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APPLICATIONS OF HYDROGEN & FUEL CELLS IN SHIPPING

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SHIPPING EMISSIONS INVENTORY

	ICCT (million tons)		
	2013	2014	2015
CO ₂ Emissions	910	930	932
SO _x Emissions	10.355	10.361	10.457
NO _x Emissions	18.426	18.398	19.062
PM Emissions	1.475	1.504	1.492



MARPOL Annex VI is strictly followed to have the air pollution under control limits.





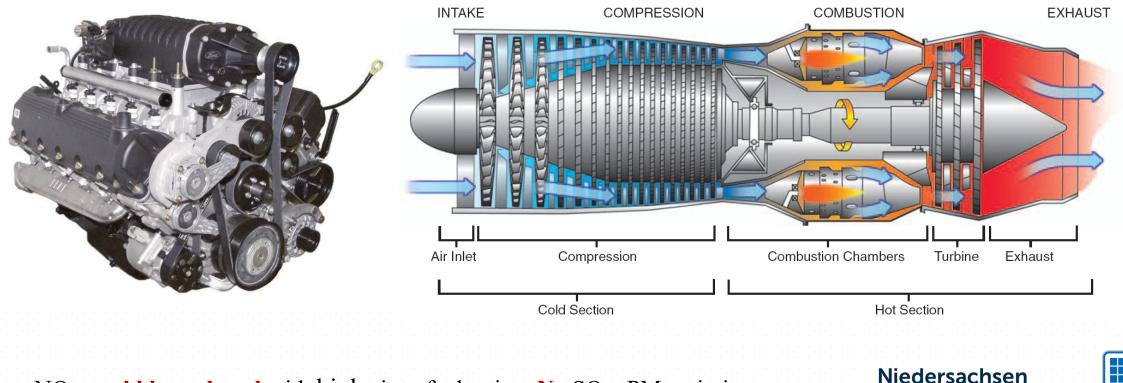
1. Hydrogen is a great storage medium, that could help RE systems to become self-contained solutions.



3743.2 GWh of electricity was curtailed pursuant to Section 14 of Renewable Energy Act (EEG) in 2016



2. Produces less emissions when burned in Hydrogen ICEs or Gas turbines



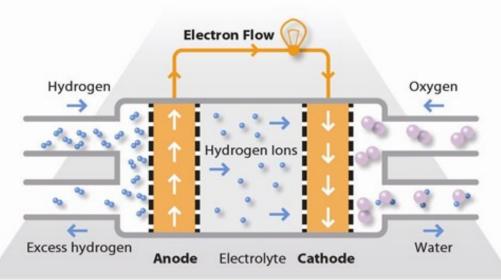
NOx could be reduced with high air to fuel ratio – No SOx, PM emissions





3. Produces zero- to low- carbon emissions in Fuel cells

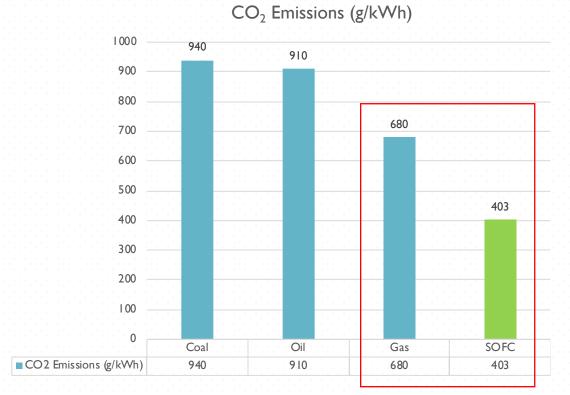
Pure H₂ in PEM FC (LT-FC)



Anode Reaction: 2 $H_2 \rightarrow 4 H^+ + 4 e^-$

Cathode Reaction: $O_2 + 4 e^- + 4 H^+ \rightarrow 2 H_2O$ Overall Reaction: $2 H_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2 H_2O$

H₂ from Internally reformed Natural gas in a SOFC



No NOx or PM – **Insignificant Amount** SOx emissions

4. Hydrogen could be blended with natural gas to reduce emissions, without the need to modify the domestic burners.



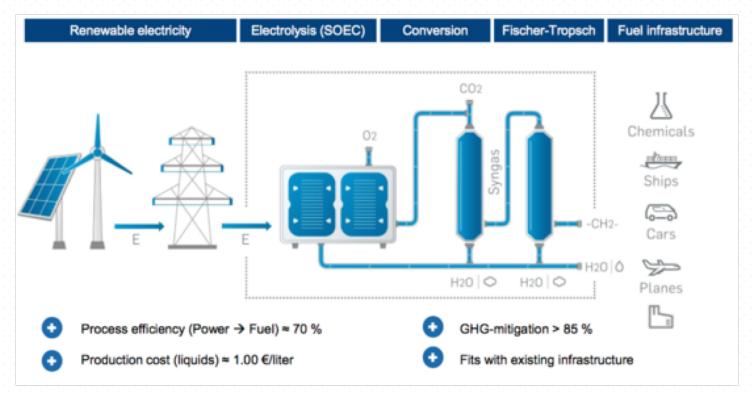


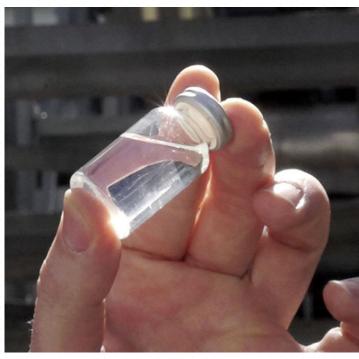
Blending ratio: 20–30% H_2 to **70–80%** Natural gas





5. Wide range of e-fuels could be derived from Hydrogen (Power to Gas, Power to Liquid)









1. Transportation of Goods (Road Freight)



Comparison Point	Diesel	Electric
Horse Power	500 HP	Up to 1,000 HP
Torque	I,650 ft-Ibs	Up to 2,000 ft-lbs
Range	500-700 miles	Up to 500-1,000 miles
Top Speed Up Hills (6%)	20-40 MPH	65 MPH
On Descent	Exhaust & Friction Brakes	Recharging & Saving Brakes
Acceleration 0-60 MPH Under Load	60 seconds	30 seconds
Fuel Efficiency (MPG)	7.5 MPG	13 – 15 MPG
Weight	19,000 - 23,000 lbs	18,000 - 21,000 lbs

Freight Efficiency (Ton-Miles per Galon): Nikola One Class 8 Truck is 75% more efficient than a Class 8 Diesel truck Niedersachsen



1. Transportation of Goods (Rail)





2. Cargo Handling

250kW for traction or Power-to-grid 150 kW power for traction





3. Cold ironing (Shore-to-ship power supply)

The Surf 'n' Turf project, utilizes the green hydrogen produced by wind power on Eday Island in a fuel cell that would act "as an auxiliary power source for the inter-island ferries when they are docked in the harbor overnight."



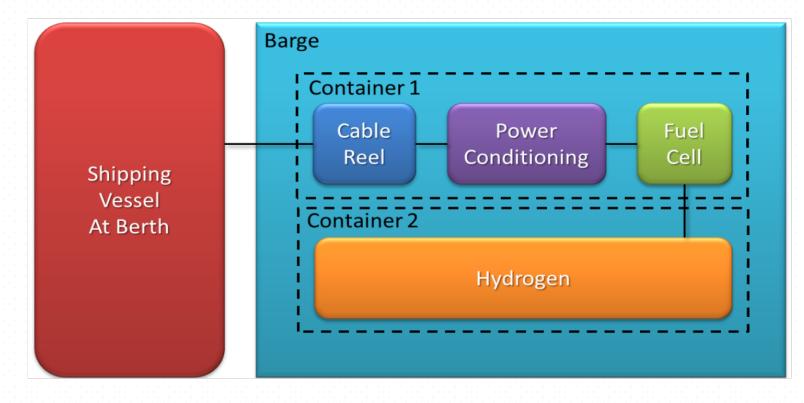


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3. Seaside Cold ironing

The main advantage; it can be moved from one berth to another, and it can also be used to power the ships in Anchorage area







APPLICATIONS OF H₂ ONBOARD

The Application of FC depend on: The Power Requirement of the Vessel

Power Demand	Fuel Cell Application	
Low (up to 500 kW)	• Total power demand (Propulsion + Auxiliary Power Supply) could be	
	covered by 1 FC module (Example: FCS Alsterwasser)	
Medium (1-5 MW)	• The total power demand could be covered by several FC modules	
	• 1 FC module supply the bigger part of the auxiliary power.	
High (5-100 MW, 1-15MW Auxiliary)	• Several FC modules supply the bigger part of the auxiliary power.	
	 One or more fuel cell module(s) supply power to single ship sectors. (Suitable for Large passenger ships) Niedersachsen 	
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Type of Fuel Cell also depends: The Power Requirement of the Vessel

Merchant ships has a high energy demand requires more fuel storage capacity, since the alternative fuels have a lower energy content than that of Heavy Fuel Oil (HFO).

Fuel	Volume factor*
HFO	1.0
LNG	1.8
LPG	1.7
LH2	4.7
CH2 (700 bar)	8.6

* without considering the volume of the different storage technologies.





REQUIRED DEVELOPMENT

- 1. Increasing Power output of HT-FC.
- 2. Increasing the specific power (kW/kg) and power density (kW/m3) of HT-fuel cell systems

The weight of HT-FC is 7-19 times higher than that of diesel generator The volume of HT-FC is 10-15 times higher than that of diesel generator

- 3. The lifetime of FC be should be increased to 40,000 80,000 h to have a competitive advantage over a conventional diesel generator, that has usually service interval of about 25,000-30,000 h
- 4. The **prices** of the technology should drop
- 5. More hydrogen infrastructure is needed







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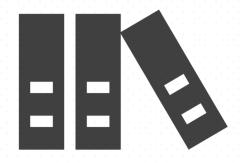
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