Presentation of Pilot site: Sofia

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Location
Sofia
Continental climate
\[ T_{\text{MAX}} = 31 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} \]
\[ T_{\text{AVG}} = 10 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} \]
\[ T_{\text{MIN}} = -11^{\circ}\text{C} \]

- Total of 6 apartments on four levels
- 5 apartments to be retrofitted

Zoning

Building envelope
- Refurbished envelope
- Exposed façades oriented towards South-East and South-west

HVAC system
- 3 apartments with natural gas boilers \((\eta_{\text{GCV}}=0.85)\) for SH and DHW.
- 2 apartments with coal stove/electric boiler, cooling required but not yet accounted for

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Retrofitted system in Sofia
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Second floor
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Third floor
PV system in Sofia

3 Solar Edge 6kW 1 phase inverter
3 x 14 x 340 W
Building Energy Management System – Solar System

- Solar Edge SetApp monitoring Platform is perfectly integrated with the installed system so that the solar energy generated can be monitored in detail. The photovoltaic system is connected to the electricity distribution network.
Heat pump and heat batteries

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Building Energy Management System – Control of Heat Batteries and Heat Pump

- When the heat battery charging demand is generated, the controller switch on the heat pump run demand signal.
- When the heat batteries are charging, the valve DV1 controls the charging flow temperature between 53°C and 55°C
- The pump also turns on when there is flow in outlet pipe to supply pre-heated water to the gas boilers.
Local temperature controllers

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Thank you.

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