

Hydrogen & e-fuels energy systems, technology, and projects

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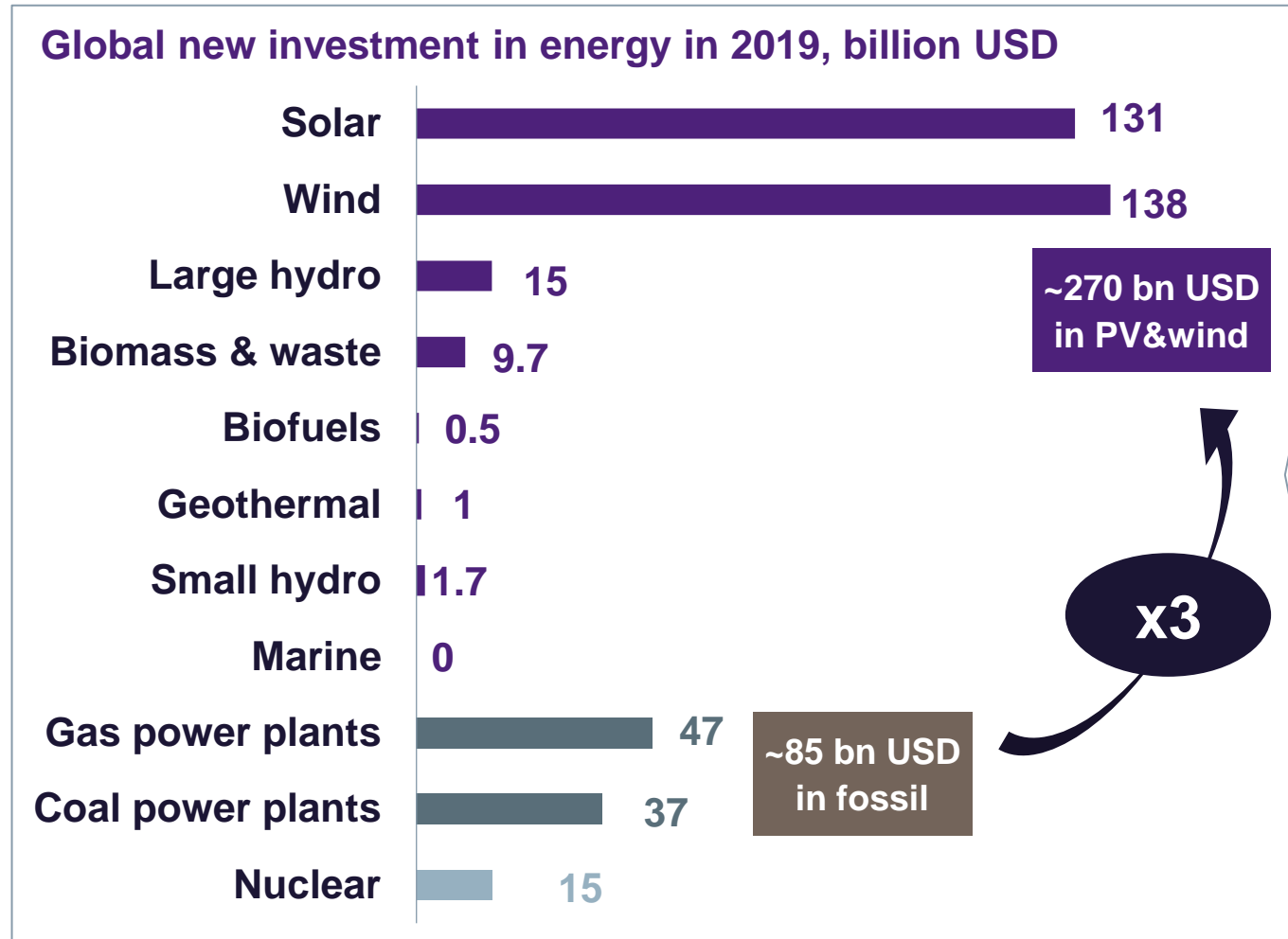
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Watch where the money goes and why!



Source: FS-UNEP, UN, BloombergNEF (2020) - New investment volume adjusts for re-invested equity. Total values include estimates for undisclosed deals.

Exemplary auction results (2017-2019)



Brazil: \$1.7 ct/kWh
 Chile: \$3.4 ct/kWh
 Canada: \$3.0 ct/kWh
 Mexico: \$1.9 ct/kWh



UK: \$5.1 ct/kWh
 France: \$5.0 ct/kWh
 Germany: \$3.2 ct/kWh



Portugal: \$2.3 ct/kWh
 Chile: \$3.4 ct/kWh
 Dubai: \$1.7 ct/kWh
 Mexico: \$2.1 ct/kWh

Source: IRENA (2019) Renewable energy auctions: Status and trends beyond price; Martin et al. (2020) Renewable Energy Auction Prices: Near Subsidy-Free?

Weighted-average auction/PPA learning curve trends indicate further significant cost decrease of renewable generation

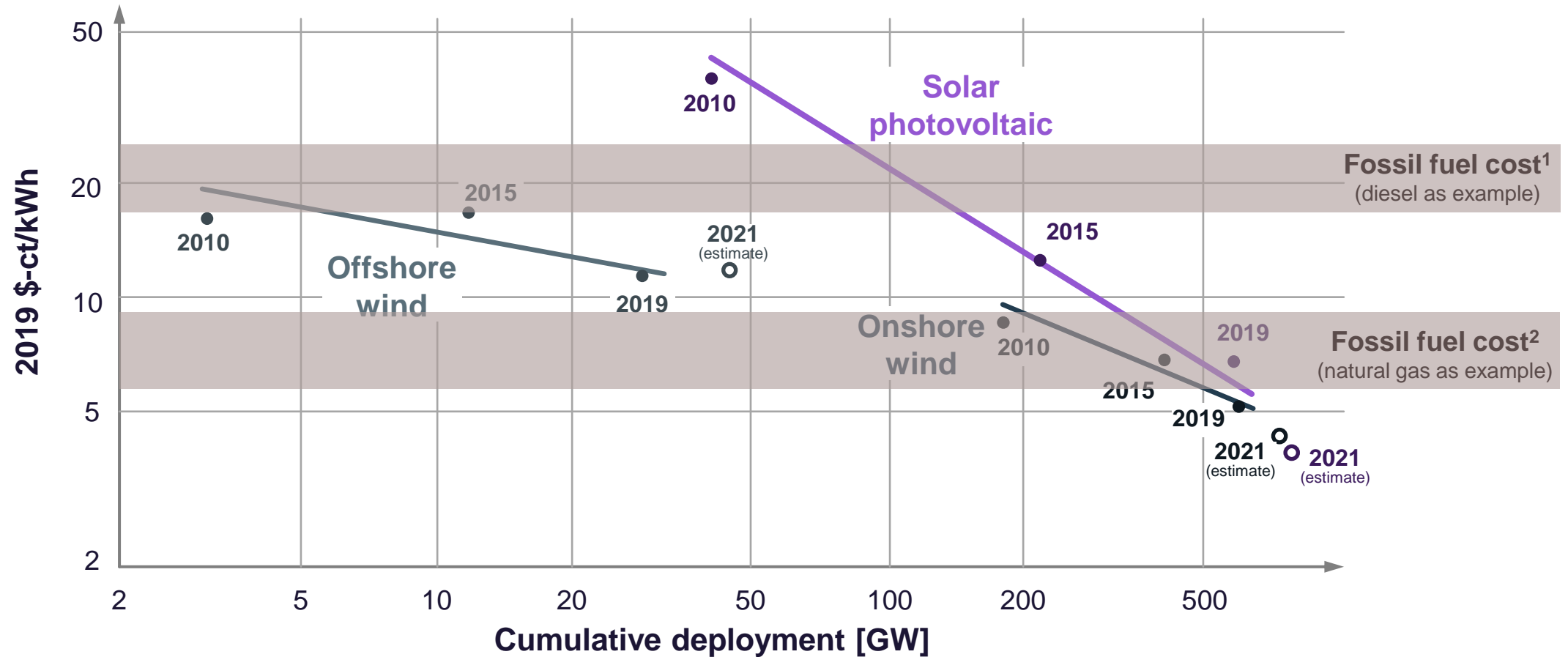
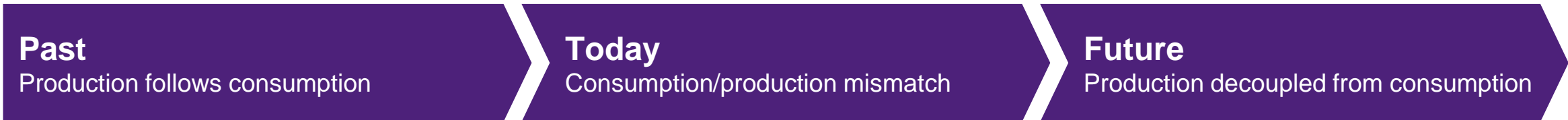
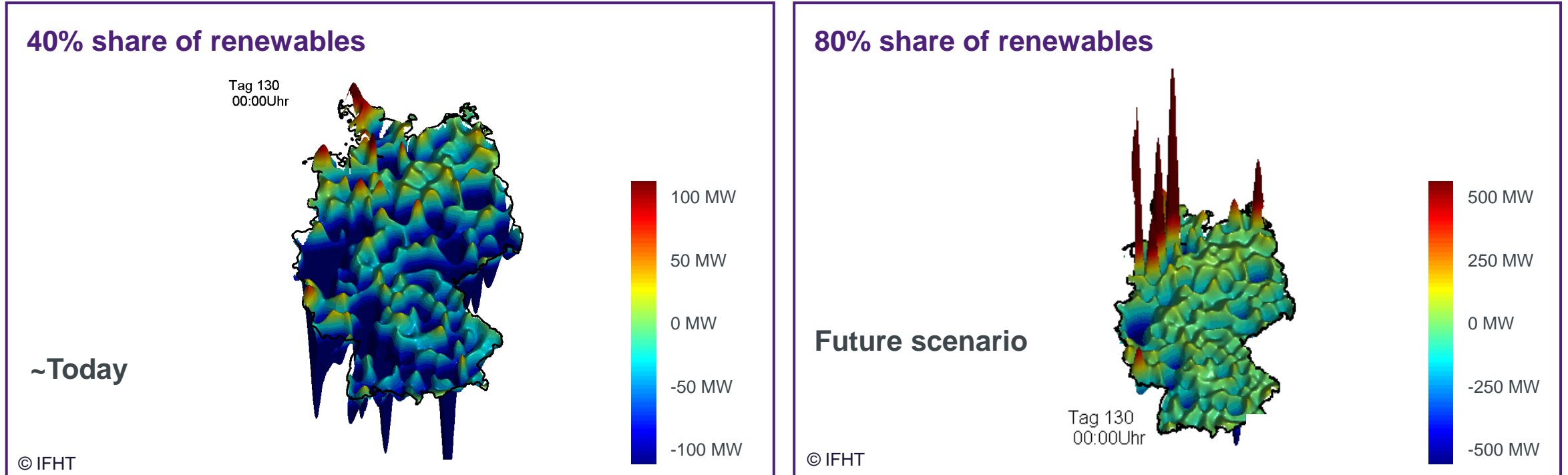


Diagram according to: IRENA (2020) Renewable power generation costs in 2019, International Renewable Energy Agency, Abu Dhabi – note: LCOE/auction price data for utility-scale projects

1 Assumed diesel cost of 1 EUR/l and conversion efficiency of 40% | 2 Industrial natural gas price of 3.1 ct/kWh (EU-27, ec.Europa.eu/Eurostat) w/ conversion efficiency of 40% and 60% USD/EUR = 1.15

The integration of renewable power generation is a challenge!

Case study Germany



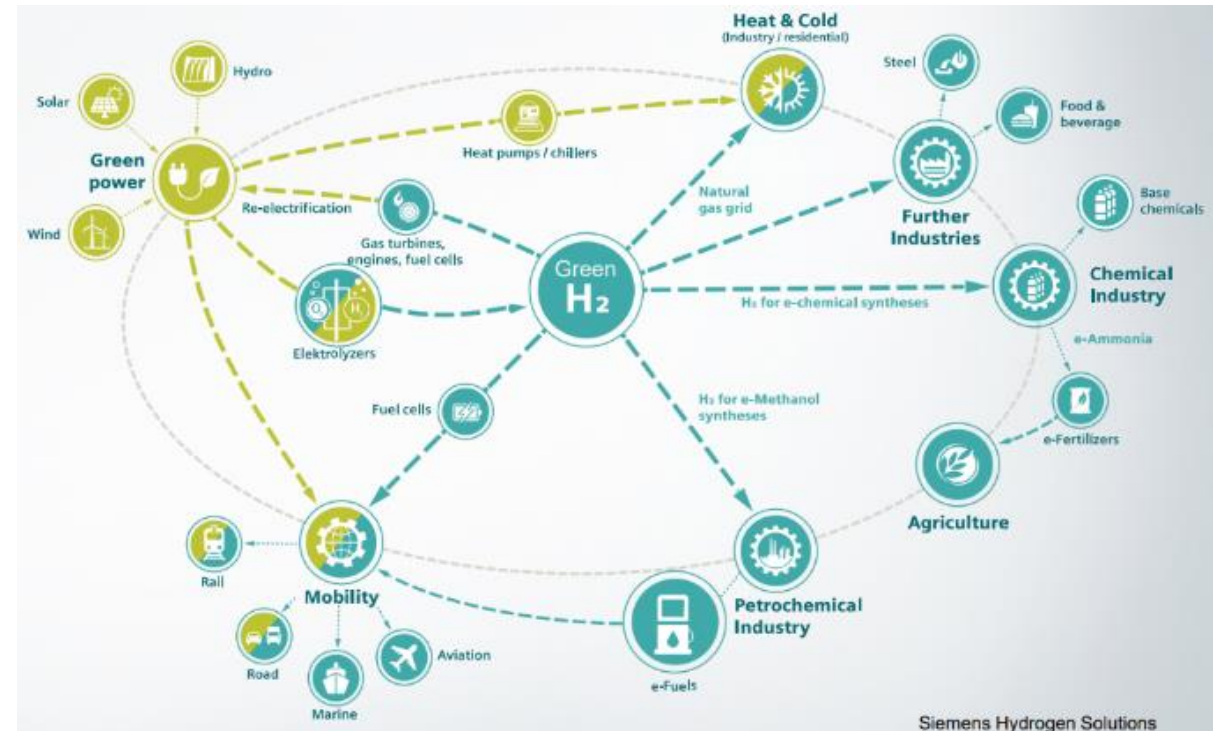
Source: German Power Network Development Plan

Sector coupling enables decarbonization, system stability and balancing of renewable energy generation & demand

Examples for direct electrification in the transportation sector



Hydrogen as example for indirect electrification



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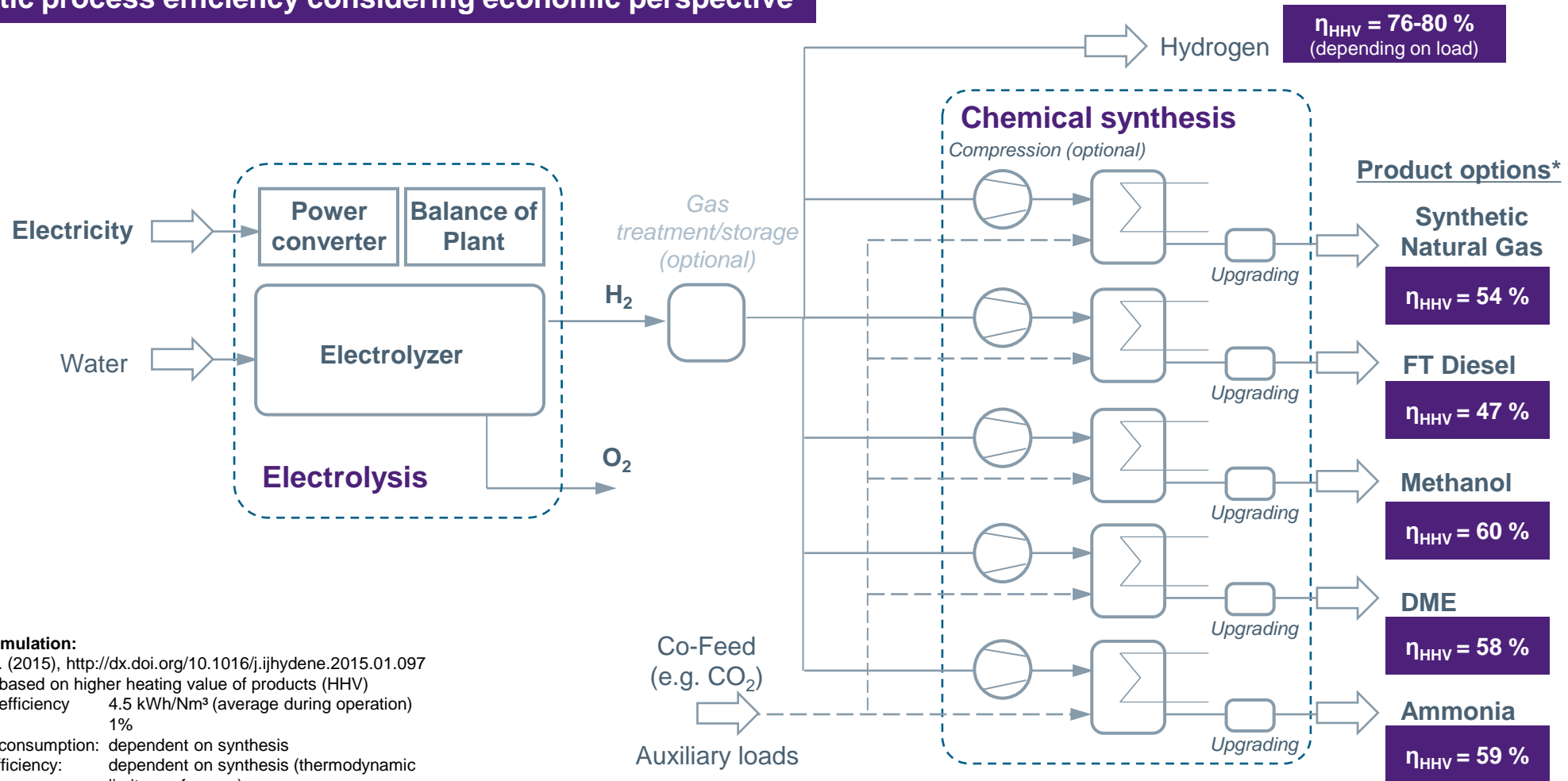
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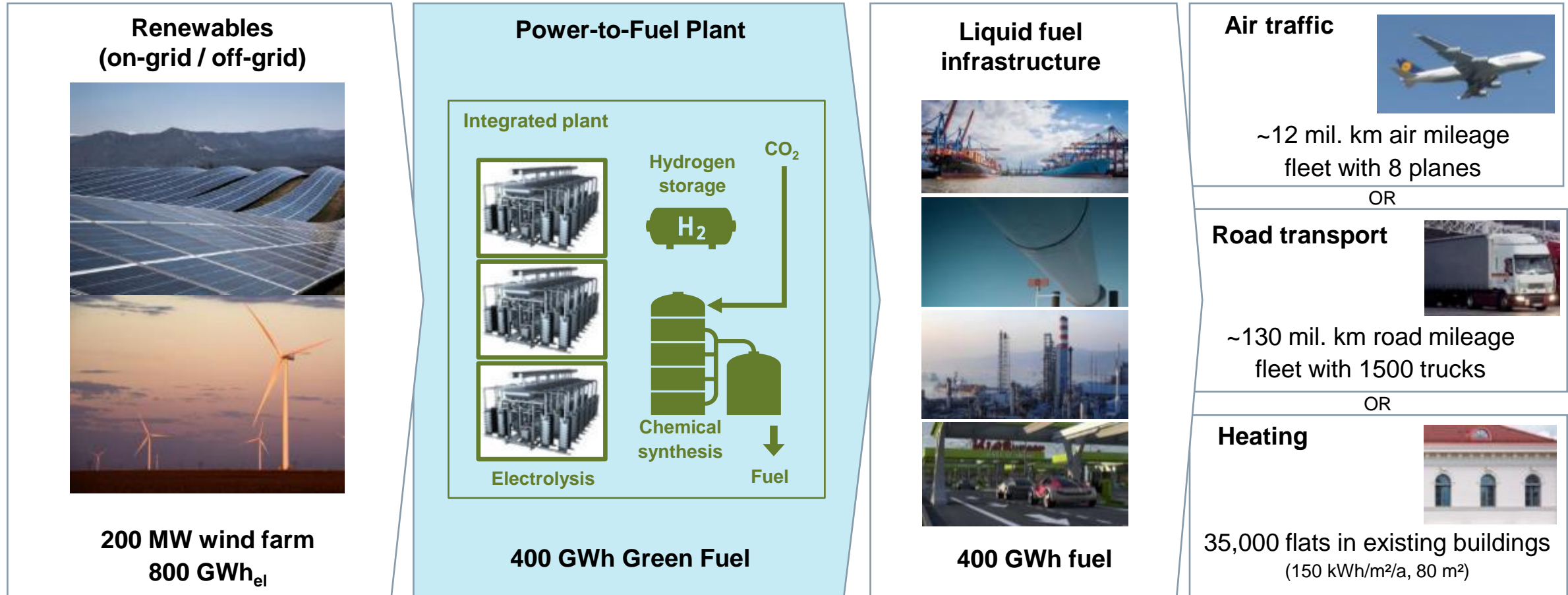
Overall process efficiency decreases when hydrogen is further converted in downstream synthesis plants

Realistic process efficiency considering economic perspective



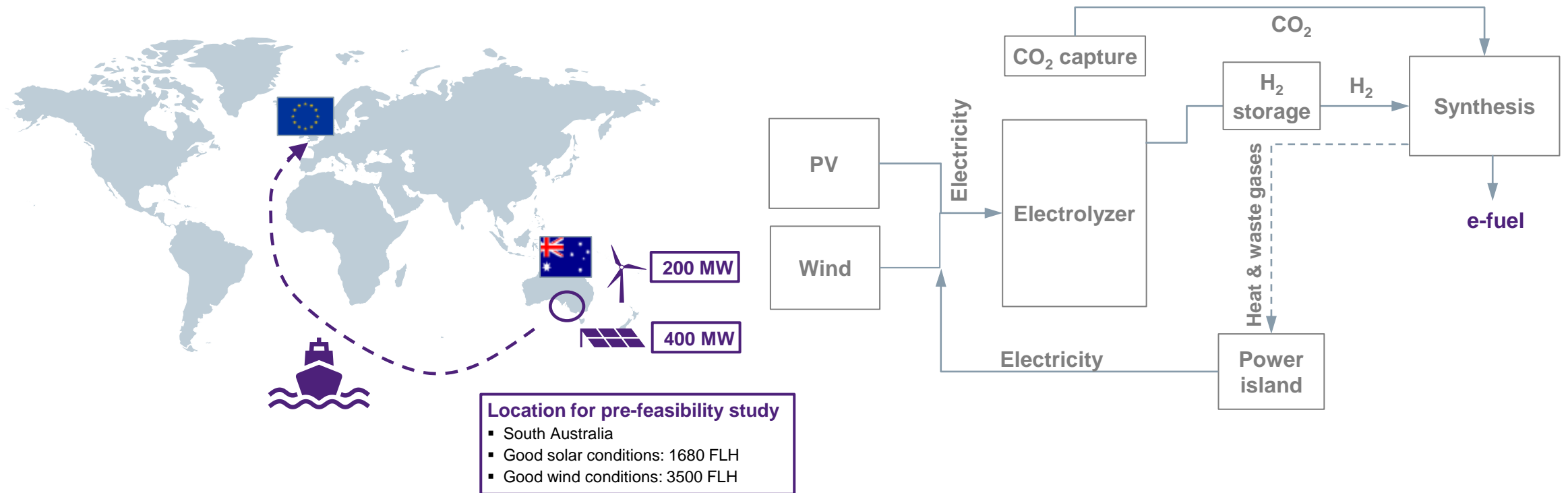
***Process simulation:**
 Tremel et al. (2015), <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.ijhydene.2015.01.097>
 Efficiencies based on higher heating value of products (HHV)
 Electrolysis efficiency: 4.5 kWh/Nm³ (average during operation)
 H₂ loss: 1%
 Aux. power consumption: dependent on synthesis
 Synthesis efficiency: dependent on synthesis (thermodynamic limit as reference)

Conversion of hydrogen enables better fit to existing infrastructure and widens the application fields



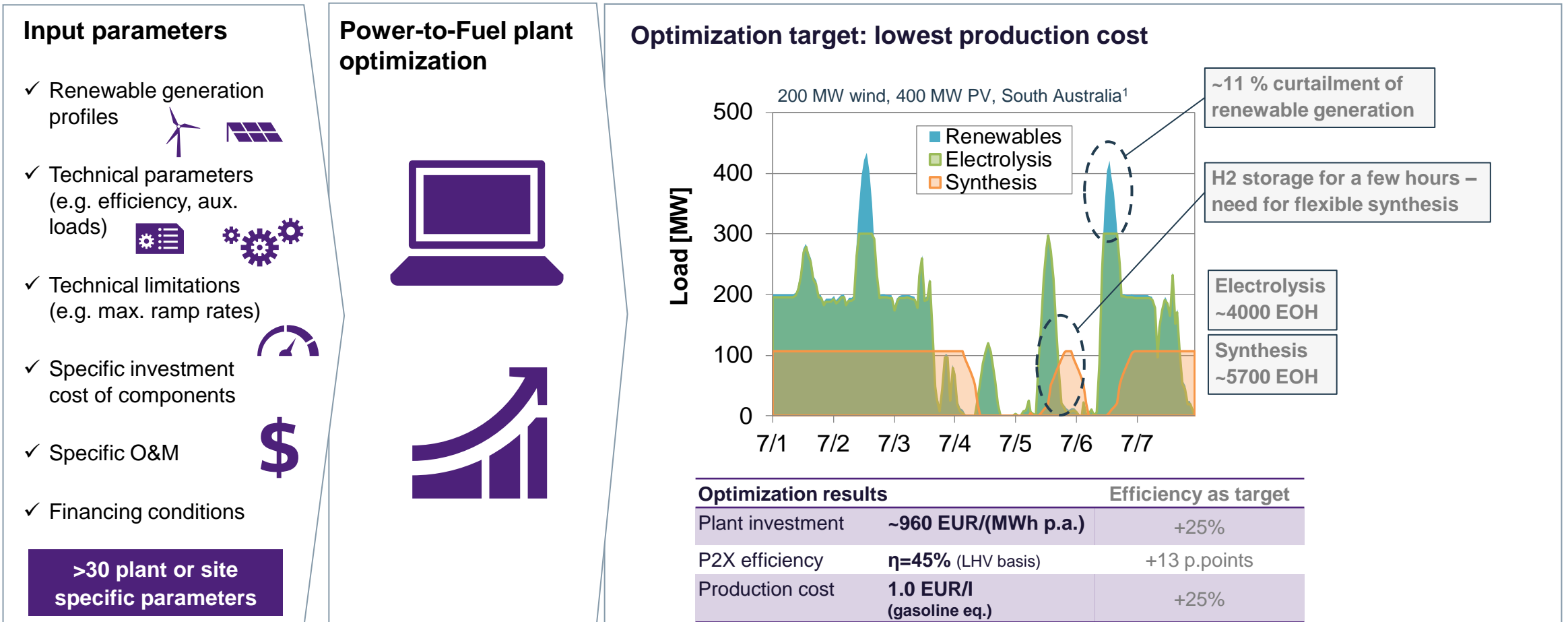
South Australia with good wind and solar conditions as an example for Power-to-Fuel system layout and operation

Case Study: Power-to-Fuel plant in Australia in the next 5-10 years



PV & wind in South Australia: low costs are enabled by curtailment, intermittent operation, and moderate capacity factors

Power-to-Fuel plants around the world – optimized for future boundary conditions (2025/2030)



Future techno-economic parameters, e.g. Renewables²: 400 EUR/kW (PV), 900 EUR/kW (wind) | Electrolysis³: 500 EUR/kW, 4.5 kWh/Nm³ | Hydrogen storage⁴: 286 EUR/kg | Chemical synthesis⁵: 450 EUR/kW_{HHV} | CO2 capture from flue gas⁶: 50 EUR/t | WACC: 7-8%; lifetime: 20-25 years

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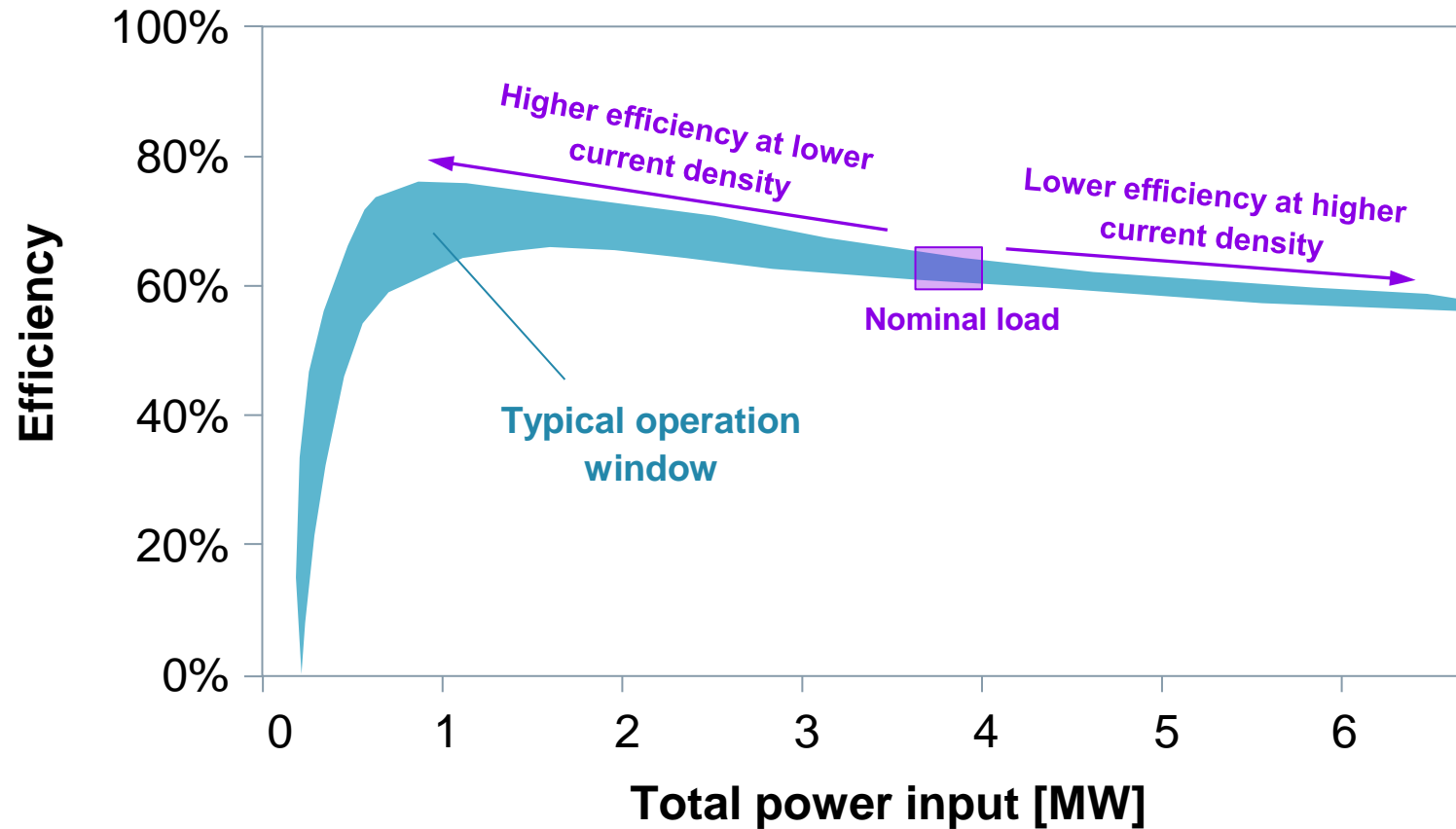
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The efficiency of an electrolyzer depends on current density and therefore on design and operation strategy

Efficiency (incl. BoP and compression) and load of the SILYZER 200 plant in Energiepark Mainz

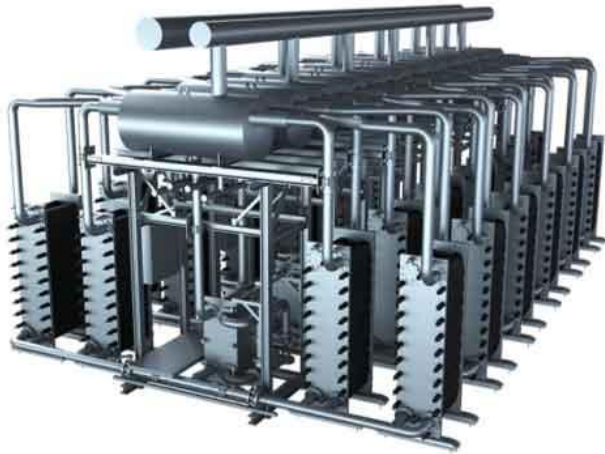


Source: Kopp et al. (2017) - "Energiepark Mainz: Technical and economic analysis of the worldwide largest Power-to-Gas plant with PEM electrolysis"

Silyzer 300 – Full Module Array

The next paradigm in PEM electrolysis

Silyzer 300 – full module array (24 modules)...



... and detailed picture of 6 modules



17.5 MW
power demand

> 76.0 %
system efficiency

24 modules
to build a full module
array

335 kg
hydrogen per hour



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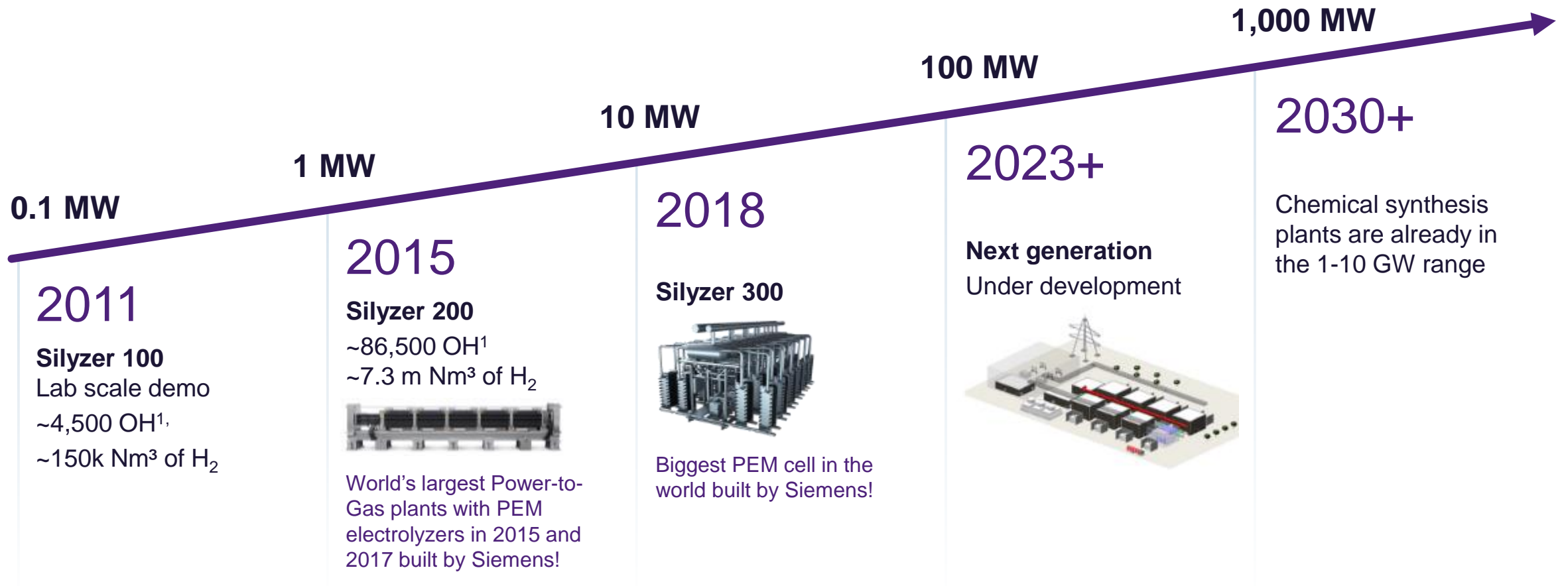
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Electrolysis portfolio scales up by factor 10 every 4 – 5 years



Siemens Energy portfolio roadmap



¹ Operating Hours; Data OH & Nm³ as of Dec 2019

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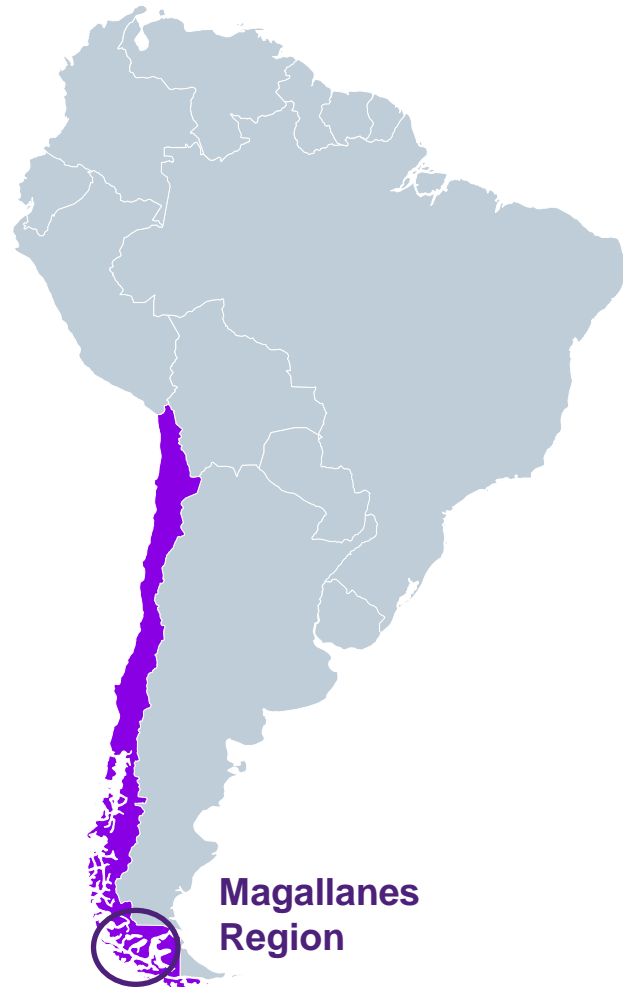
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How to harvest one of the best wind locations worldwide?

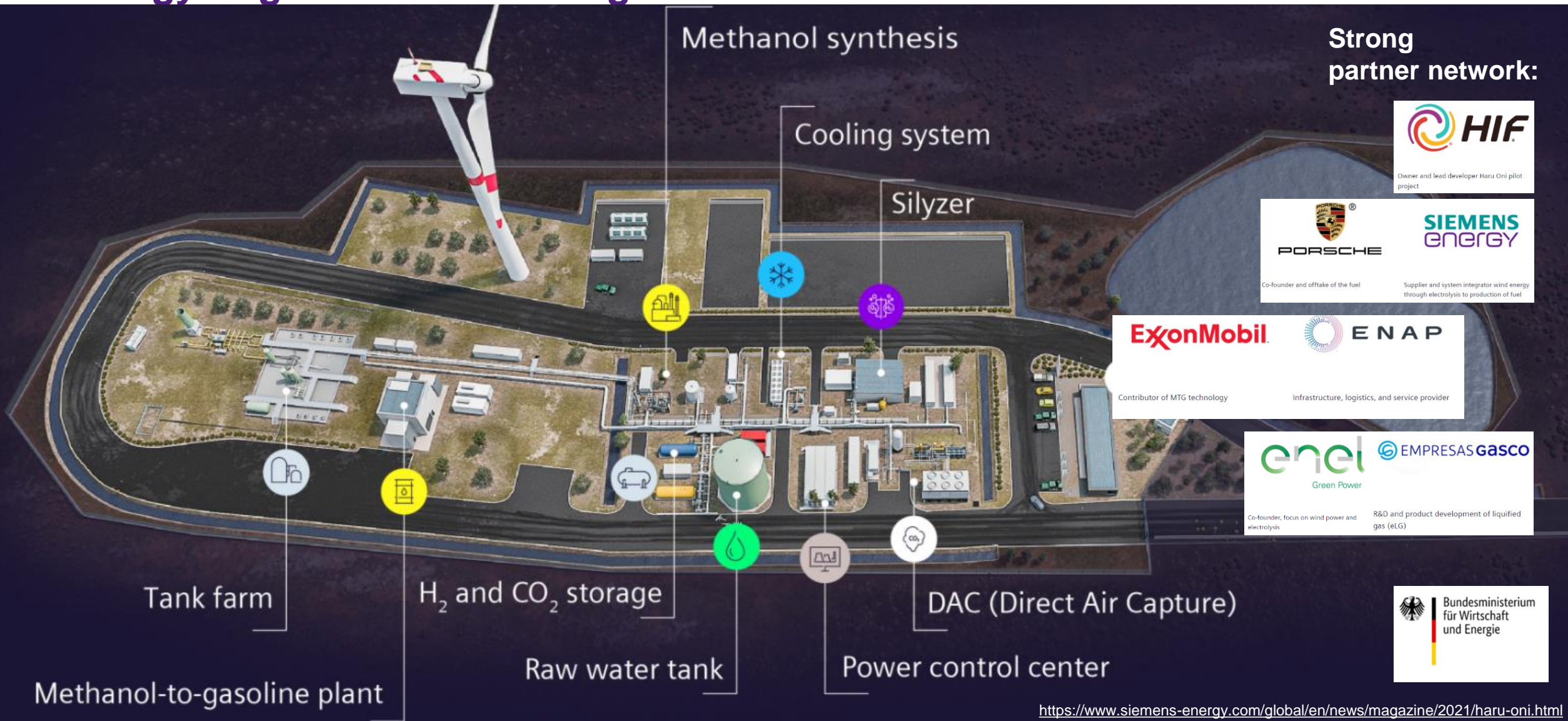


¹ Fraunhofer IEE – Windmonitor: ca. 1800 FLH in 2018

Project Haru Oni in Chile: the full value chain from wind energy to green methanol & gasoline



Strong partner network:



<https://www.siemens-energy.com/global/en/news/magazine/2021/haru-oni.html>

Project Haru Oni: area allows for significant scale and impact



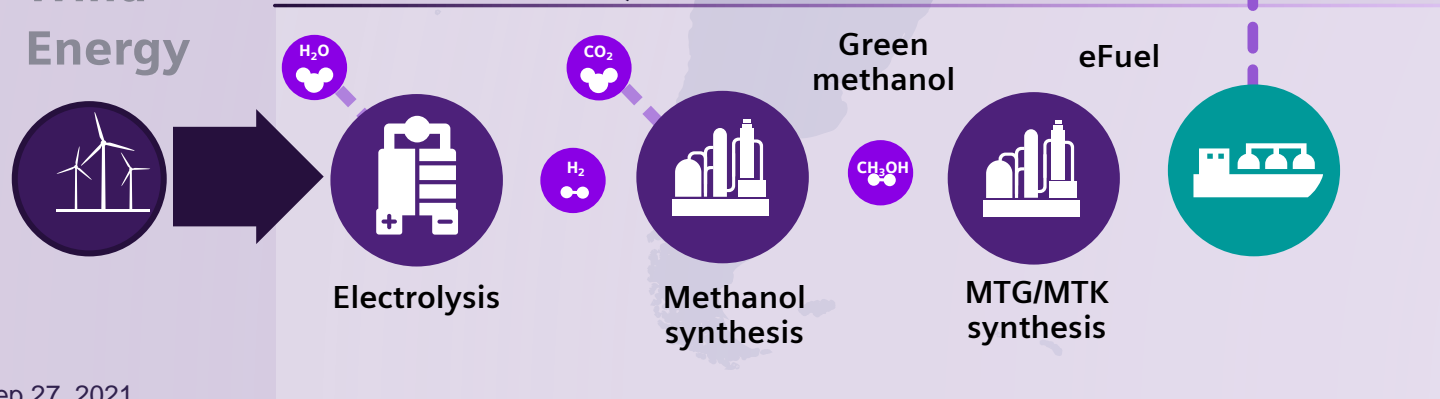
Market



	Target applications	Wind power installation	Electrolysis capacity	CO ₂ savings (ton per year)
Pilot phase until 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> e-fuel for Porsche cars 	3.4 MW	1.25 MW	~900
1st phase until 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> e-fuel (road) e-kerosene (aviation) e-methanol (ship) 	280 MW	175 MW	~0.15 million
2nd phase until 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> e-fuel (road) e-kerosene (aviation) e-methanol (ship) 	~2.5 GW	~2 GW	~1.7 million

Wind Energy

POWER TO LIQUID



Sep 10, 2021
Construction begins on world's first integrated commercial plant

<https://www.siemens-energy.com/global/en/news/magazine/2021/haru-oni.html>

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