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eHighway Elektrisch in die Zukunft

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## **Global political direction and goals**



We emphasize that deep cuts in global greenhouse gas emissions are required with a **decarbonisation of the global economy over the course of this century**.

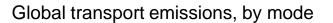
We support [...] the upper end of the latest IPCC recommendation of **40 to 70% reductions** by 2050 compared to 2010

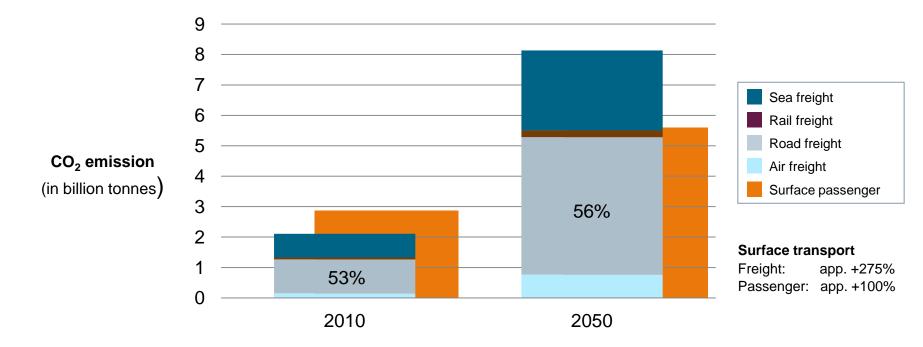
We commit to [...] achieve a low-carbon global economy [...] including [...] striving for a transformation of the energy sectors by 2050 - Leaders' Declaration G7 Summit Elmau

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# Freight will replace passenger traffic as main source of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from surface transport





Road freight will remain the majority emitter in the goods transport sector

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### Los Angeles case

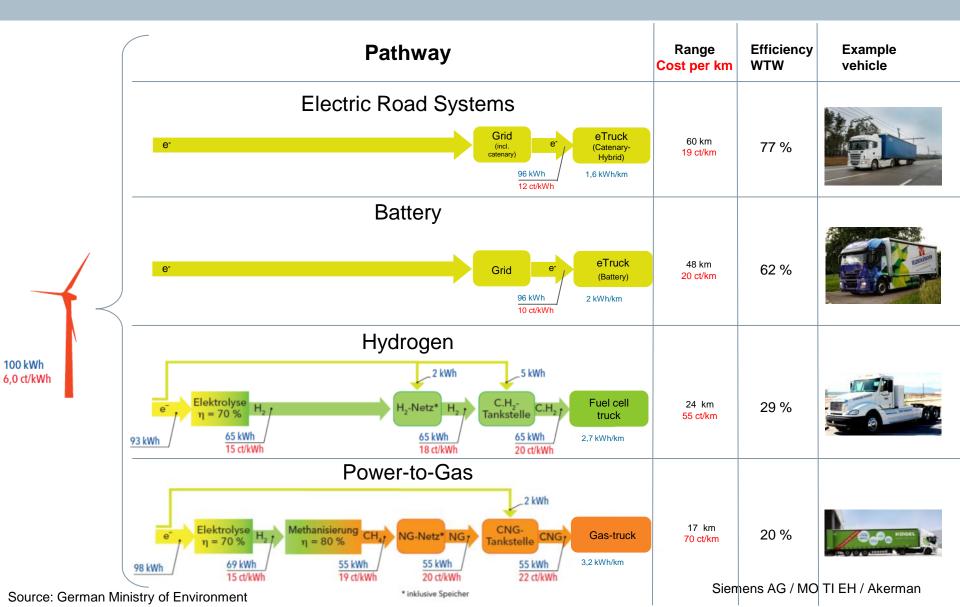
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# Zero-emission trucks are possible with renewable energy, but efficiency varies greatly



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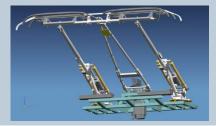
## Electrification of hybrid trucks via an overhead catenary system



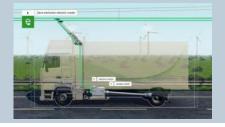
#### **Electrification infrastructure**



#### Active current collector



#### Hybrid-electric drive train



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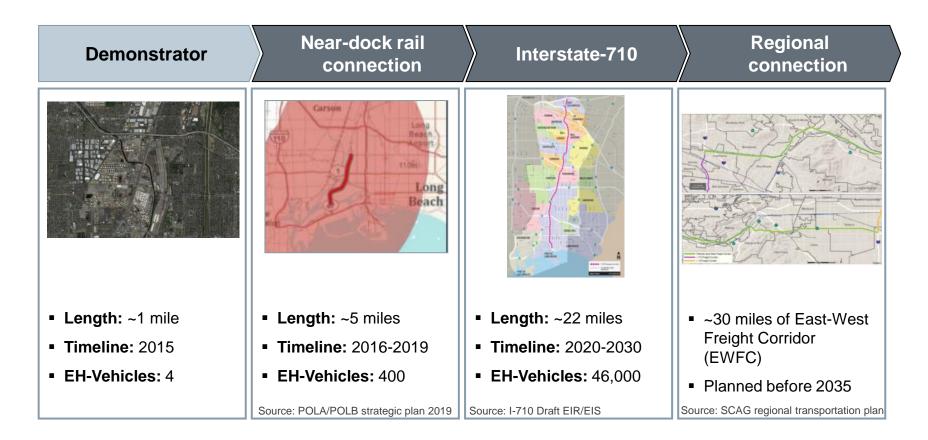
#### Advantages



- High energy efficiency
- Reduced operating costs
- Swift integration into existing infrastructure
- Safe, reliable & open technology



## **Outlook for projects and market in LA**



Implementing Siemens' eHighway concept in Southern California is an unique opportunity to make the area more sustainable through an innovative solution

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## Electrification is especially attractive on highly frequented routes

### eHighway application fields

#### in the near term



#### Shuttle transport

 Solution for high frequency shuttle transport over short and medium distances



#### **Electrified mine transport**

 Connection of pits and mines to storage or transit locations

#### in the long term



#### **Electrified long-haul traffic**

 Economical and sustainable alternative for road freight transport

## The development path of road electrification is likely to echo that of rail electrification a century ago

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## Summary

### Siemens eHighway concept

- Hybrid-electric trucks with active pantograph for connecting to overhead wires
- Commercial truck development ongoing together with e.g. Scania & Volvo
- Near-term first demonstrations on public roads near ports and hinterland connections
- Reduces dependence on oil and is a low-CO<sub>2</sub> alternative for the decarbonisation of transport
- Especially viable for single transport routes with high heavy-duty traffic rates,
  e.g. connections between ports and inland logistics centers
- Compatible with and complementary to other alternative fuel technologies

Electric heavy-duty transport for road-based freight is technically feasible and realistic for many applications and transport routes

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## Thank you

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