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Financing Infrastructure

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Africa's infrastructure needs are high

■Needs for Infrastructure finance notably in power is undisputed.

Opportunities are there:

- High GDP growth
- Ability and willingness of African citizens to pay.
- Many African countries are undertaking sector reforms.
- Financial resources will have to come from domestic and external, public and private resources.

2.1 Project pipeline

- Lots of project ideas in the pipeline
- Studies submitted to donors regularly have serious shortcomings. Donors play an increasingly active role in project development.
- Few well structured and bankable projects





Obstacles to mobilizing private sector resources

- ■Private sector's risk appetite is fairly limited.
- private participation remains selective focusing on most financially viable and less risky projects.
- Long term visibility, contractual security and risk allocation is crucial to attract private financing



Regional integration is necessary but add complexity

- Infrastructures in Africa are inherently regional
- This characteristic add difficulty, involving different actors, jurisdictions and multiple procurement authorities
- The structuring and development of regional projects are more complex and is timeconsuming.

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Infrastructure financing scheme differ by sector and country

- No "one size fits all" solution: the right financing structure will depend of the country's institutional environment and sub-sector business models.
- Support is needed upfront to improve the legal and institutional framework.
- A mix of financial tools at the project level : guarantee, sovereign, non sovereign, commercial, concessional, grant for TA, equity, etc.



Role of development banks

- ■ODA is important both as a direct financier and as a catalyst of private investments.
- Maximize the synergy between private and public donors:
 - more partnership and harmonized practices
 - pooling instruments: grants and loans; public and private
- New and additional financing tools.
- Adopt integrated infrastructure development approach

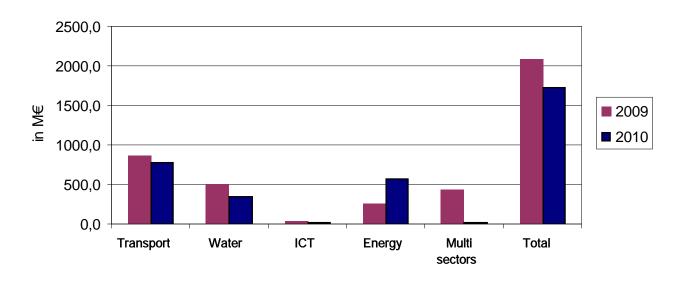


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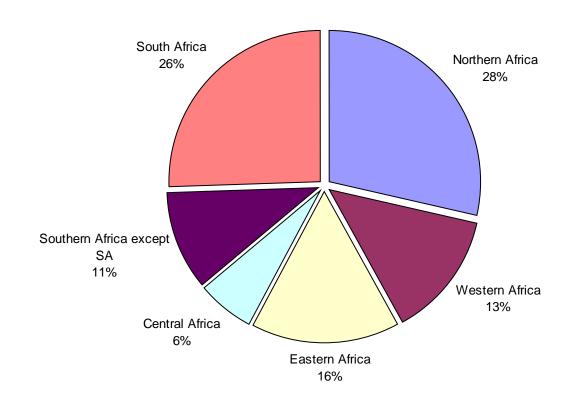
- Total AFD commitments in infrastructure projects in Africa for 2009 and 2010 :
 - 2009 : 2,1 billion EUR of which 0,5 billion EUR in North Africa
 - 2010: 1,7 billion EUR of which 0,6 billion EUR in North Africa

AFD commitments in Africa by nature of infrastructure



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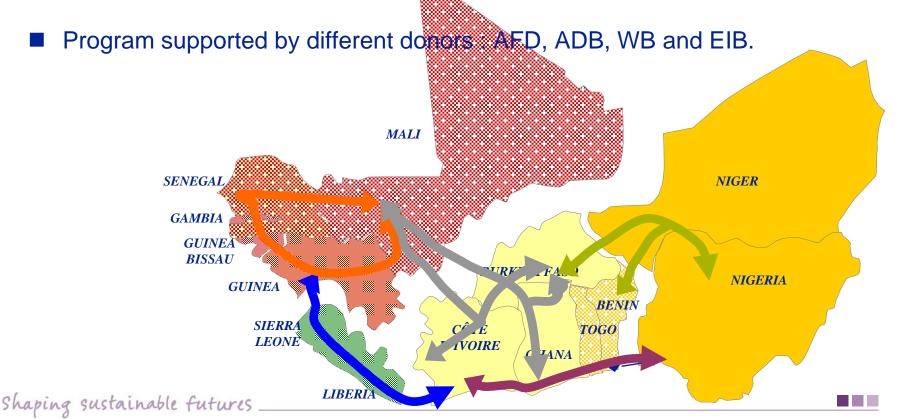
AFD commitments in 2009 and 2010 for infrastructure by region in Africa



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WAPP: power interconnection projects

- WAPP objective : create a regional power market
- Regional Master plan and action plan established
- Multiple interconnection investments already financed



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Port of Pointe-Noire - Congo Brazzaville



- Objective : increase the Port traffic
- Investments to extend and improve the port infrastructure
- ■Financing Plan: 166,2 M€
 - Investment : AFD (non sovereign), EIB, BDEAC (local currency), Public authority, private concessionaire
 - Technical Assistant (2,5 M€): AFD, and European fund
- Container terminal private concessionaire
- Signature of an agreement between the government and the lenders.

5.4

Drinking Water in Senegal - SONES

- Institutional set up : PPP in drinking water
 - SONES: capital company public –concession contract with the government
 - SDE: leasing company private leasing contract with the Government and SONES
 - No external regulator
- In 2007 : financing support to the drinking water and sanitation program (PEPAM).
- Program approach total: 58.55M€
 - AFD : Non sovereign loan 20M€ + Grant 1,1M€
 - EIB : sovereign Prêt 15M€+ EU : grant 8.7 M€+ BOAD: loan 8500 M
 FCFA
- First disbursement in process



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