

Dall Energy to power up to 40,000 French homes in record-breaking deal







French energy company, Coriance / Caen la Mer Energie Verte, has made a record-breaking deal with Danish biomass energy-company – Dall Energy. The deal – the biggest ever for Dall Energy – will expand the existing Caen Nord Heating Network and Hérouville-Saint-Clair Heating Network in Caen la Mer and help power nearly 40,000 homes with 100% renewable and recovered energy by 2031.

A French Appetite for Danish Green Technology

French cuisine and wine may be craved by the rest of the World, but in France there is a craving for Danish innovative energy-solutions. Especially, when it comes to ensuring the green energy-transition.

Major French energy provider, Coriance, has made yet another deal with the Danish company – Dall Energy. This time for four biomass boilers that will ultimately powering 40,000 French homes by 2031.



"We are proud to work with Coriance yet again, and to be part of this enormous enterprise to fundamentally change the heating network in Caen la Mer. Our unique biomass gasification technology makes it possible to use locally sourced biomass – thereby contributing to achieving the ultimate goal of 100% renewable and recovered energy", says CEO Jens Bentzen from Dall Energy.



"We are happy to include Dall Energy in this green energy transition-project of the central heating-network for Hérouville-Saint-Clair and Caen Nord. This is an enterprise valued at EUR 250 million, so we need partners that we can rely on to deliver solutions that work. We have a great collaboration and partnership with Dall Energy in our project in Salon de Provence and on this Caen project, and we are sure that Dall Energy are up to the challenge and will help us secure local energy independence as well as stable and attractive prices", adds Stephanie Pacaud, Procurement Director for Coriance.

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The Biggest Project Ever for Dall Energy

The deal with Coriance / Caen la Mer Energie Verte is the biggest yet for Dall Energy – twice as big as the previous record deal¹. Furthermore, it is the largest central heating-project in recent French history.

More notably, perhaps, this is the fifth, French central-heating project awarded to Dall Energy in just the last couple of years – and the second with Coriance. But even so, this project is different. In fact, it involves not one – but four identical 4 x 12,5 MW heating plants, according to Jens Bentzen, who adds:

"We are proud to work with the major energy companies in France. This is not only a major seal of approval for our technology, but also proof that we have one of the leading solutions for the utilisation of biomass waste. We look forward to continuing the great work we are doing in France, and we hope to bring this momentum into new markets around Europe, as well".

For more information and interviews

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Facts and figures

- The total development enterprise is valued at approx. EUR 250 million.
- The projects will power almost French 40,000 homes by 2031.
- The projects will expand the central heating-network with up to 100 km.
- The goal is 100% renewable and recovered energy in the supply of the heating network by 2029.
- The enterprise will ultimately reduce CO₂ emitted by 87,000 tonnes per year.
- Dall Energy has also signed on to a 5-year maintenance contract for an undisclosed amount.
- Dall Energy's solution consists of four (4) biomass boilers of 12,5 MW each.
- The project is the 2nd with Coriance for Dall Energy, and presumably just the next in many projects.
- This is the fifth French project for Dall Energy in recent years, after Rouen (2021), Clairefontaine (2023), Amiens (2023), and Salon de Provence (2023).

About Dall Energy

Dall Energy provides cutting-edge biomass energy-technologies to the global energy-market with its patented biomass gasification-technology.

The gasification technology offers advantages such as low maintenance costs, applicability of a wide variety of types of biomasses, low emissions without filters and load flexibility similar to gas fired plants.

With Dall Energy's unique solutions, companies can reduce their environmental impact by improving air emissions and using locally sourced biomass, which is low-cost, sustainable, and CO₂-neutral, as well.

Dall Energy was founded in 2007 by Jens Dall Bentzen. In 2023, major French asset manager, Eiffel IG, invested in Dall Energy to help grow the company domestically and internationally.

The company is headquartered in Hørsholm, north of Copenhagen, with 35 local employees.

¹ Source: https://dallenergy.com/da/dall-energy-has-closed-a-deal-with-clairefontaine-in-france/