

Alinta Energy

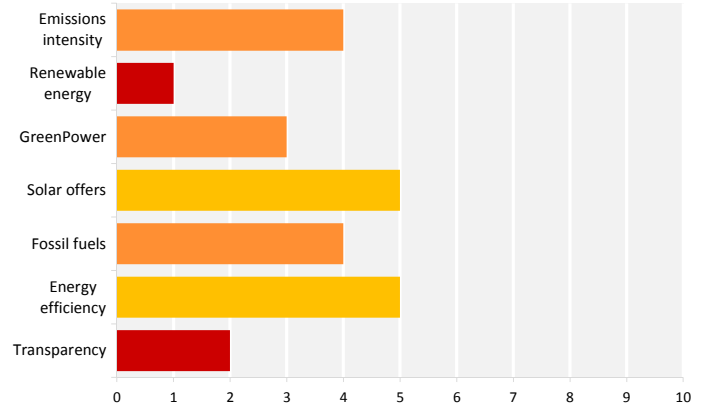
Score: 3.4 Rank: 21/23

Operates in: WA, VIC, SA
Responded to survey: YES

KEY POINTS

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| Yellow | Emissions intensity slightly better than NEM average |
| Red | Supported weakening of the RET (via parent company) |
| Red | Does not currently offer GreenPower to residential customers |
| Red | Low proportion of GreenPower sales (relative to total retail sales) |
| Red | Solar export price(s) somewhat better than state average(s) but solar offers substantially more expensive than non-solar offers |
| Red | Does not report sustainability information in any form, but indicated future intentions to |

CRITERIA SCORES



DATA

| EMISSIONS INTENSITY | Value | Score |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------|
| Emissions intensity of assets | 0.752 tCO ₂ e/MWh sent out | 4.2 |
| Criteria score: | | 4.2 |

| RENEWABLE ENERGY (RE) | Value | Score |
|----------------------------|----------------|------------|
| Position on RET | Reduce | 0 |
| Position on SRES | Not support | 0 |
| Future RE investment plans | Specific plans | 4.0 |
| Criteria score: | | 1.0 |

| GREENPOWER (GP) | Value | Score |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Residential GP price (100%) | No Res GP | 0 |
| Equitable Residential GP offer | No Res GP | 0 |
| Total GP sales | 0.1% of total sales | 1.5 |
| Proportion 100% GP equivalent | N/A | N/A |
| Offers competing products | No | 10 |
| Criteria score: | | 2.7 |

| DISTRIBUTED GEN (SOLAR) | Value | Score |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------|
| Solar export price diff | 3.2 c avg diff from mean state price | 9.0 |
| Equity of solar offer | \$402 avg diff from non-solar offer | 0 |
| Criteria score: | | 4.5 |

| FOSSIL FUELS | Value | Score |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| Position on CSG | No position (Not public) | 5.0 |
| Position on coal | Supports (Not public) | 0 |
| Investment in CSG | Current: Yes; Plans: No | 4.0 |
| Investment in coal | Current: Yes; Plans: No | 4.0 |
| Native forests position | Against (Not public) | 5.0 |
| Criteria score: | | 3.6 |

| ENERGY EFFICIENCY | Value | Score |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Position on state EE schemes | No position | 5.0 |
| Penalties in state EE schemes | No | 10 |
| Accessibility of online information | More than one click | 5.0 |
| Amount of online information | Sporadic | 2.0 |
| Products and services offered | None | 0 |
| Criteria score: | | 5.2 |

| TRANSPARENCY | Value | Score |
|--|-------------------------------------|------------|
| Type of sustainability reports | No sust report but future intention | 2.0 |
| Sustainability info in reports/website | 0 of 3 types of information | 0 |
| Publicly discloses emissions intensity | Future | 3.0 |
| Criteria score: | | 2.0 |

Note that these are the raw scores out of 10 for each sub-criteria, which are then weighted to produce the criteria scores and final overall score (see Results Explainer)

NOTES

- Alinta is exploring the opportunity to sell customers in WA a means of electricity generation through solar and battery storage systems.
- Alinta advised that in addition to energy efficiency information provided on their website, they also offer extensive information via their dedicated electricity and gas blogs as well as regular tips on Facebook.
- Alinta did not publish a sustainability report in 2015, but advised that they produced an internal sustainability report in 2015, and will be publishing a sustainability report in 2016 with a section on environmental sustainability, including emissions intensity of generation.

METHODOLOGY COMMENTS

- GreenPower sales data for period: 1 January 2015 to 30 June 2015 (6 months), as GreenPower offer only commenced in 2015.
- For GP sales as proportion of total sales, Alinta did not provide total retail sales. This figure estimated by ISF.
- Alinta did not state that it had investments in CSG, however their website states "Braemar Power Station is strategically located adjacent to Queensland's CSG fields" implying that the power station runs on CSG.
- Alinta did not confirm position on purchasing electricity from burning of native forest wood waste. Score assigned as per information available for 2014 Guide.

Results Explainer

Score: Overall score, combining weighted criteria scores

Rank: Position out of 23 included retailers

Operates in: [STATES]
Responded to survey: [YES/NO]

KEY POINTS

- Notes on any good/excellent aspects of performance by the retailer
- Notes on any average aspects of performance by the retailer
- Notes on any poor aspects of performance by the retailer
- Notes on any neutral aspects of the retailer

The section below presents the retailer's datapoint for each sub-criteria, and the raw score out of 10 received for that sub-criteria. Weightings are then applied to each sub-criteria in order to calculate each criteria score. The criteria scores are then weighted again to produce the overall score. See Methodology for details of weightings.

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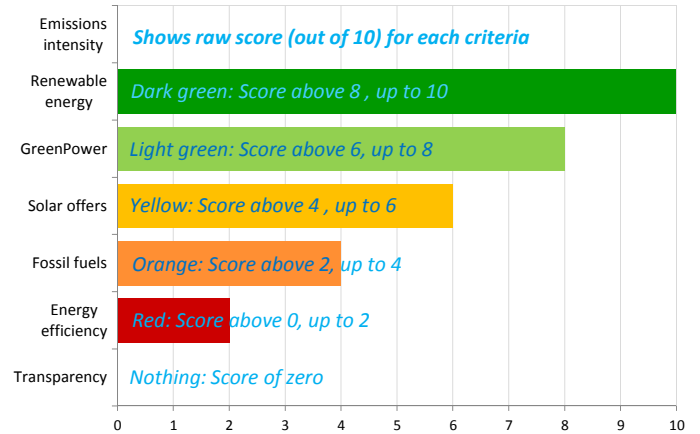
| EMISSIONS INTENSITY | Value | Score |
|-------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| Emissions intensity of assets | Datapoint | Raw |
| | | Criteria score: Raw |

| RENEWABLE ENERGY (RE) | Value | Score |
|----------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| Position on RET | Datapoint | Raw |
| Position on SRES | Datapoint | Raw |
| Future RE investment plans | Datapoint | Raw |
| | | Criteria score: Raw |

| GREENPOWER (GP) | Value | Score |
|--------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| Residential GP price (100%) | Datapoint | Raw |
| Equitable Residential GP offer | Datapoint | Raw |
| Total GP sales | Datapoint | Raw |
| Proportion 100% GP equivalent | Datapoint | Raw |
| Offers competing products | Datapoint | Raw |
| | | Criteria score: Raw |

| DISTRIBUTED GEN (SOLAR) | Value | Score |
|-------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| Solar export price diff | Datapoint | Raw |
| Equity of solar offer | Datapoint | Raw |
| | | Criteria score: Raw |

CRITERIA SCORES



| FOSSIL FUELS | Value | Score |
|-------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| Position on CSG | Datapoint | Raw |
| Position on coal | Datapoint | Raw |
| Investment in CSG | Datapoint | Raw |
| Investment in coal | Datapoint | Raw |
| Native forests position | Datapoint | Raw |
| | | Criteria score: Raw |

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| Type of sustainability reports | Datapoint | Raw |
| Sustainability info in reports/website | Datapoint | Raw |
| Publicly discloses emissions intensity | Datapoint | Raw |
| | | Criteria score: Raw |

NOTES

Notes providing additional context to retailer's datapoints and/or performance, reflecting additional comments by retailer in the survey

METHODOLOGY COMMENTS

Notes on any assumptions/adjustments to methodology for this retailer, eg. assumptions for missing/unclear data, manipulation of data supplied in different formats etc