the brokerage event of the European Commission of the First Call in the 7th Framework Programme on the topic of Smart Energy Networks.

The day before **BMVIT is organising a get together of national and regional research programmes** in this area to exchange experiences, discuss common interests and possibilities of collaboration.



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- 12.00 Registration / Lunch
- 13.00 Welcome by the Austrian ministry of Transport, Innovation and Technology e2050 - The new Austrian Energy Research Programme *Michael Hübner, BMVIT*
- 13.10 The European Technology Platform Smart Grids *Ruud de Bruijne, Senter Novem*
- 13.25 European Research Infrastructure in the field of Smart Energy Networks Brigitte Weiß, EC
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- 17.00 Conclusions Michael Hübner, BMVIT
- 19.30 Dinner at a typical Viennese "Heurigen"

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- 8.00 Registration
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Programme "National and Regional R&D Programmes"

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- 16.15 RENERGI Clean Energy for the Future in Norway Frank Nilsen, Programme Advisor, The Research Council of Norway
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Techbase as new Technology District in Vienna





1st step: Techbase VIENNA (2005)



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- MOBILITY and ENERGY
- 195 employees
- 10.000m² Research-infrastructure
- 5.500m² Laboratories
- TECHbase = Center of Competence for
 - Modern Education
 - RTD Companies
 - international Hightech-Companies
 - Innovative Start-ups



Emeuerbare Energietechnologien - EET



ENERGY BASE

- Passive-house Office building
- 4500 m² office rooms
- 1500 m² Laboratories
- · 100% heating and Cooling from renewable energy
- · Wellness at work (best climate and convenience at the workplaces)
- · Total energy reduction 80% compared to standard office building
 - Photovoltaics
 - Solar Cooling
 - Solar heating
 - Heatpump
 - Daylight-Control



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3rd step: University of applied Science Urban renewable energy systems

- Starting September 2007
- 150 Students
- Context: "Central energy systems and networks in the transition towards implementing more renewable sources"
- · Close cooperation with arsenal research
- · Joint research and education activities







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Integration of leading European Expert-groups aiming at:

- Requirements
- Quality-Criteria
- Test- und certification-Methods
 - ...for distributed power generation

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Interconnection standard



Erneuerbare Energietechnologien - EET



5th step: Innovative Energy companies starting business or moving to the ENERGY-Base

- Renewable Energy
- Power Electronics
- Communication Technologies
- Innovative Buildings
- · Distributed Generation
- ...









Final Target

- Vienna Energy Competence Center NEW Energy Innovation district
 - > 250 Students, researchers in innovative Energy
 - Companies
 - Laboratories
 - Lecture halls
 - Conference halls



Target:

One of the leading EUROPEAN Centers of Competence in Renewable Energy Technologies and Distributed Energy Ressources




































	ENERGINET
Overv	iew of Energinet.dk R&D programs
	 Public Service Obligation R&D - ForskEL Regulated by law Research, development and demonstration for utilisation of environmentally friendly power production technologies, including safe grid integration 130 mill. DKR/18 mill. Euro annullay
	 Off shore environmental surveillance programme Publicly funded R&D to ensure environmental safety in connection to the off shore wind farms 84 mill. DKR/11 mill. Euro for the period of 2001-2006
	 Energinet.dk's internal R&D - ForskIN Programme is part of the benchmarked activities as TSO Focus is on security of supply, development of the power system, and environmental issues Annual budgets vary: usually about 10 - 15 mill. DKR/1 5-2 mill. European
	 National gas grid research – ForskNG Programme is part of the benchmarked activities as TSO The aim is to develop new and renewable gas technologies to ensure security of supply The budget in 2007 (first year of programme) is 4 mill. DKR/0.5 mill. Euro
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ENERGINETOK
Focus areas in the ForskEL call for 2007 www.miljovenligelproduktion.dk (2005) www.miljovenligelproduktion2006.dk
 Three main tracks Combustion technologies and biorefinery systems Waste and solid biomass (Thermal comb. + thermal gasific.) Biorefinery (Liquid biofuels + cascade thinking) Combined heat and power (Natural gas CHP + mini- and micro CHP) Other technologies (Biogas combustion) Fuel cells and energy carrier tecnologies Fuel cells (Fuel cell tecnologies + fuel for these) Energy carriers (Natural gas + hydrogen + liq. biofuels in CHP) Other technologier (Biogas upgrading + gas cleaning) Integrated and distribuerede RE-technologies Solar energy (Photovoltaic cells) Control and regulation of power systems (Demand response, integration issues for RE) Other technologies (Windpower + wavepower + other environmentally friendly power produktion technologies)
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	ENERGINETOK
Forskl	N focus in 2007-2010
	Political decisions may lead to establishment of new, large amounts of RE in Denmark, to be integrated into the grid EU has opened the ball with the FP7 call under SmartGrid Energinet.dk collected the best applications from the 2006 and 2007 ForskEL calls and is in the process of forming a consortia under the ForskIN label, named EcoGrid The project will run in 2007 to 2010, with Energinet.dk and the partners funding phase 0 (consolidation of the consortia) and phase 1 (focusing the scope). The main work in phase 2 will be formed as an FP7 application, with broad European research, TSO, DSO and manufacturer participation. Also other projects have broad interest, like the Energy Forecast Project
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	ENERGINET/DK
New concepts for active customer-integrated distribution networks are needed	
 Resources in the distribution networks are not truly integrated and not fully utilized in the power system Wind power, PV, local CHP, micro CHP (incl. fuel cells, micro turbines) Demand Heating and transportation (e.g. electric car, plug-in hybrid cars) Current network architecture is not designed for DG and intermittent sources Flow pattern, protection, reactive power management, losses Active distribution networks are needed Optimal utilization of the distributed resources Active market participation Appropriate emergency response Intelligent customer integration Cost of bits << cost of new hardware 	
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A	reas for cooperation	
	Communications	
	- What to relay to the TSO	
	- What to relay to the DSO	
	- What not to relay but just monitor	
	How much demand response?	
	 Only relevant in emergency mode and only the lower priority demands? 	
	- Or everyday, integral to the operation of the entire grid?	
	What's the interface between demand response and market	
	price signals?	
	- Customer profile, equipment, time to react	
	Case studies	
	- Animations, models, simulation data and examples, benchmarks.	
	- We need to share generic cases with transparent data sets, to speak	
	the same language. This will provide a short cut to good solutions to	
	the other issues.	
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RENERGI - Clean Energy for the Future International cooperation
 EU framework programmes ERA-net HyCo FenCO
INNERBilateral agreements
 Project cooperation through international organisations
 IEA research cooperation through Implementing Agreements
 International Partnership for The Hydrogen Economy (IPHE)













Which topics within SmartGrids are covered within RENERGI? RA 4 European Interoperability of SmartGrids RT 4.1 Ancillary Services, Sustainable operation and low level dispatching (1 project) Balance management in Multinational Power Markets

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Which topics within SmartGrids are covered within RENERGI?

RA5 SmartGrids cross-cutting issues and catalysts

- RT5.3 Multiple energy carrier systems (2 projects)
 - e-Transport decisionmaking for regional/local energy planning with mulitiple energy carriers
 - Sustainable energy distrubution system planning methods and models
- RT5.5 Regulatory incentives and barriers (2 projects)
 - Nordic Energy perspectives
 - Market design
- RT 5.6 Underpinning technologies for innovation (3 projects)
 - Next generation sea cables
 - New testing methods for sea cables
 - New compact/low weight solutions for wind energy generator





























	MINISTERIO DE EDUCACIÓN Y CIENCIA	RDT Spanish National Plan (2004-2007)	
		Responsible	
Head	of Energy Are	ea → Manuel Montes	
	The General coordination Research an	Secretary of Science and Technological Politics in with all the Ministries is the responsible of the National d Development Plan (2004-2007)	
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	MINISTERIO DE EDUCACIO Y CIENCIA	RDT S	<u>RDT Spanish National Plan</u> (2004-2007)		
		Framework			
Energ	y National	Program			
	1. Optin clean	nization of conventional energies, so that they become ner and more efficient technologies			
	 - 	mprovement of transpo Fechnologies for clean Nuclear Fision End use efficiency in en Distributed generation /	rt fuels use of coal and petroleum products Poligeneration ergy Energy transport Active generation		
	2. Renewable energies and new technologies				
	\ F (Vind energy Photovoltaic energy Dceanic energy	Thermal solar energy Biomass Hydrogen and fuel cell		
	3. Fusio	n Energy			

	MINIST DE EDI Y CIEN	RDT Spanish National Plan (2004-2007)	<u>n</u>		
		Selection criteria			
There is	s no (differential criteria for Technological Networks			
		Common criteria			
	•	Identification with the general objectives of the program			
	•	Reduce the cost of the technology			
	•	New concept of technology			
	•	Increase the opportunity to use that technology			
	•	The quality of the proposal			
	•	The quality of the research team			
	•	Guarantee of application of the results			
	•	Needs of the development			











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ACTIVE PARTICIPATION IN ERA-NET PROJECTS (9 ERA-NET projects. Coordinator of MANUNET ERA-NET).
> 3 JOINT CALLS ALREADY PERFORMED IN 2006 AND 5 JOINT CALLS TO BE LAUNCHED IN 2007.
> MANAGEMENT BOARD MEMBER IN MNT (MICRO AND NANOTECHNOLOGIES) AND EUROTRANSBIO.
> SELECTED BY THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION AS CASE STUDY IN THE 2006 WORKSHOP "ERA-NET AS A TOOL FOR REGIONAL COOPERATION".
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POSTER SESSION



The **RENERGI** programme

- Clean Energy for the Future

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- Energy systems
- Energy markets
- Energy use
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The Swiss National Research Program "Networks"



Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule Zürich Swiss Federal Institute of Technology Zurich

Bundesamt für Energie BFE

Program description

Background

Due to its position in Central Europe, the Swiss electricity grid is often assumed to serve as "energy hub". This view is emphasized by the fact that significant flows (electricity and gas) traverse Switzerland. Changing legal regulation as well as the fostering of the Internal European Energy Market impose new requirements on energy production, -transmission and distribution, especially in the field of energy networks. Complementary to such legal changes, the imminent scarcity of natural resources as well as technological progress set incentives for major advances in the field of network infrastructures.

The importance and the prospective impact of the above described developments are reflected by the recent creation of a Swiss national research program on networks and associated technologies.

Technical and Economic Objectives of the Research Program

Related to the above described framework, the program aims at facilitating the following research activities:

- study the impact of technological, economic and legislative changes on network operation and - security of supply
- study the design of new network infrastructures reflecting the increasing use of (renewable) distributed generation facilities and energy storages
- study questions of market regulation, the interdependence of technical and economic operation as well as strategies for long-term network reinforcement

Core Activities of the Research Program

Figure 1 presents a schematic of the core activities of the research program. Generally, three areas of interest have been identified being electricity networks, multi-energy networks as well as network technologies. Rough examples of possible project orientations within each area are detailed in figure 1.



Figure 1: Core Activities Swiss National Research Programme "Networks"

Complementary to the above displayed activities, the program takes an active part in various European committees (see figure 2) in order to foster and coordinate research in the field of smart energy networks.



Figure 2: Committee participation Swiss National Research Program "Networks"

Summary and Future Objectives

In late 2006 the Swiss national research program "Networks" has been founded to meet the numerous challenges associated with prospective developments in the field of energy network infrastructures. In 2007 the program has become operable. Core activities are set in the areas of electricity networks, multi-energy networks as well as network technologies. The program also takes an active role in the European Technology Platform "SmartGrids" as well as in the International Energy Agency (IEA) Implementing Agreement ENARD. In the future, the program aims at extending its national as well as international activities in terms of project initiation, support and financing as well as committee participation. The Swiss national program would welcome the creation of an ERA-NET related to Smartgrids in order to facilitate European research in this field.

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The "vision of future energy networks" project

Power Systems and High Voltage Laboratories, ETH Zurich Towards Future Energy Networks

The expected characteristics of future networks are:

- The provision of adequate interfaces for a wider range of participants (small producers, storage, etc.)
- The common management of several energy carriers
- The inclusion of transportation as a consumer/storage/converter into the public energy system.



A Visionary Hybrid Approach In order to investigate future energy network without a bias by historical developments in the networks, a "green field approach" was chosen. The visionary concept is based on two key elements. Converters and storage devices are integrated in so-called energy hubs as shown below. These hubs are supplied by various energy infrastructures and deliver power to loads consuming different forms of energy. The second novel approach concerns the combined transmission of different energy carriers in one device, which is called energy interconnector. Electricity and gaseous (e.g. hydrogen) energy carriers can be transported together in this underground transmission element.



- Power flow and system design in multi-carrier systems
- Hub systems control & dynamics
- Risk and investment analysis
- Technological aspects:
- Basic principles for multi-carrier energy transmission
 Application:
- Case studies "Baden" and "Swisspower" (planned)

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Demonstration Networks with a High Share of **Distributed Generation**

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Conceptual design, scheduling and project planning of distribution network branches with active operation and a high share of distributed generation units. Preparations of all requirements for the implementation of innovative demonstration networks with consideration of all relevant players.

Background

Due to current energy related framework conditions within the EC (Directives) the penetration of Distributed Generation (DG) increases continuously and it can be expected that this increase will even grow in the future. As a result of the increasing density of distributed electricity generation, basic questions related to the bidirectional power flow as e.g. reliability aspects (power quality and continuity of electricity supply), stability aspects, network capacity, network-, energy- and load management are massively arising. Research on active integration of DG in distribution networks is ongoing already for a while, but mainly stays at the point of theoretical aspects.

Objective

Projecting of models for the integration of a high as possible share of distributed generation (active network):

- with perpetuation of power quality,
- high macroeconomic profit and
- including all relevant actors

Option: Increase of reliability of supply - ability of intended islanding

Project results

- Comprehensive documentation, analysis and evaluation of international demonstration projects, relevant theoretical research projects and practical experiences of the distribution network operators
- Model systems for the active network operation presented within a pyramid model "DG-Integration", which presents a rise of complexity of the system
- Technical, organisational and economical projecting for the selected parts of distribution networks
- Letter of intent from for the implementation and realisation relevant players and finance partners









Energy Systems of Tomorrow

Demonstration Networks with a High Share of Distributed Generation

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IRON CONCEPT Integral Resource Optimisation Network

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IRON is an integral control network for optimising the utilisation of the resource "electrical energy". The Project provides concepts for new, innovative services for the power market based on the latest advances in the field of modern information and communication technologies.

Background

Facing the shortage of energy resources and rising energy costs, it is crucial to increase the efficiency of energy usage. Although already deregulated, today's power markets still lack incentive for wide consumer groups to avoid peak consumption. This project aims to design a distributed and integrated load management infrastructure. Based on a self-controlled load shifting strategy, peak consumption can be reduced and thus overcapacities become obsolete.

Results

- Different load management strategies possible: virtual power plant, peak shaving, online pricing.
- A common communication infrastructure is essential for effective and flexible operation of each option.
- Low costs for setting up and operating the network are crucial for the economic success.
- Currently, no feasible load management devices with communication capabilities are available on the market.
- Prototype design ("IRON Box") shows that low-cost load managers are possible in high volume.
- Load management can gain significant impact on load profiles without loss of user comfort
- Load shift capabilities and thermal storage capacities in the grid can be combined to a large "virtual pumped storage"



Energy Systems of Tomorow IRON CONCEPT Integral Resource Optimisation Network

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