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The opportunity to harness deep geothermal energy	Dr Kieran Mullan MP
Why and where is it hot down there?	Dr Andrew Cripps, Triple Point
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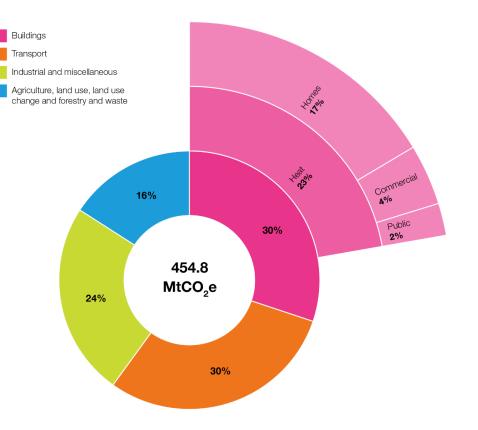








- Net Zero means nearly all buildings need to be decarbonised by 2050.
- There are around 30 million buildings in the UK, responsible for ~30% of our national emissions
- Supply chains for key technologies are growing but remain at an early stage of development.
- **Target for a fifth of heat demand** will be supplied by heat networks by 2050 to support decarbonisation objectives.



































The opportunity to harness deep geothermal energy













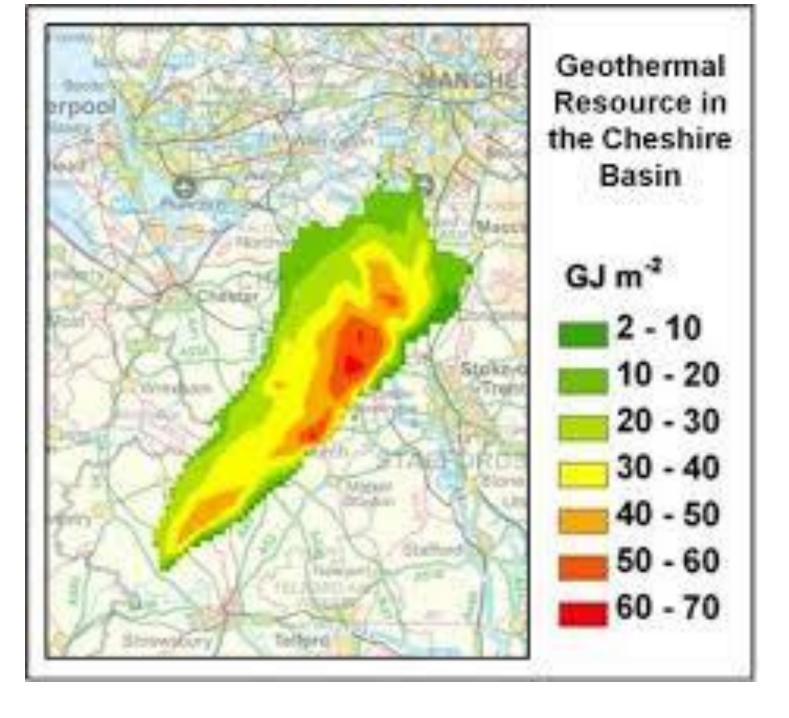


This morning I want to talk to you about...

- My background & interest
- Talk about my review for the PM
- Talk about the opportunities and imbue you with confidence!
- Key lessons from my review
 - Understanding risk
 - Importance of stakeholder engagement

The day I first met Geothermal

- I KNEW NOTHING
- Approached on the street....
- Approached again by a company in December 2020
- Looked into it more seriously

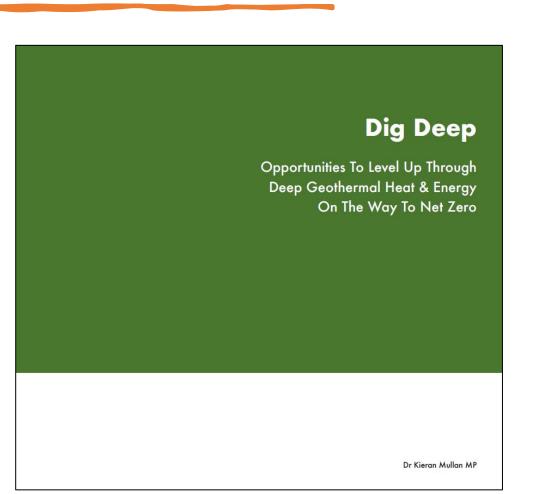


The role of Parliament

- Profile raising
- If Ministers have to answer questions, the civil service need to find the answers!
- Stage 1 answer is off the shelf
- Stage 2 answer is off the shelf
- Stage 3 answer is off the shelf
- Stage 4 answer is not off the shelf...maybe

Report for the PM

- Spent a year on a deep dive
- Visited a plant in Munich, Germany
- Spoke to geologists and industry



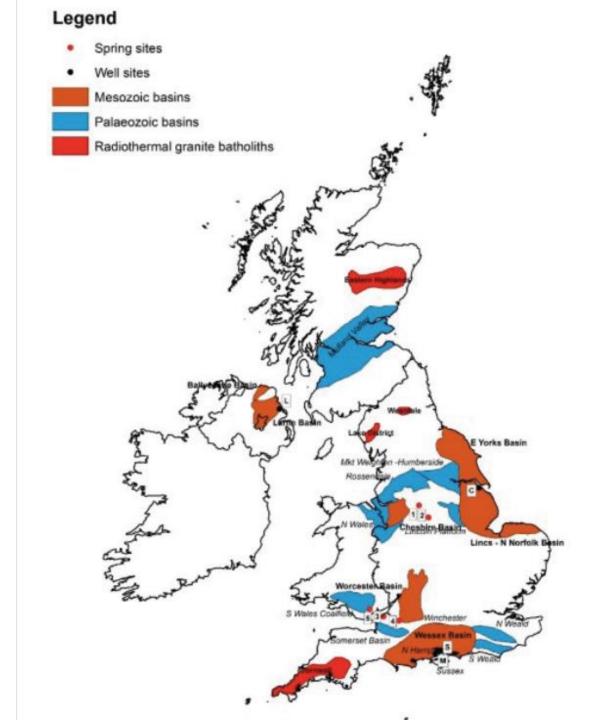
State of play

- Deep geothermal energy is heating 250,000 homes in Paris
- Across France more than 600 MWh are produced annually
- Government aims to increase the number of schemes by 40 percent by 2030
- Munich is pouring in one billion euros through to 2035 into geothermal energy
- Germany is already producing more than 353 MWh annually and the government is targeting at least 100 new geothermal projects.

State of play

Climate Change Committee, 2022

- The UK has more than 28.5 million homes, and another 1.9 million other buildings – offices, hospitals, shops, warehouses and more.
- The majority of these are heated by gas boilers
- Nearly a fifth of all the UK's emissions come from buildings.



What could it deliver?

- According to the Durham Energy Institute deep geothermal resources could provide all of the UKs heat demand for 100 years.
- The challenge that remains a perfect alignment of the opportunities with potential users and the necessary infrastructure to connect the two.
- But if only 25% of it could be realised it would be significant.

Bolsover	County Durham	Lewes	North Tyneside	Shropshire
Allerdale	East Hampshire	Mansfield	Northumberland	South Kesteven
Bassetlaw	East Lindsey	Melton	Nottingham	Test Valley
Brighton and Hove	East Riding of Yorkshire	Mid Sussex	Pendle	Waverley
Broxtowe	Eastbourne	Middlesbrough	Redcar and Cleveland	Wealden
Carlisle	Hambleton	Newark and Sherwood	Ribble Valley	West Lindsey
Cheshire East	Harrogate	Newcastle upon Tyne	Rother	Wiltshire
Chesterfield	Hartlepool	North East Derbyshire	Rushcliffe	Winchester
Chichester	Horsham	North Kesteven	Sheffield	York

Why not already happening?

- Strong oil & gas sector
- Government focus on renewable electricity
- Historically deep geothermal in Iceland and elsewhere for electricity
- "Not suitable" was the view on the shelf
- Subsidy and support started in Europe creating disadvantage

National level

- Aiming to get a tariff for suppliers of deep geothermal heat and power and/or reviews of how grant support funds could be utilized
 - Working with risk
- Working to change the opinion sat on the shelf!
- Recent announcement that a number of electricity plants in Cornwall will get government support
- Setting up a cross party group of MPs to push this
- Trying to contribute to the national debate & national understanding

Stakeholder engagement

- The F word
- Take local communities with you
 - Eden project
 - Greenpeace
 - Roman Baths
- Local government support will help with planning
- Member of Parliament support can help with media
- If you do the work then working with the media should be easier
- Talk to the Eden Project!



How can I help?

- Continuing to push for support at a national level
- Contact your local MP
- Discuss with media and wider leadership teams at your Trust
- Approach your Council as well



Why and where is it hot down there?

Material provided by BGS







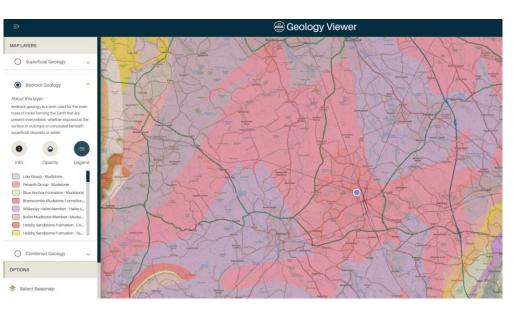








- British Geological Survey (BGS)
- Has worked since 1835 to map and understand UK geology











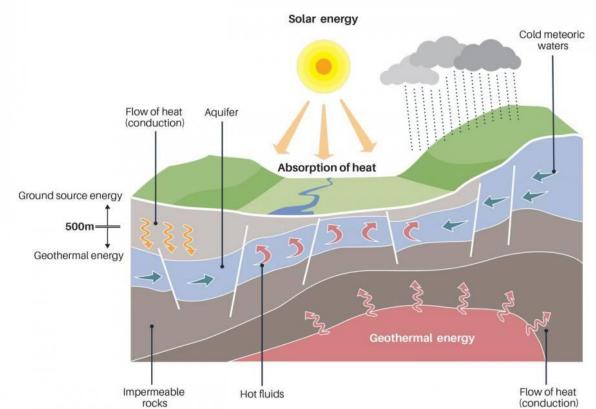








- Deep geothermal energy is the heat found at depth, due to radioactive processes deep in the molten core of the earth.
- The heat conducts slowly out to the surface – except when there is a volcanic eruption
- Temperatures increase with depth, ranging from 50-200°C or more.
- The most useful heat is usually only found at great depth – several km – but it is different in some parts of the world (e.g. Iceland)



Source: British Geological Survey





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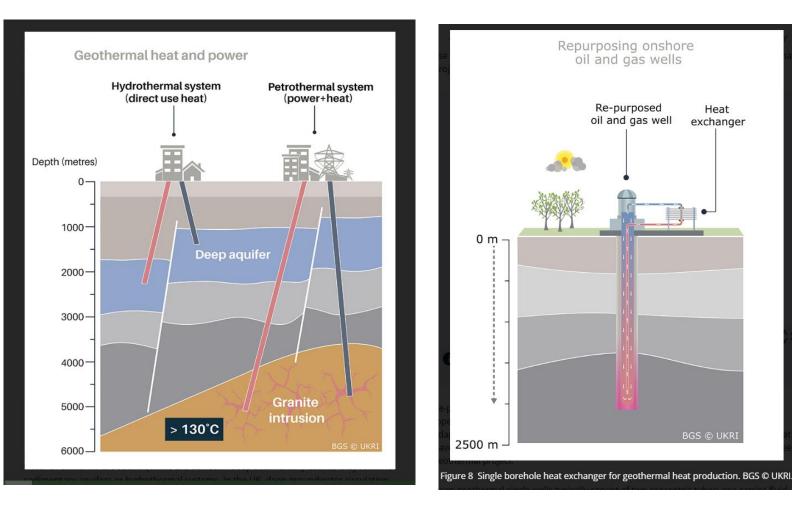








- Hot aquifer
 - Extract hot water
 - Reinject cooled water
- Hot rocks
 - Pump in cool water
 - Extract hot water
- Closed loop option also possible – may use existing wells









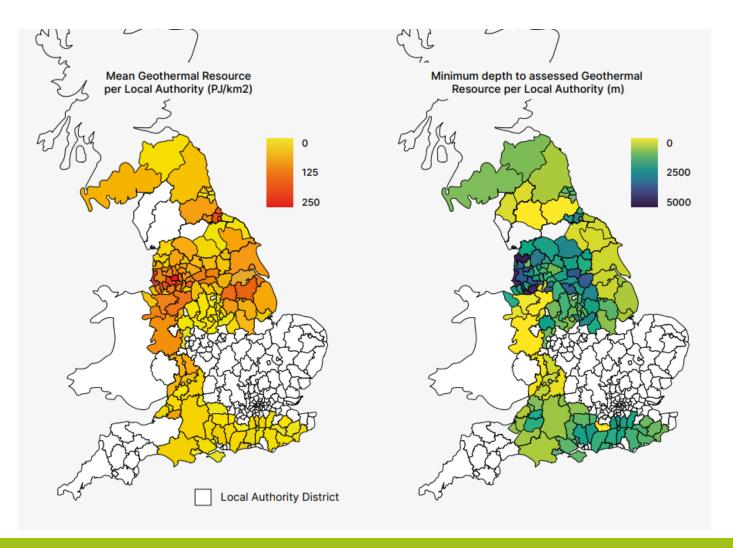








- BGS mapped LA areas with deep sedimentary basins
- This means there is hot water not just hot rock
- Seeking locations that are hot enough, not too deep, and with enough demand nearby









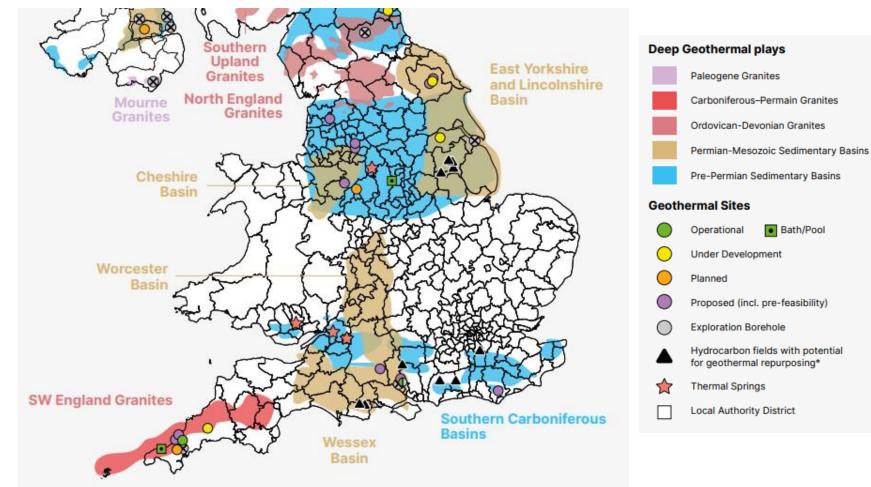








This map shows both the hot aquifers but also other potential suitable hot rocks – Cornwall features here







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↔ Gemserv







- > There is always heat down there the temperature at any depth varies with geology
- > The ease of extraction of heat depends on the permeability of rock to water flow
- The refresh rate depends on the thermal conductivity of rock it can be high but not infinite
- Similar geology should behave the same, so we can learn where works best















"Heat networks play an important role in decarbonising heat and support delivery of the UK's net zero commitments. They are uniquely able to unlock otherwise inaccessible large-scale renewable heat sources, including geothermal."

British Geological Survey















The Development Workflow – bringing a geothermal project from first concept to first heat









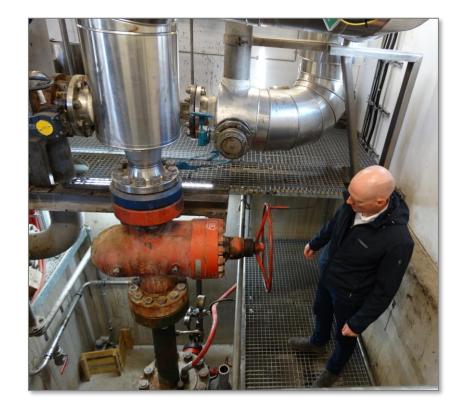






Delivering Geothermal

Bringing a prospect to life

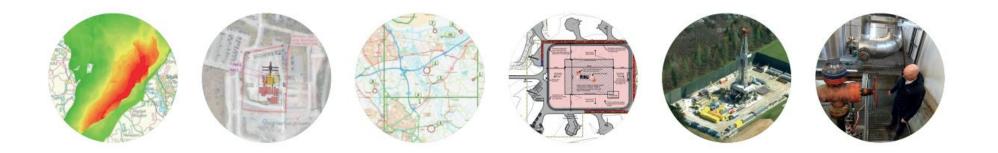




A familiar workflow



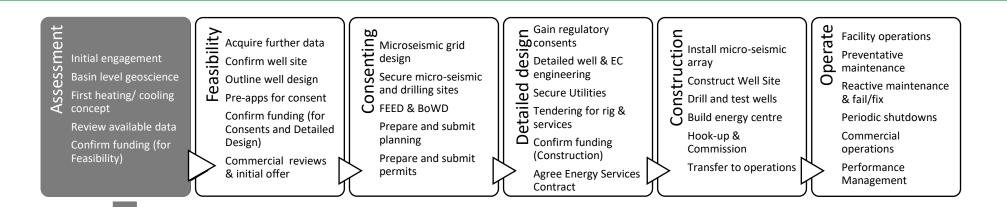




With a commercial twist...

Is there a technical concept?



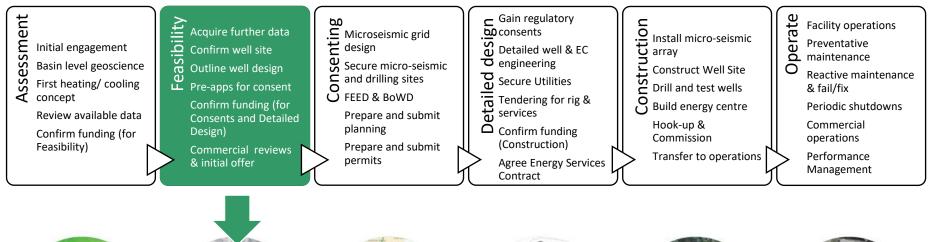




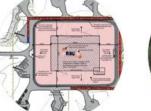
- Is there a resource?
- At what depth and temperature?
- How complex is the geology?
- How challenging will the targeting be?
- Is there space available for drilling?
- What historical data is available, and what more is needed?
- What are indicative development costs?
- Might there be a project?

Is the concept feasible?





- New data acquisition process (design, permit, acquire, process, interpret)
- How does this change our understanding?
- · How does this change the costs?
- How does this change the risks?
- · Can we obtain planning and permits?
- Is grant funding available?
- What might a commercial proposition look like?
- Is there a project worth progressing?

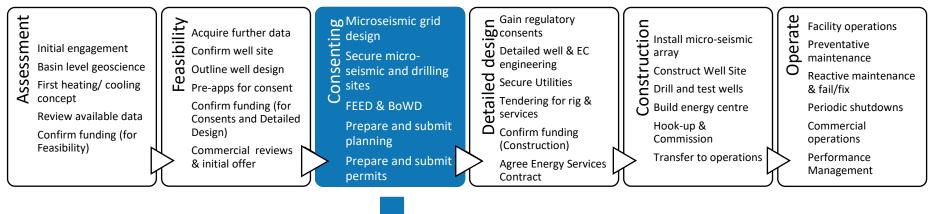


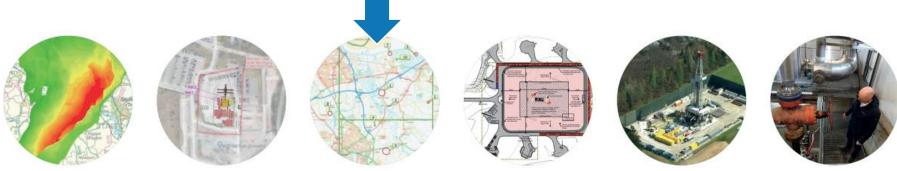




Securing stakeholder consents



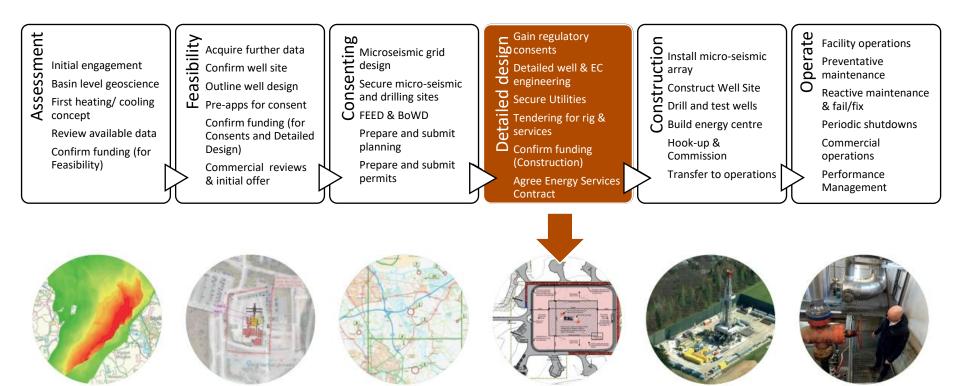




- What environmental monitoring will be required during construction and operations?
- Can we manage and mitigate the inherent development and operational risks?
 - Surface Front End Engineering Design (FEED)
 - Basis of Well Design (BOWD) Engineering
- Can we get necessary site access and utilities when we need them?
- What regulations apply and which consents are being sought?

Preparing for financial sanction

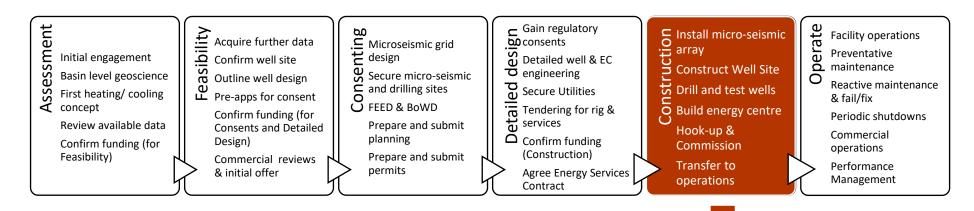


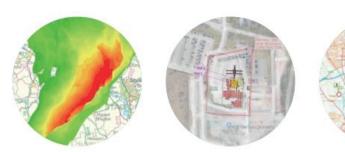


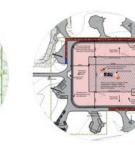
- Are all delivery risks mitigated to the maximum feasible extent?
- Are all geological risks understood, accepted and accounted for?
- Are all consents in place?
- Are utility and heat connection points defined?
- Are final pricing for site construction and drilling costs and services confirmed?
- Is the commercial proposition agreed?

Deliver the project













- Satisfy all planning conditions
- Construct and prepare the drilling site
- Mobilise drill rig and services
- Drill and test first well
- Drill second well, production test
- Construction and installation of Energy Centre
- Commission and hand-over



At a typical geothermal site



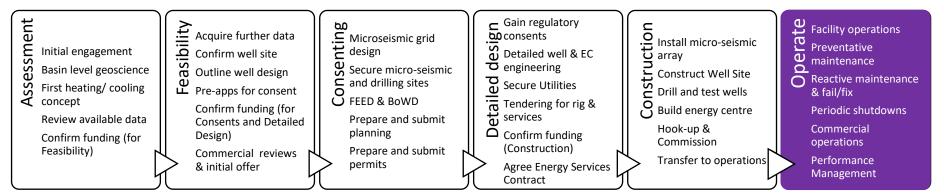


"Today" ©Google Earth (03/12/2002)

Drilling in 2004 © IEP

A Lifetime of Operations









- Keep the facilities operating safely and efficiently
- Monitor and respond to operational and maintenance scenarios
- Expand and meet demand growth
- Monitor subsurface and optimise resource lifetime

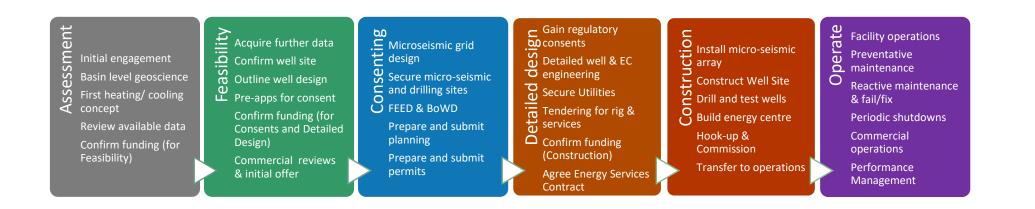






Delivering Geothermal





- Identifying and mitigating risks
- Resolving and reducing uncertainties
- Maximising outcomes and delivering on potential



Building a District Heating Network - International Case Study















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Building a District Heating Network

Development of IEP

Pullach Impressions





The "Treasure" is located underneath our feet





District Heating Network of Pullach



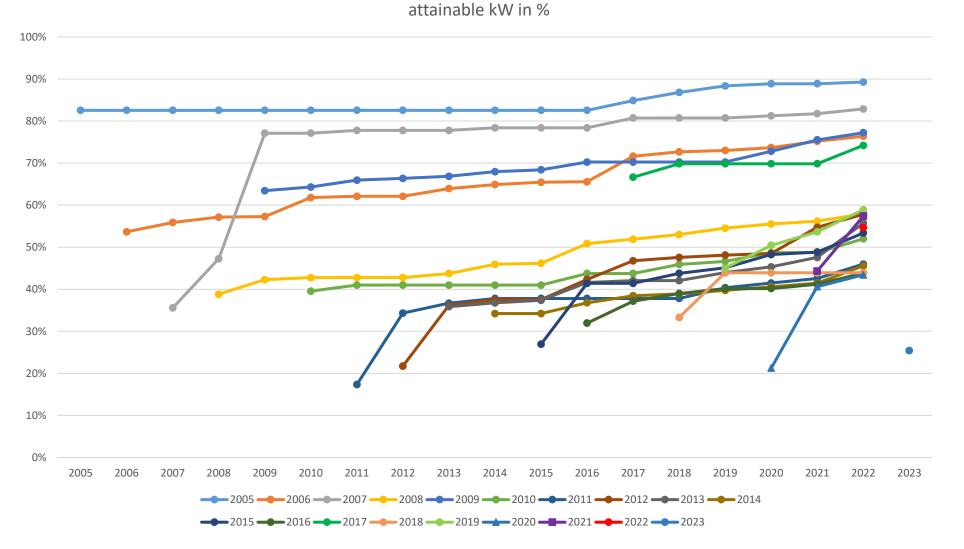


District Heating Network of Pullach





Development of construction sections



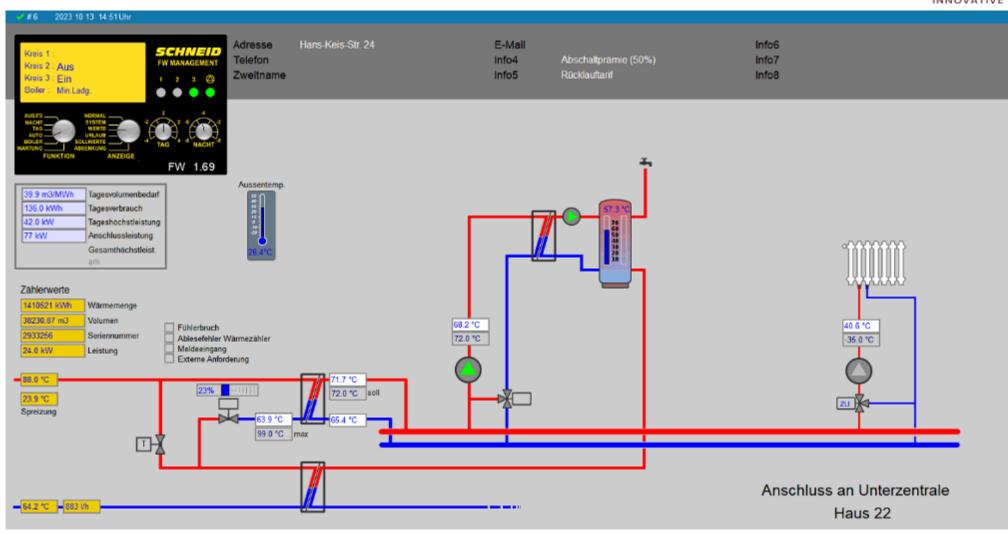
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District Heating Pipes





System Monitoring



Connected load to the district heating network:



2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
3.215 kW	10.342 kW	11.687 kW	14.584 kW	16.920 kW	18.399 kW	19.009 kW	20.290 kW
	+7.127 kW	+1.345 kW	+2.897W	+2.336 kW	+ 1.479 kW	+610 kW	+1.281 kW
57 Properties	173 properties	65 properties	127 properties	68 properties	44 properties	28 properties	61 properties

Connected load to the district heating network: IE INNOVATIVE ENERGIE PULLACH 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 25.242 27.340 32.043 33.047 34.281 35.131 43.012 45.500 21.626 23.735 36.753 kW +2.109 +1.507 +2.098k +4.703 + 1.004+1.234 +850 kW +1.622 +6.259 ~ +2.500 kW kW W kW kW kW kW kW kW 83 72 43 56 43 39 44 41 60 89 ca. 150 propertie propertie propertie propertie propertie propertie propertie propertie properti properti properti S es es es S S S S S S S

ca. 1340 properties in total

Heat production season 2022/2023



- Geothermal Th1+ Th2 16 17 MW
- Max. district load 24 MW (13.12.2022, -10°C, 8:30 AM)
- Max. daily heat production 514 MWh (13.12.2022)
- On normal winter days (+/- 0°) 1-2 burner (fossil fuel) necessary
- Peak consumption of largest customers: 3 MW, 1.8 MW; 1 MW

2 complete sets of pumps (Baker Hughes und Halliburton) are in stock for redundancy

2,5 MW rented Hotmobil (fuel) available for backup

Heat market Pullach *

Pullach 2021:

36,5 MW connected demand (46%

of total) 21 MW contemporaneity Geothermal output 16 MW redundancy 17 MW + disengageable demand

3%-5% share in fossil fuel for peak load and redundancy

1.119 properties supplied with:30.132 kW general customers4.400 kW special customers2.000 kW Linde



BIMA-OST ab 2024

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Pullach 2031: 59 MW connected demand (75% of total)

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27-36 MW contemporaneity Geothermal output 16 MW 15%-25% share in fossil fuel since 2028 with status quo of production lines

1.641 properties (62%) supplied with :41.632 kW general customers13.500 kW special customers4.000 kW Linde12.700 kW cooling energy projects (3)

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Heat market Pullach 2023 IEP-EZ-

Pullach 2022: 43 MW connected demand (52% of total) 24 MW contemporaneity

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1.219 properties supplied:33.100 kW general customers6.9 kW special customers2.000 kW Linde

IEP-EZ -Süd United Initiators

BImA-West 2022 Pullach Isartal

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Pullach 2031: 75 MW connected demand (90% of total) 47 MW contemporaneity 2.141 properties (~81%) supplied: 53.500 kW general customers 13.500 kW special customers 4.000 kW Linde 12.700 kW cooling energy projects (3)

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We know how to do heat rebound!



Case Study: Eden Geothermal













Energy as secure as the rock beneath your feet

Gus Grand, ggrand@edengeothermal.com October 2023



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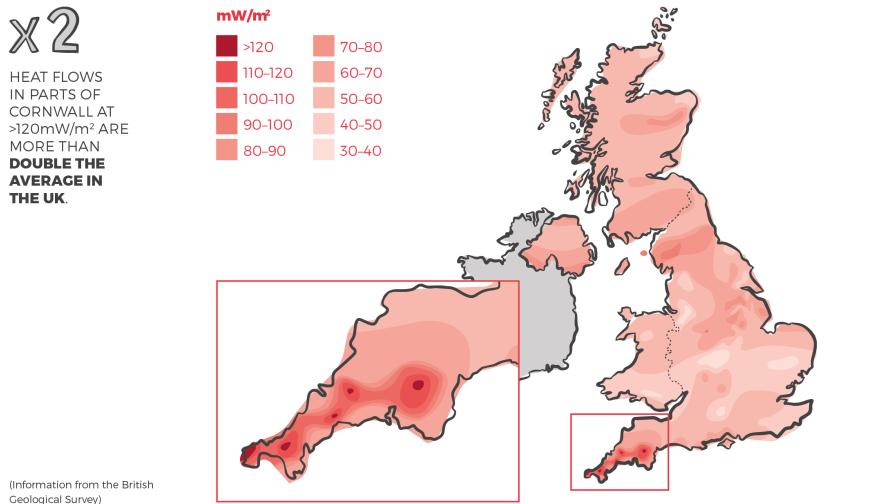
HM Government

Enough heat for a rainforest...

- The Eden Geothermal Project: a £22.3m industrial research project, co-funded by the European Union through the European Regional Development Fund, Cornwall Council and GCP Infrastructure Investments Ltd.
- We have drilled a deep geothermal well in granite to provide the Eden Project with geothermal heat for its Biomes, new plant nursery and other buildings. This is the first deep geothermal project to come online since Southampton in 1986.
- Heat is being supplied via a single-well heat exchanger (coaxial system – the deepest in the world) and 4km heat main which combine to form a heating network linking the geothermal well site with heat loads at the Eden Energy Centre (Biomes, offices) and Nursery.



Why Cornwall, why Eden Project?



Geological Survey)





Eden Project, environmental project, educational charity, visitor destination with c. 1m visitors/year prior to the pandemic.

A place where anything can happen.

Stakeholders, Community Engagement & Outreach

IDENTIFY	IDENTIFY	PLAN	ENGAGE			
STAKEHOLDERS	ASSESSMENT	COMMUNICATION	STAKEHOLDERS			
Identify Stakeholders	Conduct High Level	Create Stakeholder	Plan to Support Ongoing			
Group	Stakeholder Assessment	Communication Plan	Engagement			
Identify Individual	Prioritise	Identify Engagement	Execute Stakeholder			
Stakeholders Representatives	Stakeholders	Activities	Communication Plan			
Create Initial	Develop Stakeholder	Develop Detailed	Monitor			
Stakeholder List	Map	Engagement Plan	Progress			
 Stakeholder Lists 	Engagement Grid	• Stakeholder Communication	Communication and Engagement Activities			
	Updated Stakeholder Lists		 Feedback Mechanism Implemented 			



Drilling at Eden Project: May to December 21





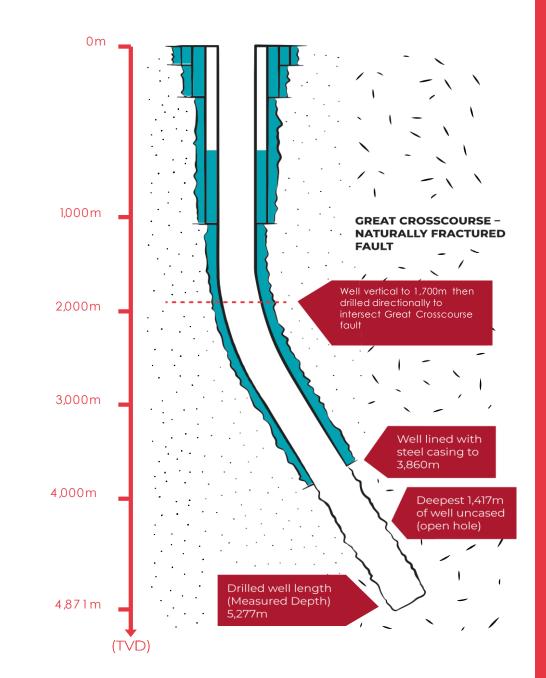
Drilling Programme

Well Design Requirements:

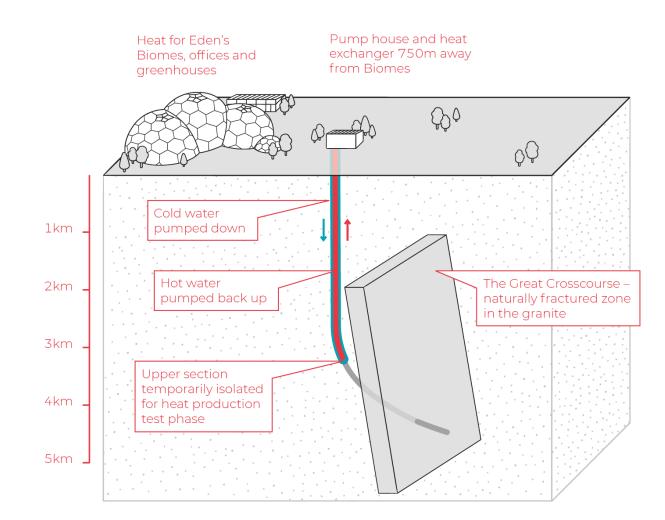
- J-Type well building to ~40° inclination
- Approaching the GXC from the footwall
- 8 ¹/₂" Section to be left open hole

Key Observations:

- Successful drilling operation, entirely in granite
 - Well TD = 5,276.67m MD / 4,871m TVD
 - Drilling duration = 164 days
- Significant loss zone encountered at 3,950m MD during 12 ¼" Section
 - Balance plug required to run 9 5/8" casing
- Multiple fracture zones encountered during 8 ½" section



Coaxial concept: Eden Project for now





Heat Main

Follows 1.4km route from EG-1 to Eden Energy Centre

6" pipe with Polyurethane insulation

Max Operating Pressure = 25 bar

Max Flowrate = 30 l/s

Anticipated temperature loss = <1°C



The smallest final surface footprint of any energy source...





- Geothermal provides baseload energy capacity<93 % if load management allows it.
- The heat is cheap: \$26/MWh levelized cost in France, and as secure as the ground beneath your business. No geopolitics, no fuel supply issues.
- It can be retrofitted in urban areas, Paris has over 50 projects, including Orly airport.
- Skills and equipment to scale up fast are available in the O&G industry.
- Low impact. The smallest surface foot print of any energy source. 93% lifetime emissions reduction on gas heating. Zero emissions/particulates in operation.

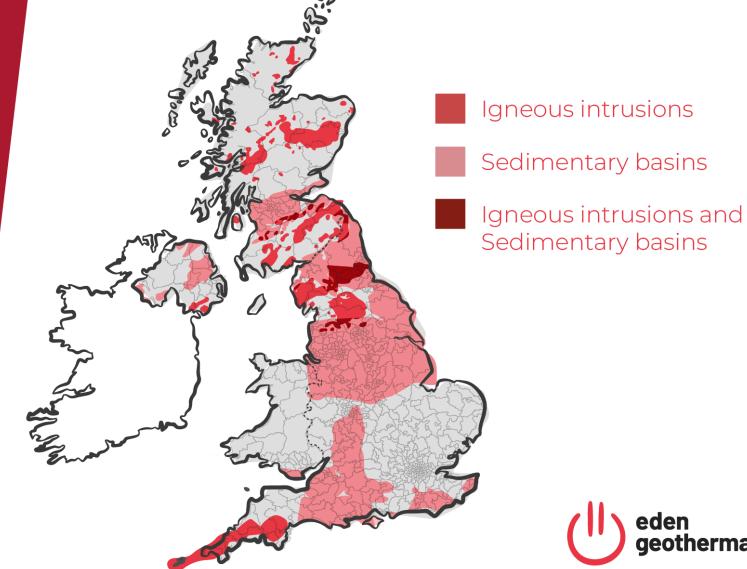
Advantages of geothermal energy





About a third of constituencies have geothermal prospects, ~half Local Authorities, 100+NHS hospitals

UK deep geothermal prospects





Source: British Geological Survey, 2023

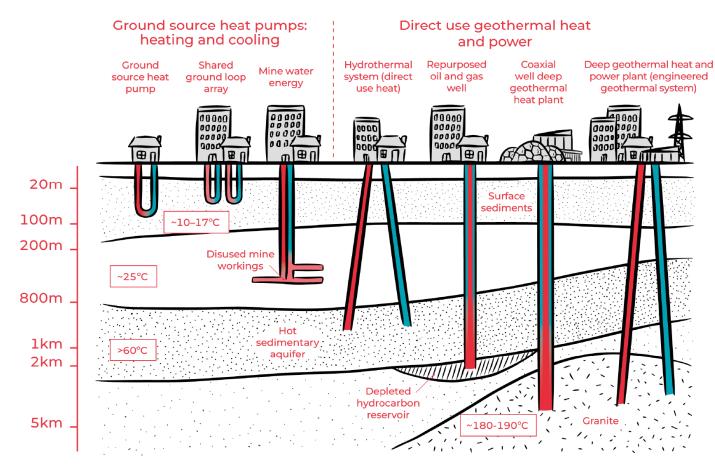
Geothermal concept

Different geothermal energy technologies

Source: British Geological Survey, 2020; Townsend et al, 2020

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Case Study: Langarth Geothermal













Langarth Garden Village

DEEP GEOTHERMAL DISTRICT HEAT NETWORK



A CORNWALL COUNCIL OWNED PARTNERSHIP



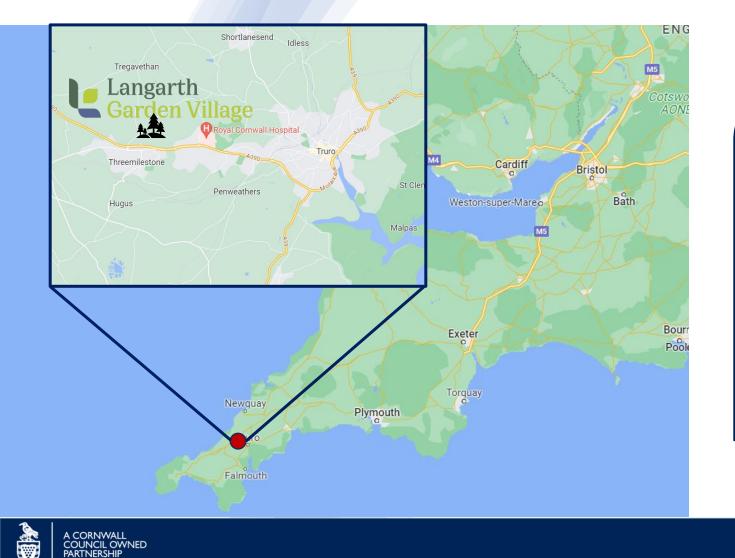








LANGARTH GARDEN VILLAGE



Langarth Garden Village (LGV) is a Cornwall Council led project that proposes to change the quality of house building in the south-west and bring a new sustainable community and way of living to Cornwall.

- 3,800 homes;
- 2 primary schools;
- 117 hectares of green space;
- Community facilities;
- Commercial development;
- Park and Ride extension;
- Energy centre and flagship deep geothermal district heating network....

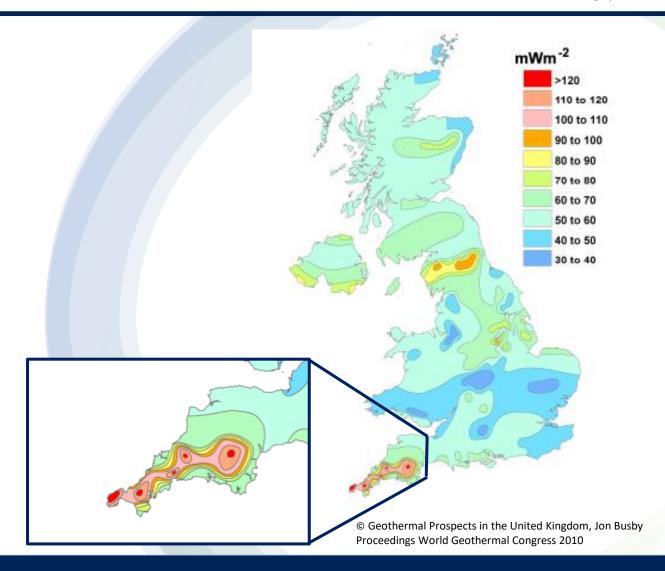


GEOTHERMAL CORNWALL

Cornwall has the highest geothermal potential in the UK, and Cornwall Council and the Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Local Enterprise Partnership have committed substantial investment into unlocking a nascent industry, with funding awarded to the projects at United Downs and Eden Geothermal.

Cornwall Council and LGV have led the development of the deep geothermal heat network over the last few years, proving the viability of the heat network through two rounds of feasibility studies.

The LGV heat network was recently awarded £22m funding via the Government's Green Heat Network Fund (GHNF) to commercialise and construct the heat network.





GEL Geothermal Engineering Ltd

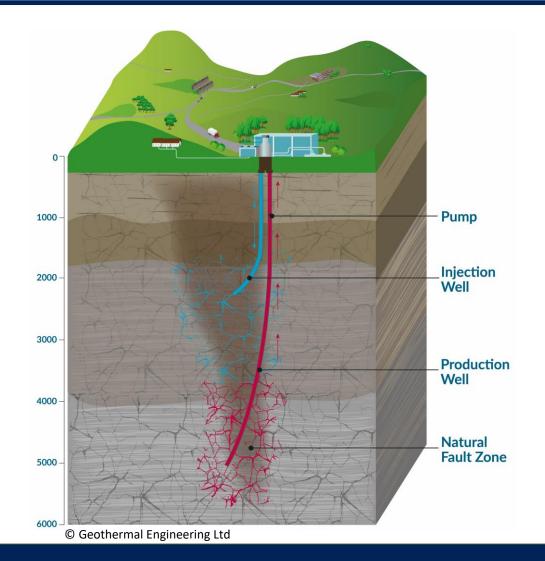




Geothermal Engineering Ltd (GEL) was established in 2008 and is the developer and operator of first deep geothermal power plant in the UK.

Two deep, directional wells have been drilled by GEL at United Downs:

- Production well = 5,275m
- Injection well = 2,393m
- Testing has confirmed the temperature at the bottom of the well is ~175°C;
- Organic Rankine Cycle (ORC) power plant supplied by Exergy with gross power production of 3MWe.

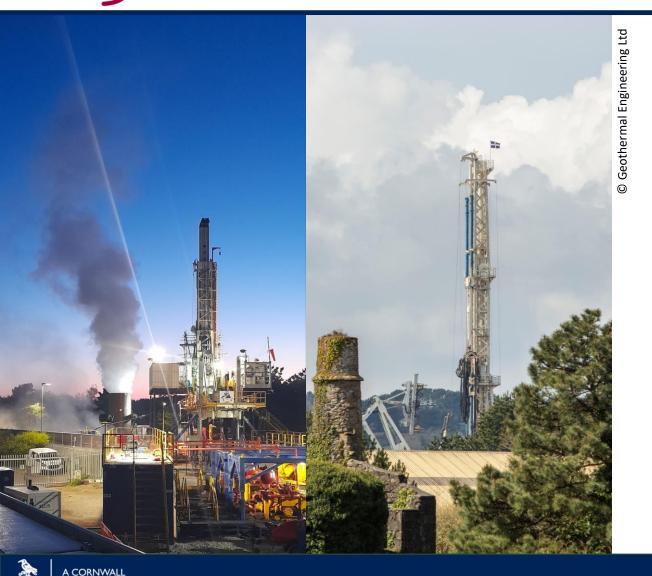




United Downs – Geothermal Engineering Ltd

GEL Geothermal Engineering Ltd





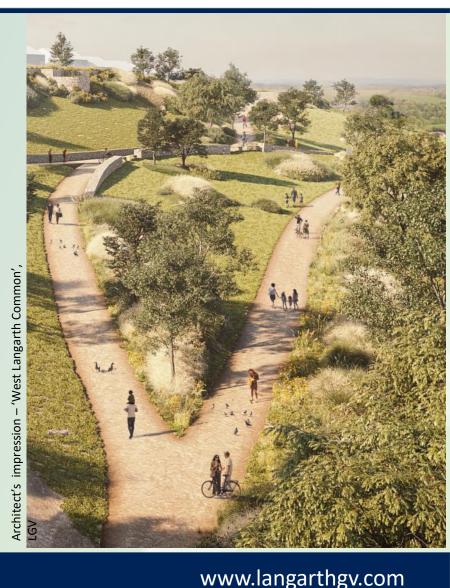
- Groundworks start October 2023;
- Power plant expected to start generating before end 2024;
- The feasibility study assessed viability on basis of 10MWth at 80°C;
- Negotiations and assessments ongoing regarding heat availability, temperature, need for power production compromise, or need for additional generation capacity/thermal storage;
- More than 250 mg/l of lithium in geothermal brine highest concentration discovered anywhere world!



COMMERCIALISATION AND OPERATION

• Currently commercialising the heat network;

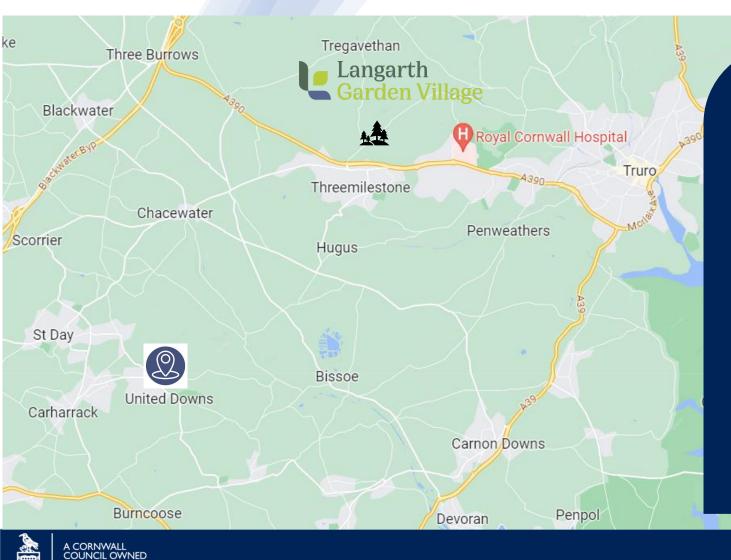
- Expecting to provide heat to:
 - 3,800 homes and businesses at LGV;
 - Royal Cornwall Hospital will provide an anchor load;
 - A secondary school, college, health worker accommodation, innovation centre and other businesses in the Threemilestone area of Truro;
- In total:
 - 14.5 MW peak load;
 - 47 GWh annual demand;
- A full centralised backup heat supply will be included;
- LGV will be seeking a delivery partner via a concession to provide further funding, build, operate and maintain the heat network from 2024.





HOW WILL THE HEAT GET TO LGV?





- Approx 6.5km heat main from United Downs to LGV;
- Mixture of soft and hard dig (highway) proposed;
- Challenging landscape including heavily mined areas;
- Part of the Devon and Cornwall Mining World Heritage Site;
- Ecology, existing services, main railway line, 2 watercourses, mine workings, adits, listed buildings etc;
- Over 20 landowners;
- Currently in negotiations with landowners, Parish Council etc.



Langarth Garden Village

The attractiveness of the UK's first deep geothermal district heating network will help to unlock future investment.



Creating local jobs and apprenticeships during the delivery and operational phases, developing new skills in Cornwall.



Lower capital and operational costs than alternative low carbon heat supplies.

www.langarthgv.com

BENEFITS



Saving over 86,000 tonnes of carbon over the life of the project, improving air quality and health outcomes for the Cornwall community.



Utilising an abundant local heat source that provides security, reliability, and resilience to the Energy System.



Geothermal district heating is groundbreaking and would be the first of its kind in the UK, utilising a truly renewable heat source.



The first district heat network in the UK which aims to achieve this status.



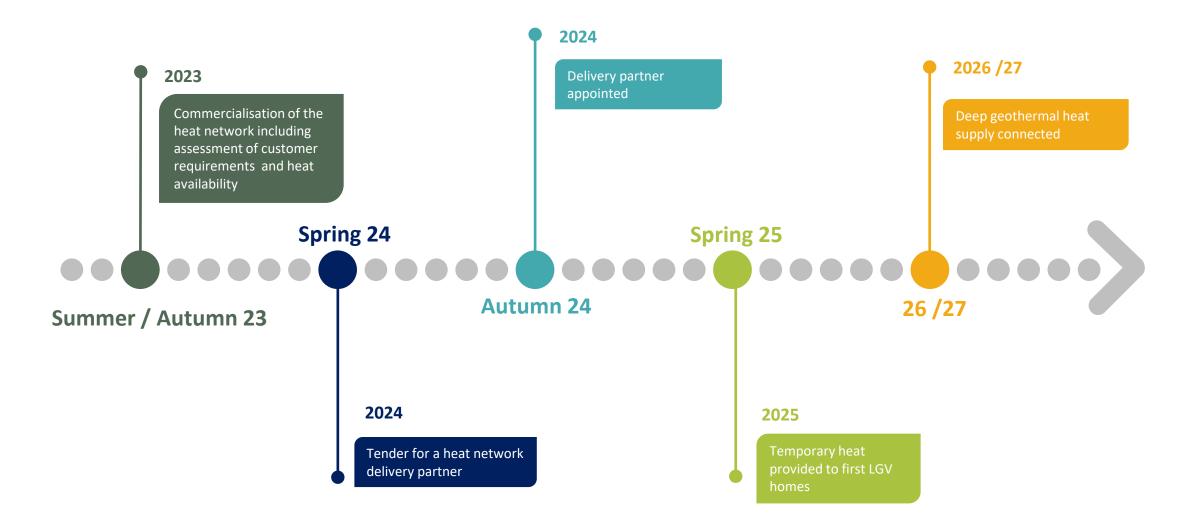
Offering a lower cost of heat to the community, compared to other low-carbon alternatives.



Cornwall Council is committed to drive the development of this project, honouring the local community and environment.



LGV DEEP GEOTHERMAL DISTRICT HEAT NETWORK TIMELINE





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Live Q&A















Closing Remarks



















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