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RENEWDAMMUSI  
*Renewable and energy  
efficient solutions for local  
dwellings dammusi*

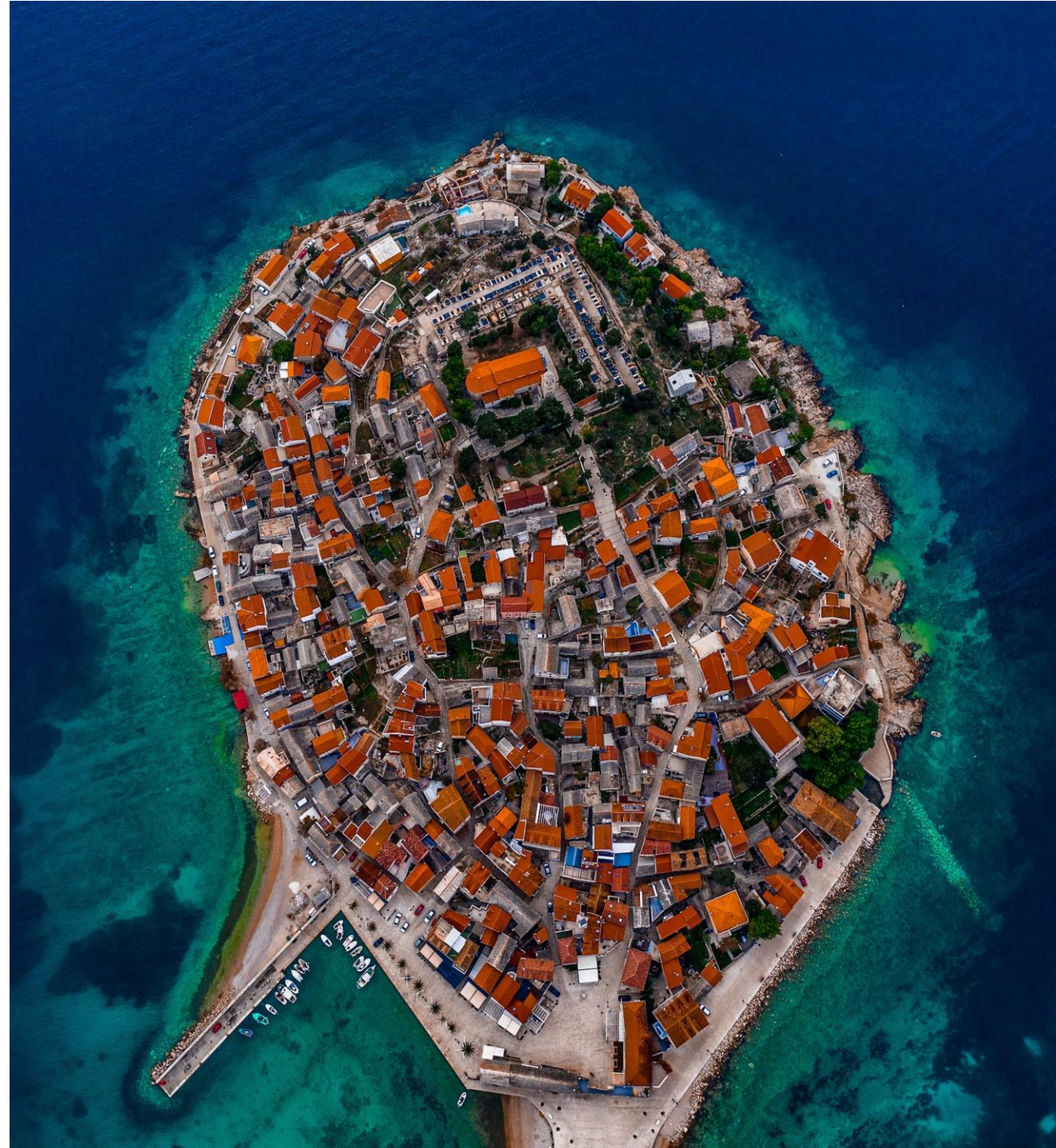
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# Introduction

TEBE-IEEM Research Group supported *Ente Parco Nazionale dell'Isola di Pantelleria* (PNIP) in developing RENEWDAMMUSI project.

RENEWDAMMUSI project aims to enable and encourage **the spread of renewable and energy efficient solutions** for typical local dwellings “dammusi” by proposing an innovative approach in the management of permitting procedures at the island scale.

The project engages institutional actors responsible of environmental and landscape permission procedures (PNIP and Superintendence for the cultural heritage) to define and discuss a set of **technical guidelines** to enable the implementation of energy efficiency actions on the public and private buildings of Pantelleria.



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# Methodology 1/2

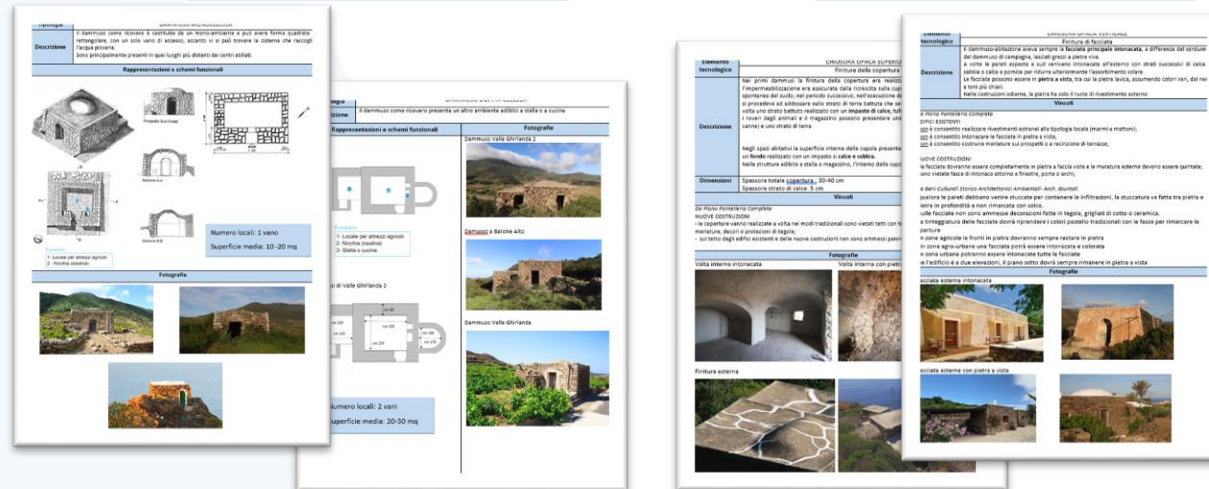
Investigation and description of dammusi building features

Definition of dammusi building archetypes

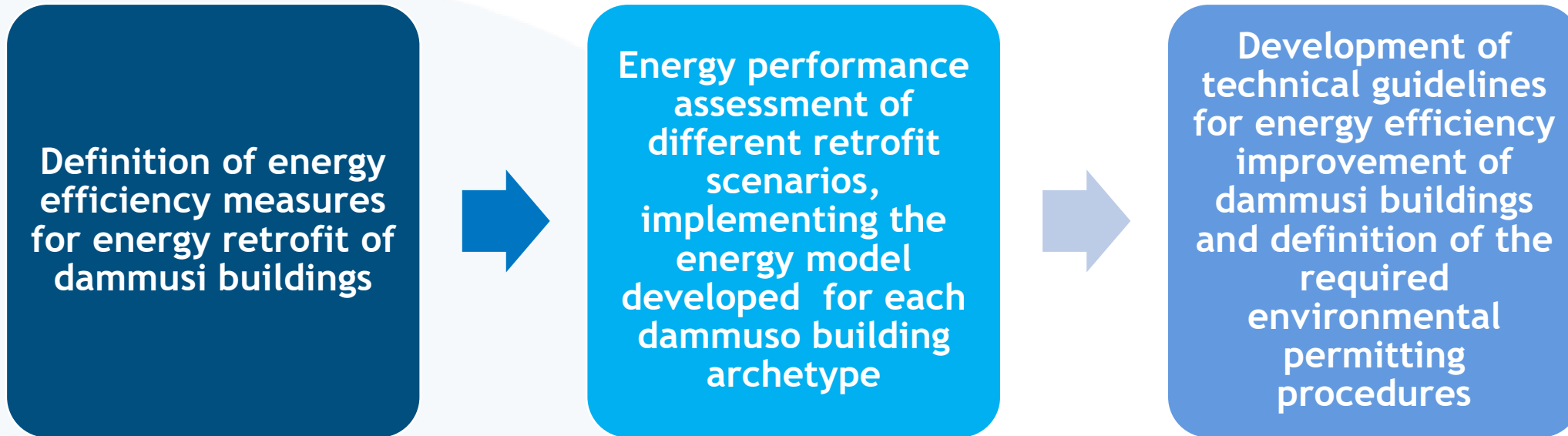
Development of the energy model for each dammuso building archetype

Abacus of dammusi building typologies

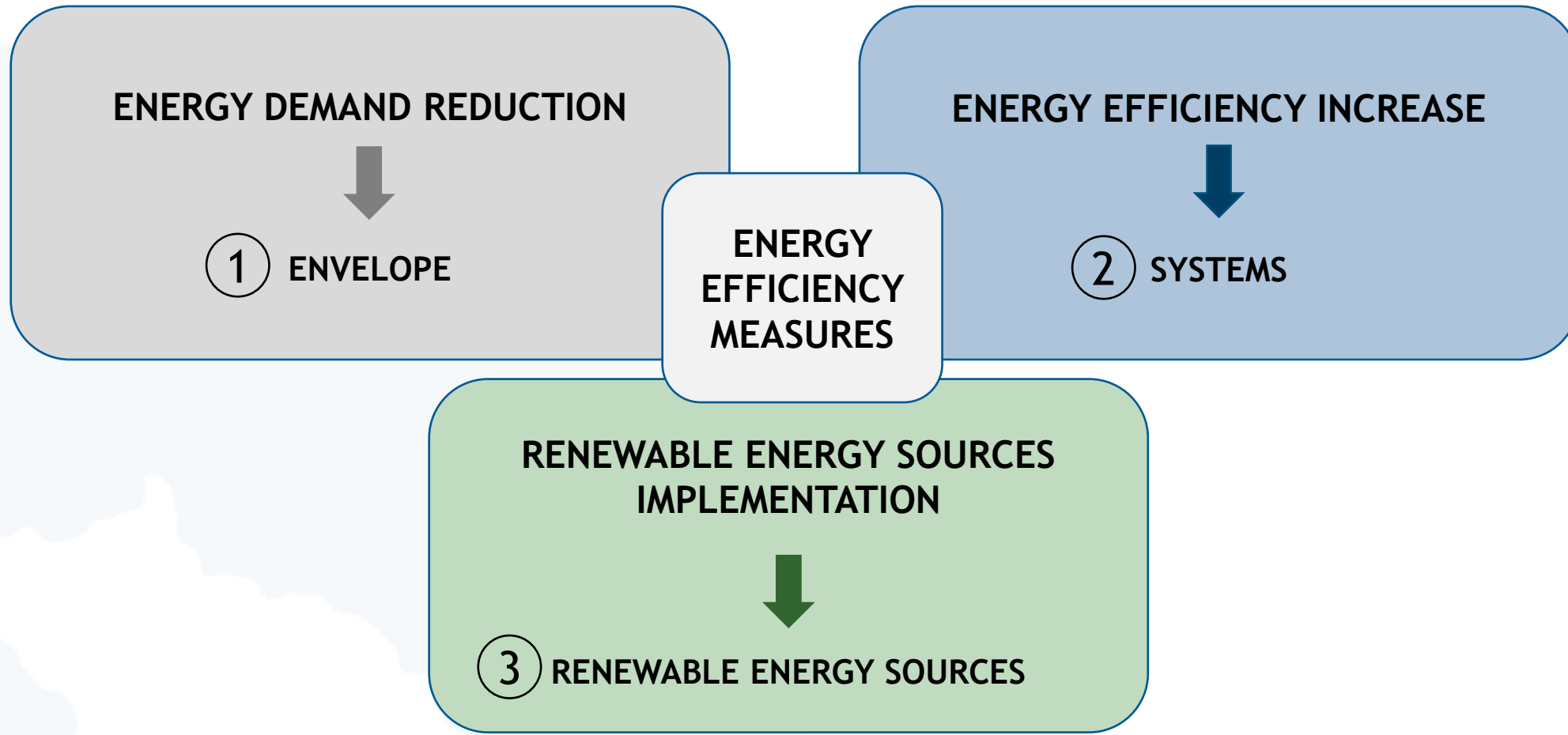
Abacus of dammusi building components



# Methodology 2/2



# Building energy efficiency strategy



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## 1 Envelope

### REGULATORY CONSTRAINTS

#### Walls:

- It is not allowed to realize façade cladding alien to traditional types (brick and marble)
- Plastering stone façade is not permitted
- Façade plaster must be made up of lime and sand

#### Windows and doors:

- Windows and doors frame must be made of wood
- Windows and doors must be set back from the edge of the façade
- Roller shutters are not allowed

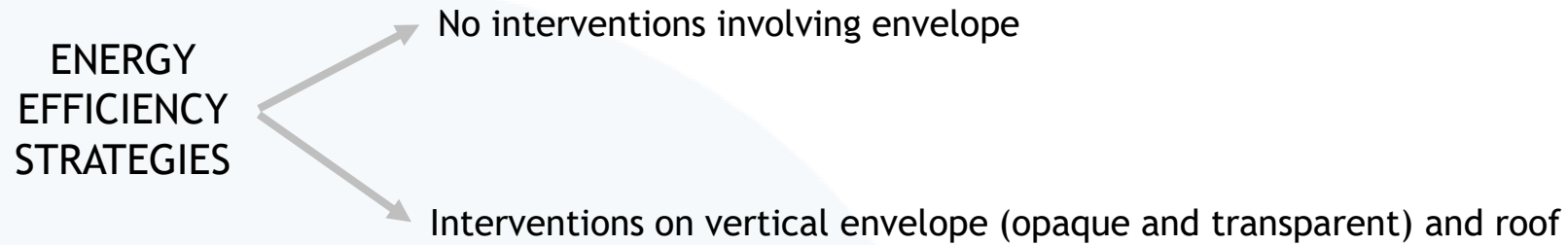
#### Roof:

- It is not allowed to install false ceiling on vaults
- External roof surface must be waterproofed with a tuff and lime layer



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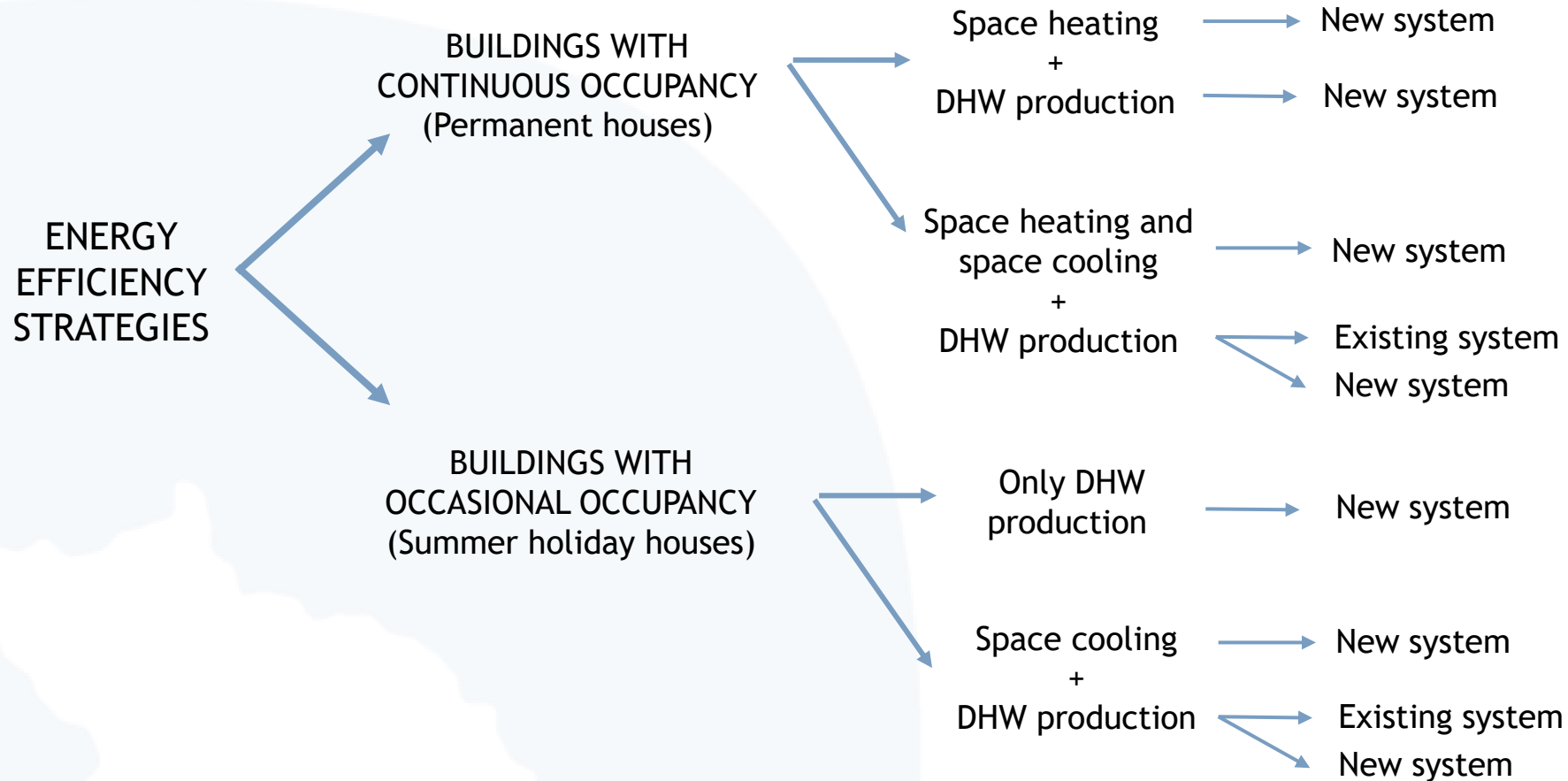
## 1 Envelope



Walls	Windows	Doors	Roof
Insulating plaster on internal and/or external surface: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Innovative nanocomposite plaster</li><li>or</li><li>Natural mineral lime-based plaster</li></ul>	Windows replacement: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Wooden frame</li><li>Low-e double glazing filled with air</li><li>Internal integrated shutters</li></ul>	Doors replacement: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Wooden panels</li></ul>	Insulating plaster on internal surface of vault: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Innovative nanocomposite plaster</li><li>or</li><li>Natural mineral lime-based plaster</li></ul>

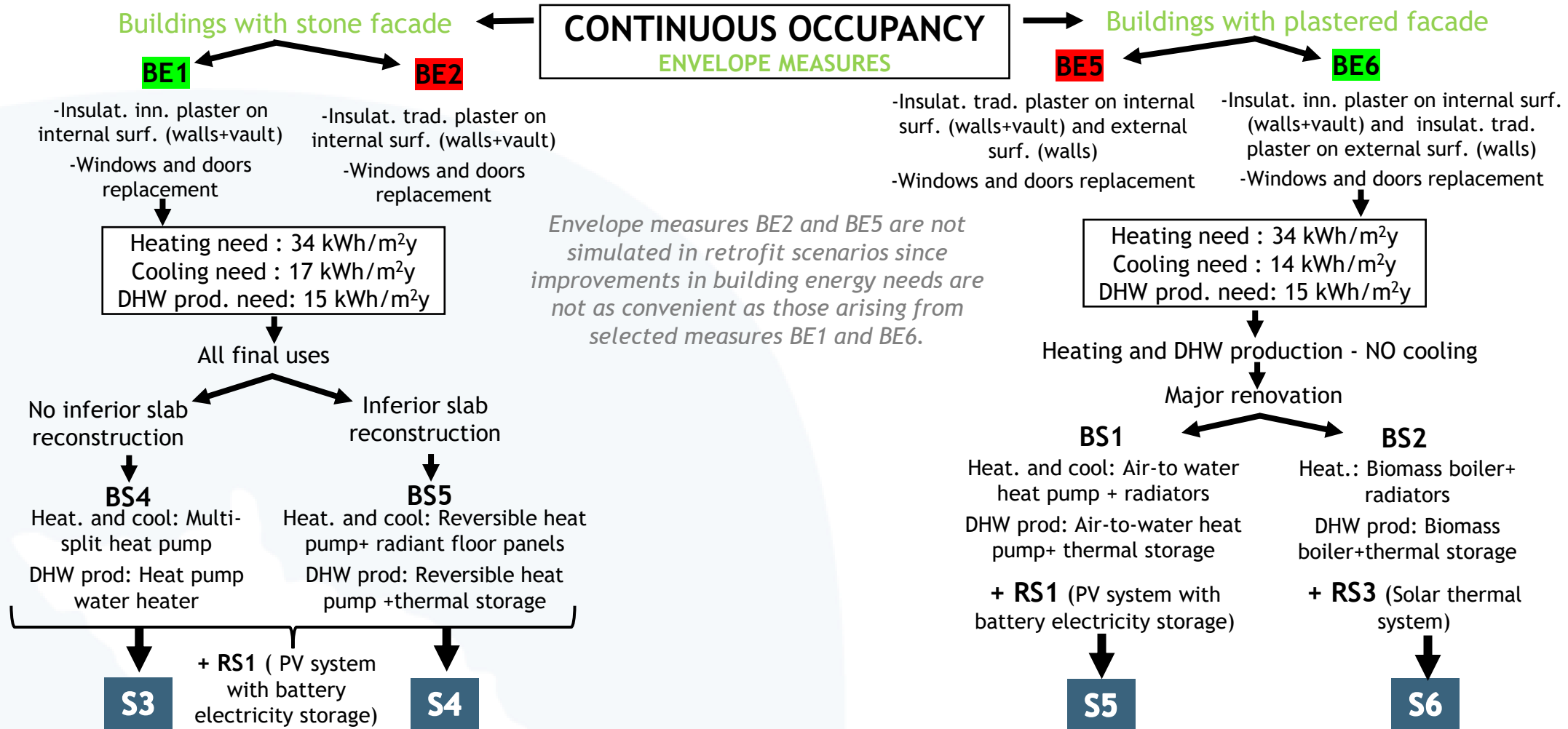
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## 2 Systems





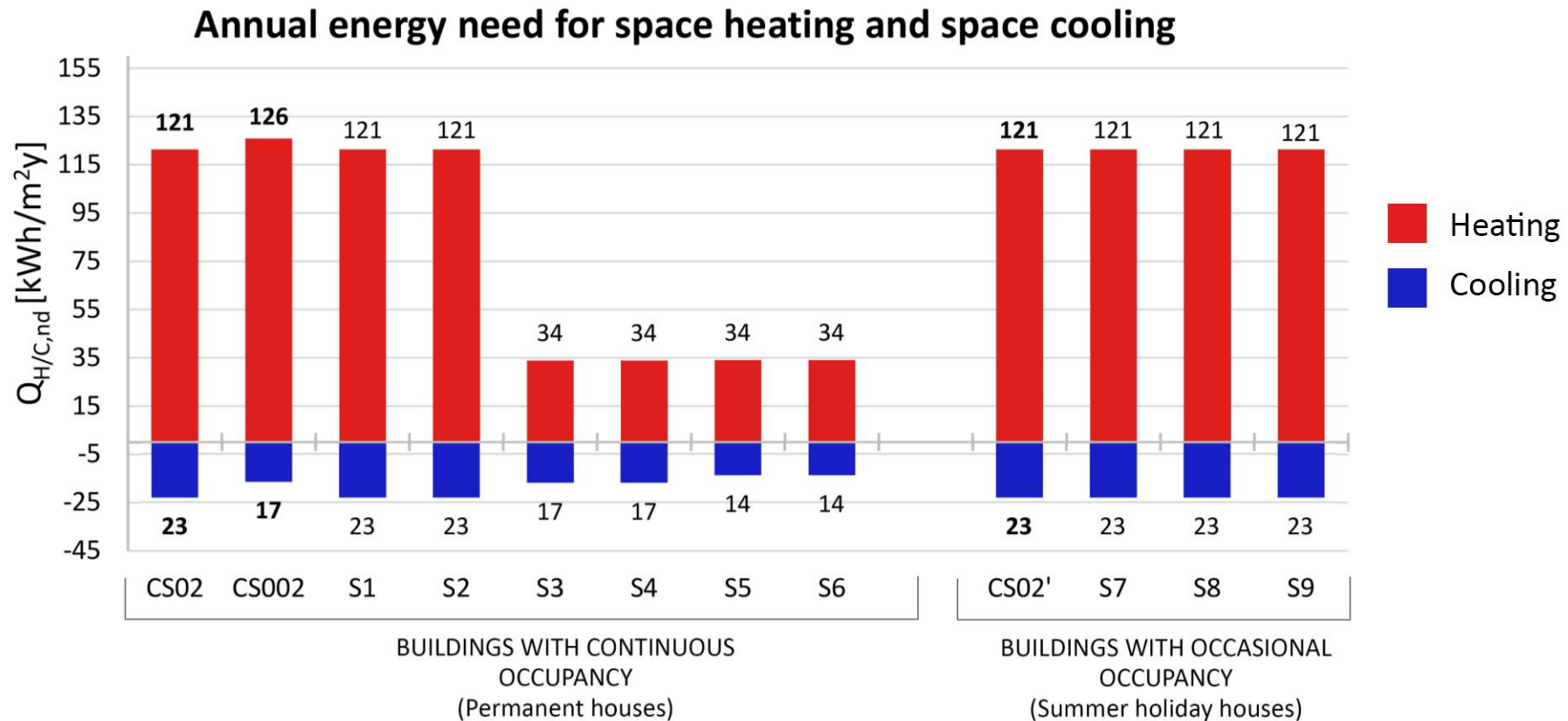
# Definition of retrofit scenarios



# Retrofit scenarios results

## Building energy needs

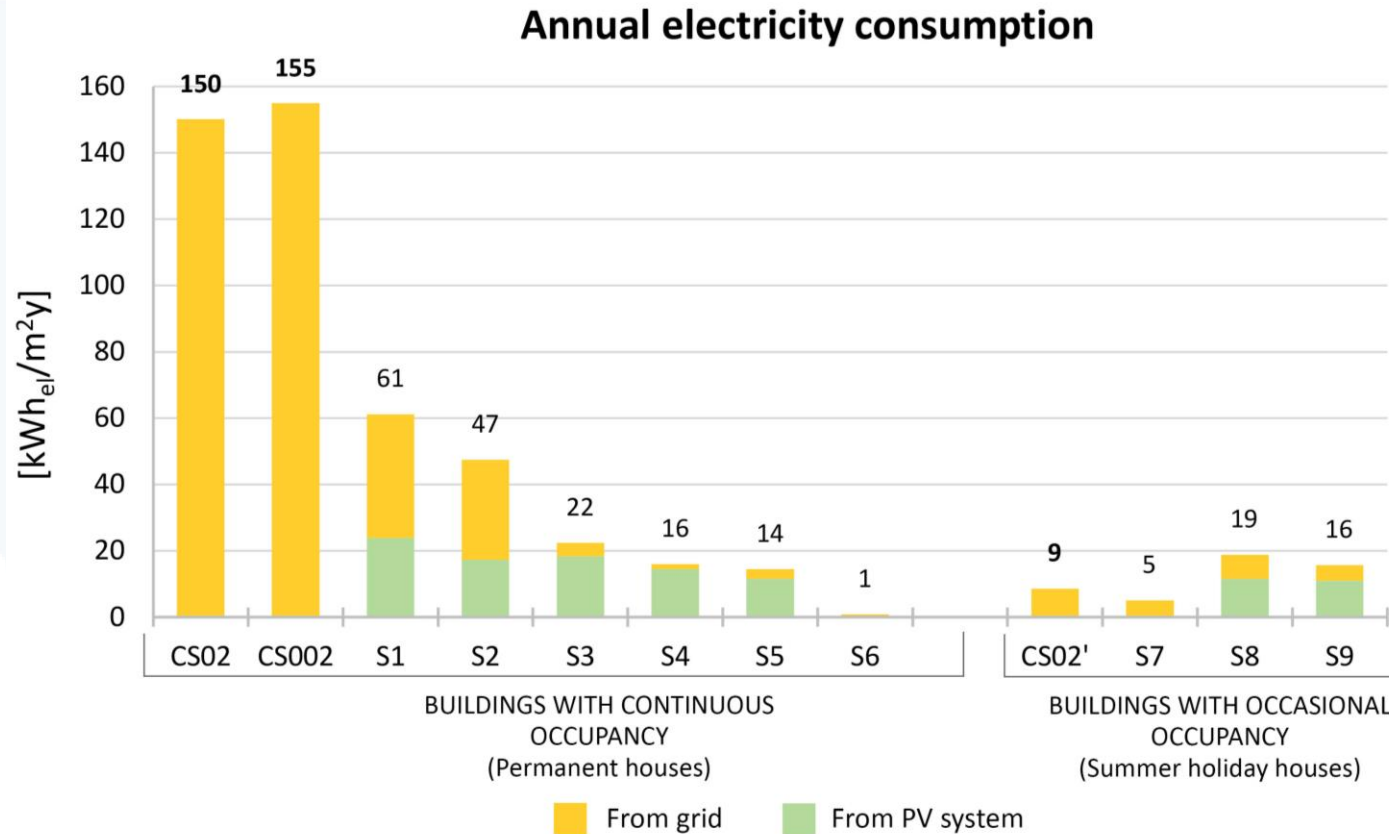
ARCHETYPE 2 : Dammuso per aggregazione complessa



# Retrofit scenarios results

## Final energy uses

ARCHETYPE 2 : Dammuso per aggregazione complessa



Results are obtained considering a 1kWp south oriented PV system with optimal slope (31°)

# Conclusions on definition of retrofit scenarios

## BUILDING WITH CONTINUOUS OCCUPANCY

- In case of a slight renovation, where envelope is not involved, non-invasive systems for space heating and space cooling are proposed with eventual replacement of existing system for DHW production (BS3, BS4).
- In case of slight renovation, where envelope is partially involved (BE1), non-invasive systems for space heating and space cooling are proposed. In case of major renovation, where inferior slab has to be reconstructed, air-to water heat pump is proposed as combined system for space heating, space cooling and DHW production. Radiant floor panels are proposed as terminal devices (BS5).
- In case of complete major renovation, where envelope is totally involved (BE6), space cooling is no longer needed. Invasive systems are proposed for space heating and DHW production: radiators are proposed as terminal devices (BS1,BS2).

In all cases, renewable energy sources are introduced.



# Conclusions on definition of retrofit scenarios

## BUILDING WITH OCCASIONAL OCCUPANCY

- For any situation, replacement of existing system for DHW production is proposed (BS6). In this case, it is not necessary to introduce renewable energy sources. Introduction of renewable energy systems, indeed, is expensive if compared to their actual exploitation, which is limited to summer months from May to September.
- In cases in which space cooling is needed or required, non-invasive system is proposed with eventual replacement of existing system for DHW production (BS7, BS8). Since cooling system is assumed as not present at the current state, its introduction implies higher final consumption than the current ones; to overcome this, photovoltaic system, has to be introduced. Photovoltaic system is proposed without battery electricity storage, since its introduction is expensive if compared to its actual exploitation, which is limited to summer months from May to September.





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