

ZERO EMISSION TRUCK BRIEFING ROUNDTABLE



AGENDA

- 11:00 Welcome: Andy Salter, Freight Carbon Zero
Project introduction: James Bligh, Novuna Vehicle Solutions
Energy infrastructure and distribution: Henry Story, Exolum
Hydrogen Fuel Cell explanation: John Winterbourne, Ballard
Introducing the vehicles: Sharon van Beek, Utz Rachner, Quantron AG
Data and project outputs: Huda Dawood, Teesside University
- 11:45 Panel discussion and audience Q&A
- 12:30 Networking lunch

James Bligh

Novuna Vehicle Solutions



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Briefing Presentation

Tees Valley Hydrogen Transport Project



Novuna Vehicle Solutions provides bespoke vehicle funding and fleet management services for business vehicle leasing, specialist commercial vehicles and personal contract hire

We provide Total Asset Solutions with EV and Alternative Fuel & Charging choices for our customers across all vehicle

types:



Our Strength in Numbers



450

Vehicle Solutions
UK based staff



110,000

Vehicle fleet across the
UK (March 2024)



55%

Funded Fleet growth
2018 –2023

Our Strength in Strategy



Decarbonisation

Transform our fleet to
net zero by 2030



Customer First

Everything we do starts and
ends with our customer

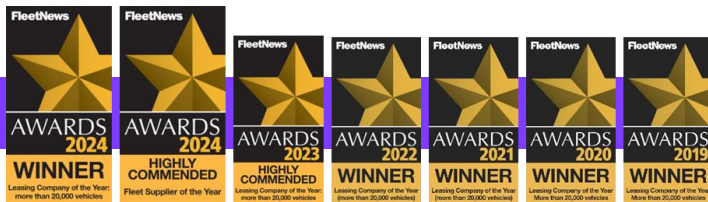


Optimise

Improving on what
we do today

Our Values: Pioneering Spirit, Sincerity, Harmony

Our Promise: To unlock the potential of individuals, businesses and society, by delivering innovative solutions and outstanding customer experiences



Decarbonisation is our number one strategy and is underpinned by our Customer First Culture

Tomorrow. Together



The Department for Transport (DfT) has confirmed that a zero emissions vehicle (ZEV) mandate, will require more than a fifth (22%) of cars and 10% of vans sold by manufacturers to be electric, will come into force next year.

Business Secretary Kemi Badenoch indicated to [the BBC](#) last week, that electric vehicle (EV) sales will be targeted from 2024 and increase each year thereafter.

Today, the transport secretary, Mark Harper, confirmed the detail around targets for manufacturers which will increase each year, requiring 80% of new cars and 70% of new vans sold in Great Britain to be zero emission by 2030, increasing to 100% by 2035.

The ZEV mandate requiring 100% of new cars and vans to be sold to be electric by 2035, comes after [the Government decided to delay the ban on the sale of new petrol and diesel cars and vans by five years, from 2030 to 2035](#).

Vehicle makers that fail to achieve the ZEV mandate sales targets will be subject to fines, with a system of proposed flexibilities and credits to support those that sell a low volume of EVs.

If a company misses the target, it will be made to pay the Government £15,000 for every car that doesn't comply. For vans, manufacturers will have to pay £9,000 per vehicle next year, before the van payment increases to _____ for the rest of the regulation's timeframe.

While the DfT has amended the trajectory originally suggested for electric van sales, it says that it still considered it appropriate to proceed with a 10% target from 2024.

The measures, say the DfT, give the wide range of manufacturers flexibility through a trading scheme, enabling them to bank compliance in years when they exceed annual targets for use in future years or trade them with other manufacturers that have fallen short. In the first-year car manufacturers can borrow for up to 75% of their annual target, falling to 25% in 2026, to support them in the early stages.

| Annual car targets | | | | | | |
|--------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 2024:22% | 2025:28% | 2026:33% | 2027:38% | 2028:52% | 2029:66% | 2030:80% |
| Annual van targets | | | | | | |
| 2024:10% | 2025:16% | 2026:24% | 2027:34% | 2028:46% | 2029:58% | 2030:70% |

Why Teesside

Teesside is a major UK hydrogen development area and the leading green hydrogen zone in the UK. This comes after the UK Government announced its multi million investment in Teesside to develop Tees Valley as the UK's first ever hydrogen transport hub

Teesside will play a big part in UK Government's meeting net zero targets through developing a Green Hydrogen Hub for Teesside. This project will provide Teesside with clean, green energy, as well as ensuring Teesside remains a historic Powerhouse. It will also create opportunities for the local community and enrich the area Teesside's energy transition is a leading example for other carbon intense regions to follow, as the green cluster is allowing various industries to decarbonise, especially hard to abate sectors such as transport.



Tees Valley University Net Zero Innovation Centre



Teesside





HYVE Consortium



UK Government funding competition in the form of a Grant to help fund and operate Hydrogen vehicles in the Tees Valley area

Criteria

Demonstrate submitted and planned hydrogen transport solutions by 31 March 2025 for a minimum of 6 months with the expectation of continuing operations commercially after this period.

Be part of the project to supply and track FCEV vehicle performance against stated metrics to understand benefits or challenges for the benefit of other UK regions.

Report on the benefits of operating Hydrogen vehicles and refuelling infrastructure for, customers and residents in the Tees Valley area.

Develop plans for long-term activities to create a demand for hydrogen vehicles in the Tees Valley from 2025.



Infrastructure Hydrogen Fuel Station



Project Monitoring Evaluation Insight



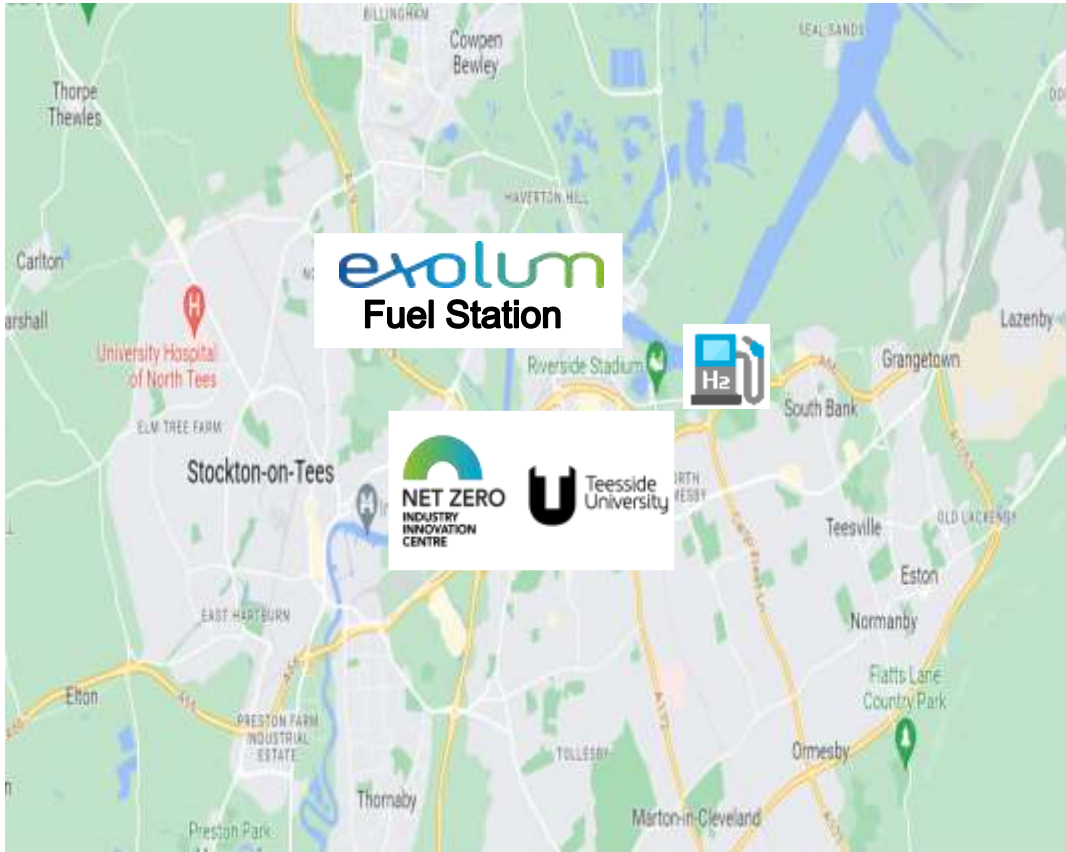
FCEV Vehicle Leasing Company



FCEV Vehicle Manufacturer

Note:- FCEV = Fuel Cell Electric Vehicle

Teesside New Hydrogen Fuel Station Location



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Quantron will Build - Total up to 20 FCEV Vehicles



4.2t Distribution



7.2t & 19t Infrastructure



7.2t & 19t Distribution



19t Refrigerated

✓ Working with Quantron & the Customer - Design and Build Vehicle Specification
GVW - Chassis - Bodywork - Ancillary - Payload - Range

✓ Comprehensive TCO price modelling - Lease with Maintenance Pricing

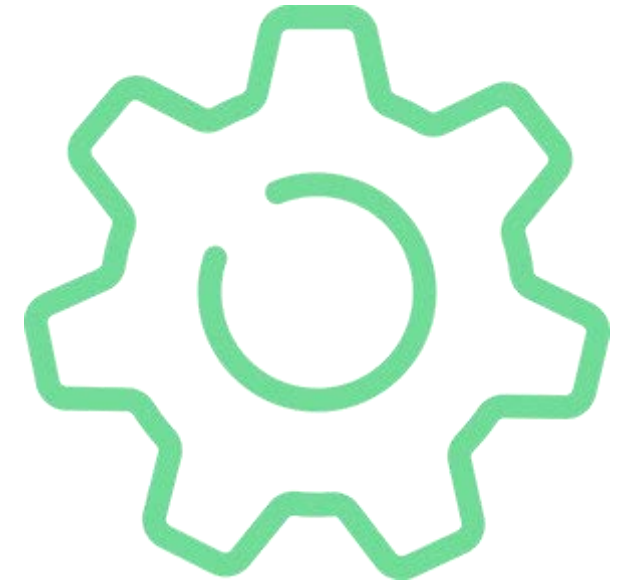
✓ Build Management - Vehicle Delivery & Driver Training Programme

✓ Project & Customer Implementation Planning

✓ Fleet & Maintenance Management - Supply Chain Management

✓ Account Management Framework - Review Meetings - KPI'S - Insight

✓ Working with ERM & Teesside University Evaluate Vehicle Insight
Real life operating conditions - Learnings - Benefits - Challenges etc.



Henry Story

Exolum



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Tees Valley (HYVE) Introduction

Exolum has a large presence in the UK energy sector

Exolum operates critical infrastructure that transports and stores refined products and chemicals

Overview of Exolum's Operations

- Exolum is the leading supplier of bulk product logistics in the UK
- Owns and operates significant infrastructure across the country:
 - 2,000 km of pipelines
 - 24 storage terminals
 - 2,500,000 m³ of storage capacity
- Handles the following products:
 - Liquid Fuels
 - Gases
 - Chemicals
 - Potable Alcohols and Ethanol
 - Waste products
- Over 600 members of staff around the country



H2Henares – Exolum's hydrogen refuelling station (HRS) in Spain

Exolum will leverage its real-world experience in future deployments of hydrogen production and HRS

Objectives

- Construction and operation of the first on-site green H₂ generation and refuelling plant in Madrid
- Promotion of H₂ for heavy road transportation
- Co-located HRS with production plant (applying Fusion Fuel technology)

Description

- 60,000 kg of green H₂ per year
- Hydrogen dispensed at 99.999% purity and 350 bar
- Supplying 8 vehicles per day
- Vehicle refuelling takes c. 8 minutes
- Road cars and buses are being refuelled at the station



Madrid



2021

Model definition completed

2022-2023

Execution and construction

2023

In operation



Design Permitting Execution Operation

exolum

utilising technology of FUSION-FUEL™

Tees Valley HYVE (Hydrogen Vehicle Ecosystem)

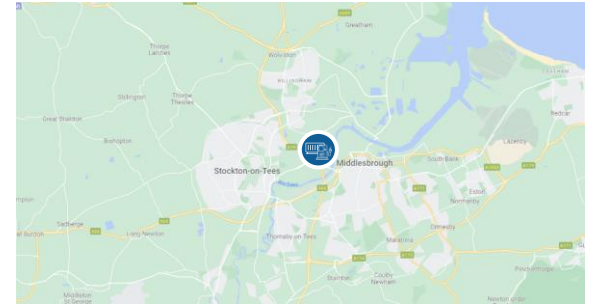
Deployment of a H₂ production facility and refuelling station (HRS) in Teesside, coordinated with the deployment of vehicles

Objectives

- Development of a hydrogen vehicle ecosystem, with HRS supplying a fleet of vehicles across the valley
- Achieve UK Government support for hydrogen mobility roll-out
- First UK HRS “Hub and Spoke” model deployment
 - Centralised green H₂ production at Exolum’s Riverside terminal (Hub) supplying an HRS (Spoke)
 - Allows for fast scaling of HRS infra

Description

- Centralised green H₂ production hub at Riverside
- H₂ refuelling station strategically located near Middlesbrough town centre and major roads
- Deployment coordinated alongside 25 H₂ vehicles



Q4 2022 – Q3 2023

Grant process

Q4 2023-Q2 2024

Engineering design

2024

Execution and construction

2025

In operation

 Tees Valley



 Design Permitting Execution Operation

H₂ refuelling infrastructure



Project in collaboration with vehicle OEMs:





Exolum's project will secure significant benefits for hydrogen customers

Customers will progress with their environmental targets whilst securing commercial and operational benefits

Customer Benefits

-  **Zero CO2 Emissions**
Exolum will produce green hydrogen using renewable electricity
-  **Experienced Partner**
Exolum has had success delivering and operating similar infrastructure in Spain
-  **Central role in the hydrogen economy**
This project will act as a catalyst for growth and jobs in the Tees Valley
-  **Potential for National Expansion**
Exolum is developing similar projects across the UK to build a national network of stations
-  **Stable Price**
Exolum will use a recognised price index over the length of the agreement, avoiding diesel volatility
-  **End-to-End Solution**
Exolum will be responsible for the hydrogen production and distribution, reducing counterparty risk
-  **Long Term Supply Security**
A long term supply agreement will ensure a secure supply of hydrogen over the course of a vehicle's life
-  **Capacity for Growth**
Exolum's facility will have the capacity to supply additional hydrogen vehicles as the market grows

John Winterbourne

Ballard



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Fuel Cell Technology: Ballard's vision for zero emission trucks

2024



Ballard by the numbers

45
YEARS



>1,100
employees



1,400
patents &
applications



publicly listed company



2030
commitment to
carbon neutrality



>1,500
transit buses



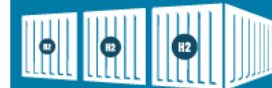
>2,300
trucks



10 TRAIN
projects



10 SHIPS
in development



>10 MW
of stationary
power projects



1 GW
fuel cell products
delivered*



>6.3 MILLION
MEAs
produced*



>200 MILLION
kilometers in
operation*



1.6 GW
production capacity

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**PRODUCTION
SITES**
global footprint

*compiled from 2015

The future of freight transport will be electric

- An electric powertrain is the efficient, quiet, zero-emission energy alternative to polluting diesel engines
- Electricity for the electric drive can be supplied from batteries or from an on-board fuel cell power generator or a combination of both – a hybrid architecture



A hydrogen truck
is an electric
truck



Zero emissions

High efficiency

Electric Drive

Low Noise

Low initial infrastructure costs

Lower-cost maintenance

Higher powertrain efficiency



Low infrastructure
costs at scale

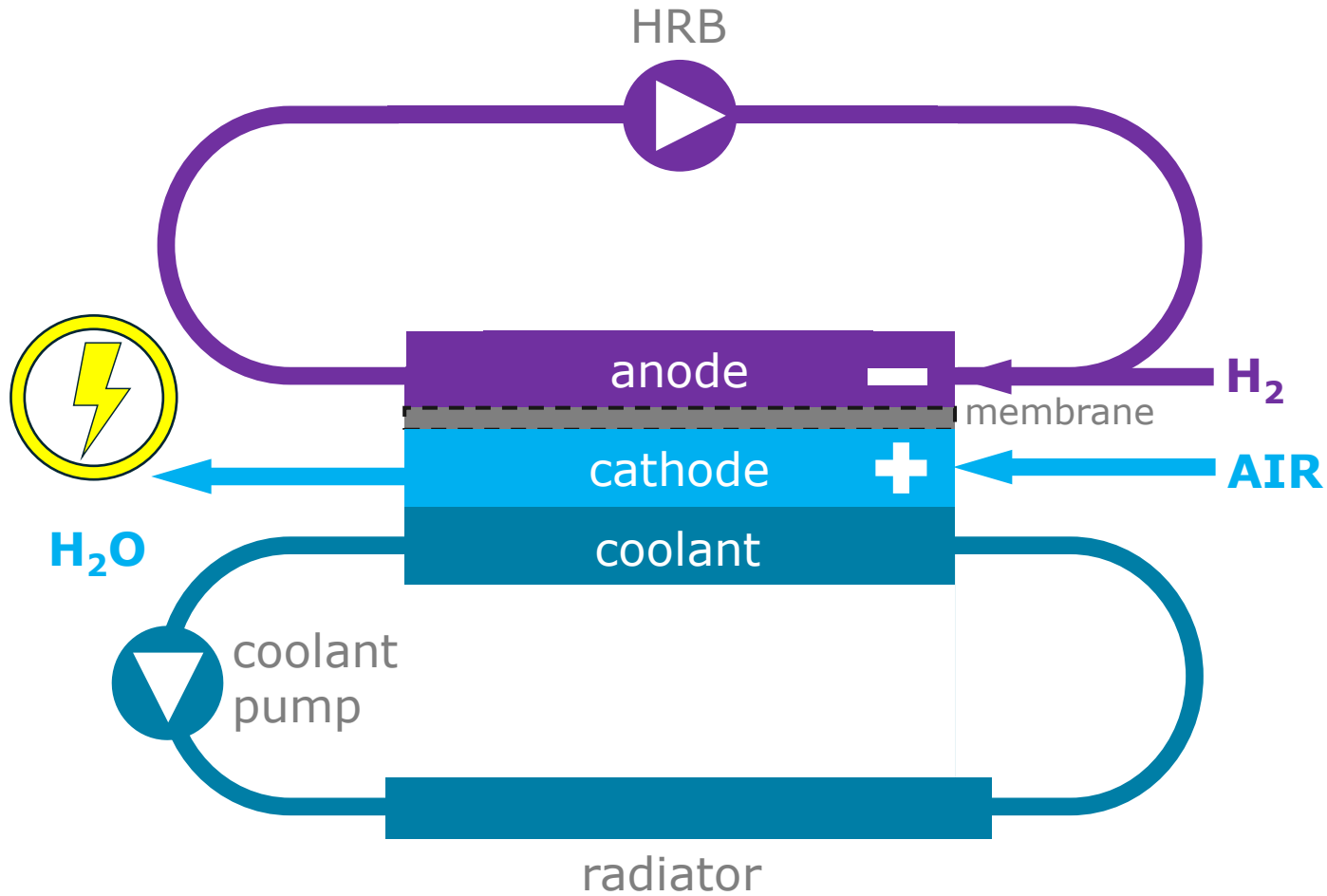
Fast refueling

Larger cargo capacity

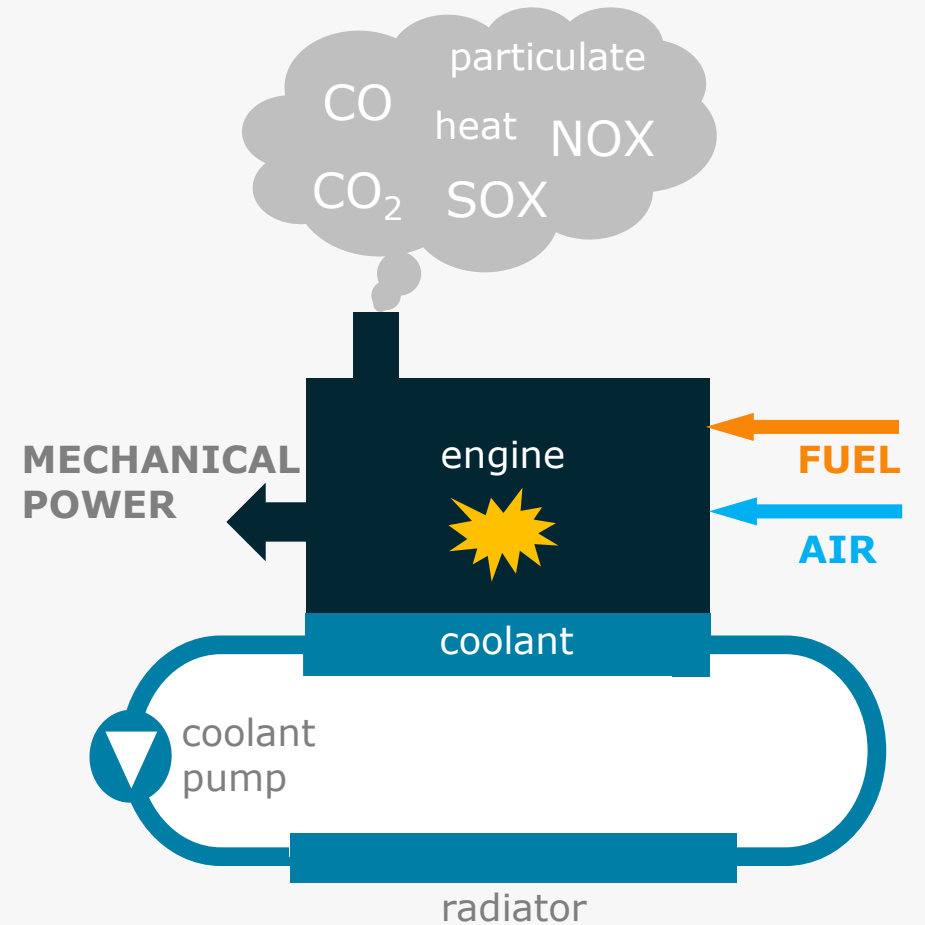
Long range

Extreme weather
tolerance

How a fuel cell works



COMBUSTION TECHNOLOGY



Fuel cell systems powering multi-modal transport

Shipping



- 1.2MW fuel cell power demand
- FC-battery hybrid
- Payload 200 TEU

Rail



- 1.2MW+ fuel cell power demand
- FC-battery hybrid

Road



- 240kW fuel cell power
- Up to 1500 km range
- FC-battery hybrid
- 19-65t truck

Warehousing



- Over 10 000 fuel cell stacks in operation
- Over 107 million hours run-time

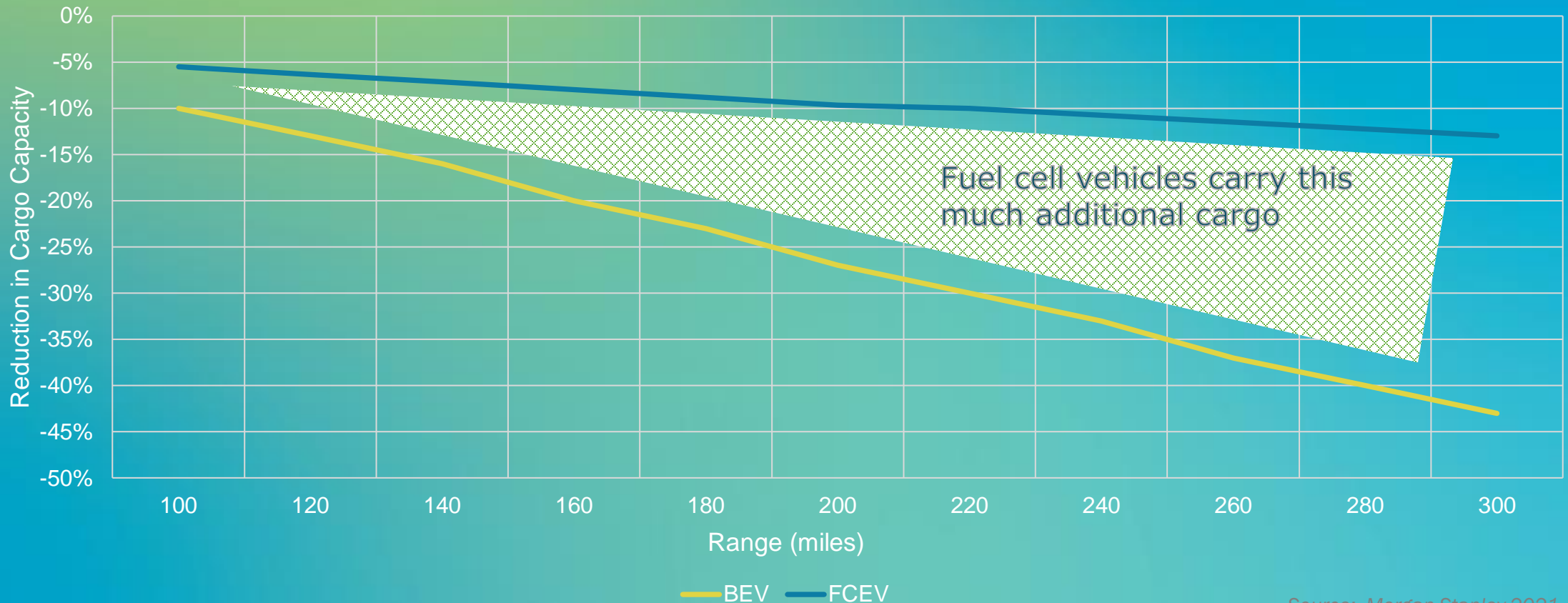
Last mile



- 45kW fuel cell power demand
- 450 km / 15 min fueling
- 4.2-7.2t GVW

FCEVs offer a 30%+ cargo capacity advantage over battery electric vehicles at a 300 mile (480km) range

Change in Cargo Weight Capacity
Battery Electric and Fuel Cell Electric Trucks



Fuel cell vehicles carry this much additional cargo

Hydrogen safety

Risk Assessment of Hydrogen Fuel Cell Electric Vehicles in Tunnels (Equivalent to a ship)

Brian D. Ehrhart • Dusty M. Brooks • Alice B. Muna • Chris B. LaFleur



Photo 2 - Time 0 min, 3 seconds - Ignition of both fuels occur. Hydrogen flow rate 2100 SCFM. Gasoline flow rate 680 cc/min.



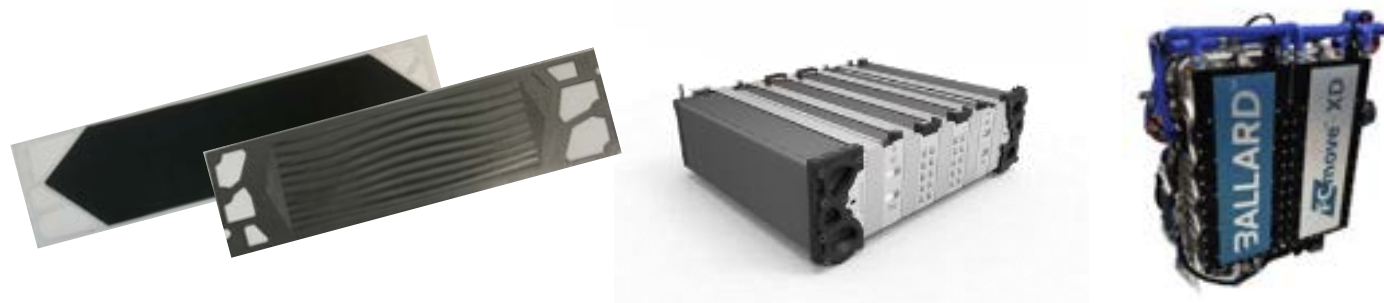
Photo 3 - Time: 1 min, 0 sec - Hydrogen flow is subsiding, view of gasoline vehicle begins to enlarge

**Temp. Increase
Inside Passenger
Compartment
is just 3° C**

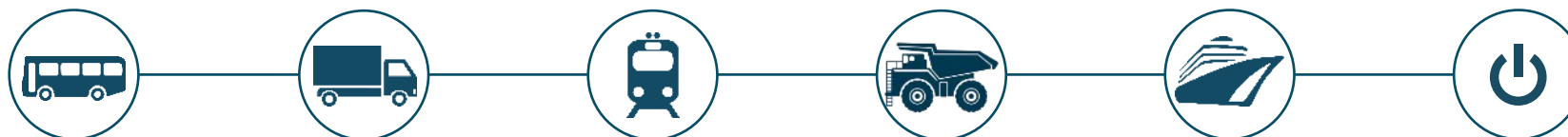
NO thermal runaways with Hydrogen

Ballard's business model

Fuel cell **MEAs, bipolar plates, stacks & modules**



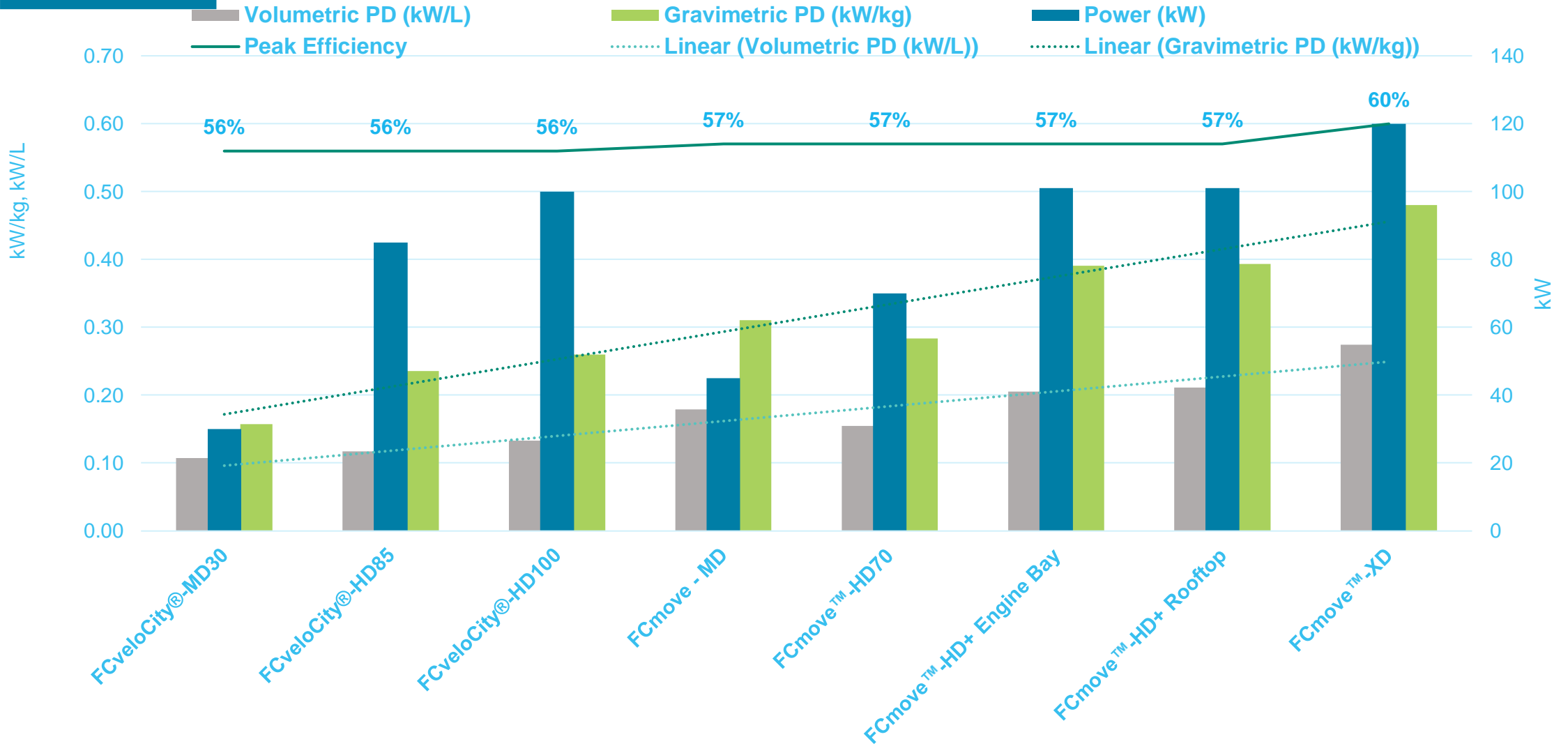
Six medium & heavy-duty end application focus sectors:
bus, truck, rail, offroad, marine, stationary



Primary markets in **Europe, North America & China**

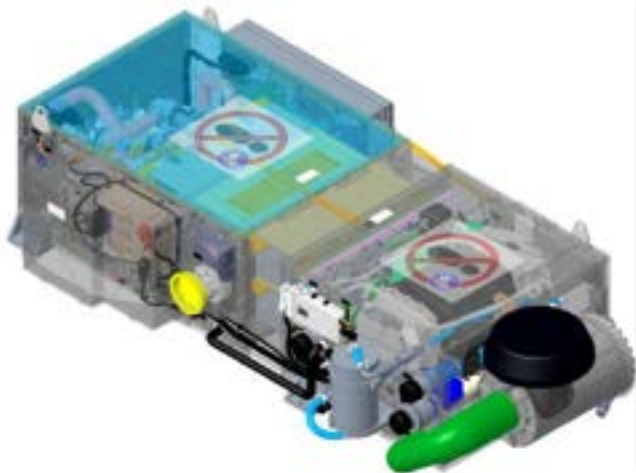


Ballard Module Progression



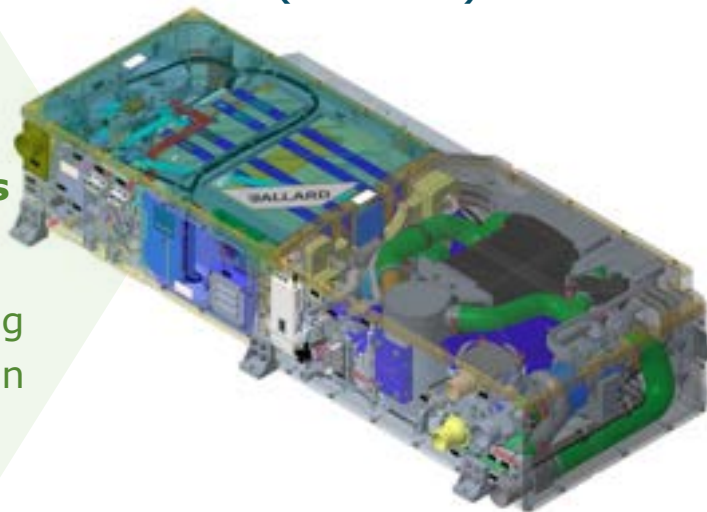
Balance of Plant & Design Driven Cost Reduction

2019
FCmove-HD
(70kW)



**~35%
fewer parts**
Significant
manufacturing
time reduction

2021
FCmove-HD+
(100kW)



**~20%
fewer parts**
**~50% assembly
time reduction**

2023
FCmove-XD
(120kW)



Driving down cost by **simplifying system design, reducing part count & joint supplier component development**

Our new solution for the MD & HD truck market

Ballard's new products will enable our partners to put fuel cell trucks on the roads by 2023

Ballard's FCmove-XD module is specifically designed for the medium and heavy duty commercial vehicles



- **120 kW fuel cell module with latest stack technology**
- Engine bay configuration
- Modular design (120kW - 240kW)
- **A product commercially available in 2024**

To ensure sustainability is considered over the entire lifecycle of our products

At Ballard we:

Design our product to minimize carbon footprint

Refurbish fuel cell stacks at the end of life

Re-use graphite bipolar plates

Reclaim 95% of the platinum

We are committed to be carbon neutral by 2030



>95%

Precious metals are reclaimed during recycling



Cost savings for the customers as a result of refurbishing

The Ballard logo is a white stylized 'B' followed by the word 'BALLARD' in a bold, sans-serif font, with a trademark symbol (TM) to the right. It is set against a solid teal background.

BALLARD™

Here for life™

Thank you

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Sustainability becomes Reality Zero Emission Solutions for a better Future



QUANTRON



Empower the Future



Corporate journey



55 Vehicles delivered
1.3 mio. km Overall mileage
97.6% Overall vehicle availability
516 t CO₂ emissions avoided

Early customer success



Growth to 115+ employees



Launch USA Business



Delivery of first electric truck in KSA



Further global expansion continues



Building strong brand identity



World premiers at IAA 2022



Successful A-Round



B-Round started

- Use of funds**
- Product scaling
 - Gen 1.5 development
 - PoC H₂ Infrastructure
 - PoC Platform
 - PoC QaaS Pilot Customers

Founded in 2019

2020/21

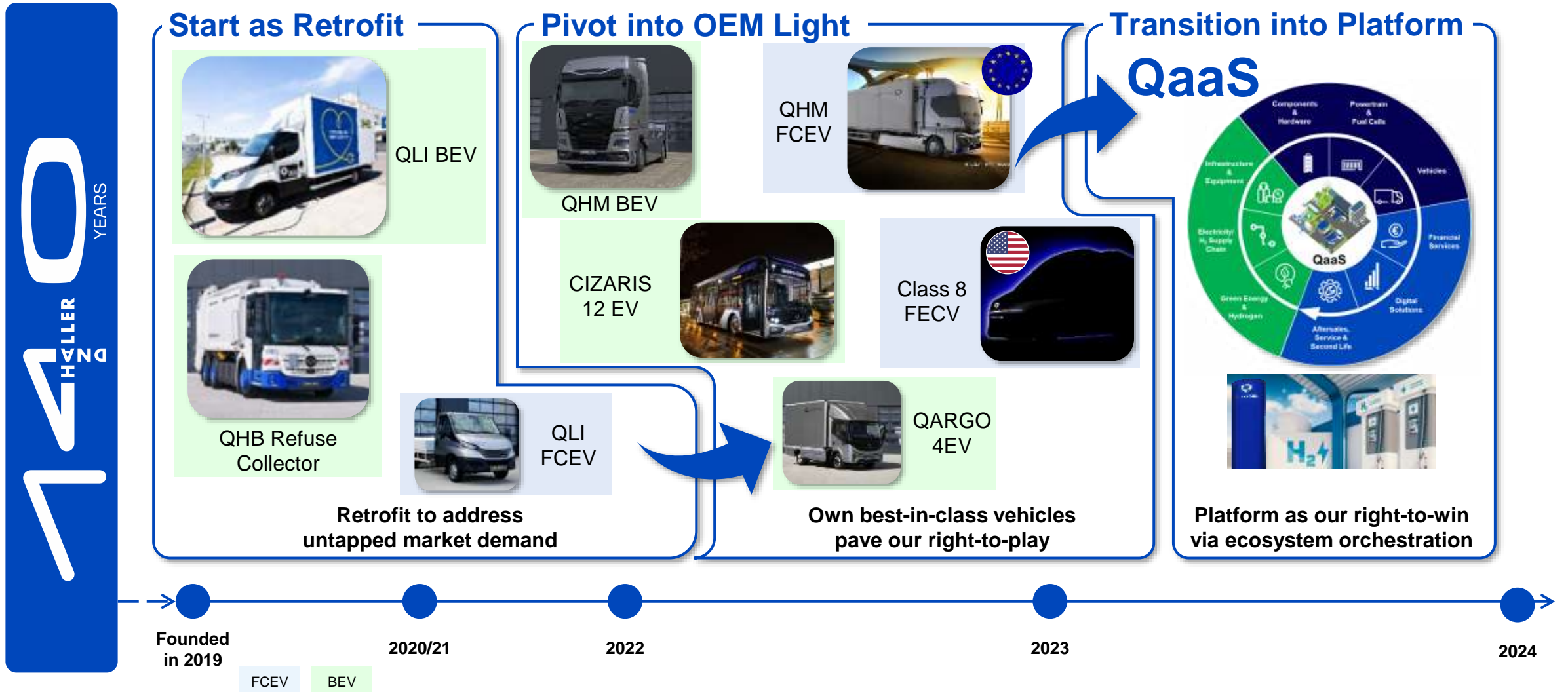
2022

2023

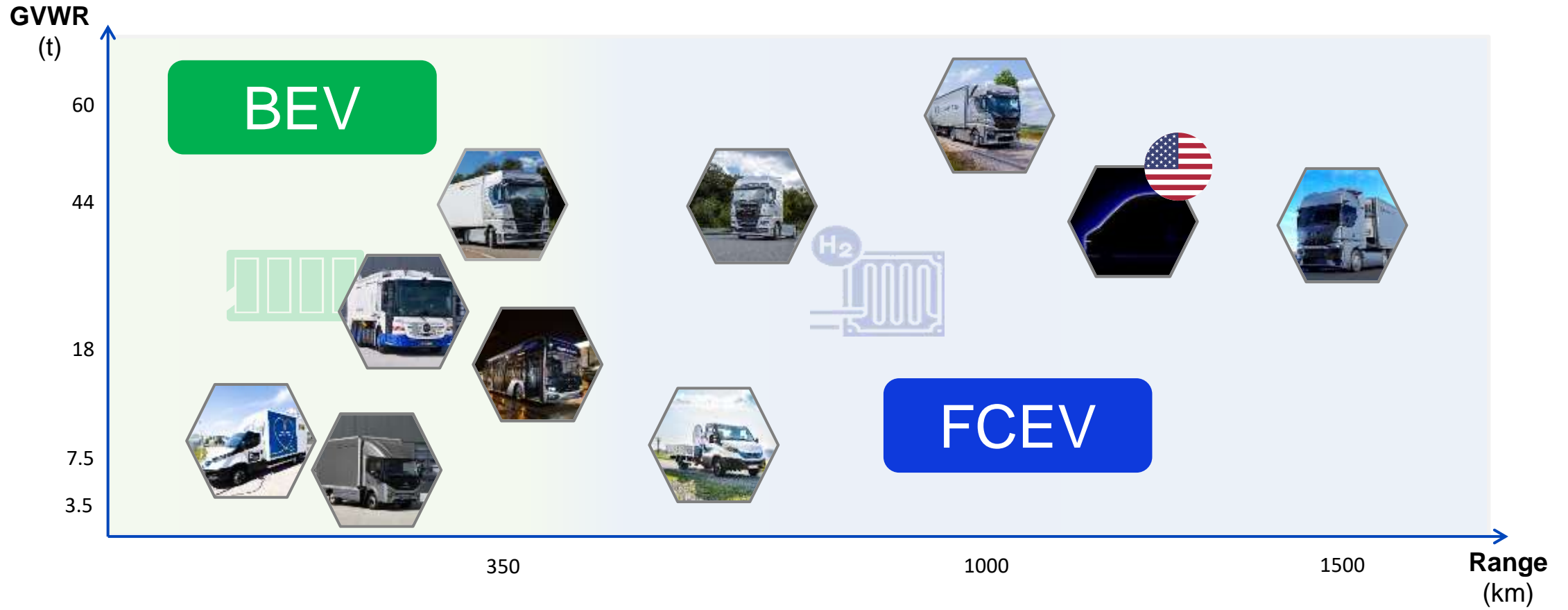
2024



Product journey



QUANTRON BEV and FCEV solutions – both technologies fulfill major needs of sustainable transportation



Product Portfolio



Quantron Zero-Emission solutions: Buses, transporters and trucks available on the road



QUANTRON QLI FCEV

A versatile vehicle with a quiet and emission-free drive, ideal for various applications like logistics or inner-city deliveries, which can be tailored to your business requirements.

ZERO EMISSION - FULL H₂ POWER

Maximum efficiency

Thanks to its wide range of superstructures the Q-Light FCEV can be used flexibly in different areas of application, e.g. in the logistics industry or as a delivery vehicle.

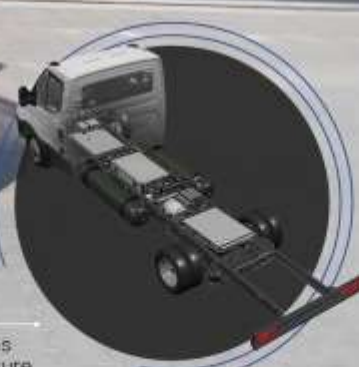


Fuel Cell

45kW FCmove-MD fuel cell from the world's leading hydrogen expert Ballard Power Systems.

FCEV truck platform

QLI with its unique „package“ – utilizes renowned international partners to ensure high-quality equipment and safe technology are integrated in all its vehicles.



Features



Zero Emission Range

up to 450 km*
BEV only mode for short distances for maximum efficiency



Fuel Cell

Powerful fuel cell with up to 45 kW



H₂ Tank volume

8,2 kg H₂



Refueling time

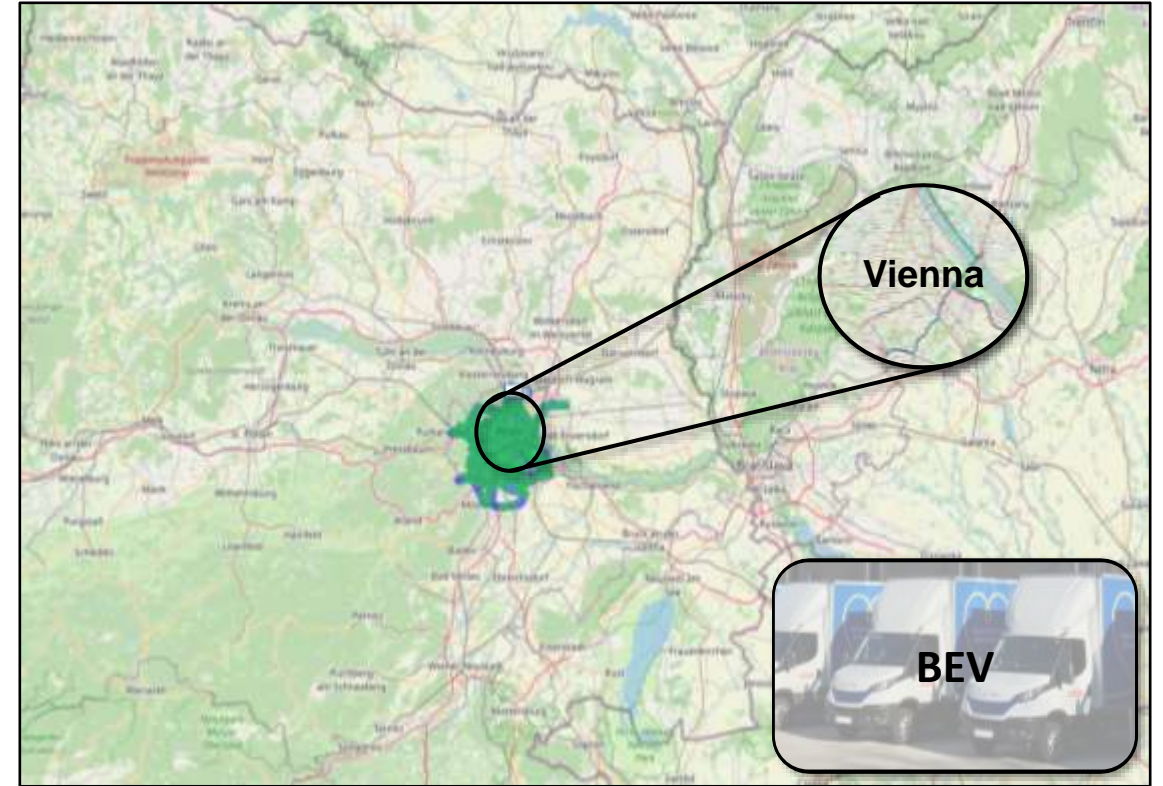
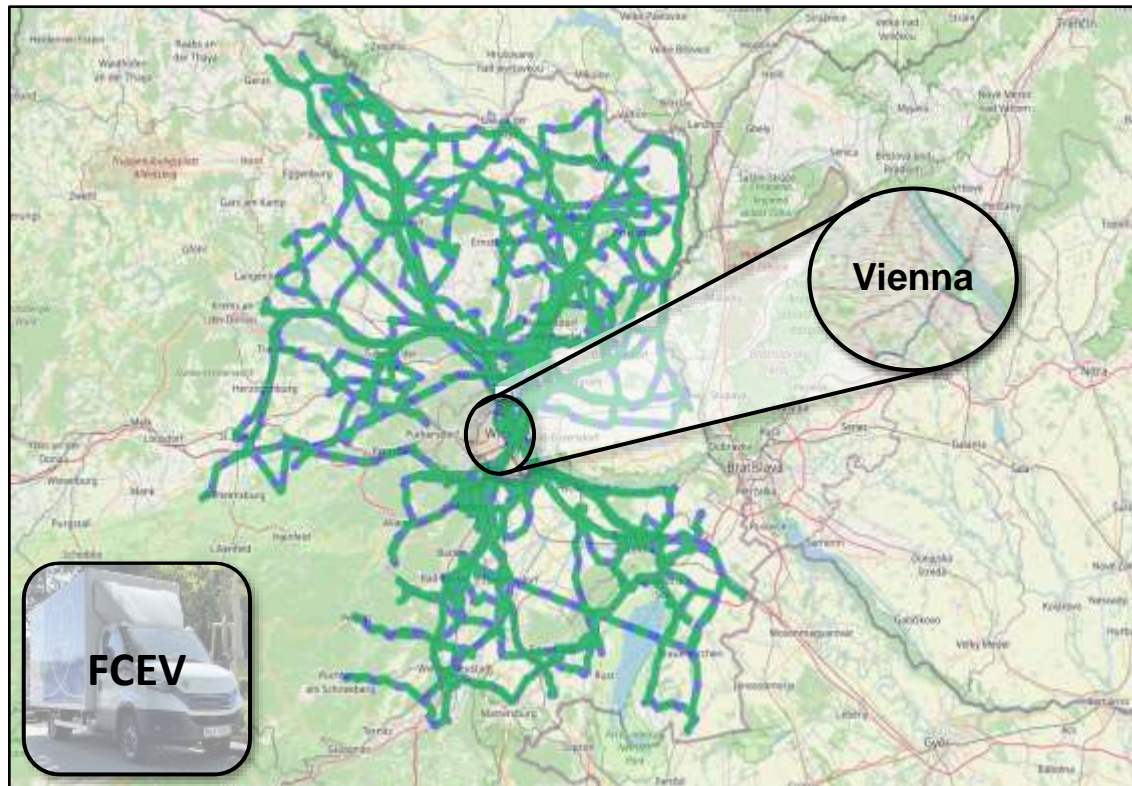
Short refueling times (similar to diesel)

*This is a preliminary simulated range.

Empower the Future

QUANTRON

A direct comparison with reality in the LCV segment makes it clear why both technologies are necessary



IKEA FCEV Fleet Austria

Since Feb '24

Key Indicators:

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Active Vehicles

22,585 km

Overall Mileage

97.6 %

Overall Vehicle
Availability

9t

CO2 emissions avoided





ZERO EMISSION - FULL H₂ POWER

H₂ Range Champion

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Maximum efficiency

Improved aerodynamics with the new design, reaching 20% drop in the drag coefficient, resulting 10% increase in the overall range!



Interior

Sustainability is not just about our zero emission vehicles, but also about our recycled textiles and sustainable materials used in the interior.



FCEV truck platform

OHM with it's unique „package“ – utilizes renowned international partners to ensure high-quality equipment and safe technology are integrated in all its vehicles.

Features

-  Zero Emission range champion 700 - 1500 km
-  ISO Trailer compatible and standard length possible
-  H₂ Tank volume 54 - 116 kg H₂ @700 bar
-  Axle config. 4x2 tractor 6x2 tractor 4x2 chassis 6x2 chassis
-  Refueling time 15 minutes

Fuel Cell

240 kW (2 x 120 kW FCmove™-XD fuel cell) from the world's leading hydrogen expert Ballard Power Systems.



QUANTRON QHM FCEV AERO



Huda Dawood

Teesside University



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TEES VALLEY HYDROGEN VEHICLE ECOSYSTEM (HYVE)

DATA OVERVIEW

Dr Huda Dawood
Associate Professor in Research, Sustainability, and Energy
Transition



OVERVIEW

01

Aim and Objectives

02

Approach

03

Performance Metrics

04

P Metrics Selections

05

Factors affecting PM

06

Data Analysis &
Modelling



AIM

Evaluation of hydrogen fuel cell electric vehicles (FCEV) in a real-world setting



OBJECTIVES

- 01 Identify the current state and evolution of the technology
- 02 Identification and selection of the Critical Performance Metrics
- 03 Analysis of the selected Performance Metrics
- 04 Compare results to baseline



Approach



PERFORMANCE METRICS



Deployment



Driving Behaviour



Durability



Fuel Cell Performance



Fuel Economy



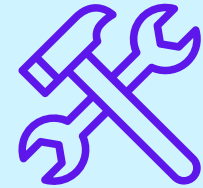
Fuelling Behaviour



Hydrogen Performance



Range



Reliability

PERFORMANCE METRICS SELECTION



Range



Fuel cell
Performance



Fuel
Economy



Fuelling
Behaviour



Hydrogen
Performance

DEPENDENT FEATURES



Day and time of measurements



Driving distance associated with each vehicle



Average speed



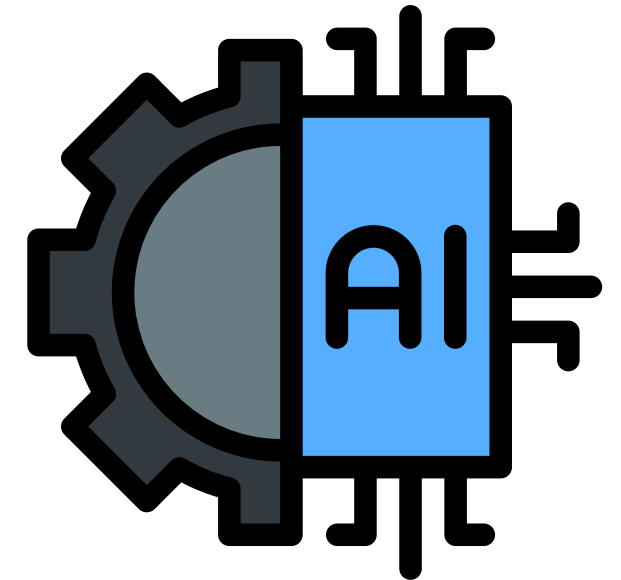
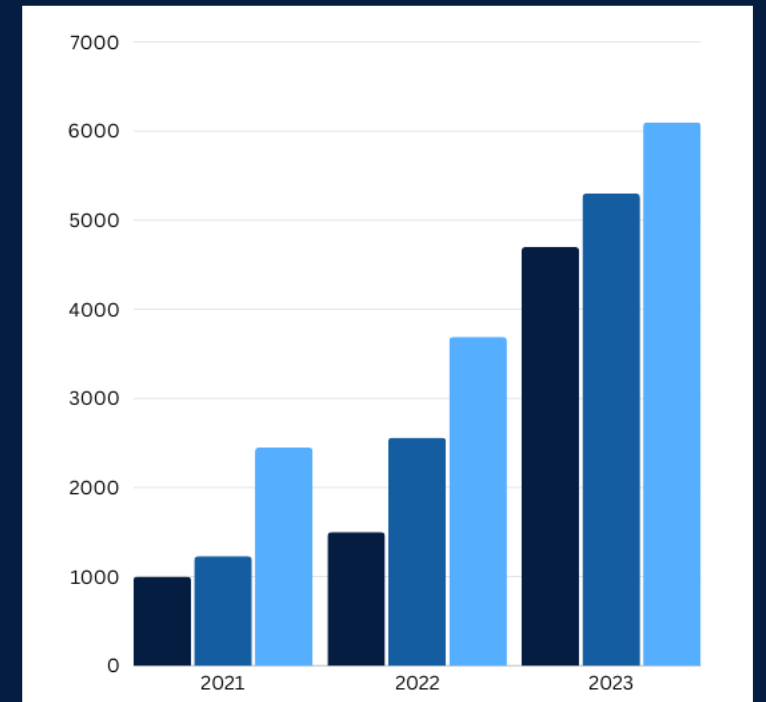
Location of the Trip (GPS Coordinates)



Temperature

Data Analysis & Modelling

- Employ statistical analysis techniques and modelling tools to process the collected data and develop predictive models
- Correlate variables with performance metrics.
- Train models using ML (e.g., neural networks, decision trees) to predict FCV performance based on input parameters.
- Validate the developed models by comparing their predictions with real-world FCV performance data.



Thank You

Any Questions?



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QUESTIONS

THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENDANCE

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