

THE AUSTRIAN ENERGY AGENCY

Industrial Energy Efficiency Benchmarking Projects – International Experience

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AUSTRIAN ENERGY AGENCY (AEA)

- Austria's national Energy Agency (founded in 1977)
- 91 employees, 7.5 million Euros annual turnover
- Independent Think Tank: knowledge management, decision-making support, development/implementation of energy policy measures

President: Minister of Environment Andrä Rupprechter Vice-President: Vice-Chancellor and Minister of Economy Reinhold Mitterlehner

Vice-President: Governor of Tyrol Günther Platter









MEMBERS OF THE AEA

In 2017 the AEA counts 45 members, among others:

Government

- Austrian Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management (BMLFUW)
- Austrian Federal Ministry of Science, Research and Economy (BMWFW)
- 9 regional governments ("Bundesländer")

• Economy, e.g.:

- Several energy suppliers
- Austrian Federal Forests ("Bundesforste")
- Stakeholder and Organizations, e.g.:
 - Austrian Federal Economic Chamber, Federation of Austrian Industry
 - Association for Consumer Information
 - Different interest groups (biomass, paper and pulp industry, etc.)
- Scientific Institutions, e.g.:
 - Institute for economic research (WIFO), regional energy institutes



MAIN WORKING AREAS

Energy Efficiency



Innovative Mobility





Renewable Energy Sources



Security of energy supply



Innovative Energy technologies







KEY WORK AREAS AT INTERNATIONAL LEVEL

Energy Policy

Capacity Building/ Training



Know-How-Transfer/Networking

Technical studies



COOPERATION WITH THE RUSSIAN ENERGY AGENCY - EXCHANGE OF EXPERTISE

- AEA has completed several UNIDO and European projects on industrial energy efficiency (IEE) benchmarking
- We exchanged our experience and lessons learned with the Russian Energy Agency (REA)
- We gave input and feedback to the different steps of the development of the benchmarking methodology



WHAT IS BENCHMARKING?





WHY BENCHMARK INDUSTRIAL ENERGY EFFICIENCY?

- Raise awareness
- Trigger action
- Define objectives
- Monitor a group and practices

[see e.g. EN16231: 2012]



TOP-DOWN AND BOTTOM-UP INDICATORS

Top-Down Approach

- Monitor general energy efficiency targets (of a country, sector)
- Assess energy efficiency savings (of country, sector)
- Evaluate policy measures

Bottom-Up Approach

- Monitor individual energy efficiency obligations (of a company)
- Assess energy performance in relation to peers (of a company)



TOP-DOWN AND BOTTOM-UP APPROACH CAN OVERLAP





THE UNIDO BENCHMARKING METHODOLOGY



THE UNIDO BENCHMARKING METHODOLOGY

- Benchmark curves and indicators for energy intensive industries and products
- General benchmarking methodology
- Current technical energy saving potentials
- Simplified economic analysis for a better understanding of the results
- Saving scenarios until 2030



Global Industrial Energy Efficiency Benchmarking

An Energy Policy Tool

Working Paper

November 2010



UNITED NATIONS INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION



ILLUSTRATIVE ENERGY BENCHMARK CURVE FOR MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY





UNIDO PROJECT - BENCHMARKING STUDIES FOR EGYPTIAN INDUSTRY

AEA supported establishment of benchmark studies for three industrial sectors in Egypt

- Iron & Steel
- Fertilizers
- Cement



General overview of a cement making process, (European Commission, 2013)



BENCHMARK OF EGYPTIAN CEMENT PLANT





ENERGY SAVING SCENARIOS FOR EGYPTIAN CEMENT PLANTS UNTIL 2050





THE AUSTRIAN BENCHMARKING SIMPLE TOOL



A WEB-BASED ENERGY EFFICIENCY BENCHMARKING TOOL IN AUSTRIA





WHICH BRANCHES COVERS THE TOOL?



Branchenauswahl

MII Hilf der nachfolgenden Branchenwerte können Sie herausfinden, wie effizient Sie in Ihrem Betrieb Energier im Vergleich zum Wettbewerb einsetzen. Achten Sie bite der dar wanschlid der Branche, dass Sie Ihren Betrieb mit ahnlichen Betriebe nergierbichen (z.B. dieche Umstatzgruppe). Daumit Sie einen Vergleich durchführen können, geben Sie die Kennwerte für Ihren Betrieb ein, z.B. Vetbrauch von Energie und Wasser, Kosten je Energieträger (z.B. EUR/WN), und Bezugsprücßen wie Anzahl der Mittarbeiter oder Produktionsmenge. Dabei bezeihen sich Verbrauch und Bezugsprücßen zur ein Jahr.

Unterstützt werden aktuelle Versionen der Browser Internet Explorer (Versionen 10,11), Firefox (Versionen > 30), Chrome und Safari



16 branches / several subcategories



- Breweries, Dairies, Bakeries, Meat processing, Animal feed processing, Mills
- Metal processing
- Plastic industry
- Wood processing
- Car workshops
- Laundries
- Offices
- Printing shops
- Hair dressers
- Retail sale / wholesale
- Hotel business / gastronomy



WHICH GENERAL BENCHMARK INFORMATION DO THE COMPANIES GET?

- Depending on the sector, different graphs are presented
- In a first step all results are shown, when clicking on a sector



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WHICH SPECIFIC BENCHMARK INFORMATION DO COMPANIES GET?

After filling in company data, the results of the company are shown as a "blue bar" in comparison to the sector benchmarks













THE US ENERGY STAR

ENERGY PERFORMANCE INDICATOR



ENERGY STAR[®] ENERGY <u>P</u>ERFORMANCE <u>INDICATOR</u> (EPI)

- ENERGY STAR[®] is a voluntary program operated by the U.S.
 Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
- The purpose of the ENERGY STAR program for industry is to help U.S. manufacturers improve their competitiveness through increased energy efficiency and reduced environmental impact
- It provides a procedure for defining system boundaries and creating
 EPIs for benchmarking





A DIFFERENT WAY OF BENCHMARKING

- A statistical model
- Generates an energy performance on a scale of 1 to 100 using actual plant data, not engineering projections
- Evaluates a plant in terms of energy per unit of production at the whole plant level





ENERGY STAR PLANT CERTIFICATION

Best performing plants within an industry can get the ENERGY STAR certification

• Manufacturing plants must achieve a score of 75 or higher

• Certified plants are awarded





EPIS ARE CURRENTLY AVAILABLE FOR THE FOLLOWING MANUFACTURING PLANT TYPES

- Automobile Assembly EPI
- Commercial Bread & Roll Bakery EPI
- Cement Manufacturing EPI
- Container Glass Manufacturing EPI
- Cookie and Cracker Bakery EPI
- Flat Glass Manufacturing EPI

- Frozen Fried Potato Processing EPI
- Integrated Paper and Paperboard Manufacturing EPI
- Integrated Steel Plant EPI
- Juice Processing EPI
- Pharmaceutical Manufacturing EPI
- Pulp Mill EPI
- Wet Corn Milling EPI

Free Download of MS-Excel files for the EPIs & the benchmarks



EXCEL TOOL FOR CALCULATING THE EPI

Plant characteristics: Input for the statistical model





RESULTS

Results	Your Current Plant Enter Name 2010	Your Reference Plant Enter Name 2009	Average Plant Enter Name 2010	Efficient Plant Enter Name 2010
	22	41	50	75
	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	\$0,00	\$0,00	\$0,00	\$0,00
	2.253.762	2.253.762	1.206.456	702.209
	882.401	882.401	472.356	274.931
	2,25	1,33	1,21	0,70

Enter Name (2010)







IMPROVEMENTS IN U.S. CEMENT INDUSTRY





SUMMARY

- There are very different benchmarking methodologies available
- They can be very simple or very scientific
- Each methodology has its strengths and weaknesses
- Important is, that the methodology is in line with the benchmarking purpose

Now you will hear several presentations about the Russian benchmarking system and you will see how well it works.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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