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Prosumers in District Heating networks problems and possibilities

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4th Generation District Heating Technologies and Systems

Producer+Consumer=Prosumer



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- Small scale
- Decentralised
- **Solar collectors**
- **Excess heat from** cooling machines



Aim

- Prosumers in the DH network
- Environmental outcome
- Technical issues
- Environmental requirements
- Energy independence among customers







Background





- Low(er) temperature DH
- Hyllie in Malmö,
 Sweden



Method (short)



- Information from prospectors in Hyllie
- Energy data from E.on
- Model of Hyllie (intern, extern)
- NetSim Commercial DH simulation programme
- Static simulations
- Environmental calculations (original+no DHW)
- Temperature data from 10 years
- Marginal electricity, nordic residual mix, wind energy
- Calculations on artificial network in NetSim



Flow and velocity





- Heat zero building
- Dimensioning of pipes



Model of Hyllie



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- Most excess heat during summer
 - Noticeable prosumer heat delivery even with the intern case

Environmental outcome





- Marginal electricity
- Nordic residual mix
- Wind energy
- COP (electricity share)

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Prosumers – problems and possibilities



Problems

- Pipe dimensioning
- Most heat in summer
- Supply temperature
- Electricity share

Possibilities

- Interconnected heat and power networks
- More resourceful system
- More customer oriented DH





Thank you!

