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European Perspective of Croatia's Economy

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EVN in Croatia



- Since 2009 concessions for construction and operation of gas distribution grids in the counties
 - Zadar
 - Šibenik
 - Split
- 2012: Start of gas supply in Zadar
- Headquarters in Zagreb
- Branches in Zadar and Split
- 20 employees



- Croatia has a great investment potential
- Foreign investors expect stable and predictable legal framework
- Croatia is intensively working to encourage foreign investment and improve business climate
- Global Competitiveness Report (2013): Croatia has moved from 81st to the 75th place (among 148 countries)



- More changes still have to be introduced to boost Croatian economy recovery
- Croatia has to continue to intensively work on reducing bureaucratic obstacles
- EU membership can for sure contribute to the new investment cycle