



## METHODOLOGY

The 2014 publications focus on 27 EU-Member States (Croatia will only be added to the 2015 publications), compared to the 2013 publications, which focused on the eleven Member States of the project partners namely: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Germany, Greece, Italy, Poland, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and the United Kingdom.

The map of Europe provides an overview of the 27 Member States in terms of whether or not they have achieved their 2012 targets (both the 2011/2012 interim targets set in the RES Directive and the NREAP 2012 targets). The map also shows expectations regarding their meeting the 2020 targets. The 2020 expectations are based on a scenario modelling done by EEG TU Vienna, using their Green-X model to assess the feasibility of Member States in meeting their binding 2020 RES targets as set by the RES Directive with currently implemented RES policies (business-as-usual (BAU) scenario).

Out of the 27 Member States analysed in this publication, nine are expected to meet their 2020 targets (Austria, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Denmark, Estonia, Italy, Latvia, Romania and Sweden). There are doubts concerning four Member States (Germany, Finland, Ireland and Slovakia). It is expected that Belgium, the Czech Republic, Spain, France, Greece, Hungary, Luxembourg, Latvia, Malta, the Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovenia and the UK will not meet their 2020 targets.



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