

Lecture 1

Concept of Energy System, Sustainability and Sustainable Energy



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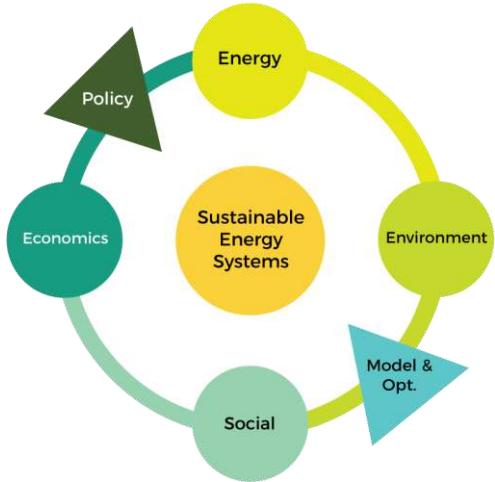
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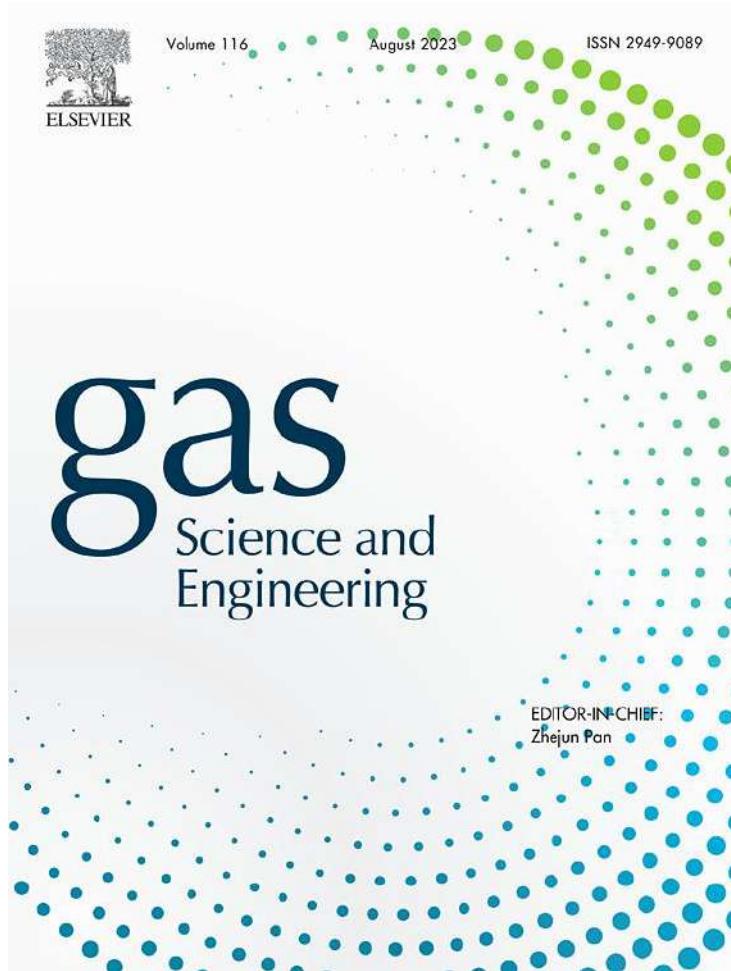
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What is Sustainable Energy?

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Outline

- Current energy status and drivers
- What is energy systems?
- Concept of sustainability
- What is sustainable energy?
- Energy-economic-environment-social relationships
- Key enablers technologies for sustainable energy system transition

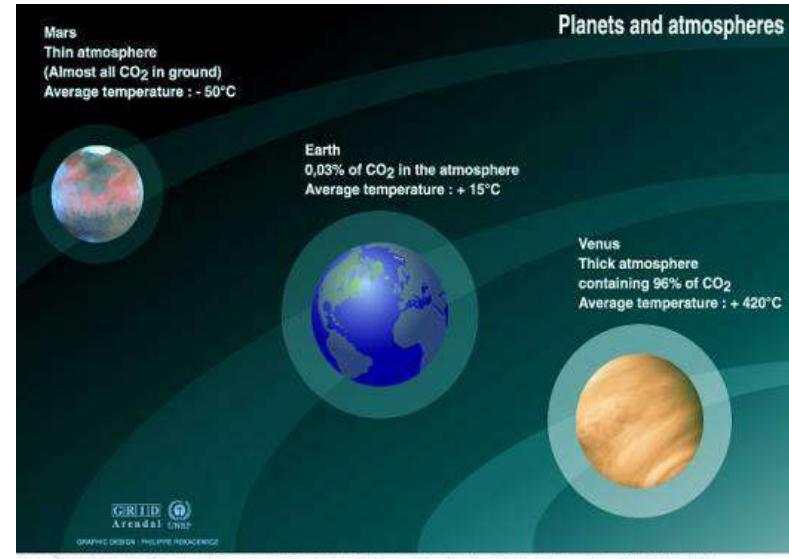
Current energy status and drivers



The energy slaves of modern man



Frying the Earth



World oil consumption

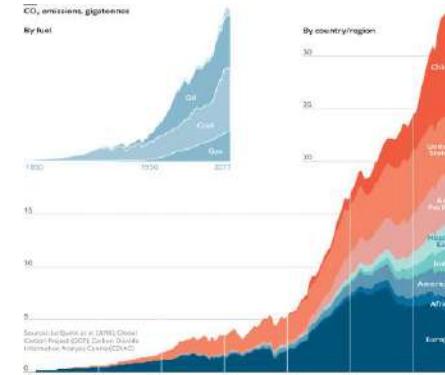
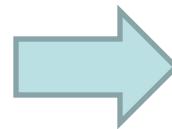
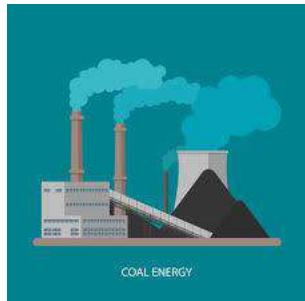
85 m bpd → burn → CO₂, H₂O

Indonesia oil consumption

1.1 m bpd → burn → CO₂, H₂O

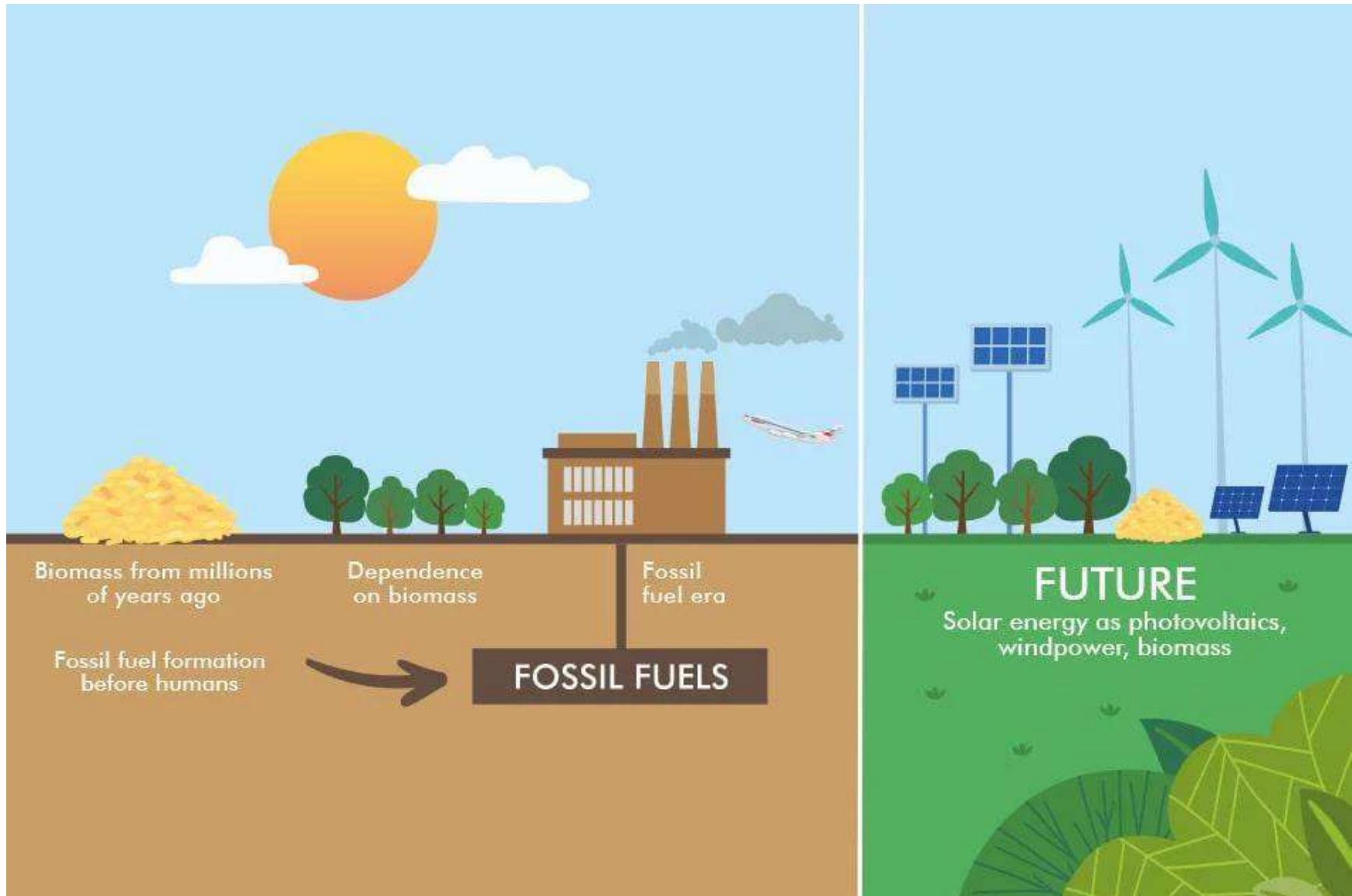
Source: C J Campbell, 2000

Energy and Climate change – Two ways relationship

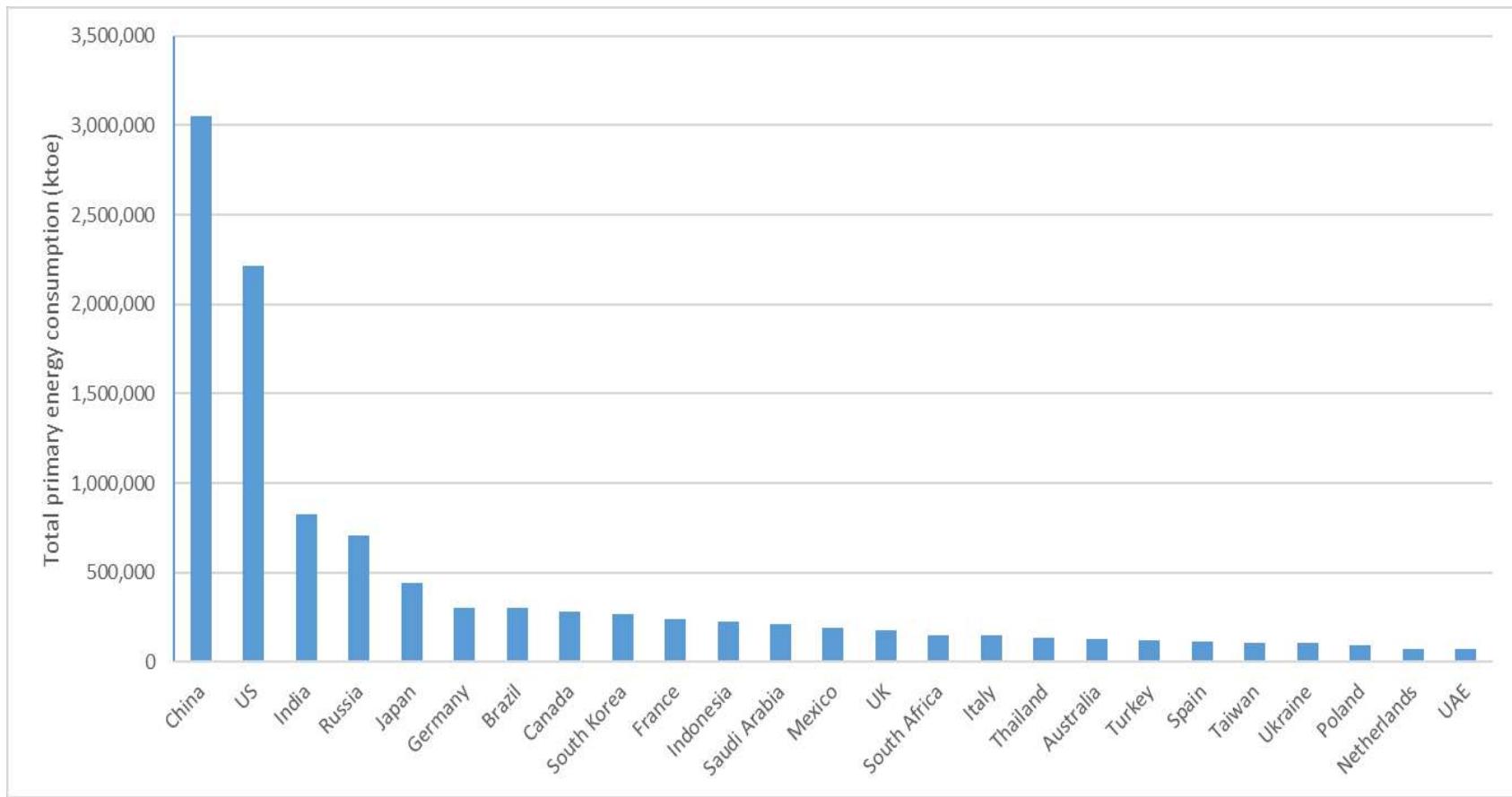


*Energy transition
Energy transformation*

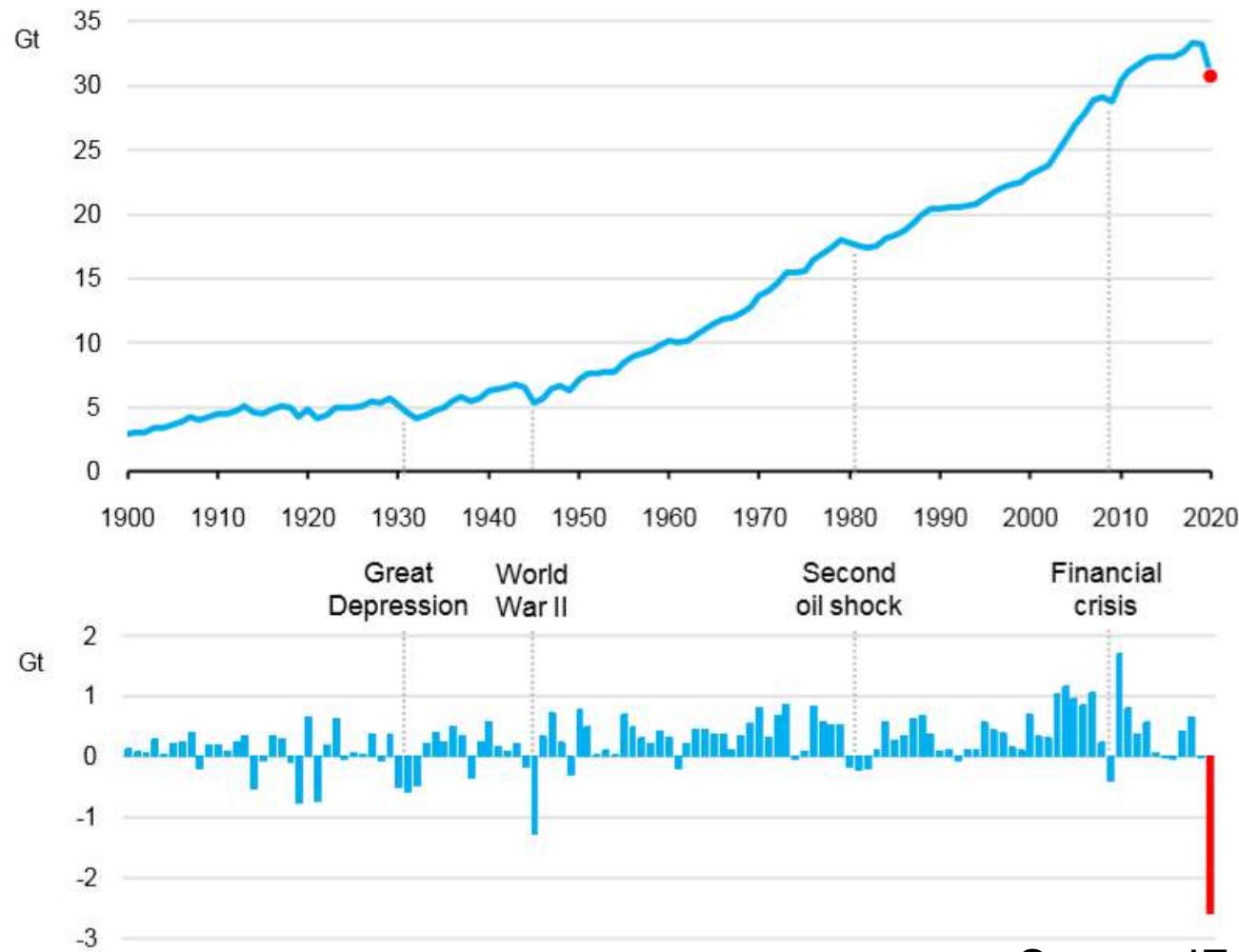




Top Energy Consumers Worldwide

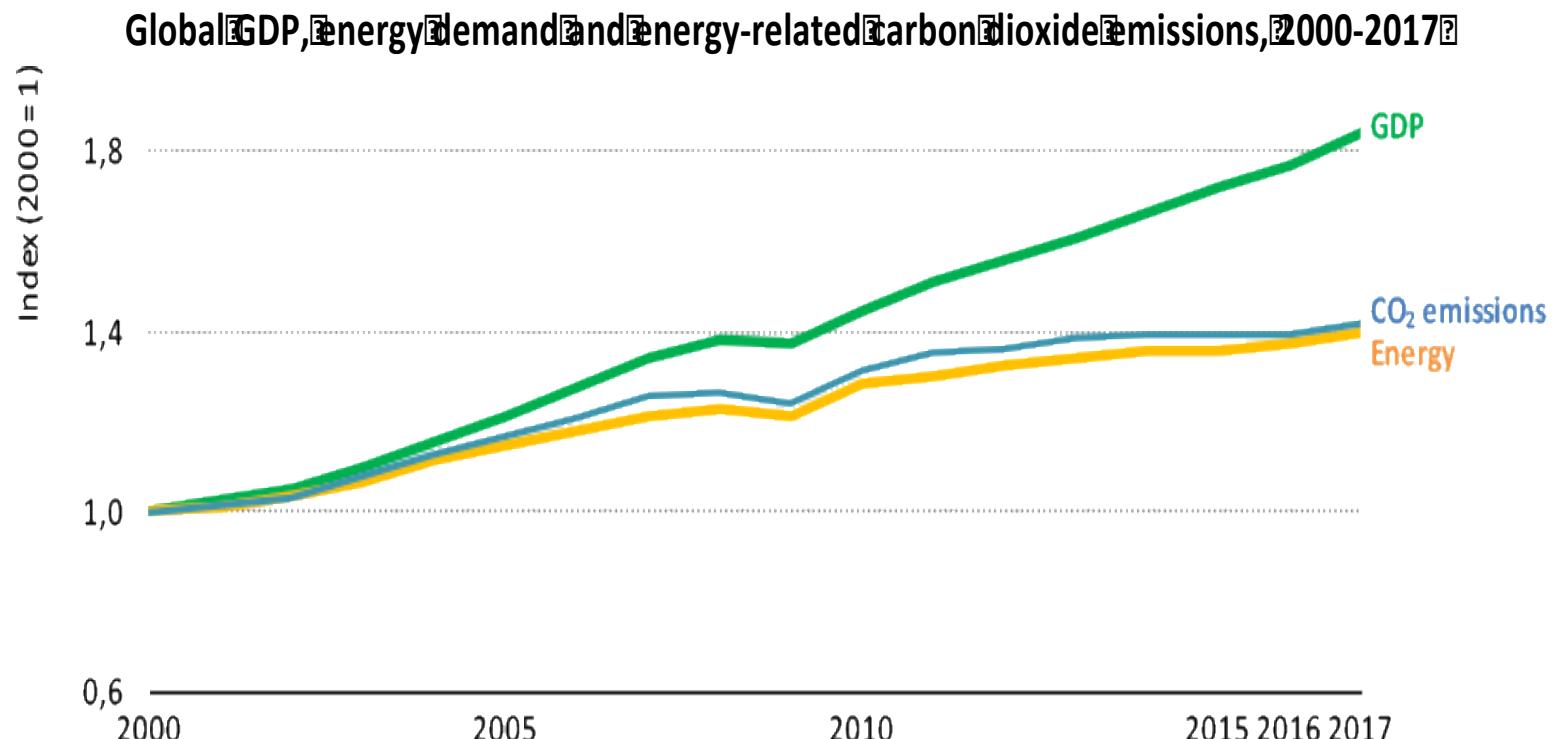


Global energy-related CO₂ emissions and annual change



Source: IEA, 2020

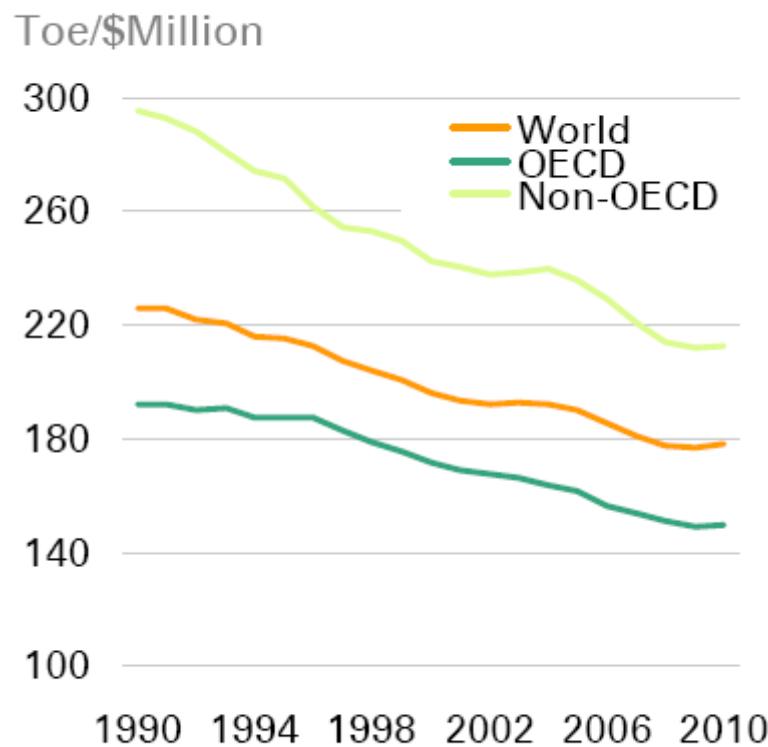
GDP, energy and emissions



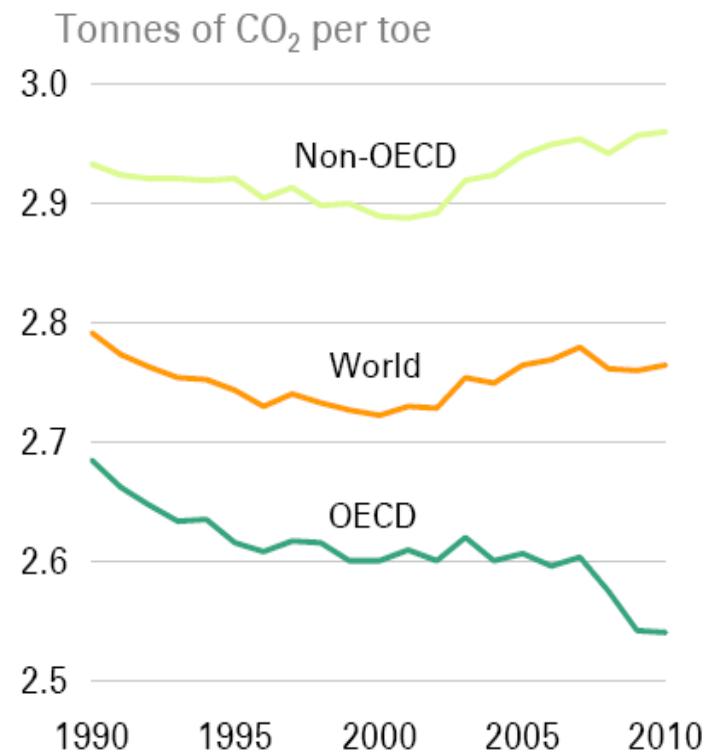
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Energy/CO₂ intensity

Energy intensity level



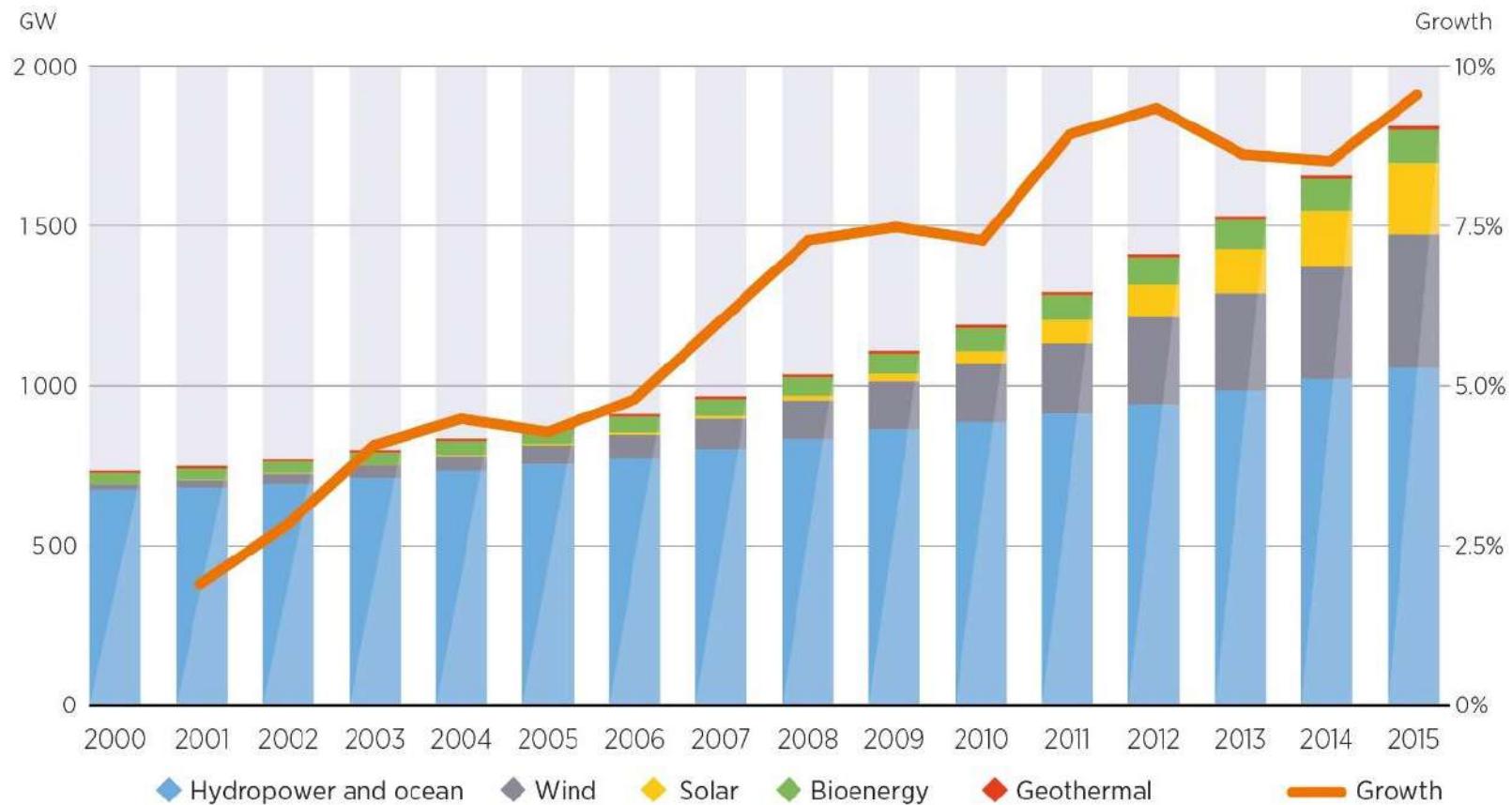
CO₂ intensity of energy



Source: includes data from Oxford Economics.

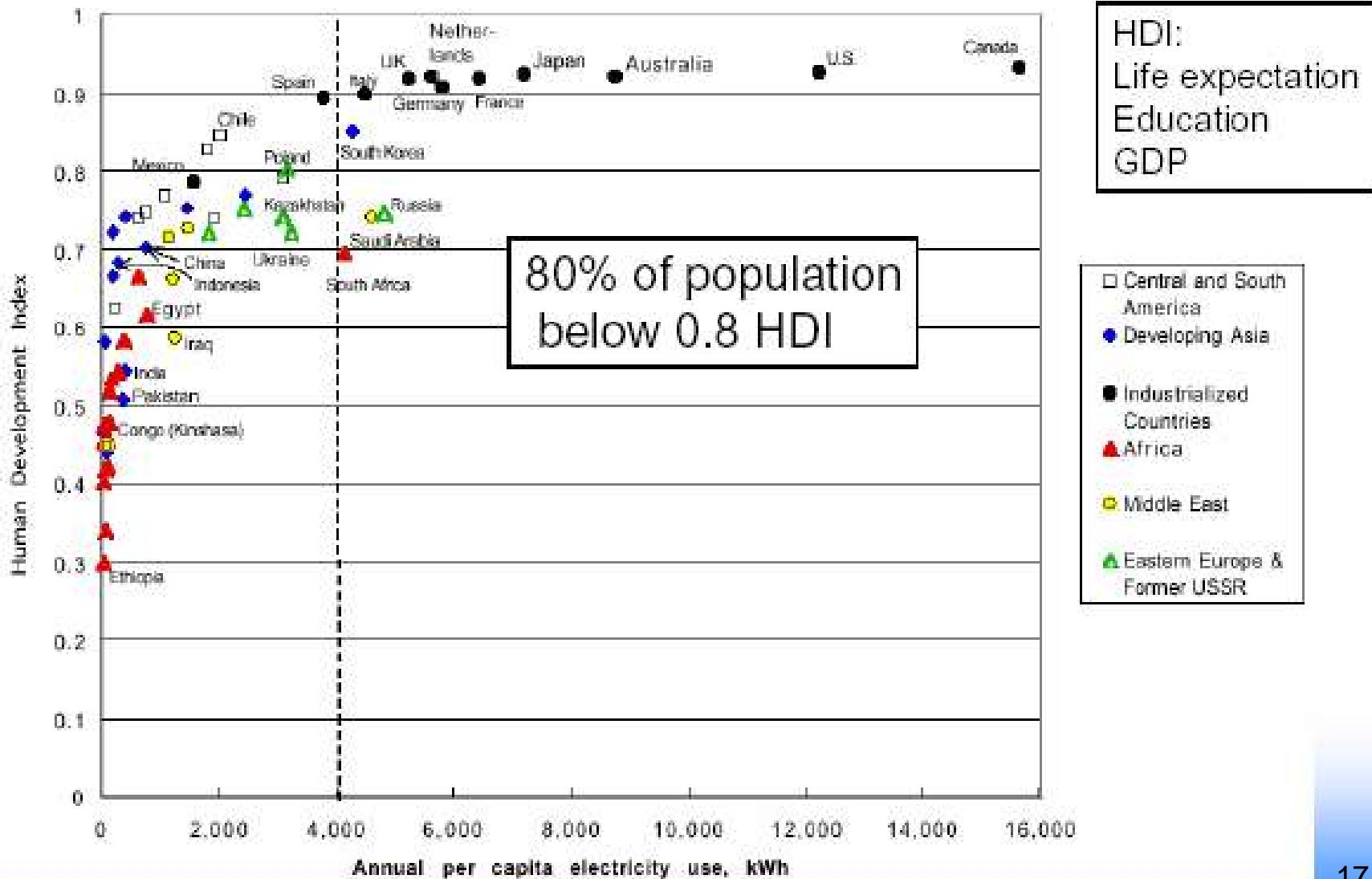
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Renewable power generation annual growth rate



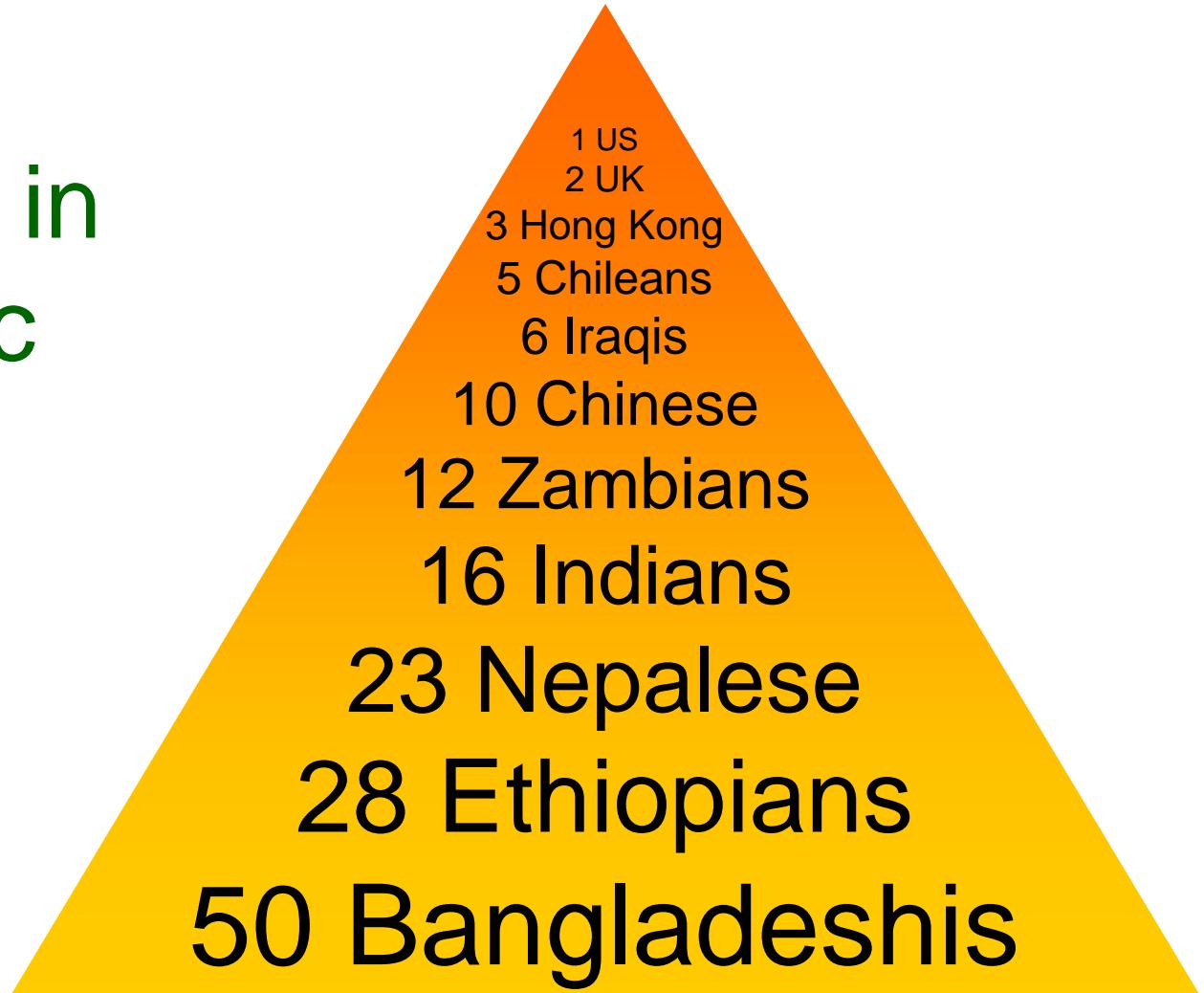
Source: IRENA (2016b).

Prosperity requires Energy

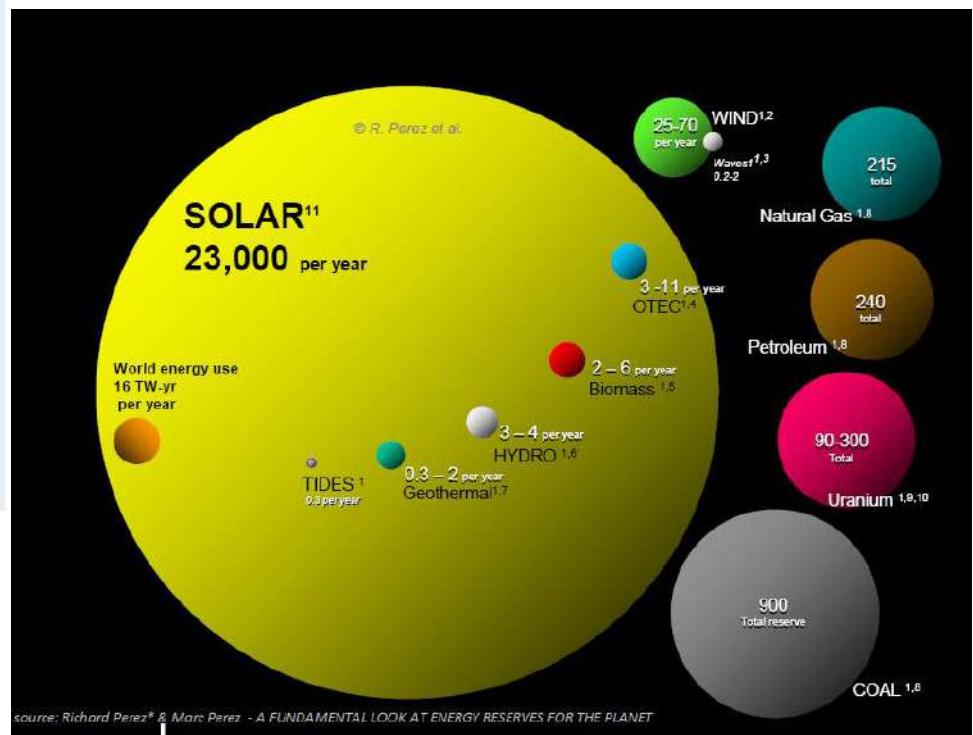
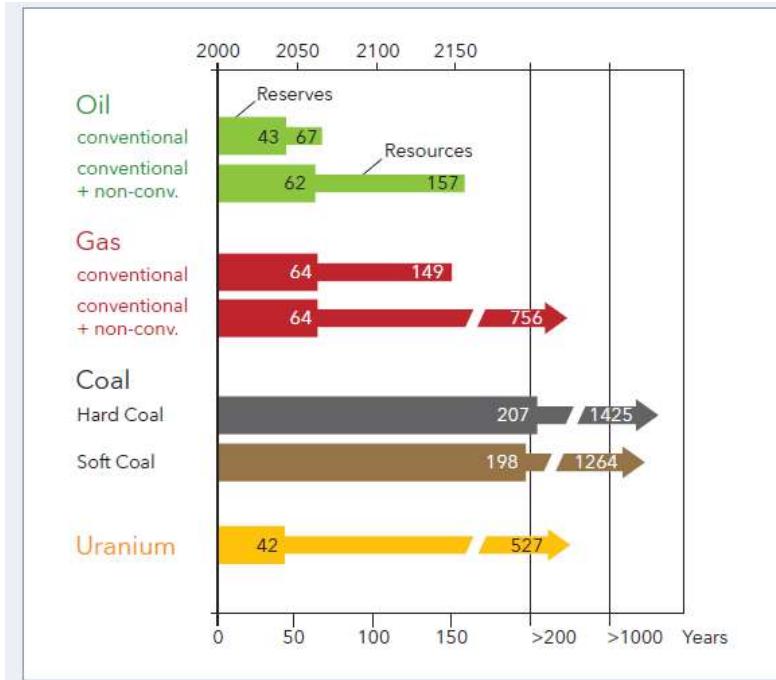


Global inequality in domestic use

*Data Source:
World
Development
Indicators, 2001*

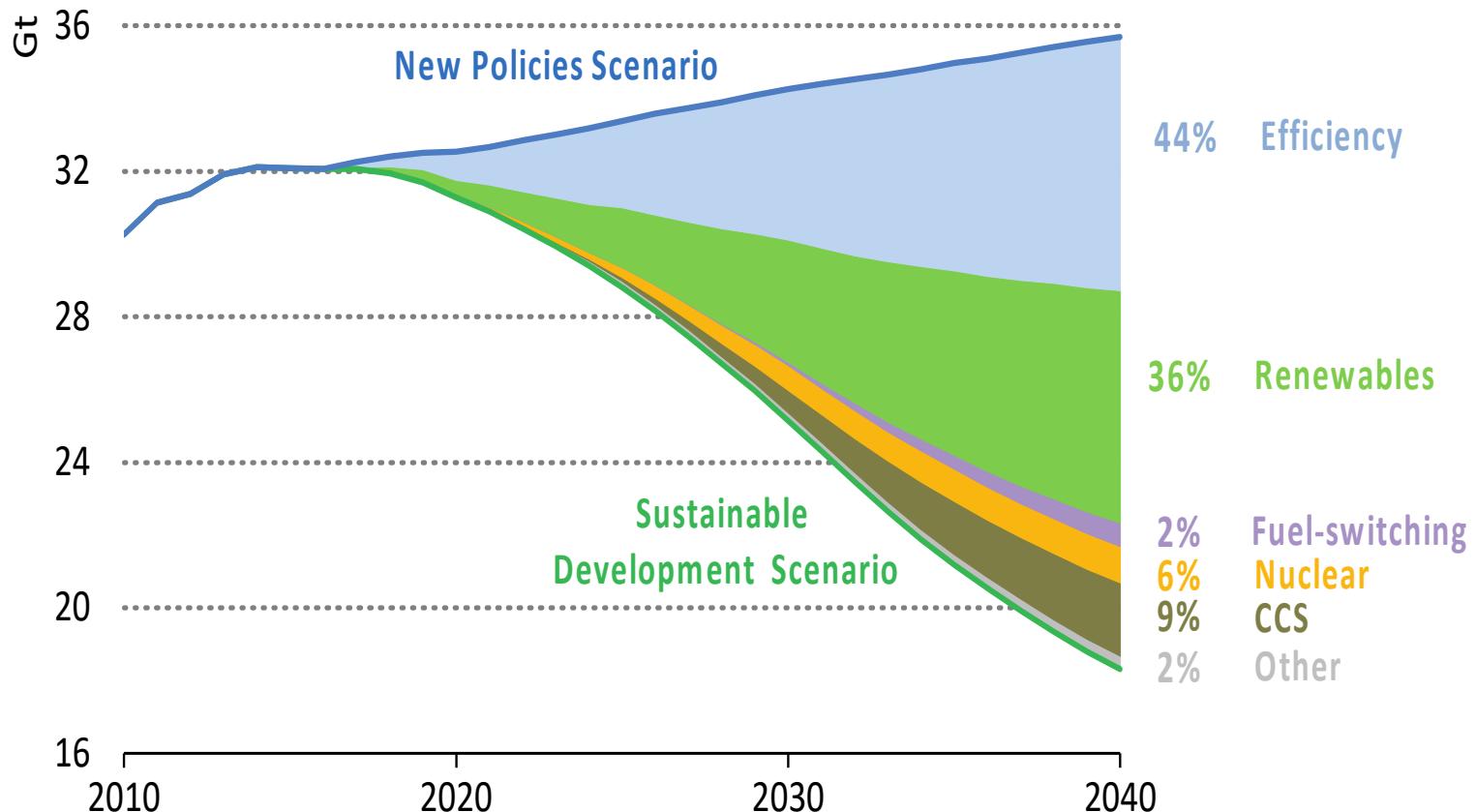


Limited Fossil Reserves on Earth



Comparing finite and renewable planetary energy reserves (Terawatt-years). Total recoverable reserves are shown for the finite resources.

Energy transition/COP 21

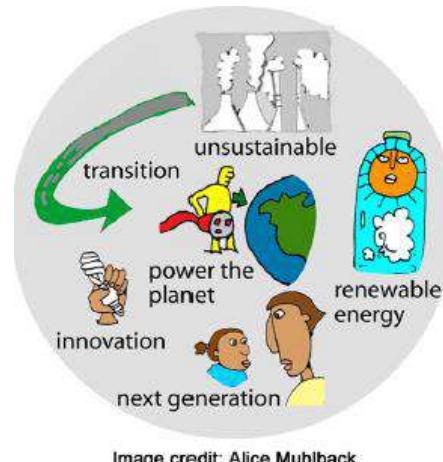


Source: IEA
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What is energy transition?

un-sustainable → sustainable

“Energy transition is a long-term strategy for the development of a low-carbon energy system (renewable energies and energy efficiency)”



“Energy transition is a pathway toward transformation of the global energy sector from fossil-based to net zero-carbon. At its heart is the need to reduce energy-related CO₂ emissions to limit climate change”

Net Zero Emission (NZE)

Key milestones in the pathway to net zero

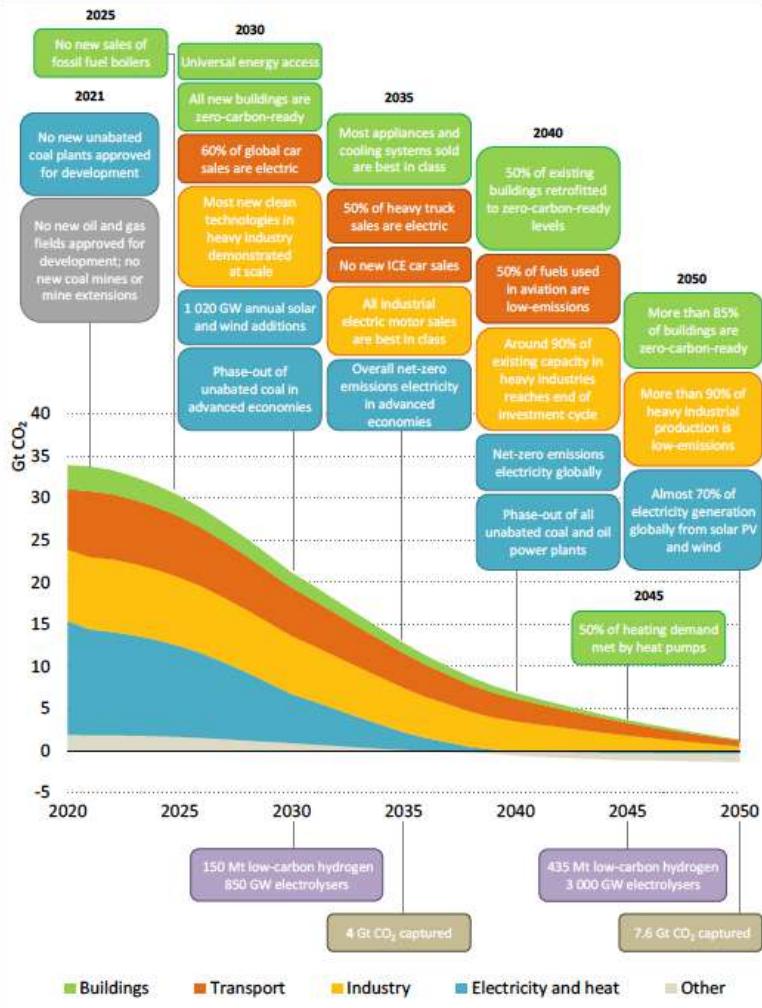
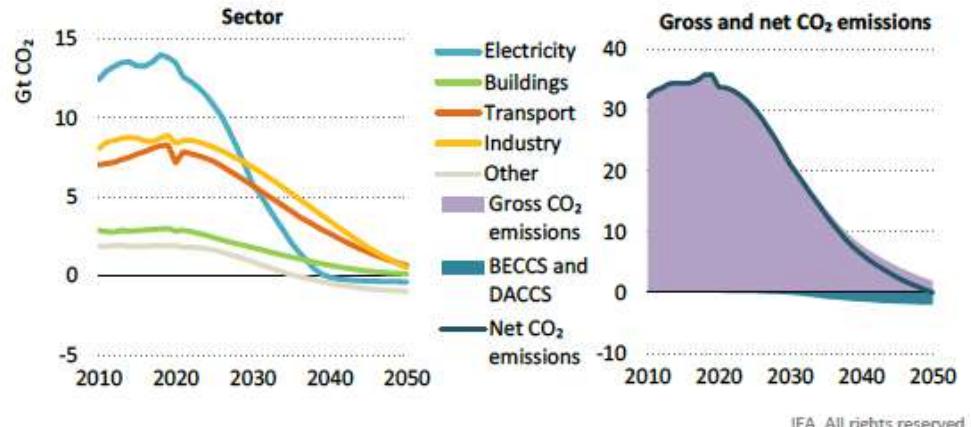


Figure 2.3 ▶ Global net-CO₂ emissions by sector, and gross and net CO₂ emissions in the NZE



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Emissions from electricity fall fastest, with declines in industry and transport accelerating in the 2030s. Around 1.9 Gt CO₂ are removed in 2050 via BECCS and DACCS.

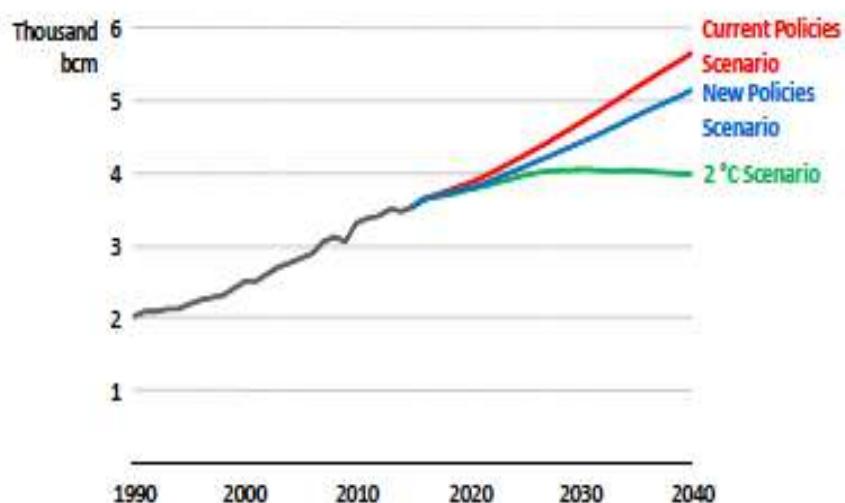
Notes: Other = agriculture, fuel production, transformation and related process emissions, and direct air capture. BECCS = bioenergy with carbon capture and storage; DACCS = direct air capture with carbon capture and storage. BECCS and DACCS includes CO₂ emissions captured and permanently stored.

Source: IEA, 2021
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Consequences of energy transition

- Future affordable, reliable and clean energy requires changes to
 - ✓ Physical system
 - ✓ Consumer behaviour
 - ✓ Market rules,
- Moving from an energy system of scarcity to one of potential abundance for almost every country,
- The country that have benefitted from fossil fuel production, it could geopolitical changes and potentially disrupt,
- The greatest challenges for fossil fuel-producing countries to adopt a new, diversified, economic model.

Main possible consequences of energy transition on O&G

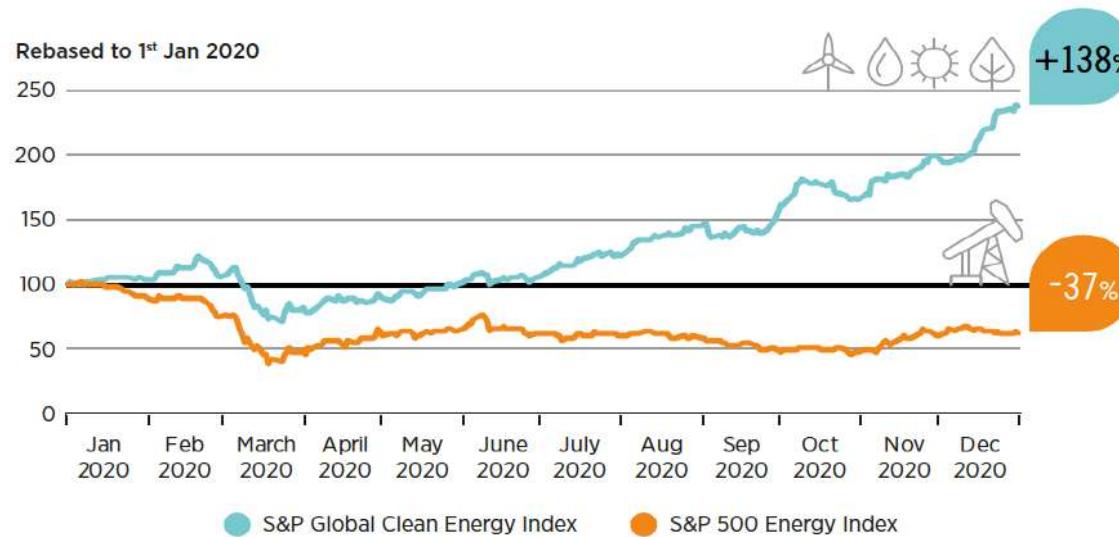


Global gas demand is projected to plateau from the late-2020s in the 2 °C Scenario

Slide Source IEA WEO 2016 Slide Deck

- ✓ Exploration would significantly reduce
- ✓ Many upstream assets would become stranded, with a higher proportion for gas than for oil
- ✓ Stranded assets could disproportionately affect producing countries

Financial markets are shifting towards new energy technologies



Source: Bloomberg

Investors and financial markets are anticipating the energy transition and already allocating capital away from fossil fuels and towards energy transition technologies, such as renewables. For example, in 2020, the S&P Clean Energy Index of clean energy stocks was up by 138%, as compared to the fossil fuel-heavy S&P Energy Index which was down by 37%.

Source: IRENA, 2021
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The major issues in Indonesia

Net oil importer country:
-60%

Net gas importer country
in 2020, -70% LPG

Enjoy strong and stable
economic growth
5.3% (2011-2016)

Positive appetite from
investors: FDI 5.8%

Energy supply mix is
largely met by fossil
fuels (93.3%)

Regulated price,
energy subsidies
~ 100 trillion IDR

Archeipelago – inter-
regional disparities
and complex logistics

Immense RE resources but
not been used widely
(RE ~7.7%)

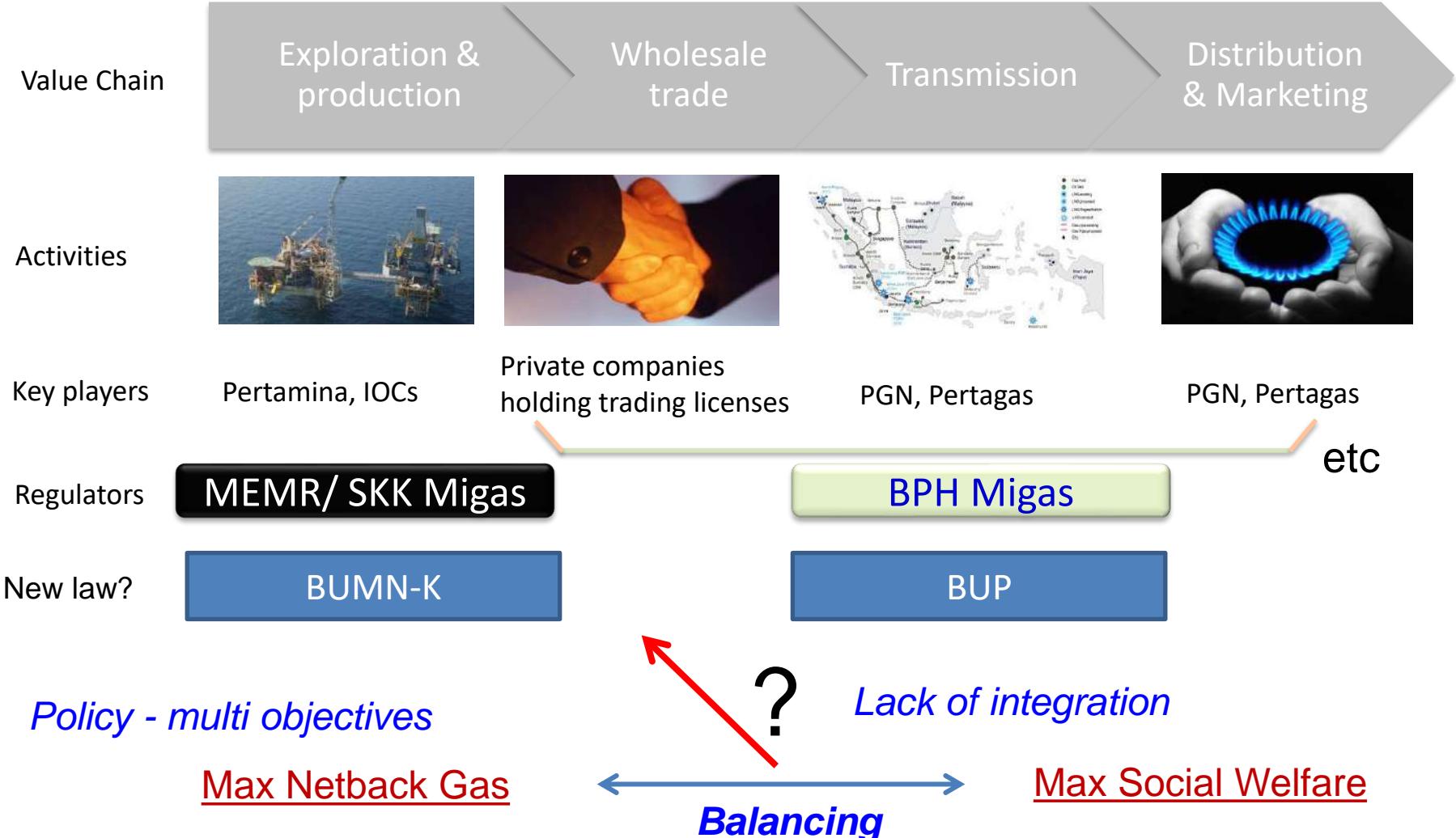
Indonesia has
ambitious RE targets
23% by 2025 and 31% by
2050

Most of energy planning
objective is least cost
without consider
environmental external.

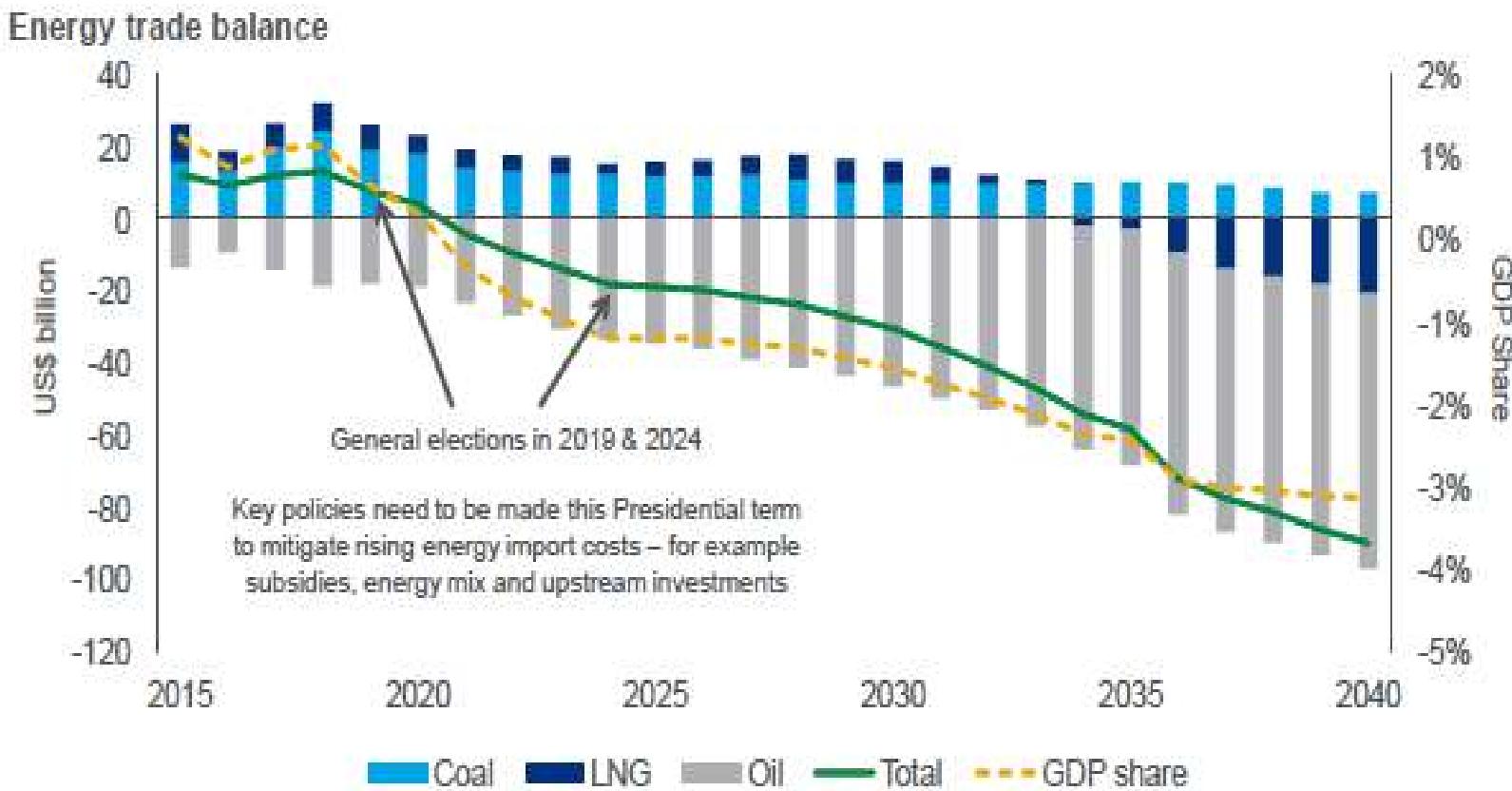
Low electrification ratio
compared to ASEAN
countries

Low energy productivity
of most sectors

Policy objectives – unclear

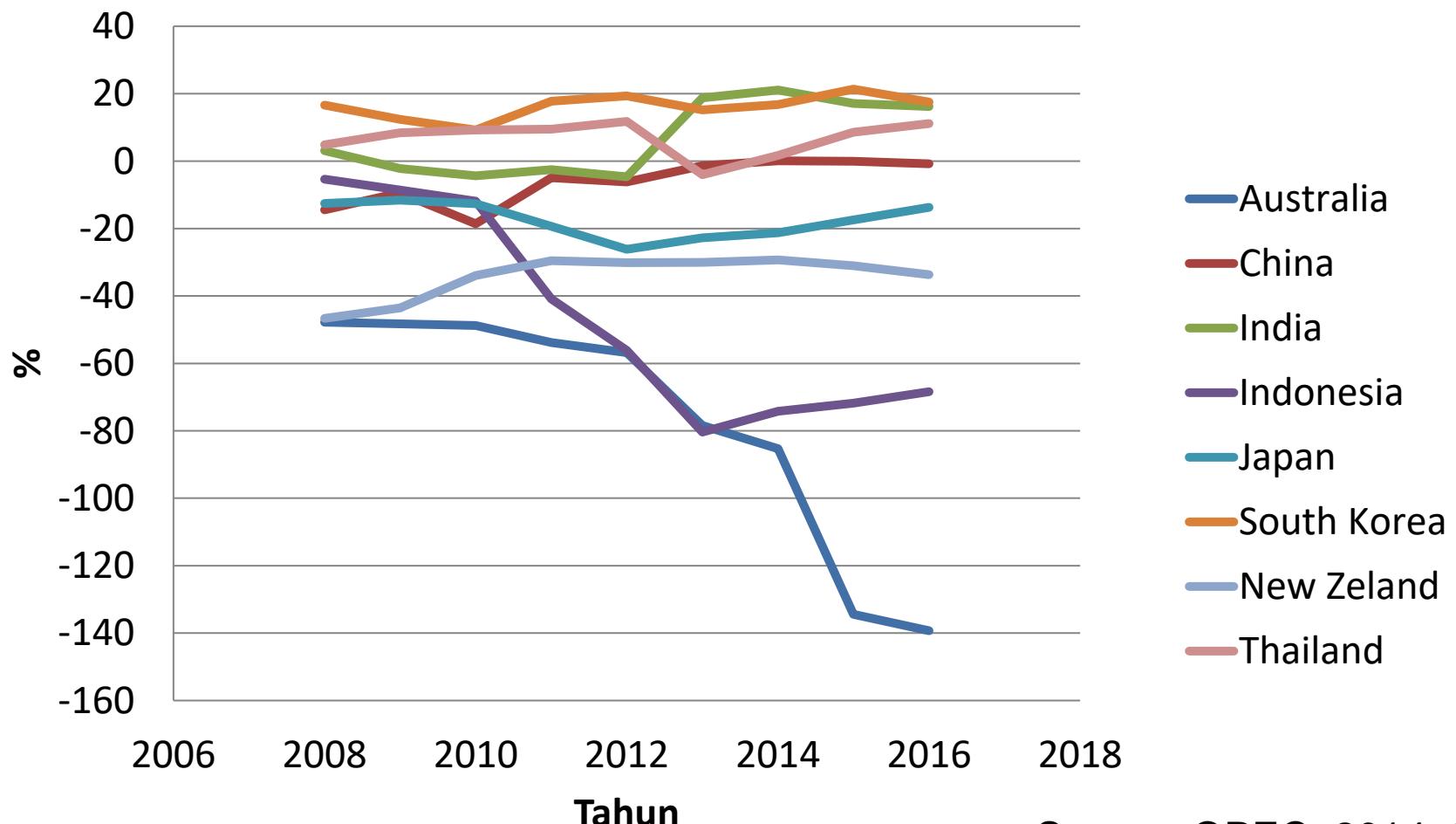


Rising energy import cost & net gas importer



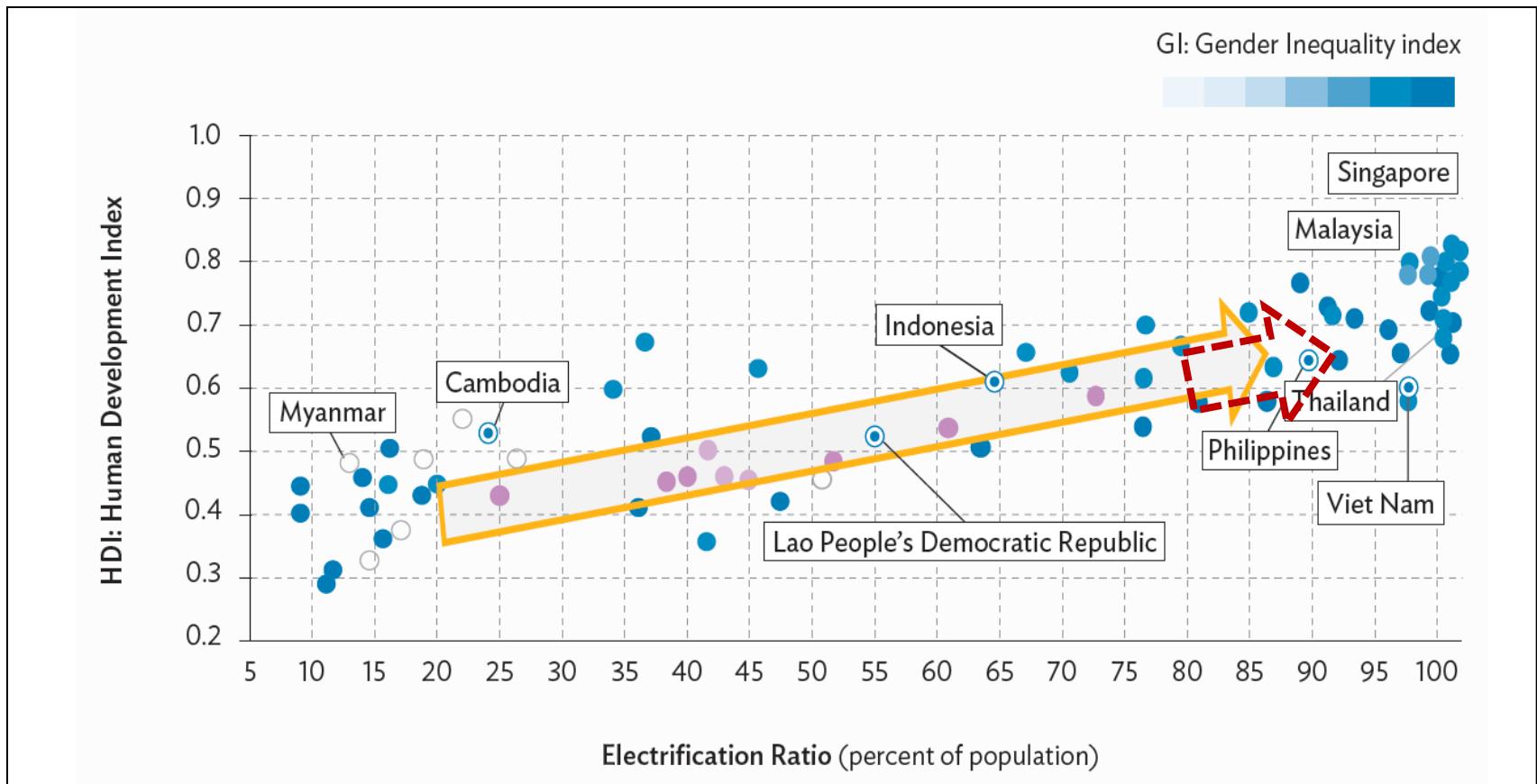
Source: Wood Mackenzie

Import dependency of petroleum fuels

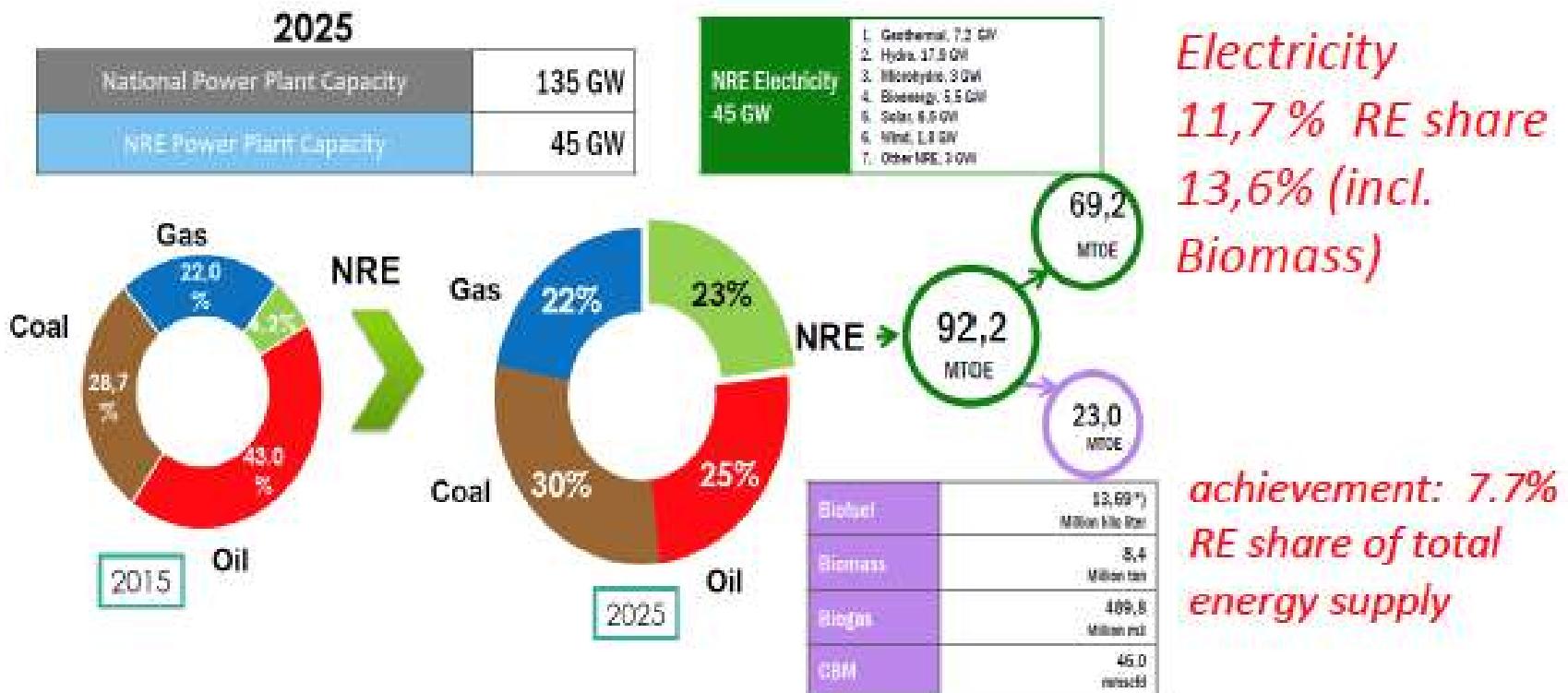


Source: OPEC, 2014, 2017

HDI & GI and Electrification ratio

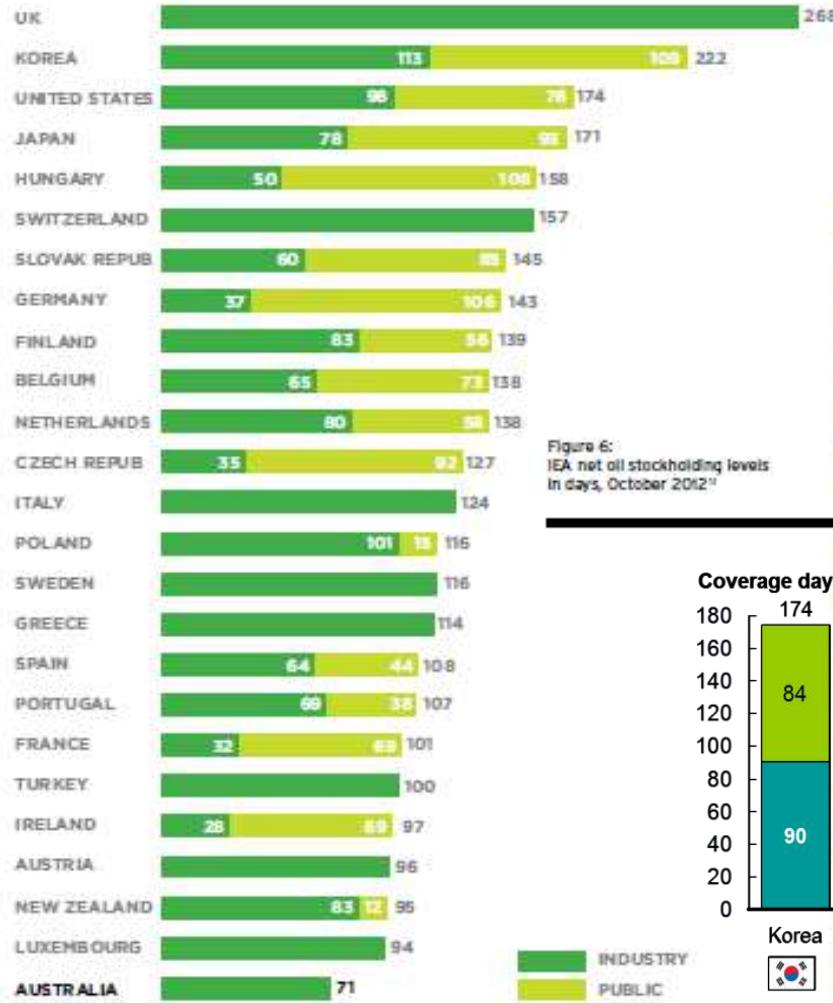


Limited RE adoption



Source: MEMR

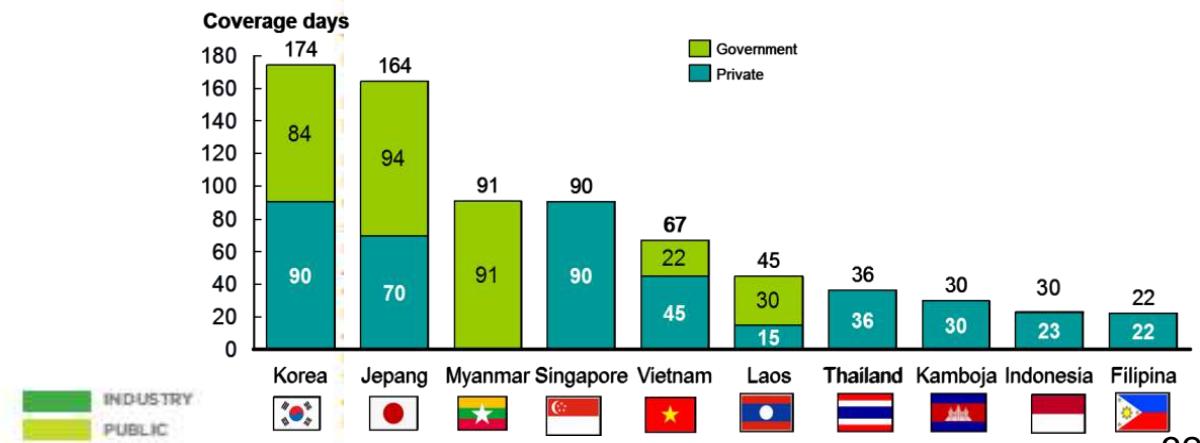
Stockholding of petroleum fuels



APEC: Minimum holding of 30 days of net import level

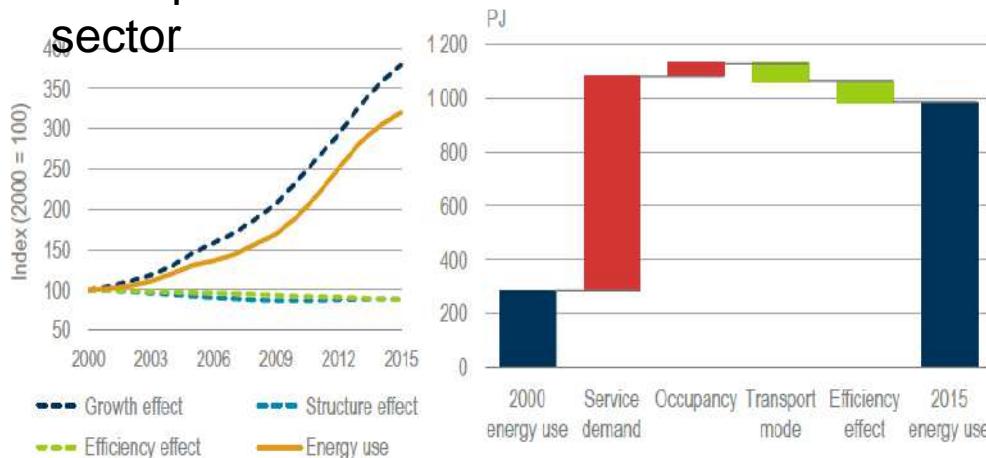
IEA: Minimum holding of 90 days of net import level

Indonesia 21 hari dari konsumsi ?



Productivity/efficiency

Transportation sector



Source: Adapted from IEA (2017a), *Energy Efficiency Indicators* (database), www.iea.org/statistics/topics/energyefficiency/.

Table 1. Specific energy consumption of the selected industry groups.

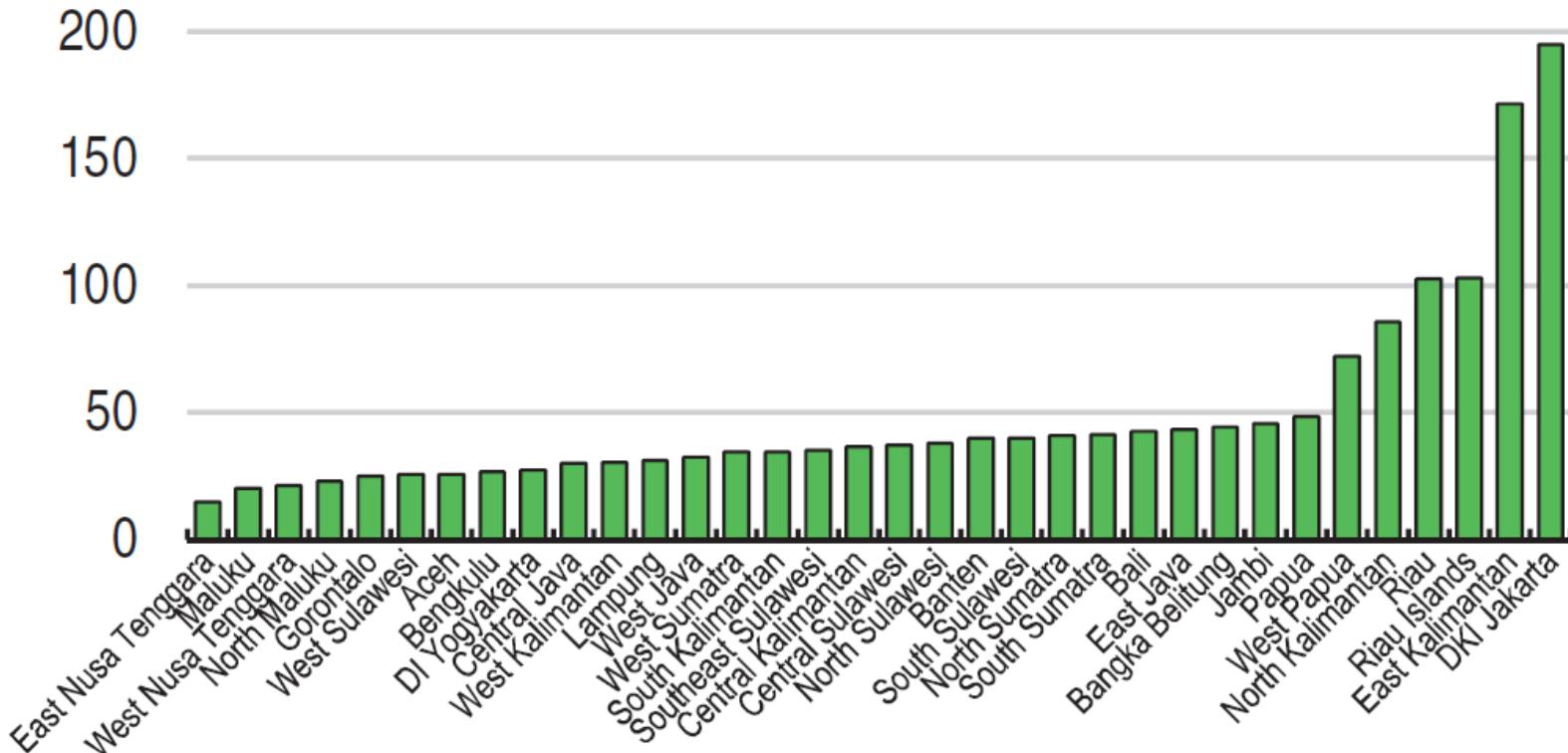
Industry group	SEC (BOE/Tonne)	SEC reference (BOE/Tonne)	References
Pulp	1.21–2.74	1.13–3.16	[16]
Paper	1.63–2.14	1.23–1.79	
Alcohol	1.11	0.78	[17]
Cement	0.67	0.57	[18]
Spinning	1.48–3.65	0.57–0.59	
Weaving	0.83–8.6	0.82–7.03	
Finishing	8.35	7.8	
Basic Metal and Steel	0.67–0.86	0.46–0.50	
Sugar processing	5.98	4.75	[19]

Source: IRENA, 2017

Source: Vivadinar et al, *Energy Sci and Eng*, 2016³³

Inequality across region is large

% of national GDP per capita, 2014



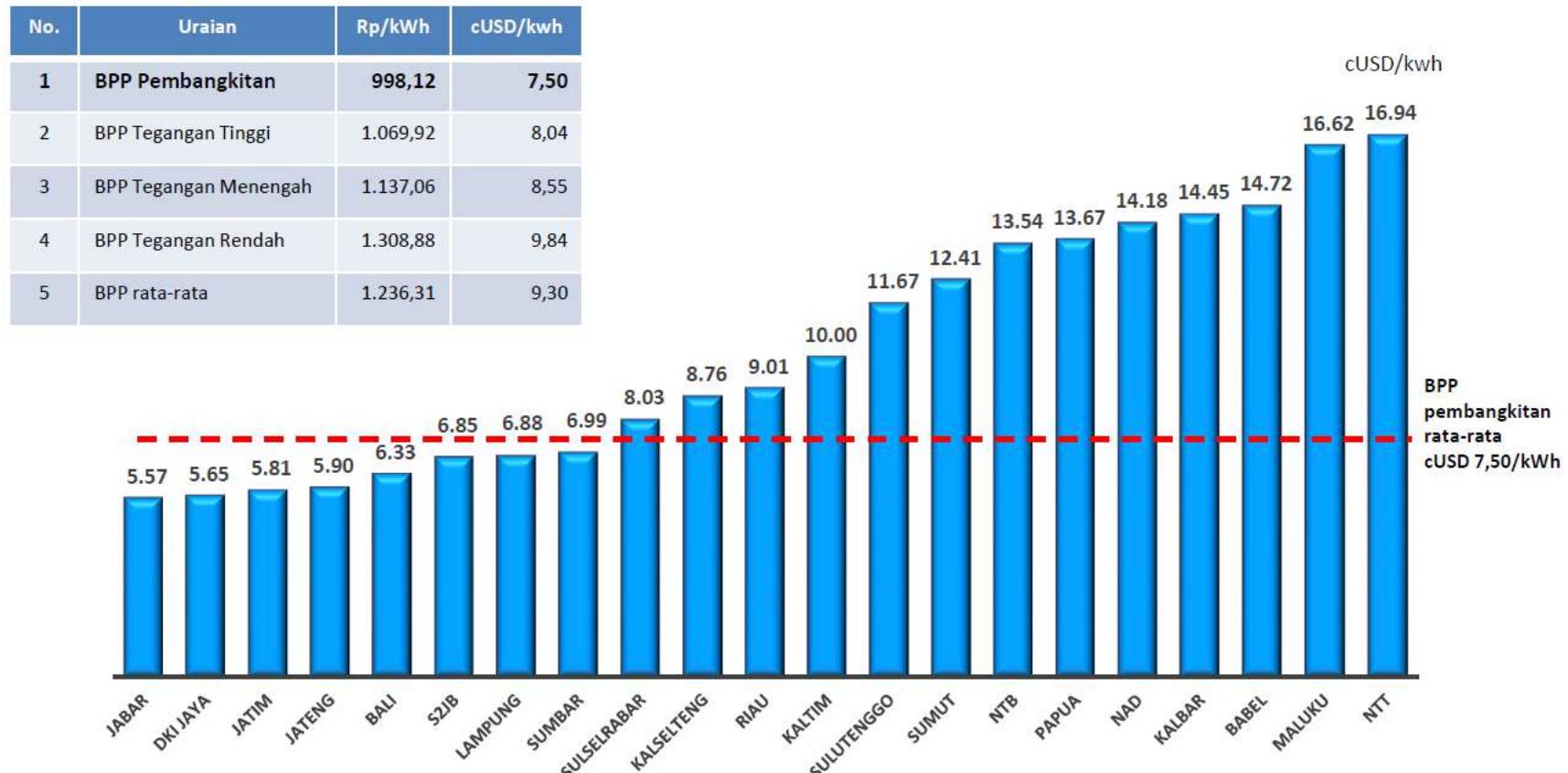
Source: Statistics Indonesia.

Source: OECD, 2016³⁴

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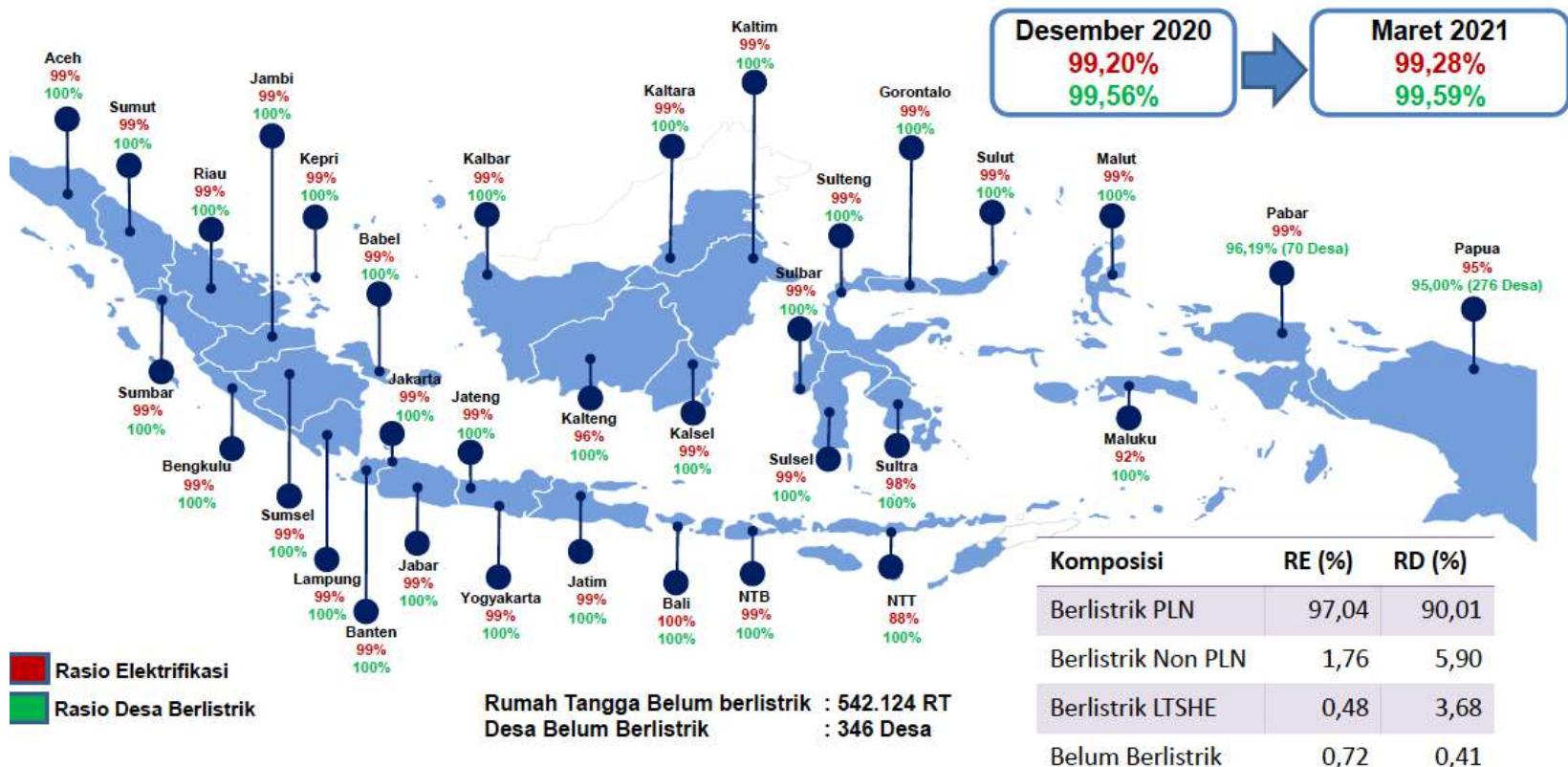
Generation cost of electricity

BPP Tenaga Listrik 2015 (Audited)



Inequality across regions is large

Electrification ratio



Complex fuel product logistics

Pertamina handles the most complex distribution in the world in delivering fuel products across the country...

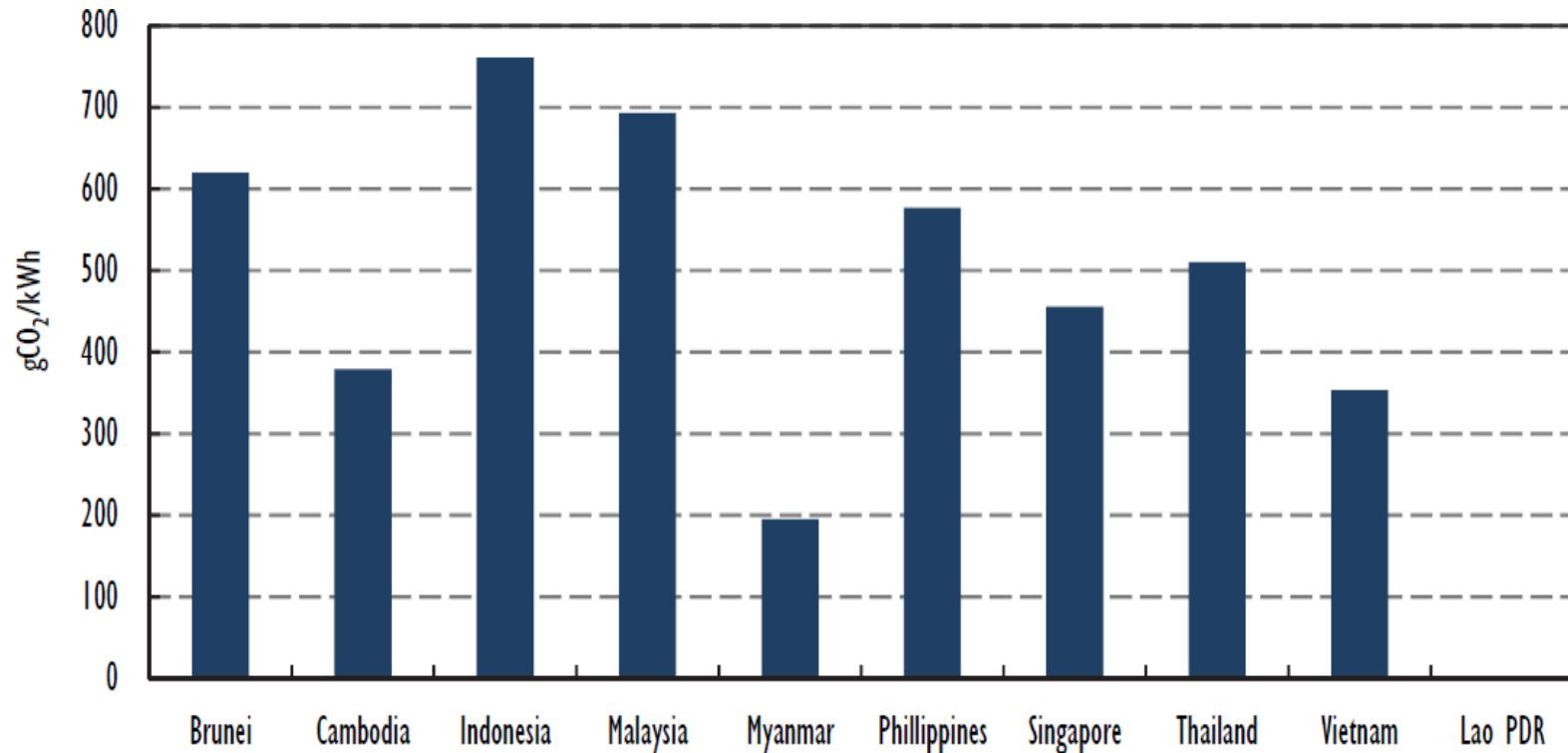


- 5,161 unit Gas Stations, 603 APMS, 260 SPDN, 50 SPBN

...but still lags behind especially gas and electricity logistic infrastructure systems

Source: Pertamina 37

High CO₂ intensity of electricity



Source: IEA (2015h), *CO₂ Emissions from Fuel Combustion*, www.iea.org/statistics.

Source: IEA, 2016

What is energy systems?



What is energy?

The ability of matter or radiation to do work'

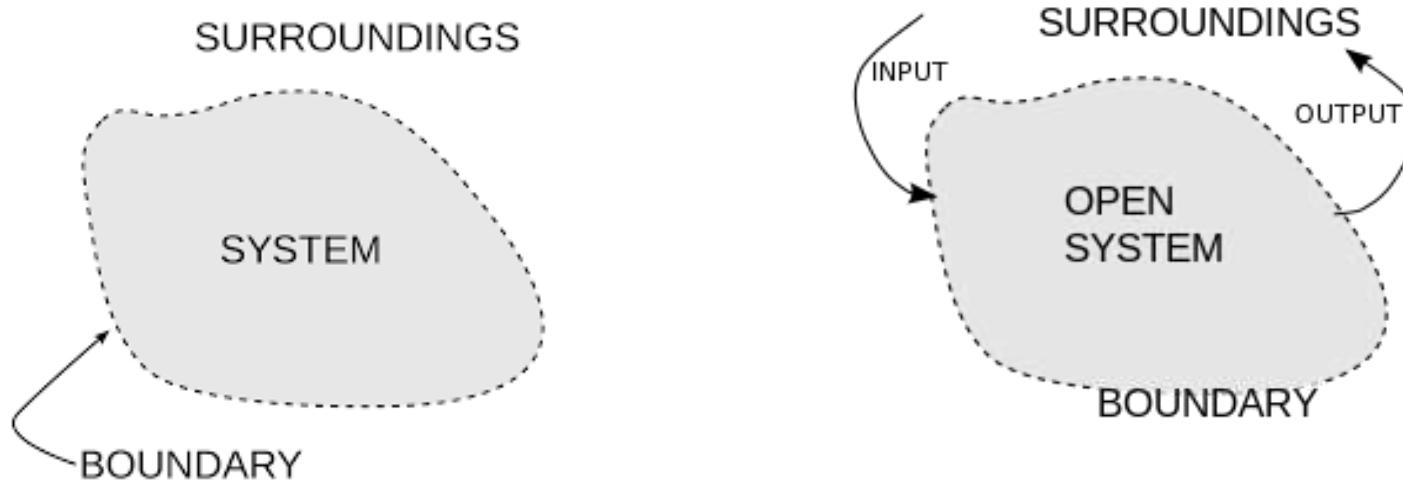
People don't demand *energy* - they ask for these *services*:

- heating / cooling / lighting - buildings
- mobility / carrying capacity - transport
- 'making things' power - industry
- IT/ communication / entertainment - all

Role of Energy

- Energy is a vital input for economic and social development of any nation;
- The significant energy use is related to the nature of energy services in different sectors in the economy, environmental constraint as well as the economic situation.

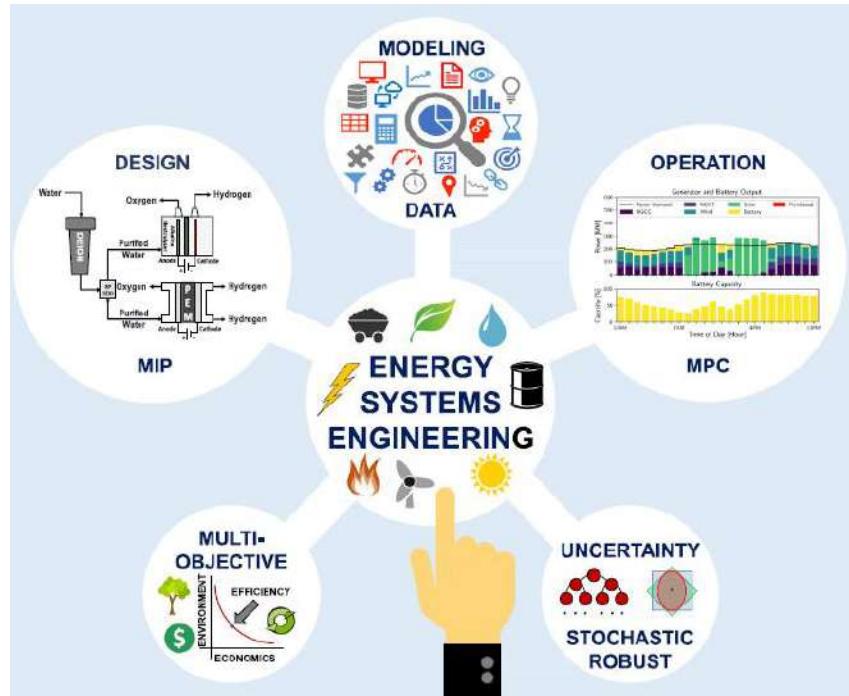
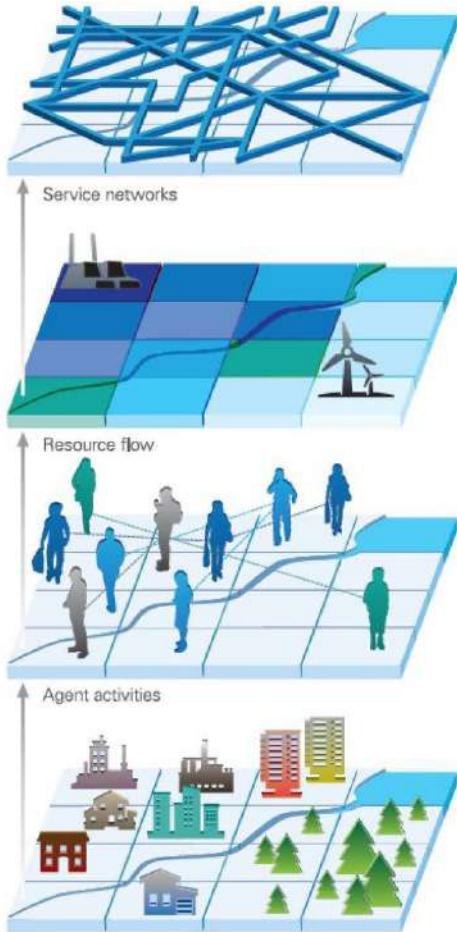
What is system & system engineering



A system is a group of interacting or interrelated entities that form a unified whole

Systems engineering is an interdisciplinary field of engineering and engineering management that focuses on how to design and manage complex systems over their life cycles.

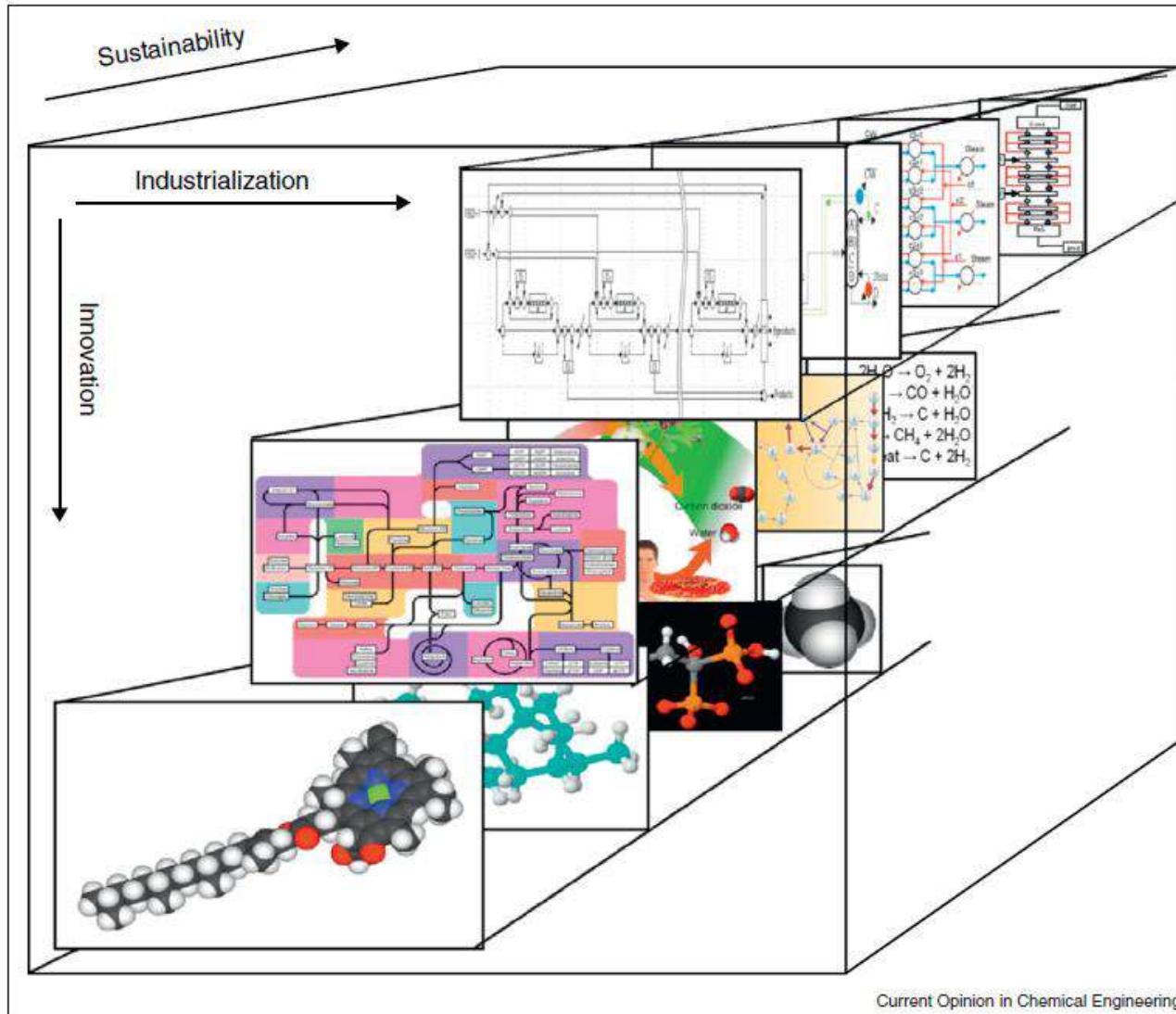
Energy system engineering



Energy systems engineering provides a methodological scientific framework to arrive at realistic integrated solutions to complex energy problems, by adopting a holistic, systems-based approach.

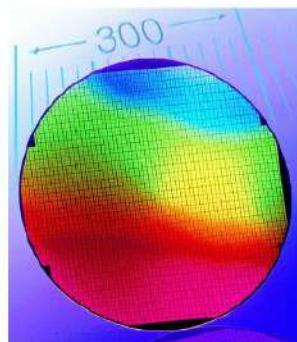
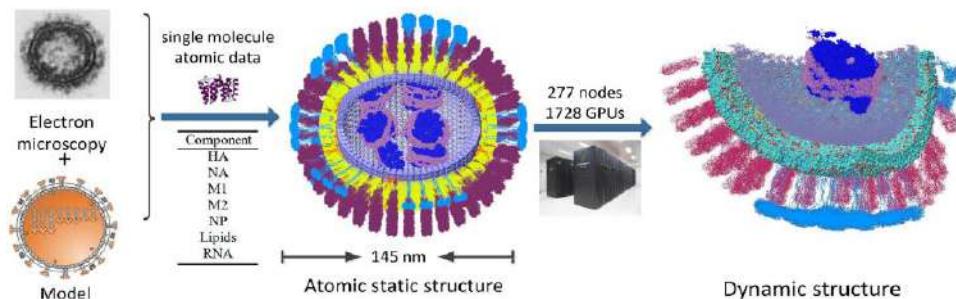
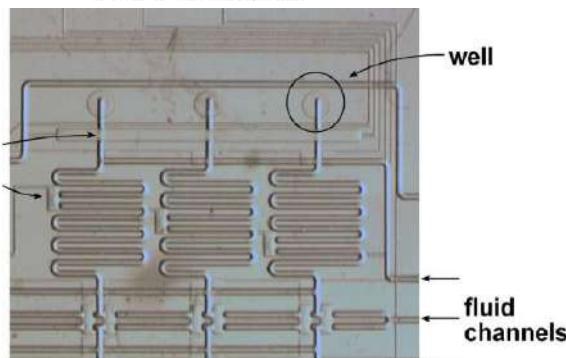
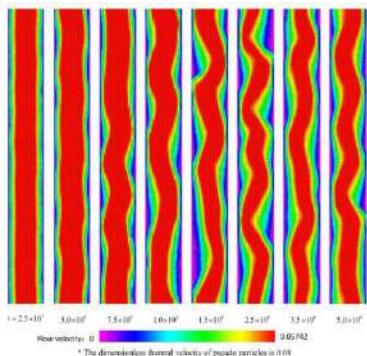
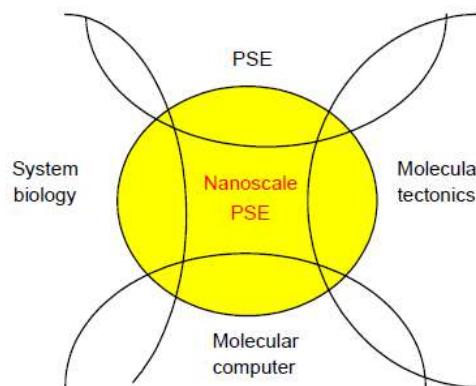
Multi-scale

Multi-scale energy system

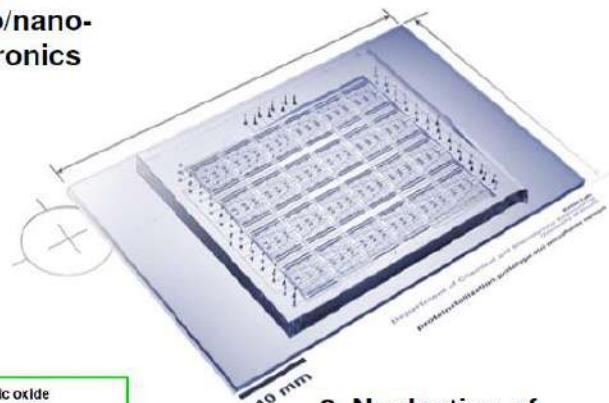


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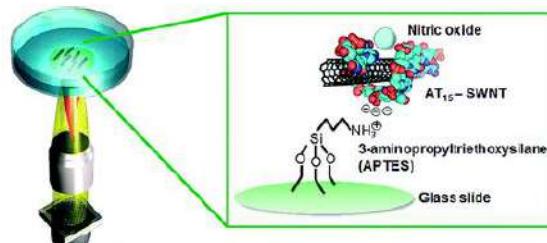
Micro/nano scale system



1. Micro/nano-electronics



2. Nucleation of proteins & drugs

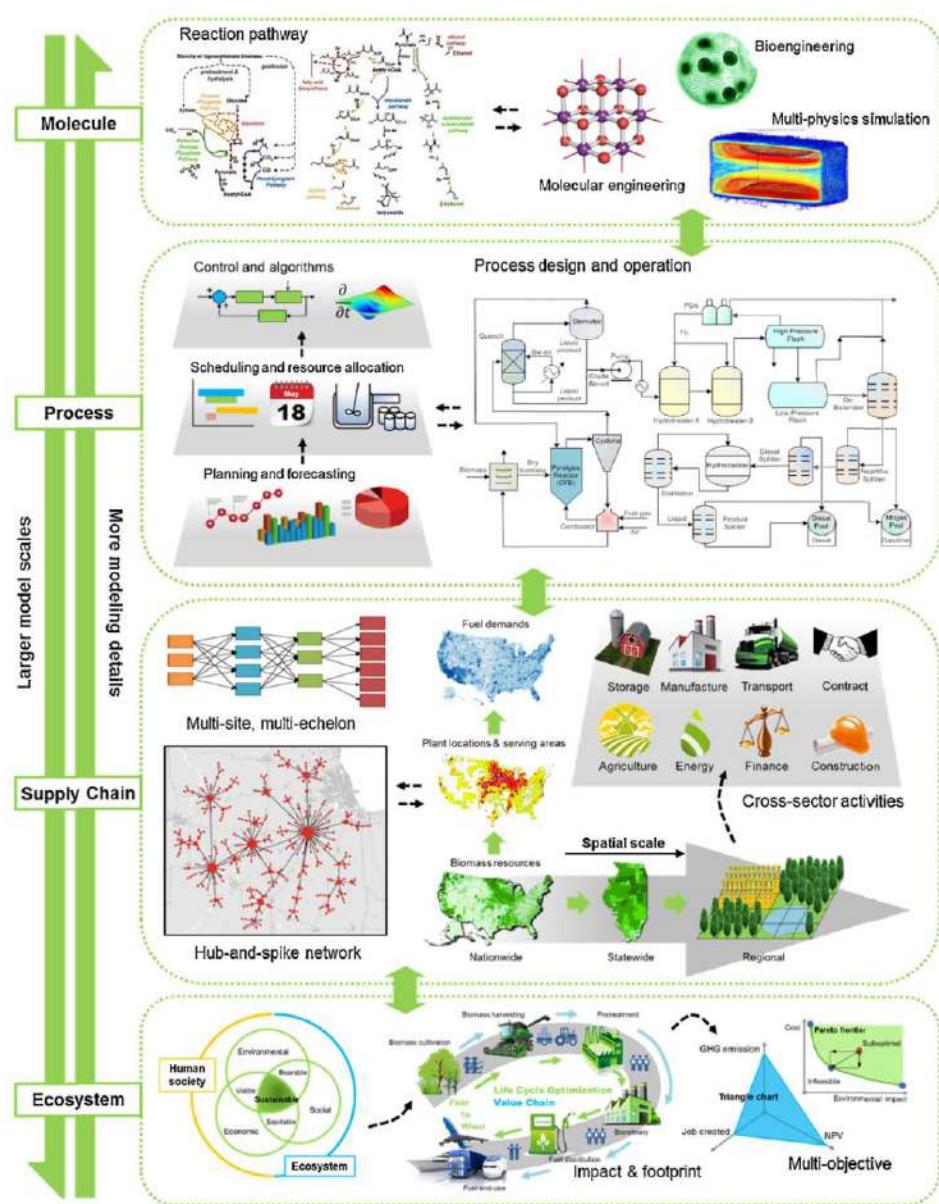


3. Chemical/bio sensors

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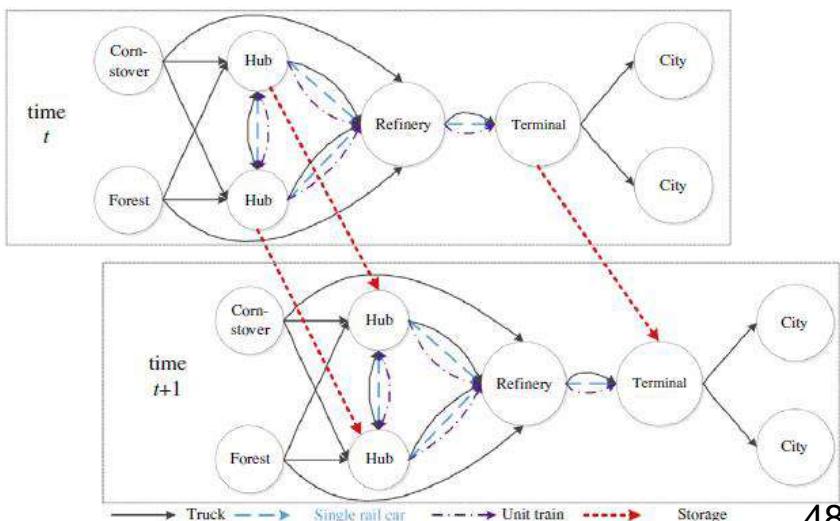
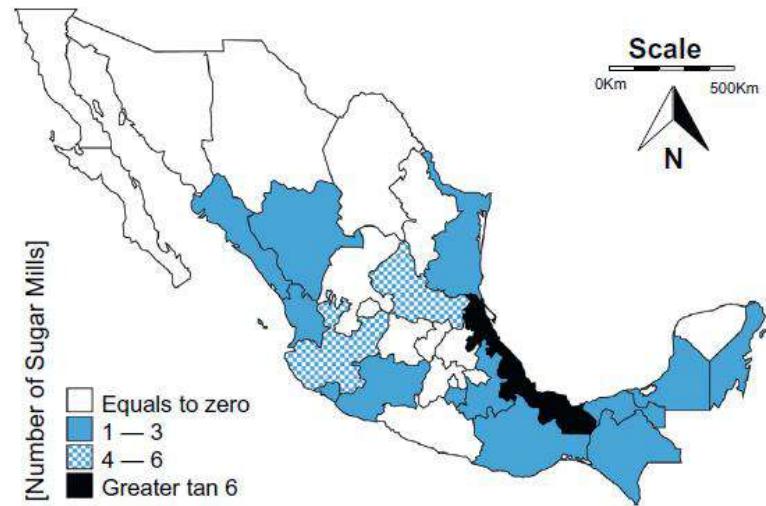
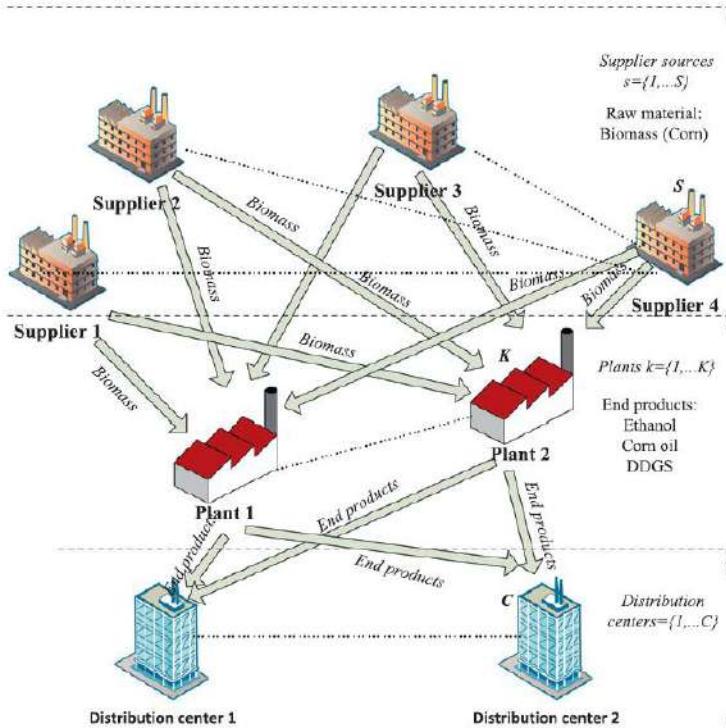
Source: Yang, 2008, Braatz-MIT, Xu et al. *Chem Eng Sci*, 2015

Multi-scale (molecular to ecosystem) of biofuels



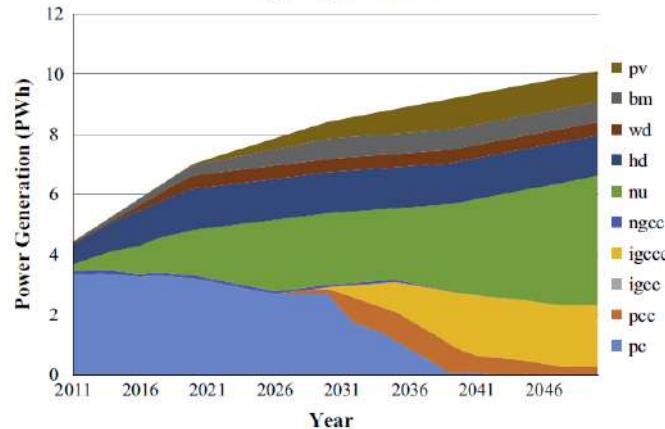
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2014

Macro scale and multi-region: optimal design of supply chain

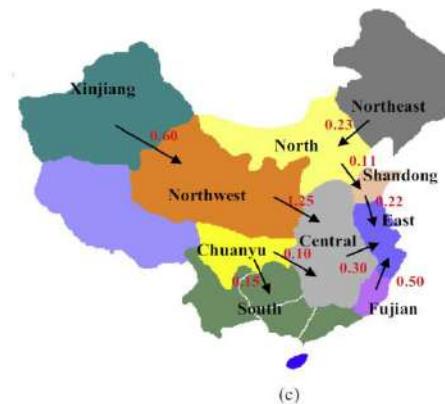
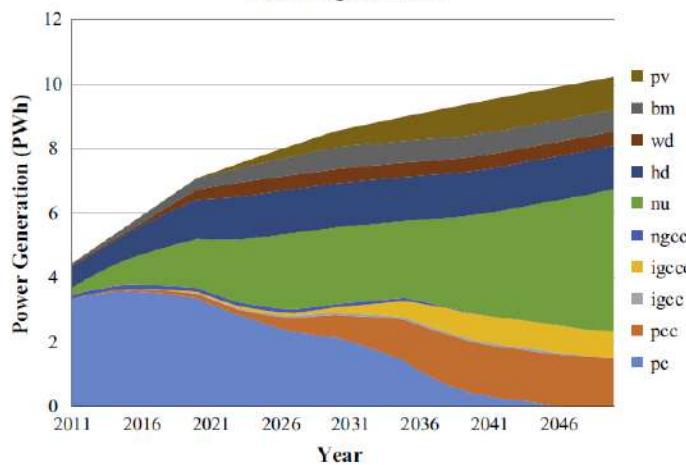


Multi-region system

Single-region Model

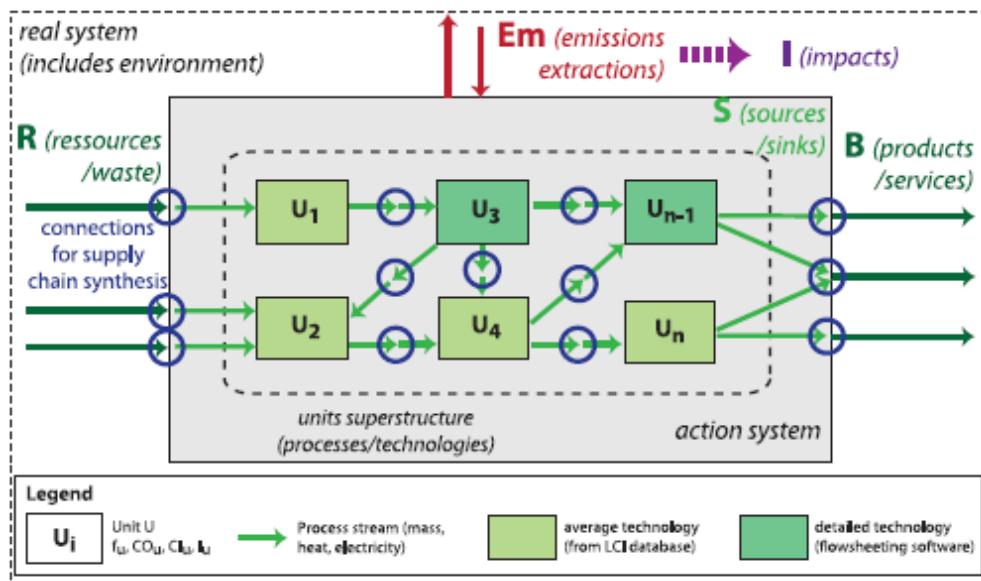
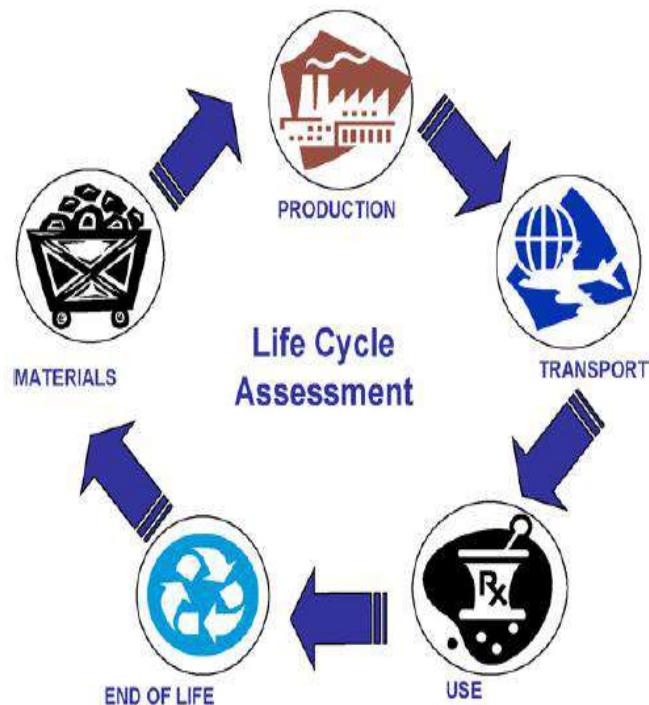
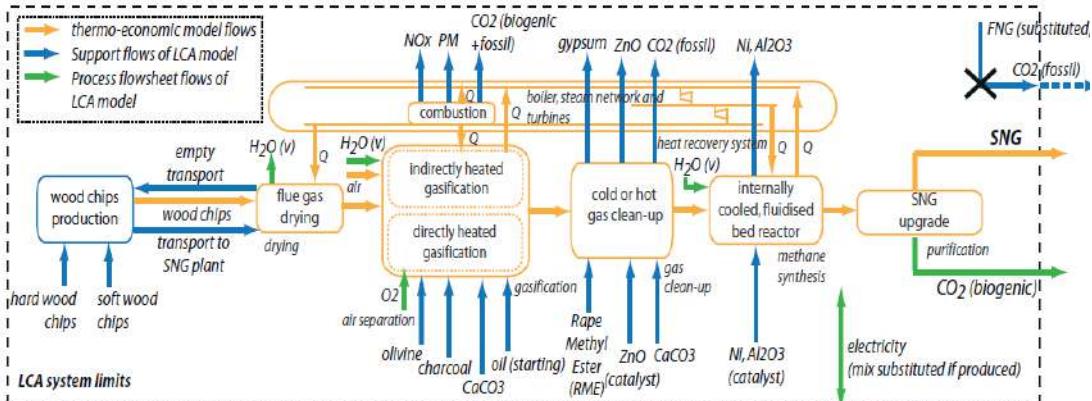


Multi-region Model



Source: Cheng et al, 2015

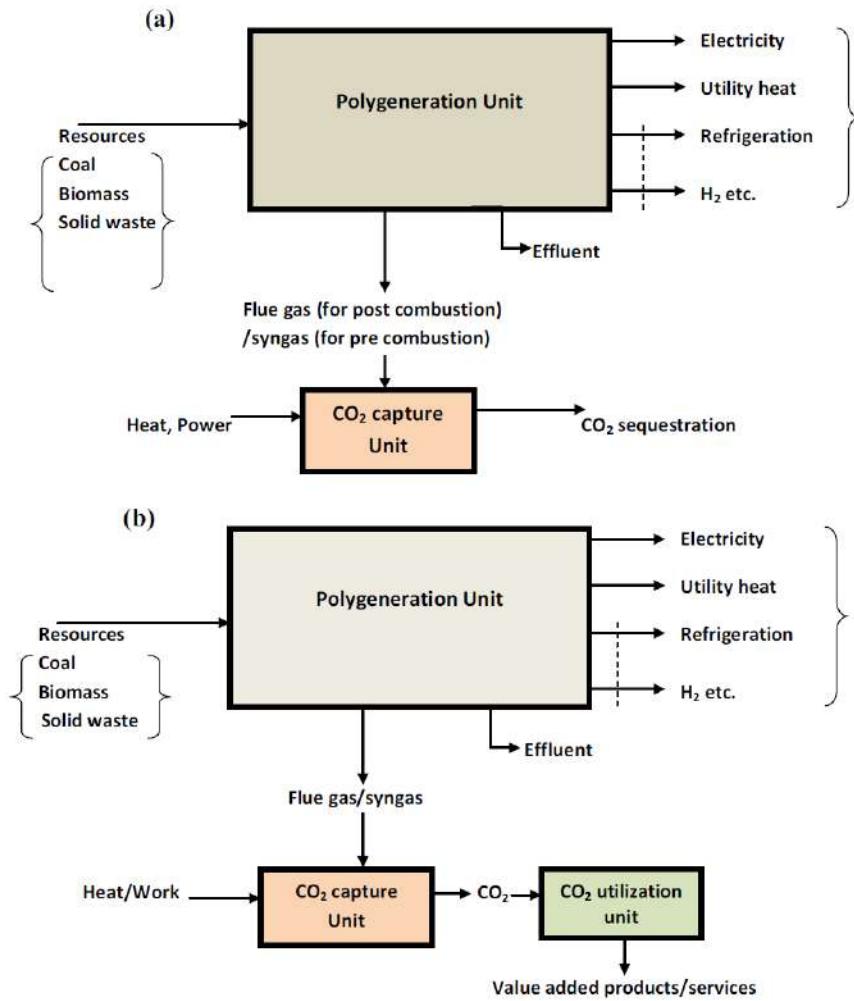
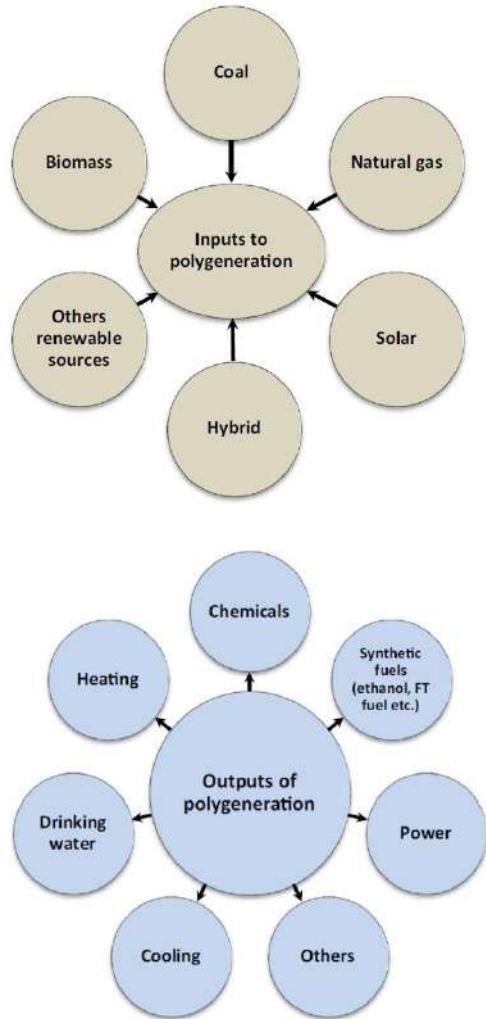
Ecosystem/LCA



Gerber et al. Comput Chem Eng, 2011, 2013

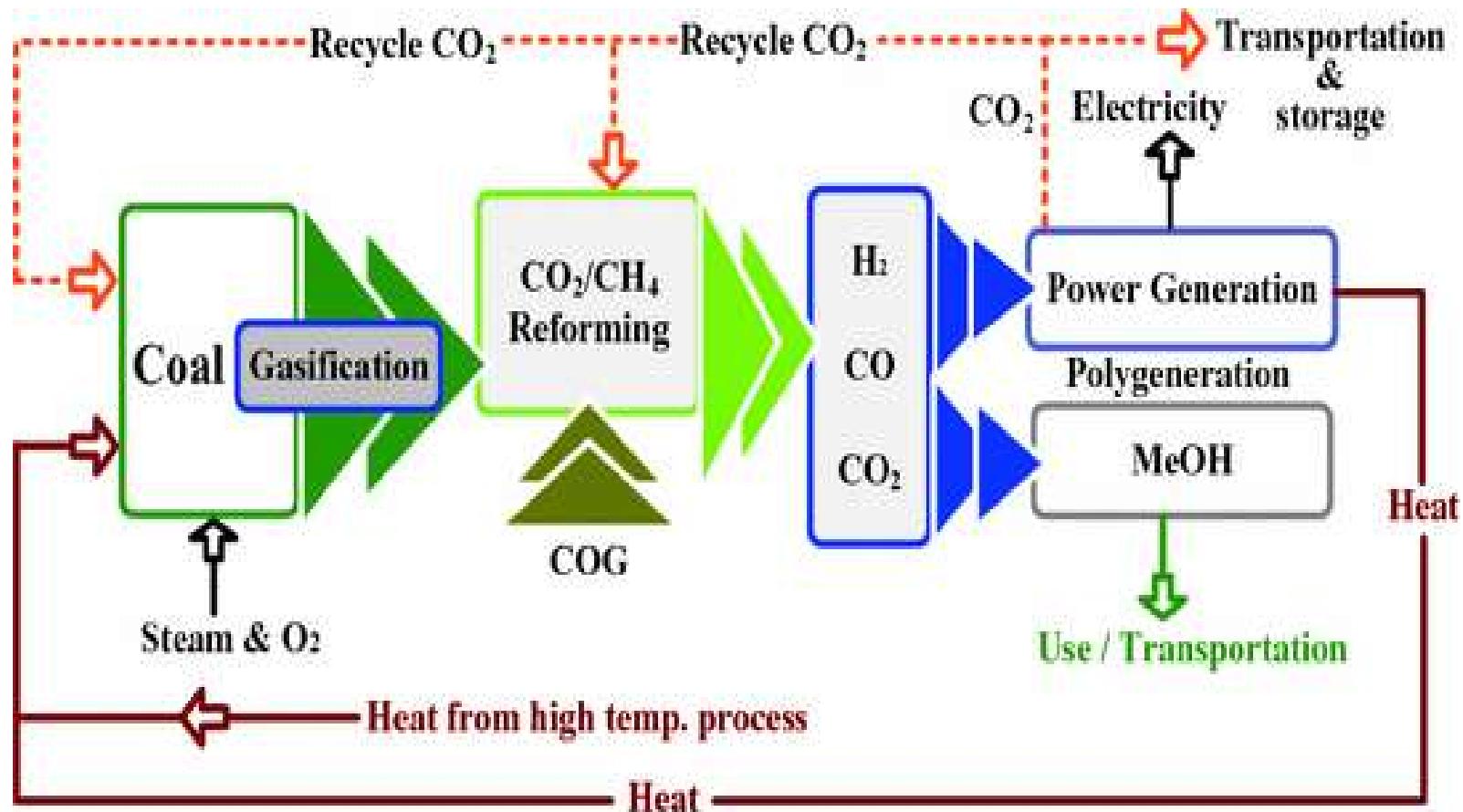
Integration/polygeneration

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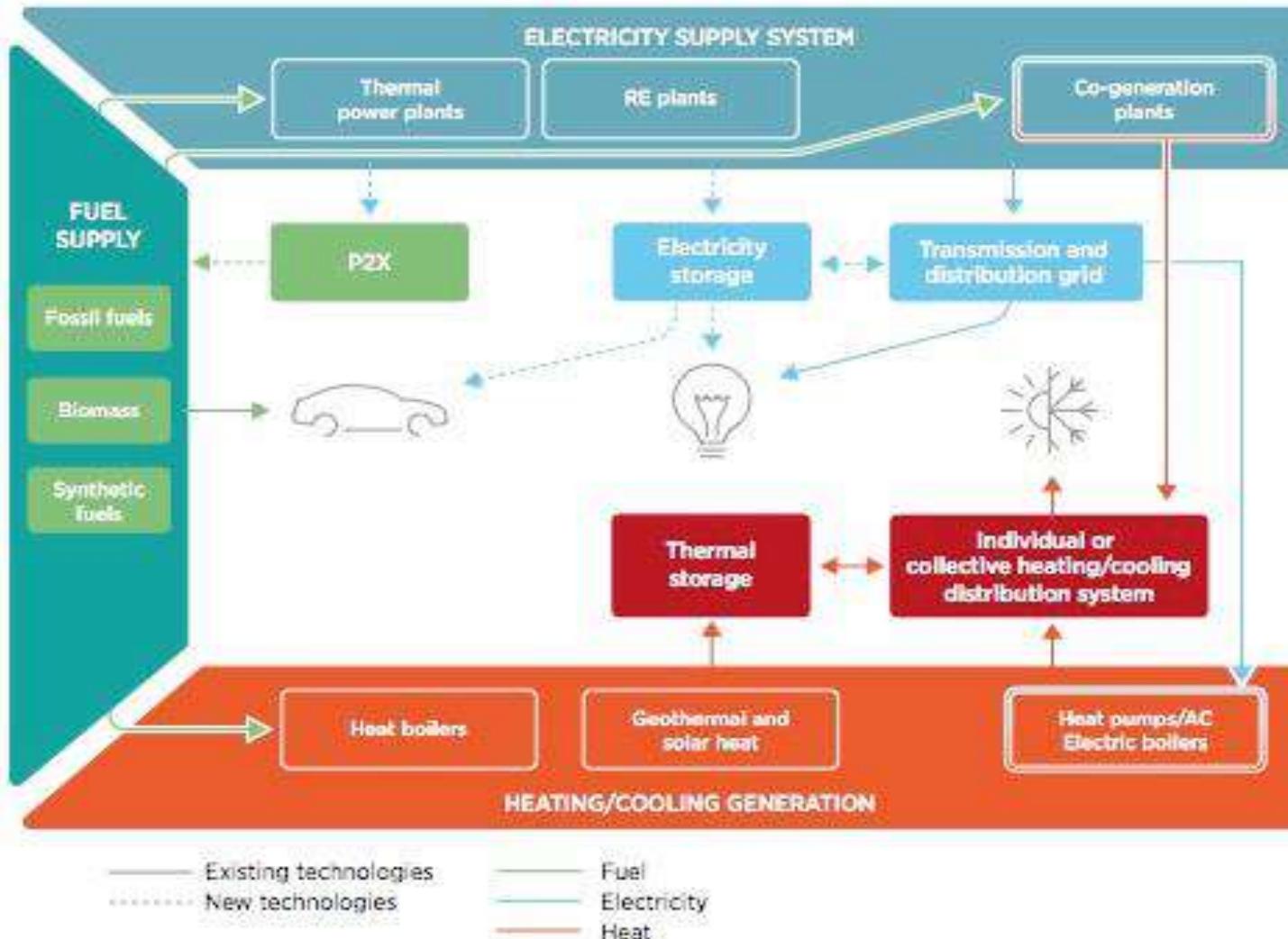


Source: Jana et al, 2017

Coal-based polygeneration



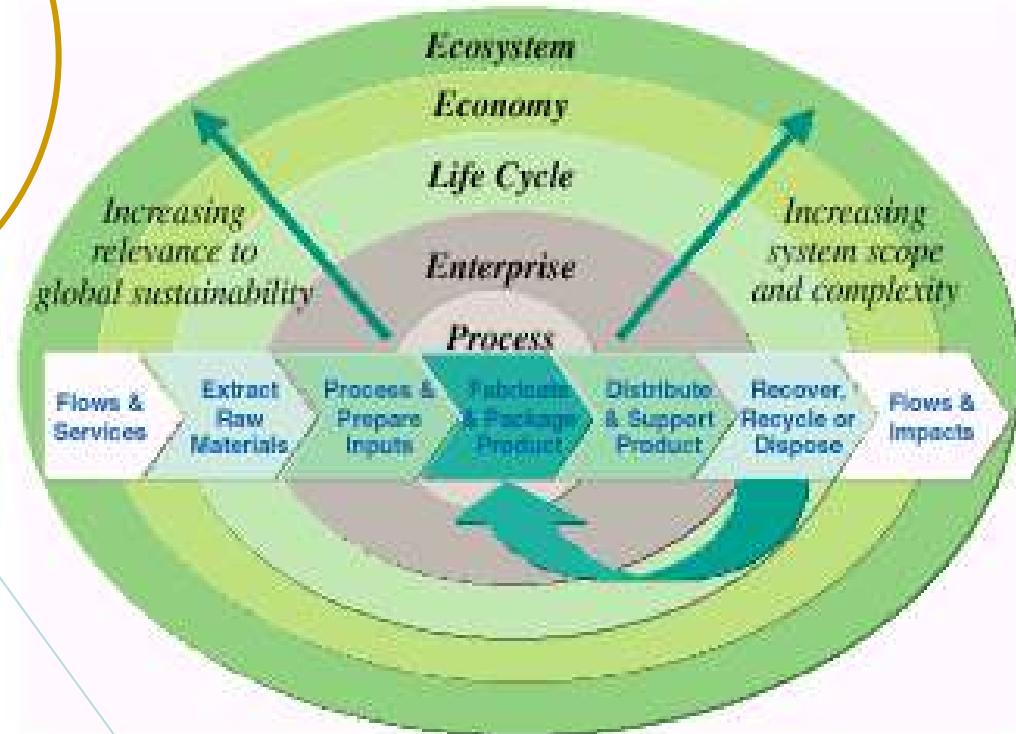
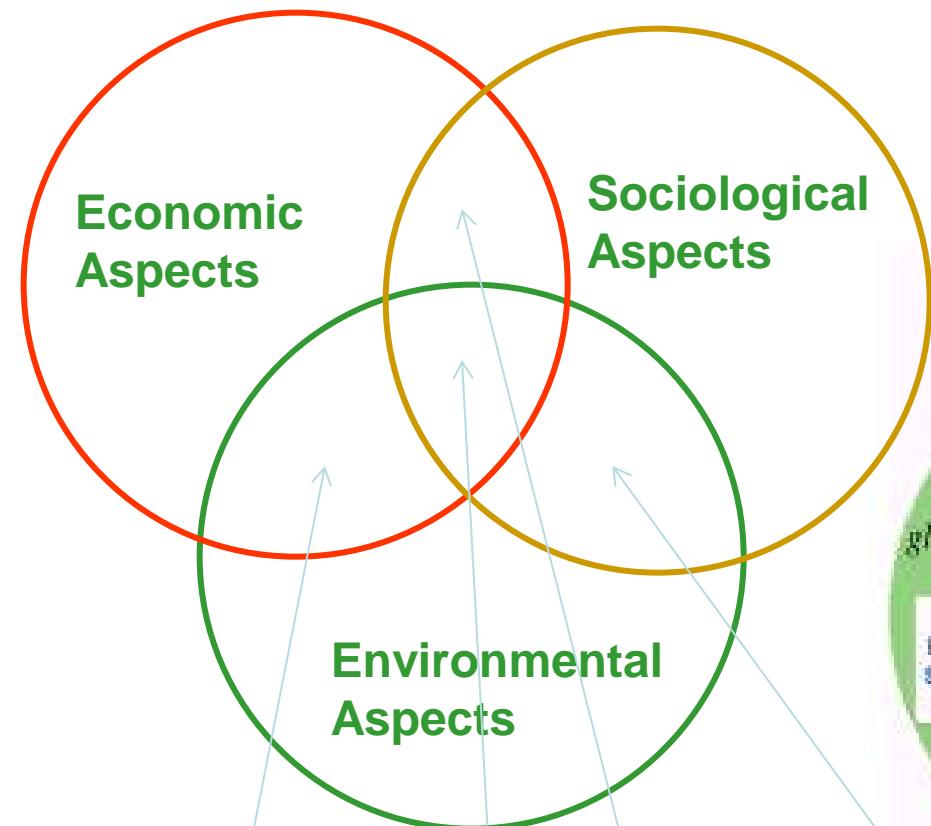
Sector coupling



P2X = Power-to-X

Multi-dimension (sectors)

SD and Sustainable system

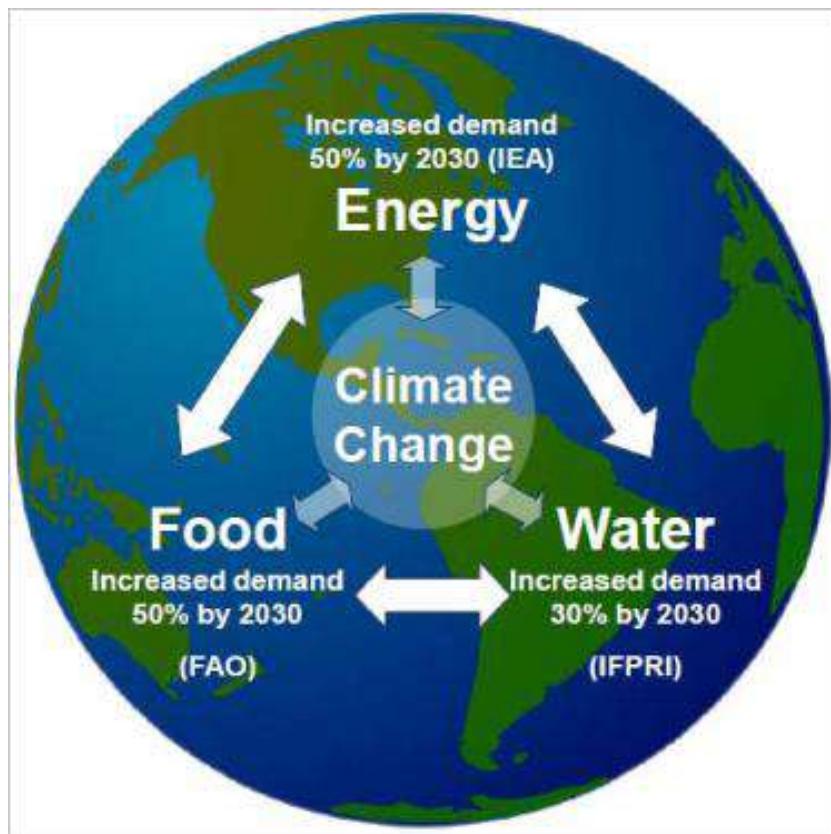


1-D : Economic, Sociology, Environmental

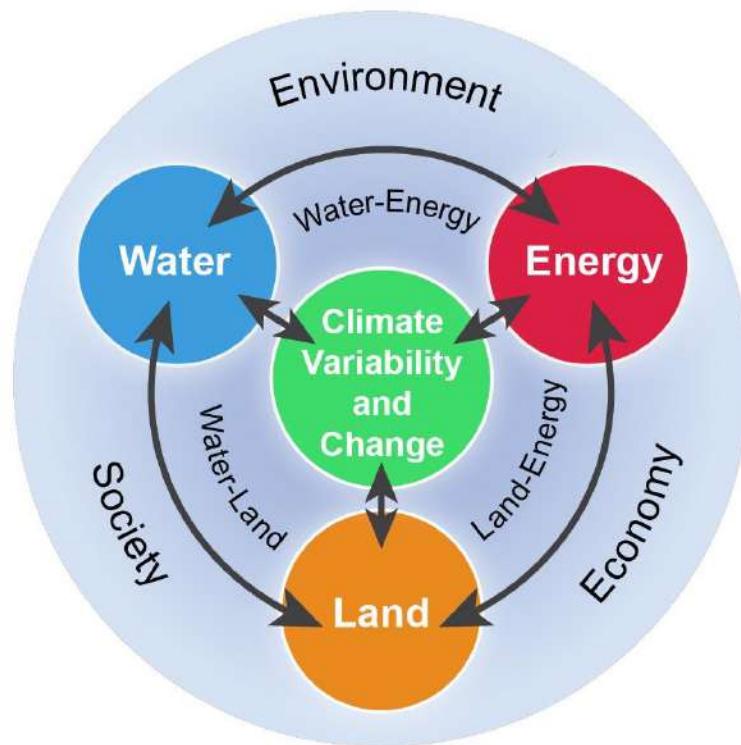
2-D : Eco-efficiency, Socio-economic, Socio-ecological

3-D : Sustainability

Water-Energy-Food Nexus

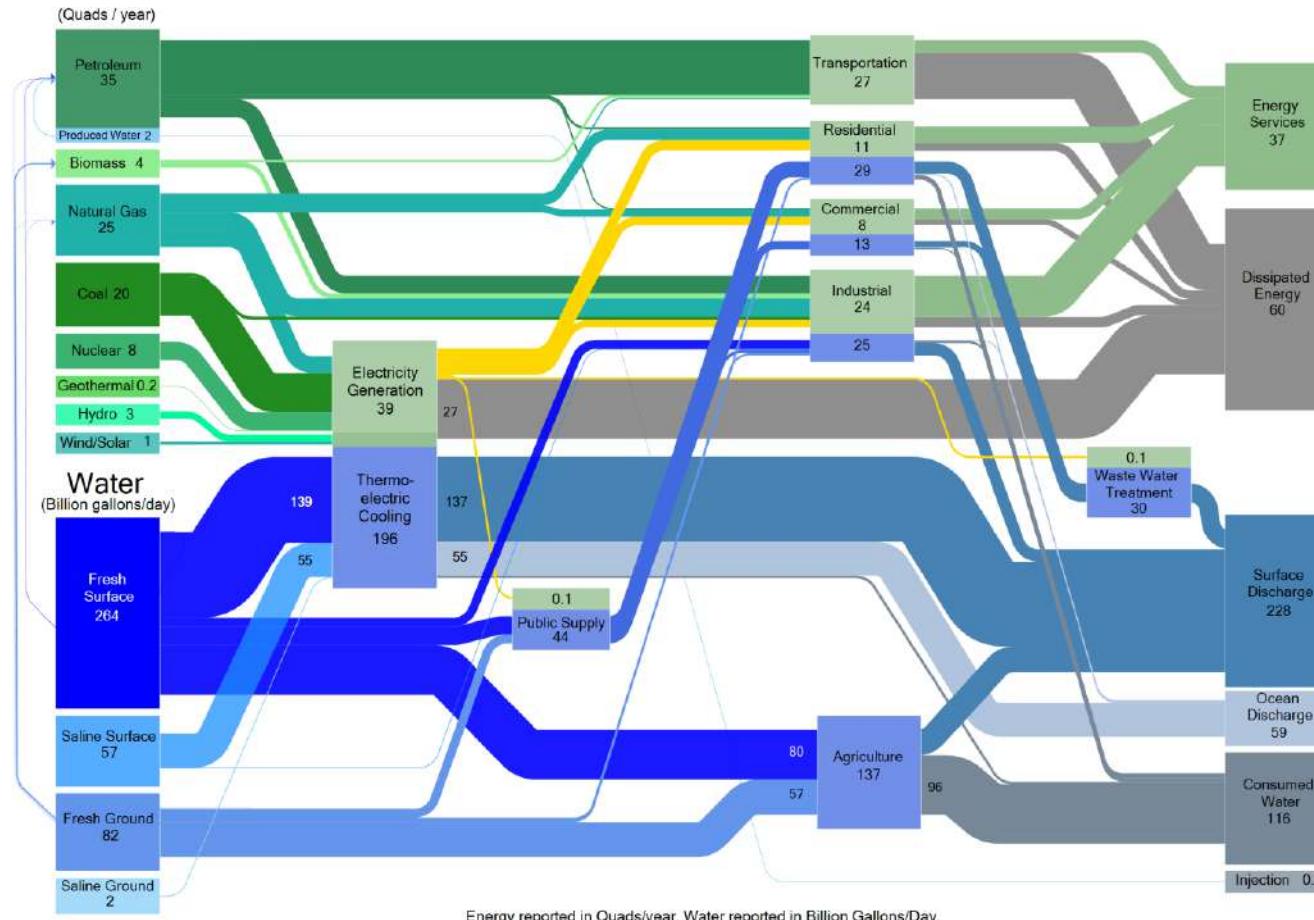


Energy, Water, Land, and Climate Interactions



Source: GlobalChange.gov

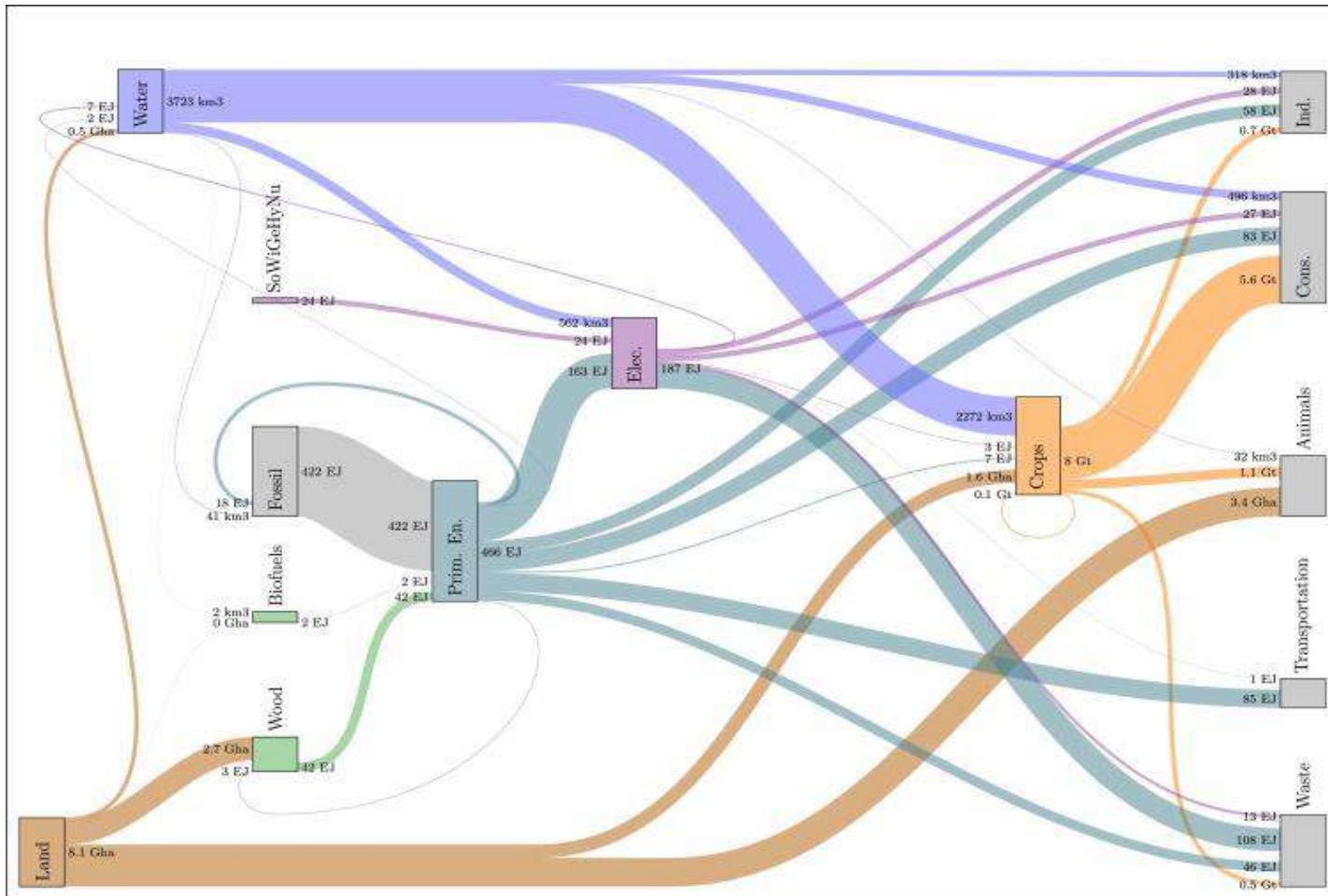
Energy-water flows



Source: DOE

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Nexus resource flows



Source: Bijl et al, 2018

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Smart & Variable System

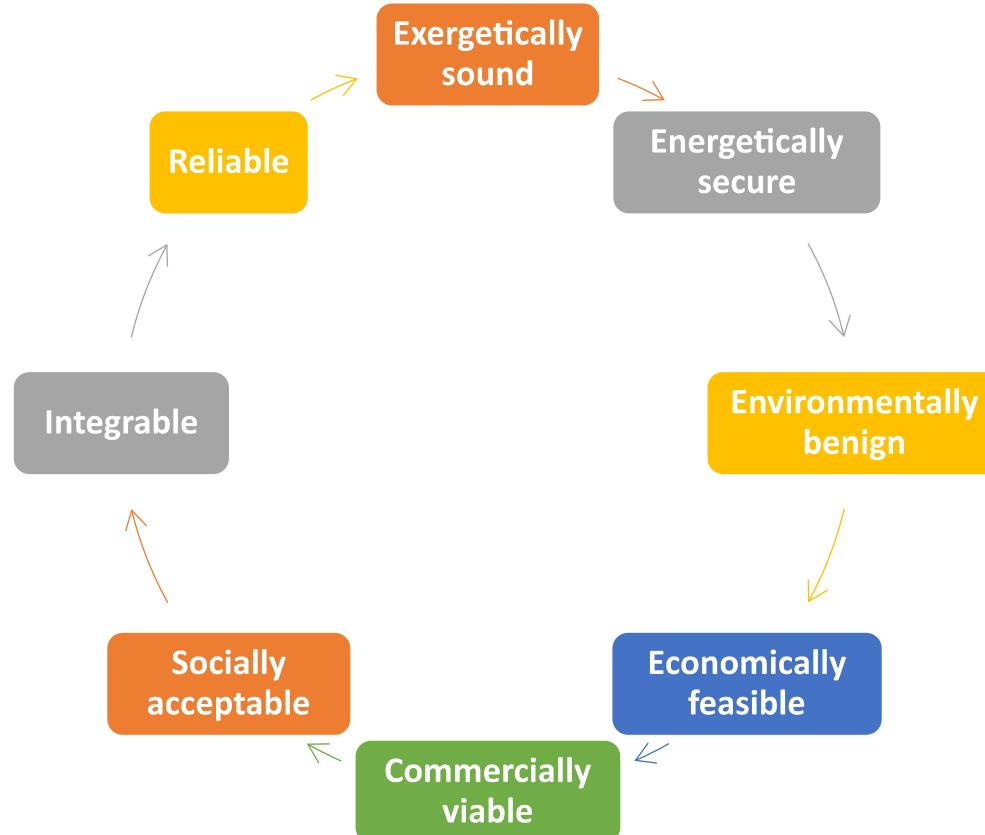
Smart Energy System

A **Smart Energy System** is defined as an approach in which smart electricity, thermal and gas grids are combined with storage technologies and coordinated to identify synergies between them in order to achieve an optimal solution for each individual sector as well as for the overall energy system [5,6].

The smart energy system is built around three grid infrastructures:

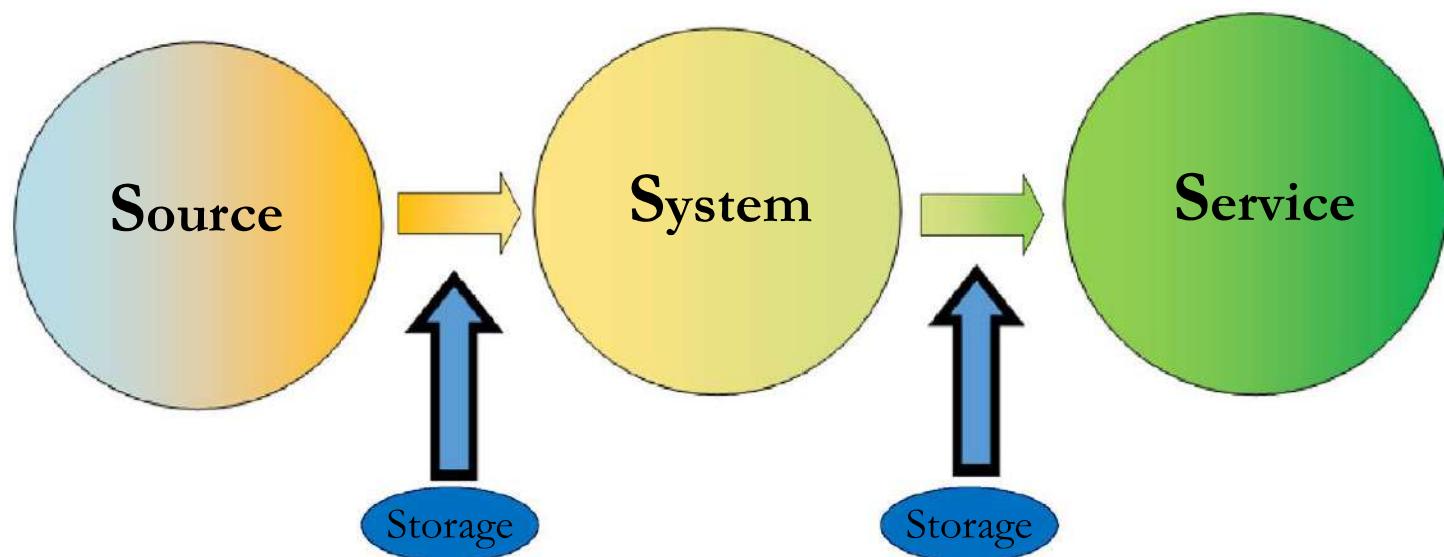
- ✓ **Smart Electricity Grids** to connect flexible electricity demands such as heat pumps and electric vehicles to the intermittent renewable resources such as wind and solar power.
- ✓ **Smart Thermal Grids** (District Heating and Cooling) to connect the electricity and heating sectors. This enables the utilisation of thermal storage for creating additional flexibility and the recycling of heat losses in the energy system.
- ✓ **Smart Gas Grids** to connect the electricity, heating, and transport sectors. This enables the utilisation of gas storage for creating additional flexibility. If the gas is refined to a liquid fuel, then liquid fuel storages can also be utilised.

Major expectations from smart energy systems



Source: Dincer, 2017

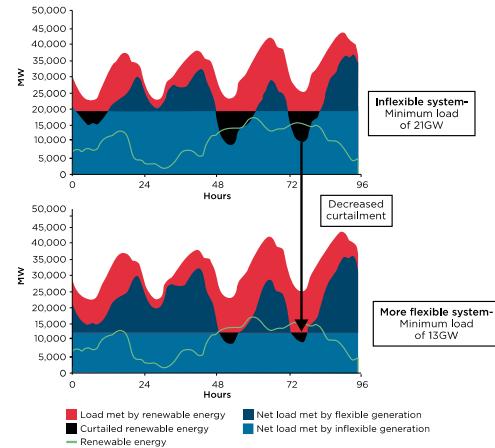
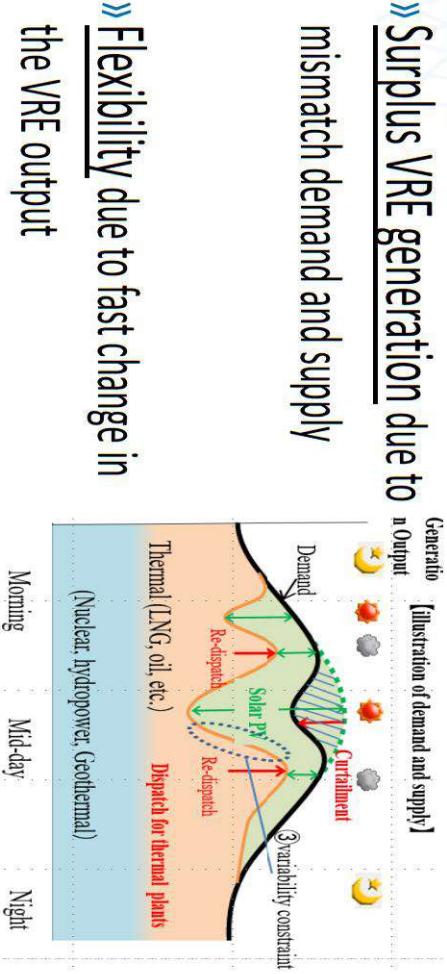
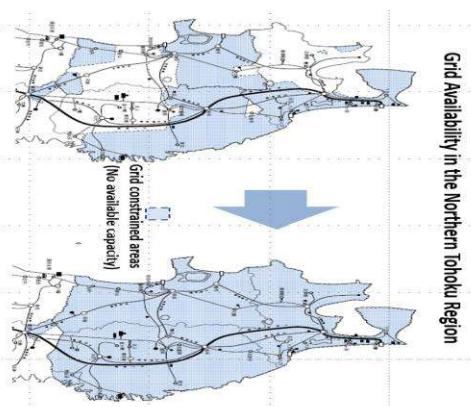
Smart targets for smart energy systems from 3S approach



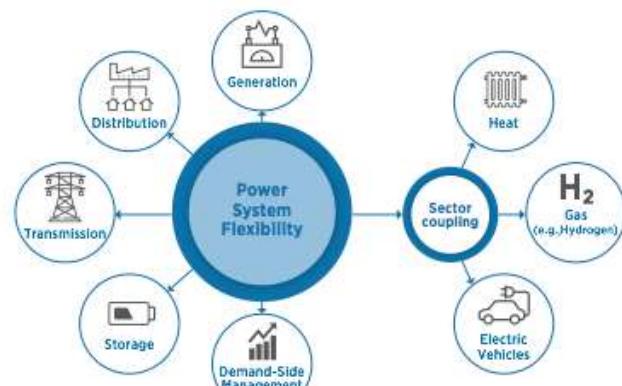
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VRE integration system

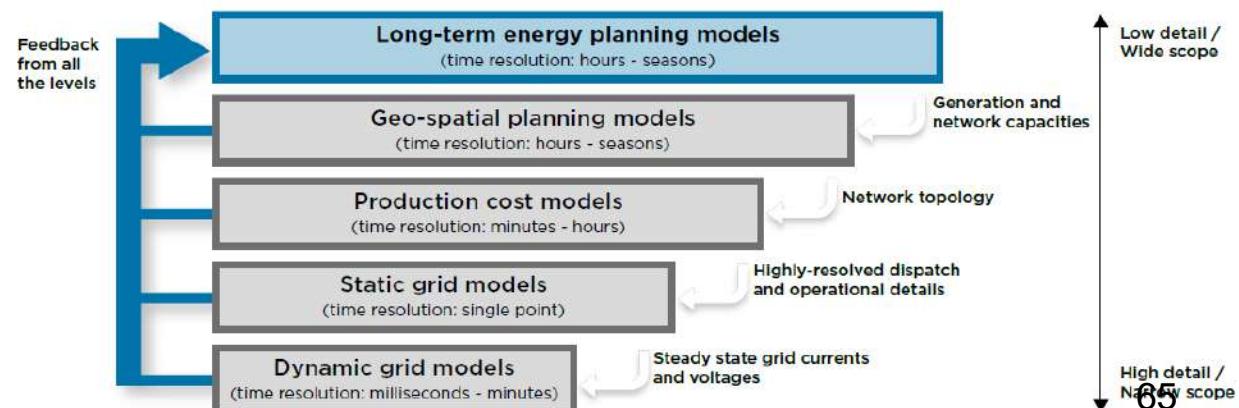
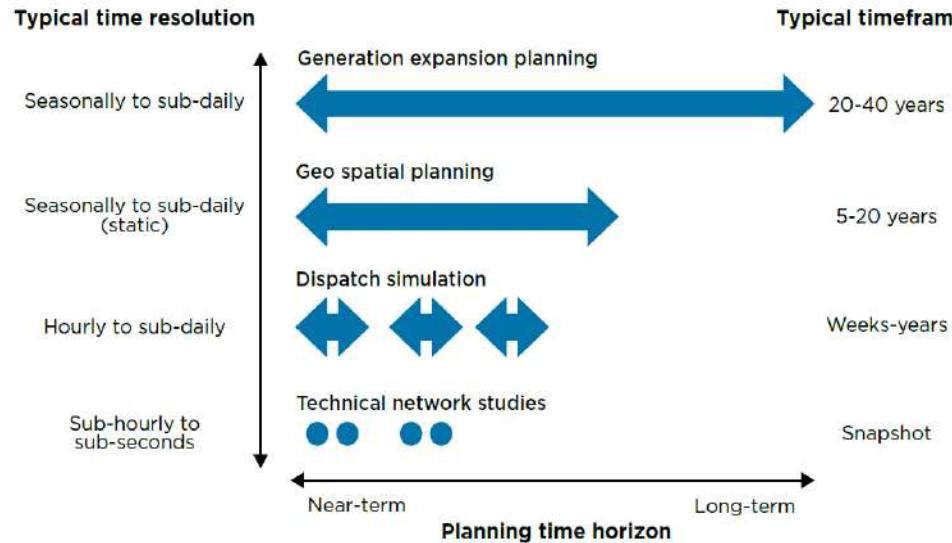
» Transmission capacity due to rapid increase in the VRE generation and location specificity



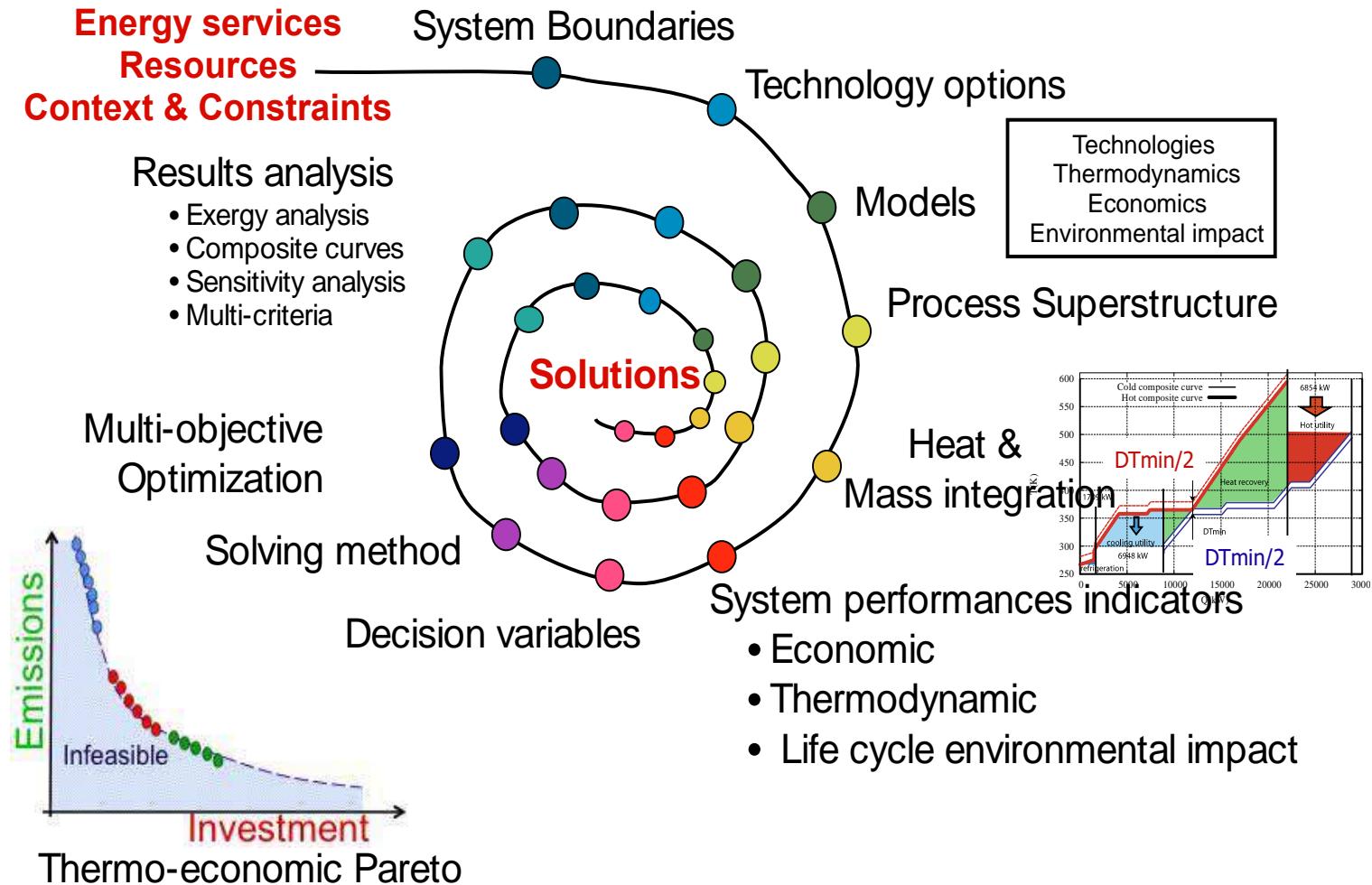
Source: Denholm and Hand, 2011



Transition planning components and time horizon



System engineering for DMP

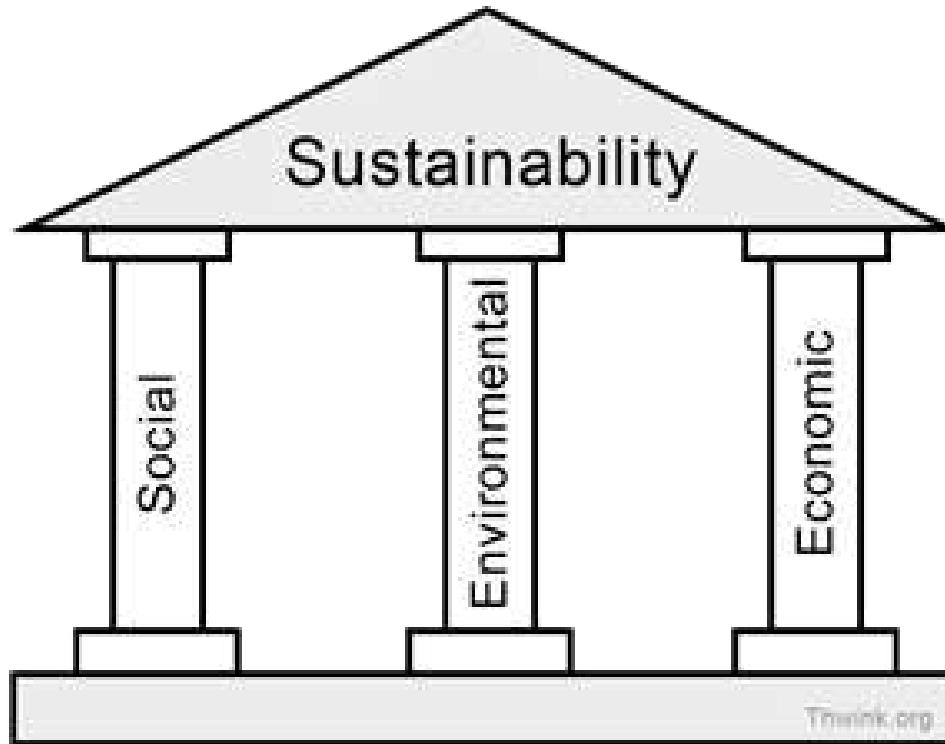


Source: EPFL

Concept of Sustainability

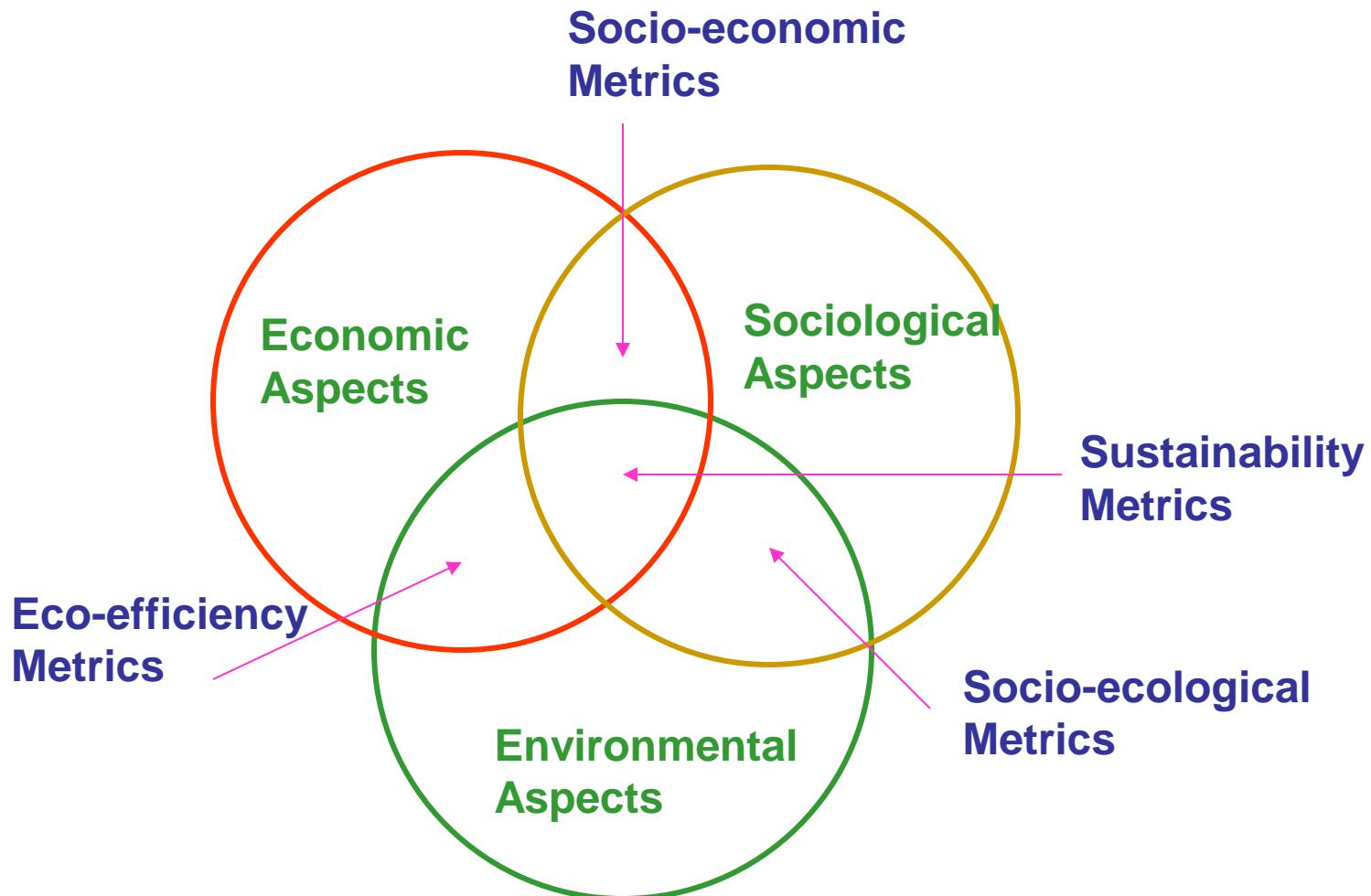


The Three Pillars of Sustainability



Sustainability focuses on meeting the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their needs

Metric for Sustainability



1-D : Economic, Sociology, Environmental

2-D : Eco-efficiency, Socio-economic, Socio-ecological

3-D : Sustainability

Types of Sustainability Systems

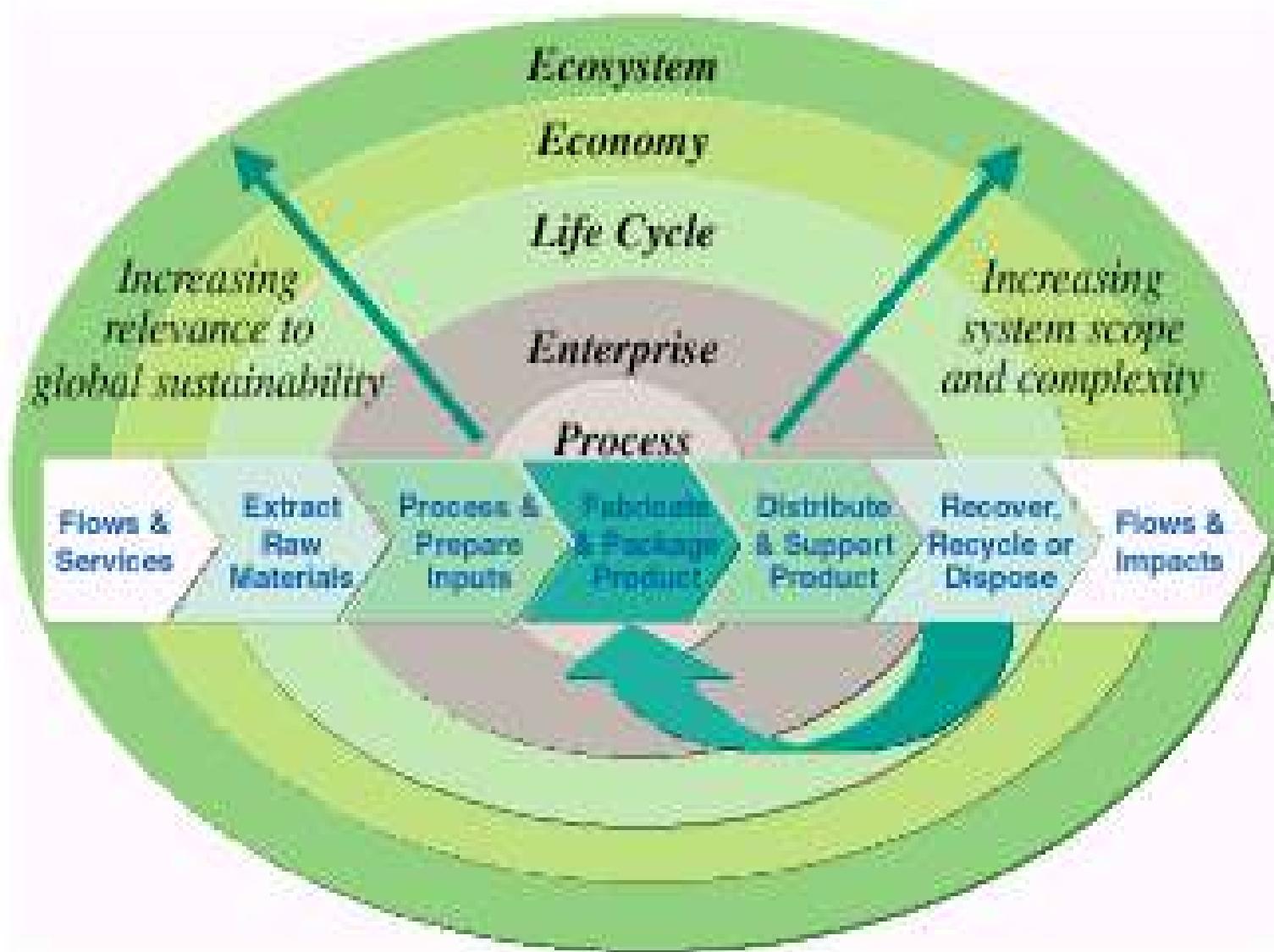
Type I: Global concerns:
global warming, genetically modified crops

Type II: Geographical boundaries systems:
country, Cities, villages

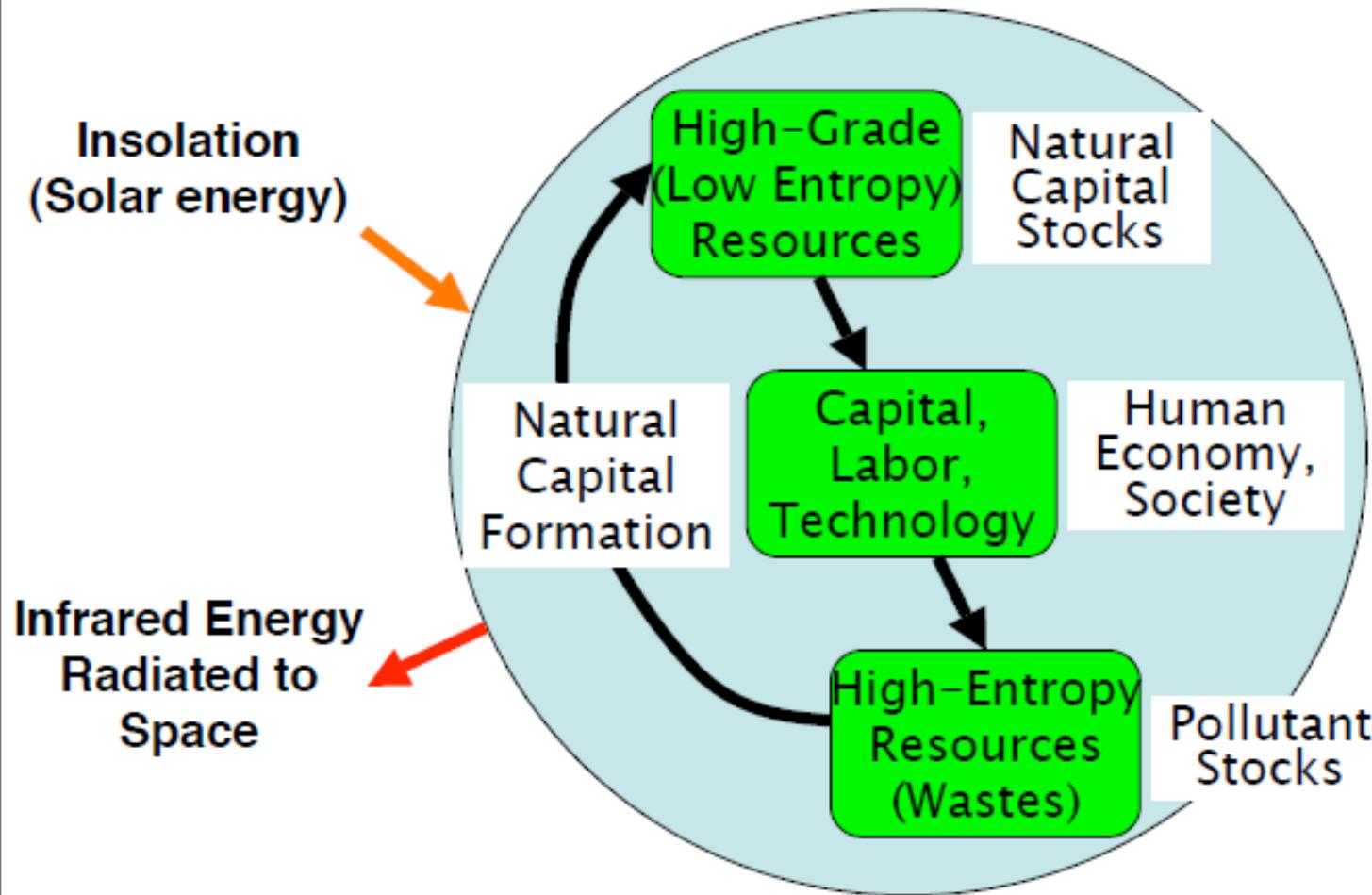
Type III: Businesses/Corporate: *industrial ecology*

Type IV: Sustainable technologies: *process and product designs, manufacturing methods*

Hierarchy of sustainable systems



A Finite Planet



Sustainability Frameworks

Natural Capitalism:

(Eco-efficiency)

- **Natural Capital:** materials, energy, stability, diversity
- **Human Capital:** people & society
- **Manufactured Capital:** materials, energy, and IP
- **Financial Capital:** money

Necessary Conditions for a Sustainable World

1. Renewable resources

can be used no faster than the rate at which they regenerate.

2. Pollution and wastes

can be emitted no faster than natural systems can absorb them, recycle them, or render them harmless.

3. Nonrenewable resources

can be used no faster than renewable substitutes for them can be introduced.

Source: Herman Daly

The ‘IPAT’ equation

$$I = P \times A \times T$$

I = *Global environmental impact*

P = *Population*

A = *Affluence (Level of services used)*

T = *Technology used (resource or waste assimilation efficiency)*

IPAT

Impact = Population * Affluence * Technology

Example:

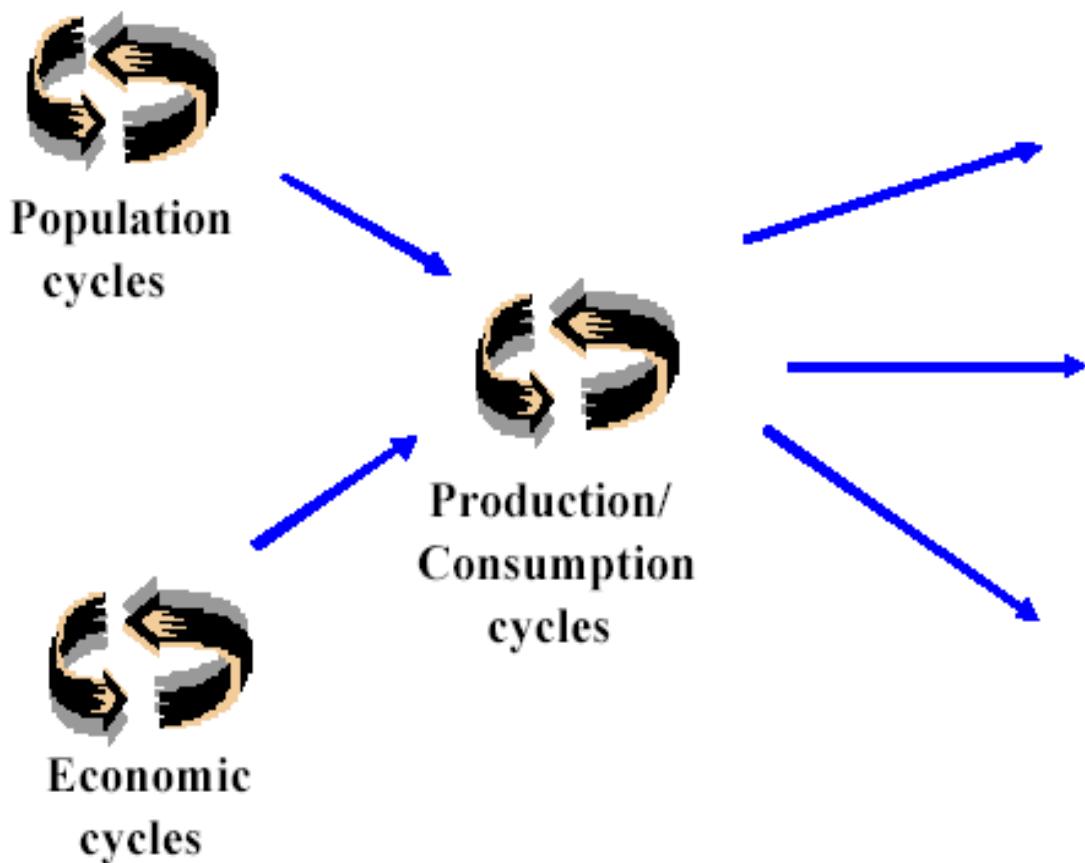
$$\text{CO}_2 \text{ Emissions} = \text{Population} * \frac{\text{Income}}{\text{Capita}} * \frac{\text{Emissions}}{\text{Dollar}}$$

$$\frac{\text{Tons}}{\text{year}} = \frac{\text{People}}{\text{Person}} * \frac{\$/\text{Year}}{\$} * \frac{\text{Tons}}{\$}$$

How will we achieve sustainability?

- Better Technology?
 - Lower Consumption?
 - Lower Population?
-
- Huge technical, economic, political, social and ethical issues for each
 - All options linked by intricate feedbacks

Engines of “More”



ULTIMATE RISKS

GROSS INEQUITY:
Poverty, Wars, Mass
migration

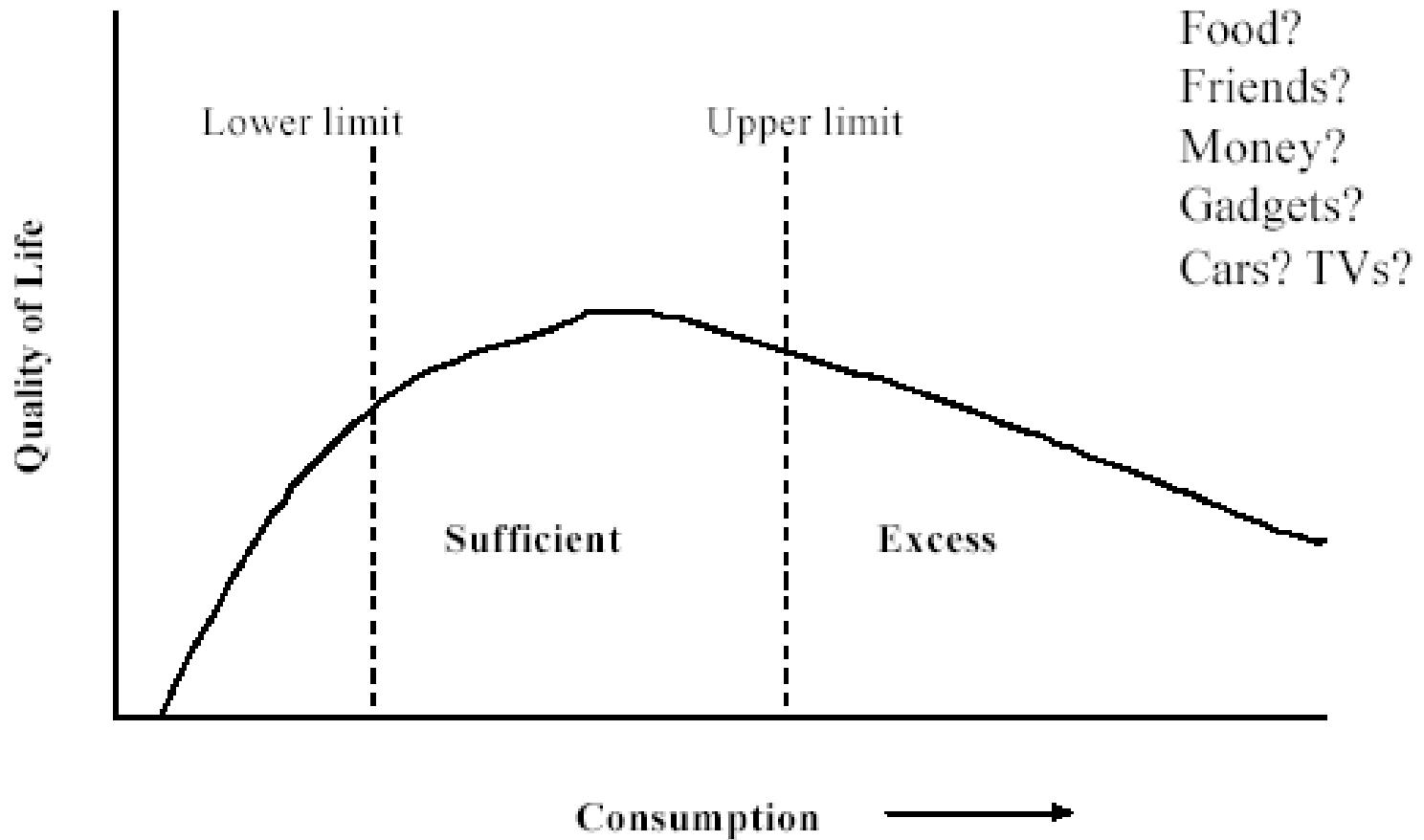
**ENVIRONMENTAL
DAMAGE:** Climate
Change, Pollution,
Habitat/Species loss,
Ecosystem disruption

**INSTITUTIONAL
COLLAPSE:** Govts.
and Businesses

**RESOURCE
DEPLETION:** Water,
Materials, and Non-
renewable Energy

**HUMAN HEALTH
IMPAIRMENT**

Thring's model



White's Law

“Culture advances as the quantity and quality of energy used increases. This relationship can be captured formally as an equation.”

$$\mathbf{C} = k \times \mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{T}$$

Leslie White, 1973

C = culture

E = energy

T = technology

k = scaling (efficiency) constant

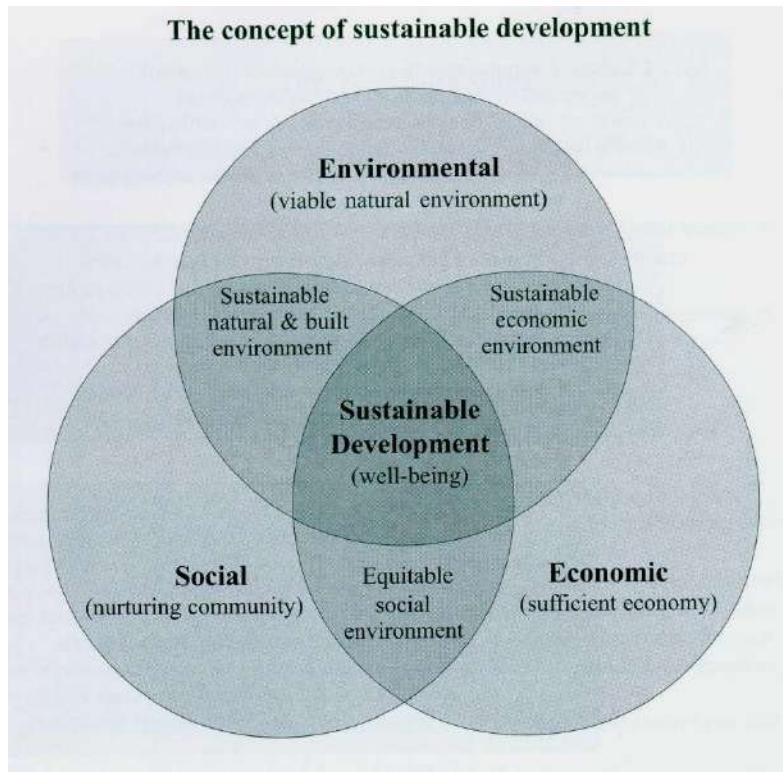
What is sustainable energy?



What is Sustainable Development

“development that which satisfies present needs without compromising the possibility for future generations to satisfy theirs own needs” (The Brundtland Report, Our Common Future)

Sustainable development aims to balance three elements



- ▶ **Economic:** what things cost - and how to make a business out of providing infrastructure, goods or services
- ▶ **Environmental:** what impact those things have on nature and the earth's support systems - which are finite
- ▶ **Social:** how those things serve the needs and quality of life of people and their communities

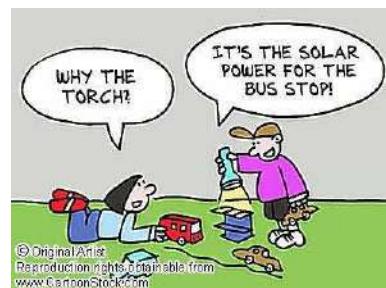
What is Sustainable Energy

- “*Sustainable Energy is a dynamic harmony between equitable availability of energy-intensive goods and services to all people and perservation of the earth for future generation*” (Tester, MIT)
- “*Sustainable Energy’ is energy systems, technologies, and resources that are not only capable of supporting long-term economic and human development needs, but that do so in a manner compatible with (1) preserving the underlying integrity of essential natural systems, including averting catastrophic climate change; (2) extending basic energy services to the more than 2 billion people worldwide who currently lack access to modern forms of energy; and (3) reducing the security risks and potential for geopolitical conflict that could otherwise arise from an escalating competition for unevenly distributed oil and natural gas resources. In other words, the term ‘sustainable’ in this context encompasses a host of policy objectives beyond mere supply adequacy.*”. (InterAcademy Council)

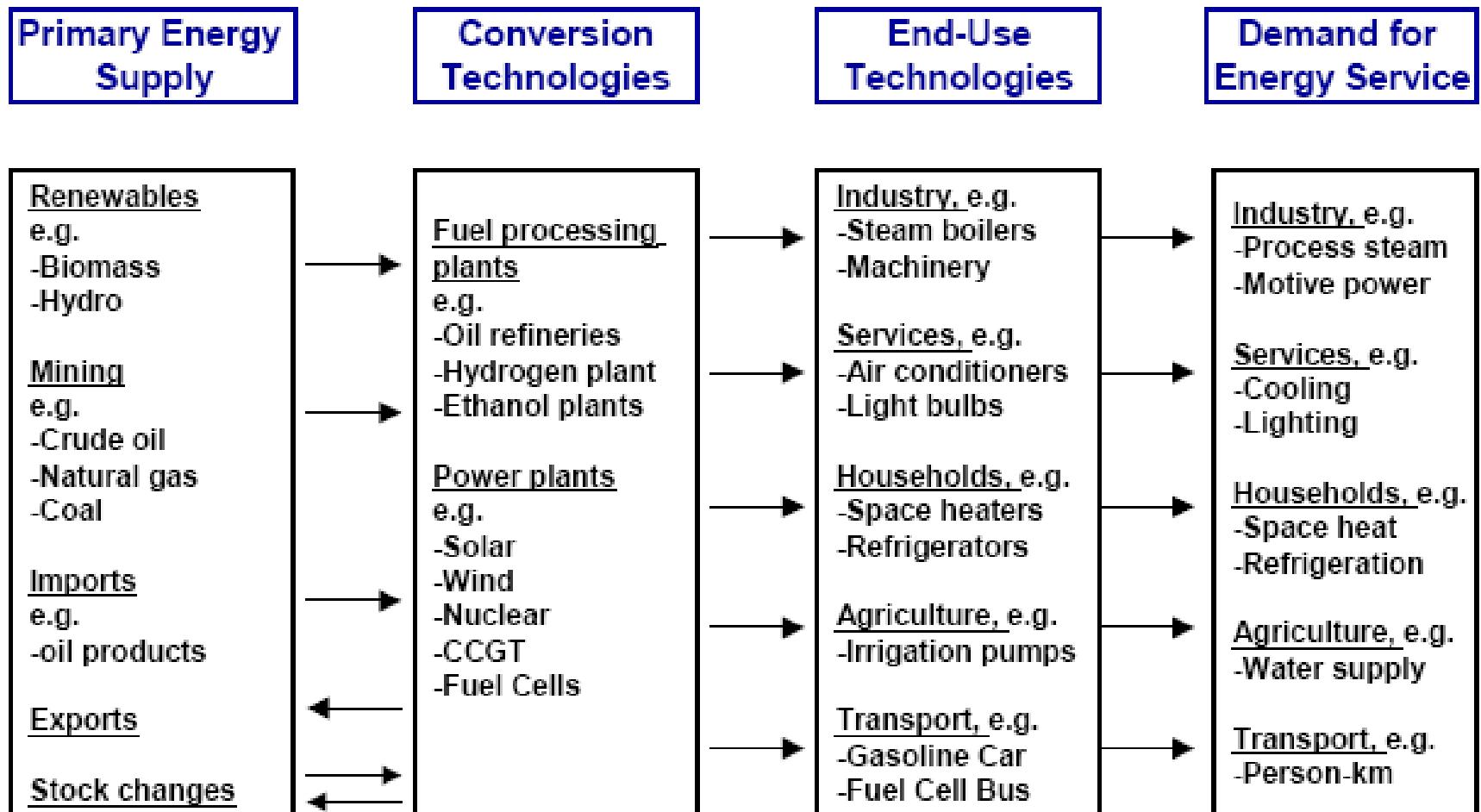
What is the difference between sustainable and renewable energy?

- People often use the terms “sustainable” and “renewable” interchangeably.
- Sustainable energy is derived from resources that can maintain current operations without jeopardizing the energy needs or climate of future generations. The most popular sources of sustainable energy, including wind, solar and hydropower, low carbon, are also renewable.
- On the other hand, renewable energy is defined by the time it takes to replenish the primary energy resource, compared to the rate at which energy is used.

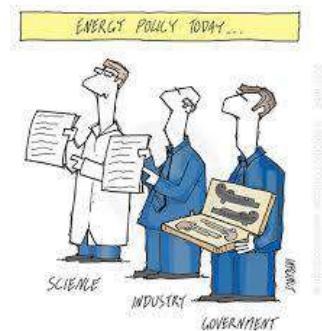
The energy hierarchy



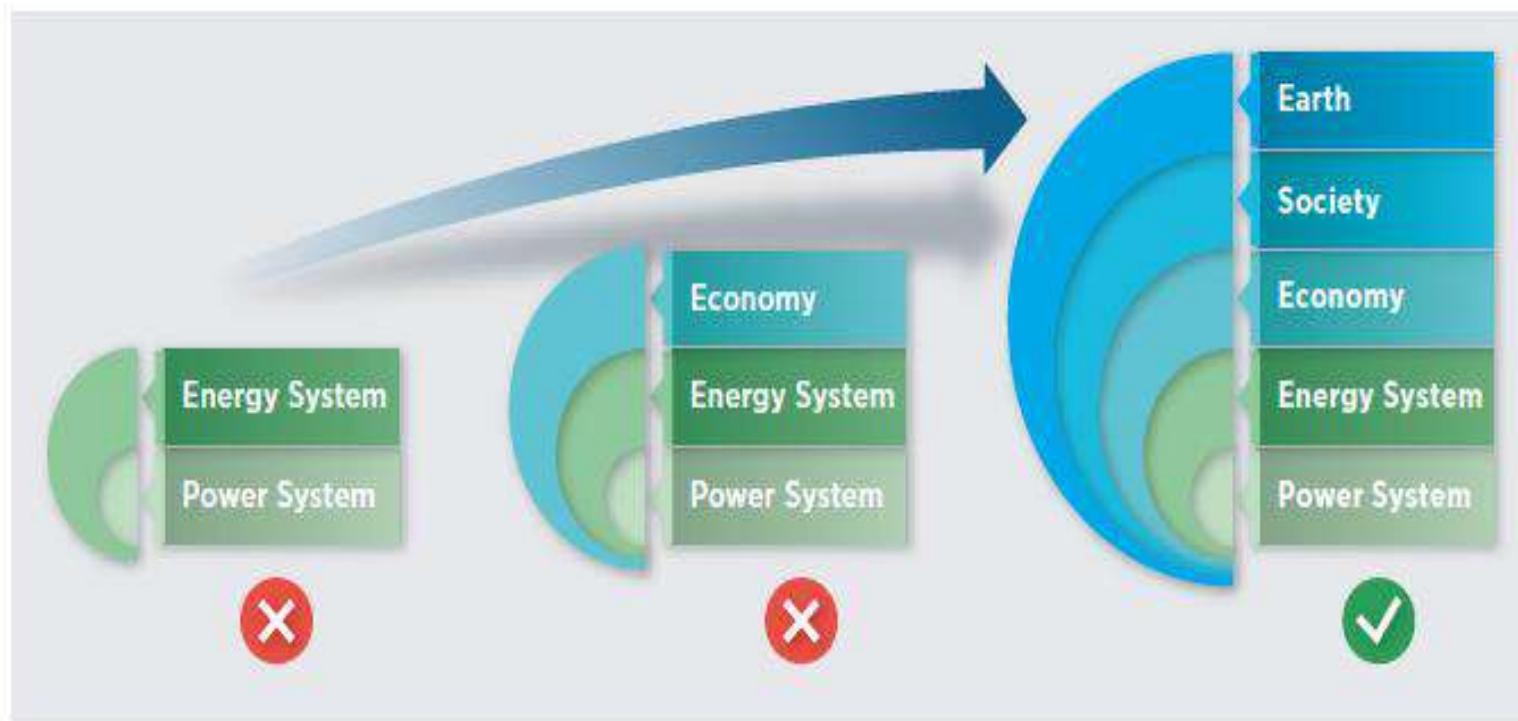
Reference energy system



Energy-economic-environment-social relationships



The embedded nature of the energy system



Source: IRENA (2019b)

UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDG7)



*We need cleaner,
affordable, local and
abundant sources of
energy*

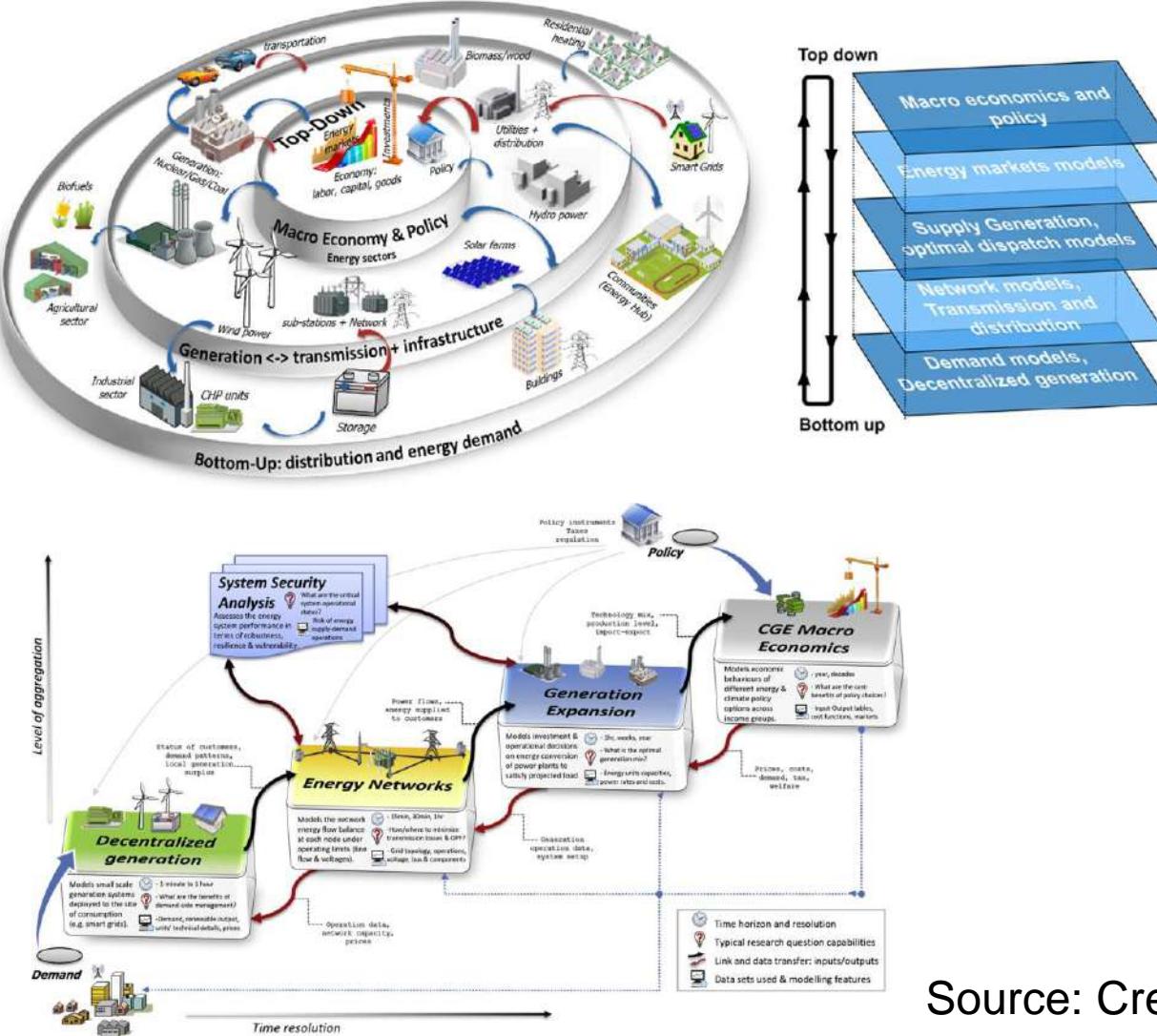
What is the relationship between energy use and environmental damage?

- Which energy resources are the most environmentally destructive?
- Which energy resources are the most environmentally benign?
- Is our current consumption of energy sustainable?
- Which energy resources are sustainable?
- What are the negative consequences, if any, of switching from fossil fuels to other forms of energy?

What is the relationship between energy use and development?

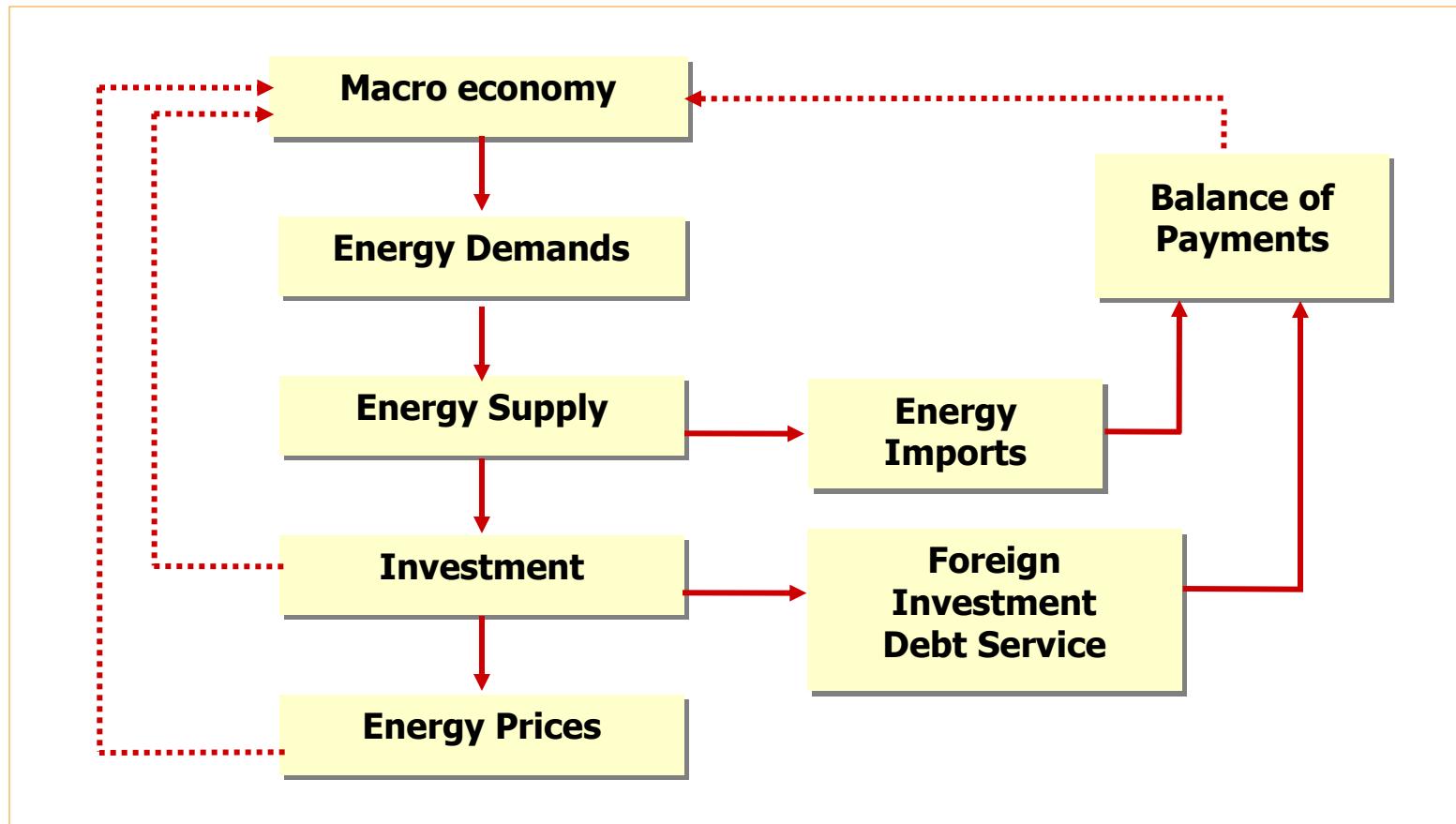
- Does increasing energy consumption cause wealth or is it a result of wealth?
- Must per capital energy consumption increase to improve our standard of living?
- What link, if any, exists between our culture and energy consumption?
- How is economic development measured?

Energy-economic system



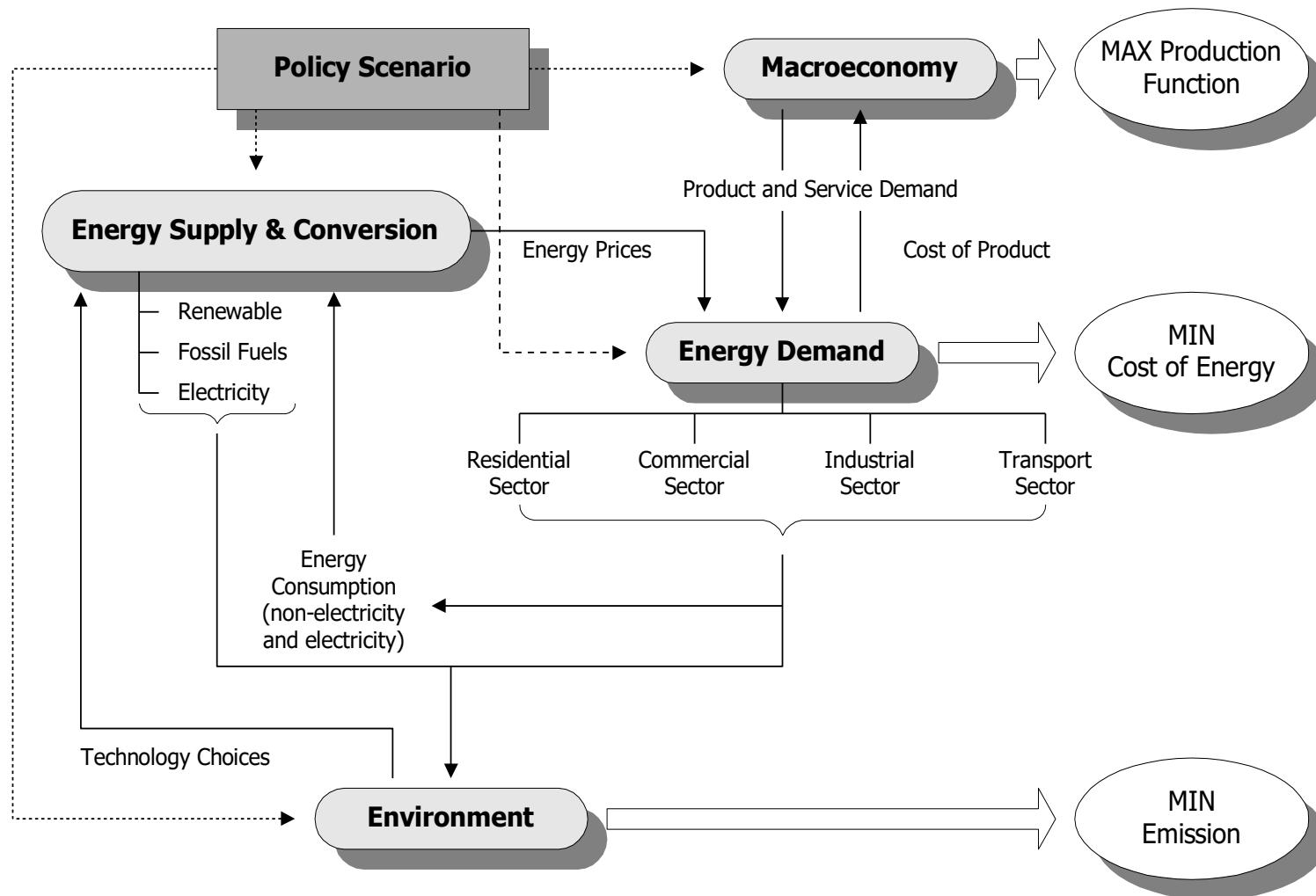
Source: Crespo, 2018⁸³

Energy-Economy Linkages



— Top-down linkages
- - - Bottom-up linkages

Energy-Economy-Environment Linkages



Energy-socio-economic

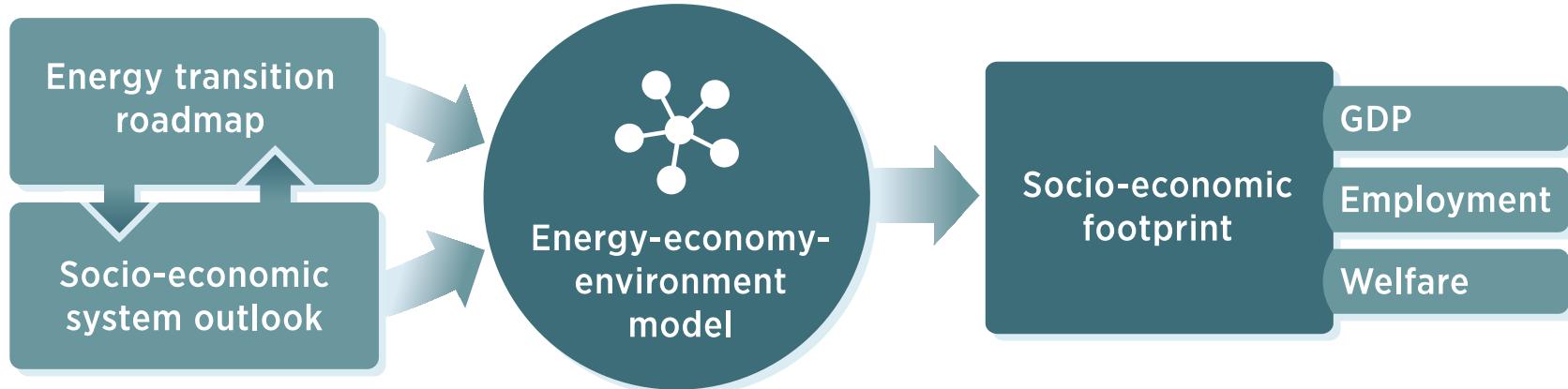
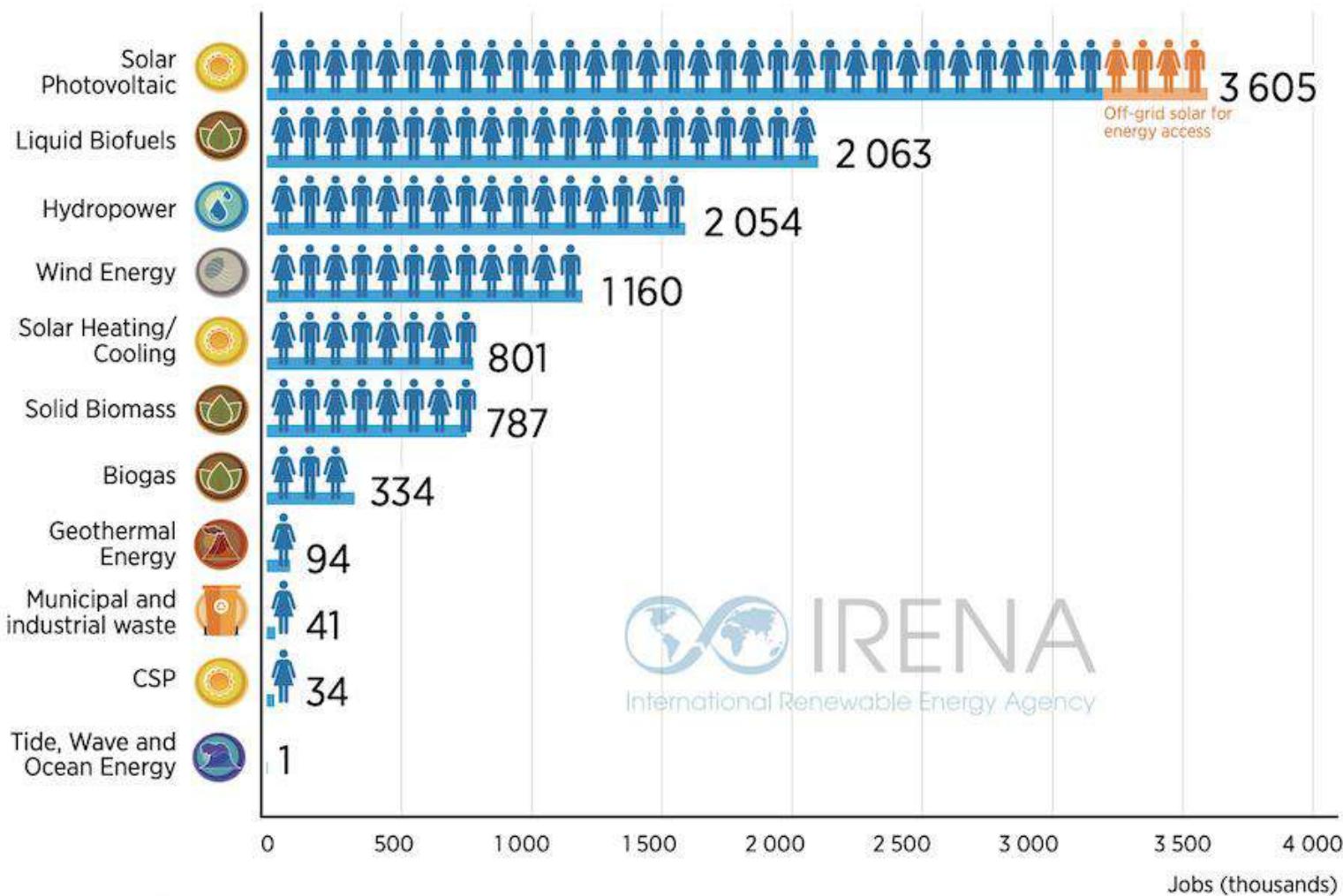


FIGURE 5: RENEWABLE ENERGY EMPLOYMENT BY TECHNOLOGY



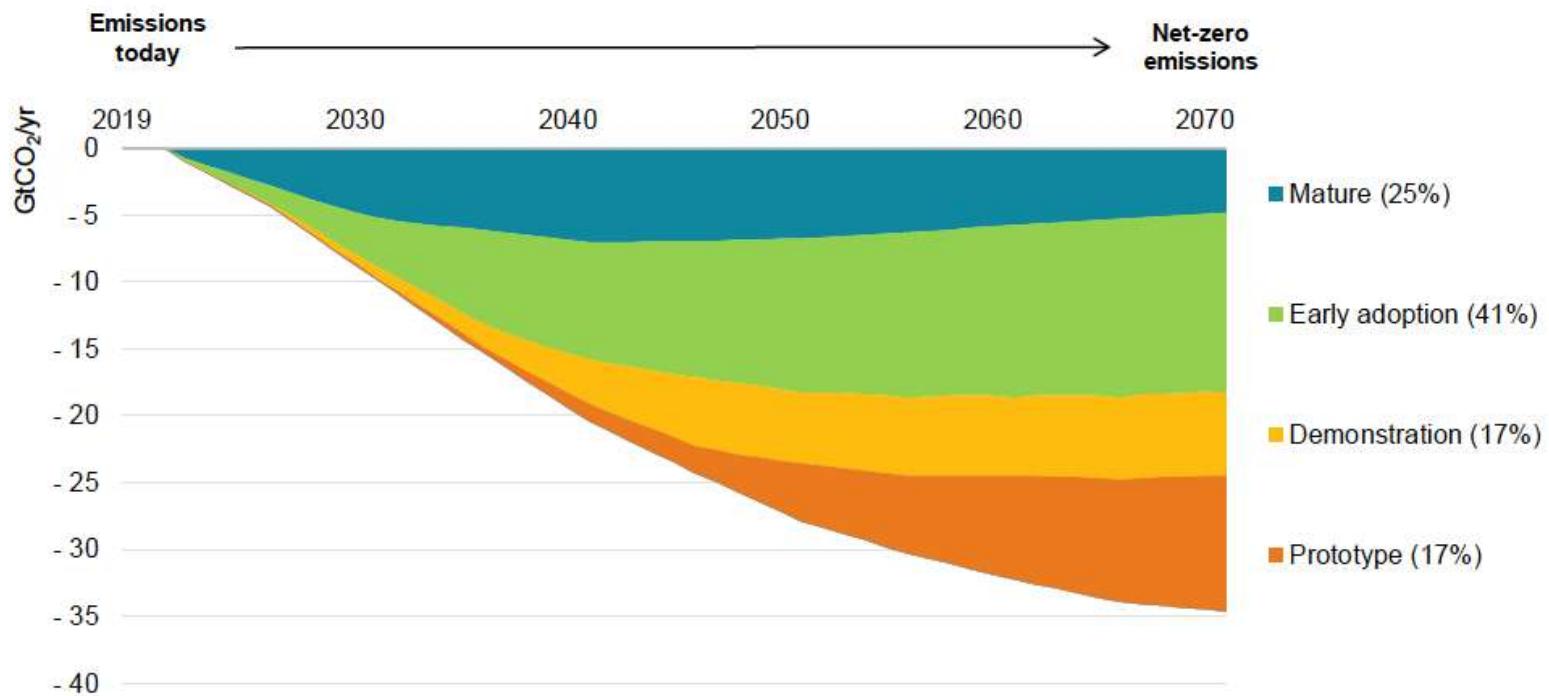
Source: IRENA jobs database.

Note: Another 7 600 jobs, not shown separately here, cannot readily be broken down by individual renewable energy technology.

Key enablers technologies for sustainable energy systems transition

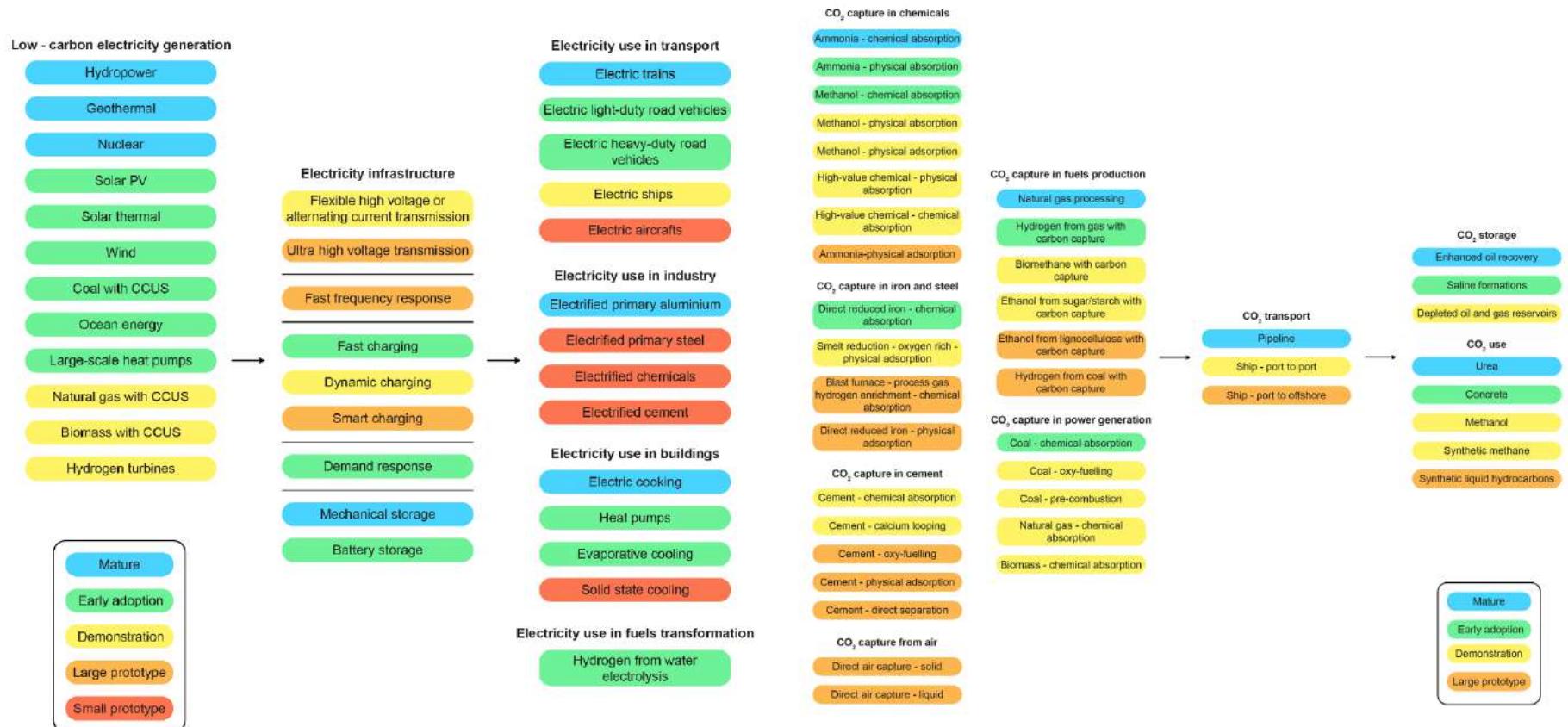


CO₂ emissions reductions by current technology readiness category



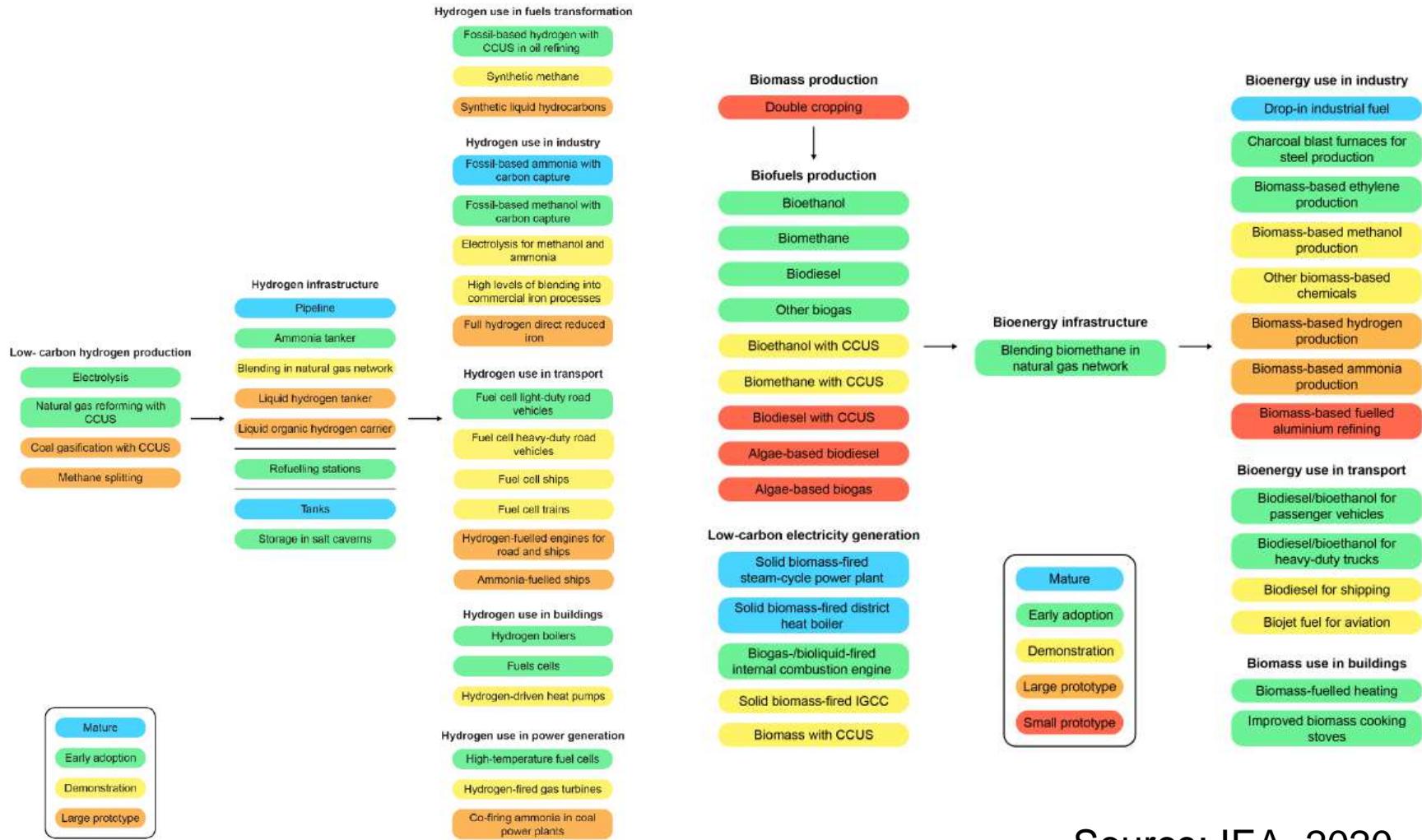
Source: IEA, 2020

TRL of Low-carbon electricity and CO₂ value chains



Source: IEA, 2020

TRL of Low-carbon hydrogen and bioenergy value chains



Source: IEA, 2020

Power generation performances

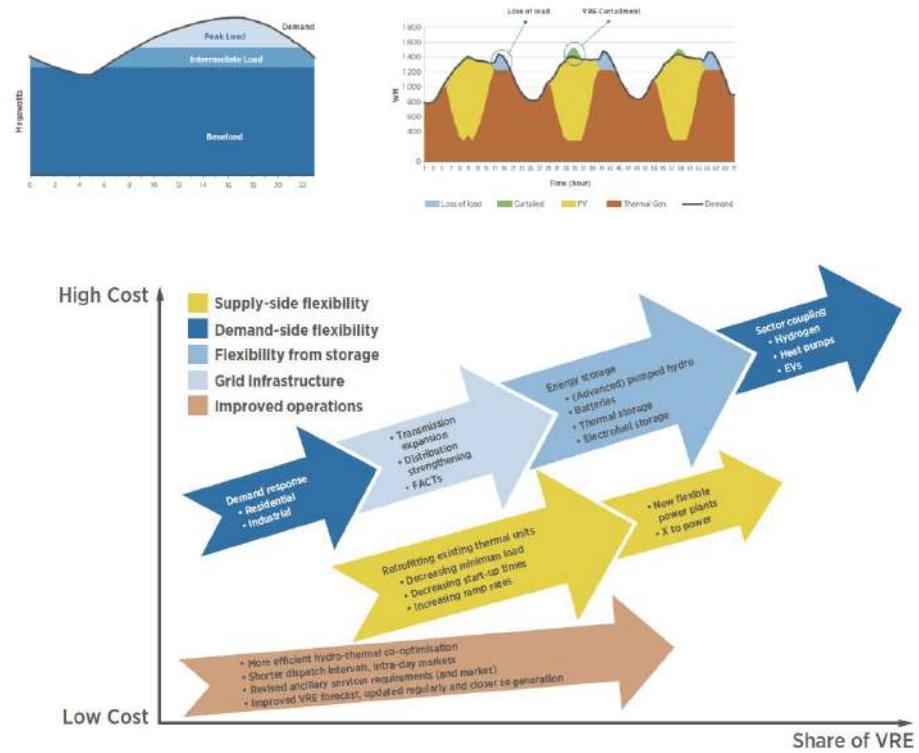
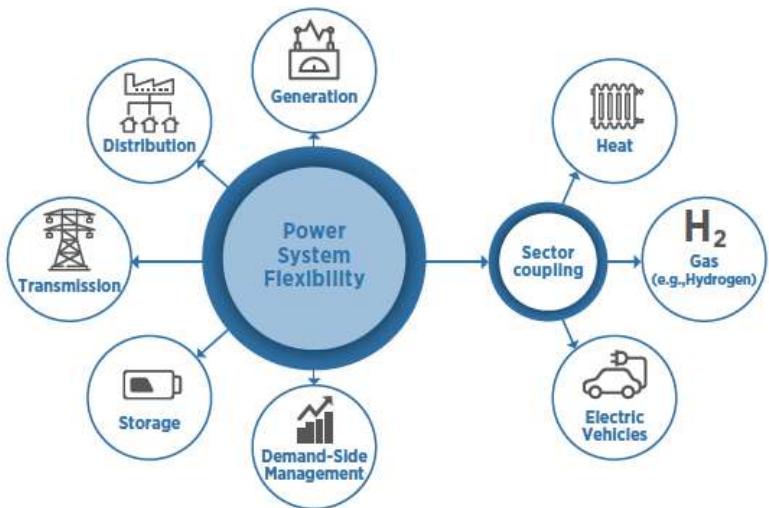
- **Energy efficiency (%)**, **Heat rate** (mmbtu/kWh)
- **LCOE** (cent UD/kWh)
- **Carbon footprint** (CO₂e/kWh)
- **Power flexibility**

Power system flexibility – *the ability to respond in a timely manner to variations in electricity supply and demand*

- **System values**

The System Value – *more holistically evaluates economic, environmental, social and technical outcomes of potential energy solutions across markets.*

Power system flexibility enablers



Source: IRENA, 2018

Solar to electricity

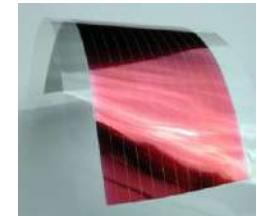
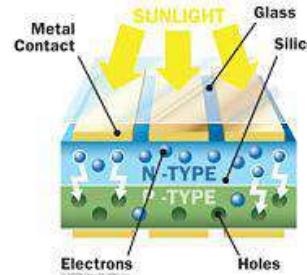
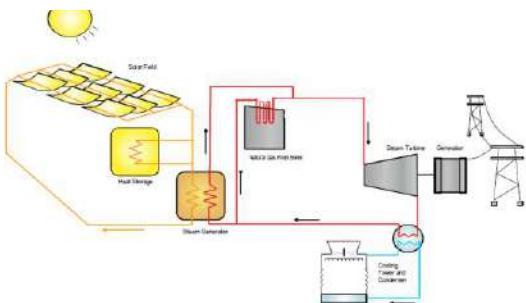
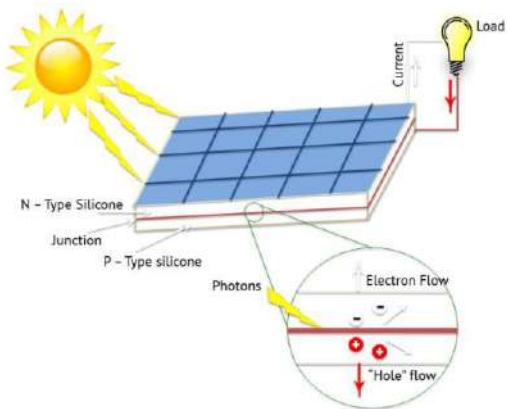
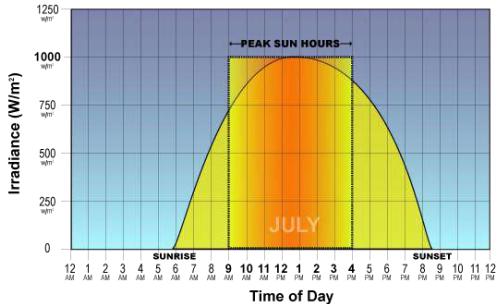
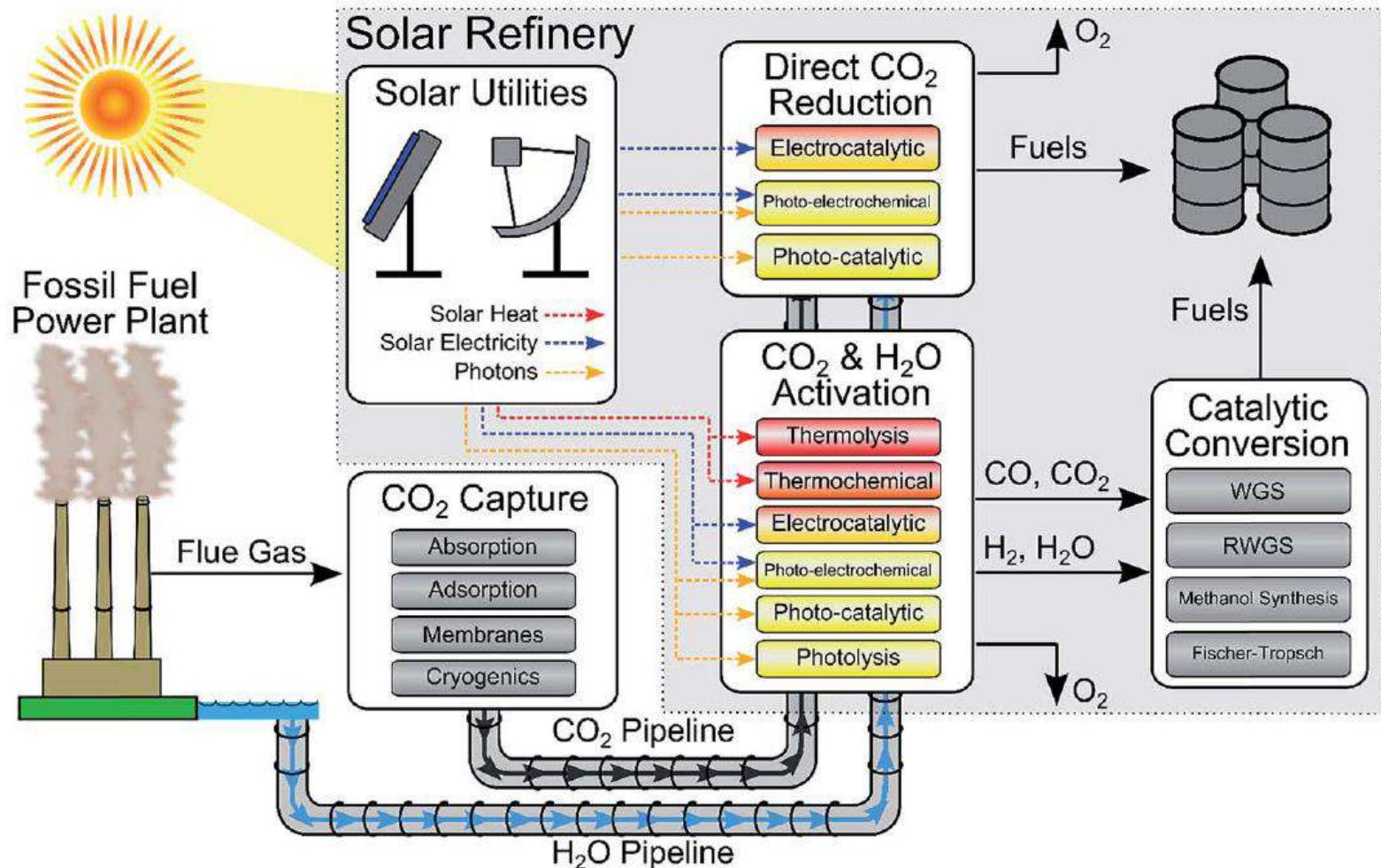


Figure 5-2: Process diagram of a trough plant

Solar Refinery



Solar Fuels

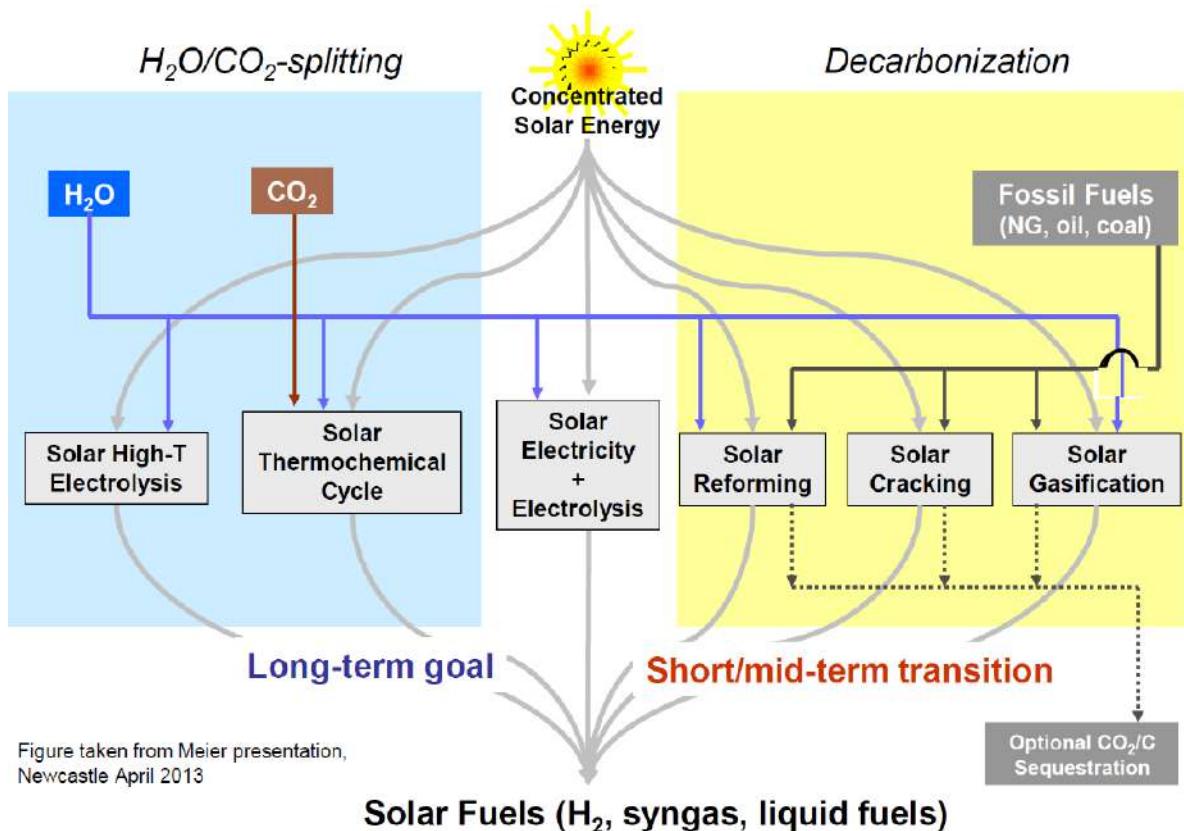
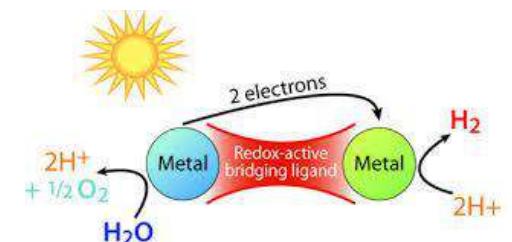
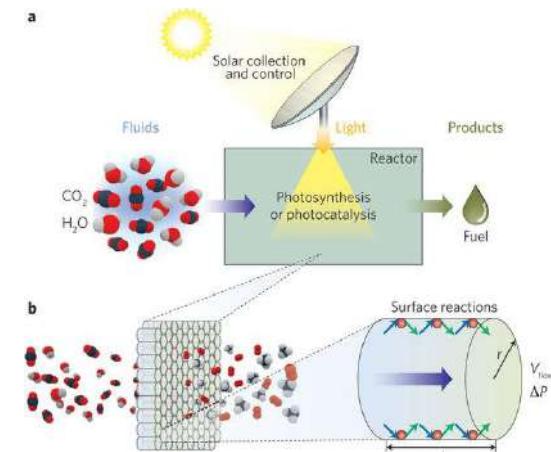
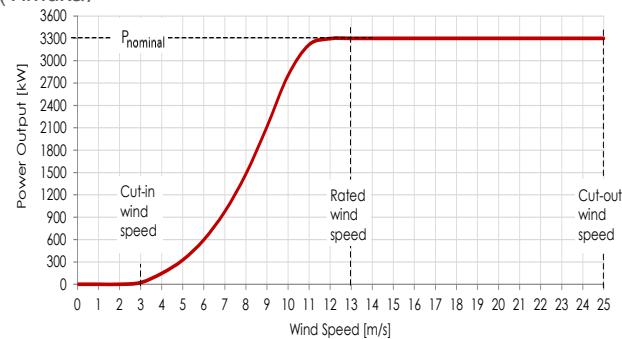
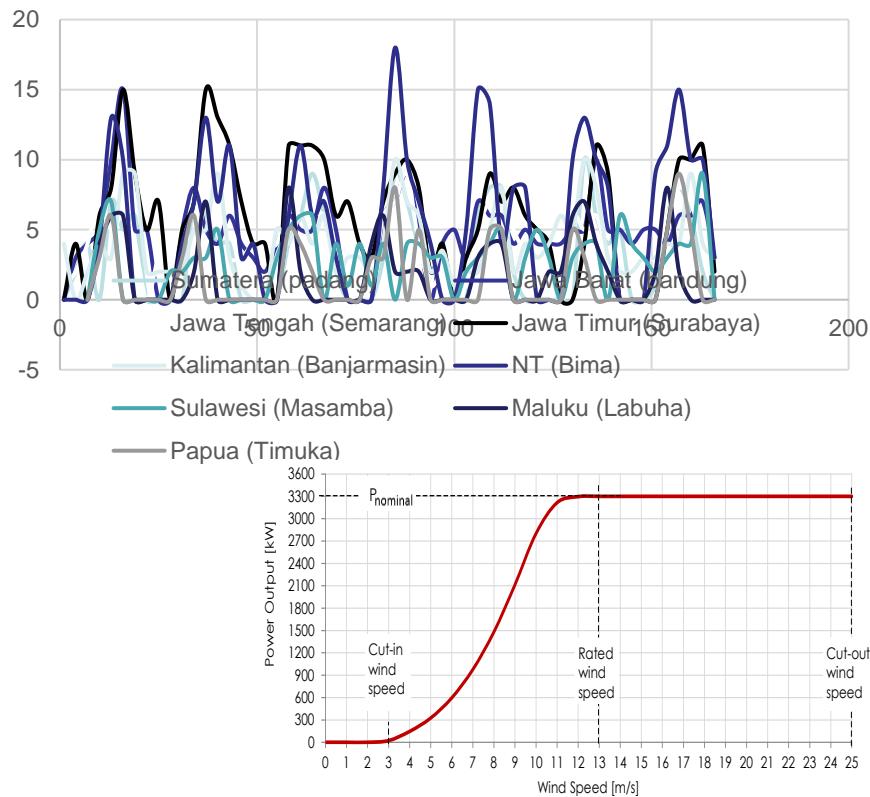


Figure taken from Meier presentation,
Newcastle April 2013



Source: ITP, Erickson et al, 2011¹⁰⁶

Wind power



Hydro power & Geothermal power

The available power can be expressed as:

$$P = \eta \rho Q g h$$

where

P = available power (W)

η = efficiency of the turbine (0.8)

ρ = density of water (1000 kg/m^3)

Q = water flow (m^3/s)

g = acceleration due to gravity (9.81 m/s^2)

h = height (m)



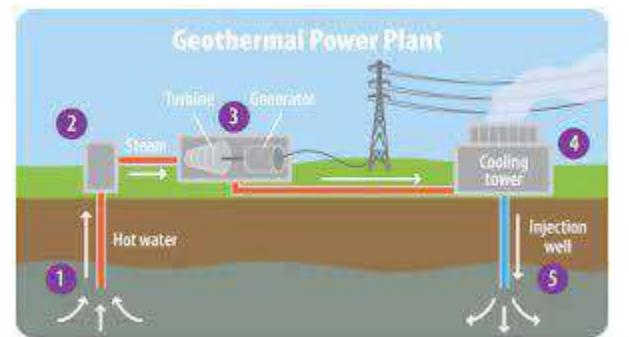
Run of the River plants



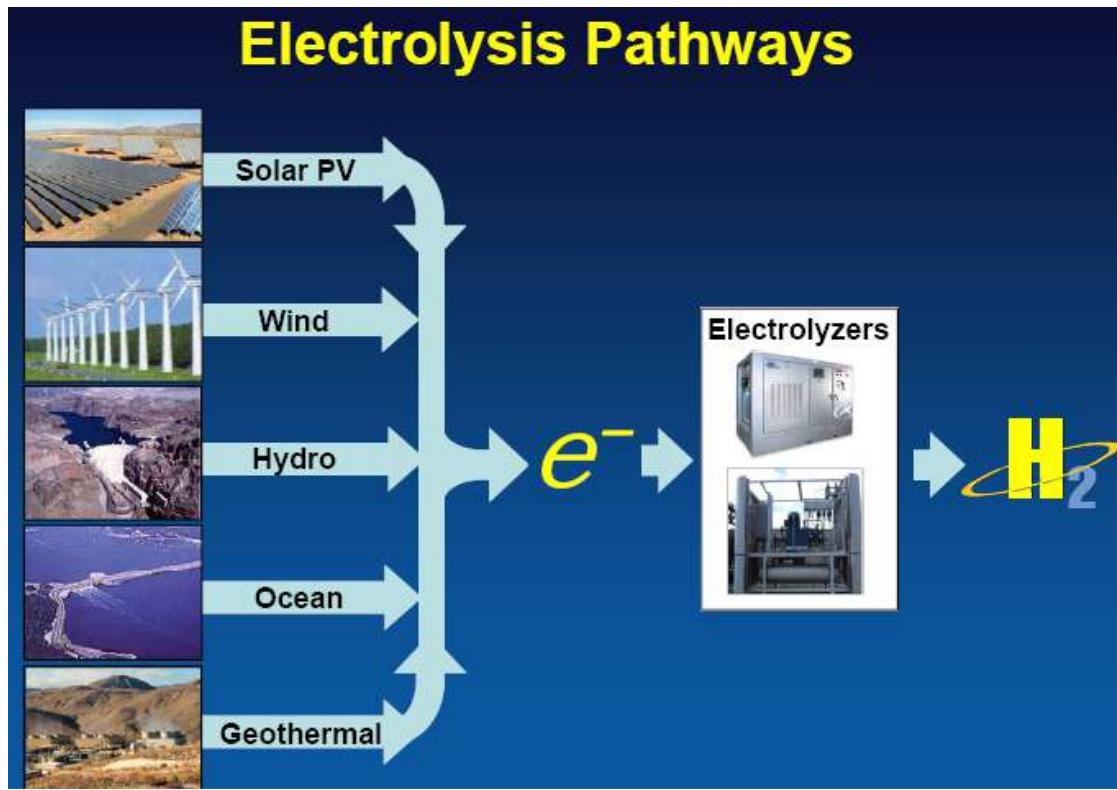
Storage hydropower



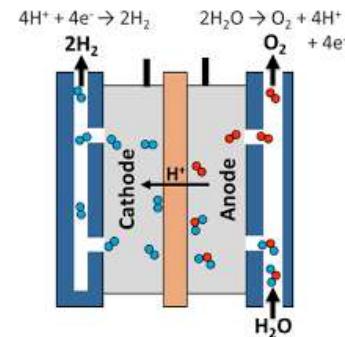
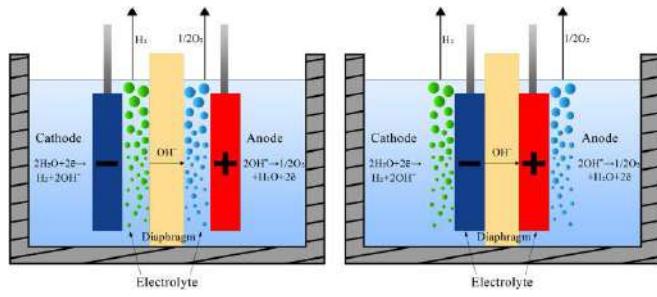
Pumped hydro storage



Green hydrogen via PtG



Electrolyzers: Alkaline & PEM

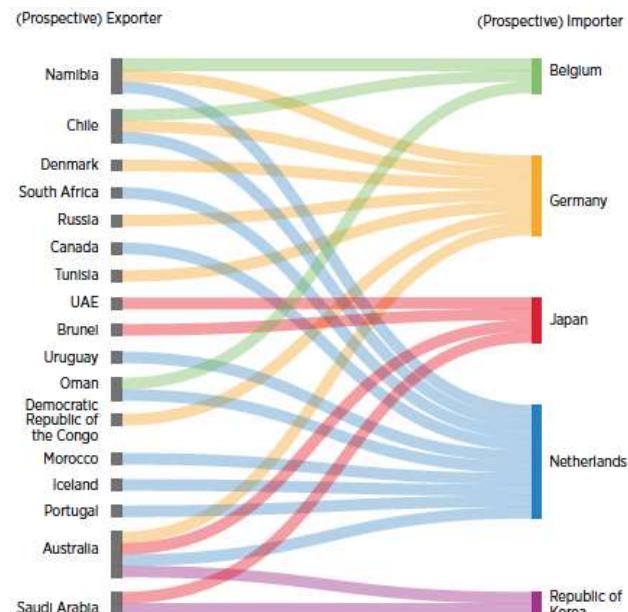


20 largest giga-scale green hydrogen projects and selected country bilateral trade agreements



- | | | |
|----|---|----------------|
| 1 | HyDeal Ambition (67GW) | Western Europe |
| 2 | Unnamed (30GW) | Kazakhstan |
| 3 | Western Green Energy Hub (28GW) | Australia |
| 4 | AMAN (16GW)* | Mauritania |
| 5 | Asian Renewable Energy Hub (14GW) | Australia |
| 6 | Oman Green Energy Hub (14GW) | Oman |
| 7 | AquaVentus (10GW) | Germany |
| 8 | North2 (10GW) | Netherlands |
| 9 | H2 Magallanes (8GW) | Chile |
| 10 | Beijing Jingneng (5GW) | China |
| 11 | Project Noor (5GW)* | Mauritania |
| 12 | HyEnergy Zero Carbon Hydrogen (4GW)* | Australia |
| 13 | Pacific solar Hydrogen (3.6GW) | Australia |
| 14 | Green Marlin (3.2GW) | Ireland |
| 15 | H2-Hub Gladstone (3GW) | Australia |
| 16 | Moolawatana Renewable Hydrogen Project (3GW)* - Australia | |
| 17 | Murchison Renewable Hydrogen Project (3GW) - Australia | |
| 18 | Unnamed (3GW) | Namibia |
| 19 | Base One (2GW)* | Brazil |
| 20 | Helios green Fuels Project (2GW) | Saudi Arabia |

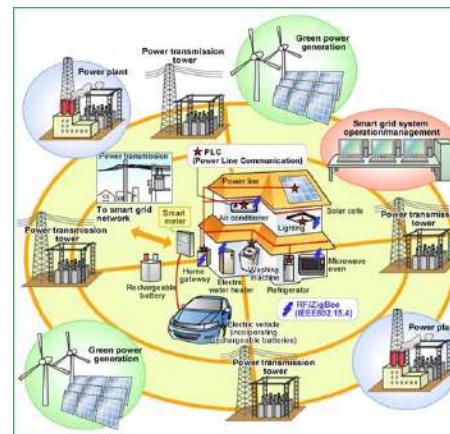
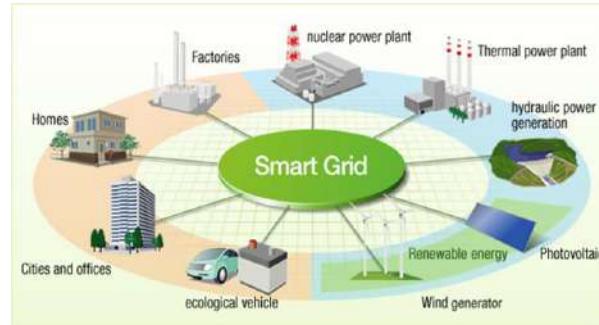
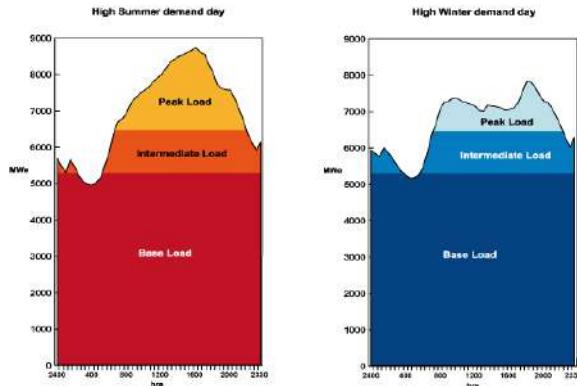
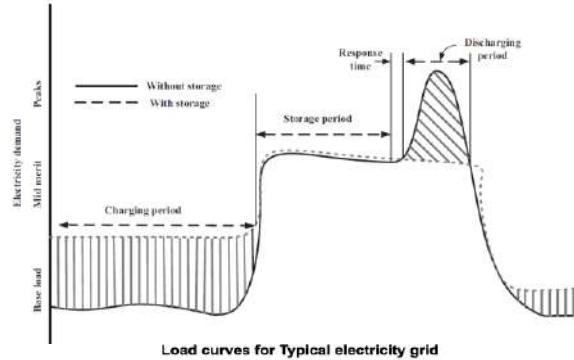
Note: Size refers to electrolyser capacity. Information based on announced plans.
* Estimated electrolyser capacity based on a comparison with similar-sized schemes
Disclaimer: This map is provided for illustrative purposes only. Boundaries shown on this map do not imply any endorsement or acceptance by IRENA. Map source: Natural Earth, 2021



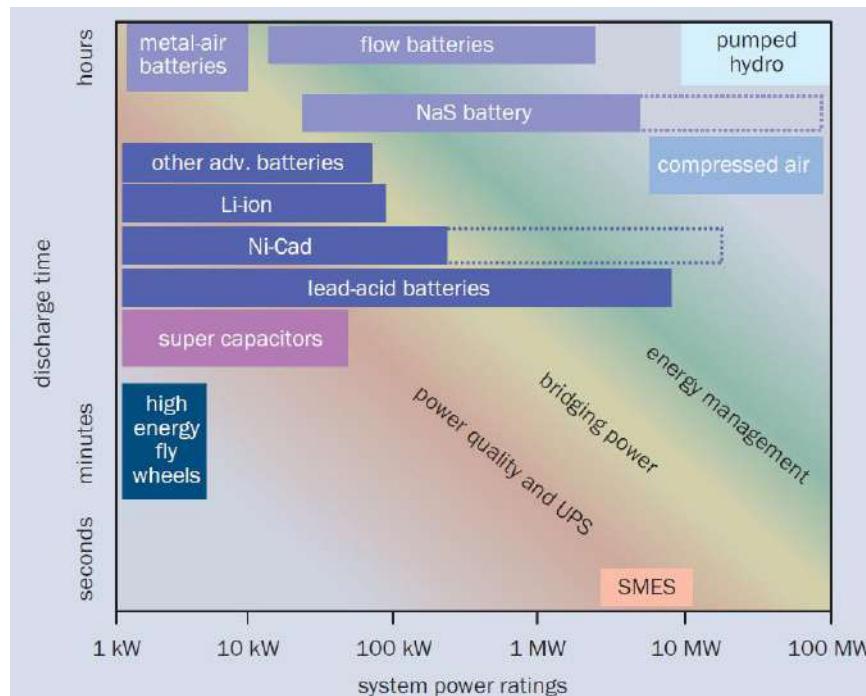
Note: Figure covers hydrogen trade related agreements only, based on public announcements and is not exhaustive. Private agreements and those that focus exclusively on technology co-operation are not included. MOU = Memorandum of Understanding.

Source: IRENA, 2022

Energy management using storage

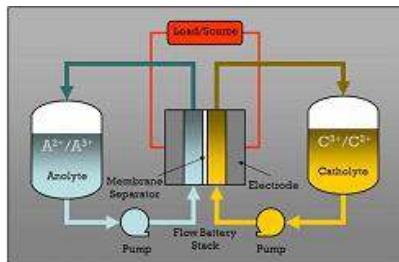


Types of electricity energy storage



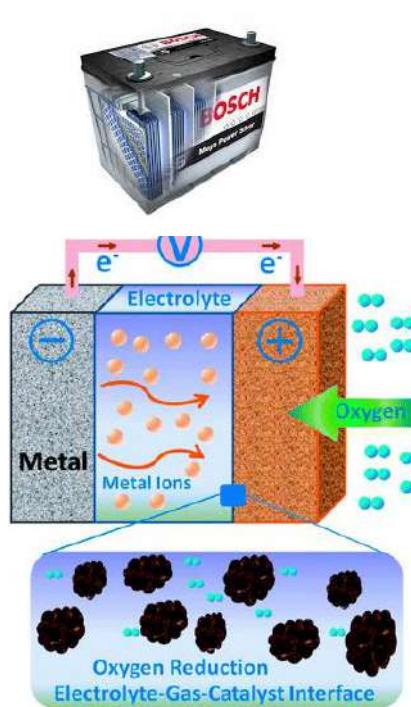
Source: Institute of Physics

Batteries

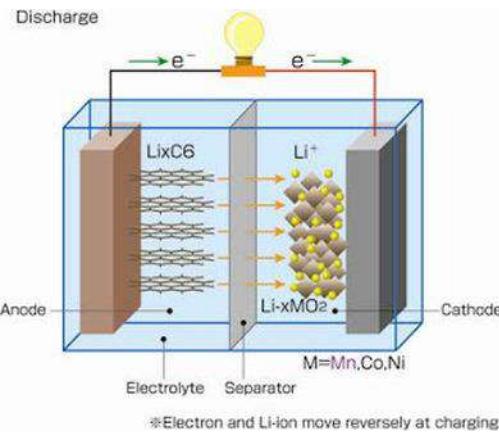


- Discharge reaction
 - $C^{3+} + e^- \rightarrow C^{2+}$ (reduction)
 - $A^{2+} \rightarrow A^{3+} + e^-$ (oxidation)
- Charge reaction
 - $C^{2+} \rightarrow C^{3+} + e^-$ (oxidation)
 - $A^{3+} + e^- \rightarrow A^{2+}$ (reduction)

Redox flow battery



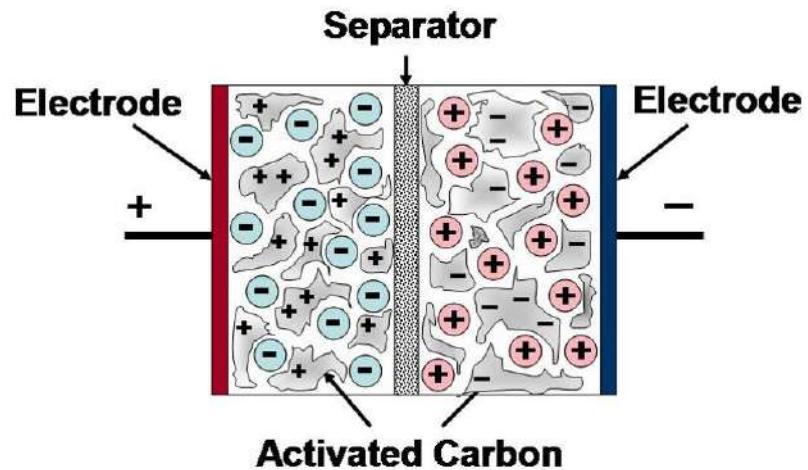
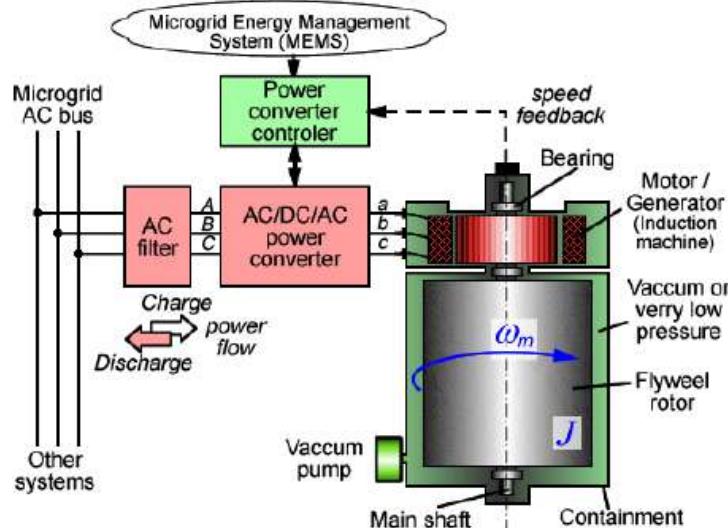
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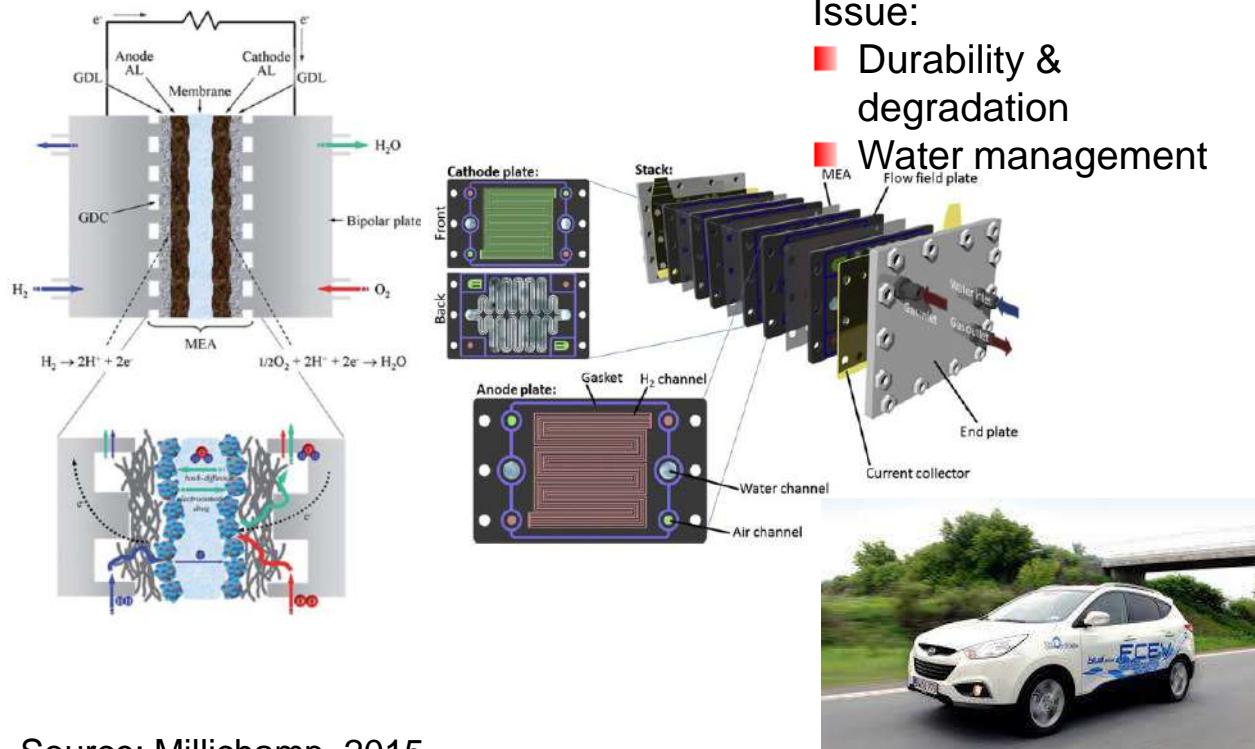
Li-Ion Battery



Super capacitor & fly whell



Proton exchange membrane FC -H2

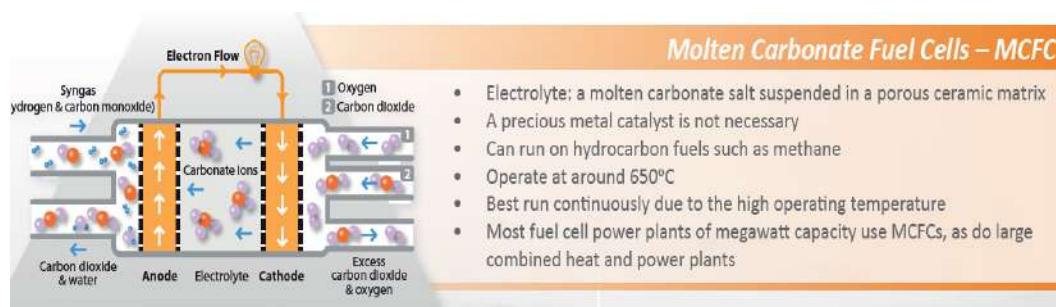
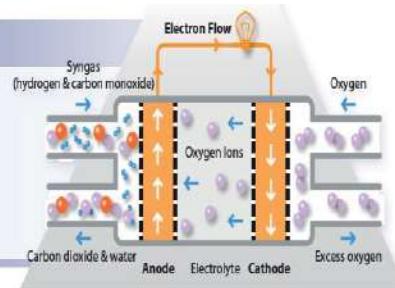


Solid Oxide & Molten Carbonate FCs



SOFC – Solid Oxide Fuel Cells

- Electrolyte: solid ceramic, such as stabilised zirconium oxide
- A precious metal catalyst is not necessary
- Can run on hydrocarbon fuels such as methane
- Operate at very high temperatures, around 800°C to 1,000°C
- Best run continuously due to the high operating temperature
- Popular in stationary power generation



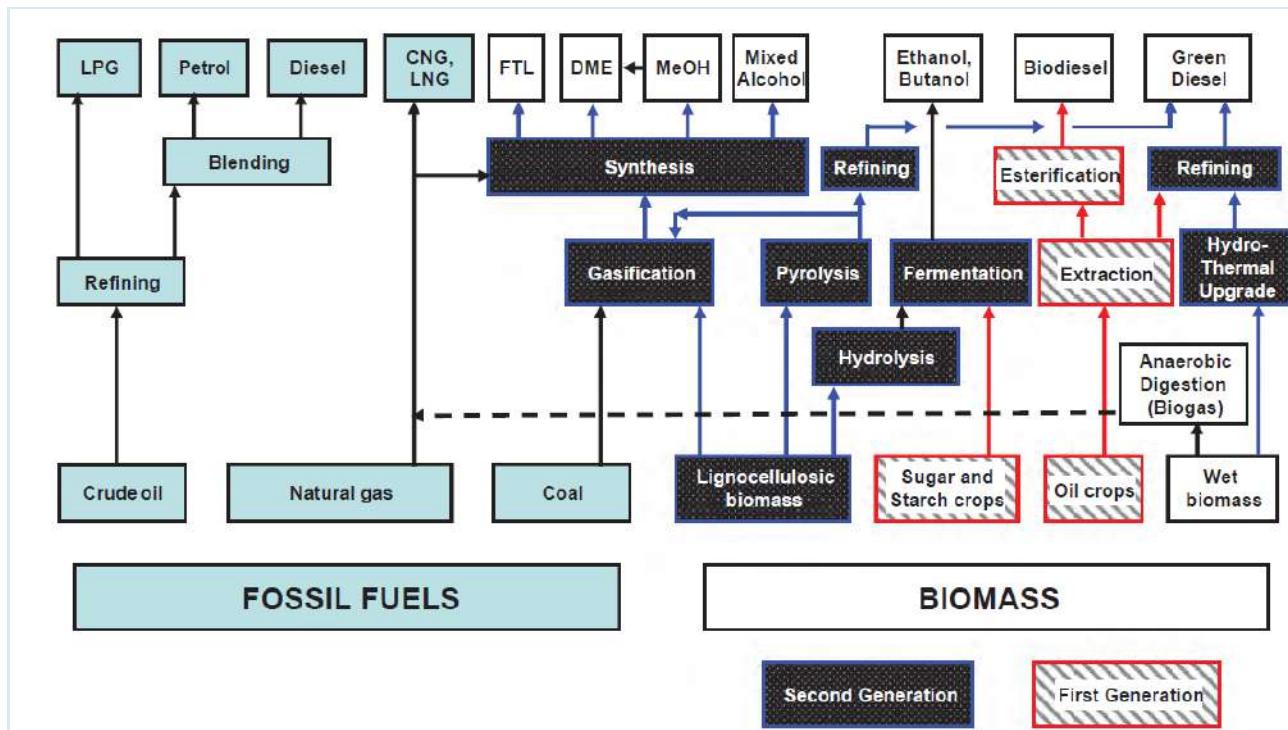
Molten Carbonate Fuel Cells – MCFC

- Electrolyte: a molten carbonate salt suspended in a porous ceramic matrix
- A precious metal catalyst is not necessary
- Can run on hydrocarbon fuels such as methane
- Operate at around 650°C
- Best run continuously due to the high operating temperature
- Most fuel cell power plants of megawatt capacity use MCFCs, as do large combined heat and power plants



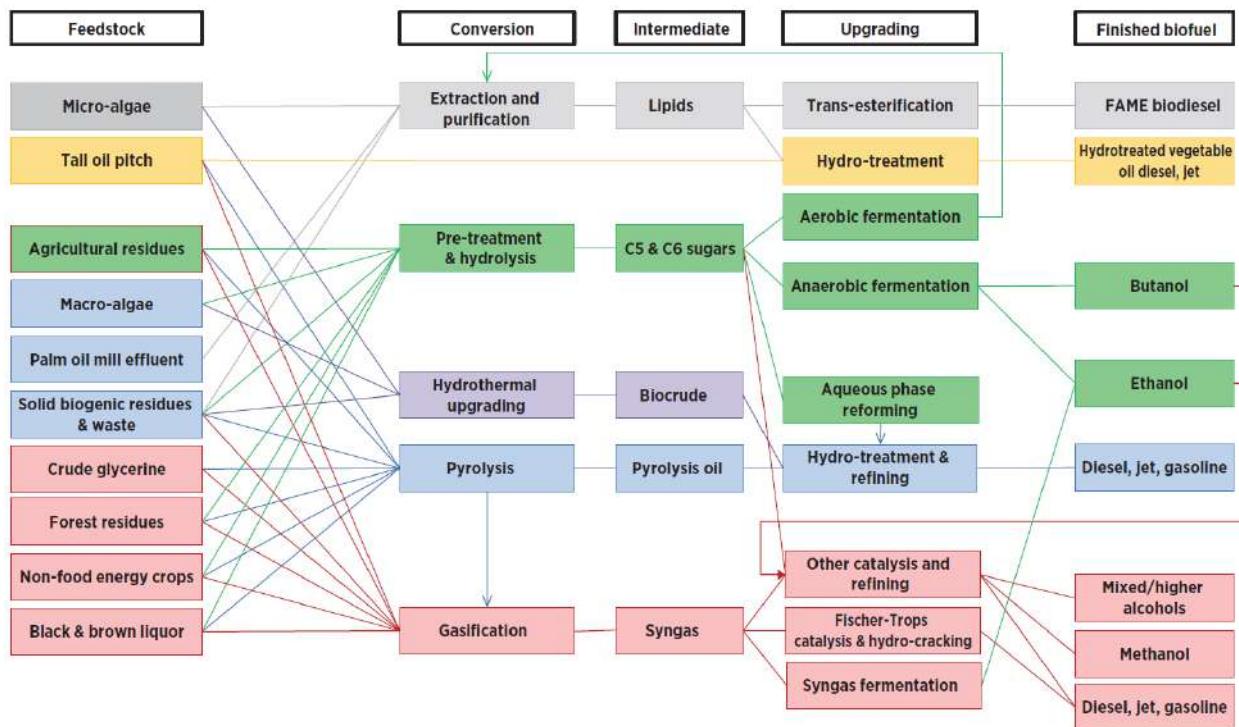
Source: Fuelcelltoday

Production path to liquid fuels



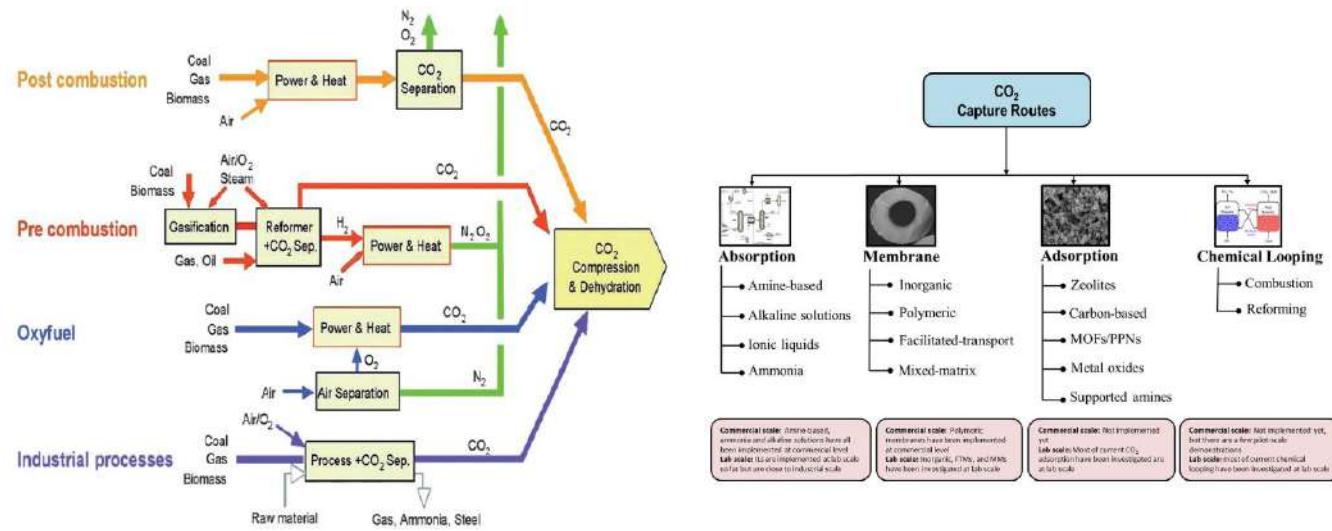
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Advanced biofuels pathways



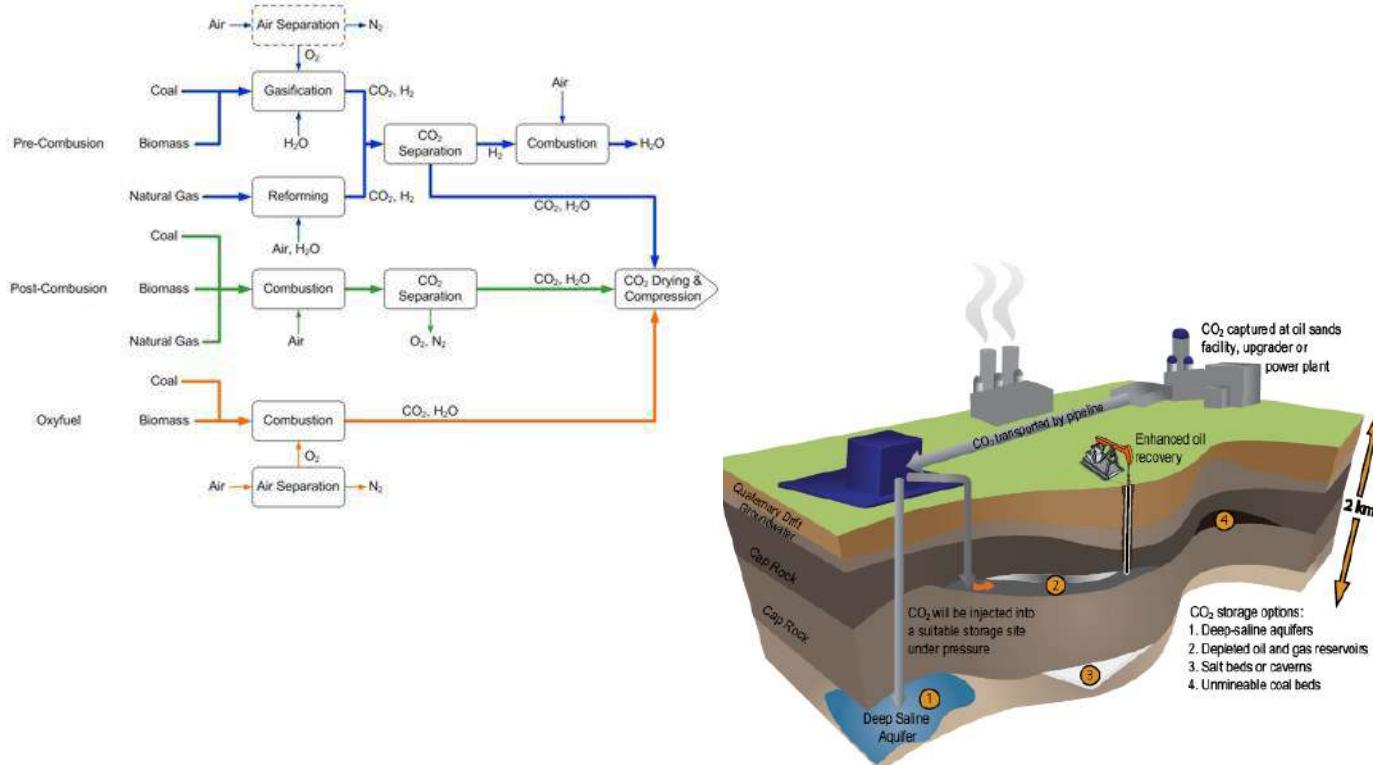
Source: IRENA. 2016

Carbon Capture Technologies



Source: Al-Mamoori et al, 2017

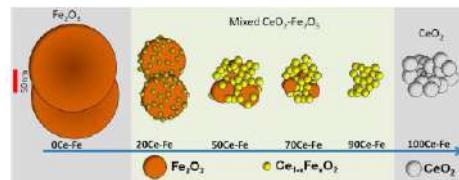
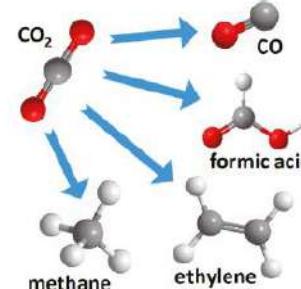
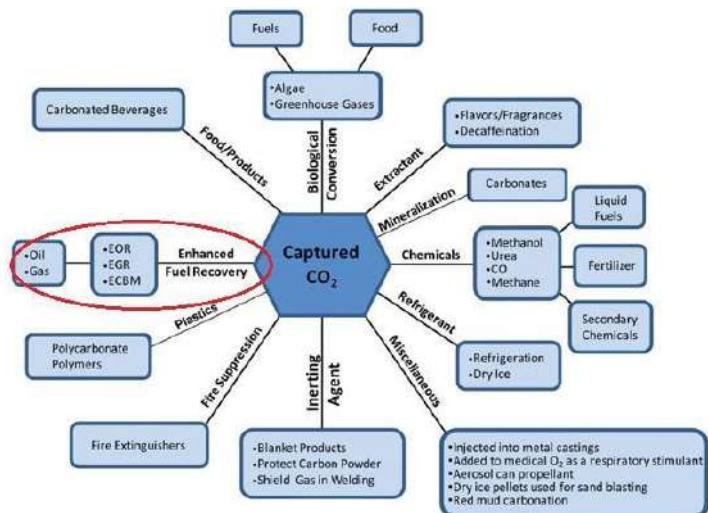
What is CCS



Source: CO2 solution

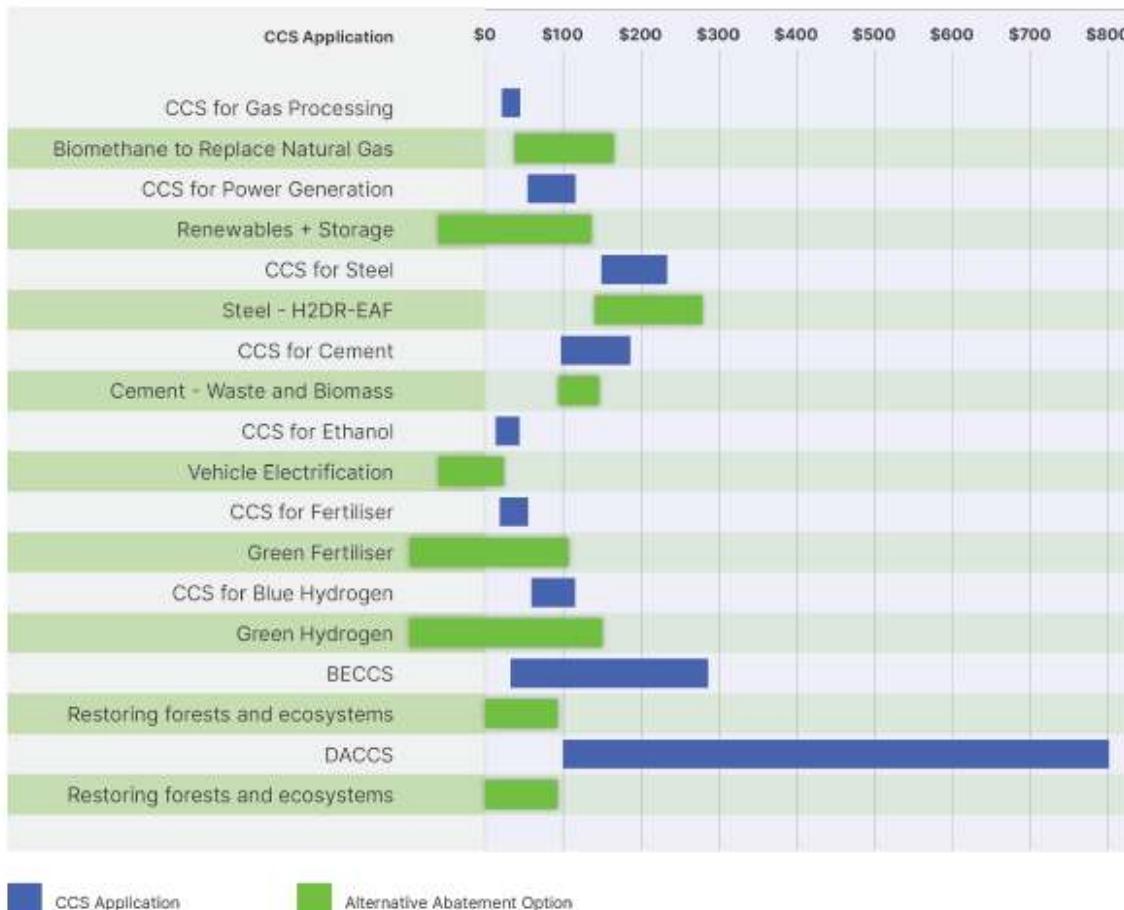


CO₂ Utilization



Source: Whipple et al, 2010

CCS applications



Source: Michael Salt, IEEFA, 2022

Supergrids

WHAT ARE SUPERGRIDS?

Supergrids are high-capacity power transmission lines using either high-voltage direct current (HVDC, above 500 kV) or ultra-high-voltage direct current (UHVDC, above 800 kV) power lines.

By enabling high volumes of electricity to flow across long distances, supergrids enhance cross-border integration and help to connect resource-rich areas with renewable energy potential to major electricity demand centres.

1 BENEFITS

Direct current (DC) power lines show substantially lower power losses than alternating current (AC) lines. Power flow is also more controllable in DC systems, allowing more flexible operation. Supergrids can:



Transmit renewable energy from resource-rich areas to relatively distant demand centres



Boost the flexibility and reliability of local grids



Connect two onshore points using offshore HVDC links (bootstraps)

2 KEY ENABLING FACTORS



Addressing political and regulatory challenges



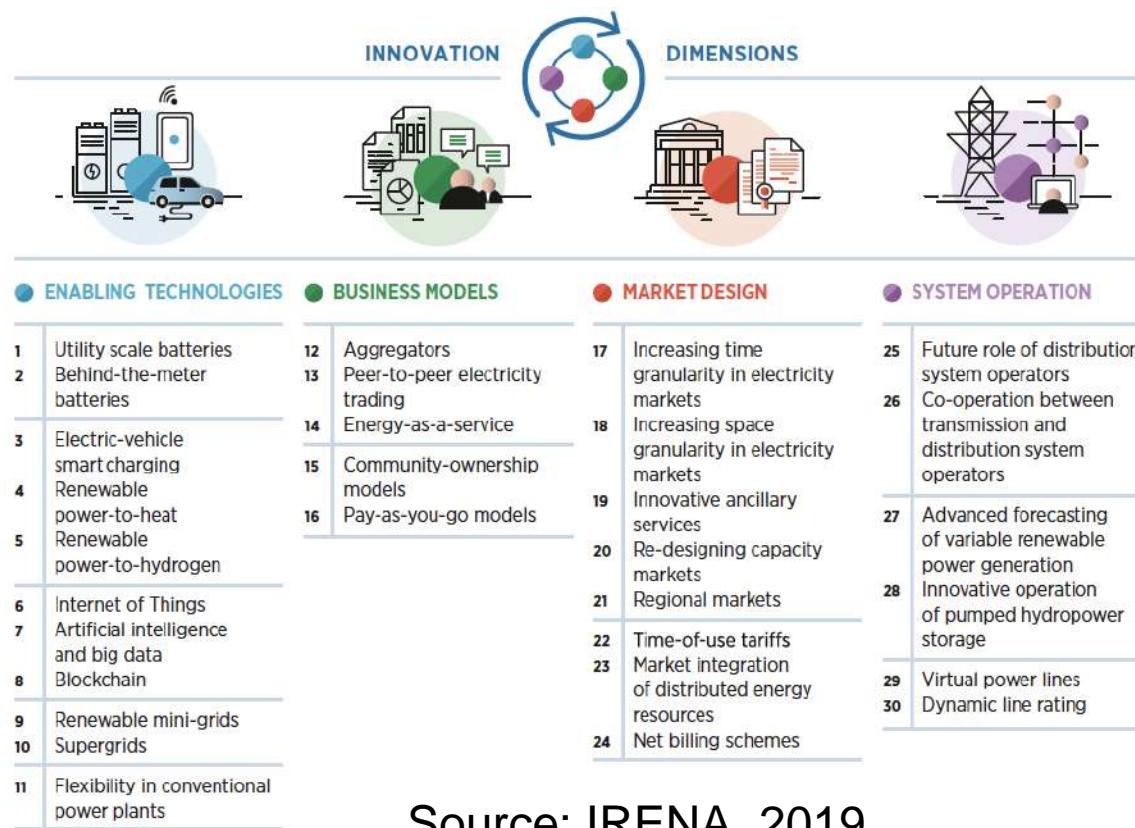
Addressing technical challenges related to network protection

3 SNAPSHOT

- Xilingol League–Taizhou in China is the world's highest-voltage ($\pm 800\text{ kV}$) and highest-capacity (10 GW) DC line in operation
- One of the world's longest HVDC lines is being constructed in India, with a length of 1 830 km
- In Germany, HelWin1 is a 130 km HVDC line that can transmit up to 576 MW of offshore wind energy from the North Sea to more than 700 000 consumers

Source: IRENA, 2019

Innovation landscape for a renewable-powered future



Source: IRENA, 2019

Emerging approaches for energy transition

- Integrates new technologies, green hydrogen, e-fuels & e-chemicals, CCUS, BECCS, energy storages, and energy efficiency technologies for end users
- Integrates multi-energy carriers, sector coupling, power to x, process-and grid centric systems,
- Resolving temporal and spatial resolution, intermittently of VRE and demand flexibility by electrification, spatial granulation for inter-regional linkages for energy trade,
- Increasing role of digitalisation, smart grids, and machine learning
- Tackle uncertainty, integration short term uncertain behaviour in a long-term energy system planning, and technology progress,
- Inclusion of socio-economic equity, behaviour change and sustainability, giving insights in energy systems for a just transition.

Thank you

