

NEW 4.0

The digital strategy towards a 100% RES-Region –
an example from Northern Germany



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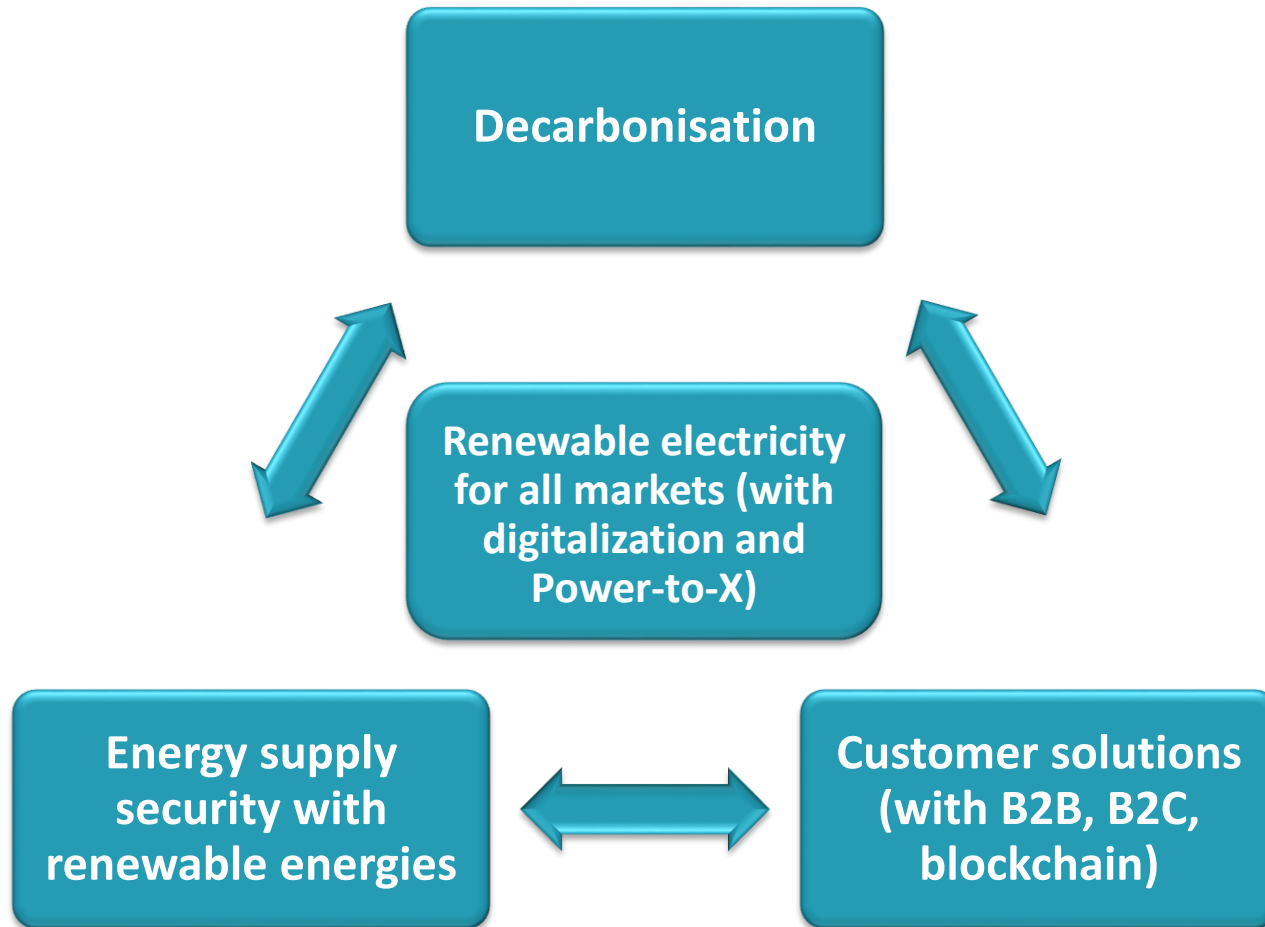


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ARGE Netz – Energy 4.0

- One of the **leading groups of renewable energy producers** with more than 320 shareholder companies.
- Pooling around **4.000 megawatts** of renewable capacity, including wind, solar, biomass, solutions for storage and conversion of renewable energies.
- Running the **Renewable Power Plant**: current capacity of 1,300 megawatts, combining renewable energies, stabilizing fluctuating amounts of energy.
- Having a **broad industry focus** and are part of the steering committee in „NEW 4.0“ and industrial partner in the Kopernikus-Project „Power-to-X“.
- Managing a **secure energy supply based on Renewables**: opening up energy markets, forcing grid expansion, enhancing power-to-x technologies.

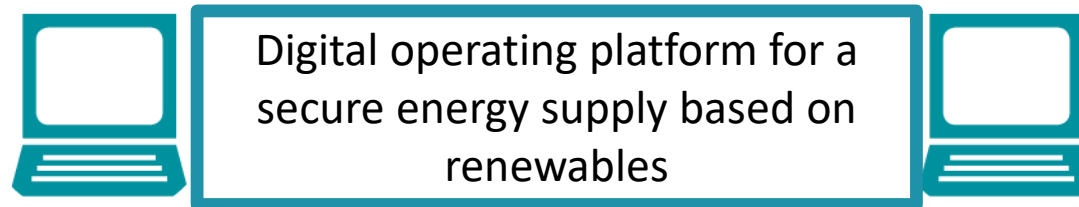
3 main goals in the energy market of tomorrow



Digital Renewable Power Plant for the synchronisation of generation and consumption in real-time



Renewable Power Plant



Renewable producers:
flexible & fluctuating sources

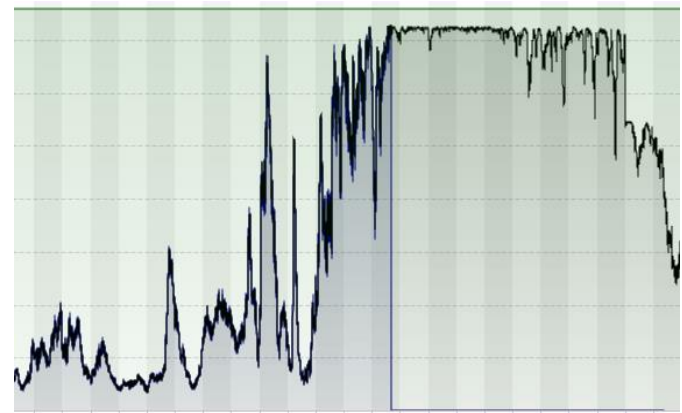
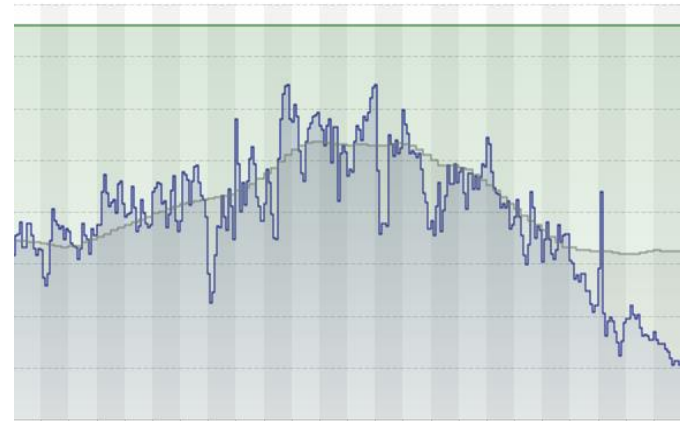


Flexible prosumers:
households, industry, small application



Renewable Power Plant of ARGE Netz - The operating platform for the Energiewende

- **Data hub** combining production and consumption in "**real time**".
- **Demand-actuated** energy supply, generating **timetables**.
- Smart connected renewables create **security of supply** based on Renewables.
- **Aggregator** role: marketing and processing of renewable energy production.



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4.5 Mio.
residents

Schleswig-Holstein as a region of production, Hamburg as region of consumption, 36 000 RES installed

Industry hub in Hamburg, huge potential of flexibilization



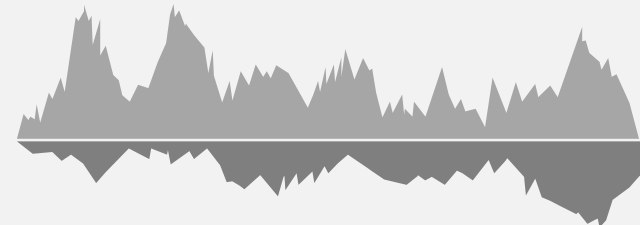
Wind energy production will be quadrupled by 2035, three times more compared to electricity demand



Interconnector: Energy hub north-Europe: Southlink, northlink, west-coast-link, offshore windfarms



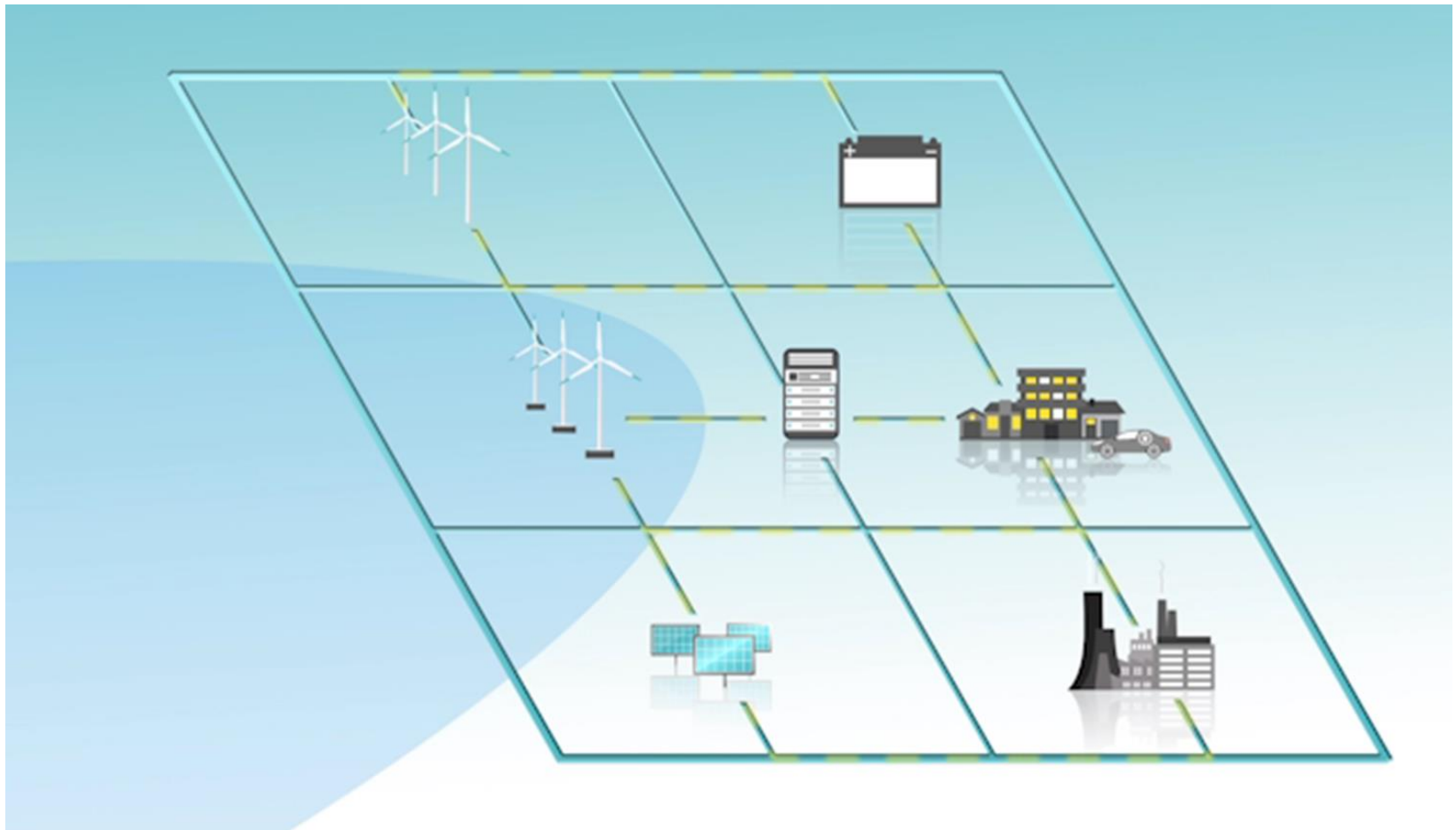
Disparities: extreme and increasing disparities between production and load needs to be managed.



The model region provides representative the main challenges of the energy transition



Holistic system integration: Flexible and smart networking, digitalisation



NEW 4.0 solves the main challenges of the energy transition with a dual strategy:



increase electricity export

...into other regions through the efficient use and development of the energy infrastructure in the region



increase local energy-self-utilization, converting surplus

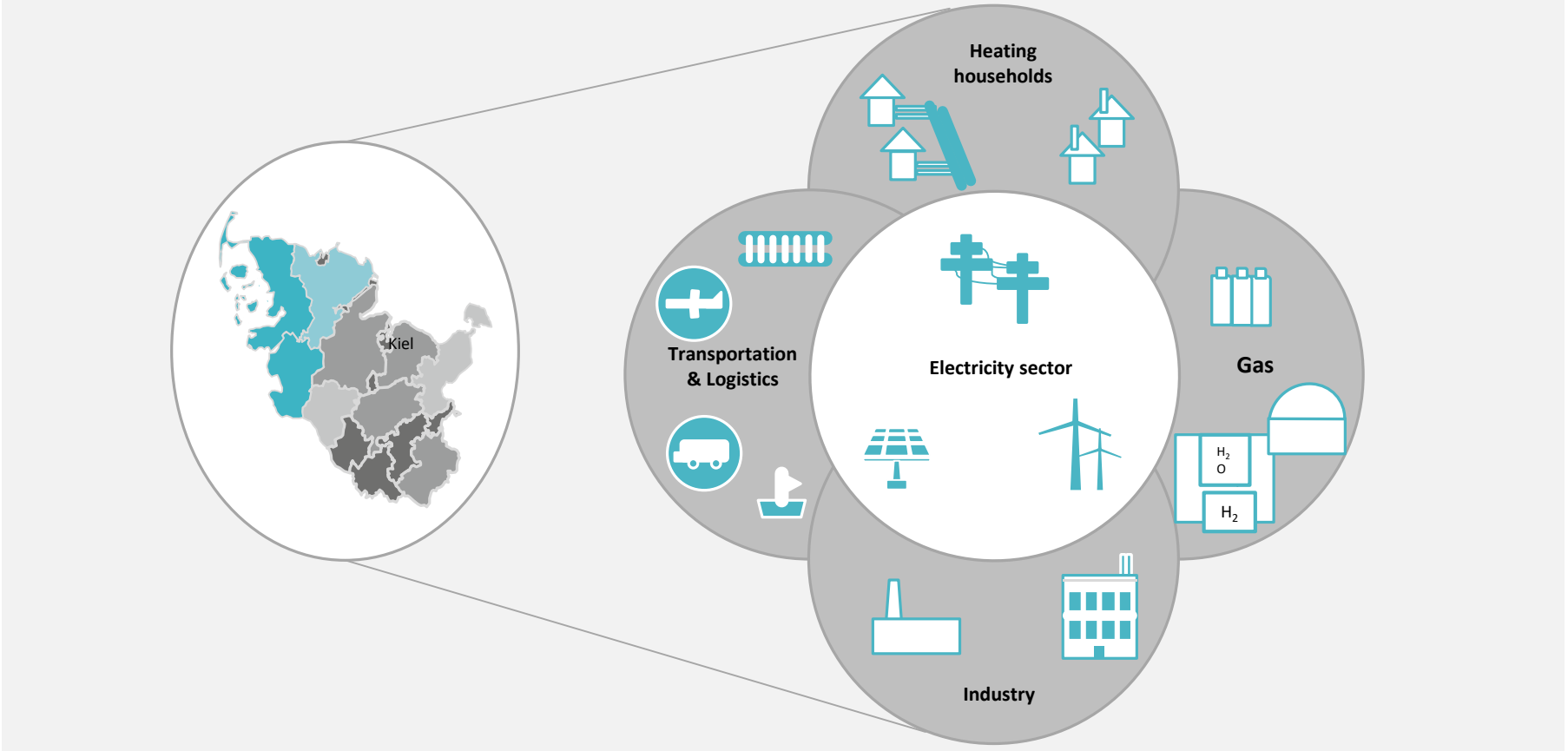
...introducing flexibility measurements and sector coupling converting power in other energy forms (heat, mobility, hydrogen)

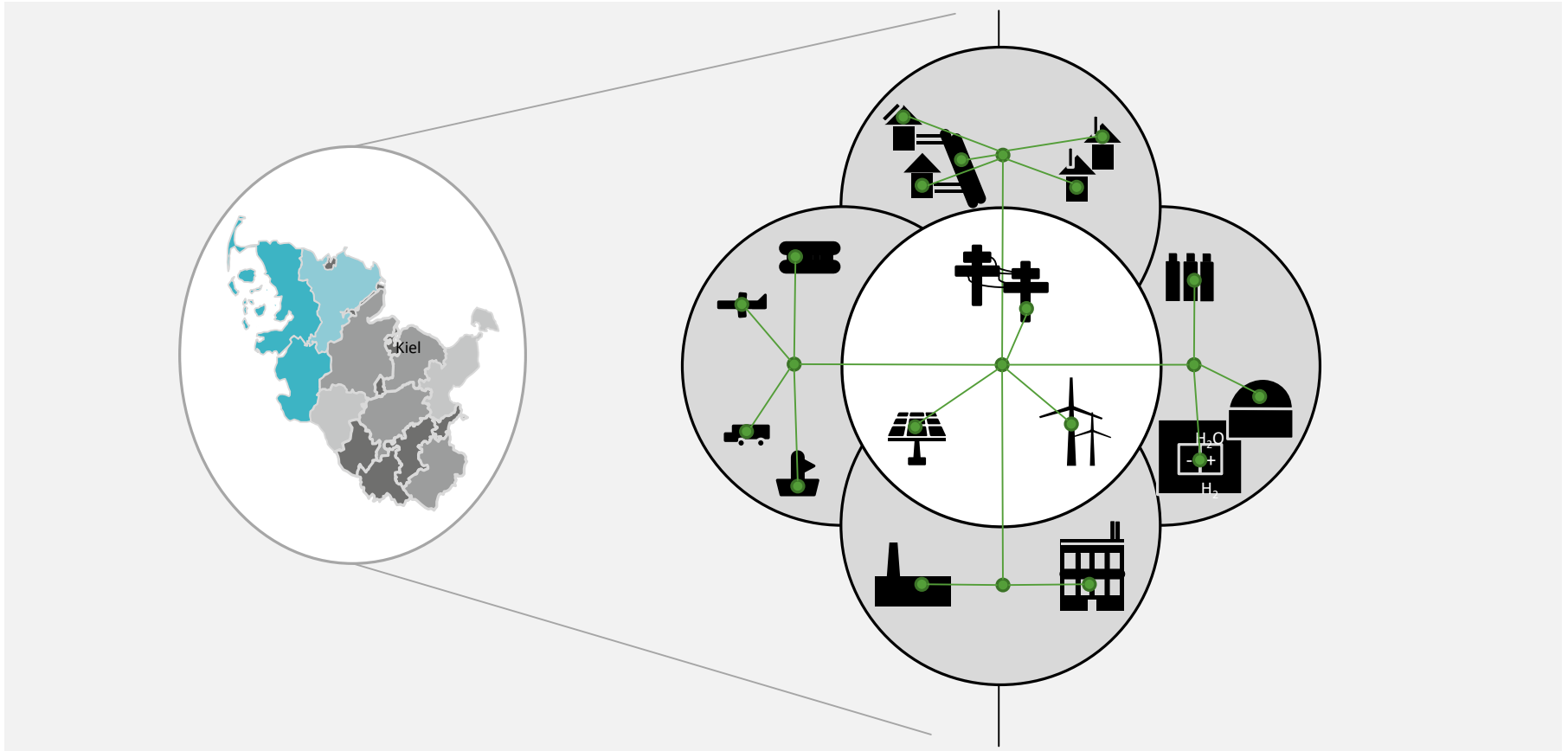
Intelligent Information- and Communication Technology (ICT)

battery-, high-temperature-, compressed air-storage, virtual power plants, market platforms

power-to-heat, power-to-gas, CHP, power-to-steel, power-to-steam

Sector linkage NEW 4.0 – Coupling of all life areas with RE



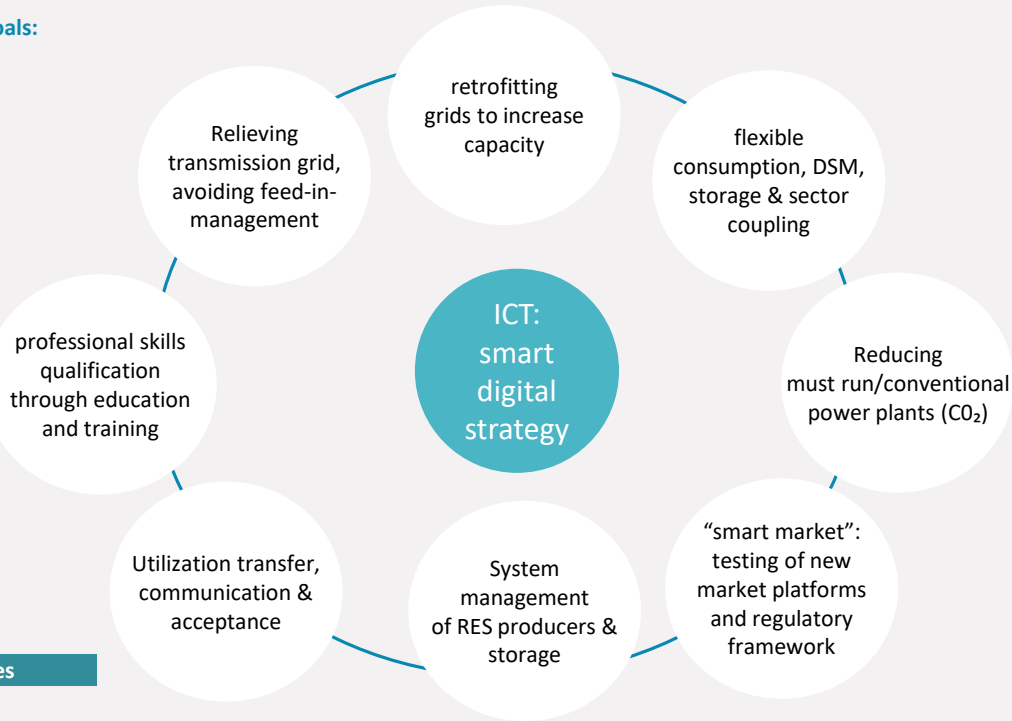


Overarching goal

Reliable, cost efficient, environmentally friendly supply of energy for the region till 2035:

- Up to 100 % electricity-supply
- ≈50 % heat and mobility
- 70 – 80 % CO₂ reduction

project goals:

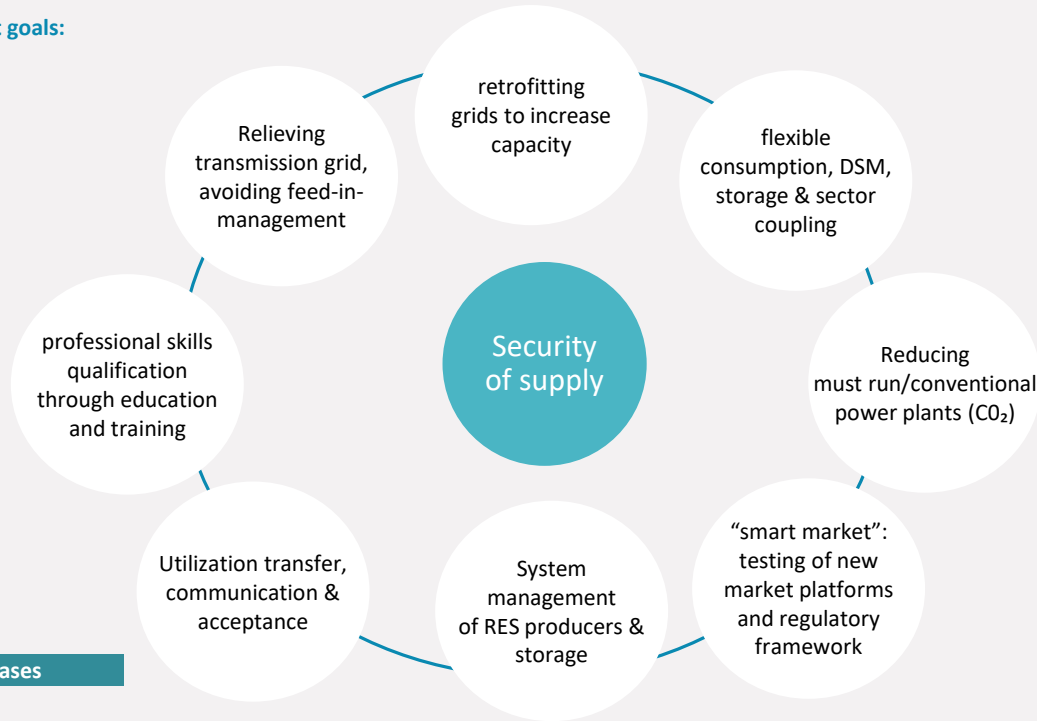


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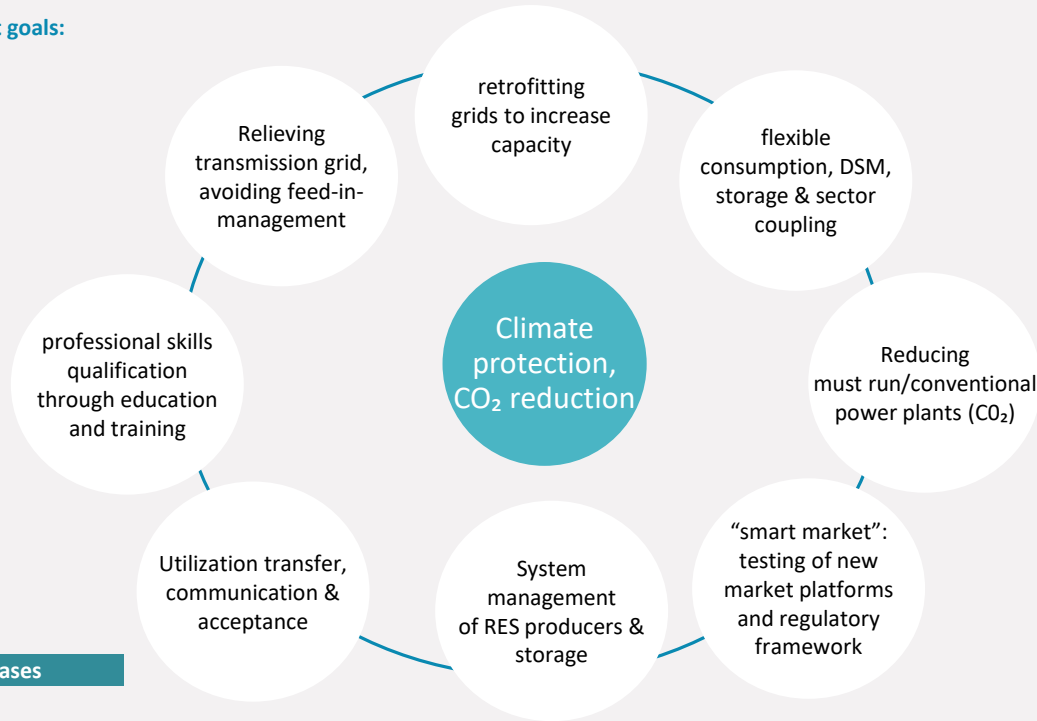
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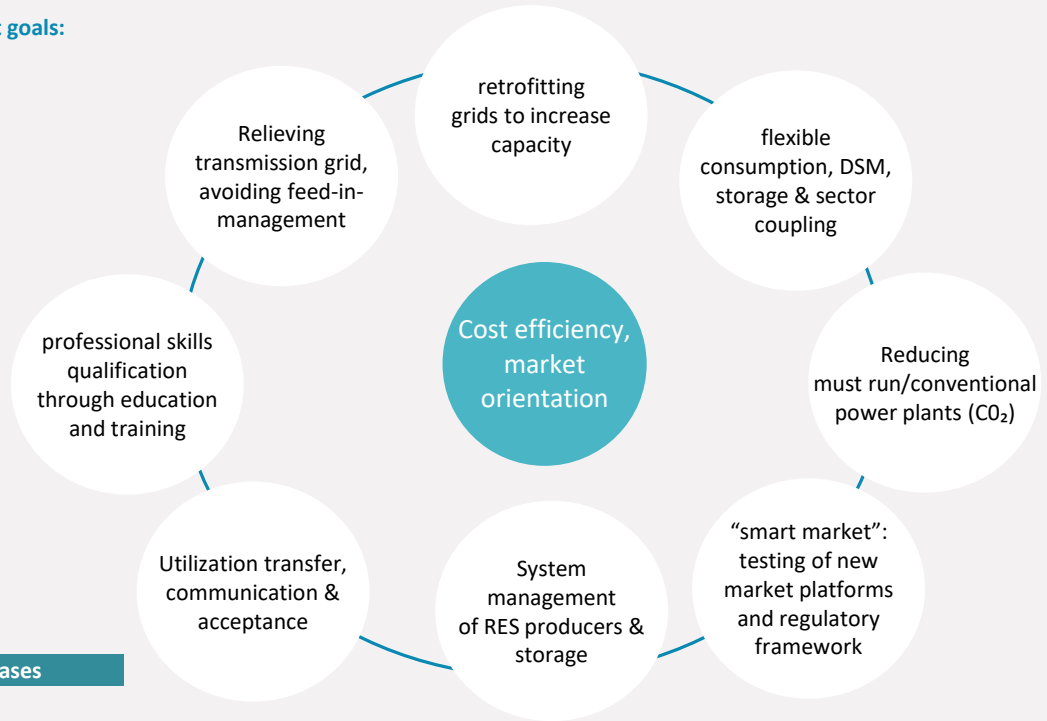
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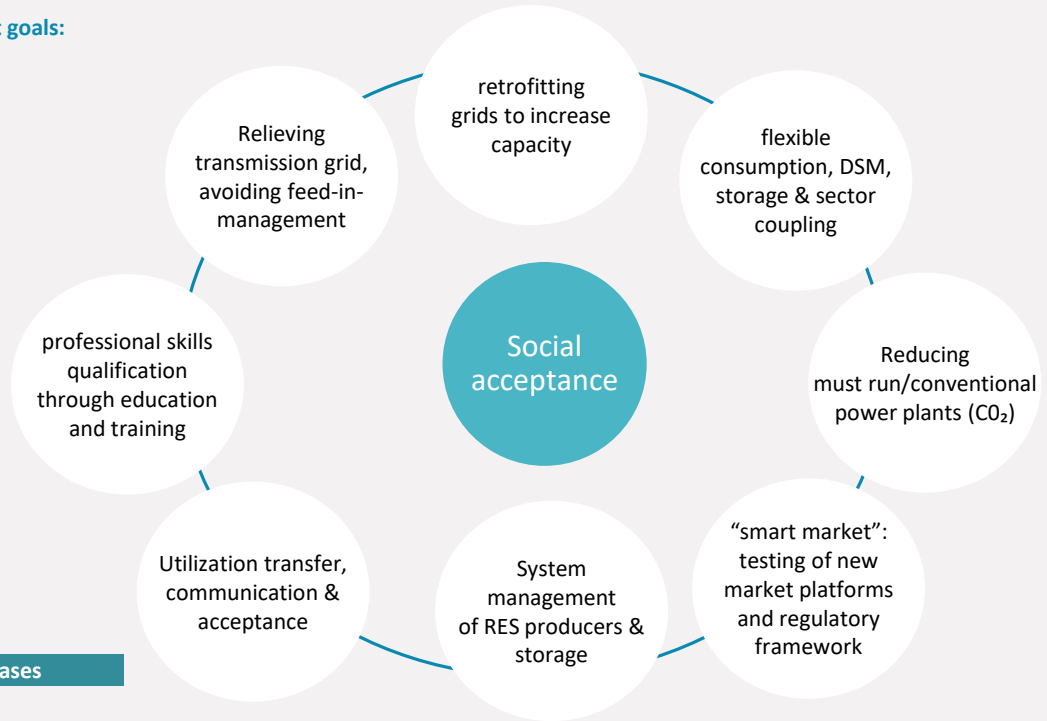


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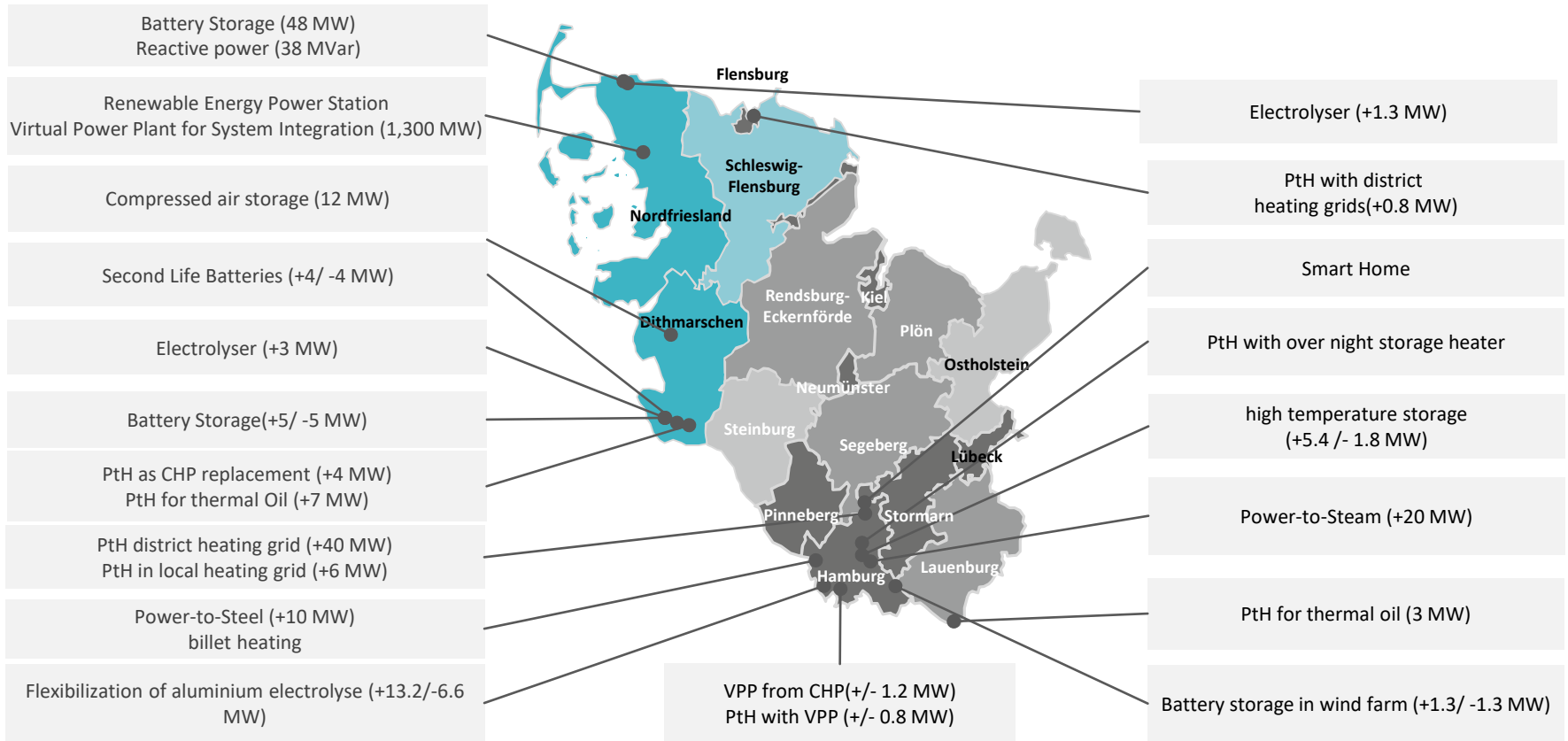
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Use Cases

Strong network of demonstrators

300 MW flexibility, storage, 1,600 MW virtual power plants



Scale 1:1.000.000

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