



Press Release

Completion of major undergrounding project in Attica

The upgrading of HEDNO's network is progressing rapidly. Important undergrounding works were completed a few days ago at the grid of Attica, from the Lavrion entrance up to the locations of Agios Kosmas in Kamariza.

More specifically, the overhead network of Lavrion which supplied the area of Anavyssos and passed through the forest area along the Sounio National Park, has now been deactivated, since the new underground 6 km cable was powered.

HEDNO's transformation, which is focused on upgrading the electricity distribution network incorporates important undergrounding works which are progressing across many areas in the country. Works in forest areas with higher damage and fire risk are prioritized.

The undergrounding of the network over the last 4 years is implemented more rapidly than in the past. Some details on that: the underground Network progressed from 26,075 km in 2018 to 27,500 km in 2022 and 29,531 km until the end of the first semester of 2024. In 2022, the implementation rate of the new underground grid was double than the rate of 2019 showcasing a 158% increase, and in 2023 it was double than the one of 2022, presenting thus an increase of 108%.

It is noted that HEDNO's 2023-2030 business plan has budgeted an amount of 267 million euros for undergrounding works, part of which are funded by the Recovery and Resilience Facility (RRF).

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