

iSERVcmb Best Practice

Electricity savings of 25% per year by adjusting the operation of the A/C equipment.

UP-Porto 24 24 – PT

Introduction

This report summarizes the results of Alcochete 24 UP-Porto supermarket participation to the iSERVcmb project with regard to its HVAC system energy consumption. The report refers to the period from 2012 to 2013.

iSERV Achievements

Energy Savings

Electricity: 14 kWh/m².year

25%

HVAC electrical
consumption reduction

Cost Savings

Electricity: 1.7 €/m².year

Emissions Reductions

Electricity: 0,2 kgCO₂/m².year

Investment to achieve savings

1 €/m².year



	Key Figures
Location	Alcochete, Portugal
Sector	Retail
Construction Date	2007
Project Size	1319 m ²
EPC	N/A
Sub-metering Level	Party Metered
Data Frequency	Hourly
Data Collection Protocol	Meters and sensors attached to BMS
Data Sending Protocol	Automatically extract data & manually send to an email address
Nature of Savings achieved	Improved Operating Schedule Identified Oversized HVAC component(s)
No. HVAC Systems	5
HVAC Components	<input type="checkbox"/> Heat Generators <input type="checkbox"/> Cold Generators <input type="checkbox"/> All-in-One Systems <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Heat Pumps <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Air Handling Units <input type="checkbox"/> Pumps <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Units <input type="checkbox"/> Heat Recovery <input type="checkbox"/> Heat Rejection

Building Profile

Alcochete 24 UP-Porto is a supermarket of 1319 m² conditioned gross internal area with a single floor located in Alcochete, PT.

The supermarket is mainly a single place served by 2 AHU with heating and cooling variants. The building has secondary activities like a small office, a warehouse and toilets which are served by other HVAC systems. Cooling and Heating is provided by two independent split systems, one for each AHU, with a total Nominal Cooling and Heating Capacity of 112 kW and 115 kW, respectively.

Building Management System installed

The building systems are controlled by a BMS. The consumptions monitoring is achieved by this BMS system. The building is occupied from 9am to 9pm, 7 days/week.

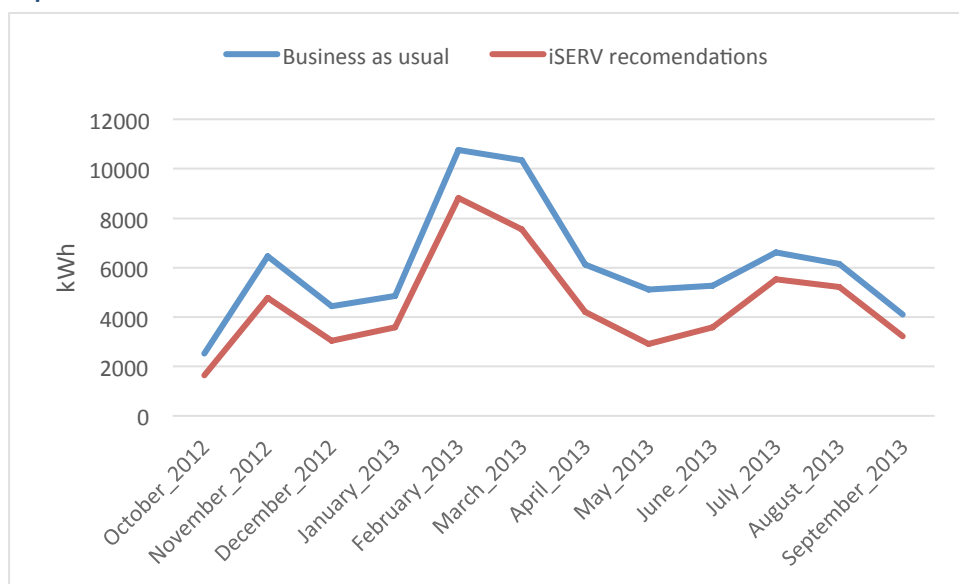
Savings of 19 MWh/y due to optimized HVAC control

The data provided starts at October 2012 and includes energy consumption electricity only of the HVAC components. Energy saving opportunities have been identified in the HVAC systems with a total estimated savings of 19 MWh on the analysed period.

This Energy conservation opportunities are mostly related to system control and oversizing of the HVAC equipment. This measures are

represented in the figure on the right and include AHU control improvement, turn off equipment when not in use and adjust the cooling and heating demand for the real requirements of the building. The estimated result of this measures could represent a reduction of 27% in the HVAC systems and consequently in the electricity use, without major investments. The reduction of the total annual building energy use can be reduced to 14 kWh/m².year.

The annual electrical savings achieved in the building are estimated in 18,182 kWh/year on the HVAC systems. This translates to annual electricity savings from the HVAC alone of approximately EUR 2,726/year.



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