



The All- Electric City

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POWERING AHEAD

**FAST TRACK TO AN
ALL-ELECTRIC CITY**

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http://www.wspgroup.com/Global/UK/Whitepapers/Cities/WSP_Electric_Cities_Whitepaper.pdf

METHOD

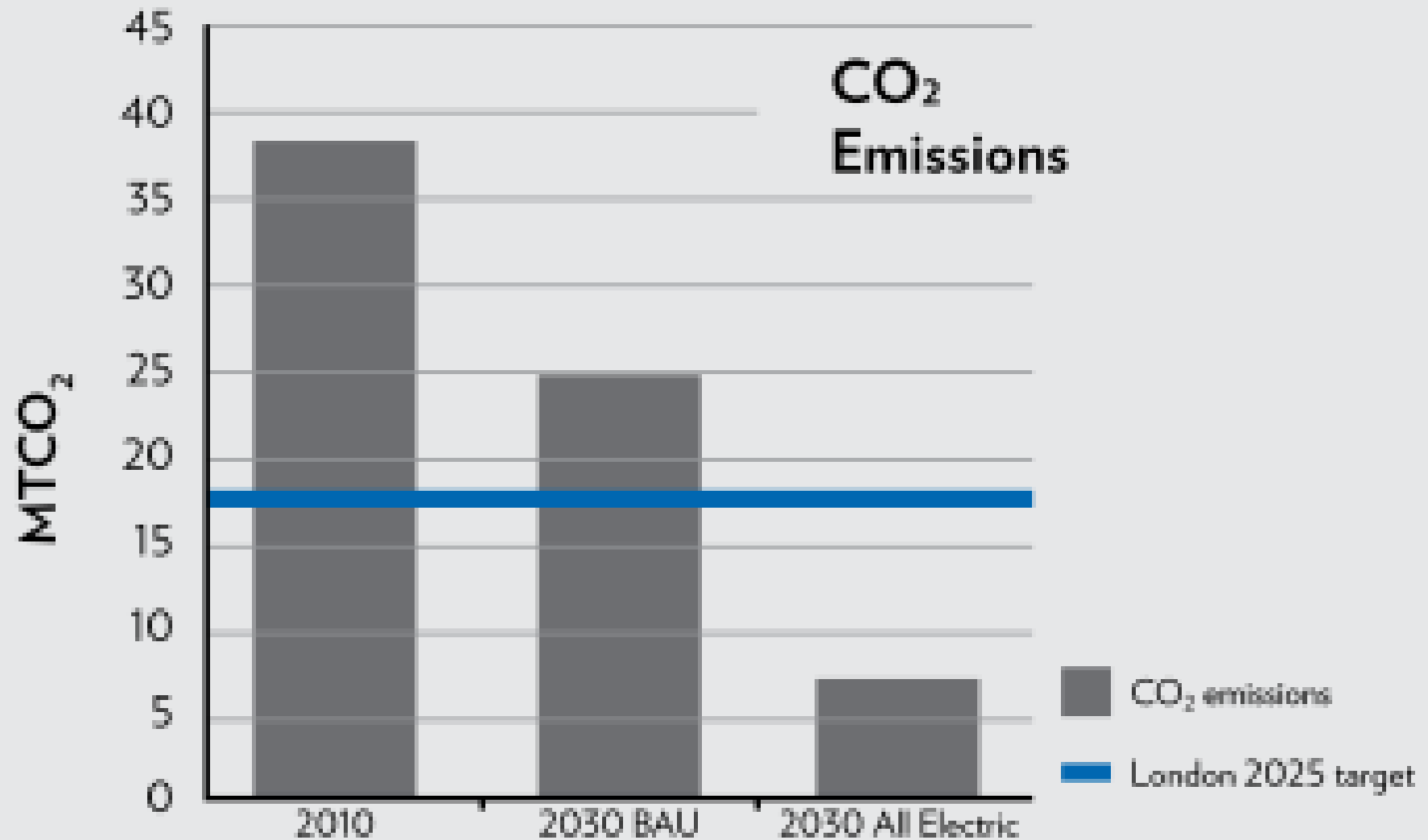
→ CO₂

- Modelled London progress predicted (Pathway Alpha)
- Modelled An All-Electric Future

→ Air Quality

- Collated London Atmospheric Emissions Index
Modelled progress as usual
- Modelled all-electric future

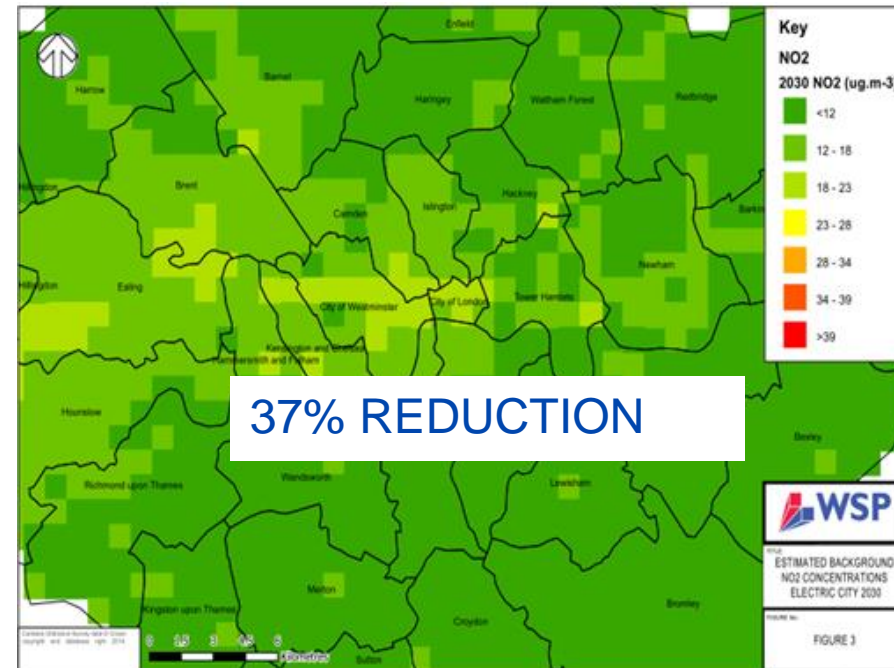
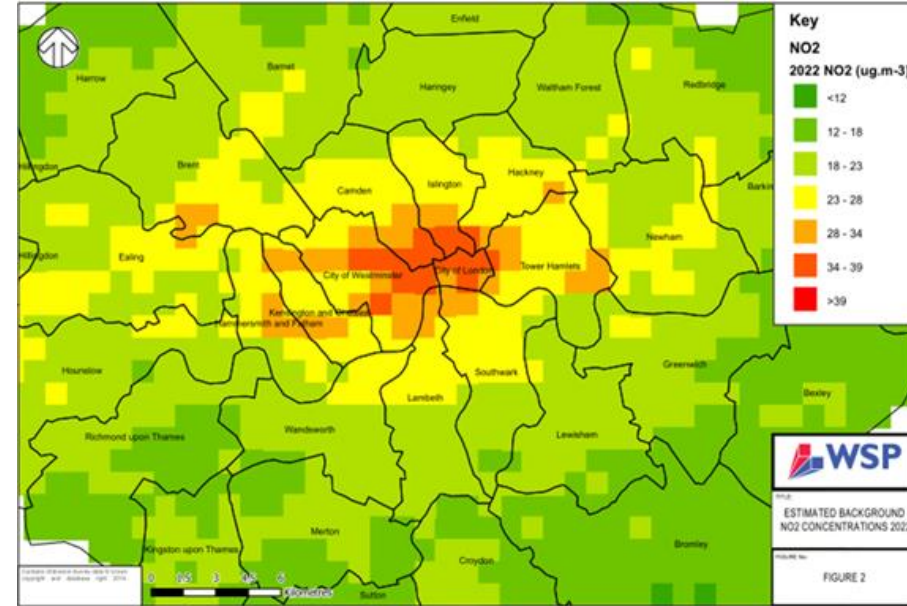
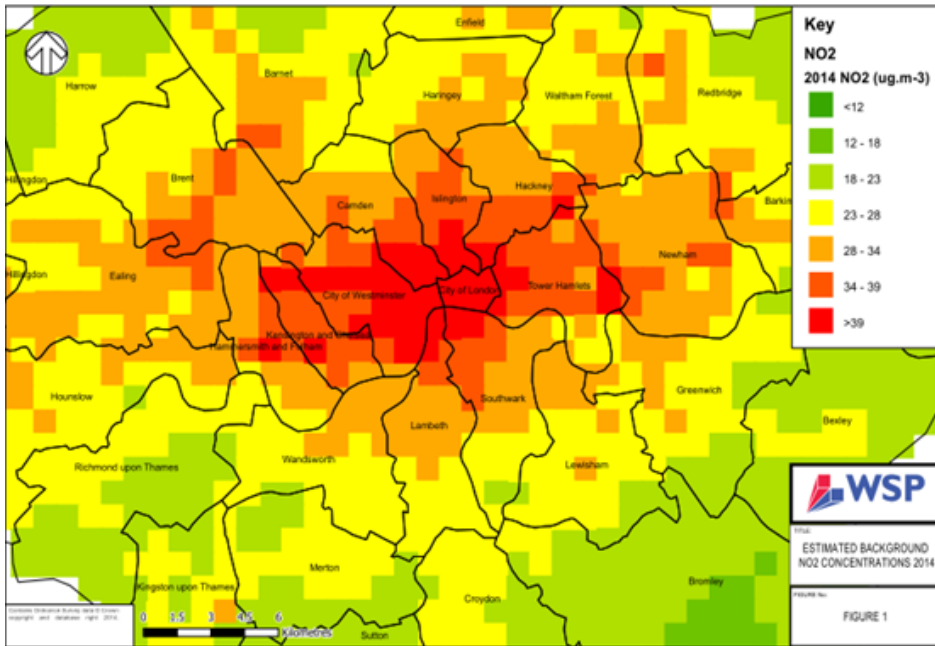
RESULTS– CO₂ EMISSIONS



RESULTS—AIR QUALITY

NO₂ 2030 –
TRAJECTORY

NO₂ TODAY



37% REDUCTION

NO₂ 2030 – ALL
ELECTRIC

RECOMMENDATIONS (BUILDINGS)

1. New developments to be all-electric

- Reduce CO₂ emissions
- Immediately reduce air pollution
- Reduce risk of overheating

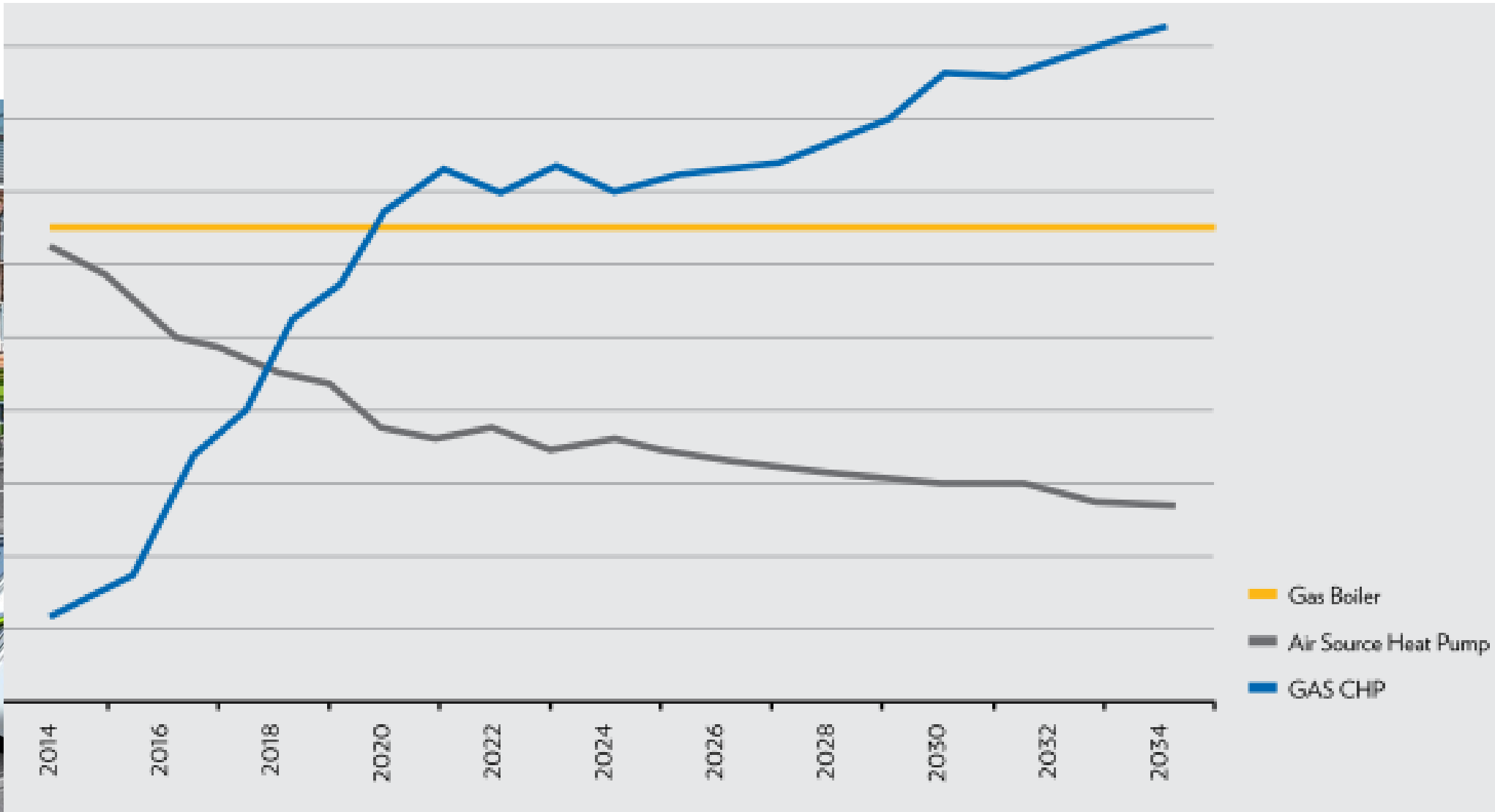
2. Existing Stock - Efficiency / electric heating

- Reduce long term CO₂
- Reduce energy bills



WHY ARE ALL-ELECTRIC CITIES BETTER?

LARGE CO₂ EMISSIONS REDUCTIONS



LARGE CO₂ EMISSIONS REDUCTIONS

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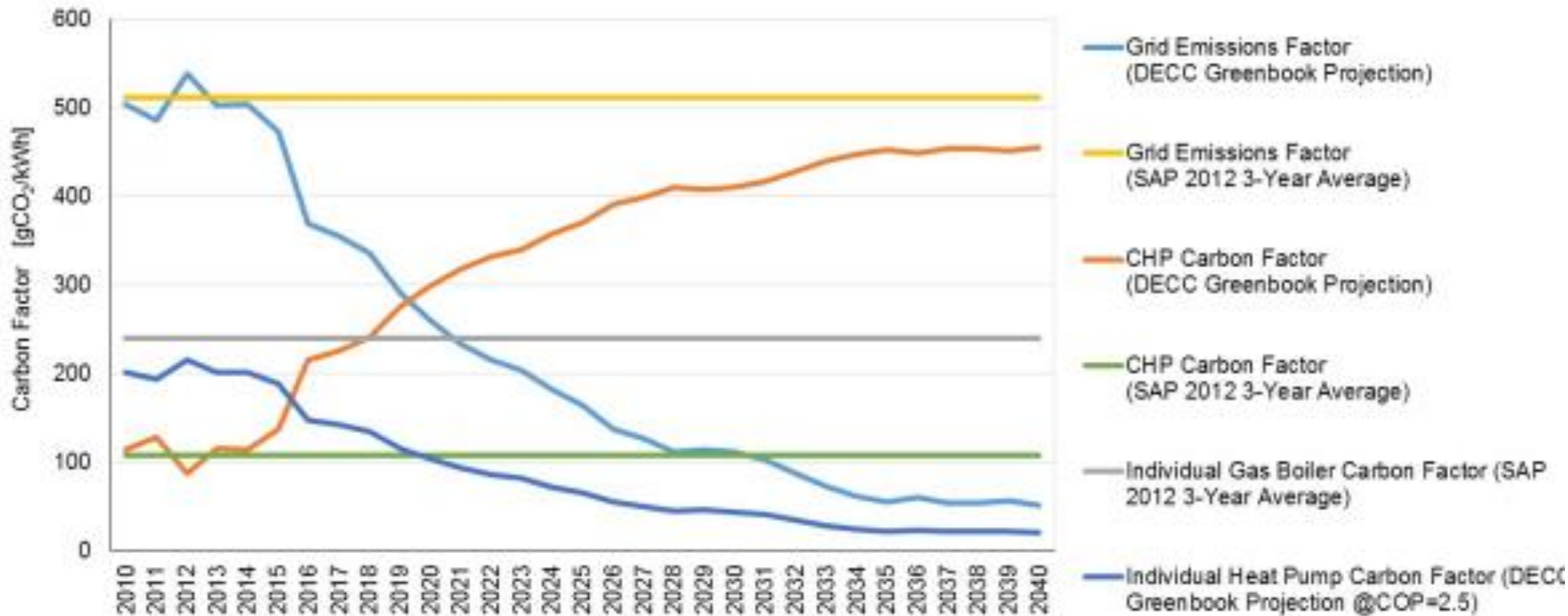


Figure 5: Future projections for electrical grid carbon intensity and effect on carbon factors from heat supplied by gas CHP and heat pumps [15].



LARGE CO₂ EMISSIONS REDUCTIONS

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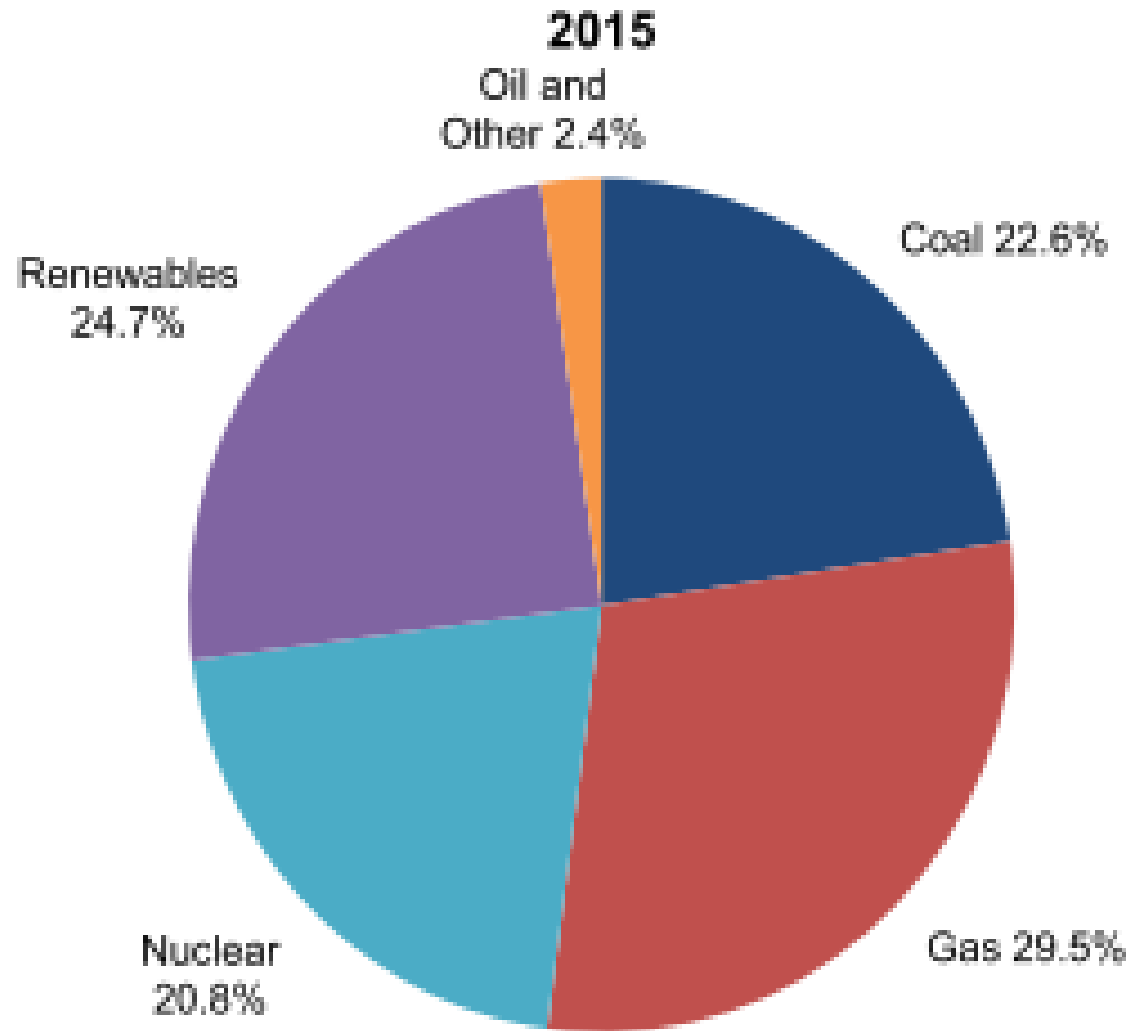
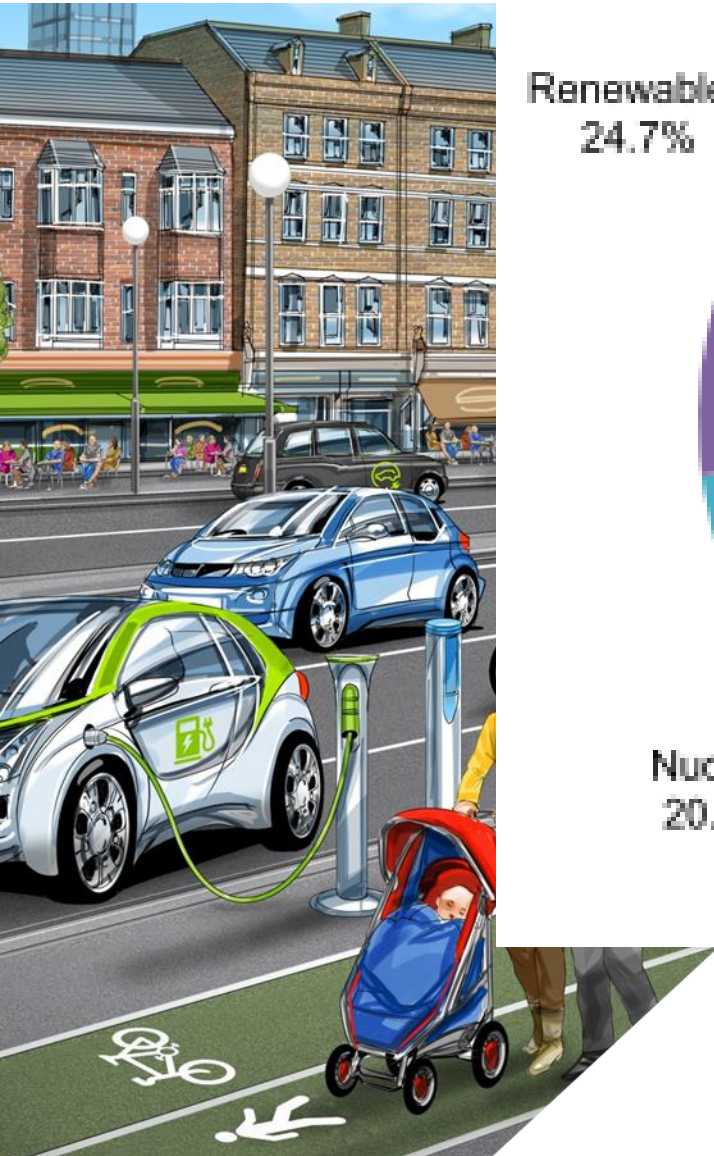
Carbon ranking	2012 emissions (tCO ₂ /home) with grid intensity 519g CO ₂ /kWh		2016 emissions (tCO ₂ /home) with grid intensity 288g CO ₂ /kWh	
	System	Emissions	System	Emissions
Low carbon	Gas CHP district heat	1.74	ASHP heat and DHW	1.15 ↑
	ASHP heat and DHW	2.07	ASHP heat, direct DHW	1.53 ↑↑↑
	Local gas boilers	2.13	Local gas boilers	1.67 -
	Gas boiler DH	2.40	Electric storage heat	1.87 ↑↑
	ASHP heat, direct DHW	2.72	Gas boiler DH	1.94 ↓
Highest carbon	Electric storage heat	3.37	Gas CHP district heat	2.06 ↓↓↓↓↓

Carbon ranking	2025 emissions (tCO ₂ /home) with grid intensity 165g CO ₂ /kWh		2035 emissions (tCO ₂ /home) with grid intensity 65g CO ₂ /kWh	
	System	Emissions	System	Emissions
Low carbon	ASHP heat and DHW	0.66	ASHP heat & DHW	0.26 -
	ASHP heat, direct DHW	0.87	ASHP heat, direct DHW	0.34 -
	Electric storage heat	1.07 ↑	Electric storage heat	0.42 -
	Local gas boilers	1.42 ↓	Local gas boilers	1.22 -
	Gas boiler DH	1.69	Gas boiler DH	1.49 -
Highest carbon	Gas CHP district heat	2.23	Gas CHP district heat	2.36 -

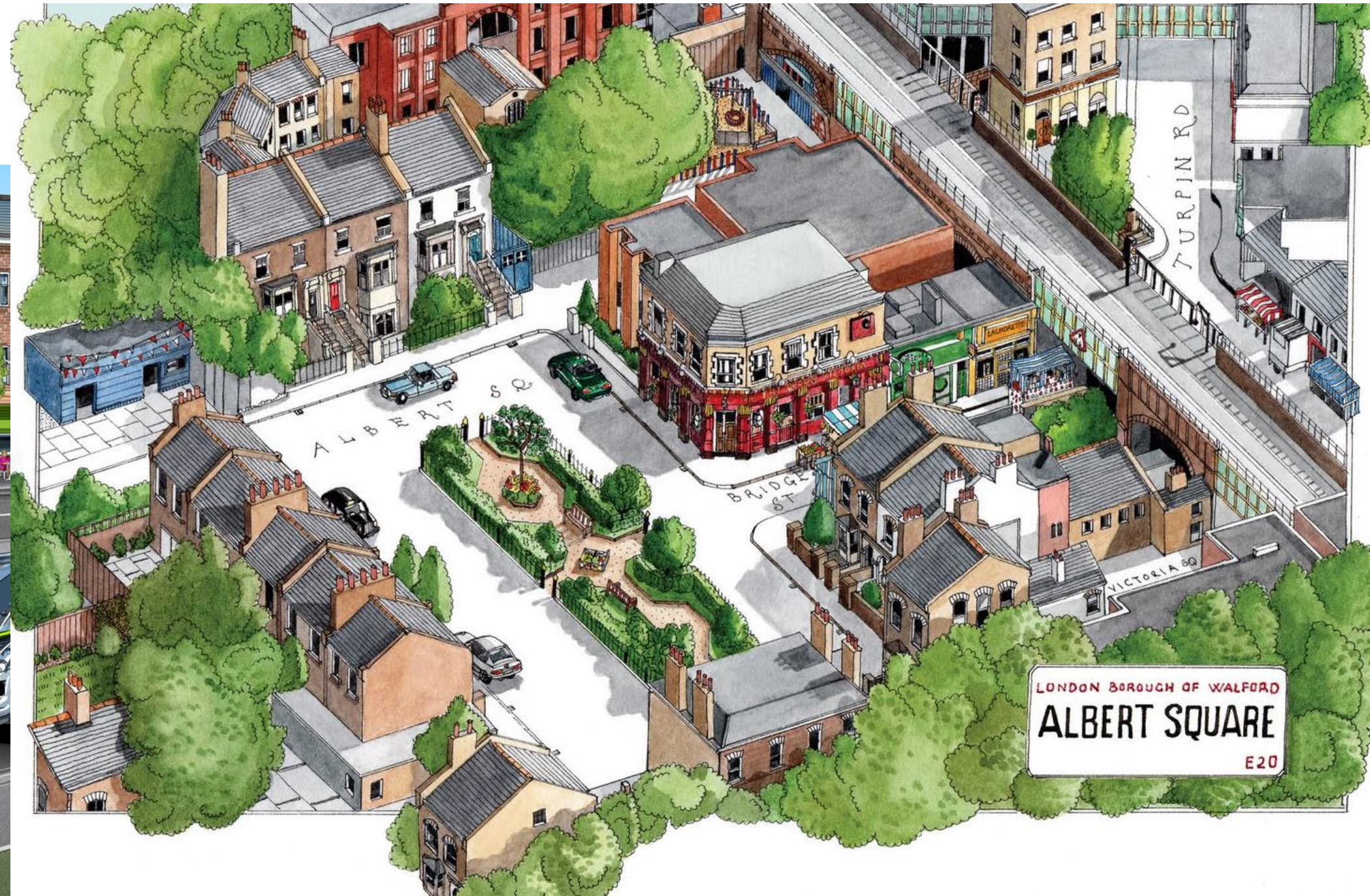
THEY ARE FUTURE READY - OVERHEATING



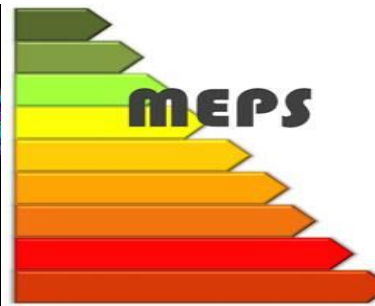
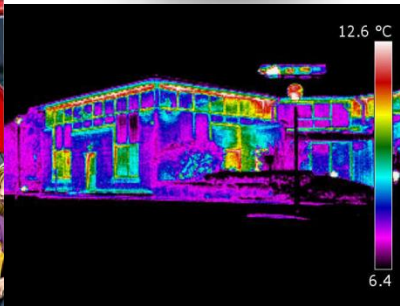
THEY IMPROVE ENERGY SECURITY



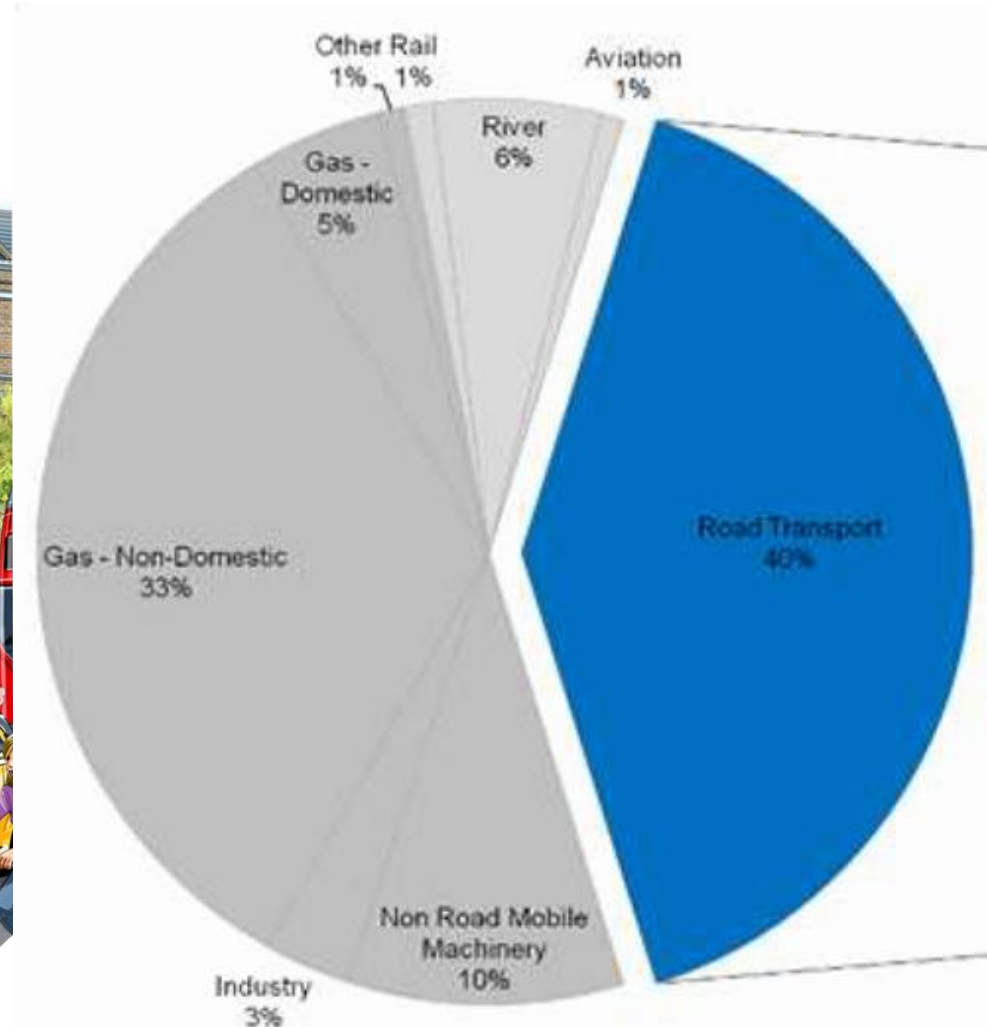
THEY ARE FLEXIBLE



THEY LOVE EFFICIENCY



THEY WILL SOLVE OUR AIR QUALITY PROBLEMS



THEY ARE INEVITABLE

→ GLA – 2011 - Gas CHP / Heat Network systems

- Provide 21.2% of heat
- Reduce CO₂ by 0.8MTCO₂ (~2%)

→ GLA 2014 Secondary Heat Networks / Heat Pumps

- Can provide 100% of heat
- 50TWh from secondary source
- 21TWh from heat pump
- CoP 3.3

CHALLENGES FOR ALL-ELECTRIC CITIES



- **Peak power demand**
- **Improving efficiency** of building stock
- **Short-term Policy** – National/Local, Part L


SUMMARY

All-Electric Cities

- Massively reduce CO₂ emissions
- Reduce air pollution
- Are flexible
- Love efficiency
- Are future ready
- Are Inevitable

Much better places to live and work





Powering ahead
Fast track to
an all-
electric city

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