



# Hydrogen on the International Stage

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# Today's presenter

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# About Future Fuels Cooperative Research Centre

Long term, industry-led collaboration between 100 industry, all State governments and six academic organisations, co-funded by the National Government



# Action orientated, industry led, applied research

Trusted voice of evidenced-based knowledge

100 projects and over 50 PhD and Masters scholarships covering:

- **Future Fuel Technologies, Systems and Markets**
- **Social Acceptance, Public Safety, Security of Supply and Policy & Regulatory Changes**
- **Network Lifecycle Management**

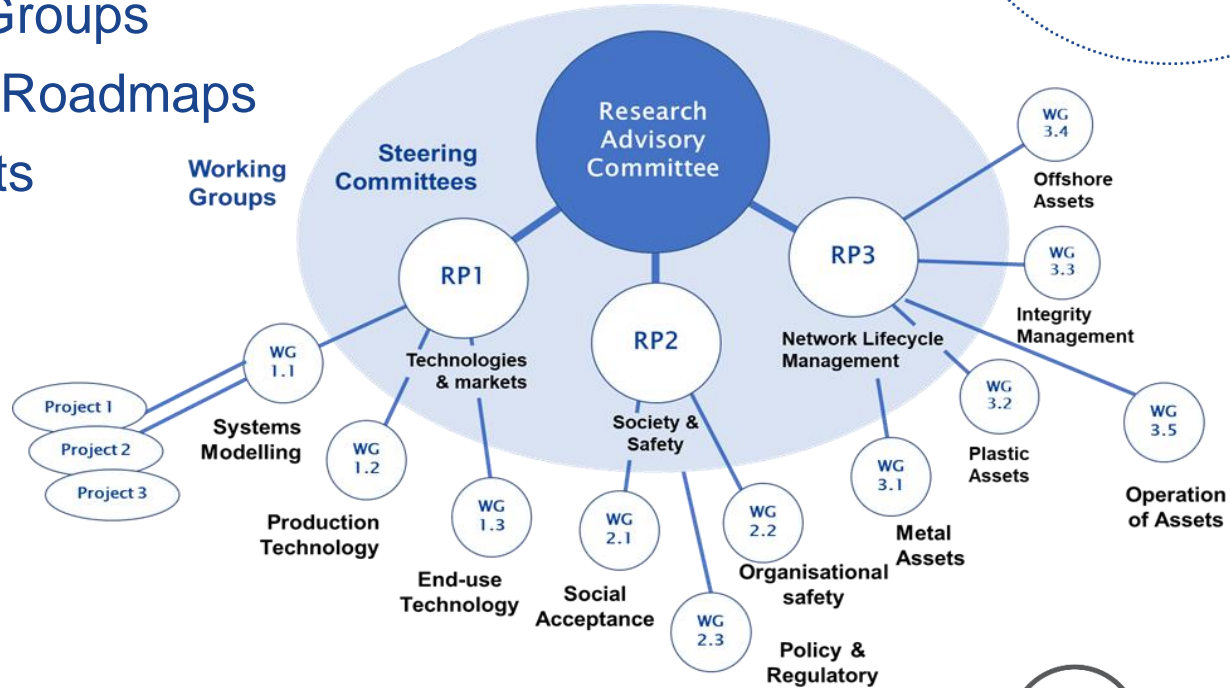
# Research Management Structure

10 Focused Working Groups

10 Detailed Research Roadmaps

210 Industry Specialists

150 Researchers

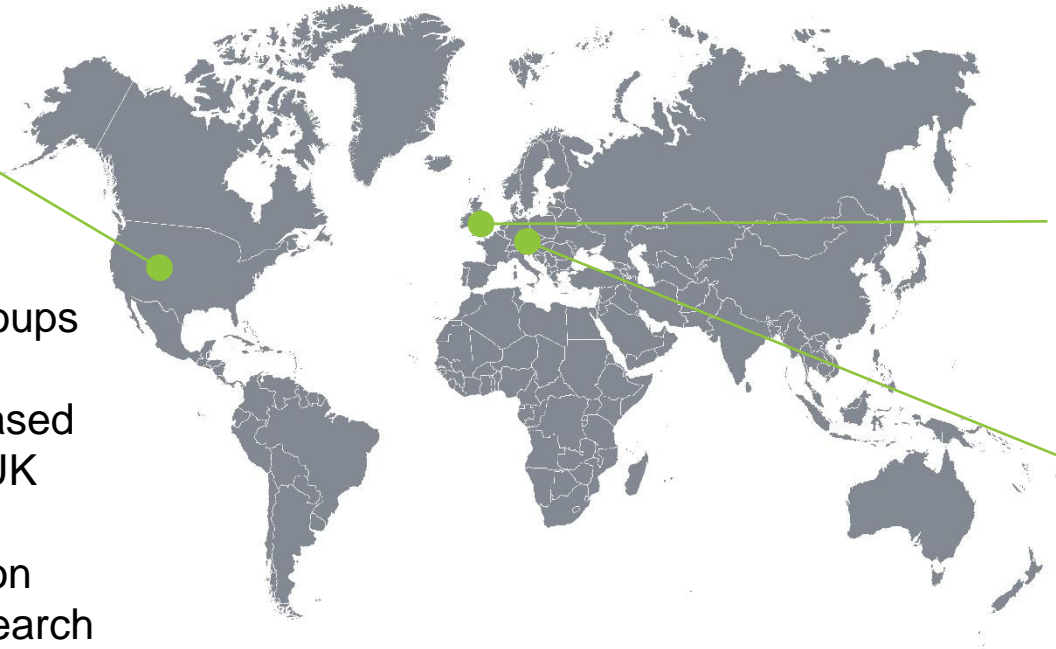


# Our regular international linkages

with other infrastructure related research organisations



- Working Groups monthly
- Evidence based projects in UK and Europe
- Expanding on 20-year research relationships



# Europe



European  
Commission

- Previous H<sub>2</sub> target: 'Fit for 55', H<sub>2</sub> less than 5 MTpa by 2030.
- New 'REPowerEU' H<sub>2</sub> target: 10MTpa production and 10MTpa imports of renewable H<sub>2</sub> by 2030.
- Sustainable biomethane production: from current 3bcm to 35 bcm by 2030.
- €3bn Innovation Fund including Hydrogen technology
- Renewable Energy Directive (RED) - including green hydrogen
- Important Projects of Common European Interest – €10bn
- European Hydrogen Bank creation – September 2022 - €3bn

# Europe - Shell Netherlands

200MW electrolyser  
in the port of  
Rotterdam

60 tonnes of  
renewable hydrogen  
per day





# Europe - Manufacturing

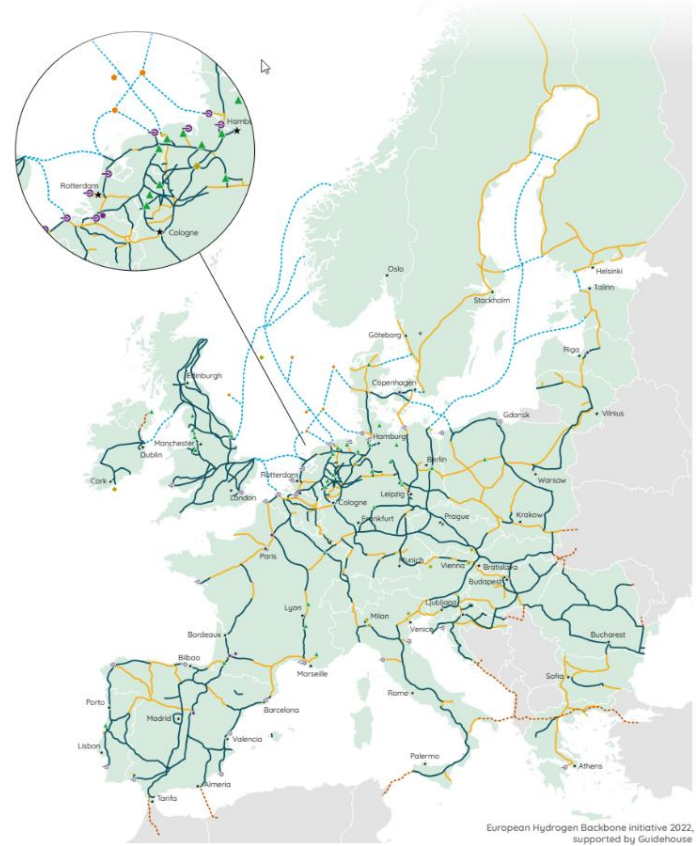
In addition to ITM Power, NEL, Siemens and Thyssenkrupp, now Topsoe has taken FID on new manufacturing facility in Denmark with a total capacity of 500 megawatt per year by 2023, with the option to expand to 5 gigawatt per year.

Efficiencies above 90% using proprietary solid oxide electrolysers

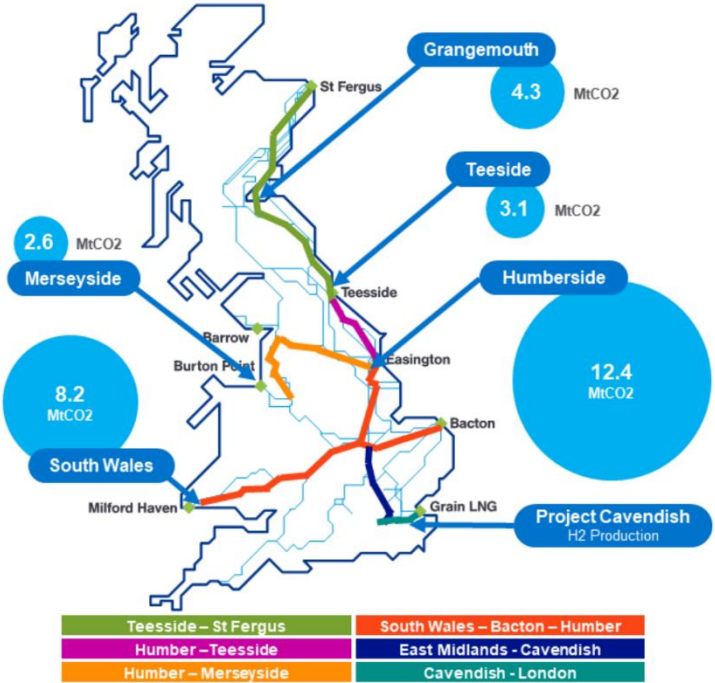


# Europe - Hydrogen Backbone transmission

- 31 gas infrastructure companies
- 53,000 km of hydrogen transmission by 2040
- Sep 2022 – accelerated plan with advanced planning focussed on developing infrastructure in Spain, Belgium, Slovakia, Czechia and Hungary



# UK - HyNTS FutureGrid



Source <https://www.nationalgrid.com/gas-transmission/insight-and-innovation/transmission-innovation/futuregrid>



# UK - FutureGrid

## HyNTS FutureGrid Phase 1 Overview

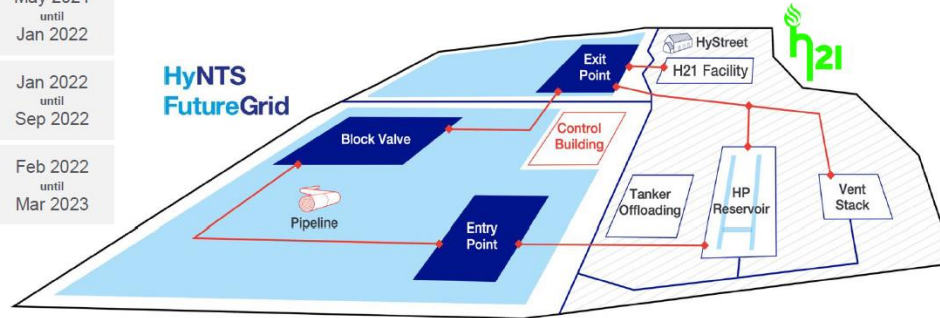
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This ambitious programme seeks to build a hydrogen test facility from decommissioned assets at DNV GL Spadeadam to demonstrate the National Transmission System (NTS) can transport hydrogen.

The project will be delivered in three phases:

Phase <b>1a</b>	Offline Facility Build	May 2021 until Jan 2022
Phase <b>1b</b>	NTS Asset Testing	Jan 2022 until Sep 2022
Phase <b>1c</b>	Safety & Risk Impact	Feb 2022 until Mar 2023

The FutureGrid test facility will connect to the existing H21 distribution facility creating a representative UK Hydrogen Testing and Training Facility:



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Project Partners:



# UK - FutureGrid

## HyNTS FutureGrid 1b: NTS Asset Testing

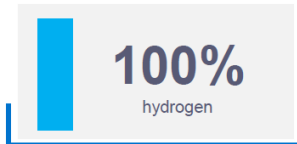
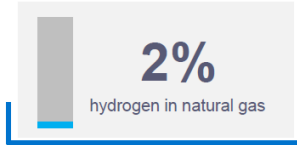
Phase 1a  
Offline Test  
Facility Build

Phase 1b  
NTS Asset  
Testing

Phase 1c  
Safety & Risk  
Assessment

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Three concentrations of hydrogen will be tested:



The main steps for Phase 1b are:



Operate the FutureGrid test facility for 6-12 months across 2% 20% and 100% hydrogen, following the detailed Master Test Plan developed under the FutureGrid NIA project.



Review and evaluate the test results utilising the research from Fluxys with the Fast Screening Methodology allowing for the extrapolation of results across the NTS.



Validate flow parameters such as gas velocities, pressures, energy delivery and other operating parameters for the 3 concentrations of hydrogen.

# UK – other demonstration programs



# US – Inflation Reduction Act

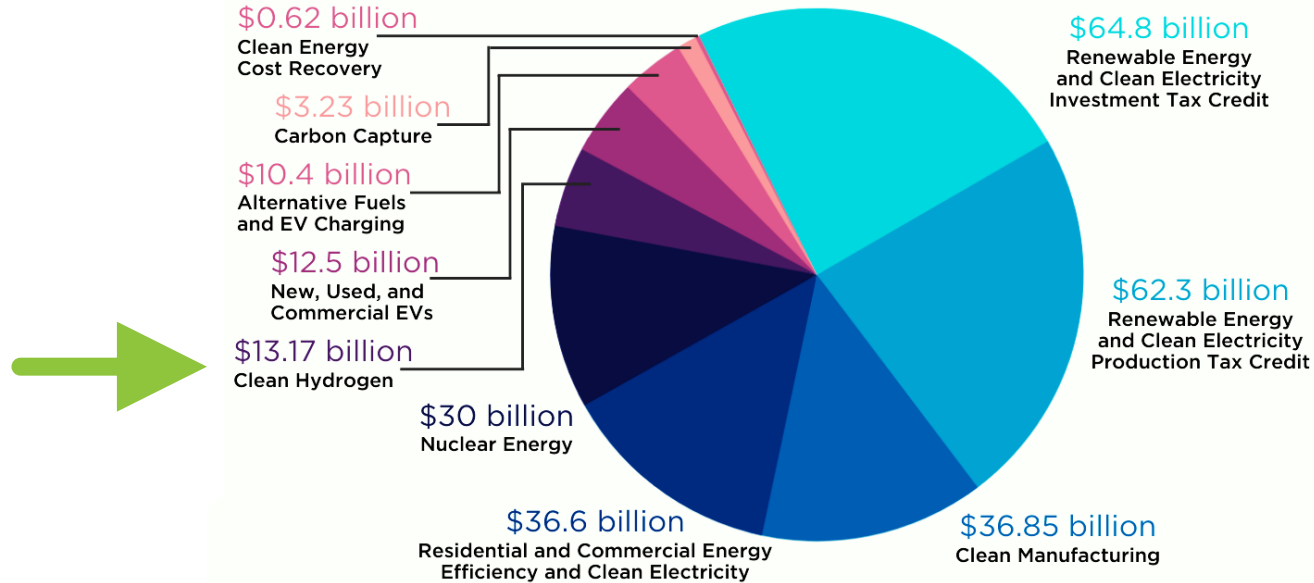
**Earthshots Initiative** – US\$1 per kg in one decade

**Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act** - hubs, supply chain support, electrolyser hydrogen production cost reduction programs

## **Inflation Reduction Act**

- Four regional clean hydrogen hubs (US\$8bn in FY22-26)
- Demonstration, commercialisation and deployment program (US\$1 billion in FY22-26)
- Tax credit for production of “qualified clean hydrogen” set at US\$0.60 per kg but increases to \$3.00 per kg when the hydrogen’s lifecycle carbon intensity measures less than 0.45 kg of CO<sub>2</sub>e per kg of H<sub>2</sub>

# US - Inflation Reduction Act



Source: Congressional Budget Office

Graphic by: Alison Davis



# China

**Medium and Long-Term Plan for the Development of Hydrogen Energy Industry (2021-2035)** now targets 100 - 200 thousand tonnes of green hydrogen by 2025

**Ningxia Baofeng Energy Group** in Ningxia has commissioned a 150MW alkaline electrolyser powered by a 200MW solar array

**Sinopec** has begun construction of a 260MW alkaline electrolyser facility in Xinjiang by 2023.

# Japan and South Korea

## Japan

- Hydrogen supply chain fund allocation 270 billion Yen (US\$2.4bn)
- Generation of green hydrogen projects fund allocation 70 billion yen (US\$640bn)

## South Korea

- Government funding at around US\$700 million (40% higher than FY 2020) with reports of other support for mobility applications
- Korea H2 Business Summit announces a 500 billion Won fund (US\$383 million) to promote hydrogen infrastructure across the value chain

# Singapore – new entrant

- Small scale commercial projects
- Research and development work to advance hydrogen technologies through collaborations between academia and industry
- Guarantee of Origin certification methodologies
- Develop the land and infrastructure plans
- Workforce training

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# Interim findings from a groundbreaking study



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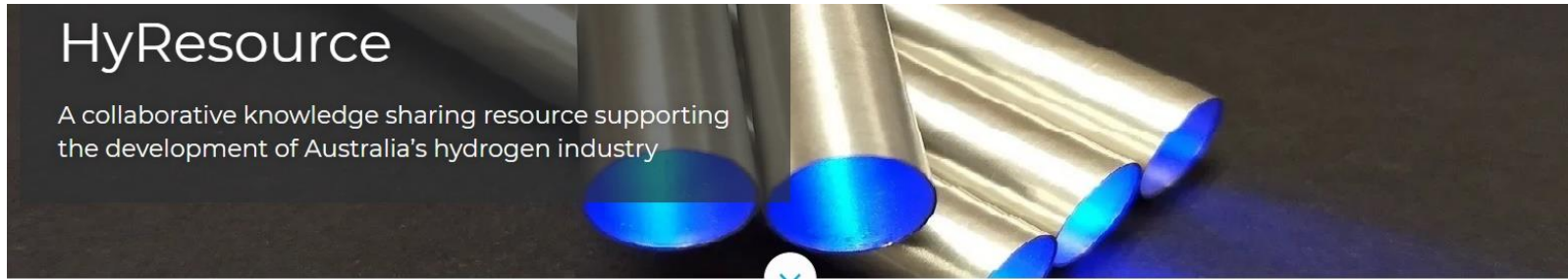


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