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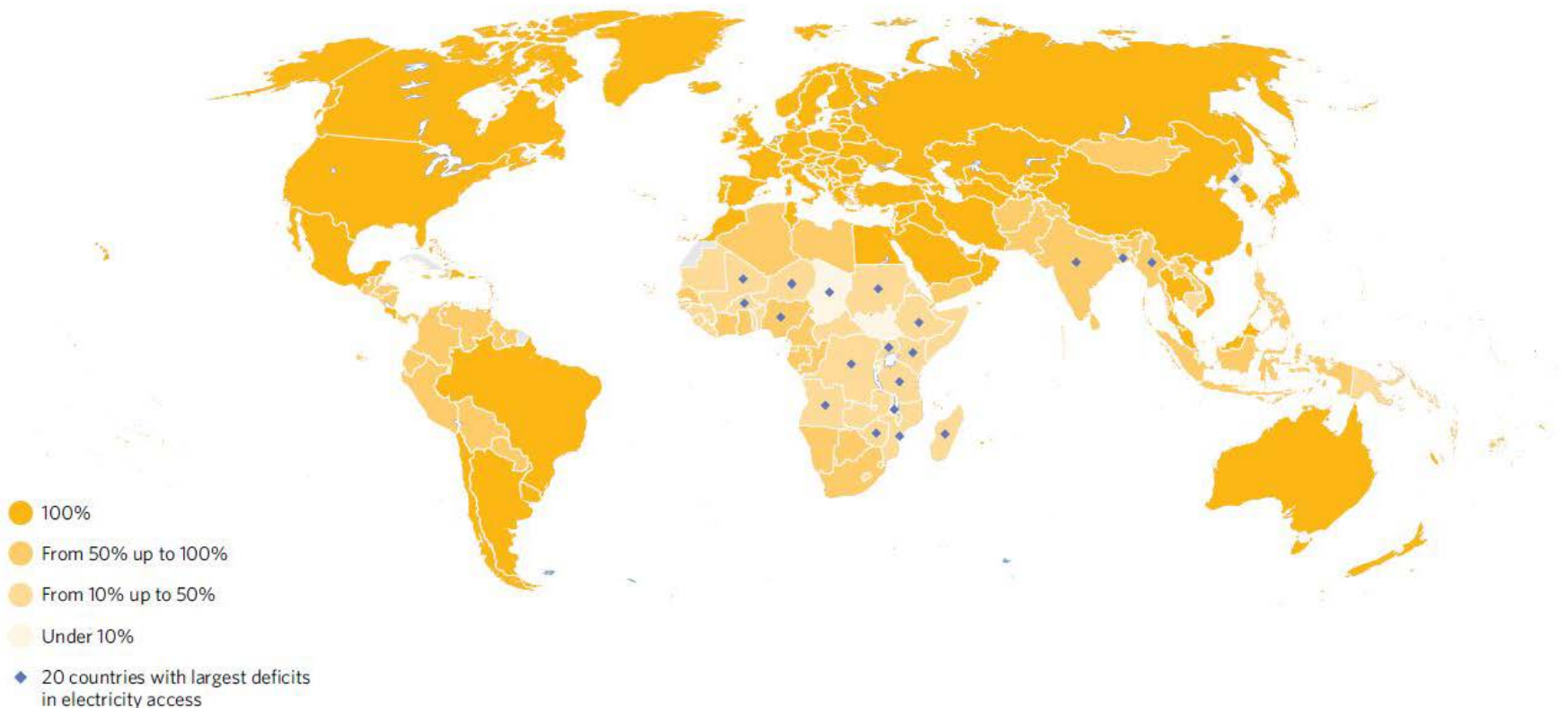




Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all

In 2016, the absolute number of people without electricity dipped **just below 1 billion**. Vast swaths of **Africa and Asia** are still without electricity, although progress is being made.

Share of the population with access to electricity, 2016 (percentage)





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A staggering **41 per cent** of the global population still lack access to clean cooking fuels and technologies

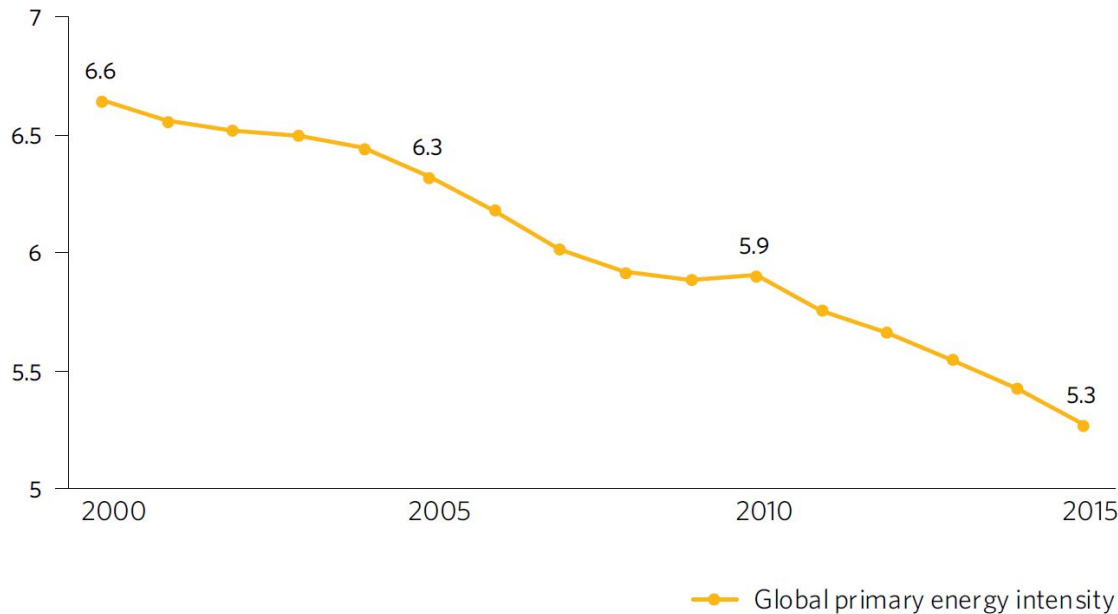
4 in 10 people still lack access to clean cooking fuels and technologies





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Global primary energy intensity, 2000–2015 (megajoules per 2011 US\$ PPP)



Energy efficiency

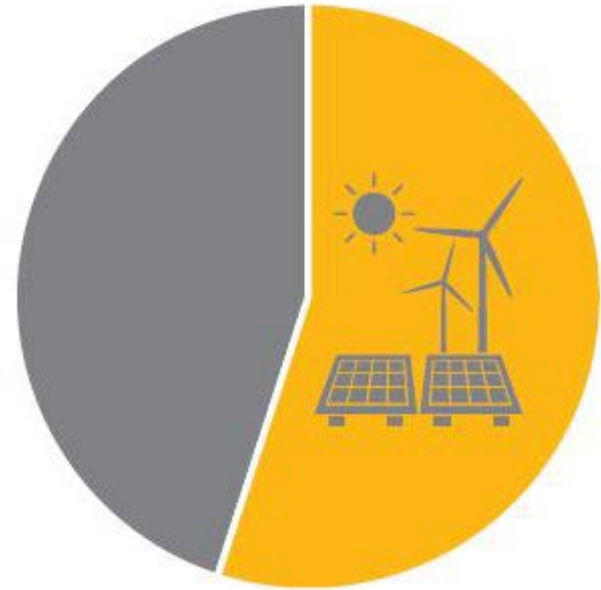
continues to improve, which is offsetting carbon dioxide emissions, reducing energy demand and making energy more affordable.



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The share of renewables in final energy consumption **increased modestly**, from 17.3 per cent in 2014 to 17.5 per cent in 2015.

Yet only **55 per cent** of the renewable share was derived from modern forms of renewable energy.





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