Hydrogen Global Governance Overview and the Impact on the Precious Metals Market

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Global Landscape







Funding commitment levels for 2030 are on the rise. However, for the time being they are not at par with the global and regional needs to develop hydrogen at full potential.

Funding Commitments Classification

Funding Classification Evolution – Country Distribution



Major Funding Disbursements

Electrolyser Capacity Rollout in MW



Major Funding Disbursements



Announced Policy Support and Regulatory Governance



Frameworks and Incentives

Recorded commitments for hydrogen as a % of primary energy generation



Strong national commitments of this nature, can be a strong indicator as to the trajectory of the industry.

Key Impact Areas

R&D Initiatives

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Announced and Planned



Cost evolution of green hydrogen production (in euros per kilogram)



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Key Impact Areas

Sector Development





Transcontinental Trades and Collaborations



Regional Profile - Europe

Framework

In 2019 the Helsinki Declaration set the Nordic region to become the World's most sustainable and integrated. In May 2021, the European Parliament passed a motion backing the use of lowcarbon hydrogen made from fossil gas - as a bridge to 100% renewable production. These plans were further accelerated by the Russian invasion of Ukraine. Since the beginning of the humanitarian crisis, the EU has announced plans for a €300 million funding package for hydrogen as well as the Hydrogen Accelerator initiative from REPowerEU, to reduce dependency on Russia for various energy sources by 2030.

As it stands, Europe needs 54 Mn tons of hydrogen by 2030 to completely replace coal and gas. The continent is currently on track to produce 3 Mn tons of green hydrogen a year by 2030 but the REPowerEU sets new targets of 10 million tonnes of domestic renewable hydrogen production and 10 million tonnes of renewable hydrogen imports by 2030. The main sub-targets are industry (75%) and transport (5%).

Funding Committed in USD

Despite the very ambitious goals of Europe for the development of a Hydrogen economy, mobilization on a national level is still lacking and confirmed commitments are not up to the task yet. Much like the expected gross added value, funding commitments for the long term are still very unclear.



Milestones and Targets



The UK's hydrogen strategy has incited high activity and commitments announcements in the short term.

Further, compared to the countries, the UK's targets and announcements are well balanced and ambitious.

	Short-Term	Medium-Term	Long-Term
	Up to 2024	by 2030	By 2050
Electrolysis Capacity Target		30GW	37TWh
Cumulative Investments		GBP 4 Bn	£ 240 Mn for H2 And £ 120 Mn for FCEVS
Policy Support & Governance	First 10-point hydrogen map released in Nov. 2020 which the Environmental Audit Committee (EAC) urged to ramp up		
	Government Publication on Decarbonizing by 2050		
	UK H2Mobility consortium		
Target Sectors	 Transportation: Launch the first UK hydrogen power car "Apricale" by UK start-up Viritech planned for 2023 BRUNEL project in Darlington - £14.6 Mn for zero emissions hydrogen-fuelled engines BMW UK BEV Oxford - £26.2 for electric batterie CELERITAS project in Birmingham - £9.7 Mn for ultra-fast charging batteries REEcorner in Nuneaton - £41.2 Mn to develop light and medium FCEVS 65 Re-fuelling station planned to cover the early market 		Up to 1.6 Mn FCEVs including 4,000 hydrogen buses and 1,100 refuelling stations to cover all users
	Energy: Coupling one of the largest offshore wind farms in the world with the largest carbon emitting industrial zone in the UK (Gigastack)	Up to 16W projected by 2030 and an opportunity to significantly reduce the Levelized Cost of Hydrogen (LCOH) by around 47%	20-35% of the UK's primary energy could be hydrogen based by 2050
Infrastructure	Flagship renewable hydrogen project Gigastack-phase 2 outcomes indicate a 40% reduction in costs	Completion of the 100MW scale electrolyser system by 2025	
	Over 20 electrolytic production projects planned and 9 CCUS enabled Production projects		
Contribution to the Economy		Nationwide: Up to 60,000 new jobs created by 2030	Up to 250,000 new jobs by 2050
		Gigastack project alone: £2.5Bn of gross value added and 1,700 jobs by 2030	Gross value added £13 Bn by 2050
International	Qatar Energy and Shell agreement to pursue joint investments in Blue and Green H2 in the UK		
	£2.5 Mn funding for R&D competition for Hydrogen Transports pilot in the Tees Valley Area		
R&D	Cadent, SGN and National Grid Gas Transmission developing a hydrogen program to concretize the net zero vision for London by 2030		

The Hydrogen Value Chain



The Hydrogen Production and Consumption Forecast

Global hydrogen supply, by method (2022-2040) - mmtpa



Global total low carbon hydrogen demand by sector (2022-2040) - mmtpa



Electrolyser Split Scenarios & PGM Demand for PEMEL

PEM electrolyser market share scenarios



PGM loading for PEM electrolyser scenarios

Fuel Cell Demand & PGM Loadings

Global fuel cell demand by fuel cell type*



PGM loading for PEM fuel cell scenarios

• * PEMFC - Polymer electrolyte membrane (mostly used in transport applications, incl. other); SOFC - Solid oxide (mostly power); PAFC - Phosphoric acid (high temp, large scale, good for CHP); MCFC - Molten carbonate (high temp, large scale, good for CHP); DMFC - Direct methanol; AFC - Alkaline (high temp alkaline best suited for heating); DAFC - Direct ammonia (shipping & power)

Pt & Pd Market Outlook and the Influence of the Hydrogen Economy



Platinum Demand Outlook

Palladium Demand Outlook



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