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Overview and Strategy



This is Vattenfall

Activities in the Value Chain Active Inactive Upstream Production Transmission Distribution Trading Retail Services

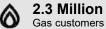
In Brief

- Vattenfall is a leading European energy company
- We want to make fossil-free living possible within one generation
- We are driving the transition to a more sustainable energy system through growth in renewable production and climate smart energy solutions for our customers
- 100 per cent owned by the Swedish State
- Our long-term credit ratings are BBB+ positive outlook by S&P and A3 stable outlook by Moody's









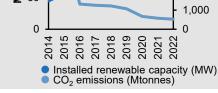
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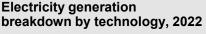
Main markets

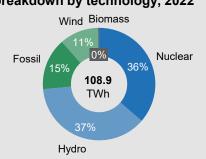
- Sweden
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- Netherlands
- Denmark
- United Kingdom



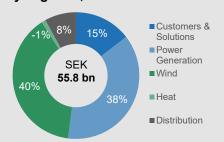
CO₂ emissions & renewable capacity 90 4,000 3,000 2,000







Underlying EBITDA breakdown by segment, 2022¹



Vattenfall's value chain

Electricity value chain

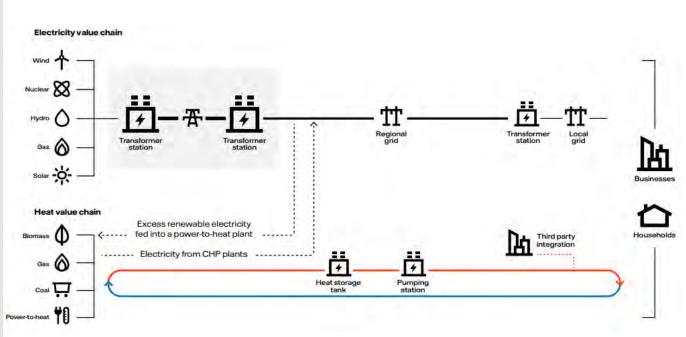
Electricity go through three main steps before it can be used by end customers: generation, transmission, and distribution. Generation is typically a competitive market both in terms of energy sources and the number of actors. The transmission grid is typically a national monopoly while regional and local grids are regulated monopolies

Heat value chain

District heating systems transport hot water to heat up buildings. The water is kept in a closed loop, which means that it is returned to the heating plant, re-heated, and re-used in the network. Heat storage tanks serve as buffer for fluctuations in supply and demand, and pumping stations ensure the right pressure throughout the network. Heat can also be integrated from third-party sources that feed their excess heat into the network.

The two value chains are interconnected

Plants used for district heating can also produce electricity. These are called combined heat and power (CHP) plants and the co-generation makes more efficient use of the utilised fuel. Electricity from CHP plants are typically fed directly into the grid. In so-called power-to-heat plants, excess electricity from e.g. wind and solar can be used in an e-boiler to generate heat.





Operating segment overview FY 2022

Operating segments

We report our operations broken down by the Group's operating segments: Customers & Solutions, Power Generation, Wind, Heat, and Distribution. The operating segments reflect our Business Area organisational structure except for the Power Generation segment, which is divided into the Generation and Markets Business Areas

Number of Employees as of 31 December 2022¹

Customers and Solutions	3,289
Power Generation	7,219
Wind	1,521
Heat	3,188
Distribution	1,340
Other ²	3,081

Customers & Solutions

Responsible for sales of electricity, gas and energy services as well as e-mobility charging solutions. We also offer a broad range of decarbonised, decentralised solutions such as heat pumps and solar panels.

- A market leader in Sweden with nearly 900,000 electricity contracts
- A market leader in the Netherlands with 4.7 million electricity and gas contracts
- A total of 4.7 million electricity and gas contracts in Germany with a leading position as electricity supplier in Berlin and Hamburg
- Challenger position in sales of electricity in Denmark, Finland and France and in France also of gas
- Operates 39,600 e-mobility charging points in Sweden, Germany, the Netherlands and Norway

Net Sales: SEK 183,151 mn (37% of total³)
Underlying EBITDA: SEK 8,393 mn (15% of total)
Underlying EBIT⁴: SEK 7,413 mn (20% of total)

Power generation

Responsible for Vattenfall's hydro and nuclear power operations, maintenance services business and optimisation and trading operations, including certain large business customers.

- Operates a portfolio with 5.5 GW nuclear capacity and 11.5 GW hydro power capacity across Sweden, Finland and Germany
- One of Europe's largest providers of fossil-free electricity, with 40.5 TWh from hydro power and 39.6 TWh from nuclear power
- Provides professional asset optimisation services and market access, and a leading player in PPA markets in northwest Europe
- Segment includes the market interface and the sourcing for customers

Net Sales: SEK 205,788 mn

(41% of total³)

Underlying EBITDA: SEK 21,621 mn

(38% of total)

Underlying EBIT4: SEK 16,570 mn

(44% of total)



³ Calculation excludes eliminations

⁴ Operating profit excluding items affecting comparability

¹ Full-time equivalents

² Pertains mainly to Staff Functions and Shared Service Centres

Operating segment overview FY 2022 (Cont'd)

Wind

Responsible for development, construction and operation of Vattenfall's wind farms as well as for large-scale and decentralised solar power and batteries.

- One of the largest producers of offshore wind power in the world
- One of the largest producers of onshore wind power in Denmark and the Netherlands
- 12.2 TWh of electricity generated in 2022
- Strong wind power pipeline with 2.2 GW under construction and over 5.3 GW in mature-stage development
- Front-runner in innovative solutions in solar & batteries, such as co-location

Net Sales: SEK 29,109 mn

(6% of total¹)

Underlying EBITDA: SEK 22,508 min

(40% of total)

Underlying EBIT2: SEK 16,479 min

(44% of total)

Heat

Responsible for Vattenfall's heat business (district heating and decentralised solutions) and gas-fired condensing plants.

- One of Europe's leading providers of district heating in large metropolitan areas with approximately 2.0 million end customers
- Partnerships with cities for realisation of carbon reduction plans, supported by a track record of fulfilling previous reduction targets
- Heat production and distribution systems used as platforms to integrate other energy solutions, like district cooling, e-mobility charging solutions, wind and solar

Net Sales: SEK 60,505 mn

(12% of total¹)

Underlying EBITDA: SEK -641 mn

(-1% of total)

Underlying EBIT²: SEK -3,578 mn

(-10% of total)



Distribution

Responsible for Vattenfall's electricity distribution operations in Sweden and the UK. Provides Power-as-a-Service where we own and operate electrical-, storage- and charging infrastructure on long-term contracts.

- Leading operator of regional electricity distribution grids and among the top three largest actors in local grids in Sweden
- Distributes over 50% of the electricity in Sweden
- Approximately 1,000,000 business and private customers in Sweden
- Unit for operation and ownership of new grids in the UK established in 2017

Net Sales: SEK 12,497 mn

(3% of total1)

Underlying EBITDA: SEK 4,622 m

(8% of total)

Underlying EBIT2: SEK 2,070 mm

(6% of total)



Operating profit excluding items affecting comparability



Financial characteristics per operating segment

Operating segment	Key drivers for earnings	Characteristics of earnings and cash flow
Customers & Solutions	Difference in sourcing costs compared to sales price (gross margin) and development in the customer base	Track record of stable earnings
Power Generation	A function of spot price, generation volume, hedge ratio and hedge level	Large outright power price exposure is offset by hedging activites, thereby reducing volatility
Wind	A function of existing subsidies schemes rolling off, net new capacity added, the achieved power price rewarded to new capacity, technological development and synergies	Growing contribution on the back of new capacity
Heat	Mainly fuel costs/spreads and temperature effects/weather	New, partly subsidized, assets replacing older ones and thereby increasing the availability in combination with increased hedging activities contribute to less volatility than seen in last couple of years.
Distribution	Largely a function of regulatory asset base (RAB), regulatory WACC, and the efficiency of the operations	Stable





A strategy based on an "integrated utility logic"

To enable our goal of fossil-free living within one generation

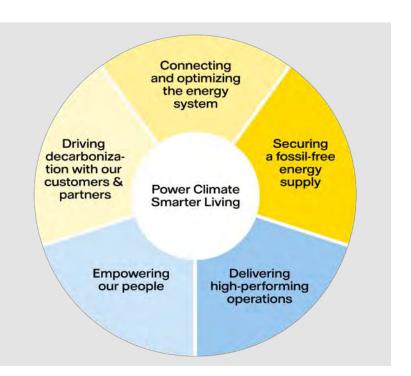
We believe being active in the whole value chain is strategically important:

It increases our competitive advantage in eg. wind auctions, by enabling stable revenues through Corporate PPAs with our customers

Access to renewable volumes on the customer side differentiates us from competitors as fossil-free electricity becomes more scarce

The ability to optimise dispatch across both customer loads and supply brings optimal value of a total portfolio

Diversifying and reducing total portfolio risk means lower cost of capital and an ability to take on more debt





Strategic targets 2025

Strategic focus area	Strategic targets to 2025	Actual 2022	Actual 2021	Progress	Comments
Driving decarbonisation with our customers & partners	Net Promoter Score ¹ (Absolute): +18	+16	+10	•	Higher NPS mainly owing to the Customers & Solutions operating segment with strong performance especially in Germany
Securing a fossil-free energy supply	CO ₂ Emissions Intensity³: ≤86 gCO2e/kWh	78	82	•	Improvement due to lower fossil-based generation
Empowering our people	Lost Time Injury Frequency (LTIF): ≤1.0	1.1	1.7	•	Improved results after initiatives to improve safety, including common H&S strategy and framework for follow-up throughout the organisation
	Employee Engagement Index: ≥75 %	80 ³	75	•	Outcome above target level after continued improved performance with more engaged employees
Delivering high-performing operations	FFO/Adjusted Net Debt: 22-27%	55.0%	171.2%	•	Above target interval as a result of continued strong underlying EBITDA
	ROCE: ≥8%	4.2%	22.2%	•	Outcome below target, mainly due to changes in market value of energy derivatives and inventories

¹ NPS absolute target is calculated with a weighting of 80% from Customers & Solutions and 20% from Heat resembling size of customer basis

² Targeting 86 gCO₂/kWh by 2025 puts us on a "1.5°C" trajectory by 2030 according to Science Based Target levels



³ Documentation for measurement of target achievement is derived from the results of an employee survey, which is conducted on an annual basis. Due to a change in the answering options in the survey, the results may differ by up to 3 p.p. in both directions

Financial targets

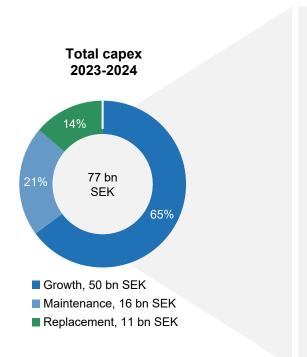
Financial targets	Targets over a business cycle ¹	FY 2022	FY 2021	Comments
Profitability	Return on capital employed: ≥8%²	4.2%	22.2%	Outcome below target, which was heavily impacted by temporary effects from changes in the fair value of energy derivatives and inventory.
Capital structure	FFO/adjusted net debt: 22%–27%	55.0%	171.2%	Above target interval as a result of continued strong underlying EBITDA. The metric continues to be positively affected by temporary decrease in adjusted net debt following a positive net change in margin calls received related to our price hedging.
Dividend policy	Dividend: 40%–70% of the year's profit after tax	SEK 4.0 bn	SEK 23.4 bn	

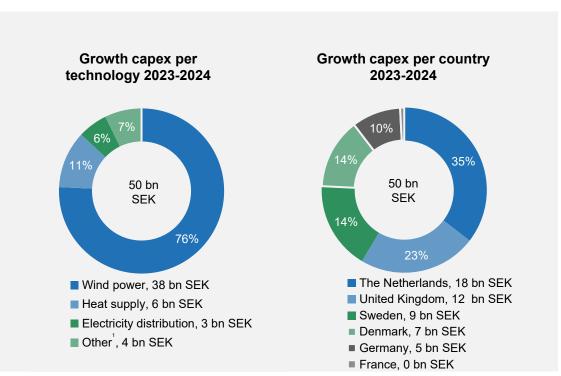
¹ Target for 2025



² The key ratio is based on EBIT and average capital employed

Investment plan 2023-2024





¹ Mainly charging solutions, solar and battery projects as well as heat and energy solutions



Major investment projects

Decided on and in progress¹

Project	Country	Туре	Capacity	Est. CO ₂ reduction ² (ktonnes)	Vattenfall's interest (%)	Completion	Total investment
Hollandse Kust Zuid ³	Netherlands	Wind offshore	1,500 MW	1,900	51	2023/24	2,600 MEUR
Vesterhav-projects ³	Denmark	Wind offshore	344 MW	200	100	2023	770 MEUR
South Kyle ³	United Kingdom	Wind onshore	240 MW	100	1004	2023	255 MGBP
Windplan Blauw³	Netherlands	Wind onshore	77 MW	70	100	2023	185 MEUR
Heat storage Reuter ³	Germany	Heat storage	2,750 MW	Na	100	2023	50 MEUR
A16 Klaverspoor ³	Netherlands	Wind onshore	34 MW	30	75	2023	45 MEUR
E-boiler Diemen	Netherlands	Power-to-Heat	150 MWth	Na	100	2024	45 MEUR
E-mobility – Netto	Germany	E-mobility	Na	Na	100	2025	85 MEUR

¹ All All numbers in the table reflect the status as per 31 December 2022.



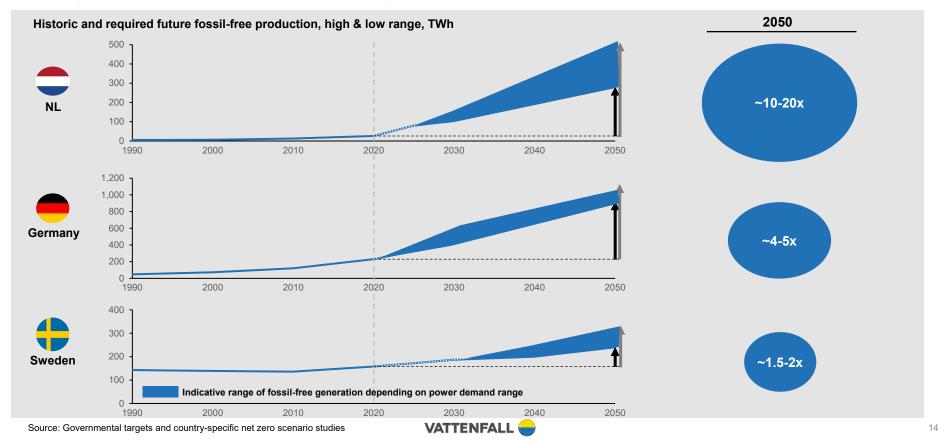
² Production from onshore wind estimated to 2.6 GWh/MW installed, from offshore wind to 3.5 GWh/MW installed, and from solar to 1.0 GWh/MW installed. Resulting production is compared against grid average emission factors which will decline over time as the energy system decarbonises. Actual production emission factors and savings will vary. Other projects are compared to project-specific reference cases.

³ The project is EU taxonomy-eligible and aligned.

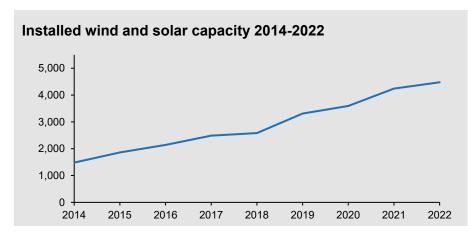
⁴ Agreement is in place for sale post-construction.

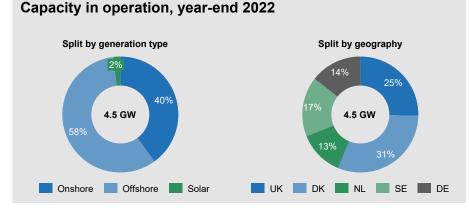
Rapidly growing demand for fossil-free power

Starting points in terms of current fossil-free generation differ widely across markets



Growing capacity of wind and solar power





- Continued growth in wind and solar: 4.5 GW installed capacity (6% growth year-over-year)
- Aim to strengthen project pipeline further by own development, bidding for, or acquiring additional attractive projects in wind and solar
- And continue to be industry-leading in Levelised Energy Cost (LEC)

Projects under construction and pipeline:

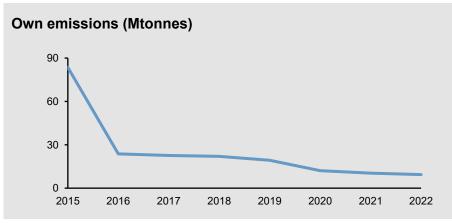
- ~2.2 GW Wind projects under construction
- ~5.9 GW Wind projects in mature-stage development
- >4 GW Solar projects in development
- >600 MW Batteries pipeline



Significant shift in production portfolio

With dramatic effects on our emissions profile





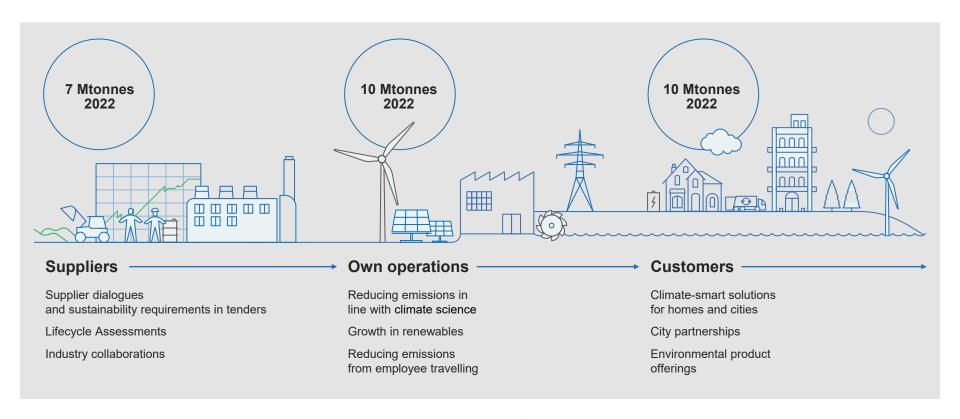
Milestones

- 2017 Phase out of lignite with closure of Klingenberg CHP plant in Berlin, Germany. Inauguration of Pen y Cymoedd onshore wind farm in Wales
- 2018 Phase out of peat in Uppsala, Sweden and the start of SamEnergi (third party integration of commercial heat surpluses to district heating networks)
- 2019 Closure of coal-fired Hemweg-8 power plant in Amsterdam (NL)
- 2020 Closure of coal-fired Moorburg power plant in Hamburg (DE) and opened Princess Ariane Wind Farm, the largest Dutch Onshore wind farm
- 2021 Kriegers Flak in Denmark operational as Scandinavia's largest wind farm
- 2022- Inauguration of Vattenfall's largest onshore wind farm, Blakliden Fäbodberget, in Sweden



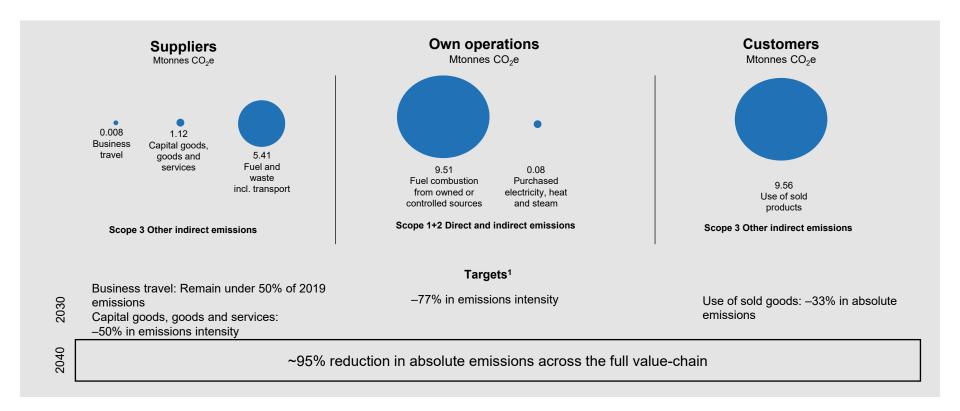
Cutting CO₂ emissions throughout the value chain

Examples of actions





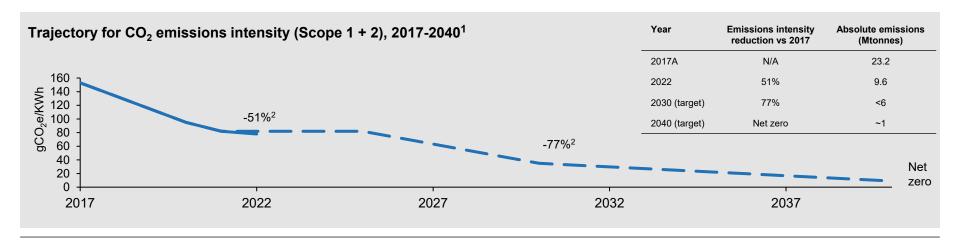
Current CO₂ emissions and reduction targets





The road to net zero emissions

Vattenfall's targets align with the 1.5°C-scenario according to the Science Based Target initiative (SBTi)



Key priorities

- · Complete phase-out of coal by 2030
- Ambition to commission four times our 2020 wind and solar capacity by 2030 → would bring Vattenfall's total commissioned capacity to over 16 GW
- Phase-out of natural gas requires a combination of all fossil-free technologies, such as biomass, waste heat, green hydrogen, large-scale heat pumps and heat storage
- Develop a carbon capture, storage, and utilisation solution for the biomass and waste plant in Uppsala, Sweden.



Governance



State Ownership

State Ownership Policy and principles for state-owned enterprises 2020

The Government's management mandate

Chapter 9, Article 8, of the Instrument of Government (IG) provides that, with certain exceptions, state assets are at the disposal of and administered by the Government. Under Chapter 9, Article 9 of IG, the Parliament (Riksdag) decides the principles for the administration and disposition of state assets. The Swedish Budget Act (2011:203) contains provisions on acquisition and transfer of property, including shares and participations in companies. Chapter 8, Section 3 of the Budget Act provides that the Government must not acquire shares or participations or increase the State's share of the voting power or ownership in a company in any other way without an authorisation from the Riksdag. Nor may the Government inject capital in a company without authorisation from the Riksdag. Moreover, Chapter 8, Section 4, second paragraph of the Swedish Budget Act provides that, without the authorisation of the Riksdag, the Government must not, by sale or other means, reduce the state holding in companies in which the State holds at least half of the votes for all shares or participations. In addition to what is stated in these provisions, the approval of the Riksdag is required for material changes in the business purposes of the state-owned enterprises. In contrast, dividend payments, for example, do not require a Riksdag decision since they form part of the ongoing investment management.

Targets and assignments for state-owned enterprises

In the articles of association the owner determines the business purpose of the enterprise's operations and certain specific limits for its operations. The business purpose of the operations of state-owned enterprises is based on decisions of the Riksdag. The articles of association for state-owned enterprises are based on the rules in the Companies Act for public limited companies whose shares are admitted to trading on a regulated market in Sweden, the Swedish Corporate Governance Code and the State Ownership Policy.

Owner instructions

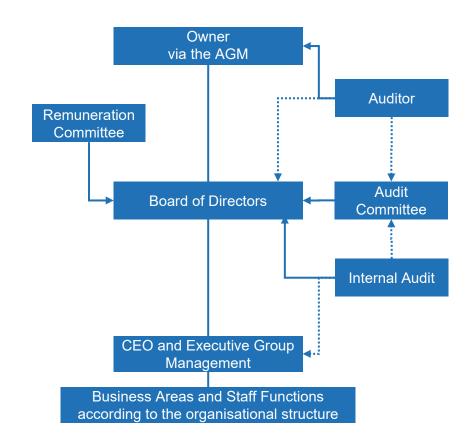
The owner gives instructions to the enterprise's board of directors in owner instructions. In state-owned enterprises, owner instructions are mainly used when an enterprise has a specifically adopted public policy assignment; receives budget appropriations; or is being restructured and also in the context of deregulation or other similar material changes. The content of owner instructions has to be relevant, specific and clear and is formalised rough decisions at general meetings. Where an assignment is given in owner instructions, the instructions have to state clearly how the assignment will be financed, reported and tracked.

Articles of Association

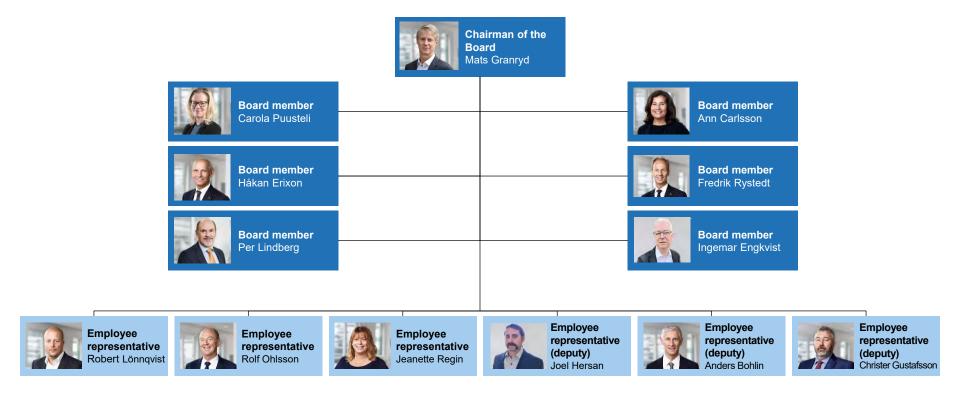
Vattenfall AB is wholly owned by the Swedish state. Through a general meeting resolution on the content of the Articles of Association, the shareholder (the owner) makes decisions on the company's operations. The Swedish state's ownership policy and the principles for state-owned companies are decided on at the General Meeting. In accordance with the Swedish state's ownership policy, the company's financial targets are also decided on by a general meeting.

The object for the Company's activities is to generate a market rate of return by, directly or indirectly through subsidiaries and associated companies:

- a. operating a commercial energy business that enables the company to be among the leaders in developing environmentally sustainable energy production,
- carry on trading with products and services within branches that are promoting, supporting or supplementing the energy business, mainly within the IT and telecom branches, as well as products and services related to subscription,
- c. carry on contracting and consulting activities mainly within the energy sector.
- d. own and administer real estate, shares and other securities associated to the aforesaid business activities.
- e. on behalf of the Group carry on capital and liquidity management operations and engage in trading securities, and carry on other activities consistent therewith-

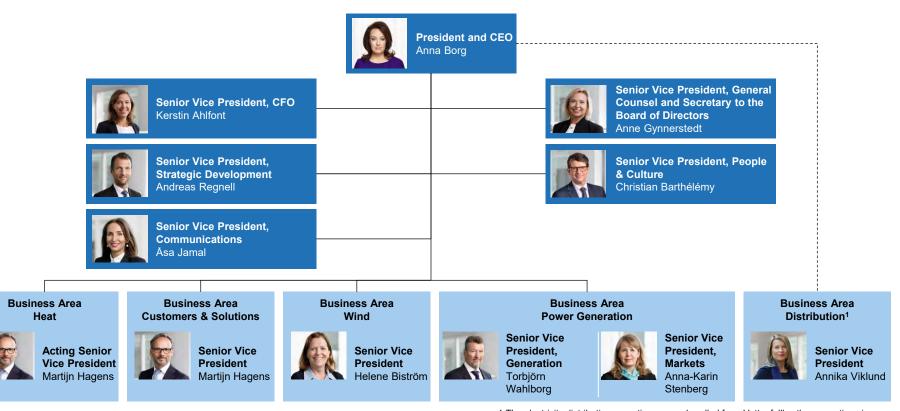


Vattenfall Board of Directors





Vattenfall Executive Group Management



For more info: see page 105-106 in the Annual- and Sustainability Report 2022



1 The electricity distribution operations are unbundled from Vattenfall's other operations in accordance with Swedish and British legislation. The head of Business Area distribution is therefore not a member of the EGM.

Customers & Solutions



Customers & Solutions

Providing sustainable energy solutions and services to retail and business customers

Overview

- Strong incumbent positions in core markets
- A growing customer base with high loyalty
- Strong expertise across the full energy value chain means that we can offer simple integrated solutions to satisfy increasingly sophisticated customer needs
- Brand perception on positive trend according to several surveys
- Well-developed IT infrastructure keeps operations cost-effective
- Our public charging network InCharge is one of the largest in northern Europe

Highlights



10.9 million customer contracts in Europe



93.5 TWh of electricity sold in 2022



39,600 connected charging points for electric vehicles



Key data		
	FY 2022	FY 2021
Net sales (SEK bn)	183.2	106.6
External net sales (SEK bn)	174.0	102.3
Underlying EBIT ¹ (SEK bn)	7.4	2.3
Sales of electricity (TWh)	93.5	96.1
- of which, private customers	27.1	26.8
- of which, resellers	20.7	7.9
- of which, business customers	45.7	61.4
Sales of gas (TWh)	46.4	56.0
Net Promoter Score (NPS) ²	+16	+10

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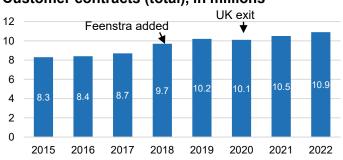
² NPS is a tool for measuring customer loyalty and for gaining an understanding of customers' perceptions of Vattenfall's products and services. Weighted 80% from Customers & Solutions and 20% from Heat

Customers & Solutions

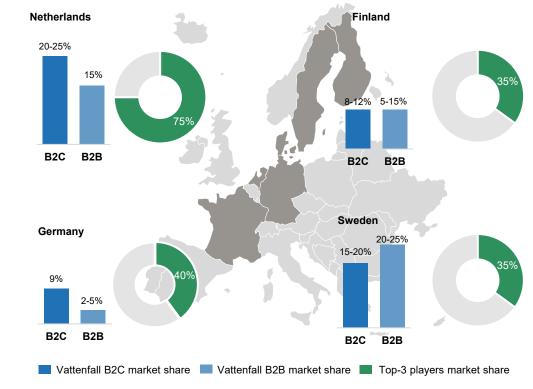
Market overview

- Customers & Solutions supplies electricity, gas and energy solutions to retail and business customers, with 10.9 million customer contracts
- We are one of the market leaders in the retail and business segments in Sweden (~0.9 million)¹ electricity contracts) and in the Netherlands (3.7 million¹ electricity and gas contracts)
- In Germany we supply electricity and gas to retail customers (4.7 million¹ contracts) and to businesses. In Berlin and Hamburg, we are the market leader in the electricity retail segment
- In Denmark, Finland and France our position is that of a challenger in sales of electricity and in France also of gas.

Customer contracts (total), in millions



Vattenfall and top-3 players market share, main markets





E-mobility – Charging the road to fossil freedom

Vattenfall InCharge is active in the full value chain of e-mobility – from infrastructure to connected services

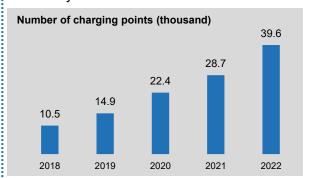


Vattenfall InCharge is owned by Vattenfall and serves the full value chain of e-mobility charging. We have established ourselves as one of the leading charge point operators in Europe. We are offering everything from infrastructure and hardware installation to software and connected services – all backed up with expertise and advice.

In close collaboration with government officials and planners, Vattenfall InCharge makes it easier for cities to become greener and cleaner. Businesses, large and small, housing associations and estates, as well as private homeowners all have flexible options to choose from our portfolio.

The e-mobility market is rapidly developing, and new players are shaping their roles in the value chain. With our positioning, Vattenfall InCharge contributes significantly to the electrification of European transport.

We have a strong footprint in the public charging infrastructure market in the Netherlands, are the most important e-mobility service provider in Sweden and entered important business partnerships in Germany.







Power Generation



Power Generation

One of Europe's largest providers of fossil-free electricity

Overview

- Largest segment by power production volume in Vattenfall, contributing to our position as Europe's second largest provider of fossil-free electricity
- Century-long roots in hydro power and a leading position in Sweden's hydro power development
- Major owner of nuclear power with vast experience of nuclear operations, decommissioning and management of radioactive waste and spent nuclear fuel
- One of the leading energy trading companies in Europe offering reliable, responsible and flexible access to all relevant commodity wholesale markets
- Sourcing of gas, biomass and carbon credits for Vattenfall and third parties
- Maximising value and managing risk by optimising and dispatching as well as hedging of Vattenfall's assets and sales positions
- Proprietary trading within the risk mandate set by Vattenfall's Board of Directors
- Offer PPAs to renewable asset owners and offer fossilfree energy to large customers
- Responsible for Sweden's leading maintenance service business in the energy sector

Highlights



5.5 GW nuclear power



11.5 GW hydro power



9.1 GW managed capacity of renewable generation assets



Laxede power plant, Sweden

Key data		
	FY 2022	FY 2021
Net sales (SEK bn)	205.8	126.3
External net sales (SEK bn)	28.2	40.3
Underlying EBIT¹ (SEK bn)	16.6	19.3
Electricity generation (TWh)	80.1	81.2
- of which, nuclear	39.6	40.4
- of which, hydro	40.5	40.8
Customer sales of electricity (TWh)	15.6	22.2
- of which, resellers	13.8	17.5
- of which, business customers	1.8	4.7

Nuclear power

Vattenfall's nuclear power plants

- Vattenfall owns eleven nuclear reactors. Seven reactors are located in Sweden (four at Ringhals, three at Forsmark), and four in Germany (Brunsbüttel, Krümmel and minority stakes in Brokdorf and Stade)
- Five of our reactors are in commercial operation in Sweden
- Our last operational nuclear asset in Germany, Brokdorf, was decommissioned at year-end 2021
- Vattenfall's power generation in 2021 amounted to 40.4 TWh (39.3). Combined availability was 84.8% (76.4%)



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Nuclear Power Plant list									
Nuclear Power Plant	Country	Installed Capacity (MW)	Vattenfall ownership share	Co-Owners	Commission Year	Final operating year	Operation status	Decommissioning status	
Ringhals	Sweden	3,967	70.4%	Sydkraft Nuclear Power AB (29.6%)	Ringhals 1: 1976; Ringhals 2: 1975; Ringhals 3: 1981; Ringhals 4: 1983	Ringhals 2: 2019; Ringhals 1: 2020	In operation	Ringhals 1 & 2: Shutdown, in pre decommissioning planning	
Forsmark	Sweden	3,271	66.0%	E.ON (8.5%) and Mellansvensk Kraftgrupp (25.5%)	Forsmark 1: 1980; Forsmark 2: 1981; Forsmark 3: 1985	-	In operation	-	
Brunsbüttel	Germany	771	66.7%	E.ON (33.3%)	1977	2007	Offline	Decommissioning mode	
Krümmel	Germany	1,346	50.0%	E.ON (50.0%)	1984	2011	Offline	Planned to initiate decommissioning in 2021	
Stade	Germany	640	33.3%	PreussenElektra GmbH (66.7%)	1972	2003	Offline	Undergoing decommissioning since Oct 2005	
Brokdorf	Germany	1,410	20.0%	PreussenElektra GmbH (80.0%)	1986	2021	Offline	Decommissioned in 2021	



The financing system for post-operational nuclear costs

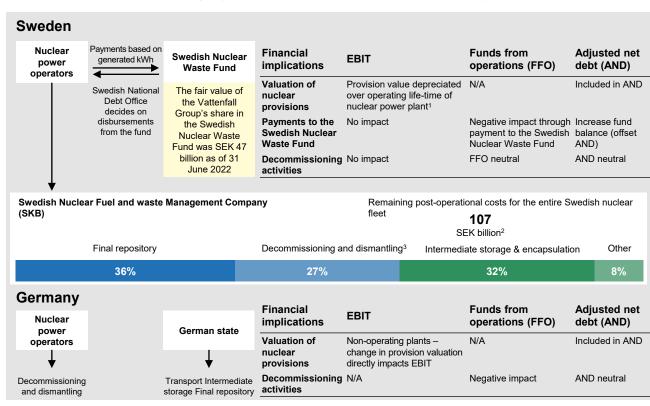
Financial implications of the various steps in the financing systems in Sweden and Germany

In Sweden

Nuclear power plant owners in Sweden are obligated to finance the costs for dismantling and management of spent nuclear fuel. The financing is handled by payment of fees for each generated kWh to the Swedish Nuclear Waster Fund, which manages paid-in funds. The fund also reimburses owner for the payment to SKB (responsible for long term safe-handling of radioactive waste) meeting the obligation based on Swedish law.

In Germany

Following the nuclear accident in Fukushima, Japan in 2011, Germany's government decided to shut down all the 17 nuclear power plants by 2022. The German state took over the responsibility for interim and final storage of low and intermediate level spent nuclear fuel in 2017, funded by the contributions that the NPP operators paid to state-controlled fund. The German Federal Council must agree on a suitable location for permanent storage of spent nuclear fuel by 2031 and final repository by 2050. The spent nuclear fuel and radioactive waste must be stored in interim storage close to the nuclear power plant.



¹ For reactors no longer in operation, nuclear provisions has an immediate effect on EBIT



 $^{^{\}rm 3}$ Decommissioning and dismantling are the responsibility of the nuclear power operators and are not included in SKB's operations

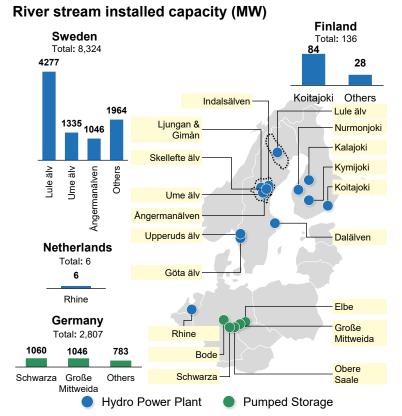
² Remaining costs based on plan 2022, to be decided by the government end of 2023

Hydro power

Hydro overview

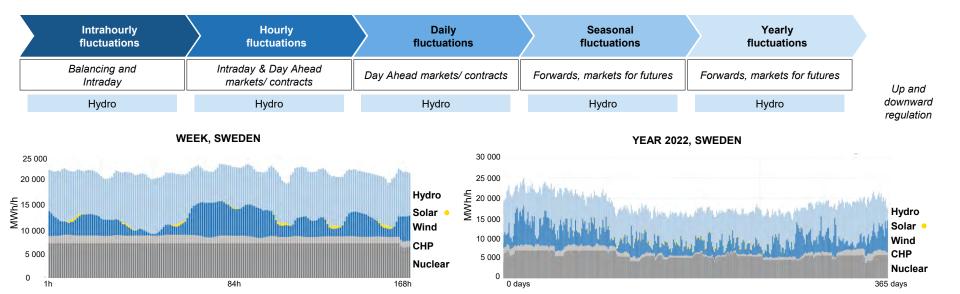
- We own and operate hydro power plants, most of which are located in Sweden (79 sites). Additional sites
 are located in Germany (pumped storage, 8 sites), Finland (9 sites) and the Netherlands (1 site). In 2020,
 Vattenfall's hydro power capacity of 11.5 GW generated 40.9 TWh (39.7)
- In response to the increasing value of dispatchable production, investments in our hydro power stations
 have focused on refurbishments and upgrades that increase availability and flexibility. We are also
 undertaking a number of initiatives to reduce the negative effects of hydro power on ecosystems and
 biodiversity

Ma	Major Hydro Power Plants									
	Project	Turbine Type	Installed Capacity (MW)	Country	River	Vattenfall ownership share	Commission Year			
L	Harsprånget	Francis	871	Sweden	Lule älv	100%	1951			
Power	Letsi	Francis	486	Sweden	Lule älv	100%	1967			
6	Messaure	Francis	463	Sweden	Lule älv	100%	1963			
Hydro	Porjus	Francis	430	Sweden	Lule älv	100%	1915			
	Stornorrfors	Francis	604	Sweden	Ume älv	75%	1958			
storage	Goldisthal	Francis/Ossberger	1,060	Germany	Schwarza	100%	2004			
Pumped st	Markersbach	Francis/Ossberger	1,046	Germany	Große Mittweida	100%	1981			
Pun	Hohenwarte II	Francis	320	Germany	Obere Saale	100%	1966			





The inherent flexibility of Vattenfall's hydro power visualised

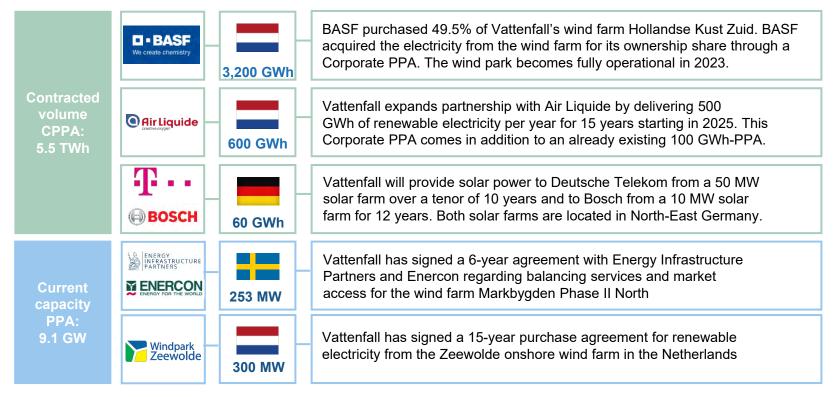


Flexible hydro power hydro power plays an instrumental role in the decarbonisation of the energy system

The intensified focus on climate change and CO2 emissions has contributed to significant growth in installed capacity of renewable energy sources. However, the intermittent nature of these energy sources makes it more challenging to balance the energy system. Flexible hydro power offers its huge reservoirs of stored water as a giant "green" battery. This capacity can be increased by upgrading existing plants and building new pumped storage plants.

Major deals on Corporate PPAs and PPAs

During 2022 our contracted volume has increased to 5.5 TWh of renewable electricity (Corporate PPAs).





Wind



Wind

One of the biggest renewable energy players in Europe

Overview

- Strong position within Offshore Wind with an extensive pipeline
- A pioneer within Offshore Wind from the outset and a leader in the reduction of levelised cost of energy
- One of the largest producers of Onshore Wind power in Denmark and the Netherlands
- Highly experienced team managing all key processes with close supplier collaboration along the value chain
- Strong platform and project execution track record
- Reputation as a trustworthy partner helps securing financing and off-takers
- Front-runner on innovative solutions within Solar PV & Batteries such as co-location with wind farms and shared infrastructure

Highlights



3.1 GW installed Offshore Wind capacity



1.9 GW installed Onshore Wind capacity



~4.5 GW Solar PV pipeline



~694 MW Batteries pipeline



Blakliden Fäbodberget, Scandinvia's largest onshore wind farm to date

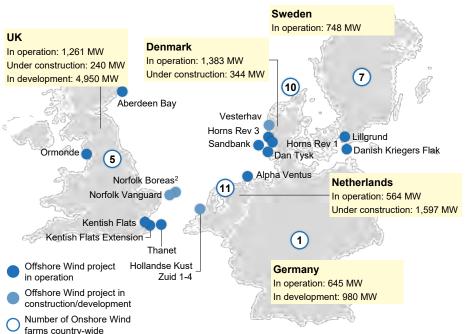
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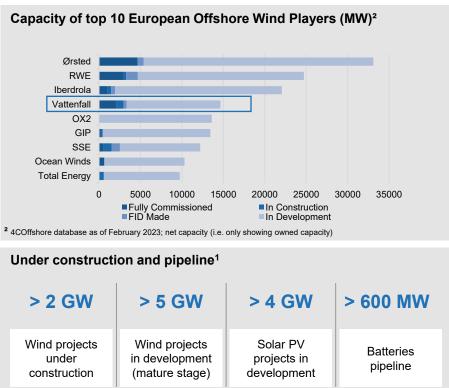
	FY 2022	FY 2021
Net sales (SEK bn)	29.1	20.9
External net sales (SEK bn)	4.3	7.8
Underlying EBIT ¹ (SEK bn)	16.5	7.9
Electricity generation (TWh)	12.2	11.2

A leader in the European renewables transition

Strong position within Offshore Wind and extensive European pipeline ahead

Geographical overview – we develop, construct and operate Wind and Solar PV farms in our core European markets¹



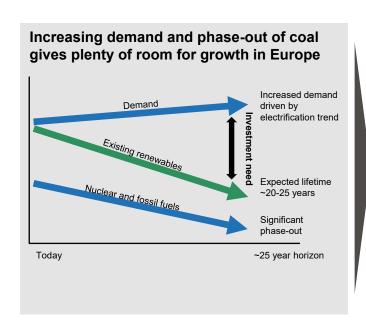


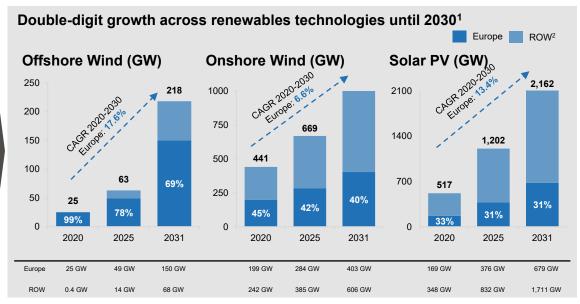
¹ As of March 2023



Europe continues to be a highly attractive growth market

Despite significant ramp-up in renewables, much more growth is expected in the coming decade





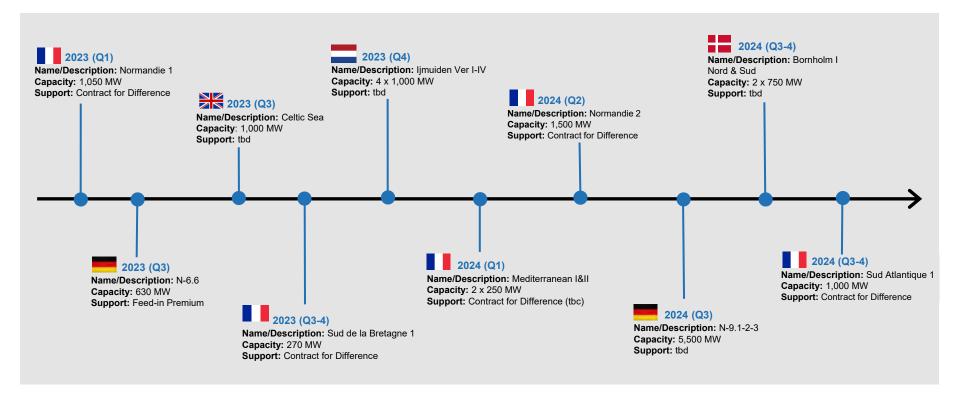


¹ Source: Wood Mackenzie, cumulated capacity

² ROW excludes China

Pipeline of opportunities supports Vattenfall ambitions

Several upcoming offshore wind tenders in relevant markets*



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Accelerate fossil-free living with the power of wind and solar

Hollandse Kust Zuid 3&4 Second "zero-subsidy" Offshore Wind tender win (760 MW)



South Kyle
FID for one of the largest
Onshore Wind farms in the UK
(240 MW)



Kogel
First large-scale Solar PV
farm in Germany
commissioned (30 MW)



Danish Kriegers Flak Commissioning of Scandinavia's largest Offshore Wind farm (605 MW)



Blakliden Fäbodberget
Commissioning of
Scandinavia's largest
Onshore Wind farm (353 MW)



2018



Haringvliet
First hybrid project started
(Onshore Wind + Solar PV
+ Battery)

2019



Aberdeen Bay Deployment of most powerful, commercially available WTG (8.8 MW)

2020



Prinses Ariane
Commissioning of largest
Dutch Onshore Wind farm
(301 MW)





Hollandse Kust Zuid 1-4
Divestment of 49% of the project (1.5 GW) to industrial partner BASF



2022

Haringvliet
Commissioning of first hybrid
project (Onshore Wind +
Solar PV + Battery)



Examples of partnership structures within wind and solar











DanTysk and Sandbank (DE)

Status: in operation

Specs: Offshore Wind (288 + 288 MW)

Partner: Stadtwerke

München

Deal structure: jointly owned subsidiary (Vattenfall share: 51%) that constructed and now operates the wind farm.

Coevorden (NL)

Status: in operation

Specs: Solar PV (7 MW)

Partner: Patronale

Deal structure: sale of 100% stake in operating

Solar PV farm.

Blakliden/Fäbodberget (SE)

Status: in operation

Specs: Onshore Wind

(353 MW)

Partners: Vestas and

PKA

Deal structure: sale of 70% stake before construction. In addition, ~60% of the production is covered in 20-year PPA (with Norsk Hydro).

South Kyle (UK)

Status: under construction

Specs: Onshore Wind

(240 MW)

Partner: Greencoat UK

Wind

Deal structure: sale upon completion and operation of the wind farm for a minimum of 10 years. Vattenfall will also purchase the power for a period of 15 years.

Hollandse Kust Zuid (NL)

Status: under construction

Specs: Offshore Wind

(1,500 MW)

Partners: BASF and

Allianz

Deal structure: sale of 49.5% stake in post-FID

project.



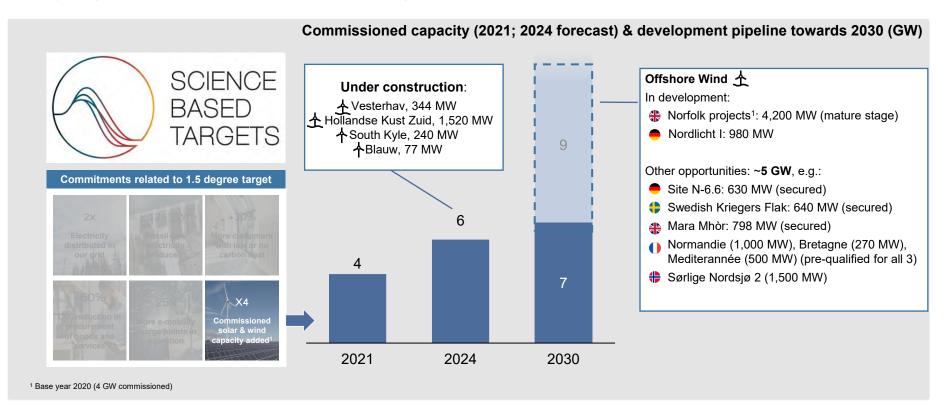
Overview of current regulatory regimes

Country	Name	Founding year/ Status/Technology	ogy	Overview	Time period
	Contracts for Difference (CfD)	Founding year: - Status: in force Eligible technology:		 A settlement price is guaranteed to the Offshore power provider. The support is based on the difference between agreed and market price If market price is lower than the agreed price, the project owner receives the support. If the market price is higher than the agreed price, the profit is divided between the project owner and the government 	Maximum of 20 years (after the wind farm has been connected to the grid)
	Feed-in premium	Founding year: 2009 Status: in force Eligible technology:		 Since 2020, all onshore solar and wind run at merchant risk. However, projects before 2020 receives subsidies equivalent to the difference between the spot market price and the fixed support income. Vattenfall has disinvested from onshore wind and solar development. Four existing onshore wind farms receive subsidies. 	Depends on the type of technology and date of commissioning
	Contracts for Difference (CfD)	Founding year: 2014 Status: in force Eligible technology:	-1-	 A Contract for Difference (CfD) is a private law contract between a renewable electricity generator and the CfD counterparty – Low Carbon Contracts Company (LCCC) The CfD is based on a difference between the market price and an agreed "strike price" If strike price > market price: The CfD counterparty must pay the difference between the two to the generator If strike price < market price: The generator must pay the difference between the two to the CfD counterparty 	CfD contracts are awarded fo a period of 15 years, index linked to CPI
	MEP ¹ / SDE+/ SDE++	Founding year: 2011 Status: in force Eligible technology ² :		 Provides a feed-in-premium subsidy that covers the financial gap between the cost of the subsidised sustainable technology and the cost of the fossil alternative, e.g. difference between wholesale electricity prices and cost of electricity from renewable sources The budget is based on an auction system, where the lowest bidder receives the premium Total budget of SDE++ 2022: at least € 8 billion 2022: lifting of the overall 35 TWh subsidy ceiling for renewable electricity in 2030. 	Premium is paid for a period of up to 15 years
	EEG	Founding year: - Status: in force Eligible technology:	<u>*</u>	 Several models deployed over the years. Prior to 2017, FIT system. This has now been replaced with a tendering process (prices set by competitive auctions) where projects receive contracts to sell the produced electricity at the bid price Bids are based on floating market premium Market Premium: reference value of the respective renewable energy plant minus its technology-specific market value 	Market premium is paid for a period of 20 years
•	The Electricity Certificate System	Founding year: 2003 Status: in force Eligible technology:	** ***********************************	 The demand for certificates is regulated by a quota system, which is fixed in proportion to total electricity use (energy intensive industry is exempted) The electricity producer receives a certificate for each MWh from renewable sources and sells it to electricity consumers on the open market Since December 2021, the Electricity Certificate system is closed for new plants. 	The system will be entirely closed down by 2036
	Contracts for Difference (CfD)	Founding year: 2010 Status: in force Eligible technology:		 A Contract for Difference (CfD) is in place and is based on a difference between the market price and an agreed "strike price" If strike price > market price: State must pay the difference to the producer If Strike price < market price: Producer must pay the difference to the State 	20 years, partially indexed on labour and industrial production



Pipeline of opportunities supports Vattenfall's ambitions

Many projects in pipeline and several upcoming tenders in relevant markets



¹ Vattenfall has stopped the current development of Norfolk Boreas



Wind & Solar - Installed capacity (MW¹) H1 2023

	Solar	Onshore	Offshore	Total
United Kingdom	0	575	686	1 261
Denmark	0	213	1 170	1 383
The Netherlands	75	490	499	1 064
Sweden	0	638	110	748
Germany	2	7	636	645
Total (MW)	77	1 923	3 102	5 102



United Kingdom - ROC schem	е
Thanet	300
Ormonde (51%)	150
Aberdeen	97
Kentish Flats	90
Kentish Flats Extension	50
Pen Y Cymoedd	228
South Kyle	192
Ray	54
Edinbane	41
Clashindarroch	37
Swinford	22
Installed capacity (MW)	1 261
Sweden - certificate scheme	
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ie	Denmark – FIT scheme	
300	Kriegers Flak	605
150	Horns Rev 3	407
97	Horns Rev 1 (60%)	158
90	Klim (98%)	67
50	Nørrekær Enge 1 (99%)	30
228	Rejsby Hede	23
192	Hagesholm	23
54	Nørre Økse Sø	17
41	Tjæreborg Enge	17
37	Bajlum (89%)	15
22	DræbyFed	9
1 261	Ejsing (97%)	7
	Lyngmose	5
	Installed capacity (MW)	1 383
353		
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78	Germany – EEG scheme	
67	DanTysk (51%)	288
38	Sandbank (51%)	288
37	alpha ventus (26%)	60
36	Westküste (20%)	7
29	Decentral Solar installations	2

Installed capacity (MW)

645

Donmark EIT cohome

stalled capacity (MW)	565
Decentral Solar installations	25
Symbizon	1
Diemen	1
Hemweg	2
Velsen	2
Eemshaven	6
Oudendijk	5
Oom Kees (12%)	6
Echteld	8
Irene Vorrink	17
Eemmeerdijk	17
Nij Hiddum Houw	19
Haringvliet	22
Moerdijk	27
Slufterdam	29
A16 / Klaverspoor	34
Haringvliet	38
Princess Alexia	122
Princess Ariane	184
Hollandse Kust Zuid	499

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Capacity in operation: total capacity of the wind farms that Vattenfall has an ownership in. Minority shares included as 100%



Main projects in our 5 core countries

Country	Name	Capacity (MW)	Support scheme	Awarded	Duration of support	Owner- ship (%)	Commission- ing	Current status
NL	Hollandse Kust Zuid 1-4	1,520	-	Χ	-	51	2023	Commissioning ongoing, Partnering with BASF
DK	Vesterhav	344	FΙΤ	Χ	50.000hrs	100	2023/2024	Under construction
UK	South Kyle	240	-	N/A	_	100	2023	Commissioning completed but taking over process ongoing
NL	Windplan Blauw	77	SDE+	Χ	15 yrs	100	2023	Under construction
SE	Battery@Ray	55	-		_	100	2023	Under construction
UK	Battery@Toledo	20	-		-	100	2023	Under construction
In constr	uction	2,236						
UK	Norfolk projects	4,200	CfD		15 yrs	100	n.a.	Vattenfall has stopped the current development of Norfolk Boreas
UK	Scotwind	750	CfD			50	2030	Under development with consenting and permitting progressing to ensure participation in the CfD bid, JV with Fred Olsen
DE	Nordlicht 1 (N 7.2)	980	-		-	100	2029	Development rights received in September 2022, FID planned for 2025
In develo	pment (in mature stage)	5,930						



Onshore



Batteries



Heat



Heat

One of Europe's leading players in district heating

Overview

- One of Europe's leading players in district heating
- Building and operating district heating assets and grids in 4 countries and ~ 25 cities
- · Solid, semi-regulated revenue streams
- Attractive growth prospects supported by urbanisation trend and increasing regulatory support for low carbon heating
- Considerable contributions to realise carbon reduction plans/target of cities where we operate heat assets/networks
- Heat generation & distribution systems are a platform to integrate other energy solutions, e.g. cooling, energy from waste, wind and solar

Highlights



~ 5,600 km heat grids in operation



~ 10 GW heat capacity



~ 4.5 GW electricity capacity



~ 2 million heat related end customers



< 0.5% churn rate



Key data

	FY 2022	FY 2021
Net sales (SEK bn)	60.5	34.8
External net sales (SEK bn)	20.9	14.7
Underlying EBIT ¹ (SEK bn)	-3.6	-0.3
Electricity generation (TWh)	16.6	19.0
Sales of heat (TWh)	14.1	15.6





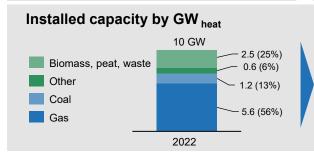
Heat

Overview of markets and installed capacity

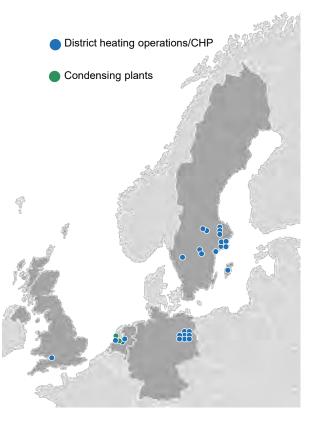
The Heat operating segment includes VF's heating & condensing businesses. Our core business is district heating, where we have growing end customer base in metropolitan areas like Berlin, Amsterdam, Uppsala & London. In the UK, Vattenfall has secured several contracts to supply low carbon district heating and help decarbonise the real estate sector. The condensing business consists of gas-fired power plants in the Netherlands.

Heat cluster 2022					
	Heat (TWh)	Power (TWh)			
Germany	9.3	5.7			
Sweden	3.0	0.2			
Netherlands	1.6	-			
Total	13.9	5.9			

Condensing cluster 2022					
	Heat (TWh)	Power (TWh)			
Netherlands		10.3			
Total		10.3			

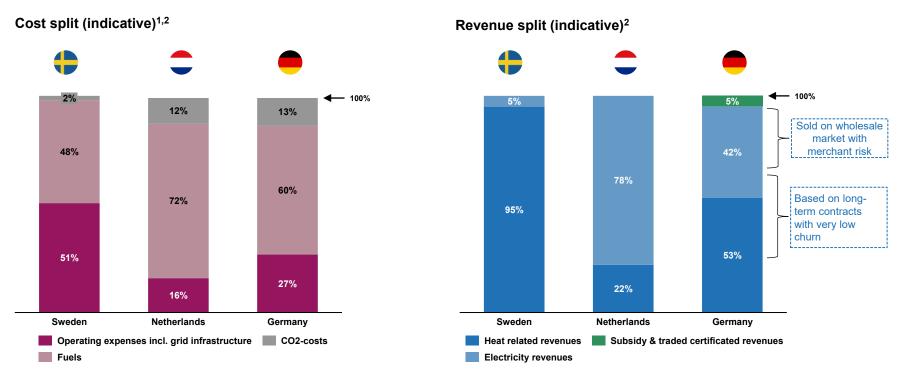


Transformation into fossil-free heat supply by 2040



District heating & condensing revenue and cost structure

Business model differs per country – in Sweden stable heat revenues account for 95% of the total



¹ SWE: including Heat SWE, Heat Projects SWE, BA Staff SWE | NL: including Heat NL, Condensing NL, Heat Projects NL, BA Staff NL | GER: including Heat Berlin, Heat Projects GER, BA Staff GER



² Split as of average 2020-2022

Political recognition for district heating across our markets

District heating can be an attractive option for cities to decarbonise their building sectors

As of 2023-03-22



"Fit for -55% package" mostly finalized by end of 2023 and handover for national transposition 2030 climate target: -55% net GHG4 emission (compared to 1990 levels); 2050 target: EU-wide climate neutrality |

Increased requirements for heating/cooling and buildings sector: share of renewables, phase out fossil fuels incl. natural gas, demand reduction/energy efficiency | energy system integration; heat from RES-based power-to-heat expected to be countable, generally positive perception for district heating and cooling (focus renewable sources and waste heat); avoid "lock in" of gas -> 100% climate neutral/hydrogen ready CHP); Hydrogen one priority area; CO₂ pricing; slow recognition of CHP necessary for delivering plannable capacity for volatile electricity system.

	Market maturity ¹	Political support	Competitiveness	Concession based	Price setting (heat)	Typical customer contract length
N N	Young	Low carbon district heating market share 20% by 2030 in metropolitan areas² (3% today)	Highly competitive once plans to mandate district heating for new build are put in place allied with stronger government focus on district heating as a key net zero enabler	Mainly yes, (e.g. for Brent Cross South > 40 years)	Price escalation formula for heat	30 years
	Mature + Transition to fossil free	Prolonged CHP production support / subsidies Green heat funding program approved by EU	Highly competitive Low primary energy factor for new houses Reliable and comfortable delivery of city heating	No	Price escalation formula for heat	up to 10 years
	Mature + Transition to fossil free	Natural gas phase out boosts renewable district heating. Subsidy schemes for renewable heat sources and connecting existing buildings	Competitive pricing against natural gas due to Heat Act, but because of the connection costs it's normally still cheaper to stick to the gas boiler. However, the current energy crisis (with rising and falling gas prices) affects the competitiveness of district heating. Competitive in relation to heat pumps.	Mainly concession based, a typical term is then 30 years ³	Heat supply via district heating has to be cheaper (or equal) than pure gas-fueled boiler solutions. Other (maximum) tariffs are based on average sector costs	15-25 years
	Mature (already fossil free)	Supportive but few special incentives	Competitive position that is being challenged by heat pumps	No	No heat price regulation	Until further notice

¹ Referring to how established the technology is on the market and the future growth prospects



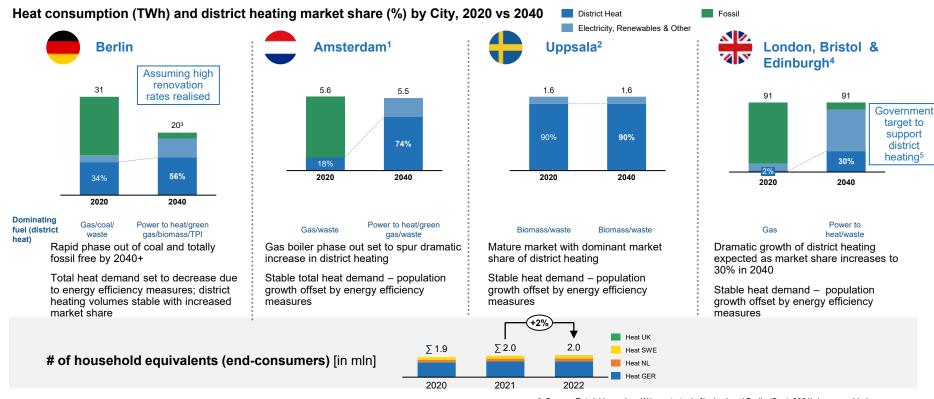
³ The other type of contract is the heat delivery contract. Contracts are then building-specific with a typical contract length of 10 years

² District heating market share of 30% in metropolitan areas follows governmental goal to reach low carbon heat supply by 17% district heating UK wide

⁴ GHG: greenhouse gas emissions

District heating volumes set to increase significantly in Amsterdam and the UK...

... with a stable trend in Berlin and Uppsala as population growth is offset by energy efficiency measures



¹ Simplified to reflect connections in Amsterdam/Almere (= 70% of Heat Netherlands); Source for 2040: Study by Municipality of Amsterdam



³ Source: Entwicklung einer Wärmestrategie für das Land Berlin (Sept. 2021), here considering building efficiency increase of 2% p.a.

² Simplified reflecting Uppsala demand (= 42% of Heat Sweden supply)

⁴ First cities VF has entered the Heat UK market | ⁵ District heating market share of 30% in metropolitan 52 areas follows governmental goal to reach low carbon heat supply by 17% district heating UK wide

Overview of largest heat and condensing plants

Germany					
Power and heat plants	Fuel	Capacity heat (MW)	Capacity electricity (MW)		
Marzahn	6	915	264		
Reuter West	Ö	840	564		
Klingenberg	0	760	164		
Mitte	8	680	457		
Lichterfelde	۵.	605	300		
Moabit	₽0	301	123		
Charlottenburg	<u>@</u> _	300	146		
Reuter	.iii (6	219	36		
Scharnhorststraße	Ø	162	1		
Wilmersdorf	Ø .	120	0		
Märkisches Viertel	Φ0	117	7		
Buch	Ø	116	13		
Lange Enden	0000000000	110	4		
Köpenick	Ø	49	11		
Treptow	Ø	40	0		
Altglienicke	Ø	31	1		
Friedrichshagen	Ø	28	1		
Blankenburger Straße	0	23	1		

The Netherlands					
Power and heat plants	Fuel	Capacity heat (MW)	Capacity electricity (MW)		
Diemen	0	815	684		
Almere	6	517	0		
A'dam South East	6	445	0		
WPW	Ø ;iii	439	0		
Arnhem	Ø, iii.	215	0		
Leiden	0	157	0		
Rotterdam	1111	145	0		
Velsen	Ø	105	978		
Nijmegen	٥, ⁴⁴	85	0		
Lelystad	QΦ	51	0		
Hemweg	6	0	440		

Power and heat plants	Fuel	Capacity heat (MW)	Capacity electricity (MW)
Jppsala	Φ	814	0
Drefviken	δ	326	19
Nyköping	Δ	185	35
Vänersborg	Ď	80	0
Motala	Φ	65	4
Ludvika	Φ	50	0
Gotland Visby	Φ	44	155

United Kingdom						
Power and heat plants	Fuel	Capacity heat (MW)	Capacity electricity (MW)			
Castle Park	♦	6	0			
Broughton House	0 0	5	0			
100 Temple St	Ø	4	1			
Gardiner Haskins	Ø	4	0			
Caynage House	0	4	0			

















Distribution



Distribution

Leading owner and operator of electricity distribution grids in Sweden

Overview

- Largest operator of regional electricity distribution grids in Sweden and top-3 position in local grids
- Regulated business with stable demand
- Enabler of the energy transition by connecting renewable production to the grid
- Demand set to grow Vattenfall grids are located in areas with population growth and strong demand for industrial electrification
- High operational efficiency compared to industry average

Highlights



~1 000 000 household and business customers



~139,000 km of electricity grids



SEK 5.5 billion in investments 2022



SEK 68 billion RAB 2022



Key data		
	FY 2022	FY 2021 ⁴
Net sales (SEK bn)	12.5	17.3
External net sales (SEK bn)	11.7	14.6
Underlying EBIT ¹ (SEK bn)	2.1	3.2
Investments (SEK bn)	5.5	5.8
SAIDI ² (minutes/customer)	157	112
SAIFI ³ (number/customer)	2.08	1.75
RAB	68	58



¹ Operating profit excluding items affecting comparability

² SAIDI: System Average Interruption Duration Index

³ SAIFI: System Average Interruption Frequency Index

⁴ Including Stromnetz Berlin GmbH which was sold 1 July 2021

Distribution

Market and business overview

In brief

- Vattenfall's Distribution business owns and operates electricity distribution grids in Sweden.
- Approximately 1 000 000 business and household customers¹
- A new business unit for operation and ownership of new grids in the UK was established in 2017. Vattenfall is one out of 14 established IDNOs⁴ in the UK
- On 1 July 2021, Vattenfall sold the electricity grid company Stromnetz Berlin GmbH to the State of Berlin
- In early 2021, Vattenfall entered the Dutch and Danish markets and the first Poweras-a-Service deals have now been signed

Market shares, Sweden

	Customers local grids	Markets share regional grid ²	Market share local grid ³
Vattenfall ¹	901,000	54%	16%
Ellevio	968,000	24%	17%
E.ON	1,040,000	22%	19%



¹ Excluding Vattenfall's subsidiaries Gotlands Elnät and Västerbergslagens Elnät

² Based on volume of transited energy excluding grid losses

³ Based on number of contracts

⁴ Independent Distribution Network Operator

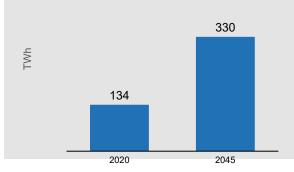
Energy transition to spur dramatic growth in electricity demand in Sweden

Electrification, growth in renewable production capacity and ageing assets call for large grid investments

Electricity demand set to grow due to electrification and new electricity intensive businesses

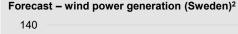
- Electrification of industry and transports to increase total electricity demand
- New businesses such as data centres and battery factories are also likely to have a significant impact
- Efficiency improvements in the residential sector only have a small mitigating effect on total demand

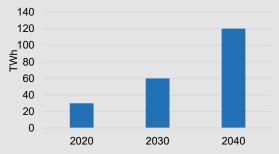
Forecast - Total electricity demand (Sweden)¹



Installed wind capacity continues to grow

- More and more capacity will be intermittent and decentralised
- Wind production is set to continue the growth in Sweden, mainly in the North and off the coast in Southern Sweden which increases the need for grid capacity

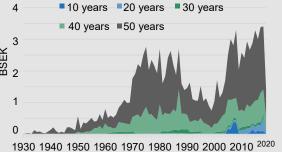




Existing grid assets are increasingly in need of reinvestments

- There was a large build out of grid assets in 1970-1990. These assets are now reaching the age when they need to be reinvested in
- This is on top of the need to make new investments in the grid to accommodate more renewable energy and electrification







¹ Source: Energiforsk, Visualisering av Sveriges framtida elanvändning och effektbehov, 2023 Source: Svensk vindenergi, Färdplan 2040, Dec 2020

³ Asset base per 2020-01-01

Financial performance

H1 2023



Vattenfall H1 Results 2023

Financial highlights

Key data		
SEK bn	H1 2023	H1 2022
Net Sales	158.5	107.7
EBITDA	27.1	32.6
Underlying operating profit (EBIT)	14.6	16.3
EBIT	13.5	24.5
Profit for the period	6.9	10.3
Funds from Operations (FFO)	16.9	20.3
Cash flow operating activities	-25.1	18.6
Net debt	48.4	-29.3
Adjusted net debt	126.9	43.7
Adjusted net debt/EBITDA ¹ (times)	5.1	0.6
Financial targets		
ROCE ¹ (≥8%)	0.5	19.3
FFO/adjusted net debt 1 (22-27%)	30.6	103.0

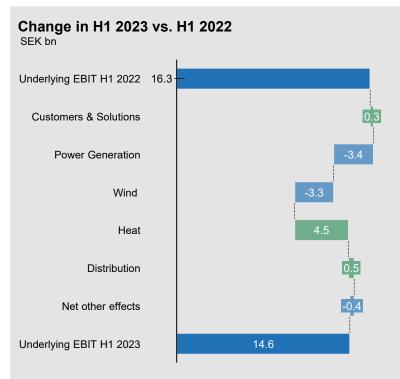
Key developments

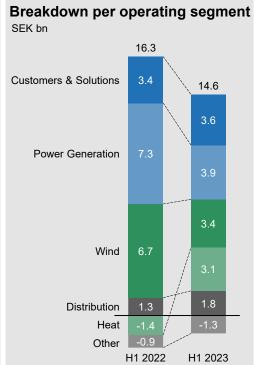
- Net sales increased by SEK 50.8 bn to SEK 158.5 bn due to higher prices in the customer business and partly higher volumes in the business segment in France
- Underlying EBIT decreased by SEK 1.7 bn to SEK 14.6 bn. Negative contribution from the Power Generation segment due to negative effect from hedges on the Continent and lower contribution from the Wind segment due to lower electricity prices. Positive contribution from the Heat segment due to higher heat prices
- Profit for the period decreased to SEK 6.9 bn, affected by impairment and provision for offshore wind power projects in Norfolk in the UK. A higher return from the Swedish Nuclear Waste Fund had an offsetting impact
- ROCE based on rolling 12-month figures decreased to 0.5%, mainly due to negative changes in market value for energy derivatives and inventories in Q4 last year and impairment and provision for offshore wind power projects in Norfolk in the UK. Based on underlying operating profit, ROCE was 10.7%
- FFO/Adjusted net debt based on rolling 12-month figures decreased to 30.6%. The ratio is coming down from last year's temporary high levels, caused by the positive effects from the margin calls for commodity hedging activities



Development of underlying EBIT H1 2023

Decrease from Power Generation and Wind partly offset by higher earnings in Heat





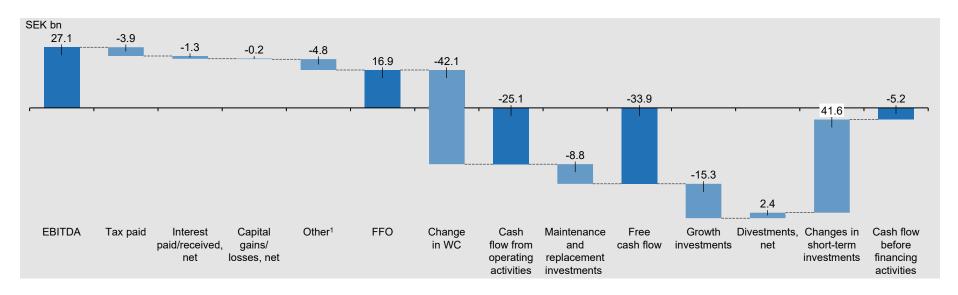
Highlights

- Customers & Solutions: positive currency effects and increased customer base in Germany
- Power Generation: negative effect from hedges on the Continent as these have not been as effective as in the Nordics
- Wind: lower electricity prices, partially offset by new installed capacity
- Heat: higher heat prices mainly due to price adjustments for heating, which compensates for higher fuel costs in 2022
- Distribution: extraordinary high costs for the transmission network during 2022. Higher personnel costs and higher maintenance costs due to growth had an offsetting impact



Cash flow development H1 2023

Positive working capital development mainly related to changes in margin calls



Main effects

- Change in working capital mainly driven by changes related to net change in margin calls for commodity hedging activities (SEK -51.6 bn). Lower operating
 receivables in operating segments Power Generation (SEK +10.9 bn) and Customers & Solutions (SEK +2.1 bn), partially offset by higher operating receivable in
 operating segment Heat (SEK -8.5 bn)
- · Changes in short-term investments are related to sales of short-term papers in order to offset the negative impact from the net change in margin calls paid

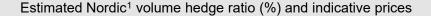


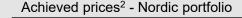
Hedging, debt and funding

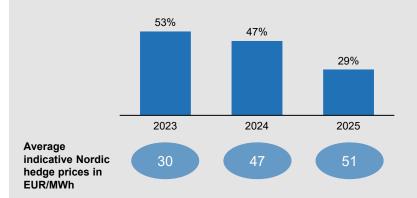
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Price hedging







H1 2023	H1 2022	Q2 2023	Q2 2022	FY 2022
38	18	35	15	27

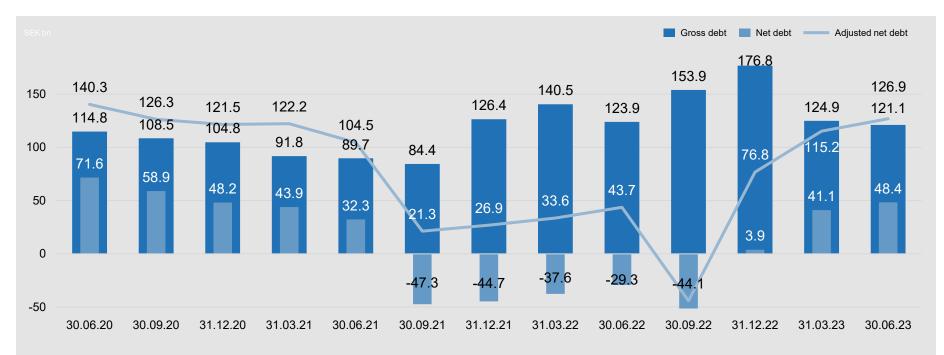
Vattenfall's price hedging strategy is primarily focused on the Nordic generation assets because the primary risk exposure is linked to base production of nuclear power and hydro power. The degree of hedging is highest for the next few years and decreases thereafter. Hedging is mainly based on the Nordic system price (SYS) while delivery takes place in the price areas where generation assets are located. The achieved price in the first half of 2023 increased due to lower price area differentials

² Achieved prices from the spot market and hedges. Includes Nordic (SE, DK, FI) hydro, nuclear and wind power generation



¹ Nordic: SE, DK, FI

Debt development



Net debt increased by SEK 44.5 bn compared with the level at 31 December 2022 to SEK 37.6 bn. Adjusted net debt increased by SEK 50.1 bn to SEK 126.0 bn compared with the level 31 December 2022. For the calculation of adjusted net debt, see slide 22.

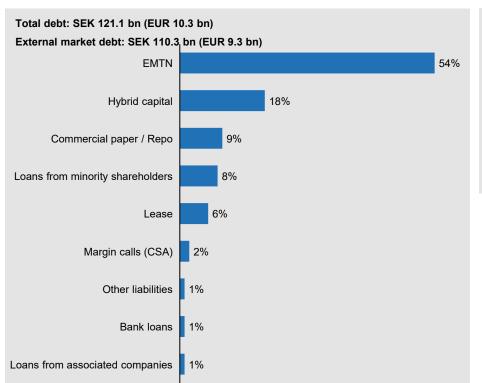


Reported and adjusted net debt

Reported net debt (SEK bn)	30 Jun. 2023	31 Dec. 2022	Adjusted net debt (SEK bn)	30 Jun. 2023	31 Dec. 2022
Hybrid capital	22.2	21.9	Total interest-bearing liabilities	121.1	176.8
Bond issues and liabilities to credit institutions	66.9	66.9 63.9 50% of Hybrid capital		-11.1	-11.0
Commercial papers and Repos	10.5	71.0	Present value of pension obligations	29.5	27.8
Liabilities to associated companies	0.9	0.9	Wind & other environmental provisions	13.2	11.5
Liabilities to minority shareholders	9.9	9.7	Provisions for nuclear power (net)	54.3	53.9
Lease liabilities	7.3	6.7	Margin calls received	-2.5	-2.1
Other liabilities	3.3	2.6	Liabilities to minority owners due to consortium	-9.9	-9.7
Total interest-bearing liabilities	121.1	176.8	agreements		
Reported cash, cash equivalents & short-term investments	72.1	172.4	Adjustment related to assets/liabilities held for sale = Adjusted gross debt	0 194.6	1.0 246.2
Loans to minority owners of foreign subsidiaries	0.6	0.5	Reported cash, cash equivalents	72.1	172.4
Net debt	48.4	3.9	& short-term investments	72.1	172.4
			Unavailable liquidity	-4.4	-3.0
			= Adjusted cash, cash equivalents & short-term investments	67.7	169.4
			= Adjusted net debt	126.9	76.8



Breakdown of gross debt



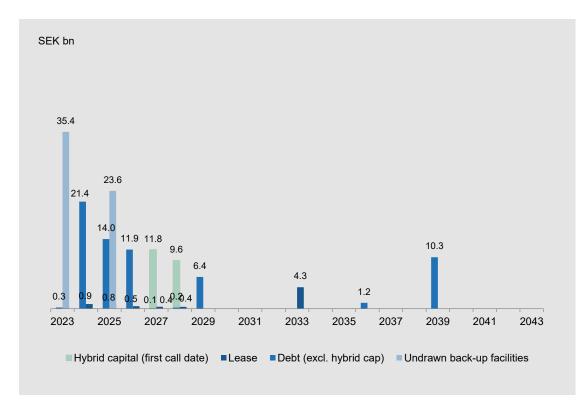
Debt issuing programmes	Size (EUR bn)	Utilization (EUR bn)
EUR 10bn Euro MTN	10.0	5.5
EUR 10bn Euro CP	10.0	0.6
Total	20.0	6.2

- All public debt is issued by Vattenfall AB.
- The main part of debt portfolio has no currency exposure that has an impact on the income statement. Debt in foreign currency is either swapped to SEK or booked as hedge against net foreign investments.
- No structural subordination.



¹ EMTN= Euro Medium Term Notes

Debt maturity profile¹



	30 Jun. 2023	31 Dec. 2022
Duration (years)	3.1	3.2
Average time to maturity (years)	4.7	5.0
Average interest rate (%)	4.0	3.5
Net debt (SEK bn)	- 48.4	- 3.9
Available group liquidity (SEK bn)	67.7	169.4
Undrawn committed credit facilities (SEK bn)	59.0	70.1

Cumulative maturities excl. undrawn back-up facilities				
	2023- 2025	2026- 2028	From 2029	
Debt incl. hybrid capital	37.9	34.4	22.2	
% of total	40%	36%	24%	

¹ Short term debt (Repo's and Commercial paper: 11.7), loans from associated companies, minority owners, margin calls received (CSA) and valuation at fair value are excluded.

Currency derivatives for hedging debt in foreign currency are included.

Liquidity position

Group liquidity	SEK bn	Committed credit facilities	Facility size, EUR bn	SEK bn
Cash and cash equivalents	45.1	Committed credit lines (2023)	3.0	35.4
Short term investments	27.0	RCF (2025)	2.0	23.6
Reported cash, cash equivalents & short term investments	72.1	Total undrawn		59.0
		Debt maturities ²		SEK bn
Unavailable liquidity¹	-4.3	Within 90 days		0.0
Available liquidity	67.7	Within 180 days		1.2



¹ German nuclear "Solidarvereinbarung" 1.0 SEK bn, Margin calls paid (CSA) 2.3 SEK bn, Insurance "Provisions for claims outstanding" 1.0 SEK bn.

² Excluding loans from minority owners and associated companies.

Nuclear provisions

Reactor ¹	Net capacity (MW)	Start (year)	Vattenfall share (%)	Vattenfall provisions, SEK bn (IFRS accounting)	Vattenfall provisions, SEK bn (pro rata)	Sw nuclear waste fund SEK bn (Vattenfall pro rata share)
Ringhals 1	879	1976	70.4			
Ringhals 2	809	1975	70.4			
Ringhals 3	1,070	1981	70.4			
Ringhals 4	942	1983	70.4	Total Ringhals: 45.0	Total Ringhals: 45.02	
Forsmark 1	984	1980	66.0			
Forsmark 2	1,120	1981	66.0			
Forsmark 3	1,170	1985	66.0	Total Forsmark: 41.8	Total Forsmark: 27.6	
Total Sweden	6,974	-		91.43	75.0 ³	41.14
Brunsbüttel	771	1977	66.7	13.1	8.7	
Brokdorf	1,410	1986	20.0	-	3.8	
Krümmel	1,346	1984	50.0	8.5	8.5	
Stade	640	1972	33.3	-	0.3	
Total Germany	4,167	-	-	21.6	21.3	
Total SE & DE	11,141			113.0	96.3	

¹ Five reactors are in commercial operation in Sweden; Ringhals 3 & 4 and Forsmark 1, 2 & 3. Ringhals 1 & 2 and all reactors in Germany are taken out of commercial operation. Stade is being dismantled.

⁴ Vattenfall's share of the Nuclear Waste Fund. IFRS consolidated value is SEK 49.1 bn.



² Vattenfall is 100% liability of Ringhals decommissioning, while owning only 70.4%

³ Total provisions in Sweden (IFRS accounting) include provisions of SEK 0.4 bn (pro rata SEK 0.4 bn) related to Ågesta, SEK 3.6 bn (pro rata SEK 1.9 bn) related to SVAFO and SEK 0.5 bn (pro rata SEK 0.0 bn) related to SKB.

ESG and Credit ratings



Environmental, social and governance (ESG) ratings

Vattenfall is assessed by several sustainability rating agencies on its ESG performance

We aim to be as open and transparent as possible in our sustainability reporting and we are proud to be highly ranked for our sustainability performance. The below table shows the agencies we actively engage with and our most recent rating scores

Rating Agency	Rating focus	Score	Latest assessment
DISCLOSURE INSIGHT ACTION	The leading system globally for disclosing environment data for investors, companies, cities, states and regions	Score A-: top 26% of all rated companies	December 2021
ecovadis	An online platform that enables companies to monitor the CSR performance of their supply chains by providing supplier sustainability ratings	Platinum rating: top 1% of companies assessed in the energy sector	April 2022
ISS ESG ⊳	ESG rating mainly for the investment community. The assessment spans a broad range of ESG issues that are analysed on the basis of up to 100 rating criteria, most of them sector specific	Score B "Prime": highest decile of companies assessed in the sector	May 2021
MSCI	ESG rating mainly for the investment community. Uses a rules-based methodology to identify industry leaders and laggards. Ranks companies according to their ESG risk exposure and how well they manage those risks relative to peers.	Score AA "Leader": meaning top 29% of companies assessed in the sector.	September 2021
SUSTAINALYTICS a Morningster company	ESG rating mainly for the investment community. Uses a two-dimensional materiality framework that measures a company's exposure to industry specific material risks and how well a company is managing those risks.	ESG risk rating: Medium 23.9 (strong management score and high exposure). Top-13% of companies in subindustry	February 2022



Credit ratings overview



Long term rating: A3¹

Short term rating: P-2

Outlook: Stable

Latest publication: 6 July 2023



Long term rating: BBB+1

Short term rating: A-2

Outlook: Positive

Latest publication: 02 December 2022

- "Vattenfall's A3 senior unsecured rating is supported by the breadth and scale of the company's operations; its clean generation portfolio in the Nordics; a moderate contribution from regulated electricity distribution and district heating activities; an increasing contribution from contracted renewables; and its solid financial profile, with funds from operations (FFO)/net debt amounting to more than 50% (or around the high 30s in percentage terms excluding the temporary impact from positive margin calls on net debt)."
- "Throughout 2023, we expect credit metrics to weaken, driven mainly by a high level of capital spending [more than SEK40 billion] an some impact still from unwinding of margin payments. As a consequence, we expect free cash flow to be largely negative for the year and lead to FFO/net debt in the low 20s. However, metrics should again strengthen quite substantially in 2024, and we expect the company's credit metrics to remain solidly positioned for the rating category over the medium term."

- "Thanks to Vattenfall's integrated business model, operating performance proved resilient despite exceptionally low prices for the generations segment in the first nine months of 2022. We view Vattenfall' results for the first nine months of 2022 as strong, showcasing the robustness of its integrated business model.
- The temporary spike in credit ratios is expected to soften over 2022-2023 as margin calls flow back; ratios are likely to remain strong for the rating".
- "The positive outlook reflects that we could raise the rating by one notch in 2023 should Vattenfall execute its planned investment, which should lead to a higher share of cash flow from wind and regulated assets combined, while maintaining a strong balance sheet. Before any potential upgrade, we would seek clarity to what extent, and to what magnitude, Vattenfall will change its investment level and direction following new government directive and what impact this would have on the credit ratios."



Vattenfall credit highlights

A leading European energy company with activities across the value chain BBB+ positive outlook by S&P and A3 stable outlook by Moody's

100 per cent owned by the Swedish State

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Leading towards sustainable production

A significant transformation has already happened

Significant growth in renewable production and climate smart energy solutions

Regulated and predictable cash flow from electricity distribution and district heating

Experienced player in renewables and one of the leaders in wind power generation



Green financing



Vattenfall's green financing framework

Use of proceeds - eligible categories with examples of technologies¹

Renewable energy

- · Solar power
- Wind power
- · Hydro power
- Geothermal power
- · Bio power
- Hydrogen
- · Heat/cool using waste heat

INCREASE GLOBAL PERCENTAGE OF

Clean transportation

· Infrastructure for clean transportation



Energy efficiency

- Smart grids
- District heating
- Power to heat





Transmission and distribution of electricity

• Transmission and distribution of electricity





Green bond investor report

Investments under Vattenfall's Green Bond Framework, as of year-end 2022

								Of which green b	ond spent S	EK million ²
Category	Project/country	Туре	Capacity/ impact	Est. CO ₂ reduction (ktonnes) ¹	Vattenfall's share	Start/ completion	Total investment	-2021	2022	Total
Renewable energy and related	Kriegers Flak/ Denmark	Wind offshore	604 MW	300	100%	2019/2022	7,600 MDKK	8,812	882	9,694
infrastructure	Princess Ariane (retained) ³ /Netherlands	Wind onshore	180 MW	175	100%	2018/2020	220 MEUR	1,348	0	1,348
	Hollandse Kust Zuid /Netherlands	Wind offshore	1,500 MW	2,000	50.5%	2020/2023	2,600 MEUR	2,325	4,499	6,824
	Vesterhav-projects/Denmark	Wind offshore	344 MW	200	100%	2022/2023	770 MEUR	0	1,235	1,235
Industry projects	HYBRIT/Sweden	Pilot project	Fossil-free steel	-	33%	2019/20222	858 MSEK	401	59	460
Total								12,886	6,675	19,560
Not yet used										2, 365
Grand total										21,925

¹ Production from onshore wind estimated to 2.6 GWh/MW installed, from offshore wind to 3.5 GWh/MW installed, and from solar to 1.0 GWh/MW installed. Resulting production is compared against grid average emission factors which will decline over time as the energy system decarbonises. Actual production, emission factors and savings will vary



² Pertains to actual payments to third parties. No acquisition costs or retroactive payments are included. Converted to SEK using year-end exchange rate as per 31 December 2021

³ The project was formerly called Wieringermeer and Wieringermeer extension

Dark green shading by CICERO



"Vattenfall has a clear strategic commitment to become fossil free within a generation with clear, timebound quantitative targets for greenhouse gas emission intensities validated by the Science Based Targets initiative as aligning with a 1.5 degree C warming scenario"

"Based on the overall assessment of the projects that will be financed under this framework, and governance and transparency considerations, Vattenfall's green financing framework receives a CICERO Dark Green shading and a governance score of Excellent."



	Categories	Green shading	
	Renewable energy	Dark Green	
%	Energy efficiency	Medium to Dark Green	
71	Transmission and distribution of electricity	Dark Green	
	Clean transportation	Dark Green	



Hollandse Kust Zuid

Project deep-dive

7 SLEANFACKS

UN SDG's







Overview

- The world's first subsidy-free offshore wind farm will be put in operation at the latest by 2023
- Project with excellent site conditions (shallow waters, proximity to shore) combined with continuous cost reduction focus and portfolio approach
- Attractive opportunity to support the Dutch energy transition; strong customer base demanding renewable energy



Key data

Capacity 2 x 760 MW

Country The Netherlands

Technology type Offshore Wind

Turbine model SiemensGamesa SG

11.0-200 DD (11 MW)

Grid connection provided by TenneT

Distance from 18-30 km

shore

Water depth 18-28 m

Foundations Monopiles

Ownership 50.5% Vattenfall,

25.2% Allianz

24.3% BASF

Completion 2023

Total investment 2.600 MEUR







HYBRIT

HYBRIT – towards the world's first fossil-free steel

UN SDG's













What is HYBRIT?

- HYBRIT short for Hydrogen Breakthrough Ironmaking Technology – is a joint venture between Vattenfall, SSAB (steel) and LKAB (mining and minerals)
- The aim is to create a completely fossil-free value chain from mine to finished steel, with fossil-free pellets, fossilfree electricity and hydrogen
- In 2021 the world's first fossil-free steel was manufactured and delivered by SSAB to Volvo Group, that is introducing fossil-free steel in its trucks. In June 2022, a pilot plant for storing fossil-free hydrogen was inaugurated

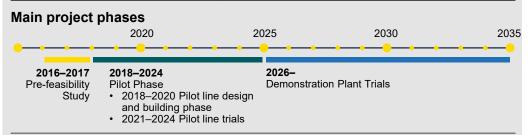
Why is this important?

- The steel industry is one of the highest CO₂-emitting industries, accounting for 7% of global and 10% of Swedish total CO₂ emissions
- Steel demand is set to grow due to population and urbanisation → carbon footprint of the industry needs to be addressed

Financing and timeline

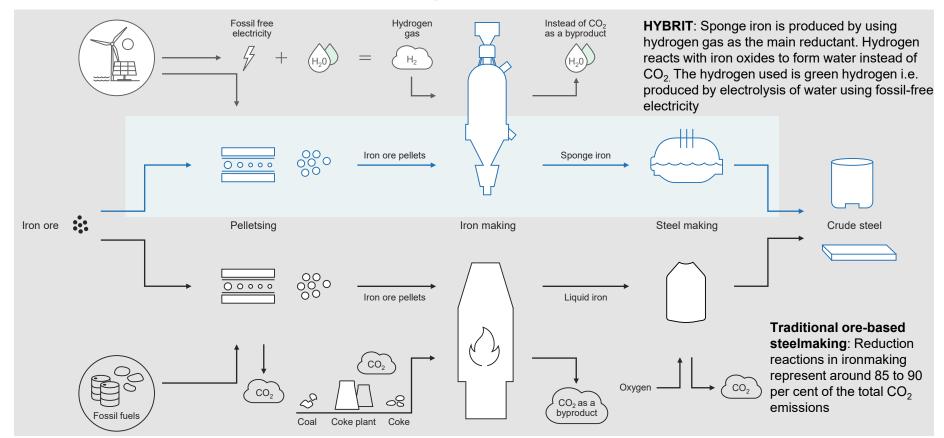
The total cost for the pilot phase is estimated to be more than SEK 2 billion. The Swedish Energy Agency will contribute about SEK 600 million towards the pilot phase. The three owners, SSAB, LKAB and Vattenfall, will each contribute one third of the remaining costs, together approximately 70% of the total investment. The Swedish Energy Agency has earlier contributed SEK 60 million to the prefeasibility study and a four-year-long research project.

The pilot phase is planned to last until 2024, after which it will move to the demonstration phase with large scale production to start in 2026.





HYBRIT vs traditional steel production



Sustainability deep-dives



A strategy and purpose that reflects UN's agenda 2030

Vattenfall's strategy is driving our contribution to the UN's Global Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)



Vattenfall's contribution to the **UN Sustainable Development Goals**

Strategic SDGs with global impact











Vattenfall contributes to the goals through its commercial operations. Contributions to these goals have global impacts and are the result of implementing our strategy, in particular when it comes to climate change and consequences for the energy system.

Responsible operations SDGs with local impact















Vattenfall contributes to the goals through its ways of working. Our responsible operations contribute locally, whether in the form of e.g., health & safety or internal diversity standards, or working to have a net positive contribution to biodiversity at our external operating sites.

Responsible supply chain SDGs with indirect impact





Vattenfall contributes to the goals through its engagement and influence in the value chain via suppliers and partners. By engaging only with suppliers and partners who meet our social and environmental standards, we ensure that they make positive contributions to the goals that are most relevant for developing countries, as exemplified here.



Execution of our strategy contributes the most to six prioritised goals

Overview

- In 2016, Vattenfall identified the most relevant SDG's for the business, where we can have the greatest global impact
- These remain valid internally, as reflected in our strategy, as well as for our stakeholders, as confirmed by our materiality analysis

Examples of contribution to our selected SDGs by sub-category



SDG 7.2

Target: By 2030, substantially increase the share of renewable energy in the global energy mix.

Example: Vattenfall has continued to grow and develop its clean and affordable energy pipeline that span various renewable energy sources and technologies, such as wind farms, solar parks, and battery storage. Currently, Vattenfall operates 4.5 GW of renewable energy installed capacity.



SDG 12.2 & SDG 12.5

Target: By 2030, achieve sustainable management and efficient use of natural resources.

Example: One of Vattenfall's focus areas on its heat business is finding opportunities to use excess heat from various third parties, such as the data centres in Motala and Fagersta in Sweden whose excess heat is fed into local district heating networks.

Target: By 2030, substantially reduce waste generation through prevention, reduction, recycling and reuse.

Example: More than 99% of residual products from our combustion plants are sold for re-use mainly to the construction industry



SDG 9.4

Target: By 2030, upgrade infrastructure and retrofit industries to make them sustainable.

Example: The FlexConnect project launched in Riksgränsen in Northern Sweden is evaluating flexible charging solutions to alleviate local grid capacity shortages.



SDG 13.1

Target: Strengthen resilience and adaptive capacity in relation to climate-related hazards and natural disasters.

Example: Climate risks are part of our ERM. Some examples of climate adaptation measures include strengthening our hydro power dams and weatherproofing our grid infrastructure against anticipated future climate risks.



SDG 11.6

Target: By 2030, reduce the adverse environmental impact of cities **Example:** We operate 39,600 charging points and continuously partner with parking lots, supermarkets, and restaurants to enable the electrification of transport and reducing tailpipe emissions in and around cities



SDG 17.17

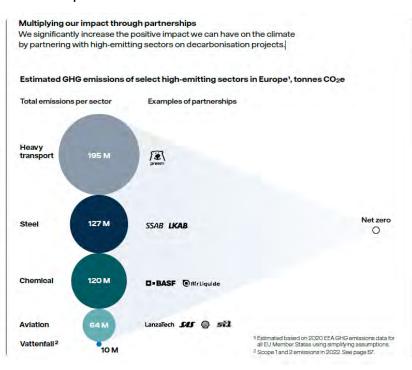
Target: Encourage and promote effective public, public-private and civil society partnerships, building on the experience and resourcing strategies of partnerships.

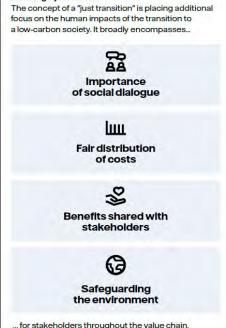
Example: Together with the Swedish Agricultural University (SLU) and the power company Jämtkraft, we are developing solutions to mitigate disruptions to downstream fish migration caused by our hydro power activities.

Thinking beyond our own production maximises impact

This means collaborating with stakeholders throughout the value chain. A fossil-free society will require, at a minimum, developing sustainable and commercially-viable goods, services, and technologies, partnering to decarbonise high-emitting industrial processes, and addressing human impacts.

Boosting demand for breakthrough goods and services As a part of the First Movers Coalition, we use our combined purchasing power to accelerate investment in developing goods. services, and technologies needed for the energy transition. particularly during the difficult demonstration and early deployment phase. Financial resources available, by stage of technology maturity First Movers R&D and initial Demonstration and Deployment and early deployment commercialisation Combined purchasing power scenario Business as usual scenario

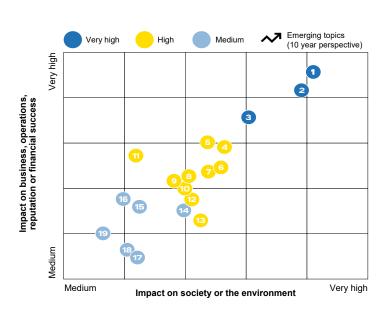




Ensuring a just transition

Stakeholder materiality analysis supports strategic focus

According to our stakeholders, Vattenfall's core strategy is aligned with the areas of greatest potential impact







Between June and October 2022, Vattenfall engaged with over 4,100 stakeholders. Stakeholders were asked to grade which topics were most important to Vattenfall, both in terms of its social and environmental impact and the impact that these two factors have on the company -- so-called "double materiality."

Vattenfall's strategy remains in line with stakeholder's expectations. Few take away things are mentioned below:

- Affordability, ČO₂ reduction and renewables remain top 3 important topics
- All topics are considered important, as all topics scored "Medium" or higher and interview responses indicated prioritization was difficult.
- · Interview responses also highlighted the importance of addressing multiple topics simultaneously to yields the greatest results

Industrial partnerships for a fossil-free society

Together with our partners, we pave the way for a new generation of transports, industries and materials

Developing the world's first fossilfree steel





Development of H2 supply from offshore wind to enable fossil-free fuel production





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Northern Europe's largest charging network for evehicles





Electrification of mines and smelters



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Co-operation for e-mobility



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World's first synthetic sustainable aviation fuel



Green guaranteed energy delivery large customers, e.g.









Support of a major enterprise for battery production in Sweden





The cleanest dirt bike ever





Powering sustainable datacenters





Developing flexible solutions for grid stability







Excess heat from algae cultivation to heat households

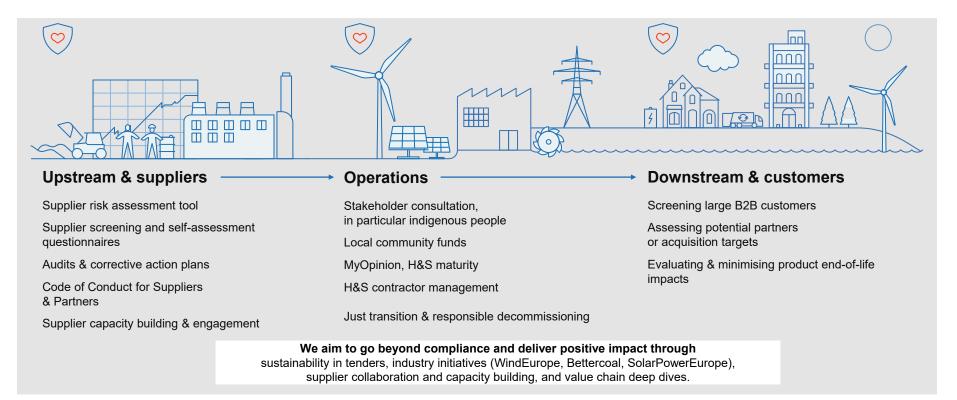






Respect for human rights throughout our value chain ensures we create value in a sustainable way

Tools, processes and actions to respect human rights





Mapping our value chain-wide impact on biodiversity

A quantitative biodiversity footprint assessment to prioritise areas for further target setting.

"Towards net positive impact by 2030"

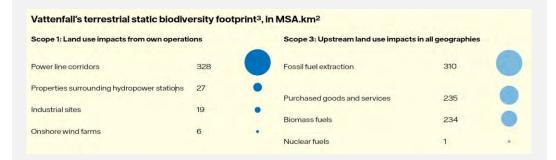
We are committed not only to reduce impacts, but also positively contribute by implementing biodiversity enhancing measures. Our biodiversity strategy aims to break down our overall ambition into concrete actions and targets. Calculating our biodiversity footprint has increased our understanding of how we can contribute to a net positive impact, prioritise actions, and improve our targets.

Measuring our 2020 baseline

- ✓ In 2022, Vattenfall finalised a value chain-wide biodiversity footprint assessment to obtain a quantitative measurement of how our economic activities impact nature and species.
- ✓ The assessment was done using the Global Biodiversity Scorea tool that uses different types of data such as land use, emissions, water use, and financial data to model impacts on biodiversity.
- ✓ The model measures the level of impact on pristine nature caused by a company, or an economic activity, measured in a single indicator called Mean Species Abundance (MSA.km²).

Results

- ➤ The result from the GBS assessment is split into so-called static and dynamic impacts¹
- Nearly two-thirds Vattenfall's total terrestrial static footprint stem from upstream **land use** in our value chain (see figure below). This primarily relates to the extraction of fossil fuels as well as the land use footprint of biomass. Approximately one third stems from land use relating to power line corridors (scope 1).
- 95% of the annually growing footprint (dynamic impact) stemmed from climate change² impacts caused by GHG emissions in all scopes.



¹ Static impact comes from, for example, historically exploited land that has had and still has an impact on biodiversity. Examples of this are hydro power plants and the electricity distribution network. Dynamic impact can be linked to new projects, activities, and resource use that take place over a certain period, often measured on an annual basis. Dynamic impact builds onto the static impact.



² Climate change and biodiversity are closely interlinked. A changing climate is a significant and a growing driver of biodiversity loss.

³ Screening based on the GBS methodology. For an accurate assessment more through analysis is needed.

Contributing to biodiversity throughout our operations

Examples of measures

Business area	Aim	Examples
Hydro power –	Identify new solutions to reduce environmental impact of hydro power production Biotope restoration and species protection Knowledge building activities includes both research and pilot studies Preserve and manage biodiversity and enhance recreation values	"Laxeleratorn" is a unique, large-scale laboratory for hydro power-related environmental and hydraulic experiments that was inaugurated in 2018. It combines knowledge of biology and hydraulics to find solutions that allow and attract fish to safely pass by the power plant with the smallest possible effect on operations. In 2022, downstream fish migration solutions have been in focus. One example is trials using water jets, which is another technique to lead fish away from turbine inlets and safely guide them downstream. In our R&D work we are also investigating how we can use machine learning to identify and count animal species and how environmental DNA (eDNA i.e. the residual DNA left in the ambient environment by plants and animals) can be used to quickly identify species in our hydro operations.
Wind power -	Restore peat land functioning and carbon storage Avoiding sea bird collisions	We have been carrying out habitat restoration work at two of our sites in the UK. In Pen y Cymoedd a larger scale peat land restoration work (up to 1400 ha) began in late 2021 and will continue for several years to come. At the Aberdeen offshore wind farm in Scotland, Vattenfall has conducted a pilot study of specific birds' flight paths during the summer of 2022 to test a promising new technology – a video camera and an Al-based solution from the Norwegian start-up Spoor.
Power _ distribution	Maintenance of habitats and protecting species	Clearance work for power lines opens meadow-like fields for threatened and rare species, like the butterfly marsh fritillary. With GIS mapping and field inventories, important biodiversity hotspots have been identified, and adjusted clearance plans have been developed accordingly. In the coming phase until 2025, focus will be on



have been developed accordingly. In the coming phase until 2025, focus will be on implementing enhancing measures in at least 70% of all identified hotspots.

Towards a circular economy

We are committed to enable sustainable use of resources and contribute to a circular economy

A circular economy is based on the principles of keeping products and materials in use, designing out waste and pollution, and using regenerative natural systems. It is a sustainable alternative to the current 'take-make-dispose' linear economic system. The transition to a more circular economy is central to the Green Deal – EU's policy road map towards a low-carbon, sustainable society.

In circular systems, focus is on extending the life-time of products and materials, sharing and pooling of resources, repairing, reusing and recycling to create closed-loop systems, and utilizing smart designs to minimise resource input and the generation of waste, pollution and CO₂ emissions.

Vattenfall contributes to the circular economy:



- We provide fossil-free and renewable energy to power the circular economy.

We use resources in smarter ways

 We use life cycle assessments to assess and manage environmental performance across the full value chain. We also work to design our assets and processes to reduce resource consumption, increase reuse and recycling, and extend the lifetime of our assets.

We offer new products and business models

- We are developing new products and energy solutions, as-a-service based models and digital solutions to integrate small scale producers.

We change unsustainable processes and sectors

- We switch fuels, partner with industry to make materials more sustainable and fossil free (e.g. steel, cement, fuels), and work to electrify the transport sector.

Examples of activities



In the initiative Samenergi, Vattenfall collaborates with SME's to help them recycle excess heat and utilise it in the district heating network. (Image from Lindvall's coffee manufacturing site, a Samenergi partner.)

Recycling excess heat



Phase-out of creosote poles In a circular economy, hazardous substances must be kept out of material streams. Vattenfall is phasing out creosote poles from distribution grids. Alternative materials and methods are used and tested for new poles.



Declaring life cycle impacts
Vattenfall provides transparent,
verified and comparable information
about the life-cycle resource
utilisation and environmental
impacts from our electricity
generation through environmental
product declarations[®].



We are adapting to a changing climate

We continuously monitor, invest in and modernise our assets to ensure safety and resilience

- There is increasing urgency linked to climate change and the reduction of emissions needs to accelerate. Climate change affects Vattenfall through both physical effects on our assets and operations, and through changes associated with the transition to a fossil-free society. We are committed to our goal of enabling fossil-free living within one generation and have a high focus on adapting to change.
- Vattenfall supports the disclosure of climate related risks and opportunities in accordance with recommendations from the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD)¹.





Climate change affects Vattenfall

Today, the world is about 1 °C warmer than preindustrial levels and it is rising. Climate change leads to physical changes in parameters such as temperature, rainfall and sea level. This will affect Vattenfall's assets and operations.

As an example, changes in the frequency and magnitude of extreme weather events such as strong winds, flooding or forest fires can lead to infrastructure damage. Similarly, changes to rainfall and snowmelt affects river flows, which has relevance for our hydropower production, planning and dam safety aspects. Vattenfall continuously works to improve the safety and robustness of our operations.





Ensuring security of supply and resilient operations

We have assessed physical effects of climate change on Vattenfall's operations, considering both intermediate (+2°C) and high-end (+4°C) climate scenarios. Vattenfall is generally well equipped to adapt to a changing climate. Where relevant, measures and margins are adjusted to account for larger changes and variability.

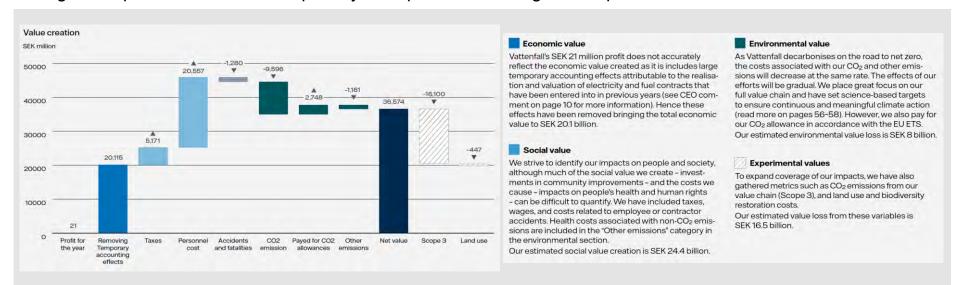
Examples of measures to ensure resilient operation include adapting hydropower dams to be able to manage larger future flows, ensuring cooling solutions for exposed infrastructure, and weather-proofing the distribution networks. Vattenfall will continue to have strong focus on management of climate risks, through e.g. scenario analyses and increased focus on supply chain aspects.



¹ For more info see page 87-88 in Vattenfall's Annual- and sustainability report 2022

A holistic view of Vattenfall's net impact

Using net impact assessment¹ to quantify both positive and negative impacts of our activities



Vattenfall strives to create value for society and the environment by enabling fossil-free living. In our model for total value creation, we attempt to quantify, in monetary terms, our impacts – both positive and negative – from economic, social, and environmental perspectives.

Translating different forms of value into financial terms is complex and comes with a high level of uncertainty. The figures should therefore be seen as an attempt to quantify impacts.

Promoting responsible business practices throughout the supply chain

Key improvements in supply chain sustainability

- Supplier Risk Assessment Tool Light developed to improve initial risk assessment of new suppliers based on product/service category, headquarter and manufacturing countries and spend, followed by recommendation of targeted mitigation measures
- "Candy Shop", an online user-driven platform for best practice sharing on how to integrate sustainability requirements in tenders, including requirements on circularity, CO2 and human rights
- Code of Conduct for Supplier and Partners updated to ensure an accurate reflection of Vattenfall's values and legislative landscape with major improvements on climate impact, gender equality, high risk minerals, remediation mechanisms and broadening the scope to partners
- Supplier Risk Assessment Tool provided a risk heatmap of existing supplier base, revealing 62 high risk suppliers that triggered internal dialogues which resulted in several follow-up measures including sustainability audits, additional sustainability requirements for tenders, and supplier awareness sessions in 2022.
- Manage Counterparty Screening Initiative, a Group initiative to align processes across Vattenfall for initial and continuous assessment of counterparties

