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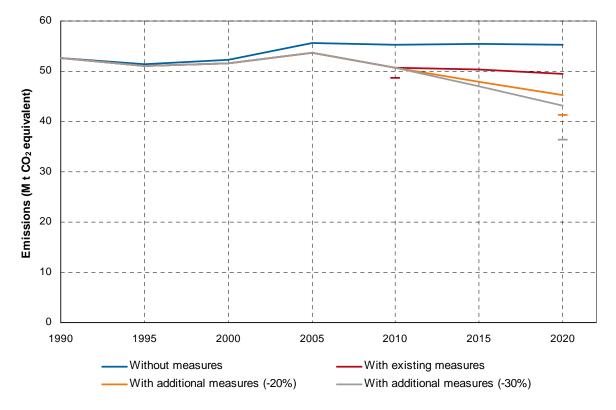
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Fact Sheet 2

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Swiss Greenhouse Gas Emissions: Different Scenarios to 2020

The Federal Office for the Environment FOEN has calculated different scenarios as to how Switzerland's green house gas emissions will develop up to 2020. Switzerland aims to reduce its emissions by between 20 and 30 per cent as compared with 1990 levels.



- Without measures: development of greenhouse gas emissions since 1990 in the absence of climate and energy policy measures
- With existing measures: development of greenhouse gas emissions with measures implemented in Switzerland up to now
- With additional measures: development of greenhouse gas emissions from 2012 with the measures proposed in the revision of the CO₂ Act. Switzerland would like to reduce its emissions by 20 per cent by 2020 and, under certain circumstances, by 30 per cent, as compared with 1990 levels. It has adopted this position at the UN Climate Change Conference in Copenhagen.
- Horizontal bars in 2010 and 2020: greenhouse gas emissions taking into account the emissions partly compensated for abroad in accordance with the

Kyoto Protocol. These values correspond, therefore, to the national greenhouse gas emissions including the credited reductions achieved abroad.

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