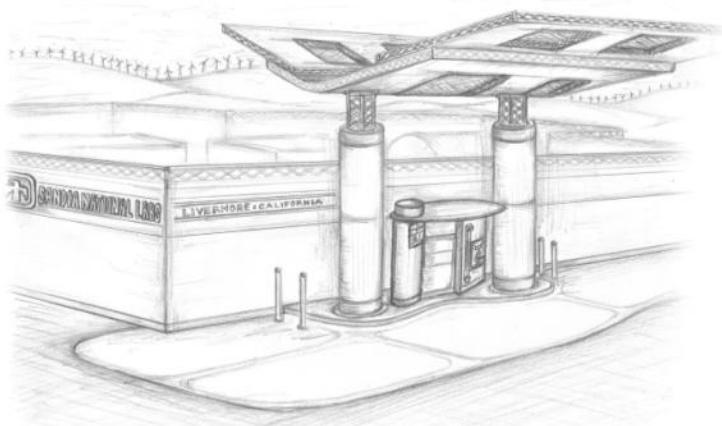


Considerations for an Industrial Gas Company to become a Partner in CIRI



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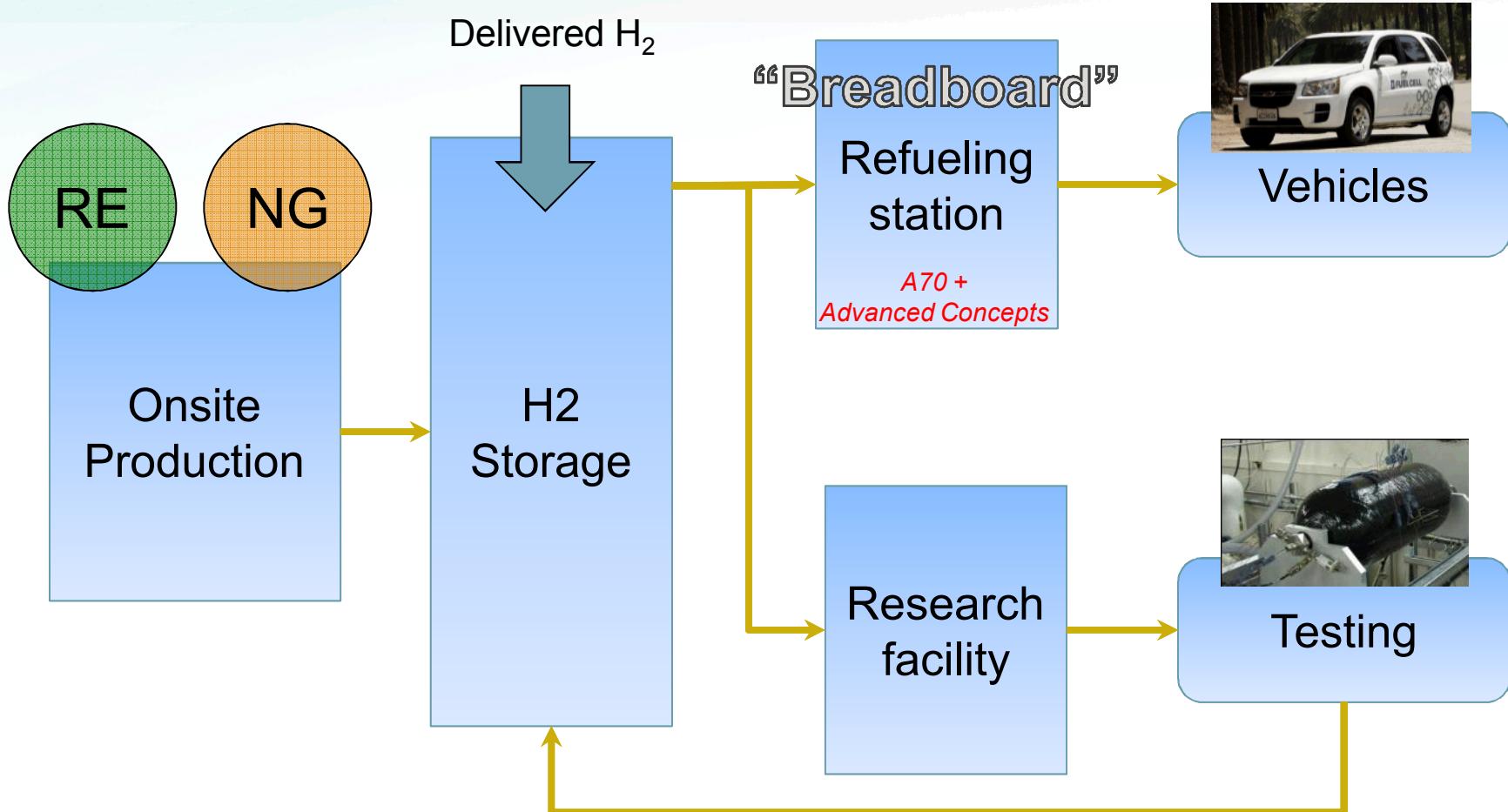


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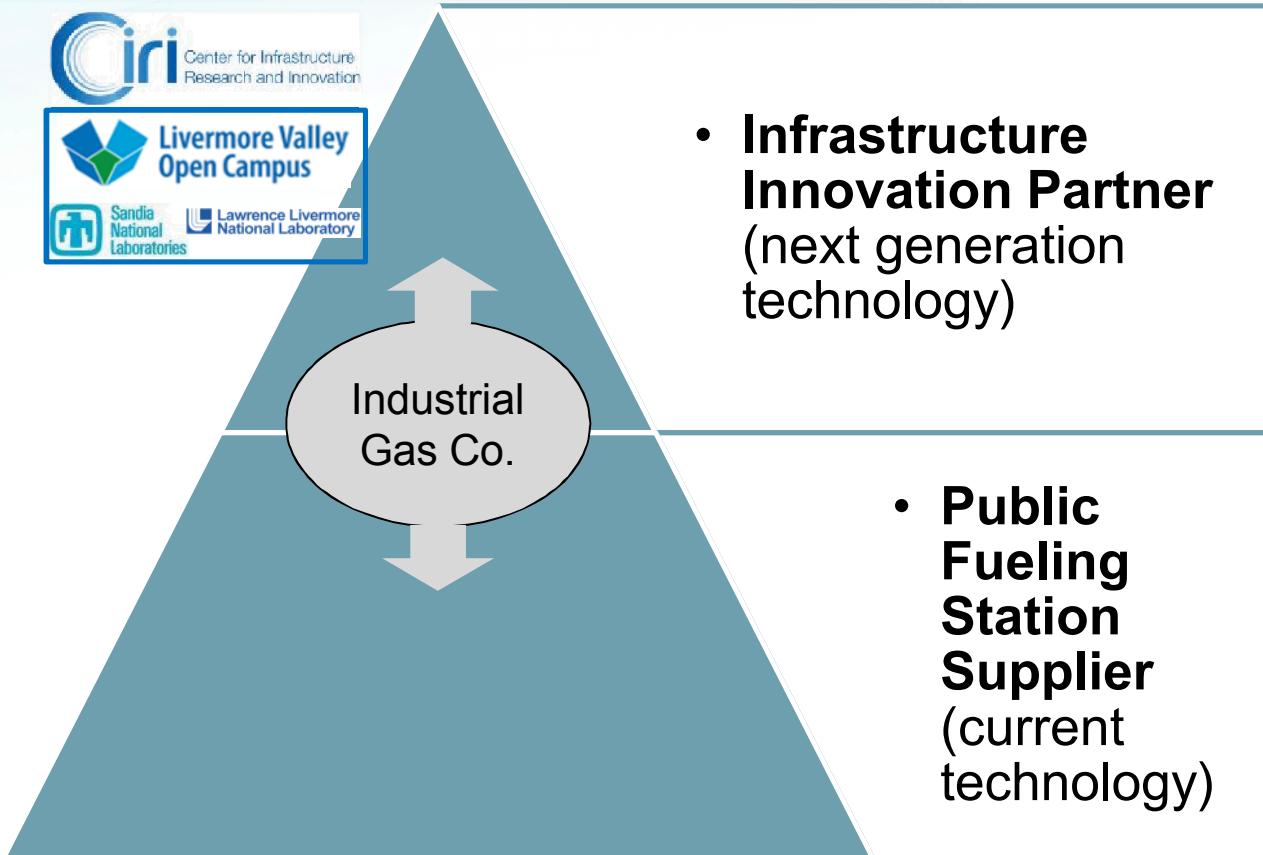
- WHY: Accelerate FC-EV vehicle fueling infrastructure in California, the US and beyond. There is no similar capability in the US.
- WHAT: A combined research/innovation and “breadboard” H₂ fueling facility
- WHO: Industrial gas company(s), Sandia, State of California, US Department of Energy, other public and private sector partners
- WHERE: The Livermore Valley Open Campus (LVOC), located at Sandia National Laboratories/Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory in Livermore, California

Engineering the Customer Experience



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Market Presence in California and Beyond

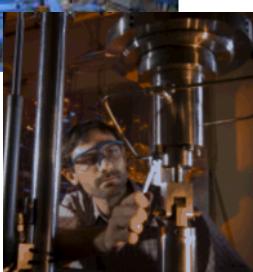


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Sandia's hydrogen program capitalizes on 50 years of investment from the DOE



People
(50 yrs of experience)



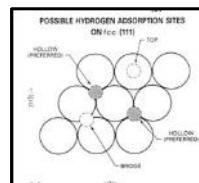
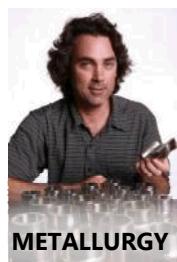
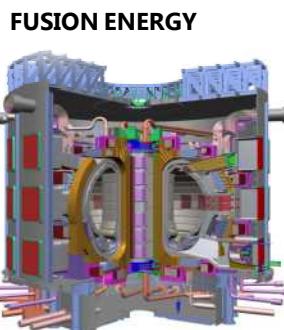
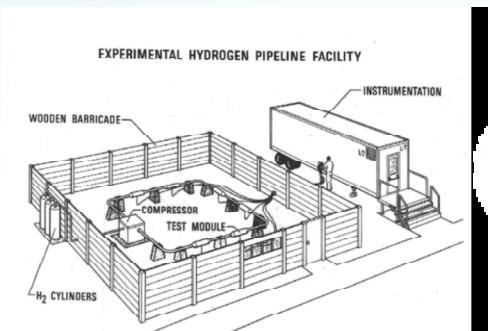
Unique Tools
(labs, diagnostics, software)

Key Partnerships
(the who's-who of H2)

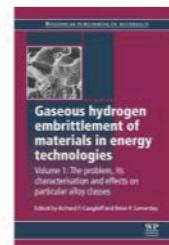
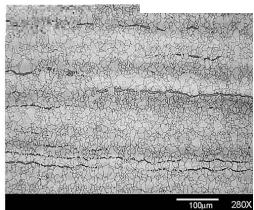
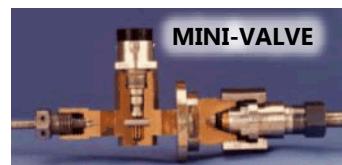


Sandia provides hydrogen science and engineering for the Nation

- decades of complementary missions
- predictive understanding reduces risk



Embedded Atom Method



GTS for W38, W41, W45, W47, W55, W56, W58, W62, W68, W70, W71, W79, B83, W84, W87

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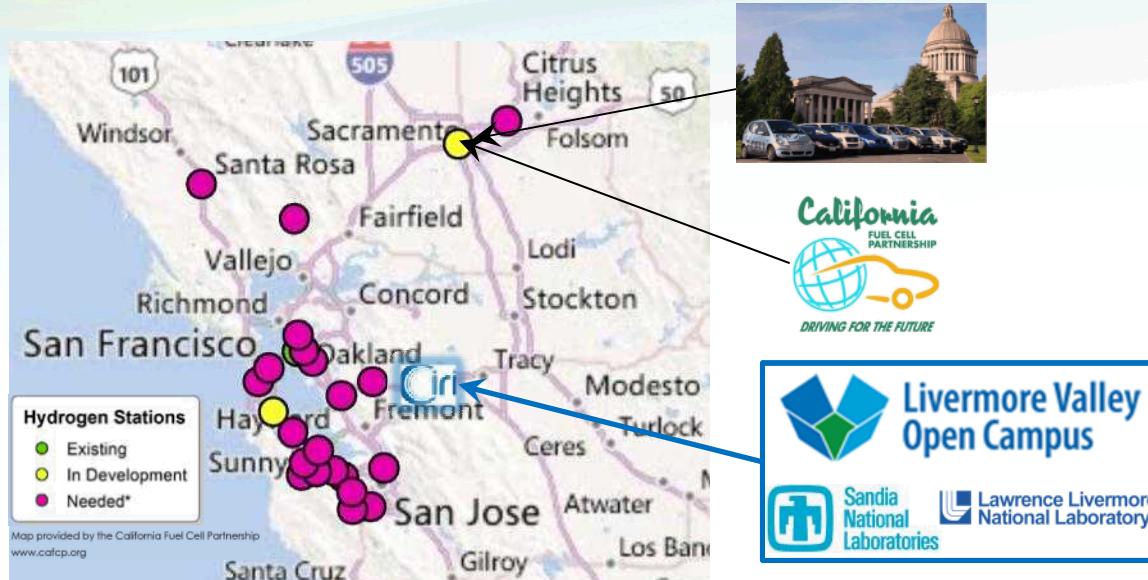
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2012



CIRI is Ideally Located for Connecting to California's Hydrogen FCEV Future



- Co-located with two US Dept. of Energy National Labs
- Regional proximity to proposed fueling stations in Northern California
- 90-minutes to Sacramento: State of California government offices and the California Fuel Cell Partnership
- 45-minutes to Silicon Valley
- Close to world-class universities, four international airports, etc.

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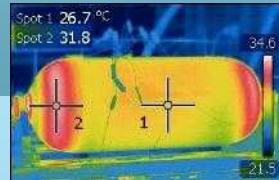
Phase 1 (0-3yr) of CIRI addresses gaps and barriers facing H₂ infrastructure

Perform critical R&D to reduce the barriers to the wide-spread adoption of clean FCEVs

Materials/Components

Understanding behavior at service conditions

- Embrittlement, corrosion, stress corrosion cracking
- Tank testing – fatigue, fiber rupture
- Pipeline testing – welds, fatigue
- Component materials – regulators, valves, etc.
- Non-metal materials: temperature, decompression
- Accelerated qualification method development



Innovation Breadboard

Develop and validate advanced system architectures

- System efficiency
- Station capacity (back-to-back fills)
- Dispenser and gas cooler technology
- Compressor innovation
- Priority & sequence system optimization

Hydrogen Workforce Development/Training

A quality workforce for an expanding market

- Provide a test-bed for system designers/developers
- Develop the next generation of innovative scientists, engineers, technicians

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CIRI provides the framework for tri-generation and grid integration technology advancements

Green H₂ Production



HT cycles



H₂ Storage



Natural Gas



Electrochemical Systems



Low-carbon Electricity



IGCC CCS



Electric Grid



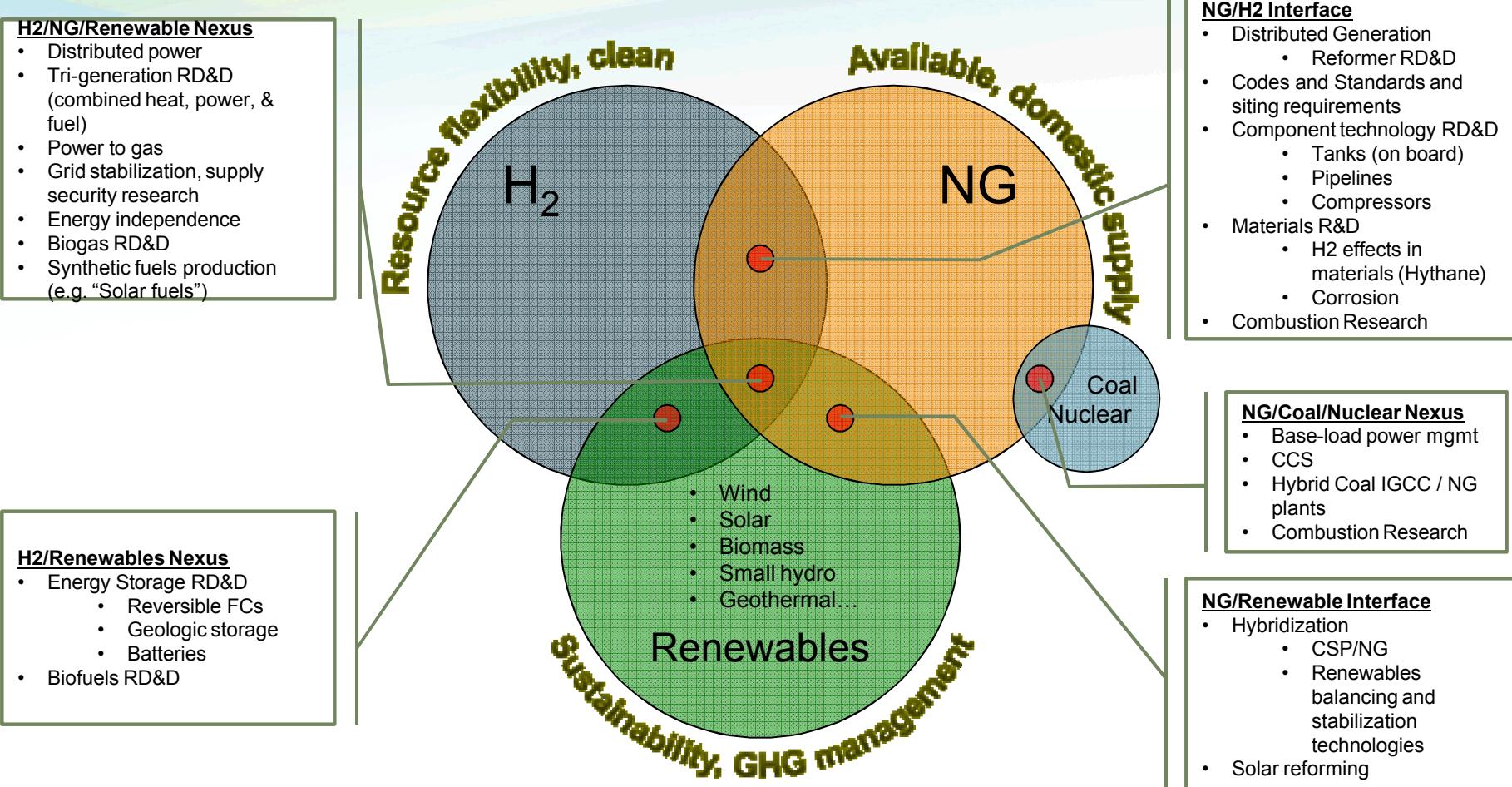
Phase 2 (3-20yr) vision for CIRI focuses on the nexus between NG, H₂, and Renewables

H2/NG/Renewable Nexus

- Distributed power
- Tri-generation RD&D (combined heat, power, & fuel)
- Power to gas
- Grid stabilization, supply security research
- Energy independence
- Biogas RD&D
- Synthetic fuels production (e.g. "Solar fuels")

H2/Renewables Nexus

- Energy Storage RD&D
 - Reversible FCs
 - Geologic storage
 - Batteries
- Biofuels RD&D



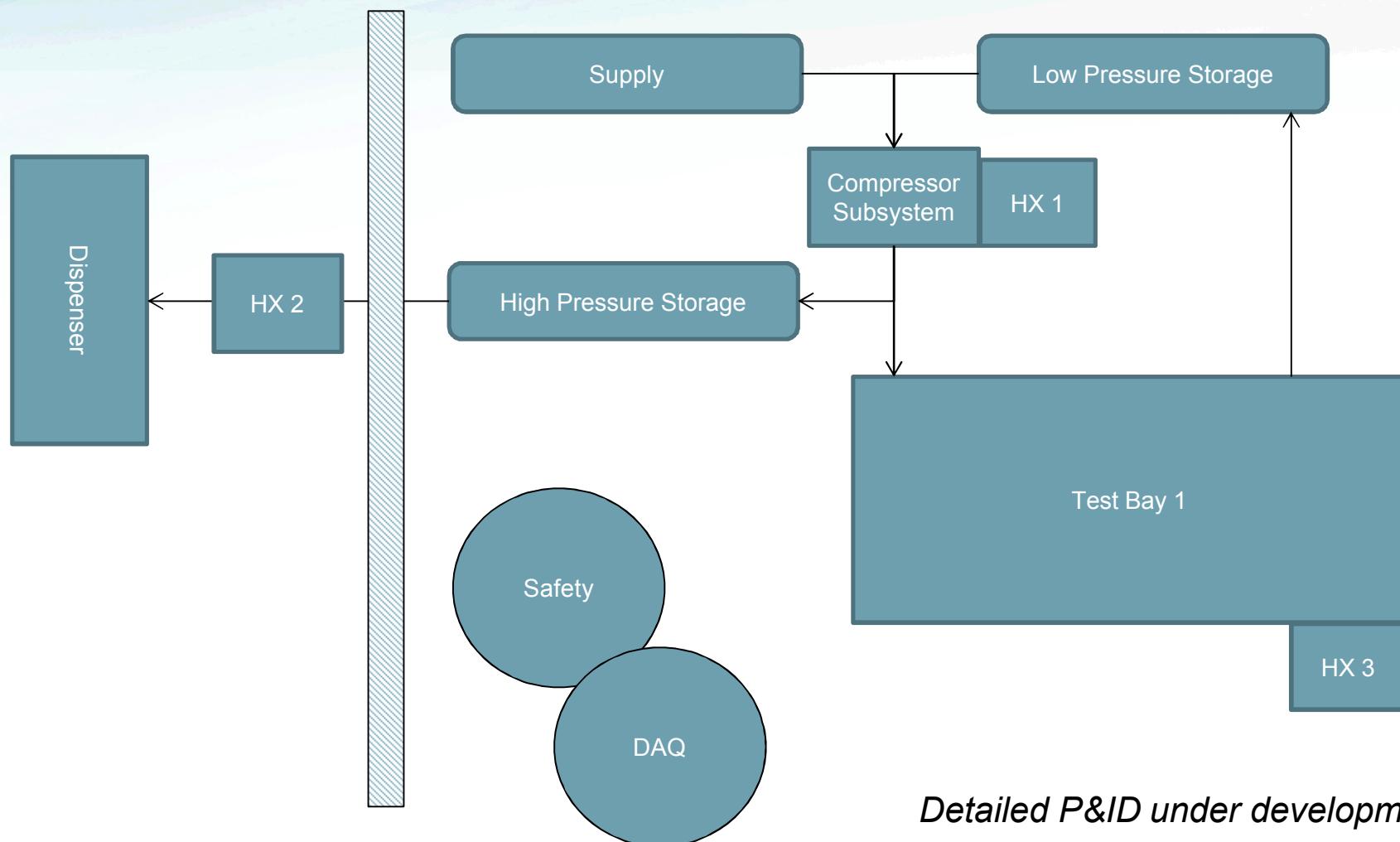
Provide leadership during changes in global resource availability, technology, and policy

CIRI can provide a platform for Future Collaboration

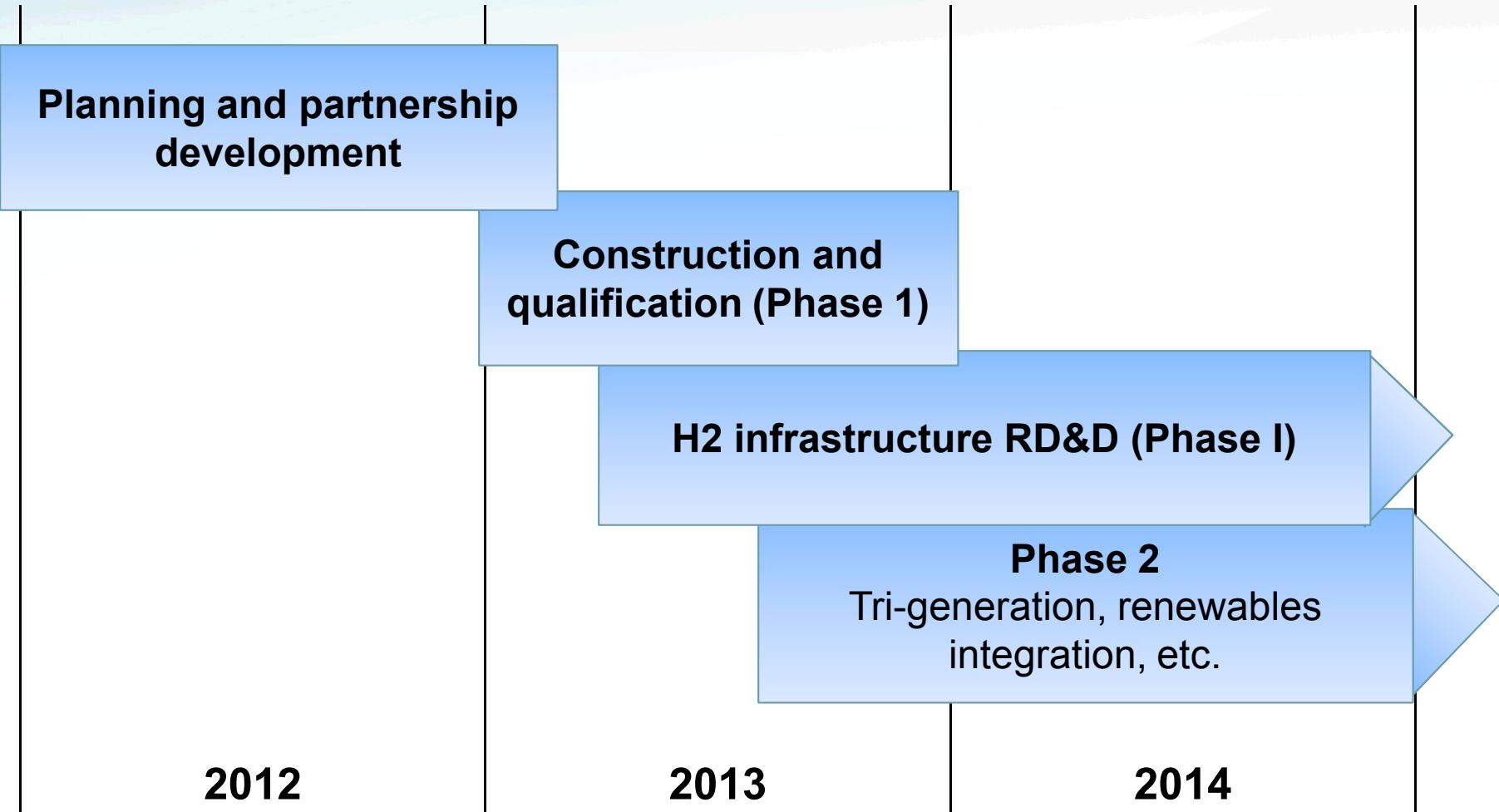
- Systems analysis to inform R&D and technology decisions
- Green H₂ production
- Advanced fuel cell technologies
- Oxycombustion
- CCS
- Advanced biofuels and biogas

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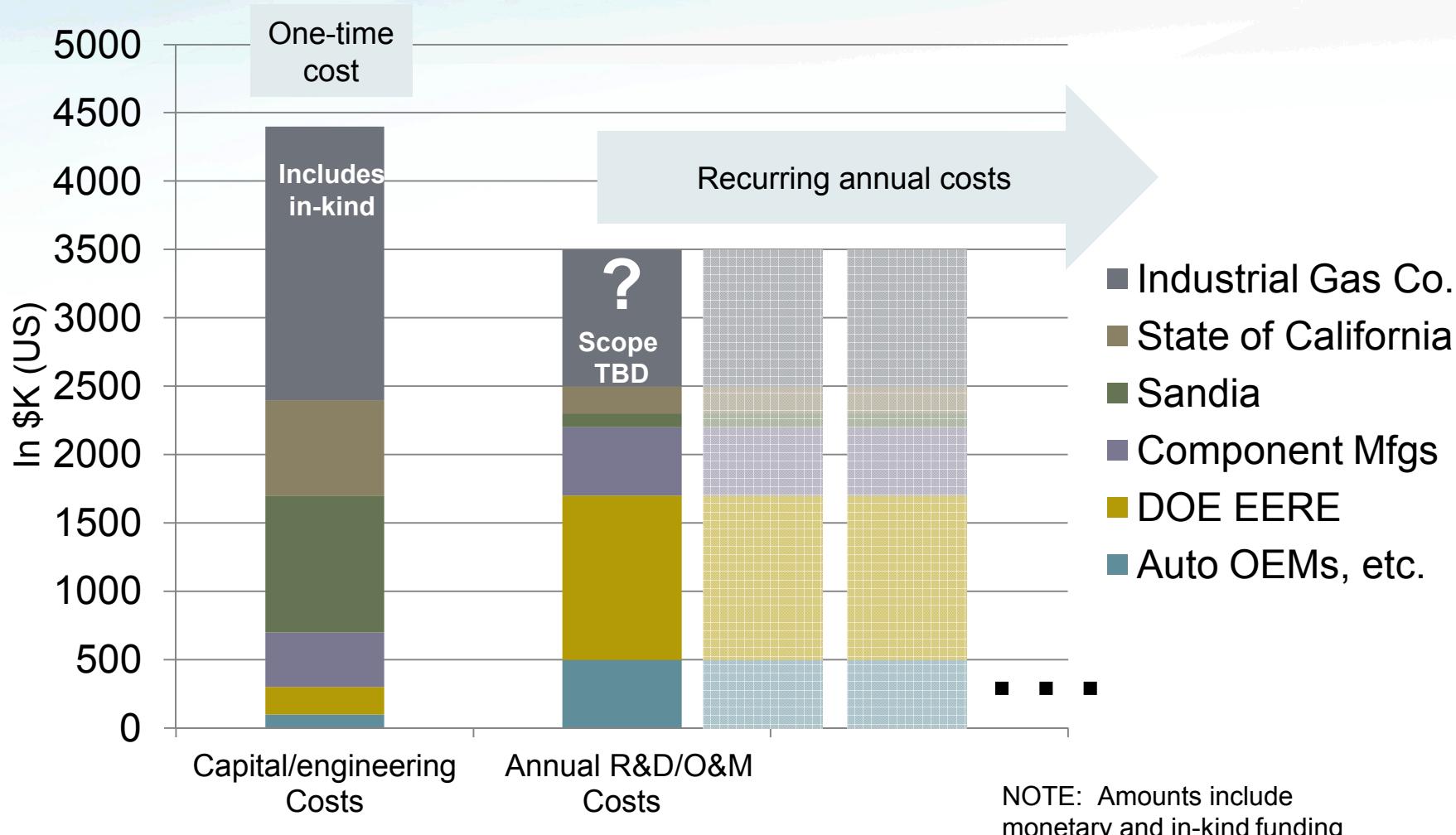
Phase 1 Block Diagram Major Components



Proposed Timeline



Sample Financial Model for Full Scope (Phase I & 2)





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