

# Transport Policy Options in a Low Emissions Economy

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# Transport Policy Principles

## Sound Science

- Analyzing “well to wheels” impact
- Realistic projections for technology developments

## Clear Regulatory Framework

- Appropriate
- Reasonable
- Flexible
- Consistently enforced



## Free Market

- Technology neutral
- Promote innovation
- Markets drive solutions
- No mandates

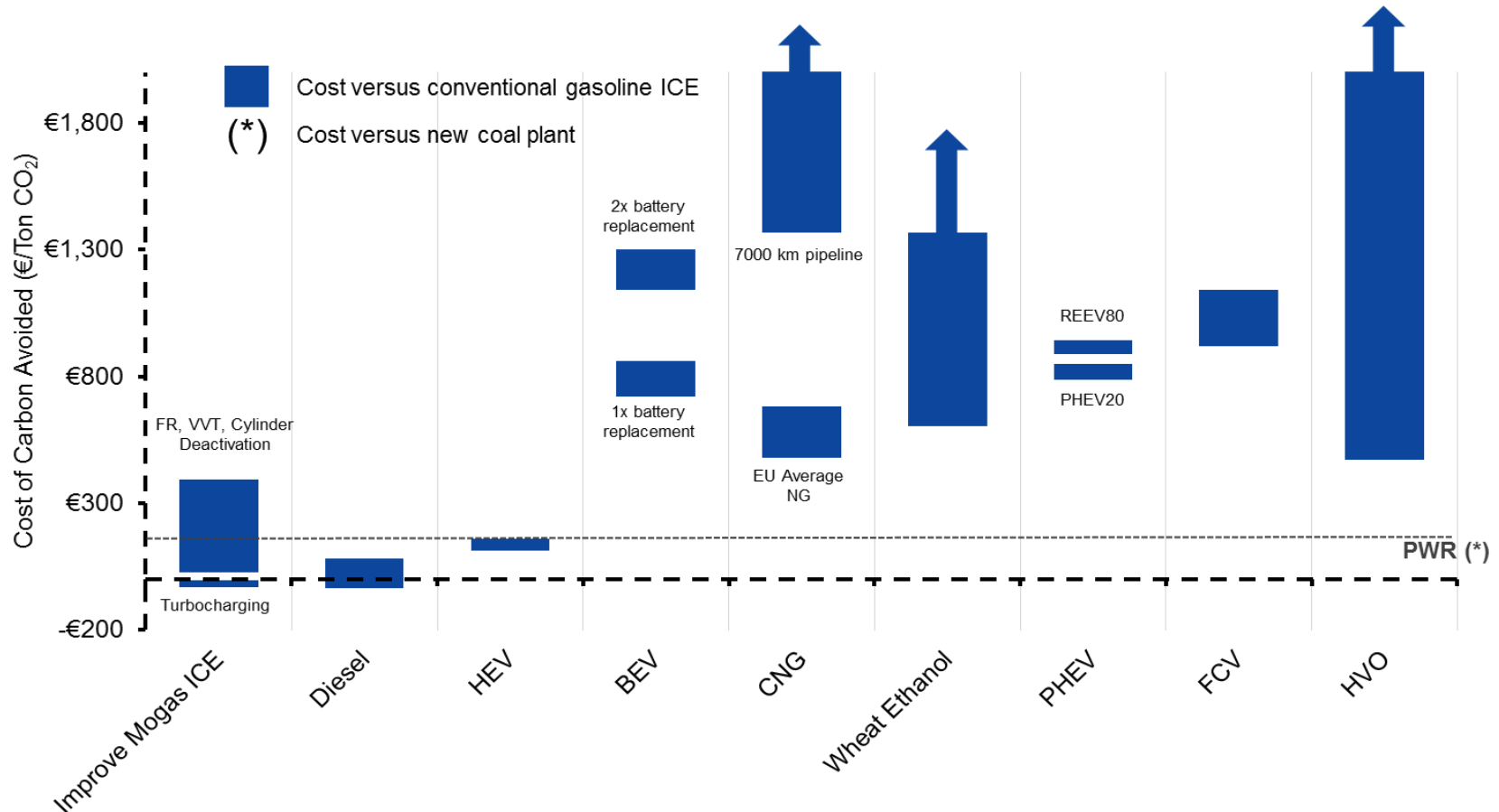
## Cost/Benefit Consideration

- Cost-effective solutions
- Economically sustainable without subsidies
- Benefits > overall cost

# Vehicles

Many light duty vehicle technologies are available for reducing GHG emissions and energy demand, but with a wide range of costs

Current European Cost of Carbon Avoided (225,000 km Lifetime Distance)



Source: JEC WTW4; Eurostat; McKinsey; ICCT

\*PWR = options in power sector vs. new coal plant

# EU Integrated/Cost Effective Policy Solutions

## Road transport post-2020 GHG policy options

Road fuels

Vehicles

Infrastructure

Today  
Policy

Mandate based  
(RED / FQD)

Emissions Reduction  
Standards

Future  
Policy

Market based

Cost Effective Vehicle  
Efficiency Standard

Traffic management,  
Road infrastructure  
improvements,  
Driver  
education/behavior

or

Road Transport  
Fuels in ETS

Fuels Carbon Fee  
at ETS price

or (\*)

Pay Carbon  
Fee at ETS  
price

Improve  
Vehicle  
Efficiency

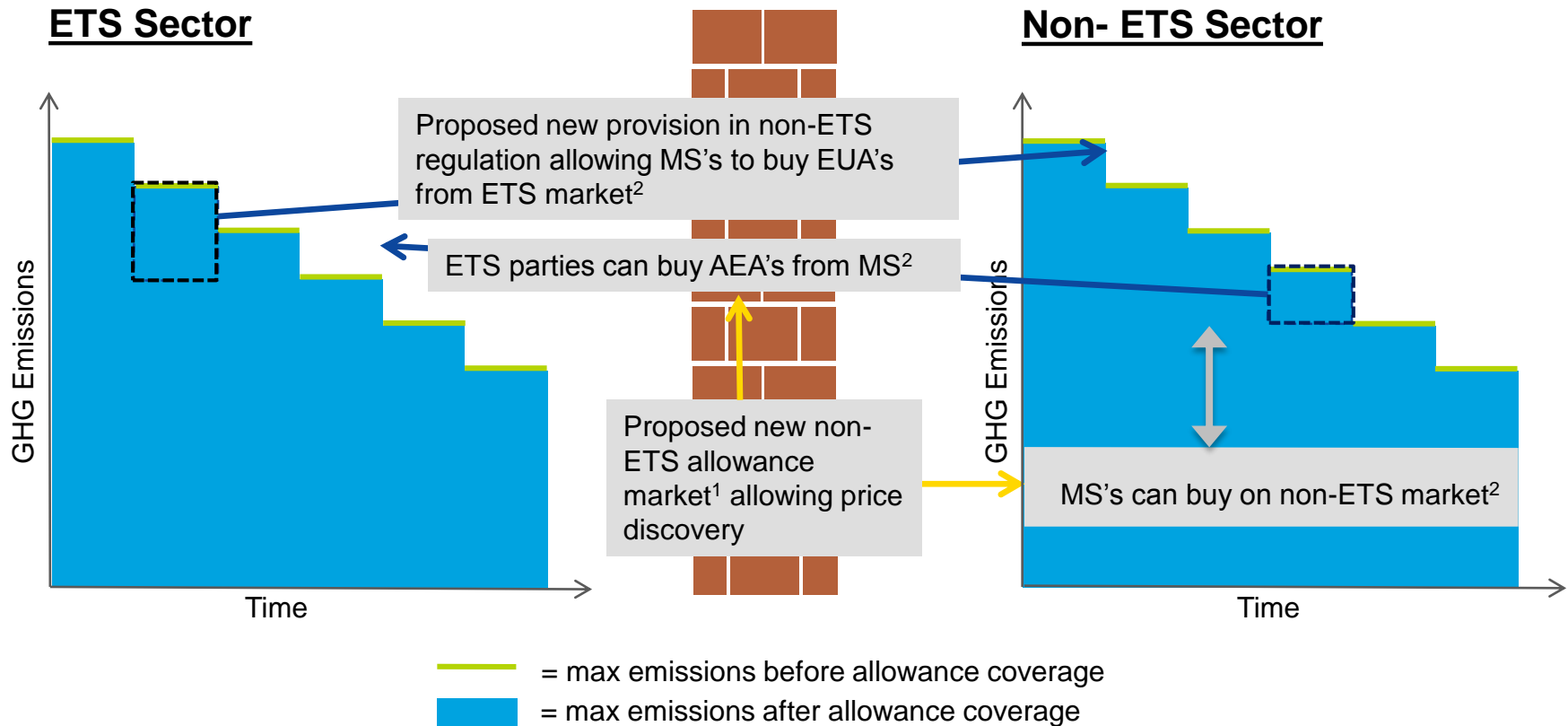
**Opportunity**  
Enable further emission  
reductions in Road / Vehicle  
sectors

(\*) Compliance by vehicle improvements,  
fee or a combination, which will harmonize  
vehicle improvements with ETS

WIN WIN WIN for Society, Environment and Economic Growth

# Alternative EU Road Transport Fuel Consumption GHG Policy Position

In absence of linked GHG emissions fee or transport under ETS, market based flexibilities should be available between non-ETS and ETS obligated parties.



<sup>1</sup> By auctioning fixed % of MS's Annual Emissions Allocations (AEA)

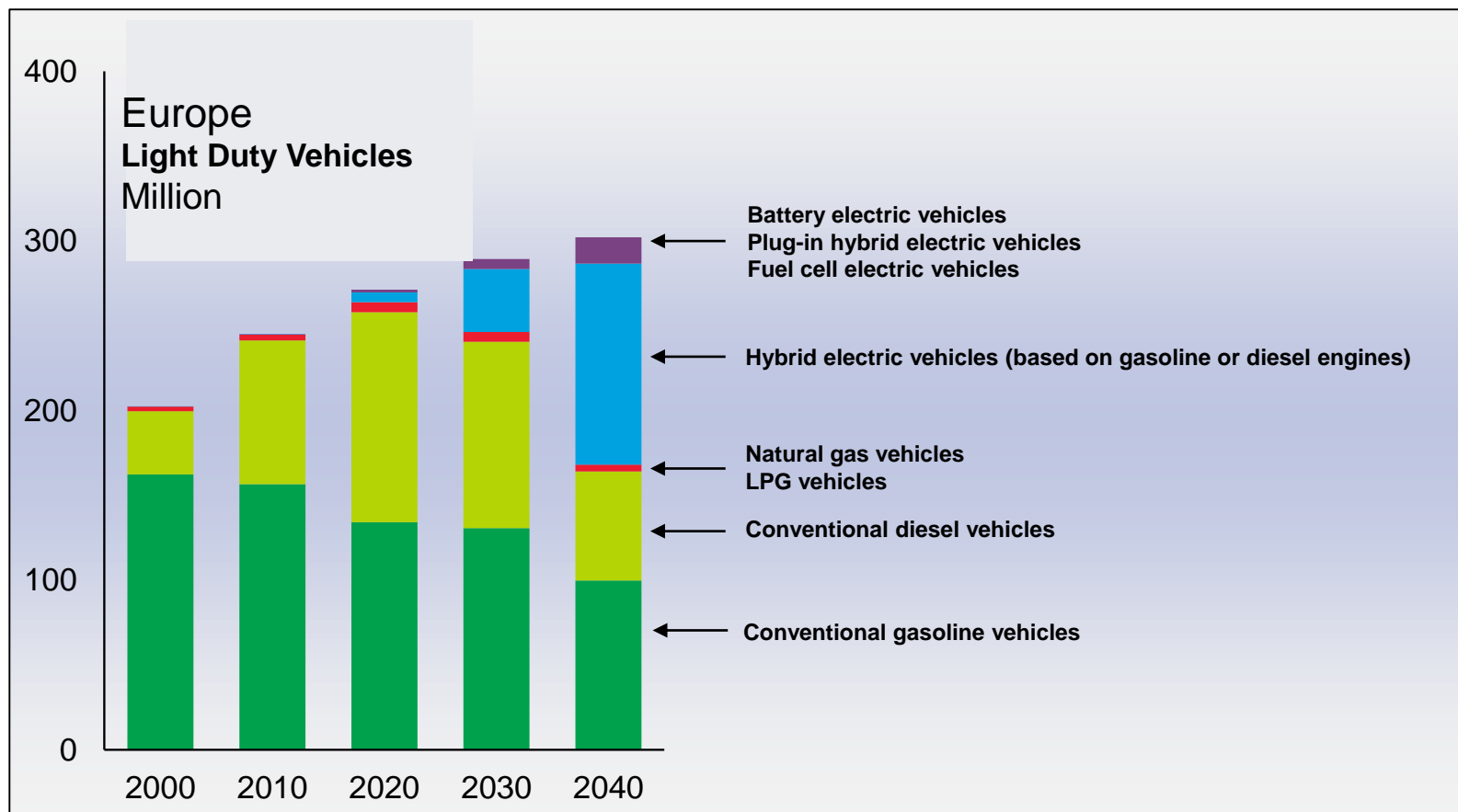
<sup>2</sup> Flexibilities should be sufficient in range to achieve marginal GHG abatement costs convergence across sectors and MS's

# Summary

- The long-term objective of climate policy should be to reduce the risks posed by climate change at minimal society cost, in balance with other social priorities
- Market based systems that impose a uniform, economy wide cost on GHG emissions are more economically efficient policy options than mandates
- A revenue neutral GHG emissions fee on transport fuels is the more efficient market based policy option in the long term
- Bringing transport under the ETS cap could be an alternative market based policy option for the future
- Both concepts could be extended to all 'fuels' in the non-ETS sector (e.g. residential and commercial direct combustion)
- In absence of GHG emissions fee or transport under ETS, market based flexibilities should be maximized between non-ETS and ETS obligated parties
- Ultimately, policy should strive for carbon price convergence across the economy

Backup

# Battery electric vehicles that are recharged from the grid will play a role in future transport ...

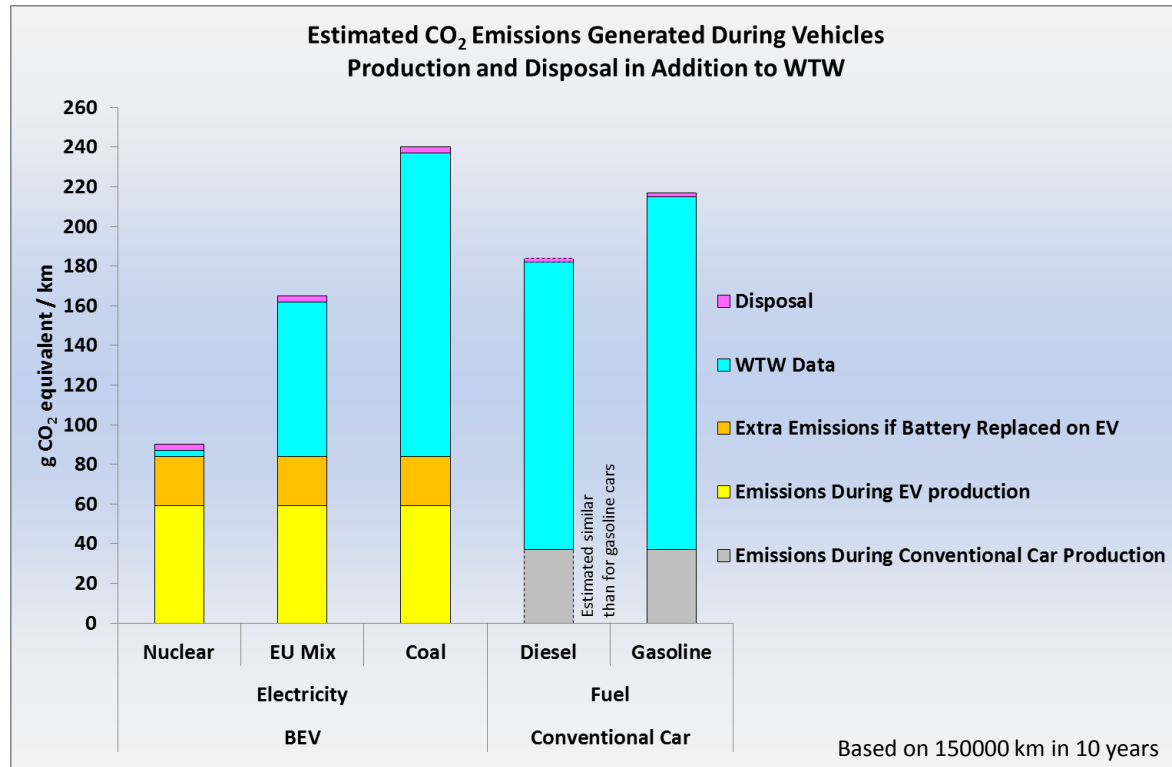


**... but their impact on the European fleet is expected to be limited compared to conventional vehicles and hybrid electric vehicles through 2040**

Source: The Outlook for Energy, A View to 2040 – ExxonMobil, 2016

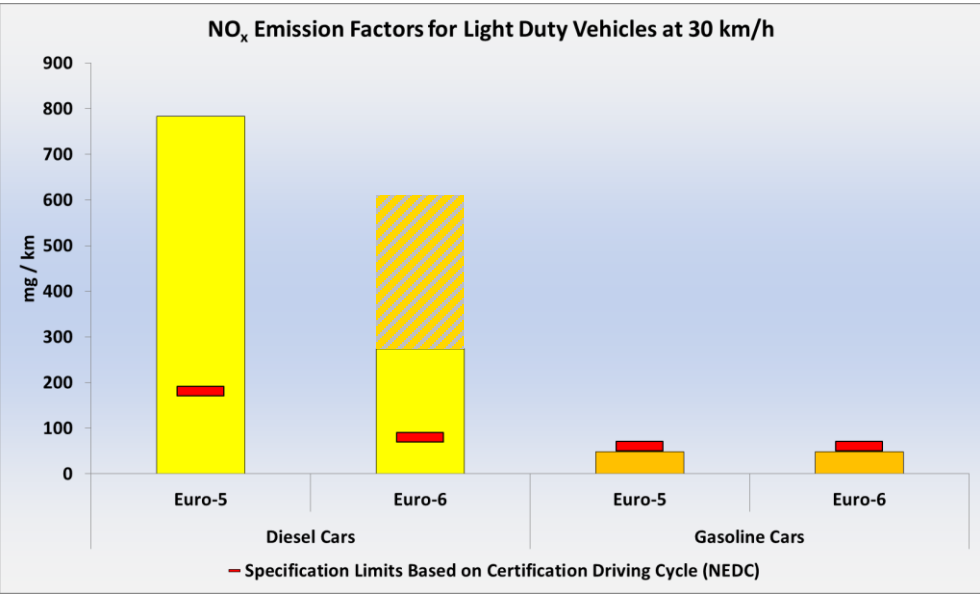
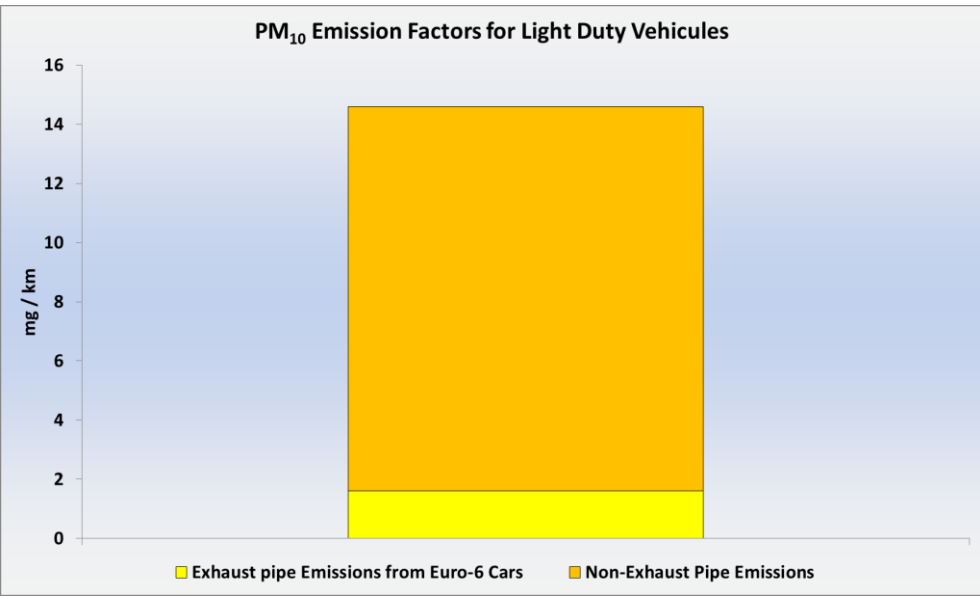


# Battery manufacturing significantly affects overall GHG emissions associated with BEVs ...



**... and on a 'cradle-to-grave' basis, BEVs do not necessarily lead to overall GHG savings**

**Euro-6 cars generate similar levels of particulate matter (PM) emissions as BEVs as their exhaust pipe PM emissions are negligible versus other sources ...**

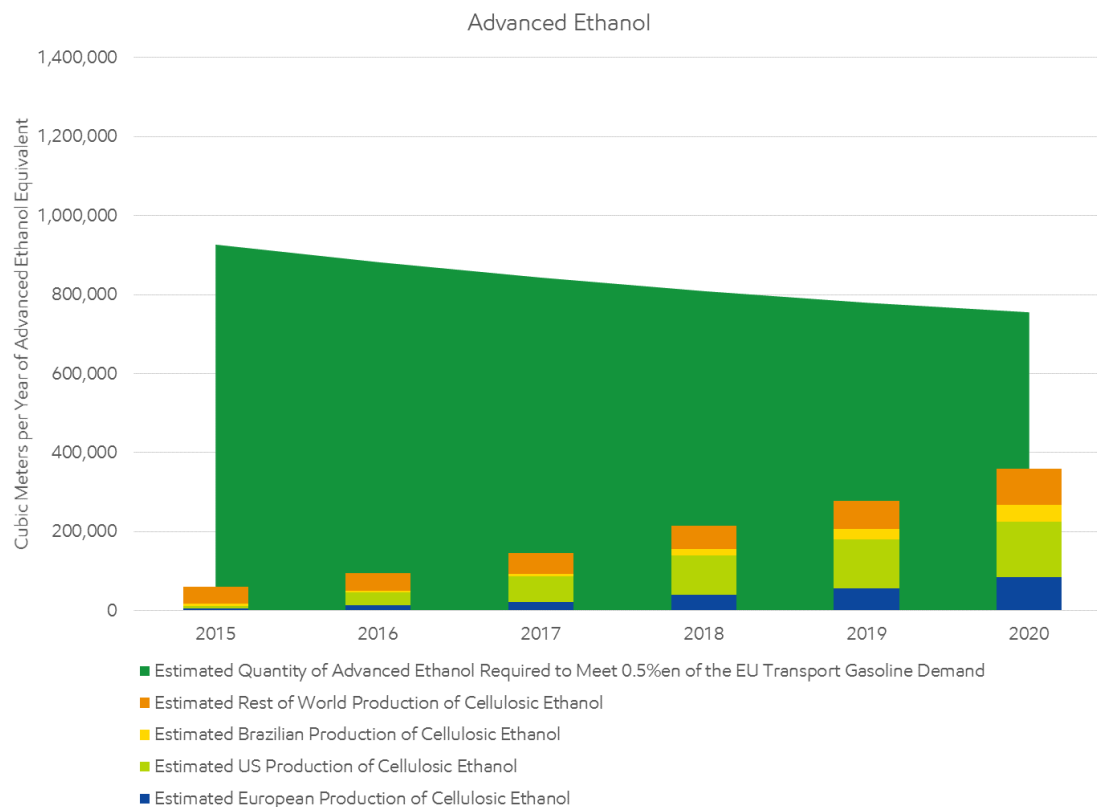


**... while nitrogen oxide (NO<sub>x</sub>) emissions from conventional cars are dropping**

Source top chart: UK National Atmospheric Emission Inventory, 2014 / Non-Exhaust Traffic Related Emissions - JRC, 2014  
 Source bottom chart: UK National Atmospheric Emission Inventory, 2014 and EEA, Explaining road transport emissions, 2016



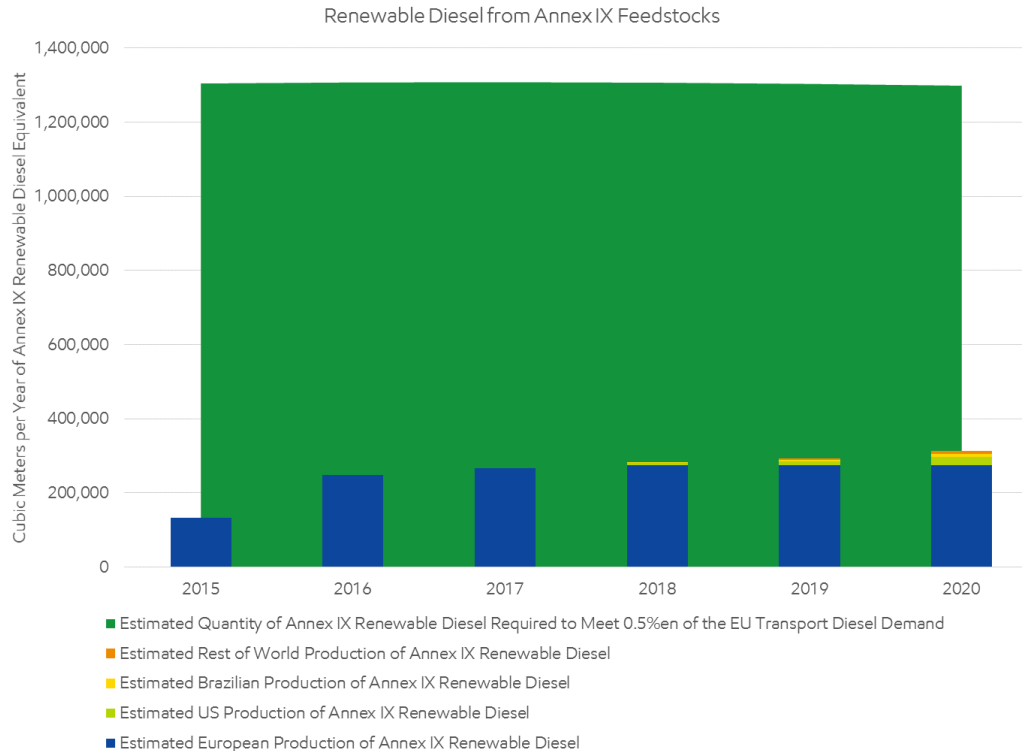
# Advanced Biofuels for Gasoline Blending Operations – Ethanol



- Estimated European production of advanced ethanol is projected to be only 0.09% of EU transport gasoline energy demand in 2020 (11% of target)
  - Global production of advanced ethanol is projected to be 0.38% of EU transport gasoline energy demand in 2020 (47% of target)

ExxonMobil Analysis Based on Public Sources of Information / Single Counting Basis / 2015 Commission Annex IX for Feedstock Sources

# Advanced Biofuels for Diesel Blending Operations – Renewable Diesel from Annex IX Feedstocks



- Estimated European production of Annex IX renewable diesel is projected to be only 0.11% of EU transport diesel energy demand in 2020 (21% of target)
  - Global production of Annex IX renewable diesel is projected to be 0.13% of EU diesel transport energy demand in 2020 (24% of target)

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