



Unlocking opportunities and addressing challenges for large-scale hydrogen provision in Germany, Switzerland, United Kingdom, the Netherlands and Norway

ELEGANCY Webinar Series - 19 June 2020

Agenda

Welcome and introduction

studies, UK

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National case studies to accelerate decarbonization of Europe's energy system



Aims of WP4



- Develop an open-source systems modelling framework with a steady-state design mode and a dynamic operational mode.
- Develop multiscale models and an integrated modelling approach for the chain components incorporating results from WP1 and WP2.
- Apply the methodology in conjunction with the case studies in WP5 with respect to
 - (i) the potential time evolution of the system and (ii) integrated assessments of the proposed designs.

WP4 forms a link between the research done in WPs 1,2 and 3 and the case studies performed in WP5.



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H2/CO2 system evolution

WP4 design tool

- Toolkit combines geographical data analysis, powerful mathematical optimisation and visualisation of results ulletto enable integrated design of H₂-CCS systems in regional and national context.
- Design tool integrated with LCA to combine cost and GHG emissions reduction ۲
- Example key finding: large scale H2 storage is valuable! ullet





system cost versus H2 storage







WP4 operational tool – study system dynamics



Business model toolkit



Methodology for business model development



Workflows for business model development and business case assessment



Analytical and visualisation tools for application within and beyond Elegancy



Guidance for each step in the process



WP3 Toolkit for Business Model Selection and Business Case Assessment



• Purpose of the tools

- Simplify the complexity of H2-CCS business environment
- Enable the user to identify the **key issues** for the project early in the development process
- Prioritize issues and actions to be taken
- Not about optimization
- Facilitate collaboration and engagement at early stage
- **Concepts in the tools** are pre-defined and constructed based on literature and reports, existing frameworks, interactions with project partners and external stakeholders, team's own knowledge and experience

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Decarbonizing the Dutch economy



- Establishing the H-vision consortium committed to decarbonizing the Rotterdam cluster industry
- Developing a Roadmap for decarbonization of the Dutch economy



The Norwegian full scale CCS chain and synergies with H₂ production Showing that large-scale hydrogen production in Norway for export and national demand can help to enable significant economies for scale in the development of a Norwegian CCS infrastructure, thus making Norway furthermore attractive as large-scale CO₂ storage for European CO₂ emissions.



Decarbonization of UK cities and industrial clusters



- Identifying the key possibilities and constraints to realise the hydrogen and CCS infrastructure of the H21 Roadmap – in terms of infrastructure development and business case solutions
- Confirming the UK sub-surface storage capacity for hydrogen is sufficient for the decarbonization projects planned for H21 projects at Teesside, and identifying storage capacity and an injection strategy for CO₂ from Grangemouth, including Acorn CCS project, and from Teesside.





Performing a multi-disciplinary analysis and evaluation of carbon capture and hydrogen infrastructures to build a best case option using social acceptance, legal aspects and macro-economic scenarios to understand the prerequisites for a successful transition

Adapting gas infrastructure to H₂ and CCS in Germany



Enabling Swiss CO₂ –free transport by H₂ and CCS



- Identifying the role of hydrogen and CCS for reaching the Swiss climate targets. Negative emissions are required to compensate emissions from non-energy sectors, and to reach the net-zero target in 2050. These are best realized with a combination of hydrogen production from biomass resources and CCS.
- Revealing the need for a two-pronged approach for CCS in Switzerland due to the characteristics of Swiss geology that are challenging for the deployment of CCS:
 - Improve understanding of the Swiss subsurface
 - Develop alternatives, i.e. the export of CO2 to storage sites as it is being planned by the Northern Lights consortium.