



## German Hydrogen & Fuel Cell Technology Update

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#### **German Funding**





#### **Government Funding in Germany (2006)**

Total amounts:

2004	2005	2006	2007
70 million €	70 million €	80 million €	115 million €*

<sup>\*</sup> Subject to change

- Federal State of Nordrhein-Westfalen (since 2000):
  - **⇒ 64 projects**
  - ⇒ 121 million €budget and 74 million €funding
    - Development and demonstration (110 million €)
    - (Basic) research (11 million €)





#### **Federal Government Funding in Germany**

- Relevant Programmes
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Federal Energy Research Programme (July 2005)
  - National Innovation Programme on H2/FC (NIP) (May 2006)
- Responsibilities
  - Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF):
    Basic research, Programme for micro fuel cells, Institutional funding; 5th Federal Energy Research Programme
  - Federal Ministry of Economics and Technology (BMWi):
    Applied research & development; 5th Federal Energy Research Programme
  - Federal Ministry of Transport, Building and Urban Affairs (BMVBS):
    Demonstration & deployment; National Innovation Programme on H2/FC

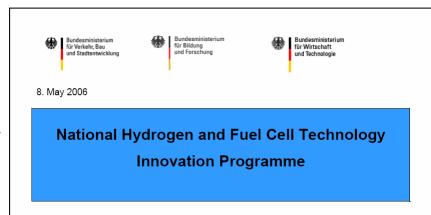
#### **New Programme NIP**





## **National Innovation Programme on H2/FC (NIP)**

- Goal: Bridging the gap between R&D and market development
  - Additional funding: 500 million € over the next 10 years, i.e. nearly a doubling of public funding
  - Implementation: through public-private-partnerships with average public funding of 50 %, i.e. additional 1 billion € over next 10 years
  - Focus: market preparation with demonstration / lighthouse projects (2/3), accompanied by R&D projects (1/3)
  - <u>Link</u>: implementation in close coordination and cooperation with EU / further international activities and regions



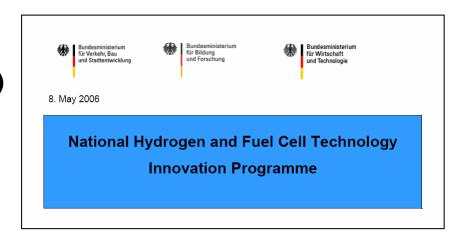
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### Criteria for Lighthouse Projects in NIP

- Lighthouse projects should bridge the gap between today's prototypes and full-scale commercialisation
- Use of extensive experiences, capacity, (financial) commitments and existing infrastructure in individual regions ("starter regions" Berlin, Hamburg, NRW)
- Advancement of existing R&D and demonstration projects
- Concentration on a few sites (clusters) in the beginning, broadening of activities and linking up with those in other European regions
- Cooperation of a wide range of companies including SMEs

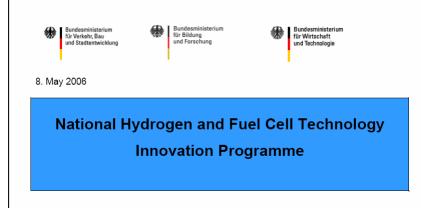






### **Current Status of the Implementation of NIP**

- Commitments of industry (Protocol declaration of 24 companies) for matching the public funding (in place since October 2006)
- Discussions and agreements with the Federal States concerning their participation (ongoing since September 2006)
- Overall programme of work by Strategy Council H2/FC (transport, stationary and early market) (by February 2007)
- EU-Notification of the NIP (expected February 2007)
- Plenary meeting (March 2007)
- Foundation of Programme Management Association (NOW) and begin of operational activities (after March 2007)







## **Transport – Clean Energy Partnership (CEP)**

# Hydrogen demonstration project in Berlin to demonstrate the reliability of hydrogen in everyday motor vehicle operation

- Duration
- Two p
  CEP could be extended in the NIP (CEP plus)
- Hydrogen gassas and negate
- 17 passenger cars from BMW, DaimlerChrysler, Ford, GM/Opel and Volkswagen
- Total cost: 33 million €, funding of 5 million € by Federal Government
- 14 busses from MAN with ICE projected (within EUproject HyFleet:CUTE)

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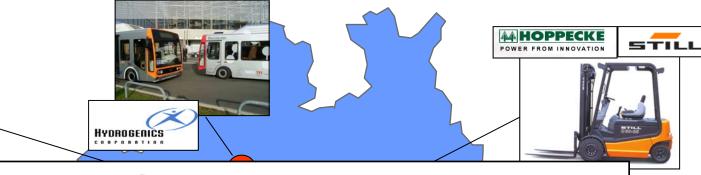






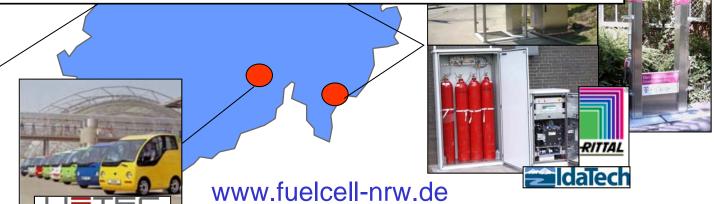


## Early Market Applications – Some Examples from NRW



Partners in NRW have already proposed

more than 20 projects for the NIP



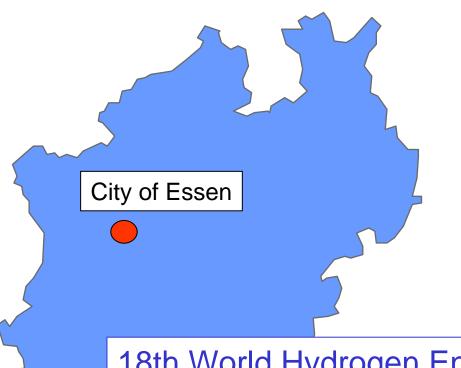
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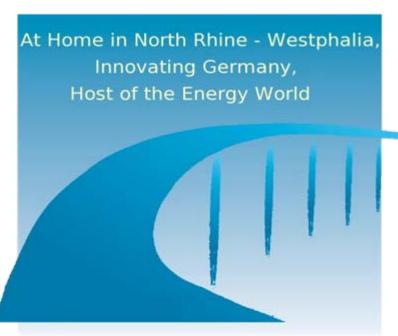
#### A look in the future





#### The next long-term milestone ...





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