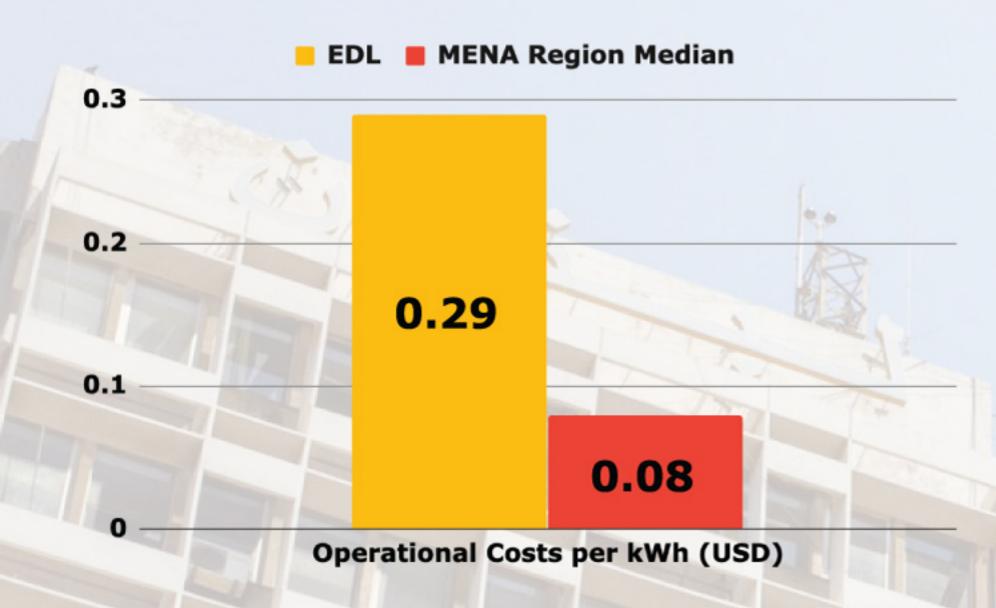
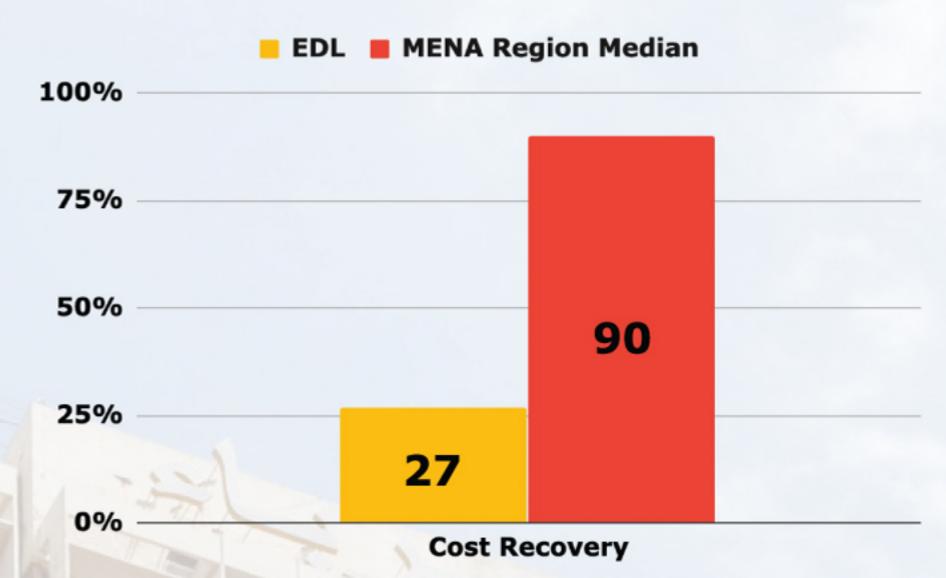
Electricité du Liban (EDL) in Numbers

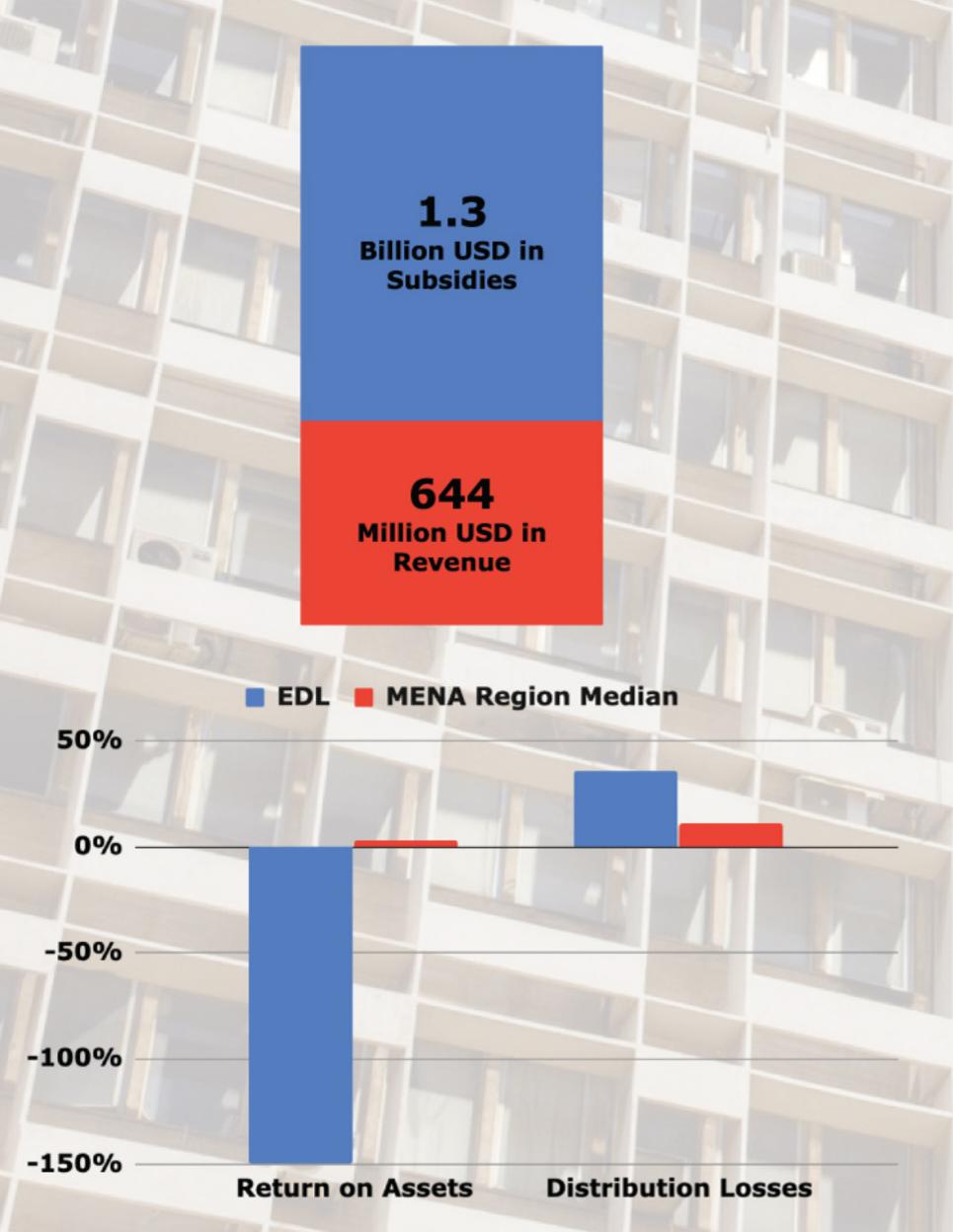
EDL is the most unprofitable utility in the region

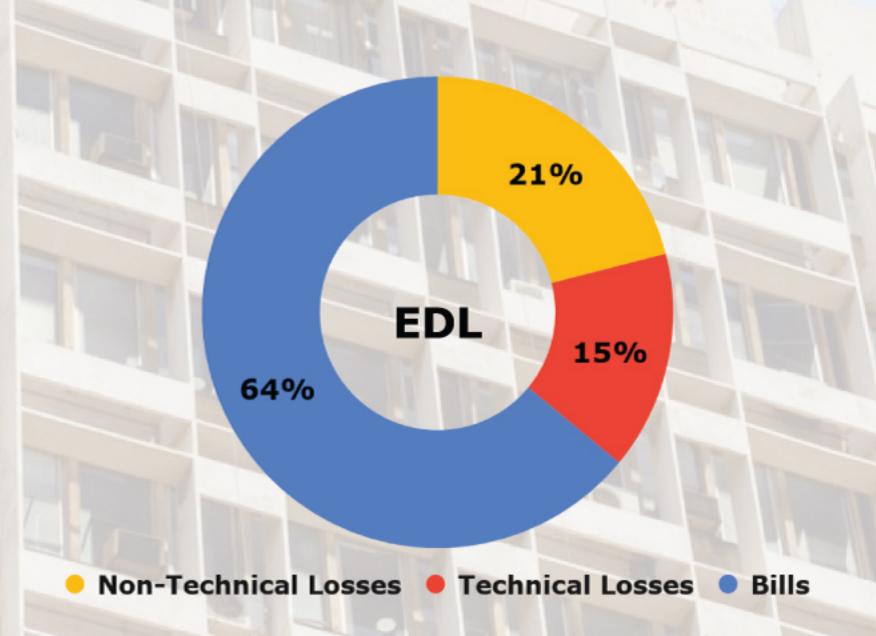
With a very low cost-recovery, EDL is a loss making public utility





High losses increase the cost of supply by at least 6 cents per kWh





Compared to other vertically-integrated utilities in the MENA region, EDL is the second most costly utility to run with operational costs way above the regional median



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