



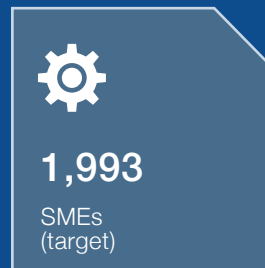
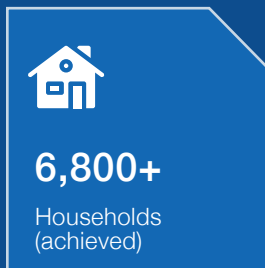
Regional Energy Efficiency Programme in Bosnia and Herzegovina

KEY FIGURES

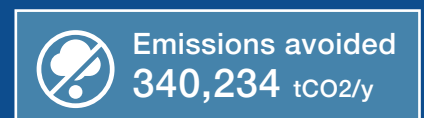
37 public buildings in Sarajevo, including schools, nurseries and student dormitories, have been reconstructed with improved energy efficiency measures. Similar projects have been approved for financing and are underway in other cities across the country. In addition, over 6,800 households have invested in energy efficiency measures using financing from EBRD Green Economy Financing Facility (GEFF) credit line. In the private sector, close to 2,000 SMEs have benefited from loans channeled through KfW, partner banks and micro-financing institutions.



Beneficiaries



Main achievements



About the programme

Launched in 2013 under the WBIF, the Regional Energy Efficiency Programme (REEP) supports the Western Balkans' green transition by combining EBRD and KfW financing with EU and donor grants to deliver policy support, technical assistance, and targeted green investments.



To date, through REEP, the Western Balkans countries

have received over **€1.1 billion**

in EBRD, KfW loans, and EU incentive grants.



REEP investments in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Direct Financing to Public Sector

Sarajevo public buildings



IFI	EBRD
LOCATION	Sarajevo
LOAN	€8m
WBIF GRANT	€2m
OTHER GRANTS	€1.1m Austria and EBRD
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€11.1m
DESCRIPTION	Energy efficiency measures in up to 37 public buildings.

Tuzla Canton public buildings



IFI	EBRD
LOCATION	Tuzla canton
LOAN	€8m
WBIF GRANT	€2.7m
OTHER GRANTS	€470,000 Sweden and EBRD
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€11.2m
DESCRIPTION	Energy efficiency measures in up to 173 public buildings.

Republika Srpska energy efficiency fund



IFI	EBRD
LOCATION	Multiple cities
LOAN	€4.5m
WBIF GRANT	€1m
OTHER GRANTS	€600,000 Austria and EBRD
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€6.1m
DESCRIPTION	Energy efficiency measures in up to 4 public buildings.

Energy efficient refurbishment of Zenica cantonal hospital



IFI	EBRD
LOCATION	Zenica
LOAN	€10m
WBIF GRANT	€1.5m
OTHER GRANTS	€204,200 Austria and EBRD
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€11.7m
DESCRIPTION	Energy efficiency measures in Zenica hospital.

Direct Financing to Private Sector

Natron Biomass 6.7MW



IFI	EBRD
LOCATION	Maglaj
LOAN	€6m
WBIF GRANT	€600,000

TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€6.6m
DESCRIPTION	The company invested in a biomass boiler and steam turbine that runs on leftovers from the pulp-making process.

Legend: Status completed Status ongoing

REEP investments in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Intermediated Financing

Intermediated financing to SMEs (WebSEFF II)

IFI	EBRD
LOCATION	Country wide
LOAN	€13m in sub-loans
WBIF GRANT	€847,064
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€13.8m
DESCRIPTION	Financing for energy efficiency investments to SMEs with Raiffeisen and UniCredit. 40 SMEs benefited from the support.

Eco Loans I

IFI	KfW
LOCATION	Country wide
LOAN	€1m
WBIF GRANT	€100,000
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€1.1 m
DESCRIPTION	346 micro companies supported with partner financial organisation Microcredit Foundation Tuzla. The Project was implemented between October 2018 and October 2020.

Intermediated financing to the residential sector (Green Economy Financing Facility – GEFF)

IFI	EBRD
LOCATION	Country wide
LOAN	€28m in sub-loans
WBIF GRANT	€4.3m
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€32.3m
DESCRIPTION	Over 6,800 households benefited from loans and grants for energy efficiency and renewable energy investments on-lent through nine partner financial institutions: UniCredit (BL, Mostar), Sparkasse, Partner, Intesa, ProCredit, Mikrofin, MiBospo, Addiko BiH.

Eco Loans II

IFI	KfW
LOCATION	Country wide
LOAN	€5m
WBIF GRANT	€500,000
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€5.5m
DESCRIPTION	1,606 micro companies supported with partner financial organisation Microcredit Foundation Tuzla. The Project was implemented between April 2022 and November 2023.

Intermediated financing to the municipal sector (WebSEFF II)

IFI	EBRD
LOCATION	Country wide
LOAN	€2m in sub-loans
WBIF GRANT	€244,520
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€2.2m
DESCRIPTION	Four beneficiaries received financing through UniCredit bank.

Low Carbon Energy Facility I

IFI	KfW
LOCATION	Country wide
LOAN	€40m
WBIF GRANT	€6m
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€46m
DESCRIPTION	Financial support to MSMEs for investments in energy-efficiency and renewable energy.

Legend:  Status completed  Status ongoing

REEP investments in Bosnia and Herzegovina

ESCO and policy dialogue

Public ESCO



IFI	EBRD
LOCATION	Country and municipal level
TOTAL PROJECT FUNDING	€41.3m
DESCRIPTION	EnPC template produced, 5 projects supported, 4 municipalities

Policy dialogue



IFI	EBRD
LOCATION	Country and municipal level
WBIF GRANT	€1m
DESCRIPTION	23 policy deliverables completed (20 formally accepted/ adopted)

Case studies



Fresh look and energy efficiency upgrades for 37 public buildings in Sarajevo

Following the successful completion of the first project phase, which saw the renovation of 20 public buildings in Sarajevo, the second phase of energy efficiency upgrades is now also completed. Work has been finished on 17 additional buildings in this phase. The project is financed with a €2

million EU investment grant and €8 million EBRD loan. In total, 37 public buildings, including kindergartens, schools, faculties, student dormitories and local outpatient health centres, have been refurbished as part of this project.

Eco-loans for greener business

The Bosnian entrepreneur Alessandro Marjanovic from the small town of Prijedor in the northwest of the country had found suitable premises for the start-up of his business, but they were in a neglected state. Marjanovic had originally worked in the field of aluminium construction but then discovered a niche in the production of mosquito nets. He approached

the local office of the microcredit foundation MCF Partner from Tuzla and asked for support. His savings were sufficient to buy the necessary machines, but not for the renovation of the hall. For this investment he received a microloan of 5,000 Marka, the equivalent of about €2,500, as well as a grant of the equivalent of €250 from EU funds. The windows now meet current insulation standards. The

entrepreneur also used his own funds to pay for improved thermal insulation of the walls. As a result, less heating is needed in winter, and in summer there is almost no need for air conditioning or fans. Marjanovic estimates that he saves 80 per cent of energy in summer and 60 per cent in winter. He can invest the saved costs entirely in his business.