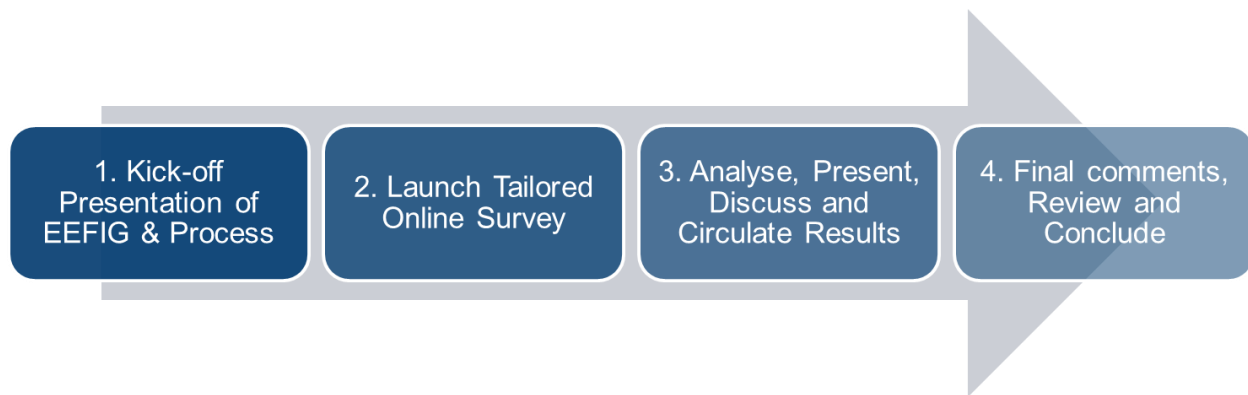
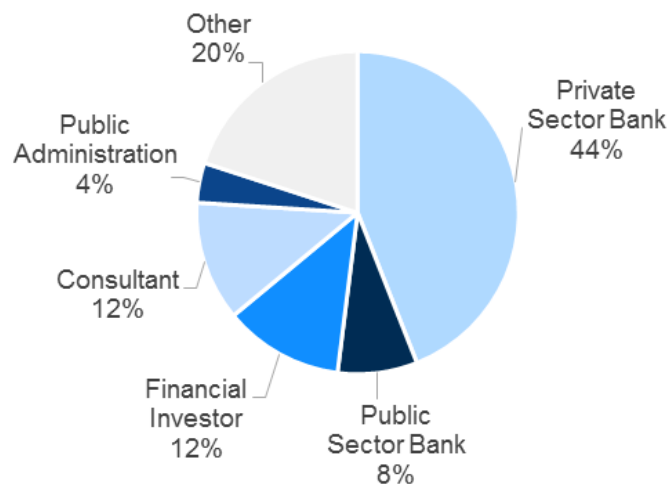


### “EEFIG MS-level” Process in Bulgaria

Working in coordination with a group of Energy Efficiency Finance experts and the manager of the State’s EE Fund, local partner Econoler launched a 4-step “EEFIG MS-level” process in a workshop hosted in Sofia on 20<sup>th</sup> April 2016. The agreed steps were these:



The original EEFIG survey was translated into Bulgarian and then launched to a closed list of Bulgaria’s leading experts in energy efficiency and targeted financial institutions. The online survey remained open to collate expert inputs from late April to mid-June 2016. 25 experts responded and provided input to the EEFIG MS-level process. These respondents were distributed as follows among key sectors:



The Bulgarian survey managed to attract a particularly large response from experts at Financial Institutions which was a strong achievement.

The survey results were presented back to the group and debated at a second meeting in Sofia on 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2016. Group consensus was reached and agreed modifications to the results report made with final reviews and verification undertaken by email.

In Bulgaria, the EEFIG MS-level process enhanced the common understanding of the impediments and opportunities for scaling up EE investments in the building sector. Applying the EEFIG method and process in Bulgaria brought people of different backgrounds together and enabled them to talk using a common language and discuss common problems, from different perspectives.