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Validation and Analysis of Energy Performance Using Dynamic Simulations and Comparison with Detailed Measurements

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Transformation of Building Stock

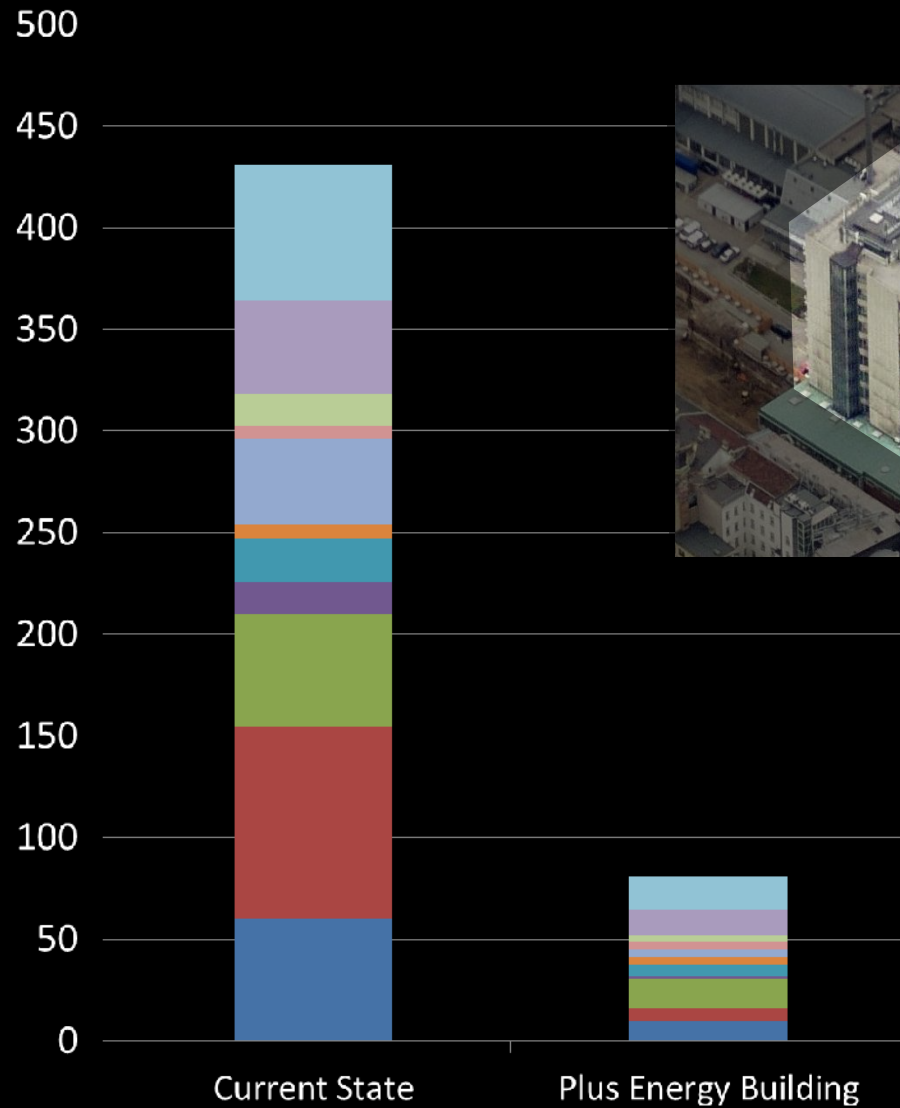
into places with comfortable and healthy indoor climate

lowest energy demand

high amount of local energy production

is the challenge.

Primary Energy kWh/m²GFA



- Server
- Workplace Equipment
- Printer, Copierer,...
- Tea kitchen
- Escalator
- Hot Water
- Ventilation
- Humidifying
- Lighting
- Heating
- Cooling

Conversion Factors

Electricity 3.5 kWh/kWh

District Heating 1 kWh/kWh

Calculation models.....Accuracy?

User behaviour.....Predictability?

We need

well documented
well measured

„reference“ building

Office Building in Lower Austria



- Description of the investigated building
- Calculation model
- Data Collection on Equipment/Occupancy
- Measurements - Calculations

- Gross heated floor area: 4811 m²
- Heated gross volume: 18099 m³
- Number of employees: 129 people 37m²GFA/cap
- Detailed metering of energy flows

Hotwater	lighting	equipment	catering	3	
Hotwater	lighting	equipment		2	
Hotwater	lighting	equipment		1	
Hotwater	lighting	equipment		0	
Heat	fan	humidifier	night ventilation fan	IT	cellar

Building Envelope

- external walls 0.2 – 0.3 W/ m² K
- flat roof 0.12 W/ m² K

- windows:

	Frame	Glass	SHGC
	U _f	U _g	g
	W/m ² K	W/m ² K	-
Offices	1.4	1.1	0.5
Public Help Desks	2.2	1.1	0.37

Heating and Ventilation System

- district heating
- decentralized small storage water heaters (electricity)
- Humidifier
- ventilation system for all rooms
- night ventilation (40.000 m³/h 12pm till 7am - summer)



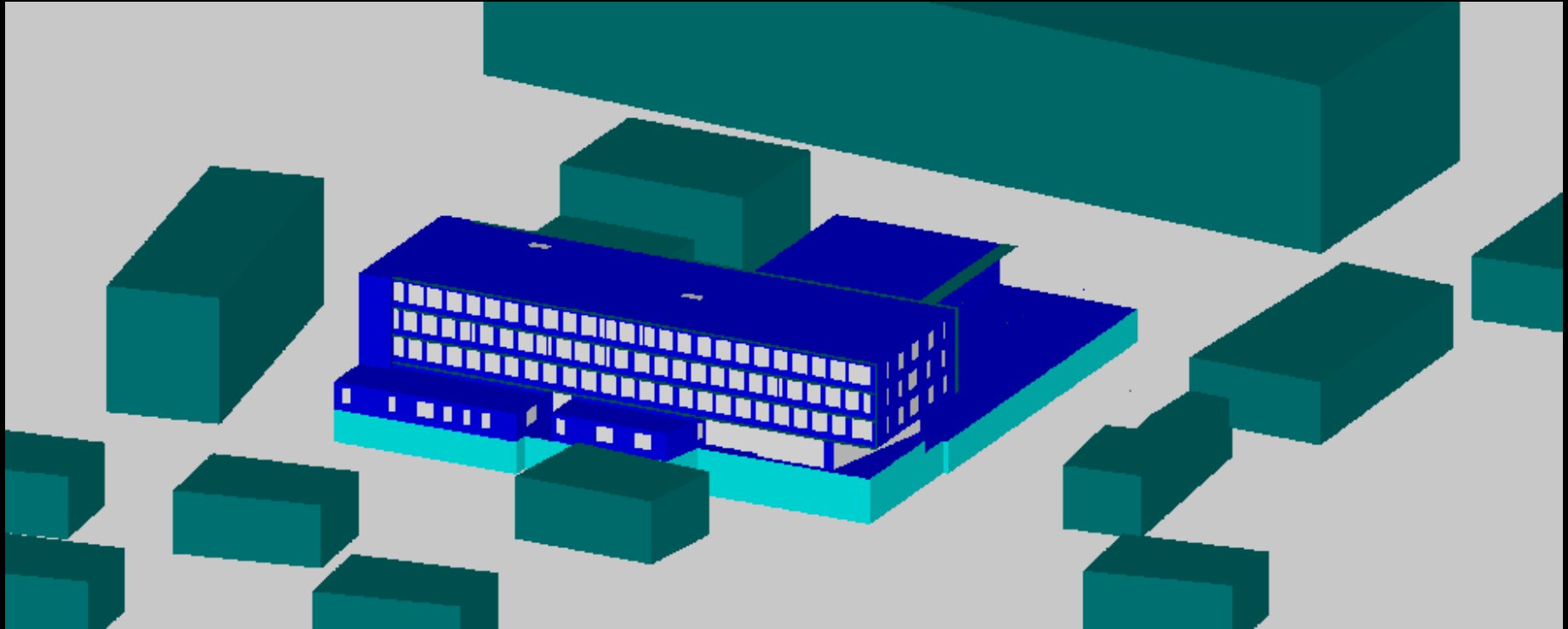
pre heating



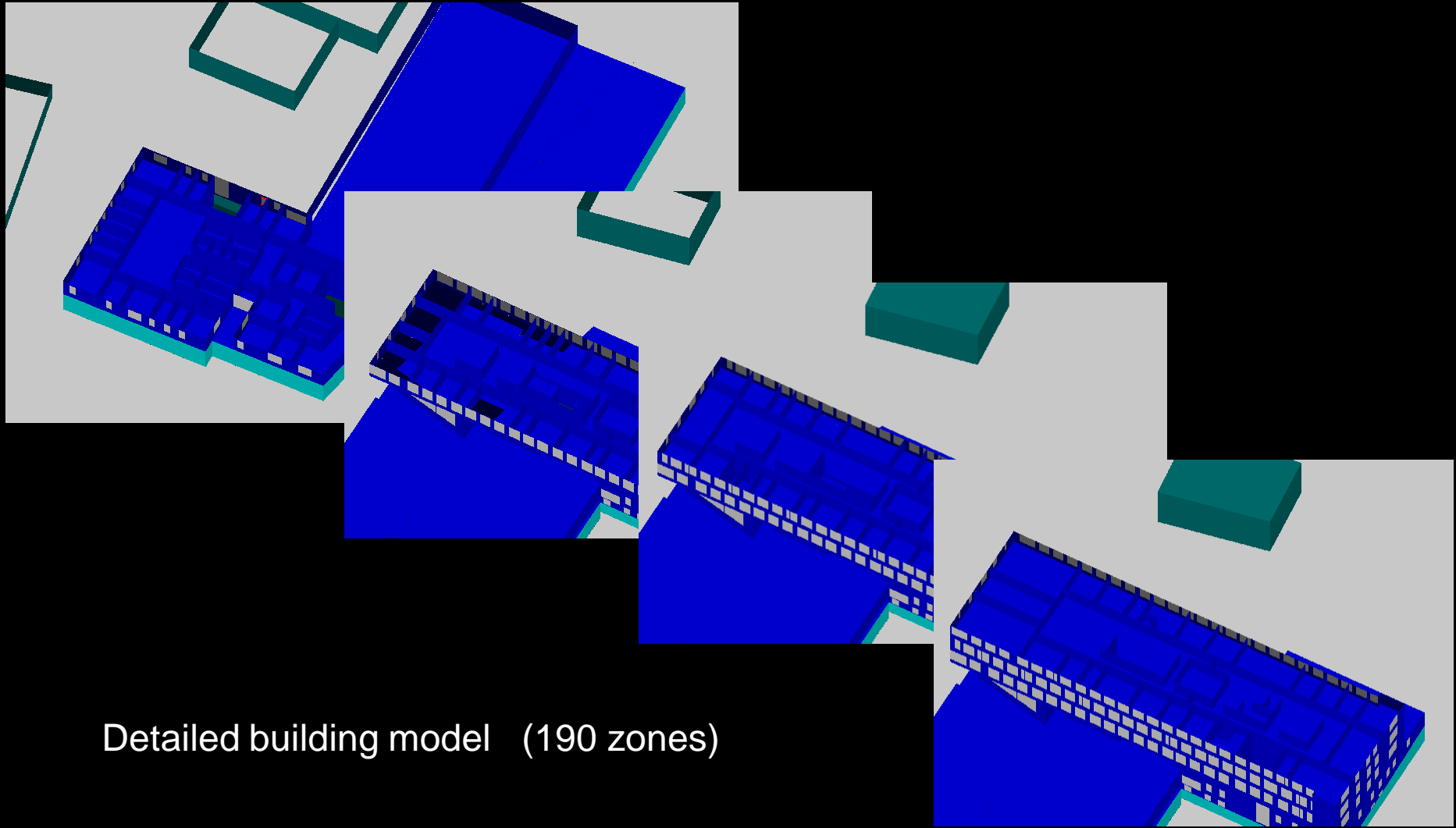
supply air

exhaust air

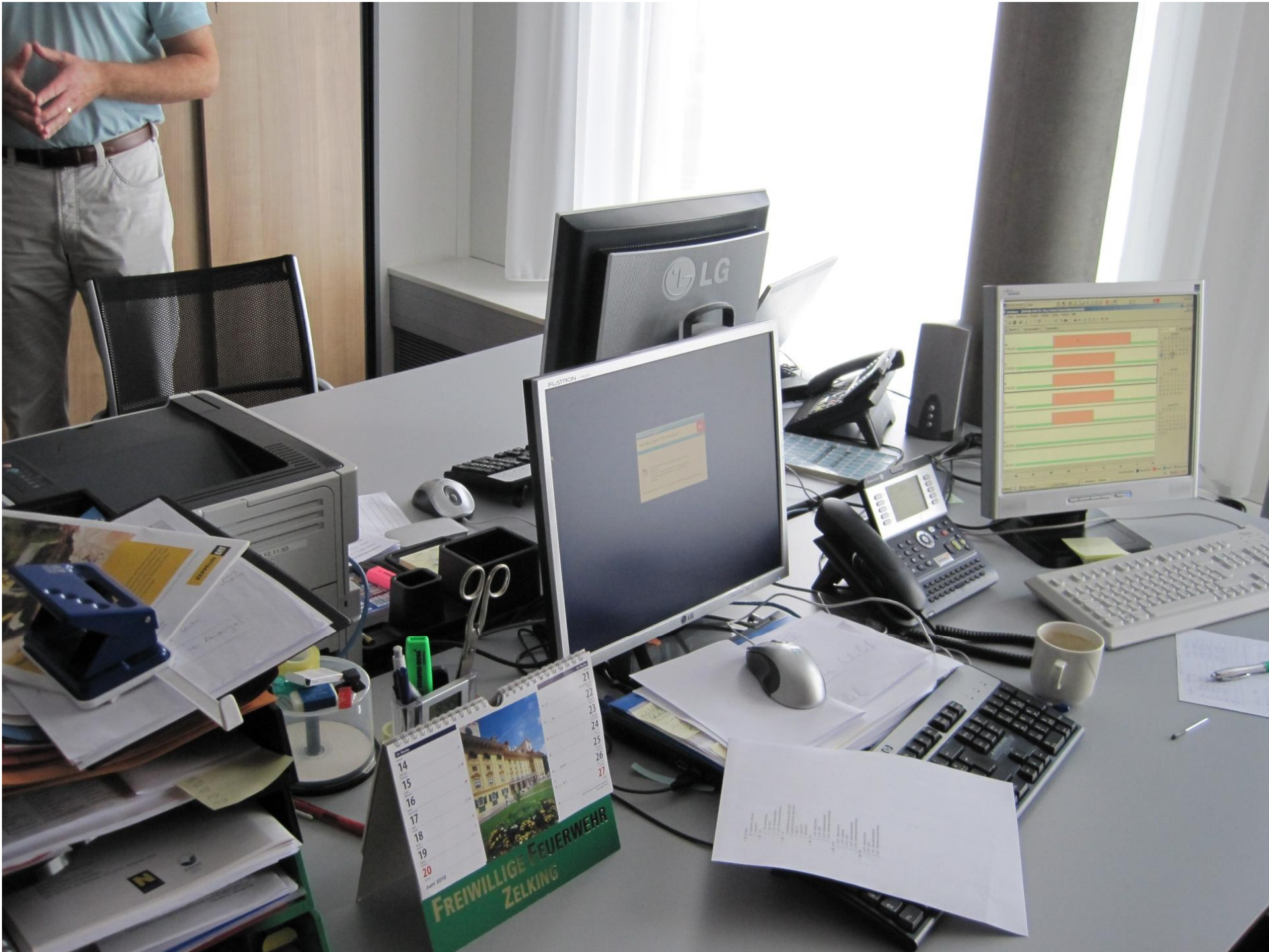
slots



Detailed building model



Detailed building model (190 zones)



	1x per	Power in W Work time	Power in W Standby
Color laser printer	office	103.0	15.4
Battery chargers	office	0.8	0.2
Radio	office	9.0	0.0
Ligthing controller	office	1.5	1.5
Fire alarm sensor	work station	0.5	0.5
Blinds controller	work station	1.5	1.5
Phone	work station	3	3
Computer	work station	Presence 56 / 53.7	2.3
Monitor	work station	Presence 18.5 / 18.1	0.35



	Power in W	Power in W
	Using time	Standby
Fire alarm sensor	0.5	0.5
Lighting controller	1.5	1.5
Blinds controller	1.5	1.5
Night ventilation	1.5	1.5
Emergency light	8	8

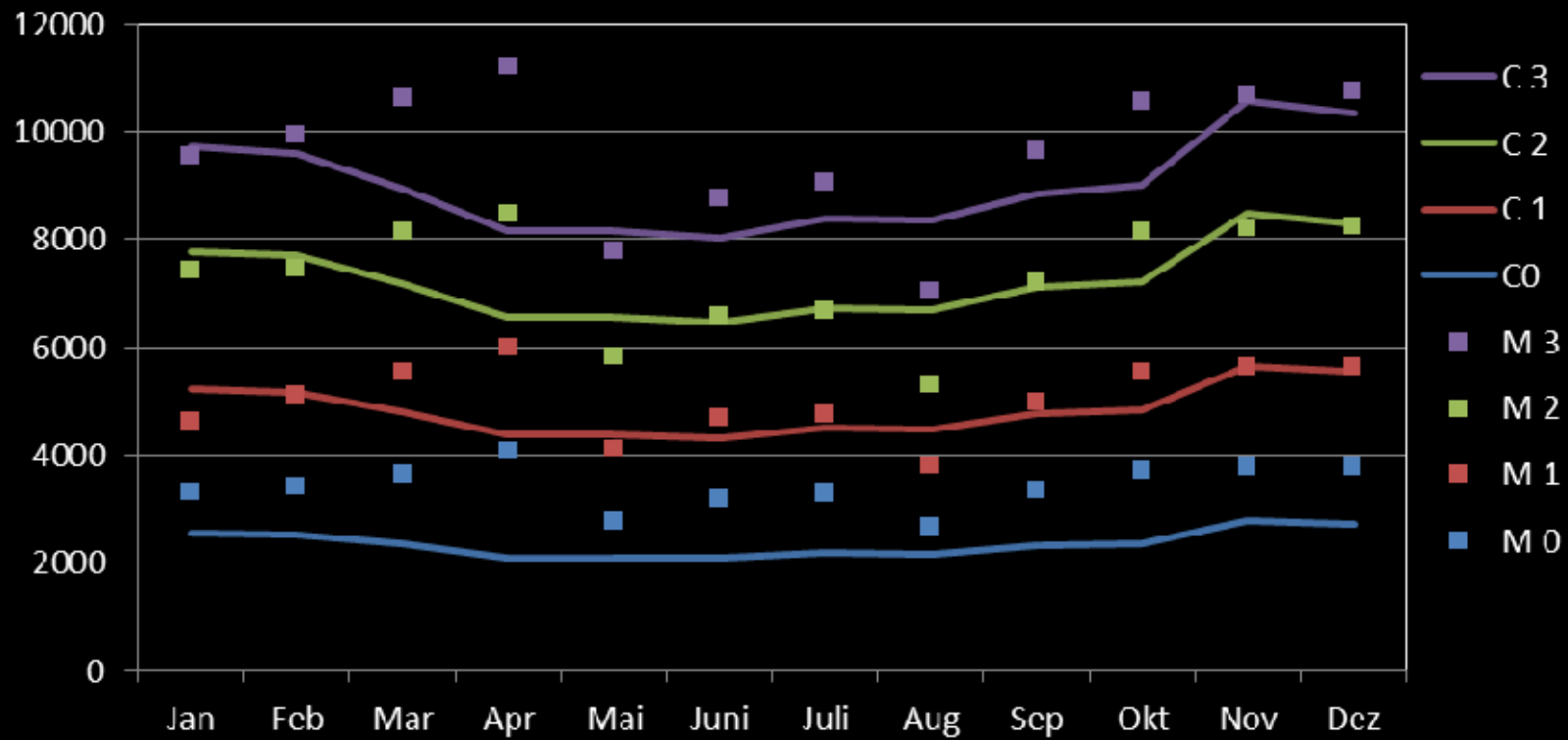
Lighting:

Lighting has been simulated taking into account the presence of people and the natural lighting of the rooms.

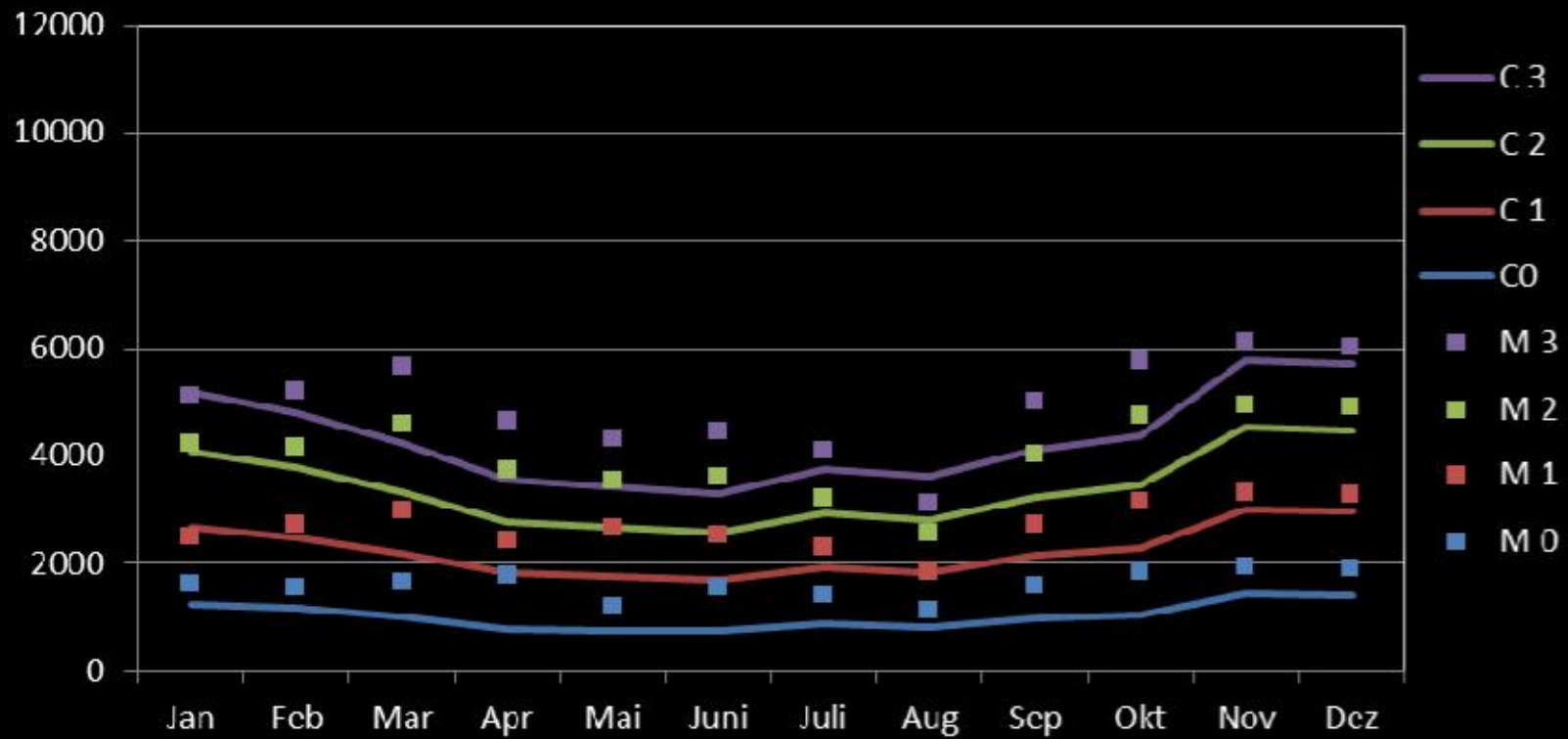
All corridor lighting has been included for the whole occupancy period.



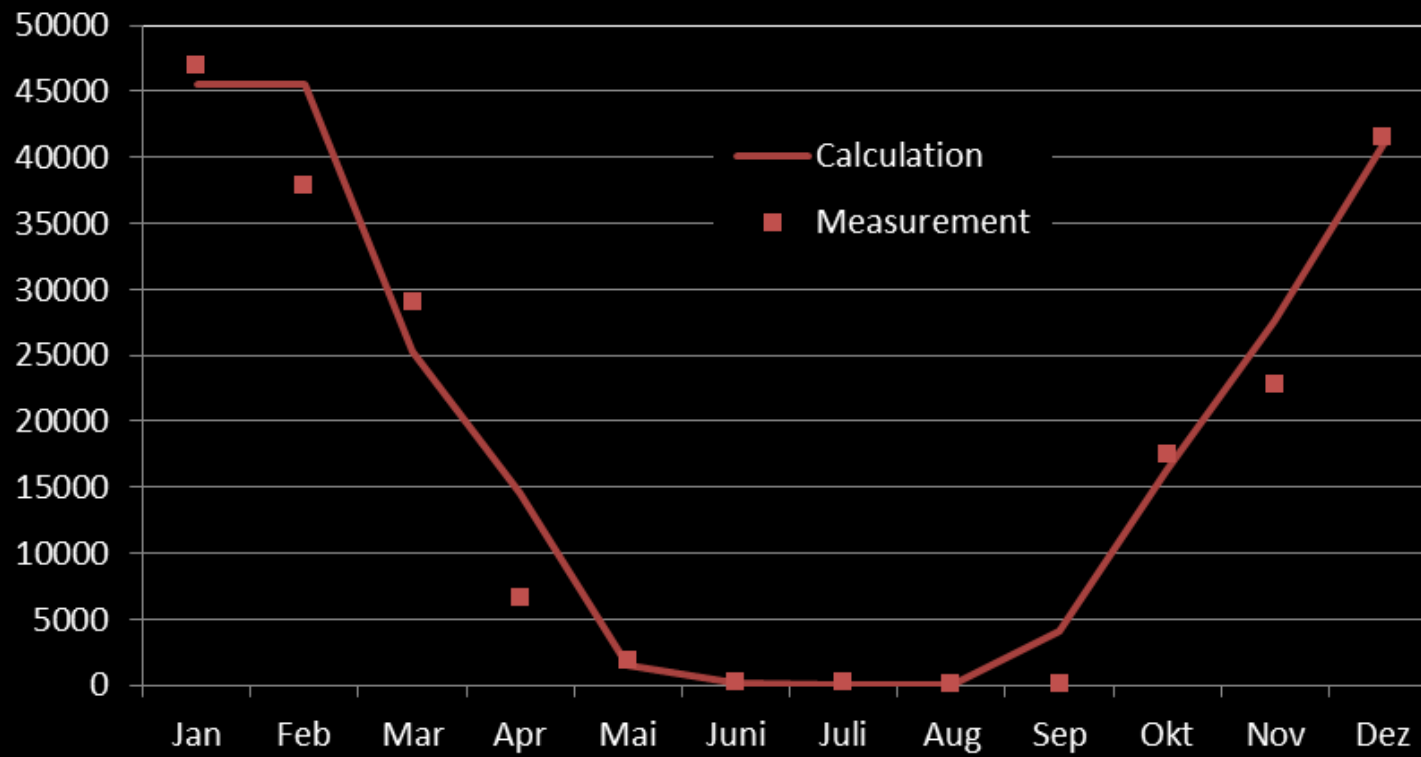
electricity use for equipment, lighting,... in kWh



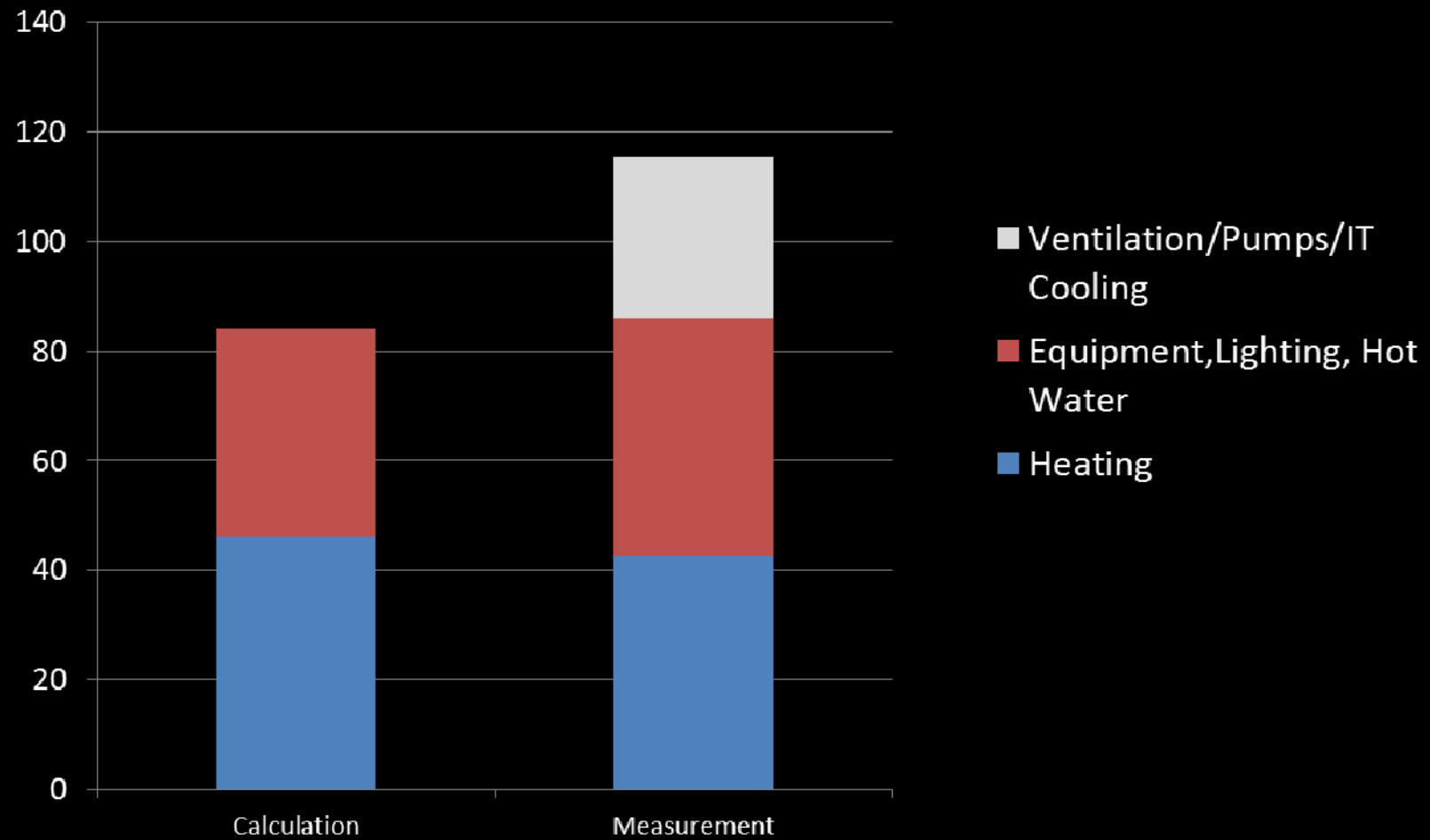
electricity use lighting in kWh



heat use for heating in kWh



Primary Energy in kWh/m²GFA



- Using Drawings, Construction Description
Occupancy (Schedules) / Equipment

total energy use fits well with calculations
- Pumps/Fan electricity demand was not investigated
- Do we need detailed dynamic simulation?

