

## wind power fact sheet

### Dhule, India

- Sponsor:** BP is the 100% owner of the project.
- Site location:** The 40 megawatts (MW) wind project will be an extension of an existing wind farm at Dhule/ Nandurbar in Northern Maharashtra, India.
- This project is part of a large site on which 430 turbines are already installed - the larger wind farm is owned by a variety of other companies, banks and private investors. The Dhule facility is currently the largest windfarm of its kind in Asia, and will rank among the world's largest when complete, with over 1,000 MW of installed capacity.
- The Project:** The planned 40 MW wind project will be constructed by Suzlon during 2007 and include 32 x 1.25MW turbines supplied by Suzlon. This project is expected to begin producing electricity in September 2007.
- We expect the project to provide around 160,000 Indian homes with clean electricity
- Power Sales:** The electricity will be sold under contract to the Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Company Limited at the standard state tariff for wind power.



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