

Environmental and Social Data Sheet

Overview

Project Name:	FASSA BORTOLO GROUP
Project Number:	2016-0904
Country:	Italy
Project Description:	The proposed EIB loan will support the promoter's capital investments in existing production sites to improve production capacity and efficiency, safety at the workplace and the environmental performance of the operations as well as investments in Research, Development and Innovation on construction material. The project includes also the green-field development of a new production facility in Italy.
EIA required:	yes
Project included in Carbon Footprint Exercise ¹ :	no

(Details for projects included are provided in section: "EIB Carbon Footprint Exercise")

Environmental and Social Assessment

Environmental Assessment

The loan underlying investments will be carried out in existing facilities that will not change their already authorised scope due to the project; therefore an EIA, as per directive 2011/92/EU as amended, is not needed.

One part of the project, namely the green-field development of a new production plant – still subject to the approval by the Italian authorities – is likely to require an Environmental Impact Assessment when authorised.

The RDI activities aim at developing eco-sustainable products that are expected to reduce the energy consumption in buildings. Some capital investments aim at improving the environmental performance and safety in the workplace as well as at improving the efficiency of production.

Other Environmental and Social Aspects

Fassa operates in compliance with environmental standards (D. Lgs 152/06) in order to respect the territory, prevent pollution and protect the environment. Fassa is also compliant with the respect of employees' safety measures (D.Lgs. 81/2008).

Conclusions and Recommendations

¹ Only projects that meet the scope of the Pilot Exercise, as defined in the EIB draft Carbon Footprint Methodologies, are included, provided estimated emissions exceed the methodology thresholds: above 100,000 tons CO₂e/year absolute (gross) or 20,000 tons CO₂e/year relative (net) – both increases and savings.



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The project will not change the already authorised scope of the promoter's facilities. One part of the project is expected to require an Environmental Impact Assessment. The submission to the Bank of the NTS (Non-Technical Summary) of the EIA permit is a disbursement condition for the tranche of the loan related to this part of the project.

In the light of the above the project is, from the environmental point of view, eligible for the Bank's financing with minor negative residual environmental impact, and mainly associated to the increase of production capacity.