# Eco\_Energie: the challenge of a forest company that has chosen to grow and qualify



The coop. Eco-Energie was born from the Baglioni family farm. To survive in the italian firewood market, characterized by strong unfair competition, the owner decided to innovate their approach to forest works. After 5 years of study, he has decided to invest in a gradual but consistent manner in the production and sale of wood chips, diversifying at the same time the production also focusing on naturalistic engineering. From 2015 the company also directly manages a district heating system through a turnkey service, the so-called contracting.

Eco-Energie is characterized by a strong entrepreneurial spirit and propensity to risk. This is demonstrated by the huge investments in mechanization, training and the search for new solutions such as contracting activities.

This seems to pay off: diversifying end products derived from the wood normally used, increasing productivity through better organization, gradually investing in the use of advanced mechanization and focusing on the training of employees seem to be firm points from which many companies in the sector could start again.

The growth of Eco-Energie has been impressive: the company currently has more than 20 employees and continues to invest in new machines and equipment. They are numerous, the training activities of the employees (also in the field of security) and contracts increase, multi-year contracts for the supply of wood chips to existing plants.

However, management problems arise and organization related to spaces, to guarantee an even better product in less time.

Thus the need to acquire oneself has arisen a biomass platform: a logistic center covered where to sort the material, store and dry the wood and chips and sell

the products also to the retail.

From this cooperative a new company (Etruria Energie - www.etruriaenergie.it) was born recently (2016), which offers a turnkey service for the installation of renewable energy plants, in particular from wood biomass, for public and private users.

#### DETALHES

Wood fuels market trends, wood chip mechanization

ORIGEM DA MADEIRA Jardinagem, Áreas florestais municipais TIPO DE MADEIRA	POTENCIAL DE MOBILIZAçãO N/A
Tronco	SUSTENTABILIDADE POTENCIAL - VALOR
TIPO DE MADEIRA EM CAUSA Stemwood / Above and below ground woody biomass	FACILIDADE DE IMPLEMENTAÇÃO N/A
IMPACTE NO AMBIENTE E BIODIVERSIDADE Low environmental impact and increasing biodiversity	FACILIDADE DE IMPLEMENTAçãO 
IMPACTE NAS RECEITAS Creation of new income from the sale of biomass for energy	PRE-REQUISITOS CHAVE
POTENCIAL DE EXPLORAçãO	TIPO DE EVENTO EM QUE ESTE BPI TEM SIDO APRESENTADO
HUB 	IMPACTE NO EMPREGO Creation of new employees in the wood supply chains
IMPACTE ECONOMICO Creation of local wood-energy chains	CUSTOS DE IMPLEMENTAçãO (EURO - EUR) 
CONHECIMENTOS ESPECIFICOS NECESSÁRIOS	

DESAFIO ABORDADO	DOMÍNIO	TIPO DE SOLUÇÃO
	Gestão florestal, silvicultura, serviços do	
	ecosistema, resiliencia	
	Produtos, mercados e comécio	
PALAVRAS-CHAVE	SOLUçãO DIGITAL	INOVAçãO
	Não	Não
PAÍS DE ORIGEM	ESCALA DE APLICAçãO	ANO DE INÍCIO E FIM
Itália	Regional/ sub-nacional	
DADOS DE CONTACTO		
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WEBSITE PRINCIPAL	RECURSOS	
http://www.ecoenergie.es		
WEBSITE DO PROJETO		
REFERÊNCIA AO PROJETO		

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