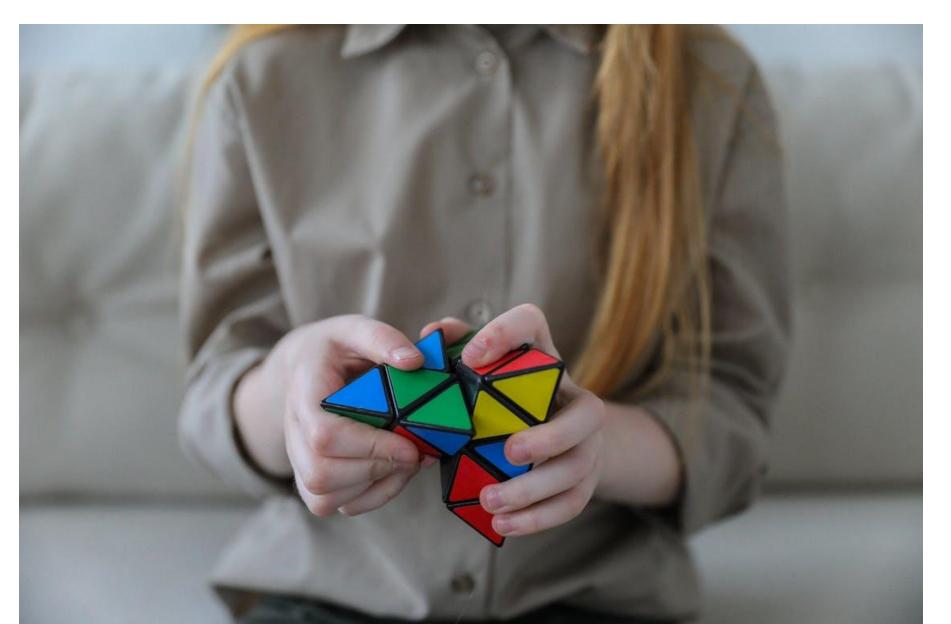


## Promoting Energy Community system for guarantees of origin for electricity

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## It's plug and play but...



## Enabling green economy since 2003

#### Leading energy certificate registry provider

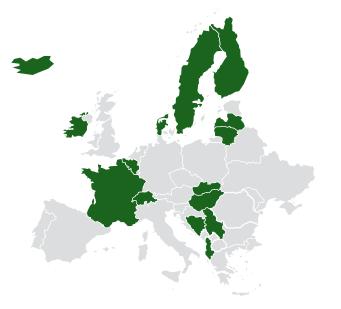
- 40 professionals in 3 countries, HQ in Finland
- Used in 18 countries by over 20 000 companies
- ISO 27001 certified for IT security
- Carbon neutral

#### GO registries for all energy carriers

- Electricity, biogas, hydrogen and heating & cooling
- Continuously updated for many clients collectively
- Compliance with EECS, CEN 16325 and RED I & II
- 20 years' experience in EECS, GOs and disclosure

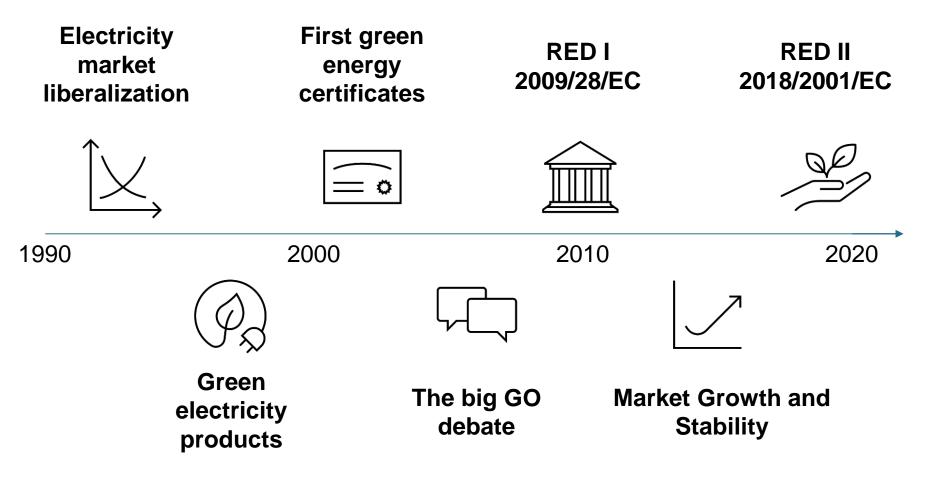
#### Part of European Energy Exchange Group

 Grexel can contribute to greater energy market infrastructure (exchange and clearing).



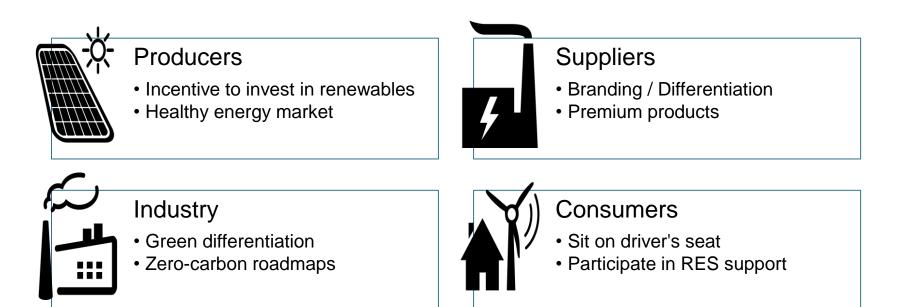
- 9 EECS-GO electricity registries
- 5 Biogas certificate/GO registries
- 2 Heating and cooling GO registries
- 1 Support certificate registry
- 1 Hydrogen certificate registry
- 1 GO auction platform
- 1 Carbon removal registry
- 22 registries in 18 countries

## GO history in a nutshell



- GOs are not to be mixed with:
  - Green certificates used for public support schemes
  - Sustainability certification renewable transport fuels (RED II, Art.25)

# Promoting RE investments and engaging consumers in the energy transition





#### Government

- Hassle-free support instrument
- Insight on consumers' WTP

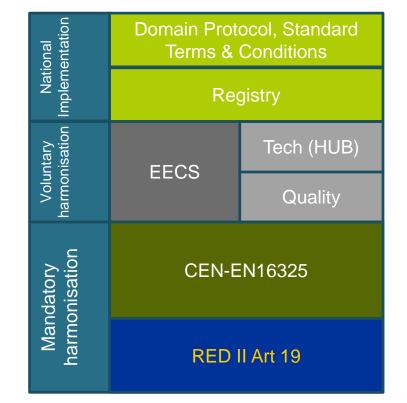


#### Environment

- More green power
- Accountable industry
- Consumer driven energy transition

## International harmonization – Association of Issuing Bodies and EECS

- Manages the European Energy Certificate System - EECS.
  - Voluntarily harmonized quality and technical standard for GOs
- Manages the AIB HUB which is the interface between national registries
- 27 Countries connected to the AIB HUB
  - Members are governmentally appointed issuing bodies (1 per domain)



### How to fulfill all this?



# Project: Establishment of a Regional system for guarantees of origin in the Energy Community



- 1. Establish a national electricity GO registry in each domain:
  - GOs internationally transferrable among the Energy Community domains
  - Fulfills EECS, RED I&II, CEN requirements now and in the future.
  - System extendable to all energy sources and energy carriers (RED II).



#### 2. Training and knowledge transfer:

- Train all competent bodies as proficient registry users before go-live
- Familiarize other users of the system (future Account Holders)
- Knowledge transfer beyond what is strictly in the scope of the project
  - GOs, residual mix, disclosure, markets, EECS DP

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#### 3. Continuation framework after project:

- Developed national registries will be kept ready until June 2023
- Direct agreement made available for competent bodies and ready for signing

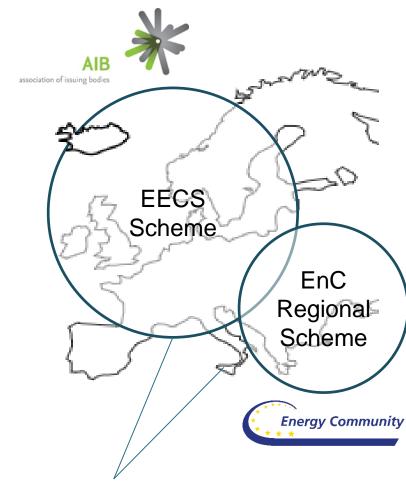


#### 4. Prepare for AIB Membership:

- Compatibility and hub connection maintenance guarantee
- Enables a stepwise approach for international transfers

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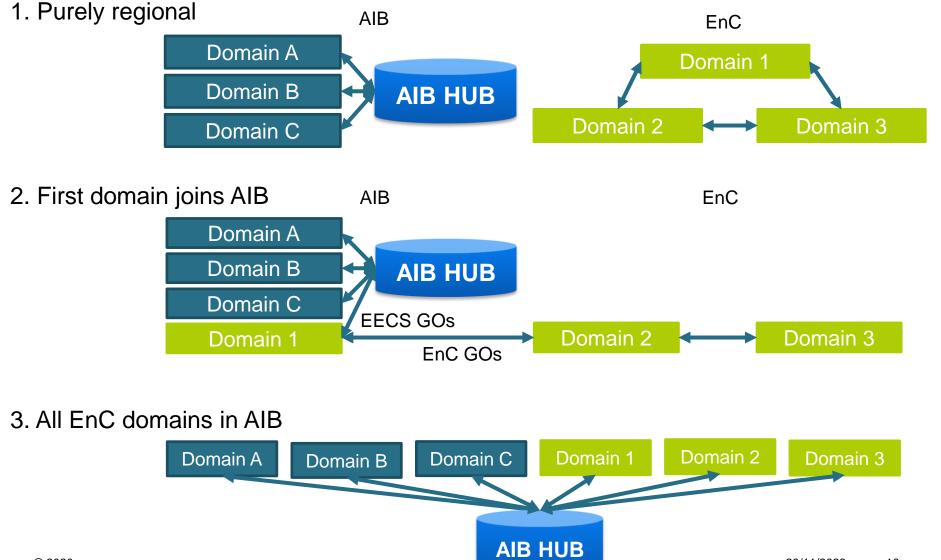


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## 3-Step approach

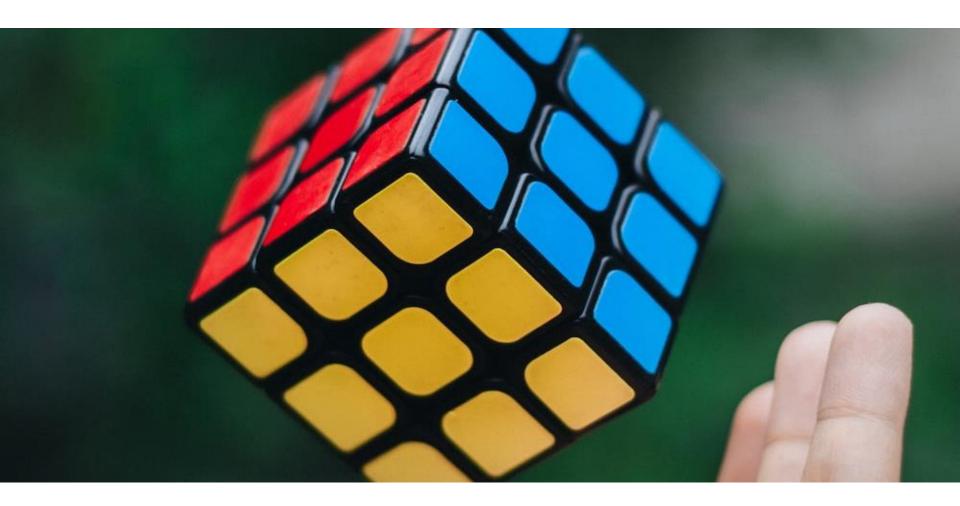


## What happens next? - Up to you

- Grexel's offer has already undergone ECS public tendering
- Future-proof compatibility guarantee for now and the future
  - AIB, CEN-16325, RED I&II
  - May be modified to meet national needs with configurations
  - May be extended to all energy carriers
  - Modern, cloud-based & API first registry
- We are ready when you are!
  - Georgia, Albania and Republika Sprska have started



## No buts...it's plug and play





#### Thank you!

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