

Open Innovation Test Bed for Electrolysis Materials for Clean Hydrogen Production

CATALOGUE OF SERVICES

Preliminary Version





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TECHNICAL SERVICES

Service Name	Brief description of service	Technology, facilities and capability	Pilot lines involved
Manufacturing and testing of advanced AEL electrolysers and their components	Manufacturing and testing of advanced AEL rs and their components	Equipment and facility for: the production of sintered (metallic catalysts substrate) electrodes for efficient AEL electrolysers via the continuous coating strategy, enabling the fabrication of electrodes with long operating times, 100,000 h or more; the testing of electrochemical and mechanical properties. Capability for the development of AEL pressurised electrolysers and refuelling stations technology.	PL1
Manufacturing and testing of advanced PEM electrolysers and their components	Catalyst deposition for PEM based on: Spatial atomic layer deposition, and Additive manufacturing printing) of nanostructured, porous metallic electrocatalyst Testing of PEM electrolysers and components	Improved Spatial atomic layer deposition to deposit electrocatalyst layers (e.g., IrO2) for PEM electrolysers. Fabrication and depositing of porous electrocatalyst layer (e.g., IrO2 and Pt) with large surface area so that the amount of required precious metal is lowered —	PL2, PL3, PL4



spark ablation to deposit the material without any solvent.

Automated test facility for the efficient testing of cells and short stacks under diverse conditions (e.g. temperature, pressure, flow rates)

Manufacturing and testing of advanced **AEM** electrolysers and their components

Manufacturing and testing of advanced AEM electrolysers and their components Equipment for and expertise in homogenous catalyst dispersion (both for cathode and anode) on polymeric membrane to from a single cell. Facility for their semiautomated manufacturing and testing.

Facilities for the manufacturing and characterisation of single cell AEM - with a testing capability of 50 200 cm^2 cell: instrumentation for gas analysis to quantify H2/O2; expertise in ink formulation and screen printing on large surfaces (Target: 200 cm2). Target: (50-200 cm2) 5-10 cells.

Manufacturing and testing of advanced SOEC electrolysers and their components

Fabrication of Equipment complete SOEC expertise cells/stacks via design additive of manufacturing. Support Solid or advanced electrode 20x20

of Equipment and SOEC expertise for: the via design and fabrication of electrolyte-supported free-shape of solid oxide cells up to extrode 20x20 cm2 via

PL7, PL8

PL5, PL6



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nanomaterials innovative Testing electrolysers

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for stereolithography (SLA) of ceramics substrates; and for the digital deposition of electrodes, coatings, and sealants. The fabrication of SOEC cells and stacks based on advanced electrode nanomaterials controlling of the deposition and annealing processes of the nanomaterial. Testing facilities for SOEC technology: from cell up to whole systems; analysis of performance and degradation over long runs ca. 25000 h (ca. 3 years) - increased measurements capability to test both single-cell and shortstack integrated with automated dataanalysis protocols.

Feasibility Studies, LCA and LCC analysis

Evaluate the environmental and economic viability of hydrogen your innovation, supported life cycle by assessment (LCA) and life cycle cost (LCC) analysis to ensure sustainability and competitiveness.

Access expertise in Life Cycle analysis, Life Cycle costing, scenario modelling and benchmarking and decision support tools.

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Access to pilot facilities for electrolysis

Test and validate your Access technologies in stateof-the-art pilot lines processes, covering the

to material synthesis and coating cell and full stack assembly lines, electrolysis value system integration and



chain, from materials to system integration.

testing, process optimisation and data acquisition, expert technical support

Testing systems

Obtain expert testing, validation, and and certification services certification of H₂ to verify performance, safety, and compliance with international standards.

Access to performance and durability testing, safety and reliability assessments, accelerated stress and ageing tests, standardisation and certification support, comprehensive test data reporting.

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NON-TECHNICAL SERVICES

Service Name	Brief description of service	
Electrolyser certification and compliance	Definition and assessment of schemes of certification; definition of testing protocols to achieve e.g., CE marking and meet regulation requirements for commercialisation.	
Communication and dissemination	Outreaching dissemination and communication activities	
Networking, scouting and investor access	Networking and access to investors in the field of hydrogen, mobility, circular economy, sustainability and renewable energies	
Innovation and commercialisation support	Networking and access to investors in the field of hydrogen, mobility, circular economy, sustainability and renewable energies.	
Public-private financial advisory	Funding strategy development, guidance on EU and national funding schemes, investor readiness support, facilitation of connections with investors, industry partners and financial institutions, and advisory in leveraging public-private synergies.	

