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Inhaltsangabe:Abstract Although measures are taken to ensure that the investment in a Project Finance venture will pay off, studies of the recent past have shown that the bigger the projects and the larger their monetary value, the more susceptible the project was to suffer distress and the higher the chances of incurring losses. Another issue that has emerged during recent years is the topic of environmental and social sustainability in Project Finance. At the dawn of the new millennium, environmental and social sustainability of a project was no longer a by-product of sound project design, but a requirement for obtaining the necessary financing. In order to address both issues, the thesis has the following structure: Besides a concise introduction into the nature of Project Finance, the thesis deals with financial success as well as with environmental and social sustainability of a selected group of Project Finance undertakings. Concerning the issue of financial success, the paper identifies success criteria of Project Finance undertakings in general. From that basis, criteria which are of particular relevance to the financial success of power plant Project Finance ventures are determined. Considering the issue of environmental and social sustainability, a concept is developed to facilitate the evaluation of environmental and social sustainability of a project in its entirety. The results concerning financial success criteria of power plant Project Finance undertakings indicated that there is no clear distinction between general and financial success criteria. Yet, it strongly emerges that some criteria are of more relevance to financial success than others. In terms of environmental and social sustainability, the result of the research is a concept to measure the impact of the project. The concept evaluates the data and information on a mostly qualitative basis and aggregates the results in order to obtain one final value reflecting the overall extent to which environmental and social guidelines as well as benchmarks were met. Inhaltsverzeichnis:Table of Contents: Statutory DeclarationII AcknowledgementsIII AbstractV PrefaceVI Table of ContentsVIII List of FiguresXI List of TablesXII Glossary and Table of AbbreviationsXIII 1.Introduction1 1.1Structure and goals of the thesis1 1.2Relevance of the thesis2 1.3Methodology3 1.4Focus of the thesis4 2.Introduction (Part I)7 2.1Definition of the term PF 7 2.1.1Development of [...]

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