



# ETIP SNET and BRIDGE Presentation

European Technology and Innovation Platform  
Smart Networks for Energy Transition

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# ETIP SNET: Goals and Mission



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The European Technology and Innovation Platform *Smart Network for Energy Transition* has been created under the SET PLAN with other 9 sectorial ETIPs

- *Integrating and optimising all sources and vectors of the entire energy system*
- *Guiding Research & Innovation (R&I) in support to Europe's energy transition*
- *Addressing the innovation challenges for the energy system and market evolution, toward climate resilience and renewables integration, while ensuring affordability and security of supply*

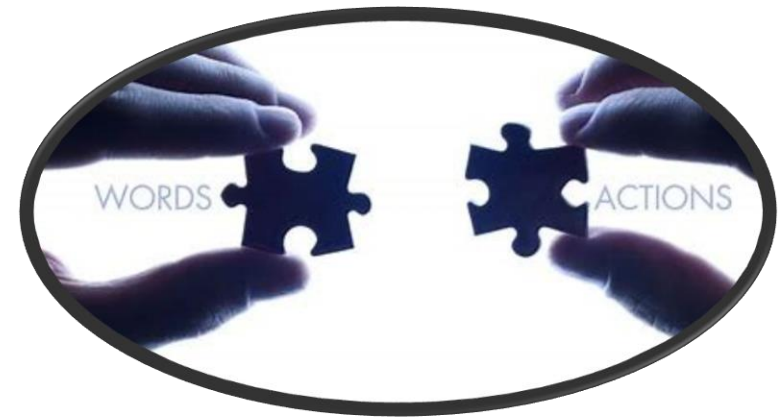
*... beyond smart electricity grids*



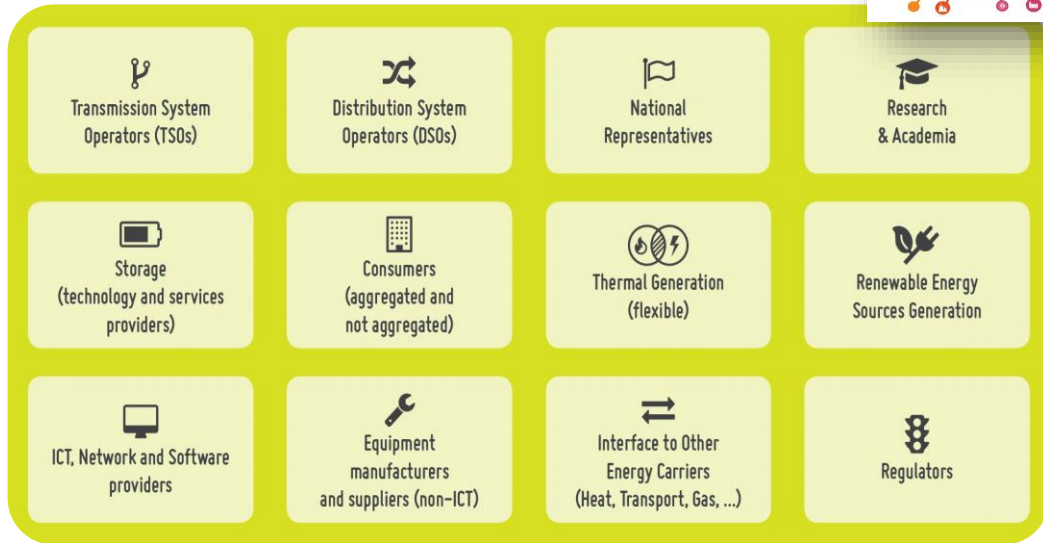
# From ideas to facts

## CONCRETE ACTIONS

- Bringing together a **multitude of stakeholders and experts** from the energy sector
- Preparing and updating **Visions, Roadmaps and Implementation Plans** bringing a consolidated stakeholder view on R&I to European Energy Policy initiatives
- coordinating with other Initiatives at National (Members States), European and International level **to reinforce the alignment of Strategic Agendas and R&I priorities and needs**
- identification of **innovation barriers**, related to **regulation and financing** and developing further enhanced knowledge-sharing mechanisms that help bringing R&I results to deployment



# ETIP SNET: our Stakeholders



40 members



**WG1**  
Reliable, economic and efficient smart grid system

52 members



**WG2**  
Storage technologies and sector interfaces

36 members



**WG3**  
Flexible Generation



**WG4**  
Digitisation of the electricity system and customer participation

71 members



**WG5**  
Innovation implementation in the business environment

40 members

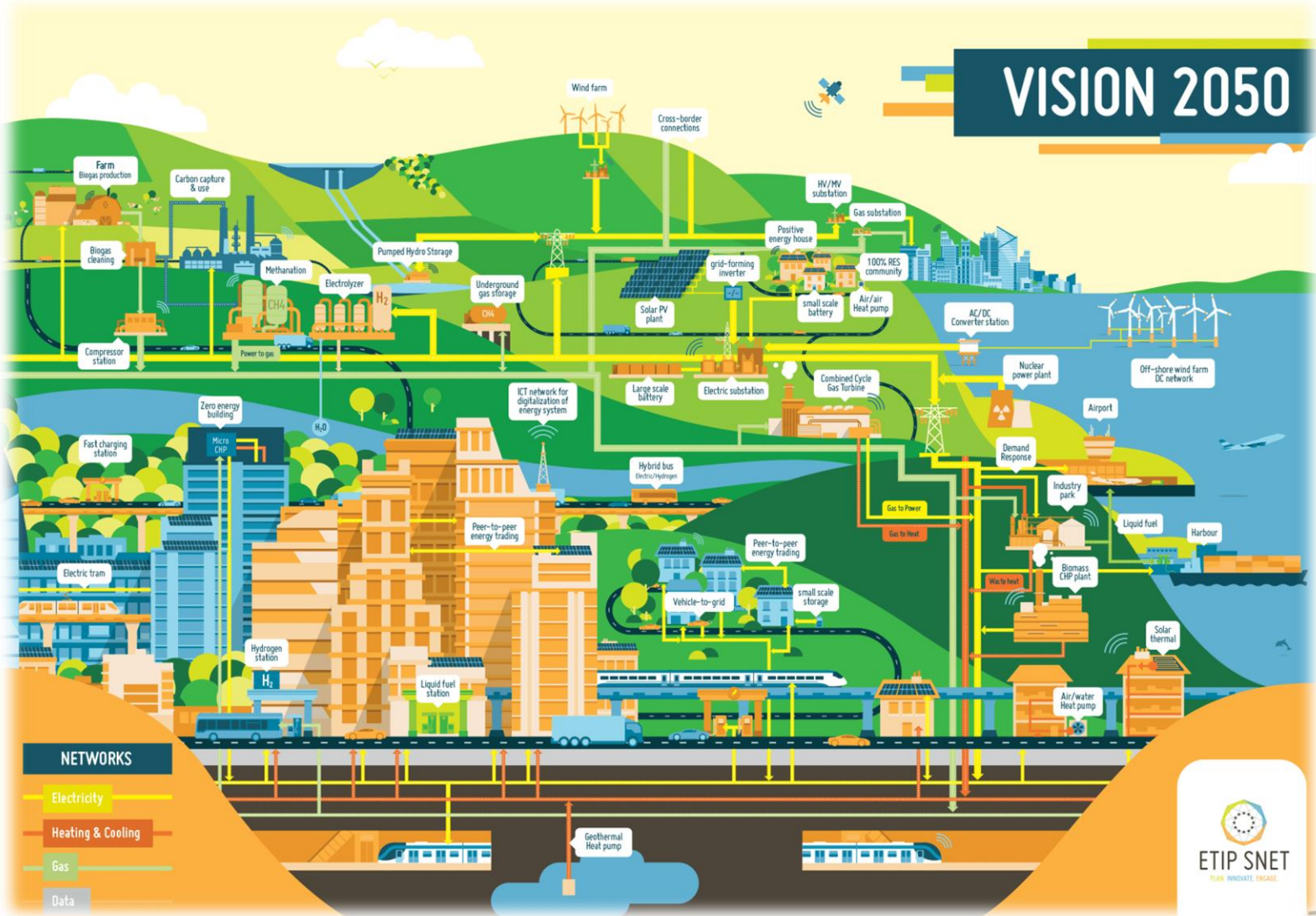


**NSCG**  
National Stakeholders Coordination Group

**... a community of more than 350 experts from the Energy sector!!**



# ETIP SNET Vision 2050



CONCENTRATED AND DISTRIBUTED vRES

FLEXIBILITY PORTFOLIO

STORAGE SOLUTIONS

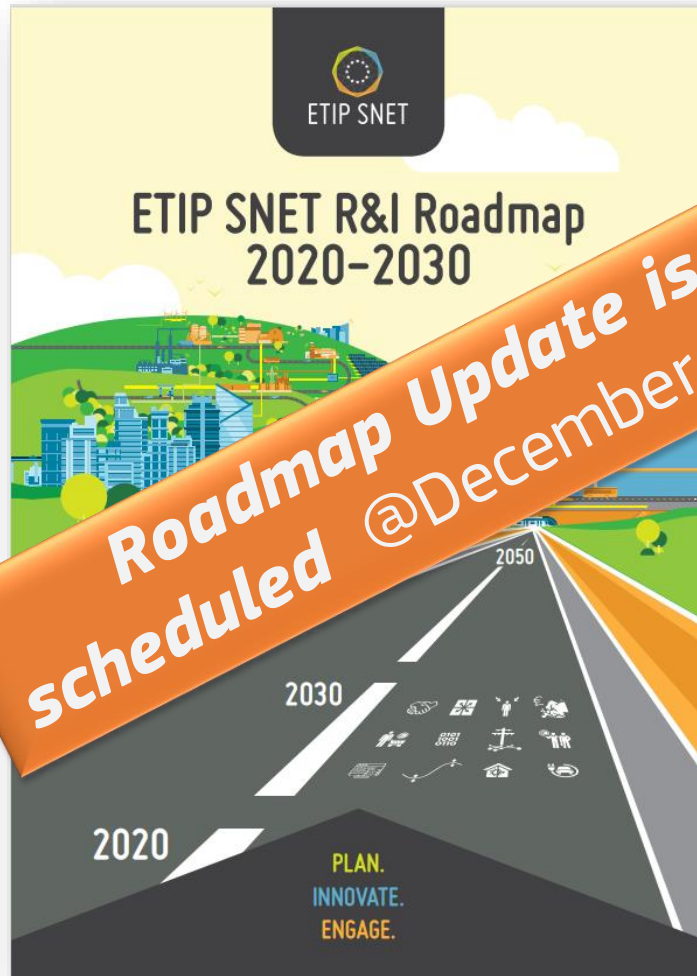
INTEGRATED ENERGY NETWORKS

SECTOR COUPLING

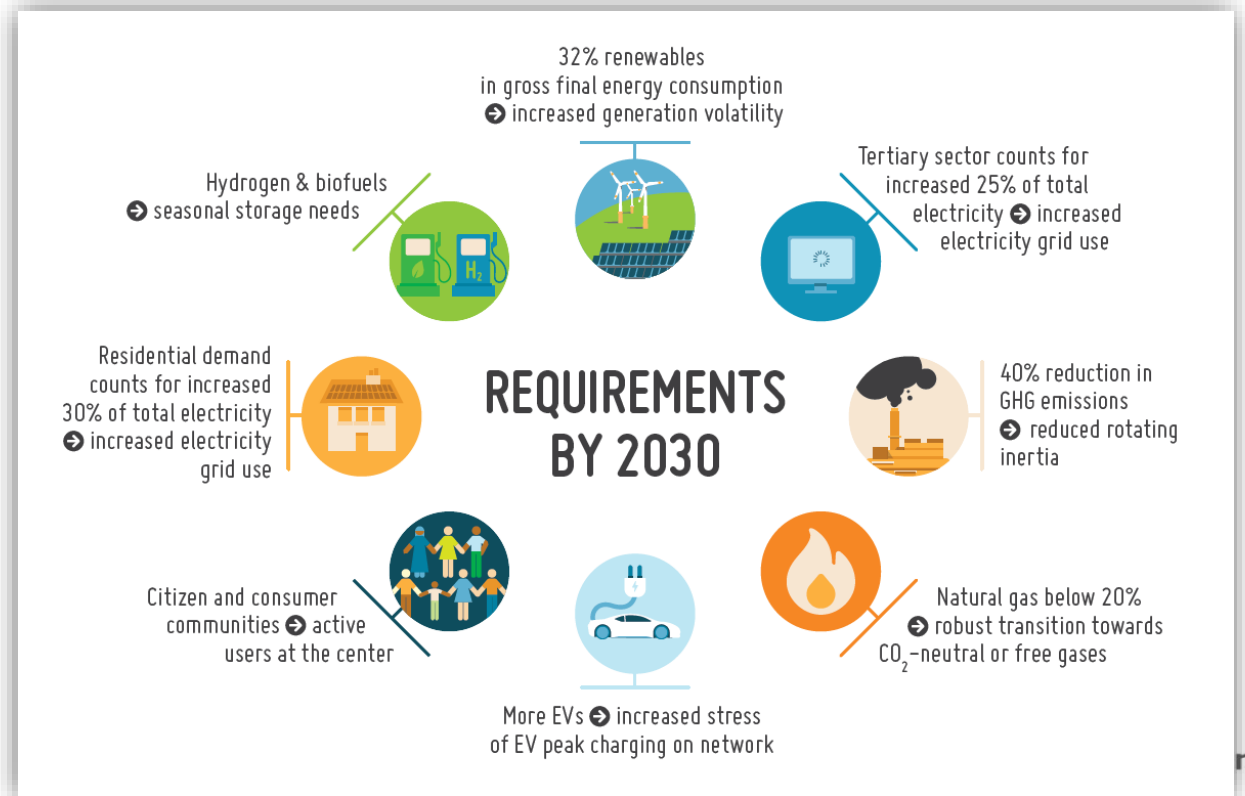
DIGITALISATION



# ETIP SNET Roadmap 2020 - 2030



- It synthesizes **consolidated and balanced stakeholders' views for the future R&I needs of the Integrated Energy System** with electricity as its backbone.
- It relies on a **detailed analysis of monitored and reviewed national, European and international R&I projects**



# ETIP SNET main assets of Roadmap 2020 - 2030



The present roadmap addresses the R&I activities to be carried out in view of the practical achievement of the













## 12 FUNCTIONALITIES

that will enable the transformation toward 2050 goals and implementation by 2030

These **FUNCTIONALITIES** will range across:

➤ the **energy system value chain** (from generation to energy storage, transmission, distribution and end-use):

- ✓ its **stakeholders** (from the customer, to the market, network and service operators),
- ✓ its **different vectors** (from electricity to gas, heating and cooling, transport, water etc.)
- ✓ **and the related non-technical issues** (legislation, regulation, markets etc.).

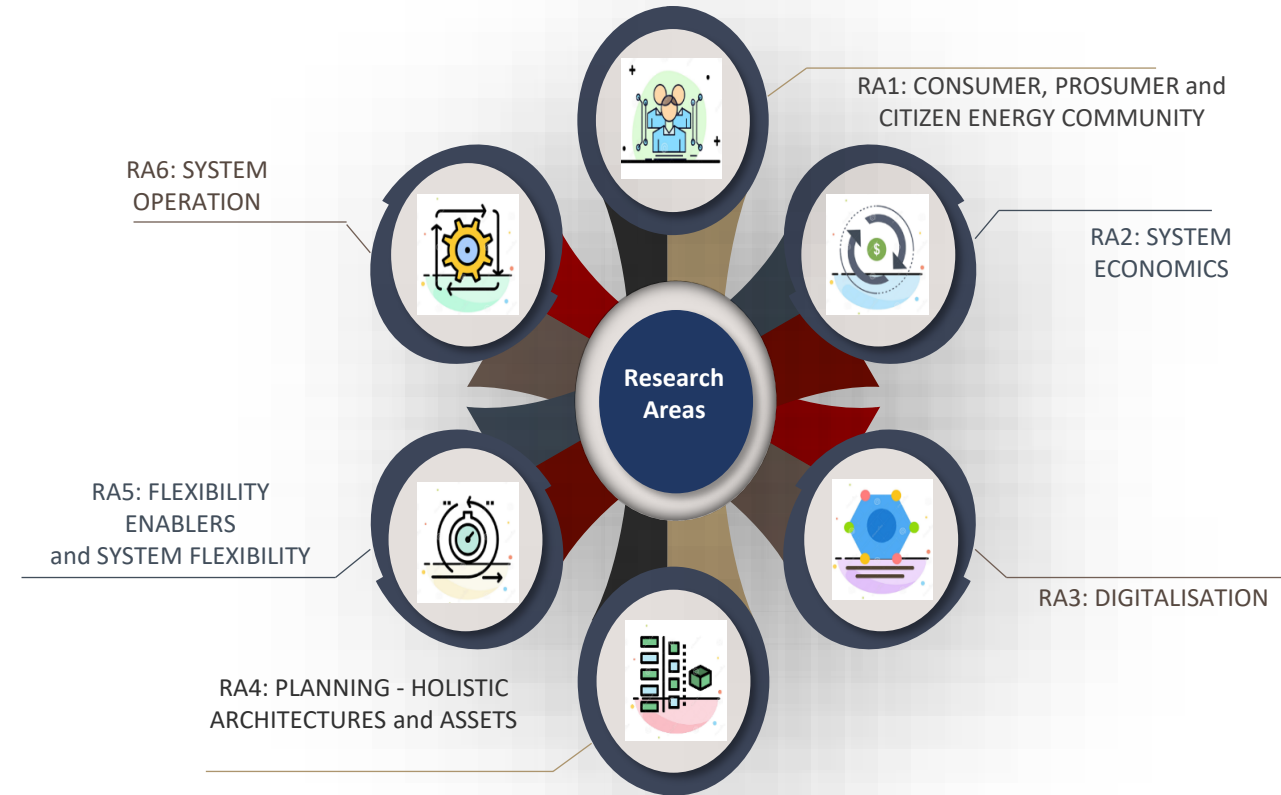
| Building blocks (ETIP SNET Vision 2050)   | FUNCTIONALITY (Full name)  | Short FUNCTIONALITY <sup>1</sup>    |   |
|---|--|-------------------------------------|---|
| The efficient organisation of energy systems  | F1 Cooperation between system operators  | F1 Cooperation                      |    |
|   | F2 Cross-sector integration  | F2 Cross-Sector                     |    |
|   | F3 Integrating the subsidiarity principle - The customer at the center, at the heart of the Integrated Energy System | F3 Subsidiarity                     |    |
| Markets as key enablers of the energy transition                                      | F4 Pan-European wholesale markets  | F4 Wholesale                        |    |
|   | F5 Integrating local markets (enabling citizen involvement)  | F5 Retail                           |    |
| Digitalisation enables new services for Integrated Energy Systems                     | F6 Integrating digitalisation services (including data privacy, cybersecurity)                                       | F6 Digitalisation                   |    |
| Infrastructure for Integrated Energy Systems as key enablers of the energy transition | F7 Upgraded electricity networks, integrated components and systems  | F7 Electricity Systems and Networks |    |
|   | F8 Energy System Business (incl. models, regulatory)   | F8 Business                         |    |
|   | F9 Simulation tools for electricity and energy systems (software)  | F9 Simulation                       |  |
| Efficient energy use  | F10 Integrating flexibility in generation, demand, conversion and storage technologies                               | F10 Flexibility                     |  |
|   | F11 Efficient heating and cooling for buildings and industries in view of system integration of flexibilities        | F11 Heating & Cooling               |  |
|   | F12 Efficient carbon-neutral liquid fuels & electricity for transport in view of system integration of flexibilities | F12 Transport                       |  |

# ETIP SNET Research Areas by 2030

The research activities to be conducted between 2020 – 2030 are organized in the Roadmap according to the following **Research Areas**:



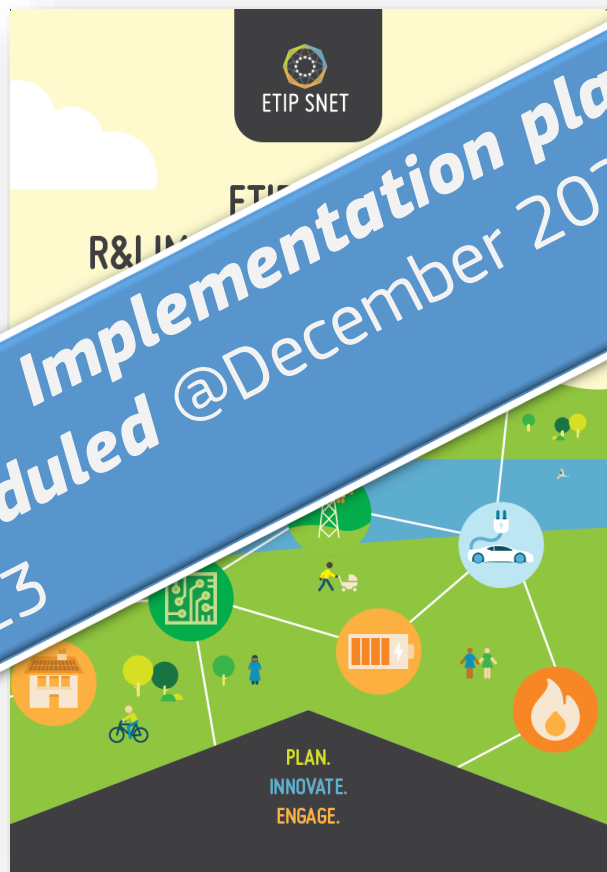
| RA No. | Research Area (RA)                              | RA-Explanation  |
|--------|---|---|
| 1      | CONSUMER, PROSUMER and CITIZEN ENERGY COMMUNITY | Citizen and prosumer empowerment and engagement   |
| 2      | SYSTEM ECONOMICS                                | Business models, market design and market-governance  |
| 3      | DIGITALISATION                                  | Digitalisation, communication and data handling (including Data, Cyber and System security)   |
| 4      | PLANNING - HOLISTIC ARCHITECTURES and ASSETS    | Energy system architectures, design and planning; new materials, technology solutions, asset management, maintenance; System Stability and resilience, multifunctional-system interfaces and system compatibility |
| 5      | FLEXIBILITY ENABLERS and SYSTEM FLEXIBILITY     | Adapting all energy components to provide flexibility to the system (Flexibility in Demand, Generation, Storage & Energy Conversion, Network, Transport)  |
| 6      | SYSTEM OPERATION                                | Reliability, forecasting, monitoring, control and automation (State estimation and supervision, short-term, medium and long-term control)   |





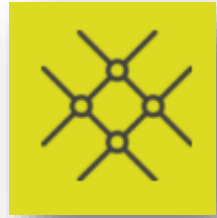
# ETIP SNET Implementation Plan 2021- 2024

**2 New Implementation plans are scheduled @December 2021 & August 2023**



| Research Areas (RA)                                | TOPIC No. | TOPIC   | Budget 2021-2024 (Millions of Euros) |
|--|-----------|---|--------------------------------------|
| 1. CONSUMER, PROSUMER and CITIZEN ENERGY COMMUNITY | 1.1       | Social campaigns and social studies (related to societal acceptance and environmental sustainability of energy infrastructures) | 15                                   |
|  | 1.2       | Adaptive consumer/user behaviour including energy communities (interaction, incentives by dynamic tariffs)                      | 29                                   |
|  | 1.3       | Consumer and prosumer device control  | 33                                   |
| 2. SYSTEM ECONOMICS                                | 2.1       | Business models (including Aggregators)   | 22                                   |
|  | 2.2       | Market design and governance (Retail, Wholesale; Cross-border; Ancillary services; Flexibility markets)                         | 64                                   |
| 3. DIGITALISATION                                  | 3.1       | Protocols, standardisation and interoperability (IEC, CIM, Information models)  |                                      |
|  | 3.2       | Data Communication (ICT) (Data acquisition, Smart Meter, Sensors (monitoring), AMR, AMM, smart devices)                         | 61                                   |
|  | 3.3       | Data and Information Management (Platforms, Big Data, SW, IoT)  | 35                                   |
|  | 3.4       | Cybersecurity (vulnerabilities, failures, risks) and privacy  | 66                                   |
|  | 3.5       | End-to-end architecture (integrating market, automation, control, data acquisition, digital twin, end-users)                    | 24                                   |
| 4. PLANNING - HOLISTIC ARCHITECTURES and ASSETS    | 4.1       | Integrated Energy system Architectures (design including new materials and hybrid AC/DC grids)                                  | 55                                   |
|  | 4.2       | Long-term planning (System development)   | 72                                   |
|  | 4.3       | Asset management and maintenance (maintenance operation, failure detection, asset lifecycles, lifespan and costs, ageing)       | 48                                   |
|  | 4.4       | System Stability analysis   | 29                                   |
| 5. FLEXIBILITY ENABLERS and SYSTEM FLEXIBILITY     | 5.1       | Demand flexibility (household and industry related)   | 38                                   |
|  | 5.2       | Generation flexibility (flexible thermal, RES such as Hydro, PV and wind generators)  | 28                                   |
|  | 5.3       | Storage flexibility & Energy Conversion flexibility (PtG&H, PtG, GtP, PtL, LtP; PtW; WtP)                                       | 53                                   |
|  | 5.4       | Network flexibility (FACTS, FACDS, smart transformers and HVDC)   | 40                                   |
|  | 5.5       | Transport flexibility (V2G/EV; railway, trams, trolleybus)  | 24                                   |

# ETIP SNET Working Groups: Outcomes and publications



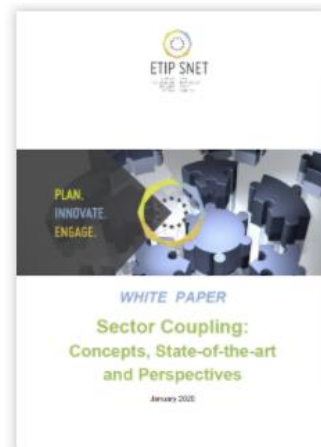
## WORKING GROUP 1 RELIABLE, ECONOMIC AND EFFICIENT ENERGY SYSTEM

**WG1** addresses the mid and long-term business and technology trends contributing to the overall energy system optimization at affordable investment and operation costs, with particular reference to *system development scenarios, network planning, operation, observability and control, asset management, flexibility as seen from the system aspects and resilience*.

**WHITE PAPER**  
Holistic architectures for  
future power systems  
March 2019



**WHITE PAPER**  
Sector Coupling: Concepts,  
State-of-the-art and  
Perspectives, January 2020



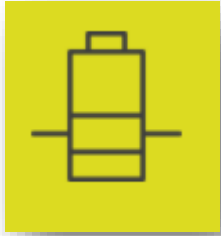
**POSITION PAPER**  
Smart Sector Integration,  
towards an EU System of  
Systems, April 2021



Planned White Papers  
on:

1. Hydrogen and Grids
2. Flexibility for Resilience
3. E-mobility

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## WORKING GROUP 2

### STORAGE TECHNOLOGIES AND SYSTEM FLEXIBILITIES

**WG2** addresses the technology and market developments related to *energy storage solutions* intended as one of the outstanding tools to ensure the required level of *flexibility for the transmission and distribution of electricity*.

**Strong Collaboration with ETIP Batteries for several papers and definition of KPIs**



**Planned activity and White Papers between 2021 and 2022:**

- Defining approach for circular economy in the energy storage field

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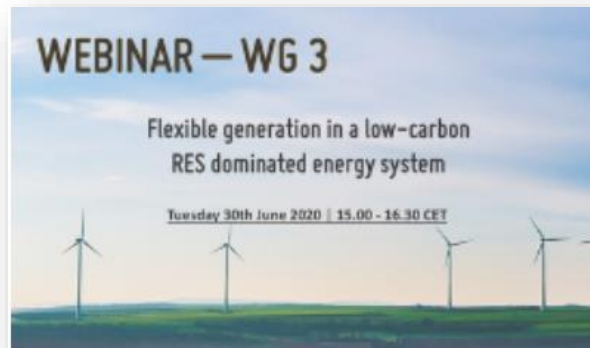


## WORKING GROUP 3

### FLEXIBLE GENERATION

**WG3** addresses the business and technology trends of generation considering the contribution of *flexibility from thermal power plants* (bulk and distributed), and of innovative technologies and *solutions in thermal-based generation systems* (e.g. micro-CHP, industrial co-generation), **heat distribution** (e.g. district heating), *storage and optimization of the RES generation technologies* to contribute to reach a secure, clean and reliable energy system to address the needs for flexibility in the framework of an integrated energy system.

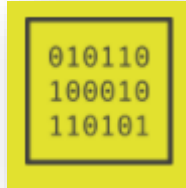
#### FLEXIBLE POWER GENERATION IN A DECARBONISED EUROPE March 2020



#### Strong Collaboration with the ETIP RHC



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## WORKING GROUP 4

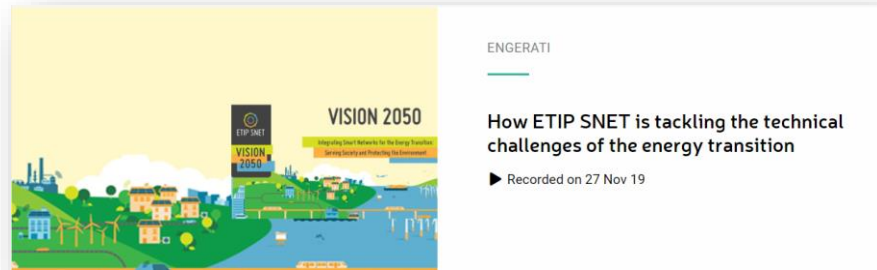
### DIGITALISATION OF THE ELECTRICITY SYSTEM AND CUSTOMER PARTICIPATION

**WG4** addresses the use and impact of the *Information and Communication technologies* as a pervasive tool *along the entire value chain of the power generation, transportation and use.*

**DIGITALIZATION OF THE ENERGY SYSTEM AND CUSTOMER PARTICIPATION: Description and recommendations of Technologies, Use Cases and Cybersecurity**  
November 2018



**Webinar at ENGERATI with the Co-Chair Maher Chebbo**



**Developing and finalizing a BIG IDEA as "One stop shop" for users energy access**



**WHAT NEXT:**  
➤ Developing Digital Use Cases



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## WORKING GROUP 5

### INNOVATION IMPLEMENTATION IN THE BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT

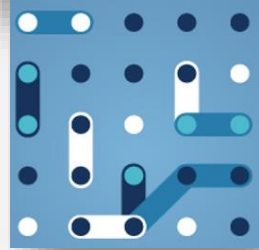
**WG5** mobilizes experts in *support of R&I work in the EU to reach the market* and to this effect work closely with all WGs of ETIP SNET to utilize project results in support of R&I needs for the years to come. To this effect, *work for the establishment of a multifunctional platform* through which work with experts will be enhanced and reporting of project results much more targeted and fruitful.

#### 5 Working Teams

| Research and Infrastructure   | Regulation and standardisation   | GAP analysis  | Innovation support to the market uptake   | Global & European Research and Innovation community  |
|---|--|---|---|--|
| Extend the research infrastructure inventory and accessibility offered by the DERlab to <b>enhance accessibility and usability.</b> | <b>Active standards, codes and regulations</b> to be effectively referenced to support the work of R&I community in the field of Smart Grids and Systems | To <b>build a methodology for effective exploitation</b> of the results of smart grids and other related EU supported R&I research projects | To <b>support RD&amp;I projects for market uptake</b> by building a methodology to identify market needs, to link the results of EU & regional funded projects. | To <b>build a repository</b> with information and actions of EU with international actors to contribute to the energy transition building a <b>best practice library of useful use cases</b> |

# BRIDGE INITIATIVE

bridge



- In strong collaboration with ETIP SNET, BRIDGE is a European Commission initiative aimed at putting together EU Projects to create a **structured view of cross-cutting issues** which are encountered in the demonstration projects and may constitute an obstacle to innovation, fostering continuous knowledge sharing amongst projects.

## Current Structure

### Projects Topics



Smart Grids



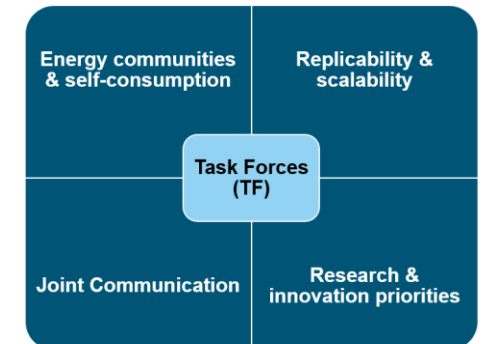
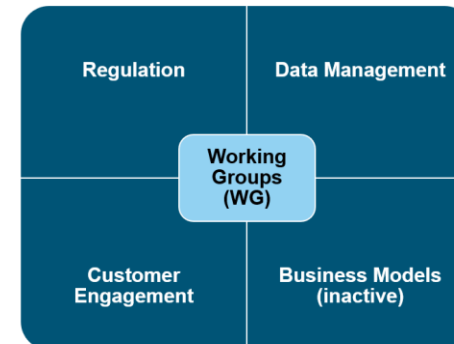
Energy Storage



Islands



Digitalisation



# ETIP SNET next events



## ***“Digitalization of Batteries for Smart Energy and Transport Systems”***

online workshop - on **5 May 2021**

from 14.00 to 16.00 (Brussels time).

Co-organized by BATTERIES EUROPE – ETIP SNET – EGVA

## **SAVE THE DATE**

### **12<sup>th</sup> ETIP SNET Regional Workshop**

(8 Workshops will take place till 2023)







**Thank for your  
participation and...**

**ENJOY THE WORKSHOP!**

