

Green H2 adding value to local ecosystems

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Smartenergy at a glance

"Since 2011 we have delivered renewable energy projects with sustainable cash-flows for our clients, attractive profits for us and massive CO₂-savings to the benefit of our environment.

The present momentum opens a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for agile actors."

We are committed.



Horst H. Mahmoudi (H2M)

CEO & Executive Chairman SMARTENERGY Group AG

Smartenergy at a glance We invest sustainably by promoting renewable projects



Our capabilities & green portfolio

We cover the entire green energy project value chain for key technologies required by the energy transition

Extensive capabilities along the entire project value chain...



...to deliver large-scale clean energy technology assets

The basis for all we do: **Renewable power**

The next frontier: Hydrogen

We cover the entire value chain from renewable power to H_2 and SAF





Electrolysis

RES

Our renewable power project portfolio



Our green hydrogen project portfolio



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Pipeline 4,100 MWe





Renewables and Hydrogen in the European Union and Iberia

Solar, On- and Off-Shore Wind and H₂ targets in Europe

EU targets for 2030



Required installed RES capacity for H₂ target (in GW)





Source: Hydrogen Europe

Beyond Solar: To achieve carbon neutrality by 2050, the EU needs:

1'000 GW onshore wind 300 GW offshore wind

600 GW storage 435 GW PtX storage

(H₂ and derivatives)

Source: EU Commission, EASE Image source: iStock

IBERIA – Abundant Solar and On-shore Wind translate into competitive Green Hydrogen



Source: Roland Berger

Cost-competitive renewable electricity and green hydrogen production in Iberia [EUR/kg]

IBERIA - Offshore Wind



- PT: First auction in the next months
- 3.5GW
- Viana do Castelo, Leixões and Figueira da Foz (part)
- 10GW planned until 2030

ES: 18 Areas pre-selected

- 4 Out of 5 macro area plans (1 million km²) foresee Offshore Wind
- The 18 areas pre-selected set aside 4'948 km² for Offshore Wind (0.46%)
- Competitive procedure to still to be announced



Demarcación del Estrecho y Alborán

Demarcación noratlántica



Demarcación levantino-balear



Demarcación canaria



Portugal case study:

e-Fuels

Leça H2 Green Valley

Green H2 to decarbonize the industry and value the biogenic CO_2 in Sustainable Aviation Fuels

SAF is the future of clean aviation – Direct CO2 emission savings while using existing infrastructure



Sustainable **Aviation Fuel** (SAF) is jet fuel produced from bio feedstock **or** renewable energy



CO₂ emission savings

Direct CO_2 emission reductions of c. 80%



Proven technology

Globally approved by IATA¹, SAF can be blended up to 50%



Ready to use

Can be used in existing aircrafts without any engine adjustments and with existing fuel handling infrastructure

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Context and scope

- REN Gasodutos owns concession to operate the existing natural gas pipeline that connects Quereledo (JCT 4120) to Perafita (DP 4148), which served the former Matosinhos refinery, and is suitable for repurposing to 100% H₂
- This being potentially the **first repurposing of gas assets** into a pure hydrogen gas pipeline, linking green H2 producers with industrial consumers in the area.
 - Repurposed pipeline is a cost efficient enabler for Smartenergy*/Lipor project and potentially for other production and consumption projects in the region, ensuring conditions for a competitive green H₂ market development

Smartenergy analyzed different structuring and location scenarios of a potential project, embodied in the materialization of a Hydrogen Production Plant (H₂PP) and a Derivative Synthetic Fuels Production Unit (eFuels), considering:

- Proximity of the H_2PP to the REN gas pipeline, in particular to the Quereledo JCT
- Proximity to sources of necessary raw materials water, renewable energy and biogenic $\rm CO_2$
- Proximity to potential consumers local industry and, in the case of eFuels, Port of Leixões and Sá Carneiro Airport
- Proximity to product transport & distribution infrastructures Port of Leixões, Gas Pipeline Quereledo – Perafita, and existing Natural Gas distribution network



LIPOR II (one of the largest producers of biogenic CO_2 in Portugal) as the main supplier of the CO_2 , a critical factor for SAF production **CCU** enables circular economy, while decarbonizing heavy-duty and long-haul mobility (maritime; aviation)

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Leça Project structure





Leça project aims to repurpose NG infrastructure to transport green H2 (for Industry) and capture CO2 for SAF production





- Project rationale
- Repurpose natural gas infrastructure for green H₂
- SAF production via synthesis of CO₂
 from Lipor
 - and Green H₂ from SE
- Supply of SAF to Porto Airport
- SAF exports via Port of Porto

MoU between Smartenergy and REN and MoU between All (being finalised)



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Note: Regulatory discussions regarding additionality requirement for green hydrogen projects in RED II ongoing.

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LEÇA - SAF's value-chain control within the Partners

Partners' roles in the SAF generation



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