

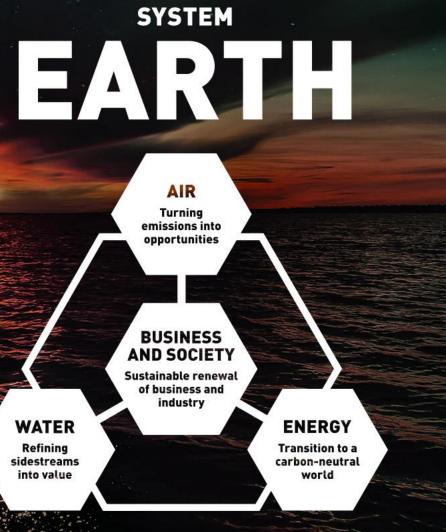
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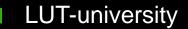
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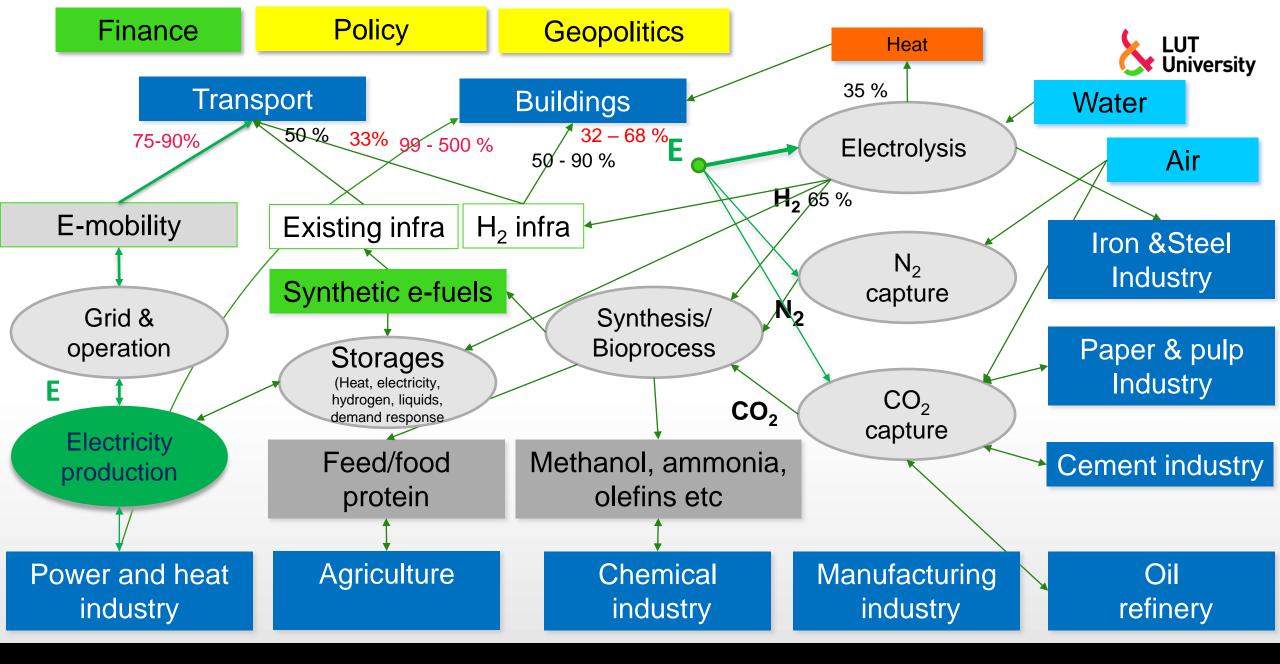


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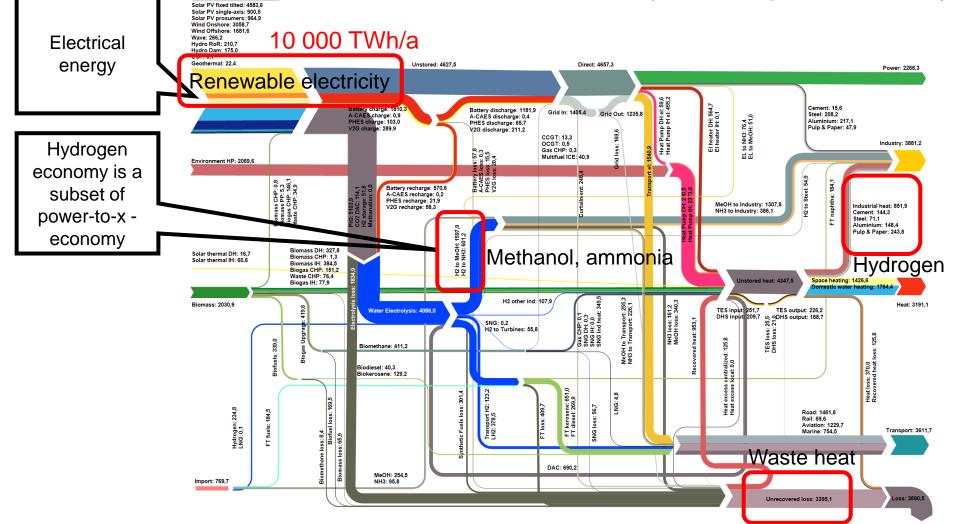


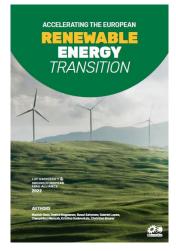


Energy system transition in Europe

Europe - RES-2040 2050

- Zero CO₂ emission low-cost energy system is based on electricity
- Core characteristic of energy in future: Power-to-X Economy
 - Primary energy supply from renewable electricity: mainly solar PV and wind power
 - Direct electrification wherever possible: electric vehicles, heat pumps, desalination, etc.
 - Indirect electrification for e-fuels (marine, aviation), e-chemicals, e-steel; power-to-hydrogen-to-X





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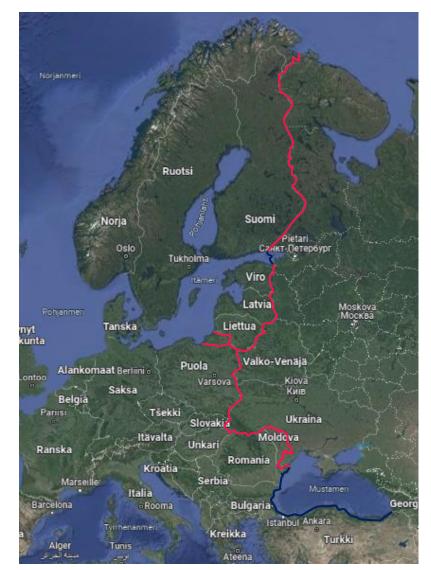
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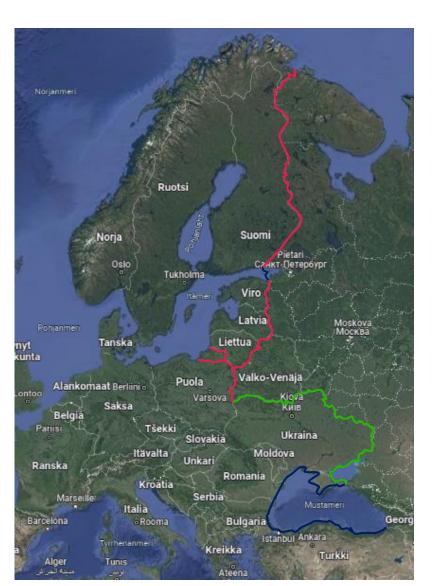
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EU – RUSSIAN BORDER

Scenarios







GREEN TRANSITION AND AREAS BY THE RUSSIAN BORDER

- Demand of electricity will three- to four-fold (3-4) in average in EU, when fossil oil and gas are replaced
- Electricity will be produced mainly by wind and solar energy. Wind power is needed to supply electricity especially during winter times.
- >> Distributed electricity production improves the resilience of the power system and societies
- Electricity to produce hydrogen (H2) and its derivatives (P2X products) will become vitally important to Europe
- The production of hydrogen and P2X products shall be produced near to production of electricity due to huge volumes of electricity
- Proximity of the Russian border and assumed insecurity is blocking investments in areas by the border (like radar and surveillance reasons)
- As a result border areas are impoverishing and industries relocate to areas where there is access to cheap electricity



ISSUE

How to

- meet the security requirements,
- enable electricity production investments in all areas of Europe and
- improve resilience of the societies?

PROPOSAL

- >> Investigate the war time surveillance, radar and defence requirements at Ukraine (EU & NATO)
- Study alternative technologies for peace and war time surveillance, radar and defence solutions (research and suppliers)
- >> Define the defence and surveillance system for the border areas (NATO/National defence forces)
- >> Define new grid architecture to improve resilience for distributed energy system
- Build test country (Finland?)
- >> Expand the set-up to Ukraine
 - >> Distributed energy production
 - >> Grid architecture

New approach by joint European forces from EU, NATO, Research (Universities) and suppliers



Thank you!

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