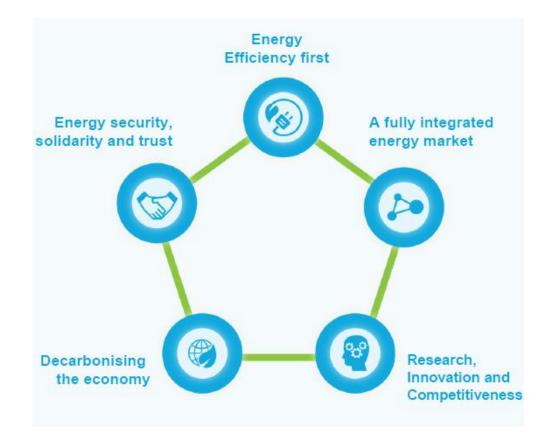


The Package

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"SMART AND CLEAN ENERGY FOR ALL" - IMPLEMENTING THE ENERGY UNION STRATEGY

AN ENERGY UNION BASED ON 5 MUTUALLY SUPPORTIVE AND INTERLINKED DIMENSIONS





THE GOALS

CREATING JOBS AND GROWTH, REDUCING GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS, SECURING ENERGY SUPPLY

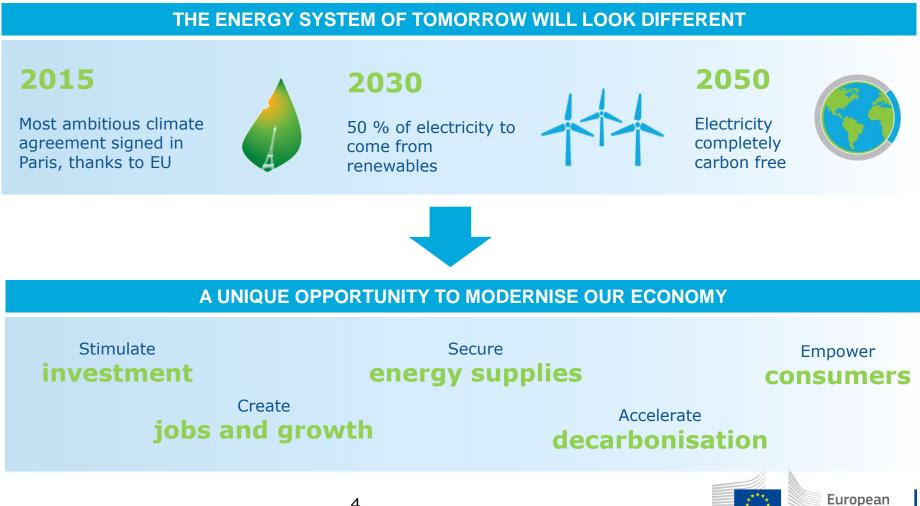




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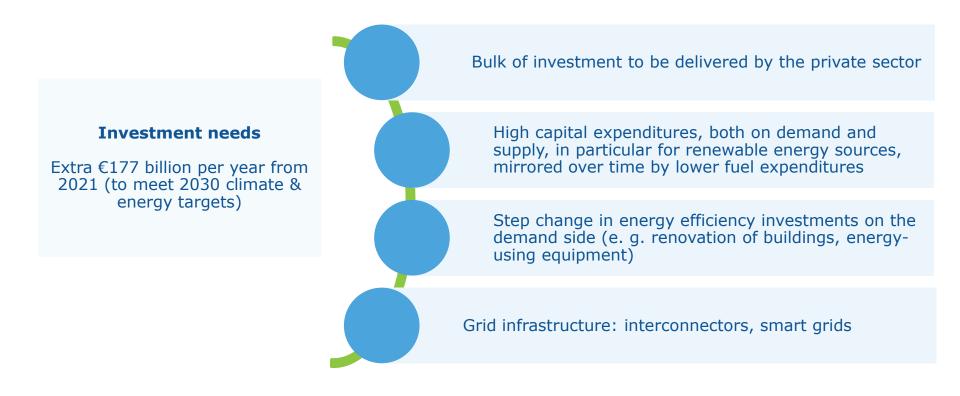
THE OPPORTUNITY



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THE COST

INCREASING ENERGY INVESTMENT - SCALE OF THE CHALLENGE



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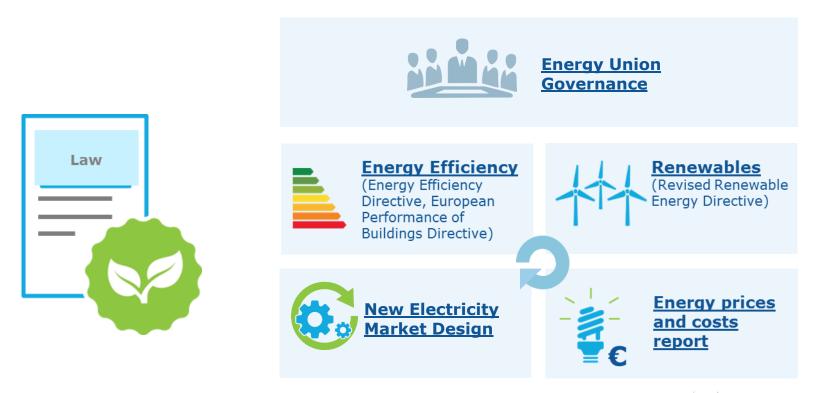
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THE TOOLS

THE RIGHT REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

SMART AND CLEAN ENERGY FOR ALL package





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New Electricity Market Design

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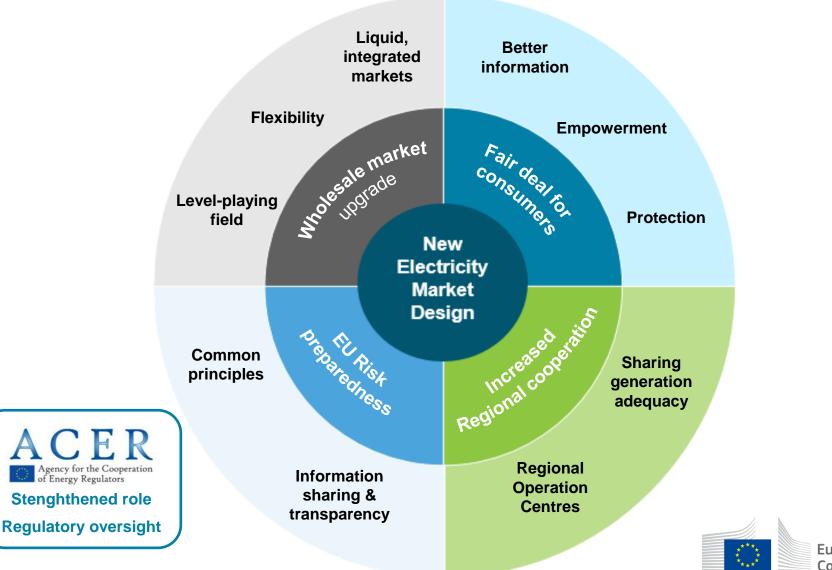
Enable active consumer participation and ensure that consumers are protected and benefit from progress in energy technologies



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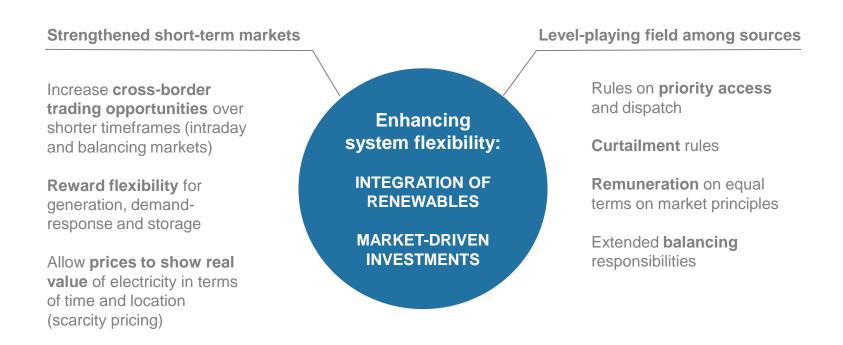






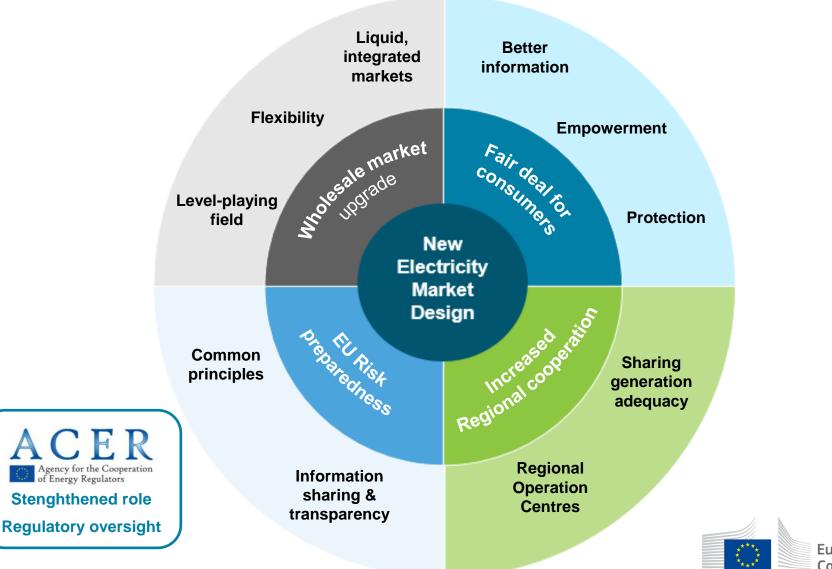
WHOLESALE MARKET UPGRADE

Competitive energy markets are at the heart of a competitive economy









FAIR DEAL FOR ALL CONSUMERS

Our vision is of an Energy Union with citizens at its core, where citizens take ownership of the energy transition, benefit from new technologies to reduce their bills, participate actively in the market, and where vulnerable consumers are protected.

Energy Union Framework Strategy

BETTER INFORMED

- Access to fit-for-purpose
 smart meters
- Certified price comparison tool
- Clearer energy bills

EMPOWERED

- Entitle individuals and communities to generate electricity and to consume, store or sell it back to the market
- Easier switching conditions
- Reward demand-response

PROTECTED

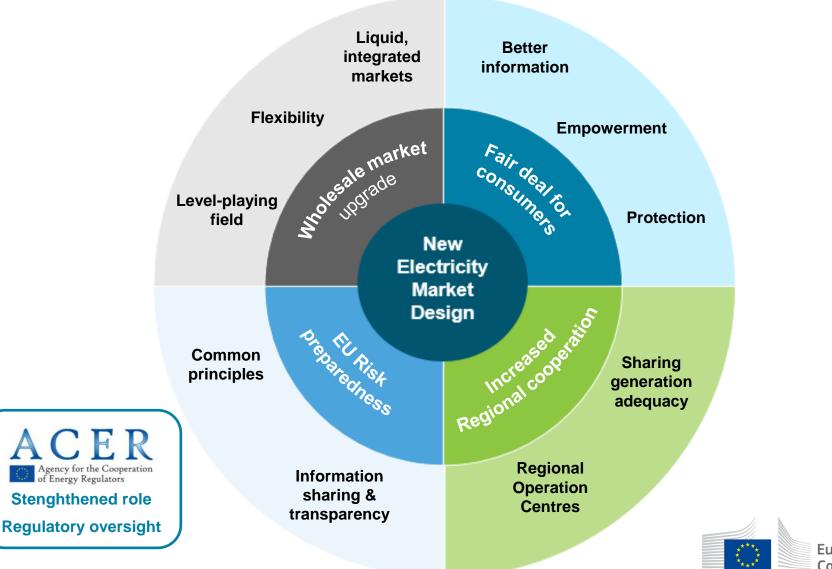
- Monitoring of energy poverty (governance)
- Information on alternatives to disconnection
- Secured electricity supplies
- Sound data management

COMPETITIVE RETAIL MARKETS

- Regulated prices phased out (only justified exemptions)
- Fair market access for new market players such as new services providers (e.g. aggregators)
 - Flexible network management
 - Distribution operators become neutral but active market facilitator







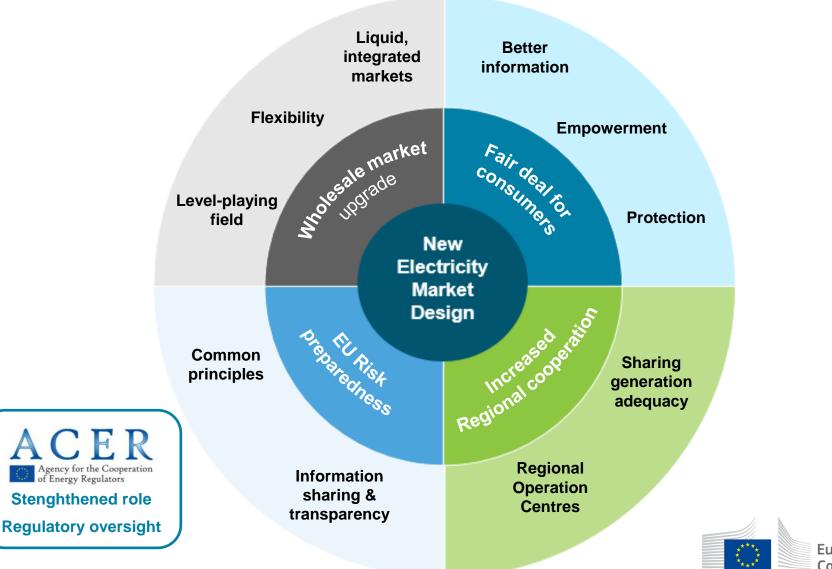
STEPPING UP REGIONAL COOPERATION



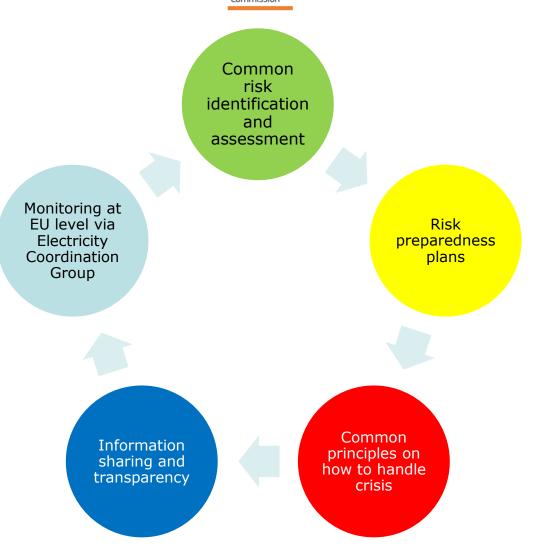
- Common capacity mechanisms principles in line with the Sector Inquiry to ensure least-distortive design
- Development of a transparent
 European adequacy assessment
 including capacity available at the border
- Regional Operation Centres (ROCs) bringing National Regulators closer together on system operation decisions
 - Development of shared Methodologies for cross-border trading of electricity at all market timeframes







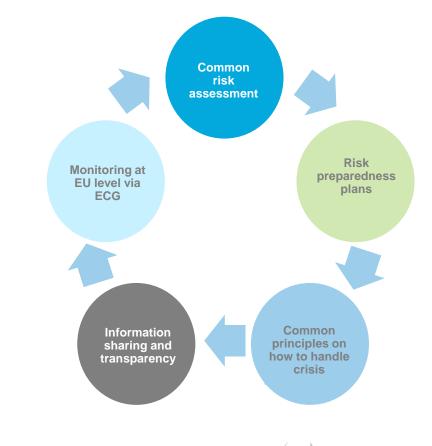




STRENGTHENING RISK PREPAREDNESS: SAFER TOGETHER

ENHANCED COOPERATION COMES FROM COMMON RULES

Common risk identification and assessment	 Common methodology for: Identifying electricity crisis Assessing short-term adequacy Identification of crisis scenario 	
Risk preparedness plans	 Mandatory plans and coordinated measures Consultation with other Member States and Electricity Coordination Group (ECG) 	
Common principles on handling crisis	 Solidarity principle and assistance Ensure market functions as long as possible Non-market measures only as last resort 	
Information sharing and transparency	Obligation to inform EC and Member States: In case of electricity crisis (measures and need for assistance) "Early-warning"	
EU level monitoring	 Systematic monitoring via Electricity Coordination Group Harmonised indicator to monitor Reporting on electricity crisis events 	



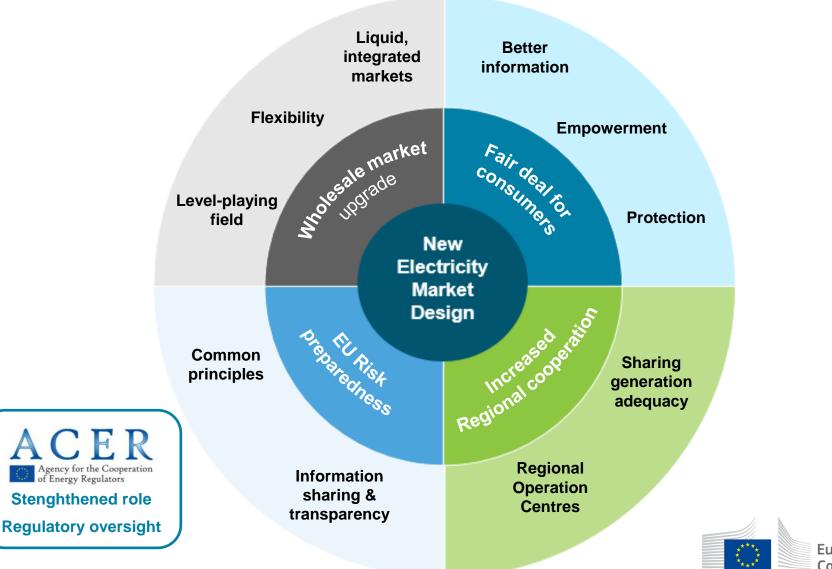




Cooperation with Energy Community

- > Possible crisis does not stop at EU border
- Close cooperation with EnC Contracting Parties, especially regarding identification of electricity crisis scenarios and establishment of risk preparedness plans
- Participation in Electricity Coordination Group upon invitation of the Commission





AN AGENCY UP TO THE TASK



A **coordination hub** for tighter European and regional cooperation Main engine behind the effective **implementation of market rules** Critical **market surveillance** functions both in wholesale and retail

Regional and cross-border decisions	 Setting the configuration of Regional Operation Centres and monitoring of regional performance Coordinator role towards National Regulators to enhance interoperability Apporoval of methodologies for cross-border trade and generation adequacy Approval of methodology for the identification of electricity crisis scenarios
Wholesale markets performance	 Monitoring of market efficiency: 'flexibility barriers', price caps; bidding zone decisions, locational price signals, etc. Follow through the implementation of existing and new system and market operation codes Surveillance of Member States performance against security of electricity supply indicators
DSO-related tasks	 Formal place for DSO to be represented at EU-level: establishment of EU DSO for electricity Ensure DSOs and TSOs cooperation





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