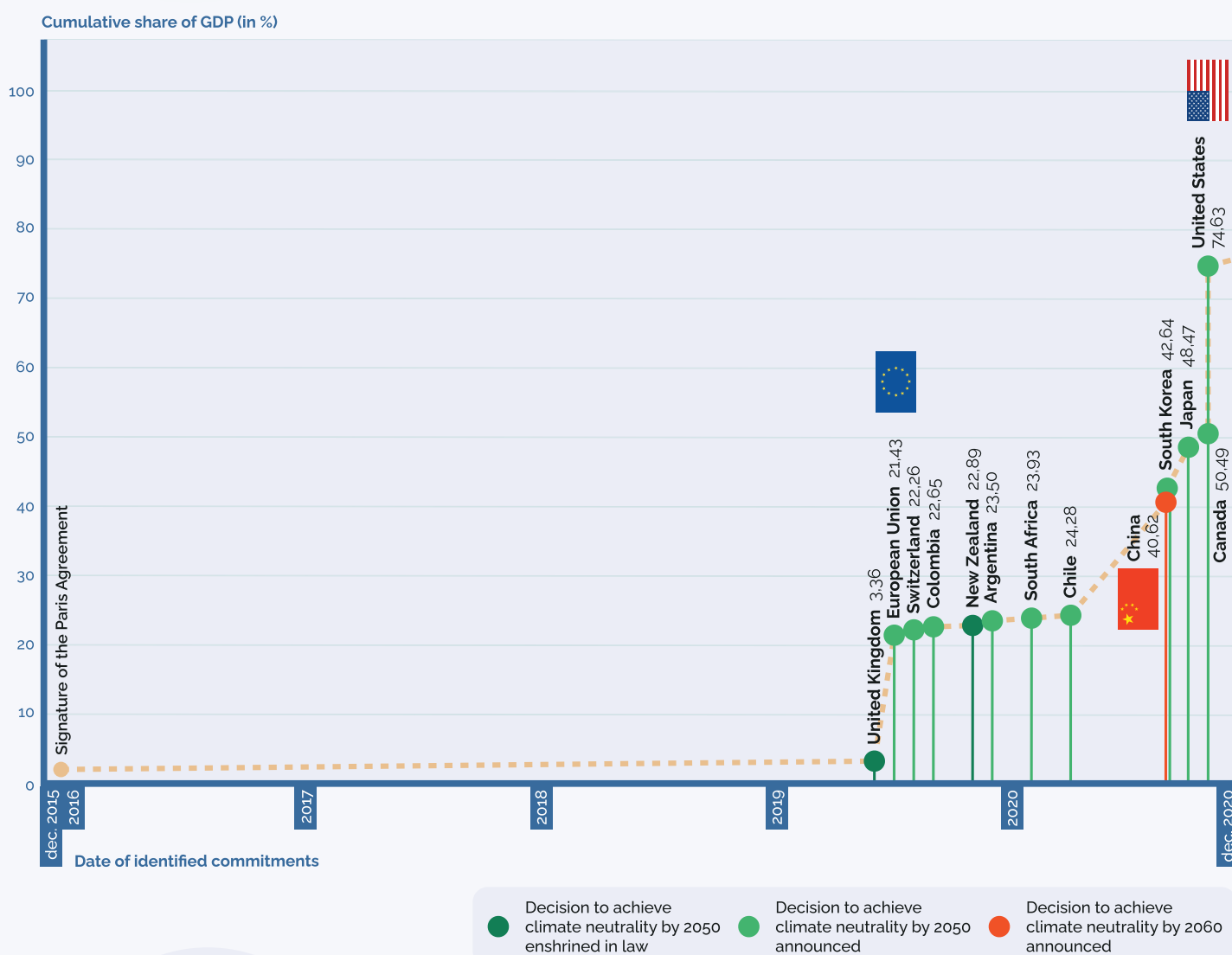


**5 years after the Paris Agreement, the largest global economies are engaging in the race towards climate neutrality.**

## The world's largest economies are accelerating their commitments to achieve climate neutrality by 2050-2060.

Source: Jacques Delors Institute based on 2018 World Bank data and its own collection of country declarations; cf. UK, EU, CH, CO, NZ, AR, ZA, CL, CK, KR, JP, CA, US. Note: the list of countries and their commitments is not exhaustive.

With the election of Joe Biden, the United States follows in the footsteps of China and the EU to build a climate neutral economy. **The race is on to become leaders in the clean solutions markets.**



5 years after the Paris Agreement, many governments around the world have set the goal of achieving climate neutrality in their country: a necessary condition to stabilize the climate and avoid climate disorder.

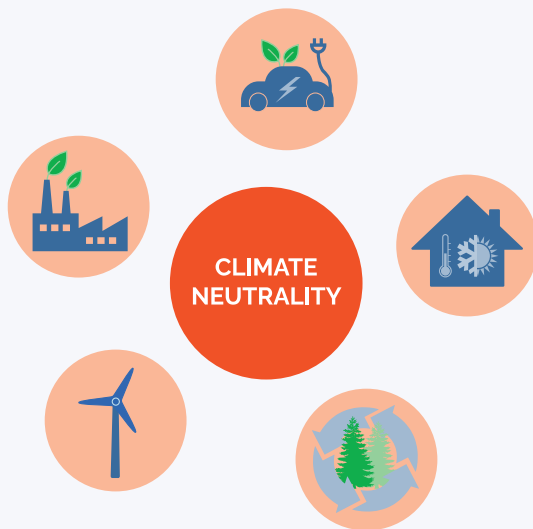
With the European, Chinese and American announcements, all the countries aiming for climate neutrality by 2050-2060 account for as much as **75% of global GDP!**

## Cumulative share of GDP following these three announcements

● Represents 100% of global GDP



## What is climate neutrality?



Climate neutrality is an objective set by the Paris Agreement to limit the increase in global temperature below 2 degrees Celsius. Concretely, achieving climate neutrality requires policies and behaviours that allow greenhouse gas emissions to be **reduced to a minimum** (e.g. -97%)

This reduction must be sufficiently effective so that the few remaining emissions can be offset, for example through reforestation. Achieving climate neutrality therefore involves radical changes in our lifestyles, in the way our societies organize energy production, industrial production, transport of people and goods, building insulation, food production and forest management.

## Recommendations

In order to continue this race towards a climate neutral global economy, nations must:

➔ Make COP 26 in Glasgow a success: each country should have its own climate neutrality goal

➔ Lead a green economic recovery in France, Europe and throughout the world



➔ Innovate in order to create and deploy green solutions for the world of tomorrow.

