# Isover Multi-Comfort-House

#### **Comfort and Energy Efficiency in Buildings**

Robert Schild 2006



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#### The problem we all have in common



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# In heating our houses we are far not so sensitive to energy prices.





The building regulations differ from country to country.

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# The period of using fossil energy is very short



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## The step towards energy security



# The cheapest energy is the energy not used



# "Making EU the most energy efficient economy in the world !"



Development of primary energy demand and of "negajoules" (EU-25)



"Negajoules": Energy savings calculated on the basis of 1971 energy intensity.

Source: Enerdata (calculations based on Eurostat data).

Claude Turmes MPE, co-initiator of the intelligent Energy Europe Initiative; World sustainable Days Wels 3. Mach 2006

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# Share of Renewable Energy in EU countries 2003 and target for 2010



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### **Energy use in Europe**





Source: EURIMA, ECOFIS-study "Mitigation of CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions from the Building Stock" Beyond the EU Directive on the Energy Performance of Buildings

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# Energy consumption of a private **ISOVER** household in Germany



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# Passive House means independency in energy



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#### **Comfort Energy Efficient Houses** without active heating



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# Renovation of a multi family house



Before renovation heating the environment





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After insulation, only the windows and door makes problems



# From active heating to passive through insulation

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#### Always fresh air in an Isover Multi-Comfort-House



**CO2-concentration in sleeping room** 



### **Thermal comfort**





### **Comparison of Buildings I**





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	demand Gross floor area (HED <sub>GFA</sub> ) in kWh/m <sup>2</sup> a for a characteristic length of 1m	kWh/m²a 300-250	kWh/m²a 150-100	kWh/m²a <b>50-40</b>	kWh/m²a <u>&lt;</u> 15
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	Energy consumption in liters heating oil and yearh house 100m2	3000-2500 liters	1500-1000 liters	400-500 liters	150 liters
Annual heating cost	30 \$ /barrel	950-1150	400-600	150-200	60
€	60 \$/barrel	1600- 2000	650-1000	250-320	100
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#### The objective of market motivation





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# Schematic description of the past and future net energy demand of a single-family house





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#### **Isover Multi-Comfort-House for cold** and hot climates



**Isover Multi-Comfort-House fits for all** climatic zones (with modifications)

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# The high energy consumption is part of the planning and culture



To improve thermal comfort energy consumption turns excessive !









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### **Energy autarchy for buildings**





House in Austrian Alps at an altitude of 2150 m. Heating energy demand 12.9 kWh/m<sup>2</sup>a

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# Renovation of a Multi storey 50 apartment house in Linz/Upper-Austria

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Thermal insulation of exterior wall for full comfort and less heating costs for 50 apartments on an total surface of 3.100m<sup>2</sup> on five floors.

Comfort ventilation system

Improved noise control

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Linz, Makartstraße; build 1957/58

	Before renovation	After renovation
Heating energy demand	179 kWh/m²year	14.4 kWh/m²year
Monthly heating cost per apartment 59m <sup>2</sup>	€40.8	€4.73
Annual CO <sub>2</sub> emission of total house	160.000 kg	18.000 kg

# Renovation of a Multi storey 50 apartment house in Linz/Upper-Austria

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# Renovation of a Multi storey 50 apartment house in Linz/Upper-Austria

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Thermal insulation of exterior wall in prefabricated wooden construction entirely filled with Isover glass wool (Holzrahmenfilz HRF)

DI Ingrid Domenig-Meisinger, Arch+More ZT GmbH Linz-Velden, Haseneck 7, 4048 Puchenau/Linz

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#### **Renovation of a school in Upper Austria**

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Exterior Wall	0,10 W/m²K
Roof	0,09 W/m²K
Ceiling/Cellar	0,13 W/m <sup>2</sup> K
Window Glass	0,60 W/m²K
Windows total	0,77 W/m²K

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Thermal insulation of exterior wall including photo voltaic panels for own electricity production

The renovation and the extension of first floor was made with prefabricated wooden frame elements

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build 1960

	Before renovation	After renovation
Annual heating cost of the whole house	€2.700	€200,-

#### **Example for market growth (Austria)**

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Pilot period is over – commercialization ! 1000 Passive houses in Austria 10.000 Passive houses in Germany!

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### Thank you very much !

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# **Back-up slides**

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### Private house in Zagreb / Croatia

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#### Renovation of Kuća Spansko in Zagreb

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## This data is permanent available to the public **ISOVER**

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# Building envelop with excellent **ISOVER** insulation

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### **Building element junctions**

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<u>Measure:</u> Thermal-bridge-free construction

<u>Specification:</u> Ψ (linear thermal transmittance, exterior dimensions) below 0.01 W/(mK)

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#### Windows

Super glazing

<u>Measure:</u> Low-emissive triple glazing <u>Specification:</u> U-value  $\leq 0.75$  W/(m<sup>2</sup>K), solar transmission factor  $\geq 50\%$ 

**Super frames** 

<u>Measure:</u> Super insulated window frames <u>Specification:</u> U-value < 0.8 W/(m<sup>2</sup>K)

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#### **Correct installation of the window**

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# All building material producers tries to get a share of the market of Passive Houses

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**Constructions seen at Energy Saving Fair Wels 2006** 

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## **Air tightness**

Measure: Airtight building envelope

# Specification: less than 0.6 air changes per hour at n50

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## **Hygienic ventilation**

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### **Subsoil heat exchanger**

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# Latent heat recovery from exhaust air

Measure: Counterflow air-to-air heat exchanger, Compact heat pump unit

#### <u>Specification:</u> Heat transfer efficiency $\eta \ge 80\%$ , Max. heat load 10 W/m<sup>2</sup>

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### **EBPD – European Building Performance Directive**

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Benoit Lebot: UNDP-GEF, Business opportunities on global, European, national, regional & local levels. World sustainable Days Wels 3. Mach 2006

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Energy Efficiency is winning (A&B class)

#### **Development of average energy prices for** private household in Czech Republic

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Jahr 2004 2005 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001 2003 2002

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Source: Ivana Klobusnikova; Energy Centre Ceske Budejovice 2006

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# Additional construction costs for passive houses compared to conventional houses

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## Passive house is cheaper than Low Energy House

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# Practical experiences with passive houses/energy consumption

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### **Comparison of Buildings I**

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## **Comparison of Buildings II**

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Building standard The HED <sub>GFA</sub> value (heat energy demand related to the gross floor area) serves as a help to assess the thermic quality of a building - ÖNORM B 8110-5 (prestandard).	Completely insufficient thermal protection Structurally questionable, cost of heating no longer economical (typical of rural structures, buildings dating from the early years of the so-called Gründerzeit or from 1945 to 1970	Insufficient thermal protection Thermal renovation is clearly worth the trouble (typical of residential buildings constructed in the 50ies and 70ies of the last century)	Low-energy buildings	Lowest-energy buildings (essential parameter of the requirement profile to be met by Passive Houses)
Energy consumption in liters heating oil per square meter and year	30-25 liters	15-10 liters	4-5 liters	1.5 liters

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## **Comparison of Buildings III**

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Heat energy demand	kWh/m²a	kWh/m²a	kWh/m²a	kWh/m²a
	300-250	150-100	50-40	<u>&lt;</u> 15
Construction	U-value and insulation thickness			
Exterior wall (massive wall of 25 cm)	1.30 W/m²K	0.40 W/m²K	0.20 W/m²K	0.10 W/m²K
	0 cm	6 cm	16 cm	34 cm
Roof	0.90 W/m²K	0.22 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	0.15 W/m²K	0.10 W/m²K
	<b>4</b> cm	22 cm	30 cm	40 cm
Floors to ground	1.0 W/m²K	0.40 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	0.25 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	0.12 W/m²K
	<b>2 cm</b>	<b>7</b> cm	20 cm	30 cm
Windows	2.60 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	1.70 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	1.10 W/m <sup>2</sup> K	0.80 W/m²K
	Single glazing	Double glazing	Double glazing thermo	Triple glazing special frame

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## **Comparison of Buildings III**

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Heat energy demand Gross floor area (HED <sub>GFA</sub> ) in kWh/m <sup>2</sup> a for a characteristic length of 1m Heating degree days (HDD) = 3400 $K \cdot d$	kWh/m²a <b>300-250</b>	kWh/m²a 150-100	kWh/m²a <b>50-40</b>	kWh/m²a <u>&lt;</u> 15
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Energy consumption in liters heating oil per square meter and year	30-25 liters	15-10 liters	4-5 liters	1.5 liters
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Why not to have a simple information on energy consumption just like for cars and refrigerators?

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Source: dena, Deutsche Energie Agentur

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