

The Importance of Stakeholder Engagement in the Development of Offshore Wind Projects



Ørsted Offshore

Ørsted is the global leader in offshore wind

1991

25+ years of experience and track record in the offshore wind power sector

2019

...and the world's largest operational offshore wind farm

659 MW



We built the world's first

Walney Extension

Unparalleled experience and track record

25 offshore wind farms in operation

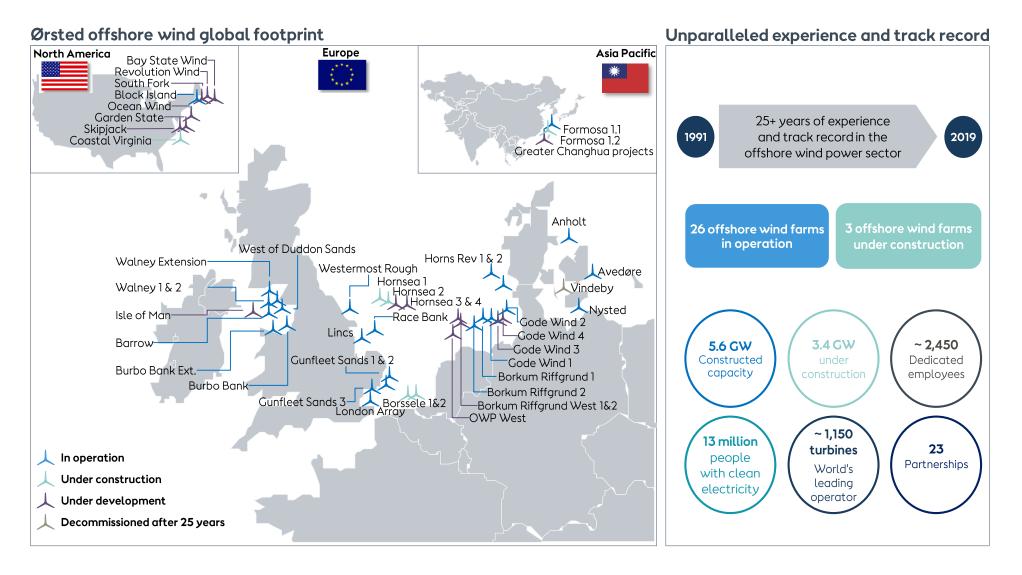
5 offshore wind farms under construction

5.6 GW constructed capacity

3.4 GW under construction ~ 1,100
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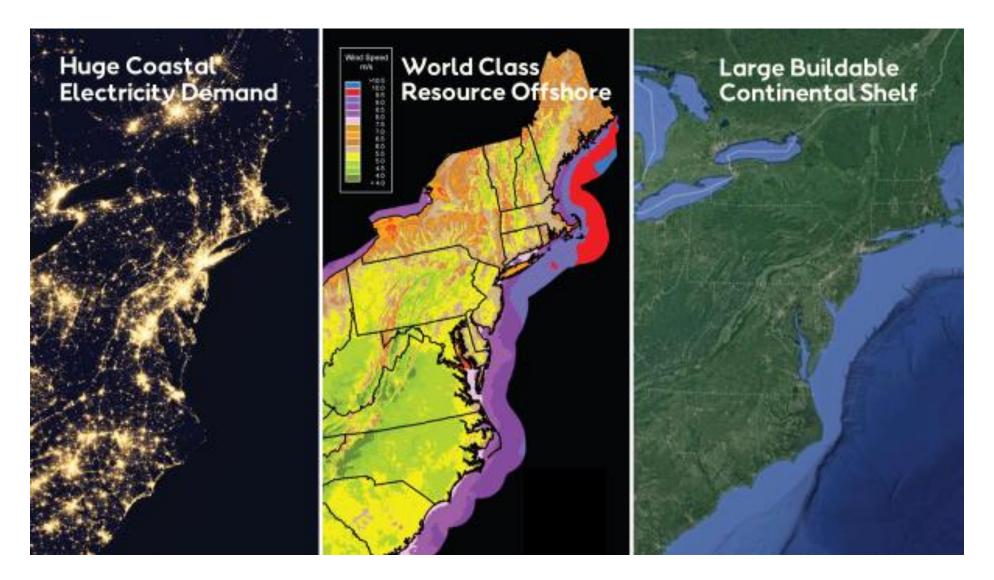


Ørsted Offshore overview





Why Offshore Wind for New Jersey and the Region



Ocean Wind application

Ørsted, with the support of PSEG, has submitted an application to build New Jersey's first offshore wind farm



As presented in its proposal to the NJBPU, the Ocean Wind project will:



Provide more than **half a million New Jersey homes** with clean, reliable power.



Directly create **several thousand construction jobs** along with thousands of ancillary jobs, and approximately 70 permanent jobs to support the project over its 25+ year lifetime



Make **significant investments** in New Jersey's offshore wind infrastructure through the **Ocean Wind Pro-NJ Trust**, which will support Minority Business Enterprises, Women Business Enterprises and small businesses entering the offshore wind industry and enable infrastructure resiliency projects throughout South Jersey.



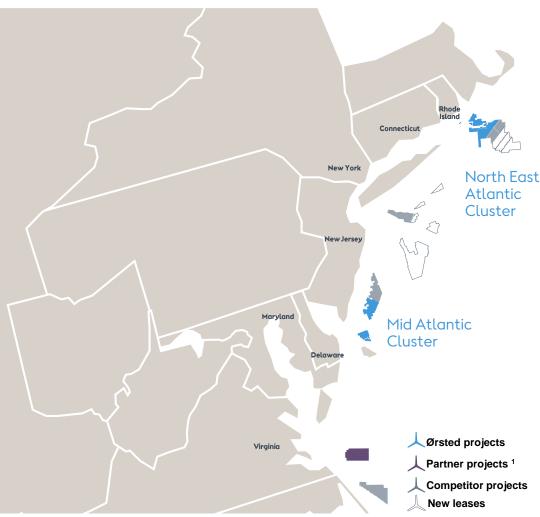
Partner with universities and research organizations to **support educational initiatives and R&D** on offshore wind.



Ørsted U.S. Offshore Wind

Attractive and geographically diverse portfolio of offshore wind assets with potential for 8-10GW

Ørsted U.S. offshore wind portfolio



Unique position with large adjacent projects

In operation

Block Island (30MW) operational since December 2016.
 20-year PPA, starting price USD 236/MWh and 3.5%

Under construction

Coastal Virginia Offshore Wind 12MW (EPC contract)

Awarded

- South Fork (130MW) COD expected in 2022. 20-year PPA with LIPA
- Skipjack (120MW) COD expected in 2022. 20-year OREC contract, starting price USD 171/MWh and 1% price escalator
- Revolution Wind (704MW) COD expected in 2023. Long-term PPAs currently under negotiation in Rhode Island (400MW) and Connecticut (304MW)

Projects under development

- Bay State Wind up to 2GW
- Ocean Wind up to 3.5GW
- Garden State up to 800 MW off the coast of Delaware / New Jersey
- Revolution Wind up to 1.2 GW in Massachusetts adjacent to Revolution Wind and Bay State Wind

Note 1: in 2017 Ørsted and Dominion Energy entered into a strategic partnership in which Ørsted will construct two 6-megawatt turbines off the coast of Virginia. This may pave the way for future cooperation on further offshore wind development in Virginia to develop 2 GW of offshore wind capacity

Ørsted built a strong integrated end-to-end business model – fosters strong drive for stakeholder engagement

Ørsted Offshore core competencies

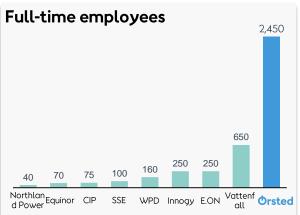
~2,450 Full-time employees





Experience and expertise along the entire value chain allow for **better understanding** and management of risks

End-to-end model reduces LCoE through **fast** feedback and **learning** across the entire organization





Environmental stewardship



- ✓ Environmental stewardship is our core principle: we believe the world should run entirely on green energy
- √ Seamlessly collaborated and coexisted with the fishing community and marine life for 25+ years
- √ Hired a dedicated marine biologist focusing on protecting marine mammals
- √ Hired local Fisheries Liaisons to work directly with the local fishing community



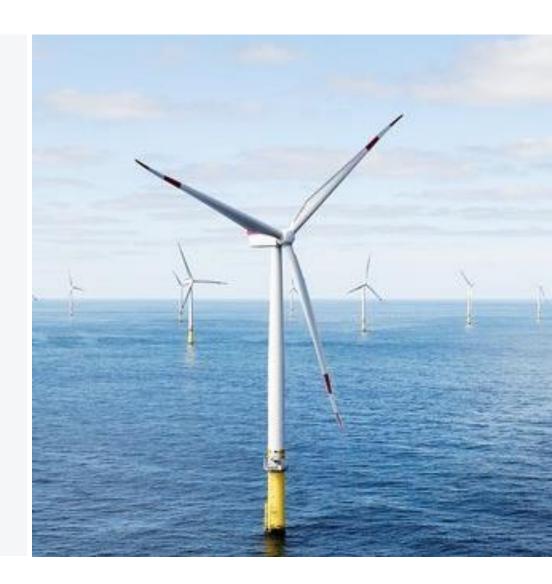
Basic stakeholder engagement principles



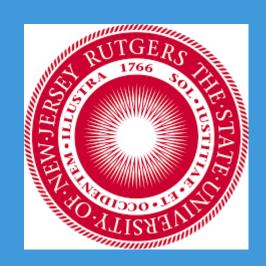
- Stakeholder engagement is as much about cultivating support as anticipating and addressing opposition
- Need a balanced strategy that addresses both facets
- Sometimes "getting to neutral" is the main goal, and accepting the fact that you may never get to no opposition

Areas of stakeholder sensitivity

- Viewshed
- Cost
- Impacts to existing ocean users
 - Commercial fishing
 - Recreational fishing
 - Shipping and other maritime uses
- Environmental issues
 - Marine mammals
 - Avian and bat species
- Local impacts at landfall locations



Rutgers University and Ørsted US Offshore Wind





- Metocean data sharing
- Monitoring marine mammal acoustic activity with marine gliders
- New materials for foundations
- Stakeholder engagement
- Policy initiatives