

# **Government Perspective (Japan)**

## **– Basic Hydrogen Strategy –**

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# Mission/ Background

## ● Japan's Responsibility for Energy Transition

### ⇔ Energy trilemma

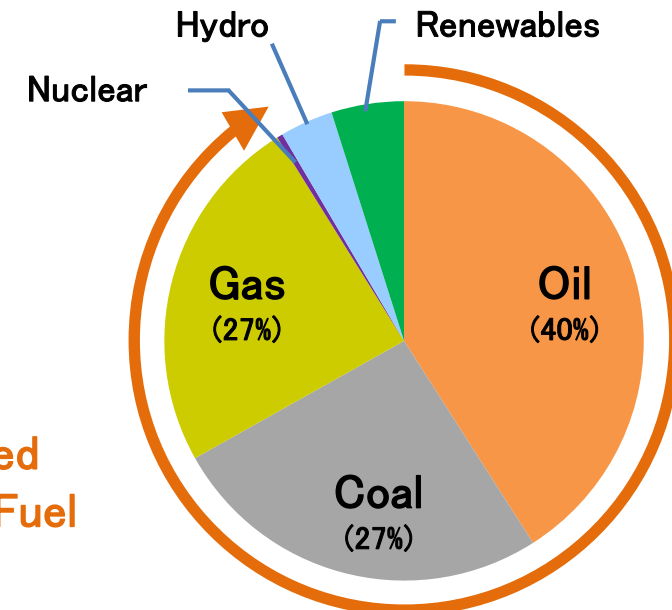
- ✓ **E**nergy security
- ✓ **E**nvironment (Sustainability)
- ✓ **E**conomic affordability (Cost)

} **3"E"** + Safety

## ● Measures;

- ✓ Energy saving
- ✓ Renewable energy
- ✓ Nuclear energy
- ✓ CCS + Fossil fuels
- ✓ **Hydrogen**

Japan's Primary Energy (FY2016)



Imported  
Fossil Fuel  
<90%

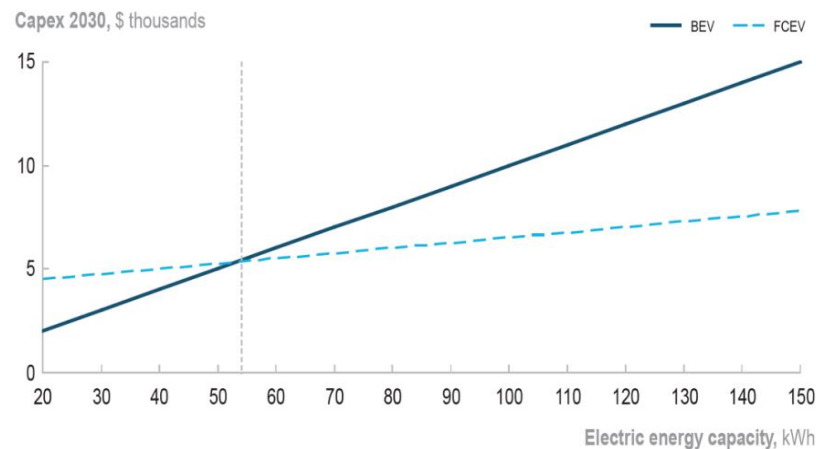
# Why Hydrogen?

## ● Contribution to 3”E”

- ✓ Contribute **de-carbonization** (**E**nvironment)
  - ✓ Mitigate **dependence on specific countries** (**E**nergy security)
  - ✓ Enable to utilize **low cost feedstock** (**E**conomic affordability)
- + Japan's edge in technology since 1970s

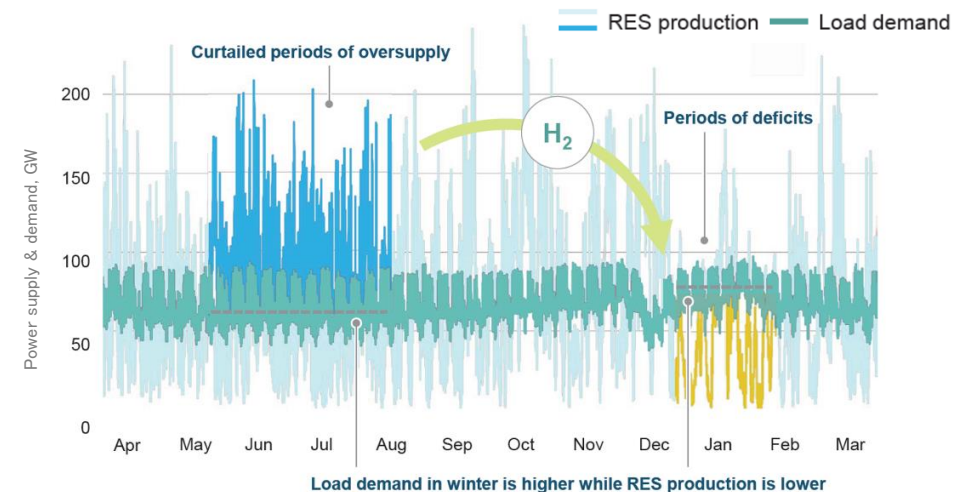
## ● Roles of H<sub>2</sub> in Electrified Mobility/ Generation Mix

### Powertrain Costs Analysis for FCEVs & BEVs



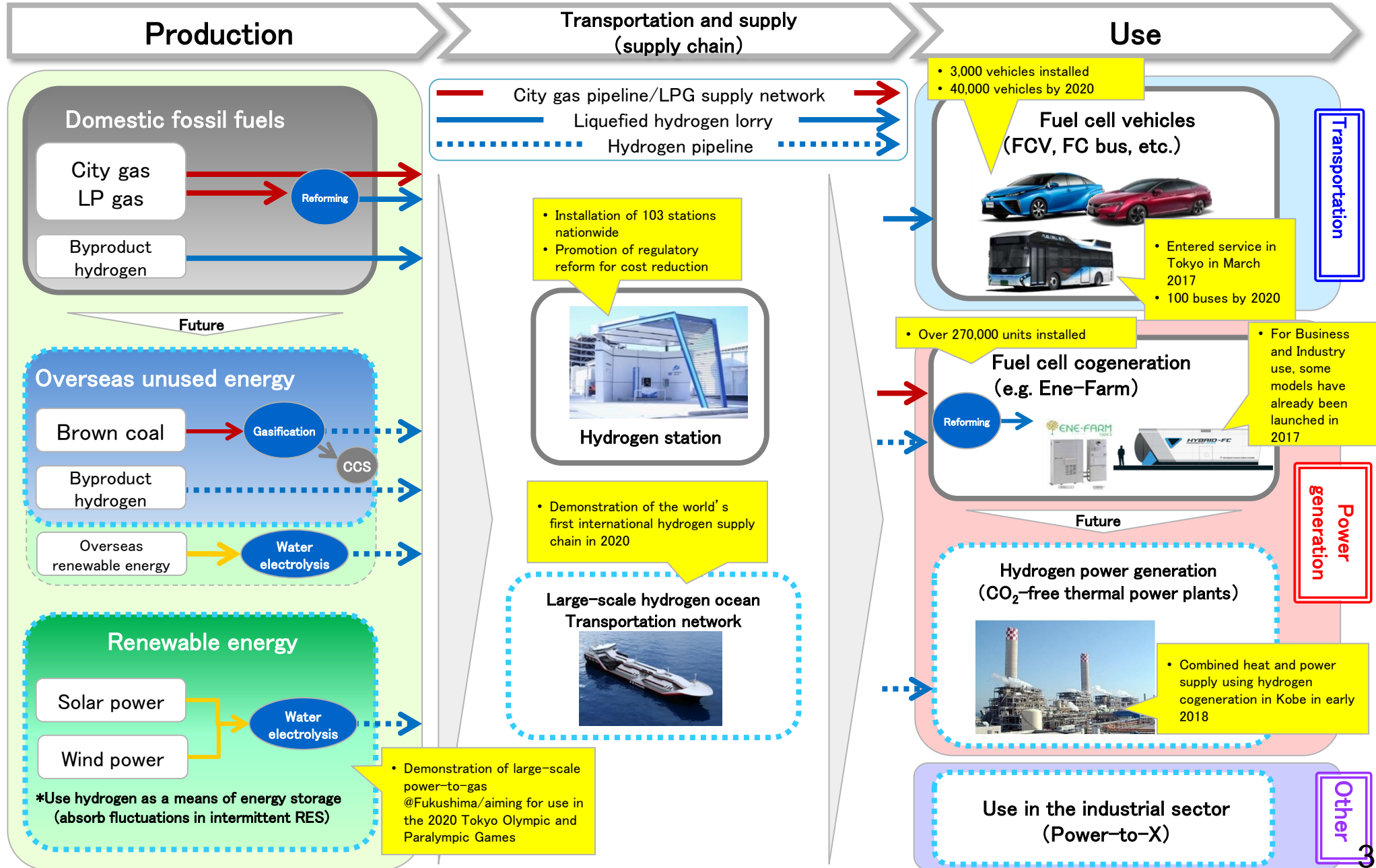
Source: “Hydrogen Scaling Up”, Hydrogen Council (2017)

### Power Supply & Demand Simulation for Germany in 2050



Source: “How Hydrogen Empowers the Energy Transition”, Hydrogen Council (2017)

# Direction of Activities to Realize a "Hydrogen Society"



# Basic Hydrogen Strategy

## ● “Basic Hydrogen Strategy” (Prime Minister Abe’s Initiative)

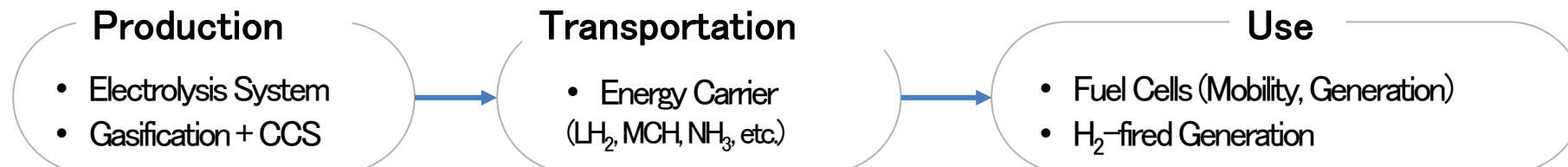
- ✓ World’s first national strategy
- ✓ 2050 Vision: position H<sub>2</sub> as a new energy option (following Renewables)
- ✓ Target: make H<sub>2</sub> affordable (\$3/kg by 2030 ⇒ \$2/kg by 2050)



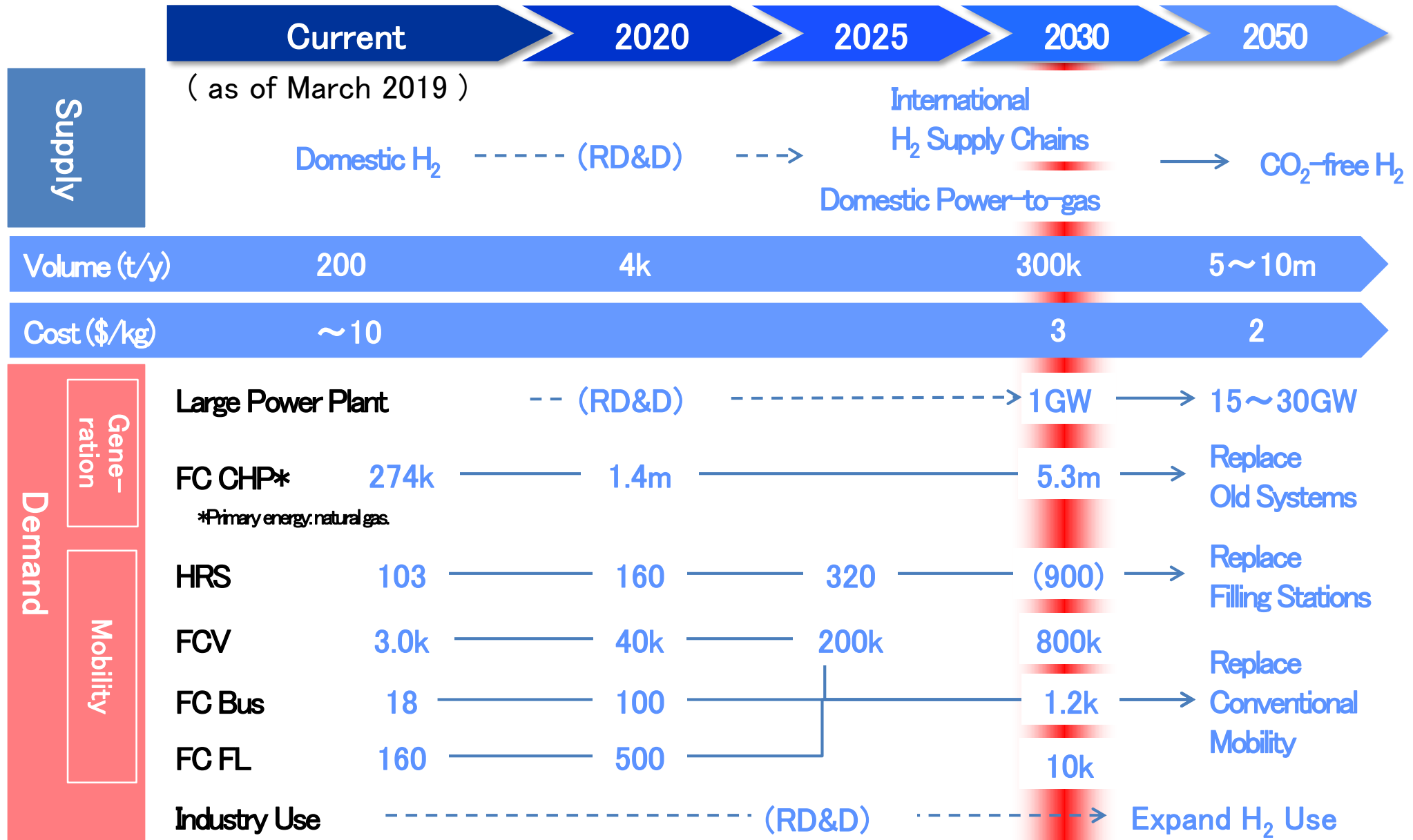
### 3 conditions for realizing affordable hydrogen

- 【Supply】 { ① **Inexpensive feedstock** (unused resources, renewables)  
                  ② **Large scale H<sub>2</sub> supply chains**
- 【Demand】 ... ③ **Mass usage** (Mobility ⇒ Power Generation ⇒ Industry)

## ● Key Technologies to be Developed



# Basic Hydrogen Strategy (Scenario)



# Summary of the Strategic Road Map for Hydrogen and Fuel Cells

- Set of new target to achieve (Spec for basic technologies and cost breakdown goals)

- ✓ Price difference between FCV and HV: ¥ 3m → ¥0.7m
- ✓ Main FCV System cost, FC : ¥20,000/kW → ¥5,000/kW,  
Storage : ¥0.7m → ¥0.3m
- ✓ HRS Construction cost: ¥350m → ¥200m
- ✓ HRS Operating cost: ¥34m/year → ¥15m/year
- ✓ HRS components cost  
Compressor: ¥90m → ¥50m  
Accumulator: ¥50m → ¥10m
- ✓ Production cost from brown coal gasification:  
several hundreds JPY/Nm<sup>3</sup> → ¥12/Nm<sup>3</sup>
- ✓ Electrolyzer Cost: ¥200,000m/kW → ¥50,000/kW

The Strategic Road Map for Hydrogen and Fuel Cells ~ Industry-academia-government action plan to realize Hydrogen Society ~ (overall)

- In order to achieve goals set in the Basic Hydrogen Strategy,
- ① **Set of new targets to achieve (Specs for basic technologies and cost breakdown goals), establish approach to achieving target**
- ② **Establish expert committee to evaluate and conduct follow-up for each field.**

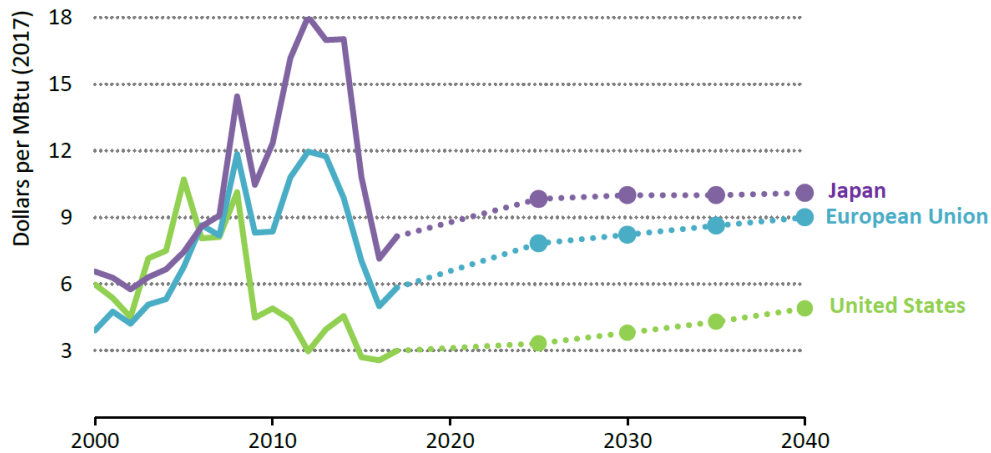
		Goals in the Basic Hydrogen Strategy	Set of targets to achieve		Approach to achieving target					
Use	Mobility	FCV 200k by 2025 800k by 2030	2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Price difference between FCV and HV (¥3m → ¥0.7m)</li> <li>● Cost of main FCV system                             <table border="0"> <tr> <td>FC</td> <td>¥20,000/kW → ¥5,000/kW</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hydrogen Storage</td> <td>¥0.7m → ¥0.3m</td> </tr> </table> </li> </ul>	FC	¥20,000/kW → ¥5,000/kW	Hydrogen Storage	¥0.7m → ¥0.3m	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Regulatory reform and developing technology</li> <li>● Consideration for creating nation wide network of HRS</li> <li>● Extending hours of operation</li> <li>● Increasing HRS for FC bus</li> </ul>	
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Bus 1,200 by 2030	Early 2020s	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Vehicle cost of FC bus (¥105m → ¥52.5m)</li> </ul>								
		※In addition, promote development of guidelines and technology development for expansion of hydrogen use in the field of FC trucks, ships and trains.								
	Power	Commercialize by 2030	2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Efficiency of hydrogen power generation (26% → 27%) ※1MW scale</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Developing of high efficiency combustor etc.</li> </ul>					
	FC	Early realization of grid parity	2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Realization of grid parity in commercial and industrial use</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Developing FC cell/stack technology</li> </ul>					
Supply	Fossil Fuel +CCS	Hydrogen Cost ¥30/Nm3 by 2030 ¥20/Nm3 in future	Early 2020s	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Production: Production cost from brown coal gasification (¥several hundred/Nm3 → ¥12/Nm3)</li> <li>● Storage/Transport : Scale-up of Liquefied hydrogen tank (thousands m<sup>3</sup> → 50,000m<sup>3</sup>) Higher efficiency of Liquefaction (13.6kWh/kg → 6kWh/kg)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Scaling-up and improving efficiency of brown coal gasifier</li> <li>● Scaling-up and improving thermal insulation properties</li> </ul>					
	Green H2	System cost of water electrolysis ¥50,000/kW in future	2030	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Cost of electrolyzer (¥200,000m/kW → ¥50,000/kW)</li> <li>● Efficiency of water electrolysis (5kWh/Nm3 → 4.3kWh/Nm3)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Demonstration in model regions for social deployment utilizing the achievement in the demonstration of Namie, Fukushima</li> <li>● Development of electrolyzer with higher efficiency and durability</li> </ul>					



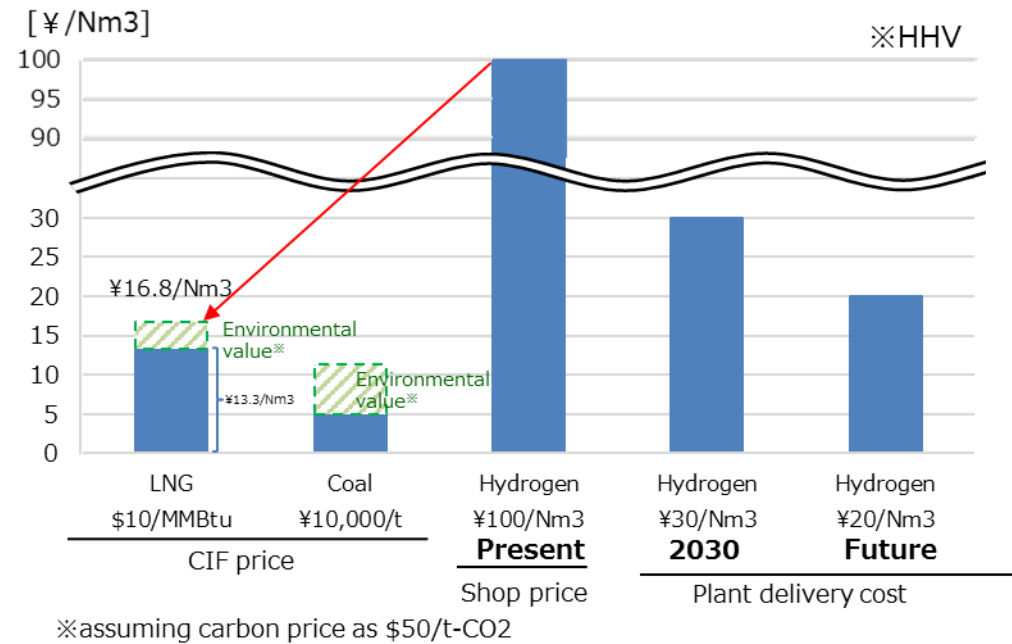
# Hydrogen Cost Targets

- In order to achieve grid parity, Hydrogen cost is needed to be lower than price of natural gas.
- Target of hydrogen importing cost in Japan has to be ¥13/Nm<sup>3</sup> in future (US\$1.3/kg, equivalent to US\$10/MMBtu).

Natural gas prices in key regions in the New Policies Scenario

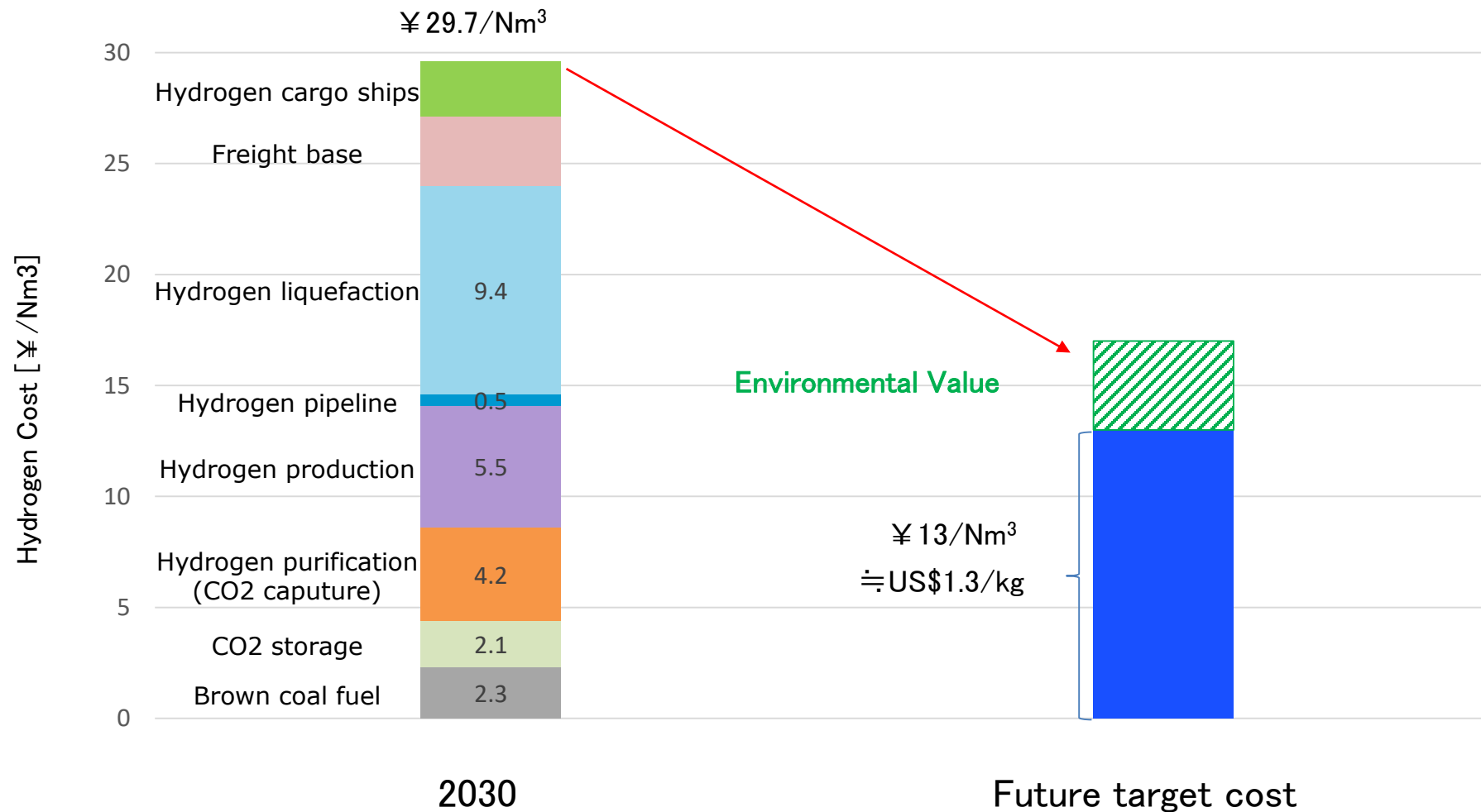


from World Energy Outlook 2018 (IEA)



# Hydrogen Cost Perspective of the Supply Chain Project

- Target cost of hydrogen supply in 2030 is ¥ 30/Nm<sup>3</sup>.
- Natural gas price is unpredictable, however further cost reduction is needed.



# Ongoing Projects (Supply-side)

## International H<sub>2</sub> Supply Chain

## Power-to-gas

### Japan-Brunai Pilot Project

### Japan-Australia Pilot Project

### Fukushima Renewable H<sub>2</sub> Project

2020~

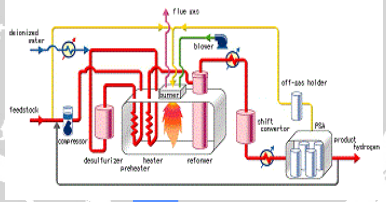
2020~

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Off-gas



Steam Methane Reforming



Hydrogenation\* (TOL→MCH)



Chemical Tanker



Dehydrogenation\* (MCH→TOL)

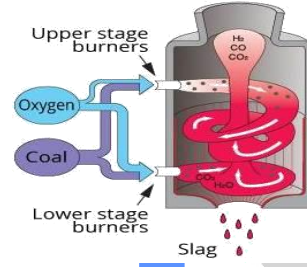


\* Image

Brown Coal + CCS



Gasification



Liquefied H<sub>2</sub> Carrier\*



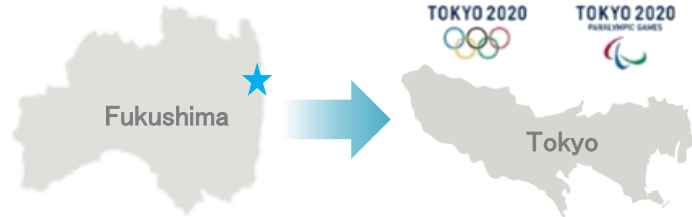
Loading Facility\*



Power-to-Gas Plant\*



Electrolysis System (Alkaline)



# Ongoing Projects (Demand-side)

## H<sub>2</sub> Mobility

### H<sub>2</sub> Station Network

2013~

\*113 Stations  
by November 2018



### H<sub>2</sub> Applications

2016~



FC Bus

× 100 in 2020



FC Truck Demo

## H<sub>2</sub> Power Generation

### H<sub>2</sub> Co-generation Demonstration Project



Hydrogen Gas Turbine (1MW class)

2018~



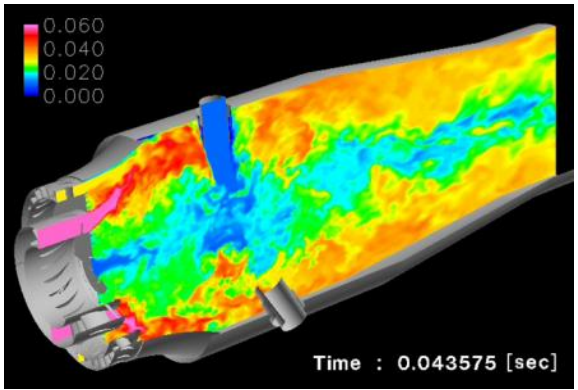
### Joint Venture for H<sub>2</sub> Infrastructure Development

2018~

### R&D of H<sub>2</sub> Burner Systems



For Power Generation <500MW



Burning Simulation (H<sub>2</sub> + CH<sub>4</sub>)

# G20 Ministerial Meeting on Energy Transitions and Global Environment for Sustainable Growth

- Date: June 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019
- Venue: Karuizawa, Japan
- Expected outcome :
  - ✓ Communique
  - ✓ Action Plan

## ● Hydrogen

- ✓ The importance of hydrogen will be referred in the Communique and Action Plan.
  - \* It will be the **first time** to be mentioned on hydrogen in G20 Ministerial Communique.
- ✓ Hydrogen Report will be released at G20 by IEA
- ✓ One of the main themes of G20 Exhibition in Karuizawa is Hydrogen.
- ✓ Over FCVs are used for transportation of Ministers in the venue
- ✓ Presentation and input about hydrogen by Hydrogen Council



- Date / Place: October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018 / Dai-ichi Hotel Tokyo
- Organized by: METI , New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization (NEDO)
- Participants: 300 people including representatives from 21 countries, regions, international organizations, etc.\*

\*Japan, Australia, Austria, Brunei, Canada, China, France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Qatar, South Africa, Korea, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom, United States, European Commission, IEA  
Participants:

## PROGRAM

### ● Ministerial Session

### ● Industry and International Organization Session

- Plenary Session: Potential of Hydrogen Energy for Energy Transition
- Session 1: Expansion of Hydrogen Use – Mobility & H2 Infrastructure –
- Session 2: Upstream & Global Supply-chain for Global Hydrogen utilization
- Session 3: Renewable Energy Integration & Sectoral Integration

## Tokyo Statement

We share the view that hydrogen can be a key contributor to the energy transitions underway to clean energy future and an important component of a broad-based, secure, and efficient energy portfolio. Also, we confirmed the value of collaborating on the following four agendas on “Tokyo Statement” to achieve a “Hydrogen Society” .

- ◆ Harmonization of Regulation, Codes and Standards
- ◆ International Joint R&D emphasizing Safety

- ◆ Study and Evaluate Hydrogen’s Potential
- ◆ Communication, Education and Outreach

\*Hydrogen Energy Ministerial Meeting 2019 is scheduled for September 25<sup>th</sup> in Tokyo. (tentative)

