



SONG CHUNG HYDROPOWER VIETNAM

Closing the energy gap in Vietnam



This project, located in the Quang Binh district in the rural Northeast of Vietnam, an area characterized by amazing landscapes, limestone pinnacles and granite outcrops is home to a diverse ethnic minority groups. The hydropower plant generates approximately 63,420 megawatt hours of clean, renewable energy each year.



Delivering clean hydropower to the Hà Giang Province in Northern Vietnam.

The Song Chung Project is located on the Con River in Vietnam's Northern Hà Giang province, a mountainous region close to the border with China. A three-unit hydropower plant harnesses the flow of the river to generate approximately 63,420 MWh of clean energy each year, which is fed into the national grid and helps close the supply-demand gap.

By delivering clean and renewable energy to communities in the Quang Binh district, the project avoids the use of carbon-intensive, fossil fuel-based power plants and contributes to stabilizing the national electricity grid. At an installed capacity of only 19.5 megawatts, this plant is relatively small in size which ensures that there are no significant environmental impacts.

The project owner has contributed to improving the existing infrastructure, created new jobs, and supported the sustainable development of the region by funding schools and social programmes for vulnerable community members.

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION



245.6

ha water reservoir improves irrigation in the region

7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY



63,420

MWh generated each year

13 CLIMATE ACTION



26,000

tCO₂e prevented each year

For more information on the UN Sustainable Development Goals please visit: <http://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/sustainable-development-goals/>

CHECKLIST PROJECT

Commercial Operation Date

May 2011

Total capacity

19.5 MW

Quality Assurance and Verification

Rina Services Spa

Transparency

RECs listed in GoldPower Register

Underpinning carbon credits retired in Swiss National Registry

Marketing material

High-resolution pictures available

Reportability

Meets GHG Protocol criteria

GoldPower credentials projects certified by

GoldPower credentials reportable under

Gold Standard



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