## **Barriers to scaling heavy duty hydrogen infrastructure**

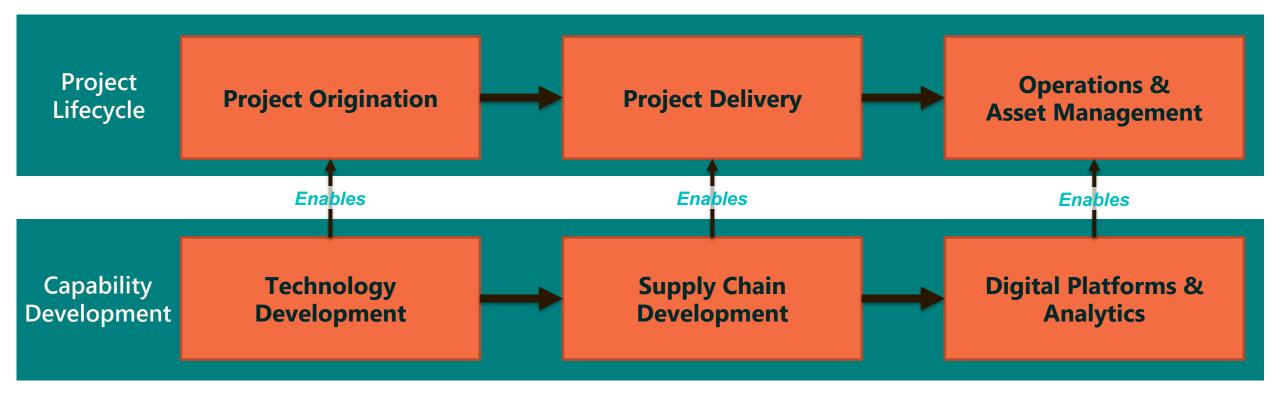
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# The unseen barrier: Bankable hydrogen mobility projects and supply chain development are highly interdependent





#### **Defining Heavy Duty Mobility**

20-35 kg tanks 15-35 kg daily consumption 35 MPa refuel rates depend on cycle times



50-80 kg tanks 30-70 kg daily consumption 35-70 MPa 8 kg/min refuel rates



**Heavy Duty** 

300-500 kg tanks 800-1200 kg daily consumption 35-70 MPa 15 kg/min refuel rates



**Ultra Heavy Duty** 

Medium Duty

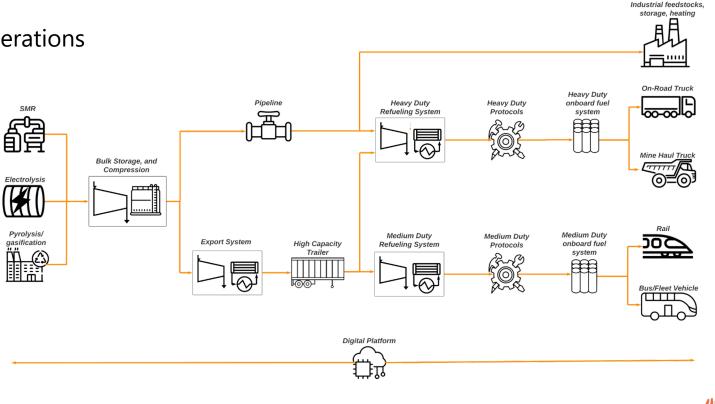
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#### H2 technology needs scaling for HD & UHD

Supply Chain Element	Current State Of The Art	Required for Scaled Deployment	
Refueling Stations (70 Mpa)	1-2 HD truck per hour, with long recovery periods	<ul> <li>5-10 HD truck per hour, back to back fill</li> <li>2 UHD vehicles per hour, back to back fill</li> </ul>	
Refueling Protocols	<ul> <li>3 kg/min @ 35 MPa best available</li> <li>Early prototypes for 3-5 kg/min @ 70 MPa in controlled environments</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>For HD: 10 kg/min @ 70 MPa, 100 kg tanks</li> <li>For UHD: 15 kg/min @ 70 MPa, 500 kg tanks</li> </ul>	
Export Compression	<ul> <li>25 kg/h @ 65 MPa</li> <li>50 kg/h @ 45 MPa</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2500 kg/h @ 65 MPa (trailer export)</li> <li>4500 kg/h @ 10 Mpa (pipeline export)</li> </ul>	
GH2 Trailers	1100 kg capacity @ 500 bar ~1.5-1.8 million USD per trailer	1500 kg capacity @ 550+bar 60% cost reduction	
Liquefiers	80-100% turndown capability 11,000,000 USD/TPD 13-15 kWh/kg	0-100% turndown 50% cost reduction <8 kWh/kg	
Refueling components	60 g/s @ 70 Mpa, -40C 120 g/s @ 35 Mpa, -10C	For HD: 180 g/s @ 70 MPa, -40C For UHD: 250 g/s @ 70 MPa, -40C	
Chilling	30-50 kW @ -40C	300 kW @ -40C for GH2 refueling stations 600-800 kW @ -20C for GH2 trailer export systems	
Transfer losses	LH2: 10-20% loss GH2: 5-10% loss	<3 %	

#### **Other barriers to scaling**

Barrier Options to enable growth		
Limited access to hydrogen experience	<ul> <li>Investment in talent engines</li> <li>Attract talent from other technology industries such as high tech, biotech, automotive, oil and gas.</li> </ul>	
Lack of firm hydrogen demand	<ul> <li>Demand, H2 production &amp; infrastructure/operations integrated deals</li> <li>Cheaper and available vehicles!!!</li> </ul>	
Products are unreliable, cost too much, and not fit for purpose	<ul> <li>Investment in continuous improvement ecosystems</li> <li>Investment in higher capacity products</li> </ul>	
Poor asset management & maintenance	<ul> <li>Digital operations &amp; training</li> <li>Reliability growth programs, analytics engines</li> </ul>	
Incumbents have a vertical integration business model	<ul> <li>Decouple technology access from molecule supply</li> <li>Differentiate from the merchant gas, or capitalized lease models of IGCs</li> </ul>	
Technical standardization is low	Tightly couple lighthouse commercial project needs and schedules to standards committee agendas	
Supply Chains are commercially weak and not integrated	<ul> <li>Move from transactional procurement to open technology ecosystems</li> <li>Move away from focus on individual technologies to the supply chain as a product</li> </ul>	



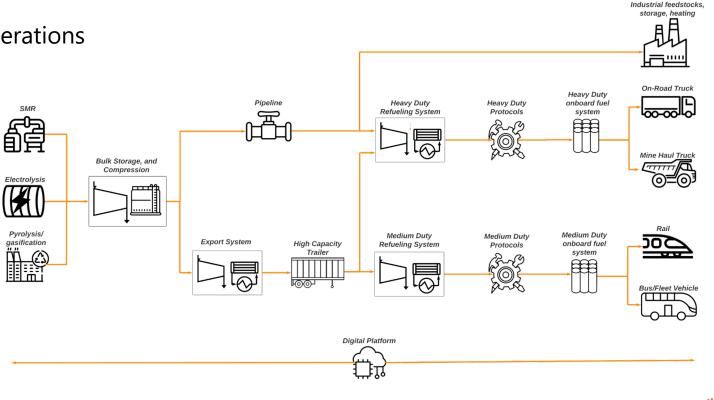
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