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# Solar Energy in Urban Planning Processes

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# THE PLANNING PROCESS

# The life-cycle of the city, building and material

## - The role of the urban planner

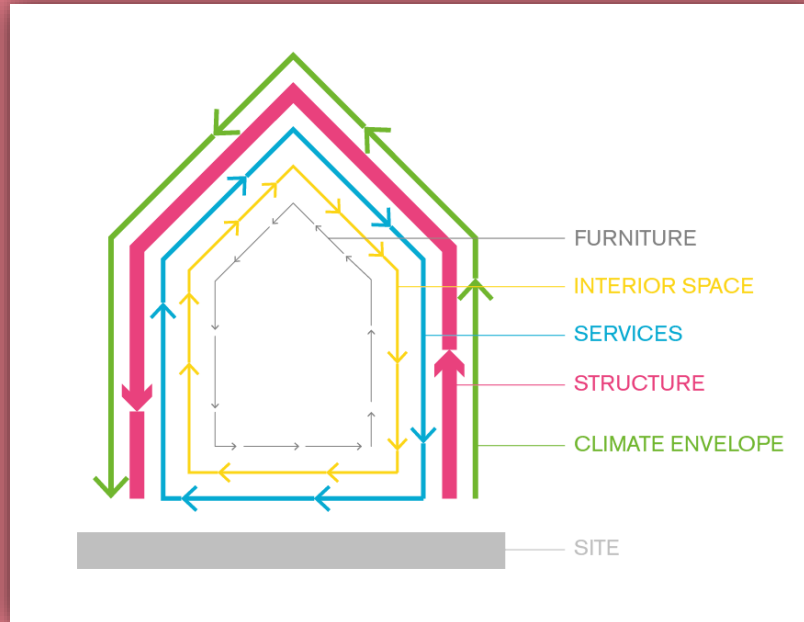
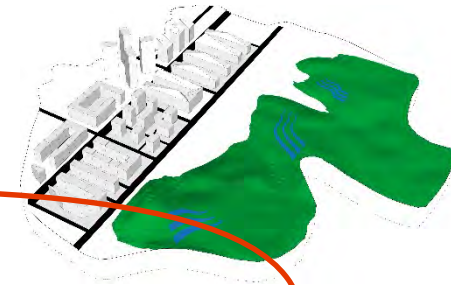


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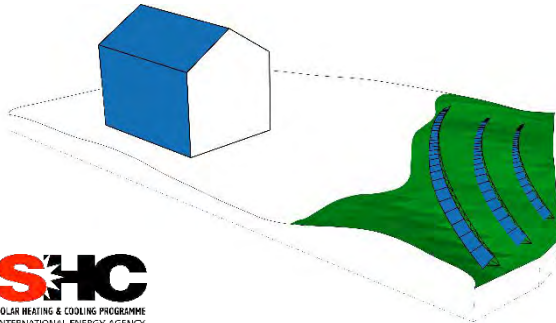
Within the **Comprehensive/Strategical Planning**, visions and strategies to reach certain goals are developed and connected to land use and zoning. Can be regional and municipal/city scale plans.  
Scale 1:2000 – 1:100.000



In the **Urban and Landscape Design** stages the urban fabric and morphology is decided for a city district or for a landscape area.  
Scale: 1:1000 – 1:5000

At the **Architectural Design** stage new and existing buildings or landscape systems are designed or altered.  
Scale: 1:10 – 1:500

**Detailed Development Plans** are the implementation of the urban design, and the land use is regulated into legally binding documents.  
Scale: 1:500 – 1:2000





# Stockholm Royal Seaport

- 12 000 dwellings
- 35 000 working places
- 600 000 sqm commercial space
- 236 ha
- First buildings finished in 2012
- Area finishing 2030
- City owns the land





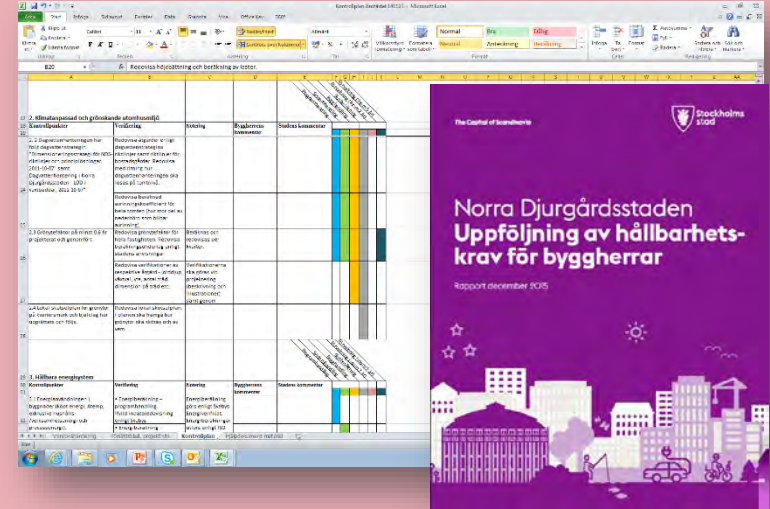


## Targets and Vision



## Implementation

- Specific requirements



## Follow-up

# Energy principles

- Local energy generation
- Energy efficient buildings
- Low CO<sub>2</sub> impact from embodied energy
- Energy efficient construction

# Locally Generated Energy

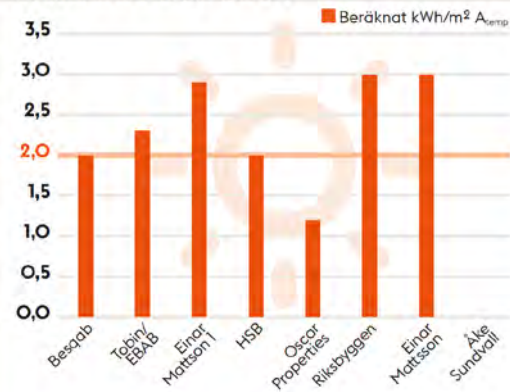
Diagrams extracted from follow-up report of Stockholm  
Royal Seaport, by City of Stockholm



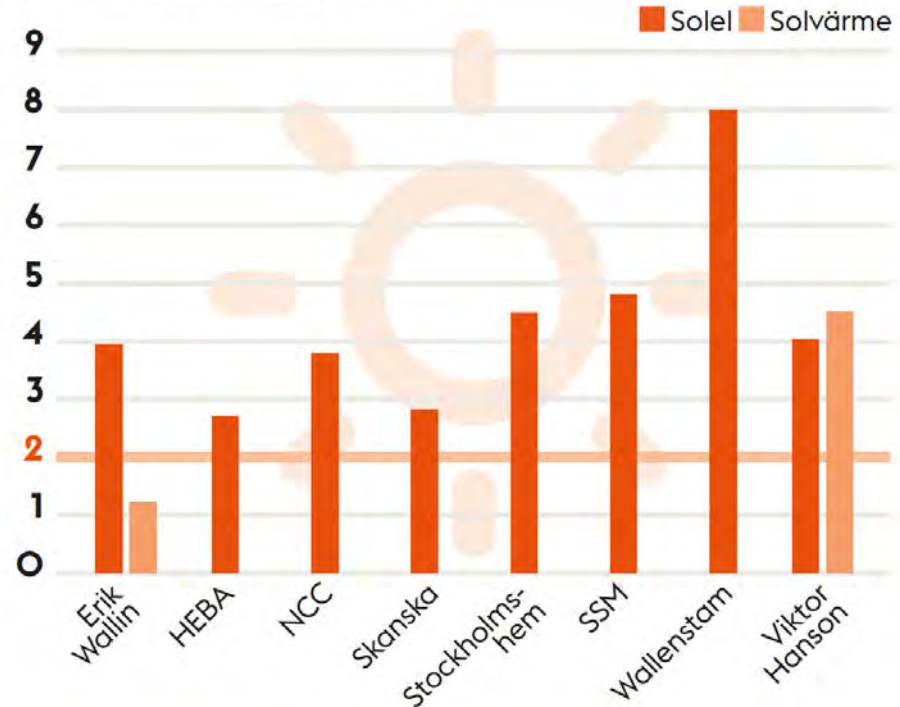
## Requirement

2 kWh/m<sup>2</sup> PV, or  
6 kWh/m<sup>2</sup> solar  
thermal or a  
combination

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# SUCCESS FACTORS

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- **Early dialogue between local authority and developers**
- **Specific requirements connected to overall vision and strategies**
- **Capacity building and knowledge sharing**
- **Robust organisation with sustainability manager**
- **Clear process: land procurement → architectural competition → sustainability implementation programmes**

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Illustration based on formal plan by Uppsala municipality

Frodeparken

New building



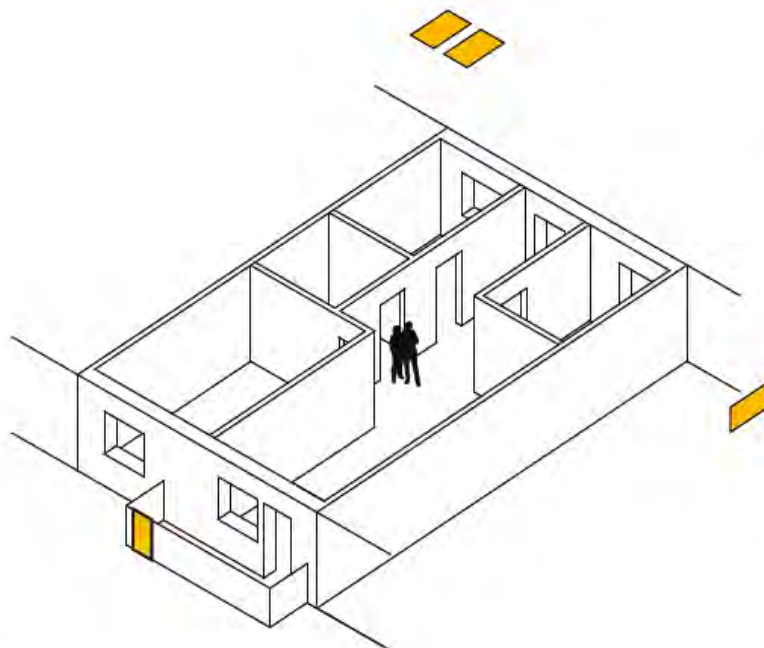
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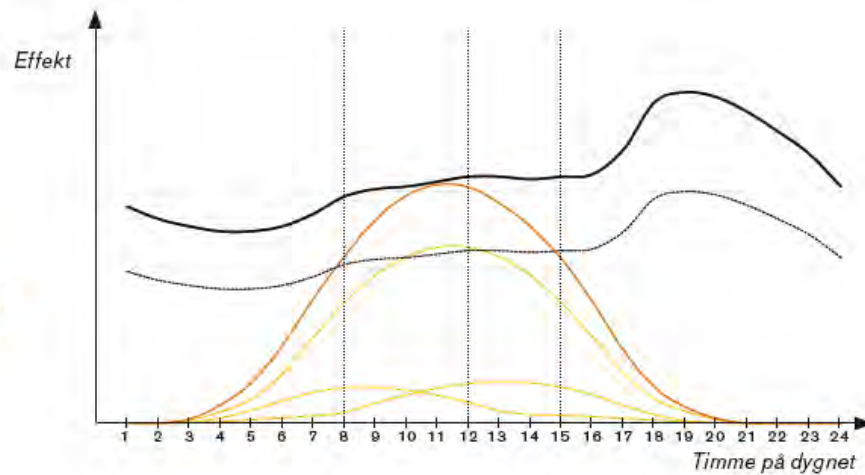
# LOAD MATCH

## EXEMPEL: 3 ROK

Paneler på tak + östsydöstfasad + sydsydvästfasad



Takpaneler	ca 2,0 m <sup>2</sup>
Paneler på östsydöstfasad	ca 0,2 m <sup>2</sup>
Paneler på sydsydvästfasad	ca 1,1 m <sup>2</sup>



	behov
	producerad el
	producerad el totalt





Energy coverage per building =  
Energy generation  
energy need



STADSBYGGNADSPRINCIPER

*Energiproduktion/energibehov:*

1,7 (PV) - 2,2 (ST)

*Energiproduktion/m²:*

90 (PV) - 315 (ST)

# THANK YOU!

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