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COP28 Insights -Energy Transition for the Built Environment

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Company Introduction

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IN THE UAE

FARNEK

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Farnek is the UAE's **leading Smart and Green facilities management** company.

Company Overall

FARNEK
Hospitality

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active in
all 7 Emirates

43 years
of expertise
in UAE



280+



9,000+
employees



3,000+
customers



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Sustainability



Compliance & Quality



Training Center



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Command Room/
Customer Care Centre

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Technology | Sustainability | Innovation | Cleaning | Maintenance | Security | Consultancy | Hospitality | Hitches & Glitches | Smashing

Supported more than 100 clients in their sustainability Journey for more than a decade



Leveraging our diverse team experience of more than 20 in various sustainability domains



Energy Management

- Energy Audits
- Energy Saving Retrofits (ESCO)
- Energy Management Strategy and Programs



Carbon Management

- Carbon Footprint Assessments
- Decarbonization Plan
- SBTi- net zero roadmap



Sustainability Certification

- Green Globe Certification
- Green Buildings (LEED)



Sustainability Tools

- Carbontek
- Powertek
- Hotel Optimizer
- Wastek



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Agenda

COP28 Insights

Why Energy Transition

Energy Transition in the UAE

Energy Transition and Decarbonization for the built environment

Case Studies

I would like to learn more about you

Name , function and organization

1 word about you

Why you are here today ?



By 2030 , Energy Efficiency should be ?

A -double

B -triple

C- quadruple

D - the same



Energy Efficiency improvement targets?

A -1% per annum

B -2% per annum

C - 3% per annum

D -4% per annum



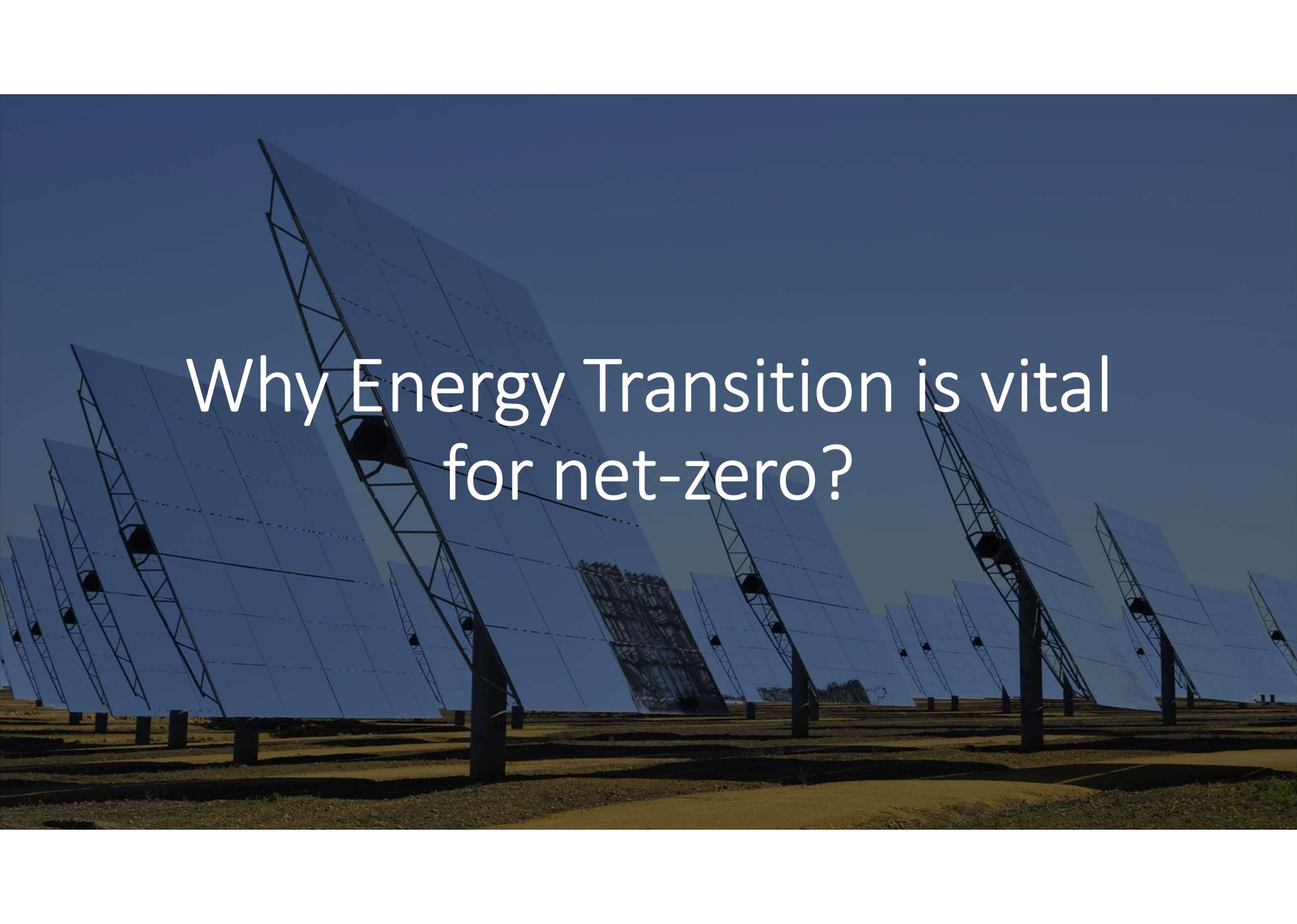
By 2030 , Renewables should be ?

A -double

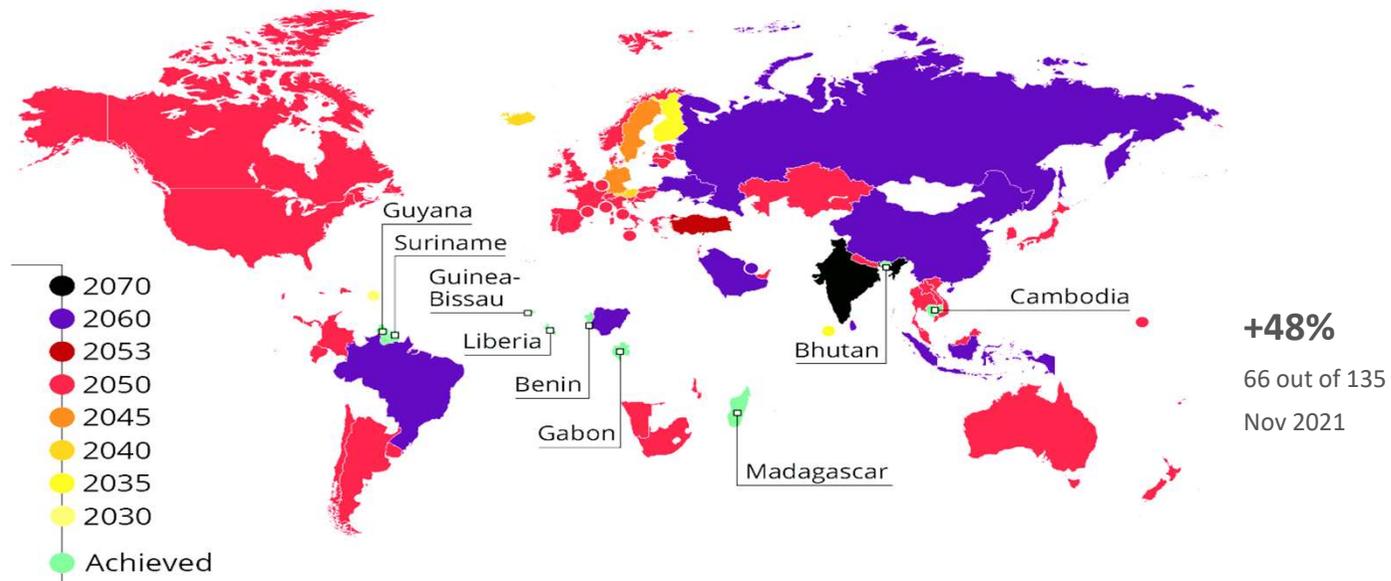
B -Triple

C- quadruple

D - the same

A large solar farm with many heliostats (mirrors) reflecting light, set against a clear blue sky. The heliostats are arranged in rows and are tilted at an angle. The ground is dry and brown. The text "Why Energy Transition is vital for net-zero?" is overlaid in white on the image.

Why Energy Transition is vital
for net-zero?



THE PATH TO NET ZERO

Countries with laws, policy documents or concrete timed pledges for carbon neutrality by targets year

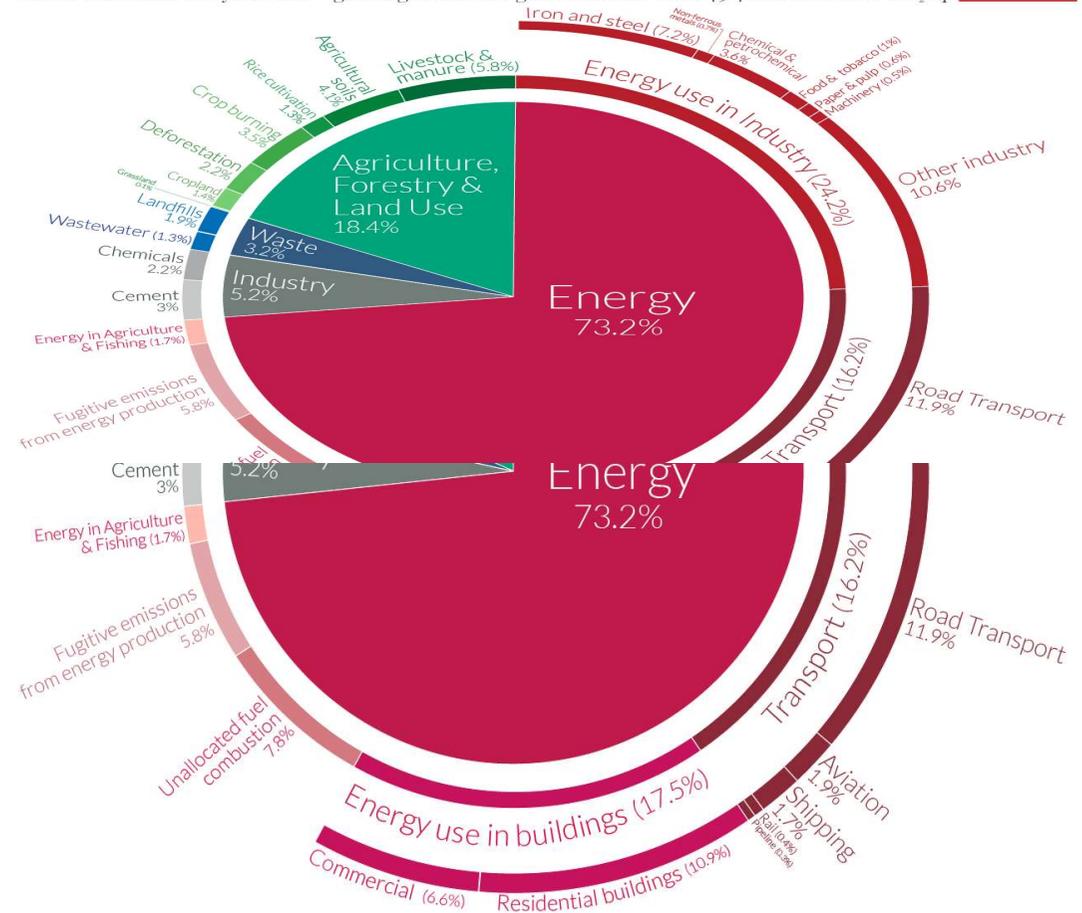
Net- Zero 2050 targets will transform the market towards a greener economy

> 73% global emissions from Energy

Global greenhouse gas emissions by sector

Our World in Data

This is shown for the year 2016 – global greenhouse gas emissions were 49.4 billion tonnes CO₂eq.



OurWorldinData.org – Research and data to make progress against the world's largest problems.

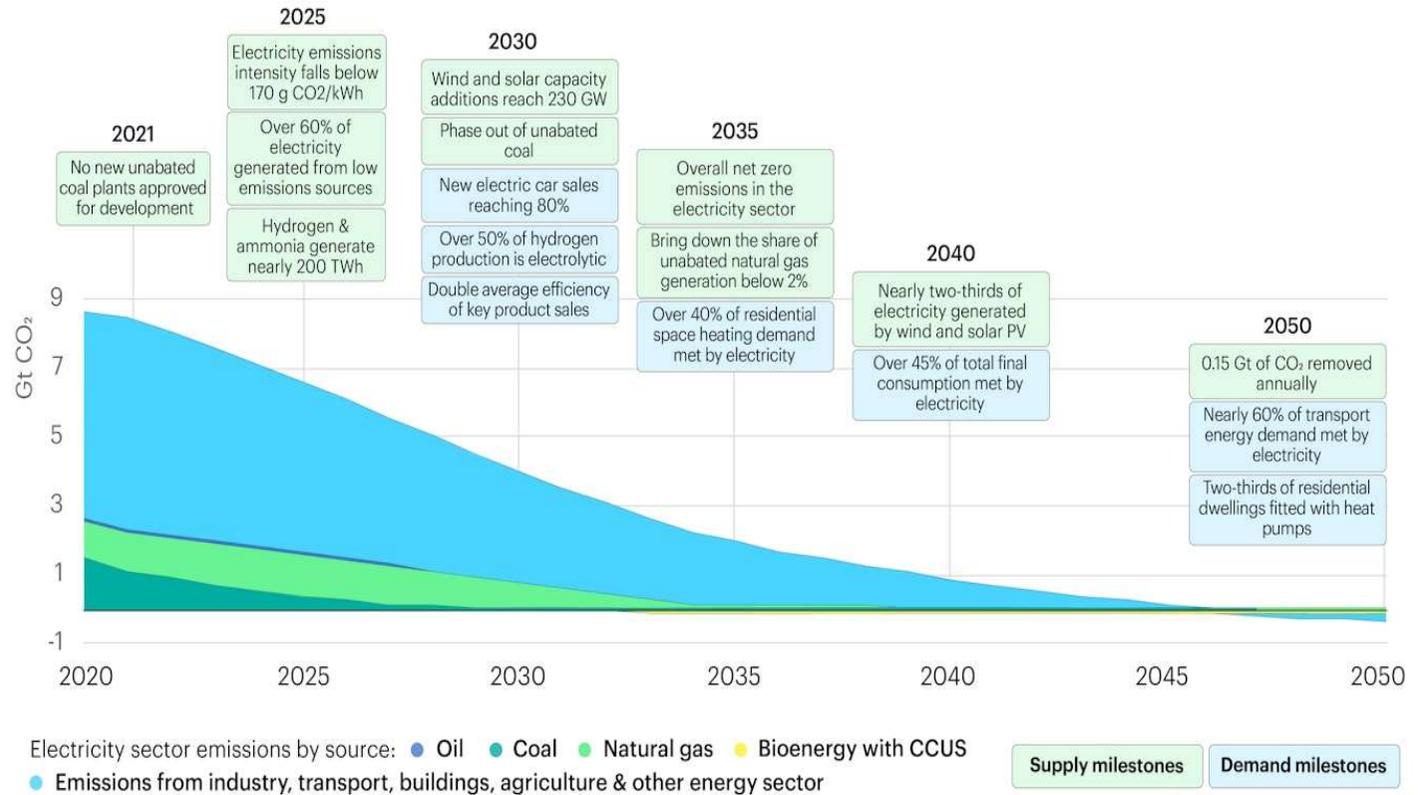
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Energy Transition is key for achieving net-zero

- 60% CO2 Energy Emissions since 1992
- 80% of current energy is from fossil fuel

Energy transition refers to the global energy sector's shift from fossil-based systems of energy production and consumption — including oil, natural gas and coal



G7 energy-related emissions and electricity sector milestones in the Net Zero Emissions by 2050 Scenario, 2020-2050

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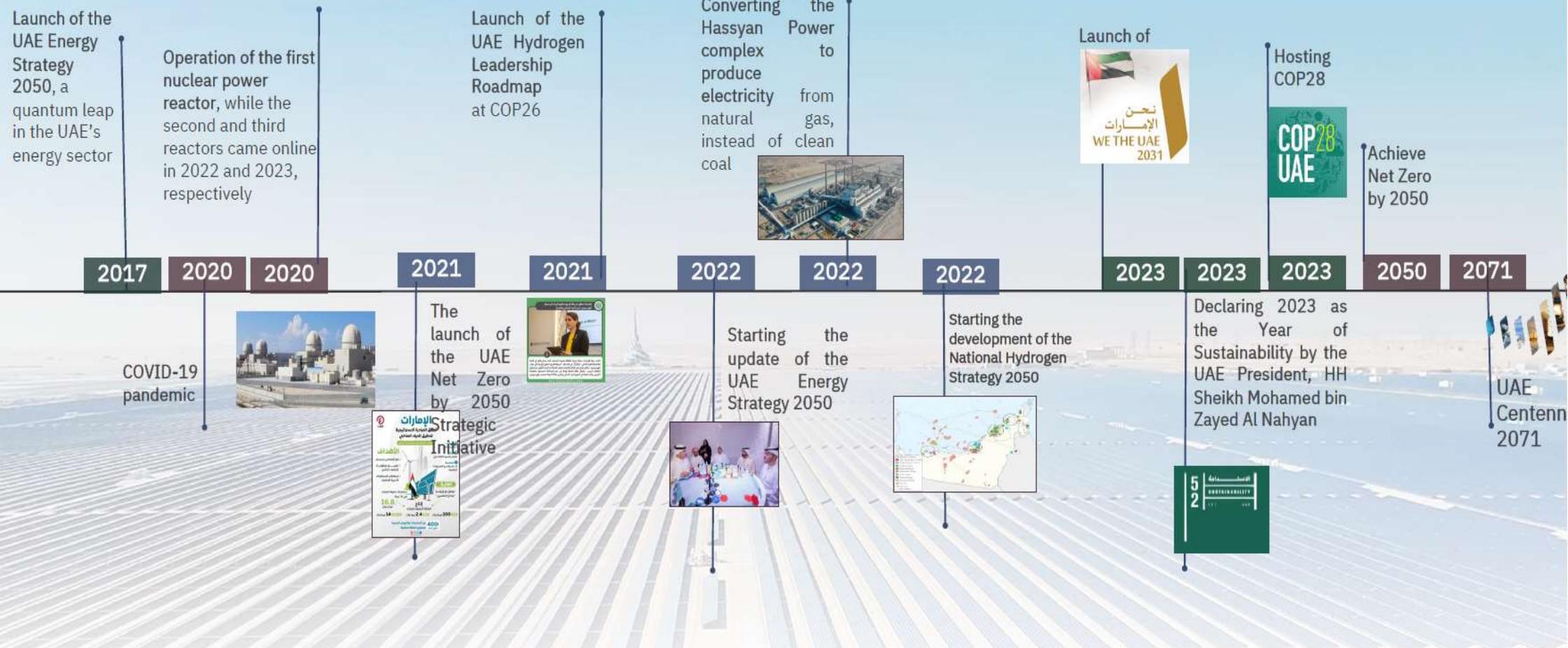
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Energy Transition in the UAE

An ambitious journey

The climate action journey in the energy sector to reach net zero by 2050



Major changes made in the updated version of the UAE Energy Strategy 2050

Targets for the year 2030

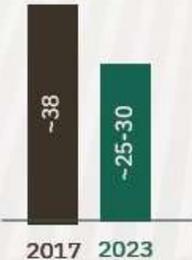
Capital investment (in AED billion)



Total cost of generation (in AED billion)



Unit cost of generation (Fils/kWh)



Energy efficiency



Emissions reduction



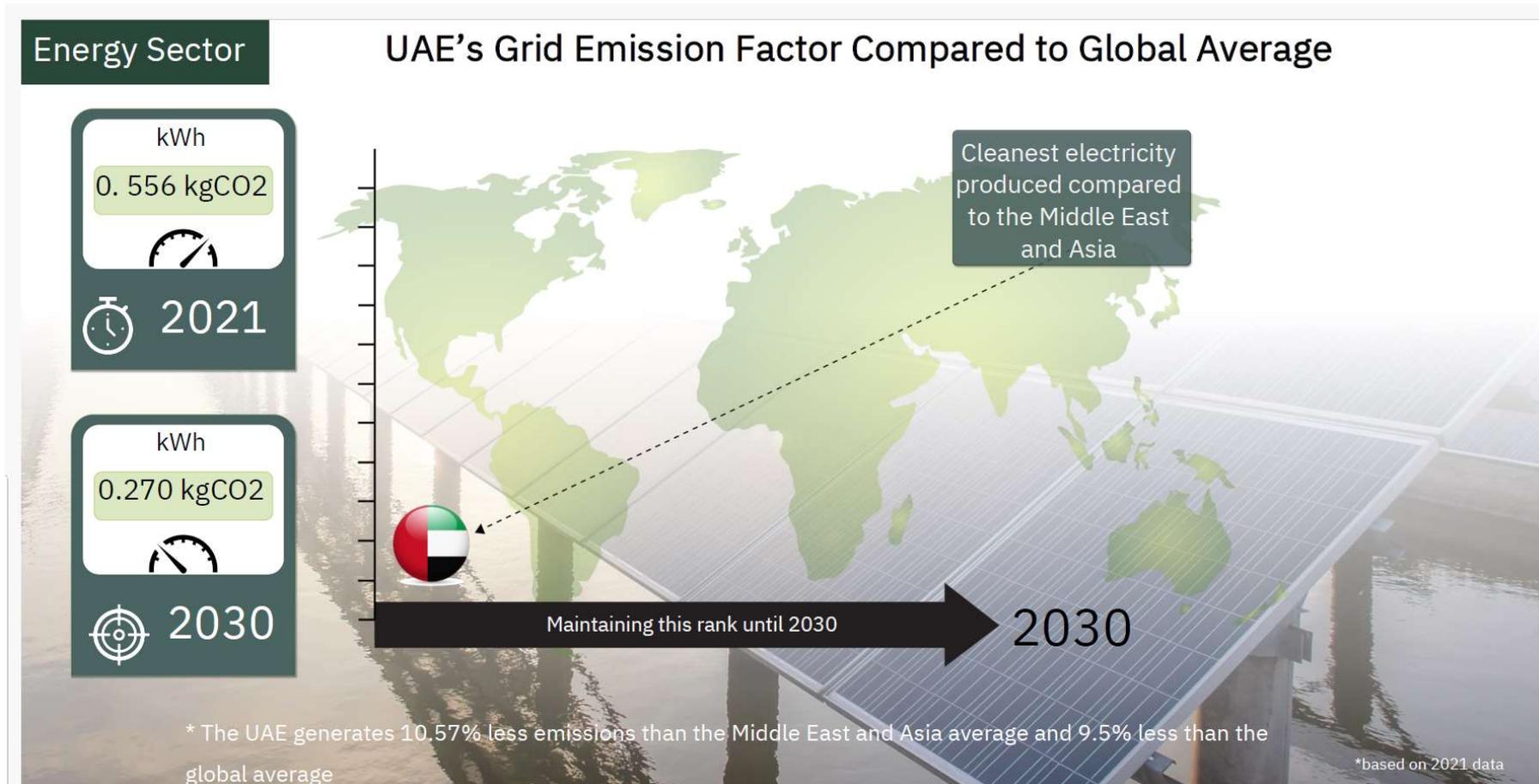
Reliability and security of power supply and resilience of systems

2017
General focus is on the transformation of the energy sector.

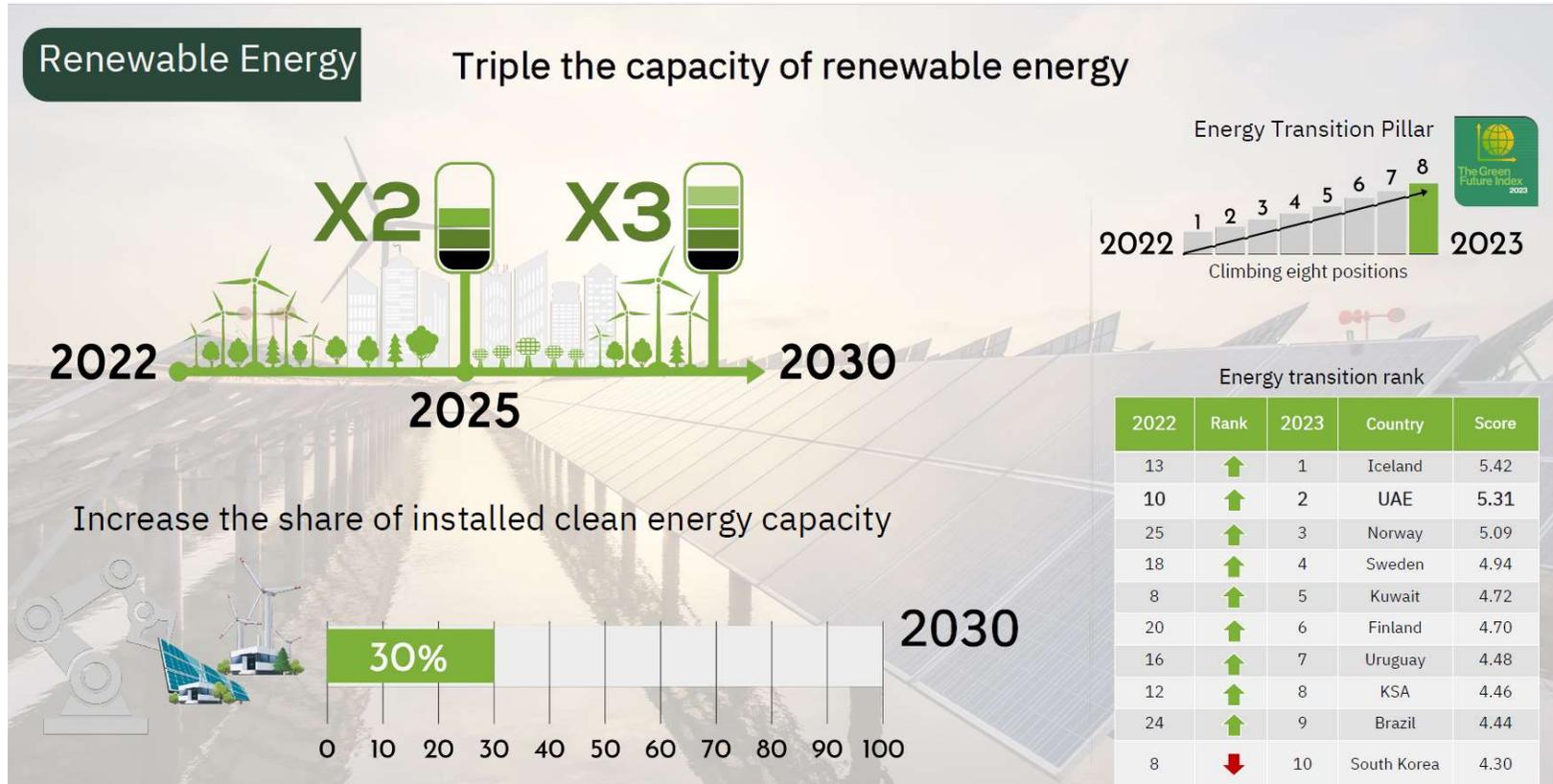
2023
Focus is on specific enablers such as policies and regulatory, technical, and technological tools to facilitate transition in the power sector and achieve net zero by 2050.

Economy | investment | Environment | Power supply security | Reliability | Flexibility | cost reasonableness | Sustainability | the growth

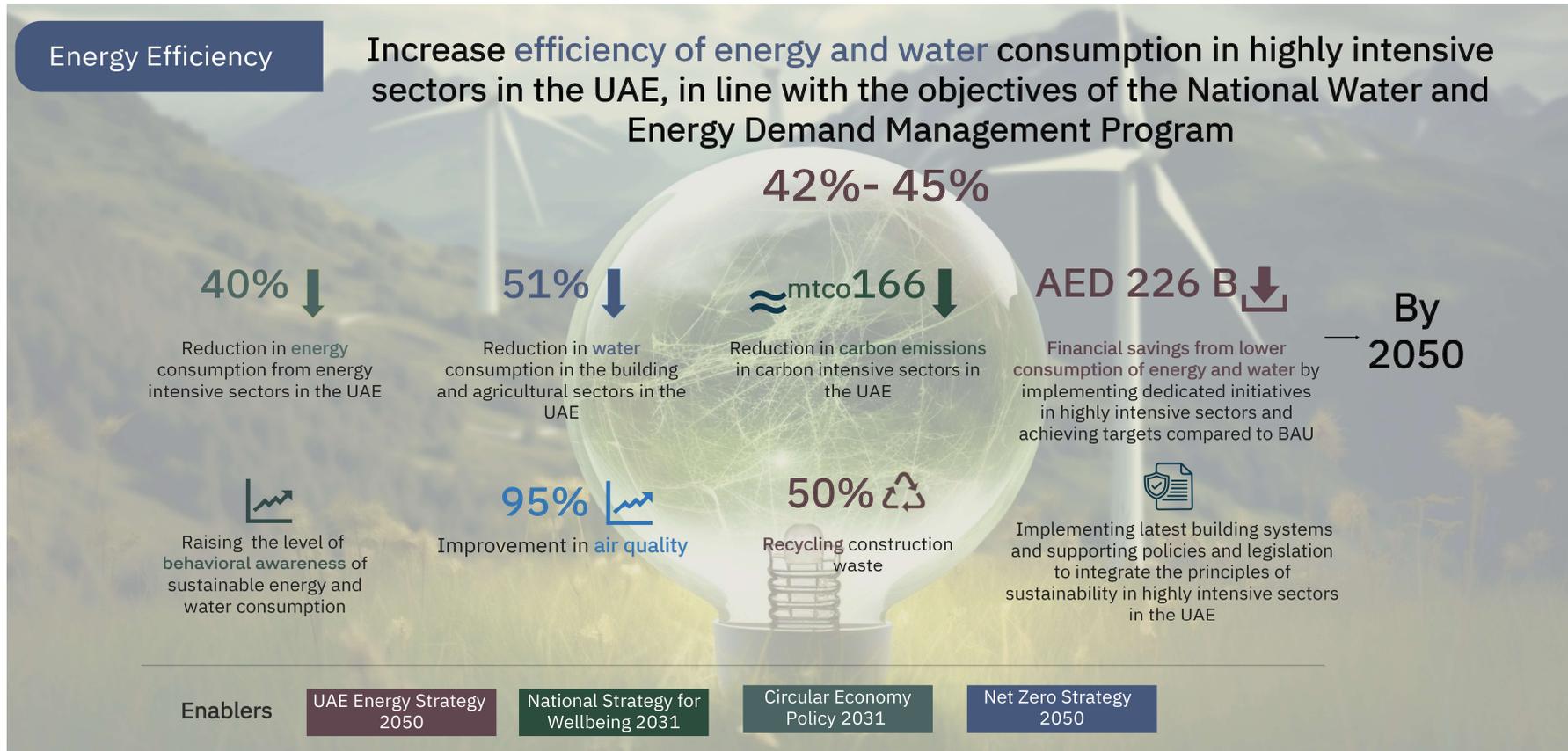
UAE Net- Zero Strategy – Grid Decarbonization



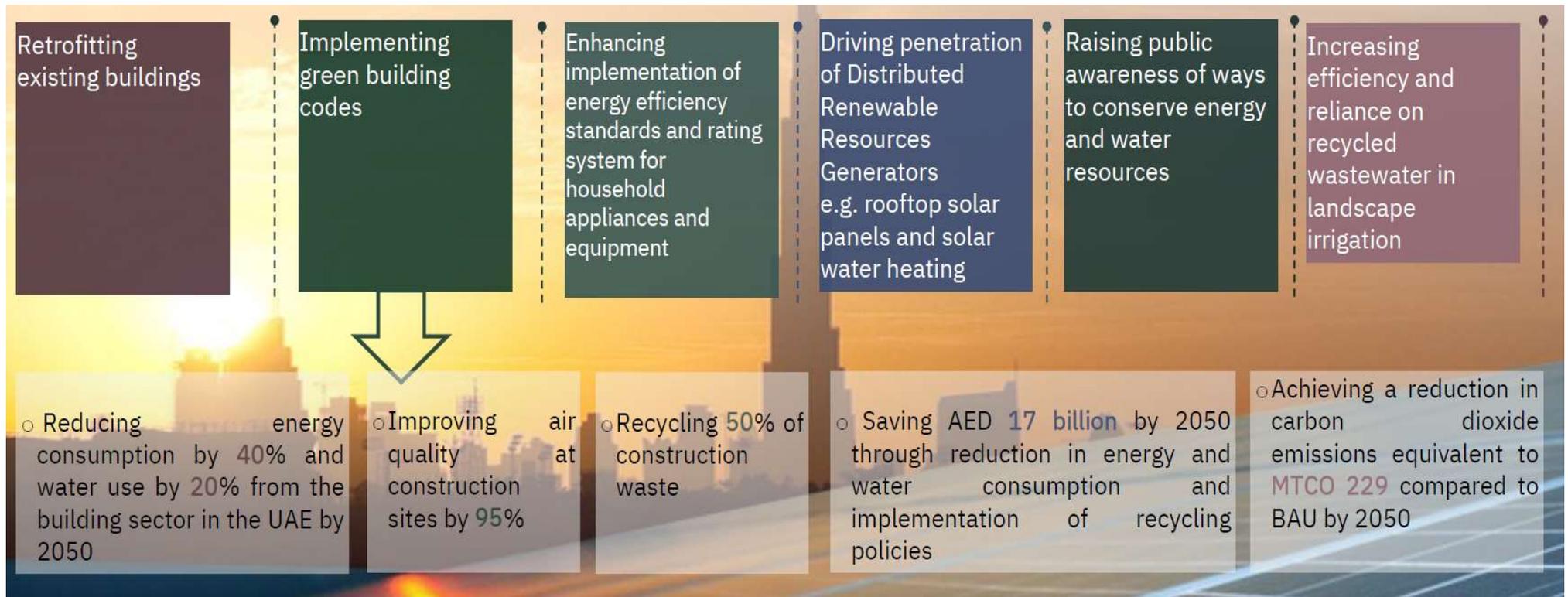
UAE Net- Zero Strategy – Renewables



UAE Net- Zero Strategy – Energy Efficiency



UAE Net- Zero Strategy – Buildings



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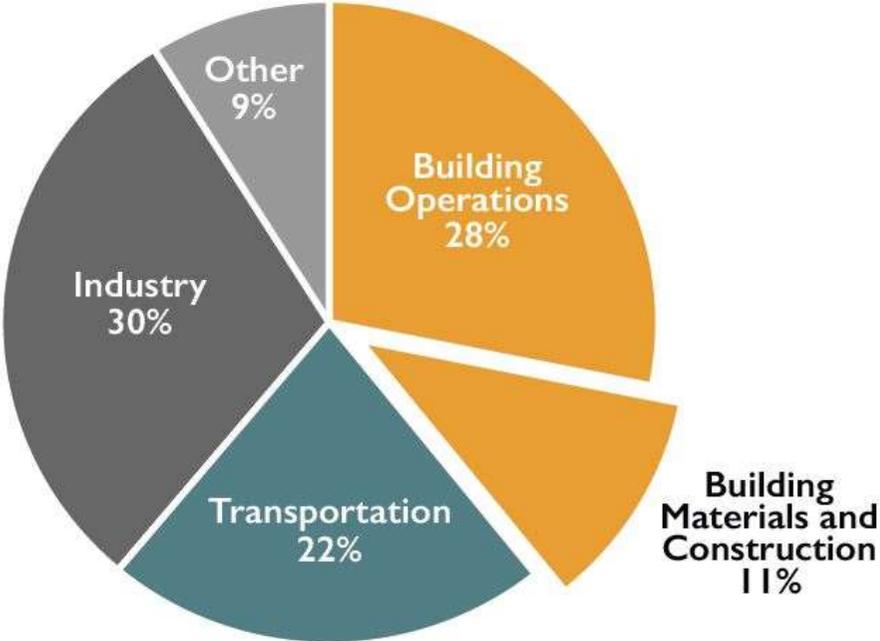
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Decarbonization for the Built Environment

Decarbonizing built Environment

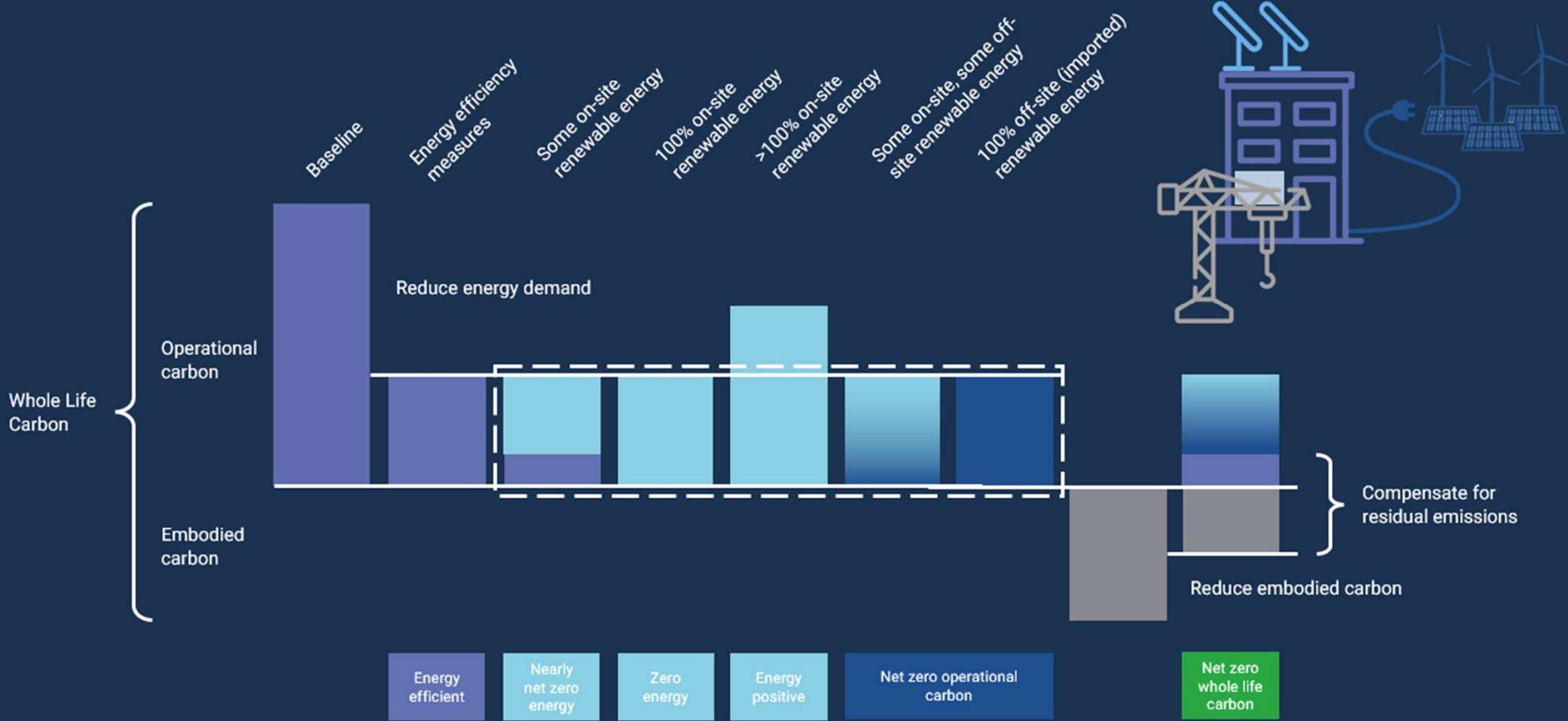
Global CO₂ Emissions by Sector



How to achieve net-zero in the built environment ?

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Definitions: Net Zero Carbon Buildings



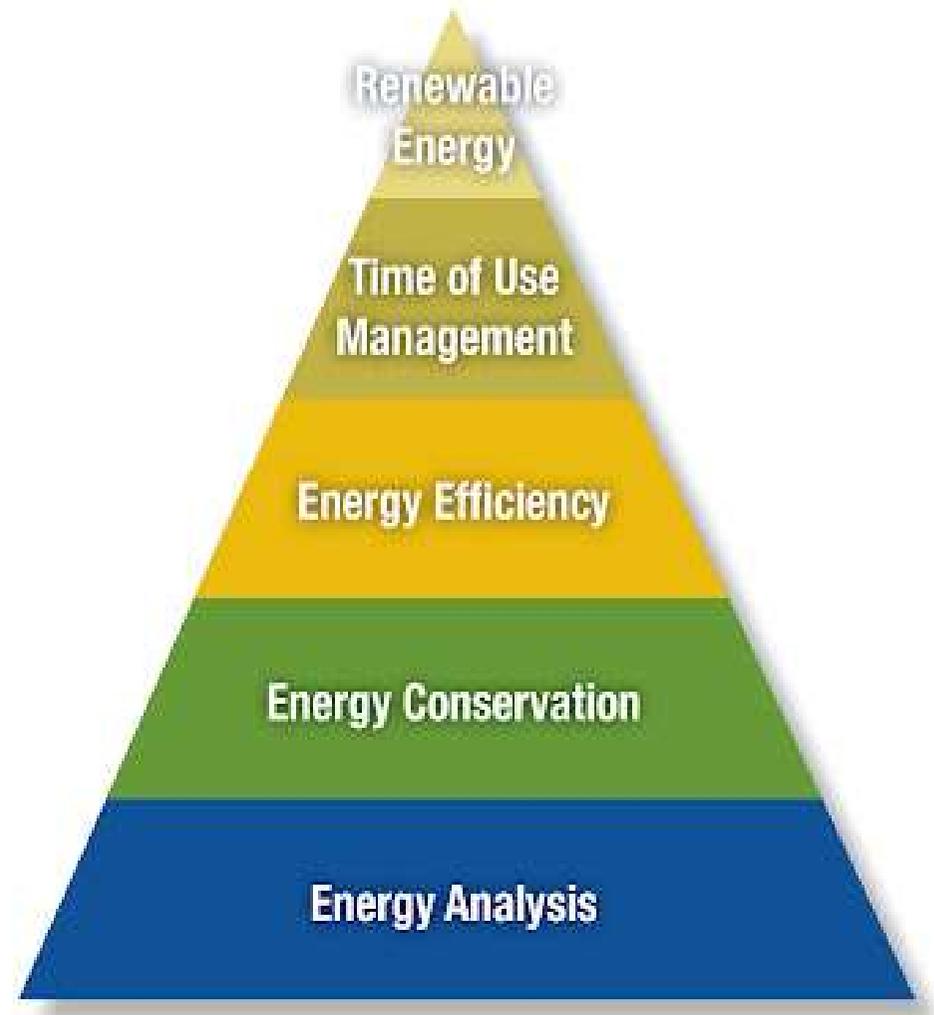


What is the Cleanest Energy



The Energy that you don't use

Energy Transition Priorities



Energy Transition - Challenges



Management Commitment



Expertise (technical /legal/commercial)



Costs (CAPEX & OPEX)



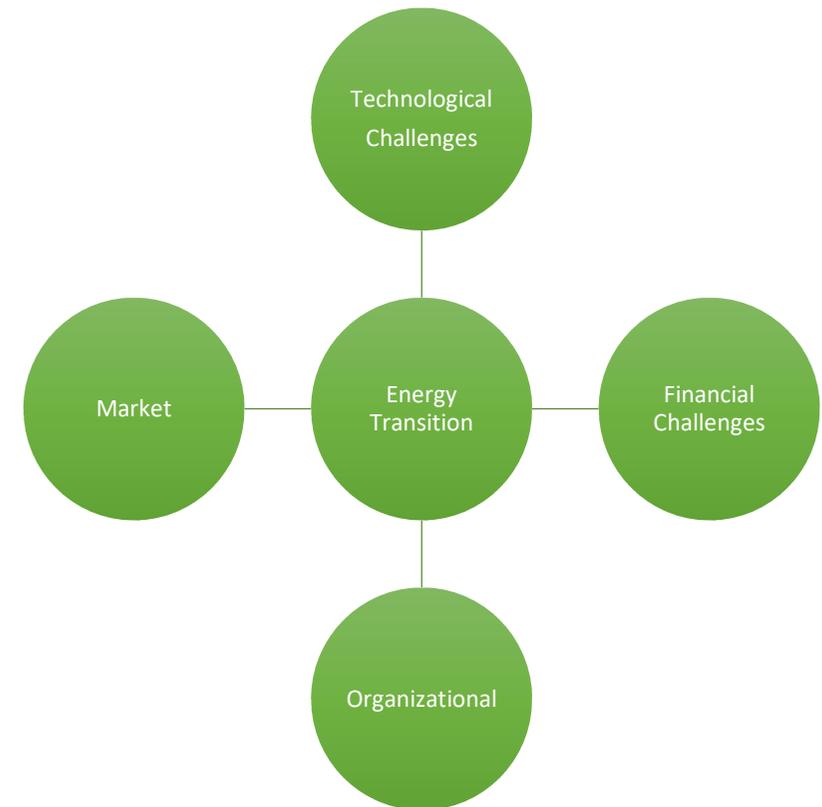
Stakeholders



Market & Policies



Technology (design , selection , performance)



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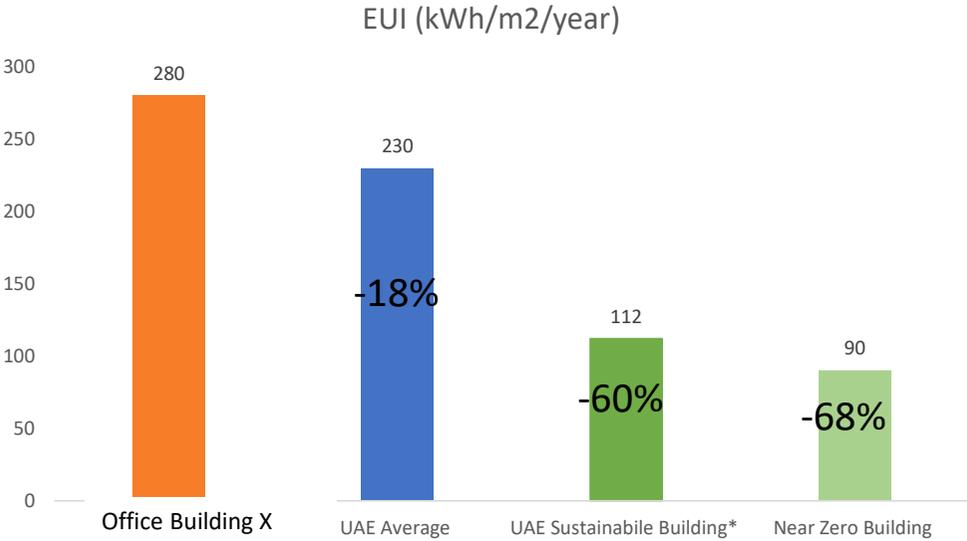
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Energy Saving Retrofits for Existing Buildings

Understanding building energy performance

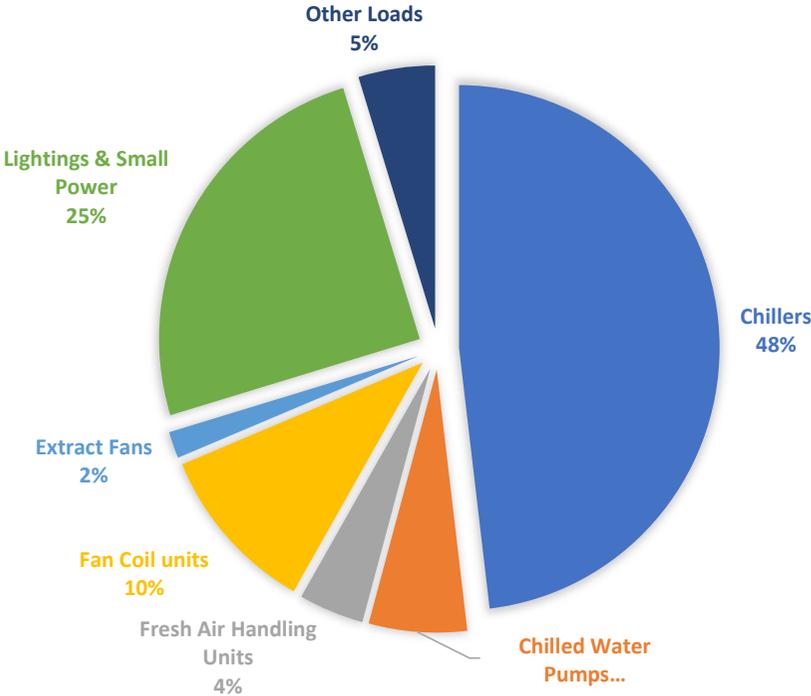
Energy Benchmarking

Energy Use Index (EUI): metric used to measure the energy consumption of a building or facility in relation to its size or function



*DEWA Sustainable Building

Energy Breakdown



Energy Saving Measures for Existing Buildings

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|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| 1. LED Lighting Upgrades | 2. HVAC System Optimization | 3. Building Insulation Enhancements | 4. Programmable Thermostat Installation |
| 5. Energy-Efficient Appliance Upgrades | 6. Water Heating System Improvements | 7. Building Automation System Implementation | 8. Window Treatments for Energy Efficiency |
| | 9. Occupancy Sensor Installation | 10. Energy Management Software Integration | |

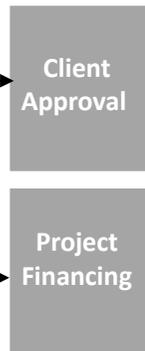
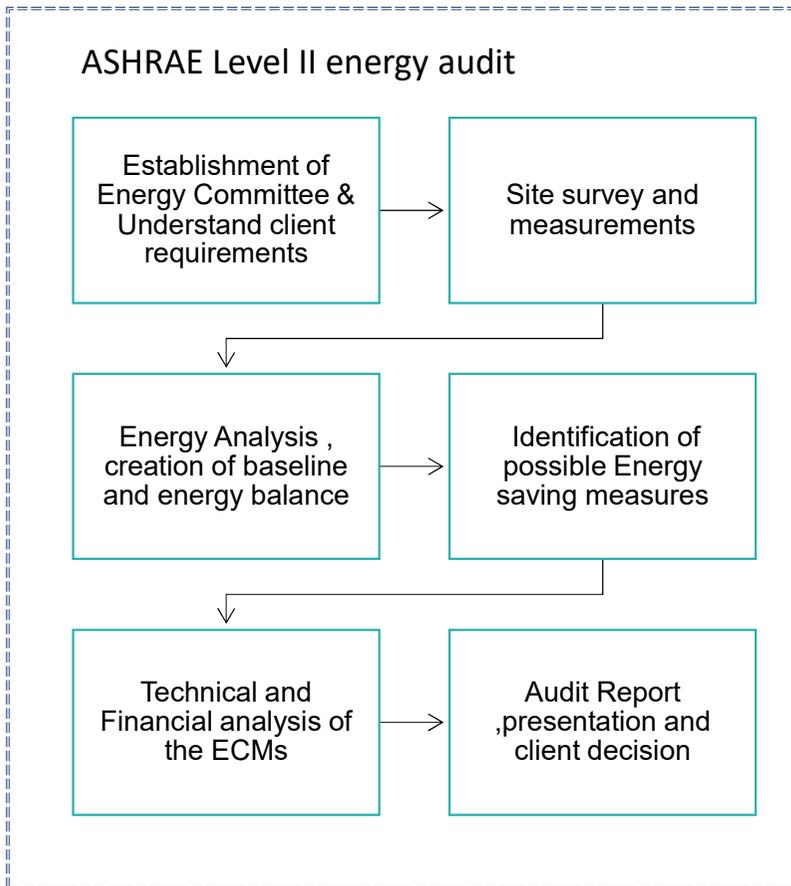
Energy Saving Solutions - ESPC

- Energy Saving Performance Contracting (ESPC) is low-risk method of financing and delivering energy efficiency improvements for businesses that lack the funds, technical experience and manpower needed for such projects.
- ENERGY SERVICE COMPANY (ESCO) DELIVER TURNKEY ENERGY PROJECTS WITH SAVINGS GUARANTEES

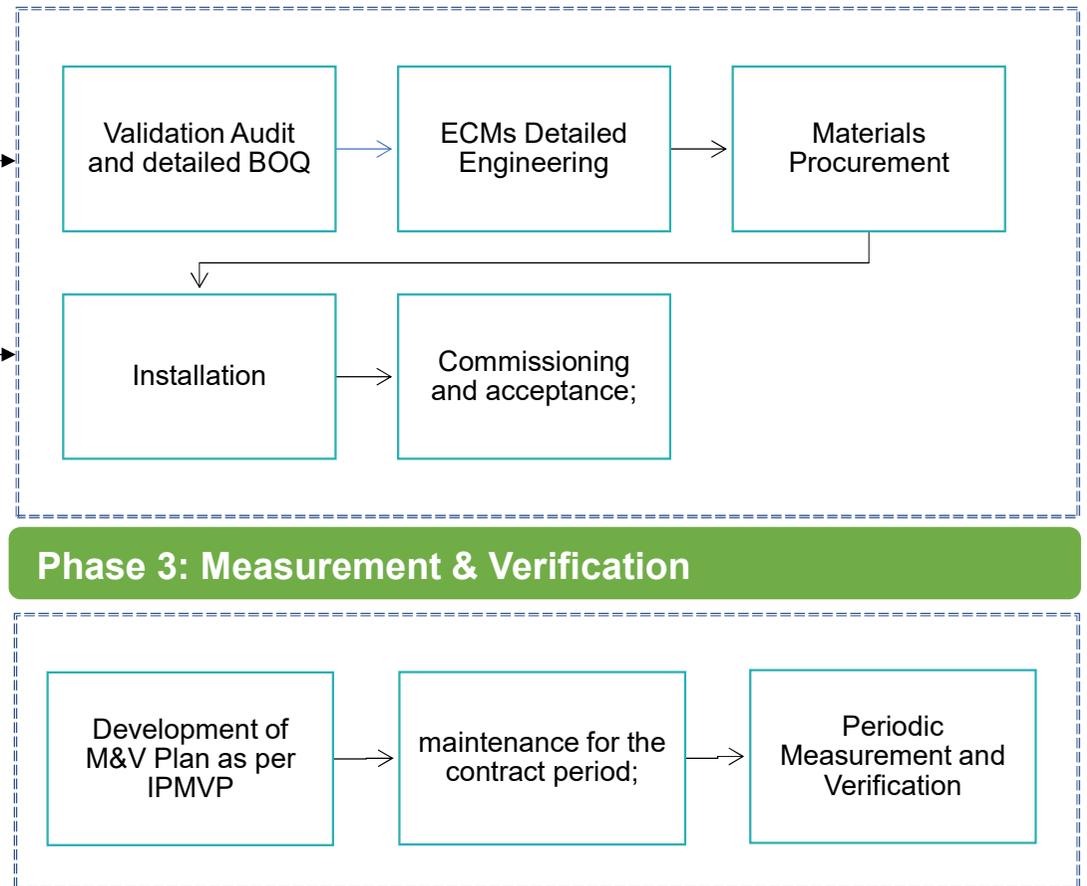


Proposed Energy Savings Solutions- Activities

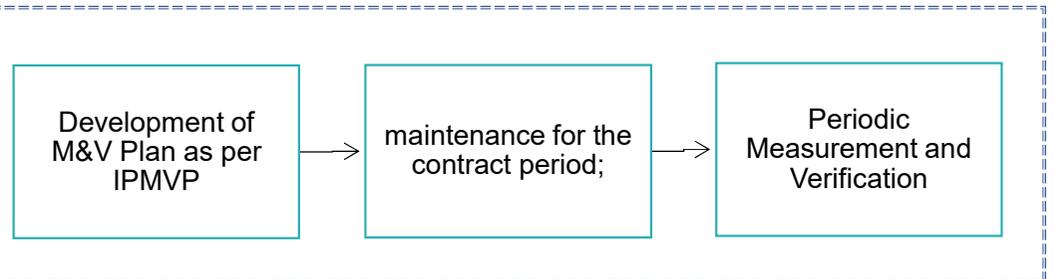
Phase 1: Energy Assessment & Planning



Phase 2: ESMs Implementation

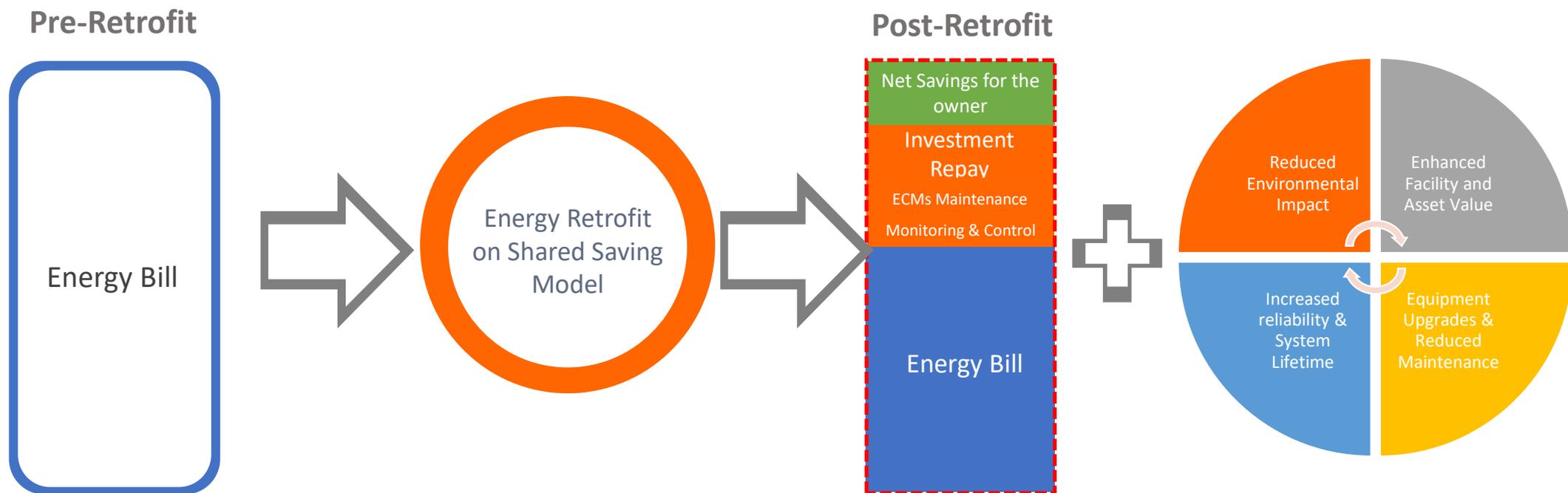


Phase 3: Measurement & Verification



ESPC Model– shared saving model

No Capital Investment , Risk Free Savings For Owners



INVESTMENT from the ESCO

ESPC Model– Guaranteed Saving Model

Guaranteed Savings & Risk Sharing With Owners

Pre-Retrofit

Energy Bill

UPFRONT INVESEMNT
From the owner



Energy Retrofit
on Guaranteed
Saving Model

Post-Retrofit

Net Savings

ECMs Maintenance
Monitoring & Control

Energy Bill



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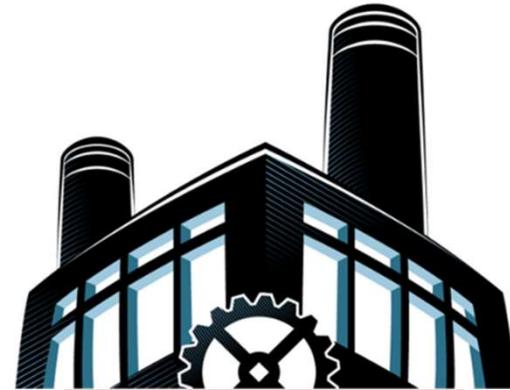
Continuous Energy Management

What is Missing in Project-Based Approach to Energy Efficiency?



Project-Based Focus on Technological Change

But what about...



Holistic strategies?



Raw Materials and Energy Sources?



People?



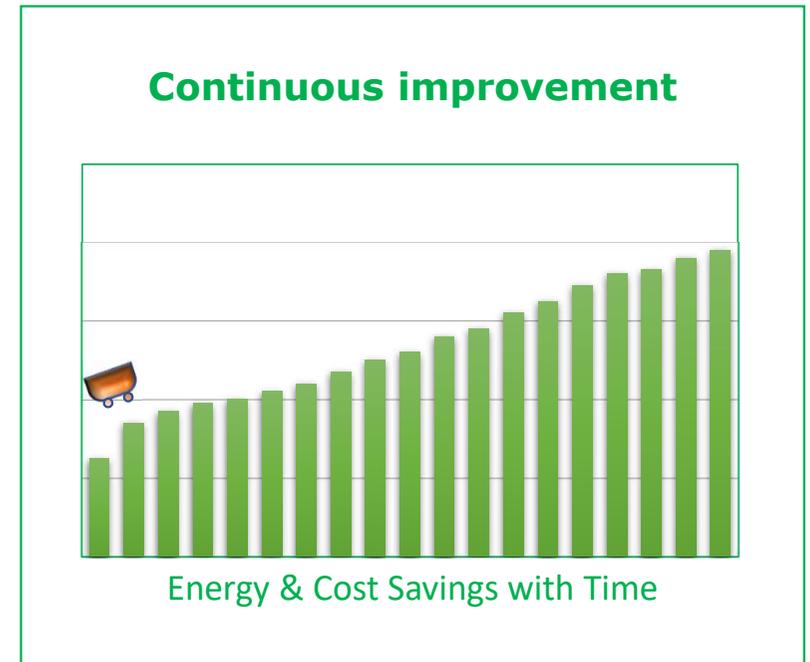
Controls?

A more Comprehensive approach to Energy Efficiency is needed

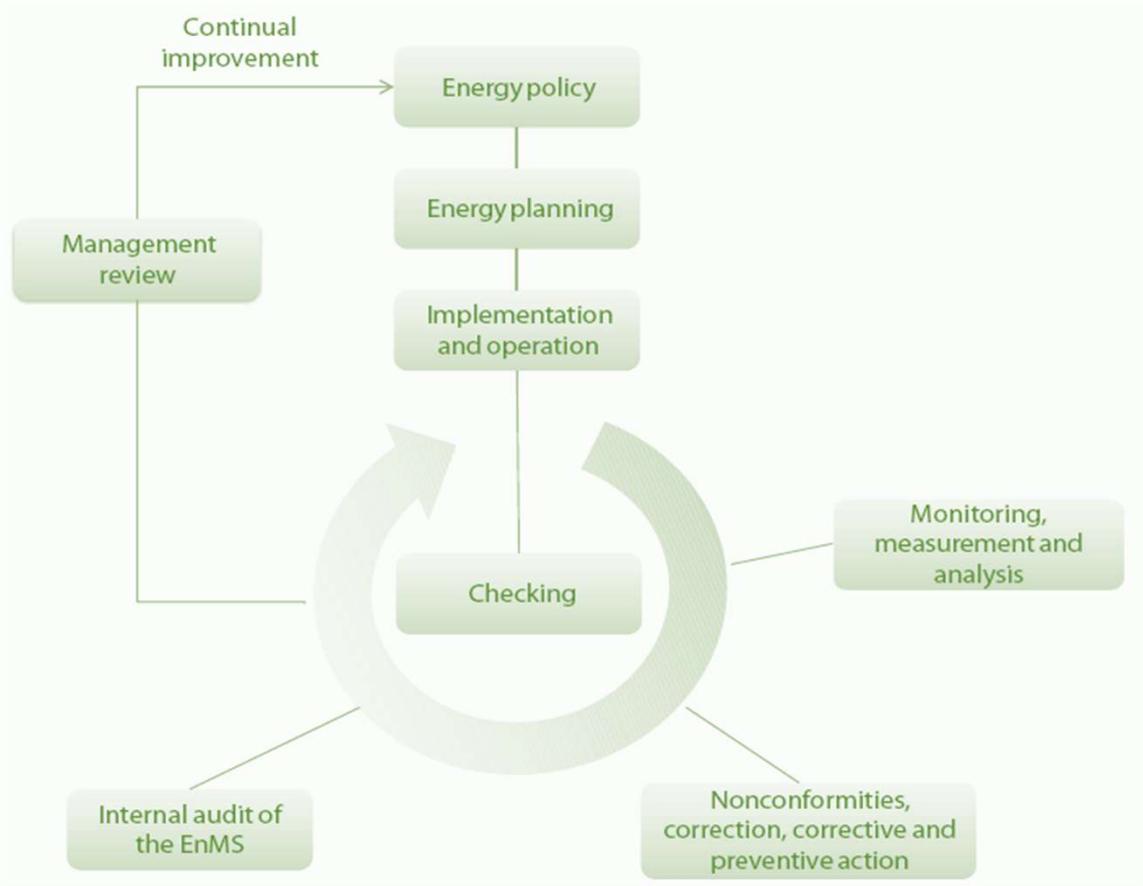
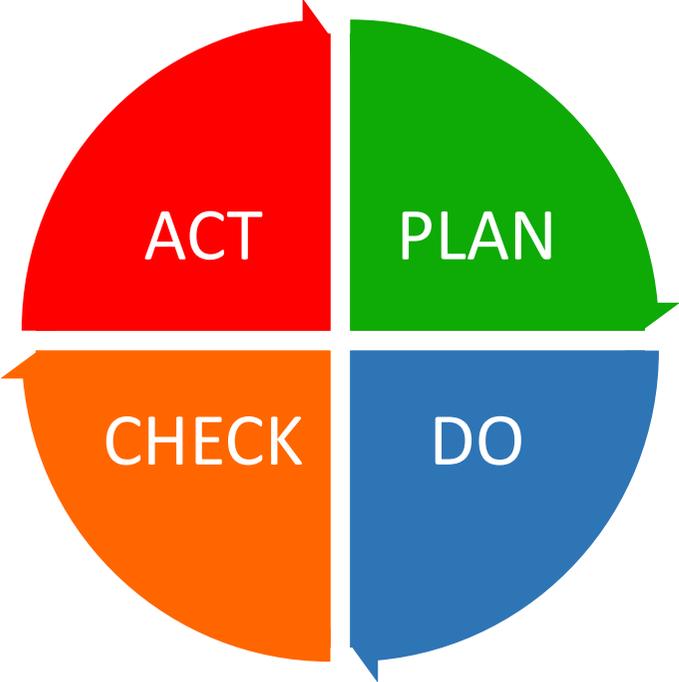
Organizations that target behavioral and organizational barriers, as well as technological, can achieve continual improvement in energy performance.



Staff at every level of organization needs to be engaged and involved to achieve energy goals!



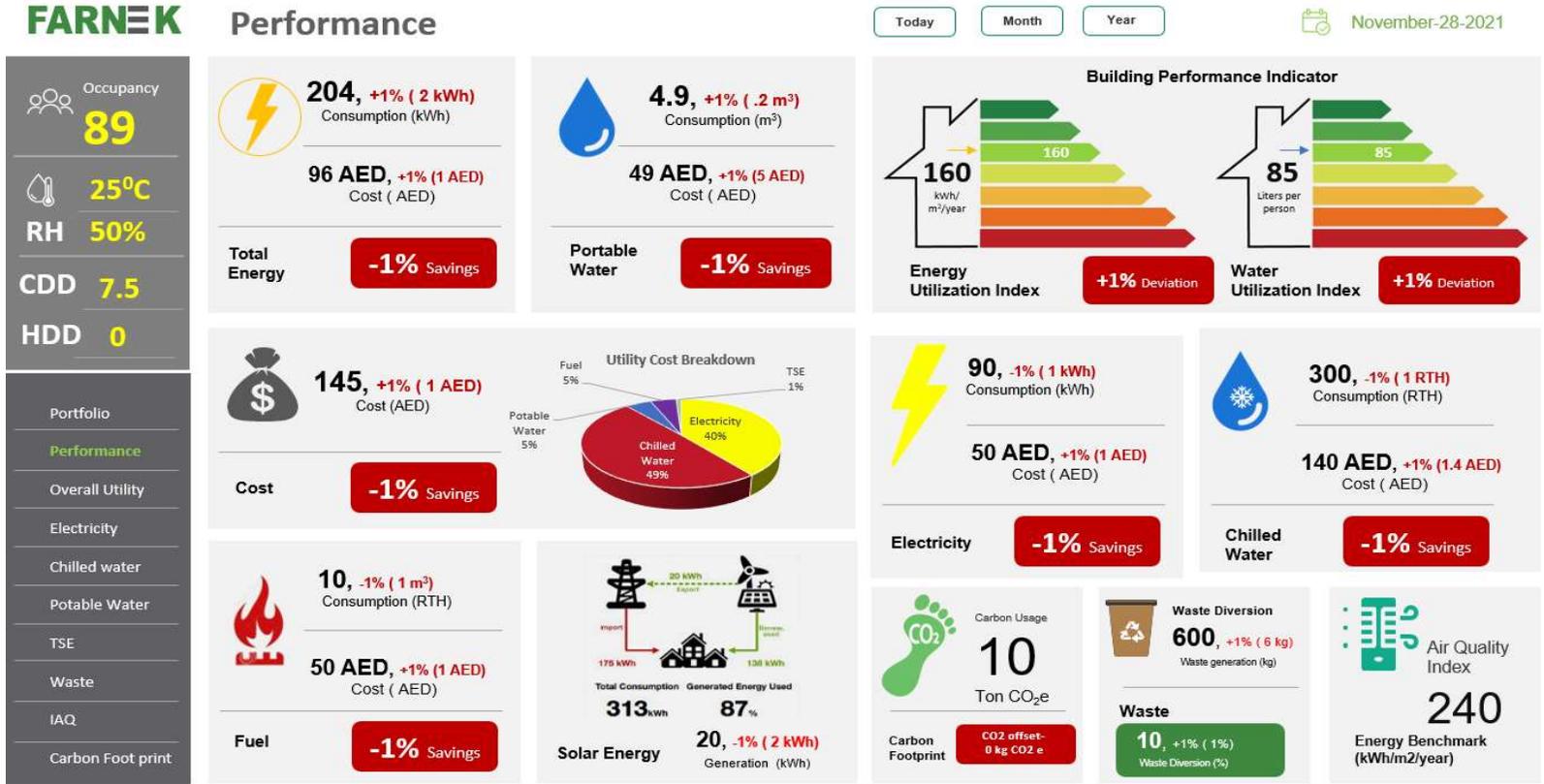
ISO 50001:2018 Energy Management Processes



Source: ISO 50001:2011

Continuous Monitoring and Energy Optimization

A holistic approach, connecting support to operational units & providing daily, monthly & yearly monitoring of KPIs like energy performance, waste performance and CO2 footprint



- POWERTEK**
- Enhanced Energy Optimization
 - Real time Data streaming & Analytics
 - Utility Bifurcation/ Load Profile Visualization
 - Asset Level Efficiency Tracking
 - Building Energy Use Index Monitoring
 - Energy/Water/Waste Benchmarking
 - Integration with BMS & IoT Sensors
 - Waste Performance
 - Carbon Emissions



Portfolio Management

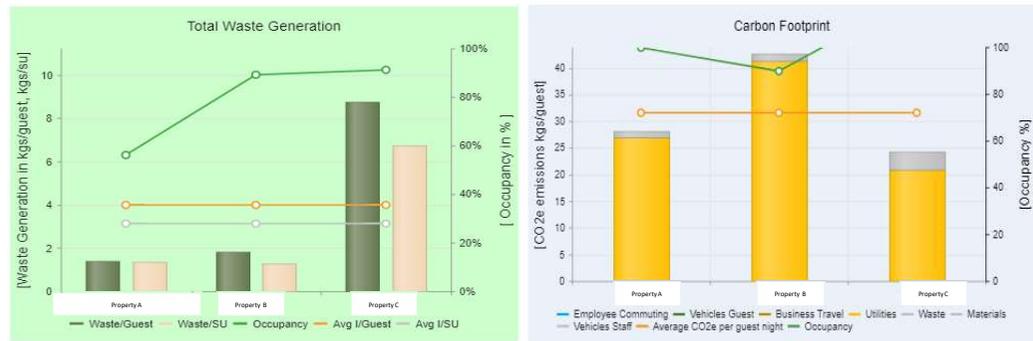
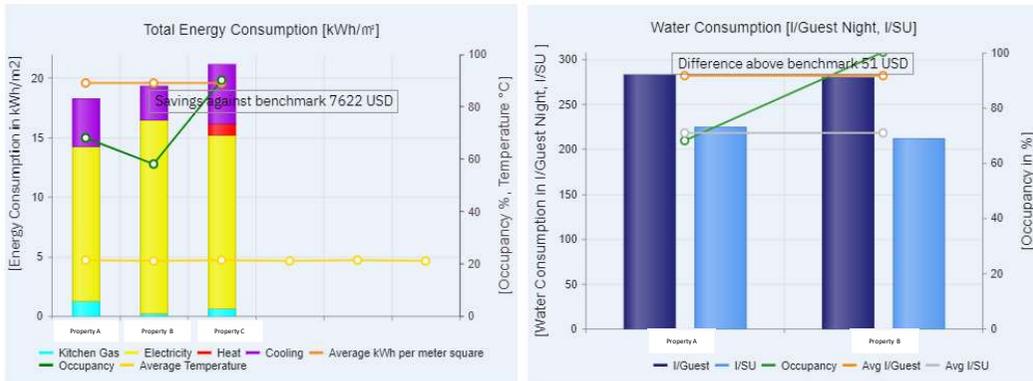
Continuous performance management to drive and improve efficiencies



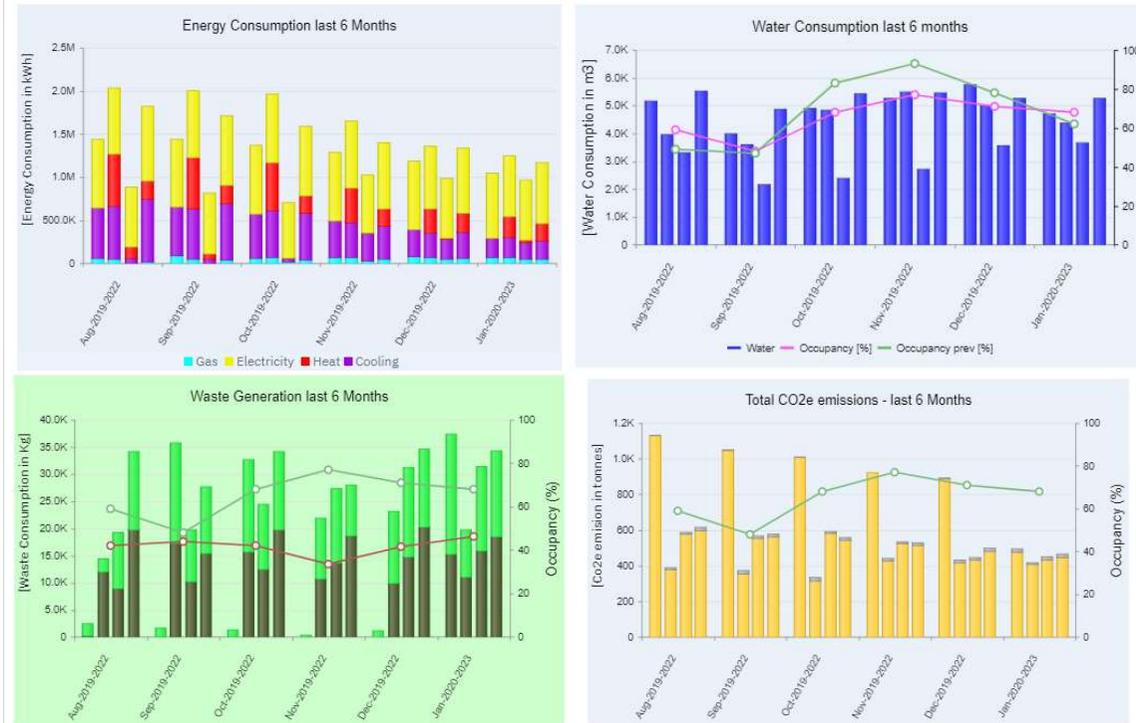
Benchmarking

Comparing with similar properties & hotel's own historic performance

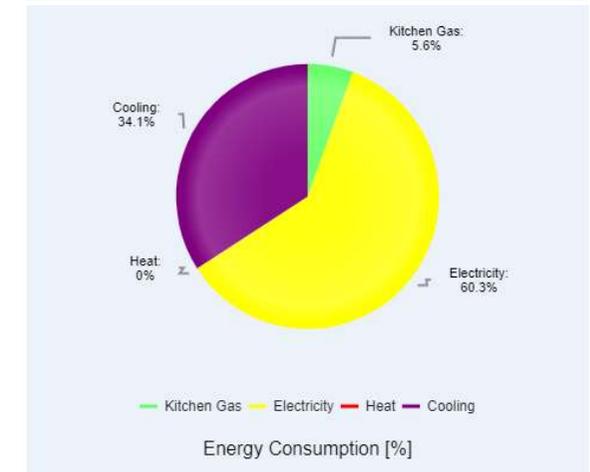
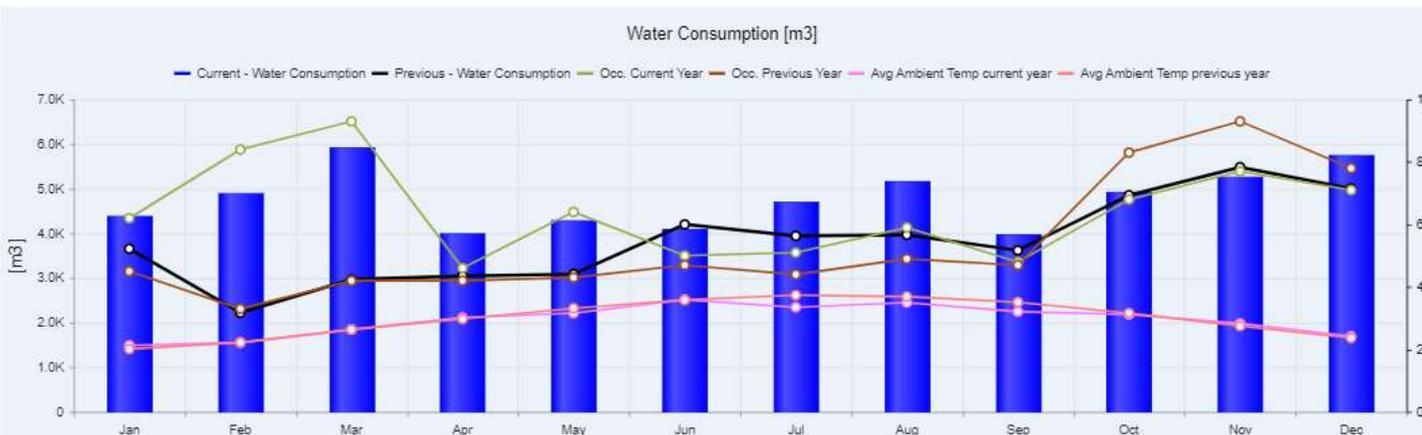
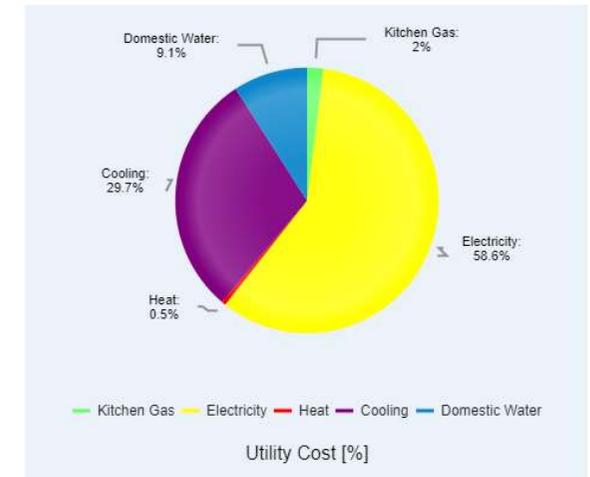
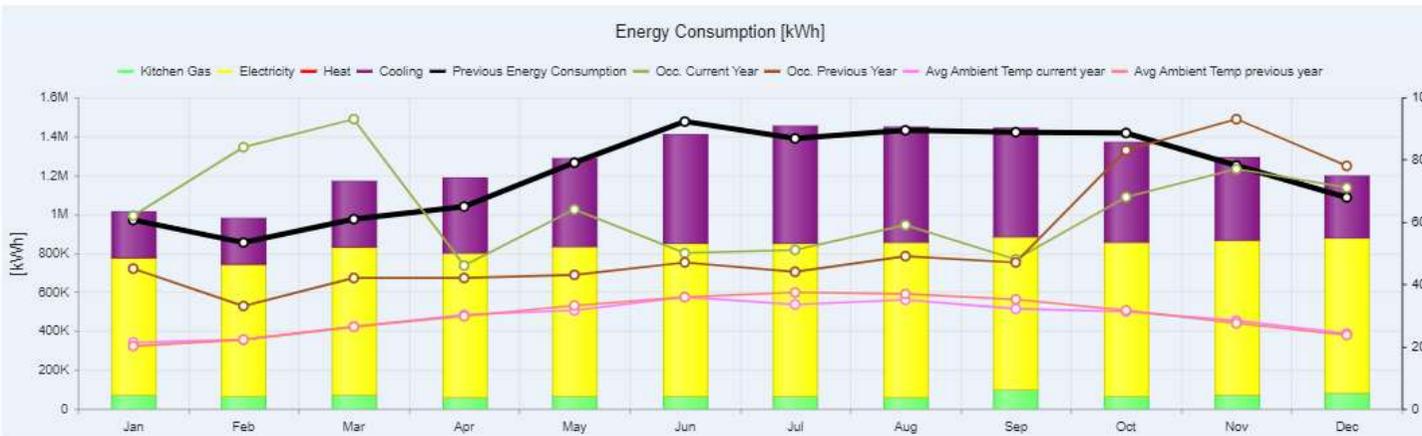
PEER BENCHMARKING



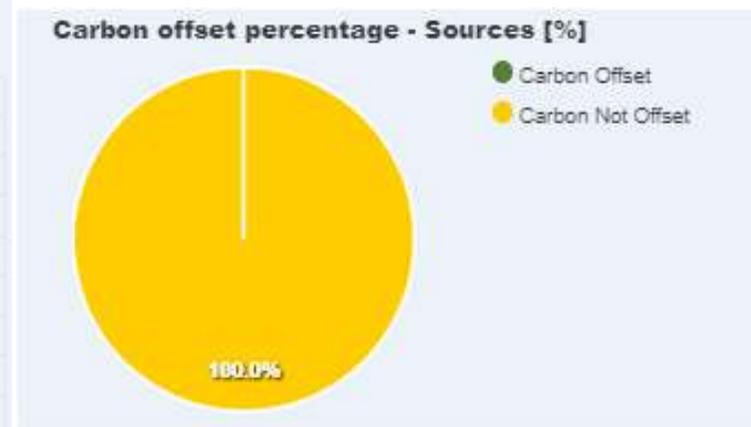
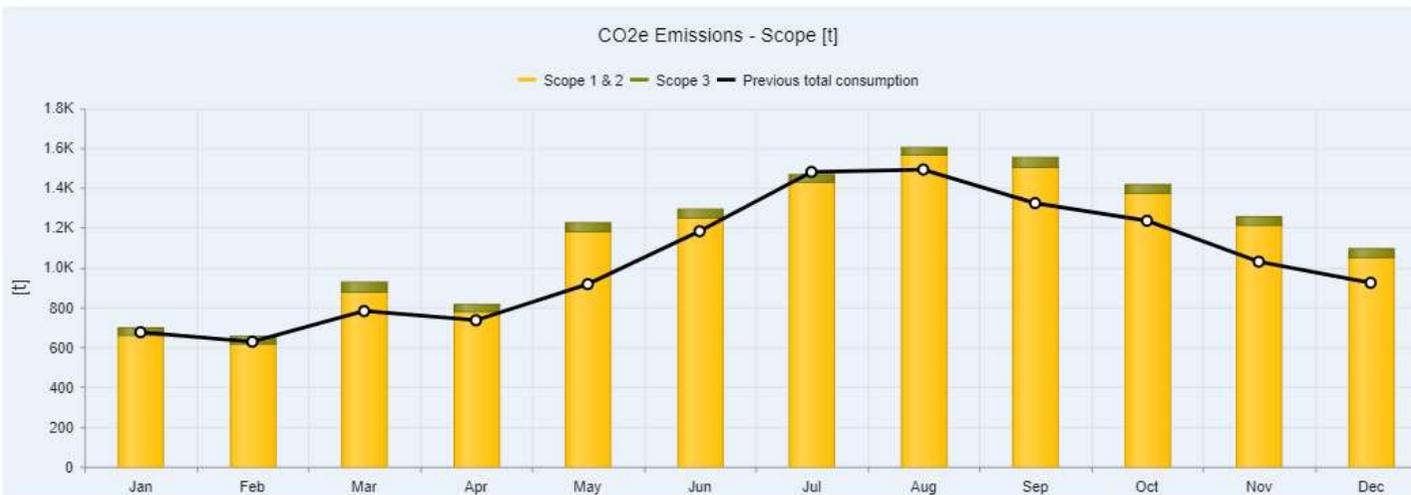
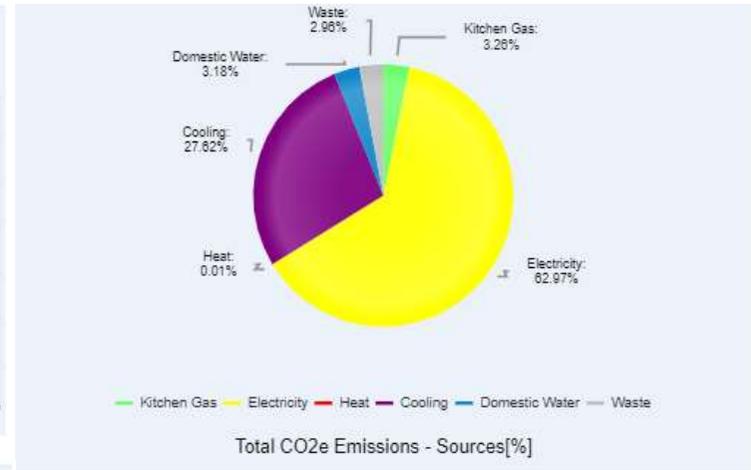
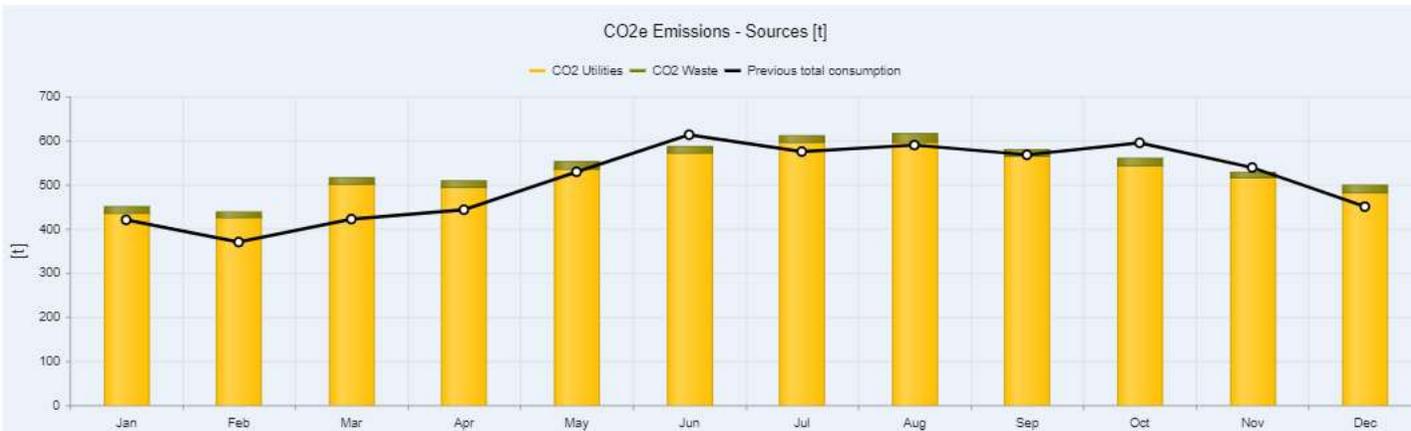
INTERNAL BENCHMARKING



Trend & Cost Analysis : Energy & Water



Carbon Footprint (Scope 1 , 2 & 3)



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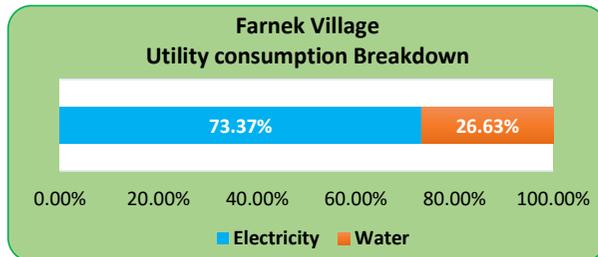
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Case Studies

Continuous Optimization for Farnek Village



ECMs IMPLEMENTED IN THE YEAR-2023

- ❑ Permanently Switched OFF 4-Foot LED Light Fixtures in 1st to 4th Floor Corridors & Dining Hall in Basement
- ❑ Free Cooling through FAHUs (Operated FAHUs 1,2,3,4&7 with Condensing Units in OFF Mode from 6:00PM to 6:00AM for the month of Jan, Feb, Mar, Nov & Dec)

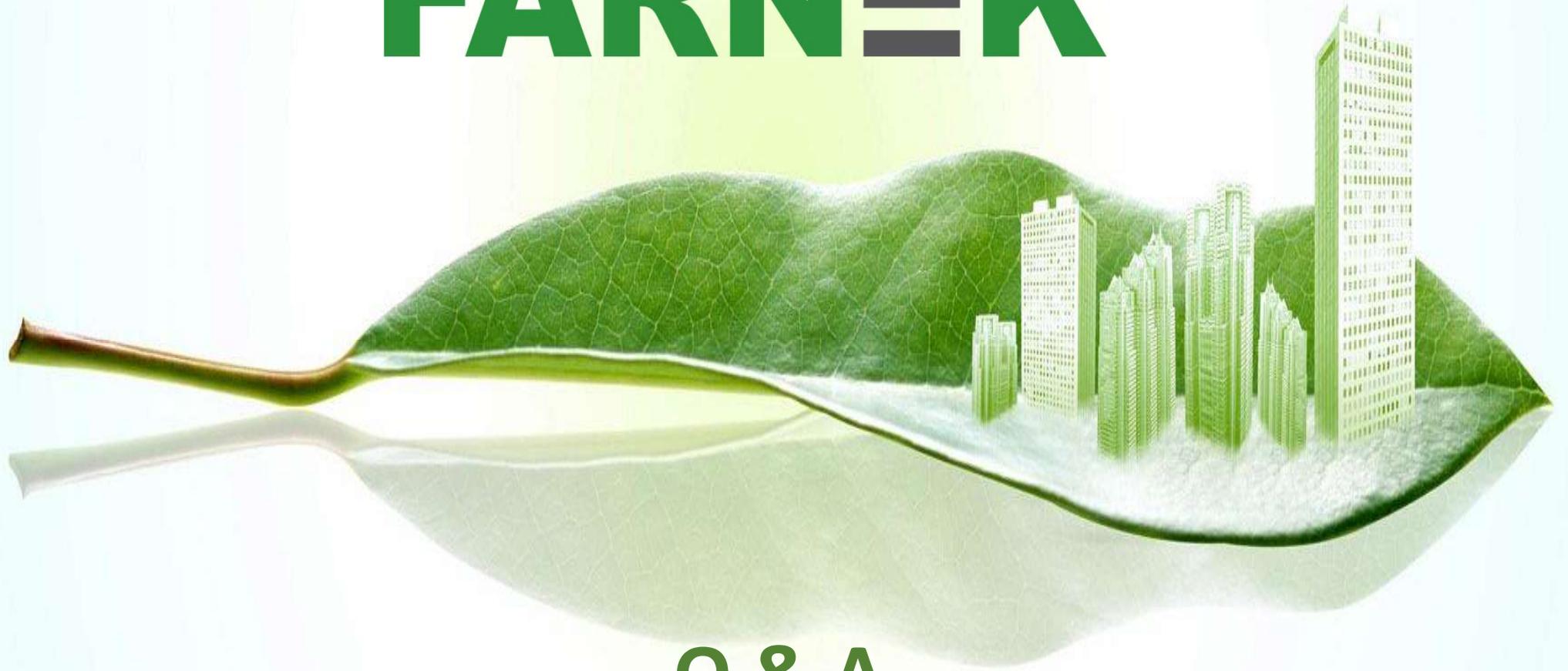
2023 ENERGY SAVINGS BREAKDOWN

Total Savings in kWh 459,594

Total Savings in AED 197,626

Carbon Emissions Avoided (kgCO₂eq) 193,000

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