

# **Dutch H2 and REDIII strategy**

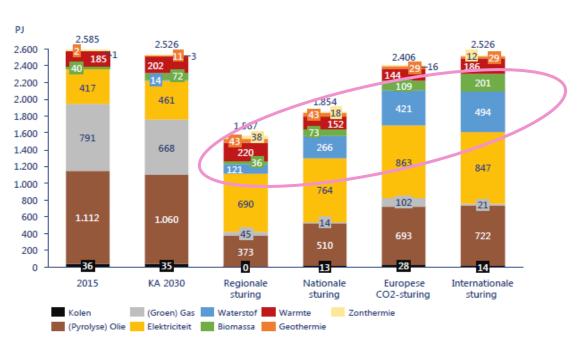
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# **Netherlands: Outlook and policy goals**

#### **RENEWABLE HYDROGEN KEY IN 2050**



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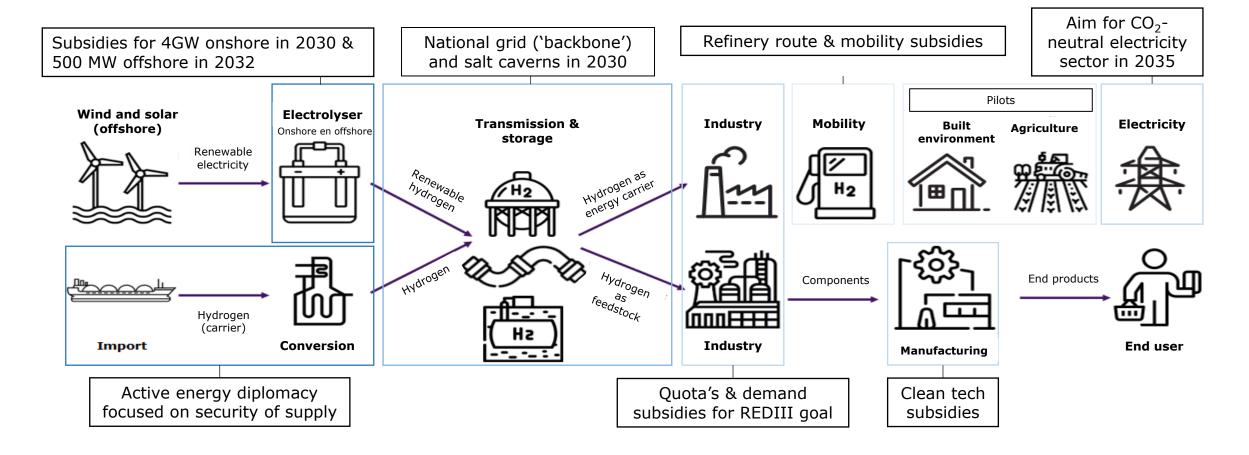
#### **MULTIPLE TARGETS FOR 2030**

- > 60% CO<sub>2</sub>-reduction in NL
  - Replacing grey H2 use
  - Switching new users to H2
- > REDIII RFNBO targets 2030
  - 35 PJ (10TWh) in industry
  - 5 PJ (1,5TWh) in mobility
- Ambition of 4 GW elektrolysis
  - Supports 30-40 PJ (8-11TWh) production





# The Dutch state is developing policy along the entire hydrogen value chain





## NL has experience via 'OWE-scheme' - thus no 'AaaS'

## **Design OWE 2 - (€1bn in 2024)**

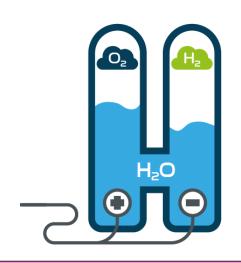
- > Projects of 0.5MW> & max 50% of budget for one project
- > CAPEX support up to 80% of costs. Total of CAPEX and OPEX: €9/kgH2
- Ranking on €/MW of electrolysis (incl. previously subsidy)

## Changes after experience with OWE-1 - (250mln. in 2025)

- Realization period from 4 to 5 years
- > Pending environmental permit is sufficient
- Offer for electricity supply is required
- > Extra evidence on potential customer(s) and selling price



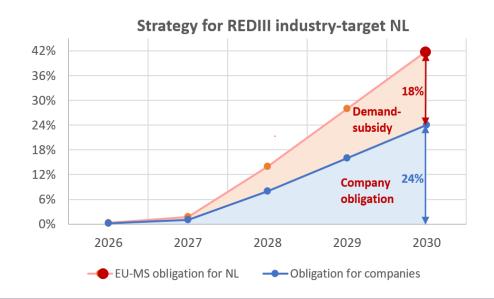
## An integrated approach on industrial demand creation



Foundation: supply side

#### **Production subsidies**

- 2022 IPCEI €875 mln.
- 2023 OWE1 €250mln.
- 2024 OWE2 €1bn.
- € 2,5bn for further subsidies



## H2 demand creation

### **Industry Quota**

- As % of H2 use
- Tradable certificates
- % in 2030 TBD
- Consultation this autumn

#### **Demand-subsidies**

- Incentives users
- Rest of REDIII 22a.
- Planned for end 2025



# **Examples of hydrogen projects in NL**

Recent projects (2023/24)



Shell Holland Hydrogen I 200 MW Electrolyser on the Maasvlakte Port of Rotterdam has taken FID



PosHYdon started with onshore pre-tests before going live offshore (1 MW electrolyser to be put on an offshore platform in 2024)

Interactive map with overview of over 300 hydrogen projects in NL and their status!



Missie H2 & TKI Waterstofkaart



## Main observations and obstacles

- Catch 22/chicken-and-egg problem:
  - Even with supply-subsidy: producers want long-term offtake contracts before FID
  - No demand-pull: industrial offtakers want flexibility facing uncertain developments
- There is no silver bullet:
  - Uncertain demand from industrial quota due to potential derivative-imports
  - 'Transition failure': unclear future market size hampers 'first mover' incentive
  - Fully subsidizing all producer income streams reduces total capacity state can support
- So, a mix of instruments is necessary
- Question is: Is covering funding gap sufficient to stimulate long-term contracts?



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# Thank you!

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