# Hydrogen Europe

General Assembly Meeting Brussels, 01.07.2020

#### **Welcome by President**



Mariya Gabriel @ @GabrielMariya · Jun 11 Thank you @H2Europe for our discussion on the role of #hydrogen in future.

Europe is a leader in fuel cells & hydrogen #technologies & we need to further promote a dialogue between the industry and R&I community for #cleanenergy #transition. @EU H2020







Frans Timmermans 🤣 @TimmermansEU · Apr 6

While together we're combating covid-19, we also have to work towards a green recovery. #Hydrogen has a crucial role to play in the transition and this is where the EU can & must lead. It was great discussing 'how' with @H2Europe #EUGreenDeal @KadriSimson

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We would like to thank EVP @TimmermansEU, Commissioner @KadriSimson, Minister @aziz\_rabbah and the 14 CEOs that joined the conversation today on #hydrogen's crucial role in the #energytransition and #recoveryplan. Looking forward to working all together!



Frans Timmermans Executive Vice President European Commission



Kadri Simson Energy Commissioner European Commission



Aziz Rabah Minister for Energy / Mines / Environment Morocco

💄 Energy4Europe 💼 and European Commission 💼 #UnitedAgainstCoronavirus

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## The rise of hydrogen to top of the political agenda U Europe



93% of the EU population seeing climate change as a serious problem 72% agreeing that reducing fossil fuel imports can increase energy security and benefit the EU economically

Frans Timmermans ② @TimmermansEU · May 28 Clean hydrogen is one of the top priorities in our energy transition. Europe is, and can remain, a world leader if we get our investments right.

#GreenRecovery #EUGreenDeal

# Green and Just Recovery

"A different growth model is possible. I see the climate transition as a huge opportunity for the European economy...we have the technologies...just think of hydrogen..." @Business Europe Day, March 2020



"Never before in Europe have we seen such a level of interest about hydrogen as we have today. The reason is twofold: we need hydrogen to achieve climate-neutrality and we should use this opportunity to invest in the clean energy technologies, to restart the economy and promote innovation after the devastating economic effects of the COVID crisis."

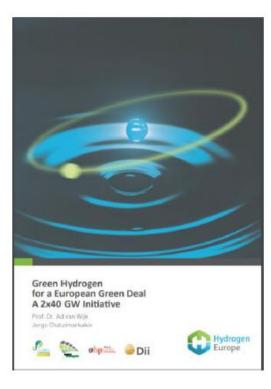
@Global Hydrogen Forum 2020, June



## Engaging and influencing the political process (1)



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Produce 40GW in Europe and 40GW in neighbouring countries by 2030. COST



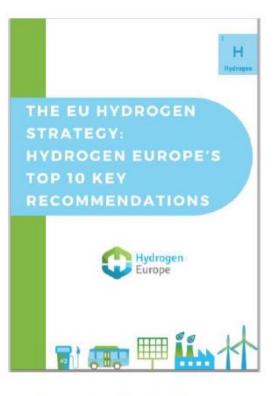
€430bn in funds are needed to kick start the hydrogen economy.

#### COMMITMENT

90+ Hydrogen Europe CEOs ready to support Clean Hydrogen Alliance

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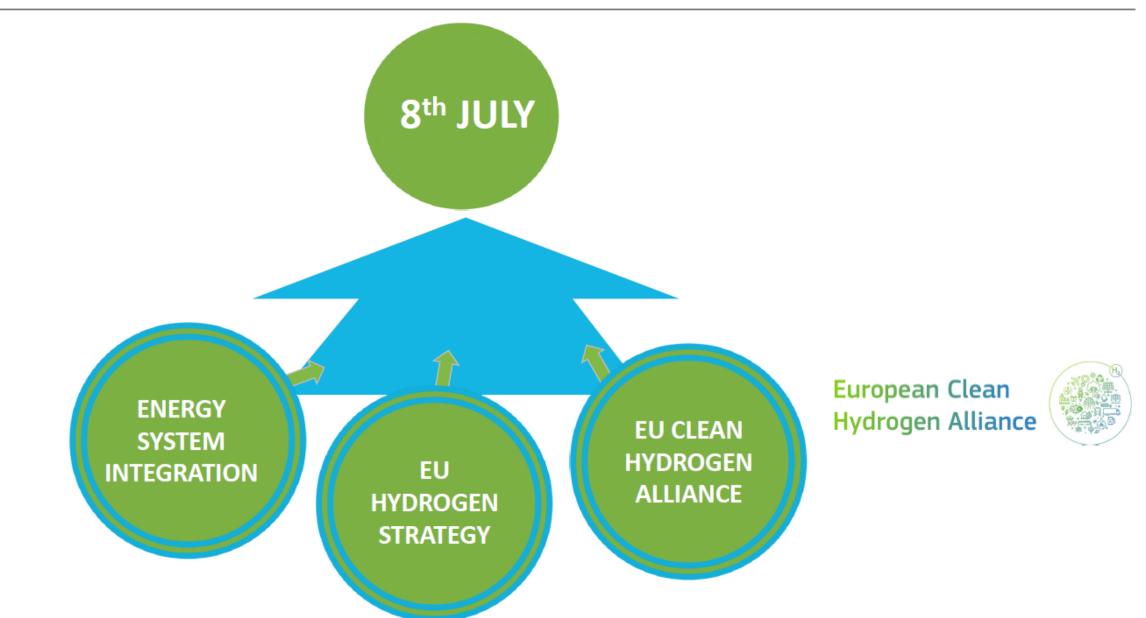
Input to the Hydrogen Strategy: providing an enabling regulatory framework at EU level.

### Engaging and influencing the political process (2)





#### **3 important upcoming EU initiatives**





# Upcoming EU initiatives: Energy System Integration





Define an EU wide terminology for renewable and low carbon hydrogen together with a methodology to calculate life cycle greenhouse gas emissions in order to enable a functioning clean hydrogen economy

Establish the principle of CO2 as the new "currency" of the energy system

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Promote and support hydrogen market stimulation programs including quotas/targets, dedicated programs and support schemes



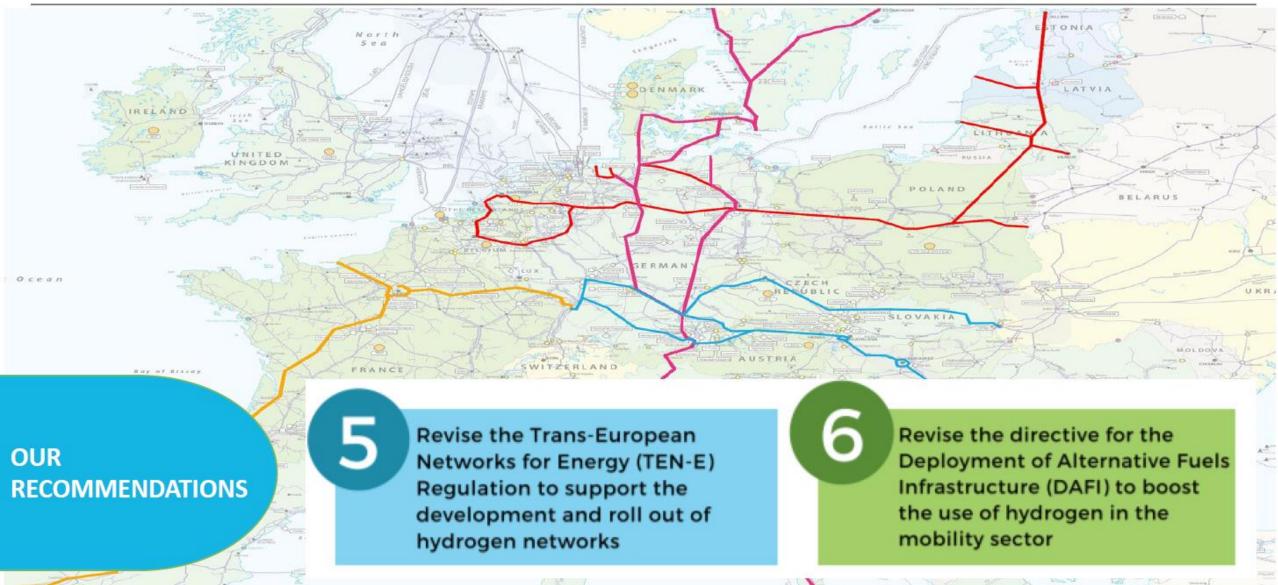
Enable a competitive hydrogen economy by clarifying the market design and supporting sectoral integration





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OUR RECOMMENDATIONS Unlock hydrogen's potential by leveraging innovative financial instruments

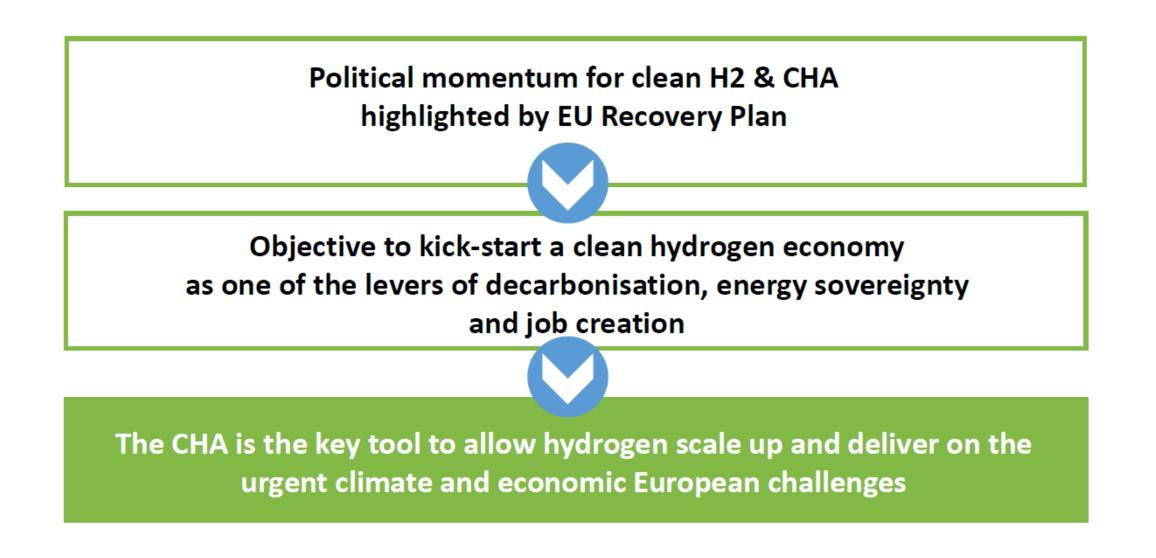


Launch the Clean Hydrogen Alliance and establish hydrogen as a key element in global EU climate diplomacy and neighbourhood policy

## European Clean Hydrogen Alliance







### **Clean Hydrogen Alliance: Mission**



Bring together all relevant stakeholders in the hydrogen value chain

- to go to hydrogen <u>large-scale</u> production and deployment projects, &
- support the creation of <u>a</u> sustainable & competitive hydrogen ecosystem in Europe

#NextGenerationEU #EUBudget

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#### **Clean Hydrogen Alliance: Expectation**



#### Deliverables **Green Hydrogen** Pipeline of large-scale investment projects in the clean hydrogen ecosystem Investment and Support Report **Roadmap addressing the main bottlenecks** for the scaling up of clean hydrogen in the EU Hydrogen Europe's input for a (procedures, standards, technology development, regulations) **Keys of success** Leadership of industry (business opportunities, technology leadership... Ambitious vision of a European h2 backbone for 2030 (2x40 GW, IPCEIs & missing links) ٠ Strategic advice on case by case approach & tailored financial and investment support (Green Hydrogen Investment and Support Report) Integration of experience in the legislative making process

#### **Clean Hydrogen Alliance: Governance**



