

A photograph of an industrial facility, likely a power plant or refinery, featuring large cylindrical storage tanks, complex piping, and structural steel frameworks. The scene is dimly lit, with some light reflecting off the metallic surfaces.

# Shifting the Technology mix to decarbonise District Heating

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# Introduction to Vattenfall



**100%**

Owned by the Swedish State



**8 million**

Electricity customers



**1.0 million**

Electricity network customers



**2.1 million**

Heat customers



**2.3 million**

Gas customers

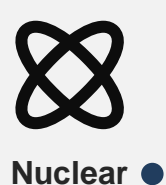
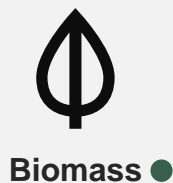


**20,995**

Employees

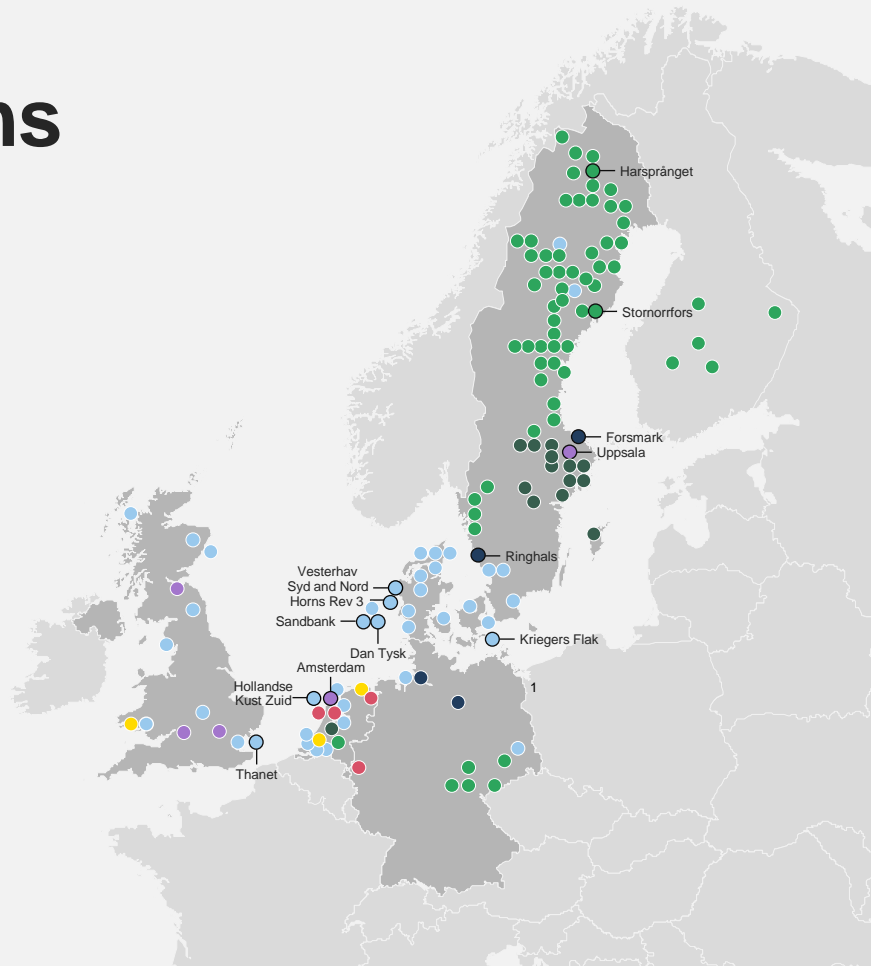
## Introduction

# Location of our operations and major plants



○ Largest facilities marked with a circle

<sup>1</sup> Heat Berlin has been divested to the State of Berlin during 2024



# Our commitments toward Net Zero

**-52%**

Emission intensity  
reduction since 2017

**1.5°C**

Target for own emission  
reductions – alignment  
with 1.5°C trajectory

**Net Zero**

Emissions in our  
full value chain

→ 2023

→ 2030

→ 2040



# Today's Technology

### Diemen 33

- Capacity  $250 \text{ MW}_e / 180 \text{ MW}_{th}$
- Efficiency  $\eta_e = 52\%$   $\eta_{th} = 82\%$
- Gas turbine GE GT13E2
- Start operation 1995
- Operating hours (2024) ~3500 OH/a

### Diemen 34

- Capacity  $440 \text{ MW}_e / 260 \text{ MW}_{th}$
- Efficiency  $\eta_e = 59\%$   $\eta_{th} = 88\%$
- Gas turbine Siemens SGT5-4000F
- Start operation 2013
- Operating hours (2024) ~6500 h/a

### Gas Boilers

- 5 x  $35 \text{ MW}_{th}$
- Efficiency  $\eta_{th} = 90\%$
- Start operation 2006-2010
- Operating hours (2024) <1000 h/a

### Heat Storage

- Storage capacity  $1800 \text{ MWh}_{th}$
- Charge/discharge capacity  $220 \text{ MW}_{th}$
- Start operation 2015

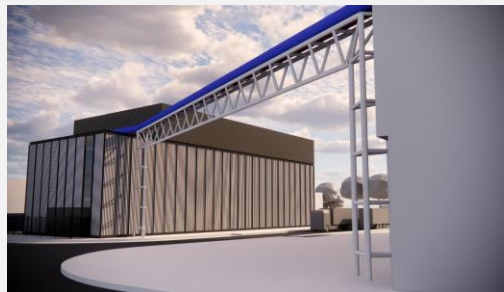


# New Technologies



### E-Boilers

- Operate with high renewables input (low E-prices)
- Combine with storage
- Strong grid connection required
- 150 MW in commissioning in Diemen



### Geothermal

- Base load operation
- Heat Pump required for increasing temperature
- Development ongoing in Amsterdam and Lelystad
- Location near wells



### Aquathermal

- Base load operation
- Heat Pump required for increasing temperature
- Location near suitable surface and sewage water sources



### Data Centers

- Base load operation
- Heat Pump required for increasing temperature
- Location near data center
- Several under development

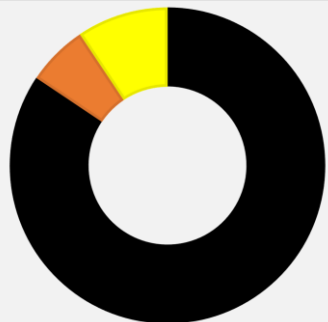


### Air Source Heat Pumps

- If no waste heat nearby
- E-boilers for peak load
- Storage is advantageous
- Noise to be considered

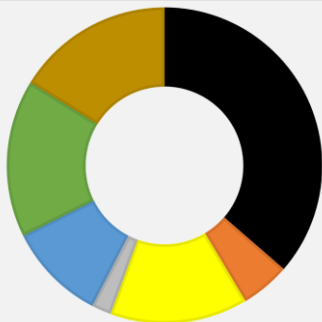
# Shift in Dispatch

■ CHP-CCGT ■ Storage ■ E-Boiler ■ Gas Boiler ■ Sewage ■ Data Center ■ Geothermal



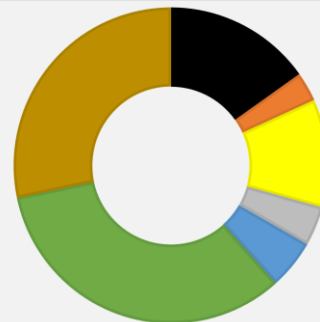
**2026**

- E-Boiler in operation
- E-Boiler used when E prices low (high production of PV and Wind), good fit with CCGT
- CCGT ~6500 OH



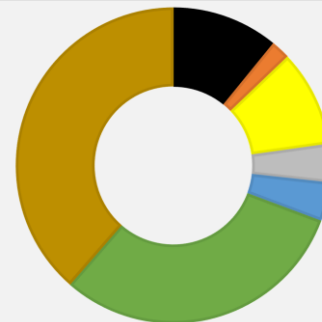
**2030**

- Introduction new base load heat sources:
  - Aquathermal
  - Data Center
  - Geothermal
- Strong reduction dependency on CCGT



**2035**

- Further growth new base load heat sources:
  - Aquathermal
  - Data Center
  - Geothermal
- Further reduction dependency on CCGT
- CCGT and gas-boilers on renewable gas (H<sub>2</sub> or green gas). CCGT ~1500 OH



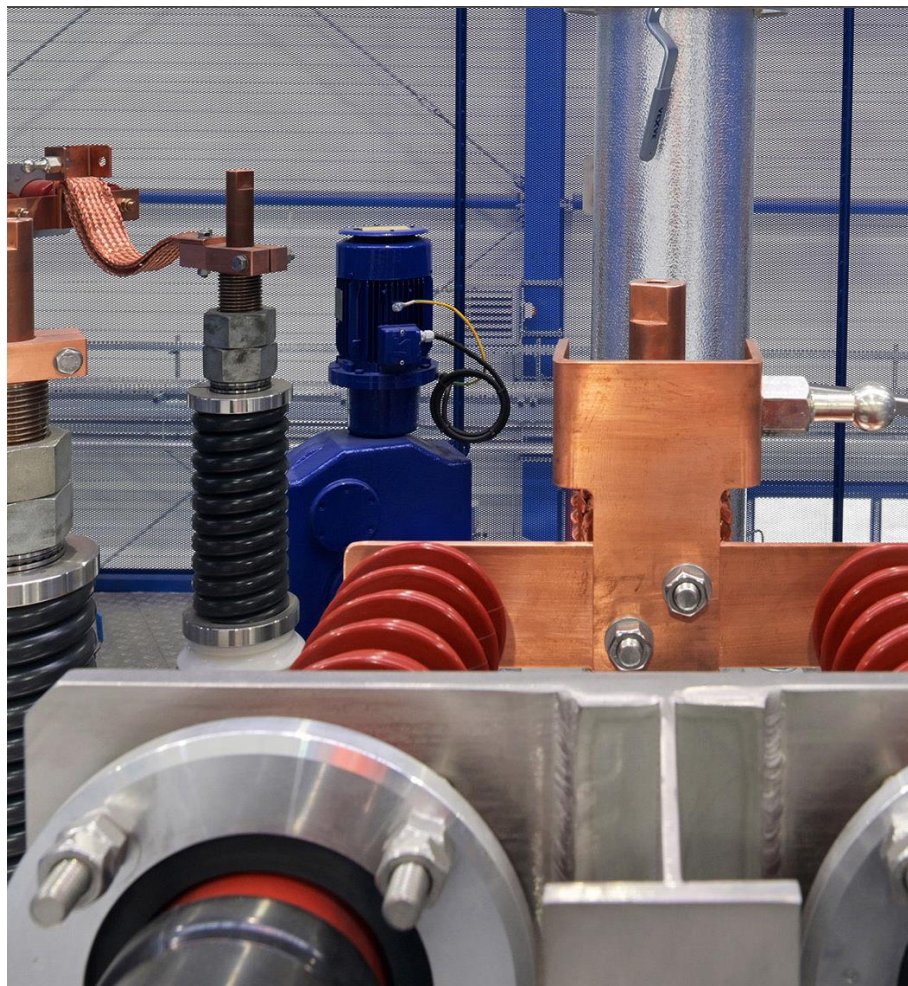
**2040**

- Base load delivered by:
  - Aquathermal
  - Data Center
  - Geothermal
- Mid load by CCGT & E-Boiler and storage
- Gas-boilers for peak & backup



# Summary

- New heat sources will be introduced over next decade
- Many sources will require a (high temperature) heat pump to increase temperature levels
- Tie-ins of new heat sources need to be near the source and can offer hydraulic benefits (closer to demand)
- E-boilers in combination with storage allows to integrate cheap excess renewable electricity and offer good fit with CCGTs
- Traditional role of CHPs and CCGTs in particular will change from base to mid and/or peak load





A photograph of three children standing outdoors on a hill. On the left is a boy with brown hair wearing a dark blue cable-knit sweater. In the center is a girl with blonde hair in pigtails wearing a grey t-shirt and an olive green jacket. On the right is a boy with dark curly hair wearing a white t-shirt and a dark blue button-down shirt. The background shows a city and a river under a cloudy sky. The word "VATTENFALL" is overlaid in large white letters, and a yellow and blue circular logo is on the right.

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