



EU regulatory framework on HDV CO₂ emissions

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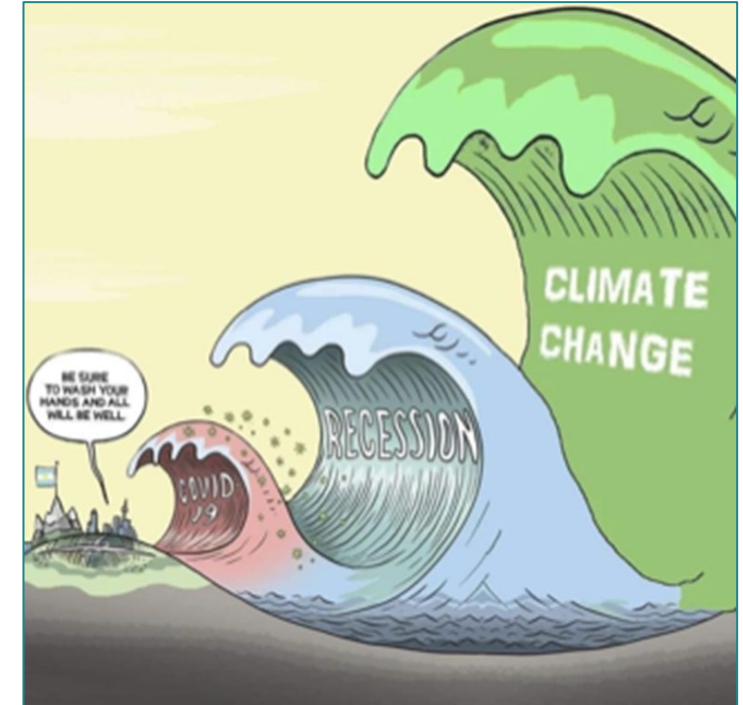
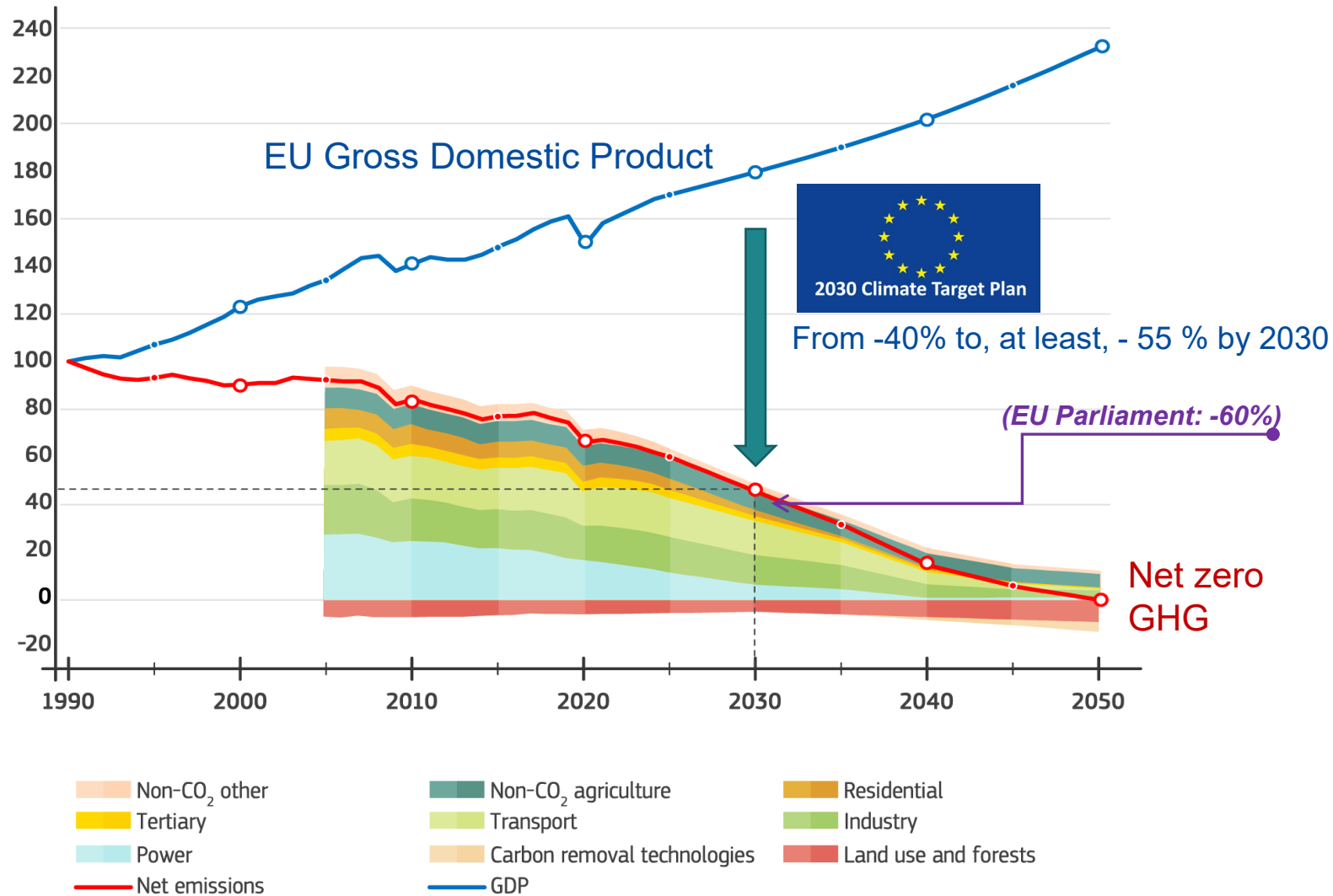
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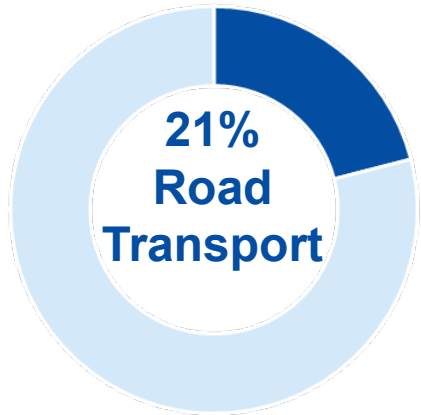
EU pathway to 2050 climate neutrality



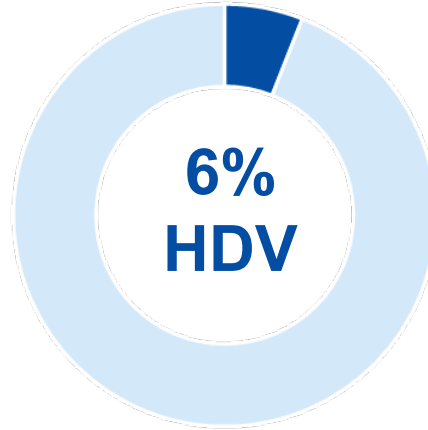
How: Legislative framework

- Climate Law: net-zero carbon emissions by 2050
- Target Plan: EU's CO₂ emissions to be reduced by 55% in 2030 with regard to 1990
- Updating sectoral legislation under European Green Deal Commitment by June 2021
 - EU Emissions Trading System / Market Stability Reserve
 - Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism
 - Land use, land use change and forestry
 - Effort Sharing
 - Energy Efficiency/Buildings
 - Energy Taxation Directive
 - State Aid guidelines
 - Sustainable fuels (shipping, aviation)
 - LDV CO₂ efficiency standards
 - **HDV CO₂ efficiency standards**
 - Fuel Quality Directive (FQD) / Renewable Energy Directive (RED)
 - Trans-European Networks (TEN-T, TEN-E)
 - Alternative Infrastructure Directive (AFID)
 - Eurovignette (road charges) Directive
- Fluorinated gases

Green Deal - Sustainable and smart mobility

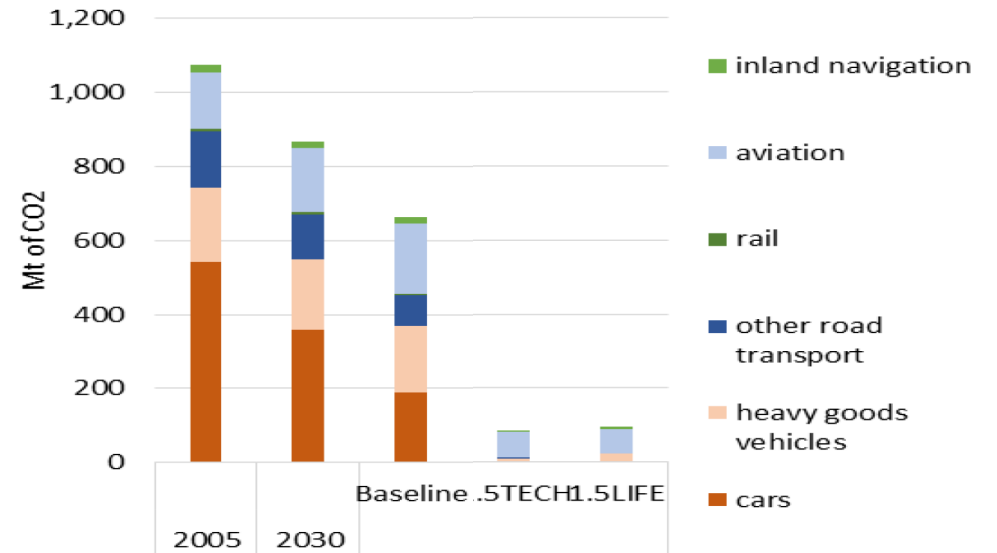
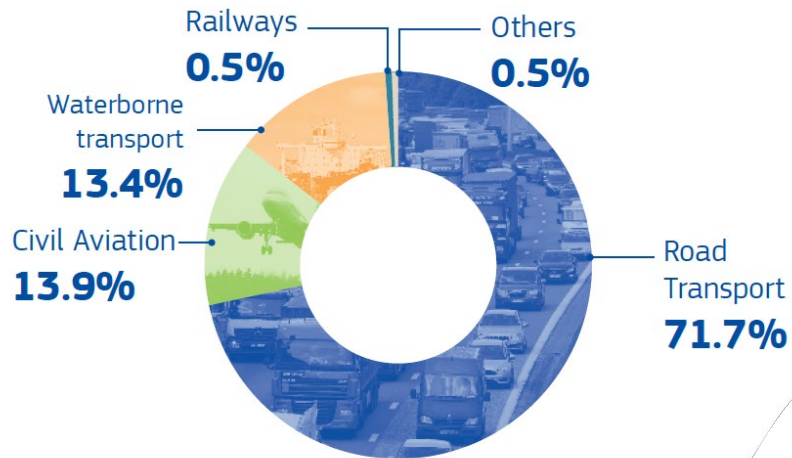


Of total EU CO₂ emissions



90% reduction
greenhouse gas emissions in transport by 2050

Share of Greenhouse Gas Emissions by Mode of Transport (2017)



Decarbonisation of HDV: technologies

Technology	Local & regional transport (overnight return of vehicles to the base)	Long-haul transport
Battery electric	Feasible, electric infrastructure probably even less demanding than for cars & vans	Significant challenges for infrastructure development; high battery costs; significant reduction of payload capacity by battery weight
Catenary electric (combined with some limited battery range)	Infrastructure development challenging if not impossible	Infrastructure development seems to be possible with “reasonable” costs but needs long-term planning for permits; EU-wide standardisation is necessary; probably only applicable in regions with sufficiently dense HDV traffic
Green Hydrogen	Infrastructure development is possible but challenging; energy conversion efficiency of hydrogen produced from renewable electricity is significantly lower than for HDV solutions with electric propulsion; challenges for transport and on-board storage of hydrogen	
Sustainable bio-fuels	Limited global availability, can probably not be used in significant quantities in road transport in a global decarbonised economy	
e-fuels	Very low energy conversion efficiency; very high costs; production using ambient CO ₂ (compared to today’s CO ₂ from the flue, which will not exist in a decarbonised economy) is fragile and requires at least even more energy; use on a large scale for road transport is highly questionable	

How are HDV CO₂ emissions regulated? (1)



- Step-wise approach
- **VECTO** simulation tool determines fuel consumption and CO₂ emissions of HDVs based on vehicle component (engine, air drag, gearbox, axles, tyres,...) input data
- CO₂ emissions determined at type approval according to **Regulation (EU) 2017/2400**
- Only for newly registered HDVs placed on the EU market
- Monitoring & reporting by Member States and manufacturers; registration period: 1 July Y -> 30 June Y+1



First official data to be published in 2021

*** (Buses and coaches at a later stage)*

How are HDV CO₂ emissions regulated? (2)

Trucks are divided within Regulation 2017/2400 (CO₂ determination) into 18 different vehicle groups

Description of elements relevant to the classification in vehicle groups			Vehicle group	Allocation of mission profile and vehicle configuration						
Axle configuration	Chassis configuration	Technically permissible maximum laden mass (tons)		Long haul	Long haul (EMS)	Regional delivery	Regional delivery (EMS)	Urban delivery	Municipal utility	Construction
4x2	Rigid lorry	> 3,5 – 7,5	(0)							
	Rigid lorry (or tractor)**	> 7,5 – 10	1			R		R		
	Rigid lorry (or tractor)**	> 10 – 12	2	R+T1		R		R		
	Rigid lorry (or tractor)**	> 12 – 16	3			R		R		
	Rigid lorry	> 16	4	R+T2		R		R	R	
	Tractor	> 16	5	T+ST	T+ST+T2	T+ST	T+ST+T2	T+ST		
4x4	Rigid lorry	> 16	4v***						R	R
	Tractor	> 16	5v***							T+ST
	Rigid lorry	> 7,5 – 16	(6)							
	Rigid lorry	> 16	(7)							
6x2	Tractor	> 16	(8)							
	Rigid lorry	all weights	9	R+T2	R+D+ST	R	R+D+ST		R	
	Tractor	all weights	10	T+ST	T+ST+T2	T+ST	T+ST+T2			
6x4	Rigid lorry	all weights	9v***						R	R
	Tractor	all weights	10v***							T+ST
6x6	Rigid lorry	all weights	11	R+T2	R+D+ST	R	R+D+ST		R	R
	Tractor	all weights	12	T+ST	T+ST+T2	T+ST	T+ST+T2			T+ST
8x2	Rigid lorry	all weights	(13)							
	Tractor	all weights	(14)							
8x4	Rigid lorry	all weights	(15)							
	Rigid lorry	all weights	16							R
8x6 8x8	Rigid lorry	all weights	(17)							

* EMS - European Modular System		
** in these vehicle classes tractors are treated as rigid lorries but with specific curb weight of tractor		
*** sub-group "v" of vehicle groups 4, 5, 9 and 10: these mission profiles are exclusively applicable to vocational vehicles		
T	=	Tractor
R	=	Rigid lorry & standard body
T1, T2	=	Standard trailers
ST	=	Standard semitrailer
D	=	Standard dolly

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4 categories summing up to 2/3 of the total CO₂ emissions from HDVs

HDV CO₂ Standards (Reg. 2019/1242)

Binding CO₂ reduction targets for fleets of new trucks for the regulated HDV categories (TPMLM > 16t):

- For each manufacturer ('specific CO₂ emissions target')
- Reduction as compared to the 2019 baseline (= average of all manufacturers): **15% as from 2025, 30% as from 2030**
- **Unit:** g CO₂/t km
- **Tailpipe based approach.** Based on type-approval values from Regulation 2017/2400 and VECTO simulations.
- Full flexibility for manufacturers to balance emissions between the different groups of vehicles within their portfolio
- Incentives for zero- and low-emissions vehicles (ZLEV), even from non-regulated vehicle categories

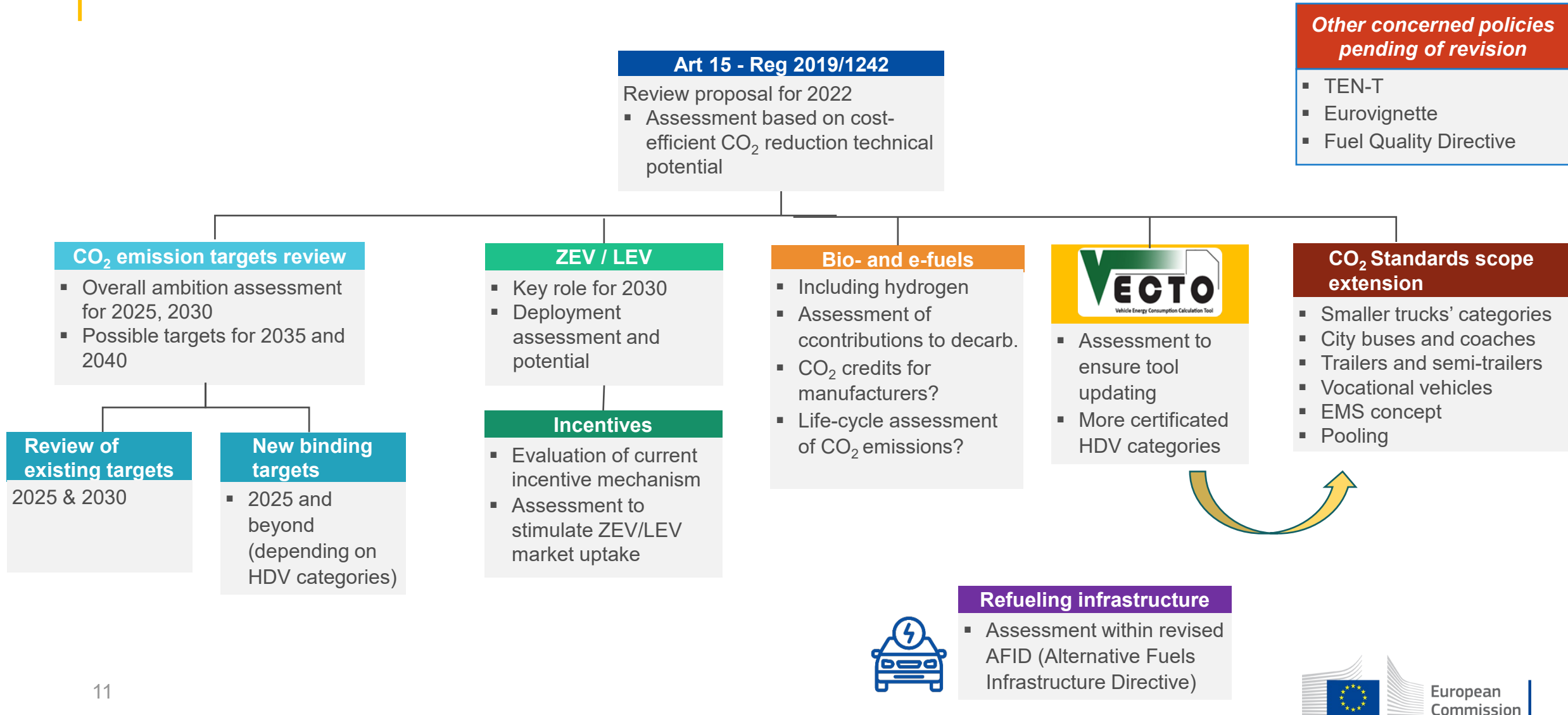
-15%
2025

-30%
2030

To-Do's (adoption in Q3 2021): HDV CO₂ emissions/energy consumption certification

- Buses, coaches, smaller trucks (TPMLM < 7,5 t) to be included
- Certification of “multi-stage” manufactured vehicles
- Coverage of various new technologies: WHR, ADAS, automated driving, platooning, catenary,...
- Vehicles with electrified powertrain (pure and hybrid electric)
- Hydrogen HDVs (fuel cell and internal combustion engine)
- Energy efficiency of (semi-)trailers to be determined

Review of HDV CO₂ Standards Regulation (EU) 2019/1242



Timeline

