

*Volther hybrid collectors*

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## *Crossway*



### *Crossway roject Description*

Integrated PVT system designed with pellet boiler for top up heat, MVHR (Heat recovery ventilation) for thermal recovery and heat distribution and PCM buffer storage to store excess thermal energy. Crossway is a Grand Designs project - officially Kent's first Zero-Carbon House and Newform Energy's first major undertaking.

#### **SES PVT panels producing:**

System size 27m<sup>2</sup> 2.95kW (pk)

Annual output electrical 3,408kWh

Annual output thermal 12,064kWh

#### **System Outputs (with losses):**

Electrical 2,873kWh/annum

Thermal 9,627kWh/annum

#### **Buffer Storage:**

400lt solar tank + salt PCM store.

#### **Evo Aqua Pellet Boiler uses:**

22kg of pellets/annum

#### **NED Air MVHR Unit:**

32W fan power on normal setting. Heat recovery efficiency





## *Sunnybank*



### *Sunnybank Project description*

Integrated PVT solution with a Genvex Combi 185 EC MVHR/Air Water Heat Pump and an 1850lt buffer cylinder.

The project is situated in Scotland on the borders and is the first to use the new Volther Hybrid PowerTherm PVT panels.

#### **PowerTherm PVT panels:**

System size 31.4m<sup>2</sup> 3.41kW (pk)

Annual output electrical 3,751kWh

Annual output thermal 13,289kWh

#### **System Outputs (with losses)**

Electrical 3,162kWh/annum

Thermal 10,946kWh/annum

#### **Thermal Storage:**

185lt Integrated solar tank (integral to the Genvex Unit) together with a 1,850lt thermal store.

#### **Genvex Combi 185 EC MVHR / Air to Water heat pump / cylinder**

The Combi is a combined heat recovery ventilation appliance. It is equipped with high efficient supply and extract air fans, together with a counter-flow heat exchanger with an efficiency of up to 95%. The air source heat pump heats the supply air and domestic hot water, prioritising the hot water. The hot water cylinder can as an option be connected to a second heat source, e.g. solar panels. The unit is delivered with a F5 supply and extract air filter and Optima 310 control.





*Chetwode*



### *Project description: Commercial Hybrid PVT installation*

The largest Hybrid PVT installation in the UK to date and the first to use the new Vother PowerVolt panels. The installation has a combination of PowerTherm and PowerVolt, making this installation a world first by using both types of Hybrid collector.

The heat from the system is being used for the building with excess heat being vented through a 30kW fan assisted heat dump.

Panel Type: Hybrid PVT	24 x PowerVolt 175/460 (unglazed) 24 x PowerTherm 155/680 (glazed)
Array size	68.52m <sup>2</sup>
Peak Electrical	7.92kW
Peak Thermal	27.38kW
System Design Temperature	60°C

### **Panel Outputs**

Electrical 9,216kWh/annum  
Thermal 19,801kWh/annum

### **System Outputs (with losses)**

Electrical 7,988kWh/annum  
Thermal 13,821kWh/annum





## *St Marys Road*



*St Marys- Installation completed*

Project description: Volther PowerTherm PVT installation.

The use of PVT for this project was in order to conform with the Merton rule which insists any new building being built in the borough produces a % of its energy from onsite generation.

Merton Council's acceptance of the technology for this application sets a precedent in the UK.

PowerTherm PVT panels:

System size 21.35m<sup>2</sup> 2.3kW (pk)

Annual output electrical 2,988kWh

Annual output thermal 8,897kWh

**System Outputs (with losses)**

Electrical 2,242kWh/annum

Thermal 7,100kWh/annum





*Istanbul*



### Commercial Hybrid Project- in Istanbul

Project description: Volther PowerTherm PVT installation for Varyap.

The use of PVT for this project was in order to demonstration with the Varyap rule which insists any new building being built in the borough produces a % of its energy from onsite generation.

Varyap acceptance of the technology for this application sets a precedent in the Turkey.

PowerVolt PVT panels:

System size 25.35m<sup>2</sup> 3.3kW (pk)

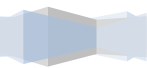
Annual output electrical 3,988kWh

Annual output thermal 9,992kWh





## *Antalya Kumluca*



### *Kumluca Project Description*

Integrated PVT system designed with pellet boiler for top up heat, MVHR (Heat recovery ventilation) for thermal recovery and heat distribution and PCM buffer storage to store excess thermal energy. Kumluca is a first hybrid project in the Turkey.

#### **SES PVT panels producing:**

System size 27m<sup>2</sup> 3.55kW (pk)

Annual output electrical 3,808 kWh

Annual output thermal 14,064kWh

#### **System Outputs (with losses):**

Electrical 2,473kWh/annum

Thermal 9,324kWh/annum

#### **Buffer Storage:**

400lt solar tank + salt PCM store.

