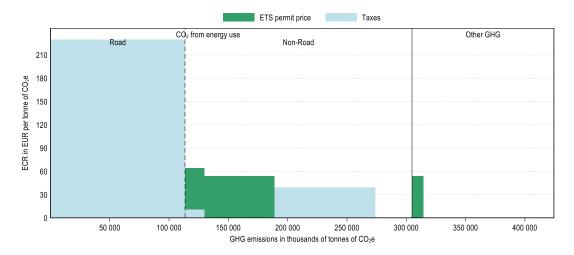
France

France's greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions mainly consist in CO₂ emissions from energy use (72%). In 2021, these emissions are priced through fuel excise taxes, carbon taxes and the European Union Emissions Trading System (EU ETS). France priced almost 90% of its carbon emissions from energy use and about 43% were priced at an ECR above EUR 60 per tonne of CO₂ (see Figure 3). Emissions priced at this level mainly originated from the road transport and industry sectors. The majority of unpriced emissions from energy use were also from the industry sector (Figure 2). The EU ETS covered about 8% of other GHG emissions¹, which made up about 28% of national emissions (see Figure 1).

Figure 1. Average effective carbon rates in France in 2021

CO₂ emissions from energy use and other GHG emissions



¹ CH₄, N₂O, F-gases and process CO₂ emissions.

Figure 2. Average effective carbon rates in France by sector and component in 2021

Restricting to CO₂ emissions from energy use

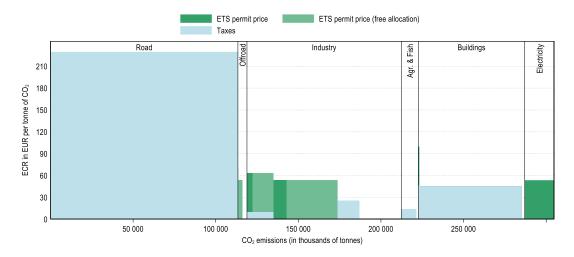
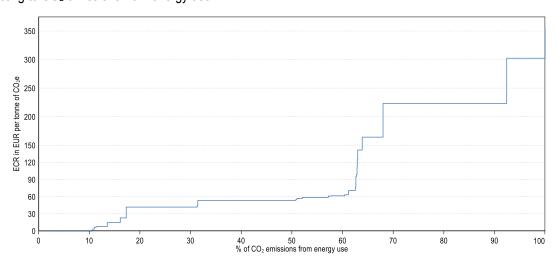


Figure 3. Distribution of ECRs on CO₂ emissions from energy use in France in 2021

Restricting to CO₂ emissions from energy use



For additional information to interpret the graphs, see: https://oe.cd/ECR2023-graph-info
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