

# On the Importance of Energy Efficiency from a German Perspective

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# Energy Efficiency Export Initiative

## Activities and services:



Foreign Trade Fairs



Information Events



Trade Missions



Fact-Finding Missions



Know-how Transfer



Training/ Education

# Energy Efficiency Export Initiative

## Goals of the Energy Efficiency Export Initiative

- Show solutions in the field of energy efficiency
- Implement and expand energy efficiency measures as a way to underpin competitiveness
- Transfer know-how into the hands of political decision-makers, key opinion leaders, and market participants
- Make a tangible contribution to international climate protection

# Energy Efficiency Export Initiative

- **Umbrella Brand**  
“Energieeffizienz - made in Germany“
- **Information on the Website**  
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- **Network**  
Decision Makers and “Advocates”,  
Private Companies



# Energy Demand and Prices in Germany

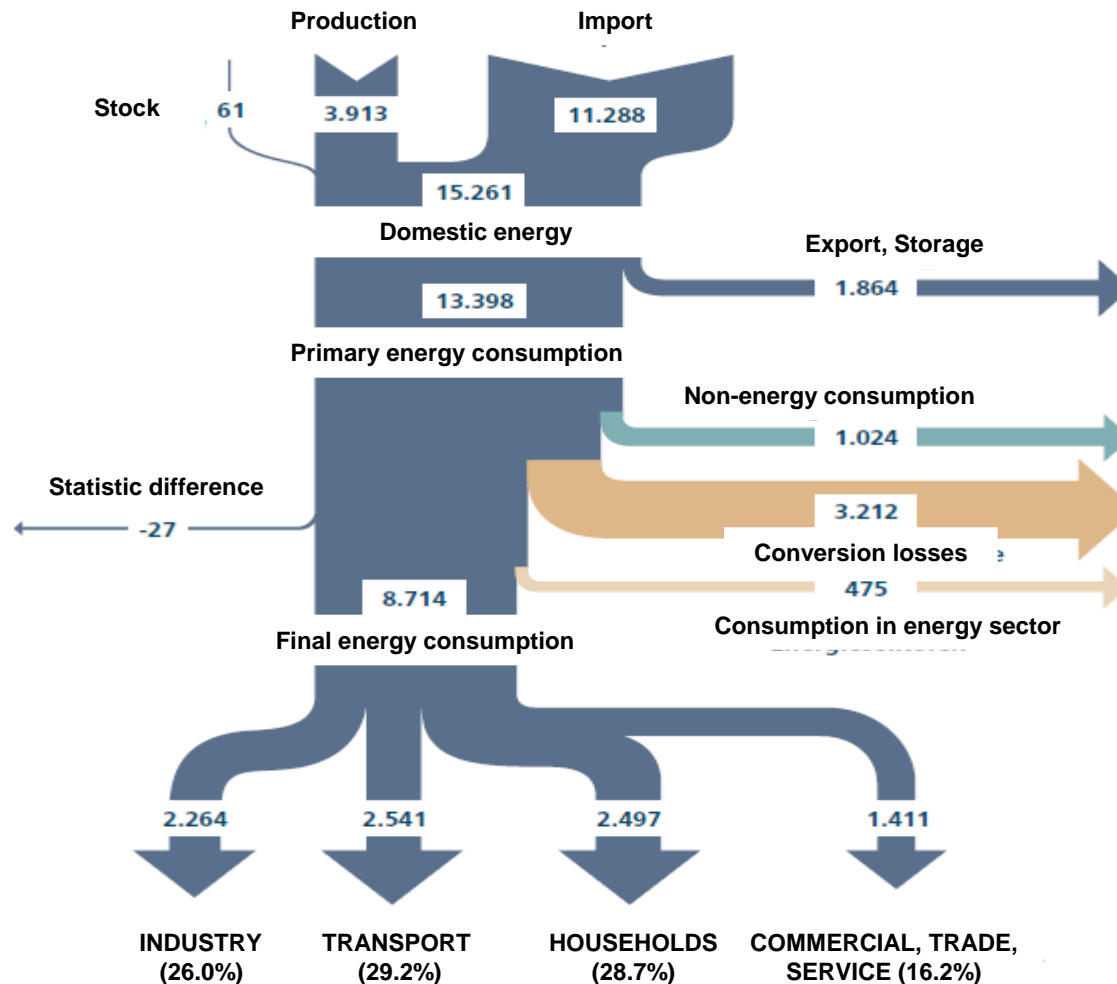
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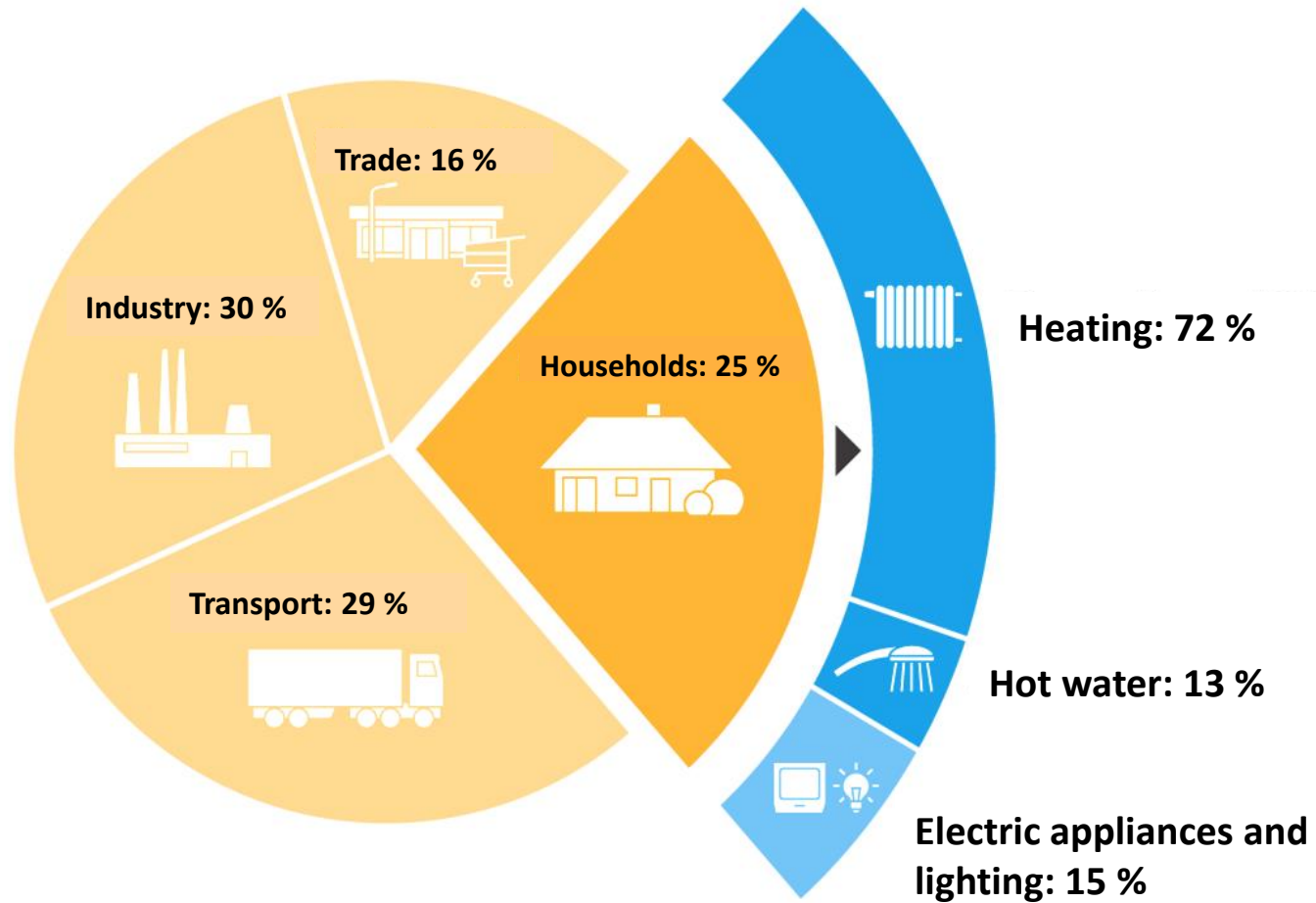


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# Energy Consumption in Germany (PJ)

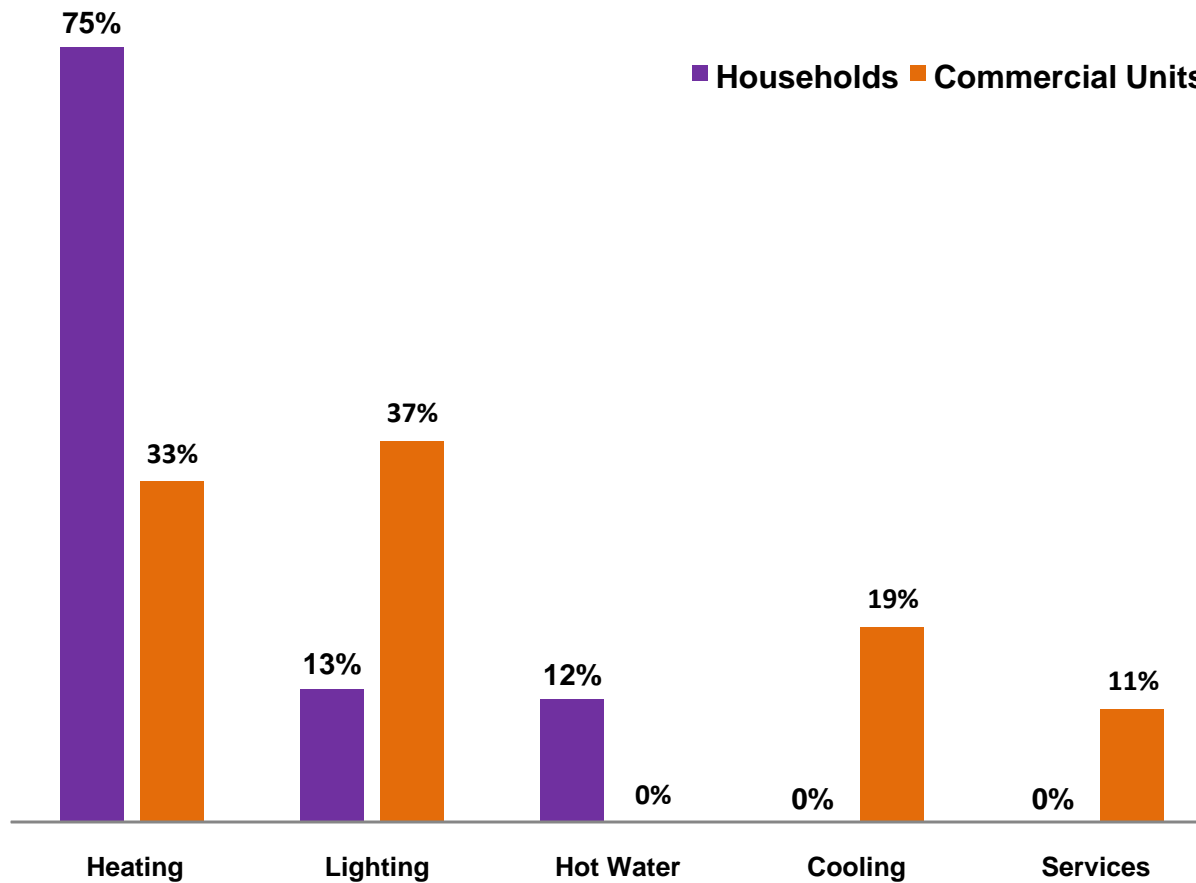


## Final energy consumption in Germany 2012

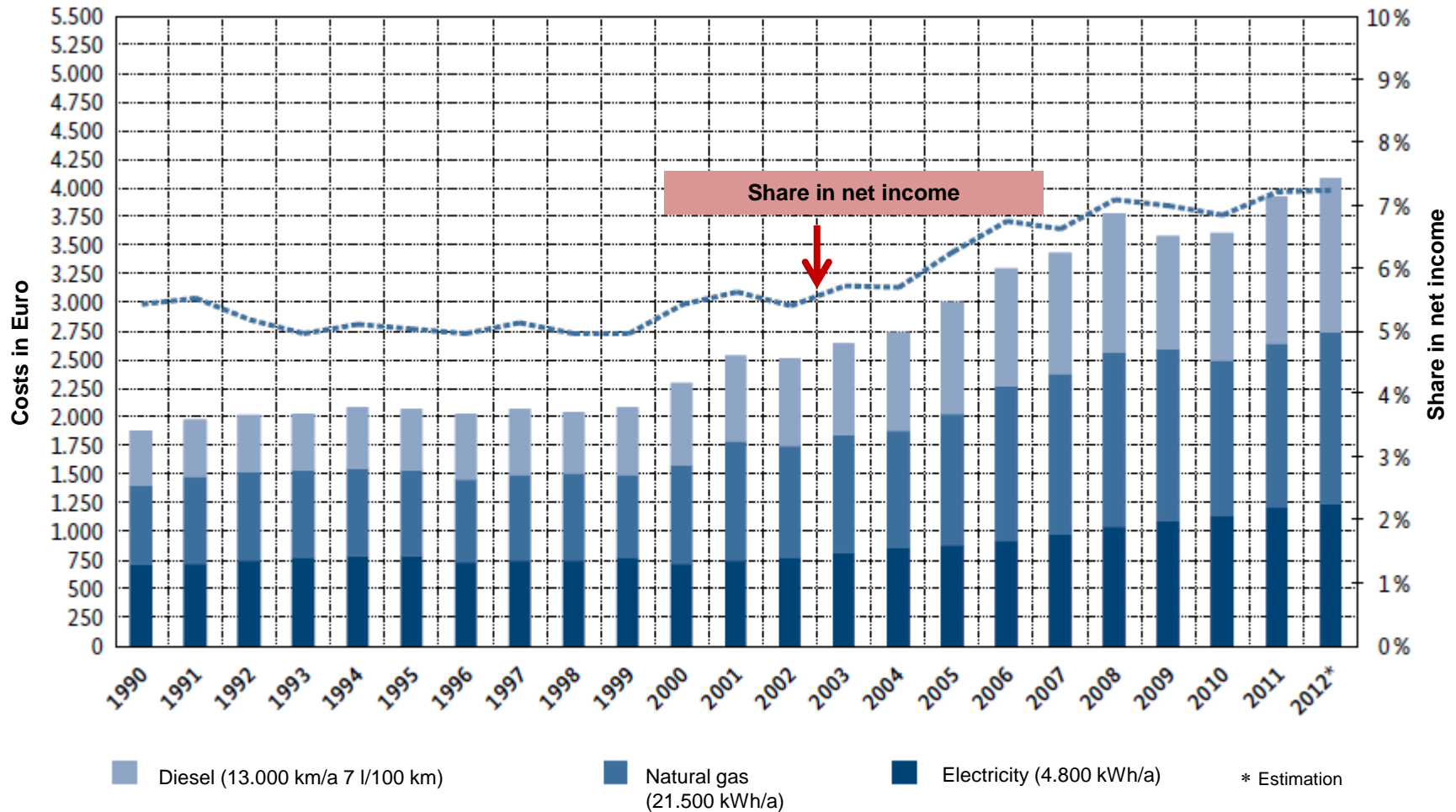




## Share of energy consumption in households and commercial buildings in Germany



# Energy costs of a four-person household (gas heating)



# *Energiewende* and Energy Efficiency

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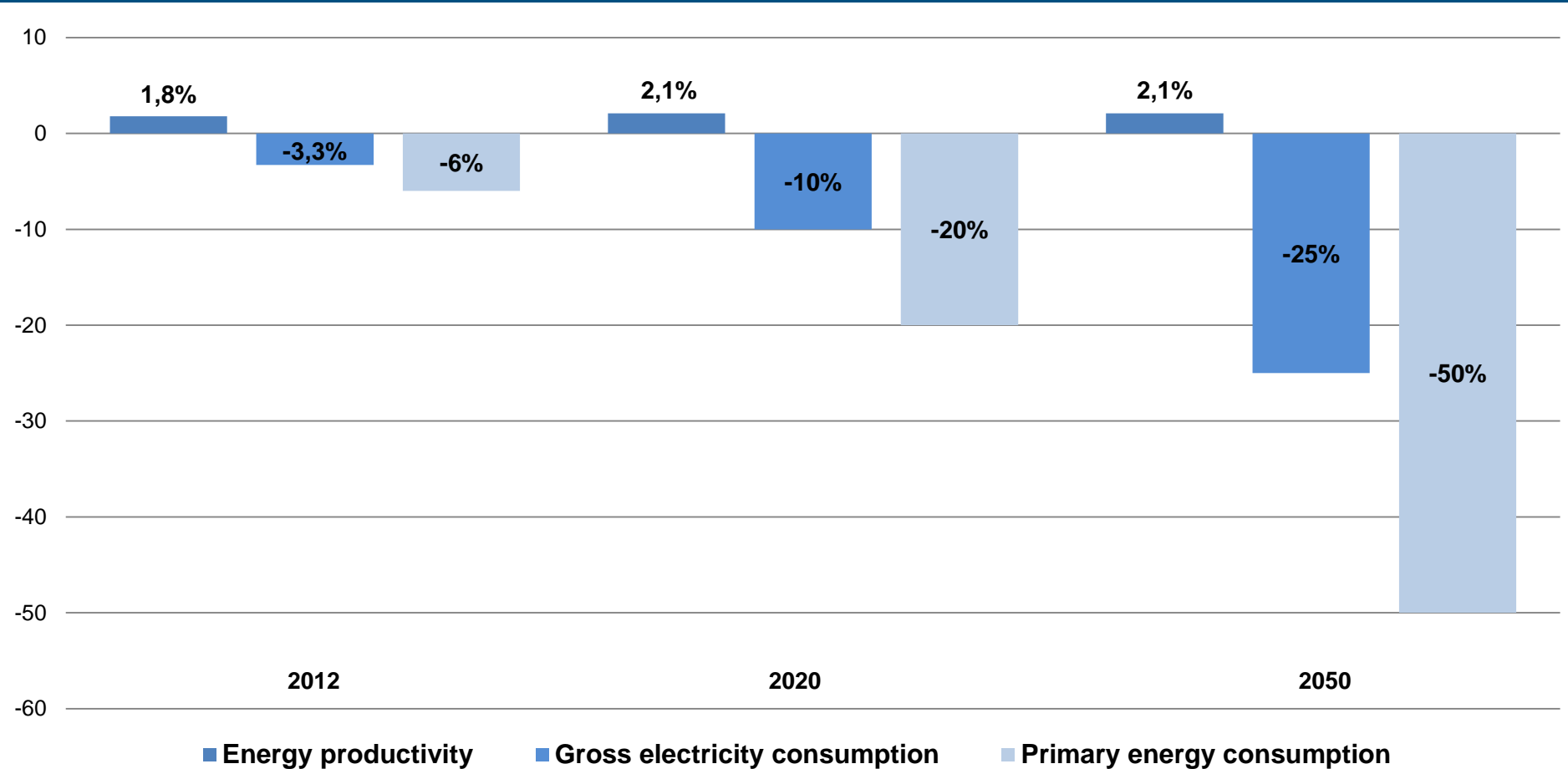


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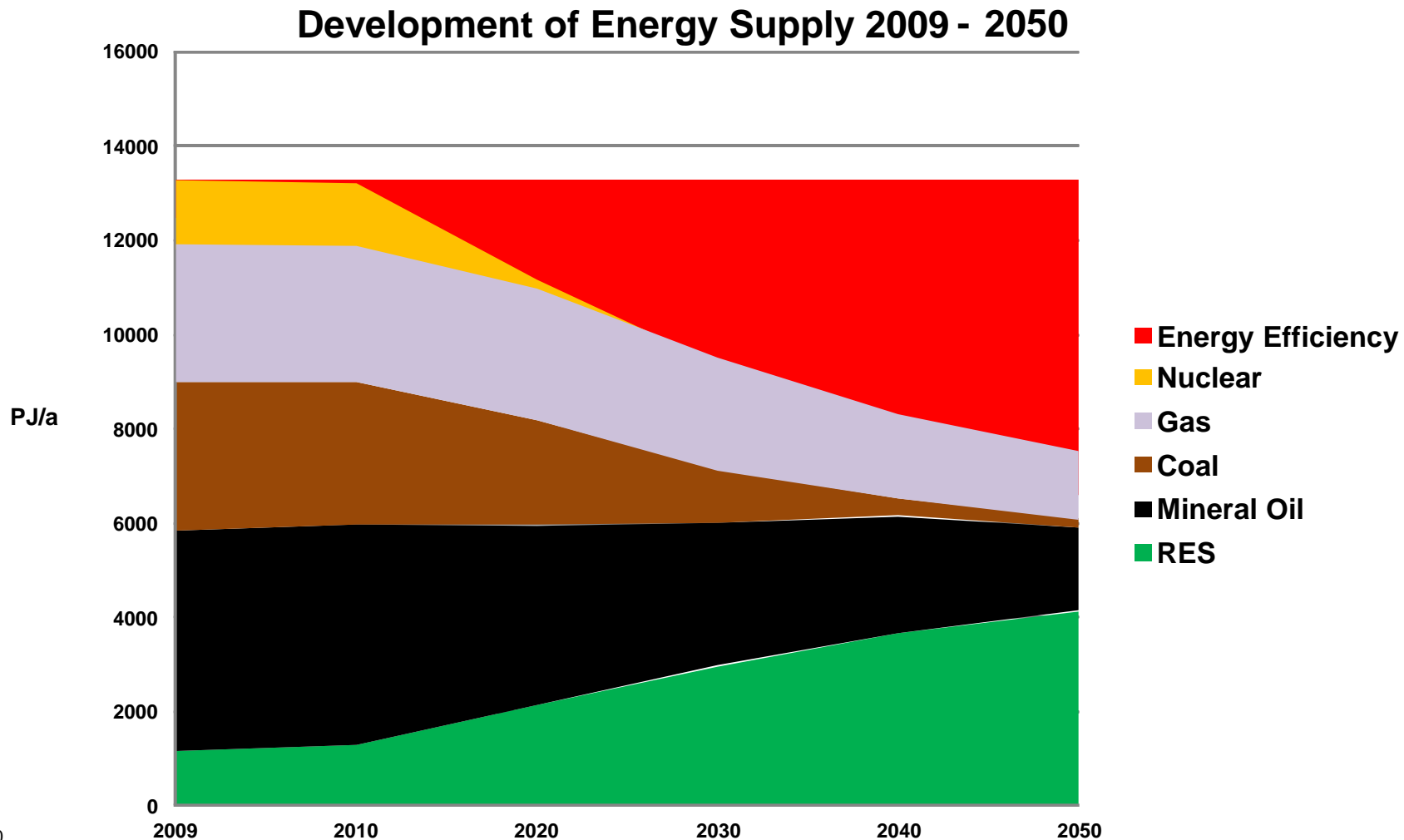
## Transformation of the energy system in Germany - “Energiewende”

- ▶ **Nuclear power phase-out until 2022**
- ▶ **Reduction of greenhouse gas emissions:**
  - ▶ by 40% until 2020 and by 80-95% until 2050 (compared to 1990)
- ▶ **Renewable Energies as main source of energy:**
  - ▶ increase of share (FEC) to 35% until 2020 and to 60% by 2050
- ▶ **Faster expansion of the electricity grids**
- ▶ **Development of smart grids and storage facilities**

## Development of primary energy consumption in Germany



# Development of primary energy consumption in Germany



## Transformation of the energy system in Germany - Energy Efficiency

- ▶ Goal regarding buildings: (nearly) **climate-neutral building stock by 2050**, i.e. reduction of thermal energy consumption by 20% until 2020 and primary energy consumption by 80% in 2050 (compared to 2008)
- ▶ Remaining energy demand covered by renewable energy sources
- ▶ Increase of annual refurbishment rate by 100% necessary (from 1 to 2%)
- ▶ Amendment of **Energy Saving Act 2012**: introduction of “climate-neutral” standard for new buildings until 2020
- ▶ Further development of **market incentive program** to integrate RES in the heat market, i.e. building integrated heat generation
- ▶ Support programs of the KfW-Bank, e.g. “**Energetic Refurbishment of Municipalities**” to stimulate comprehensive and local investments in EE and RES
- ▶ Initiating a common legal framework for energy contracting projects
- ▶ confirmation and expansion of leading role of public buildings in EE

## Governmental approaches for increase of energy efficiency in buildings

### Regulatory policy

- Legal requirements for buildings
- Obligation of replacement
- Key instrument: **Energy Saving Ordinance**

### Financial support

- Loans and subsidies
- Tax incentives
- Key instrument: **Building Refurbishment Program**

### Promotion

- Creation of market transparency
- Pilot projects
- Information campaigns
- Qualification of experts



## Energy Saving Ordinance (EnEV)

- ▶ **Introduced February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2002**
- ▶ **EnEV poses requirements to the primary energy demand of new buildings**
  - ▶ structural heat insulation of building envelope
  - ▶ energy efficiency of systems (heating, ventilation, cooling, lights)
- ▶ **Amendments 2007 to meet directive 2002/91/EC (EPBD)**
  - ▶ among others: introduction of energy certificate
- ▶ **Amendments 2009 as part of „Integriertes Energie- und Klimaprogramm“**  
*(integrated energy and climate program)*
  - ▶ tightening of requirements by about 30% towards 2007
- ▶ **New amendments as of February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2013**
  - ▶ tightening of requirements by 12.5% and 25% from 2016 onwards
  - ▶ introduction of control system for energy certificates
- ▶ **To be introduced in 2014**

## KfW Energy Efficient Refurbishment

- ▶ Various support programs for energy efficient refurbishment of buildings
- ▶ Amount of support depends on energy saving level of measures taken:

Level	Maximum grant of investment	Maximum total grant/housing unit
KfW-Effizienzhaus 55	25.0 %	18,750 €
KfW-Effizienzhaus 70	20.0 %	15,000 €
KfW-Effizienzhaus 85	15.0 %	11,250 €
KfW-Effizienzhaus 100 (standard)	12.5 %	9,350 €
KfW-Effizienzhaus 115	10.0 %	7,500 €
KfW-Effizienzhaus (historical building)	10.0 %	7,500 €
Individual measurements	10.0 %	5,000 €

## Promotion of Energy Efficiency - Examples

### ▶ Information and awareness raising

- ▶ Internet campaigns (e.g. [www.energieeffizienz-online.info](http://www.energieeffizienz-online.info); [www.stromeffizienz.de](http://www.stromeffizienz.de))
- ▶ Poster campaigns
- ▶ SME program “Energiewende”

### ▶ Demonstration projects: e.g. Effizienzhaus Plus

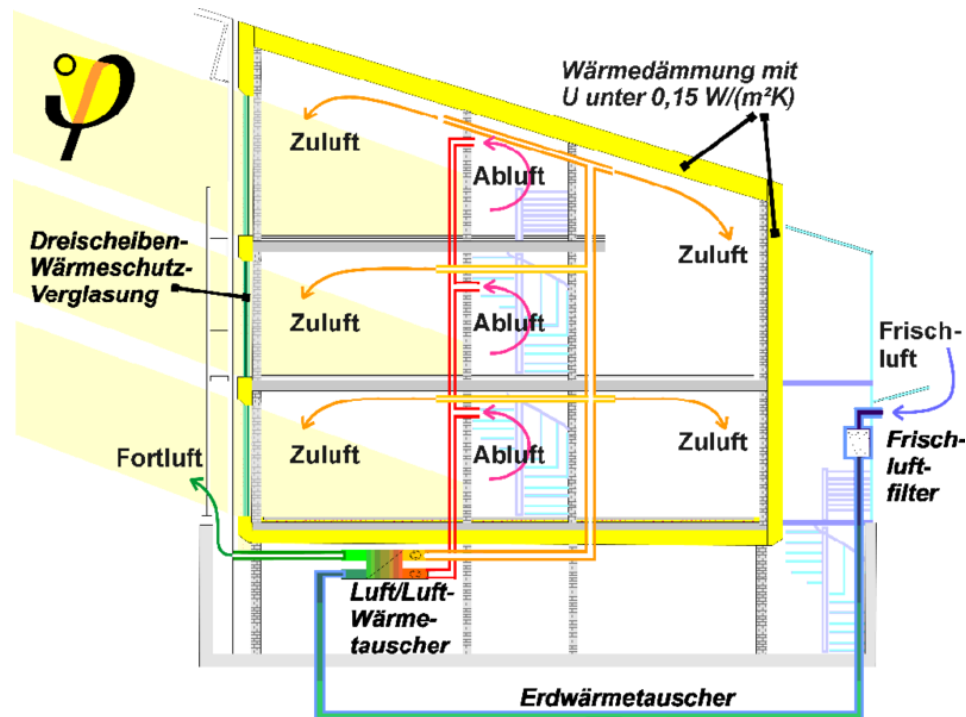
- ▶ Definition: all requirements of EnEV 2009 are fulfilled
- ▶ Integration of energy efficient domestic appliances, renewable energy technology and an e-mobility concept
- ▶ Opening in December 2011 and tested under real conditions for 15 months by a family of four

# Energy efficiency aspects in buildings – Developments

Non-insulated building



Passive House



# Energy efficiency aspects in buildings – Developments

**Zero Energy House**



**Plus Energy House**



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