

The EU's automotive industry transition towards green and clean vehicles

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Transforming EU economy and society to meet climate ambitions

- On 14 July 2021, the European Commission adopted a set of proposals to make the EU's climate, energy, land use, transport and taxation policies fit for reducing net greenhouse gas emissions by at least 55% by 2030
- Union-wide climate-neutrality objective 2050



Transforming the transport sector to meet climate ambitions

- Transport has a crucial role to play responsible for nearly 30% of the EU's total CO₂ emissions
- Road transport is the biggest emitter
- 90% reduction of greenhouse gas emissions in transport by 2050

Share of total EU Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions, per mode





EU vehicles market: overview

- 11.7 million EU represents a market of 11.7 million motor vehicles per year (2009-2020)
- 243 million passenger cars on the road in the EU today
- 47.5% Almost half of new passenger cars sold are powered by petrol
- 24.5% Alternatively-powered vehicles (battery electric, plug-in hybrid, hybrid and alternative fuels) together represent 24.5% of new car sales in the EU

➤ 10.5%: share of electrically-chargeable vehicles (5.4% battery electric, 5.1% plugin hybrids)



Q3 2021

New passenger cars by fuel type in the EU % SHARE Q3 2021 🗸 Petrol Diesel Battery electric (BEV) Plug-in hybrid (PHEV) Hybrid electric (HEV) 📕 Natural gas (NGV) 📕 Other NGV, 0.4% Other, 2.9% Petrol, 39.5% PHEV, 9.1% BEV, 9.8% Diesel, 17.6% HEV, 20.7%

Q3 2020: BEV=4.9%; PHEV=5%

New passenger car registrations in the EU by alternative fuel type





Source: ACEA

EU Fleet

Passenger cars in use, by fuel type

BY COUNTRY, %SHARE | 2019

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Petrol
Diesel
Hybrid electric (HEV)
Electrically chargeable (ECV)
Alternative fuels
Unknown





Source: ACEA

Fit for 55: A comprehensive and interconnected set of proposals





Making road transport sustainable for all

The European Commission proposes more ambitious targets for reducing the CO_2 emissions of new cars and vans

55% reduction of emissions from cars by 2030 50%

reduction of emissions from vans by 2030

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emissions from new cars by 2035



From 2035 onwards, all new cars and vans registered in the EU will need to be zero-emission.



Benefits of strengthened CO2 targets

- Reduction of CO2 emissions in the road transport sector
- Benefits for citizens through lower energy expenditure and better air quality, especially in urban areas
- Economy-wide **GDP** and **employment** positive impacts
- Reduced oil imports
- Clear and long-term signal to stimulate innovation in zero-emission technologies, increase employment in new technologies



Alternative Fuels Infrastructure Regulation

Designed to:

- support the CO² emissions proposal
- ensure that drivers are able to charge or fuel their vehicles at a reliable network across Europe
- ensure that the lack of infrastructure does not act as a bottleneck to automotive manufacturers' investment plans for low- & zeroemission mobility



Fleet-based and distance-based targets

National fleet based targets for charging stations for cars and vans - those could lead to approximately*:



*according to Commission Impact Assessment of vehicle uptake following the 'Fit for 55' proposals and assuming an average power output of approx. 15 kW per recharging station



Recharging pools for cars and vans

- on the TEN-T core network: at least 300 kW power output every 60 km by 2025 and at least 600 kW by 2030;
- on the TEN-T comprehensive network: at least 300 kW power output every 60 km by 2030 and at least 600 kW by 2035.



Hydrogen refuelling stations

- will be made available every 150 km by 2030 along the TEN-T core network;
- in every urban node serving both light duty and heavy duty vehicles by 2030.



Recharging points for heavy duty vehicles

- on the TEN-T core network: at least 1400kW of recharging points every 60km by 2025 and at least 3500kW by 2030;
- on the TEN-T comprehensive network: at least 1400kW power output every 100km by 2030 and at least 3500kW by 2035;
- in every urban node and at every safe and secure parking by 2030.



Thank you

