

International Partnership for Hydrogen and Fuel Cells in the Economy

# Australia Update

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Announcements / New Initiatives Australia



- Announced a refresh of our National Hydrogen Strategy
  - Backed by findings in our 2022 State of Hydrogen Report on the need to consider global developments since the original strategy was released
- Completed the initial phase of our National Hydrogen Regulatory Review
  - This will be followed up with the deliver of Australia's National Hydrogen Codes of Practice across five priority areas
- Consulted on the design of our Guarantee of Origin scheme
- Provided over \$500 million for the Regional Hydrogen Hubs Program
- Entered into new international partnerships with the Netherlands and announced new funding under the German-Australian Hydrogen Accord
- Released the first National Hydrogen Infrastructure Assessment



# Examples of Lessons Learned and Impact Australia



Program initiative, policy, regulation or mandate	Lessons Learned/Outcomes
<ul> <li>National Hydrogen Regulatory Review:</li> <li>Involved the Commonwealth, states and territories reviewing their existing legislation, regulations, and standards to determine whether these legal frameworks support hydrogen safety and the development of the hydrogen industry.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>This comprehensive review provided the ability to fully understand the framework and identify efficient and high impact regulatory pathways to support industry</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Australia's Guarantee of Origin scheme trial:</li> <li>Worked with 19 operational and well-advanced hydrogen (and derivative) production facilities</li> <li>Tested IPHE methodologies applied in an Australian context.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Our approach to co-design our GO scheme with industry provides assurance the scheme is balanced between integrity, accuracy and practicality.</li> <li>Some initial views suggest that there is need for more simplicity in approaches to measure and report emissions outside of the production facility (upstream and downstream emissions)</li> </ul>



# Australia – Profile April 2023



## **Status of Deployments**

- Pipeline of over 100 projects representing investment of AUD \$230-300 billion
- Pipeline represents 40% of all global renewable hydrogen projects announced to date
- More than 20 projects operational or reached
   FID – only 1 project at 10MW has reached FID
- 11 gigawatt scale projects announced

## Leading Government Initiatives

- Development of a Guarantee of Origin scheme is well advanced
- Over \$500 million announced for hydrogen hubs
- Completed National Hydrogen Regulatory Review and announced the development of 'National Hydrogen Codes of Practice'
- Refresh of National Hydrogen Strategy

#### **Deployment Goals**

To be considered through refresh of National Hydrogen Strategy

## **Goals or Focus Areas**

 To be considered through refresh of National Hydrogen Strategy

## Funding

 \$6.3 billion of hydrogen specific funding committed by Australian Governments as at December 2022.



# Thank you



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