

## E-newsletter #6, September 2021



### The MultiPACK Project ends in September 2021!

Transcritical CO<sub>2</sub> refrigeration systems integrated with air-conditioning, space heating and domestic hot water production were built in supermarkets and hotels in Italy and Portugal. The systems have been operating successfully! The field data collected from the sites were presented in conferences and in different events.

For reading the publications and listening recorded presentations, click:

<https://www.ntnu.edu/multipack/virtual-tour-to-demo-sites>

For the raw data that collected from the sites, click:

<https://dataverse.no/>

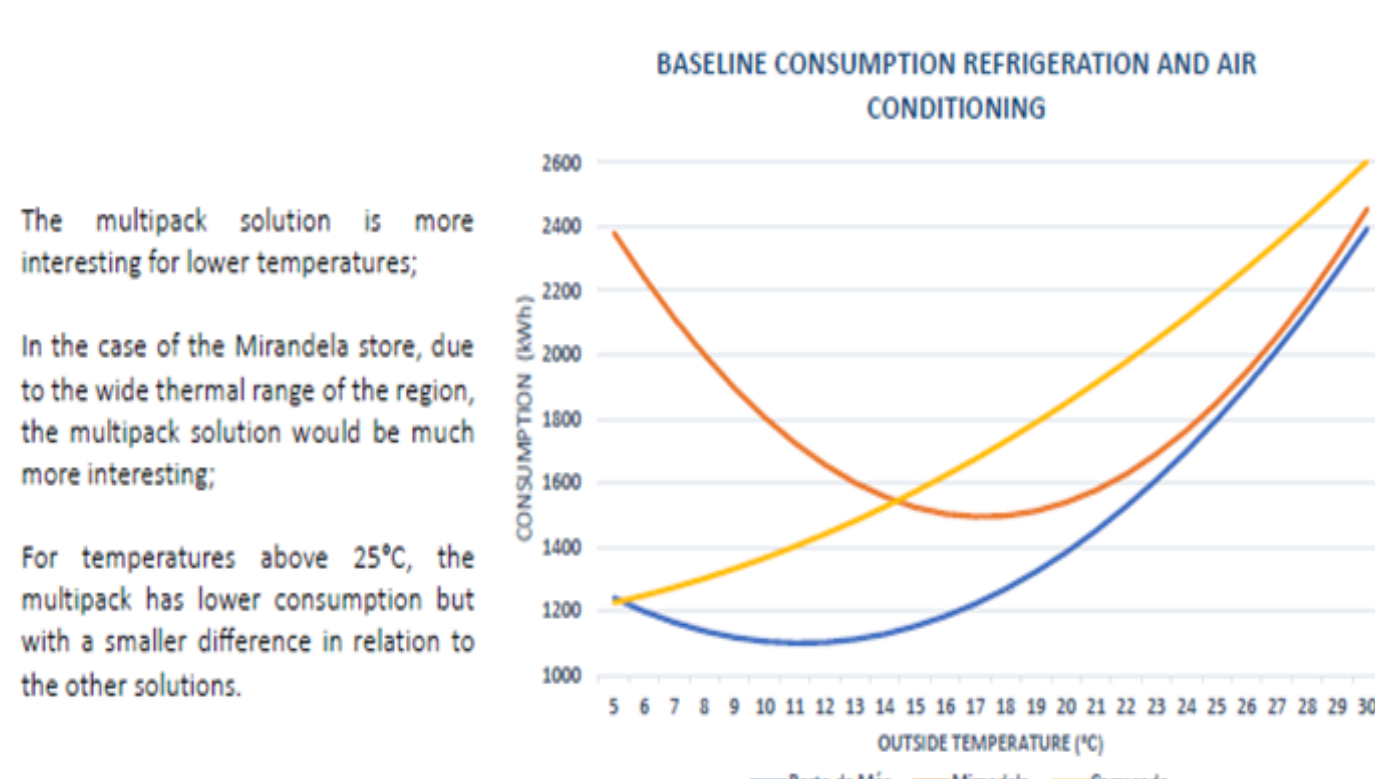
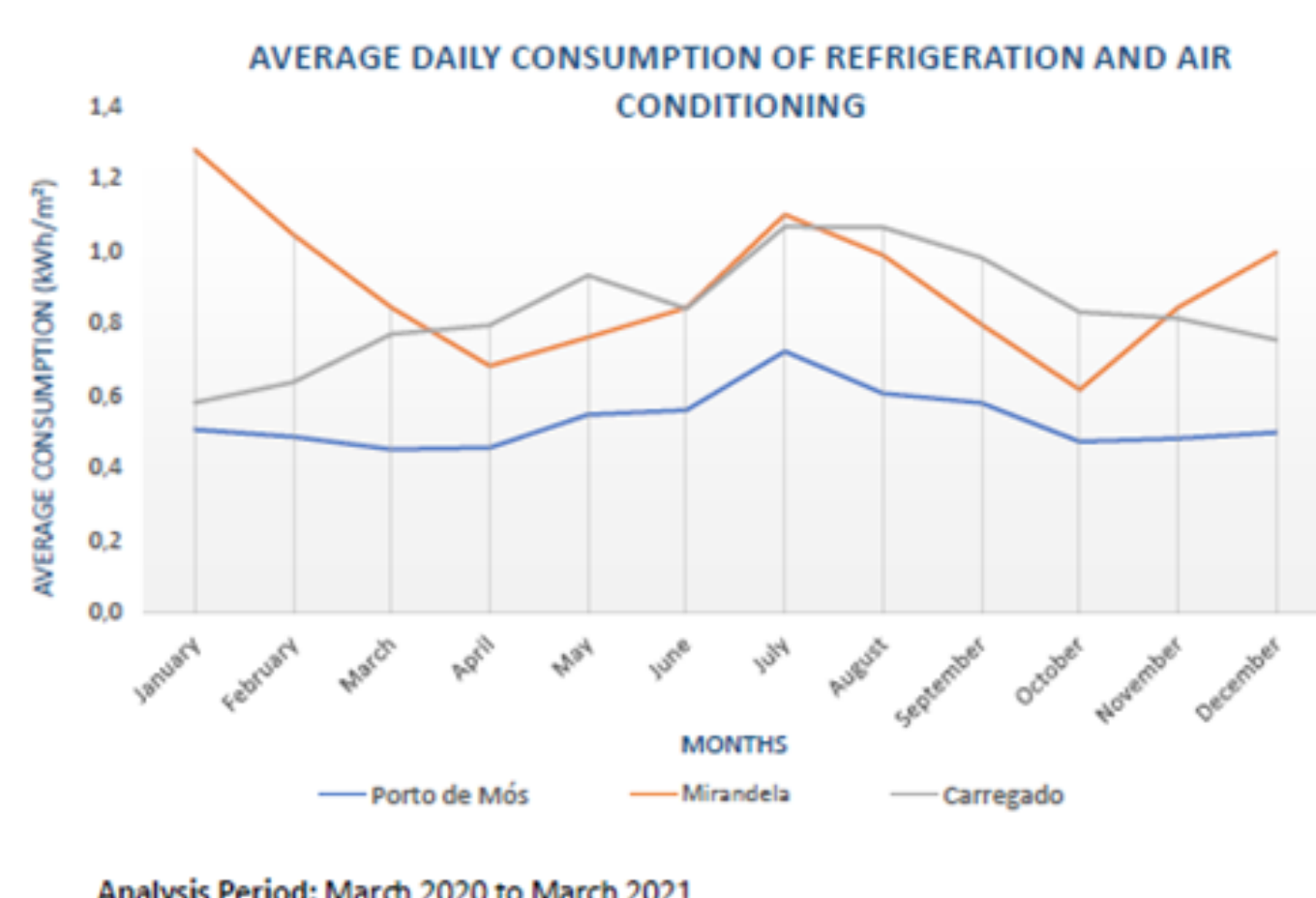
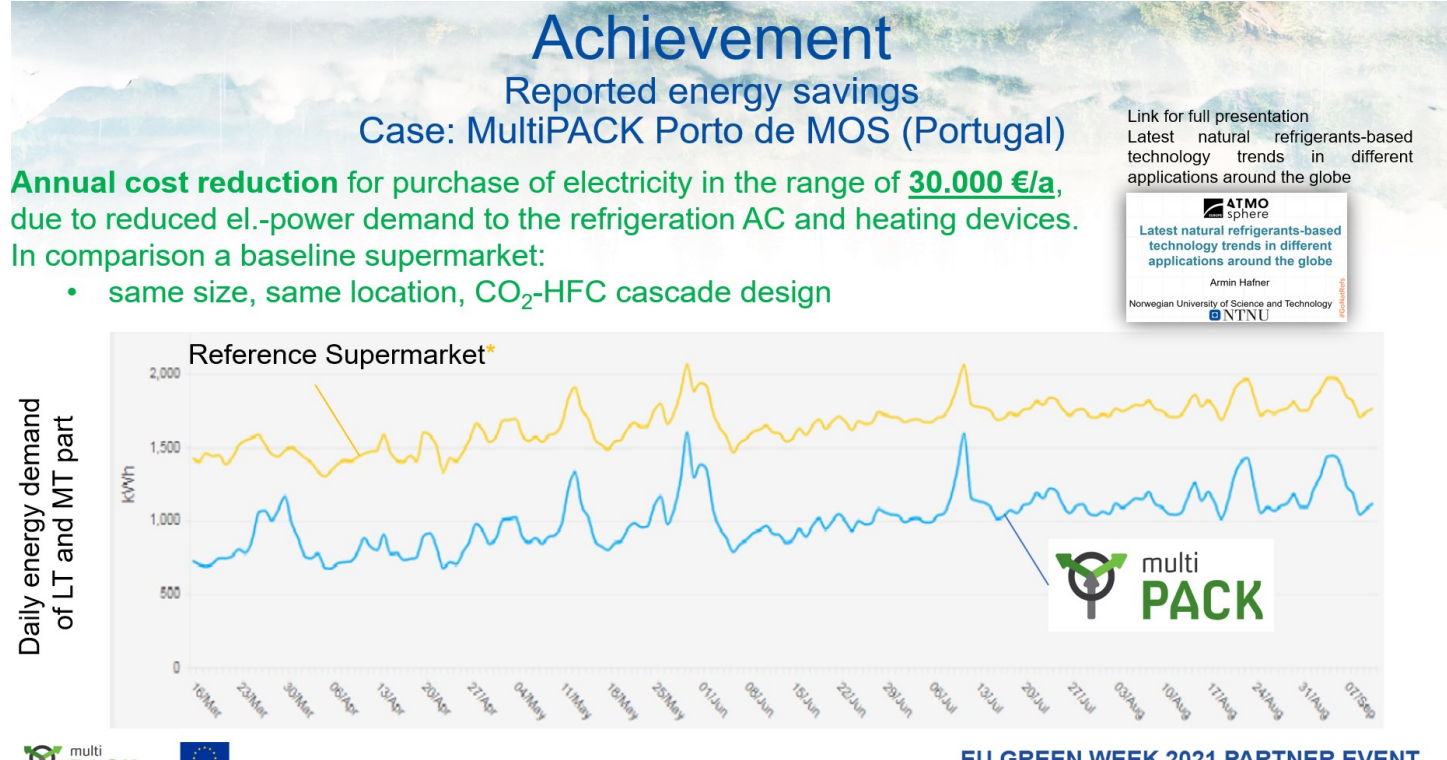
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A picture from one of the MultiPACK sites: The installation and layout for Continente Modelo unit in Porto de Mos, Portugal.



The MultiPACK sites have shown favorable performances in electricity consumption compared to reference sites. As an example, Continente Modelo unit in Porto de Mos Portugal has less energy demand in comparison with reference shops with the same size. An annual cost reduction of 30,000 €/a has been achieved!



## Ammonia and CO<sub>2</sub> Refrigeration Technologies

Ohrid, R. Macedonia, September 16-17<sup>th</sup> 2021



The MulltiPACK team participated in this conference!

## Ammonia and CO<sub>2</sub> Refrigeration Ohrid, R. Macedonia, September 16-17th 2021

An article was presented:

Two years of data monitoring of all-CO<sub>2</sub> retail stores within the MultiPACK project

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## 19th EUROPEAN CONFERENCE

NAZIONI UNITE-UNEP CSG ATF  
ATTIVITA' DI FORMAZIONE E INFORMAZIONE

### Event date:

Thursday, 10 June 2021 - 9:00am to Friday, 11 June 2021 - 5:00pm

### Venue:

Online AND Politecnico of Milan, Milan, Italy

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### EUROVENT EUROPEAN INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION 19th EUROPEAN CONFERENCE

Online, June 10-11<sup>th</sup> 2021

#### The MultiPACK team presented an article:

Field data of integrated CO<sub>2</sub> heat pump systems for Italian hotels in the MultiPACK project

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## EU Green Week 2021

### Virtual tour to Demo-sites of MultiPACK

Virtual tour to demo-sites of MultiPACK: Explaining CO<sub>2</sub> technology for integrated heating, ventilation, airconditioning and refrigeration (HVAC&R) installed in high energy-demanding buildings in Southern Europe. As being a green and energy-efficient technology, the applicability and benefits of CO<sub>2</sub> refrigeration and heat pumping systems will be addressed along with their contribution to mitigating climate change by eliminating F-gases to be released into the atmosphere.

The event was held on 09.06.2021.



### Life-C4R digital conference

Life-C4R is the international marketing project **co-financed by the EU and part of the European LIFE Programme** created to promote natural refrigeration and help **replacing HCFC and HFC refrigerants with transcritical CO<sub>2</sub>**.

The conference **was held on 1<sup>st</sup> July at 15.00 CET** dedicated to illustrating the results of the project! Extensive information was presented regarding FTE and ETE technologies, as well as data and lessons learnt from the 7 pilot projects installed in Italy, Spain and Romania, with feedbacks from our Clients.

## AIRAH Refrigeration Conference 2021 Melbourne, Australia, May 17-18<sup>th</sup> 2021



MultiPACK team contributed with an article:

"State-of-the-art CO" refrigeration systems with integrated HVAC functions"

Authors: *Sergiy Kolinchuk, Ekaterini Kriezi, Armin Hafner, Vahid Khoshidi, Christian Schemminger*





## Compressors 2021

### 10th International Conference on Compressors and Coolants

13 January 2021

Bratislava, Slovakia

#### MultiPACK team contributed with two articles!

**Paper 1: presented by** Vahid Khorshidi, MSc. (Danfoss A/S)

Performance of integrated R744-packs Part 1 - Compressor mass flow estimation based on data driven models using analytical methods and actual field measurement

**Paper 2: presented by** Ekaterini Kriezi, PhD (Danfoss A/S)

Performance of integrated R744-packs Part2 - Ejectors performance, a comparison of onsite measurements and model predictions

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## 14<sup>th</sup> IIR-Gustav Lorentzen Conference on Natural Refrigerants(GL2020)

Kyoto, Japon, December 7-9<sup>th</sup> 2020



#### MultiPACK team contributed with three articles!

Experimental and numerical investigation of a transcritical CO<sub>2</sub> air/water reversible heat pump: analysis of domestic hot water

Author(s) : TOSATO G., ARTUSO P., MINETTO S., ROSSETTI A., ALLOUCHE Y., BANASIAK K.

Development of CO<sub>2</sub> refrigeration technology between 1995 and 2020

Author(s) : HAFNER A.

Field data of CO<sub>2</sub> integrated refrigeration, heating and cooling systems for supermarkets

Author(s) : TOSATO G., MINETTO S., ROSSETTI A., HAFNER A., SCHLEMMINGER C., GIROTTI S.

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## Global Natural Refrigerant Virtual Trade show

*The world's first Virtual Trade Show for natural refrigerants*

on September 1, 2020



#### MultiPACK team participated with three presentations!

(Three presentations have been prepared as video format and merged in as a single video. you can reach the presentations via 'on-demand webinars' section of Virtual Trade Show)

MultiPACK: Demonstrating the performance and efficiency of the next generation of standardised integrated cooling and heating packages.

**Part-A\_Dissemination of results for integrated CO<sub>2</sub> systems monitored under MultiPACK Project** by Ekaterini Kriezi, Danfoss.

**Part-B\_Modelling of CHCP for Supermarkets** by Michael Jokiel, Christian Schlemminger, Karl Oskar Pires Bjørgen, Sintef Energy Research.

**Part-C\_CO<sub>2</sub> Heat Pump Water Chillers** by Armin Hafner and Engin Söylemez, NTNU Department of Energy and Process Engineering



## eurammon symposium 2020

Heating and cooling with Natural Refrigerants - a Way to Decarbonization

June 25 - July 8, 2020



The presentation by MultiPACK team (*Online, July 6, 2020*)

### CO2 Heat Pump Water Chillers

Armin Hafner, NTNU; Sergio Girotto, ENEX SRL; Giacomo Tosato, CNR-ITC

#### **Content:**

*Introduction: CO2 heat pump history*

*Benefit of CO2 chiller heat pumps*

*Innovative CO2 chiller development by ENEX*

*The CO2 Heat Pump Water Chiller within the MultiPACK project*

*Summary & Conclusion*



6th IIR International Conference  
on Sustainability and the Cold Chain



## ICCC 2020 - 6th IIR Conference on Sustainability and the Cold Chain



Dr. Christian Schlemminger



Dr. Yosr Allouche



Dr. Silvia Minetto



Dr. Giacomo Tosato

( Research scientist, SINTEF) ( Researcher, NTNU) ( Researcher, CNR) (Technologist, CNR)

### MultiPACK team participated with two papers!

**Paper 1:** Integrated energy systems for supermarkets are becoming popular for the shop owners due to significant energy and cost savings. Integrated system means: the centralized refrigeration unit delivers the entire freezing, cooling and Air Conditioning demand of the Supermarket. Only the natural working fluid CO2 is applied within the units.

**Paper 2:** Pushed by sustainability drivers, commercial refrigeration is now strongly oriented towards CO2 based systems, and, amongst them, integrated solutions are gaining market share, as they offer an environmental friendly, all-in-one solution serving the entire supermarket thermal energy needs.



EuroShop World 's No. 1 Retail  
Trade Fair

When: 16-20 February 2020

Where: Dusseldorf, Germany



Dr. Ekaterini Kriezi , Technology expert (Danfoss)

### A talk was given by Dr. Ekaterini Kriezi!

Content: The demonstration sites with CO<sub>2</sub> integrated systems in south European supermarkets are presented. Design Key Performance Index (KPI) for comparison of supermarkets performance and the challenges of monitoring supermarket installation and data handling are discussed.



## ICR 2019

THE 25<sup>th</sup> IIR INTERNATIONAL  
CONGRESS OF REFRIGERATION  
August 24-30 | Montréal, Québec, Canada

### MultiPACK team participated with two presentations!

The MultiPACK Consortium attended the [ICR 2019](#) took place on 24-30 August 2019 in Montreal, Canada. The congress focused on the current issues associated with the refrigeration sector: energy saving and energy efficiency, food supply, health, reduction of global warming and the protection of the ozone layer. Therefore, this event was perfectly aligned with MultiPACK purposes. Dr. Silvia Minetto presented some results related to MultiPACK.



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