

# Green Hydrogen: India's perspective

Ministry of New & Renewable  
Energy



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# Introduction of Hydrogen

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**First element in  
periodic table**

**Lightest Element  
(lighter than air)**

**Colorless**

**Odorless**

**Highly  
Inflammable**

**Abundantly  
available**

**Versatile  
Industrial usage**

**Low Density**

***Long thought as a future source of energy***

# India's Hydrogen Journey

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1976 – Hydrogen Energy Task Force (HETF)

1983 – Technical Advisory Committee on Hydrogen Energy (TACHE);

2003 – National Hydrogen Energy Board (NHEB) under MNRE steering group of NHEB

2006 – National Hydrogen Road Map Green Initiative for Future Transport (GIFT)

2016 – Renew of existing policies

2023 – National Green Hydrogen Mission

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# India's Energy Transition Goals announced at CoP-26

500

Non-fossil energy capacity to reach 500 GW by 2030



50% of energy through RE by 2030



Emissions intensity of GDP to reduce by 45% by 2030 (vs. 2005)



Projected carbon emissions to reduce by 1 billion tonnes from now to 2030

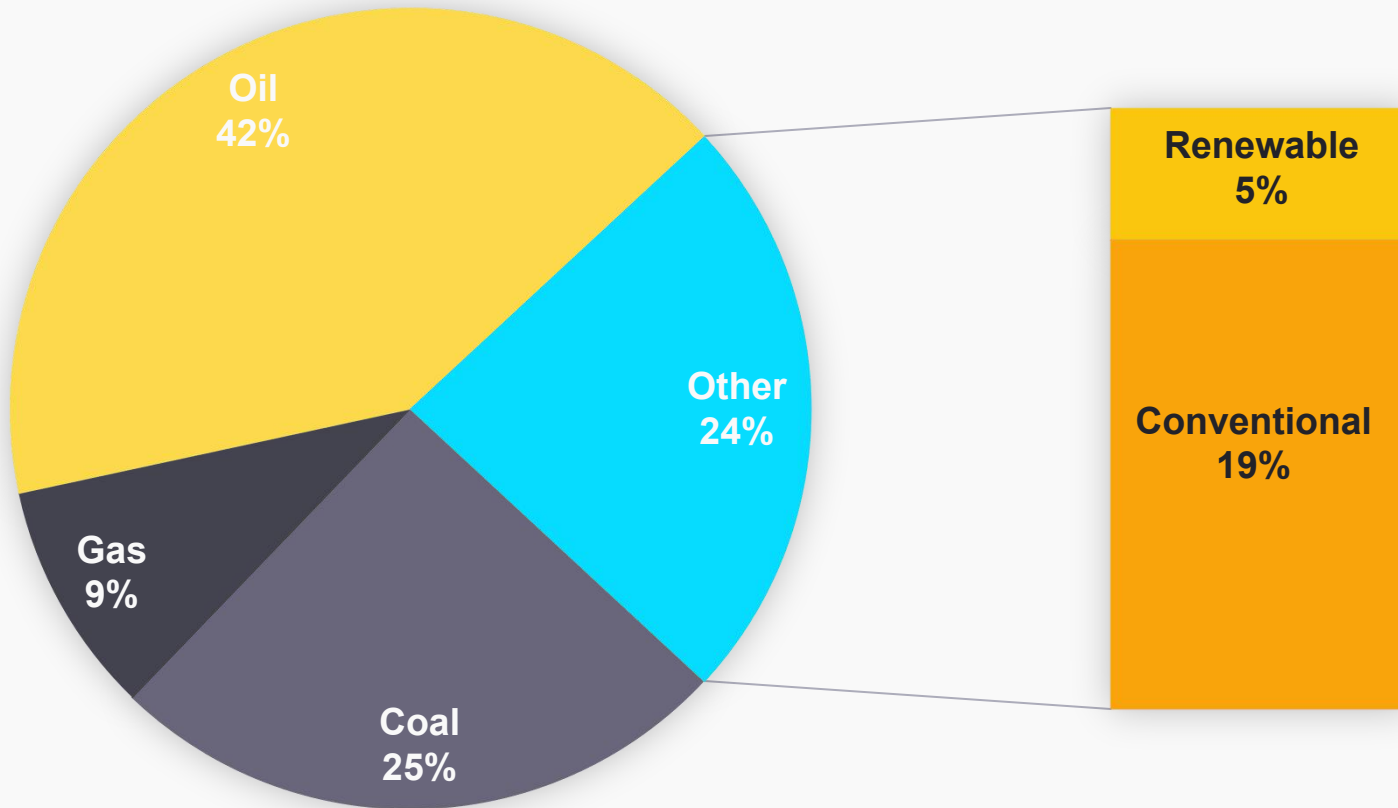


Achieve the target of net-zero by 2070

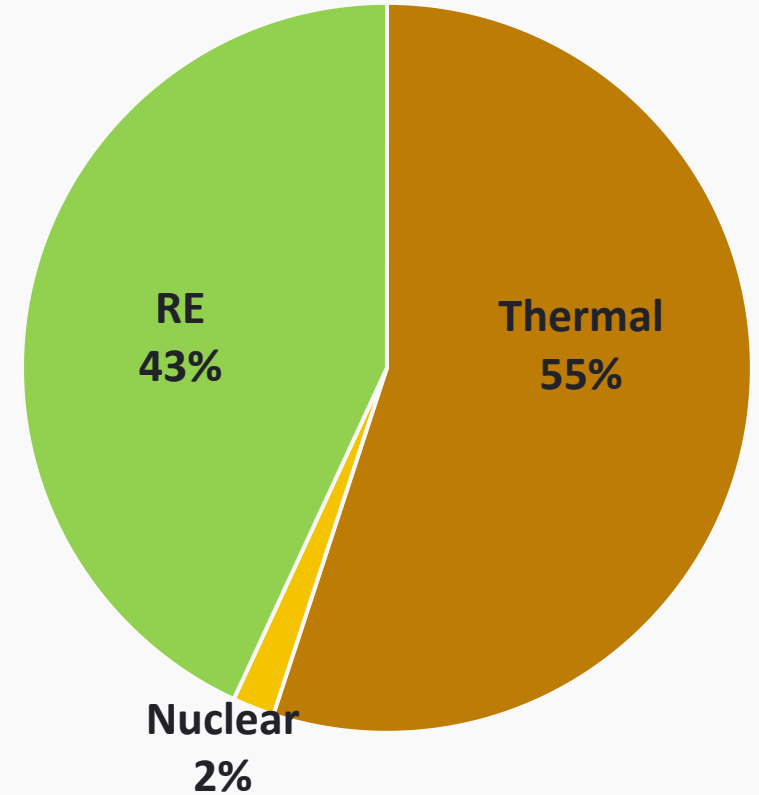
*Renewable energy deployment is central to achieving these goals*

# Energy Mix

India's Energy Consumption  
(60 Lakh GWh)



Electricity Generation Capacity (448 GW)



***Share of RE in India's Energy Mix has been increasing***

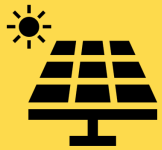
# National Green Hydrogen Mission



At least  
5 MMT  
GH<sub>2</sub> Annual Production



60-100 GW  
Electrolyser  
Capacity



125 GW RE  
Capacity for  
GH<sub>2</sub> Generation



50 MMT  
Emissions  
Averted

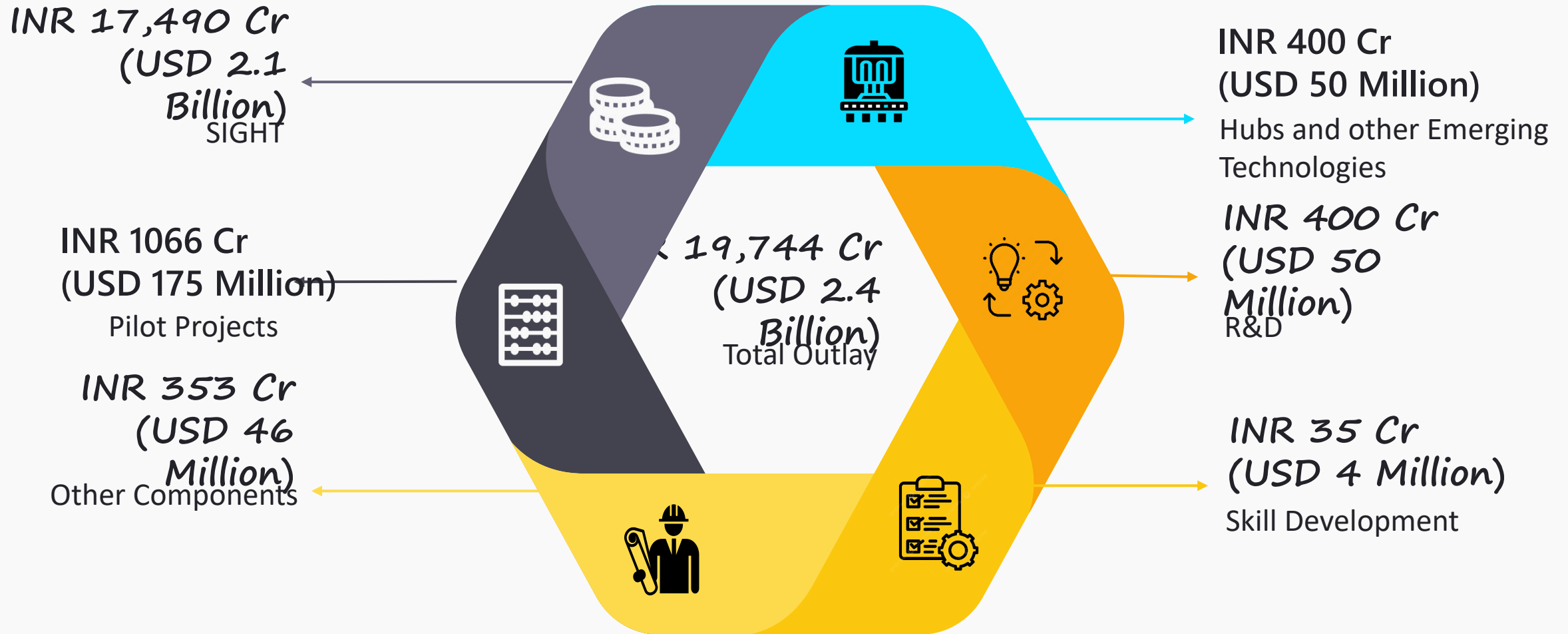


INR 1 Lakh Crore  
(USD 12.5 Billion)  
Import Savings



INR 8 Lakh Crores  
(USD 100 Billion)  
Investment

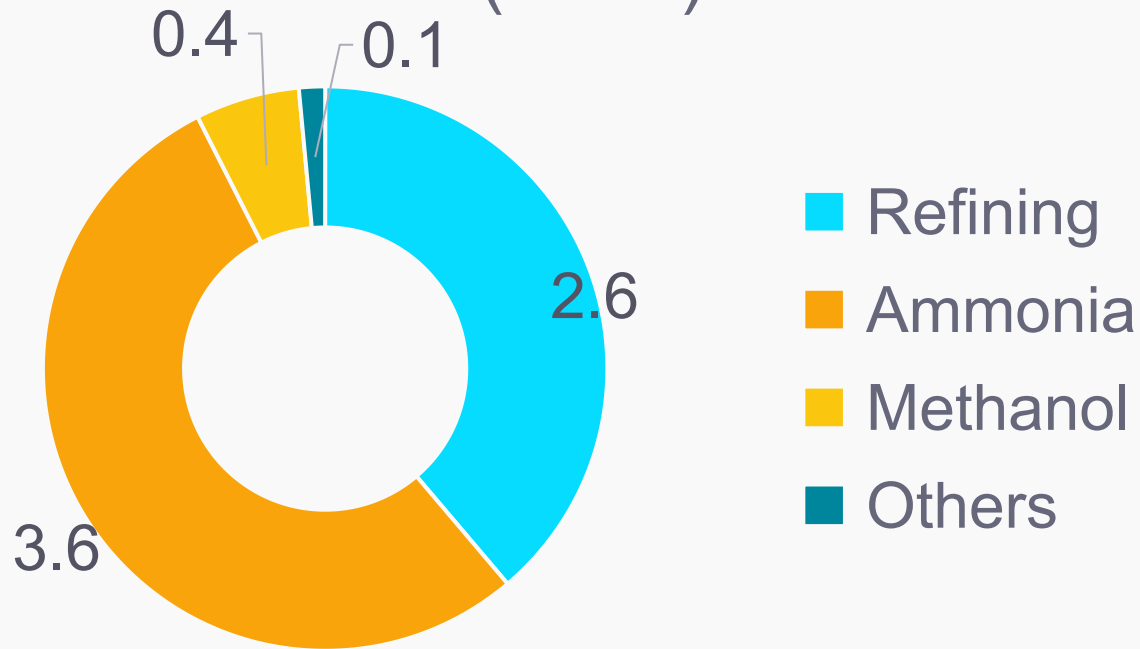
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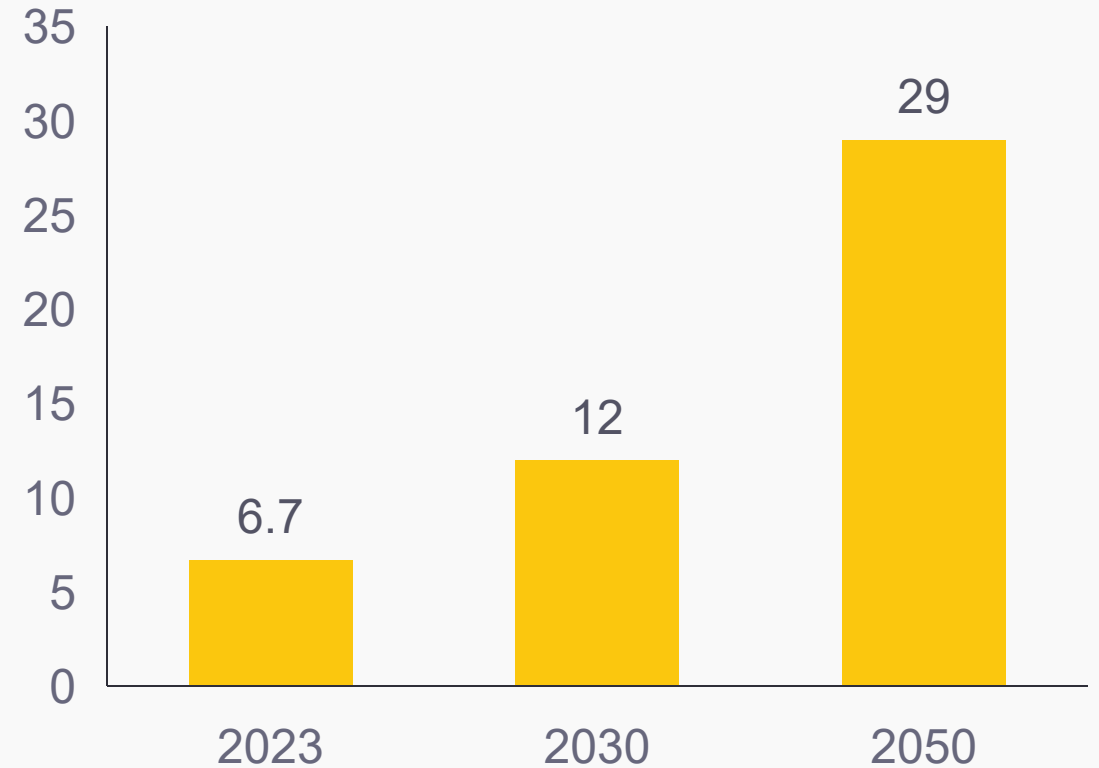


# Hydrogen Demand in India

## Current Demand of Hydrogen (MMT)



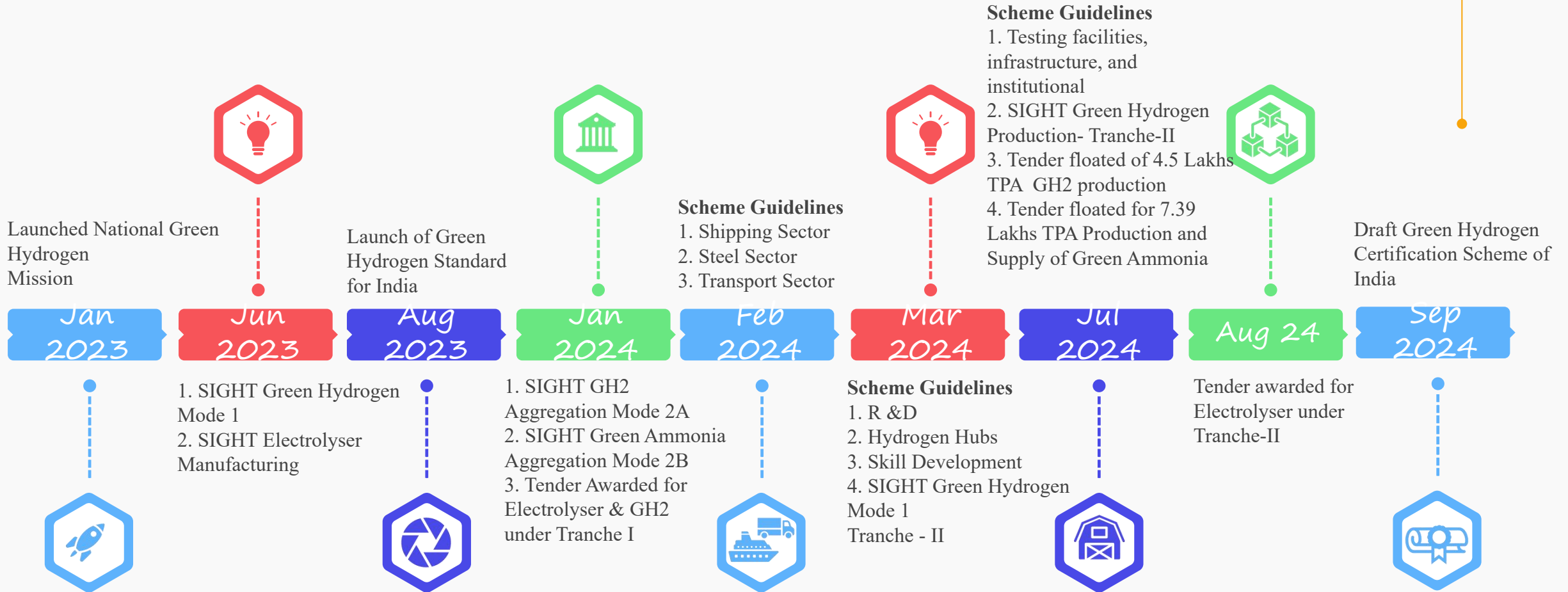
## Demand of Hydrogen (MMT)



# SIGHT Programme

Electrolyser	Tranche I	1500 MW per annum (8 companies)
	Tranche II	1500 MW per annum (11 companies)
	Total: 3000 MW	
Green Hydrogen	Mode 1	Tranche I: 4,12,000 TPA of Green Hydrogen(10 companies)
		Tranche II: 4,50,000 TPA of Green Hydrogen (Tender is live)
	Mode 2	Mode 2A (Green Ammonia for fertilizers- Aggregation mode) 7,39,000 TPA (Tender is live)
		Mode 2B (Green Hydrogen for refineries - Aggregation mode) 2,00,000 TPA

# Timeline of Scheme Launched



# Green Hydrogen Standard of India



“Green Hydrogen” shall mean Hydrogen Produced using Renewable Energy, including, but not limited to, production through:

1. Electrolysis
2. Conversion of biomass



Emissions shall not be greater than 2 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq/kg H<sub>2</sub>

# NGHM Workforce



## *Role of Empowered Group*

- Overall monitoring and guidance

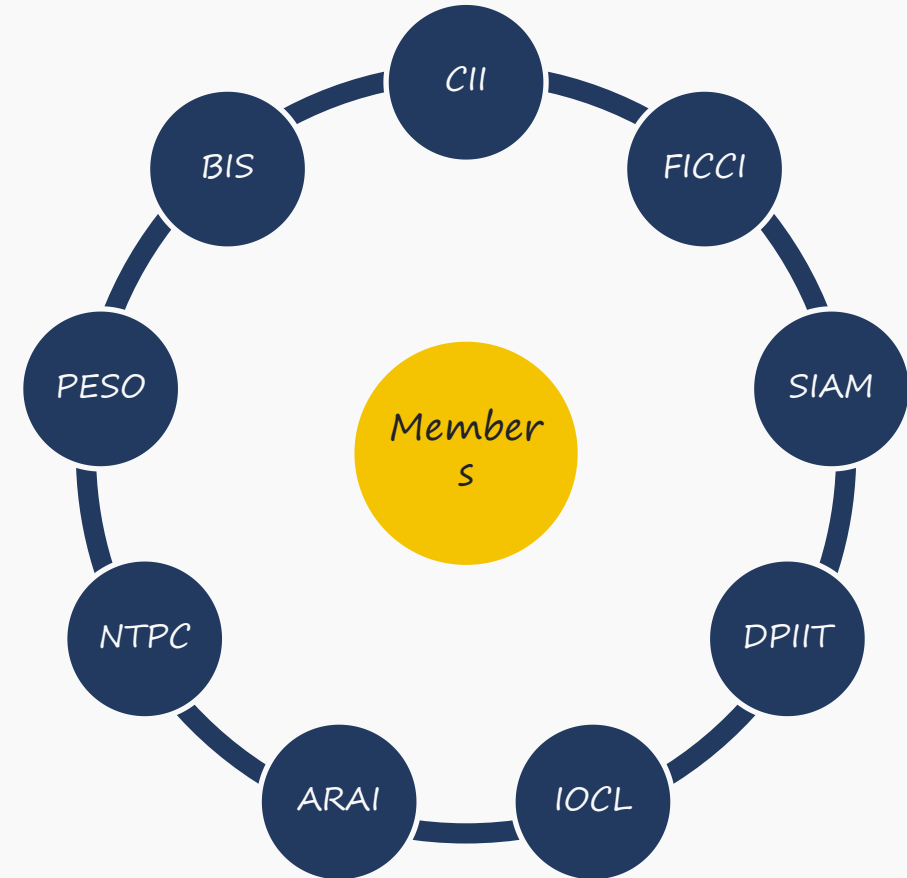
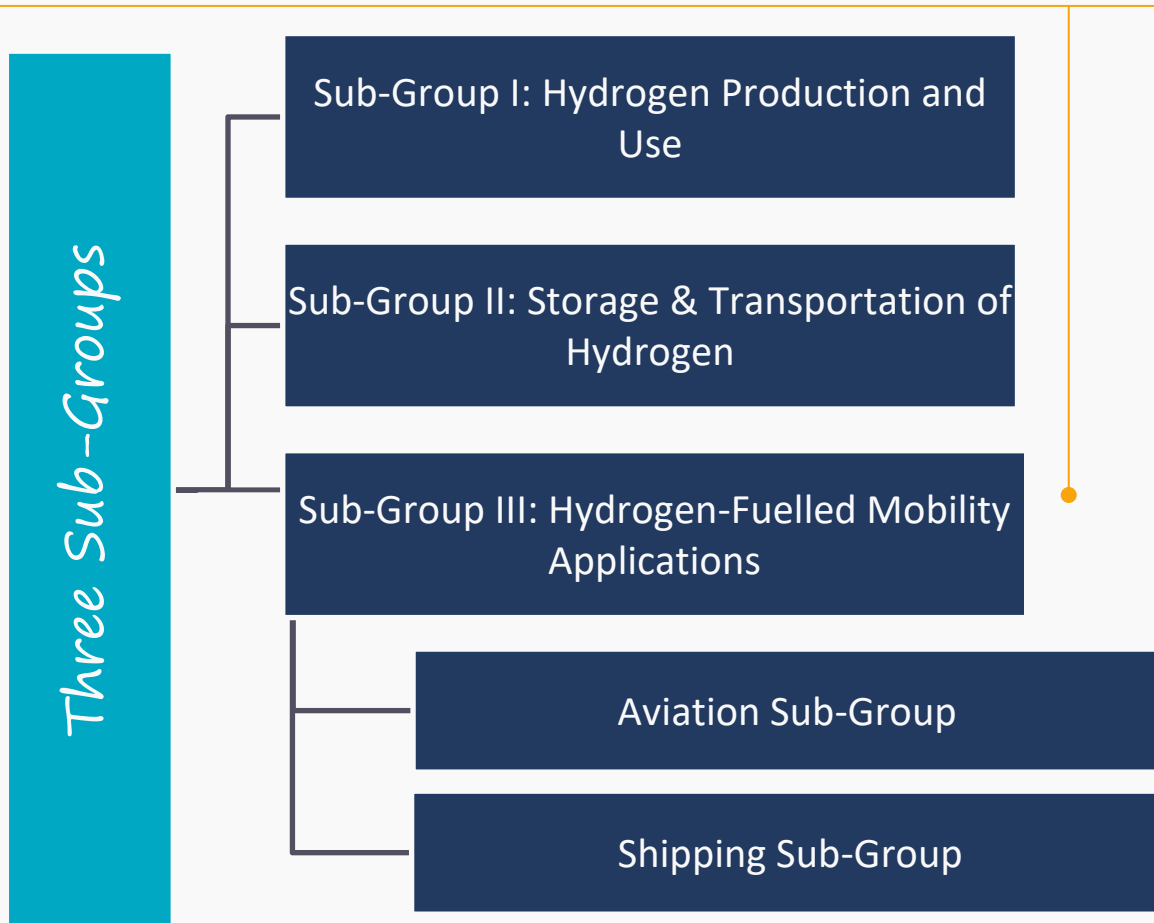
## *Role of Advisory Group*

- Advise
- Recommend
- Assist EG

## *Role of Mission Secretariat*

- Develop Strategic plans
- Stakeholder Interaction
- Keep Database
- Oversee progress
- Provide guidance

# Regulations, Codes and Standards



**152** Standards Recommended  
**81** Published

# Pilots Project Schemes for Transport Sector

INR 496  
Cr  
(USD 60  
Million)

**Budget**  
FY 2025-26

## Component of the Scheme:

- Component A:
  - ✓ Bus & Truck with Fuel Cell/Internal Combustion engine-based propulsion technology.
  - ✓ Four-wheeler vehicles with Fuel Cell/Internal Combustion engine-based propulsion technology.
- Component B:
  - ✓ Development/selection/validation of technologies for supporting infrastructure like Hydrogen refuelling stations.

## Status

- RfP issued by ARAI on 19th February 2024
- 13 bids received; 7 technically qualified bidders are under commercial evaluation
- 40 recommended

# Pilots Project Schemes for Shipping Sector

INR 150  
Cr  
(USD 14  
Million)

**Budget**  
FY 2025-26

## Components of the Scheme:

- INR 800 Crores (USD 9.8 Million) allocated for Retrofitting of Existing Vessels
- INR 350 Crores (USD 4.2 Million) allocated for Creation of Bunkers and Refuelling Facilities

## Status

- Shipping Corporation of India has carried out feasibility study for retrofitting work in Vessels:
- Engine
- Aux System (as per guidelines of IMO)
- Retrofitting of two 4 Stroke Engine vessel
- E-Tender issued on 10th July 2024 for selection of designer for conversion of 120T BP AHTS vessel(s)



# Pilots Project Schemes for Steel Sector

INR  
455 Cr  
(USD  
55  
Million)

**Budget**  
FY 2029-30

## Components of the Scheme:

- Use of 100% Hydrogen in DRI process using vertical shaft/kiln.
- Use of Hydrogen blending in Blast Furnace, as per limits prescribed.
- Integration of GH2 in vertical Shaft process.

## Status

- RfP issued on 11th June 2024;
- 5 Bids received and are under evaluation

# Research and Development Scheme

INR 400  
Cr  
(USD 50  
Million)

**Budget**  
FY 2025-26

## Components of the Scheme:

- Mission Mode Projects: 2022-2027
- Grand Challenge Projects: 2022-2030
- Blue Sky Projects: 2022-2035

## Status

- RoadMap notified in October 2023
- 400+ proposals received;
- Shortlisted proposals are undergoing evaluation by sub-committee

# Hydrogen Hubs Scheme

INR 200  
Cr  
(USD 25  
Million)

*Budget  
FY 2025-26*

## *Components of the Scheme:*

- *Infrastructure development for complete Hydrogen value chain including Production, Storage, Transport and Utilization*

## Status

- Call for Proposal (CfP) issued on 20th August 2024.

# Skill Development Scheme

INR 35  
Cr  
(USD 4.2  
Million)

Budget  
FY 2029 -  
30

## Components of the Scheme:

- Short Term Training (STT): 200 – 600 hours
- Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL): 30 – 132 hours
- Creation of Centre of Excellence (CoE)
- Curriculum based long duration training at Schools, ITIs, Polytechnics and HEIs

• 29

QP's  
Developed



• 15

QP's in  
process



• 24

Handbook  
Published



• 43

Master  
Trainers



• 67

Trainers



# Testing facilities, Infrastructure, and Institutional support

INR 200  
Cr  
(USD 25  
Million)

*Budget  
FY 2025-26*

## *Components of the Scheme:*

- *Development of New Testing Centres.*
- *Upgradation of existing Infrastructure*

## Status

- Call for Proposal (CfP) issued on 16th March 2024 by NISE..

# Whole of Government Approach

## Ministry of New & Renewable Energy

- Waiver of ALMM/ RLMM for RE developers in SEZ / EOU;
- List of Approvals Identified;
- 152 recommendations on standards made; 73 Standard Published

## Ministry of Power

- ISTS charges waived for GH2 and Ammonia projects to 2030;
- Banking of RE for 30 days permitted;
- Connectivity approvals at generation end on priority basis

## Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways

- Kandla, Paradip and Tuticorin ports identified to be developed as GH2 hubs

## Ministry of Commerce

- Duty benefits allowed on Captive Power plants in SEZ.
- Similar Benefits for EoU and EPCG under process.

## DPIIT

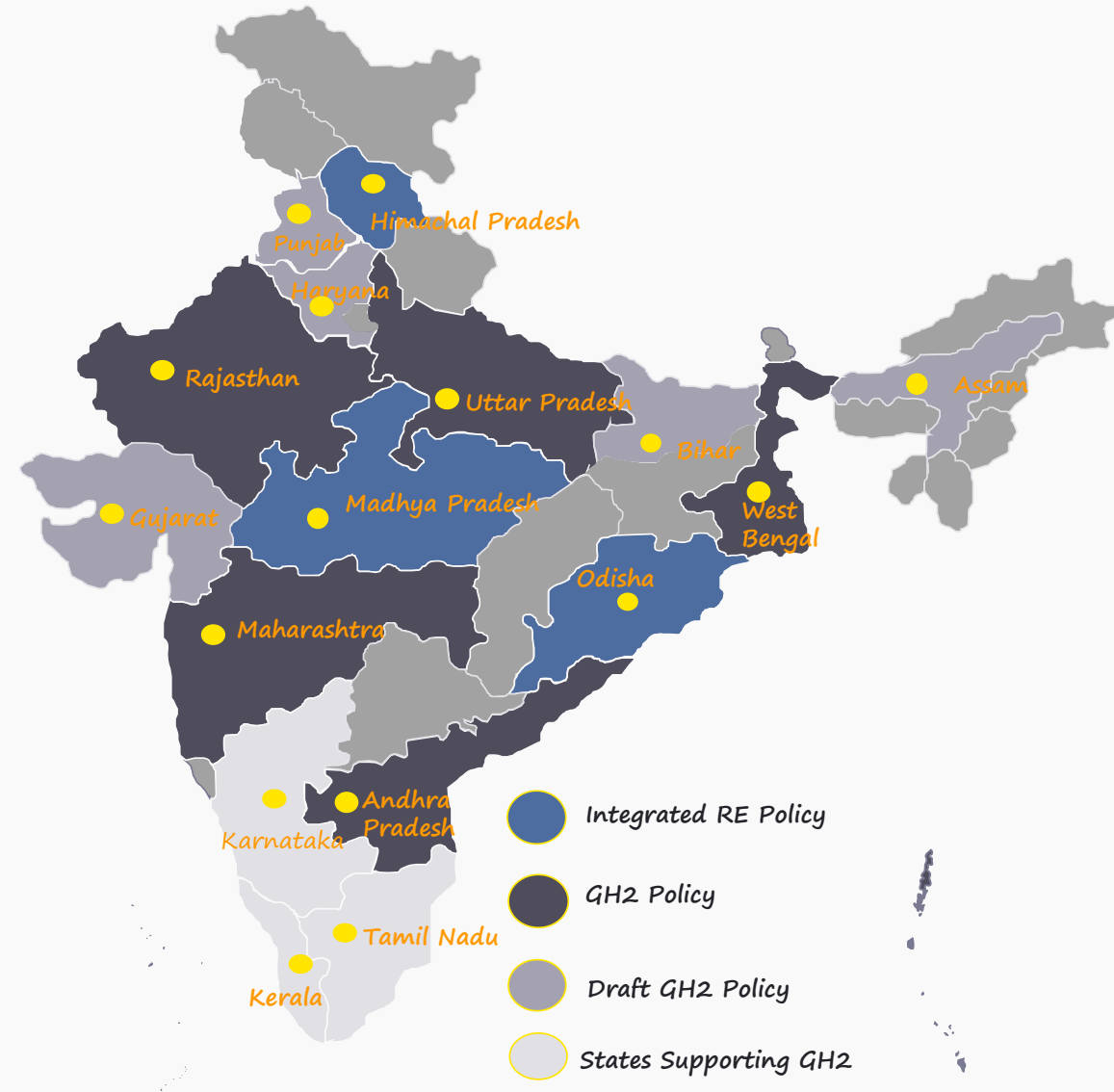
- National Single Window Portal for clearances;
- Separate page for GH2 and Electrolyser manufacturing projects

## Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change

- Environmental Clearance exempted for standalone GH/GA plants

# Support from States

GH2 Policy	States Name	Nos. of States
States with GH2 Policy	Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Maharashtra, West Bengal & Andhra Pradesh	5
States with Draft GH2 Policy	Assam, Bihar, Punjab, Haryana & Gujarat	5
States with GH2 in existing RE Policy	Odisha, Madhya Pradesh & Himachal Pradesh	3
States Supporting GH2 Production	Kerala, Karnataka & Tamil Nadu	3



## Article 6.2 : Cooperative Approaches

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- **Objective:** Increasing climate ambition in a cooperative manner
- **Participants:** Countries which are parties to Paris Agreement
- **Trading Units:** Internationally Transferred Mitigation Outcomes (ITMOs)
- Allows countries to exchange mitigation outcomes bilaterally and to report their trade, and use them towards their Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs)
- **Decentralized approach:** Participating countries to decide how the cooperation in achieving NDCs through the transfer of mitigation outcomes is to be designed
- Agreements being pursued with 10 countries

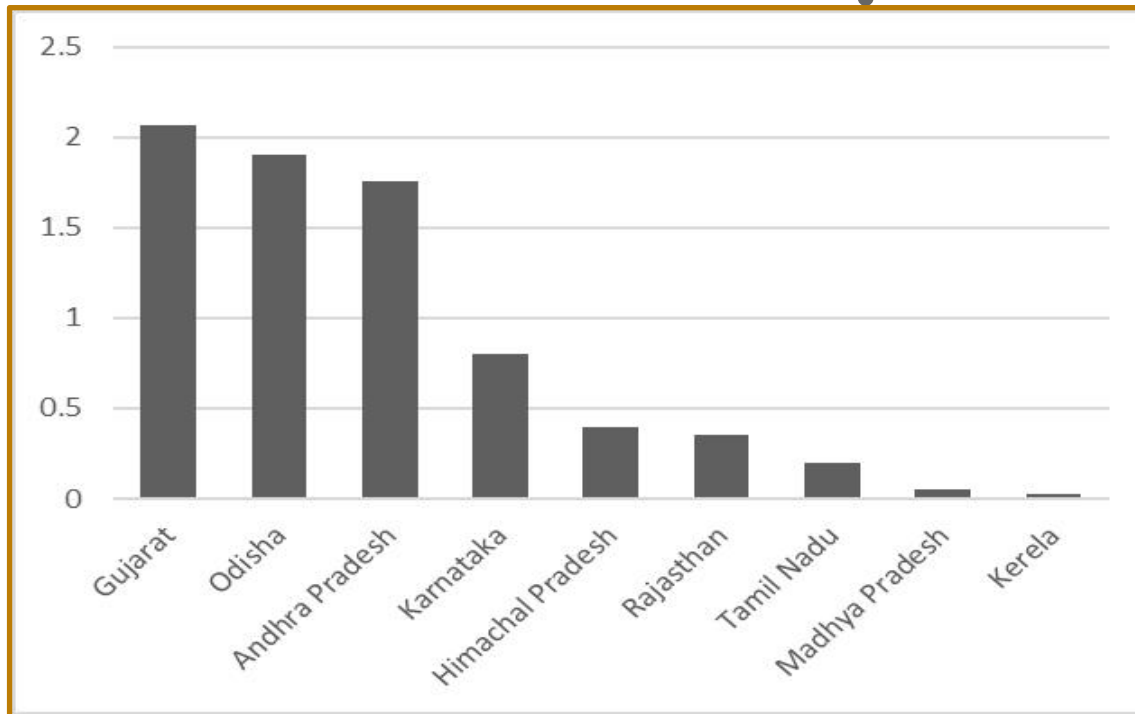


# Details of Projects Announced



## Green H<sub>2</sub> & Ammonia

### Project Capacity (MMTPA of GH<sub>2</sub>)



## Electrolyser Manufacturing

- 24 Projects announced
- Ohmium has a 2000 MW operational capacity in Bengaluru
- John Cockeril-Greenko constructing a 1 GW plant in Tamil Nadu
- H2E Power constructing a 1 GW plant in Maharashtra
- GreenH Electrolysis has announced plans for 1 GW capacity in India
- 15 entities awarded capacities under SIGHT programme for Electrolyser manufacturing

Total Announced H<sub>2</sub> equivalent Capacity by 2030

7.67 MMT

Total No. of companies

17

# India's Competitive Advantage

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ONE  
GRID  
LOW  
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# Outreach Activities

# World Hydrogen Day- 8<sup>th</sup> Oct 2023



# IPHE : 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024



# Workshop on Quality Control in GH2 : 8<sup>th</sup> May 2024



# World Hydrogen Summit: 13<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> May 2024 Rotterdam, The Netherland



# National Workshop on Green Hydrogen : 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024

