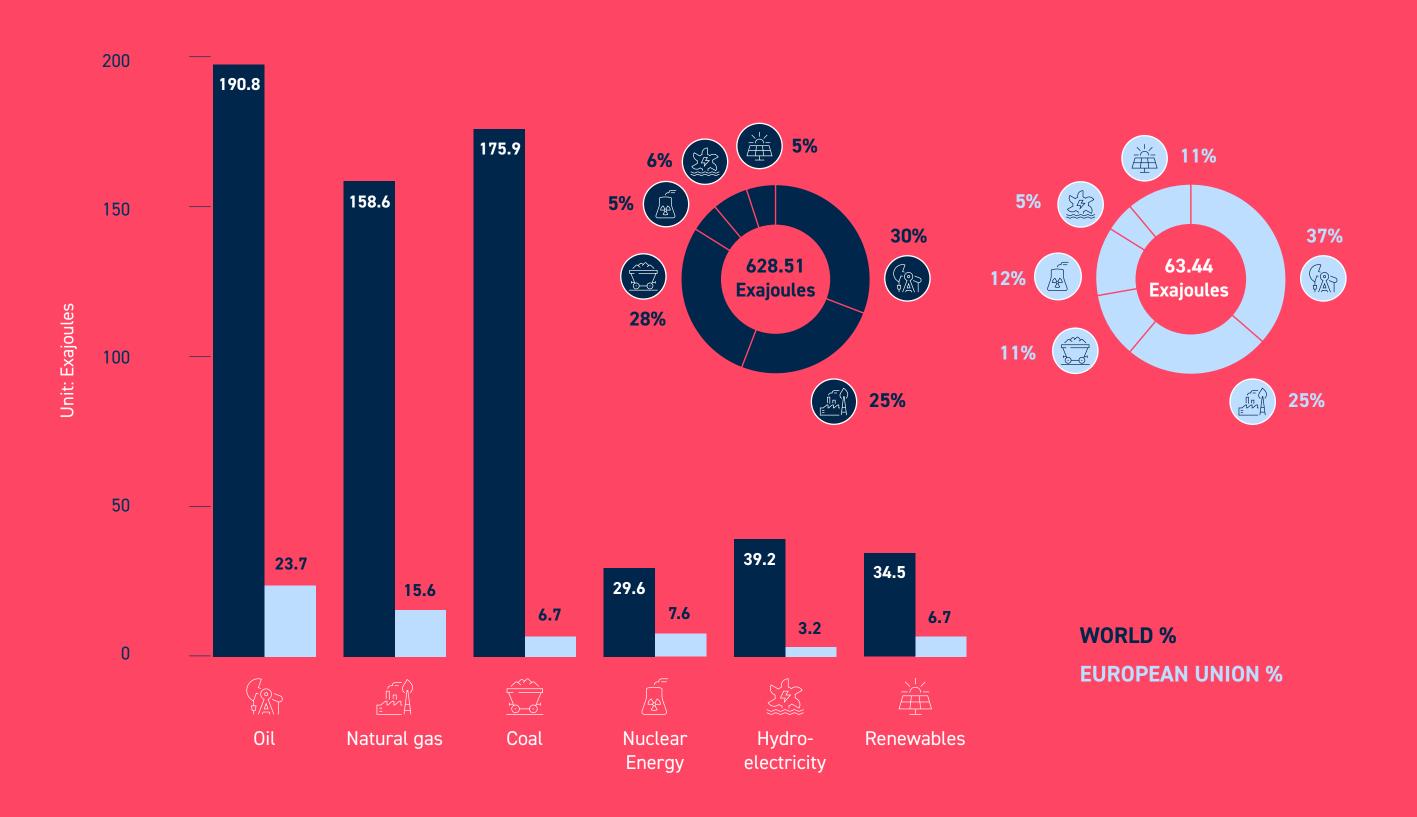
FIG.11 WORLDWIDE ENERGY CONSUMPTION BY FUEL TYPE IN 2021

Source: US Energy Information Administration



Oil remains the world's dominant fuel, accounting for more than a third of all energy consumed. In 2020, during the first year of the Covid-19 pandemic, there was a drop in oil consumption due to the large number of restrictions. After the restrictions were gradually lifted in 2021, oil total consumption (in real terms) increased by 13% and the market share remained the same as the previous year. Natural gas remained stable, coal and nuclear gained 1% of the market share while hydroelectricity and renewables lost 1%.

Note: Please note that due to rounding, figures may not add up exactly to 100%.

1 Exajoule = 10¹⁸ J (1 billion of billions of Joules) = 23,884 Mtoe.