**GREEN HYDROGEN: CLEANER AND ZERO EMISSION FUEL** FOR A SUSTAINABLE GREEN ECONOMY

## **Green Hydrogen: Today's Status and Tomorrow's Challenges**

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## **GREEN HYDROGEN** is hydrogen produced by splitting water from electrolysis using excess renewable electricity









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### Green Hydrogen is Key to Decarbonizing Major Sectors of our Economy

- 1. Integration of renewable energy systems
- 2. Distribute energy across sectors: Sector Coupling
- 3. Increase energy system resilience
- 4. Decarbonize transport
- 5. Decarbonize industry
- 6. Decarbonize building heating





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## Green Hydrogen Energy System

### Hydrogen storage tank

Hydrogen can be stored in large amounts for extended periods of time

### Green hydrogen produced by electrolysis using low-cost renewable excess electricity, Fuel cell then stored, and later converted back to electricity on-demand using fuel cells results in reliable energy at grid scale.









### 'Blue' Hydrogen production

Hydrogen today is predominantly made by conventional SMR of natural gas - as of 2018, around 95% of global hydrogen produced from fossil fuels by steam reforming natural gas.

To be "blue", carbon emitting hydrogen production must be coupled with Carbon Capture and Storage (CCS) to capture CO2 from the fluegas.

The CCS process can double the overall cost of the plant. Generally seen as:

- more scalable as the industry expands

'Green' Hydrogen production

There are two main types of electrolysers:

- alkaline electrolysis cells (AEC) – been available for many years, based on current technology generally lower CAPEX but higher OPEX cost than PEMs

- polymer electrolyte membrane (PEM)

- easier to supply to industrial clusters that need to decarbonise quickly

Today, worldwide electrolyser capacity is 20-25GW.

### Energy vector

Hydrogen can be used to store and move renewable energy production from where it can be generated at very low cost to demand centres where it can be monetised – to overcome intermittency and excess supply of renewable power generation

### Blending with the grid

Hydrogen can be blended with natural gas and transported on national gas grids

- there are existing infrastructure and markets to facilitate this
- hydrogen has 1/3 of thermal value so costs involved in switching equipment and reinforcing infrastructure

### Ammonia conversion

Hydrogen can also be converted to ammonia for distribution, then converted back to hydrogen at destination

### **Dedicated hydrogen networks**

Government support will be required to build dedicated hydrogen networks.







### Scaling Up – How do we get there?







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## Is Green Hydrogen reshaping the rule of the game?

# When and where could Green Hydrogen become cheaper than blue hydrogen?

Source: Green Hydrogen to Start Undercutting Blue by Mid-2020s, Bloomberg New Energy Finance, London





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Argentina

Chile

Jordan

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## Changing Role of Green Hydrogen in Today's World

## Geopolitics and Geoeconomics loom large in Today's World.

### The current events will continue to establish new global

## relationships facilitating policies for energy transitions.





## **Challenges of the Energy Trilemma**

## SUSTAINABILITY SECURITY AFFORDABILITY

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