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Towards Standardising Building Rural Clinics: Energy Requirements

Domestic Use of Energy Conference

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Introduction

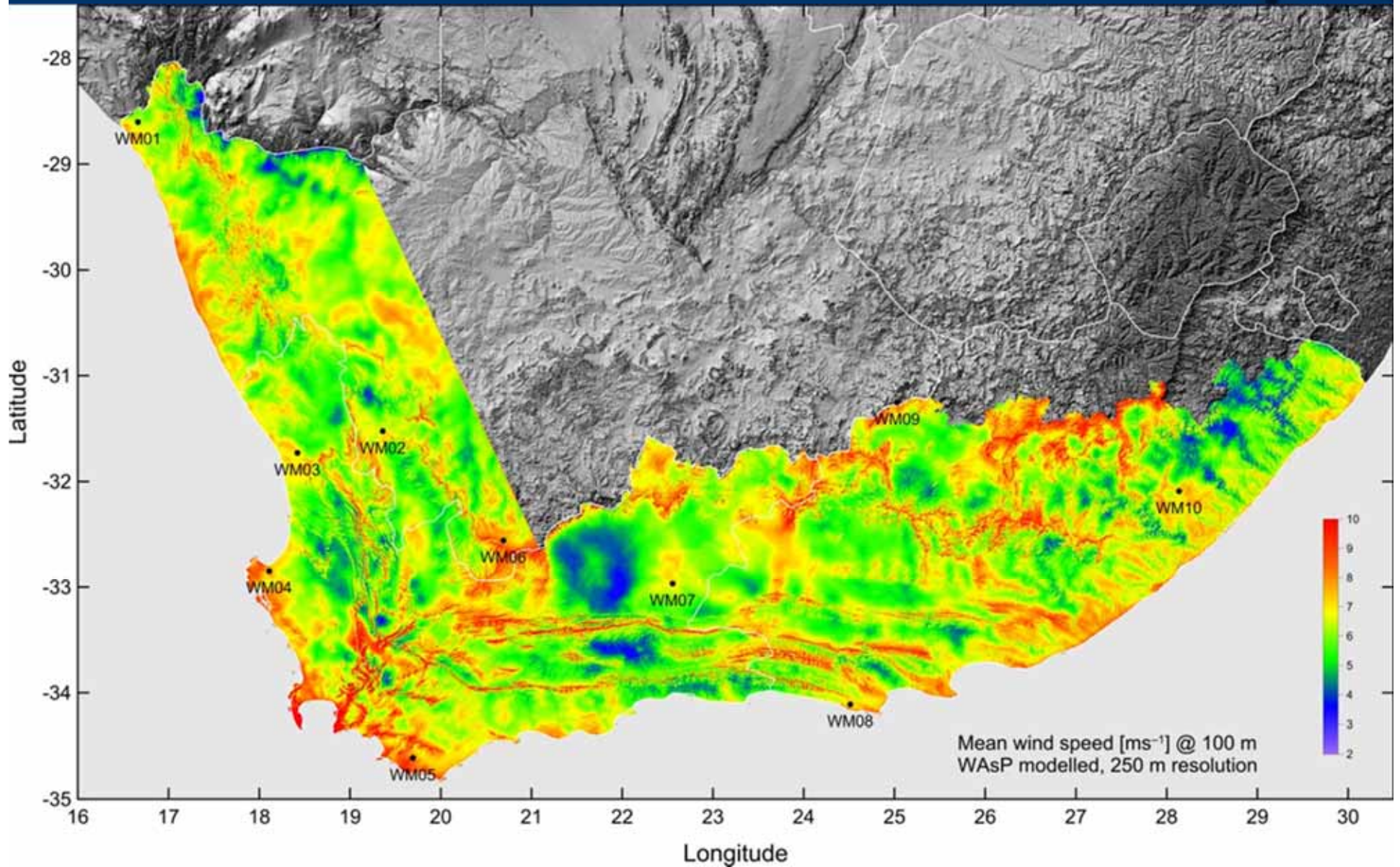
- Buildings have a significant impact on energy use and the environment
- Energy in the building sector continues to increase – primarily because new buildings are being constructed faster than old ones are retired
- Energy consumption will continue to increase until buildings can be designed to:
 - use energy efficiently and
 - produce enough energy to offset the energy demand of these buildings
- Consequently, need to create the technology and knowledge base to reduce impact of buildings on the environment
- **Case study: towards standardising rural clinics to be independent of municipal services, such as electricity**

Electricity Supply Option Hierarchy

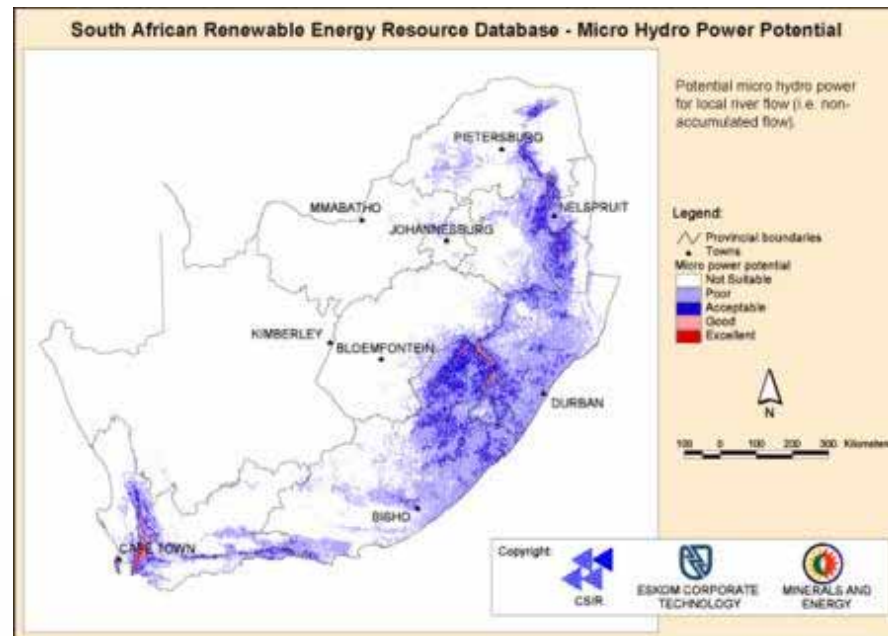
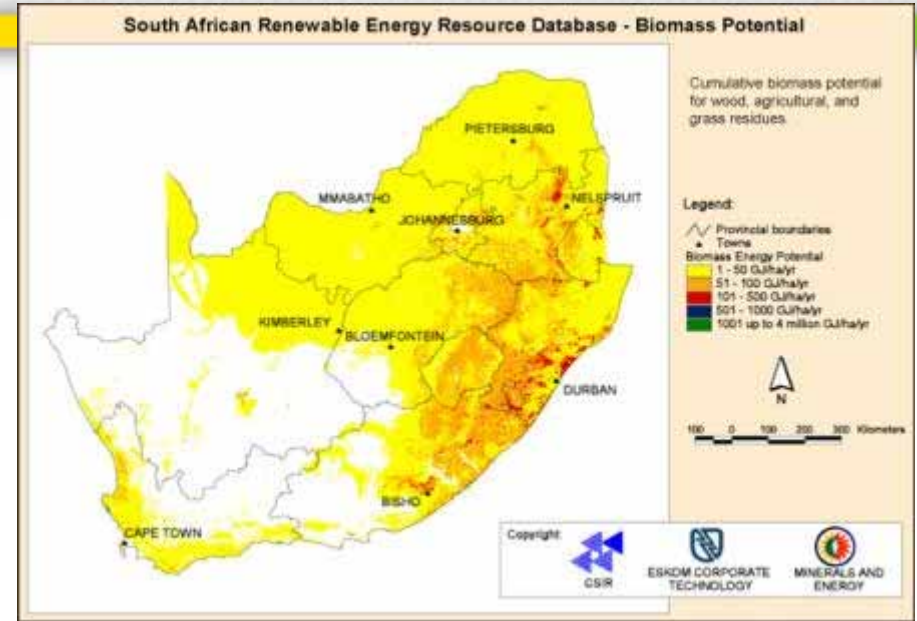
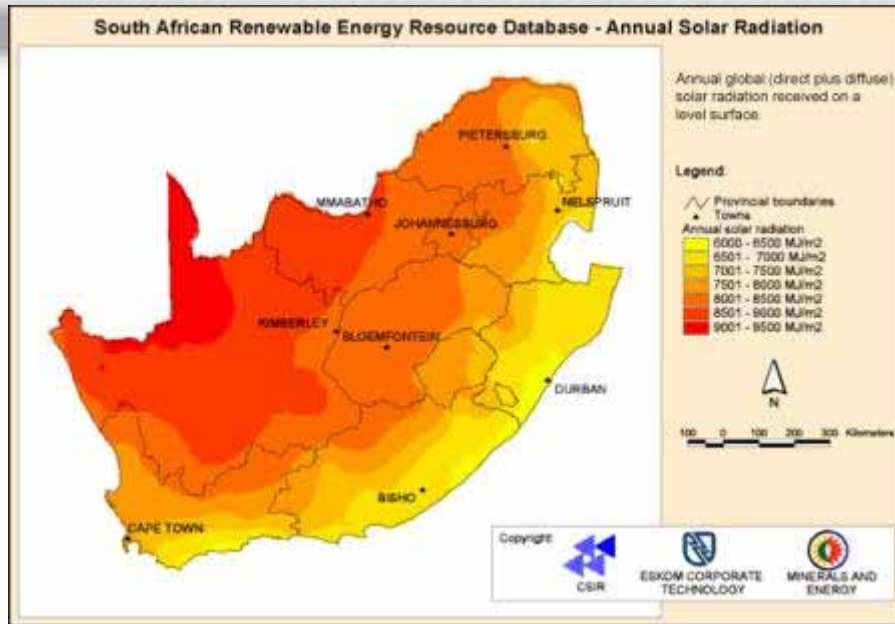
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Option No.	Supply-Side Options	Examples
0	Reduce site energy use through energy efficiency and demand-side renewable building technologies.	Daylighting; insulation; passive solar heating; high-efficiency heating, ventilation and air-conditioning equipment; natural ventilation, evaporative cooling; heat pumps;
On-Site Supply Options		
1	Use RE sources available within the building footprint and connected to its electricity or hot/chilled water system	PV, solar hot water, and wind located on the building
2	Use RE sources available at the building site and connected to its electricity or hot/chilled water distribution system.	PV, solar hot water, low-impact hydro, and wind located on parking lots or adjacent open space, but not physically mounted on the building
Off-Site Supply Options		
3	Use RE sources available off site to generate energy on site and connected to the building's electricity and/or hot/chilled water system.	Biomass, wood pellets, ethanol, or biodiesel that can be imported from off site, or collected from waste streams from on-site processes that can be used on site to generate electricity and heat
4	Purchase electricity from off-site RE sources, e.g REIPPP.	Utility-based wind, PV, emissions credits, or other "green" purchasing options. All off-site purchases must be certified as RE. A building could also negotiate with its power provider to install dedicated wind turbines or PV panels at a site with good off-site solar and/or wind resources

SA's renewable energy resource (WASA Phase 1)



South Africa's Renewable Energy Resource cont'd



Waste is another resource that can be exploited.

Examples: waste water (sewage), municipal solid waste, agricultural waste

Case study: Renewable Energy for Electrification of Rural Buildings in the Eastern Cape Province

- 3 year multinational EU (Garrad Hassan of UK, Netherlands Energy Research Foundation) - CSIR investigative project
- Objective: identify rural electrification opportunities using renewable energies linked to existing & new economic activities
- Output: identified implementable projects – emphasis on objective technological evaluations of energy efficiency & renewable energy in buildings
- Identified energy efficiency & renewable energy projects at Hluleka Nature Reserve & Lucingweni village on Wild Coast of Eastern Cape Province
- Both examples of NREL Option 2: Renewable energy based electricity generated within the boundary of the building site

Hluleka Nature Reserve and Lucingweni Village



Hluleka Nature Reserve

Lucingweni village



Rural Clinics


- No standardised South African rural clinic
- Provinces have developed their own design guidelines for their respective health facilities
- CSIR investigated patient flow patterns into and out of a typical basic clinic
- A general patient flow pattern was established
- Information used to design a generic rural clinic - standardised clinic
- Designed to be independent of municipal services, ie water, sanitation and energy

Energy requirements for standardised rural clinic

ELECTRICITY CONSUMPTION CALCULATION

QTY	ITEM / APPLIANCE DESCRIPTION	Power draw of item - Watts	Average hours run-time (each) per week	Watt-hours per week
4	Lights (external) 10hrs/day	40	70	11200
22	Lights (internal)	20	40	17600
1	TV 67cm	80	40	3200
1	Radio / Hi-Fi	30	30	900
1	Alarm System (48 hrs over weekend, 10hrs/day weekday)	30	98	2940
1	Fridge medium, modern energy efficient. 1700-2500 watt-hrs/day but depends lot on ambient temp, thermostat setting, door openings, content turnover. Select 2200 watt-hrs/day	2200	10	22000
1	Microwave medium (1hr/day)	1200	5	6000
1	Toaster 2hrs/day	800	10	8000
2	Computer (desktop) 14inch screen	175	40	14000
1	Printer (Dot matrix) 1hour/day	150	5	750
1	Kettle 2hrs/day - high power, use must be limited	1500	10	15000
5	Medical appliances, 5 items each 100w	100	20	10000
1	Vacuum cleaner	800	5	4000
1	other - switchboard small	50	40	2000
2	other - cell phone charger	100	20	4000
1	other - DSTV	40	40	1600
1	other - pump 5hrs/day	400	25	10000
1	other - contingency 0.5hr/day	1200	3.5	4200
1	other - contingency 0.25 hr/day	800	1.75	1400
TOTAL WATT-HOURS PER WEEK				138790

Standard clinic: CSIR Pretoria demo site - solar

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Based on a technical analysis of the expected electricity requirements of the clinic and the available roof space for solar panels, a demo standardised clinic on CSIR Pretoria campus can be powered solely by PV

Standard clinic: East London IDZ - wind



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Preliminary investigations indicate that a wind system is slightly cheaper than a PV only system, but is site dependent on the availability of renewable energy resources.

Preliminary recommendations for off-grid standard clinic

The following options are recommended for the clinic to function off-grid and independent of municipal services:

- Photovoltaic (PV) based system for the generation of electricity for sunny but wind free sites such as CSIR Pretoria campus.
- Wind based system for the generation of electricity for windy sites such as the East London Industrial Development Zone.
- Known renewable energy resources at specific site determines combinations of renewables used
- Solar water heating
- Liquid Petroleum Gas (LPG) for space heating and cooking.

Thank you



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