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Greenhouse Gases Emissions: Recent Trends, Current Progress and Future Directions

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- Approaches or optimization strategies to balance the tradeoff between GHG emissions and energy demand and economic development.

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