

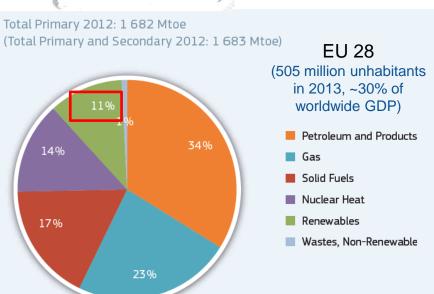




# The European Union Energy System

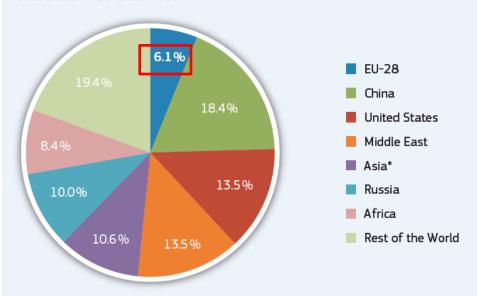
## A few figures





#### World Energy Production by Region (%)

Total 2011 = 13 202 Mtoe



- Still a strong reliance on hydrocarbon
- But with a continuously increasing share of renewables

## Sustainability



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EU-28	Energy	<b>Import</b>	Dependency
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#### By Fuel

	1995	2000	2005	2010	2011	2012
Total	43.0%	46.7%	52.2%	52.7%	53.9%	53.4%
Solid Fuels	21.5%	30.6%	39.4%	39.4%	41.7%	42.2%
of which Hard Coal	29.7%	42.6%	55.7%	57.9%	62.3 %	62.5%
Petroleum and Products	74.0%	75.7%	82.1%	84.4%	85.1%	86.4%
of which Crude and NGL	73.0%	74.5 %	81.3%	84.6%	85.5%	87.8 %
Natural Gas	43.4%	48.9%	57.1%	62.1%	67.1%	65.8%

- Hihgly dependent on imports
- Rather high prices impact competitiveness

Security

Competitiveness



# The European Union Energy System

### Diverse and fragmented

- + 2014: 28 Member States
- + EU legal framework but national regulations
- + Different energy production sources
- + Different histories, INCO relationship, sources of imports and dependencies
- + Different political priorities (green, shale gas, etc.)
- + liberalisation makes good but unequal progress
- + Missing corridors between countries





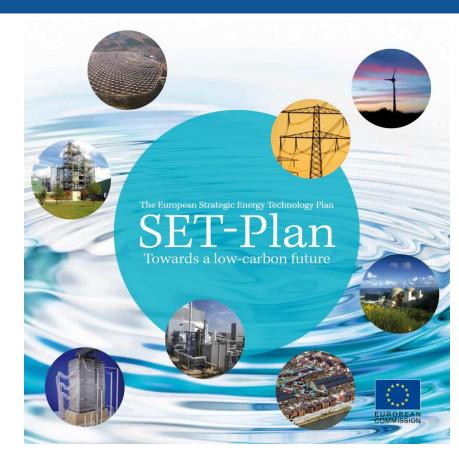


## 2008: The SET Plan

Focus on technologies with market impact up to 2020 (set up of Ells)

- Wind
- Solar
- Electricity grids
- CCS
- Bioenergy
- Nuclear
- Smart Cities and Communities
- Fuel cells and hydrogen

Focus on longer-term research actions beyond 2020 (set up of EERA)



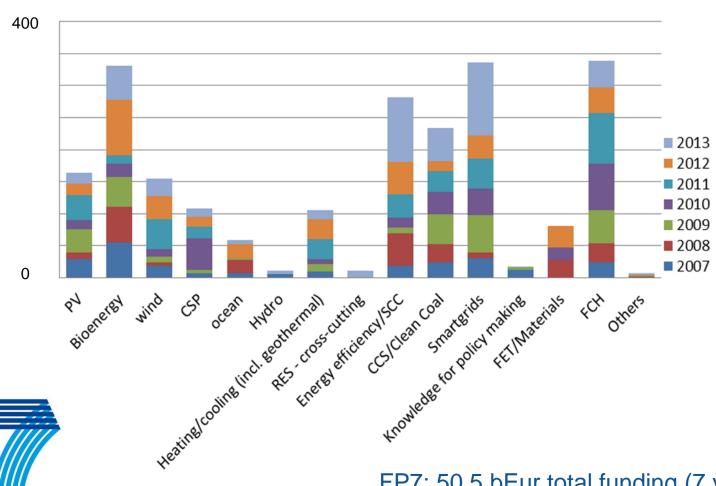
### **Objective for 2020**

- 20% reduction of CO2 emissions (wrt 1990)
  - 20% share of Renewable Energy
  - 20% improvement in Energy Efficiency



## Implementation: FP7 2007-2013

### FP7 Energy Theme - budget allocation per year (2007-2013, M€)



FP7: 50.5 bEur total funding (7 years)

Energy: 2.5 bEur (5%)



# 2013: Communication on Energy Technologies and Innovation

## **Key Principles**

- New Challenges post 2020
- From sectors to system
- Bridging research and innovation with energy policy
- Making better use of existing and increased financial resources
- Keep options open
- Harness endogenous resources





## Follow-up

- Integrated Roadmap
- Action Plan –EC and MS financing
- Robust reporting system
- A new coordination structure under the SET plan SG on energy efficiency
- New competences: e.g. nontechnological barriers
- External Dimension





## Structure

I. Energy Efficiency

II. Competitive, Efficient, Secure, Sustainable & Flexible Energy System

III. Cities, Communities & Market Uptake

IV. Synergies, Roles & Tasks of Actors

V. Monitoring & Review



# Challenges and Key Issues

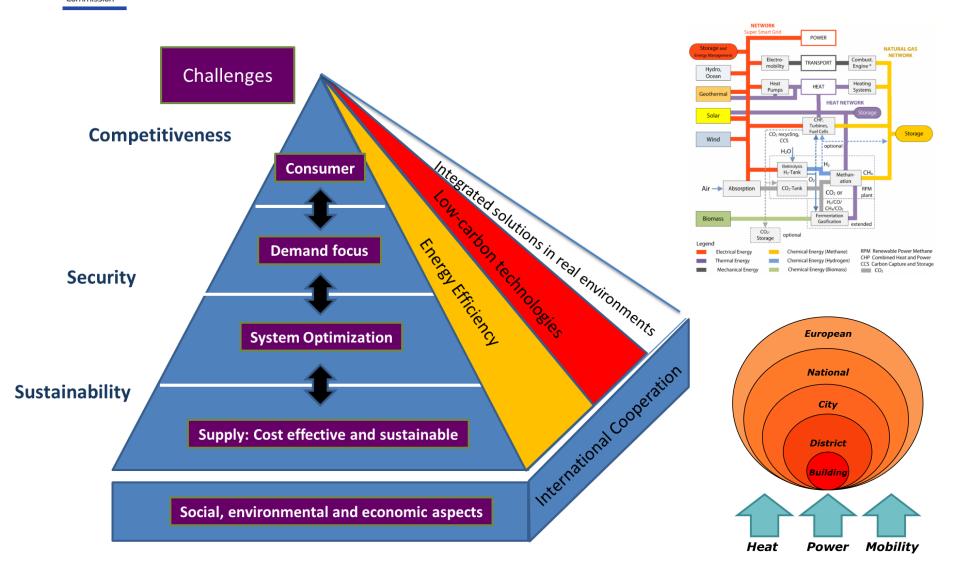
- Cost competitiveness/performance
- System integration (smart interfaces, new capabilities of equipment, new or improved services to system, forecast)
- Supply chains (industrial logistics, maintenance, materials and manufacturing, recycling)
- Non technological aspects (market framework, business model, spatial planning, standards, financing, skills and capacities)
- Societal issues (environment impact, safety, health, social acceptance)

## **Objective for 2030 (Climate-Energy package)**

- 40% reduction of CO2 emissions (wrt 1990)
  - 27% share of Renewable Energy
  - 30% improvement in Energy Efficiency



# Energy system Holistic approach





# Implementation: EU



Calls	2014 (M€)	2015 (M€)
Energy Efficiency	97,5	98,15
Smart Cities and Communities	92,32	108,18
Competitive Low-Carbon Energy	359,1	372,33
SMEs and Fast Track to Innovation	33,95	37,26
Part B - other actions	<i>75</i>	61
Euratom Fission	48,3	39,6
Part B – other actions	0,3	15,0

H2020: 70.2 bEur total funding (7 years)

Energy: 5.9 bEur (7.7 %)



# Implementation: MS





# Towards an Integrated Roadmap and its Action Plan

Integrated Roadmap	R&I Actions	EU	Joint actions	MSs individually/ regions (cohesion)	Industry
Consumer	X X	$\sqrt{}$		$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$
Demand focus	X	$\sqrt{}$	√ √		$\sqrt{}$
System Optimisation	X X	$\sqrt{}$		$\sqrt{}$	
Supply	X X	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$		
Socio- economic	X X	$\sqrt{}$	$\sqrt{}$		



