

# A vision beyond 2020

- the EU Energy Roadmap for 2050

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# Background - aim of Energy Roadmap

Political commitment to GHG reductions by 2050 80-95% below 1990 level (in the context of necessary reductions by developed countries as a group),

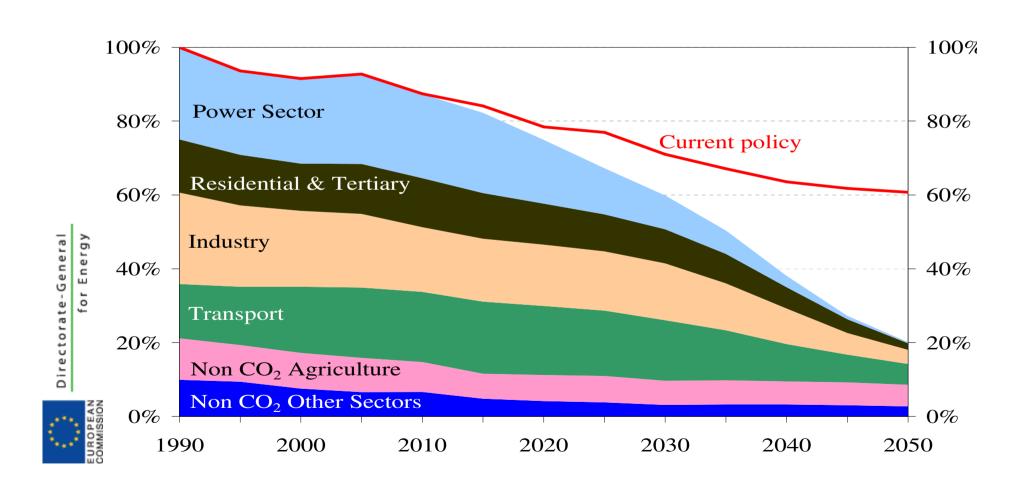
On 8 March 2011 the Commission adopted a Communication on low carbon economy looking at decarbonisation pathways of the economy as a whole,

DG Energy is preparing an Energy Roadmap 2050 to assess decarbonisation options in the energy sector (keeping in mind our objectives of security of supply and competitiveness)





#### Low Carbon Economy Roadmap



## Energy Roadmap 2050 - scenarios

- 1 Business as usual (Common Reference Scenario)
- 1bis Current Policy Initiatives scenario
- 2 High Energy Efficiency
- 3 Diversified supply technologies
- 4 High Renewable
- 5 Delayed CCS

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6 Low Nuclear

## Policy choices and implication

In the 2050 Energy Roadmap analysis some general approaches make sense in a broad range of scenarios:

- Assess interaction of MS decisions on their energy mix
- Consider different options, costs, trade-offs
- Assess policy implications for infrastructure, market design
- Consider direction, speed of change, need for milestones



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### Energy Roadmap 2050 state of play

Results public consultation published on EUROPA Site

On going dialogue with stakeholders

Advisory Group independent experts preparing a report

Impact Assessment – scenarios currently being finalized

Planned adoption: end of 2011

A priority of Polish & Danish Presidencies





