

## PROBLEM

Noise in cities is effecting people's health

40 % people live in places with sounds over 55 dB

20 dB noise increse lowers values of real estate for up to 10 %

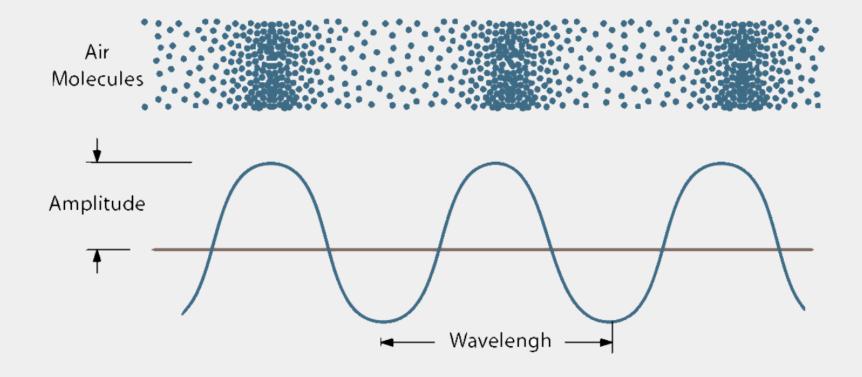
Number of people in cities will increase from 3,5 to 6 mrd. by 2050



What if we use noise as an energy resource?

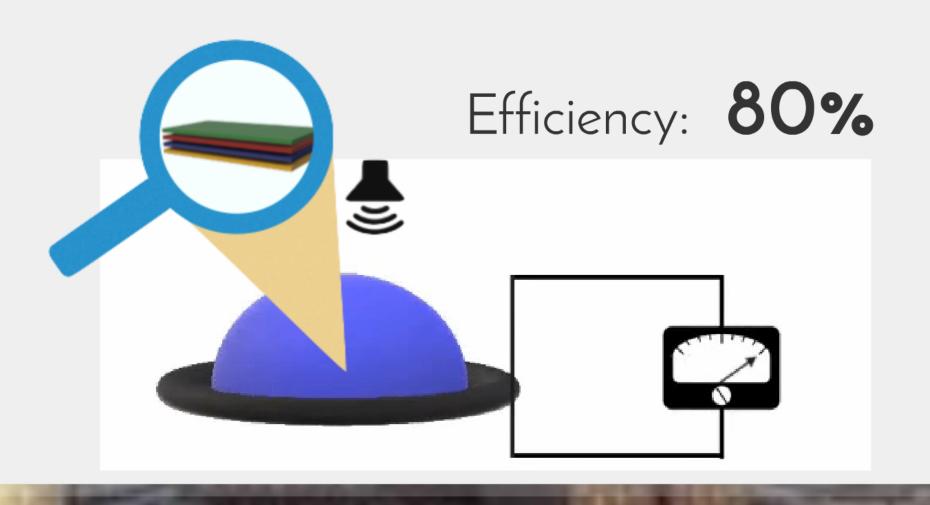
# SOUND

Our source of energy is noise pollution. Sound is a mechanical wave which carries energy.



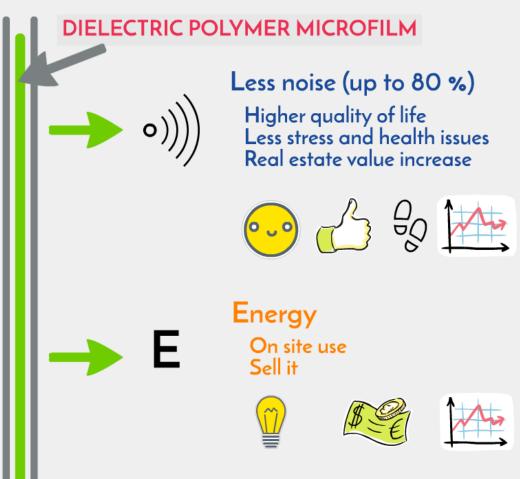
### DIELECTRIC ELASTOMERS

Electricity is generated from sound pollution by using dielectric elastomers.



## USABILITY





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Customer City / municipality

Why Quality of lif

Sound source People

Benefits

Where

Quality of life
People

Life satisfaction Citzens health Real estate value More people in cities



#### **BUILDINGS**

Owners 😊

Sound isolation

Traffic and people

Silent home Extra income Real estate value



### TRANSPORT STOPS

Transport companies

Quality of service

Traffic

Less noise
E for signalisation,
monitors,
traffic monitoring
More users of PT



Infrastructure operator

Signalisation & monitoring

Traffic

Off grid energy source Sound insolation



#### **LOUD FACILITIES**

Private business

Profit



Selling the energy Quieter work env. Health of workers Less sick days

Better quality of urban life, health & Increase of real estate value

-> higher property and labor taxes







# USABILITY

up to 80 % less noise

AIRPORT 640W per 8 mg pannel 2,60 GW / year





# THANK YOU FOR YOUR COLLABORATION AND ATTENTION

.... NOW ITS TIME FOR YOUR QUESTIONS...

### **SOURCES**

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