

EIB support to District Heating

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EIB AT A GLANCE

One of the world's largest multilateral lenders and borrowers

- We raise our funds on the international capital markets.
- We pass on favourable borrowing conditions to clients.

Over **€1.5 trillion** invested since 1958

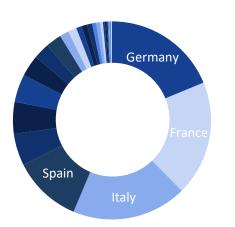
- More than 14000 projects in over 160 countries.
- Crowding-in bank: **€4.9 trillion** overall investment supported.

Headquartered in Luxembourg

- Around 4 273 staff: In addition to finance professionals, we have engineers, economists and socio-environmental experts.
- 60 offices around the world.



THE BANK'S SHAREHOLDERS



The 27 Member States of the European Union are the EIB's shareholders







EIB GROUP FINANCING IN 2023^{*} €87.85 billion



* The EIB Group total financing figure excludes a small overlap due to joint engagements of the EIB and the EIF.



POLICY PRIORITY AREAS







ENERGY

In 2023 the Bank provided more than

€21 billion for energy-related projects



- of which €5.50 billion for energy-efficient buildings



€9.14 billion for renewables

- of which more than **€3.38** billion for onshore and offshore wind
- of which more than €4.18 billion for solar photovoltaic energy



€3.79 billion for electricity grids and storage financing



EIB PRODUCTS CATALYSE INVESTMENT

Each transaction is tailored to the needs of the project



We offer loans, guarantees, equity investments and advisory services

The products can be combined or blended with other sources of public financing





EIB offer

- Financing.
- Advisory:
 - JASPERS,
 - TARGET,
 - ELENA (embedded in InvestEU Advisory Hub),
 - InvestEU Advisory Hub.





DH eligibility criteria

Sources of heat:

- Heating and cooling technologies using electricity (electric heat pumps, electric chillers, or electric peak/reserve boilers), renewable energy, renewable and low-carbon fuels, waste heat, or combined cooling/heating and power (CCHP, CHP) generation are eligible for Bank support.
- Peak/reserve boilers operating on natural gas (or oil, if gas is not available), when part of a renewable energy plant (for example, biomass or CSP), or an eligible district heating and cooling (DH/DC) system.
- In the case of gas-fired co/tri-generation, the project is eligible for Bank support if it results in emissions in the production of electricity of less than 250 g CO₂ per kWh_e (the calculation is as following: annual total emissions of CO2/(annual production of electricity + annual production of useful heat).

Networks:

- The Bank will support the rehabilitation or extension of existing networks, or construction of new networks if, as a result of the project, there will be no increase in combustion of solid or liquid fossil fuels or non-organic waste on an annual basis.
- Thermal storage facilities are considered to be a network investment.





Project examples

- Project examples: Opole, Bydgoszcz, Lublin, Kaunas, Vilnius, Brno, Ukraine DH FL.
- Typical scope: networks, gas CHP, biomass.
- CAPEX usually in the order of EUR 100 m.









Advisory: JASPERS, TARGET

- Partnership between EIB and EC.
- Support to prepare projects.
- JASPERS mandate: ERDF, CF and JTF.
- TARGET mandate: coal transition regions.
- Expert TA support provided by EIB experts or external consultants managed by the EIB.
- Free of charge.
- <u>https://jaspers.eib.org/</u>
- <u>TARGET (Technical assistance for a green energy transition)</u>





Advisory: ELENA

- Partnership between EIB and EC.
- Support to prepare projects.
- Grant based TA financing of up to 90% of eligible project preparation costs.
- Eligible costs include cost of staff and external services.
- Minimum CAPEX required of EUR 30 m.
- 3-4 years to prepare project.
- Usually a grant of EUR 1-2 m (1:20).
- <u>ELENA European Local ENergy Assistance</u>





Corporate Use

Project examples (TARGET)

- Review and comments for the **DH action plan** in Velenje, **Slovenia**
- Identification and analysis of **DH decarbonization options** in Eger, **Hungary**
- Preparation of the Feasibility Study for decarbonization of heating systems in Prievidza, Slovenia
- Preparation of the Feasibility Study for rehabilitation of the DH system in Craiova, Romania
- Preparation of Feasibility Studies to identify clean energy supply options for DH in Bogatynia and Piotrkow Trybunalski, Poland





Corporate Use

Project examples (ELENA)

- The National Integrator of Investment Processes in District Heating Companies in Poland (KAPE)
- WIEN GEOTHERMAL POWER AND STORAGE (WIEN GEOPOST)
- Sustainable Homes and Sustainable Heat in Zuid-Holland





Summary



- EIB offer includes financing and advisory.
- We finance modernisation of networks, RE and taxonomy aligned gas CHP. Financing is offered at favourable terms.
- Concerning advisory, we offer support in project preparation including expert TA (JASPERS, TARGET) and financial TA (ELENA).

Thank you for your attention

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