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## State of the Champlain Environment

February 15, 2013





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Why is this important?

## [PRINCETON REVIEW GREEN RATING](#)

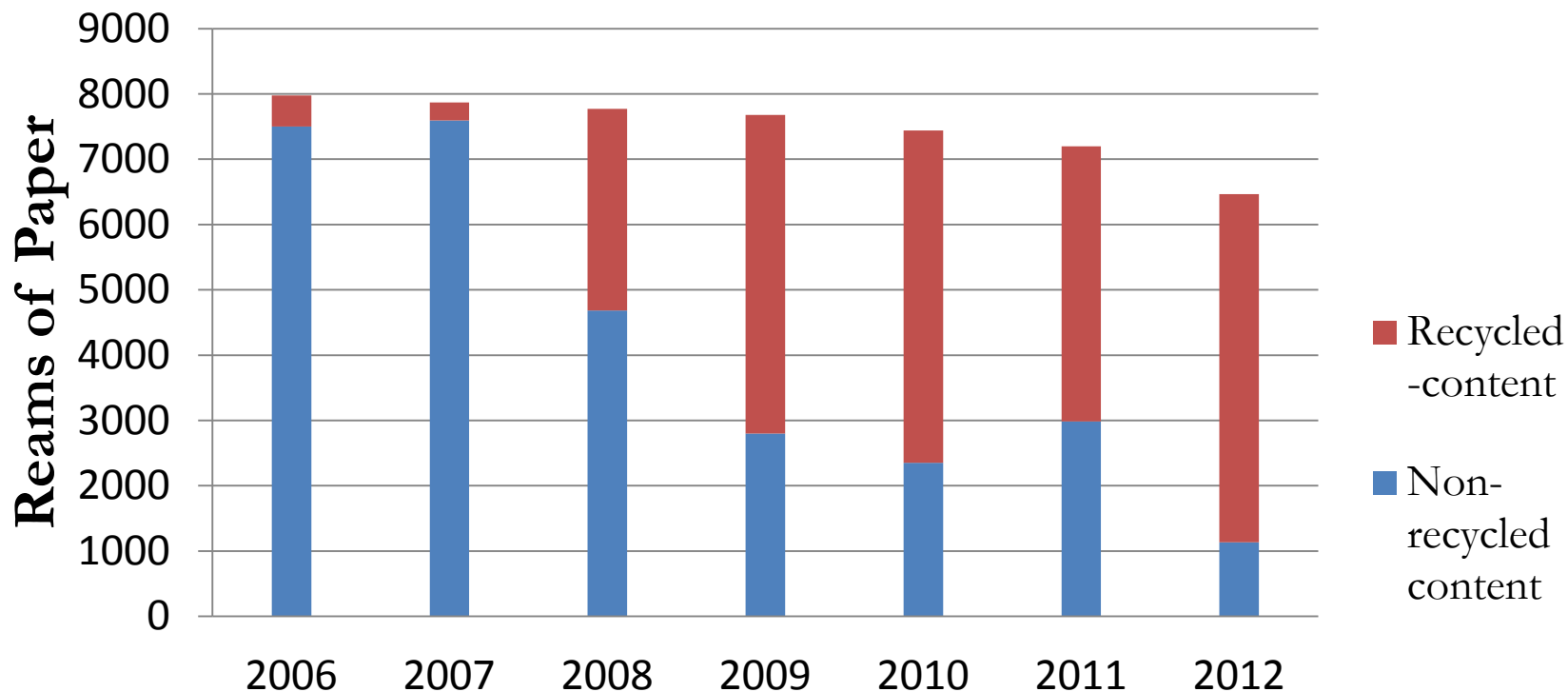
"Franek noted the rising interest among students in attending 'green' colleges. Among 7,445 college applicants Princeton Review surveyed in 2012 for its *College Hopes & Worries Survey* **68% said having information about a college's commitment to the environment would impact their decision to apply to or attend a school.**"





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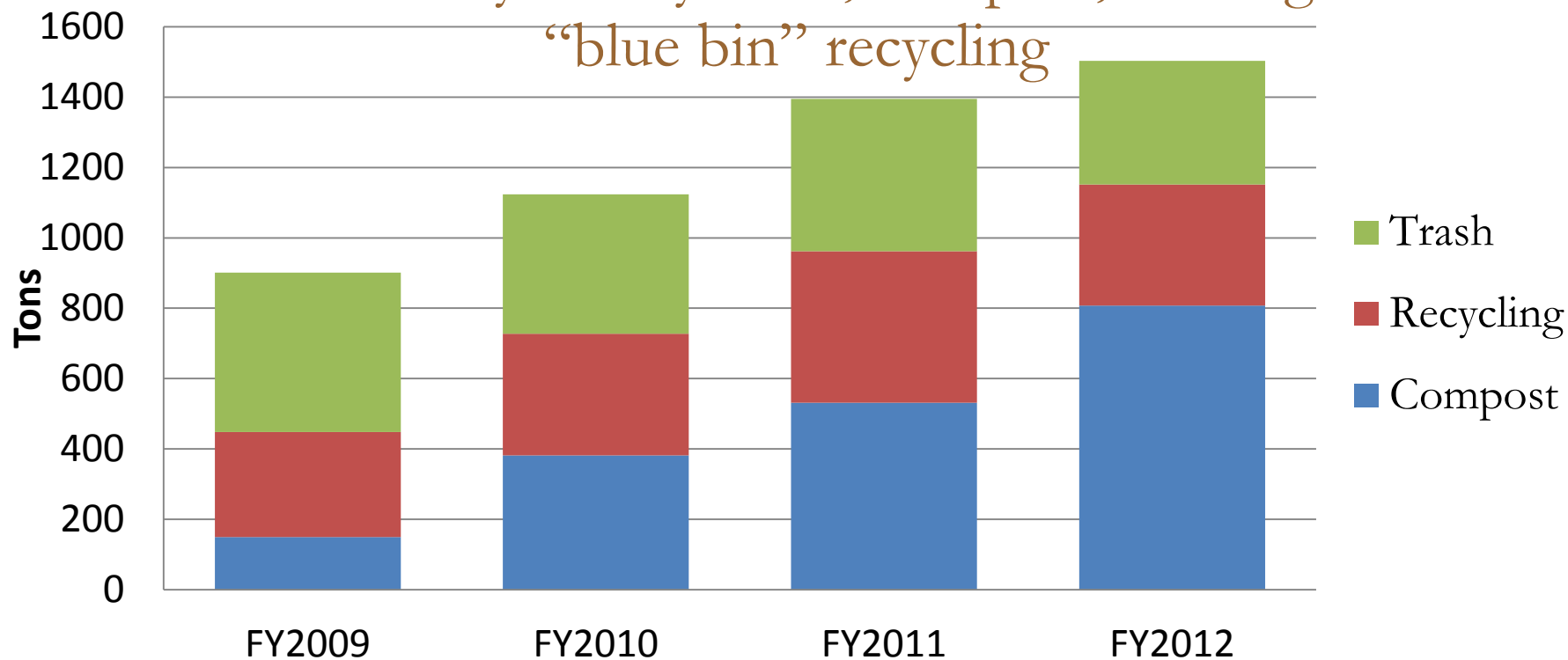
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Total Waste\* Generated at Champlain College  
\*includes day-to-day trash, compost, and regular  
“blue bin” recycling



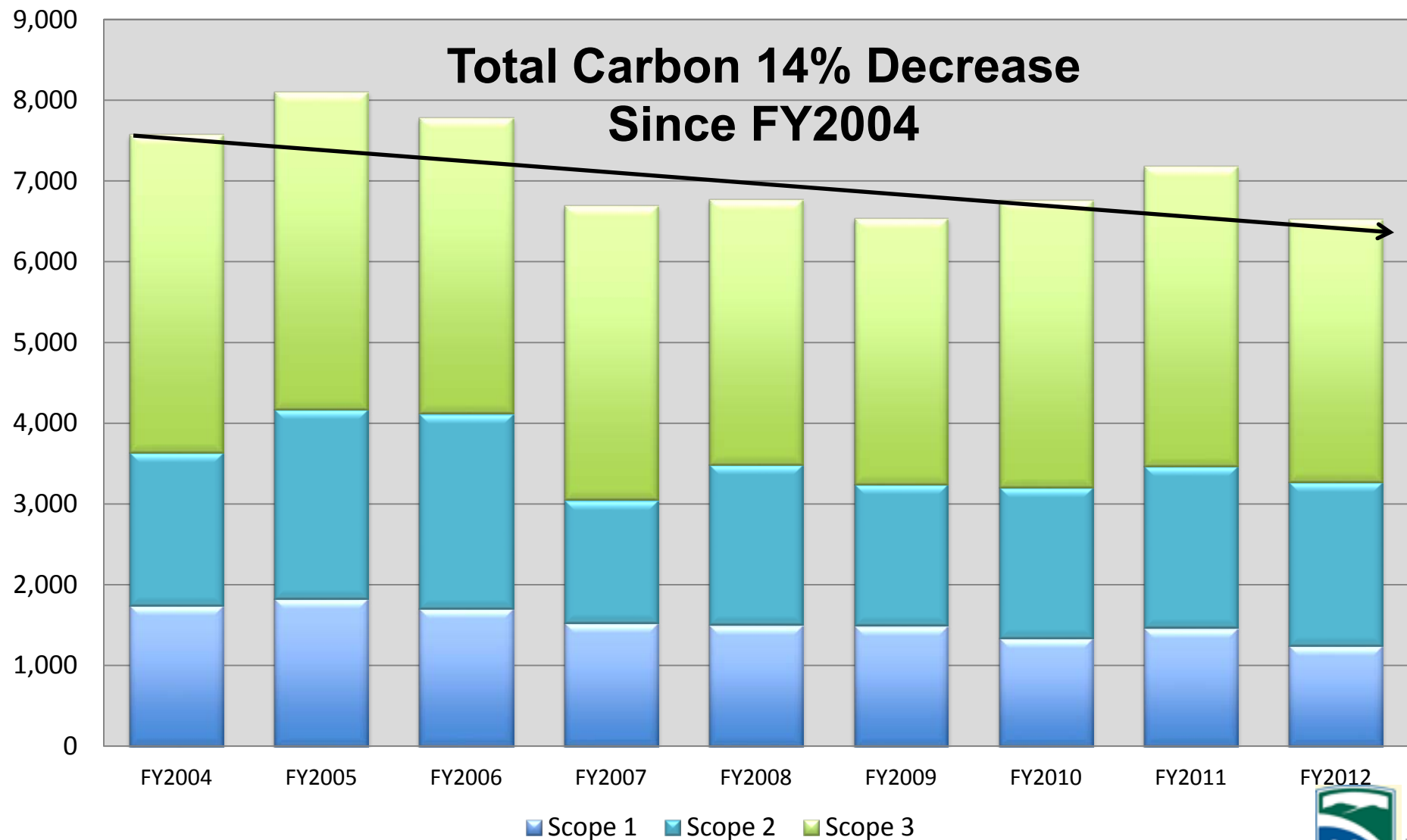
# Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Emissions

Gross GHGs decreased by 14% even as owned GSF increased



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## Longitudinal Gross Emissions



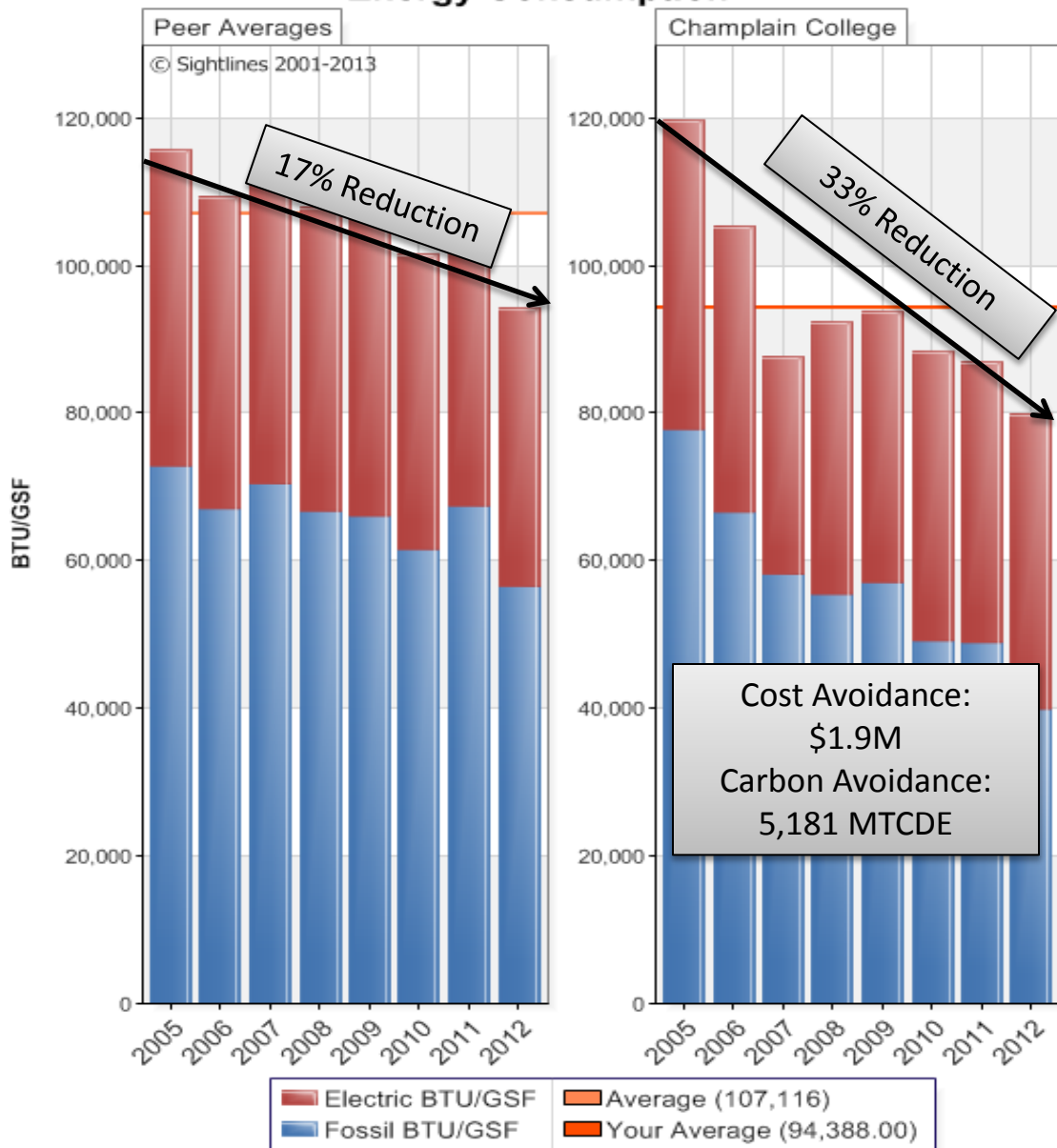
# Energy Consumption (Gas & Electricity)

Consuming less energy than peers due to significant campus reinvestment



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## Energy Consumption



## Go-Green Peer Institutions

- Babson College
- Bentley University
- Hamilton College
- Hamline University
- Hampshire College
- Le Moyne College
- Siena College
- University of Portland
- Wesleyan University





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## Connections with Classes

- Service Learning Projects
  - SCI 155 – Global Environmental Earth Science (Montreal)
  - SCI 210 – Foundations of Ecology
  - BUS 250 – Project Management
  - BUS 210 – Corporate Social Responsibility
- Class visits/interviews
  - ENP 100 – Introduction to Environmental Issues
  - EVT 240 – Event Planning & Coordination
  - COR 220 – Ethics & the Environment



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## Announcing: The Green Revolving Fund

GOAL: \$100,000



COMMITTED TO DATE: \$40,000



<http://bit.ly/CCGreenFund>





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Sustain Champlain