

Monitoring Report for Gold Standard

Fujian Zhangpu Liuaio 45MW Wind Power Project (CDM registration reference number: 1318 & GS Project ID 375)

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**Monitoring periods:
21 January, 2008 to 27 May, 2008**

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1. Introduction

This document reports the emission reductions generated by the Fujian Zhangpu Liuaio 45MW Wind Power Project, CDM registration reference number 1318, in the following monitoring period:

21 January, 2008 to 27 May, 2008(The first monitoring period of the 1st crediting period)

2. General description of the project

2.1 Project activity

The Fujian Zhangpu Liuaio 45 MW Wind Power Project is located in Liuaio town, Zhangpu County, Fujian Province, P.R.C. It involves the installation of 36 turbines, each of which has a rated output of 1250kW, providing a total capacity of 45MW. The electricity generated from the project is fed into the East China Power Grid.

The project helps reduce GHG emissions generated from the high-growth, coal-dominated power generation. And also, it contributes to sustainability in the region by reducing pollution, creating employment opportunities, promoting the local tourism industry and improving the livelihoods of local people. At a larger scale, the project assists China in stimulating and accelerating the commercialization of grid-connected renewable energy technologies and markets in China.

2.2 Technical description of the project

Location of the project activity

The project site is located in the east of Liuaio peninsula, Zhangpu County in Fujian Province. It has the Taiwan Strait to the east, Gulei Peninsula in the southwest and Jiugang town in the north. The site is 48km from the Zhangpu county government in the northwest, 100km from Zhangzhou Municipality in the north. The exact geographical coordinates of the project are 117° 28' 20" ~117° 29' 43" E, 23° 34' 25" ~24° 0' 39" N.

Technology employed by the project activity

Turbines of model 64/1250 manufactured by Suzlon are used for the project. The height of the wheel hub is 65m. The turbines are arranged in a matrix shape with row spacing of 7D and column spacing of 5D. According to the turbine layout, each turbine will be equipped with one transformer. The wind power generated will be delivered to the 110kV step-up substation by 35kV transmission lines. The power in the 110kV step-up substation will be transmitted to Changjiaoying substation.

3. Monitoring methodology and plan

The monitoring methodology ACM0002 (version 6) – “Consolidated monitoring methodology for grid-connected electricity generation from renewable sources” is

selected for the project.

3.1 Data/parameter monitored with regard to emission reductions (according to B7.1 of the registered PDD):

Data / Parameter:	EGy
Data unit:	MWh
Description:	Net electricity delivered to grid in year y
Source of data to be used:	Measured by meters
Value of data applied for the purpose of calculating expected emission reductions in section B.5	Estimation of annual electricity generation delivered to grid: 95,602 MWh
Description of measurement methods and procedures to be applied:	Hourly measured and monthly recorded
QA/QC procedures to be applied:	According to national standard, meters will be calibrated periodically. Data measured by meters will be cross checked by electricity sales receipt.
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3.2 Data/parameters monitored with regard to sustainable development benefits

Sustainable Development Indicator	Data variable	Data unit	Monitoring method
Employment(number)	No of persons recruited as a result of the construction and operation of the project	Number(person)	monitored by the employment contracts and salary payment sheets
Employment(quality)	Annual salary and social welfare received by the staff	Yuan/person	monitored by the salary payment sheets and records of social welfare

4. Quality Control(QC) and Quality Assurance(QA)

4.1 QA/QC procedures

Uncertainty level of data is low. Electricity delivered to the grid by the project is the electricity exported to the grid by the project minus the electricity imported from the project.

A pair of meters (one main meter and one backup meter) with accuracy of 0.2s has been installed at the wind farm to monitor the electricity exported to and imported from the grid. When the main meter is out of order, the readings from the backup meter will be used for reference.

Electricity exported and imported is continuously measured by the main meter, daily recorded and monthly aggregated. Periodical electricity sales receipts are used for double check.

The main meter was calibrated by a qualified third party periodically in accordance with relevant national regulation. Calibration certificate of the main meter and the accreditation certificate for the calibrator have been provided to the verifier

4.2 Roles and responsibilities

The monitoring plan clearly states the roles and responsibilities of the three persons from the project owner who are involved in the monitoring of grid-connected electricity generation by the project.

5. GHG Calculations

a) Project activity emissions

Being a wind power project, there are no project emissions according to the ACM0002 methodology. There was no fossil fuel consumption by the project for electricity generation during the monitoring period.

b) Leakages

According to ACM0002, the main indirect emissions potentially giving rise to leakage in the context of electric sector projects result from power plant construction, fuel handling(mining, processing, and transportation) and land inundation (for hydroelectric projects). The project developer does not need to consider such indirect emissions when applying the methodology. Project activities using this baseline methodology shall not claim any credit for the project on account of reducing these emissions below the level of the baseline scenario. The diesel engine which is in place for emergency purpose has not been used during the monitoring period. The leakage from the project is zero.

c) Baseline emissions

The baseline emission BE during the monitoring period results from:

$$BE = EG * EF$$

Where

EG – Net electricity delivered to the grid during the monitoring period

EF – Emission factor of the grid (calculated ex-ante and will not be updated during the first crediting period).

$$EG = EG_{\text{export}} - EG_{\text{import}}$$

Where

EG_{export} – Electricity exported to the grid

EG_{import} – Electricity imported from the grid

Table 1. Electricity Exported to the Grid

Period	Exported electricity by meter reading(kWh)				Exported electricity from sales receipts (kWh)	Value of exported electricity used for the calculation of emission reductions(kWh)
	Meter reading at period start	Meter reading at period end	Magnification	Exported electricity from meter reading		
	A	B	C	D=(B-A)*C	E	F=Min(D,E) ¹
21 Jan.,2008- 27 Jan.,2008	55.3966	63.8314	440,000	3,667,312	N/A ²	0 ³
28 Jan.,2008- 27 Feb.,2008	63.8314	87.7197	440,000	10,510,852	10,542,092	10,510,852
28 Feb.,2008- 27 Mar.,2008	87.7197	102.5532	440,000	6,526,740	6,514,068	6,514,068
28 Mar.,2008- 27 Apr.,2008	102.5532	118.3305	440,000	6,942,012	6,915,128	6,915,128
28 Apr.,2008- 27 May,2008	118.3305	131.2893	440,000	5,701,872	5,676,792	5,676,792
Total				33,392,788	29,648,080	29,616,840

¹ For the consideration of conservativeness, smaller value of exported electricity should be used for the calculation of emission reductions

² Sales receipt of exported electricity is only available for a full month.

³ As the data on exported electricity from sales receipts are not available, for conservativeness, value of exported electricity during Jan.21-27, 2008 is considered as zero

Table 2. Imported Electricity from the Grid

Period	Imported electricity by meter reading(kWh)				Imported electricity from sales receipts(kWh)	Value of imported electricity used for the calculation of emission reductions(kWh)
	Meter reading at period start	Meter reading at period end	Magnification	Imported electricity from meter reading		
	A	B	C	D=(B-A)*C	E	F=Max(D,E) ⁴
21 Jan.,2008- 27 Jan.,2008	0.2078	0.2078	440,000	0	N/A	0
28 Jan.,2008- 27 Feb.,2008	0.2078	0.2250	440,000	7,568	7,568	7,568
28 Feb.,2008- 27 Mar.,2008	0.2250	0.2969	440,000	31,636	31,636	31,636
28 Mar.,2008- 27 Apr.,2008	0.2969	0.3639	440,000	29,480	29,480	29,480
28 Apr.,2008- 27 May,2008	0.3639	0.4671	440,000	45,408	45,408	45,408
Total				114,092	114,092	114,092

⁴ For the consideration of conservativeness, larger value of imported electricity should be used for the calculation of emission reductions

$EG = EG_{\text{export}} - EG_{\text{import}} = 29,616,840 - 114,092 = 29,502,748 \text{ kWh}$

$BE = EG * EF = 29503 \text{ MWh} \times 0.880 \text{ tCO}_2\text{e/MWh} = 25,962 \text{ tCO}_2\text{e}$

5.4 Emission reductions

As the emissions and leakage from the project activity are zero, emission reduction is equal to baseline emission.

Emission reduction generated in the monitoring period: **25,962 tCO₂e**

6. Results of monitoring sustainable development indicators

Employment (number): 66 persons were hired short-term for the construction of the wind farm and 7 persons were recruited long term for the operation and maintenance of the wind farm. Increase of employment (in number) as a result of the project is evident. The number of jobs created is different from what it stated in the GS Annex submitted for validation. It is because that at the validation stage, the project owner's answer about 300 jobs is the number of job opportunities that may be provided by the Liua Wind Farm which includes three phases. The 45MW is the phase 2 project. It was a misunderstanding during validation. Having said that, the initial sustainable development assessment carried out during validation is not significantly affected by the difference in numbers. The project still has a very positive contribution to the sustainable development in the area. Not only jobs are created, employment quality is also quite high. Annual salary for the 7 persons mentioned above is 31,500yuan/person, which is much higher than Zhangzhou's average annual salary of 18,024yuan in 2007.

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7. Entity who is responsible for this monitoring report

Project Owner

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CDM Project Consultant

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Employment (quality): annual salary for the 7 persons mentioned above is 31,500yuan/person, which is much higher than Zhangzhou's average annual salary of 18,024yuan in 2007. There is little doubt that employment quality is quite high in the wind farm.

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