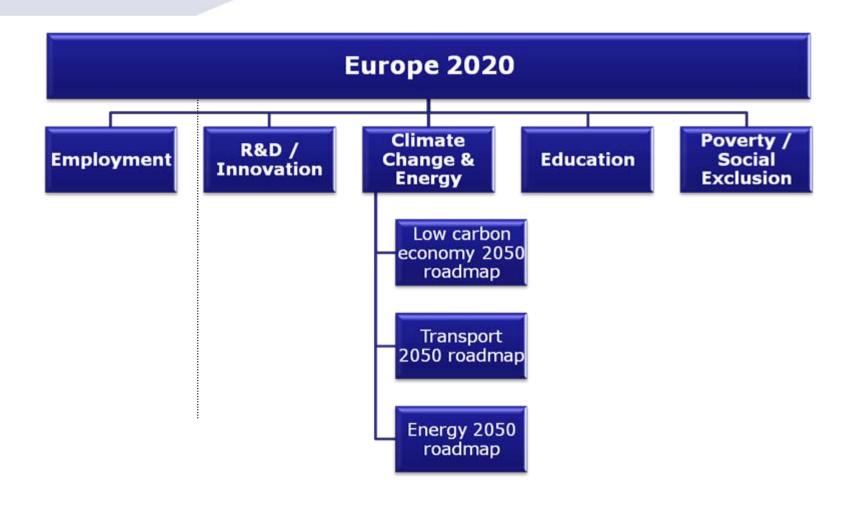


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Policy framework at the EU level



Low carbon economy 2050



 Targets for emissions reductions in 2020 (25%), 2030 (40%), 2040 (60%) and 2050 (80-95%)

 Renewable energy, smart grids, carbon capture and storage, advanced industrial processes and electrification of transport over a 40-year period

EU ETS strengthened by a strong carbon price

Transport 2050



- Aims to "dramatically reduce Europe's dependence on imported oil and cut CO₂ emissions by 60% by 2050"
- Key goals by 2050 include:
 - No conventionally fuelled cars in cities
 - 50% shift of medium distance inter-city passenger journeys by rail
 - All core airports connected to rail

Energy 2050



Launched in October / November 2011

 Offshoot of the low-carbon 2050 - over 90% CO₂ reduction in the power sector by 2050

 Share of low-CO₂ technologies in the electricity mix will have to massively increase

 Energy efficiency and significant investment will have to be made

Meeting the challenge?



Decarbonisation of transport:

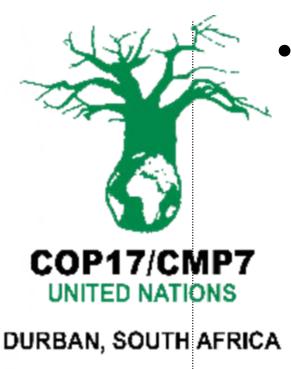
- Improved vehicle efficiency
- New energy sources
- Increase modal shift (PTx2)

The cost



€270 billion annually over the coming 40 years

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Durban (28/11 - 9/12)

- Outstanding issues:
 - -Numbers and timetables for legally-binding emission cuts

-Green Climate Fund

Covenant of Mayors



 Towns and cities committed to go beyond 20/20/20 through enhanced energy efficiency and renewables

Around 3,000 signatories

 A network of supporting organisations has been created

Timeline (work in progress)

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
EU Policy	Low carbon Economy 2050				get 2014 – 2020 for low CO2 technology
	Transport 2050	Commission Proposals: Roadmap Implementation 2012-2014			
	Energy 2050				
	EU ETS Phase II		EU ETS Phase III (includes aviation) until 2020		
International Policy	UNFCCC COP17 Durban				
	Durban 28/11 – 9/12				
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