DECENTRALIZED H2 BASED ELECTRICITY STORAGE

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ELECTRICITY STORAGE OPTIONS



BATTERIES VS. HYDROGEN

An example from Germany

Net power generation by conventional energy sources, 27 to 31 October 2017, German grid



20GW Batteries vs. Hydrogen

Example:

20 GW over 2 days balancing power 20 GW over 48 hrs 960 GWh ~1 TWh

Batteries:

20 GW with 4 hr storage = 80 GWh 12 x 20 GW @4 hrs (48 hrs) = 960 GWh

~500 €/kWh **CAPEX** (Full Turnkey) 500 x 960 000 000 kWh = **480 000 Mio.** €



H2 SUPPLY CHAIN AND STORAGE

H2 from local storage

- Local H2 production
- Local storage as compressed H2 (technical storage)
- Local re-use of H2





H2 APPLICATIONS FOR POWER GENERATION

First H2 movers





Plant size: medium (1 to ~100 MW) Operation: back-up H2 cons.: low H2 supply: local storage

H2-Hub & Microgrids



Plant size: medium (1 to ~50 MW) Operation: balancing H2 cons.: medium H2 supply: local storage / pipeline

Highly developed H2 infrastructure



Plant size: medium (1 to ~100 MW) Operation: balancing H2 cons.: low / medium H2 supply: pipeline

Industrial H2



Plant size: small (1 to 100 MW) Operation: onsite power H2 cons.: medium H2 supply: from local processes





Plant size: small/medium (1 to 50 MW) Operation: baseload / balancing H2 cons.: medium H2 supply: local storage / pipeline

Flexible CHP



Plant size: medium (1 to ~200 MW) Operation: balancing H2 cons.: medium H2 supply: pipeline

PROJECT EXAMPLES

Case studies





HYCHICO, CHUBUT, ARGENTINA



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HWN OTHMARSCHEN, HAMBURG, GER

Retrofit Demo 2020: First MW gas engine with field conversion from natural gas to hydrogen operation

J416	Nat. Gas (design 2019)	20%v H ₂ admixing example (after retrofit)	100% H ₂ operation (after retrofit)		
Electrical output	999 kW	999 kW	>600 kW		
Electrical efficiency	42%	~42%	~40%		
Total efficiency	93.5%	~93.5%	~93%		
NO _x emissions	<250 mg/Nm ³ @ 5%O ₂	<250 mg/Nm ³ @ 5%O ₂	<100 mg/Nm ³ @ 5%O ₂		
CO ₂ emissions	216 g/kWh _{el}	201 g/kWh _{el} (-7%)	0 g/kWh _{el} (-100%)		



Technology

- Port injection (gas pressure 8+bar)
- Cylinder selective combustion control
- Wastegate for turbo charger

CO2 Emissions calculated with heat bonus method

HYOSUNG, ULSAN, SOUTH KOREA H2-ENGINE CHP

J420	Pipeline Gas	100% H ₂
Electrical output	1.060 kW	1,060 kW
Electrical efficiency	38.4%	~38.4%
Total efficiency	~89%	~85%
NO _x emissions	<250 mg/Nm ³ @ 5%O ₂	<100 mg/Nm ³ @ 5%O ₂
CO ₂ emissions	226 g/kWh _{el}	0 g/kWh _{el}
H ₂ consumption		~83 kg/h





Largest 60 Hz H2-Engine IPP CHP in Asia

- Hydrogen as a byproduct from polypropylene production from Hyosung chemical
- Hyosung heavy industry demonstrating the use of hydrogen for an IPP plant as an industrial CHP (with steam boiler)
- H2-Engine delivery in mid 2022
- H2-Engine installation and service provided by INNIO Jenbacher's authorized distributor RNP

NorthC DATACENTERS, EINDHOVEN, NL

First data centre with H2-engines for emergency back-up

NorthC Datacenters

- Small scale regional DC in Netherlands, Germany & Switzerland
- 15 local DC's, whereof 10 in NL
- Carbon neutral by 2030
- DC Groningen (2022) first with standby H2 Fuel Cell
- DC Eindhoven (2023) first with 6x INNIO Jenbacher JGC420 H2-engines
- Going forward ... new and replacement standby power based on H2

Datacenter Eindhoven – 6 H2-engines

- 6 MWe ... standby power based on 6 x 1 MWe H2-engines (JGC420)
- Replacing concept with multiple 1,5 2,0 MWe standby diesel generators
- Re-designing concept for UPS & Cooling/chillers
- Dual fuel H2-engines (NG as back-up fuel)
- H2 as main fuel from local H2 storage until H2 pipeline is available
- NG as back-up fuel in case of longer grid failures

https://www.northcdatacenters.com/en/about-us/sustainable-data-centers/









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NH3 FOR STATIONARY GAS ENGINE APPLICATIONS

Wind & Water to Ammonia



Zero-emission propulsion

Home-en - Campfire (wir-campfire.de)





Aim of this sub-project:

- Development of a container-based NH3 CHP plant for a stationary application
- ➢ Power range of 1 MW
- Remote off-grid application

Including

- various evaluation steps of critical components of the gas engine
- detailed design
- implementation of the container CHP plant
- integration of the NH3 cracker and necessary safety equipment
- various test runs
- stationary and flexible start/stop operation
- optimizing efficiency and minimizing exhaust emissions

Stationäre Energie - Campfire (wir-campfire.de)

READY FOR H_2^* — JENBACHER PRODUCT PORTFOLIO

Available products today and tomorrow

Power Output (kWel)							Α		В	С		
Generator Output @ 50 Hz operating on pipeline gas							$\rm H_2$ in pipeline gas		NG/H ₂ engine	Pure H ₂ engine		
	0	1,000	2,000	3,000	4,000	5,000	[]	10,000	<5% (vol)	<25% (vol) ¹ optional	0–100% (vol)	100%
Туре 9							J920	FleXtra	~	~	25%	2025+
Туре 6						J612 J	J616 J62	0 J624	~	~	60%	2025
Туре 4			J412 J∠	16 J420					~	~		100%
Туре 3		J3	312 J316	J320					~	~	60%	2025+
Туре 2	J2	208							~	~	60%	2025+
¹ Subject to req maintenance	uired modifie schedule for	cations for th r such compo	e certification onents may be	of the fuel gas required	components –	 a modification 	n of the					
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The concept





H2-BASED ELECTRICITY STORAGE 2 options

Common Grid Interconnection



Decoupled Solution



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BALANCING PLANT (CHP) - PIPELINE GAS MAIN FUEL WITH READY FOR H2





Flexible CHP (for electricity balancing)

90% total efficiency, ~225 g/kWh CO2

Hydrogen benefits:

0% pipeline gas savings 0% CO2 savings

Highly flexible Highly efficient

CHP benefits:

~33% pipeline gas savings

~33% CO2 savings



BALANCING PLANT (CHP) – PIPELINE GAS MAIN FUEL WITH H2 BLENDING

Up to 20-30%(vol) H2 in pipeline gas

Pipeline gas (with up to 25%(vol) H2)

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Flexible CHP (for electricity balancing)

90% total efficiency, ~198-225 g/kWh CO2

Hydrogen benefits with 25%(vol) : Conversion to 100% H2 at a later stage Costs for conversion to H2: ~25% of total CAPEX





energy

CHP benefits:

~33% energy source savings

~10% pipeline gas savings

~10% CO2 savings

~33% CO2 savings

BALANCING PLANT (CHP) – PIPELINE GAS MAIN FUEL WITH H2 LOCAL ADMIXING

Up to 60%(vol) H2 from a dedicated H2 source

main admixing Pipeline gas H2 (up to 60%(vol)) (up to 100%)

90% total efficiency, ~155-225 g/kWh CO2



Flexible CHP (for electricity balancing)

Hydrogen benefits with 60%(vol) :

~30% pipeline gas savings

~30% CO2 savings

Conversion to 100% H2 at a later stage

> Costs for conversion to H2: ~25% of total CAPEX



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Highly flexible Highly efficient **CHP** benefits:

~33% energy source savings

~33% CO2 savings



BALANCING PLANT (CHP) – PIPELINE GAS MAIN FUEL WITH H2 OPTIONAL

Up to 100% (vol) H2 from a dedicated H2 source



90% total efficiency, 0-225 g/kWh CO2



Flexible CHP (for electricity balancing)

Hydrogen benefits:

up to 100% pipeline gas savings

up to 100% CO2 savings

Peak boiler Peak

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Highly flexible Highly efficient **CHP** benefits:

~33% energy source savings

~33% CO2 savings

Costs for conversion to H2: ~10% of total CAPEX

BALANCING PLANT (CHP) – H2 MAIN FUEL WITH PIPELINE GAS AS OPTIONAL

100% H2 from a dedicated H2 source





Flexible CHP (for electricity balancing)

90% total efficiency, 0-225 g/kWh CO2

Hydrogen benefits:

up to 100% pipeline gas savings

up to 100% CO2 savings

Additional costs to a dedicated H2-engine: ~5% of total CAPEX



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Highly flexible Highly efficient

CHP benefits:

~33% energy source savings

100% CO2 savings



BALANCING PLANT (CHP) – WITH H2 AS MAIN FUEL

100% H2 from a dedicated H2 source





Flexible CHP (for electricity balancing)

90% total efficiency, 0 g/kWh CO2

Hydrogen benefits:





Highly flexible Highly efficient

CHP benefits:

~33% energy source savings

100% CO2 savings

SELECTING THE RIGHT SOLUTION TODAY ... WITH FLEXIBILITY FOR THE FUTURE NG and H2 CHP



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