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Green and Pink Hydrogen Solutions

The Fuel Dilemma

- Limited fossil fuel resources.
- Environmental pollution.
- Economic damage.
- Geopolitical conflict.

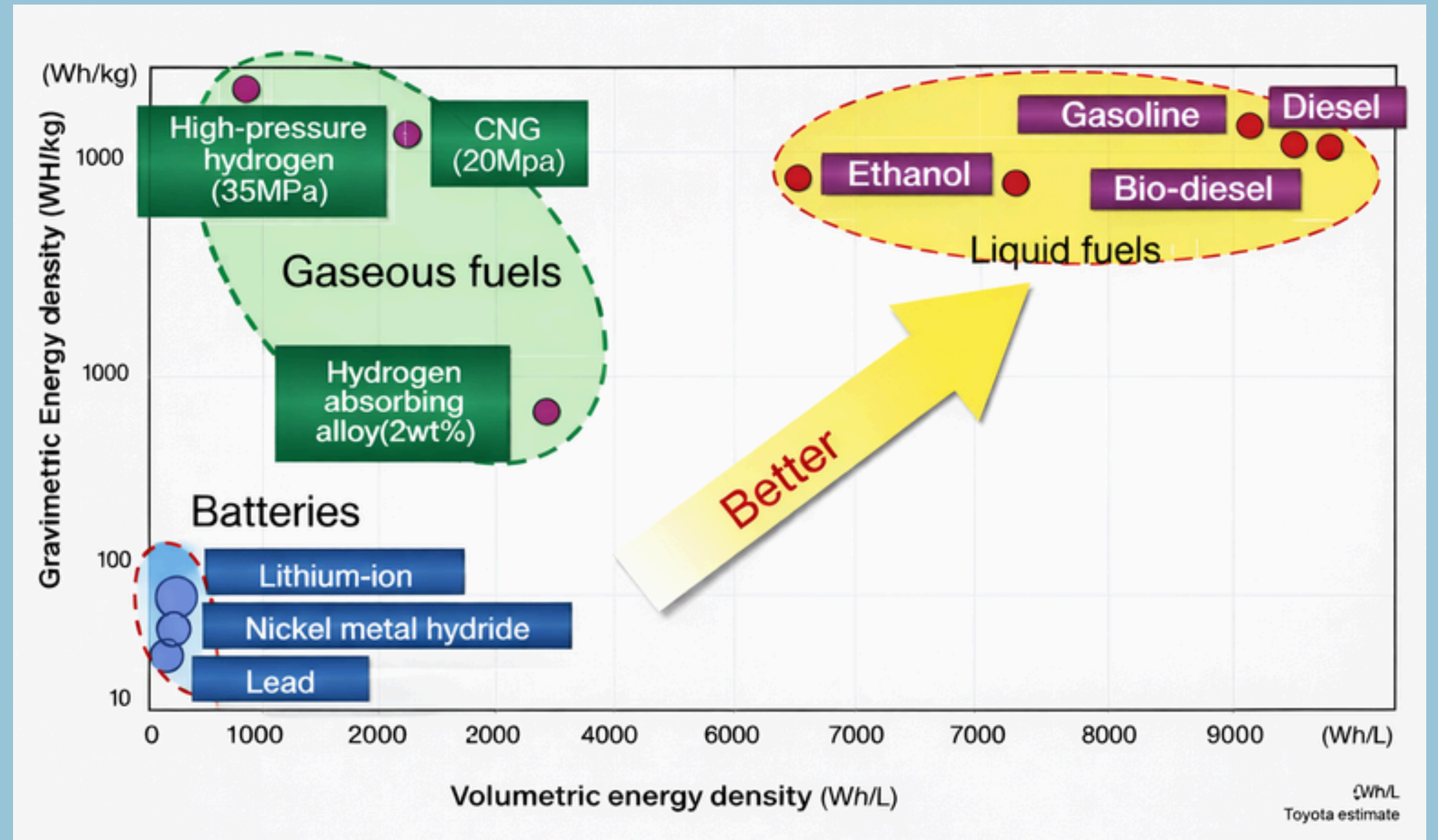


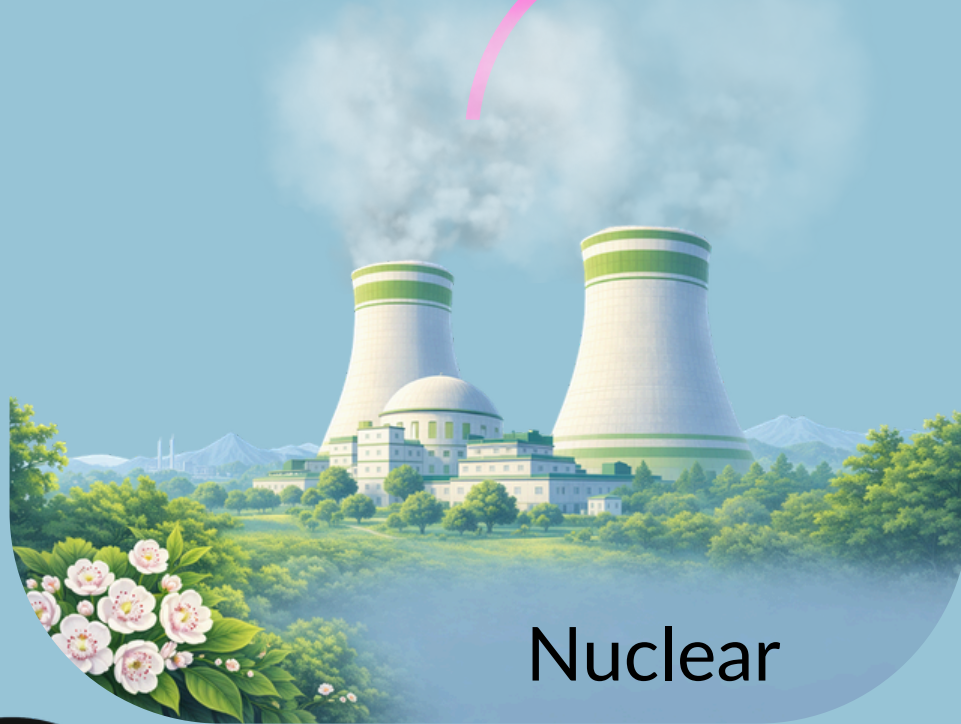
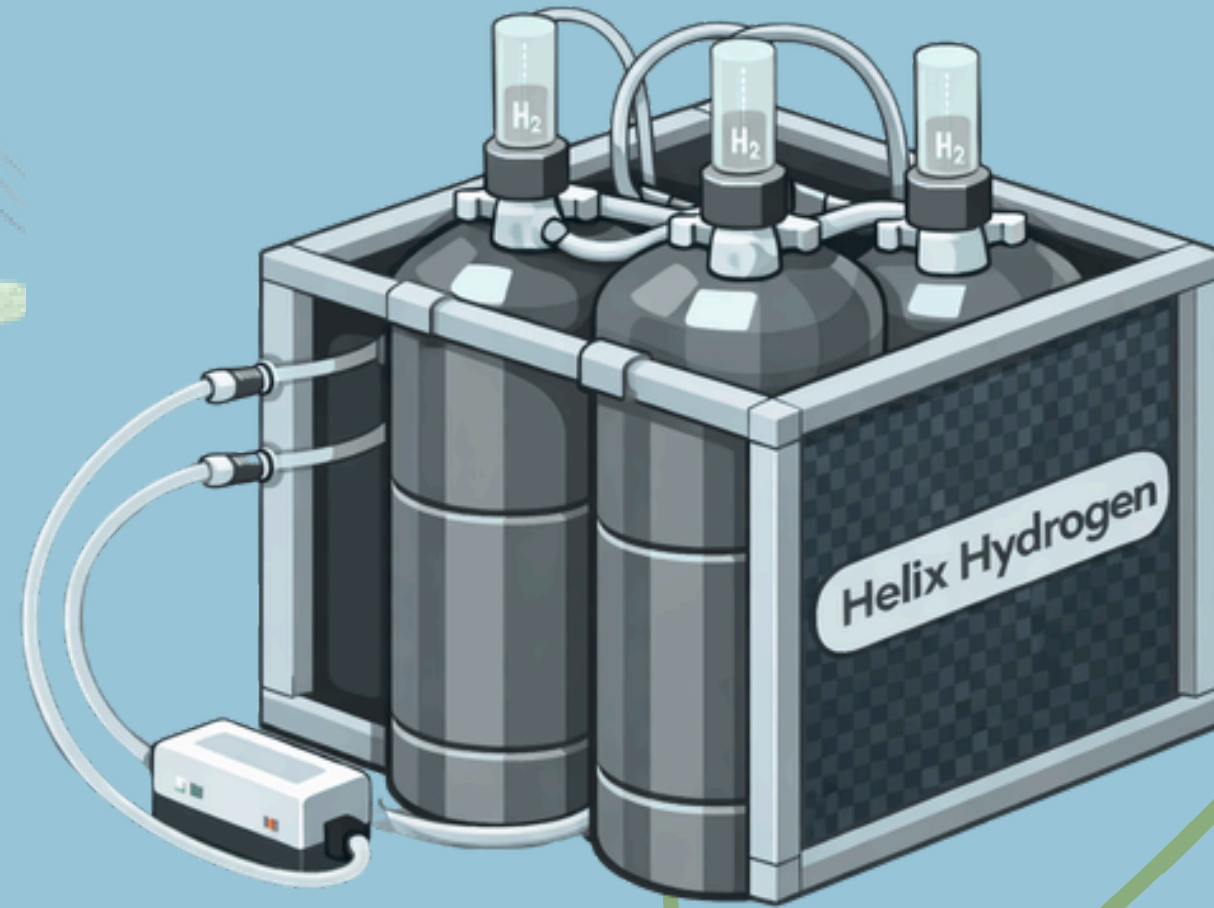
FIGURE 6.5 Volumetric and gravimetric energy densities of different energy storage mechanisms. SOURCE: Fushiki and Wimmer (2007).



Overview of Green and Pink Hydrogen



Renewables



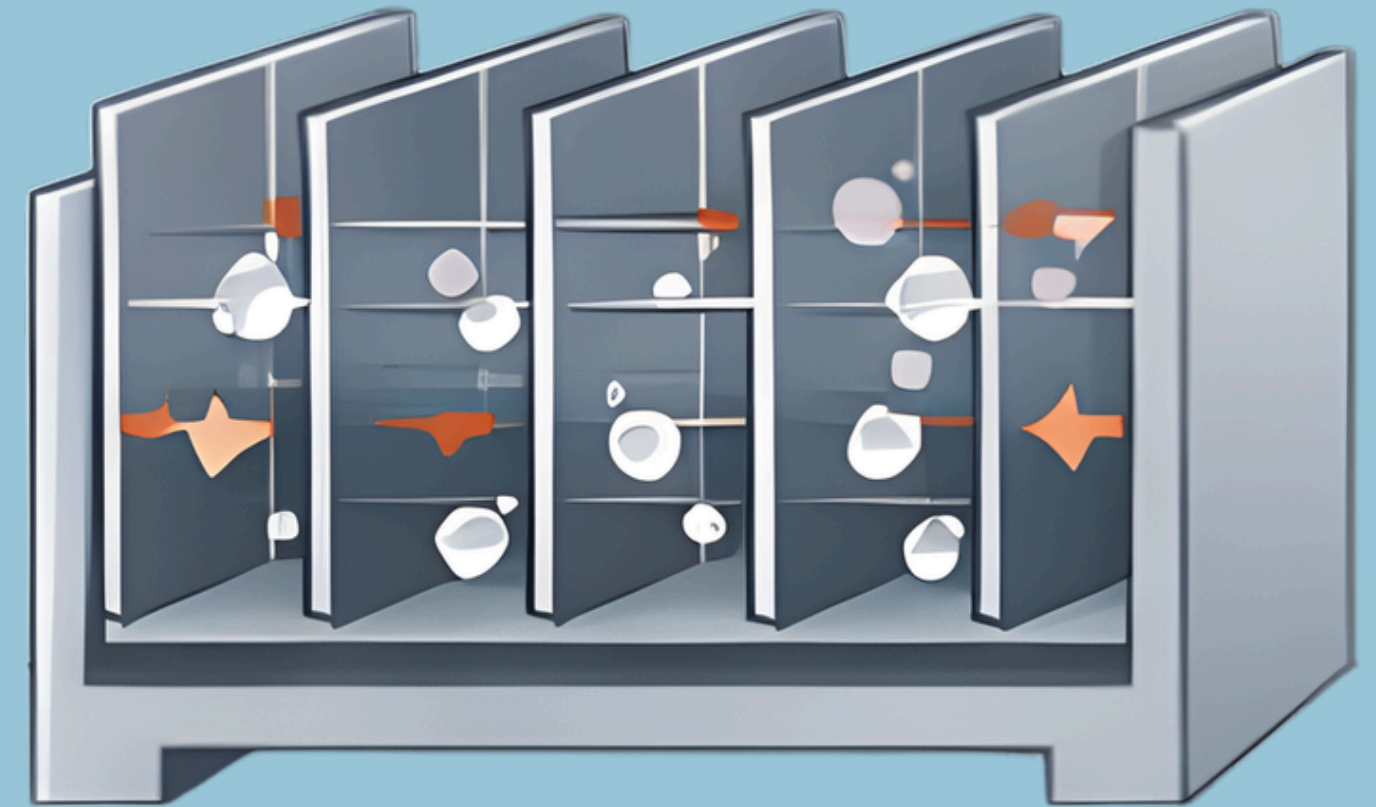
Nuclear



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Commercially Available Electrolyzers are Inefficient

- Inefficient: typically under 85% efficient
- Inefficiencies are caused by:
 - Uneven current distribution - current leaking and shunt currents.
 - Limited surface area per volume.
 - Gas bubble accumulation.
 - More efficient electrolyzers come with high material cost.



Notable Competitors

Enapter
H-Tec Systems / Quest One
Cummins / Hydrogenics
Linde Engineering
FuelCell Energy – SureSource
H2Pro

\$
\$4k/KW
Capacity with
Comparable
Conventional



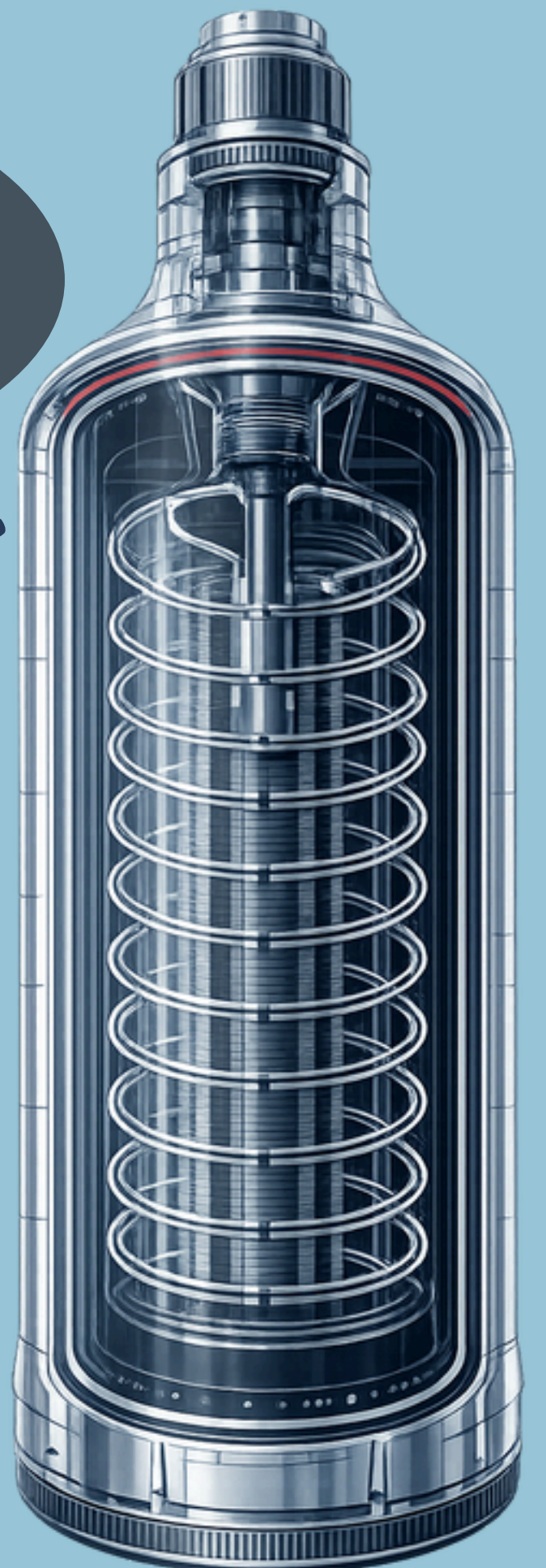
A New Electrode Geometry

- Patent-pending novel electrolyzer structure.
- Higher efficiency on bench-top models show 90%+.
- Nested helical wire electrodes.
- Earth-abundant and low-cost material components.
- Optimized surface area, gas release & current distribution.
- Scalable modular architecture.

Ushering in \$1 - \$3/kg green and pink hydrogen

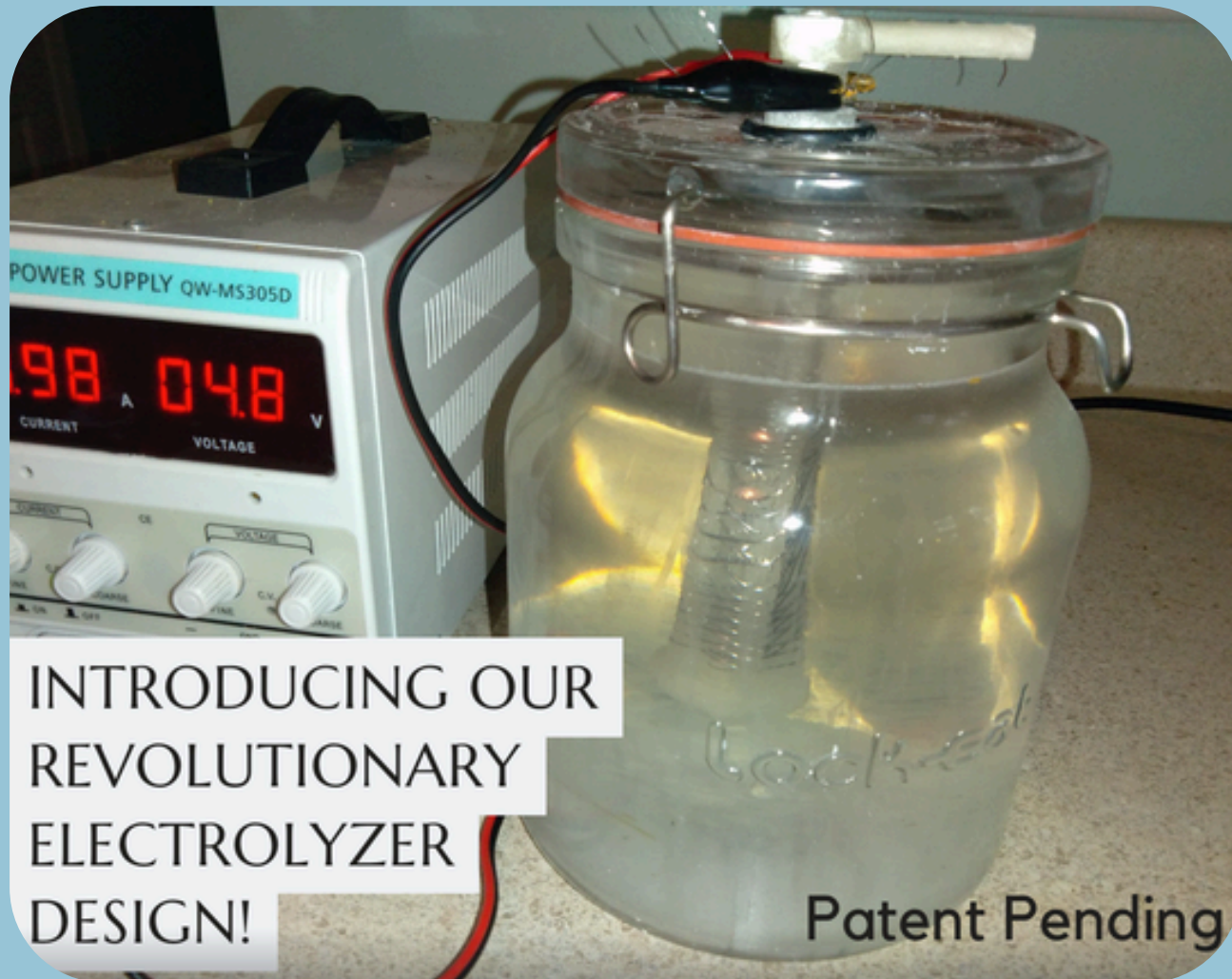


\$ Sub \$2k/KW Capacity projected with Helix Hydrogen (~\$900/KW or lower at scale)

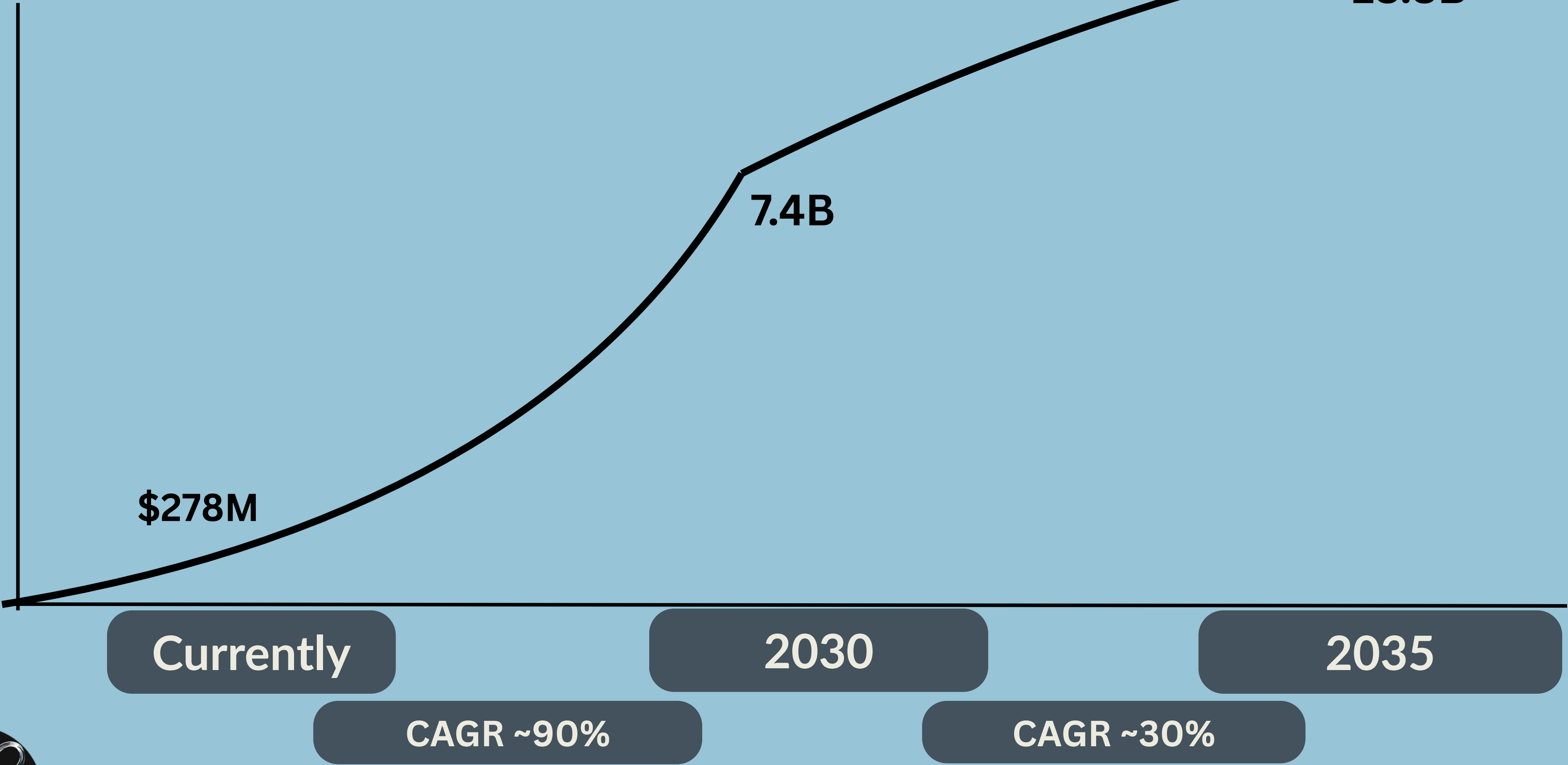


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Our Early Prototypes



US Electrolyzer Market



Company History

Patent Application Filed, Company Formation 2021

3d printed supports w nested helical electrode coils

DEIC SPARK RVA past participant

Friends and Family Initial pre-seed funds

Increased nesting capacity from 4 to 8+ concentric coils

Start Smart SV SBDC

SCCF S2V

VIPC ICAP

Multiple target markets researched, pivot back small-medium hydrogen deployers for beachhead market

Technological breakthrough, membranes applicable for gas separation - path to validate



Core Founding Team



Daniel Warren, Founder



Ryan Degaraff, JMU COB Graduate
Networking and Business Growth Lead

Key External Business Advisor and IP Specialist



Cindi Redding, JMU COB professor,
Business Growth Advisor



Reginald Ratliff, Vanguard/IP, LLP:
Patent attorney managing IP protection



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2026 and Beyond



Thank you!

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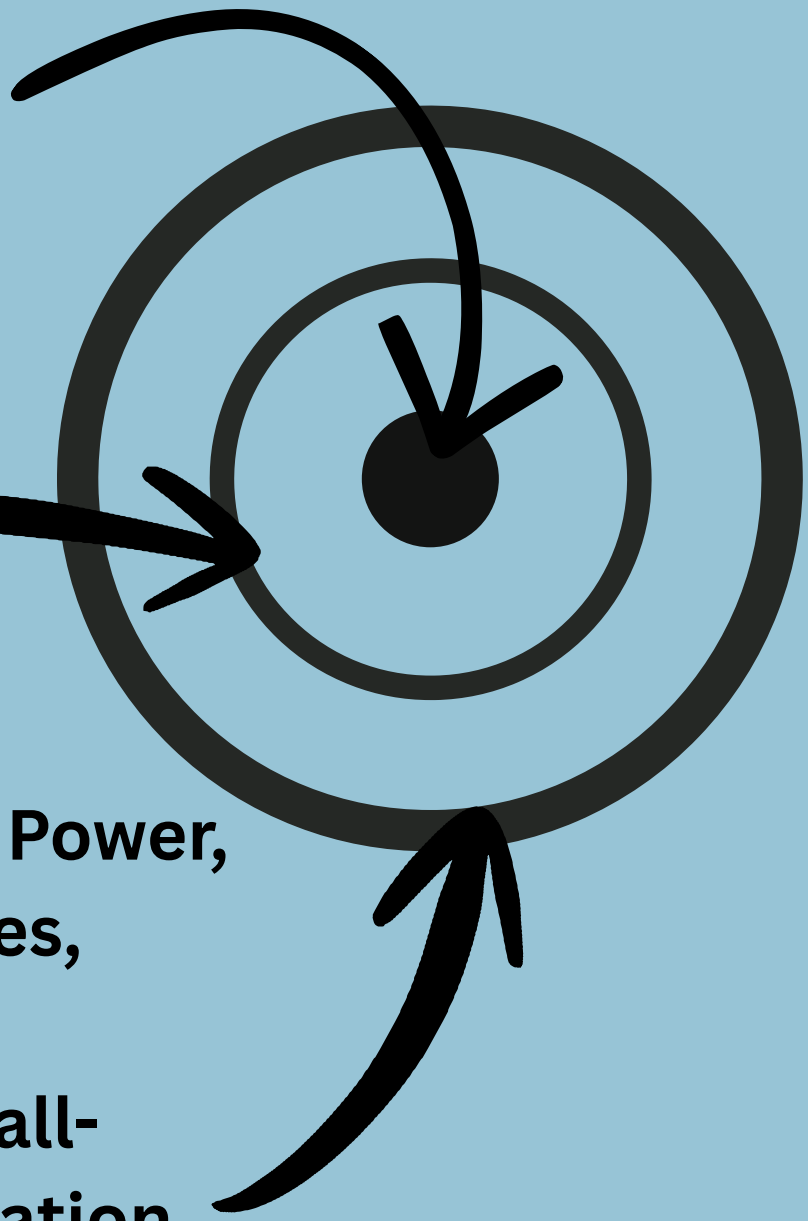
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Appendix A

Go to Market Strategy and Break Even Analysis

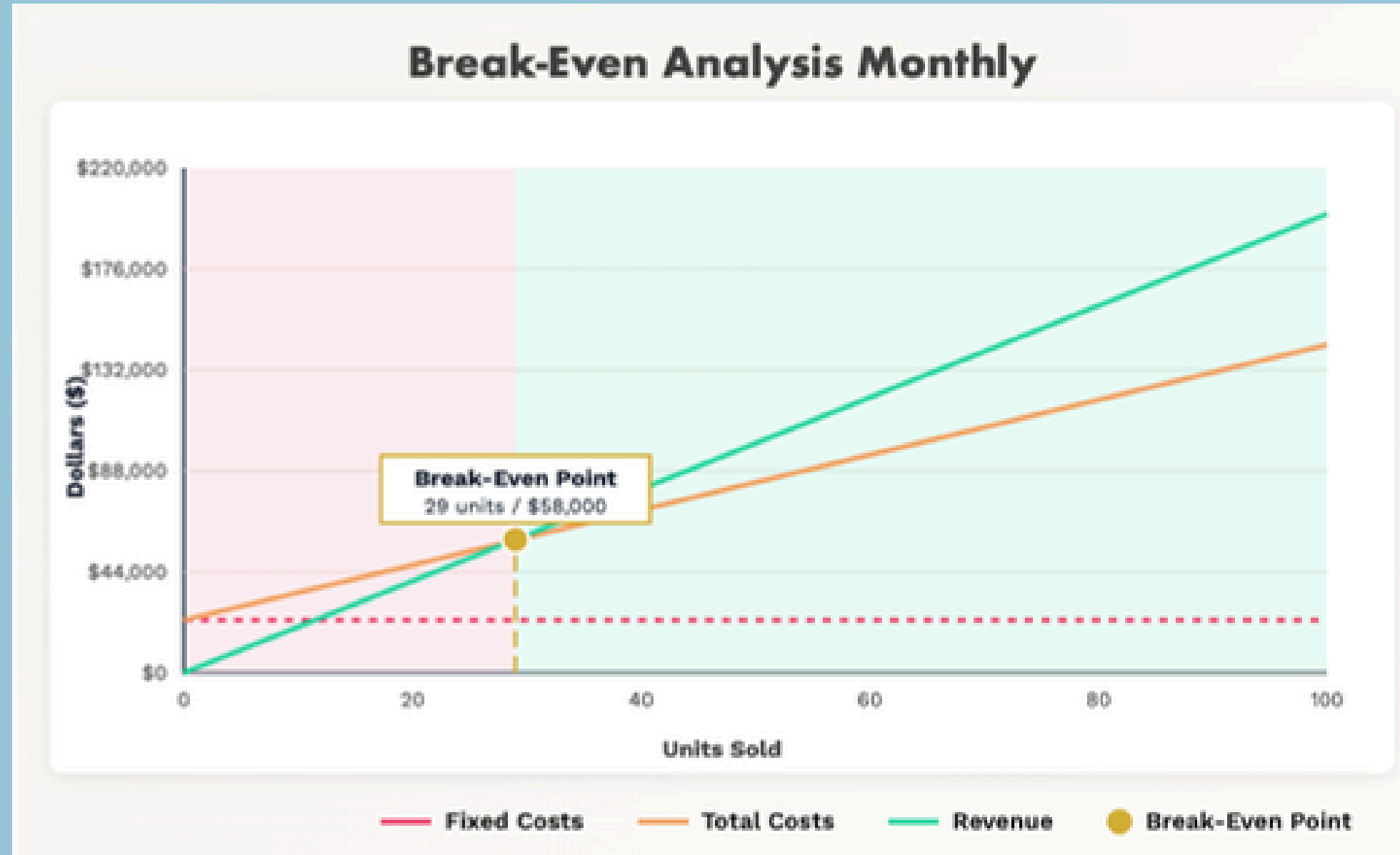


Electrolyzer B2B sales:
Small to Medium Hydrogen
Distributors

Off-Gridders for Seasonal
Backup Power

Off Grid Events,
Commercial Building Backup Power,
Heavy Industrial Processes,

Systems Integration, Install-
maintenance-software-education

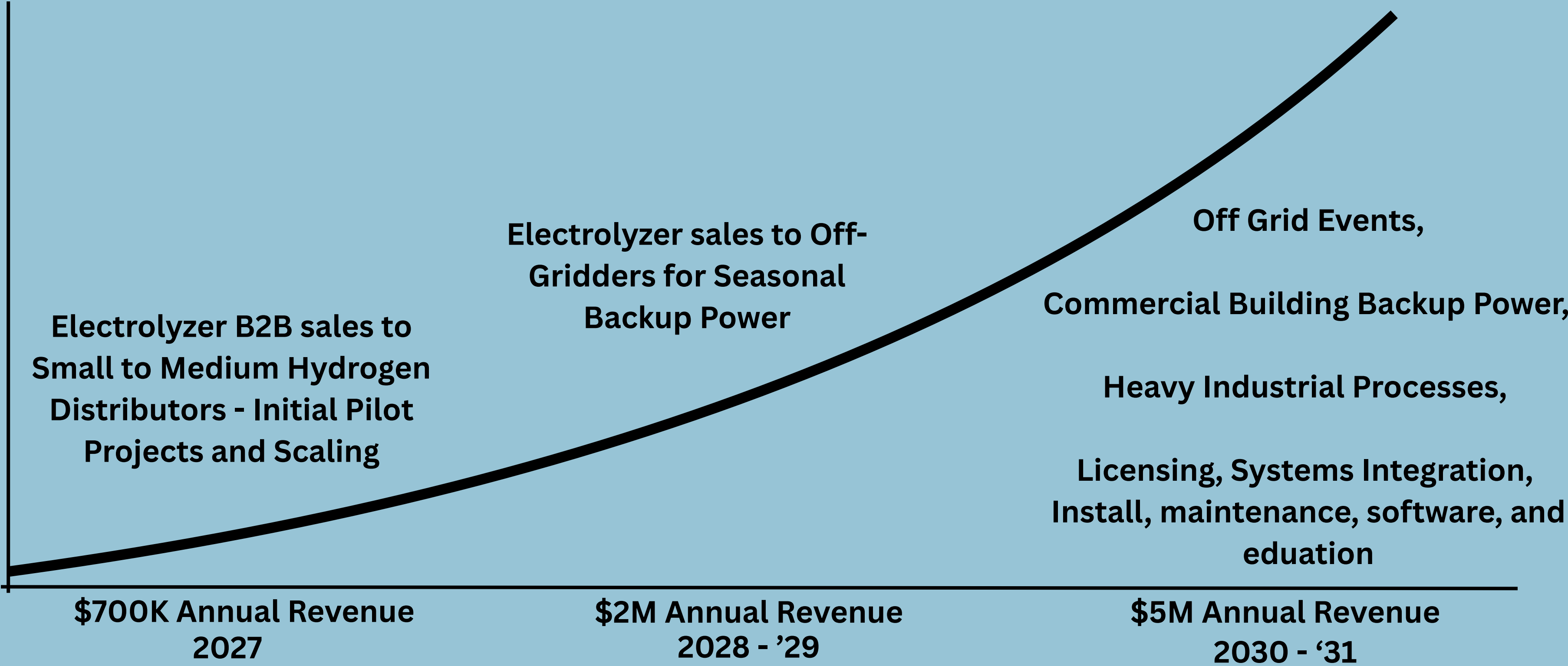


Break Even At \$2K/KW Capacity



Appendix B

5 Year Market Strategy



Appendix C

Tech Deep Dive

**Apx 30-70% more surface area to volume ratio than plate-based Electrolyzer Cells -
Varies depending on gap spacing and wire gauge used**

**Upwards of 90% Efficient at Room Temperature with Alkaline Electrolysis (initial
benchtop tests- needs third party verification)**

Even Current Distribution, high current density,

**Earth-abundant materials and easy assembly decrease Cap-Ex (~\$2k/KW, targeting
\$900/KW at scale)**

High Up-Time lowers maintenance cost

Durability lowers lifetime cost

Exploring Wastewater, Seawater, Stormwater sources for environmental stewardship

**Business model based on reusable parts, recycling supply chains, and durable
hardware as fundamental design principles**

It takes apx 2.5 Gallons of water to produce KG hydrogen

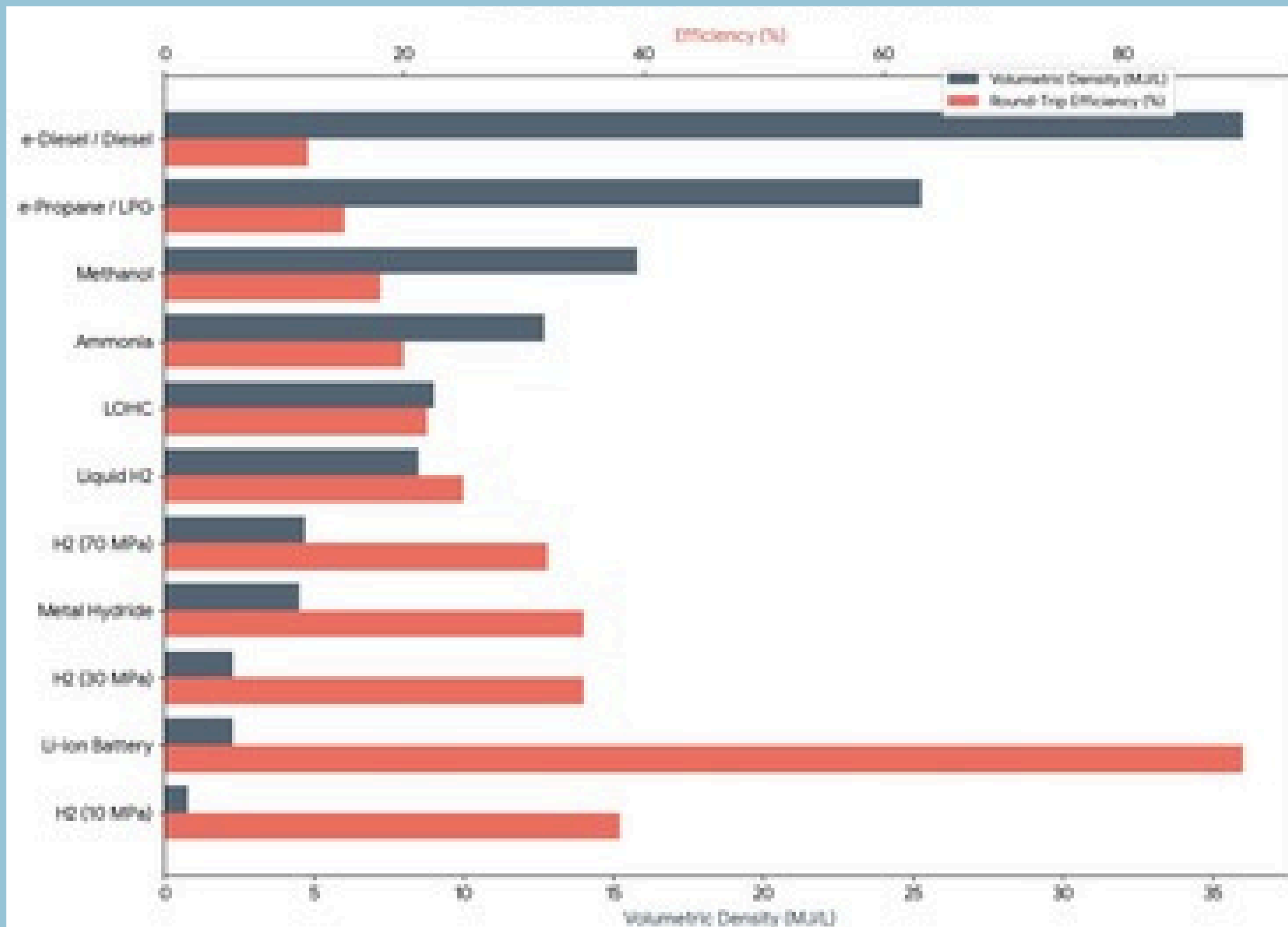
~44KWh at 90% efficiency,

Commercial average cited at 50 to 55KWh per KG



Appendix D

Why Hydrogen? The Energy Density Round-Trip Efficiency Trade-Off



Appendix E Company Vision



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