



IEA Task 9 : Deployment of PV Services for Regional Development
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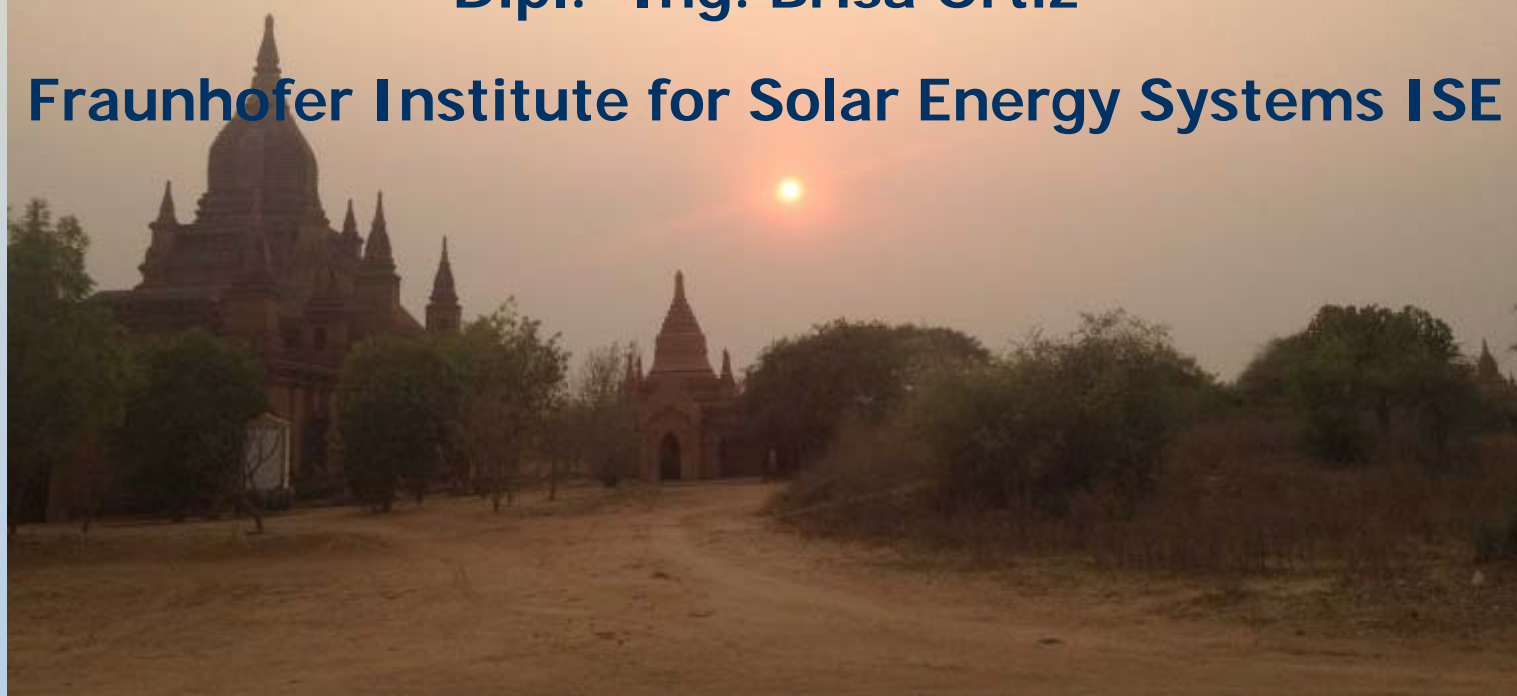
Hybrid PV Mini-Grids for Rural Electrification

State of the art and lessons learned

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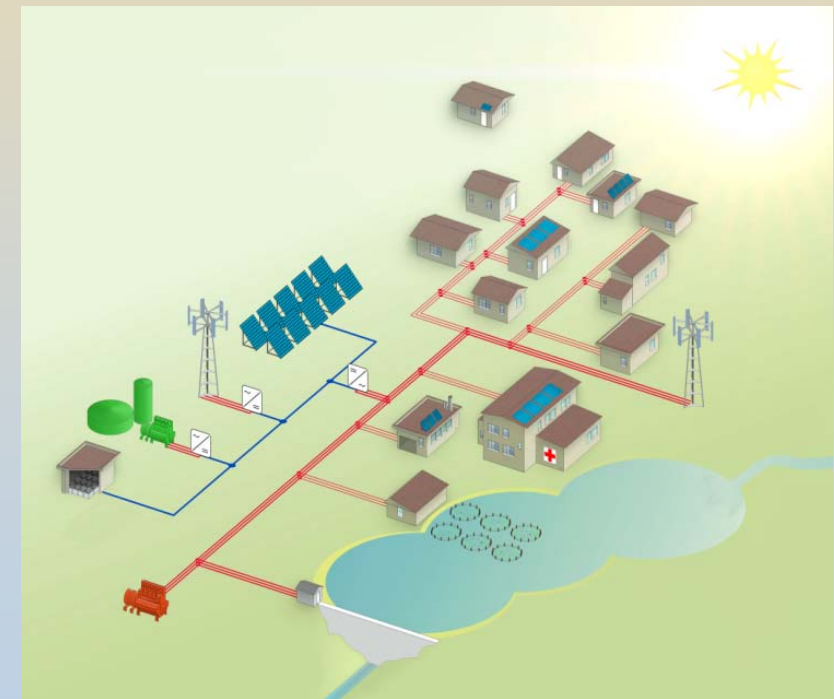




Outline

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2. Designing PV Hybrid systems
3. Lessons learned: operating 100% photovoltaic PV Mini-Grids in Mexico
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Rural electrification with renewable energies

Off-Grid Systems



Small PV systems

Hydroelectric power stations

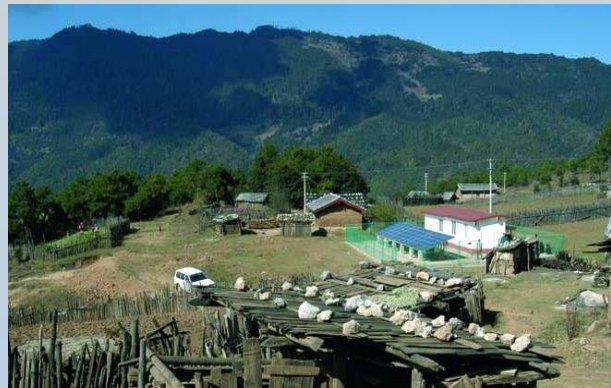
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1. Generación fotovoltaica conectada a la red
 2. Redes a base de motores diesel con integración fotovoltaica
 3. Sistemas domiciliarios (Solar Home Systems)
 4. Redes autónomas híbridas basadas en la tecnología fotovoltaica
- **Granjas solares** ...

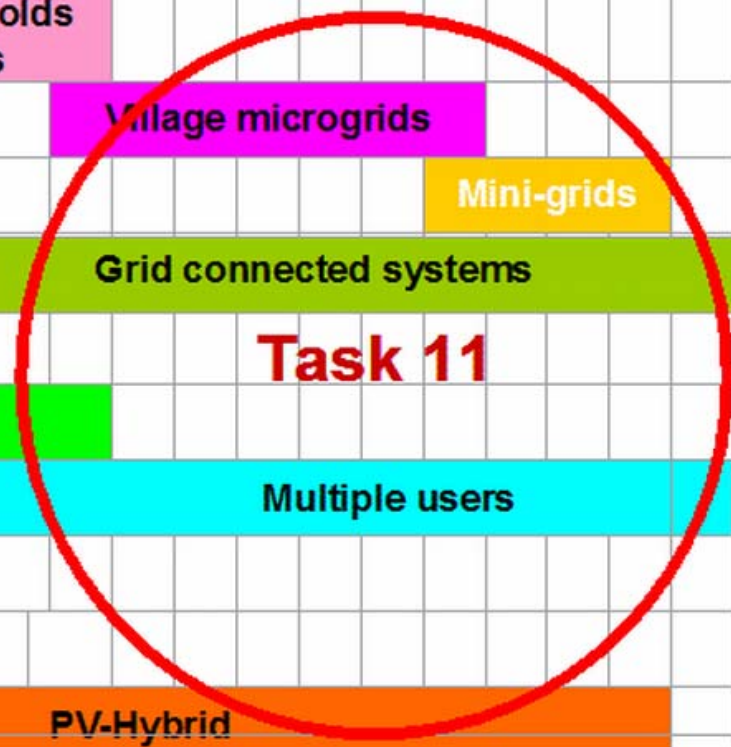
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Classifying IEA PVPS Task 11 - PV Hybrids and Mini Grids

Range of power	0,1 kW	1 kW	10 kW	100 kW	++ MW
Type of systems	Solar home systems DC loads				
(examples)		Isolated households DC/AC loads			
			Village microgrids		
				Mini-grids	
		Grid connected systems			
Type of users	Single users			Multiple users	
Type of technology	PV		PV-Hybrid		



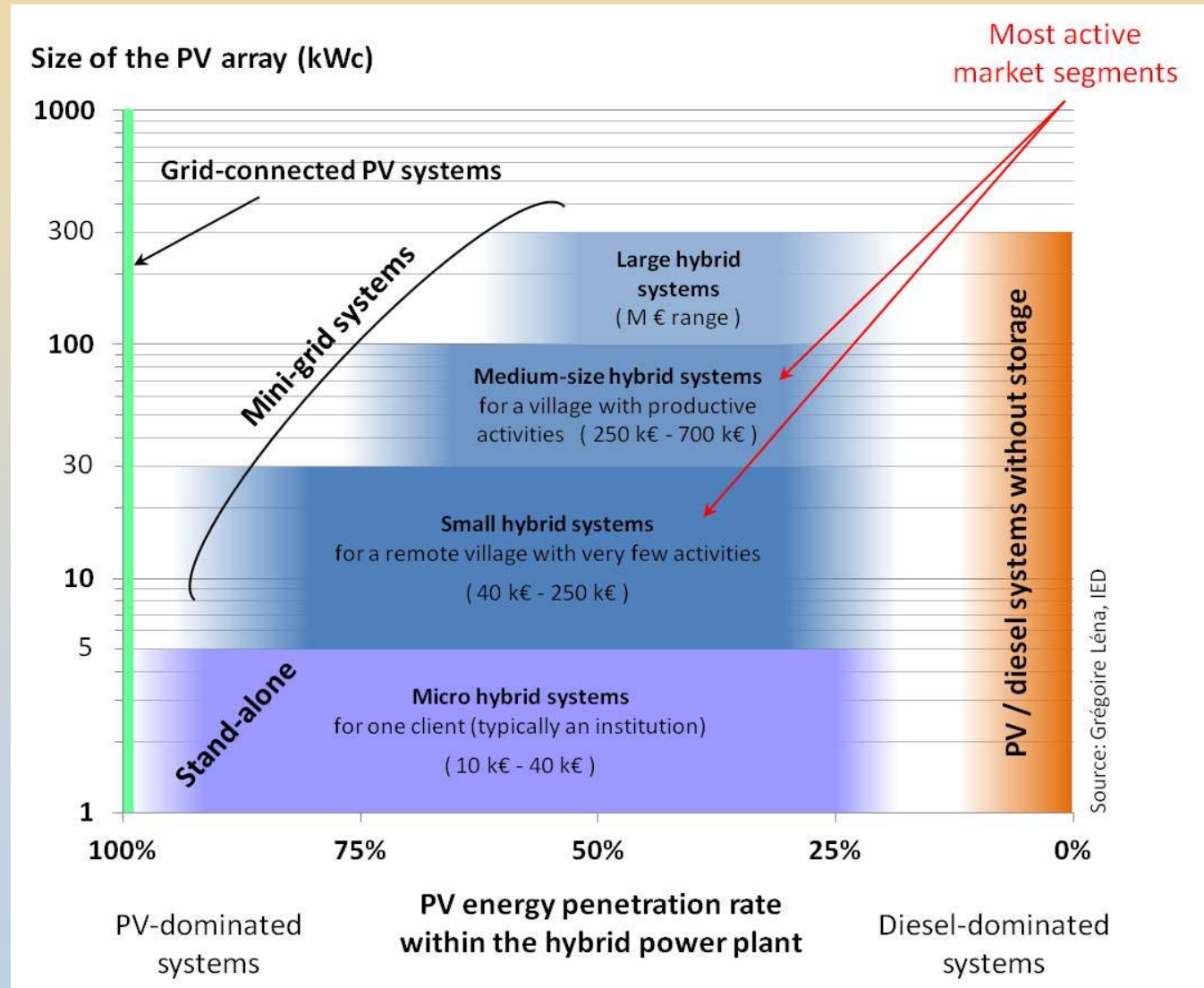
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PV Hybrids and Mini Grids

between grid connected and isolated stand-alone systems



* Solar energy penetration rate: PV kWh / total kWh



PV Systems and Mini-Grids: The inverter as the hearth of the system

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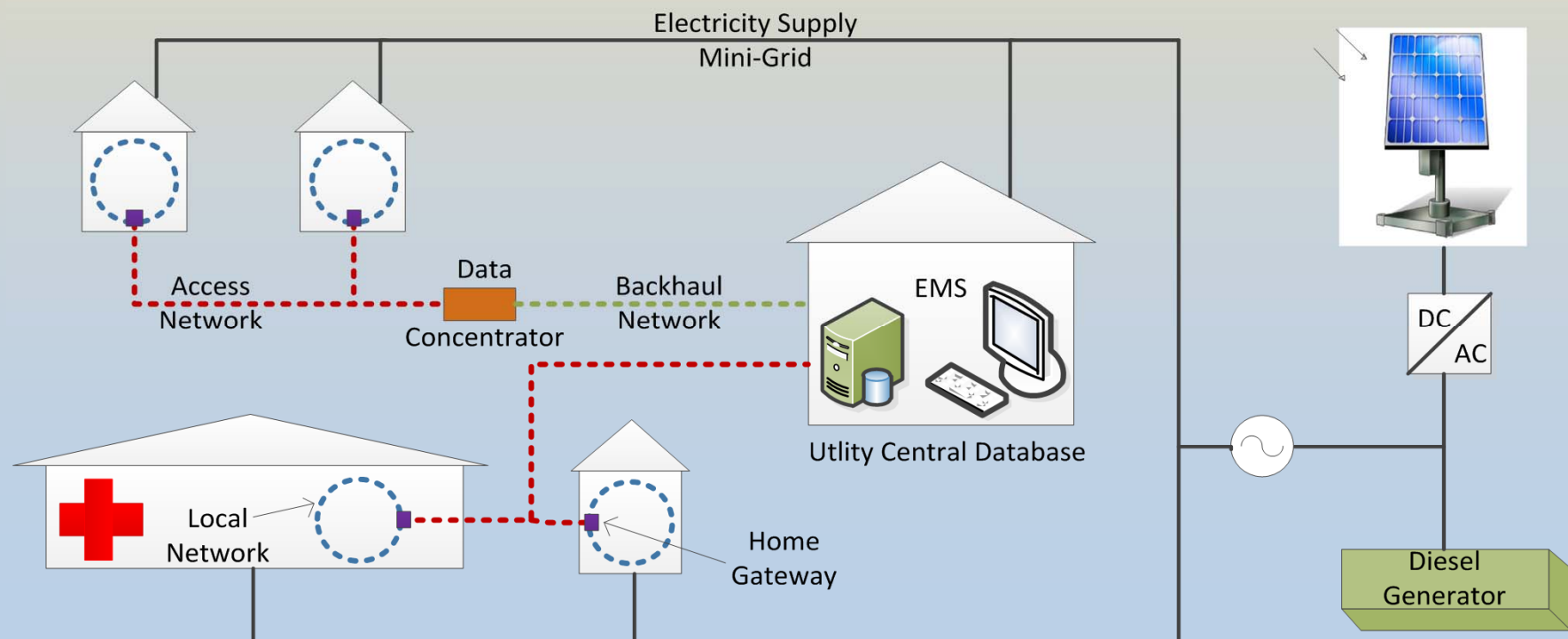


Small Single Systems				
		0.1	0.5	kW
		0.6	2	kW
		2.1	5	kW
Hybrid – Mini-Grid Systems				
		2	5	kW
		6	30	kW
		31	70	kW
		71	300	kW

Next generation of PV Hybrid Mini-grids

New components the need of intelligence

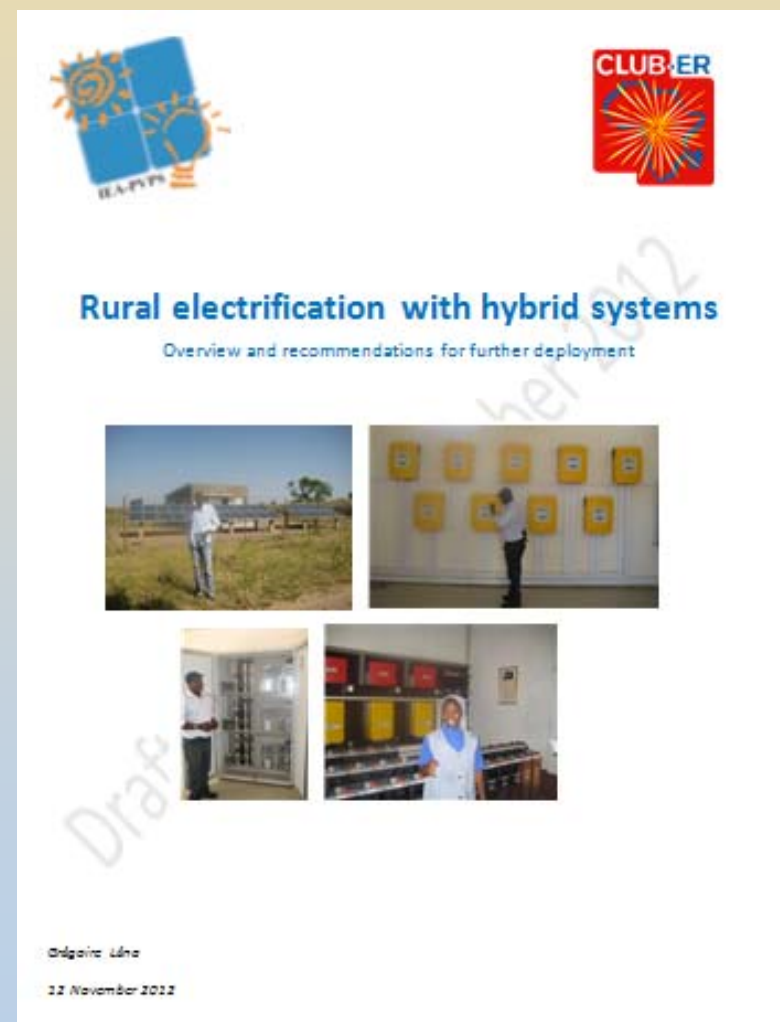
- Creation and Implementation of new local operating models includes:
 - Economic models
 - Involvement of third party energy services providers
 - Control and operation and management for in-situ and remote solutions





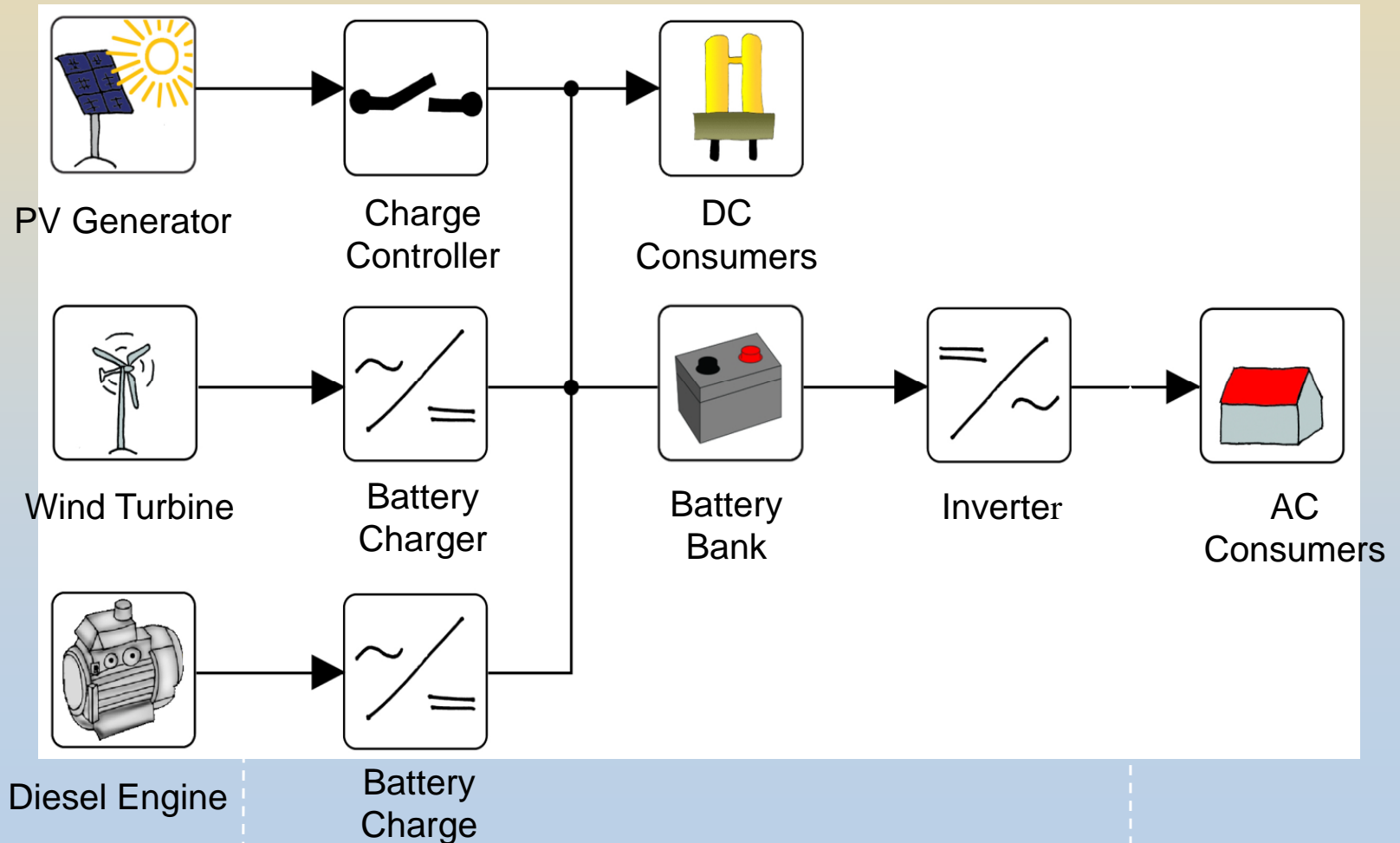
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3. Sub-Task4: Hybrid PV Mini-Grids for Rural Electrification (phase 2)
 3. Main activities/Content
 - Coordination with IED, approaching “all in” PV Hybrids
 - Contribution to the Training Workshops
 - Collection of information
 - Members and non members contribution follow up (options selection)
 - Milestones and activities' outputs
 - Resources & Activities 1, 2, 3
 - Next meetings
 4. Deliverables
 - A **paper report**: Review on **Simulation tools** for designing PV Hybrid Systems
 - **Handbook**: Designing PV Hybrid Systems and Mini Grids





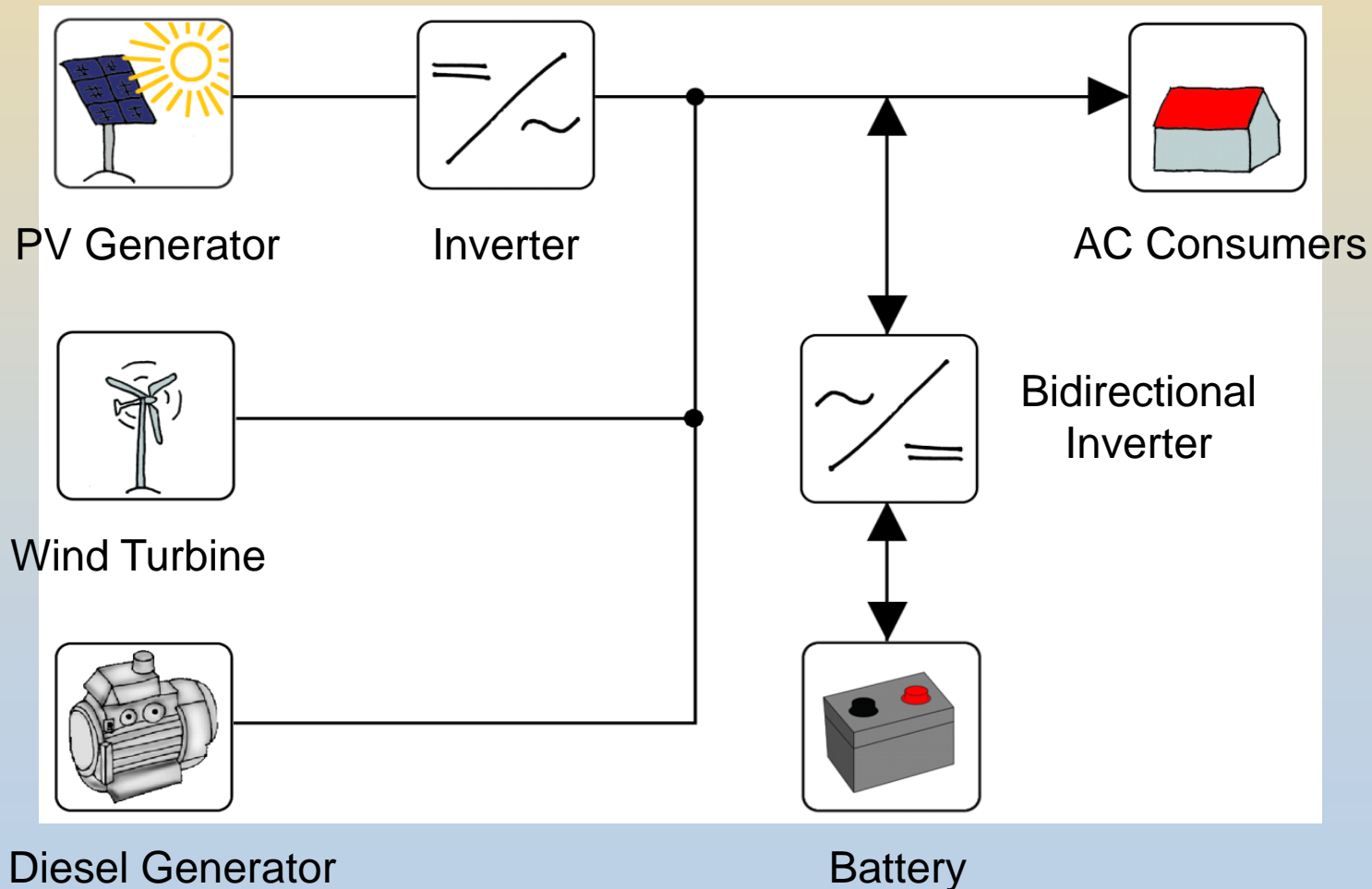
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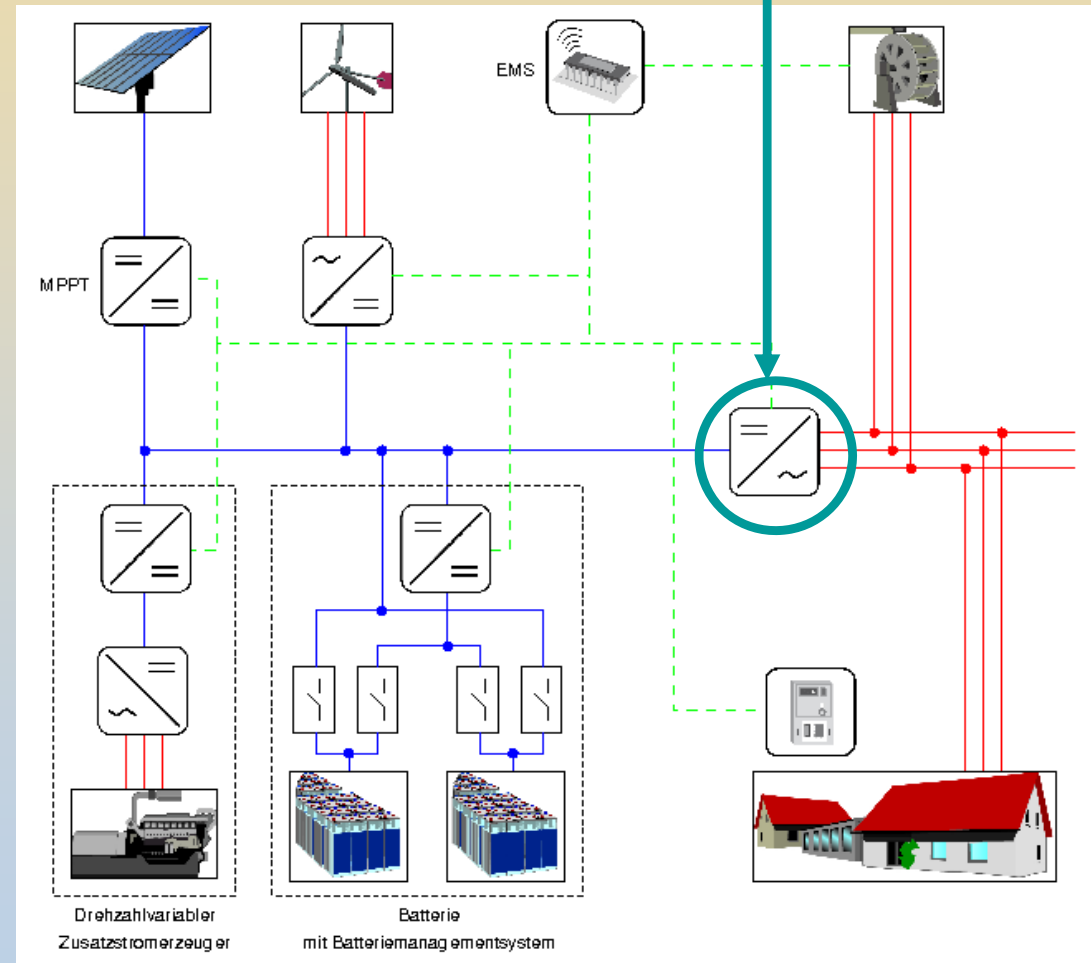
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- Hybrid battery system (lead acid and lithium) with integrated battery management system
- Development of an Energy management system
- Standardized communication infrastructure

125 kVA – 500 kVA



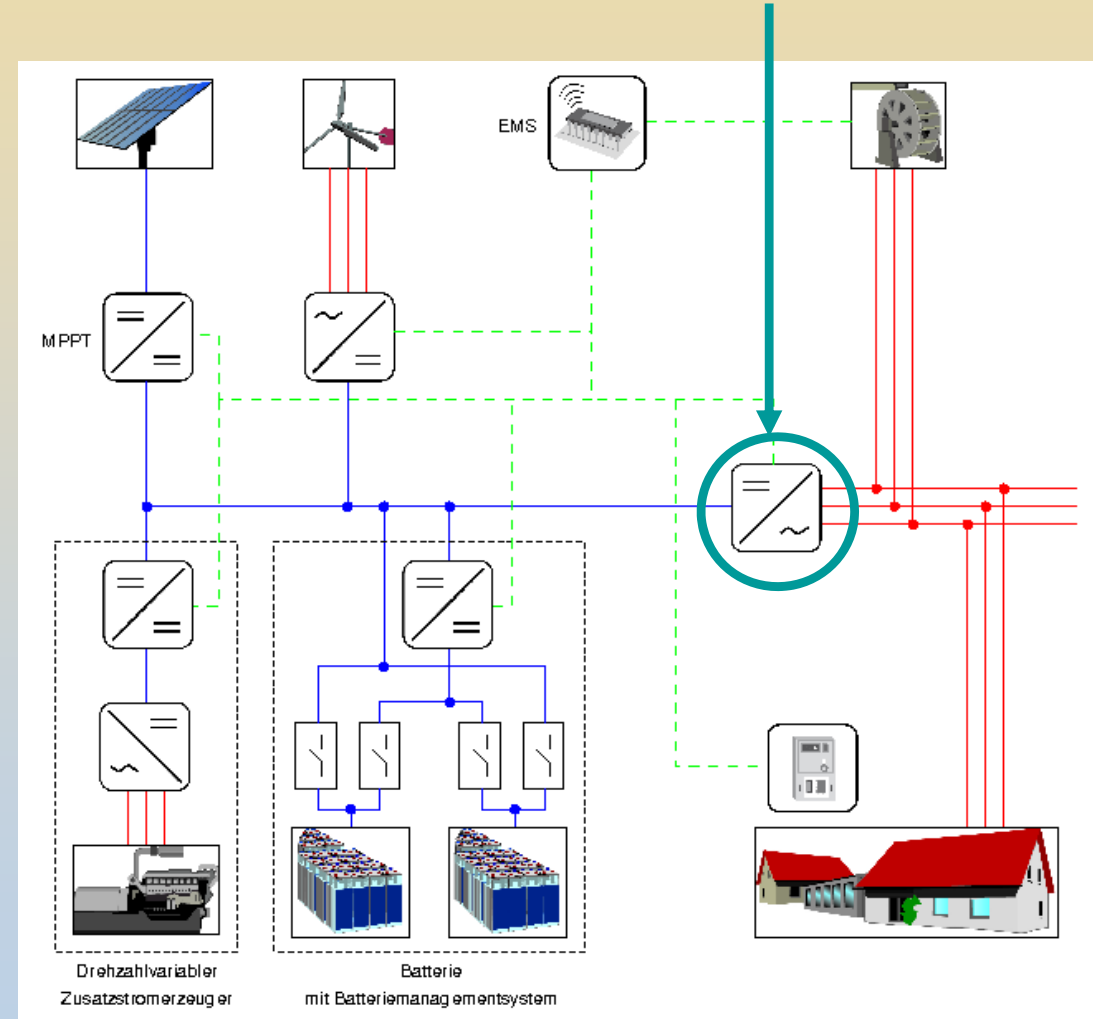


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Main information about the site

- > „Off-Grid Questionnaire“
- > Essential information about local conditions
- > Mandatory for system design
- > Rough system design (These steps are only a first estimate and no final system design)

General Data

Project: New plant

Location: Replacement

Delivery address: Distribution by EMS required

Postal: Delivery date:

Site and Client Data

Country:

Site:

Environmental factors

Sea level: Altitude:

Wind speed range: m/s

Relative humidity: % normal % normal

Notes:

Electric Data

Grid: Voltage: V Green grid Other

Frequency: Hz 50 60 Other

Battery: Voltage: V 12V 24V Other

Capacity: Ah New battery bank

Grid feeding system: Generator PV Wind CHP Other

Type of connection (if relevant): AC-coupled DC-coupled

Communication: Remote access via Analogue GSM

Loads / Consumption

	Daily	Summer	Winter	Yearly
Energy	kWh/d	kWh	kWh	kWh
Maximum load	kW	kW	kW	kW
Minimum load	kW	kW	kW	kW
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Others: e.g. consumers with high starting currents

Please mention charging, if possible.

Project comments:

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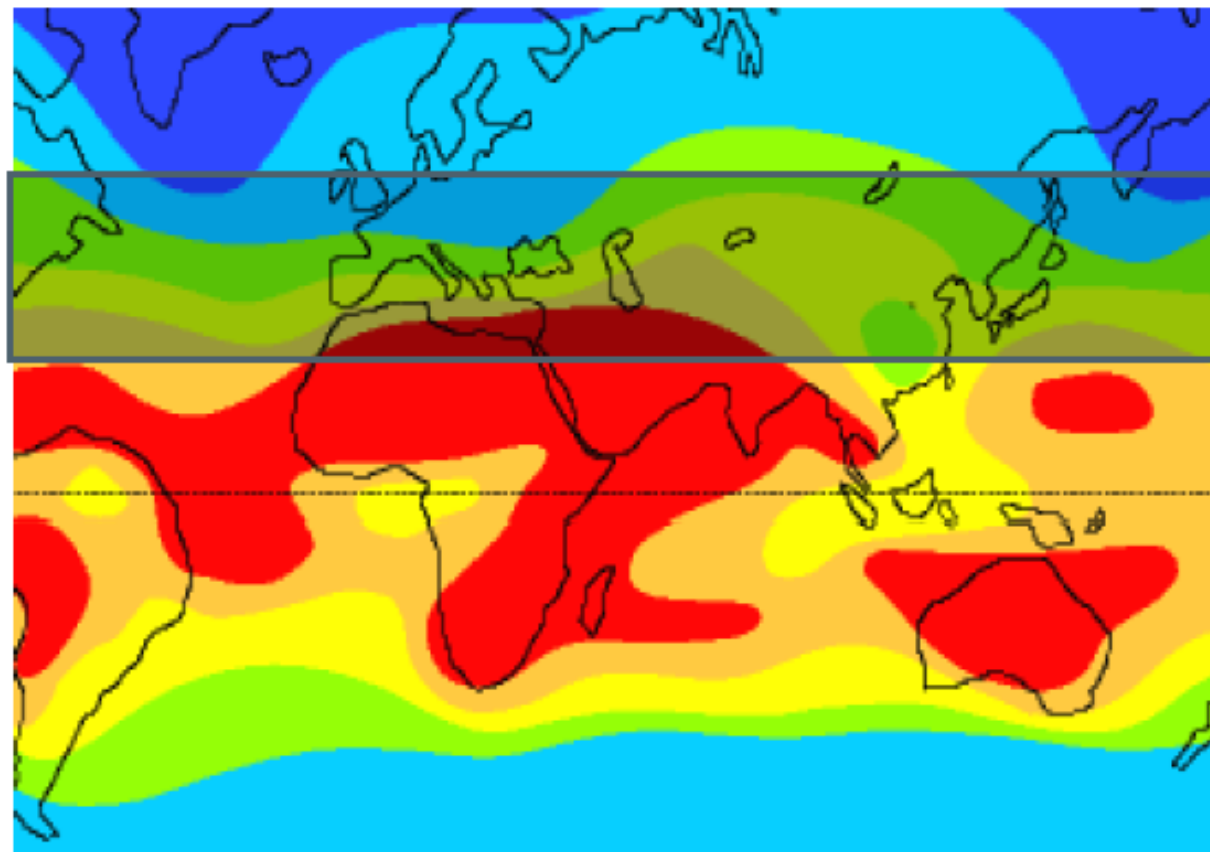


Solar radiation

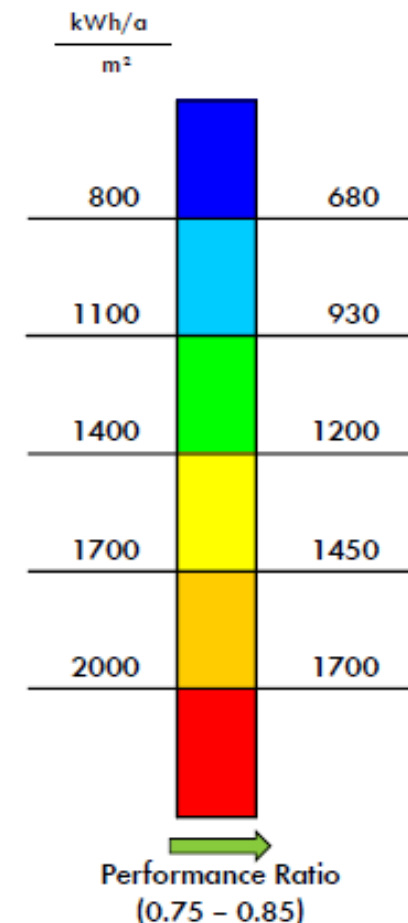
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Solar + battery + genset

Map of Solar irradiation on horizontal surface/ Specific energy yield



Source DGS



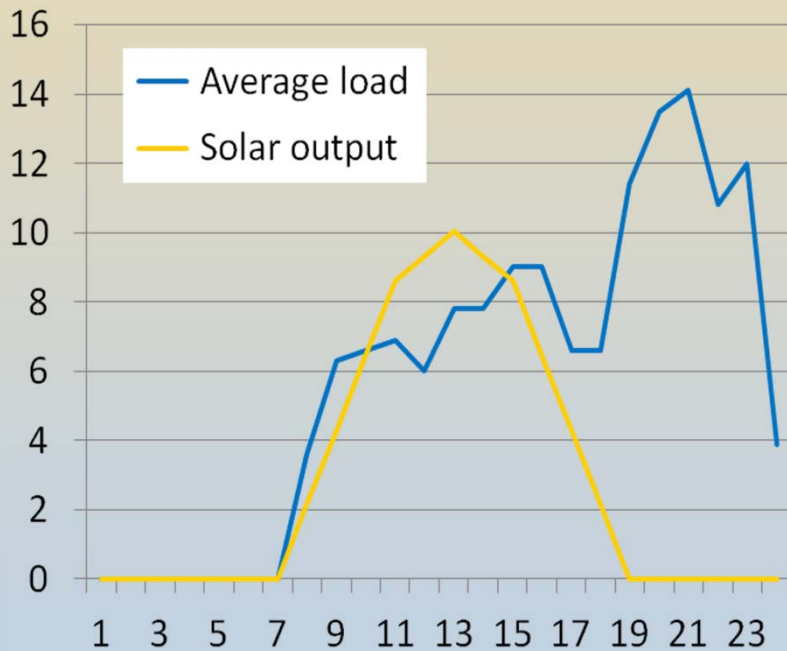


The Load

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Example in Mauritania

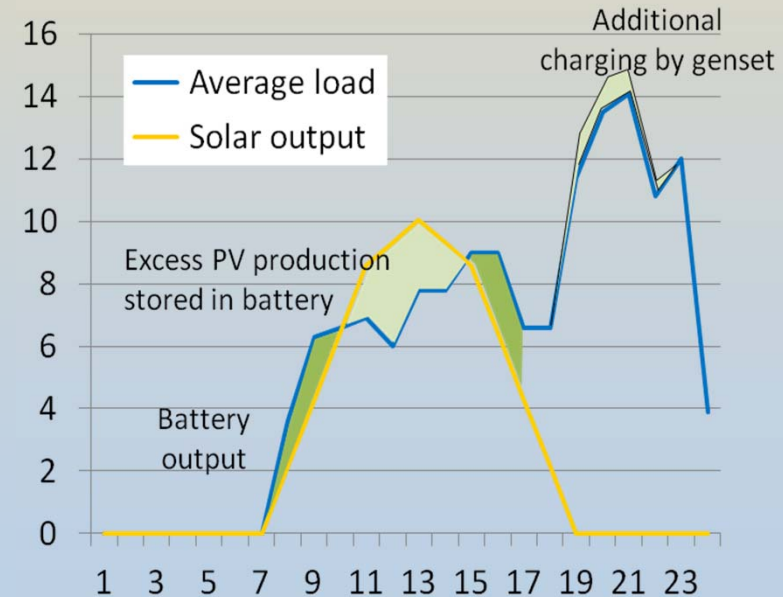
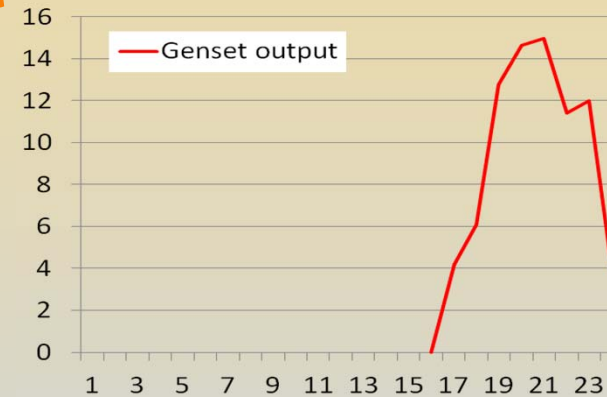


Source: IED

Genset: 55 kVA

PV system: 16 kWp

Battery: 120 kWh



Annual PV penetration rate: 35%

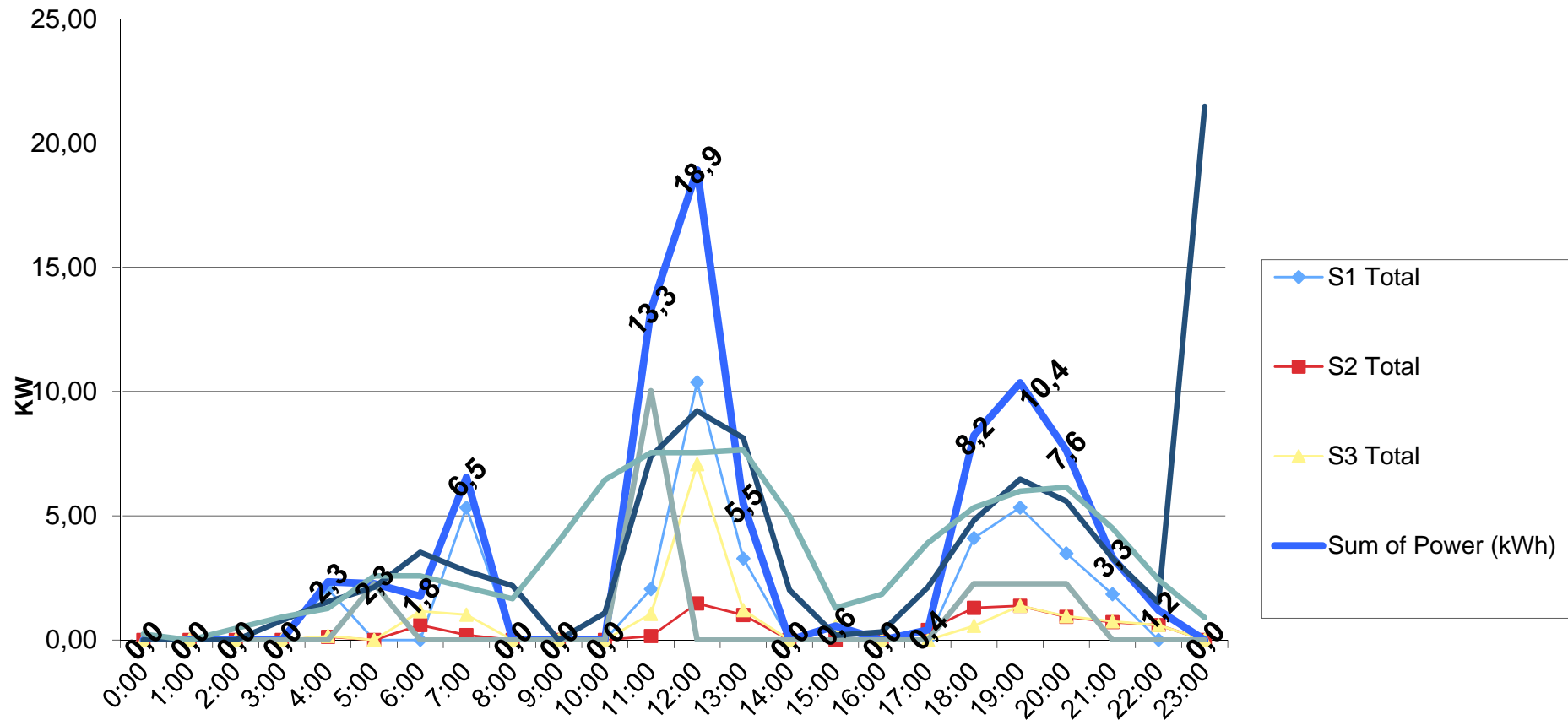


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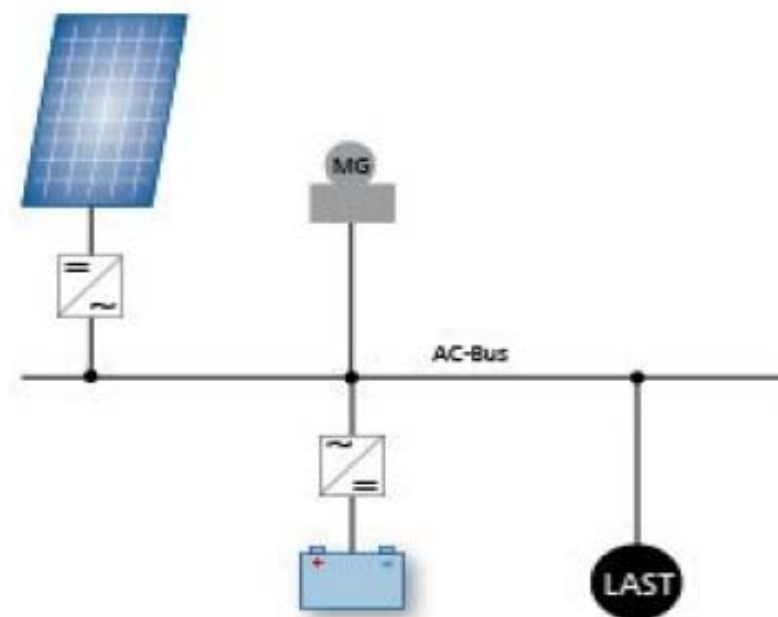
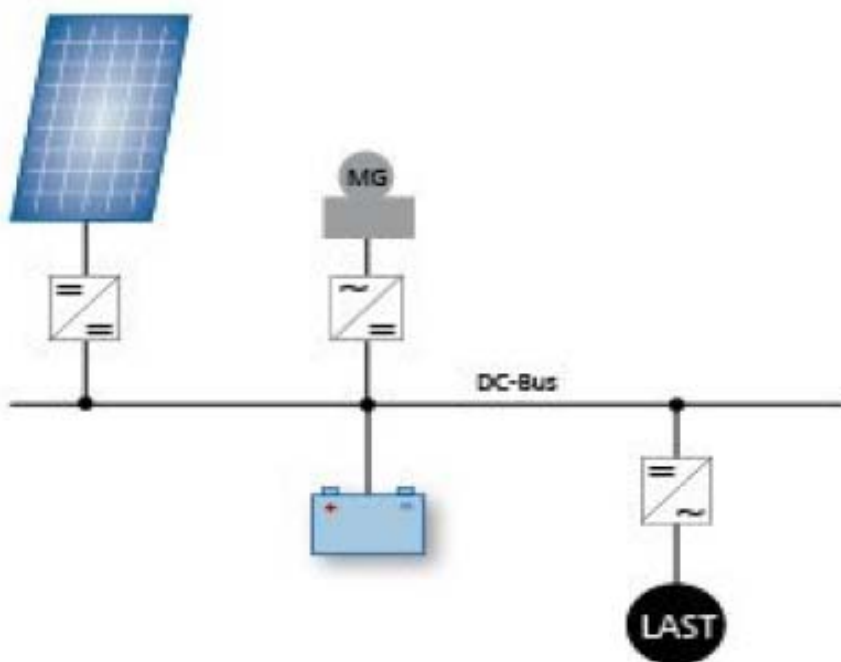
Estimation of the total Household on The "Reference village"



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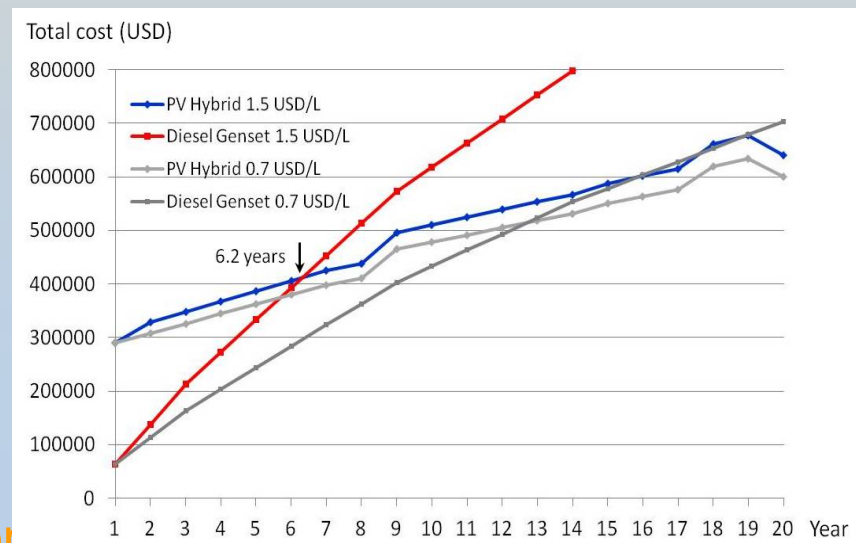
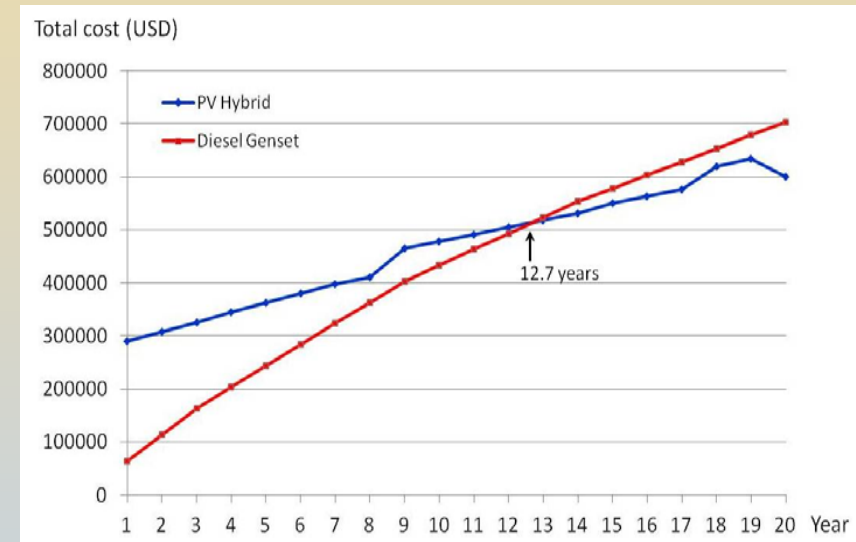
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Life cycle costs: payback period beyond 12 years

Energy data		
Solar resource	6	kWh/m ² /day
Energy demand	266	kWh/day
Peak load	26	kW
Fuel cost (1)	0,7	USD/litre
Fuel cost (2)	1,5	USD/litre
Costs of components		
Genset (30 kVA)	400	USD/kW
PV system (60 kWp)	2822	USD/kWp
Battery	225	USD/kWh
Converter	1445	USD/kW
Lifespan		
Genset	25000	hours
Battery	8	years



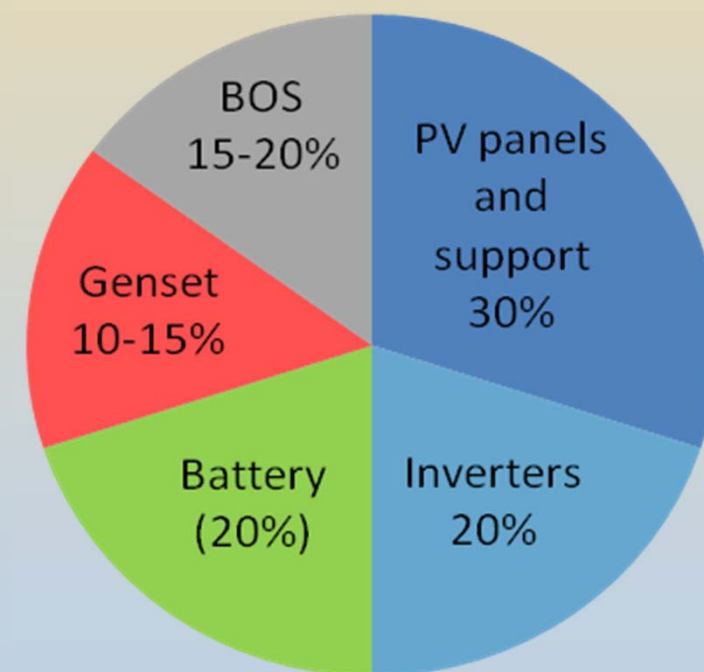
Source: IED



Cost structure hybrid system

challenge: cost reduction electronics and batteries

Location		
PV array capacity	30 kWp	70.8 kWp
PV panels and support structure	56,600 €	141,700 €
Inverters	42,700 €	93,600 €
Battery bank	29,800 €	122,600 €
Genset	21,400 €	84,600 €
BOS (including civil works)*	24,000 €	98,400 €
Total	174,500 €	540,900 €
Total / kWp PV	5,820 €	7,640 €
*Cost does not include any MV or LV grid.Sources: GIZ, IED		





The case in Mexico Operating 100% PV Systems

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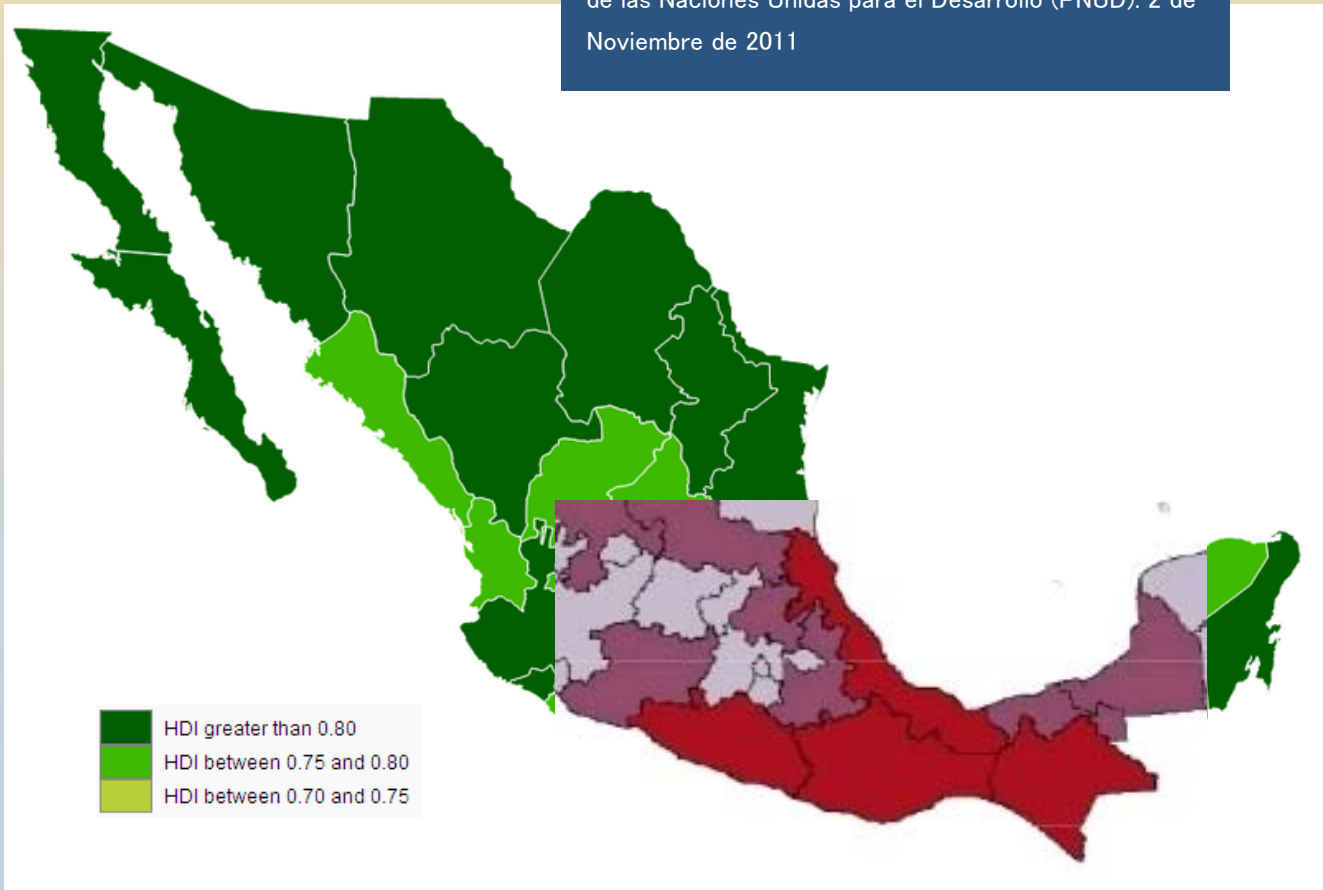
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El caso de México: el acceso a la electrificación y el desarrollo social

- > Entre 2 y 7 % de la población no tiene acceso a la electricidad
- > Directa relación con extrema pobreza
- > La meta del Gobierno de México es electrificar 100% a la población
- > En directa cooperación con el Edo. de Campeche se quiere proveer servicios integrales de energía en las comunidades rurales con redes autónomas fotovoltaicas
- > Mejora de las condiciones de la población en las áreas rurales
 - > **Que tecnologías?**
 - > **Que servicios?**
 - > **Es sustentable?**

Informe sobre Desarrollo Humano 2011 del Programa de las Naciones Unidas para el Desarrollo (PNUD). 2 de Noviembre de 2011

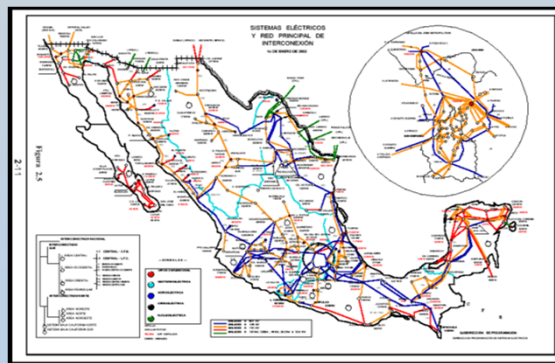
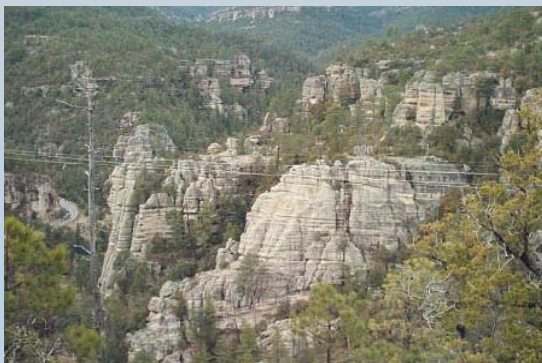


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Technology options

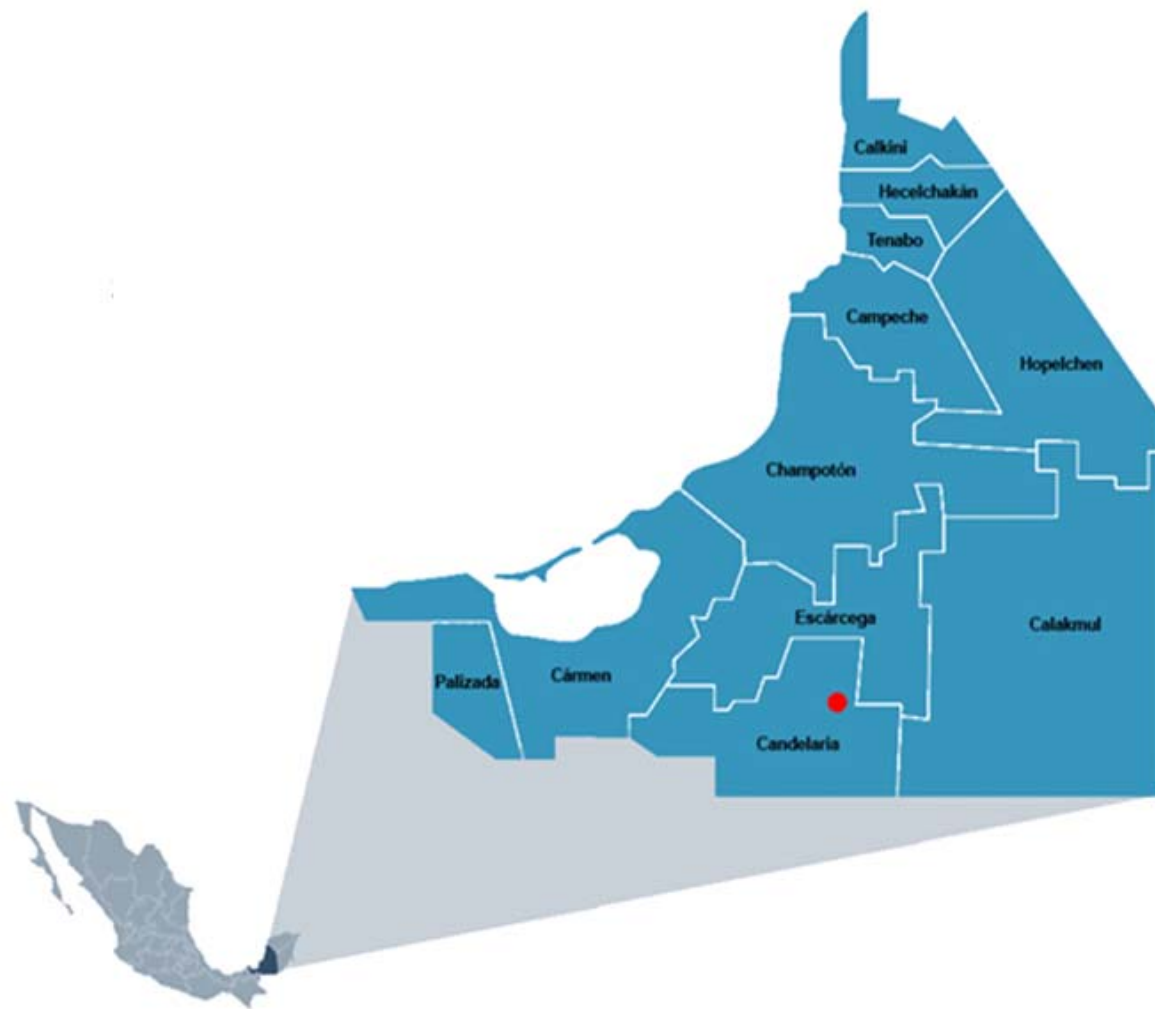
1. Conexión a la red
2. Mini-Redes a base de motores diesel
3. Sistemas domiciliarios (Solar Home Systems)





Descripción del sitio

- > Curi se encuentra cercano a la red eléctrica de distribución pública (5 Km. aprox.)
- > La red pública existente provisiona energía a comunidades cercanas como Rio Caribe/Tablón (16/22 Km. aprox.)
- > Se estima que alrededor de 30% la de la población visita las comunidades mas cercanas.





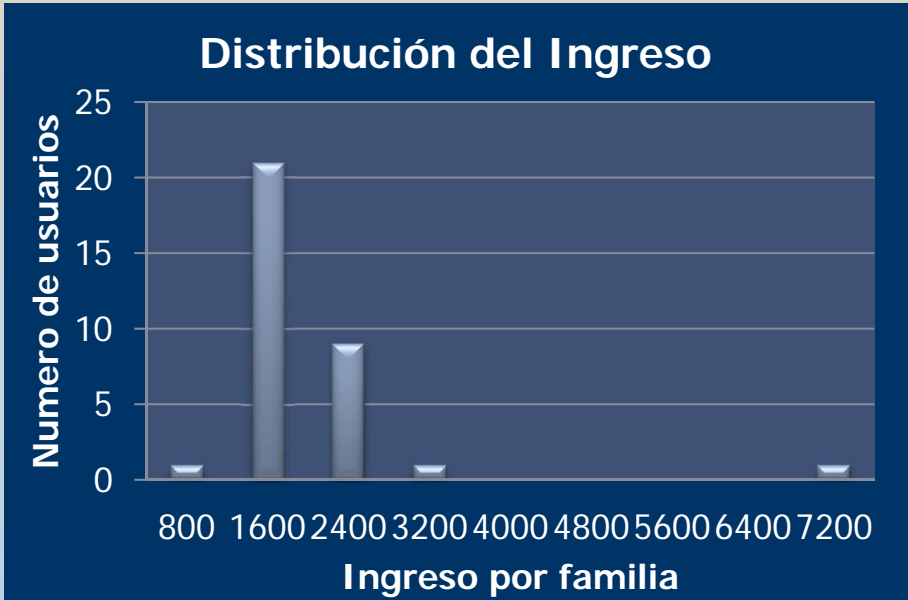
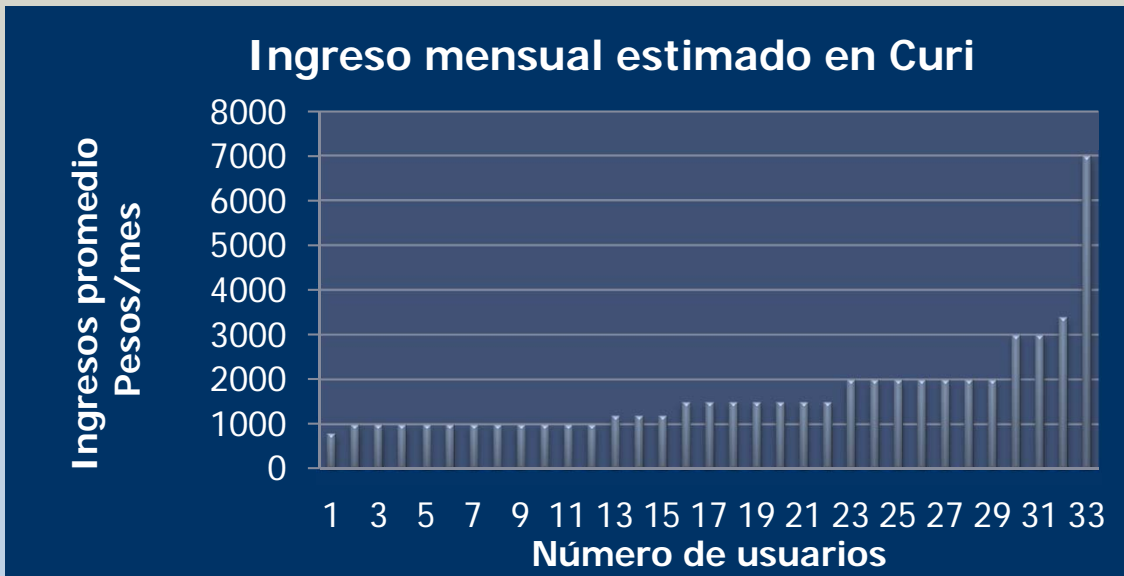
Datos geográficos y meteorológicos del sitio

Ubicación	Unidades	Valor	Datos	Fuente
Latitud	grad	18° 24' N	Lic. Antonio Glez. Curi	Google maps
Longitud	grad	90° 55' W	Lic. Antonio Glez. Curi	Goggle maps
Altitud	m	82	Lic. Antonio Glez. Curi	Goggle maps
Radiación Solar Global	kWh/m²/d	5.31	Promedio anual	Meteonorm
Max. Radiación Solar Global	kWh/m ² /d	6.35	Valor máximo	Meteonorm
Min. Radiación Solar Global	kWh/m ² /d	4.04	Valor mínimo	Meteonorm
Promedio pluvial	mm/M	6.62	Valor promedio mensual	Meteonorm
Promedio de la velocidad del viento	m/s	2.70	Valor promedio mensual a 10 m sobre el nivel de la tierra.	Meteonorm



Willness to pay and ability to pay

- > Determinar el consumo de energía esperado
- > Potencial de crecimiento





Definición de niveles de servicio

> Servicios de energía esperados y a ser contratados por los usuarios

> Diferentes

tarifas??

> Usos

públicos:

alumbrado

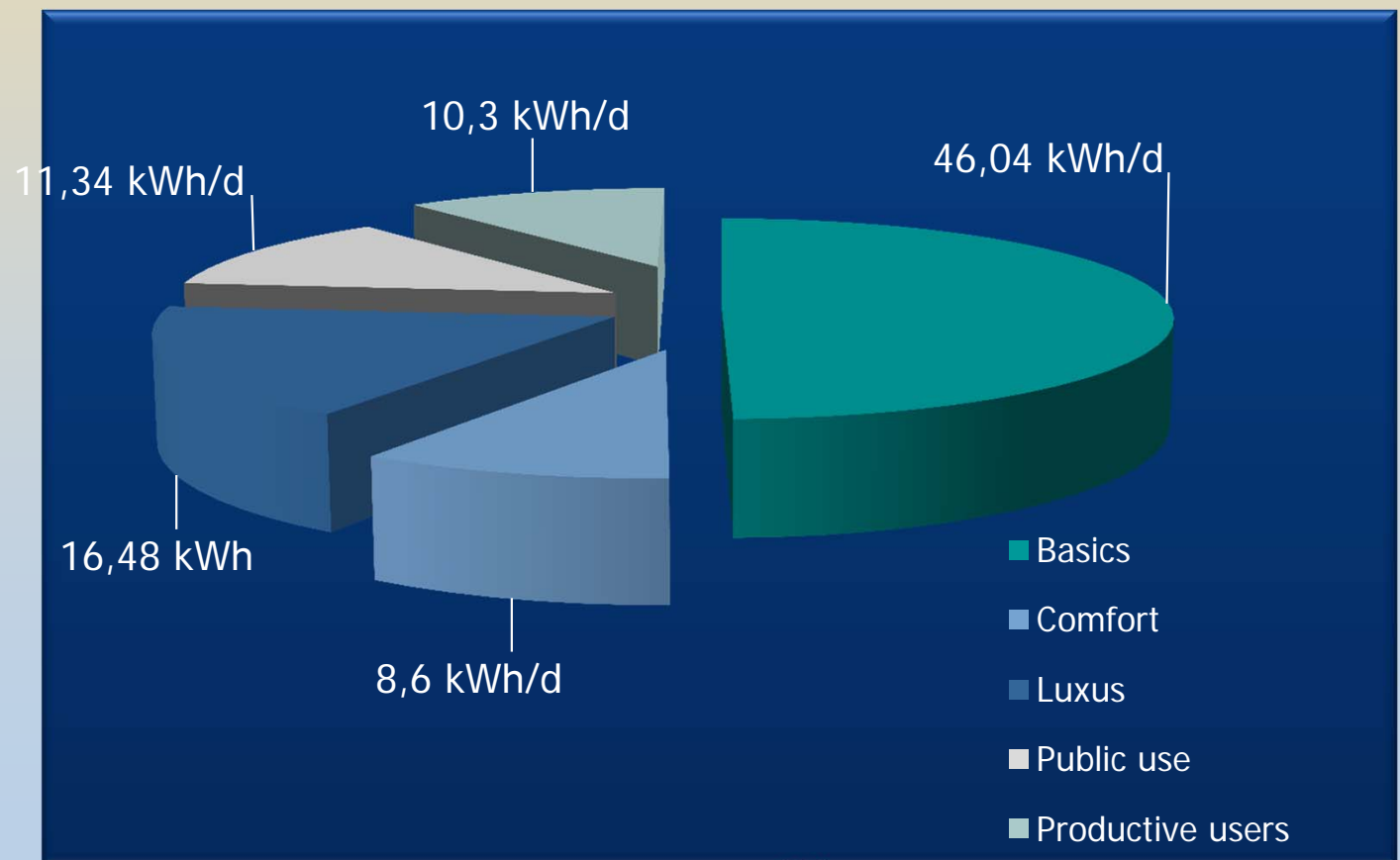
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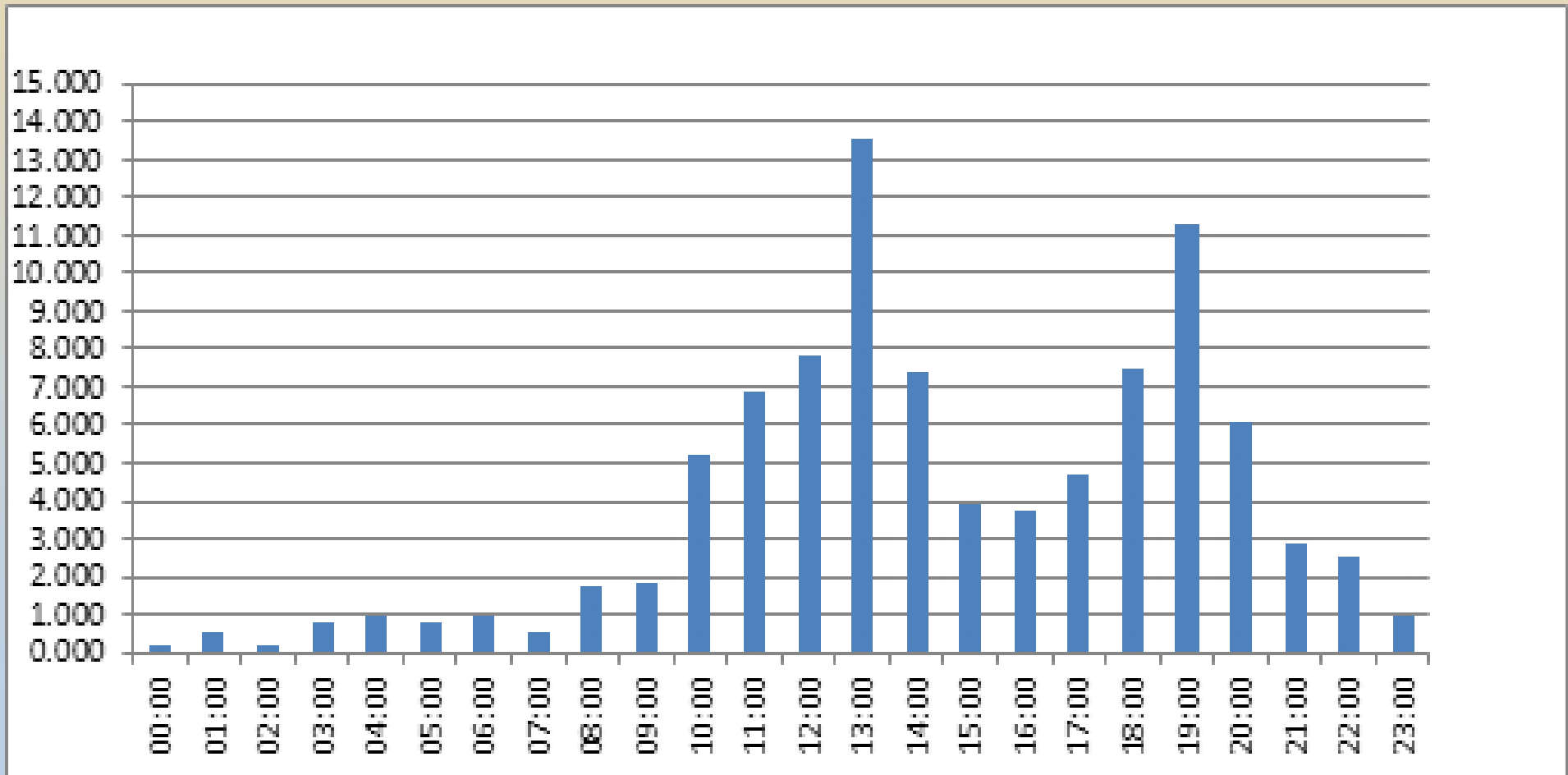


Description	Units	Values	Comments
Estimations of Energy Consumption			
Residential use			
Basics	kW	12.7	Based on pondered power factor correction
	kWh	46.04	one hour ventilator 1.12 kWh/HH, 33.7 kWh/HH/M,) (two hours ventilator 1.33kWh/HH, 39.78 kWh/HH/M, 54.67 kWh/d)
Comfort	kW	2.5	
	kWh	8.6	
Luxus	kW	11.43	
	kWh	16.48	
Public users			
Public lighting	kW	2.27	42 (poles) LED Lamps@ 54 W
	kWh/d	11.34	Estimated 5 hours of daily consumption)
Productive users			
Carpenter shop + Water Pump	kW	10.3	(7.5 kW WP, 2.53 kW CS)
	kWh/d	10.3	(7.5 kWh, 2.53 kWh, 1 hr/d. of use)
Estimated max. consumption			
Estimated maximum peak demand	kW	13.5	(expected around 13:00)
Estimated maximum peak demand	kW	11.2	(expected around 19:00)
Estimated max. energy consumption	kWh/d	92.79	



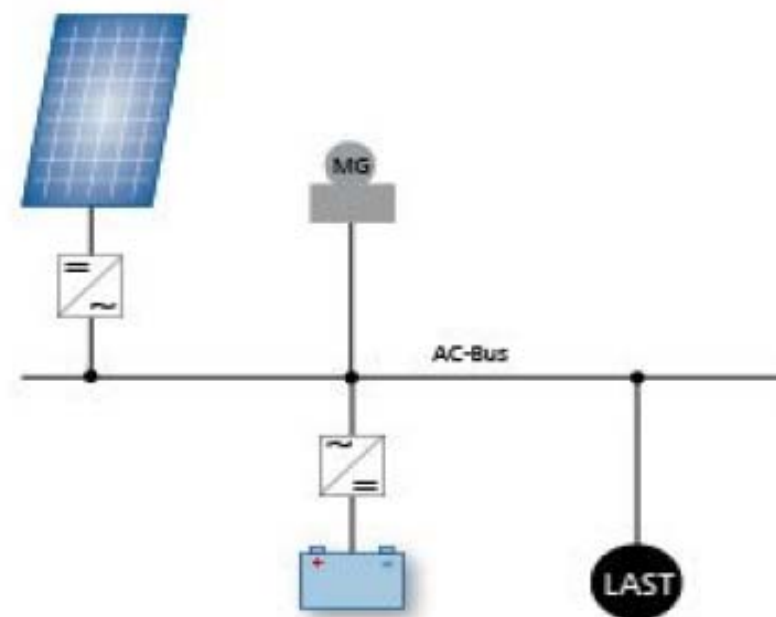
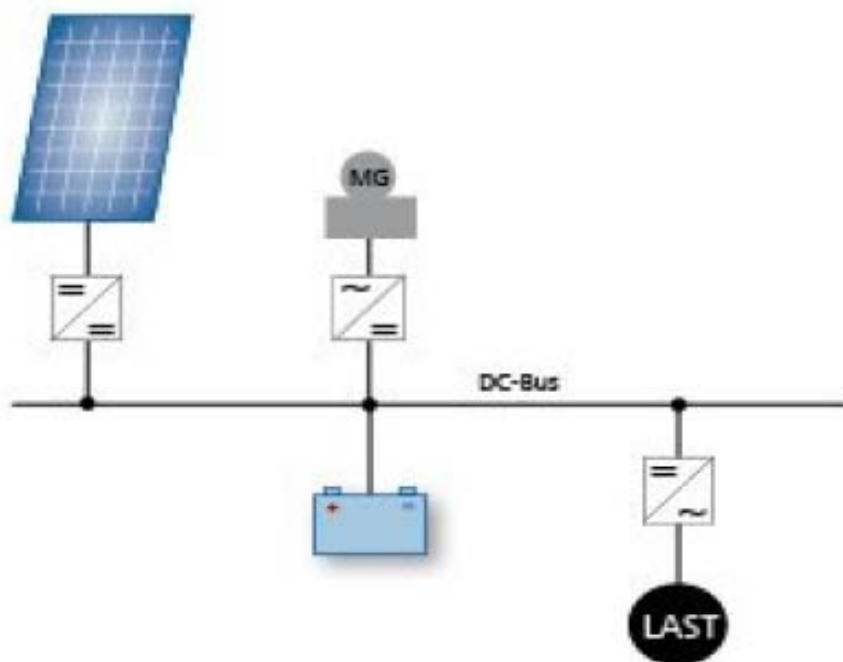
Perfil de la demanda esperada

> Estimación del uso de energía durante el día y durante la noche!





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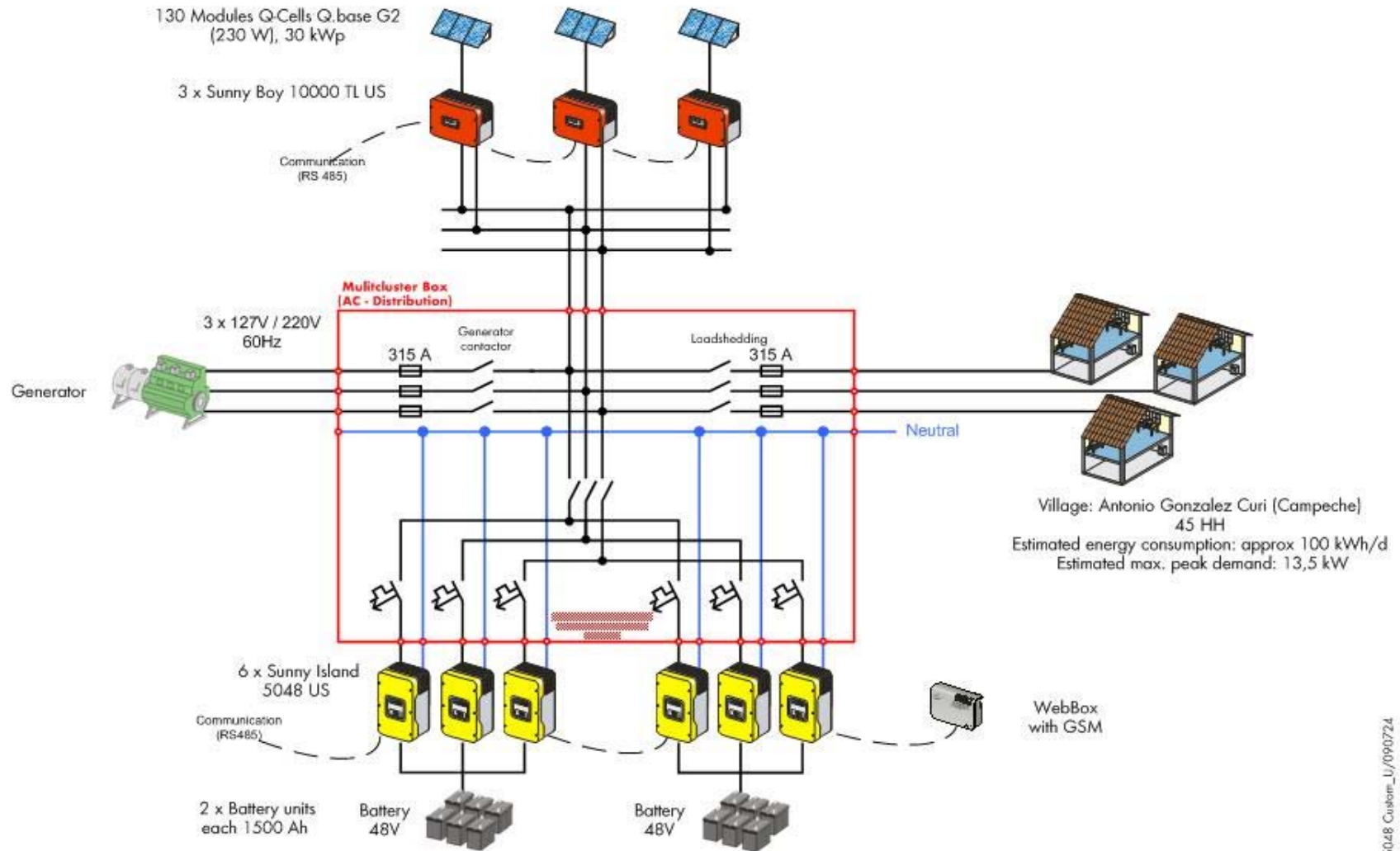


El diseño de la red fotovoltaica

Description	Units	Values	Comments
PV HYBRID DESIGN			
PV power generator	kW	32.4	135 Modules von Q.Cells Model Q.PRO – G2 230 240 Wp p/Module . Nominal power @ STC
AC inverter max. power	kW	30	3 Sunny boys 10000 TLRP @ 208 V
Number of modules per string	No.	15	15 Module per String and 3 Strings per Inverter
Parallel strings	No.	3	Per each inverter
BATTERY INVERTER			
Battery inverter max. power	kW	30	6 Sunny Island 5048US
Battery bank	kWh	157,4	Two strings of 24 each. BAE Secura PVV solar Model: 12 PVV 2280 1,640 Ah @ C ₁₀ /1.80 V
Diesel	kW	22	Proposed Diesel Engine 12 kW
Fuel Consumption	Litre/a	2173	Dependency on efficiency. With 72 kWh battery bank, the Diesel consumption would be 8807 L/a. A Diesel engine with 12 KW will consume 1395 litres per year and with a 72 kWh battery bank, the diesel consumption would be 5337 L/a.



Multicluster Sunny Island 5048U



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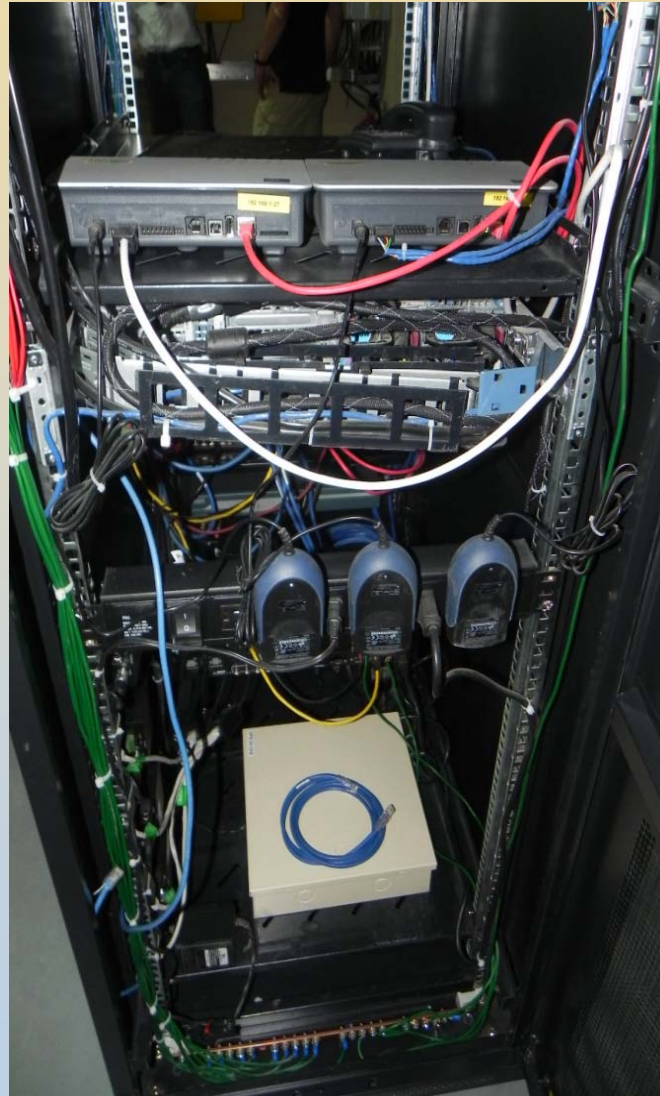
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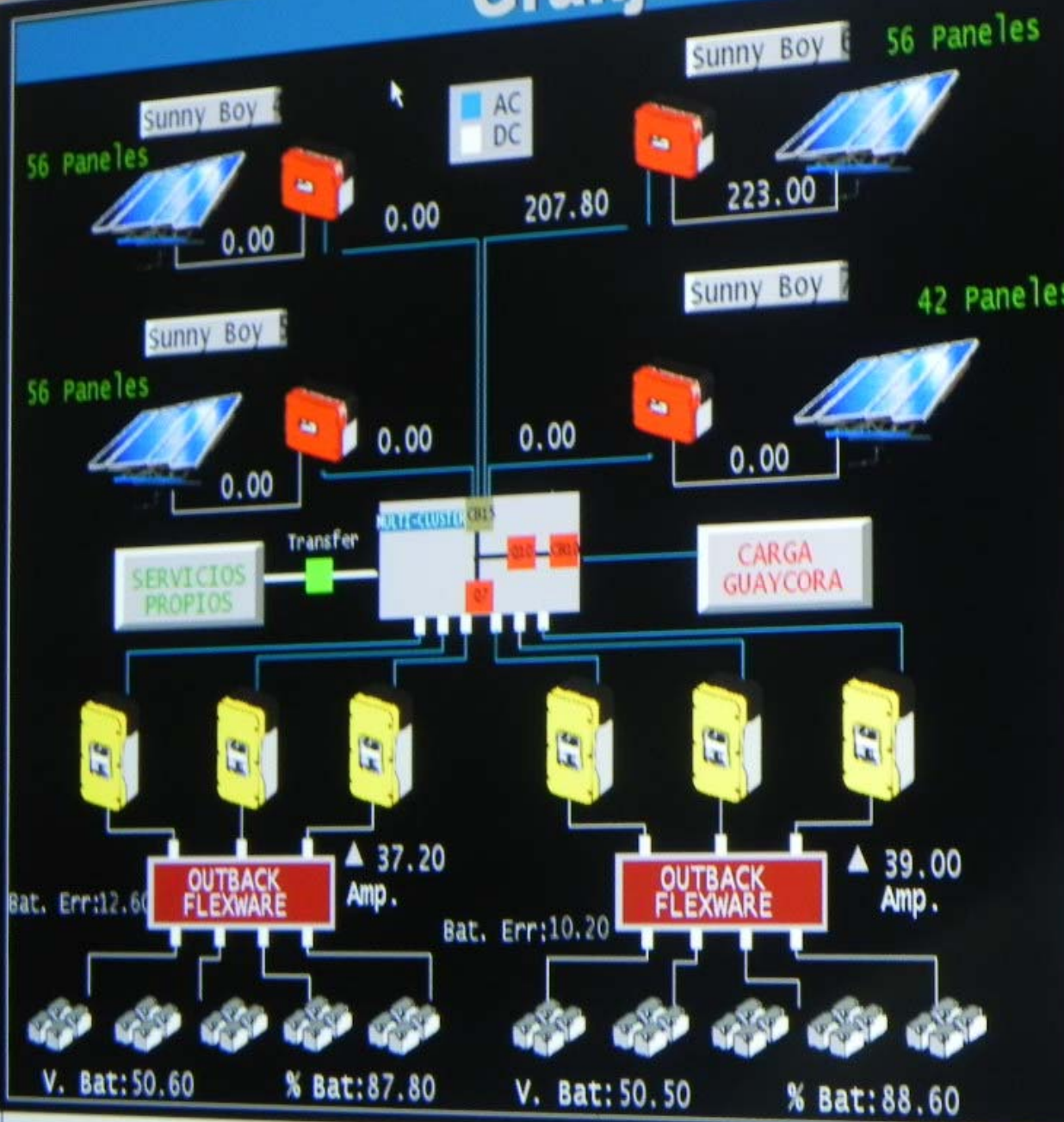


Redes inteligentes: automatización, comunicación y manejo de datos

- Confiabilidad del sistema



Granja Solar



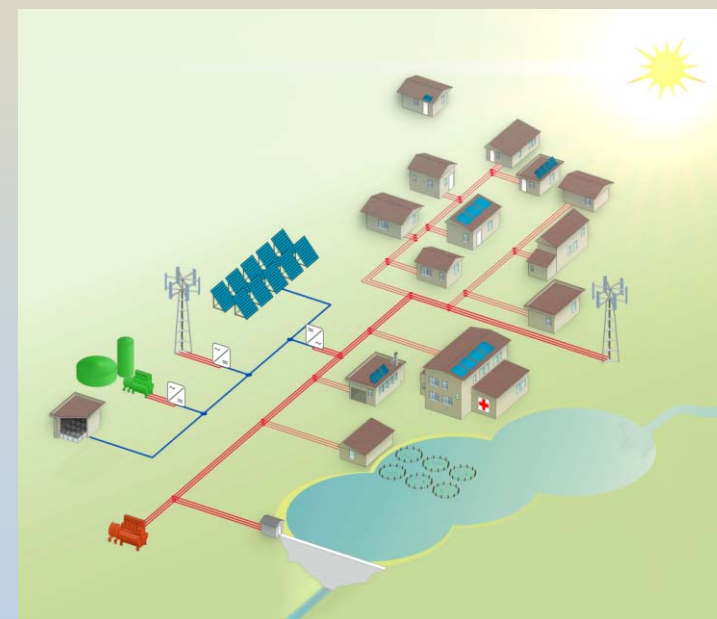
MEDICIONES GRANJA



VOLT FASE A	120.00
VOLT FASE B	120.00
VOLT FASE C	119.00
KW FASE A	1.40
KW FASE B	1.10
KW FASE C	0.20
KW 3	2.80
KVR FASE A	-0.40
KVR FASE B	-0.30
KVR FASE C	-0.60
KVR 3	-1.30
FRECUENCIA	59.00



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- Improve local capacity and access to services
 - Power and distribution (voltage, phases, Grid quality, etc.)
 - Availability (24 hours, day-time only, etc.)
 - Capability for demand-side management
 - Human and financing resources

- Operation and maintenance programs for the long-term run

- To achieve overall “acceptance” and overcome regulatory hurdles

- Need to develop further compelling “best practices” for rural autonomous PV Hybrid Island Grids





Thank you for your attention!



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Typical fuel consumption characteristics diesel genset

