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The Role of CO₂ Infrastructure in Achieving US Economy-Wide Net-Zero Emissions

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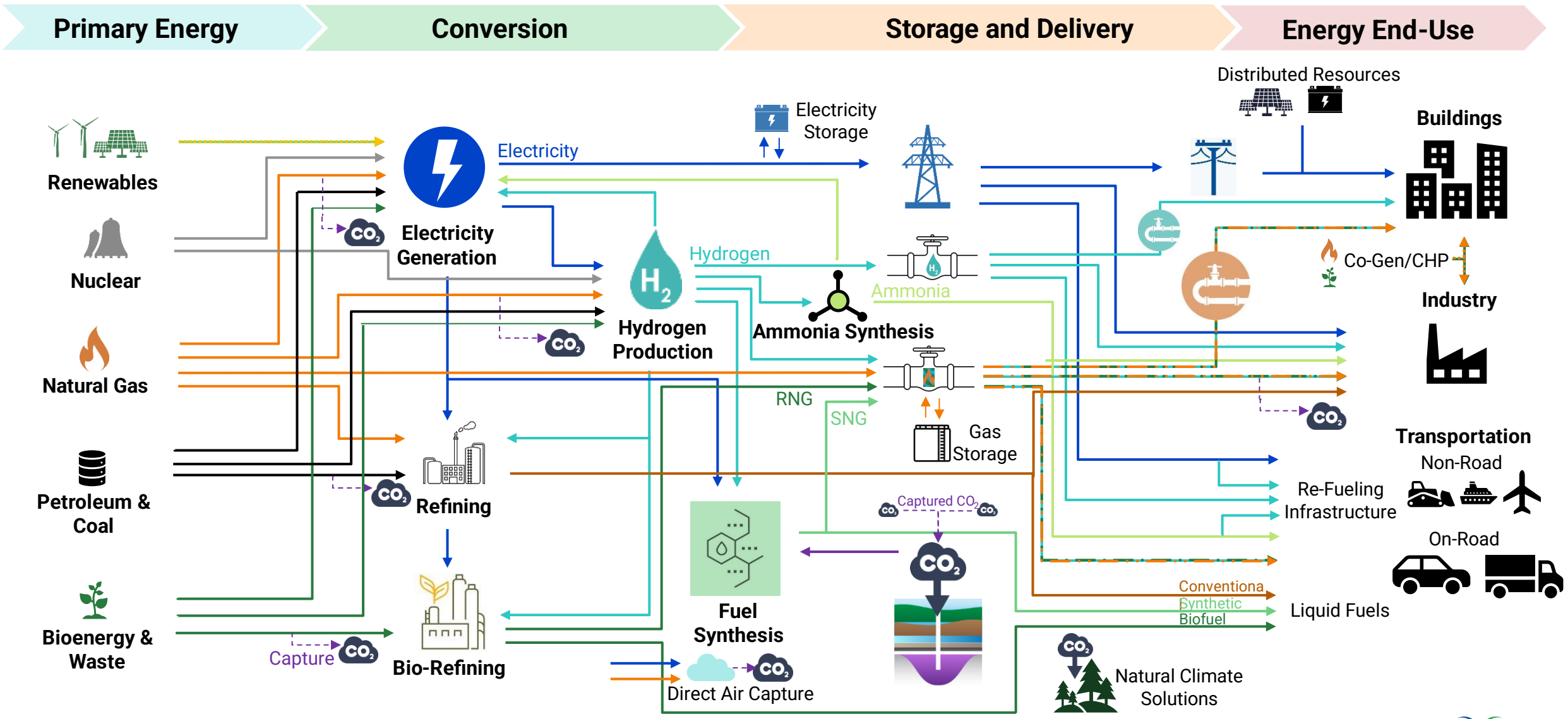
Energy transitions will require development, deployment and adoption of **low-cost, low-carbon** energy **systems** at scale.



Net-Zero 2050: U.S. Economy- Wide Deep Decarbonization Scenario Analysis

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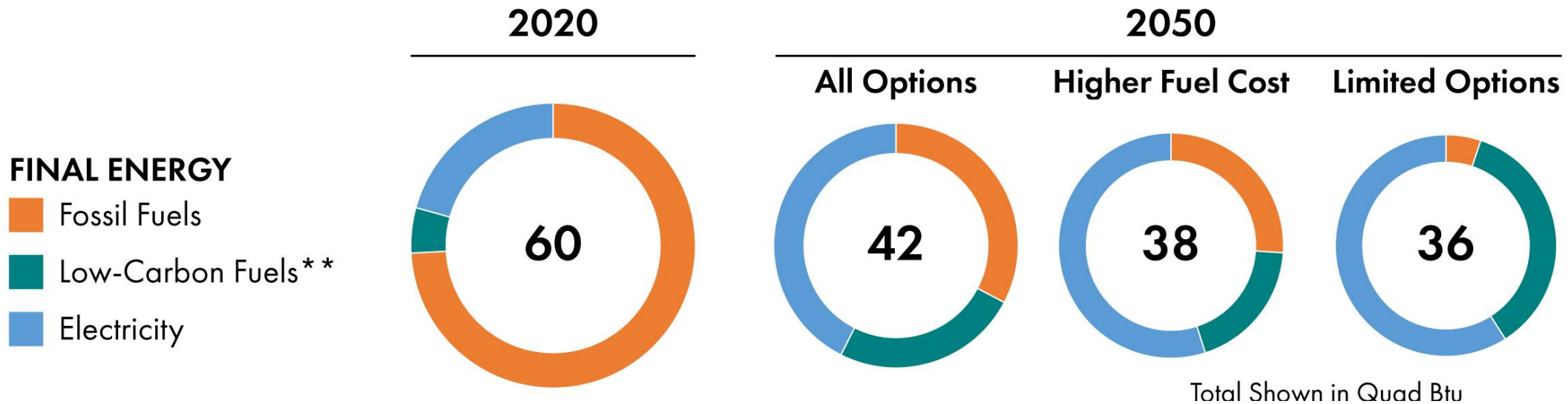
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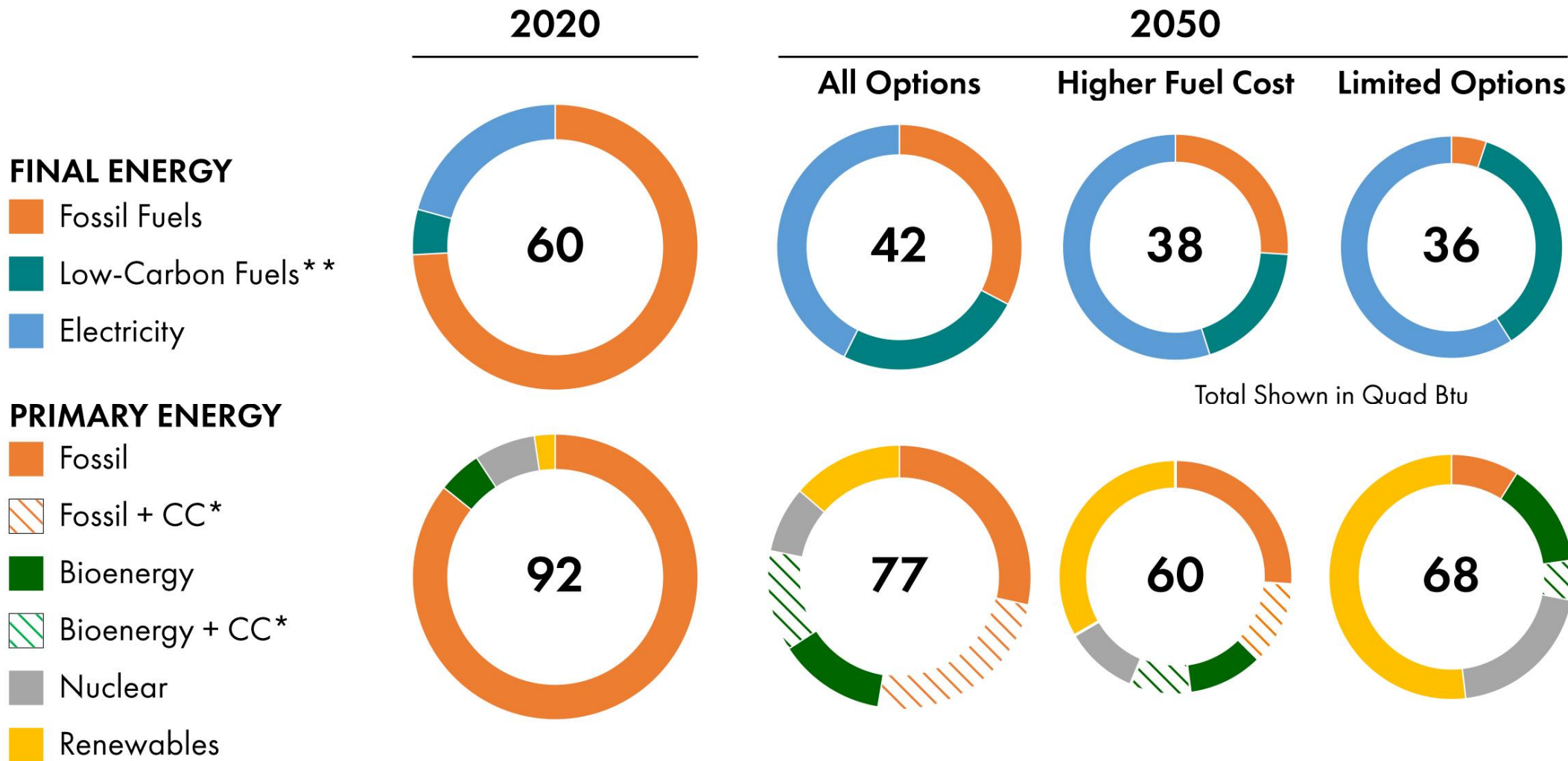
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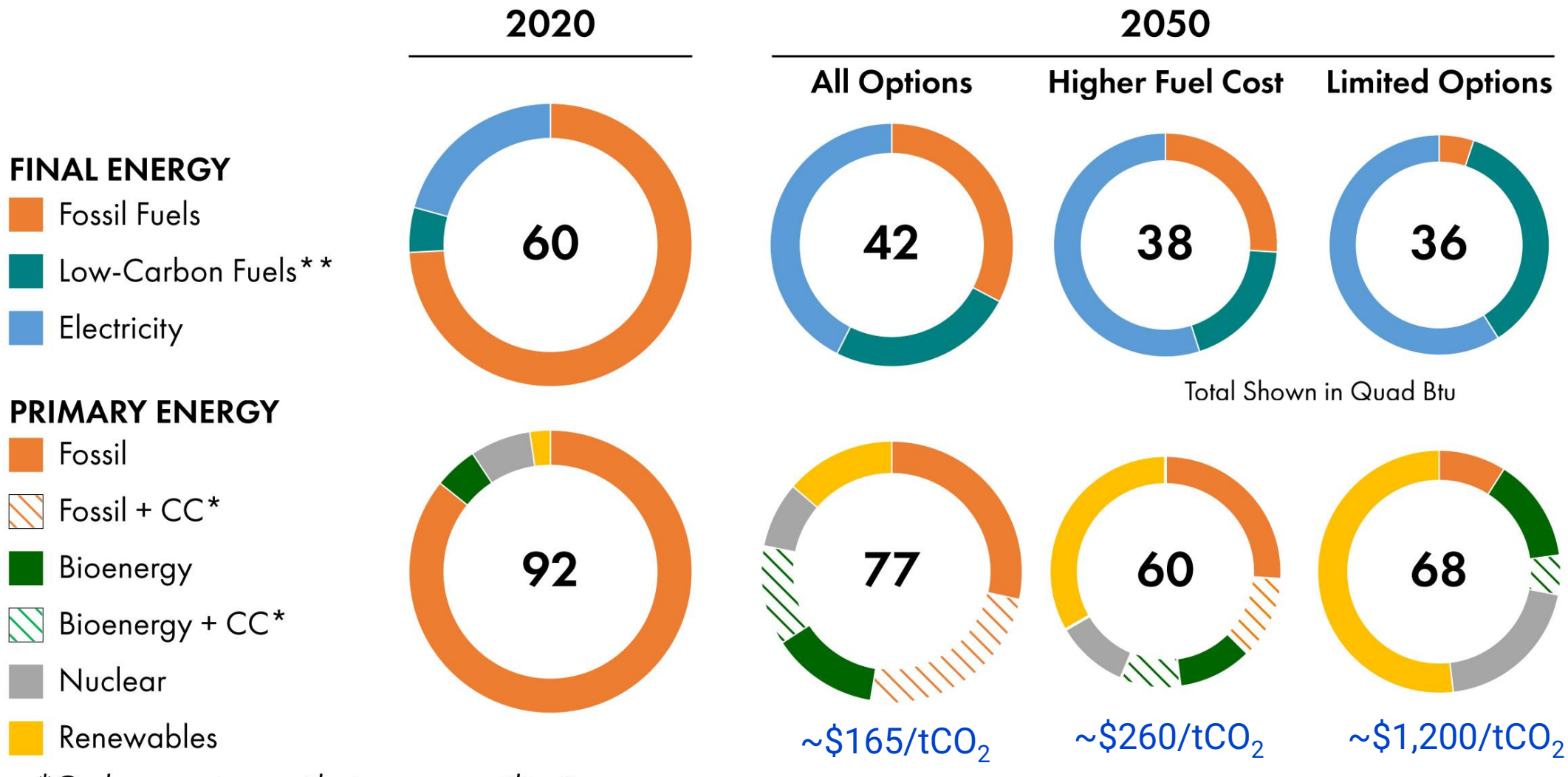
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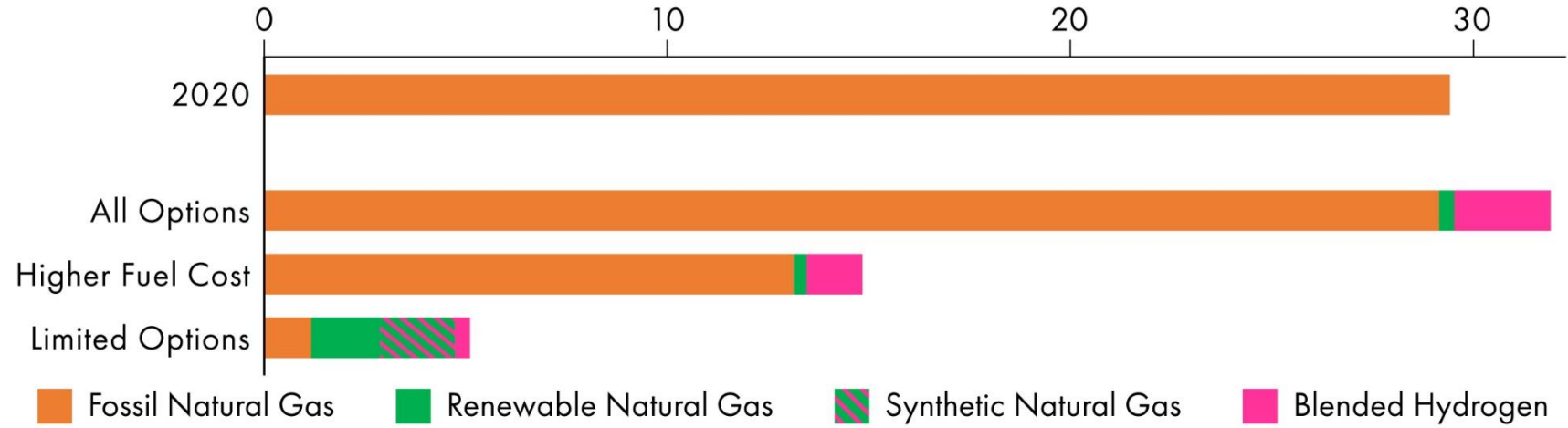
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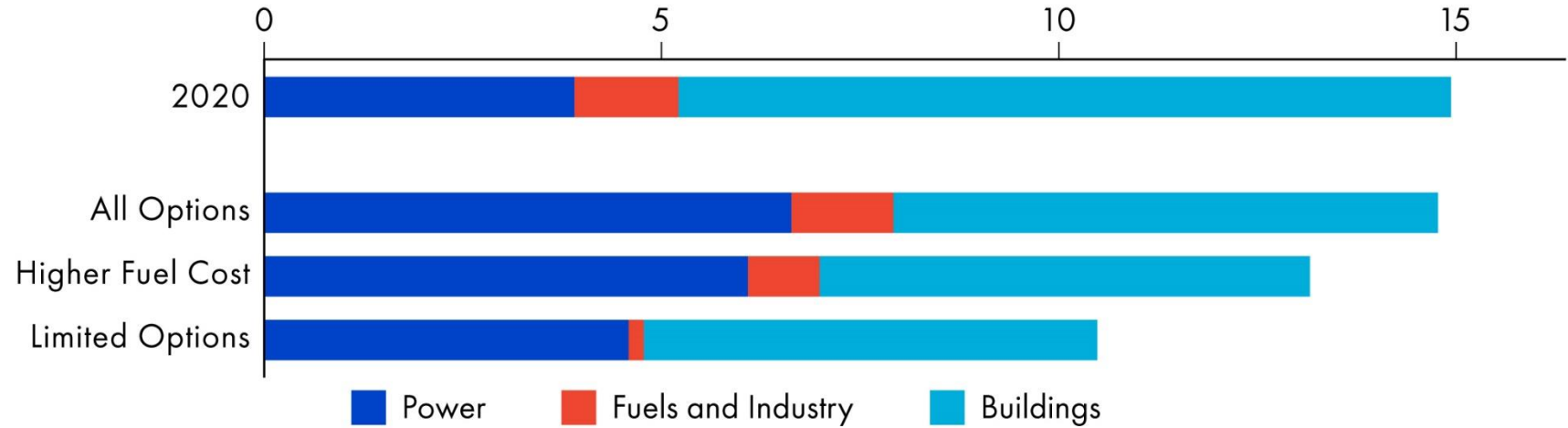
Pipeline Gas Consumption and Supply

Quad Btu



Pipeline Infrastructure Capacity

TBtu/hour





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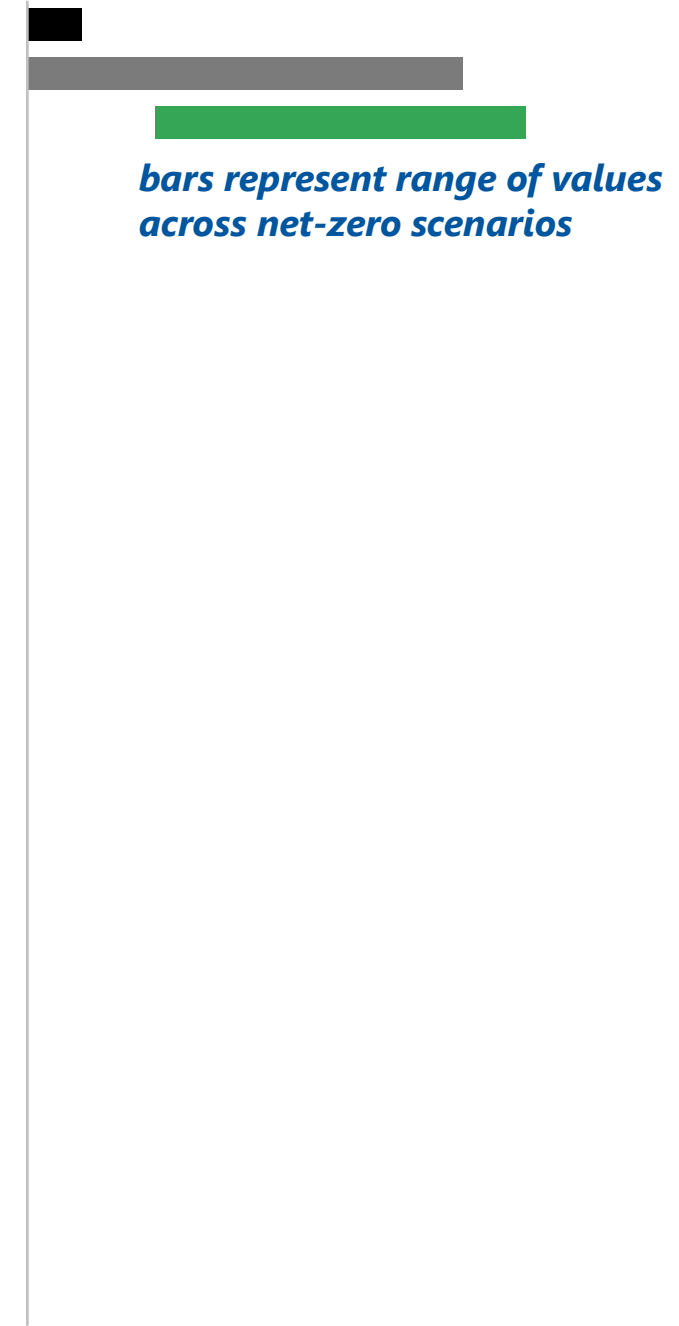
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Coal w/ CC
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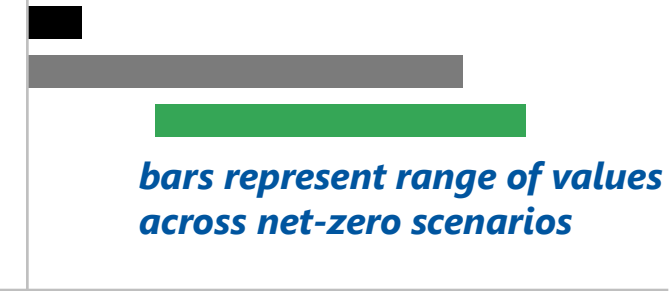


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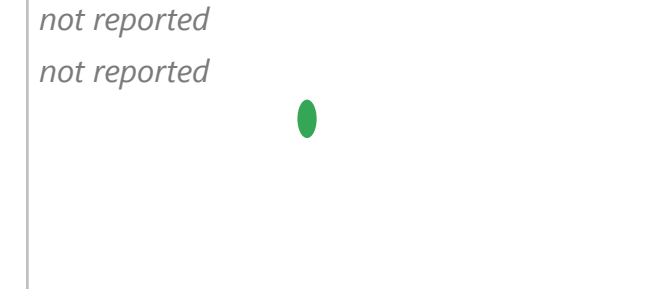
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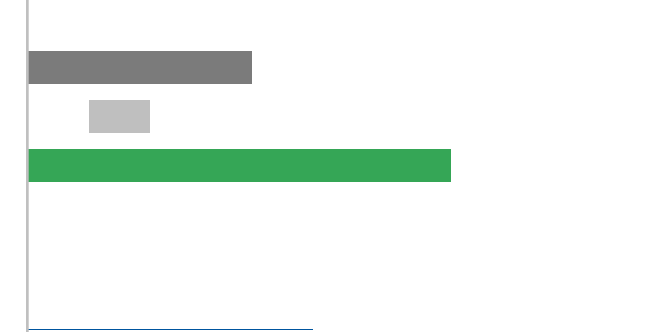
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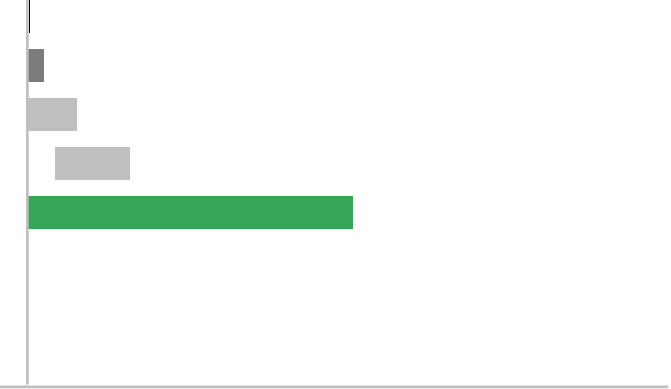
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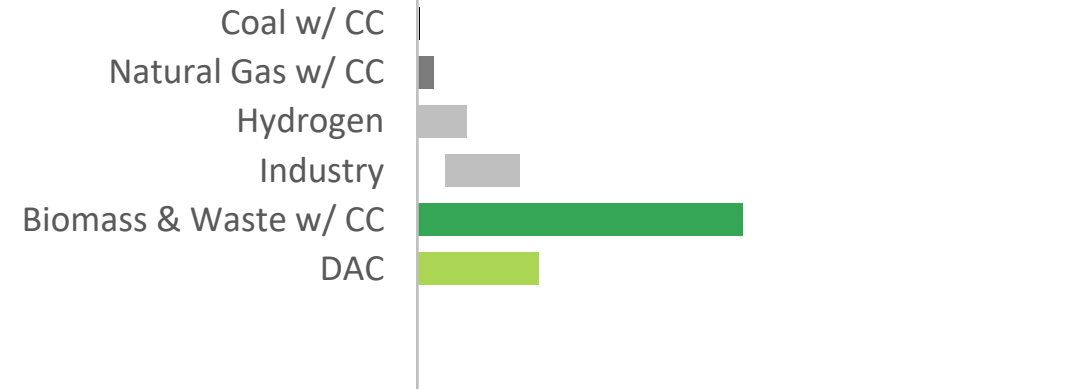
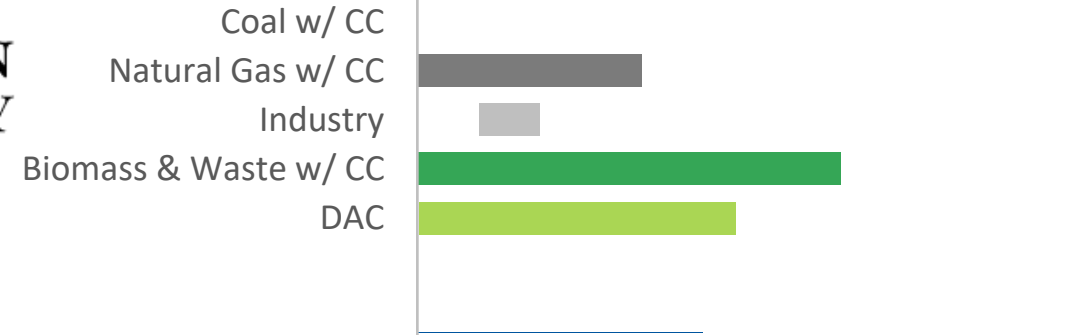


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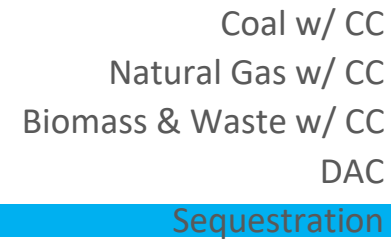


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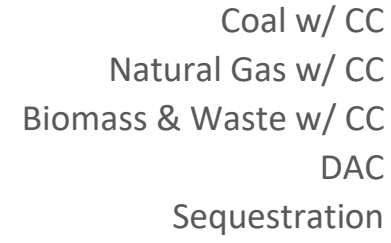


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bars represent range of values across net-zero scenarios



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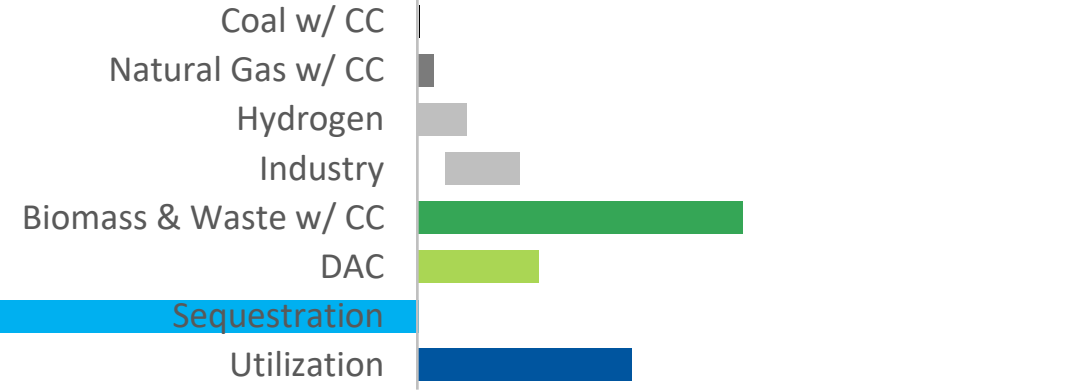
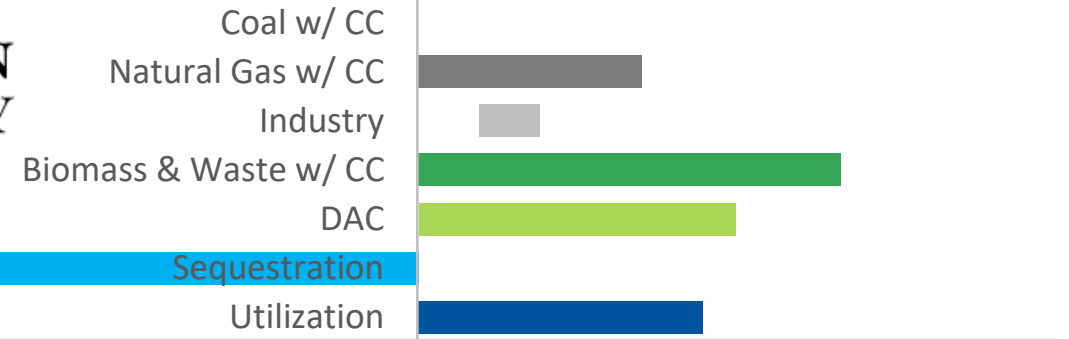


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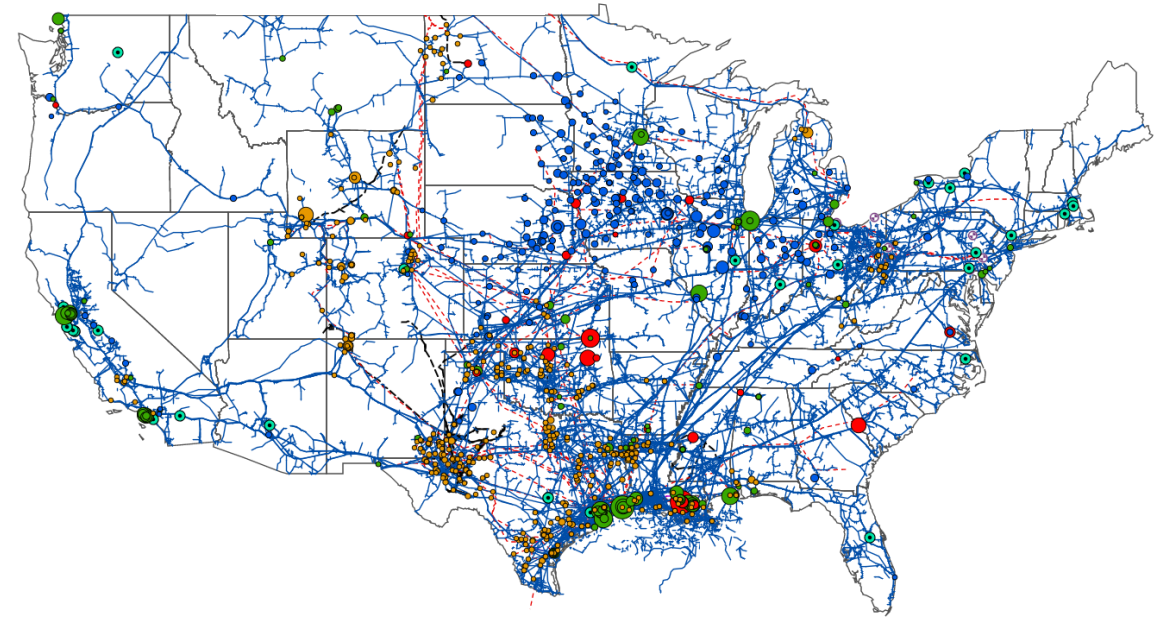
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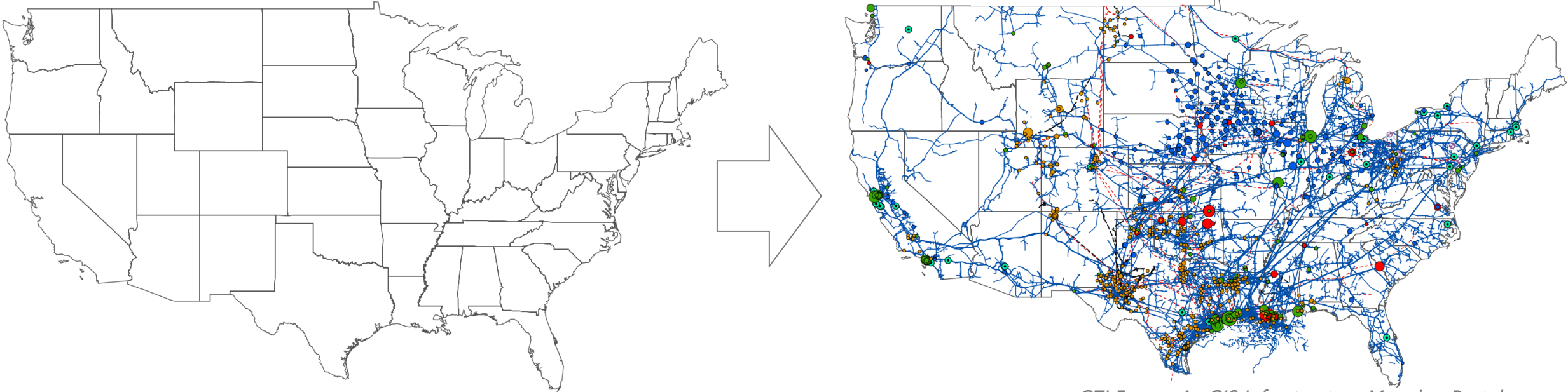
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Holistic Infrastructure Planning



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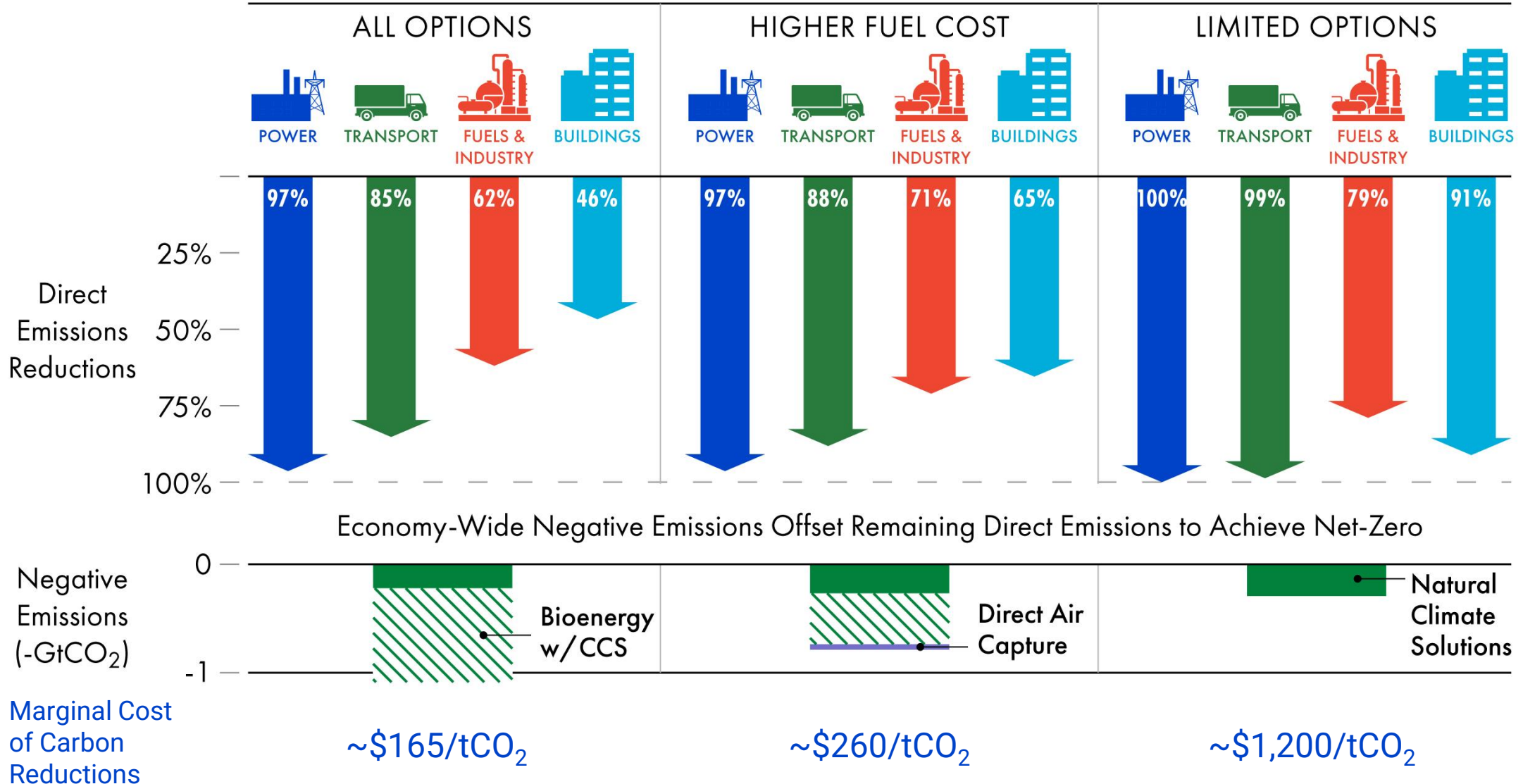
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CO₂ Emission Reductions by Sector, 2005–2050

Net-Zero 2050 Scenarios



2050 Electric Generation Capacity By Resource

Ranges (GW) from Net-Zero 2050 Scenarios

