

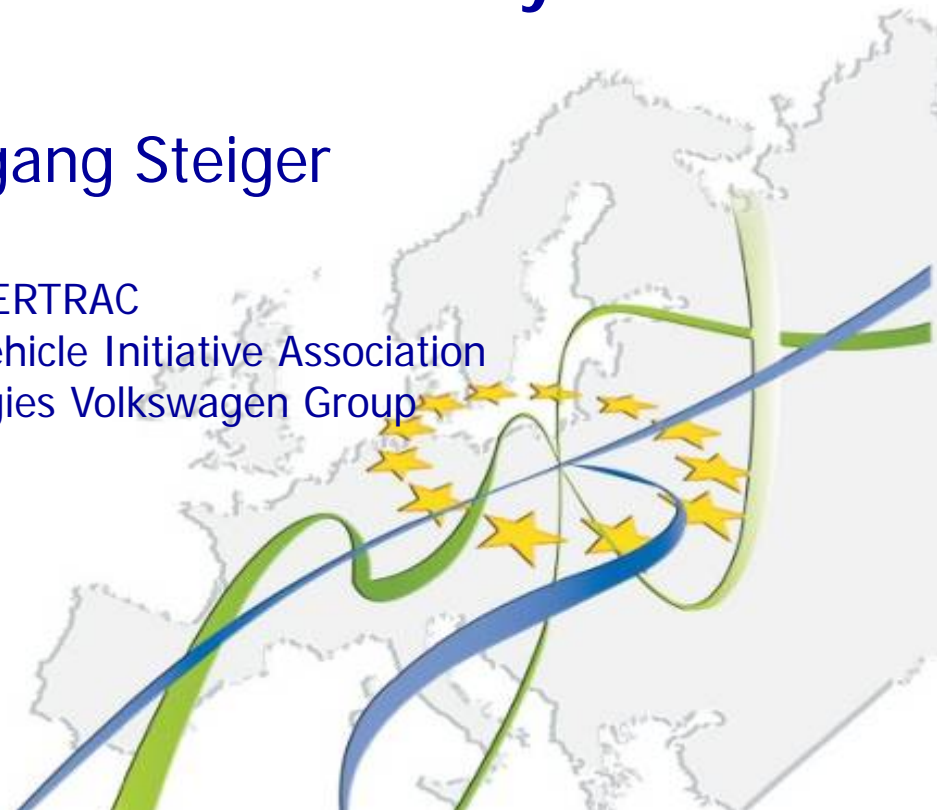
# R&D for Sustainable Road Transport

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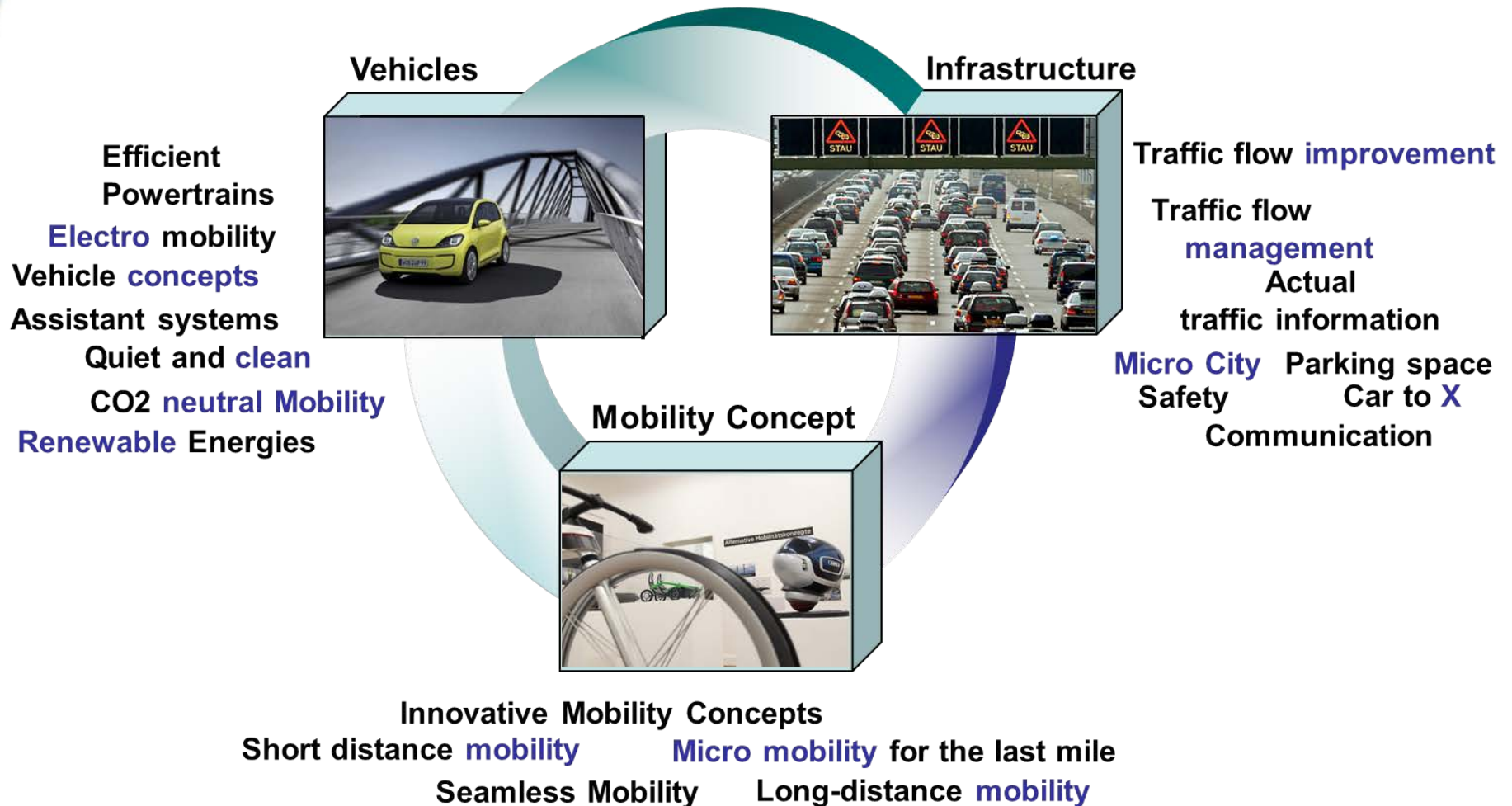
# Global Trends

- Demographic change and urbanization
- Global shifting and expansion of middle class
- Resource competition and global warming
- Connectivity and mobility

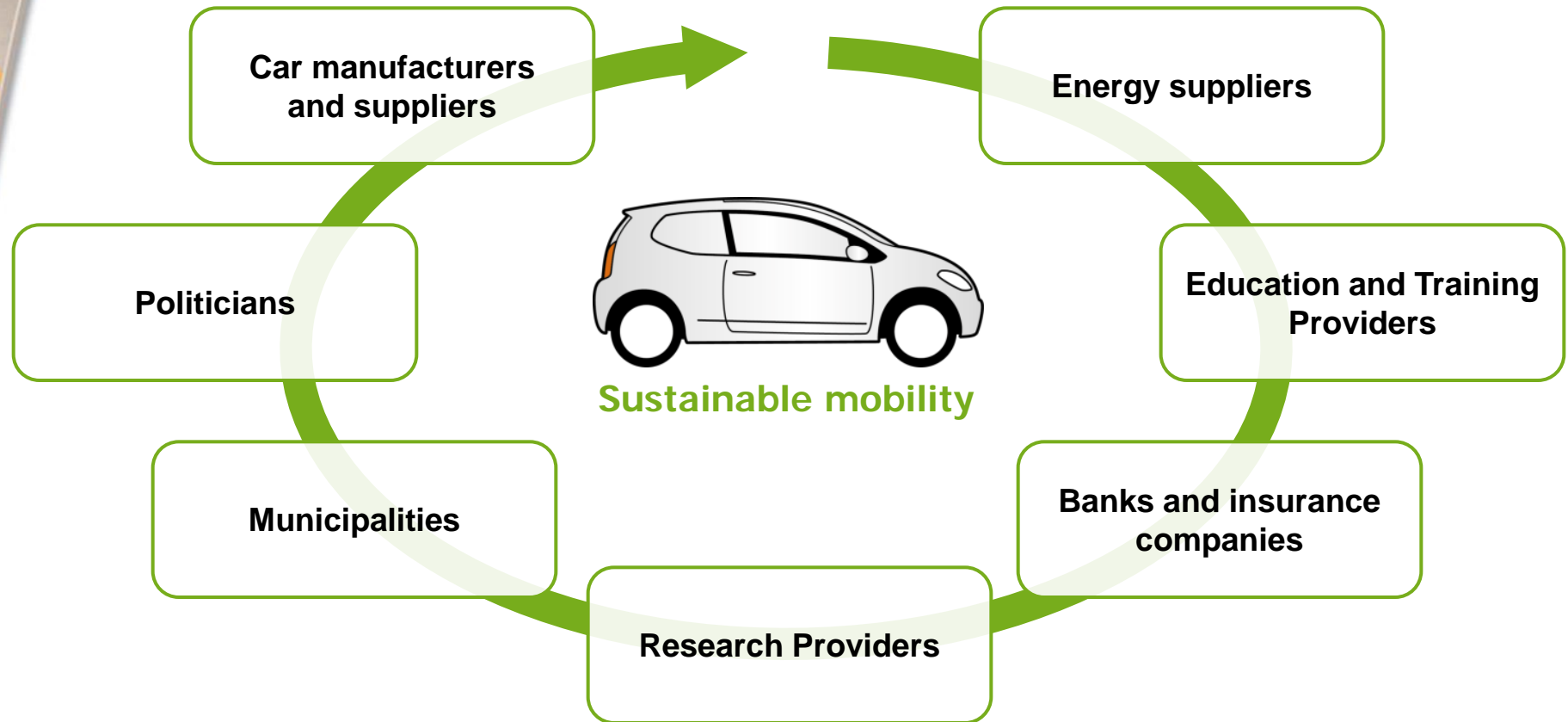
**21. Century leading concept → Sustainability**



# Sustainability requires an Efficient Transport System



# A Systems Approach - Challenge for all Stakeholders

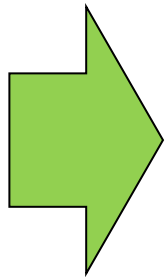


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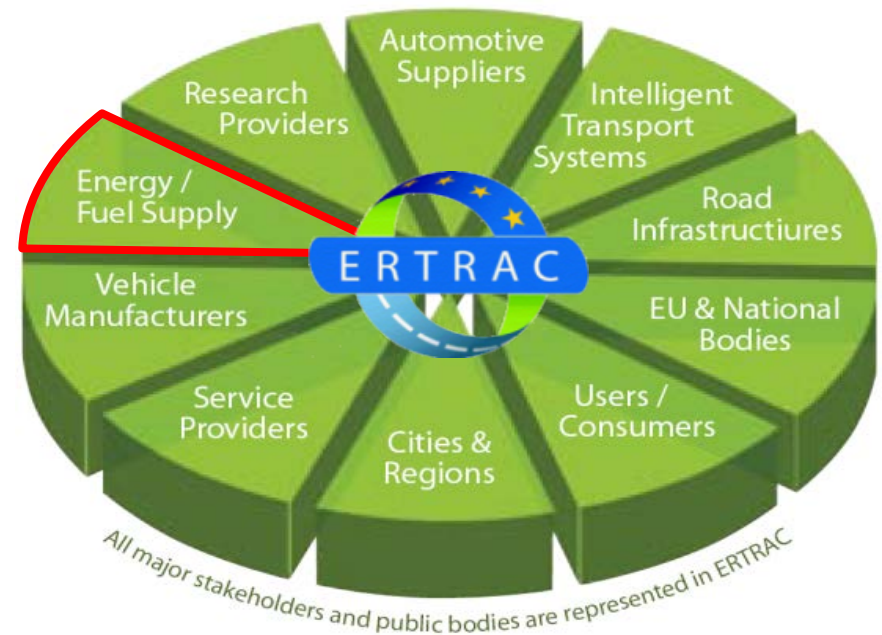
## Guided by Systems Approach

Targeting Societal Challenges of Road Transport:

- Decarbonization
- Reliability
- Safety & Security
- Global Competitiveness



## Need for a broad Stakeholder Group



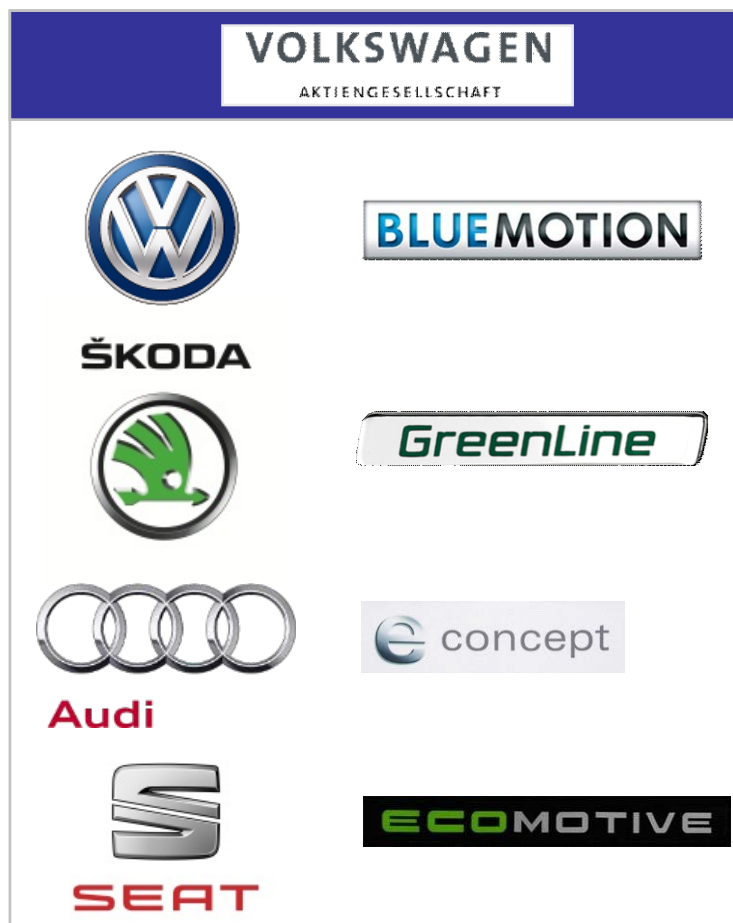
# ERTRAC SRA 2010: setting guiding Objectives for Europe

## Towards a 50% more efficient road transport system by 2030

	Indicator	Guiding Objective
<b>Decarbonization</b>	Energy efficiency: urban passenger transport	+80%* (pkm/kWh)
	Energy efficiency: long distance freight transport	+40%* (tkm/kWh)
	Renewables in the energy pool	Biofuels: 25% Electricity 5%
<b>Reliability</b>	Reliability of transport schedules	+50%*
	Urban accessibility	Preserve Improve where possible
<b>Safety</b>	Fatalities and severe injuries	-60%*
	Cargo lost to theft and damage	-70%*

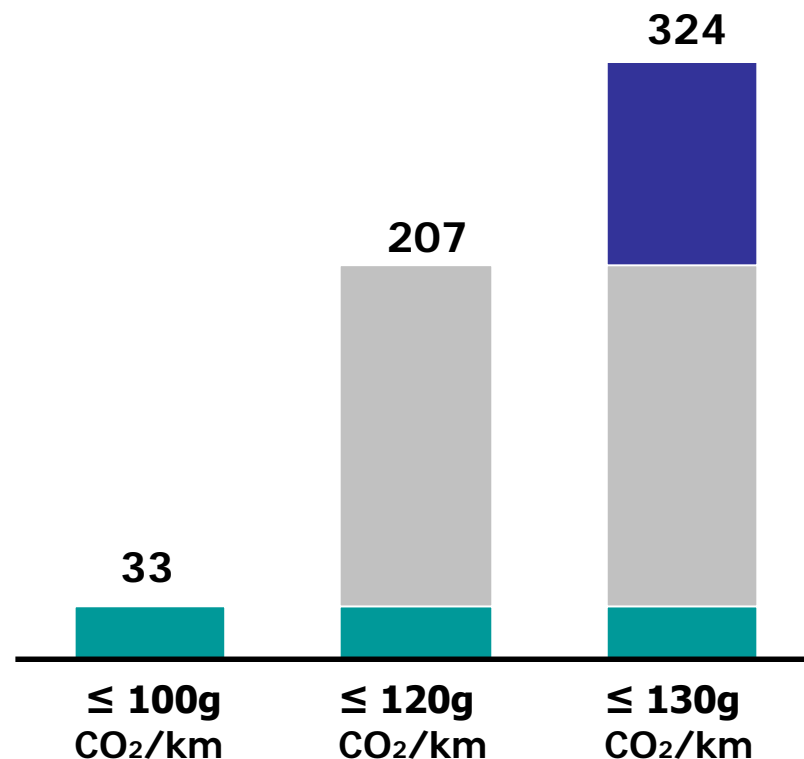
\* In 2030 versus 2010 baseline

# Decarbonization in the next ten Years is mainly based on Efficiency of Conventional Powertrains ...



Source: Volkswagen Group (status: 18.12.2012)

## Number of models available



## .. And Decarbonization of Fuels

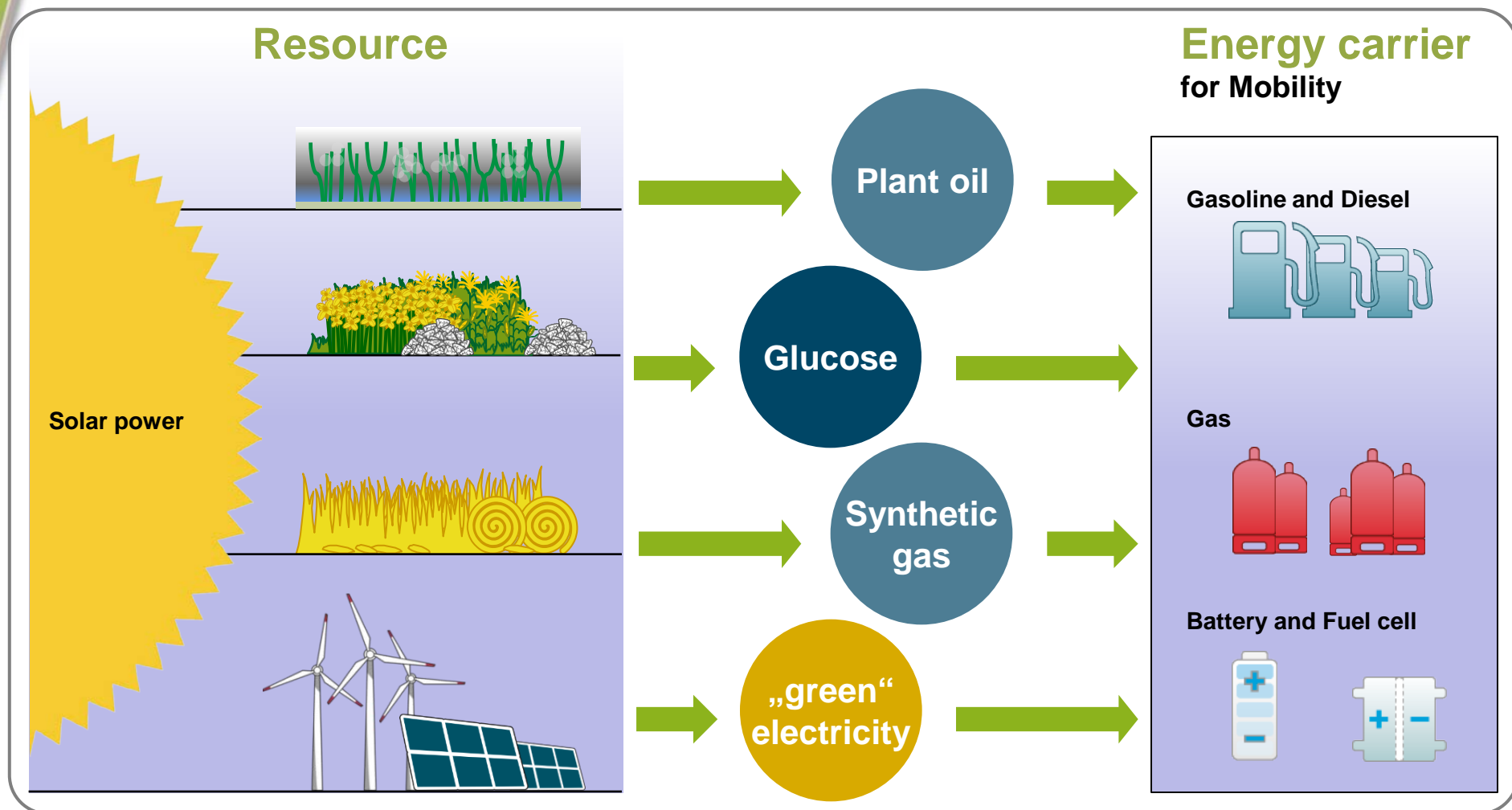


1.0l R3 CNG

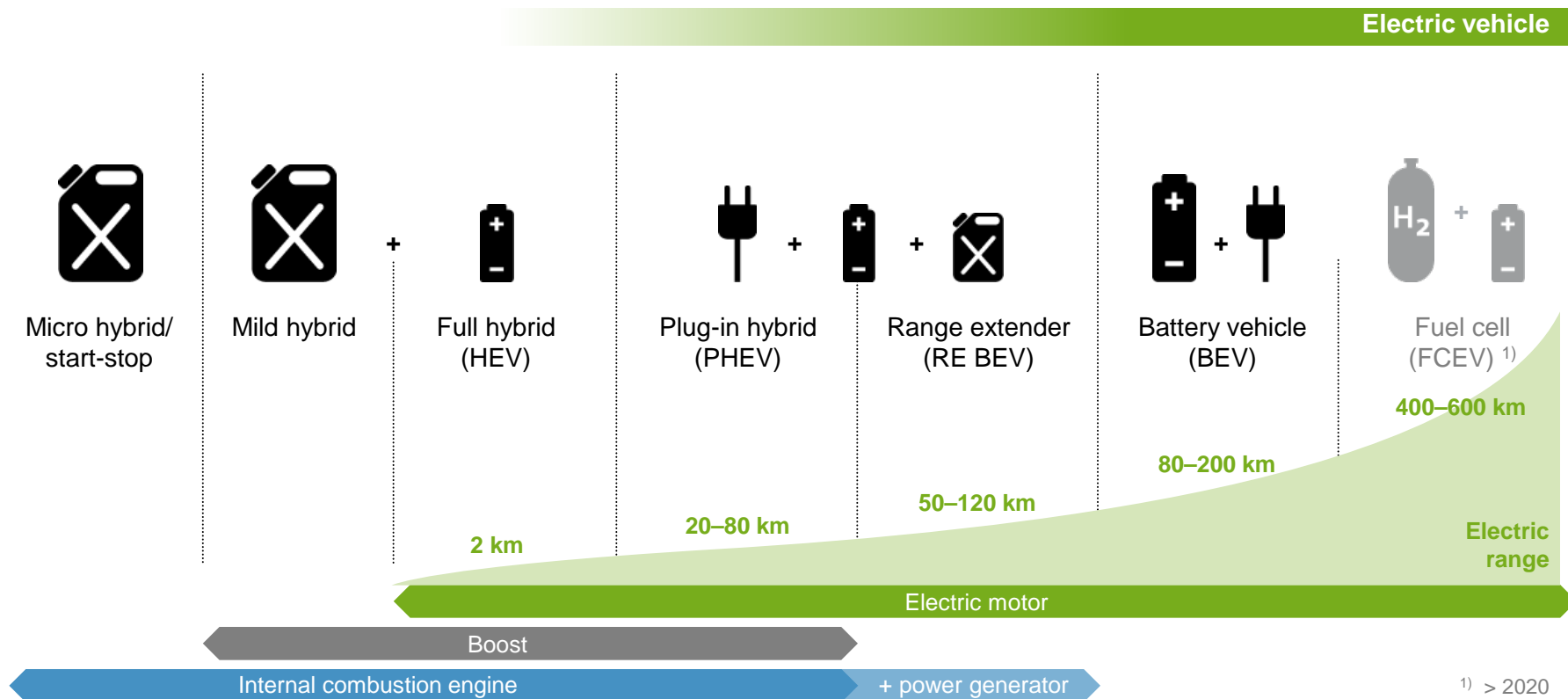
Source: Volkswagen Group

<b>Engine:</b>	1.0l Natural Gas Engine BlueMotion Technology, 50 kW (68 PS) „quasi“-monovalent
<b>Transmission:</b>	5-Gear-Manual
<b>CNG-Consumption:</b>	2.9kg /100 km
<b>CO<sub>2</sub>-Emission:</b>	<b>79 g/km</b>
<b>Mileage:</b>	<b>CNG:</b> 380 km; Total: 600km
<b>Tank Package:</b>	2 Sub Floor-Gas-Steel Tubes (Capacity: ca.11 kg) no reduction of passenger space Tank Capacity Gasoline: 10 l
<b>Engine Management:</b>	same driveability in all kinds of powertrains

# ... and Industrialization of alternative ultra low carbon Fuels

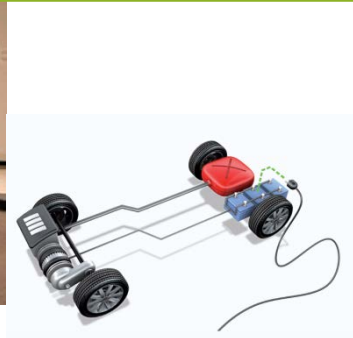


# Coming Decades of Electrification of the Drive Systems



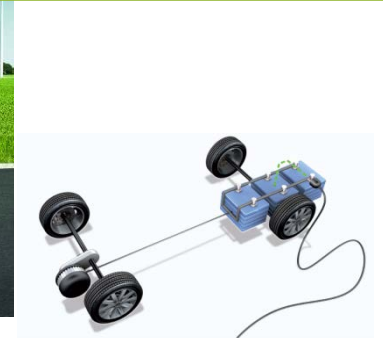
# Level of Electrification: Plug-in hybrid versus battery-powered vehicle

## Plug-in hybrid i.e. Golf twinDrive



- Internal combustion engine and electric motor; mixed mode possible
- Medium-capacity battery, charged via the socket-outlet
- Regenerative braking (over medium distances the vehicle can be powered just by the electric motor)

## Battery-powered vehicle i.e. Golf blue-e-motion

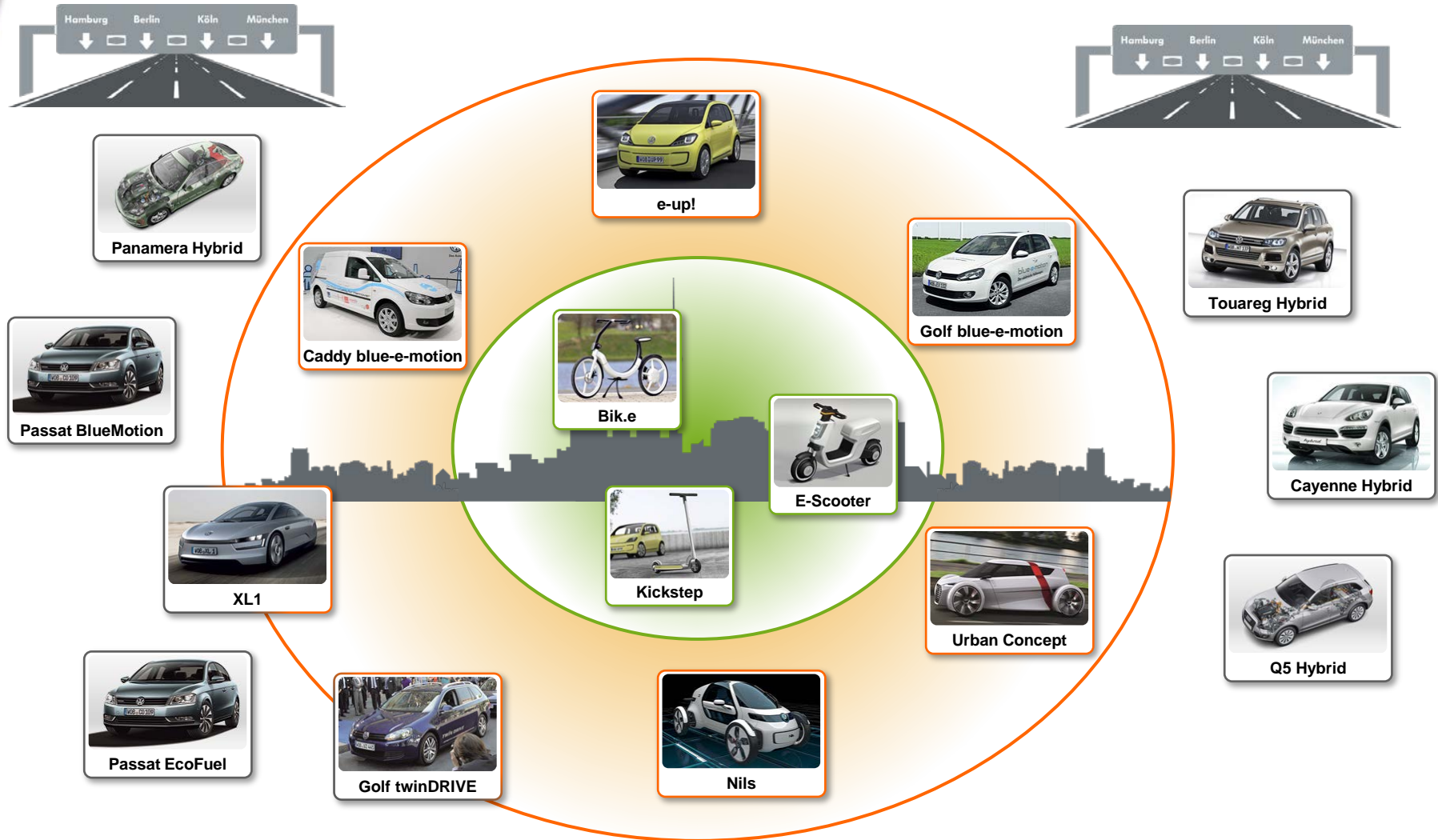


- Electric motor
- Battery is charged via the socket-outlet
- Regenerative braking
- Powered just by electricity

Source: Volkswagen Group

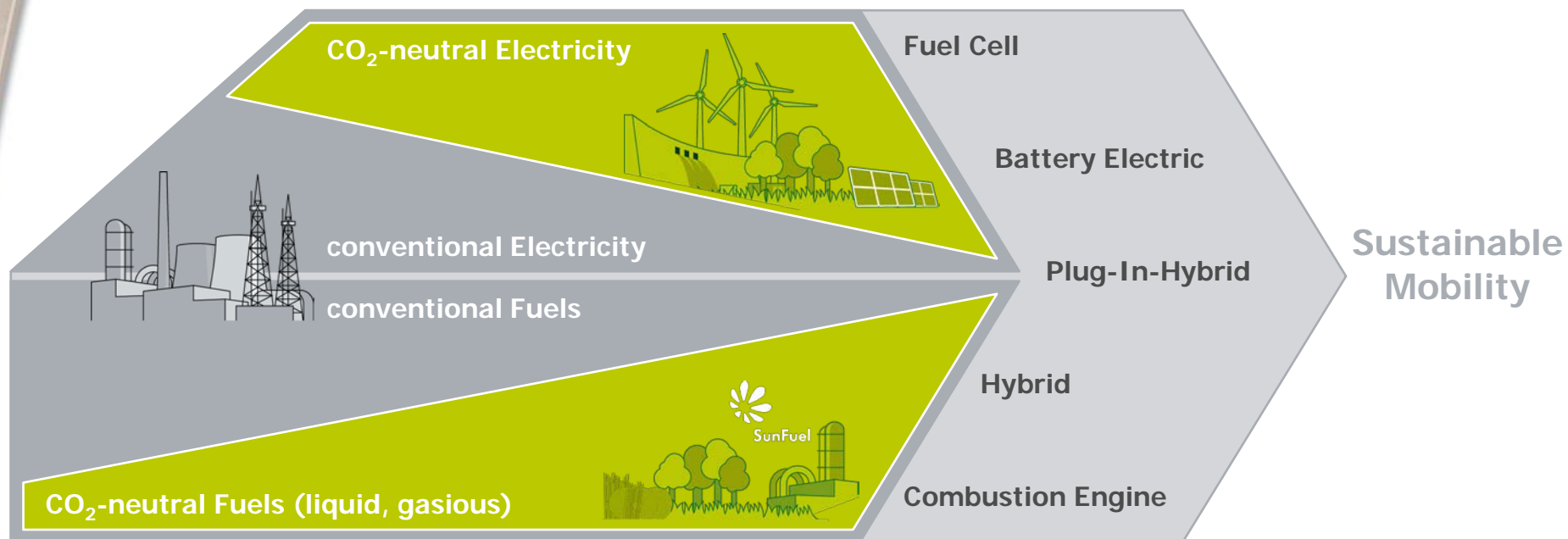
# Mobility Requirements

## - urban Areas and long Distances



# Decarbonization

## Coexistence of Powertrain Technologies and Energies

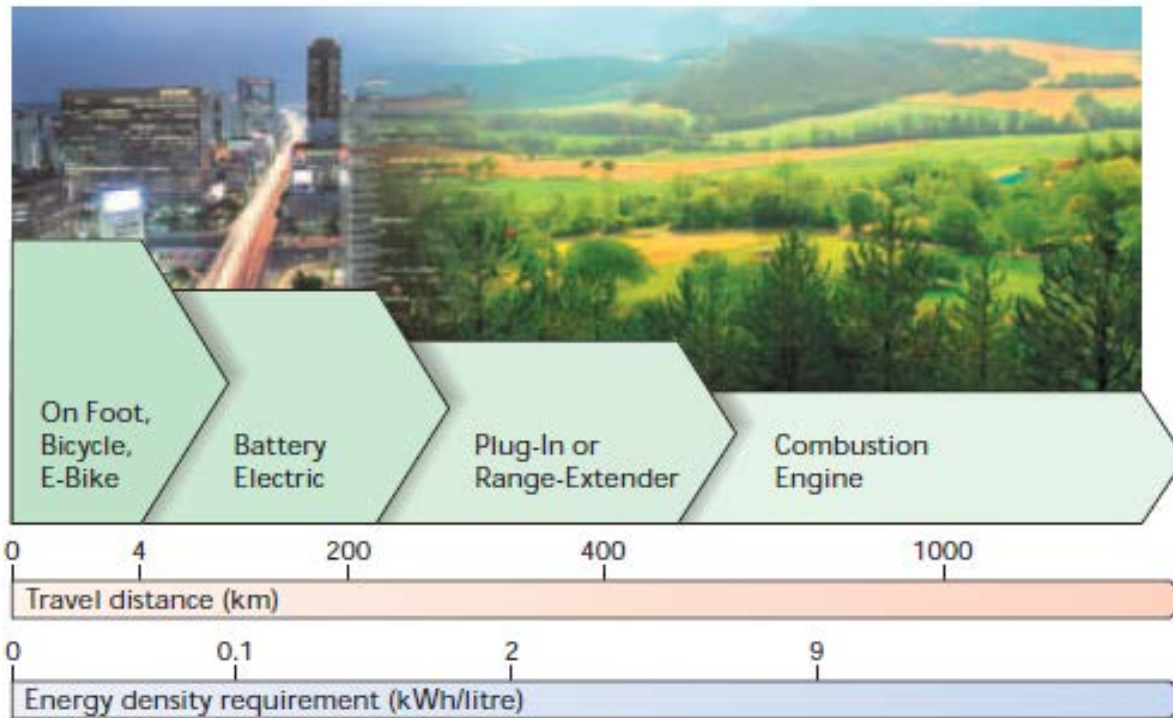


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# Decarbonization + Reliability

- Improve reliability of transport schedules
- Preserve and improve urban accessibility

Diversity of  
Mobility  
Needs



Diversity of  
Mobility  
Solutions

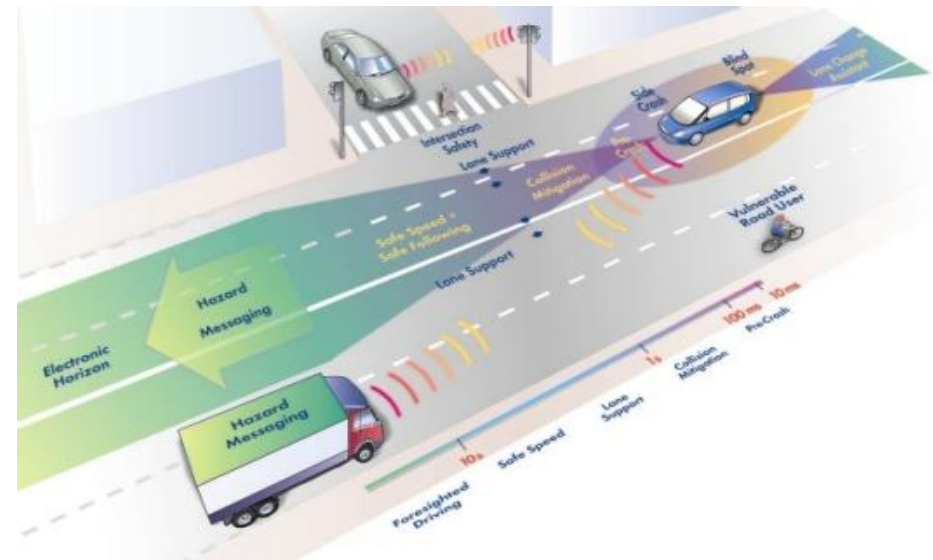


# Decarbonization + Reliability + **Safety & Security**

- Reduce fatalities and severe injuries
- Reduce cargo lost to theft and damage

**All these challenges request to take a system approach:**

- Vehicle
- Infrastructure
- Services
- Energy & Resources

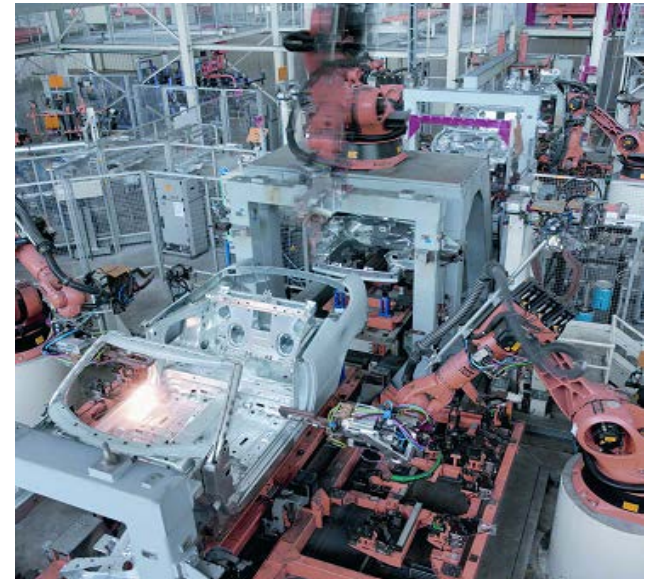


# Global Competitiveness

- **Improve Global Competitiveness by targeting Societal Challenges**
- **R&D as the main tool to keep or reach global competitiveness**

## Results:

- **Leadership in energy efficiency**
- **Sustainable Growth**
- **Green Jobs**
- **Europe 2020 Strategy**



# ERTRAC SRA 2010

## A decisive Moment for Action by Europe

### Implementing the SRA through Research and Innovation Roadmaps

**System approach and  
coverage of the whole  
Innovation chain –  
Towards the deployment of  
innovative technologies**

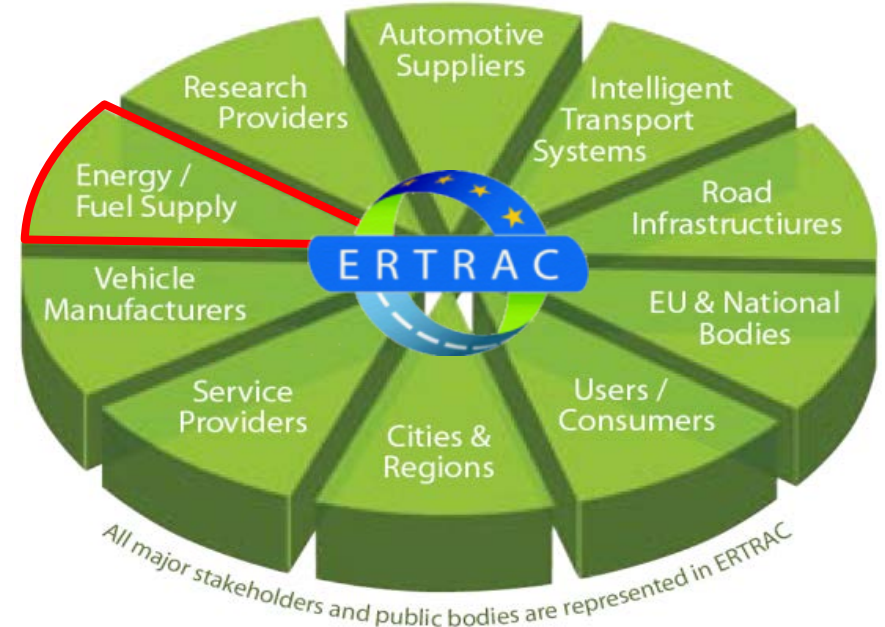


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## Guided by Systems Approach

### CONCAWE is:

- ✓ One of the most important elements in our stakeholder group
- ✓ A contributor from the beginning
- ✓ Very active as chair of our working group “Energy and Environment”



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**Thank you  
for your Attention**

