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EDF, a European leader in renewables, has included Green Bonds in its financing toolbox to support its development in wind and solar

• EDF is a leading European renewables generator today

- **Over 29GW**, of which 26GW in Europe: net installed capacity in hydropower, wind, solar PV and other renewables
- □ ~€2 billion / year: gross operational Capex in renewables (development of new capacity, renovation of existing assets)

Development of renewables is a core component of EDF's CAP 2030 strategy

- □ **More than 50GW in 2030**: the goal the Group has set for net installed renewables capacity (i.e., x2 from 2014)
- Renewable Energy Division: new division created in 2015, gathering all Group renewables activities and directly represented in EDF's Executive Committee, to deliver this strategic ambition
- EDF considers Green Bonds as a key financing instrument to support such efforts
 - **November 2013:** Landmark inaugural issuance and integration of Green Bonds into EDF's financing policy



EDF has issued 3 Green Bonds, for the equivalent of more than €4 billion

November 2013 Inaugural EDF Green Bond issuance

- €1.4bn, 7.5 year maturity
- First benchmark corporate Green Bond

October 2015 Second Green Bond issuance

- \$1.25bn, 10 year maturity
- Largest US\$ corporate Green Bond

October 2016 Third Green Bond issuance

- €1.75bn, 10 year maturity
- Largest Euro Green Tranche

Construction of **new wind and PV** projects

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Modernisation and upgrade of **existing hydropower** plants in **France**

Benefits for EDF

- Diversify investors' base
- Highlight EDF's existing footprint and development strategy in renewable energies
- Further streamline EDF's approach to Corporate Responsibility



Fund allocation and impact reporting as at 31/12/2015 under the first two EDF Green Bonds

	Funds raised	Funds allocated	Projects having received GB	Share funded by the GB	Gross total cap of GB fund projects (in MW)	al capacity funded ects //W)	Expected output (in TWh/year)		Expected avoided CO ₂ emissions (in Mt/year)	
			funding	_	Gross ⁽¹⁾	Net ⁽²⁾	Gross ⁽¹⁾	Net ⁽²⁾	Gross ⁽¹⁾	Net ⁽²⁾
Green Bond #1 November 2013	€1.4bn	€1.4bn	13 projects ⁽³⁾	59%	1,755	976	7.0	4.1	3.3	1.8
Green Bond #2 October 2015	\$1.25bn	\$500m	3 projects ⁽³⁾	60%	574	346	2.4	1.5	1.7	1.1

A total of 2.9MtCO₂/year avoided by the allocation of Green Bond proceeds to 15 projects

The detailed list of Green Bund funded projects is available in section 6.9 of the 2015 EDF reference document.



- (1) Sum of the gross impacts of each project funded by the corresponding Green Bond
- (2) Sum of the impacts of each project weighted by the share of total investment funded by the corresponding Green Bond
- 3) Of which one project received funding from both Green Bonds

EDF extended its Green Bond Framework to its whole renewable business to include investments in hydropower assets modernisation and upgrade

- This new Framework is applicable to potential future Green Bond issuances
- It aims to include investments in the existing hydropower fleet in mainland France into the scope of projects eligible to Green Bond funding, in addition to new wind and solar projects
 - Green Bond funding becomes available to investment activities that will enable those hydropower generation facilities to sustain a high level of generation efficiency and operational safety, to adapt to future changes in climate patterns, to increase their renewable electricity output, and to respond to enhanced flexibility needs to balance the growing share of intermittent renewable generation
- This addition further expands an already strong pipeline of Green Bond eligible investments
 - □ ~€1bn per year: eligible investments in new wind and solar projects by EDF Energies Nouvelles
 - □ ~€300m per year: eligible investments in hydropower assets managed by EDF's Hydro Division

This Framework builds on the structure developed for EDF's past Green Bond issuances under which EDF committed to, and delivered, high levels of transparency and external scrutiny on all four components of the ICMA Green Bond Principles



EDF Green Bond Framework following best market practices and Green Bond Principles

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Use of Proceeds

Investment in **EDF EN** and **EDF's Hydro Division** power generation assets from renewable energy sources:

- Development of new renewables generation capacity
- Renovation and modernisation of existing hydropower generation facilities with a view to increasing efficiency, flexibility and ability to contribute to meeting needs of changing electricity systems as the share of intermittent capacity grows
- Adaptation of existing hydropower assets to changing climate patterns

Investment activities to comply with **specific Environmental and Social criteria**

Project selection process

Dedicated internal organisation to assess and ensure that only Eligible Projects as defined in Use of Proceeds may benefit from Green Bond financing

Management of Proceeds

Net proceeds allocated to a sub portfolio, managed and tracked separately until their allocation to Eligible Projects

Reporting

Quarterly updates : Fund allocation **Annual disclosures**: Green Bond-funded projects and aggregated impacts (at the level of each Bond issuance)

vigeœiris●●	External Review	Deloitte.	
 Ex-ante Second O Green Bond Frame Confirms bonds Considers EDF Considers report transparency 	pinion – Vigeo Eiris' level of assurance on the sustainability of the work is "reasonable" to be issued are Green Bonds and alignment with the GBPs ESG performance and the new Green Bond Framework as "robust" rting commitments showing an overall consistent level of	Ex-post attestation report – Deloitte to issue an annual assurance report on fund allocations and EDF Green Bonds compliance with EDF Green Bond Framework and the Green Bond Principles	ר ;



EDF EN Eligible Projects Unchanged from EDF's 2013 and 2015 Green Bond issues

New renewable energy projects

 New projects identified and developed by EDF Energies Nouvelles in the field of renewable energies such as wind (off-shore and on-shore), photovoltaic, biogas, marine energy, etc.











Eligible projects can only consist of new projects (under development or construction)

Fulfilling E&S criteria

- EDF EN Project E&S Criteria cover five Environmental and Social aspects
 - Civil rights and Governance assessment of country location of the projects
 - Management of environmental impacts
 - Protection of workers' health and safety
 - Promotion of responsible supplier relationship
 - Dialogue with local players



EDF mainland France Hydro Eligible Projects

Investments in existing hy	dropower facilities in main	nland France (excluding subsid	diaries)
 Renovation and upgrad hydropower generation 	e of • Modernisat facilities • existing hyd maintenand	tion and automation of dropower facilities' ce and operation	 Hydropower development projects
Improve hydropower generation efficiency and safety	Improve resilience to climate change	Increase generation flexibility and ability to manage growth in intermittent renewables	Net increase of hydropower output and/or storage capacity (for pumped storage)
Fulfilling E&S criteria			
 French Hydro Project E Development of sustainage practices and processes 	&S criteria cover five E&S able human resources	Saspects	
 Management of environ Protection of employees health and safety 	mental impacts and contractors workers'	Inspired by the IHA Protocol's philosophy	

- Promotion of responsible contractors relationship
- Dialogue with local players



Project selection, reporting and verification processes

	EDF Energies Nouvelles	EDF mainland France Hydro			
Project selection	Based on project assessment provided by the EDF EN teams in charge of project development, procurement and sustainable development.	Based on project assessment by EDF's Hydro Division teams in charge of project development, procurement and sustainable development.			
Quarterly	 Total amount of proceeds allocated to selected Eligible Projects (+ share vs. total raised and unallocated balance) Distribution of the total allocated amount b/w the different Eligible Projects categories and geographical distribution Number of projects having received Green Bond funding 				
Reporting Annual	 Description of each project that received Green Bond funding: Technology, location and commissioning timeline Electricity generation capacity (in MW) For each Green Bond issue, aggregated impacts from all funded projects: Total expected electricity output (in GWh) Expected avoided CO₂ emissions 	 Description of most representative projects that received Green Bond funding For each Green Bond issue, aggregated impacts: ✓ For development projects: additional generation capacity; expected output, and expected avoided CO₂ emissions ✓ For all other EDF Hydro Division Eligible Projects: generation capacity impacted by investments, expected output, and qualitative description of associated environmental benefits 			
Annual attestation report from Deloitte	 Alignment with Green Bond Principles Compliance with EDF Green Bond Framework on the following aspects: Project selection process and eligibility of Green Bond-funded projects Tracking of the funds raised and reconciliation of amounts of funds allocated Compliance of avoided CO₂ emissions reported with calculation methodology 				



EDF's hydropower fleet in mainland France

- EDF's hydropower fleet in mainland France comprised of 433 power plants with an average age of 71 years
- Around 20GW of installed capacity
 - Of which 13GW can be dispatched instantly
- Total output in 2015 = 38.9TWh⁽¹⁾
 - Excluding Corsica and the French overseas departments, where output was 1.3TWh in 2015

Benefits of hydropower

- Dispatchable renewable generation
- □ Speed, availability and flexibility
- □ Contribution to management of supply and demand balance in a context of growing share of intermittent generation
- □ Ability to provide ancillary services to the network (frequency and voltage adjustments)
- □ Water storage capacity (peak energy, cold source for thermal and nuclear generation)



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Different types of hydropower facilities

- Run-of-river
 - D No storage capacity, run-of-river plants are used in order to meet normal day-to-day demand
 - Energy generation depends solely on the current water condition
- Pondage water
 - Average sized water reserve,
 - □ Intended for an occasional use during the week or the day, to cover peaks in demand
- Reservoirs (lake-supplied)
 - Large storage capacity
 - Influence on downstream power plants (located in mountain ranges) which calls for a management of valley stations
- Pumped storage (STEP)
 - □ Water is pumped from a downstream reservoir to an upstream one to create a reserve available during off-peak hours
 - D Water is then turbined from the upstream reservoir to the downstream one during periods of high demand
- Tidal power
 - D Plant on the river Rance which, using the up and down movement of the tides, provides a very regular power supply

EDF operates multiple, small-to-large hydropower facilities of different types, able to meet base-load and peak demand, designed to optimise harnessing and use of water resources

EDF's hydropower fleet in mainland France

Total installed capacity ~20GW⁽¹⁾





(1) Excluding Corsica and overseas departments, equivalent to 440MW

(2) The tidal power plant of the Rance generates electricity by using the up and down movement of the tides

Examples of EDF mainland France Hydro Eligible Projects Generation efficiency investment - Grand'Maison

EDF is rolling out an industrial project aimed at sustaining the technical and economic performance of its hydro generation fleet with high standards of reliability, flexibility, modularity and availability, blending seamlessly into its surroundings and making a major contribution to the economic life of France mountainous regions

- Plant description
 - □ Commissioned in 1985, most powerful hydropower plant in France
 - 1,790 MW of capacity that can be dispatched within 2 minutes
 - Pumped-storage = only GW-size power storage technology available today
 - During periods of high demand, water in the upper reservoir pumped down to the lower reservoir. When demand power drops, water pumped back up.
 - Two-reservoir system key to flexibility and safety
- Investment programme
 - Replacement of large components
 - Wheels, turbine components, valves
 - Modernization to improve the industrial performance of the plant:
 - Connection to the regional "e-operation" center
 - Enhanced instrumentation with close monitoring of the evolution of "metal" temperatures
 - → reduced unplanned outages and better anticipation of maintenance



Examples of EDF mainland France Hydro Eligible Projects Development project - Upgrade of La Bâthie

Multifaceted by nature, the development of hydropower entails the replacement of existing plants, the construction of new dams or increasing installed capacity

Plant description

- La Bâthie consists of thirty hydrants, 45 km of tunnels and three storage tanks, Roselend, Saint-Guérin and Gittaz spread in Beaufortain in the Savoie region.
- 6 turbines delivering an initial installed capacity of 500 MW for a 50 m³/s discharge when it was commissioned in 1961 (upgraded in 1975 by increasing the discharge to 55 m³/s)

Investment programme

- □ Almost €50 million invested over eight years to increase the installation's capacity from 550MW to 600MW by:
 - Increasing each of the 6 existing turbines
 - Replacing voltage regulation system and underground electricity cables.



- Creation of a new secondary reservoir in order to stock part of the water when turning on the power station, enabling to smooth the river flow variations down the power station.
- □ Project spread over time as plant critical to the electrical system and cannot be stopped altogether

