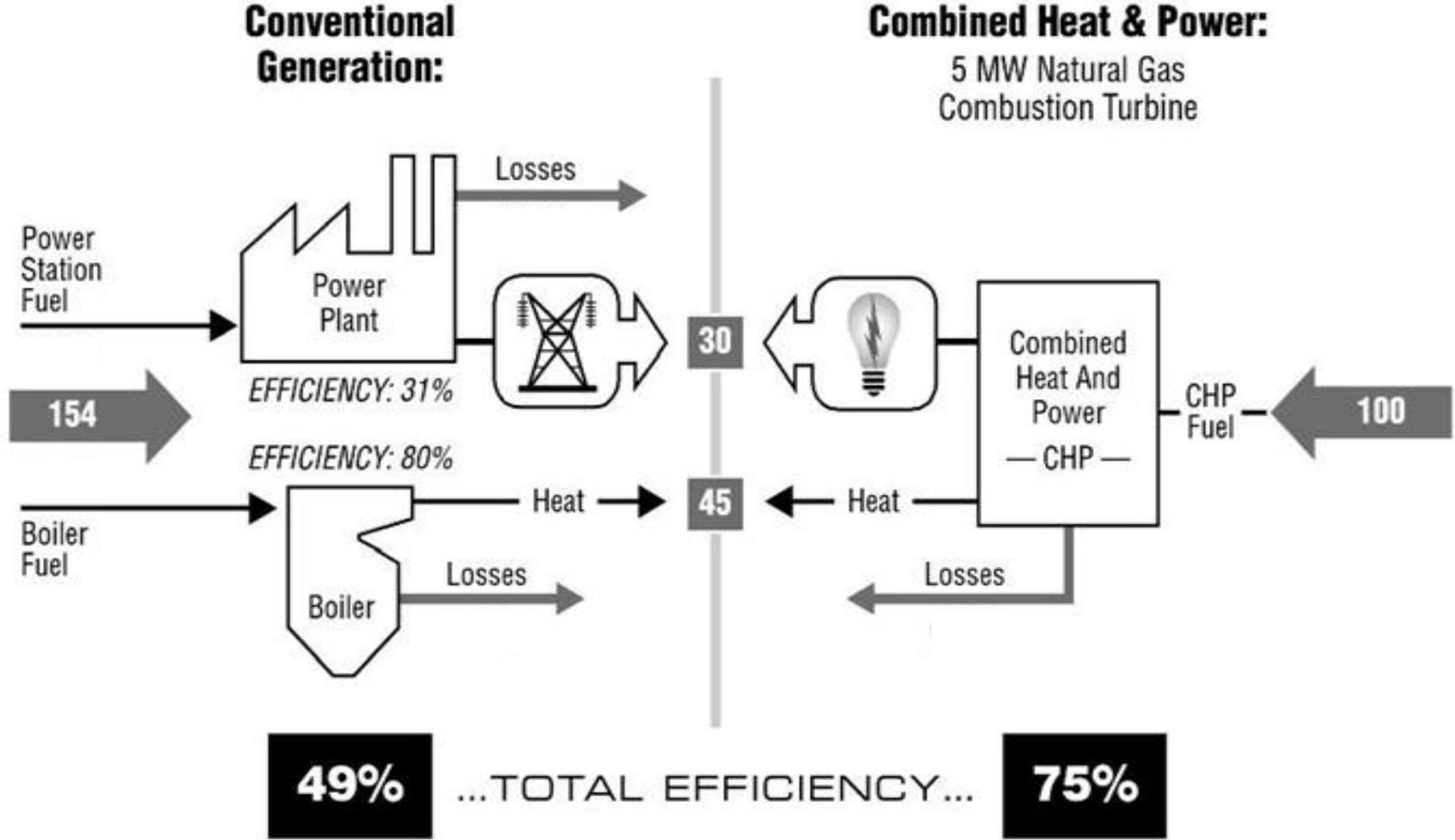

Increasing Energy Efficiency in Breweries with Gas Turbine Cogeneration



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Combined Heat and Power (CHP) increases efficiency



Source: U.S. EPA: Combined Heat and Power Partnership



Combined Heat and Power: Key Benefits

Why OP16 and CHP?

- Reduce production costs
- **Reduce energy costs**
- Convert waste into energy
- **Increase in profits**

- Increase productivity
- Innovative and cheap energy
- Energy efficiency at site
- Potential to control energy prices through CHP
- Energy security → **Independent energy generation**
- Packaged and simple solution
- **Reliable** power generation

- **Economic support**
- Subsidies for Cogeneration projects
- Reduce emissions

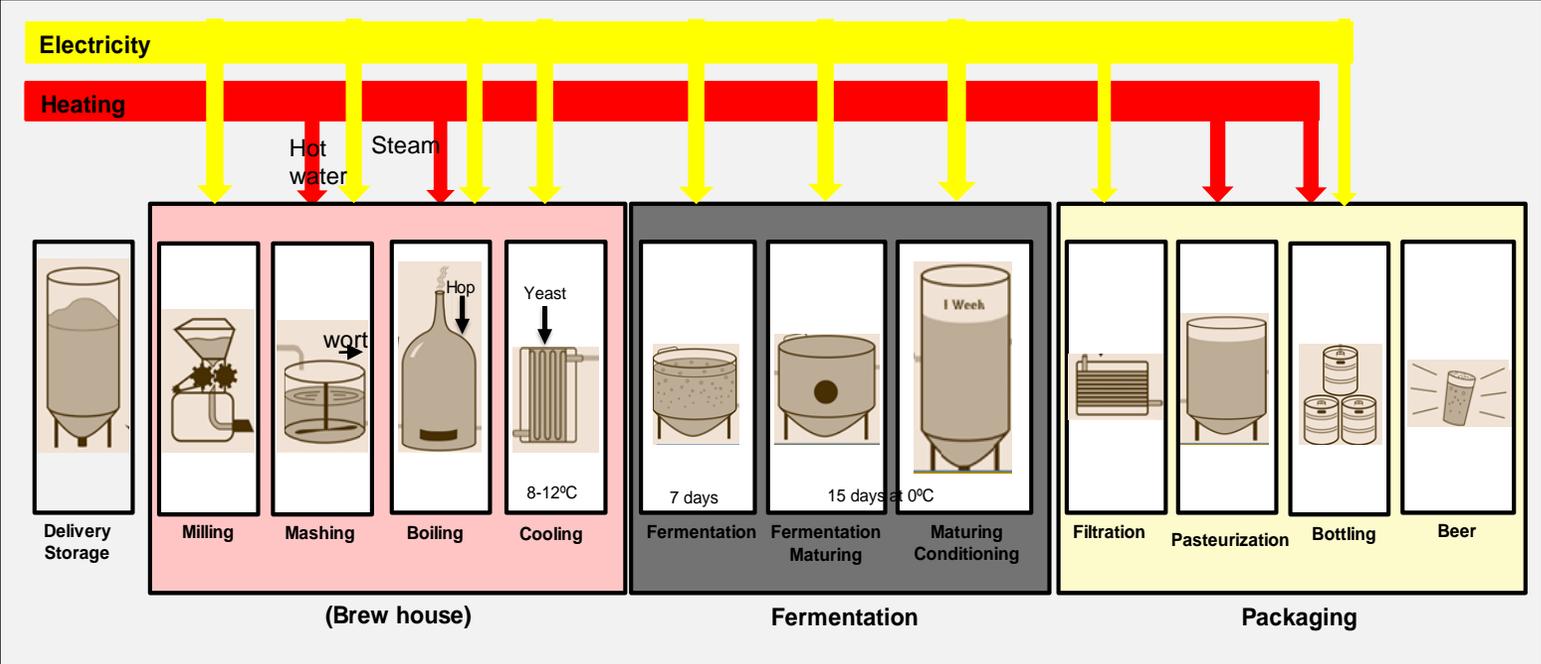
Independency, Reliability, Availability & Profitability

Breweries: Introduction

- Beer: Produced through fermentation of barley or wheat
- Energy intensive process
- Energy accounts for 3-8% of beer production costs
- Emphasis on environmental impact
 - Energy saving technologies (CHP)
 - Waste water treatment



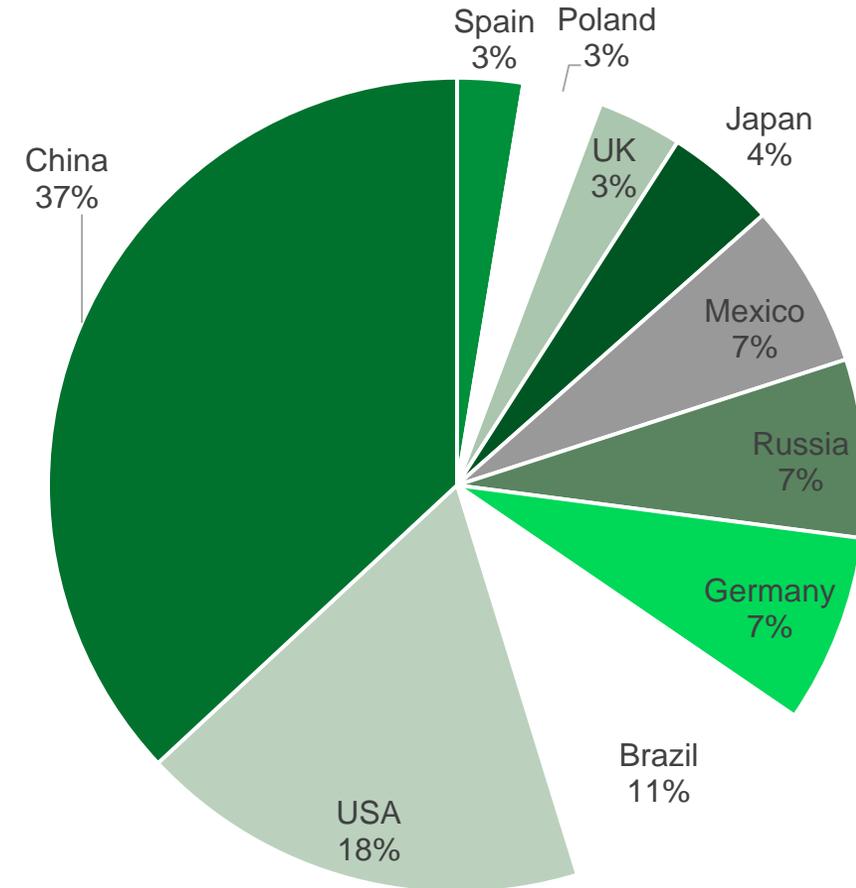
Breweries: Manufacturing Process



- Malting**
 - Malt is weighted, cleaned, stored
 - Malt is milled and treated
- Mash tank**
 - Malt and adjuncts mixed in hot water
 - Insoluble grains are separated
 - Water is drained, wort is obtained
- Boiling**
 - Wort is boiled with hops
 - Wort is cooled to 8-20 C, strained, filtered
- Fermentation**
 - Yeast is added to the cold wort
 - Beer is “maturated” and stored
- Filtration**
 - Beer contains yeast and bacteria
 - Pumped to the bright beer tank
- Packing and CIP**
 - The beer is bottled and carbonated
 - Equipment is deeply cleaned (CIP)

Breweries: Market Distribution

- Worldwide production 200 Billion liters per year
- China is the leader in the production, followed by USA
- Germany production leader in Europe
- Both microbreweries and major breweries present in each country

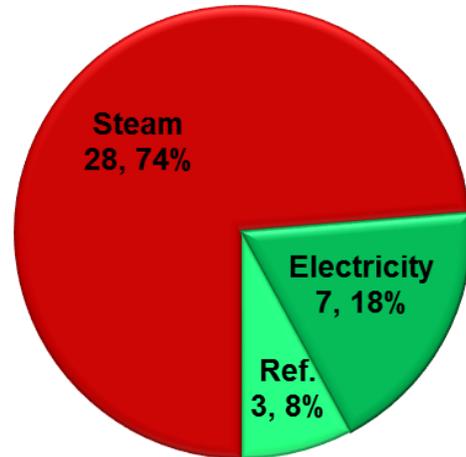


Breweries: Energy Distribution

- Specific Energy Consumption:
 - Amount of energy required to produce 1hL of beer
- Heat to Power ratio favorable for Combined Heat & Power

| Utilities | Energy level |
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| Hot Water | 70-80°C [158-176°F] |
| Steam | Low Pressure Saturated Steam 5-20 bar [70-290 PSI] |

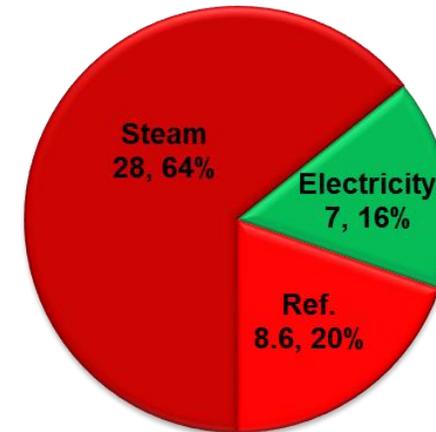
Cogeneration (Electrical Chillers)



- Specific Thermal Energy Consumption (KWh/hL)
- Specific Electrical Energy Consumption (KWh/hL)
- Specific Electrical Energy for Refrigeration (KWh/hL)

Heat to Power Ratio=2.8:1

Trigeneration (Absorption Chillers)



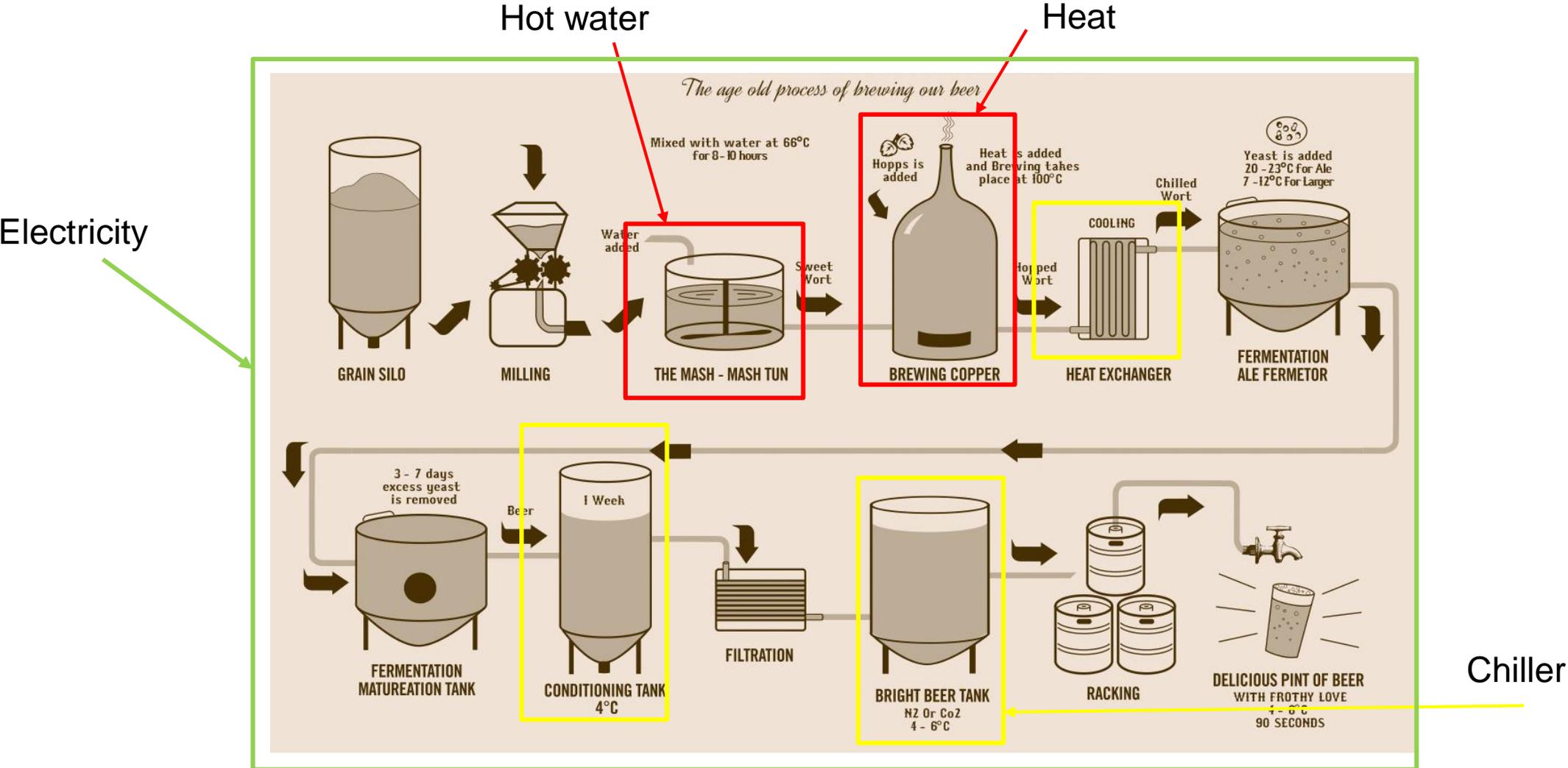
- Specific Thermal Energy Consumption (KWh/hL)
- Specific Electrical Energy Consumption (KWh/hL)
- Specific Thermal Energy for Refrigeration (KWh/hL)

Heat to Power Ratio=5.2:1

*Assuming COP=4 for electric chillers

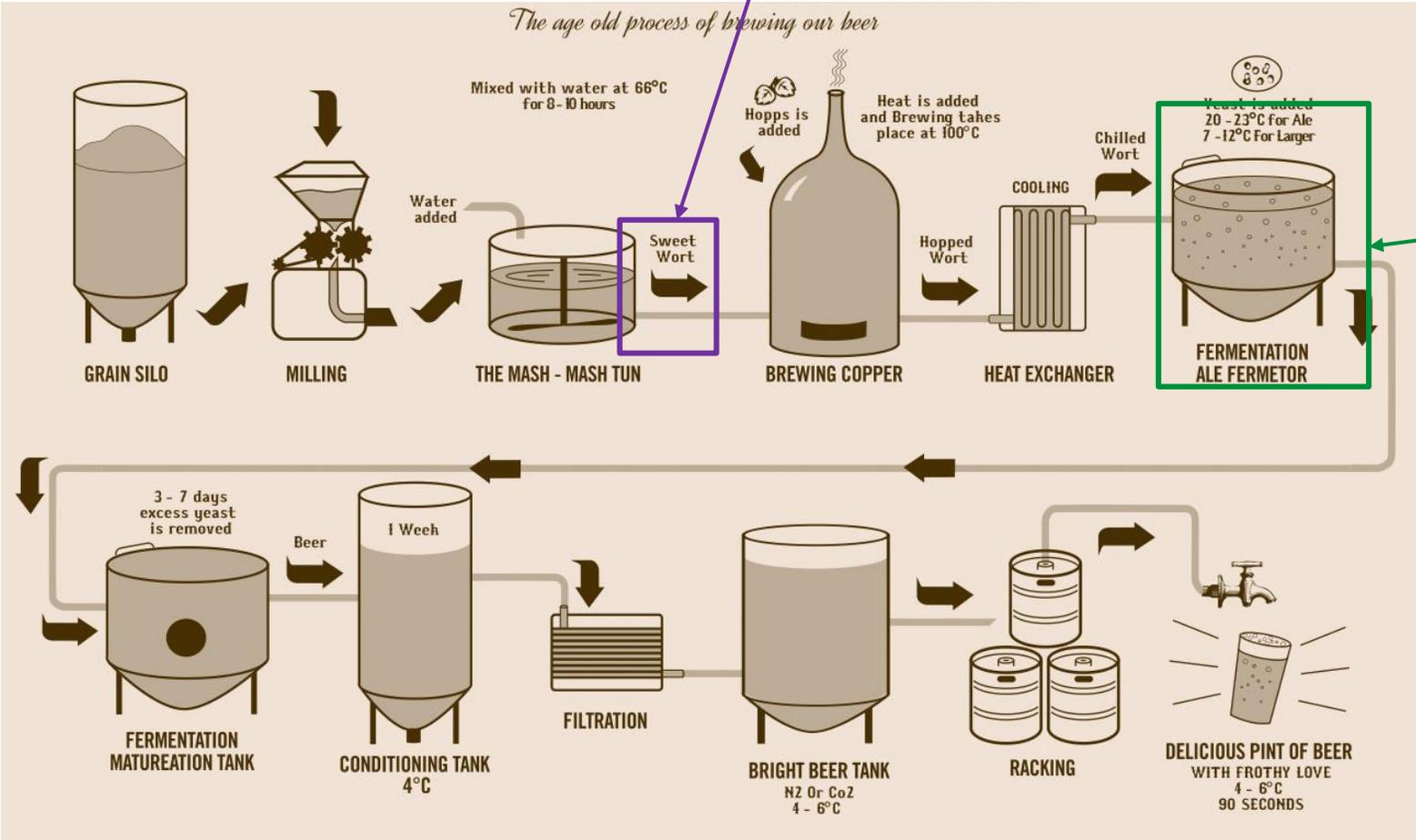
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Breweries: Energy Consumption



Breweries: Waste to Power

Grains disposal & waste water

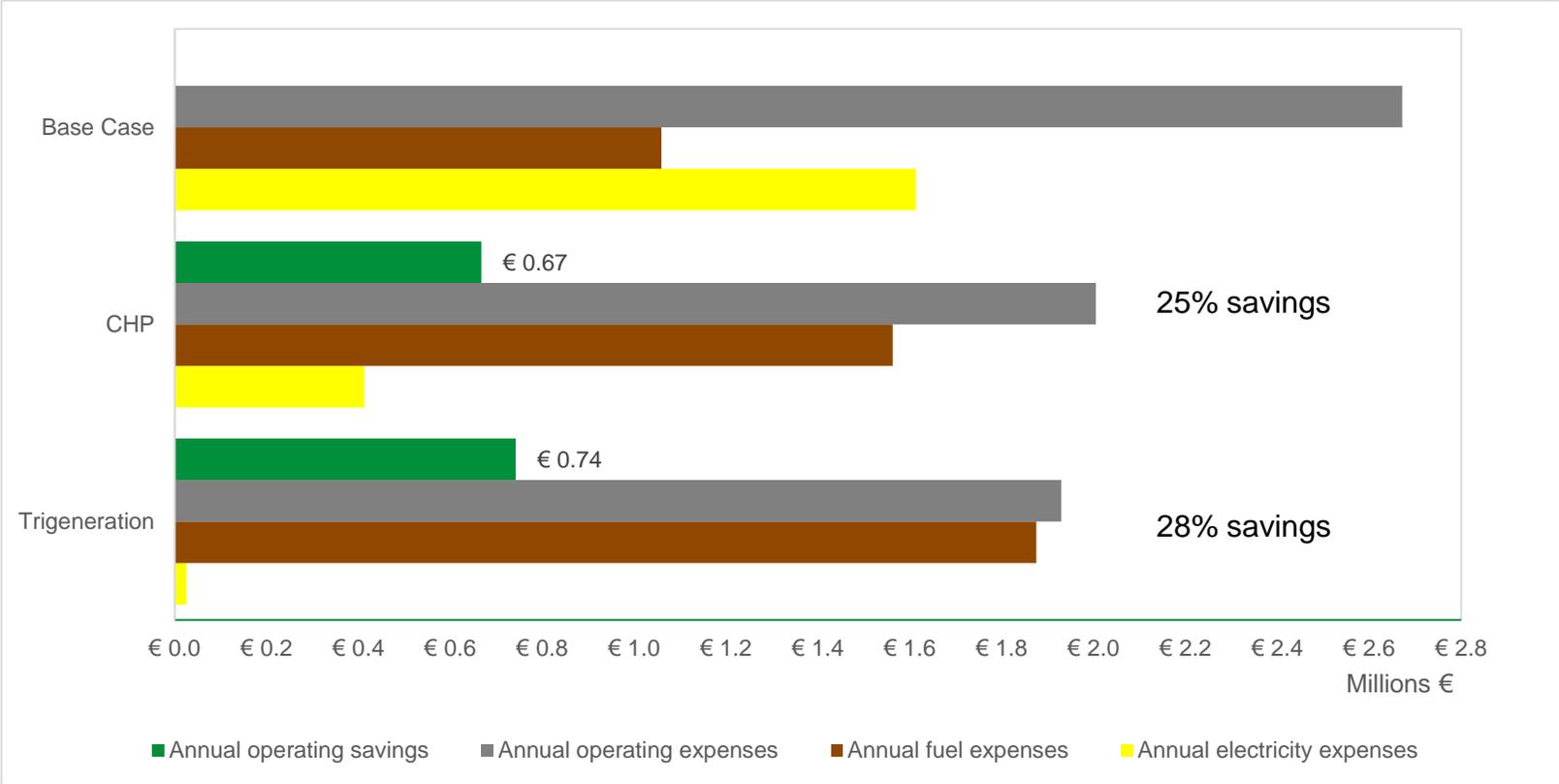


Breweries: Energy Consumers

- High thermal energy consumption:
 - Brewhouse
- High electricity consumption:
 - Chillers
 - Compressed air
 - Auxiliary Drives
- Anaerobic wastewater treatment
 - Biogas (Siloxanes & H₂S)
- Gasification
 - Spent grains gasification
 - Syngas for OP16 gas turbines



Breweries: Feasibility Study (European Market)



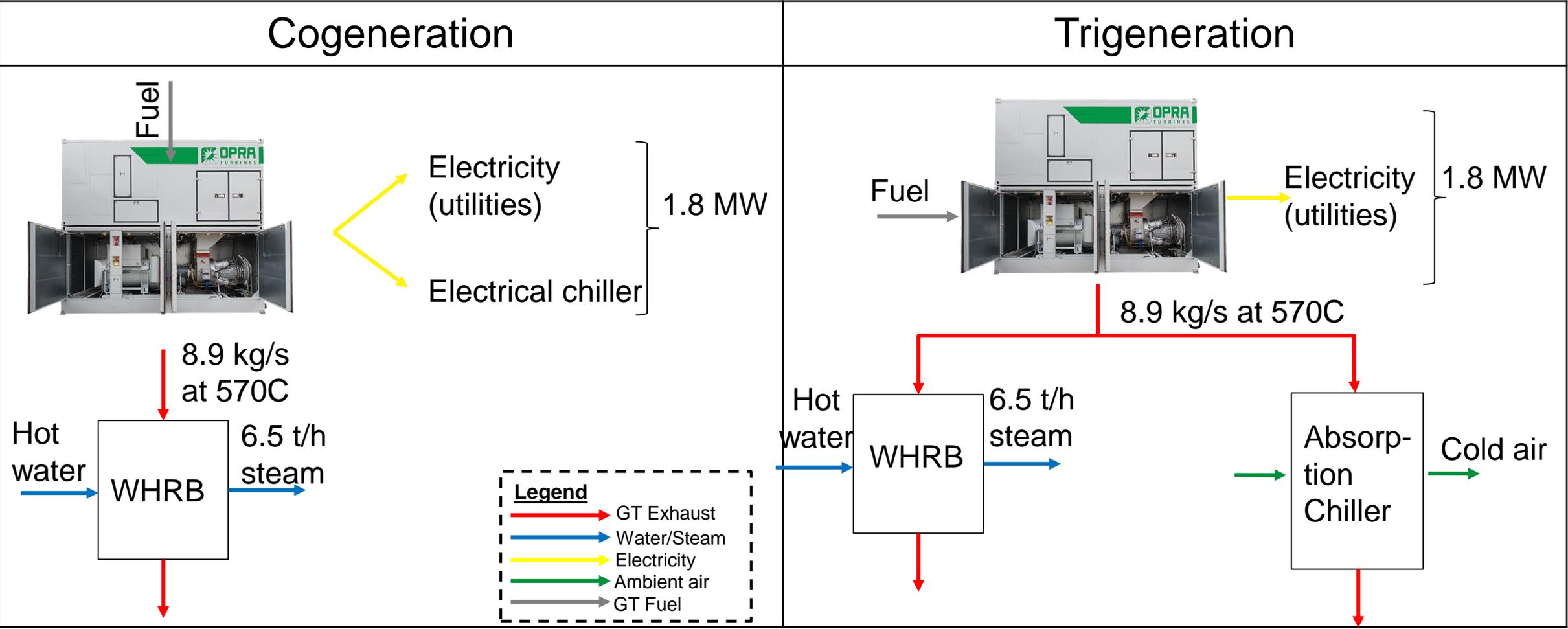
| Brewery Size | 1.3 million hL |
|-----------------------|--|
| Electricity Demand | 2,500 kWe |
| OP16 Exhaust Heat | 4,500 kWth |
| Chiller capacity | 640 RTons |
| Sat. Steam production | 6 tph [13,227 lb/hr] @12bar [174 Psia] |
| Natural Gas Price | 0.028 €/kWh |
| Electricity Price | 0.084 €/kWh |

- ✓ High Operational Savings: >25%
- ✓ Quick payback:
 - ✓ 3.6 years (Trigereneration)
 - ✓ 3.2 years (CHP)

*Trigereneration calculations are including the investment cost of absorption chiller.
 ** All calculations for Cogeneration and Trigereneration includes complete turnkey costs i.e. CAPEX and OPEX.

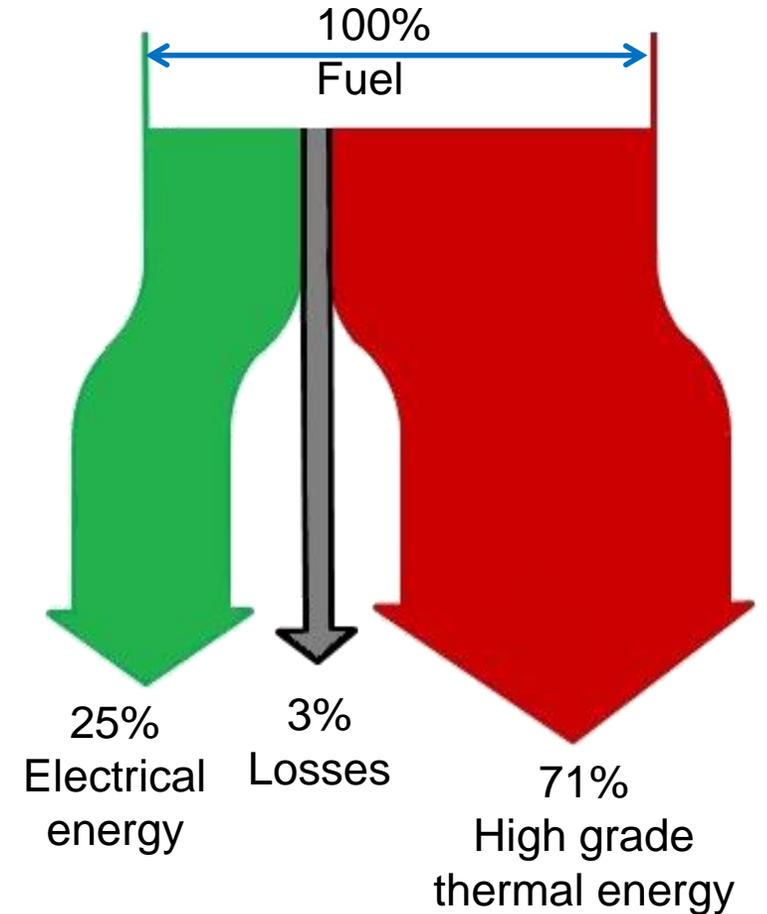


Cogeneration & Trigeneration Integration in Breweries

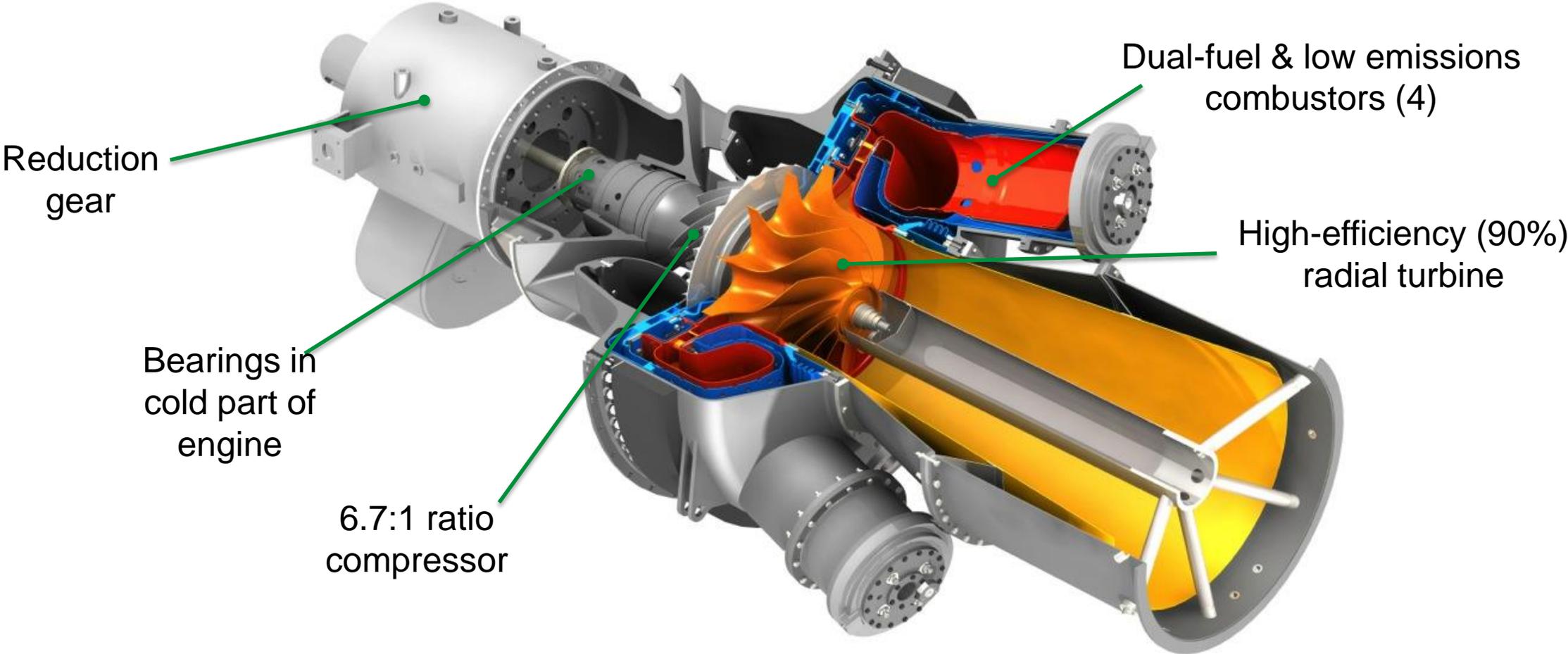


Gas Turbines: Unique points

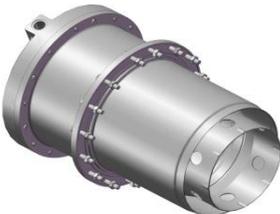
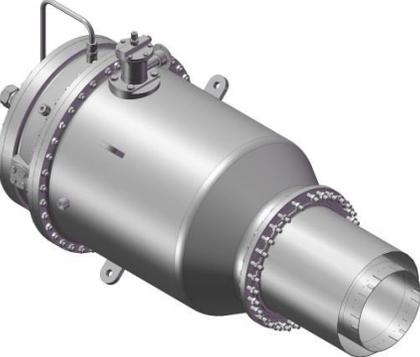
- High heat to power ratio (~3:1): OP16 generates 1,876 kW_e with 4,500 kW_{th}
- Utilization of **hot and clean exhaust**:
 - High pressure and temperature steam production for brewhouse
 - Drying of spent grains
 - Operation of absorption chillers
- **High** combined **efficiency** (~90%)
- **Continuous** and **reliable** power and heat
- **Low emissions** of OP16 turbines
- **Fuel Flexibility**: multiple fuel use
 - Biogas from waste water treatment
 - Syngas from spent grains gasification
- Compact and Modular: Easy integration into existing process

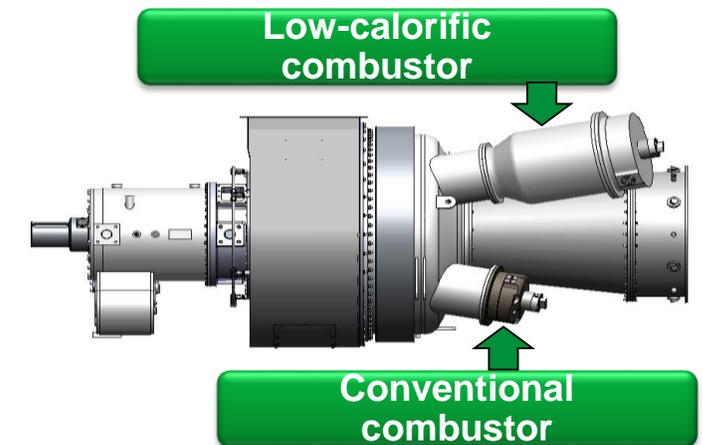
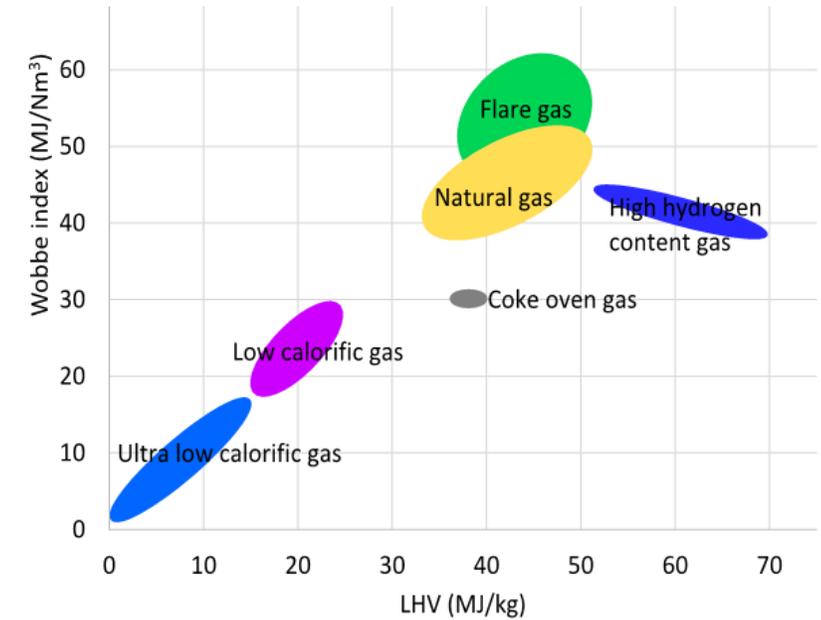


Introduction: OPRA Turbines



Introduction: Combustion Technology

| OP16-3A | OP16-3B | OP16-3C |
|---|--|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Conventional diffusion type combustor ▪ Gaseous and liquid fuels between 20-70 MJ/kg ▪ Dual fuel operation  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Dry low emission combustor ▪ Gaseous fuels between 30-51 MJ/kg ▪ Diesel as back-up fuel  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Advanced diffusion type combustor ▪ Gaseous and fuels between 5-25 MJ/kg ▪ High calorific fuel as back-up  |





Thank You

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