

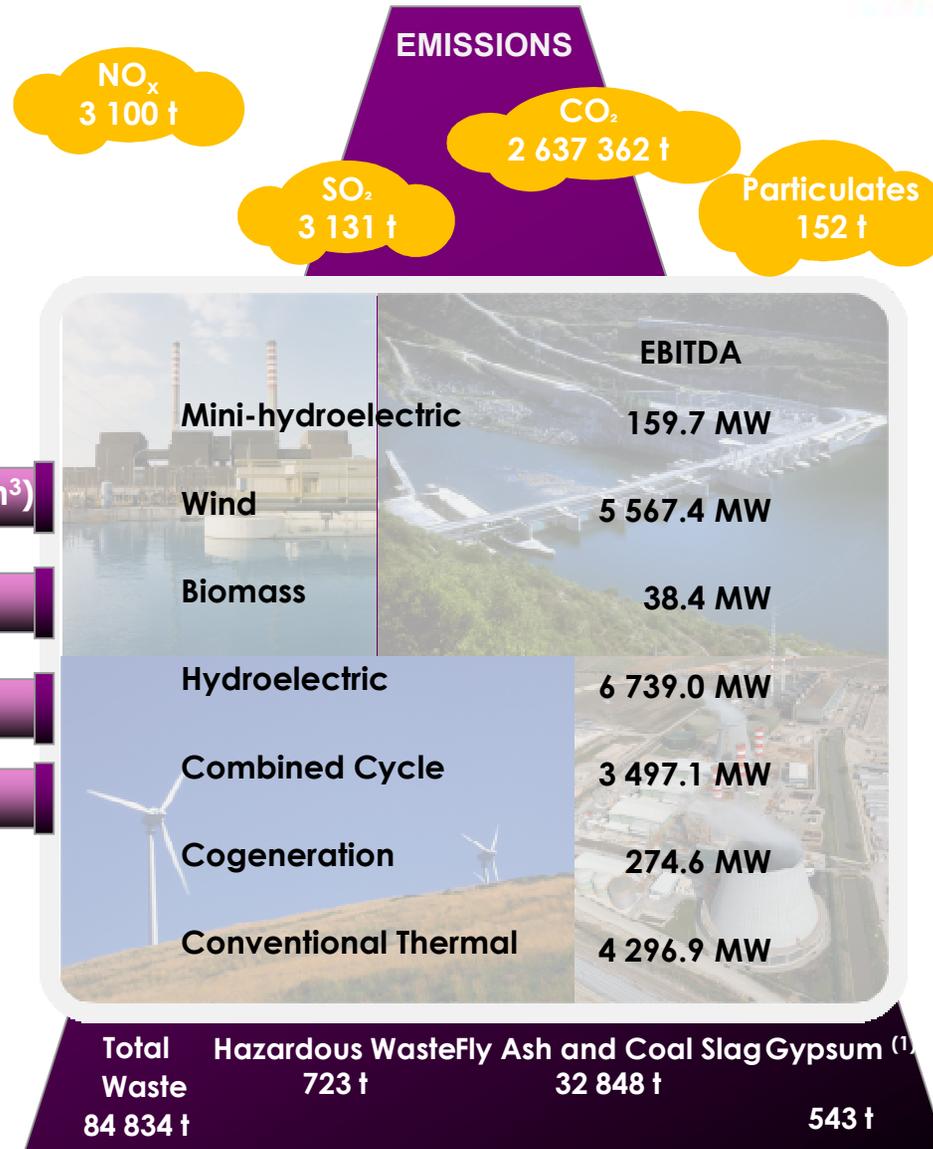
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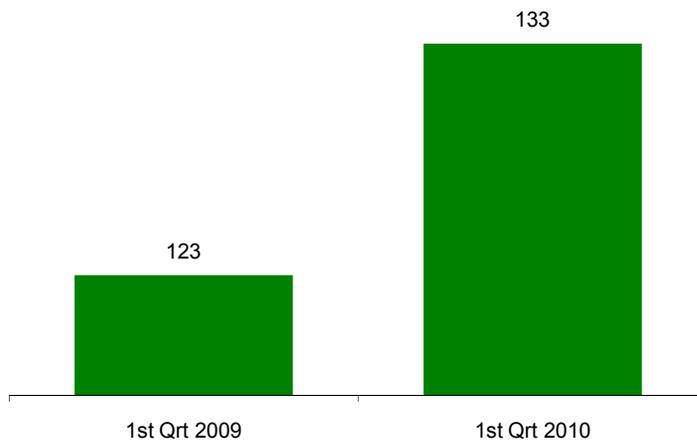
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Sustainability Index base 100:2006 ⁽¹⁾



Main Factors

	1 st Qtr 2009	1 st Qtr 2010
• Renewables generation	56%	76%
• Specific CO ₂ emissions (t/MWh)	0.36	0.16
• Specific NO _x emissions (g/kWh)	0.7	0.2
• Specific SO ₂ emissions (g/kWh)	0.5	0.2
• Specific waste production (g/kWh)	11	5
• Training hours/Hours worked	1.5%	1.9%
• Renewables investment	81%	72%



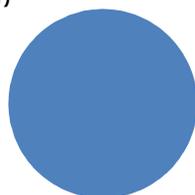
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Economic Indicators	Q1 2009	Q1 2010	Year-on-year change 10/09	2010 Target
GVA per employee (€) ⁽¹⁾	92 455	102 164	10.5%	362 050
Turnover (EUR millions)	3 233	3 494	8.1%	13 401
Energy services billed (EUR thousands)	3 167	3 178	0.4%	n/k
Direct economic value generated (EUR millions)	3 085	3 389	9.8%	12 932
Net operating investment (EUR millions)	841	573	-31.9%	3 179
Investment in renewable energies (EUR millions)	685	414	-39.6%	2 151
Investment in renewables as a proportion of total investment (%)	81.49%	72.27%	-9.22 p.p.	67.66%
Economic value distributed (EUR millions) ⁽¹⁾	2 286	2 485	8.7%	9 770
Staff costs	177	183	3.7%	715
Supplier costs	166	194	17.3%	880
Community costs	2 576	2 227	-13.6%	n/k
Community contributions	98	70	-28.4%	152
Net profit (EUR millions)	265	309	16.5%	1 050
Annualised return on equity (%)	29.02%	33.82%	4.8 p.p.	28.73
Market capitalisation (EUR millions)	9 653	10 750	11.4%	n/a
Economic value retained (EUR millions) ⁽¹⁾	799	904	13.2%	3 162



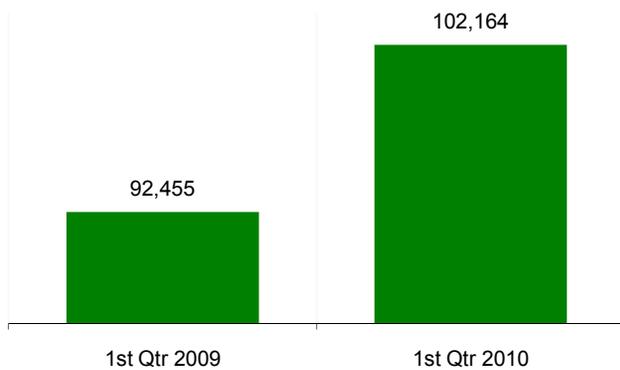
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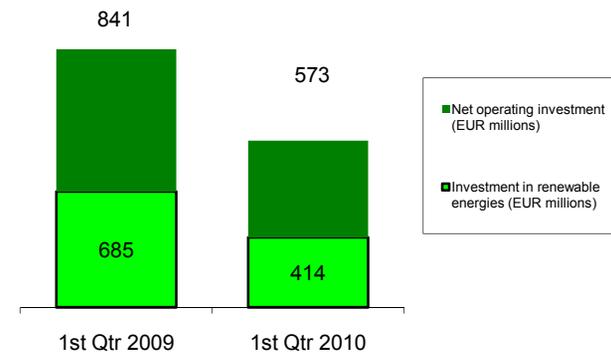
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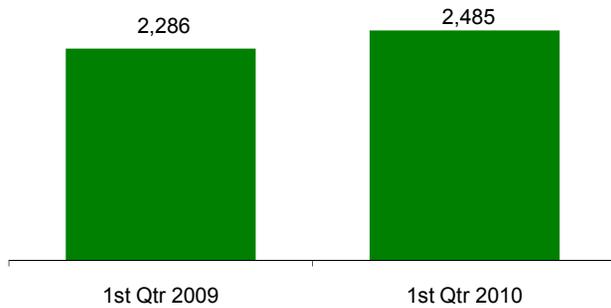
GVA per employee (EUR)



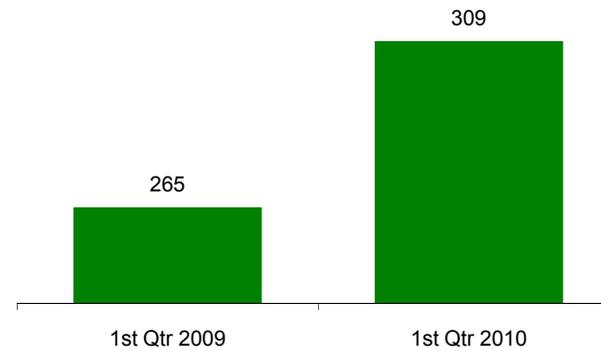
Investment (EUR millions)



Economic value distributed (EUR millions)



Net profit (EUR millions)



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Operating Indicators	Q1 2009	Q1 2010	Year-on-year change 10/09	2010 Target
Electricity generation				
Maximum installed capacity EBITDA (MW)	18 540	20 573	11.0%	21 664
Renewables capacity EBITDA (MW)	11 371	12 504	10%	13 652
Renewables capacity as a proportion of total capacity (%)	61.33%	60.78%	-0.55 p.p	63.01%
Net electricity generated (GWh)	15 271	16 265	6.5%	64 563
Generation from steam (GWh)	544	541	-0.4%	n.d.
Net generation from renewables (GWh)	8 572	12 389	44.5%	34 819
Renewables generation as a proportion of total net generation (%)	56.13%	76.17%	20.04 p.p	53.93%
Total GWh generated per employee ⁽¹⁾	1.27	1.35	6.1 %	5.22
Electricity distributed (GWh)	19 234	20 716	7.7%	80 670
Electricity supply points	9 331 449	9 451 507	1.3%	9 544 036
Installed Capacity Equivalent Interruption Time (TIEPI) (min) ⁽²⁾	129	53	-58.8%	n.d.
Equivalent Interruption Time per Consumer (DEC) (hours) ⁽³⁾	20	26	31.7%	203
Total GWh distributed per employee	1.60	1.72	7.3%	6.52
Electricity Supplied (GWh)	20 025	21 811	8.9%	65 298
Free market supply (GWh)	5 293	9 193	73.7%	33 205
Supply of last resort (GWh)	14 733	8 875	-39.8%	32 094



(1) 2009 figure differs to that reported in the 1st quarter 2009 publication, as the new figure is for net generation instead of gross generation;

(2) Refers to Portugal and Spain; (3) Refers to Brazil.

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Operating Indicators	Q1 2009	Q1 2010	Year-on-year change 10/09	2010 Target
Number of electricity supply customers	8 819 951	9 741 260	10.4%	n/k
Free market supply	338 158	821 251	142.9%	n/k
Supply of last resort	8 481 793	8 920 009	5.2%	n/k
Green energy sold (GWh)	3 342	2 716	-18.7%	n/k
Number of customers – green tariff	169 869	371 080	118.5%	n/k
Energy sold on social tariff (GWh)	59	51	-12.8%	n/k
Number of customers - social tariff	361 407	418 245	15.7%	n/k
Number of customers with special needs	745	833	11.8%	n/k
Gas distributed (GWh)	7 899	14 921	88.9%	33 226
Gas supply points (GWh)	898 649	1 198 663	33.4%	1 208 299
Gas supplied (GWh)	6 013	10 297	71.3%	25 701
Number of gas customers	833 761	1 254 082	50.4%	2 477 112
Regulated market	203 367	229 310	12.8%	230 824
Free market	518 839	825 031	59.0%	874 068
Last resort	111 555	199 741	79.1%	267 327

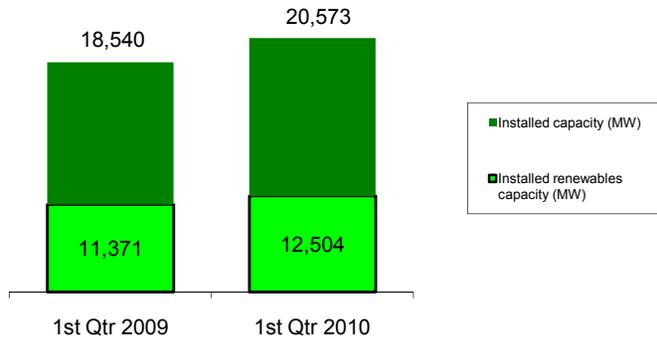


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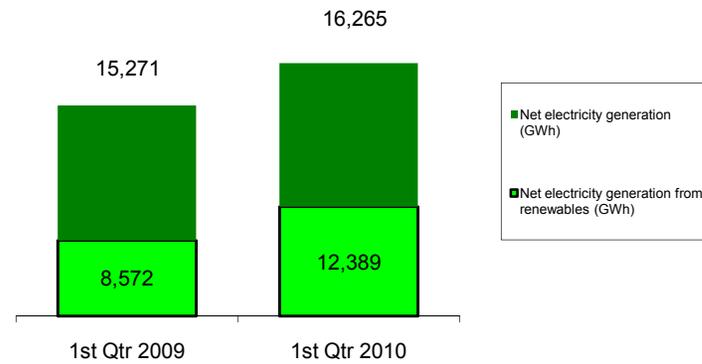
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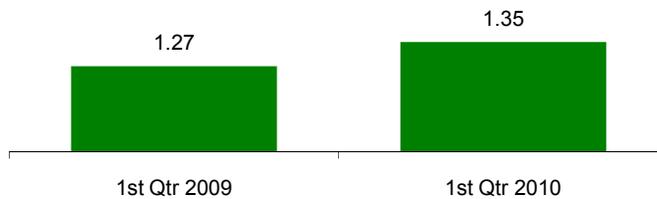
Installed capacity (MW)



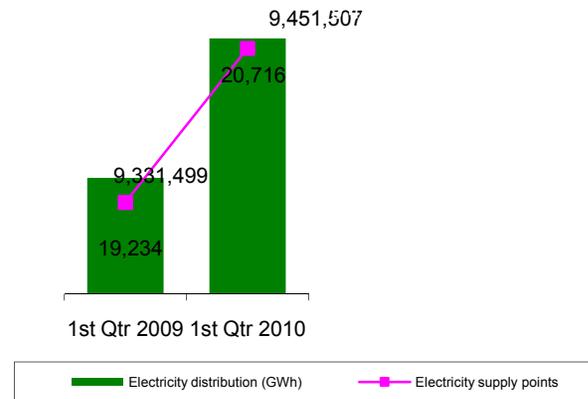
Net electricity generation (GWh)



GWh generated per employee



Electricity distribution and electricity supply points



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Environmental Indicators	Q1 2009	Q1 2010	Year-on-year change 10/09	2010 Target
Primary energy consumption (TJ)	47 895	32 712	-31.7%	254 868
Total for generation	47 845	32 654	-31.8%	254 868
Coal	29 724	13 828	-53.5%	136 093
Fuel-oil	2 879	334	-88.4%	n/k
Natural gas ⁽¹⁾	12 482	16 177	29.6%	99 303
Blast furnace gas	2 187	1 587	-27.4%	9 055
Coke gas	158	255	62%	1 887
Diesel	14	34	137.9%	n/k
Forestry waste	401	294	-26.7%	8 313
Steel plant gas	n/k	145	n/a	n/k
Vehicle fleet fuel ⁽²⁾	50	57	15.6%	n/k
Electricity consumption at power stations (MWh)	627 144	363 494	-42.0%	n/k
Electricity consumption by administrative buildings (MWh)	5 361	6 253.5	-16.6%	n/k
Certified net maximum installed capacity (ISO 14001)	64%	66%	2.34 p.p.	70%
Certified gas distribution (ISO 14001)	100%	100%	0 p.p.	100%



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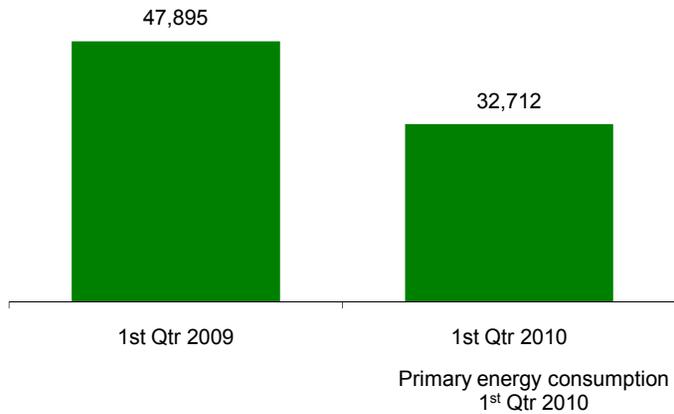
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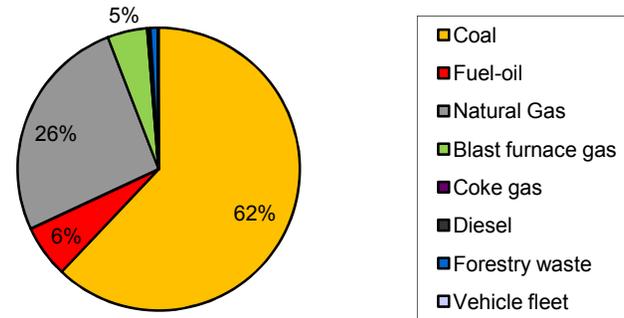
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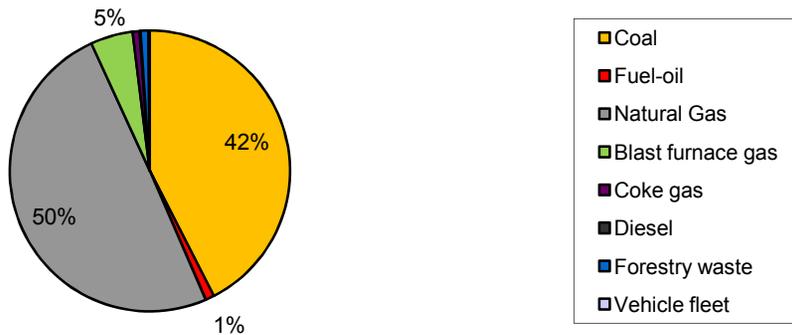
Primary energy consumption (TJ)



Primary energy consumption
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Primary energy consumption
1st Qtr 2010



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Environmental Indicators	Q1 2009	Q1 2010	Year-on-year change 10/09	2010 Target
CO ₂ emissions (kt) ⁽¹⁾	5 645	2 637	-53.3%	16 649
CO ₂ emissions from vehicle fleet (kt)	3.6	4.2	14.9%	n/k
NO _x emissions (kt)	10.79	3.1	-71.3%	27.50
SO ₂ emissions (kt)	7.44	3.13	-57.9%	20.01
Particulate emissions (kt)	0.44	0.15	-65.8%	1.23
Overall specific CO ₂ emissions (g CO ₂ /kWh) ⁽²⁾	357	157	-56.0%	258
Overall specific NO _x emissions (g NO _x /kWh) ⁽²⁾	0.68	0.18	-73.0%	0.43
Overall specific SO ₂ emissions (g SO ₂ /kWh) ⁽²⁾	0.47	0.19	-60.4%	0.31
CO ₂ emissions intensity (g/€)	1 746	755	-56.8%	1 242
Water usage (10³ m³) ⁽³⁾	456 237	207 877	-54.4%	n/k
Refrigeration water	454 598	206 969	-54.5%	n/k
Raw water	1 579	854	-45.9%	n/k
Drinking water	60	53	-10.9%	n/k
Total waste (t) ⁽⁴⁾	173 346	84 834	-51.6%	n/k
Total hazardous waste (t) ⁽⁴⁾	481	723	50.4%	n/k
Recovered waste (%) ⁽⁴⁾	63%	124%	97.8 p.p.	n/k
Environmental expenses (EUR millions)	24	13	-45.2%	183
Environmental investment (EUR millions)	10	10	0.0%	109
Environmental investment as a proportion of total investment (%)	1.21%	1.78%	0.57 p.p.	3.44%
Environmental fines and penalties (EUR thousands)	7	3	-54.2%	75



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(2) Calculated for net generation, as stipulated in the Global Reporting Initiative;

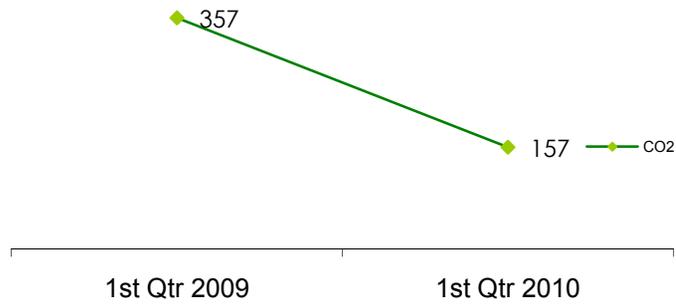
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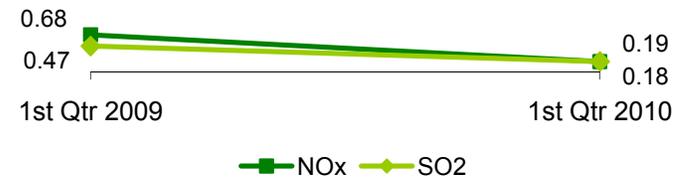
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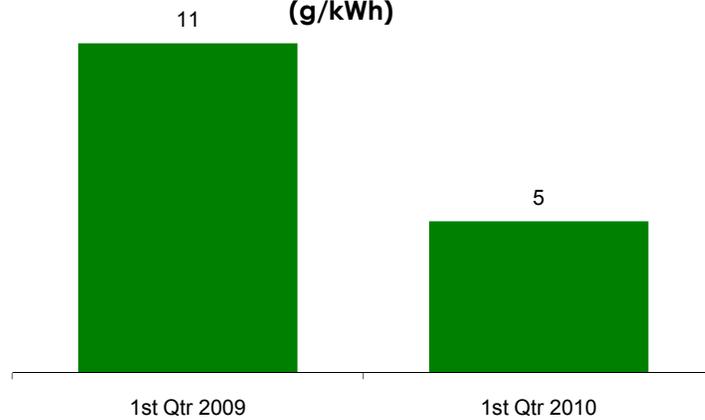
Specific CO₂ emissions (g/kWh)



Specific Emissions (g/kWh)



Waste per unit of electricity generated (g/kWh)



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Social Indicators	Q1 2009	Q1 2010	Year-on-year change 10/09	2010 Target
Employment				
Total number of employees (M+F)	11 992	12 037	0.4%	12 371
Total number of employees	2 419	2 534	4.8%	n/a
Staff turnover	0.02	0.02	-13.7%	n/a
Absenteeism (%)	3.41%	3.28%	-0.13 p.p.	n/a
Personnel costs (EUR thousands)	141 306	150 542	6.5%	586 681
Social benefits (EUR thousands)	35 444	32 777	-7.5%	127 974
Training				
Total number of training hours	73 753	97 277	31.9%	534 490
Employees trained (%)	35.98%	77.69%	41.71 p.p.	n/a
Training costs (EUR thousands)	1 264	1 758	39.1%	10 990
Work productivity	195	234	19.9%	n/a
Prevention and safety				
On-duty Accidents (number)	15	11	-26.7%	...(1)
Severity index (GI)	149	108	-27.5%	...(1)
Frequency rate (Fr)	2.79	2.06	-26.0%	...(1)



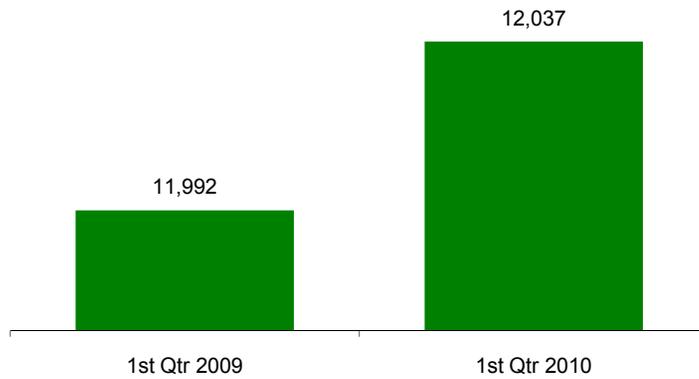
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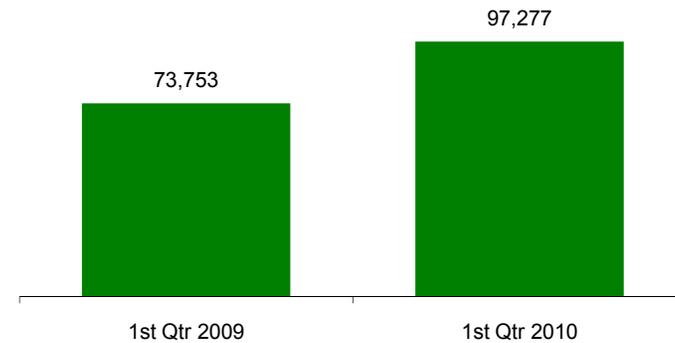
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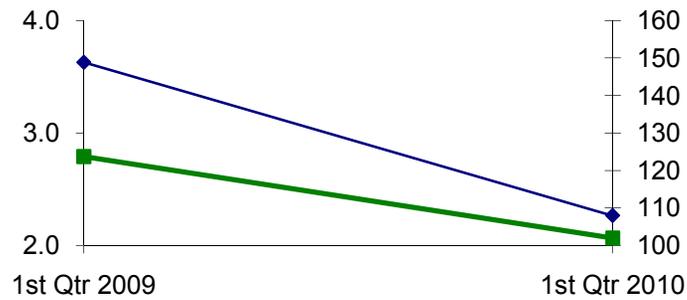
Number of employees



Volume of training (h)



EDP frequency rate and Severity index



■ Frequency rate ◆ Severity index



Recognition

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4 Jan: EDP Award – Electricity and Environment – EDP Distribuição awarded an Honorary Mention to the Office of the President of the Republic for their energy efficiency results at Belém Palace, and a Special Mention to the Municipality of Óbidos for the Óbidos Social Carbon Programme.

18 Jan: Citizenship Award for companies and organisations – AESE Business and Management School, in partnership with PricewaterhouseCoopers, selected EDP in the “Industrial products and consumption” category, for its social responsibility and economic, social and environmental sustainability policies.

26 Jan: EDP is named “Gold Class SAM 2010” - for the third consecutive year, EDP was included in the top 15% of companies with the best performance in terms of sustainability, receiving a Gold Class ranking in 2010 from SAM (Sustainable Asset Management), which evaluates companies in 58 sectors. EDP had ranked in the Silver Class in previous years.

4 Feb: InovGrid received Optimus Innovation Award – the EDP Distribuição project was singled out for the Sector Innovation award, for the innovative nature of the solution, the important role played in it by communications and its contribution to improving the effectiveness, efficiency and quality of processes and the services provided.

4 Mar: EDP presented award for most valuable Portuguese brand – the brand achieved an AA rating with a value of EUR 3.3 billion, according to the “Top Portuguese League Table” study by Brand Finance. EDP ranks 192nd in the top 500 brands in the world, the highest ranking of any Portuguese brand.

15 Mar: EDP Brasil – Latin American Power Deal of the Year 2009 award – EDP Brasil received the award from the American magazine Euromoney, for the financing project for the Porto do Pecém I Thermoelectric Power Station.



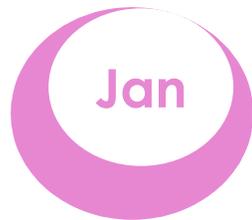
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Jan: EDP Renováveis and SeaEnergy awarded contract for 1.3 GW in Scotland – exclusive rights were awarded for the development of offshore wind farms in the Moray Firth estuary in Scotland, with enough installed capacity to supply energy for 730 000 homes (1.3 GW).

15 Jan: HC Energy records TIEPI below 1hr in 2009 – “Installed Capacity Equivalent Interruption Time” (TIEPI), the power supply quality indicator, was 55 minutes (0.97 hours) in 2009, four minutes less than in 2008.

15 Jan: Concession awarded for Ribeiradio-Ermida Hydroelectric Power Station (AHRE) - by the Central Hydrographic Region Administration (ARHC), to contractor Greenvouga, S.A. (EDP Produção and Martifer Renewables), for a period of 75 years from the date it enters into operation.

Jan: EDP Brasil – Stakeholder involvement – with a view to hearing contributions from participants and identifying the most relevant issues to be reported in the 2009 sustainability report, EDP Brasil held meetings with its stakeholders on 19 and 21 January in the cities of São Paulo, Mogi das Cruzes, Vitória and Palmas.



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26 Jan: EDP Solidária Barragens (“EDP Solidarity Dams”) Programme – EDP will support four of the thirty social solidarity projects submitted for consideration as part of the 1st EDP Solidária Barragens Programme. EUR 100,000 were distributed between the winning projects: CERCIMAC (Cooperative for the Education and Rehabilitation of Handicapped Citizens/Graphic arts workshop), Portuguese Red Cross (Alijó Delegation/Smile “Project to support children and youngsters”), Cerejais Community Centre/Mobility and Health (“Support for the elderly”), Picote Parish Council/Youth Centre (“EDP Employee and Supplier Volunteering Project”). The 2nd EDP Solidária Barragens Programme was announced at the presentation ceremony for the winning projects, to cover the regions surrounding the future dams at Alvito and Fridão.

26 Jan: EDP Renováveis – Green Certificates – EDP Renováveis, through its subsidiary Relax Wind Park I SP. Z O.O., signed a 15-year contract with ENERGA – OBRÓT SA to sell green certificates created from its 120 MW wind farm in Margonin, Poland.

26 Jan: Convention for Electrical Mobility in Asturias – sponsored by HC Energía, the Temper Group and GAM, Alquiler de Maquinaria, to guarantee the development of a sustainable mobility plan that can meet the needs identified by the Spanish Ministry of Industry, taking into account international commitments against climate change.

Jan: ISO 14001 Certification – the São João and Paraíso power stations in Brazil, with capacities of 25 MW and 21 MW, respectively, were certified in accordance with ISO standard 14001:2004.



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27 Jan: Support for the victims of the Haiti earthquake - EDP launched a campaign to collect money from its employees in Portugal, Spain and Brazil, who could contribute through the Social Stock Exchange. The EDP Foundation matched the value of the donations and the money collected was donated to the Portuguese Red Cross (which helped to coordinate the worldwide humanitarian effort for Haiti). In parallel and in partnership with the Benfica Foundation and the United Nations Development Programme, EDP joined the international solidarity movement through the Match against Poverty, the proceeds from which went to help the people of Haiti.

27 Jan: EDP Renováveis entered the Italian wind market – it acquired an 85% shareholding in Italian Wind srl, a company in the Co-Ver Group, which gave it 520 MW of wind energy projects in different phases of development.

27 Jan: EDP Bandeirante – Econosco Programme – EDP Bandeirante monthly electricity bills and all its business correspondence are certified by the FSC (Forest Stewardship Council), an organisation created to promote the responsible management of the world's forests. The seal certifies that the wood used to produce the paper is sourced using ecologically sound practices.

28 Jan: EDP Institute – Card recycling – the food cards distributed to employees at the start of December were collected for recycling, as were expired credit and debit cards. This was another initiative forming part of the Econosco programme. The cards were left at collection points placed in busy areas around the Group's premises.



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Jan: HC Energía joins Redes 2025 (“Grids 2025”) project – electricity storage will be HC Energía's research priority within the Redes 2025 project. This will be the first R&D+i initiative to be launched by the Spanish Technology Platform for Grids of the Future, with a budget of EUR 40 million to be part-financed by the Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation as a Strategic Project of Singular Importance.

Jan: HC Energía – Environmental Monitoring under the Lean Programme – the Aboño Lean programme is setting up a permanent environmental observation and remediation initiative in collaboration with specialist staff. It is based on a monitoring form that identifies gaps and opportunities for improvement, as well as highlighting good environmental practices and collecting data on waste, spills, effluents and other sources of pollution. The pilot programme was launched in January 2010 after the training sessions for the team taking part in this initial phase had been completed.



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1 Feb: EDP in Brazil – Taubaté Traffic Light Efficiency – energy efficiency project that replaced 1,564 city traffic lights with LEDs, generating savings of 90% in Taubaté.

1 Feb: HC Energía – HC Points Programme – in 2009, HC Energia customers contributed 9,909,000 points, while the Foundation matched this contribution with further HC points to support a number of different solidarity projects.

1 Feb: EDP in Brazil installs 1st recharging network for electric vehicles – in partnership with the Government of Espírito Santo, EDP donated 45 electric bicycles to the Military Police, replacing part of their motorcycle fleet. Ten recharging stations will be installed at strategic points to be determined by the Military Police, in streets near the patrol areas (the beachfronts of five cities in the State of Capixaba).

2 Feb: Risk coverage – EDP's energy sales company held an electronic auction for electricity. The company will negotiate electricity from conventional sources, with a supply contract to run from 1 July to 31 December this year. The company aims to repeat in 2010 its achievements of last year, when it beat records for energy sales. This feat was fruit of an aggressive sales strategy.

3 Feb: EDP Escelsa invested BRL 21 million in Espírito Santo – the Goiabeiras sub-station received an investment of BRL 8.2 million and will benefit 86,000 residents. The work on the Manguinhos sub-station will benefit around 145,000 residents, costing BRL 13.5 million.



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4 Feb: Accident Prevention & Safety - the Norte Customer Grid is continuing its RAM programme for sub-stations, run by Accident Prevention & Safety and Operations, with the collaboration of the Maintenance Department (DMN), Automation and Remote Control Department (DAT) and the Norte Customer Grid Department (DRCN). This programme is key in terms of gaining on-site knowledge of the facilities. This enables significant improvements in safety, staff knowledge and, as a result, service continuity. From November to January alone, 20 such visits were made to as many sub-stations.

4 Feb: HC Energía obtained EMAS registration for its hydroelectric power stations (347.8 MW) – HC Energía became one of the first industrial facilities in Asturias to obtain European registration, in a ceremony led by the Deputy Minister of the Environment in the Principality of Asturias, Belén Fernández.

8 Feb: Launch of RETS (Renewable Energies Transfer System) project in Cabril.

8 Feb: EDP launched new bill

10 Feb: Porto Customer Grid improved its landscape integration – a 1972m stretch of overhead lines in the residential Ermesinde area was disassembled and replaced with a 2612m underground line.



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10 Feb: EDP Produção published new Environmental Policy.

10 Feb: EDP improved service quality in Peneda-Gerês National Park – the project's preliminary study, route and assembly were defined in cooperation with representatives from the ICNB, who also supervised the choice of pylons, signage for birds and the levelling of the areas where pylons were to be placed.

10 Feb: EDP Renováveis – licence to build Tramandaí wind farm (70MW) – construction work started in Brazil in March, to be completed in December 2010; the licensing process took around two years and includes the protection and monitoring of migratory birds by means of radar tracking.

11 Feb: EDP Bandeirante announced investments in Guararema - there are plans to invest BRL 700,000 in improvement works to Avenida Ademar de Barros and BRL 1.3 million in the Reluz project.

11 Feb: EDP Produção – Power stations received increasing numbers of visitors – EDP Produção power stations received around 40,000 visitors during 2009, mostly from preparatory and secondary schools, but also from institutes of higher education.

18 Feb: EDP Renováveis concluded energy sales contract in the USA – the 20-year contract with the Tennessee Valley Authority is for renewable energy generated by the first phase of the Pioneer Prairie wind farm in Iowa. The 115 MW of energy contracted will be distributed across seven states in the South-eastern USA.



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22 Feb: EDP5D offset its carbon footprint for 2008 – based on its calculations, edp5D left a carbon footprint of 234.8 tonnes of CO₂eq in 2008, which was offset through investments in carbon credit generating projects (VER) focusing on energy efficiency, renewable energies and clean technology.

23 Feb: EDP in Brazil - Econosco enters third phase – after water and paper, the Econosco programme launched its energy efficiency phase. Employees received leaflets bearing the FSC seal and containing information on electricity, the Brazilian energy profile and how to help the environment by reducing energy consumption.

24 Feb: New Sub-station in Vila Velha de Ródão – the entry into operation of this new installation guarantees the supply of medium voltage energy, at a capacity of 14 MVA, to AMS Papermill and Converting, S.A. (tissue paper factory) and will improve service quality and continuity to the surrounding areas.

24 Feb: Stakeholder involvement – on 10 February, a team from the Business Development Department (DDN), led by Baptista Gomes, installed a kiosk in Amarante Town Hall to provide information and answer specific questions on the Fridão Dam. This project will be located on the River Tâmega, in the municipalities of Celorico de Basto (right bank) and Amarante (left bank). Building work is scheduled to start in 2011, with the power station due to enter into service in late 2015.



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25 Feb: Energy efficiency – a workshop was held at the Mortágua Cultural Centre with the key objective of raising the school community's awareness of the importance of energy efficiency. This event was sponsored by the Beira Agueira Centre for Corporate Initiatives (IEBA) and forms part of a European Community programme. Several other entities participated in this initiative alongside EDP Produção: ADENE – the Energy Agency; ISA – Intelligent Sensing Anywhere ; Iberdrola Portugal – Electricity and Gas, Lda; and Chama.

Feb: Lean Programme – since it was created in 2008, the Lean programme for cogeneration and waste has involved a large number of collaborative initiatives between its 14 power stations, and was one of several initiatives to receive special recognition in the last gathering held by EDP Produção. Proof of this effort was the refurbishment of the Sidergás combustion plant to significantly increase its availability. A total of 143 initiatives have been completed, including: improvements in EITO refrigeration, safety initiatives at the Purines facilities and environmental initiatives to reduce water consumption and improve landscape integration.

Feb: EDP in Spain - Hidrocantábrico Foundation and environmental activities – 20,000 new trees have been planted around the Pura Tomás Park (Oviedo) and the Deva Park (Gijón). These trees result from the cooperation of customers who decided to switch to electronic billing.



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1 Mar: EDP Brasil – Letras de Luz ("Letters of Light") reached over 127,000 people – run by the Victor Civita Foundation, sponsored by EDP and supported by the Rouanet Law to Promote Culture and the EDP Institute, this programme benefited 40 Brazilian municipalities in 2009. In addition to reading workshops and stage adaptations of stories by Brazilian authors, the project also donated national and world literary classics to libraries and schools in the municipalities targeted.

2 Mar: Energy efficiency – EDP distributed 5,000 energy efficient light bulbs in the Cova da Moura estate - at the request of the Residents' Association, each family received four free fluorescent light bulbs and some advice on energy efficiency, after completing a questionnaire. EDP has already distributed around 450,000 energy saving light bulbs directly to residents of social housing estates and historic neighbourhoods.

3 Mar: EDP in Brazil recorded net profit of BRL 625 million in 2009 – EDP Brasil, a company in the EDP Energias de Portugal Group, closed the fourth quarter of 2009 with a net profit of BRL 175 million, corresponding to an increase of 75% in relation to the same period the previous year.



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10 Mar: EDP Escelsa concluded Energy Efficiency Programme in Espírito Santo hospitals - EDP replaced poorly performing equipment with more economical and efficient alternatives. BRL 702,000 were invested in replacing 2,107 lighting points, 155 air conditioning units and 11 refrigerators. The hospitals have thus generated energy savings of 452.70 MWh/year, the equivalent of the average annual consumption of 190 homes.

12 Mar: HC Energía substituted plastic bags with 100% biodegradable bags – HC Energía started using reusable bags made of potato starch and water based dyes, thus ensuring they will biodegrade and can be used in composting. This move pre-empts the initiatives to be taken as part of the National Integrated Waste Plan being implemented by the Spanish Ministry of the Environment.

16 Mar: EDP Bandeirante obtains ISO 14000 and OHSAS 18000 certification – the Distribution Transformer Stations at Dutra (Guarulhos), Maresias (Litoral Norte) and Vale do Sol (São José dos Campos) were certified in accordance with ISO 14000 and their Stations Operations and Maintenance in accordance with OHSAS 18000.

16 Mar: Stakeholder involvement – in order to lend a degree transparency and publicity to their projects, as well as garner subsidies, EDP Escelsa and EDP Bandeirante used the web and advertisements published in major newspapers to invite universities, consumer councils, partners, customers and society at large to attend public hearings and provide additional information on Energy Efficiency Programmes and Research & Development.



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19 Mar: EDP Institute delivered 2010 school kits – by the end of April, 9,000 kits will have been distributed to pupils in 18 municipalities in the States of São Paulo, Espírito Santo, Santa Catarina, Mato Grosso do Sul and Tocantins. Each pupil will receive a kit comprising a rucksack, exercise books, pencil, pens, rubber, ruler, pair of compasses, scissors, glue stick, boxes of crayons, gouache and colour pencils, a paintbrush and drawing paper.

22 Mar: EDP created global power station management network - EDP created an integrated information system that links all its power stations in Portugal and Spain, a total of over 60 facilities. In its second phase, Skipper will also cover Brazil, as well as other markets where the Group may develop thermal or hydroelectric power stations.

23 Mar: EDP supported 20th Lisbon Half-Marathon and helped Madeira – through its sponsorship of the 20th Lisbon Half-Marathon, EDP supported an institute in Madeira, raising around EUR 20,000.

24 Mar: EDP Renováveis Brasil will build 70 MW wind farm in Rio Grande do Sul – it will have an installed capacity of 70 MW and generate an estimated 211,437 MWh per year, enough to supply a city of 200,000 residents. When it is completed, the company will have a wind energy generation capacity of 84 MW.

24 Mar: EDP Brasil – First phase of 5S programme – 2.3 tonnes of paper separated by EDP employees, corresponding to 23 trees, was donated to the Tocantins Association of Parents and Friends of Special Needs Children and recycling companies in São Paulo, Espírito Santo and Mato Grosso do Sul. 5S is a “+Lean” initiative, one of 12 Vencer projects in partnership with Econosco and the Infrastructure and Communication areas.



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26 Mar: Partnership between Naturgas Energia and the Basque Country University - the Methane Academic Network agreement was signed for a renewable period of five years, to undertake scientific research, technological development and innovation work in natural gas and to advance the development and evolution of applied techniques.

29 Mar: EDP in Brazil - Lajeado hydroelectric power station obtained certification in accordance with standards ISO 14001 and OHSAS 18001.

Mar: Innovation - HC Energia is performing the final tests and calibrations required to establish a mobile sub-station. This cutting-edge technology will enable the company to resolve situations such as the loss of a high voltage position (132 kV to 50 kV), supply line, or transformer at any of its sub-stations, as well as the loss of a distribution centre. The new mobile sub-station will be able to restore the position affected within a matter of days.

Mar: Lean Programme – HC Energía completed a Lean initiative that allows them to visualise the elements in the distribution network in an integrated fashion (buildings, wooded areas, roads, etc). With a simple click, the GIS application overlays photos from the National Aerial Orthophoto Map or record over the distribution grid map on the screen. This makes it easier to plan and carry out maintenance work, improves the quality of information that can be provided to contractors and helps to locate existing distribution assets or those in the design or construction phase.



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Mar: HC brings gas pipe in Catalonia online – the Serinyà-Figuères, in Girona, is now in full operation. This important gas infrastructure involved an investment of over EUR 9 million and will supply the Figueres and Vilafant natural gas network. In addition, the construction of the gas pipeline allows the transport of natural gas to the municipalities of Santa Llogaia d'algüem and Navata, as well as Alt Empordà.



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Notes:

- ✓The figures reported have not been audited;
- ✓The figures reported exclude information for the Trillo nuclear power station.

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