

FRENCH PERSPECTIVES TOWARDS ENERGY FLEXIBLE BUILDINGS

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OUTLINE



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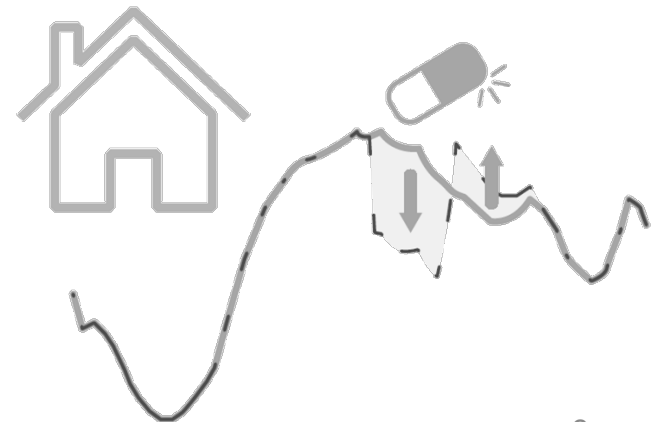
- Electrical production and consumption
- Perspective of development of flexibility in residential buildings

Flexibility from space heating

- Influence of the envelope properties & emitter types
- Thermal comfort under dynamic conditions

Flexibility from white-goods usage

Perspectives



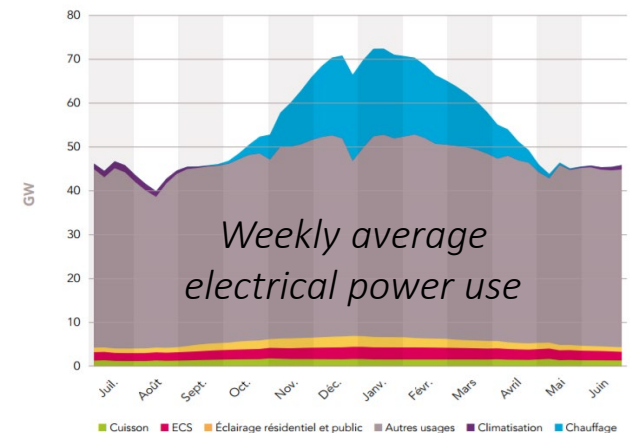
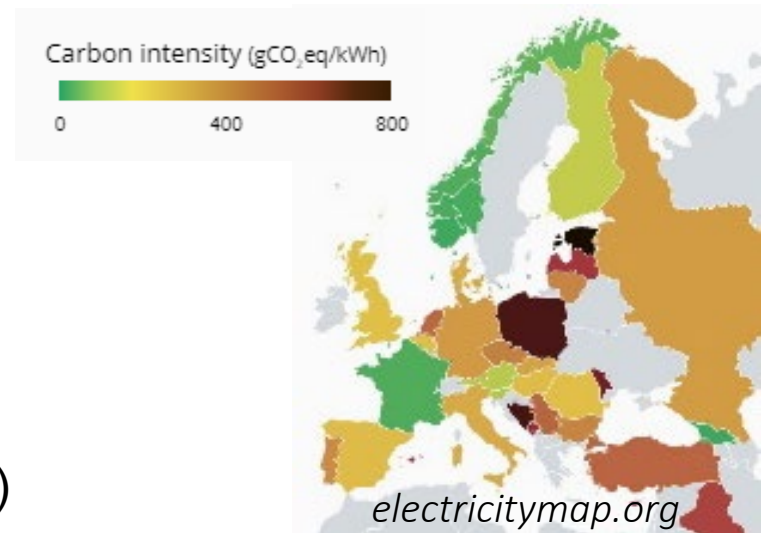
FRENCH CONTEXT

Electricity production :

- Large share of nuclear energy (72%)
- Little renewable (7% windmills+PV)
- Low CO₂ content (but nuclear wastes)

Electricity consumption :

- Large share of direct electrical heating (45% of space heating)
- Large usage of TOU (41% households with “heures pleines / heures creuses”)
- **8 GW of flexibility** from dom. hot water



Demonstration projects (with on-site measurements) : Voltalis (2009), Modelec (2011), Smart-Electric Lyon (2012), GreenLys (2012), etc

PERSPECTIVE OF DEVELOPMENT OF FLEXIBILITY



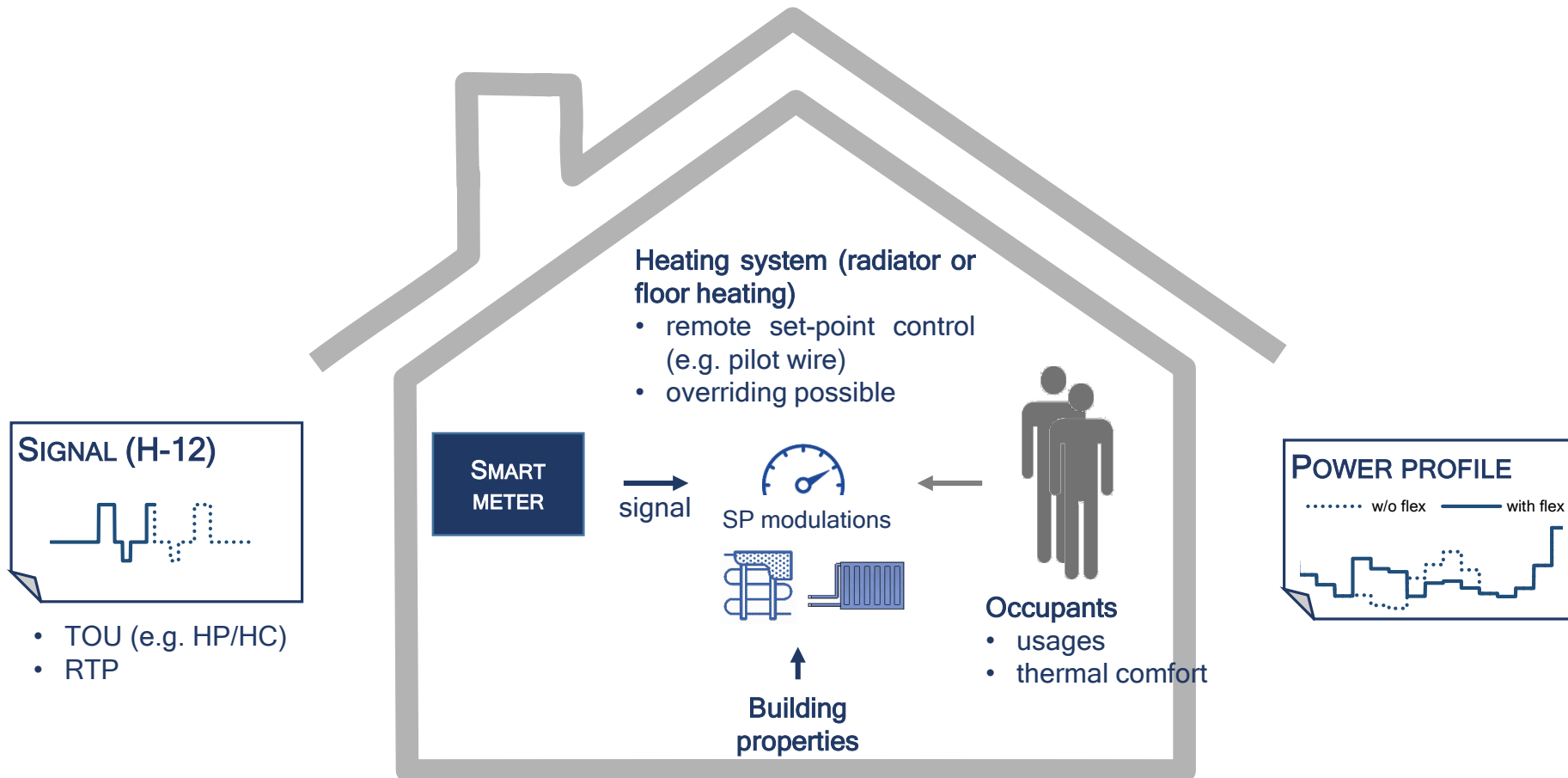
Results from techno-economic analyses at French level:

- comparison of different smart-grid solutions (flexibility from residential buildings or industry, batteries, PSPS, new generation)
- flexibility mainly from industry (& tertiary) ≈ 5 GW
- flexibility from residential sector
 - RTP (dynamic) control ≈ 1 GW (activated from 10 to 100 hrs per year)
 - TOU control ≈ 18 GW (for heating, DHW, white goods and electric vehicles)

| | Share of flexible households (RTP + TOU) | |
|--------------------|--|--------------|
| | Horizon 2030 | Horizon 2060 |
| Heating | 8-25% (9 GW) | 75% |
| Domestic Hot Water | 50-60% (5,4 GW) | 100% |
| White goods | - | 56% |
| Electric vehicles | 25-36% (4,5 GW) | 80% |



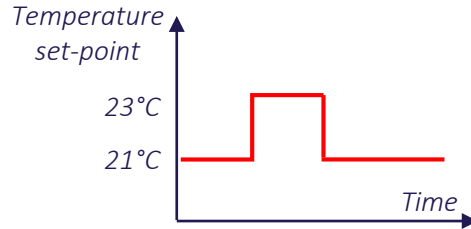
FLEXIBILITY FROM SPACE HEATING



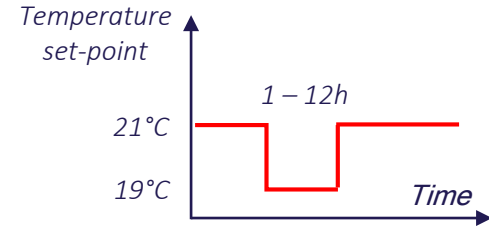
[SPACE HEATING] ENVELOPE & EMITTERS PROPERTIES



Type of demand response

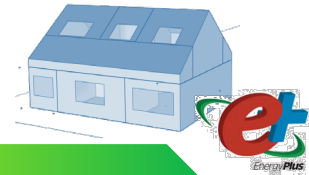
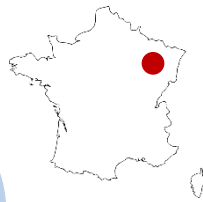


Upward modulations
(for valley filling, anticipation)



Downward modulations
(for peak shedding, load shifting)

Type of building



Heating need [kWh/m².year]

Type of emitter



50's



BR 1982



BR 2005



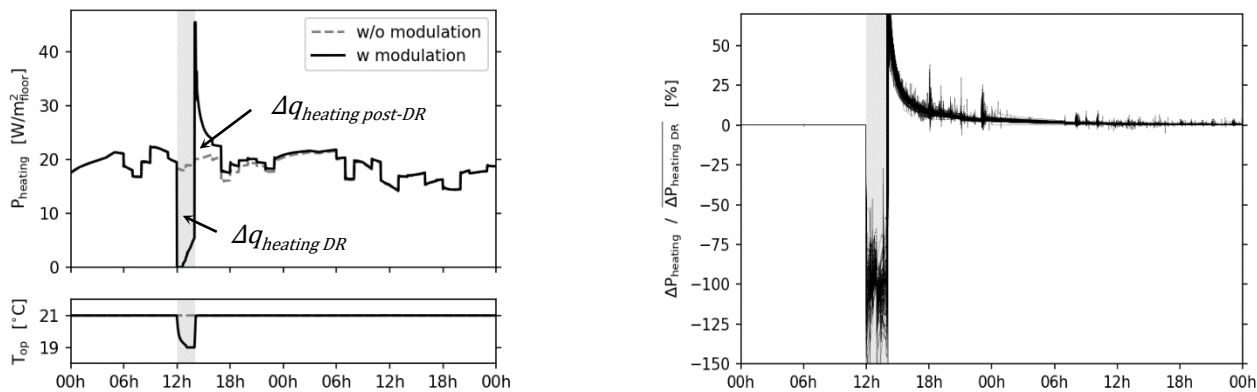
BR 2012



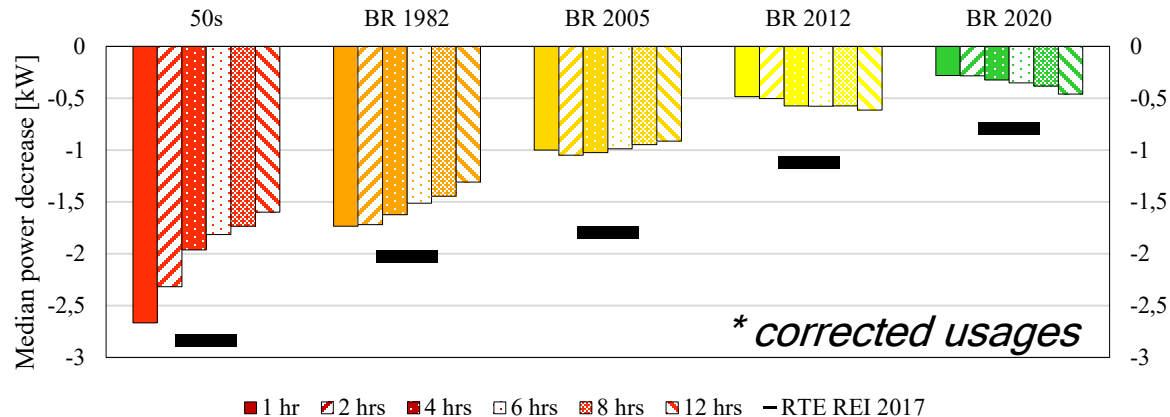
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[SPACE HEATING] ENVELOPE & EMITTERS PROPERTIES

- Estimation of the energy shifted and power profiles (BES)



- Estimation of the mean power* change during the DR events

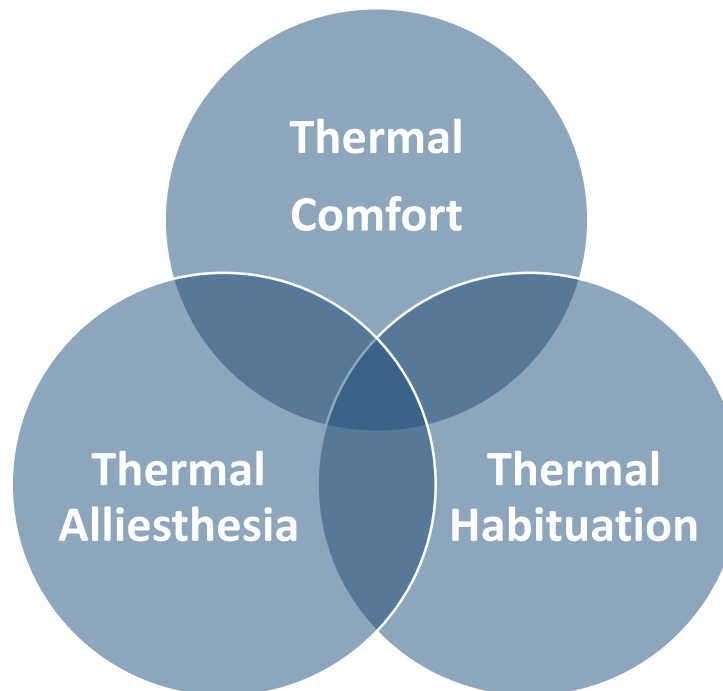


[SPACE HEATING] THERMAL COMFORT UNDER DYNAMIC ENVIRONMENT

- Fanger's PMV/PPD model (EN 15251) : derived from a steady-state heat balance equation and steady-state laboratory experiments
- Proposal for a new thermal comfort model based on PMV :

$$\frac{\partial PMV}{\partial t}$$

- **negative alliesthesia** moving away from neutral
- **positive alliesthesia** moving towards neutral

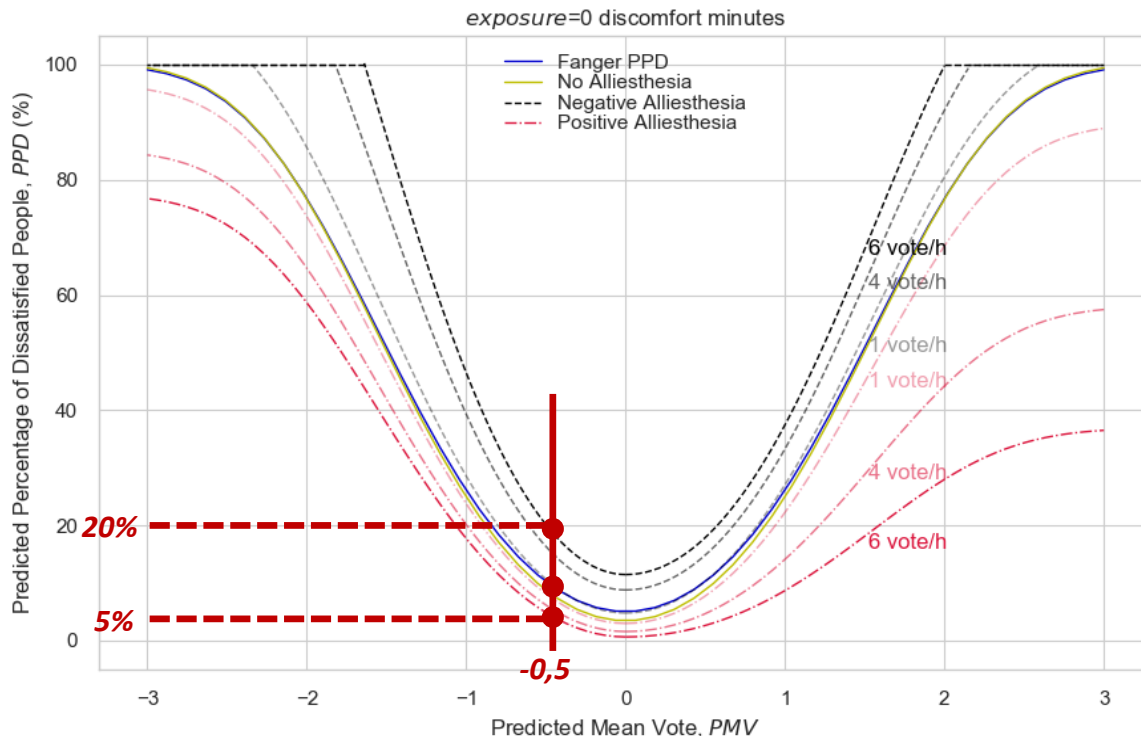


Repeated rises and falls of the temperature have the potential to induce habituation, which leads to a reduction of the normal response or sensation

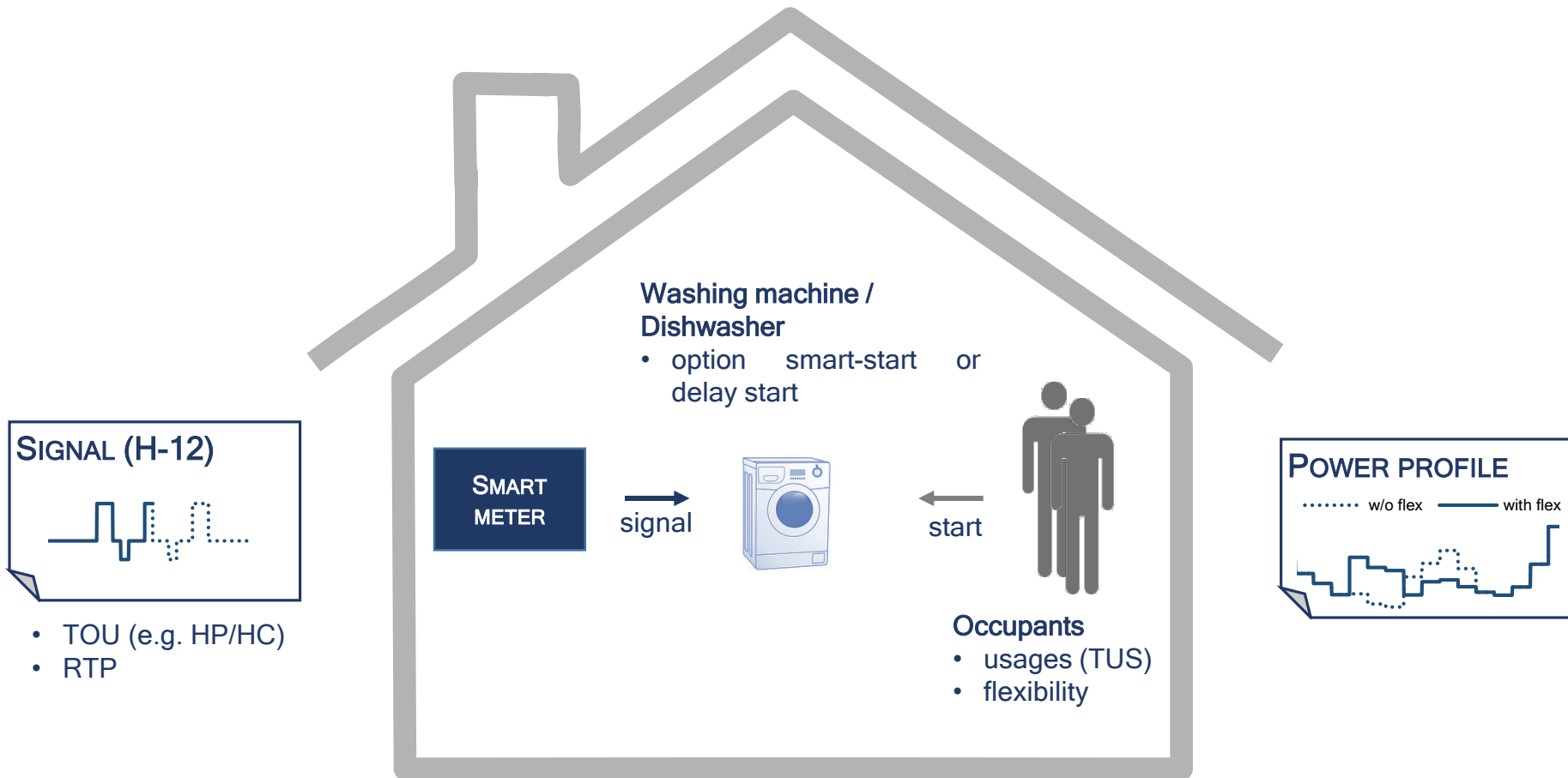
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Experimental data collected from IEQL (University of Sydney)

- 56 students in climatic chambers
- 6 different cyclical temperature variations (overall duration 2 hrs)
- highest rates of temperature change (up to 30°C/h)



FLEXIBILITY FROM WHITE-GOODS USAGE





MODELLING WHITE-GOODS USAGE

INPUT (USER, DEFAULT)

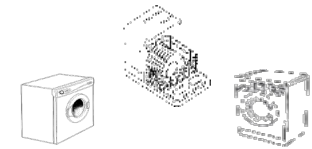


Household
(nbr occupants, occupation)

Equipment usage
(mean nbr of cycles, monthly variation, waiting time)



Flexibility
(double tariff subscriptions, tariff structure)



Equipment
(energy class, capacity, program type)

CREATING TIME-SERIES OF ACTIVITIES

(clustering)

SELECTING STARTING TIME

(random picking, shifting)

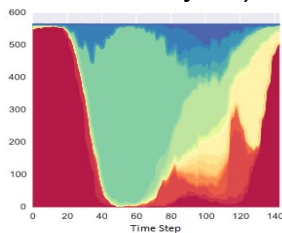
APPLYING FLEXIBILITY

(agent-based dw & wm)

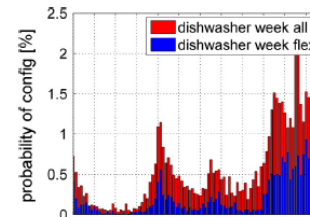
CALCULATING POWER DEMAND

DATABASE

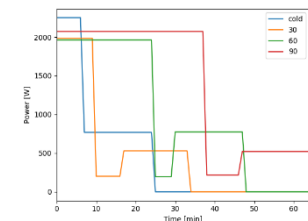
Time Use Survey
(INSEE 2009-2010, 12 000 foyers)



Proba. flex. configurations
(LINEAR 2009-2014, 186 foyers)



Unit load curves
(260 equipment, 1200 profiles)



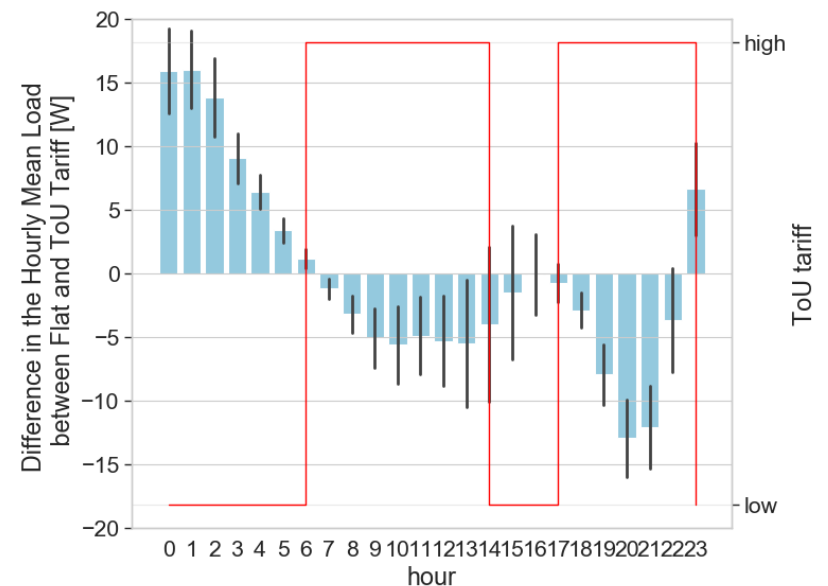
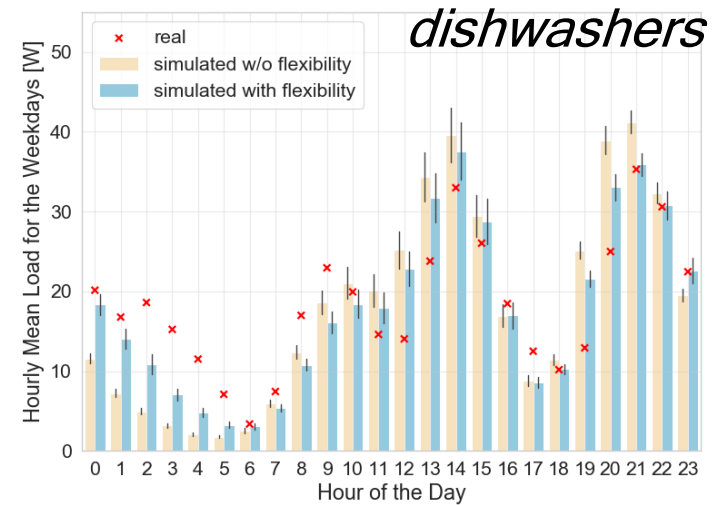
VALIDATION OF THE FLEXIBILITY POTENTIAL

Measured data : 107 households (Froid Lavage, 2015), 41% TOU

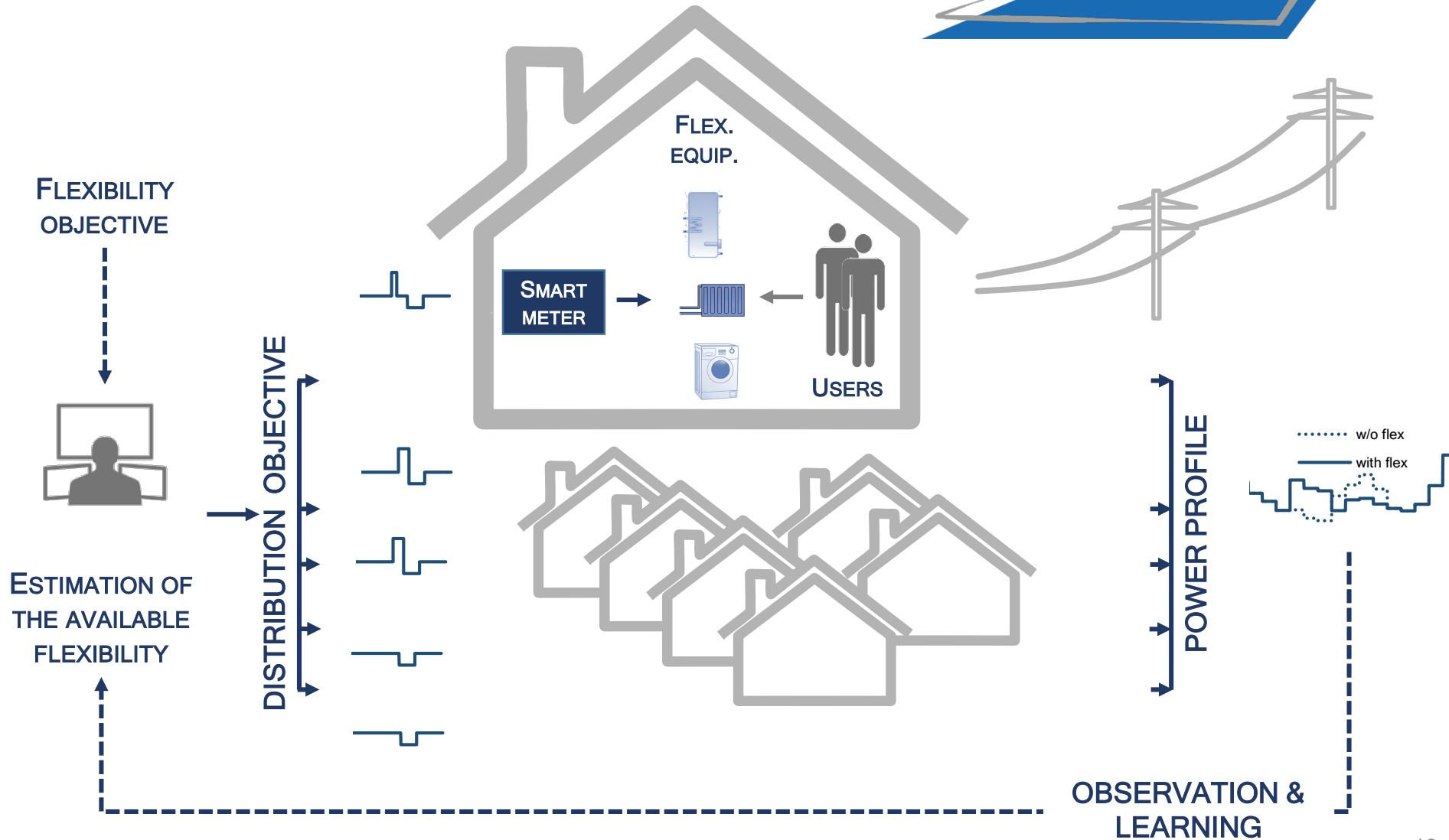
- 60 dishwashers
- 100 washing machines
- 23 dryers

Night-share of the annual energy consumption :

| | Flat tariff | TOU tariff |
|-----------------|-------------|------------|
| Dishwasher | 15% | 32% |
| Washing machine | 6% | 26% |
| Dryer | 15% | 16% |



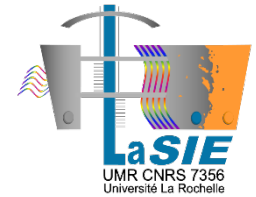
PERSPECTIVES



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Related projects :

- ANR CLEF (2018-2021)
- Collaboration LaSIE/SGR (2017-2018)



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