

Because we are embedded in a larger organisation, we can share costs and fall back on existing solutions and structures.

In 2012, 2013 and 2014 we got a start-up grant of 50,000€/year from the Finnish Ministry of Economic Affairs & Employment.

Thanks to our network of partners and our expertise in the field of energy attribute certificates, we managed to get free access to many relevant conferences and events.



10 YEARS OF... working in a financially healthy position

- EKOenergy started as a low-budget project. As a result, we had to focus on low-cost campaigning and high efficiency from the beginning.
- EKOenergy's Secretariat is embedded in the Finnish Association for Nature Conservation. Our budget goes through a thorough approval process and all expenses are double-checked.
- The EKOenergy fees are based on volumes. Because our volumes grow, so does our income.

Between 2016 and 2021 we participated in the EU funded Freshabit LIFE project. This helped us to invest time on our hydropower criteria and on the promotion of our label.

As our own income has grown gradually, we invested in the protection of our logo worldwide and in the automation of our processes.

Our bookkeeping is audited by external accountants annually.

EKOenergy has over 100 authorised sellers and thousands of users worldwide. We are not dependent on the goodwill of a few.

We have relied on virtual meetings and emails from the beginning, for environmental reasons, as well as to cut costs.

Our participation in the EU Solidarity Corps programme enabled us to host long-term volunteers. They support our work in many ways.

We check our financial situation every 3 months, together with the Financial Director of the Finnish Association for Nature Conservation.

Projekti: 300			118,45
Projekti: 300			6,80
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Severa Projekti: 300			
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