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Active Distribution network with full integration of Demand and distributed energy **RES**ource**S** 

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## active demand





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## **The ADDRESS Project in a Few Numbers**

Started June 1<sup>st</sup> 2008
4 years (2008 – 2012)
Enel Distribuzione is Coordinator
EDF SA is Technical Manager
Total budget 16 M€
EC financing 9M€



#### 25 partners, 11 European countries

Research: Uni. Manchester, Uni. Comillas, Uni. Siena, Uni. Cassino, ENEL Prod, VTT, VITO, Labein, KEMA, Consentec;
DSO and TSO: ENEL Distrib., EDF Energy, Iberdrola Distrib., Vattenfall
Energy supply and retail: EDF-SA, ENEL Distributie Dobrogea
Electric equipment : ABB, Landis+Gyr, ZIV
Home appliances & white goods, consultants: Philips, Electrolux, RLtec

Communication and ICT providers: Ericsson España, Alcatel, Current

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## **ADDRESS Target and Objectives**



#### Target

Active Demand (AD): active participation of domestic and small commercial consumers in the power system markets and service provision to the power system participants

#### Objectives

	Develop technical solutions at the
	consumers premises
To enable	and at the power system level
active demand	Propose recommendations and
	solutions to
	remove the possible barriers
To exploit	Identify the potential benefits for
the benefits	the stakeholders
of active demand	Develop appropriate markets and
	contractual mechanisms

Study of accompanying measures to deal with societal, cultural, behavioural aspects Validation in 3 complementary test sites with different demographic & generation characteristics

Dedicated dissemination activities for the stakeholders

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## **ADDRESS conceptual architecture and concepts**

#### Consumers

- Energy Box: interface with the aggregator
- Optimisation and control of appliances and DER

#### Aggregators

- Mediator between consumers and markets
- Collects requests &signals from markets and participants
- Gathers flexibilities of consumers



#### **Markets & contracts**

- Energy supply
- Relief of overload & network congestion
- Balancing services (incl. compensation of RES variability)
- Ancillary services: steady state V control, tertiary reserve
- Load shaping services (e.g. peak shaving)

#### DSO

- Key participant in active grids of the future
- Consumers connected to distribution network
- Enable AD and ensure secure and efficient network operation
- Interaction through markets
- Direct interaction with TSO for system security

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## ADDRESS Main Concepts



- □ Interaction based on real-time price and volume (mainly P) signals
- Real-time = 20 to 30 min ahead or longer
- May be modulated by geographical / topological information
- Direct load control by DSO will be not considered
- "Demand" approach (in contrast with "generation" approach)
- consumers not only motivated by purely economic aspects
- not able or not prone to characterize precisely in advance the services and flexibilities that they can provide
  - Services "requested" through appropriate price and/or volume signal mechanisms and provided on a voluntary and contractual basis
  - Development of appropriate technologies at consumers' premises
  - Accompanying measures for societal and behavioural aspects
  - Distributed intelligence and local optimisation
    - Topologically-dependant services
  - Participants optimise real-time response according to the real-time signals Put the "right amount" of intelligence at the "right place"



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## **ADDRESS Methodology (1/3)**



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## **ADDRESS Methodology (2/3)**

- 1. Develop
  - the concepts, in particular the mechanisms for the design of price and volume signals
  - ADDRESS technical and commercial architectures along with functional requirements based on the concepts
  - 4 or 5 scenarios representative of European power systems
  - > WP1 (EDF SA)
- 2. Develop
  - enabling technologies, algorithms and prototypes,
  - test them individually in laboratories.
  - WP2 (IBERDROLA): for consumers, aggregators and other deregulated market participants
  - > WP3 (ENEL Distr.) for DSOs and TSOs and grid operation
  - > WP4 (ABB) for communication architecture







## **ADDRESS Methodology (3/3)**

- 3. Develop
  - contractual, market & regulatory mechanisms for exploitation of the benefits
  - recommendations for accompanying measures for social acceptance
  - ➢ WP5 (Uni. Manchester)
- 4. Validate and assess
  - Validate the concepts and the solutions developed at 3 different field test sites in Spain, Italy and on a French island
  - Assess the solutions performance and project outcomes (concepts, architectures, ...)
  - ➢ WP6 (KEMA)
- 5. Recommendations and dissemination
  - Define recommendations for the different stakeholders: regulators, communities, power system participants, R&D "world", standardization bodies, ...
  - Deploy and communicate the results
  - ➢ WP7 (Uni. Cassino)





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## Work schedule



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### **Overview of the work done**



## **Overview of the work done (and results)**

- Discussion of ADDRESS first draft architecture and proposed concepts
- Flexibility of loads, generation and storage at consumers' premises
- Requirements for AD service provision to power system players
- Aggregator of consumers flexibilities
- Toy example on ADDRESS market simulation
- The ADDRESS scenarios approach and first methodology
- Potential benefits of Active Demand (AD)
- Next steps



# Discussion of ADDRESS first draft architecture and proposed concepts

Identification of the main issues to be solved, for instance:

- Relationships between aggregator and
  - DSO/TSO (impact on grids, ...)
  - Retailers/BRPs (imbalances, ...)
  - Consumers (acceptance, ...)
- Energy box:
  - Ownership, functions, etc.
  - Interaction with the meter
- Service provision:
  - Characterisation of services
  - Price and volume signals
  - Risk management
  - Markets and contracts
- Monitoring/assessment of
  - Consumers response
  - Service delivery
- Importance of the regulatory framework



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# Flexibility of loads, generation and storage at consumers premises

#### **Detailed analysis of**

- Embedded generation and storage at consumers premises
- Loads and appliances at consumers premises
- Technical (electrical) characteristics, load usage constraints, control capabilities, energy impact of flexibility, services that can be provided, costs, spreading, ...

#### Aggregated flexibility at the consumer level

- Consumers load curves for Spain, Italy, Finland ...
- Consumers classification and analysis of flexibility
- Analysis according to periods of the year, week, day, ...
- Flexibility indicator

## Scenarios for the evolution of consumers' flexibility at the horizon 2020 and a "more aggregated" level:

- From the perspective of the portfolio of an aggregator
- In accordance with the general scenarios approach based on "success factors"

#### Survey of Energy boxes and local energy management systems – on-going

#### Technical Challenges to solve to make demand more "active" – starting

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## **Requirements for AD service provision to power** system participants (1/5)

#### Survey and assessment of past and on-going DSI programmes

- Participants involved and their needs addressed in the programme,
- The services provided
- Barriers encountered and the possible solutions implemented,
- Signals exchanged and the way they were designed,
- Outcome and lessons learned

**Definition and classification of Electricity system players (**~functions or archetypes) to which active demand services could be provided

- Regulated players: DSOs and TSOs
- Deregulated players: ~15 players, 9 players to study (apart from ADDRESS "consumers" and "aggregator")
  - **Producers:** central producers, decentralised electricity producer, producer with regulated tariff and obligations (reserve, volume, curtailment, etc.)
  - Intermediaries: production aggregators, energy traders, electricity brokers, Balancing Responsible Parties (BRPs), retailers
  - **Consumers:** large consumers

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## **Requirements for AD service provision to power** system participants (2/5)

## Expectations of deregulated players with respect to AD and possible services

For each of the player:

- Role of the player and main functions in the system,
- Main stakes and contextual constraints,
- Short-term needs and long-term needs generated by the stakes
- How can AD meet these needs
- Identification of possible services provided by AD and basic requirements (=> many possible services)

**Expectations of DSO/TSO with respect to AD and possible services** Similar approach as for deregulated players => mainly three types of services

- Voltage regulation and power flow control (VPRF)
- Tertiary active power reserve
- Smart load reduction to avoid "blind" load-shedding

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# Requirements for AD service provision to power system participants (3/5)

## Impacts of AD development on the processes of players and possible issues/barriers against AD development

- AD acceptance by the players (not only consumers)
- Regulatory issues (lack of incentives, volume threshold, obligations, etc.)
- Contractual issues and pricing model
- Conflicting interests of players with respect to AD services
- Verification of service provision
- Management of information (ownership, confidentiality, etc.)
- Risks: uncertainty on AD availability, energy "payback" effect, network topology, etc.



## **Requirements for AD service provision to power** system participants (4/5)

#### **Standardized AD services & products:**



AD Products	Conditionality	Typical example
Scheduled re-profiling (SRP)	Unconditional (obligation)	The aggregator has the obligation to provide <i>a specified</i> demand modification (reduction or increase) at a given time to the product buyer.
Conditional re- profiling (CRP)	Conditional (option)	The aggregator must have the capacity to provide <i>a specified</i> demand modification during a given period. The delivery is called upon by the buyer (similar to a reserve service)

Bi-directional Conditional Re-Profiling or 2-way CRP (2-CRP): modification in a range, including both demand increase and decrease

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# Requirements for AD service provision to power system participants (5/5)

Description of "use cases" for the previously identified services



Methodology for the design of price and volume signals - on-going

- Based on the optimization process of the players

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## Aggregators of consumers flexibility ... ... and toy example on market simulation

#### **Overview of "aggregators" in different countries in the world**

- Not exhaustive
- To have some hints of the present situation
- USA, Australia, Italy, Germany, France, ...

#### The ADDRESS aggregator (work on-going) - first thoughts on

- Role and main functions,
- Relationships and services provided to power system players
- Activities and internal organization

#### Integrated toy example on ADDRESS market simulation

- Better understanding, pedagogical purposes, play with "numbers", ...
- Provision of services by AD aggregators to retailers and DSO
- One type of products ("Scheduled re-profiling"= scheduled load modification)

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## **ADDRESS scenarios approach & first methodology**

**Collection and analysis of country specific aspects** (contextual elements) based on answers to a questionnaire – factors important for AD implementation

- Players, market organisation, regulation, metering activity, network aspects, ...
- Large development of RES expected to increase needs for AD services
- Retailers will probably be key agents for AD deployment and, vice versa, AD business can be a key factor for retailer development
- Smart meters will probably be one of the key enablers for AD development

#### **Guidelines to build ADDRESS scenarios**

Horizon: 2020 ... and steps to go there

#### ADDRESS approach: success targets

- Scenarios: 4 European contexts with different probability and level of success with respect to an ADDRESS future
- Focus on success factors and drivers:
  - Climatic factor (heating or cooling dominance)
  - Consumer density (urban vs rural, network aspects, housing style & age, ...)
  - Enabling technology (new usages, intelligent appliances, ICT, meters, ...)
  - Industry infrastructure (market context, generation mix, environmental issue,...)
- Methodology to assess success based on impacts on all the players' stakes.



## **Potential benefits of Active Demand (AD)**

- Constitution of the Group of Users and Stakeholders (GUS)
- Questionnaire on the potential benefits and perceptions of active demand sent
  - To the GUS members
  - To the ADDRESS consortium members
- On-going: analysis of the results.



## **Next steps**

#### ADDRESS Vision (WP1):

- Technical and commercial architectures
- Definition of ADDRESS Scenarios
- Application of the architecture to the scenarios

#### **Specifications**

- Detailed specifications for exploitation of DDER flexibility and service provision at consumers and aggregator levels (WP2)
- Detailed specifications for control and automation of distribution networks with AD (WP3)

#### **Communication (WP4)**

- Survey on communication requirements
- Continue information model: players and interaction modeling

#### Acceptance and market (WP5): start work on

- Models of benefits
- Consumers engagement
- Market mechanism and contractual structure

#### **Test sites (WP6)**

- Start selection and definition of test objectives

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