



## **Energy efficient housing renovation** in Estonia

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### Current situation in Estonia

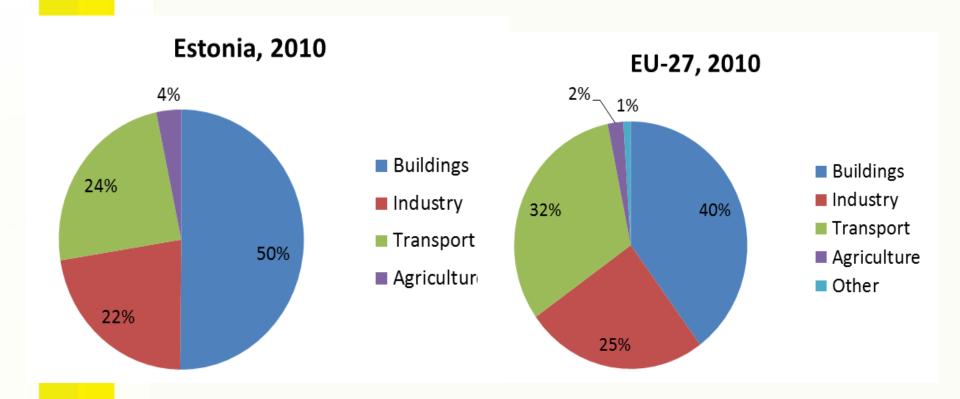


Population 1, 34 million Territory 45,227 km<sup>2</sup>

- 98% of all the apartments privatised
- 75% population livingin apartment buildings
- Over 10000 apartment associations today
- 1 umbrella body The Estonian Union of Co-operative Housing Associations (NGO)
- Wide range of different backgrounds and financial capacity of owners
- In all cases all apartment owners (private persons) are responsible for the condition of the building and decisions and payments



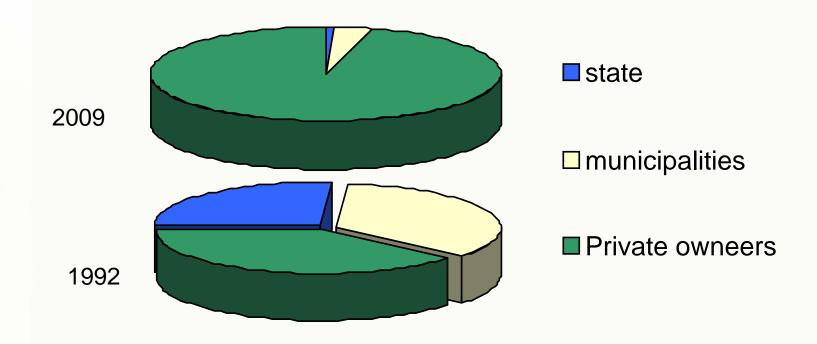
## Energy in Estonia



http://www.energiatalgud.ee/img\_auth.php/c/c1/ENMAK-Hoonete-uuring-20.09.2013.pdf



# Ownership in apartment buildings stock









### Problems, needs and obstacles

#### Problems:

- Low quality and level of energy efficiency of apartment buildings (average energy consumption per year in buildings which have not been renovated 200-250 kWh/m²)
- Energy issue is becoming a social issue

#### Obstacles:

- Low awareness and motivation
- Lack of financing energy efficiency
- Limited technical knowledge on energy efficiency

#### Need for information:

- Financing and funding
- Technical aspects of energy efficiency

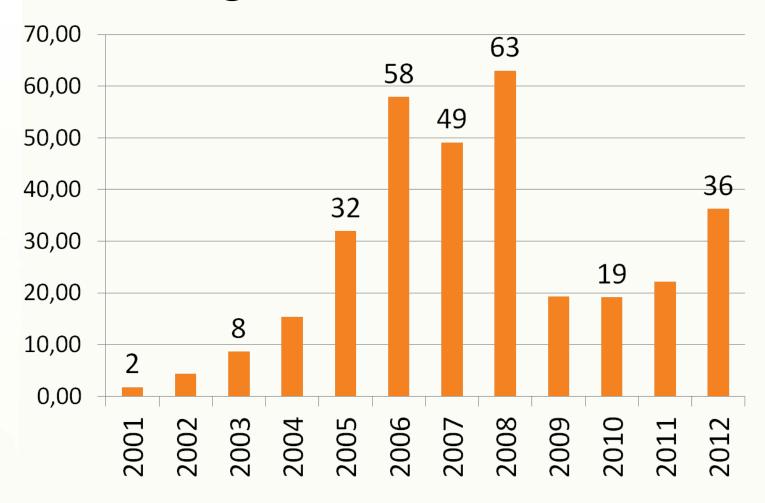


## Measures for energy efficiency in housing

- Studies about situation in buildings
- Favorable loan from revolving fund
- Grants (from state and municipalities):
  - energy audits, project design documents
  - renovation
- Consultants to help by decision making
- Awareness raising campaigns, trainings for apartment associations
- Best Practice Projects



# Loans for apartment buildings in Estonia, mio €





# Renovation loan for apartment buildings

- Main purpose energy efficiency (at least 20 or 30% energy saving depending of the size of the building)
- Energy audit is obligatory, renovation according to energy audit (by priorities)
- Loan maturity: up to 20 years
- Interest: up to 4,5% fixed for 10 years, average 4%, from 2013 below 3,5%
- No collateral is needed



# Grant for reconstruction 35%, 25% or 15%

- Fund for the grant from Green Investment Scheme (selling AAU)
  - An Assigned Amount Unit (AAU) is a tradable 'Kyoto unit' or 'carbon credit' representing an allowance to emit greenhouse gases comprising one metric tons of carbon dioxide equivalents calculated using their Global Warming Potential
- In total 30 million € ~ 140 million € for investment
- Goal is to renovate multi-apartment buildings completely, to achieve:
  - energy saving from heating costs, considering all requirements for indoor climate
  - Achieve higher energy class
  - To increase use of renewable energy



## Results (data: Fund KredEx)

#### Loan (€ 49 mio)

- Start 24.06.2009
- By 31.12.2012:
- 512 contracts/493 houses
- 18 281 apartments, 42
   000 inhabitants
- Ca 1 190 000 m<sup>2</sup>
- Total € 49 mio
- Investment € 68 mio
- Average € 139 560
- Expected saving 38%

#### **Grant (€ 24,2 mio)**

- Start 30.09.2010
- By 31.03.2013:
- 597 appl./498 houses
  - € 21,5 mio
- 577 pos decision/481 houses €20,9 mio / Inv. € 81,8 mio
  - 15% € 4 mio 288
  - 25% € 6 mio 182
  - 35% € 11 mio 107
- Ca 1 120 000 m<sup>2</sup>
- Average 26%, 36 000 €
- Saving 41,3%





### Supported works

- Thermal insulation of the roof
- Thermal insulation of the walls/facade
- Thermal insulation of the cellar roof
- New windows/staircase windows/outdoors
- New heating system/renovation of the heating system
- Renovation of the ventilation system/new ventilation system
- Installation of renewable energy devices
- The fund supports comprehensive retrofitting



## Example of renovated building

#### Rukki str 11, Tartu county

- 2 737m<sup>2</sup> (36 ap. 2011)
- Investment € 310 000, 113 €/m²
- Grant 35% € 108 500, 40 €/m<sup>2</sup>
- Credit € 201 500, 20 years

Expected saving 65%



Savings after 1 year 45%



## Plans for the 2014-2020

- Continue with similar measures for energy efficiency reconstruction of multi-apartment buildings:
- PLAN ENMAK 2030



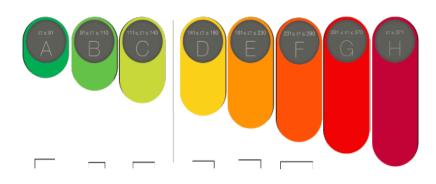
- Revolving fund for favor
- Reconstruction grant 40 %
- Innovative e-solutions for multiapartment buildings

#### ENERGIAMÄRGIS



Hoone energiatõhususarv:

 $90_{\,\text{kWh/m}^2\text{*}a}$ 



Hoone aadress: Kehtib kuni:

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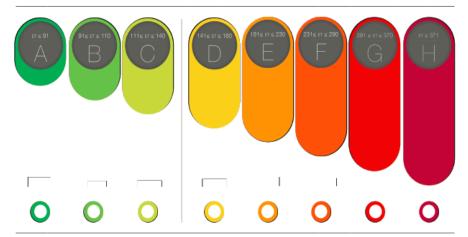
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Energiaallikas:







## The success of EKYL in promoting energy efficiency in Estonia

- Measures that target short- term savings and long-term savings initiatives that provide timely and accurate information to different audiences
  - Infomation campaigns for housing associations on renovation of apartment buildings (components: conferences, seminars, round-tables, magazine, handbooks)
  - Information campaigns for apartment owners on individual energy consumption (components: regional seminars and round-tables, leaflets, newspapers, web-site)

**WWW.EKYL.EE** 



## on renovation









## Training system

- Training system for specialists of apartment associations -5000 person in year!
  - Korteriühistu juhi baaskursuse õpikeskkond
- Advisory and consultancy services

(legal advice, accounting etc.)







## E-map of the Estonian buildings

- E-map of the Estonian buildings. The map gives main data about the apartment buildings and their energy consumption and enaples comparison of renovated and not-rernovated buildings.
- Some examples of similar solutions couldbe found here: E-Map

http://service.regio.ee/kredex/#e=535225&n=6529660&z=3&tsrv=0&l=mwh



## **Key to success**

 Key to success: networking, infomation to different target groups via different channels of

**information** 







#### Thank You!

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