

The role of energy data in understanding climate change challenges

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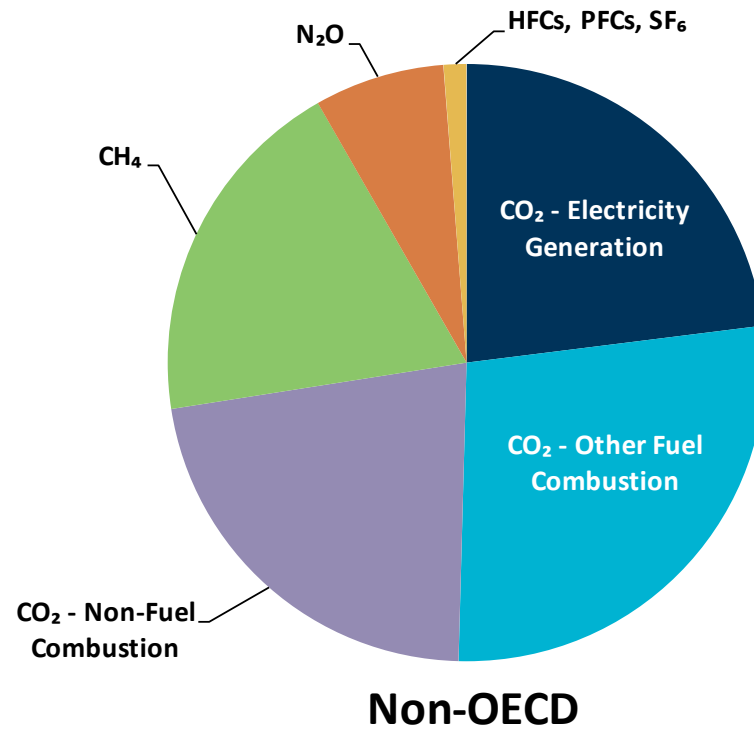
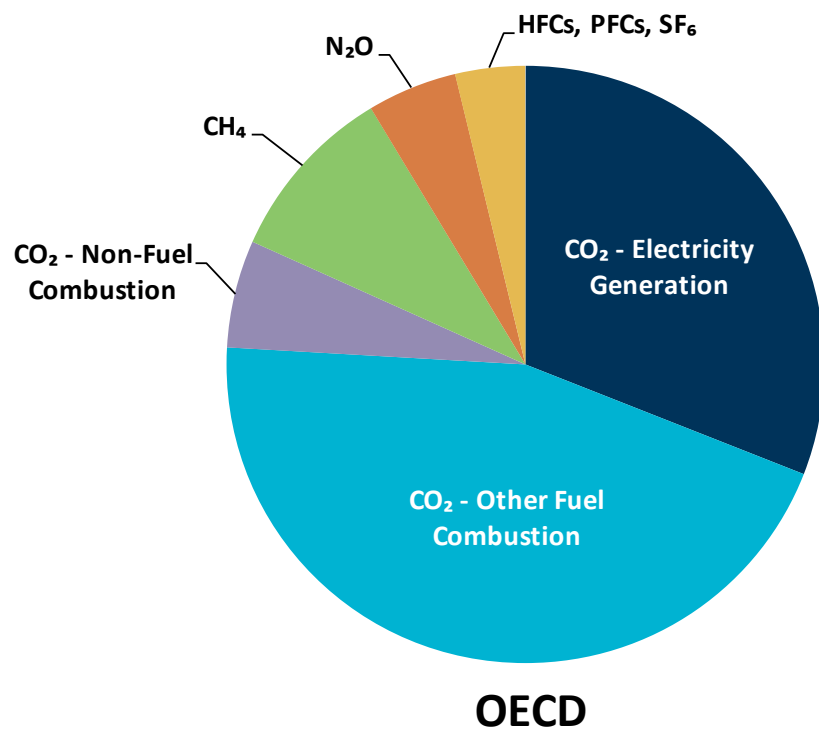
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Energy is at the core of climate change

GHG emissions by source

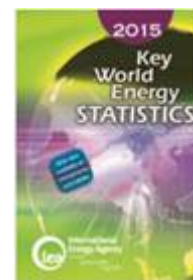
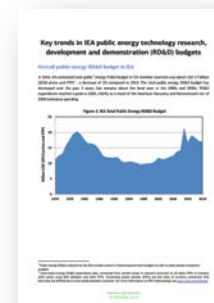


Source: Data for 2010. IEA estimates for CO₂ emissions from fuel combustion data, EDGAR 4.3/4.2 FT2010 for all other sources.

Energy statistics is at the core of the IEA

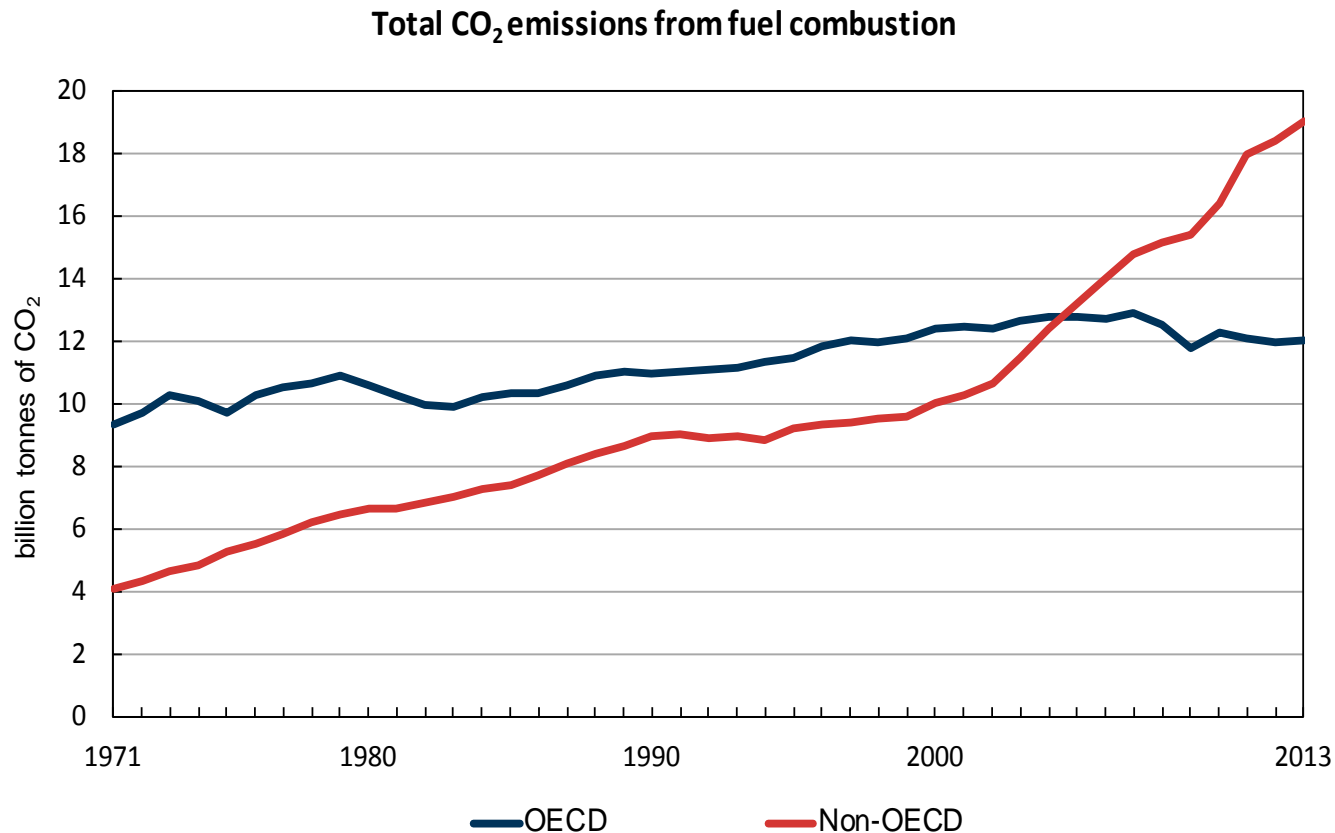
■ Comprehensive

- Energy data for more than 140 countries
- All fuels
- Supply and demand
- Energy efficiency, Prices, RD&D



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Global CO₂ emissions

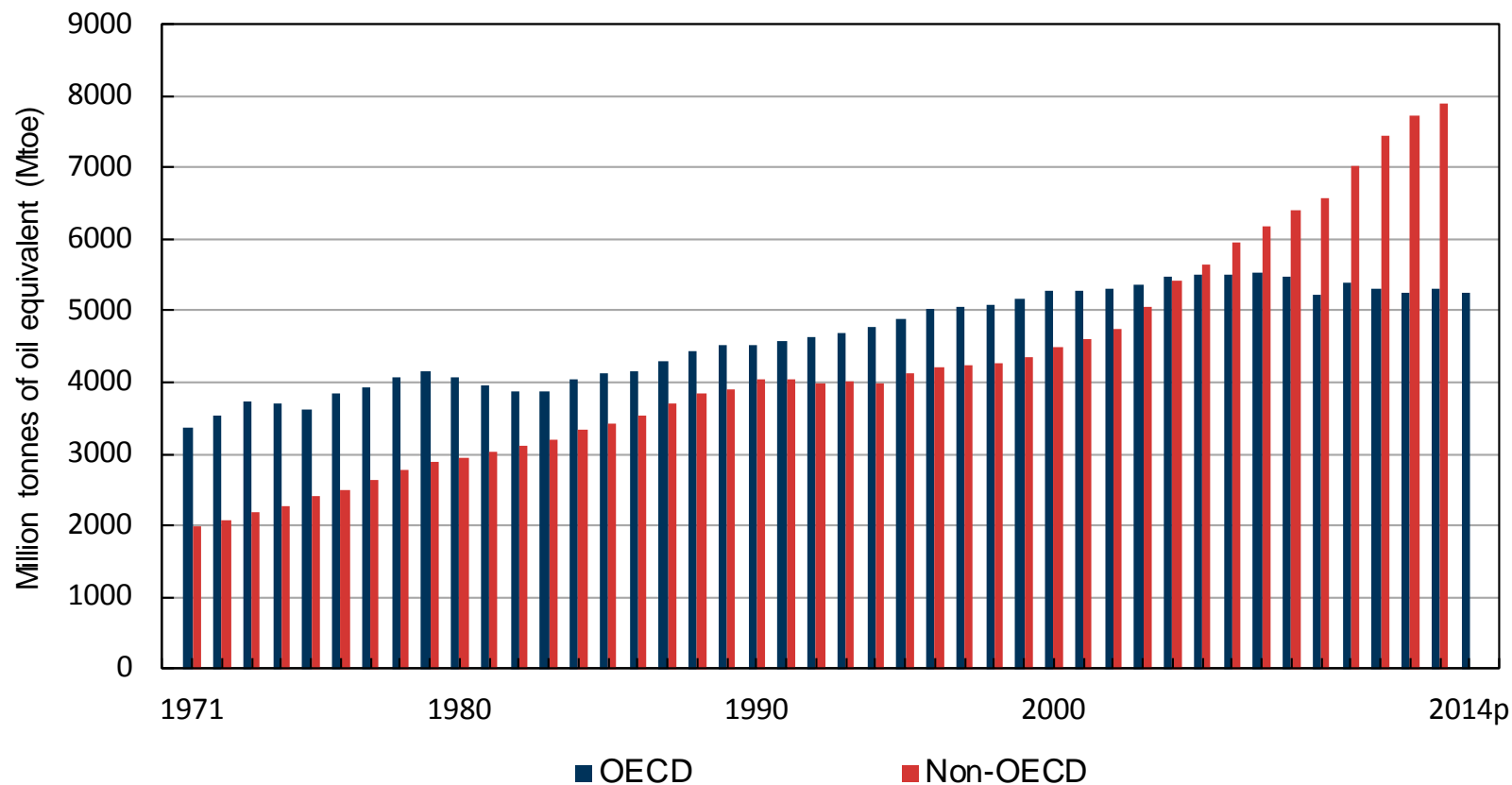


Source: IEA CO₂ Emissions from Fuel Combustion, OECD/IEA, Paris, 2015.

**Energy data: essential to understand climate change
and to meet the challenge it creates**

Emissions driven by energy use

Total Primary Energy Supply

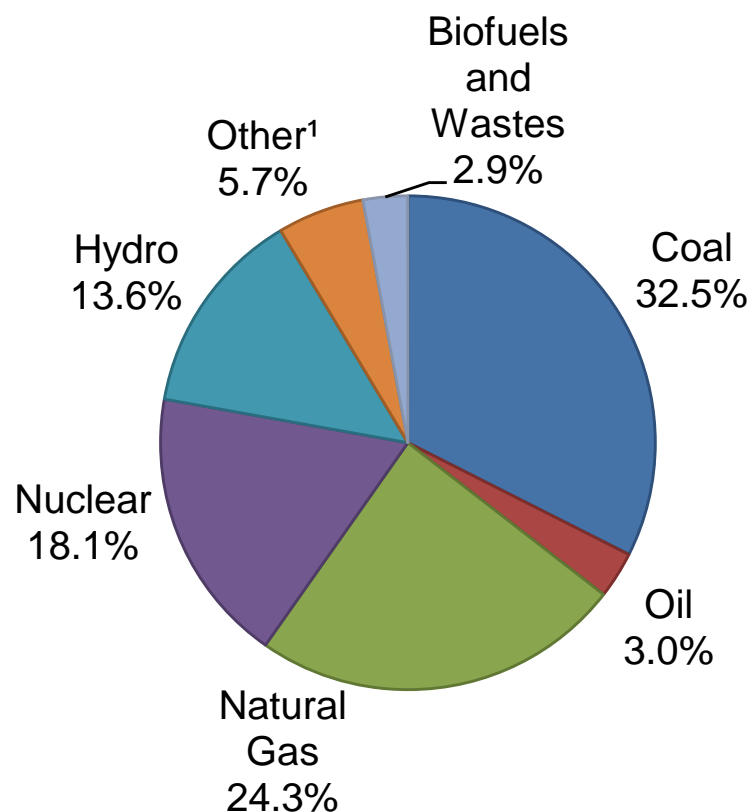


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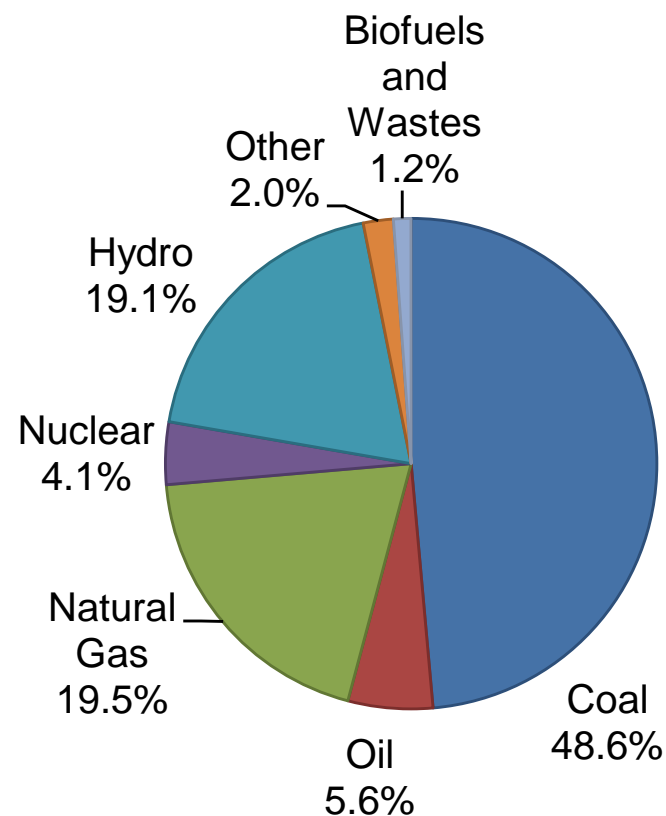
The importance of electricity generation

Electricity production by fuel (2013)

OECD



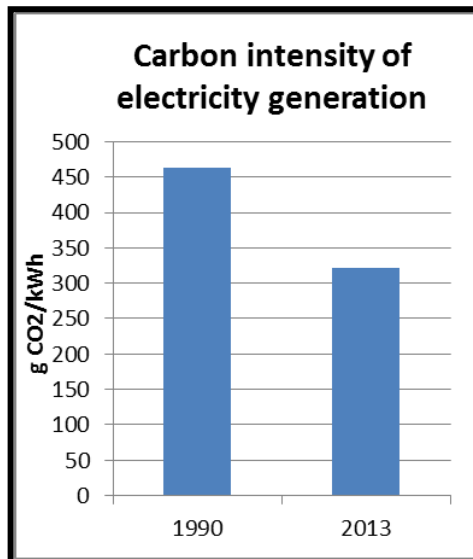
Non - OECD



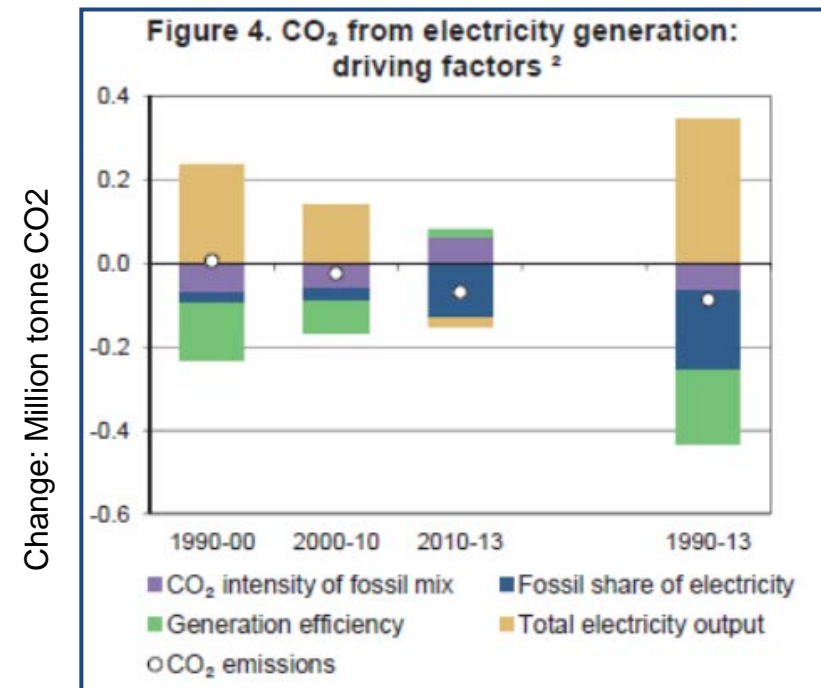
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1. Other includes geothermal, tide, wave, ocean, chemical heat and other non-specified (e.g. fuel cells) sources of electricity production.

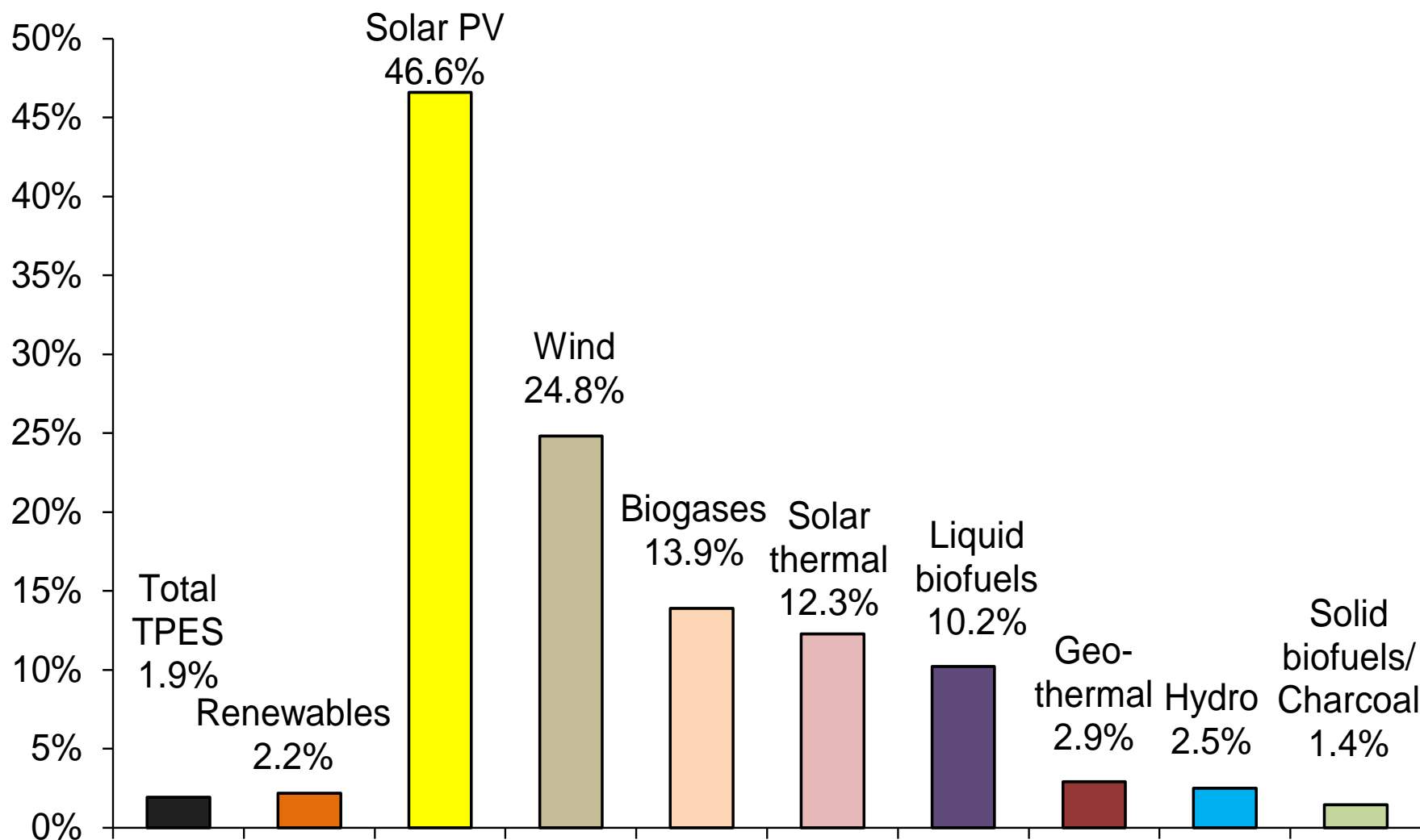
Monitoring electricity decarbonisation - OECD Europe



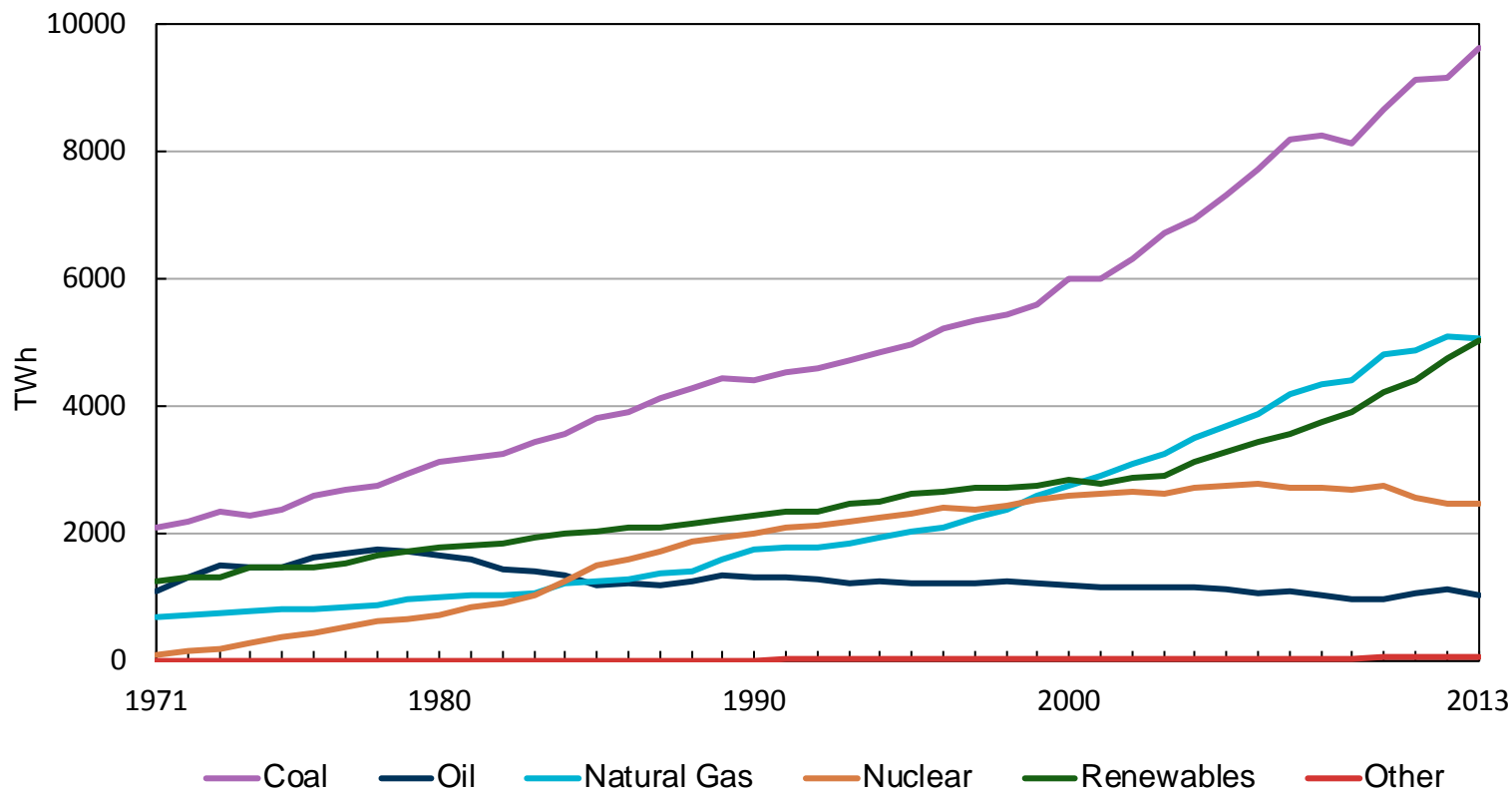
Source: IEA CO₂ emissions from fuel combustion, 2015



Annual growth rates of world renewables supply (1990-2013)



World electricity production by source (1971-2013)



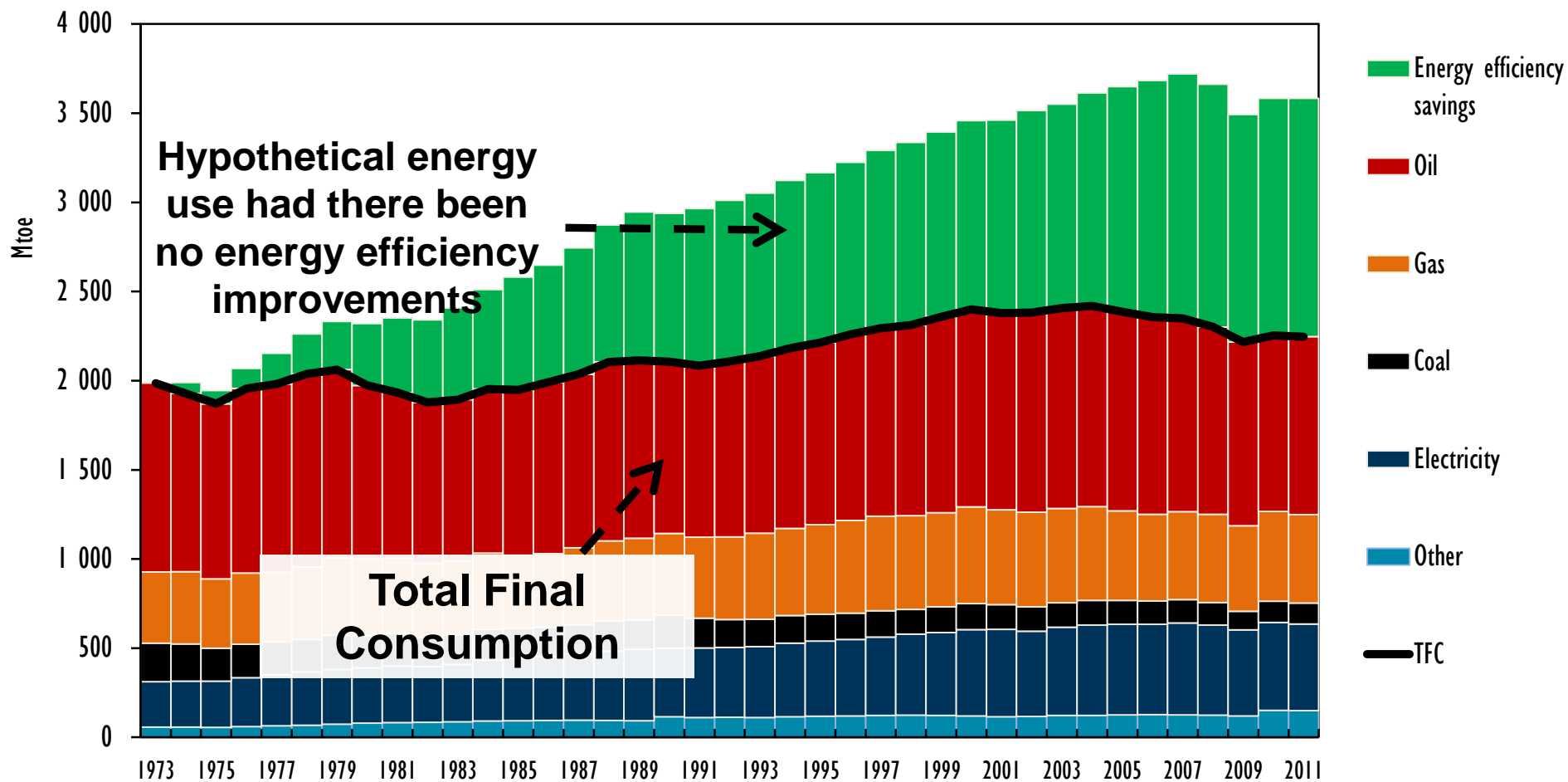
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Lessons from the supply side

- **Regions and countries vary, need detailed understanding**
- **Recent development in “new” renewables has just returned renewables to long-term position as second fuel for electricity generation**
- **Lower carbon electricity generation alone will be insufficient**
- **Need to use energy more efficiently**
- **Need a better understanding of energy use data**

Energy efficiency: the 'first fuel'

TFC and savings within IEA countries (IEA-11*) from EE investments since 1973



Source: IEA Energy Efficiency Market Report, 2014.

*IEA-11: Australia, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, Sweden, United Kingdom, United States

End-use level data and indicators needed to monitor efficiency progress



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Figure 6.7 • Example of level 2 indicators for IEA15: energy consumption per passenger-kilometre by transportation mode

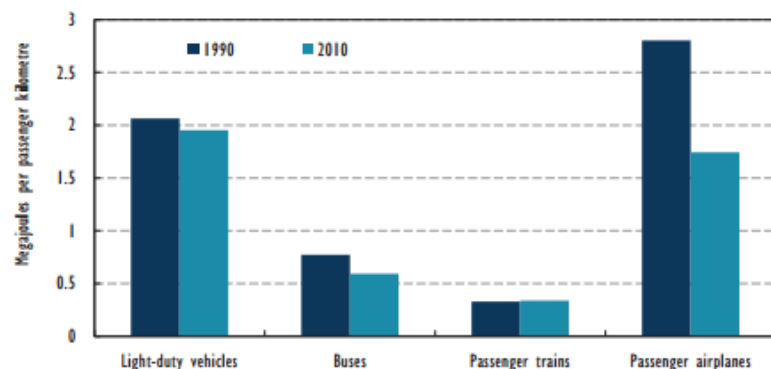
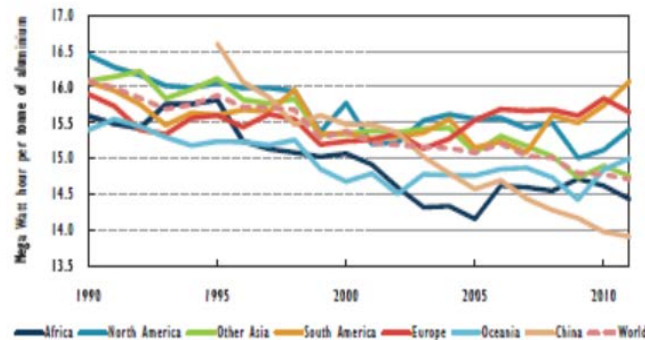


Figure 5.12 • Regional specific electricity consumption in aluminium smelting



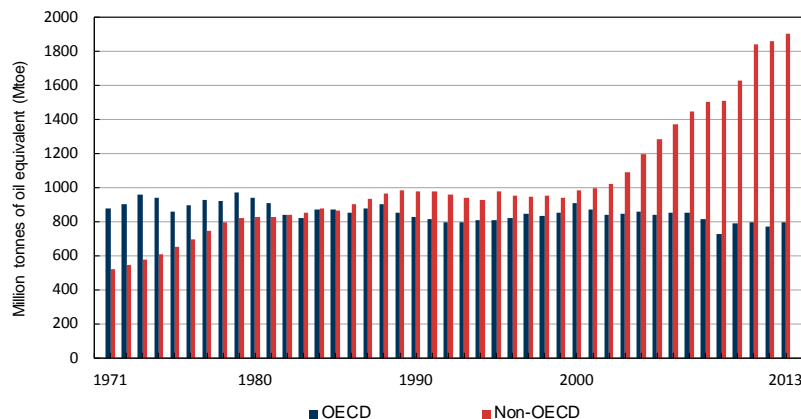
Source: IAI (International Aluminium Institute) (2013), Primary Aluminium Production, IAI, London. See <http://www.worldaluminium.org/statistics/> for definitions of geographical aggregations.

Source: IEA Energy Efficiency Indicators: Essentials for Policy Making, 2014

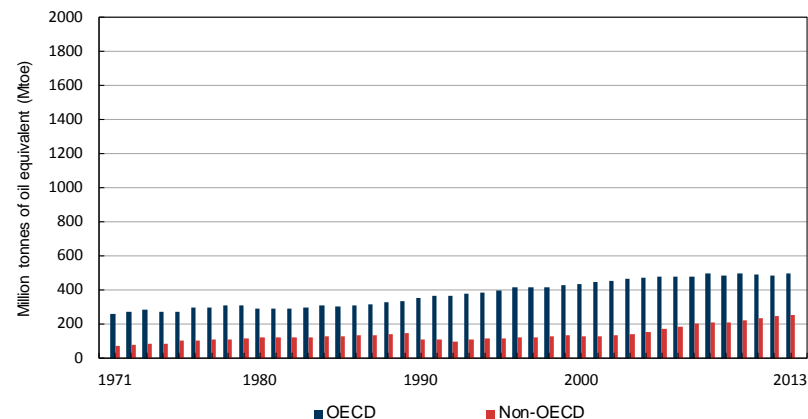
Sub-sector, end-use, or even technology indicators give sharper understanding of transition pathways

Final energy use by sector

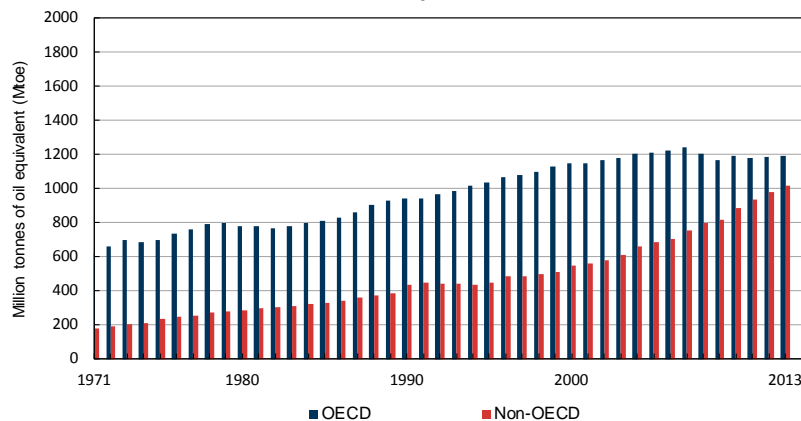
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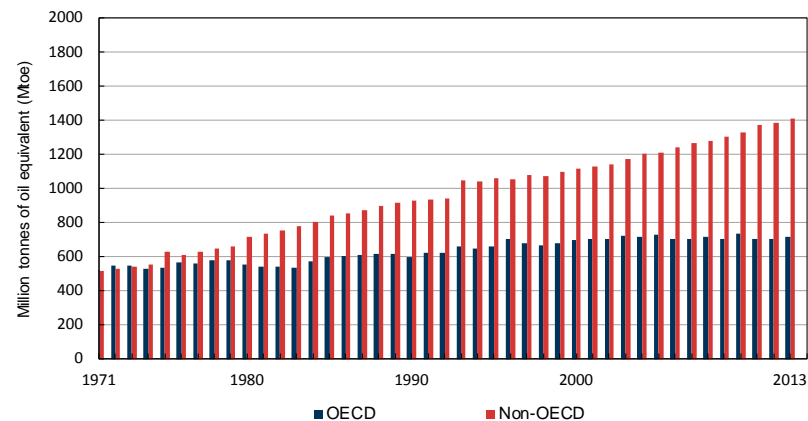
Commercial and public services



Transport



Residential

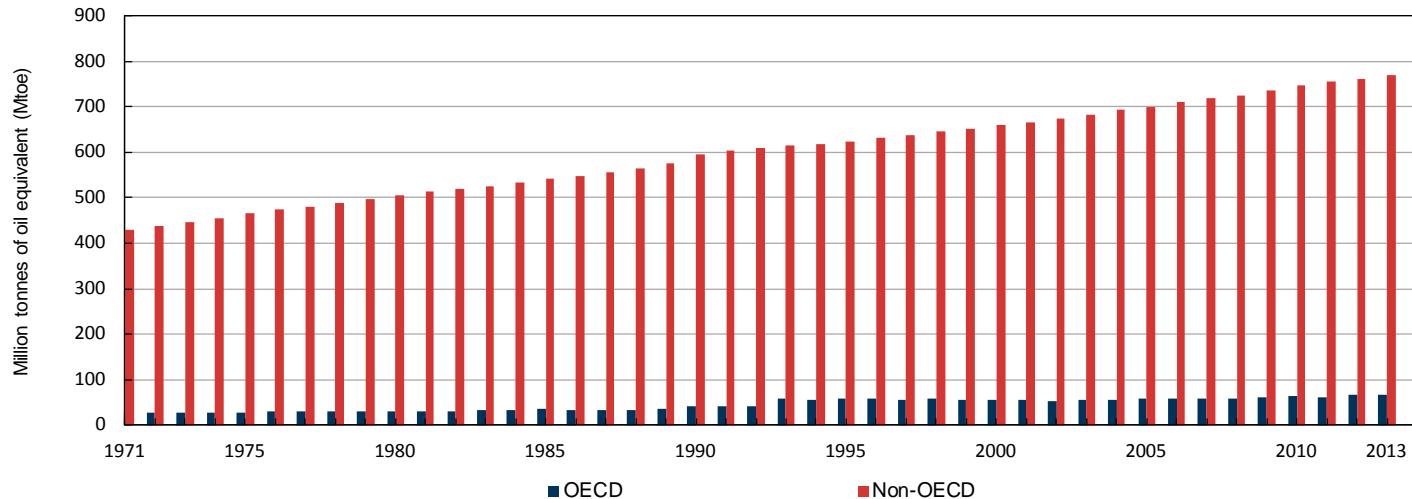


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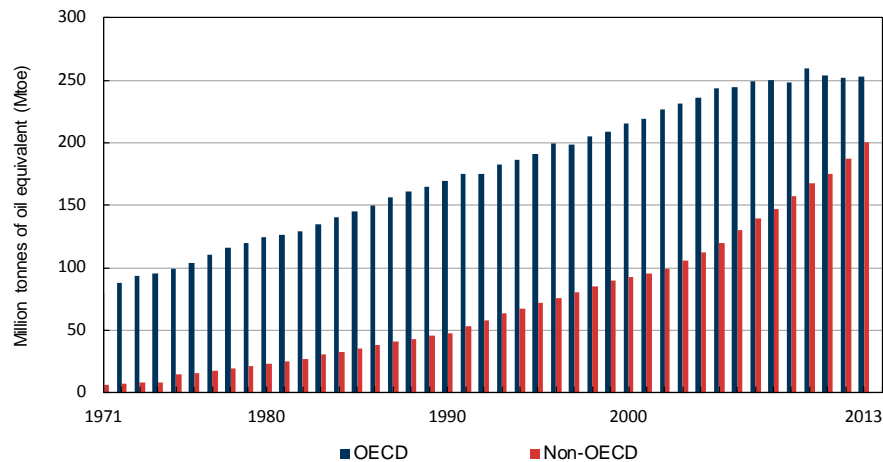
Residential consumption



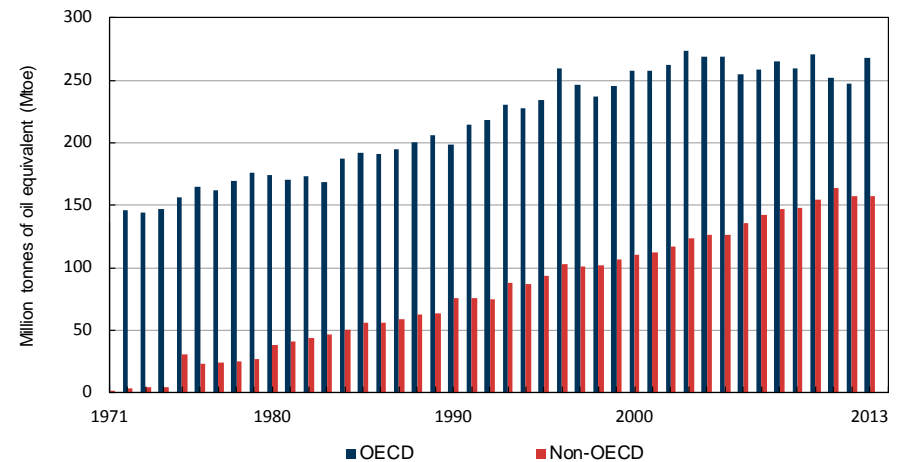
Biofuels and waste



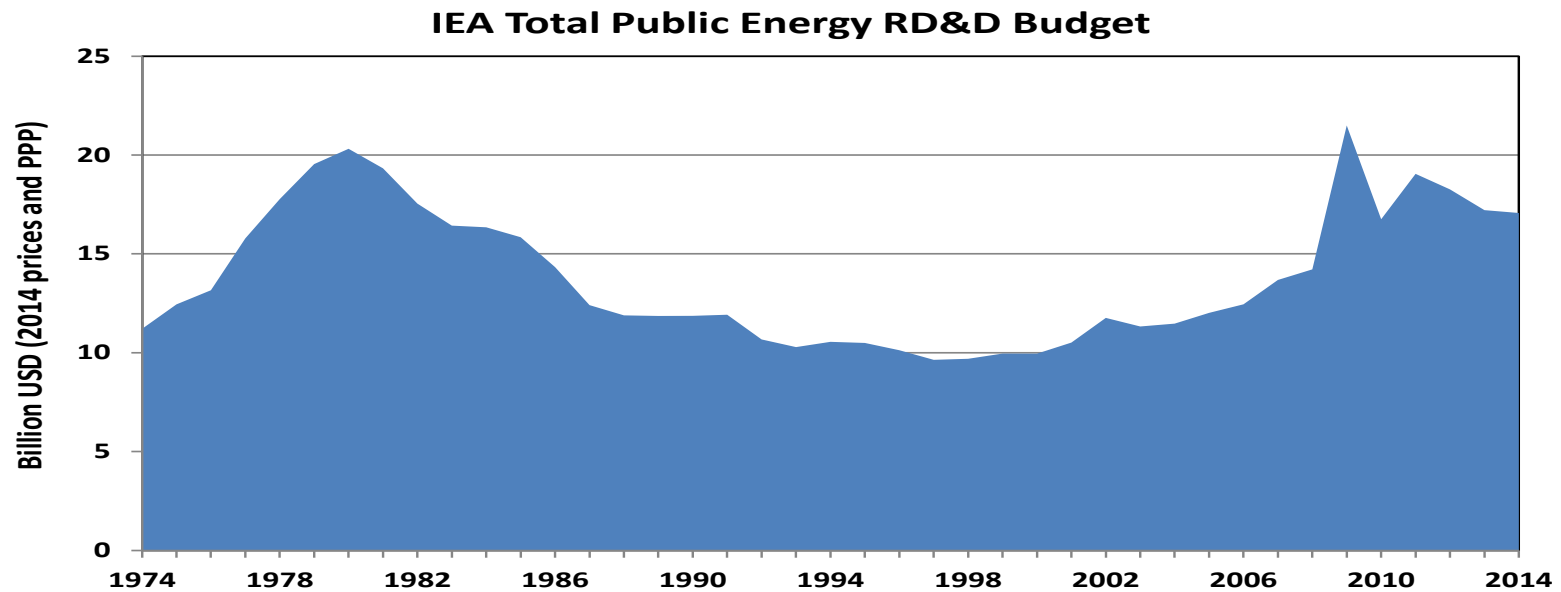
Electricity



Natural Gas



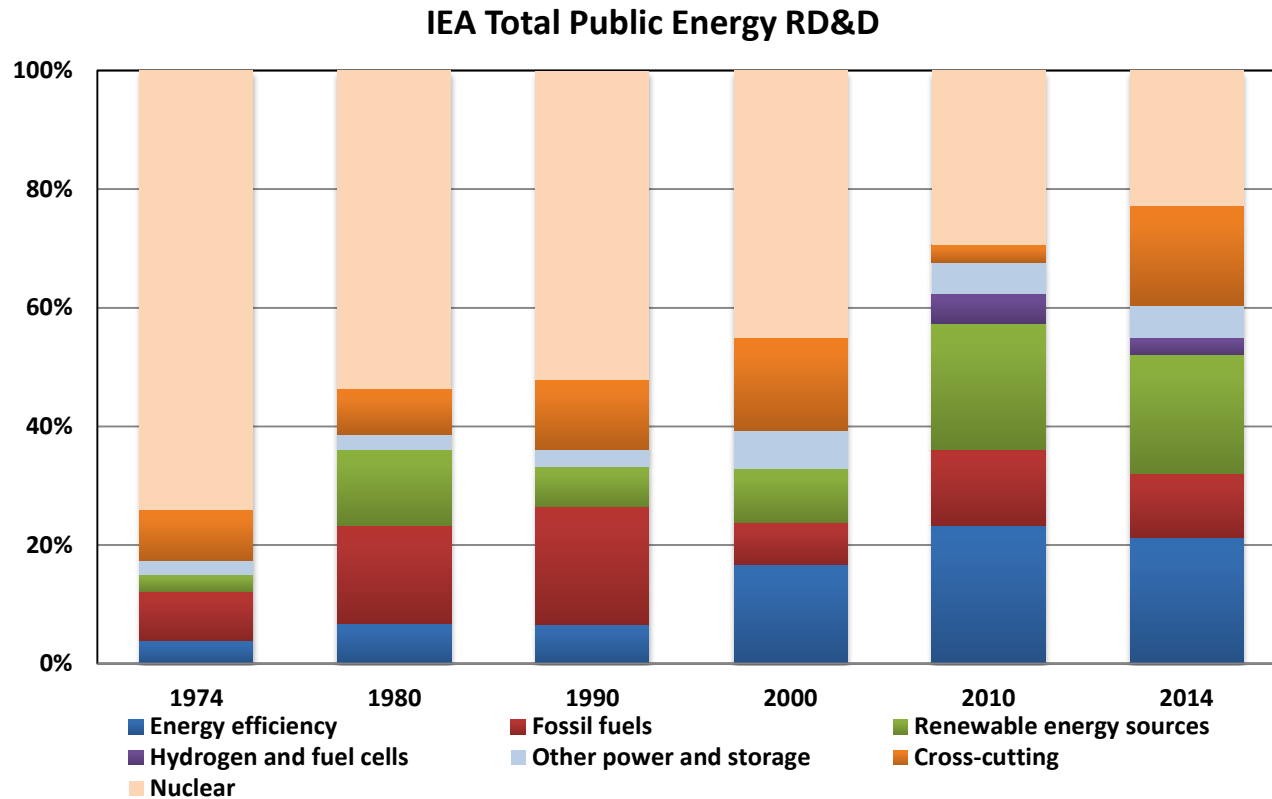
Investing in clean energy research is key



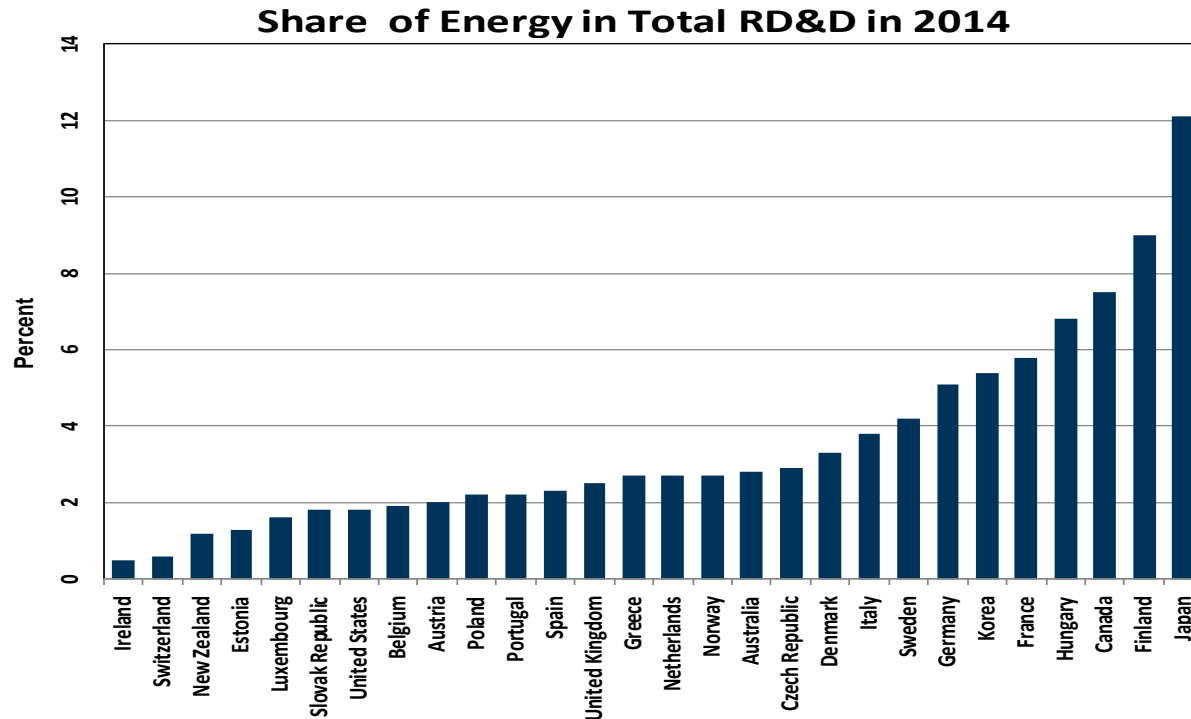
Source: IEA Energy Technology Research Development and Demonstration database, 2015

IEA currently monitors public expenditure in OECD, vital for understanding Mission Innovation

Public RD&D by “fuel”



Room for growth?



Source: IEA Energy Technology Research Development and Demonstration database, 2015

IEA keen to cooperate to develop a more comprehensive picture of energy technology RD&D, including private and non-OECD

Towards tracking the energy transition, requirements:

- A transparent tracking framework
- A broader set of metrics and data than those currently collected globally
- Countries committed to scale-up capacity to maintain and enhance their energy data, including energy use, research and investment

**IEA keen to act as a center of global expertise:
statistics, technology and modelling**