

 Early Warning System

EIB-20240526

UKRAINE DISTRICT HEATING



## Quick Facts

<b>Countries</b>	Ukraine
<b>Specific Location</b>	Kyiv, Kharkiv, Odesa and their suburbs
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	European Investment Bank (EIB)
<b>Status</b>	Approved
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	U
<b>Voting Date</b>	2024-12-11
<b>Borrower</b>	ACCEPTABLE BANK(S)
<b>Sectors</b>	Energy, Law and Government
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Loan
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 268.83 million



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## Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the operation will finance municipal district heating and energy efficiency projects carried out by local authorities in Ukraine.

The aim is to urgently help Ukraine face the energy crisis after the attacks inflicted by Russia to over 800 district heating plants since early 2024.

The loss of cogeneration capacities in several large cities, led to strong concern about the municipalities' ability to ensure vital heating during the two coming winters. The most affected areas are Kyiv, Kharkiv, Odesa and their suburbs, inhabited by approximately 6.5 million people.

In this context, the project scope is to restore the electricity and heat generation capacity destroyed or out of order to ensure minimum critical services for the next winters.



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- European Investment Bank (EIB)



## Contact Information

*No contacts available at the time of disclosure.*

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**Bank Documents**

- [Environmental and Social Data Sheet \(ESDS\)](#)



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