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New generation of thermal energy storages.

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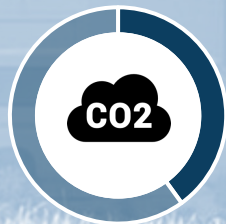
Building stock today:



45% of total energy demand

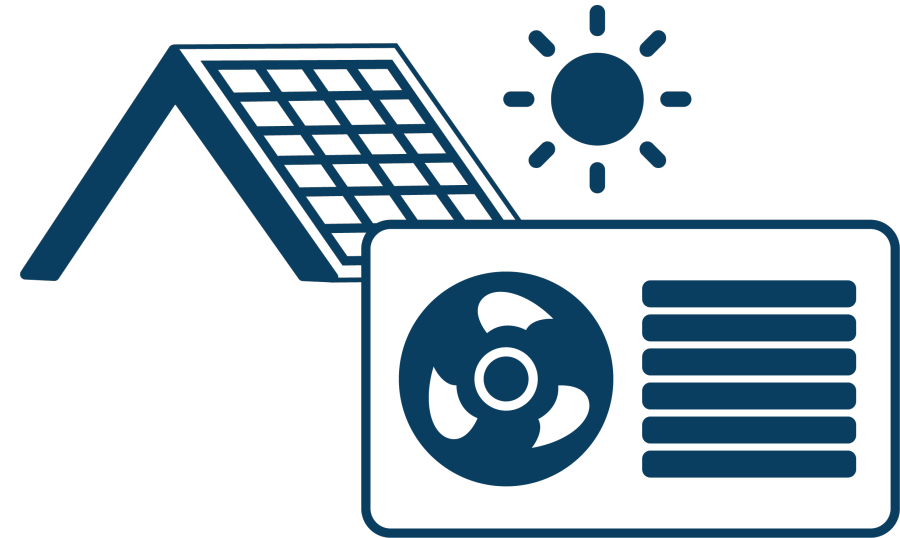


70% driven by fossil fuels



40 % of total CO₂ emissions

Decarbonisation of heating starts now:

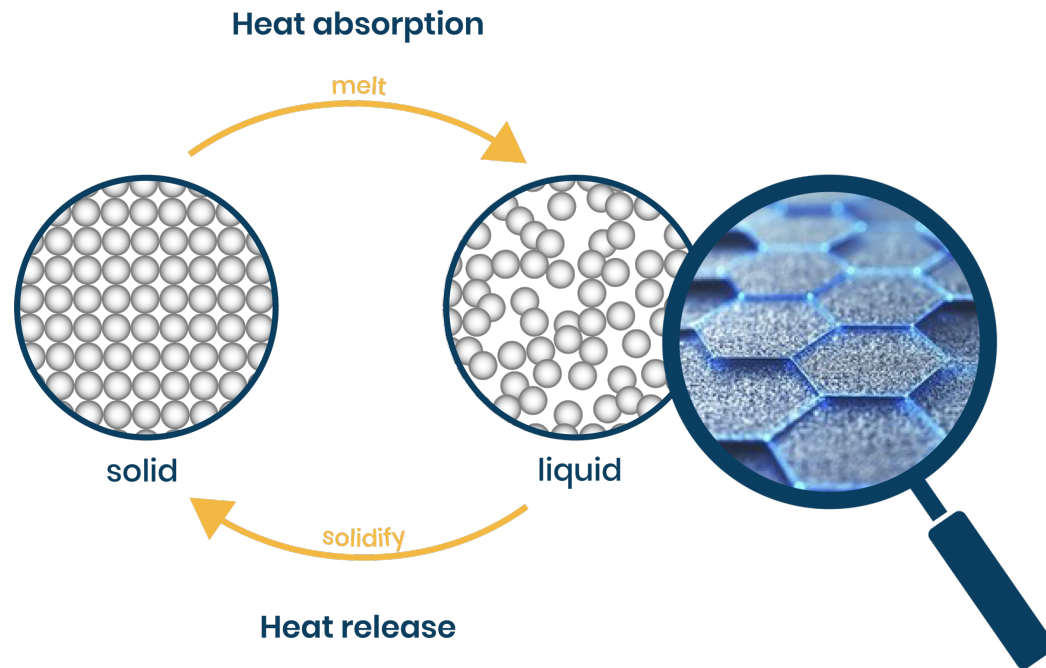


Heat pumps and **PV** are becoming the standard in buildings.

600 million heat pumps expected to be installed until 2030.

Thermal **energy storage** is key for these systems!

Core Technology:
High energy density thermal storage materials



3-4 x higher storage capacity.



Material based on salt hydrates:



Non-toxic food additives



Cost effective



Recyclable, Lithium and Cobalt-free



PCM 35



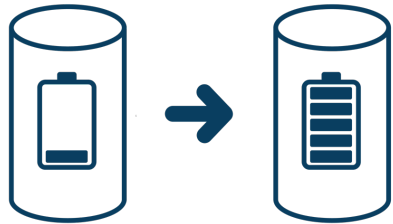
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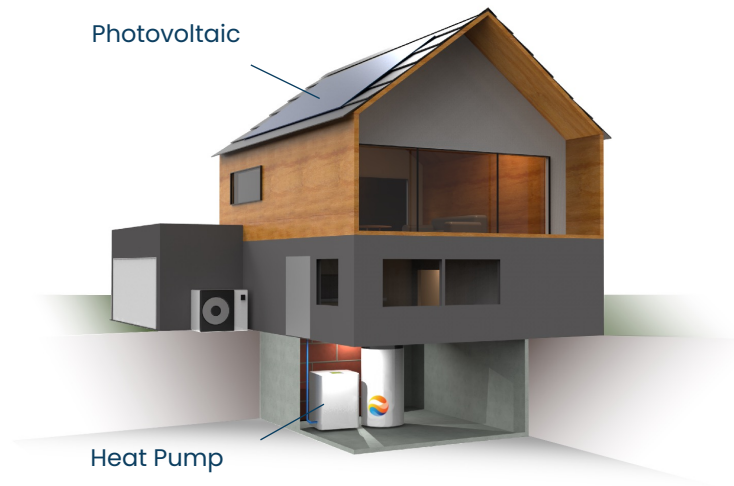
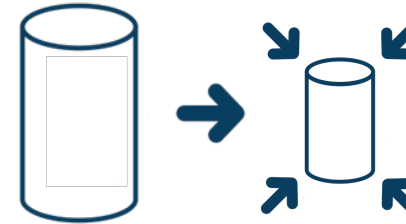
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Applications & Business Cases for latent storages in the building

Increase Storage Capacity



Reduction of the Storage Volume

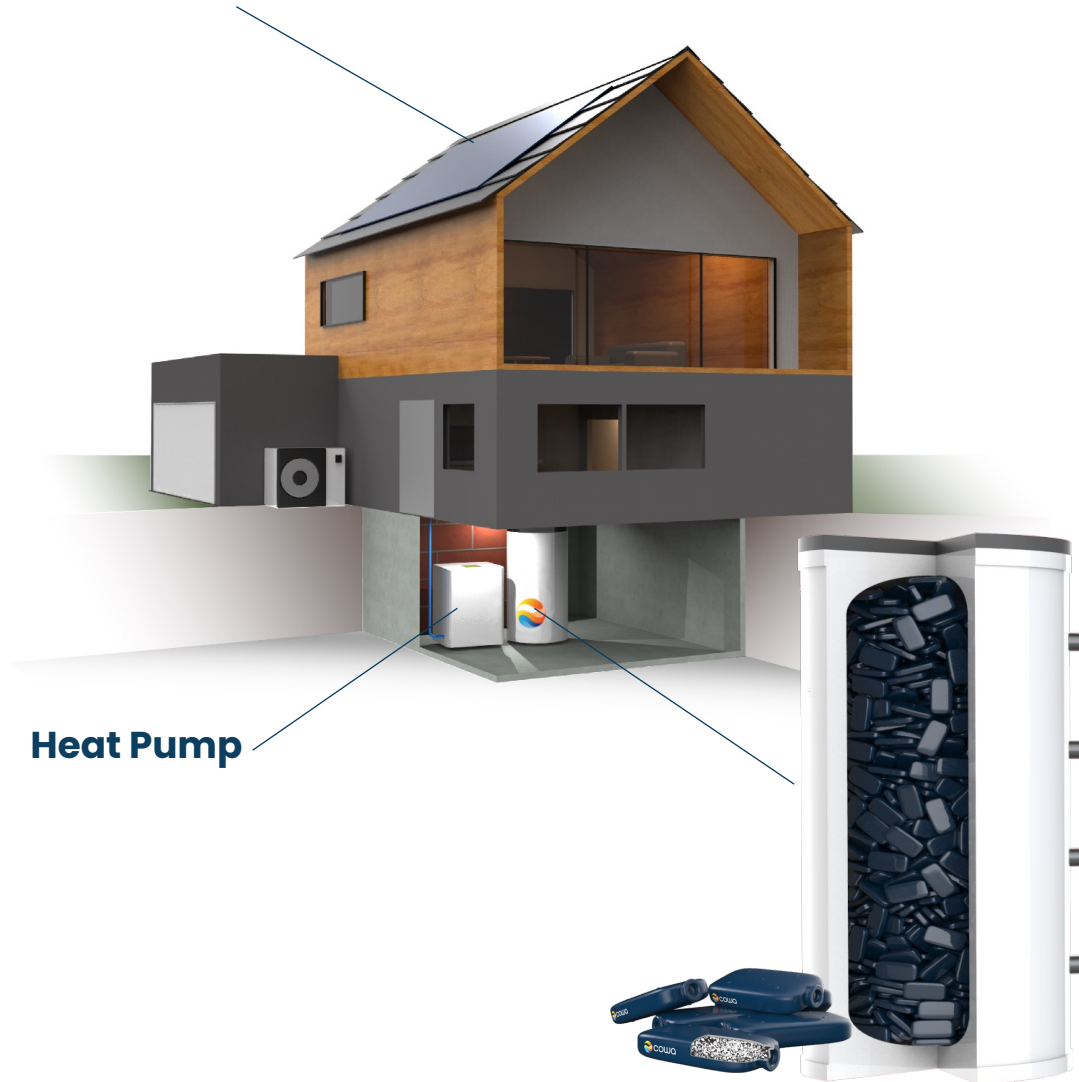


PV Self Consumption



Replacement of decentralized Gas Heaters.

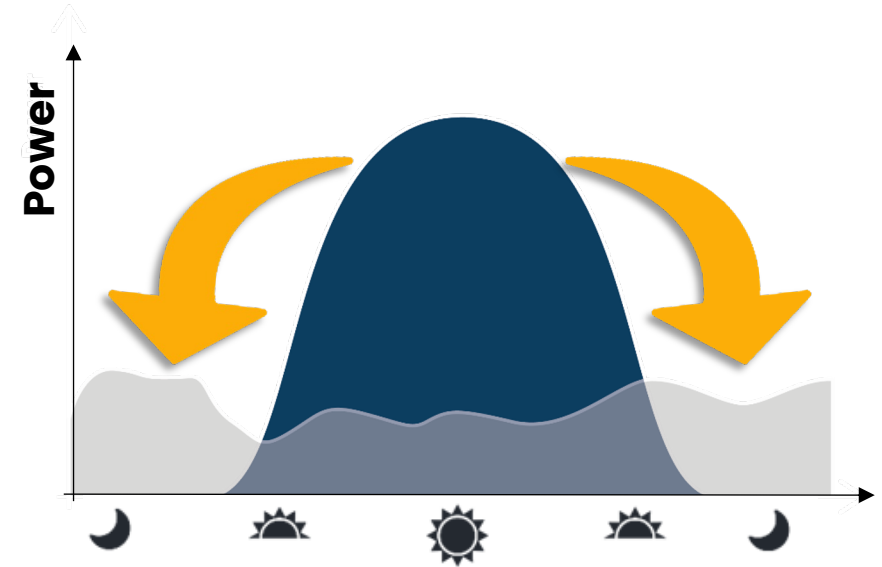
Photovoltaic



Heat Pump

PV Production

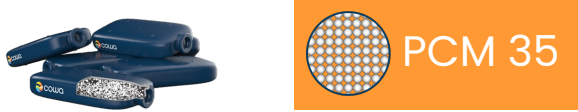
Heating demand



Day/Night Storage: Store Excess PV power in thermal storage through the heat pump.

Pilot: 800 Liter with Macro Capsules

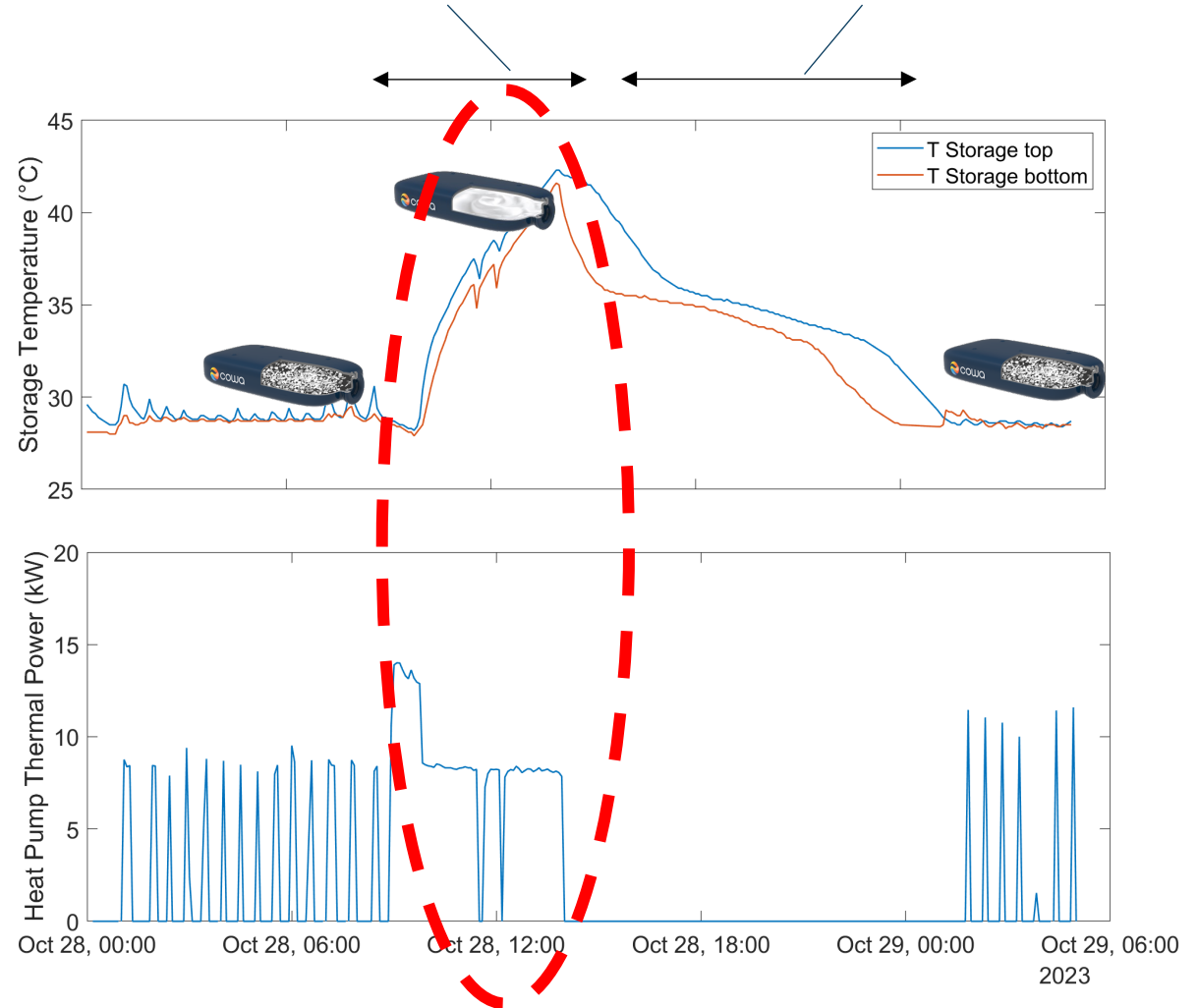
Example PCM 35: 800 Liter Storage, ca. 45 kWh



- Location: Zürich
- PV-Power: 13 kWp
- Heat pump: BS2 (20 kW)
- Floor heating $\approx 28\text{--}32^\circ\text{C}$ required

“Forced” Charging of the buffer storage (Melting) with PV surplus

Discharging (Solidification) of the storage without HP running





Enabling the energy transition
through compact thermal
energy storage.

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