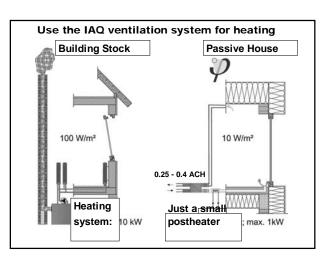


You always need fresh air

- indoor air pollutants:
 - humidity
 - CO₂ - VOC
 - Radon
- "natural ventilation": difficult, high thermal losses
- ventilation system required for IAQ infiltration is not sufficient, and modern buildings are too tight for infiltration alone to provide fresh air
- minimum ventilation rate 30 m³/h/pers for IAQ ventilation rate of approx. 0.4 ach for IAQ



Passive Houses - Definition 🐧

... heating (cooling...) with the ventilation system

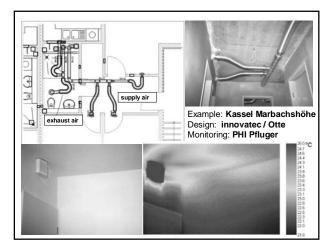
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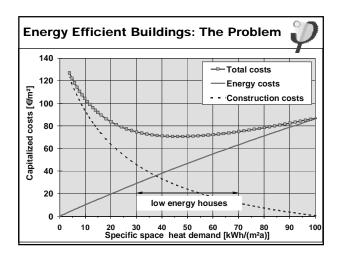
- minimum ventilation rate of 0.4 ac/h for IAQ
- that gives at least 1 m³/(m²h)
- maximum temperature postheater 50°C
 simple calculation:

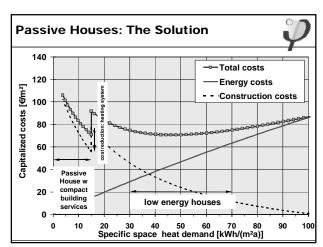
1 m³/(m²h) · (50 °C - 20 °C) · 0,33 Wh/(m³K)

= 10 W/m²

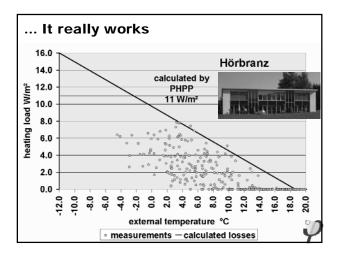
This power can be distributed by heating the supply air. The result holds for all residential buildings; it does no depend on the climate (but the specific solution will).

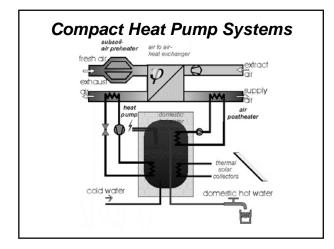


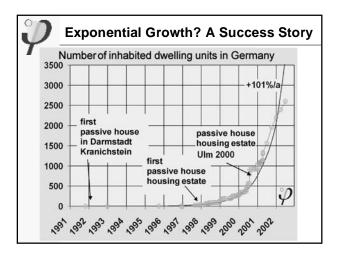




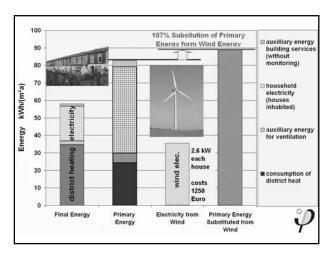


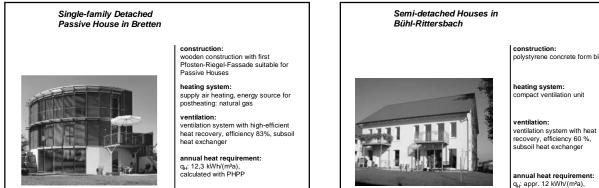










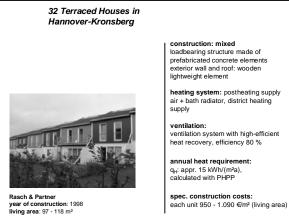


architecture: oehler + arch kom year of construction: 1998 living area: 165 m²

spec. construction costs: 280 €/m³ (solar construction, garage, balcony, porch roof) polystyrene concrete form blocks

heating system: compact ventilation unit

annual heat requirement: q_H: appr. 12 kWh/(m²a), calculated with PHPP



ventilation system with high-efficient

6 Terraced Houses in Batschuns (Vorarlberg/Austria)

architect: Walter Unterraine

year of construction: 1998

services: IBN-Ing.-Büro Naßwetter

living area: totally 780 m²

architect: Dipl.-Ing. Günter Früh / Lichtenau year of construction: 2001 living area: 198 m²

construction: solid 18 cm expanded clay and wooden elements with 18 cm PUR-insulation

heating system: supply air heating with air to air heat pump, each 5 m² solar collectors, 500 I hot water storage with additional electr. heating

ventilation. ventilation system with high-efficient heat recovery, efficiency appr. 85%, subsoil heat exchanger

annual heat requirement: q_H: 8 - 9,6 kWh/(m²a), simulated with Helios

spec construction costs: appr. 1.400 €/m² (WNF)

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Single-family Passive House Frastanz-Amerlügen (Vorarlberg / Austria)



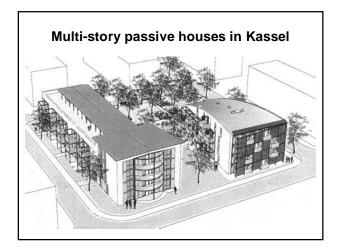
construction: solid 18 cm brick, thermal compound insulation system made of cork (35 cm), interior walls made of clay

heating system: supply air heating 17 m² collector, 3000 l storage, 500 l hot water tank

ventilation: ventilation system with high-efficient heat recovery, efficiency more than 75% (counterflow), subsoil heat exchanger

exchanger annual heat requirement: q_H: appr. 10 kWh/(m²a), simulated with TRNSYS

spec. construction costs: appr. 1.430 €/m² (living area)





Passive House - Office Buildung in Cölbe (Hessen)



architect: Christian Stamm/Stadtallendorf services: IGH GmbH/ Marburg building physics: PHI; measurement: Uni Marburg, supported by Solar Bau / BMBF year of construction: 1997/98 useful area: 2180 m² construction: mixed loadbearing structure made of reinforced concrete skeleton, exterior walls: wooden lightweight elements, roof: prefabricated wooden lightweight elements on glulam timber beam

heating system: supply air heating solar plant, additional heating: combined heating and power station

ventilation: ventilation system with high-efficient heat recovery, efficiency more than 80%, subsoil heat exchanger

annual heat requirement: q_H: appr. 14 kWh/(m²a), calculated with PHPP, measured result appr. 10 kWh/(m²a)

spec. construction costs: appr. 1.227 €/m² (useful area)

