

Rengy Development

Renewable Energy for Sustainable Growth



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COMPANY



History and Strategy

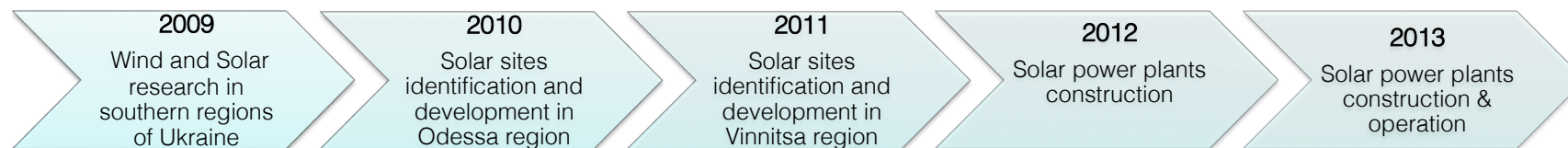
The Company was established in 2009 with the purpose to invest in and develop renewable energy projects. Operations in Ukraine are currently primarily concentrated on solar energy.

In-house development and management team (legal, engineering, finance)

Outsourced planning and construction (EPC, grid-connection)

We focus on selective development of small to medium size projects. These range between 4-7 MWp. Strategically choose locations where:

- sufficient solar irradiation is available
- the land plots are not cultivated or used for other important purposes (community support)
- grid infrastructure is nearby and has reserve capacity (minimize connection/upgrade costs)
- there is no local electricity production (reduce grid-transport losses)





SOLAR MARKET



Solar Market

Market attractiveness and Green tariff

- Solar in Ukraine at early stage of development – growth potential
- Irradiation levels materially higher than in Germany – largest PV market
- First solar plant of 2.5 MWp built in Ukraine in autumn 2010
- Market grew by approximately 68% in 2012 adding 130 MWp and reaching almost 320 MWp capacity

- GT first payments made in mid-2009 to small hydro plants
- Solar GT 46 eurocents (net of VAT) since 2009 until 1.04.2013, and 34 euro cents currently
- Green tariffs are effective until 2030

Entry barriers?

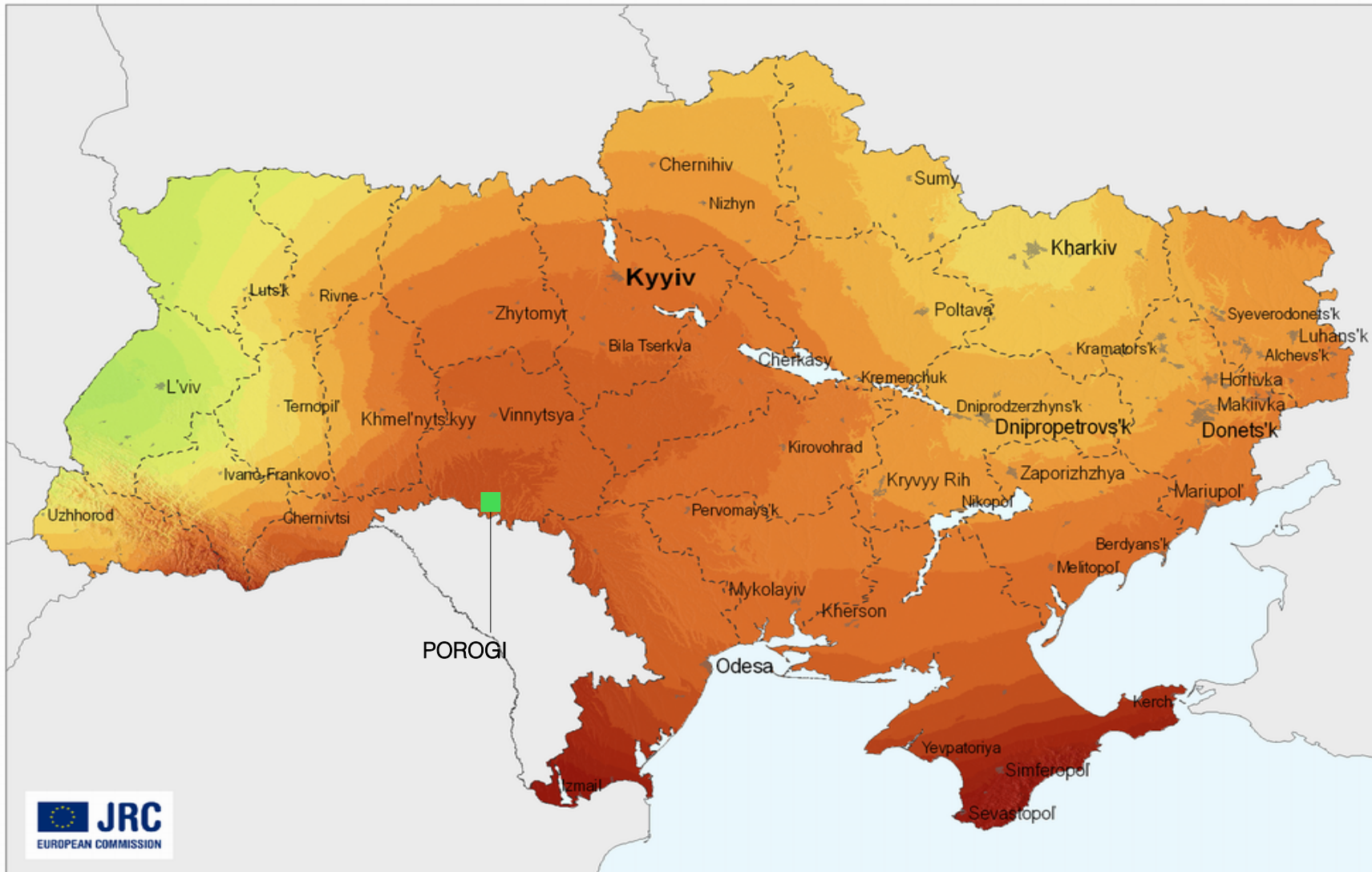
- Consistently changing legislation
- Uncertainty period – risk&return
- “Local content”
- Absence of institutional foreign investors



CASE STUDY
POROGI 4.5 MW_p

Global irradiation and solar electricity potential
Optimally-inclined photovoltaic modules

Ukraine



Yearly sum of global irradiation [kWh/m^2]

<1150 1200 1250 1300 1350 1400 1450 1500 1550>



<863 900 938 975 1013 1050 1088 1125 1163>

Yearly electricity generated by 1kW_{peak} system with performance ratio 0.75 [$\text{kWh/kW}_{\text{peak}}$]

Authors: M. Šúri, T. Cebeauer, T. Huld, E. D. Dunlop

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<http://re.jrc.ec.europa.eu/pvgis/>

0 50 100 200 km





Case Study





Case Study

Stages:	Development (identification/allocation/planning) Construction (site preparation, EPC, grid connection) pre-Operation (license, energy market, green tariff, PPA)
Time per stage:	12 months 4 months 2 months
Issues per stage:	site choice multi-layer matrix, public awareness, bureaucracy scarce labor, weather conditions, supplier dependability significant paperwork, legislation changes, timing is important

Case Study



- Financing:
- EBRD (USELF)
 - other sources? (banks, EPC bridging, supplier credits, IFIs)
 - equity (own, PE funds, strategic investors)
- Issues with banks:
- Lack of expertise (hence longer time for analysis)
 - Lack of collateral (project finance)
 - Often requirement of personal guarantees
 - Currency loan may require currency income for Borrower
 - Releasing loan only after income generation?
 - Cost of the loan significantly impacts economics of the project

Case Study



Social impact

Jobs created: 10 full time jobs (security, operations, admin)
 75 part time jobs (during 3-4 months of construction)

Village & community: social partnership programme
 assistance with snow hazard, school renovation and presents, etc
 water supply infrastructure upgrade planned
 taxes and lease payments monthly

CO2 reduction: approximately 5,000 tons equivalent



THANK YOU