



Guideline for excel based financial calculation tool

EFFECT4buildings Toolbox:
Financial calculations; Annex 1a



The project “Effective Financing Tools for implementing Energy Efficiency in Buildings” (EFFECT4buildings) develops in collaboration with public building managers a comprehensive decision-making support toolbox with a set of financial instruments: **Financial calculation tools; Bundling; Funding; Convincing decision makers; Energy Performance Contract; Multi Service Contract; Green Lease Contract; Prosumerism.** The tools and instruments chosen by the project has the biggest potential to help building managers to overcome financial barriers, based on nearly 40 interviews with the target group. The project improves these tools through different real cases.

To make sure building managers invest in the best available solutions, more knowledge on different possibilities is needed as well as confirmation from colleagues that the solutions performs well. EFFECT4buildings mapped **technological solutions** for energy efficiency in buildings with the aim to share knowledge and experiences of energy efficiency solutions among building managers in the Baltic Sea Region.

This document includes a guideline for a comprehensive excel based Financial calculation tool. The excel based tool is a pleasant and handy tool, easily available for building managers to study the profitability and other aspects of different investments. With this tool building managers can compare and evaluate energy efficiency measures to get better understanding of energy investment profitability. In addition Energy auditors are encouraged to take advantage of results from this tool in the energy audit report.

Project has developed also Simplified web calculation tool (<https://energi.jahopp.com/energy.html>)

Partners



EFFECT4buildings project is implemented with the support from the EU funding Programme Interreg Baltic Sea Region (European Regional Development Fund) and Norwegian national funding. The aim of the project is to improve the capacity of public building managers in the Baltic Sea Region by providing them a comprehensive decision-making support toolbox with a set of financial instruments to unlock the investments and lower the risks of implementing energy efficiency measures in buildings owned by public stakeholders. More information:

<http://www.effect4buildings.se/>



First page: “Guidance for using tool”



Guidance for using tool

On the first page “Guidance for using tool”

On the second page “Inputs and results”

First you fill in the background information about the building and energy demand before measures (to the grey cells).

After that you fill in details about your energy efficiency data (to the green cells):

- **An Energy efficiency measure:** fill in measures that you would like to calculate.
- **Length of life cycle/ Technical lifetime (years between 1-50).**

IMPACT OF THE MEASURES

- **Energy prices (€/kWh)** for the heating system, electricity and cooling energy
- **Change of purchased amount of energy (kWh/year)** based on the measure.
Both for electricity, heating systems energy and cooling energy

- **Water price (€/m³)**
Includes the price of water and waste water

- **Change of purchased amount of water (m³/year)** based on the measure

If the solution **decreases** purchased energy/water, the feeded value is **negative (-)**
If the solution **increases** purchased energy/water, the feeded value is **positive (+)**

- **CO₂-emissions of the heating energy, electricity and cooling energy (kgCO₂/kWh).**
- **Sensitivity analyse, if energy / water prices change in future**
Option 1. Estimation for energy/water price change (% /year) after first year
Option 2. Estimation for energy/water price change (% /year) after first year

COST OF THE MEASURE

- **Investment cost of measures (€)** and estimated maintenance cost per year (% / investment costs / year).
- **Possible energy subsidies/aid for the measures (% / investment costs).** If there are no subsidies granted for the measure, insert value as “0”.
- **Finance interest rate (%/remaining investment/year).** If not, insert value as “0”.





Second page: "Inputs and results"

- Basic information of the building
- Inputs of energy efficiency measures (which shall be compared and evaluated)
- Results

Basic information (Fill in grey cells)		
Building identification (name or address)	Building	
Type of building	Housing/ Residential building	
Heating system	District heating	
Ventilation system	Other	
Cooling system	None	
Energy demand before measures (kWh/a)		
Electricity	250000	
Heating energy	500000	
Cooling energy		
Inputs (Fill in green cells)		
An Energy efficiency measure	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
Length of life cycle/ Technical lifetime (years)	20,00	20,00
IMPACT OF THE MEASURE		
ELECTRICITY-DATA		
Price of Electricity (€/kWh)	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
	0,120	0,120
Change of purchased amount of electricity(kWh/year)	2 000	170 000
CO2-emissions of the electricity (kgCO2/kWh)	0,20	0,20
Option 1. Estimation for electricity price change (%/year)	3,00 %	3,00 %
Option 2. Estimation for electricity price change (%/year)	6,00 %	6,00 %
HEATING ENERGY- DATA		
Price of heating energy (€/kWh)	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
	0,090	0,090
Change of purchased amount of heating energy (kWh/year)	-130 000	-500 000
CO2-emissions of the heating energy (kgCO2/kWh)	0,16	0,16
Option 1. Estimation for heating energy price change (%/year)	3,00 %	3,00 %
Option 2. Estimation for heating energy price change (%/year)	6,00 %	6,00 %
COOLING ENERGY- DATA		
Price of cooling energy (€/kWh)	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
	0,030	0,030
Change of purchased amount of cooling energy (kWh/year)	0	0
CO2-emissions of the cooling energy (kgCO2/kWh)	0,015	0,015
Option 1. Estimation for cooling energy price change (%/year)	3,00 %	3,00 %
Option 2. Estimation for cooling energy price change (%/year)	6,00 %	6,00 %
WATER CONSUMPTION- DATA		
Price of water (€/m3)	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
	6	6
Change of purchased amount of water (m3/year)	0	0
Option 1. Estimation for water price change (%/year)	2 %	2 %
Option 2. Estimation for water price change (%/year)	4 %	4 %
COSTS OF THE MEASURE		
Investment cost of measures(€)	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
	184 000	250 000
Maintenance costs (% of the investment cost/year)	1,0 %	1,0 %
Energy subsidies/aid (%/investment cost)	15,0 %	15,0 %
Finance interest rate (%/remaining investment/year)	2,0 %	2,0 %
Discount rate %	4,0 %	4,0 %
NON-ENERGY IMPACTS		
Non- energy benefits: Change of health cost/human (€/human)	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
	-82,00	-
Number of people in the building (pcs)	100	100

Background informations

Length of life cycles

Estimations for energy/water price changes in future -> sensitivity analysis

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If you have for example financed the solution with debt, this is its interest rate

Present and future money will be comparable, when future money has been discounted.

This is usually between 2 % and 7 % in energy renovation



COSTS OF LIFE CYCLE	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
Life cycle result (€)	36 000	229 500
REDUCTION OF CO2-EMISSIONS	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
Reduction of CO2- emissions (kgCO2/year)	20 400	46 000
Reduction of CO2-emissions / CO2-emissions before measures (%)	16 %	35 %
Reduction of CO2- emissions during the Life cycle (kgCO2)	408 000	920 000
NON- ENERGY BENEFITS	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
Decrease cost due the Non-energy benefit (€/year)	8 200	0
Pay back time 2 (year), includes the effects of non-energy benefit (for example decrease health costs)	7,96	8,64
FINANCIAL RESULTS	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
Pay back time (year)	13,65	8,64

= Decreased costs due to measures-
increased costs due to measures

Reduction of CO2-emissions. Now can be also seen how many percent CO2-emissions have been reduced compared situation before measure.

Results, that include in also the effects of non-energy benefit

FINANCIAL RESULTS	Ventilation system with heat recovery	Geothermal heat pump system
Internal rate of return, IRR (%)	2,06 %	8,28 %
Internal rate of return, IRR (%), Option 1. Energy/water prices change	5,24 %	11,39 %
Internal rate of return, IRR (%), Option 2. Energy/water prices change	8,29 %	14,43 %
Net Present Value, NPV (€)	-51 933	65 892
Net Present Value, NPV (€), Option 1. Energy/water prices change	-2 699	165 449
Net Present Value, NPV (€), Option 2. Energy/water prices change	63 833	304 738
Cash flow (€)	1 339	203 612
Cash flow (€), Option 1. Energy/water prices change	86 343	374 897
Cash flow (€), Option 2. Energy/water prices change	203 427	620 443

Comparison of Internal rate of returns

Comparison of Net present values

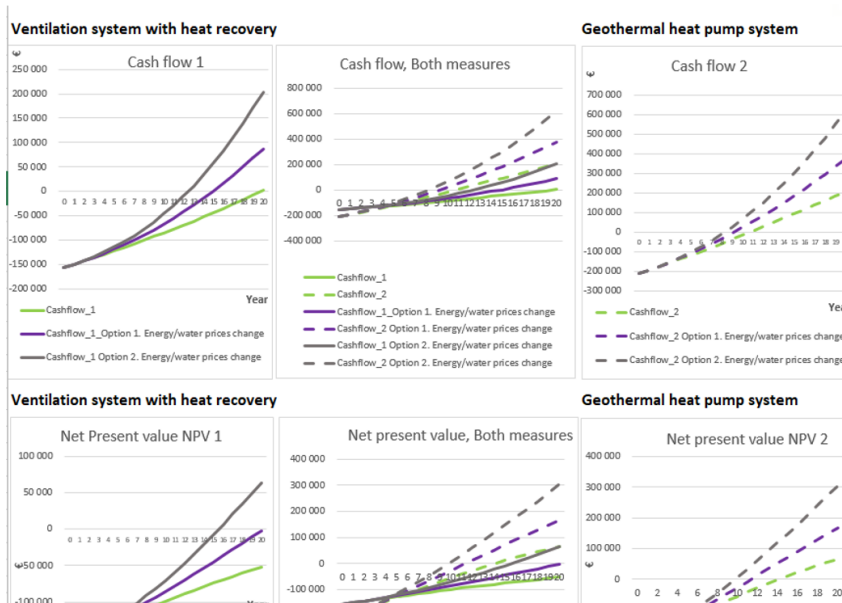
Comparison of Cash flows



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Package of charts



The results of the second operation are shown in dashed lines - - -, which makes reading easier, especially in the middle diagram, where both actions are shown.

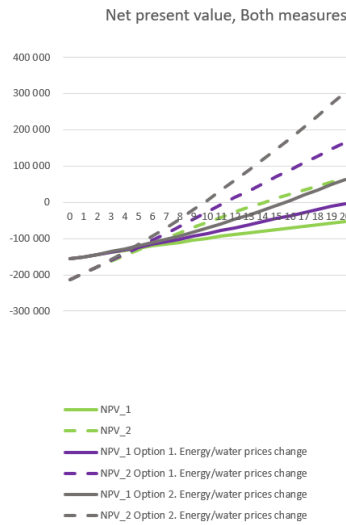
The green line represents a situation where the energy prices will not rise in the future

Violet: prices rise 3% per year

Gray: prices rise 6% per year



For example Net present value



		NPV_1	NPV_2	NPV_1 Option 1. Energy/water price change	NPV_2 Option 1. Energy/water price change	NPV_1 Option 2. Energy/water price change	NPV_2 Option 2. Energy/water price change	
Year	NPV_1 Year	NPV_2 Year	Ventilation system with heat recovery/Geothermal heat pump	Ventilation system with heat recovery/Geothermal heat pump system	Ventilation system with heat recovery/Geothermal heat pump system	Ventilation system with heat recovery/Geothermal heat pump system	Ventilation system with heat recovery/Geothermal heat pump system	
0	0	0	-55 400	-212 500	-55 400	-212 500	-55 400	-212 500
1	1	1	-50 758	-195 337	-50 758	-195 337	-50 758	-195 337
2	2	2	-44 035	-178 503	-43 778	-177 821	-43 400	-177 138
3	3	3	-38 031	-161 993	-37 086	-161 966	-36 724	-161 900
4	4	4	-32 142	-145 891	-30 271	-145 786	-29 327	-145 615
5	5	5	-26 365	-130 230	-23 276	-130 282	-22 009	-130 272
6	6	6	-20 701	-115 045	-16 144	-114 487	-14 932	-114 868
7	7	7	-15 145	-100 369	-9 784	-99 454	-10 787	-99 384
8	8	8	-9 697	-86 187	-4 087	-85 054	-5 080	-84 842
9	9	9	-4 352	-72 503	-8 954	-71 428	-4 437	-71 202
10	10	10	-9 111	-59 302	-8 885	-58 549	-7 054	-58 906
11	11	11	-9 970	-46 587	-7 535	-46 539	-6 539	-46 539
12	12	12	-6 933	-34 344	-6 889	-34 310	-4 654	-34 279
13	13	13	-3 984	-22 571	-6 671	-22 573	-3 229	-22 573
14	14	14	-73 134	-1 089	-53 343	-1 089	-2 176	-1 089
15	15	15	-74 378	11 262	-44 906	7 284	-7 011	14 363
16	16	16	-68 719	23 082	-36 356	30 382	5 870	17 505
17	17	17	-65 138	34 407	-27 859	109 374	19 071	208 304
18	18	18	-60 650	45 216	-18 417	128 211	34 355	238 769
19	19	19	-55 249	55 006	-11 030	146 363	48 048	271 910
20	20	20	-51 933	63 682	-2 689	165 449	63 682	304 738

Results are available and presented in diverse optional ways

- building managers will get the best information about the profitability of investments
- other partners and relevant stakeholders (for example decision makers) will review results in quite a short time for example in the meeting.

-> to fulfill this requirement the most relevant results are also presented as visual and clear charts.

