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€353 mn FOR WIND ENERGY

1983

2011



€12 bn FOR NUCLEAR

- In 2010 avoided fossil fuel costs from wind power production was **€5.71 bn**. That is estimated to grow to €25.3 billion by 2020 and to €58 billion by 2020.
- Wind power can drive down wholesale electricity prices. This is already happening, according to credit agency Moody's and financial analysts UBS.
- The EU's oil and gas import bill in 2012 is estimated at €470 billion – 3.4% of the EU's GDP. This bill has increased by €200 billion over the past three years.