



Solar PV opportunities in Vietnam for German companies

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Who is PDP?

The Project Development Programme (PDP) is funded by the German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy to promote renewable energy solutions in 16 countries via:

- Business development
- Market development
- Project development

→ Support German companies with market insight, access to project opportunities and partnership with local partners.



Map of current PDP focus countries







Legal framework for solar energy & current status

Decision 11/2017/QD-TTg

Feed-in-tariff scheme:

- Both utility and rooftop projects: 9.35 USct/kWh
- PPA 20 years

Effectiveness: Operation before 30/06/2019



Source: TTC Group

Utility scale: total 3,770 MW in operation by May 2019





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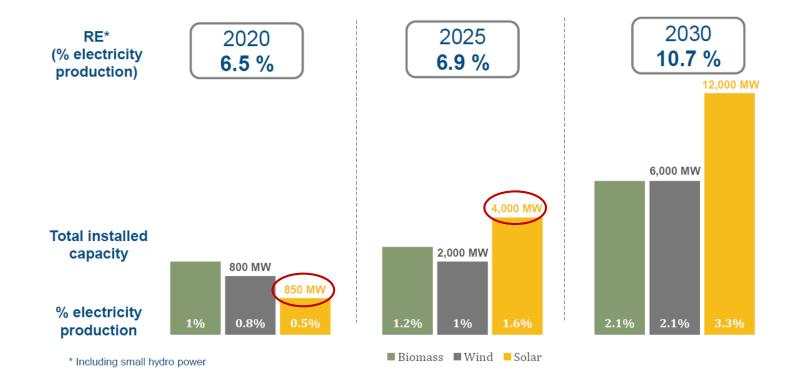


Source: DBW

Rooftop solar: 42 MWp installed by May 2019

Source: EVN inofficial

Solar energy target in Vietnam



Solar target 2020 already surpassed & target 2025 likely to achieve by 2020







DRAFT follow-up solar PV regulation

Draft Follow-up Decision

Feed-in-tariff scheme continues but at lower price levels

- FiT reduced year-by-year reflecting decrease of investment costs
- Different FiTs depending on: project types and locations

	Zone I		Zone II		Zone III		Zone IV	
Period	VNÐ/kWh	US cent/kWh	VNÐ/kWh	US cent/kWh	VNÐ/kWh	US cent/kWh	VNÐ/kWh	US cent/kWh
Floating solar power projects	2,281	9.98	1,963	8.59	1,758	7.69	1,655	7.24
Ground mounted solar power projects	2,102	9.2	1,809	7.91	1,620	7.09	1,525	6.67
Rooftop solar projects	2,486	10.87	2,139	9.36	1,916	8.38	1,803	7.89









DRAFT Zone classification for solar project FITs

Zone	No	Province	No	Province	No	Province	No	Province
I 28 provinces	1	Hà Giang	8	Lạng Sơn	15	Hà Nội	22	Hà Tĩnh
	2	Bắc Kạn	9	Quảng Ninh	16	Hà Nam	23	Nam Định
	3	Cao Bằng	10	Phú Thọ	17	Bắc Ninh	24	Quảng Bình
	4	Tuyên Quang	11	Vĩnh Phúc	18	Hưng Yên	25	Thanh Hóa
	5	Thái Nguyên	12	Bắc Giang	19	Hải Phòng	26	Lai Châu
	6	Lào Cai	13	Hải Dương	20	Ninh Bình	27	Nghệ An
	7	Yên Bái	14	Hòa Bình	21	Thái Bình	28	Son La
II 6 provinces	29	Quảng Trị	31	Thừa Thiên Huế	33	Đà Nẵng		
	30	Điện Biên	32	Quảng Nam	34	Quảng Ngãi		
III 23 provinces	35	Kon Tum	41	Sóc Trăng	47	Tiền Giang	53	Bà Rịa – Vũng Tàu
	36	Cà Mau	42	Cần Thơ	48	An Giang	54	Long An
	37	Hậu Giang	43	Vĩnh Long	49	Đắk Nông	55	Bình Dương
	38	Bình Định	44	Trà Vinh	50	TP. Hồ Chí Minh	56	Bình Phước
	39	Bạc Liêu	45	Lâm Đồng	51	Đồng Nai	57	Tây Ninh
	40	Kiên Giang	46	Bến Tre	52	Đồng Tháp		
IV	58	Phú Yên	60	Đắk Lắk	62	Ninh Thuận		
6 provinces	59	Gia Lai	61	Khánh Hòa	63	Bình Thuận		

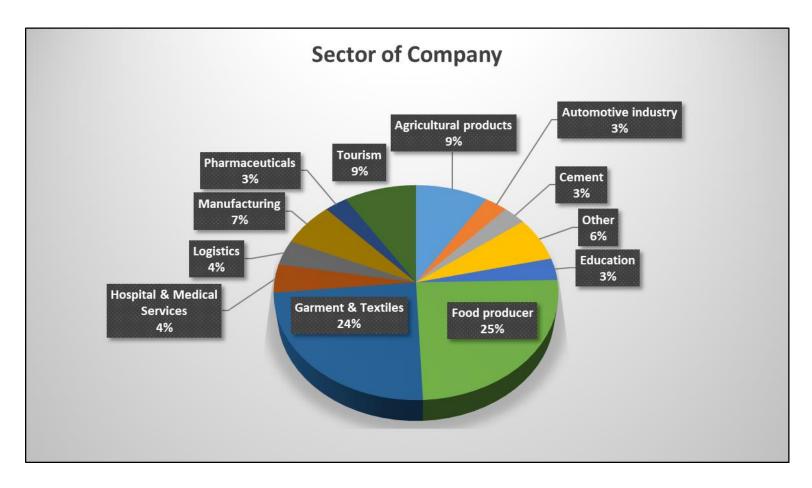








PDP focus: Commercial and Industrial clients



- Screening potential and bankable projects
- □ Pre-developing projects with the clients
- □ Building pipeline for CapEx and OpEx business models
- ☐ Transferring leads to German companies
- → Looking for interested EPC contractors and PPA/Leasing investors







Leads generation - Approaches

Networking and Cold Calling	Sector Analysis	Sector Approach
Industry Associations	Trade Fairs & Events	GIZ Projects
Supply Chains	Key Accounts	Project Developers
Intermediaries & Distributors	German Companies	









Pipeline development steps



- I. Opportunity Identification
 - Questionnaire
- II. Data Collection
- Site audit
- Load modelling
- III. Lead Securing
- Letter of Intent
- Non-Disclosure Agreement
- IV. Detailed Data Collection
- Load measurement
- V. System Layout
- HOMER calculation

VI. Economic Assessment

- Cash flow model
- Customer bankability check

VII. Lead Presentation

- Project dossier
- Presentations templates
- Contact to investors / banks

/III.Lead Transfer

- Standard and alternativ lead transfer
- Invitation to bid

IX. Follow-Up

- Deal closing
- Further assistance for customer and SME

X. Realisation

Marketing and communication







Lead transfer process

Fair and transparent



Criteria by the clients

Selection of German companies from database of the Energy Export Initiative

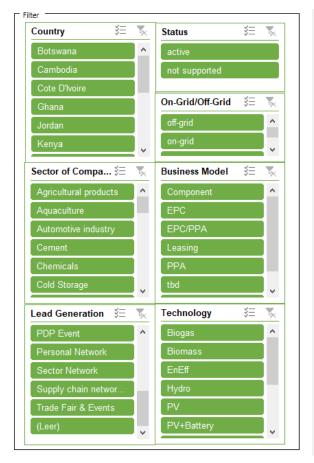
Transfer of Project info and Matchmaking

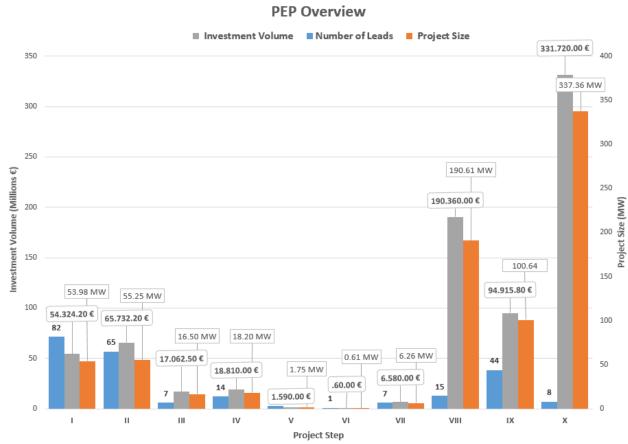






Pipeline











Our support has led to many successful German – local partnership!



Copperbelt Energy Corporation, Zambia – 1 MWp



Emergent cold, Vietnam – 308 kWp



Viet Uc Seafood, Vietnam – 22 kWp



Star Aire, Thailand – 1 MWp



Swissport Kenya Limited, Kenya – 110 kWp



Travessia Lodge, Mozambique – 10 kWp







Reference project: Industrial cold storage

308 kW $_{\rm p}$ rooftop solar system, in operation since 07/2017





Source: Emergent Cold Vietnam

- □ Owner: Emergent Cold
- □ Leading cold chain service provider in Vietnam, Australia
- □ Solar coverage:15% total demand
- ☐ Motivation: commercial e-tariff, new buildings should obtain recognised building environmental assessment standard (e.g. LEED)







Reference project: 330 MW solar power plant



Source: BIM Group

- □ Project owner: BIM Group (Vietnam)
- □ Location: Ninh Thuan province
- ☐ German EPC and German owner's engineer consultancy







Thank you for your attention!

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