SE4ALL INITIATIVES IN BHUTAN

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- Overview on Energy Sector
- Energy Policies
- Energy Situations
- Status of SE4All Initiatives & Status
- Investment Opportunities

OVERVIEW OF ENERGY SECTOR IN BHUTAN



Colour Legend: Policy directives Investment Directives Regulatory Directives

ENERGY RELATED POLICIES

- Electricity Act of Bhutan, 2001.
- Economic Development Policy of Bhutan, 2010.
- Sustainable Hydropower Development Policy 2008.
- ≻Alternative Renewable Energy Policy 2013.
- ➢ Foreign Direct Investment Policy, 2010.

ENERGY SITUATION IN BHUTAN

Electricity Consumption & Export (2014)



Date Source: DHPS, Analysed by DRE

Total Energy Generation: 7147.222 MU

7% of electricity imported to meet domestic demand



Source: BBS, Feb 2015

ENERGY CONSUMPTION AND FORECAST

Baseline Forecast until 2020: Structural Change of the Energy mix

Sector-wise Energy Consumption (2011)





Source: ADB Study, 2014

SE4ALL INITIATIVES



Bhutan joined SE4ALL in 2012 after the Rio Brazil Summit.
Energy + Cooperation Partnership with funding from Norwegian Govt.
Rapid Assessment and Gap Analysis study with funding from ADB (2012)

Findings of RA/GA

Energy Access

- No Clear policy targets to address reduced use of fuel wood for cooking and heating
- Require significant capacity building of public and private agencies to develop Bhutan's hydropower potential

Renewable Energy Systems:

- Develop RE roadmap for all RETs and FiT
- DRE needs to strengthen their capacity and gain experience in promoting and developing RE technologies







- Strengthening of the capacity of private sector to implement RE systems and financial institutions to finance RE systems
- No specific budget prepared for developing RE

Energy Efficiency:

- No detailed studies of the potential of EE in the country have been undertaken nor EE specific programs developed
- No Energy Efficiency and Conservation Policy (No financing estimate)
- Private Sector to play an important role in implementing EE



GOAL 1: ENERGY ACCESS "ELECTRICITY FOR ALL"

RE Target:

- ✓ As per VISION 2020 electricity for all by 2020
- The JICA 2005 roadmap to achieve electricity for all by 2017
- ✓ DPT 2008 electricity for all by 2013
- ✓ >96% electrified





Large Hydropower



SOME PPP HYDRO PROJECTS



DIVERSIFYING ENERGY SOURCES

Alternative Renewable Energy Policy 2013

Minimum Target of 20 MW by 2025 excluding SHP

 Small hydropower (up to 25MW) Total installed capacity – 8MW

•RE Master Plan & RE Road Map to be completed by end of 2015•FiT Framework to be adopted

Improved Cook Stoves:

•Target by 2020: 15,500 •Achieved May 2015: 6000

Biogas Plants

Tech-economic feasible: 16,000Target by 2020: 4420Achieved: 1700

•Wind Energy

•600 kW pilot wind power project under implementation by ADB & RGoB – Nov'2015 schedule for Commission

Solar Energy

- •Over 0.25 MW installed (stand alone systems)
- •Resource potential of 4.2 to 6 kWh/m²/day
- •8 Solar Water Heating Systems (500-1000L) piloted
- •Proposed to install 0.5 MW size grid interactive solar power plant

GOAL 3: ENERGY EFFICIENCY IMPROVEMENT

Energy Efficiency & Conservation Policy- Under formulation

•40 Industries
•Building Sectors
•Transport Sector
•Appliances & Equipment Survey

S&L Program
DSM through efficient
lighting systems (LED lights)

•Energy Audit Outcome: <u>Significant Energy Saving</u> <u>Potential !</u>



Continuous awareness program on EE conducted







INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN BHUTAN

- Investment opportunities on RE & EE will open up after the completion of Preparatory studies
- 1-2 large HPP to be implemented under PPP/IPP in the 11th FYP.

Further Information: www.moea.gov.bt





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