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### Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes region

#### 7.6 million inhabitants:

- 12% of French population
- > 78% of population living in urban are
- 4 metropolitan areas > 200 000
- > 1/3 population is less than 25Y
- 4 100 municipalities

#### 230 billion €: 12% French GDP

Tourism (172 ski resorts) and Industry

#### **Energy and Environment**

- 67% of mountain (or high) areas
- 9 Nature regional parks
- > 40% of territory covered by forests
- Exporting energy, 23%RES

#### Education and research:

12 universities, > 200 000 students

> 20 research centres













- ID:
  - Non-Profit Organization
  - About 25 employees, based in Lyon France
  - About 80 members: regional and local public authorities, energy companies
  - Celebrating its 40 year anniversary



Main goal:

Promote, inform and support sustainable development regional and local policies and projects

- Main target groups:
  - Public authorities at regional, inter-municipal and local levels
  - Public structures in social housing, health sector, ...
  - Regional and local communities: Regional Nature Parks, Farmers associations,...
- Funding:
  - Annual Revenue: About 2.5 M€
  - Public authorities : >50%
  - European projects
  - Members









#### Strategic objectives

At regional and local levels:

- Support sustainable development policies and programmes
- Support the implementation of plans and investment projects
- Innovate to create value











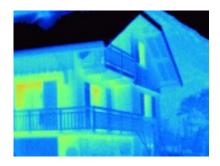




#### **Topics**

- Sustainable energy
  - Energy efficiency in buildings
  - RES

  - Smart grids Alternative fuels
- Sustainable mobility
- Climate Change
  - Mitigation
  - Adaptation
- Sustainable development
  - Circular economy
- Cross sectoral topics:
  - Green Public **Procurement**
  - · Behaviour Change
  - Community Investment
  - Multi-level governance















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#### **Instruments**

- Technical expertise and resource centre
- Regional data centres:
   « Observatories » for energy & GHG emissions,
   Climate change impacts
- Networks at Regional, National and EU levels
- Conferences, working groups, trainings,...











### European cooperation



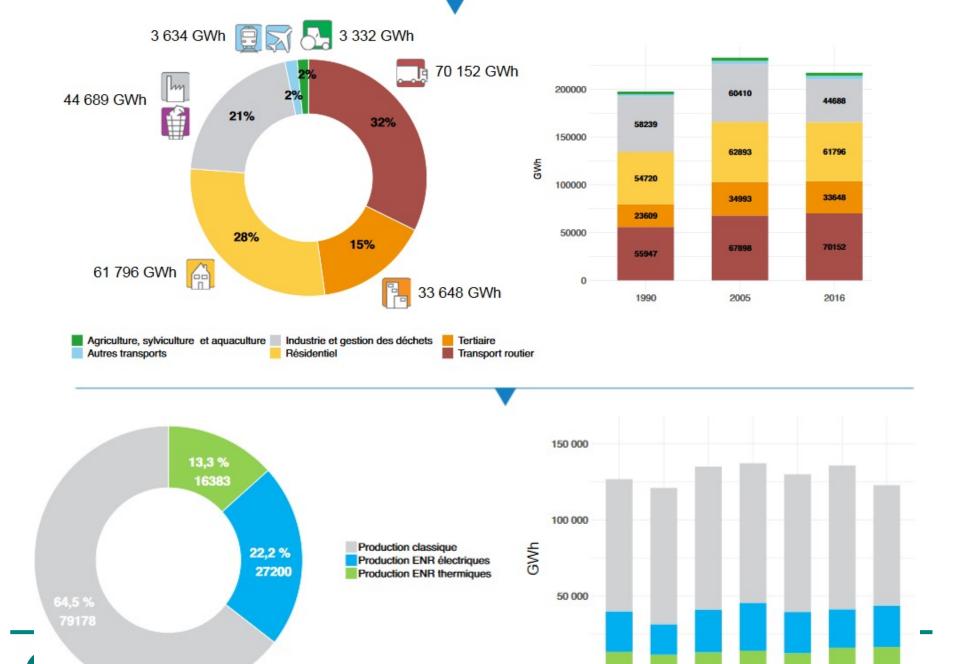
- Founding member of FEDARENE network of regional energy agencies
- Participated in more than 70 European cooperation projects
   IEE, FP6/7, Interreg IVC/Europe, Alpine Space, MED, Horizon 2020,...)
- Supporting the Covenant of Mayors initiative as Regional Energy Agency
- Member of the EUSALP (Alpine Macro regional strategy) AG9 on energy
- More than 500 partners across Europe in 28 Member States











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### Thank you!

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