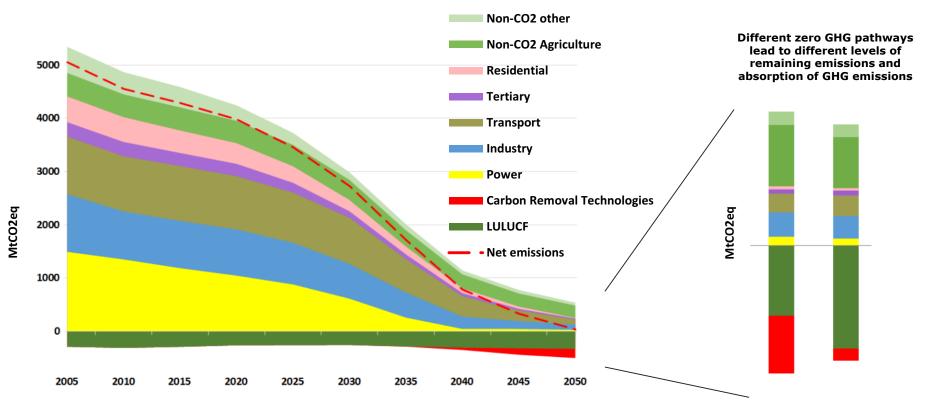


# Innovation and Modernisation Fund

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# Vision for a Clean Planet by 2050

Several pathways for a climate neutral Europe, challenging but feasible from technological, economic, environmental and social perspectives



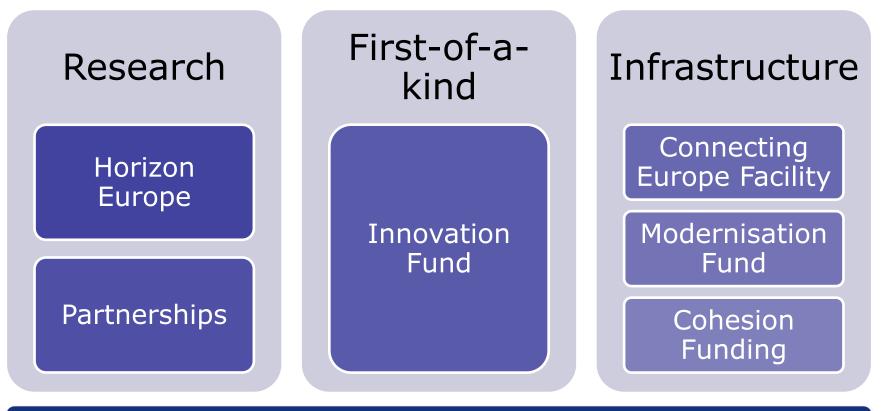


# **Building blocks for 2050**

- 1. Energy efficiency
- 2. Deployments of renewables
- 3. Clean, safe & connected mobility
- 4. Competitive industry and circular economy
- 5. Infrastructure and inter-connections
- 6. Bio-economy and natural carbon sinks
- 7. Tackle remaining emissions with carbon capture and storage



## **ETS Funds: Complementarities**

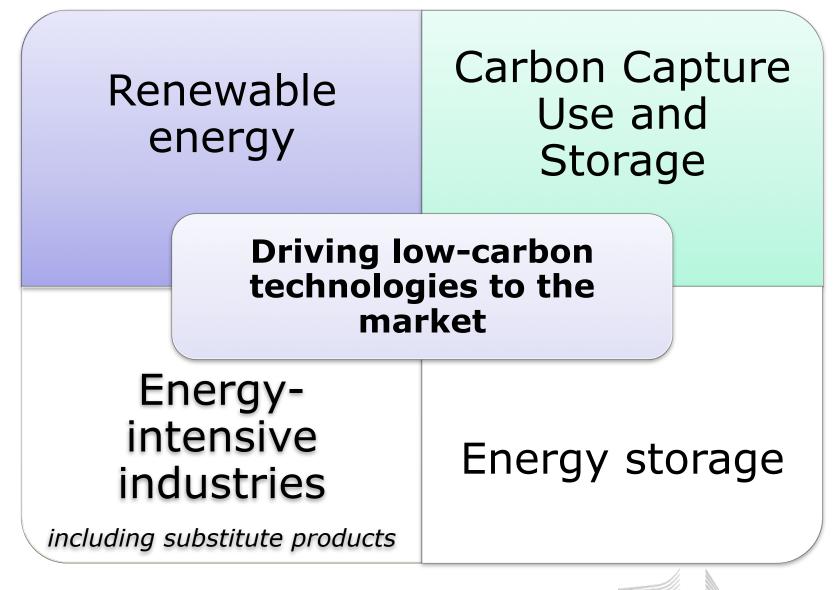


#### InvestEU

#### **Member State Funding**



## **Innovation Fund**





## **Key features of the Innovation Fund**

Volume of at least EUR 10 billion at current carbon prices	Support of up to 60% of additional costs related to innovative technology	First call expected for 2020 and regular calls up to 2030
Financed from the revenues of the EU Emissions Trading System	Support of additional capital <u>and</u> operating costs (up to 10 years)	Comprehensive selection criteria and project development assistance



### **Technology and business**

σ criter Selection Greenhouse gas emissions avoidance

Degree of innovation

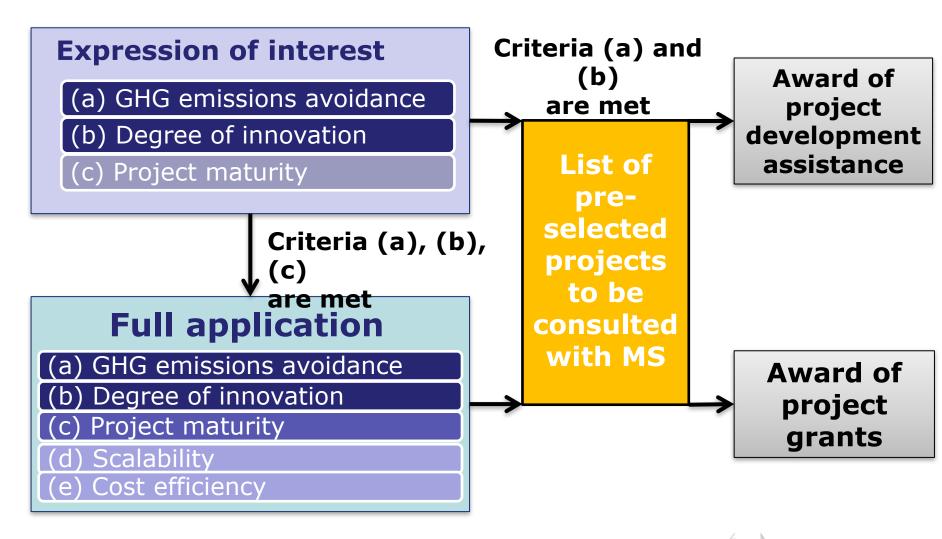
**Project maturity** 

Scalability

Cost efficiency

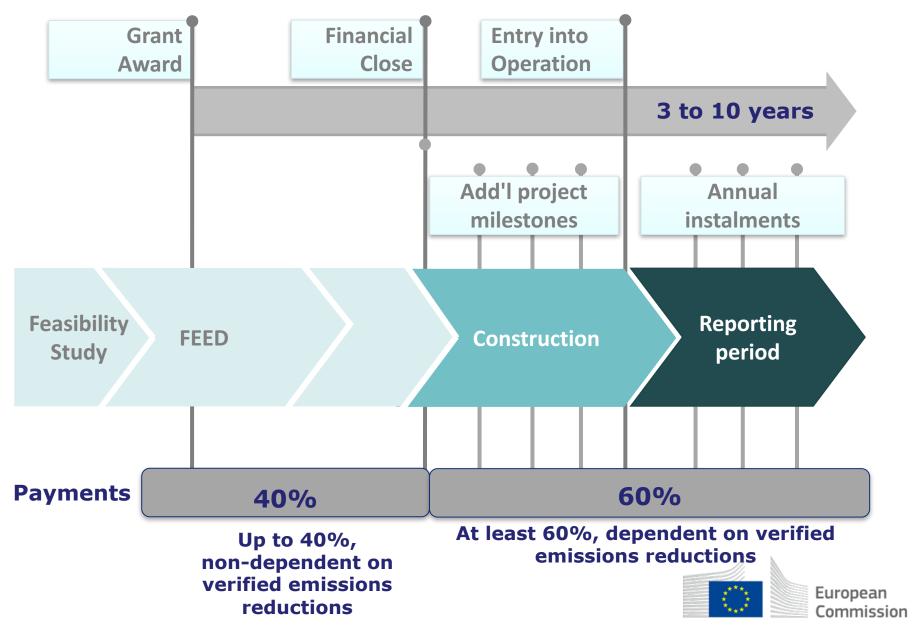


#### **Two-stage selection process**





## Support across project life-cycle



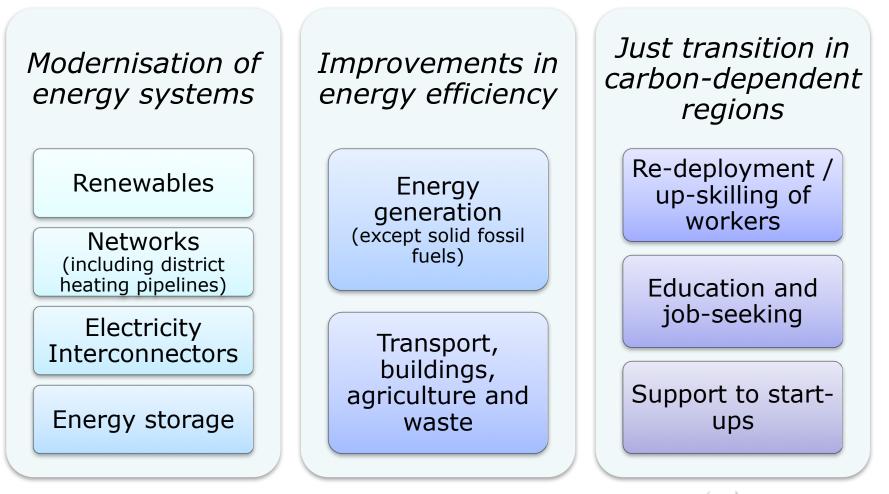
## Modernisation Fund: Basics – EU ETS Directive 2018/410

- Volume of at least 2% of the EU ETS cap for Modernisation Fund + additional transfers
- To be distributed among 10 beneficiary Member States according to preset allocation key:



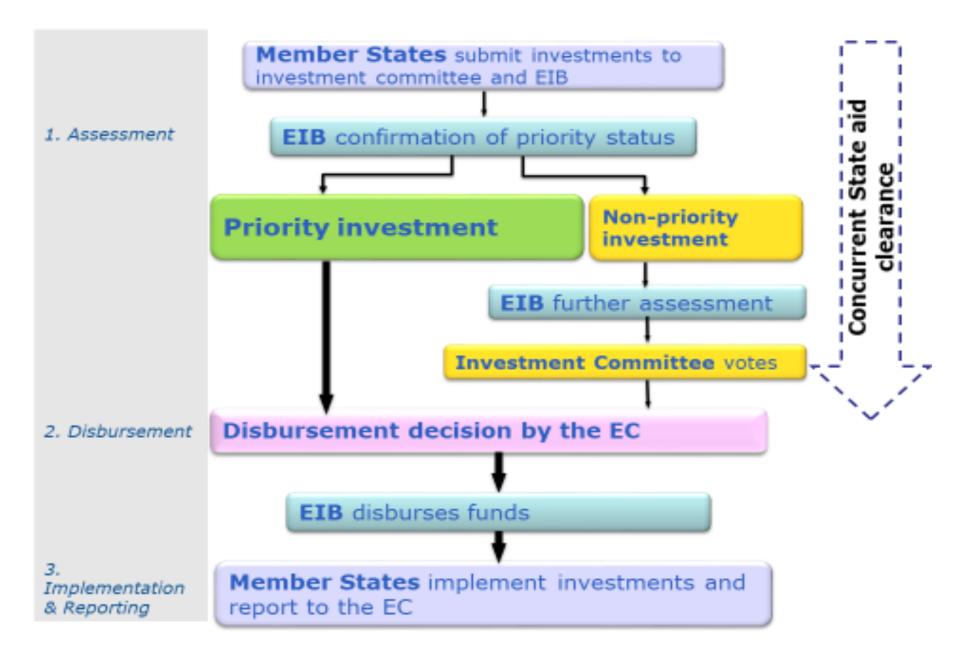
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#### **Priority investments** *at least 70 % of Modernisation Fund*

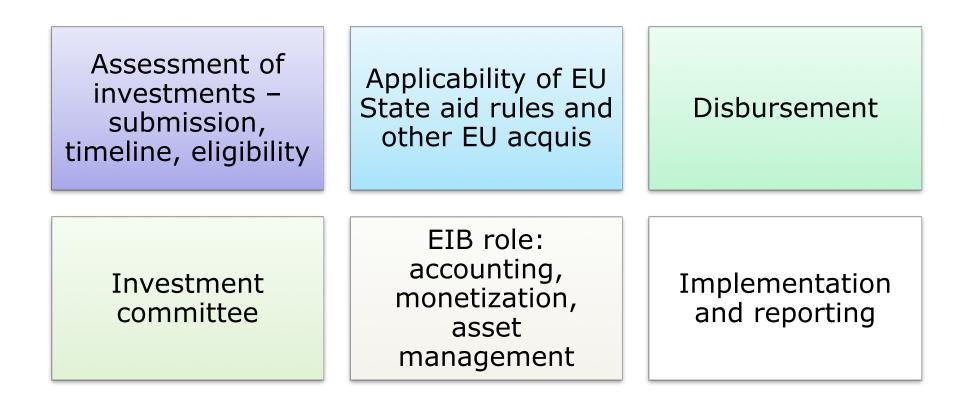




#### **Process overview**



### **Key topics**





#### **Next steps**

#### Implementing act

- 1st draft to be discussed with MS in Q4 2019
- Expected adoption in Q1-2 2020

#### Modernisation Fund operation milestones

- Investment committee constitution Q2 2020
- Investment committee 1st meeting Q3 2020
- Modernisation Fund operational as of 2021

