



Clean Cooking: A critical tool for energy security and development

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AN OVERVIEW OF CCA



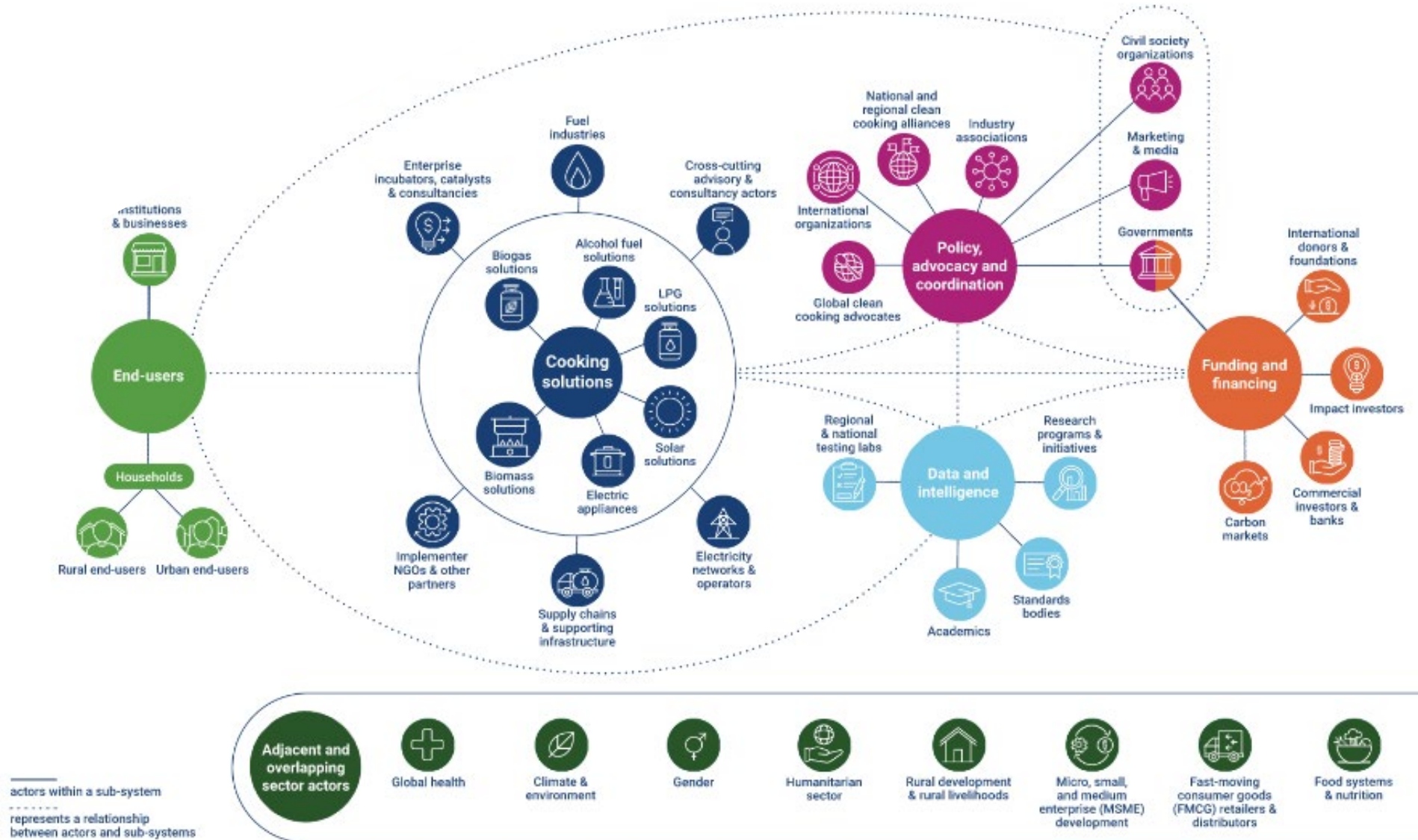
The Clean Cooking Alliance works with a global network of partners to build an inclusive industry that makes clean cooking accessible to the 2.4 billion people who live each day without it.



CCA is a global organization with a focus on local transformations

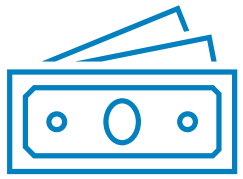
CCA is committed to advancing the **agency of local stakeholders** and their visions for change through a **portfolio of global and country-level workstreams.**

CCA fosters transformative change across the whole of a diverse and complex ecosystem



The relationships indicated here are meant to be representative of the general interactions across the ecosystem. We acknowledge there are more nuanced engagements between actors and subsystems that are not shown above.

CCA generates significant impact for the sector



\$75+M

Deployed or raised
to support
enterprises



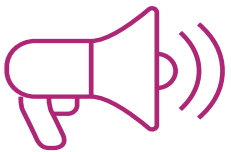
60+

Enterprises
received technical
assistance



\$18M

Invested in
research and
evidence



100M+

People engaged
via advocacy &
communications



2,000+

Women
entrepreneurs
trained



100+

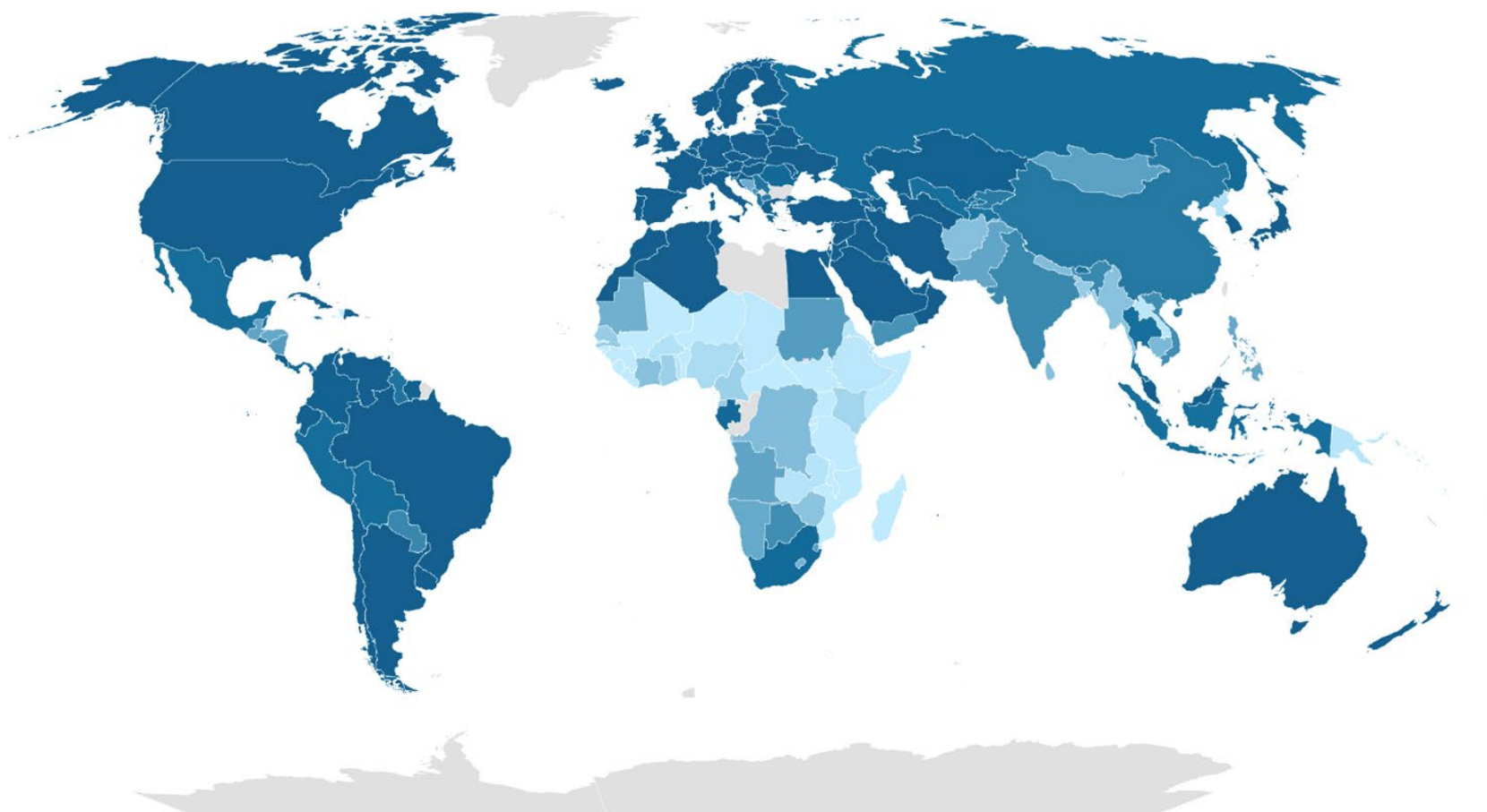
Events, workshops,
and convenings
globally

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THE GLOBAL CLEAN COOKING GAP

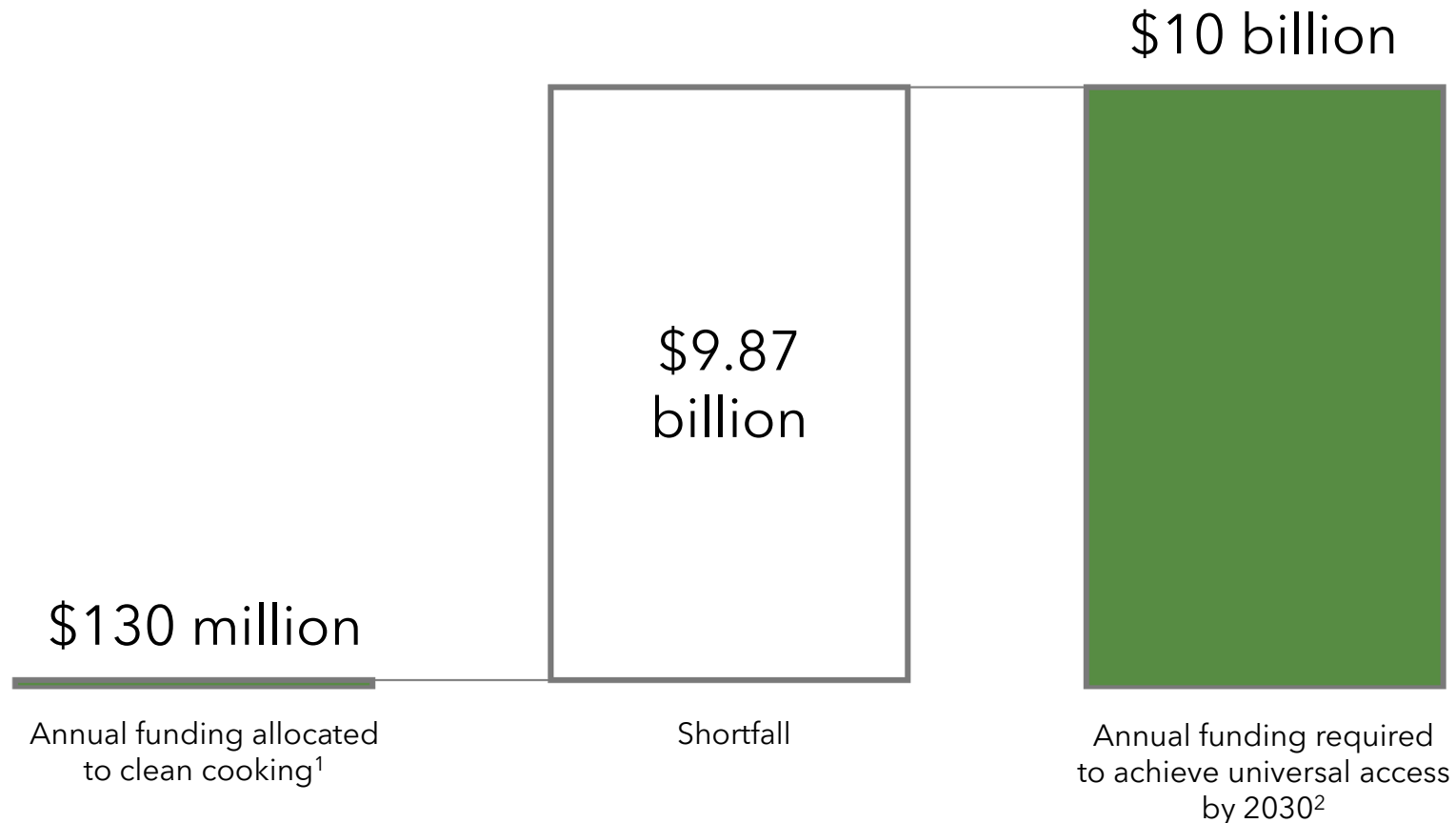
2.4 billion people globally lack access to clean cooking

The proportion of population with primary reliance on clean cooking fuels and technologies is about 30% in Sub-Saharan Africa and about 63% in Developing Asia, as of 2020.



Clean cooking remains one of the most under-invested development challenges in the world

Clean cooking receives about 1% of the US\$10 billion a year required to achieve universal access by 2030.

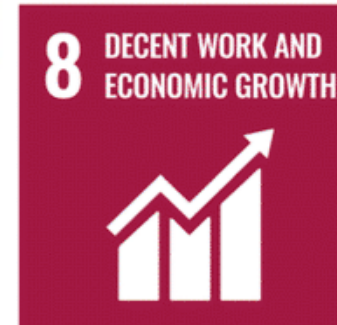


¹Energyizing Finance: Understanding the Landscape 2021, SE4All; ²Based on the IEA World Energy Outlook Model, in which the annual investment required to achieve universal access to clean cooking accounting for Net Zero Emissions by 2050 (NZE) scenario is \$8 billion. This amount does not include fuel costs to the user or technology replacement costs (in other words, only first time access is included).

Clean cooking sits at the nexus of several development challenges

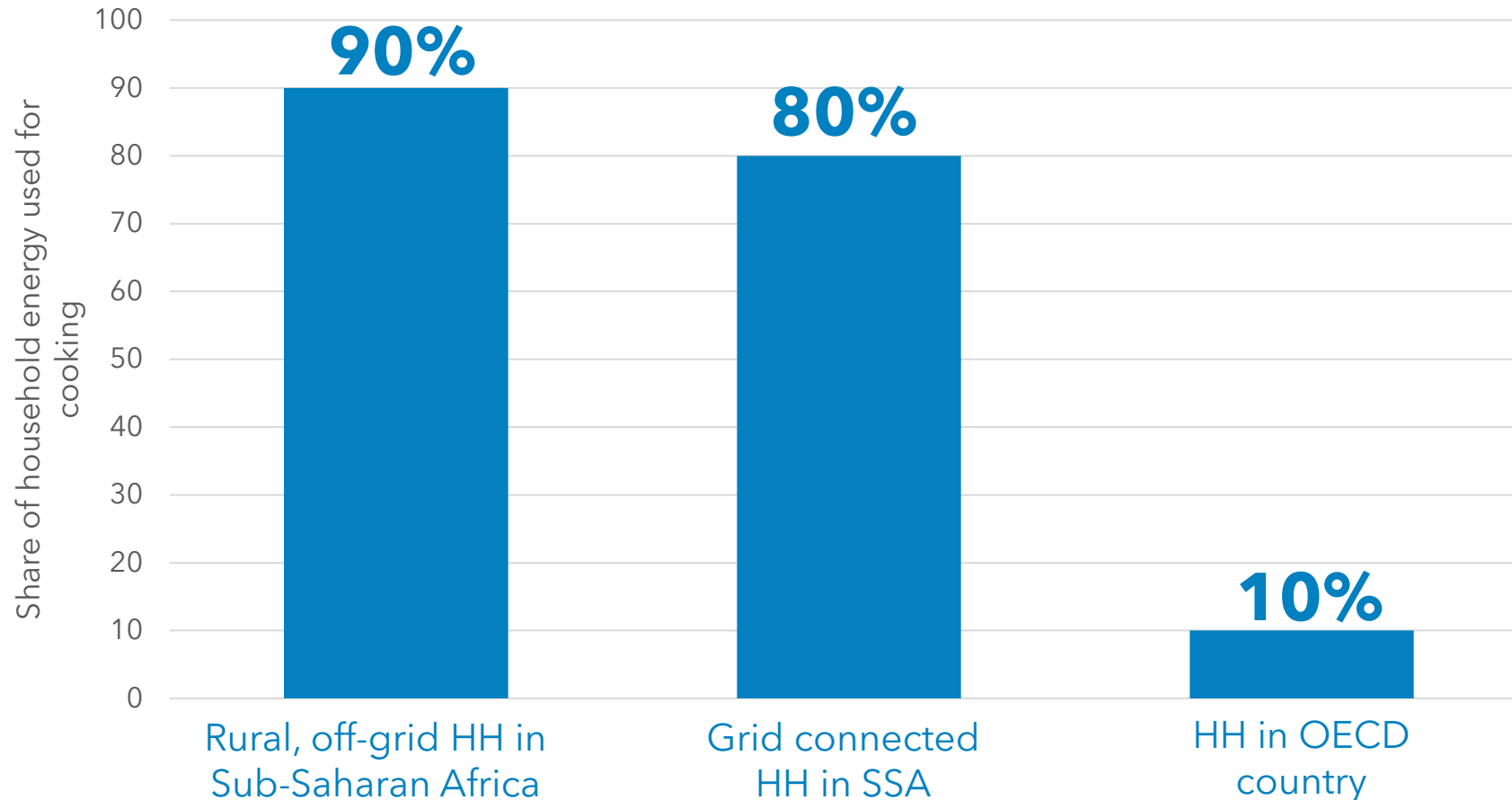


7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY



There can be no just energy transition without addressing the clean cooking gap

The share of household energy used for cooking can be as high as 90% for low-income households compared to 10% in wealthy and developed countries



Universal access to clean cooking can help achieve global climate goals



Clean cooking mitigates greenhouse gas emissions

1 gigaton

of CO₂e is produced every year from burning woodfuels, around 2% of global emissions¹



Clean cooking reduces black carbon emissions

>50%

of man-made black carbon emissions come from household fuel combustion²



Clean cooking reduces forest degradation

34%

of woodfuel harvesting is unsustainable³

^{1,3} Bailis, R., Drigo, R., Ghilardi, A. & Masera, O. The Carbon Footprint of Traditional Woodfuels. Nature Climate Change, (2015). ² Black Carbon. Climate & Clean Air Coalition <http://www.ccacoalition.org/en/slcps/black-carbon>.

Clean cooking access can deliver health, air quality and gender & livelihood benefits



HEALTH

Up to **3.2 million people die** prematurely every year from illnesses associated with exposure to smoke from open fires or inefficient stoves (WHO, 2022)



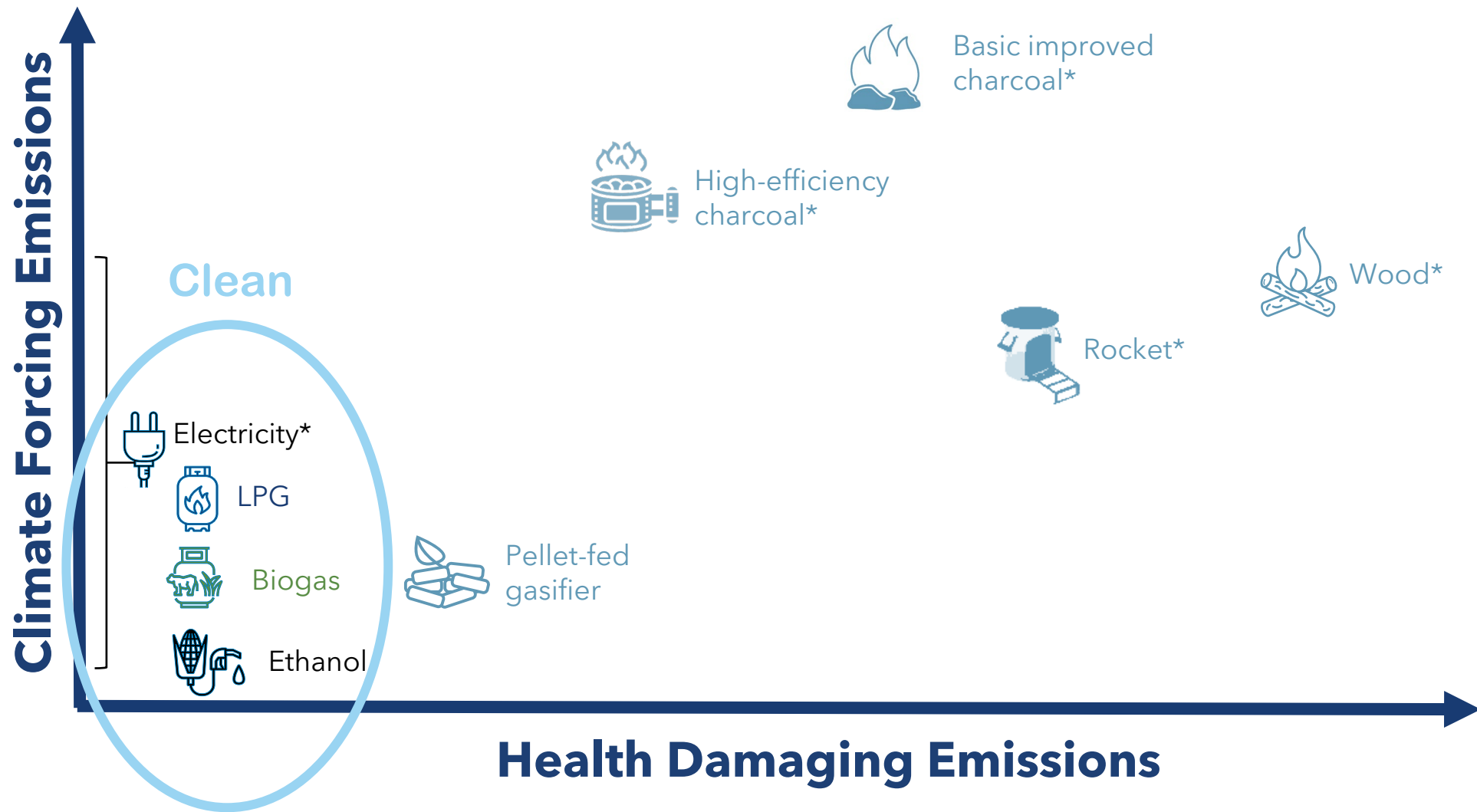
AIR POLLUTION

Household air pollution from solid biomass fuel use accounts for **16% of ambient air pollution** globally and upwards of 30% of ambient air pollution in India, Nepal and other parts of Asia (McDuffie EE et al., 2021)



GENDER & LIVELIHOODS

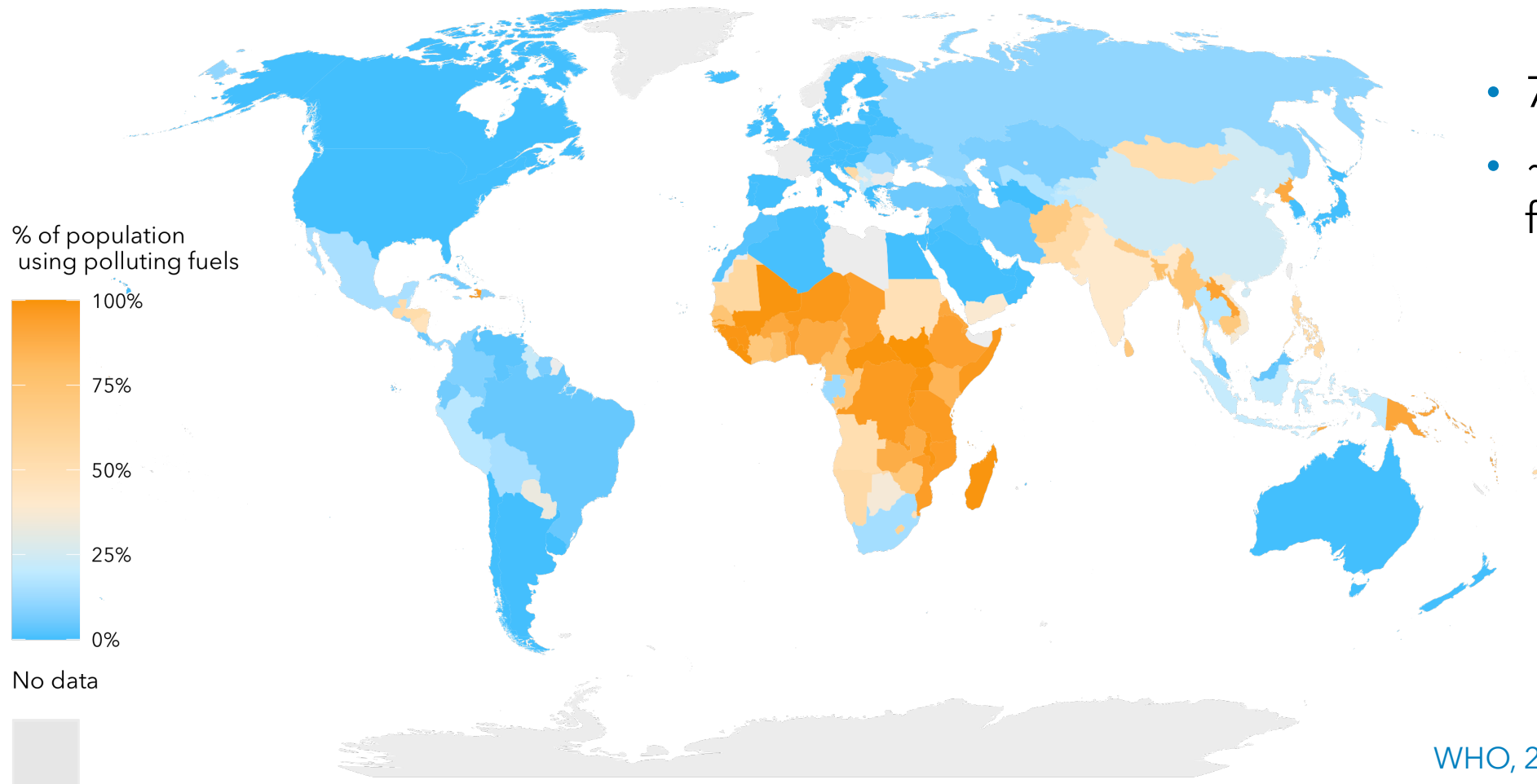
Women and children spend **4 to 20 hours per week** gathering fuel or spend significant household income purchasing it (WHO, 2016); **60% of deaths from household air pollution** are women and children (IHME, 2020)



*Climate impact depends on renewability

What if all LMIC countries with >1 million polluting fuel users transitioned to clean cooking?

Percentage of the population with primary reliance on polluting cooking technologies



- 77 countries
- ~2.5 billion polluting fuel users

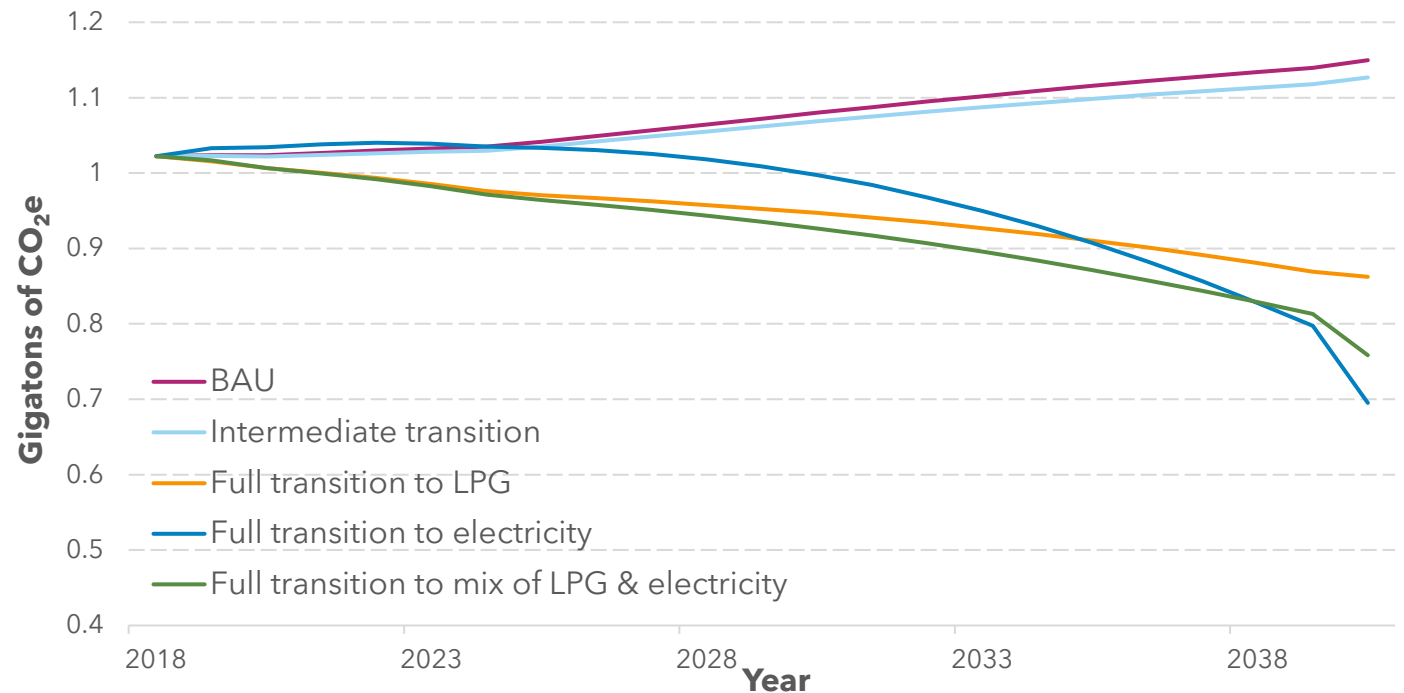
WHO, 2018

A large-scale clean cooking transition would lead to significantly lower greenhouse gas emissions by 2040

CO₂e increases **12%** from 2018-2040 in BAU

Full transitions result in **~15% lower cumulative CO₂e by 2040**

CO₂e emissions trajectory across all scenarios



*1 gigaton = 1 billion tons

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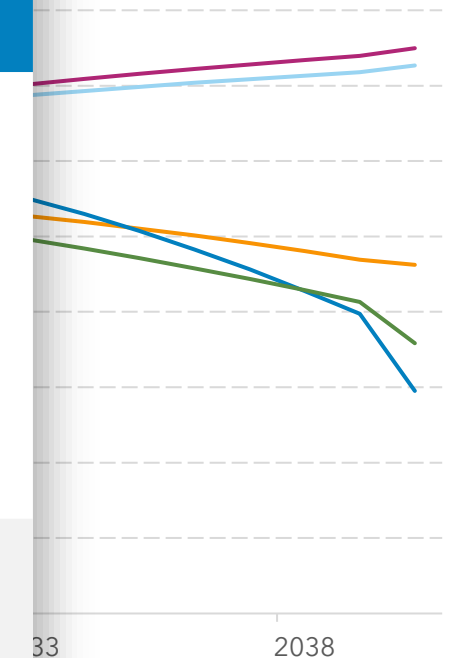
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A full transition to clean cooking by 2040 results in cumulative emissions reductions of **~3 Gt CO₂e**



CO₂e sequestered by nearly **50 billion tree seedlings** growing for 10 years!

all scenarios

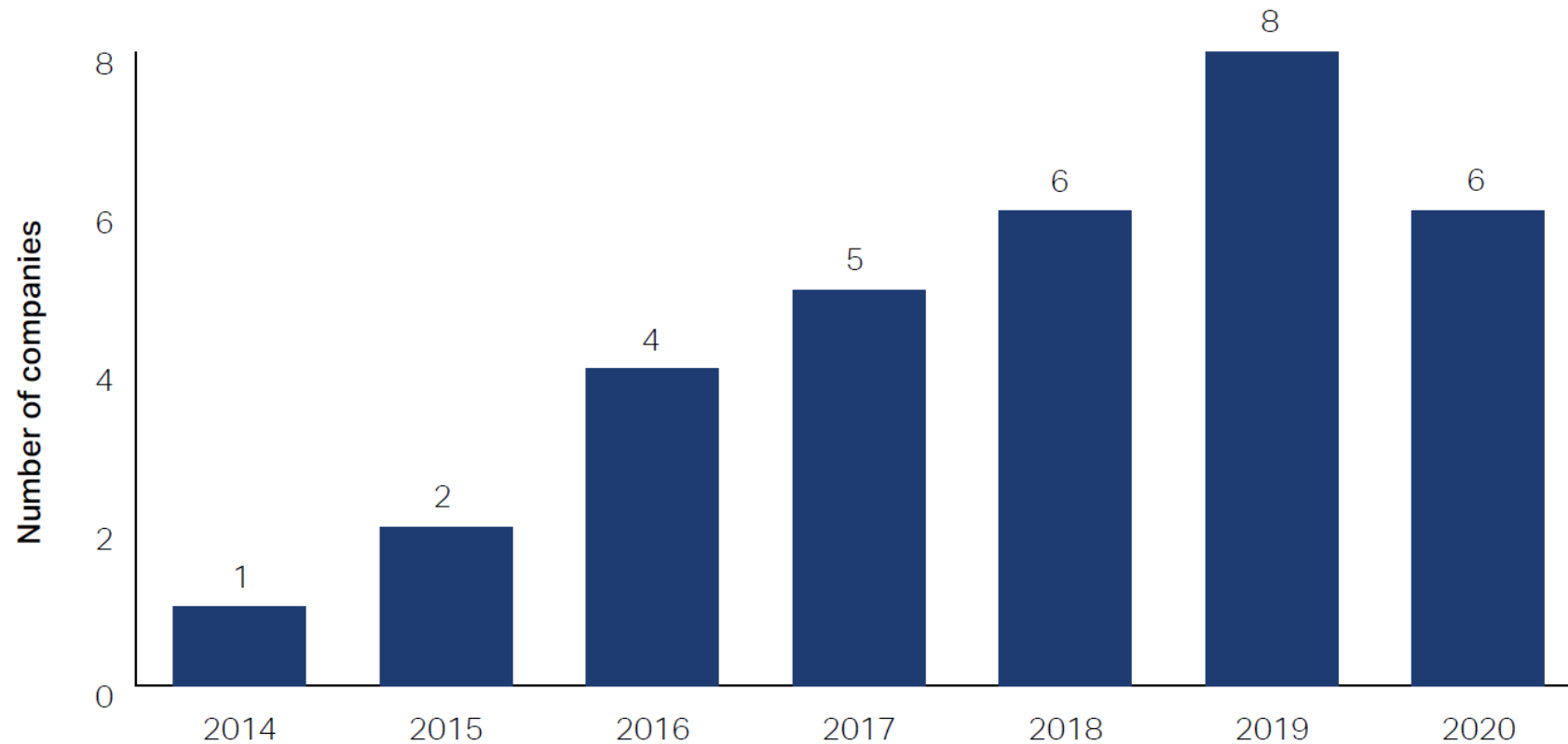


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SECTOR EVOLUTION AND TRENDS

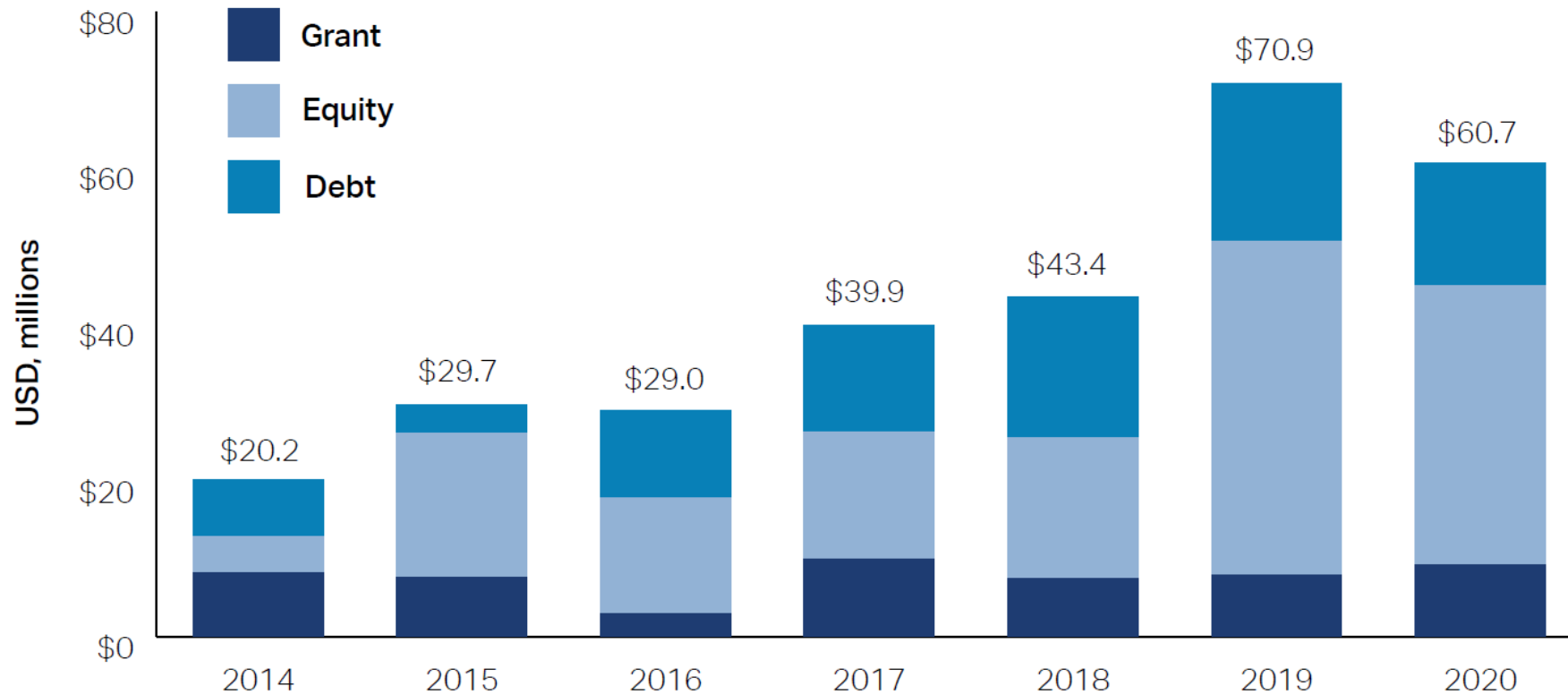
More enterprises are getting to economies of scale

Number of companies reporting revenue from clean cooking sales of \$1 million or higher



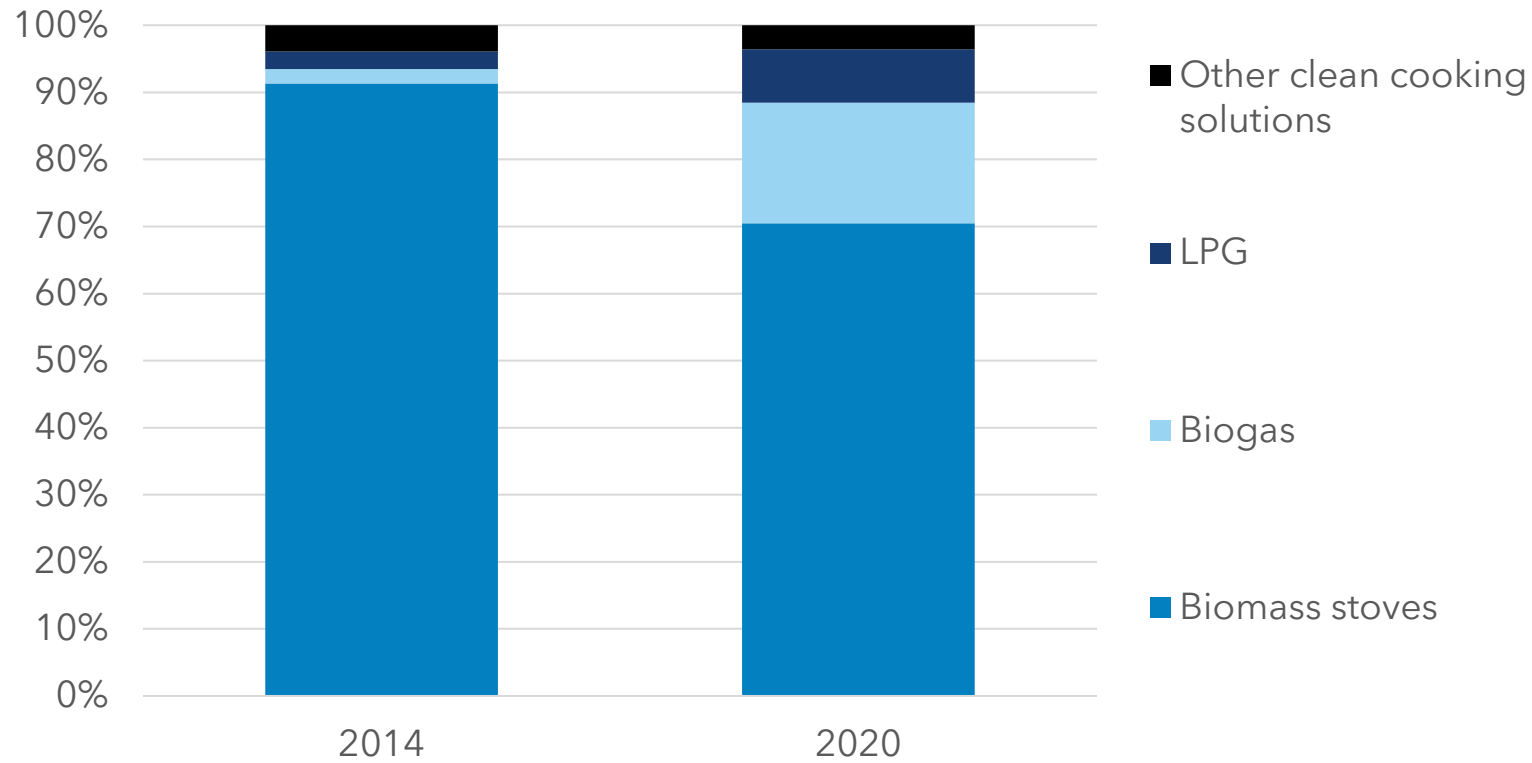
More capital raised by the industry

Capital raised by clean cooking enterprises



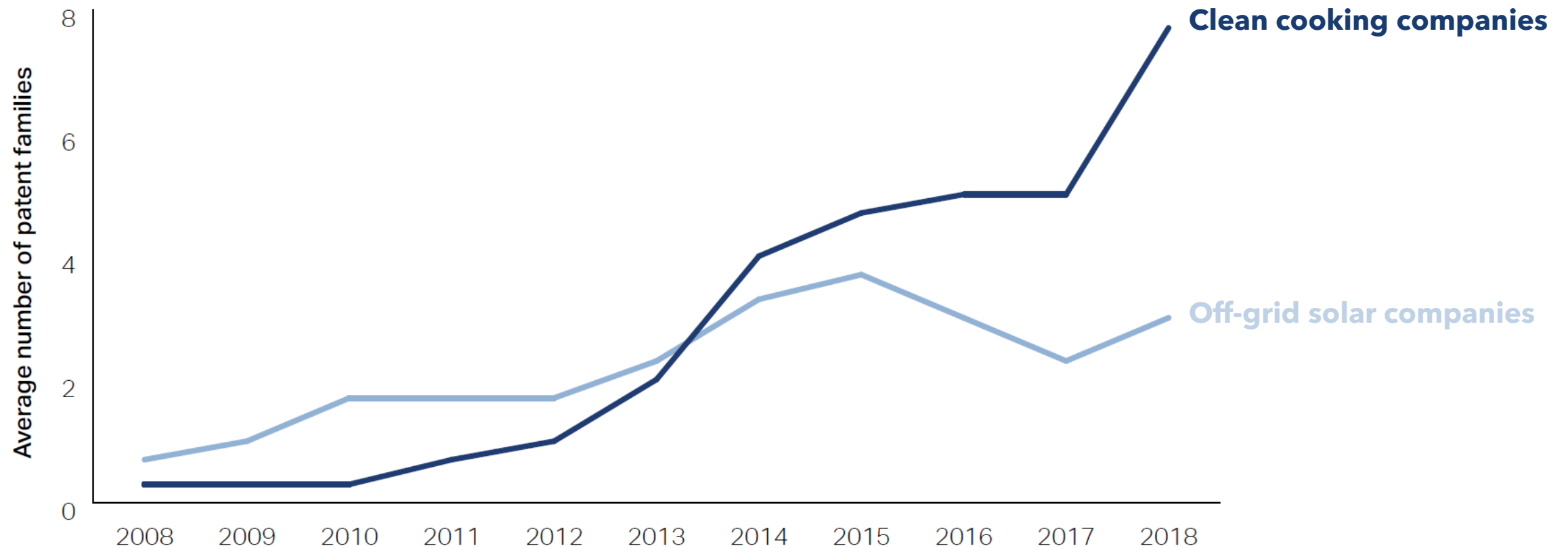
The market of solutions is diversifying

Share of revenues from clean cooking sales by technology category



Enterprises are investing more in innovation

Comparison of patent families of the top 10 fundraisers in clean cooking and off-grid solar, using a 3-year rolling average



Rewind to a decade ago ◀◀

The sector's paradigm

Design stoves that are cleaner than existing models and that perform their cooking job just as well, and then run campaigns to “educate” people into buying them.



But the paradigm was incomplete

How do you compete on price?



How do you ensure quality and safety?



How do you reach your customers?



How do you overcome upfront costs?



How do you make it seamless?



Fast forward to today ▶▶

From products to solutions



Seamless customer experience



More scalable



Now



Looking ahead

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DISCUSSION