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Hydrogen in the Netherlands

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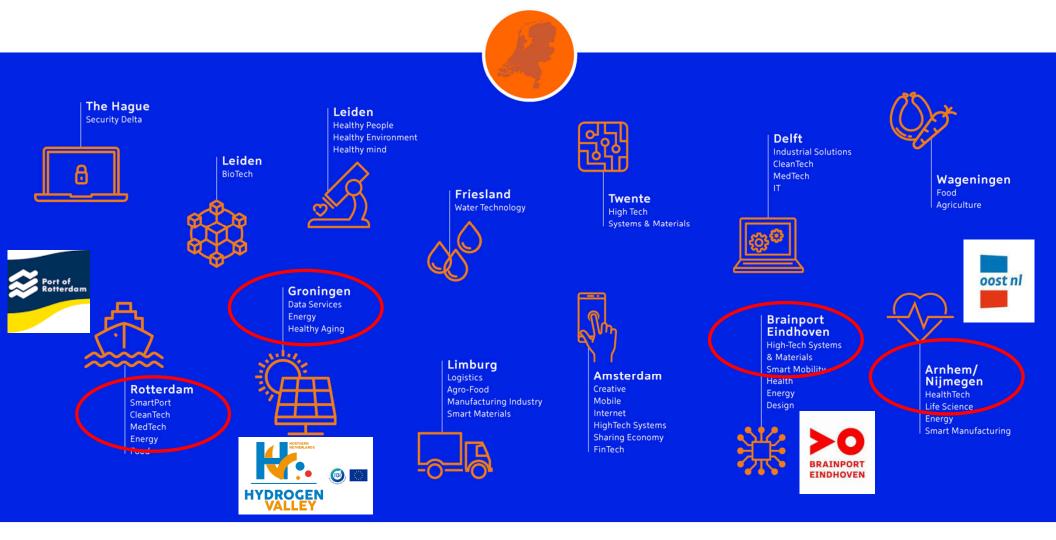
The Netherlands Topsectors





- ► NL top energy sector
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 - ► Rotterdam (West NL)
 - ► Groningen (North NL)
 - ► Arnhem (East NL)
 - ► Eindhoven (South NL)
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Hightech hubs in the Netherlands - Energy





Port of Rotterdam

Port of Rotterdam 20 million tons Hydrogen flow by 2050

- ► The Port of Rotterdam will move from fossil energy to carbon neutral hydrogen and with renewable energy (source: Randolf Weterings, Program Manager Electrification and Hydrogen at Port of Rotterdam)
- ▶ 2050 mission is to have a flow of 20 million tons of H2 through the Port of Rotterdam



Port of Rotterdam

ENERGY TRANSITION DEVELOPMENTS OVERVIEW ROTTERDAM REGION

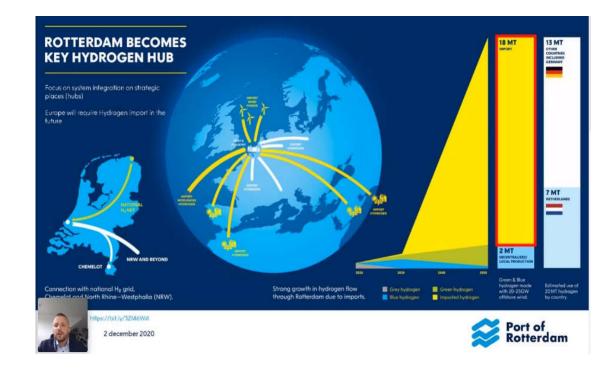




Rotterdam Becomes a Key Hydrogen Hub

- ► Part of the H₂ production will be done locally
 - ► Need 20 million tons
 - ▶ 18 million ton will be imported
 - ► 2 million tons will be produced locally
- Expect 7 million tons to be use in NL and 13 million in the rest of Northwestern Europe

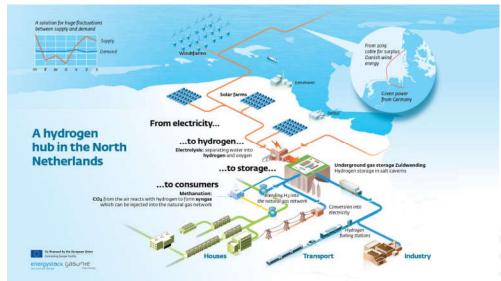




Groningen Becomes a Hydrogen Hub by 2026

▶ By 2026, the Northern Netherlands region aims to become a "Hydrogen Valley", a geographical area hosting an entire hydrogen value chain – from production to distribution, storage and local end-use









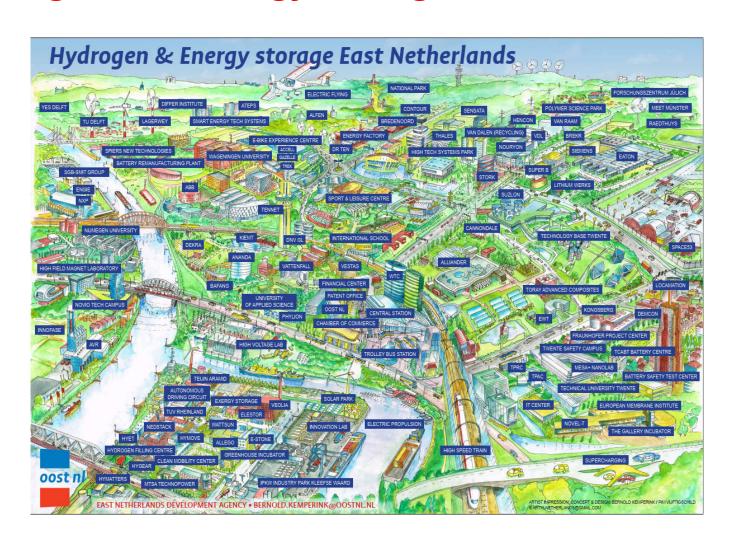
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- ► FCH-JU recently funded <u>HEAVENN project</u> ("Hydrogen Energy Applications in Valley Environments for Northern Netherlands") (€20 million) to further develop Northern NL hydrogen valley
- ► HEAVENN, coordinated by NL New Energy Coalition, brings together 29 public and private parties from 7 European countries



Hydrogen and Energy Storage in East Netherlands







Eindhoven Region: Basic and Applied R&D

- ▶ DIFFER Fundemental Research: co-develop with Toyota a system for solar conversion of aerial H2O to H2
- ► On automotive campus in Helmond 1st Hydrogen fueling station
- ► Hydrogen and mobility
 - ► VDL busses
 - ► DAF/Paccar trucks
 - ► E-Trucks garbage trucks







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Hydrogen Production in the Netherlands

- Biomass to hydrogen 50 MW Gasification Plant in Terneuzen (Zeeland)
- Biohydrogen production from biogenic waste streams and wastewater
- Turning grey hydrogen into bleu hydrogen
- Hydrogen Delta Gigawatt Factory in the Delta Region (blue to green)
- ▶ NortH2 Production of Green Hydrogen from a GW Windfarm in the North Sea
- Electrolyzer
 - HyNetherlands 100 MW Electrolyser in the Eemshaven
 - Rotterdam 200 MW electrolyzer
 - 1 GW hydrohub GigaWatt Scale electrolyzer
 - Hygear produces equipment for electrolysis (Arnhem region)







Hydrohub GW

The Hydrohub GigaWatt Scale Electrolyser

Conceptual design of a many - electrolyset system of gigawatt size - the size that bridges large-scale renewable power production in offshore wind parks and industrial-scale use of hydrogen for feedstock and energy purposes.



The Rotterdam Electrolyser

Realisation of ~200 MW Electrolyser in Rotterdam

The green hydrogen produced will initially be used at the Shell refinery in Pernis to partially decarbonise the production of fossil fuels. This saves a minimum of 200,000 tonnes of CO₂ per year. This hydrogen can later be used to decarbonise trucks in the transport sector.



Hydrogen Delta

Aiming for a Gigawatt Factory in the Delta Region

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Realisation of a large pilot (on a ~ 100 MW scale) and a large-scale green hydrogen factory (on a ~ GW scale) by 2025. Blue hydrogen is used in the transition to green. In addition, realisation of a hydrogen network in the port area, which is compreded to the patignal pelwork.



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Hydrogen Transportation in the Netherlands

Re-use the natural gas pipelines to transport hydrogen

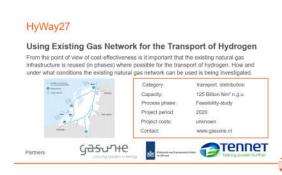
- ▶ Gasunie will convert natural gas pipelines into a hydrogen backbone pipeline infrastructure, connecting hydrogen production sites (i.e., offshore wind at the North Sea), to hydrogen storage in salt caverns and to the demand in industrial clusters (awaiting final decision)
- NSWPH: Modular hubs in the North Sea connect offshore wind farms with interconnectors to bordering North Sea countries





Figure 5 Hydrogen Backbone the Netherlands – Existing natural gas transport pipeline will be converted into a hydrogen transport pipeline that connects hydrogen supply to hydrogen storage and demand in industrial clusters (Gasunie, 2019)

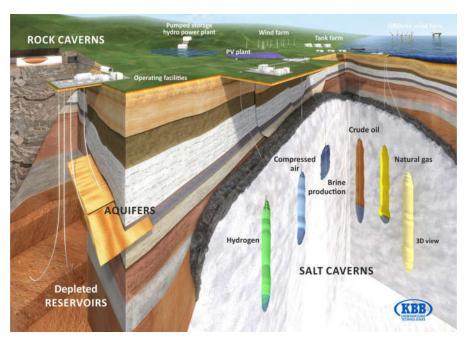




Hydrogen Storage in Salt Caverns in the Netherlands

Underground storage, in salt caverns or in porous media (i.e., in aquifers or in depleted oil and gas fields) is the only way to cope with big storage capacities

- Microbial sulfate reduction poses a risk to H2 storage in salt caverns
- Prevention: increase the pH of the brine in the cavern as well as increasing the iron concentration in the brine





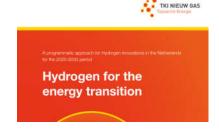
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Netherlands's Hydrogen Policy

- ► Important milestones
 - June 2019: Climate Agreement (-49% in 2030, carbon neutral in 2050)
 - January 2020: Release of Innovation Roadmap for hydrogen ('<u>Hydrogen for the Energy</u> <u>Transition</u>')
 - March 2020: Release of Government Strategy on hydrogen

Klimaatakkoord

De complete versie van het Klimaatakkoord, dat op 28 juni 2019 gepresenteerd werd, en de begeleidende brieven.



Dutch Ministry Presents Clean and Green Hydrogen Vision for the Netherlands





hydrogen

On Monday the 30th of March 2020, The Minister of Economic Affairs and Minister Webes submitted the Dutch Cabinet's vision in hydrogen to the House of Representatives.

Netherlands's Hydrogen Policy

- ► Legislation & regulation
 - Infrastructure, role of network operators, certification, safety



- Cost reduction & scaling up green hydrogen
 - Support schemes, linking hydrogen and offshore wind, blending obligation
- Sustainability of end use
 - Ports and industry clusters, mobility, built environment, electricity sector, agriculture
- Supporting and flanking policy
 - International strategy, regional policy, research and innovation





Cost



List of Dutch Hydrogen Projects

► <u>PowerPoint-presentatie (topsectorenergie.nl)</u>



Overview of Hydrogen Projects in the Netherlands

Peter de Laat for TKI Nieuw Gas

Summer 2020

Dutch Hydrogen Tenders

Possible international cooperation



► TSE: Waterstof tender

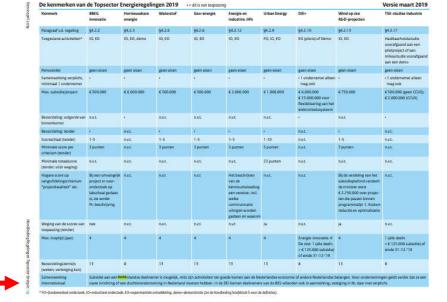
TSE: Waterstof tender

Tijdelijk gesloten

- ► <u>Regelingen Topsector Energie (rvo.nl)</u>
- ► Tender currently closed; Intl companies

Need business presence in NL

Netherlands Foreign Investment Agency



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Knowledge Transfer and EU Partner searches

- ► Knowledge transfer https://idic.org.il/events
 - 1-2 Sep 2020 H2 course
 - 13 Jan 2021 Renewable energy mini symposium
 - 2 Feb 2021 Hydrogen and renewable energy
- ► EU Partner searches https://idic.org.il/opportunities
 - Searches for partners for EU projects



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