

THE LOCAL INDUSTRIAL FABRIC IN THE WIND SECTOR IN THE PARIS REGION



PROJECT

The Regional Council has decided to continue deepening its knowledge of the local industrial fabric and identifying the regional stakeholders involved in renewables by focusing on the wind sector, which has experienced strong growth.

The study aimed to identify the players and the composition of the wind sector in the Paris region in order to decide what action to take to foster its development.

METHOD

The study consisted of reviewing the relevant documentation and then setting up a data base on the businesses involved in the wind sector using information collected from business directories and participation in specialised trade fairs. The analysis was complemented by a series of interviews with companies and institutions. Benchmarking with French and foreign areas that have adopted a similar approach made it possible to take stock of the Paris region's strengths and weaknesses and to propose courses of action.

RESULTS

This study helped support the drawing up of the regional wind scheme (SRE) as part of the regional climate, air and energy plan (SRCAE).

PRODUCTS

Report, 110 p. – Note rapide, 4 p. – PowerPoint documents

MAIN POINTS

Beneficiaries

Regional Council

Donors

Regional Council

Implementation period

January 2010/April 2011

Duration of the study

16 months

Total cost of project

82,000 euros

IAU's share

82,000 euros

Partners

IAU

Mobilisation of experts

3 person-days x month

Main experts

IAU

Thierry Petit, economist, project leader

Basic project data

Surface area: 12,000 sq. km.

Population: 12 million inhabitants