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Energy transition in a security-conscious world

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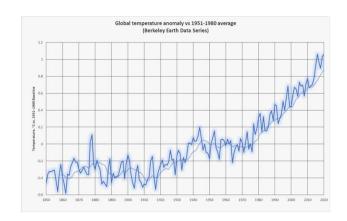
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In a troubled world, three key drivers of change emerge

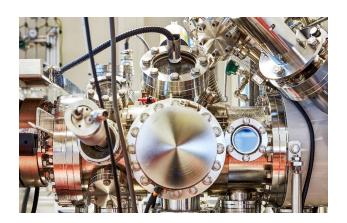
Rising energy costs, food prices, inflation



Global surface temperature continues to rise



Accelerated technological change



A security mindset is rapidly emerging throughout the world...

...but a deeper exploration reveals the foundation for an accelerated energy transition



Four emerging energy transition archetypes, each with a differing pace of decarbonisation







Green Dream

(rapid shift from oil and gas and reduced energy demand)

Innovation Wins

(new solutions with rapid commercialisation)



(Emergent)



(Rising)

Surfers

(riding the waves of opportunity)



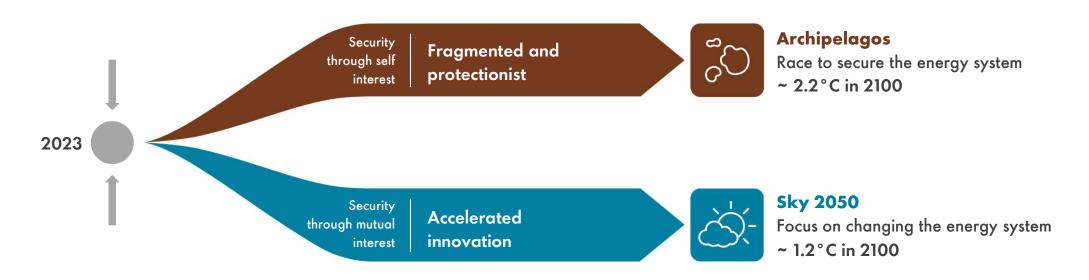
(a China-led low-carbon infrastructure push)



Two scenarios emerge, Sky 2050 and Archipelagos

As the security mindset takes hold and national interests take precedence a tension emerges between national climate pledges and what countries must do to address immediate energy concerns.

We are collectively entering a world of competitive transition.

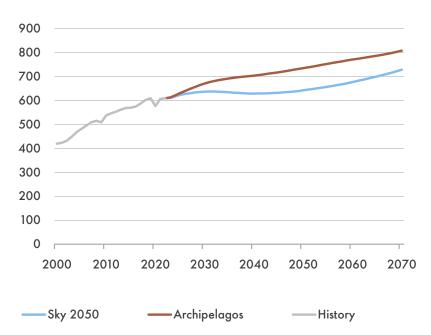


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Primary energy in Sky 2050 and Archipelagos

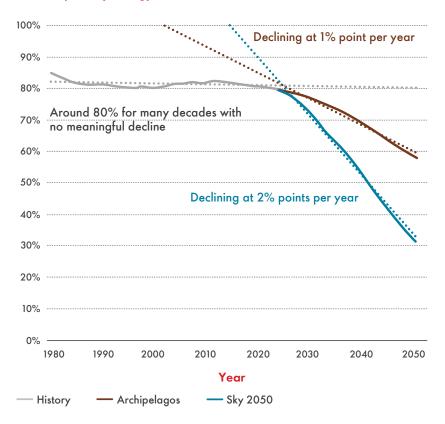
World total primary energy demand

EJ/year



Oil, coal and gas as a fraction of total primary energy

Fraction of primary energy (%)



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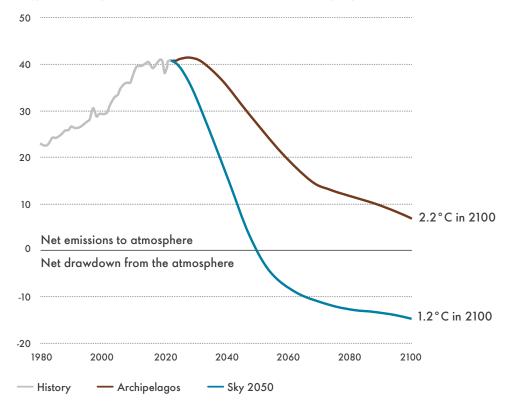
Features of Sky 2050 and Archipelagos

Net zero emissions (NZE) is an almost inevitable outcome

- Sky 2050 reaches NZE in 2050 (by design), combining energy and land use changes.
- By 2100, warming is less than 1.5°C in Sky 2050.
- Archipelagos reaches NZE early in the 22nd century but warming exceeds 2°C.
- Scenarios above 2.5°C no longer appear plausible given the anticipated pace of the energy transition.

Global anthropogenic CO₂ emissions

Energy, Industrial processes and land use, CO₂ emissions (Gt per year)



From collaborative to competitive energy transition







Archipelagos

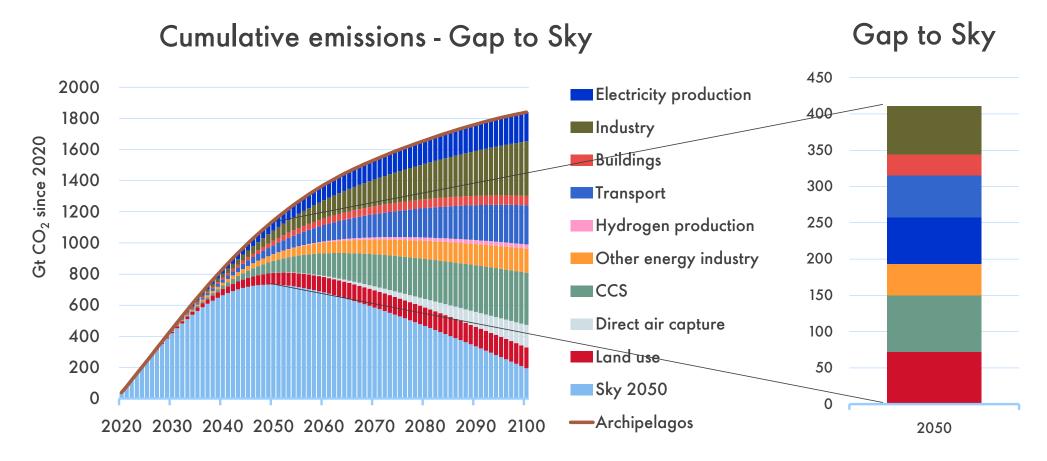
security through self interest vicious cycle of protectionism and alliances

Sky 2050

security through mutual interest virtuous cycle of competition and innovation

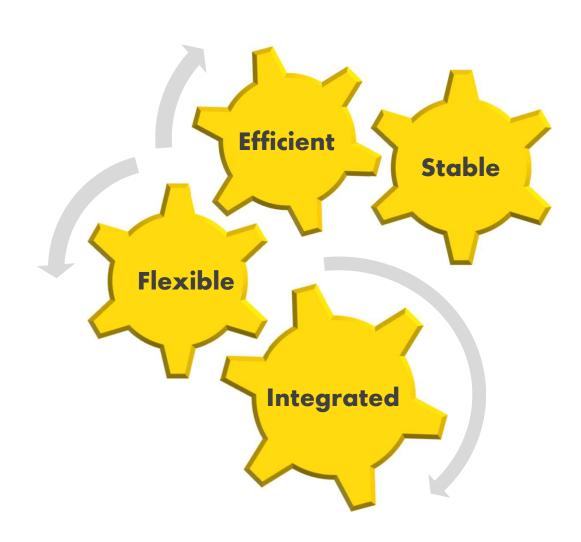
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Bridging the gap to Sky 2050



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Implementing smart policies



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Piecing together the financing mosaic

