



Alignment of Opdenenergy with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

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1_ Introduction



Opdenergy is an Independent Power Producer (IPP), focused on the production and management of renewable energy assets in all its phases: development, financing, construction, operation and maintenance.

With more than 17 years of experience, we have a wide portfolio of renewable technology projects with an international presence and in continuous expansion, with sustainability being a fundamental part of the strategic pillars of the Organization.

Currently, the company is active in nine geographies and has offices in Spain, Italy, the United Kingdom, Mexico, Chile and the United States.

“Satisfy the energy needs of the market with competitive and reliable solutions, based on the use of renewable sources”.



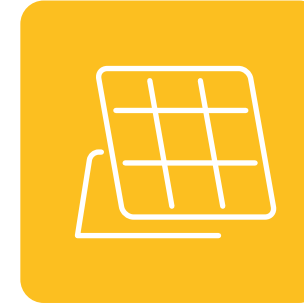
1_ Introduction

Main achievements



Presence

In 9 countries
(Europe, America and LATAM)



Pure Player

Increase of the portfolio in photovoltaic
and wind energy. 100% renewable.



Sustainable financing

Green finance framework and activities
aligned with the Green Taxonomy.



Road to emissions neutrality

Calculation of Carbon Footprint and GHG
Emissions Reduction Plan.



Market research

Advances in the development of
new technologies.



Protection of biodiversity

Collaboration with associations and monitoring
to strengthen biodiversity protection.

2_ The SDGs in the Organization

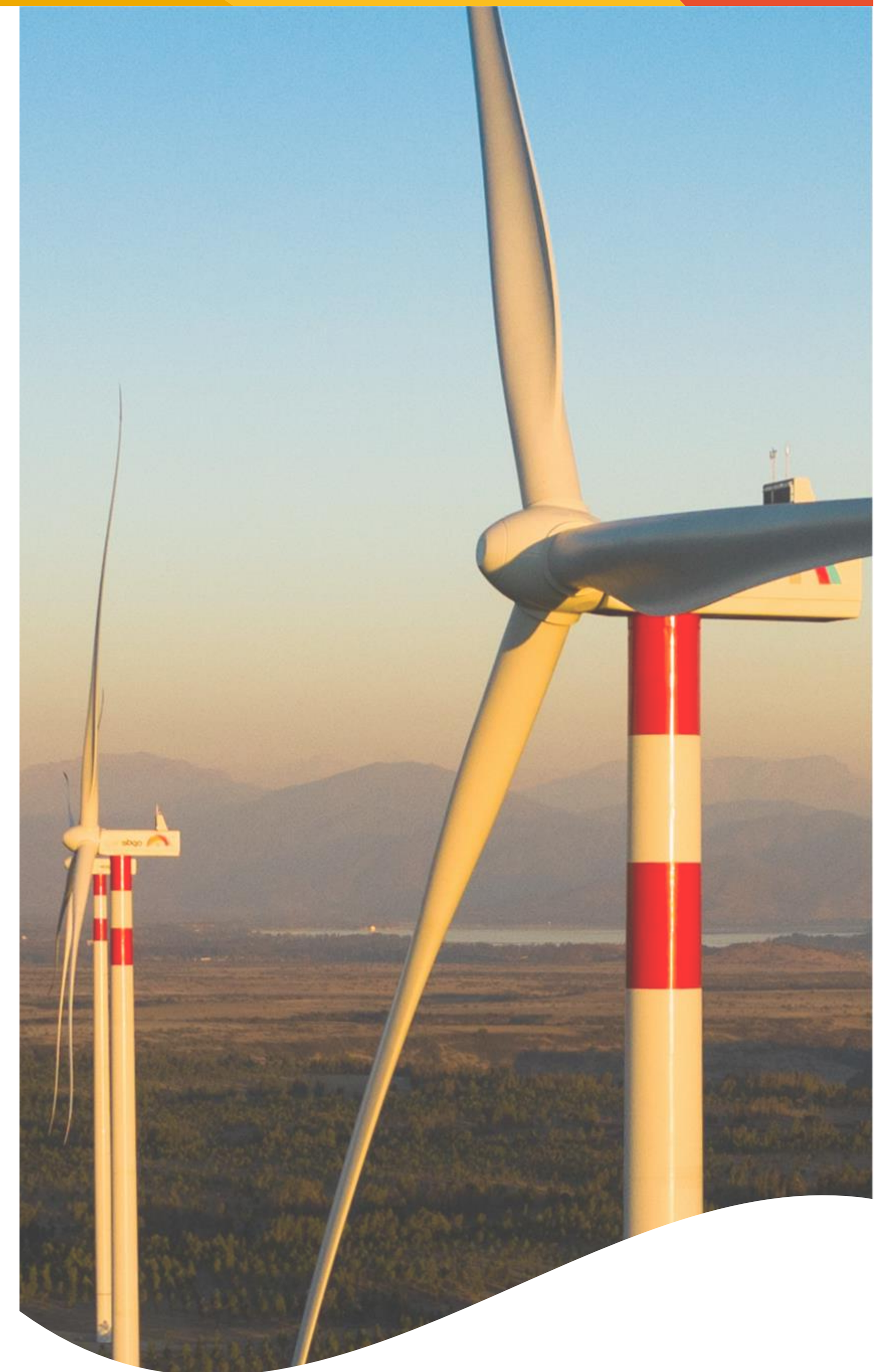
It was in **2015** when the member countries of the **United Nations** signed the **2030 Agenda**. This represents an **international commitment and a call to action to face the social, economic and environmental challenges of the present and future, putting in process an action plan in favor of people, the planet and prosperity.**

In this context, **the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)** emerge as the tool to achieve the aspirations of the 2030 Agenda.

The SDGs are **17 goals and 169 targets**, which guide the steps to be taken to achieve the commitments agreed with a horizon in 2030.

While the targets express aspirations at the global level and led by member countries, the SDGs also involve the participation of civil society, the private sector and other social actors to achieve them..

Opdenenergy, being aware of the importance of the SDGs and in accordance with its commitments to sustainability, **is committed to working on the SDGs**, analyzing the role of the company in achieving the SDGs and identifying where it can have a more important role in relation to the performance of its activity.



2_ The SDGs in the Organization

Opdenergy's contribution to the SDG targets

To update the level of alignment with the SDGs of Opdenergy, the 169 targets defined in the 17 SDGs have been analyzed based on two factors: 1) The type of contribution and 2) The mode of contribution

1 Type of contribution:

- **Direct contribution:** encompasses goals that are clearly related to the type of activity carried out by the Organization.
- **Indirect contribution:** encompasses goals that are not directly related to the type of activity carried out by the Organization, but to which it can contribute through its work in other ways.

2 Contribution mode:

- **Continued contribution:** you contribute or can contribute systematically.
- **Non-systematic contribution:** you contribute or can contribute on an eventual basis.
- **Out of reach:** Contribution is not possible at the moment, or they need to look for new ways of collaboration.

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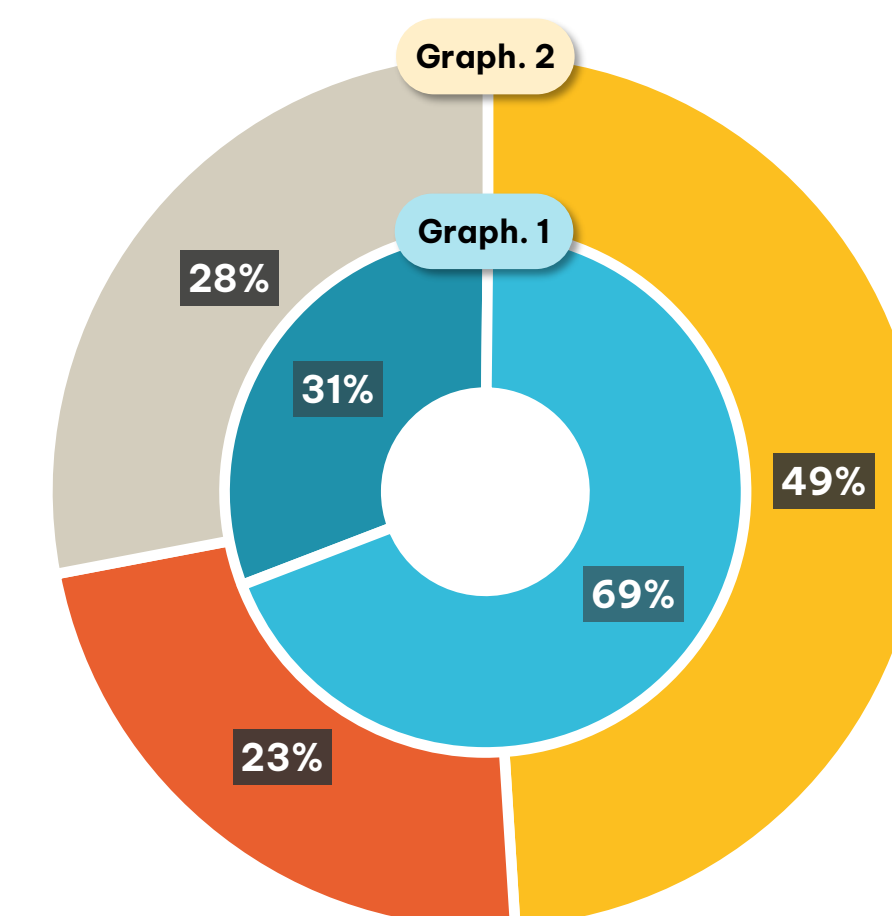
Opdenergy contributes to 87 targets of the total 169 defined in the SDGs (51%).

Graphic 1: Type of contribution

- Direct contribution
- Indirect contribution

Graphic 2: Contribution Mode

- Out of reach
- Temporary
- Systematic



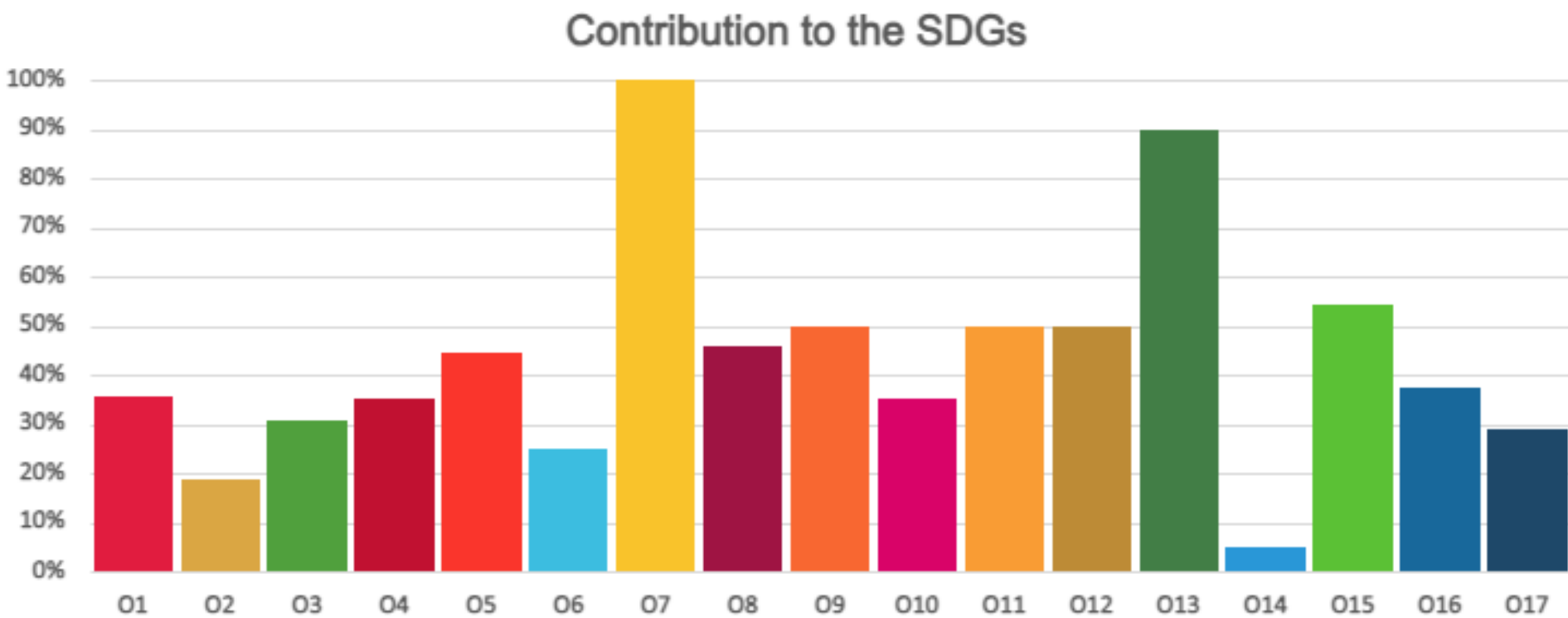
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Opdenergy's contribution to the SDG targets:

The number of goals per objective, to which Opdenergy contributes in one way or another, has been analyzed taking into account specifically the mode of distribution increasing them to a total of 86.

To obtain the SDGs that are priorities, they have been classified according to the criteria indicated in the following table:

PRIORITY OF SDG	RANGE	SDGs
High priority	> 50%	7, 13 and 15
Medium Priority	40%-50%	5,8,9,11, 12
Low priority	40%-20%	1,3,4,6,10,16 and 17
Very low priority	<20	2,14



Talking about Opdenergy's activity, mission, vision and strategy, as well as issues relevant to its stakeholders, action should prioritize **SDGs 7, 13 and 15**.








On the other hand, **the Organization's performance and good work** contribute greatly to targets related to **SDGs 5, 8, 9, 11 and 12**.



Finally, the Organization continues to work on targets corresponding to **SDGs 1, 3, 4, 6, 10, 16 and 17**, among others.









2_ The SDGs in the Organization

Main actions contributing to the priority SDGs

Notable goals	Type of contribution	Mode of Contribution	Action taken	
SDG 7. AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY				
Ensure universal access to affordable, reliable, modern energy and increased renewable energy.	Direct	Continued	Main activity of the Organization being Pure Player 100% renewable.	
Double the rate of energy efficiency.	Direct	Continued	Goals to maximize generation, availability, and efficiency.	
Facilitate access to clean energy and technology research and promote investment in energy infrastructure and clean technologies.	Direct	Continued	Main activity of the Organization. Market research for new renewable technologies and investment in storage technology. Presence in sectoral organizations.	
SDG 13. CLIMATE ACTION				
Strengthening resilience and adaptive capacity to climate risks and natural disasters in all countries.	Direct	Continued	Working for the incorporation of resilience criteria in infrastructure.	
			Production of renewable assets to combat the effects of climate change and its associated risks.	
			In process the study of climate risks within the organization and therefore the renewable sector.	
Mainstreaming climate change into national policies, strategies and plans.	Indirect	Continued	Participation with associations and working groups such as GECV, UNEF, SEIA, etc.	
Climate change management in the least developed countries.	Direct	Continued	Development of the business and core activities of the Organization also in developing countries.	
SDG 15. LIFE ON LAND				
Ensure the conservation and sustainable use of ecosystems and the services they provide.	Direct	Continued	Implementation of environmental measures in renewable projects and establishment of environmental monitoring programs.	
			Work with associations for the protection of biodiversity such as Global Nature, Grefa, etc.	
Combating desertification rehabilitate degraded lands and soils, including lands affected by desertification, drought and floods, and strive for a land degradation neutral world.	Direct	Continued	Carrying out grazing activities and runoff management, regeneration of natural spaces (steppe plots).	
Measures against biodiversity degradation and loss.	Direct	Continued	Strict compliance with environmental regulations and implementation of environmental measures in projects.	
			Realization of conservation activities of steppe birds, in the projects of Spain.	
			Initiatives for the protection and conservation of biodiversity also in other regions, such as Chile.	

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SDG 5. GENDER EQUALITY				
Ensure women's full participation and equal opportunities in political, public and economic life.	Direct	Continued	Actualmente la Organización se encuentra trabajando en un Plan de igualdad.	
			Participation in activities such as the Energía más mujer Plan (Chile), Women Engineer Collaboration (RAI) and Global Compact Equality Accelerator.	
Eliminate all forms of gender-based violence in the public and private spheres.	Direct	Continued	It is approved a Protocol for the prevention of workplace harassment.	
SDG 8. DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH				
Achieve full and productive employment and decent work for all women and men, including youth and persons with disabilities, as well as equal pay for work of equal value.	Direct	Continued	Contribute through the generation of quality employment.	
			The Organization is committed to equality and diversity through the code of ethics, considers diversity in its selection processes and promotes work in an Equality Plan.	
Protection of labour rights and safe work.	Direct	Continued	Strong commitment to occupational safety: Implementation of ISO 45001 and relevant investments in health and safety.	
			Implementation of reporting channels, promotion of ethical principles in the supply chain, with approvals, requirements and controls.	
SDG 9. INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE				
Promote inclusive and sustainable industry and significantly increase the industry's contribution to employment and gross domestic product, in accordance with national circumstances.	Direct	Continued	The Organization's own activity contributes directly to the creation of employment in the renewable sector in a context of climate crisis and energy transition by applying the best available technology.	
Facilitate the development of sustainable and resilient infrastructure in developing countries through increased financial, technological and technical support to least developed countries.	Indirect	Non systematic	Export of technology to other emerging countries (Mexico, Chile, etc.) and realization of related activities, such as educational sessions with students of Environmental Engineering in Chile.	
SDG 11. SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES				
Reduction of environmental impact in cities including with special attention to air quality and management of municipal and other waste.	Indirect	Continued	Opdenergy contributes to the decarbonization of the economy and the generation of electricity in a cleaner way, contributing to the reduction of air pollution. Opdenergy calculates its carbon footprint and is implementing an Emissions Reduction Plan in addition to the future Emissions Neutralisation Plan.	
Provide universal access to safe, inclusive and accessible green areas and public spaces, in particular for women and children, older persons and persons with disabilities.	Indirect	Non systematic	Collaborations with local foundations in Chile to provide and improve lighting, providing greater security to public spaces.	
SDG 12. RESPONSIBLE PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION				
Management of waste throughout its life cycle and chemical products and reduce their emission to water, atmosphere and soil.	Direct	Continued	Segregation and recycling of USW at the headquarters of the Organization. Progressive replacement of printers with models that have recyclable cartridges. Waste management in projects by authorized managers. Analysis of the dismantling phase in the development of the projects.	
Encourage companies, especially large corporations and transnational corporations, to adopt sustainable practices and incorporate sustainability information into their reporting cycle.	Direct	Continued	Opdenergy follows a Guide of good practices and measures to improve sustainability in offices (ISO 14001 Management System) and also the presentation of information on sustainability in corporate reports.	

3_Our progress towards achieving goals

Environment

- At **Opdenergy**, we contribute to the mitigation of the effects of climate change **through the generation of renewable energy assets**, actively participating in decarbonization and energy transition.
- We are committed to moving towards emissions neutrality through **the calculation of the Carbon Footprint (scopes 1, 2 and 3)**, the approval of a **GHG Emissions Reduction Plan aligned with SBTi and the future Emissions Neutralization Plan**.
- We introduce **Best Available Technologies (BAT)** and implement measures to promote the maintenance of biodiversity in projects. We have approved the **2025 Sustainability Master Plan and we carry out ESG and Good Environmental Practices (GEP)** training campaigns promoting a sustainable use of resources.
- We have a **Green Finance Framework** aligned with the Green Bond Principles (GBP) and Green Lending Principles (GLP) and we have analyzed its **alignment with the European Taxonomy, estimated at 100%**.

Social and governance

- We analyze **sustainability criteria in the selection of our supply chain**, incorporating ESG criteria in corporate approval, technical accreditations of products, performing traceability audits, among others.
- We promote the training of our workers by implementing, among others, **career plans, training programs and employee benefits**.
- We have **objectives for the reinforcement of Health and Safety** and we carry out campaigns to stand out in terms of prevention.
- In Opdenergy **we promote the ethical development of our activity**, to this end, we have approved Codes, Policies and compliance mechanisms (e.g. Sustainability, Anti-corruption, Code of Ethics, Related Operations, etc.) and we have committed ourselves **to initiatives such as: UN Global Compact, Spanish Green Growth Group (GECV), SEIA, among others**.



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