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## CityGML Energy Application Domain Extension

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#### **Abstract**

The Energy Application Domain Extension (Energy ADE) described in this documentation defines a standardized data model based on the CityGML 2.0 format for urban energy analyses, aiming to be a reference exchange data model between different urban modelling tools and expert databases.

The Energy ADE has been developed since May 2014 by an international consortium of urban energy simulation developers and users, both academic and commercial. To date, the consortium is composed by: University of Applied Sciences Stuttgart, Technische Universität München, Karlsruhe Institute für Technologie, RWTH Aachen University / E.ON Energy Research Center, HafenCity Universität Hamburg, European Institute for Energy Research, Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, Centre Scientifique et Technique du Batiment, Electricité de France, Sinergis, M.O.S.S Computer Grafik Systeme and Austrian Institute of Technology.

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# 1 Overview of the Energy Application Domain Extension

The CityGML Energy Application Domain Extension (Energy ADE) aims at extending the CityGML 2.0 standard with energy-related entities and attributes necessary to perform energy analyses at urban scale.

In accordance with the philosophy of CityGML, the Energy ADE aims to be flexible in terms of compatibility with different data qualities, levels of detail and urban energy model complexities (e.g. from monthly energy balance methods as of ISO 13790, to sub-hourly dynamic simulations by means of software programs like CitySim or Energy-Plus). It intends also to take into consideration the INSPIRE Directive of the European Parliament, as well as the recent US Building Energy Data Exchange Specification (BE-DES).

Its structure is conceived to be modular. In its current version 0.7, it consists of 5 modules:

- Building Physics module,
- Occupancy module,
- Construction and Material module,
- Energy System module,
- Timeseries and Schedules module.

Some modules can be potentially used and extended also for other applications (e.g. module Occupancy for socio-economics, module Construction and Materials for acoustics or statics, etc).

This document is intended to explain the characteristics and purposes of each module, their entities and attributes. It provides also a number of XML examples, illustrating how and where the Energy ADE entities and attributes may be embedded into CityGML.

## 2 Building Physics Module

#### 2.1 Module overview and main relationships

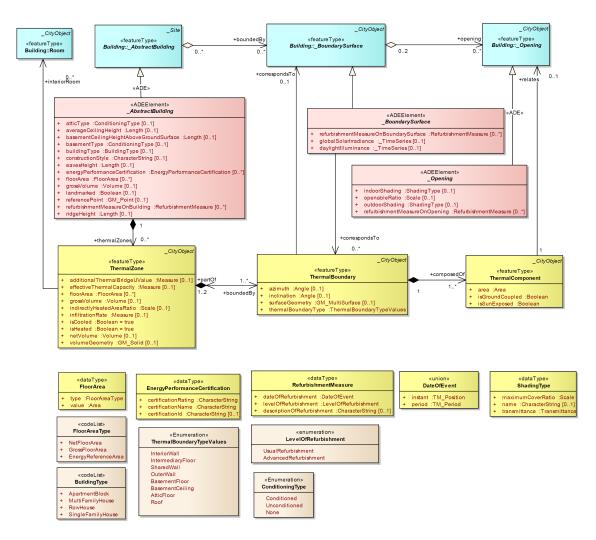


Figure 1: Class diagram of Building Physics Module

This module contains the thermal building objects required for building thermal modelling (e.g. calculation of space heating and space cooling demands): ThermalZone, ThermalBoundary, ThermalComponent. These thermal building objects are linked to the CityGML building objects through its \_AbstractBuilding, \_BoundarySurface, \_Opening classes, which are extended with Energy ADE attributes.

The ThermalZone, which represents the spatial unit for heating and cooling demand calculation, is the central object of this Building Physics Module. A Building may have several ThermalZone, for instance in the case of mixed-usage building, or to distinguish rooms or zones with different solar gains and/or thermal behaviour.

If occupied, a ThermalZone must be related to at less 1 UsageZone, which contains the usage boundary conditions for the heating and cooling demand calculation (see Occupancy Module). ThermalZone may be related to several UsageZone for simplified modelling of mixed-usage space, in which case the usage boundary conditions of the UsageZone should be aggregated or weighted according with their floorArea.

These ThermalZone objects are separated from each other and from the outside by ThermalBoundary objects. These ThermalBoundary objects may or not correspond to the CityGML \_BoundarySurface. However, every ThermalBoundary delimiting the ThermalZone from outside must be related (correspondsTo) with a \_BoundarySurface, in order to consider the globalSolarIrradiance incident on \_BoundarySurface in the heating and cooling calculations.

#### 2.2 Extension of CityGML building objects

#### 2.2.1 AbstractBuilding

The Energy ADE extends the CityGML \_AbstractBuilding by a number of energy-related attributes, e.g with regards to the geometrical characteristics (referencePoint, averageCeilingHeight, eavesHeight, ridgeHeight, basementCeilingHeightAboveGrounSurface, floorArea, grossVolume), to the conditioning of basement and attic (basementType, atticType), to the available energy certificates (energyPerformanceCertification) and refurbishment measures (RefurbishmentMeasureOnBuilding), and other building information useful for building typology categorisations (buildingType and constructionStyle).

All these attributes are optional. Some of them, like floorArea and energyPerformanceCertification, have a cardinality [0..\*] and may consequently be attributed several times to a building, specifying different values for different FloorAreaType, respectively certificationName.

Finally, because \_AbstractBuilding inherits from \_CityObject, further objects may be assigned to it, like EnergyDemand in particular (see Module Energy and Systems).

In the following, an extract of CityGML file for a building is given, included some of its Energy ADE attributes.

```
1 <!--Examples of Building with Energy ADE attributes-->
```

<sup>2 &</sup>lt;bldg:Building gml:id="id\_building\_1">

<sup>&</sup>lt;gml:description>Description of Building 1</gml:description>

```
<gml:name>Name of Building 1
    <energy:referencePoint>
     <gml:Point gml:id="id_building_referencepoint_1" srsName="EPSG:31256"</pre>
         srsDimension="3">
      <gml:pos>5 5 0
     </gml:Point>
8
    </energy:referencePoint>
    <energy:basementType>Unconditioned</energy:basementType>
10
    <energy?energyPerformanceCertification>
     <!--Here come the EnergyPerformanceCertification objects (see later) -->
12
    </energy!energyPerformanceCertification>
13
    <energy:basementCeilingHeightAboveGroundSurface uom="m">1</energy:</pre>
14
        basementCeilingHeightAboveGroundSurface>
    <energy:grossVolume uom="m^3">1050</energy:grossVolume>
15
    <energy:refurbishmentMeasureOnBuilding>
16
     <energy:RefurbishmentMeasure>
17
      <!--Here come all attributes of a RefurbishmentMeasure object (omitted here)--
18
     </energy:RefurbishmentMeasure>
19
    </energy:refurbishmentMeasureOnBuilding>
20
    <energy:averageCeilingHeight uom="m">2.7</energy:averageCeilingHeight>
21
    <energy:atticType>Conditioned</energy:atticType>
22
23
    <!--Here may come a list of UsageZone of the building (see Module Occupancy) -->
24
25
    <energy:ridgeHeight uom="m">10.5</energy:ridgeHeight>
26
    <energy:landmarked>false</energy:landmarked>
27
    <energy:floorArea>
28
     <!--Here come the floorArea objects (see later)-->
29
    </energy:floorArea>
30
    <energy:eavesHeight uom="m">8</energy:eavesHeight>
    <energy:constructionStyle>Massive</energy:constructionStyle>
32
    <energy:buildingType>MultiFamilyHouse</energy:buildingType>
33
34
    <!--Here follow all ThermalZone objects, each inside a "thermalZones" tag-->
35
    <energy:thermalZones>
36
     <energy:ThermalZone gml:id="id_thermalzone_1">
37
      <!--Here come all attributes of the first ThermalZone (omitted here)-->
38
     </energy:ThermalZone>
    </energy:thermalZones>
40
    <energy:thermalZones>
41
     <energy:ThermalZone gml:id="id_thermalzone_2">
42
      <!--Here come all attributes of the second ThermalZone (omitted here)-->
43
```

```
44 </energy:ThermalZone>
45 </energy:thermalZones>
46 </bldg:Building>
```

#### FloorArea

Buildings (\_AbstractBuilding) and building zones (ThermalZone and UsageZone) may have several floorArea, related to several FloorAreaType (e.g. net floor area, gross floor area, energy reference area).

```
<!--Examples of three floor areas-->
   <energy:FloorArea>
       <energy:FloorArea>
3
           <energy:type>GrossFloorArea</energy:type>
          <energy:value uom="m^2">50.0</energy:value>
       </energy:FloorArea>
       <energy:FloorArea>
          <energy:type>NetFloorArea</energy:type>
          <energy:value uom="m^2">40.0</energy:value>
       </energy:FloorArea>
10
       <energy:FloorArea>
          <energy:type>EnergyReferenceArea</energy:type>
12
          <energy:value uom="m^2">43.0</energy:value>
13
       </energy:FloorArea>
14
   </energy:FloorArea>
```

#### **EnergyPerformanceCertification**

A building may present several

energyPerformanceCertification related to different certificationName (e.g. PassivHaus, LEED) and/or different certification dates (specificied by certificationId).

#### RefurbishmentMeasure

Energy-efficient refurbishment operations and measures may be indicated as attribute of \_AbstractBuilding, \_BoundarySurface and \_Opening. The RefurbishmentMeasure object contains two information: the date and level of refurbishment.

The attribute levelOfRefurbishment is a codeList whose elements generally relates to refurbishment measure libraries or to a building typology categorisation.

The attribute dateOfRefurbishment is defined by the GML type DateOfEvent, and may consequently be specified in different manners (see the 3 examples below).

```
<!--Example of a Refurbishment Measure on a building with a very vague date ("
       before June 2010") -->
   <energy:refurbishmentMeasureOnBuilding>
       <energy:RefurbishmentMeasure>
3
          <energy:dateOfRefurbishment>
              <energy:DateOfEvent>
5
                  <energy:instant indeterminatePosition="before">2010-06</energy:</pre>
                     instant>
              </energy:DateOfEvent>
          </energy:dateOfRefurbishment>
8
          <energy:levelOfRefurbishment>UsualRefurbishment/energy:
              levelOfRefurbishment>
          <gml:description>Refurbishment consisting of an outside insulation of
10
              walls etc.</gml:description>
       </energy:RefurbishmentMeasure>
   </energy:refurbishmentMeasureOnBuilding>
12
   <!--Example of an advanced Refurbishment Measure in the years 1998 and 1999 -->
   <energy:refurbishmentMeasureOnBuilding>
       <energy:RefurbishmentMeasure>
3
          <energy:dateOfRefurbishment>
4
              <energy:DateOfEvent>
                  <energy:period>
6
                     <gml:TimePeriod>
7
                         <gml:beginPosition>1998
```

```
<gml:endPosition>2000/gml:endPosition>
9
                      </gml:TimePeriod>
10
                  </energy:period>
11
              </energy:DateOfEvent>
12
          </energy:dateOfRefurbishment>
           <energy:levelOfRefurbishment>AdvancedRefurbishment/energy:
14
              levelOfRefurbishment>
       </energy:RefurbishmentMeasure>
15
   </energy:refurbishmentMeasureOnBuilding>
16
   <!--Example of an usual Refurbishment Measure in June 2012 -->
   <energy:refurbishmentMeasureOnBuilding>
       <energy:RefurbishmentMeasure>
          <energy:dateOfRefurbishment>
4
              <energy:DateOfEvent>
                  <energy:instant>2012-06</energy:instant>
6
              </energy:DateOfEvent>
          </energy:dateOfRefurbishment>
           <energy:levelOfRefurbishment>UsualRefurbishment/energy:
              levelOfRefurbishment>
       </energy:RefurbishmentMeasure>
10
   </energy:refurbishmentMeasureOnBuilding>
```

#### 2.2.2 \_Opening

The CityGML abstract class \_Opening (inherited by the objects Window and Door) is extended in this Energy ADE by a number of energy-related attributes.

First of all, an optional attribute openableRatio details the proportion of the opening area which may be opened. An indoor and an outdoor shading system may complement the opening, with a ShadingType characterized by a transmittance (see details in Module Materials and Constructions) and a maximumCoverRatio. Finally, information about possible refurbishment measures and operations may also be added at the level of the opening (e.g window exchange), through the attribute refurbishmentMeasureOnOpening of type RefurbishmentMeasure.

As in the Building example shown before, the standard CityGML attributes have been omitted for better readability. The door example is simpler and contains also information about construction and construction orientation (by means of Xlinks).

```
1 <!--Example of a Window object -->
2 <bldg:Window gml:id="id_window_1">
```

```
<gml:description>This is window with an outside rolling shutter and curtains
3
           inside</gml:description>
       <gml:name>Window with rolling shutter and curtains/gml:name>
5
       <energy:outdoorShading>
          <energy:ShadingType>
              <energy:maximumCoverRatio uom="ratio">1</energy:maximumCoverRatio>
              <energy:name>Rolling shutter</energy:name>
9
              <energy:transmittance>
                  <energy:Transmittance>
11
                      <energy:fraction uom="ratio">0</energy:fraction>
12
                      <energy:wavelengthRange>Total</energy:wavelengthRange>
13
                  </energy:Transmittance>
14
              </energy:transmittance>
           </energy:ShadingType>
16
       </energy:outdoorShading>
18
       <energy:indoorShading>
          <energy:ShadingType>
20
              <energy:maximumCoverRatio uom="ratio">0.5</energy:maximumCoverRatio>
21
              <energy:name>Curtain</energy:name>
22
              <energy:transmittance>
                  <energy:Transmittance>
24
                      <energy:fraction uom="ratio">0.8</energy:fraction>
25
                      <energy:wavelengthRange>Total</energy:wavelengthRange>
26
                  </energy:Transmittance>
27
              </energy:transmittance>
           </energy:ShadingType>
29
       </energy:indoorShading>
30
31
       <energy:openableRatio uom="ratio">0.9</energy:openableRatio>
33
   </bldg:Window>
```

# 2.2.3 \_BoundarySurface, globalSolarIrradiance and daylightIlluminance

The CityGML abstract class \_BoundarySurface is extended by a number of Energy ADE attributes, in order in particular to store the incident global solar irradiances and the daylight illuminances available on each outside boundary surface of the building. Moreover, information about refurbishment measures on roof or facade can char-

acterised the \_BoundarySurface objects, in the same way that the buildings and openings, through the attribute refurbishmentMeasureOnBoundarySurface of type RefurbishmentMeasure.

The globalSolarIrradiance is the sum of the direct, diffuse and reflected irradiance incident on a outside boundary surface and is generally expressed in Watts per square metre. These global solar irradiance is generally used for the thermal calculations within the buildings, but also for the calculation of the energy yield produced by the solar systems (e.g. photovoltaic and solar thermal panels).

The daylightIlluminance is the sum of the direct, diffuse and reflected solar illuminance incident on a outside boundary surface. It is generally expressed in Lux. Daylight illuminance is typically used for outside and inside daylighting study, as well as the calculation of the energy consumptions of lighting systems required to reach the room illuminance threshold when the daylight illuminance is not enough.

Both globalSolarIrradiance and daylightIlluminance attributes are \_Timeseries data (see details in Temporal Data Module). In the following, a XML example of a roof is given.

```
<!--Example of a Roof object -->
   <bldg:RoofSurface gml:id="id_roof_1">
       <gml:description>Description of Roof 1
3
      <gml:name>Name of Roof 1
4
5
      <energy:refurbishmentMeasureOnBoundarySurface>
          <energy:RefurbishmentMeasure>
7
              <!--Here come all attributes of a RefurbishmentMeasure object (omitted
                  here)-->
          </energy:RefurbishmentMeasure>
9
      </energy:refurbishmentMeasureOnBoundarySurface>
10
11
      <energy:globalSolarIrradiance>
12
          <!--Add here the TimeSeries data -->
13
      </energy:globalSolarIrradiance>
14
15
      <energy:daylightIlliminance>
16
          <!--Add here the TimeSeries data -->
17
      </energy:daylightIlliminance>
19
   </bldg:RoofSurface>
```

# 2.3 Thermal zones, thermal boundaries and thermal components

#### 2.3.1 ThermalZone

The ThermalZone is a new object introduced in the Energy ADE to realize building heating and cooling demand calculation. A ThermalZone is a zone of a Building (or of a BuildingPart) which serves as the smallest spatial zone for building heating and cooling demand calculation. It is generally a "thermal homogeneous" space considered as isothermal, but may also refer to several building rooms and zones with different usage boundary conditions for simplified building energy modelling.

A ThermalZone contains a series of energy-related attributes which characterize its geometry (floorArea, grossVolume, netVolume, volumeGeometry), its conditioning status (isCooled, isHeated, indirectlyHeatedAreaRatio) and overall building physics properties (additionalThermalBridgeUValue, infiltration rate, effectiveThermalCapacity).

All these attributes are optional. Among those, floorArea may be attributed several times to a building, specifying different values for different FloorAreaType. A ThermalZone may optionally contain an explicit volume geometry (specified by volumeGeometry), useful in particular for visualisation purposes, but not necessary for heating and cooling demand calculations. The ThermalZone may also be related to a room (gml:Room). The actual surface boundaries of a ThermalZone are defined by means of ThermalBoudary objects (see later).

If occupied, a ThermalZone must be related to at less one UsageZone object (see Occupancy Module), which contains the usage boundary conditions for the heating and cooling demand calculation (see Occupancy Module). ThermalZone may even be related to several UsageZone for simplified modelling of mixed-usage space, in which case the usage boundary conditions of the UsageZone should be aggregated or weighted according with their floorArea.

The class ThermalZone inherits from \_CityObject, and may therefore be associated to one or more EnergyDemand objects (see module Energy Systems).

In the following, Two XML examples present a ThermalZone, with and without explicit volume geometry.

```
_{1} <!--Example of a ThermalZone without explicit volume geometry-->
```

<sup>2 &</sup>lt;energy:ThermalZone gml:id="id\_thermalzone\_1">

```
<gml:description>Description of Thermal Zone 1/gml:description>
       <gml:name>Name of Thermal Zone 1
       <energy:additionalThermalBridgeUValue uom="W/(K*m^2)">0.5/energy:
           additionalThermalBridgeUValue>
       <energy:effectiveThermalCapacity uom="J/K">500</energy:</pre>
           effectiveThermalCapacity>
       <energy:floorArea>
          <energy:FloorArea>
8
              <energy:type>EnergyReferenceArea</energy:type>
              <energy:value uom="m^2">55.0</energy:value>
10
          </energy:FloorArea>
11
       </energy:floorArea>
12
       <energy:grossVolume uom="m^3">200.0</energy:grossVolume>
13
14
       <!-- here follows a related usage zone -->
15
       <energy:relates xlink:href="#id_usagezone_1"/>
16
17
       <energy:indirectlyHeatedAreaRatio uom="ratio">0.15</energy:</pre>
           indirectlyHeatedAreaRatio>
       <energy:infiltrationRate uom="1/h">1.2</energy:infiltrationRate>
19
       <energy:isCooled>true</energy:isCooled>
20
       <energy:isHeated>true</energy:isHeated>
       <energy:netVolume uom="m^3">180.0</energy:netVolume>
22
23
       <!--Here follow all ThermalBoundary objects, each inside a "boundedBy" tag-->
24
       <energy:boundedBy>
25
          <energy:ThermalBoundary gml:id="id_thermalboundary_1">
26
              <!--Here come all attributes of the first ThermalBoundary (omitted
27
                  here)-->
           </energy:ThermalBoundary>
28
       </energy:boundedBy>
       <energy:boundedBy>
30
           <energy:ThermalBoundary gml:id="id_thermalboundary_2">
31
              <!--Here come all attributes of the second ThermalBoundary (omitted
32
                  here)-->
           </energy:ThermalBoundary>
33
       </energy:boundedBy>
34
35
   </energy:ThermalZone>
36
   <!--Example of a ThermalZone with explicit volume geometry-->
   <energy:ThermalZone gml:id="id_thermalzone_2">
       <!--Additional attributes of the ThermalZone (omitted here)-->
```

```
4
       <energy:volumeGeometry>
5
           <gml:Solid gml:id="id_thermalzone_volume_geometry_1" srsName="EPSG:31256"</pre>
6
               srsDimension="3">
               <gml:exterior>
                   <gml:CompositeSurface>
                       <gml:surfaceMember>
                          <gml:Polygon>
10
                              <gml:exterior>
                                  <gml:LinearRing>
12
                                      <gml:posList>0 0 0 0 10 0 5 10 0 5 0 0 0 0 0
13
                                          gml:posList>
                                  </gml:LinearRing>
14
                              </gml:exterior>
15
                          </gml:Polygon>
16
                      </gml:surfaceMember>
17
                       <gml:surfaceMember>
18
                          <gml:Polygon>
                              <gml:exterior>
20
                                  <gml:LinearRing>
21
                                      <gml:posList>0 0 4 5 0 4 5 10 4 0 10 4 0 0 4
22
                                          gml:posList>
                                  </gml:LinearRing>
23
                              </gml:exterior>
24
                          </gml:Polygon>
25
                      </gml:surfaceMember>
26
                      <!--Here come further surfaceMember objects-->
27
                      </gml:CompositeSurface>
28
               </gml:exterior>
29
           </gml:Solid>
30
       </energy:volumeGeometry>
   </energy:ThermalZone>
```

#### 2.3.2 ThermalBoundary

A ThermalBoundary represent the physical relationship between two ThermalZone, or one ThermalZone and the building environment. Its geometrical representation is a coplanar, or quasi coplanar, surface.

Each ThermalZone is geometrically closed by its whole set of bounding ThermalBoundary (specificied in the relationship "boundedBy").

In the case where the ThermalBoundary delimits one ThermalZone from the building environment, corresponding then to the external boundary of a building, its geometrical representation coincides with the external surfaces of the related outer wall/roof/basement floor. In this case, the ThermalBoundary should be linked to the corresponding \_BoundarySurface object (e.g. a WallSurface, a RoofSurface, a GroundSurface in LoD2) if existing, through the relationship "correspondsTo". It may however occurs that such ThermalBoundary does not match with any \_BoundarySurface (e.g. basement ceiling, attic floor).

In the case where the ThermalBoundary separate two adjacent ThermalZone, corresponding then to an intermediate floor, ceiling, or a shared wall, its geometrical representation coincides with the plan laying at the middle of this construction thickness.

The following figure represents these 2 different cases in a building side section, relating the Energy ADE objects ThermalZone and ThermalBoundary to the CityGML objects Room and \_BoundarySurface.

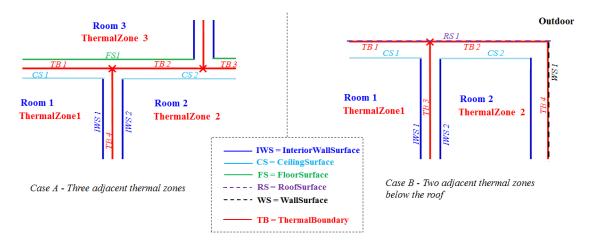


Figure 2: Schema of adjacent thermal zones

ThermalBoundary may contain attributes characterizing their type

(thermalBoundaryType), orientation (azimuth and inclination) and explicit geometry (surfaceGeometry). All these attributes are optional. Thus, a ThermalZone may optionally contain an explicit surface geometry (specified by surfaceGeometry), useful in particular for visualisation purposes if the ThermalBoundary does not coincide with any \_BoundarySurface, but not necessary for heating and cooling demand calculations.

The ThermalBoundaryType type is slightly different to the types of \_BoundarySurface from CityGML, integrating further thermal boundaries like AtticFloor, BasementCeiling, BasementFloor or SharedWall.

Each ThermalBoundaryType is composed of ThermalComponent (e.g. wall construction, windows etc.) which holds the Construction.

In the following, two XML examples of ThermalBoundary, with and without explicit geometry are given.

```
<!--Example of a ThermalBoundary corresponding to a building roof, delimiting a
       thermal zone -->
   <energy:ThermalBoundary gml:id="id_thermalboundary_1">
       <gml:description>Thermal Boundary 1/gml:description>
       <gml:name>Thermal Boundary 1/gml:name>
       <energy:azimuth uom="decimal degrees">135</energy:azimuth>
       <energy:inclination uom="decimal degrees">55</energy:inclination>
       <energy:thermalBoundaryType>Roof</energy:thermalBoundaryType>
       <partOf xlink:href="#id_thermalzone_1"/>
       <energy:composedOf>
9
          <energy:ThermalComponent gml:id="id_thermalcomponent_1">
10
              <!--Here come all attributes of the first ThermalComponent (omitted
11
                  here)-->
          </energy:ThermalComponent>
12
       </energy:composedOf>
13
       <energy:composedOf>
14
          <energy:ThermalComponent gml:id="id_thermalcomponent_2">
15
              <!--Here come all attributes of the second ThermalComponent (omitted
                  here)-->
          </energy:ThermalComponent>
17
       </energy:composedOf>
18
       <correspondsTo xlink:href="#id_RoofSurface_1"/>
   </energy:ThermalBoundary>
20
   <!--Example of a ThermalBoundary with explicit surface geometry, separating two
       thermal zones -->
   <energy:ThermalBoundary gml:id="id_thermalboundary_2">
2
       <!--Additional attributes of the ThermalBoundary class (omitted here)-->
3
4
       <energy:surfaceGeometry>
          <gml:MultiSurface gml:id="id_thermalboundary_2_surface_geometry" srsName="</pre>
6
              EPSG:31256" srsDimension="3">
              <gml:surfaceMember>
                  <gml:Polygon>
                      <gml:exterior>
9
                          <gml:LinearRing>
10
                             <gml:posList>0 0 0 0 10 0 5 10 0 5 0 0 0 0 0/gml:
11
                                 posList>
```

```
//gml:LinearRing>
//gml:exterior>
//gml:Polygon>
//gml:surfaceMember>
//gml:MultiSurface>
//energy:surfaceGeometry>
//energy:surfaceGeometry>
//energy:faceGeometry>
```

#### 2.3.3 ThermalComponent

A ThermalComponent object is a part of the thermal boundary corresponding to a homogeneous construction component (e.g. windows, wall, insulated part of a wall etc.). Each ThermalComponent is characterized with their Area, information whether it is coupled to ground (isGroundCoupled) and exposed to sun (isSunExposed).

Since ThermalComponent inherits from \_CityObject, it can be associated to a Construction object (see module Construction and Material). This may be done either inline or by means of xlinks (see example below). In this way, ThermalComponent provides the physical properties of the building envelope to calculate the heating and cooling demand.

```
<!--Example of a Facade with 20% window to wall ratio -->
   <energy:ThermalBoundary gml:id="Id_Facade_1">
2
       <energy:thermalBoundaryType>OuterWall</energy:thermalBoundaryType>
3
      <energy:partOf xlink:href="ID_ZONE_1"/>
      <energy:composedOf>
5
          <energy:ThermalComponent gml:id="id_Wall_1">
              <gml:description>Part of the facade of wall
              <energy:construction xlink:href="#id_WallConstruction_1"/>
              <energy:area uom="m^2">40.0</energy:area>
9
              <energy:isGroundCoupled>false</energy:isGroundCoupled>
10
              <energy:isSunExposed>true</energy:isSunExposed>
11
              </energy:ThermalComponent>
12
      </energy:composedOf>
13
      <energy:composedOf>
14
          <energy:ThermalComponent gml:id="id_Window_1">
15
                  <gml:description>Part of the facade of windows/gml:description>
16
                  <energy:construction xlink:href="#id_WindowConstruction_1"/>
                  <energy:area uom="m^2">10.0</energy:area>
18
                  <energy:isGroundCoupled>false</energy:isGroundCoupled>
19
```

## 3 Temporal Data Module

This module introduces the two new types \_TimeSeries and \_Schedules, essential to model the time-depending inputs and results of urban energy analyses. These types are used in other Modules of the Energy ADE, in particular the module Occupancy and module Energy and Systems.

As theses types are actually not domain-specific, we are collaborating with the development team of the CityGML 3.0 to integrate them in the new CityGML 3.0 to come (as Dynamizer).

#### 3.1 Time Series

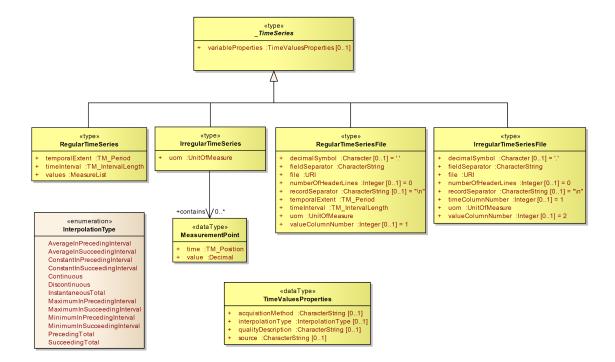


Figure 3: Class diagram of ADE Energy Core - Time Series

Time series are homogeneous lists of time-depending values. They are used in the Energy ADE to store energy amount or an occupancy schedule, for instance.

All time series share some common properties, gathered in the TimeValuesProperties type object. This object specifies optionally the acquisitionMethod (e.g. simulated with software X, measured with heat meter), interpolationType (based on the WaterML ADE<sup>1</sup> to know for instance if measured data are "Average in Preceding Interval",

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>http://def.seegrid.csiro.au/sissvoc/ogc-def/resource?uri=http://www.opengis.net/def/

or "Instantaneous Total"), qualityDescription and source of the time series data. Additionally, \_TimeSeriesmay contain the the usual GML type attributes name and description.

Time series can be either regular or irregular. RegularTimeSeries contain values generated at regularly spaced interval of time (timeInterval), over a given temporalExtent (i.e. start, end and duration time). They are used, for instance, to store automatically acquired data or hourly/daily/monthly simulation results. In IrregularTimeSeries, data follows a temporal sequence, but the measurement points may not happen at a regular time interval (IBM knowledge Center<sup>2</sup>). Therefore, each value must be associated with a data or time.

Time series values may be also stored on an external file (e.g. csv or text), both for regular (RegularTimeSeriesFile) and irregular time series (IrregularTimeSeriesFile). A number of attributes must be detailed to retrieve the file, interprete the formats and values inside it (decimalSymbol, recordSeparator, fieldSeparator, numberOfHeaderLines, uom), and know which values of the file should be read (timeColumnNumber for irregular time series and valueColumnNumber for both of them). One file with different records may be reused by different RegularTimeSeriesFile or IrregularTimeSeriesFile with the corresponding valueColumnNumber.

In the following, four examples of time series illustrates the four types of time series. The variableProperties and gml attributes are presented in the first example but not always repeated in the following examples for better readibility.

#### Example of RegularTimeSeries object:

waterml/2.0/interpolationType/

 $<sup>^2</sup>$ http://www-01.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/SSCRJU\_3.0.0/com.ibm.swg.im. infosphere.streams.timeseries-toolkit.doc/doc/timeseries-regular.html

```
<energy:interpolationType>AverageInSucceedingInterval/energy:
                  interpolationType>
              <energy:qualityDescription>Accurate (+/- 0.2 kWh)</energy:</pre>
                  qualityDescription>
              <energy:source>Subcontracting company X</energy:source>
           </energy:TimeValuesProperties>
11
       </energy:variableProperties>
       <energy:temporalExtent>
13
          <gml:TimePeriod>
              <gml:beginPosition>2016-01-01/gml:beginPosition>
15
              <gml:endPosition>2016-12-31/gml:endPosition>
16
          </gml:TimePeriod>
17
       </energy:temporalExtent>
       <energy:timeInterval unit="day">1</energy:timeInterval>
19
       <energy:values uom="kWh">11.2 11.4 10.2 9.6 6.3 11.5 12.7 ... (truncated, set
20
            of 365 values) </energy:values>
   </energy:RegularTimeSeries>
   Example of IrregularTimeSeries object:
   <!--Example of IrregularTimeSeries object listing one value per year-->
   <energy:IrregularTimeSeries gml:id="id_timeseries_electricity_demand_1">
       <energy:variableProperties>
          <energy:TimeValuesProperties>
              <energy:acquisitionMethod>Manual read on electrical meter</energy:</pre>
                  acquisitionMethod>
              <energy:interpolationType>InstantTotal</energy:interpolationType>
           </energy:TimeValuesProperties>
       </energy:variableProperties>
8
       <energy:uom uom="kWh"/>
       <energy:contains>
10
           <energy:MeasurementPoint>
              <energy:time>2010-02-24</energy:time>
12
              <energy:value>12050</energy:value>
13
           </energy:MeasurementPoint>
14
       </energy:contains>
15
       <energy:contains>
16
          <energy:MeasurementPoint>
17
              <energy:time>2011-02-15</energy:time>
18
              <energy:value>14050</energy:value>
19
           </energy:MeasurementPoint>
20
       </energy:contains>
21
       <energy:contains>
22
          <energy:MeasurementPoint>
23
```

```
<energy:time>2012-03-01</energy:time>
24
              <energy:value>16245</energy:value>
25
          </energy:MeasurementPoint>
26
       </energy:contains>
27
   </energy:RegularTimeSeries>
   Example of RegularTimeSeriesFile object:
   <!--Example of RegularTimeSeriesFile object with hourly values contained in a
       file-->
   <energy:RegularTimeSeriesFile gml:id="id_regulartimeseries_file_1">
       <energy:uom uom="W/m^2"/>
       <energy:file>file_name_containing_values.csv</energy:file>
       <energy:temporalExtent>
5
          <gml:TimePeriod>
              <gml:beginPosition>2008-01-01/gml:beginPosition>
              <gml:endPosition>2008-12-31!endPosition>
          </gml:TimePeriod>
9
       </energy:temporalExtent>
       <energy:timeInterval unit="hour">1</energy:timeInterval>
11
       <energy:numberOfHeaderLines>1</energy:numberOfHeaderLines>
       <energy:valueColumnNumber>1</energy:valueColumnNumber>
13
       <energy:fieldSeparator>\t</energy:fieldSeparator>
   </energy:RegularTimeSeriesFile>
15
   Example of IrregularTimeSeriesFile object:
   <!--Example of IrregularTimeSeriesFile object-->
   <energy:RegularTimeSeriesFile gml:id="id_regulartimeseries_file_1">
       <energy:uom uom="W/m^2"/>
       <energy:file>file_name_containing_values.csv</energy:file>
       <energy:numberOfHeaderLines>1</energy:numberOfHeaderLines>
5
       <energy:recordSeparator> </energy:recordSeparator>
       <energy:decimalSymbol>,</energy:decimalSymbol>
       <energy:valueColumnNumber>9</energy:valueColumnNumber>
       <energy:timeColumnNumber>1</energy:timeColumnNumber>
9
       <energy:fieldSeparator>\t</energy:fieldSeparator>
10
```

#### 3.2 Schedules

</energy:RegularTimeSeriesFile>

The type \_Schedule is used in the Energy ADE for different kinds of schedules related to the building usage: heating and cooling schedules (set-point temperatures), ventilation

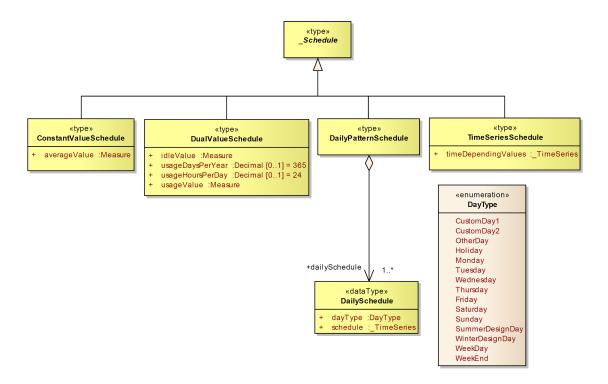


Figure 4: Class diagram of ADE Energy Core - Schedules

schedules (mechanical air change rate), occupancy rate and facilities operation schedules.

Schedules can be modelled in 4 possible "semantic levels of detail", depending on the available information and the application requirements. These levels of detail range from a simple constant value to a detailed schedule characterised by a TimeSeries object.

#### 3.2.1 ConstantValueSchedule

The simplest level of detail, this Schedule is defined by a constant measure (averageValue), generally corresponding to the average parameter value.

#### 3.2.2 DualValueSchedule

A two-state schedule. This schedule is defined by a usageValue for usage times, and an idleValue outside these temporal boundaries. Usage times are characterized by the numbers usageHoursPerDay and usageHoursPerDay (usage hours per usage days).

This schedule complies in particular with the data requirements of the codes and norms describing the monthly energy balance (DIN 18599-2, ISO 13790).

#### 3.2.3 DailyPatternSchedule

This more detailed schedule is composed of daily schedule associated to recurrent dayType (e.g. weekday, weekend). These daily schedules are of type\_TimeSeries, as described above.

```
<!--Example of a daily pattern schedule for a standard week composed of weekday
       and weekend days -->
   <energy:DailyPatternSchedule gml:id="id_dailypattern_schedule_3">
       <energy:dailySchedule>
           <energy:DailySchedule>
4
              <energy:dayType>WeekDay</energy:dayType>
              <energy:schedule>
6
                  <energy:RegularTimeSeries gml:id="id_occupants_daily_timeseries_1"</pre>
                      <energy:temporalExtent>
8
                          <gml:TimePeriod>
9
                              <gml:beginPosition>00:00:00/gml:beginPosition>
10
                              <gml:endPosition>23:59:59/gml:endPosition>
11
                          </gml:TimePeriod>
12
                      </energy:temporalExtent>
13
                      <energy:timeInterval unit="hour">1</energy:timeInterval>
14
                      <energy:values uom="ratio">0 0 0 0.1 0.2 0.5 ... (truncated,
15
                          set of 24 values)</energy:values>
                  </energy:RegularTimeSeries>
16
              </energy:schedule>
17
           </energy:DailySchedule>
18
       </energy:dailySchedule>
19
       <energy:dailySchedule>
20
           <energy:DailySchedule>
21
              <energy:dayType>WeenEnd</energy:dayType>
22
              <energy:schedule>
```

```
<energy:RegularTimeSeries gml:id="id_occupants_daily_timeseries2">
24
                      <energy:temporalExtent>
25
                          <gml:TimePeriod>
26
                             <gml:beginPosition>00:00:00/gml:beginPosition>
27
                             <gml:endPosition>23:59:59/gml:endPosition>
                          </gml:TimePeriod>
29
                      </energy:temporalExtent>
30
                      <energy:timeInterval unit="hour">1</energy:timeInterval>
31
                      <energy:values uom="ratio">0 0 0 0.11 0.22 ... (truncated, set
                          of 24 values)</energy:values>
                  </energy:RegularTimeSeries>
33
              </energy:schedule>
34
          </energy:DailySchedule>
35
       </energy:dailySchedule>
36
   </energy:DailyPatternSchedule>
```

#### 3.2.4 TimeSeriesSchedule

This type is the most detailed of all \_schedule levels of details. It consists of a unique time series, without patterns.

```
<!--Example of a time series based schedule with hourly values for one year-->
   <energy:TimeSeriesSchedule gml:id="id_timeseries_schedule_4">
       <energy:RegularTimeSeries "id_occupants_timeseries4">
3
              <energy:temporalExtent>
                  <gml:TimePeriod>
5
                     <gml:beginPosition>2000-01-01/gml:beginPosition>
                     <gml:endPosition>2000-12-31! endPosition>
                  </gml:TimePeriod>
              </energy:temporalExtent>
9
              <energy:timeInterval unit="hour">1</energy:timeInterval>
10
              <energy:values uom="ratio">1 1 1 1 0.9 0.7 0.5 ... (truncated, set of
                  8760 values) </energy:values>
       </energy:RegularTimeSeries>
   </energy:TimeSeriesSchedule>
```

# 4 Construction and Material Module

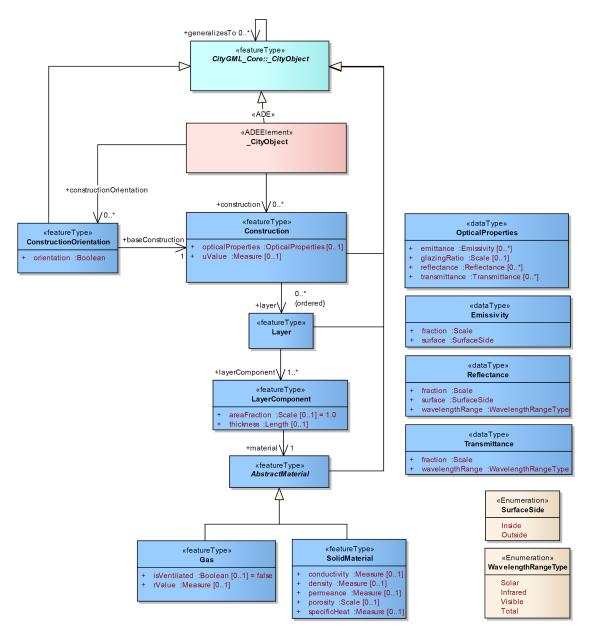


Figure 5: Class diagram of Construction Module

The Construction and Material module of the ADE Energy characterizes physically the building construction parts, detailing their structure and specifiying their thermal and optical properties.

As its central object Construction inherits from class \_CityObject, all similar objects, can be described by means of construction and materials.

Given that the nature of this module is not domain-specific, it can be used beyond energy-related applications (e.g. in statics, acoustics etc.)

#### 4.1 Construction

This is the central object of this module, which holds the physical characterisation of building envelop or intern room partition (e.g. wall, roof, openings). In the Energy ADE, the object Construction is generally linked to the object ThermalComponents for space heating and cooling demand calculations, in order to specified in the building model the physical parameters of walls, roofs of windows etc. However, it may possibly be linked to any \_CityObject for other purposes, in particular to \_BoundarySurface, \_Opening or even \_AbstractBuilding.

Each Construction object may be characterised by optical and/or physical properties.

The OpticalProperties type specified the emissivity, reflectance, transmittance and glazingRatio of the construction and its surfaces:

- Emissivity is the ratio of the infrared (also called long-wave) radiation emitted by a specific surface/object to that of a black body. It is specified for a given surface (SurfaceSide). According with the Kirchoff and Lambert law, for a diffuse grey body the aborptance and the emittance are equal for a given wavelength range.
- Reflectance is the fraction of incident radiation which is reflected by an object. It is specified for a given surface (SurfaceSide) and for a given wavelengthRange type ("Visible", "Infrared", "Solar" or "Total" spectrums).
- Transmittance is the fraction of incident radiation which passes through a specific object. It is specified for a given wavelengthRange type. For example, the total transmittance of a window correspond to its *g-value* (also called Solar Heat Gain Coefficient). The transmittance value is included between 0 (completely opaque object) and 1 (completely transparent object).
- the glazingRatio corresponds of to proportion of the construction surface which
  is transparent and for which the transmittance is defined. For the modelling of
  window, glazingRatio corresponds to the proportion of window surface not cover
  by the window frame.

The thermal properties of the Construction may be characterized with two possible "levels of details": either with the heat transmission coefficient uValue for steady-state thermal modelling, or by detailing its different Layer of materials and their thermal behaviour.

In this last case, the Construction may be defined as an ordered combination of Layer, containing possibly several LayerComponent made of materials.

In the following, several examples of Construction objects are presented, with different levels of complexity.

A simple wall characterised with its U-value :

A window characterised with its U-value, its emissivity, its g-value and its visible transmittance.

```
<!--Example of low-emissivity window Construction object-->
   <energy:Construction gml:id="id_construction_2">
       <gml:description>Description of the windows Construction/gml:description>
       <gml:name>Name of the window Construction
       <energy:uValue uom="W/(K*m^2)">1.9
5
       <energy:opticalProperties>
          <energy:OpticalProperties>
              <energy:emittance>
                  <energy:Emissivity>
9
                     <energy:fraction uom="ratio">0.04</energy:fraction>
10
                     <energy:surface>Inside</energy:surface>
11
                  </energy:Emissivity>
12
              </energy:emittance>
13
              <!-- Here follows the g-value (or SHGC) characterization-->
14
              <energy:transmittance>
15
                  <energy:Transmittance>
16
                     <energy:fraction uom="ratio">0.65</energy:fraction>
17
                     <energy:wavelengthRange>Total</energy:wavelengthRange>
18
                  </energy:Transmittance>
              </energy:transmittance>
20
              <!-- Here follows the visible transmittance characterization-->
21
              <energy:transmittance>
22
                  <energy:Transmittance>
23
                     <energy:fraction uom="ratio">0.55</energy:fraction>
24
                     <energy:wavelengthRange>Visible</energy:wavelengthRange>
25
                  </energy:Transmittance>
26
              </energy:transmittance>
27
              <energy:glazingRatio uom="ratio">0.8</energy:glazingRatio>
          </energy:OpticalProperties>
29
       </energy:opticalProperties>
```

```
31 </energy:Construction>
```

#### 4.1.1 Construction Orientation

This class defines the orientation convention of the Construction object it is referred to. In other words, it indicates in which order the layers are to be considered (from inside to outside, or viceversa), because the same construction, if common to different zones or buildings, might be orientated in two different directions for instance.

#### 4.2 Layers and layer components

A Construction may be defined as an ordered combination of layers, themselves composed of one or more LayerComponent. A LayerComponent is a homogeneous part of a Layer (composed of a unique material) covering a given fraction (areaFraction) of it.

The materials of each LayerComponent may be specified either inline or by means of xlinks (more adapted to materials reused in different constructions).

The XML example below characterizes a insulated outer wall construction with three layers. The materials are referenced with xlinks (the material characterization of ID\_Material\_Concrete follows in the paragrap Material).

```
</energy:layerComponent>
10
11
      <energy:layerComponent>
12
       <energy:LayerComponent>
13
        <energy:thickness uom="m">0.24</energy:thickness>
        <energy:material xlink:href="#ID Material Concrete"/>
15
       </energy:LayerComponent>
16
      </energy:layerComponent>
17
      <energy:layerComponent>
19
       <energy:LayerComponent>
20
        <energy:thickness uom="m">0.12</energy:thickness>
21
        <energy:material xlink:href="#ID Material Polyurethan"/>
       </energy:LayerComponent>
23
      </energy:layerComponent>
24
     </energy:Layer>
25
    </energy:layer>
26
   </energy:Construction>
```

[Picture: Cut of the wall of the same wall - Joachim? Peter?]

#### 4.3 Materials

#### 4.3.1 AbstractMaterial

\_AbstractMaterial is the abstract superclass for all Material classes. A Material is a homogeneous substance. We distinguish solid materials (with mass) from gas (without mass).

#### 4.3.2 SolidMaterial

SolidMaterial is the class of materials which have a mass and a heat capacity.

#### 4.3.3 Gas

Gas is the class of materials whose mass and heat capacity are neglectable in comparison with SolidMaterial.

## 5 Occupancy Module

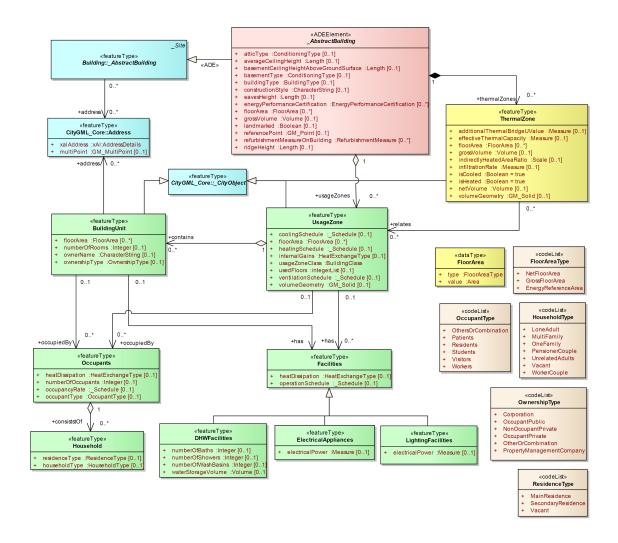


Figure 6: Class diagram of Occupancy Module

The Occupancy Module contains the detailed characterization of the building usage, it means the people and the facilities. It is related to the rest of the ADE Energy and CityGML model through the class UsageZone. One building may have several UsageZone. Due to the type of information it allows to store, the Occupancy Module may be used also for multi-field analysis (socio-economics, demographics etc.).

### 5.1 Usage zones and building units

#### 5.1.1 UsageZone

The UsageZone is a new object introduced in the Energy ADE to realize building usage analyses, and in particular to calculate the energy demand related to occupant-depending

end-uses such as domestic hot water, electrical appliances, cooking etc. When related to the ThermalZone, it allows also to provide the zone usage conditions (e.g. internal gains, HVAC schedules) for the space heating and cooling demand calculations.

UsageZone is a zone of a Building (or of a BuildingPart) with homogeneous usage conditions and indoor climate control settings. It is a semantic object, with an optional geometry (volumeGeometry), which may be or not related to a geometric entity (Building, BuildingPart, Room etc.).

UsageZone is minimally defined by the two mandatory attributes usageZoneClass (its usage type according to the CityGML Code list of the \_AbstractBuilding attribute class) and floorArea. The latter may be attributed several times to a building, specifying different values for different FloorAreaType. Its HVAC schedules are characterized by the optional attributes heatingSchedule, coolingSchedule and ventilationSchedule (respectively for the heating and cooling set-point temperature schedules, and air ventilation schedules). Alternatively to the volumeGeometry attribute, the building storeys occupied by this UsageZone may be also indicated by means of the attribute usedFloors (0 corresponding to the ground floor). Its optional internalGains attribute corresponds to the sum of the energy dissipated from the occupants and the facilities inside the zone.

The following XML example describe the modeling of a mixed-usage building. [Please introduce the photo of the mixed-usage building of Piergiorgio and the related XML code]

```
<!--Example of a UsageZone-->
   <energy:UsageZone gml:id="id_usagezone_1">
       <gml:description>Description of UsageZone 1/gml:description>
3
       <gml:name>Name of UsageZone 1
       <energy:usageZoneClass>Commercial</energy:usageZoneClass>
5
       <energy:usedFloors>1</energy:usedFloors>
       <energy:floorArea>
          <energy:FloorArea>
8
              <energy:type>NetFloorArea</energy:type>
9
              <energy:value>40</energy:value>
10
          </energy:FloorArea>
11
       </energy:floorArea>
12
       <energy:internalGains>
13
          <energy:HeatExchangeType>
14
              <energy:convectiveFraction uom="ratio">0.6</energy:convectiveFraction>
15
              <energy:latentFraction uom="ratio">0.1</energy:latentFraction>
16
              <energy:radiantFraction uom="ratio">0.3</energy:radiantFraction>
17
```

```
<energy:totalValue uom="kW/m^2">80</energy:totalValue>
18
           </energy:HeatExchangeType>
19
       </energy:internalGains>
20
21
       <!--Here follow all BuildingUnit objects, each inside a "contains" tag-->
       <energy:contains>
23
          <energy:BuildingUnit gml:id="id_buildingunit_1">
              <!--Here come all attributes of the first BuildingUnit (if needed) -->
25
          </energy:BuildingUnit>
       </energy:contains>
27
       <!--Add more BuildingUnit objects here (if needed) -->
28
29
       <!--Here follow all Occupants objects, each inside a "occupiedBy" tag-->
30
       <energy:occupiedBy>
31
          <energy:Occupants gml:id="id_occupants_1">
32
              <!--Here come all attributes of the Occupants object -->
          </energy:Occupants>
34
       </energy:occupiedBy>
36
       <!--Here follow all Facility objects, each inside a "has" tag-->
       <energy:has>
38
          <energy:DHWFacilities gml:id="id_dhwfacilities_1">
              <!--Here come all attributes of a Facility object -->
40
          </energy:ElectricalAppliances>
41
       </energy:has>
42
       <energy:has>
43
          <energy:ElectricalAppliances gml:id="id_electricalappliance_1">
              <!--Here come all attributes of a Facility object -->
45
          </energy:ElectricalAppliances>
46
       </energy:has>
47
       <energy:has>
          <energy:LightingFacilities gml:id="id_lightingfacility_1">
49
              <!--Here come all attributes of the Facility object -->
50
          </energy:LightingFacilities>
51
       </energy:has>
53
   </energy:UsageZone>
```

TODO: Add examples of cooling, heating and ventilation schedules.

#### 5.1.2 BuildingUnit

A BuildingUnit is a part of a UsageZone which is related to a single occupant entity, such as a dwelling or a workplace. Owner information attributes (as owner name and ownership type) are specified in this class. It inherits from class CityObject.

```
<!--Example of a BuildingUnit-->
   <energy:BuildingUnit gml:id="id_building_unit_1">
      <gml:description>Description of Building Unit 1
      <gml:name>Name of Building Unit 1
5
      <energy:numberOfRooms>2</energy:numberOfRooms>
      <energy:ownerName>Lilli's Donuts
      <energy:ownershipType>OccupantPrivate</energy:ownershipType>
      <energy:floorArea>
10
          <energy:FloorArea>
             <energy:type>NetFloorArea</energy:type>
12
             <energy:value uom="m^2">40</energy:value>
          </energy:FloorArea>
14
      </energy:floorArea>
16
      <!--Here follow all Occupants objects, each inside a "occupiedBy" tag-->
17
      <energy:occupiedBy>
18
          <energy:Occupants gml:id="id_occupants_1">
19
             <!--Here come all attributes of the Occupants object -->
20
          </energy:Occupants>
21
      </energy:occupiedBy>
22
23
      <!--Here follow all Facility objects, each inside a "has" tag-->
24
      <energy:has>
25
          <energy:DHWFacilities gml:id="id_dhwfacilities_1">
26
             <!--Here come all attributes of a Facility object -->
27
          </energy:DHWFacilities>
      </energy:has>
29
   </energy:BuildingUnit>
```

# 5.2 People

#### 5.2.1 Occupants

An Occupants class identifies a homogeneous group of occupants of a usage zone or building unit, defined with an occupant type (e.g. residents, workers, visitors etc.). It can optionally contain one or more Household objects.

```
<!--Example of a Occupants object-->
   <energy:Occupants gml:id="id_occupants_1">
       <gml:description>Description of Occupants 1
3
      <gml:name>Name of Occupants 1
5
      <energy:heatDissipation>
          <energy:HeatExchangeType>
              <energy:convectiveFraction uom="ratio">0.1</energy:convectiveFraction>
              <energy:latentFraction uom="ratio">0.1</energy:latentFraction>
9
              <energy:radiantFraction uom="ratio">0.8</energy:radiantFraction>
10
              <energy:totalValue uom="W/person">80</energy:totalValue>
11
          </energy:HeatExchangeType>
12
      </energy:heatDissipation>
13
14
      <energy:numberOfOccupants>3</energy:numberOfOccupants>
15
16
      <energy:occupancyRate>
          <!--Add here the Schedule data -->
18
      </energy:occupancyRate>
19
20
      <energy:occupantType>Residents
22
      <!--Here follow all Household objects, each inside a "consistsOf" tag-->
23
      <energy:consiststOf>
24
          <energy:Household gml:id="id_household_1">
              <!--Here come all attributes of the first Household (omitted here)-->
26
          </energy:Household>
      </energy:consiststOf>
28
      <energy:consiststOf>
29
          <energy:Household gml:id="id_household_2">
              <!--Here come all attributes of the second Household (omitted here)-->
31
          </energy:Household>
      </energy:consiststOf>
33
   </energy:Occupants>
```

#### 5.2.2 Household

A Household class identifies a group of persons living in the same dwelling, in the case where occupants are residents. They are defined by a type (e.g. one family, worker couple, etc.) and a residence type (main/secondary residence or vacant).

#### 5.3 Facilities

Each UsageZone or BuildingUnit object can have one or multiple Facilities objects. Currently there are three types of facilities (DHWFacilities, ElectricalAppliances and LightingFacilities). Each of them is characterised by the heatDissipation and the operationSchedule attributes, plus some specific ones depending on the facility type. In the following, two XML examples are presented, one for domestic how water facilities and one for electrical applicances. Please note that the lighting facilities object shares the same structure and attributes of the ElectricalAppliances.

```
<!--Example of a DHWFacilities object-->
   <energy:DHWFacilities gml:id="id_dhwfacilities_1">
       <gml:description>Description of Domestic Hot Water Facilities 1/gml:
           description>
       <gml:name>Name of Domestic Hot Water Facilities 1/gml:name>
5
       <energy:heatDissipation>
6
          <energy:HeatExchangeType>
7
              <energy:convectiveFraction uom="ratio">0.5</energy:convectiveFraction>
8
              <energy:latentFraction uom="ratio">0.3</energy:latentFraction>
9
              <energy:radiantFraction uom="ratio">0.2</energy:radiantFraction>
10
              <energy:totalValue uom="W/m^2">10</energy:totalValue>
11
           </energy:HeatExchangeType>
12
       </energy:heatDissipation>
13
14
       <energy:operationSchedule>
15
          <!--Add here the Schedule data -->
16
```

```
</energy:operationSchedule>
17
18
       <energy:numberOfBaths>1</energy:numberOfBaths>
19
       <energy:numberOfShowers>0</energy:numberOfShowers>
20
       <energy:numberOfWashBasins>1</energy:numberOfWashBasins>
       <energy:waterStorageVolume uom="m^3">0.8</energy:waterStorageVolume>
22
   </energy:DHWFacilities>
   <!--Example of an Electrical Applicances object-->
   <energy:ElectricalAppliances gml:id="id_electricalappliance_1">
       <gml:description>Description of Electrical Applicance 1/gml:description>
       <gml:name>Name of Electrical Applicance 1
4
       <energy:heatDissipation>
6
          <energy:HeatExchangeType>
              <energy:totalValue uom="W/m^2">10</energy:totalValue>
          </energy:HeatExchangeType>
      </energy:heatDissipation>
10
11
       <energy:electricalPower uom="kW">1</energy:electricalPower>
12
13
      <energy:operationSchedule>
14
          <!--Add here the Schedule data -->
15
      </energy:operationSchedule>
   </energy:ElectricalAppliances>
```

# 6 Energy System Module

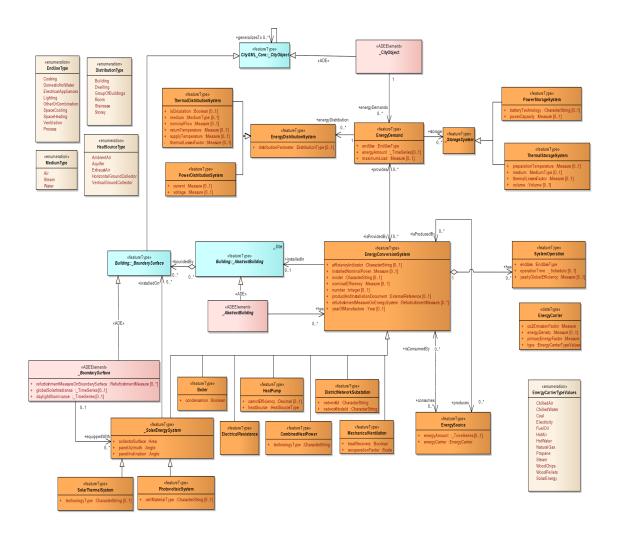


Figure 7: Class diagram of Energy System Module

The Energy System Module contains the energy forms (energy demand and sources) and energy systems (conversion, distribution and storage systems) to realize energy demand and supply analyses. It allows also to calculate  $CO_2$  emissions or Primary energy balances.

It is related to the Energy ADE and CityGML model through the object EnergyDemand, which can be related to any \_CityObject. The EnergyConversionSystems may be additionally related to the \_AbstractBuilding and \_BoundarySurface where, respectively on which, they are installed.

The Energy System Module follows a "star structure", with the EnergyDistributionSystem , \_StorageSystem and EnergyConversionSystem all related to the central object EnergyDemand, defined for different end-uses (e.g. space heating, electrical appliances)

and acquisition methods (e.g. measurements, simulation).

# 6.1 Energy amounts and types

#### 6.1.1 EnergyDemand

The EnergyDemand is the central object of the Energy System Module.

It is the useful energy required to satisfy the specific end-use (e.g. space heating, space cooling, domestic hot water) of a given object (\_CityObject to which it relates). Beside its attribute endUse, this object is characterized by its energyAmount (time-depending energy demand values) and its maximum yearly load (maximumLoad) used for the sizing of the energy systems.

Every \_CityObject (typically \_AbstractBuilding, ThermalZone, UsageZone and BuildingUnit) may have one or more EnergyDemand, related to its different endUseType, and possibly to different acquisitionMethod and sources (both attributes of the TimeValueProperties defining the time series energyAmount) such as "measurements", "simulations" etc.

The XML examples below detail the two end-uses of a same building.

```
<!--Building characterized with its Domestic hot water and electrical appliances
       demands-->
   <bld><bldg:Building></br>
       <energy:energyDemands>
3
           <energy:EnergyDemand>
4
              <energy:endUse>DomesticHotWater</energy:endUse>
              <energy:energyAmount>
6
                  <energy:IrregularTimeSeries>
                      <gml:description>DHW demand of Mr X for year 2016/gml:
                          description>
                      <energy:variableProperties>
9
                          <energy:TimeValuesProperties>
10
                              <energy:acquisitionMethod>Measurements</energy:</pre>
11
                                  acquisitionMethod>
                              <energy:source>Company X, year 2016</energy:source>
12
                          </energy:TimeValuesProperties>
13
                      </energy:variableProperties>
                      <energy:uom uom="kWh"/>
15
                      <!-- here come the values of the time series -->
16
                  </energy:IrregularTimeSeries>
17
```

```
</energy:energyAmount>
18
              <energy:maximumLoad uom="kW">8.0</energy:maximumLoad>
19
           </energy:EnergyDemand>
20
       </energy:energyDemands>
21
       <energy:energyDemands>
23
           <energy:EnergyDemand>
              <energy:endUse>ElectricalAppliances</energy:endUse>
25
              <energy:energyAmount>
                  <energy:RegularTimeSeriesFile>
27
                      <gml:description>Simulated electrical demand of Mr X for
28
                          typical year</gml:description>
                      <energy:variableProperties>
29
                          <energy:TimeValuesProperties>
30
                              <energy:acquisitionMethod>Simulated</energy:</pre>
31
                                  acquisitionMethod>
                              <energy:source>Research Institut Y</energy:source>
32
                          </energy:TimeValuesProperties>
                      </energy:variableProperties>
34
                      <!-- here come the file reading information -->
35
                  </energy:IrregularTimeSeries>
36
              </energy:energyAmount>
              <energy:maximumLoad uom="kW">5.2/energy:maximumLoad>
           </energy:EnergyDemand>
39
       </energy:energyDemands>
40
   </bldg:Building>
```

#### 6.1.2 EndUseType

List of possible end uses as cooking, space heating and ventilation.

#### 6.1.3 EnergySource

Final energy consumed (and sometimes produced) by the energy conversion system. Its energy characteristics are specified in the Energy Carrier object.

#### 6.1.4 EnergyCarrier

Primary energy and  $CO_2$  emission factors, energy density and energy carrier type characterize this data type for energy carriers.

#### 6.1.5 EnergyCarrierType

List of energy carriers as coal, chilled water or electricity.

# 6.2 Energy distribution

#### 6.2.1 EnergyDistributionSystem

System in charge of delivering the energy inside the building, from the place of energy production to the place of end-use. Power and Thermal distribution systems are differentiated. They all share a distribution perimeter that is described by the distribution type.

#### 6.2.2 Distribution Type

A list of possible distribution perimeters, e.g. Building, Dwelling, Room.

#### 6.2.3 ThermalDistributionSystem

Type for thermal distribution systems with attributes for circulation (circulating system or not), the used medium, nominal flow, return and supply temperatures and thermal losses factor.

#### 6.2.4 PowerDistributionSystem

Type for electrical distribution systems, described by current and voltage.

#### 6.2.5 MediumType

This list is a collection of medium types as air and water.

# 6.3 Energy storage

#### 6.3.1 StorageSystem

System storing energy. A same storage may store the energy of different end-users and different end uses. Power and Thermal storage systems are differentiated.

## 6.3.2 ThermalStorageSystem

Thermal storages with a medium, preparation temperature, thermal losses factor and a volume.

#### 6.3.3 PowerStorageSystem

Electrical storages with an electrical capacity and a string to describe the battery technology.

## 6.4 Energy conversion

#### 6.4.1 EnergyConversionSystem

System converting an energy source into the energy necessary to satisfy the EnergyDemand (or to feed the networks).

EnergyConversionSystem have common parameters: efficiency indicator, nominal installed power, nominal efficiency (in reference to an efficiency indicator), year of manufacture, name of the model, a serial number, a reference to product or installation documents and optionally refurbishment measures. They may be one or more (in this case, the nominal installed power corresponds to the totality).

Specific energy conversion systems may have in addition specific parameters:

A same system may have several operation modes (e.g. heat pump covering heating and domestic hot water demands).

#### 6.4.2 SystemOperation

It details the operation of the energy conversion system for a specific end-use and operation time. For instance, a reversible heat pump may have 3 operation modes: heating production in winter, cooling production in summer, and hot water production during the whole year. Attributes are end use type, a schedule for operation time and yearly global efficiency.

#### 6.4.3 DistrictNetworkSubstation

Subtype of EnergyConversionSystem for heating or cooling networks substations. Adds attributes for network ID and network node ID.

#### 6.4.4 HeatPump

Subtype of EnergyConversionSystem for heat pumps to add carnot efficiency and heat source. Heat source is described using a HeatSourceType.

#### 6.4.5 HeatSourceType

List of heat source types for heat pumps, e.g. ambient air, aquifer and exhaust air.

#### 6.4.6 ElectricalResistance

Subtype of EnergyConversionSystem for electrical resistances. Comes without additional attributes.

#### 6.4.7 Mechanical Ventilation

Subtype of EnergyConversionSystem for ventilation systems with attributes heat recovery (with or without) and recuperation factor.

#### 6.4.8 CombinedHeatPower

Subtype of EnergyConversionSystem for CHP systems. Utilizes a string describing the technology type.

#### 6.4.9 Boiler

Subtype of EnergyConversionSystem for boiler. Defines if it is a condensation boiler or not.

# 6.4.10 SolarEnergySystem

Subclass of EnergyConversionSystem for solar energy systems. Has attributes for collector surface, azimuth and inclination. Differentiates into solar thermal and photovoltaic systems.

# 6.4.11 SolarThermalSystem

Subtype of SolarEnergySystem for thermal systems. Uses a string to describe the technology type.

#### 6.4.12 PhotovoltaicSystem

Subtype of SolarEnergySystem for photovoltaic systems. Defines the material type of photovoltaic cells with a string.

# References