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### LoT-NET: WP4

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## WP4: Determine key end use and business requirements for timely adoption

#### WP4.1: Understanding household priorities [LDS Year 2]

Determine what a low-temperature network needs to deliver to users, including service requirements such as comfort, hygiene, affordability and barriers / enablers

#### WP4.2: From user requirements into technology design [LDS Year 2-3]

Identify user requirements to inform technology development and design

#### WP4.3: Consumer engagement with low carbon heating and cooling

[LDS Year2-3]

Determine information provision to assist consumers in their engagement with low-temperature heating and cooling systems and how this might impact on demand shifting

#### WP4.4: Energy transitions and competing for investment [WBS Year 1, 4]

Low temperature networks as competing investments in the energy transition

#### WP4.5: Low temp heat networks as an innovation system [WBS Year 2-4]

Assessing market penetration for low temperature networks as an innovation system requiring the cooperation and participation of a network of organisations along with policy and regulatory frameworks, standards and skills development.



# WP4.4: Energy transitions and competing for investment

- Low temperature networks are in competition for investment against other choices for energy supply, storage and consumption
- There could be a shift on the following spectra:

Incremental	 Exponential
Supply focus	 Consumption & storage focus
Large, centralised	 Distributed
Technologies	 Systems
Power	 Heating & Cooling
Unhealthy	 Healthy
Rules	 Principles
Not very smart	 Much smarter
Markets	 Governments



# 2017 Capital investment in the supply and use of energy

Global Capital Investment in the Supply & Use of Energy (\$1.8Tn in 2017)

Electricity			Oil and gas supply	Energy efficiency		ю	
				Buildings (+3%) 140			
			Upstream (+2%) 450	Transport (+11%)	Indu try	is-	
	Renewable generat	ion		60	35	0)	
Networks (+1%) (-7%) 303 298			Coal suppl	У	5) 20		
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Fossil fuel generation (-9%) 132	)	Nucle (-44%	Downstream (+4%) 266	(-13%) 79		RT&H	IEA, WEI (2018)



### Future global energy *supply* investment by sector in the IEA's New Policies Scenario, 2014-2035



OECD/IEA, WEIO 2014



# Future global energy *efficiency* investment by sector in the IEA's New Policies Scenario, 2014-



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# Current and forecast views of future investment in the more efficient use of energy

- In the IEA's 2018 WEI....
  - Actual investment in efficient energy use was 13% of total investment in 2017
- In the 2014 IEA WEO...
  - The proportion of investment in efficient use over 2014-2035 was forecast to be 17%
- In the 2015 IEA WEO...
  - The proportion of investment in efficient use over 2015-2040 was forecast to be 32%
- In the 2016 IEA WEO...
  - The proportion of investment in efficient use over 2016-2040 was forecast to be 35%
- In the 2017 IEA WEO...
  - The proportion of investment in efficient use over 2017-2040 is forecast to be 31%
- In the 2018 IEA WEO...
  - The proportion of investment in efficient use over 2018-2040 is forecast to be 30%















### And 1.5'C needs investment in efficient use to rise from 30-39%



Total investment in the Sustainable Development Scenario is only about 15% higher than in the New Policies Scenario, but there is a marked difference in capital allocation

Note: Other includes battery storage and carbon capture, utilisation and storage.



LoT-NET can also answer if low temp networks achieve more as systems than we currently forecast

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