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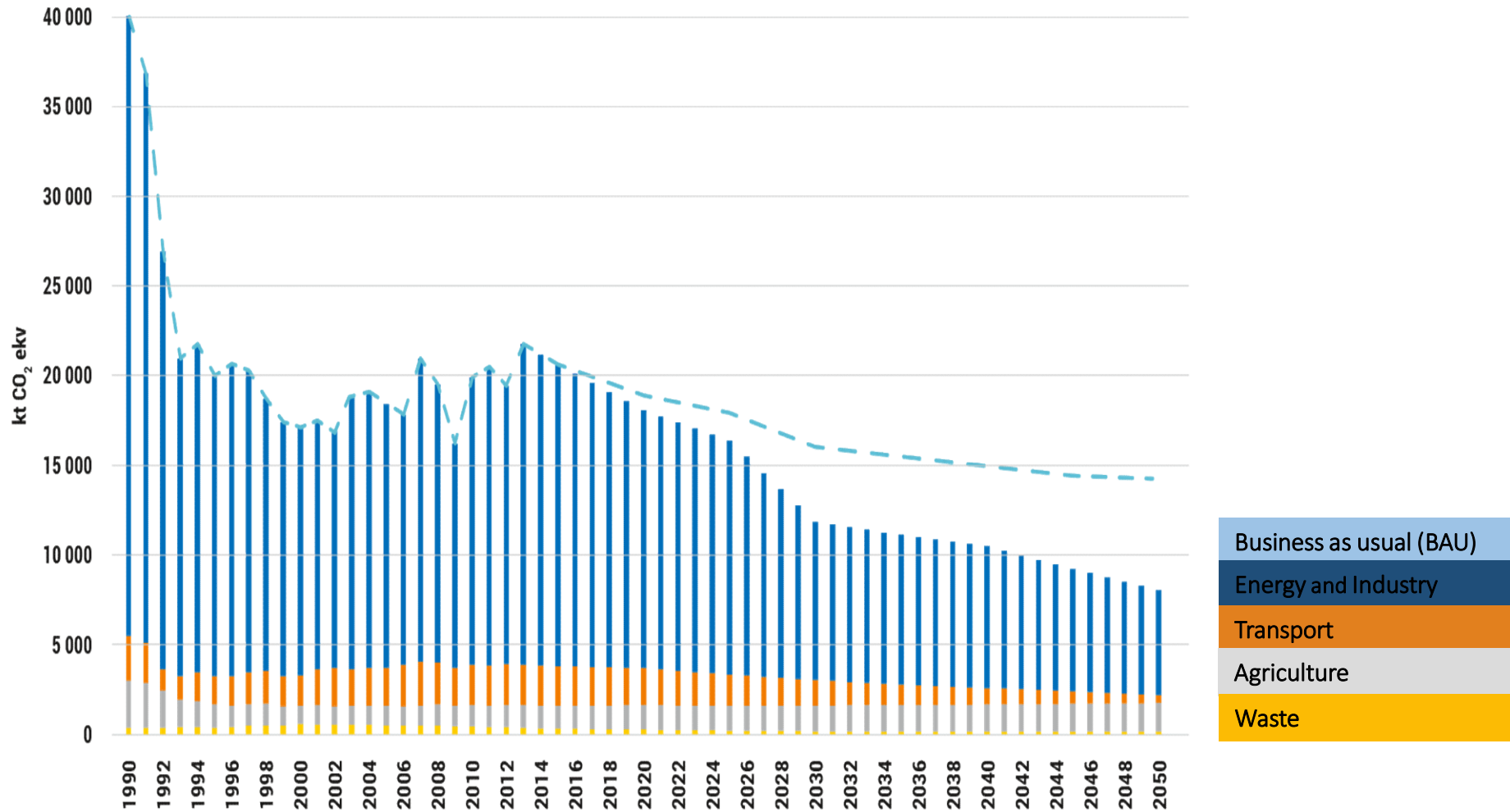
# Estonia's road towards a low-carbon economy

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# Estonian General Principles of Climate Policy until 2050

- Adopted by the Parliament in April 2017
- Estonia's **long-term target** is to reduce the emission of greenhouse gases by **2050 by 80%** compared to 1990
- Long term policy guidelines for the mitigation of climate change for the economy as a whole and
- sectoral guidelines in energy, transportation, industry, agriculture, forestry and land-use, waste management
- Information can be found on the Ministry of the Environment homepage [www.envir.ee](http://www.envir.ee)

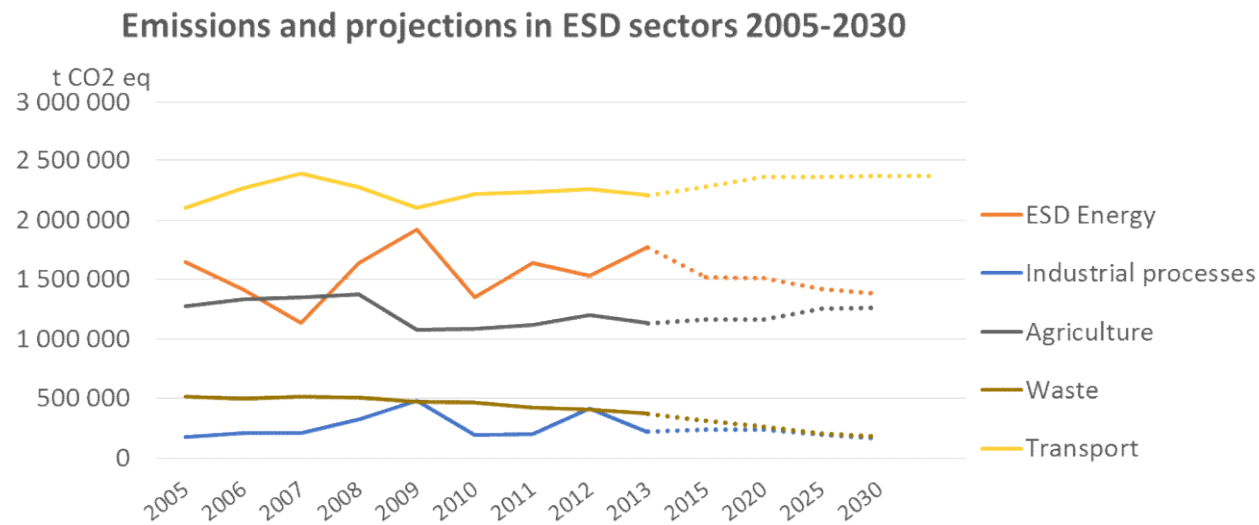
# General Principles of Climate Policy until 2050 (GHG emissions trajectory)



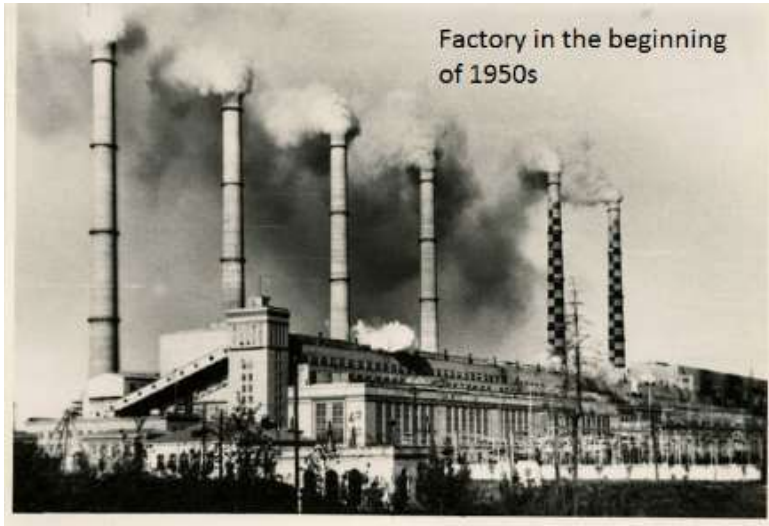
Eesti kasvuhuonegaaside heite vähendamise traiektoor, mis kiiutab liikumist liia 80% heite vähendamise eesmärgi suunas aastaks 2050.

# Non-ETS in Estonia

- - 13% target for 2030\*
- The biggest emissions reduction potential is in transport and energy efficiency (buildings and heating plants)
- A need to find solution to increasing agriculture emissions



\* Based on the ESR regulation currently under negotiation with the European Parliament



Reduce the carbon intensity in different sectors



# Financing climate action in Estonia

- Energy sector

- Energy efficiency measures for apartment buildings
- Alternative fuel for transport (biogas)
- Energy efficiency and renewable energy for public sector buildings
- Renewable energy and heating systems for private housing

- Environment

- International climate funding  
(every year 1 million euros to climate action in developing countries)
- Mitigation of flood risks
- Pilot projects for climate action
- Funding innovative climate projects, start-ups (like TeoMeeter, Climathon, Garage48 etc)

Thank You!