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# The Role of Market Mechanisms in the implementation of Tunisia's NDC

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# Summary

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- Funding needs

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# 1: National context

## Tunisian context

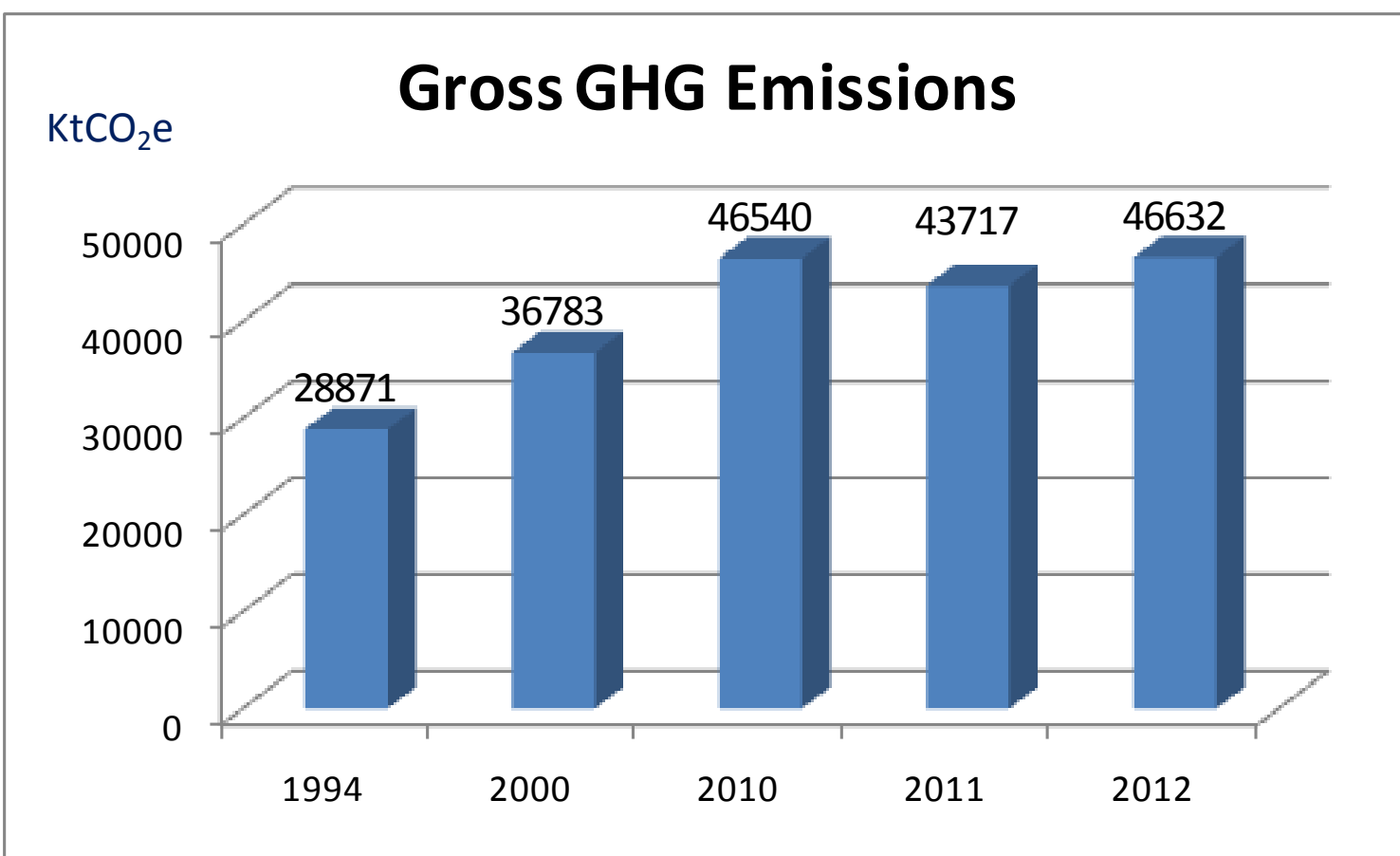
<b>Population</b>	11.15 millions in 2015
<b>Area</b>	163 610 Km <sup>2</sup>
<b>Coast</b>	1148 km
<b>Desert area</b>	40%
<b>Climate</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•Mediterranean in the North and Coast</li><li>•Semiarid in the inland and Saharan in the South</li></ul>



<b>UNFCCC ratification</b>	1993
<b>KP ratification</b>	2003
<b>Paris Agreement ratification</b>	Oct 2016

<b>National Communication</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> : Oct. 2001 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Feb. 2014 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Under preparation
<b>BUR 1</b>	Dec 2014
<b>BUR 2</b>	Under preparation
<b>INDC</b>	Sept 2015

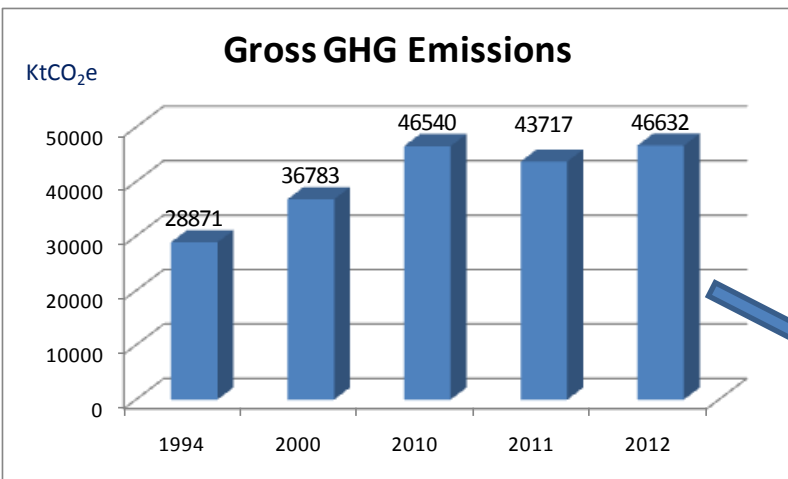
## National GHG emissions inventories



**Increase in GHG emissions  
(+2.7% per year over the period  
1994-2012)**

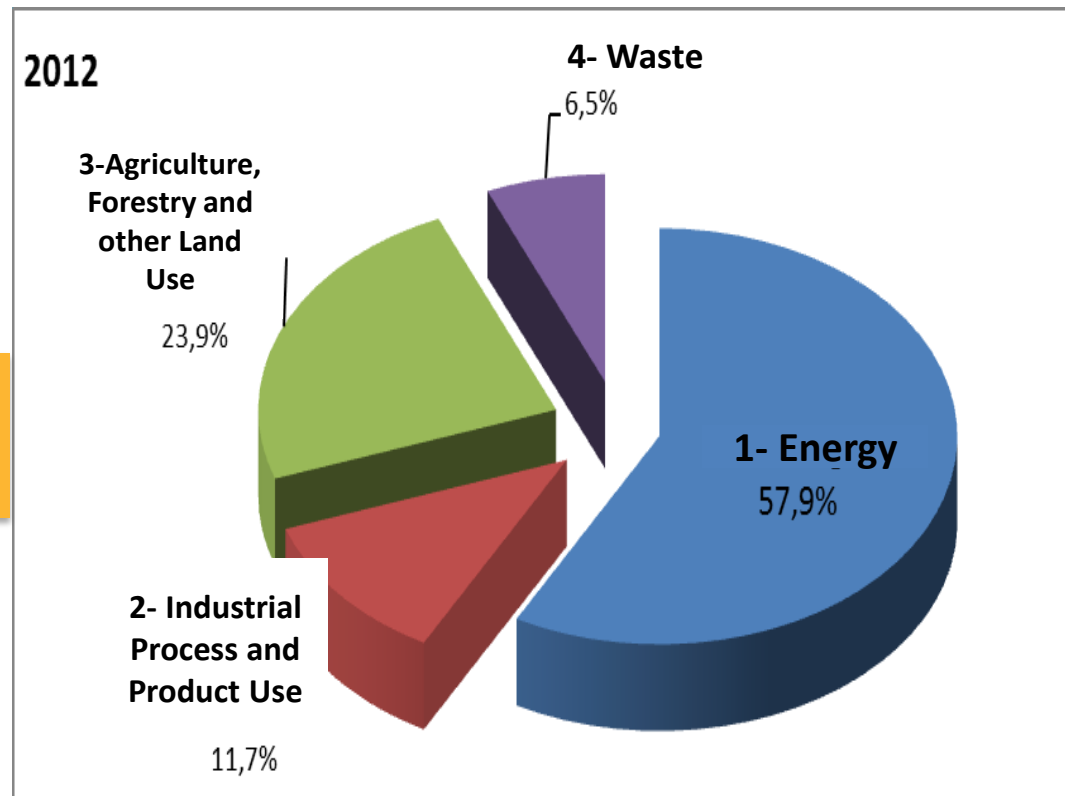
# 1: National context

## National GHG emissions inventories



Energy-related emissions account for 58% of total national emissions (27 MTCO<sub>2</sub>e) in 2012

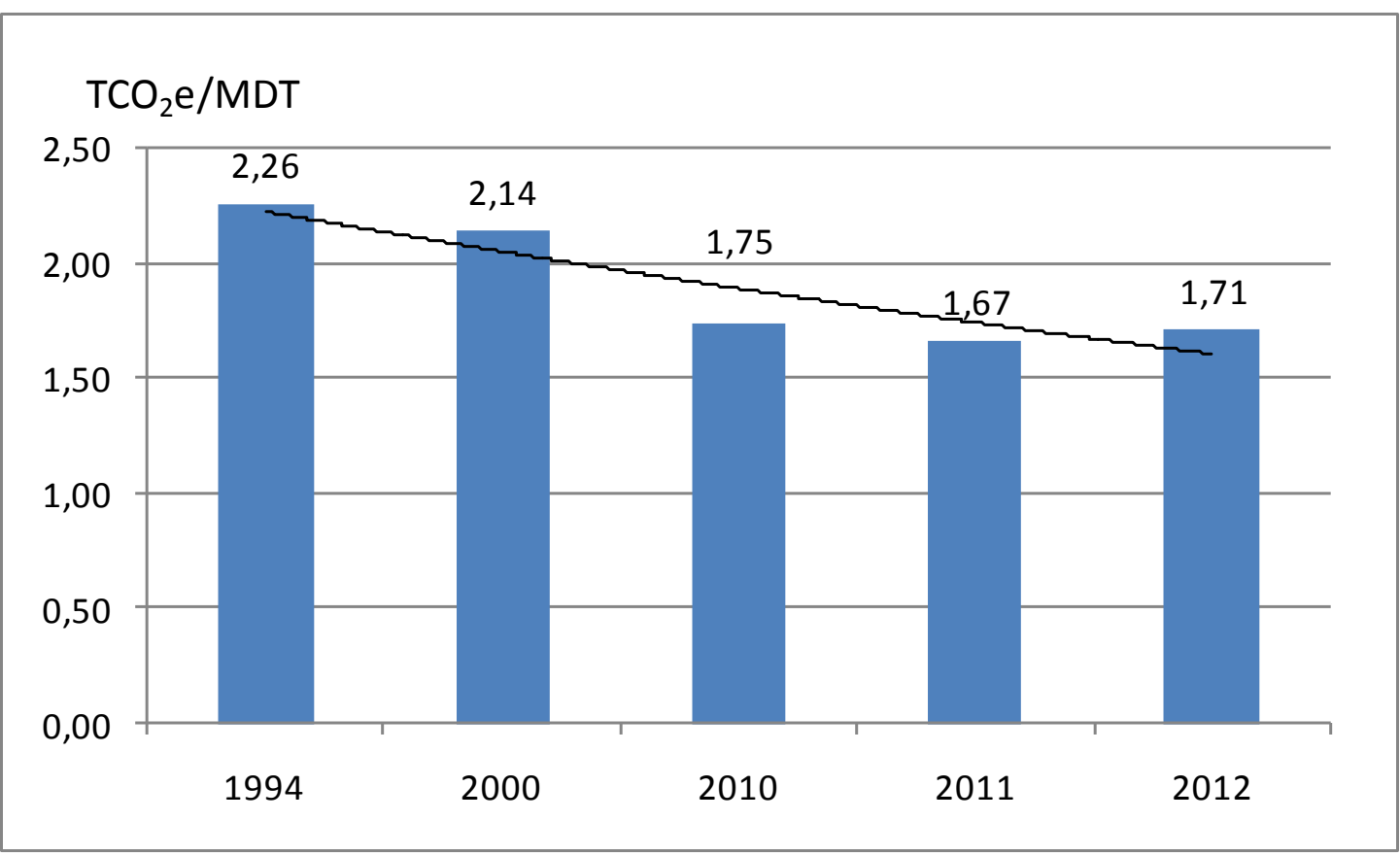
## GHG emissions by sector - 2012 -



**2012**

*Per capita emissions*  
**3 TCO<sub>2</sub>e**

## Carbon intensity evolution



**Decrease in carbon intensity  
(-1.5% per year over the period  
1994-2012)**

## **2 : Main steps to get ready for climate finance**



## 2. Main steps to get ready for climate finance

1- NDC

2- Priority Sectors Identification

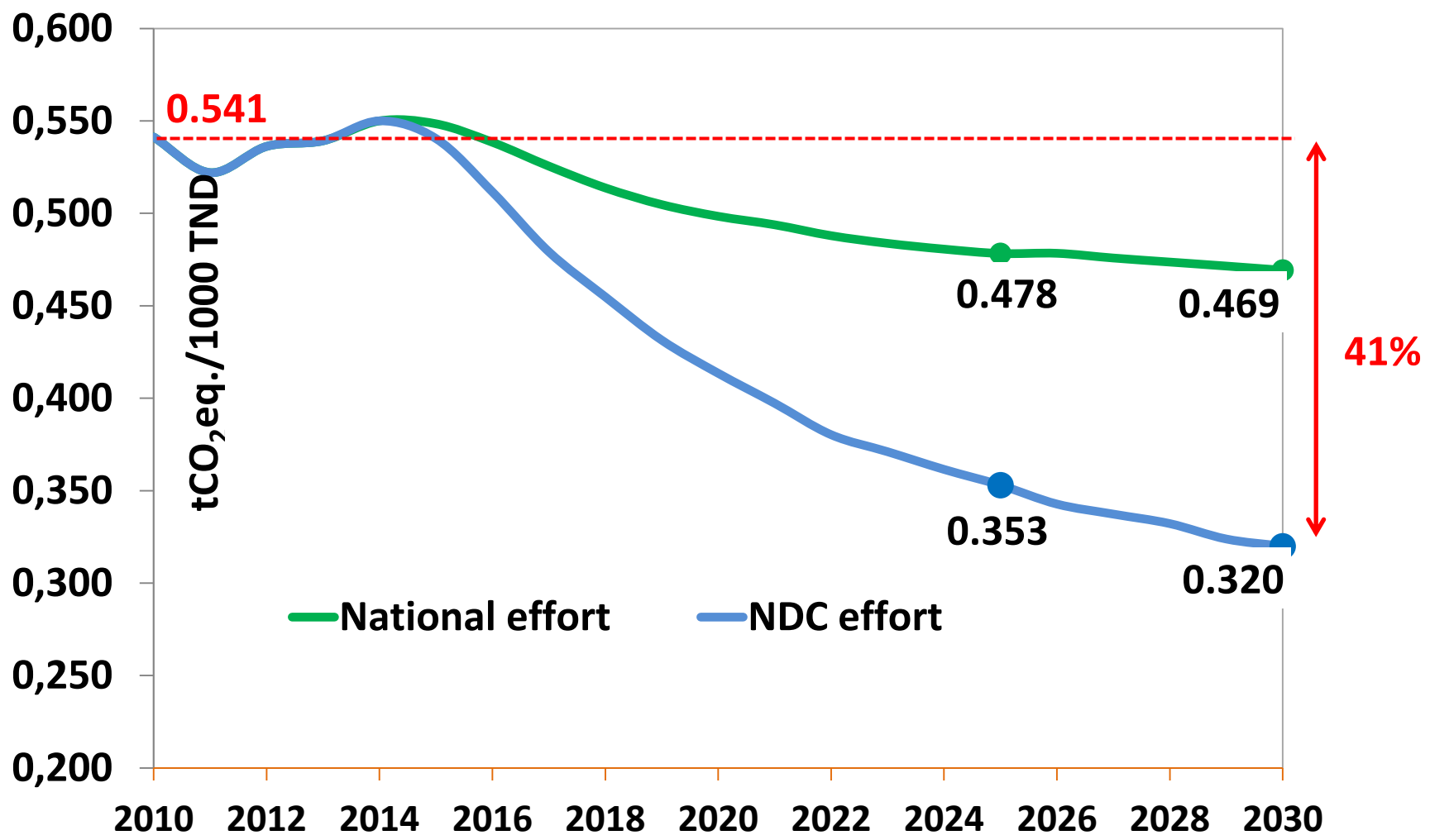
3- Project Portfolio

4- MRV

5- Funding needs

1- NDC

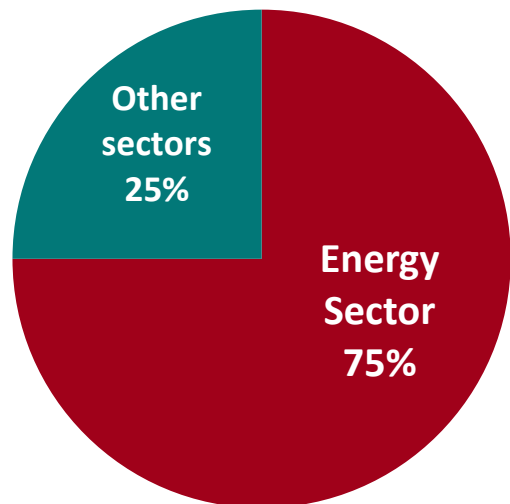
### Tunisian NDC objective



**Objective: Reduction of carbon intensity by 41% by 2030 comparing to 2010**

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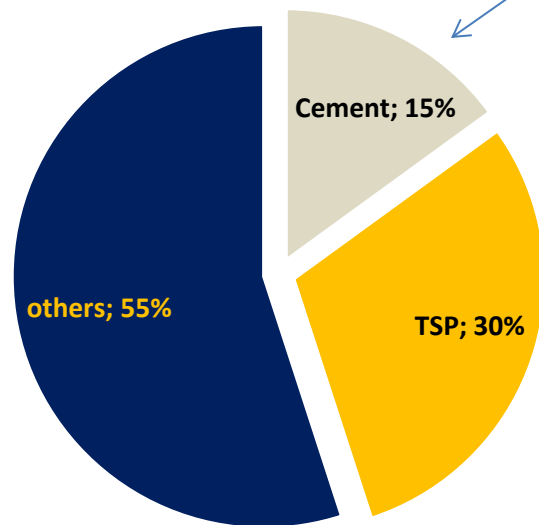
### 2- Priority Sectors Identification



The energy sector represents 75% of the total NDC target (EE&RE)

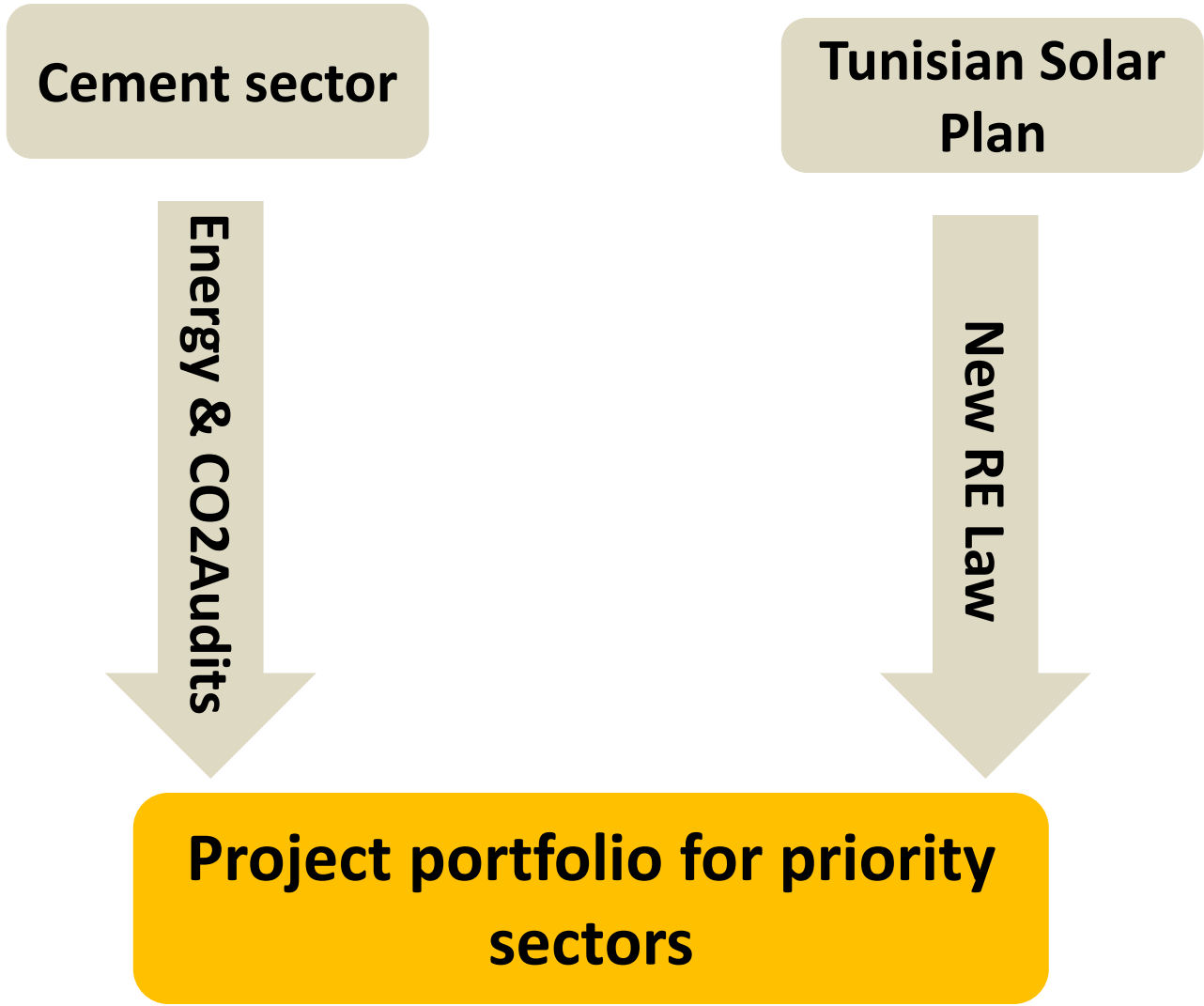
The priority sub-sectors are:

- TSP 30% of INDC target
- Cement 15% of INDC target



## 2: Main steps to get ready for climate finance

### 3- Project Portfolio



4- MRV

# National MRV system

Sectors



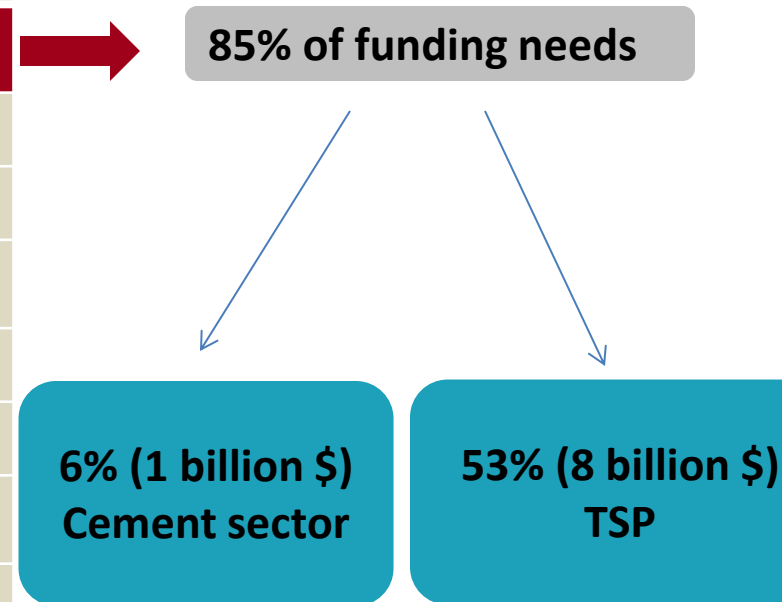
Energy Sub-sectors



5- Funding needs

Funding needs for supporting the INDC scenario for mitigation (2015-2030)

SECTORS	BUS\$
<b>Energy</b>	<b>14,917</b>
Energy efficiency	6,991
Renewable energy	7,926
<b>AFOLU</b>	<b>1,533</b>
Agriculture	967
Forestry and other land use	566
<b>Waste</b>	<b>972</b>
Solid waste	70
Sanitation	902
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>17,422</b>



# 3: Carbon market mechanisms

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International Climate finance

**Carbon Market  
Mechanisms  
(Priority sectors)**

1- Build on carbon  
market Experience

2- Pilot Carbon  
market instruments

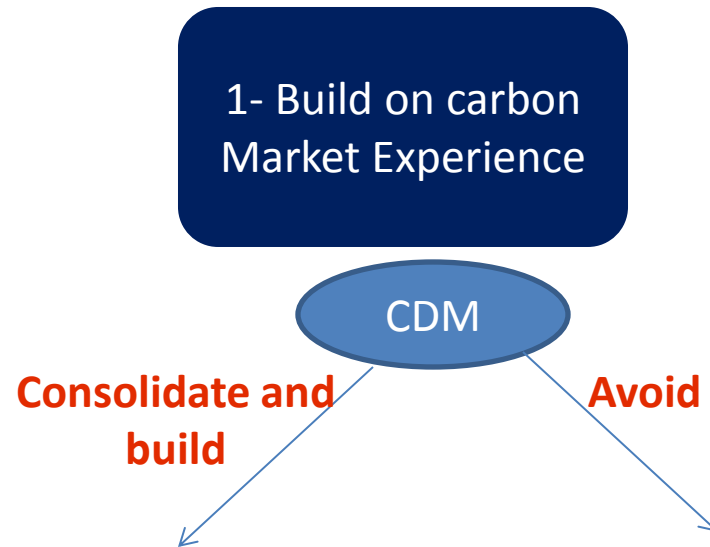
3- Take into  
account the  
provisions of Article  
6.2 & 6.4

CDM

PMR

Paris Agreement





#### **CDM gains**

- Baseline definition
- EF calculation
- MRV ...

#### **CDM gaps**

- High transaction costs
- Complex procedures
- Limited price visibility
- Lack of CER demand...

2- Pilot Carbon  
market instruments

PMR

Tunisia joined the PMR initiative and will be exploring and then piloting the most suitable carbon market instruments with its national and economic circumstances

3- Take into account the provisions of Article 6.2 & 6.4

Paris Agreement

Submission to SABSTA  
in Sept 2016

Article 6.2

Activities under  
follow a common  
rules on MRV  
common criteria

**The mechanisms under the article 6.2 (CA) & the article 6.4 (SDM) shall operate with an evolutionary and dynamic floor price to set a long term price signal**

Article 6.4

established in  
build on existing  
methodologies and  
for the KP  
aspects of CDM  
procedures and  
limit transaction

- Simplify procedures for complicated projects like building and transport sectors

# Conclusion

Tunisian NDC

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graph TD; A[Tunisian NDC] --> B[Cement]; A --> C[TSP];
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Best suited for  
carbon market  
mechanisms

Cement

TSP

- Well structured sectors
- Big mitigation potential
- Robust /accurate MRV system...

Carbon market mechanisms can be a good opportunity to :

- Foster private sector participation in the efforts towards a low-carbon economy
- Access new funding sources
- Get additional funding and supplement international sources of climate finance
- Develop new financial mechanisms
- Improve profitability
- Help achieve the NDC goals