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**Business Models for energy storage integration**



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## RES

Status quo in EU  
and in Germany

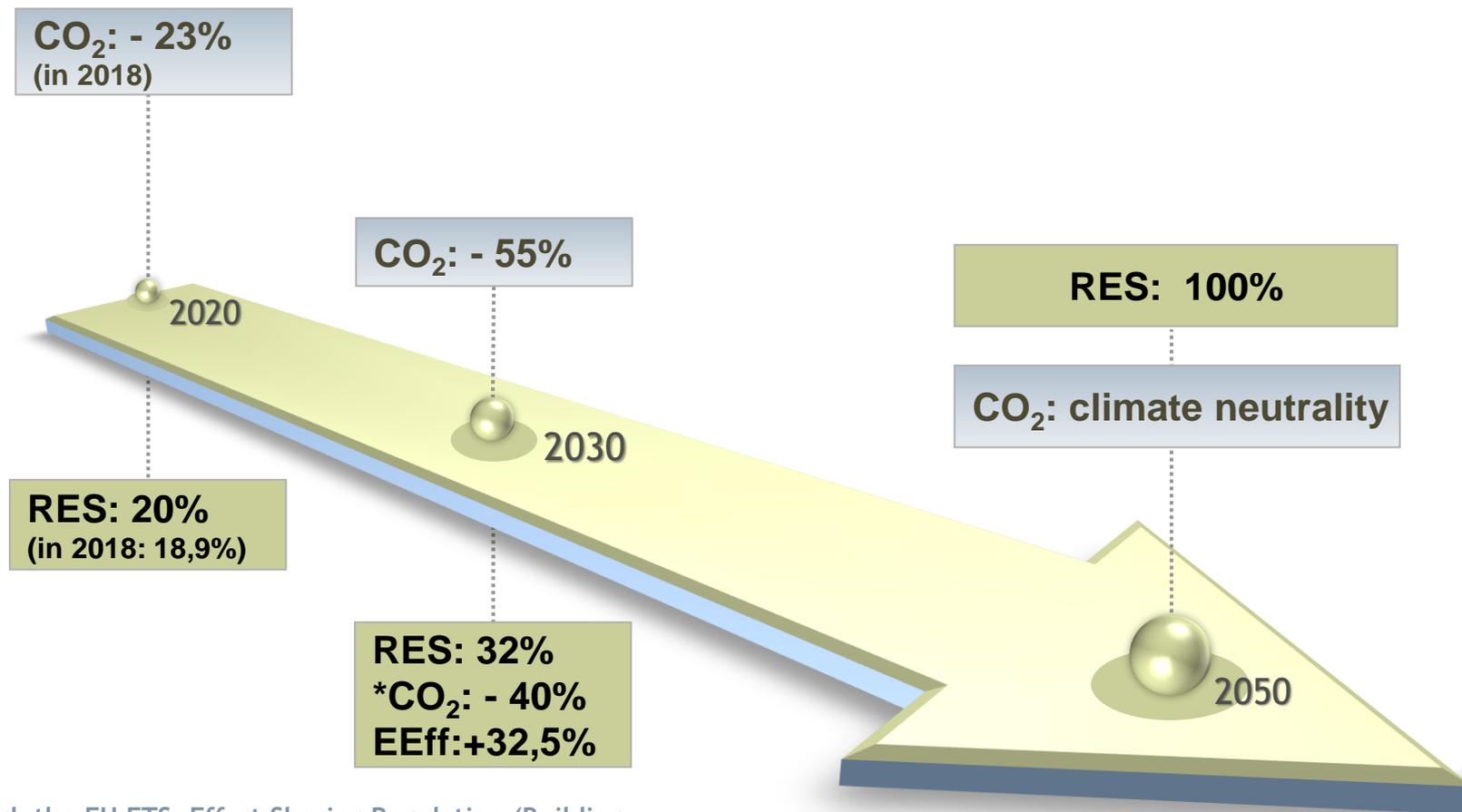
Integrating  
volatile RES:  
Problems and  
solutions

Business models  
for energy  
storage  
integration

## Conclusions



# EUROPEAN GREEN DEAL STRATEGY

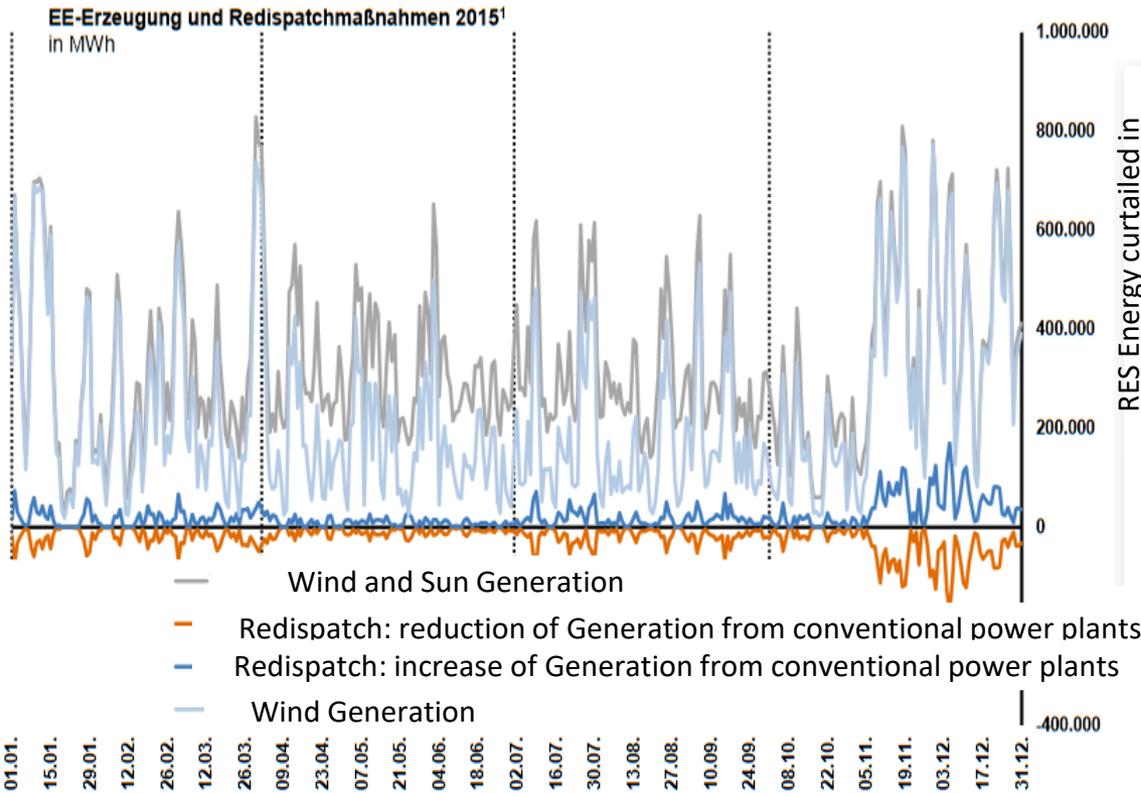


\* Through the EU ETS, Effort Sharing Regulation (Building, transport, agriculture and waste) and Land use, forestry regulation

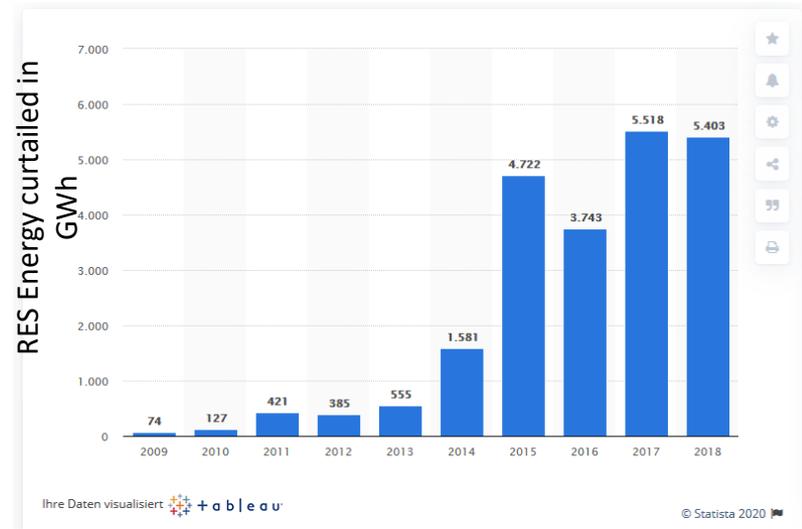


# DECARBONIZATION. PROBLEMATIC TO GENERATE ELECTRICITY THROUGH RES: GERMAN EXAMPLE

**RES-Generation and Redispatch actions in Germany (2015) - MWh**



**RES-curtil in Germany 2009-2018**



Quelle: Monitoringreferat der Bundesnetzagentur  
<sup>1</sup>In dieser Abbildung wird die Korrelation zwischen der Einspeisung Erneuerbarer Energien und Redispatchmaßnahmen dargestellt. Es gibt weitere Ursachen für Redispatchentwicklungen, die unter 3.1.1 genannt sind.



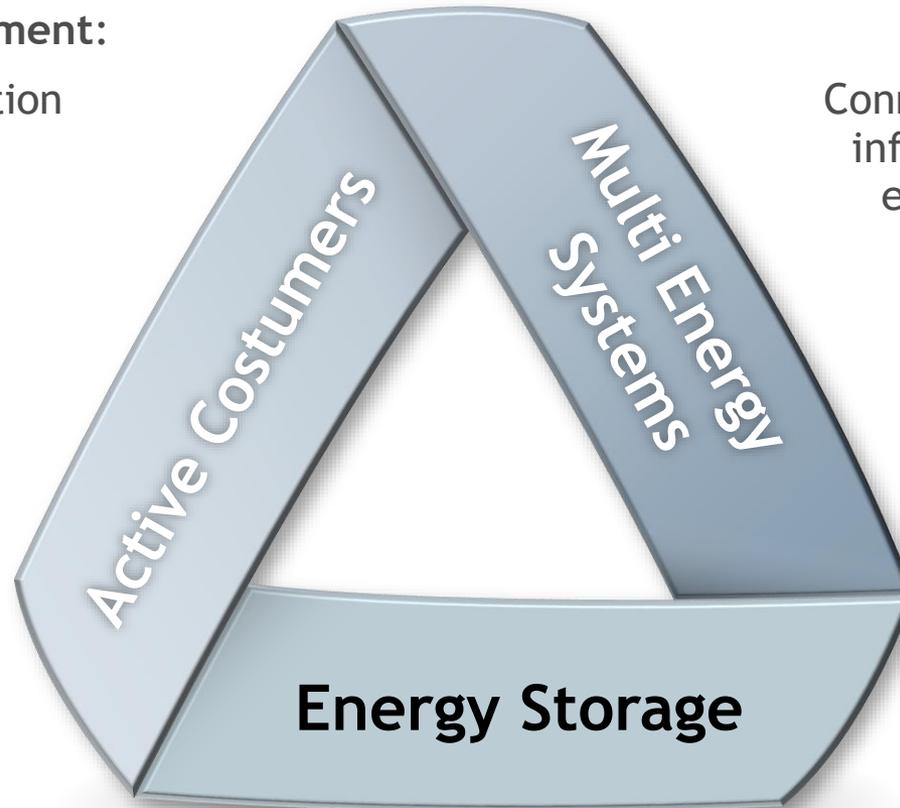
# SOLUTION FOR INTEGRATING RES INTO THE ENERGY SYSTEMS: MORE FLEXIBILITY

## Demand Side Management:

Align energy consumption with volatile Energy generation

## Energy Hubs:

Connect the existing energy infrastructures to increase efficiency, flexibility and synergies

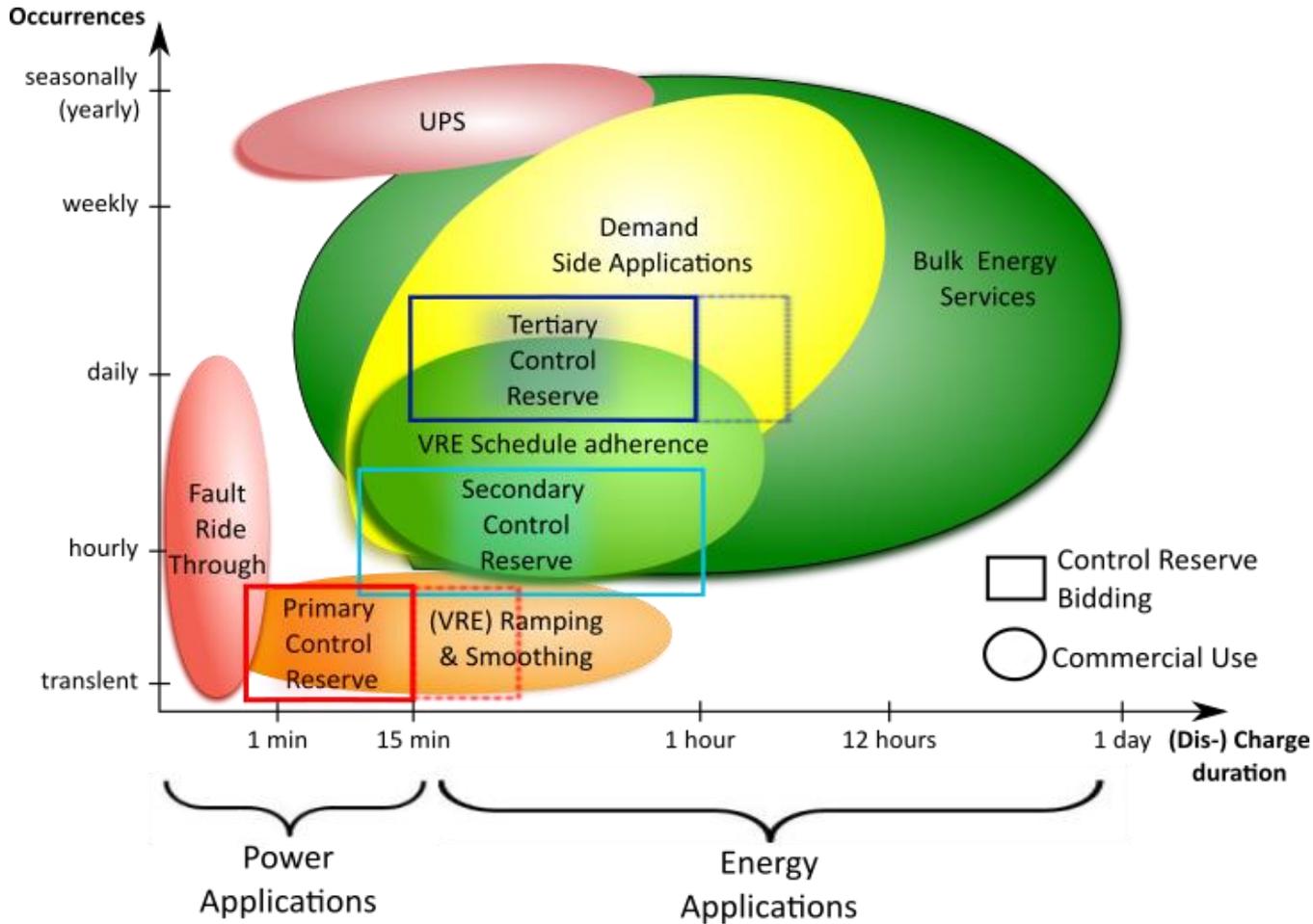


## Energy Buffering:

Store surplus energy for times with high demand



# ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM APPLICATIONS



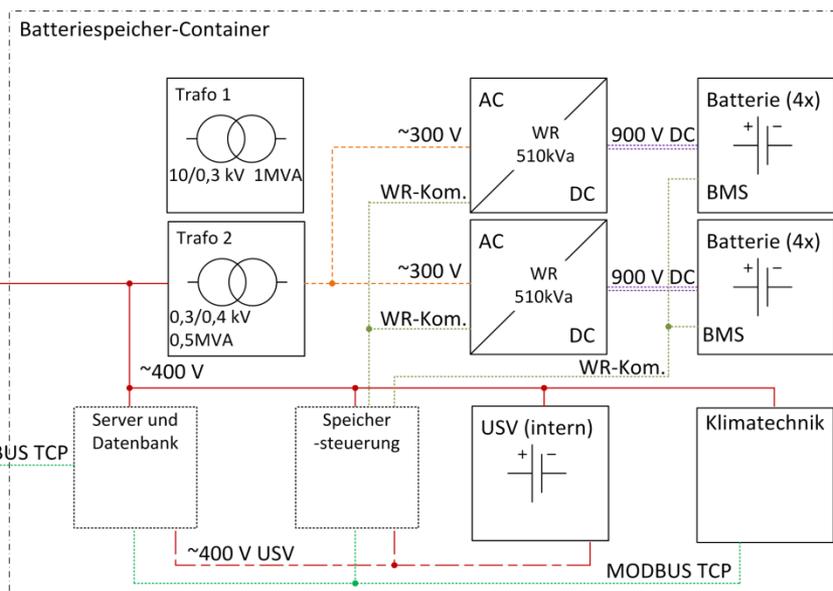
# ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEMS

Technology		Main Issues
Pumped Hydro Storage (PHS)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Geographically limited</li></ul>
Compressed Air Energy Storage (CAES)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Geographically limited</li><li>- Expensive</li></ul>
Batteries		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- mature but still expensive</li><li>- Limited natural resources</li><li>- No capacity for long term storage</li></ul>
Power to Gas		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Expensive</li><li>- Low efficiency</li></ul>

Also: Thermal Energy Storage, Flywheels, Capacitors



# ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEMS: PRATICAL EXPERIENCES



## Specification

- power: 1 MW
  - capacity: 0,5 MWh
  - Fed-in: 0,4kV or 10kV
  - size: 40ft container
  - mass: 26t
  - technical features:
    - reactive power capability
    - black start capability (grid restauration)
    - island grid capability (can be synchronized and reconnected)
- e.g. up to 4h supply of VDTc building



**MOBILE USAGE**

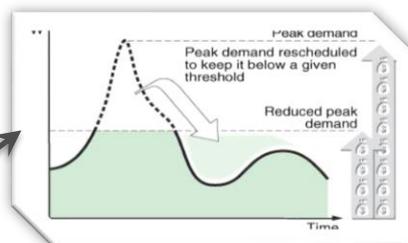


# 1ST BUSINESS CASE. STORAGE USAGE IN PV PARK NEUHARDENBERG (GERMANY)

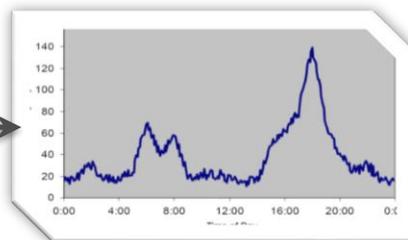
- SGESS
  - development and implementation of control algorithm and usage strategies
  - multi purpose use cases to minimize PV-own consumption, active and reactive power supply, energy market, etc.
- 5MW battery storage for primary reserve
  - scientific valuation of usage concept and operation
  - life-time and operation data analyses



# 1ST BUSINESS CASE. STORAGE USAGE IN PV PARK NEUHARDENBERG (GERMANY)



supply during night hours



limited energy production, limited power gradient



energy market, intraday

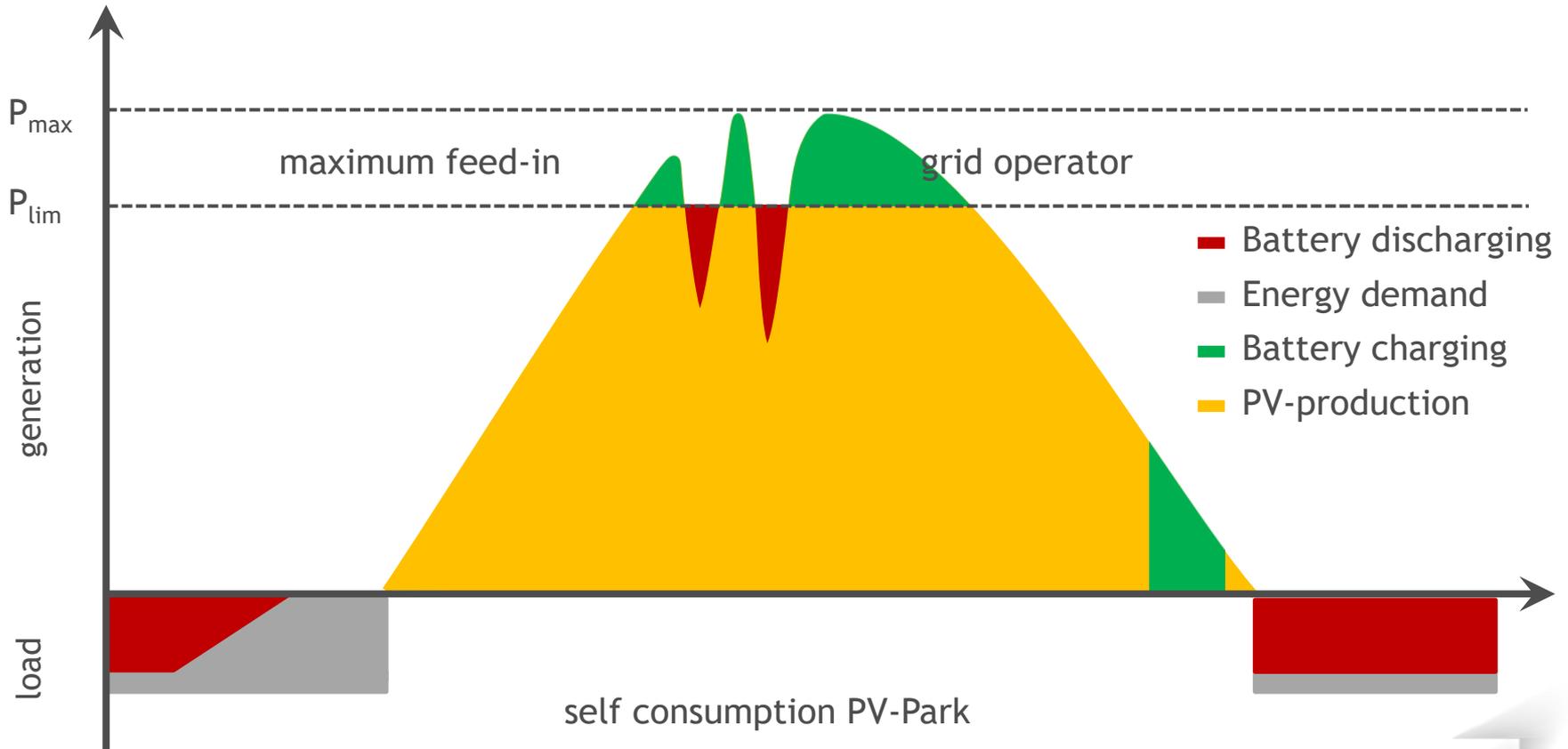
## Optimal combination



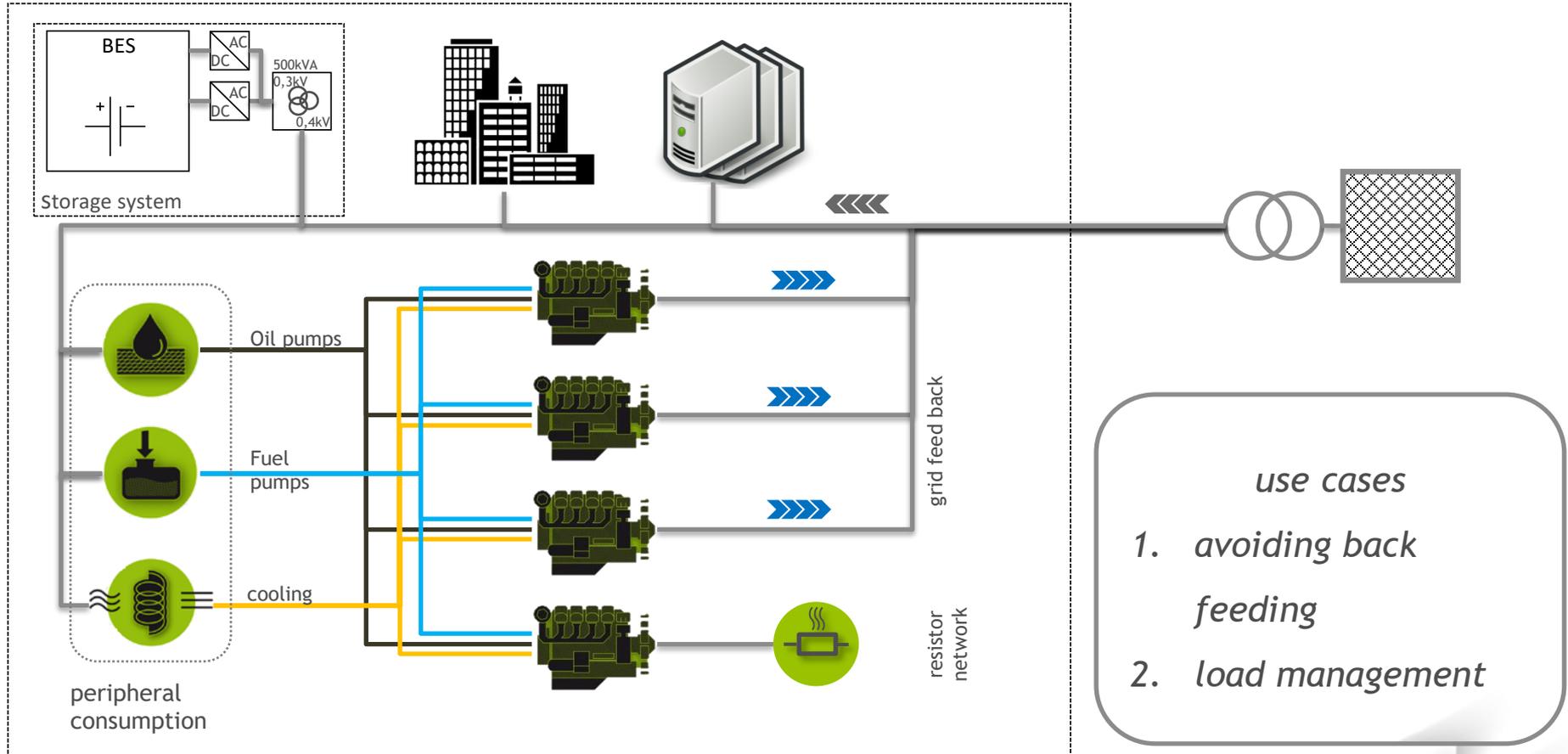
- ✓ life-time
- ✓ profit
- ✓ grid serving use



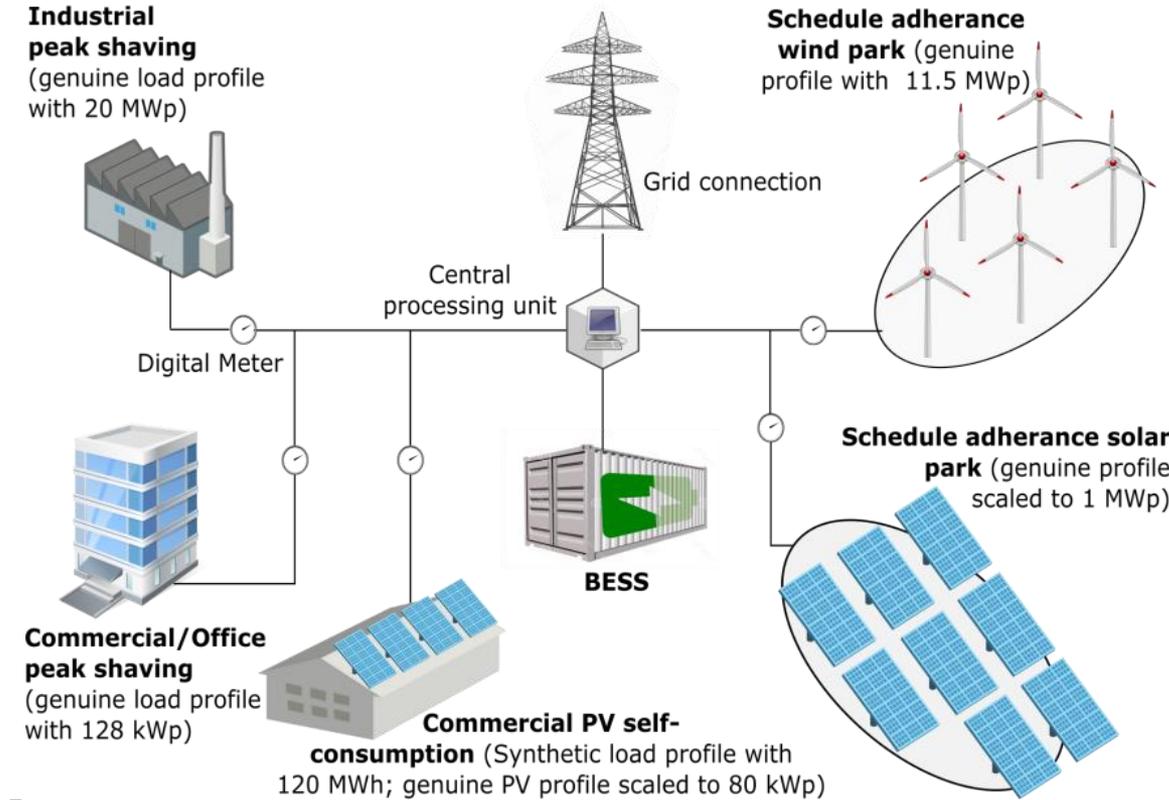
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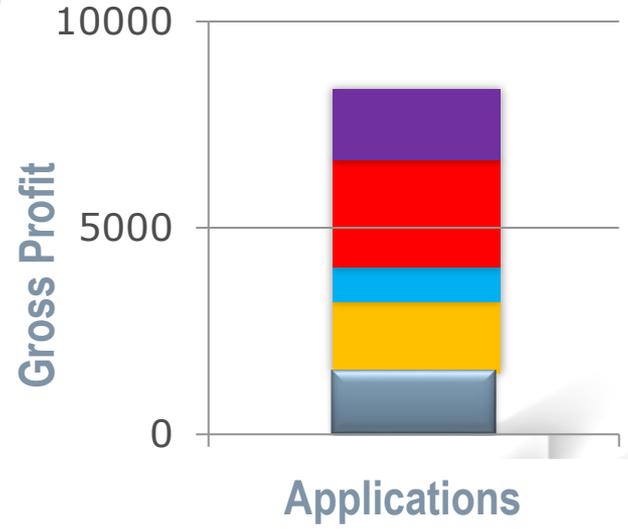
# 2ND BUSINESS CASE. STORAGE USAGE IN MECHANICAL INDUSTRY



# 3RD BUSINESS CASE. SHARING ECONOMY



- Time Horizon 10 years
- Three different technologies: Li-ion, NaS and Vanadium Redox Flow
- Three different applications:
  - Peak shaving
  - Increase of self consumption
  - Schedule Adherence for RES

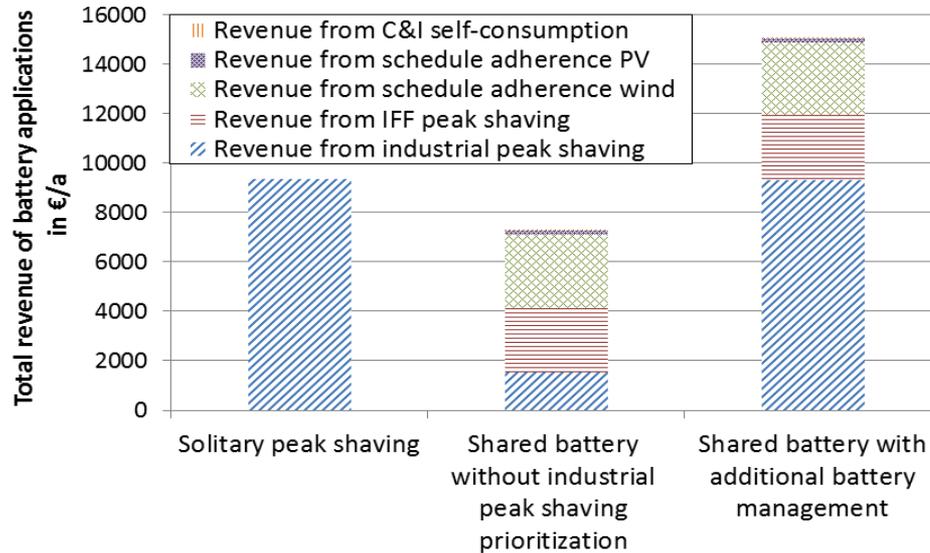


Investment costs

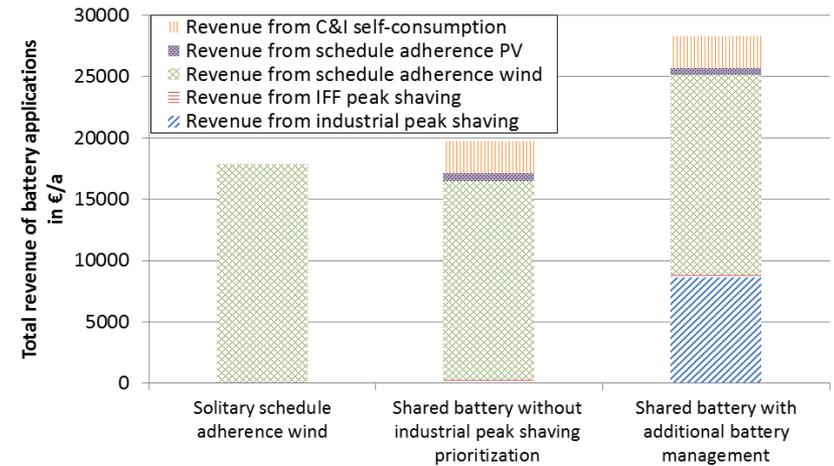
$$C_{inv} \leftrightarrow \pi_1 + \pi_2 + \pi_3 + \pi_4 + \pi_5$$



# 3RD BUSINESS CASE. SHARING ECONOMY



**Battery size: 110 kW, 37 kWh. Li-ion Technology**  
Battery parameter regarding the year 2016



**Battery size: 75 kW, 270 kWh. Vanadium RF Technology**  
Battery parameters regarding the year 2025

Parameter	Li-ion		NaS		VRF	
	2016	2025	2016	2025	2016	2025
Specific energy storage investment costs [€/kWh]	450	250	300	225	250	100
Specific power conversion investment costs [€/kW]	175	100	175	100	400	300
Overhead investment costs [% of total investment costs]	20	20	20	20	30	30
Annual operational and maintenance costs [% of total investment costs]	1	1.5	2	2.5	2	2.5
Battery system roundtrip efficiency AC to AC [%]	85	90	80	85	75	80
Depth of discharge [%]	80	85	90	90	100	100
Average cycle life [number of full cycles]	5500	10000	4500	6000	12000	25000
Calendar life [years]	12	20	15	20	20	20
Self-discharge of battery cells [%/day]	0.1	0.04	0	0	0	0
Degradation [%/year]	1.5	1	1.3	1	0	0





- Energy storage systems as key element for the decarbonisation process
- Battery technologies able to cover both power as well as energy applications
- For single use applications, it is difficult to find attractive business models
- Sharing economy business models result to be economically more attractive than single use application



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