

Data processing documentation

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Techno-economic effects on future's energy consumption

1. **Technology improvements.** Energy saving potential in future technology development for total energy (both electricity and heat)

$$\Delta E f_{tech,n,i} = (1 - f_{tech,i})^n$$

- ☐ $\Delta E f_{tech,n,i}$: energy efficiency improvement in year n for battery technology i
- ☐ $f_{tech,i}$: percent saving by technology i (battery specific)
- ☐ n : year number after 2020 (current year – 2020)

2. **Learning effects.** Learning effects result from experience in production, such as reducing scrap rates and using machines and tools more efficiently.

$$\Delta E f_{learn,n} = n^{\log_2(1-f_{learn})}$$

- ☐ f_{learn} : savings by doubling the cumulated output, 3 % (range 2%-4%)
- ☐ n : year number after 2020 (current year – 2020)

3. **Economies of scale.** By economies of scale, the effect is described that the effort (cost) to produce a product is reduced with increased scale in its production.

$$\Delta E f_{econ,n} = MD_n^{\log_2(1-f_{scale})}$$

- ☐ f_{scale} : savings by doubling the cumulated output, 3 % (range 2%-4%)
- ☐ MD_n : Percentage market increase in year n to 2021

4. **Use of heat pumps.** For improved energy sourcing, it is assumed that electricity is used instead of natural gas and that heat pumps are used for the generation of heat.

$$\Delta E f_{HP,n,i} = \frac{E_{ele,i} + E_{NG,i} \times \left(\frac{60\%}{COP} \times \frac{n}{19} + 1 - 60\% \times \frac{n}{19} \right)}{E_{ele,i} + E_{NG,i}}$$

- ☐ $E_{ele,i}$: Cell specific electric energy consumption [kWh_prod/kWh_cell]
- ☐ $E_{NG,i}$: Cell specific natural gas energy consumption (heat demand) [kWh_prod/kWh_cell]
- ☐ COP : coefficient of performance of heatpumps to change from natural gas to electricity (take average value 2, range 1.5-2.5)
- ☐ 60%: Assumed market share of heat pumps in 2040 (from the paper)
- ☐ n : year number after 2020 (current year – 2020)

In our project:

Categories of battery considered

- LIB:
 - NCA
 - NMC532 & NMC622
 - NMC811 & NMC900
 - LFP
- PLIB (aggregated due to lack of LCI: SIB, ASSB (polymer), ASSB (oxidic), ASSB (sulfidic), LSB, LAB)

Scenario definition:

Scenario name	Market share of battery	Technology improvements
SSP2-Base BAU	Current LIB market share until 2040	LIB technology improvements LIB learning effects LIB economic of scale LIB use of heatpump
SSP2-RCP19 1.5 Scenario	LIB and PLIB market mix share scenario from (Degen et al., 2023)	LIB & PLIB technology improvements LIB & PLIB learning effects LIB & PLIB economic of scale LIB & PLIB use of heatpump

Scenario data calculation:

Efficiency|Heat|LIBs: heat efficiency improvement in year n for LIB

Total heat efficiency improvement by technology improvements, learning effects, economic of scale and use of heat pump

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta E f_{heat,n,i} &= \Delta E f_{tech,n,i} * \Delta E f_{learn,n} * \Delta E f_{econ,n} * \Delta E f_{HP,n,i} \\
 &= (1 - f_{tech,i})^n * n^{\log_2(1-f_{learn})} * MD_n^{\log_2(1-f_{scale})} \\
 &\quad * \left(\frac{E_{ele,i} + E_{NG,i} \times \left(\frac{60\%}{COP} \times \frac{n}{19} + 1 - 60\% \times \frac{n}{19} \right)}{E_{ele,i} + E_{NG,i}} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Efficiency|Heat|PLIB:

$$PLIB, \Delta E f_{heat,n} = \sum_{i=1}^6 MS_{PLIBi,n} * \Delta E f_{heat,PLIBi}$$

- $MS_{PLIBi,n}$: market share of 6 kinds of PLIB i in year n from the paper data
- $\Delta E f_{heat,PLIBi}$: efficiency improvement of each PLIB from the paper data

Efficiency|Electricity|LIBs:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta E f_{ele,n,i} &= \Delta E f_{tech,n,i} * \Delta E f_{learn,n} * \Delta E f_{econ,n} \\
 &= (1 - f_{tech,i})^n * n^{\log_2(1-f_{learn})} * MD_n^{\log_2(1-f_{scale})}
 \end{aligned}$$

Efficiency|Electricity|PLIBs:

$$PLIB, \Delta E_{ele,n} = \sum_{i=1}^6 MS_{PLIBi,n} * \Delta Eff_{ele,PLIBi}$$