

E2ficcinency

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- BESS Introduction
- General structure
- Operational costs
- Core components

“Autonomous power systems in the Siberian region”

Competence E

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KIT – Facts and Figures*

Campus North



Campus South

- 9.153 Employees
- 735 Mio € Budget**
- 157 Institutes
- 370 Professors
- 22.500 Students

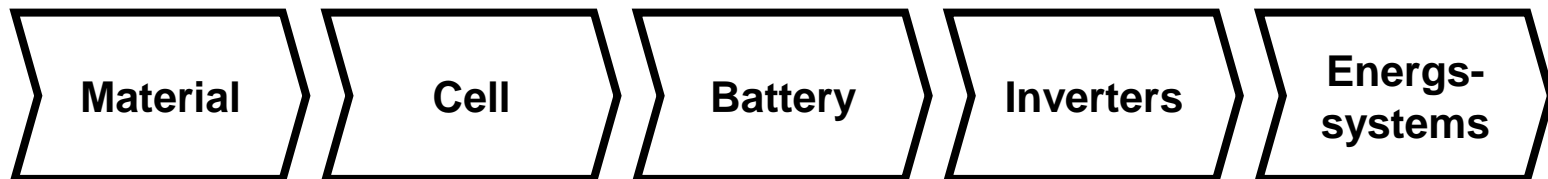
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Competence E

- Bundling of all electrical energy storage activities
➔ mobile and stationary applications

- **Goal:** industrial cost efficient solutions for batteries and drive systems



- **Research:**
 - High energy materials and compact cell designs
 - Modulare battery designs
 - optimized production processes

BESS[®] at KIT March 2013

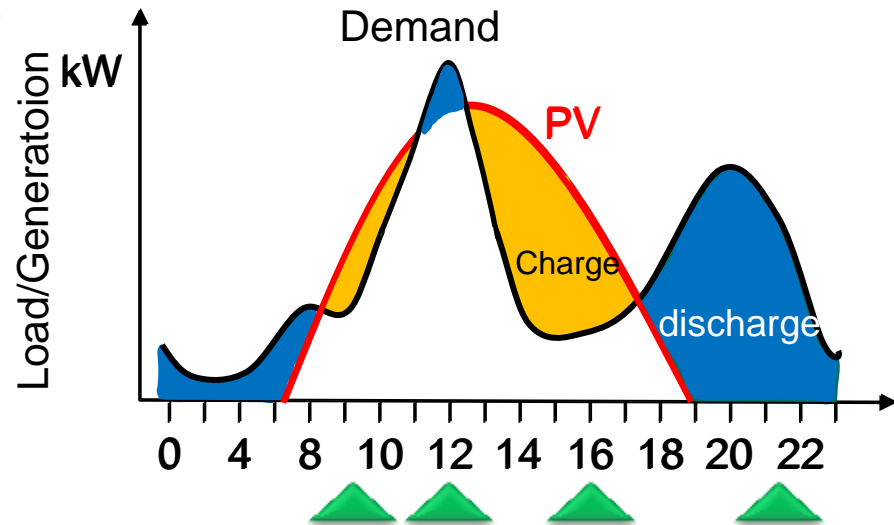
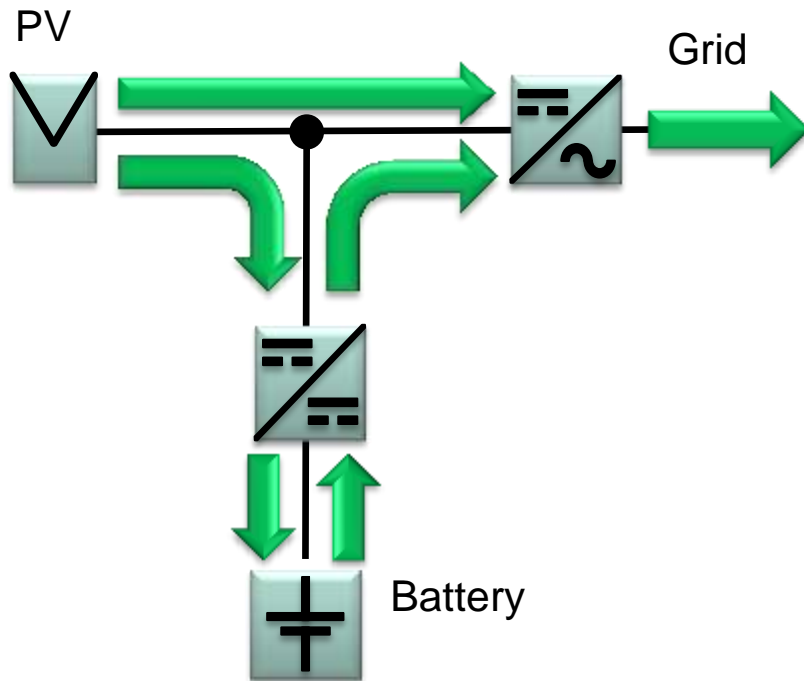
Jointly developed by:  **AccuSol GmbH** **SIEMENS**



Power-Module 250 kW
Battery-Module up to 300 kWh

PV 36 kWp installed
PV 1 MWp in installation

Basic Concept of PV and Battery



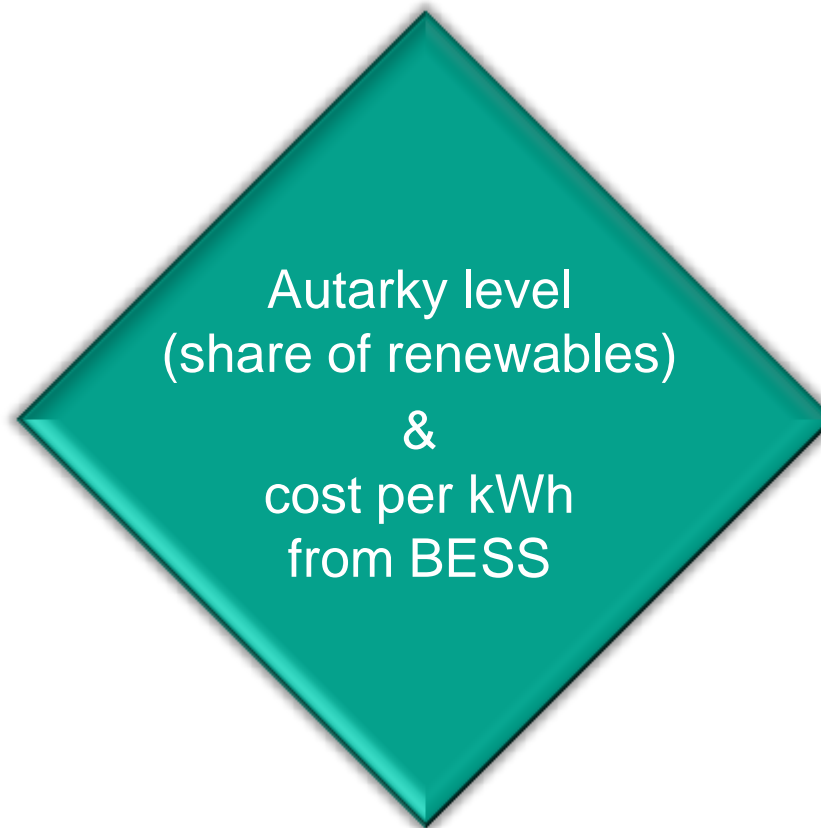
Profitability is determined by:

- System design (AC and/or DC coupling)
- System design (power electronics + battery in relation to PV and load)
- System design (control software, reliability, efficiency, maintenance, availability)
- Life time of battery and power electronics

System Dependencies at given loads

Wind and/or PVsize

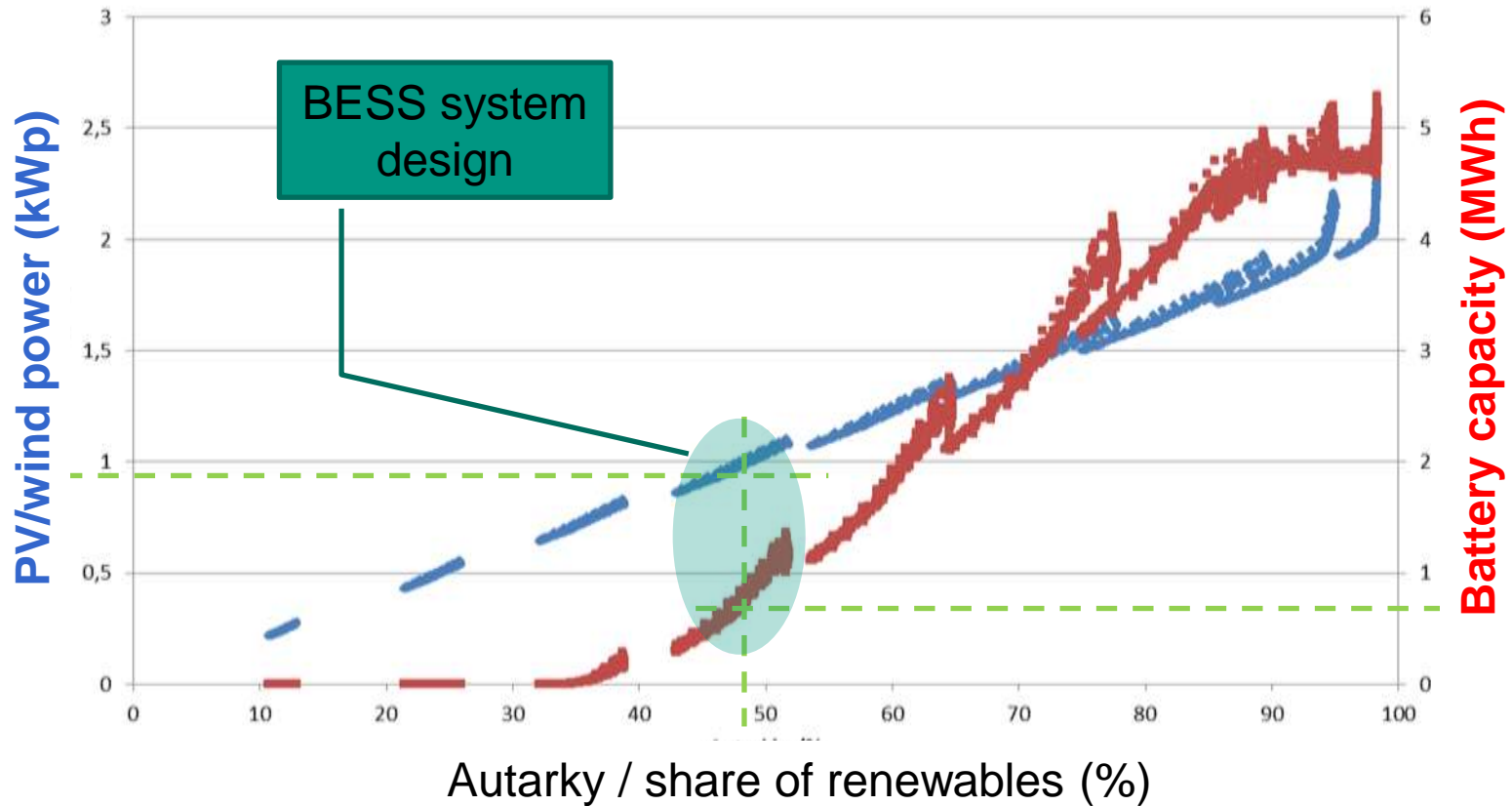
Diesel
generator
usage



Battery size

Rectifier power

Design & Simulation with provided load and PV data



Electricity Costs for PV+Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS[®])

Total Cost of Ownership (TCO)

$$\text{Costs} = \frac{\text{electricity production costs}}{\text{system efficiency}}$$

production cost



Power Electronics



$$+ \frac{\text{invest + maintenance costs + interest rate}}{\text{full cycle equivalent until end of life}}$$

storage cost



Battery

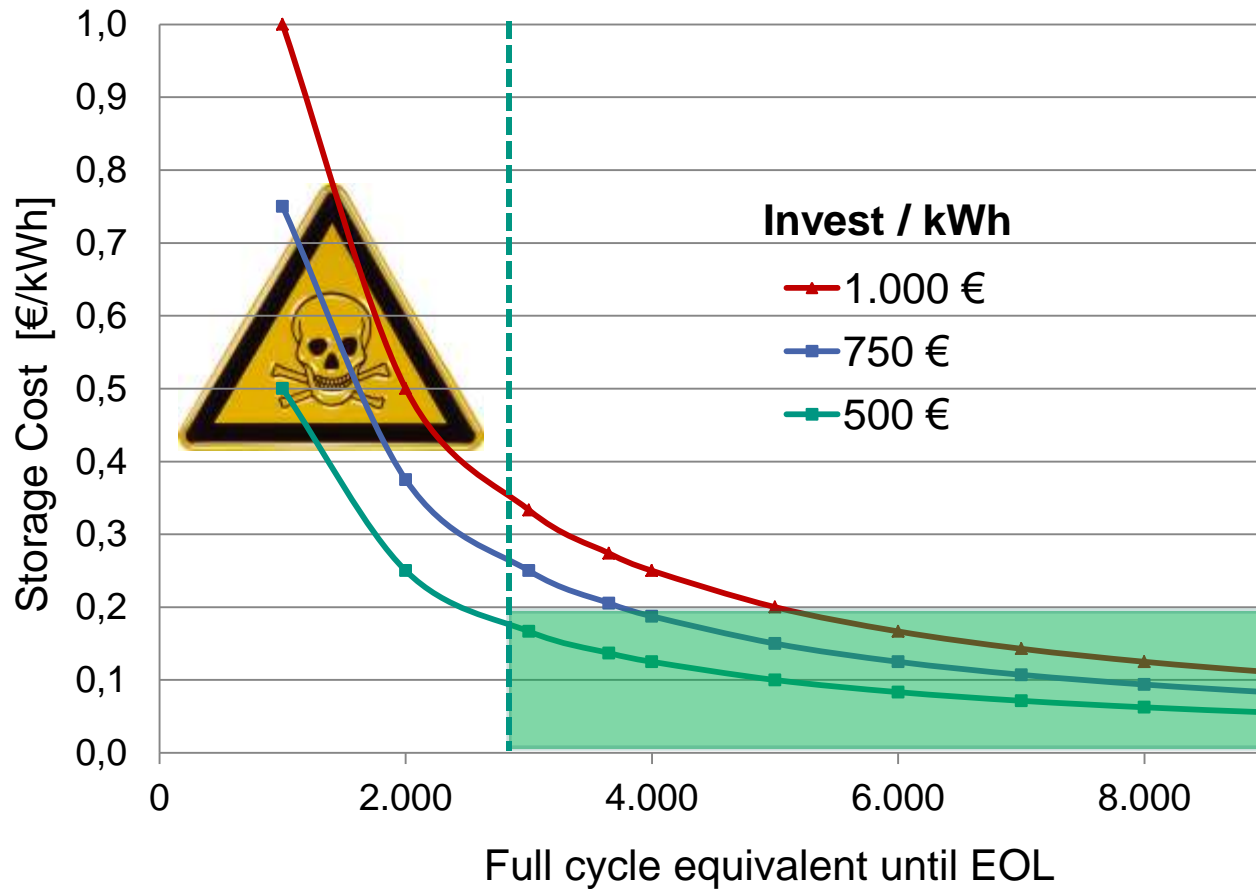
Typical results for well dimensioned renewable/battery-combinations depending on size and profiles:

0.24 – 0.45€/kWh

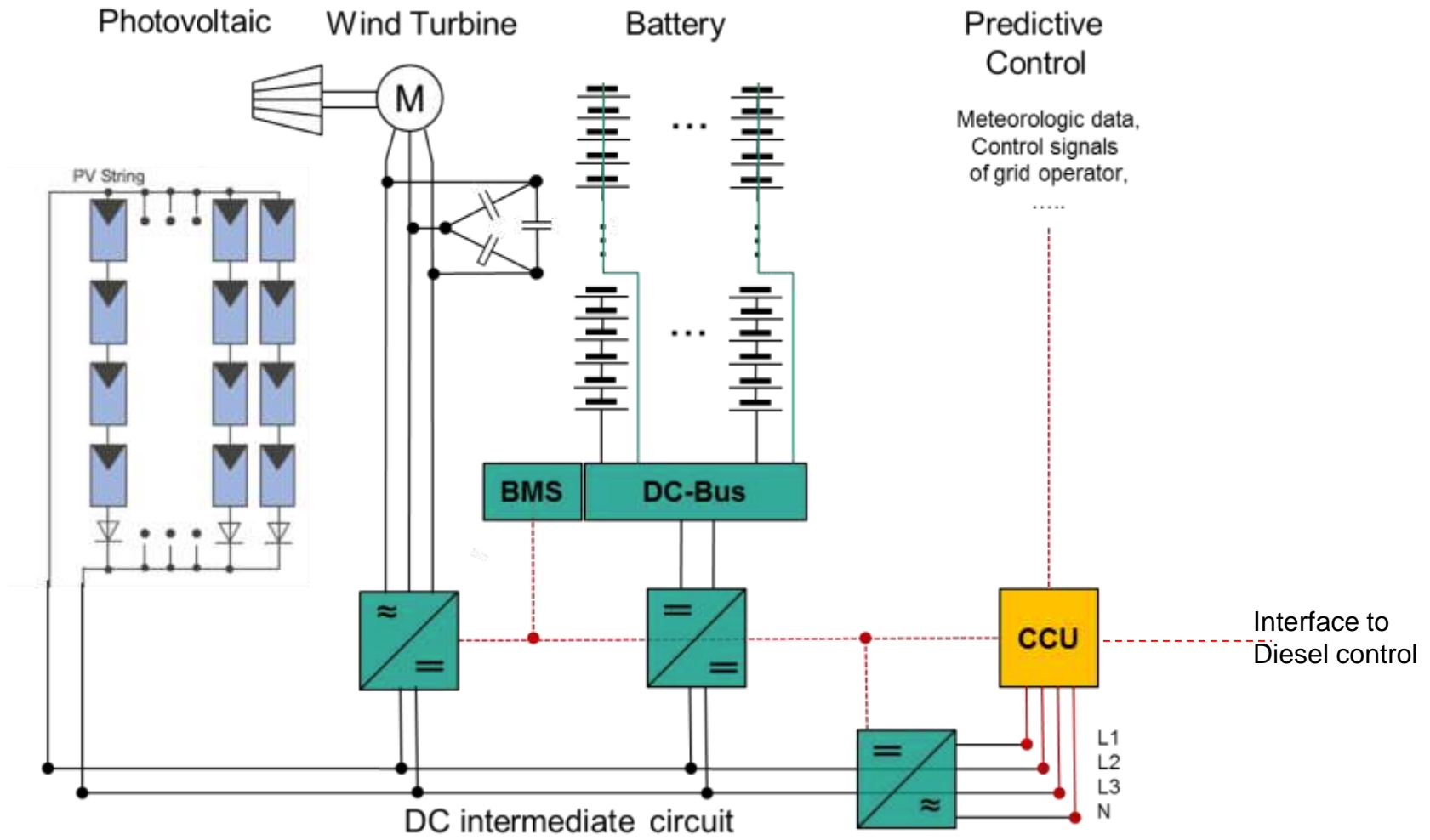
=> in most cases much cheaper than Diesel generator power

Total Cost of Ownership for Energy Storage

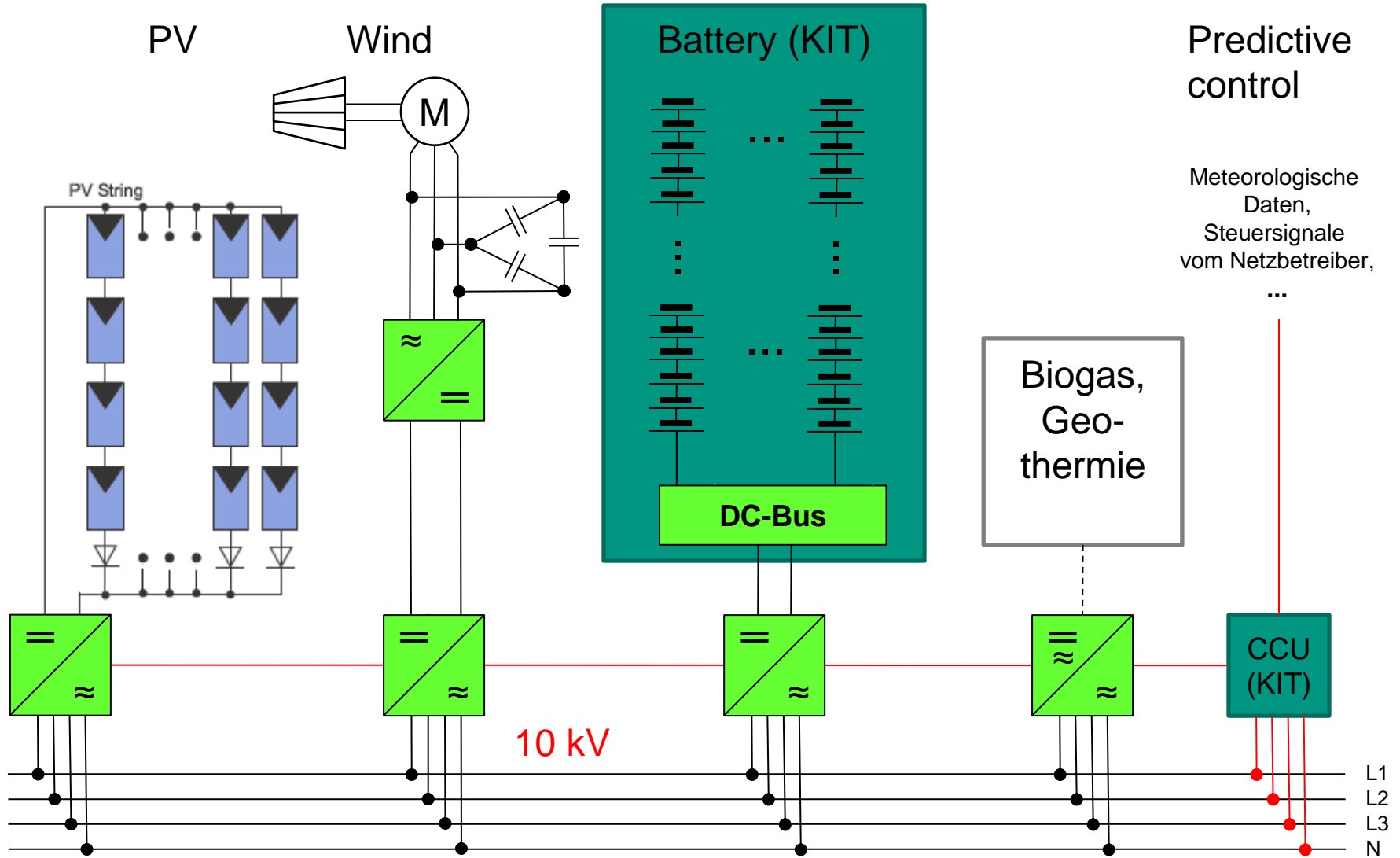
(w/o: PV, interest, maintenance)



System design - DC linked system



System design - AC linked system



AC or DC coupling

Depending on:

- Distance between components
- Grid building or synchronizing to existing grid
- Available components

DC coupling:

- Central DC/AC converter for grid building and grid-services
- Less single DC/AC converters which need to “talk”
- Mainly better efficiency
- Central control at one spot = less data lines

AC coupling:

- More redundant
- Decentral solution
- Communication via frequency
- More components available

Fully modular Ceramic Li-Ion Technology, 100% made in Germany



Battery modules



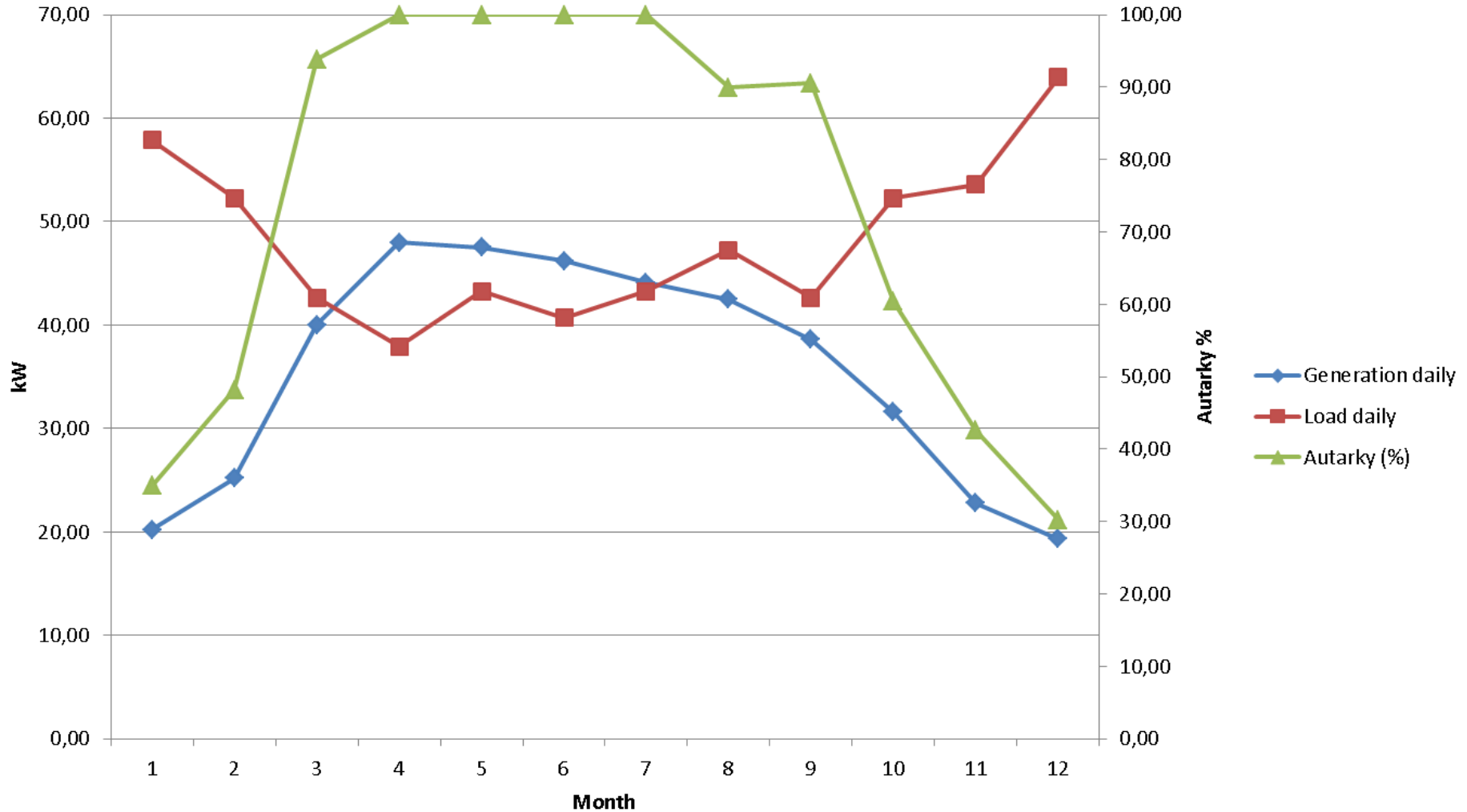
- Automotive proofed in rough environments
- Optimized for stationary usage
- Latest battery management (BMS) features
- Multiple safety levels
- Completely closed, resistant against dust and humidity
- Easy to install and replace, touch- and short-circuit protection
- Available with different Li-ion cells and always same dimensions and interface

Rough load and generation balance

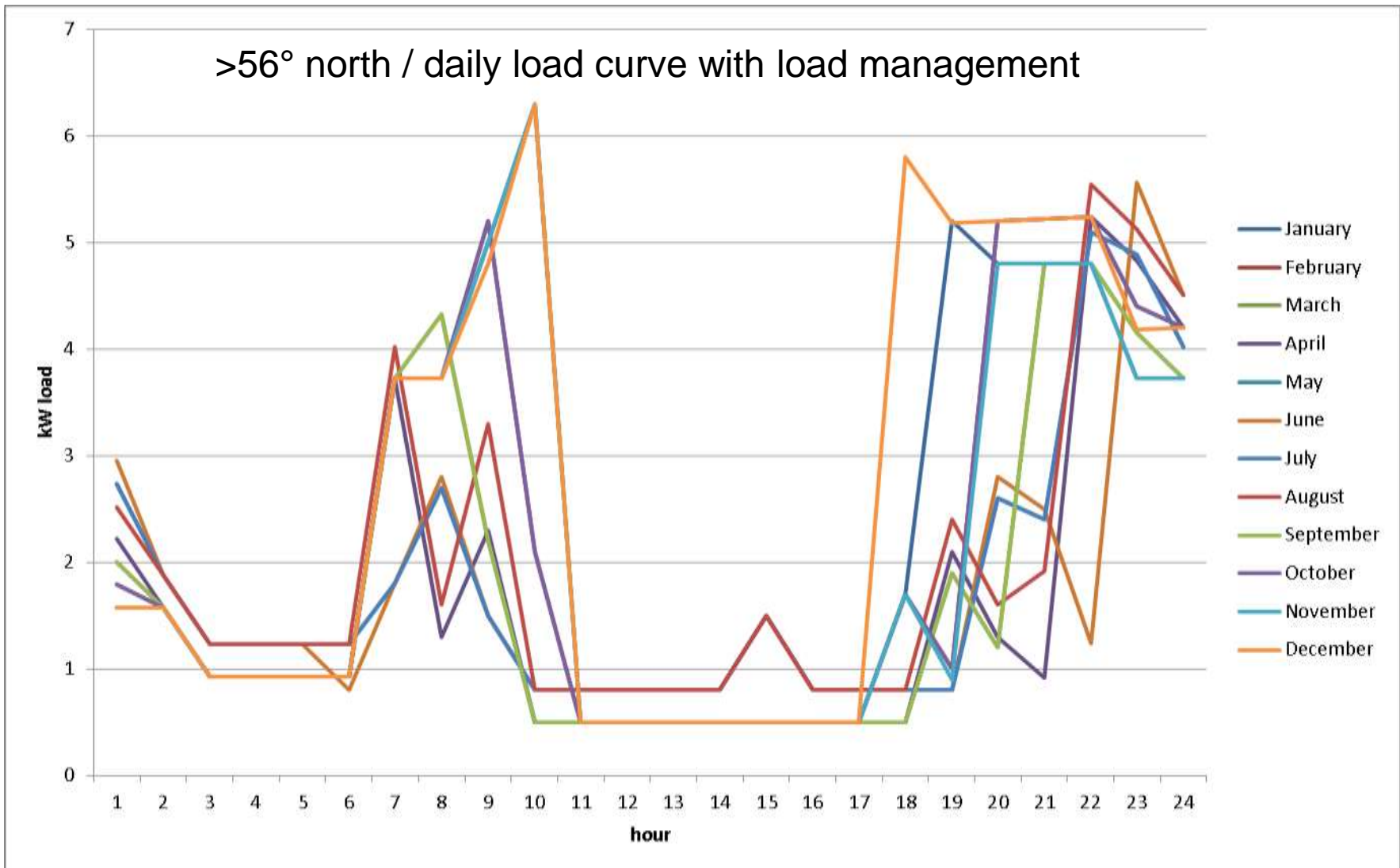


Generation and load

>56° north / PV: 10kWp / 13kW wind / 50kWh / -45...+40°C



Generation and load analysis

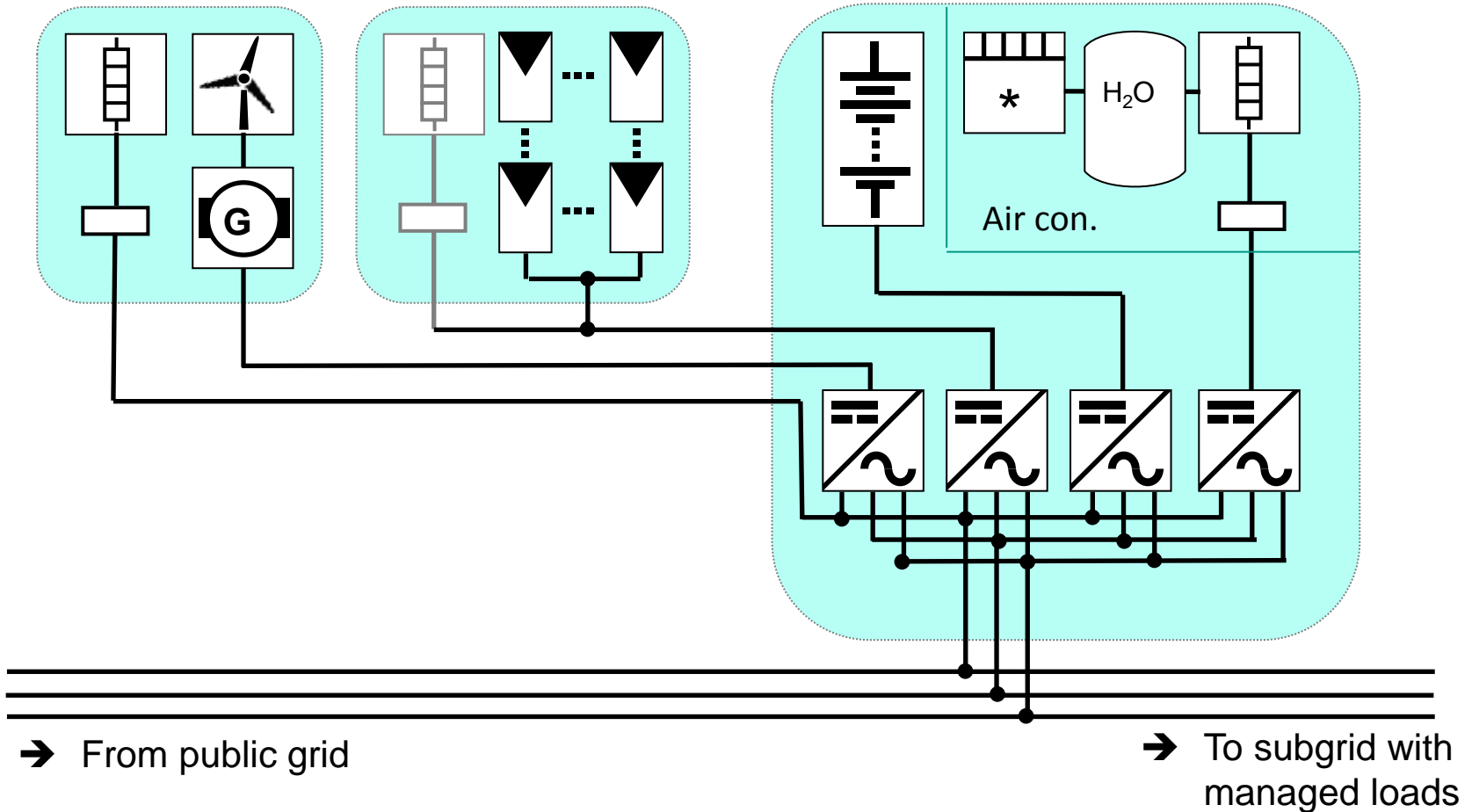


Possible power layout E2fficiency

Small wind turbine

PV array

Thermal isolated ISO container with Battery, converter heat storage und aircondition



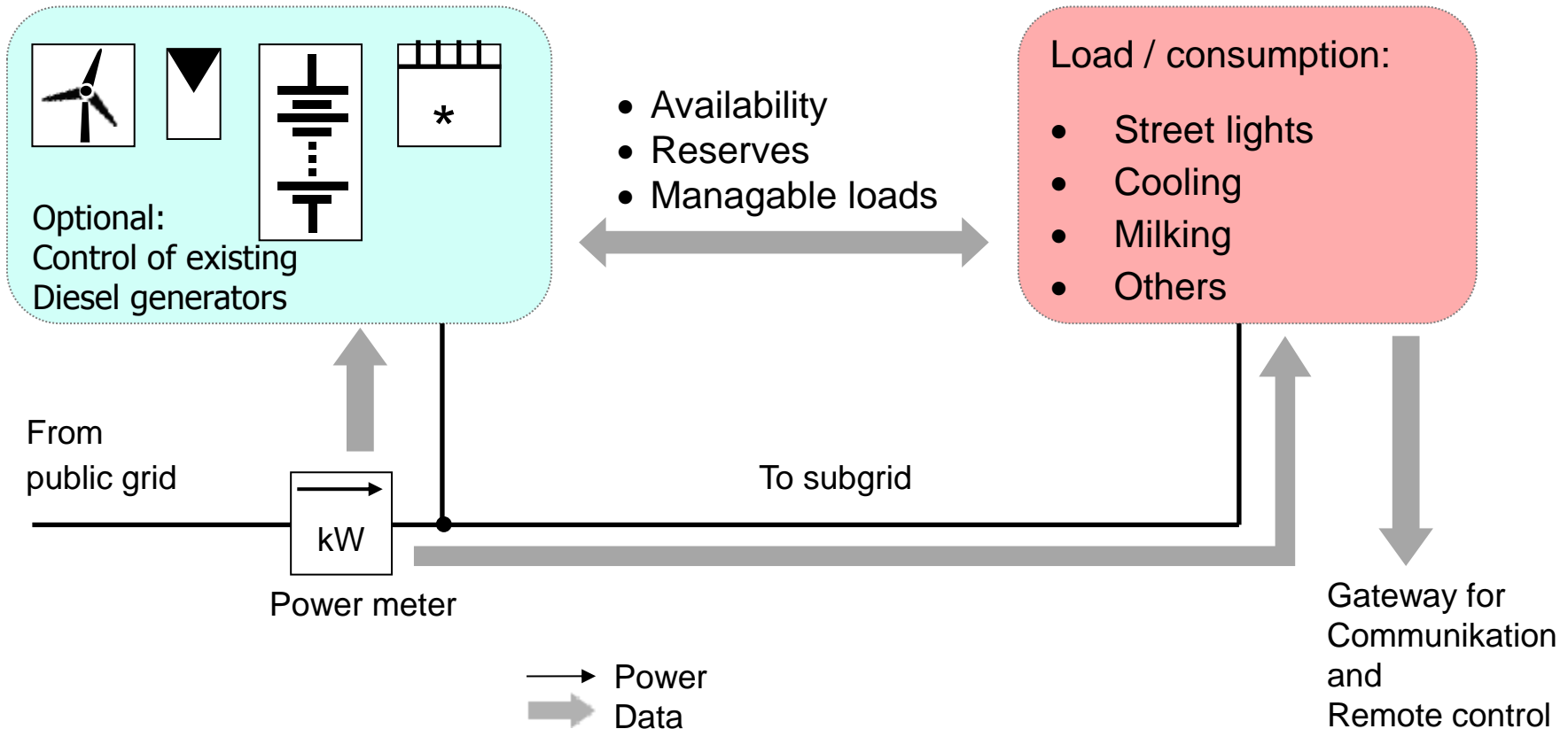
Possible data and control layout E2ficiency

Control „E“ (KIT):

- Power generation
- Storage
- Thermal management

Control „L“(axxee):

- Load management
- Communication
- “Utility” decisions



Open points

- System layout
 - AC or DC coupling
 - Central or decentral solution

- More exact system dimensioning
 - Detailed wind data
 - Temperature curves
 - Agreed load profiles
 - Agreed autarky level (%)
 - Container / storage options (Outdoor, hall, underground,...)

- Others
 - Local norms/standards and utility regulations
 - Possible gateways
 - Maintenance
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Some possible goals

- Modularity and dimensioning process for easy adjustment to other environments with different
 - Load- and generation profiles
 - Temperatures
 - . . .
- Low cycle cost
- Local experts
- Control layers
- Definition of special processes:
 - “Wake up after freezing”
 - Seasonal manual PV panel moving

Container variants



Container variants

Size:

- 10"
- 20"
- 40"
- Special Format

Isolation:

- Rockwool
- Glaswool
- Foam
- PCM

Climate:

- Fan and/or Aircon
- Heat/Cold storage
- Solar thermal
- Sunroof

Mechanics:

- Standard base
- Full double base w/wo cables
- Partial double base for high punctual load
- Standard high
- Special high
- Build in walls / 1-3 doors
- EMV / Lightning

Content:

- Storage and or PCS
- Transformer out/inside

Assembly grade:

- Raw, Basic or complete:
- Raw –from the scratch
- Basic incl. walls, locks,...
- Complete incl. cabling

