

European Commission

National EU ESD Workshop: Implementation of the Directive

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The Energy Services Directive Proposal: Legislative Process

- Joint meeting EP & Council Jurists/Linguists: 17.02.06.
- Adoption by Council as "A" point: Early March.
- Signing by EP & Council Presidents in EP Plenary: as early as 23.03.06. (Clock is ticking.)
- Publication in Official Journal: mid-April 2006.
- Entry into force (= +20 days): Early May 2006.



The Energy Services Directive Proposal: Comitology and M & V

- An Expert Group on M & V has met 3 times in past 4 months. Objective: to prepare work for committee and meet timetable.
- During discussions on ESD in Council and Parliament, 3 M & V workshops were held.
- Committee established by ESD. Commission can call meeting after entry into force of Directive (i.e., in May).
- Committee representatives (political & technical) to be selected by Member States. (Commission may invite experts on ad hoc basis.)
- One or two sub-groups to be created by committee. Commission will also use remaining resources from Expert Group on M & V.



The Energy Services Directive: The 3 pillars of M & V

- Bottom-up calculations of energy efficiency measures to show estimated or metered impact of measures taken.
- Top-down systems of energy efficiency indicators can shown past improvements, including effects of horizontal measures and market transformation.
- Benchmarking of selected energy efficiency indicators (including from bottom-up measures and top-down systems). Annex IV a.



ODEX and bottom-up measurements of energy efficiency

- 1. **"Ex-post bottom-up"**: give less savings as restricted to policy savings; more costly to monitor, especially to assess all policy measures;
- 2. **"Bottom-up deemed savings"** give the highest evaluation of savings, as rebound effect and behavioural factors not fully accounted for: need to be regularly adapted to account for actual savings achieved
- 3. **Top down "bottom up" (ODEX):** give an intermediate evaluation of savings, especially with sector with strong behavioural components
- > **Complementary** approaches :
 - Possibility to combine method 1 & 2 (use of simulation tools such as MURE)
 - ✓ Difference between the approaches very instructive (may inform on the difference between potential savings and the reality)
 - ✓ ODEX completed with an ex ante evaluation come closer to approach 2
 - Approach 2 & 3 can be more easily harmonised across countries



- "Bottom-up ex-post": evaluation of policy measures (based on sample surveys)
 (eg audits programmes) → policy related savings
- "Bottom-up evaluation of deemed savings from actual market sales of energy efficient appliances (e.g. monitoring of UK efficiency commitment, white certificates): assess impact of autonomous technical trends, savings from prices & non price measures → deemed technological savings
- * "Top down bottom up" (eg ODEX): assess the impact of autonomous technical trends, savings from prices and non price measures and behavioural factors : measure of net savings
- Traditional "aggregated top down" (e.g. energy intensities): measure all previous effects, plus economic and lifestyle change: not relevant

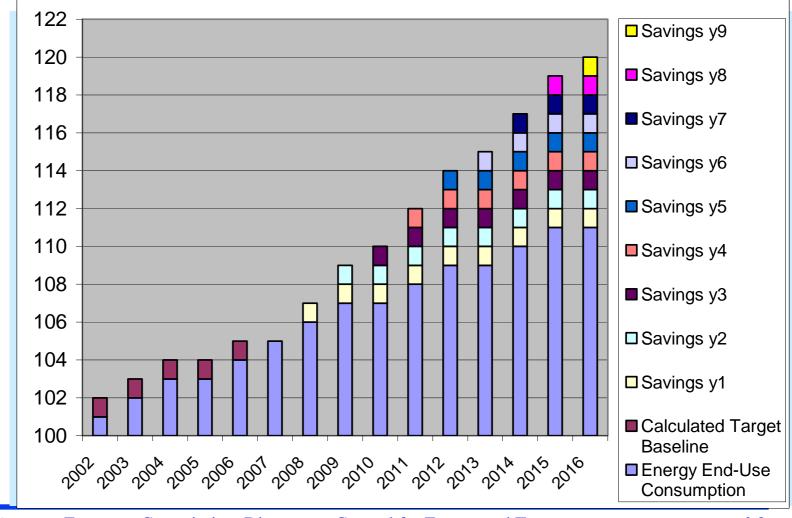


The Energy Services Directive Target: Article 4 and Annexes I, II,

- Measured as from 1.1.2008.
- 9-year 9% target (cumulative annual savings).
- Intermediate target for 3rd year.
- Base for calculating target is 5-year average of unadjusted final consumption.
- Conversion table in Annex II (2.5 for electricity).
- Early actions initiated not earlier than 1995 (1991).
- Early actions of a technical nature should be updated or assessed in relation to the benchmark for such measures. (All must be verifiable and measurable or estimable.)

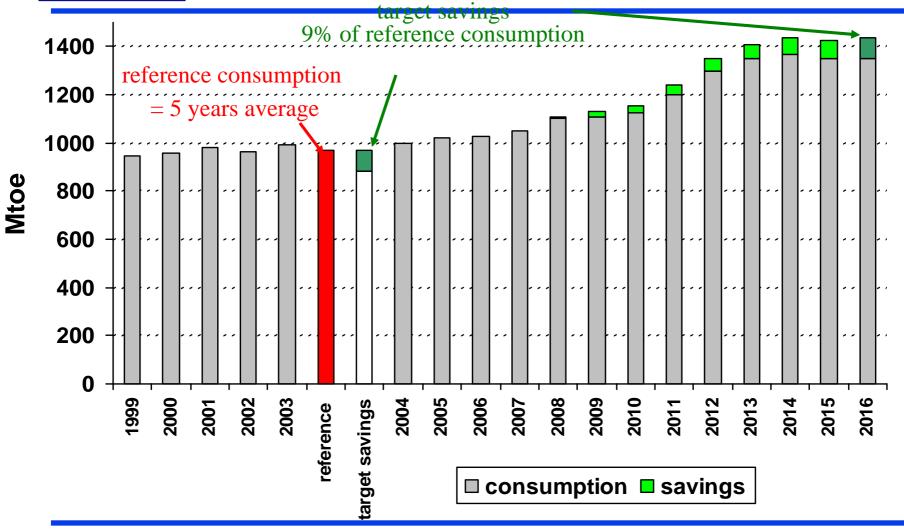


The Energy Services Directive Target: Cumulative savings



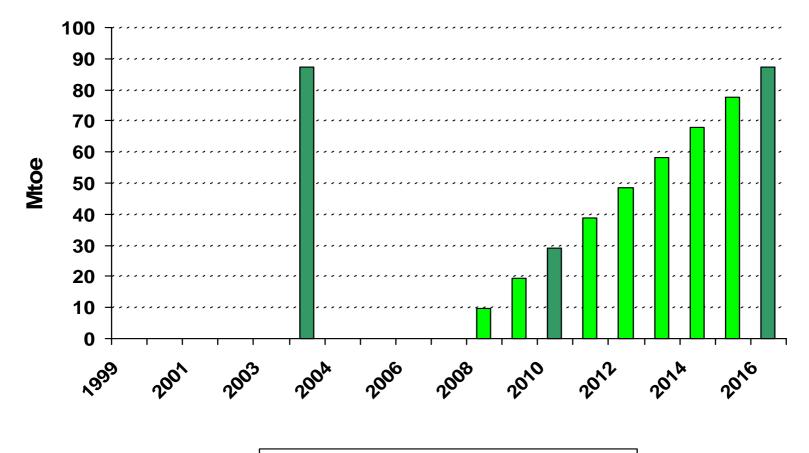


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■ indicative savings ■ target savings



The Energy Services Directive`s Annex III: Indicative list of eligible measures

- Residential and tertiary, industry, transport.
- Cross-sectoral measures such as standards, labelling, metering, training and education.
- Horizontal measures such as regulations, taxes, and focused information campaigns.
- Measures must be clearly measured and verified or estimated according to guidelines in Annex IV.



The Energy Services Directive Annex IV: General Framework for M & V

- Harmonised calculation model using combination of topdown and bottom-up methods.
- Committee to use if possible available data.
- Top-down calculations to be adjusted for degree days, structural changes, product mix and other extraneous factors.
- Existing models such as ODEX used to extent possible.
- With top-down and bottom-up together, risk of doublecounting to be avoided.



./. The Energy Services Directive`s Annex IV

- Before 1.1.2008, Committee to further refine and complement harmonised bottom-up model covering between 20 and 30%.
- By 1.1.2012 bottom-up model to cover a "significantly higher level" of final consumption.
- Bottom-up share ceiling shall take into account acquired experience of models; expected increase in accuracy due to larger share of bottom-up; and added cost and administration.
- Bottom-up method should be simplified and use standardised methods on most cost-effective sectors. Some top-down necessary.



The Energy Services Directive M & V with Bottom-Up: Pros and Cons

- Bottom-up method allows impacts to be added.
- Bottom-up promotes pro-active policy approach.
- Bottom-up helps with "de-fragmentation", quantification & monetization of energy efficiency. Thus helps complete internal market.
- Bottom-up works ex ante, i.e. no statistical lag.
- Bottom-up can be corrected for extraneous factors at measure level. Closer to "real savings".
- Bottom-up seems daunting but IT makes it work.



./. M & V with Bottom-Up: Pros and Cons

- Energy efficiency improvements in all end-use sectors can be measured bottom-up. Most MS start with residential and tertiary, followed by industry. Transport comes last.
- Databases for EPBD will provide good contribution to bottom-up tracking. (Operational and asset ratings.)
- Early actions can also be modelled bottom-up.
- Bottom-up will require simplifications (average and discounted lifetimes). But quality can be assured.
- Some flexibility for lifetimes & values of measures may be necessary to reflect differing national and local conditions.
- Re-bound effects can be modelled, based on studies.
- Discounted lifetimes can reflect investment costs.



./. M & V with Top-Down: Pros and Cons

- Top-down can be complement for horizontal measures.
- Top-down (e.g. ODEX) needs refining for some parts.
- Top-down for market transformation/multiplier effects.
- Top-down useful for free-driver effects.
- Top-down can help track reinforcing/interaction effects.
- Sensitivity to price changes needs to be taken into account.
- Early actions of cross-sectoral type will require discounting or benchmarking (e.g. outdated building codes).



The Energy Services Directive M & V: General considerations

- Energy use statistics in M.S./Eurostat need to improve. Process has begun in both. E.g. Eurostat degree-day corr.
- Measurements and norms in other Directives can be used in ESD:EPBD (RES &CEN 31), CHP, Labelling, ECO-D.
- M & V can promote B/C, min. LCC analysis, "whole-life analysis" & sustainability measurements.
- M & V (especially B-U) if well harmonised can lead to EU White Certificate market (cross-border).
- New energy savings potential calculations to apply similar methodology (T-D, B-U and benchmarking).



./. M & V: General considerations

- Lifetime discounting can be applied to cross-sectoral and horizontal measures involving technologies.
- Non-energy policy measures may impact on energy consumption. Can be result of conscious political decision.
- Continuity and long-term viability of M & V system need to be underscored. An amended or new directive to come.
- Long-term measures (i.e., greater than 9 years) to be encouraged.
- Short-term measures acceptable. Then renewals needed.
- Harmonisation important. Harmonised definitions for M & V a first step in comitology process.



The Energy Services Directive Proposal: more information

Sources of current information

- EP and Council websites
 - http://www.europarl.eu.int/meetdocs/2004_2009/o rganes/ITRE/ITRE_meetinglist.htm
 - http://register.consilium.eu.int/servlet/driver?typ= &page=Simple&lang=EN&cmsid=638
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