

# Renewable Hydrogen: Enabling a Clean Energy Economy

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# The need for a sustainable energy system

- Greenhouse gases emitted through our current energy production and consumption patterns are leading to drastic shifts in the environment
- 2015 Paris Climate Conference had 195 countries universally agree to limit the global temperature increase to well below 2°C
- To achieve COP21 goals, we must make a transition – from a system fueled primarily by high carbon-based energy sources to one fueled by low-carbon and renewable sources
- Hydrogen provides a sustainable solution and enables the shift to a clean, low-carbon energy system



# Climate Protection Goals 2020, 2030, 2050



	EU	Germany	USA	China
Baseline:	1990	1990	2005	2030
Reduction of CO <sub>2</sub> emissions	20% by 2020	40% by 2020	32% by 2030 (power plants)	0% increase after 2030
Increase of Energy Efficiency	20% by 2020	50% by 2050		
Increase of Renewable Energy	20% by 2020	80% by 2050		20% by 2030

# GERMANY: NO PROGRESS IN TRANSPORT

- In 2014, for the first time since a number of years, the greenhouse gas emissions in Germany dropped significantly.
  - Total emissions in 2014 was 901.9 Mt CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent
  - 4.6 % below the level of the year before
- In the transport sector, however, the greenhouse gas emissions **climbed** by 1.2 % to 161 Mt CO<sub>2</sub>, mainly due to the increasing road traffic.
- **Since 2005 there has been almost no progress in the climate balance in the transport field.**

Source: DWV Hydrogen Mirror 2/2016

# The World is Addicted to Poison

## Dieselmotorenkraftstoff

enthält: Brennstoffe, Diesel – nicht spezifiziert



### Gefahr

#### Gefahrenhinweise

- H226 Flüssigkeit und Dampf entzündbar.
- H304 Kann bei Verschlucken und Eindringen in die Atemwege tödlich sein.
- H315 Verursacht Hautreizungen.
- H332 Gesundheitsschädlich beim Einatmen.
- H351 Kann vermutlich Krebs erzeugen.
- H373 Kann die Organe schädigen bei längerer oder wiederholter Exposition.
- H411 Giftig für Wasserorganismen, mit langfristiger Wirkung.

#### Sicherheitshinweise

- P210 Von Hitze/Funken/offener Flamme/ heißen Oberflächen fernhalten. Nicht rauchen.
- P261 Einatmen von Staub/Rauch/Gas/Nebel/Dampf/ Aerosol vermeiden.
- P273 Freisetzung in die Umwelt vermeiden.
- P280 Schutzhandschuhe/Schutzkleidung/Augenschutz/ Gesichtsschutz tragen.
- P301 BEI VERSCHLUCKEN:  
+P310 Sofort GIFTINFORMATIONSZENTRUM oder Arzt anrufen.
- P331 KEIN Erbrechen herbeiführen.



**Health hazard**  
(may cause or suspected of causing serious health effects)



**Exclamation mark**  
(may cause less serious health effects or damage the ozone layer\*)



**Environment\***  
(may cause damage to the aquatic environment)


# “Clean Diesel”: isn't

Factor	Diesel, Gasoline, CNG, LNG, Propane with IC-Engines	Renewable Hydrogen with FC Engines
Harmful Emissions <sub>Tank-to-Wheel</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub> , SO <sub>x</sub> , methane-“slip”, CO, CO <sub>2</sub> , HC’s, Particulates, Soot 75 to 85% heat	<b>None</b> Water, liquid and vapour 50 to 60% heat
Other Point of use Emissions	Adblue (Urea), Engine Additive, Engine Lubricant emissions, brake dust	<b>None</b> Reduced mechanical brake dust due to battery hybrid
Extraction, Refinery , Transport Emissions <sub>Well-to-Tank</sub>	Flares, other refinery emissions, Road spills and slicks, Ocean spills/slicks, Shipping/trucking emissions (see point of use emissions)	<b>None</b> , if transported by pipeline or locally generated
Health Effects <sub>Tank-to-Wheel</sub>	Respiratory illness, Asthma, Cancer, Acid rain, Ozone damage, CO-death Fire and explosion risk	<b>None</b> Lower fire and explosion risk than with fossil-based fuels
Health Effects <sub>Well-to-Tank</sub>	Spills and climate change affects all life, especially aquatic, which includes the human food chain, Military loss of life	<b>None</b>

# The cost verses benefit **must** be seriously considered

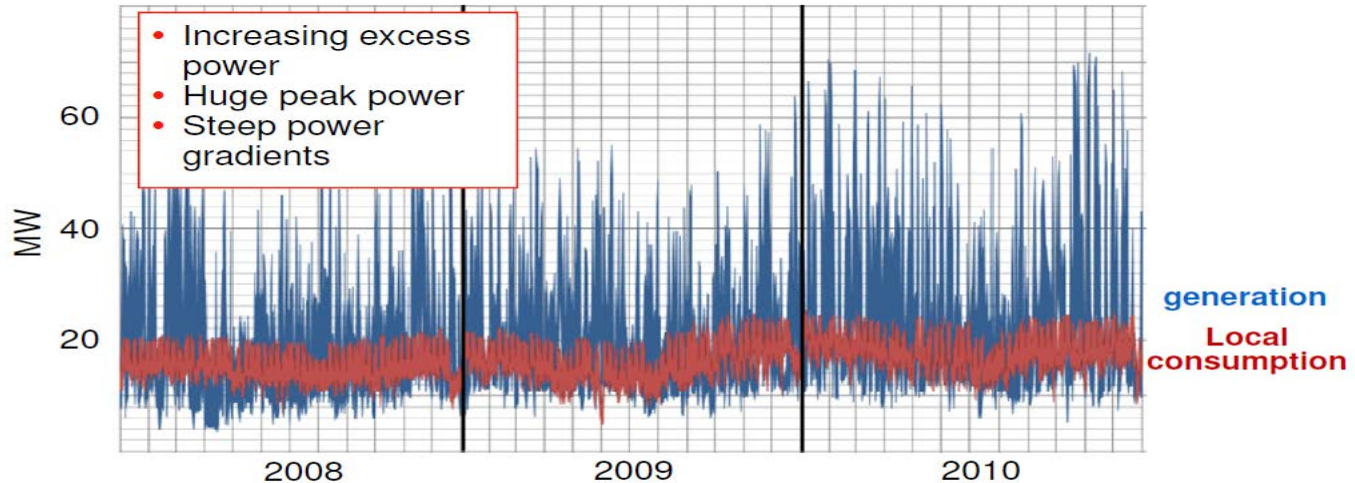
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Harmful Emissions <sub>Tank-to-Wheel</sub>	Carbon trading complexities Carbon capture challenges Blackened buildings Filtration costs Greenhouse climate change	<b>Clean Air</b> <b>Clean Buildings</b> <b>Protected Climate</b> <b>Maintain sea levels</b> <b>Reduced extreme weather events</b>
Other Point of use Emissions	Engine Additive costs	<b>No chemical additives or their emissions</b>
Extraction, Refinery , Transport Emissions <sub>Well-to-Tank</sub>	Environmental disasters Shale gas chemical pollution Oil spill cleanup costs Water purification costs Military Costs	<b>Locally-produced, no imports</b> <b>Sustainable</b> <b>Self-sufficient</b>
Health <sub>Tank-to-Wheel</sub>	Healthcare costs to the state Illness suffering, death - civilian and soldier	<b>Clean Breathing</b> <b>Better Health, less loss of life</b>
Health <sub>Well-to-Tank</sub>	Poisonous if ingested, can cause cancer Animal suffering, Plant and animal extinction	<b>Protected se</b> <b>Clean Water</b> <b>Pure Food</b>

# The cost-benefit must be fully and seriously considered

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# A significant increase in the capture and utilization of renewable energy is **only possible with matching capacity of Energy Storage**

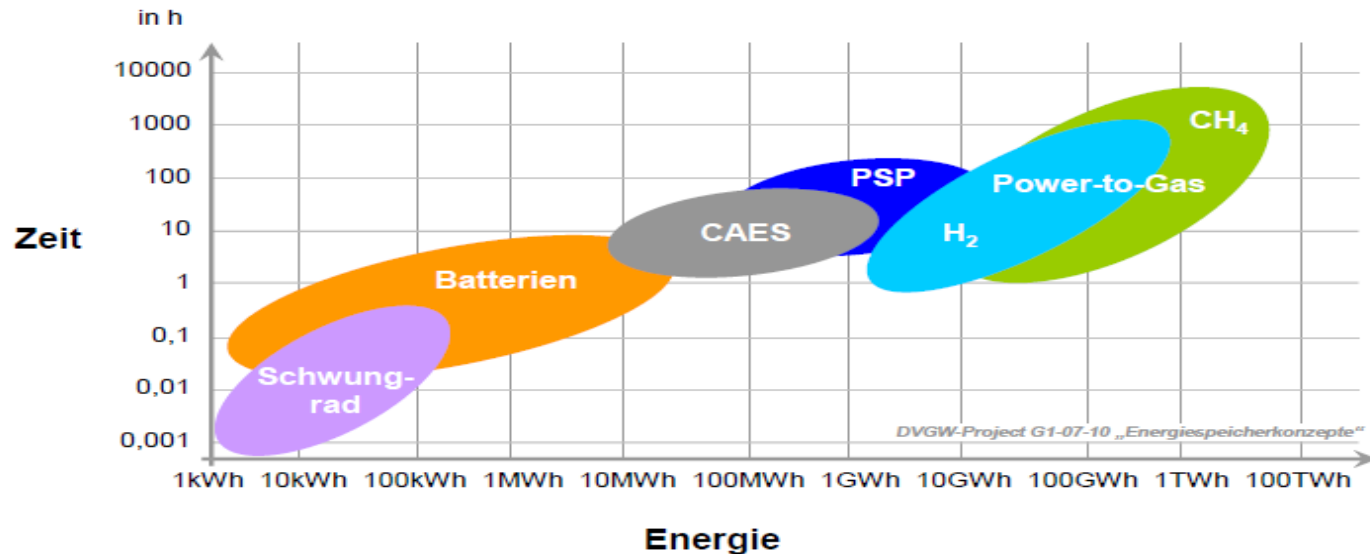
## Falkenhagen Region in Northern Germany



▶ Solution: Storage of excess wind power instead of curtailment.



# The required Energy Storage Capacity while meeting the Emissions targets is only achievable with Hydrogen



# Harnessing and Utilizing Renewable Energy has Severe Limitations

## The Electrical Grid



## Pumped Hydro Electricity Storage

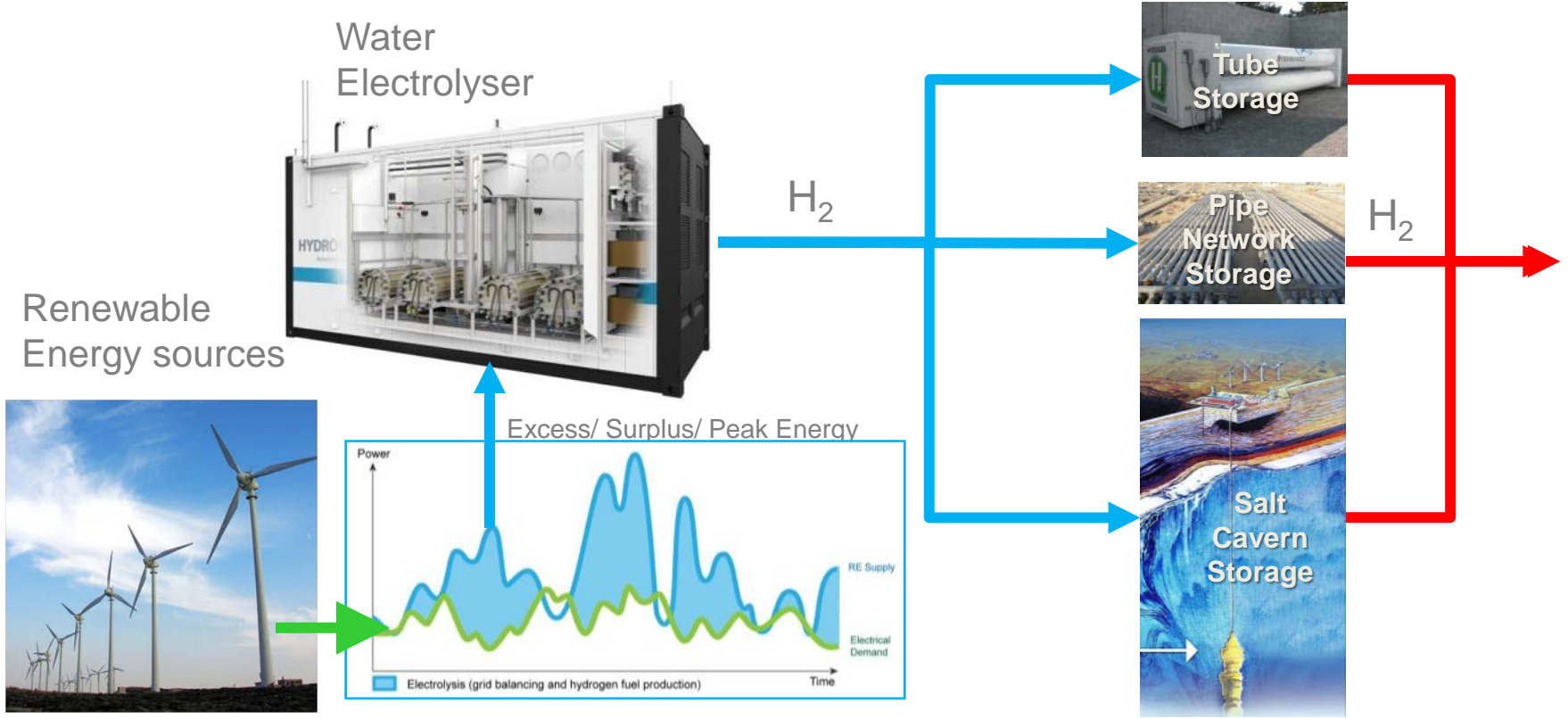


## Battery Capability

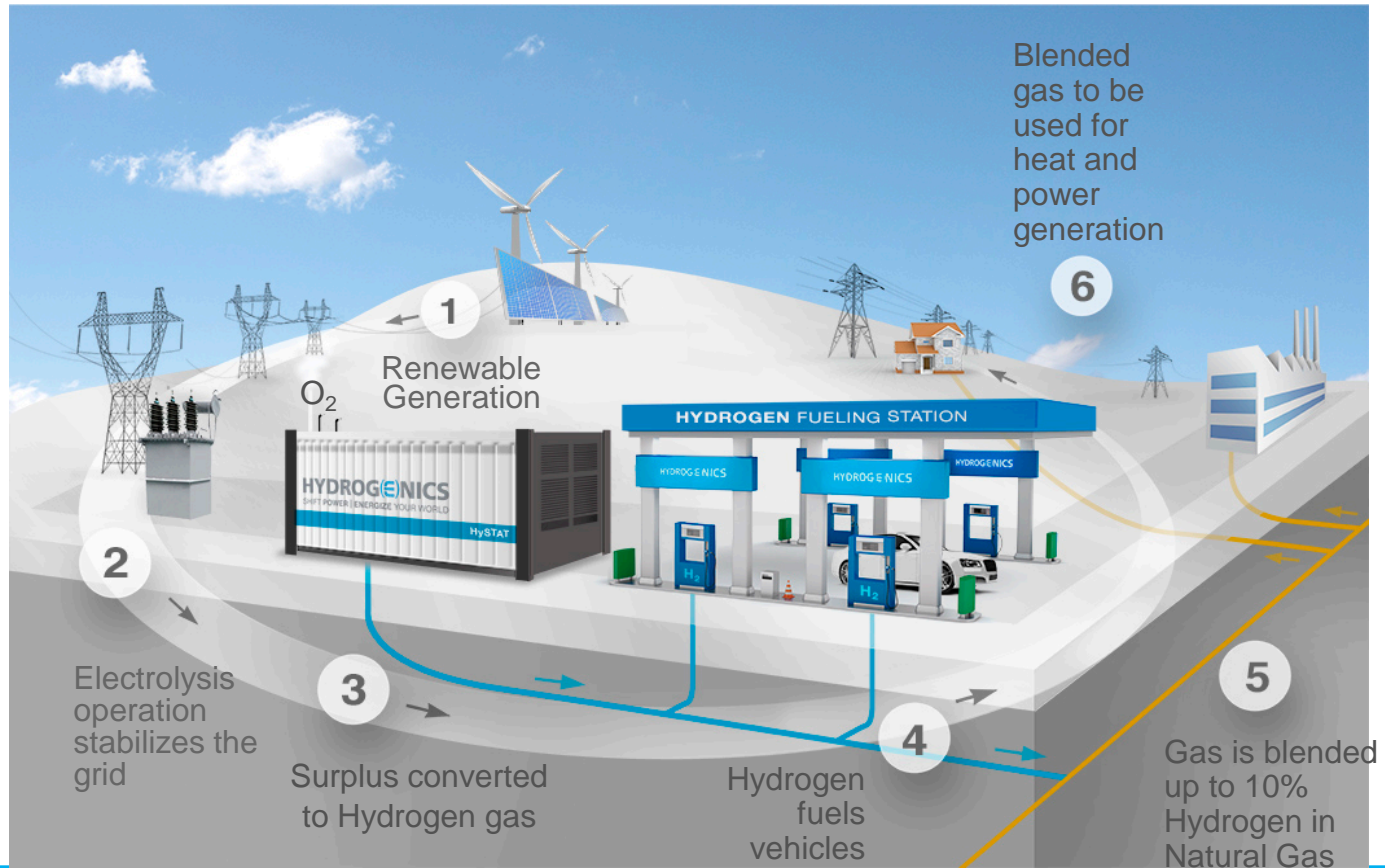


# But Hydrogen can be stored, transported and fueled like any gas

Energy Storage

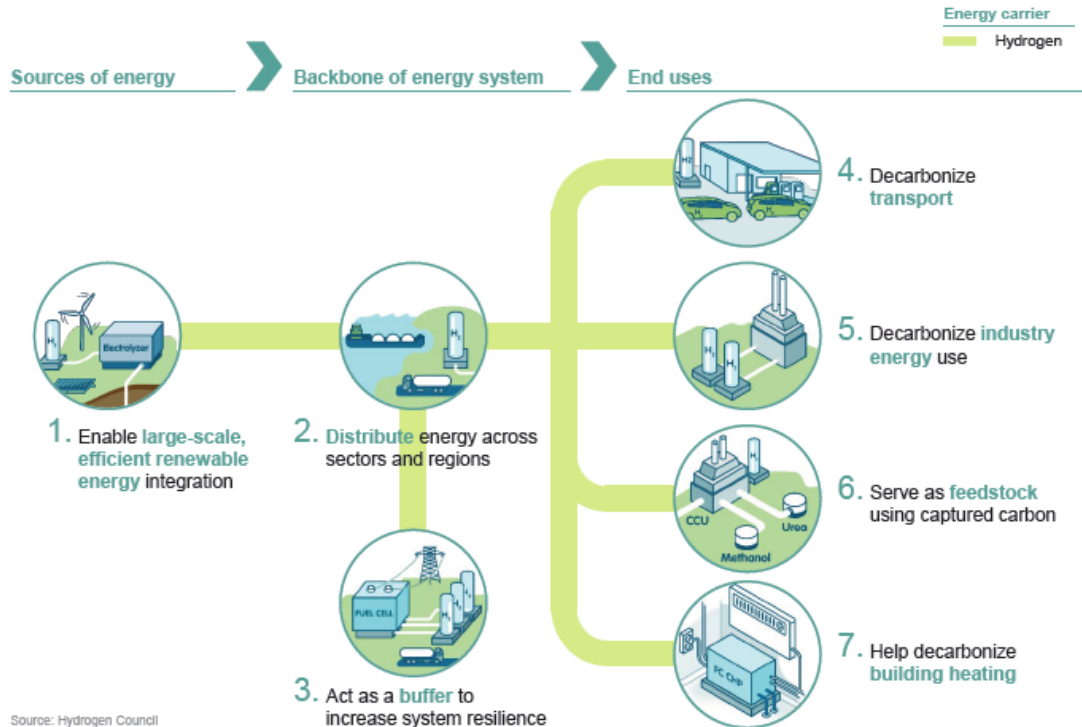


# Surplus hydrogen can overflow to the natural gas grid = **Unlimited Storage**

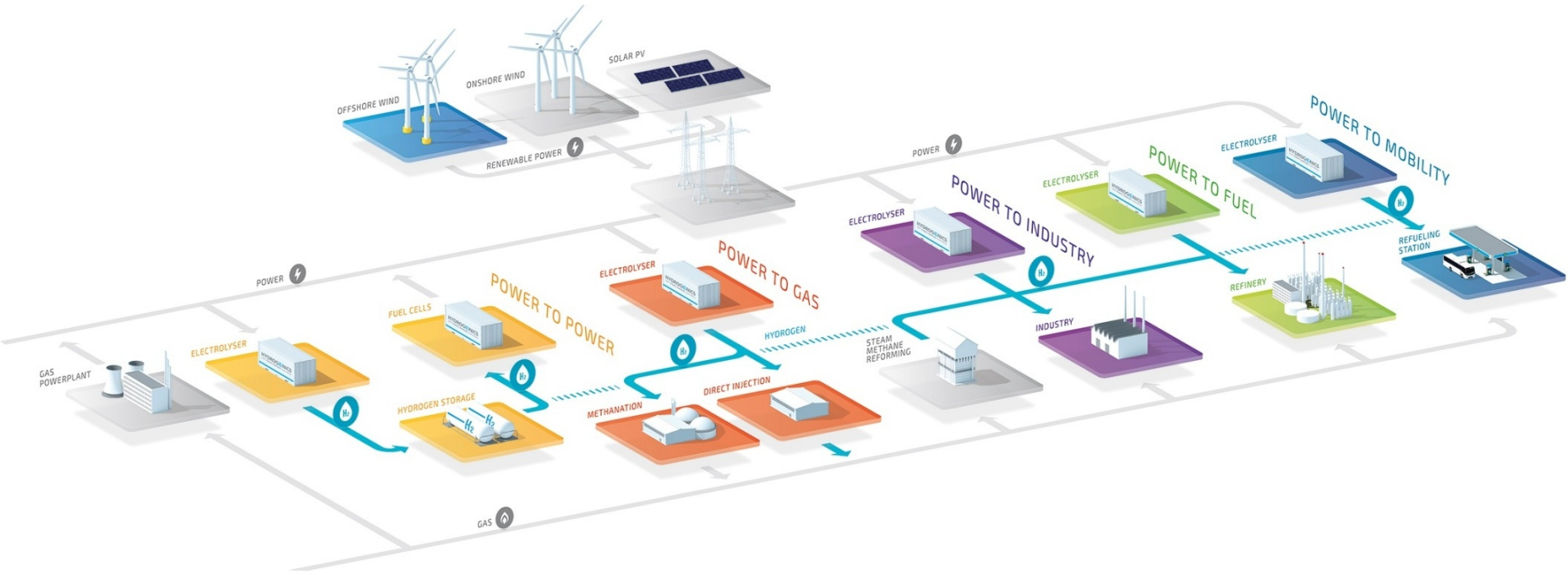


# But there will be no need to store Hydrogen in the natural gas grid

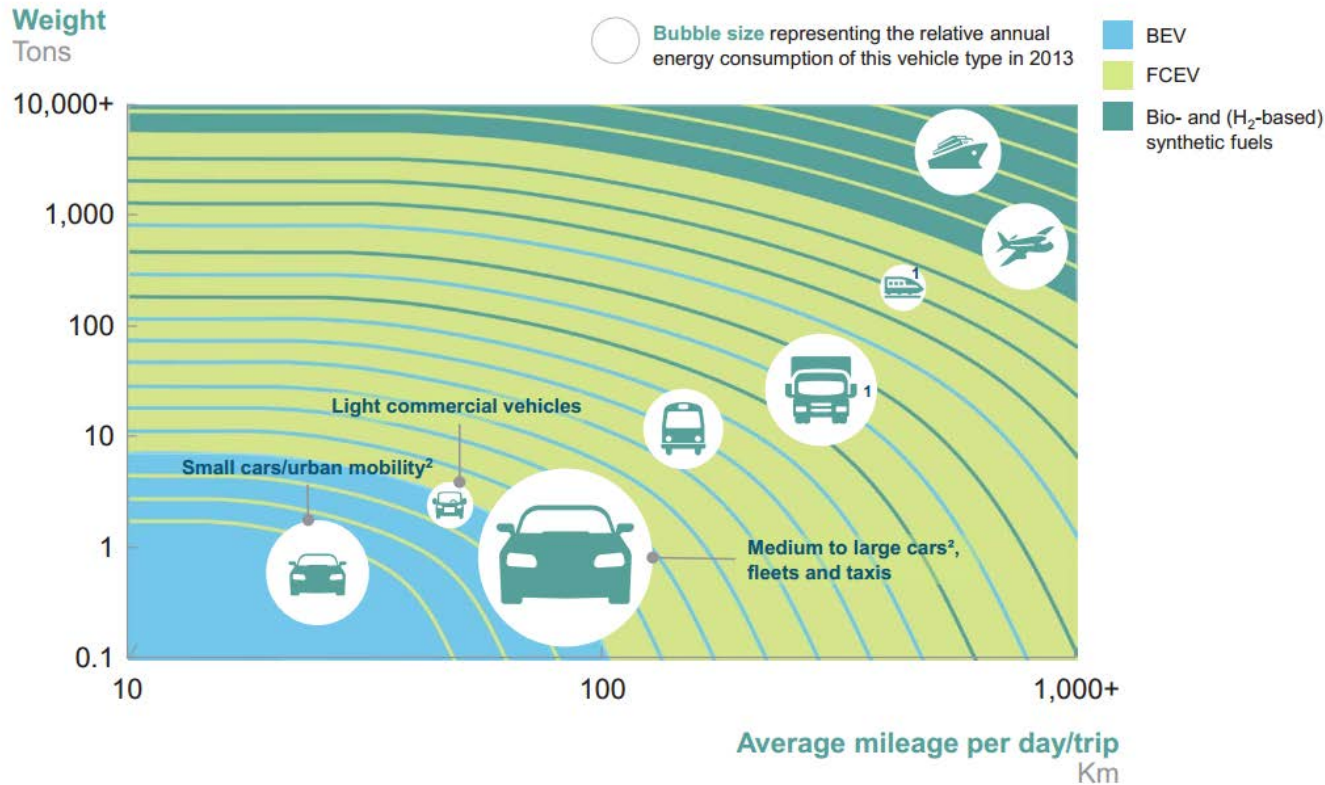
Hydrogen has seven roles in decarbonizing major sectors of the economy



# Renewable hydrogen enables the shift to clean energy



# The Role of FCEVs to Decarbonize Transport



Source: Hydrogen Council, 2017

BMW GROUP DAIMLER ENGIE  
by power for power

THE LINDE GROUP TOTAL TOYOTA

AIR LIQUIDE CRESTAL OXYGEN ALSTOM AngloAmerican

HONDA HYUNDAI Kawasaki Shell

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SHIFT POWER | ENERGIZE YOUR WORLD

# Hydrogen Enables Zero-Emission Transportation

- With approximately 14% of global carbon emissions coming from transportation\*, hydrogen can enable zero-emission transport
- Fuel cell electric vehicles are zero-emission vehicles that only emit water vapour
- Similar to internal combustion vehicles, FCEVs can refuel quickly and drive long distances
- Refueling infrastructure can be built on existing gasoline distribution and retail infrastructure

\*Source: United States Environmental Protection Agency



# Fuel Cell Vehicles are the most flexible zero emission option – Unlike battery-only solutions, they can be operated like diesel vehicles



## High daily ranges

... bus range 300 km on average without refuelling ... **further extension possible, if needed**



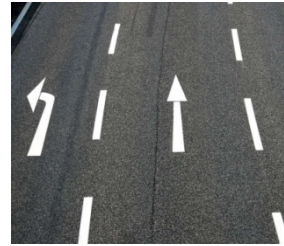
## Performance

... **without compromise**, full payload, gradeability, no performance loss from battery discharge or cold weather



## High passenger comfort

... **uncompromised climate control**, full speed to the destination



## Full route flexibility

... not bound to any required infrastructure on the route – **any route, with any bus, at any time**



## Fast refuelling

... refuel as fast as 7 minutes ... several **full** refuelling cycles per day possible , **no charging queue**



## Technology maturity

... onboard hybrid battery can be managed by the fuel cell for maximum battery performance and lifetime

# Fuel cells can decarbonize urban Transport



# September 2017: Alstom unveils the Coradia iLint at InnoTrans



# Zero-emission hydrogen fuel cell regional trains



- ~ 40% of rail network in Germany is not electrified (operated with diesel)
- Too expensive to electrify all routes
- Increasingly stringent regulations (exhaust emission, noise)
- Expected price increase for diesel
- LOI from 4 German States zero emission passenger trains signed in 2014
- Unveiled at the Innotrans 2016 in Berlin



# Growth in fueling infrastructure to support FCEVs

- Safe and meet SAE and local standards
- Can be located in densely populated urban areas
- Provides clean fuel – 99.999% purity
- Scalable – incremental fueling capacity added as required



130 kg/day (Stuttgart, Germany)



65 kg/day (Santa Monica, CA)

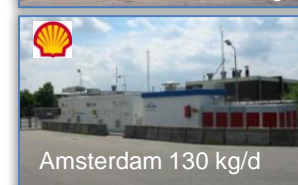
# Hydrogen Fueling for European FC Bus Fleets

11 of 13 electrolyzer FC Bus fueling stations with HySTAT by Hydrogenics



CUTE	HYFLEET	CHIC	HiVLOCITY	HyTransit
Reykjavik	→ Reykjavik	Bolzano	Aberdeen	Aberdeen 2
Amsterdam	→ Amsterdam	Aargau	San Remo*	
Porto		Hamburg	* delivered	
Barcelona	→ Barcelona	Oslo		
Hamburg	→ Hamburg			
Stockholm				

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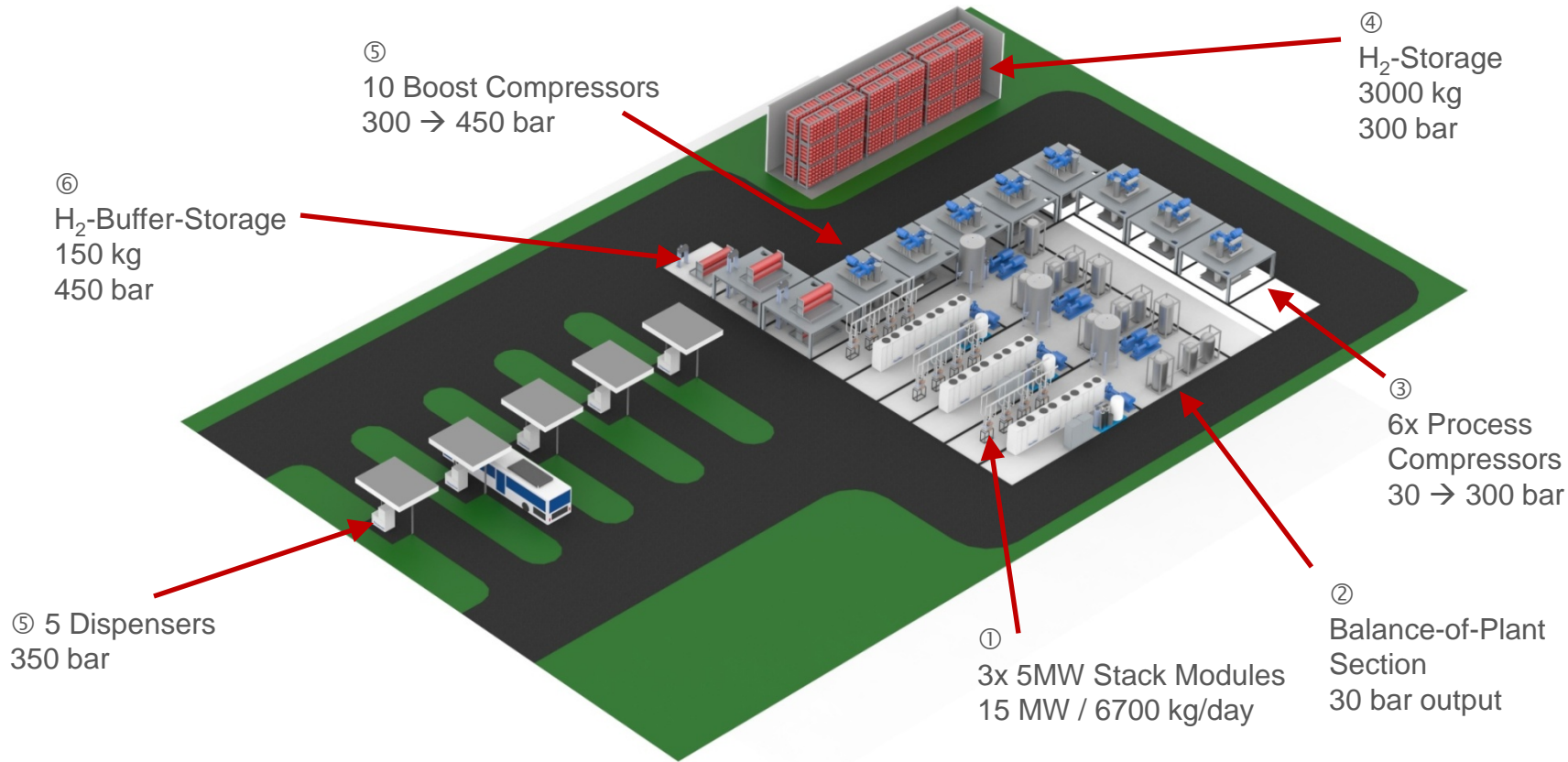


# Electrolyzer Hydrogen Refueling Station

15 MW = 3 100 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h = 280 kg/h  
= **6 700 kg/24h**  
= 300 FC Buses/day  
= 30...45 FC Trains/day



# PEM Electrolysis HRS – Capacity for 300 Buses or > 30 Trains



# Hydrogen Fueling Comparison



	Unit	Personal Automobiles	Transit Buses
Average Distance	km/ day	~ 50	~ 250 ... 300
Average Driving time	h/day	~ 1	~ 12 ... 16
Station quantity and size		Many, small	Few, large
Station distribution		Wide, dispersed	1 per fleet hub
Vehicle fuel consumption	kg H <sub>2</sub> /100km	0.8 ... 1	7 ... 8
Amount fueled per fill	kg H <sub>2</sub> /fueling	4 ... 6	20 ... 30
Frequency of fueling	# days	every 7 ... 10 days	every day
Days of operation	days/year	250	360
Fuel consumption annual	kg H <sub>2</sub> /year/vehicle	150 ... 200	7000 ... 10000

*For a station economics, fueling buses is more attractive than cars*

# Onsite Generated Hydrogen Fueling Station Comparison

## Cars



3...30 cars/day  
= 130 kg H<sub>2</sub>/24h = 60 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h = 5.4 kg H<sub>2</sub>/h  
= 300 kW

Utilization highly variable  
→ **Low Economy of Scale**

## Buses



300 buses/day  
= 6 700 kg H<sub>2</sub>/24h = 3 100 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h = 280 kg H<sub>2</sub>/h  
= 15 MW

Exactly known & plannable  
→ **High Economy of Scale**

# Over 35 Power-to-X demonstrations running in Europe

- Power-to-X Applications
  - Direct Injection
  - H2 Fueling
  - Biogas Methanation
  - Industrial H2 Feed
- Only 5 of these projects are 1MW or larger
- Commercial Scale projects will be 20MW, 40MW, 50MW and up to 100MW



# Renewable hydrogen is the key enabler of the clean energy economy



Fixed fuel cost  
for the operating  
life of the  
equipment!

**100% Fossil Fuel:**  
Imported energy  
Polluting emissions  
Fuel expense dictates cost

Uncontrollable

**100% Renewable:**  
Fully self-sufficient  
Zero-emissions  
CapEx defines cost

Bankable

# Renewable hydrogen is the key enabler of the clean energy economy

- Only renewable hydrogen can handle the scale needed
- It becomes economically viable at scale
- It offers multiple value propositions
- It solves the cost impact of the intermittency of renewable energy sources
  
- And a final point: nothing to develop... just deploy



# Shifting Power Across Industries Around the World



Our raw materials, water & renewable power are

**infinite!**

2,000+  
fuel cell sites

> \$50 M USD multi-year fuel cell contract with leading rail OEM

> \$90M USD multi-year fuel cell contract with hi-tech mobility OEM

1 single focus:  
**hydrogen solutions**

## HYDROGENICS

> \$100 M USD order backlog (YE 2016)

Publicly traded

500+  
electrolysis plants in operation

NASDAQ (HYGS) and TSX (HYG) since 1995

**Global leader**  
in 2 main hydrogen technologies: electrolysis and fuel cells

65+  
years  
of experience

Leading PEM Stack & System Technology Innovator

> 55 H2 Fueling Stations with Hydrogenics electrolyzers worldwide

1,500+  
electrolysis plants sold since 1948

# Our Principal Product Lines

## HyPM™ and CELERITY™ PEM Fuel Cell Power Modules and Systems for Mobility

- World leading feature list, innovation and product line maturity
- Variants customized to any requirements



## HyPM™ Fuel Cell Power Modules and HyPM™-R FC Racks Systems for Critical Power

- World leading feature list, innovation and product line maturity
- Unlimited scalability



## HySTAT™ Alkaline Electrolyzer Plants for Industrial, Hydrogen, Energy Storage and Fueling

- World leading market share
- The industrial standard



## HyLYZER™ PEM Electrolyzer Plants for Energy Storage and Fueling

- 3 MW in a single stack
- World leading power density
- Scalable to 50 MW, 100 MW



# Established Leader, Established Technology

## Alstom, Germany

- World's first commercial contract for hydrogen fuel cell trains
- 10-year agreement, contract value > €50M



ALSTOM

## ASKO, Trondheim, Norway

- Norway's largest grocery wholesaler
- Trucks of 27 tons
- Supplying **four (4) complete** HyPM™ HD90-based fuel cell power **systems** including H2 storage, power electronics and controls



## Uniper (e-on), Germany

- MW-scale Power to Gas facilities in Germany
- Wind power and Hydrogenics' electrolysis equipment to transform water into hydrogen



## Fuel Cell Buses, China

- Certified Integration Partner Program
- Agreements with **multiple strategic partners for thousands of fuel cell buses** throughout China



YIXING 沂星电动汽车  
YIXING ELECTRIC AUTO

亿华通  
SinoHytec

# [Renewable] hydrogen

## Selection of recent demonstration projects



Country	Project	Size	Year	Electrolyser technology	Power	Gas	Industry	Mobility	Fuel
Thailand	EGAT	1.2 MW + 500 kW FC	2017	PEM	•				
Canada	Embridge P2G	2 MW	2017	PEM		•			
Germany	MefCO2	1 MW	2017	PEM					•
Denmark	HyBalance	1.2 MW	2017	PEM			•	•	
UK	Levenmouth	370 kW + 100 kW FC	2016	Alkaline + PEM	•			•	
Denmark	BioCat	1 MW	2016	Alkaline		•			
Italy	Ingrid	1 MW	2016	Alkaline	•	•	•		
UK	Aberdeen	1 MW	2016	Alkaline				•	
Germany	WindGas Reitbrook	1.5 MW	2015	PEM		•			
Canada	Raglan Copper mine	350 kW + 200 kW FC	2015	Alkaline	•				
Belgium	DonQuichote	150 kW	2015	Alkaline + PEM	•			•	
Germany	WindGas Falkenhagen	2 MW	2014	Alkaline		•			

### Main conclusions from these projects:

1. Hydrogen **technologies work fine** and deliver according to expectations.
2. There is still room for further technical improvement but **no technology breakthrough is expected**.
3. There is a important potential for further **cost reduction**: going from project manufacturing to product manufacturing
4. Energy **regulatory framework is not suited** for these applications and **business operation** of these projects **remains very challenging**