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WPs 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5

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WP 2.1 and 2.2 Retail refrigeration

Proof of concept prototype:

Chilled multi-deck (remote)

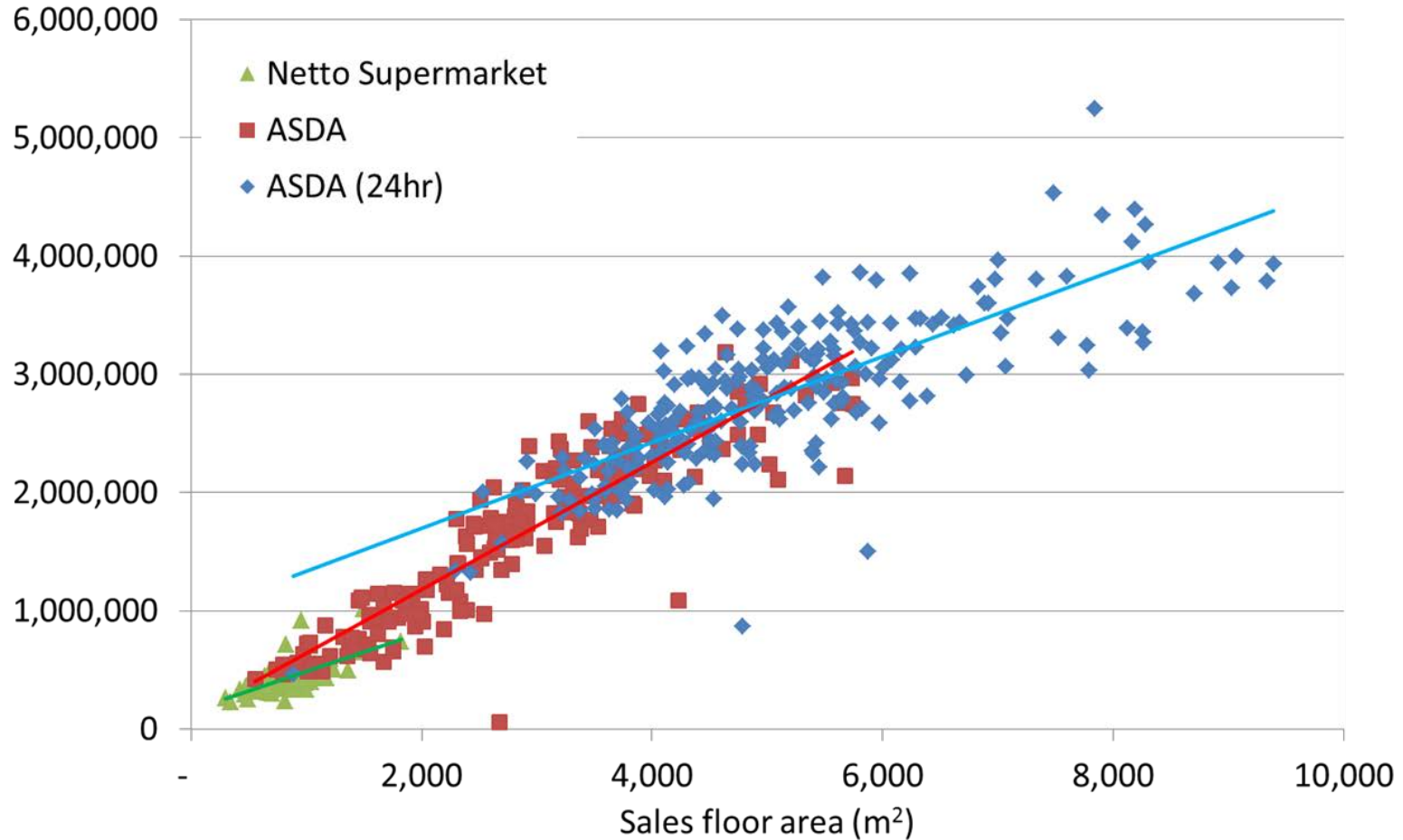
George Barker Leo cabinet (ASDA cabinet)

1. Baseline optimised with EC fans, LED lights, large evaporator, optimised air flow
2. Doors → **test currently sourcing**
3. AirCell (low temperature range), new high efficiency evaporator, optimised fans and air flow → **test completed confidentiality agreement**
4. Occupancy sensors (lights) → **test**
5. Low emissivity packaging → **test**



- Supermarket energy benchmarking project

Electrical energy consumption
per year (kWh)

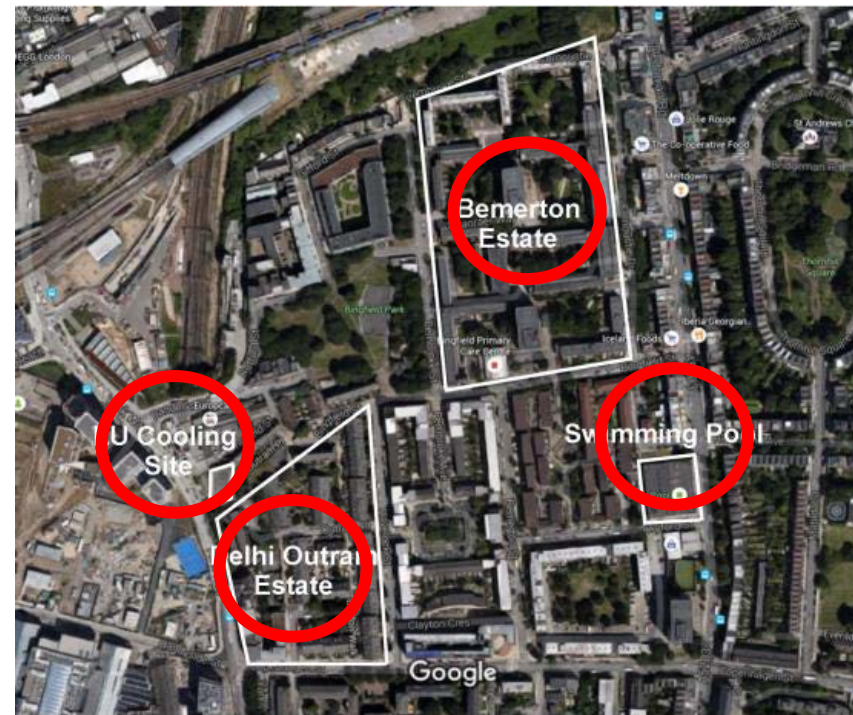
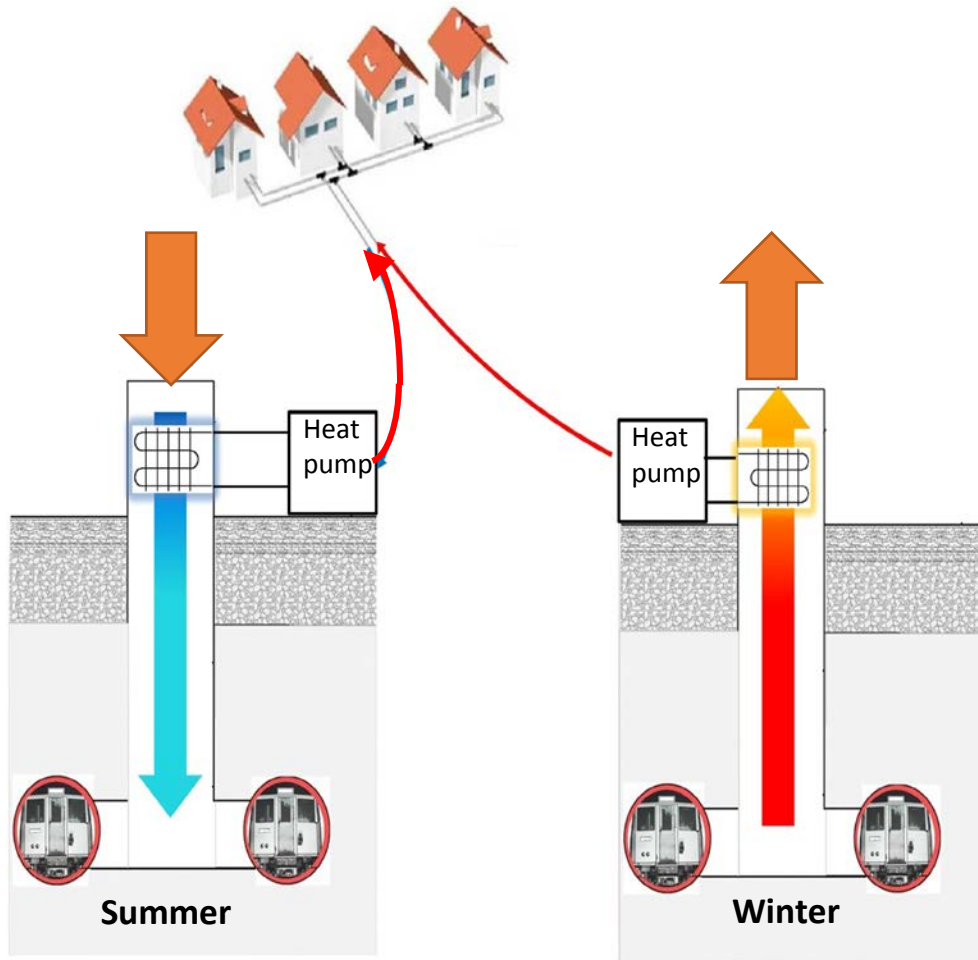


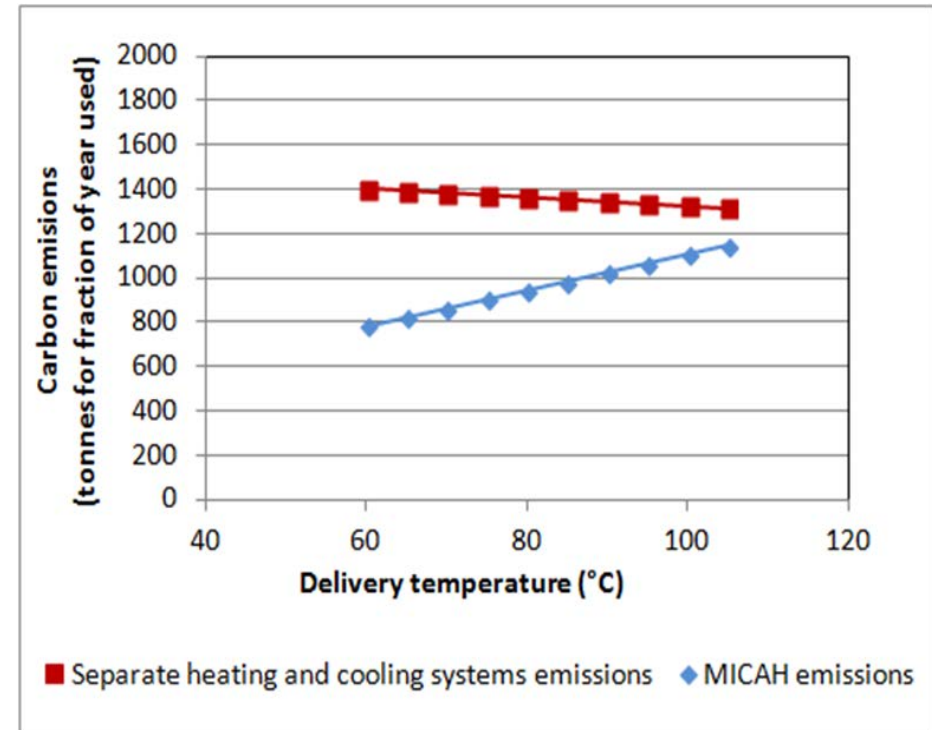
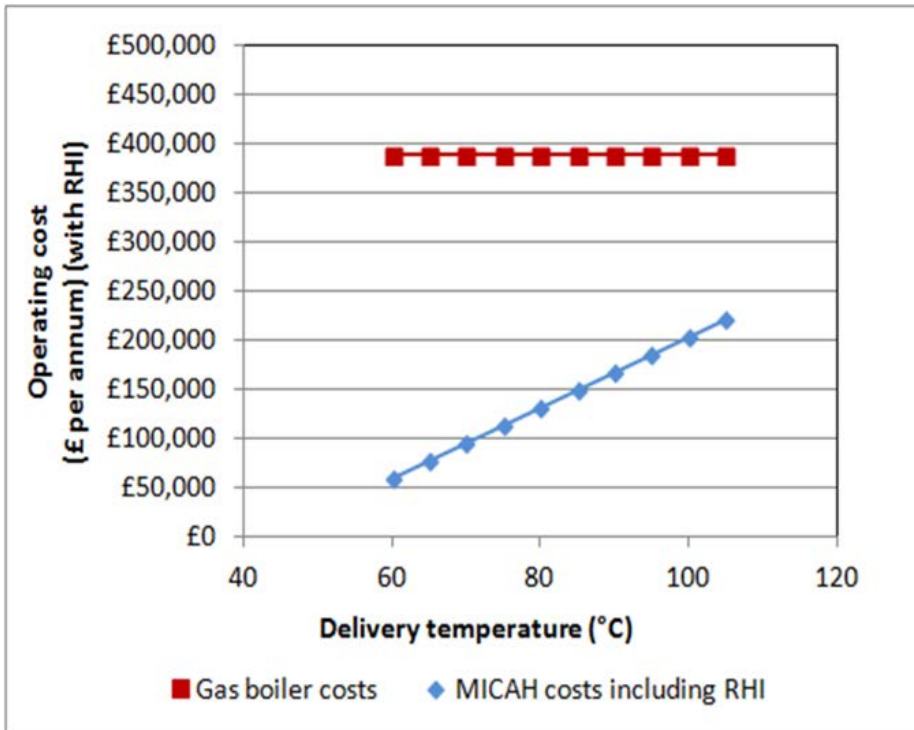
WP2.3 Data Centre Cooling, Waste Heat Recovery and Reuse



- Metropolitan Integrated Cooling And Heating – combined cooling and waste heat recovery
- A feasibility study funded by Innovate UK
- LU, Islington Council and LSBU
- Investigating costs and savings using a disused underground station
- Develop generic guidance/ benefits of LU waste heat recovery
- Other waste heat sources may also be used

Recovering Heat from Vent Shafts

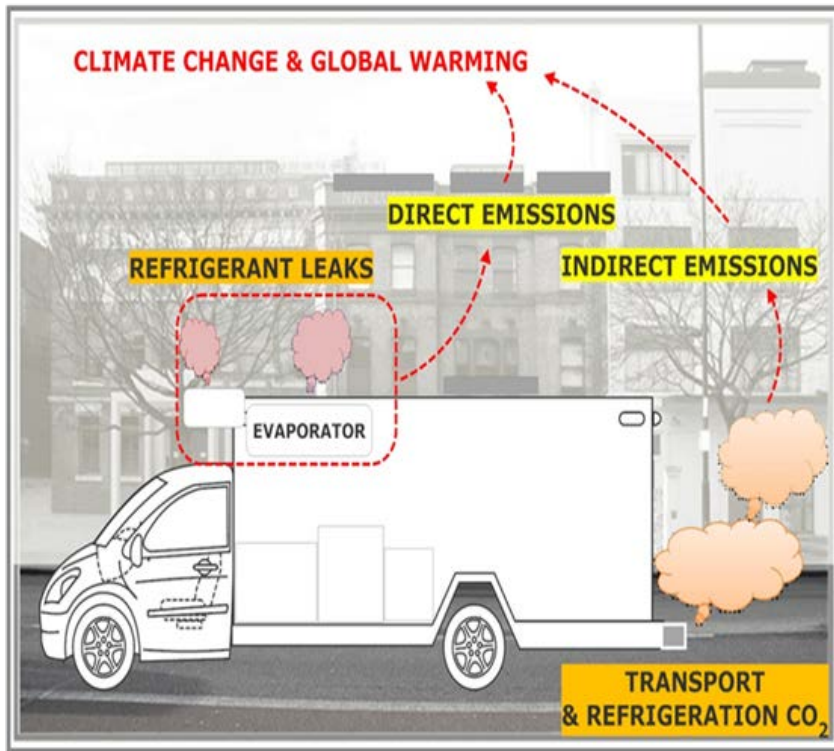




Comparison of conventional cooling and heating carbon emissions with MICAH

WP2.4 refrigerated road transport (RRT)

Background



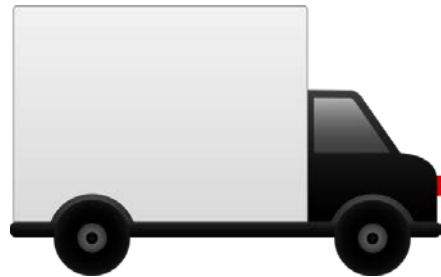
Deliverables

- Develop a model to investigate real contribution of direct and indirect emissions
- Optimising system performance

Data analysis – summary journey report

(18/12/2015 08:15 h – 18/12/2015 11:15 h)

Duration – 3 hours, Distance - 25 km



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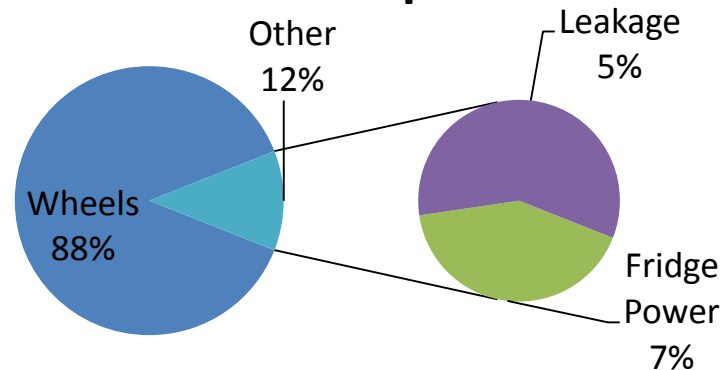
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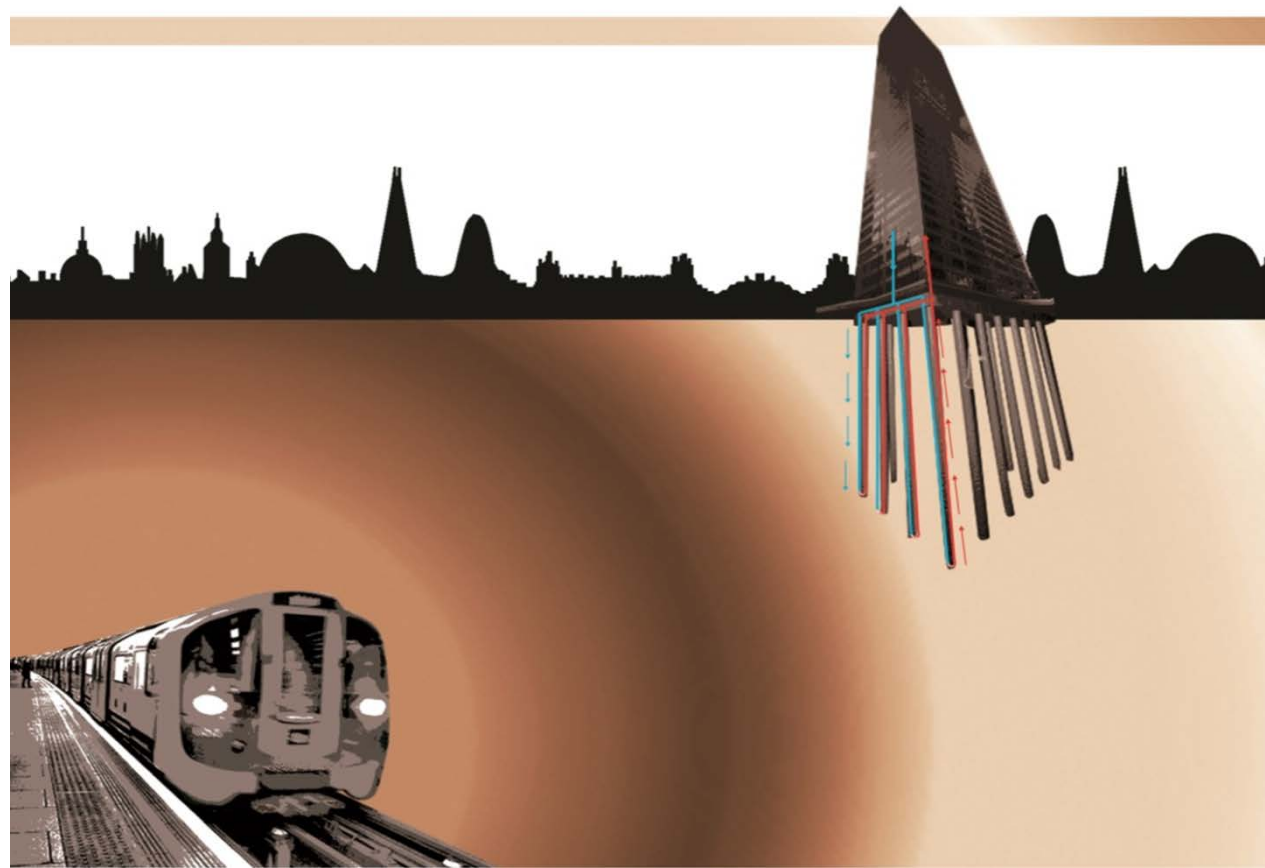
Carbon footprint



Work Package 2.5 - Integrated cooling, heating and storage

Deliverables

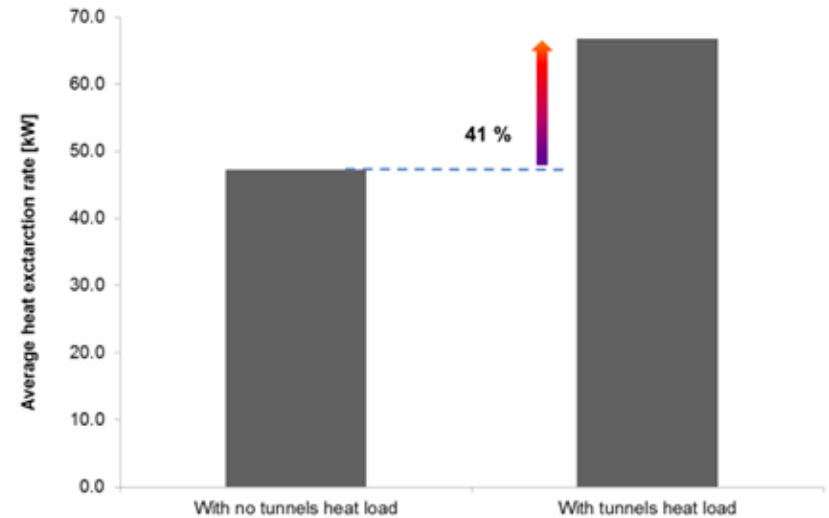
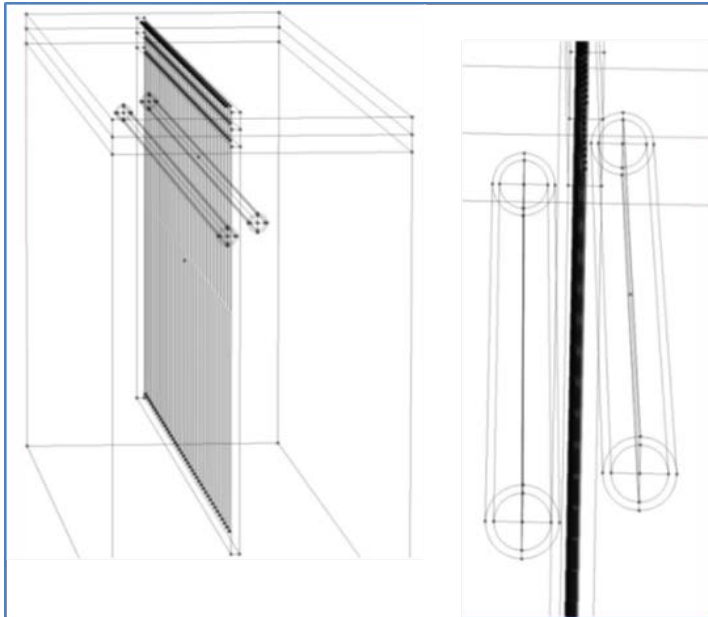
- To investigate the interactions of underground railway tunnels and ground heat exchangers
- To investigate the potential indirect use of waste heat from the tunnels to heat buildings above ground.



Some investigations and results

Ground heat exchangers built between multiple running tunnels

GHEs' heat extraction rate improved by 41 %



Upcoming Project: London Urban Sub-Terrain Energy Recovery - LUSTER

LUSTER will investigate the potential of heat energy recovery from urban sub-terrain structures, such as sewers, electricity cable tunnels and underground railway tunnels.

Project lead:
LSBU

Project start: September 2017

Duration: 18 months

Academic partner:
UCL

Industrial partners:
London Underground Ltd.,
Thames Water Ltd., REHAU,
Energy Innovation Centre



London South Bank
University

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Recognition

- Supermarket Road map completed – under review
- Data centre roadmap draft completed - under review
- Breakfast meeting at Houses of Parliament (Nov 2016)
- SIRACH, Cork, November 2016
- 3 papers at ASHRAE conference, Las Vegas, January 2017
- 2 papers at CIBSE ASHRAE Technical Symposium, Loughborough University, April 2017
- Francis *et al*, Investigation of refrigerant leakage in commercial refrigeration, *International Journal of Refrigeration*(2017)
- Annex 44 workshop in Beijing at 5th IIR Conference on Sustainability and the Cold Chain (ICCC2018) - April 2018 Conference



The Tube as you've never seen it before: Amazing picture of London underground workers is among the winners in science photo contest

- Photo, taken by Akos Revesz, won second place in Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council contest
- Judging panel of the EPSRC science photo competition consider images that demonstrate research in action
- Categories of contest, which is in its third year, include 'People', 'Weird and wonderful', 'Eureka' and 'Innovation'
- The winning photos include images of computer chips, brain cells, mating Costa Rican frogs and a robot teacher



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