

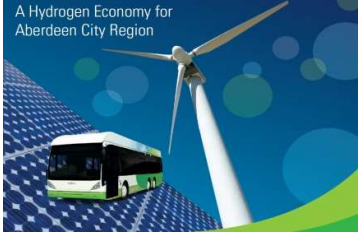
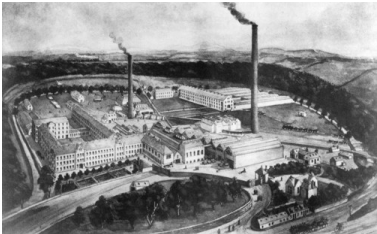


APSE Transport Seminar 2020



Aberdeen Fleet Services

Willie Whyte, Fleet Manager
11th November 2020





**ABERDEEN CITY COUNCIL
FLEET SERVICES**

**Local Authority Fleet Operator Of The Year
2020**

**The most improved performer awards Finalist
December 2017**

**Fleet Category Silver Award Winner APSE Awards
May 2018**

**H2 Aberdeen shortlisted for National Transport Award 2018
“Contribution to Sustainable Transport”**

Public Sector Fleet

Ultra-low emission public sector fleet and buy-in by private sector partners by 2025

- Engaged with vehicle manufacturers to map out real world, commercially available solutions
- Undertake fleet renewal programmes and establish H2 demand for various vehicle categories
- Develop a Joint Procurement Framework with interested public sector partners for fuel cell electric vehicles.
- Profile of additional demand that regional private sector partners – such as for heavy goods vehicle refuelling





RESOURCES

The Service operates from Kittybrewster Depot and employs 45 staff and is responsible for 5 Operating centres and currently one workshop with one satellite workshop.

The services carries out:

- Approx. 13,500 scheduled MOT,s, services and repairs to own fleet per annum
- Approx. 4,000 taxi tests per annum
- Approx. 300 private MOT's and servicing per annum.

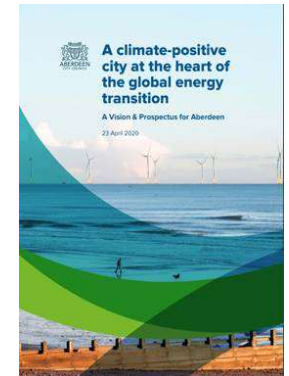


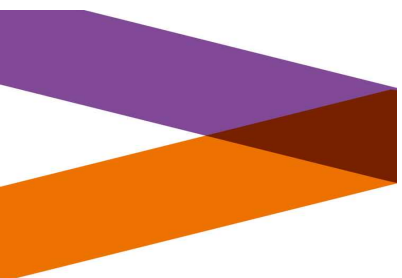
FLEET BREAKDOWN

- A fleet of 1,527 consisting of:
- 99 Large Goods Vehicles (“O Licence”)
- 44 Large Goods Vehicles (“O Licence” exempt)
- 314 associated vans, tippers, flatbeds & pickups.
- 59 Welfare and minibuses
- 6 Cars
- 1 Limo
- 290 mobile plant
- 631 plant ancillary
- 113 hand plant
- *Currently we have 39 vehicles which are electric, hydrogen or hybrid*
- *(including diesel hybrids)*

Aberdeen Context

- Aberdeen at the forefront of UK energy transition
 - Recently approved a Net ZeroVision to become a climate positive City & a Strategic Infrastructure Plan to support this vision – Hydrogen key
 - In March 2020 Aberdeen City Council approved plans to replace all fleet vehicles with alternative powered vehicles
- High level of development in offshore wind off the north east coast
- Highly skilled North Sea workforce facing an uncertain future as fossil fuels are phased out
- Aberdeen is an established centre of excellence for hydrogen and fuel cell technologies





DUAL FUEL VEHICLES



Transition: Dual Fuel Vehicles

Dual Fuel vehicles - HyTime Project – Key Project Details

- Project partners: ULEMCo Ltd (lead), London Fire Brigade, Wiles Greenworld, Aberdeen City Council, Westminster City Council, Veolia, Ocado & the Yorkshire Ambulance Service
 - Trial vehicles: 11 vehicles from 5 different OEMs (4 x vans; 4 x RCV; 1 x road sweeper; 1 x chassis cab; 1 x patient transport ambulance)
 - Duration: 12 months from January 2018
- The project trialled a range of vehicles and associated duty cycles with hydrogen dual-fuel technology (**H2ICED®**) in order to provide evidence of the carbon reduction and air quality improvement of this world leading unique approach.
- The project was led by ULEMCo, the technology provider in partnership with vehicle operators The London Fire Brigade, Wiles Greenworld, Aberdeen City Council, Westminster City Council, Veolia, Ocado & the Yorkshire Ambulance Service that provided the vehicles, the fleet operations experience and their fleet management systems to support data gathering.



Transition: Dual Fuel



- The project provided value for money by incorporating a range of vehicles, duties and operators who got hands on experience of the benefits of the dual fuel technology that largely make use of the existing hydrogen refuelling stations, with a temporary facility installed for Westminster City Council.
- It aimed to show that between a 40-70% reduction in tailpipe CO₂e is possible by displacing diesel, alongside improving real world air quality relative to the MY16 standards, and WtW of 5%-60% depending on the source of hydrogen.



SYSTEM DESCRIPTION DUAL FUEL CONVERSION HYDROGEN – DIESEL

Operation of H2ICED Hydrogen Internal Combustion Engine Diesel

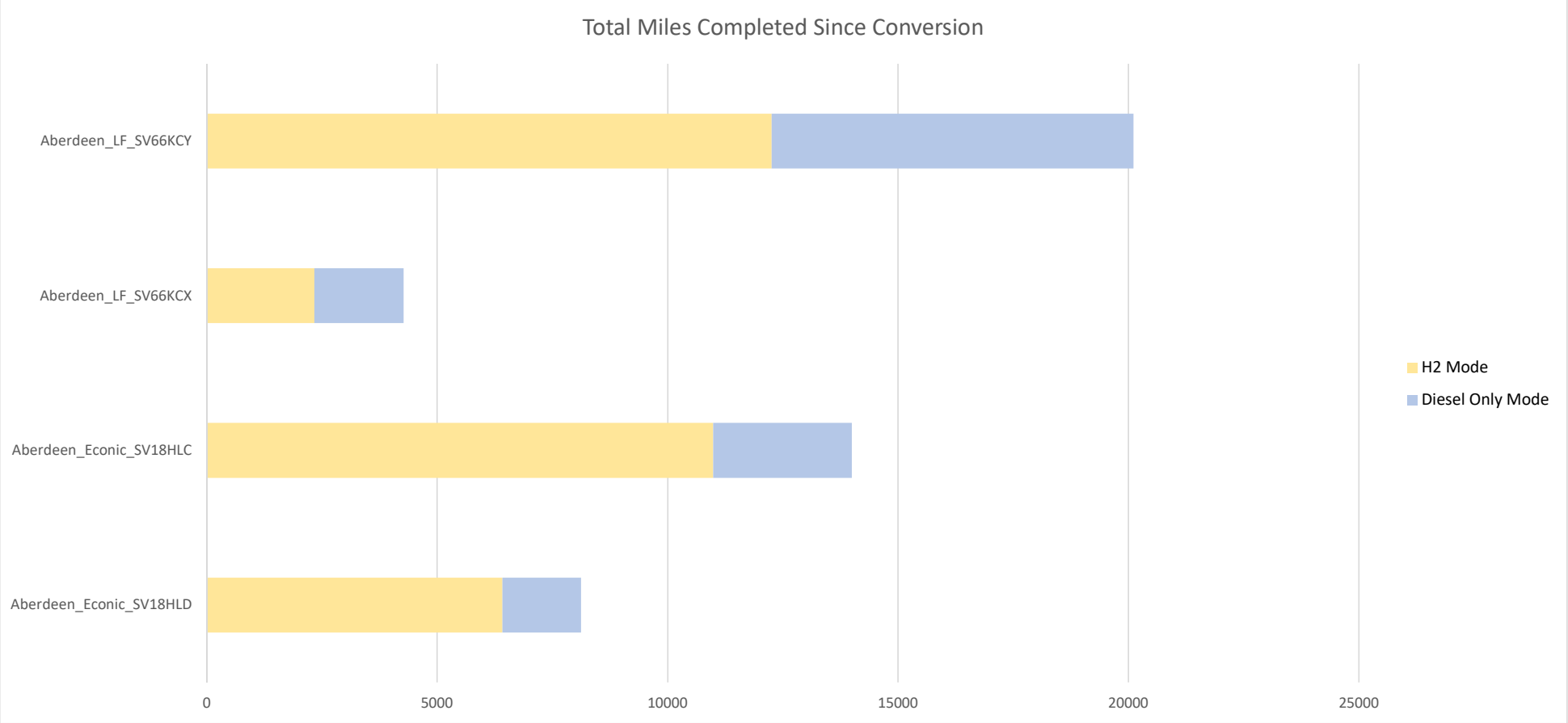
- The system is a Dual-Fuel system that relies on diesel injections to ignite a mixture of Hydrogen and Air in the cylinders
- The amount of Hydrogen that is injected is controlled in response to Actual Engine % Torque.
- Due to its small molecular size, hydrogen is fully mixed with the air by the time it enters the cylinders.
- The Hydrogen Injector Rail has a Pressure and Temperature sensor.
- If a leak is detected the Solenoid Valves are closed, and the vehicle runs on diesel until the fault is cleared.
- The engine always starts on 100% diesel. Dual-Fuel operation (when selected) commences when engine coolant temperature reaches a desired value (provided there are no active H2 System faults and no MIL lamp)



HyTime KPIs

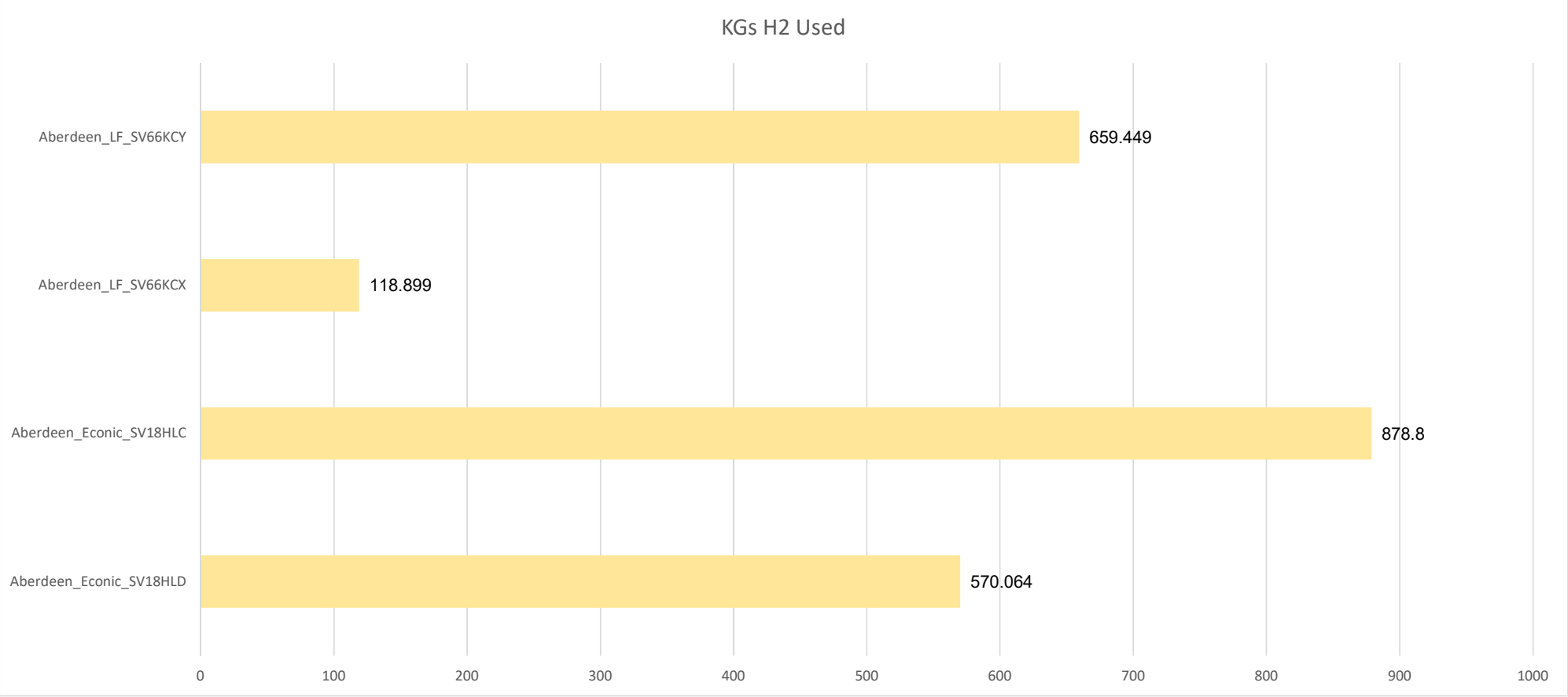
Total KGs of H2 Used	2227.21				
Total Miles in H2 Mode	31998				
Total Miles Diesel & H2	46498				
Total Co2 Emissions Saved	19870.4				
	Total KGs of H2 Used	Total Miles in H2 Mode	Total Miles in Diesel Only Mode	Total Miles Diesel & H2	CO2 Emissions saved (kg)
Aberdeen_Econic_SV18HLD	570.064	6415	1709	8124	5085.91
Aberdeen_Econic_SV18HLC	878.8	10991	3004	13995	7840.35
Aberdeen_LF_SV66KCX	118.899	2336	1938	4274	1060.78

TOTAL MILES COMPLETED SINCE CONVERSION



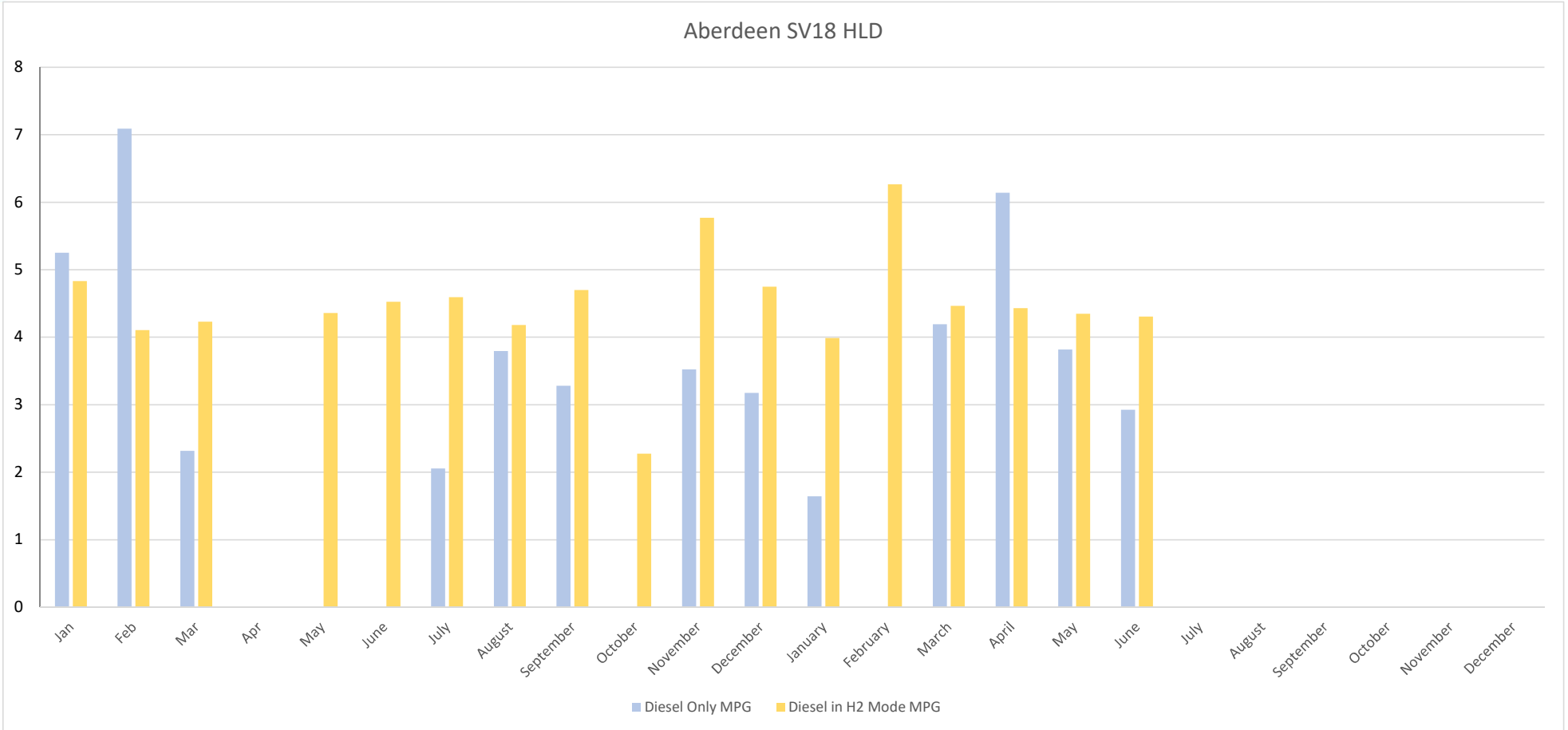


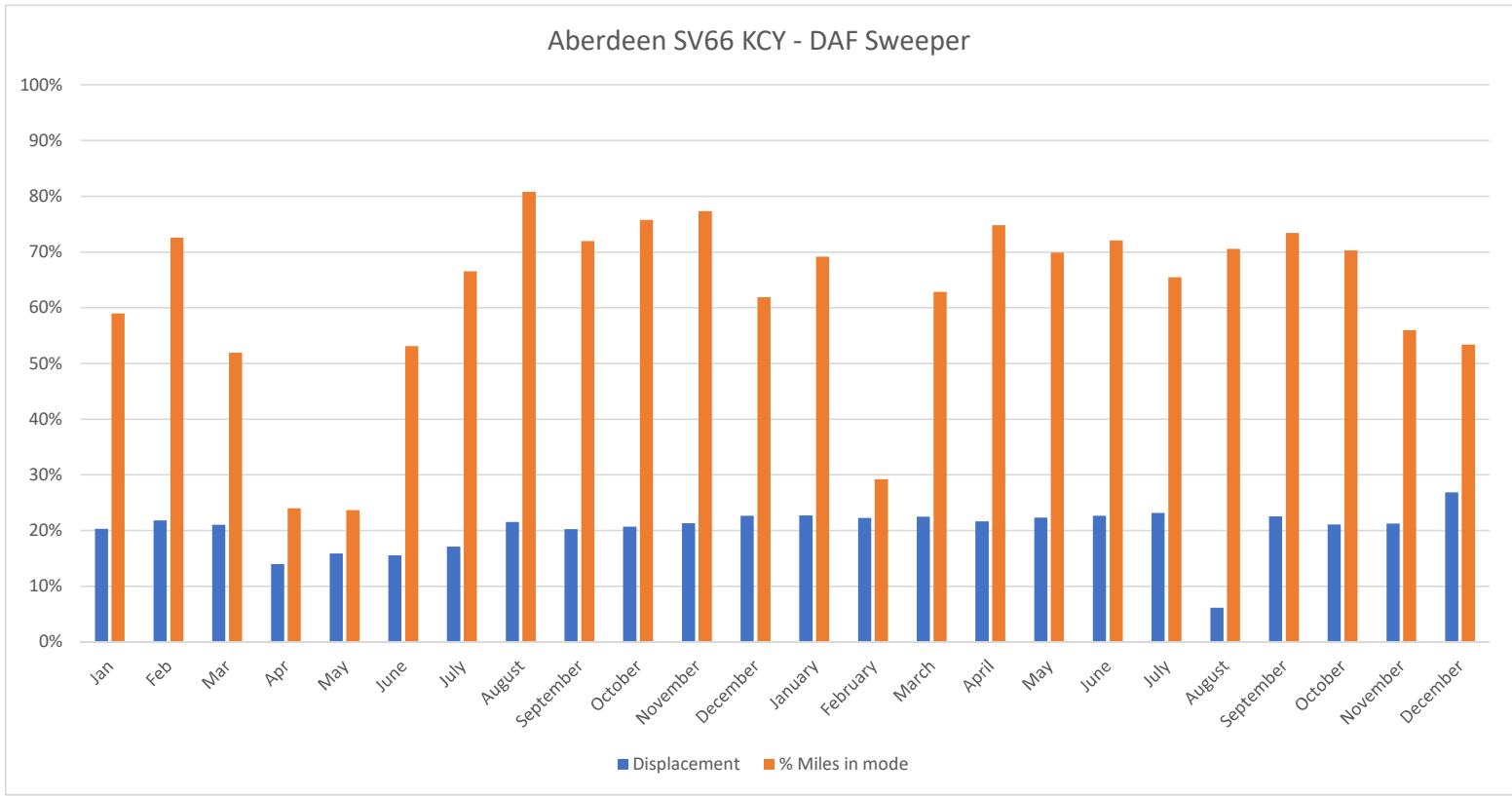
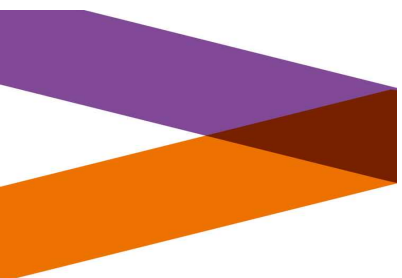
HyTime: KGs H2 Used



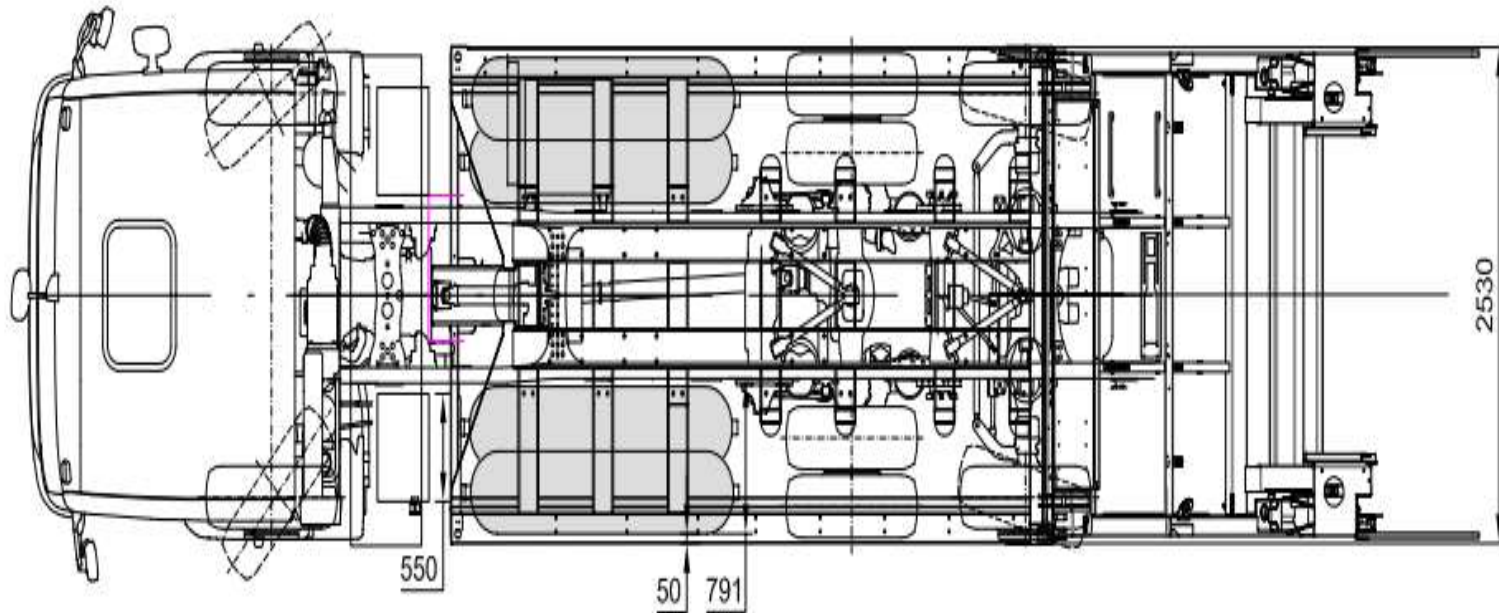


MPG Diesel v Dual Fuel H2

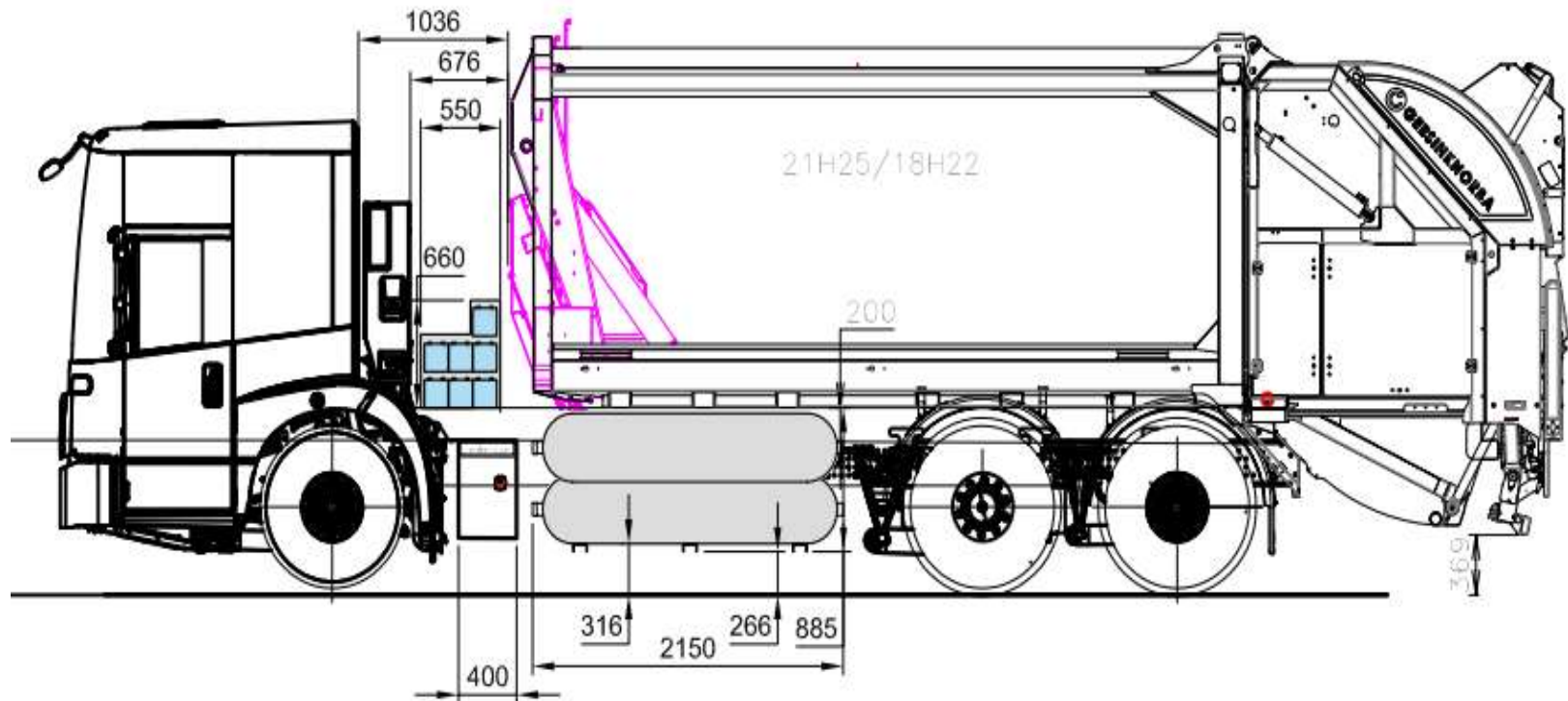




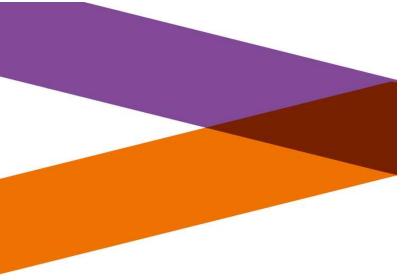
Hydrogen Fuel Cell Refuse Collection Vehicle The First One in Britain

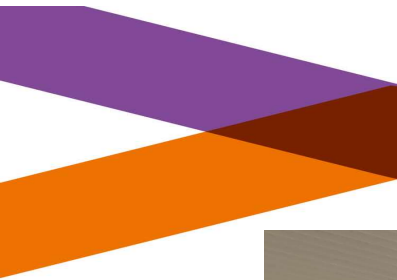


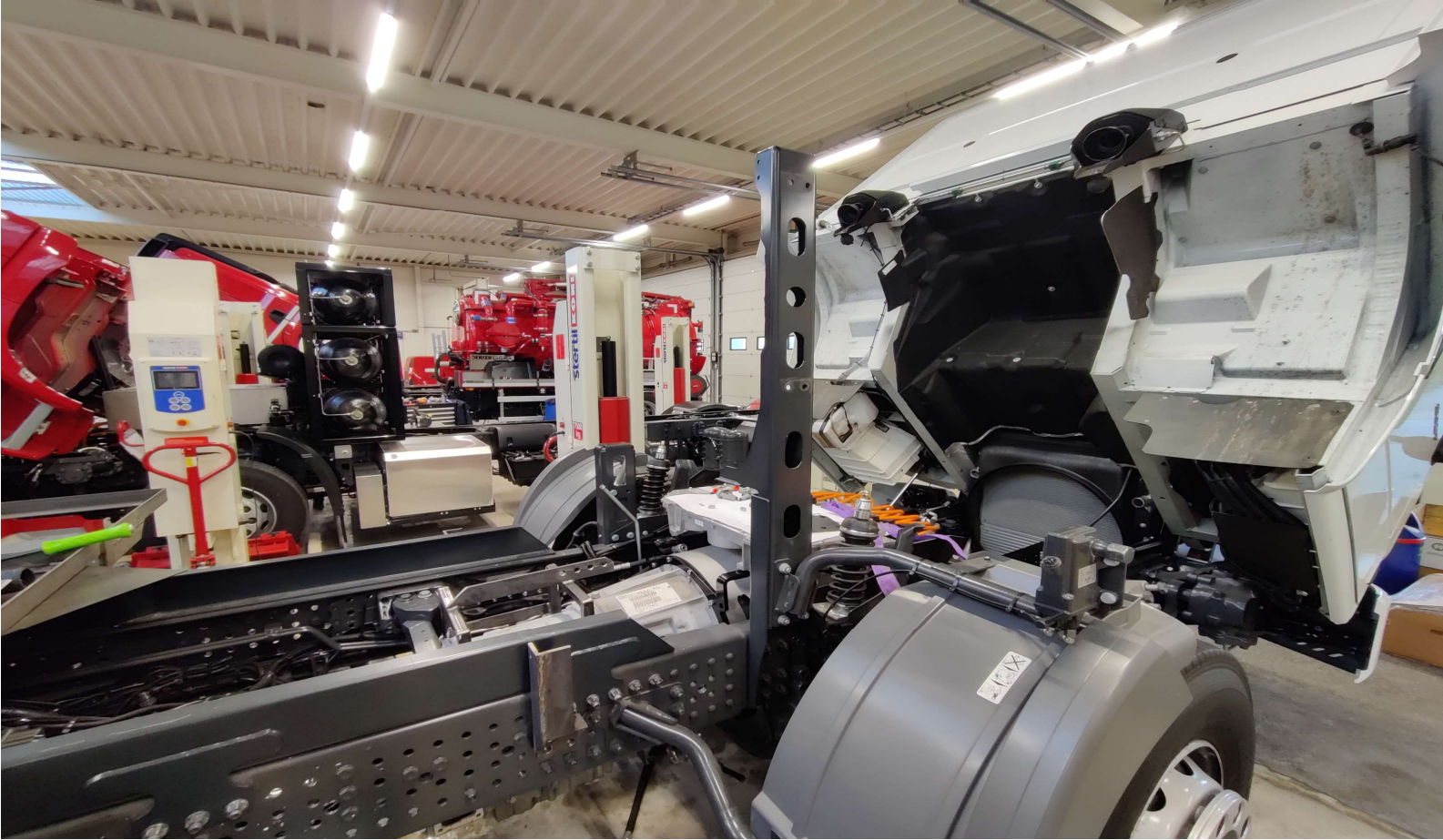
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Aberdeen City Council Charging Sites

Publicly-available electric vehicle charge points in Aberdeen

Aberdeen City Council and partners offer electric vehicle charge points at 24 locations in the city.

- Rapid Triple Chargers (50kW DC CHAdeMO/50kW DC CCS/ 43 KW AC) at Gallowgate (2), Kingswells Park and Ride (2), Craibstone Park and Ride (2), Garthdee, Broomhill Road, Langdykes Road (ACHES), Exploration Drive and Sclattie Park. These units are capable of recharging a vehicle to 80% in 30 mins.
- Fast Chargers (22kW AC Mennekes) at Frederick St, Chapel St, Golden Square, Dunmail Ave, Danestone Community Centre, Bridge of Don Library, ARI Rotunda, ARI Rosehill Annexe, Cornhill Shopping Centre, Hazlehead Park, Mastrick Access Point, Satrosphere, Kincorth Library, Langdykes Road (ACHES) Exploration Drive, Kingswells Park and Ride and Tanfield Walk. These units are capable of fully recharging a vehicle in 2-4 hours.
- 7kW Chargers (7kW AC Mennekes) at Gallowgate, West North St, Polmuir Rd, Kingswells P&R and Craibstone Park and Ride. These units are capable of fully recharging a vehicle in 4-6 hours.

The charging unit itself is free to use at present but users are still required to pay the parking charges whilst charging in locations where these apply (except Gallowgate and Broomhill rapids where you are not required to pay if you stay with car whilst charging)

The charge points were funded by Transport Scotland, OLEV and the Energy Saving Trust and are operated by Chargeplace Scotland. They can be activated with a Chargeplace Scotland, by phone or using the Chargeplace Scotland mobile phone app. Go to <http://chargeplacescotland.org> for more details (Except for 7kW chargers at Craibstone which were funded by Aberdeen City Council, are free to use but don't link to Chargeplace)

Aberdeen City Council Charging Sites

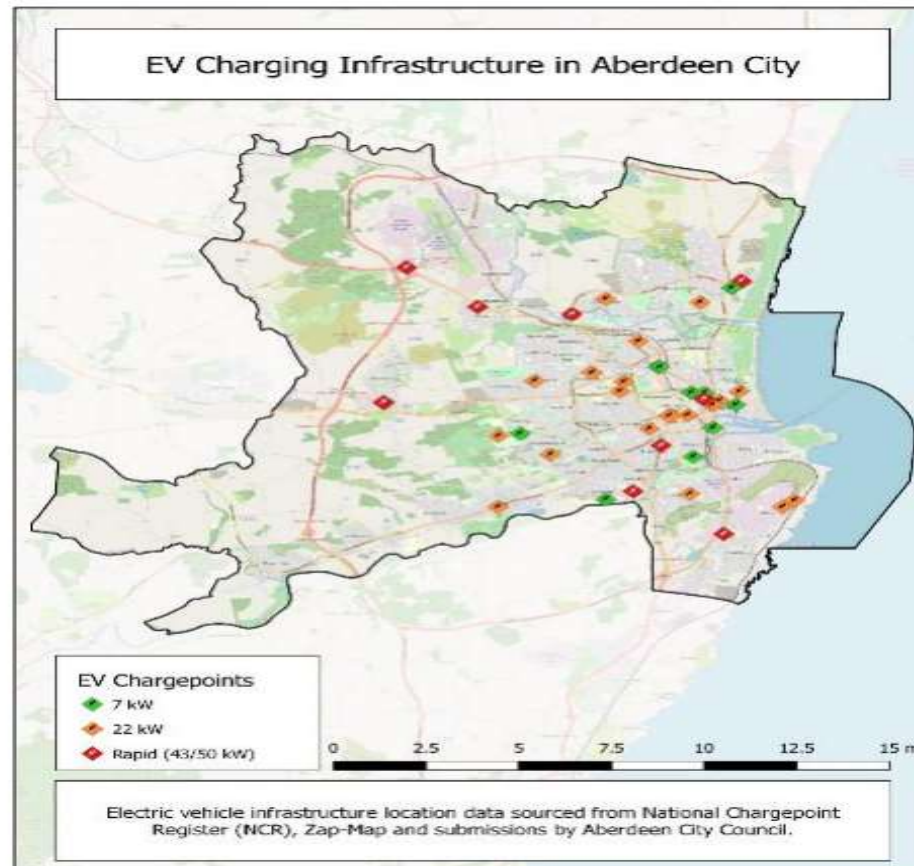
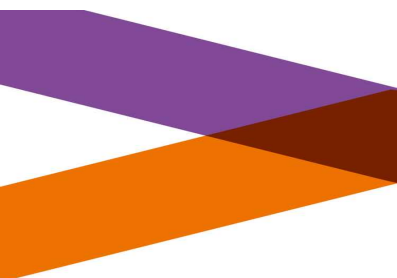


Figure 0-18: EV charging infrastructure in Aberdeen City - Charge type

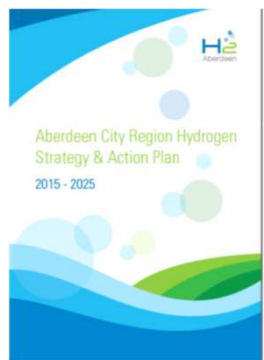
Fleet Services Electric Vehicles

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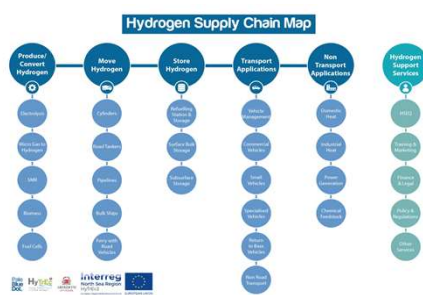
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6474	MW68OPA	PEV	ELECTRIC VAN	R015	RENAULT KANGOO Z.E		4	GD1	GROUPS MAINTENANCE		MILES	VF1FW0ZHC57058635		ELECTRIC
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6476	MW68OPX	PEV	ELECTRIC VAN	R015	RENAULT KANGOO Z.E		4	FS1	FLEET SERVICES		MILES	VF1FW0ZHC57058638		ELECTRIC
6477	MW68ORC	PEV	ELECTRIC VAN	R015	RENAULT KANGOO Z.E		4	FS1	FLEET SERVICES		MILES	VF1FW0ZHC57058633		ELECTRIC
6581	SW19HLE	22	Panel Van	R026	Renault Kangoo I MI20 ZE		5	CP1	CAR PARKS		MILES	VF1FWEZBC62601250		ELECTRIC
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6740	SF20UTE	ASC	1.0 - 1.4 CAR	B035	BMW i3			CW4	COMMON WHEELS		MILES			ELECTRIC
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Hydrogen Refuelling Infrastructure



Hydrogen Strategy for Aberdeen



Development of Supply Chain and Training



Innovative non-transport applications



Offshore hydrogen generation

Education and Communication



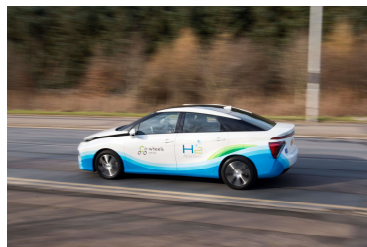
Vehicle Deployments

H2 Aberdeen Vehicles

One of the most varied fleets in Europe



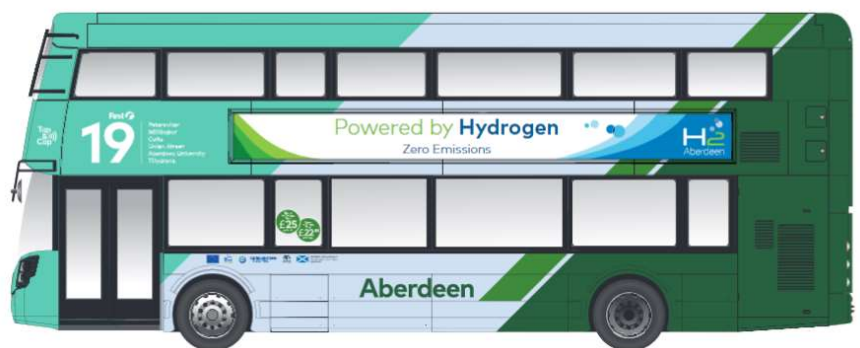
Fleet of 65 vehicles
(and counting)



FCH JU JIVE (Joint Initiative for hydrogen Vehicles across Europe)



- €32m to deploy 145 buses in 9 cities
- Focus on joint procurement from partners making the capital costs more commercially acceptable
- 15 buses in Aberdeen from Autumn 2020 and another 10 buses have just been approved in August 2020 for arrival in 2021
- Aberdeen H2 Bus Project +€1m per bus, JIVE buses are half this = technology and costs improving



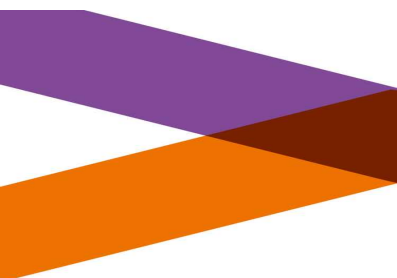
Refuelling Infrastructure

- 2 stations delivering 130 and 360kg/ day
- 350 & 700 bar capable
- Refuel cars, vans, buses, large vehicles
- Both 'green tariff' stations



Until this year Aberdeen had the only two publicly accessible refuelling stations in Scotland!





NEWS

£62 million fund for energy sector

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Part of: [Coronavirus in Scotland](#), [Energy](#), [Economy](#), [Environment and climate change](#)

Support package to help deliver net zero future.

A multi-million pound fund has been set up to help the energy sector recover from the dual economic impacts of coronavirus (COVID-19) and the oil and gas price crash.



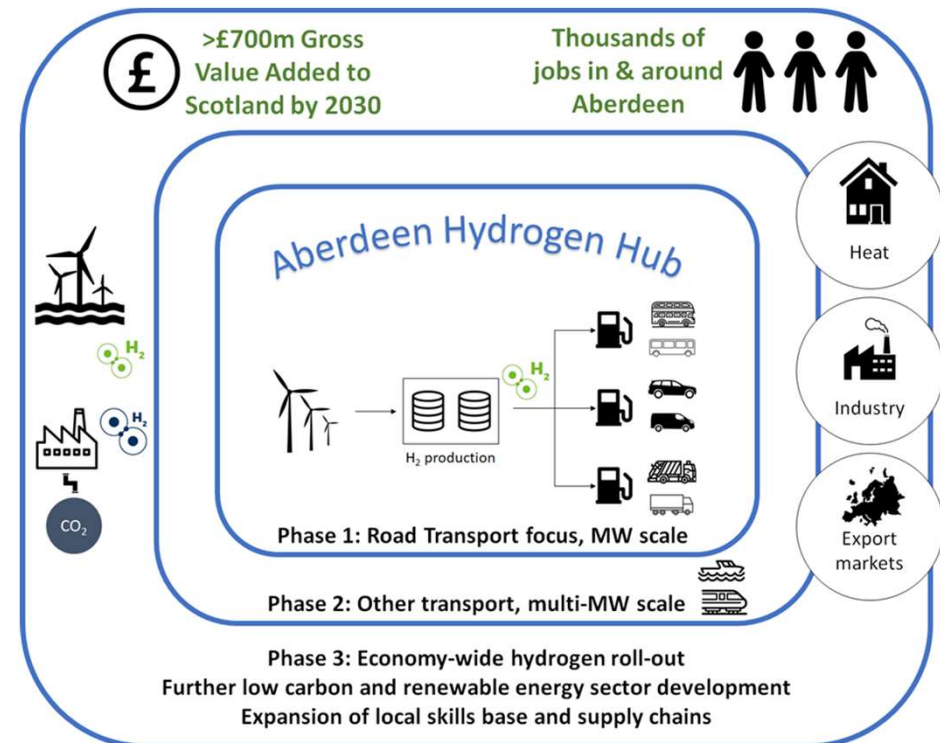
Innovative Hydrogen

- Hydrogen a by-product at our new Exhibition Centre Aberdeen (TECA) and we are looking to see how we can use this to fuel vehicles
- New Energy Transition Zone being created at Aberdeen Harbour South to support development of renewable projects
- Seeking a commercial supply of renewable hydrogen for North East Scotland
- Recently awarded funding from the Scottish Government to develop Aberdeen as a “Hydrogen Hub”



Aberdeen Hydrogen Hub

- **Phase 1** – provision of a resilient, cost effective supply of green hydrogen on a commercial basis to the market to support the existing and proposed transport projects.
- **Phase 2** – Expansion in the short to medium term to connect to larger volume utilisation of hydrogen – trains, trucks and marine.
- **Phase 3** – Whole system approach to supply and demand. Innovation, skills and transition hub to support expansion of the local supply chain. Pursue the ambition for Aberdeen to be the centre of a brand new Energy production business, exporting H2 to the world.



Partnership Working

- Partnership working critical
- We are no longer able to participate in Interreg projects but hope to take part in future Horizon 2020 opportunities
- Aberdeen's strategy for hydrogen has been to work with organisations across Europe to deliver and we hope to continue working across Europe in the future.



Context – Scotland and the EU

- Carbon Emissions: 80% reduction by 2050
- Low Emission Zones in Scotland's main cities by 2020
- Petrol and Diesel cars and vans phase out in all public sector fleets by 2025 and privately by 2032 in Scotland and UK
- Scotland target 2030 50% all energy transport/heating from renewables
- Scottish Government Energy Strategy: 2050 vision for electric and hydrogen futures
- Rapid growth and global interest in renewable hydrogen: Scotland has significant renewable resources, particularly offshore (25% of Europe's offshore wind resource)
- Hydrogen Roadmap Europe: A Sustainable Pathway for the European Energy Transition



The EU Hydrogen Strategy will give a boost to **clean hydrogen production in Europe**. Hydrogen can be used as a **feedstock**, a **fuel** or an **energy carrier and storage** and has many possible applications which would reduce greenhouse gas emissions across industry, transport, power and buildings sectors. The Commission's economic recovery plan 'Next Generation EU' highlights **hydrogen as an investment priority** to boost economic growth and resilience, create local jobs and consolidate the EU's global leadership.

