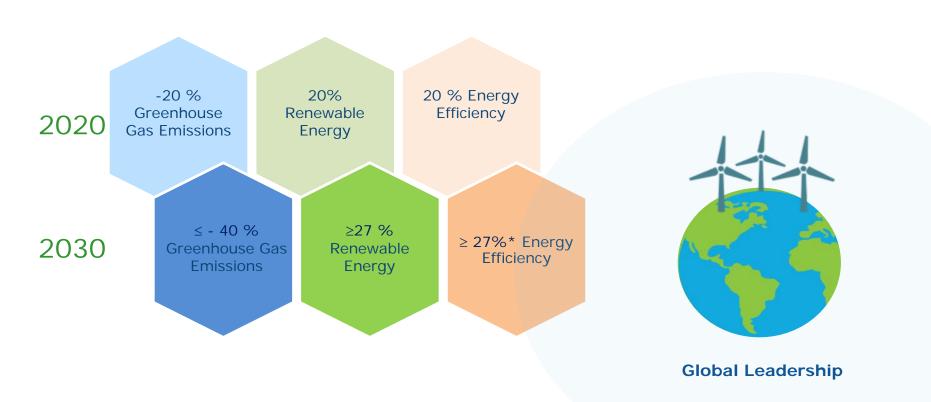


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#### WHY DO WE NEED THIS PACKAGE?



Commission's 10 Priorities – Ambition to Become Global Leader in Renewables



#### WHAT ARE OUR GOALS?

Creating jobs & growth, bringing down greenhouse gas emissions, securing energy supply



Putting energy efficiency first



Demonstrating global leadership in renewables



Delivering a fair deal for consumers



#### HOW DO WE GET THERE

#### The right regulatory framework for post – 2020



**Energy Union Governance** 



#### **Energy Efficiency**

(Energy Efficiency Directive, Energy Performance of Buildings Directive)



# Renewables (Revised Renewable

(Revised Renewable Energy Directive)





New Electricity
Market Design
(including Risk
Preparedness)



Energy prices and costs report





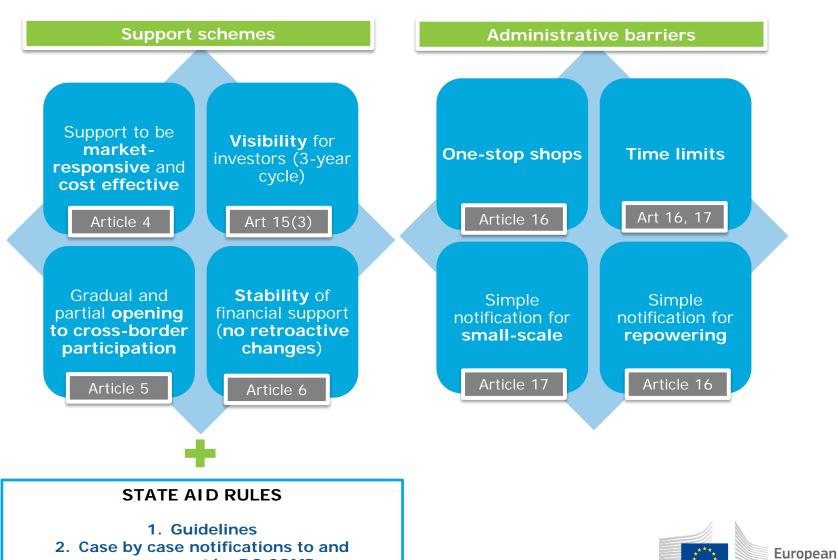
#### The Renewable Energy Directive

 Updated objectives and Consumers: GOs and definitions self-consumers Art 19-22 Art 1-2 Binding Union target Heating and Cooling Art 23-24 Art 3 • Transport mandate Electricity and support Art 4-6 Art 25 Target calculation and Bioenergy sustainability joint projects Admin procedures and Implementing measures, training delegation, repeal



assessment by DG COMP

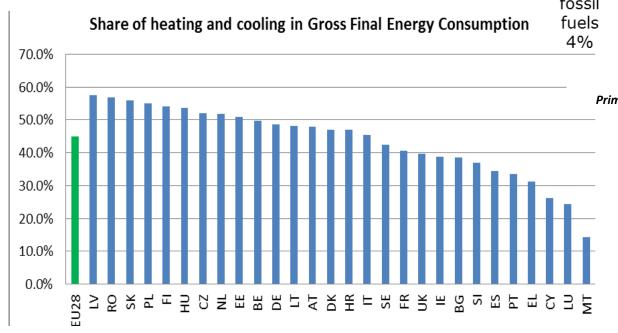
# A Stable Framework for Renewable Electricity

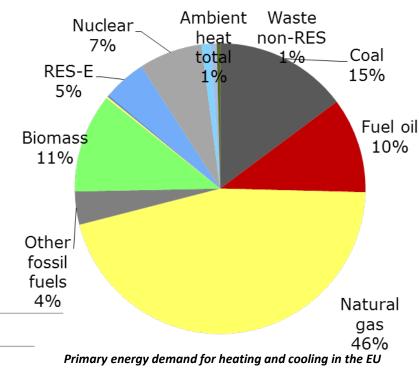


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## Increasing the renewable share in heating & cooling

- H&C represents nearly 50% energy consumption today
- 68% of the EU's gas imports for H&C today
- 18% RES today → 27% in 2030 would be cost-optimal

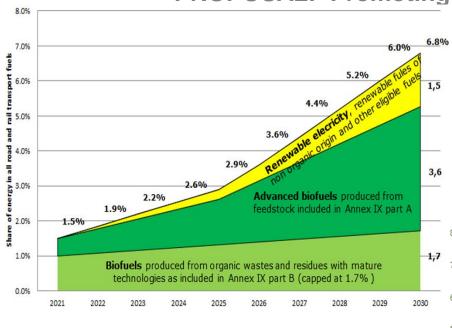


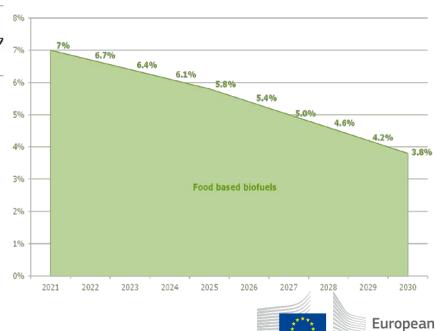


Essential yet fragmented sector



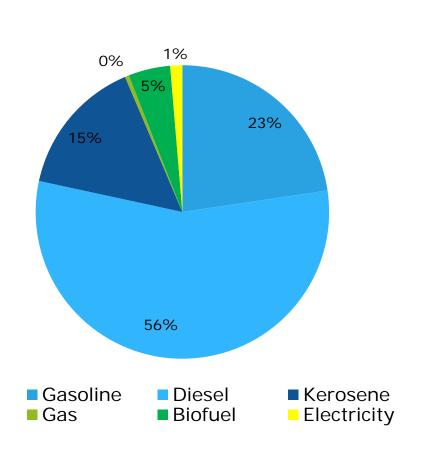
# **PROPOSAL: Promoting Innovation in Transport**





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## Promoting renewable energy in transport



- 32% of final energy consumption
- Relies on oil for 94% of its energy needs
- Increasing share of total GHG emissions (23% in 2014)
- GHG emissions remain higher than in 1990



## **Ensuring bioenergy that is sustainable**

# **Biomass** production

Improved sustainability criteria on agriculture biomass for energy use



New sustainability criterion for **forest biomass for energy use** (i.e. risk-based/ two-step approach)



# Biomass end-use performance

#### **Biofuels/bioliquids:**

70% GHG saving requirement by 2021



Biomass &biogas for heat and power (large scale): 80% GHG saving requirement by 2021 (85% by 2026)

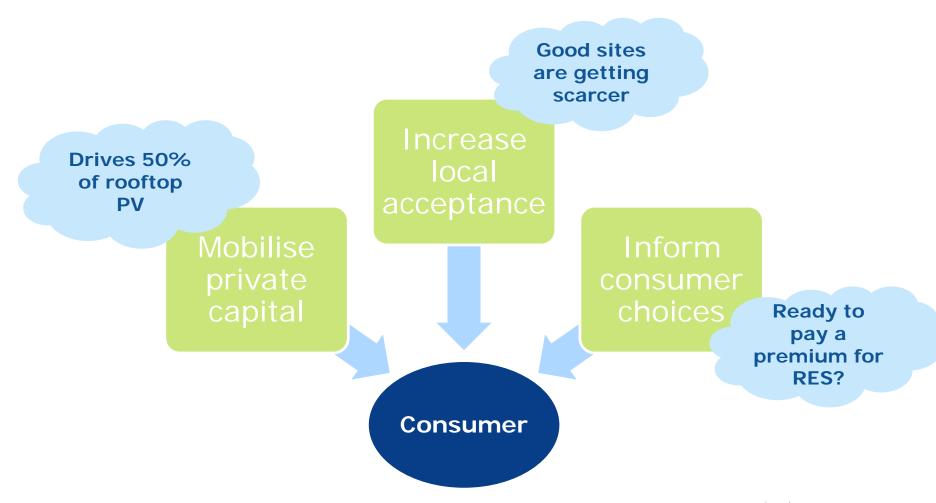


Support to new biomass electricity only if with combined heat and power technology (exception for security of supply)





# **Unlocking the Potential of Consumer Engagement**





## **Empowering Citizens and Communities**



Renewable self-consumers to be allowed to generate, store, sell and consume their own electricity (linked to art. 15 Electricity Directive)



Renewable self-consumers in multifamily houses to be allowed to generate, store, sell and consume their electricity jointly



No disproportionate procedures and charges that are not reflective



Specific provisions for energy communities (linked to art. 15 Electricity Directive)



Improved Guarantees of Origin for better consumer information (art. 19)



