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# Integrated Solutions for Daylight and Electric Lighting

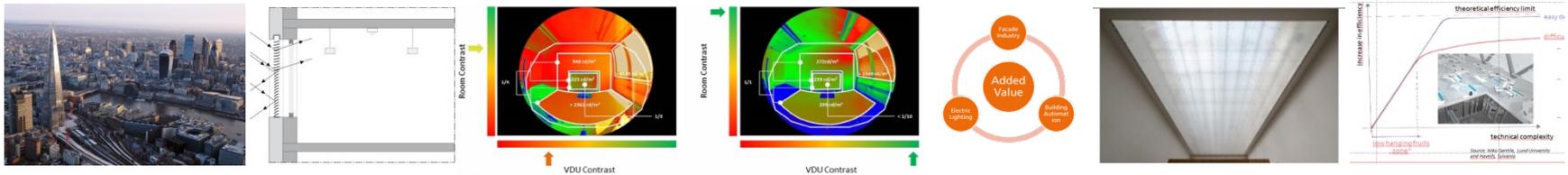
From component to user centered system efficiency

Task Duration: 1/2018 – 6/2021

What we have learned ? What we are still learning...

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## Die Welt strahlt. Leider.

„The World is shining. Unfortunately.“

Eigentlich sollten LED-Leuchten beim Energiesparen helfen. Doch Spareffekte verpuffen, weil auch noch der letzte Fleck ausgeleuchtet wird. Neue Satellitendaten zeigen, wie die Nacht verschwindet.



Von *Christoph Seidler* ✓



Fotos

2 % Intensity increase of electric lighting

2% Increase of illuminated area

Each year since 2012

15 % of global electricity consumption

5% of green house gas

Rebound effects (low priced, versatile SSL)

# Market Background

- Electric Lighting:
  - High efficient LED Systems, LEDs > 70% of market volume (Europe)
  - Digitalization of light
- Facade
  - 1,3 Billion m<sup>2</sup> of new facades per year (equivalent of the area of the city of London)
  - How this is done has huge impact on daylight supply
- General Trend: From Component to System solutions

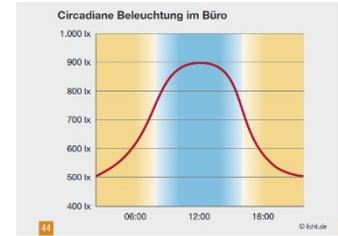


# Motivation

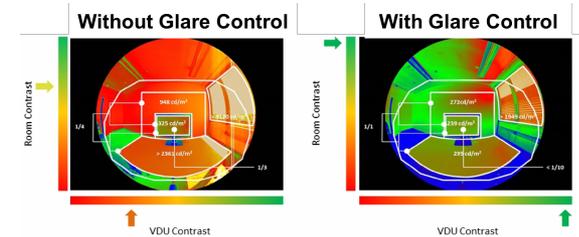
## Open issues in the integration of day- and electric lighting

# Motivation

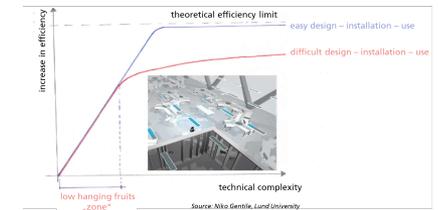
– User Perspective: Change in design and control parameters



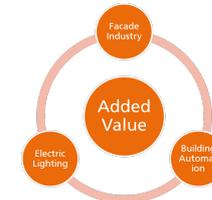
– Facade control is a daylighting problem



– Complexity vs. efficiency in lighting controls



– Combine competencies: Market integration



– Codes / Regulations < - > Tools & Methods

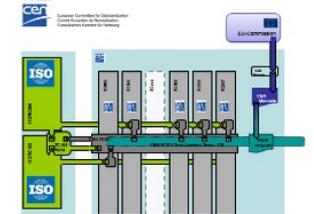
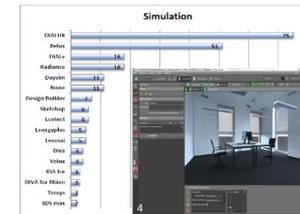
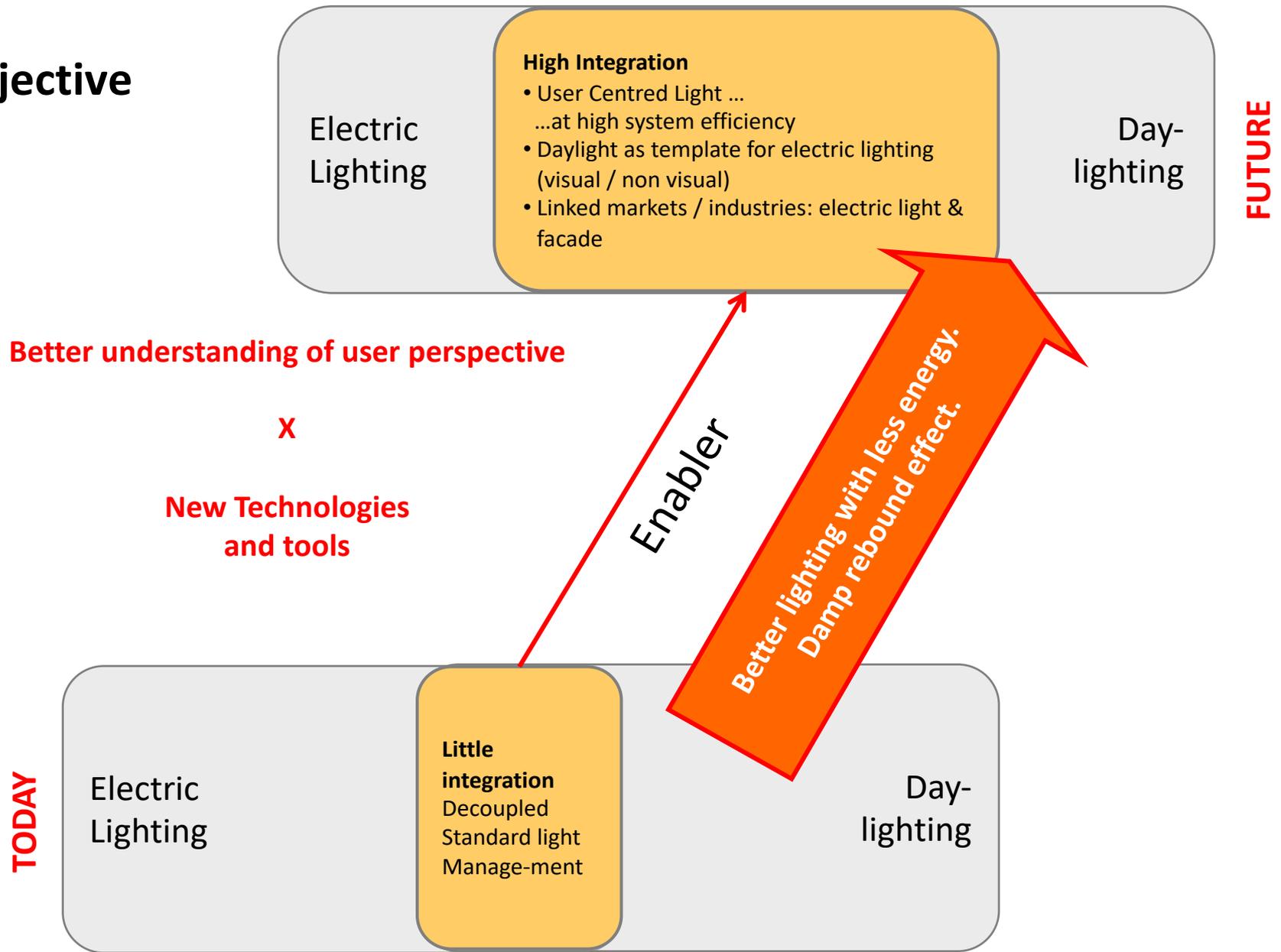


Figure 21: List of methods and tools used to simulate the retrofit process

# Objective of IEA SHC Task 61

Foster the integration of daylight and electric lighting solutions to the benefits of higher user satisfaction and at the same time energy savings

# Objective



# Task Structure (Duration 1/2018 – 6/2021)

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## Integrated solutions for daylight and electric lighting

*From component to user centered system efficiency*

*Operating Agent: J. de Boer, Germany*

### Subtask A

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User Perspective,  
Requirements

### Subtask B

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Integration and  
optimization of  
daylight and electric  
lighting

### Subtask C

D. Geisler-Moroder,  
Austria

Design support for  
practioners  
(Tools, Standards,  
Guidelines)

### Subtask D

N. Gentile, Sweden  
W. Osterhaus, Denmark

Lab and field study  
performance tracking

### Joint Working Group

Evaluation method for integrated lighting solutions

Virtual reality (VR) based Decision Guide

# Who is behind the activity?



About 35 Experts from 14 countries

## Research



## Industry



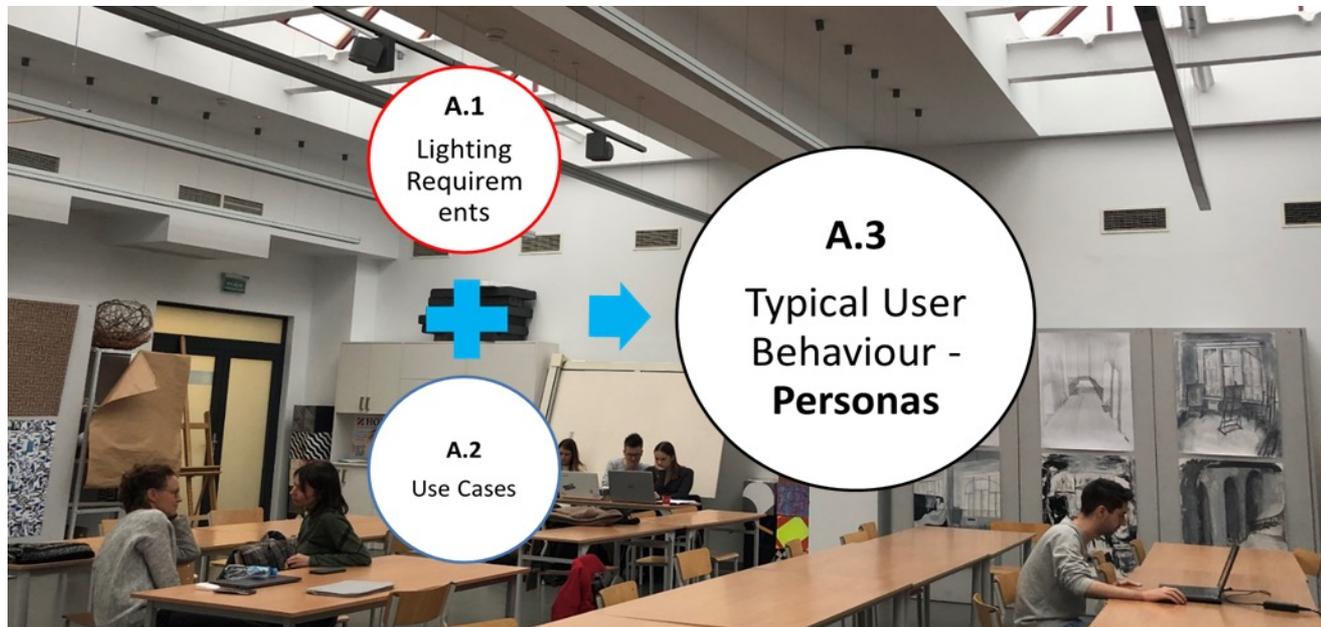
# Subtask A

## User Perspective, Requirements

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Consolidation of available knowledge on user-, activity- and time-dependent visual and non-visual *requirements* including cultural and climatic dependencies. Set up *use cases* in specific applications, reflecting typical temporal changes in the usage of these interior spaces. Aggregation in so called *personas* as representations of the behaviour of a hypothesized group of users in the defined applications.

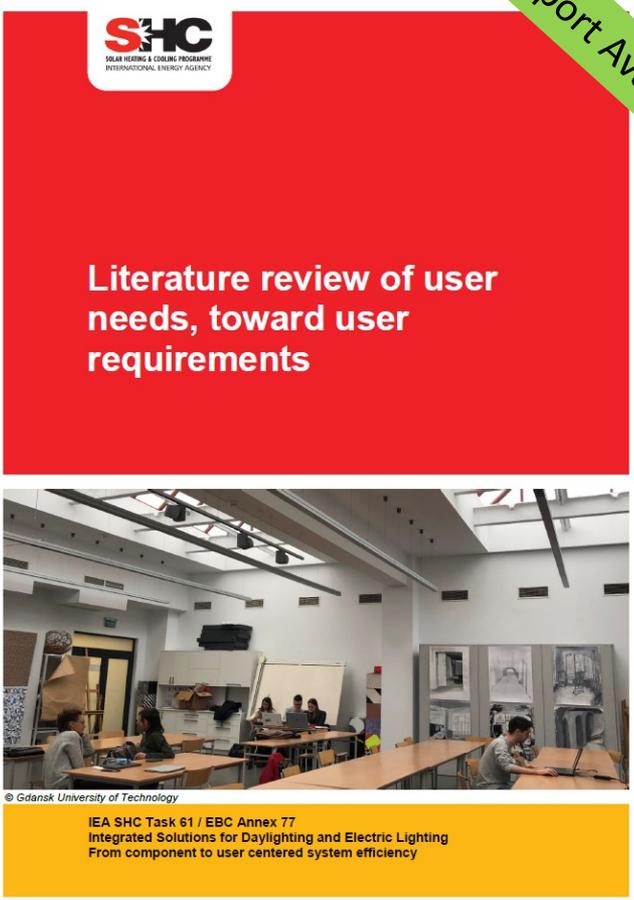


# User perspective and requirements

More than 100 articles reviewed

28 criteria analysed

Report Available



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**Literature review of user needs, toward user requirements**

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Flicker may be divided into two types. One that is visual, i.e. it is possible to detect the flickering light with the eyes, and the other which could be named subliminal i.e. the flickering light is not consciously detected by the human, but the brain is registering the flicker.

Flickering lights can be uncomfortable to look at and can induce seizures in observers with photosensitive epilepsy. Subliminal flicker may cause headache, and impaired cognitive performance. Temporal modulation of lighting at frequencies higher than the critical fusion frequency can affect human efficiency in diverse ways that are not understood.

Measures for flicker are needed and methods have been proposed. Today it is important to have measures since pulse width modulation for dimming the light output of LEDs has become common. These artefacts need to be avoided or at least reduced to a minimum in order to obtain high user acceptance.

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In the spatial domain, one identified source of visual discomfort is when images have Fourier amplitude spectra that deviate from the natural (1/frequency, 1/f) statistical characteristics of natural scenes, especially if they contain excess energy at the medium frequencies at which the visual system is most sensitive.

Deviation from the statistics of natural images could cause discomfort because the visual system is optimized to encode images with particular statistics typical of natural scenes.

Psychological and physiological benefits of viewing nature have been extensively studied for some time. More recently it has been suggested that some of these positive effects can be explained by nature's fractal properties.

Research suggests that the responses to statistical and exact fractals differ and that the natural form of the fractal is important for inducing alpha responses, and indicator of a wakefully relaxed state and internalized attention.

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Studies on load shedding have shown that rapid changes in illuminance (of the order of 10-100 lx/s) suggest that illuminance can decline by up to 20% without being detected. With slower rates of change (1 lx/s or less), greater reductions in illuminance may remain undetected, and acceptable.

In a study where the direct component of a direct-indirect luminaire was reduced by 2% of full output per minute, to a minimum 20% output, the effects were generally negative (a small negative effect on comfort and arousal). There was no effect on environmental satisfaction, or on any of the many task performance outcomes (typing, memory, creativity, anagram solving, vigilance).

Participants with personal control exposed to ramps were not found to be less negatively affected by the ramps than those without personal control.

Temporal changes of daylight in the exterior during a day can be slow or rapid. They are associated with intensity, spectral composition and light colour occurrence. These changes can be observed and are welcome by occupants of interiors. People have a good ability to adapt to intensity and colour variations of natural light. One of the important aspects of a healthy indoor environment is access to daylight and its daily changes. Generally, more blue and brighter light appears the first part of the day while relatively more red light with a low portion of short-wavelength light is in the last two hours before sunset.

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# User perspective and requirements

	Daylight		Electric light	
Parameter	Measure	Standard value	Measure	Standard value
<b>Workplace illuminance General</b>	Target illuminance of daylight provision from windows	≥ 300 lux on the working place level ≥ 50% of the yearly daylight hours ≥ 50% of the space area	Mean $E_h$ on the desk	Together with daylight ≥ 500 lux
	Spaces with skylights	as for windows but ≥ 95% of the space area		
<b>Workplace illuminance Visual demanding</b>	daylight provision from windows	≥ 750 lux on the desk ≥ 50% of the yearly daylight hours	Mean $E_h$ on the desk	1000 lux
<b>Workplace illuminance homogeneity</b>	Minimum Target illuminance of Daylight provision from windows	≥ 100 lux on the working level in room ≥ 50% of the yearly daylight hours ≥ 95% of the space area	Uniformity $U_o$ ( $E_{min}; E_{mean}$ ) on the desk	≥ 0.6
<b>Workplace illuminance homogeneity Visual demanding</b>	Minimum Target illuminance of Daylight provision from windows	≥ 200 lux on the working level in room ≥ 50% of the yearly daylight hours ≥ 95% of the space area	Uniformity $U_o$ ( $E_{min}; E_{mean}$ ) on the desk	≥ 0.7
Movement area illuminance	No measure	<i>Low daylight illuminance is accepted</i>	Mean $E_h$	200 lux
Movement area illuminance homogeneity	No measure	<i>Low daylight illuminance homogeneity is accepted</i>	$U_o$ ( $E_{min}; E_{mean}$ )	0.4

Table 1. Application-related requirements for office work, based on the literature review, standards EN-17037 and EN-12464, and the requirements specification according to the EU H2020 research project “Repro-light”.

Colour of light in general	No measure	<i>Natural variation of colour of daylight is appreciated</i>	CCT (K)	3000 – 5000
Colour of light Wards	No measure	<i>blue and green tint of window glass should be avoided</i>	CCT (K)	4000 ≤ $T_{ap}$ ≤ 5000
Workplace colour rendition	Colour rendering for window glass	hue shift ≤ 30 saturation shift ≤ 30	CRI (additional $R_{12}$ )	≥ 80
Workplace colour rendition Colour quality demanding	Colour rendering for window glass	hue shift ≤ 10 saturation shift ≤ 20	CRI (additional $R_{12}$ )	≥ 90
View out to the outside from the workplace	Width of the view	> 14°	-	-
	Length of the view	> 6m	-	-
Glare	Daylight glare probability $DGP_{e=5\%}$	Minimum landscape layer is visible	-	-
		< 0.45 besides 5% of the occupation time	UGR	≤ 19
Luminance in the visual field	Max. luminance of the window surface for workplaces in neighbourhood of window	≤ 4000 cd/m <sup>2</sup>	Max. luminance at gamma > 60°	≤ 3000 cd/m <sup>2</sup>
Repeating luminance contrasts	Spatial frequency on the window surface	Avoid strong luminance contrast in the medium frequencies (0.2 – 0.5)	Multishadows from lamps Mean illuminance at surface level	≥ 100 lux
Homogeneity of light-emitting surface			$L = (L(90\%): L(10\%)/L_{average})$	
Non-visual effects of light (daytime work)		Daylight is recommended wherever possible.	Circadian stimulus [CS]	≥ 0.3* (Practically ≥ 0.4) throughout the day
Non-visual effects of light (shift work)			circadian stimulus [CS]	CS ≥ 0.3 throughout first part of the shift (until about 05:00 am), and then shielding themselves from exposure to circadian-effective light until they are home and in their darkened bedroom for sleep

The green background to mark requirements for visual demanding tasks  
 The blue background to mark requirements with special importance of colour rendering.

# IEA SHC Subtask A reports

## A.1 User requirements

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## A.2 Use cases

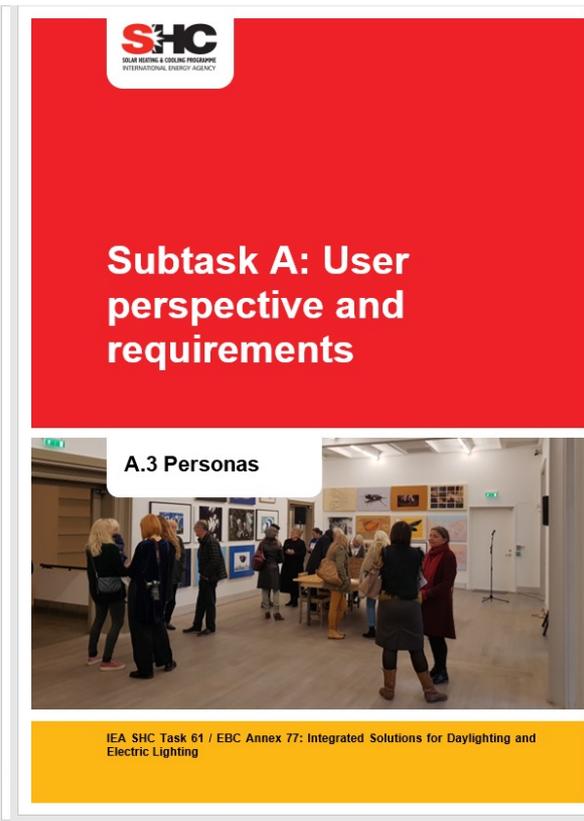
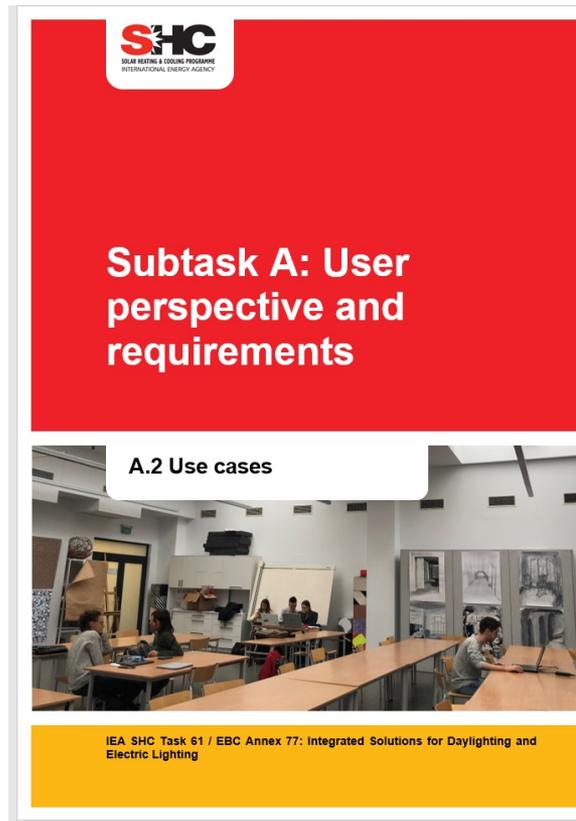
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## A.3 Personas

*In progress, to be finished in Summer*

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Visual environment in Home office**

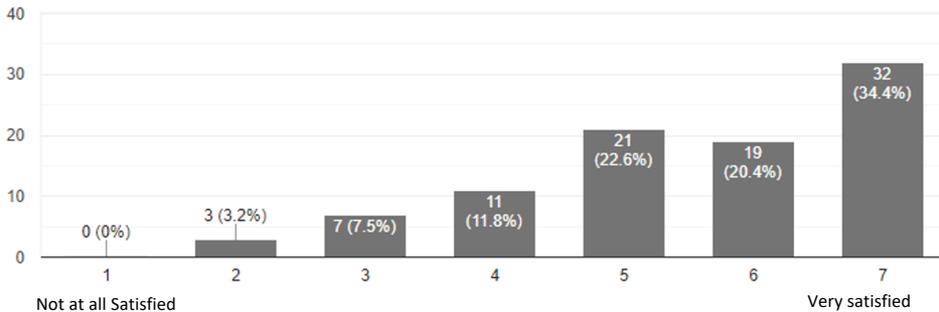
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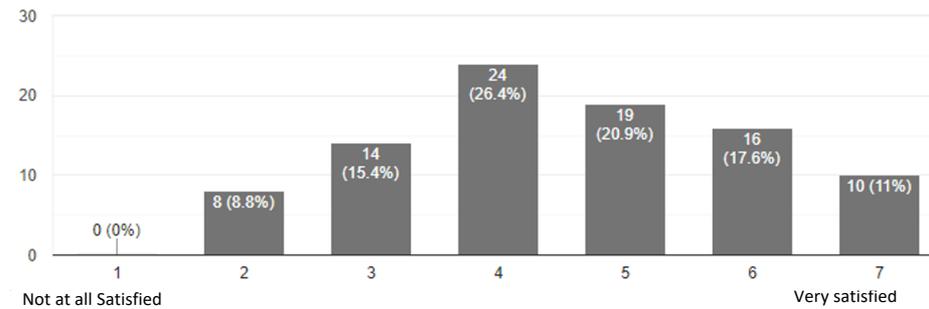
# Preliminary Home office results Brazil: Students

## LIGHTING CONDITION IN THE WHOLE HOME OFFICE ROOM NOW

### Satisfaction with daylight?

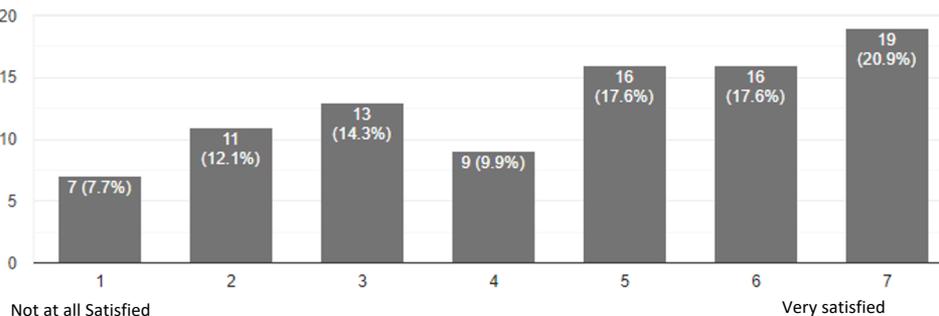


### Satisfaction with electrical lighting?

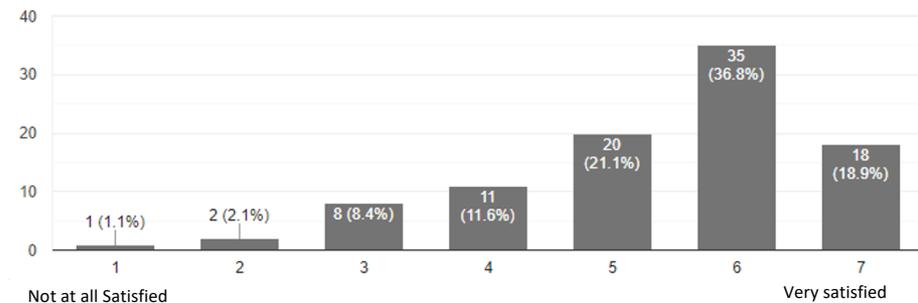


Less satisfaction with both day and electric light, view and general light level when compared with professionals (no exclusive room for home office can explain this?)

### Satisfaction with external view from window?



### Satisfaction with the general light level in the room?



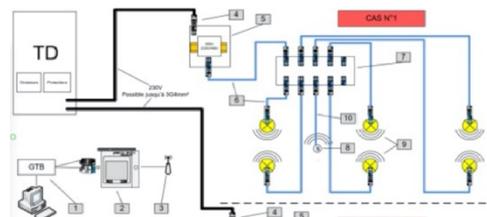
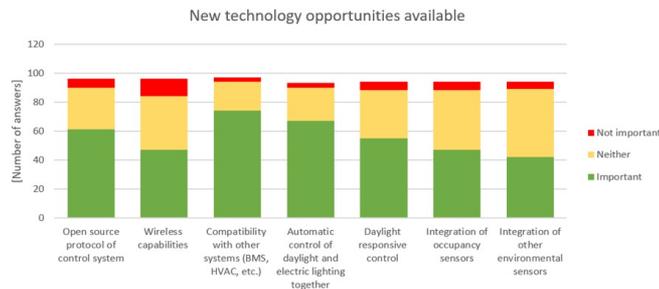
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## Integration and optimization of day- and electric lighting

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Identify the promising technical solutions to offer optimal control of lighting and daylighting components, with respect to minimum use of lighting electricity, maximum satisfaction of users, most attractive user interface (users and facility managers)



Source: ZigBeeAlliance

Figure 7: Answers from new technology opportunities available.

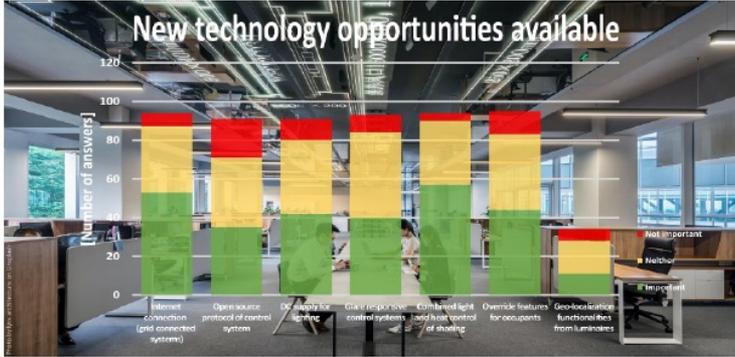
# Survey on opportunities and barriers in lighting controls



## Survey on opportunities and barriers in lighting controls

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### New technology opportunities available



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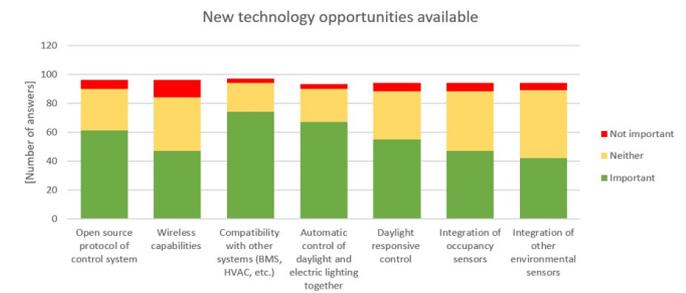


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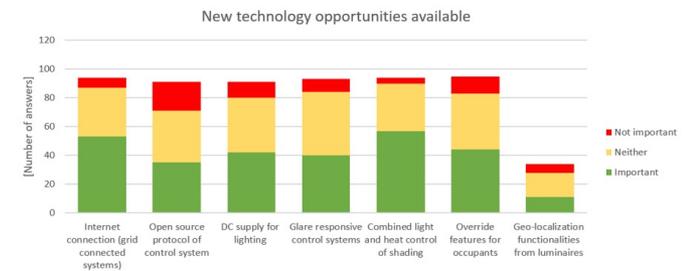


Figure 8: Answers from new technology opportunities available.

# Review of lighting and daylight control systems



## Review of lighting and daylighting control systems

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# User Interfaces



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## User Interfaces



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- Categories: analog, digital, hybrid
- Components
- Trends
- Link to energy savings
- Combined control of lighting and daylighting
- Consequence on possible occupant satisfaction



Figure 4 Examples of wireless analog controllers that are connected to the combined network. From left: IKEA TRADFRI remote, Philips HUE On/Off/Scene select remote with dimmer, Philips Smart Button with 4 programmable buttons.

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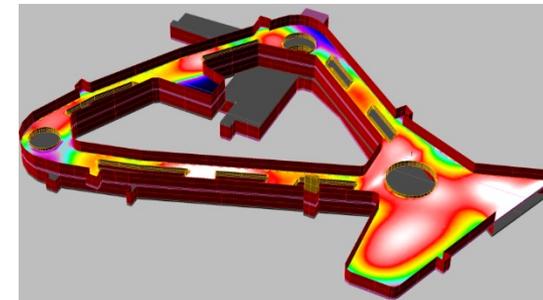
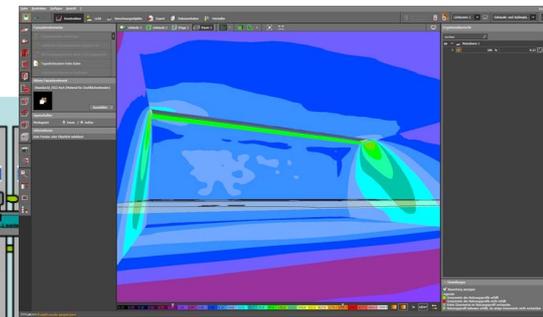
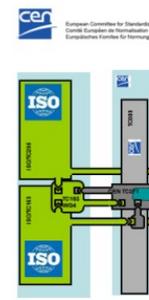
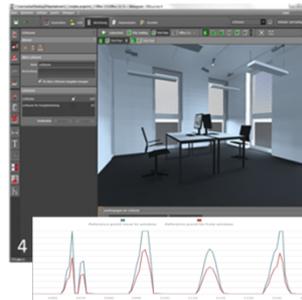
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## Design Support for practitioners

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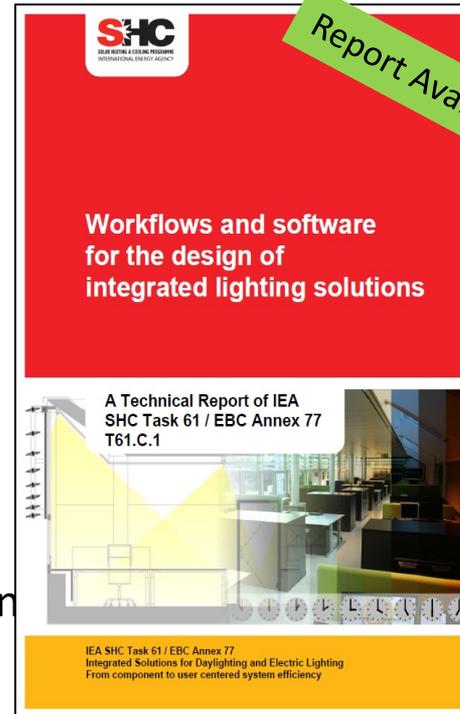


Focus on the application of technical innovations in the field of integrated lighting solutions in practitioners' workflows. Bring findings onto the desktops of designers by integration into widely used software tools, standards and codes, and design guidelines.



# Workflows and software for the design of integrated lighting solution

- Example Design projects
  - Bartenbach Design office
  - DIAL Corporate Building
  - CABR NZEB Office Building
- Evaluation of design workflows as applied in 6 different design companies
- Review of standardized workflows
- Comparison of 12 simulation software engines



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# Façade Photometry: Standardization of BSDF daylight system requirements

- **Whitepaper** on BSDF data generation for daylighting systems as basis for standardization.

Which

- angular resolution,
  - characterization, and
  - generation method
- for which system and application.

- **BSDF round robin test / quality check:** Measurements in 9 labs on venetian blind system and fabric screen and comparison of datasets in simulation.

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## BSDF generation procedures for daylighting systems

White paper

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**Table 1: Symmetry**

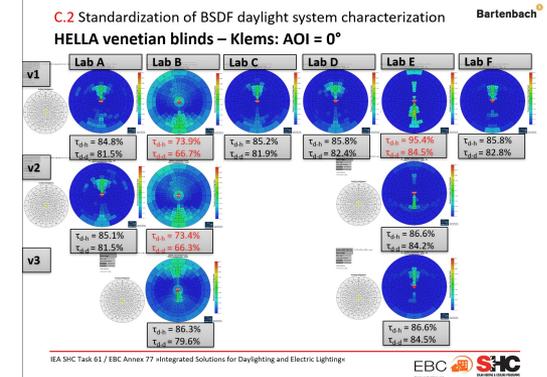
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**Table 2: Symmetry**

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**Table 3: Comparison of simulation methods and proposed system characterization models.**

Example simulation method	Proposed system characterization (model or BSDF resolution)
Radiating with continuous sky model, possibly medium	Geometry or Low-resolution BSDF
Radiating with continuous sky model	Geometry or Low-resolution BSDF
Radiating with continuous sky model, BSDF peak extraction	High-resolution BSDF or Low-resolution BSDF (with peak extraction)
Radiating with continuous sky model, BSDF peak extraction	High-resolution BSDF or Low-resolution BSDF if peak extraction
DC-method (static systems) or 3FM	Low-resolution BSDF
BSDF peak extraction	Low-resolution BSDF for 3FM part and: i. Low-resolution BSDF with Geometry or ii. High-resolution BSDF or iii. Low-resolution BSDF only if peak extraction for accurate direct contribution



# Spectral sky models

- For later inclusion of spectral characteristics / colour of daylight in the design process and tools
- Data from different location (Berlin, Beijing, Singapore, Bratislava, ...)
- Supplementation of the current sky models with spatial color temperature information.

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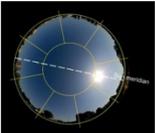
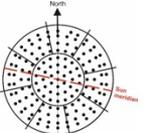



Figure 11: Fisheye picture overlaid by the sector mask.

Figure 12: Location of 145 Tregenza point grid (dots) in proposed segments.

Table 7: Number of measuring points in sectors used in example in Figure 12

Sector	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Zenith	Sum
Number of measuring points	14	12	14	14	14	14	12	14	37	145

There are three significant colour changes of atmosphere during a day, i.e. - during and after sunrise in the early morning, - during a day and - in the late afternoon before and during sunset. It can assume, that characteristic sky CCT occurs:

- in the early morning when  $\gamma_s < 15^\circ$ ,
- during a day for situations with solar altitude  $\gamma_s > 15^\circ$
- in the late evening when  $\gamma_s < 15^\circ$ .

The clear sky conditions offer study of azimuthal and elevation influences on the spectral light distribution on the hemisphere. The ISO 15469:2004(E)/CIE S 011/E:2003 (CIE 2003) with its parameterization offers method for classification of the sky luminance distribution.

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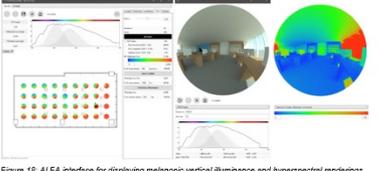


Figure 18: ALFA interface for displaying melanopic vertical illuminance and hyperspectral renderings.



**Spectral sky models for advanced daylight simulations**

A Technical Report of IEA SHC Task 61 / EBC Annex 77 Subtask C3



IEA SHC Task 61 / EBC Annex 77: Integrated Solutions for Daylighting and Electric Lighting

# Hourly based energy rating of integrated solutions

The image shows the cover of a report. At the top left is the SHC logo (Solar Heating & Cooling Programme, International Energy Agency). A yellow diagonal banner reads 'Report available Summer/2021'. The main title is 'Hourly Rating Method for the Energy Demand of Integrated Lighting Solutions'. Below the title is a heatmap showing daylight measure [%] over 24 hours for each month from Jan to Dez. The x-axis is 'Daytime[h]' (0-24) and the y-axis is 'Daylight measure[%]' (0-100). A color scale at the bottom indicates daylight measure from 0 (dark blue) to 100 (red). At the bottom of the cover, it says 'IEA SHC Task 61 / EBC Annex 77: Integrated Solutions for Daylighting and Electric Lighting'.

IEA SHC Task 61 / EBC Annex 77 „Integrated solutions for daylight and electric lighting“

# Hourly based energy rating of integrated solutions

## Standardization

- Matched to hourly approaches in other trades (building skin, HVAC)
- Replacement for / addition to established annual methods
- ISO TC 274 “Light and Lighting”  
**Extension of ISO 10916**
- Emulation / BACS oriented structure
- Simple web based tool with GUI for testing and learning

**ISO** N 615

**Form 6: Result of voting on New Work Item Proposal**

Date: 2020-06-24	ISO/TC 274 N 615
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To be completed by the secretariat and sent to the ISO Central Secretariat and to all P- and O-members of the TC or SC concerned, with a copy to the TC secretariat in the case of a subcommittee.

**Please attach the results of the NWP ballot from CIB to this form**

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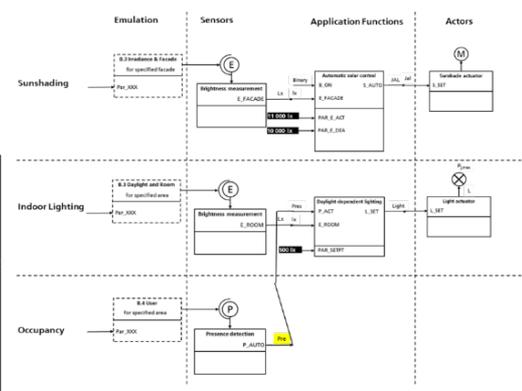
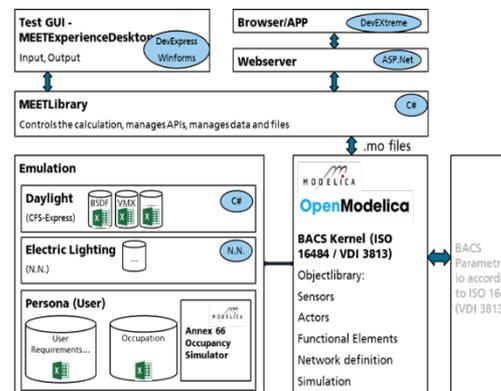
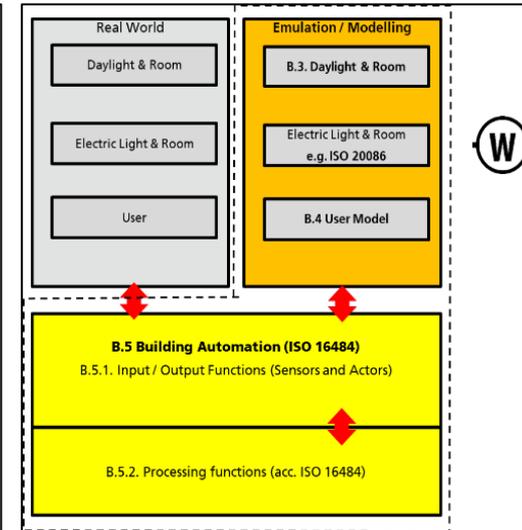
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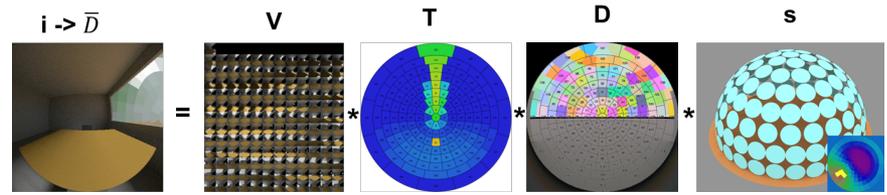
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**Results (the compilation of results is given as an annex)**  
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- Approval by a 2/3 majority of the voting P-members; and
- a commitment to participate actively in the development of the project by at least 4 P-members in committees with 16 or less P-members and at least 5 P-members in committees with 17 or more P-members (r ISO/IEC Directives, Part 1 clause 2.3.5) and have nominated an expert
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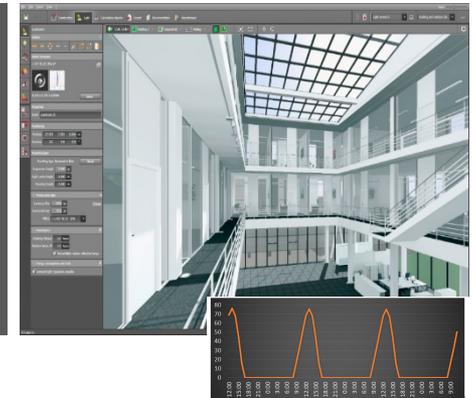
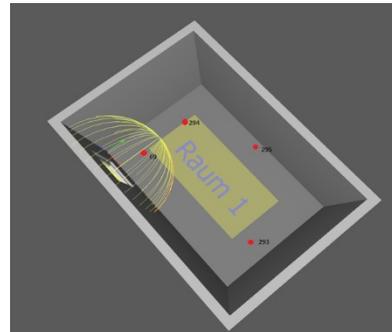
# Hourly based energy rating of integrated solutions



## DIALux Evo Integration

- BSDF Façade modelling
- Integration of daylight calculation (“3-Phase method”)
- User journey:
  - “Energy Tachometer”,
  - “Guided tour”
  - with design advice

DIALux



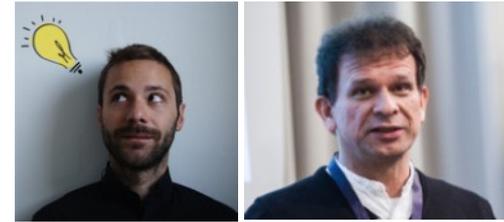
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The screenshot displays the DIALux evo 10.0 software interface. The main window shows a 3D perspective view of a room with a floor plan, walls, and ceiling. The room contains several rectangular fixtures, likely representing lighting or HVAC units. A central orange gear icon with a plus sign is visible on the floor plan, indicating a settings or configuration point. The interface includes a top menu bar with options like File, Edit, Insert, View, and a toolbar with various icons. On the left side, there is a sidebar with several panels: 'Energiesparen' (Energy Saving) showing 'aktuell 430 kWh' and 'Einsparpotential' (Saving Potential) with a range from 0 to 430 kWh/a; 'Projektinformationen' (Project Information); 'Nutzungsprofil' (Usage Profile); 'Energiesparstrategie' (Energy Saving Strategy); 'Aktuelle Ergebnisse' (Current Results); 'Einstellungen' (Settings); and 'Tipps' (Tips) with advice on selecting usage profiles and using daylight. The bottom right corner of the main window features the 'DIALux' logo. The status bar at the bottom indicates '0 new messages'.

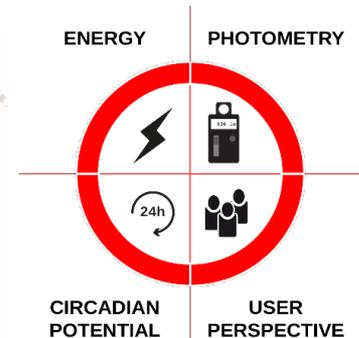
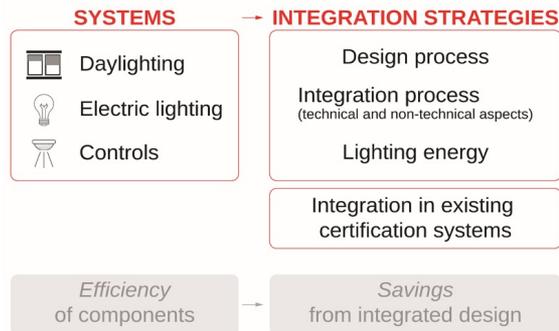
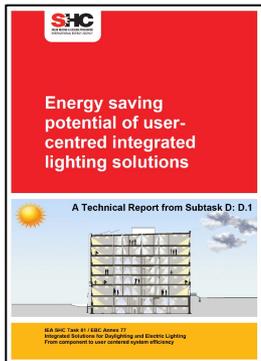
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## Lab and Field Study Performance Tracking

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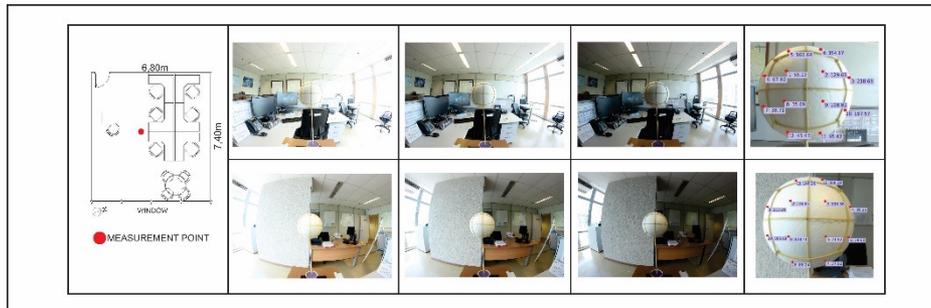
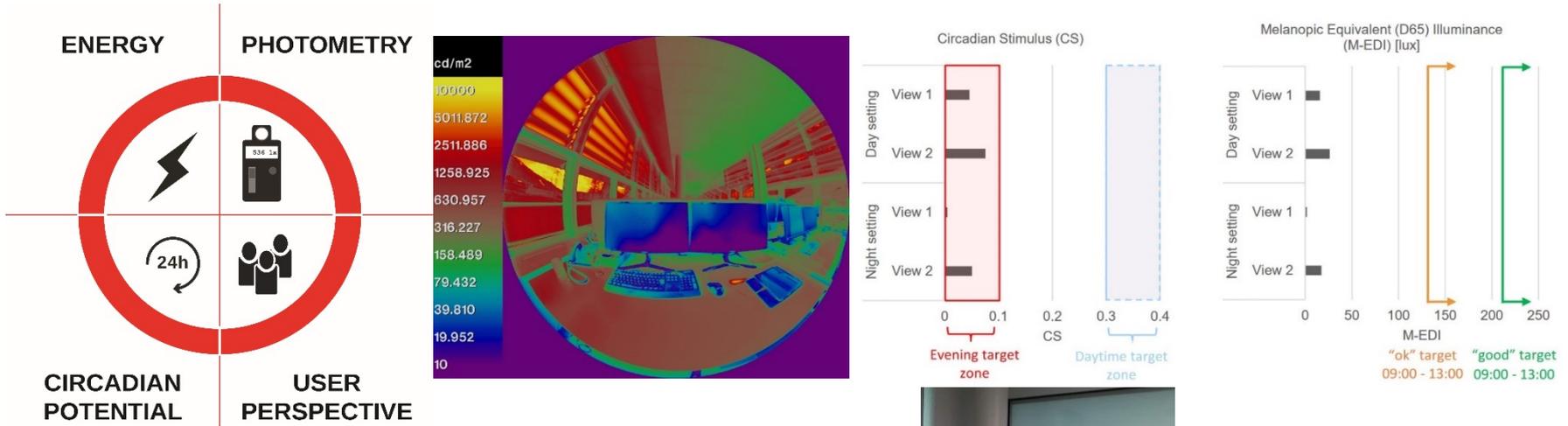


Demonstrate and assess typically applied concepts for integrated daylighting and electric lighting design by medium-term experiments in live-labs, supplemented by short-term investigations in controlled research laboratory environments, as well as performance tracking in “real” field studies.



# Lab and Field Study Performance Tracking

## Monitoring Protocol



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## Integrated design for daylight and electric lighting in Olympic competition venue



ETFE inflatable pillow, daylight lighting in National Aquatics Center

In National Aquatics Center (NAC), better lighting in the competition area. Combined with high power LED and intelligent control lighting system, this venue improves the race experience for athletes and meets the requirements for various competition modes in winter and summer.

### The project

The National Aquatics Center (NAC), better known as "Water Cube" will serve as a curling site of the 2022 Winter Olympics in Beijing & Zhang jia kou, and the original system is used for aquatics, such as synchronized swimming. The retro lighting system needs to be considered simultaneously for ice sports and aquatics in winter. The lighting system also needs to adapt to the requirements of athletes to achieve energy saving and efficient operation in Beijing, which has abundant natural light sources (Fig 2 and Fig 3). In this project, daylighting and lighting design

The building envelope of the "Water Cube" is an ETFE inflatable pillow, and the interior is sufficiently lit. The average daylight



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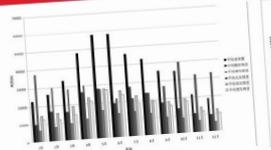


Figure 2. Annual illuminance distribution in Beijing.

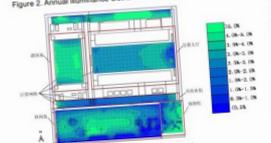


Figure 4. Distribution of Daylight Factor in the NAC during the curling mode.

Table 1. Test results for the lighting in the curling mode.

Test items	Value	Standard
Average Horizontal of illuminance	496 lx	
Minimum illuminance of main camera	13.1	12.2
Vertical minimum illuminance (A)	13.2	10.1
Vertical minimum illuminance (B)		5490 K
Vertical minimum illuminance (C)		92
Vertical minimum illuminance (D)		66
Average Horizontal of illuminance of the audience		94
Average vertical illuminance of the auditorium		
Glare index		>85
Glare index to the camera		
Correlated color temperature $T_c$		
Color rendering index $R_a$		
Special color rendering index $R_s$		
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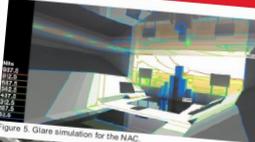


Figure 5. Glare simulation for the NAC.



Figure 6. Glare control at NAC.

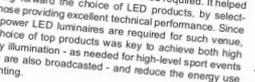


Figure 7. Demonstration after renovation.

The lighting scheme here presented is used for the curling hall of the Winter Olympics. The hall has a height of 30 meters. After the renovation, the lighting can not only meet the requirements of curling competitions of the Winter Olympics, but also meet the requirements of the high-definition TV broadcast of swimming and diving competitions after the Games.

We use DMX512 system, constant current technology, for lighting control. During each type of competition, each channel, which can achieve 5%-100% dimming. Considering the characteristics of harmonic control and LED is controlled at about 15%. Switching between different types of matches can still be done using the switch mode.

### Monitoring Energy

Lighting energy saving is not only reflected in the system efficiency of LED luminaires, but also very important in actual operation. The actual operation and usage mode of the control scheme have a very important influence on lighting energy consumption.



Figure 8. Lighting layout.

Compared with Chinese standard JGJ 153, lighting power density in swimming mode is 290 W/m<sup>2</sup> (Height is 25 m to 30 m), and the lighting total power in actual modified mode is 217.6 kW, with the lighting power density to be 174 W/m<sup>2</sup>, which corresponds to energy saving of about 40%. Considering the accurate control of LED luminaires, there will be an extra 20% power reduction, which means the overall energy saving is more than 60% compared to the standard.

Referring to current operating mode, we can set the running time as 200 hours per year in curling mode and swimming mode, 300 hours per year in diving mode. If support the average load is 50%, annual energy consumption of the modified site lighting system is about 60 000 kWh.

### Photometry

From December 1 to December 11, 2019, before and after the junior open curling competition, the research group conducted a comprehensive test on the lighting environment of the curling arena.

The research group selected two modes of curling for the test, and the test results are shown in the Table 1. It can be seen that all the indicators meet the requirements of Chinese standards and OBS. Figure 9 shows the

## Integrated design for daylight and electric lighting in Olympic competition venue



Figure 9. Site inspection during the measurement campaign.

### Circadian potential

In this project, circadian potential has not been considered.

### User perspective

Athletes and visitors are satisfied with the luminous environment, especially interested in the introduction of natural light into the venue. They feel happier and more active.

### Lessons learned

Daylighting serves not only an energy-saving strategy, but also an important factor for luminous environment promotion. For high-level competition venue, which requires to avoid the effects of light fluctuations, which requires to experience, the introduction of natural light could make people happier and more active. The daylighting strategy for high-level competition venue should be reconsidered.

For ice sports, LED luminaires have more advantages than other sources, due to less thermal radiation, more efficiency and easier commissioning.

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# Lab and Field Study Performance Tracking

## Daylighting integration is an asset for the retail sector



Generous windows, daylight harvesting and Human-Centric LED Lighting in the pilot project IKEA Kaarst store

At IKEA Kaarst daylight was brought into the exhibition area. This, combined with clever integration of electric lighting, has improved the shopping experience for customers and left the mark on a bunch of enthusiastic employees.



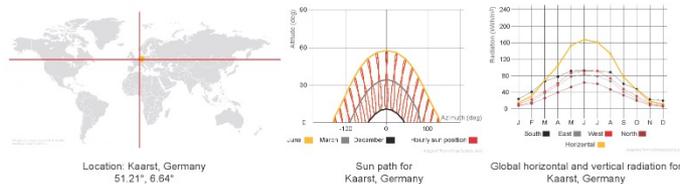
Figure 1. The IKEA shop in Kaarst as seen from the outside. The windows in the living room exhibition area can be seen at the top of the first flight of stairs.

### The project

When you arrive at IKEA Kaarst, the feeling is that you are in front of yet another "blue-box" store of the famous furniture chain. But it is when you walk-in that the magic happens. In the "living room" exhibition area, large west-facing windows allows the afternoon sun illuminating sofas and tables (Fig. 2); the electric lighting is provided by LED luminaires dimmed with a daylight harvesting sensor (DHS), and a number of ceiling spot lamps. After walking through various departments, you will end up in the "home decoration" area, where fully-glazed windows provide most of the illumination and a most-welcomed connection to the outdoors; there, the electric lighting relies on traditional halogen spotlamps plus a proof-of-concept Human-Centric Lighting (HCL) consisting of LED panels with colour tuning. The light CCT changes overtime according to a predefined schedule which is intended to mimic daylight (Fig. 2).

### Monitoring

The site was first visited in February 2019, and then monitored for two weeks, slightly before the spring equinox. The field monitoring provided valuable insights as well as material to produce additional computer simulations. The simulations were used to evaluate daylight indicators such as the Daylight Autonomy (DA) or the Daylight Glare



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## Switchable windows demonstrated to provide increased view in offices



Transparent electrochromic windows increase user options for tuning their environment to satisfy personal preferences for daylight, view, and comfort

Low-emittance windows were replaced with variable-tint, electrochromic windows in forty private offices. 85% of the occupants preferred the electrochromic windows, citing increased view and visual comfort.

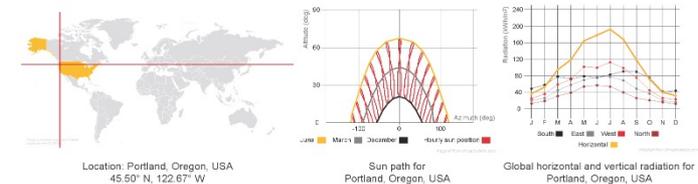


Figure 1. Exterior facade of the monitored commercial office building.

### The project

The environment next to windows is the most variable of all areas in a building and yet is the most desirable due to proximity to outdoor views and natural light. Switchable electrochromic (EC) windows can temper broad fluctuations in solar radiation and daylight by modulating tint levels between clear and darkly coloured states based on a dimming signal from automatic or manually operated controls. With adequate control, the windows can reduce heating, cooling, and lighting energy use in buildings and provide daylight and transparent views to the outdoors. To better understand user satisfaction with this novel technology, a monitored demonstration of the technology was conducted on two floors of an eight-story, 29,000 m<sup>2</sup> office building (vintage 1953) in Portland, where EC windows were installed on the south facade (Fig. 1-3). The EC windows were controlled automatically to meet solar control, daylight, glare, and view requirements of office

workers. The tint level could be manually overridden by the occupant at any time. Performance was compared to existing office conditions, i.e., dark tinted, dual-pane, low-emittance windows. Both the EC test and low-e reference



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## LED lighting for improving well-being in a psychiatric hospital – A first look



A simple solution with separate day and night lighting systems, attempts to provide better experiences for staff and patients

At Slagelse Psychiatric Hospital, they apply a simple strategy in an attempt to improve the well-being of staff and patients. In patient rooms, daylight and three downlights with a warm colour appearance provide sufficient light during the day. At night, two downlights reduce light levels and colour temperature to help create a calmer atmosphere.

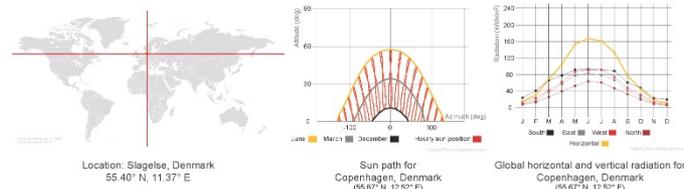
### The project

Completed in 2015, Slagelse Psychiatric Hospital (Fig. 1) is one of the largest psychiatric facilities in Denmark. The building's 44,000 m<sup>2</sup> floor area includes general and high-security wards, as well as training and research facilities. It was designed as a network of clusters with good connections between the different functions of the hospital. It achieved a silver rating in the Danish DGNB green building certification system that was first established in Germany in 2008. The lighting designers planned an extremely simple lighting design strategy in an attempt to provide better health and well-being for both patients and staff. An LED lighting system consisting of two separate circuits of luminaires was installed in the patient bedrooms and other areas of the hospital. The focus of this case study is on the patient bedrooms (Figs. 2 and 3). During the day,



Figure 1. Psychiatric Hospital in Slagelse, Denmark: Exterior (top left), inner courtyard (bottom left) and corridor in patient ward (right) under partly overcast sky on 26 February 2020

daylight is supplemented by three LED downlights with a correlated colour temperature (CCT) of around 2700 K providing an additional average illuminance of 250 lux on top of the daylight levels. At night, only two LED downlights in positions different from those operating during the day provide an average illuminance of just above 100 lux at a CCT of around 2000 K (measurements varied between 1750 K and 2200 K). Average daylight factor levels (DF) in the patient bedrooms are between 2 and 3 percent. A wall-mounted orientation light is installed adjacent to the base



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## Office space with light-emitting structures in upper part of the façade



Large-scale micro-optical panels were integrated into the upper part of a façade. The lower part is operated with venetian blinds for sun and glare protection.

At the Fraunhofer IBP in Stuttgart, large scale light-emitting panels were integrated into glazing units and integrated into the upper part of the façade of a lab room. The evaluation of the performance of the lighting conditions and the energy related parameters were compared to a second identical room, with conventional lighting.

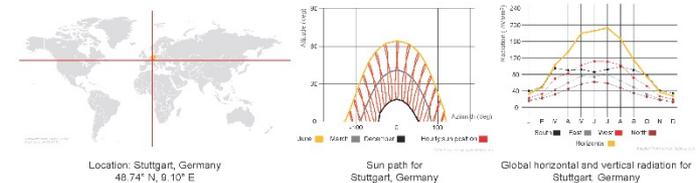


Figure 1. The lab room seen from the inside. The light-emitting structures are placed on the top part of the windows and provide illumination to the room interior.

### The project

This case study is part of a bigger project called TaLed, which was funded by the Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy (BMWi) (Project Management Jülich). The main purpose of TaLed was to improve the energy efficiency, life cycle balances and indoor comfort by employing micro-structured optical components for daylighting and electrical lighting. For this case study, a micro-optical structure, namely - Light-emitting structures, have been optimized for redirecting glare-free artificial light deeply into the building interior. The structure is placed on the surface of transparent substrates, which emit laterally injected LED light on one side only. In this use case, large

scale micro-optical panels were integrated into glazing units and placed into the upper part of the façade of a lab room at FHG-IBP (Figure 1). On the lower part of the window a standard venetian blind is being operated for sun and glare protection. To evaluate system performance the lighting conditions and the energy related parameters are compared to a second identical room, which has



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# Lab and Field Study Performance Tracking

## Light and shadows in an Amazon building



Challenges to integrate daylight and solar protection elements in an iconic building of the Brazilian modernism

In a representative Amazon building daylight use and solar control elements are examined. Occupants are satisfied with the indoor space, despite some changes done to the original design. Computational simulations suggested good daylighting design overall, with little risk for glare occurrence, as in the intention of the original design.



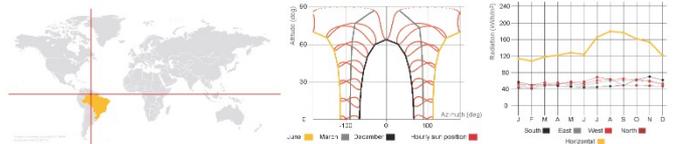
Figure 1 Forum Sobral Pinto building

### The project

Forum Sobral Pinto (Figure 1) is an important building in Boa Vista City, capital of Roraima state, extreme North of Brazil. Located close to Equator line, immersed in Amazon Forest, the place serves to the local judiciary authority. The Forum Sobral Pinto was built in 1979, designed by Severiano Mário Porto - an icon of Brazilian modernism architecture -, internationally recognized as the "architect of the Forest" or the "architect of the Amazon". Elected man of the year by the French magazine *L'Architecture d'Aujourd'hui* in 1987, he developed in the Amazon a design with its own identity, using resources such as integration and use of local bioclimatic potential, with focus on cost optimization, renewable materials, and regional techniques. In the Forum Sobral Pinto building, Severiano

Mário Porto applied bioclimatic strategies – like fixed solar shading elements - with impressive quality, while the limited depth of the building still allowed for abundant daylight penetration.

The building has an area of 5686 m<sup>2</sup> distributed in four floors (including an underground one). All the windows are oriented Northeast and Southwest, with fixed concrete elements used as solar shading (Figure 2). Originally, these windows had a single glass, but solar and light control films were added later for privacy and security. The windows films are of smoked type, with 50% of light transmittance. Such modification represents a major change in the original daylighting design by Severiano Mário Porto.



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## Lighting at the heart of an integrated building control system



Integrated lighting solutions enable biologically active lighting in the glare-free Living Lab in the Bartenbach R&D building

In the Bartenbach R&D building a high level of daylight integration is realized while maintaining glare and heat protection. In combination with workstation-zoned LED lighting with color temperature and intensity control adapted to the time of day, the occupants experience a lighting environment that provides both visual comfort and biologically activating effects satisfying individual preferences. To exploit the energy effects of integral concepts, the heating and ventilation trades are also controlled in addition to the daylight and artificial lighting trades.

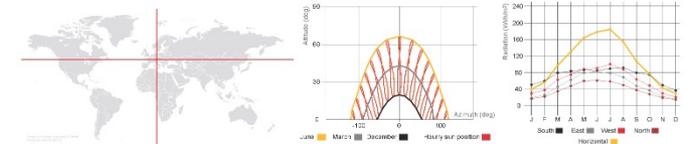


Figure 1 Careful daylighting design is integrated with CCT tuning at the Bartenbach headquarter in Aldrans, Austria

### The project

Upon entering the R&D office building of Bartenbach, the large, south facing windows together with north-oriented skylights are identified as prominent feature, ensuring a high daylight level in the office. 200 m<sup>2</sup> of office space are divided into an open-plan office, two individual offices and a meeting room (Fig. 2). To avoid disruptive effects of direct sunlight on the workplaces, external static daylight deflecting louvres are installed, the size and spacing of which were specially arranged and dimensioned for the

geographical location of the building. The electrical lighting of the workplaces and transit zones is equipped with ceiling-integrated LED lighting system realized with patented freeform surface reflectors developed by Bartenbach. With the artificial lighting, glare-free illumination of the workplaces is ensured by means of longitudinal glare control and asymmetrical beam characteristics. In addition, the luminaire arrangement provides uniform illumination of the workstations and prevents the user from shading the work surface. Via illuminance sensors and passive infrared sensors, the artificial light is automatically switched or



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# Lab and Field Study Performance Tracking

## Lessons learned

- **24 case studies** provided as factsheets for a wide audience
- **Energy use is reduced by a factor a four** compared to current installations (5 kWh/m<sup>2</sup>a vs 20 kWh/m<sup>2</sup>a for offices) thanks to re-lamping, re-commissioning shading/lighting systems (including training and fine tuning), and controls
- Systems eliciting circadian response (**dynamic dimming and color tuning**) are **very popular** and appreciated by users
- However, there is a **risk of energy rebound associated with these systems**
  - They are designed for electric lighting conditions only (no daylighting integration!)
  - They must deliver around 1500 lx on the horizontal to elicit some response at vertical eye position
  - Low efficiency LED are often used (80 lm/W or so)
- **View out is a determinant factor** for appreciation; view out ≠ daylight > openings with different purposes are proposed (e.g. top part for daylight, bottom section for view out)
- **The occupant saves energy**, not the system: training, education, fine tuning!

# Daylighting of Non-Residential Buildings

## Position Paper

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The lack of advanced energy calculation and rating method impedes the design of innovative lighting installations integrating daylighting into "Human Centric Lighting" and "Smart & connected Light" concepts.

### Actions Needed

The following actions by governmental, non-governmental organization ("NGO") and private entities could significantly drive this market up.

#### Governments

- *Daylight as "renewable energy source"*: Recognition of daylight – which can be sufficiently quantified as an offset for electric lighting – as a "renewable energy source" included for instance in subsidy programs as a known from other market sectors (PV, wind, etc.).
- *Revision of ordinances*: Revision of ordinances to demand the incorporation of technically working and economically advantageous daylighting solutions:
  - *Floor plans/architecture*: Where not yet implemented, specification of a minimal ratio of window to floor area of spaces (for instance in central Europe between 1/8 – 1/10). Specifications for minimum view out.
  - *Façade technology*: Inclusion of light redirection technologies in the façade. Selection of daylighting supportive combinations of glazing and sunshading/glare protection devices.
  - *Building Management Systems*: Usage of daylight dependent electric lighting controls. Control of sunshading/glare protection dependent on indoor space occupancy sensing (visual comfort driven when occupied, solar gain driven when unoccupied: i.e., maximum gains in winter, minimum in summer).

#### NGOs and private public partnerships

- *Sustainability certificates*: Use sustainability certificates to promote daylighting. Introduce daylighting if not included yet or revisit existing older certificates and update.
- *Memoranda of understanding of key players in the market*: Agreement on reduction goal for lighting energy consumption with a fixed time horizon. Daylight will have to play a key role in this. A recent Swiss initiative to reduce by half the energy consumption for lighting by 2025 could serve as a template, [https://www.minergie.ch/media/mm\\_minergie\\_licht\\_2018\\_20180913\\_1.pdf](https://www.minergie.ch/media/mm_minergie_licht_2018_20180913_1.pdf)

#### Private sector (design, industry)

- *Design process*: Introduction of processes ensuring certain daylight quality levels (e.g., by parametric, automated design tools). Deployment of concepts from new daylighting standards like EN 17037 "Daylight of Buildings."
- *Design tools*: Establishment of more refined rating methods in standards and design tools supporting new product features and integrated building management.
- *Integrating day- and electric lighting*: Better integration of daylighting and electric lighting in a holistic lighting design approach is an important lever for increasing efficiency and better matching lighting to the user's needs (refer also to <http://task61.iea-shc.org/>)



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