

The Future of Clean Hydrogen

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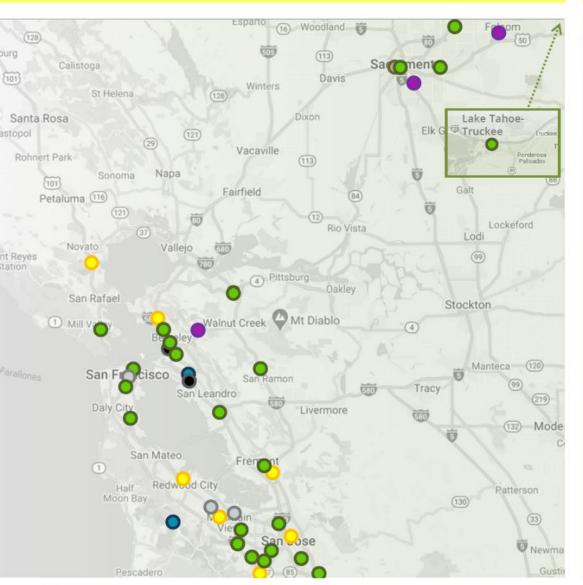
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California's Hydrogen Roots (where we came from)

Northern California Hydrogen Stations



Southern California Hydrogen Stations





Recent H2 State Investments Transportation

Category	Funding Opportunity	Hydrogen-related Awards
Heavy-duty Vehicles	Zero-Emission Transit Fleet Infrastructure Deployment (GFO-20-602)	Two hydrogen bus refueling projects awarded (Aug 2021)
	Zero-Emission Drayage Truck and Infrastructure Pilot Project (GFO-20-606)	30 class 8 drayage trucks and fueling infrastructure at the Port of Oakland (April 2021)
	Hydrogen Fuel Cell Truck and Bus Technology Integration and Demonstration (GFO-21-501)	2 truck projects awarded (Dec 2021)
	EnergIIZE Hydrogen Funding Lane (\$17M)	\$17M - fully subscribed (July 2022) Reopen next year
	Innovative Hydrogen Refueling Solutions for Heavy Transport (GFO-22-502)	NEW Open solicitation (closes 11/18/22)
Maritime and Rail	Hydrogen Fuel Cell Demonstrations in Rail and Marine Applications at Ports (GFO-20-604)	Small fast multi-use hydrogen fuel cell harbor craft (Dec 2020)
		Hydrogen locomotive project (Dec 2020)

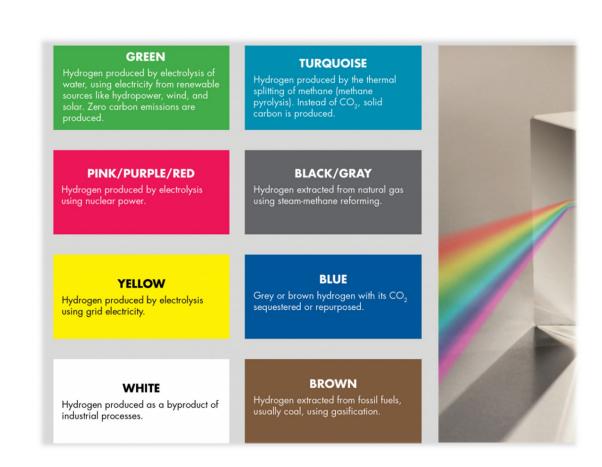
Recent H2 State Investments Other

Category	Funding Opportunity	Status
Hydrogen Fuel Production	Renewable Hydrogen Transportation Fuel Production (GFO-20-609)	3 applicants awarded (Feb 2022)
	Advancing Cost and Efficiency Improvements for Low Carbon Hydrogen Production (GFO-21-502)	7 applicants awarded (April 2022)
Emergency Response and Resiliency	Mobile Renewable Backup Generation MORBUGs (GFO-20-310)	Hydrogen fuel cell systems awarded (May 2021)
Buildings and Industry	Examining the Effects of Hydrogen in End- Use Applications for Large Commercial Buildings and Industrial Applications (GFO-21-503)	1 applicant awarded (April 2022)

California's Clean Hydrogen Future (where we're going)

What is Clean Hydrogen Anyway?

- Multiple (and sometimes conflicting) definitions
- Clean/renewable/green used interchangeably
- The hydrogen rainbow
- Shades of green
 - Electrolytic (Los Angeles definition)
 - Renewable feedstock (SB 100 Joint Agency Report)
- From the hydrogen rainbow to carbon intensity
- DOE's Proposed Standard 4 kgCO2e/kgH2 (lifecycle)
- Common framework would be helpful
 - CA, US, and globally



Targeted Sectors, from Draft Scoping Plan

Transportation

- Light Duty Vehicles = 100% BEV or FCEV sales by 2030 or 2035
- Truck ZEVs = 100% ZEV sales by 2030, 2035, 2040, or 2045
- Aviation (10-25% met by e- or H2 by 2035/45)

- Freight and Passenger Rail (50% of line haul sales = ZEV by 2030, 100% by 2035/45)
 - Line Haul and Passenger Rail primarily H2, others primarily e- by 2035
- Ocean Going Vessels (10-25% of OGVs use H2 by 2035/45)

Electrical Power

• Electricity Generation: H2 fuel cells provide firm capacity

Industrial

- Chemicals and Allied Products,
 Pulp and Paper
 - H2 for 25-50% of process heat by 2035, 100% by 2045 (or 0 and 10%)
- Low Carbon Fuels for Buildings and Industry
 - H2 blended in NG Pipeline at 7% energy (30% by volume), ramping up from 2030 to 2040
 - Dedicated H2 pipelines to serve certain industry clusters in 2030s or 2040s

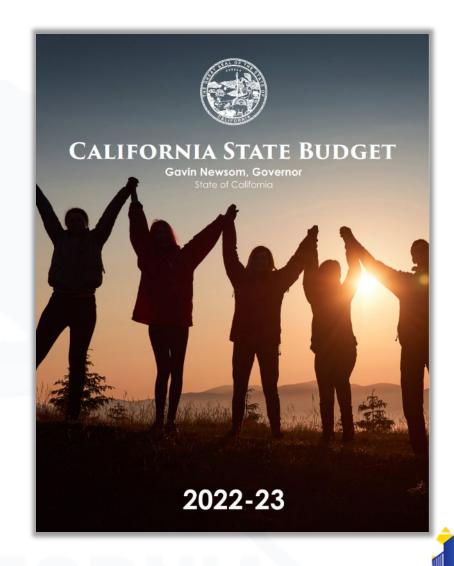
H2 as Energy Storage (crosssector)



2022-23 Budget Highlights

\$54 billion climate package

- Clean Energy: \$2.1 billion
 - \$100 million for Green Hydrogen
 - \$5 million for CA H2Hub
- Goods Movement and Ports: \$1.2 billion
- Zero-Emission Vehicles: \$10 billion
- Clean Energy Workforce: \$315 million
- Climate Education: \$723 million



But we're not the only ones... (accelerating our pace)

Bipartisan Infrastructure Law – H2 Highlights

Includes \$9.5B for clean hydrogen:

- \$1B for electrolysis research, development, and demonstration
- \$500M for clean hydrogen technology manufacturing and recycling R&D
- \$8B for at least four regional clean hydrogen hubs
- Aligns with Hydrogen Shot
 priorities by directing work to
 reduce the cost of clean hydrogen
 to \$2 per kg by 2026



President Biden Signs the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law into law on Nov. 15, 2021.

Photo Credit: Kenny Holston/Getty Images

Requires developing a National Hydrogen Strategy and Roadmap

Source: DOE Hydrogen Program Update: 2022 AMR Plenary Session (energy.gov)

Bipartisan Infrastructure Law – Regional Clean Hydrogen Hubs

- \$8 billion/five years
- At least 4 regional clean hydrogen hubs
 - <u>Definition</u>: a network of clean hydrogen producers, potential clean hydrogen consumers, and connective infrastructure in close proximity
- Hubs must reflect to the maximum extent practical:
 - <u>Feedstock Diversity</u>: at least 1 hub with hydrogen production from renewables, nuclear, and fossil fuels with CCS
 - **End-Use Diversity**: at least 1 hub with hydrogen end-use in the electric power, industrial, residential and commercial heating, and transportation sectors
 - <u>Geographic Diversity</u>: Each clean hydrogen hub must be located in a different region of the United States and use energy resources that are abundant in that region
 - Natural Gas-Producing Regions: At least 2 hubs located in regions with the greatest natural gas resources

California is Well Positioned

Pacific Northwest

- Port communities
- Tribal communities
- Extensive renewables
- 8 jobs per \$1M invested in H₂

California

- Diverse populations
- Extensive infrastructure
- Emissions regulations
- 40,000+ jobs

Southwest

- Tribal and Hispanic communities
- Underutilized solar
- Nuclear power
- Up to 2B tonnes/yr emission reduction potential

Central U.S.

- Ample wind
- Geological storage
- Railway transport
- Nuclear resources
- >630,000 tonnes/yr CO₂ reduction

Great Lakes

Major national corridors • Nuclear power • 60,000+ jobs

New England

- Offshore wind
- Fishing communities
- Backup power and winter heating
- ~120K tons CO₂/year reduction

Appalachia

- Retiring fossil plants
- Mining, refining transferable skills
- Carbon capture and sequestration
- 70,000 tons/yr H₂ production

Alaska and Hawaii

- Extensive renewables geothermal, solar, ocean
- Backup power
- Isolated communities
- 86,000 tonnes/yr emission reduction

Gulf Coast

- Existing infrastructure
- Multiple opportunity zones
- · Renewable resources
- 1,000s of jobs
- Chemical industry



California Formally Announces Intention to Create a Renewable Hydrogen Hub

May 18, 2022 | Press Release

Sacramento, CA – Building from a foundation of nation-leading policies and new hydrogen system market development, Governor Newsom's administration is announcing California's intention to leverage federal investment from the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) to establish an environmentally and economically sustainable and expanding renewable hydrogen hub. Administration officials, led by the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz), will continue working with public and private stakeholders, including California's legislature and leading municipalities such as Los Angeles, to submit one state co-funded application.

In the May Revise budget, Governor Newsom proposed direct investment in green hydrogen production, in addition to numerous pots of funding that can be leveraged to accelerate hydrogen market development, including zero-emission vehicle market acceleration, industrial decarbonization, and long duration energy storage. Additionally, the administration is committed to collaborating with neighboring states and initiatives to create a resilient supply and delivery chain, helping to facilitate success and learnings across multiple markets.

"California has the market experience, workforce talent, public and private investment base, and renewable resources to partner with the federal government to create an economically resilient, expanding hydrogen hub that helps accelerate national success," said Dee Dee Myers, Director of GO-Biz and Senior Economic Advisor to Governor Newsom. "GO-Biz is leaning in on our deep experience with the hydrogen industry and working with multiple stakeholders to organize a statewide application aimed at one fundamental concept: getting to scale in California and beyond."

"Our recently published draft Scoping Plan Update makes it clear that renewable hydrogen has an important role to play in reaching our economy wide climate and air quality targets," said California Air Resources Board Chair Liane Randolph. "We are committed to collaborating with all stakeholders to continually improve our robust policy framework to enable rapid renewable hydrogen market development."

"The need for renewable hydrogen is clear, especially as we develop systems to store and use renewable electricity," California Energy Commission Chair David Hochschild stated. "We need federal, state, and private investment to accelerate market development to ensure we meet our carbon neutrality goals—and we are excited to work with stakeholders to build a world class hydrogen hub and believe that federal investments in green hydrogen in California will benefit the state and the nation."

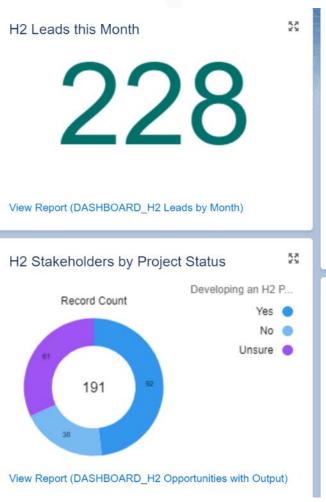
"The California Public Utilities Commission is committed to working with stakeholders to help define the role of investor-owned utilities in the hydrogen market ecosystem," said Commissioner Clifford Rechtschaffen. "Renewable hydrogen can play a variety of important roles in a decarbonized economy."

"From public transit to long-haul trucking, low-cost, renewable hydrogen is one of the key components in our efforts to rapidly reduce pollution from the transportation sector," said California State Transportation Agency Secretary Toks Omishakin. "Hydrogen fuel cell vehicles of all types – including cars, heavy-duty trucks, buses, rail and watercraft – are an ideal complement to battery-powered vehicles as part of a diversified and sustainable transportation system. The hydrogen hub will help lower costs and accelerate California's transition to a zero-emission future."

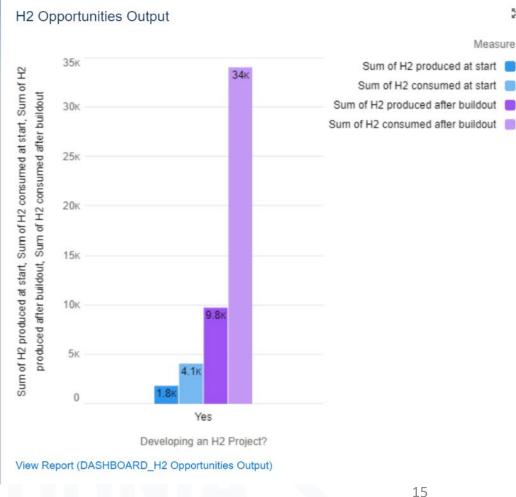
A federally co-funded hydrogen hub in California would accelerate our collective transition to a carbon-neutral economy, creating the scale needed to drive down cost for businesses and consumers alike, all while creating high paying jobs. Near term hub activities will center on deep investments in electrifying port operations, goods movement, transportation, and energy system resilience. Parties interested in submitting project ideas for consideration can add their information in this form.

Stakeholder/Project Snapshot (as of 10/3)

https://business.ca.gov/h2hubs-form/

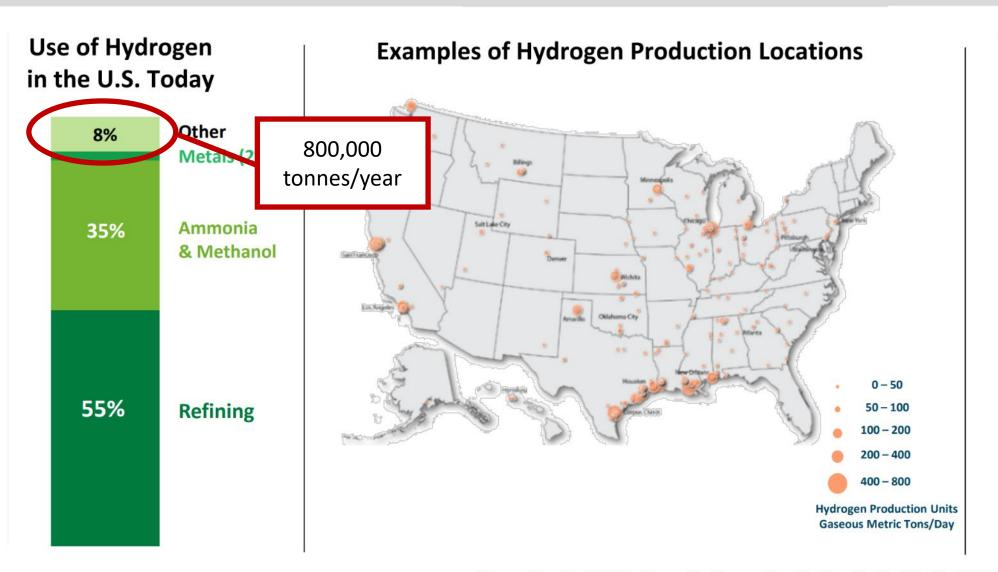


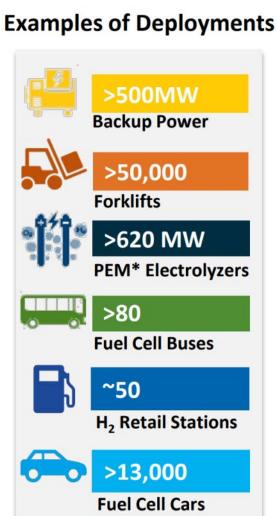




Hydrogen and Fuel Cells in the US

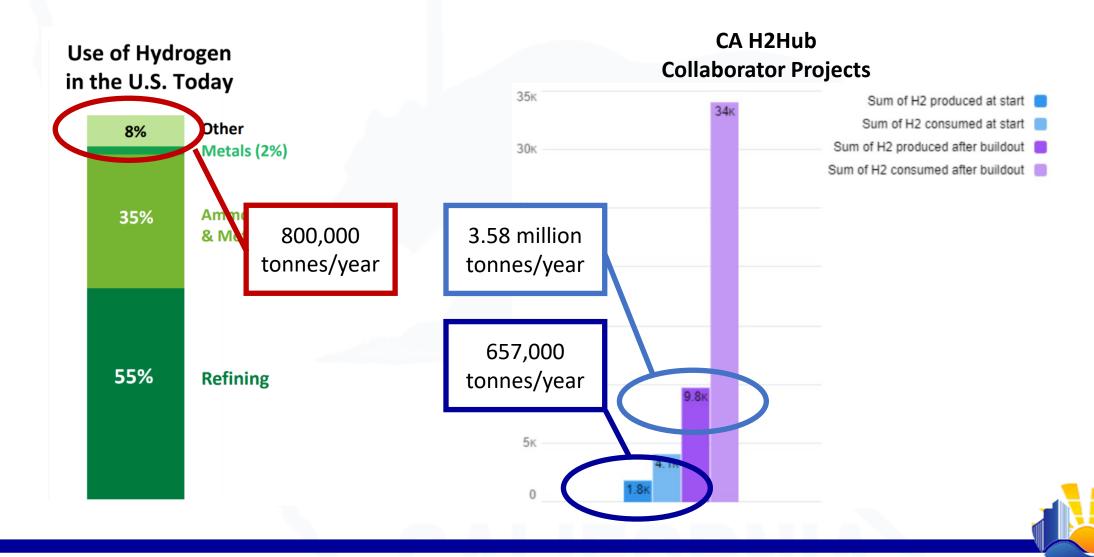
• 10 million metric tons produced annually • More than 1,600 miles of H₂ pipeline • World's largest H₂ storage cavern





*Proton exchange membrane

The Opportunity: A Monumental Shift



How do we organize and structure this interest?

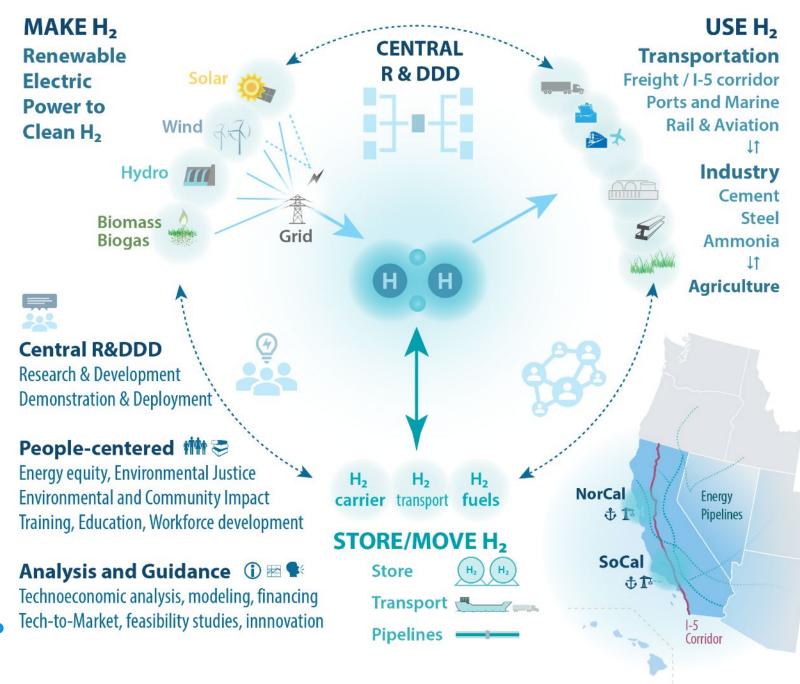
The Three Cs

(Collaboration, Connection, Coordination)



Alliance for Renewable Clean Hydrogen **Energy Systems**

Statewide Public/Private Partnership for a Clean California H, Ecosystem

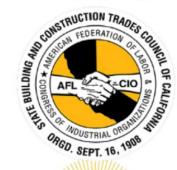


















Governance Principles

- 1. Representative.
- 2. Transparent.
- 3. Responsive / Nimble.
- 4. Creates Market Opportunities.
- 5. Fair.

North Star: \$1 per kilogram renewable hydrogen by 2031, and \$2 per kilogram by 2026 (production cost)



































































































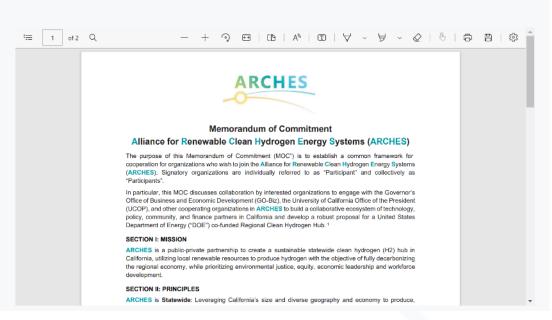
A Growing Network

website being built out

https://archesh2.org/network/

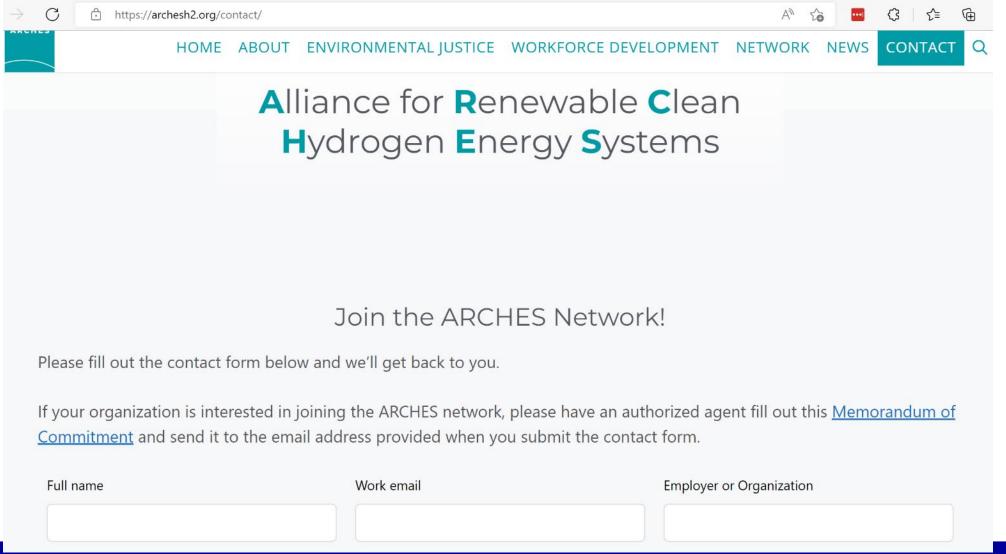
Any group can join. Membership is free.

ARCHES Memorandum of Commitment



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Join In





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Sign Up for GO-Biz's H2 on the Move email list:

https://business.ca.gov/h2-on-the-move-sign-up/

H2 Hubs Collaborator Intake form:

https://business.ca.gov/h2hubs-form/

