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The incentive to use 100% renewable energy is created by global warming and ecological as well as economic concerns, post peak oil. Share of electricity production from renewables, 2023 [46] The first country to propose 100% renewable energy was Iceland, in 1998. [47] Proposals have been made for Japan in 2003, [48] and for Australia in 2011. [49]

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Germany has arguably accomplished more toward the transition to renewable energy than any other nation, largely because it has such a plan--the "Energiewende," which seeks a 60 percent reduction in all fossil fuel use by 2050 and a 50 percent reduction in primary energy use through efficiency in power generation, especially for buildings ...



Richard Heinberg and David Fridley, Our Renewable Future: Laying the Path for 100 Percent Clean Energy. Washington D.C.: Island Press, 2016. Full text available at Accessed September 2, 2020. Other researchers have come to similar conclusions.

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However, electricity represents only about 20 percent of the world's final energy usage; transitioning the other 80 percent of energy usage would take longer--likely many decades. However, to avert catastrophic climate change, the global scientific community says we need to achieve net-zero carbon emissions by 2050--i.e., in just 25 years.

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