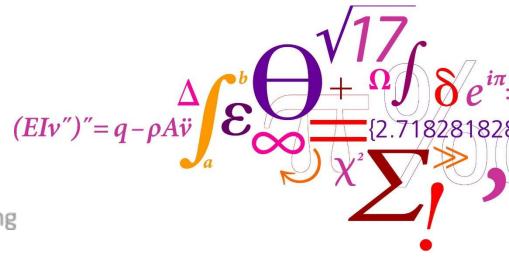


# Industrial excess heat and district heating in Denmark

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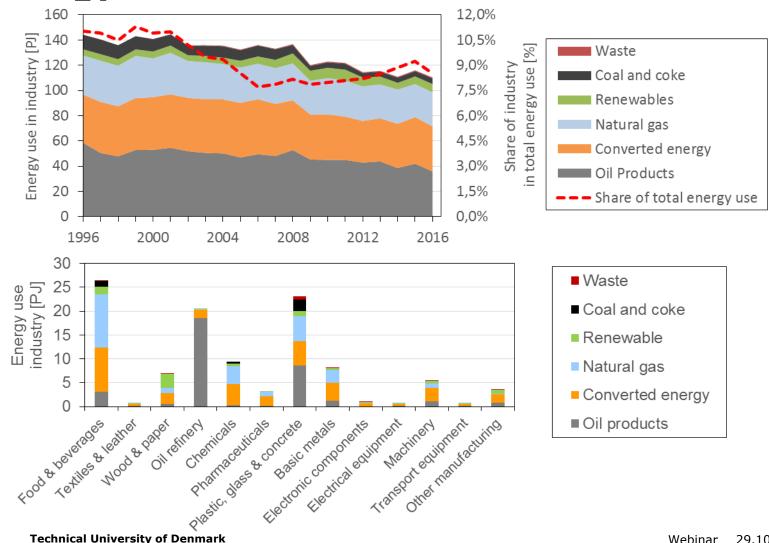


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## Agenda

- Excess heat from the industry
- Utilization of excess heat
- Mapping of energy use and excess heat in Denmark
- Approach to excess heat utilization and case studies

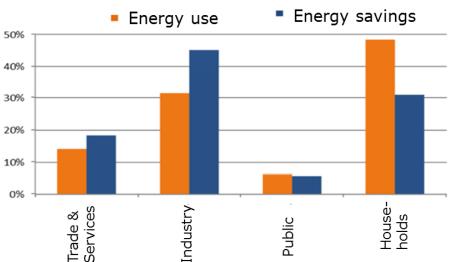
#### **Energy use in the Denmark**



## Introduction

#### Motivation

- Process heat characteristics in the industry
- Availability of excess heat
- Recovery technologies
- Potential for excess heat recovery



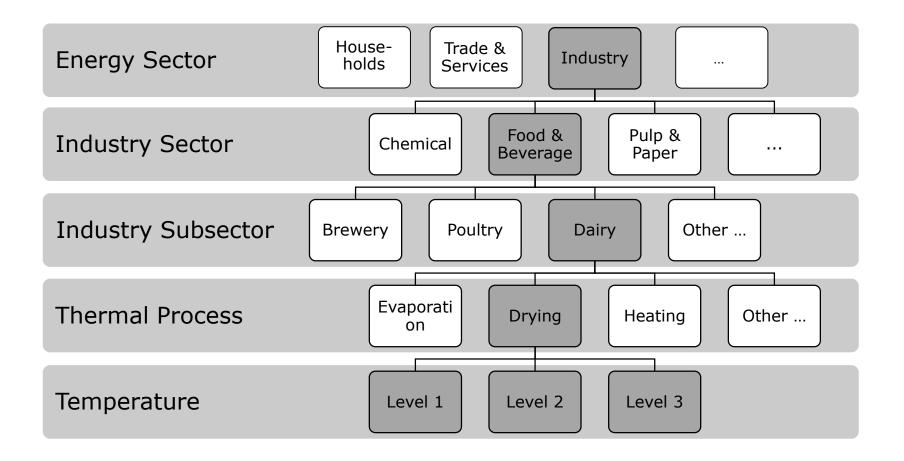
#### Share of 2015 Energy use and savings

#### Approach

- Excess heat potential by temperature for the industry sector
- Spatial, temporal and economic analysis of EH for external utilization
- Assessment of heat pump requirements for DH



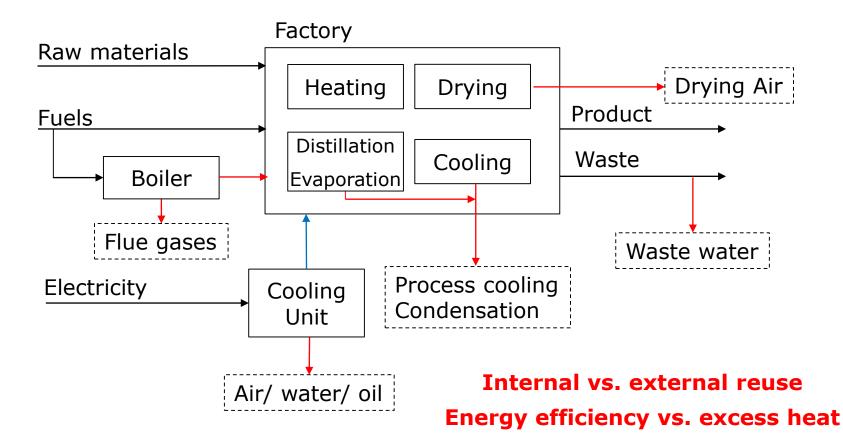
## **Method** Structure for energy use



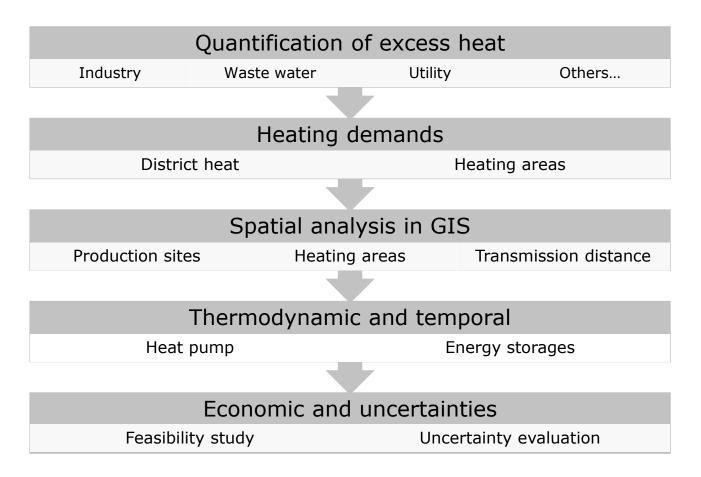


## **Origin of industrial excess heat**

• Where does industrial excess heat come from?



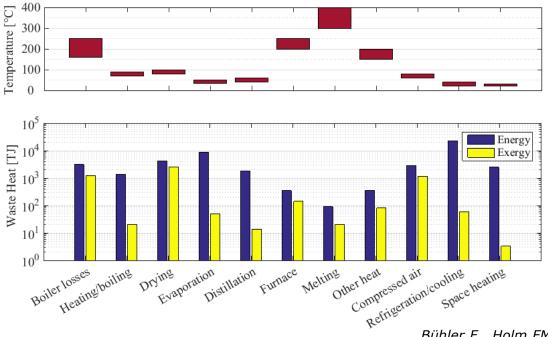
#### **Method** Excess heat for district heat





## **Quantification of excess heat** Industrial excess heat in Denmark

- Total of 212 PJ of excess heat per year
- 23% of excess heat from industry and 28% from utility
- Total excess heat in manufacturing industry 22.6 PJ/year



- Drying, Evaporation and refrigeration main excess heat sources
- Highest temperatures from furnaces, boilers and melting operation

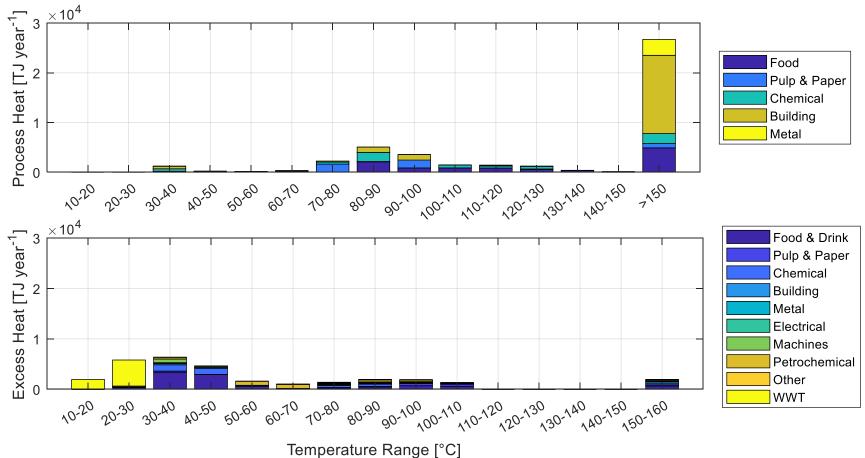
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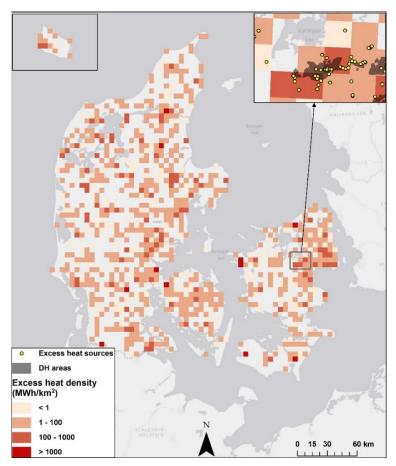
### **Process and excess heat in Denmark**

Internal utilization potential, source of excess heat and requirements for heat pumps.



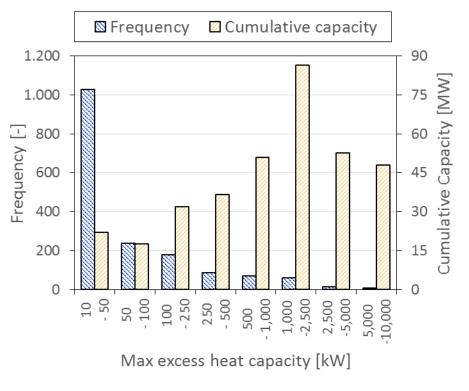


#### **Spatial analysis of excess heat in Denmark**



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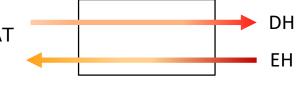
Spatial and temporal analysis of the 22 largest manufacturing industries with 2584 production units.

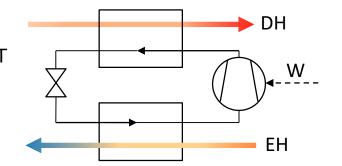


## Utilisation of industrial excess heat

- Direct utilization
  - DH supply temperature < EH temperature +  $\Delta T$
  - $\Delta T$  between 5 K to 15 K
  - DH return temperature 50 °C -> EH temperature > 55 °C
  - Minimum EH temperature
- Heat pump
  - DH supply temperature > EH temperature +  $\Delta T$
  - $COP_h$  = Useful heat output/ Electricity input
  - Obtainable  $\text{COP}_h$  3 5
  - Often  $COP_h + COP_c$
- Combination of direct heat transfer and heat pump
- Absorption Chillers
  - EH source 100 °C to 170 °C ->  $COP_c$  of 0.7 to 1.0
- Electricity generation using ORC

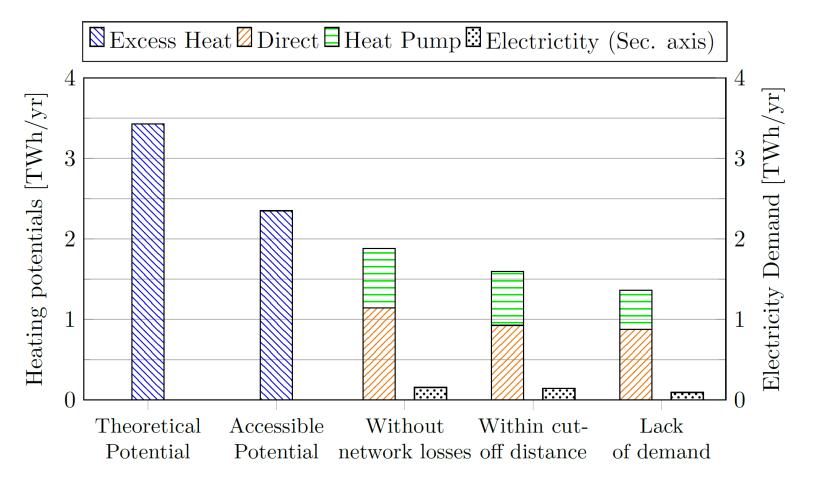








#### From theoretical to practical potential

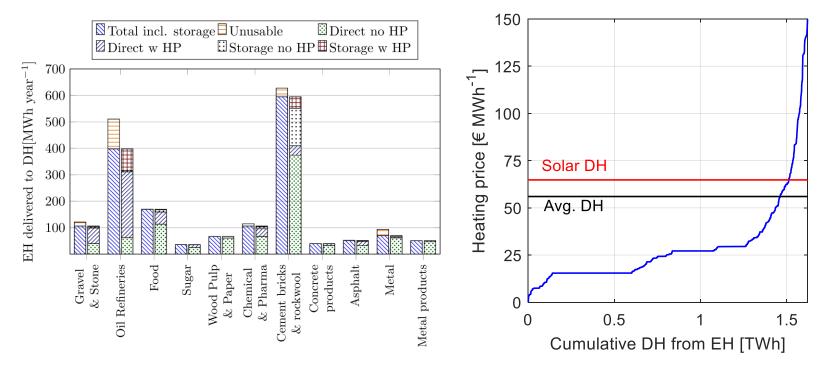


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#### Thermodynamic and economic analysis



- Requirement of energy storages
- Useable excess heat
- Requirement and performance (COP) of heat pumps
- Socio-economic analysis of heating price
- Investment in transmission, heat pumps, heat exchanger

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### **Evaluation of case studies**

#### Case 1

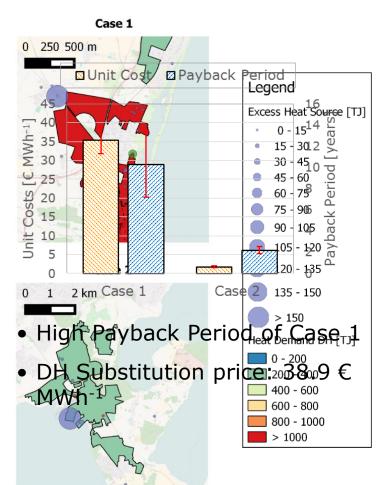
Excess heat to district heat with a heat pump

- Chemical company
- 80 °C heat from distillation
- 170 m to next DH network
- 90 °C supply/ 60 € MWh<sup>-1</sup>

#### Case 2

Excess heat to district heat without heat pump

- Metal processing
- 180 °C from off gasses
- 20 m to next DH network
- 80 °C supply



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#### **Summary and conclusion**

- Quantification of excess heat primarily from the manufacturing industry shows there is a considerable potential
- Use of excess heat needs to be carefully evaluated
- Excess heat can be an important source for District heating
- Regional difference based on "industry profile"



## Thank you for you attention!

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