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**Dati e metodologie per il Whole Life Carbon: la ricerca Eumetra e la roadmap italiana per la decarbonizzazione**

**Strumenti per la decarbonizzazione su scala urbana dal mondo dei progetti di ricerca EU fino all'Italia e la missione 100 città**

Chi siamo



Founded  
**2012**

People  
**119**

Offices  
**8**  
4 Countries

Research  
**124**  
R&D projects

Funds raised  
**591 M**  
Total R&D  
Portfolio

First time EU  
**43**  
Organizations



Turnover: **€9.1 Million (2023)**  
Over half in commercial activities



Chi siamo



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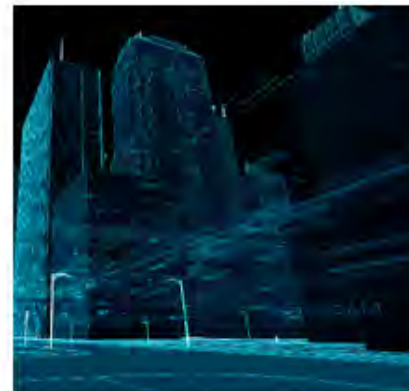


## Innovation



## Innovative Products & Services

ESG Digital Twin  
Ecosystem for Real Estate



## Sustainability Consulting & Energy Services



Chi siamo



Innovation



+CITYXCHANGE

iBECOME



Innovative  
Products &  
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Sustainability  
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PAESC

Positive Energy Districts  
(PED)

Comunità Energetiche  
Rinnovabili  
(CER)

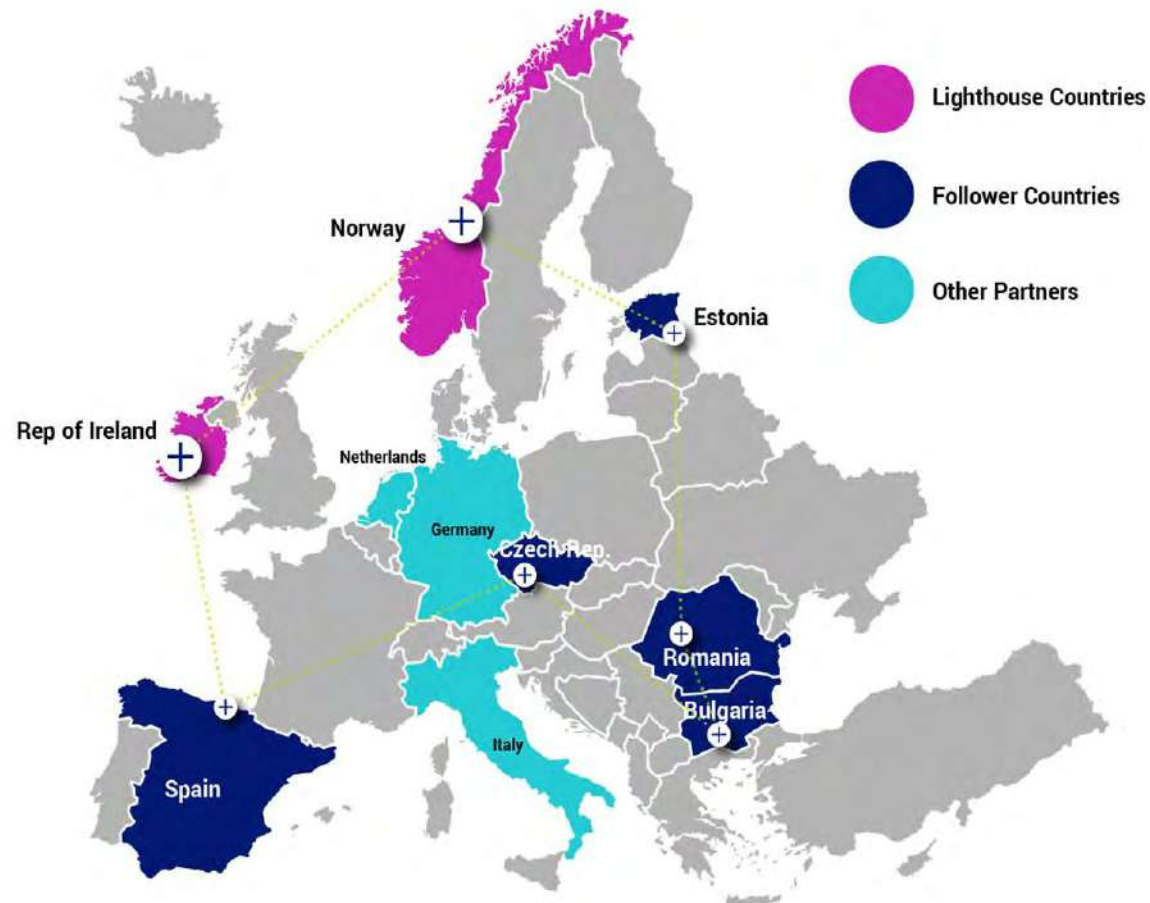
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Cities



## Il progetto +CityxChange

# +CITYXCHANGE

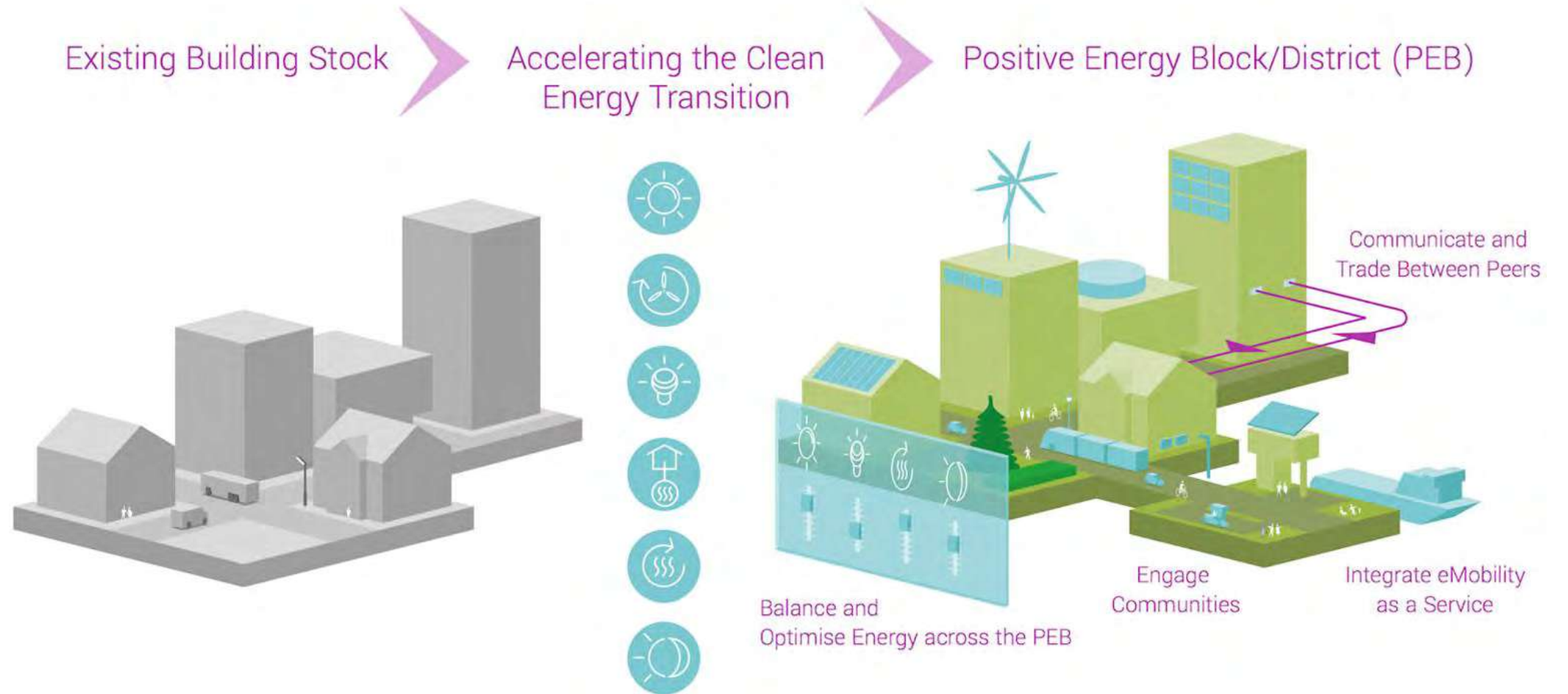
- EU H2020 Grant funded
- *Nov 2018 to Oct 2023*
- *32 partner organisation's*
- *7 countries*
- *2 Lighthouse Cities – Trondheim & Limerick*
- *5 Follower Cites: Alba Iulia, Pisek, Võru, Smolyan & Sestao*



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# Positive Energy Blocks



## Obiettivi chiave e approccio

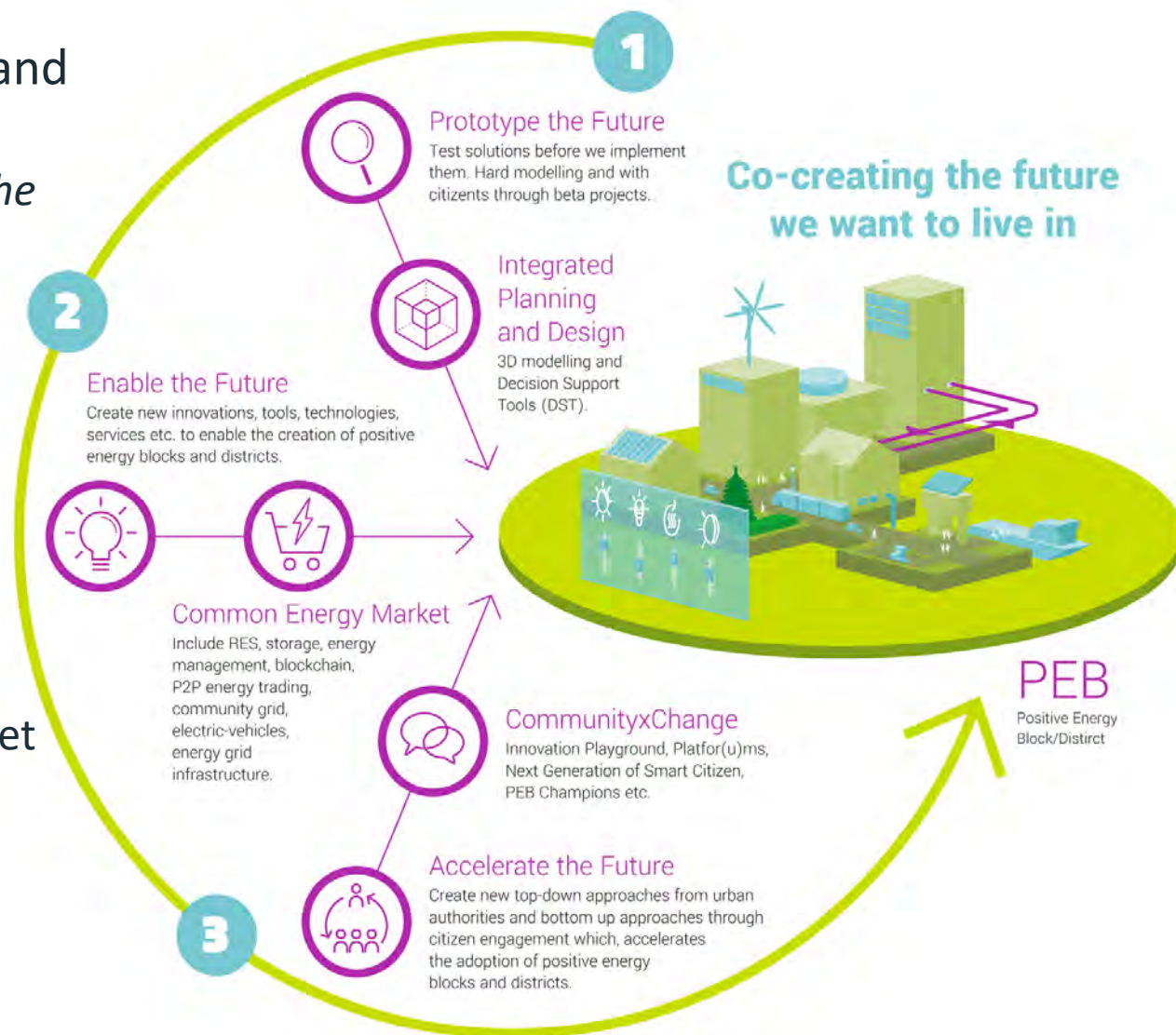
1- Supportare lo sviluppo di “Positive Energy Blocks and Districts”

*Il Positive Energy Block (PEB) è un Gruppo di 3 o più edifici che produce più energia di quella che consuma in un anno.*

2- Scalare questo approccio come parte del piano Europeo di Net Zero cities entro il 2050

Questi obiettivi sono facilitati da un approccio che si basa su tre strategie:

1. Prototype the Future – Integrated Planning and Design
2. Enable the Future – Creation of a Common Energy Market
3. Accelerate the Future – CommunityxChange





## Intelligent Community Lifecycle (ICL)

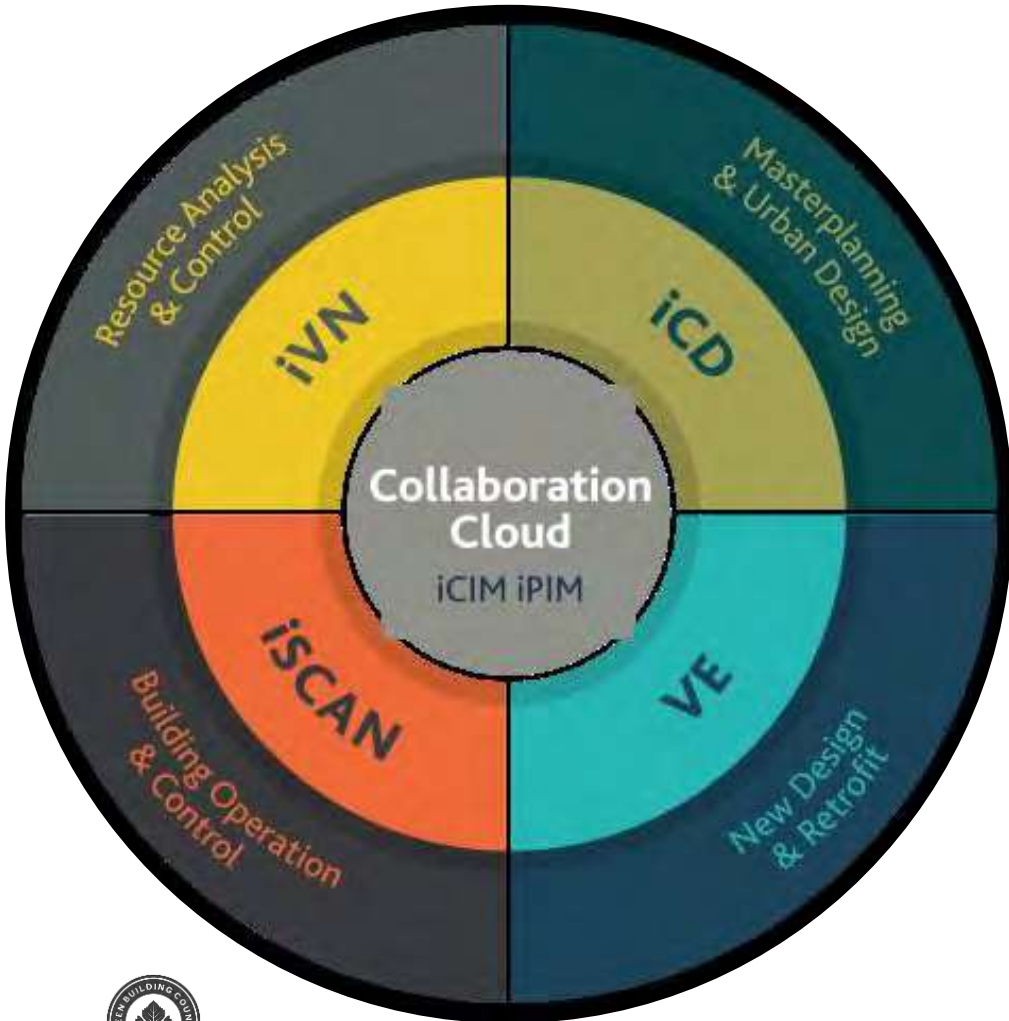
ICL è un ecosistema che aiuta a creare, pianificare, valutare e gestire le prestazioni energetiche di una comunità edifice e portafogli immobiliari e ora e con scenari futuri di decarbonizzazione.

ICL crea modelli 3D dinamici che riflettono le prestazioni reali del contest che rappresentano.

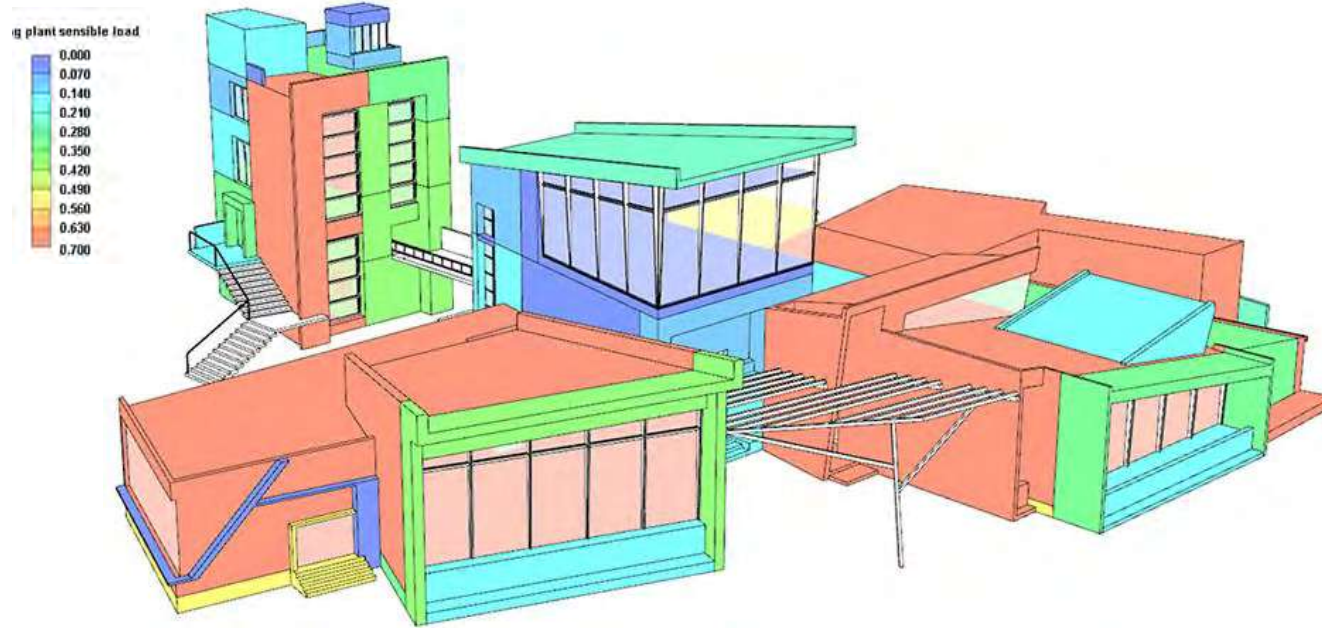
Permette di ottenere risparmi energetici e di risorse per edifici, campus, comunità portafogli immobiliari e città.

Come?

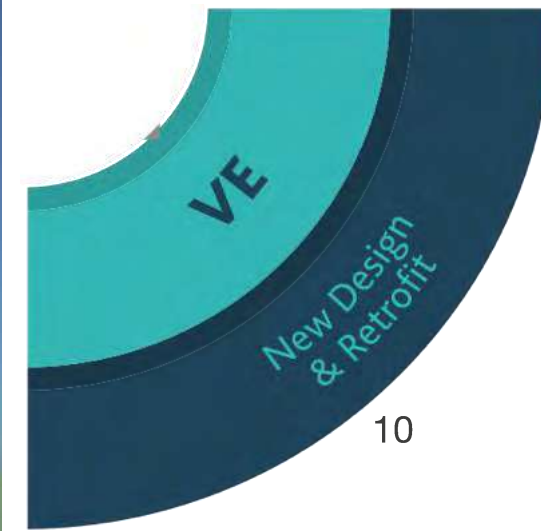
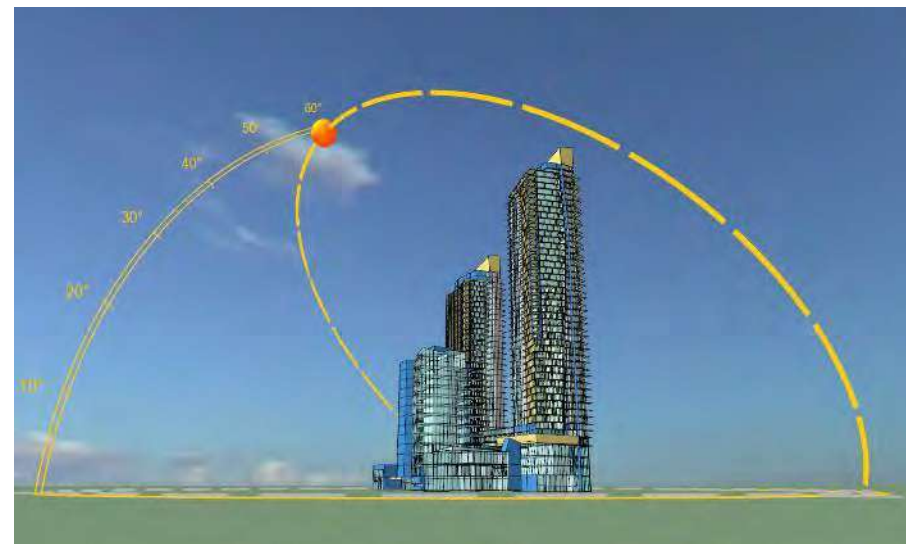
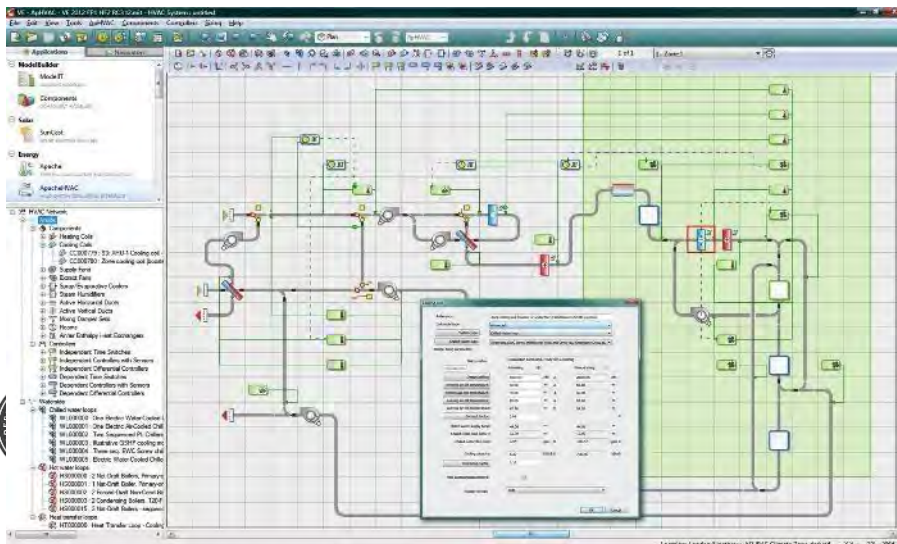
- Concentrando, visualizzando e analizzando dati da qualsiasi sorgente e tipologia di misura
- Colmando i dati mancanti attraverso la simulazione
- Creando dashboard customizzati
- Supportando decisioni informate su impatto che portano



# VE – Virtual Environment



**Virtual Environment (VE)**  
Piattaforma di simulazione del sistema edificio impianto.  
Software leader mondiale per le certificazioni LEED and BREEAM



## iCD - Intelligent Community design



### Intelligent Community Design (ICD)

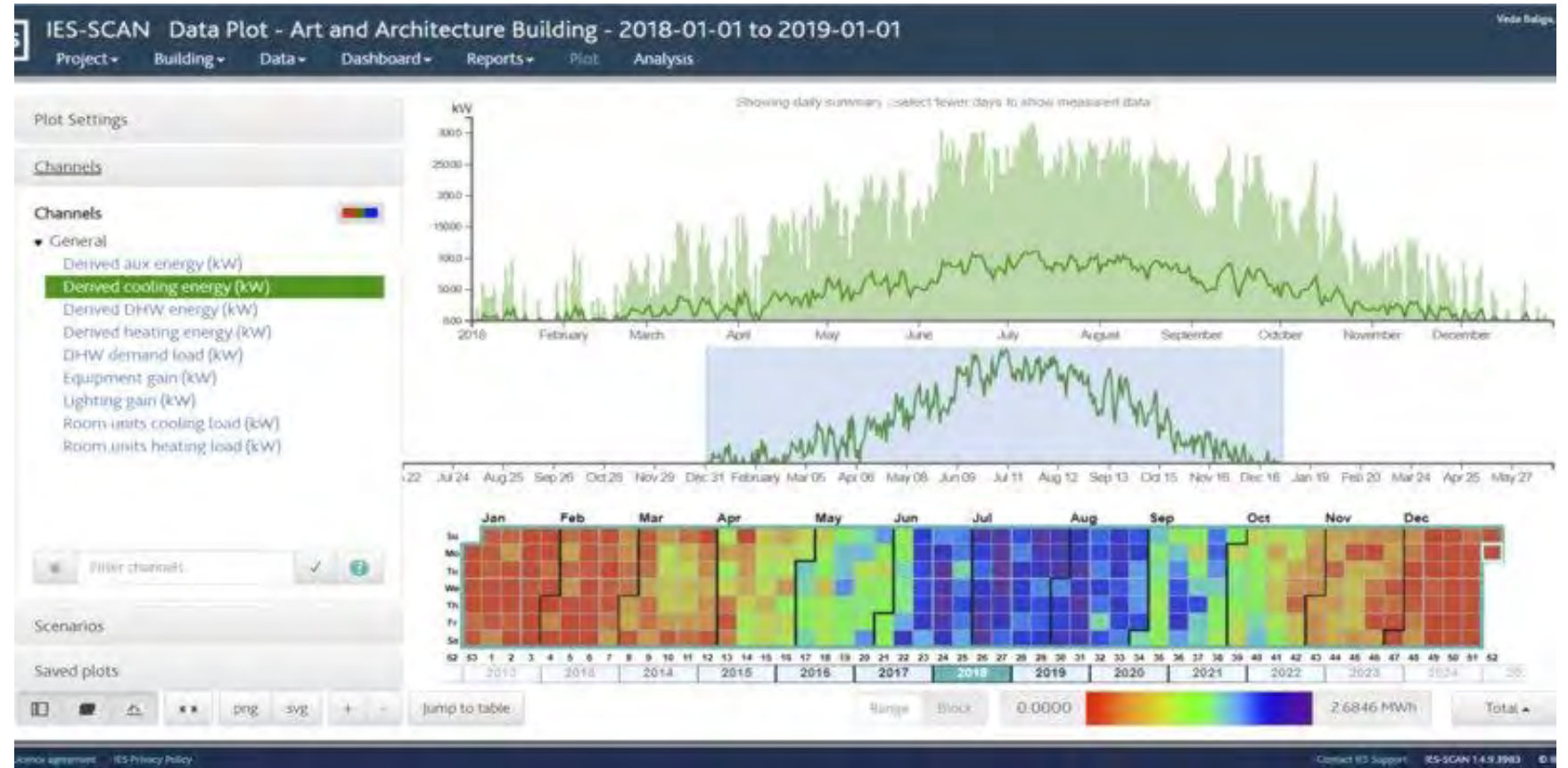
Simulazione energetica 3D a livello urbano per masterplan e studi di fattibilità e progettazione di massima di quartieri ed intere città e i loro relativi distretti energetici



# iSCAN – Intelligent control and analysis

## Intelligent Control and Analysis (iSCAN)

Piattaforma per l'integrazione e analisi dei dati prestazionali effettivi degli impianti e degli edifici a supporto della calibrazione dei modelli

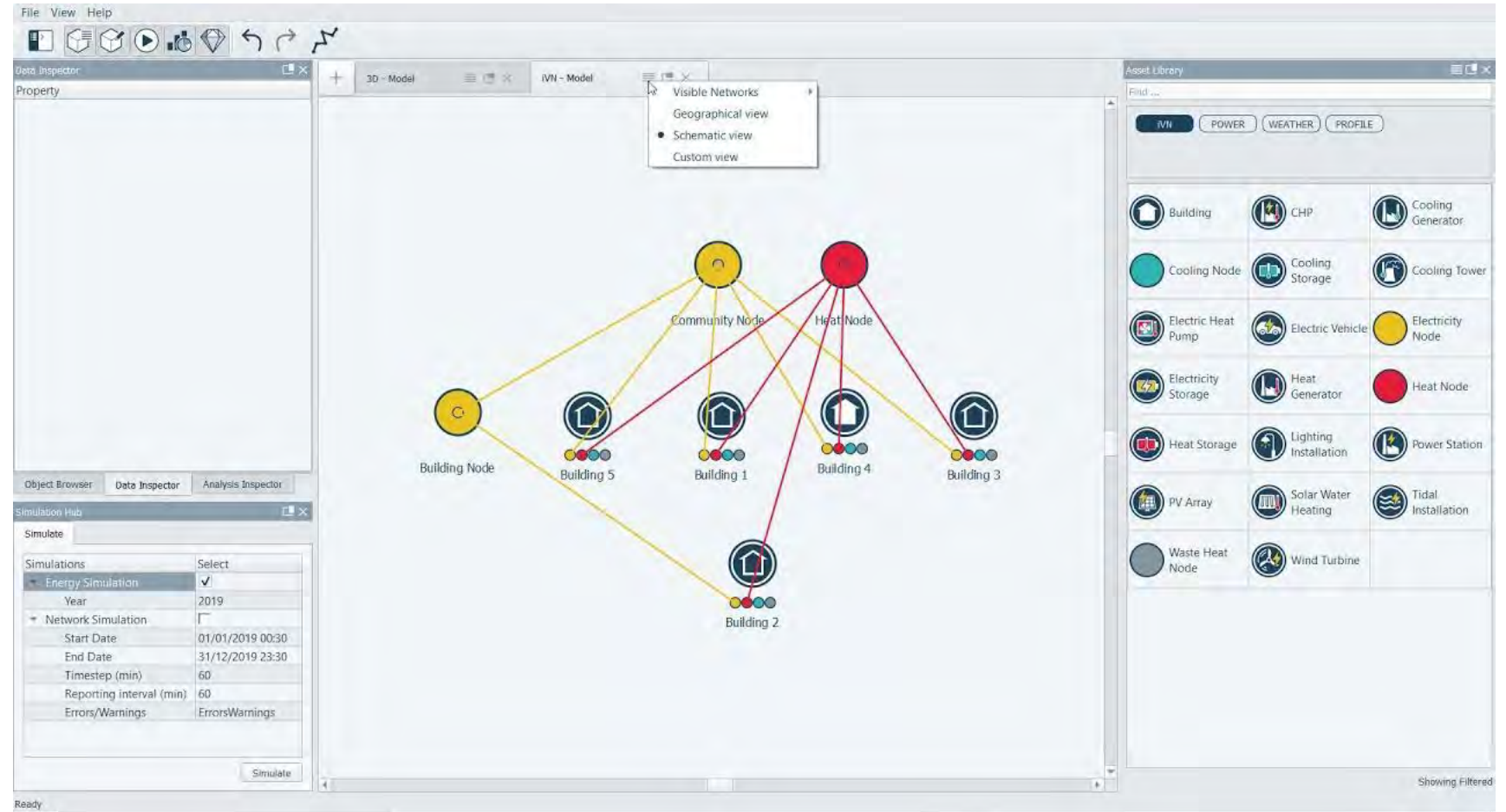


# iVN – Intelligent virtual network



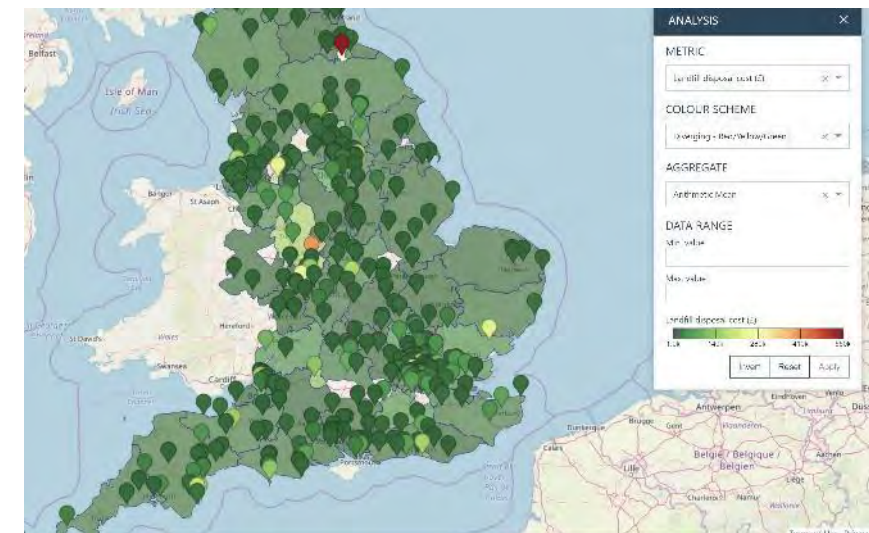
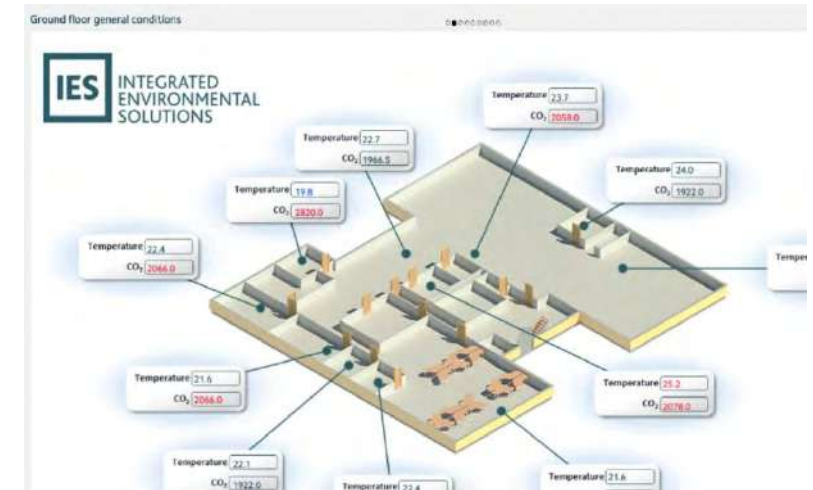
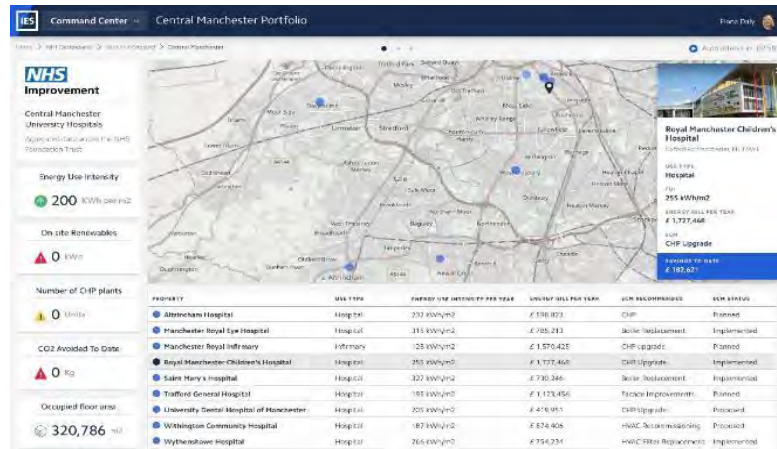
## Intelligent Virtual Network (iVN)

Permette l'astrazione di consumi dei singoli edifici per simulare reti di teleriscaldamento, tele raffreddamento e smart grid elettrica per scenari di scambio potenza e energia (Demand Response)



## iCIM e iPIM – Collaboration cloud

I tools di ICL sono inoltre connessi ad “**ICL Collaboration Cloud**”, una piattaforma di collaborazione per dare vita ai progetti attraverso la visualizzazione dei dati in una Community (**iCIM**) o in un Portfolio (**iPIM**).

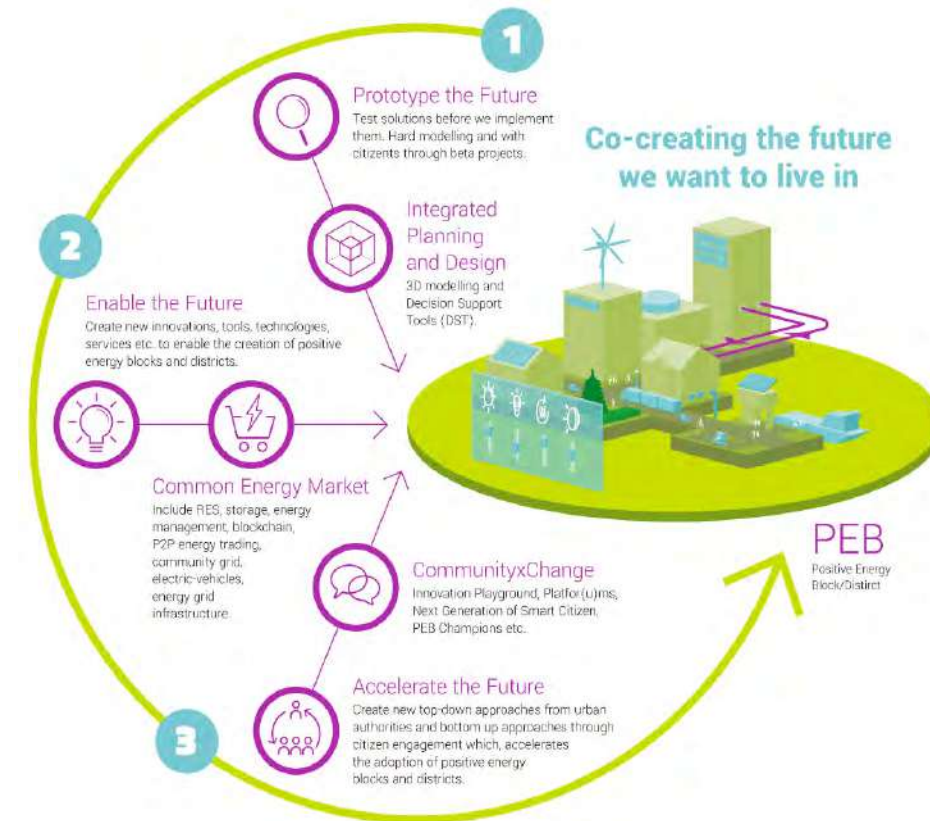


## ICL all'interno del Progetto +CityxChange

- Si sono sviluppate funzionalità innovative sull'integrazione dei dati e sulla visualizzazione
- Si sono sviluppati Digital Twins per le 7 città nel progetto
- Si sono messe le basi per un **'Decision Support Tool'** per le città per creare roadmap di decarbonizzazione al 2050

### Nello specifico:

- **iSCAN** – per importare dati da BMS/energy meters diversi
- **VE** – sui singoli edifici chiave per analisi energetiche di dettaglio
- **iCD** – modelli energetici a livello di distretto e città integrati con quelli di dettaglio fatti nel VE anche usati per stimare i **profili di domanda della mobilità elettrica**
- **iVN** – modello delle reti energetiche sia in termini di domanda che di produzione locale da rinnovabili per ottimizzare lo scambio energetico
- **iCIM** – visualizzazione dei dati per fruizione su scala più ampia

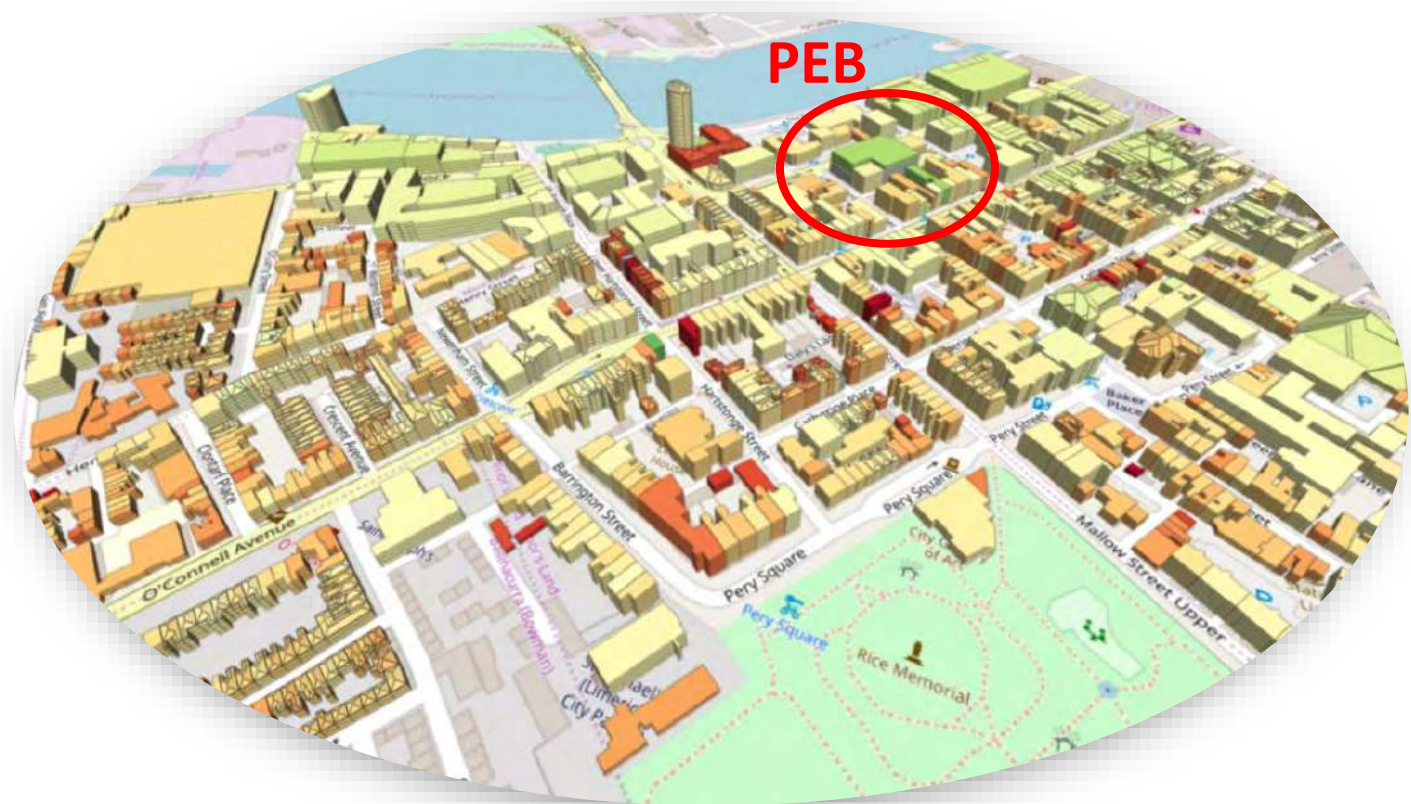
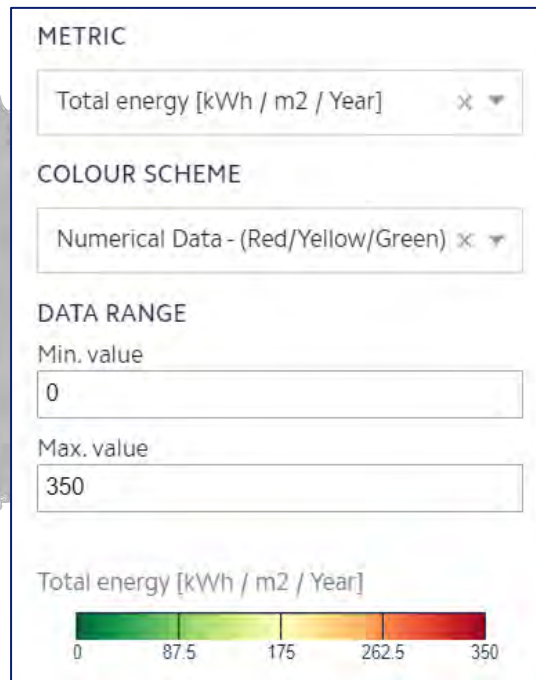


## Results and Ongoing work



### Limerick:

- Energy demand baseline for Limerick's Historic City Centre
- Energy demand baseline for Positive Energy Block (PEB)

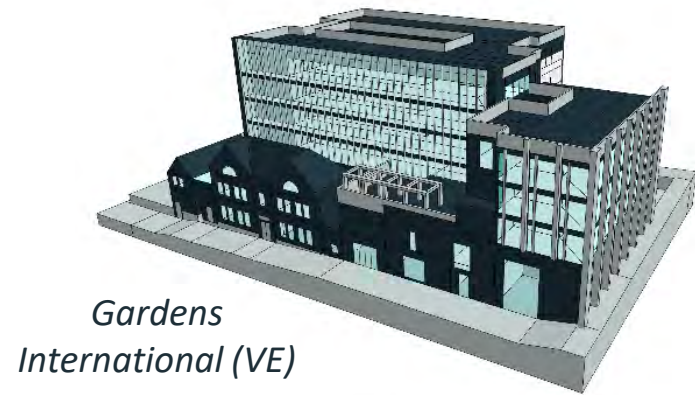


\*Images shown in following slides are available in DST (IES ICL software)

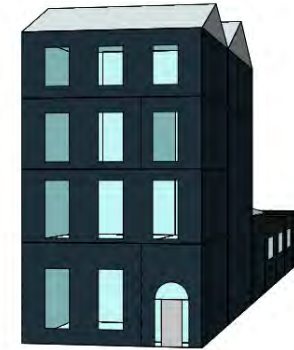
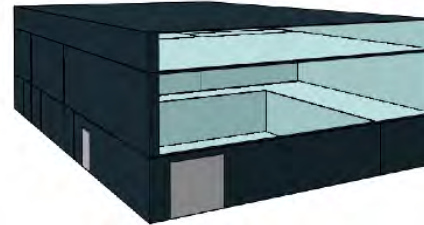


# Limerick: Positive Energy Block Energy Model Baselines

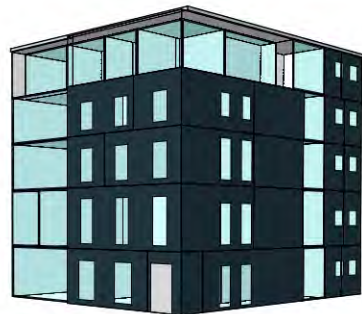
\*Models calibrated against existing energy bills



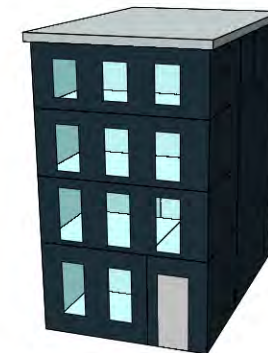
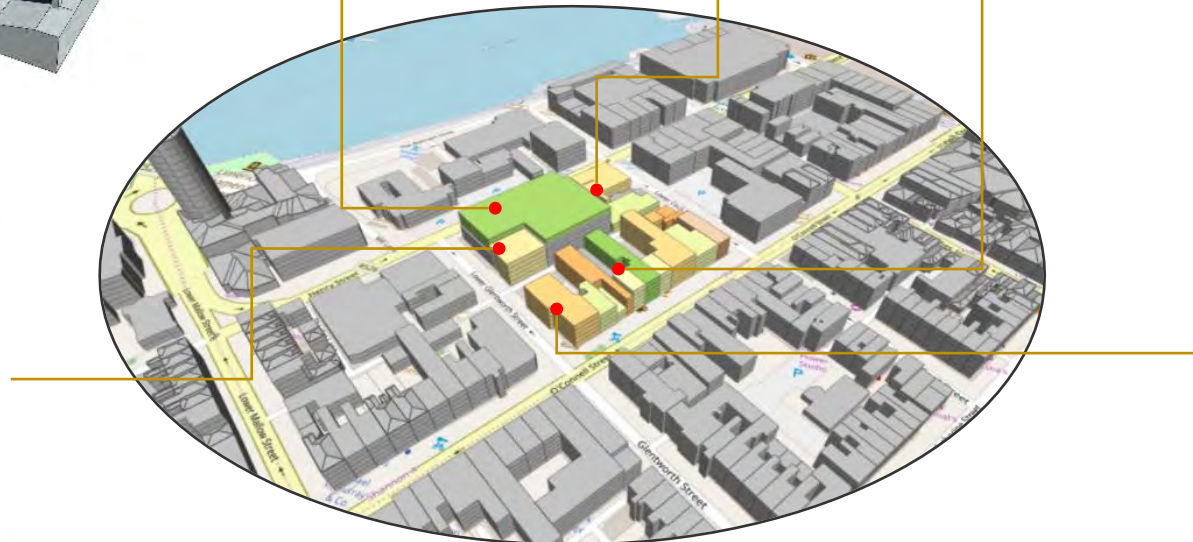
*General Post Office (VE)*



*Rooney Auctioneers (VE)*



*Youth Service (VE)*

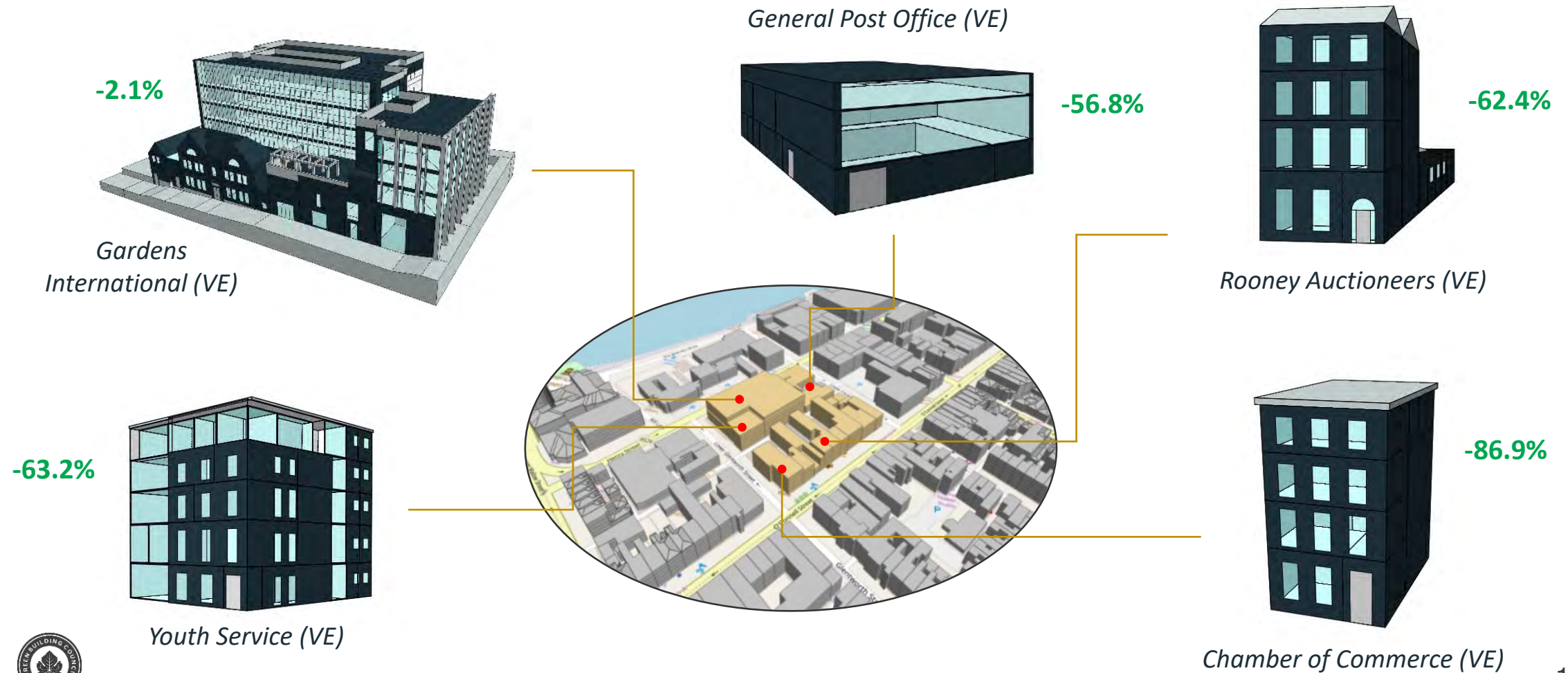


*Chamber of Commerce (VE)*

Total energy [kWh / m<sup>2</sup> / Year]

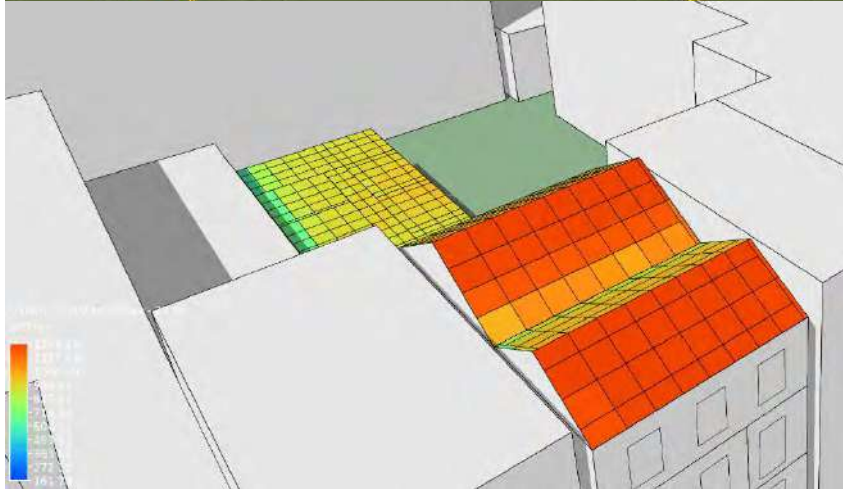
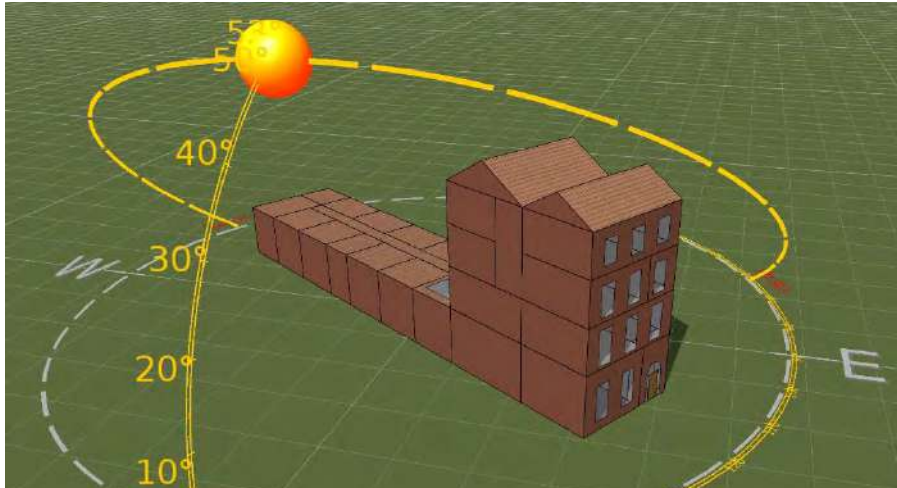


# Limerick Simulations to Achieve PEB : Realistic retrofit buildings – improvement of energy use from baseline:

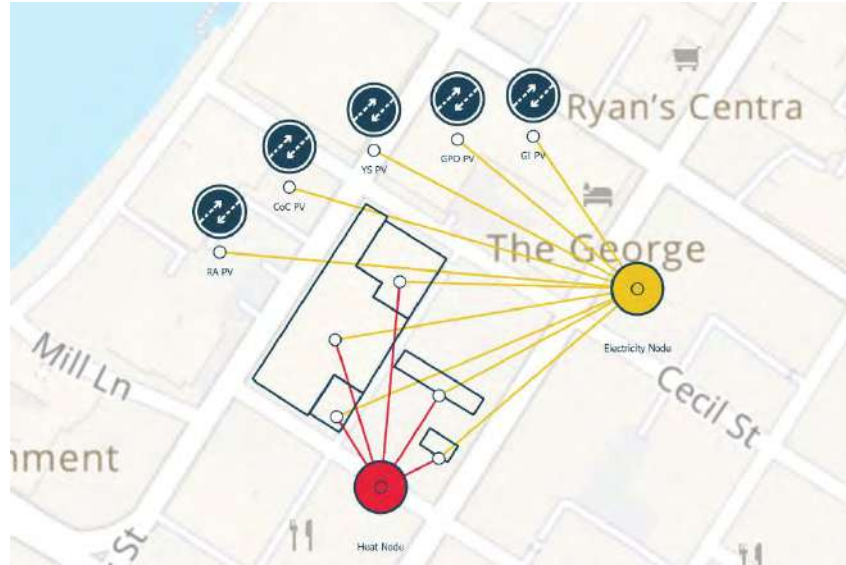


# Limerick PEB: Integration of Renewable Energy

## Example 1 building:

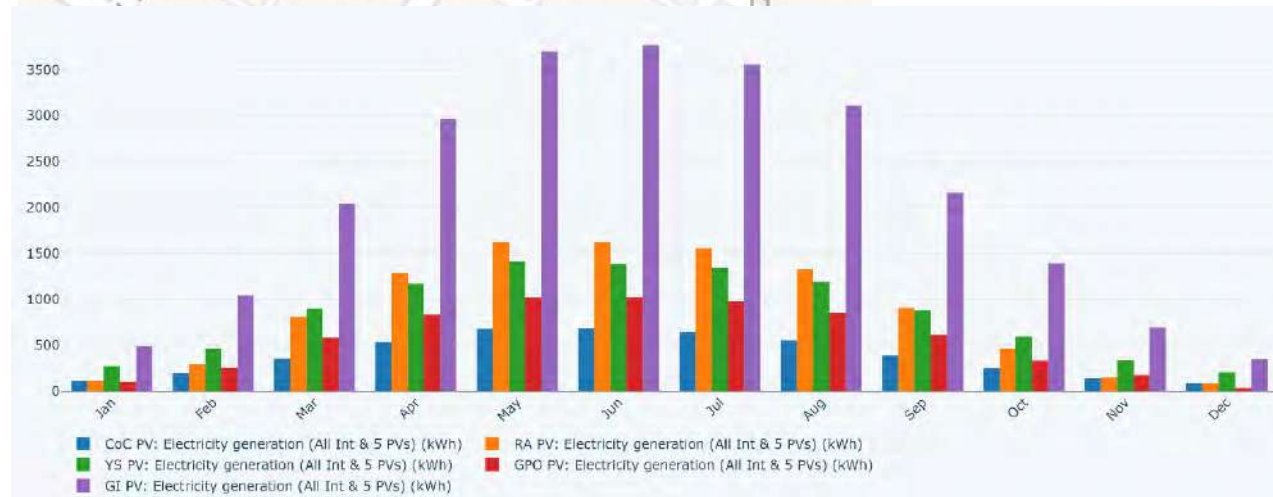


## Example all PEB buidlings Solar PV integrated for energy sharing:

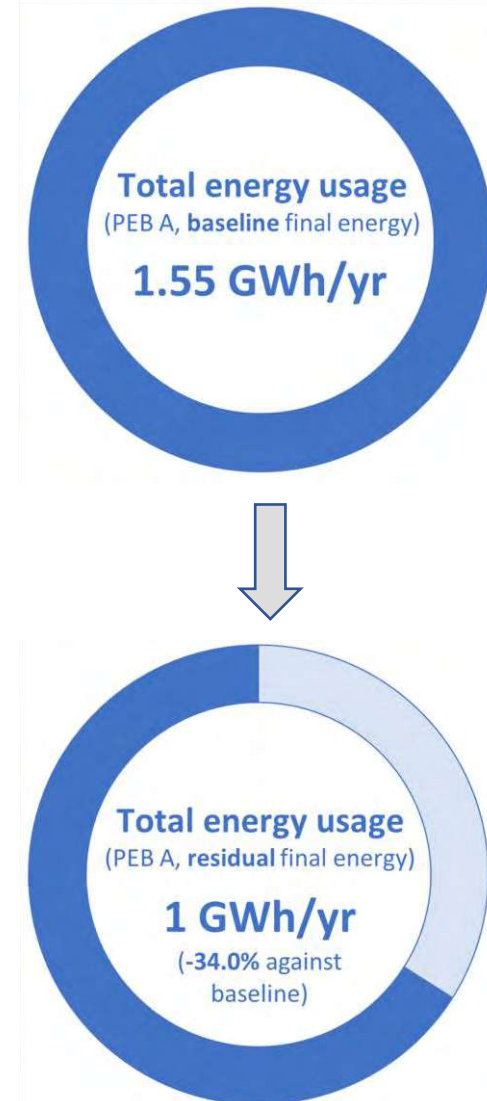
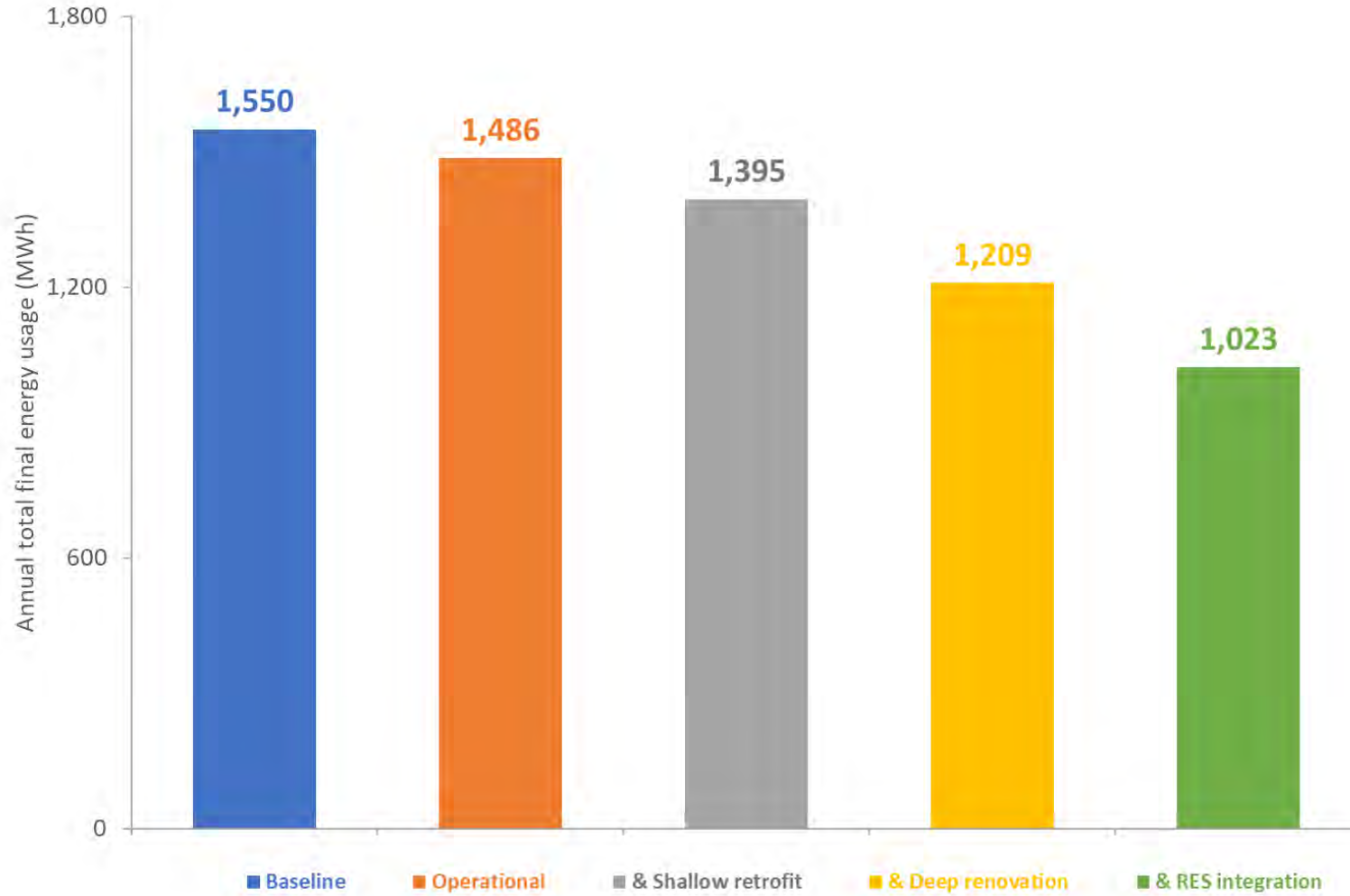


### Included analysis on:

- Energy saving
- Energy sharing
- Cost and payback



# Limerick: Overall PEB Results



# Limerick 2050 Roadmap to Decarbonisation

Considered Historic City Centre already Baseline and applied:

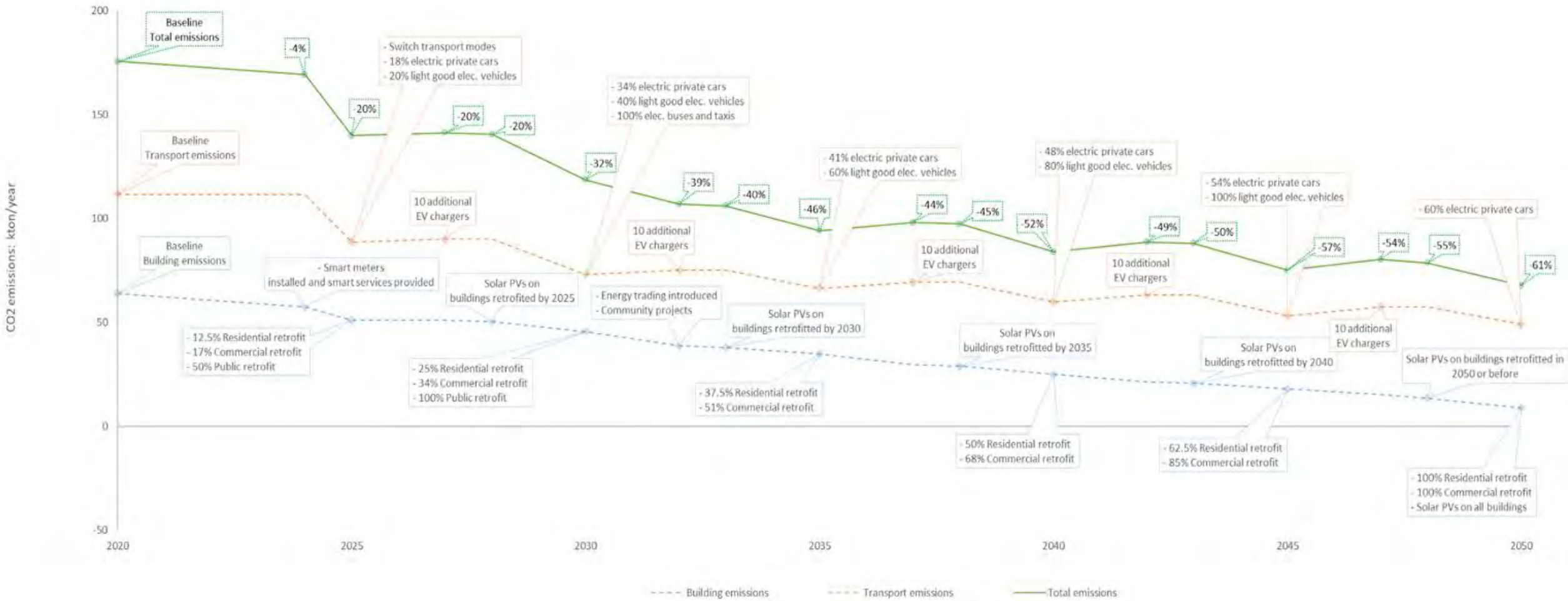
- Recommended retrofit measures across the area in 5 year intervals (see below from DST)
- Solar PV where possible in time intervals
- Transition to EVs in time intervals
- Smart of metering energy reduction
- Energy sharing incentives
- Behavioral energy reduction campaigns

Retrofit year

- 2025
- 2030
- 2035
- 2040
- 2045
- 2050



# Limerick 2050 Roadmap to Decarbonisation





# APPLICAZIONI IN ITALIA

## Replicazione Italiana

### Bologna

Area: 140,86 km<sup>2</sup>  
Inhabitants: 388 171

Buildings: 1080  
Area: 7 750 218 m<sup>2</sup>  
Inhabitants: ~ 23 000



- geoJSON file containing:
  - Number of floors
  - Year of construction
  - Building Type
  - Installed PV Capacity

### Milano

Area: 181,67 km<sup>2</sup>  
Inhabitants: 1 361 908

Buildings: 31  
Area: 50 132 m<sup>2</sup>  
Inhabitants: 97 841



- iCD model with this information:
  - Building Type
  - Year of construction
  - Envelope description & U<sub>value</sub>
  - HVAC & DHW system

### Roma

Area: 1 287,36 km<sup>2</sup>  
Inhabitants: 2 746 639

Buildings: 155  
Area: ~ 660 696 m<sup>2</sup>  
Inhabitants: ~7610



- GIS file containing:
  - Building Type
  - Number of floors
  - Roof Type
  - Potential roof area for PV

### Udine

Area: 57,17 km<sup>2</sup>  
Inhabitants: 97 841

Buildings: 10 (2 Schools, 1 Shopping mall, 7 Apartment blocks)  
Area: 134 400 m<sup>2</sup>  
Inhabitants: ~1000 (405 Apartments)



- Building's plans and sections
- Technical reports of the interventions
- Buildings' Energy Performance Certificates

### Crispiano

Area: ~ 111 km<sup>2</sup>  
Inhabitants: 13 770

Buildings: 7 (1 municipal building, 1 library, 2 schools, 2 offices, 1 sport center)  
Area: ~ 16 000 m<sup>2</sup>  
Occupancy: ~750 people/day



- Building plans, survey reports, and energy requalification projects holding:
  - Boulding geometry
  - Envelope description
  - Building type, Construction year





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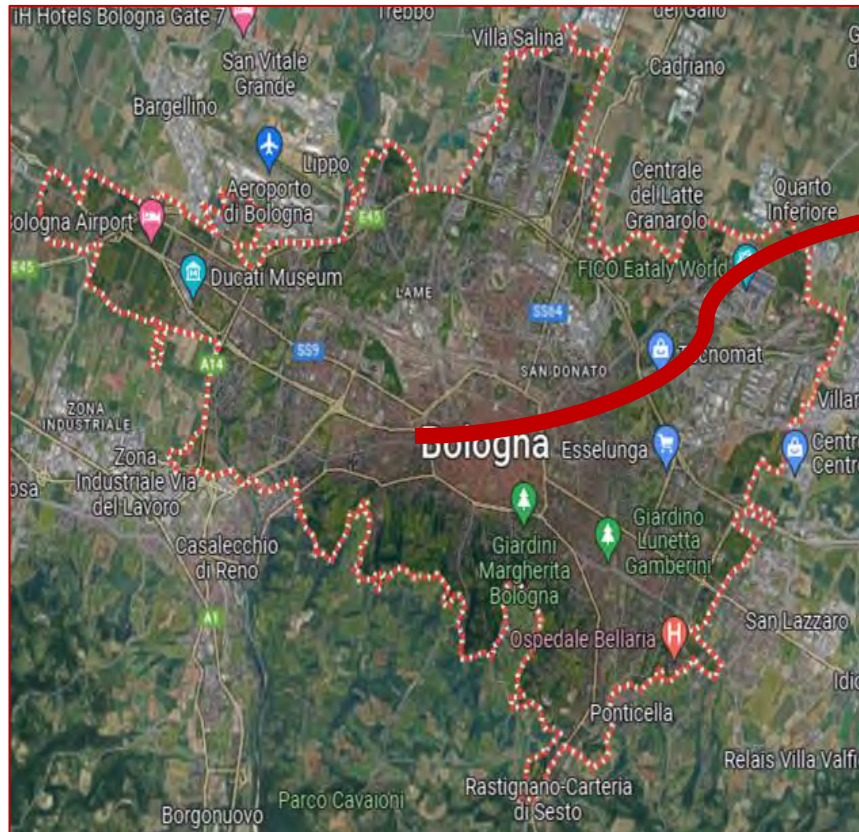
## Replicazione Italiana – Bologna Centro

• **Bologna:** 140, 86 km<sup>2</sup>

• **Inhabitants:** 388 171

Specific area of interest: 54 Buildings (57 519 m<sup>2</sup>)

Inhabitants: around 1 000



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## Replicazione Italiana – Bologna Centro

• Model set up from iCD plugin in Sketchup:



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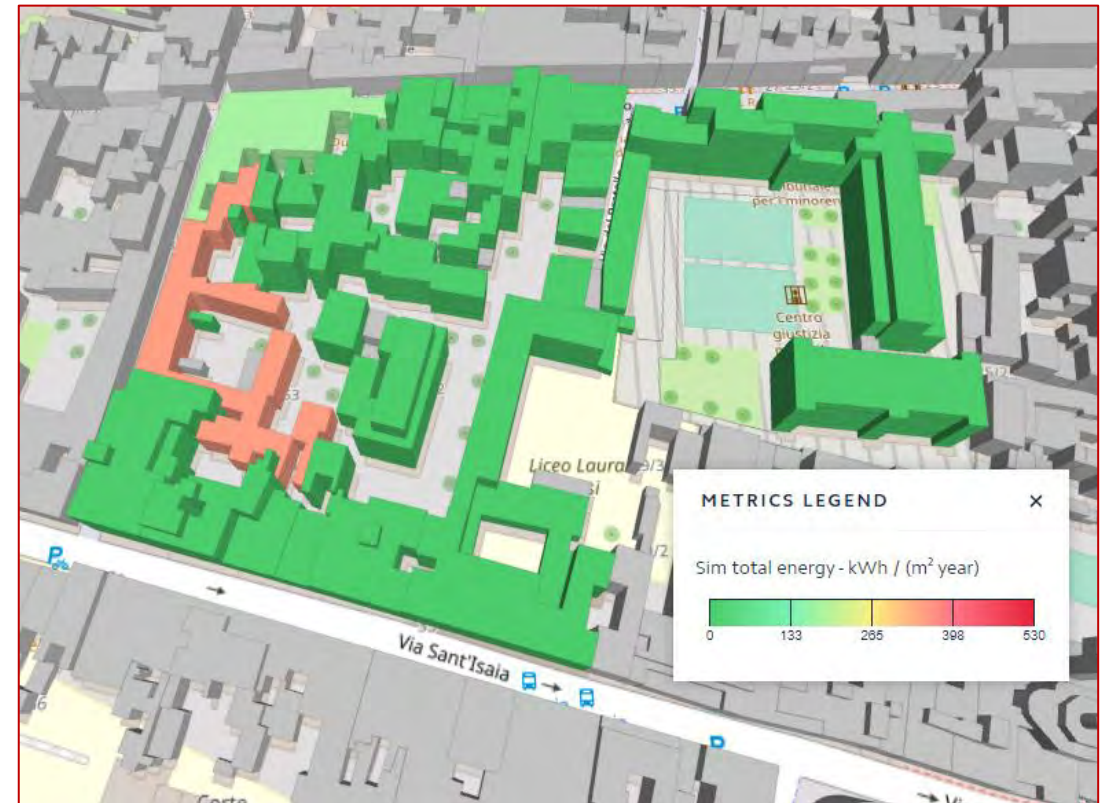


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## Replicazione Italiana – Bologna Centro



Sim total energy BASELINE (kWh/m<sup>2</sup> per year) (view from iCIM)



Sim total energy SCENARIO 1 (kWh/m<sup>2</sup> per year) (view from iCIM)



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### Replicazione Italiana – Bologna Centro

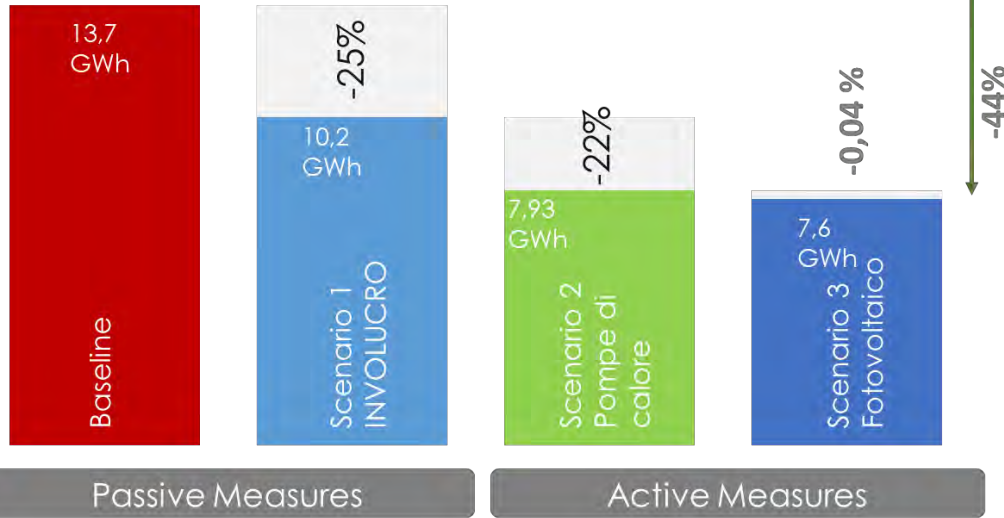
	Baseline	Scenari	
Involucro opaco	$U = 2.2 \div 1.95 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$	$U = 0.23 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$	S1
Involucro trasparente	$U = 3.17 \div 2.64 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$	$U = 1.30 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$	
Pavimento	$U = 0.71 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$	$U = 0.29 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$	
Tetto	$U = 1.56 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$	$U = 0.24 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$	
Impianto	Caldaia a gas (Old/Modern)	Pompa di calore COP=4	S2
Fotovoltaico	0	274 MWh	S3



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## Replicazione Italiana

Energy Consumption



**ANALYSIS**

- Metrics Viewer: Colour code objects with attributes
- Metrics Comparison: Compare attributes across scenarios

**METRICS COMPARISON**

Object Selection: 35248

Metric: Sim heating energy, Sim total energy

Scenarios: Scenario 1, Scenario 2, Scenario 3

	BASELINE	SCENARIO Scenario 1	SCENARIO Scenario 2	SCENARIO Scenario 3
Sim heating energy	163,8 kWh / (m <sup>2</sup> year)	52,4 kWh / (m <sup>2</sup> year) -68%	9,8 kWh / (m <sup>2</sup> year) -94%	10,7 kWh / (m <sup>2</sup> year) -93,5%
Sim total energy	247,2 kWh / (m <sup>2</sup> year)	153 kWh / (m <sup>2</sup> year) -38,1%	110,4 kWh / (m <sup>2</sup> year) -55,3%	111,4 kWh / (m <sup>2</sup> year) -54,9%

Show baseline: On Off



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## Milano – Reinventing Cities

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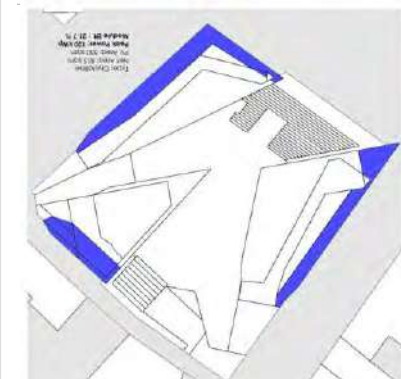
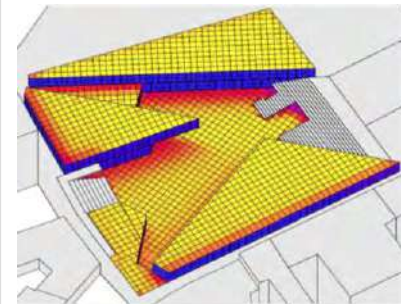
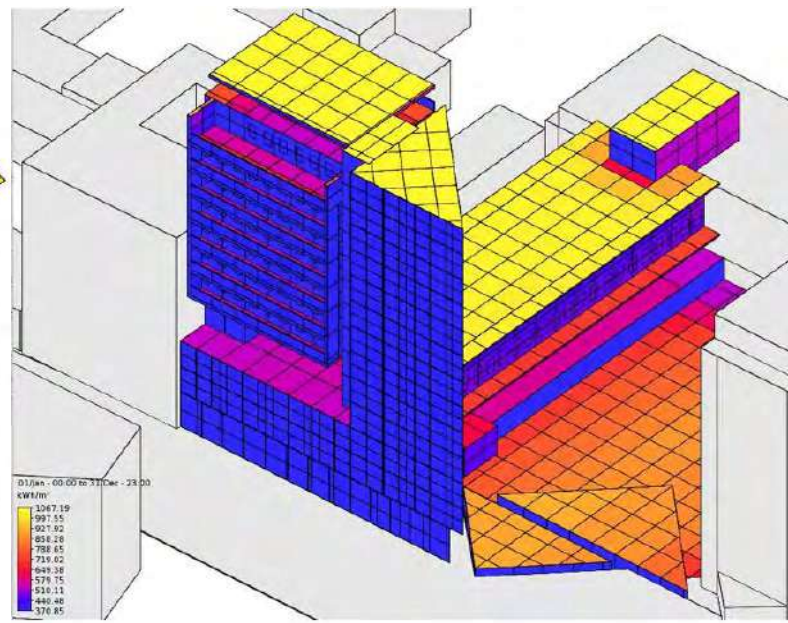
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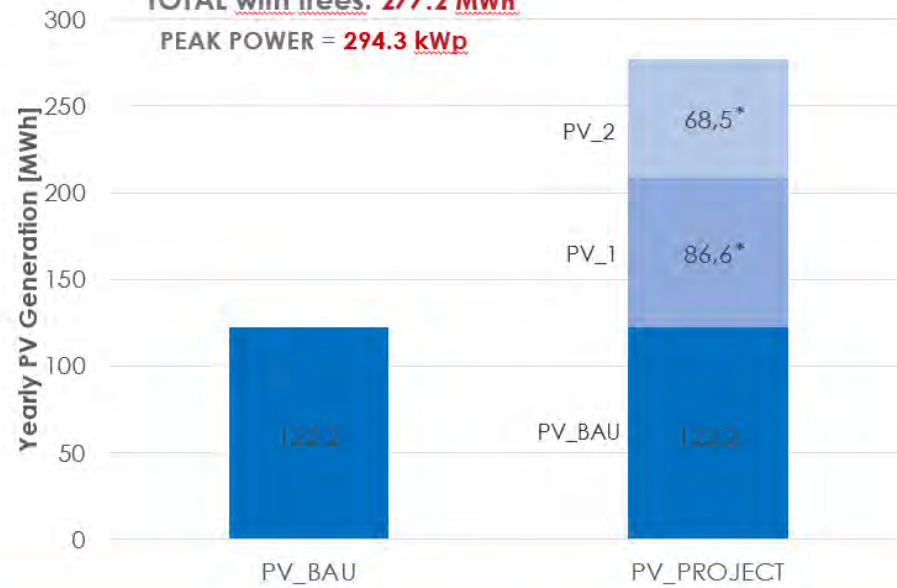
### Radiation Analysis



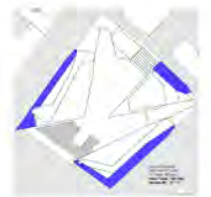
### Yearly On-Site PV Energy Generation

TOTAL with trees: 277.2 MWh

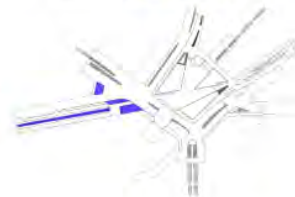
PEAK POWER = 294.3 kWp



PV\_BAU



PV\_1



PV\_2



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\* The efficiency of the PVs was reduced by 30% in order to consider the local

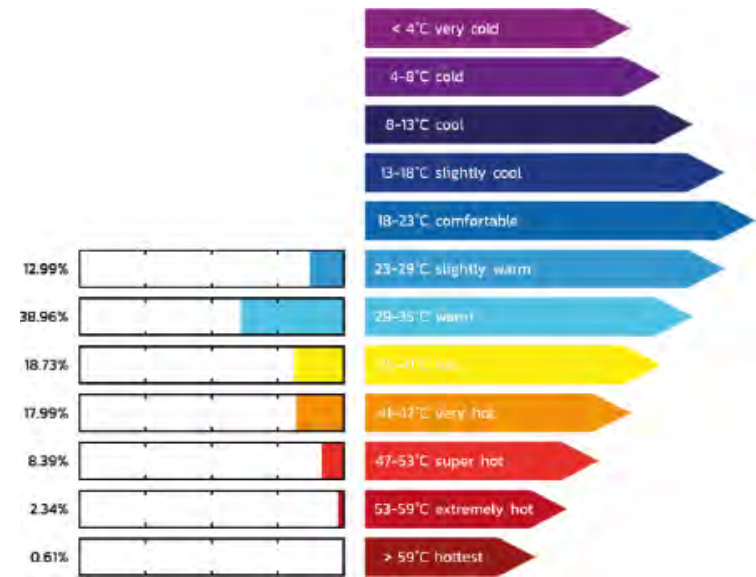
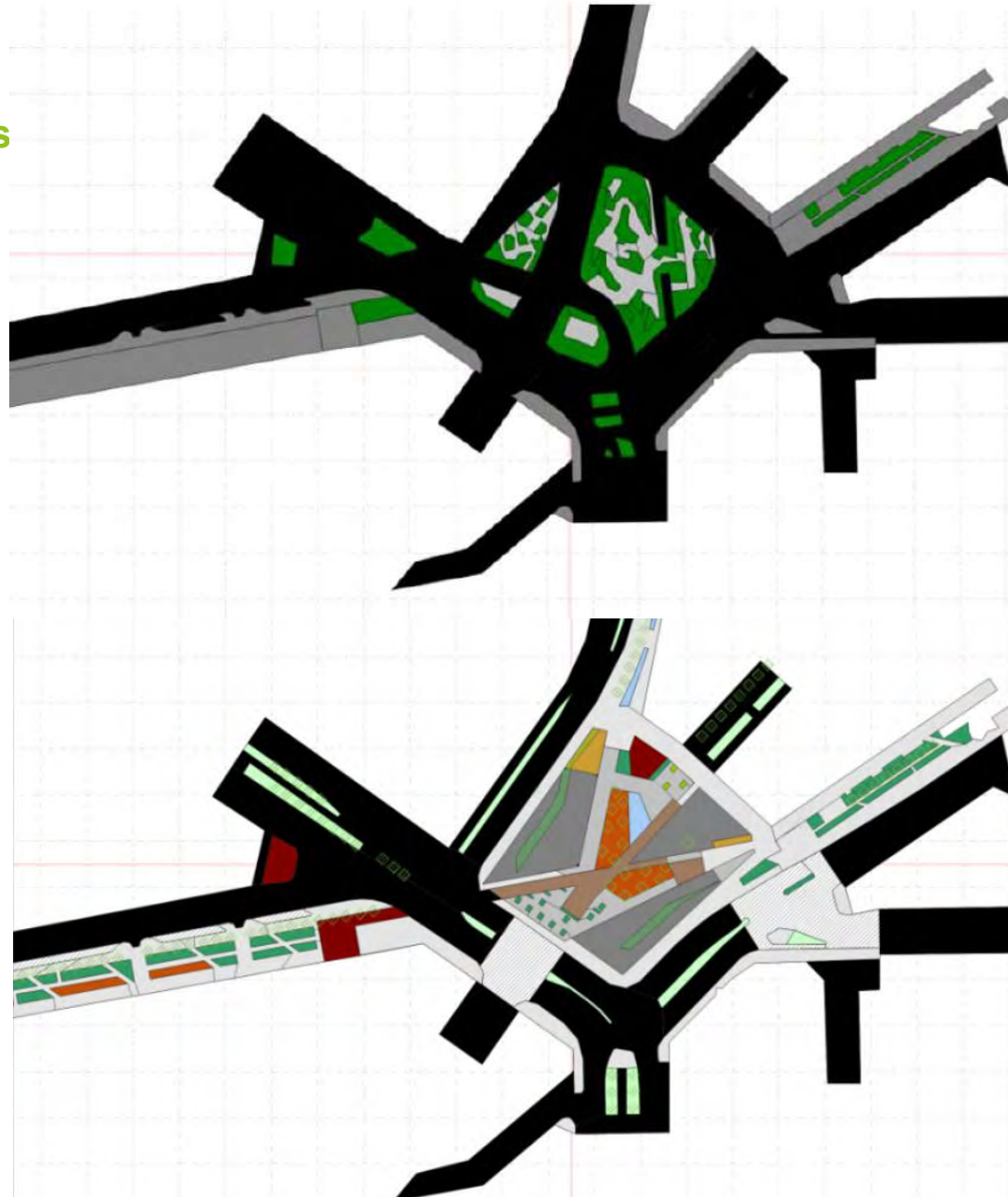
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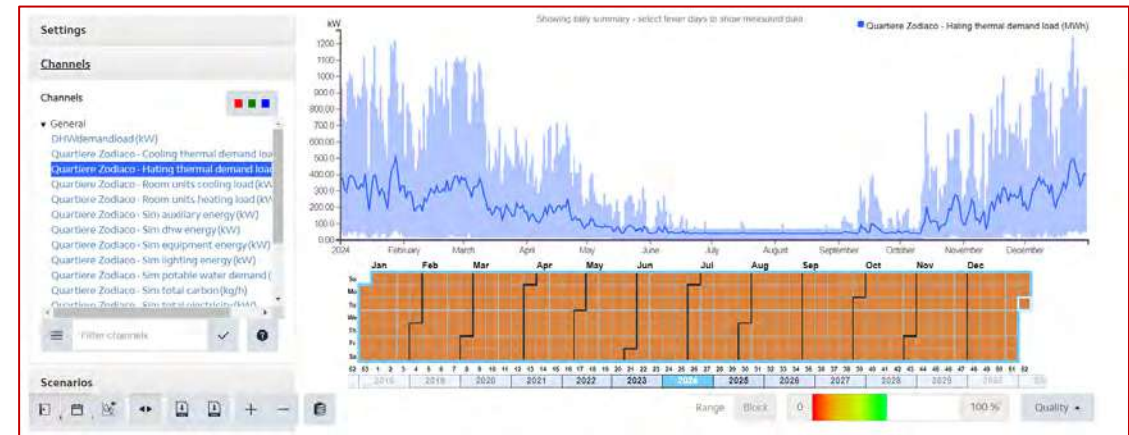
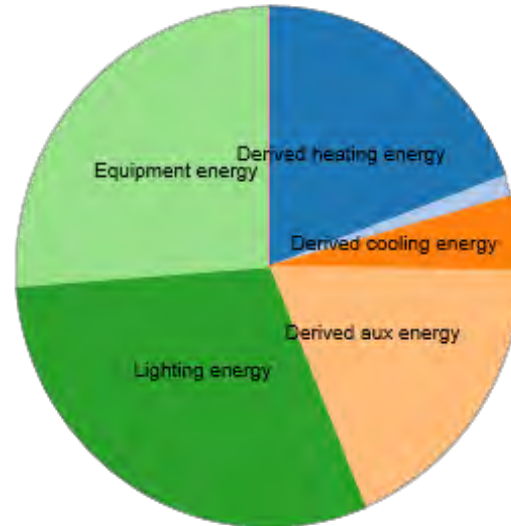
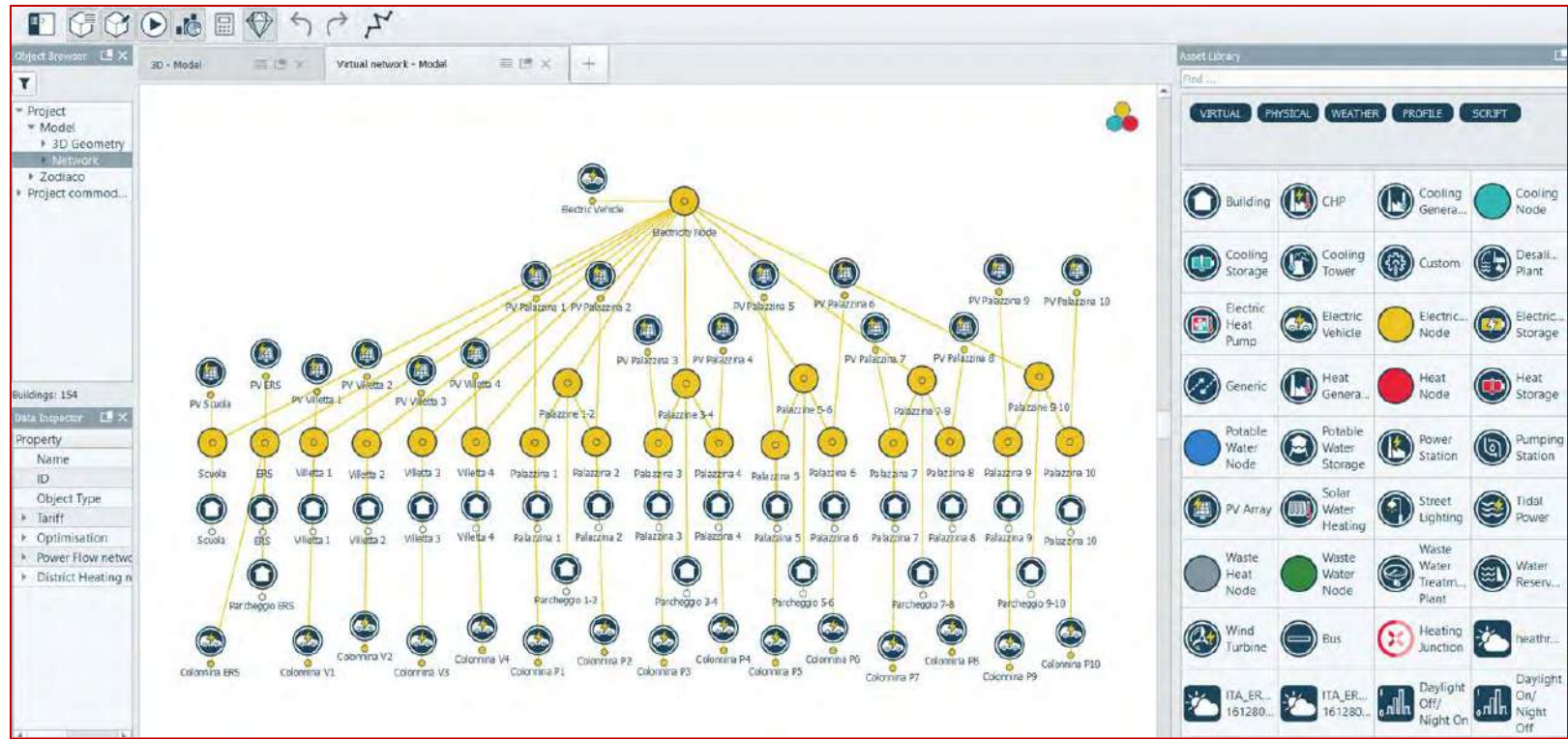




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## CER

Supportare la creazione delle Comunità Energetiche Rinnovabili e valutare diversi scenari mediante uno studio energetico, climatico ed ambientale delle diverse soluzioni




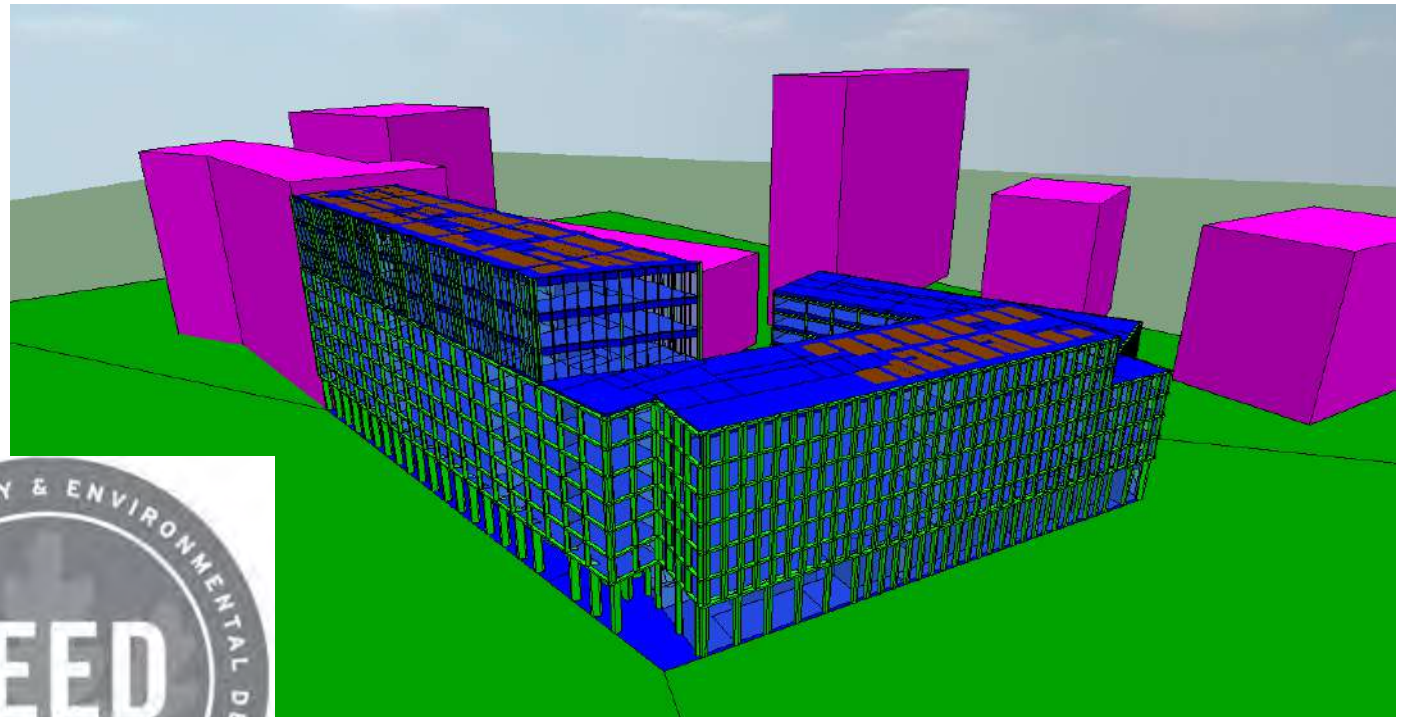


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## Modellazione LEED, BREEAM

Nel LEED si confronta il modello BASELINE (da ASHRAE 90.1) con il modello Proposed (Progetto Esecutivo). In base ai «cost savings» raggiunti si attribuisce un punteggio per il LEED:

% improvement in energy performance (for new construction)	Points 
6	1
8	2
10	3
12	4
14	5
16	6
18	7
20	8
22	9
24	10
26	11
29	12
32	13
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42	16
46	17
50	18



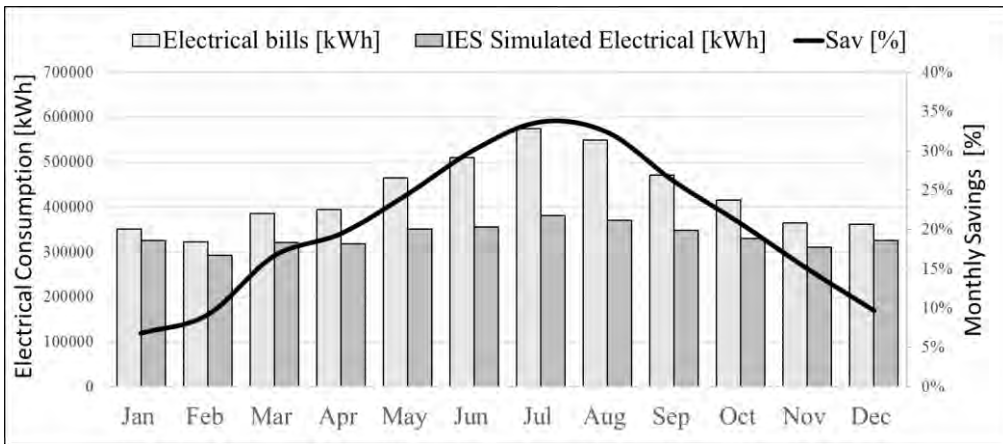
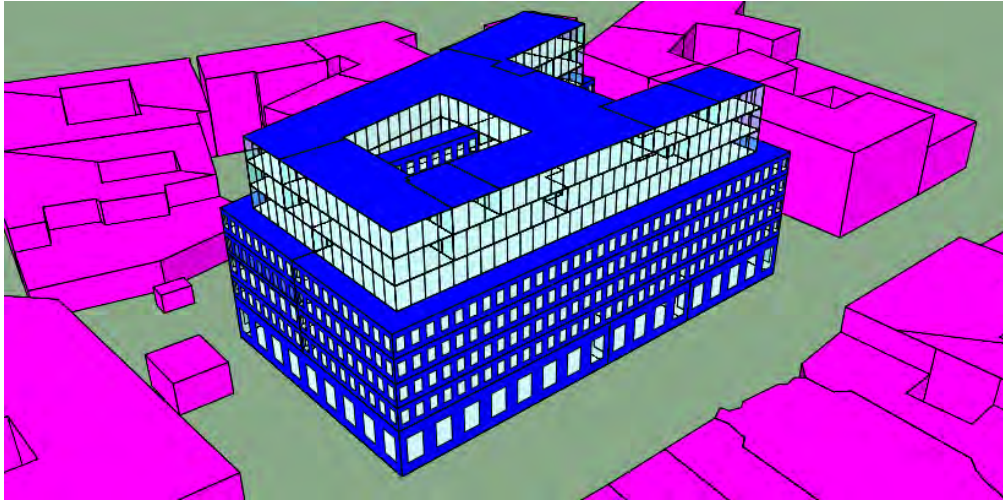
1.8.2 (b) Energy Cost & Consumption by energy Type - PRM Compliance

Energy Type	Units	Proposed Design		Baseline Design		Percent Savings			
		Energy Use	Cost (\$)	Energy Use	Cost (\$)	Energy Use	Cost		
Electricity	kWh	2,471,404.71	395,424.77	4,170,334.95	667,253.62	40.74	40.74		
Gas	MMBtu	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Subtotal (Model Outputs)		2,471,404.71	395,424.77	4,170,334.95	667,253.62	40.74	40.74		
On-site Renewable Energy	Energy Displaced (kWh)		Renewable Energy Cost (\$)	Narrative					
Photovoltaic Panels	175,610.63		-28,097.11	Generated from source					
Wind Power	0.00		0.00	Generated from source					
Combined Heat and Power (electricity)	0.00		0.00	Generated from source					
Solar Water Heating	0.00		0.00	Generated from source					
Exceptional Calculations	Energy Savings		Cost Savings	Narrative					
Summary		Units		Proposed Design		Baseline Design		Percent Savings	
		Energy use	Cost (\$)	Energy use	Cost (\$)	Energy use	Cost		
Total		MMBtu	3,295,794.06	MMBtu	367,327.08	4,170,334.95	667,253.62	44.95	44.95
Energy use		Percent Savings		Cost					
		44.95		44.95					

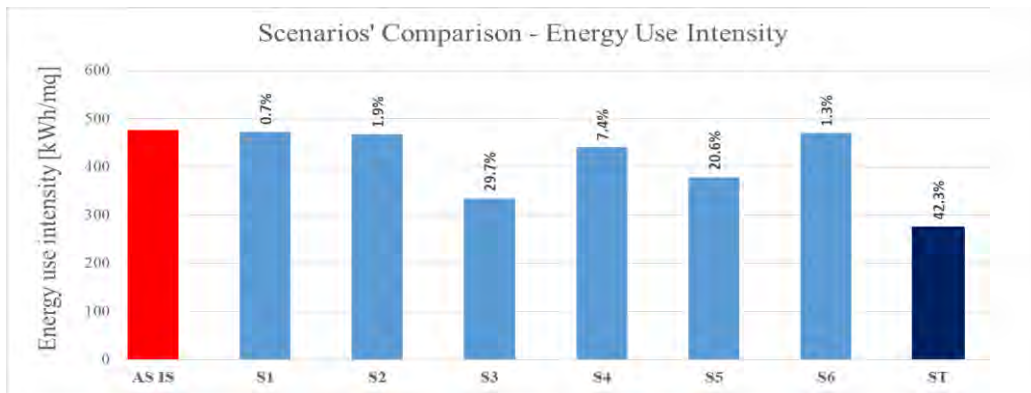


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## Scenari di decarbonizzazione e ottimizzazione su edifici esistenti

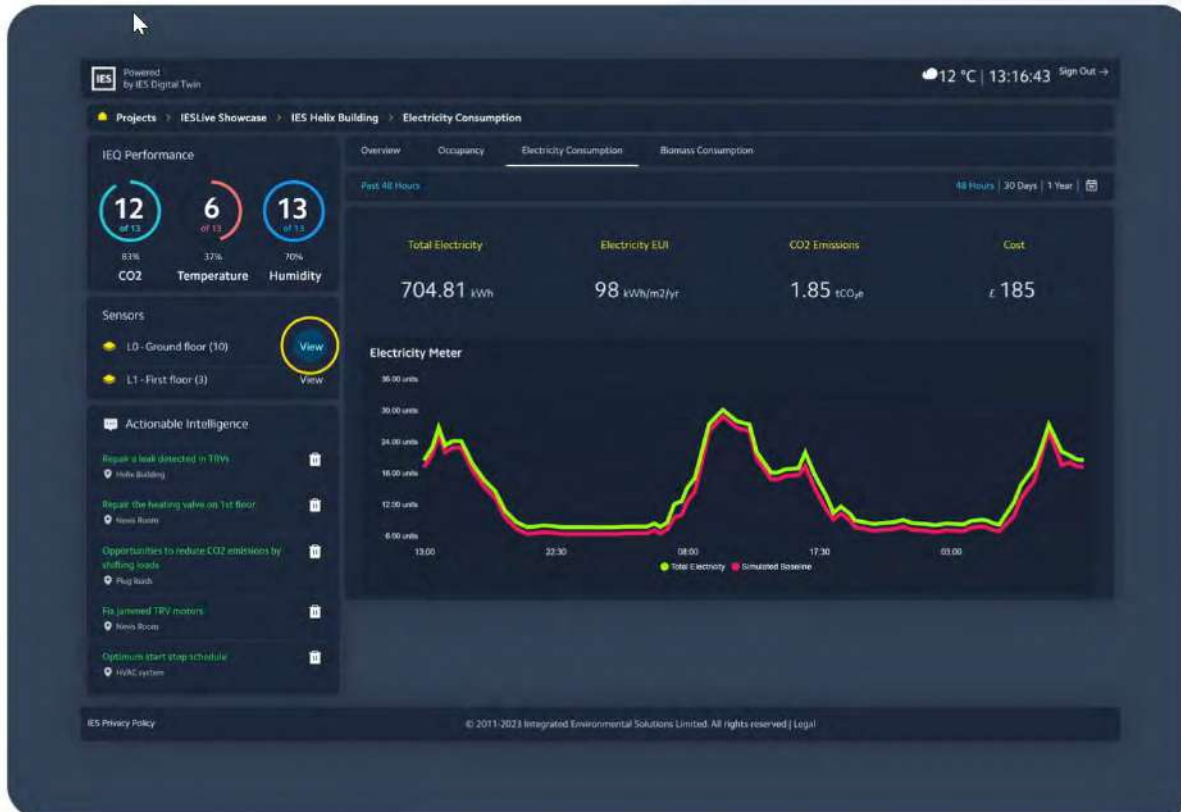


KPIs		Description	Annual Consumption [GWh]	CO2 Emissions [tonCo2e]	Energy Use Intensity [KWh/mq]	Total Energy Use Intensity [KWh/mq]	Total CO2 Emissions [tonCo2e]
<b>SCENARIOS</b>							
<b>AS IS</b>	<i>Electrical</i>	Baseline Model	5,12	80,81	216,88	475,95	406,55
	<i>Natural Gas</i>		4,66	325,74	197,46		
<b>S1</b>	<i>Electrical</i>	Application of anti-UV films	5,03	79,49	213,33	472,54	406,19
	<i>Natural Gas</i>		4,67	326,70	198,05		
<b>S2</b>	<i>Electrical</i>	Replacement of fancoils	5,08	80,27	215,41	466,88	395,39
	<i>Natural Gas</i>		4,51	315,13	191,03		
<b>S3</b>	<i>Electrical</i>	Replacement of AHUs	4,71	74,39	199,66	334,55	225,47
	<i>Natural Gas</i>		2,16	151,08	91,58		
<b>S4</b>	<i>Electrical</i>	Replacement of cooling groups	4,54	71,76	192,60	440,67	386,89
	<i>Natural Gas</i>		4,51	315,13	191,03		
<b>S5</b>	<i>Electrical</i>	Replacement of boilers	5,00	79,04	212,12	378,01	271,97
	<i>Natural Gas</i>		2,76	192,93	116,96		
<b>S6</b>	<i>Electrical</i>	Photovoltaic System	5,14	81,21	217,94	469,78	396,33
	<i>Natural Gas</i>		4,51	315,13	191,03		
<b>ST</b>	<i>Electrical</i>	All previous scenarios	4,03	63,68	170,89	274,68	176,23
	<i>Natural Gas</i>		1,61	112,55	68,23		



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