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### The Energy Efficiency Index of the German Industry

Selected results



























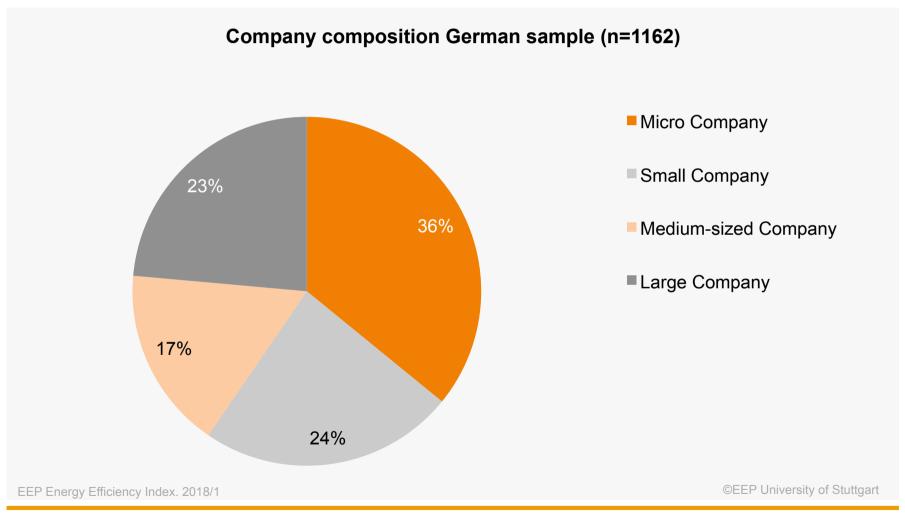
Buckle-up!

## a snap-shot of selected results of past years



#### **Composition of Overall sample by Company Size**

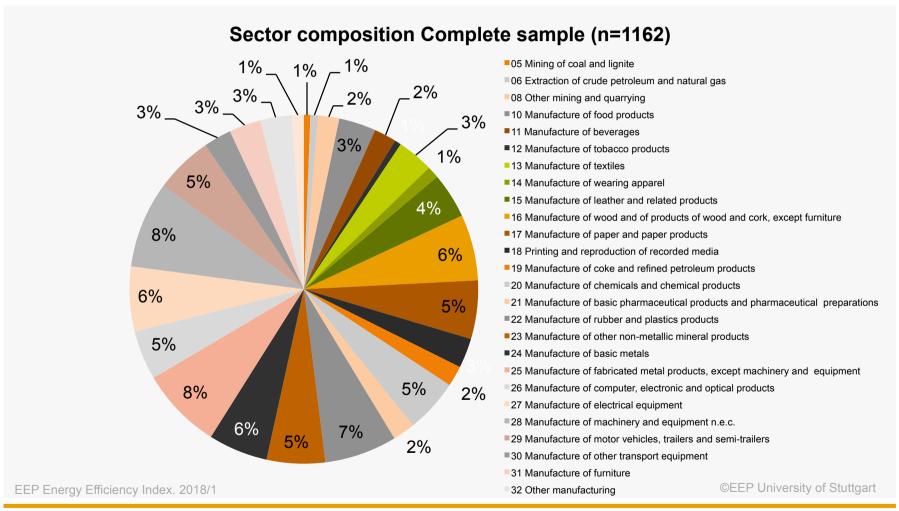
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#### Composition of Overall sample by sector

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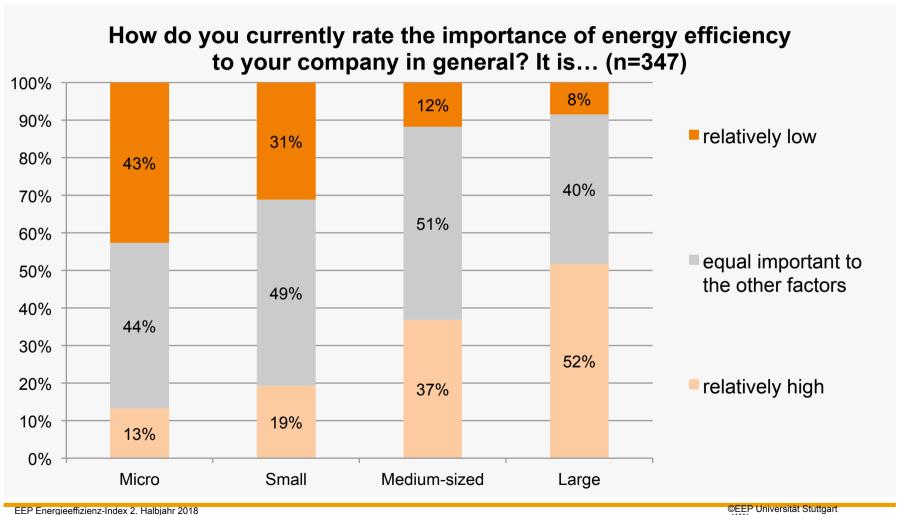


## What does efficiency matter?



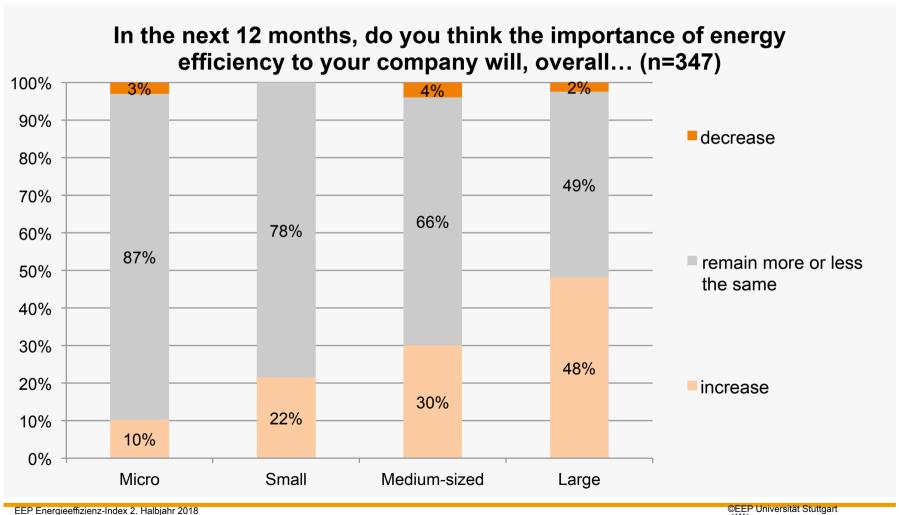
#### Importance of energy efficiency

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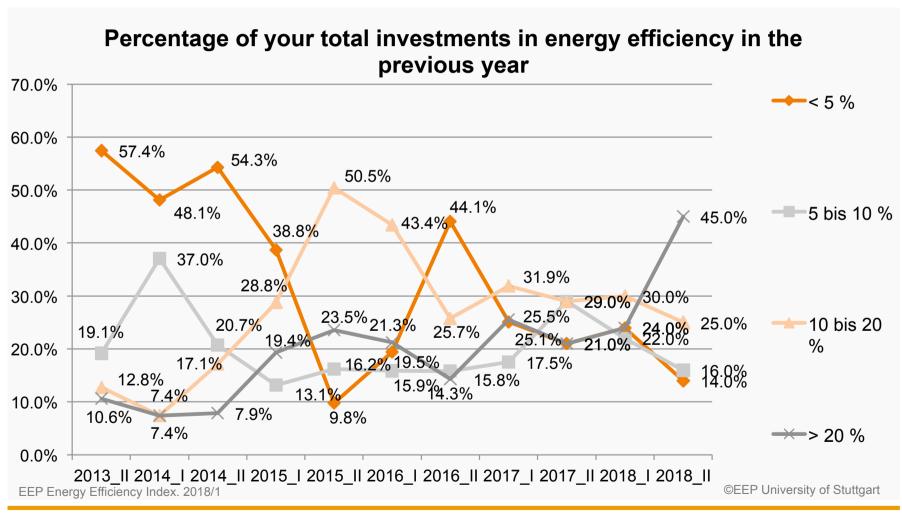
#### Importance of energy efficiency in the future

With increasing size of the company being energy efficient in the future gains in importance



#### Percentage of your total investments in the previous year

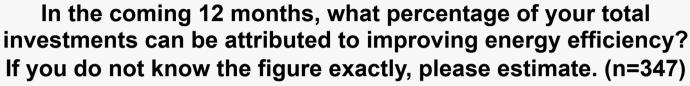
Over the last five years there was a trend towards more investments in energy efficiency

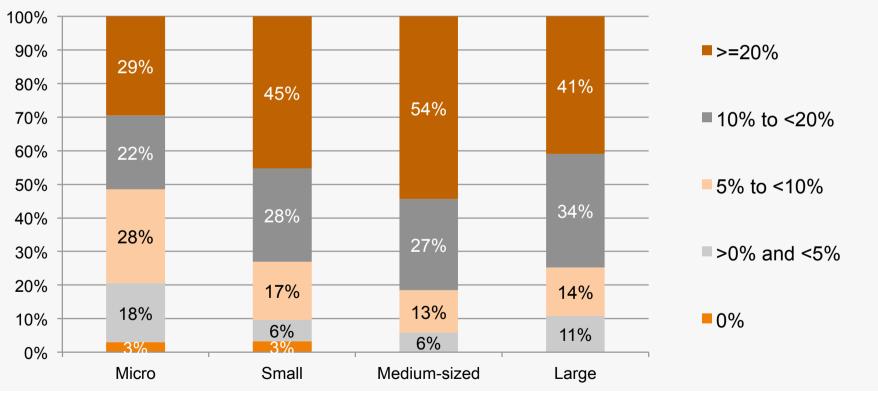




#### Percentage of your total investments in the future

In the following year 97% of Micro and Small Businesses and 100% of the Mediumsized and Large ones will invest in improving their energy efficiency



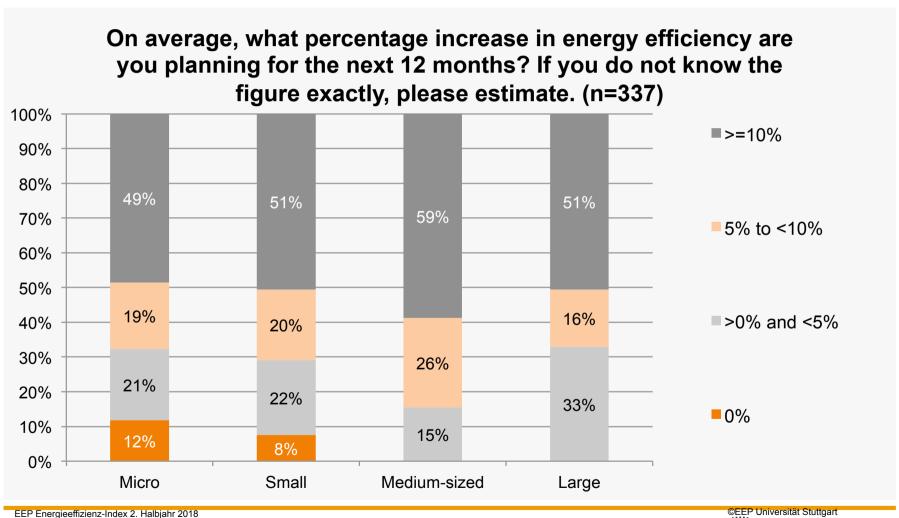


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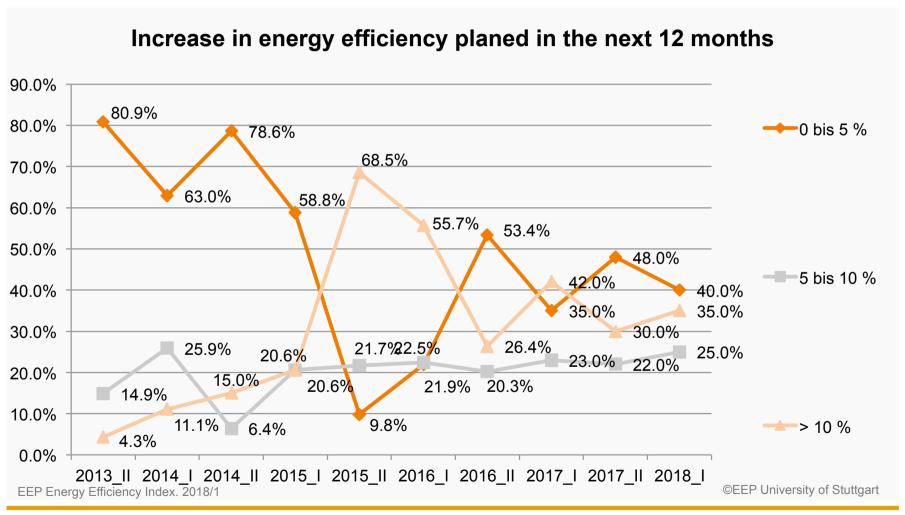
#### Increase in energy efficiency

This year 100% of participating medium-sized and large companies plan to increase their energy efficiency, a large proportion of micro and small ones, too



#### Increase in energy efficiency

Over the last five years, the proportion of companies intending to increase their energy efficiency by 10%+ went up eightfold









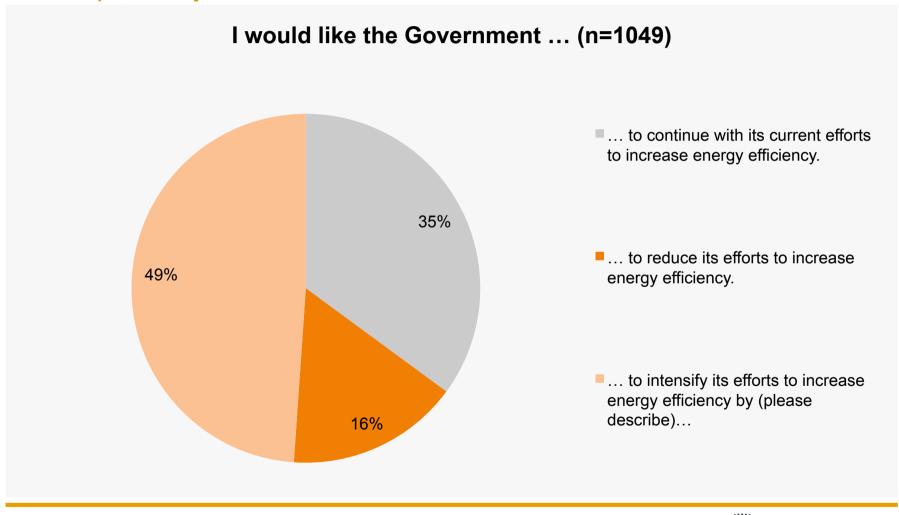


# Long-lasting negotiations to form a new government



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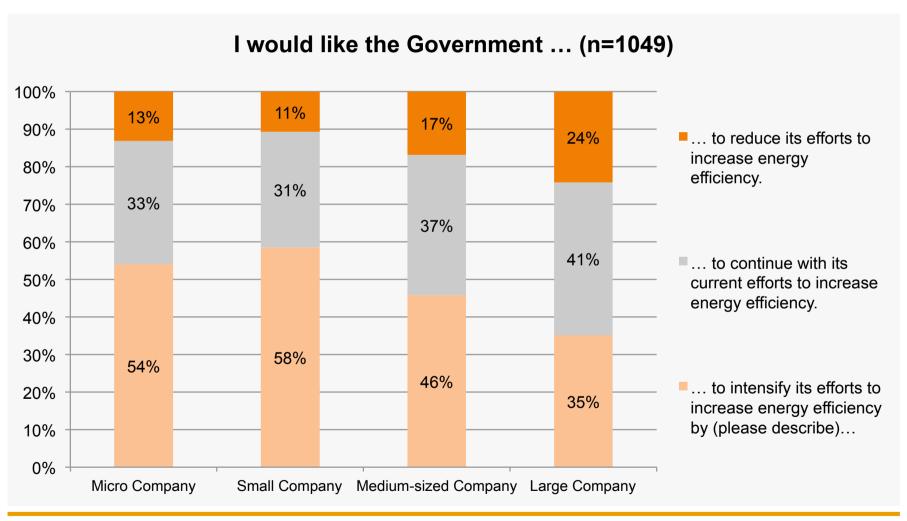
4/5th of companies would like to see the level of ambition and activity at least kept, nearly half even intensified





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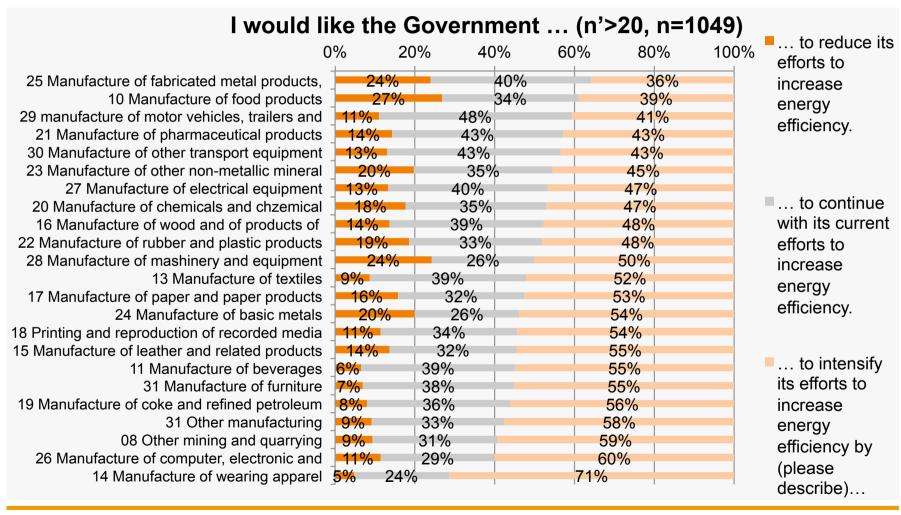
Particularly smaller companies demand increasing efforts undertaken by the government





#### What action would companies like to see of the Government?

#### Opinions differ a lot amongst sectors



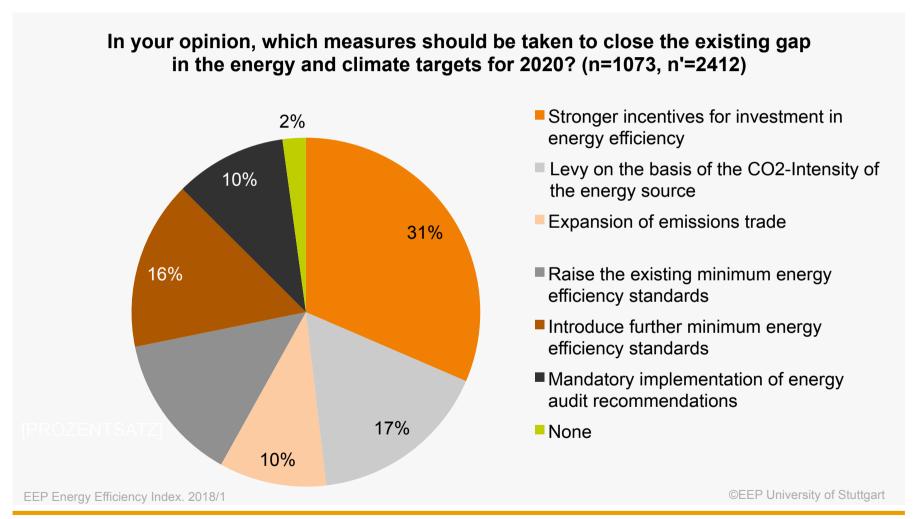


## Coalition agreement admits goals will be missed



#### Closing the existing gap

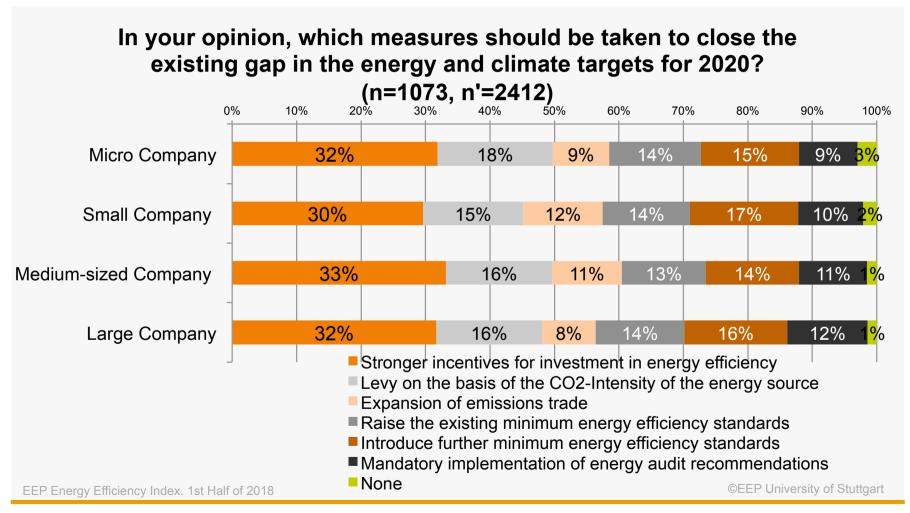
Almost all companies surveyed support closing the action gap towards achieving energy and climate targets





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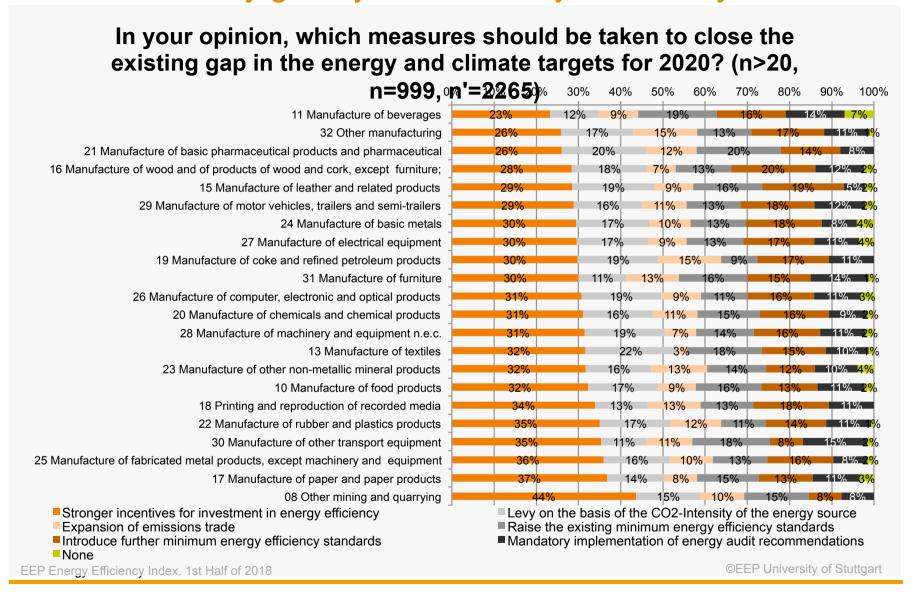
Regardless of company size, nearly 70% of companies are open to additional requirements to achieve the energy and climate targets





#### Closing the existing gap

#### Preferences vary greatly from industry to industry

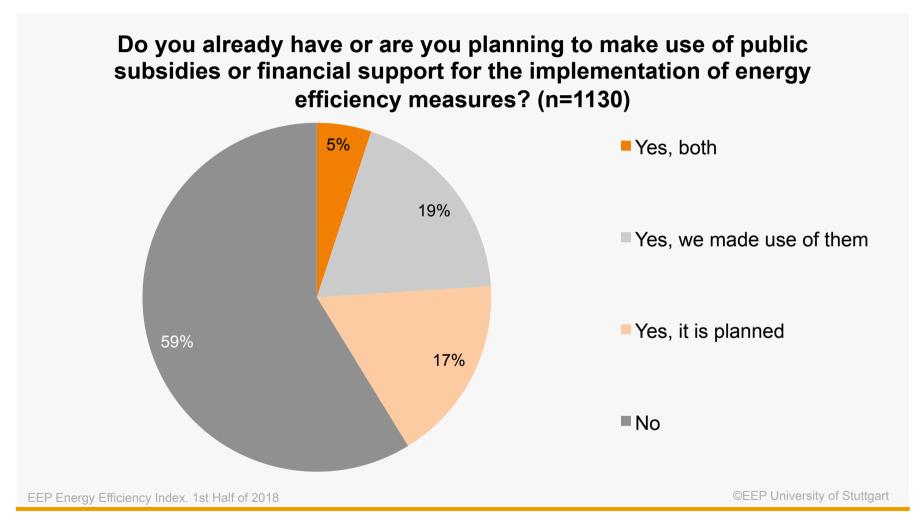




### Getting it funded

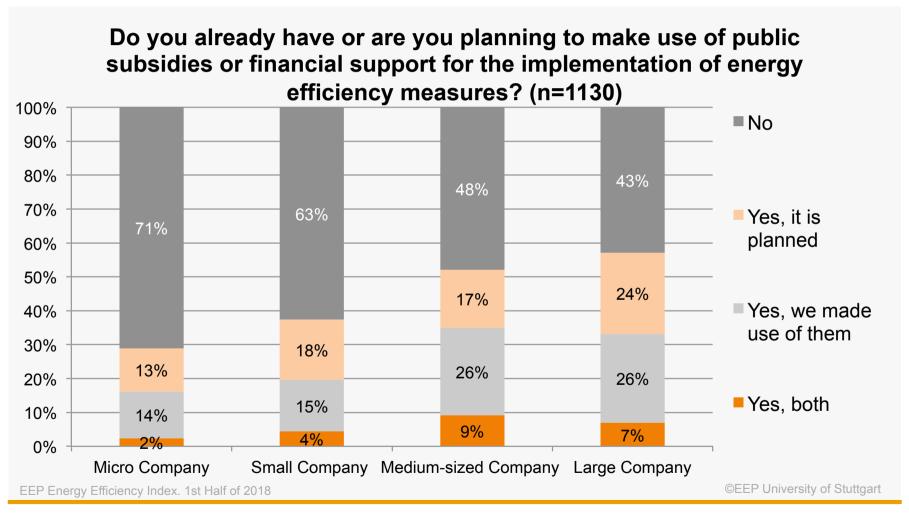


Most companies have not yet made use of any subsidies or public financial support.



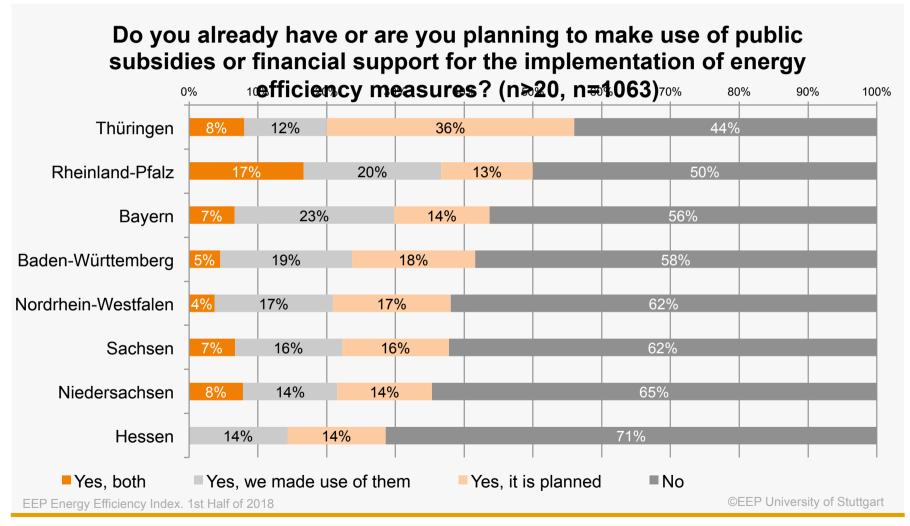


The smaller a company, the less the current portfolio of support mechanisms seems to be adequate / of interest



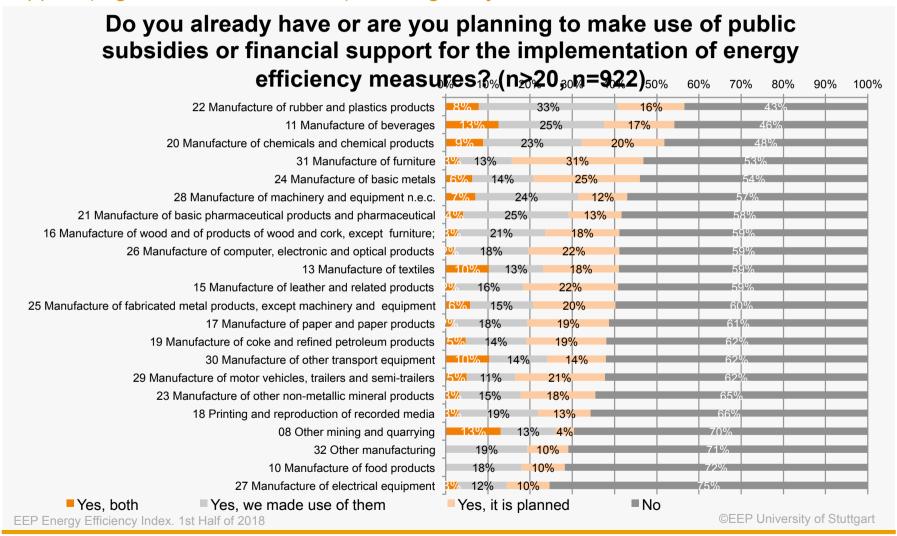


#### There are very large differences between the federal states





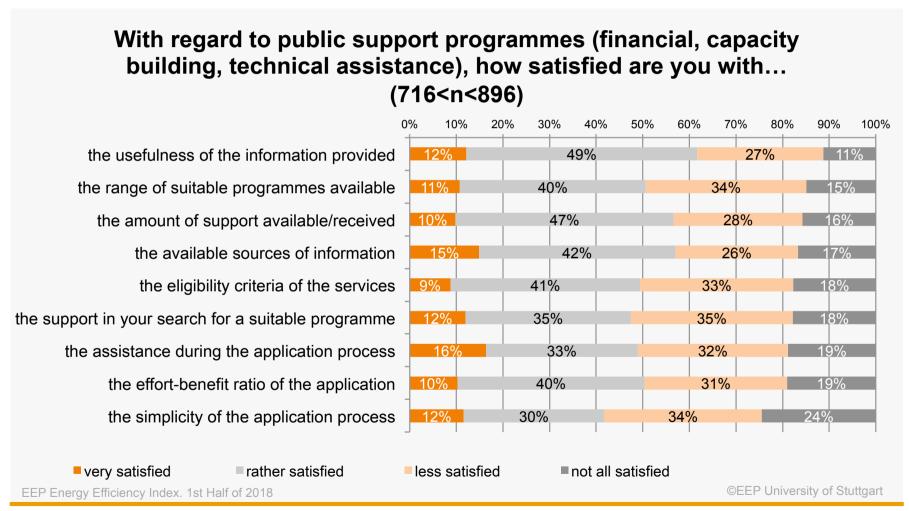
The proportion of companies that do not make use of any subsidies or financial support (regardless of the reason) differs greatly across sectors.





#### Satisfaction with public support programmes

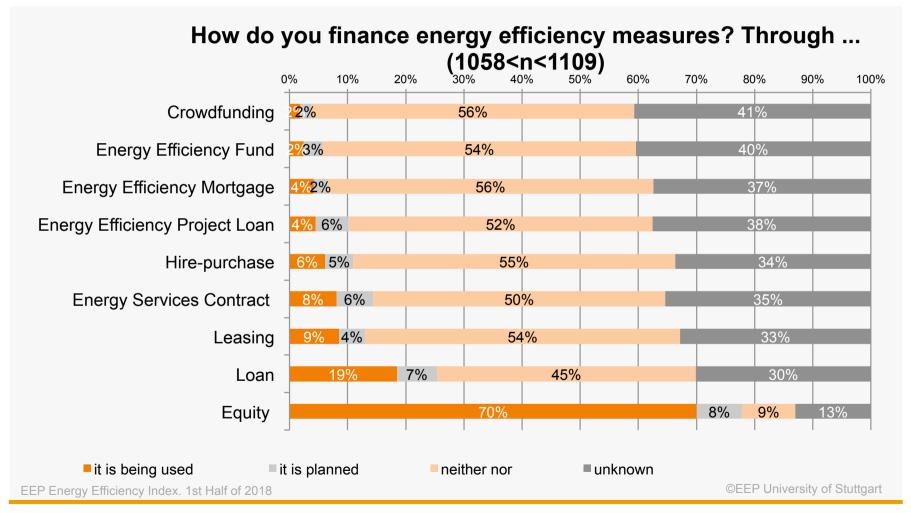
The application for public support programmes is seen as the most unsatisfying aspect by companies





#### Financing of energy efficiency measures

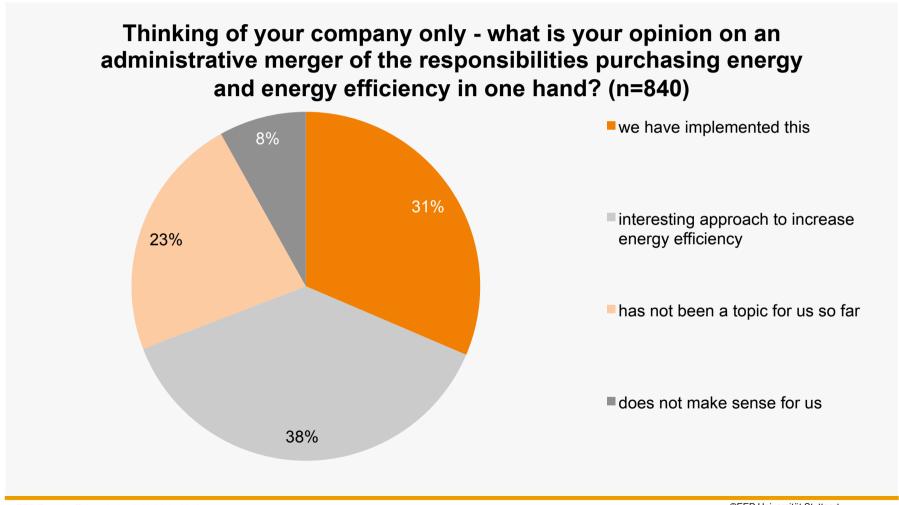
So far, alternative methods of financing have hardly been used





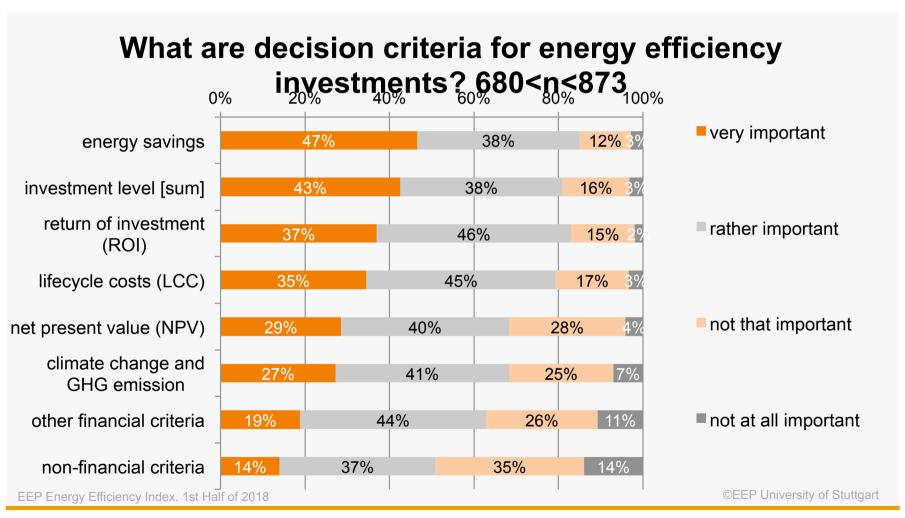
#### Merging energy purchase and energy efficiency

There is big potential and interest but so far little knowledge about it



#### Decision criteria for energy efficiency investments

Regarding the investments economic/financial factors are crucial



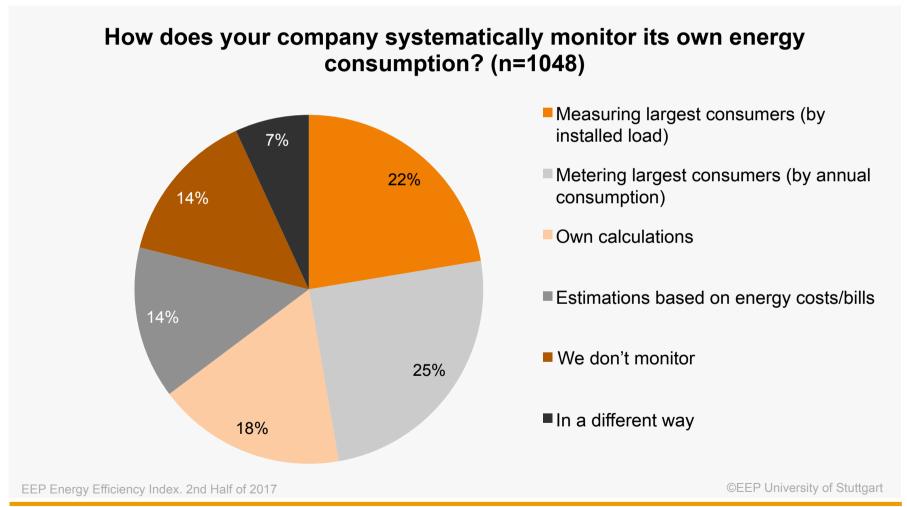


## Going about it systematically



#### Systematic monitoring of energy consumption

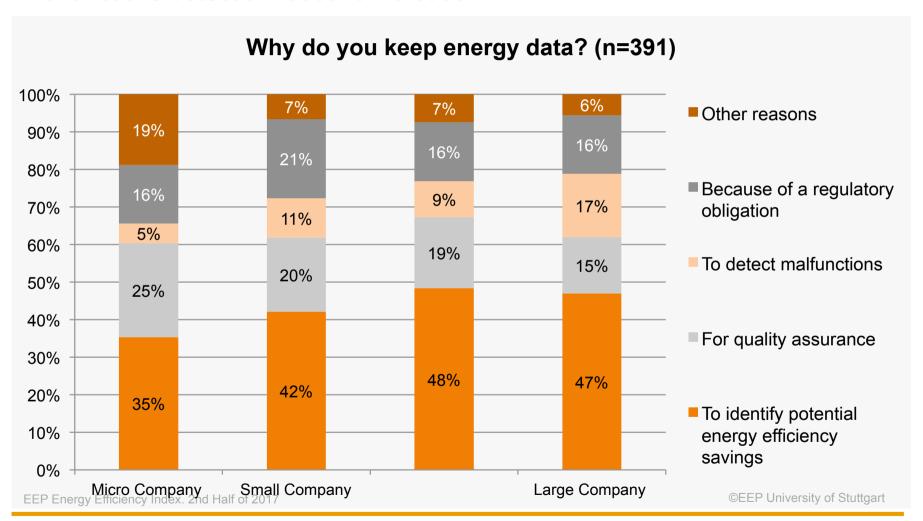
Almost half of the companies record energy consumption through measurement.





#### Measurement: reason (multiple choice)

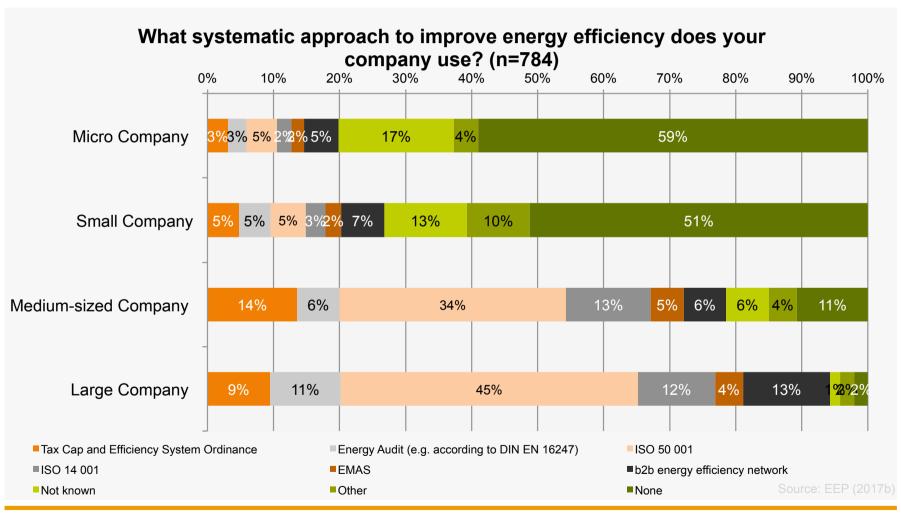
Identifying potential energy efficiency savings is the most important reason. While quality assurance reasons decrease according to the company size, malfunctions detection reasons increase.





#### Systematic Approach (multiple choice)

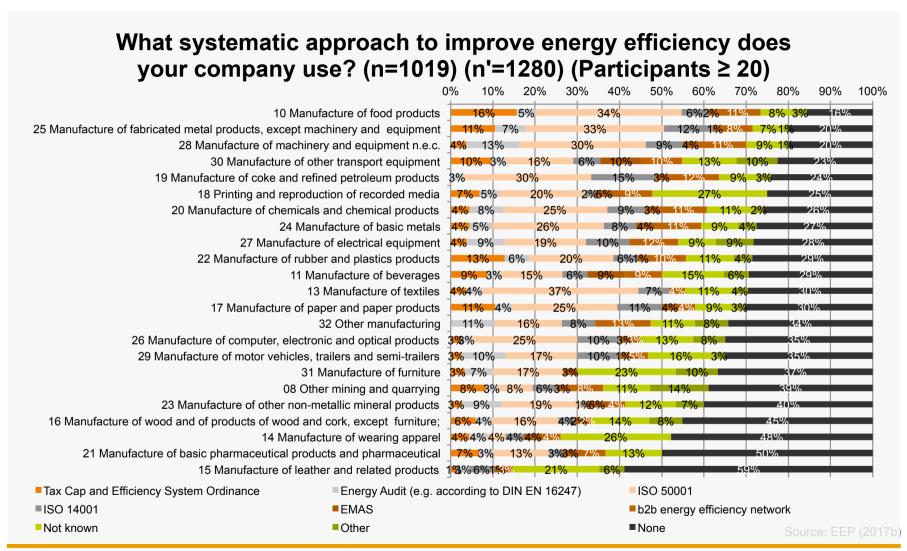
Approx. 60% of micro and small enterprises do not use a systematic approach, the majority of larger companies use ISO 50001.





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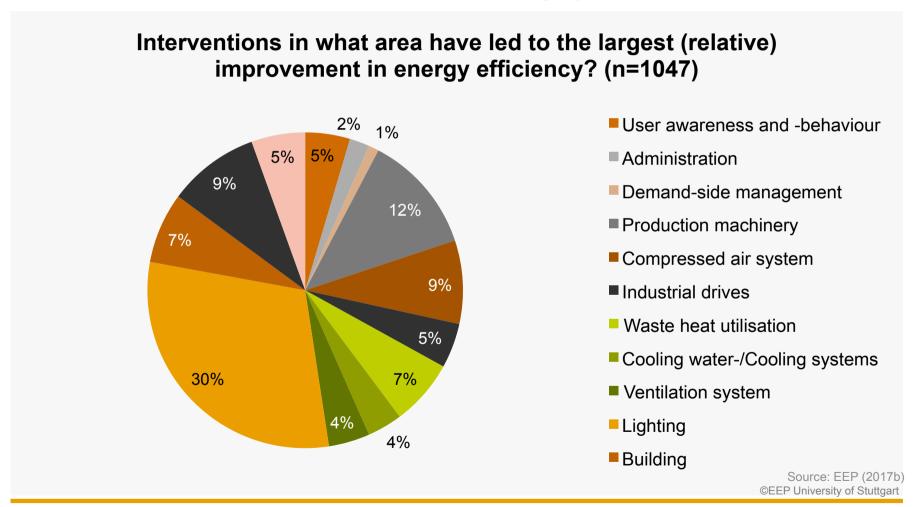
The share of enterprises using a systematic approach is high in sectors 10 and 25. 50% of companies in sectors 21 and 15 do not use any.





### Areas with largest improvement on EE (multiple choice)

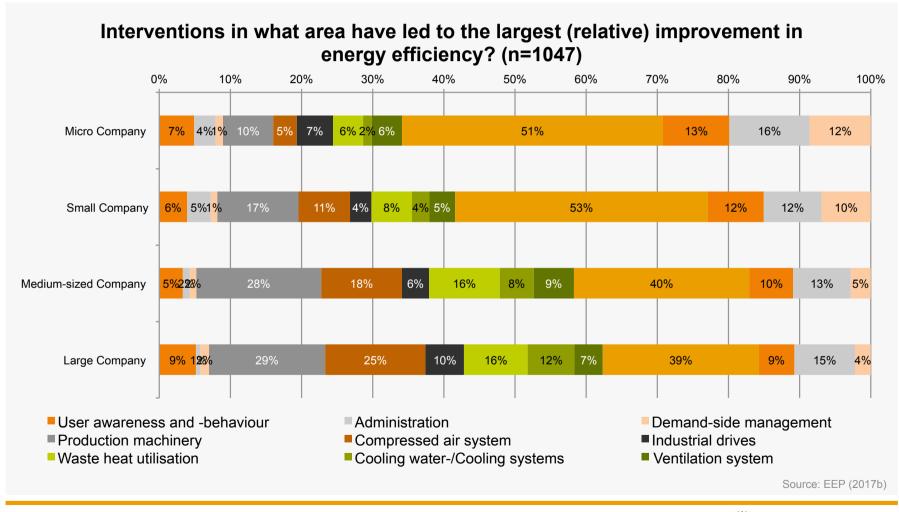
In addition to lighting, the relatively biggest savings were made in production plants, compressed air and heating systems.



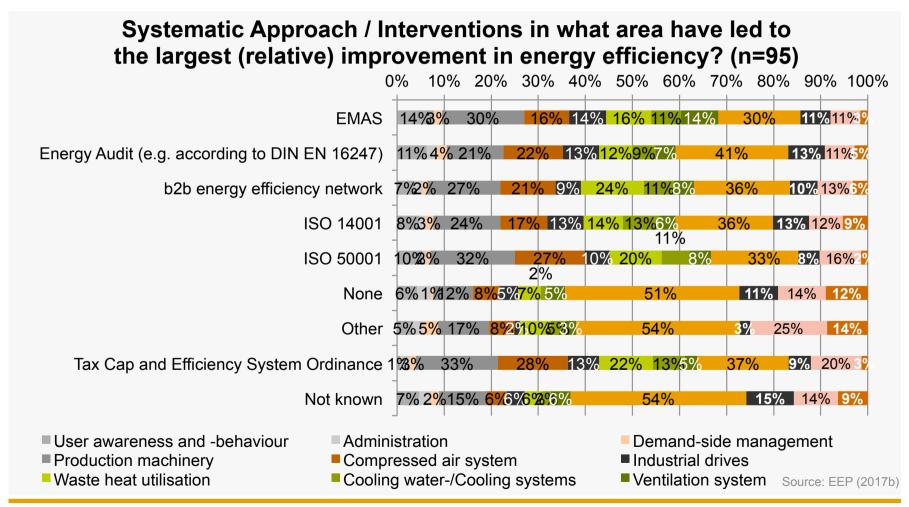


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For larger companies, above all, relatively largest savings are in production plants and compressed air systems.



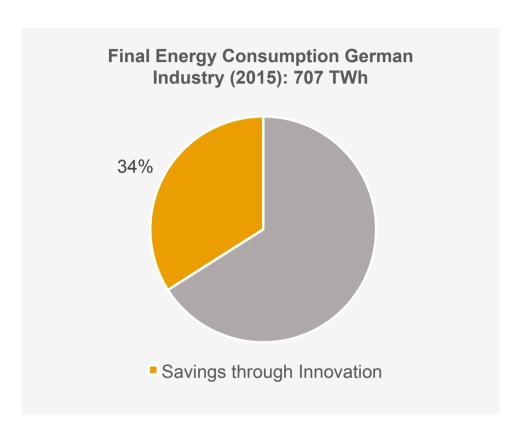
Companies with a structured approach towards energy efficiency improvements dare to tackle more complex topics allowing them to access more of their improvement potentials (in contrast to others who can barely access more than just lighting improvements)





#### Innovative Approaches to Increase Energy Efficiency

#### Impact of energy saving potentials in industry



#### Top 3 Market-ready innovations<sup>1</sup>

- 1. High-temperature Heat Pump
  - Savings potential: 170 TWh (up to 100°C)
  - CO<sub>2</sub>: 34 Mio. t/a
- 2. Intelligent Drive Technology
  - Savings potential: 26,7 TWh
  - CO<sub>2</sub>: 12,6 Mio. t/a
- 3. Optimizing Energy Network Systems
  - Savings potential: 33,4 TWh
  - CO<sub>2</sub>: 6,9 Mio. t/a



Market-ready innovations allow for significant reduction of industrial energy consumption and hence also significantly contribute to reducing CO2-emissions

Source: BMWi Studie (2017): Marktverfügbare Innovationen mit hoher Relevanz für die Energieeffizienz in der Industrie

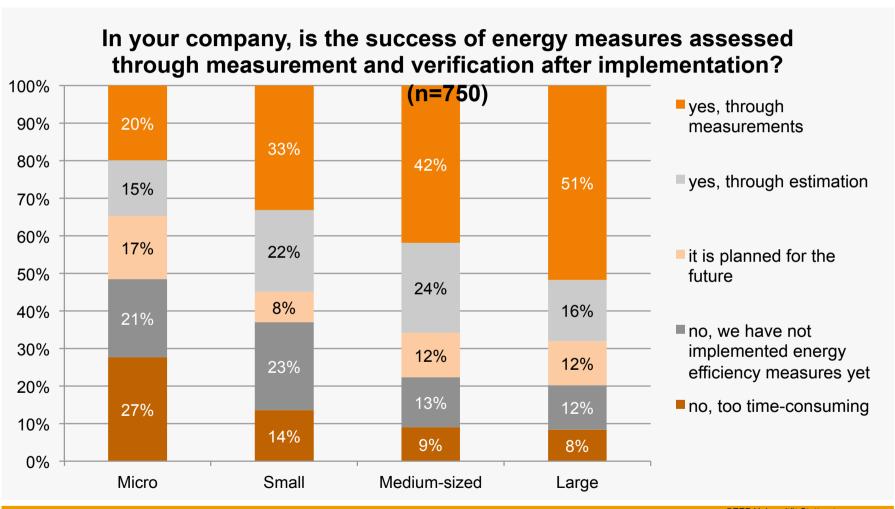
1: figures for Germany





### **Use of Measurement & Verification (M&V)**

The smaller a company the lower the probability of it using M&V measures



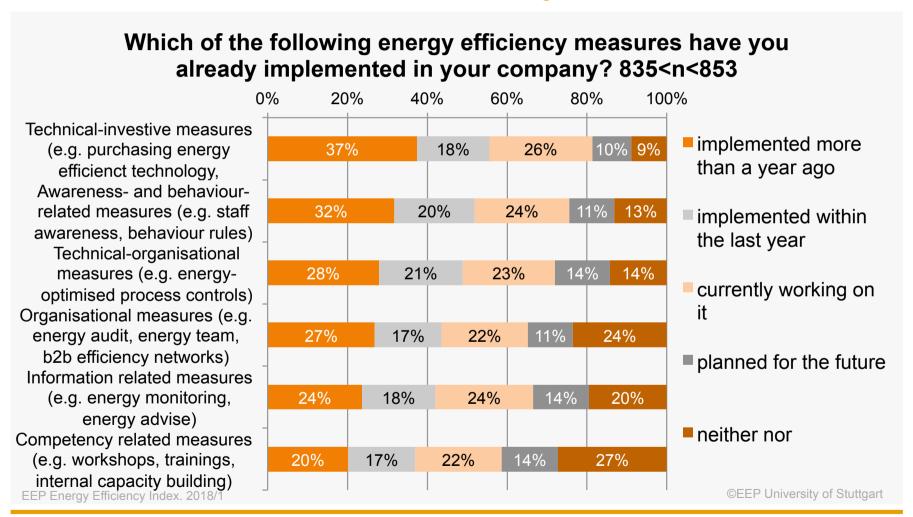
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### What type of measures have companies implemented?

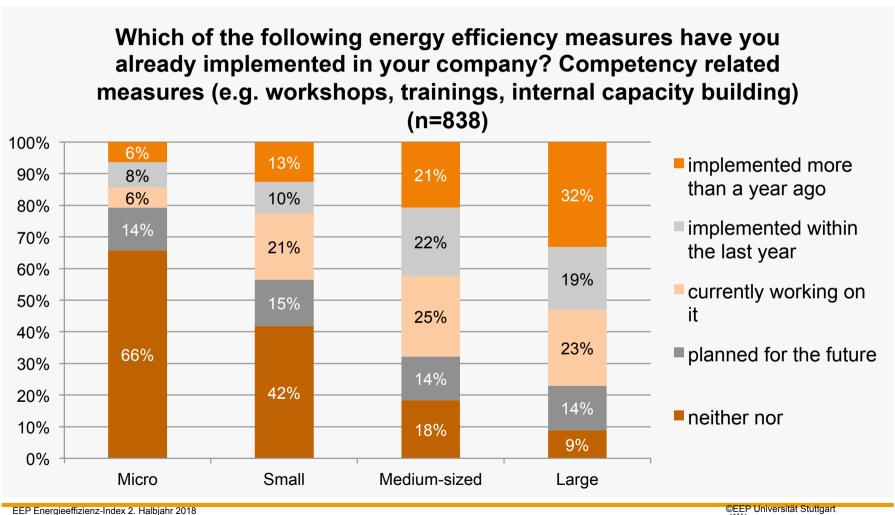
Competency related activities lag significantly behind other areas of intervention – result of late-mover disadvantage?





### Implementation of competency related measures

There is a big deficit for micro and small companies, especially in relation to the bigger ones

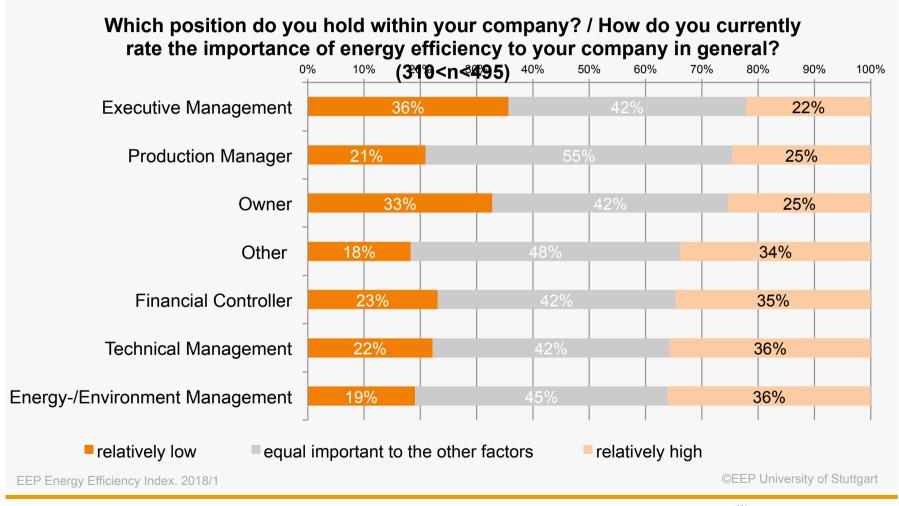


### Who needs nudgeing?



## The importance of energy efficiency in relation to the role in the company

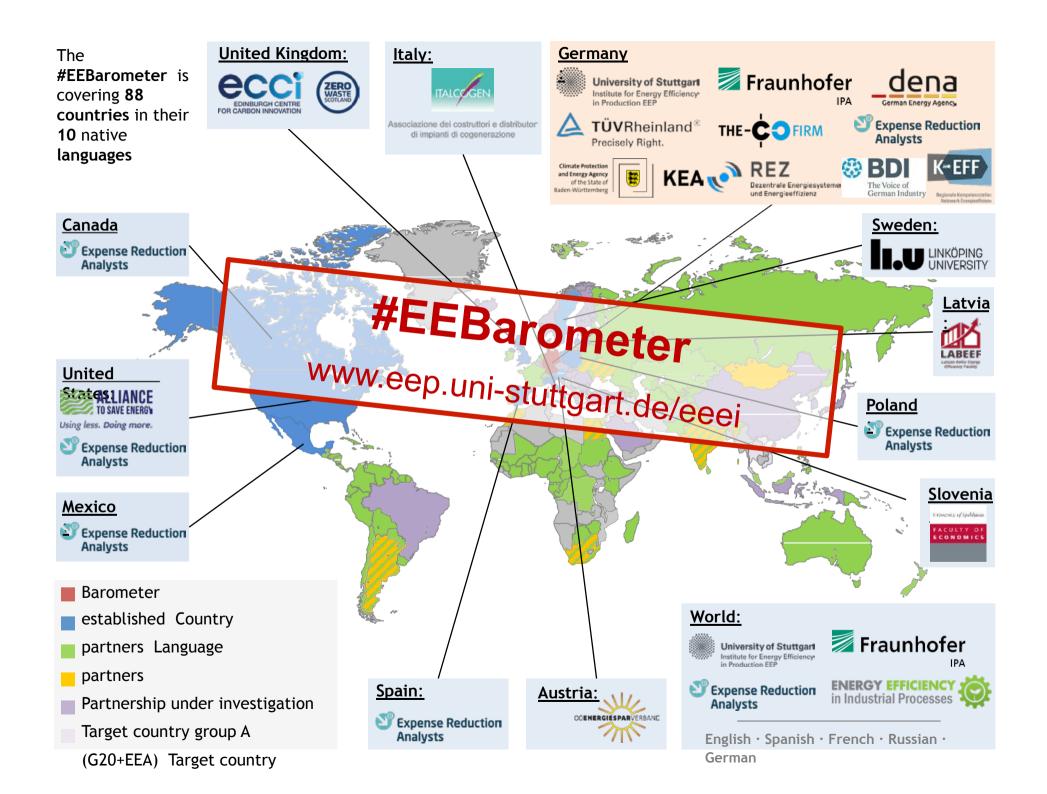
The share of responders attaching a relatively low importance to energy efficiency compared to other topics is considerably higher amongst executive management and owners. Also, along with production managers they least often consider EE as important.





### Not just for us



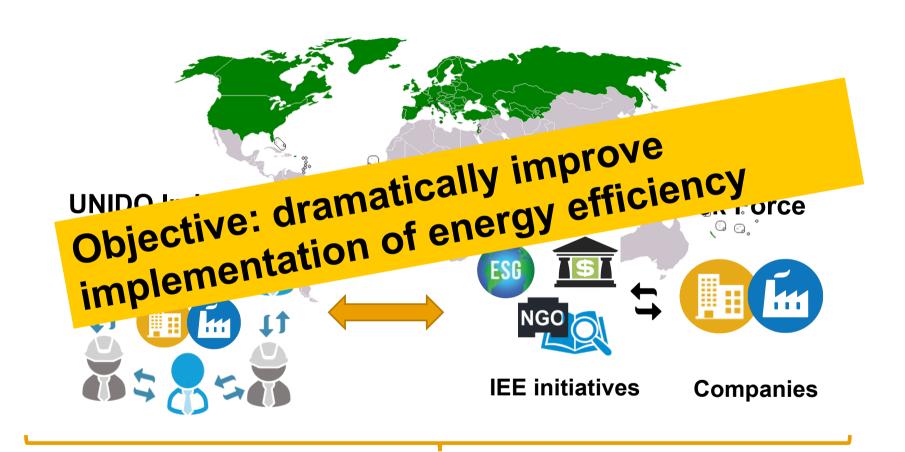


# Triggering the decision for energy efficiency

### **UNECE Industry Efficiency Task Force**



Efficiency is not difficult, just complicated



### **Facilitating implementation action**





We're in a race against time – all is at stake

Let's get on with it! together.

now.

### **Thank You!**

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