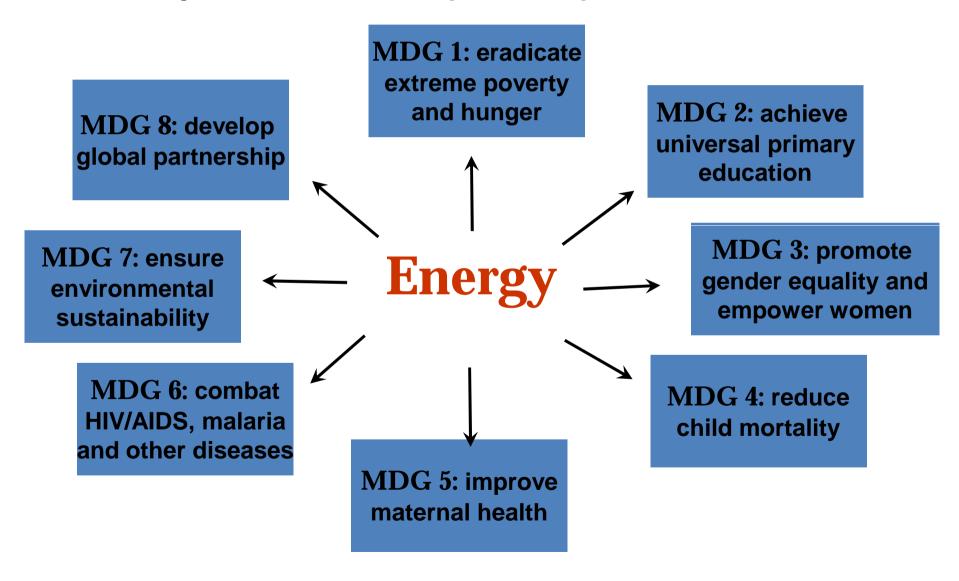
Energy Access needs for the Poor: Feasible and attainable but.....?

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Energy is central to all the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs)



AFRICA - POWER NETWORKS









Who are the Energy Poor and where are they? **Urban - Formal Urban - Informal** Rural Grid, utility Grid-extension, reforms, oil/gas, renewables Informal renewables, **Formal** efficiency **Rural - Formal Rural - Informal Urban Formal** Grid-extension, Off-grid electricity, more efficient renewables, Improved Informal technologies cookstoves, mechanical power

MDG Africa Steering Group Scale

of finance and funding gaps

US\$ billion pa	Expenditure needs	Public expenditure	o/w external flows	Financing gap US\$ billion pa
Power sector	47.7	21.3	3.5	26.4
Off-grid	ICS, LPG			1.5
	Electricity, Motive Power			0.8

At the local level: Cost per beneficiary

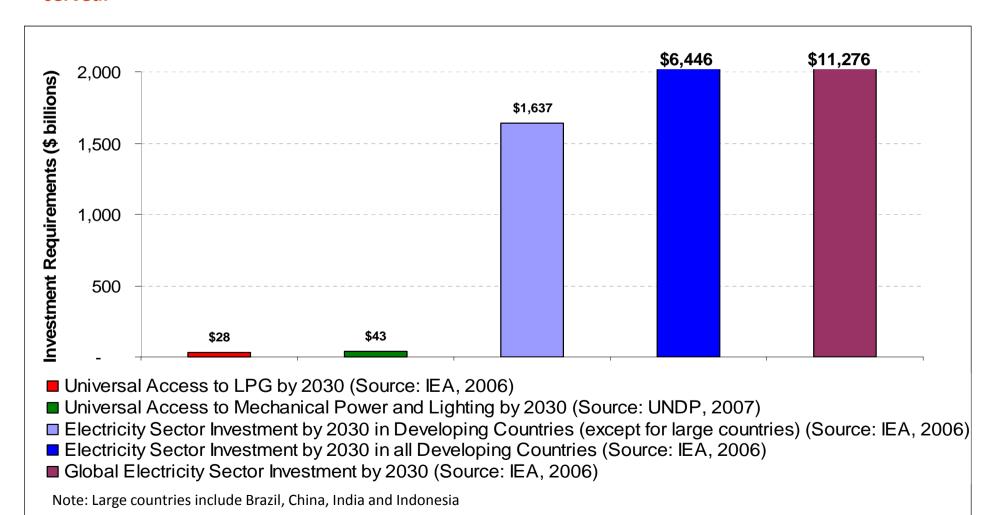
Region (GEF Small Grants Projects)	Number of projects	Total Cost (ODA+Co- financing) (US\$ million)	Number of beneficiarie s (million)	Average Cost per beneficiary (US\$)
Global	1163	72	2.6	28
RBA	276	16	<u>0.6</u>	<u>27</u>
RBAP	291	15	<u>0.7</u>	<u>21</u>
RBEC	181	16	0.4	<u>40</u>
RBAS	189	10	<u>0.4</u>	<u>25</u>
RBLAC	226	15	0.5	<u>30</u>

Type of technolog y	Total Cost (ODA +co financing) US\$ millions	Number of beneficiar ies (million)	Average cost per person(U S\$)
Solar PV	8	0.05	114
Biofuels	1	0.02	50
biogas	2	0.09	22
Improved stoves	3	0.40	7
Micro hydro	2	0.05	40
Africa total	16	0.61	27

To expand access to modern energy services, modern cooking fuels, electricity and mechanical power, an estimated US\$ 100 per person is need at the local level (\$100 per beneficiary x 2 billion people = US\$ 200 billion)

Is it too expensive to expand access to energy services to those not currently reached?

Estimates show that less than 1% of global electricity investment required by 2030 will be needed to provide modern energy services for the poor people who are not currently served.



Top ten 2005 African oil producers, and rough estimate of revenue per person per day

Country	2005	Revenue at US\$ 110	2005	Revenue per
	Production	per barrel (US\$	Population	person per day
	Barrels per	Million) **	million	(US\$)
	day			
Gabon	226,000	25	1.4	17.9
Congo Brazzaville	227,000		4	6.3
		25		
Chad	249,000	27	9.7	2.8
Equatorial Guinea	356,000		0.5	78.0
		39		
Sudan	363,000	40	40.2	1.0
Egypt	579,000	64	74	0.9
Angola	1,250,000	138	15.9	8.7
Libya	1,600,000	176	5.8	30.3
Algeria	2,080,000	229	32.8	7.0
Nigeria	2,600,000	286	132	2.2
Total	9,530,000	1048	316.3	3.3

^{**}US\$110 not 2005 figures.

Source: statistics on oil from the 2005 US Energy Agency as at http://www.clickafrique.com/Magazine/ST014/CP0000002232.aspx

Is it financially feasible at the current level of revenue generation?

IEA total energy capital investment till 2030: ~ \$ 20 trillion

Total programmatic financing needed to provide basic modern energy services for 2 billion (those who are excluded): ~ \$ 200 billion (1% of the above figure)

Total top 2005 10 Africa oil producers oil revenue/ person/day estimate (at US\$110 per barrel) is US\$ 3.3

Total programmatic financing for 2 billion needed per person per year if accomplished by 2015 from 2008: approx. US\$ 14 per person per year

What is needed. Ensuring access to modern energy to meet basic development needs

- Modern fuels such as LPG and devices for domestic cooking and heating, this includes improved cookstoves with vented hoods plus sustainable biomass production systems
- Electricity at the local level for health clinics, schools, and public lighting systems/communications
- Mechanical power at the local level for basis agricultural food processing and water pumping

Key messages: Scaling up energy services is feasible....

- Replicable, proven decentralized models and lessons do exist
- 2. Prioritizing energy access for the poor in national development strategies
- 3. Investments in off-grid decentralized energy provide cost-effective access
- 4. Capacity development is fundamental to accelerate service delivery for the poor

Key points

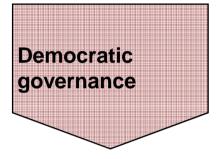
- Access to modern energy services is fundamental to poverty reduction and growth.
- Achieving universal energy access is not at all costly on a macro term, and technological and institutional "know-how" already exist to make things happen.
- In theory, existing financial resources are more than sufficient to achieve this goal, particularly in resource-rich SSAs (e.g. the cost for energy access is tiny compared with oil revenues).

BUT, it's not happening...

- Why is it not happening?
- how can we make it happen?
- Do we have political commitment?
- Is it about strengthening the institutional capacity?
- reform the markets?
- is it a matter of capacity?

UNDP's Strategic Plan 2008 - 2011: Development priorities

Poverty reduction and the achievement of the MDGs



Crisis prevention and recovery

Environment and Sustainable development

Human Development

SP 2008-11:

Environment & Sustainable Development

MAINSTREAMING ENVIRONMENT & ENERGY

Policy, institutional and fiscal options to widen access, reduce poverty and inequality, and thus achieve the MDGs

CATALYZING ENVIRONMENTAL FINANCE

Creating conditions that allow markets to provide effective solutions for sustainable development

ADAPTING TO CLIMATE CHANGE

Mainstreaming climate change risk management into national development strategies

EXPANDING ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY SERVICES FOR POOR

Strengthened capacity of local institutions to manage the environment and expand environment and energy services, especially to the poor

Human development

Thank you