

Short introduction to the ESD

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Nature Code

'Mother Ship' for several projects related to carbon markets:



Carbon Market Watch: scrutinises carbon markets and advocates for fair and effective climate protection.



Network: Connects more than 800 NGOs and academics from the Global North and South to share information and concerns about carbon offset projects and policies.



Forests & Ecosystems: active on issues where the rights of local communities and indigenous peoples are concerned.



Capacity-building initiatives: strengthening the voice of civil society in the Global South, with the aim of making local voices heard at the international policy level.





Climate Change

Impacts associated with 2°C have been revised upwards and are now considered 'dangerous' and 'extremely dangerous.'

The recent IPCC report stresses the importance of a carbon budget:

- → To stay on the 2°C pathway: Global emissions must peak in 2014 and then decline by as much as 3.4% per year. (less that 50% chance of holding warming below 2°C.)
- → EU target to reduce emissions **20% by 2020 compared to 1990** is equivalent to less than **0,66% reduction per year**
- \rightarrow EU is projected to reach 24% reduction below 1990 levels in 2020 = **0,8% reduction per year**.

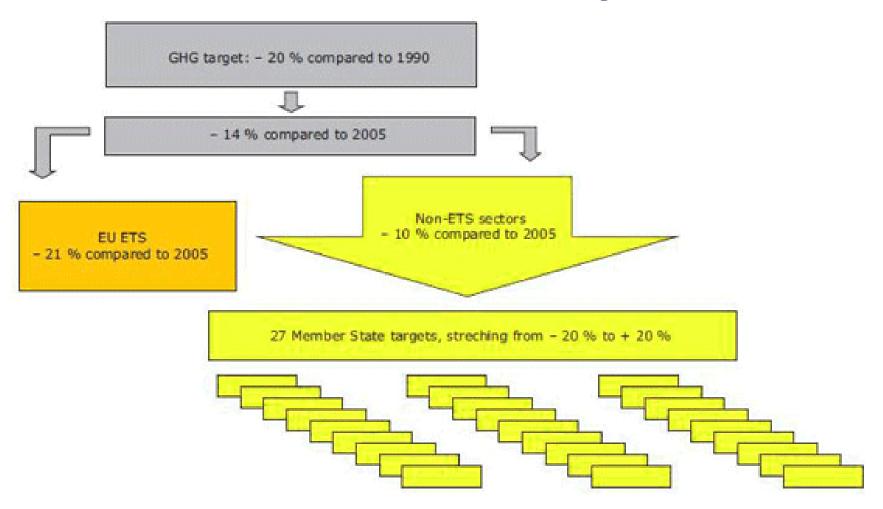
Stockholm Environment Institute discussion brief 2013. The three salient global mitigation pathways, assessed in light of the IPCC carbon budgets.

- → We are now on an emissions path that could lead to warming of 4°C or more.
- → Window of opportunity to prevent catastrophic climate change rapidly closing.





EU Climate Policy

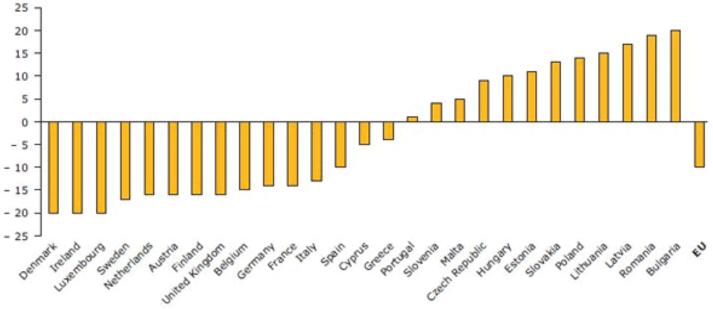






ESD at a glance

- Overall ESD target: 10% emission reduction in 2020 compared to 2005 levels.
- Each MS has an individual ESD target determined according to its economic capacity.
- Targets range from a 20 % reduction to a 20 % increase in 2020 compared with 2005 levels.



MS	ESD target
Austria	-16 %
Belgium	-15 %
Bulgaria	20%
Cyprus	-5%
Czech Rep.	9%
Denmark	- 20 %
Estonia	11%
Finland	-16 %
France	-14 %
Germany	-14 %
Greece	-4%
Hungary	10%
Ireland	-20 %
Italy	-13 %
Latvia	17%
Lithuania	15%
Luxembourg	-20 %
Malta	5%
Netherlands	-16 %
Poland	14%
Portugal	1%
Romania	19%
Slovakia	13%
Slovenia	4%
Spain	-10 %
Sweden	-17 %
UK	-16 %





ESD covered sectors

ESD sectors are responsible for about 60% of EU's GHG emissions

- Energy Supply
- Industrial Energy Use & Processes
- Energy Use in Built Environment (in particular heating)
- Energy Use in Transport (road & rail)
- Waste
- Agriculture

Does not include LULUCF, aviation and maritime emissions

ESD Sectors' Contribution (2005)

