

Energy in Buildings and Communities Programme

The Science and Communication of Energy-Efficient Indoor Environments

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Presentations (All)

- EBC Overview by Prof Paul Ruyssevelt, EBC Executive Committee Vice Chair
- EBC Annex 5: Air Infiltration and Ventilation Centre by Dr Peter Wouters
- EBC Annex 68: High Indoor Air Quality in Low Energy Buildings, Prof Carsten Rode
- EBC Annex 69: Adaptive Thermal Comfort by Prof Yingxin Zhu
- EBC Working Group on Cities and Communities by Helmut Strasser
- EBC Annex 72: Life Cycle Impacts by Rolf Frischknecht
- EBC Annex 74: Living Lab Platform by Prof Karsten Voss

Presentations

- EBC Overview by Prof Paul Ruyssevelt, EBC Executive Committee Vice Chair
 - Scope: energy in buildings and communities,
 5 main themes
- 27 participating countries, 86 Annexes+ 6 WGs, task shared
- Current: 20 Annexes + 3 WGs
- Project results: reports/factsheets/handbooks/guides/.....
- www.iea-ebc.org
- Target audiences: government/industry/academia

Presentations (Part 1-1)

- EBC Annex 5: Air Infiltration and Ventilation Centre (AIVC) by Dr Peter Wouters
- Launched in 1979 as Annex 5, >40 yrs history
- Events
- Resources: website, info papers/tech reports/literature lists/newsletter
- Focus fields and projects: smart ventilation, ventilative cooling, IAQ, airtightness
 New: Covid-19 and ventilation

Presentations (Part 1-2)

- EBC Annex 68: High Indoor Air Quality in Low Energy Buildings, Prof Carsten Rode
- Goal: comfortable and healthy indoor environments in energy efficient buildings
- Activities: definitions & indicators (IAQ and energy dashboard)/pollutant (VOC) load/modeling/control strategies/ 24 case studies (design/operation), including 7 low energy buildings from different countries
- Project reports available

Presentations (Part 1-3)

• EBC Annex 69: Adaptive Thermal Comfort in Low Energy Buildings by Prof Yingxin Zhu

- Appropriate indoor thermal environment – why adaptive thermal comfort: broader temp range – lower energy

- Adaptive thermal comfort model with mechanisms and new database (from 6 continents, 22 countries).

- Model application in mixed mode buildings
 Reasonable building design 4 examples in China, Australia, India
- Personal comfort system individual control of microclimate (heating cooling chair/desk fan/foot-warmer/wearable PCS, etc)
- Energy saving potential

Presentations (Part 2-1)

- EBC Working Group on Cities and Communities by Helmut Strasser
- Background and Scope: Carbon emissions in Cities (buildings and transport), cities are at the heart of the decarbonation efforts. Barriers and challenges. City needs.
- 3 thematic priorities technologies, strategies (planning), data+tools+methods.
- Lessons learnt- questions need to be answered.
 Proposal for a new TCP on Decarbonation in cities and communities

Presentations (Part 2-2)

- EBC Annex 72: Life Cycle Environmental Impacts Caused by Buildings by Rolf Frischknecht
- Net zero emissions by 2050, 40% by buildings
 LCA: Material (embodied CO2) Construction Maintenance Demolition cycle
- 5 Subtasks (methodology guideline, assessment workflow and tool, case studies, building LCA database, dissemination)
- Typology of net-zero buildings approaches (energy demand and production)
- The package for national buildings LCA

Presentations (Part 2-3)

- EBC Annex 74: Competition and Living Lab Platform by Prof Karsten Voss
- Experiences leant from solar decartholon (university competition)
- 3 subtasks (Science and technology, competitions and living labs, communication)
- Design data analysis max power 15 kWp- 10 kWp-5kWp
- Monitoring data (consumption and production)
- How the competition linked to building science
- Lessons learnt, impacts, performance

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