

About the EBRD

We invest in changing lives



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The EBRD invests to build up effective market economies across three continents and to make a positive impact on people's lives.

With a focus on private sector investment and support for policy reform, we work to ensure that economies in our regions are competitive, inclusive, well-governed, sustainable, resilient and integrated.

Background

The EBRD is the largest single investor in many of the countries where it operates. It is active in 38 economies from central Europe to Central Asia, the Western Balkans and the southern and eastern Mediterranean and more recently Lebanon, West Bank and Gaza. The Bank's investments also mobilise significant foreign direct investment into the economies where we operate. It invests mainly in private enterprises, usually together with commercial partners. It provides project financing for the financial sector and the real economy, both new ventures and investments in existing companies. It also works with publicly-owned companies to support privatisation, the restructuring of state-owned firms and improvement of municipal services.

The Bank is owned by 66 countries and two intergovernmental institutions (the European Union and the European Investment Bank). It maintains a close political dialogue with governments, authorities and representatives of civil society to promote its goals. It also works in cooperation with international organisations such as the OECD, the IMF, the World Bank and UN specialised agencies.

In all its operations the EBRD follows the highest standards in corporate governance and sustainable development. As a public institution the EBRD is committed to a rigorous public information policy.

Investment

Every EBRD investment must:

- ▶ support the further development of sound market economies
- ▶ take risk that supports private investors
- ▶ follow sound banking principles
- ▶ strengthen sustainability.

Through its investments the EBRD promotes:

- ▶ economic growth in its countries of operations
- ▶ entrepreneurship, competition and privatisation
- ▶ stronger financial institutions and legal systems
- ▶ infrastructure development
- ▶ adoption of strong corporate governance, including environmental sensitivity
- ▶ structural and sectoral reforms.

The EBRD:

- ▶ promotes co financing and foreign direct investment
- ▶ mobilises domestic capital
- ▶ provides technical assistance.

At a glance

Number of projects (since 1991)

5,035

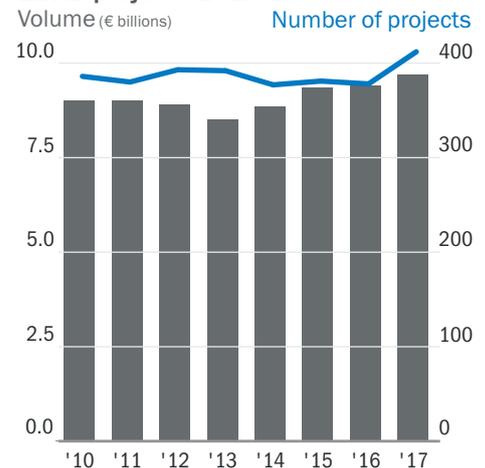
Cumulative business volume

€119.6 billion

Cumulative disbursements

€91.5 billion

EBRD projects 2010-17



Capital

€30 billion

Shareholders (countries, and the EU and EIB)

68

Economies where the EBRD invests

38

Regional offices

52

Staff

3,185



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