



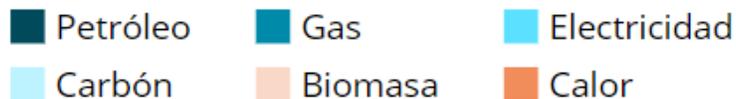
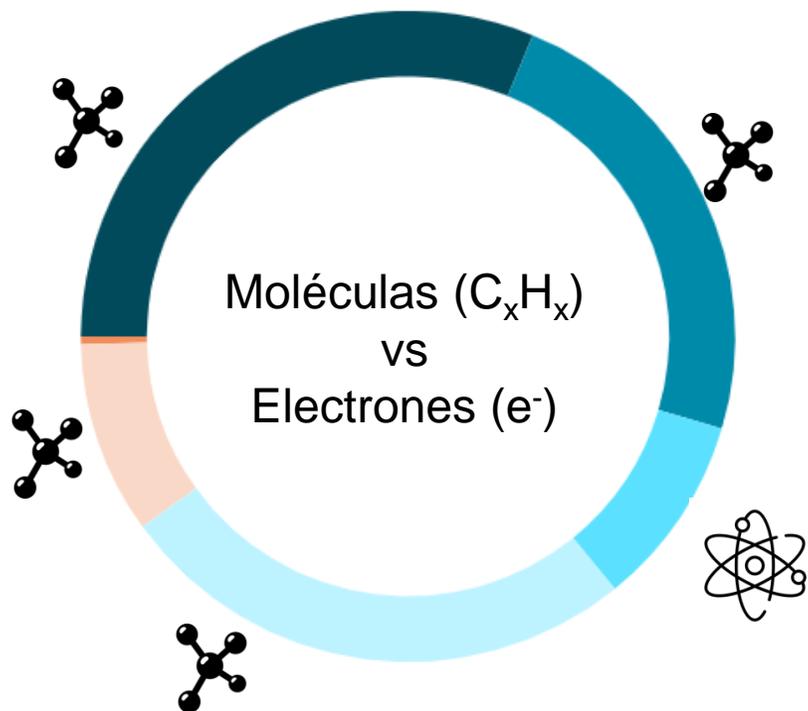
# CEA-LITEN: the French Institute for Energy Transition

**FROM RESEARCH TO INDUSTRY, TOWARDS A GREEN HYDROGEN ECONOMY**

International seminar CALAC, Opportunities for the development of green hydrogen, March 11<sup>th</sup> 2021

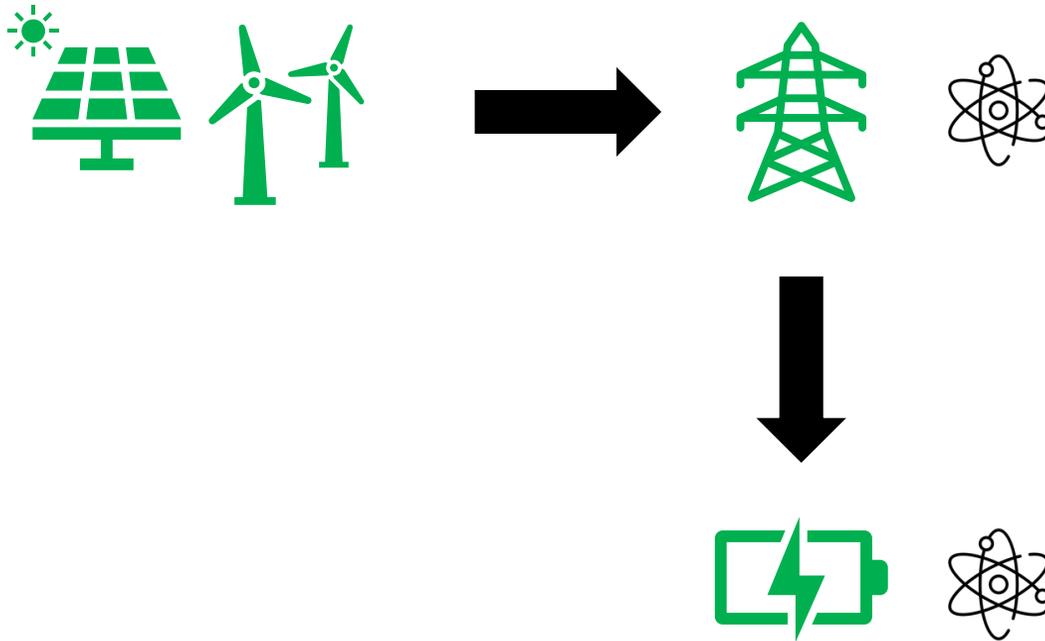
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## Consumo final de energía (global)



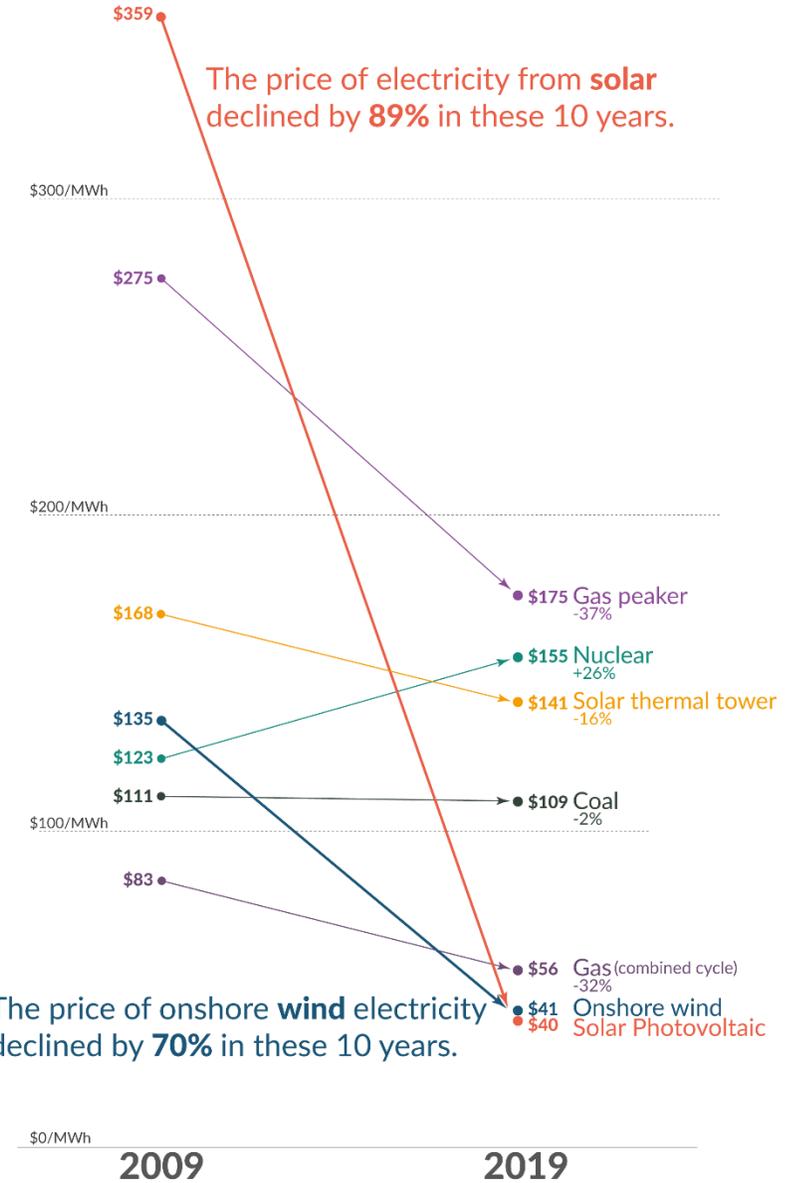
Para descarbonizar la matriz energética necesitamos combustibles verdes

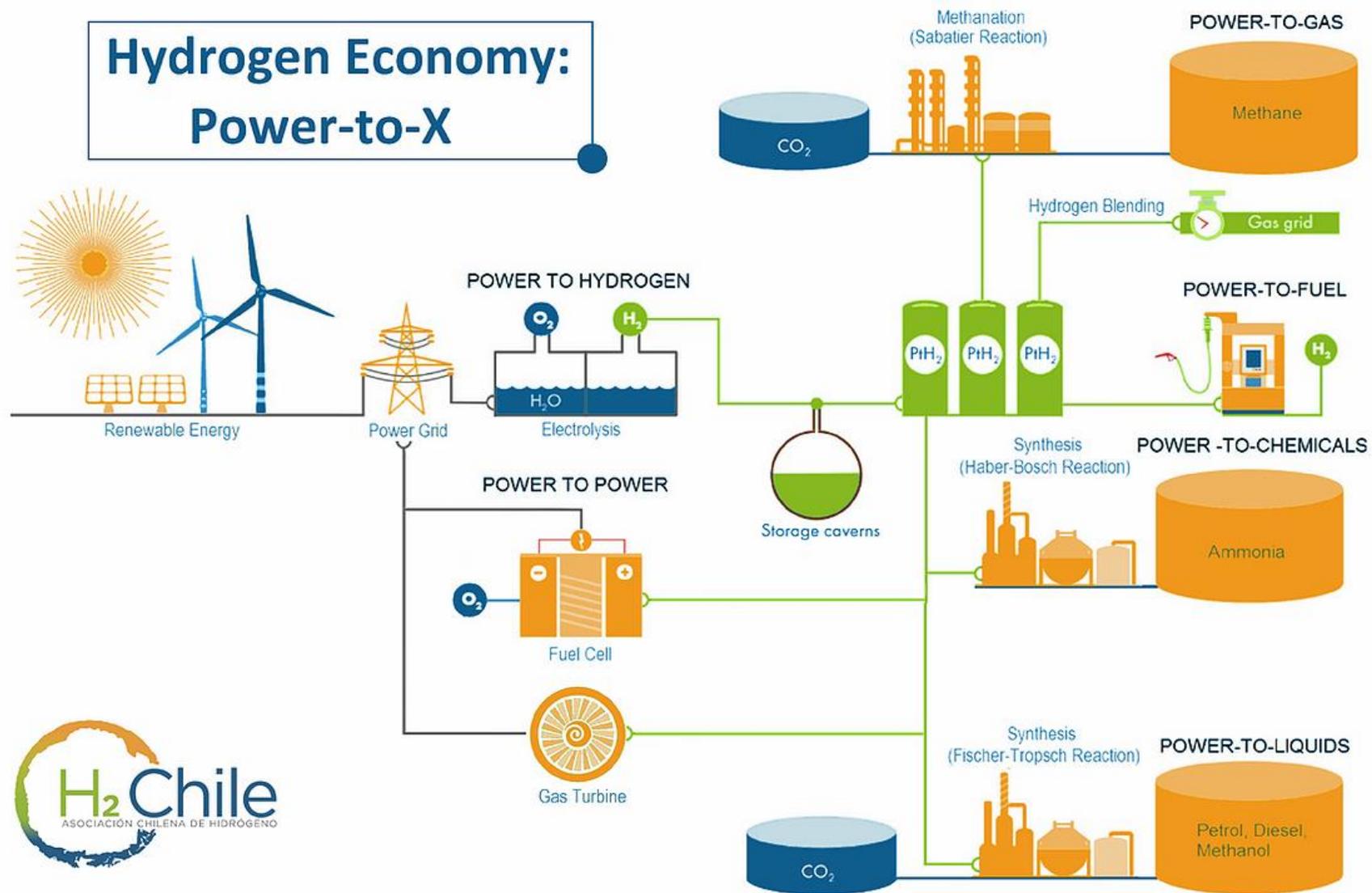
# 3 GRANDES ALIADOS PARA DESCARBONIZAR LA MATRIZ: PV, WIND Y BATERÍAS



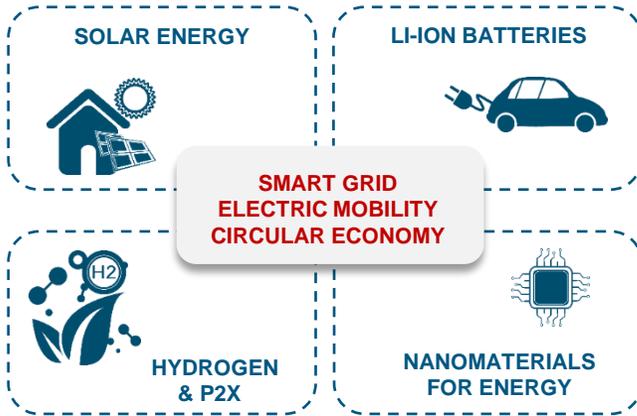
## The price of electricity from new power plants

Electricity prices are expressed in 'levelized costs of energy' (LCOE). LCOE captures the cost of building the power plant itself as well as the ongoing costs for fuel and operating the power plant over its lifetime.





## 4 RESEARCH DIVISIONS



**Misión:** apoyar la industria hacia la transición energética

**Cómo:** desarrollando conocimiento y tecnologías para y con la industria

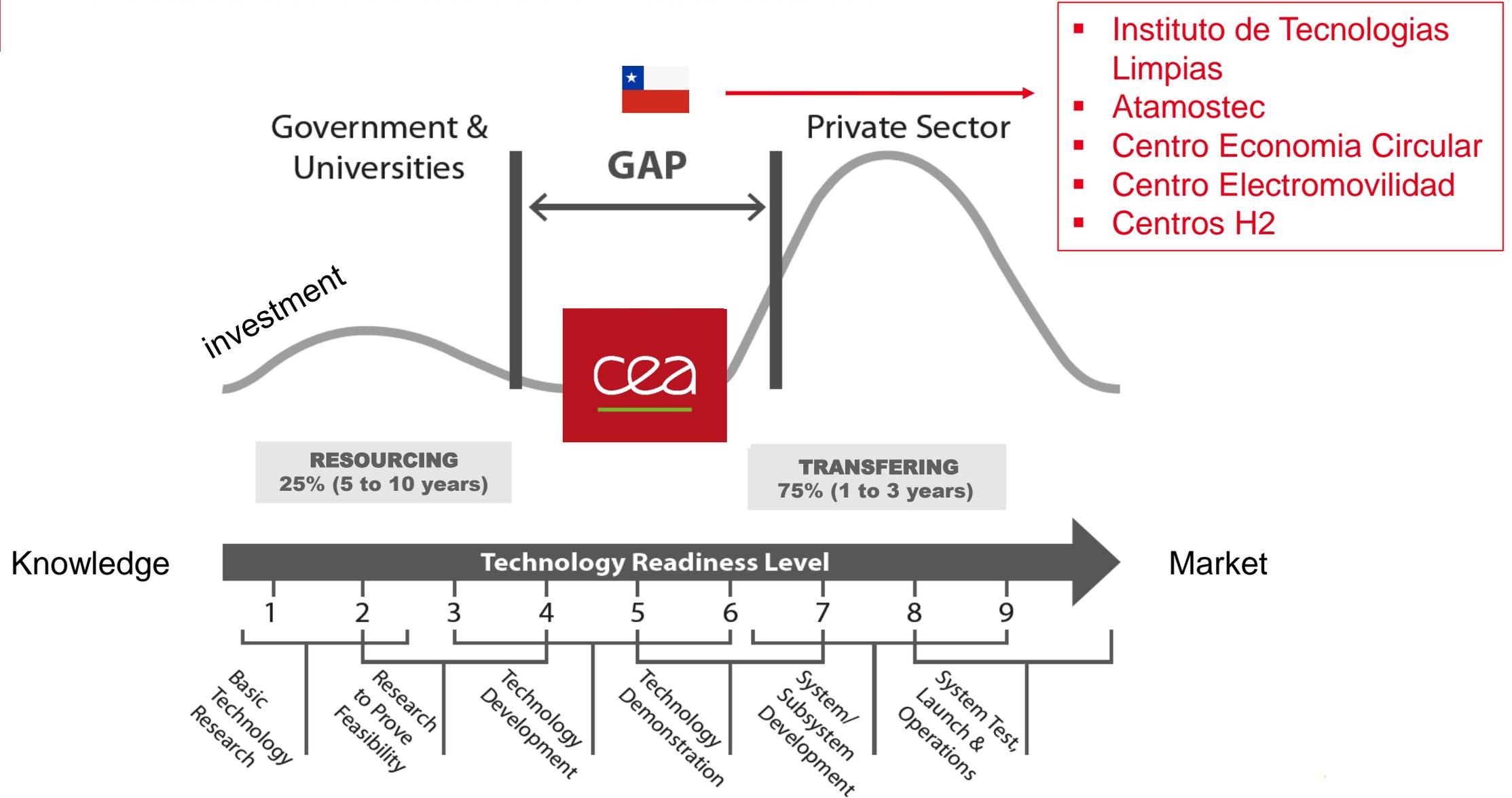
**2 sitios** (infra. & equip. >300M€) para tests y prototipaje pre-industrial

1.100 empleados, 1.200+ patentes, **250+ clientes industriales**

**14 plataformas** para pilotaje tecnológico



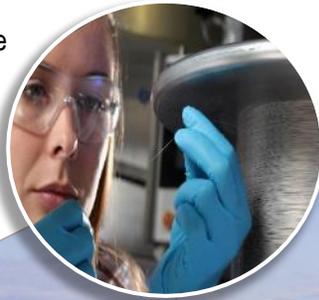
# FROM RESEARCH TO INDUSTRY : MIND THE GAP !



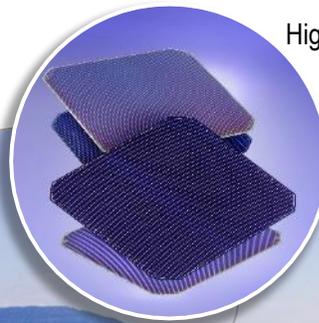
Silicon  
Cristallization



Diamond wire  
Wafering



High efficiency  
Cells



Innovative  
Modules



Energy efficiency for building  
BIPV



Production yield evaluation  
for PV power plant



Solar  
Mobility



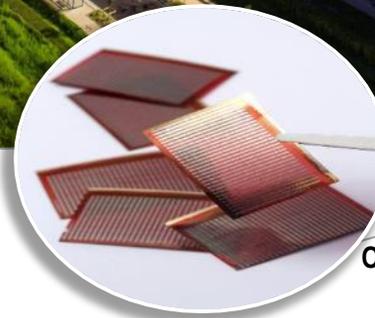
Smart electrical  
Systems & grids

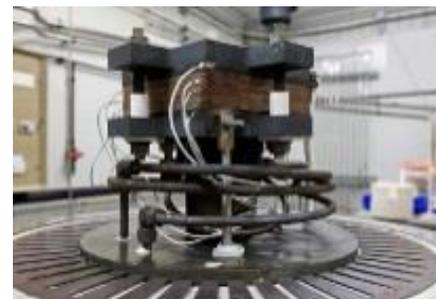
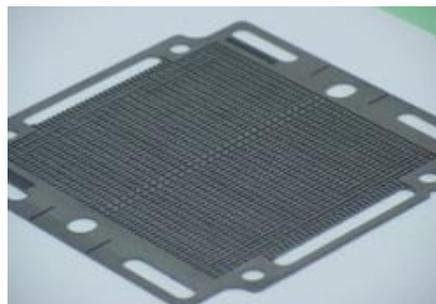


Storage selection  
& management



Organic & Tandem  
(perovskite) PV



Materials  
synthesisCell  
assemblySystem  
developmentSystem  
integrationHYDROGEN  
PLATFORMBATTERY  
PLATFORM

Modeling, Characterization, technological watch

## SENEPY

H<sub>2</sub> Production  
= 0.5 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h



- Small scale
- Demonstration of technical feasibility for hybrid hydrogen-battery solutions (LFP). Simplification and optimization of energy efficiency strategy.

## Hyway

H<sub>2</sub> mobility  
= 100 vehicles



- Intermediate scale
- Demonstrator of H<sub>2</sub> production storage, distribution and H<sub>2</sub> mobility for delivery companies

## PROHYTEC

H<sub>2</sub> Production  
= 20 Nm<sup>3</sup>/h



- Large scale
- Coupled to real renewable energy source

## MYRTE

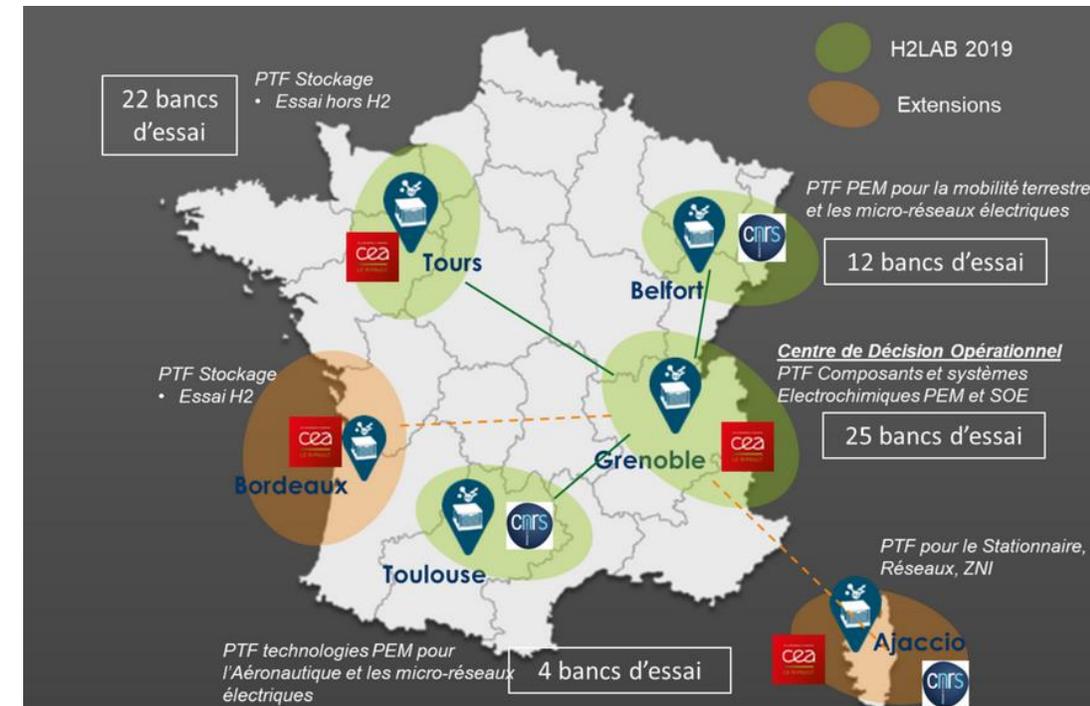
4.2 MWh of energy  
stored into H<sub>2</sub>



- Real-life conditions
- Solar coupling
- Re-injection into grid

## H2LAB

## The French testing platform for industry



2005

2010

2020

Transfer to industry

## PV modules

**Strategic decision**  
Launch of HJT activities

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**Proof of concept**



**Demonstrators**



**Transfer to industry**



**enel**  
Green Power

## Electrolyzers

**Strategic decision**  
Launch of SOC activities

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**Proof of concept**  
First electrolyzer rSOC



**Demonstrators**



**Transfer to industry**



**Schlumberger**  
**VINCI**  
CONSTRUCTION

## Fuel cells

**Strategic decision**  
Launch of PEMFC activities

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**Proof of concept**  
first stack PEMFC



**Demonstrators**  
From EZ to ~100 vehicles



**Transfer to industry**



**SYMBIO**  
A FAURECIA MICHELIN HYDROGEN COMPANY  
**MICHELIN**  
**faurecia**  
inspiring mobility

## Proprietary database of real using cases

Feedback of previous demonstrations  
Real driving cycles

## Vibration tests - Endurance

Components and/or systems testing  
Vibrating pot device

## Climatic tests

Pressure, Temperature  
Effects of altitude on FC performance and lifetime

## Terrain inclination tests

Effects of terrain on FC performance and lifetime

## Electricals tests

Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)

- RF immunity, RF susceptibility

Qualification tests in representative cycle

- Power cycling, Partner network

## Casos exitosos CEA-LITEN:



## Next steps?



Strong knowledge and active participation in RCS (Regulation, Codes & Standards) organizations

Large domains:

- Aeronautic, Maritime, Railways and road applications

Hydrogen implementing:

- Mobility directives and standards
  - European 79/2009 and 406/2010 Directive
  - Hydrogen Refueling Stations (HRS)
- Stationary
  - ATEX directive, DESP directive

Active member in standardization committees

Prenormative (PNR) research programs involvement

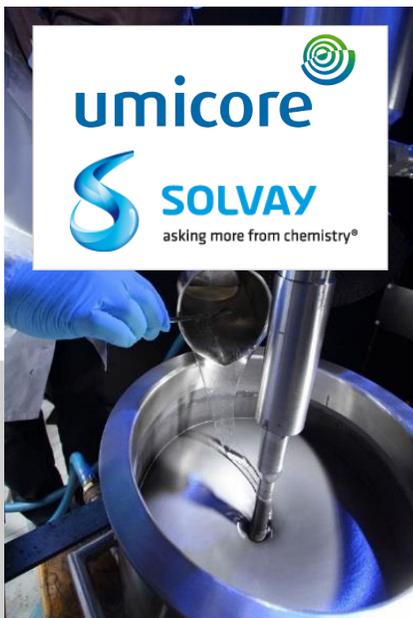
- **Ex Hytunnel: H2 safety in tunnels and confined space experiments**

Member of international Technical Committees

- IEC TC 105 (fuel cells), ISO TC 197 (hydrogen)
- UN GTR 13
- IPHE



## Material



## Cells



## Packs &amp; BMS



## Recycling



## ¿COMO APOYAMOS A LA INDUSTRIA?

- ✓ IP, know-how and technology transfer
- ✓ Testing, Characterization, Understanding, improvement
- ✓ Training
- ✓ Benchmark, Techno-economical analysis (database)
- ✓ Proof of concept, demonstrators, pre-industrialization
- ✓ Modeling and simulation



Planta de pruebas Lalcktur (1 MWp)

**Objetivo:**

minimizar el LCOE (y entonces el LCOH) en el desierto de Atacama

**CEA-Liten contribution in ATAMOSTEC :**

- Design of PV panels adapted to Atacama desert
- Qualification → Desert Label
- Modeling and data analysis
- Competitiveness analysis (objective LCOE < 15 USD/MWh)
- Training, IP Transfer

Laboratorio outdoor - PSDA (Plataforma solar del desierto de Atacama)





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