



# EU funding for Smart Energy Systems

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## European Challenges



**Modernise our economy** by bringing down greenhouse gas emissions while creating jobs and growth



The EU as the **world leader on renewable energy** and placing **energy efficiency first** based on new technologies and **industrial leadership**



**Ensure a socially fair transition** where **regions, cities and consumers** play an active role

**Energy Union**

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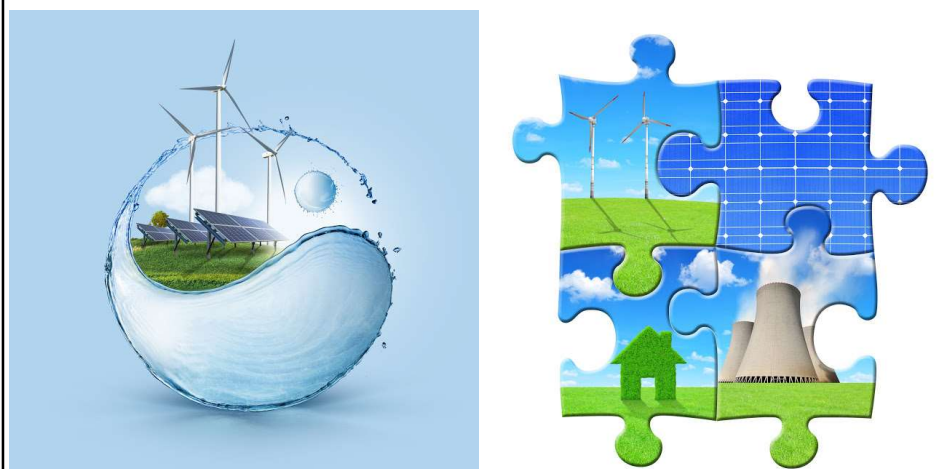
## LEGISLATIVE PROPOSALS

**Clean energy** for all Europeans



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## The transformation of the energy system starts with innovation



 **EU energy R&I policy**

**Energy Union**      **SET-Plan**      **Clean energy for all Europeans**

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GUIDING DIMENSIONS

**Smart Cities**      **H2020**

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 **#energyunion**

**secure, sustainable, competitive,  
affordable energy for all  
Europeans**

**5<sup>th</sup> dimension:  
Research & innovation**



## The Strategic Energy Technology (SET) Plan



- Adoption in 2008
- Set-up of **European Industrial Initiatives** for technologies and **coordination of the research actions** of EU and Member States for technologies with market impact up to 2020 and beyond

- **Integrated SET Plan Communication (2015)**
- **Technologies and innovation Platforms (industry and Member States) and four core priorities (RES, consumers, cities, energy efficiency, sustainable transport – supporting the Energy Union) + CCS and nuclear**
- **10 Key Actions**



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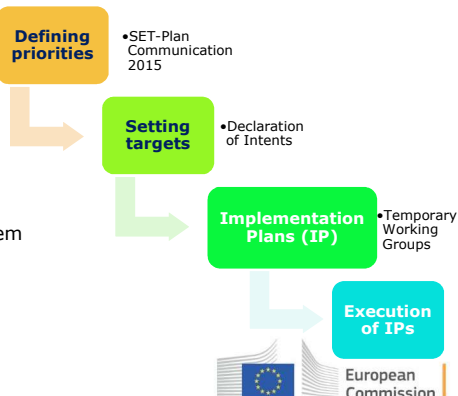
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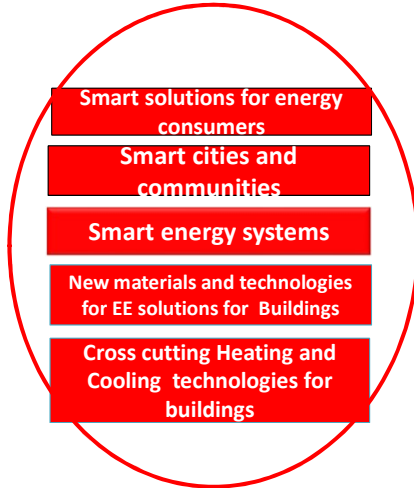
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## SET plan Working Groups relevant to Smart Cities



Main Targets focusing on:

- **Positive energy blocks**
- **Reduction of low energy house cost**
- **increased efficiency of Heating/Cooling technologies**
- **Increased flexibility of the energy system**



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## Horizon 2020 Work Programme for Research & Innovation 2018-2020

Activities of Societal Challenge 3:  
"Secure, clean and efficient  
energy"

Research and  
Innovation

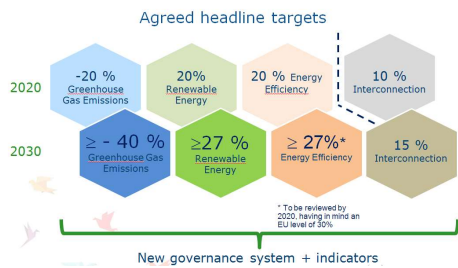
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## Policy Framework



### "Clean Energy for all Europeans"

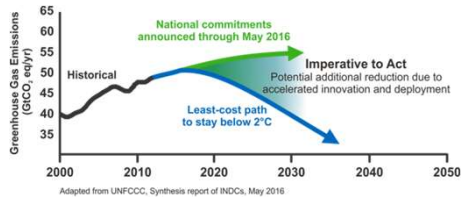
- Putting energy efficiency first
- Demonstrating global leadership in renewables
- Delivering a fair deal for consumers



### Paris Agreement

Holding the increase in the global average temperature to **well below 2°C** above pre-industrial levels and pursuing efforts to limit the temperature increase to 1.5°C above pre-industrial levels

Accelerating, encouraging and enabling **innovation** is crucial...



### Other EU policy priorities

- Digital Single Market
- Jobs, Growth and Investments
- EU as a strong global actor
- ...



## Policy Framework

### Mission Innovation



**Overall objective:** To reinvigorate global efforts in clean energy innovation, Mission Innovation members share a common goal to **develop and scale** breakthrough technologies and substantial **cost reductions**. MI members aim to seek to **double public clean energy research and development investment** over five years.

	Lead	Participant	Australia	Brazil	Canada	Chile	China	Denmark	EC	Finland	France	Germany	India	Indonesia	Italy	Japan	Mexico	Norway	Republic of Korea	Saudi Arabia	Sweden	The Netherlands	UAE	UK	USA	
1 Smart Grids Innovation Challenge																										
2 Off Grid Access to Electricity Innovation Challenge																										
3 Carbon Capture Innovation Challenge																										
4 Sustainable Biofuels Innovation Challenge																										
5 Converting Sunlight Innovation Challenge																										
6 Clean Energy Materials Innovation Challenge																										
7 Affordable Heating and Cooling of Buildings Innovation Challenge																										

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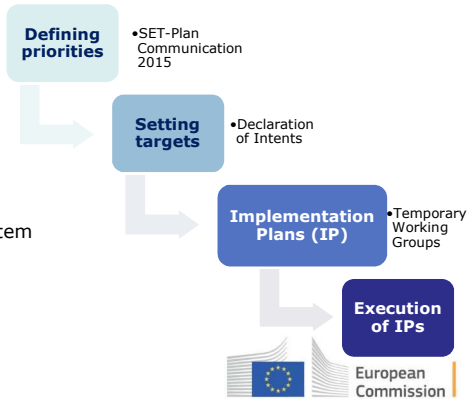
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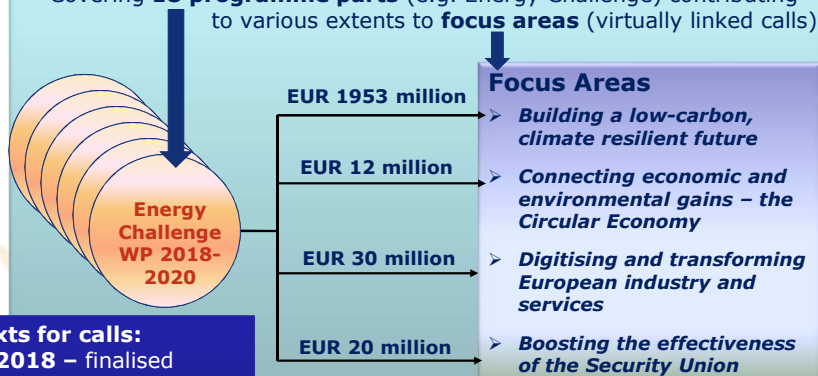
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## Horizon 2020 Work programme 2018-2020

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- Total budget envelope: ~ EUR 30 billion
- Covering **18 programme parts** (e.g. Energy Challenge) contributing to various extents to **focus areas** (virtually linked calls)



#### Texts for calls:

- 2018 – finalised
- 2019 – to be confirmed mid-2018
- 2020 – to be added as of mid-2018

## Energy across Horizon 2020

Energy is also addressed in many other Horizon 2020 parts

### Bottom-up activities

- European Research Council (ERC)
- European Innovation Council (SME instrument, FTI pilot, FET, Prizes)
- Marie-Sklodowska Curie Actions

### Industrial Leadership

- Materials
- PPPs on Energy-efficient Buildings and SPIRE
- Information and Communication Technologies
- Space (Galileo)

### Societal Challenges (SC)

- SC2: Bioeconomy, Blue Growth
- SC4: Electric vehicles, Batteries, Energy-efficient transport
- SC5: Cities, Earth observation, raw materials, climate change mitigation strategies
- SC7: Cybersecurity, Critical energy infrastructure

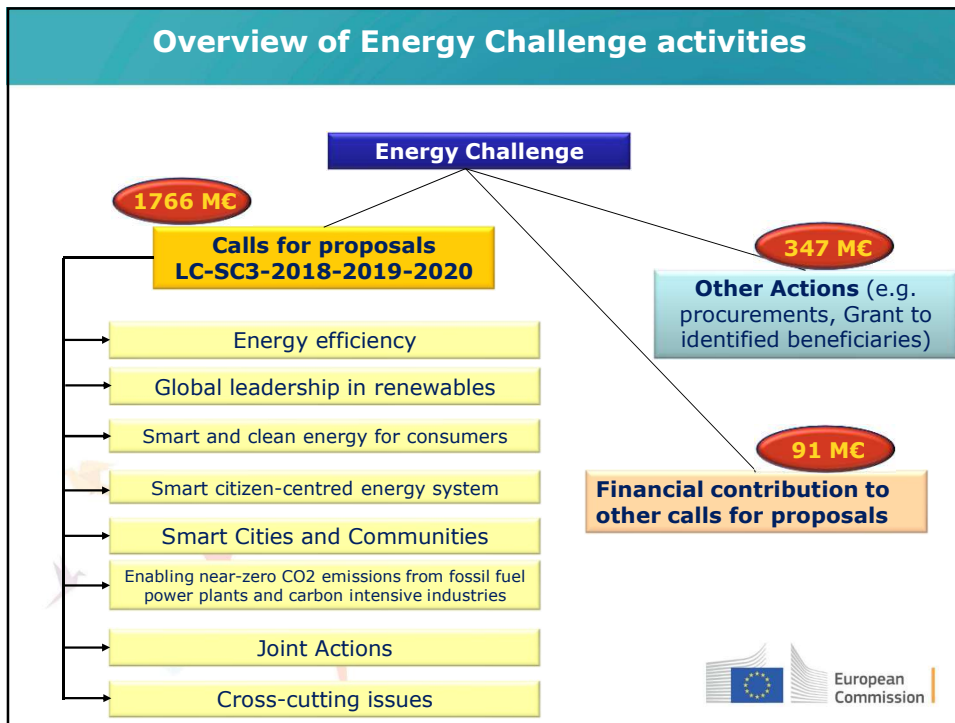
-> Please check also calls of other Horizon 2020 parts!



## Inputs to the work programme 2018-2020









**Technology is just an enabler for people living, working or visiting a city**






**SCC**



HORIZON 2020





- **14 Member States**
- **Cities, Industry & research**
- **Streamlining funding programmes**
- **Research agenda – next decade**

**SCC**

- **SET Plan Conference -11<sup>th</sup> edition**
- **19<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> of November 2018 in Vienna, Austria**



HORIZON 2020



- **Strategic partnerships between European cities and industry**
- **Develop common solutions**
- **Scale up**
- **Integrated approaches**
- **Replication**



**SCC**

- **Collaboration with Lighthouse projects**
- **Get involved at <http://eu-smartcities.eu>**
- **G.A. on 28<sup>th</sup> of June in Sofia, Bulgaria**



- **€270 million co-funding so far (calls 2014-2017)**
- **Strong brand**
- **Leading the way**
- **Critical mass: 36 + 42 cities and growing**
- **Call 2018 to be finalised soon**



**SCC**

**HORIZON 2020**







**2014**

**GROWSMARTER**  
Köln, Barcelona, Stockholm & Graz, Cork, Valletta, Porto, Suceava

**REMOURBAN**  
Valladolid, Tepebası, Nottingham & Serrain, Miskolc

**TRIANGULUM**  
Eindhoven, Stavanger, Manchester & Prague, Leipzig, Sabadell

**2015**

**REPLICATE**  
San Sebastián/Donostia, Firenze, Bristol & Lausanne, Essen, Nilufer

**SHAR-LLM**  
Milano, Lisboa, London (Greenwich) & Burgas, Bordeaux, Warsaw

**SMARTENCITY**  
Sonderborg, Tartu, Vitoria/Gasteiz & Asenovgrad, Lecce

**SMARTER TOGETHER**  
Wien, München, Lyon & Sofia, Santiago de Compostela, Venezia, Yokohama, Kiev

**2016**

**mySMARTlife**  
Hamburg, Helsinki, Nantes & Varna, Palencia, Rijeka, Bydgoszcz

**RUGGEDISED**  
Rotterdam, Umea, Glasgow & Brno, Parma, Gdansk

**2017**

**STARDUST**  
Pamplona, Tampere, Trento & Cluj-Napoca, Derry, Kozani, Litoměřice

**IRIS**  
Utrecht, Göteborg, Nice Côte d'Azur & Vaasa, Alexandroupolis, Santa Cruz de Tenerife, Focsani

**MatchUP**  
Valencia, Dresden, Antalya & Ostend, Herzliya, Skopje, Kerava




## Smart Cities and Communities - SCC1

- **2018** is the **5<sup>th</sup>** year of lighthouse projects and the network is steadily growing.
- The **36 Lighthouse cities** and **42 Follower cities** are **working together** in the **lighthouse collaboration network**.
- They have **specific task groups** intensively working on **common topics** like:
  - **Replication**
  - **Business models**
  - **Dissemination**



## Lighthouse cities and Follower cities

### ➤ Lighthouse Cities:

- should act as **exemplars**
- **help to plan and initiate** the replication of the deployed solutions in the Follower cities
- Have to be bold and **try new innovative solutions**
- get the larger part of the funds also because they bear the **first mover risk** for new solutions

### ➤ Follower Cities:

- should **actively participate** from the first moment with the aim of **replication** of good solutions

### ➤ Lighthouse Cities and Follower Cities will **closely collaborate**



## Lighthouse projects

### ➤ Consortia shall be composed of **2 lighthouse cities** and **at least 5 follower cities**.

### ➤ **By the call deadline**, all lighthouse cities **must have a validated**: i) Sustainable Energy Action Plans (SEAP) or ii) Sustainable Energy (and Climate) Action Plans (SECAP) or iii) a similar, at least equally ambitious, plan.

### ➤ A city can be funded as a lighthouse city **only once** under Horizon 2020.





## Challenges

- Necessary **energy transition in cities**
- Increase **energy systems integration** and to push **energy performance levels** significantly
- Deploy and test integrated innovative solutions for **Positive Energy Blocks/Districts** in the Lighthouse Cities.
- Carry out extensive **performance monitoring** (ideally for more than **2 years**)
- **Interaction and integration** between the **buildings**, the **users** and the larger **energy system**.
- Implications of increased **electro-mobility**, its impact on the energy system and its integration in planning.



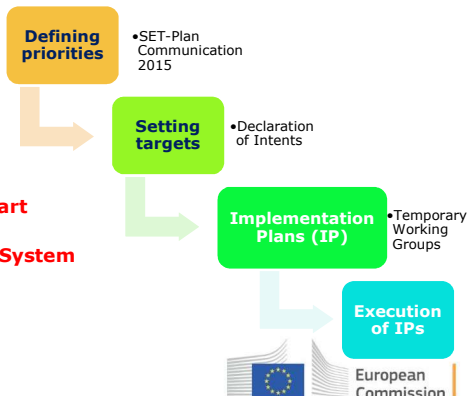
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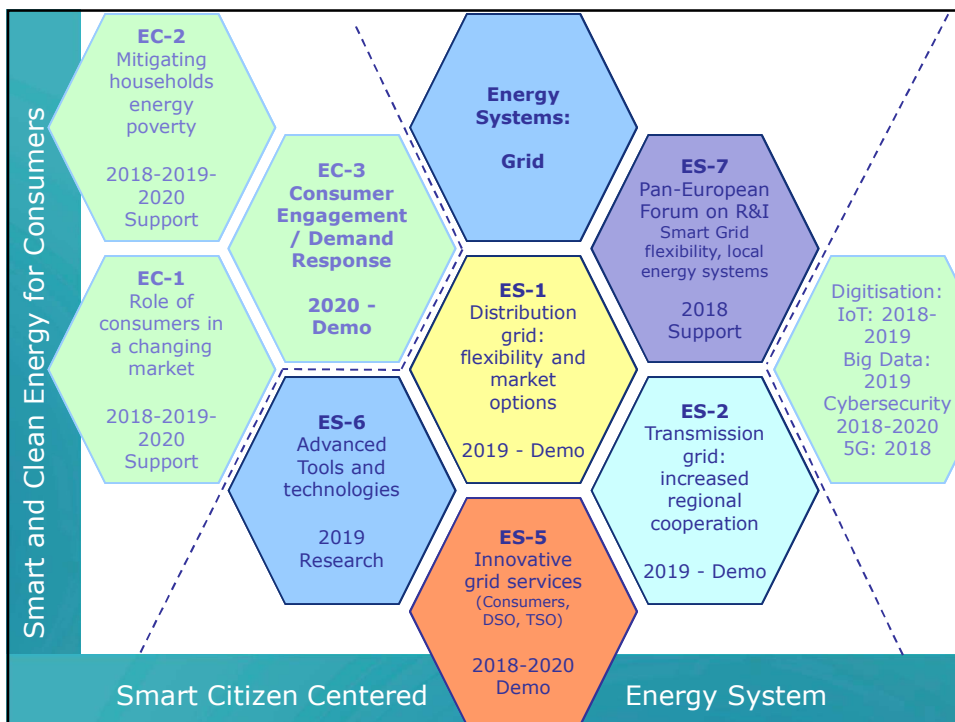
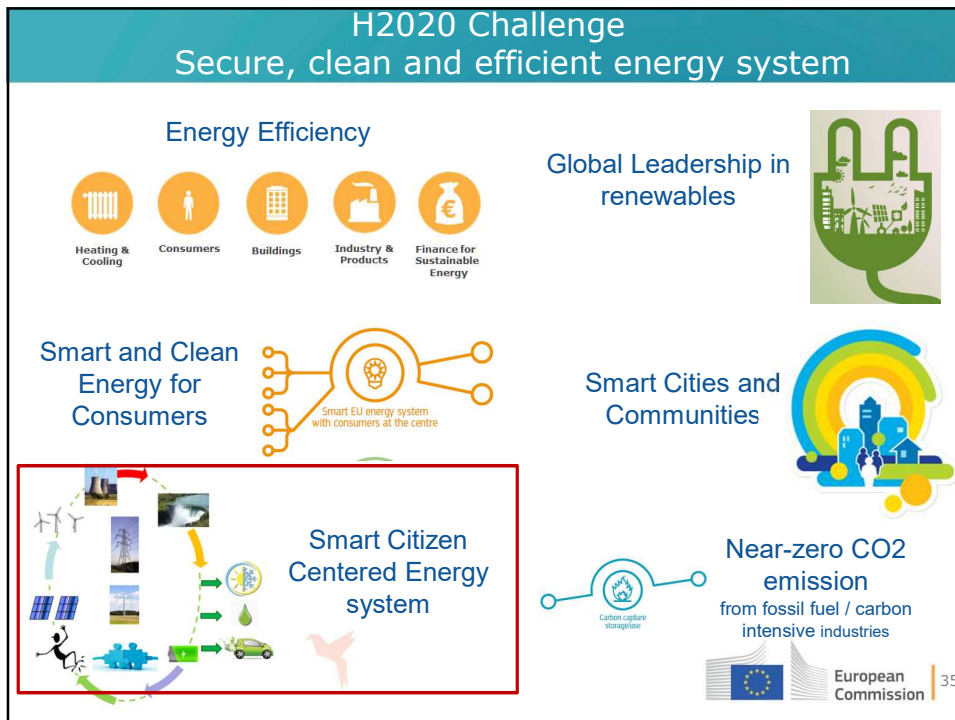


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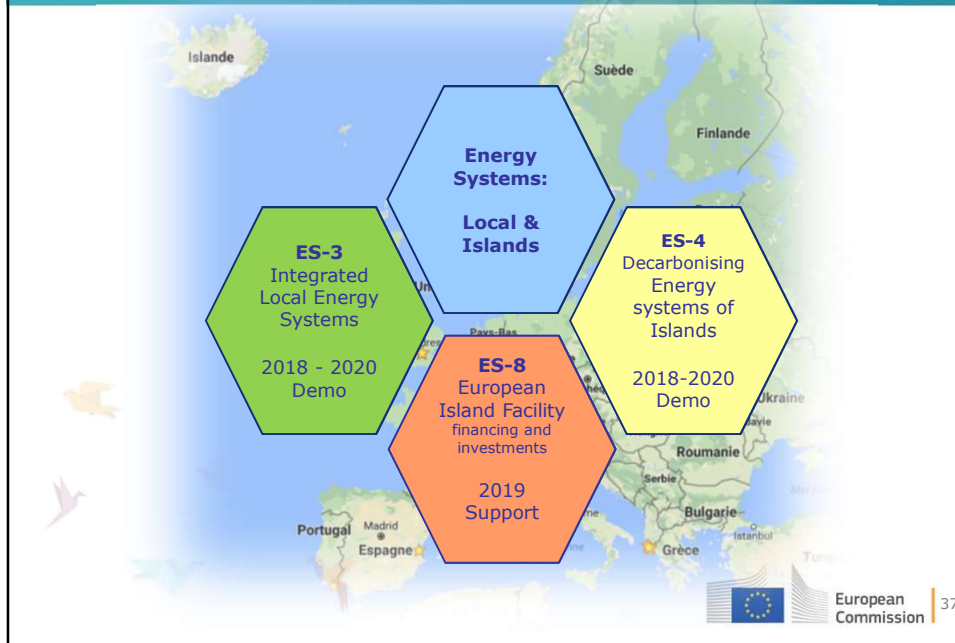
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## Smart Citizen Centered Energy System: Local and Islands



## Overview of Topics

		Instrument	TRL	Ec. fund per Proj. MEur	2018 MEur	2019 MEur	2020
EC-3	Consumer Engagment						Open
ES-1	Distribution grid: flexibility and market	IA	5-8	6-8		37.3	
ES-2	Transmission grid: regional cooperation	IA	5-8	8-10		25	
ES-5	Innovative Grid services	IA	5-8	13-17	30		Open
ES-6	Advanced tools and technologies	RIA	NA	2-4		25.4	
ES-3	Integrated local energy systems	IA	5-8	5-6	21		Open
ES-4	Decarbonising energy systems of islands	IA	5-8	7-10	19		Open
ES-8	European island facility	CSA	NA	10		10	
ES-7	Pan European	CSA	NA	3-4	3		
				73	97.7		

## European Technology and Innovation Platform for Smart Networks for the Energy Transition



## ... ..to actual H2020 demo projects testing flexibility measures ...

- Aggregated Electric heaters with storage
- Integrated Hybrid PV/thermal solar panels battery and thermal storage in homes
- 2nd-life battery packs with PV for buildings
- Shared batteries for energy communities (PV)
- Grid services
- Innovative smart grid technologies, enabling optimal and dynamic operation
- Integration of electric vehicles
- Near real time energy balancing market

## ... from households level up to the transmission grid...

- Large scale storage testing (e.g. power to gas and solution for refrigerated warehouses)
- TSO – DSO Interactions on aggregation, grid services, handling of energy storage systems
- Cross-Border Cooperation between TSOs on management of RES production and sources of flexibility

STORE&GO



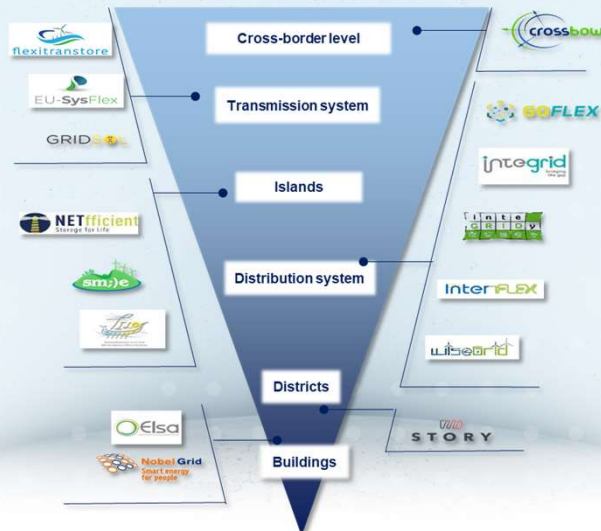
OSMOSE



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## ... from cross-border level down to building level



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## and a BRIDGE between project results and policy making has been established

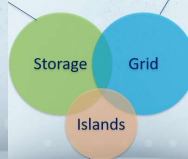
### Data management

- Communication infrastructure
- Cybersecurity and data privacy
- Data handling
- Interoperability

### Business Models

- Regulated activities
- Self-consumption
- Storage
- Demand Response

### Regulations



### Customer Engagement

- Understanding what customers value
- Segmenting Customers
- Engage End-Customers Early
- Co-design, social science together with technology



<http://www.h2020-bridge.eu/>



# BRIDGE

Accelerating smart grid and storage deployment by removing barriers to innovation

**Bridging energy and digital economy**

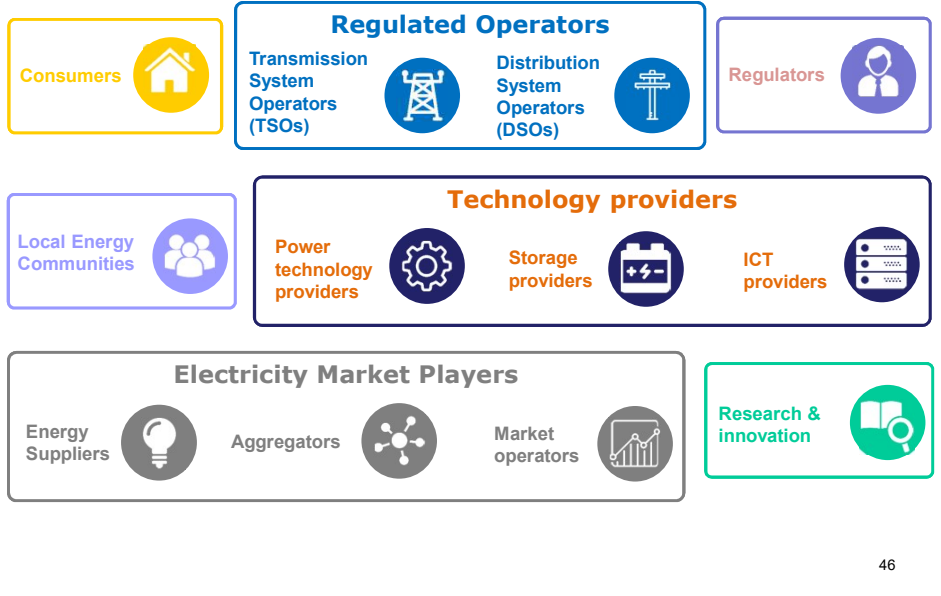
<http://www.h2020-bridge.eu>

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# BRIDGE projects overview

Distribution Grids	Distributed Storage	Transmission grids	Large-scale storage	RES and H&C
<p><b>2014:</b> 10 projects, 60 M€</p>	<p><b>2014:</b> 7 projects, 72 M€</p>	<p><b>2015:</b> 4 projects, 82 M€</p>	<p><b>2015:</b> 2 projects, 25 M€</p>	<p><b>2016:</b> 2 projects, 8 M€</p>
<p><b>2016:</b> 7 projects, 90 M€</p>		<p><b>2017:</b> 4 projects, 76 M€</p>		

## Stakeholders involved in BRIDGE projects Innovation, data and smart grids



## Cross-fertilization



- Think outside the box!
- EU flagship for environmental information
- 6 series of satellites & 6 services to deliver Earth observation data and environmental information products

→ **AVAILABLE** for the **ENERGY SECTOR**

- Access is full, free and open for H2020 projects !

[www.copernicus.eu](http://www.copernicus.eu)



Help and support at : <http://copernicus.eu/cso> in your language



## How Copernicus data can transform the energy sector

1. A business recognises the changing climate could impact their revenue, facilities or long term plans and want to know more.

5. The consultant's feedback helps the Copernicus Climate Change Service and the Copernicus Atmosphere Monitoring Service further develop climate indicators and tools for use by more businesses and sectors.

4. The consultant's analysis of the data and their modelling of potential scenarios enables companies to reduce risk and develop sustainable business plans.

2. They bring in an expert consultant to help them solve the problem, who recognises the need for data that can inform a business decision. The consultant knows about the Copernicus Climate Change Service and the Copernicus Atmosphere Monitoring Service which can provide both historic and predictive data across Europe.

3. The consultant accesses the Copernicus Climate Change Service and the Copernicus Atmosphere Monitoring Service's freely available data and tools to extract and visualise relevant information, tailoring and re-purposing it for the client's needs.



Copernicus can provide data and tools to ensure resilience, develop policy, protect health, unlock growth and understand the climate.

Source: <https://climate.copernicus.eu>



## BRIDGE projects addressing storage and conversion

*From the largest to the smallest scales*

BRIDGE projects addressing Energy Storage and Conversion technologies can be grouped according to the scale they are targeting:

- **TRANSMISSION LEVEL**
  - Cross-border aspects
  - Interactions with distribution level
- **DISTRIBUTION LEVEL**
  - Large-scale storage
  - Grid services
  - From grid to building & household level
  - Island cases



## BRIDGE projects addressing storage and conversion

*From the largest to the smallest scales*

### TRANSMISSION LEVEL – Cross-border aspects

OSM $\oplus$ SE

Optimal System-Mix Of flexibility Solutions for European electricity

- **TSO-led project** to capture “silo-breaking” synergies across needs and sources of flexibilities
- **Multiple services** provided by **hybrid storage**

 crossbow

CROSS BOrder management of variable renewable energies and storage units enabling a transnational Wholesale market  
<http://crossbowproject.eu/>

- **TSO-led project** developing technological solutions to be deployed at transmission level to increase the **shared use of resources** to foster cross-border management of RES and storage



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### TRANSMISSION LEVEL – Interactions with distribution level



Pan-European system with an efficient coordinated use of flexibilities for the integration of a large share of RES

[www.eu-sysflex.com](http://www.eu-sysflex.com)

- TSO-led project to demonstrate the aggregation for multi-service provision from a portfolio of distributed resources
- Pan-European Scalability and Replicability Analysis and Flexibility Roadmap



flexitranstore

An Integrated Platform for Increased FLEXibility in smart TRANSMission grids with STORage Entities and large penetration of Renewable Energy Sources

[www.flexitranstore.eu](http://www.flexitranstore.eu)

- TSO-led project addressing Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS) integration at TSO/DSO border substations, at wind farms' substations and at synchronous gas turbines



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### DISTRIBUTION LEVEL – Large scale storage

STORE&GO

Innovative large-scale energy STORage technologies AND Power-to-Gas concepts after Optimisation

<http://www.storeandgo.info/>

- Power to Gas (different methanation technologies)
- Plants of 200 kW to 1 MW



Developing Cryogenic Energy Storage at Refrigerated Warehouses as an Interactive Hub to Integrate Renewable Energy in Industrial Food Refrigeration and to Enhance Power Grid Sustainability

<http://www.cryohub.eu/>

- Cryogenic Energy Storage
- Installed in warehouses and food processing facilities



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### DISTRIBUTION LEVEL – Grid services (1/2)



Generalized Operational FLEXibility for Integrating Renewables in the Distribution Grid

<http://www.goflex-project.eu/>

- Active use of distributed sources of flexibility to provide grid services and optimize energy consumption and production at the local level
- Storage technologies: **thermal** (heating/cooling) and **electric vehicles**



Demonstration of INTElligent grid technologies for renewables INTEgration and INTERactive consumer participation enabling INTERoperable market solutions and INTERconnected stakeholders

<https://integrid-h2020.eu/>

- Tools to enhance data exchange between market participants
- Flexibility offered by **electrical storage at utility and domestic scale** and **e-mobility**



integrated Smart GRID Cross-Functional Solutions for Optimized Synergetic Energy Distribution, Utilization & Storage Technologies

<http://www.integridy.eu>

- Deployment of novel strategies to manage energy storage systems (including **EV management**)
- **Self-consumption** and **ancillary services**



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### DISTRIBUTION LEVEL – Grid services (2/2)



Interactions between automated energy systems and Flexibilities brought by energy market players

<http://interflex-h2020.com/>

- Technologies include: **Energy storage, smart charging of electric vehicles**, demand response, islanding, grid automation and **integration of different energy carriers** (gas, heat, electricity)



Smart system of renewable energy storage based on integrated EVs and batteries to empower mobile, distributed and centralised energy storage in the distribution grid

<https://www.invadeh2020.eu/>

- Cloud-based flexibility management system integrated with **EVs** and **batteries** empowering energy storage at **mobile, distributed and centralised levels**



Wide scale demonstration of Integrated Solutions and business models for European smartGRID

<http://www.wisegrid.eu>

- Provides services empowering the prosumers and enabling the establishment of a **near real-time pan European energy balancing market**
- Storage technologies: **batteries** or **heat accumulators**



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### DISTRIBUTION LEVEL – From grid to building & household level



Storage ENabled Sustainable energy for Buildings and communities

[www.h2020-project-sensible.eu/](http://www.h2020-project-sensible.eu/)

- 3 demo sites involving **low-voltage networks, homes and larger buildings**
- Technologies: **Electro-chemical, electro-mechanical and thermal storage**



Added value of STORAge in distribution sYstems

<http://horizon2020-story.eu>

- 8 demos ranging from **industrial area and urban district to residential buildings**
- Different storage technologies: **batteries, thermal and geothermal storage...**



Energy Local Storage Advanced system

<http://www.elsa-h2020.eu>

- Integration of **second-life Li-ion batteries** at **building level**
- Development of a 'storage-as-a-service system' and interoperable ICT platform



Realising Value from Electricity Markets with Local Smart Electric Thermal Storage Technology

<http://www.realvalueproject.com/>

- **Smart Electric Thermal Storage Systems (SETS)** installed at **household level** and other buildings
- Provision of energy, capacity and system services



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### DISTRIBUTION LEVEL – Island cases



Technology Innovation for the Local Scale, Optimum Integration of Battery Energy Storage

<http://www.tiloshorizon.eu/>

- Development and operation of a **prototype battery storage system** that will be provided with a smart grid control systems



Energy and economic efficiency for today's smart communities through integrated multi storage technologies

<http://netfficient-project.eu/>

- Technical solutions to enable the integration of storage technologies: **batteries** including **second life batteries** from EVs, fuel cells, etc.



SMart ISland Energy systems

<http://www.h2020smile.eu/>

- Storage technologies available on islands: **batteries** (inc. from **EVs and boats**), **Power to Heat...**



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