



# Energy refurbishment of residential buildings of the 50s – research and results

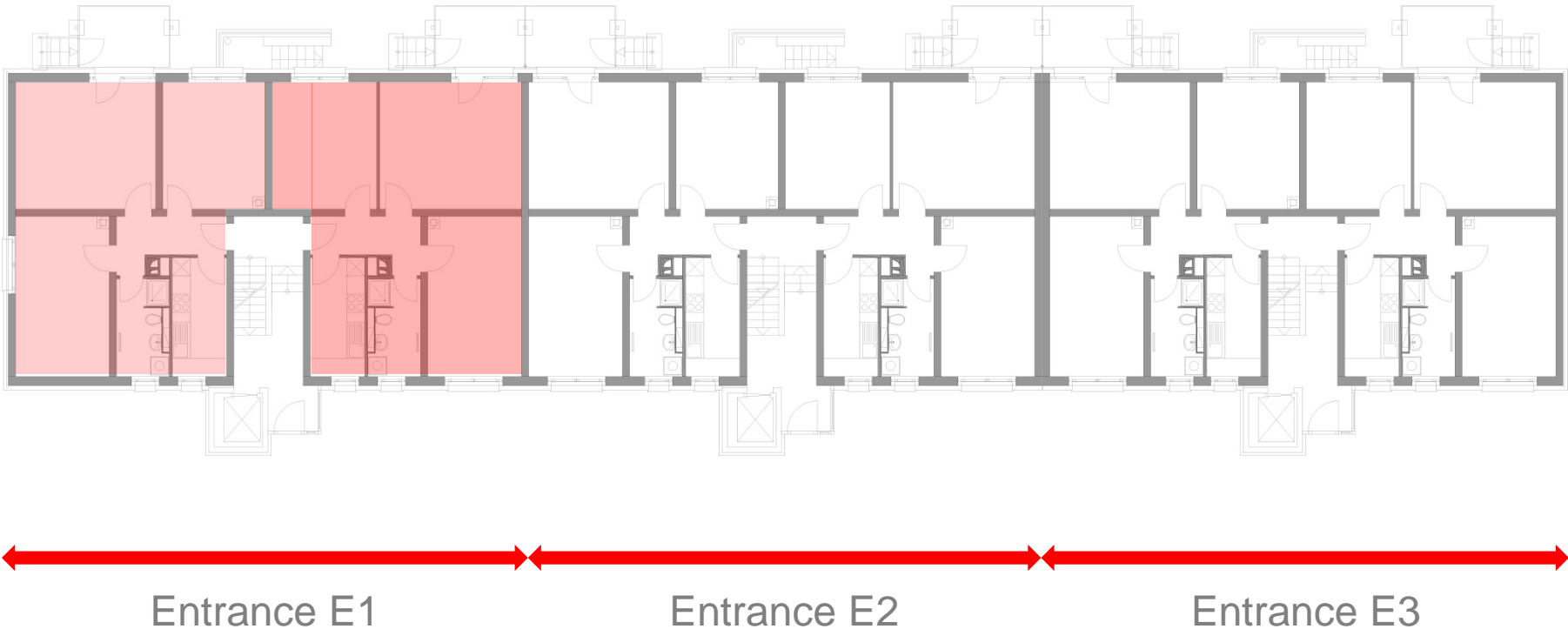
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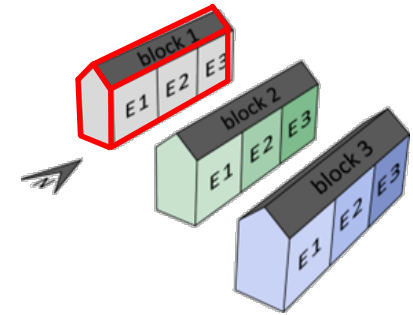
# Initial situation



# Retrofit layouts: Block 1 „Standard“

## Structural retrofit

Facade:	14 cm insulation 0.035 W/(mK)	→ U = 0.22 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)
Window:	double glaze	→ U = 1.3 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)
Top floor:	16 cm insulation 0.035 W/(mK)	→ U = 0.21 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)
Basement:	7cm insulation 0.035 W/(mK)	→ U = 0.31 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)



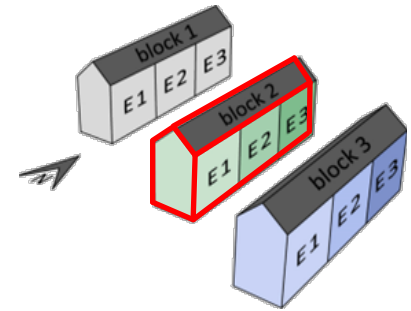
## Engineering system retrofit

Heating:	district heating, compact radiators
DHW:	decentral low temperature DHW heat exchanger
Ventilation:	exhaust air system, windows frame openings

# Retrofit layouts: Block 2 „3 liters home“

## Structural retrofit

Facade:	16 cm insulation 0.021 W/(mK)	→ U = 0.11 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)
Window:	double/triple glaze	→ U = 1.3 /0.8 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)
Top floor:	16 cm insulation 0.024 W/(mK)	→ U = 0.14 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)
Basement:	7cm insulation 0.024 W/(mK)	→ U = 0.24 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)



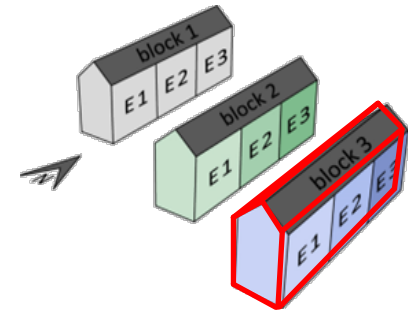
## Engineering system retrofit

Heating:	district heating, compact radiators/floor heating
DHW:	central/decentral DHW heat exchanger stations (per entrance/per apartment)
Ventilation:	exhaust air system, window frame fan unit with heat recovery

# Retrofit layouts: Block 3 „Passive House“

## Structural retrofit

Facade:	8 cm vacuum 0.008 W/(mK)	→ U = 0.11 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)
Window:	triple glaze	→ U = 0,80 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)
Top floor:	16 cm insulation 0.0024 W/(mK)	→ U = 0,14 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)
Basement:	7 cm insulation 0.024 W/(mK)	→ U = 0,24 W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)



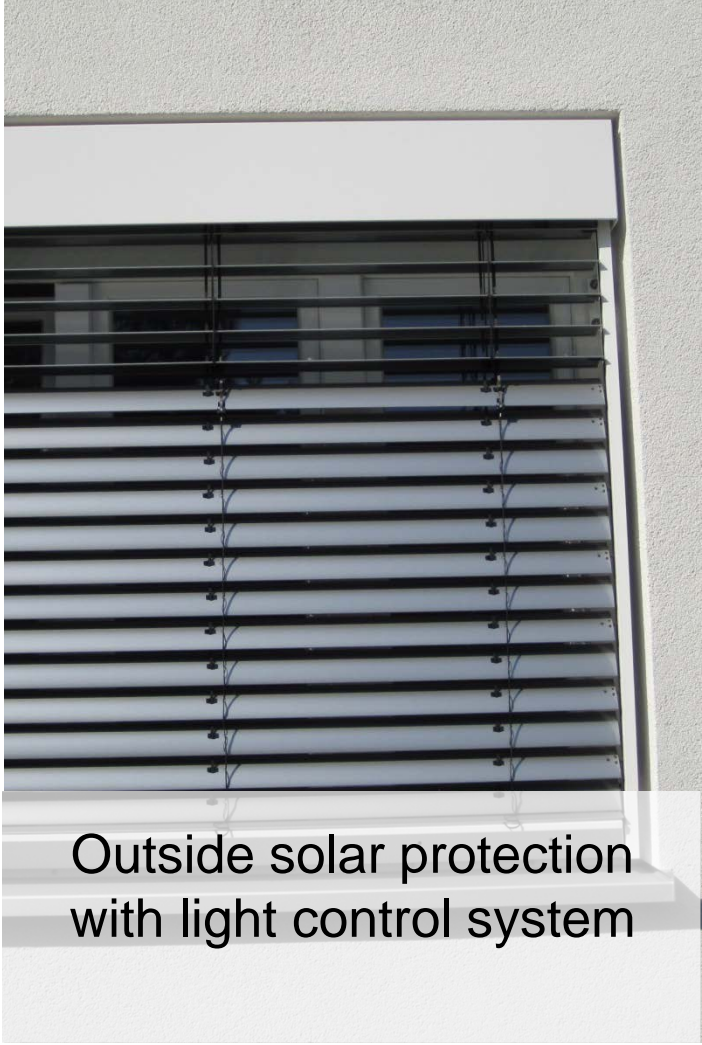
## Engineering system retrofit

Heating:	Heatpumps, CO <sub>2</sub> -probe head, floor heating, ceiling heating
DHW:	Peripheral DHW heat exchanger stations (per apartment)
Ventilation:	Ventilation system with heat recovery



# Impressions of the construction site I/V

Inlet air element - window



# Impressions of the construction site III/V



Vakuumdämmung  
 $\lambda=0,006 \text{ W/(mK)}$





# Impressions of the construction site IV/V



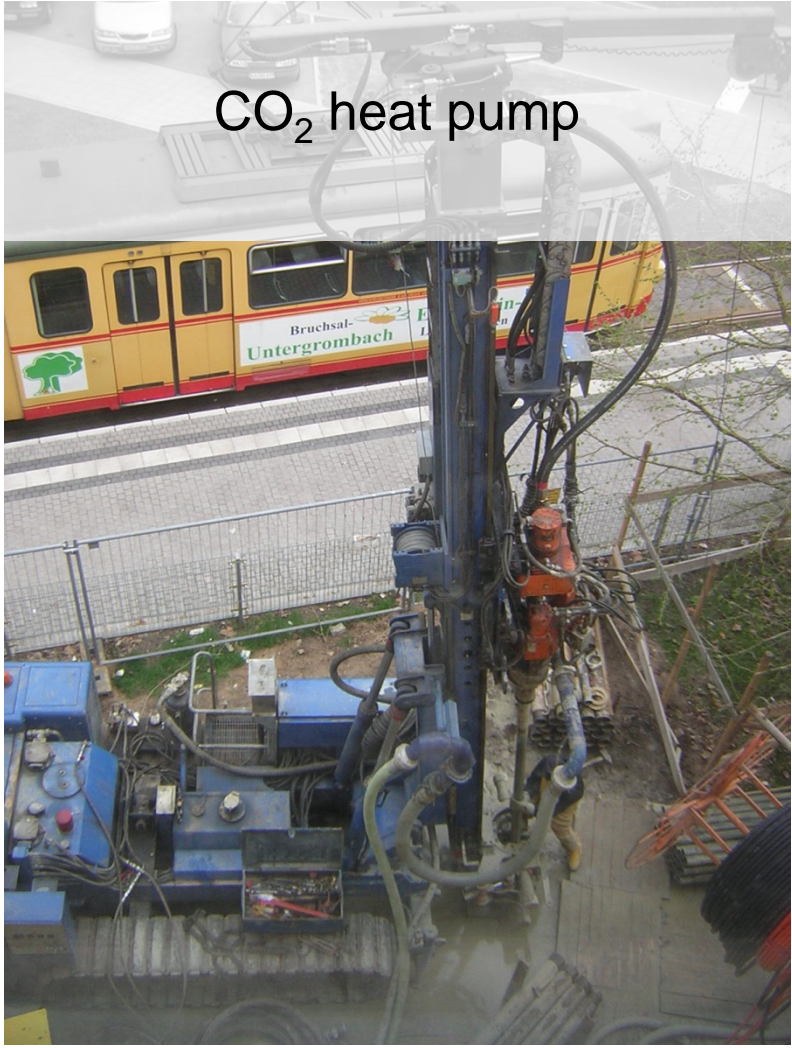
Heating system



Floor heating



# Impressions of the construction site V/V

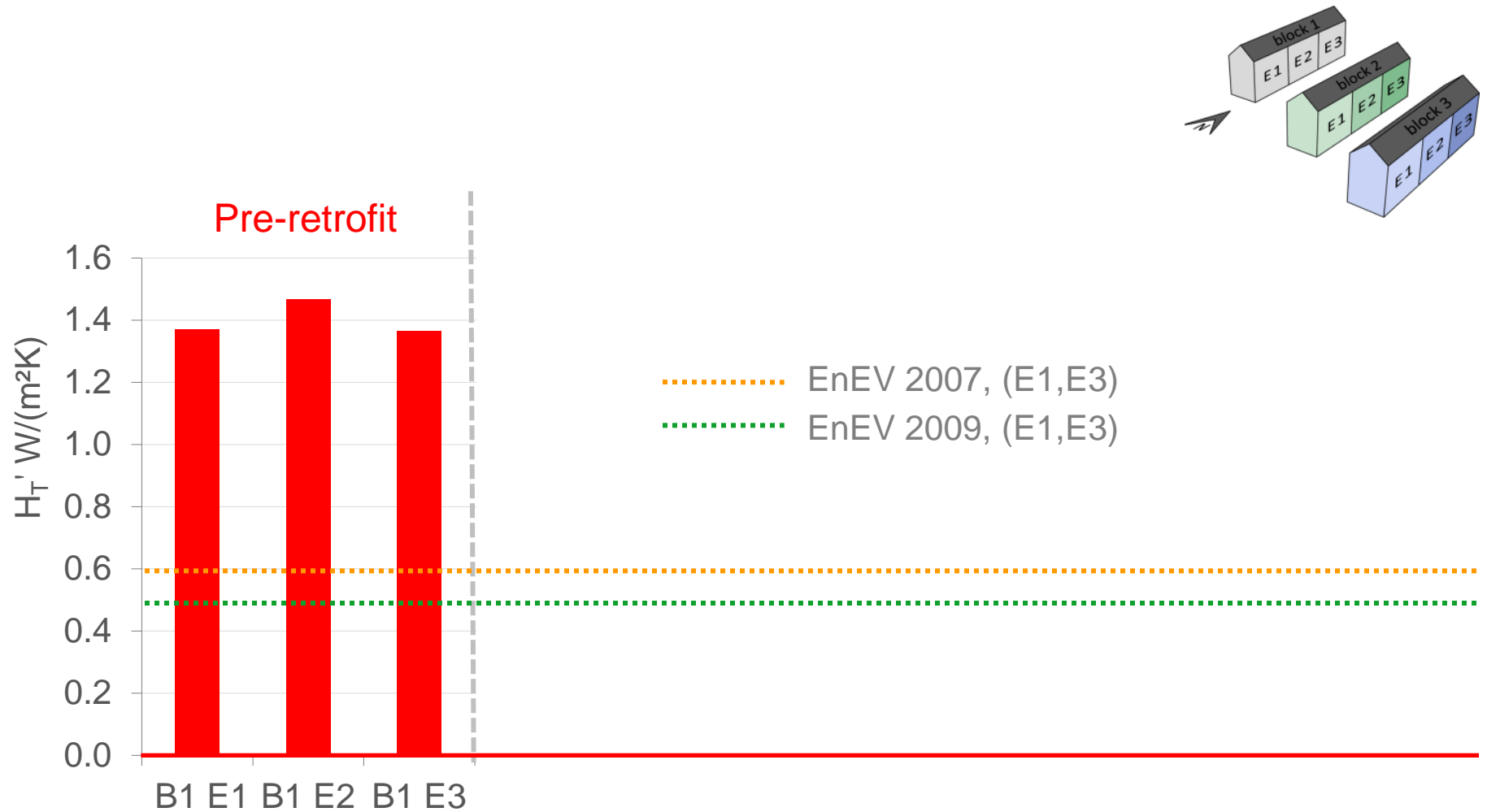


# Buildings before and after retrofit

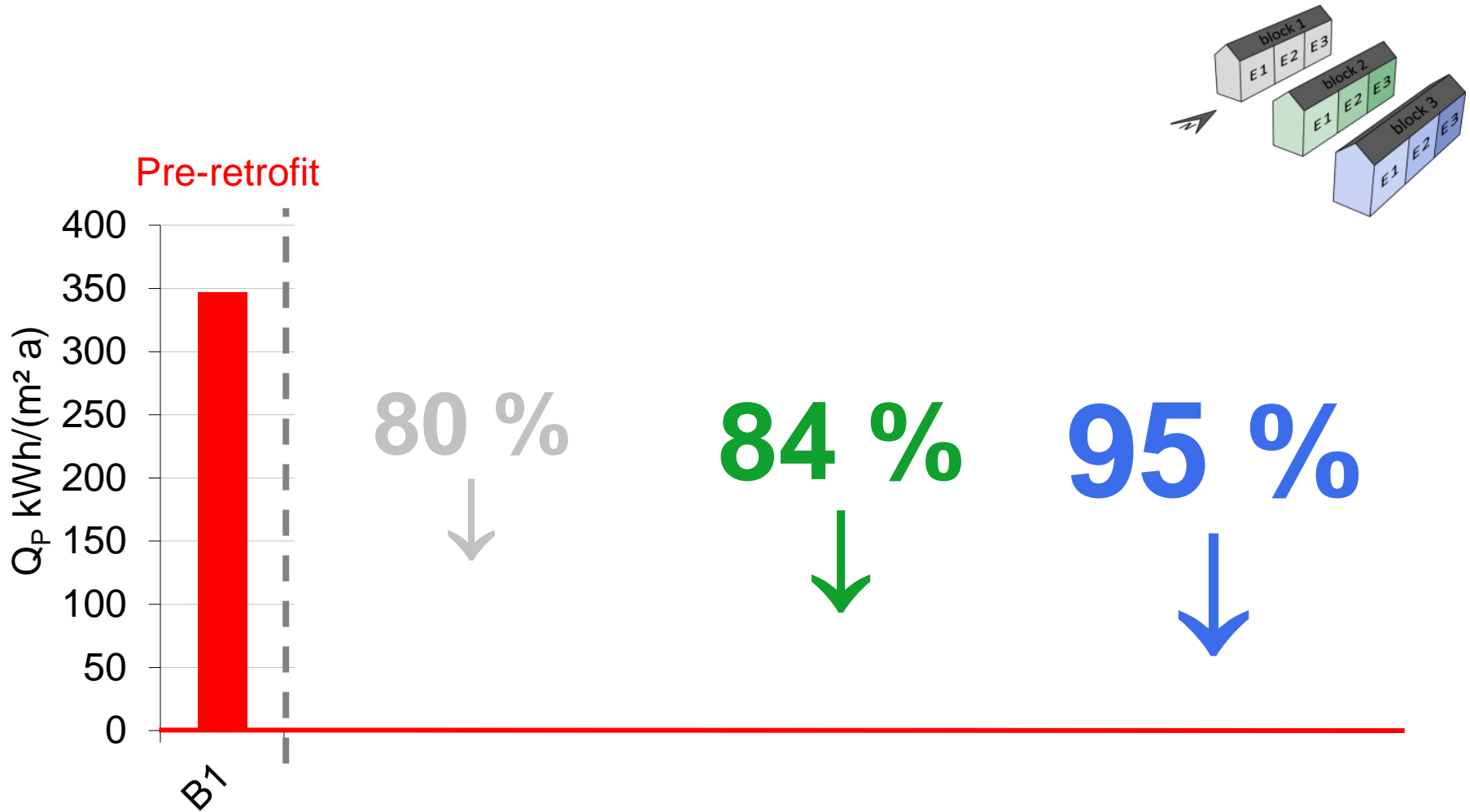




# Specific heat transmission $H_T$



# Primary energy demand $Q_P$





# The monitoring system



Weather station:

Ambient temperature / rel. humidity / global radiation / wind direction and speed, luminosity



**X** = Temperature sensor under stucco

**X** = Temperature sensor under insulation

# The monitoring system

## Each apartment:

### *DHW*

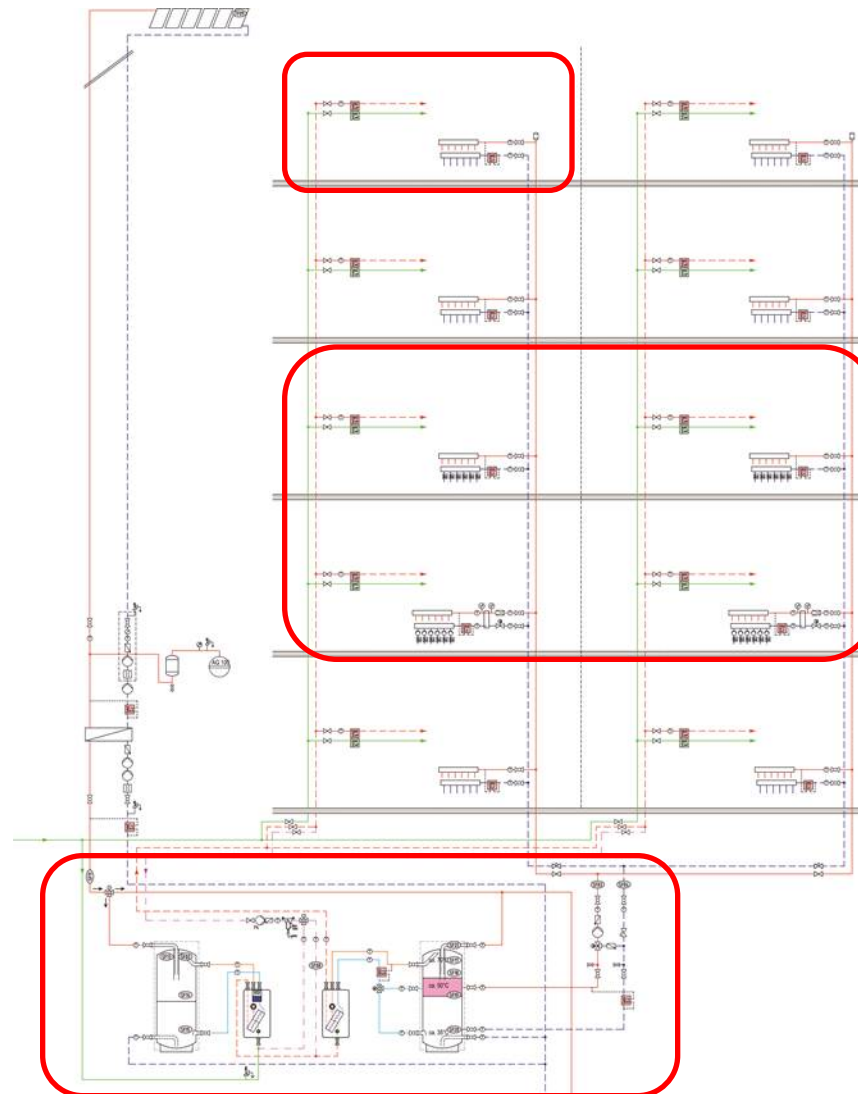
- Flow temp.
- Return temp.
- Volume flow

### *Heating*

- Flow temp.
- Return temp.
- Volume flow

### *Ventilation*

- Flow temp.
- Return temp.



## Each room:

- Flow temp.
- Return temp.
- Volume flow

## Basement:

- Electricity
- Heating energy
- Storage temperature
- Flow/Return temp.

# The monitoring system

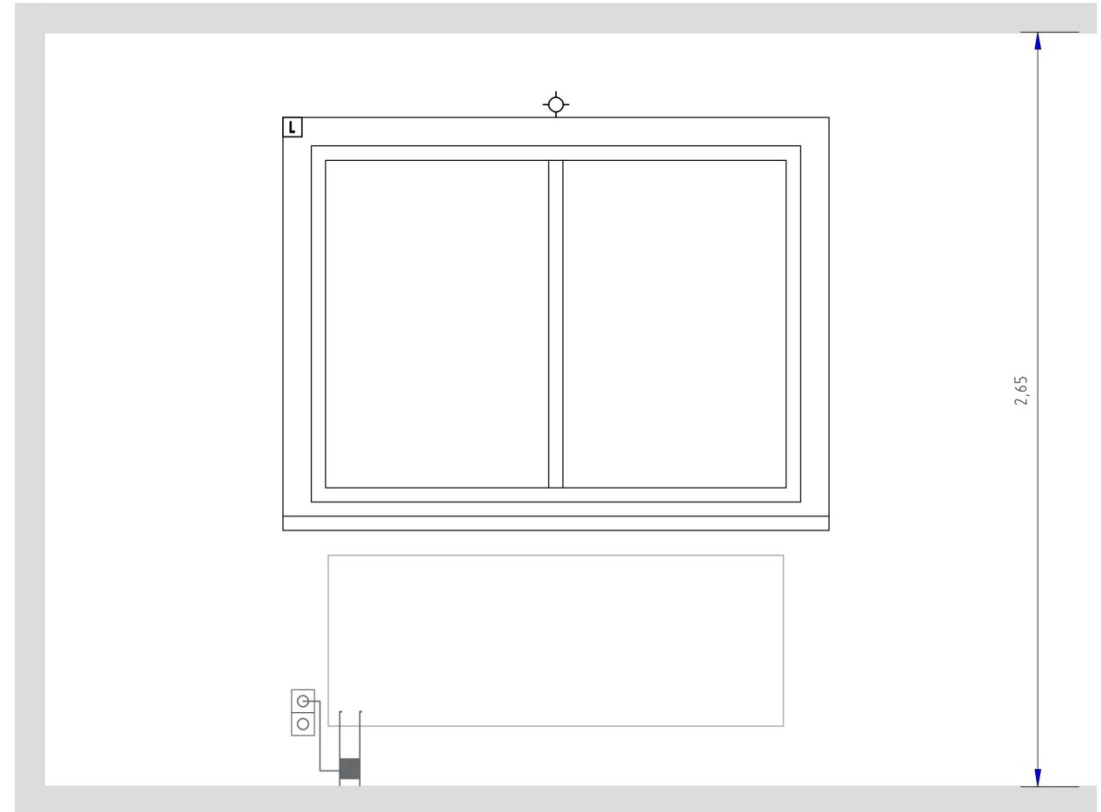
Wall 2

Wall 1

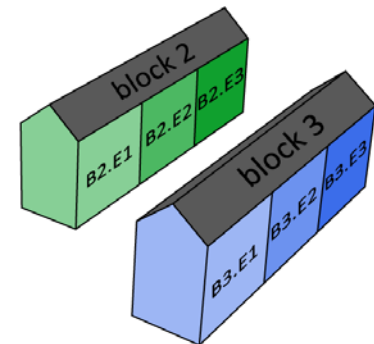
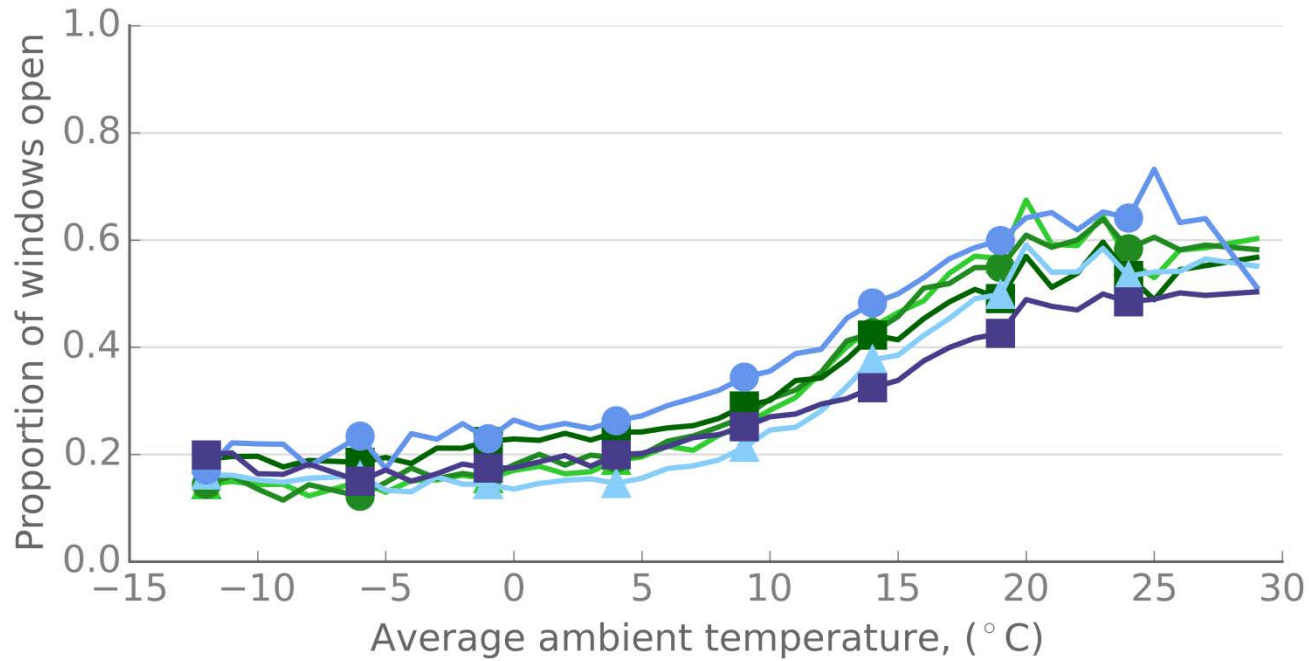
Meas. Module **MM**:



- Room temperature
- Rel. humidity
- Volatile organic compounds
- Carbon dioxide
- Visible light/Infra-red and Luminosity
- Windows opening

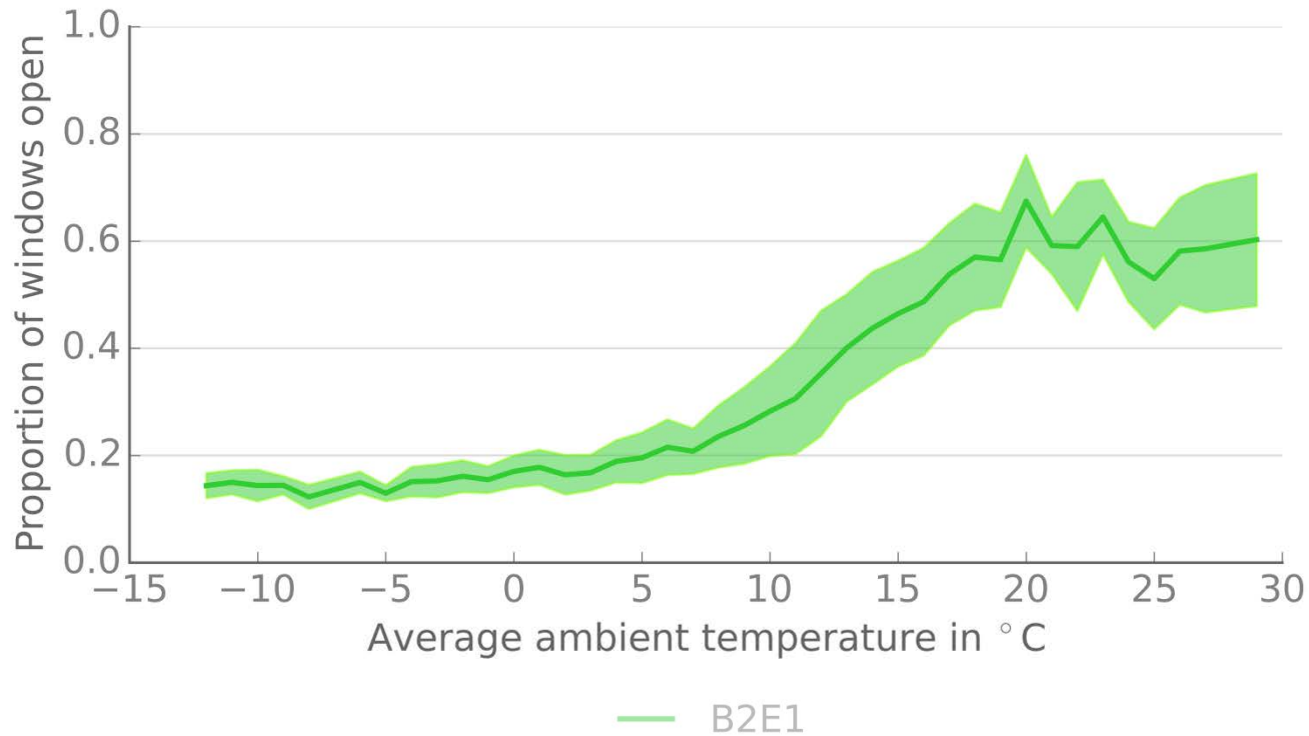


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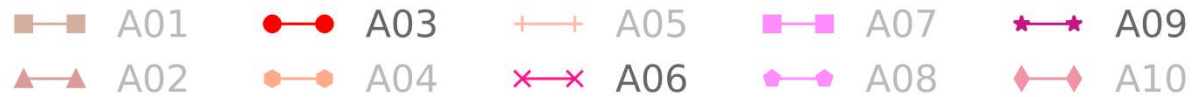
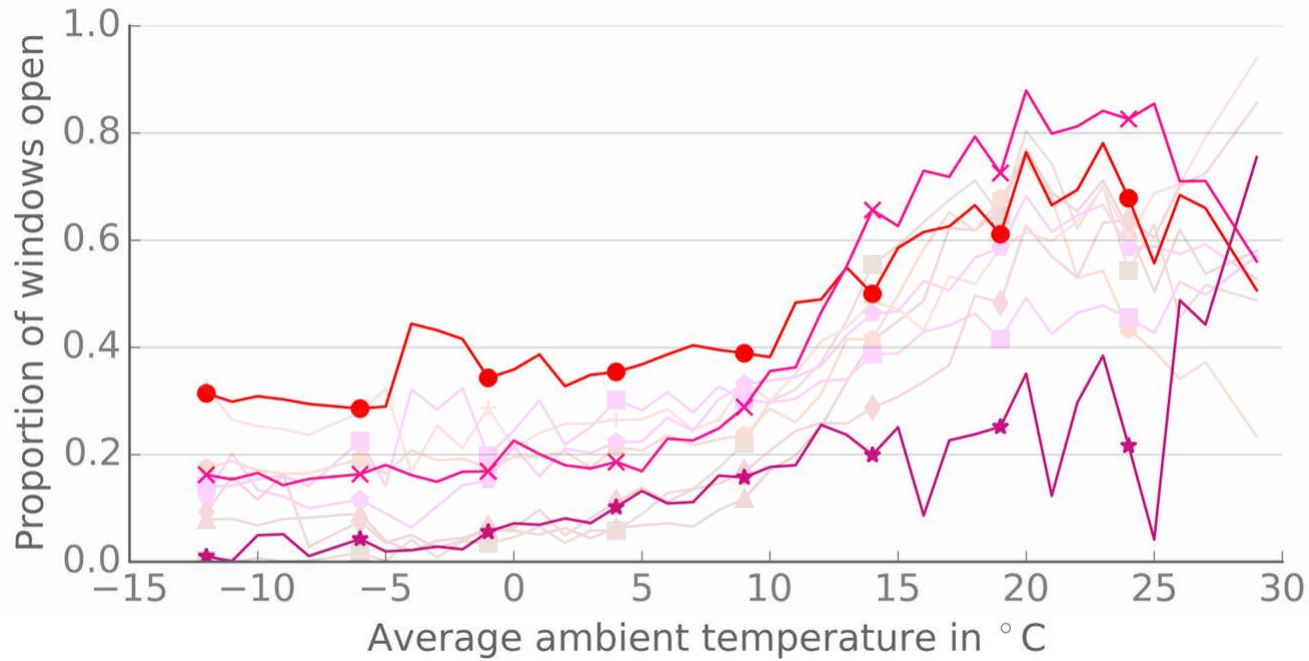




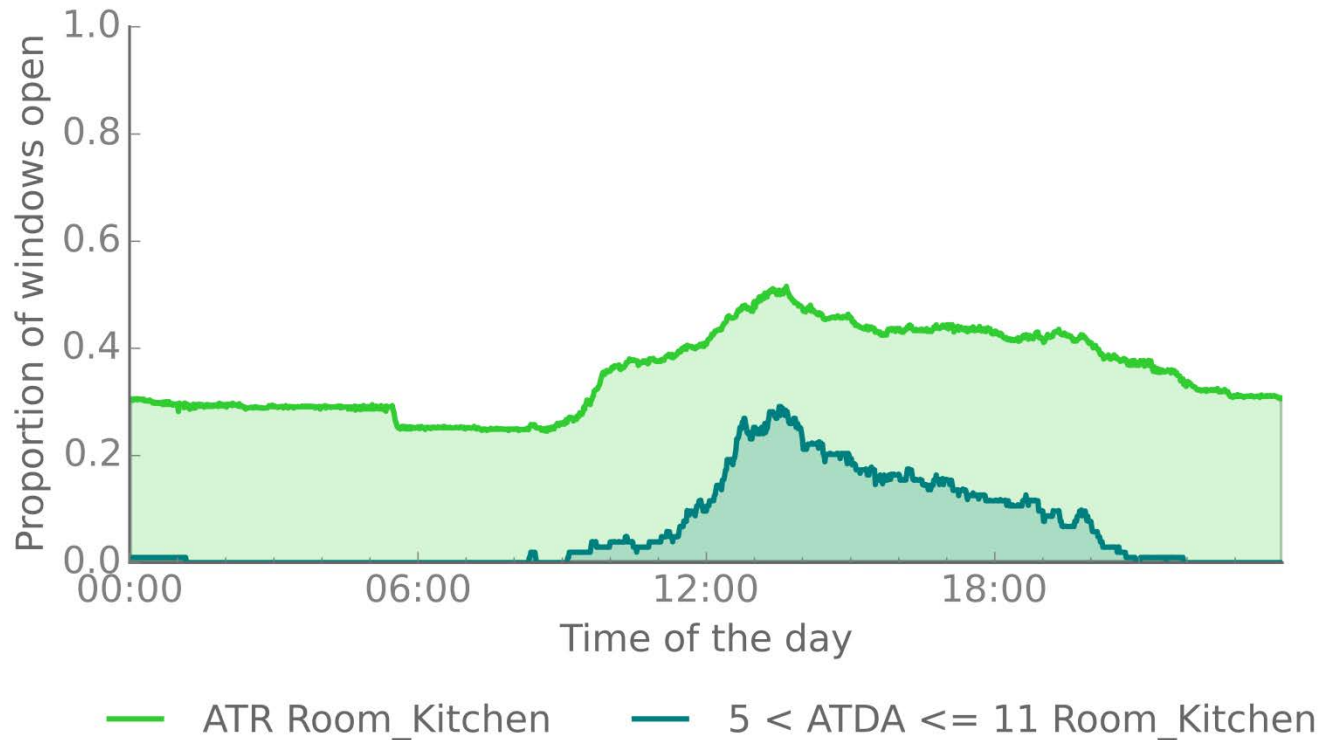
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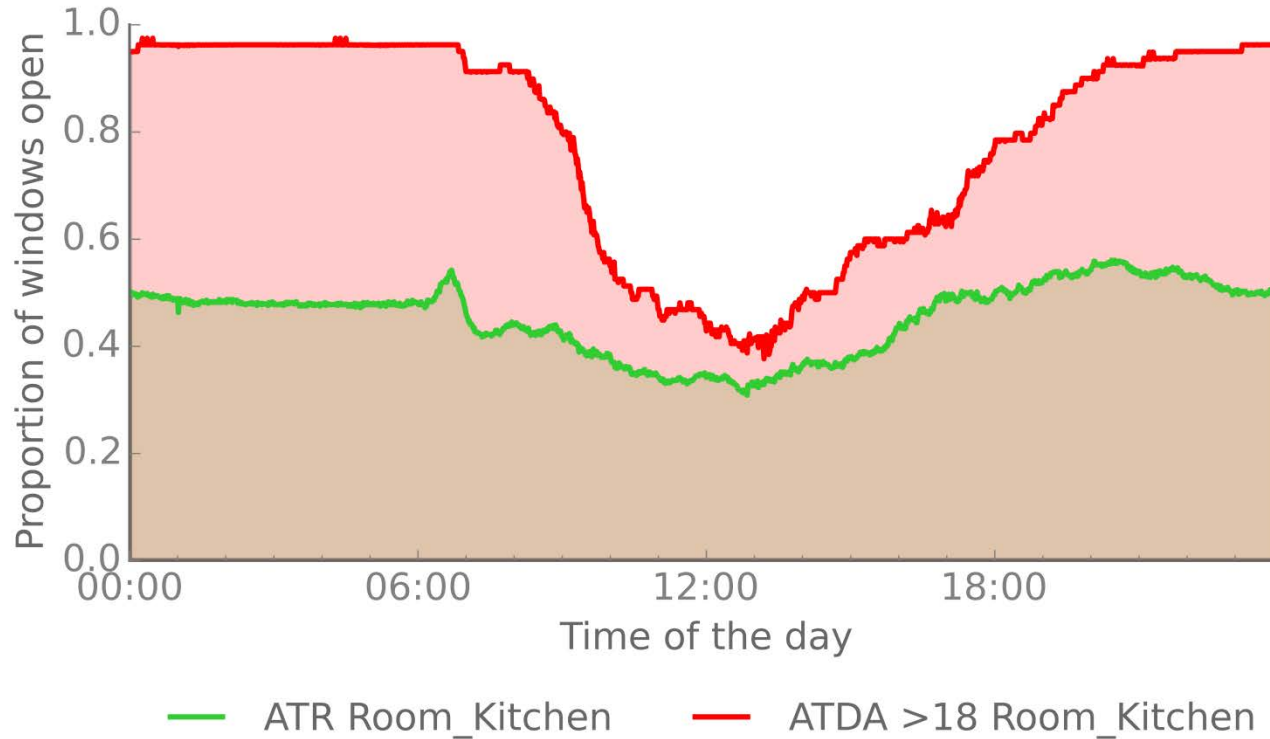
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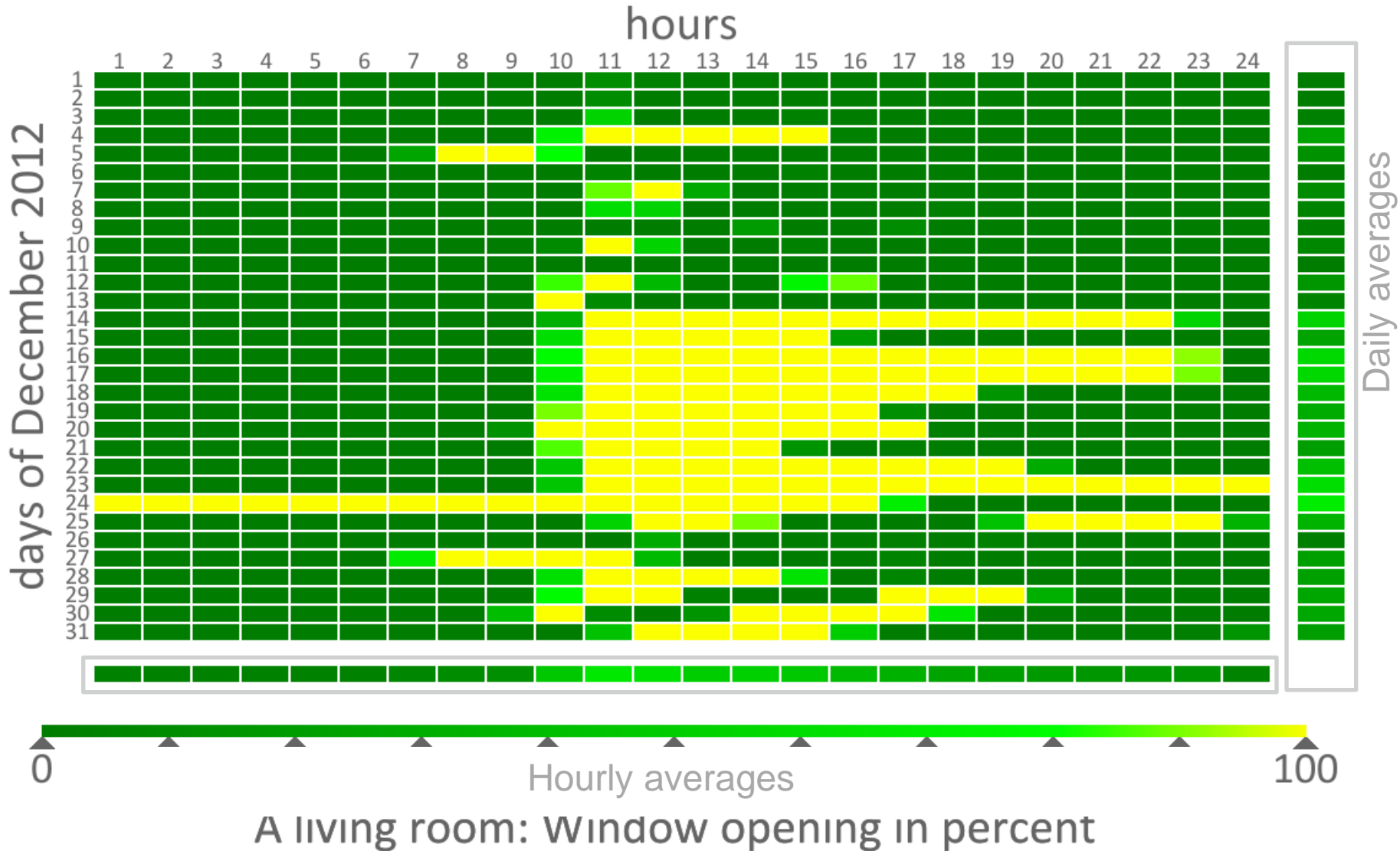


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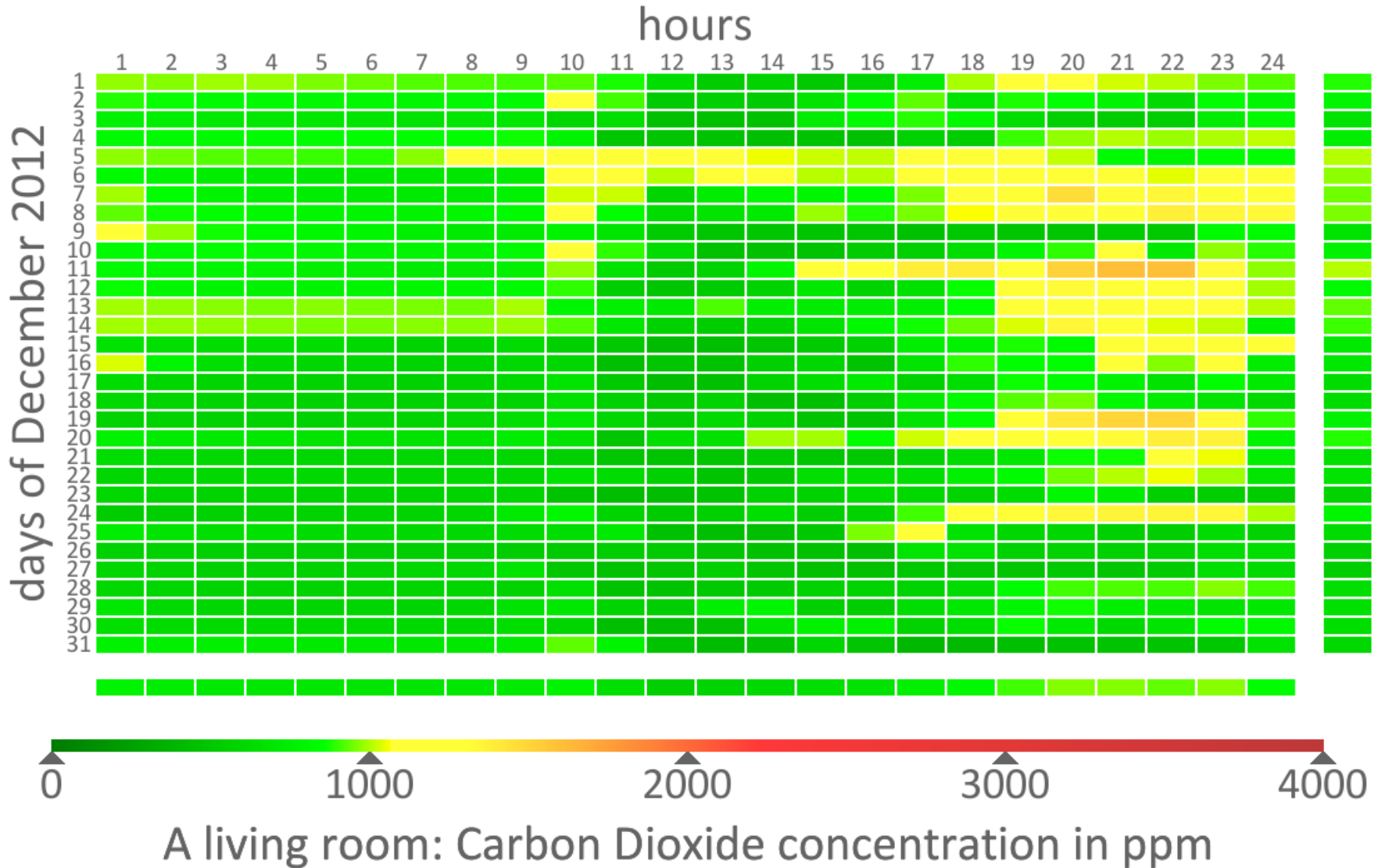




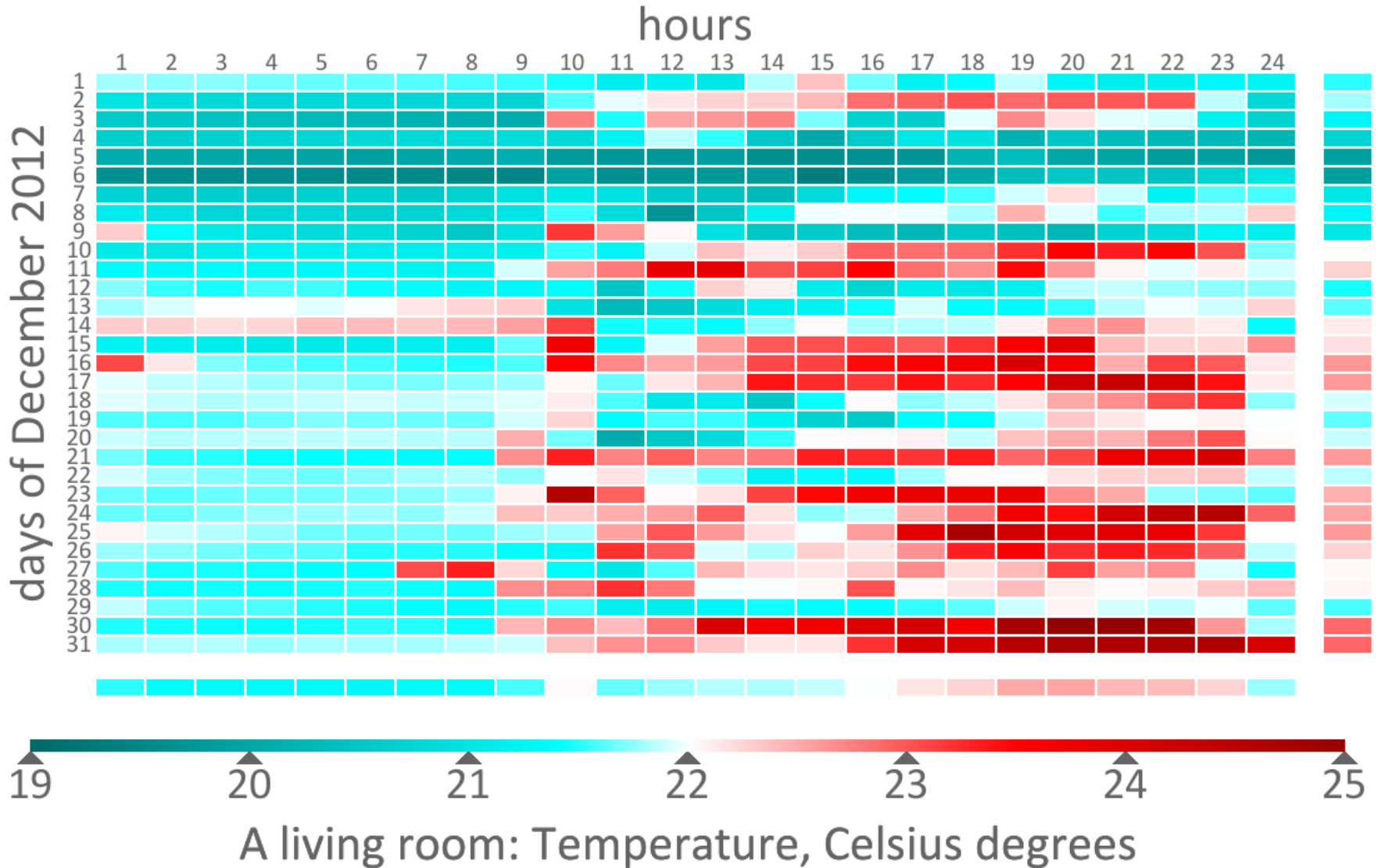
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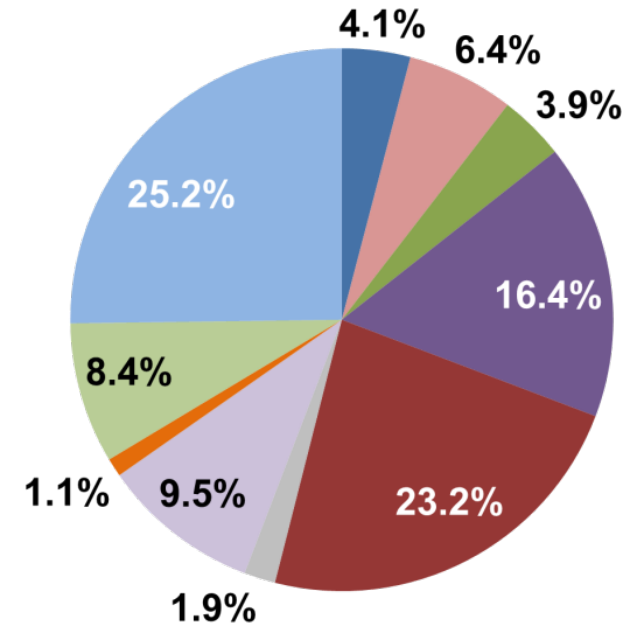
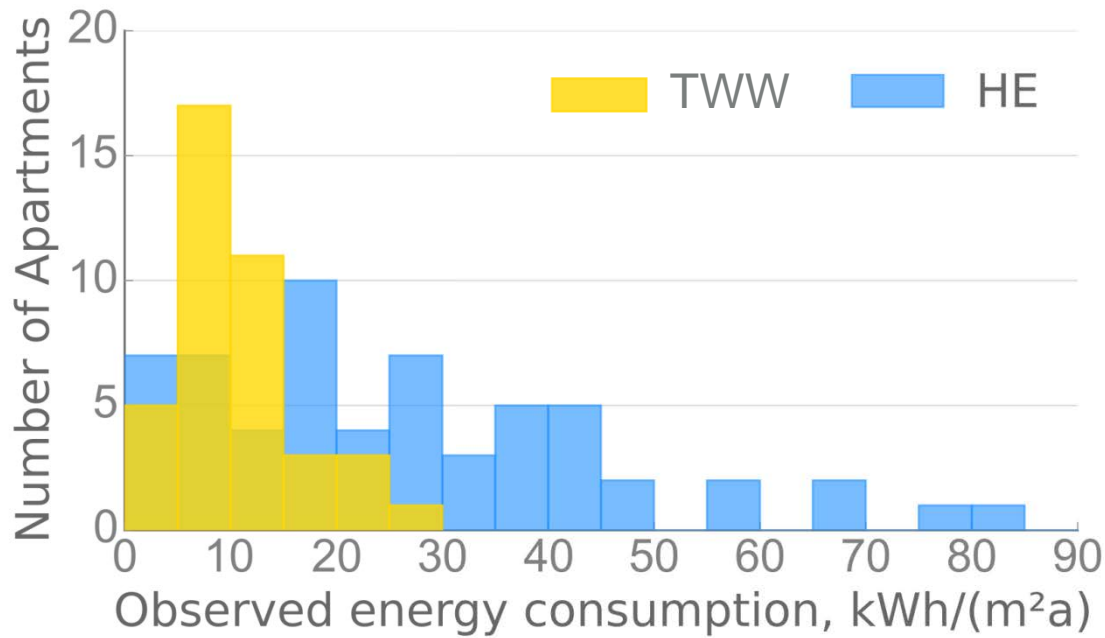
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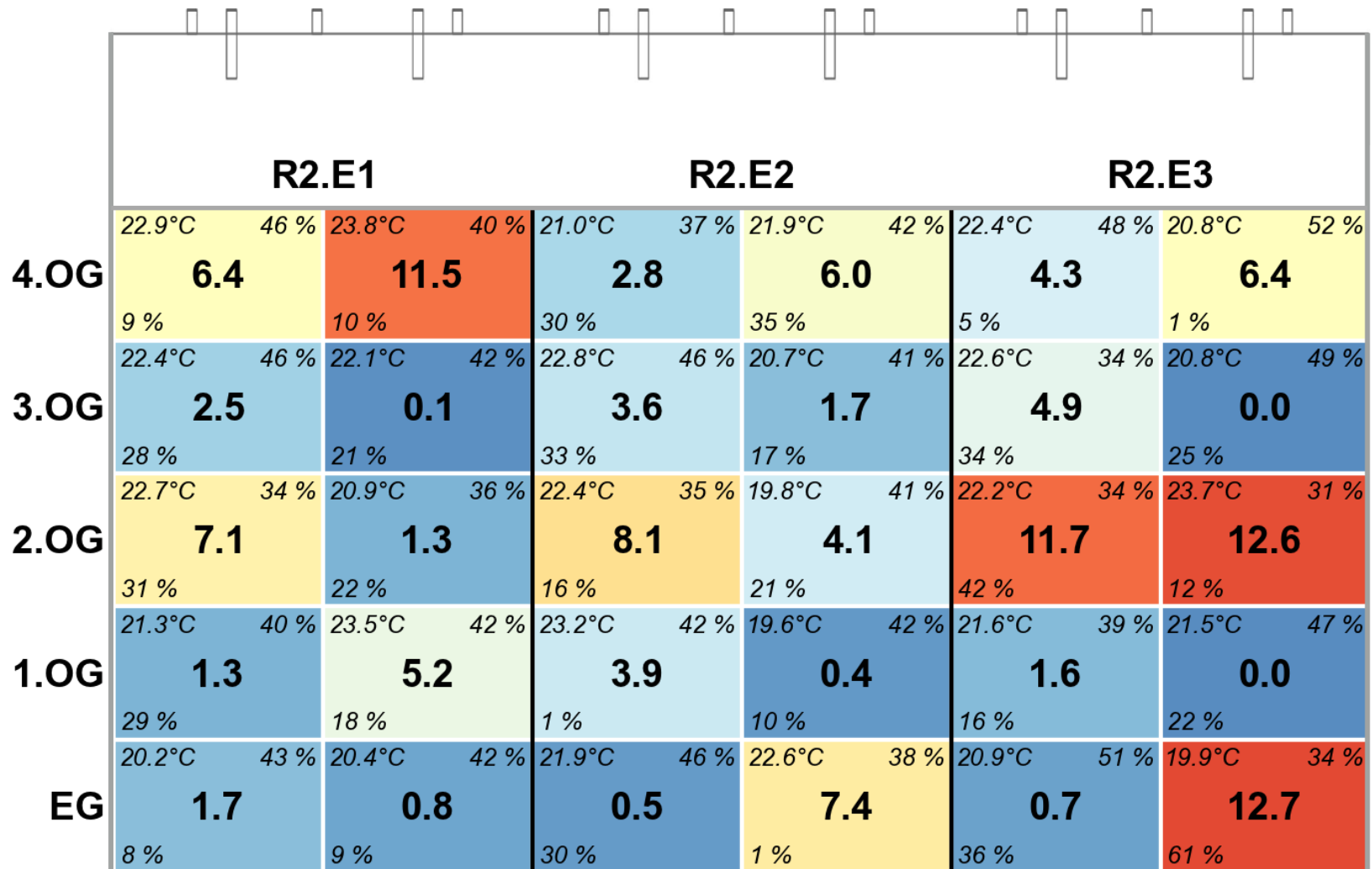


# Heizenergieverbrauch

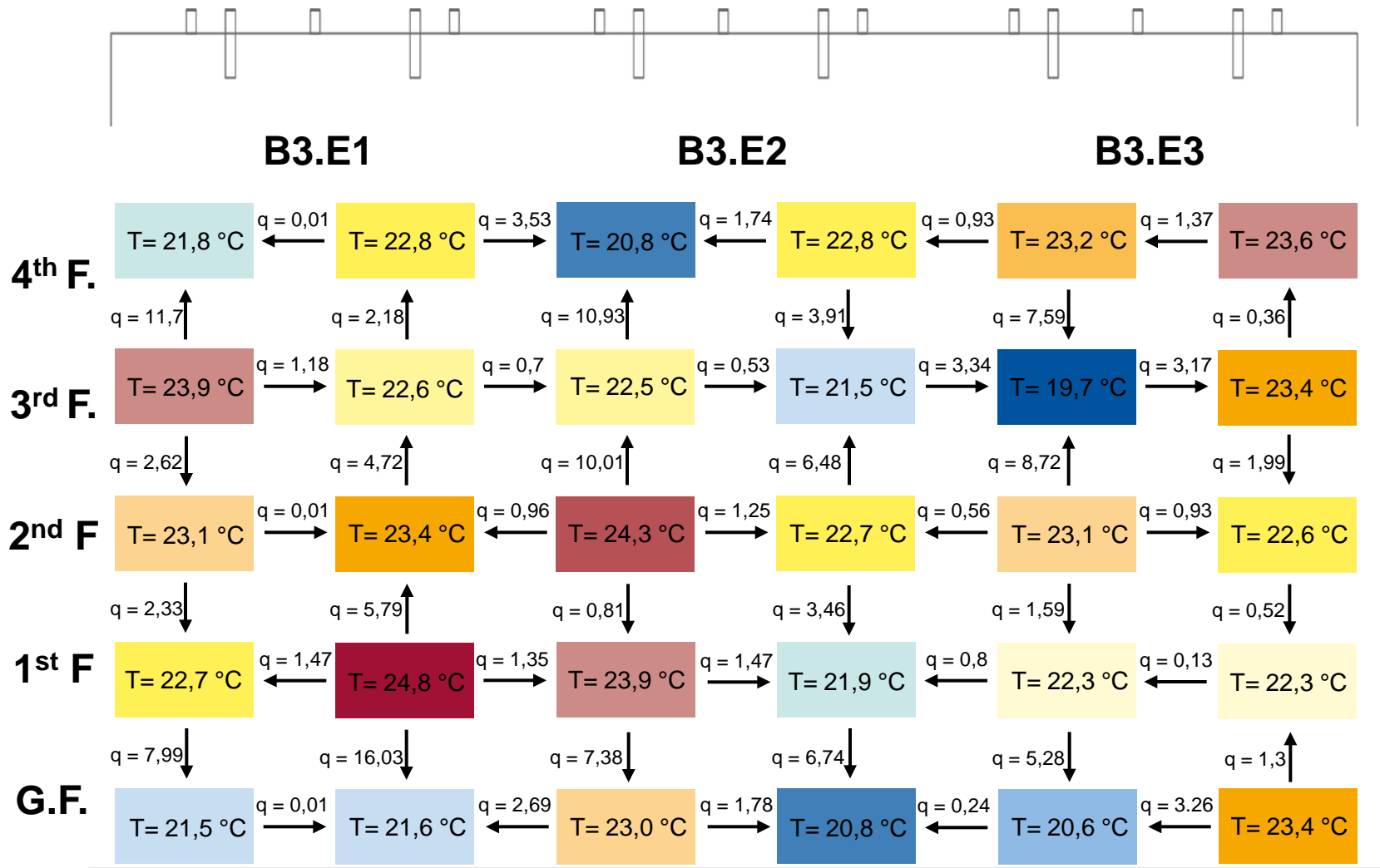




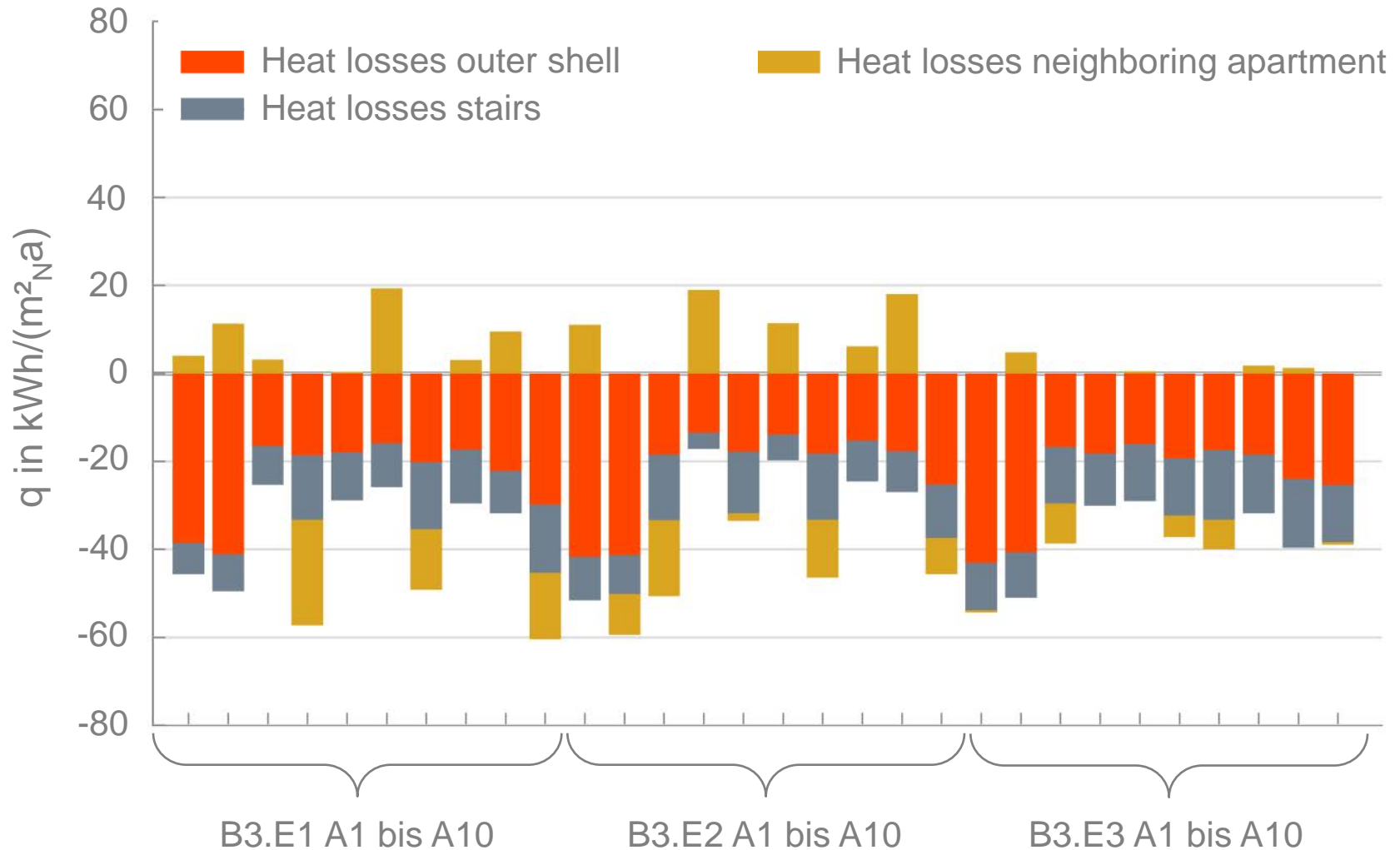
# Evaluation of the measured data: A winter month



# Heat displacement ( $q$ in kWh/m<sup>2</sup><sub>WF</sub>) in block 3 during one heating period

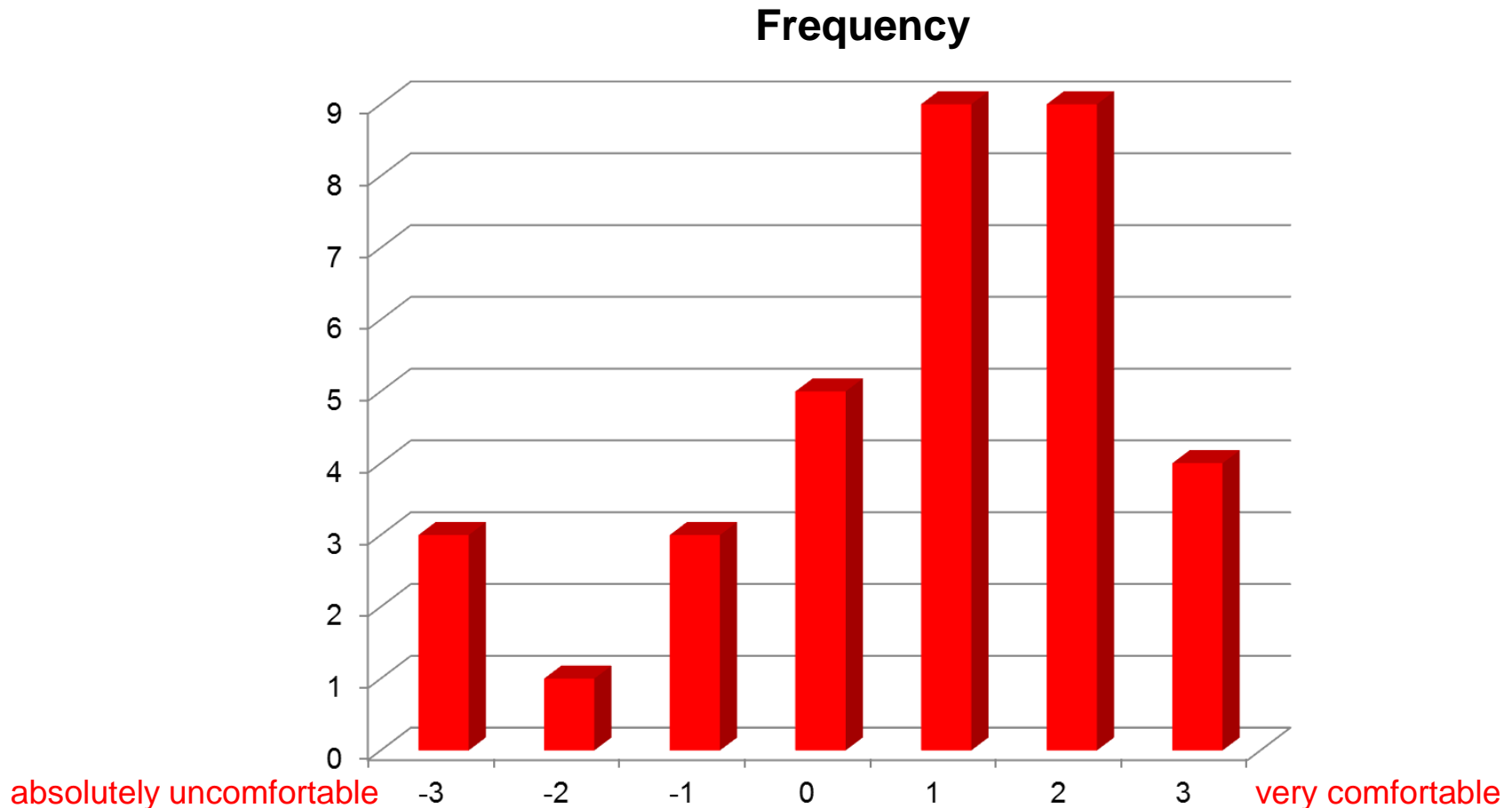


# Comparison of the heat losses about the outer shell, to the stairwell and the neighboring apartment for block 3



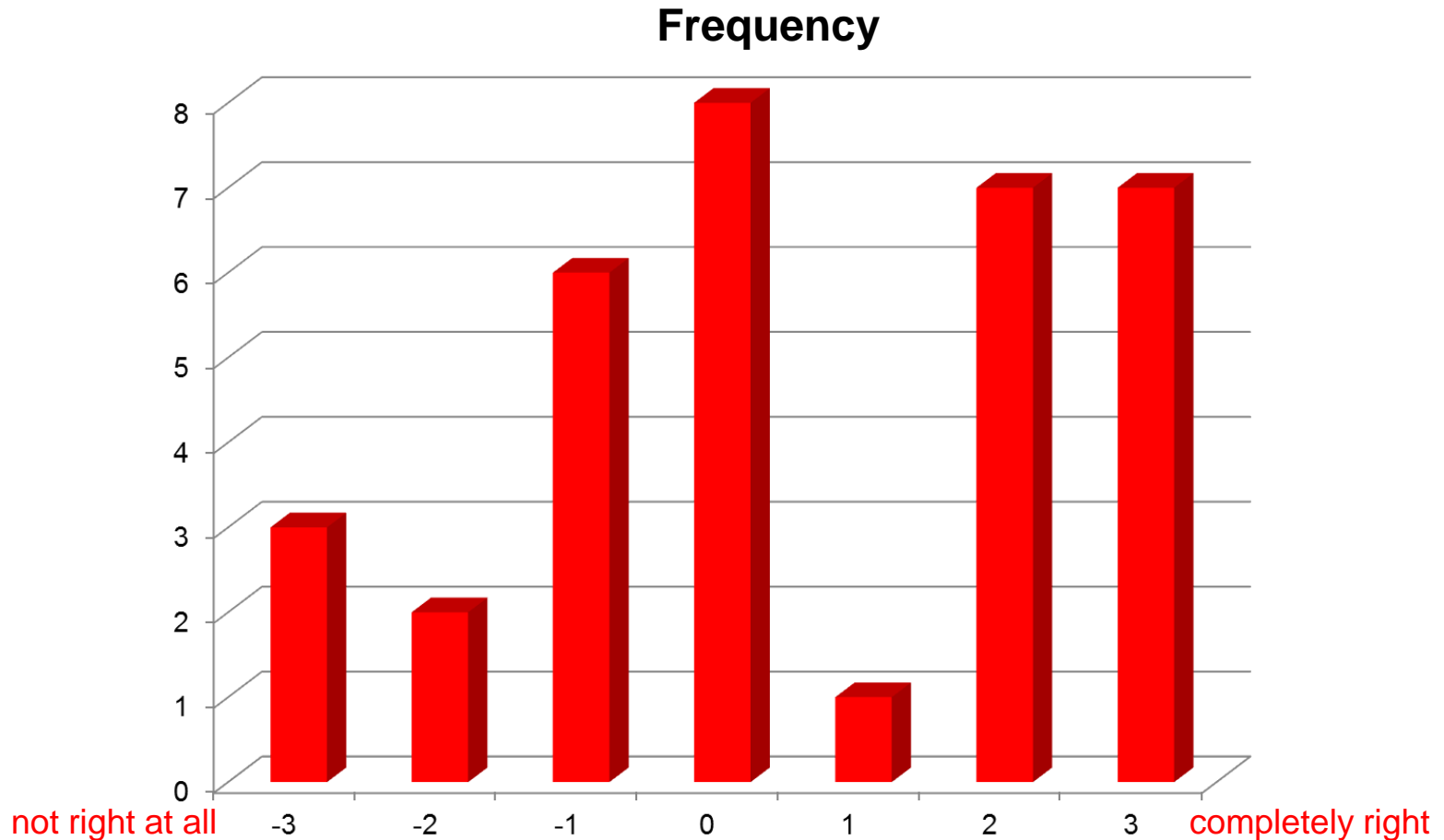
# Questionnaire – single results

- On a scale from -3 to 3: what is your impression about the apartment



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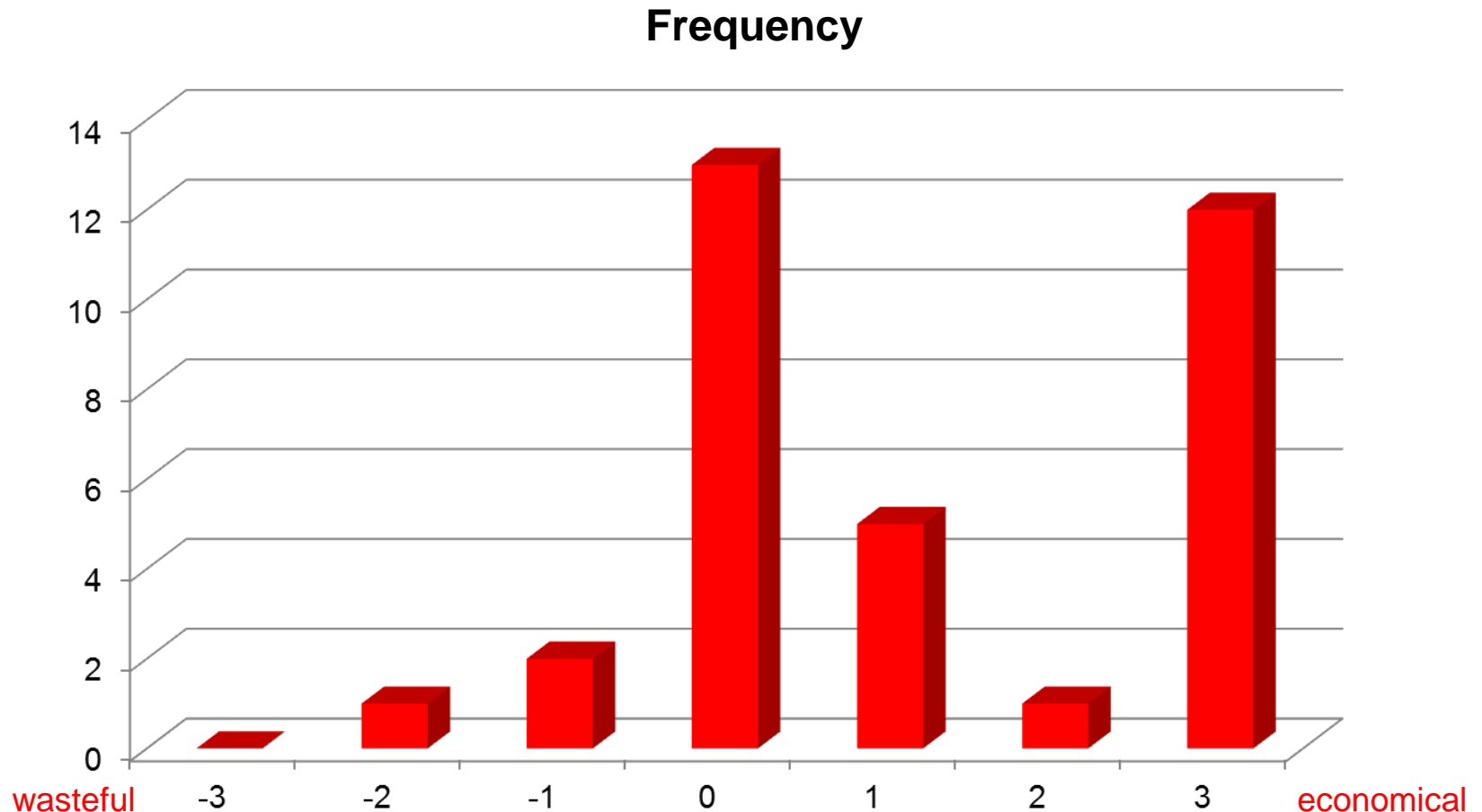
- Since the refurbishment, the interaction with the system develops more comfortably.



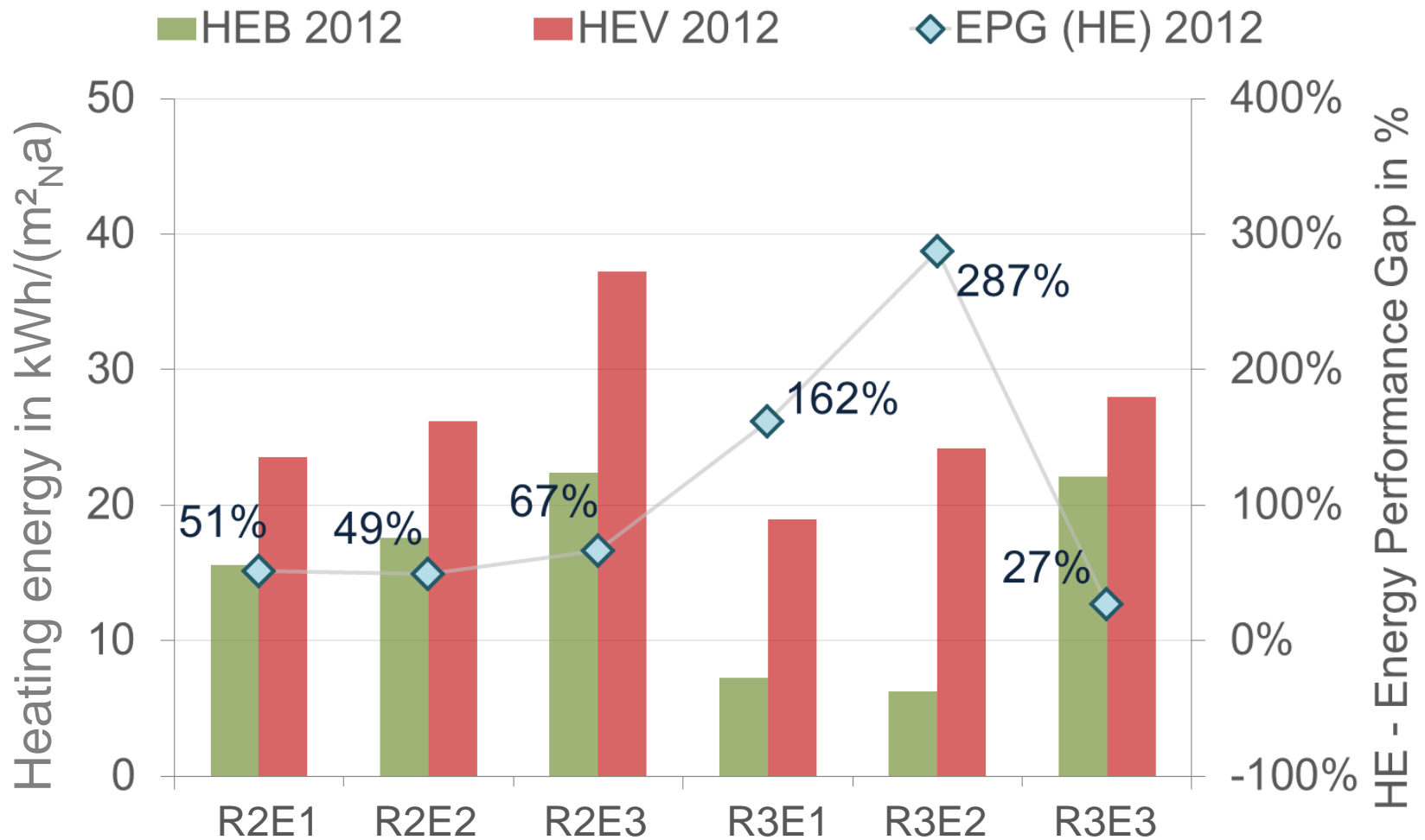


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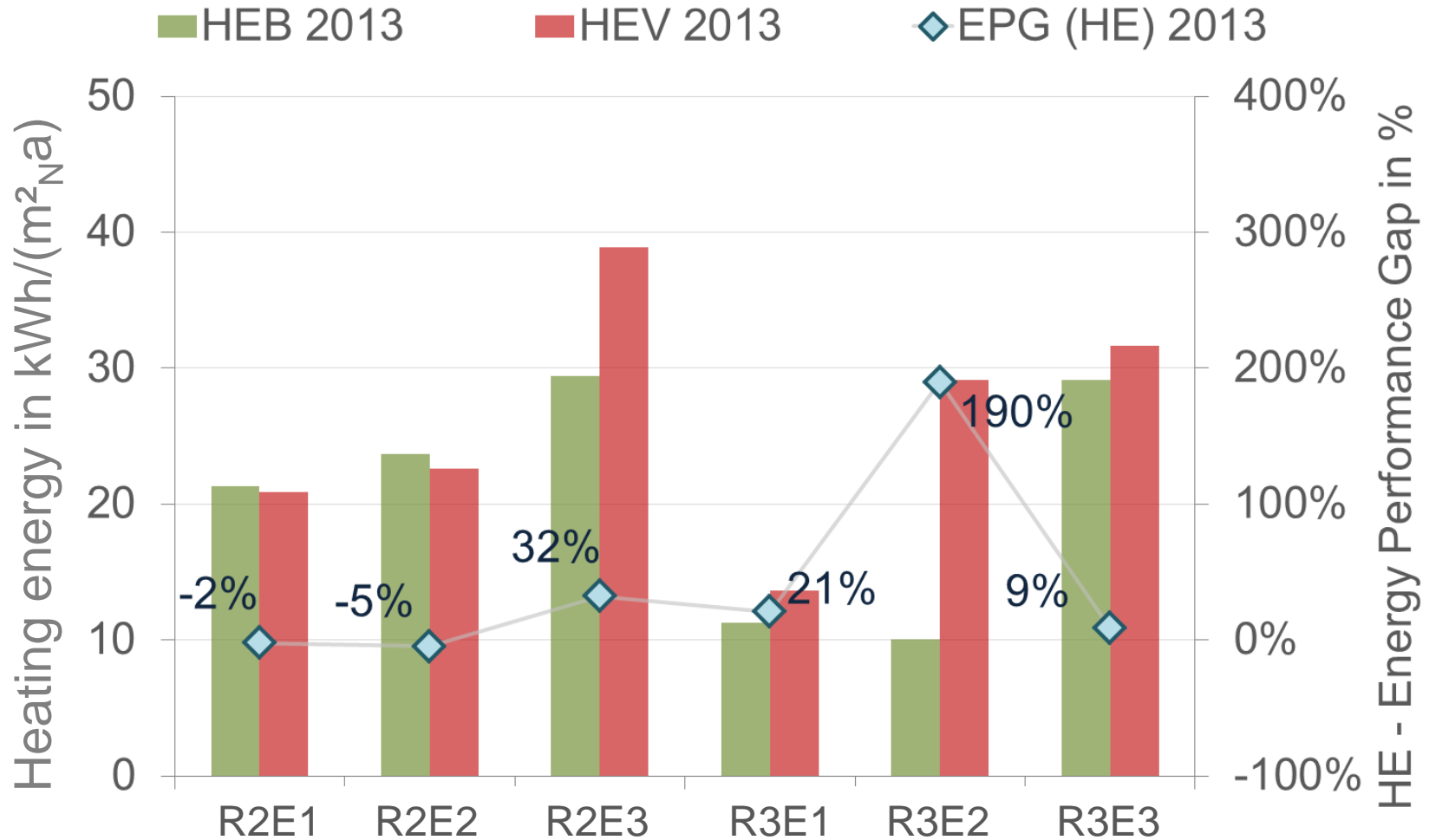
- On a scale of from -3 to 3, how do you estimate yourselves, regarding your energy consumption?



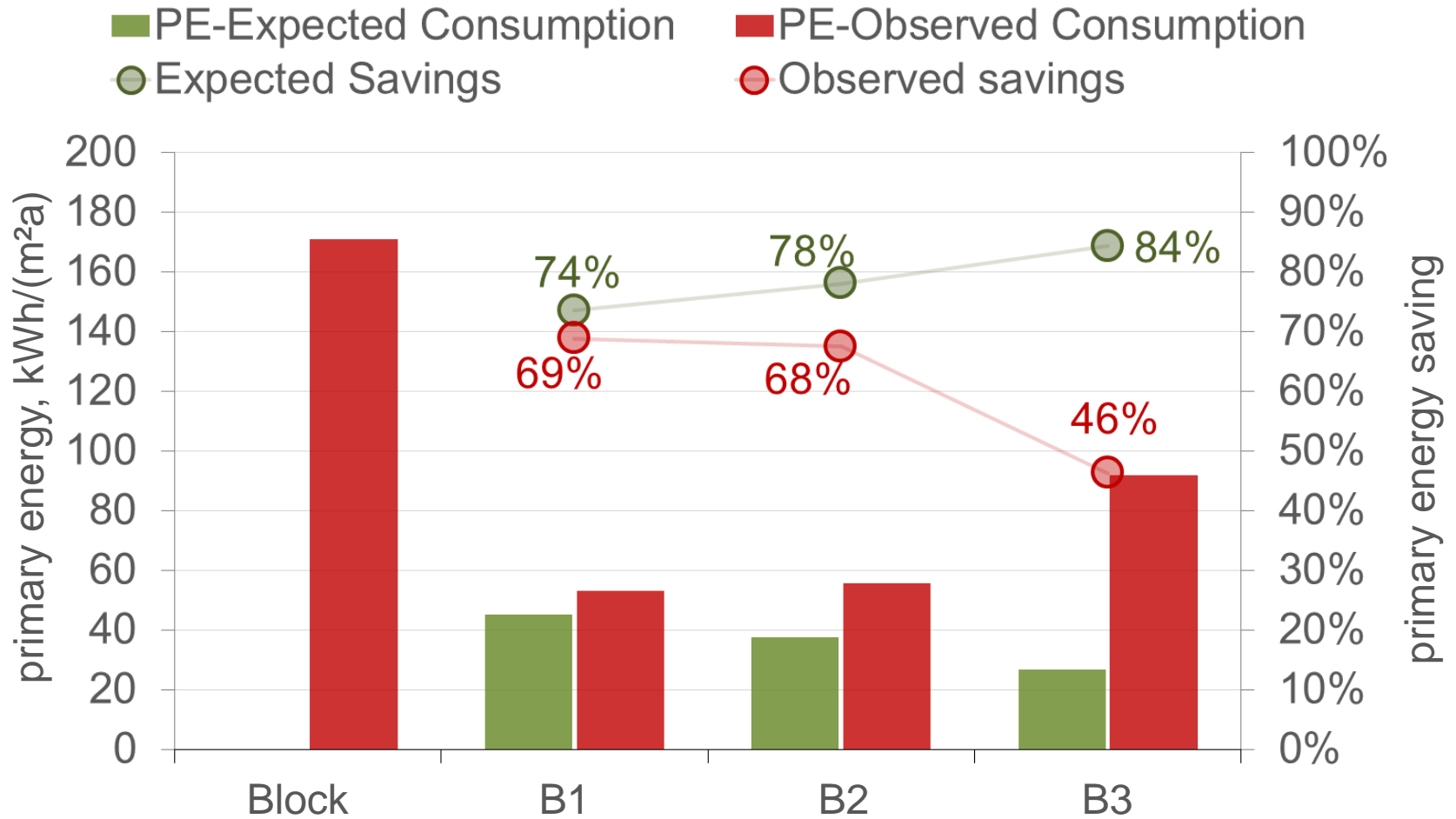
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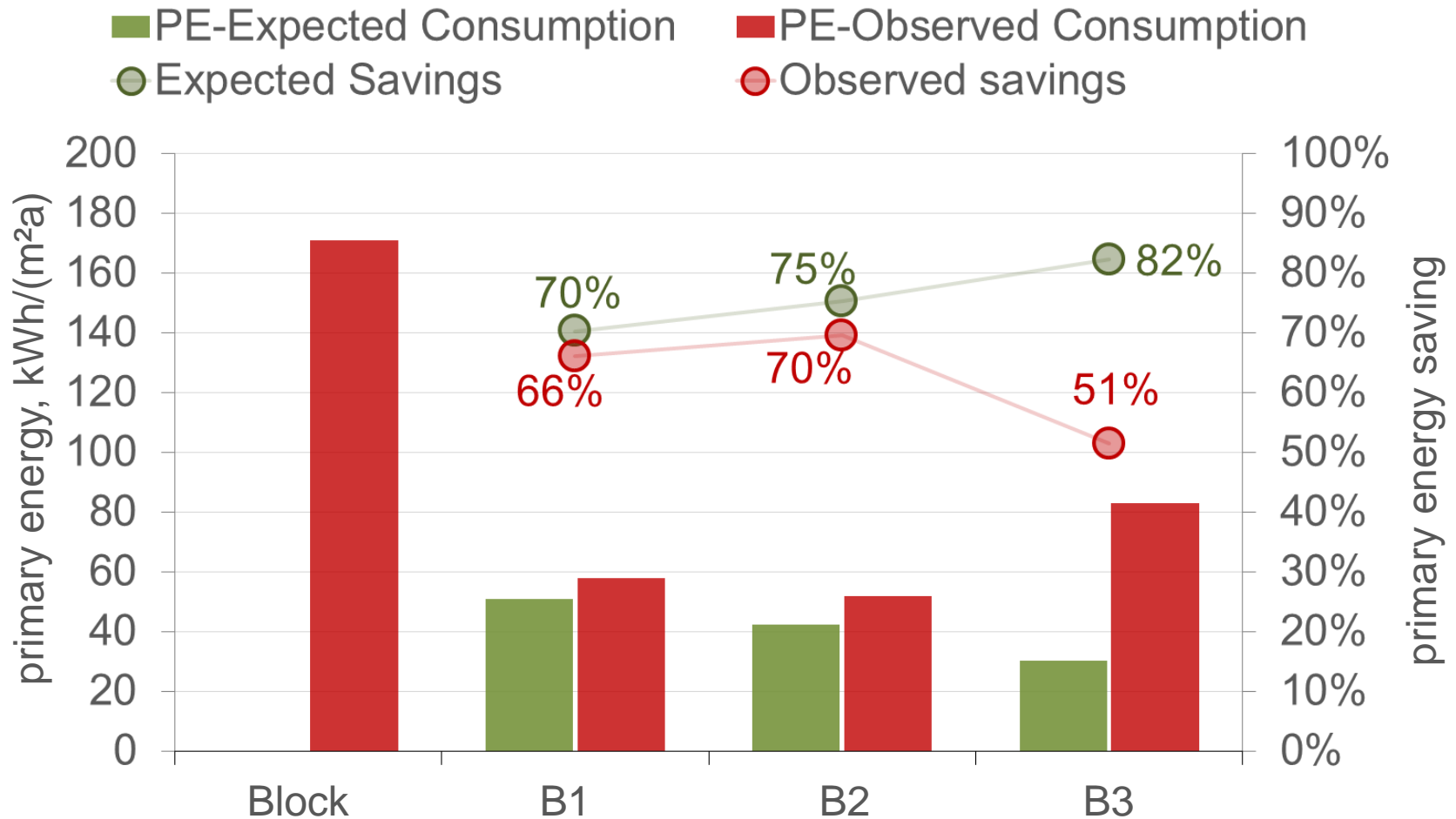
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# Expected vs. observed primary energy in the year 2012



# Expected vs. observed primary energy in the year 2013





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