Low Energy Buildings in Sweden

- Costs and benefits



Evaluation of Low Energy Buildings

- Energy Performance of Buildings Directive (2010/31/EU) 2020, all new buildings = Nearly Zero Energy Buildings
- Energy performance of a Swedish NZEB?

Government assignment 2014: Evaluation of low energy buildings



Evaluation of Low Energy Buildings

- 1) 2014 2015: Metering project I: Methodological and practical challenges Case study on 3 buildings.
- 2) 2016 2018: Metering project II: Data from 31 buildings (1-4 years)
 - Low energy building (25% better than requirements)?
 - Case study of 16 buildings
 - → Private economic assessment
 - → Socioeconomic assessment
- 3) 2019 2020 Continued metering by the Energy Agency



Case study – economic and socioeconomic assessment

- 16 buildings
- Private economic assessment
 NPV(Extra construction costs, Energy cost savings)
- Socioeconomic assessment
- + Value of avoided local air pollution
- + Value of avoided CO2 emissions
- + Value of improved / deteriorated indoor climate



Results

Economic efficiency in

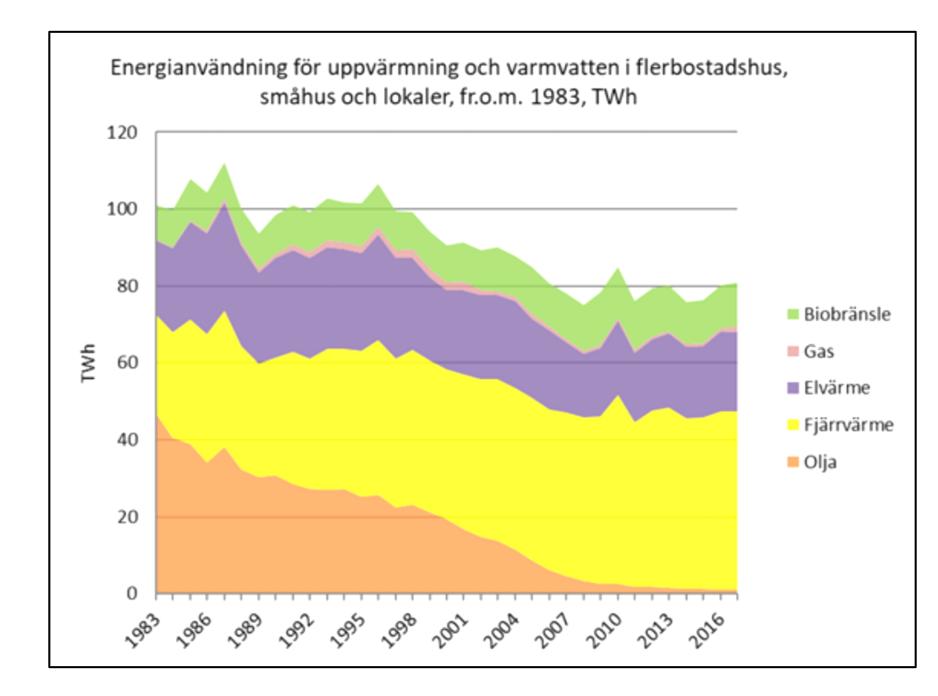
- 2 out of 4 Single family houses
- 6 out of 6 Apartment buildings
- 3 out of 6 Commercial buildings

Socioeconomic efficency

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Energy use in residential and service sector









Thank You!

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