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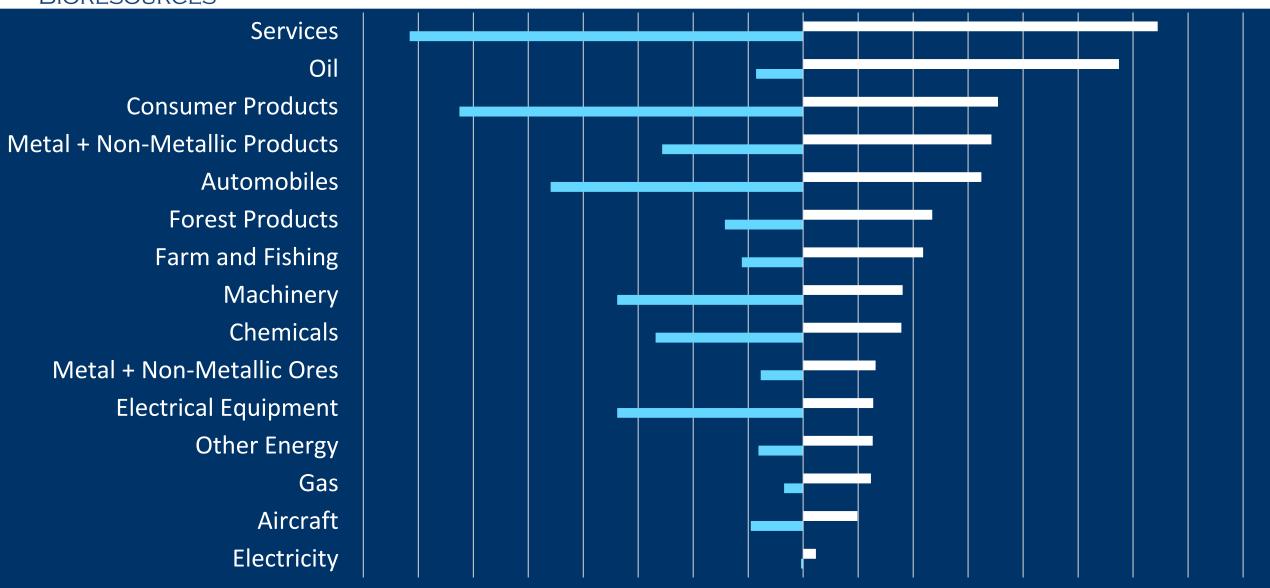






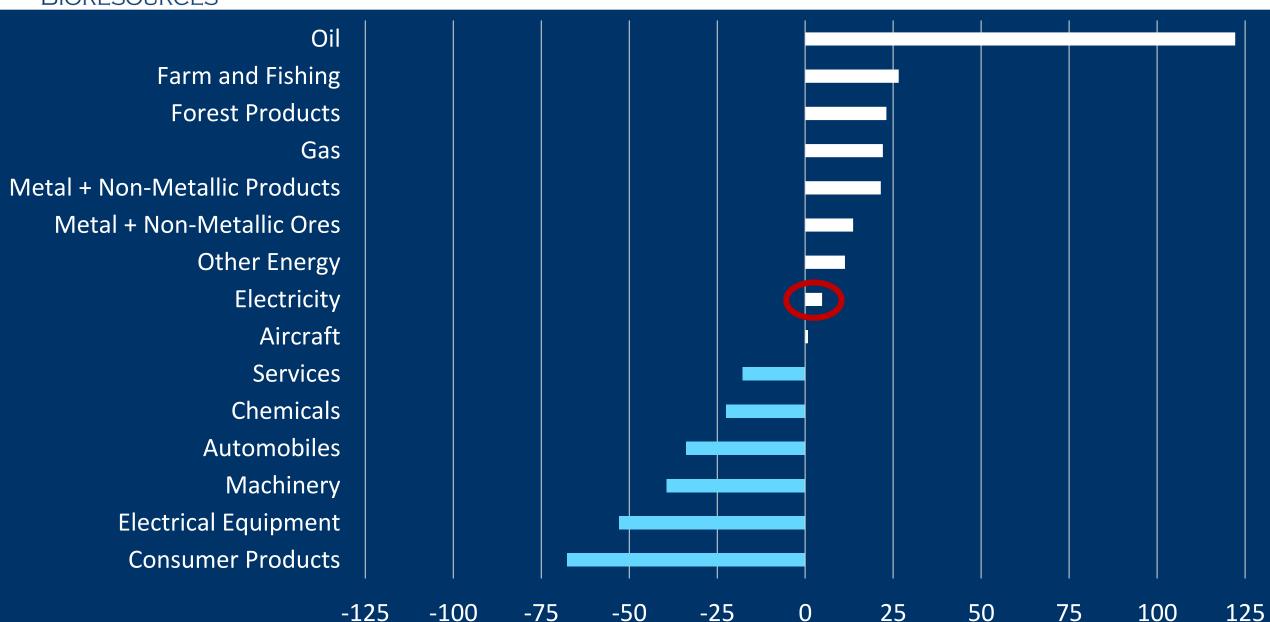


### Trade in Canada (C\$ B)



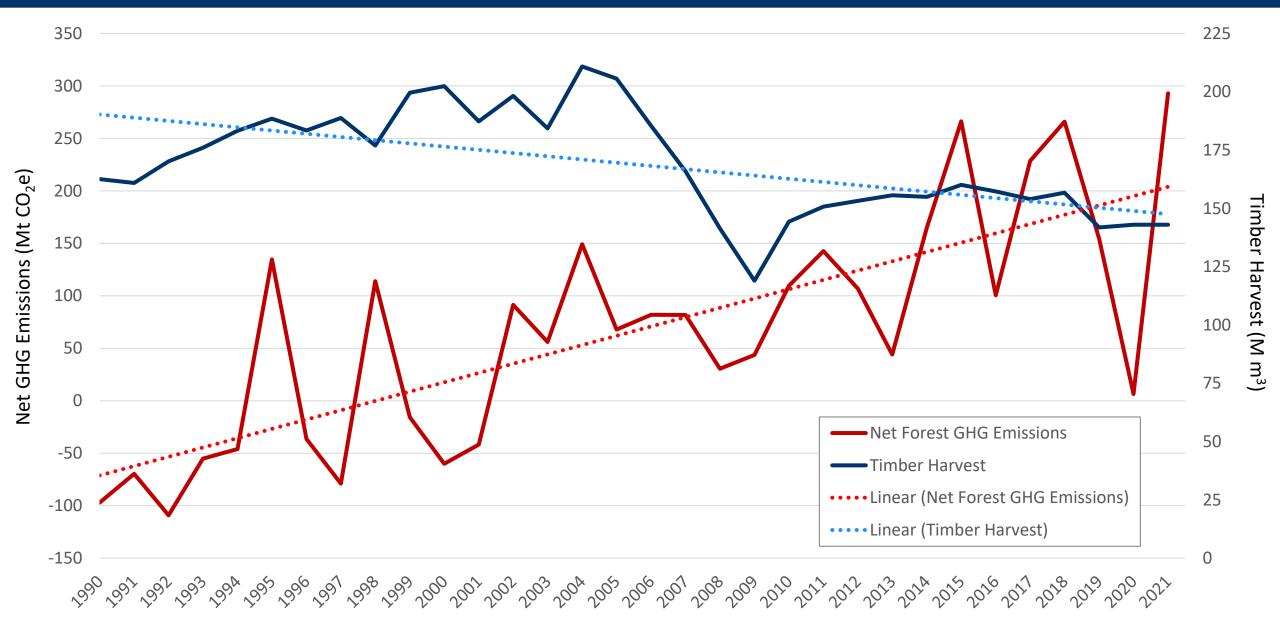


### Balance of Trade in Canada (C\$ B)



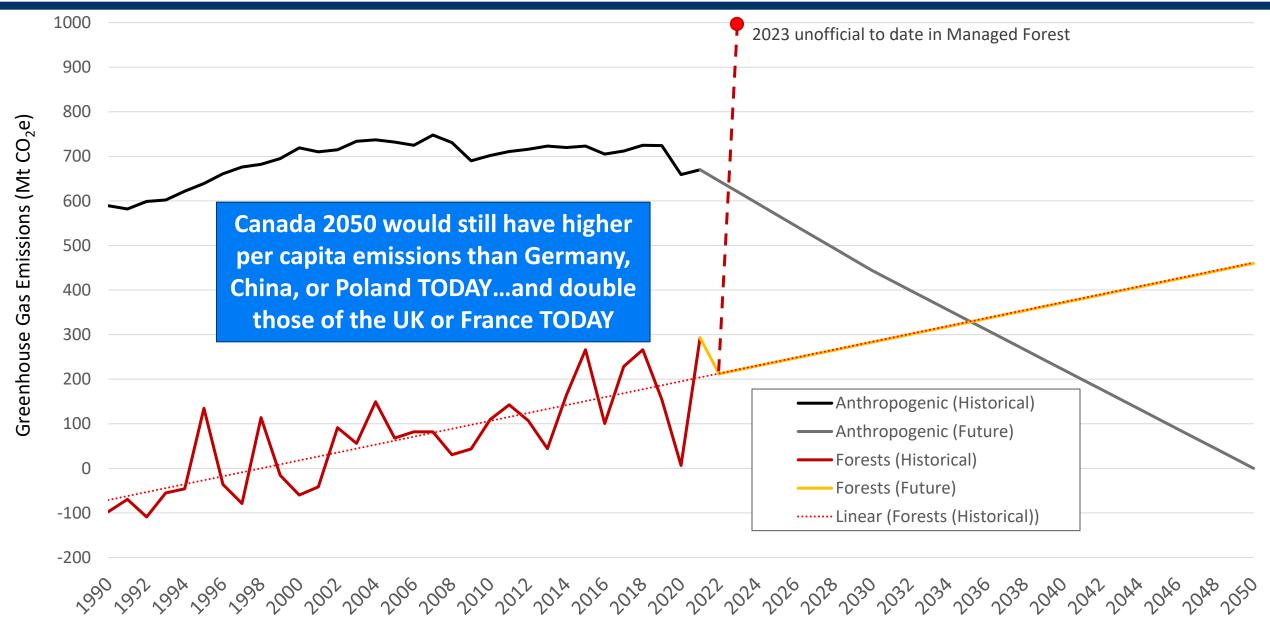


#### GHGs from Canada's Forests Vs. Timber Harvest



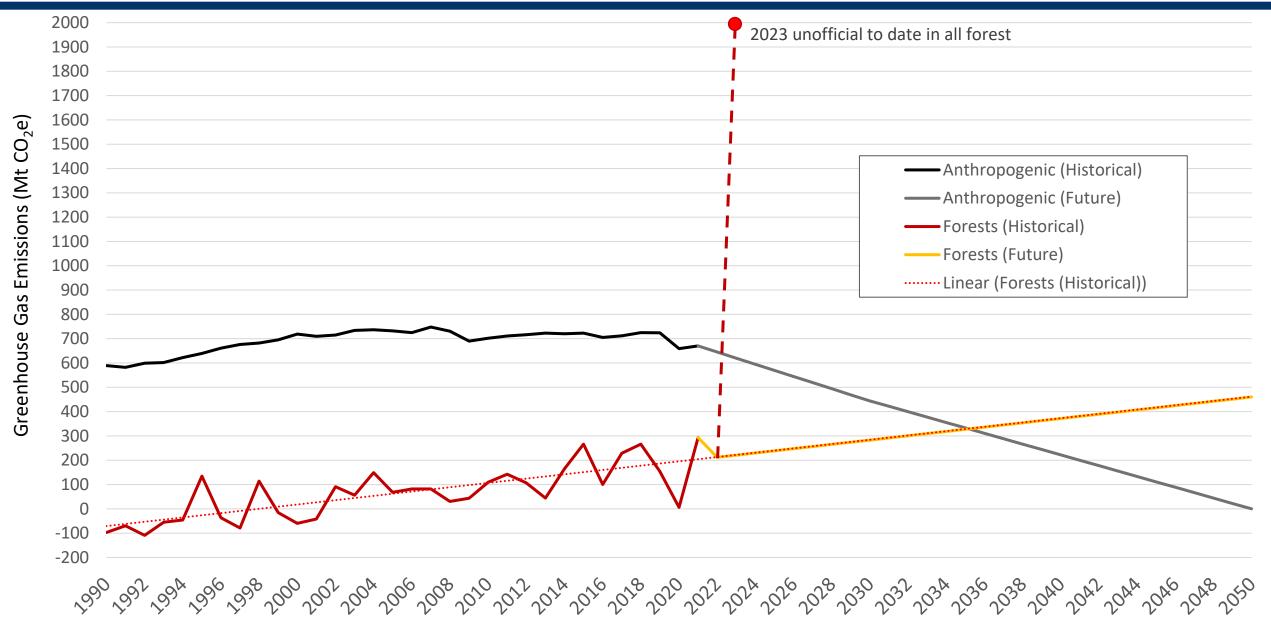


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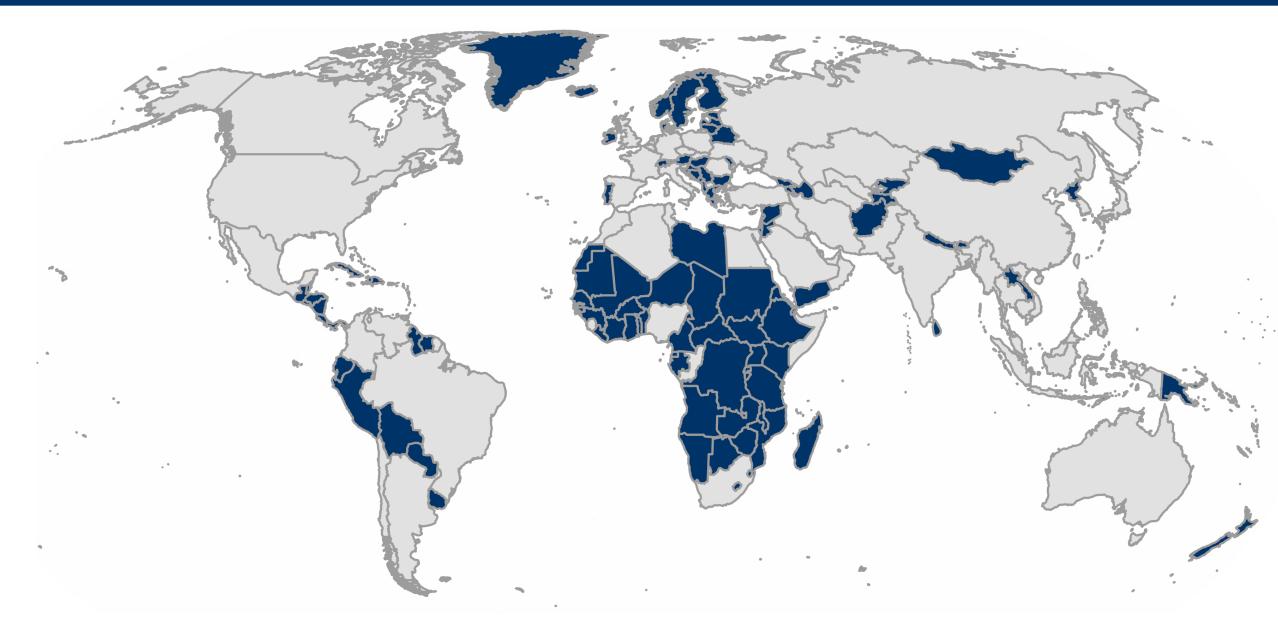
# Public Carbon

# Public GHG Emissions

Public Air Pollution



### More than 138 Countries





# 83% of EU Emissions



# Wildfire Rate (per Ha)

# Canada vs Sweden

50

# Per Capita GHG (incl. Forests)

Canada = 68

Sweden = 0.7



### Harvest Rate

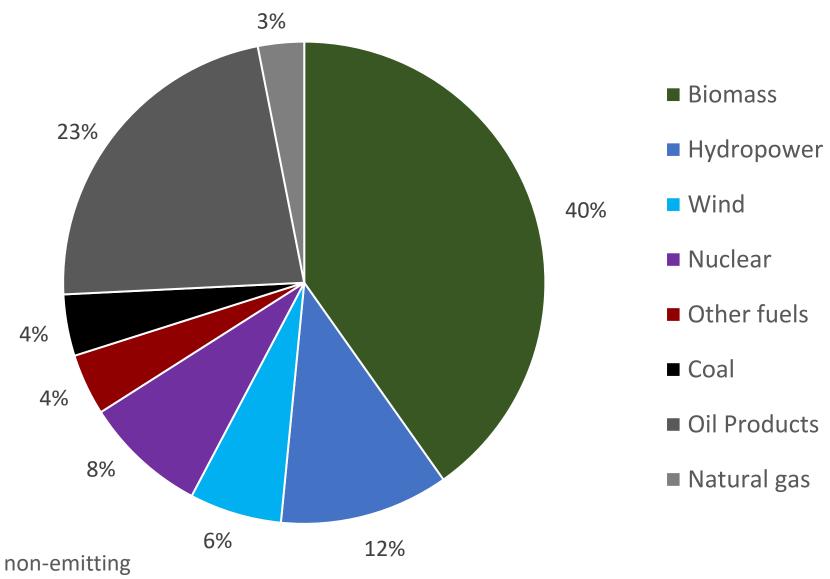
Sweden/Canada = 7

CA: Harvest <3.9% of growth

 $\Delta = 1,000 \text{ Mt CO}_2/\text{yr}$ 



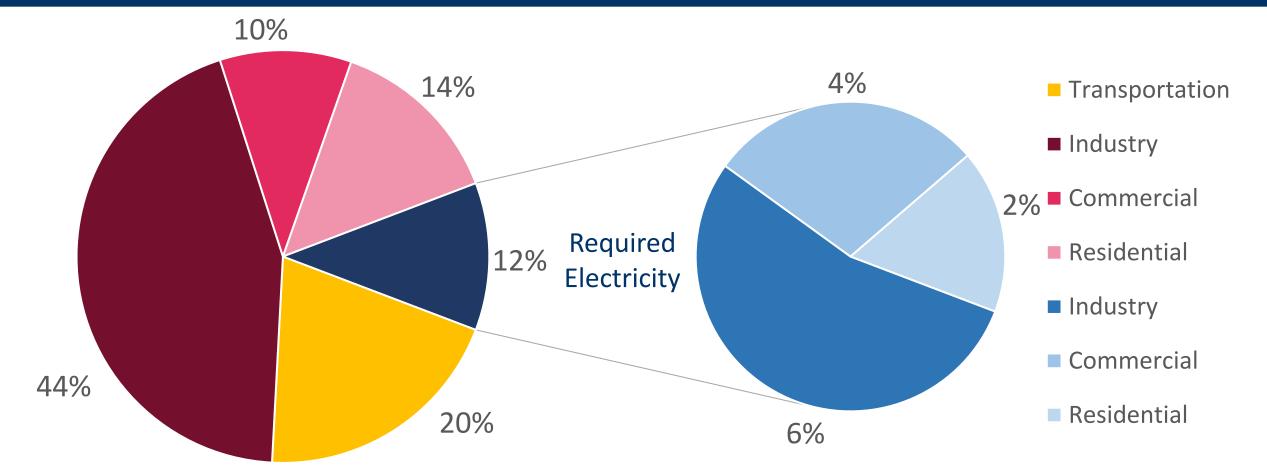
### **Energy Consumption in Sweden**



58% renewable energy, 65% non-emitting



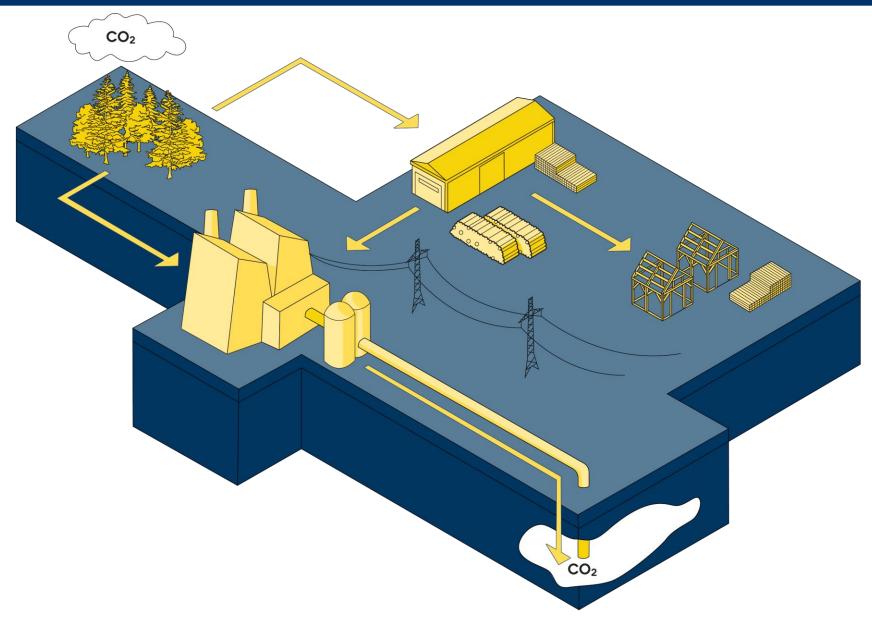
### **Energy Demand in Canada**



- Thermal energy (red shades) is approximately 60-65% of Canada's energy demand
- Excluding existing electrical heating, electricity (blue shades) is 12% of Canada's energy demand
- Heating residential buildings requires more energy than ALL of Canada's electricity demand



## Bioenergy Carbon Capture & Storage



#### TORCHLIGHT BIORESOURCES

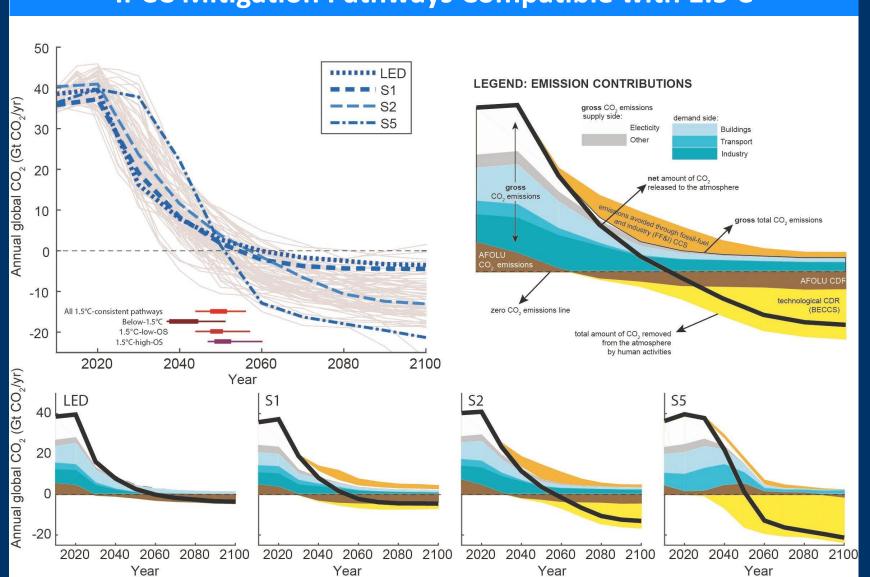
#### **BECCS**

- Lowest cost for CDRs (negative emissions)
- 4 decarbonizations:
  - 1. Electricity
  - 2. Heat
  - 3. Hard-to-abate (CDR)
  - 4. Avoided wildfires
- 3+ sources of revenue
- Carbon Dioxide Removals are an EXPORT product
- 6x the GHG reduction per tonne of wood as SAF



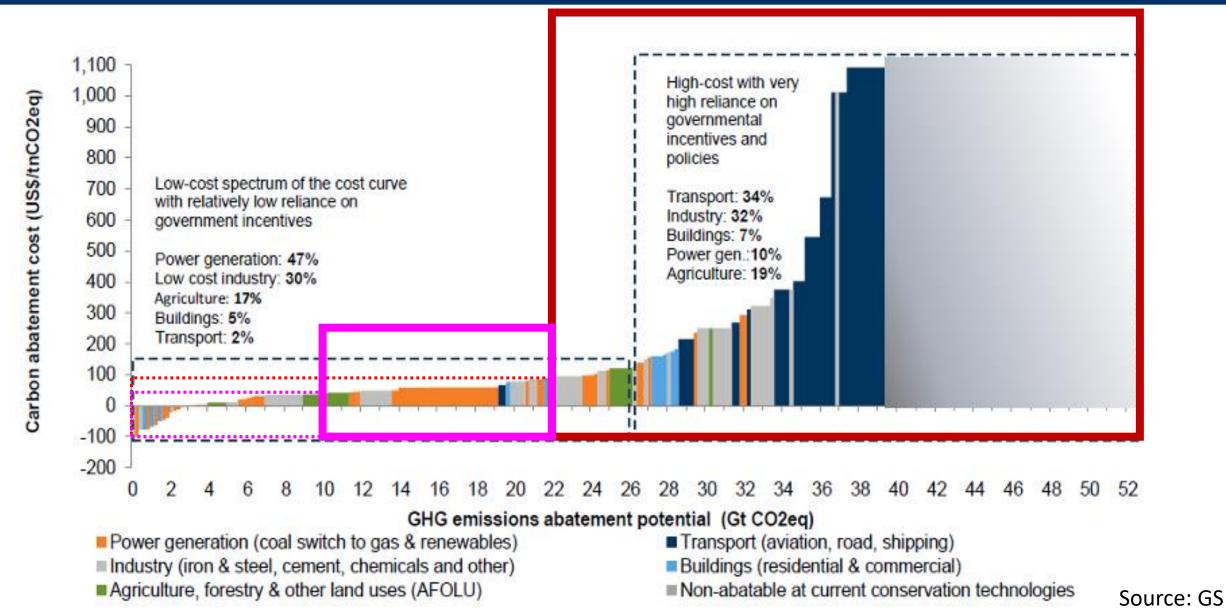
### BECCS is Required to Meet Climate Goals

#### **IPCC Mitigation Pathways Compatible with 1.5 C**





#### Cost Abatement Curve





#### BECCS in Other Countries



#### **Klemetsrud WtE Plant, Norway**

- Part of Longship/Northern Lights
- · Capture being added to waste-toenergy plant heating Oslo
- Shell Cansolv
- Under construction
- 400 kt CO<sub>2</sub>/yr, North Sea storage
- · Pilot plant and FEED showed technical viability



#### Mikawa Biomass Power, Japan

- 50 MW<sub>a</sub> BECCS demonstration plant owned by Toshiba
- Operational



#### **Avedøre Biomass Plant, Denmark**

- Plant owned by Ørsted fueled by straw heats Greater Copenhagen
- Combined 430,000 t CO<sub>2</sub>/yr to be captured from plant and Kalundborg CHP
- Microsoft purchasing 250,000 t CDR/yr for 11 years
- CO<sub>2</sub> to be stored by Northern Lights



#### **Drax Power Plant, UK**

- 4,000 MW pulverized coal power plant fuel switched to wood pellets (8-9 Mt/yr)
- Formerly largest GHG emitter in Europe
- Plan to initially add capture (MHI) to 2 of 6 units
- 8 Mt CO<sub>2</sub>/yr (2 units), North Sea storage
- >\$20 M FEED underway (Worley, MHI)
- MHI operated pilot plant at site to test flue gas



#### PT Tanjungenim Lestari Pulp & Paper, ID

Pertamina and Marubeni (TELPP owner) partnering to develop BECCS plant at Kraft pulp mill in Indonesia (Sumatra)



#### **KVV8 Biomass CHP, Stockholm**

- Wood chip-fuelled plant heating Stockholm via district energy system owned by Stockholm Exergi
- Plan to add capture (hot potassium capture by Capsol); pilot plant operated for multiple years
- >\$250 M in EU grant funding
- 800 kt CO<sub>2</sub>/yr, North Sea storage via Northern Lights
- FEED study complete, 2026 commissioning planned



#### Mönsterås Pulp and Paper, Sweden

- Njord Carbon partnership on BECCS between Equinor, Södra (major forest products company), and Verdane (Nordic private equity firm)
- Södra owns three pulp mills, with Mönsterås the largest (~2 Mt CO<sub>2</sub>/yr)
- CO<sub>2</sub> shipping via Northern Lights



# Canada Energy Regulator

- No Net Zero Grid without BECCS
- In 2050 Global Net Zero, biopower is:
  - #1 source of electricity in Saskatchewan
  - #2 source of electricity in Alberta
- Modelled limit is biomass supply, not cost
- Artificial constraints on biomass supply and CO<sub>2</sub> storage

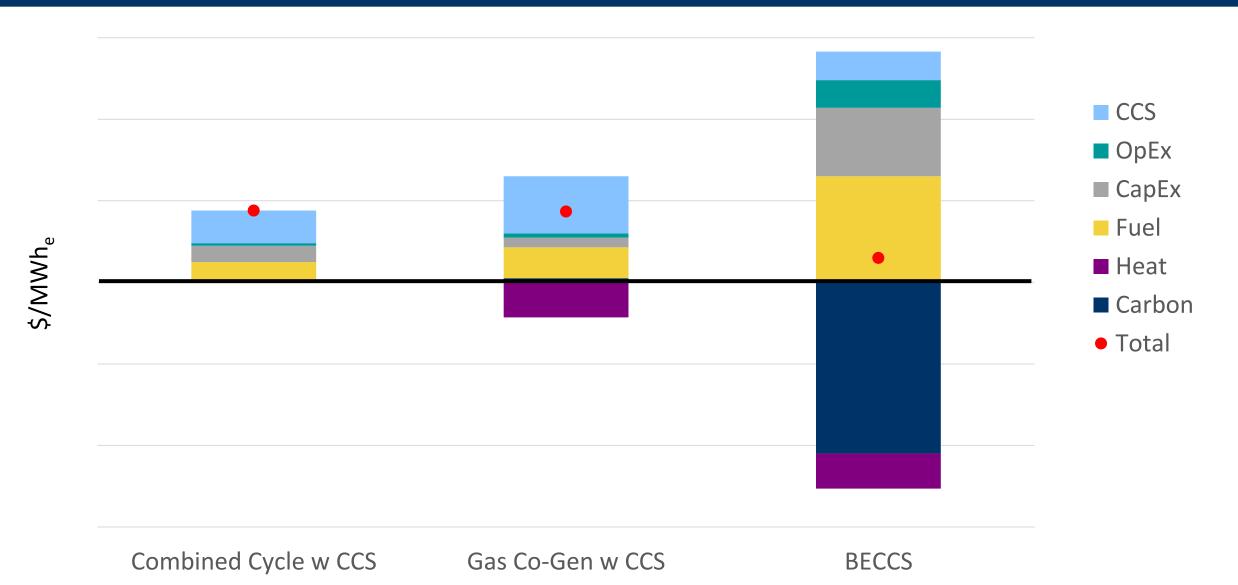


# Canada Energy Regulator

"As the carbon price increases, biomass CCS units become a negative cost generation option, where its average cost of production in 2050 is -\$85/MWh. Therefore, biomass CCS partially displaces all other generation technologies in Alberta and Saskatchewan."



## Multiple Products = Economic Viability



# Co-Development of Canada's First BECCS Project



- 1.4 Mt CO<sub>2</sub>/yr of carbon dioxide removals (CDRs)
- \$16 M FEED study funded by governments & partners
- CO<sub>2</sub> storage rights Alberta secured RMC Vault
- Commercial capture, compression, storage technology
- CDR monetization required for FID
- www.rockymountaincarbon.com







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