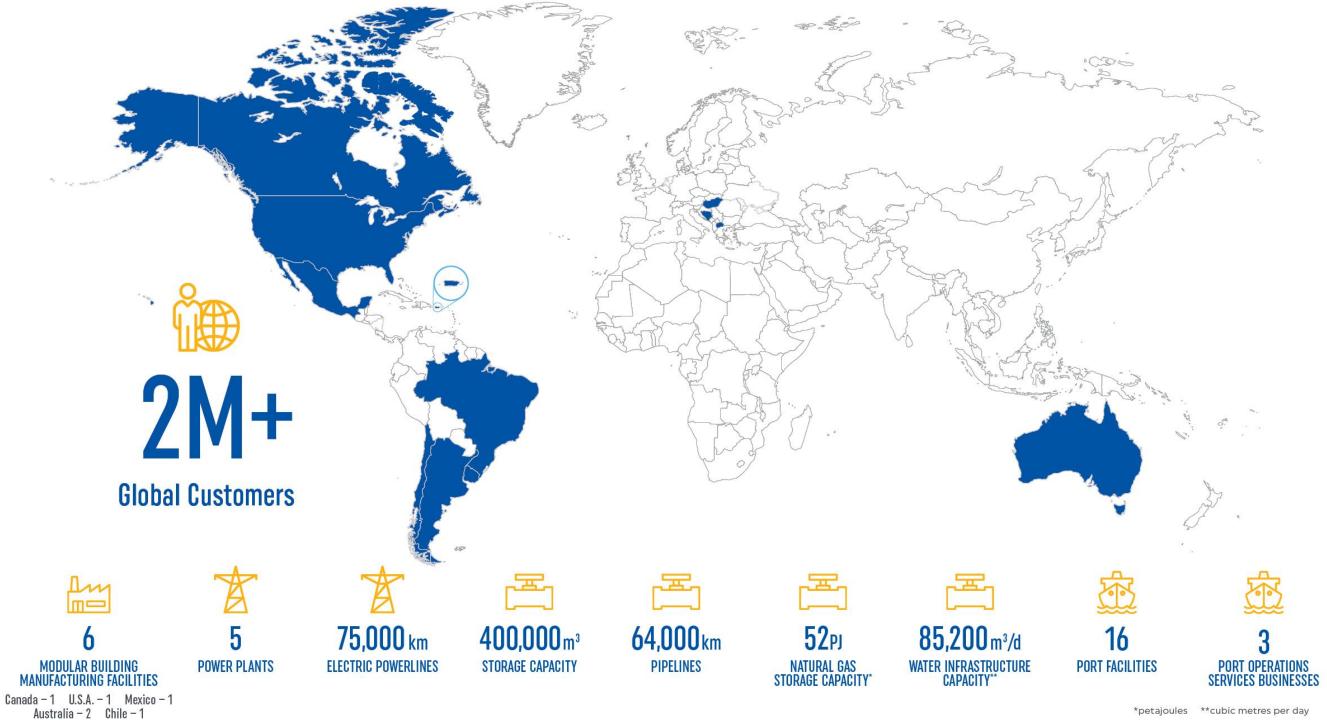


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### WHO IS ATCO?



\*petajoules \*\*cubic metres per day











### ATCO's 2030 ESG Targets

### Supporting the energy transition and reducing GHG emissions



Reducing net operational GHG emissions to earnings intensity by 30 per cent (Scope 1 and 2).



Reducing our customers' GHG emissions by 2 million tonnes through continued participation in renewable energy, cleaner fuels, energy efficiency and energy infrastructure and storage projects.



Owning, developing or managing over 1,000-megawatts (MW) of renewable energy.

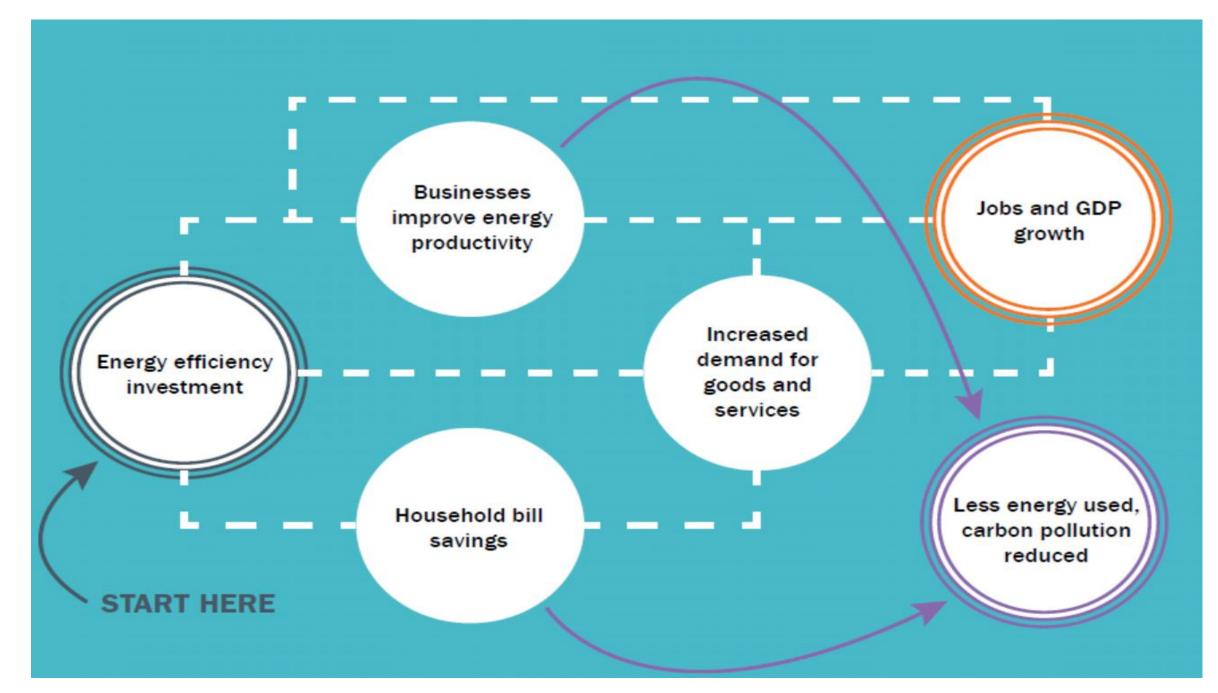


Deriving 20 per cent of revenues from transitional product categories (e.g., renewable natural gas and hydrogen).





### **Benefits of Utility Investment**



Graphic Source: Efficiency Canada



## **Policy & Regulatory Barriers**

- In 2011 the Alberta Utilities Commission issued a decision denying DSM costs in utility rates
- Since 2011
  - Canada has put a price on carbon
  - Municipal governments have declared climate emergencies
  - Municipalities have developed energy transition strategies
- Utility programs "foundational" in other jurisdictions
  - Other programs complementary & often stackable
  - DSM funding can come from utility budgets instead of municipal funds



## **Ongoing Activities**

- 2023 cost-of-service regulatory applications
  - ATCO Gas, ATCO Electric, ENMAX & FortisAlberta filings included explicit energy efficiency <u>asks</u>
  - AUC denied funding requests but encouraged utilities & the UCA to consider a collaborative programming model

Seeking a policy & regulatory framework to enable programming

Working collaboratively with all utilities



### **Collaboration with Edmonton**



Provide support on the public  $\bullet$ record to the AUC

- Collaborate with the Government of Alberta on formalizing utility programs in support CEIP
- Join AEEA's sign on campaign along with other municipalities & stakeholders





# **Thank you & Questions**

