

Utilisation of Digital Twin Technology to Enhance Building Performance

Hydronic System Digital Twins



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hydronic
system
optimisation

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1. Technology provider

Specialist digital twin software for design, simulation and optimisation of heating and cooling

2. Engineering and professional support services

3. Training

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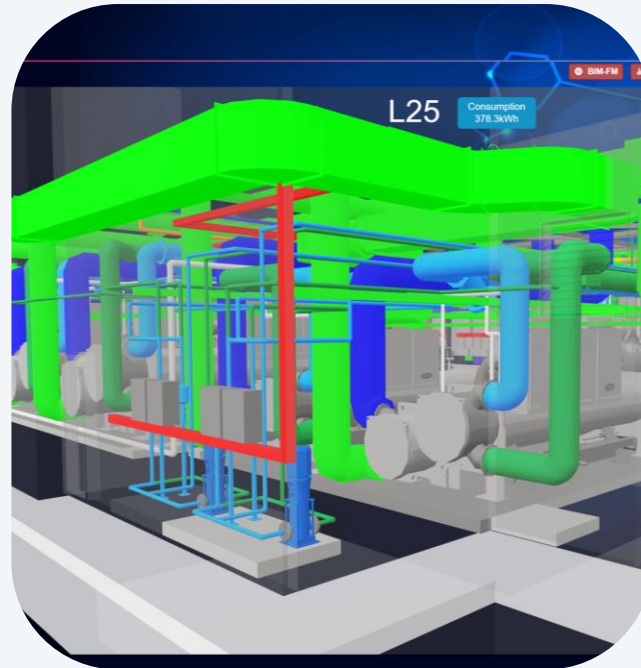


Building vs Hydronic Digital Twins

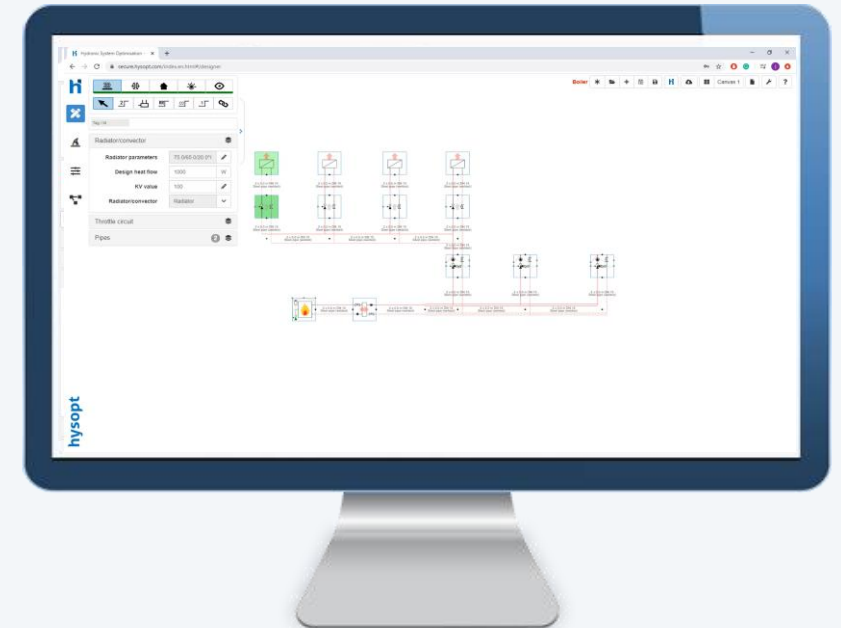
Whole Building
Digital Twin














BIM Model



Hydronic System
Digital Twin



Calculate performance
Optimise design
Eliminate performance gaps

	<p>Simulation & Comparison Tool</p> <p>Measure Performance at the design stage</p>	<p>Improve M&E Consultant Design</p> 	<p>2</p>  <p>Concept Design</p> <p>3</p>  <p>Developed Design</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Simulate and compare different system alternatives • Eliminate hydronic and control errors • Optimise temperature regimes, plant sizing, etc • Optimise energy consumption, operational cost, carbon savings and investment costs 	<p>Value</p> <p>Full transparency of performance at the design stage vs client KPI's</p> <p>Higher system efficiencies</p> <p>Lower opex / CO₂</p> <p>Lower capex</p> <p>Improved comfort</p>
	<p>Whole System Calculation</p> <p>Protect Design Integrity at the installation stage</p>	<p>Improve Quality of the Installation</p> 	<p>4</p>  <p>Technical Design</p> <p>5</p>  <p>Construction</p> <p>6</p>  <p>Handover and Close Out</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Detail the preferred design concept • Full system component selection and optimisation • Tender specifications • Calculate the performance impact of Value Engineering requests • Ensure the optimised design concept is not compromised • Calculate all component commissioning pre-sets for the entire system • Soft landings benchmark • Defects resolution 	<p>Value</p> <p>Less design time</p> <p>Lower compliance risk</p> <p>Fewer design errors</p> <p>Eliminate unnecessary oversizing of plant (capex)</p> <p>Measurable performance impact (component/plant alternatives)</p>
	<p>As Built Digital Twin</p> <p>Asset Lifecycle Management</p>		<p>7</p>  <p>In Use</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital asset of the final, optimised as-built hydraulic installation • What is in it and How it should perform • Operational vs Theoretical performance • Plan future upgrades/improvements 	<p>Value</p> <p>Energy/ CO₂ savings are delivered in real life</p> <p>Lower maintenance</p> <p>Longer life expectancy</p>

Renovation projects



Hospital Belgium

- 225ton CO2/yr
- 89k €/yr



Living & Care campus

- 35% savings CO2/yr
- 58% savings €/yr



Univ. Hospital Antwerp

- 27% savings CO2/yr
- 5% savings €/yr



Revalidation hospital

- 26% savings CO2/yr
- 17% savings €/yr



Innovation Centre – Netherlands

- CO2 savings = 103 ton = 37%
- Energy cost savings = € 29k → 36%



600 Student homes

- CO2 savings = 95,5 ton = 22%
- Energy cost savings = € 84k → 51%



Commercial Shop. Centre London

- CO2 savings = 88 ton = 34%
- Energy cost savings = € 46k → 43%



Univ. College London – Heat network (34 buildings)

- CO2 savings = 404 ton = 7%
- Energy cost savings = € 974k → 70%



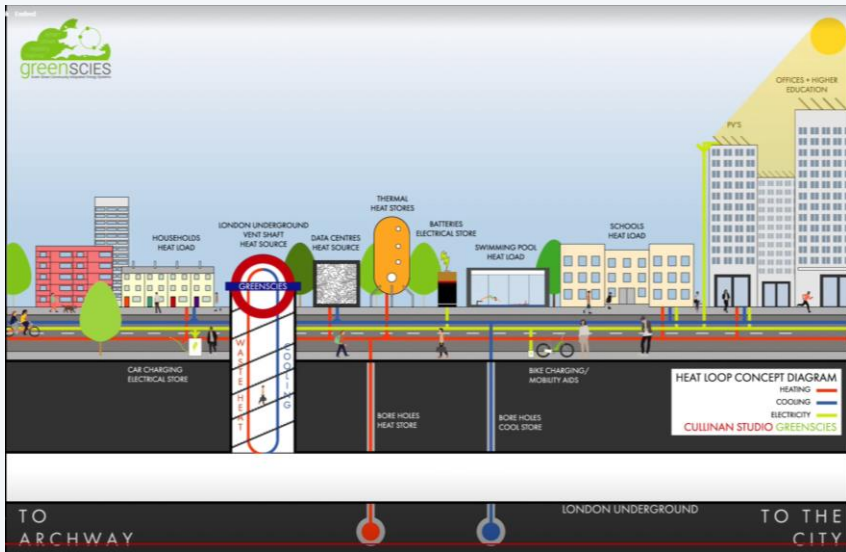
Hospital – Netherlands

- CO2 savings = 437,2 ton = 98%
- Energy cost savings = €32k → 45%



New build projects

GreenScies II – Ambient Loop Heat Network in London



ZNA – Cadix (Hospital)



AZ Sint-Maarten – (Hospital)



Hof Ter Schelde - (Carehome)



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Project scope:

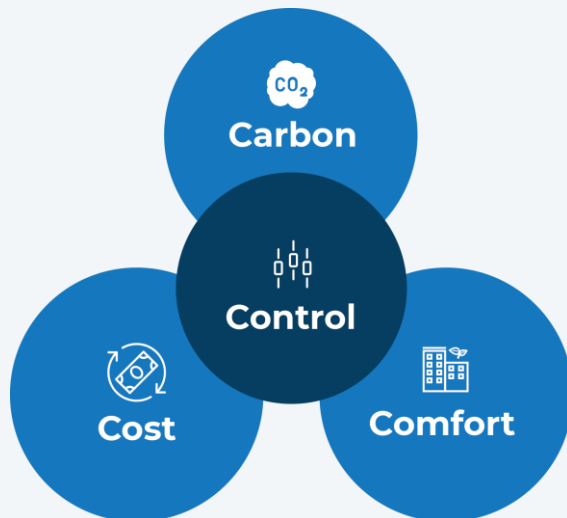
- Digital Twin of existing heating system
- Hydraulic optimisation
- Analysis on temperature regimes
- Introduction low carbon technology
- Net zero option



600 Student Homes

Achieved results

- Digital Twin for the life cycle management of system
- Decarbonisation strategy
- 19% annual energy cost saving
- 65% annual CO₂ reduction



Training – Hysopt eAcademy



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