



Decarbonising Shipping: All Hands on Deck **18th Trans Middle East 2022 Exhibition and Conference**

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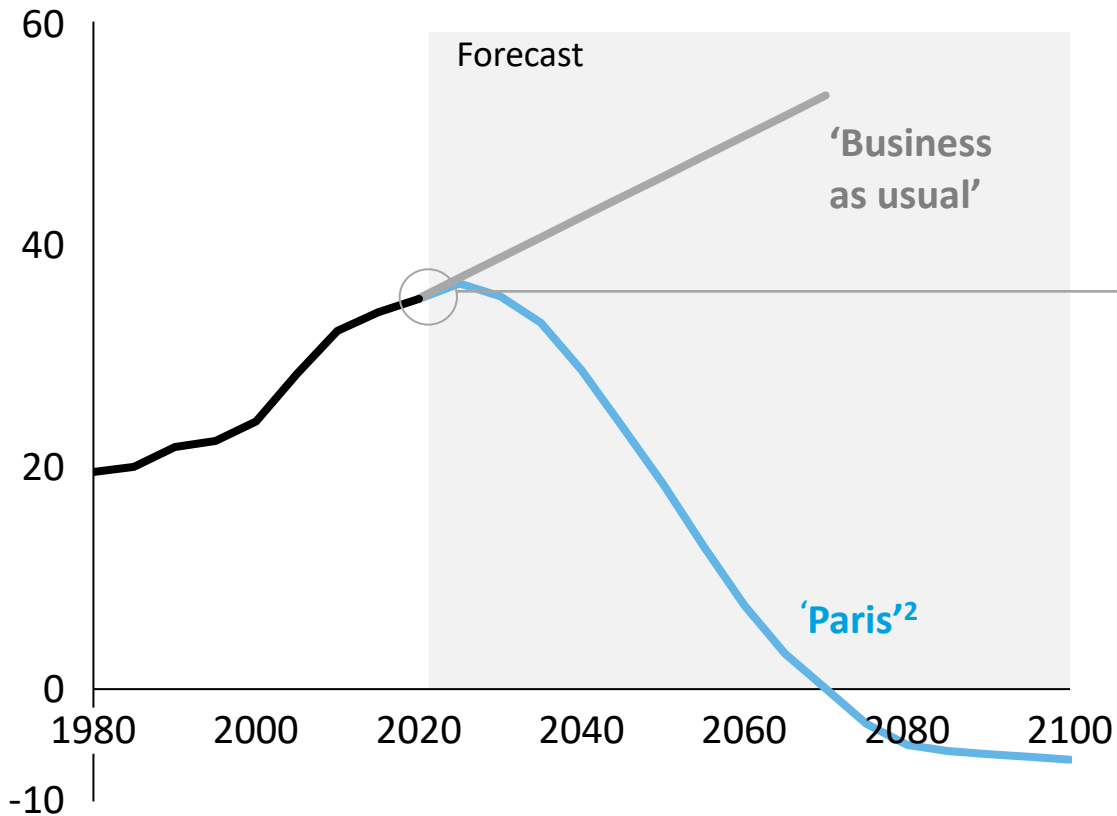
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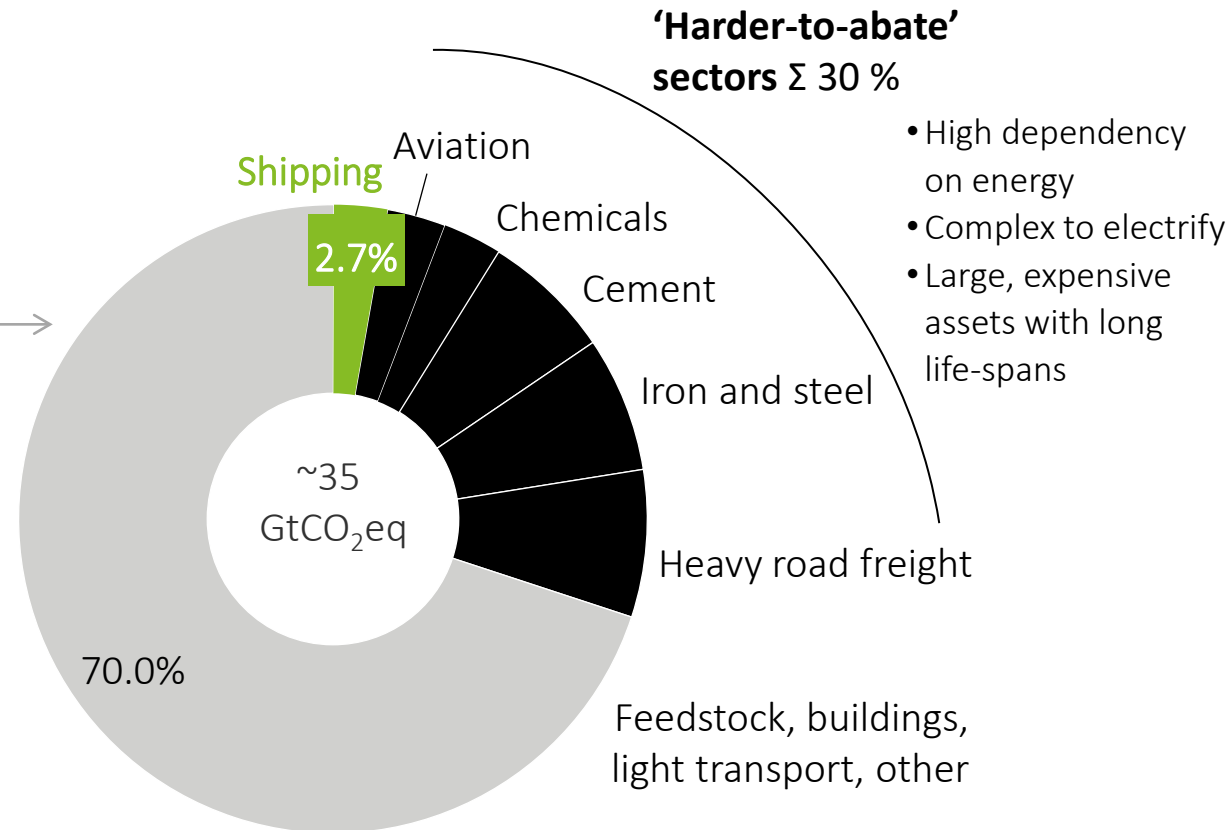
Climate change imperative

To reach the goals of the Paris Agreement, unprecedented level of emission reduction needs to be achieved; six sectors, including shipping, are 'harder-to-abate'

Global CO₂ emissions (Gt CO₂eq)¹



2018 Global CO₂ emissions by sector

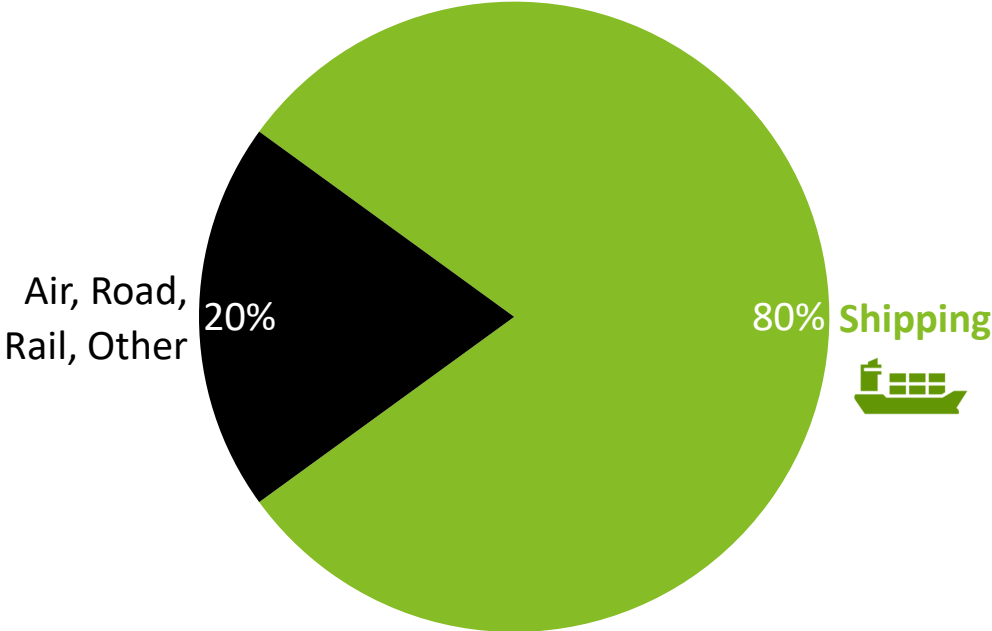


Source: Shell Sky scenario, 'Business as usual' based on IEA current policies scenario with linear extrapolation; Burn out – Dieter Helm; IEA Energy Technology Perspectives 2017; IEA 2014 baseline value assumptions; Deloitte analysis. Notes: 1) Energy-related emissions in Gigatons of CO₂ equivalent; 2) Net-zero emissions in 2070 to meet Paris Agreement ambition

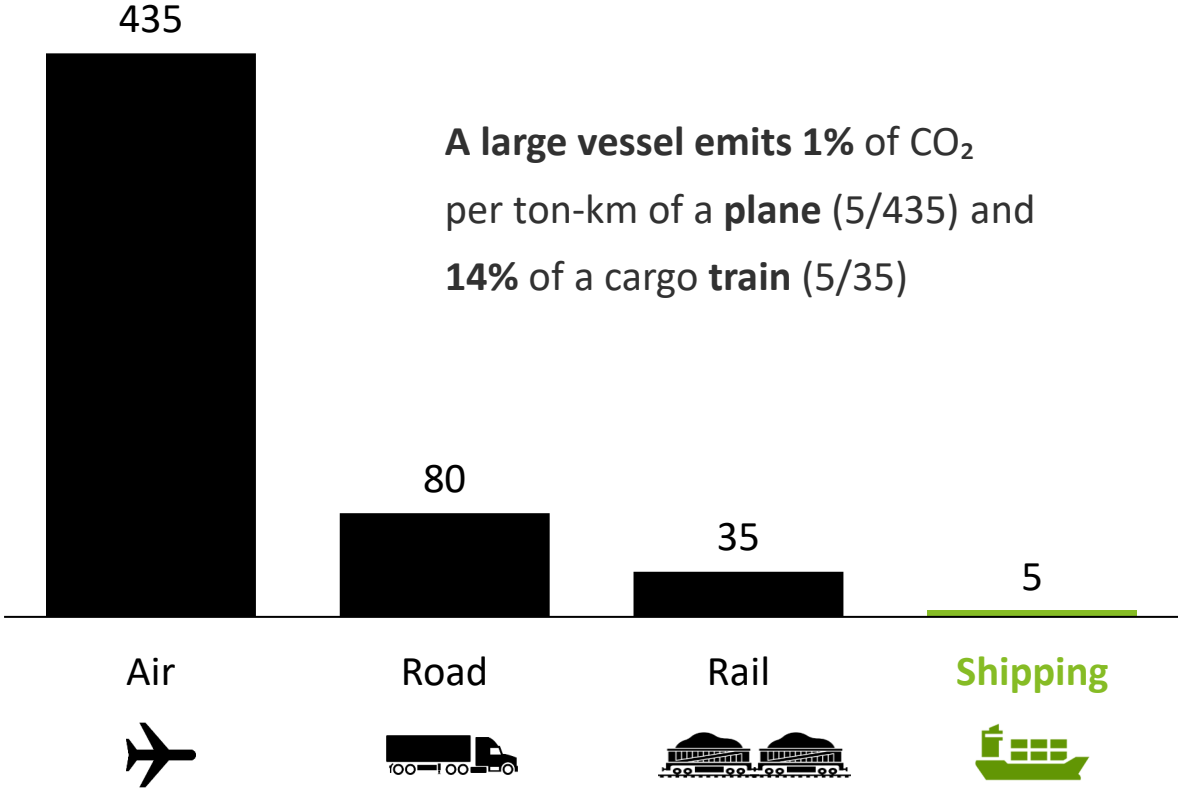
Shipping's role and emissions

Shipping is the backbone of the global economy and already the most emission efficient mode of transport

Global merchandise trade (2018)



Emissions by mode of transport (g CO₂/ton-km)^{1,2}



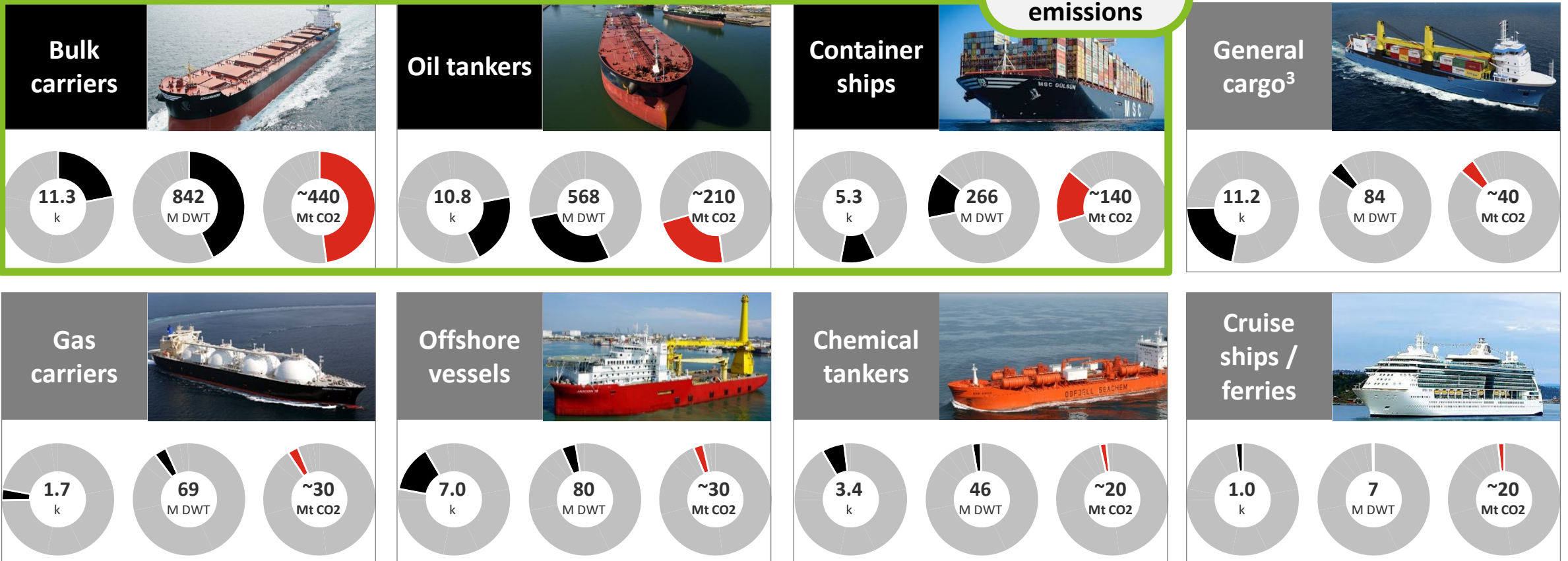
Source: UNCTAD (2018), Review of Maritime Transport; IMO GHG study 2009; Deloitte analysis

Notes: Energy-efficiency of transport is much dependent on the load factor, vehicle efficiency and cargo type; heavier cargo and larger vehicles will improve the cargo/vehicle weight ratio, resulting in better CO₂/ton-km values; 2) Air = Boeing 747, Road = Truck > 40 ton, Rail = 3-4 hp / short-ton, Shipping = Average of very large container vessel (3 gCO₂/ton-km), oil tanker (6), bulk carrier (8)

Shipping's role and emissions

Bulk carriers, oil tankers and container ships account for 85% of shipping emissions

Global shipping fleet¹



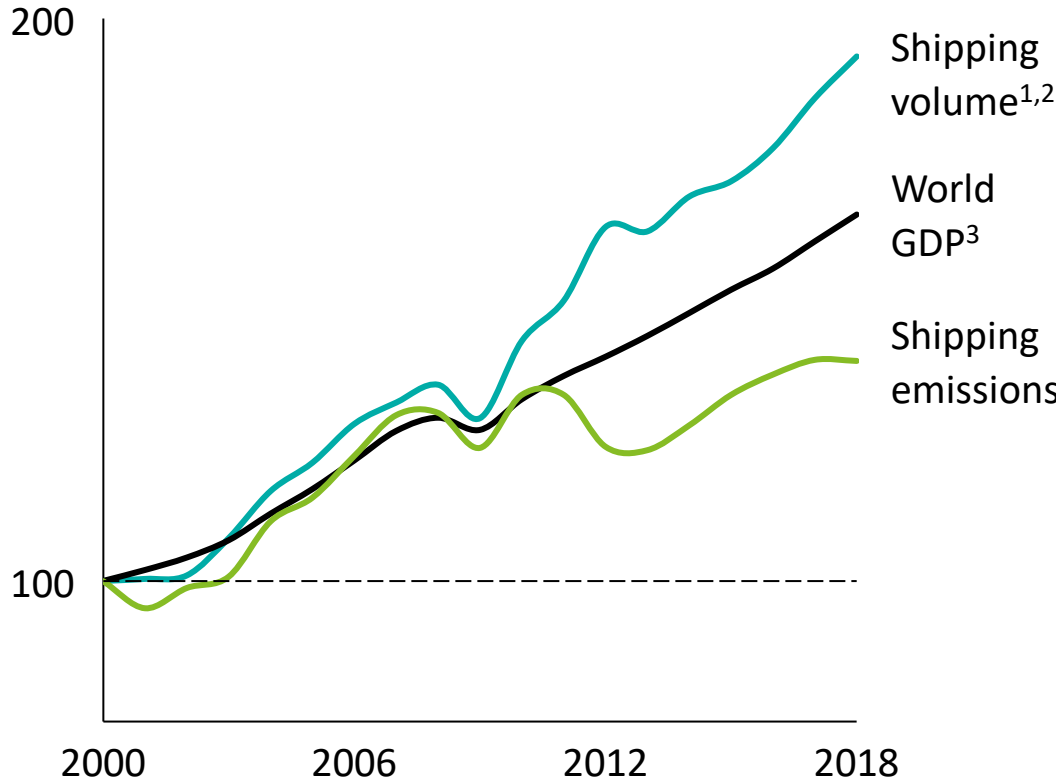
Source: UNCTAD; IMO; IEA; Deloitte analysis

Notes: 1) Ships of >1,000 gross tons, representing 99% of global tonnage; 2) DWT = Dead Weight Tonnage, an indicator of capacity; 3) General cargo includes multipurpose and other unclassified vessels

Pressure to decarbonise shipping

On the current course, shipping volume and emissions are set to grow

Shipping volume, emissions and GDP growth (2000 – 2018)



Shipping volume and emissions trends

Long-term trend (selection)	Impact on shipping
Economic growth (particularly developing regions)	High Impact (Dark Blue Arrow)
More agile supply chains, nearshoring, 3D printing	Medium-High Impact (Medium Blue Arrow)
Trade protectionism and trade barriers	Medium Impact (Light Blue Arrow)
Shifting consumer behaviour, circular economy	Low-Medium Impact (Very Light Blue Arrow)
Short-term impact: COVID-19	Low Impact (Very Light Blue Arrow)
Net long-term impact on shipping volume	High Impact (Dark Blue Arrow)
Bigger, more efficient ships	Low-Medium Impact (Very Light Blue Arrow)
Net long-term impact on shipping emissions	Medium Impact (Light Blue Arrow)

Colour indicates estimated magnitude of impact Low High

Source: UNCTAD; World Bank; IEA; IMO; Deloitte analysis
 Notes: 1) International shipping, accounting for over 80% of global shipping 2) Shipping volume are ton-miles (weight of cargo shipped over a distance); 3) World GDP in constant 2010 \$, to eliminate effect of inflation

Pressure to decarbonise shipping

However, shipping – as the only industry – has set ambitious global decarbonisation targets

Shipping decarbonisation ambition



*“At least **halve** international shipping greenhouse gas (**GHG**) emissions by 2050, while reducing **CO₂ emissions intensity** by at least **40% by 2030**, and pursuing efforts towards **70% by 2050**, relative to a 2008 baseline”*

In 2023 revised IMO Strategy is expected, incl. mid term measures for 2023-2030

Source: IMO (2018), IMO Action to Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions from International Shipping; Deloitte analysis

Pressure to decarbonise shipping

Recognising the scale of the ambition, we have partnered with Shell and brought together over 80 CEOs and senior shipping leaders to chart the path to decarbonisation

Research objectives and participants

Comprehensive

including not only fuels but economic, regulatory and organisational factors

Voice of the sector

as those within shipping will play the most instrumental role

Path forward

looking beyond the challenges, clarifying a set of actions and a roadmap

To clarify how shipping can respond to its dual challenge of meeting the demand of the world's growing population, while radically reducing its emissions, we have brought together:

- **82 senior shipping leaders**, including 33 CEOs
- From **22 countries**, across the globe
- **74 interviews** and **10 hours of workshops**
- Representing the **most prominent organizations across the ecosystem**¹: ship owners, operators, charterers, customers, ports, ship builders, regulators, financiers



Notes: 1) Participant organisations included 4 of top 10 global bulk and tanker operators, 4 of top 10 container, 3 of top 5 cruise, 3 of top 5 ship financiers, 2 of top 5 ship builders and 8 ports

Decarbonisation readiness and barriers

Shipping is facing major barriers across all factors, with particular challenges in customer demand, regulation and clarity on technology

Barriers to shipping decarbonisation

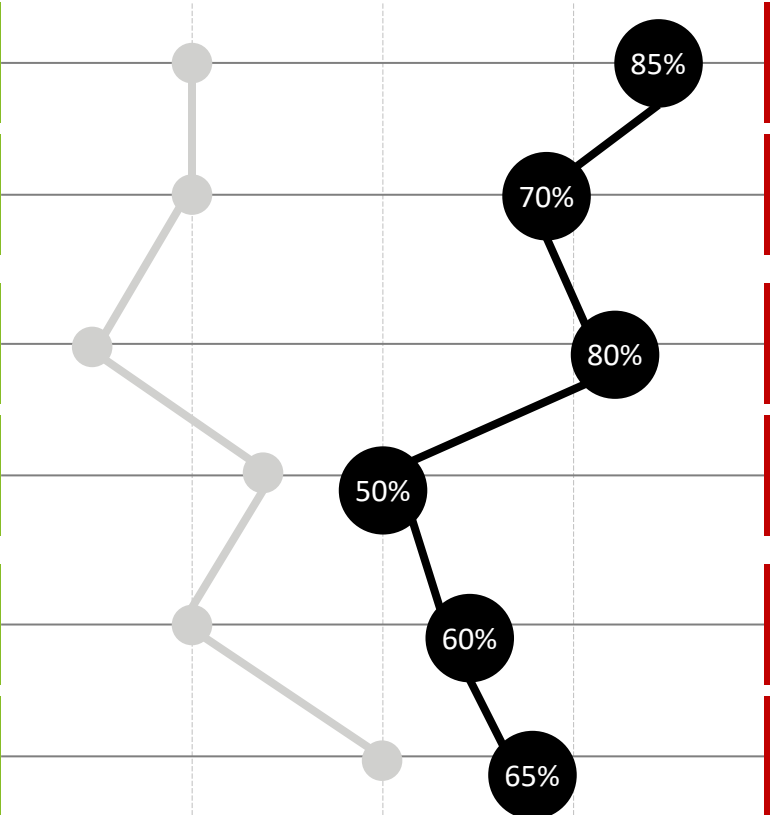
Readiness questions

Readiness factors

Why should the sector decarbonise? i.e. what might trigger industry stakeholders to act	1	Market and Customer Demand	Minor barrier
	2	Regulatory Incentives	Minor barrier
Can the sector decarbonise? i.e. is decarbonisation feasible in a foreseeable future	3	Technology Alignment	Minor barrier
	4	Clarity on Roles and Decision-Making	Minor barrier
How fast can the sector decarbonise? i.e. what effort is required to implement change at scale	5	Ease of Asset Replacement	Minor barrier
	6	Ease of Infrastructure Replacement	Minor barrier

Personal Vehicles
Illustrative only

Shipping
(Participants' view on criticality of barriers)



Main barriers¹

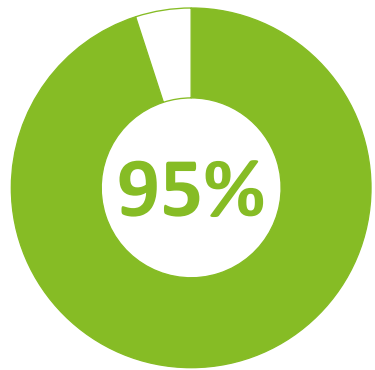
- Customers not willing to pay
- No incentives from investors
- Risk-averse financiers
- Lack of emission transparency
- Lack of binding regulation
- Global regulation slow, complex
- Uneven playing field
- No mature zero-emission fuels
- Too many fuels considered
- HFO 'bottom of the barrel'
- Many small, private owners
- Inflexible contracting models
- Risk of lock-in to wrong fuel
- Long time to replace fleet
- Investment, time to scale-up and dependence on other sectors
- Ship-bunkering, chicken-and-egg

Source: Interviews, workshops; Deloitte analysis. Notes: 1) See appendix for a more detailed description of barriers

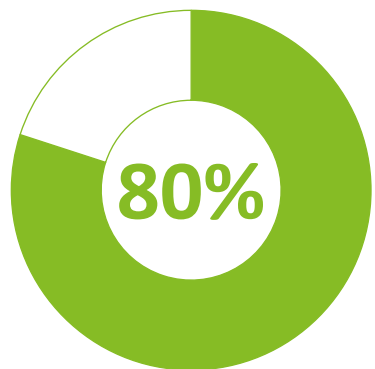
Decarbonisation readiness and barriers

Despite the recognition of structural barriers and the impact of COVID-19 crisis, shipping leaders indicate that decarbonisation is already among top priorities in the industry

Shipping leaders' view on importance of decarbonisation



of study participants perceive **decarbonisation** as important or a top 3 priority on the industry agenda



of participants indicated the **importance** has somewhat or significantly increased in the last 18 months

“Consumer pressure is increasing”

Technology Provider

*“Decarbonisation is **one of the biggest challenges** we face. However, we have never been more **united around a problem**, and there is **optimism** that **we can make it happen**”*

Ship Operator

*“Everyone who orders a vessel already has to think about **what engine, what fuel will make sense**”*

Ship Owner

*“[Decarbonisation] will come right back up to the **top of the shipping agenda** when **COVID-19 crisis is over**”*

Ship Operator

Decarbonisation readiness and barriers

To determine the key barriers to shipping decarbonisation, we have applied a comprehensive framework, looking at six factors

How to determine barriers to decarbonisation – readiness frameworks

Readiness questions

Readiness factors

Why should the sector decarbonise? i.e. what might trigger industry stakeholders to act	1	Market and Customer Demand	Pressure and incentives from society, customers, financiers and investors which create motivation for ship owners and operators to change
	2	Regulatory Incentives	Instruments applied by global, regional and local authorities. These can include incentives such as tax cuts and disincentives like fines and carbon levies
Can the sector decarbonise? i.e. is decarbonisation feasible in a foreseeable future	3	Technology Alignment	Technical and commercial feasibility of alternative fuels and other lower emission technology alongside clarity on how to further develop these
	4	Clarity on Roles and Decision-Making	The ease in making decisions , clarity on the roles and responsibilities of key groups in the industry, and whether their priorities are aligned
How fast can the sector decarbonise? i.e. what effort is required to implement change at scale	5	Ease of Asset Replacement	What it takes to replace / upgrade the ships . This depends on ship cost, complexity, lifespan, and the rate at which alternative technologies are developed
	6	Ease of Infrastructure Replacement	What it takes to produce new fuels at scale, deliver and prepare for bunkering . The more fuel and the more dispersed the infrastructure, the greater the challenge

Source: Interviews, workshops; Deloitte analysis

Decarbonisation readiness and barriers

All readiness factors show major, moderate or minor barriers

Main barriers

	Barrier	Impact	Severity
Why should the sector decarbonise?	1. Market and Customer Demand	Customers and charterers are not willing to pay or co-fund lower emission solutions	Major
	2. Regulatory Incentives	Lack of binding regulation regarding carbon emissions limits progress	Moderate
Can the sector decarbonise?	3. Technology Alignment	Alternative fuels that support 2050 ambition have technical limitations, are unproven and / or perceived as unsafe	Moderate
	4. Clarity on Roles and Decision-making	The global fleet is owned by many small companies, and multiple stakeholders are involved in ship operations, complicating decision-making regarding new technologies	Moderate
How fast can the sector decarbonise?	5. Ease of Asset Replacement	Ship owners are reluctant to invest in net-zero vessels due to risks resulting from lack of clarity regarding future fuels and regulation	Moderate
	6. Ease of Infrastructure Replacement	Infrastructure to produce zero-emission fuels will require significant investment, time to scale up and will depend on decisions in other sectors	Moderate
		Investors have no incentives to invest in companies with lower emission solutions	Major
		Enacting global regulation is a slow and complex process with many interests to align	Moderate
		Too many future fuels are being considered, and there is lack of clarity on how the preferred fuel(s) will be chosen to allow for scale	Moderate
		Contracting models are inflexible hindering investments that support lower carbon emissions	Major
		Ship lifespans are long , requiring significant time to replace existing fleets	Moderate
		Bunkering providers and ship operators are waiting on each other to make the initial investments in net-zero ships and infrastructure	Major
		Financiers do not have the risk appetite to fund unproven technologies	Major
		The industry is worried that misalignment of global and local regulation may lead to an uneven playing field	Moderate
		HFO is hard to match in terms of commercial attractiveness and existing scale	Moderate
		Lack of transparency regarding emissions hinders decision-making	Major

Severity Major Moderate Minor

Solutions

Shipping leaders recognise that to address the barriers to decarbonisation the industry will need a novel approach, based on three principles

Shipping leaders' view on how to decarbonise – SOLUTION PRINCIPLES

Adopt an **ecosystem** perspective

The challenge is too large for any one organisation alone. Shipping leaders call for a **holistic and integrated perspective**, with **each industry stakeholder** having a role to play

Think big, **start small**, scale fast

Uncertainty needs to be tackled through small actions that **generate momentum**. As these initiatives prove beneficial, early adopters will attract early followers and initial investment. **Scaling up** needs to follow in **specific segments** with the biggest impact

Focus on **behaviours** and triggers

Incentives should be based on an **understanding** of what will **motivate stakeholders** across the value chain to take a long-term perspective

*“Real **commitment from customers** would go a long way to unlock investment”*

Ship Owner and Operator

*“We don’t have time to go through iterative technology development. **2030 is tomorrow, 2050 is one ship lifetime away**”*

Shipping Technology Provider

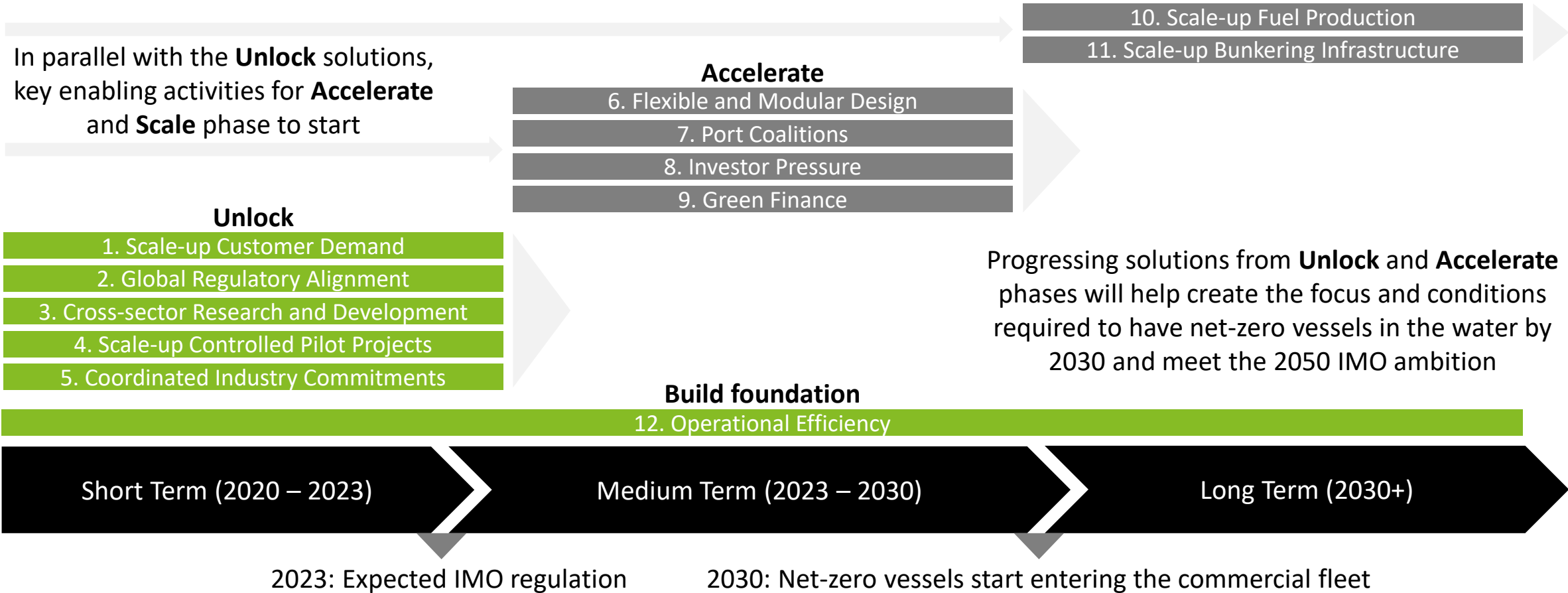
*“The solution will come from the **operators with their name on the ships**”*

Ship Operator

Solutions

Through these principles, shipping leaders outlined twelve solutions, of which six need to be started immediately

Roadmap to 2030



Source: Interviews, workshops; Deloitte analysis

All hands on deck

There is a realization that the industry needs to build on the ongoing initiatives and scale-up the change quickly

- To achieve the objective of having the first net-zero ships entering the global fleet around 2030, **the industry needs to realize progress on all of the solutions in the next 10 years**
- **Tangible results** across the solutions from the Unlock phase will be needed in the **next two to three years** to set the industry on the right path
- **Shipping leaders believe that this is doable**, but it requires **immediate engagement and mobilization**. The existing coalitions need to be the starting place. It is now critical to **build on the momentum and work together today to drive real, practical change for the future**

*“We can build rockets that come back from the moon but not make the ships green? No way. **We can do it!**”*

Ship operator



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