Analysis of Submetered Household Energy Consumption

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Smart Home

- · Can be determined as usage of technical systems, automated processes and connected, remote-controlled devices in flats and houses.
- The essential aim of the functions is to improve the quality of life and convenience in home.
- Last but not least is greater security and more efficient use of energy

Challenges

Will smart home owner benefit from submeterings based on:

- payoff despite installation and maintenance expenses
- more rational (controlled) energy usage and go-green reputation

Can smart home buyer take advantage of anonymous selling own data records?

Suggestions

- Electric power consumption reports in kWatt/hour and € terms
- · Detailed energy records based on appliance nature and house location
- Prediction of future electric power usage trends

Approach

- Missing values treatment
- Adjustment of proper granularity level
- Predictive modelling
- · Intercative dashboards

Deliverables

Commercially viable product

- I Deep data analysis (January 2011)
- II Predictive analytics (February 2011)
- III Dashboard software development (April 2011)

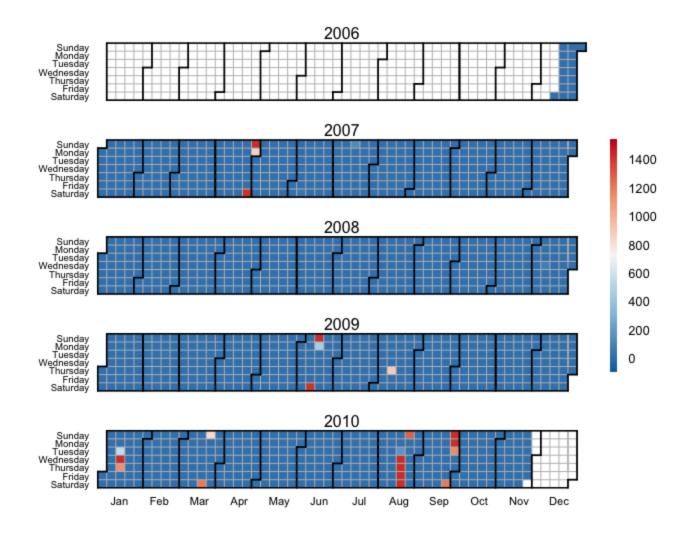
Elaboration

- Development of savings strategies
- Correction of negative houshold behaviour patterns

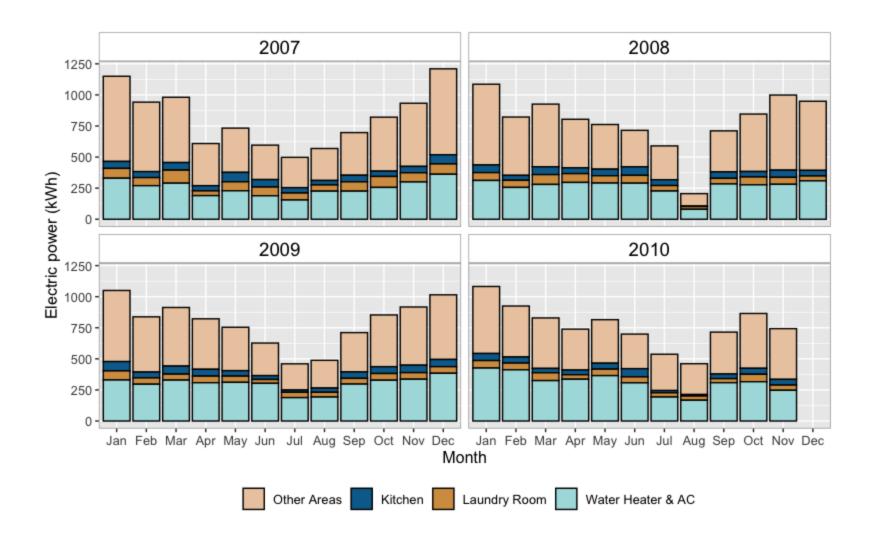
Total Energy Consumption

GAP	Submeter_1	Submeter_2	Submeter_3
Min. : 1.267	Min.: 0.000	Min.: 0.000	Min.: 0.000
1st Qu.: 5.133	1st Qu.: 0.000	1st Qu.: 0.000	1st Qu.: 0.000
Median: 10.033	Median : 0.000	Median : 0.000	Median : 1.000
Mean : 18.194	Mean : 1.122	Mean : 1.299	Mean : 6.458
3rd Qu.: 25.467	3rd Qu.: 0.000	3rd Qu.: 1.000	3rd Qu.:17.000
Max. :185.367	Max. :88.000	Max. :80.000	Max. :31.000
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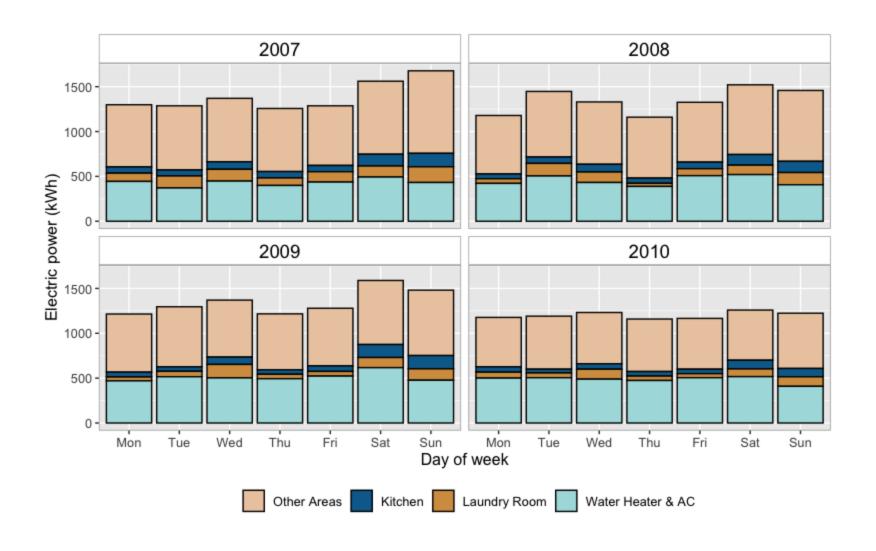
Missing Values



Energy Usage (by month)



Energy Usage (by day of week)



Recommendations

- Gas submeter can be advised for consideration as overall gas consumption can compromise kitchen performance. Depending on cooking preferances (mainly using gas powered hot plates) kitchen data would be biased.
- Eating outside may reduce energy consumption in the kitchen area.
 Collection of catering bills on monthly basis could facilitate kitchen associated data quality.

Thank you!