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Towards a sustainable Romanian energy sector: Roadmap to RES in 2030 October 2018

Global context \rightarrow 2°C could be too much...

The new focus: Accelerating and Deepening the Transition to Sustainable Energy



We have 3 or 4 years in order to avoid 1.5°C



- Limit the use of conventional cars, aircraft, trucks and ships
- Invest heavily in carbon capture and renewable energy, with state subsidies
- Invest in insulation and electrification
- **Build a welfare system** to support people and countries during the change

Source: United Nations Economic Commission for Europe, Accelerating and Deepening the Transition to Sustainable Energy, 2018

Global context \rightarrow ...but 1.5°C is the new target

Reducing global warming to 1.5°C requires rapid, far-reaching and unprecedented changes in all aspects of society





Global trends

Enablers that are positioning renewable energy as the preferred "mainstream" energy source



 Globally, wind and solar have reached grid parity and are moving closer to performance parity with conventional sources

GRID PARITY



GRID INTEGRATION

Cost effective and reliable grid integration:

 Renewables have proved to be less costly and difficult to integrate than anticipated



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Source: Deloitte Insights, Global renewable energy trends, 2018

Technology for automated, intelligent, blockchained and transformed renewables:

• Automation is dramatically cutting time and cost for solar and wind production & operations

TECHNOLOGY



*LCOE – Levelized cost of energy

Romanian perspectives of the energy sector

Cost of RES will drive the future of the Romanian energy sector

Market forecast

- Cost of technology will gradually decrease, making RES cost competitive (grid parity for Romania is expected to be reached in 2025)
- For the 2021-2030 period, the average investment in wind capacities will be ~ 1.086 EUR/kW and ~ 635 EUR/kW for solar capacities
- The coal/ lignite plants have to be refurbished in order to be environmental compliant
- Expanding the lifespan of existing nuclear facilities and commissioning U3 and U4 in 2030 and 2031, respectively
- The evolution of the consumption up to 2030 will be influenced by:
- electrification of transport, reaching ~ 500,000 electric cars in 2030, and
- the increase in electricity consumption in the residential sector (electric heating and cooling)

Infrastructure

- Transition to smart grids by introducing smart metering and grid digitalization
- Distribution and transmission systems modernization – losses reduction
- Develop energy storage capacity in order to ensure a proper balancing of RES
- Interconnection of the national electricity transmission network - 15% (2030)
- Developing transport& distribution capacities for taking over **natural gas** from the Black Sea
- Expansion and modernization of natural gas storage capacities

Macroeconomics

- In 2030 the electricity/ capita in Romania will reach 54% of the 2015 EU average
- In 2020 the electricity/ capita in Romania will reach 45% of the 2015 EU average
- Romania's population at the end of the analyzed period ~ 18 million people

RES roadmap for Romania: main results of the analyzed scenario In 2030, the net installed capacity from renewable sources will be 64% higher compared to 2020



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Spillover effects of the energy transition in Romania

Domestic investment in relevant economic sectors will generate 350 billion EUR in the Romanian Gross Domestic Product between 2021 and 2030



Policies and measures

Energy policies converge towards achieving the environmental targets set by the Paris Agreement, while maintaining national energy security

Develop predictable regulation for investments

• Ensure predictable regulation for investments in order to achieve lower capital costs

Ensure proper implementation of the Clean Energy Package

- Accelerate the development of well-designed and well-functioning electricity markets and improve the investment climate for clean power generation by fully implementing the Third Energy Package and the new Market Design legislation
- Engage in statistical transfers

Step up regional cooperation, integration and interconnected markets

• Ensure that existing grids and interconnection capacity are efficiently used to foster market integration

Remove regulatory and administrative barriers

- Remove barriers to enable integration of corporate PPAs
- Introduce certificates of origins system

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