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Objectives

Triple-A has a practical result-oriented approach, seeking to identify which investments can be considered as Triple-A investments. These investments will foster sustainable growth, while also having an extremely strong capacity to meet their commitments, already from the first stages of investments generation and pre-selection/ pre-evaluation.

The focus lays on answering the following questions:

- How to **assess** the financing instruments and risks at an early stage?
- How to **agree** on the Triple-A investments, based on selected key performance indicators?
- How to **assign** the identified investment ideas with possible financing schemes?

## Methodology

The Triple-A scheme compromises three critical steps.

### Step 1 - Assess

**Member States (MS) risk profiles and mitigation policies**, including a Web-based database, enabling national and sectoral comparability, market maturity identification, good practices experiences exchange, reducing thus uncertainty for investors.

### Step 2 - Agree

**Standardised Triple-A Tools, efficient benchmarks**, and guidelines, translated in consortium partners’ languages, accelerating and scaling up investments.

### Step 3 - Assign

**In-country demonstrations, replicability and overall exploitation**, including recommendations on realistic and feasible investments in the national and sectoral context, as well as on short and medium term financing.

## Expected Results

- **Triple-A rating system** fostering energy efficiency investments at an early stage
- **KPIs and benchmarks** for the identification of Triple-A investments
- **Interactive Web-Based Database** on Energy Efficiency Financing
- **Links with energy efficiency certification schemes**

## Case Studies

Triple-A investments will be identified in each of the eight case study countries.

The eight case study countries were strategically selected to promote diversity across a number of factors.