



CAMERAS Annual Conference

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Low carbon economy

Policy drivers

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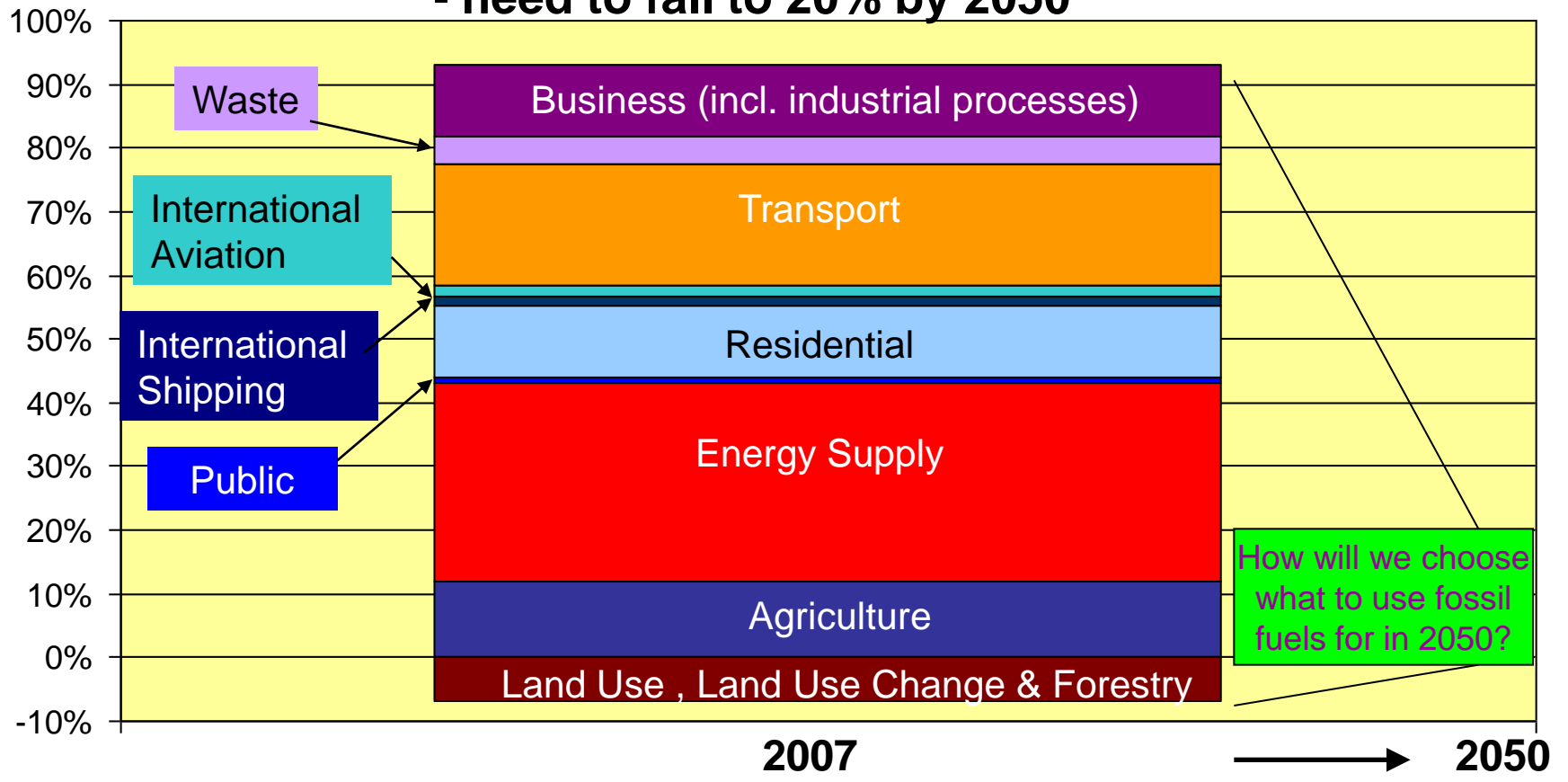




- Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009
 - 80% reduction of GHG emissions by 2050
 - 42% by 2020
 - annual targets
- Climate Change Delivery Plan
 - Transformational outcomes
 - electricity generation sector
 - heat sector
 - road transport
 - rural land use
 - energy efficiency and demand reduction

The challenge for all parts of Scottish life

**Total net GHG emissions in 2007 were 81% of base year emissions
- need to fall to 20% by 2050**





- Next steps
 - Set annual targets 2010-2022, June 2010
 - Committee on Climate Change advice
 - Report on Proposals and Policies
- Adaptation
 - UK Risk Assessment
 - Scotland's Climate Change Adaptation Framework
- Role of CAMERAS?