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Economic stimulus package -

Investments for urban development, Impulse for Construction industry

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Federal Reaction on economic crisis:

Two Economic Stimulus Packages of the Federal Gouvernment (in Bn. Euro)

Education, "Cash for Clunkers", Roads, Buildings, Infrastructure, Research, Investments of the States

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Core Subjects

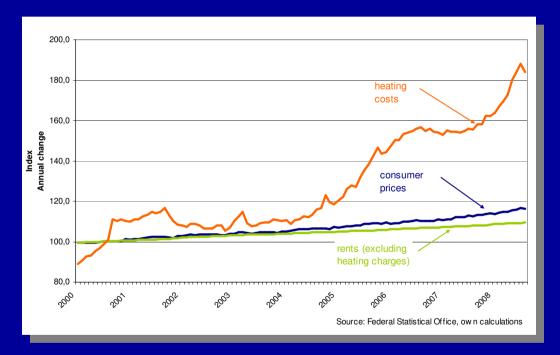
- Two Economic Stimulus Packages of the Federal Gouvernment -> fiancial basis for orders to the construction industry
- Positive effects for the job market
- Main Emphasis:
 - Energetic Reconstracting of buildings and
 - Road Reconstracting



Why emphasis on energetic refurbishment?

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• Increasing heating costs



 Cuting those costs opens other spendings in the future

Climate Protection and Energy Efficiency in Buildings – Political Framework EU and Germany

Goals of the EU

- Kyoto commitment: Reduce greenhouse gases (GHG) by a total of 21 % compared to 1990 (2008 2012)
- Reduce GHG by a total of 30% by 2020
- Increase of renewable energy to 20% of primary energy consumption by 2020

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- Reduce energy consumption by 20% (compared to the trend) by 2020
- New (since november 2009): Upgrade of national building codes by launching nearly zero energy houses by 2020

additional Goals of Germany:

Reduce GHG by a total of 40% (additional 10% compared to EU) by 2020

Integrated Energy and Climate Programme

Support Program "Investments into Roads, Railway, Waterways"

- Federal spending: 1 Bn. Euro
- Goal: Fast realisation, therefore spending only in 2009 and 2010
- Realistion: Federal ministry with help of the States



Support Program "Reducing Carbondioxid Emmissions of Buildings"

- Legal obligations
 - ambitious energy standards
 - economic feasibility has to be ensured
 - energy certificates for dwellings
- Promotional programmes
 - 1,5 bn Euro per year for restoration of the building stock (2009-2011)
 - soft loans or grants for home owners
 - tied on qualified measures (energy savings up to 50 %)

Good Examples of energetic restoration: (supported by the German Energy Agency)

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Single-family house in Oldenburg

- constructed in 1890
- before: 462 kWh/ m² / a
- after: 21 kWh/ m² /a
- savings (PE) 95%



Source: dena

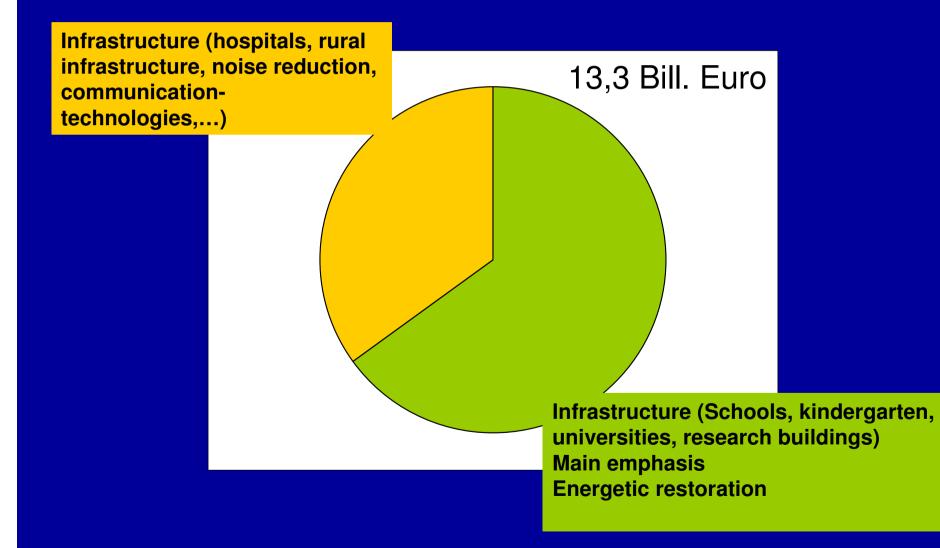
Multi-family house in Pforzheim

- constructed in 1951
- before: 358 kWh/ m² / a
- after: 31 kWh/ m² /a
- savings (PE) 92%



Source: dena

Support Program "Investments into Future Developments"



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Federal ambition: communal investing

Very favourably conditions for the Communities:

Investing 100 €: 75 € federal aid 15 € State aid 10 € Community co-payment

Support Program "Reconstructing and Development of World Heritage Sites"

- Federal spending: 220 Mio. Euro, co-payments by States and Communities
- Goal: helping tourism, maintain jobs

Support program "Age based converting of buildings"

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Federal spending: 80 Mio. €

Support to owners to make homes useable for senior or handicapped persons

Hand out as soft loans or grands (via the KfW-Bank)

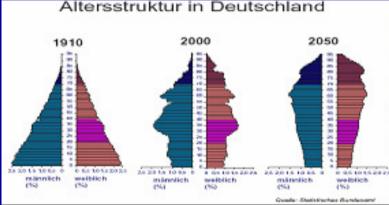
Realisation of the support programs only under consideration of the following:

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Globalization

Social change





Demographic change

Climate change

Look into the future ...

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So fare:

- No 3. Stimulus package necessary
- Economic is growing again
- Federal Budget: very little room for additional spendings

For further information:

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Via Internet:

www.bmvbs.de/en

www.dena.de/en

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