

Increasingly ambitious targets from COP21 leave the world ...

... with a significant CO<sub>2</sub> emission gap, already in 2030 ...



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... which needs to be closed to achieve the 1.5 – 2°C target...

... and which by 2050 will required a nearly full decarbonization of all sectors in economy

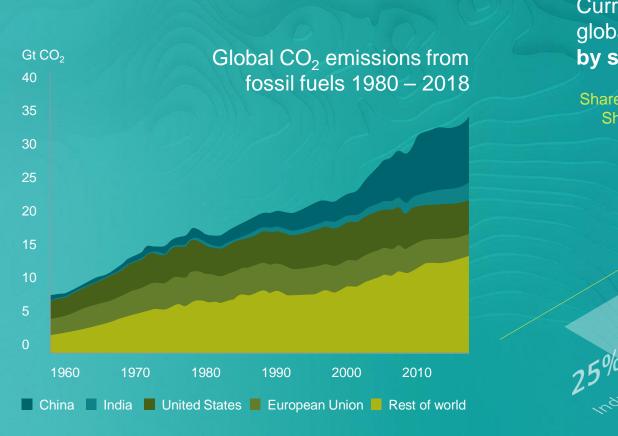
<sup>1)</sup> Business as usual (BAU), without any emission reduction effort | 2 Intended Nationally Determined Contributions (pre-COP21 commitments) |

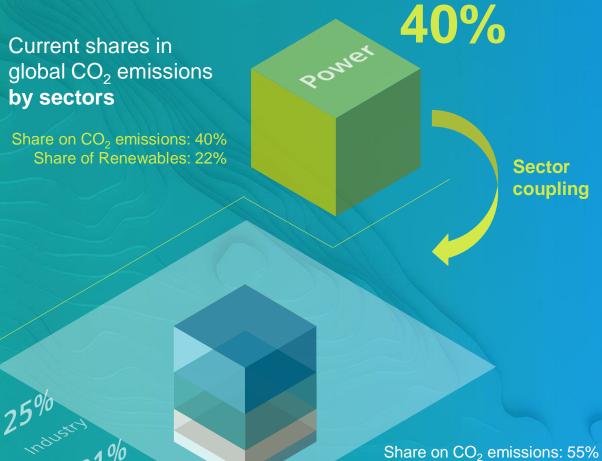
<sup>3)</sup> BAU & INDC data based on CO<sub>2</sub> equiv., whereas scenarios only provide CO<sub>2</sub> emissions which are ~33% lower than total CO<sub>2</sub> equiv | 4) Following Climate Action Tracker (~38 Gt CO<sub>2</sub> equiv. in 2030) | **Source:** CD ST SU, PV/Energy Mix Project Team, IEA

### Regional and sectoral split of today's global CO<sub>2</sub> emissions

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Share of Renewables: 8%



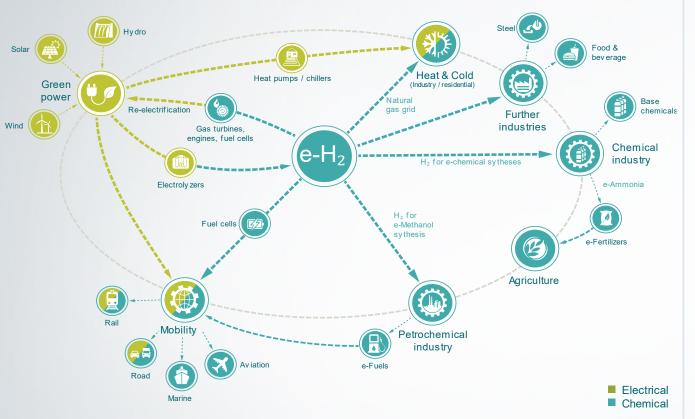


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## 'Sector Coupling' is the key lever for deep decarbonization of all end-user sectors





### **Sector Coupling**

#### **Definition**

- Link between power sector and energy-consuming sectors
- Crucial to reach deep decarbonization of the energy sector (-80 ... 95%)

#### **Value Proposition**

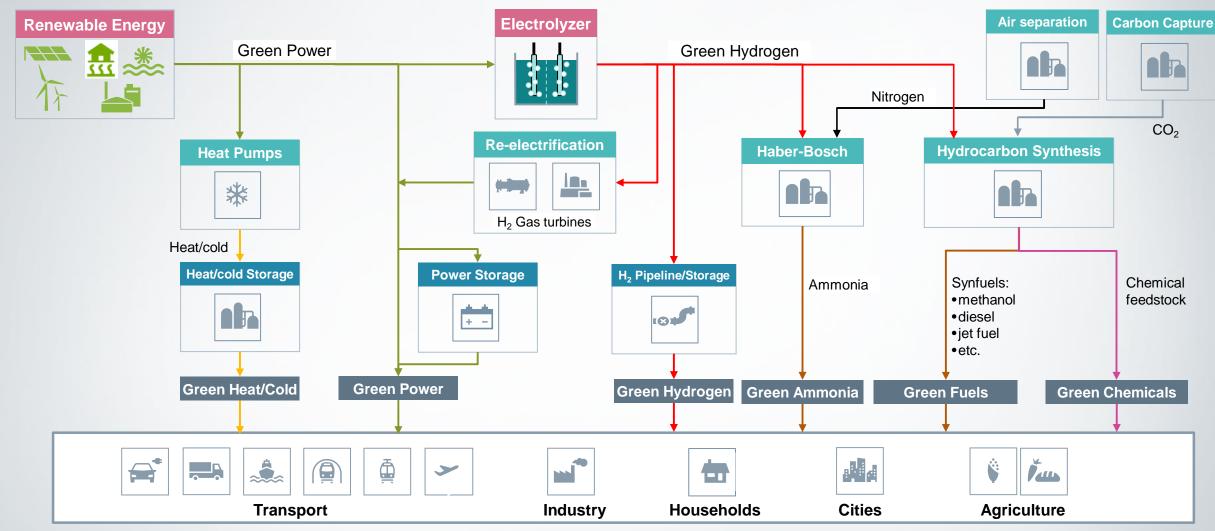
- Higher overall energy efficiency
- Supports supply/load balancing in case of high share of intermittent renewable generation
- More diverse and interdependent energy supply

#### **Drivers**

- Reduction of GHG emissions
- Energy efficiency improvement
- Reduction of energy import dependency
- Integration of volatile Renewables
- Technology development (e.g. e-mobility, battery, electrolyzer, synthetic fuels)

# Power-to-Hydrogen is a key technology for sector coupling and for deep decarbonization of economy





# Future of Energy is about Decarbonization through Sector Coupling and a new Market Design



**Cornerstones of a Future Energy System** 



### Decarbonization of Energy

Transforming the conventional generation capacity into low-carbon assets



### **Sector Coupling**

Leveraging renewables in power sector to decarbonize heat, mobility, industry



### **Power-to-X**

Key technology for sector coupling and fuel for decarbonization of energy



### **Gas turbines**

Sustainable investment into security of supply – operating with natural gas and green gases such as hydrogen or synthetic fuels at lowest CAPEX Investment



### Regulatory Framework

Set decarbonization targets, technologyopen, the end of the energy-only market

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