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Three scenarios to explore the energy transition



CO₂ emissions from energy use



Ranges show 10th and 90th percentiles of IPCC scenarios, see pp 150-151 of *Energy Outlook* for more details



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Changing structure of global energy demand

Fossil fuels

Shares of primary energy



Renewables*

Shares of primary energy



Electricity

Share of total final consumption



*Renewables includes wind, solar, geothermal, biomass, biomethane and biofuels and excludes large-scale hydro





Shares of primary energy in *Rapid*

Changing structure of global energy system

*Nuclear and hydroelectricity





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Impact of Covid-19 in Rapid



Alt case*: Greater impact from Covid-19



% change as a result of Covid-19

*Alternative case showing the impact if Covid-19 leads to higher economic losses



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Outlook for oil demand

Oil consumption



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Change in oil demand, 2018-2050



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Mobility revolution: electrification, shared-mobility and autonomy





Share of car and truck VKM¹ electrified²

2) includes buses

Robotaxi share of passenger car VKM¹ powered by electricity





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Outlook for natural gas



Natural gas consumption



Supporting role of natural gas



Rapid vs. Business-as-usual: India and Other Asia



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Natural gas as a source of near-zero carbon energy



Share of natural gas abated¹ and unabated



1) Direct use of natural gas with CCUS plus natural gas as input to blue hydrogen

Natural gas with CCUS as a share of primary energy



2) Blue hydrogen is extracted from natural gas (or coal), with the carbon dioxide by-product being captured via CCUS.



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Renewable energy in power



Renewable energy used in power sector*



Cost of wind and solar energy

100% = 2018 price



^{*}On a primary energy basis (see *Energy Outlook* p154 for more details)

Wind and solar capacity



GW 1000 ---- Rapid 800 --- Net Zero Business-600 as-usual 400 200 0 2000 -2010 -2018 -2030 -2040 -2005 2015 2025 2035 2045

Average annual increase in wind and solar capacity

Average annual investment in wind and solar

Five-year rolling average, 2018 US\$ Billion





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Electricity demand



Share of electricity in total final consumption



Change in electricity demand by sector, 2018-2050



Global power generation

Share of global power generation by energy source





Technologies to help balance the power sector

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	Seconds	Minutes	Hours	Days	Weeks	Seasons
Batteries						
Pumped Hydro						
Demand response and rescheduling						
Hydro with high- capacity reservoirs						
Hydrogen						
Gas (or coal) with CCUS						
Bioenergy with or without CCUS						

Not applicable / expensive







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Consumption and production of hydrogen



■ Grev

Blue

Green

Hydrogen¹

Hydrogen²

Hydrogen³



Hydrogen production by type

produced from natural gas (or coal), without CCUS.
produced from natural gas (or coal) with CCUS
made by electrolysis, using renewable power

Hydrogen use by sector

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Wind and solar capacity



Annual average increase in wind and solar capacity



Bioenergy in Rapid and Net Zero



10% -Rapid Net Zero Hydrogen 8% Power Buildings 6% Industry Transport 4% Biomethane Biomass 2% Biofuels 0% By sector By type By sector By type

Shares of primary energy

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Delayed and Disorderly scenario



Carbon emissions



Primary energy consumption







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