

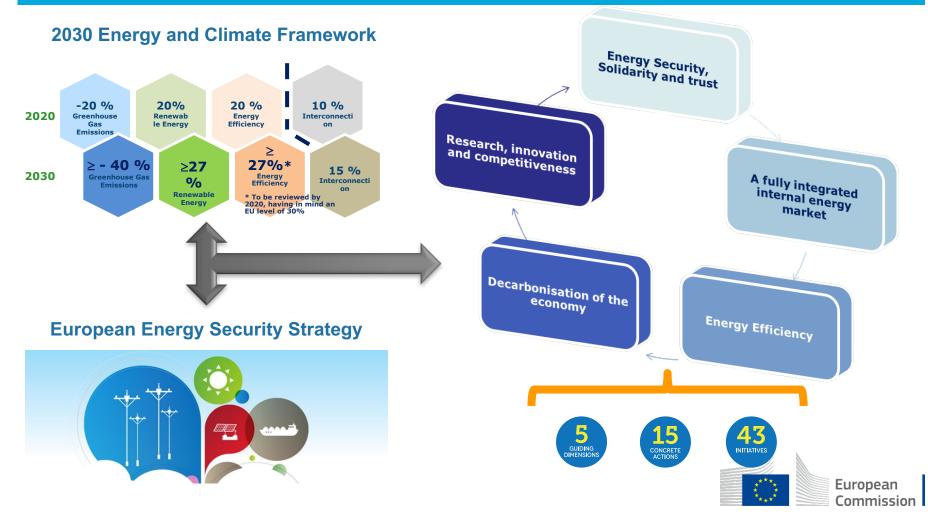
How can the Nordic energy strategies fit into the Clean Energy Package ?



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THE ENERGY UNION

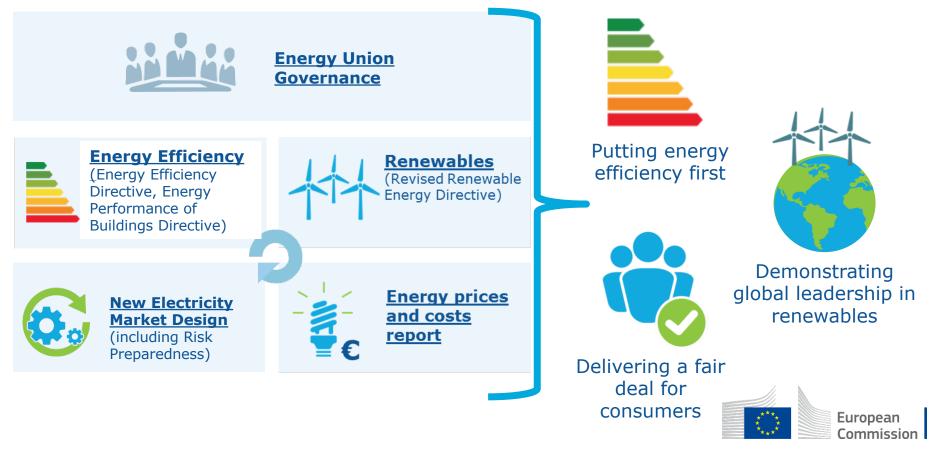
MAKING ENERGY MORE SECURE, AFFORDABLE AND SUSTAINABLE



PROGRESS TOWARDS THE ENERGY UNION

THE RIGHT REGULATORY FRAMEWORK FOR POST – 2020

" In essence the new package is about tapping our green growth potential across the board" Commissioner Miguel Arias Cañete (2016)



ENERGY UNION GOVERNANCE: COMMISSION PROPOSAL OF 30 NOVEMBER 2016

PROPOSED OBJECTIVES



To ensure a coordinated and coherent **implementation of the Energy Union Strategy** across its five dimensions, including meeting the 2030 targets, and including a 2050 perspective



To set up a **functional** (dynamic, reliable and transparent) **Governance process** between Commission and Member States



To **minimise administrative burden** and achieve a simplification and integration of planning, reporting and monitoring

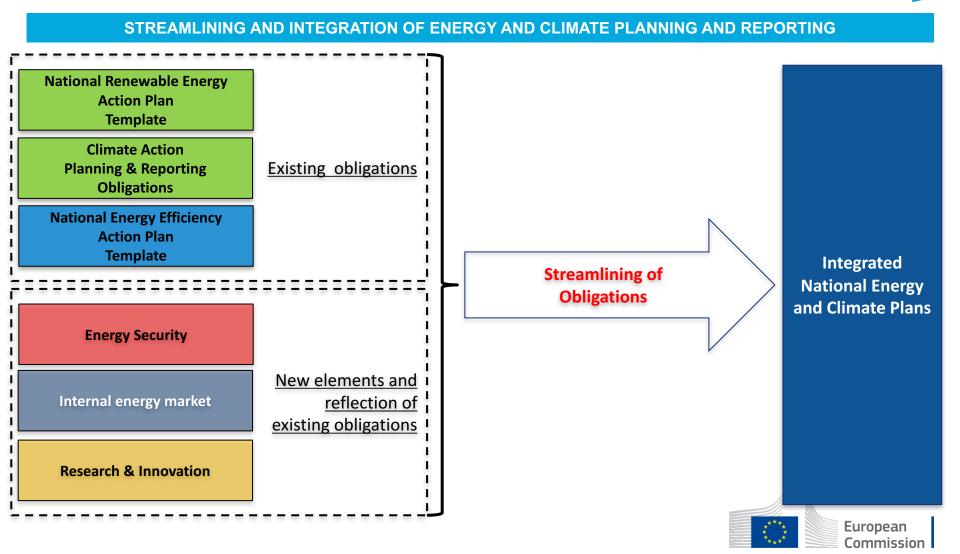


To ensure the compliance of the EU with its **international climate obligations**, in particular under UNFCCC and the Paris Agreement



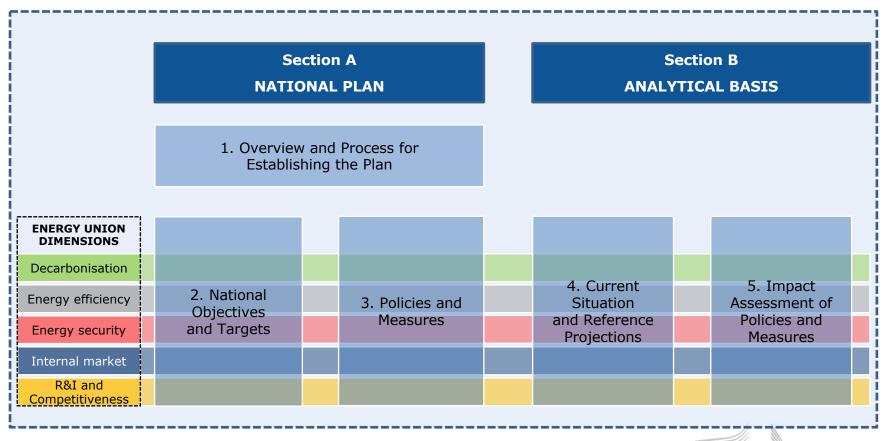
INTEGRATED NATIONAL ENERGY AND CLIMATE PLANS (NECPS)





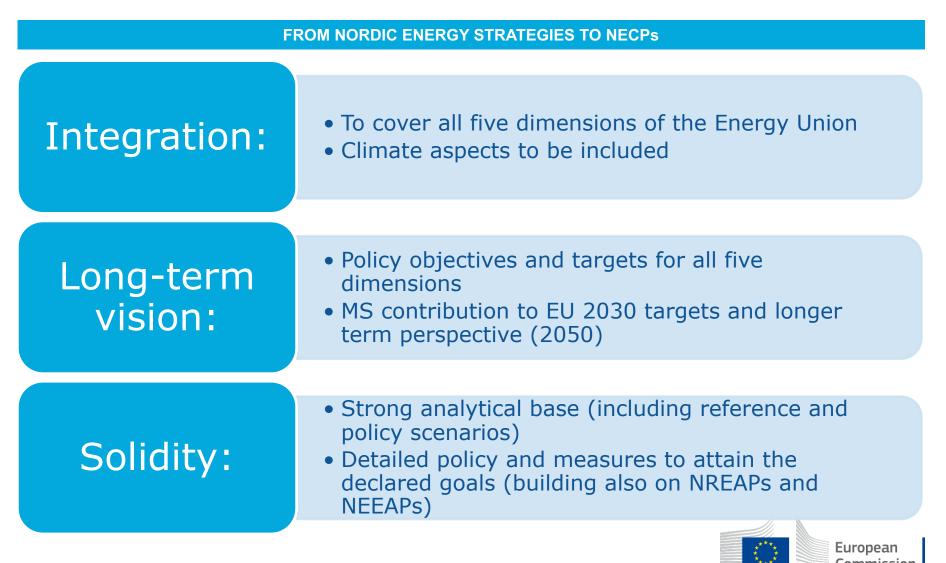
ANNEX I : TEMPLATE FOR NATIONAL PLANS

STRUCTURE OF INTEGRATED NATIONAL ENERGY AND CLIMATE PLANS





WAY FORWARD



PROPOSED GOVERNANCE PROCESS

PREPARATION OF THE DRAFT PLANS

MS	 Integrated methodological tools Start national consultations and regional coordination 	 Provide integrated projections Finalise national political process Submit draft national plans 	 COM recommendations and MS reviews Submission of final national plans
COM	 EU Reference Scenario Template for national plans Legislative proposals (ESR, ETS, LULUCF, RES, EE, Market design, Governance) 	 Technical support and facilitation of regional consultations (TWG/ contractors) Recommendations to MS 	Aggregate assessment of plans



REGIONAL COOPERATION IN THE PROPOSED GOVERNANCE REGULATION

Cooperation across all five dimensions of the Energy Union

- The new Governance system should facilitate the coordination of national energy policies and foster regional cooperation
- Member States will get the opportunity to comment on other Member States' plans before they are finalised
 - Potential tool to increase level of ambition of targets, objectives and contributions
 - Helps to avoid inconsistencies and
 - potential negative impacts on other Member States
- Results of regional cooperation shall be set out in the draft integrated national energy and climate plans



ENHANCED REGIONAL COOPERATION

ENSURE COST-EFFICIENT ACHIEVEMENT OF THE ENERGY UNION OBJECTIVES

Article 11 Governance Regulation:

• Provides for regional cooperation between MS 'to effectively meet the targets, objectives and contributions' of their national plans

Article 5 Renewable Energy Directive:

• Puts in place a gradual and partial opening of support schemes to cross-border participation

Articles 32 to 44 Electricity Regulation:

• Set out the establishment of Regional Operation Centers (ROCs)

Articles 2, 4, 10 and 12 Regulation on Risk-Preparedness in the electricity sector:

• Entrusts a role to ROCs and Member States of the same region in preparing for and manage electricity crisis situations

CONCLUSIONS

HOW TO COOPERATE ON NORDIC ENERGY POLICY		
Who to involve:	 EU MS but also members of the European Economic Area Pragmatic instrument, no 'one size fits all' solution 	
Scope of the cooperation:	 Both at political and technical level Cover all five dimensions of the Energy Union Also on modelling and scenarios 	
Content:	 Leverage and reinforce Nordic positions of strength Maximise synergies and develop common policies and measures Compatible with and support the implementation of EU level legislation and initiatives 	
Structures:	 Leverage on existing fora and High-Level Groups (Nordic Council, BEMIP) as well as on other existing initiatives (concerted actions) 	





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THANK YOU!