



Metsäbiojalostamo -yrityksen näkökulmia hemiselluloosan prosessointiin ja liiketoimintamahdollisuuksiin

HEMISELLULOOSAN TEHOKAS HYÖDYNTÄMINEN BIOJALOSTUKSESSA –HANKKEEN
WEBINAARI

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Advanced Biofuels Biorefinery – Industries Integration is the Key to Success

- Integration with feedstock industry to secure sustainable feedstock supply
- Partnership with technology development to secure reliable process
- Integration to bioproduct application markets



St1 solving global energy challenges

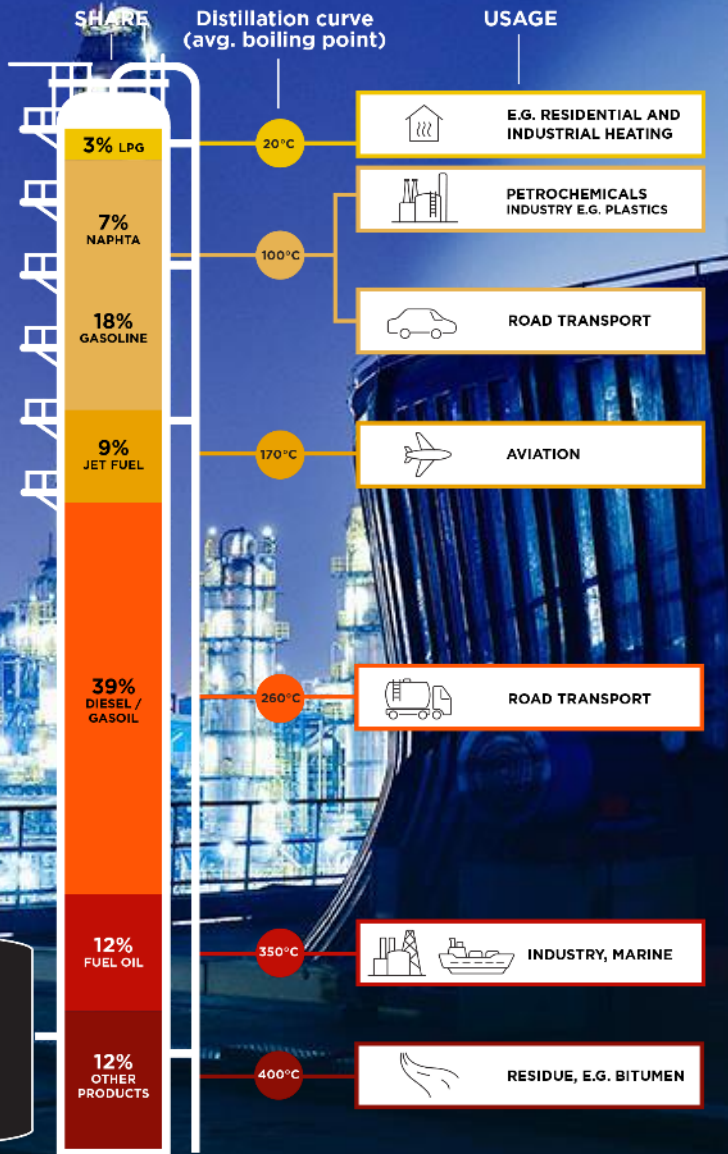
St1 Vision is to be the leading producer and seller of CO₂-aware energy

In the spirit of our vision, we research, develop, produce and invest to be able to provide our customers with CO₂-aware energy while creating positive societal impact

Our operations are strengthened by strategic long-term partnerships in various areas

Average Refinery Output shares by Product in OECD Europe in 2018

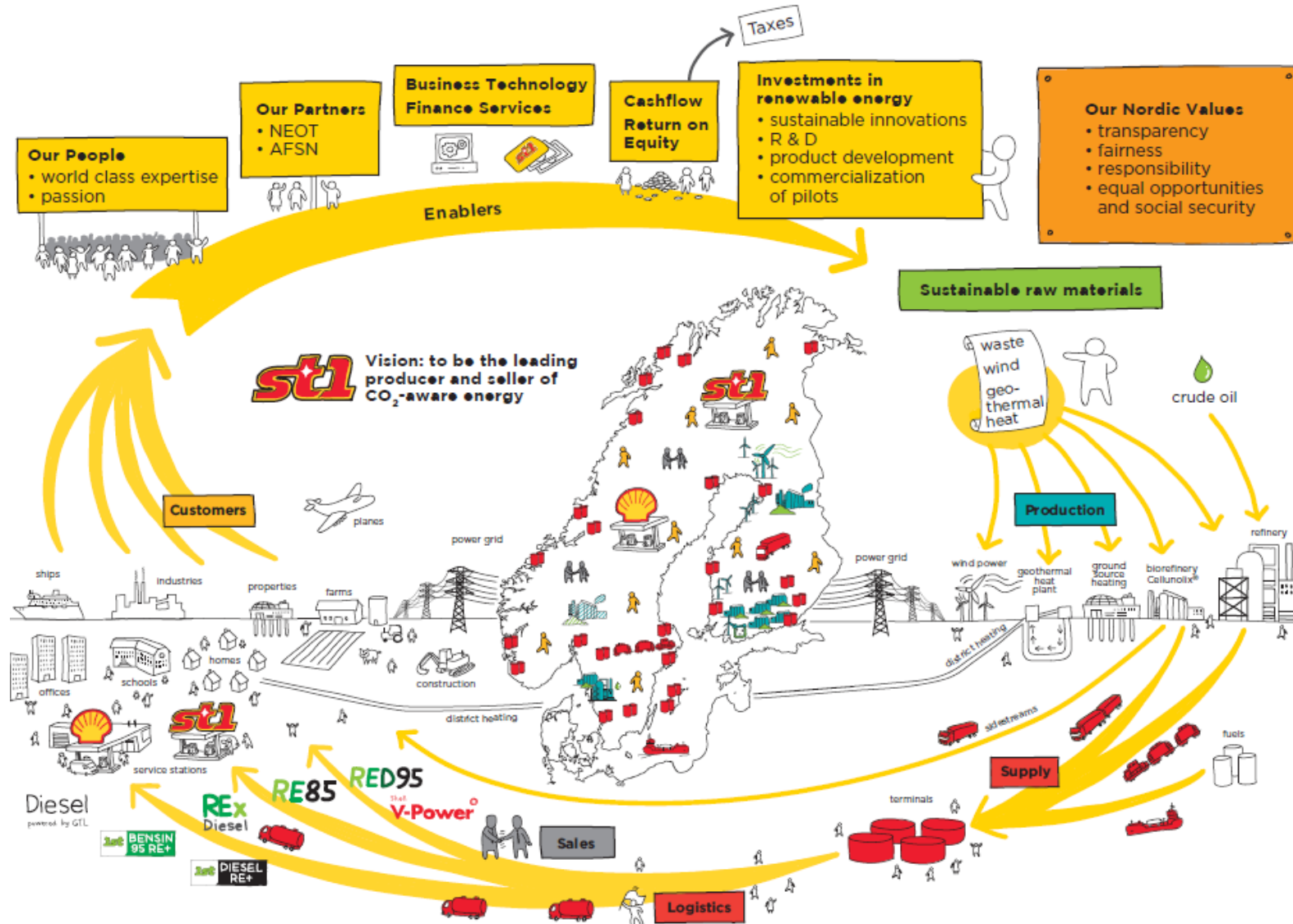
(Fules Europe Statistical Report 2019)



As an example: The Distillation Curve Challenge

The demand on one oil product cannot be met without producing the others

GROUP STRATEGY: **st1** VALUE CHAIN



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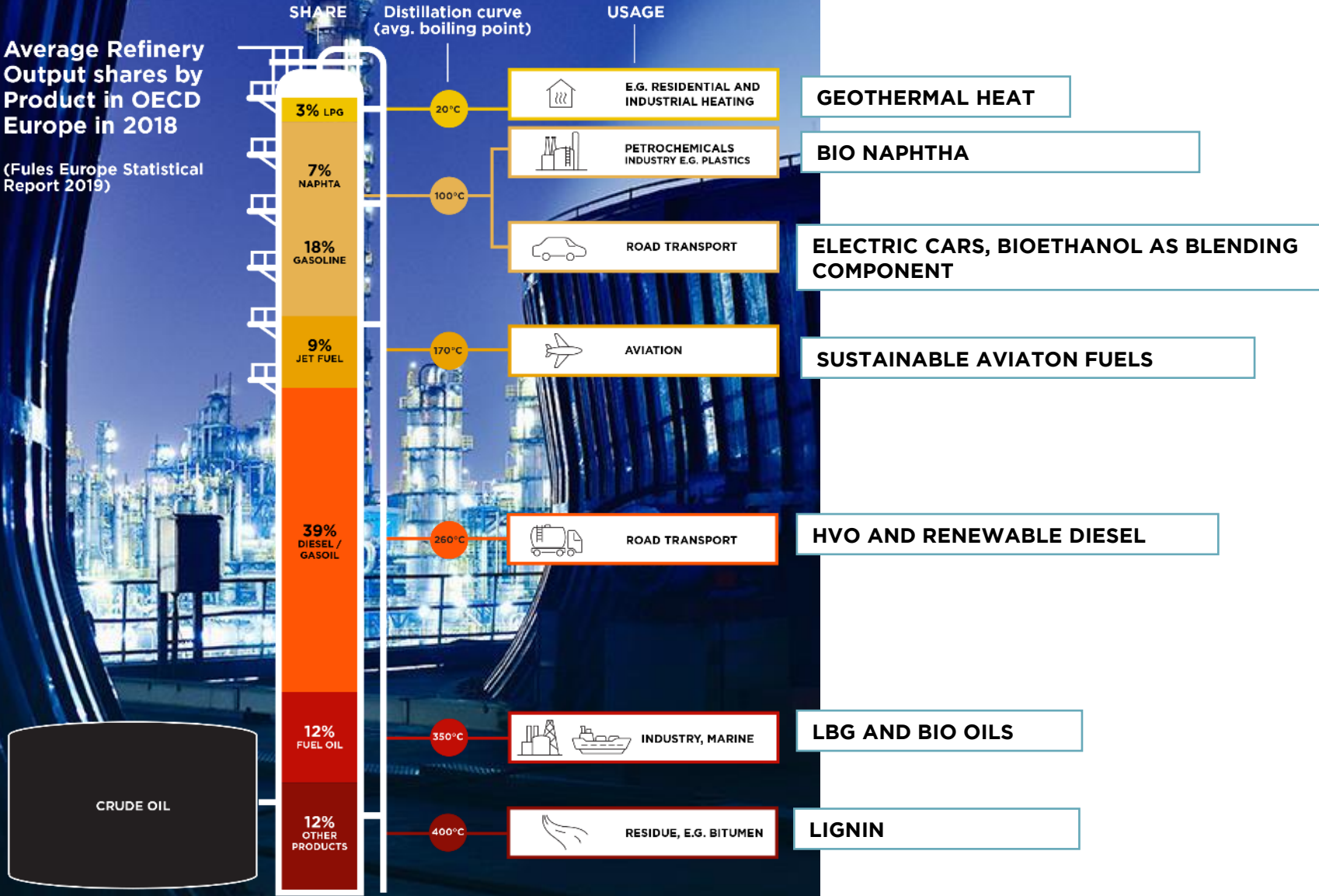
St1 Biorefining

Replacing of crude oil or all products



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BIOCRUDE OR E-CRUDE



CRUDE OIL



Renewable Diesel

- We are constructing a biorefinery at the St1 refinery in Gothenburg
 - Biorefinery will repurpose a wide range of raw materials with a yearly capacity of 200 kilotonnes
 - Production of renewable liquid fuels consists of HVO, JET, Naphtha and bio-LPG will start in 2023

Advanced Ethanol

- We produce advanced ethanol fuel in our biorefineries in Finland and Sweden
- 100 % of our feedstock is waste, such as biowaste and sawdust
- We develop new advanced biorefining technologies with a strong focus on ligno-cellulosic feedstocks

Biogas

- In Sweden we are a leading biogas player with c. 30% market share in traffic segment
 - Six biogas production and upgrading units and also import and export
- In Norway we are building biogas infrastructure
 - In cooperation with Nor-log Gruppen and Knappus Energi
- In Finland we are establishing a joint venture with food company Valio to produce biogas from dairy farm manure
 - Targeting up to 1 TWh by 2030



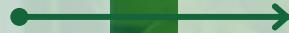
ST1 BIOREFINING BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

BIOREFINING VALUE CHAIN

- Forest industry waste and residues
- Compliance with RED II Annex 9A



FEEDSTOCKS



- Biochemical processes
- Thermochemical processes



TECHNOLOGIES

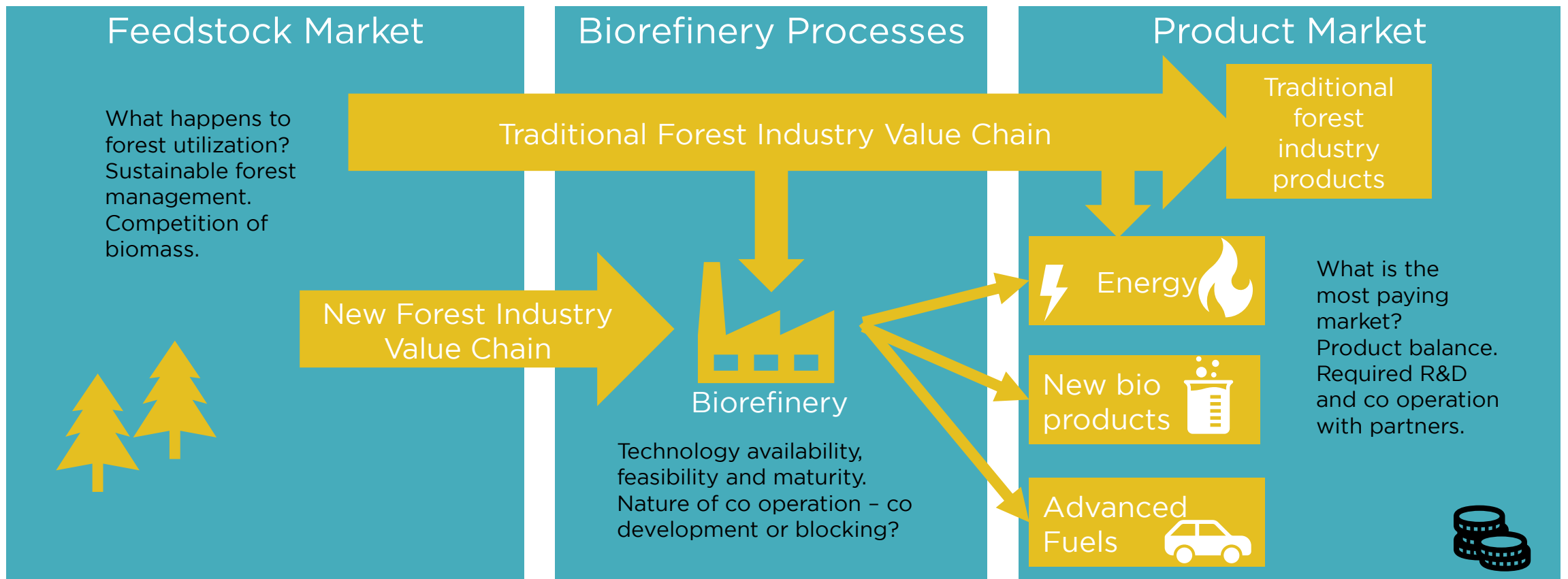


- Advanced biofuels: ethanol, renewable diesel, SAF
- Bioproducts: lignin, biochemicals, biochar



PRODUCTS

Biorefining landscape in Nordics

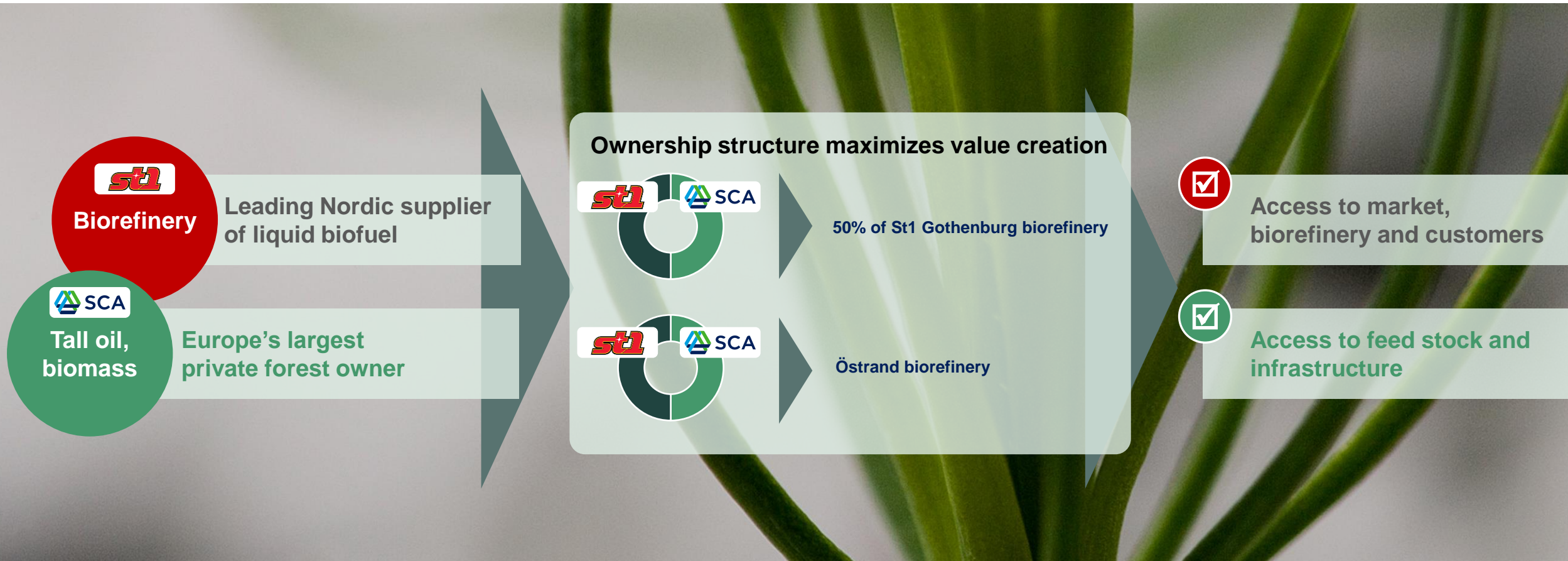


FEEDSTOCK MARKET INTEGRATION

**Joint venture
to produce and develop liquid
biofuels**

SCA and St1 creating two companies

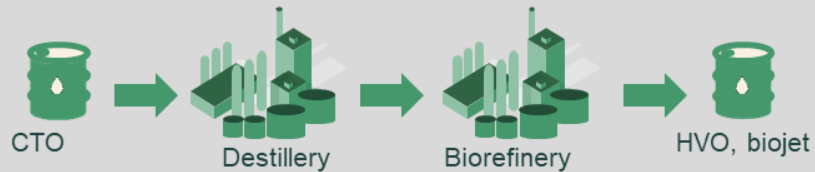
– from forest to fuel station



Three potential feedstocks with different technology maturity

1

Crude tall oil and other vegetable oils



Mature technology
In operation 2023



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Solid biomass



Long term

Under development in
demo scale – long term
option



3

Black liquor & lignin



Long term

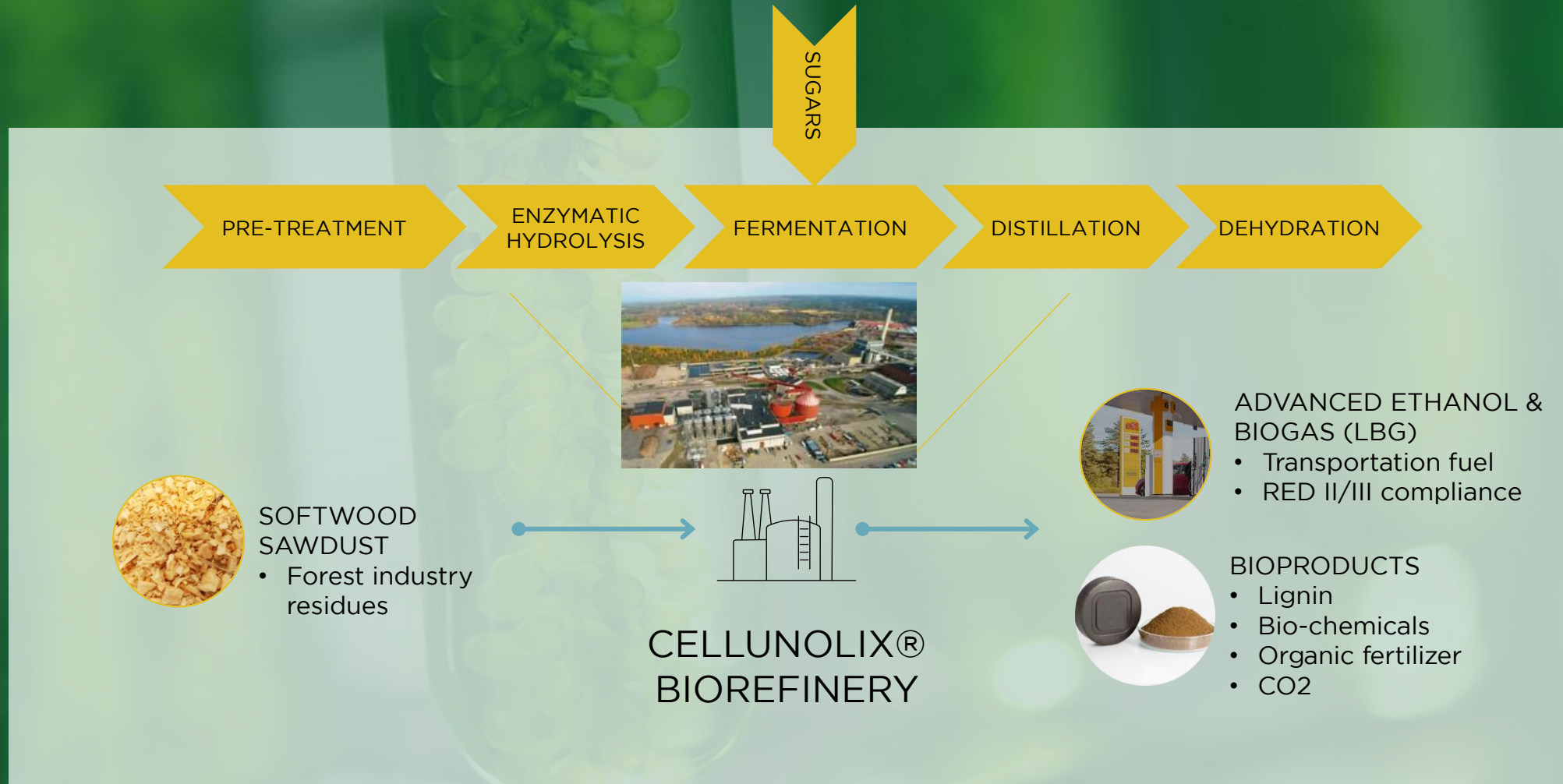
SCA developing
technology in pilot scale –
long term option

Time

PROCESS

Biorefinery

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BIOPRODUCT MARKET INTEGRATION

**Co Development
to produce and develop
bioproducts**

Possibilities of lignin

- Lignin utilization in material applications is crucial from biorefinery profitability point of view
- Emission reduction possibilities in different sectors
- Possibilities to replace multiple products from distillation curve
- Carbon binding possibilities, when lignin is used in application with long life cycle





Lignin as a replacer for fossil products

- 1/3 of wood biomass is lignin
- Lignin works as natural glue in all wood biomass
- Lignin is suitable to replace fossil components in many applications
 - Replacing bitumen in asphalt applications
 - Biocomposite applications to replace fossil plastic
 - Resin applications
 - Other fine chemical applications

Lignin as replacer for bitumen

- Several years of R&D and experimental by Wageningen University & Research Center (WUR)
- Test areas made with PEAB in Finland 2021
- Up to 50 % of bitumen could be replaced, R&D needed to replace 100 %

Source: <https://www.biobasedpress.eu/2019/07/bio-bitumen-for-the-roads-of-the-future/>



VIOBOND project – Lignin PF resins for various applications



- Biobased Industries Joint Undertaking (BBI JU) funded Flagship project
 - 5-year project starting on September 2021
 - 9 partners from 5 EU member states
- Total project budget 35 M Euro; St1 budget 1 M € (50% EU support)
- Aiming to commercialize lignin based Viobond resin
 - Bio-based resin plant will be built in Latvia
 - Biorefinery lignins as raw materials

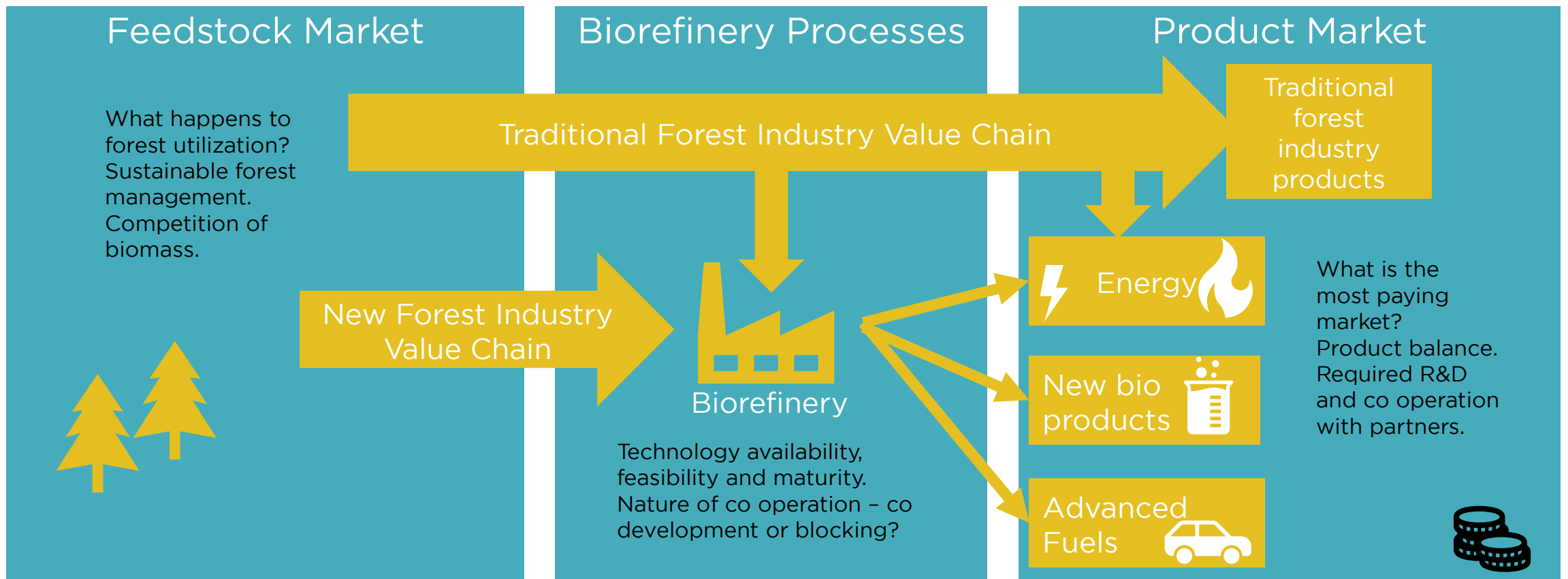
CONVENTIONAL RESIN



VIOBOND RESIN



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Thank you!