4:th quarter 2021
Including figures for full year 2021
Statistics and forecast
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SWEA:s statistics and forecast for the Swedish wind power market are updated quarterly. The figures are produced with data from turbine manufacturers and other market participants.

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### Added capacity in 2021

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<td>Total power</td>
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<td>Turbines</td>
<td>476 pcs</td>
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<td>Annual normal production from added turbines</td>
<td>6.8 TWh</td>
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<td>1st year contribution from turbines added 2021**</td>
<td>2.4 TWh</td>
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<td>1st year utilisation of added capacity</td>
<td>36%</td>
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<td>Wind index 2021</td>
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### Total by the beginning of 2022

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<td>Annual normal production*</td>
<td>33.1 TWh</td>
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### Added during 2022 - forecast

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<td>Number of turbines end of year</td>
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<td>Capacity addition</td>
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<td>Capacity end of year</td>
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<td>Estimated 1st year production new turbines:</td>
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<td>Energy production added (full normal-year production)</td>
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<td>Estimated actual production***</td>
<td>35.5 TWh</td>
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<td>Annual normal production end of year</td>
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Annual wind power market in Sweden

The Swedish market continues to attract investments and represents an annual investment volume of €2 bn. The signed capacity for 2021 landed at 1761 MW (1.76 GW) and the tree-year mean is around 2 GW annually. Orders signed 2021 are to be commissioned during 2022-2024.
Turbine contracts per quarter

550 MW of new turbine orders were signed in the 4:th quarter of 2021, compared with the fourth quarter average of 808 MW for the last 4 years. In total, 1.76 GW was contracted during 2021, whereof 87 % in first and last quarter.

* Q4 2021, the rare event that a project was sold by one OEM to another occurred, which introduces an error in total volumes and makes turbine orders significantly higher than added commissioning.
Commissioning soared to a new record high of 1,090 GW during fourth quarter. Annually, record breaking 2,1 GW was commissioned, compared with 1 GW in 2020 and 1.5 GW in 2019. Decomission is not measured and considered negligible.
Turbine contracts and commissioning [MW] average 2016–2021

The fourth quarter normally exceeds rest of the year both in terms of sales and commissioning.

Turbine orders quarterly share

- Q1: 718; 42%
- Q2: 276; 16%
- Q3: 483; 29%
- Q4: 224; 13%

Commissioning per quarter

- Q1: 808; 53%
- Q2: 239; 15%
- Q3: 133; 9%
- Q4: 345; 23%

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Technology development.

Power rating on installed turbines are up 0.2 MW/year over the last 20 years – and increasing.

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Technology development is increasing.

Power rating on installed turbines are up 0.57 MW/year over the last 5 years.
The capacity growth is at record high levels [7 TWh or 2 GW per year]
Investment pressure is high on permitted projects, for all in SE3 and SE4.
The rate of addition is likely to slow down after 2024, due to lack of permits, especially in the southernmost bidding areas, SE3 and SE4.
Towards 2025; the accumulated installed wind power is likely reaching 18 GW, with normal year production reaching above TWh, making wind power the second largest source of power in Sweden.
Short term forecast is based on investment decisions and an estimation of buildable projects and new projects based on the permitting situation.
Scheduled commissioning – record high scheduled commission for 2021 and 2022

Time plan according to turbine manufacturers order books for wind power installations during year (MW) *

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<td>988</td>
<td>297</td>
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<td>2104</td>
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Difference since last quarter:

-113*  -260*  +418*  +502*

*When delayed, turbine ratings may change, why sum is not always "0".

Also, in this quarter, the rare event that a project was sold by one OEM to another occurred, which makes turbine orders significantly higher than added commissioning.
Previous Q4-forecasts vs actual installed wind power capacity
Short term forecast, 2022-02-08
Bidding area break down of scheduled commissioning [MW]

SE1 and SE2 has a bigger area and punches despite that somewhat above its size.

- **SE1**: 1392 MW (34%)
- **SE2**: 865 MW (21%)
- **SE3**: 385 MW (9%)
- **SE4**: 299 MW (8%)
- **SE4**: 8% (36%)
- **SE3**: 299 MW (27%)
- **SE2**: 767 MW (36%)
- **SE1**: 2066 MW (36%)

*Added 2024 (signed)*
*Added 2023 (signed)*
*In operation 31/12 2021*

Estimated Bidding-zone-area of total land area in Sweden [% of 450 000 km²]
Turbine contracts [MW] - share of ongoing and scheduled commissioning on bidding zone

Why are the SE1 and SE2 are dominant

• Many municipalities use their "veto" to slash new project development in the south.

• Rigid restrictions linked to Swedish armed forces and airports lock down many locations

• Despite stronger price signals on both electricity market and grid fees, permitting new project is still key to development.
Wind power production forecast – all cases

In the near term, a strong growth regarding electricity production is forecasted for all cases.
Three different scenarios; low, base and high

- In High, the future is based on the historical strong trend. Buildout continues and no projects are decomissioned!
- In Base, the future is based on estimation of success rate and lead time in todays project portfolio in permitting and consultation process. For future years there is an assumption of continuation of historical trend.
- In Lowm, some projects are cancelled and only 50 % of the permitting in base case is assumed
- Stop-scenario is included as a reference, with no new sales after 2023 and no new commissioning after 2025

- Investment pressure is high on permitted projects, and getting higher, but without new permits, no investments can be made.
- The rate of addition is key to keep up electrification, hence the reference line at 6, 7, 8 TWh in figures.
- Lead times are up to 10 years for wind power, why actions in the past years are influencing market position in the future.
- The capacity growth is at record high levels [7 TWh or 2 GW per year] but likely decreasing due to lack of buildable projects
Wind power production forecast - base and "stop"-case

In the near term, a strong growth regarding electricity production is forecasted for all cases.
Wind power production forecast – base scenario with reference line at 7 TWh

The near term growth ratio is not set to last without further actions.
Support lines at 6 and 8 TWh growth rate

The base case shows some recovery but growth rate is falling to below 1.5 GW (4 TWh) annually.
Theme: consultation process
Comissioning is the last step and there are losses in each step...

**Consultation process**
- Armed forces, Sapmi, Local interests, Nature, etc.

**Environmental permit process**
- Formal assessment of the environmental and societal aspects

**Permit granted**
- Going through the financing process. Is project compatible?

**Comissioning**
- Turbines built and connected

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**Early assessment**
- Basic conditions fulfilled. Wind resource, grid, opposing interests
Planning capacity must be much higher than expected build out.

Targeting 6-8 TWh yearly requires 30-40 TWh going into the public consultation process.

- **6 TWh**
  - With permit
  - Can be built

- **12 TWh**
  - Permitting
  - if 50% is permitted

- **24 TWh**
  - Consultation
  - 50% moves on to permit process

- **+6 TWh**
  - Consultation if 10% less permitted