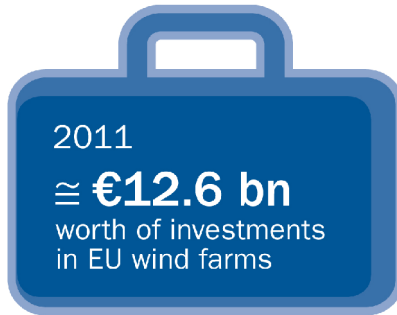


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Investors include power producers, international finance institutions, private equity and pension funds.



The lack of EU renewable energy targets after 2020 and the instability of national support mechanisms for renewables increase the perception of risk and make financing more expensive.



Offshore wind is a developing sector: relatively new with new entrants, and cost reductions expected through technology innovation.