

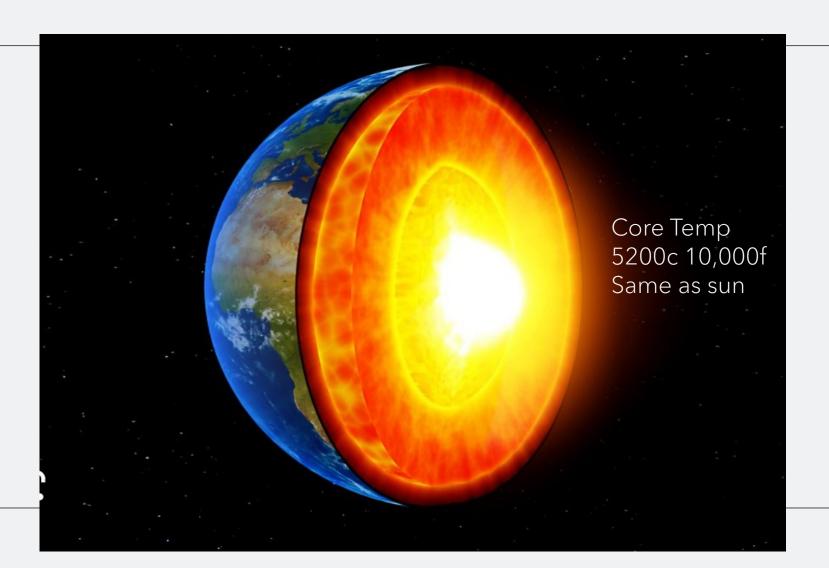
#### ALASKA GEOTHERMAL GREEN HYDROGEN

And Associated Industrial Processes and Products

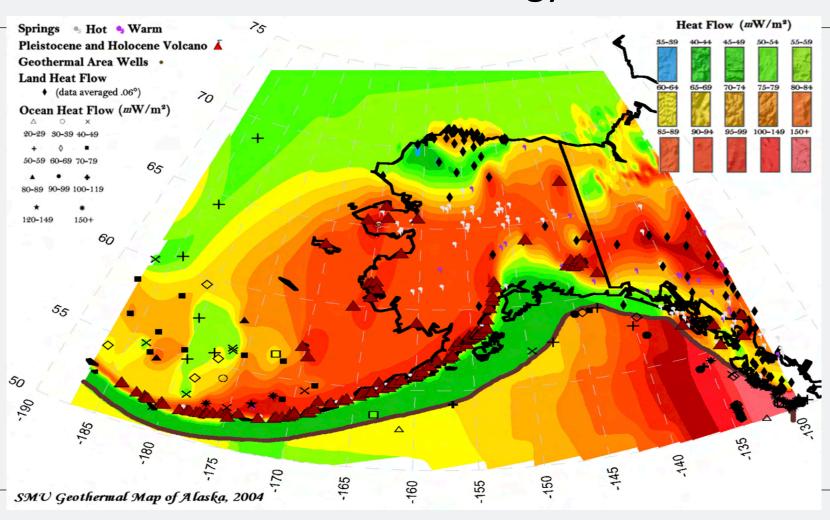
House Energy Committee George Rauscher, Chairman March 2, 2023

Paul Fuhs, CEO Alaska Hydrogen Industries

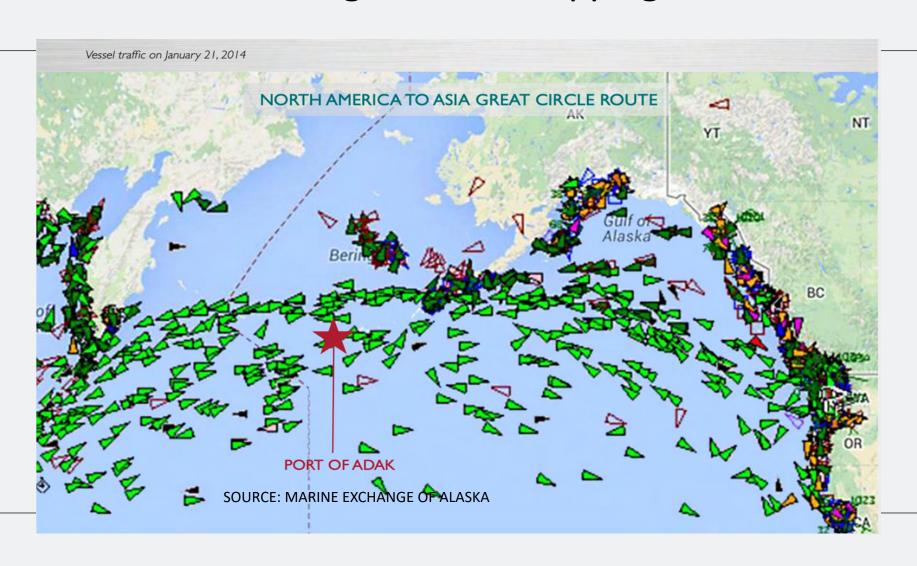
# EARTH'S SOLID CORE, MOLTEN IRON AND MANTLE



## Geothermal sites Aleutian Islands Stranded Energy



## Alaska Strategic Marine Shipping Position

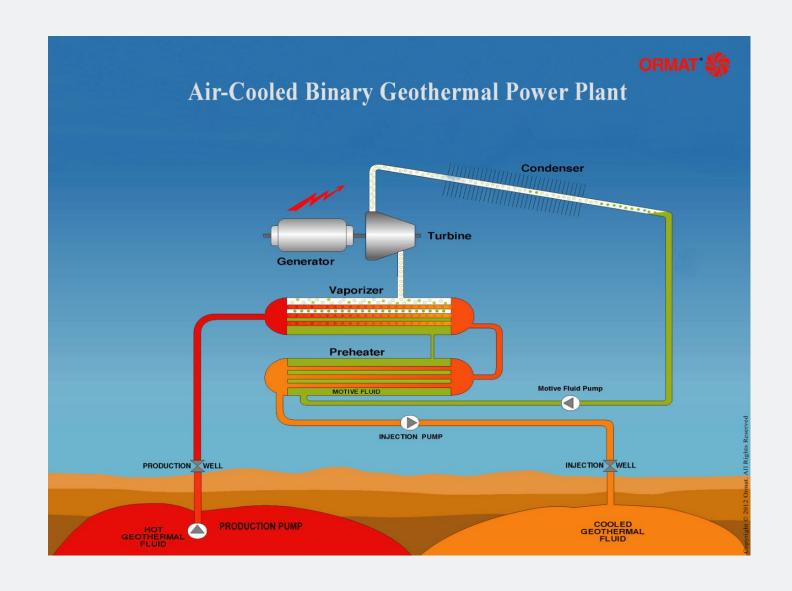


# BINARY GEOTHERMAL PRODUCTION SYSTEM

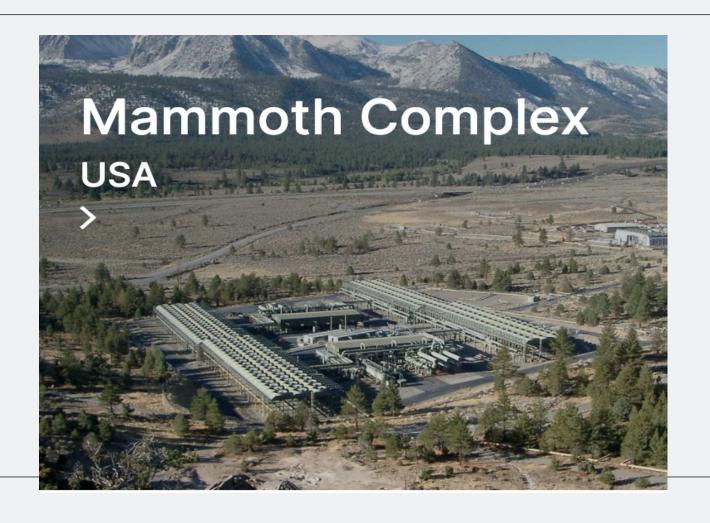
Heat exchanger to production fluid

Geothermal fluids reinjected

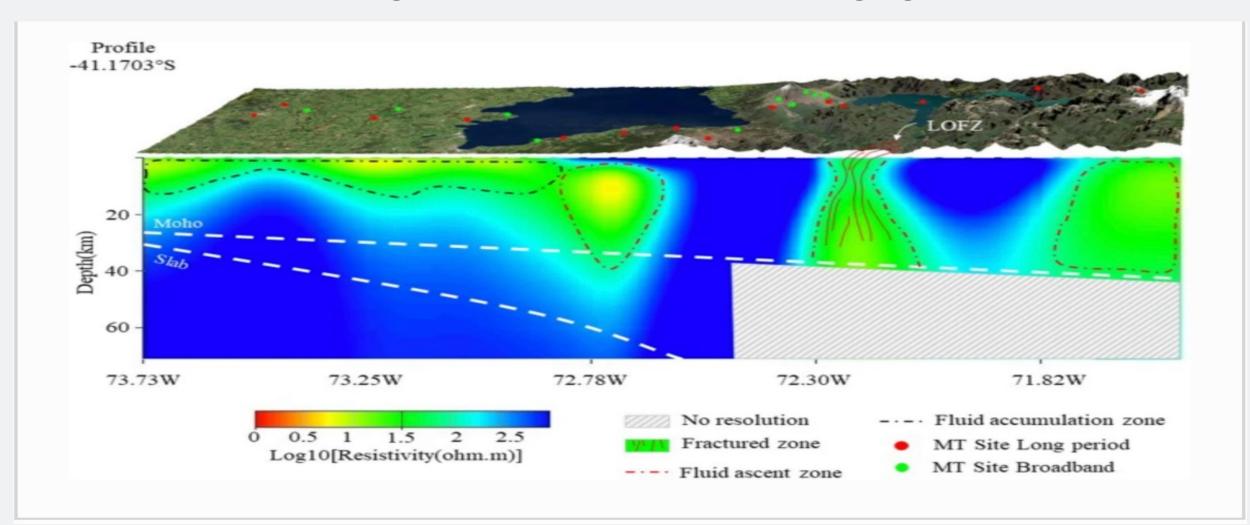
No harmful emissions or CO2



## Mammoth Geothermal Plant



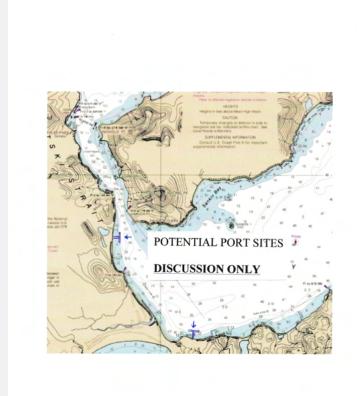
## Magnetoelluric Geothermal Imaging

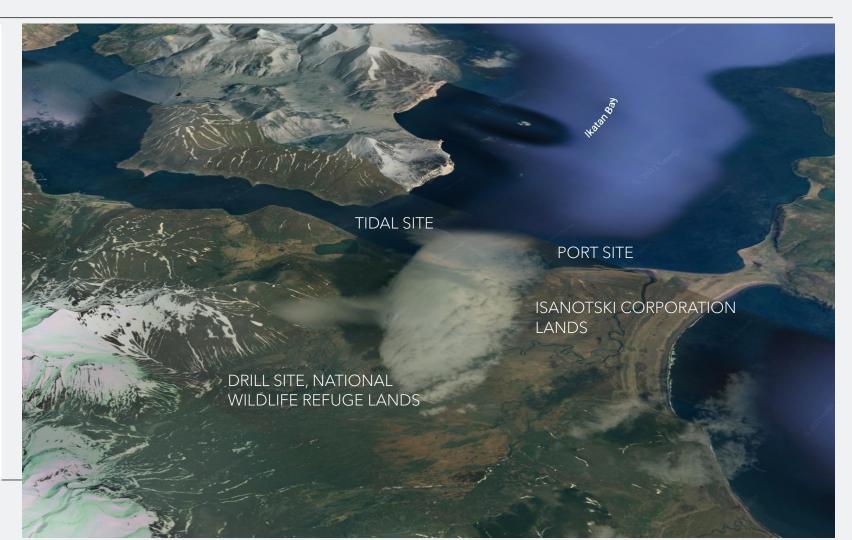


## Hydrogen Hydrolyzer Plant Denmark

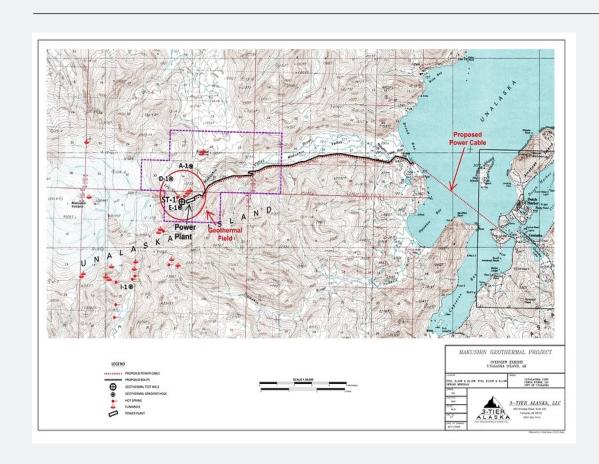


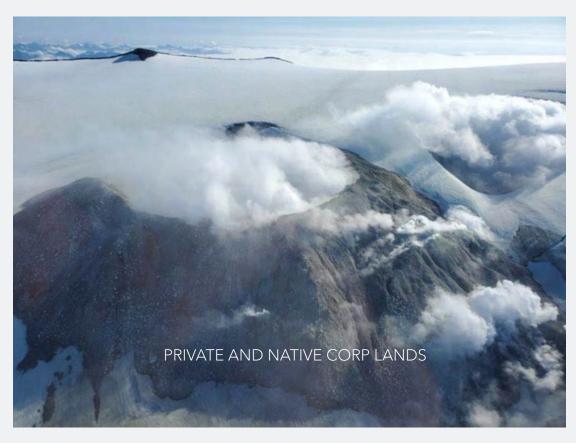
# False Pass Geothermal/Tidal Site



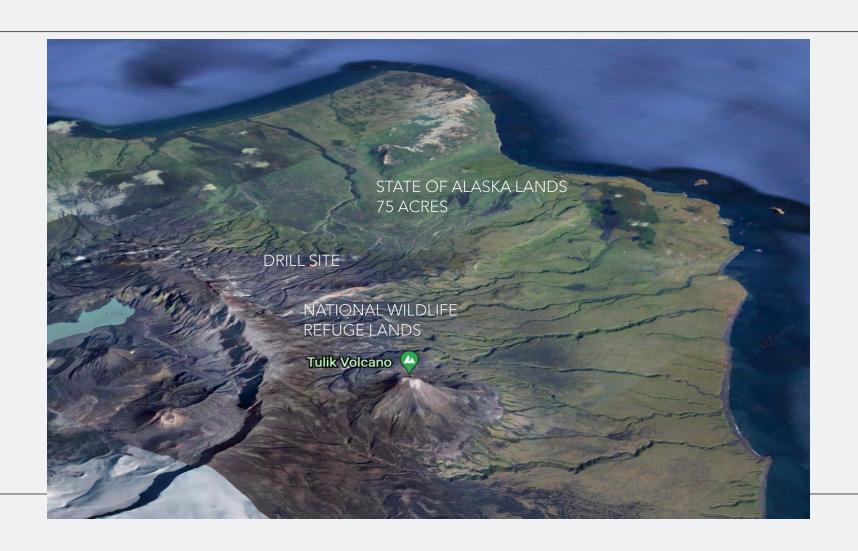


# Makushin Geothermal Project Unalaska/Dutch Harbor

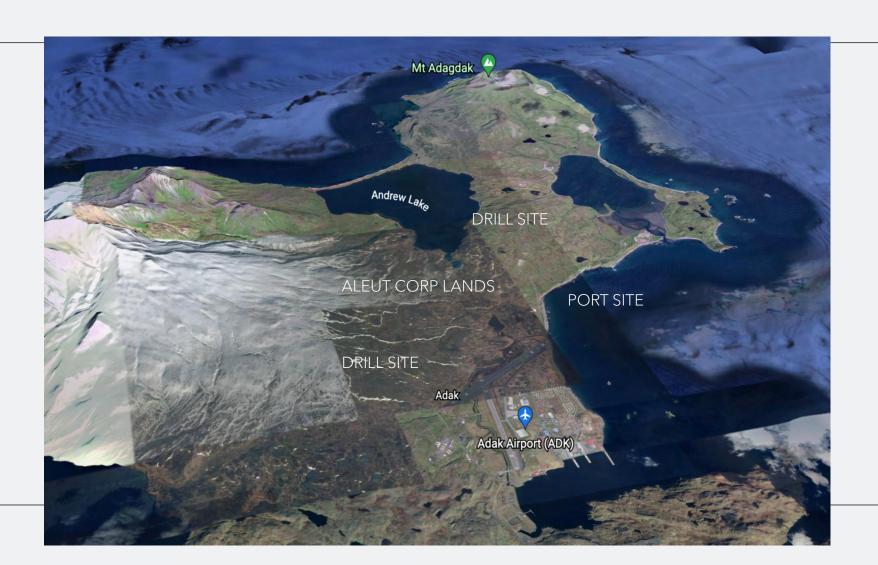




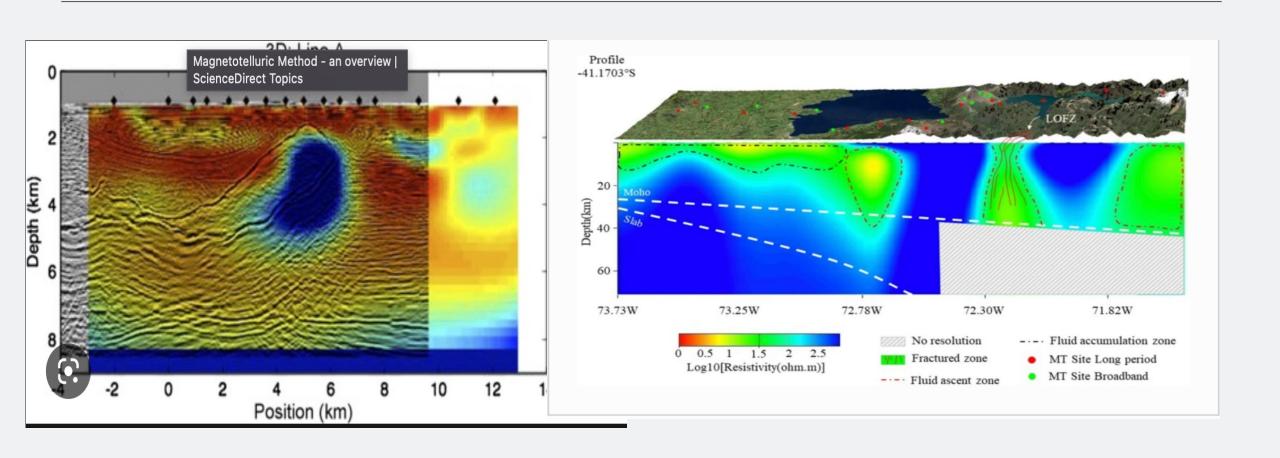
# Fort Glenn/Unimak Island Geothermal/Tidal Site



# Adak Geothermal Site



## MAGNETOELLURIC GEOTHERMAL IMAGING



# DOE Hydrogen Programs, Tools

#### H<sub>2</sub> Matchmaker

A tool to assist hydrogen suppliers, users to identify collaborators, opportunities to expand regional hydrogen hubs.

#### Hydrogen Shot

The first Energy Earthshot, launched 6/7/2021 aims to reduce clean hydrogen costs by 80% to \$1 per 1 kilogram in 1 decade ("1 1

\$47M in funding.

### H<sub>2</sub> Twin Cities (part of the COP26, Climate Energy Ministerial)

To accelerate hydrogen deployments by pairing communities worldwide to collaborate at the city level.

#### H<sub>2</sub>@Scale

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To advance affordable hydrogen production, transport, storage, and use for revenue opportunities in many sectors.

DOE received 79 concept papers, using \$150B of their capital + \$7B of DOE funding. DOE encouraged or discouraged full applications from applicants.

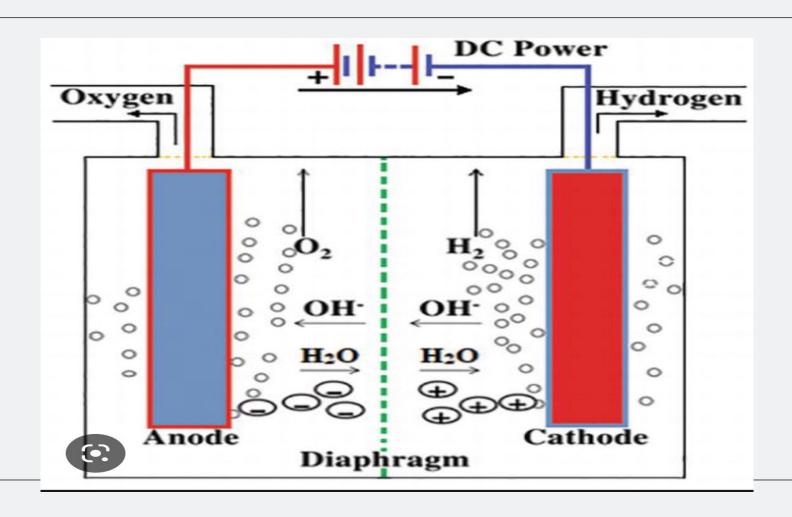
Alaska focus:
Alaska Hydrogen
Energy Working
Group – next
virtual meeting is
tomorrow!







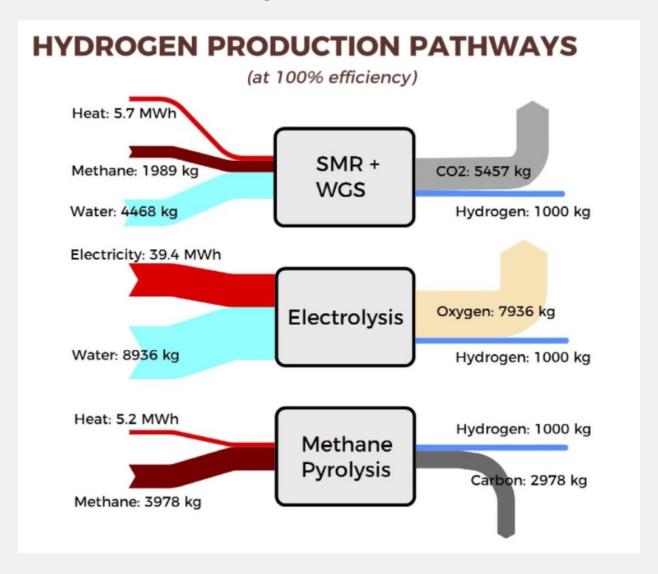
## HYDROGEN ELECTROLYSIS PROCESS



## TYPICAL HYDROGEN ELECTROLYZER PLANT DENMARK



## Main Conversion Pathways



https://www.greentechmedia.com/articles/read/c-zero-raises-11.5m-to-scale-up-turquoise-hydrogen-technology

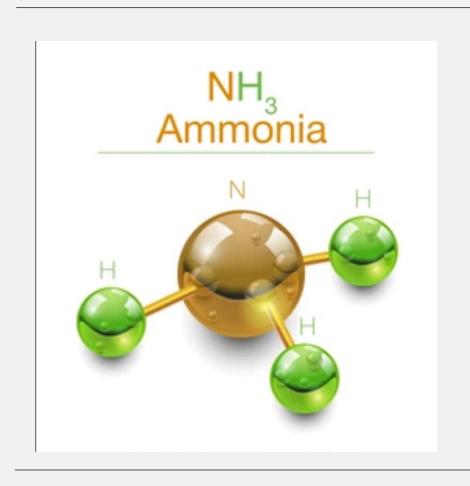
## KOBE STEEL IRON ORE REDUCTION PLANT CHARLOTSVILLE, SC

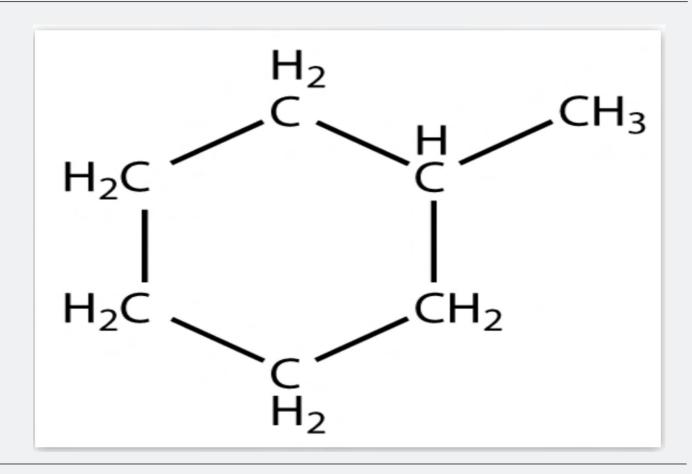


## ELECTRIC ARC FURNACE RECYCLE STEEL + PURE Fe

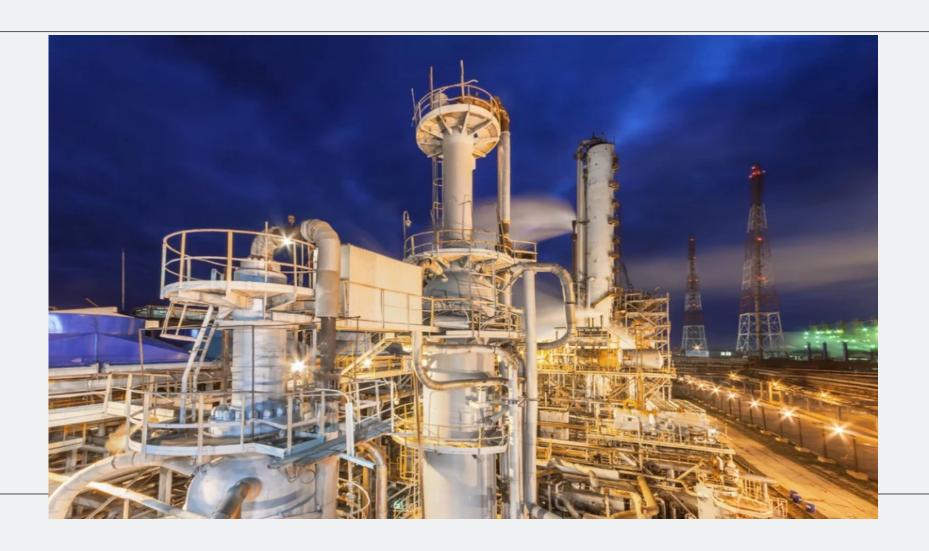


## HYDROGEN BASED FUELS: AMMONIA AND METHYLCYCLOHEXANE



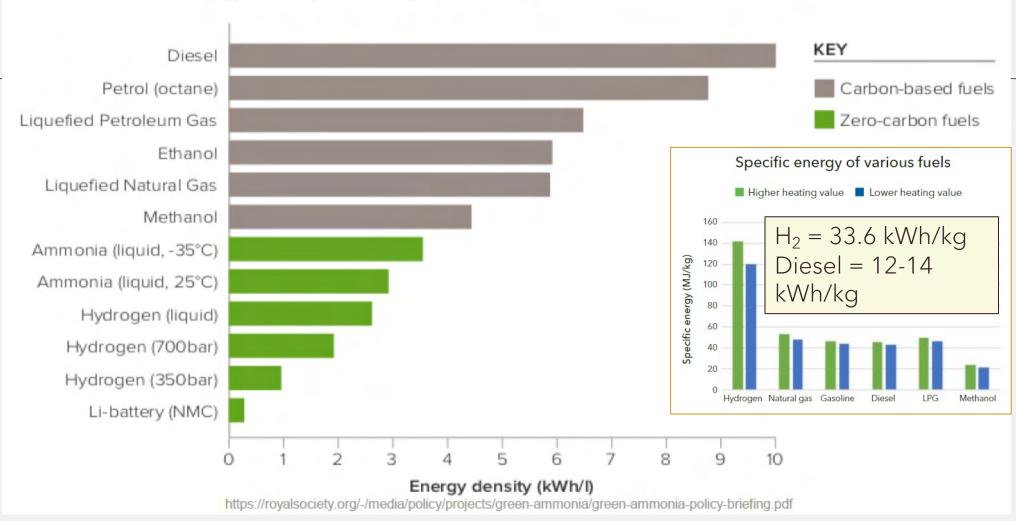


## AMMONIA PRODUCTION PLANT SWEDEN



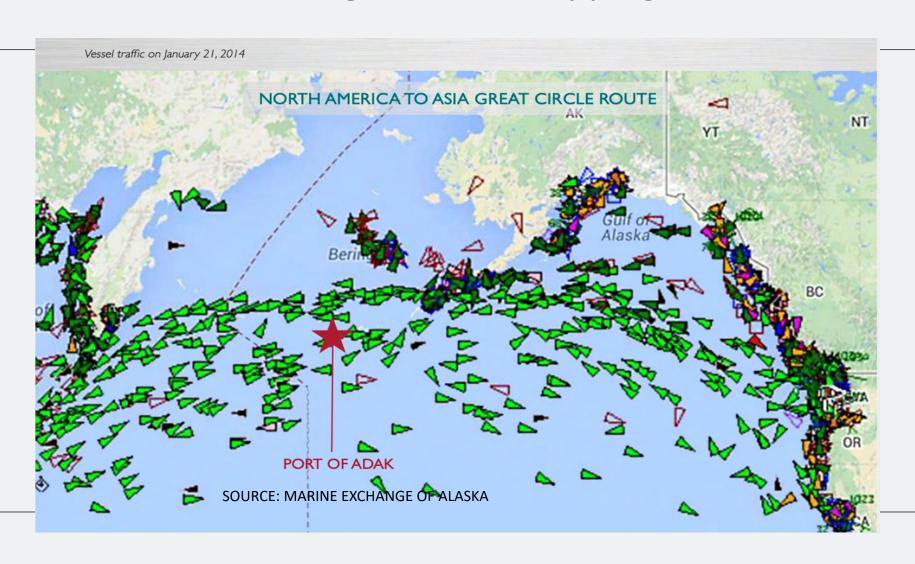
# Density is Low Relative to Other Fuels, But Specific

Energy is High
The volumetric energy density of a range of fuel options.



https://royalsociety.org/-/media/policy/projects/green-ammonia/green-ammonia-policy-briefing.pdf https://www.dnvgl.com/publications/hydrogen-in-the-electricity-value-chain-141099

## Alaska Strategic Marine Shipping Position



## IMO VESSEL FUEL TRANSITION



# LIQUID HYDROGEN CARRIER



#### MARKETS FOR ALASKAN HYDROGEN BASED PRODUCTS

- JAPANESE AUTO MANUFACTURERS ARE DEMANDING GREEN STEEL
- JAPAN IS SEEKING SUPPLIES OF HYDROGEN BASED FUELS TO OFFSET FOSSIL FUEL IMPORTS
- JAPAN IS SEEKING ALTERNATIVES TO NUCLEAR ENERGY FOLLOWING FUKUSHIMA DISASTER
- MARINE SHIPPING OPERATORS ARE SEEKING TO REDUCE CARBON EMISSIONS
- INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION SETTING STANDARDS FOR REDUCED CARBON EMISSIONS.
- IMO PROHIBITING USE OF HEAVY FUEL OILS (HFO's) ON THE NORTHERN SEA ROUTE

## **ALASKA ENERGY POLICIES**

- SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT OF RENEWABLE FUELS FOR LOCAL DISTRIBUTION AND EXPORT
- PROVIDE FINANCIAL SUPPORT, ALONG WITH DOE, FOR GEOTHERMAL UPFRONT COSTS
- CONTINUED SUPPORT FOR FOSSIL FUEL PRODUCTION
- DEFEND AGAINST DISCRIMINATION TOW ARD ARCTIC PETROLEUM PRODUCTION
- SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT OF MINERALS FOR ENERGY TRANSITION (ELECTRIC VEHICLE REQUIRES ON AVERAGE 193 POUNDS OF COPPER, 3% ORE RECOVERY RATE = 6 TONS COPPER ORE PER VEHICLE)

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