TIPEE Approach: Challenges and Opportunities for Togo

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Brief presentation of Togo - Small french-speaking country in West Africa between Benin, Ghana, Burkina Faso and Atlantic Ocean. - Area: 56,600 square kilometers - Divided into five (5) economic regions - A total population of 6,191,155 inhabitants (2010)

Energy situation in Togo

- The average annual consumption is 0.29 toe / capita in 2008. This value is well below the African average which is 0.50 toe / capita.
- The production of electrical energy is mainly provided by hydraulic and thermal properties of the Communauté Electrique du Benin (CEB) in Togo and Electric Energy Company of Togo (CEET).
- The national energy balance shows that traditional energy are the most used (71% is biomass firewood, charcoal and vegetable waste -, 26% oil and 3% electricity).

TIPEE: Illustrative insights (not exhaustive)

- The majority of the power plants and refineries are in vulnerable areas (flooding)
- High impact of energy use on the households
 welfare
- High dependence of the country to international markets (imports), international investors and funds
- Possible role of renewable energy (and local biofuels) to improve the energy security
- Need for a deeper involvement of civil society in energy decision, despite existing mechanisms

TIPEE: Other important outputs

Creation of a monitoring

committee with members from nine institutions that represent Ministries of Energy, Environment, Development and planning, Economy and Finance, local governments, universities and NGOs



Les Amis de la Terre Togo

The committee's goal is to establish concrete and permanent links between state actors and nonstate actors to organize the process monitoring and the way forward.

Process already underway

- ✓ Development of the committee action plan for the first year
- ✓ Preparation of an information sheet that briefly informe on TIPEE results to be sent to the decision-makers of the Committee member institutions
- Calling officials of each institution for technical meetings on the TIPEE implementation and monitoring.

Challenges at the national level

- Togo is vulnerable in a number of areas including:
- Dependence opposite biomass (71%)
- **Desertification** (continued land degradation, human pressure on the canopy)
- Importation of petroleum products (Togo is 100% dependent outside)
- Energy sector's vulnerability to climate change (biomass energy, hydropower)

Opportunities for Togo to develop a soft energy path approach

Solar potential

The solar potential is estimated at 4.4 Kilowatt hour/square meter/day with powers up to 0.7 kW/m2 in the dry season.

Wind power

Only the coastal area of the country shows unfavorable **index** with wind speeds of **3** m/s on average. However, there are instant spikes with high wind in some areas of the country reaching **4** m/s.

Hydropower

Togo has an extensive network of rivers. **30 micro hydro sites** have been identified. The potential power of all identified sites is **224 MW** which corresponds to a potential production estimated at 850 GWh/year.

Opportunities for Togo to develop a soft energy path approach				
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29	Alokoegbé	Sio	0,125	Trans HOGAN
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31	Aklowa	Mo Cascade Kara	800	LONE
32	Landa –pozanda	(Kpizindė)	0.110	
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Hydropower potential in Togo Source : DCN, 2010				

Conclusion

Through the **TIPEE approach** developed by HELIO (with support of *Organisation Internationale de la Francophonie)*, Togo has prepared a **national report** on the current situation of the energy sector.

This approach helps countries identify gaps in their energy policies and develop effective and resilient energy policies to address climate change challenges.

Togo has a lot of potential that should be explored.

TIPEE is not an end, but the beginning of a

