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Creating an Energy Efficiency Mortgage for Europe



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“A unique partnership to leverage the power of mortgage lending in reducing the energy use of Europe’s buildings.”

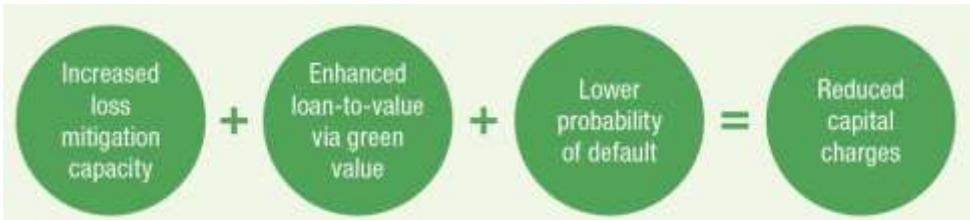


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CREATING AN ENERGY EFFICIENT
MORTGAGE FOR EUROPE

White Paper: Preliminary Recommendations





EeMAP
Energy efficient
Mortgages
Action Plan



CREATING AN ENERGY EFFICIENT MORTGAGE FOR EUROPE

A Review of Building Performance Indicators that Impact Mortgage Credit Risk

EUROPE REGIONAL NETWORK



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1. EPCs are a useful starting point.
2. However, due to EPC inconsistencies, harmonised EU approach not possible - additional assessment criteria required.
3. Combination of performance assessment approaches (calculated, statistical estimates, and measured data) may provide optimal solution.
4. Other performance aspects beyond energy impact value, so should be considered.

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Bridging the gap with a common language



ALDREN (ALLiance for Deep RENovation in buildings)



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1. Implementing the European Common Voluntary Certification Scheme
2. Associating low energy renovation with high quality indoor environments
3. Aligning market recognition of high quality with financial tools
4. Building capacity (e.g. training and qualification of professionals)



A paradigm shift

- **From savings to value and risks analysis**
“ Value and risk analysis are critical to scale up green financing”
- **Beyond energy : health and comfort**
“ Health and comfort are key drivers of retrofit decisions”
- **Transparency and reliability of data**
“Data is key to the understanding of risk performance”

(Conference: Energy efficiency in buildings: how to accelerate investments? December 11th Paris)





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European Commission

Objective : How to drive new finance for energy efficiency through a significant advance in the understanding and knowledge of the issues of energy efficiency financing in:

Buildings

Buildings are responsible for 40% of final energy consumption in the EU, with 75% of Europe's buildings being built with no or minimal energy-related building codes and most of today's buildings expected to still be in use in 2050.

Industry

Industry is responsible for 26% of final energy consumption and, while European industry is a world leader in energy efficiency, there are still substantial potential savings to be made.

RECOMMENDATION
Orientation

DEEP
De-Risking Energy
Efficiency Platform

UNDERWRITING
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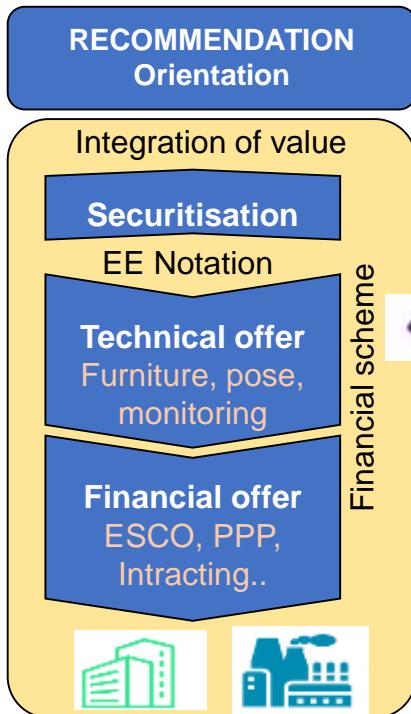
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ENSEIGNEMENTS CLEFS

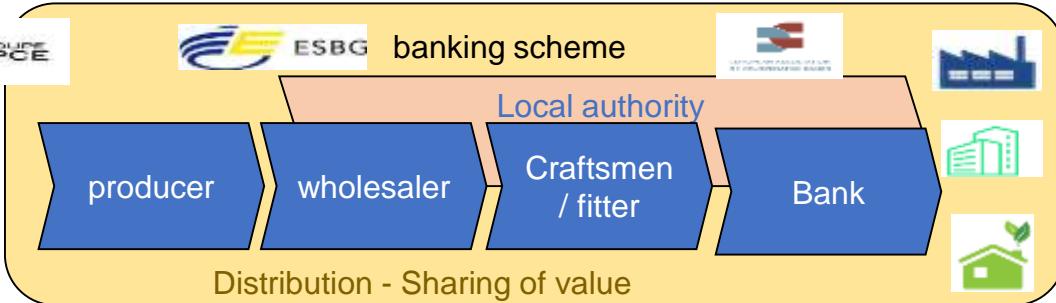


2 schemes for the Energy Efficiency (EE) market:

- Financial scheme (promoted by Corporate & Investment Banks (CBI))
- Banking scheme (promoted by Savings and Retail Banks)

In 2015, the EC invited BPCE to integrate EFIG in order to introduce the EE banking scheme with a mandate from ESBG & EACB

The financial scheme has been widely adopted over the last few years, as it provided higher returns than other schemes on a non-profitable market, BUT...



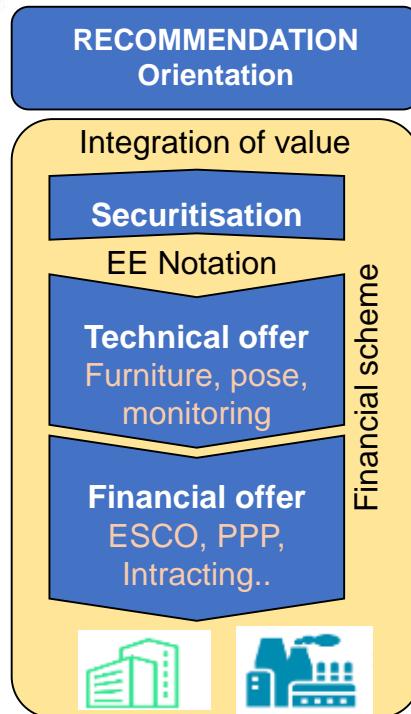
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Financial scheme core advantage: allows quick and significant money mobilisation with high ROE but...

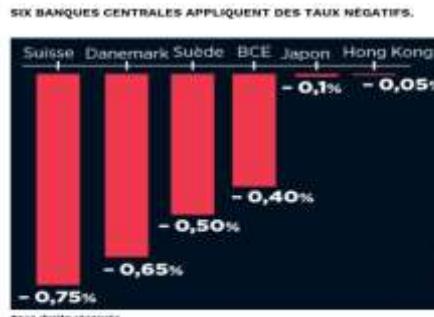
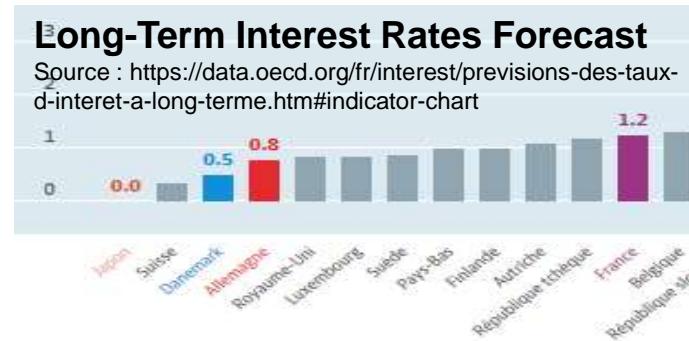
Financial scheme core disadvantage: reinforces the sensitivity of the money component (interest rate) in the overall supply



At EU level, interest rates differentials may benefit some countries over other countries (e.g DNK 0.5% long-term IR vs FRA 1.2%)

Long-Term Interest Rates Forecast

Source : <https://data.oecd.org/fr/interest/previsions-des-taux-d-interet-a-long-terme.htm#indicator-chart>

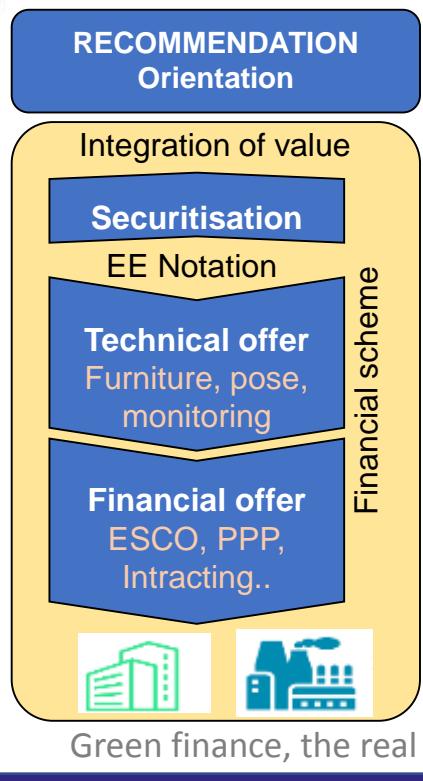


Taux de rémunération des dépôts ou taux de refinancement des banques centrales, en avril 2016.

Source : global-rates.com



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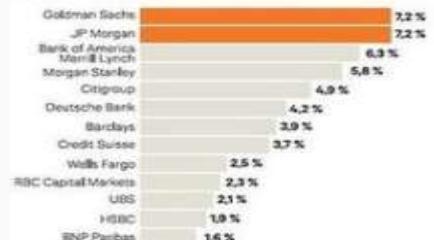


Despite high ROE, the financial scheme (FS) has led to challenging side effects for the EU:

- FS mainly promoted by CBIs... mainly non-European
- High banking profits in developing countries (China mainly) has increased their leveraging capacity compared to their EU counterparts

Leadership on CIB

Parts de marché mondiales
En % au 13 octobre 2015



2015 : 5 UK-US banks in world top 5
59 of large financial operations vs 48 % in 2009.
31% European CIB market share vs 31 % in 2009.

Leadership on debt

REPARTITION DE LA PLANÈTE EN FONCTION DE LEUR PAYS D'ORIGINE, EN %

Chine
Asie,
hors Chine et Japon

Japon

Royaume-Uni

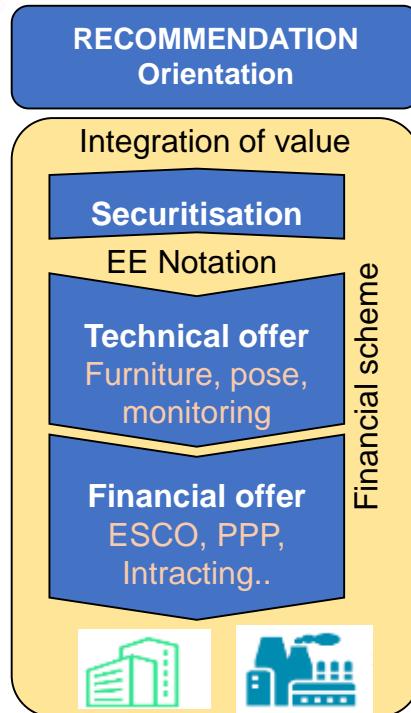
Etats-Unis
Europe,
hors Royaume-Uni
Reste du monde



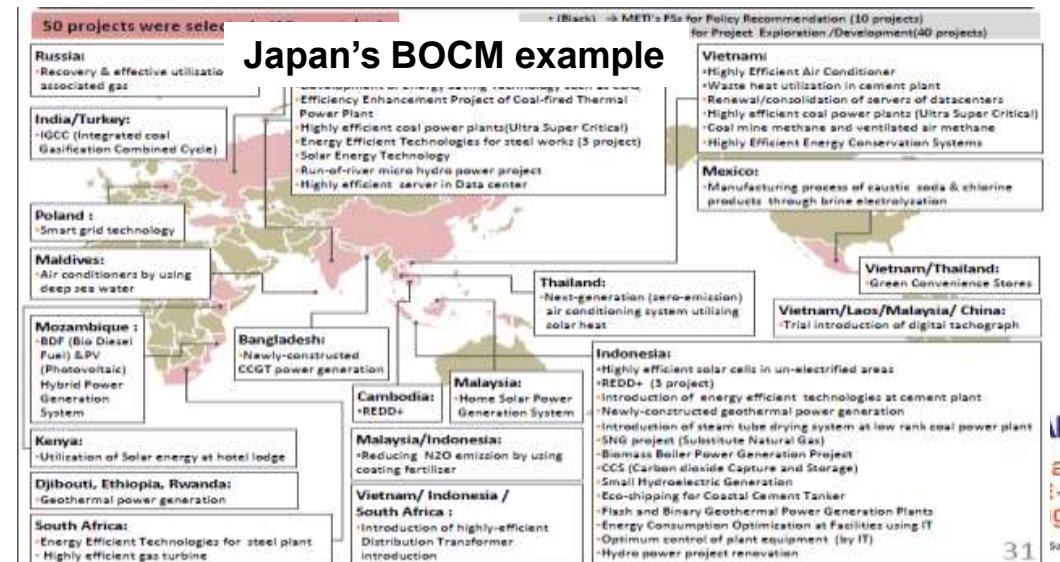
2016 : 4 Chinese banks in world top 5:
ICBC (Industrial and Commercial Bank of China), CCB (China Construction Bank), BOC (Bank of China), ABC (Agricultural Bank of China)
source http://www.lemonde.fr/economie/article/2016/06/29/les-banques-chinoises-trouvent-les-premieres-places-de-la-finance-mondiale_4960155_3234.html#fbFm5FIOXt5tuXH.99



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Japan's BOCM success story of financing green projects (50 selected projects over 18 countries) internationally through **carbon certificates** may be an interesting lead for the EU... **carbon certificates price enhance the rate effect in EE financing tools**



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DEEP

De-Risking Energy Efficiency Platform

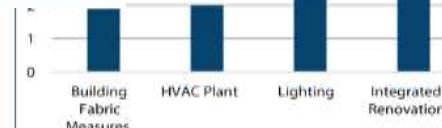
BUILDINGS
5.094
PROJECTS

MEDIAN PAYBACK -
BUILDINGS
5.0
YEARS

MEDIAN AVOIDANCE
COST - BUILDINGS
2.5
EUROCENT/kWh

Median avoidance cost in
EURcent/kWh over lifetime of
measure

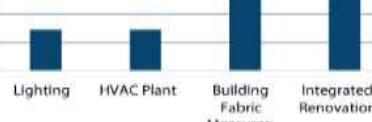
BUILDINGS
3.241
PROJECTS



Deeper renovations are attractive from
a socio-economic point of view

Median payback time in years

MEDIAN PAYBACK -
BUILDINGS
3.5
YEARS



...but require access to
long-term financing.

Focus on the retail market for financing house insulation

1. The first 2000 building projects are focused on office building: payback was 2 years and excluded insulation
2. From 3000 projects, BPCE has posted 1000 projects of global home refurbishing: payback reach 5 years and integrated insulation

CONCLUSION : The financial solution does not allow to integrate insulation because it is not profitable enough when compared to the financial market

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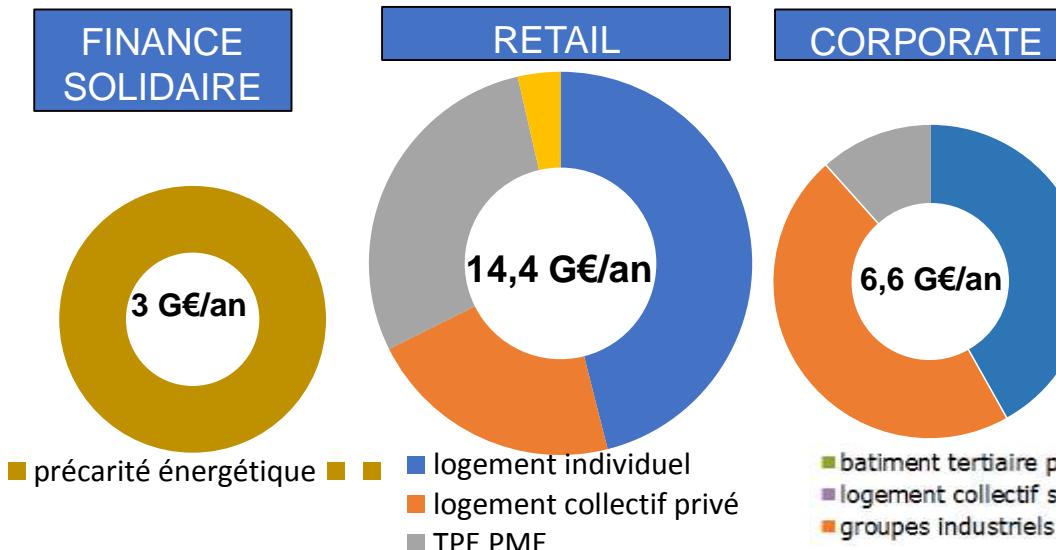
RETOURS D'EXPÉRIENCES D'EEFIG

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UNDERWRITING How to do

France 2015: Energy efficient market state of play

The green housing retail market should be further considered by the EU due to high financing volumes



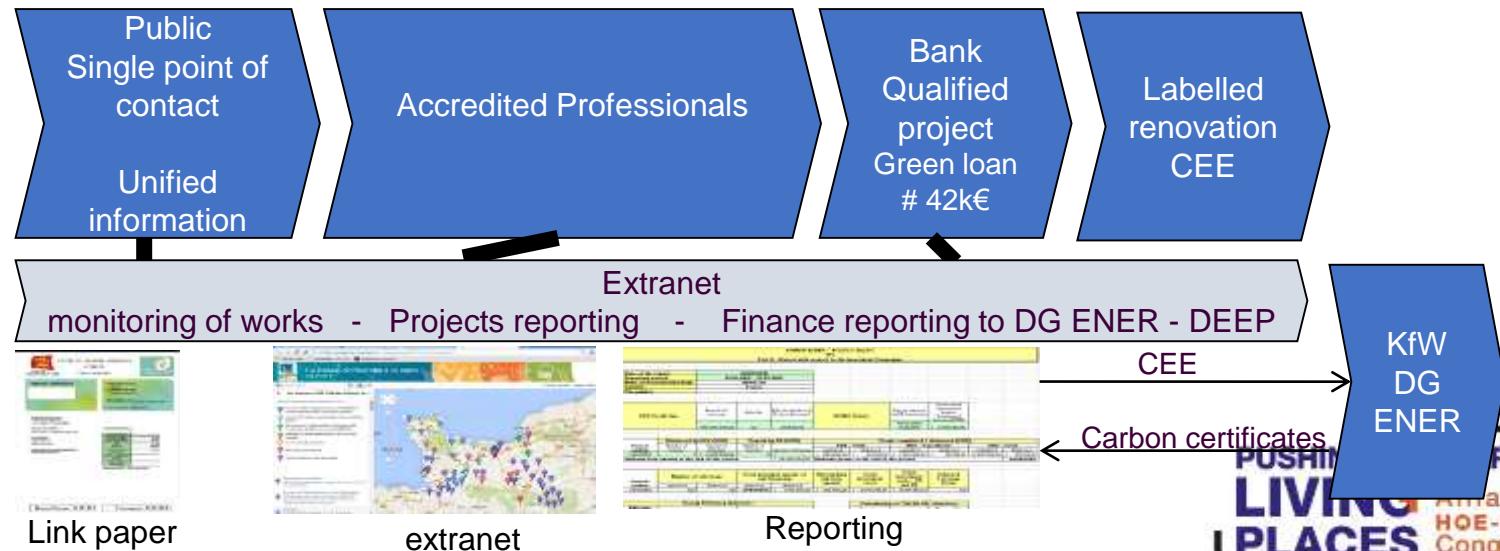
France : 14 millions de logements collectifs totaux dont 11,6 millions en résidences principales

France : 32 millions de logements totaux dont 26,5 millions en résidences principales

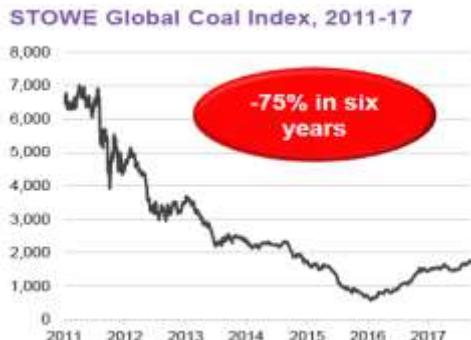
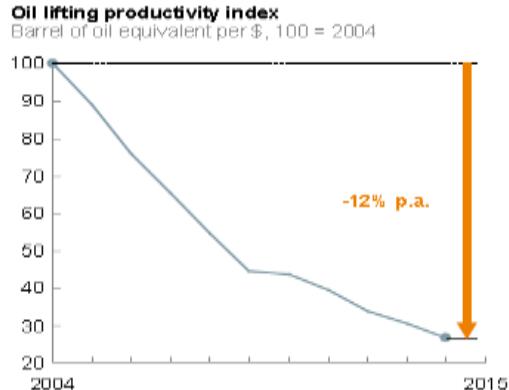
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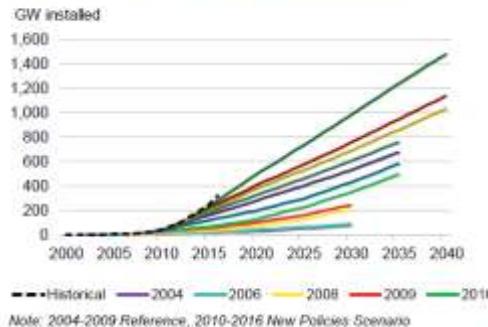
Priority given to KfW-ELENA Programme
A local public – banking energy efficiency market organisation
Coordination between technical and banking approaches



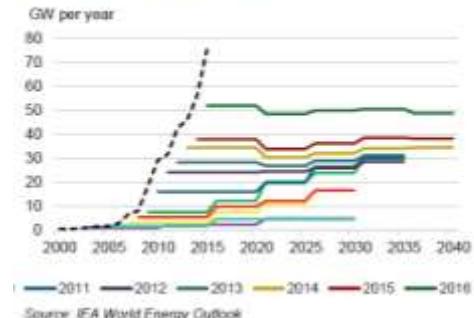
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Global cumulative solar installations



Annual solar additions



Since 2009 (Copenhague)
black world dies and
green world grows ; 2018
Full competitiveness of
renewable energies will
impact EE market

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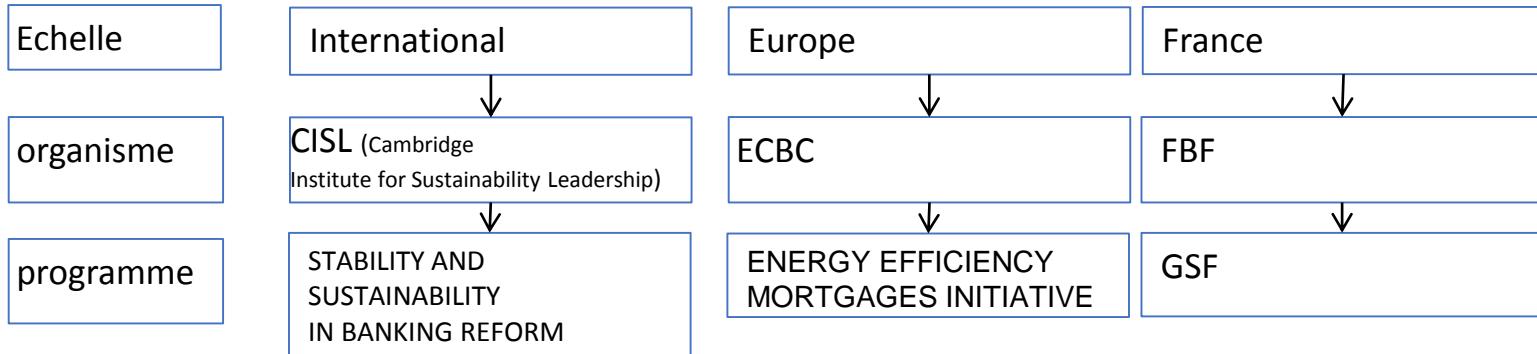
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GREEN DISCOUNT RATIO



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Challenges and barriers remain in order to efficiently implement a sustainable green retail market :

- Creation of a **green guarantee fund** (0% rate) which would guarantee 70% of the amount of the green loan could be envisaged, set up with a general budget and not on a project by project basis in order to simplify banking intervention.
 - ➔ To link green subsidies to a guarantee fund to facilitate the pre-financing of works
- It is of utmost importance that **green insurance** is developed. The upcoming climate stress tests (announced in the UK, Netherlands and France in 2018) may speed up the process.
- To organize a carbon certificate linked to EE loans in order to facilitate green investment.
- External consultants could help validate green products and **harmonise green labelling between local and european level**
- **Local green savings bonds** could be developed based on the pattern of the catalogue offered by BWBank in Germany. These bonds, which are on the asset side for the amount of green financing at least, take the form of deposits, not tradable, with fixed term and no price risk. They are used by savings and cooperative banks mainly to finance local energy projects and are also conceivable for social purposes.
- Forums where regions, banks and SMEs are invited to catch up could be organised with the support of the EC in order to create a European model on the pattern of the German 'Mittelstand'.