

# IBPSA Project 1 – WP 3.2 Application

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## Objective of WP 3.2

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To demonstrate through application case studies the use of Modelica for building and district energy systems design and operation

## What has been done so far?

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A total of 7 free presentations were given in previous Expert Meetings regarding application case studies of Modelica

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| • Modeling and simulation of multi-energy-grid technology | (Lucerne University)             |
| • Living Roadmap Jülich                                   | (RWTH Aachen)                    |
| • Modeling of TERMONET                                    | (University of Southern Denmark) |
| • Input data uncertainty in district energy simulations   | (Leuven University)              |
| • Bidirectional DHC systems                               | (ETH Zürich / EMPA)              |
| • Aggregating neighborhood space heating demand           | (Leuven University)              |
| • Three case studies of district energy systems in Norway | (SINTEF)                         |

## Next steps

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- 1) Develop a **case study template** document to facilitate a unified description of the application case studies
  - Short description of case study
  - Objective of simulation (system design, operation analysis, optimization, economic evaluation etc..)
  - Used Modelica libraries and simulation tools
  - Any missing model had/has to be developed? -> connection with WP1.1 and 1.2
  - Benefits and barriers of using Modelica for such case study
- 2) Circulate the template among TASK 3 participants and see how many case studies we can gather
- 3) If any other IBPSA Project 1 participant is working on Modelica-based application case studies is more than welcome to join and fill in the template!



I will send an email to the IBPSA Project 1 mailing list with more details