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IRENA INNOVATION WEEK²⁰²⁰

IRENA Youth Talk: Entrepreneurship and Innovation for the Green Energy Agenda

Organised in partnership with Initiate! and SDG 7 Youth Constituency

Thursday, 08 OCTOBER 2020 • 10:00 - 12:30 (CEST)

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Welcoming remarks



Dolf Gielen

Director

IRENA Innovation and Technology

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Agenda

Panel I: Renewable Solutions for Transport



10:00 – 10:05

Setting the Scene

10:05 – 10:40

Innovation Showcase

10:40 – 11:15

Panel Discussion

Supporting Youth Innovation in Decarbonising Transport

Panel II: Renewable Solutions for Industry and Buildings



11:15 – 11:20

Setting the Scene

11:20 – 11:55

Innovation Showcase

11:55 – 12:30

Panel Discussion:

Supporting Youth Innovation In Decarbonising Industry & Buildings

All times in CEST (UTC+2)

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Panel I: Renewable Solutions for Transport

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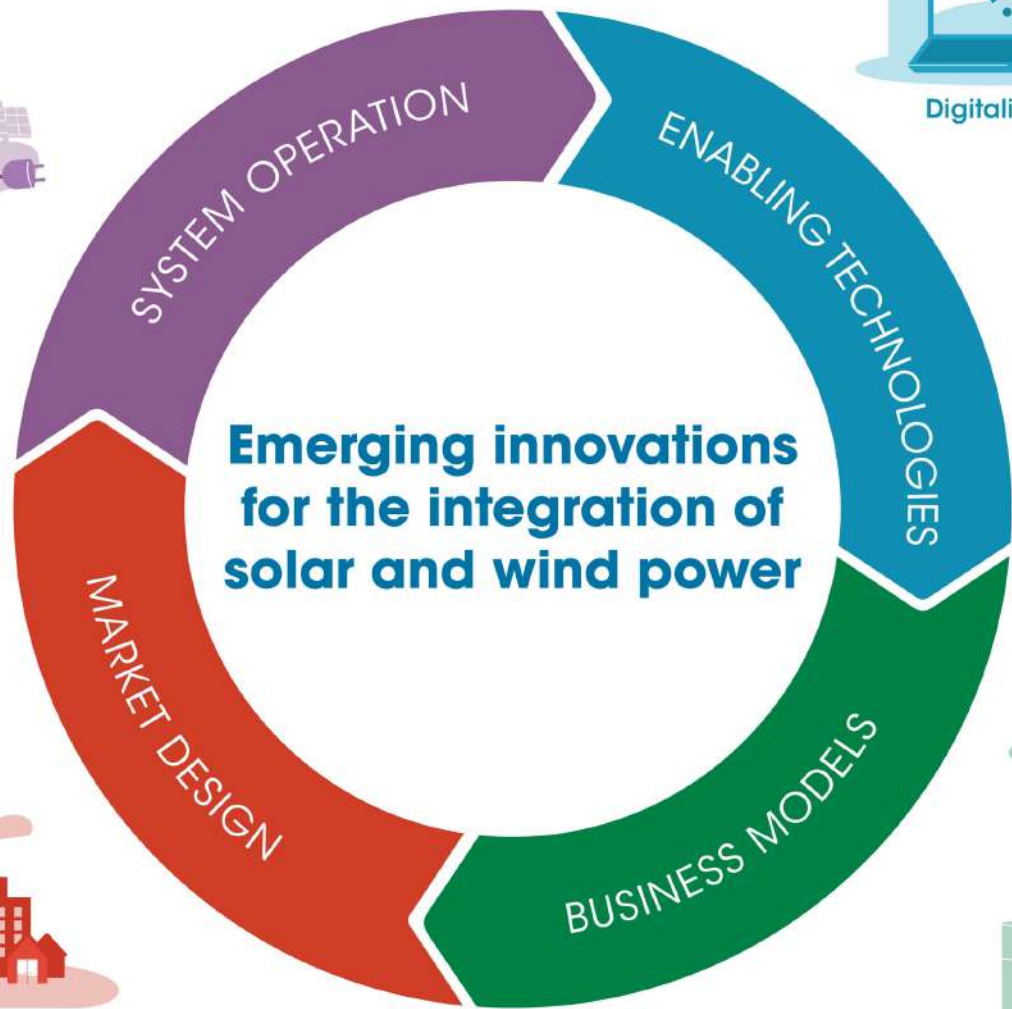
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Panel I: Setting the scene



Arina Anisie

Associate Programme Officer, Renewable Energy Innovation,
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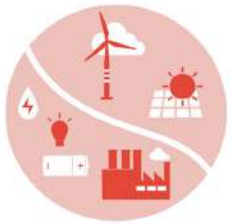
Operation of a decentralised system



Electrification of end-use sectors



Value complementarities in renewable generation



Encourage flexibility



Empowering consumers



Value spatial complementarities



Digitalisation



Hydrogen



Blockchain



Storage



Electric vehicles



Energy as a service

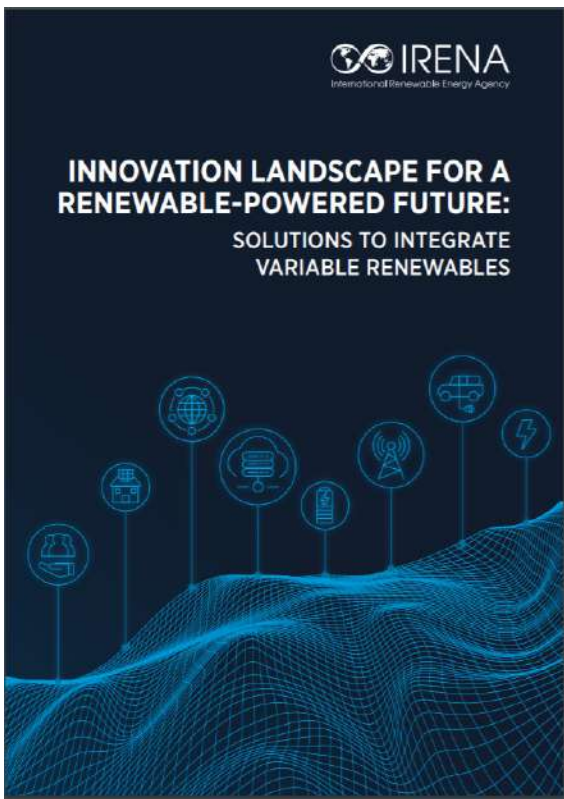


Peer-to-peer electricity trading



Aggregators

Emerging innovations for wind and solar PV integration



Innovation Landscape Report



● ENABLING TECHNOLOGIES

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| 1 | Utility-scale batteries |
| 2 | Behind-the-meter batteries |
| 3 | Electric-vehicle smart charging |
| 4 | Renewable power-to-heat |
| 5 | Renewable power-to-hydrogen |
| 6 | Internet of things |
| 7 | Artificial intelligence and big data |
| 8 | Blockchain |
| 9 | Renewable mini-grids |
| 10 | Supergrids |
| 11 | Flexibility in conventional power plants |



● BUSINESS MODELS

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| 12 | Aggregators |
| 13 | Peer-to-peer electricity trading |
| 14 | Energy-as-a-service |
| 15 | Community-ownership models |
| 16 | Pay-as-you-go models |



● MARKET DESIGN

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| 17 | Increasing time granularity in electricity markets |
| 18 | Increasing space granularity in electricity markets |
| 19 | Innovative ancillary services |
| 20 | Re-designing capacity markets |
| 21 | Regional markets |
| 22 | Time-of-use tariffs |
| 23 | Market integration of distributed energy resources |
| 24 | Net billing schemes |



● SYSTEM OPERATION

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| 25 | Future role of distribution system operators |
| 26 | Co-operation between transmission and distribution system operators |
| 27 | Advanced forecasting of variable renewable power generation |
| 28 | Innovative operation of pumped hydropower storage |
| 29 | Virtual power lines |
| 30 | Dynamic line rating |

Digital Innovation Toolbox

Innovation Toolbox



Rapidly integrating solar and wind power to cut emissions and meet key climate goals poses technical and economic challenges.

Innovation Toolbox offers **30 innovations** emerging across four key dimensions: enabling technologies, business models, market design and system operation.

These innovations can be mixed and matched as needed to create solutions. While the combinations could be endless, the Toolbox outlines **11 solutions** as examples of how to achieve system-wide synergies.

Explore the **Innovation Toolbox** based on your own technical, economic or societal requirements:

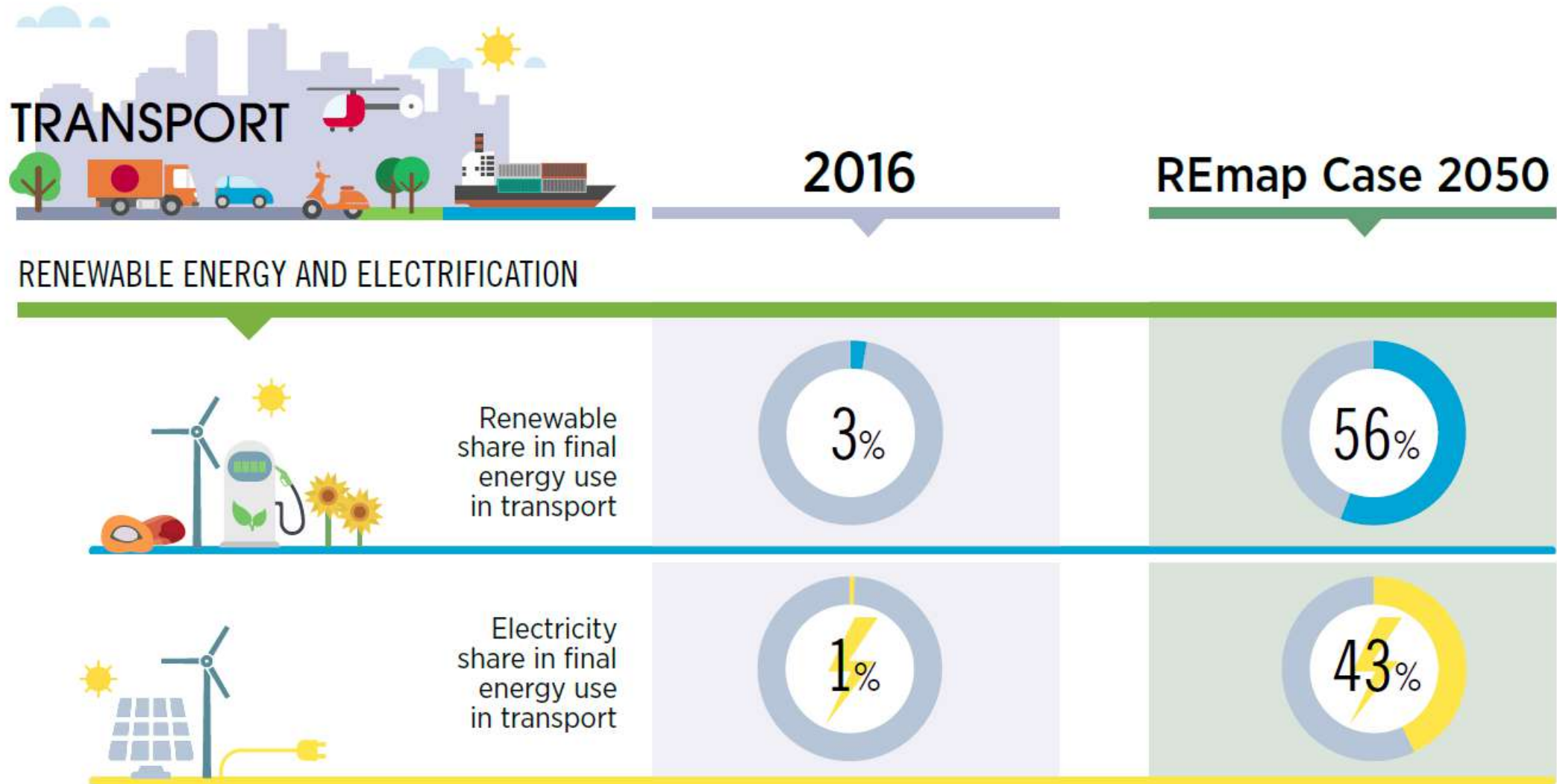
- < Select from the 30 innovations on the left to discover each in more detail.
- < Select a solution to see how different innovations can work together.

Access tutorial to learn how to use the Toolbox.

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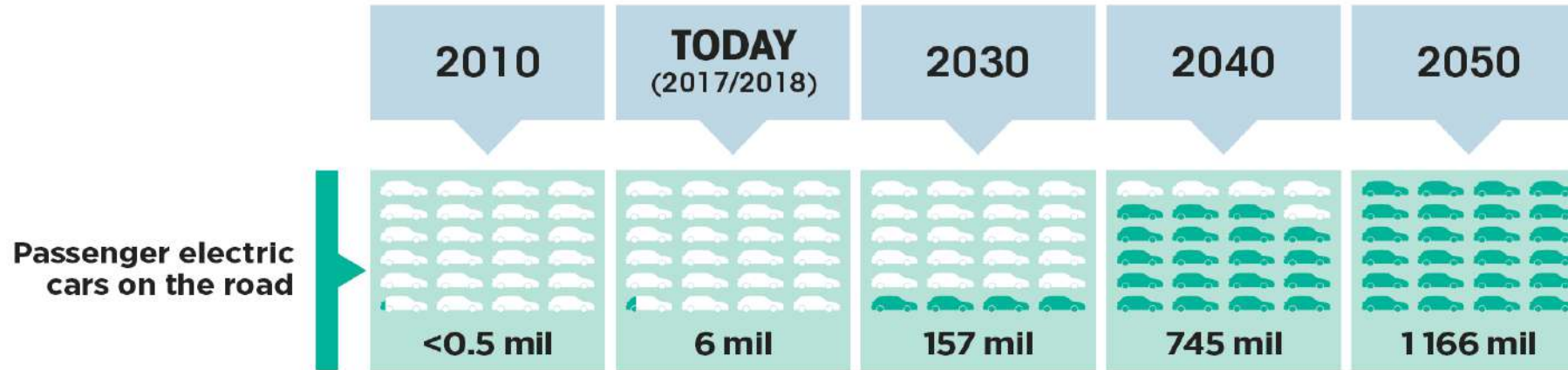
<https://www.irena.org/innovation/Toolbox>

Electrification of the transport sector



Uptake of EVs - the battery bank of the future

Growth in EV deployment between 2010 and 2050 in a Paris Agreement-aligned scenario



By 2050, potential storage capacity to provide grid services:

~ 14 TWh EV batteries vs ~ 9 TWh stationary batteries



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Noortje van Heijst

Investment Associate, Unknown Group & VenturesOne

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Jorg van Heebeen

CBO, Jedlix

The Netherlands





JEDLIX

DRIVING RENEWABLES FORWARD



Taking control of charging is critical for MASS EV adoption



REDUCE TCO



AVOID GRID BACKOUTS



OPTIMIZE EV BATTERY USAGE



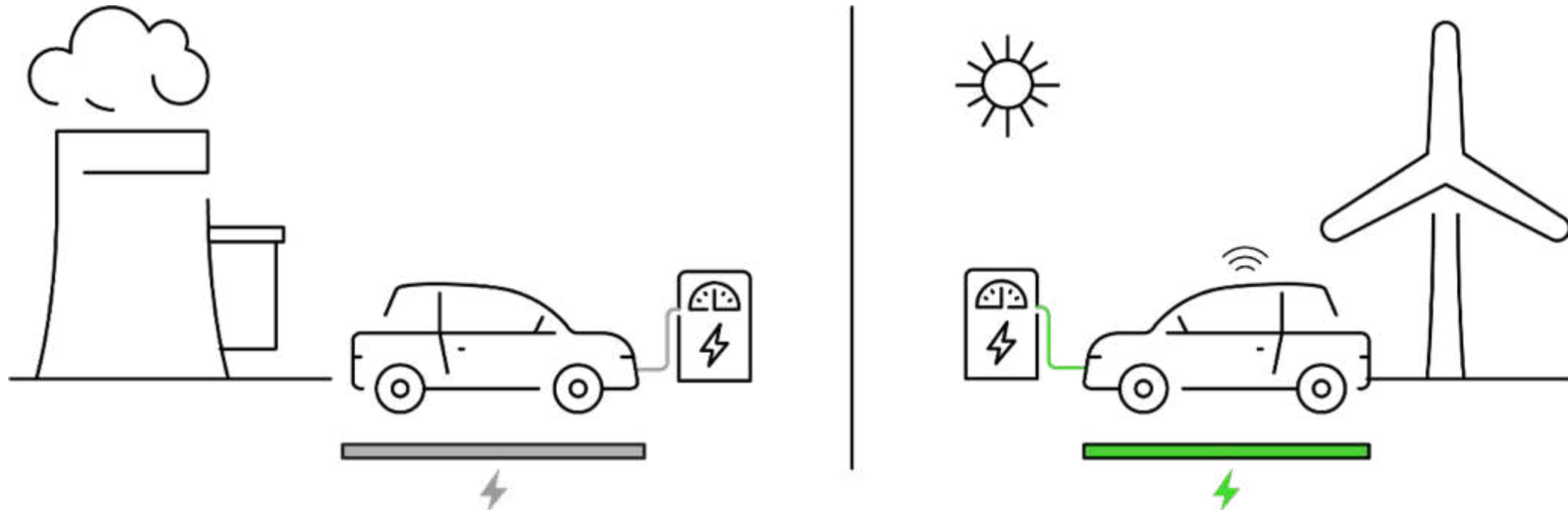
SOURCE CLEAN ENERGY

JEDLIX monetizes flexibility & optimizes use of renewables



Jedlix aggregates electric vehicles with its Vehicle to Grid Integration (VGI) platform

and pays out OEMs, CPOs, eMSPs and/or drivers in return for the EVs flexibility monetization with the energy industry



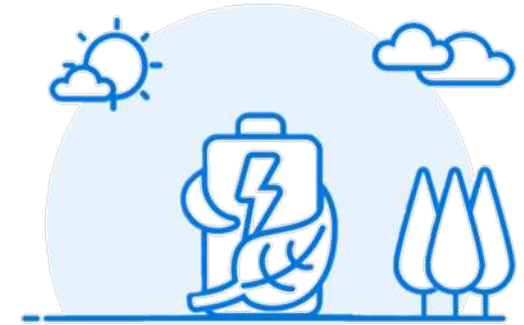
Vehicle-Grid Integration for Energy & E-Mobility Partners



REDUCE COST



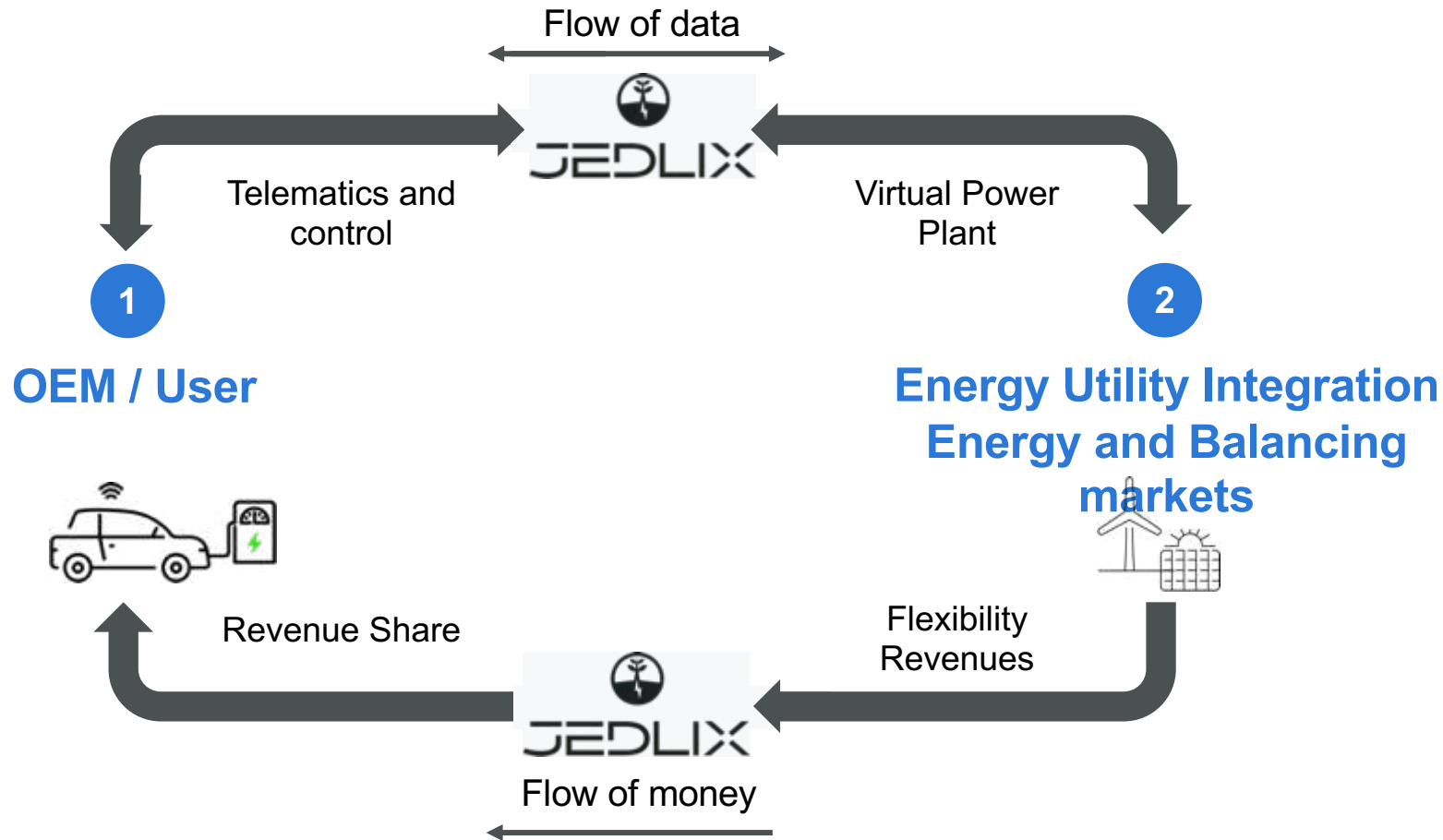
INCREASE REVENUE



OPTIMISE RENEWABLE



The JEDLIX Business Model and Key Figures



Key Figures



5 OEMs on board covering 60 % of EV in Europe



8,000+ registered users on the smart charging platform



Users in **6** countries in 2020



First company to provide **TSO** services from EV on a commercial scale



200 MWh smart energy charged per week

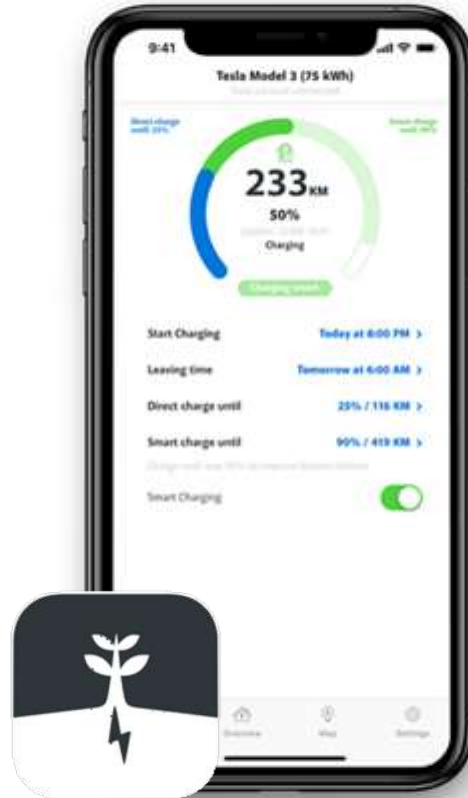


11 utilities connected on the platform

User Interfacing Support Various Distribution Models



Prototyping



JEDLIX app

- ✓ Full operational service testing
- ✓ Panel user feedback collection
- ✓ Value proposition testing
- ✓ Qualify vehicle for balancing services

Launch in specific markets



BRANDED app

- ✓ Customized messaging
- ✓ Customized value proposition
- ✓ Closer user-OEM interaction
- ✓ Fully hosted and maintained by Jedlix

Continental or global scaling



INTEGRATED feature

- ✓ Seamless experience in native app
- ✓ Most scalable model
- ✓ In-app cross-selling opportunity
- ✓ Platform integration through backend services

Innovation Showcase



Kim Chepkoit

Founder & CEO, Ecobodaa

Kenya





Our Innovation

ECOBODAA is Solving the Last-mile connectivity problem in African cities by Leveraging on Data and Rider Behavior to build Africa's First Connected, Data-driven Electric Motorcycle Taxis (BodaBodas) Designed & Assembled in Nairobi, Kenya for Africa's Cities



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The Problem



Motorcycle taxis are the **biggest** polluter in Kenya's transport sector



Riders spend more than **25%** of their daily income on fuel & **3-days income** on servicing every 14 days



Lack of access to **capital** for purchasing a motorcycle taxi



Less than **3%** of motorcycle taxi riders in Kenya are women





Why Cities?

- Rapid rates of **Urbanization** in Africa
- Cities are Major Contributors of **GHG Emissions** within the Transport Sector
- **Easy** to Build Charging/Swap Infrastructure





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Sasiranga de Silva

Founder & Lecturer, Electric Tuk Tuk

Sri Lanka



A vibrant city street scene featuring a large, classical-style building with a portico and columns in the background. To the right, modern skyscrapers with glass facades rise into the sky. In the foreground, several tuk-tuks are driving on a paved road. A white car is also visible. On the left, there are palm trees and a few pedestrians. A fountain with a statue is on the right side of the road.

Electrifying Tuk Tuks

Convert to a better

let

Present Context

Energy efficient commodity

First mile last mile connectivity

Nearly 1.1 Million tuk tuks

300,000 Two strokes

Problem

Increasing fuel prices/Higher maintenance cost

Potential to ban 2-Stroke

Difficulty in passing emission testing

Difficulty in meeting global emission standards

Noise pollution

Electrify

Tuk tuk as good as new

Save 1000\$ annually

65% CO2 reduction per unit

1 Million ton annual CO2 reduction

Customer Demands

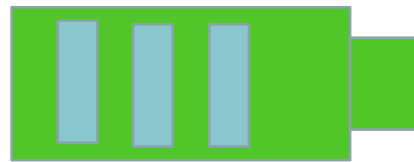
100km Range



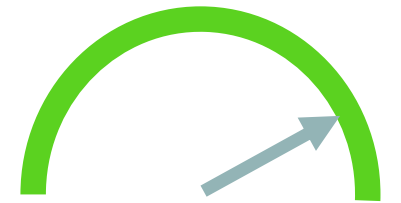
Electrical
Safety



Li-ion battery
5 year warranty



Performance



Our innovation and value addition

Novel conversion method

Locally assembled battery pack

Unique electronics

Regenerative braking



A group of people in formal attire are celebrating in decorated blue and white tuk-tuks. The tuk-tuks are adorned with yellow and red flags and garlands. The people are waving and smiling. The background shows a street with trees and buildings.

Thank you!



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Trekk Scooters

Nigeria



TREKK

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About Trekk Scooters

Trekk Scooters is transforming today's mobility trend across Nigeria and Africa.

- Trekk Scooters is a Nigeria-based modern transportation company solely leveraging improved and eco-friendly technology to redefine the traditional and arduous means of people's movement within closed communities
- Trekk is the pioneer of e-scooters sharing service in Nigeria, paving the way for micro mobility in Africa
- Trekk Scooters is redefining communities' access to smart and affordable mobility. Using an efficient, fun and environmentally friendly means of transport, we're building better people, communities and a greener earth. From one community to another, we're making the world a better place to live in



Campuses

Residential Estates



“To revolutionize and innovate transportation system in Nigeria and beyond.”



“To create one of the fastest, eco-friendly means of mobility within communities hence reducing traffic congestions and enhancing the quality of life of an average commuter.”

We are in line with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals 7, 11&13

SDG 7



“Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all”

SDG 11

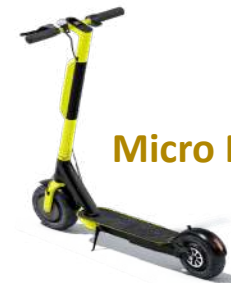


“Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable.”

SDG 13



“Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts.”



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Our Differentiators

- 1** Trekk Technology
- 2** Our Product – Electric Scooters (Modern Alternatives)
- 3** Zero CO2 Emission, No Pollution & Lower Emission Trip
- 4** Promotes a Fit & Healthy Lifestyle
- 5** Pioneer of Micro-mobility in the Nigeria
- 6** Our Passionate & Dedicated Team

Humans of Trekk!



23 Strong Volunteers!



Issac Oyedokun
CEO & Co-founder



Esther Ehindero
COO & Co-founder



Praise Sakanwi
CTO & Co-founder



Jean Noel Bayi
CFO & Co-founder



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Our Decarbonisation Goals

Renewable energy usage throughout the lifecycle of our scooters.

Future State

- Solar based e-scooters
- Solar powered hub
- Electric vehicles for scooters deployment
- Solar Panel installed for scooters charging
- Repurposing scooters battery

Current State

Our E-scooters have zero emission and provide better alternatives to other carbon driven mode of transport for last miles.

TREKK would drive a decrease in CO2 emissions from on-road vehicles and it would also reduce the traffic because its a shared mobility powered by technology



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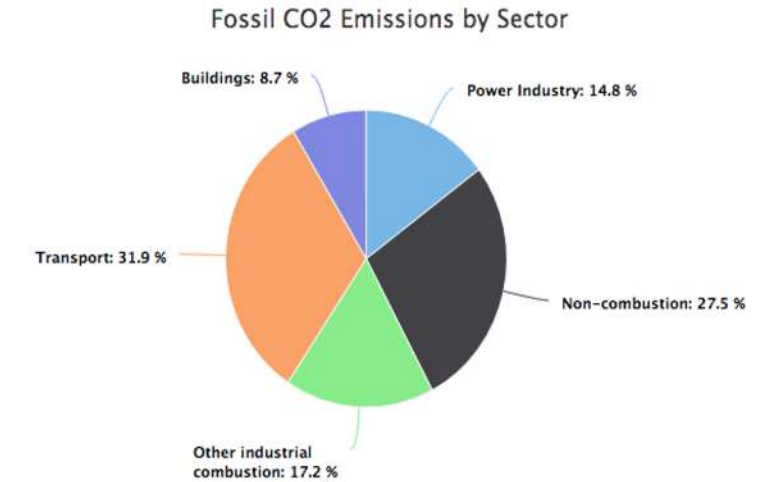
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Our Impact

The Problem

- Only half (53%) of urban residents have convenient access to public transport
- 9 out of 10 urban residents breathe polluted air
- The global mean temperature in 2018 is approximately 1° C above the pre-industrial baseline
- Climate-related and geophysical disasters claimed an estimated 1.3 million lives between 1998 and 2017
- To limit global warming to 1.5° C, global carbon emissions need to fall to 55% of 2010 levels by 2030 and continue a steep decline to zero net emissions by 2050

Figures Don't Lie!



- Environmental Impact: Zero emission, noise pollution reduction, cleaner & safer communities
- Economic Impact: Job creation, skill-set and capabilities building of employees, nation building
- Social Impact: Educating the populace on micro mobility, Driving renewable energy among young entrepreneurs
- Techpreneurship Ideation: DIY

Trekk's Community Impact



Global Impact

Concerted efforts with the government and policy makers to reduce CO2 emission in Nigeria and other African countries by 2030



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Sources:

The Sustainable Development Goals Report 2019

<https://www.worldometers.info/co2-emissions/nigeria-co2-emissions/>

Our Advice



- **Passion:** Engage in a project that you are passionate about. Passion is the fuel needed for stormy days.
- **Research:** Ensure to conduct a thorough research on the project and society you wish to launch. Understand the politics, regulatory framework, economic and social life of such community.
- **Creativity:** Aim at a project that seeks to solve a problem that is particular to that society
- **Consider scalability of the Idea**
- **Build and Nourish Networks**



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TREKK LOCALLY!

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Co-Founder & CEO

eDRV (Netherlands)



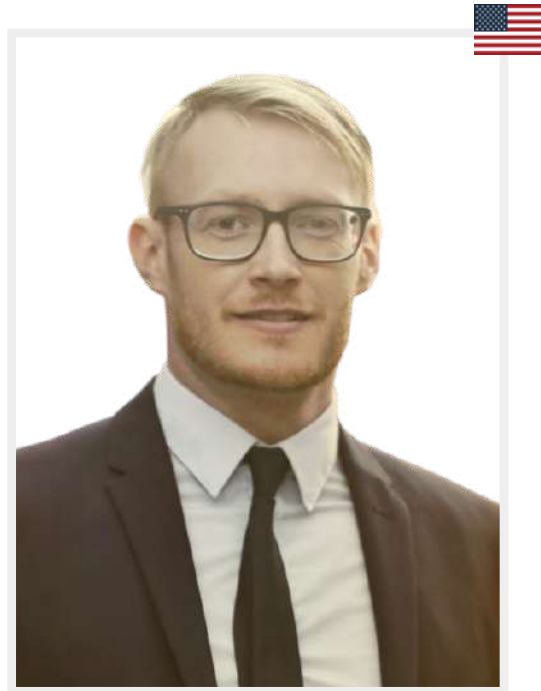


**Our Mission is to enable the rapid electrification
of transportation to help achieve the goals of
the Paris agreement**

Meet today's Electric Vehicle charging entrepreneurs



Ali



Aaron



Gaelle

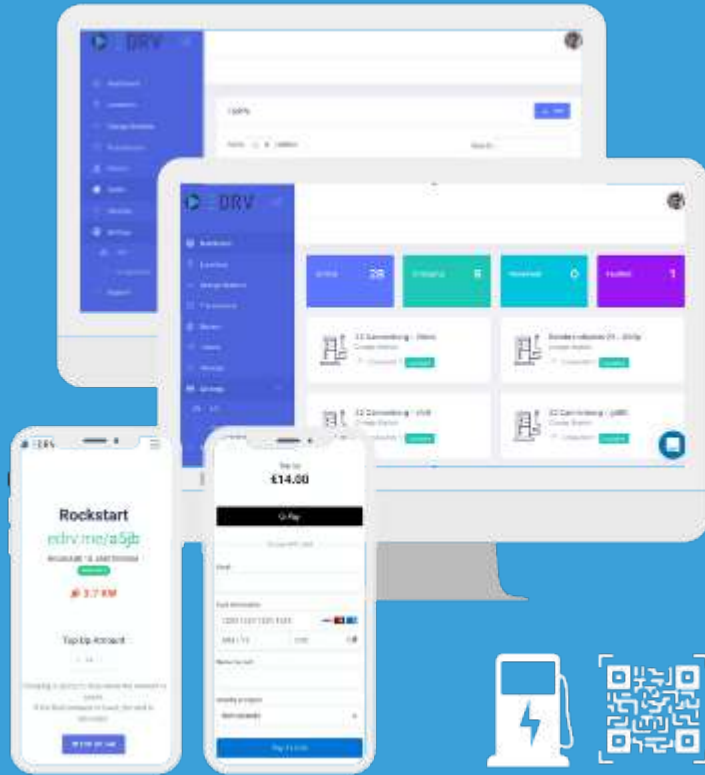


Sharat

Across the world, entrepreneurs are developing ambitions to own and operate electric vehicle charging as a service for business, cities and regions

eDRV Innovation

SaaS for electric vehicle charging network operations

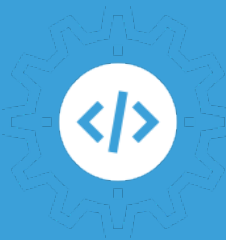


Differentiators



Plug & Go Zero Touch Charging

Tesla Supercharger-like plug and go experience to drivers of all electric vehicles



World's First Public EV Charging API

First widely available public API for EV charging, with more coming soon



Connectivity

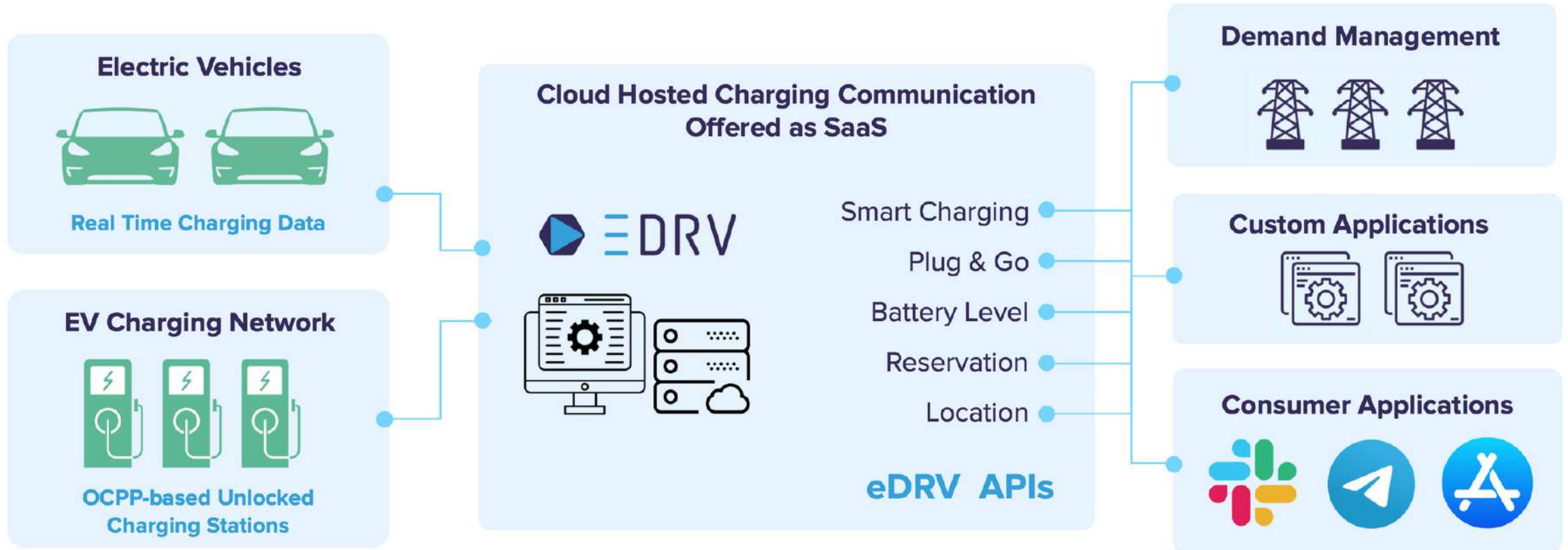


Management



Maintenance

eDRV Paves the Way for Integration of EVs, Storage and Renewables



eDRV combines **vehicle and charging endpoints** to provide 360° integration of EV charging with demand response, building management, fleets and consumer applications

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Panel Discussion: Supporting Youth Innovation in Decarbonising Transport

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Supporting Youth Innovation in Decarbonising Transport

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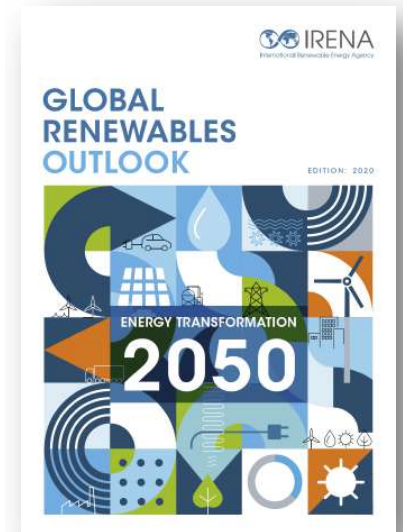
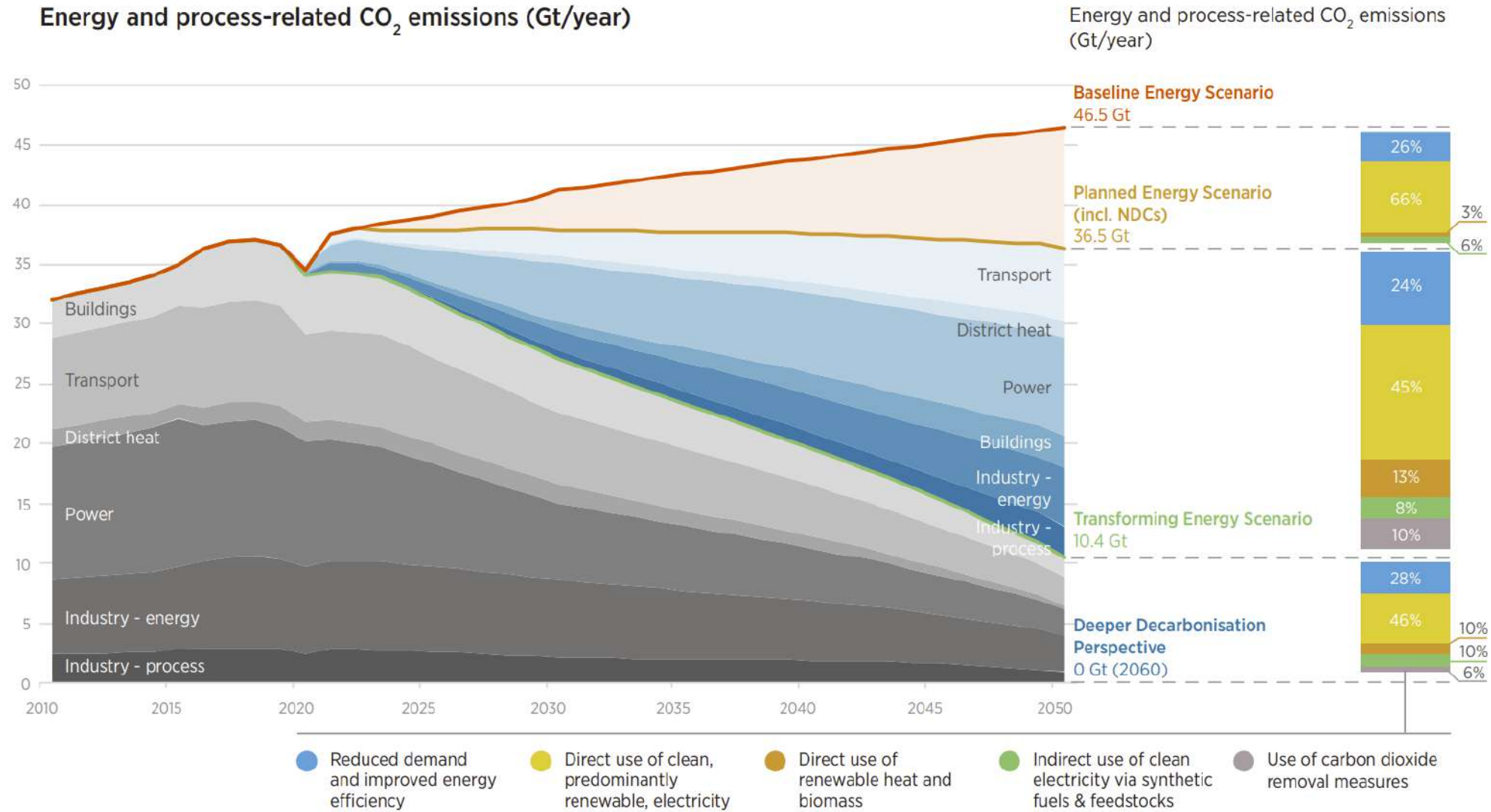
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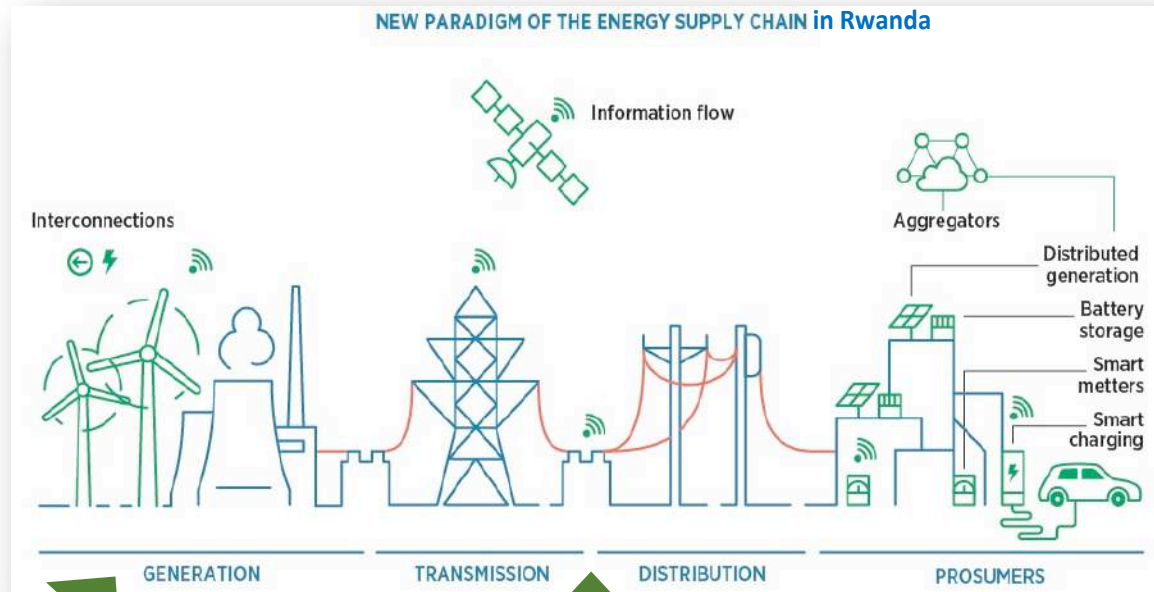
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Decarbonisation pathways to 2050



Innovations for increased renewables in buildings



- Innovations for access to electricity**
- Renewable mini-grids
 - Solar home systems
 - Behind-the-meter batteries
 - Pay-as-you-go model
 - Community-ownership model

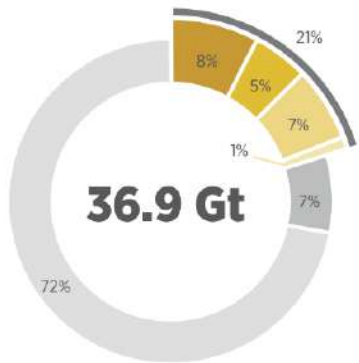
- Innovative operation of pumped hydropower storage
- Installation of floating solar PV plants on hydro reservoirs

- Regional markets
- Innovative ancillary services

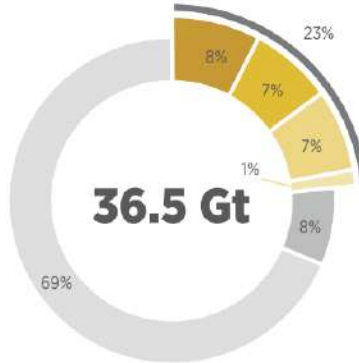
- Behind-the-meter batteries
- Market integration of distributed energy resources
- Internet-of-Things
- Artificial Intelligence and Big Data
- Community-ownership business models

- Innovations for end-use sectors**
- Renewable electrification in buildings (solar home systems)
 - Energy efficiency of lighting and water heating
 - Clean cooking
 - Electric Vehicles and Smart charging

Technological pathways for increased renewables in industry



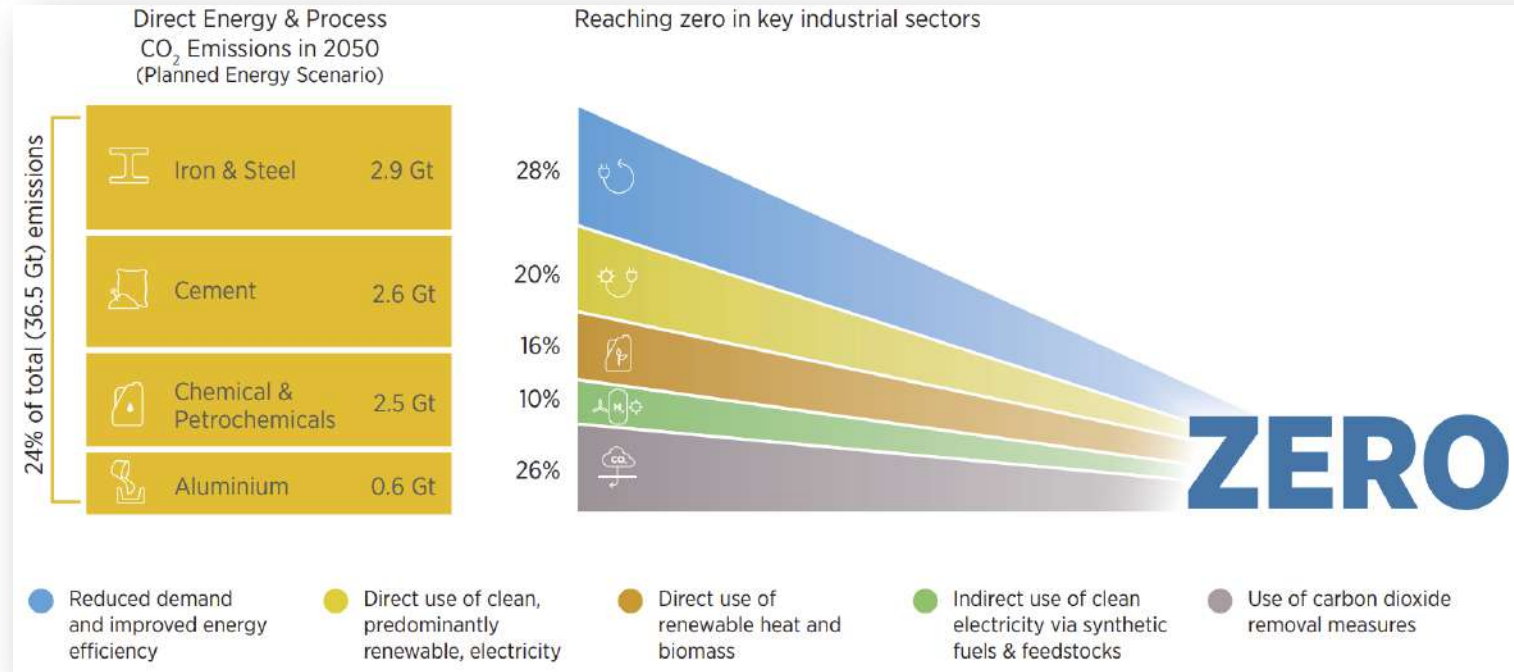
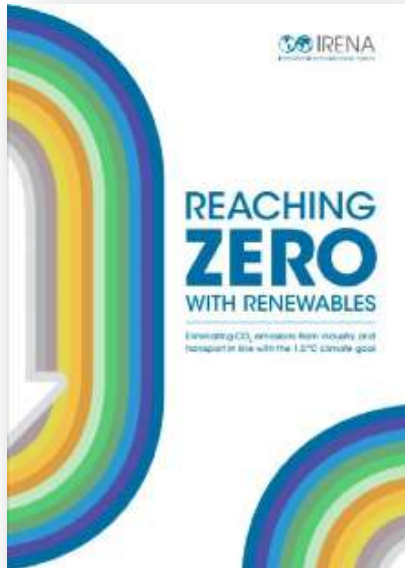
Industry share of total energy and process-related CO₂ emissions in 2017 (Gt).



Industry share of total energy and process-related CO₂ emissions in 2050 Planned Energy Scenario (Gt).

- Iron and Steel
- Chemicals and Petrochemicals
- Cement and Lime
- Aluminium
- Other industry
- Non-Industry

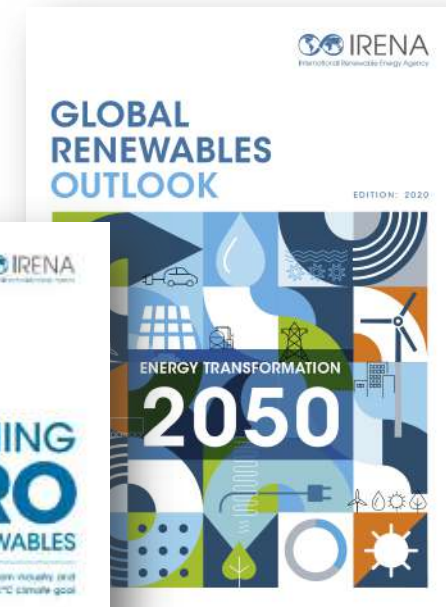
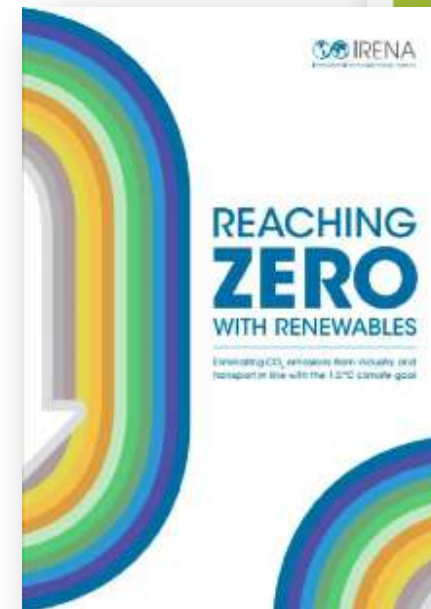
➔ Renewables accounts for **46%** of the economic emission abatement potential in industry



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Co-Founder, Enapter

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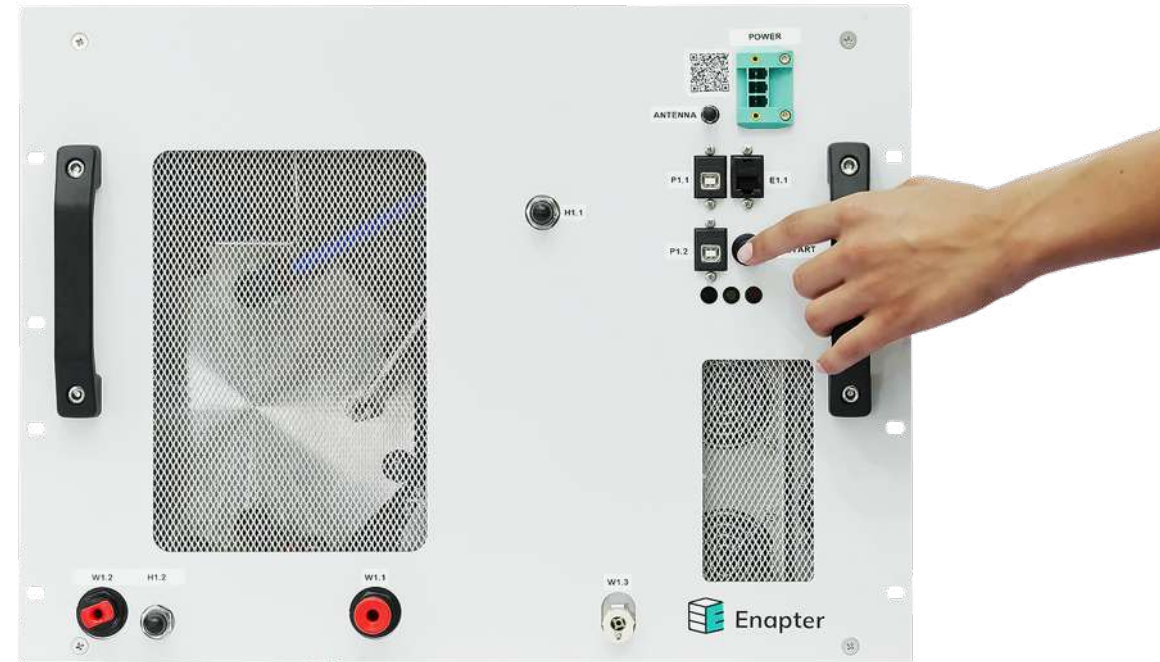
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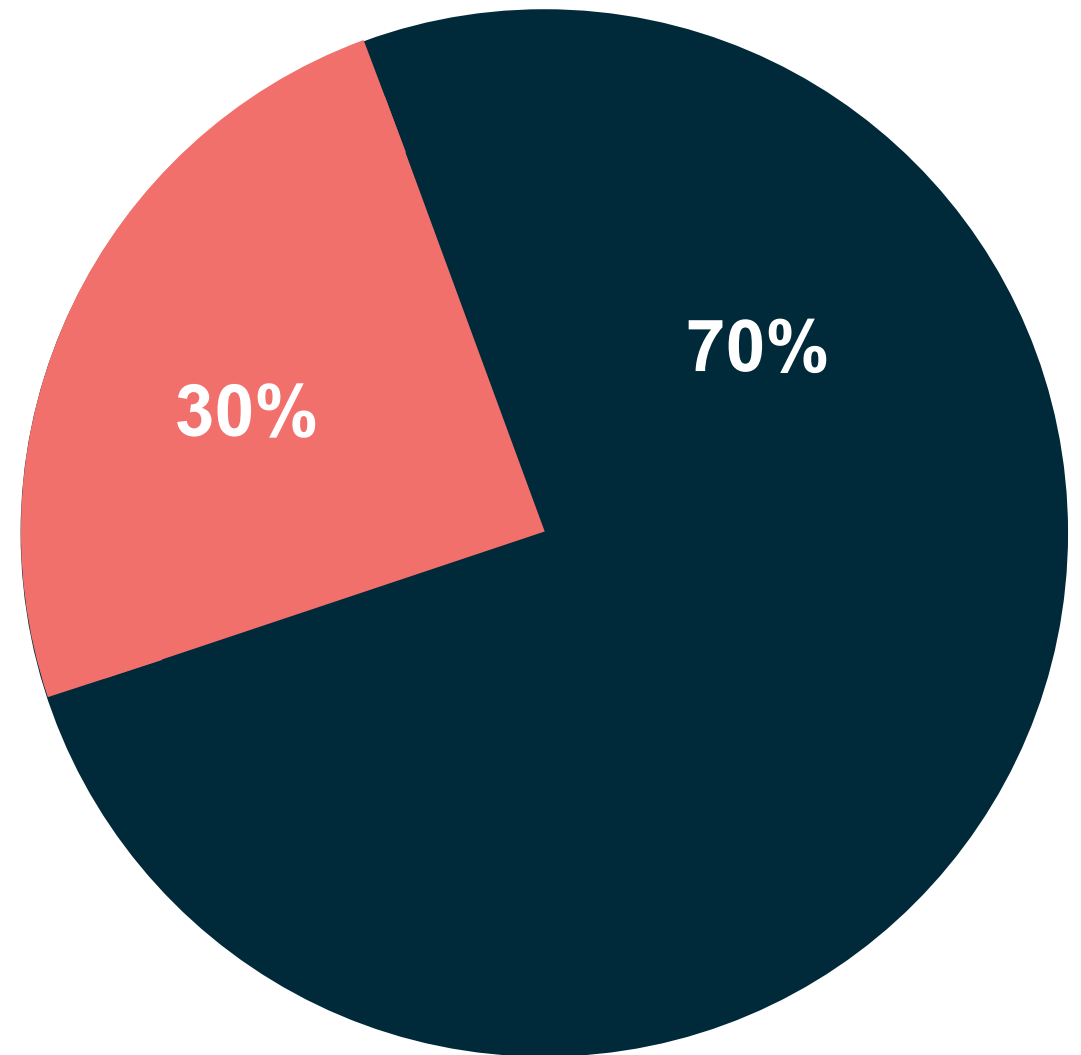
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The AEM Electrolyser

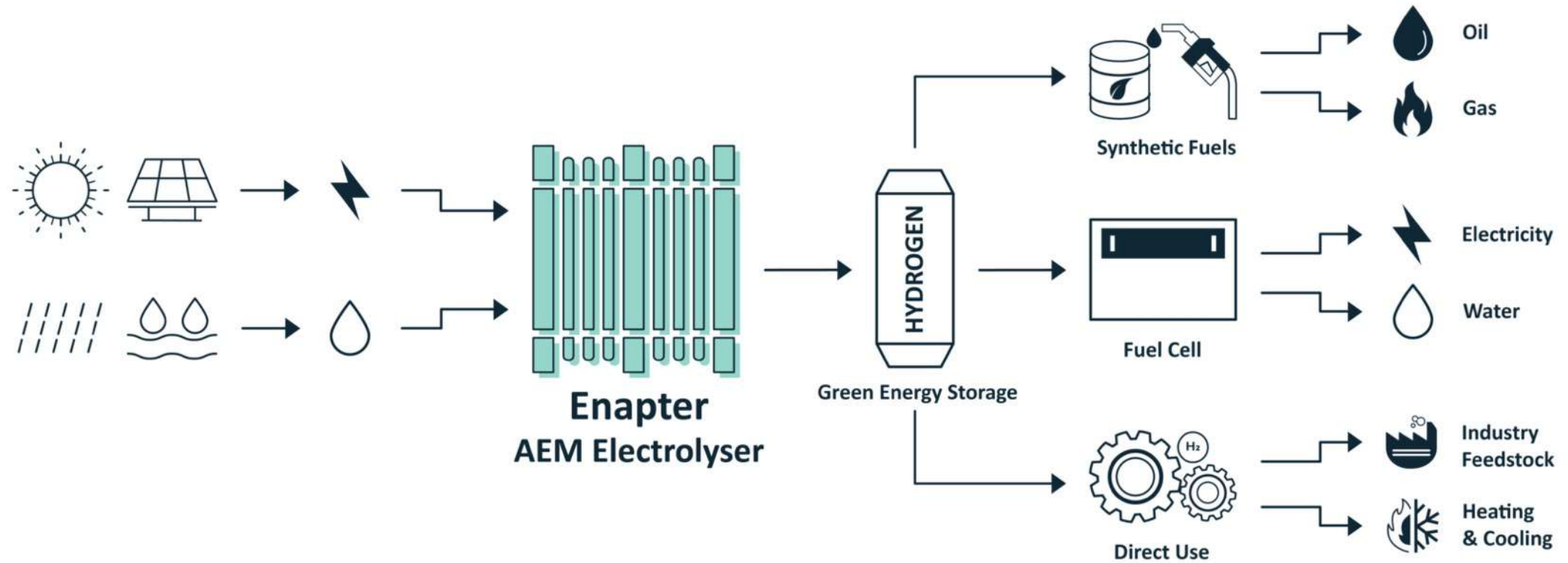
Replacing fossil fuels with **green hydrogen**.



- ≡ Only 30% of energy is consumed in the form of electricity (electrons)
- ≡ 70% are used in industry, transport and heating sector (molecules)



Hydrogen

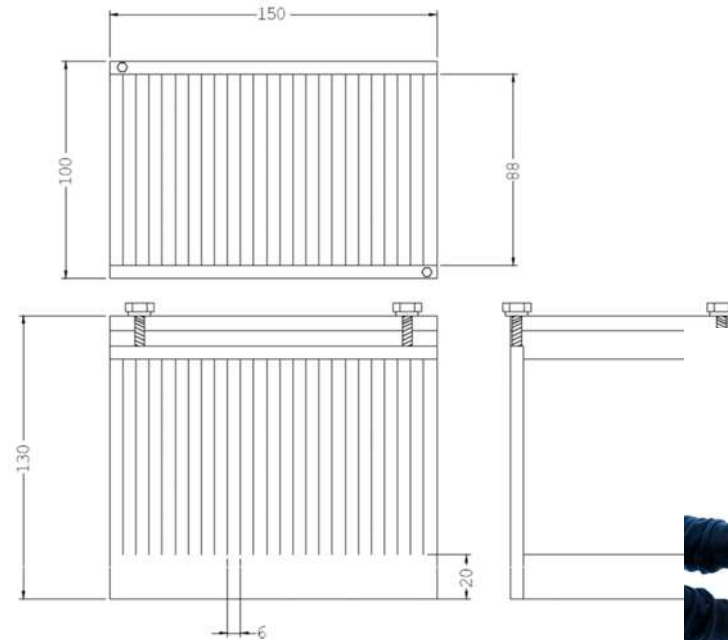


How is Enapter different?

Think of an electrolyser as a commodity!



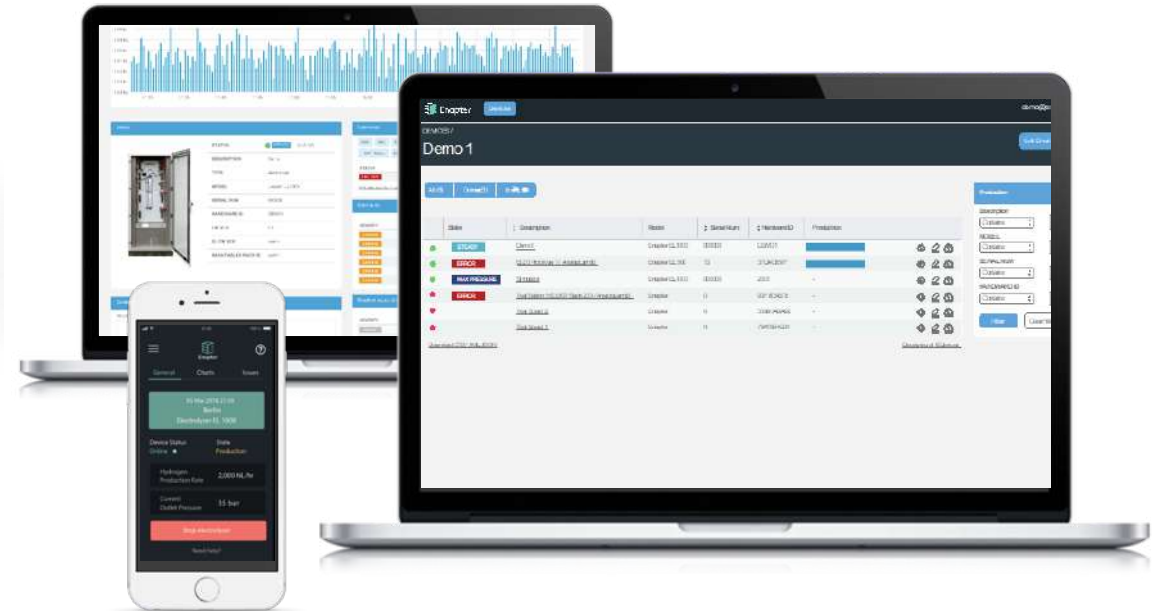
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2020



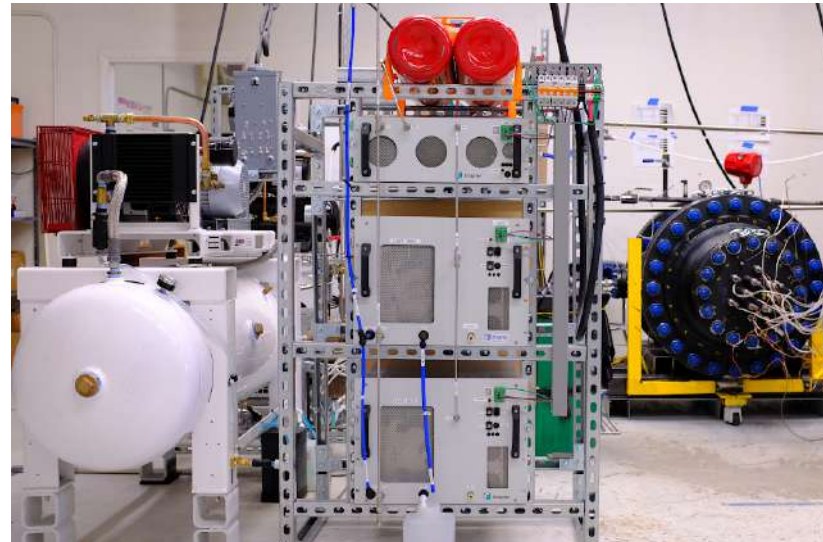
The products today



Hydrogen Application



**One Advice:
Cooperation**



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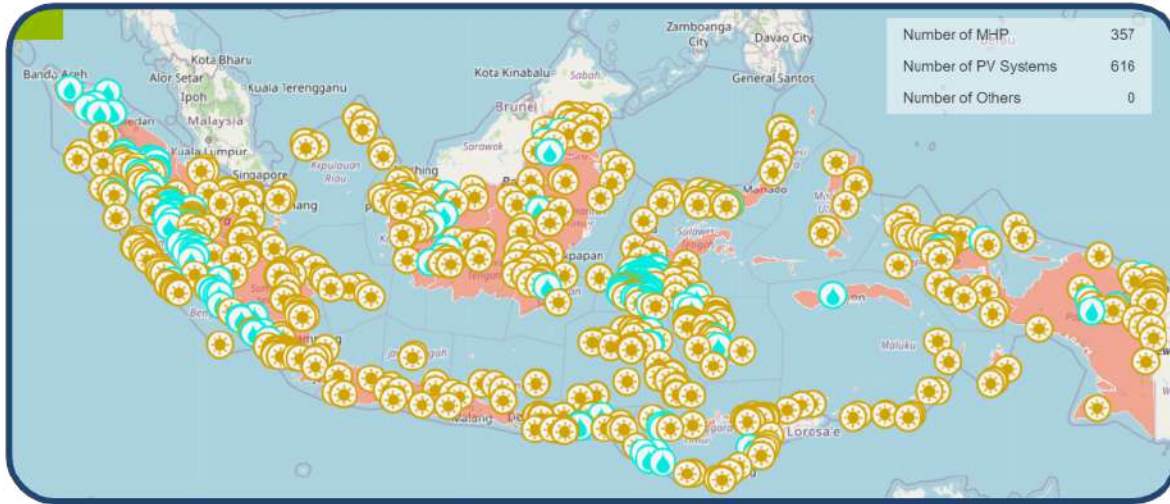
Innovation Showcase



**Dwi Rizky Rachmadhani &
Ilham Gucci**
Founders, Okham

(Indonesia)





The **Geographical Diversity** makes it difficult to provide **Grid Electricity** to the **Rural Isolated** villages

Extending Electricity Infrastructure

Quality of Electricity Access

Sustainability Problems



No one held responsibility over built RE Assets

Lacking network to service provider

Insufficient technical capacity

Lack of performance and condition monitoring



“ We bring one stop end-to-end solutions to installation owner, government, resident for the abovementioned problems with our professional staffs and hi-tech equipment for providing **Inspection, Supervision, Testing, and Training Services**



We Provide
**Professional, Futuristic
and Affordable** Renewable Energy Services

Inspection, troubleshooting
and repair solar PV & other
RE system



Supervision, monitoring and
consulting of solar PV & other RE
system project construction



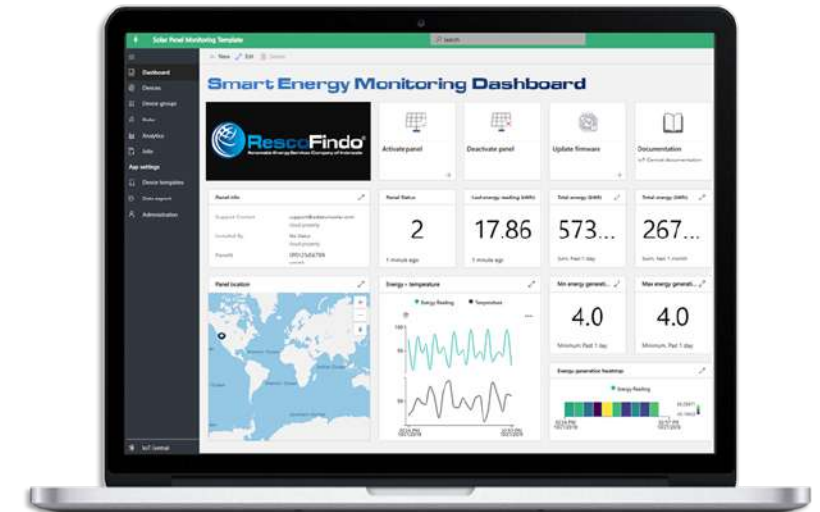
Testing materials, installation and
battery storage of RE system to
comply with regulation



Training and capacity building for
solar PV & other RE system's
manpower



SEMonS, Smart Energy Monitoring System



Decarbonization

Converting the conventional fossil fuel to Renewable Energy



Massive utilization of Renewable Energy



Co2 intensity of Gross Domestic Product



More people invest in Renewable Energy



Public Engagement

Impact of Okham Innovation for Society



Economic Dimension

 GDP – Increase in per Capita Income/year

 Consumption and Investment



Social Dimension


Employment


Education


Spending on Health



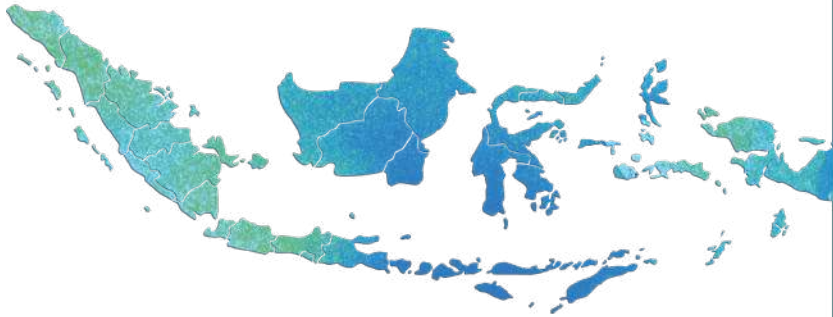
Environmental Dimension

 Greenhouse Gas Emission


Material Consumption

Success - Challenge

Challenge



Geographical Diversity



Information Barrier



Success Factor

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Introduction- About Energy 4 Impact

Overview

Non-profit organisation working with local businesses to extend access to energy in Africa. Supported over 5,000 energy access businesses in the last 12 years. Deep insight into energy access and markets across Sub-Saharan Africa.

Our Services include:



ENTERPRISE SUPPORT



FINANCING



INNOVATIVE MODELS

About S-WIRE Project.

- Taking advantage of technology, resources and science to build more sustainable and resilient businesses for women entrepreneurs.
- Energy 4 Impact conceptualized, designed and developed Jiko Smart.
- Jiko smart has superior performance characteristics over majority of locally developed and produced stoves models and is fairly priced for affordability.
- Energy 4 Impact supported its dissemination through selected groups of entrepreneurs from Central, Kisii and Kisumu clusters.

S-WIRE workstreams – what and why



Decarbonising goals

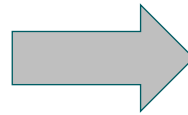
Outcome Objective	Indicator	Target
Increased access to clean energy through adoption of clean energy products	Number of individuals served by the entrepreneurs supported by the project	103,000
Enhanced environmental sustainability	Tonnes of CO ₂ mitigated (computed based on the 4-year average life expectancy of the expected cookstoves sold)	62,000
Scaled up dissemination and distribution of improved cookstoves	Number of improved cookstoves distributed (all types)	34,500
	Number of improved Jiko Smart cookstoves distributed (additional)	10,300
Employment Creation	Number of jobs created (skilled and unskilled labour)	
Cookstoves enterprises supported to manufacture and distribute improved cookstoves	Number of women entrepreneurs supported	150
	Number of trained on production of Jiko Smart	100
	Number of work plans developed	150

Impact	Indicator
Employment	<ul style="list-style-type: none">457 people employment, 47% of whom are women.
Income generation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Total value of goods sold UC\$482,894,Monthly sales increased by \$7,787.
Women empowerment	<ul style="list-style-type: none">167 entrepreneurs supported.
CO2 reduction	<ul style="list-style-type: none">166,901 tonnes of CO2.
Clean energy dissemination	<ul style="list-style-type: none">212,613 people benefiting from clean cooking, 106% above target.388 units of solar lanterns.1002 units of solar home systems.47,259 kilograms of briquettes.



Challenges

- **Finance**- As innovations involve risk, finding capital to support research and development, pilot studies or field trials can be challenging, particularly in emerging markets.
- **Illiteracy**- Due to the age factor and illiteracy, most trainings took longer time.
- **Business models**- Poor business models.
- **Lack of government support** and unfavorable operating environments.



Proposed Interventions

- Innovative financing models for energy service delivery & access.
- Technical advisory (TA) and capacity building to energy Energy access as an enabler to address other challenges in the community.
- Enterprise & livelihood support in energy intensive value chains.
- Leveraging on existing institutions/ infrastructure to improve last mile delivery (LMD) of clean energy services.

- Existence of opportunities to leverage on e.g. market development and distribution.
- Proposal development for funding.
- Bridging the illiteracy gap through building the capacity of local entrepreneurs.
- Youths should take advantage of the available business incubation opportunities in their localities.
- Role to play in promoting most efficient and cost-effective technologies and business models in off-grid markets.
- Productive use of Energy in creating strong food systems.
- Entrepreneurship plays a key role in accelerating deployment of Renewable Energy technologies.
- Benchmark and exchange- programs.

Thank you for listening

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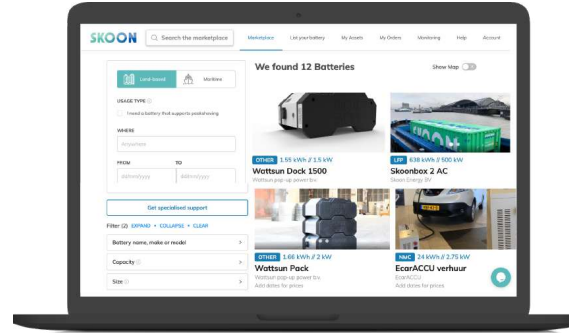
Clean Energy On Demand

The mobile energy platform

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We Enable Mobile Clean Energy on Demand

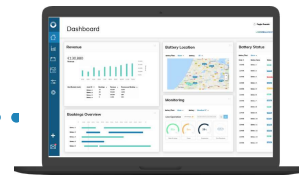


SKOON SHARING Clean Energy Marketplace



ASSET OWNERS

Mobile Batteries and Hydrogen
Generators



SKOON SUITE

Rental Management Software for
Asset owners

CUSTOMERS

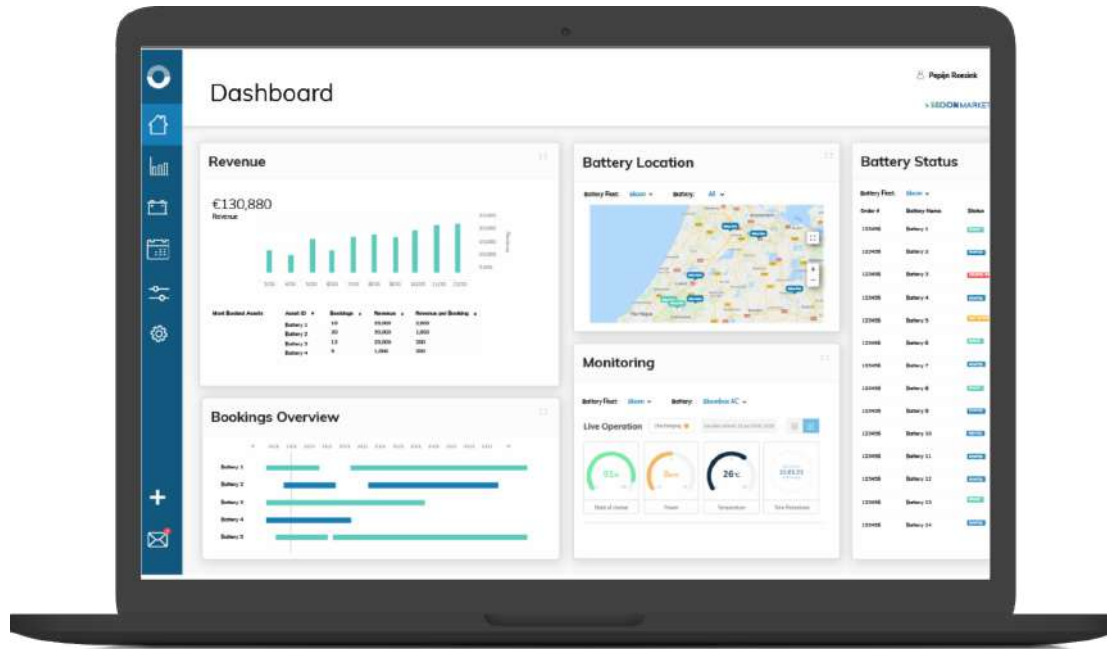
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ENERGY USERS

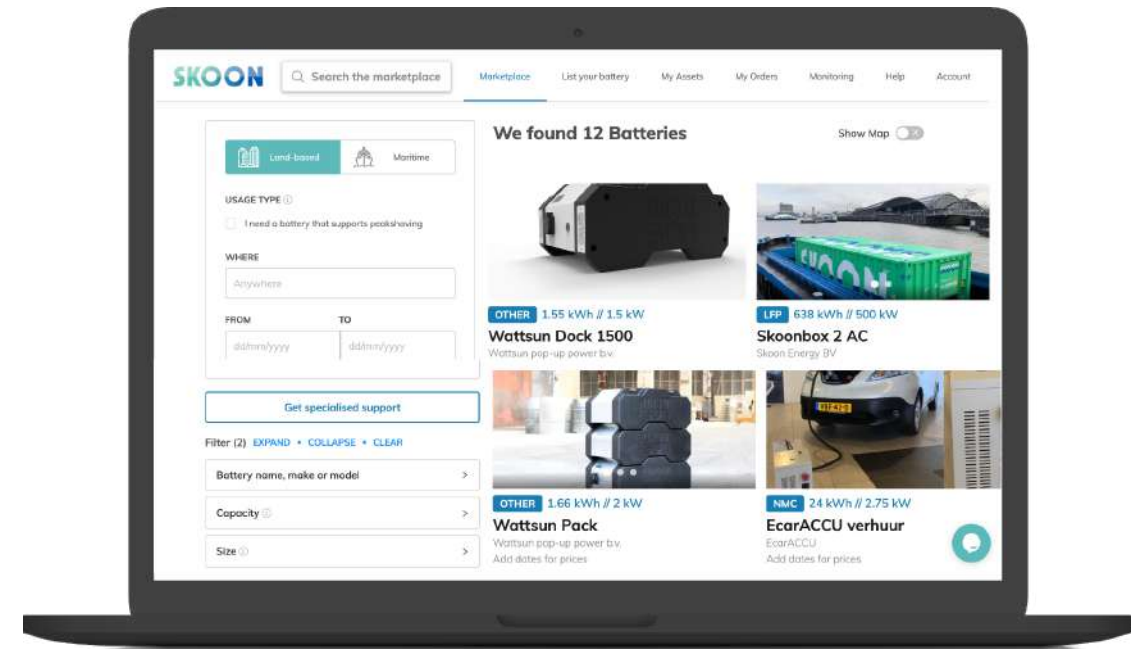
Construction, Entertainment,
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Leading Software Solutions to Enable Decarbonisation



SKOON SUITE

Rental Management Software



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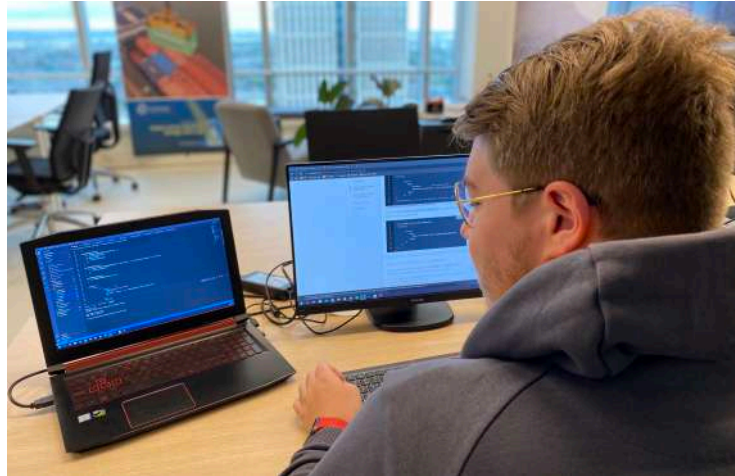
The Clean Mobile Energy Marketplace

Our Impact Stretches Local and Global Communities



Reduce local emissions
by replacing diesel generators

**Saving 14.000 tons of CO2 on a
short term**



Provide scalable software to enable growth
of clean energy storage

**Facilitating management of hundreds of
clean energy storage assets**



Empower people and business to
attract investment in clean energy
projects

Attract millions of funding

What Experts Have Adviced Me To Do



THINK BIG

Don't sit back, think big and act now. Help and resources are out there, all that's needed is your limitless energy.



SUPPORT EACHOTHER

It's about numbers, so support eachother by following, liking and interacting on- and offline.



LOOK FOR BUSINESS CASES

The status quo will only be convinced by real opportunities and business cases.

Help us Accelerate the Transition

We are looking for strategic investors to scale our software development, sales and marketing teams.

We look forward to speaking with you!



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The logo for Optim Energy, featuring the word "OPTIM" in white, a yellow lightning bolt icon, and the word "ENERGY" in white, all set against a solid blue rectangular background.

OPTIM ENERGY

Optim Energy: Overview

We are Optim Energy. We are an innovative energy start-up that uses kinetic energy and vibration in bringing clean and affordable electricity to homes in rural areas.

Our piezoelectric devices harnesses energy from pressure, heat and vibrations all which naturally occur in the environment in making energy accessible to residence in rural areas.



Decarbonisation Goals

Our business model and social impact strategy aims to promote the transition to an emission-free energy market. Our decarbonisation goals are aligned with the sustainable goals, OE aims to:

- Maintaining a 100% carbon free emissions from our generating capacity;
- Promoting circular economy in our areas of operation and among consumers; and
- Promoting the use of the optim energy online calculator as a tool to help our consumers in making energy efficient decisions.



Impact

- One hundred and fifty (150) households and fifteen (15) schools electrified free of cost during our prototyping phase.
- Over one thousand five-hundred (1500) residences and over nine thousand (9,000) kids provided with electricity.
- Facilitated a 5% efficiency and a 70% growth in energy service continuation and voltage stability where we operate.
- Decrease in greenhouse gas (GHG) from the local community through awareness and a collaborative effort towards protecting the remaining forest cover.
- Decrease in health issues among students and young people caused by Photochemical smog.
- Increase in economic activities in the local community



As youths our future “will be what we make out of it”

Take time to build on your skills, knowledge, and the people around you. Whatever solution you’ll be bringing it should help in promoting the circular economy concept and in getting us closer to achieving the SDG’s.

“The future is green, let me it stay that way”



Thank you

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Moderator



Joyce Mendez

Latin American Observatory
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Thank you!

Coming up next:

Session 8:

Re-cap and Wrap-up: The Way Forward

today at 2 pm (CEST)

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