

Programme Review Days 2016

Panel 2: Research activities for transport applications

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FCH JU portfolio 2008-2015: 185 projects, 638 M€



Panel 2: Research activities for transport applications





Goals stated as objectives of the <u>Council Regulation (EU) 559/2014 of 6 May 2014</u> establishing the Fuel Cells and Hydrogen 2 Joint Undertaking

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From materials research ...



... to the manufacturing of FC systems





Related FCH JU goals

Reduce fuel cell system costs for transport applications while increasing lifetime

• Reduce use of critical raw materials

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FCH JU supports all FCEV research aspects

20 projects

61 M€



From fuel cell component improvements to stack manufacturing

20 projects 61 M€

Stacks

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Core



Catalysts & MEAs

MARTCA

ARTEMIS

CATAPULT

CATHCAT

CAT

PEMICAN

Cooperation value

Cooperation amongst catalyst and MEA projects was sucessful. It will continue for stack projects.

15 projects/48 MEUR in the 2016 Programme Review



Sciences and engineering to reduce FC system costs

| No project has reached all indicators simultaneously | MEAs | FCH JU project results 2015 | Objectives 2017* | |
|--|--|--------------------------------|-------------------------|---------|
| Pt loading, g/l | Pt loading, g/kW | | < | 0.1 |
| Electrical effic | Electrical efficiency, % | | > | 55 |
| Power density | Power density (BoL), W/cm ² | | | 1 |
| Durability, h | Durability, h | | | 6,000 |
| Min./max. op | erating temperature, °C | | | -25/+95 |

*Based on AWP2014

Reduce FC system cost (targets)

- Material research < 0.1 g Pt/kW, 1 W/cm² @ 1.5 A/cm²
- Production costs < 100 €/kW @
 50,000 units per year





On-board H₂ storage - Improved performance and technology maturity

| HYDROGEN STORAGE | FCH JU project results 2015 | Obje 20 | ectives 17** | Non- European SoA |
|---|--------------------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| Hydrogen storage system cost, €/kg H ₂ | | < | 800 | 1500 |
| Volumetry capacity*, kg/l | ~ | > | 0.022 | 0.022 |
| Gravimetric capacity*, % | ~ | > | 4 | 3.8 |
| *H ₂ tank system | | | | |

**Based on AWP2014



Horizontal aspects

Dissemination and exploitation

- 200+ conference presentations
- 110+ publications
- 10+ international workshops
- 12 patent priorities
- 1 company created
- Others (videos, LinkedIn group)

Harmonisation of testing protocols with JRC



Int. Conferences / Workshops



1st Summer School and Young Researcher's Conference on Lifetime and Degradation of Fuel Cells

Training and education

- ~15 PhD and ~17 post-doc trained/recruited
- ~5 MSc students involved
- Trainings and courses



Summary

PEMFC systems supported from labs to production lines

Improved performance, robustness, cost and lifetime
 Better manufacturing, production efficiency and lower production cost

New concepts for H₂ refuelling

Novel compression and storage systems to increase HRS availability and performance

Hydrogen tanks

Reduction of costs through architectural optimisation and design of mass production processes

Thank you for your attention Lionel Boillot

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Further info :

- FCH JU : <u>http://www.fch.europa.eu/</u>
- HYDROGEN EUROPE : <u>http://hydrogeneurope.eu/</u>
- N.ERGHY : <u>http://www.nerghy.eu</u>

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