

Project Acronym : Wind Energy – The Facts

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ABSTRACT

WindEnergyTheFacts aims at answering new questions and challenges that have emerged in relation to wind power by creating an exhaustive publication and a regularly updated website on wind energy. It will provide objective information and increase the public knowledge and support for this sector. The manual and website will include 6 volumes with data on wind energy technology, grid integration, economics of wind, its industry and markets, its environmental impacts and the scenarios and targets for wind energy.

The role and integration of wind energy in liberalised European electricity markets is one of the most important developments since the previous version of The Facts. The future integration of wind energy in the Internal Electricity Market will impact on market structures, market development, payment schemes and grid integration.

The objectives of the project are the following :

- Provide a comprehensive manual covering all aspects of the wind energy field
- Inform policy makers, industry specialists and the wider public
- Promote wind energy as a market showing vigorous growth
- Inform the general public of the reality of wind energy as a mature and beneficial technology
- Initiate a regularly updated internet based information source

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