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The Opportunity for the Region

Tom Ventre

Managing Director / North West Regional Chair

Laker-Vent Engineering / ECITB

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- Engineering business specialising in off-site fabrication & on-site installations of process piping systems for highly regulated industries.
- We work with clients across power generation, process, chemicals, petro-chem and nuclear industries.
- Head office and three workshops based and Ellesmere Port + regional offices and workshops in Teesside.
- We employ around 250 trade staff directly, with over 300 including management and white-collar staffing

Our History & Timeline

1962

Mr. Percy Lake formed Lakers Northern in Ellesmere Port. Along with a facilities in Aberdeen & Sittingbourne these operations would work with its head office in London



1976

Mr. Lake and his associates sell to Walker Holdings of Telford



1980

Lakers Northern purchased from Walker Holdings by the four Ventre brothers along with the formation of Vent Engineering



1990

Laker-Vent Engineering formed by merging Lakers Northern and Vent Engineering

1993

Operating as a 2nd generation family business, we understood that investment in systems would bring strength and success: now evident when you fast forward to the current year.



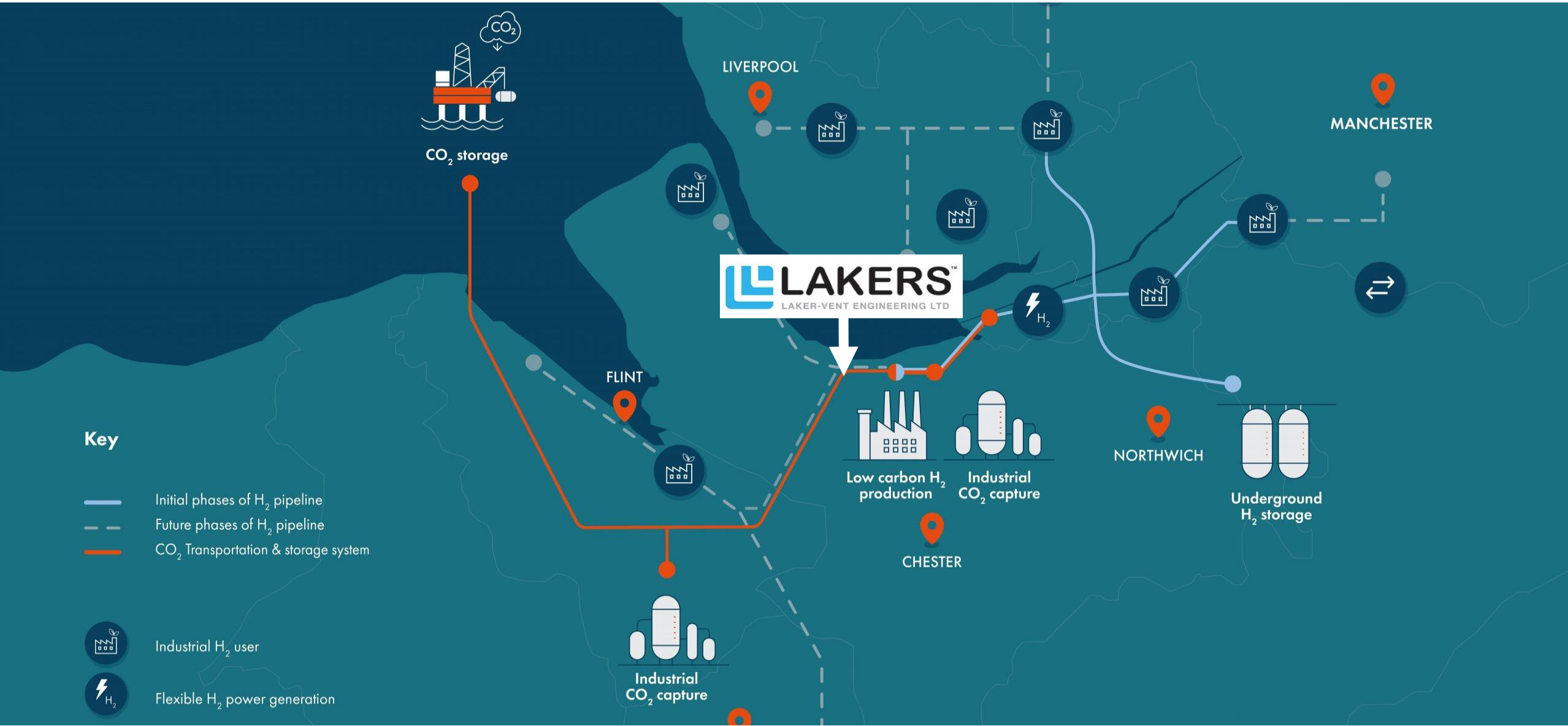
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38 years of family ownership, our business continues its positive development.....



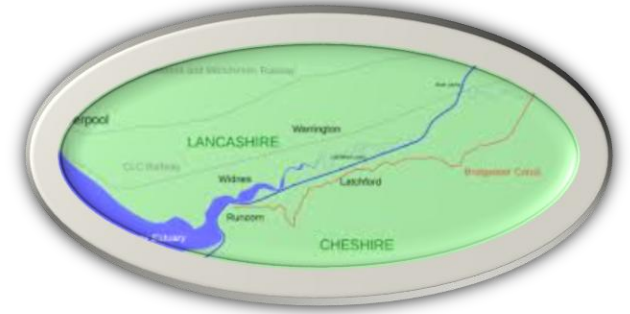
Laker Vent – Centrally located in the heart of the network

Come & speak with us at stand 11



North West England's Proud Industrial Heritage

- **Ellesmere Port** where transport links via the ship canal provided soda ash for a growing chemical industry;
- We had the first industrial chemical facility in England established in **Widnes** in 1847
- Industry went on to develop in **Runcorn**, where chlorine & caustic soda has been produced for over 100 years;
- That chemical production in Runcorn was assisted using brine piped from **Northwich**.



Inter-Regional Links & Collaboration Providing Confidence to Invest

- The history and long establishment of these links & this collaboration helped develop the industrial heartland but has now also provided confidence that we can move towards decarbonising the region;
- The projects that link within the Hynet programme are providing opportunities for the supply chain to help deliver the regions success;
- The regional status slightly ahead of the other Track 1 clusters; an opportunity to path the way and show the industry what can be achieved;
- There will of course be challenges but with focus and collaboration we can not only seize upon the opportunities in the region but provide the long-term sustainable skills the industry needs throughout all areas of the UK;
- We will hear more on the specifics throughout the day, but between the hydrogen production project at Stanlow, the numerous carbon capture projects at Protos, Heidelberg & Viridor, the supply chain must provide engineering, technology, skilled trades & project / construction management.

Existing Regional Capabilities Able to Handle the Demand

- The supply chain is already here—and it's strong.
- The businesses around the room here today demonstrates the regional strength we have—and the potential we can unlock together.

Skills, Training & Collaboration

- The region will need to invest in the next generation of engineers, fabricators, and project managers
- The ECITB are doing vital work to ensure we have the talent pipeline to meet the demands of projects like HyNet—and beyond
- Collaboration is key
- Open engagement
- Taking action!



Thank you

Come and chat to us at Stand 11

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HyNet: An Overview

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Chair
HyNet Alliance

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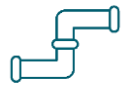




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David Parkin | HyNet Alliance
12th June 2025

HyNet infrastructure



New and reused pipeline network transporting carbon dioxide to storage



Facilities to capture CO₂ emissions



Underground salt cavern hydrogen storage for times of high demand



New pipeline network to transport hydrogen from production to use



Low-carbon hydrogen production plants



HyNet Alliance



HyNet

HyNet: A modern industrial cluster



Delivering net zero

Carbon capture and hydrogen are essential to reach 2050 emissions targets for difficult-to-decarbonise sectors such as cement and energy from waste.



Revitalising industry

Green investment will safeguard jobs in historic industrial heartlands with thousands of high-paying roles being generated through construction.



Enabling clean power

HyNet's geological hydrogen storage is unmatched anywhere else in the country, enabling low-carbon electricity to be delivered on-demand.



Stimulating growth

New technologies like greenhouse gas removals and sustainable aviation fuels are already being attracted by the opportunities present in the North West.

Delivering net zero for difficult-to-decarbonise sectors



Enabling clean power through carbon capture and hydrogen

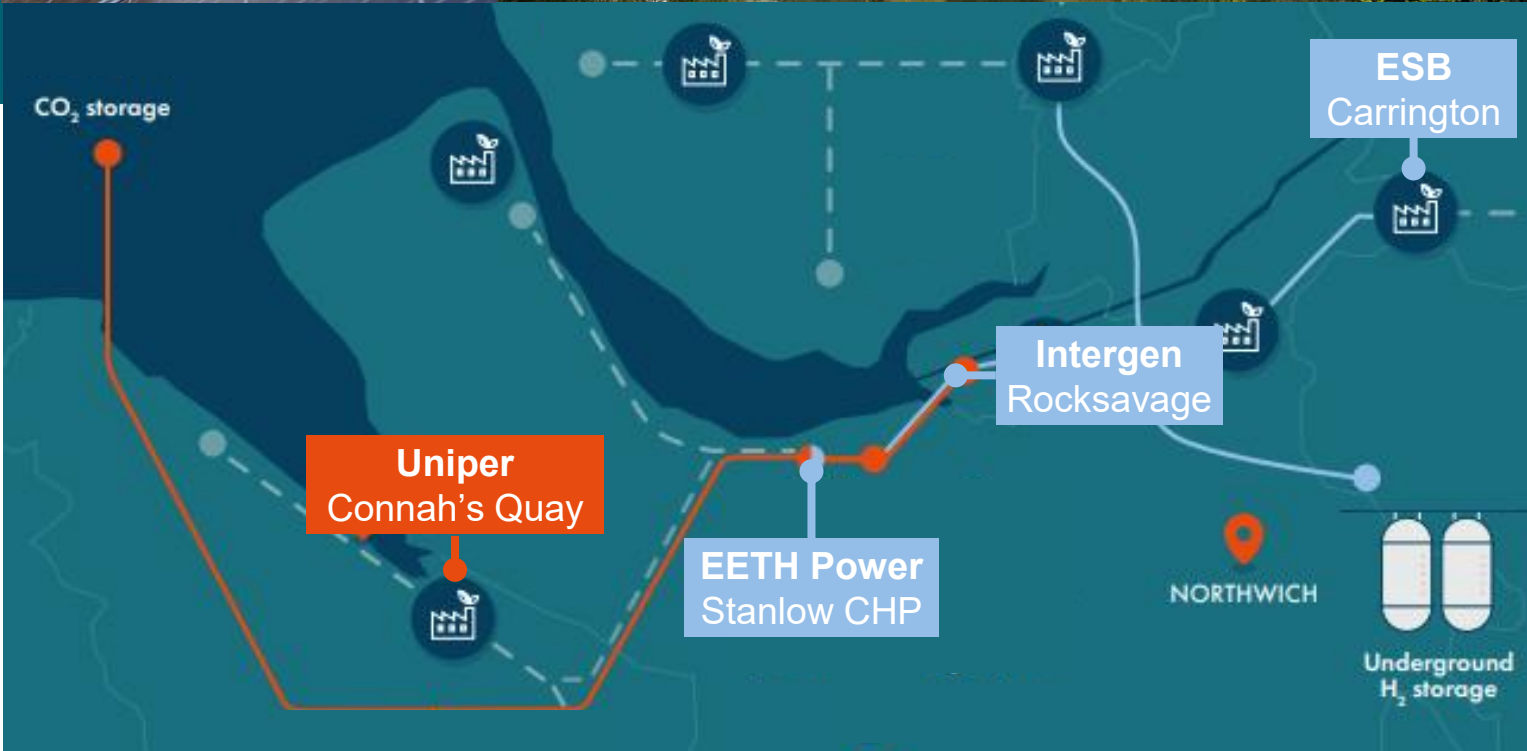


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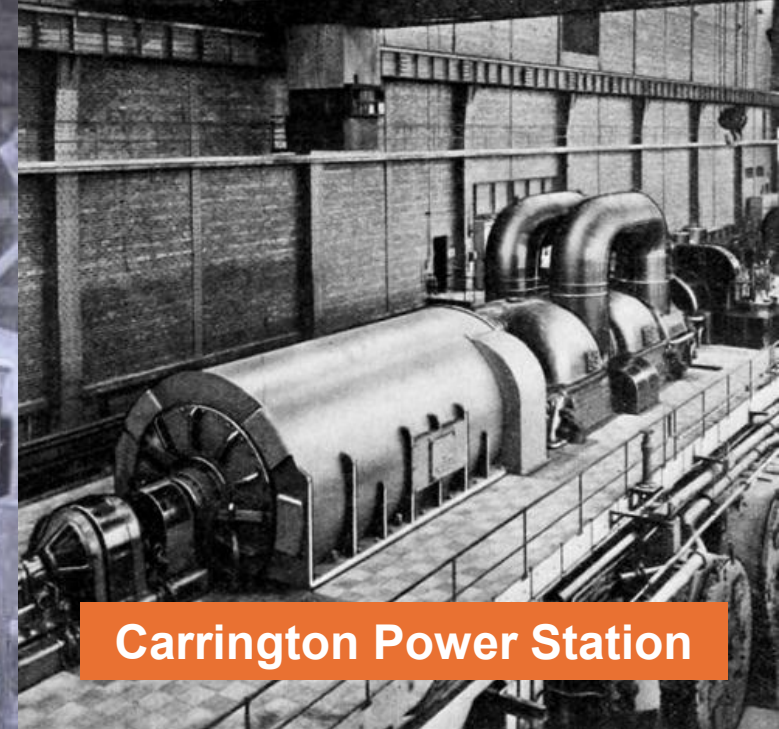
Energy for
generations



Revitalising industrial heartlands



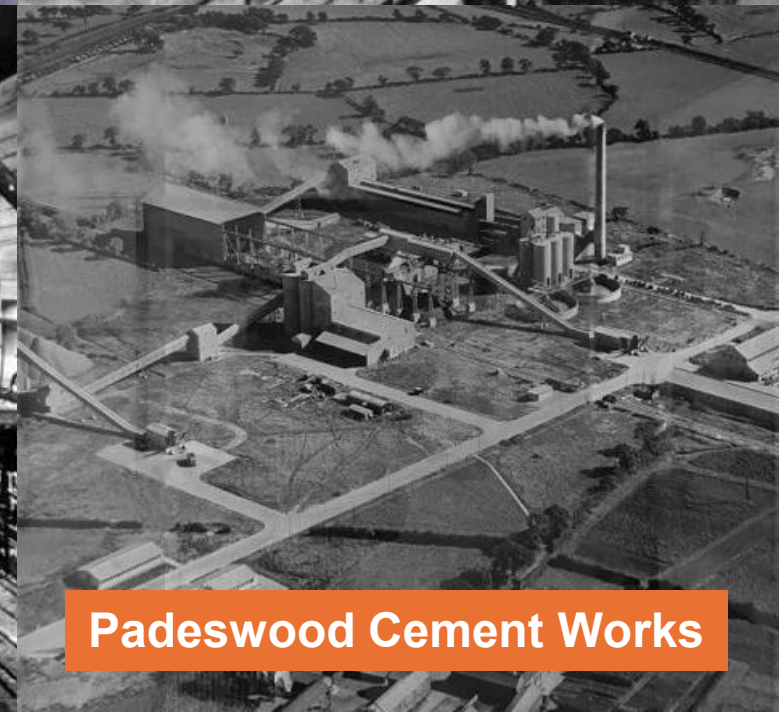
Pilkington Glass



Carrington Power Station



Castner-Keller / ICI



Padeswood Cement Works

1,200
years of history

6,700
operational roles

16,000
construction jobs

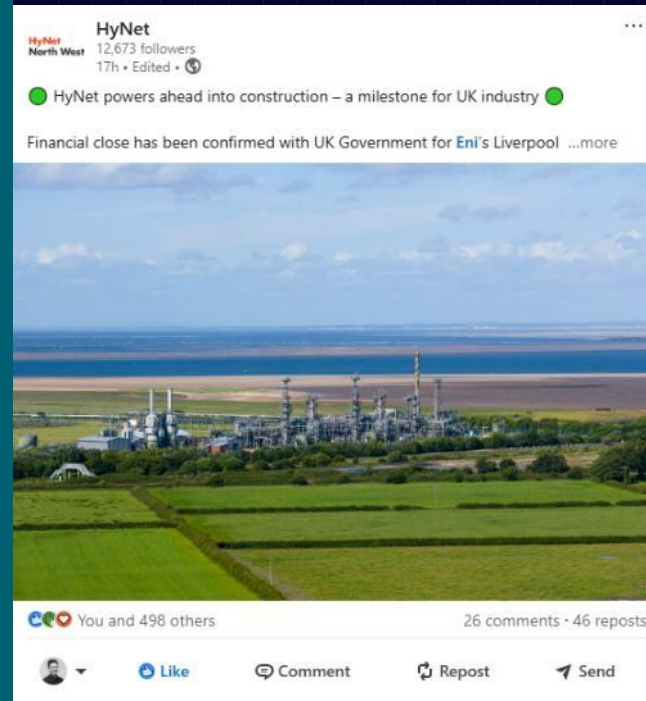
6,000
on average

Stimulating growth of new technologies and the supply chain



HyNet gets the green light

Eni and the UK Government reach Financial Close for Liverpool Bay CCS



What does it take for a project to get built?

Selection by Government (T1 / T1X / HAR / HTBM etc)

Planning Permission / Permits (TCPA / DCO etc)

FEED Engineering Complete

EPC / OEM Contract Ready

Government Support Contract (ICC / LCHA / DPA etc)

Financing Complete (equity and debt)




Final
Investment
Decision (FID)



Place
Contracts

HyNet Project Landscape

| | FID | Value |
|--|---|-----------|
| CO ₂ Transport and Storage (Eni) |  | £2b |
| Track 1 Capture Plants (Encyclis / EETH / Heidelberg / Viridor) | 2025 / 26 | Ca. £2-3b |
| Track 1 Expansion Capture Plants (Enfinium, Evero, EETH, EETF, Uniper) | 2027 / 28 | Ca. £2-3b |
| Hydrogen Transport (Cadent) and Storage (Storengy / INEOS) | 2027 / 28 | TBC |

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From Development to Delivery

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From Development to Delivery

Let's Celebrate

- 10+ years
- Funding
- FID's!

And Carry On

- Supply chain transition and growth
- Project execution
- Ways that DBT can support?

Meet the Specifier = Early Supply Chain Engagement

Traditional Model



FEED Stage

- Engage with Tier 1/OEMs
- No engagement w/ Tier 2 & 3

Procurement Stage

- Engage with Tier 2 & 3 at technical and commercial levels
- "Meet the Buyer"

Meet the Specifier



FEED Stage

- Engage with Tier 1/OEMs
- Engage with Tier 2 & 3
- "Meet the Specifier"

Procurement Stage

- Tier 2 & 3 already engaged at technical level
- De-risking of Procurement and Project Execution through enhanced availability of high quality, ready to react, competitive, local supply chain.

Meet the Specifier = Target Outcomes

UK Competitiveness



Strong UK Supply Chain
&
Export Potential

More Suppliers



Risk Mitigation for
UK Projects

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EET HYDROGEN Hydrogen Production Plant 1 & 2

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Procurement Manager
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From ambition to action




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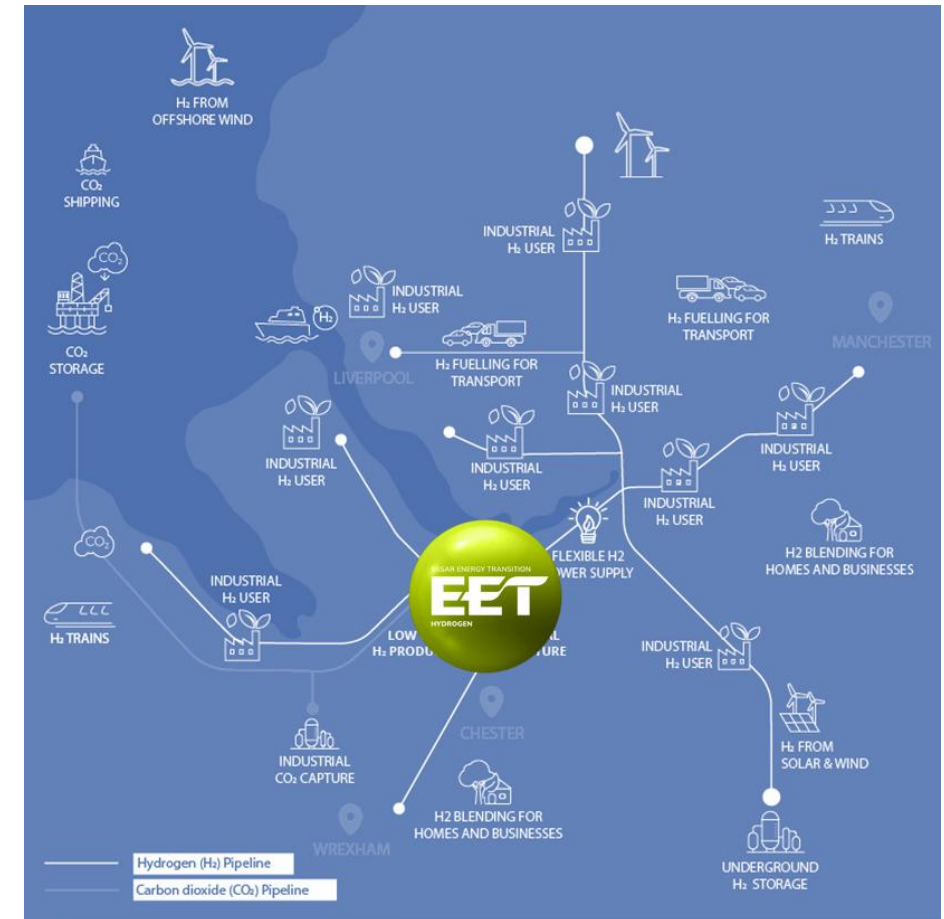
What we'll cover today

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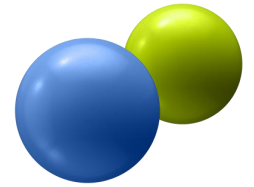
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- The Heart of Hynet
- HPP1 overview
- HPP1 stakeholders
- HPP1 projects schedule
- HPP1 key procurement packages
- HPP2 overview
- HPP2 project status
- HPP2 key procurement packages

The heart of hydrogen

EET Hydrogen is at the heart of
HyNet



Hydrogen Production Plant 1 Overview



Hydrogen Production Plant 1 (HPP)



Stanlow Manufacturing Complex,
Ellesmere Port, Cheshire

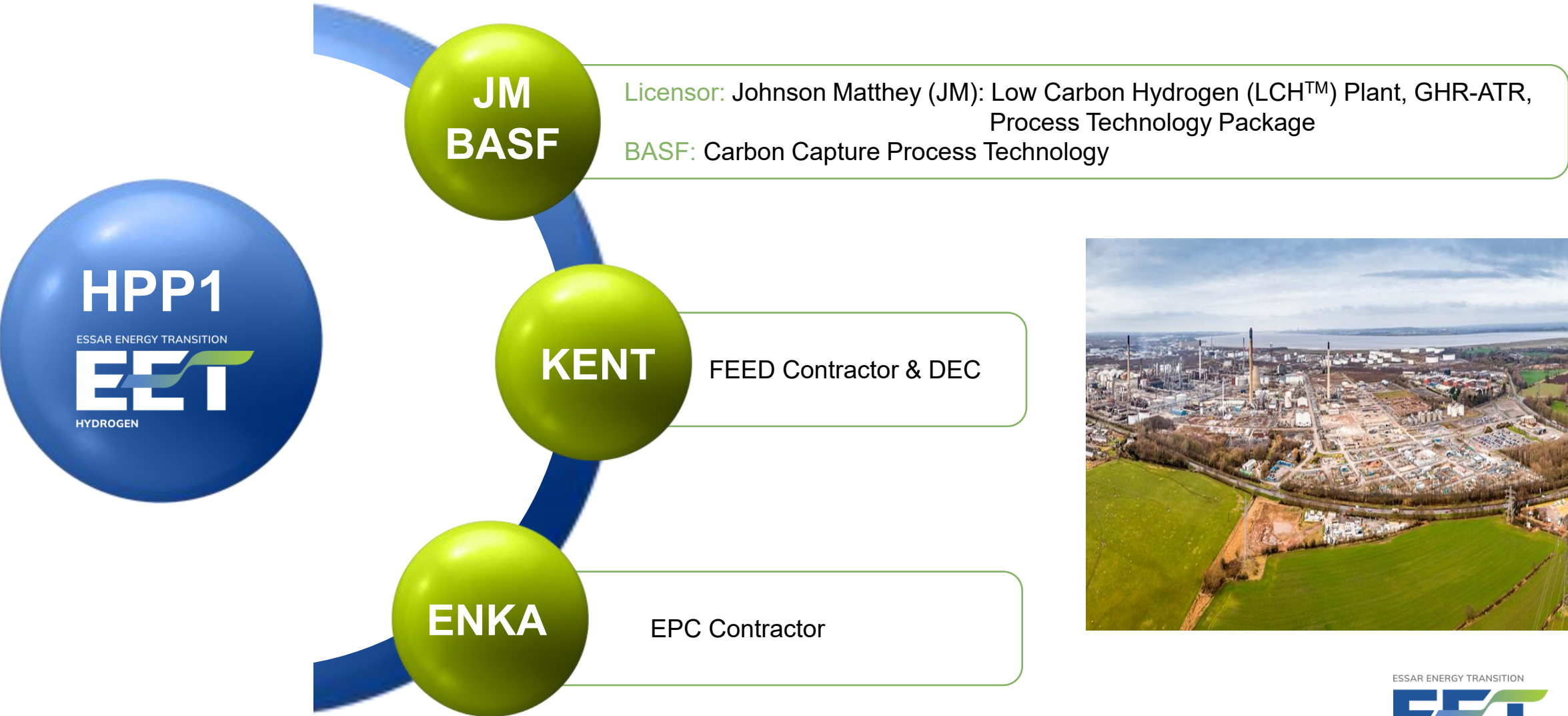


350MW



Land: EOUK
Power: SPEN
H₂ Network: Cadent
CO₂ Supply & Storage: ENI
Water: UU
H₂ Offtakers: CHP & EOUK





HPP1 project schedule



Project start: Feb 2025



LNTP schedule: 4 months from project start



Project schedule: Full notice to proceed +42 month



HPP1 key procurement packages

| Sno. | Equipment Packages |
|------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 | Feed Fired Heater Package |
| 2 | H ₂ Compressor Package |
| 3 | CO ₂ Compressor Package |
| 4 | Purification Recycle Blower |
| 5 | Flash Gas Recycle Compressors |
| 6 | Reciprocating ROG Compressors |
| 7 | Isothermal Shift Converter |
| 8 | Process Columns & Vessels |
| 9 | CO ₂ Dehydration Package |

| Sno. | Equipment Packages |
|------|---|
| 10 | Shell & Tube Heat Exchangers |
| 11 | Steam Boiler Package |
| 12 | Deaerator |
| 13 | Demineralisation Plant Package |
| 14 | Pressure Swing Adsorption (PSA) Package |
| 15 | Plate and Frame Heat Exchangers |
| 16 | DCS/ESD/F&G |
| 17 | Flare Package |

Hydrogen Production Plant 2 Overview



Hydrogen Production Plant 2 (HPP2)



Stanlow Manufacturing Complex,
Ellesmere Port, Cheshire



1000MW*



Licensors: KBR
FEED Contractor: KBR

Under
Government
Approval



* Subject to approval from DESNZ

HPP2 Project Status



Completed basic engineering package for 1000MW plant



Completed FEED



Completed major Health, Safety and Environmental studies



Appointed WSP as a consultant to support future planning and consenting applications



Responses on Expressions of Interest (EOI) received from potential EPC bidders

Completion timelines:

| | Planned start | Planned completion |
|----------|---------------|--------------------|
| Pre-FEED | Feb 2023 (A) | Apr 2023 (A) |
| FEED | Aug 2023 (A) | Aug 2024 (A) |
| FID | | Q2 2026 (P) |
| COD | | Q2 2030 (P) |

HPP2 key procurement packages

| Sno. | Equipment Packages |
|------|--|
| 1 | Steam Methane Reformer |
| 2 | ROG Compressor Package |
| 3 | NG Compressor Package |
| 4 | Sour ROG Sulphur Removal Package |
| 5 | CO ₂ Gas Compressor Package |
| 6 | H ₂ Compressor Package |
| 7 | Tail Gas Compressor Package |


| Sno. | Equipment Packages |
|------|--------------------------------|
| 8 | Electrical Cables |
| 9 | Modular E-House & Transformers |
| 10 | Analyzer with Shelter |
| 11 | Mechanical Static |
| 12 | Air Cooled H.E |
| 13 | Fiscal Metering Package |

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ENCYCLIS Protos Energy Recovery Facility Capture Plant

David Carruthers
Head of Procurement
Encyclis

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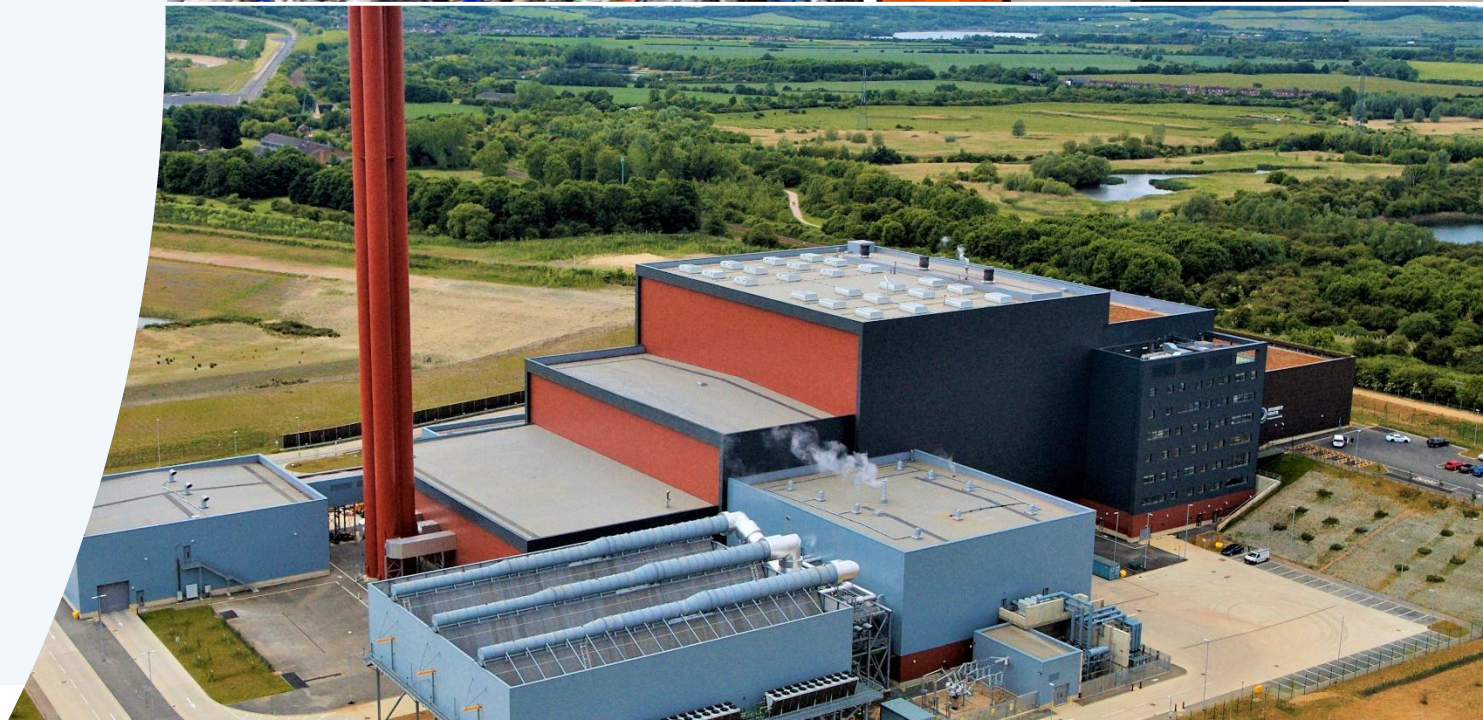




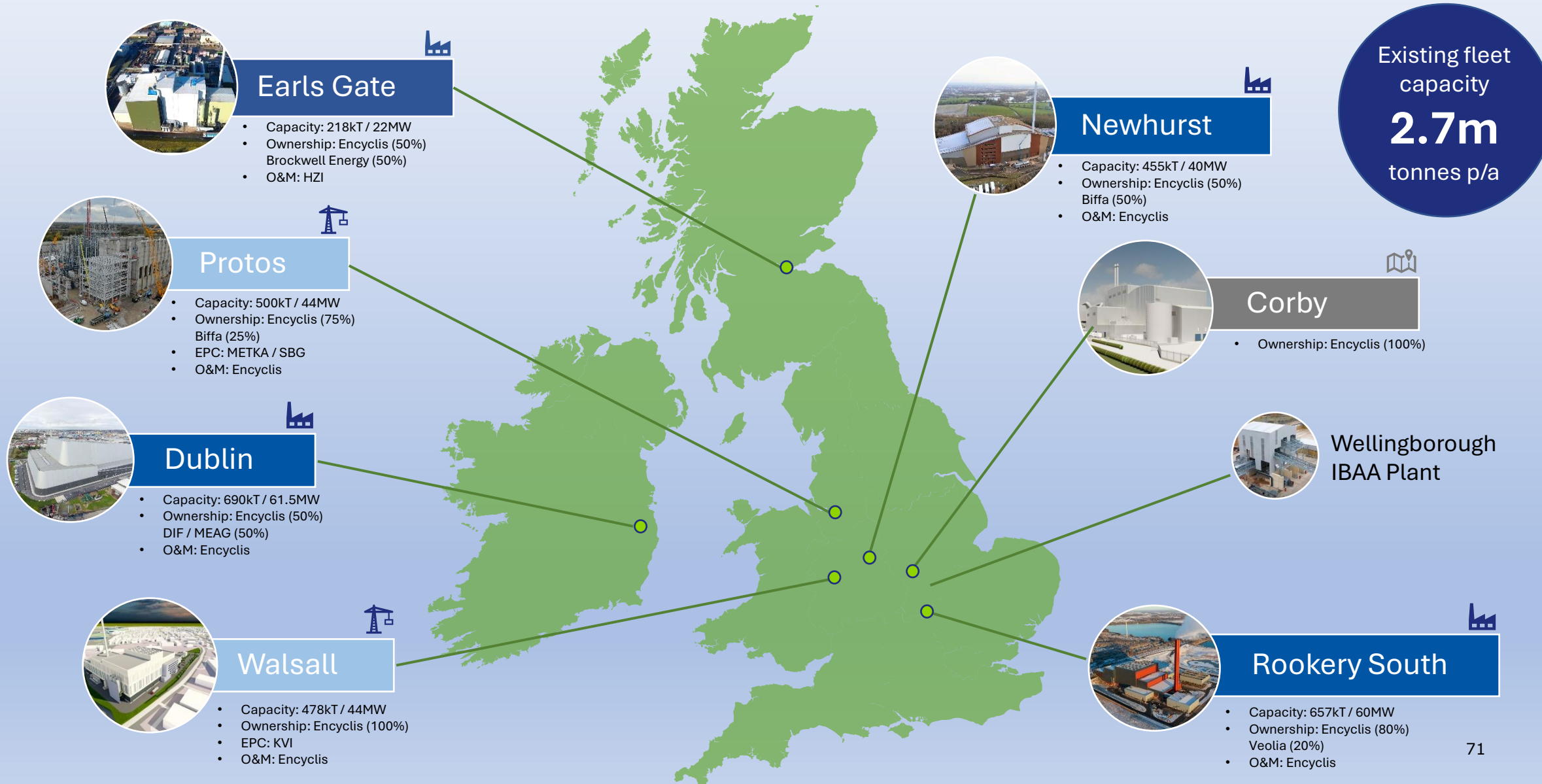
An **IEQT** portfolio company

About Encyclis

- One of the largest pure play owners and operators of EFW plants in the UK and Ireland
- 4 operational plants and 2 in construction, plus a fully-owned development project in Northamptonshire
- Over 250 employees across seven sites
- Supporting industry's 2040 net-zero target
- Strong track record in bringing plants to financial close
- Owned by EQT Infrastructure, a Sweden-based purpose-driven global investor managing funds of €210B.



Our growing fleet



Our facilities



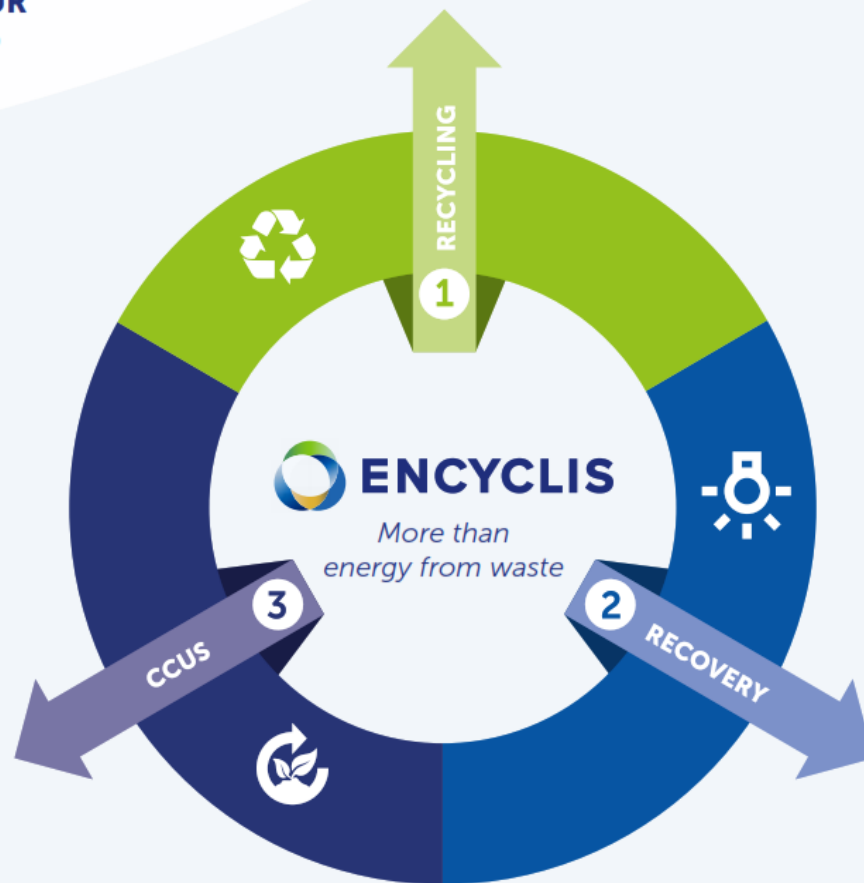
**RECOVERING AND RECYCLING RESOURCES
FUNDAMENTALLY MEANS THE DELIVERY OF THREE
WIDER ENVIRONMENTAL OBJECTIVES BEYOND OUR
ROLE IN TREATING NON-RECYCLABLE WASTE AND
GENERATING BASELOAD ELECTRICITY.**

3. CAPTURING CARBON EMISSIONS THROUGH CARBON CAPTURE AND STORAGE (CCS):

CCS is critical to a sustainable pathway to net zero for the industry. However, technology at sufficient scale is still at an early stage, and uncertainty around carbon pricing or transport networks make the economics unclear.

Encyclis is investing in understanding how CCS can work for its facilities. The company is at the forefront of delivering CCS, with its Protos plant being identified as a preferred option for funding by the UK Government as part of the HyNet cluster.

Protos is just the beginning. Through this process, Encyclis and the industry will work to improve the technology and will increase its expertise to be able to roll-out this technology to its other plants.



1. ENSURING RESIDUES FROM THE PROCESS ARE RECYCLED OR REUSED:

The ash that results from Encyclis' waste treatment process is recycled in specialist plants to create aggregate materials for the construction industry. However, Encyclis continues to work toward increasing this rate to 100%.

In addition, metals are recovered from that ash for re-use. Through this, Encyclis returns valuable resources to the production cycle and avoid the need for mining or extracting new material, which is both energy intensive and harmful to the environment.

2. DELIVERING ENERGY BEYOND ELECTRICITY:

Encyclis provides a core public hygiene service and generates sustainable baseload electricity to power communities. In addition to this, it is committed to supporting other critical infrastructure through the deployment of district heating for local communities, playing a vital role in further decarbonising UK homes.

Encyclis is actively progressing opportunities to export heat to support its decarbonisation journey.

Safety first

A safe, healthy and risk-aware workplace improves the wellbeing of our colleagues, customers, the local communities we serve, and the planet we must protect.



Succeeding together

Empowering our people, collaborating with partners and working together as a diverse, inclusive team help us adapt to a fast changing world, while adding value to our enterprise.



Focused on circularity

We focus on a circular value chain, recovering energy and by-products from waste that would otherwise end up in landfill, supporting the transition to renewable energy and a more circular economy.



Responsible partners and good citizens

We take our responsibilities seriously, whether that's with our partners, regulators or local communities. We always aim to achieve the highest standards of compliance and accreditation.



100% and beyond

Every day we strive to do better, in a process of continuous improvement that impacts everything we do, from high plant availability to 100% waste recovery from energy to ash and metals recycling.



Our Energy Recovery Portfolio



**COMBINED, OUR
EXISTING AND PLANNED
FACILITIES DELIVER A
NUMBER OF BENEFITS TO
THE UK AND IRELAND:**

OVER
2.7M
TONNES

Total residual waste
processing capacity
per annum

282
MW

of sustainable baseload
electricity generated

562,500
HOMES

powered through our
electricity per annum

UP TO
350,000
TONNES

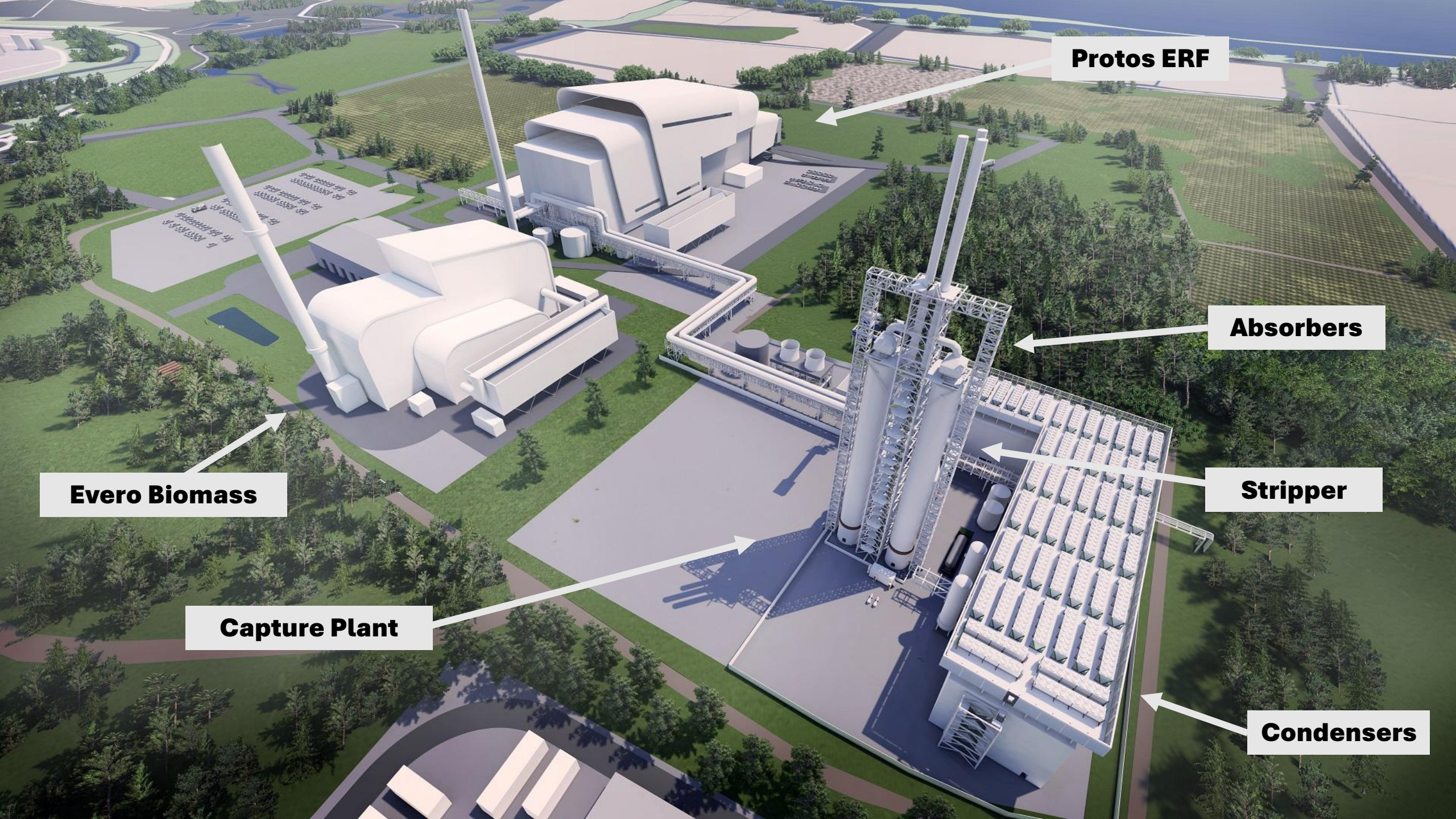
of CO₂ to be captured per
annum through first carbon
capture facility

UP TO
200,000
TONNES

of IBA to be processed per
annum at new Wellingborough
treatment facility

250
PEOPLE

FTE staff employed throughout
the UK and Ireland



Protos ERF

Absorbers

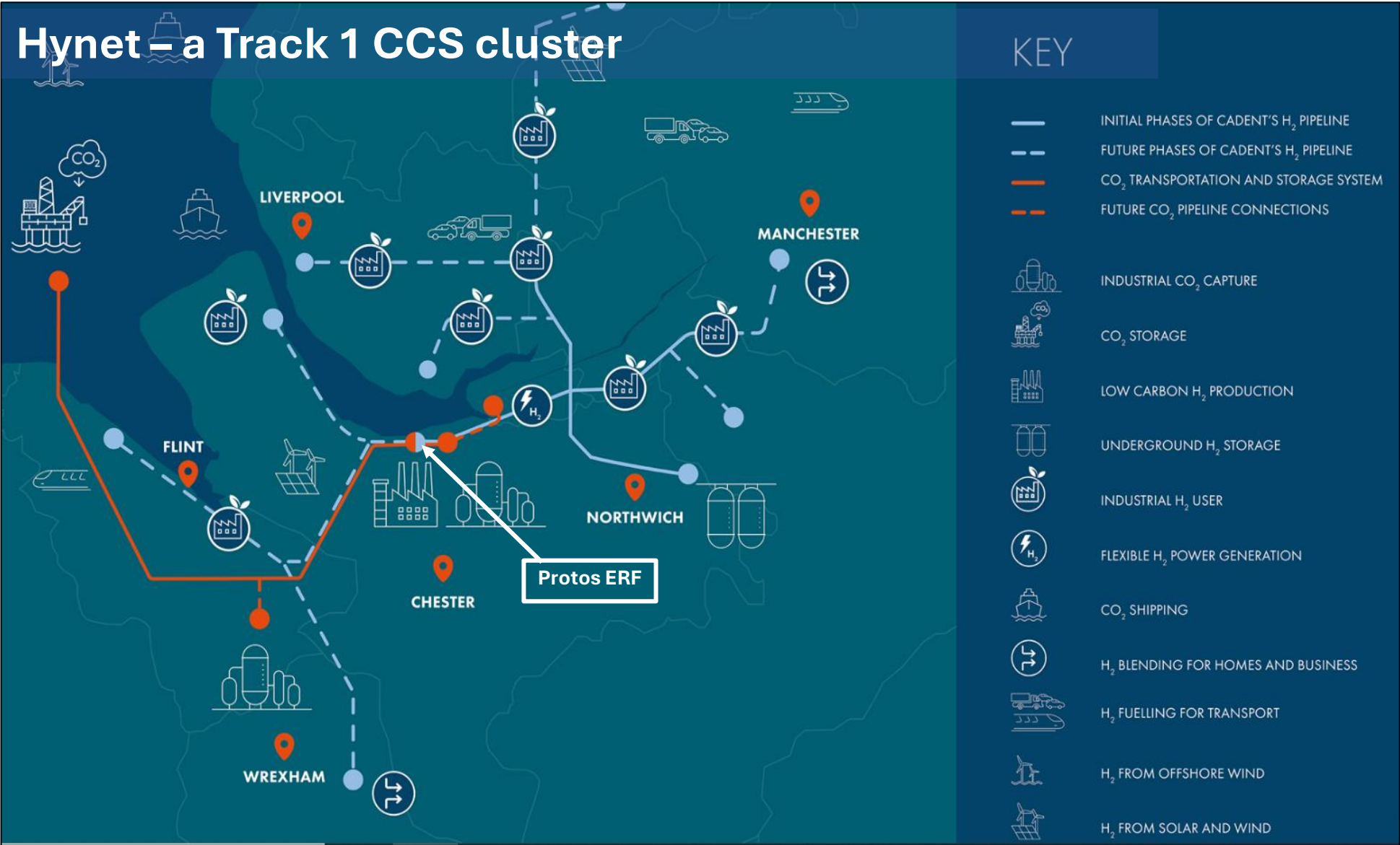
Stripper

Condensers

Evero Biomass

Capture Plant

Key part of the Hynet industrial decarbonisation cluster



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VIRIDOR Runcorn Energy from Waste Capture Plant

Aren Houghton, CCS Project Manager, **Viridor**

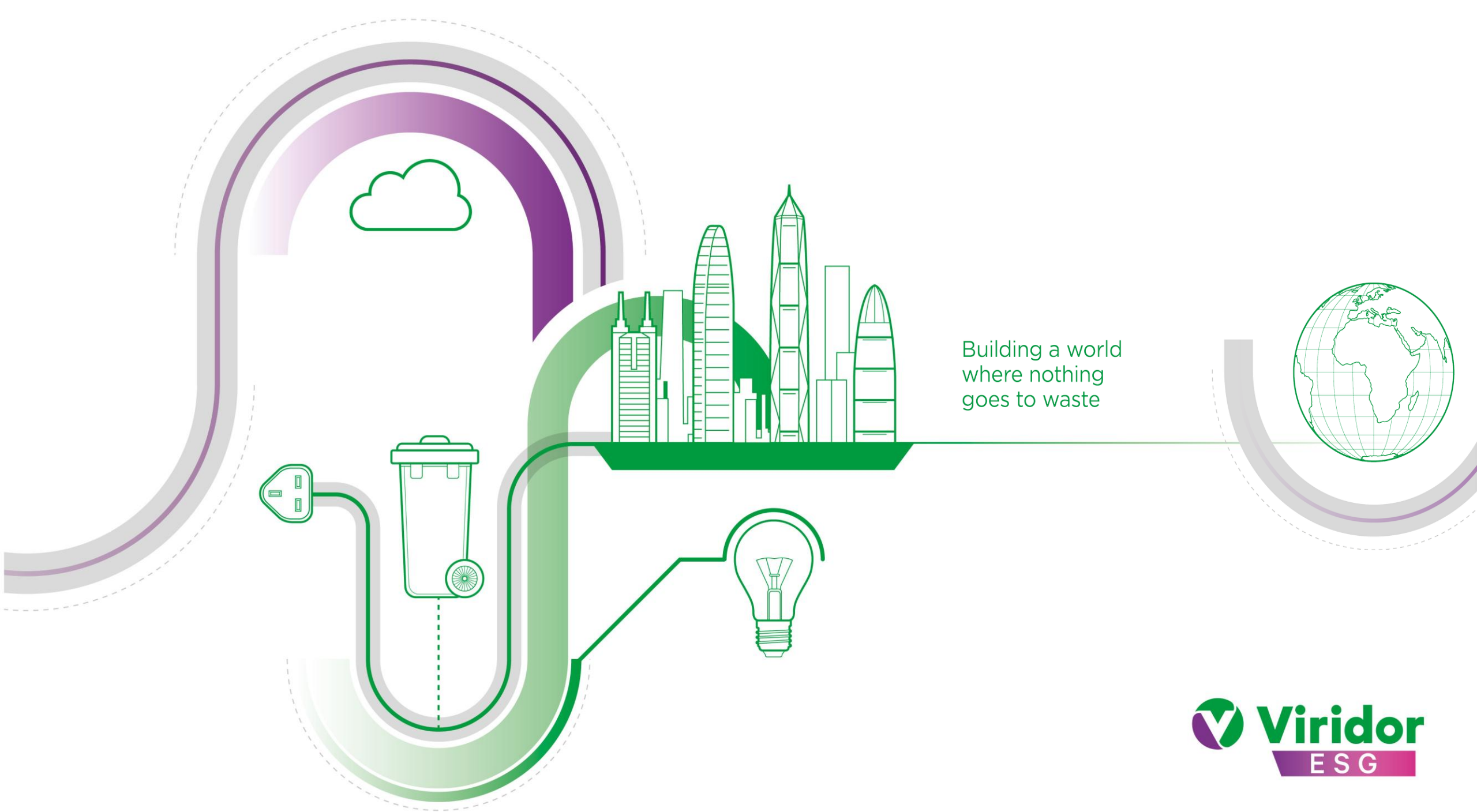
Steve Critchley, Technical Engineering Manager, **Viridor**

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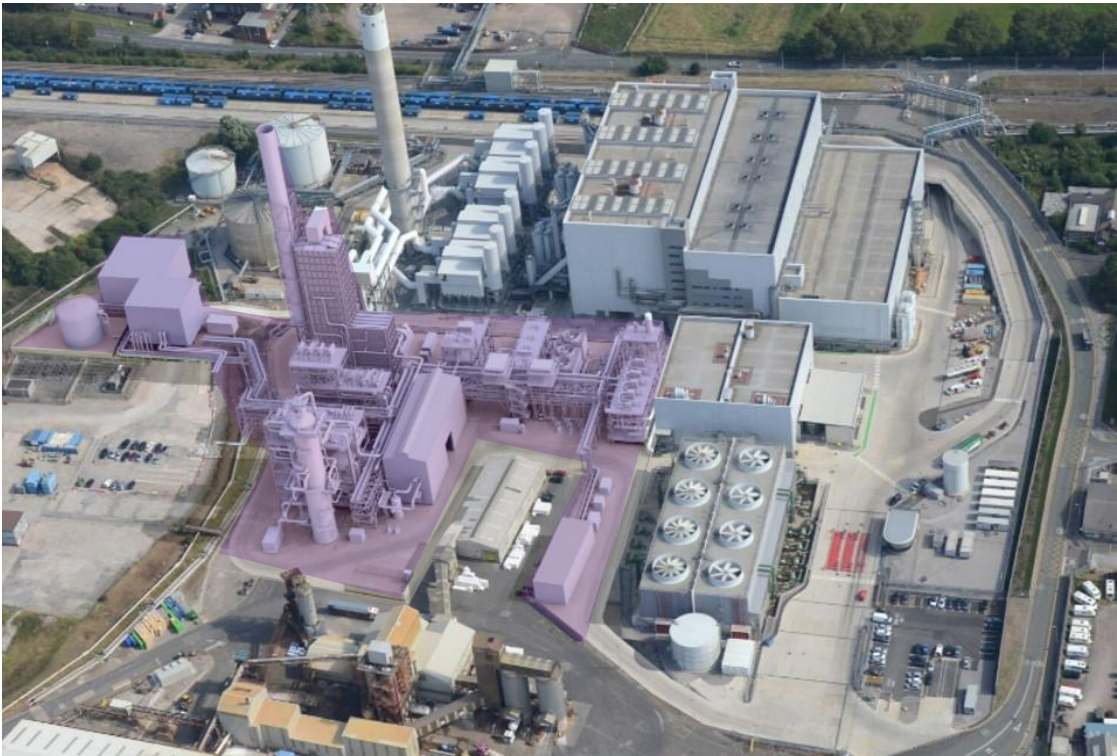
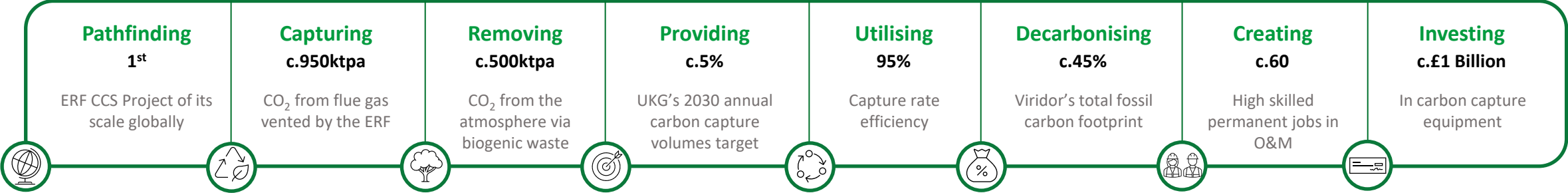
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Building a world
where nothing
goes to waste

Runcorn CCS Project



Illustrative images based on preliminary modelling for the CCS Project

Runcorn Energy Recovery Facility



- ✓ Located at Weston Point, Runcorn
- ✓ UK's Largest operational ERF and CHP (providing electricity and steam to local industry)
- ✓ More than 1 million Tonnes of Waste processed annually
- ✓ Generates approximately 90MW of Electricity & 100MWth Heat
- ✓ Producing circa 1 million Tonnes of CO₂ annually

Runcorn CCS Project – Enabling and Demolition



- ✓ Enabling and demolition works will be executed under Viridor supervision prior to FID on the full CCS construction

- ✓ Unlocking the opportunity to develop CCS is a collaboration with Ineos/Inovyn
- ✓ Inovyn are Landowners for the CCS project and the existing ERF and part owners in ERF Facility
- ✓ Project involves demolition of
 - Redundant CHP Plant (operational prior to ERF build)
 - Existing salt warehousing
 - Existing car park (to be relocated to facilitate CCS)
- ✓ Reconfiguration of the site involves building:
 - Workshop
 - Warehouse extension
 - Services diversions
 - Replacement gas skid
 - Replacement car park



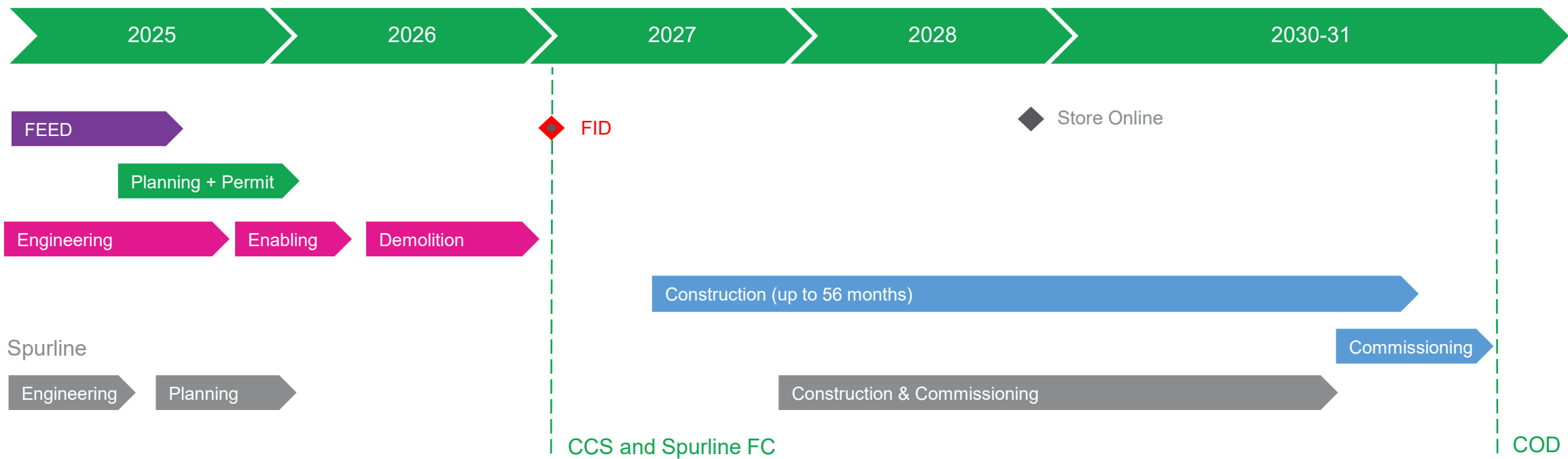
- ✔ Integration with existing ERF key to project success.
- ✔ Sharing of utilities and services to minimise CAPEX and OPEX costs and maximise benefits to both operations.
- ✔ Main Packages include:
 - Civils
 - Mechanical and Electrical
 - CO₂ Gas Compression
 - Back-pressure Steam Turbine
 - Waste Water Treatment Plant
 - Cooling Towers
 - Heat Exchangers

- ✔ Construction of the CCS project is intended to be executed under EPC contract with site supervision handed over to an EPC contractor under CDM

Runcorn CCS Project Timeline



- ✓ FEED Completion July 2025
- ✓ Enabling & Demolition Works Commence Q1 2026
- ✓ FID Q1 2027
- ✓ Construction Start Q3 2027
- ✓ COD Target 2031



✓ The dedicated spurline for the Runcorn CCS will be delivered by Liverpool Bay CCS (ENI)

Challenges

- ✔ Nascent market – limited standardisation allows for more innovation but can be a challenge, especially in risk-sharing mechanisms
- ✔ Limited pool of UK precedent and opportunity to learn lessons and adopt best practices
- ✔ Transferability of existing skills, technology and products
- ✔ Many suppliers don't realise their potential to be part of the CCS market and contribute to the government's net zero vision
- ✔ Regulatory framework: generally broadly defined in the UK, but EU regulations can add layers of complexity

Opportunities for local businesses through all stages of the project

- ✔ Anticipated to create a net impact of approximately 1,300 person years of employment during construction phase
- ✔ 300 to 400 People on site over 4-to-5-year period
- ✔ Being part of a worldwide first of its kind retrofit of CCS at scale to an ERF facility
- ✔ Finding creative solutions and setting standards in the UK CCS market

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Track 1 Expansion Overview

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InBECCS

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217,000 tonnes p.a. of Carbon Dioxide Removals (CDR)



100% domestically sourced waste wood feedstock



Direct connection to HyNet Transportation and Storage network



MHI chosen as CCS technology partner. Expecting to commence FEED imminently.



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|------|--|
| 2025 | Project Negotiation List for Track 1 expansion |
| 2026 | FID |
| 2029 | Operational |

InBECCS

is set to become the
pathfinder project for
the UK BECCS and
GGR sector



InBECCS

- Retrofit onto existing Ince Bio Power plant at the Protos energy park in Cheshire
- Condensers and compressors will be located adjacent to the Protos AGI
- The remainder of InBECCS plant is laid out around the Ince Biopower perimeter
- This enables InBECCS construction concurrent with the build of the adjacent Encyclis CCS plant, and during continued operation of Ince Biopower
- Planning application being submitted in August 2025.



InBECCS – Timeline for Delivery

| | 2025 | | | | 2026 | | | | 2027 | | | | 2028 | | 2029 | |
|--------------------------|------|----|----|----|------|----|----|----|------|----|----|----|------|----|------|----|
| Activities | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | H1 | H2 | H1 | H2 |
| FEED | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FID | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Vendor pre-qualification | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mechanical | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Piping | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Long lead items | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Civils/Elec/C&I | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Construction | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Commissioning | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| COD | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |



Procurement challenges

- Want proven, low-risk solutions
- Availability of contractors/skilled personnel
- Multiple projects, limited capacity
- Tight schedules, fixed obligations for GGR
- Price fluctuations
- Supply chain good practice



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CADENT HyNet North West Hydrogen Pipeline

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Hydrogen Pipeline Network Overview

Phase 1B (Q4-2027)

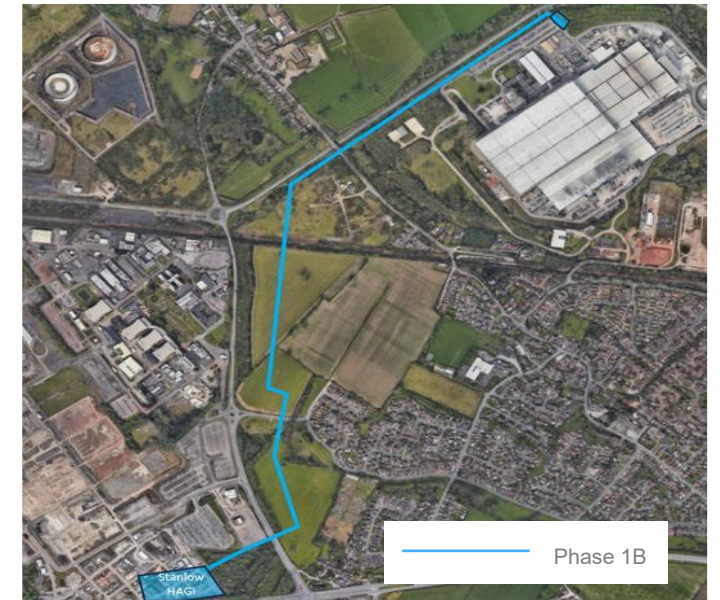
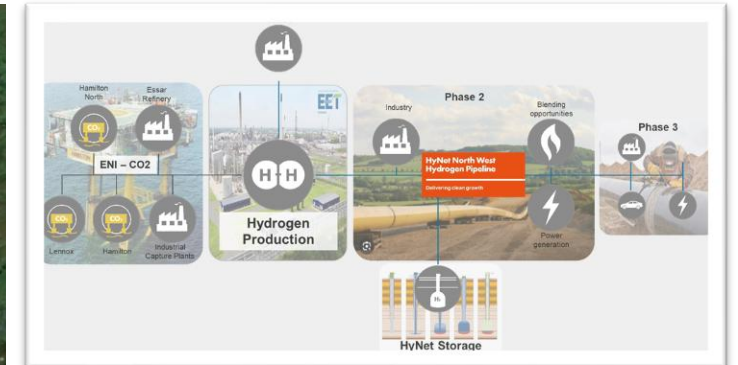
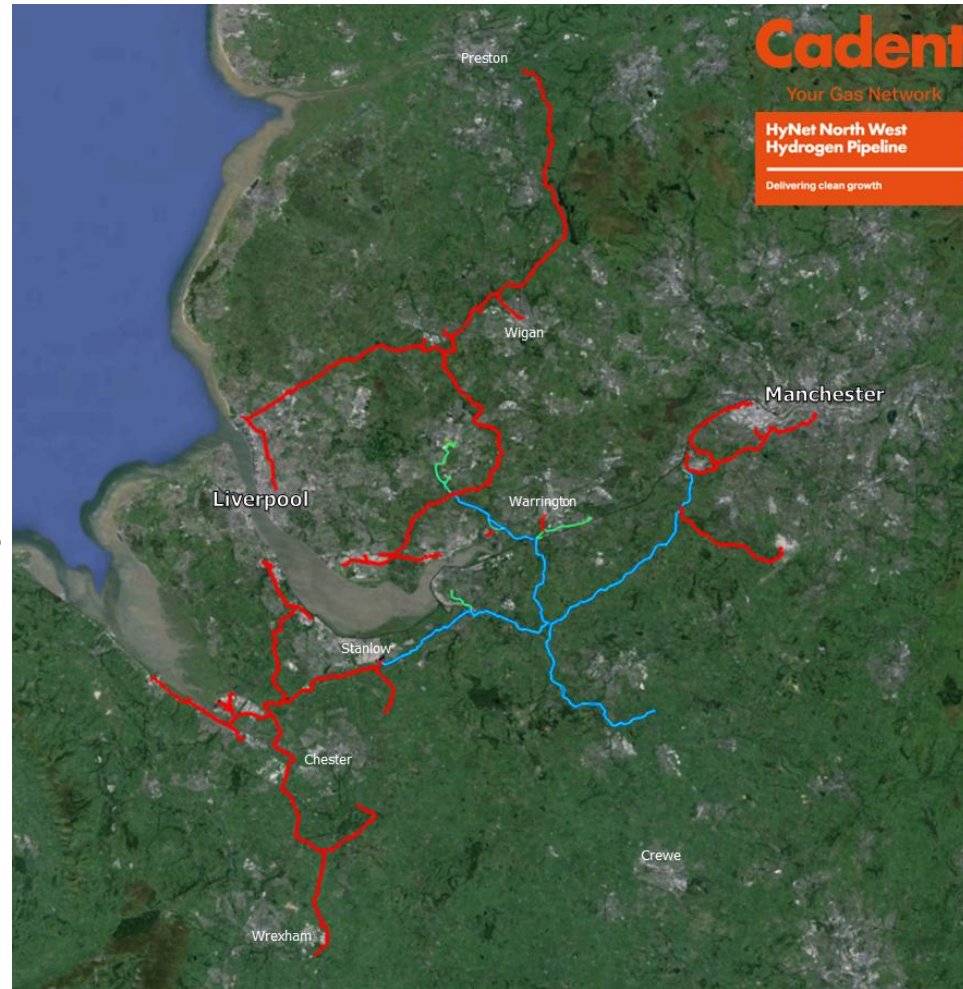
- Connects 1st industrial user
- 2.3km in length
- Detailed Design, Long Lead Items and construction 2026-2027

Phase 2 (Q2-2030) (Phase 2 Spurs)

- 6 Industrial users
- 2 large Power Stations and 3 smaller generators
- Growth in smaller production connection enquiries
- 100km in length; inc. 82 km 42" / 30" / 18" HP steel trunkline
- 9 Above Ground Installations and 2 Block Valve Sites
- 24 Major Road, Rail and River Crossings
- >1000 Utility Interactions
- Detailed Design, Long Lead Items and construction 2027 – 2030

Phase 3 (2032 onwards)

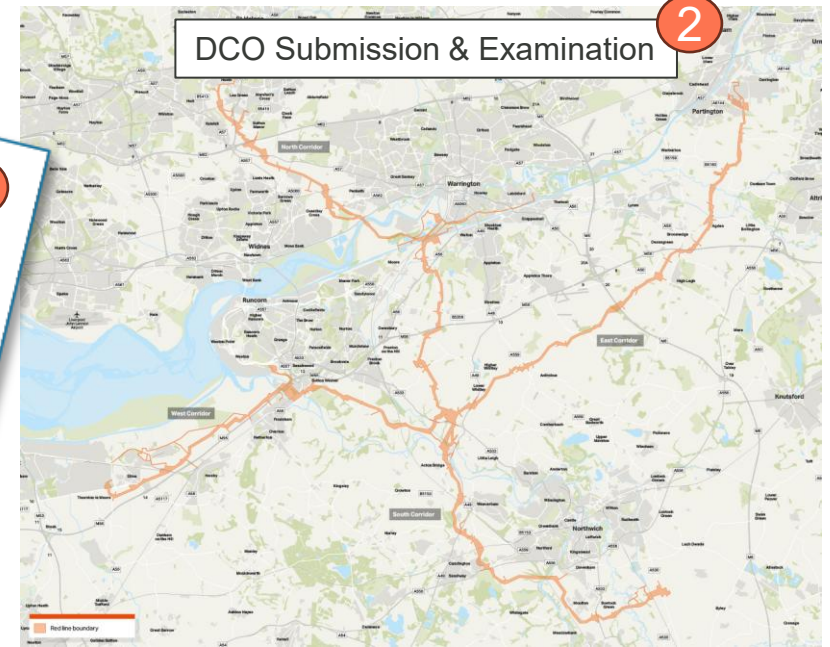
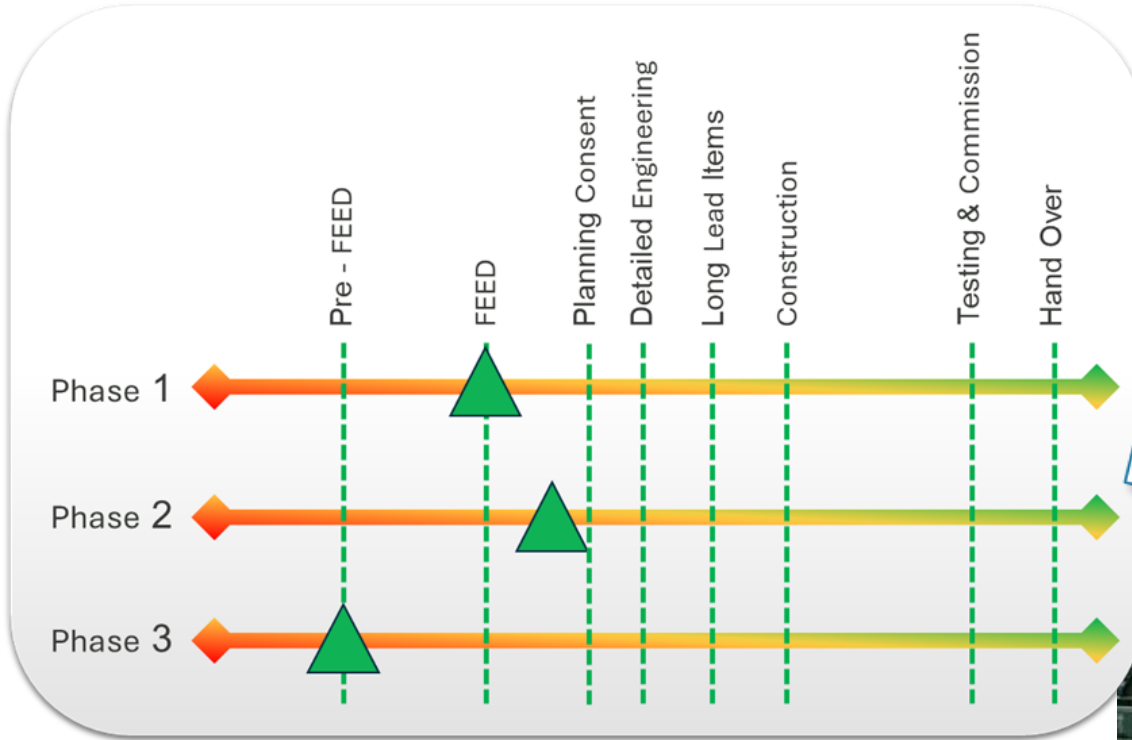
- Scoping of users / demand commenced
- Pre-FEED in 2026
- Commission 3 yrs. post Phase 2
- Potentially a 250km extension



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What's next



How to get in contact



QR Code for the Project Website



QR Code for the interested supplier registration



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Hydrogen Storage

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Executive Summary

- HyKeuper will deliver 19 underground salt caverns for hydrogen storage
- Each cavern will have a nominal working gas volume of up to 400,000m³ (a bigger volume than St. Paul's cathedral)
- The overall facility will store circa. 1.3TWh to support the HyNet network, both to balance supply/demand for industrial users and as a store for power generation
- A Gas Processing Plant ("GPP") will transfer hydrogen from the network into the caverns, and vice versa
- The GPP will incorporate reciprocating compressors to compress the Hydrogen and an adsorption based dehydration system to remove water moisture post-storage and achieve the required network specification

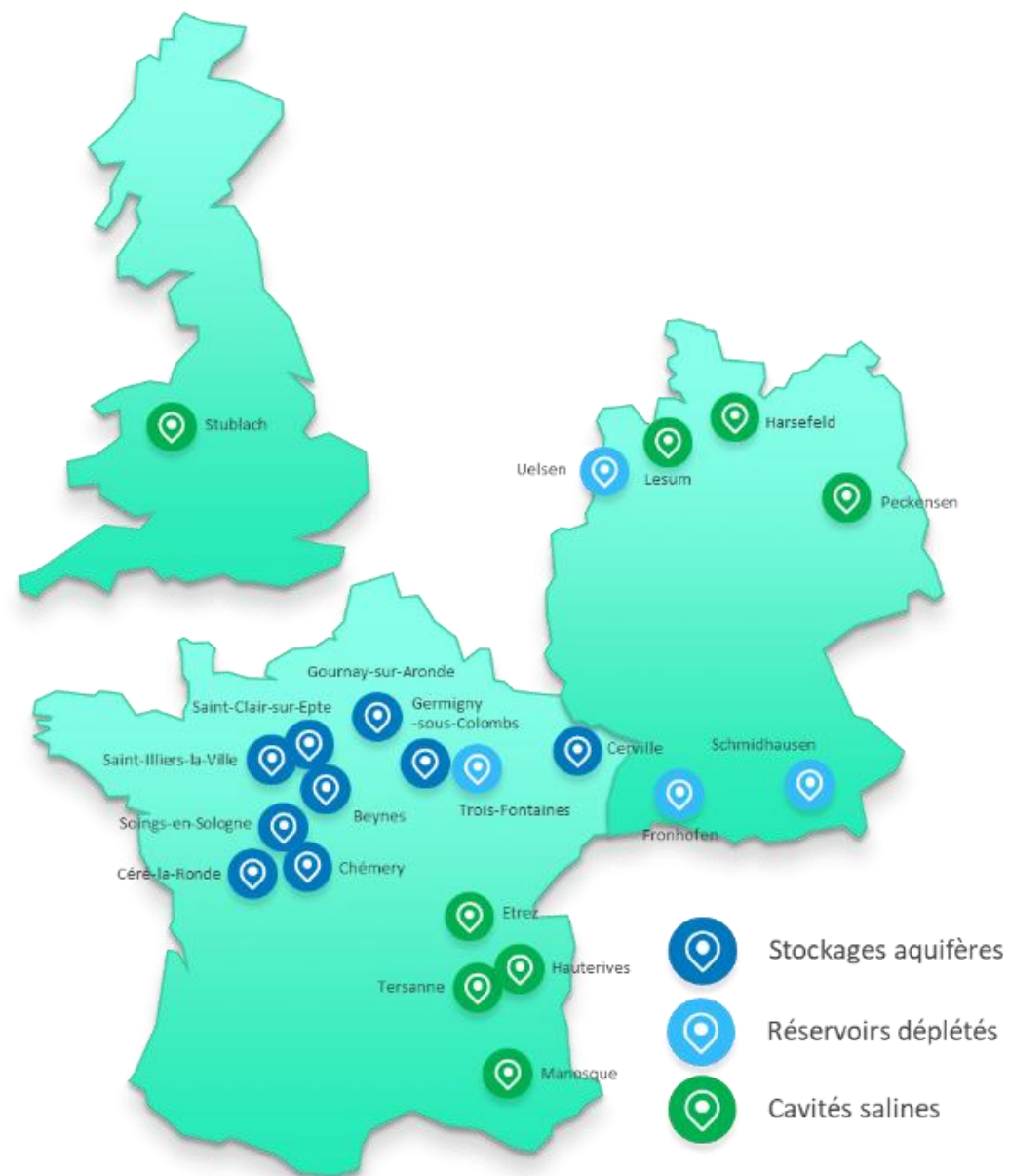
Stublach

- Storengy owns and operates the Stublach Gas Storage Facility, located adjacent to the HyKeuper project site
- Stublach is the UK's largest onshore gas storage site, comprising 20 salt caverns storing 5TWh of natural gas (enough to supply the UK for 2 days)
- More information can be found at:
www.storengy.co.uk/storengy-uk-stublach-site
or www.storengy.com



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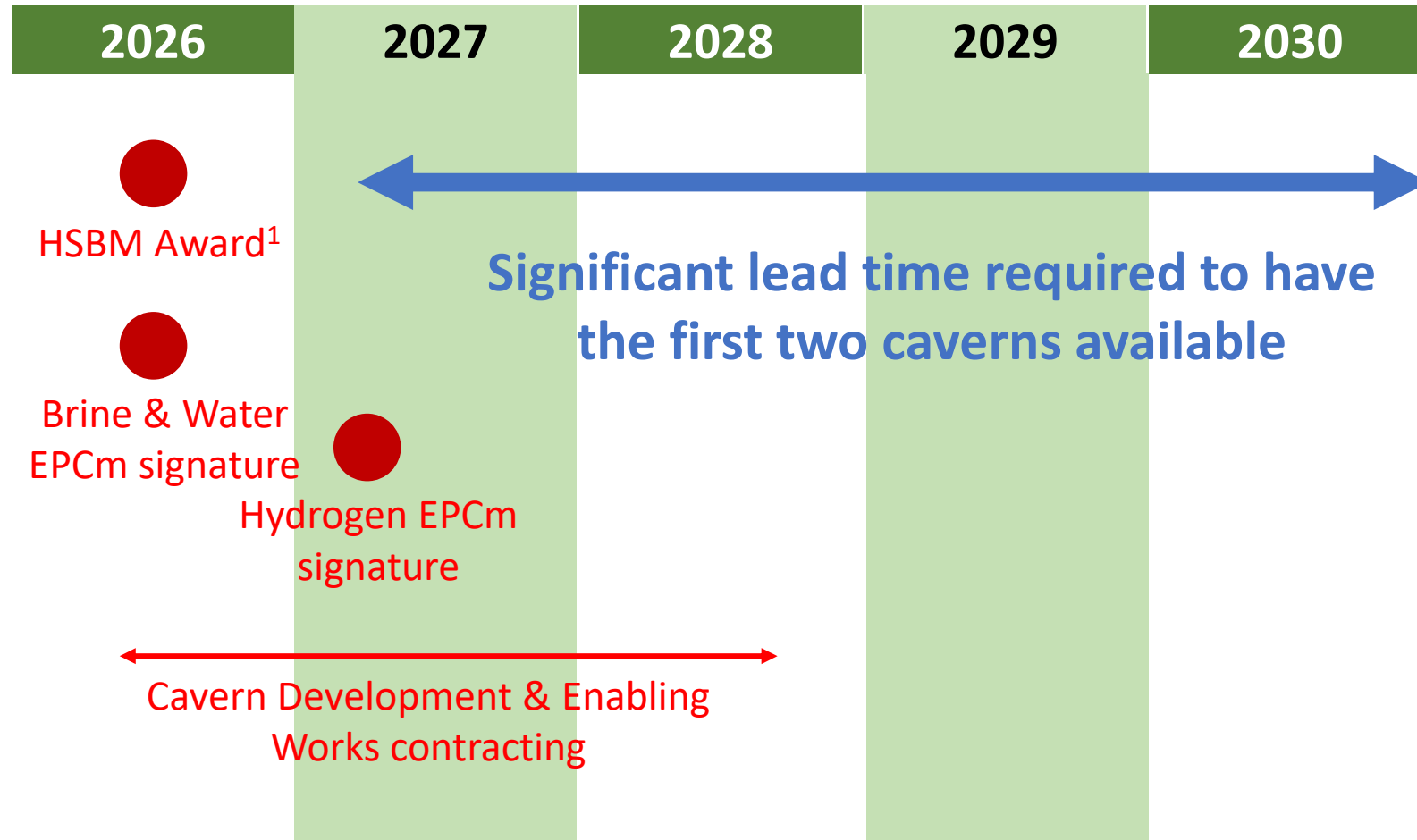
- Storengy is a subsidiary of ENGIE, responsible for underground gas storage
- Storengy operates 21 underground storage sites in Europe (in aquifers, salt caverns and depleted fields)
- Storengy is one of the world leaders in underground gas storage, with expertise across subsurface sciences (geophysics, geostatistics, rock mechanics, solution mining) and surface engineering (compression, processing, command control, etc.)



HyKeuper Contract Packages & Contract Approach

| Cavern Creation | "SMC" refurbishment | Brine & Water | Hydrogen Plant ("GPP") |
|---|--|---|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Drilling• Leaching• De-brining• Completions• Work-overs | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Refurbishment of the existing Solution Mining Compound (pumps, valves etc) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pipelines from SMC to caverns• Wellhead compounds• Nitrogen compound• Road network | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Compression• Dehydration• Connections to hydrogen above ground infrastructure ("HAGI")• Pipelines to caverns |
| Multi-lot EPC (Client co-ordinated) | EPCm | EPCm | EPCm |

Timetable (illustrative)



Note: 1. Hydrogen Storage Business Model timetable has not been released

HyKeuper Attendees



Tom Hay – Director of Contract Management

- Tom has worked for ENGIE since 2011 in a variety of roles
 - Tom has particular expertise in long duration power storage, and was previously the commercial lead for the mid-life replanting of Dinorwig and Ffestiniog pumped storage power stations in Wales
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Tim Howe – Contracts Engineer

- Tim has worked on various large infrastructure projects within the energy, utility, chemical, telecoms and nuclear industries
 - Tim was involved in the procurement and contract management of the Stublach gas storage facility from 2010 to 2021
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James Kidd – Project Manager

- James has worked in various petrochemical & pharmaceutical projects at various project stages over the past 5 years
- James worked for 7 years in local cement manufacturing at Padeswood

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Technical Manager
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Costain Overview

For HyNet Supply Chain Summit June 2025

Together we
shape, create, deliver

A clear strategy

Delivering essential infrastructure to meet critical national needs



Driving economic growth



Addressing climate change, targeting net zero and climate adaption

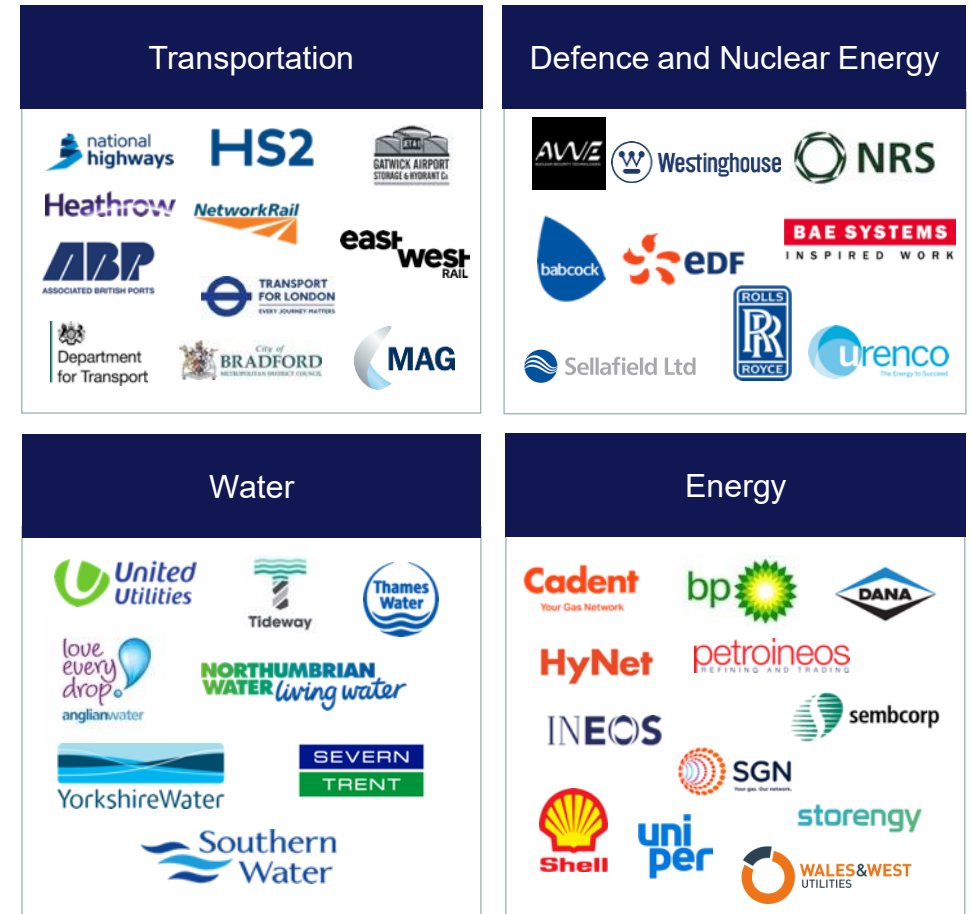


Safeguarding the environment and securing future water supply



Ensuring national security

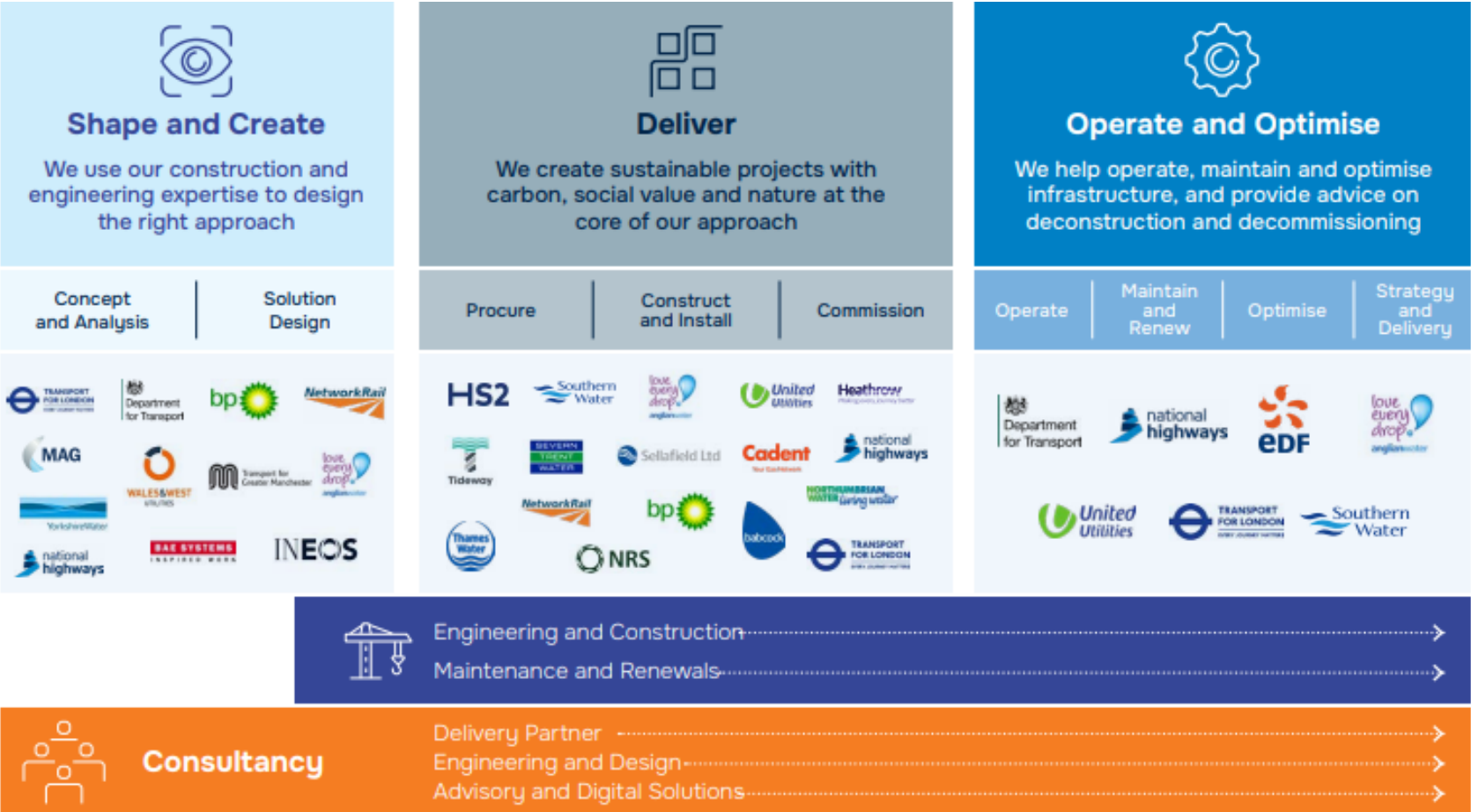
Broadening our Tier 1 long-term customer base



Pioneering Infrastructure Solutions Across the Lifecycle

Bringing our expertise to solve complex delivery challenges across the UK

From procurement, through construction and installation, to decommissioning, we create the opportunities and environment to deliver programmes safely, quickly and cost effectively.



About us

Key facts and locations



160 year
track record



c.3,200
people across a
broad mix of disciplines



600+
chartered
professionals,
with deep sector
knowledge



Five offices

and multiple project
sites across the UK

Best Companies

accreditation as a 'A Very
Good Company to Work For'

Six sectors

with experts in Water, Energy,
Defence and Nuclear Energy,
Road, Rail and Integrated
Transport

Strong 2024 Results

- Revenue
£1,251m
- Operating Profit
£31m

Industry leading safety record

- 0.11 LTIR

Costain Contact Team

Brine & Water Packages



Costain Contact Team

Hydrogen Packages



Costain Contact Team

HyKeuper FEED

Project Manager – Rob Beresford

- Over 25 years in gas industry with Costain
- Delivered Keuper Hydrogen Concept and Targeted FEED for INOVYN and several similar gas storage project FEEDs
- Involved in Keuper for over 7 years



Procurement Manager – Lisa Prue

- Over 15 years experience in Energy sector procurement with Costain
- Involved in Keuper for over 4 years
- Led Keuper supply chain engagement in 2024



Project Sponsor – Dave Richardson

- Delivered the build for the existing Stublach B&W and led several similar gas storage project FEEDs
- Involved in Keuper for over 7 years
- Over 10 years hydrogen experience



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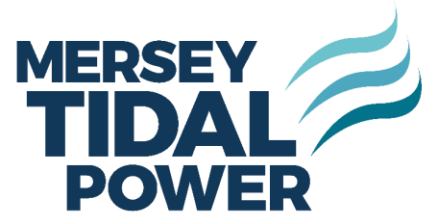
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Mersey Tidal Power Project

Project Overview- 12th June 2025



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Mersey Tidal

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**Five Year Climate
Action Plan
2023-2028**



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Birkenhead

Wirral

Cheshire West

Flintshire

River Dee

Sefton

River Mersey

The **Mersey Tidal Power Project** is looking to harness the abundant natural marine resource (**tidal range**) within the region and unique shape of the river estuary.

Providing reliable and predictable domestic renewable generation next to our large (and growing) urban and industrial demand

Tried & Tested Technology



La Rance, St Malo, France, Operating since 1967
24 x 10 MW Units installed
500 GWh generation per year



Sihwa - South Korea - K-Water Operating since 2014
10 x 25 MW Units installed
550 GWh generation per year

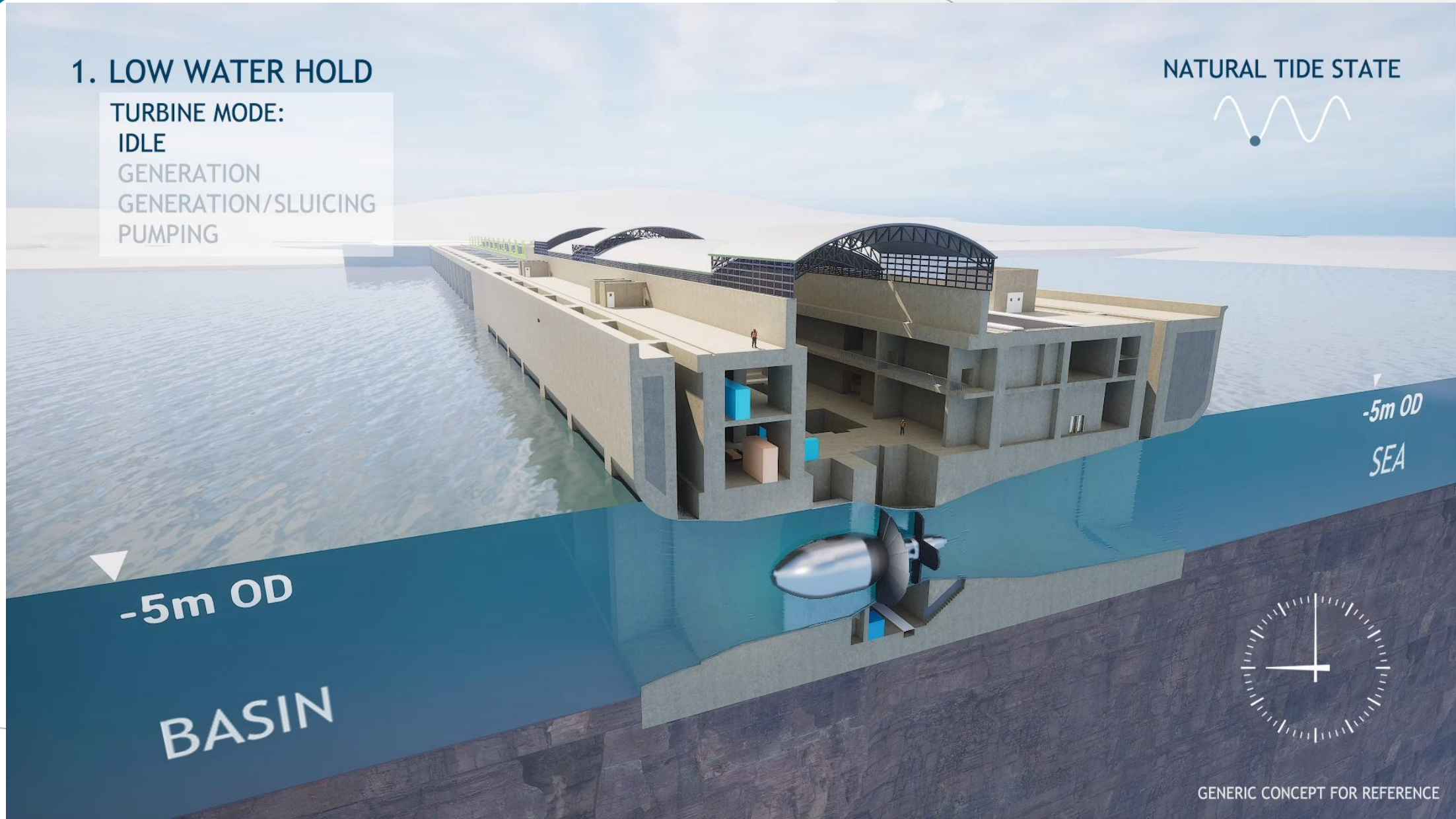




1. LOW WATER HOLD

TURBINE MODE:
IDLE
GENERATION
GENERATION/SLUICING
PUMPING

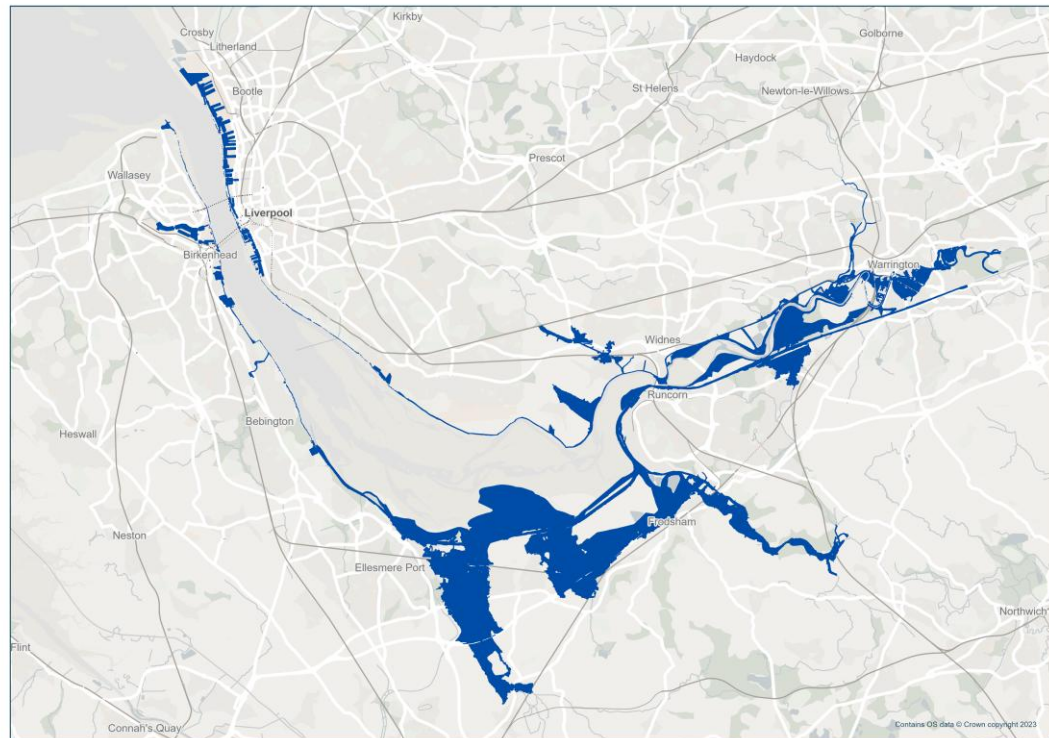
NATURAL TIDE STATE



Climate Change Scenarios

“Do Nothing”

RCP8.5 2150–open river based on model



Mersey tidal power advisory services

Hydro-environmental modelling

Potential area of flooding at peak tide level
RCP 8.5

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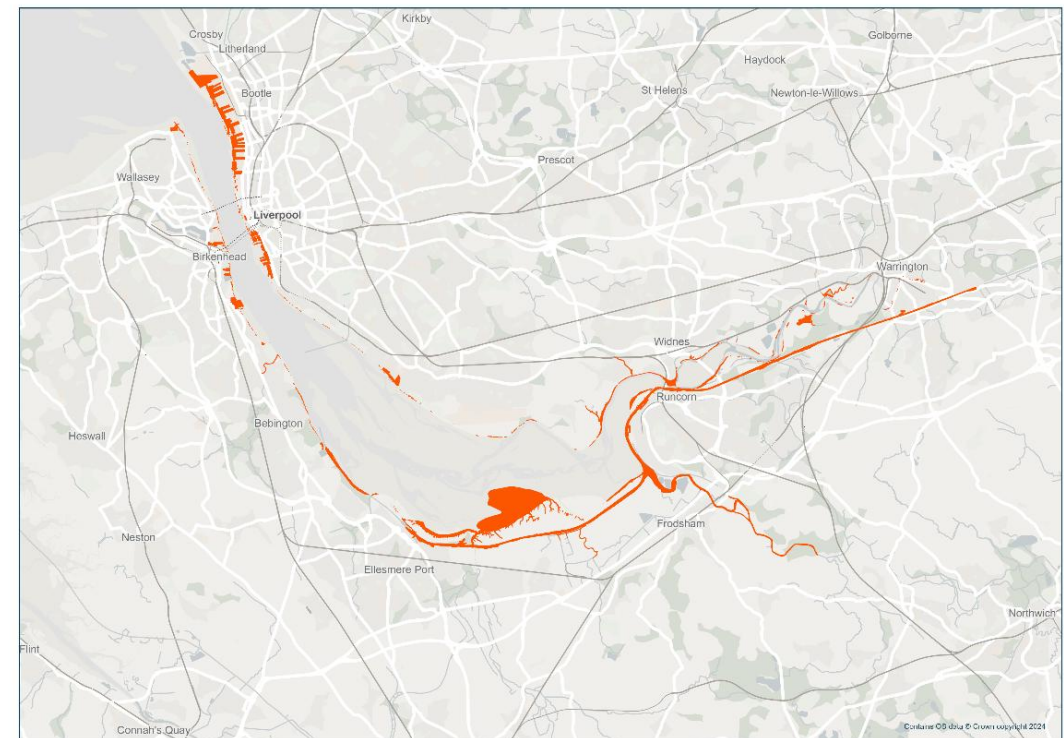


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Flood Levels– Initial findings

“Barrage”

RCP8.5 2150- BR04 2 way, no pumping



Mersey tidal power advisory services

Hydro-environmental modelling

Potential area of flooding at peak tide level
B17 BR04A 2NP RCP 8.5

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Construction Examples

La Rance Tidal Power Project

Construction involved a cofferdam approach using a combination of techniques.

Site photos from June 1965 show construction progress with Sluice gates already in place (top right)



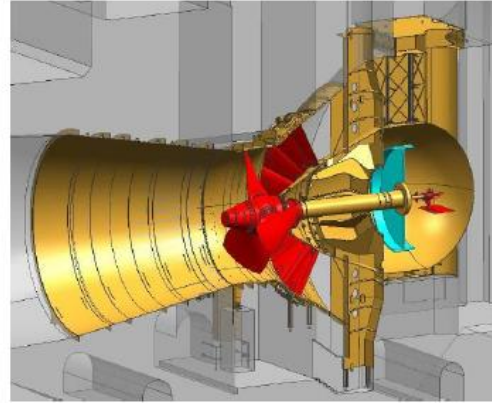


Sihwa Tidal Power Project

The Mersey Tidal Power Project team has carried out several visits to Sihwa, South Korea.

Construction was achieved with a large cofferdam allowing construction, assembly and installation within a 'dry' workspace.

Construction Examples



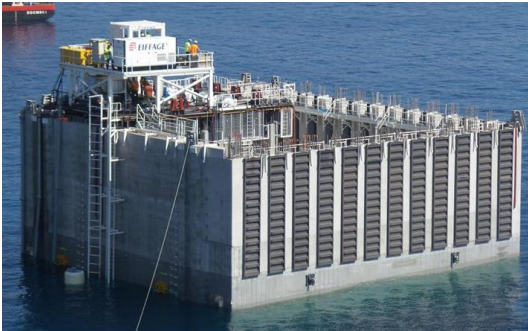
Sihwa Tidal Power Project

Construction involved a combination of techniques.

Site photos from Nov 2007 show draft tube installation of early units.



Caisson Construction



UK Supply Chain

Work starting to explore marine civil methods to build on Thames Tideway, HS2 and HPC / SZC experience.

High potential for major marine facility that can translate to a maritime facility - regional maritime priority

Current example of major works for Fehmernbelt tunnel works is relevant

Liverpool Advanced manufacturing and materials experience makes this a high priority investment area for future skills similar to Modern Methods of manufacture for Buildings (new and retrofit)



UK Supply Chain - Turbine Generator

Work starting to explore manufacturing in UK for period 2028 to 2035 - updating and extending the studies from Swansea TPL.

High potential for rotating equipment factory in Liverpool to service Mersey Tidal and other Tidal projects and similar production.

The future ambition for Net Zero in UK and globally, through electrification, relies on rotating equipment of all sizes.

Liverpool Advanced manufacturing expertise and Automotive experience makes this a high priority investment area for 2025-2026.

Supply Chain – UK Content – Non-Price Factors

Studies starting to re-profile opportunity for supply chain in LCR

Turbine components

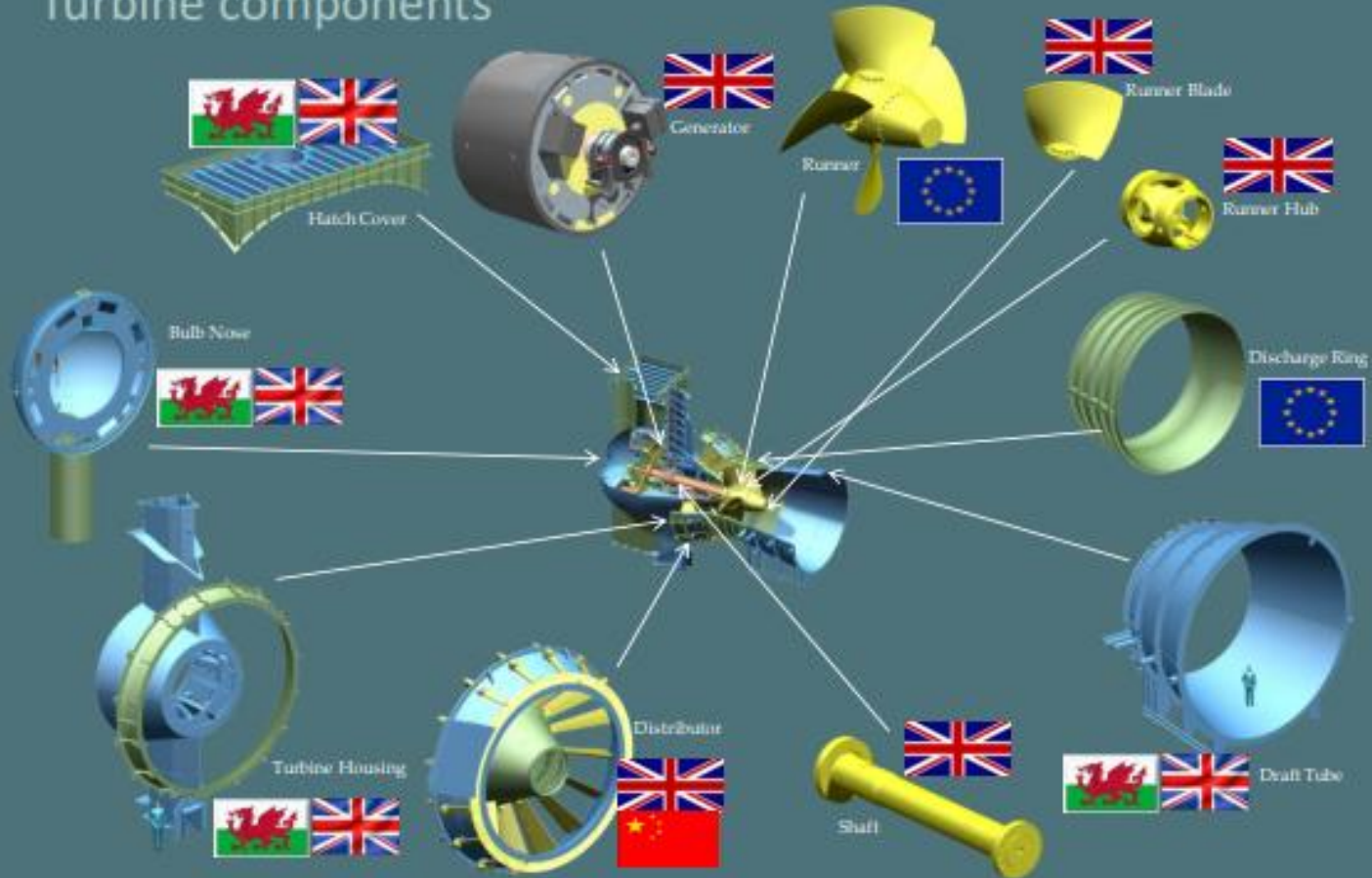


Image: Andritz Hydro plan for Swansea Bay Tidal Lagoon

International Axis - Focused

MOA signed with K Water

Meetings with ROK Ambassador to UK in Liverpool

Attendance at Industrial session of ROK State Visit to UK

Meetings with UK Ambassador in Seoul

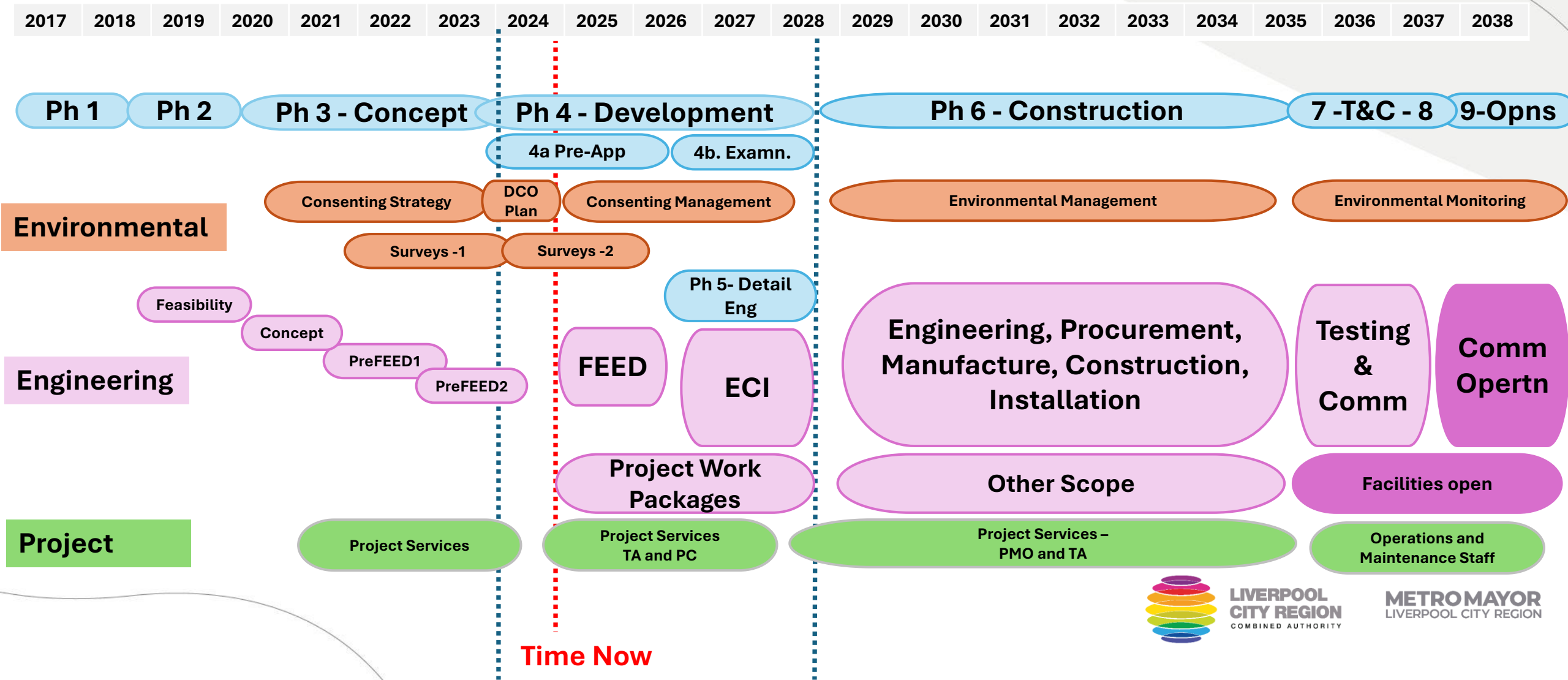
UK - Republic of Korea Energy Axis

- New Nuclear
- Offshore Wind
- Tidal Range should be added

Liverpool - Busan International Innovation Twins

Samsung CT part of Mersey Gateway Bridge Build Team







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