

Donor country Austria			
Project/programme title Geothermal System Kocani			
Purpose Use of geothermal energy in order to supply the population with renewable heating energy			
Recipient country Macedonia (Former Yugoslav Republic of)	Sector Energy supply (geothermal)	Total funding > US\$ 2.30 million	Years in operation Since 1998
Description The geothermal field in Kocani is one of the major geothermal fields in Europe. In a depth of 350 to 500 meters, which is easy to reach from a technological point of view, comparatively high temperatures of about 75-78 degrees Celsius are reached. The geothermal water is used for energy supply and heating since 1987. Austria is involved to increase efficiency particularly with regard to long-distance community heating.			
Indicate factors that led to project's success			
Technology transferred Know-how concerning combined heat and power and long-distance community heating			
Impact on greenhouse gas emissions/sinks			