



**FUEL CELLS AND HYDROGEN**  
JOINT UNDERTAKING

***FCH-JU: role of  
hydrogen in circular  
energy waste;  
few examples***



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# Strong public-private partnership with a focused objective

A combined private-public of 1.85 billion Euro has been invested to bring products to market readiness by 2020



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**Industry grouping**  
>150 members  
50% SME

**European Commission**

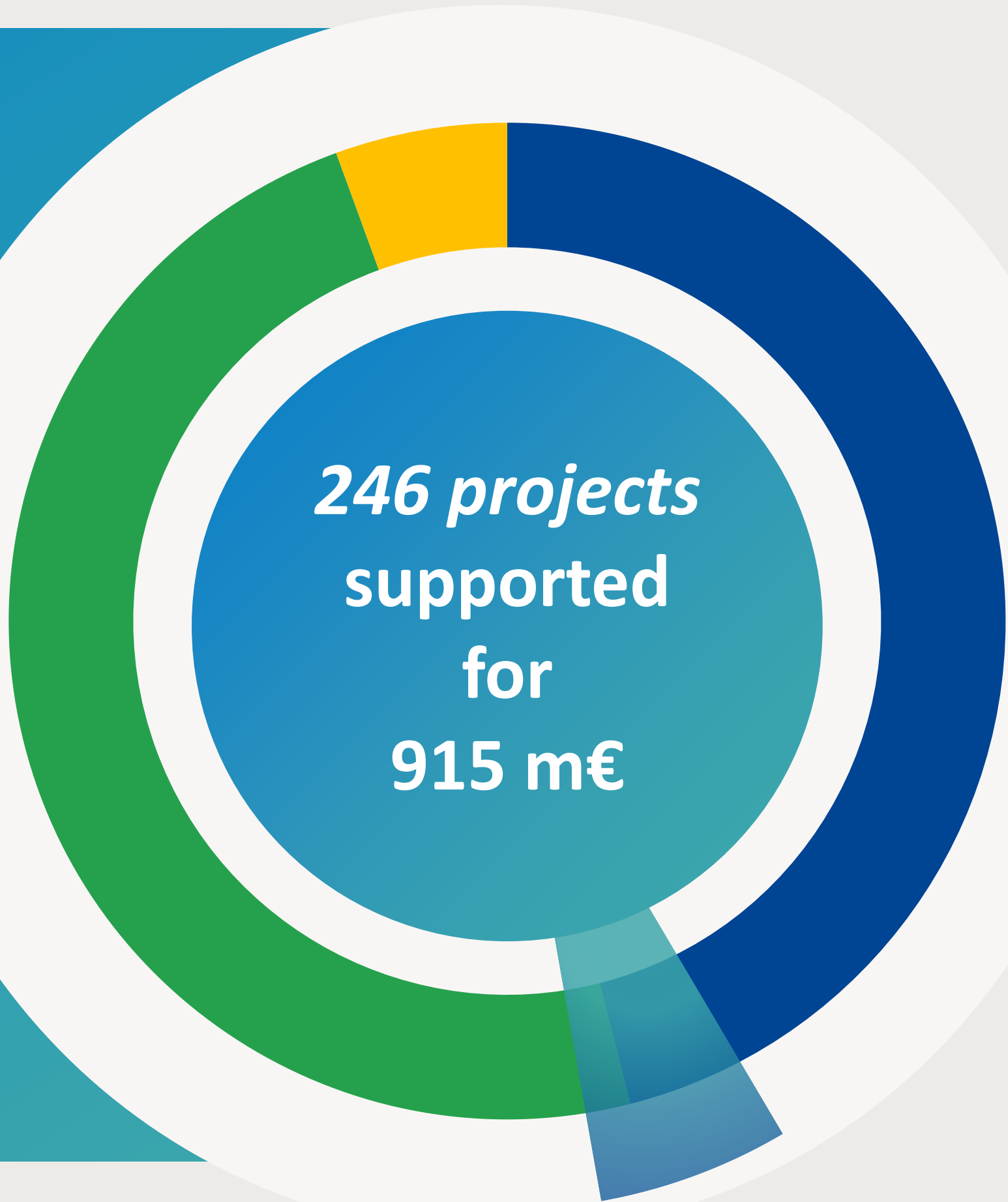
**Research grouping**  
72 members



**Energy**  
H<sub>2</sub> production and distribution  
H<sub>2</sub> storage  
F/C for CHP

**Transport**  
Road vehicles  
Non-road vehicles  
Refueling infra  
Maritime, rail and aviation applications

**Cross-cutting**  
standards, safety, education, consumer awareness, ...



47 %

428 million euros  
136 projects

42 %

388 million euros  
66 projects

6 %

53 million euros  
40 projects

5 %

46 million euros  
4 projects



Similar leverage of other sources of funding: 935 m€



# Besides CO<sub>2</sub> abatement, deployment of the hydrogen roadmap also cuts local emissions, creates new markets and secures sustainable employment in EU

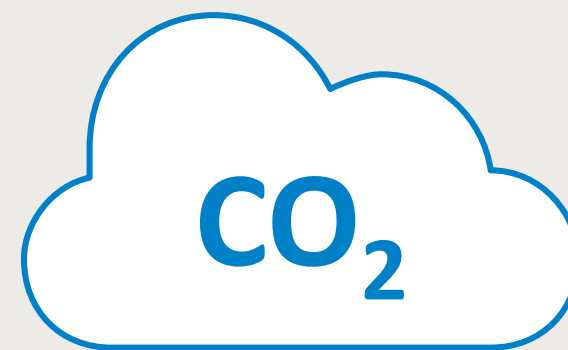


## 2050 hydrogen vision



~24%

of final energy demand<sup>1</sup>



~560 Mt

annual CO<sub>2</sub> abatement<sup>2</sup>



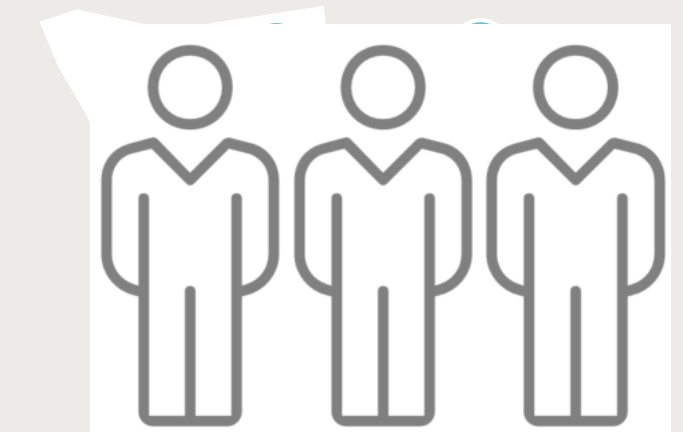
~EUR 820bn

annual revenue (hydrogen and equipment)



~15%

reduction of local emissions (NO<sub>x</sub>) relative to road transport



~5.4m

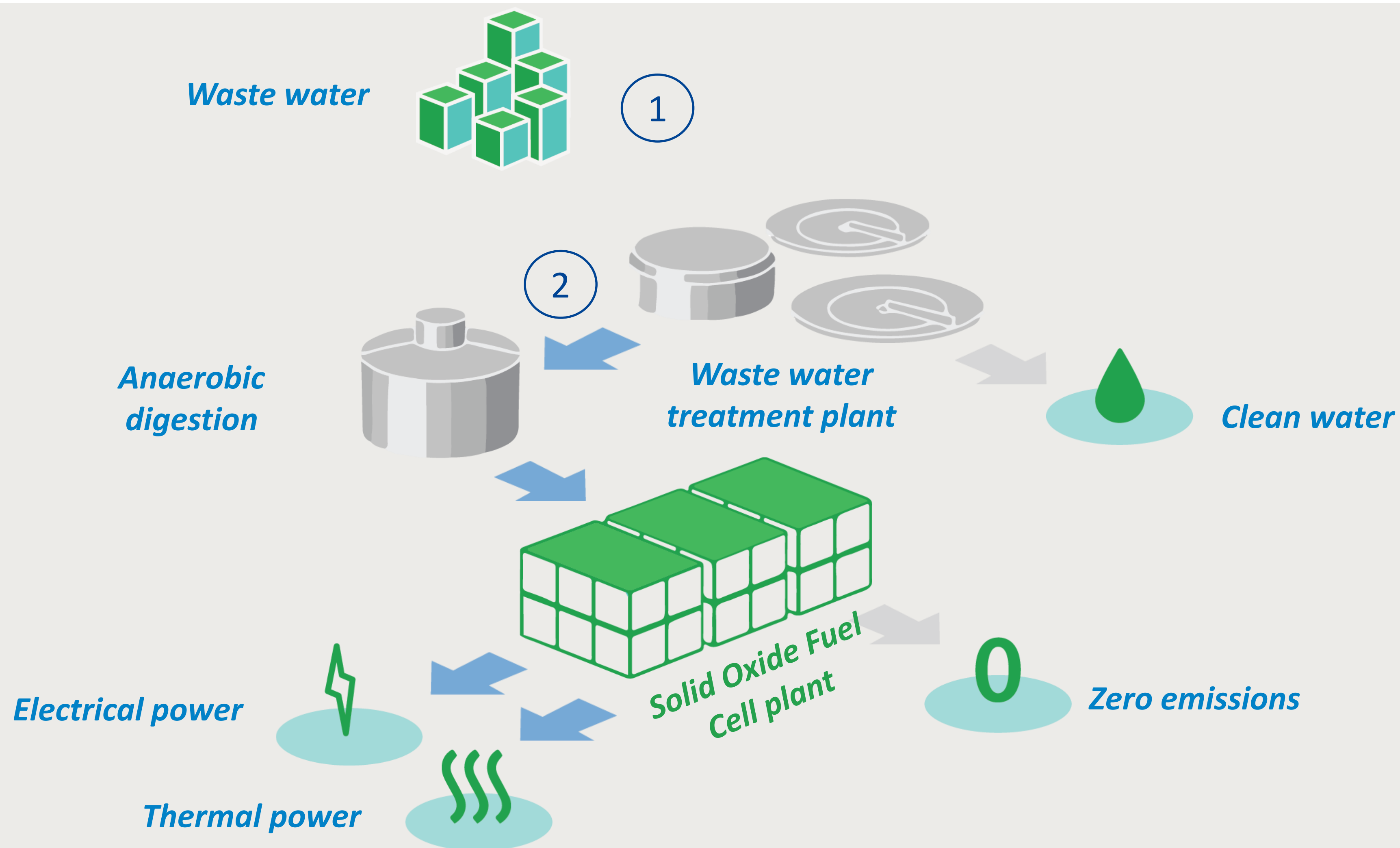
jobs (hydrogen, equipment, supplier industries)<sup>3</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Including feedstock   <sup>2</sup> Compared to the reference technology scenario   <sup>3</sup> Excluding indirect effects

# Fuel cells in the circular economy

Waste to energy: heat and power generation with zero local air emissions





# Heat and power for waste water treatment plants

Fuel Cells contributing to the circular economy with zero impact on local air emissions



## ***SOFC 174 kW<sub>e</sub>, 89 kW<sub>th</sub>, Italy***

- Fed by biogas from sewage sludge in a WWTP in Torino
- >55% electrical efficiencies achieved
- Zero local emissions
- EU market potential of 5,141 WWTPs in EU equivalent to 930 - 2550 MW<sub>e</sub>

[www.demosofc.eu](http://www.demosofc.eu)



**120 kW<sub>e</sub> or 2 modules, already in operation**

- 2014-2018
- 6M€/4.5M€
- Project CO: Politecnica de Torino, IT



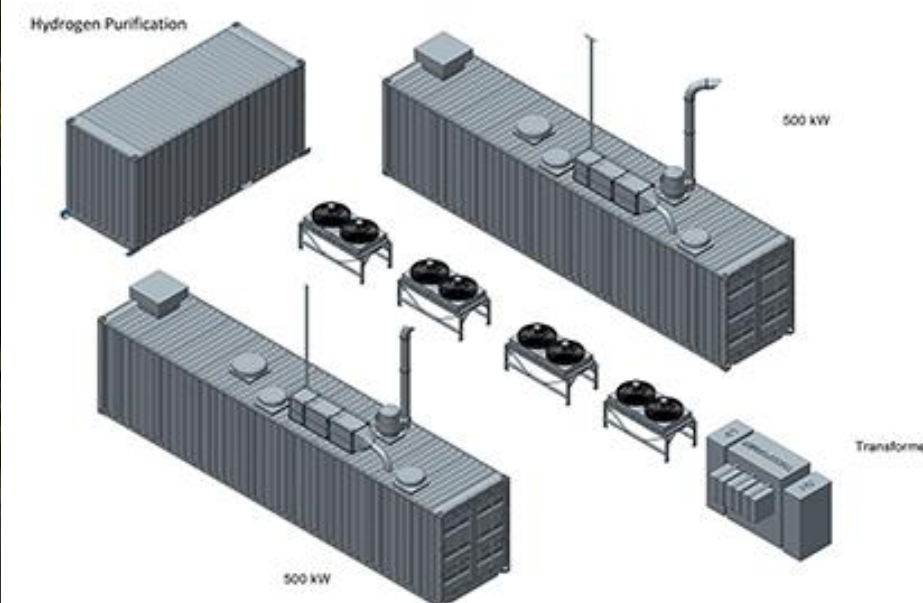
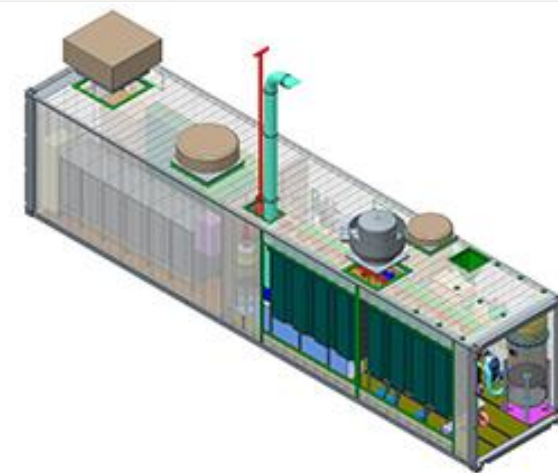


# MW fuel cells greening big industry by using waste hydrogen

FCH-JU research projects shows Fuel Cells can help to decarbonise industry like the Chlor-Alkali industry



CG Démo



**1MW plant at Martinique, oversea territory of France**  
Demonstrate the deployment of a 1MW PEM Fuel Cell, developed and purpose-built for the EU market, running on waste hydrogen from a refinery plant (246 t/year flared)  
**DURATION: 2012-2020 with FCH JU Funding: ~4.6M€**

DEMCOPEM  
2MW



**2MW plant at Ynnovate, Yingkou (province Liaoning), China**  
Design, build and operate a 2 MW power generator, with full integration of heat and power with an existing chlorine production plant. Fully automated way of operation and remote control  
**DURATION: 2015-2018 with FCH JU Funding: ~5.5M€**



# H<sub>2</sub> Valley Support for 20 Million Euro (Call Jan. 2019)

6 proposals received and 1 selected to start the grant preparation



## HEAVENN KEY FACTS:

- North Netherlands (Groningen / Delfzijl / Emmen)
- Total project circa 90 million Euro
- 31 partners (public + private)
- Project supported by 65 parties (Nat. + Int.)
- 60MW Electrolysis for green H<sub>2</sub> production,
- H<sub>2</sub> Mobility: buses, passenger cars and trucks
- H<sub>2</sub> Refueling stations
- E-Kerosene for aviation
- H<sub>2</sub> for an inland water transport barge
- Domestic Heat applications
- Underground H<sub>2</sub> storage (Hystock)





# Future European Funding opportunities for hydrogen

Depending on the project seize and goal, the right funding instrument should be chosen, FCH can help you



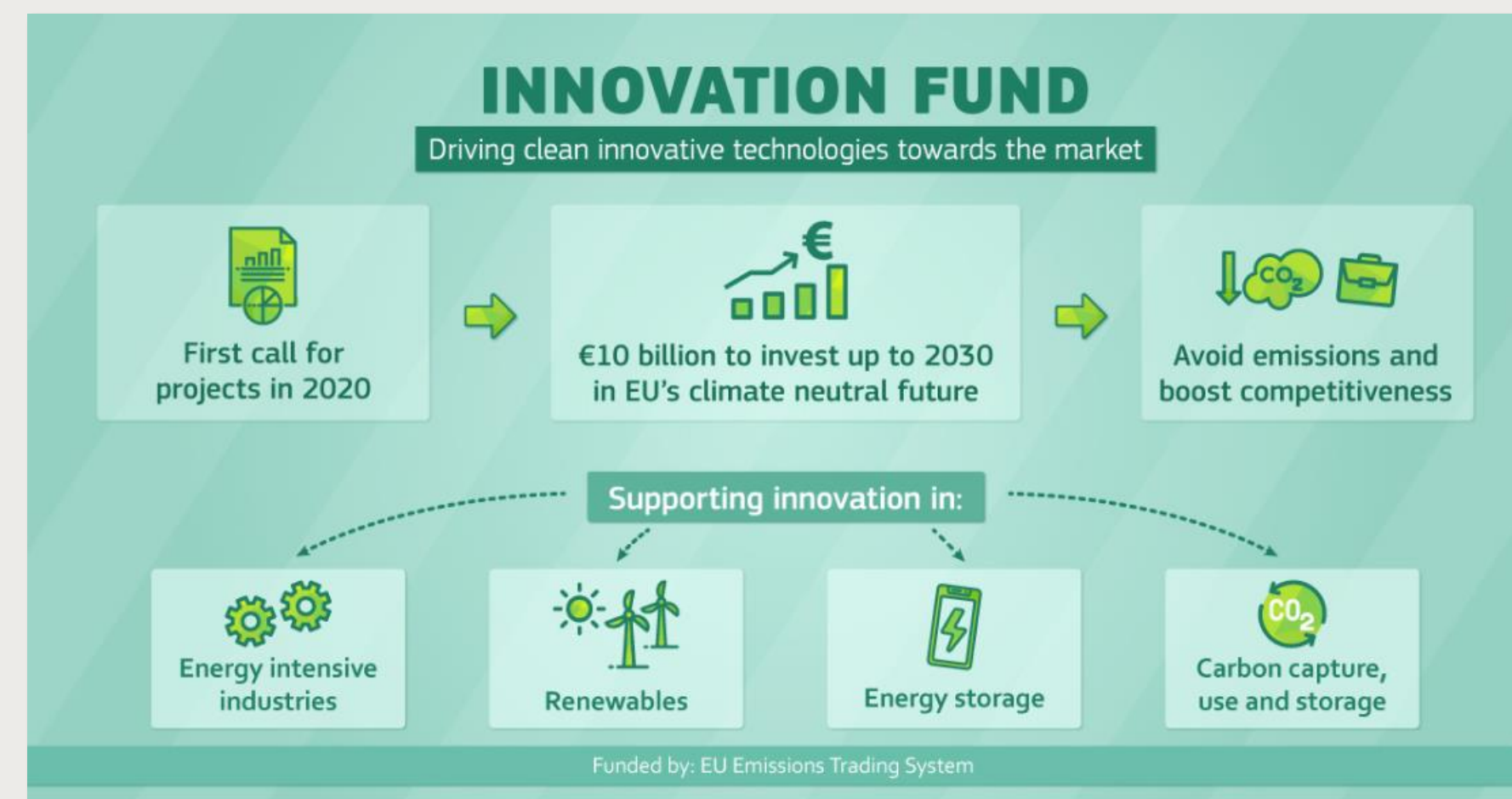
## New partnership: CLEAN HYDROGEN EUROPE

- Channel cross-sectoral collaboration
- Involve more energy companies
- Include waterborne and rail transport industry
- The industrial sectors (chemical, steel, refineries, etc.)
- Include civil society and NGOs.

**Impact assessment (on-going)** => Open public consultation for EU partnerships

[https://ec.europa.eu/info/law/better-regulation/initiatives\\_en](https://ec.europa.eu/info/law/better-regulation/initiatives_en)

Start in Jan 2021 with industry request a doubling of the budget





# NEXT

Yearly program review days and stakeholder forum



Program Review days  
19 & 20 Nov. 2019  
Stakeholder Forum  
21 Nov 2019  
Charlemagne building Brussels,  
Belgium

**Registrations just opened**







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