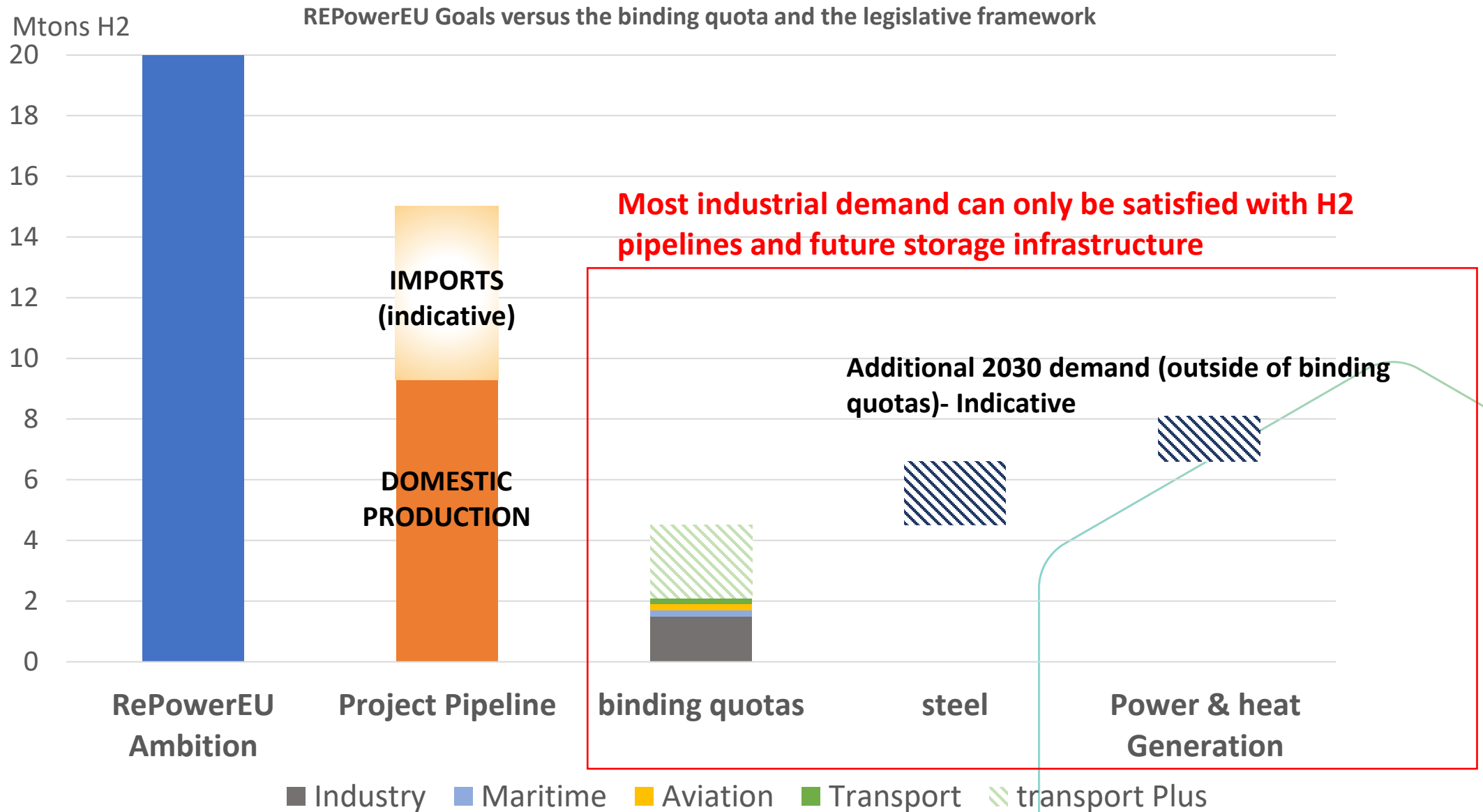


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Hydrogen Backbone: the necessary link



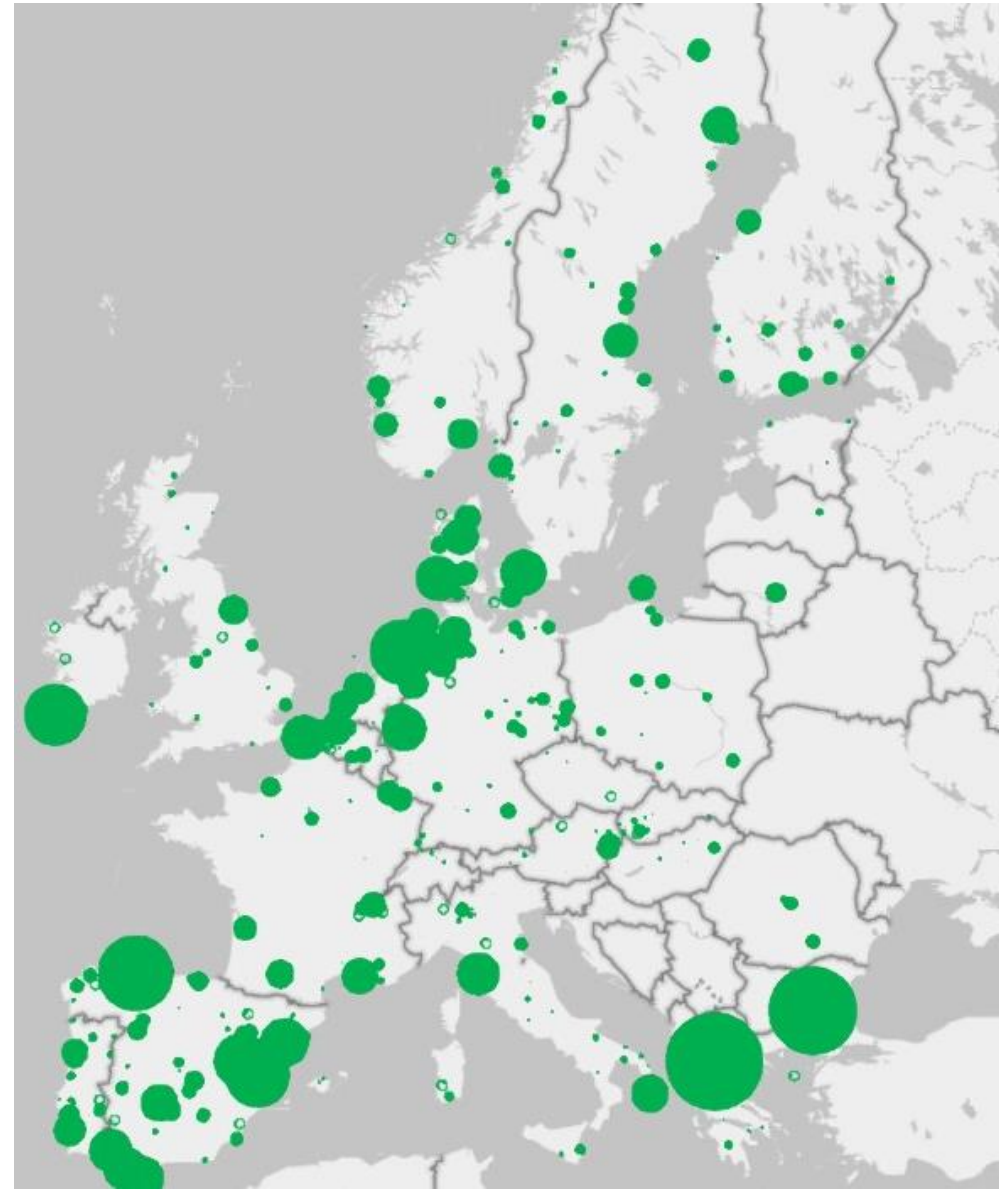
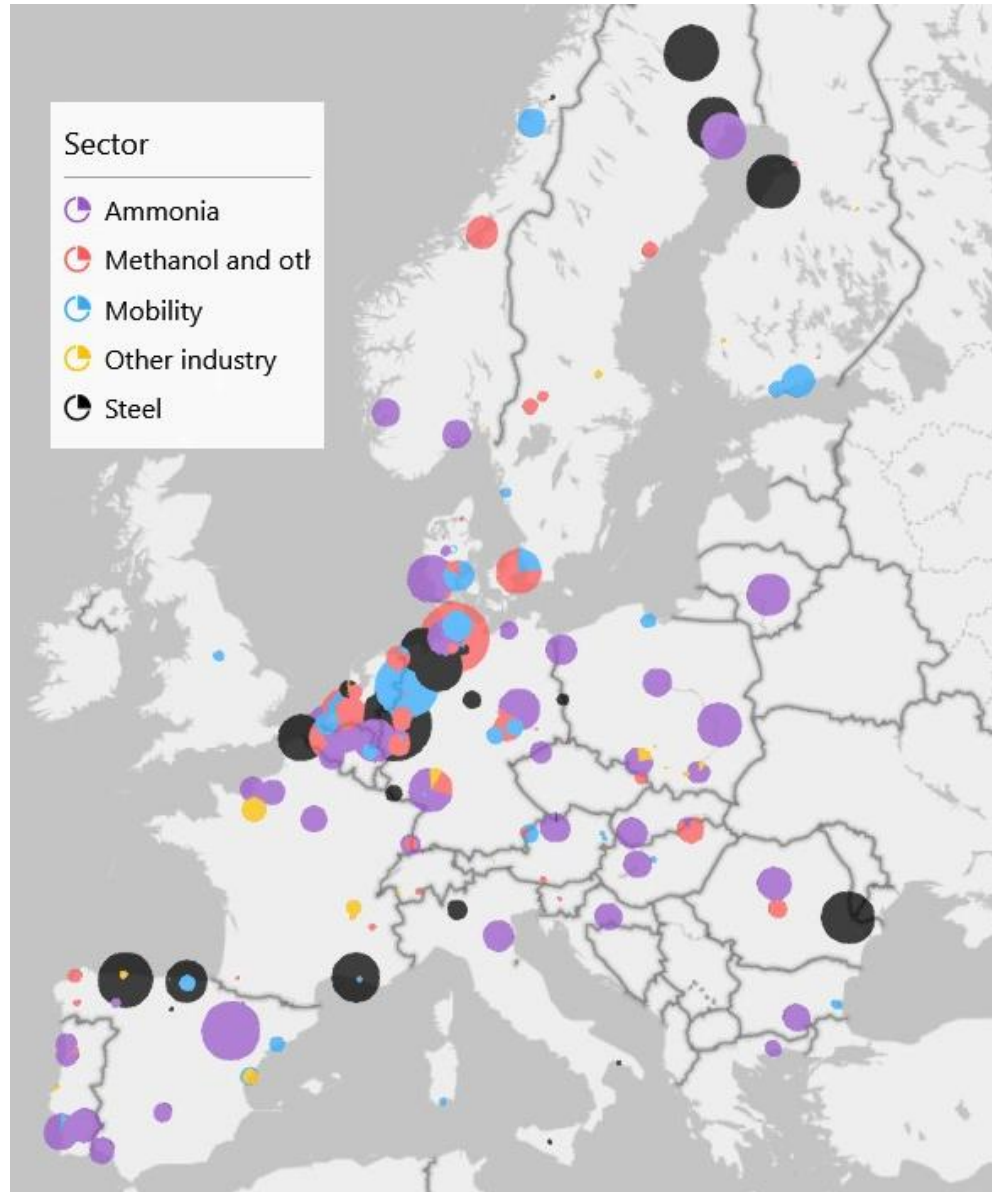
2030 RepowerEU Targets will require investments in infrastructure

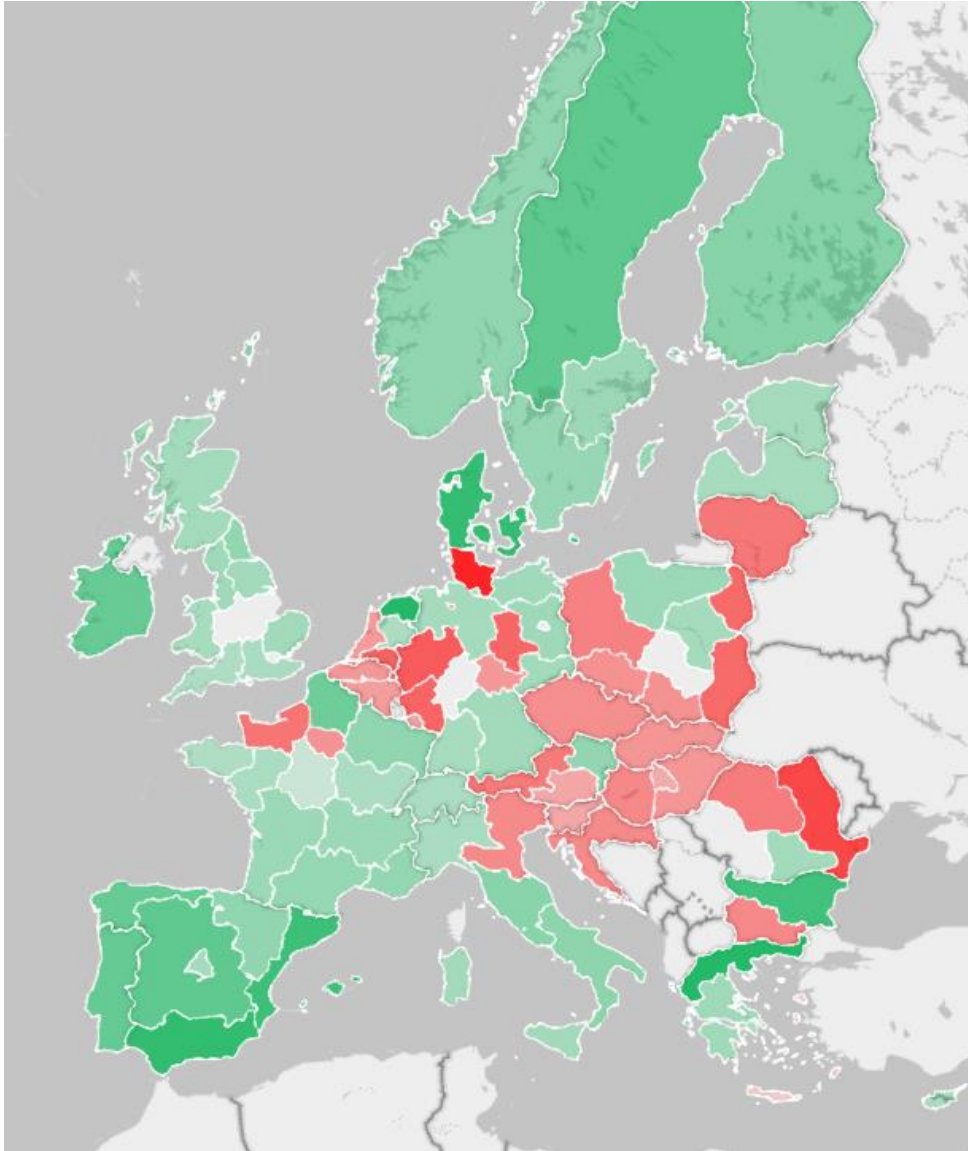


Most industrial demand can only be satisfied with H2 pipelines and future storage infrastructure

Additional 2030 demand (outside of binding quotas)- Indicative



Hydrogen demand and supply by 2030





Hourly correlation makes onsite generation almost impossible.

➤ **WE NEED H2 PIPELINES AND STORAGE SITES**

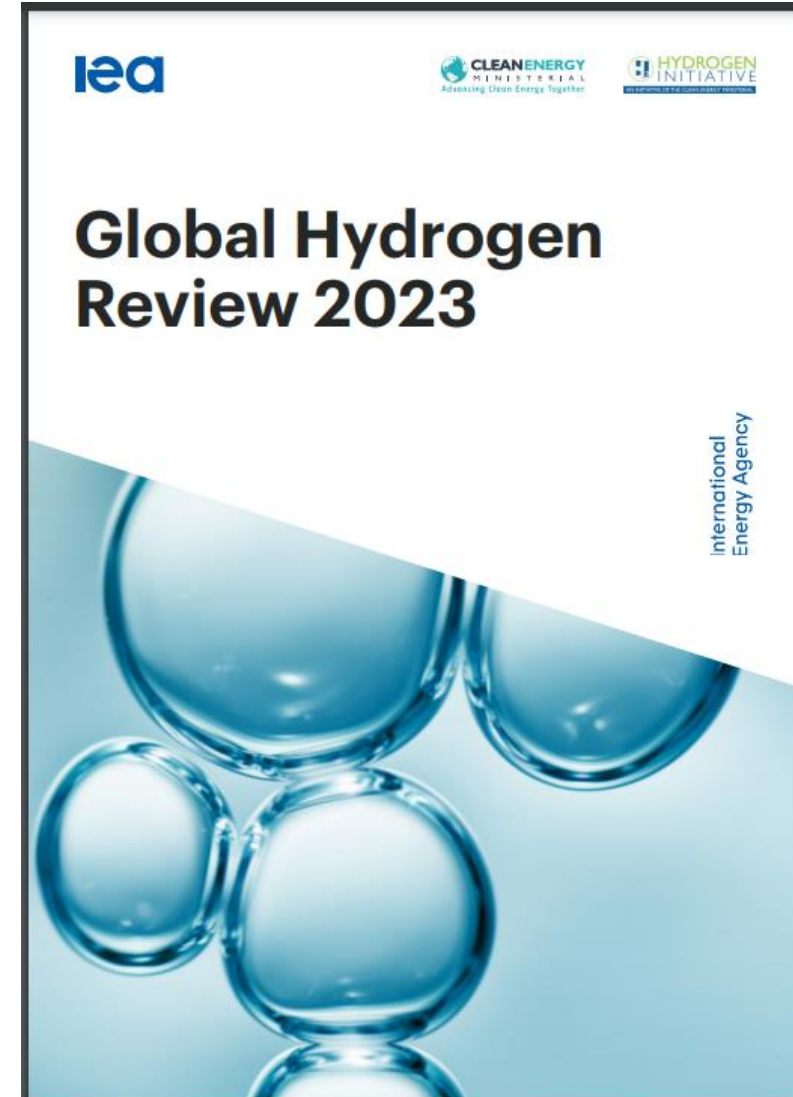
 Demand = supply
 Industrial demand > supply

A global hydrogen market depends on:

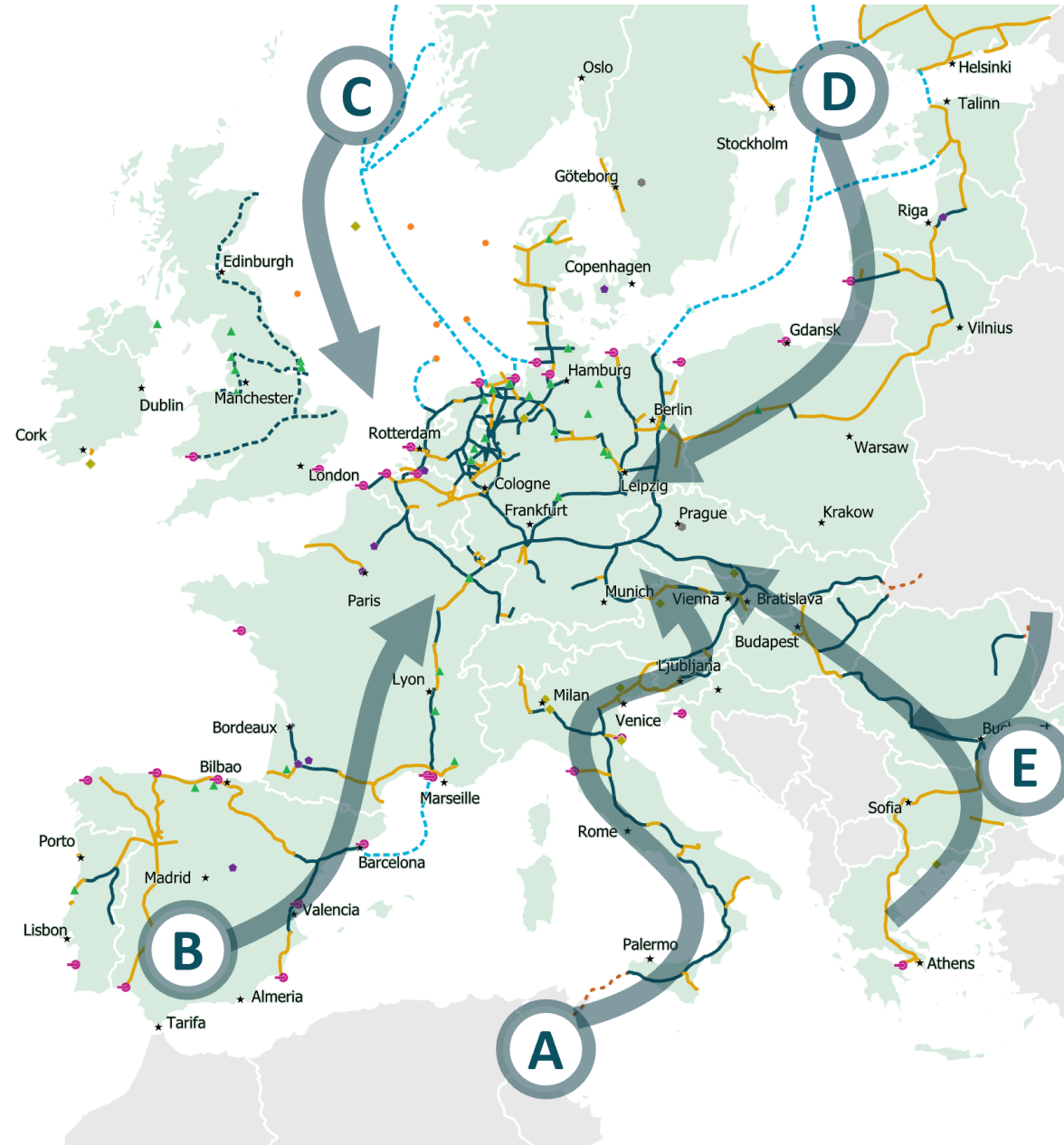
- off-takers
 - certification schemes
 - **necessary infrastructure**
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- 50 terminals and port infrastructure announced.
 - Up to 5 TWh of underground storage capacity by 2030 (more than 80TWh needed in the EU)



but none of them has reached FID



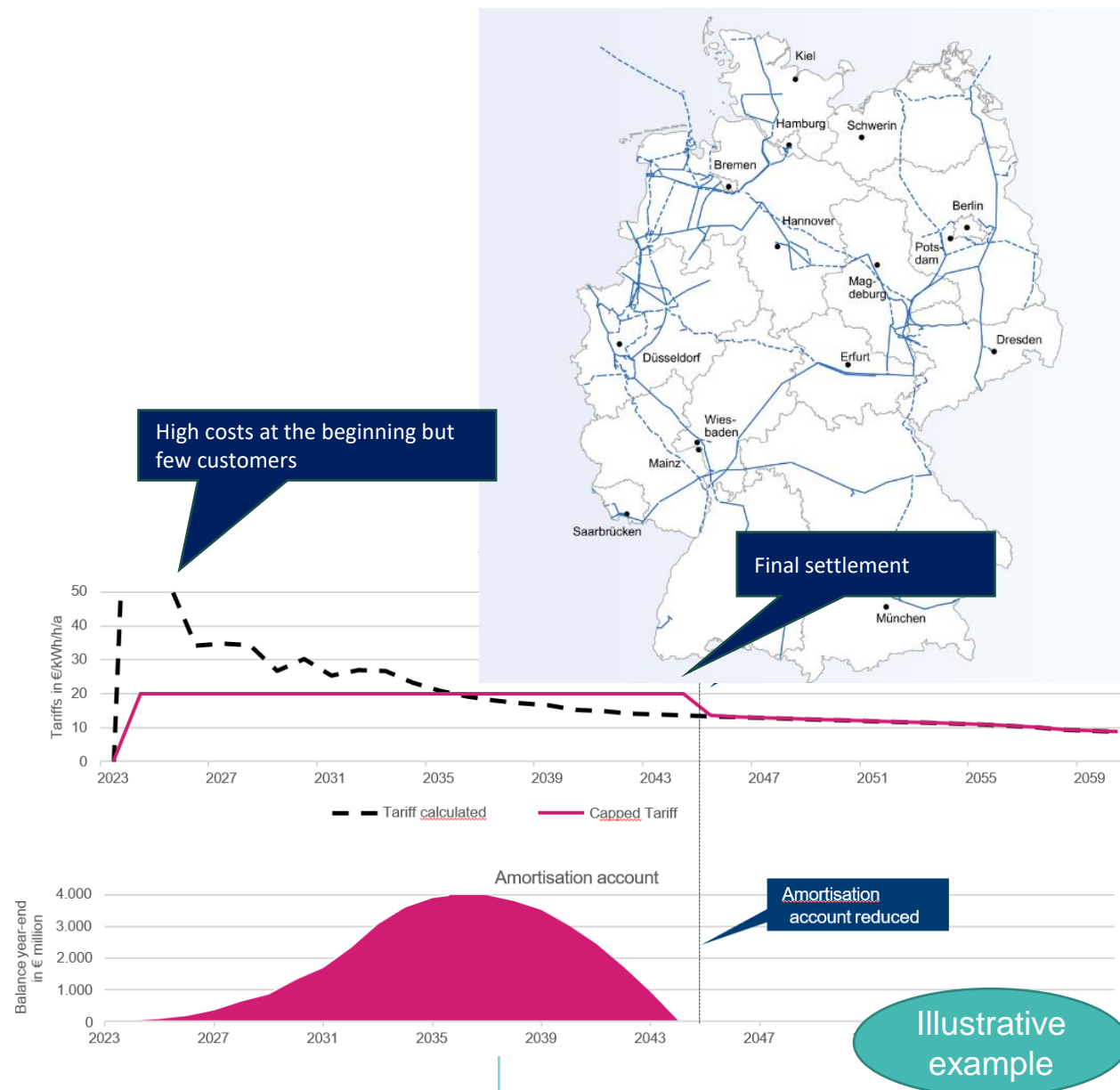
Hydrogen Backbone corridors



Hydrogen infrastructure – the German example

Financing model:

- Network operators to go in advance while the state is **hedging risks**
- **Amortisation account** during the ramp-up phase
- Higher revenues in later phases to **level out** account in the account
- If gap remains, the **state will level out the account**



Investments in hydrogen infrastructure: global perspective



- 3 corridors**
- North Sea
 - Mediterranean
 - Ukraine



“Europe will do *whatever it takes* to keep its competitive edge”



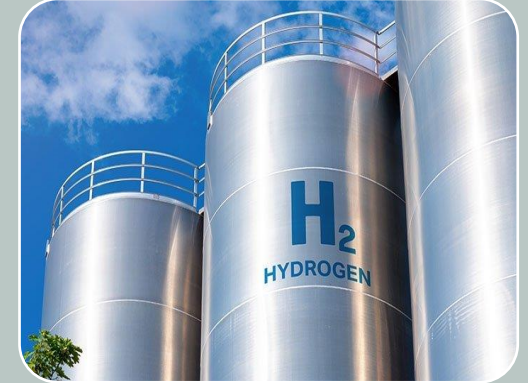
Geographical
mismatch
between
generation and
demand



Industrial off-
takers need a
H₂
infrastructure
(for constant
& reliable
supply)



Hourly
temporal
correlation
limits the
option to
produce the H₂
at the off-taker
facility



H₂
infrastructure
needs access to
underground
storage sites

Thank You



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