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SE4All Country Action in Africa -State of advancement

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September 2011

Ban Ki-moon

UN Secretary-General

launched Sustainable

Energy for All as a global initiative.

December 2012

The UN General Assembly unanimously declared the decade 2014-2024 as the Decade of Sustainable Energy for All

September 2015

UN Member States adopted the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) and post-

2015 agenda.

February 2011

The United Nations General Assembly designated the year 2012 as the International Year of Sustainable Energy for All



Goal 7. Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all

7.1 By 2030, ensure universal access to affordable, reliable and modern energy services

7.2 By 2030, increase <u>substantially</u> the share of renewable energy in the global energy mix

7.3 By 2030, double the global rate of improvement in energy efficiency

Launch of new initiatives focused on energy in Africa, including:

➢ G20 Energy Access Action Plan :

- G20 Energy Ministers adopted the Action Plan on Energy Access in Sub-Saharan Africa. SE4All and the Africa Hub will play a central role in coordinating its implementation.
- The Action Plan identifies a series of actions for collaboration of G20 countries with Sub-Saharan African countries under six sections addressing key barriers:
 - (1) strengthening of policy and regulatory environments;
 - (2) technology development and deployment;
 - (3) investment and finance;
 - (4) capacity building;
 - (5) regional integration; and
 - (6) coordination and collaboration.





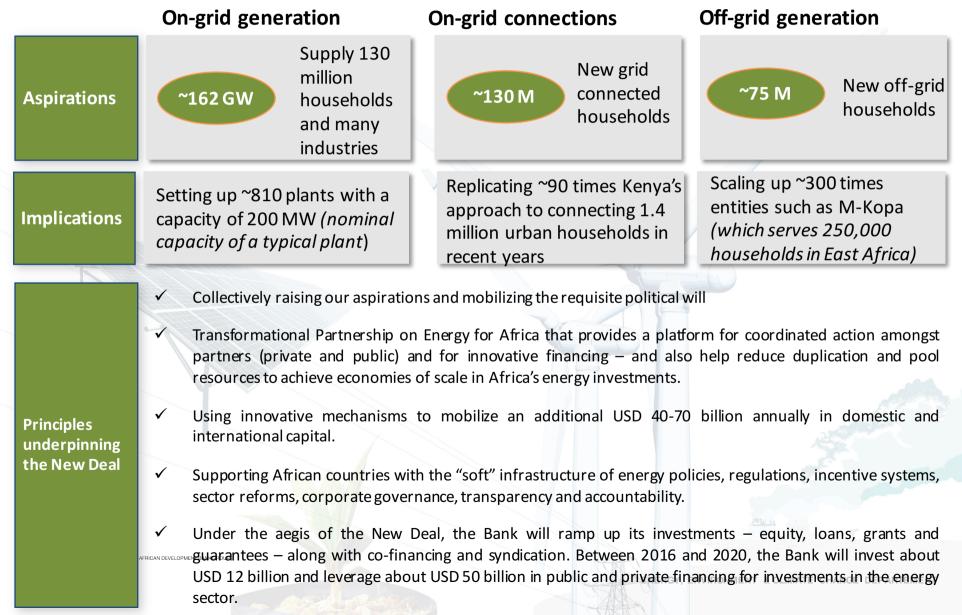


Launch of the African Energy Leaders Group (AELG):

- On June 2015 in Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire's President Alassane Ouattara headed a top-level line-up of political and business leaders to launch the West African Energy Leaders Group (W-AELG)
- AELG advocates for energy sector development and intends to address regional energy sector issues
- AELG will support energy reforms and energy programs that contribute to the pursuit of SE4All objectives



The New Deal on Energy for Africa:



- Increased support to SE4All country action processes and development of AA/IP in new countries, by many development partners incl. EC, WB, US, ECREEE, and Africa Hub partners
- Guidance, quality assurance and harmonization of the SE4All country action processes:
 - ✓ Country Action Reference Document (CARD)
 - ✓ Action Agenda template
 - $\checkmark\,$ Stakeholder consultation guidelines
 - ✓ Investment Prospectus concept note
 - $\checkmark\,$ Quality Circle for AA and IP

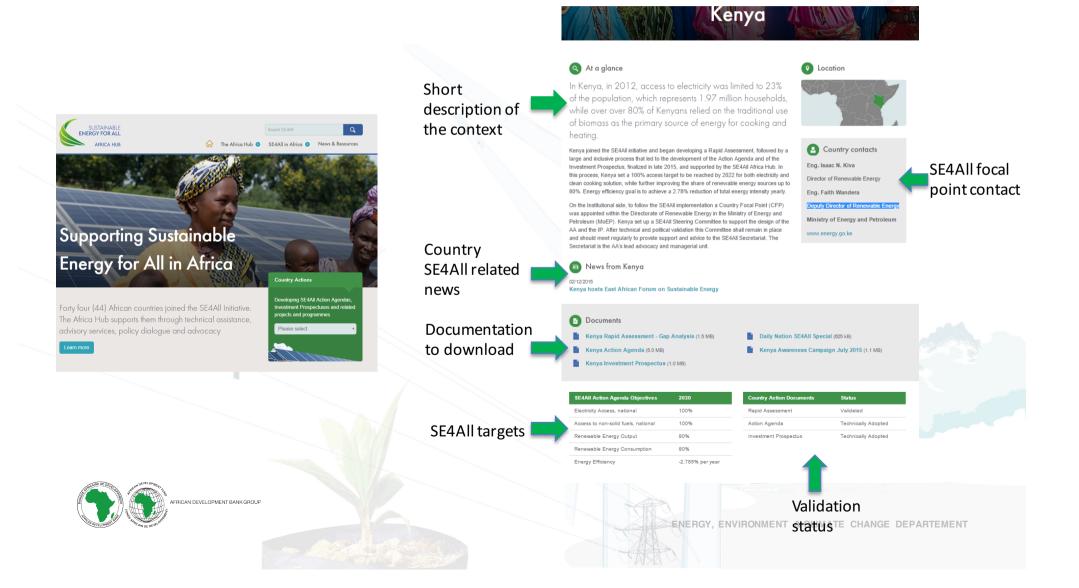
Establish a common structure for Provide support for setting up the Offer guidance to countries in Process of voluntary quality review of the AA/IP to be undertaken before political validation. First countries to benefit: Nigeria,

Tanzania, Kenya and Swaziland

 Promotion of AA/IP through regional and national workshops and events (Yaoundé workshop in April, SE4All global forum May, ECOWAS regional investment forum Sept, East Africa regional workshop Dec etc.)

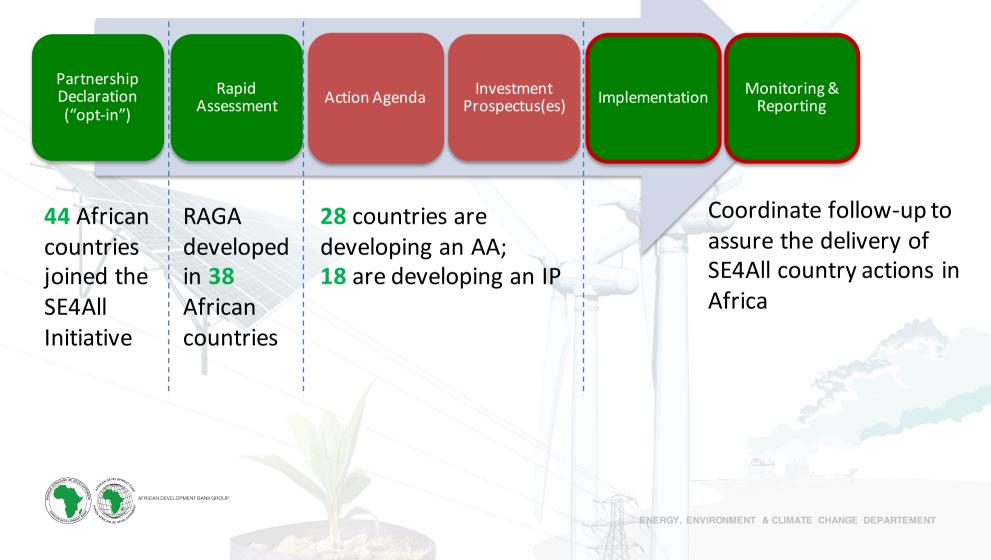
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SE4All country action Where do we stand in Africa ?

Key steps for achieving SE4All objectives



The AA: a holistic approach

National SE4All Action Agenda

Holistic long-term vision & **Inclusive development** Sector wide coherence Government (inter-ministerial) Development partners Renew Energy able **Private sector** Access Energy Novuc **Civil society** \checkmark angles Efficie (Health, **Energy Producers** Women, ncv Water, Energy Food. Consumers ultu **Other Energy** \checkmark **Stakeholders** IN DEVELOPMENT BANK GROUE

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Defining

objectives

objectives

Providing a

coordination

platform for

confidence to

potential investors

Defining tracking

and monitoring

implementation

Establishing

structure

partners

Providing

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Outlining actions

required to achieve

Countries developing AAs – January 2016

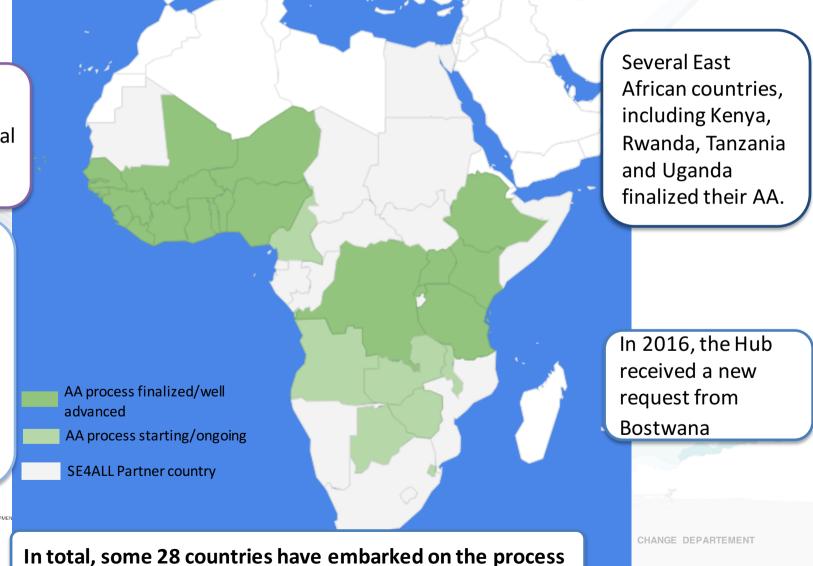
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West Africa is following a coordinated regional approach under ECREEE lead

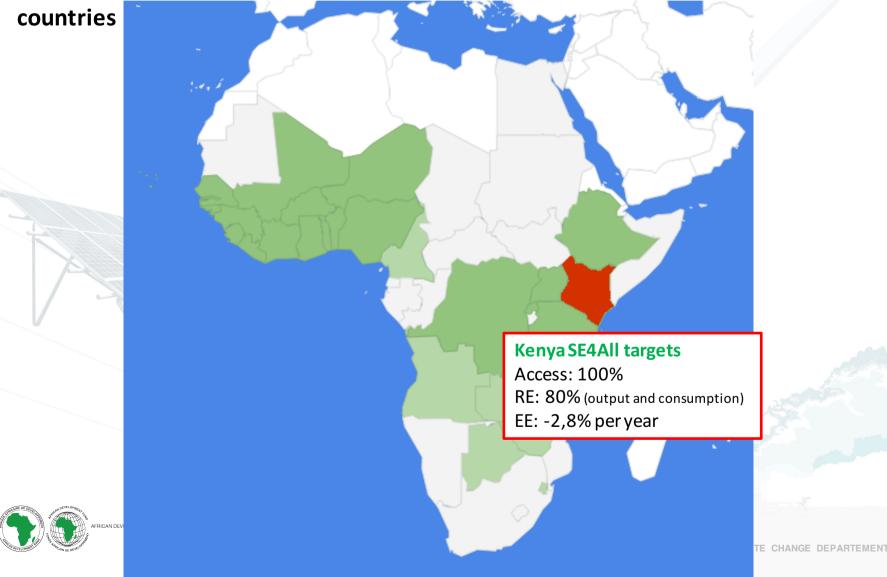
AA/IP processes are ongoing in Angola, DRC, Malawi, Zimbabwe, Zambia, Cameroon and Swaziland, with support of AfDB and UNDP





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Rwanda SE4All targets Access: 100% RE: 44% (electricity generation) EE: double EE in the use of biomass





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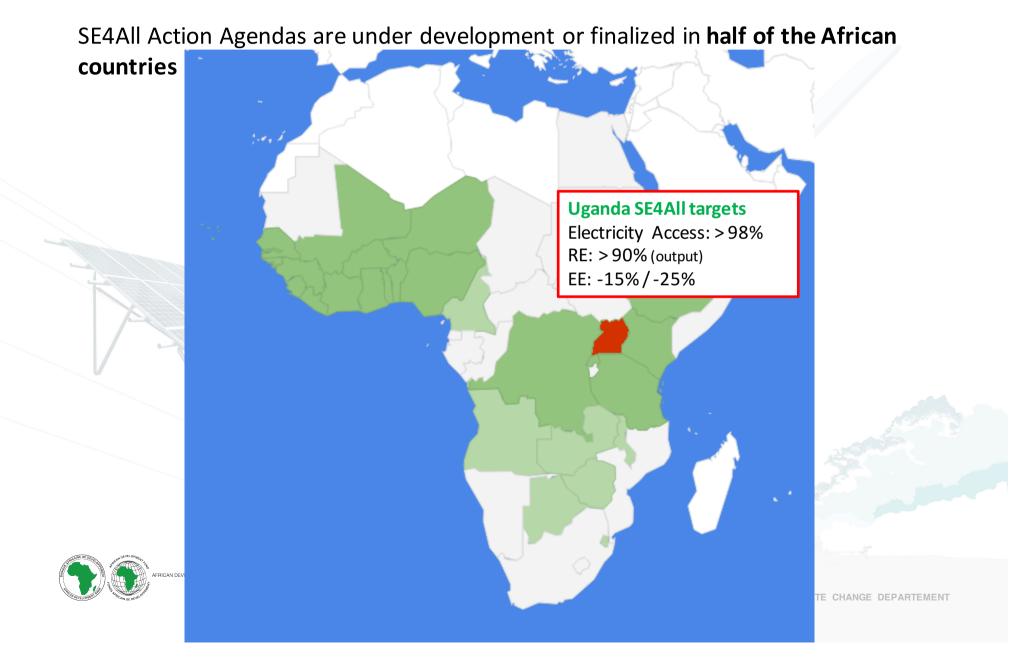
Nigeria SE4All targets Access: 90% RE: 20% (electricity mix) EE: increase EE by 50% in highenergy consuming sectors





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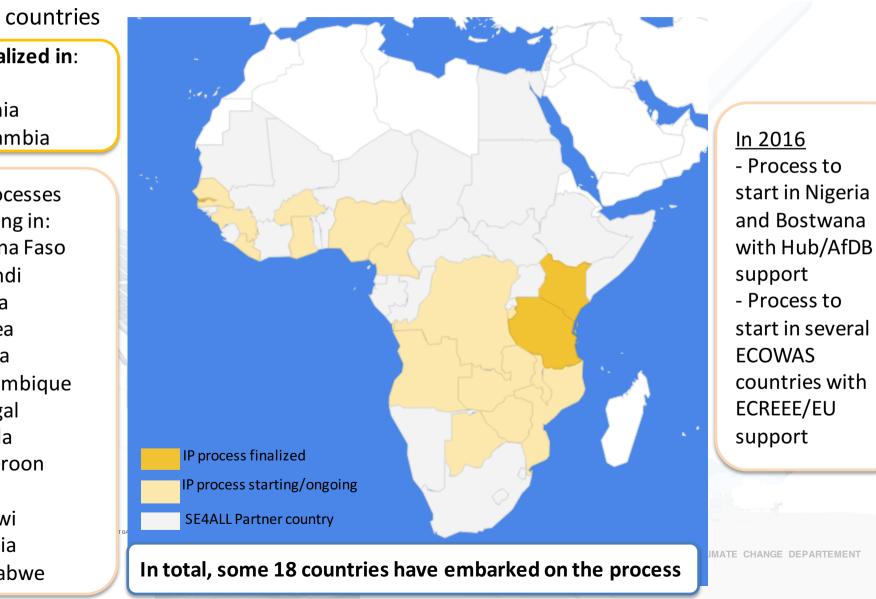


Countries developing IPs – January 2016

SE4All Investment Prospectuses are under development or finalized in several

IPs finalized in: Kenya Tanzania The Gambia

IP processes ongoing in: **Burkina Faso** Burundi Ghana Guinea Liberia Mozambique Senegal Angola Cameroon DRC Malawi Zambia Zimbabwe



The AA – An implementation tool for SDG 7

Implementation of the Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 7 will be key for Africa.

"Encourage that the SE4All Action Agenda be formally recognized as an implementation tool for proposed SDG7 at national level"

SE4All Energy Access Committee, May 2015

"National AA and IP present a robust framework for accelerating the implementation of energy related goals and targets of the country"

SE4All Advisory Board, May 2015

"We welcome [...] the development of Action Agendas and Investment Prospectuses at country level"

Financing for Development Outcome Document, July 2015

"Support the ongoing and future African voluntary country-led processes to develop SE4All Action Agendas with appropriate goals as an umbrella framework for energy sector development at the national level."

G20 Action Plan on Energy Access in SSA, October 2015

"We welcome the development of SE4All Action Agendas as umbrella energy sector development documents looking at access, renewables and energy efficiency in a holistic manner"

SAIREC declaration, October 2015

Lessons learned and best practices

Some lessons learned / best practices have emerged:

- Importance of high-level buy-in, inter-ministerial coordination and inclusive development process
- Importance of a strong champion leading the process
- Evolving nature of the AA and maintaining focus on long-term strategic approach
- Data availability and quality need to be addressed
- AA not just a document, but providing strategic context to ongoing sector consultation process
- Involvement of HIOs and Hubs in the development and follow-up processes
- Application of established SE4All "quality circle" as country support mechanism



Focus on implementation of AA/IPs

1/ Concerted follow-up to AA/IPs:

- AA to be recognized as coordination and implementation tool for SDG 7 at national level
- Government to maintain consultation processes focused on medium-term strategic agenda with clear decision-making processes
- Promotion and networking including the facilitation of dedicated SE4All investment fora and matchmaking making use of market places
- Political engagement/awareness raising/lobbying, recommending inter alia the engagement with development partners to use the AA/IP as guiding tool
- Mobilization of resources, including the facilitation of access to finance from available resources of partners – linking demand with supply
- Systematic involvement of SE4All HIOs in the follow-up to AA/IPs



Focus on implementation of AA/IPs

2/ Coordination & Institutionalization

- AA process provides a platform for coordination at country-level and guidance for partner engagement
- Donor discipline to keep new initiatives aligned with agreed priorities, and maintain focus on medium- to long-term strategic goals
- Institutionalising SE4All processes in the countries and strengthening of SE4All Secretariats
- Regional coordination and leadership (e.g. RECs, AELG)

3/ Tracking and Monitoring

- Develop methodologies to track and measure progress towards SE4All targets at country level
- Make the link between monitoring efforts on SE4All at a country level and the Global SE4All monitoring and tracking work (GTF, MTF)



Conclusion

- 2015 was a successful year for SE4All in Africa: important ground work in terms of country-level energy sector planning processes and identification of investment opportunities was carried out in many African countries.
- In 2016 the focus will have to shift decisively to actual implementation. A concerted approach to AA/IP follow-up is therefore required.



Thank you!

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