

## Universal Smart Energy Framework

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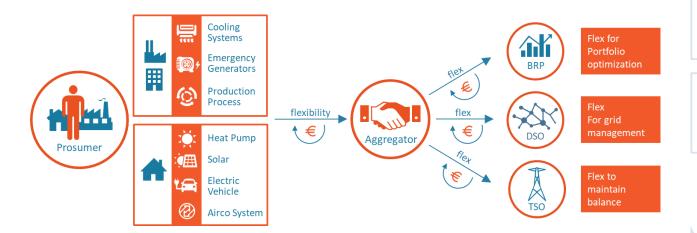
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A solid foundation for smart energy futures





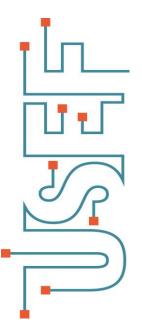
### **USEF**



- A solid framework, ready to be implemented
- Where the (independent) role of the DSO is strategically positioned
- Designed in cooperation with market parties and TSOs



### The USEF Framework:



A complete framework	<ul><li>A validated market model for flexibility</li><li>With active users</li></ul>
Defines roles & responsibilities	<ul><li>Clearly defining the roles &amp; it's responsibilities</li><li>Politically neutral</li></ul>
Information & Coordination Model	<ul><li>Who needs what information and when</li><li>E.g. Local Portfolio prognosis of an aggregator</li></ul>
Messaging & IT	<ul><li>Protocols and messaging</li><li>IT Reference implementation via GITHUB</li></ul>



### USEF development and implementations:

- USEF Framework since 2015
- Developed with 20+ European experts from DSOs, BRPs, AGR, SUPP, TSOs and regulators
- Validated by 15+ projects in Europe
- USEF is part of EG3 and EBIX
- Creating a platform role, by connecting users

#### So you can:

- Experiment with flexibility
- Connect to other (similar) actors who have implemented/validated it























# We proudly present:













## Thank you & stay in touch:

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#### **BACKUP SLIDE:**

#### More recent flexibility challenges:

- Allowing aggregation in national markets
- 2. Customer acquisition for flexibility
- 3. Independent aggregation including balance responsibility
- Use of existing exchanges for flex procurement
- 5. TSO / DSO Coordination on flexibility
- 6. Harmonize interfaces in the market (across Europe)

