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INOGATE is a regional energy cooperation programme between the European Union and 11 Partner Countries in Eastern Europe, Caucasus and Central Asia



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About this issue

INOGATE is starting the autumn season with a series of events that will move forward the agendas of its Partner Countries towards improved energy security and energy use. This month Country Coordinators will meet informally to drive their countries' Work Plans forward and agree on all the actions to be carried out until the end of the INOGATE Programme in April 2016. Features stories include updates on how energy efficiency indicators will be introduced more thoroughly in Partner Countries, the assistance planned for optimizing Azerbaijan's district heating, as well as the information on the start-up of "Energy Policy Talks", a new forum for wider stakeholder consultations on key energy reforms taking place in Ukraine. The spotlight this month is on RESMAP (Renewable Energy Sources Map) and its potential application in attracting renewable energy investments in selected Partner Countries.

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

"Are wind and solar energy investments viable in Georgia"? A new Renewable Energy Sources Map provides the answer

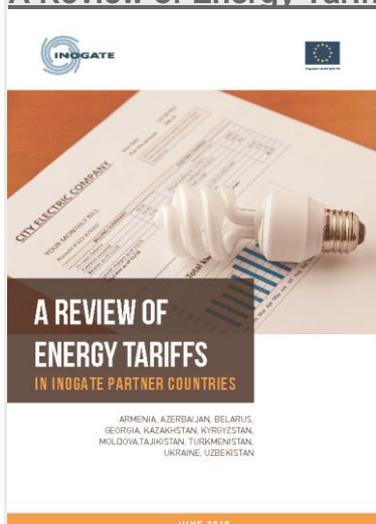
When considering the harnessing of renewable energy (RE) resources, such as wind and solar energy, national governments, investors and suppliers must all ask themselves many questions: governments need to know how much energy capacity can be developed and what tariffs will be needed to encourage investment; developers and investors need information to help them decide where to invest, how...

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NOT TO BE MISSED

See document:

A Review of Energy Tariffs in INOGATE Partner Countries



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Multi-Annual Report - 2012-2014



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Regional Seminar on developing Energy Efficiency indicators for the monitoring and evaluation of Energy Efficiency policies



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Geospatial mapping for sustainable energy investment. Presentation of RESMAP's demo version in Georgia.



LATEST NEWS

A new forum for discussion: Energy Policy Talks in Ukraine



The EU Delegation to Ukraine and the Support Group for Ukraine of the European Commission, with the support of the INOGATE Technical Secretariat, will join forces to organise a series of high-level events on Energy Market Reform and Sustainable Energy Policy for Ukrainian policy and...[Read more](#)

Country Coordinators' Meeting: prioritizing last INOGATE assistance packages and discussing post-INOGATE plans



A meeting of the INOGATE Country Coordinators will be held through a working dialogue with the EC DG NEAR in Kiev, on 28-29 September 2015, following on from the last informal meeting held in Tbilisi in April 2015.

As the INOGATE Programme comes to a close in April 2016, the Country...[Read more](#)

Developing Energy Efficiency indicators for the monitoring and evaluation of Energy Efficiency policies



Energy efficiency indicators (EEI) play an important role in analysing the interactions among economic and human activity, energy use and CO2 emissions. They are essential for the setting of energy policy in all countries. EEIs are designed to help government decision makers and analysts...[Read more](#)

INOGATE supports the district heating sector in Azerbaijan through heat mapping



Azerbaijan is embarking on a five-year plan to upgrade and expand its district heating system. Moving towards a decentralised heating system, serving 8 to 12 apartment blocks, such an upgrade will reduce capital costs, avoid unnecessary building of heating mains, share operating costs and...[Read more](#)

A new chapter in the cooperation between Belstat and INOGATE in the field of energy statistics in Belarus



In-country work to improve energy statistics in Belarus in the extension period (February 2015 – January 2016) will kick off with a workshop in Minsk which will give an [Read more](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS & WEBINARS

[Assistance to the Ministry of Energy for the adoption of TPA legislation in the electricity transmission networks of Armenia \(First Mission, CWP.01.AM\), 21 - 24 September 2015, Yerevan \(Armenia\)](#)

[Informal meeting of the INOGATE Country Coordinators, 28 - 29 September 2015, Kiev \(Ukraine\)](#)

[Regional Workshop on “Gas infrastructure. Pipelines for maximum operating pressure over 16 bar. Functional requirements” \(AHEF 118 GE\) , 19 - 23 October 2015, Tbilisi \(Georgia\)](#)

[Technical assistance on cross-border metering stations and upgrading the SCADA system of the transmission network \(CWP.09.GE\) , 26 - 30 October 2015, Tbilisi \(Georgia\)](#)

[ITS Technical Assistance to Belarus in the field of Energy Statistics in the extension period \(Feb. 2015 – Jan. 2016\), 15 November 2015, Minsk \(Belarus\)](#)

[ITS Technical Assistance to Georgia in the field of Energy Statistics in the extension period \(Feb. 2015 – Jan. 2016\), 17 November 2015, Tbilisi \(Georgia\)](#)

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