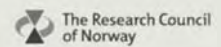
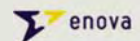


# Entwicklung von Kunststoffkollektoren in Norwegen

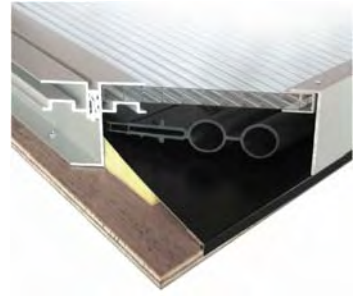
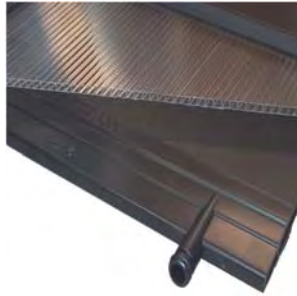
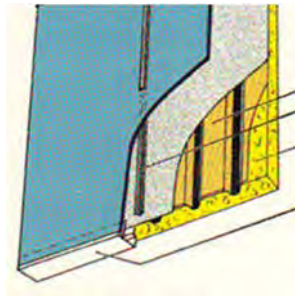
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## ... started in 1977



1977: 1st solar heated house in Norwegen

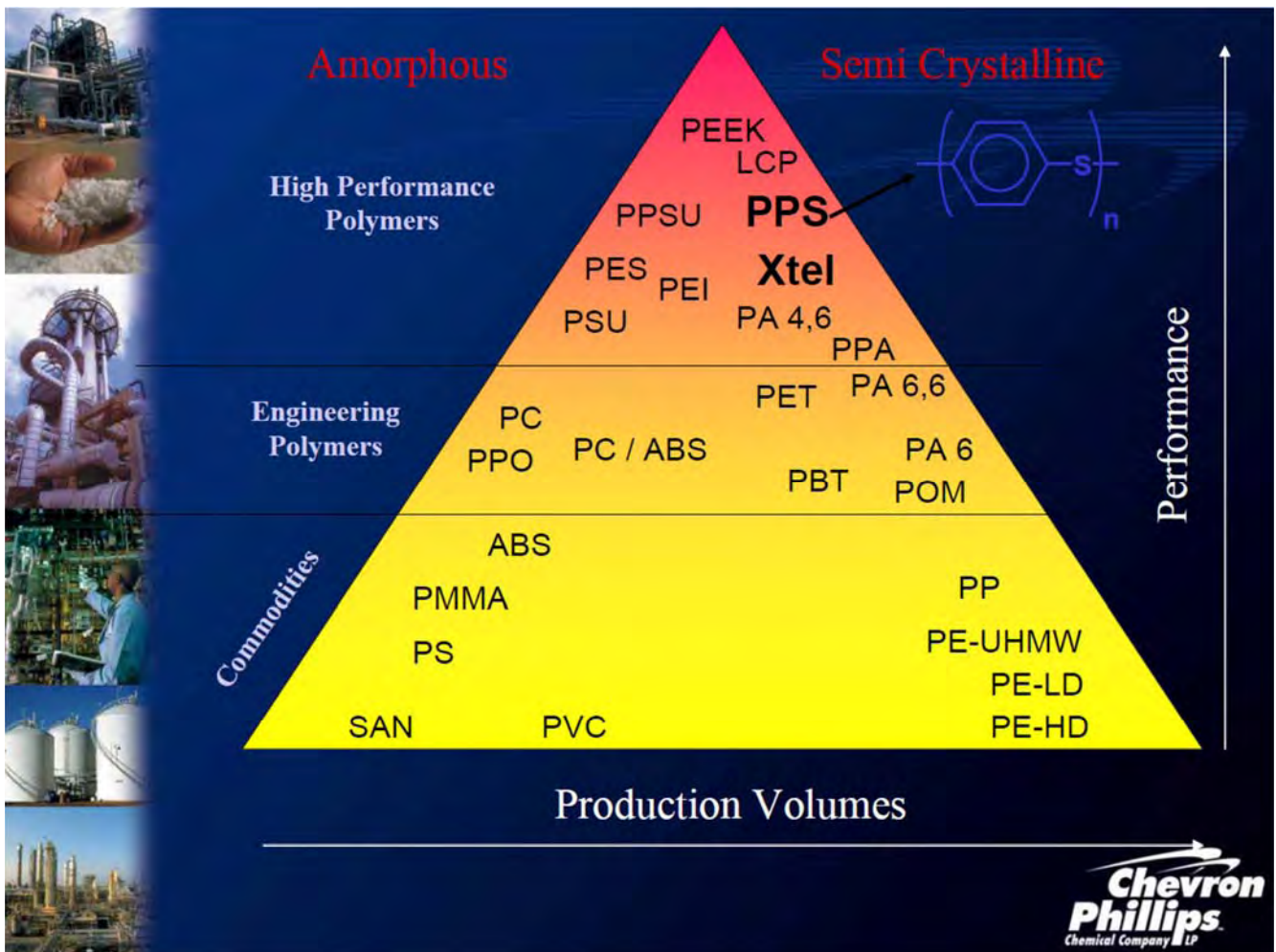
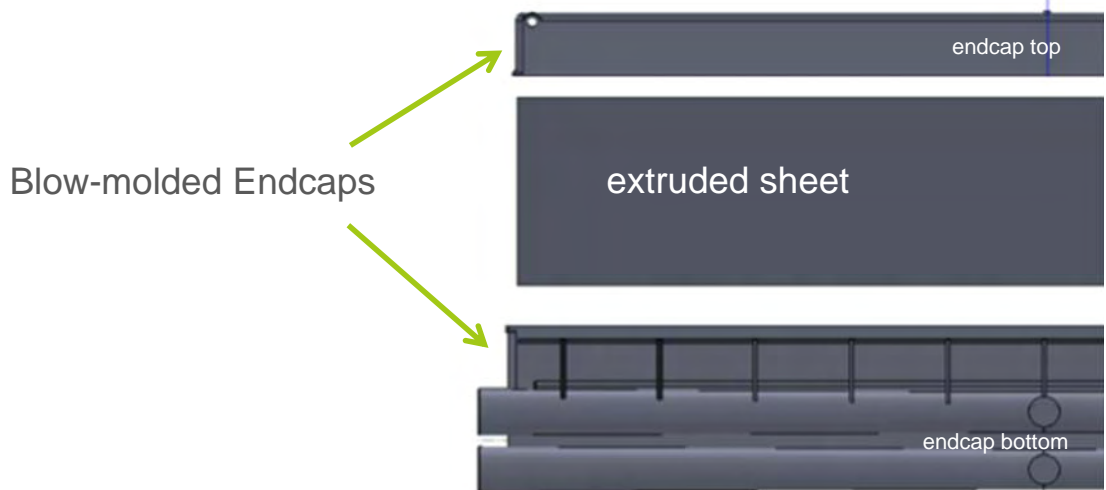
**SOLNOR**-Konzept:  
Aluminiumabsorber mit Kunststoffabdeckung

**Solarnor**-Konzept:  
NORYL-Absorber mit Kunststoffabdeckung

**AventaSolar**-Kollektor:  
PPS-Absorber mit Kunststoffabdeckung

# All-polymeric collectors with PPS Absorber

- PPS : **Polyphenylene sulfide**, semi crystalline;  
 Xtel®XE: Series of PPS/Elastomer alloys:  
 Increased flexibility and ductility and enhanced impact resistance



# Collaboration, industrial partners



- Chevron Philipps Chemicals International N.V (Belgium)**  
 subsidiary of Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LLC with headquarters in the Woodlands, Texas.  
 Producers of styrenics and aromatics a leading supplier of olefins and polyolefins, alfa olefins, specialty chemicals and proprietary plastics.

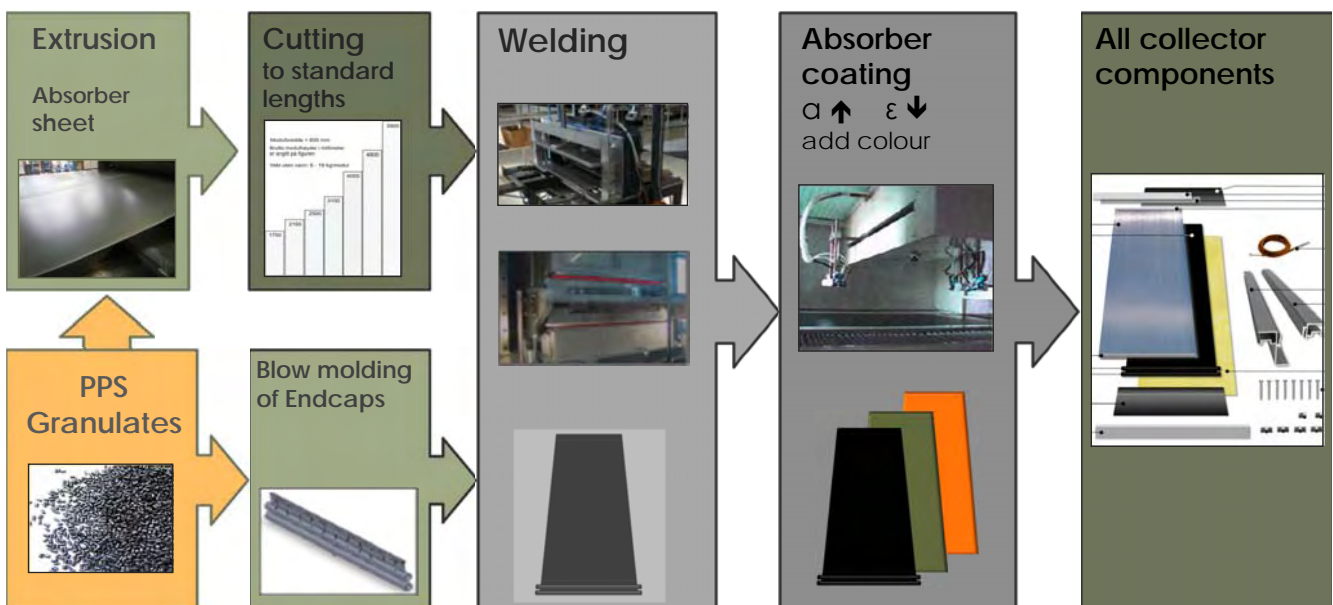


- DS Smith Kaysersberg Plastics (France)**  
 - manufacturer of plastic sheet and finished plastic products with manufacturing sites in France, Spain and the UK.



- Aventa AS (Norway)**  
 R&D of solar collectors in polymer materials together with Chevron Phillips Chemicals, Smith Group Kaysersberg Plastics and the University of Oslo.

# Production steps PPS-Absorber





# Extrusion of PPS

First worldwide sheet extrusion of PPS performed by Chevron Philipps, Kaysersberg Plastics and Aventa

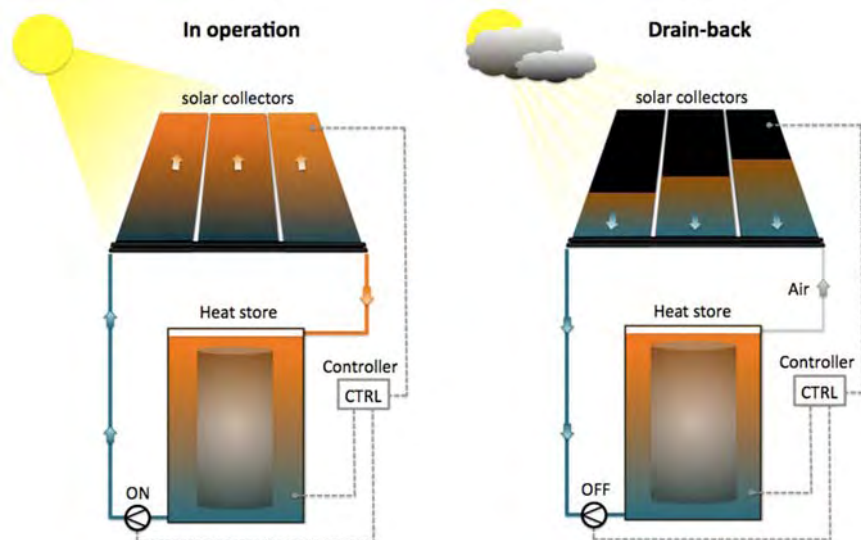


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# Prinzip - I

Solaranlage:

- Drain-back
- Druckloser Solarkreis
- Wasser als Wärmeträger
- "Direct system" (Drain-back-Reservoir)

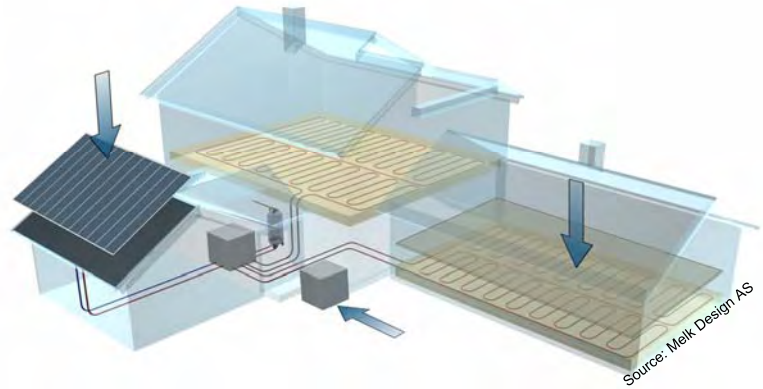


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## Prinzip - II

Solaranlage:

- Niedertemperaturheizung
- Gebäudeintegration: Dach- oder Fassaden-integrierte Kollektoren ersetzen konventionelle Baumaterialien
- Architektur!



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## Applications, favourable systems

### Solar Domestic Hot Water Systems

Target market:  
Existing residential homes



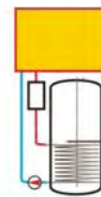
### Solar Combi Systems for hot water and space heating

Target market:  
New residential homes



### Solar Heating Systems for larger buildings

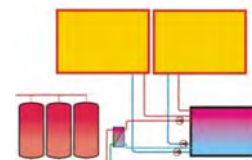
Target market:  
New and existing buildings



A



B



C

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# Kollaboration mit Bauindustrie



140 000 apartments in Oslo area

Largest Norwegian housing company OBOS invests in Aventa AS (autumn 2010).

HubroHansen AS & Aventa AS:  
Collaboration: Integration of absorbers in pre-fabricated glass / facade modules



## MULTIFUNCOAT

Multi-funktionelle Beschichtungen für Kunststoffkollektoren

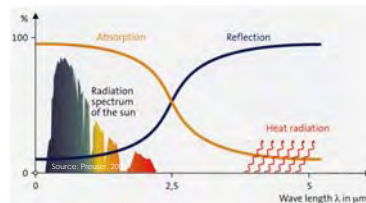


AVENTA - Kollektor

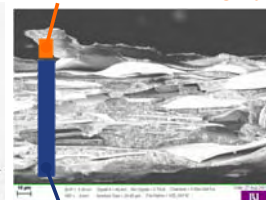
**Projekt 1:**  
Selbstreinigende und kratzbeständige Oberflächenbeschichtungen (Kollektorabdeckung)



**Projekt 2:**  
Thickness Insensitive Spectrally Selective paint coatings  
Increase efficiency  
Colours => Esthetics



Solar radiation absorbing layer



IR reflective layer.

### CONSORTIUM PARTNERS

National Institute of Chemistry, Slovenia  
COLOR, HELIOS Group; Slovenia  
AVENTA AS, Norway



Anwendung: Fassadenintegration => Architektur!

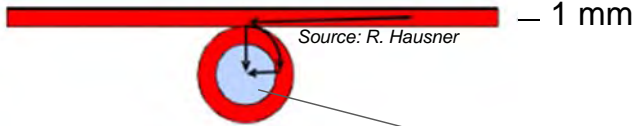


# Geringe Wärmeleitfähigkeit

Kein Nachteil bei richtigem Design!

## Konventioneller Flachkollektor

$F \approx 0.93 - 0.97$



$\lambda_{\text{cop}} = 384 \text{ W/(m K)}$   
 $\lambda_{\text{alu}} = 220 \text{ W/(m K)}$   
 Volumenstrom, Wärmeträger ca.  $0,3 \text{ l/(min m}^2)$

## Flachkollektor aus Kunststoff (mit Abdeckung) Doppelstegplatte, ca. 1 mm Wandstärke

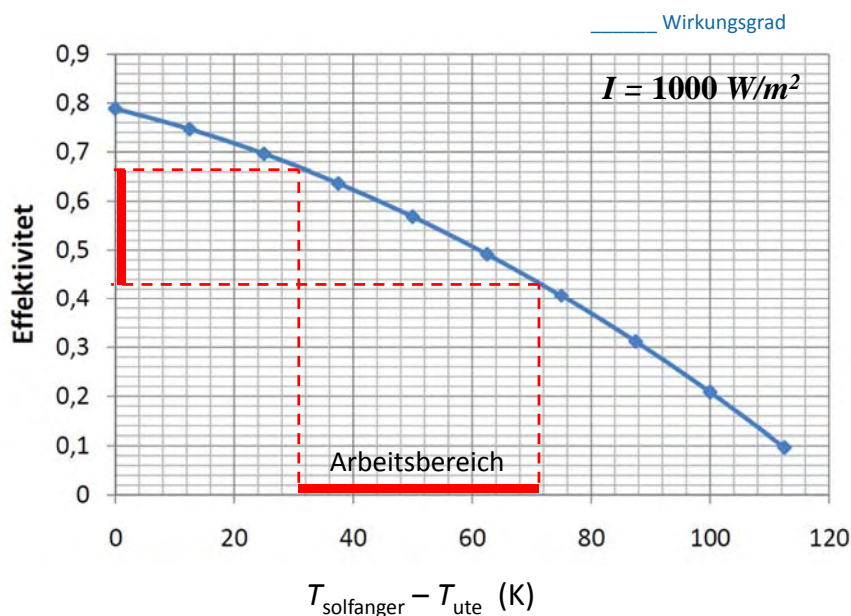
$F \approx 0.97 - 0.98$



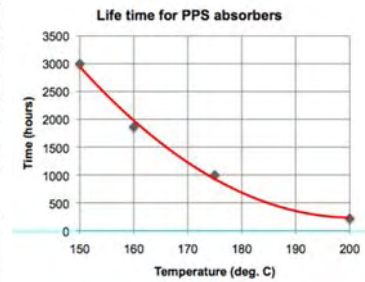
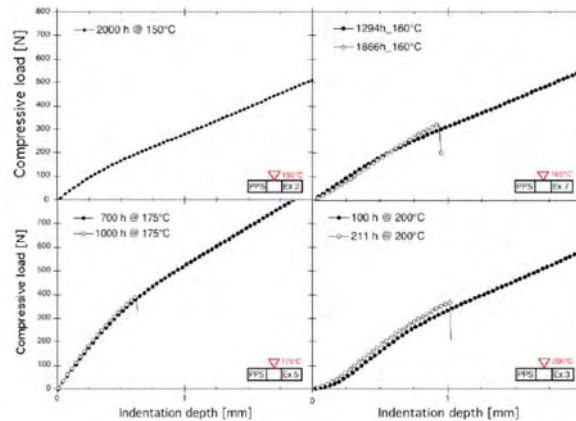
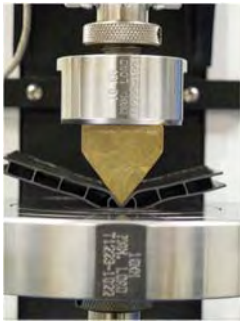
Wärmeträger

$\lambda_{\text{K}} \approx 0.2 \text{ W/(m K)}$   
 Volumenstrom, Wärmeträger ca.  $1 \text{ l/(min m}^2)$

# Kollektorwirkungsgrad



# Service-life-estimations: Indentation tests



Assumptions: System is passive (stagnation temperature) 36 hours pr. month with clear sky.

Ambient temperature	Jan – Febr:	20 ° C
	Mar – April:	30 ° C
	May – Aug:	40 ° C
	Sept – Oct:	30 ° C
	Nov – Dec:	20 ° C

- Results, method, further reading: Service-life estimations: Rekstad et al., 2010. SOLAR COLLECTOR ABSORBERS IN HIGH-PERFORMANCE POLYMERIC MATERIALS, Eurosun 2010, Graz, Austria, 28.09. - 01.10.2010

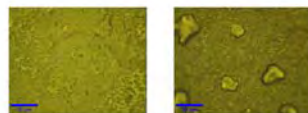
# Non-destructive methods

Investigation methods, material changes / degradation



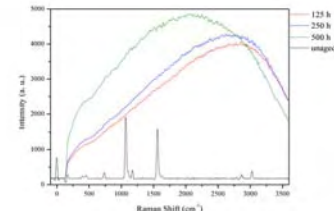
## A) Ramanmikroskopische Untersuchung

Micrographs von PPS-Proben vor (oben) und nach (unten) 500 h UV Bestrahlung



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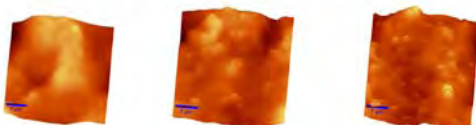
## C) Raman-spectra of PPS, after different times of exposure to UV irradiation.



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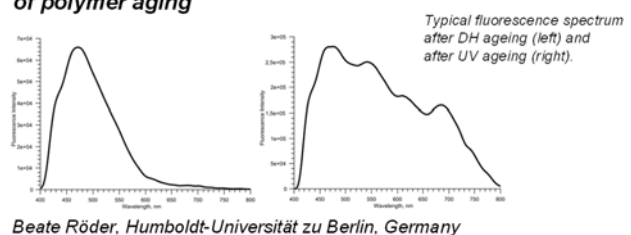
## B) Rasterkraftmikroskopische Untersuchung

Topography von PPS-Proben vor (links), nach 500 h UV irradiation (Mitte) und 500 h bei 85 ° C, 85% r.h. (rechts).



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## D) Fluorescence spectroscopy for observation of polymer aging

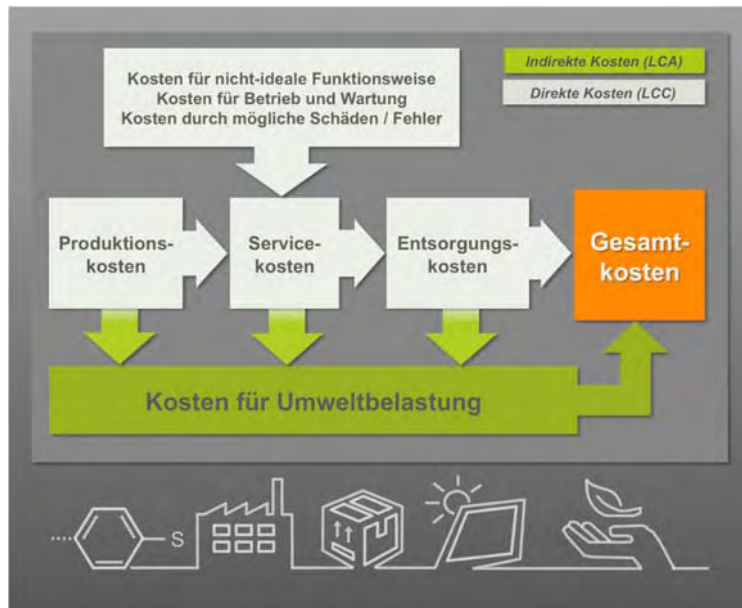


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Further reading: Summary of preliminary analysis in IEA-SHC Newsletters: <http://www.iea-shc.org/task39/newsletter>



# Total cost accounting approach



Mit Hilfe eines Gesamtkostenverfahrens soll die Wahl von Polymermaterialien beim Produktdesign im Rahmen von Subtask A (IEA-SHC Task 39) analysiert werden.

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- AEE - Institute for Sustainable Technologies (AEE-INTEC)



- AIT – Austrian Institute of Technology



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