# Hydrogen Mechanism

supporting market development

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### Future of Demand Aggregation

### **3 Mechanisms**

#### **Common objectives:**

- Competitiveness
- Decarbonisation
- Security of supply

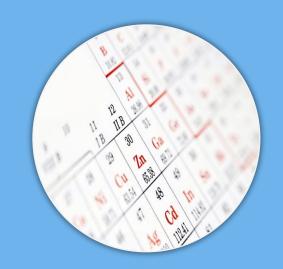
# Hydrogen & derivatives

Market development Decarbonisation Competitiveness Security of supply Strategic autonomy

Critical Raw Materials

> Competitiveness Security of supply Market development

Gases





### What will the Hydrogen Mechanism do?

### A market-based online platform empowering European companies



**Connect demand and supply** of existing and future H2 (e.g. "call for interest" round – open to all sectors)

2 Support infrastructure development (e.g. "infra. market test" round)

3 Link with financial support Display and match with relevant products



Renewable and low-carbon Hydrogen derivatives



European offtakers All suppliers



### Main milestones and next steps for the Hydrogen Mechanism





# Round types



# What do we want to achieve with the Hydrogen Mechanism?

### 4 rounds per year to achieve different objectives



### **Call for supply interests**

Any European offtaker can organise its own call for interest and receive European or global supply offers



### **Call for demand interests**

Any European and global producer can organise its own call for interest and receive demand requests from European offtakers



### Infrastructure market testing (tbd)

Any TSO/HNO can partner with the Commission to test market interest in an infrastructure asset (pipeline, terminal...)



Flexibility for additional round types and synergies with other Commission initiatives



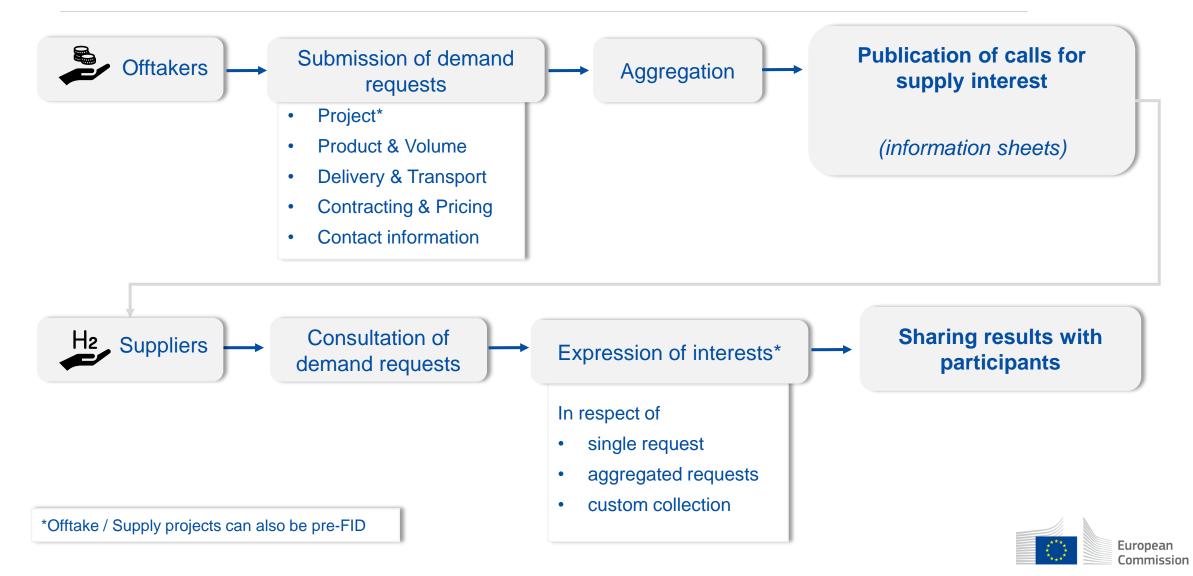
Not a marketplace - Not an exchange no direct contracts - no binding offers





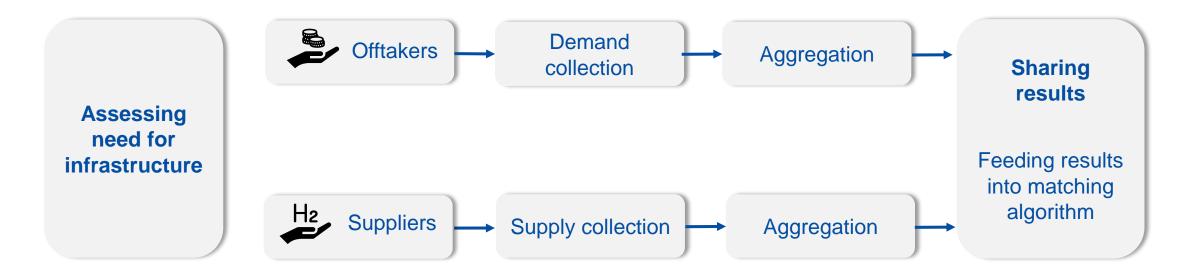
### **Connect demand and supply** of existing and future H2

Example of a call for supply interest issued by an off-taker





## **Inform** H2 infrastructure development **Support** infrastructure development (e.g. "infra. market test")



- 1. Possibility to organise infrastructure market testing in partnership with other institutions (incl. TSOs/ HNOs)
- 2. Relevance for assessment of infrastructure by Commission





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