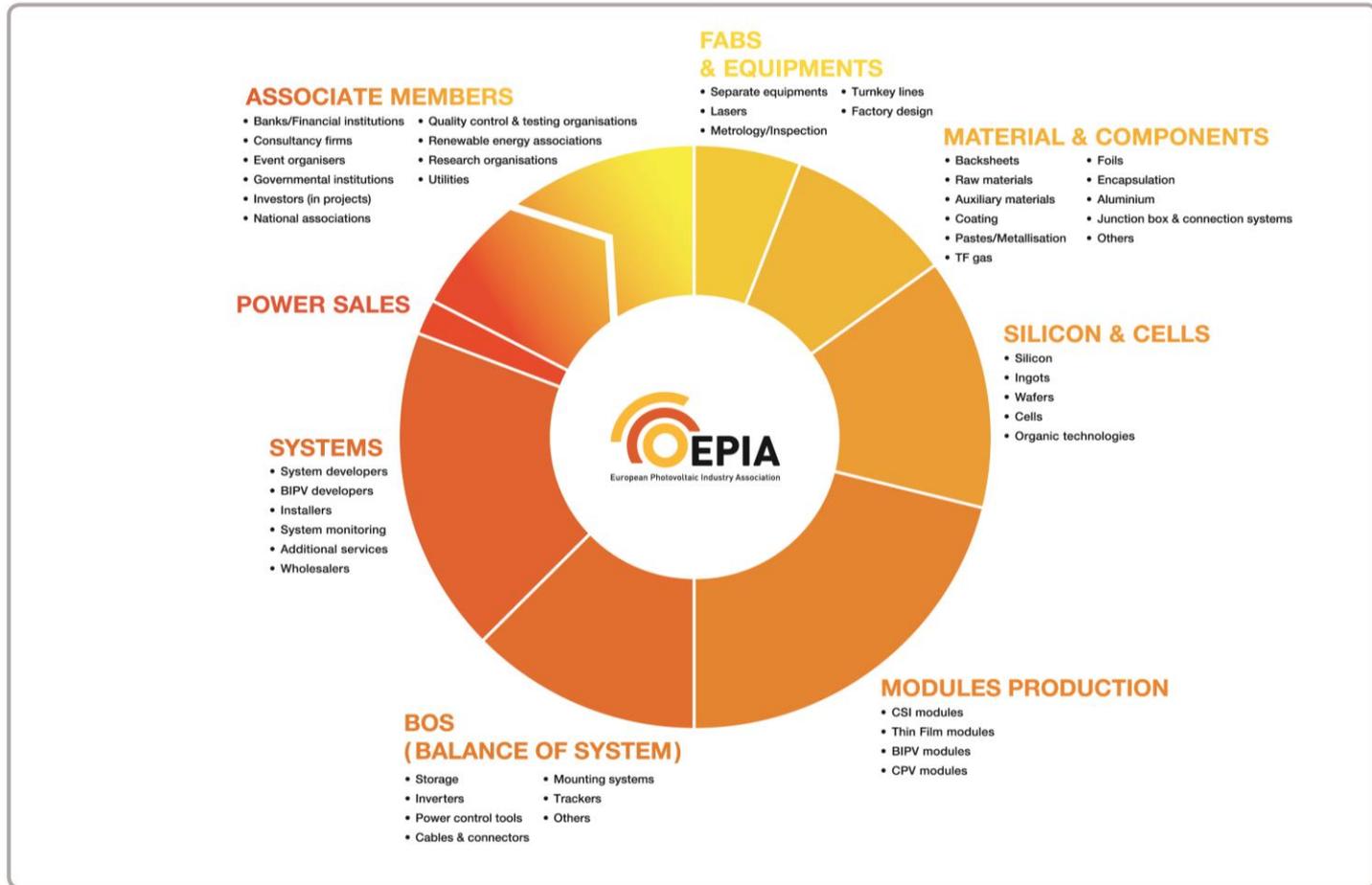


PV INDUSTRY'S VIEWS ON STORAGE

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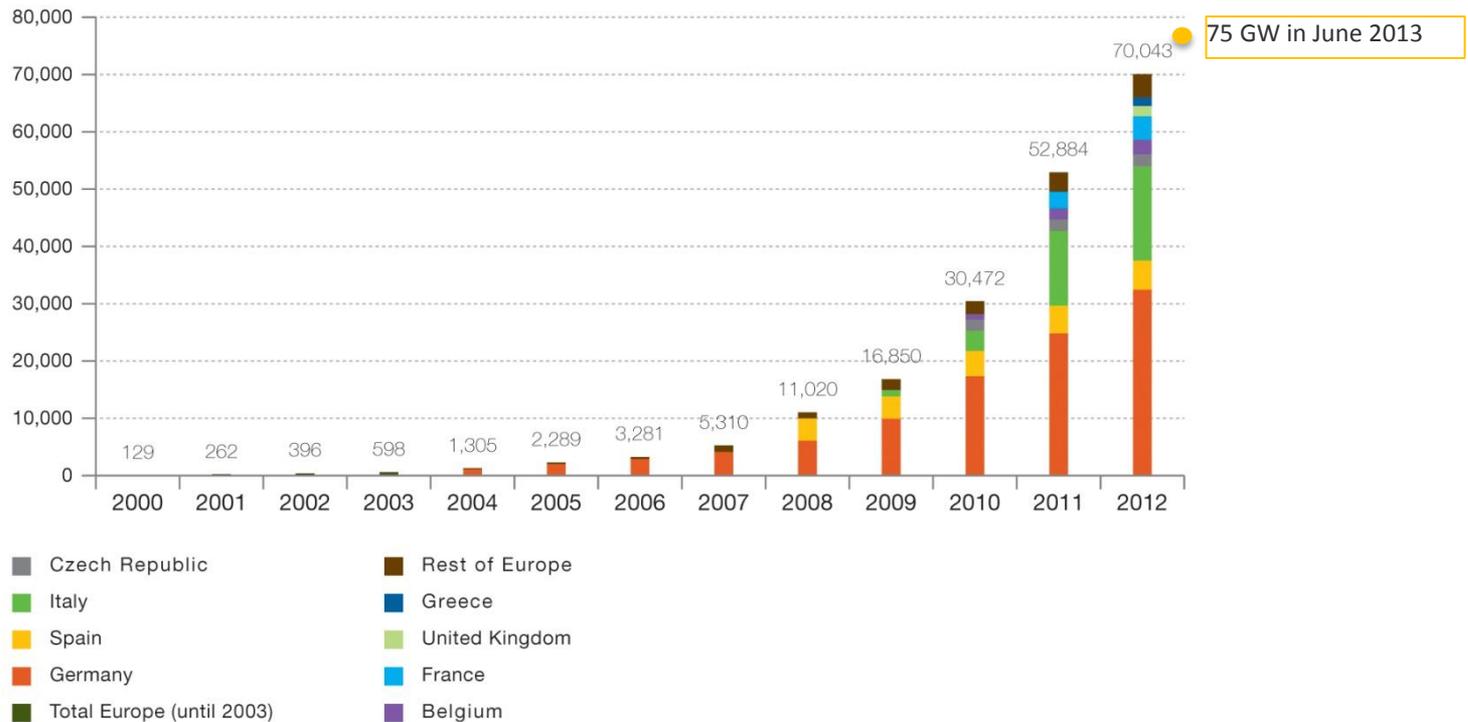
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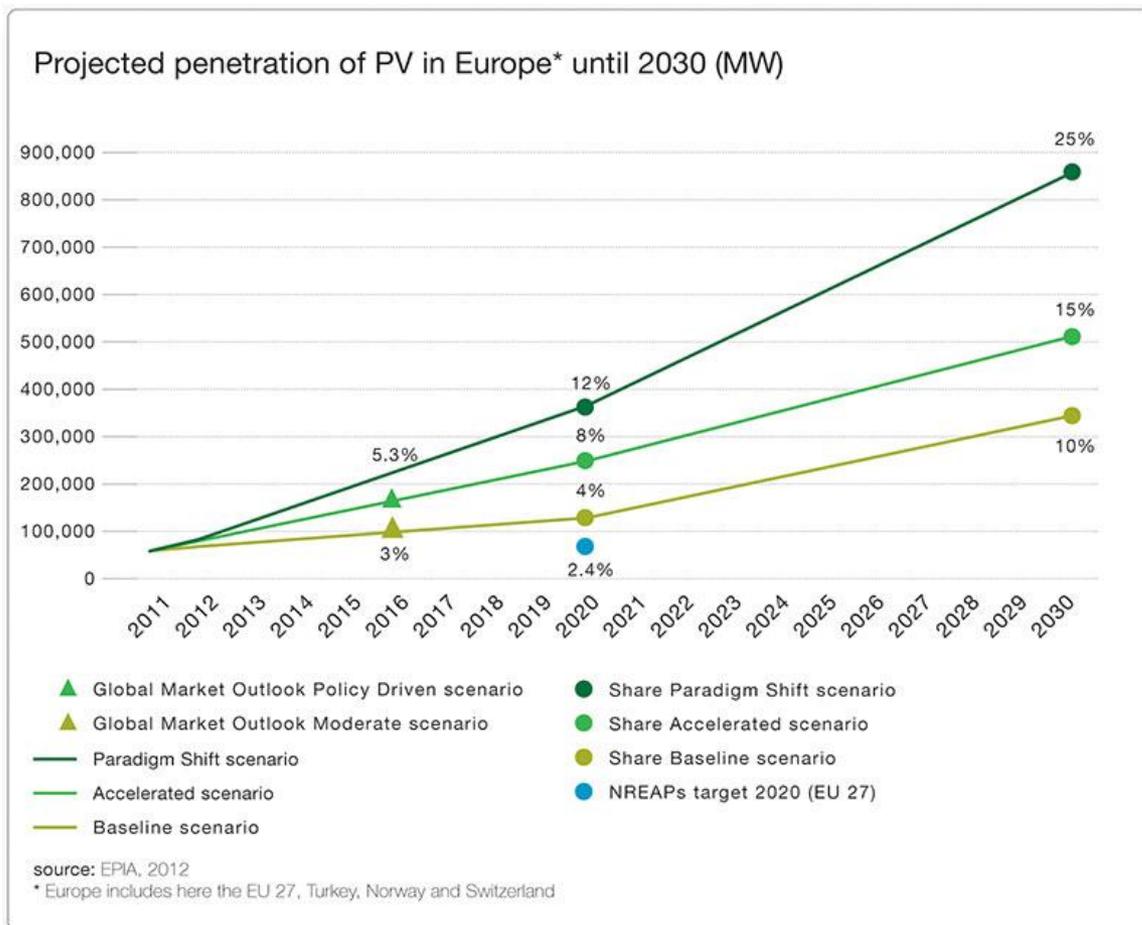
EU PV market: where do we stand now?

Evolution of European PV cumulative installed capacity 2000-2012 (MW)



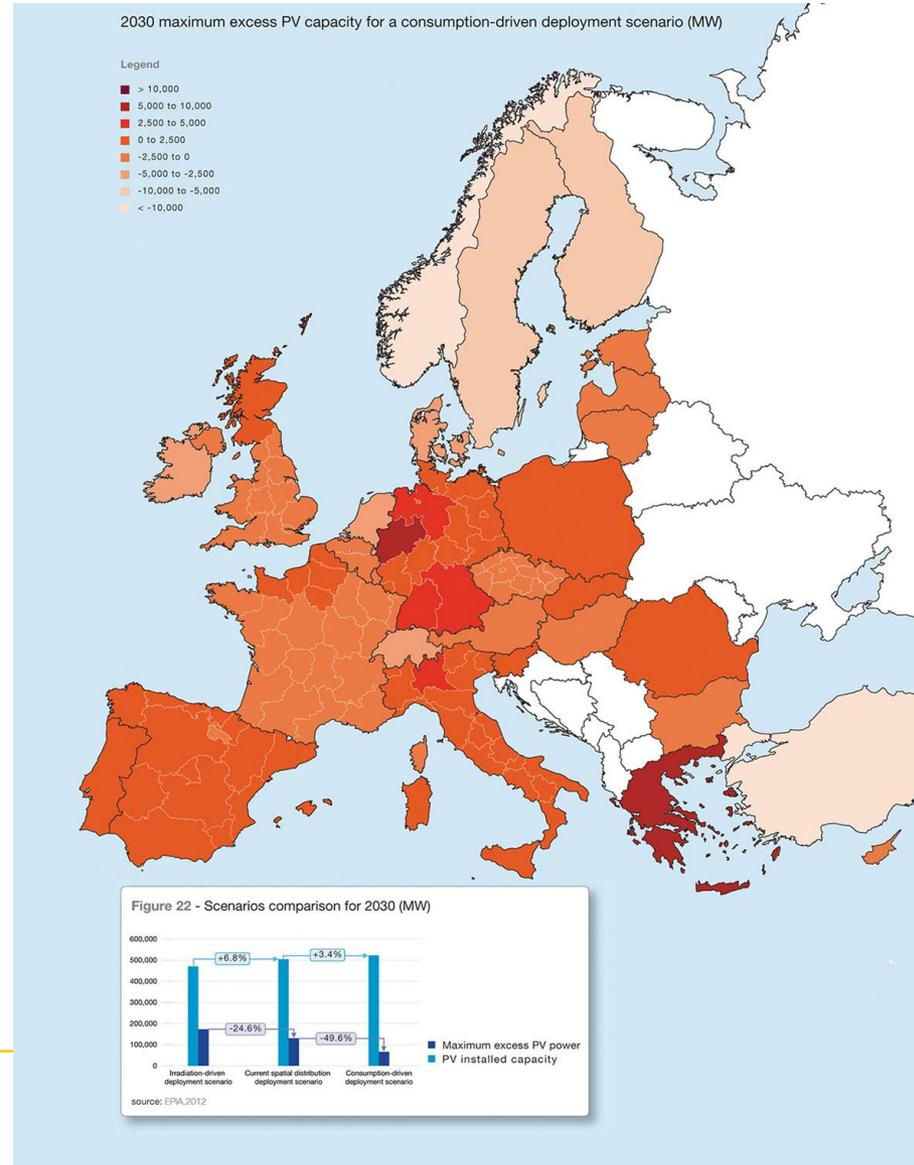
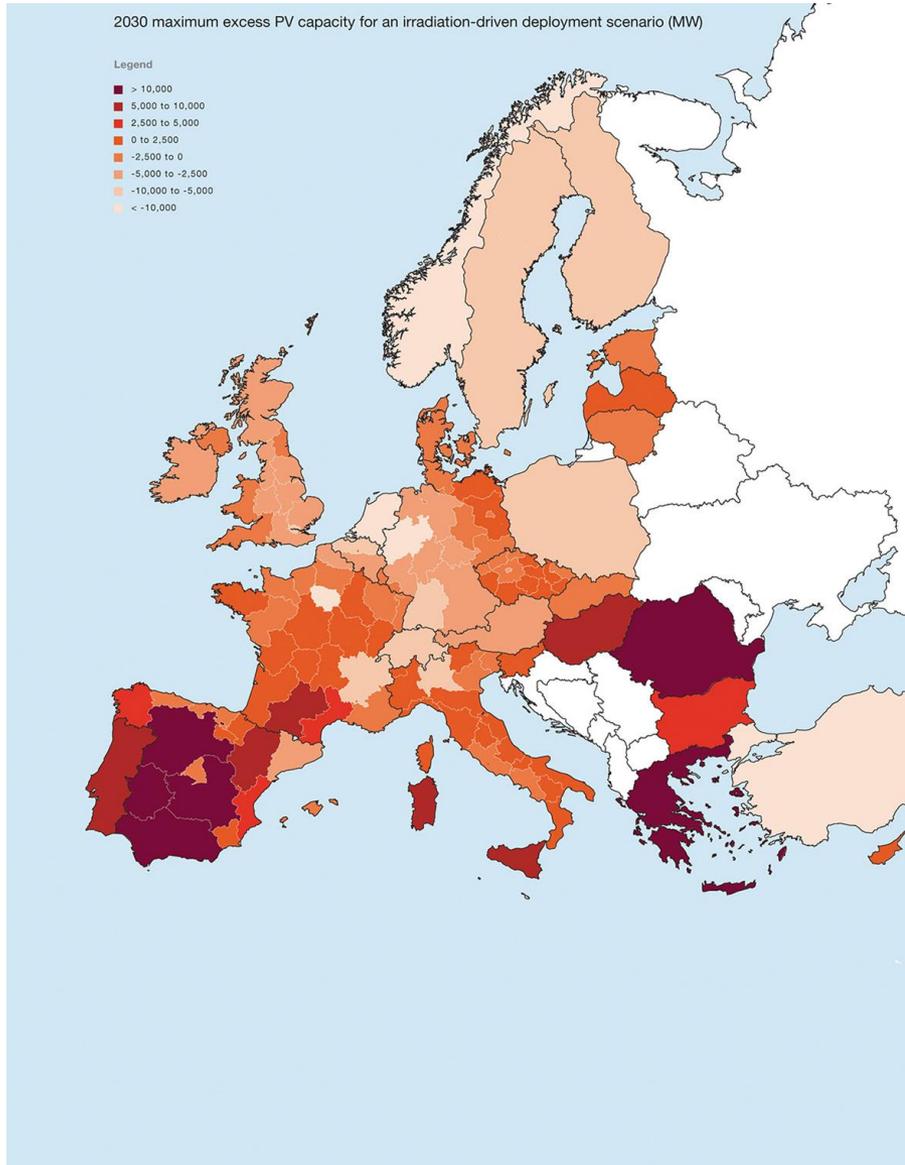
Source: EPIA, "Global Market Outlook for Photovoltaics 2013-2017", 2013

EPIA scenarios for 2020 and 2030

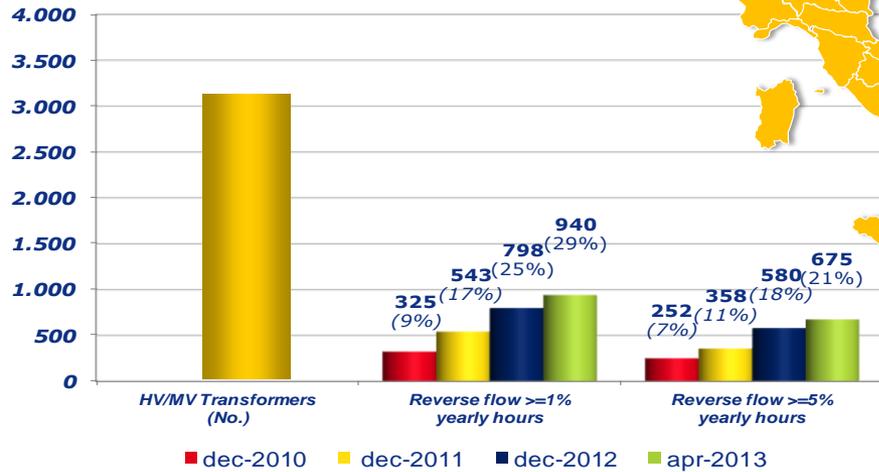


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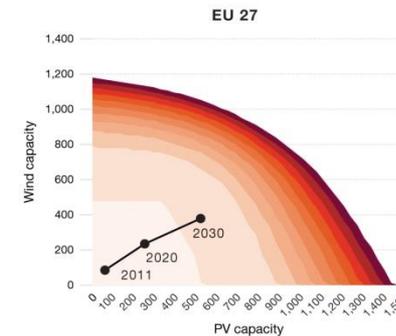
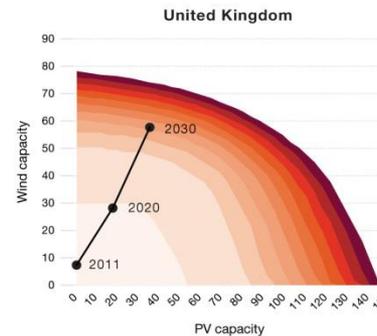
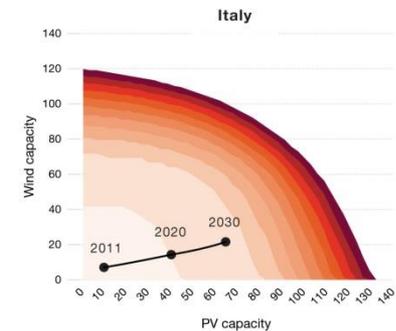
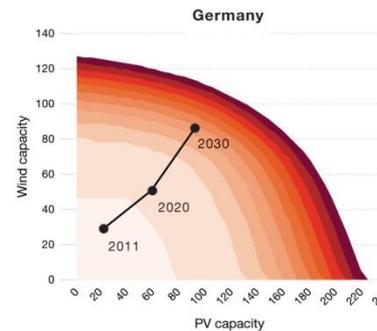
How will future PV capacity be distributed?



Challenges at distribution grid and system levels:



Estimation of the percentage of excess generation based on PV and wind capacity scenario (GW)



source: EPIA, 2012

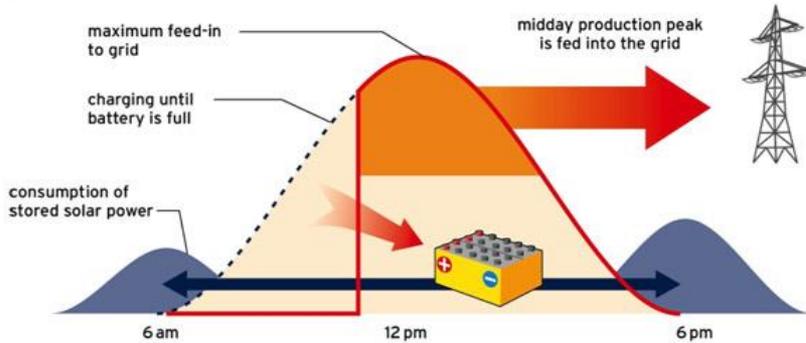
(Above) Source: ENEL Distribuzione, PV GRID project
 (On the right) Source: EPIA, "Connecting The Sun", 2012

Will storage play an important role?

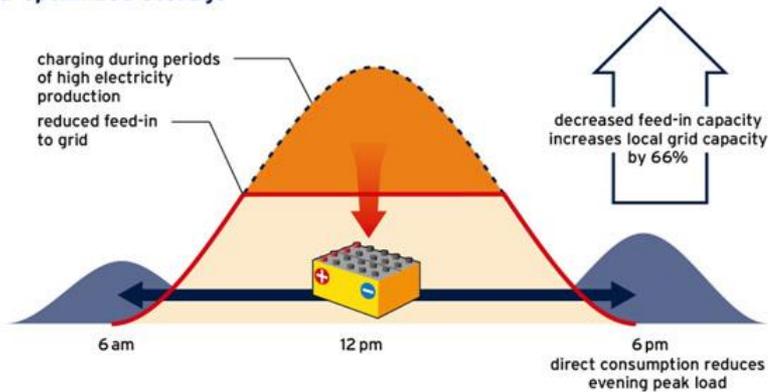
→ Support D grids

→ Increase system flexibility

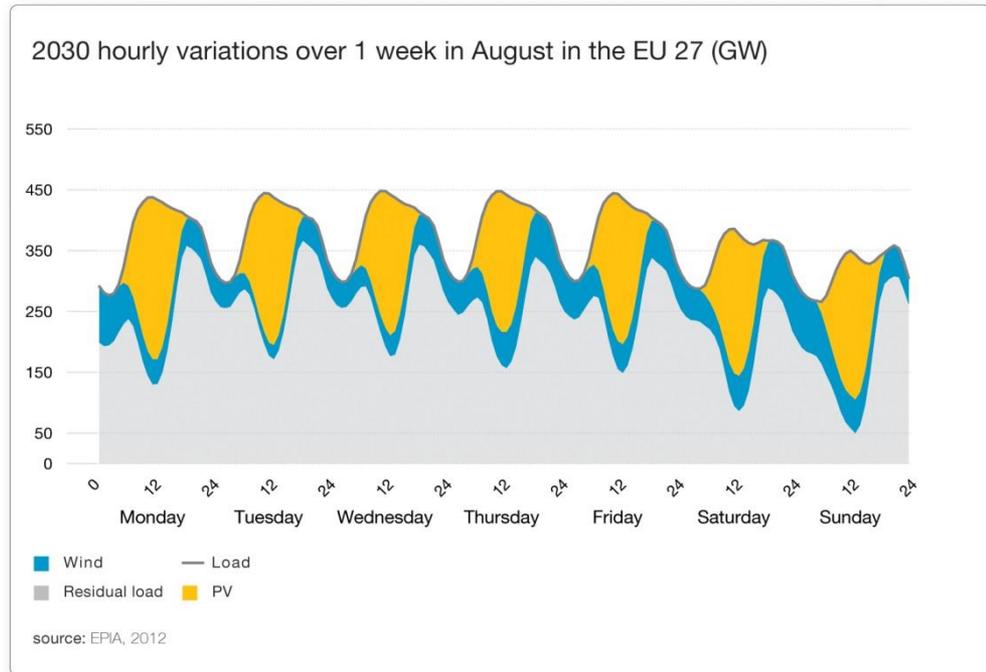
Conventional storage



Grid-optimized storage



Source: BSW-Solar www.solarwirtschaft.de



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Storage supporting increased PV shares

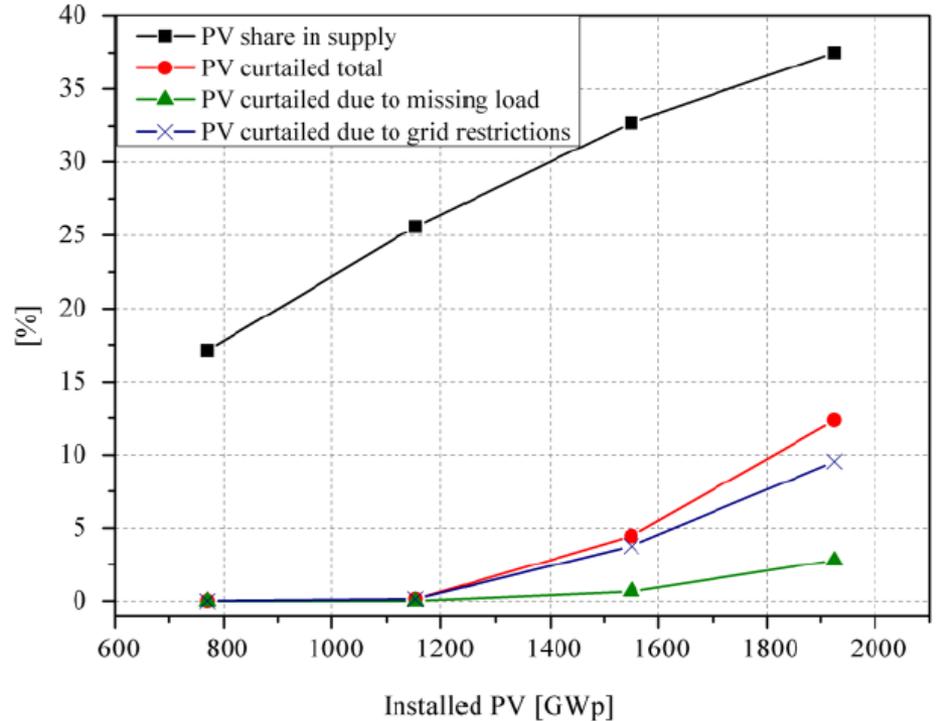
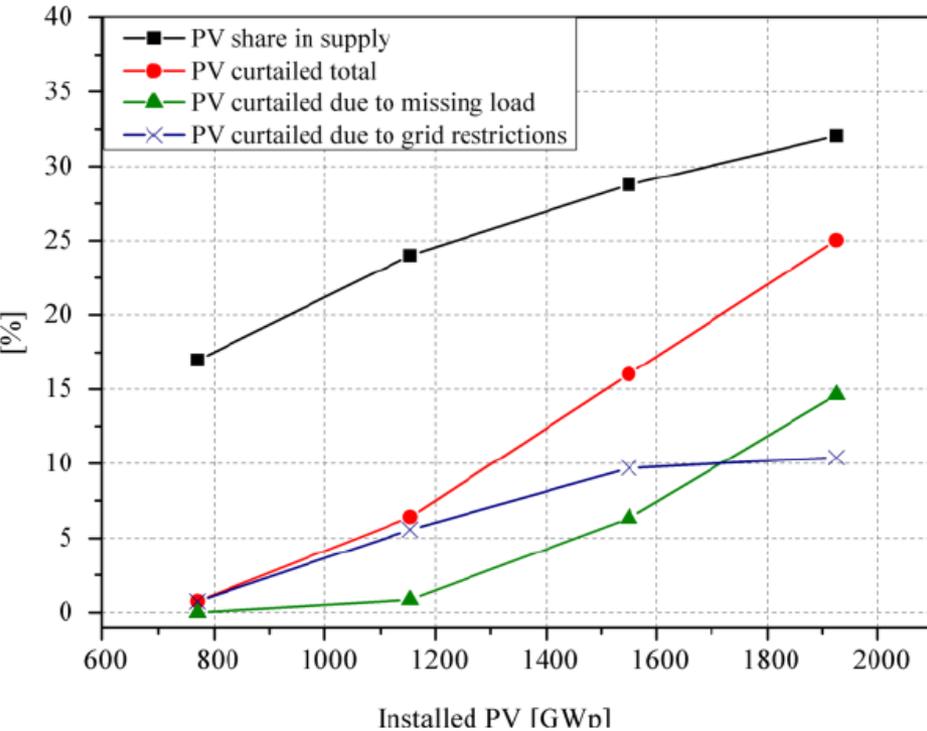


Figure 3: Calculation results for scenario 1 with no storage

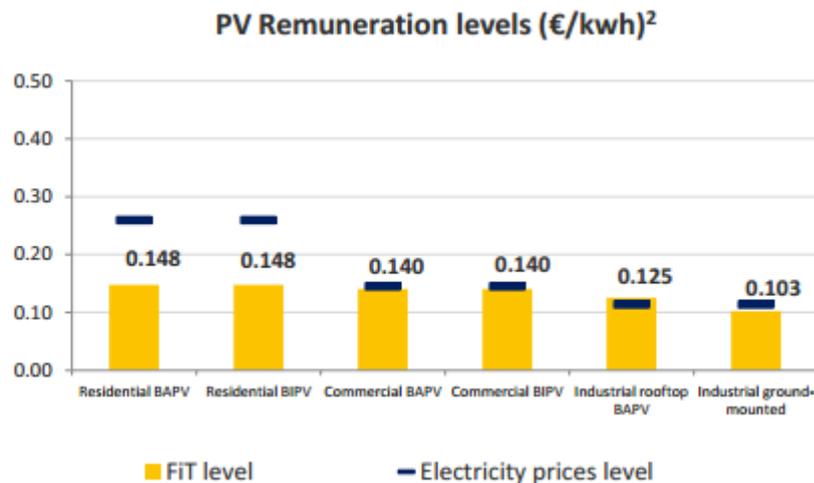
Figure 5: Calculation results for scenario 3 with 1540 GWh of storage

Source: CHEREVATSKIY, Stanislav, TROESTER, Eckerhard, EnergyNautics GmbH, 2013

What drivers for storage deployment?

- (-) Technical challenge of market and/or local signals to generation/demand/storage connected to distribution grids
- (+) PV FiT level in some countries lower than retail electricity price
- (+) PV meeting part of the midday peak but storage could contribute to meeting the evening peak

If system adequacy assessments prove the need for capacity remuneration mechanisms, then in EPIA's view storage and demand should also be eligible, mechanisms should be time-bound, should aim at minimizing CO2 emissions and should be based on competitive awarding procedures.



Source: EPIA internal analysis for Germany, August 2013

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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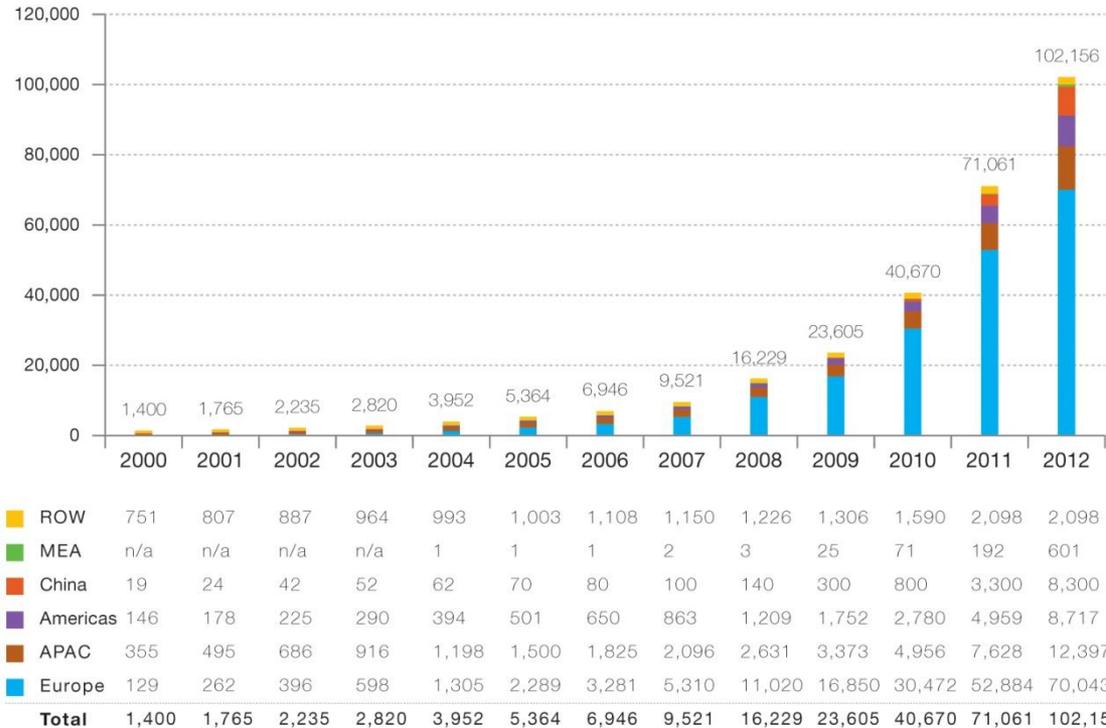
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Global PV capacity has reached 100 GW

Evolution of global PV cumulative installed capacity 2000-2012 (MW)

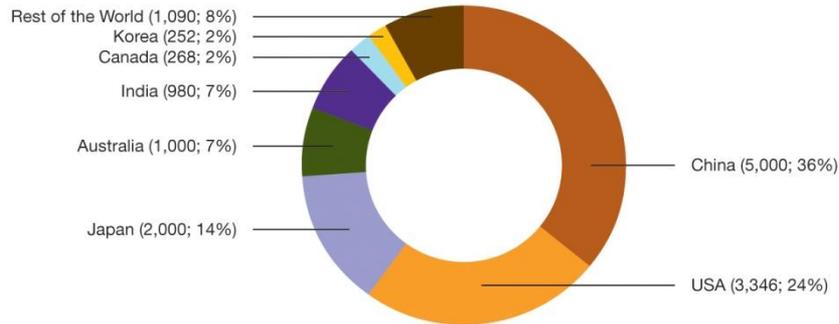


ROW: Rest of the World. MEA: Middle East and Africa. APAC: Asia Pacific.

Source: EPIA, "Global Market Outlook for Photovoltaics 2013-2017", 2013

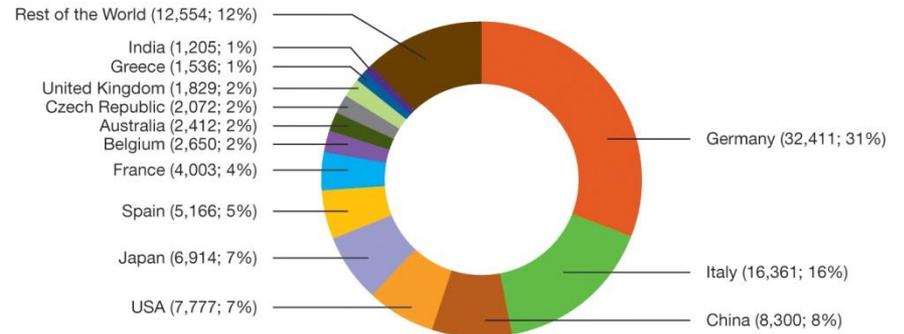
Global PV market in 2012

PV market share outside Europe in 2012 (MW; %)



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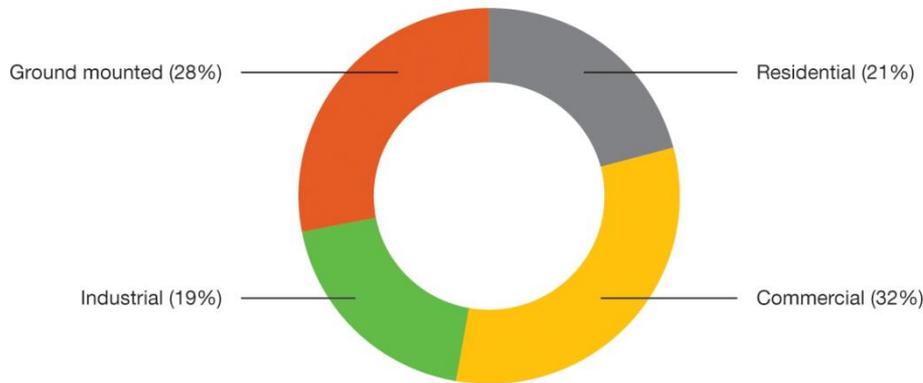
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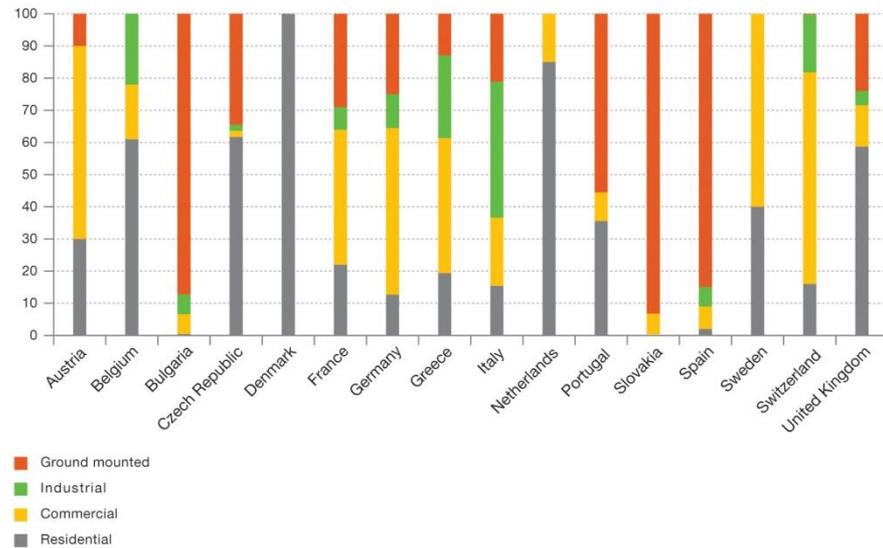
Increasing importance of « self-consumption segments »

European PV market segmentation in 2012 (%)



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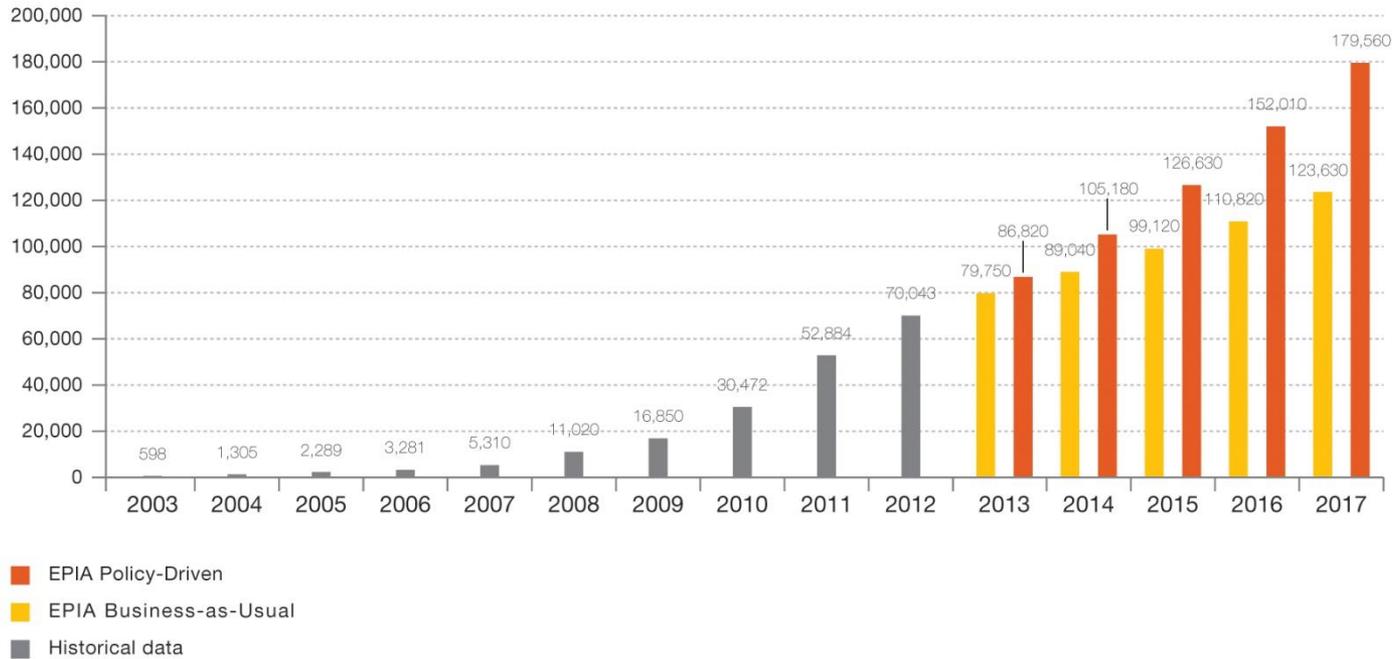
European PV cumulative capacity segmentation by country in 2012 (%)



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Forecasted European PV capacity until 2017

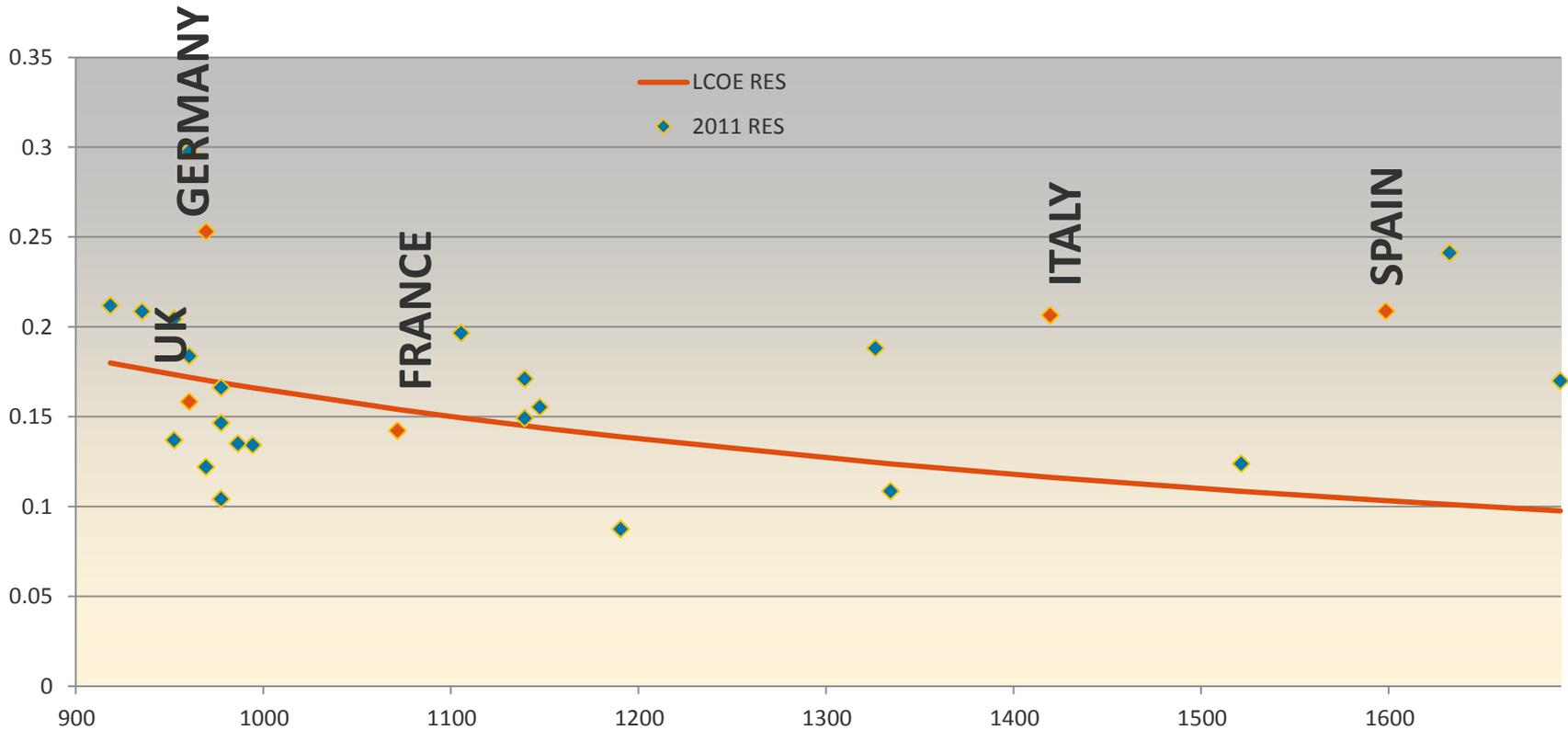
European PV cumulative scenarios until 2017 - Business-as-Usual and Policy-Driven (MW)



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Comparison PV – retail prices

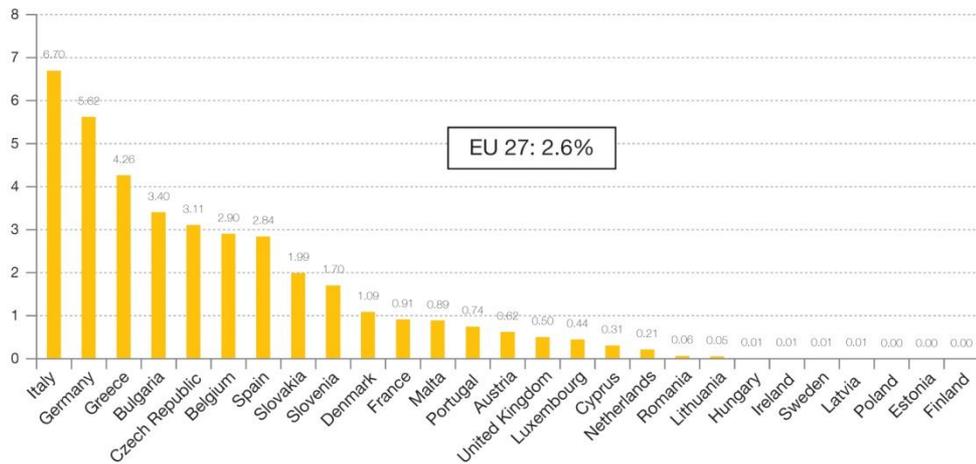
→ LCOE - Residential at 1,8 EUR/Wp – 4,4% WACC – Comparison with electricity retail prices (grid costs and taxes are compensated)



Source: PV PARITY Project , 2013

PV penetration is increasing – instantaneous power penetration is already important

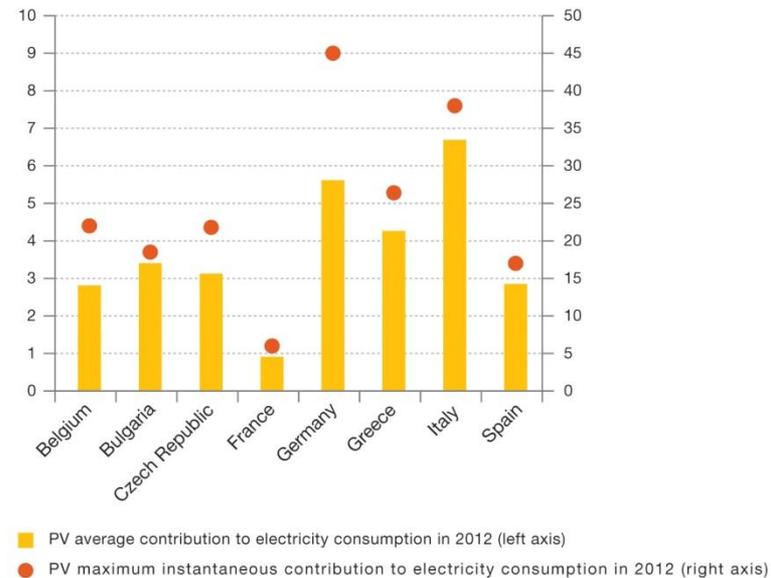
PV contribution to the electricity demand in the EU 27 in 2012* (%)



* Based on 2012 cumulative installed capacity.

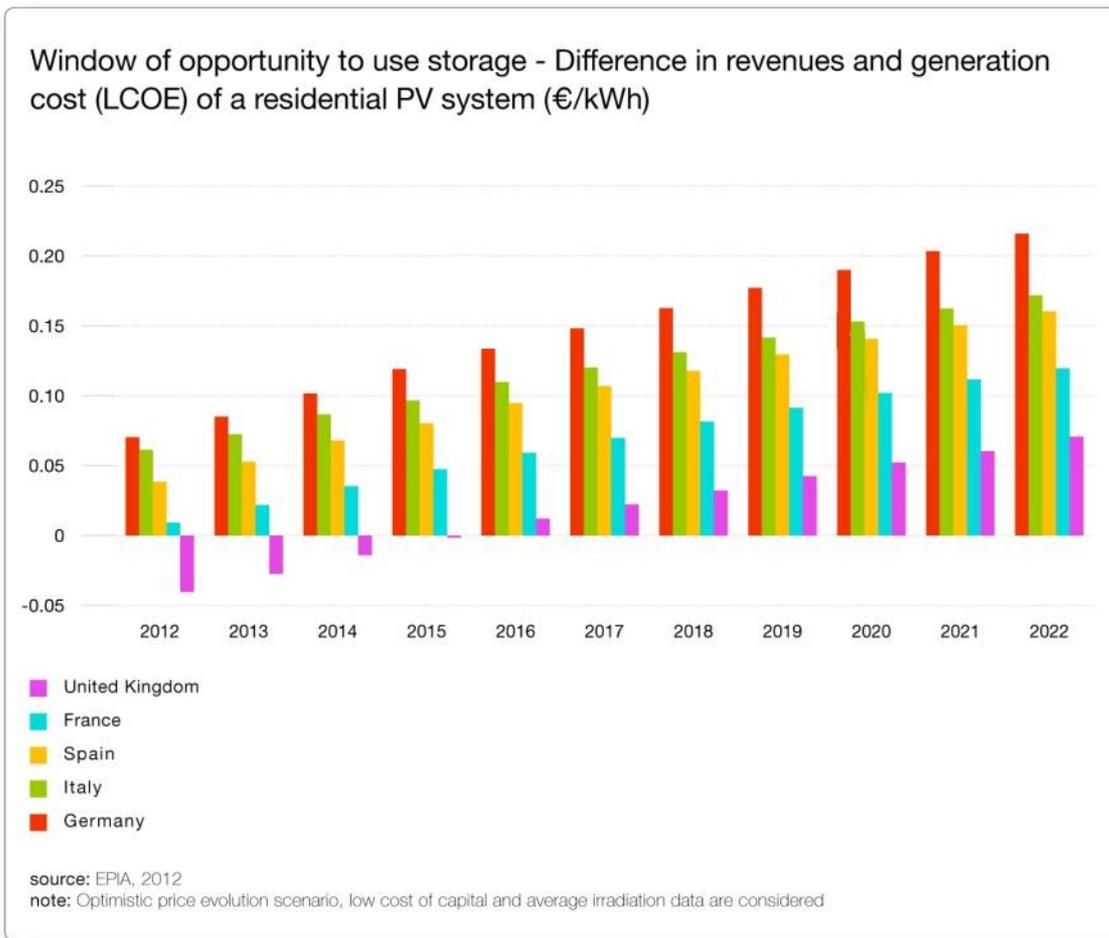
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Annual average and maximum instantaneous PV contribution to electricity consumption in 2012 (%)



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PV creating window of opportunity in storage investments



Source: EPIA, « Connecting The Sun », 2012