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Chemical heat storage using Na-leach

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Content of the presentation

- Long term storage: State of the art
- Thermo chemical storage: principle
- Concept
- Design
- Status of work
- Future work

Long term storages: State of the art

Long term storages (sensible storages) cover typically 30% to 60% of the needed heating energy during winter time.

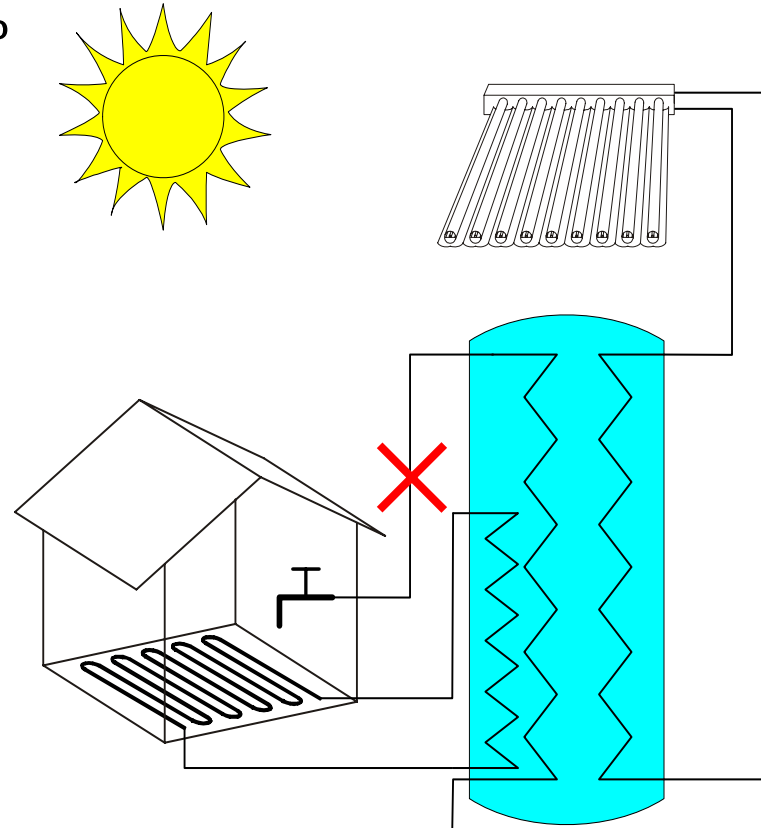
Domestic hot water not always can't be produced directly.

Advantages of water storages:

- Known technology
- No dangerous material

Disadvantages of water storages:

- Permanent loss of heat
- Voluminous



Goal: Solar covers 100% heating demand

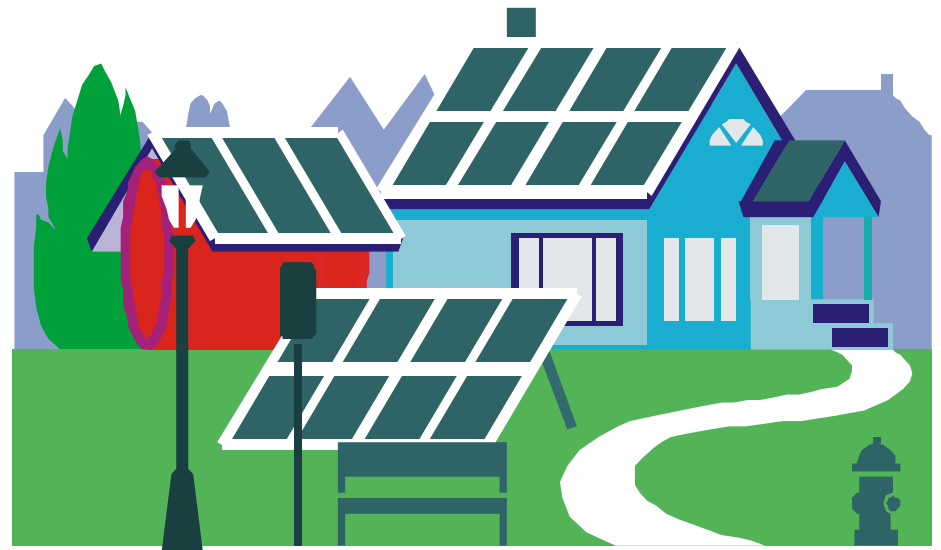
Precondition:

Building in passive house or
Minergie standard

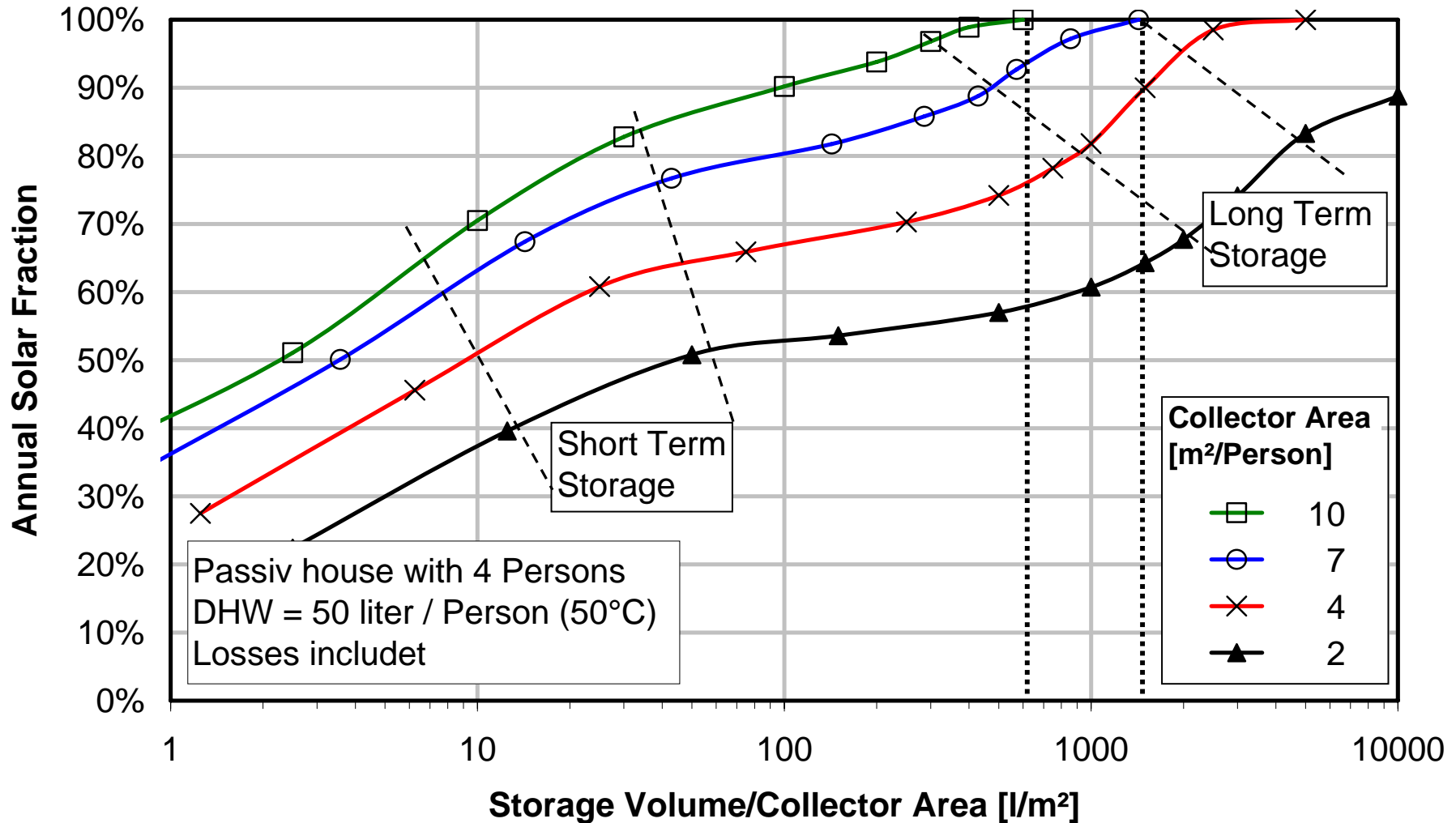
Central-European climate

Technical requirements:

- 30 – 50m² solar collectors
- 20 – 40m³ water storage



Storage Volume and Solar Fraction



Source: Energy and Building Technology for the 2000 Watt Society, 2003

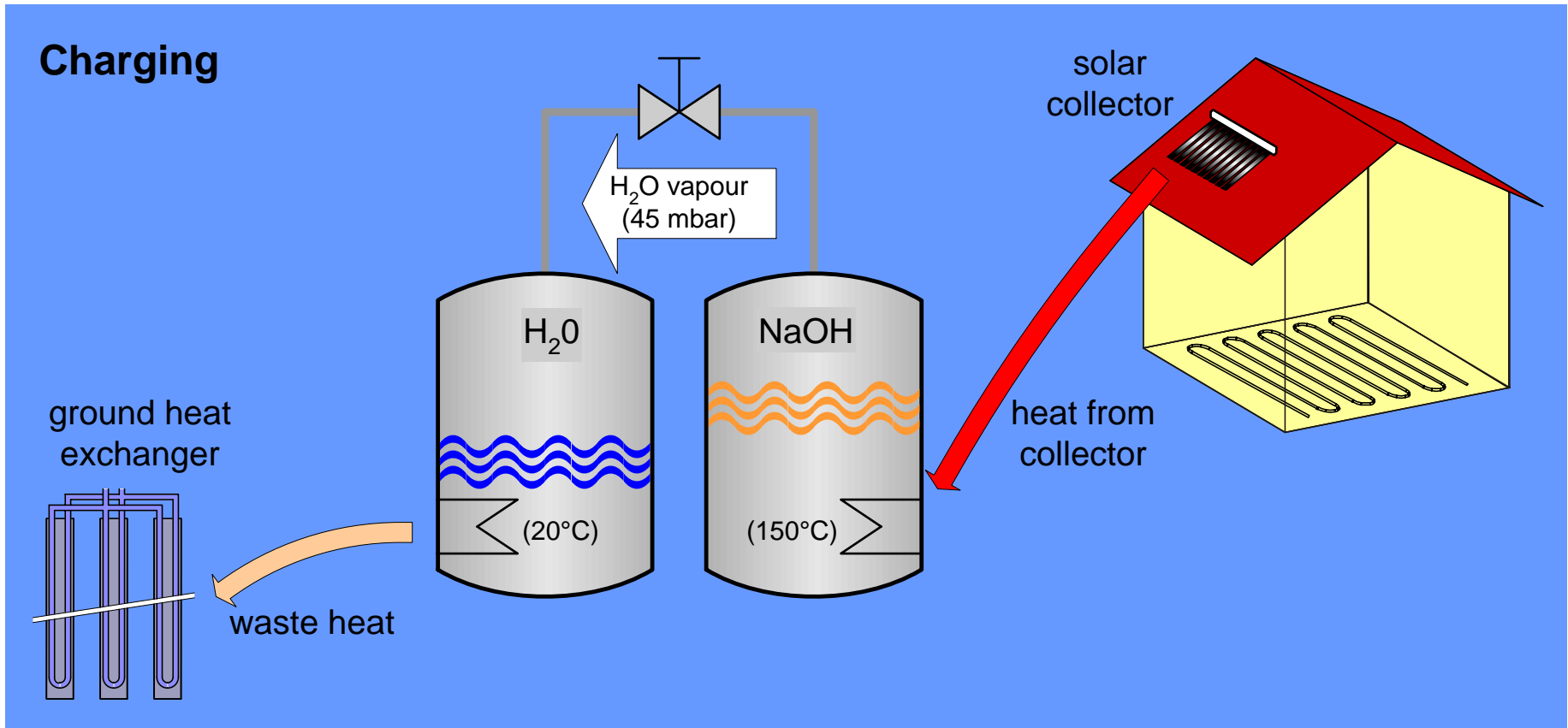
Conclusion long term storage:

- To cover the last 10% of heat energy, unproportionally high storage volume are needed
- Solar collector area needs to be large to cover the permanent losses

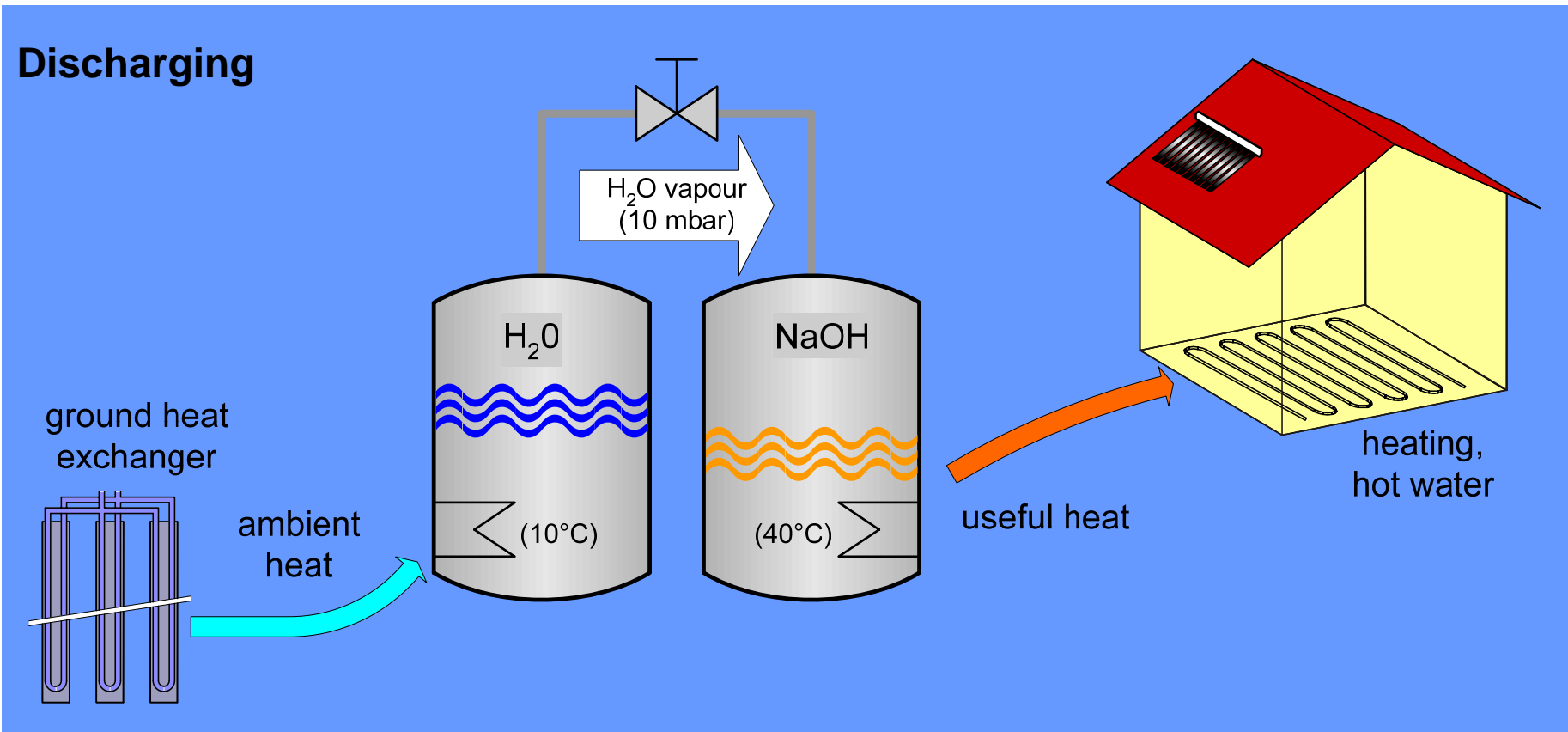
New possible concept: chemical heat storage

- No losses during storage time
- High heat capacity
- Costs shall not be higher than with water storage

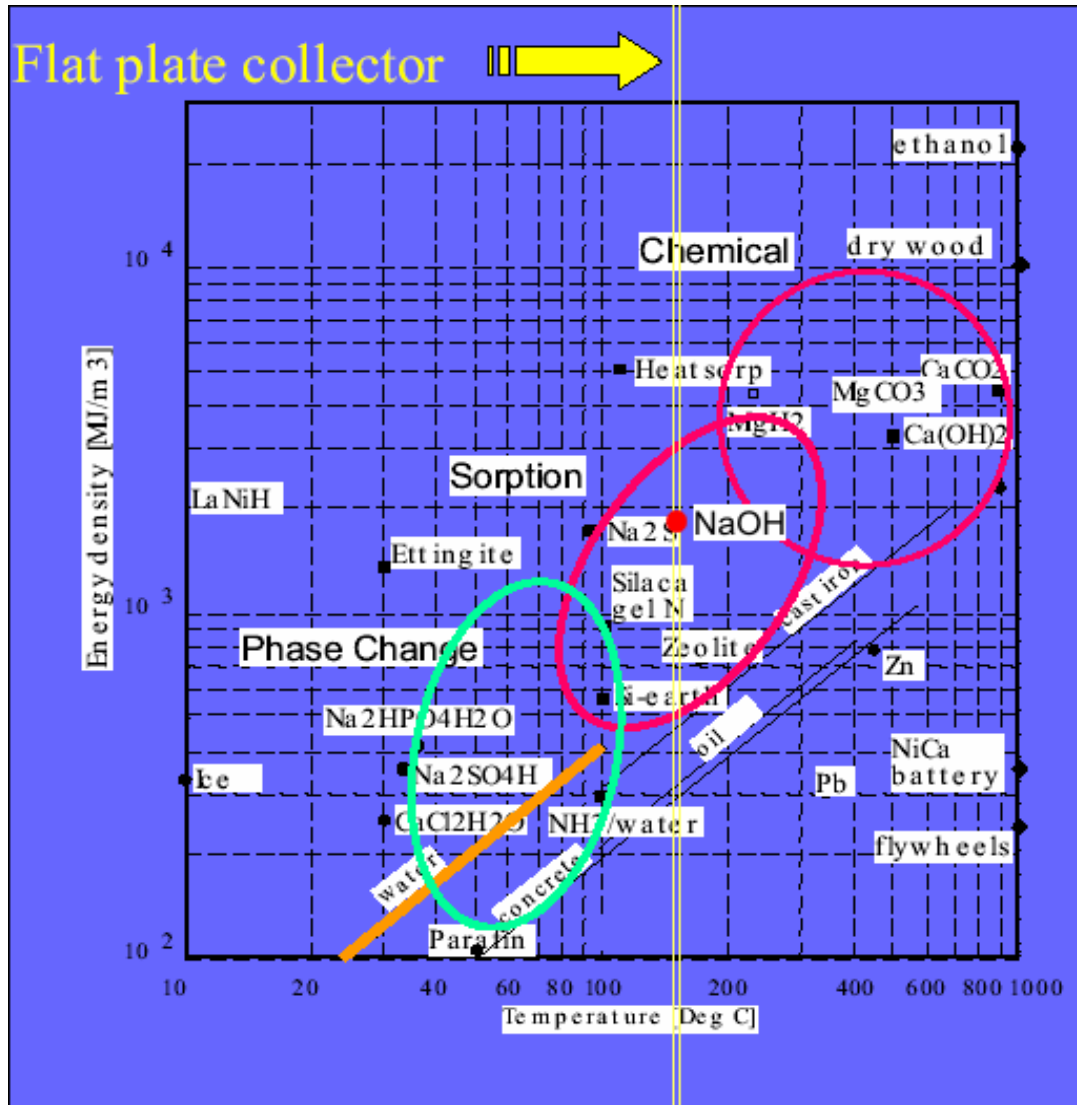
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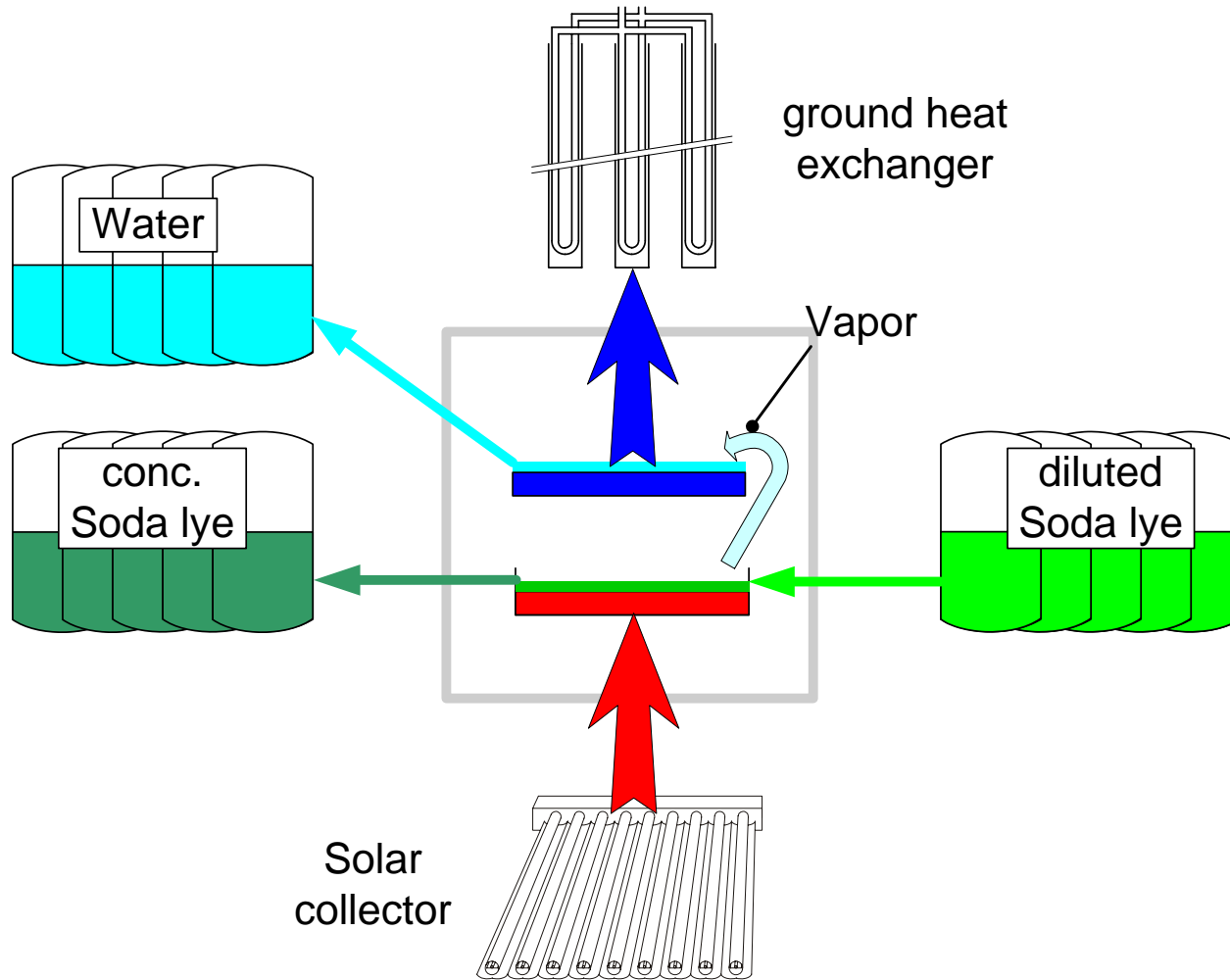
Potential of a NaOH Storage System



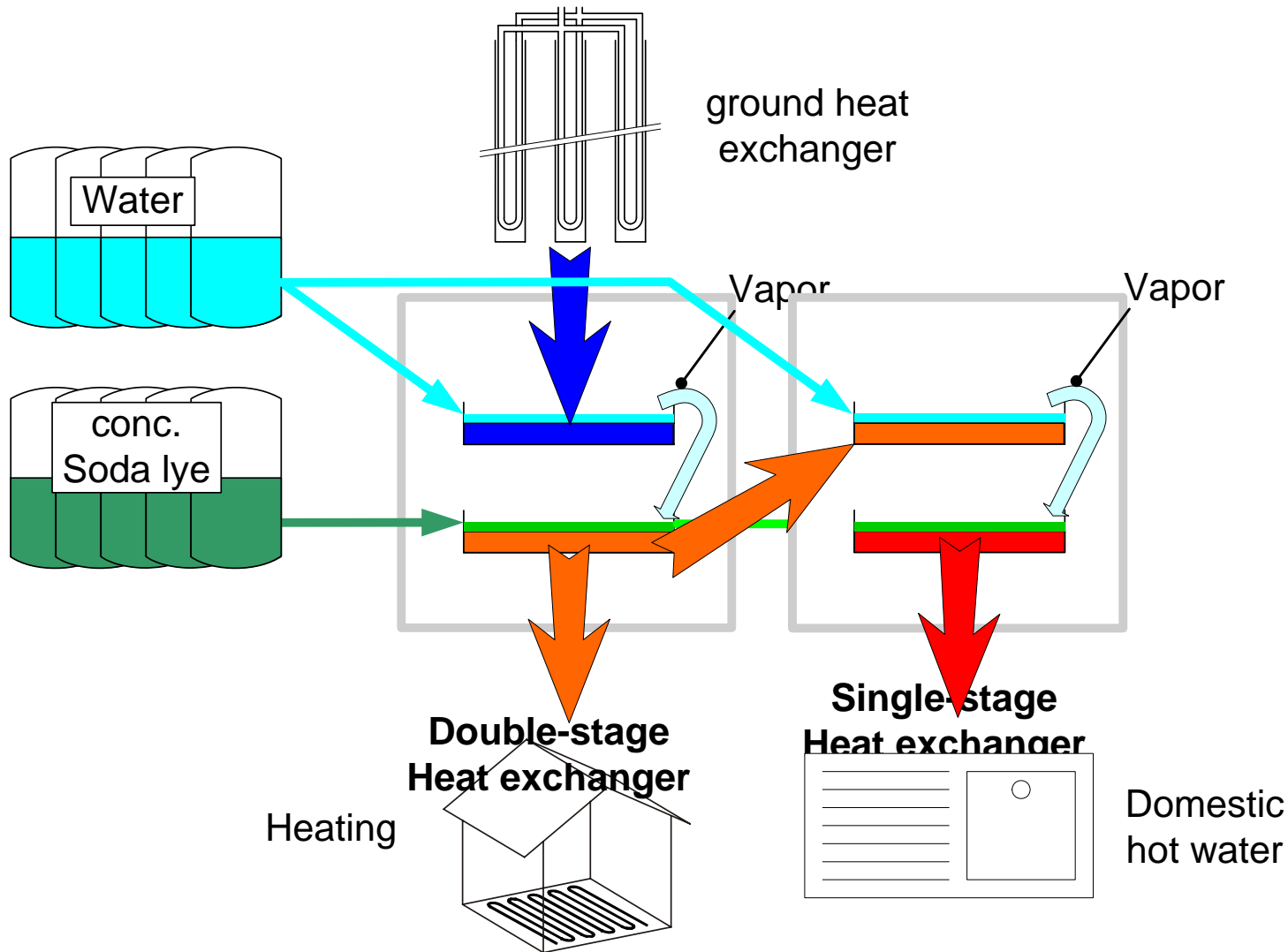
- Heat capacity for heating purposes: 6 time better than a water storage
- Heat capacity for DHW: 3 time better than a water storage

Source: J. van Berkel

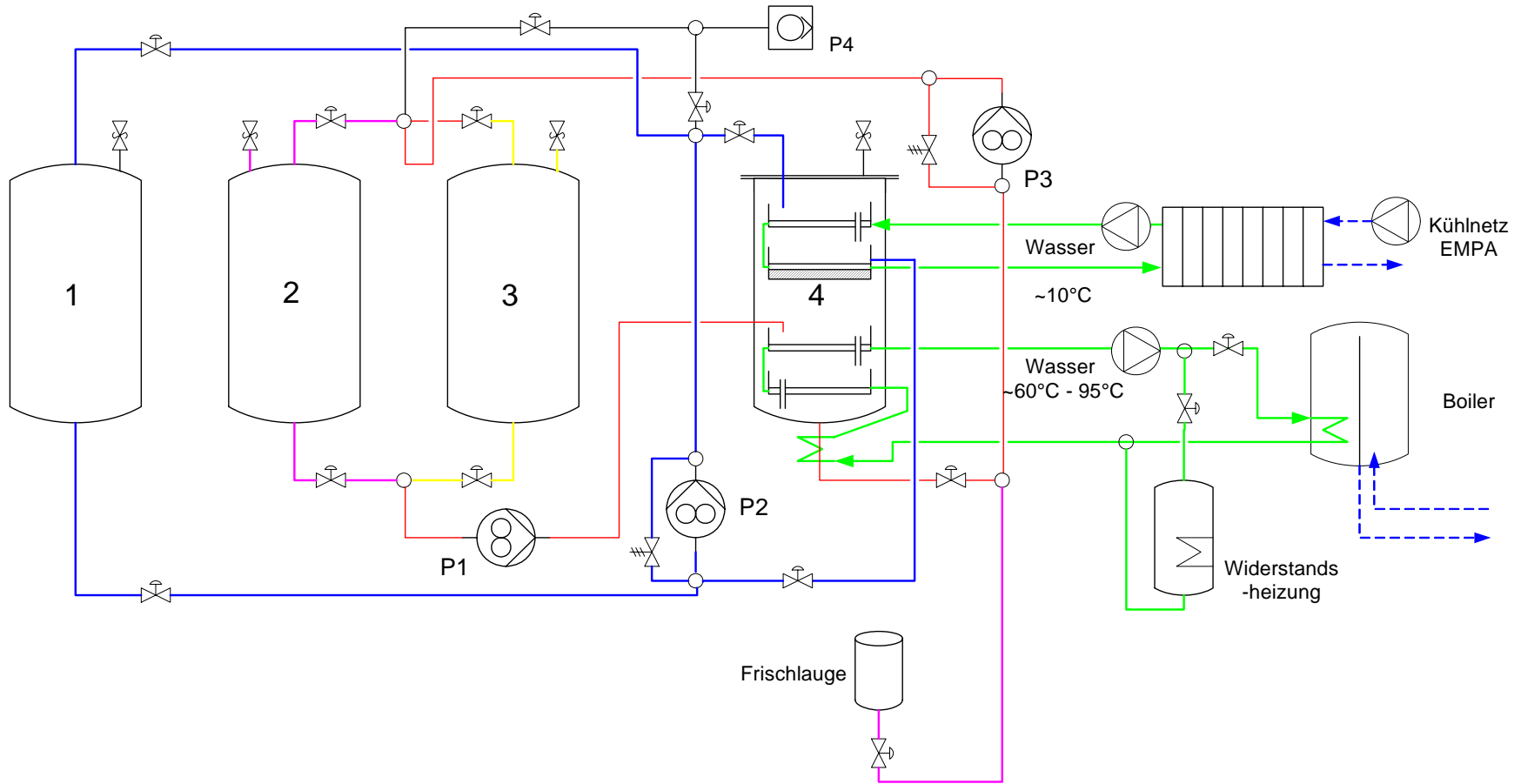
Concept: Charging the storage



Concept: Discharging the storage



Hydraulic scheme laboratory prototype:



Setup of the laboratory prototype



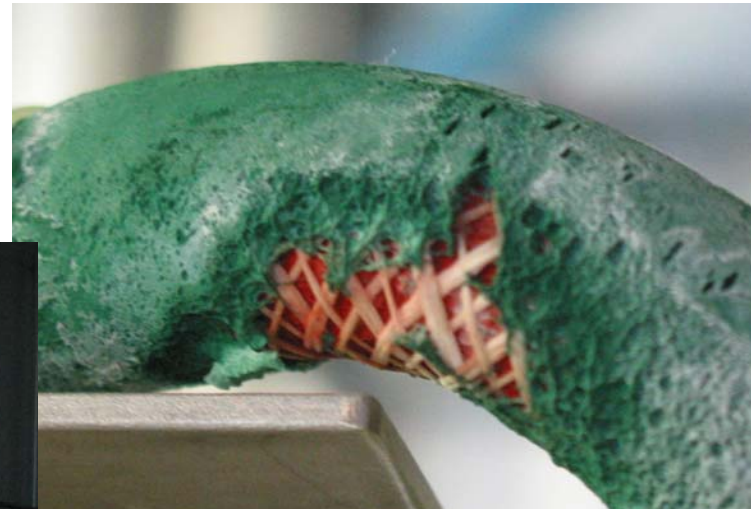
Status of the work on the NaOH Storage

- The storage was built and filled with soda lye.
- Loading tests has been performed. During that test, higher concentration of NaOH reached than expected.
- The high concentration of NaOH lye led to adjustments: Silicone hoses, which has been corroded in the lye are replaced. The high viscosity of the concentrated lye needed a change in the design of the tubes and pumps.
- Simulations on the laboratory prototype show (with assumptions about losses):
 - Calculated efficiency about 59% (heat out/heat in)
 - Volume ratio (compared to water) 290% (only NaOH considered)

Ongoing work:

- The simple simulation model will be upgraded and translated to Fortran (TRNSYS).
- TRNSYS simulations will be made to show the performance of the storage under “real” conditions. In the frame of the IEA Task 32 these results are compared with other storages.
- The laboratory prototype will be upgraded with double-stage heat exchangers.
- Further simulations are made to optimize System components (collector area, ground heat exchanger, cost of the system, etc.)

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Thank you for your attention!
