



Renewable Energy Coordination Group OBJECTIVES FOR 2017

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Renewables in 2017

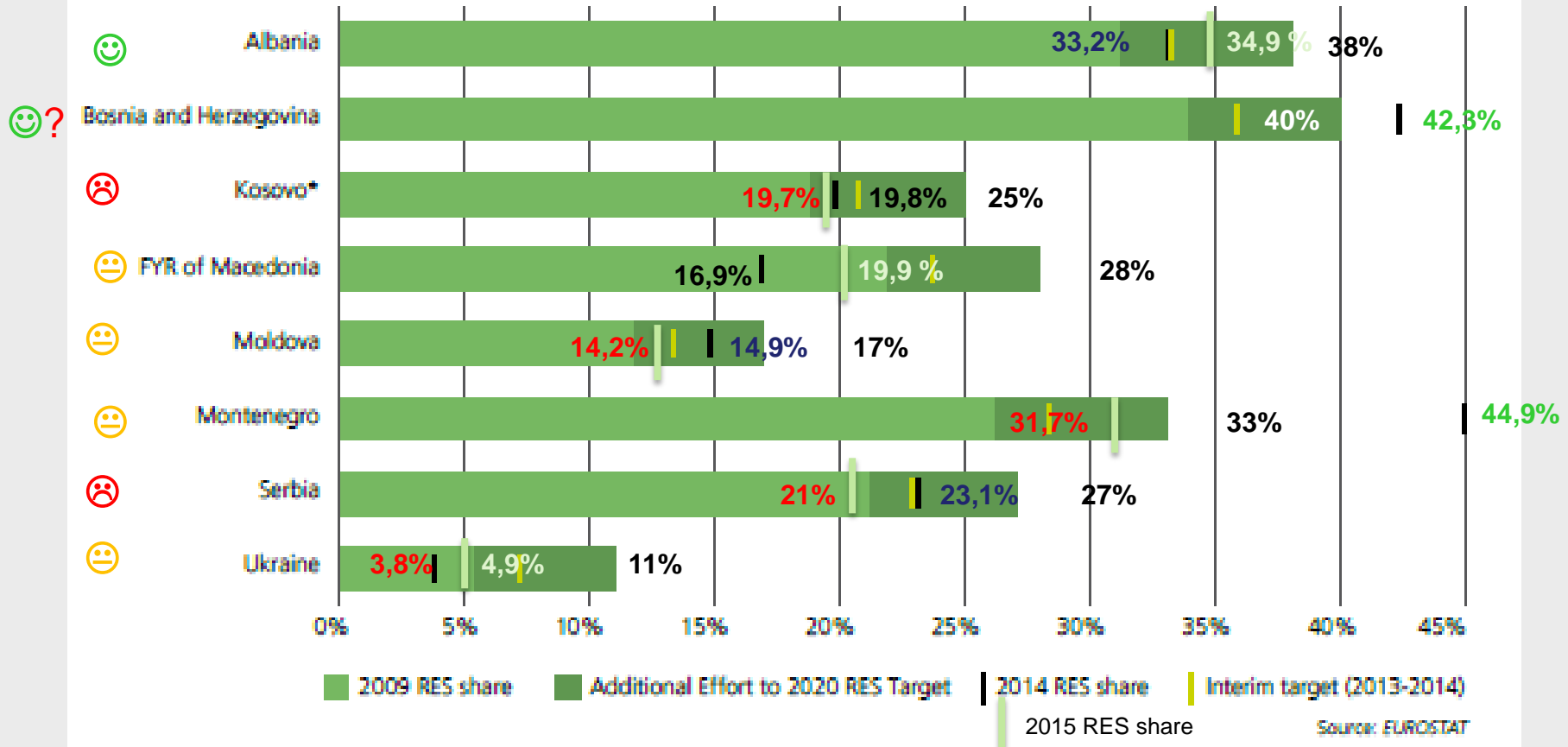


- 2017 – Second Progress Report in promotion of RES in the Energy Community – CPs reports submitted **except Bosnia and Herzegovina**;
- **NREAP of FYR of Macedonia not compliant with target achievement in 2020 – new biomass consumption data to be included in the energy balance**;
- October 2017 – Second Report of the Secretariat to the Ministerial Council on the progress in the promotion of renewable energy;
- Implementation Report 2017 - Annual monitoring of ECS;
- Assessing compliance in transposition >>> **opening letters**
- **Sustainability Forum – 9 June 2017**
- **Sustainability Charter - WB6 Summit – Trieste, 12 July 2017**

Progress in the promotion of the use of energy from renewable sources – Second Progress Reports



Energy Community Renewable Energy 2020 Targets





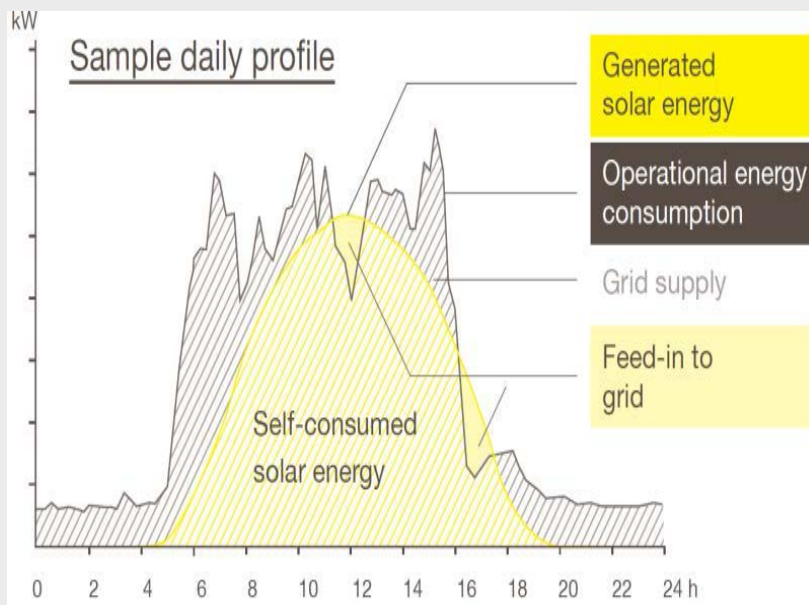
- **State Aid Guidelines on Environmental Protection and Energy 2014-2020 (EEAG 2014-2020)**
 - *support granted based on competitive process – renewables fit for the market*
 - *where do we stand with the enabling legislation?*
 - *public procurement acquis ?*
 - *RES integration into the market – market fit for renewables*
 - *what are the plans with the establishment of the day-ahead trading platforms?*
 - *imbalance settlement, intra-day trading?*



Public consultation with relevant stakeholders should be conducted at national level and draft support schemes should be notified to the State aid enforcement authorities

- *Enable the involvement of and cooperation with stakeholders from the beginning for an inclusive process from design to implementation to ensure investors' confidence;*
- *Notify the scheme ex-ante to the Secretariat*
- *Notify the scheme ex-ante to the national State aid authorities*

Micro and small-scale renewable energy systems (below 500 kW)



- *Right to self-consumption and distributed storage;*
- *Direct self-consumption rather than injection in the grid;*
- *Limiting net-metering schemes to phase-in periods and review it regularly, transparently, in a predictable way;*
- *Predictability on how the grid cost exemption are revised;*
- *Time of use tariffs – introduce market signals;*
- *Review of the tariff framework – fix/variable charges;*
- *VAT issue*

Next steps



- *Finalise WP 2016-2017 due deliverables;*
- *Bosnia and Herzegovina – to finalise and submit the Second Progress Reports in promotion of RES by end March 2017;*
- *Energy statistics reported to EUROSTAT – RES questionnaire - hydro and wind normalisation, biomass;*
- *Start designing the market based support scheme for renewable energy projects, in line with EEAG 2014-2020 requirements;*
- *Administrative procedures to fit the new framework based on auctions for renewable energy; require the network operators to be transparent in terms of available network capacity, provide RES producers with transparent timetables for connection to the grids;*
- *Enable the end-customers to trigger the energy transition to a low-carbon economy;*



Directive 2009/28/EC - Articles 17-19

Directive 2003/30/EC

- ✓ Promoting biofuels and other RES fuels in transport
- ✓ Incentive measures
- ✓ Definitions of biofuels
- ✓ **Indicative** targets: 2% by 2005; 5,75% by 2010
- ✓ Reporting on achievements, effectiveness of measures
- ✓ Monitoring of effects by blending > 5%

Directive 2009/28/EC

- ✓ Promoting biofuels and other RES fuels in transport & Incentive measures
- ✓ **Mandatory** target: **10% by 2020**
- ✓ **Sustainability criteria & certification**
- ✓ Double counting for biofuels from waste and residues

Acquis for Renewables in transport - transposition

	Promotion of biofuels	Incentivness	Mandatory targets	Sustaiianblity criteria	Verification system
adopted legislation					
proposal in the Parliament					
proposal in the Government					
draft					
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- Actual share of RES in transport in 2016 \approx close to 0%
- Sustainability criteria NOT transposed; verification systems NOT in place
- 10% RES in transport is integral part of overall target by 2020 ; only sustainable and verified biofuels can be calculated towards the target achievements
- Infringement procedure to start – by sending opening letter – for some CPs for entire Directive 2009/28/EC, for some only related to Articles 17-21 (biofuel sustainability)



Thank You!

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