

AdEPORTO EXPO'98 Urban energy network: **Energy 'supply' or 'demand'?**

Expo'98 infrastructures

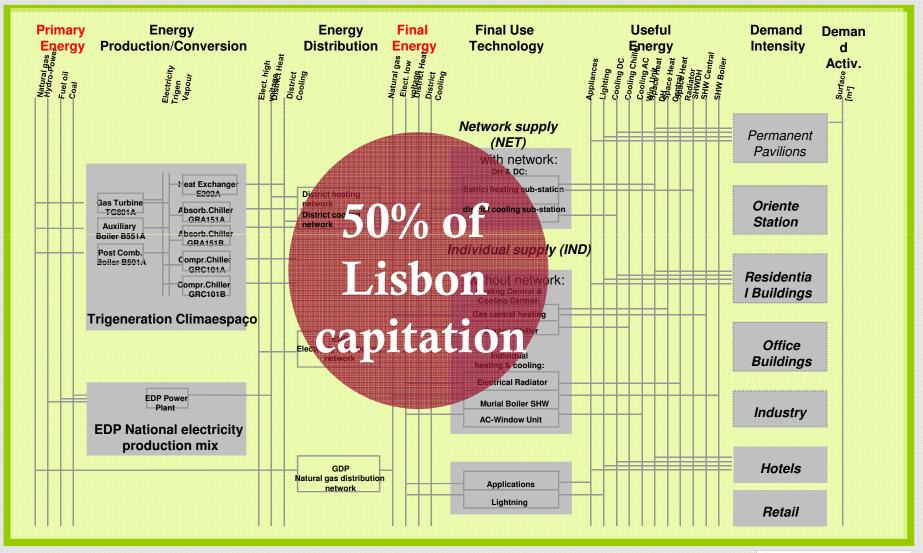
electricity - heating - cooling



Source: EXPO'98/CCE/DGTREN1



Expo'98: Urban energy system what performance?





Expo'98: Results

Parque das Nações – an (almost) exemplary case of urban sustainability unknown as such (!) by the Portuguese

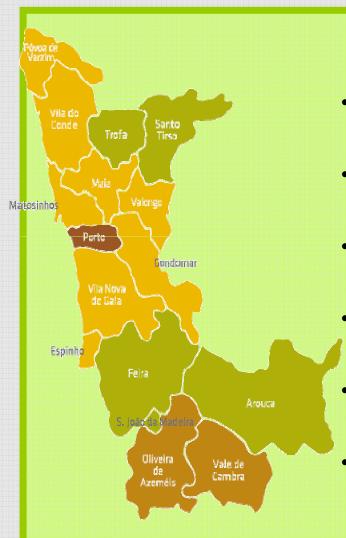




- 1. Energy and Sustainability
- 2. Cities can not be sustainable
- 3. Cities as energy systems
 - i. Case study of Parque Expo'98 Lisboa
 - ii. Case study of Porto 2007 ...
- 4. Conclusion



PORTO: An historic city



- ≈ 265 000 inhabitants
- centre of a Metropolitan Area of 1,7 Mio people
- \approx 500 000 daily users
- 42 km² (compact city!)
- services town, little industry
- recent past history: a 100% electrical city



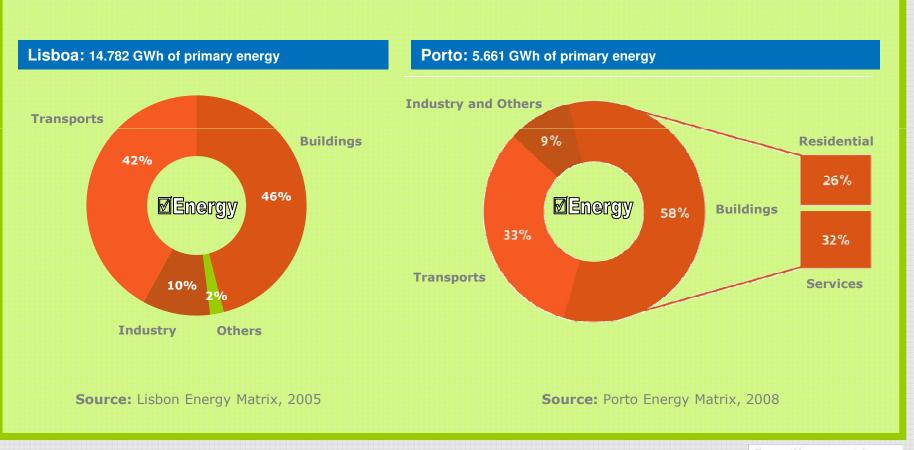
Porto Energy Matrix





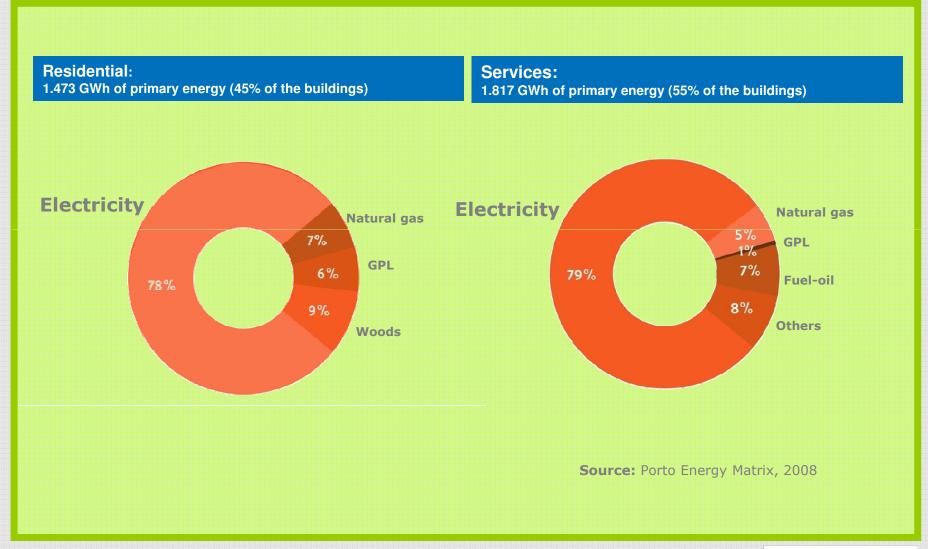
Porto Energy Matrix

Major consumer sectors in primary energy terms





Porto Energy Matrix Buildings - Final energy







Porto aims to reach 3,5 ton CO₂/capita.year through the 3 complementary paths

- Promotion of energy efficiency
- Reduction of the dependence of fossil fuels more intensive in CO₂ (primary energy): NG and solar vs electricity
- More penetration of renewable energies (heat, electricity)
- ☑ On the basis of the energy matrix
- ☑ Action included in the Sustainability Strategy
- ☑ Assumed by signing the EU Covenant of Mayors (10 Feb 09)





Sustainability: The Political Commitment

Porto signed, together with more than 400 European cities, representing about 60 million citizens, the

Covenant of Mayors

in Brussels on February 10, 2009



