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# **ROMANIA**

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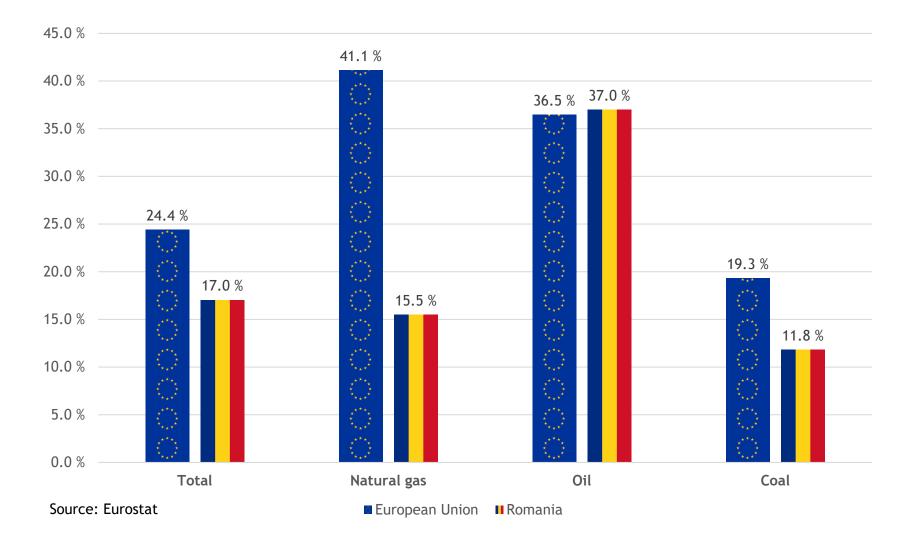








#### **DEPENDENCY ON ENERGY IMPORTS FROM RUSSIA**

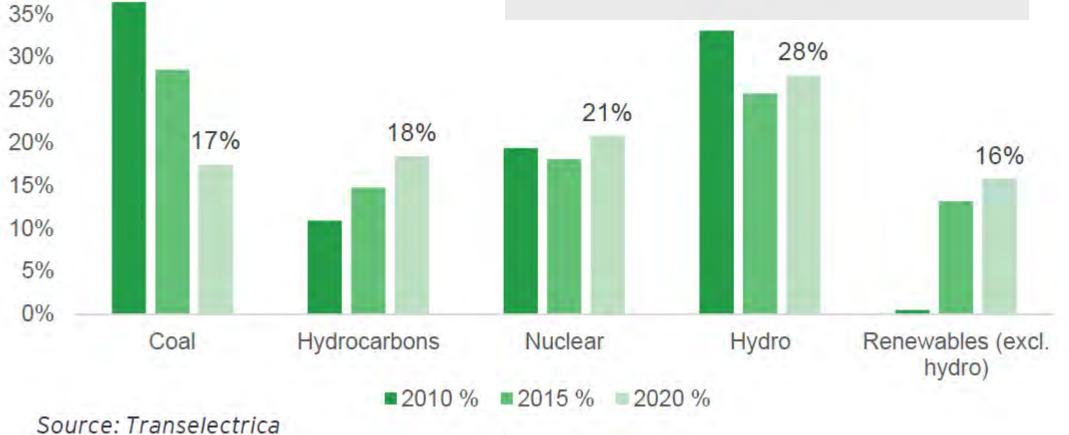




#### **ENERGY PRODUCTION**

40%

- > SMR (Small modular reactors)
- Cernavodă Reactors 3 & 4
- Target 2030: 30,7 % renewables





#### **AUSTRIA NO. 2 INVESTOR IN ROMANIA**

- ver 3.800 RO companies with AT capital
- > approx. 1.500 active AT companies
- ➤ over 100.000 direct employees

Austrian FDI in RO € 10,7 bn.

2<sup>nd</sup> in RO Ranking

RO FDI Inflow 08/2022: € 6,47 bn. (+46,5 %)

(25,1 % up from pre-crisis level 2019)



#### **AT - RO BILATERAL TRADE**





-AT exports to RO ----AT imports from RO in billion €



#### SELECTED RECENT AUSTRIAN INVESTMENTS IN ROMANIA

- > OMV:
  - 2004 Acquisition of state oil company Petrom.
  - Reinvestments of around € 17 bn.
  - 8,000 employees,
  - Largest taxpayer in the country.
  - € 11 bn. investments in renewable energies and "Energy Transition" by 2030
  - Black Sea natural gas deposit "**Neptun Deep**" could be active 2026/2027. Large investments also in the Petrobrazi refinery (coker plants, aromatics)
- > Hirschmann Automotive: Expansion and modernization of the production plant in Târgu Mureș € 28 mln., 300 new jobs

#### > Leier Baustoffe:

- Active since 2006, currently four plants.
  New plant in Câțcău opened in May 2022, other plants under construction
- > Ongoing: A leading Austrian food producer is planning a production facility in Romania and has entrusted us with the selection of the location
- > Re- & Nearshoring gains momentum, e.g. outsourcing metalworking production



## **INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS**

- > BSOG, Romgaz, OMV-Petrom ("Neptun Deep")
- BRUA (BRUSKA) Pipeline
- Port of Sulina
- Train to Constanta completed (wide gauge lane with bogiechanging facilities)

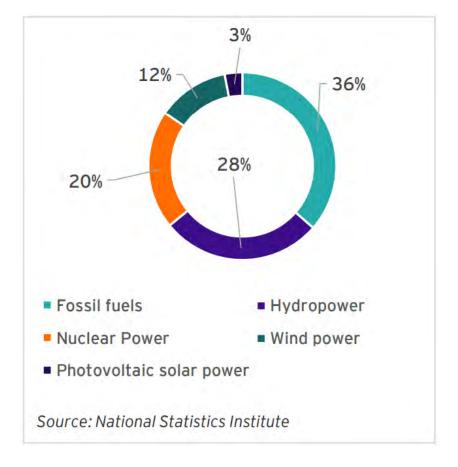




### **ENERGY TRANSITION IN ROMANIA**

- > 2030 target: 30,7 % by renewables
- > adding 7 GW of capacity (3,7 GW by solar power)
- > Romania's recovery and resilience plan:
  - ➤ Clean energy production: €855 million
  - Energy efficiency of buildings: €2.7 billion
- Cernavodă Reactors 3 & 4 (2 x 700 MW)
- ➤ 6 SMR (Small modular reactors, 462 MW)

Romania's Energy Mix









## **Questions?**

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