




Towards 100% Renewable Energy

ISLANDS AS LABORATORIES OF THE ENERGY TRANSITION

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A Decade of Renewable Energy Growth Surpassing Expectations

Global installed capacity and production from all renewable technologies have increased substantially

Significant cost reductions for most technologies

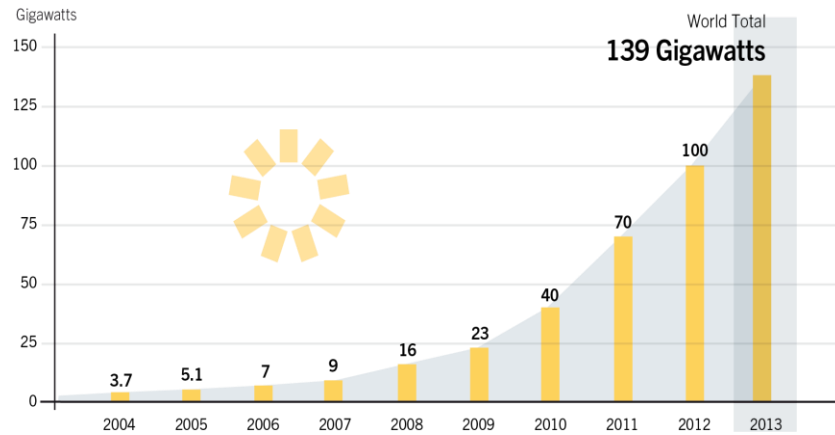
Supporting policies spread throughout the world.

		START 2004 ¹	END 2012	END 2013
INVESTMENT				
New investment (annual) in renewable power and fuels ²	billion USD	39.5	249.5	214.4 (249.4)
POWER				
Renewable power capacity (total, not including hydro)	GW	85	480	560
Renewable power capacity (total, including hydro)	GW	800	1,440	1,560
 Hydropower capacity (total) ³	GW	715	960	1,000
 Bio-power capacity	GW	<36	83	88
 Bio-power generation	TWh	227	350	405
 Geothermal power capacity	GW	8.9	11.5	12
 Solar PV capacity (total)	GW	2.6	100	138
 Concentrating solar thermal power (total)	GW	0.4	2.5	3.4
 Wind power capacity (total)	GW	48	283	318
HEAT				
 Solar hot water capacity (total) ⁴	GW _{th}	98	282	326
TRANSPORT				
 Ethanol production (annual)	billion litres	28.5	82.6	87.2
 Biodiesel production (annual)	billion litres	2.4	23.6	26.3

Data source: REN21 Renewables 2014 Global Status Report

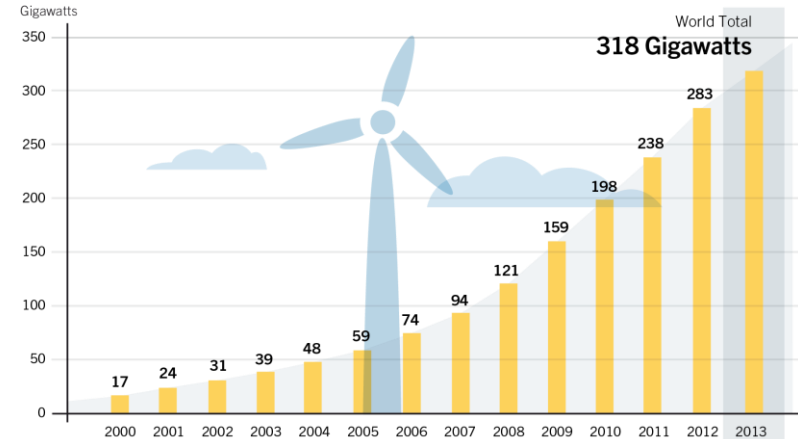
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Solar PV Total Global Capacity, 2004–2013



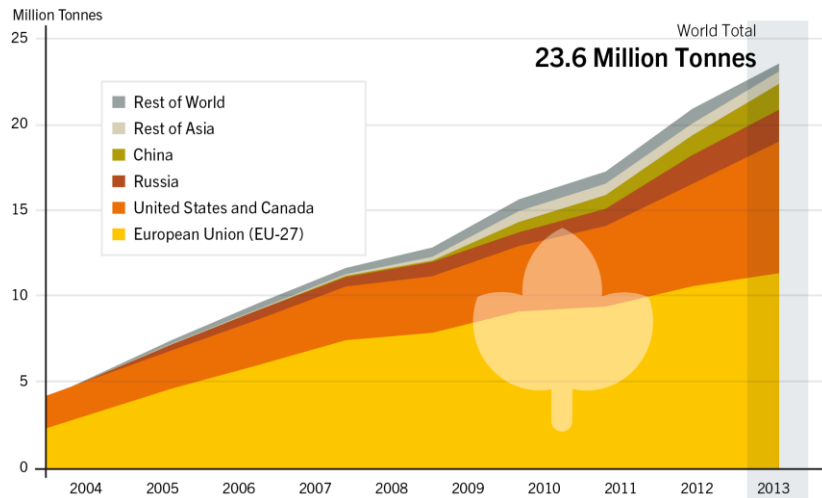
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Wind Power Total World Capacity, 2000–2013



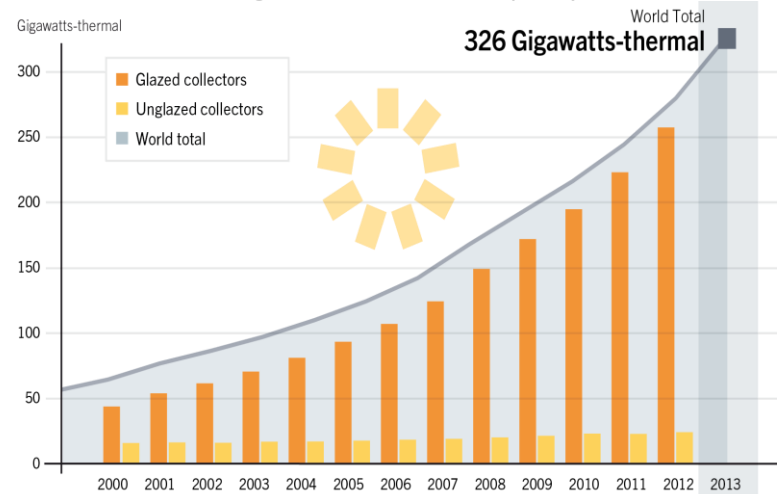
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Wood Pellet Global Production, by Country or Region, 2004–2013



Data source: REN21 Renewables 2014 Global Status Report

Solar Water Heating Collectors Global Capacity, 2000–2013



Data are for solar water collectors only (not including air collectors)
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100 percent renewable means zero fossil or nuclear fuel content in operational or embodied energy, in stationary use or in transport.





Towards decentralized energy vision

NEW MODEL

New storage solutions for variable RE sources

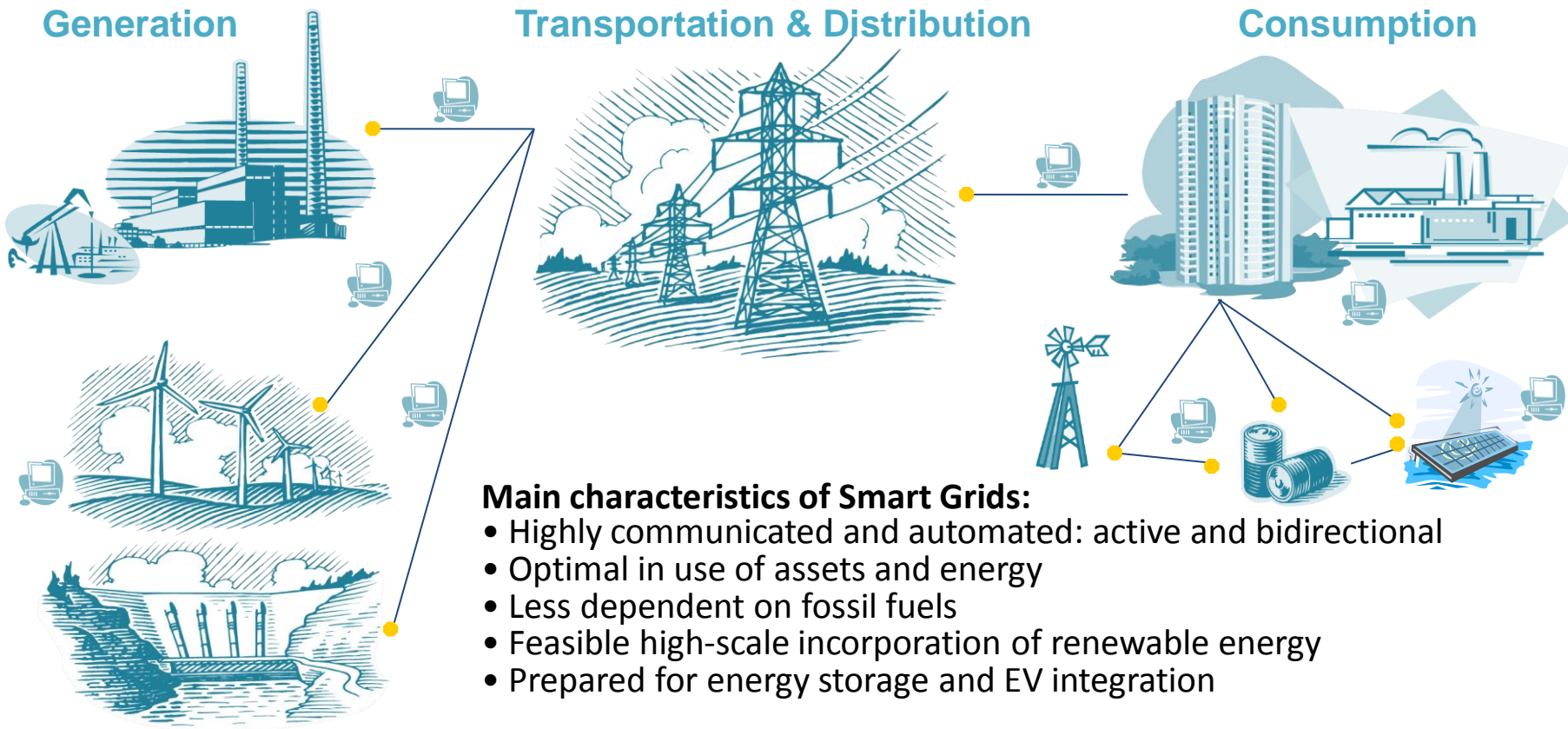
Self-consumption, distributed generation

Smart grid



The new electricity model: Smart Grids

The Smart electricity model is strongly multidirectional



100% RE INITIATIVES

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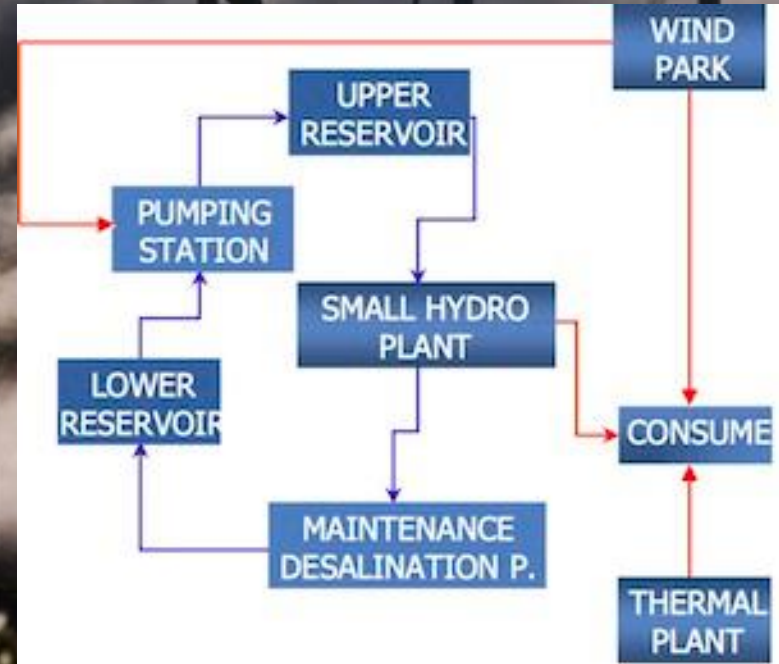
The screenshot shows the main interface of the RENFORUS GIS Viewer. It features a world map with numerous orange circular markers indicating the locations of 100% RES initiatives. On the left side, there are two vertical panels: 'OBJECTIVES' and 'IN ACTION'. At the top left, there is a search bar with a magnifying glass icon and an 'Identify' button. On the right side, there is a 'Legend' panel with the UNESCO and renforus logos, a title '100% RES Initiatives', and a description: 'Projects and initiatives 100% renewable energy around the world. Towards the new...'. A 'JOIN' button is located on the far right edge of the map area. At the bottom of the map, there is a small person icon.



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EL HIERRO ISLAND

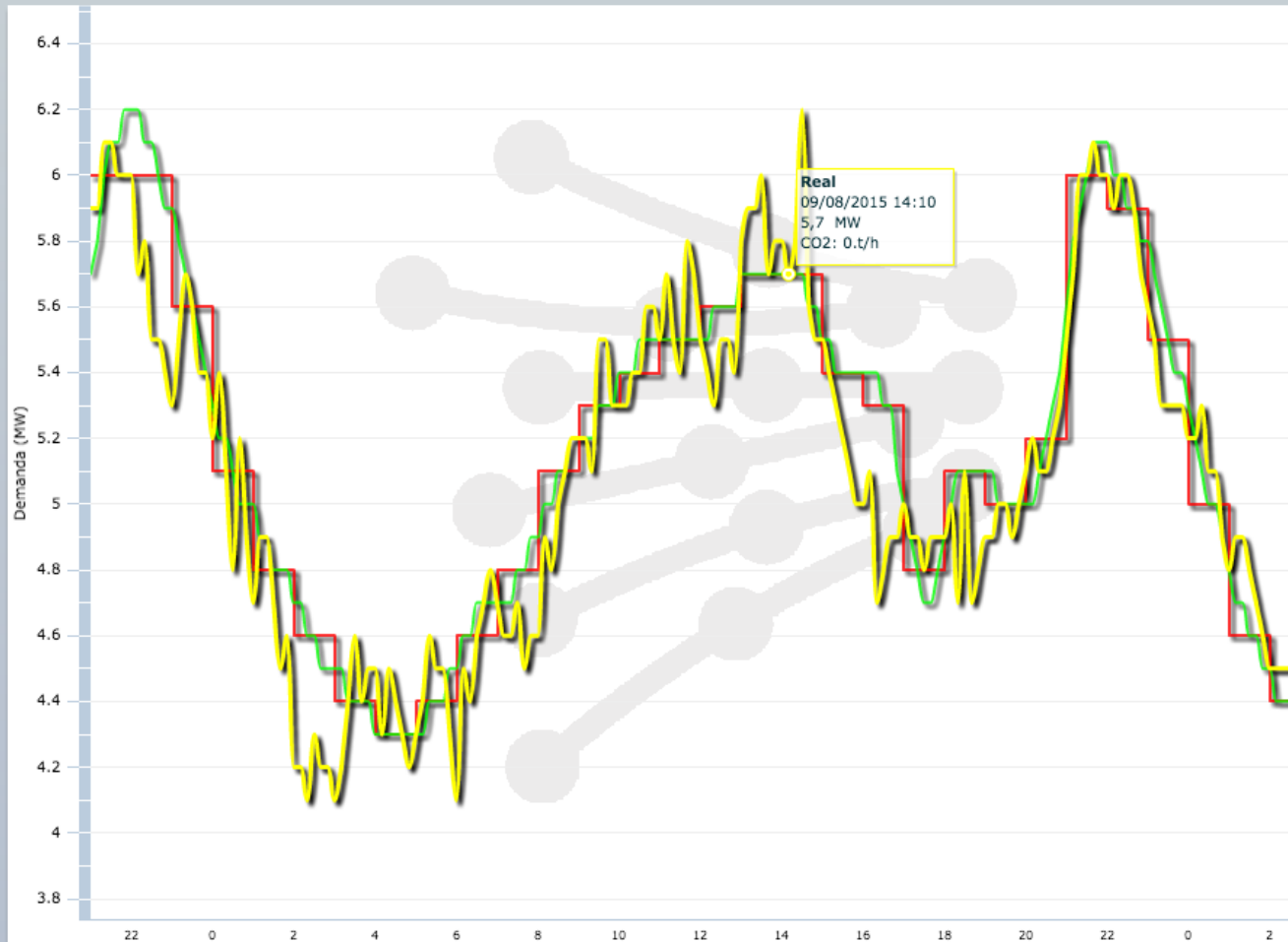
The wind-hydro pumped storage power plant



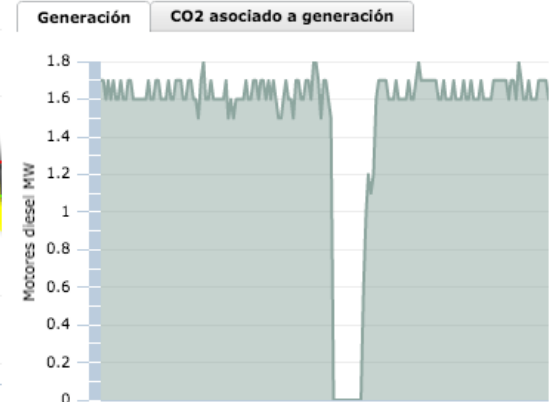
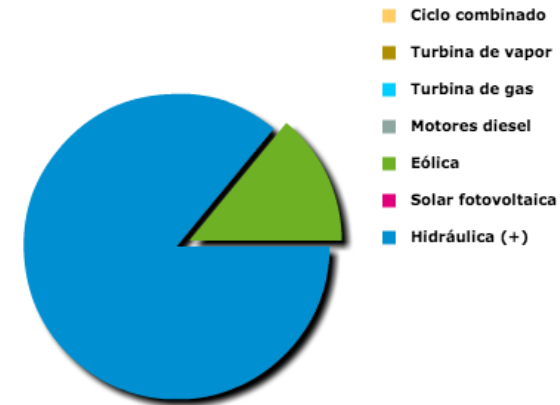
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EL HIERRO BECOME 100% RENEWABLE

El Hierro. Demanda de energía eléctrica en tiempo real, estructura de generación y emisiones de CO2



Estructura de generación a las 14:10



Demanda (MW) a las 03:00 de 10/08/2015 **Real = 4,3** **Prevista = 4,3** **Emisiones CO2 (t/h) = 1**

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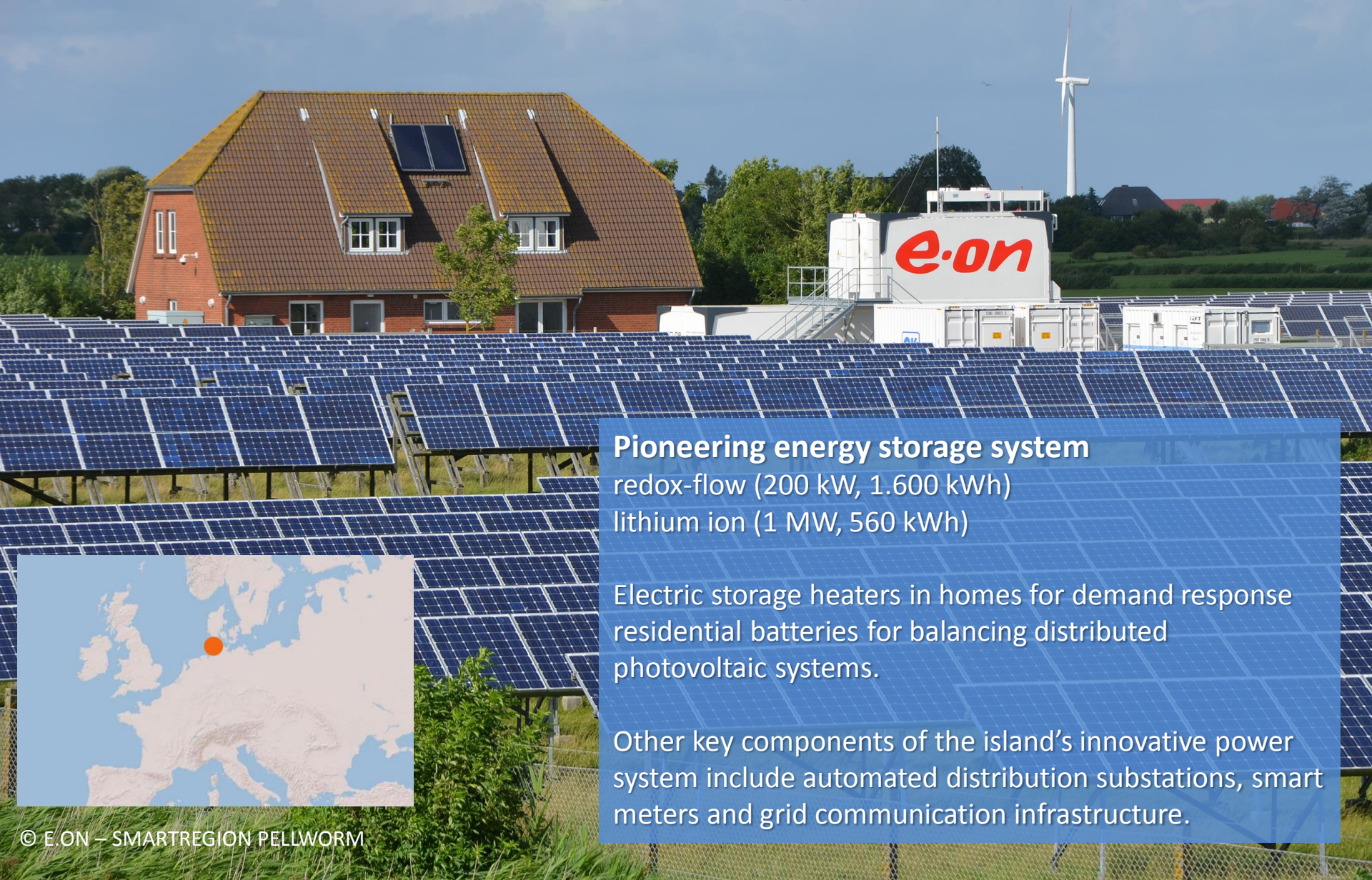
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SMART REGION PELLWORM

Germany's green energy island



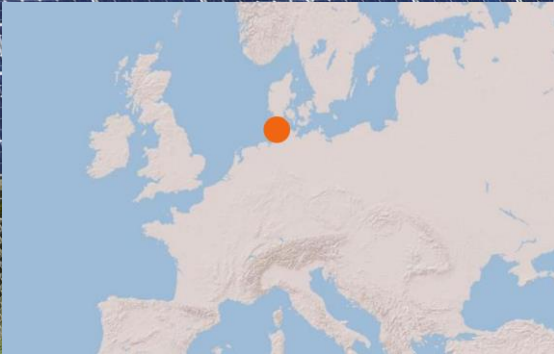
Pioneering energy storage system

redox-flow (200 kW, 1.600 kWh)

lithium ion (1 MW, 560 kWh)

Electric storage heaters in homes for demand response
residential batteries for balancing distributed
photovoltaic systems.

Other key components of the island's innovative power
system include automated distribution substations, smart
meters and grid communication infrastructure.



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Carbon Free Island & Smart Grid

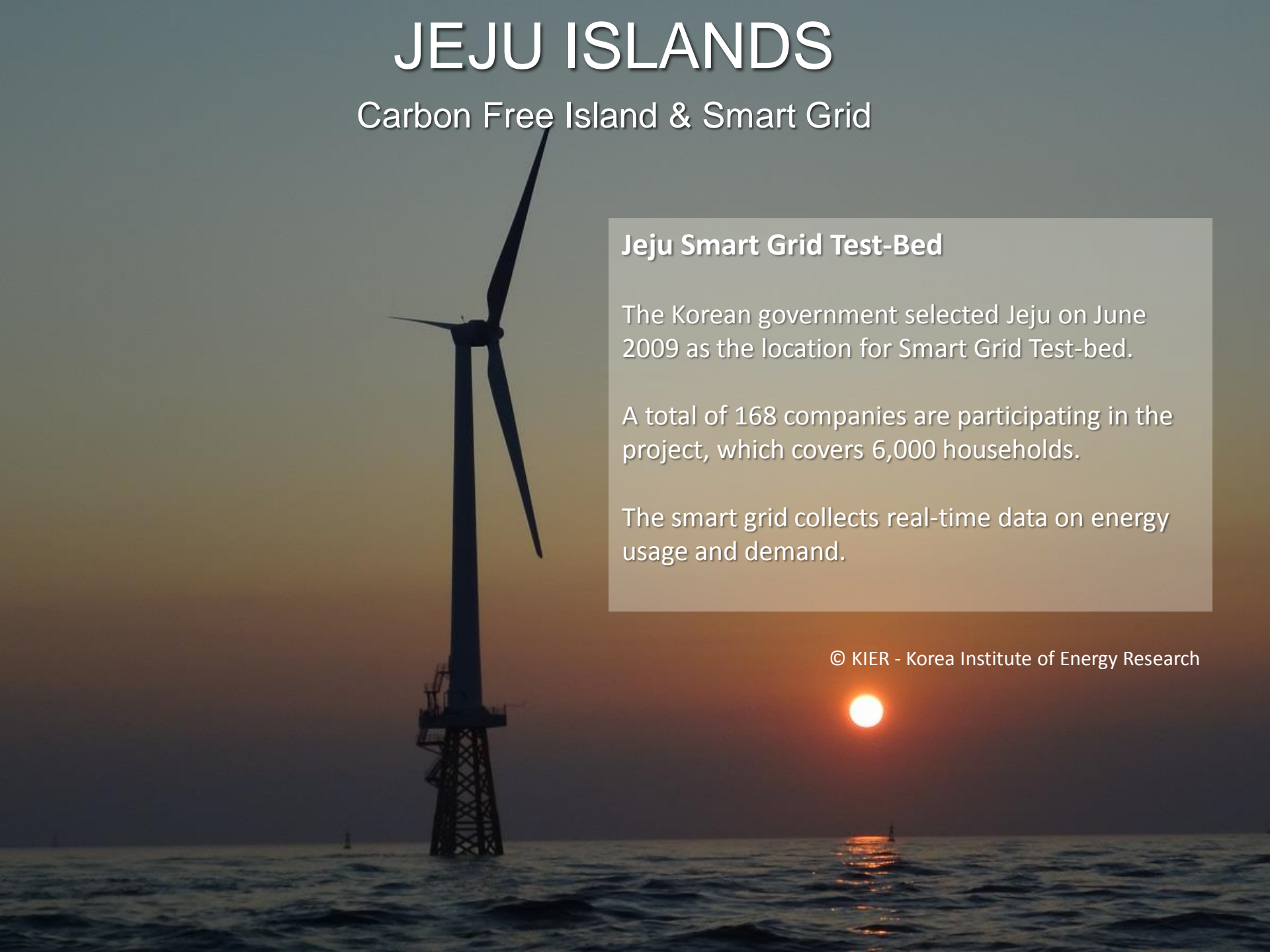
Jeju Smart Grid Test-Bed

The Korean government selected Jeju on June 2009 as the location for Smart Grid Test-bed.

A total of 168 companies are participating in the project, which covers 6,000 households.

The smart grid collects real-time data on energy usage and demand.

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