



Elkem Biocarbon Konferansen Skog

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Sustainability is an integrated part of our value chain: From raw materials through the production to end products

Low cost sustainable input factors



Quartz



Coal



Biocarbon



Power

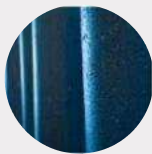
High temperature/chemical production processes



Silicones



Silicon, ferrosilicon, foundry products and microsilica



Carbon solutions

Examples of high value applications and markets

Wind turbines



Infra-structure



Airbags



Automotive EV



Solar



Cooking, utensils



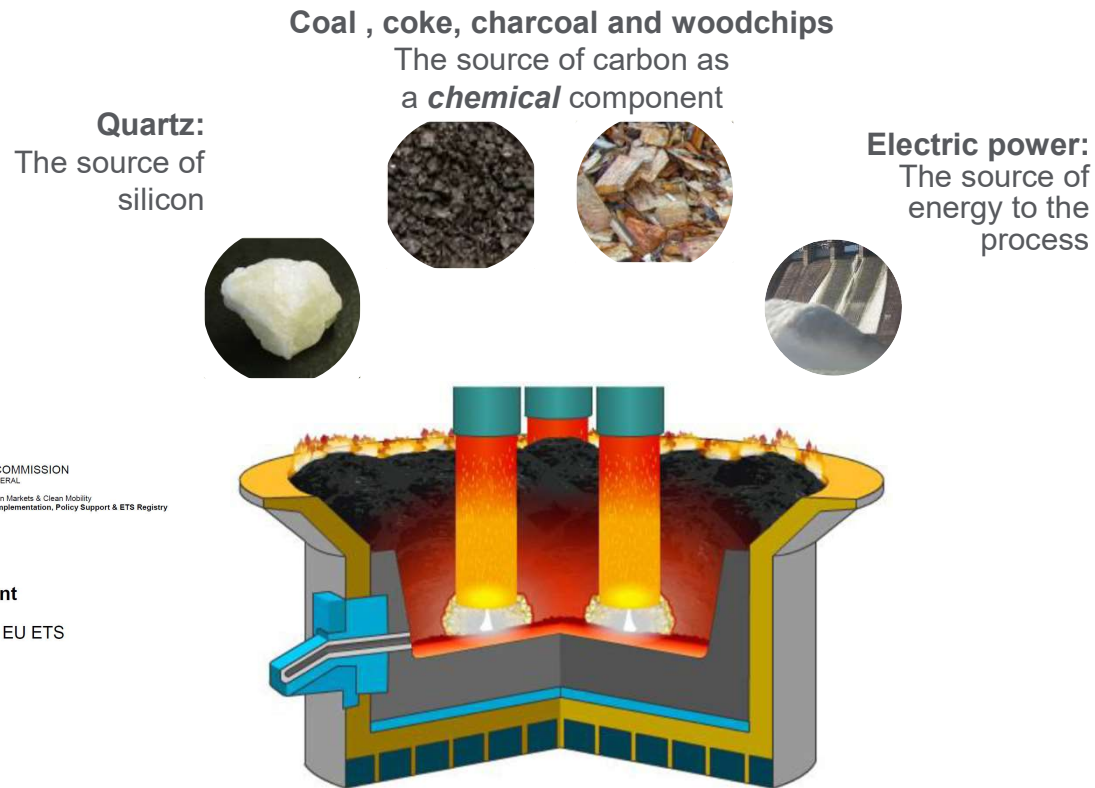
Electronics



Release coating

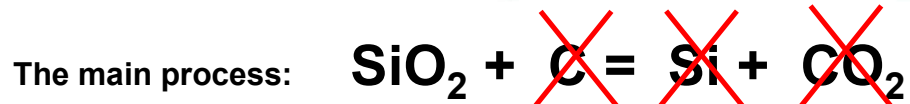
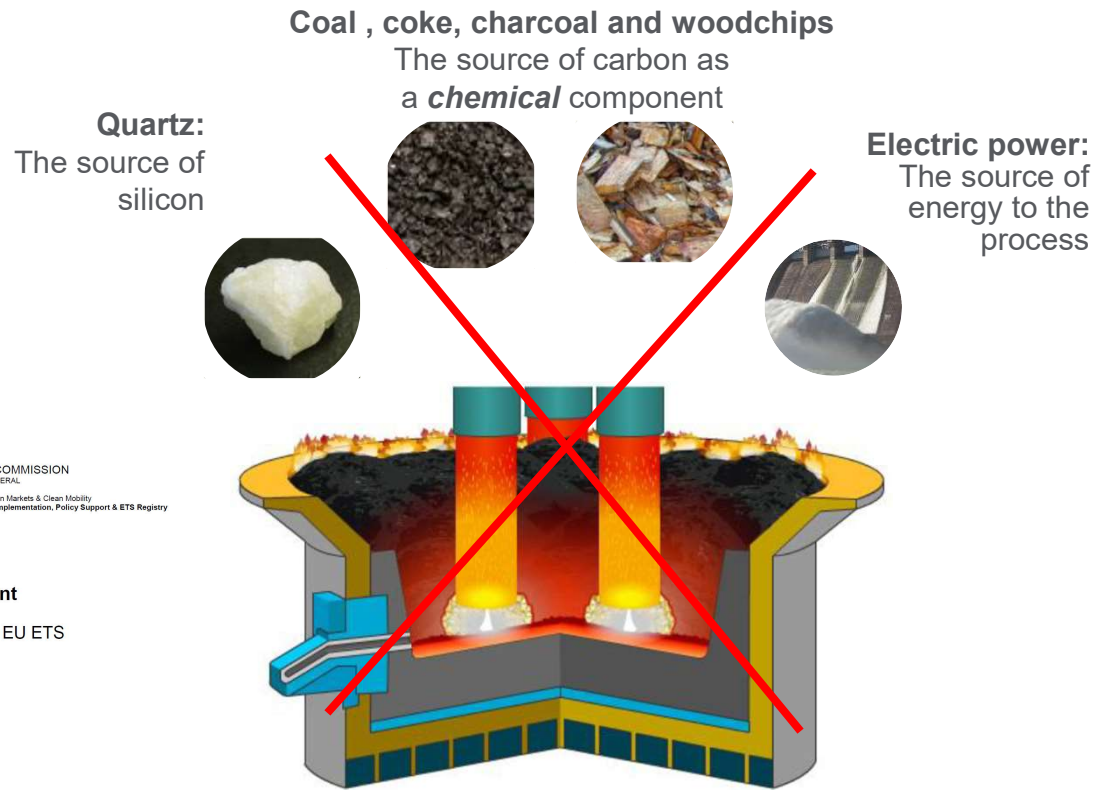


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The main process: $\text{SiO}_2 + \text{C} = \text{Si} + \text{CO}_2$

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Biocarbon essential to achieve our climate goals

Elkem will reduce fossil CO₂ emissions in line with the Paris agreement: We will contribute to limiting long-term temperature increase to well below 2°C.

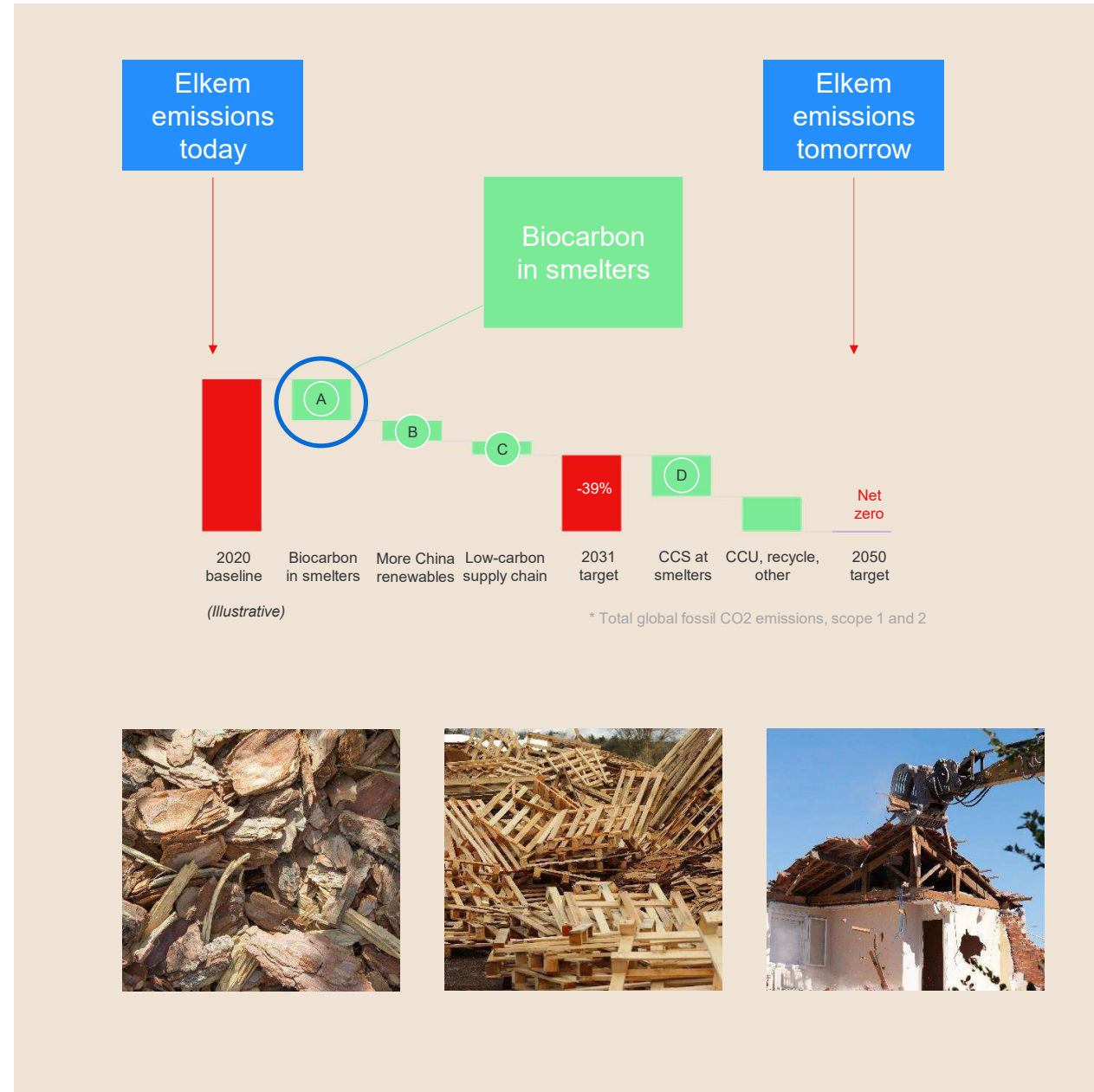
By 2031:

- Reducing absolute emissions* by **28%** from 2020-2031
- Delivering **39%** improvement in product footprint

By 2050:

- Achieving fully carbon neutral production (zero fossil emissions) globally

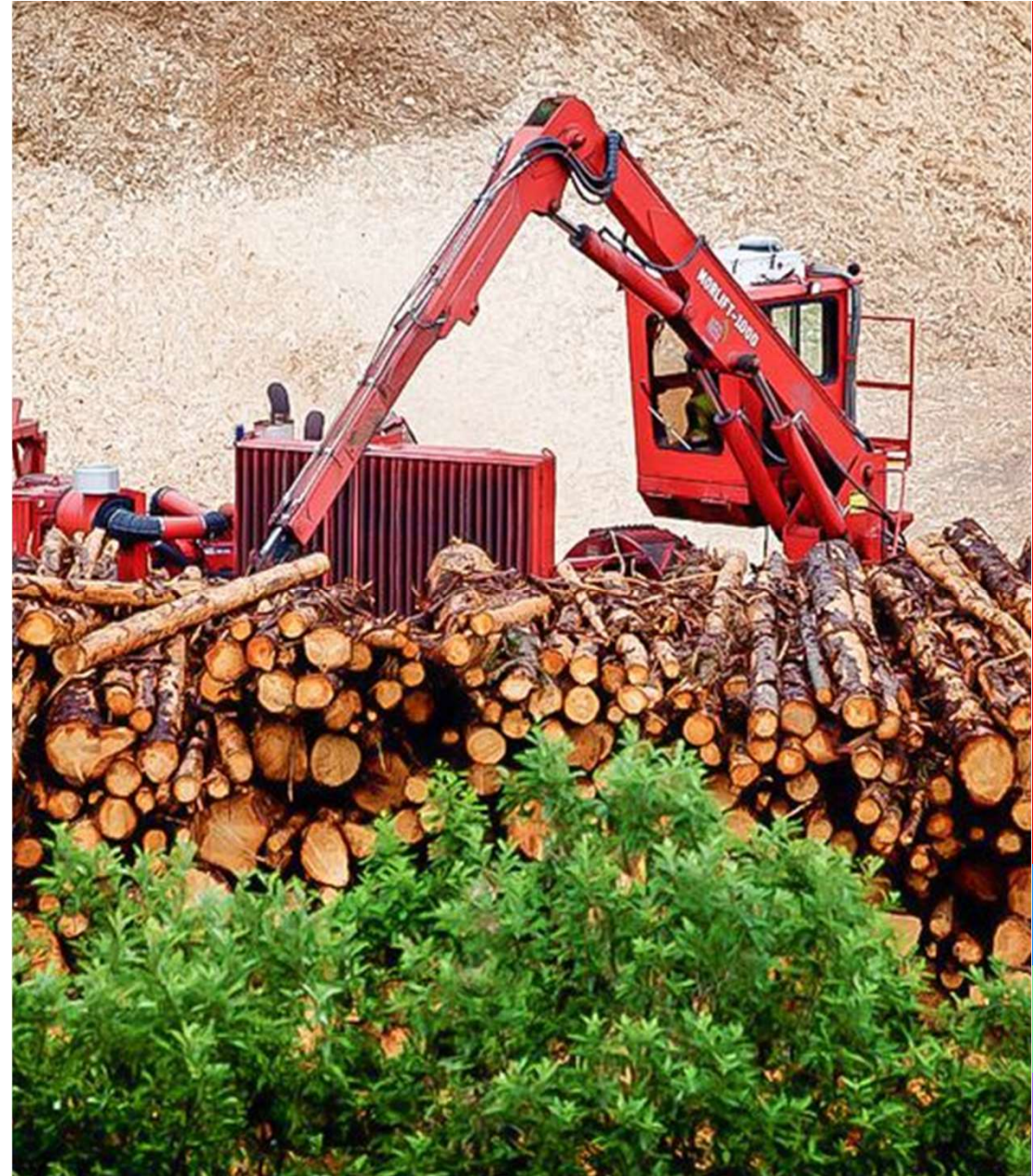
To reach 2031 target – require up to 250 000 MT new biocarbons



High future demand requires multiple biocarbon projects and predictable raw materials

To reach the ambitions climate targets, Elkem will need additional 200-250 000 MT of biocarbon within 2031

- No biocarbon ready for permanent industrial scale use today
 - development of technology for new product and process
- Raw material access and logistics limit size of projects
 - multiple projects and factories necessary to meet demand
- Long term, predictable and competitive raw material



Developing partners is important for Elkem

- with long term access to competitive raw materials

Elkem cooperating with projects internationally at different stages

- Elkem own technology development constructing pilot industrial scale in Canada
- Continuous evaluation of projects world-wide
- Actively supporting value creation for local forestry and recycling
- Elkem cooperation with multiple partners to establish biocarbon production

Target to accelerate access to long term and competitive resources

- Elkem able to provide long term security for offtake – predictability for all
- Support schemes related to extraction and handling of biobased side- and waste streams from forestry, sawmills, recycling and other

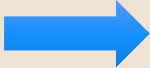


Biocarbon for Si is optimal use of biobased materials



Biocarbon for Si favorable in most areas:

Key considerations:	Value creation	GHG reduction	Energy efficiency	CCU/CCS opportunity	End use
Biocarbon for Si	High	Direct	Surplus	Yes	Energy efficiency products required for Green Shift



Solar panels, windmills, bridges, EVs, buildings, computers, mobile phones, health equipment



Delivering your potential