

PRESS RELEASE

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10 million heat pumps – what’s next?

Today, the 10 millionth heat pump will be installed somewhere in Europe, according to recent figures from the [European Heat Pump Association](#) (EHPA). This is good news for the energy transition as more heat pumps means greener and smarter energy, less emissions and a cleaner air! Looking at all existing thermal solutions, the share of heat pumps still remains modest in Europe but is growing at an increasing speed.

Benefits of 10 million installed heat pumps in 2017 contributed to:

333 GW	→	storage capacity
165 TWh	→	heat produced
106 TWh	→	renewable energy
59.3 TWh	→	electricity used
27.1 Mt	→	CO2 saved
135 TWh	→	energy saved

Ahead of a huge '10 Million Heat Pumps Party' event organised by EHPA in Brussels, Thomas Nowak, Secretary General, said “Today we celebrate what we have accomplished so far. But tomorrow more heat pumps will be needed. The new energy system will require further integration of technologies and sectors and we need policy-makers to facilitate this change. This is to be continued in 2018.”

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Note to the editor

The Brussels based European Heat Pump Association (EHPA) represents the majority of the European heat pump industry. It has currently 119 members from all parts of the industry's value chain: heat pump and component manufacturers, research institutes, universities, testing labs and energy agencies. Its key goal is to promote awareness and proper deployment of heat pump technology in the European market place for residential, commercial and industrial application. EHPA coordinates the European Quality label for heat pumps and the EUCERT education and training scheme for heat pump installers. It compiles the annual sales statistics and market outlook. For more information, please visit: www.ehpa.org.

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