

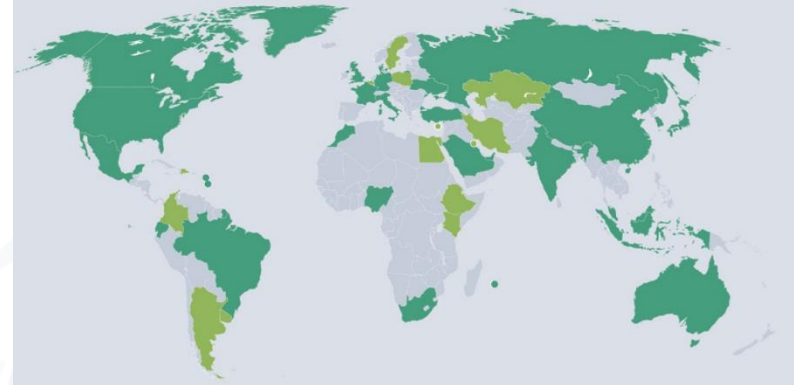
# ROADMAP FOR A RENEWABLE ENERGY FUTURE



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## IRENA's REmap Programme

- IRENA's REmap programme explores **potential, cost and benefits** of accelerating the growth of renewables in global energy mix, key to realize **SDG 7: Affordable and clean energy**
- Technology Options** in power, district heat, end-uses (industry, **transport**, buildings)
- Unique in that is developed **together with and validated by country experts from 40 countries**, representing **80% of global energy demand**

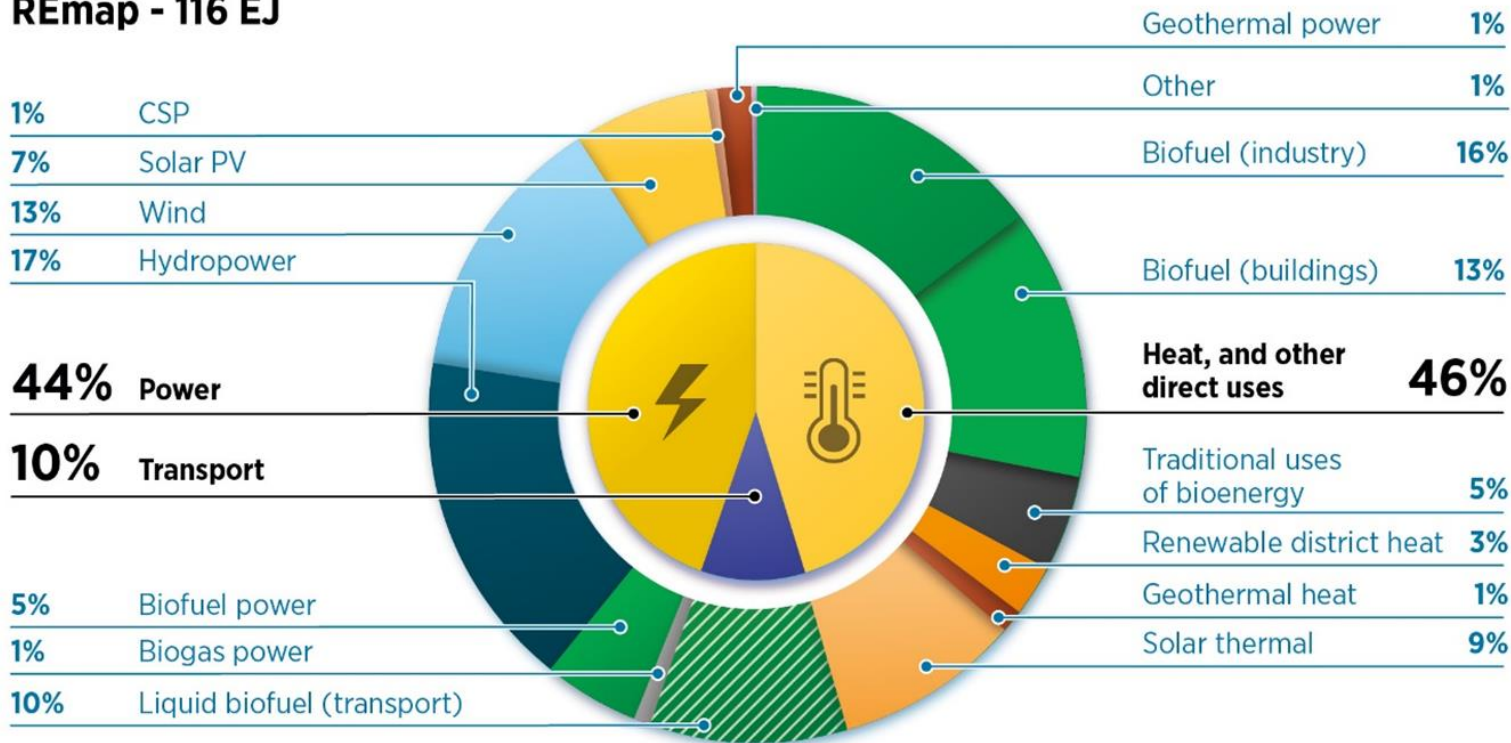


## REmap Transport Action Team

- Identifying potential of renewables in transport sector and translating into action on a country level
  - Leveraging REmap analytical framework and network of around 200 participants from industry, government, academia and research, NGO
- **Working paper forthcoming this summer**

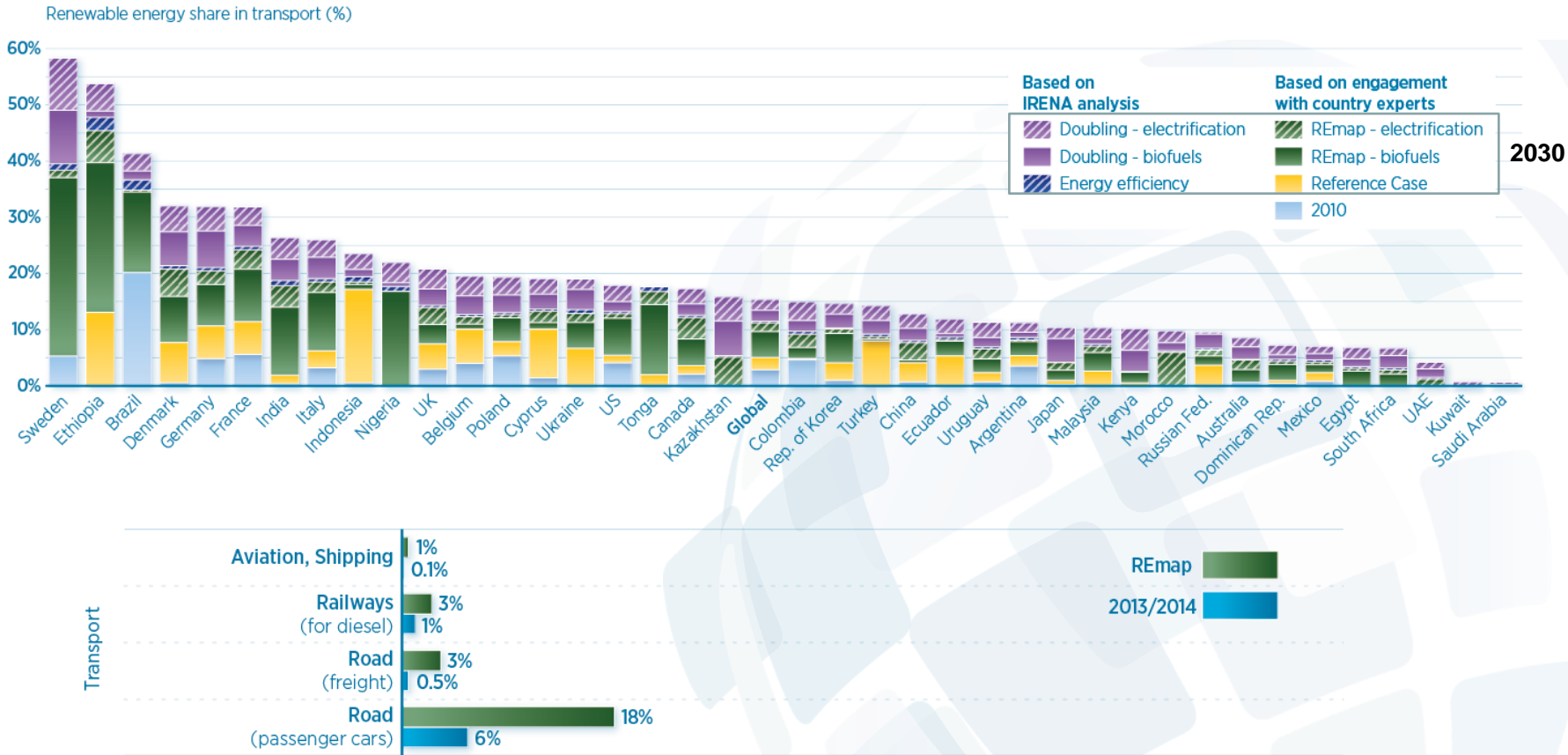
# Expanding renewables in all sectors

## REmap - 116 EJ



- Fuels and other direct uses of renewables account for 60% of modern renewable energy use in REmap
- Transport share of renewable energy use increases from 4% to 10%, in physical terms this is a 400% increase due to demand growth

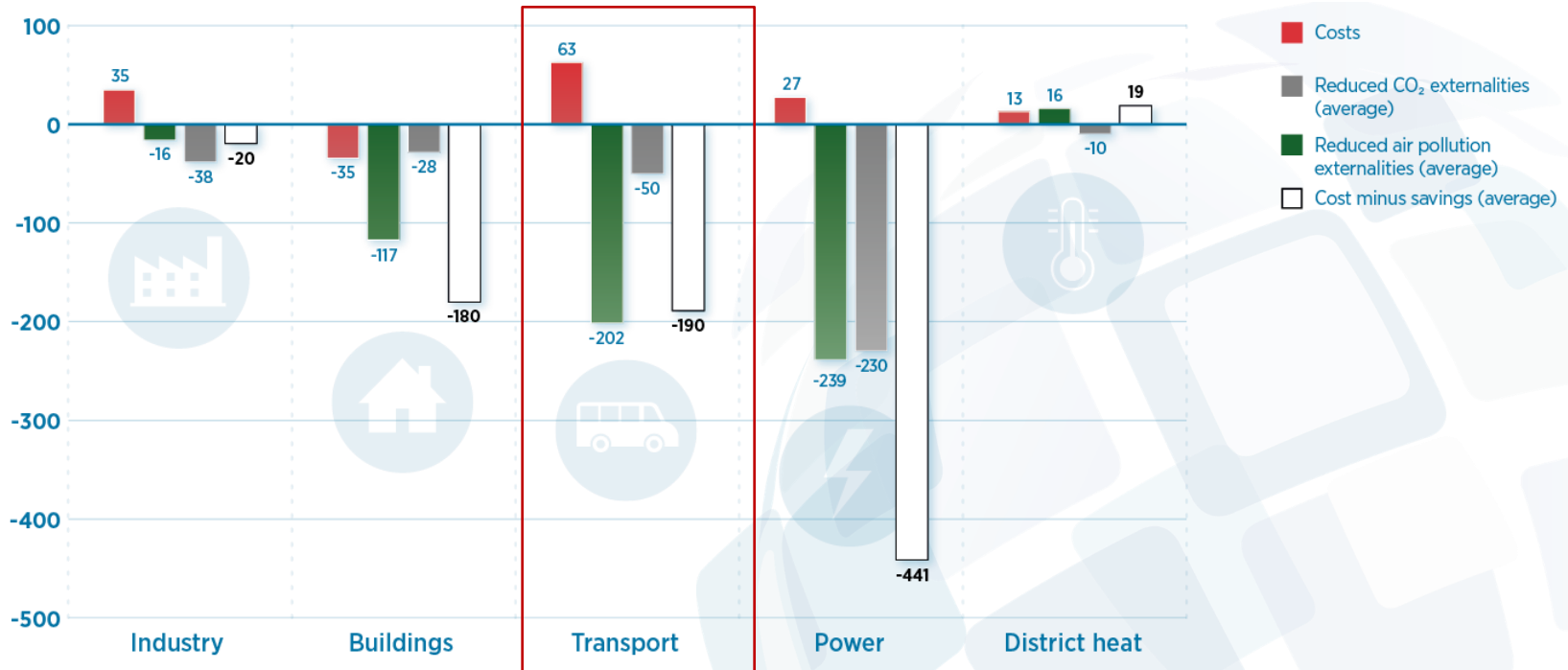
# Significant growth potential in all countries #REmap



- More than half of all REmap countries can raise the renewable energy share in transport to above 10%, but shares will vary by mode

# Cost and Benefits

Costs and savings of renewables by sector in 2030  
(USD bln per year)



- There are incremental cost associated with higher deployment of renewables in transport but the technologies result in far more external cost related savings
- External benefits relating to reduce air pollution are 2<sup>nd</sup> highest in transport sector due to heavy use of fuels in urban areas



# Technology deployment

#REmap

Technology focus areas for  
REmap Transport  
Roadmap:

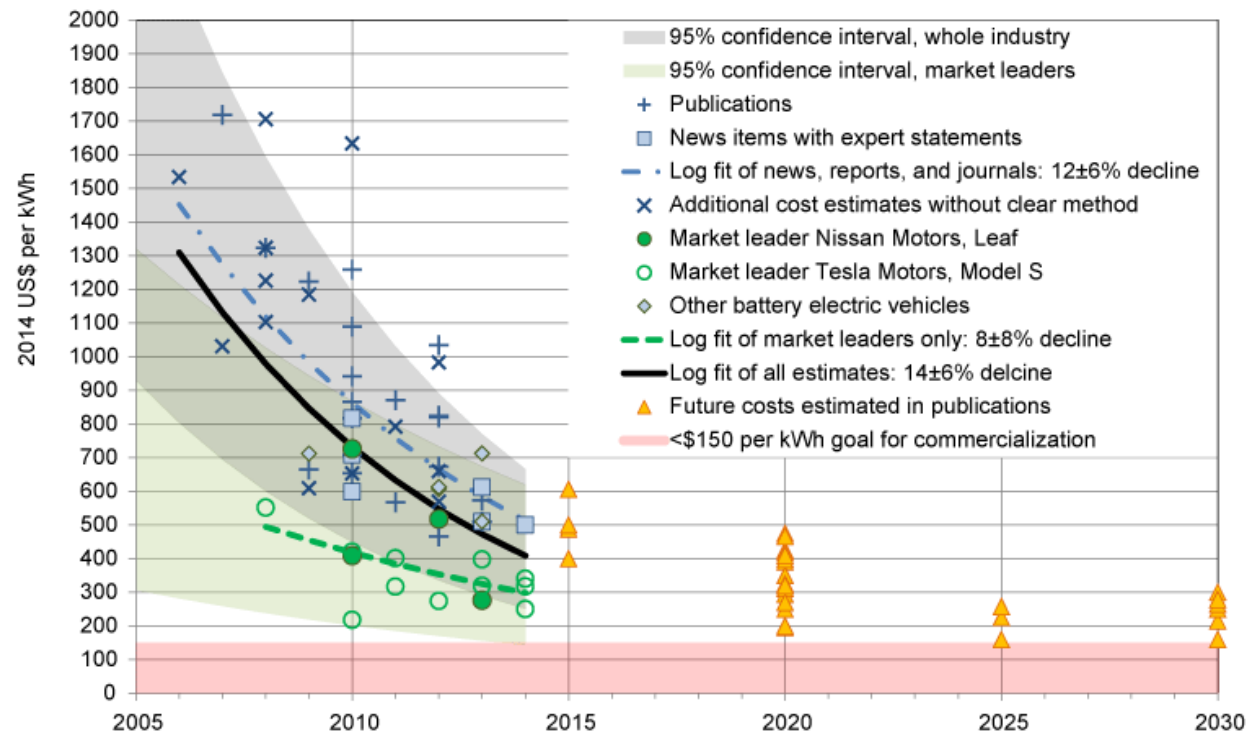
- Electric mobility and systems thinking
- Advanced biofuels
- Emerging sectors and technologies

			2030		
	Units	2013/ 2014	Reference Case	REmap	Doubling
TRANSPORT					
Electric Vehicles	million vehicles	0.8	60	160	173
- Passenger vehicles	million vehicles	0.8	59	158	158
- Buses	million vehicles	0.01	0.5	1.4	11
- Light duty vehicles	million vehicles	0.004	0.3	0.9	5
2/3 wheelers	million vehicles	200	500	900	900
Bioliquids	billion litres	129	250	500	520
- Conventional biogasoline	billion litres	93	185	283	283
- Advanced biogasoline	billion litres	1.0	10	94	94
- Conventional biodiesel	billion litres	35	55	93	103
- Advanced biodiesel (incl. bio jet kerosene, drop-in)	billion litres	0.01	0.3	30	42
Biomethane	billion m <sup>3</sup>	0.01	0.3	0.9	24

# Electric Vehicles and the electrification of transport

- Vehicle cost is key, and price of battery packs still need significant cost decline
- Yearly sales of passenger vehicles will need to increase from under 1 million today to an average of 10 million per year to 2030

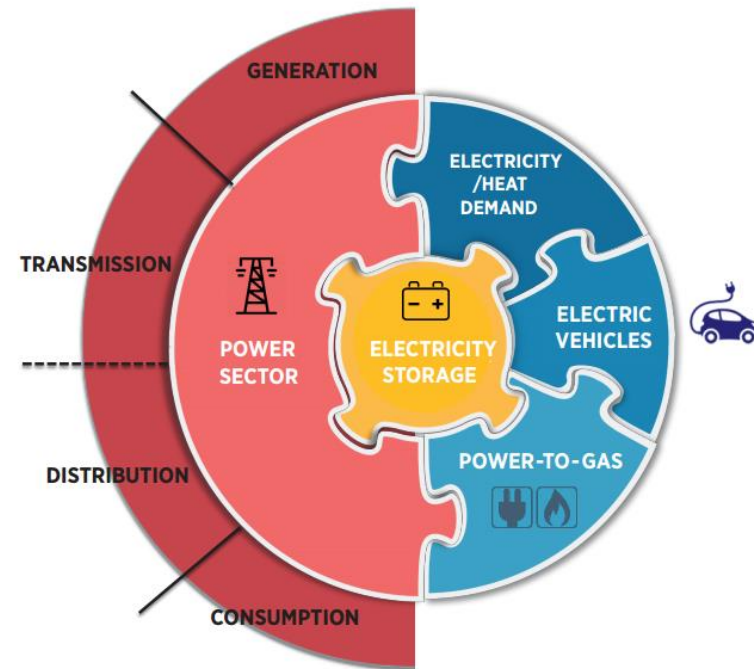
Estimates of costs of lithium-ion batteries for use in electric vehicles



Björn Nykvist and Måns Nilsson, 2015

# The electrification of transport, sector coupling and systems thinking

- Dual policy focus on both accelerating uptake of vehicles and infrastructure
- EVs offer a solution to growing urban environments and cities and their energy needs
- Sector coupling will increasingly play a role, i.e. linking power, heating and transport sectors
- Storage and ability to enable higher shares of variable renewable power into the grid will be key driver. Systems thinking is required, including looking at materials constraints

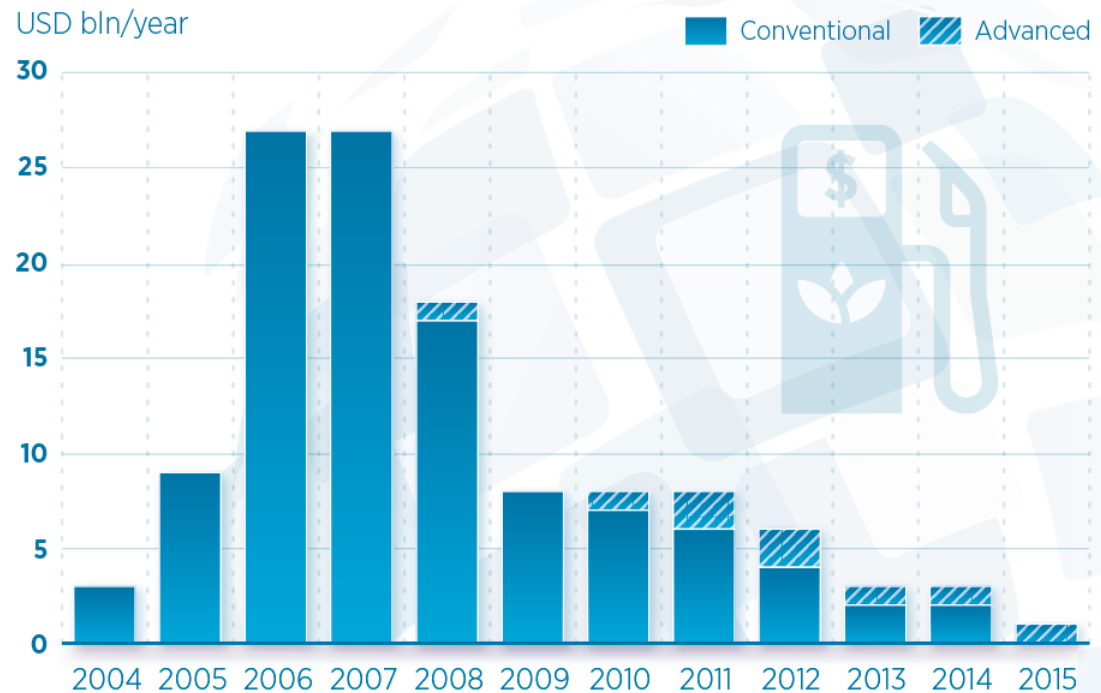




# Advanced biofuels

- Investment in advanced biofuel plants will need to be significantly accelerated and reverse recent trends
- Production must be substantially increased, mainly for advanced biofuels

Global investments in liquid biofuels, by technology



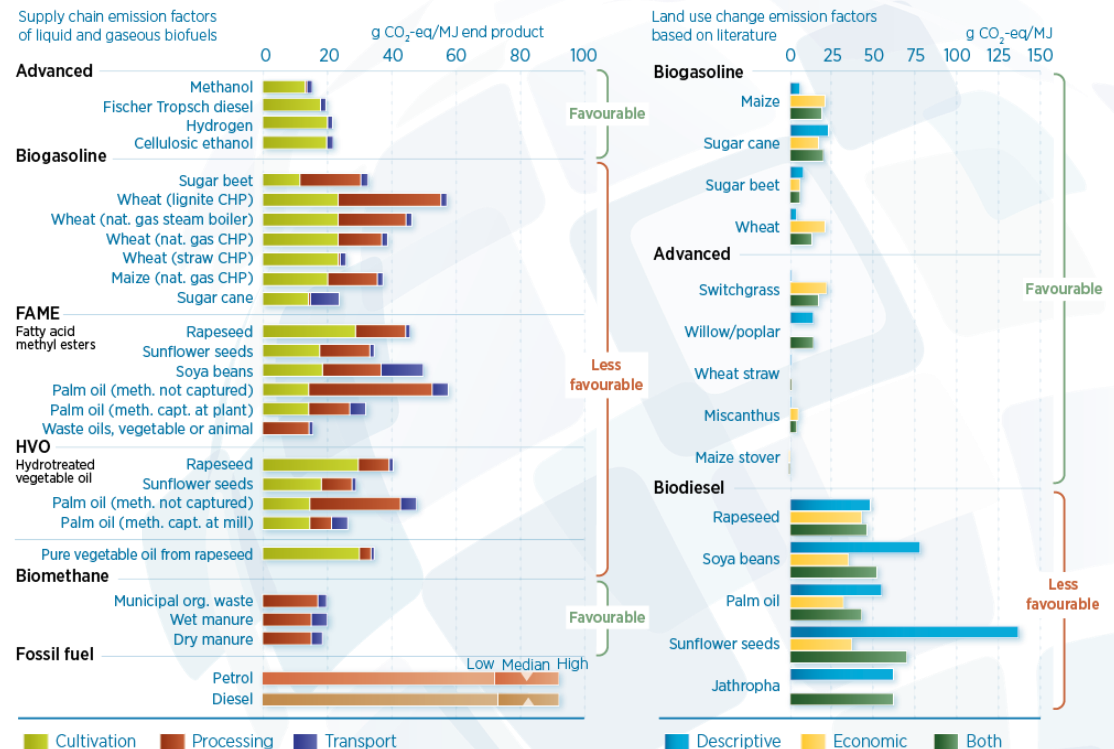
Source: IRENA analysis based on BNEF

# Advanced biofuels

- Over an entire life cycle advanced biofuels can cut GHG emissions between 60% and 90% compared with fossil fuels

- Advanced biofuels for freight, aviation and shipping need to be developed to realize climate targets, which are turning attention to transport

## Supply chain for liquid biofuel production and resulting emissions due to land-use change

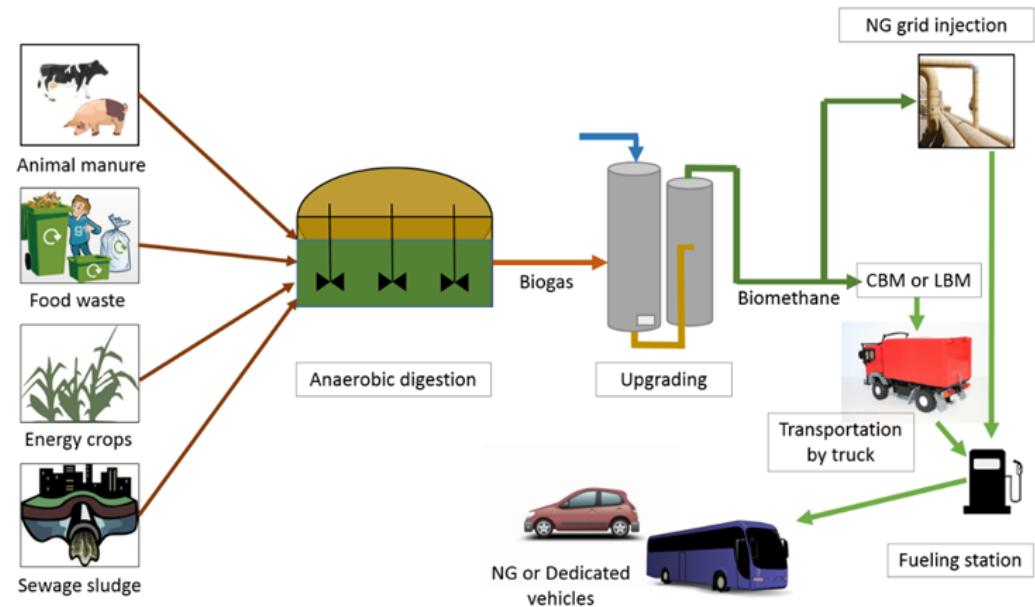


Source: Based on the European Commission and PBL

# Emerging sectors and technologies – hidden #REmap

## Potential of biogas

- Biogas for transportation just 0.42% of the total global production & 1% in EU
- Depending on feedstock type between 50-80% GHG emission reductions
- 2030 biogas supply 3-6 EJ can be available for transport, 2-5% of global transport energy demand



## Emerging sectors and technologies – aviation/shipping

- Demand for energy in both shipping and aviation increasing 3% per year, and make up 20% of transport sector demand
- Barriers for renewables include low cost of fuel in shipping, and high-spec requirements of fuels in aviation
- Biojet today meet just 0.05% of jet fuel demand, but REmap shows it would reach 1.5% by 2030. Advanced biofuels are the only option but currently 2-4 times higher cost
- Shipping can use biofuels, but also novel applications, i.e. forms of electrification, wind engines, kite systems, hybrid technologies, modern sails, green hydrogen and methanol are all potentials
- The industries have numerous voluntary initiatives with energy and climate goals. Governments lag behind in supporting these efforts

→ *Innovation and R&D will be key in the coming years to advance technologies in these sectors*

## Three action areas

- Increase electric mobility in combination with renewable electricity generation and apply a system strategies approach
- Develop sustainable and affordable advanced biofuel pathways also with focus on non-car modes
- Explore emerging technology solutions and innovation for emerging transport modes

## Policies should focus on

### Elec. & Systems

- Accelerating EV uptake in cities
- Enabling investment in charging infrastructure

### Adv. Biofuels

- Leverage the synergies between EVs and VRE power generation
- Ensure availability of affordable and sustainable bioenergy feedstocks
- Develop biofuel targets considering life-cycle GHG

### Emerging Sectors

- Level the playing field for biofuels by considering GHG emission benefits
- Support cross-border bioenergy trade of sustainable feedstocks





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