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# Methane leakage in the natural gas distribution networks

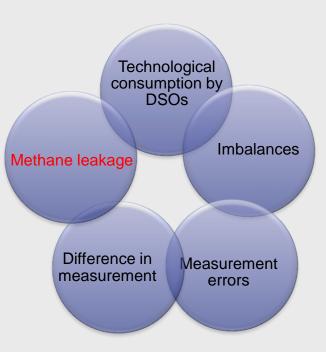
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### Losses in the distribution network



#### **Commercial losses**

### **Technical losses**



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Methane Leakage – Marcogaz Questionnaire



Tier 1, 2, 3 approaches

### *Emissions* = $\sum$ (*Activity factor x Emission factor*)

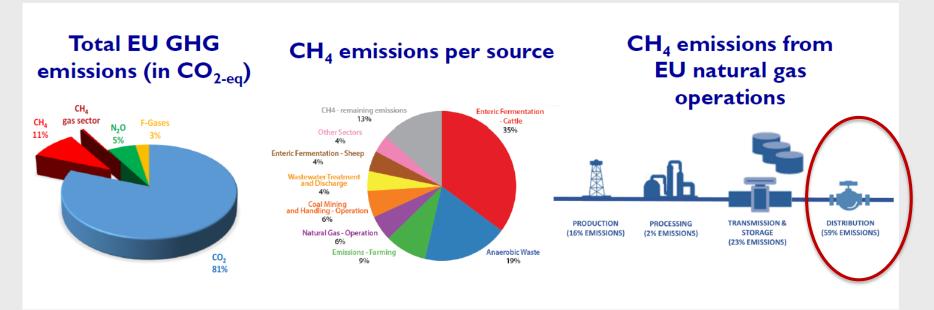
Activity factor per type of equipment (distribution pipelines, service pipelines, stations)

**Emission factor** – depends on materials, age, maintenance....

## Purpose (external)



To improve an image of gas industry in the World of missions' reductions and decarbonisation



Source: Elaborated by the authors based on European Environment Agency GHG report / Methane leakage training November 2019, ECS, Vienna

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## Purpose (internal)





## **Better assessment of the losses:**

- Better data before entering into solving losses
- -Better data before entering into discussions with Regulators



# *Thank you for your attention! Karolina Čegir, Gas Expert*

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