



Hydrogen

At the heart of the energy transition

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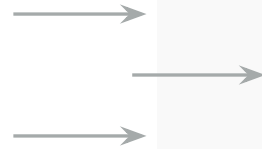
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Hydrogen's roles in the energy transition

Hydrogen has a positive effect on limiting global warming and reducing carbon emissions:

**Enable the growth
of intermittent renewable energy**

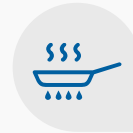
By supporting the development
of renewable energy sources,
and the energy storage
and transportation
across the globe



**Lower the carbon emissions
of end uses**



Energy
for **industry**



Heating
and **power**



Transportation



**Carbon-free
raw material**

Hydrogen by 2050: a quantified vision of its key role in the energy transition

18%
of final
energy demand



30 million
jobs created



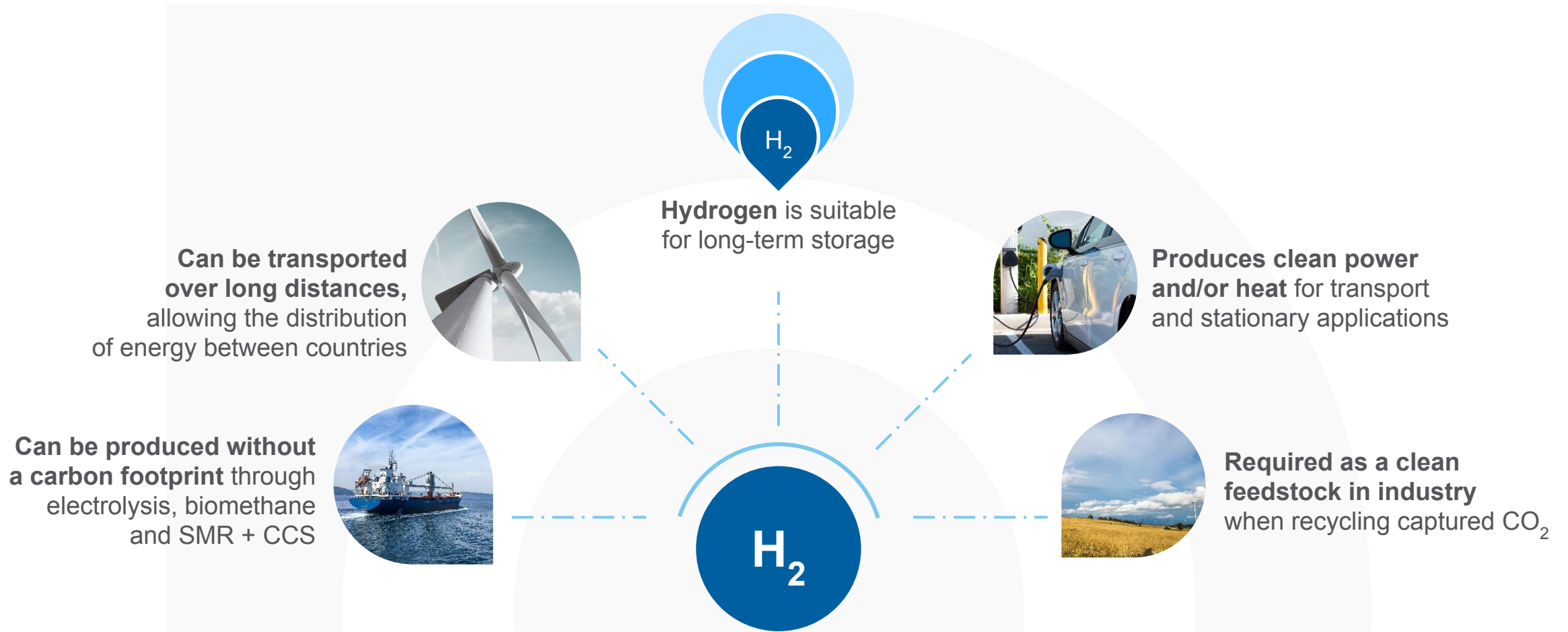
6 Gt
annual CO₂
abatement



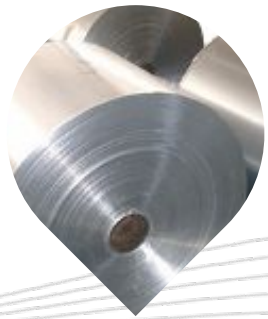
\$2 500 Bn
annual sales
(hydrogen & equipment)



Hydrogen is a clean, safe and versatile energy carrier



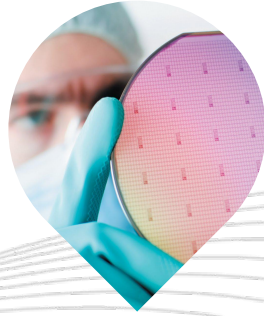
Hydrogen, many existing applications...



Heat Treatment



Glass



H₂ Ultra pure <1 ppb



Chemicals &
Petroleum refining



Rockets



Fuel cell vehicle

Hydrogen for industry

H₂

Existing industrial
usages of H₂



Refining



Ammonia



High grade heat

Objective:
Shift to low carbon H₂

New
H₂ markets



Steel production



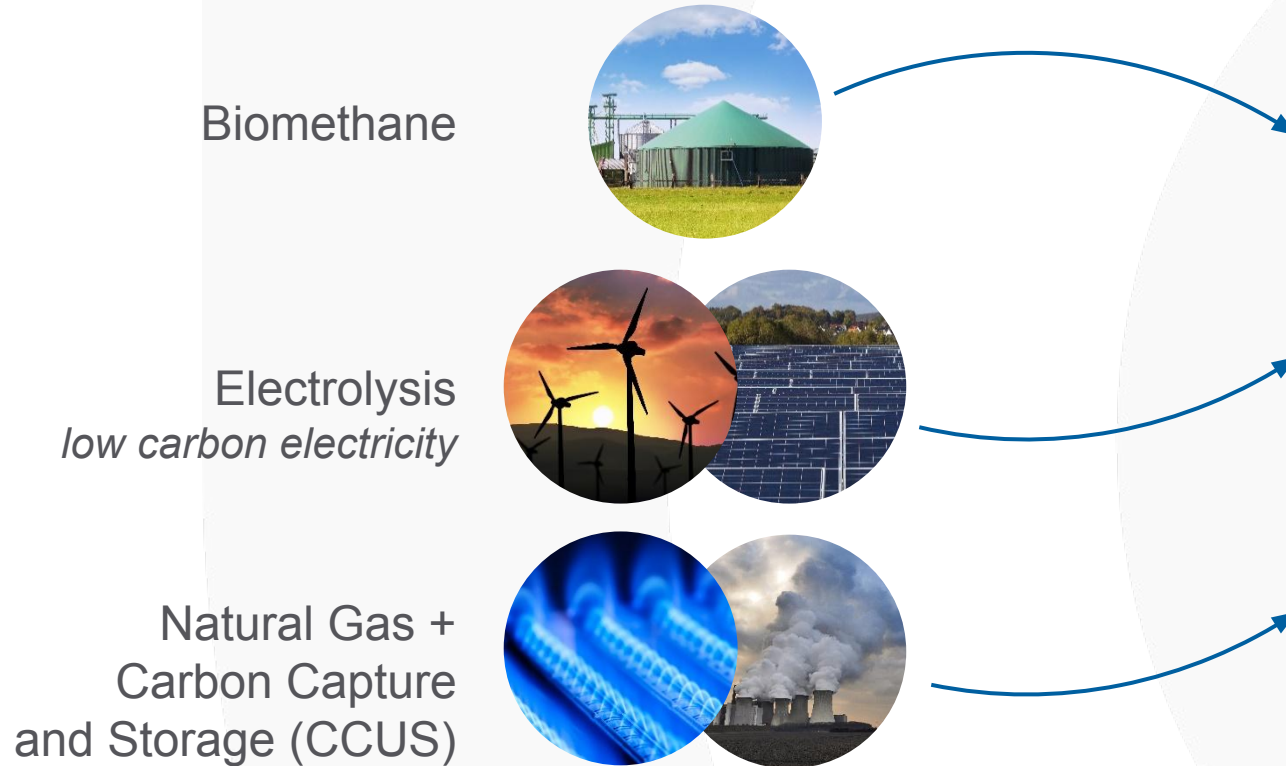
Chemical products



**Recovered
CO₂**

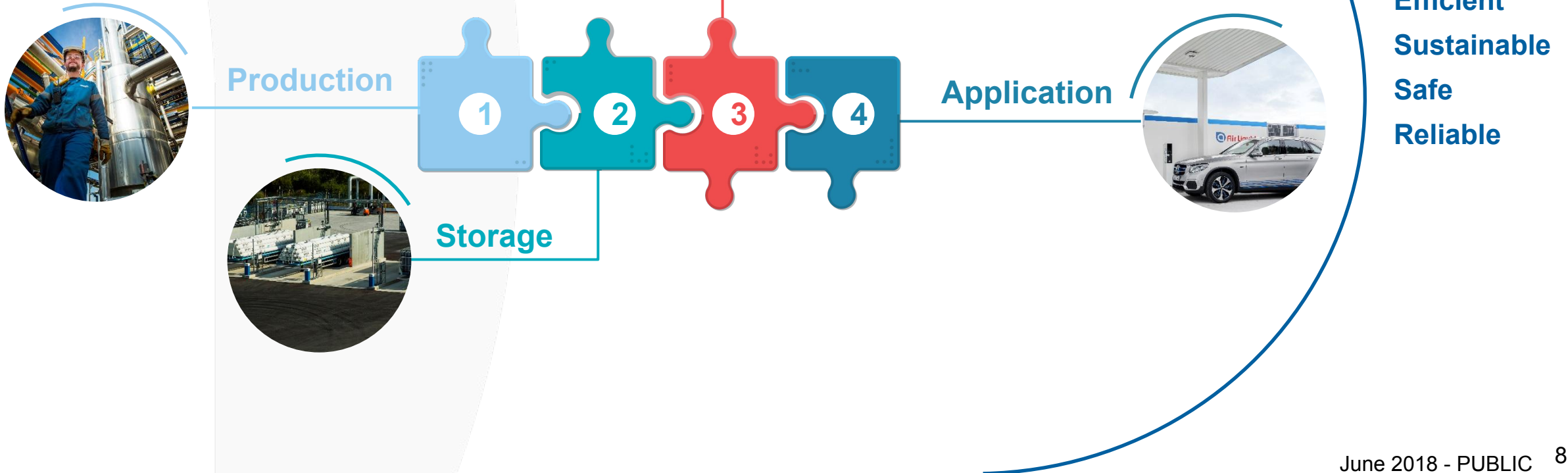
Objective:
Develop new usages for H₂
to replace fossil fuels

Low carbon hydrogen pathways



Technology leveraged at every step in the chain

Air Liquide is mastering the whole
hydrogen value chain



Our ambitions:

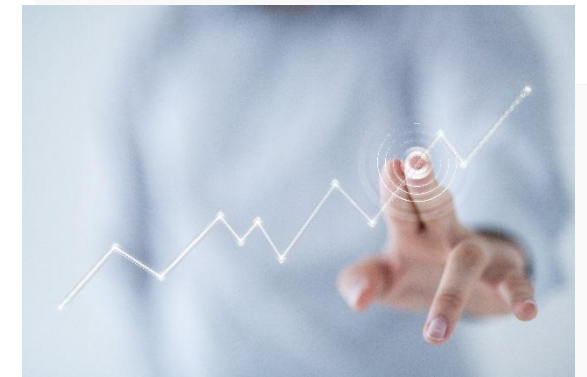
Lead **activation of H₂ Energy Markets**
with strategic partners, in particular H₂ Mobility
and Industry

Maintain leadership across the full value chain
from H₂ production to delivery at the point of use



**CUSTOMER
EXPERIENCE**

TECHNOLOGY



INVESTMENT

Everything in place for scale up



Early markets
starting up



Initiated effort
to align for deployment



Existing supporting
policies



A systemic
need



Strong technology
potential



Early signs
of societal acceptance

Air Liquide's presence and place



Air Liquide already started to invest *(decisions to date)*



**Mobility
for Professionals
US+EUROPE
9 HRS**



**Mobility
for Consumers
US North-East
12 HRS
+ Supply chain**



**Mobility
for Consumers
California
4 HRS**



**Mobility
for Consumers
Japan
6 HRS**



**Mobility
for Consumers
Dubai HRS
1 HRS**



**Mobility
for Consumers
Korea
1 HRS**



**Power to Gas
Denmark
5 HRS
+ 1 Electrolyzer**



**Mobility
for Consumers
Germany
12 HRS**



**Mobility
for Consumers
Paris, Brussels
and Rotterdam
5 HRS**



**14 bn m³/yr
1,850 km H₂ pipelines
46 large H₂/CO plants
40 electrolyzers
in operation
2 bn € sales**

**100 Hydrogen
recharging stations
(HRS) installed
by Air Liquide
in the world in which
40 directly invested
and operated
by Air Liquide**

Air Liquide invests in the world's largest membrane-based electrolyzer to develop its carbon-free hydrogen production

1. Production

February 25, 2019

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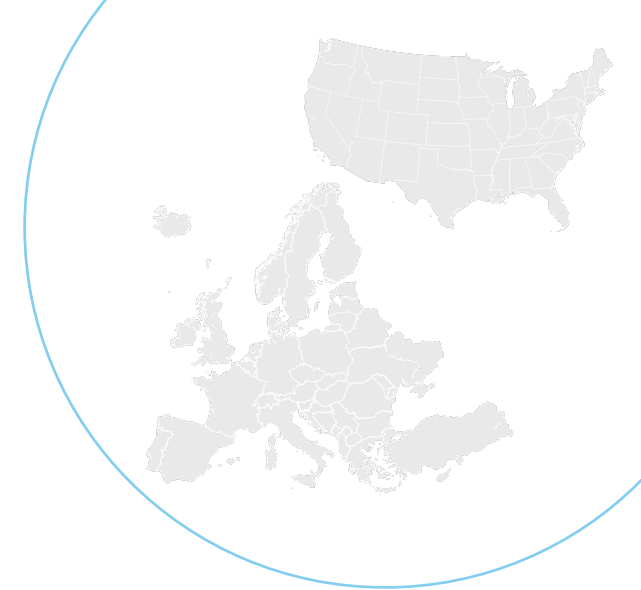


Air Liquide announces the construction in Canada of the largest PEM electrolyzer in the world with a 20 MW capacity for the production of carbon-free hydrogen.

This investment allows the Group to reaffirm its long-term commitment to the hydrogen energy markets and its ambition to be a major player in the supply of carbon-free hydrogen.



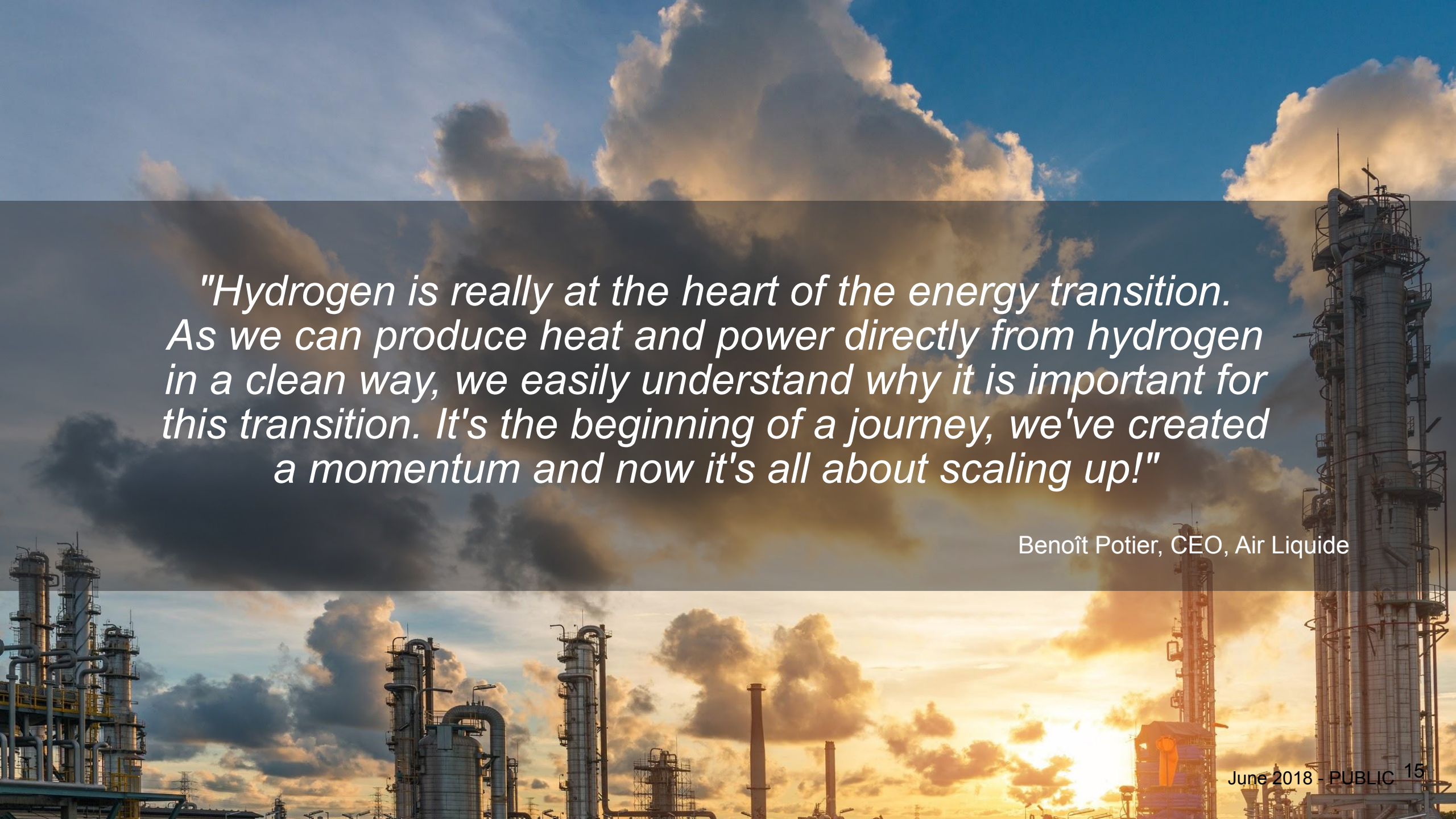
Hydrogen station
for forklift trucks
in Prelocentre
logistic warehouse
in Orléans, France



Hydrogen for forklifts

To date, there are 20,000 hydrogen-powered forklift trucks deployed on the North American market. The potential development of this market in Europe could be around 10,000 units by 2020.

- > Air Liquide designed hydrogen station for forklifts trucks
- > 11 stations installed in North America and Europe
- > 270 forklifts powered by Air Liquide H₂ stations in France (HAWL and Hylift projects)
- > Providing hydrogen to Walmart (Canada) and Coca-cola (in California)

A photograph of an industrial facility, likely a refinery or chemical plant, with several tall distillation columns and complex piping. The scene is set against a dramatic sky at sunset or sunrise, with large, billowing clouds illuminated from below by the low sun, creating a warm orange and yellow glow. The sky transitions from a deep blue at the top to a bright orange near the horizon. The industrial structures are silhouetted against the bright sky.

"Hydrogen is really at the heart of the energy transition. As we can produce heat and power directly from hydrogen in a clean way, we easily understand why it is important for this transition. It's the beginning of a journey, we've created a momentum and now it's all about scaling up!"

Benoît Potier, CEO, Air Liquide