



# The Innovation and Networks Executive Agency (INEA)

CEF funding for hydrogen projects and synergies across  
sectors: INEA perspective

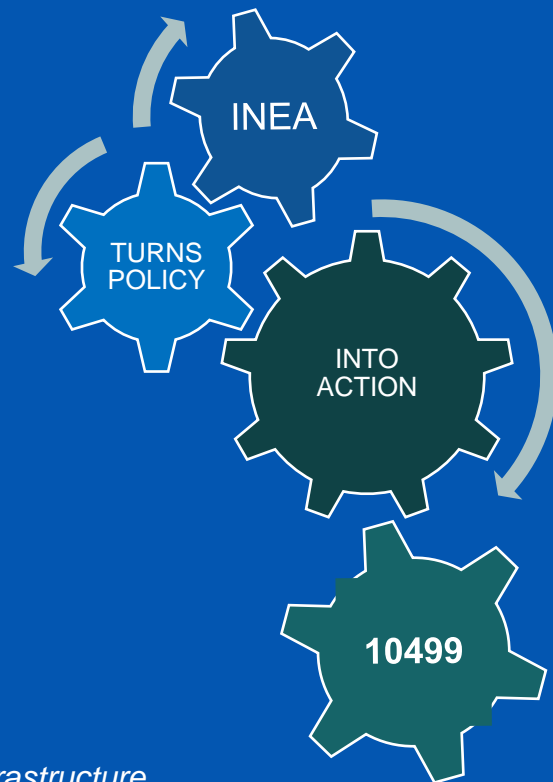
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# Outline

Hydrogen funding and synergies across sectors:

- Results from CEF
- New policy context & new MFF (CEF 2)
- Synergies

# 2014-2020 CEF portfolio (€28.3 billion)



970 CEF Transport

149 CEF Energy

571 CEF ICT DSI\*

8802 CEF ICT WiFi4EU

7 CEF Synergy Transport & Energy

\*Digital Service Infrastructure

# Hydrogen projects in CEF

## CEF Transport: Objective 2, Priority “New Technologies and Innovation”:

- 11 Actions related to hydrogen, 13 Member States, €127 million support
- 117 Hydrogen Refuelling Stations
- More than 600 Hydrogen buses and 10 hydrogen trolleys.

## CEF Synergy Call:

- TSO 2020 Action, €7 million

*“PURE H2” Action (CEF Transport)*



## Synergies with FCH JU & LIFE:

- “MEHRLIN”



*“MEHRLIN” Action*

# Hydrogen funding and synergies: new policy context

The Commission hydrogen strategy (July 2020):

- Roadmap to 2050 with ambitious targets for renewable hydrogen
- Hydrogen to be based on RES in the medium to long term
- Regulatory framework => TEN-E, TEN-T, AFI and RED II revisions
- Financial support => CEF 2 to contribute to hydrogen infrastructure

# MFF 2021-2027: CEF 2 (€ 28,722 million)

## General Objectives



Develop and modernise the trans-European networks in the fields of transport, energy and digital



Facilitate cross-border cooperation in the field of renewable energy and promote sustainable mobility



Push the decarbonisation commitments



Emphasis on synergies among sectors

# Synergies within CEF 2 and with other instruments

## Synergies across CEF sectors:

- Specific cross-sectorial work programmes and calls (highest co-funding rate of the sectors concerned)
- Projects eligible in one sector may include ancillary investments from another CEF sector, up to 20 % of total eligible costs
- CEF Energy: new window for cross-border RES

## Other instruments:

- INEA is managing Innovation Fund and will manage Horizon Europe Cluster 5: Climate, Energy and Mobility and the LIFE programme;
- INEA will become the European Climate, Infrastructure and Environment Executive Agency (CINEA)



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