

## Agenda

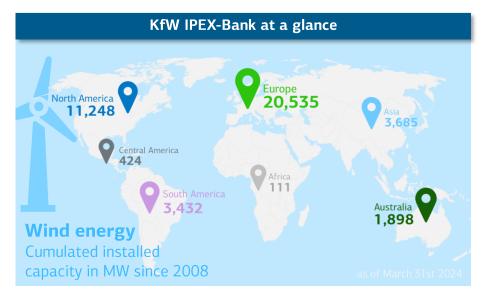
- Who is KfW IPEX-Bank and what have we done in the Nordics and offshore financing?
- Offshore worldwide and Finland: Status and outlook
- Finance perspective offshore:
  - Onshore vs. offshore
  - Key challenges
  - Key success factors
  - What's next?



#### **About KfW IPEX-Bank**

#### Specialist financier in project and export finance with global reach

- 100% subsidiary of Germany's state owned promotional bank KfW
- Stable business model and strong external ratings: Moody's (Aa2), S&P (AA+)
- Leading specialist financier -project and export finance solutions with decades of experience
- Focus on medium to long-term lending solutions
- Renowned for its sector expertise and a strong track-record of complex projects in the key industry sectors
- Experts in ECA coordination and advisory with strong ties to all leading ECAs



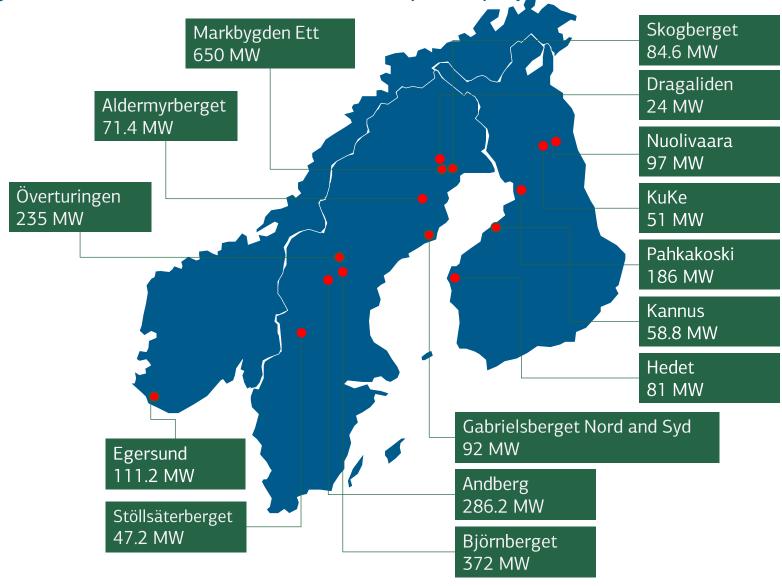




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Regional overview of **onshore** renewable power projects in the Nordics



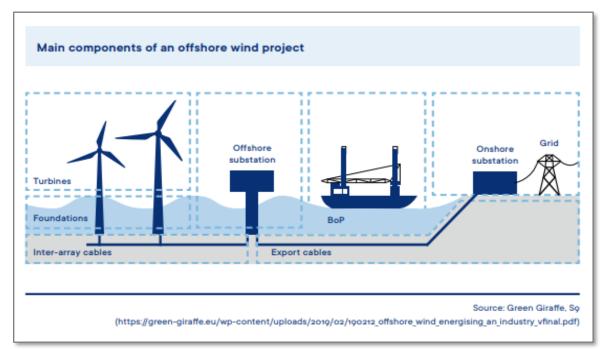


# Finance perspective

## Onshore vs. offshore

#### Comparing key parameters

- Project sizes
- Turbine size
- CAPEX
- Technologies
  - Turbines
  - Foundations
- Construction
- Operation
- Offtake
- Merchant share
- E + S
- Financing structure





Source: WindEurope

# **Key challenges**

• Three main reasons for disputes during projects:

• Delay issues



• Cost overruns

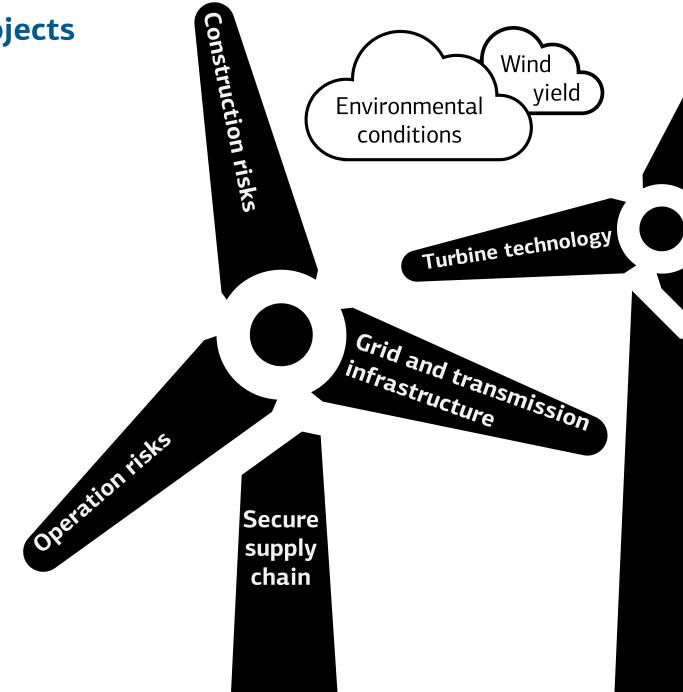


• Defects



# Risks in offshore projects

- Further risk factors:
  - Political risk
  - Permitting issues
  - Counterparty risk
  - Price risk



## Risks in offshore projects

Experiences from our portfolio

Offshore financed since 2010, first operational since 2014

#### **Construction:**

- Bankruptcy of contractors: manufacturer (Senvion 2019), OSS contractor
- Foundation installation: combination of wrong evaluation of soil condition + operator errors
- Delays from vessel unavailability and tight weather windows
- Early years: grid delays

#### **Operation:**

- EYA
- Mostly strong performance, availabilities above 95% for most turbines
- Most incidents insurable events

## **Key risks in offshore projects**

### Mitigation methods

#### Construction



Cost overruns i.a. caused by construction delays

Insolvency of contractors

Robust Contingency Budget, experienced project management, insurance, stepin rights

#### Ramp-Up



i.e. grid connection delays



**Conservative assumptions Pre-Completion Revenues** 

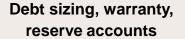
#### **Operations**



Teething problems

Lower wind yield

Lower availability





## **Key Success Factors from a Bank's Perspective**





## What's next

- Floating
- •Offtake with merchant share
- •Power to X with offshore



## Get in touch with us - we will be glad to advise you

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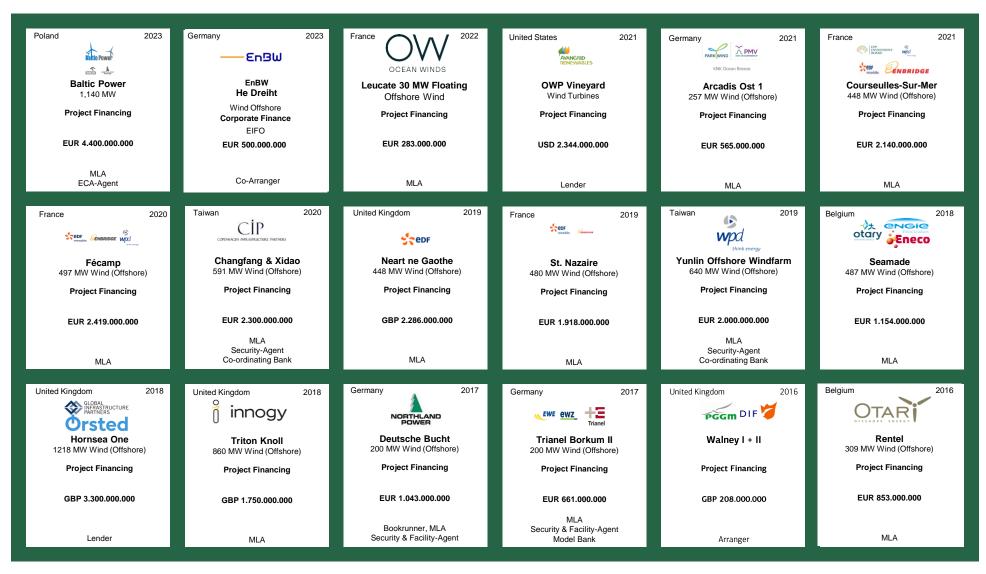
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## **Overview: Offshore Wind Expertise**





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