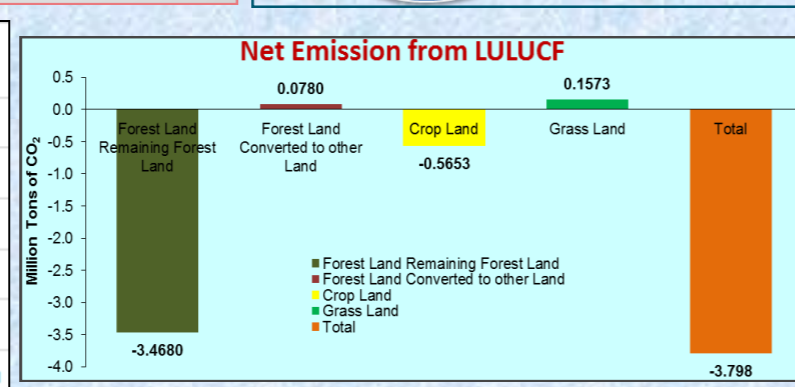
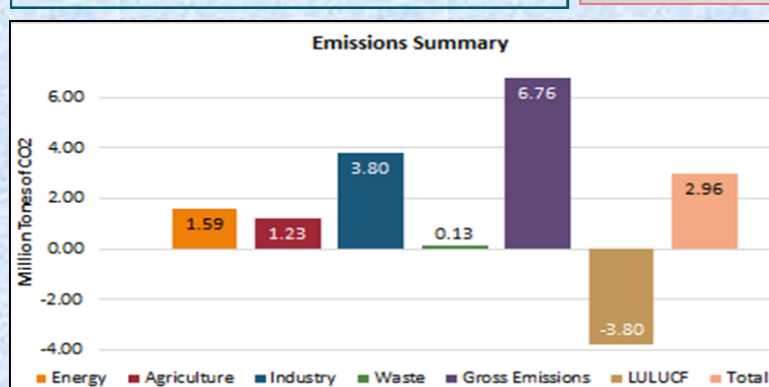
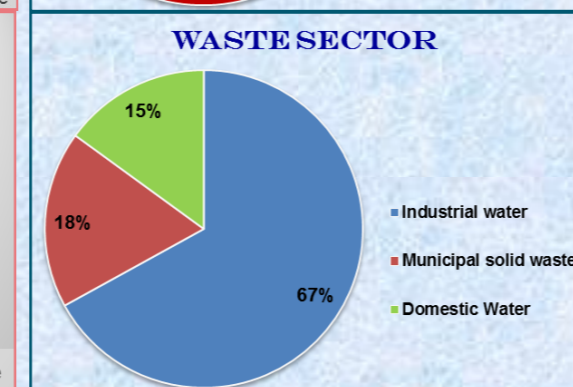
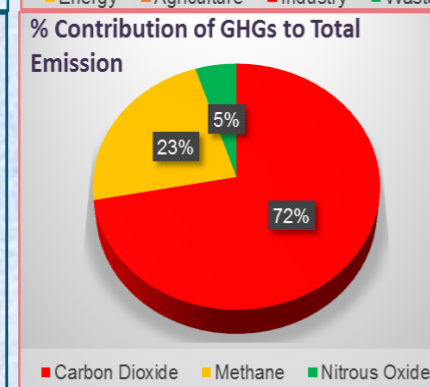
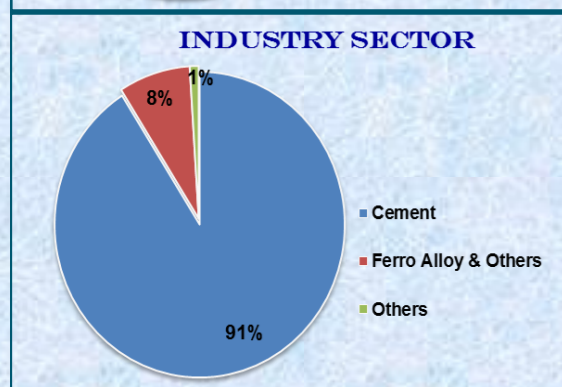
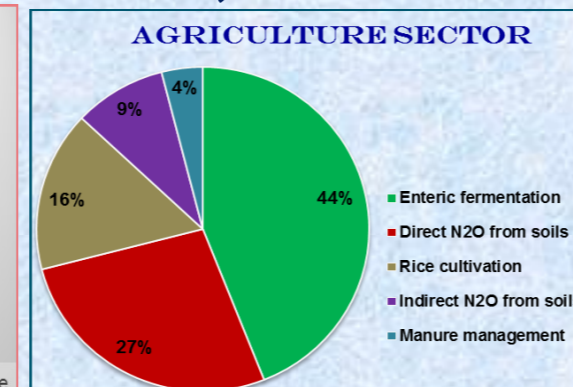
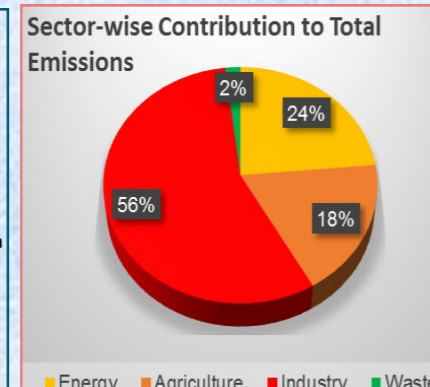
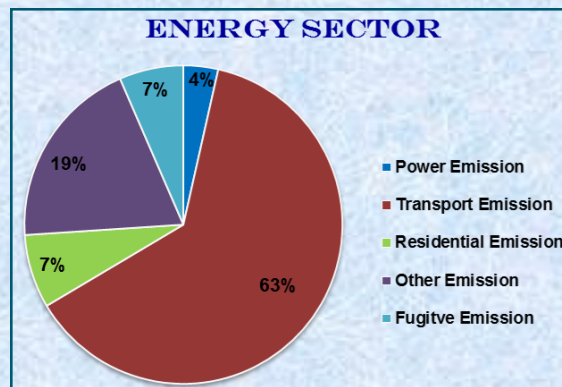
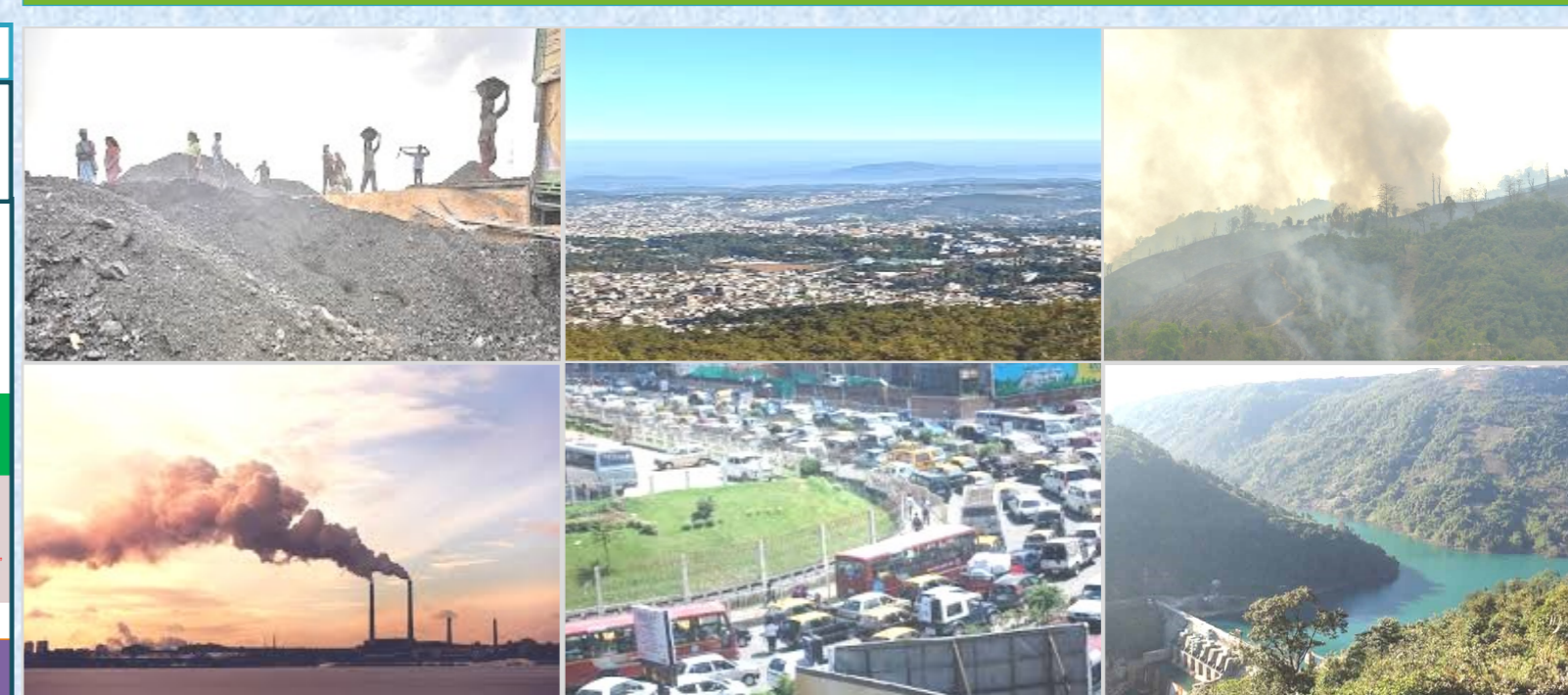
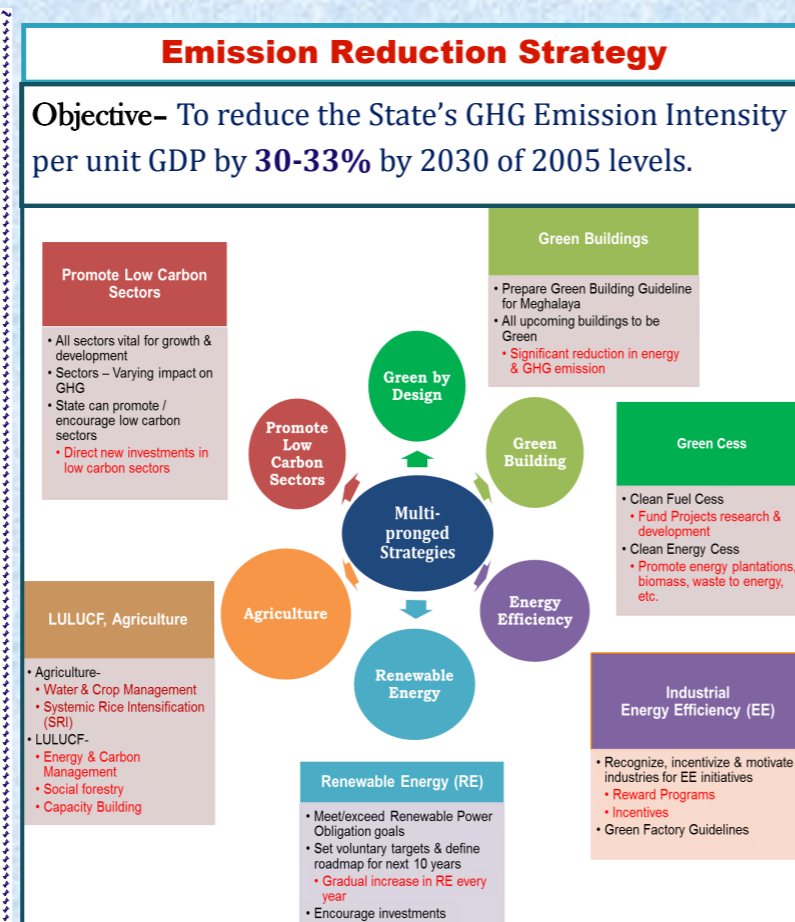


# Sector-wise Inventorisation of GHG Emission, 2012-2013



## CARBON FOOTPRINT MEGHALAYA

- ### SUMMARY
- ◆ **Per capita emission** in 2012-13 was estimated to be 0.99 tons of CO<sub>2</sub> while the **Total GHG emissions** from the State was 2.96 million tCO<sub>2</sub> eq.
  - ◆ **Industry sector** is the largest contributor of GHG emissions in the State followed by the **Energy sector** contributing 56% & 24% to the total emission, respectively
  - ◆ Emission from **Agriculture sector** accounts for 18% of the total emission
  - ◆ **Emissions from Waste sector** amounted to 0.12 million tCO<sub>2</sub> eq. The largest contributor was waste generated by industries (66% of the total waste emissions); while Domestic waste water contributed 14% & municipal solid waste's share was 18% of the total emissions from waste.
  - ◆ **Land Use Land Use Change and Forestry (LULUCF)** by estimation of carbon stock changes, CO<sub>2</sub> emissions and removals and Non-CO<sub>2</sub> GHG emission was estimated to be about **3.79 million tCO<sub>2</sub>** sequestered.
  - ◆ **Total emission sequestered** was- Forest Land : 3.38 million tCO<sub>2</sub>; Crop Land : 0.56 million tCO<sub>2</sub>; Grass Land : 0.15 million tCO<sub>2</sub>
  - ◆ **Net emission was 2.96 million tCO<sub>2</sub> eq.**



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**C**arbon footprint (or greenhouse gas inventory of a state) is an accounting procedure for the greenhouse gases (GHGs) emitted to (or removed from) the atmosphere as a result of the state's resources and operations (in the selected baseline year).

Policy makers can make use of the GHG inventories to establish a baseline for tracking the emission trend, to develop enabling policies and strategies for GHG emission mitigation and to assess the progress on a regular basis.

**Objective:**

- Identify major sources of GHG emissions
- Understand historic emission trends
- Quantify benefits of activities that reduce emissions
- Establish basis for developing a local action plan
- Track progress in reducing emissions
- Set goals and targets for future reduction

**The benefits of developing a GHG inventory are:**

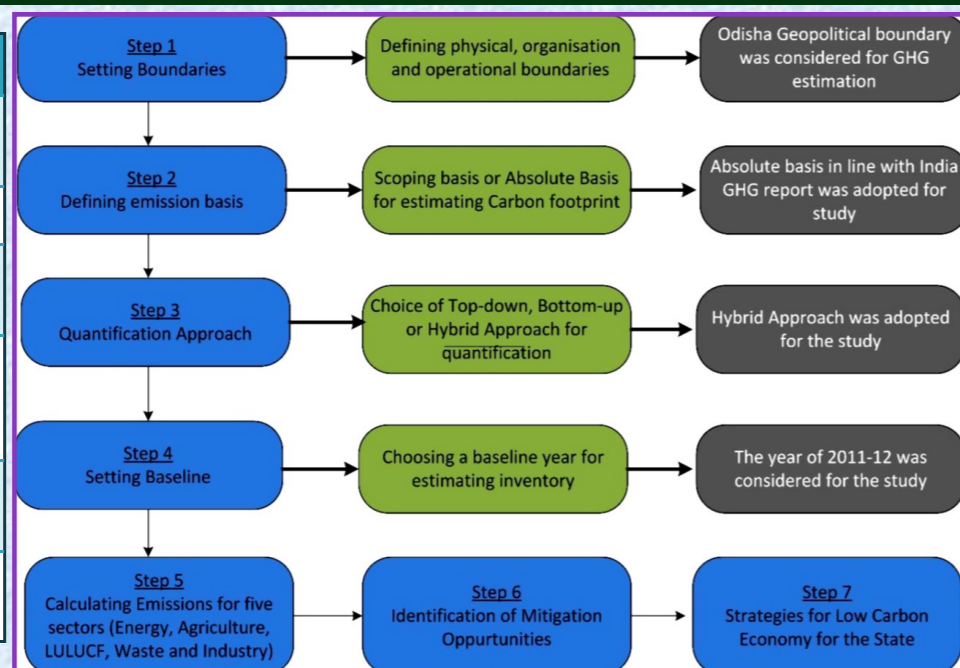
- Increasing preference from foreign investors
- Efficient risk management
- Preparedness for a carbon constrained future
- Opportunity to address inefficiencies
- Stakeholder engagement opportunities
- Direction for future investments

**Emission Estimation Approach – “Absolute Approach”** was adopted since it provides flexibility to calculate emissions from their sources without double counting. It also enables to quantify emissions through summation of the GHG inventories of all States in the country to give a comparative view. Finally, this approach aligns with methodology employed in the national inventory, “India Greenhouse Gas Emission Report 2007”.

**Emission Inventorisation Methodology** – The GHG emission inventorisation was carried out based on the *IPCC Guidelines for National Greenhouse Gas Inventories*. This includes various sources and removal sinks which fall under the provincial boundaries.

The “India Greenhouse Gas Emissions Report 2007” has been taken as reference to define the GHG inventorisation boundaries for the State.

Approach & Methodology	
<b>Baseline Year</b>	2012 – 2013
<b>Approach</b>	Absolute Basis
<b>GHG Data Analysis</b>	Hybrid Approach
<b>Emission Factors</b>	Tiered Approach (country / state specific; default otherwise)
<b>Reporting</b>	In-line with India GHG Emissions, 2007
<b>Activity Data</b>	Primary, checked with secondary sources



For completeness of the GHG Inventory, **all 6 GHGs have been accounted separately** and emissions have been reported in metric Tons of each gas and metric tCO<sub>2</sub> eq.

GHGs covered under the study
Carbon Dioxide
Methane
Nitrous Oxide
Hydrofluorocarbons
Perfluorocarbons
Sulphur Hexafluoride

**Sector-wise contribution to total emission, 2012-2013**

Sr. No.	EMISSION SOURCE	T CO <sub>2</sub> (eq.)	% of SOURCE	% of OVERALL
A	<b>Energy</b>	<b>1594871</b>	<b>100</b>	23.59
A-1	Power	56238	3.53	
A-2	Transport	1004106	62.96	
A-3	Residential	119278	7.48	
A-4	Other	311115	19.51	
A-5	Fugitive	104133	6.53	
B	<b>Agriculture</b>	<b>1233194</b>	<b>100</b>	18.25
B-1	Enteric fermentation	538913	43.70	
B-2	Manure Management	46937	3.81	
B-3	Field burning of agriculture residues	7157	0.58	
B-4	Direct N <sub>2</sub> O emissions from agriculture soils	329994	26.76	
B-5	Indirect N <sub>2</sub> O emissions from agriculture soils	116250	9.43	
B-6	Rice Cultivation	193942	15.73	
C	<b>Industry</b>	<b>3800543</b>	<b>100</b>	56.23
C-1	Cement Industry	3450461	90.79	
C-2	Ferro Alloys Industry	293202	7.71	
C-3	Other Industry	56879	1.50	
E	<b>Waste</b>	<b>129766</b>		1.92
E-1	Municipal Solid Waste (MSW)	23975	18.48	
E-2	Domestic Water	19103	14.72	
E-3	Industrial Water	86688	66.80	
<b>Gross Emissions</b>		<b>6758374</b>		<b>100.00</b>
D	<b>LULUCF</b>	<b>-3798040</b>	-	
D-1	Forest land & Fuel Wood	-3389993	-	
D-2	Crop Land	-565335	-	
D-3	Grass Land	157289	-	
<b>Net Emissions</b>		<b>2960334</b>		