# The Energy System in 2020, Data Analytics and ICT

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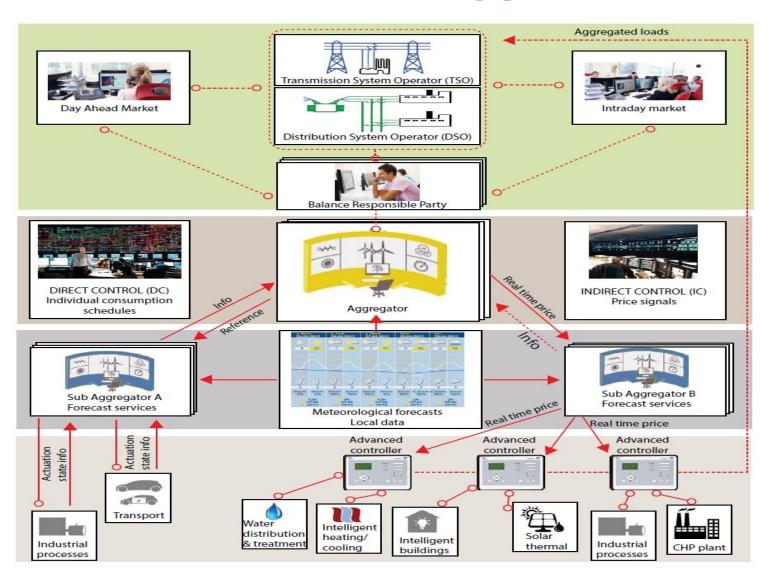
## **Trends**

#### • Energy Systems 2020:

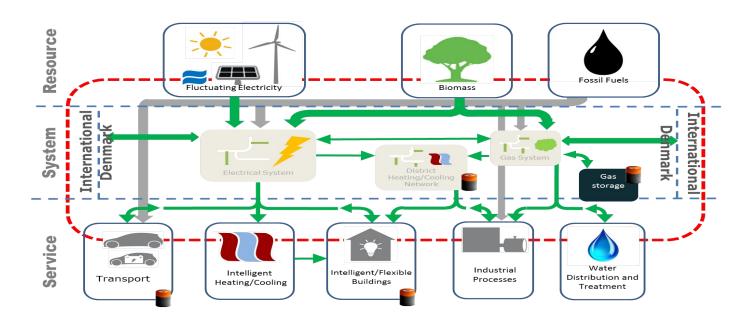
- Use of (smart) meters and many sensors
- Communication between energy systems
- Aggregation (on all scales)
- Intelligent data analytics
- Demand response
- Energy flexible automated manufacturing
- Big Data, IoT, IoS technologies
- Robust methods for planning and operation (wind and solar lead to more variability)

Adaptive methods for forecasting and control

## **Smart-Energy OS**



### **ESI** and Storage



- With more that 25 pct wind/solar power the main focus is on energy storage (rather than electricity)
- (Virtual) storage principles using ESI:
  - Buildings (thermal mass) can provide storage up to, say, 5-12 hours ahead
  - District heating/cooling systems can provide storage up to 1-3 days ahead
  - Gas systems can provide seasonal storage

## Meter data and buildings

- Reliable Energy Signature
- Energy Labelling
- Automated Proposals for Energy Savings (buildings):
  - Replace the windows?
  - Put more insulation on the roof?
  - Is the house too untight?
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- Integration of Solar and Wind Power using DSM





#### **Discussion**

- Intelligent Energy Systems Integration can provide (virtual) storage solution
- ICT methods for coupling of energy systems
- Big Data, ICT, IoT, Data Analytics, and an Energy-Systems
   Operation System (ES-OS) are essential for implementing future low carbon energy systems
- Focus on zero emission buildings and less on zero energy buildings (the same holds supermarkets, wastewater treatment plants, etc.)
- Intelligent use of sensor (and meter) data is important
- Cloud based solutions for forecasting and control
- A large potential in Demand Side Management using data analytics