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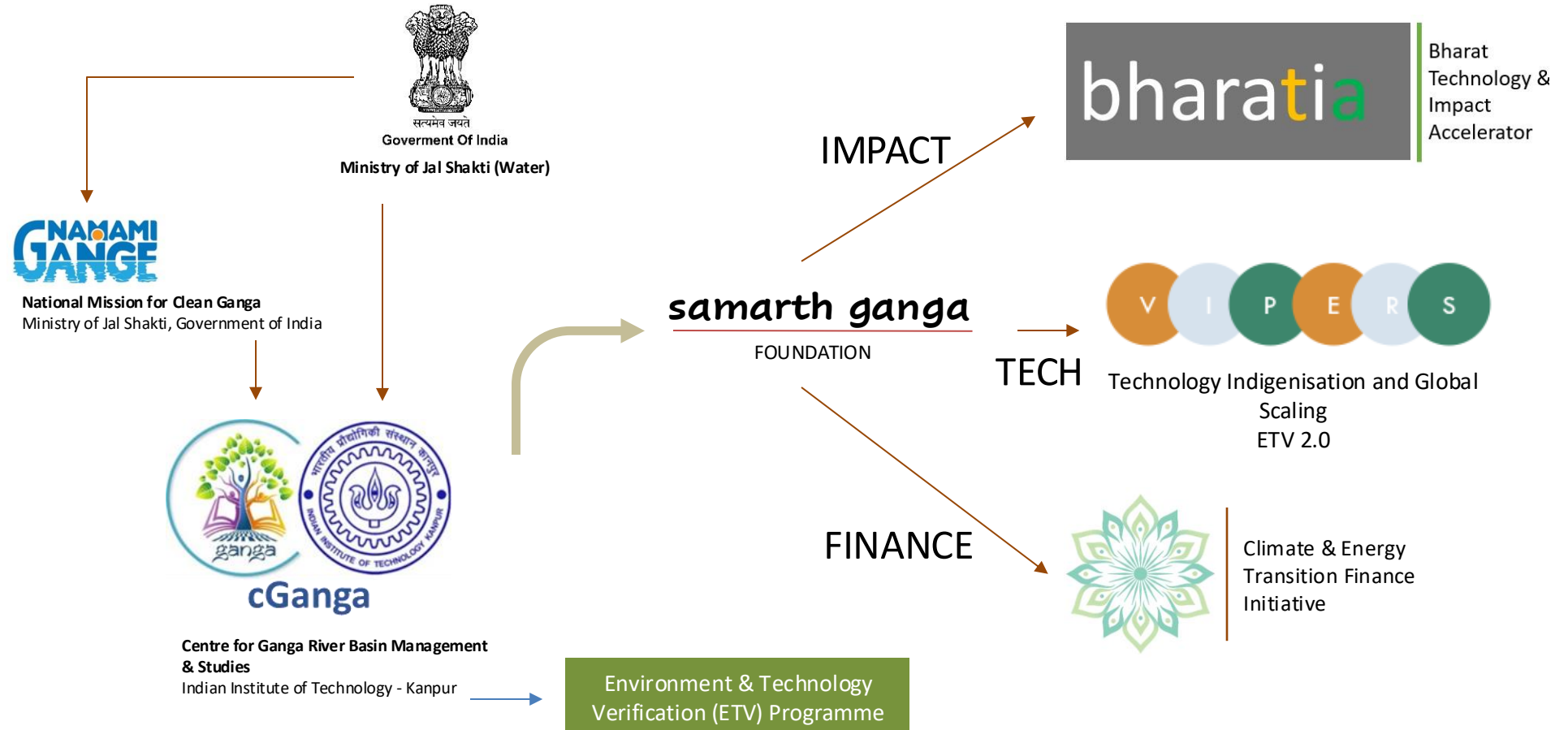
Bharat
Technology &
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Accelerator

Hyper-accelerating Icelandic technologies in India

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India Iceland Trade Council
Reykjavik

Genesis



The Bharat Technology and Impact Accelerator (Bharatia) is a pan emerging markets, non-profit, Foundation that delivers impact through a unique blend of technology commercialisation and investment management.



Tech HyperX

The technology hyper-acceleration platform takes solutions from validation to First-of-a-Kind commercial demonstration project in shortest possible timeframe.

<https://www.bharatia.org/etv>



Climate & Energy
Transition Finance
Initiative

CETFI develops structured finance solutions and investment platforms with qualified “Asset Managers” to accelerate commercialisation and global scale up of solutions.

www.cetfi.org

India to become a USD 7tn economy in FY30...

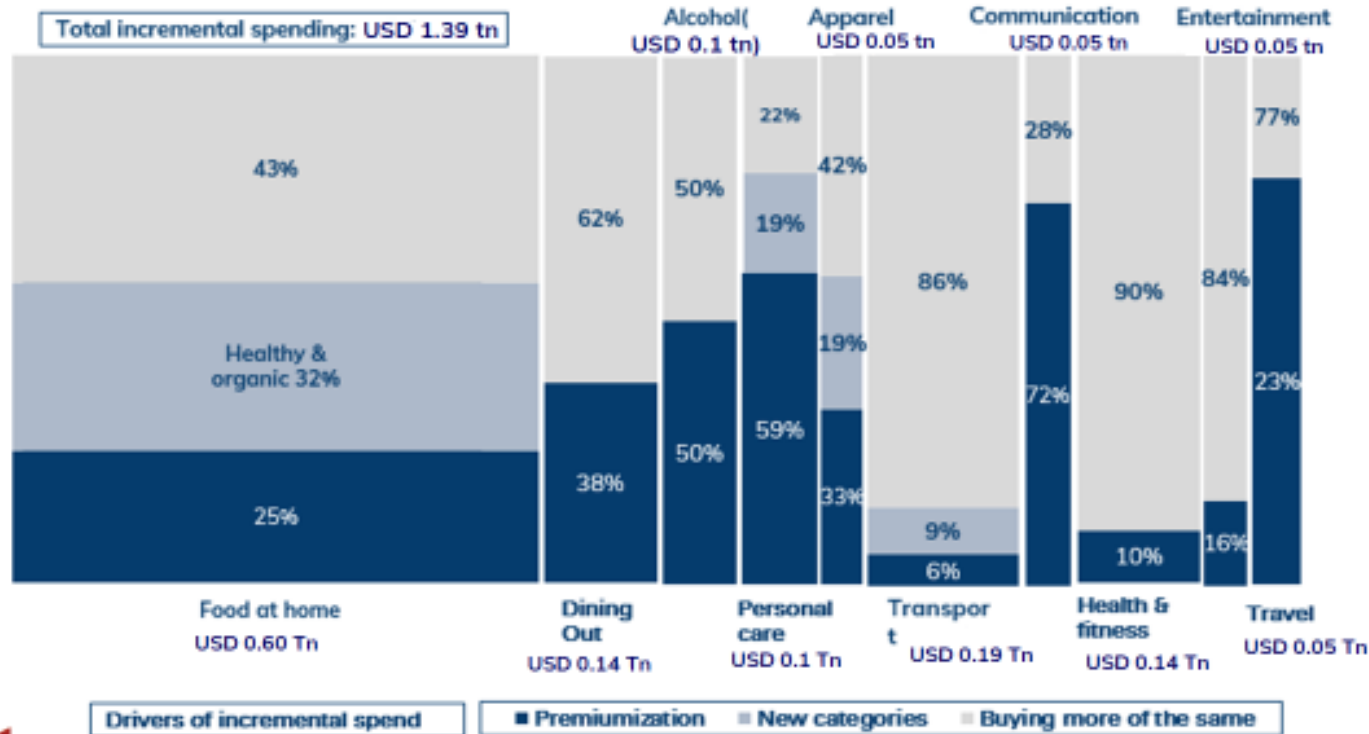


India's growth journey



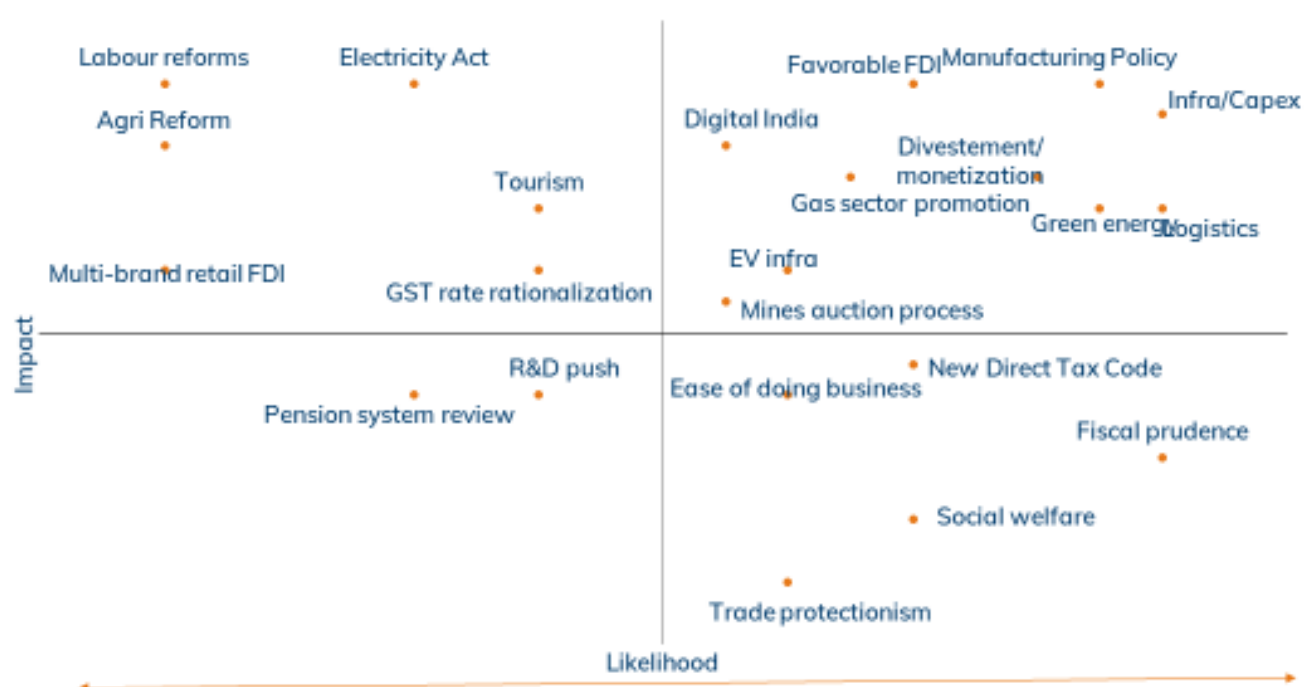
Source: IMF & ICICI Bank Research

Drivers of incremental consumption (FY23-FY27)



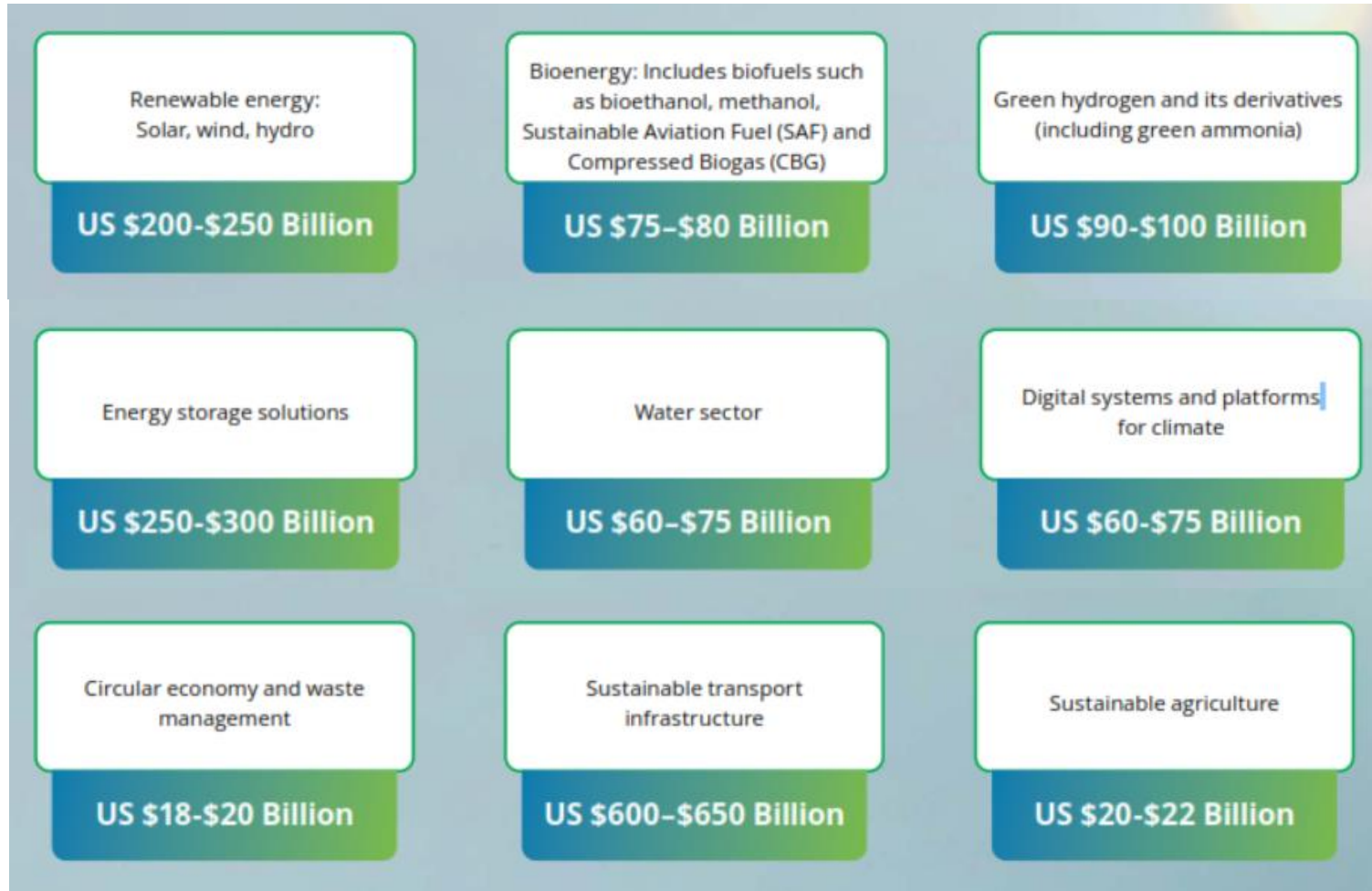
Source: World economic forum and ICICI Bank Research

Focus area during Modi 3.0



Source: ICICI Bank

Climate and Energy Transition Opportunity



Barriers to Technology Commercialisation and Acceleration

Barrier 1



Technology is not Emerging Market Ready

Numerous technology companies, especially those originating from developed nations, encounter difficulties when attempting to effectively introduce their solutions to emerging markets like India. These challenges arise due to a failure in adapting their commercial offerings to the unique economic conditions prevailing in the target market. The key factors contributing to this issue are:

- Failure to adapt to local standards, policies and regulations
- Over-reliance on importing capital equipment and machinery that leads to higher costs
- Not adapting to local market economics
- Neglecting to develop local talent and delivery mechanisms

Barrier 2



No Reference Site in-country

Having a reference site is very critical to establishing confidence amongst all key stakeholders including clients, investors and lenders. The reference site also helps the technology company assess their in-country costs and commercial price offering. However, establishing a commercial reference site in country is not easy for companies. The factors leading to this situation are:

- Government clients cannot offer a commercial site on a nomination basis. This can only be done via a policy or a else the only other way is a “project-tender”
- Companies do not have any local presence to be able to qualify for a tender
- Companies do not also have local deliver set-up or partners

Barrier 3



Lack of Scale

The final and a significant barrier that companies face in their pathway to technology acceleration is their inability to establish a structure that allows them to receive investments for scaling up. The factors contributing to the situation are:

- Not being able to distinguish or separate the technology engineering/innovation process from “projects – technology deployment”
- The engineering teams and project teams require different structures and skill-sets
- Project entities are balance-sheet heavy that require significant equity investment
- Engineering processes also require capital investment for being able to provide performance-guarantees

How ETV Programme Removes the Barriers

Removing Barrier 1

Technology is not Emerging Market Ready



- Conducting the Technology Readiness Level (TRL), Commercialisation Readiness Level (CRL) and Impact Readiness Level (IRL) assessment from emerging markets perspective
- Identifying the gaps and making recommendations to boost TRL/CRL/IRL scores
- Help with **securing local supply chain** and **comply with regulations**
- Help with finding with and entering a collaboration model with local delivery partners

Removing Barrier 2

No Reference Site in-country



- Identifying the first commercial reference site
- Securing government (or client) permission and project award
- Developing KPIs for project success
- Developing the project financing model and helping secure funding

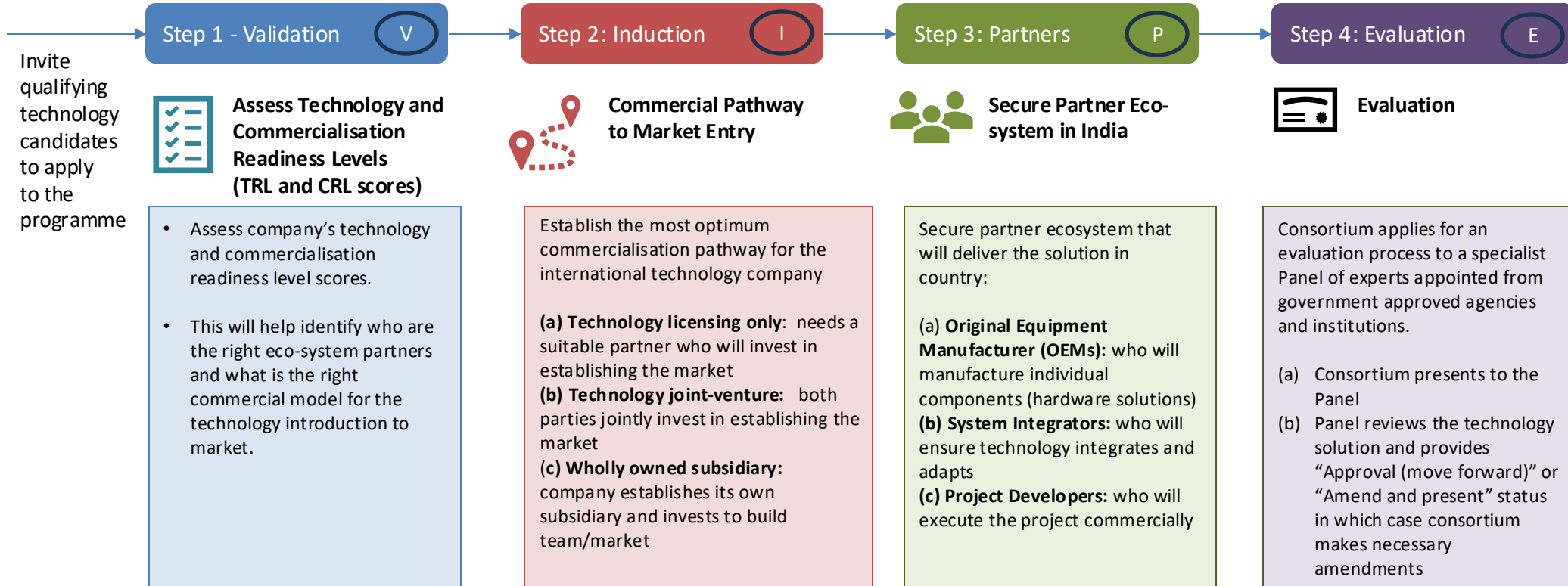
Removing Barrier 3

Lack of Scale



- Creating a PPP/BOOT/Leasing model for technology solution
- Developing commercial off-takes and partnerships
- Developing technology license partnership model
- Providing a framework for separating technology engineering and
- Developing the project financing model and helping secure funding

Provide a structured programme for international companies that provides a streamlined interface and takes away all the complexities of navigating through the Indian market. The programme using **VIPERS** approach will deliver:



Step 5: First-of-a-Kind (FOAK) Commercial Project Reference Site

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Step 6: Scale-Up

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A. Securing Project

- Identify Project
- Proposal from delivery consortium
- Receive Letters of Intent from the Project Sponsor
- Sign binding project delivery agreements
- Visibility on project off-take is there at this point

Commercial Investors and Project Finance

Project moves on to securing capital investment

- Commercial investors shall enter into investment relationship with the delivery consortium.
- Once equity investment is in place, the consortium proceeds to secure project finance / lending from various financial institutions
- Project sponsor and Off-taker needs to see visibility of funding.

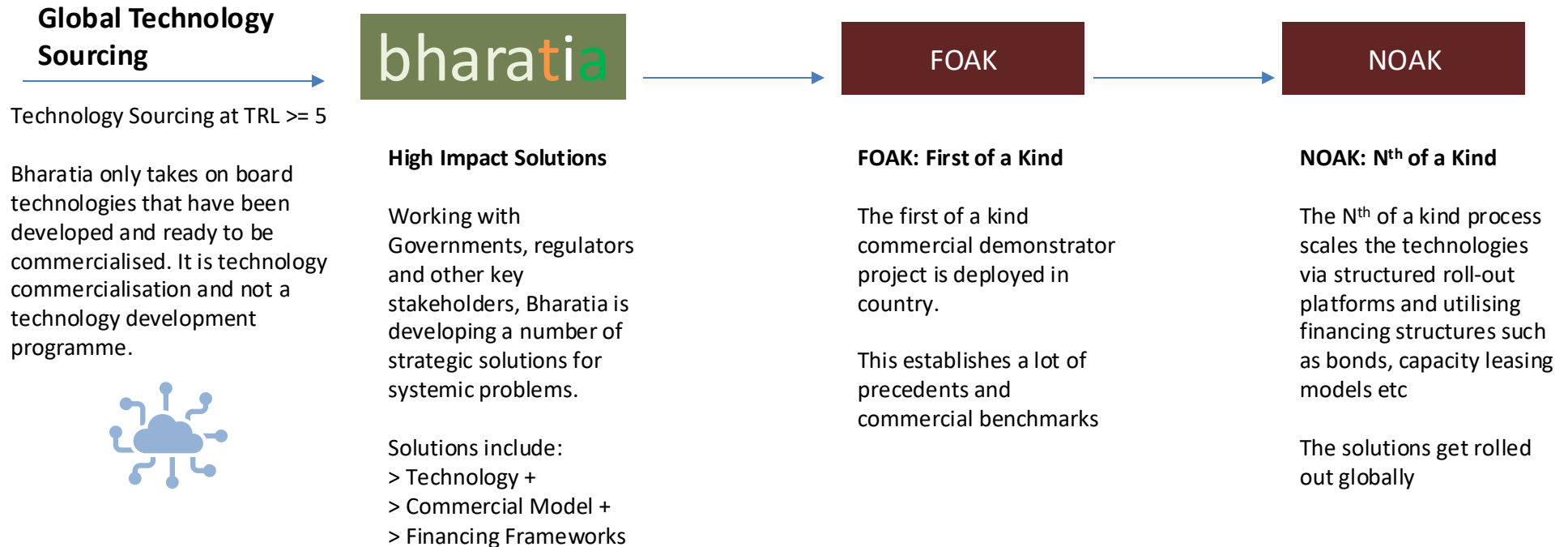
Enabling Off-take Agreements

Once project funding is in place, the off-taker enters into binding agreement on delivery of service, eg managing cold-storage facility or an output commodity from the project – e.g. supplying treated water,

Nth-of-a-kind (NOAK)

Consortium develops frameworks to scale the solution up using one or more models to bring capital into the project platform.

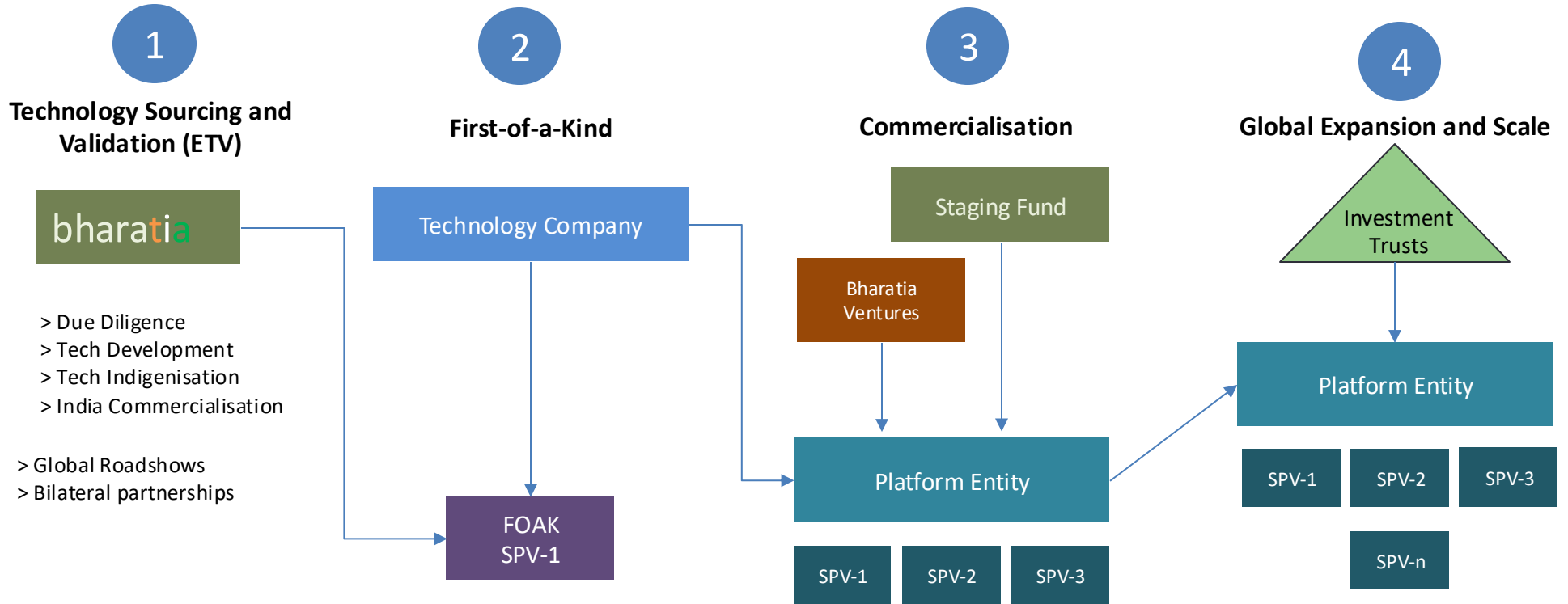
How does Bharatia deliver





Technology Acceleration

Impact Acceleration



Solution 1: Soil less farming



The IMEC[®] hydro-membrane farming systems comprises of the Hydro-Membrane and the water and nutrient feeding system that is economical and simple to set up and operate which allows anybody and everybody to grow food. Developed by Mebiol Inc, Japan, the **the world's first Hydro-Membrane based Farming Technology coupled with climate controlled system developed by** Mebifarm, addresses some of the serious issues that our world faces today such as water scarcity, reduction of arable land due to soil degradation and contamination, and climate change.

Salient Features Include:

- Anywhere and Everywhere farming
- Climate controlled system enables 365 days
- Reducing water consumption by upto 80%
- Eliminating agricultural run-offs
- Highly nutritious and high quality produce
- Zero chemicals at root level
- Easy set up
- High ROI



Farm in India

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By enabling soil-less farming,

- Allows top-soil to regenerate and saves on water
- Reduces carbon
- Near/inner city farming eliminates transport costs
- High Income and Livelihood for farmers

SECTOR: Food and Agriculture

TARGET SIZE: 100 hectare farm systems across the country

Solution 2: Decentralised Waste-water Treatment



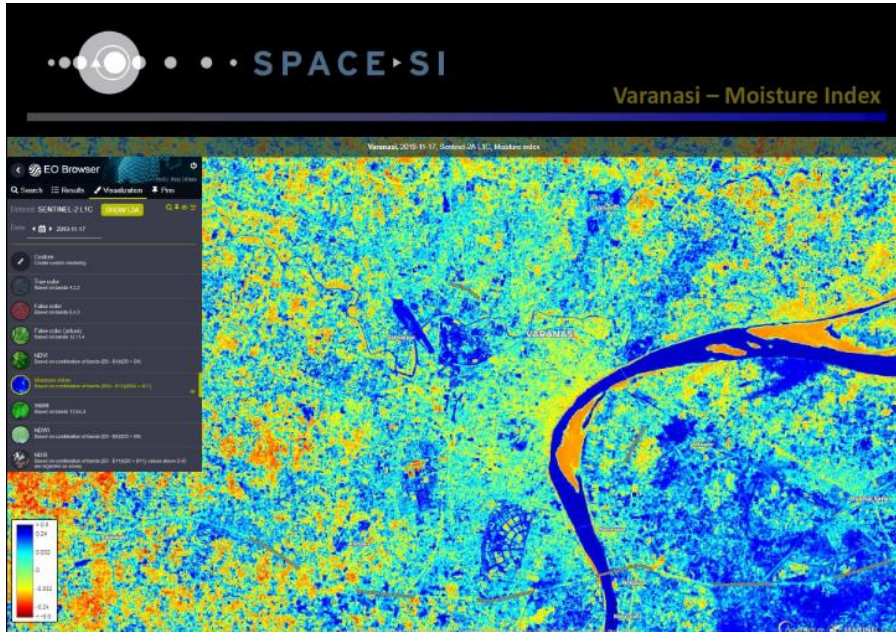
- > Continuous Sequential Flow Reactor / SABRE technology sourced from UK
- > Technology allows waste-water to be treated on-site
- > Technology indigenised by cGanga/ETV/Bharatia by demonstrating in cleaning up of a lake in 48 hrs (Mumbai, above) and a real time treatment of a drain (Pimpri)
- > Technology deployment cost reduced to make it affordable
- > Can be deployed rapidly in under 2 weeks at any given site

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In-situ treatment

- High rate enzymatic biotechnology
- Can rejuvenate ponds, lakes, drains, rivers in weeks
- Reduces water transport cost and infrastructure
- Provides high quality water bathing or drinking level
- Enables water supply to those not receiving it
- Major increase in water resilience

Solution 3: Satellite Remote Sensing



- > Advanced remote sensing satellite technology sourced from Slovenia
- > Technology allows mapping water bodies even through penetration of cloud cover
- > Technology indigenised by cGanga/ETV/Bharatia by partnership with IIT-Kanpur
- > Technology deployment makes it easier for river basin organisations to map various water bodies and historical changes going back upto 5 years



UN recognises the solution as a transformational tool for river basin management



cGanga signed MoUs with Space SI and VGB Maribor during the President Ram Nath Kovind to Slovenia in September 2019. The ceremony took place in presidential palace In Ljubljana and was hosted by the Slovenian president H.E. Mr. Borut Pahor.

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By enabling satellite remote sensing

- Allows managers of land, forests, water bodies to put in place measures
- Advanced warning on risks
- Access to historical data

Solution 4: Waste Management – End of Life Tyres



Over 2.2 MMT of end of life tyres produced in India annually | EPR regulation applies

- Ultra High-Pressure Water-jet (UHPW) uses high pressure water streams to pulverise scrap tyres into premium value rubber powders
- The output is 100% guaranteed free of inter-banded cross-contamination (very “clean” product)
- Energy efficient
- Enables 100% resource recovery
- The process can be adapted to deliver recycling of : Passenger car tyres, Truck/Lorry tyres, Heavy earth moving equipment tyres and other materials such as plastics, cable wires and electronics

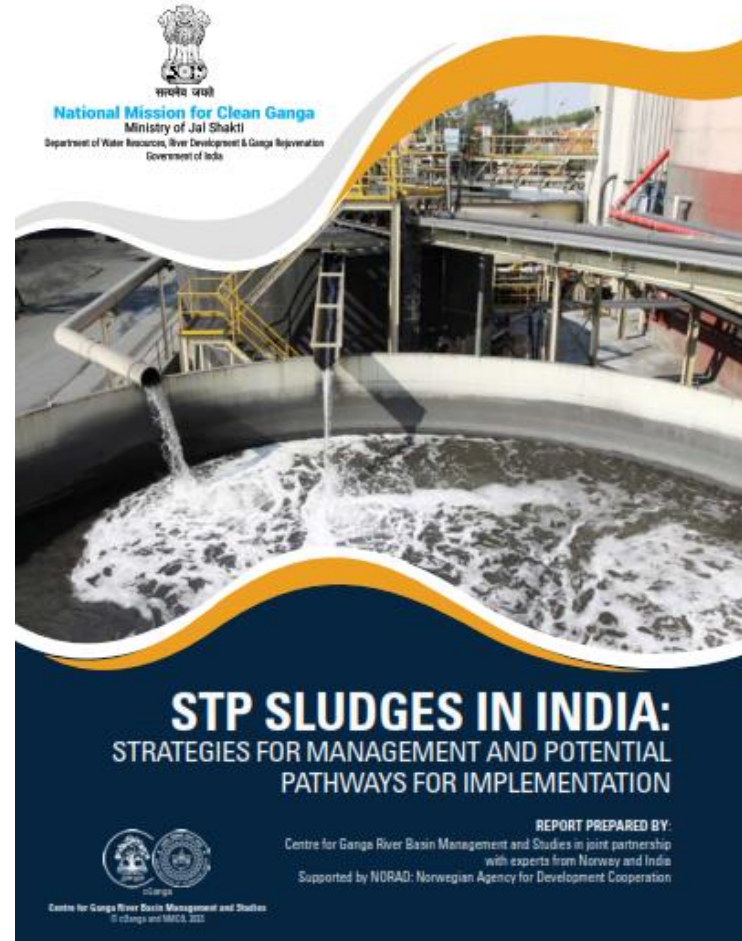
Solution 5: Sludge Management

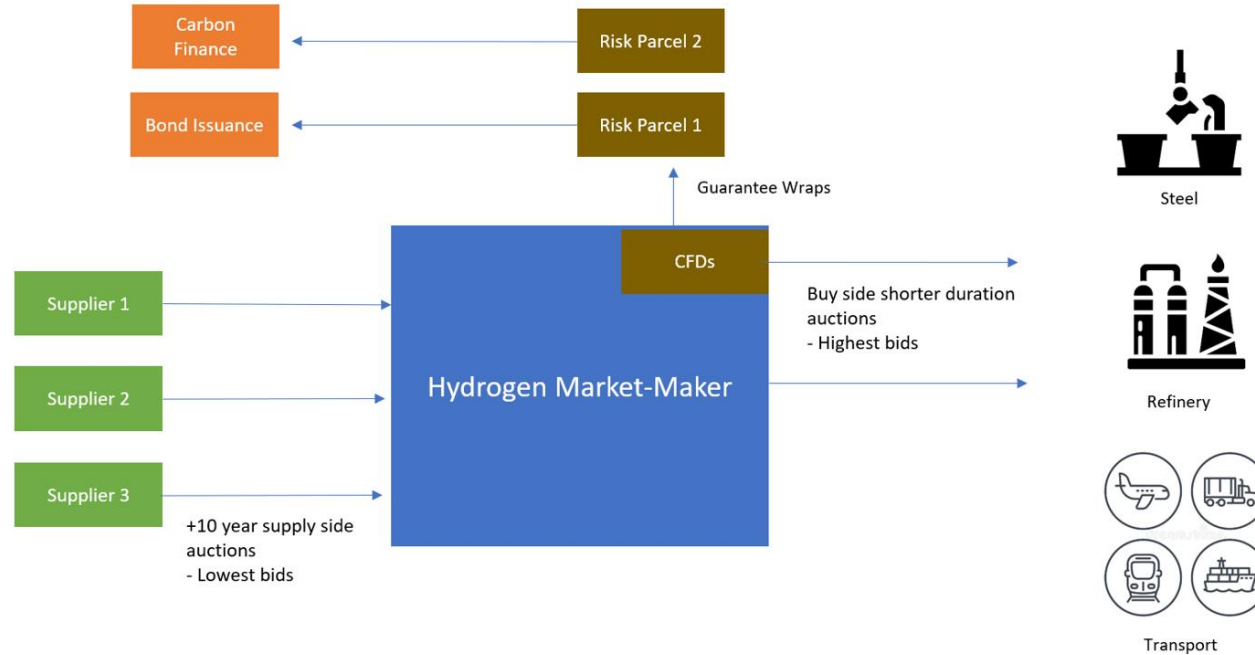


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Sludge Treatment

- Hugely toxic and highly polluting reject of STPs sorted
- Diversion to landfill reduced
- Provides high quality soil enhancer
- Top soil rejuvenation





- Impact trading platform in partnership with global climate funds
- Offers 10+ years off-take to producers
- Downstream Market-making
- Price discovery on both ends
- Packages “differential” in pricing in separate risk parcels
- Green bonds and carbon financing

Sectors

Primary



Water

- Wastewater treatment
- Water supply
- Drinking water
- Water network
- Water resource management
- Water use efficiency



Energy

- Renewable energy
- Clean hydrogen
- Bioenergy
- Energy efficiency
- Energy networks
- Storage and RTC



Waste

- Waste management
- Waste material recovery
- Circular economy
- Waste recycling
- Waste reduction



Agriculture

- Sustainable agriculture
- Climate controlled farming
- Irrigation efficiency
- Yield enhancement
- Agri supply chains
- Organic farming



Climate

- Climate science
- Climate data
- Climate modelling
- Climate Decision systems
- CO2 and CH4 tracking
- Emissions/Carbon trading
- Emissions reduction

Enabler



Digital

- Digital twins
- Sensors and IoT
- Data analysis
- Remote sensing
- Decision support systems
- Digital Apps

Applied Sectors



Transport

- Electric Vehicles
- Charging network
- Hydrogen powered transport
- Hydrogen filling stations
- Biofuels powered transport
- Biofuel filling stations
- EVTOLs



Manufacturing

- Green Manufacturing
- Material efficiency
- Production efficiency
- Waste management
- Energy efficiency
- Heat recovery
- Emissions reduction



Urban

- Green buildings
- Green cities
- Urban redesigning
- Reducing heat islands
- 15-20 mins cities
- Cities adopting villages
- Slowing urbanisation
- Air pollution

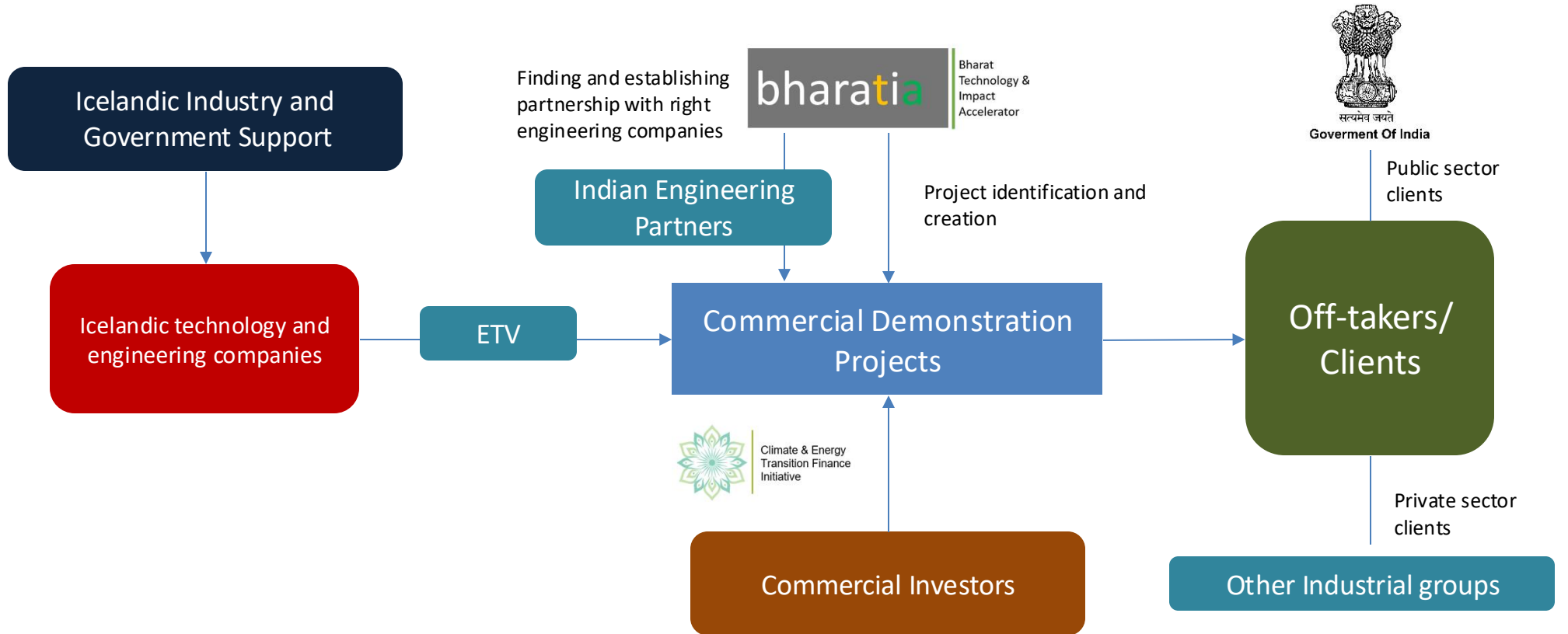


Biodiversity

- Top-soil rejuvenation
- Wildlife and animal conservation
- Wetlands restoration
- Oceans restoration
- Nature rewilding
- Afforestation

1. One-stop for market entry and technology acceleration
2. Deep innovation eco-system for OEMs and partners
3. IP protection
4. Access to **dedicated marquee projects**
5. Access to deep talent pool
6. Access to Indian and global investors
7. Strategic springboard to global emerging markets
8. to market entry reduced by 80%
9. Solution scaled up to over 4bn global market

Iceland – India Ambition



Partners to solve global climate problems

Icelandic scientific, technological and engineering expertise

India's ability to scale solutions

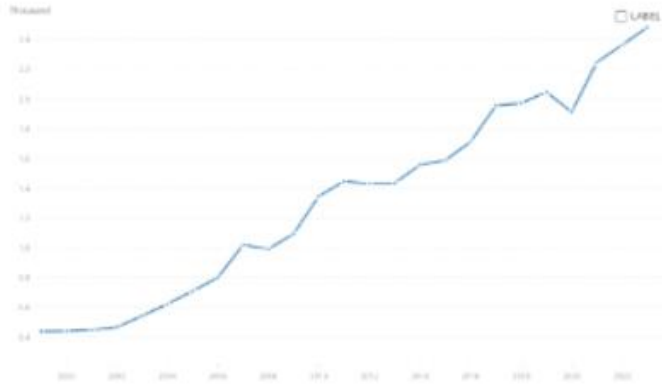
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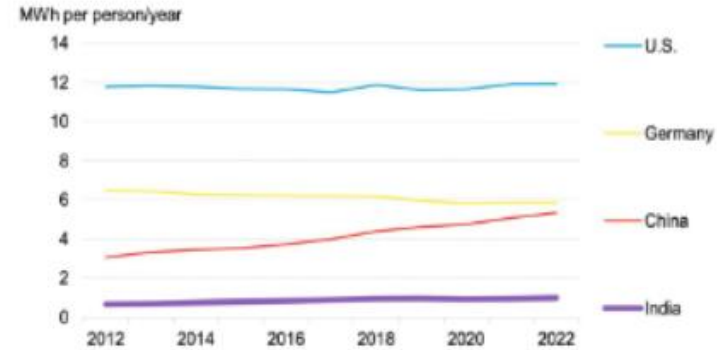
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Backup Slides – only if needed

India | A high growth market with per capita income (current US\$) growing almost 5x in last two decades

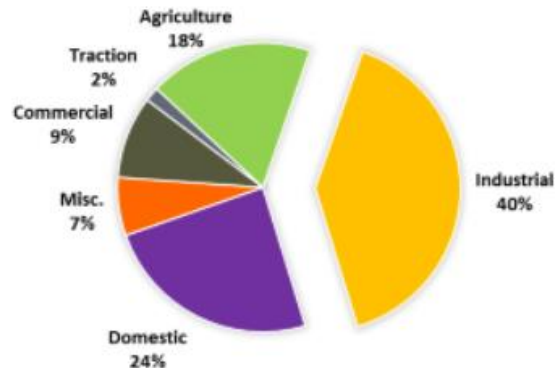


Poor infrastructure and connectivity has meant very low power consumption per capita compared to other markets



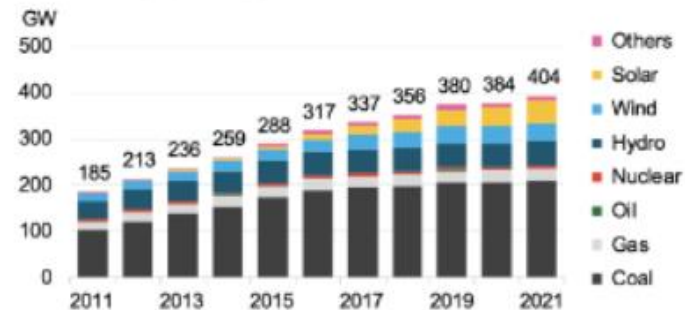
Source: BloombergNEF, World Bank

Expectedly, industry and domestic consume more than 2/3rd of the electricity in India



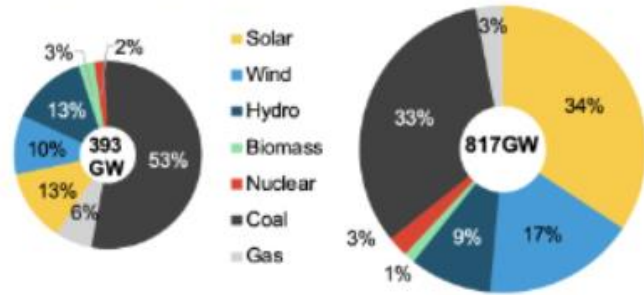
As a policy, India is moving away from coal thermal

Installed capacity is dominated by coal but renewables are steadily gaining ground

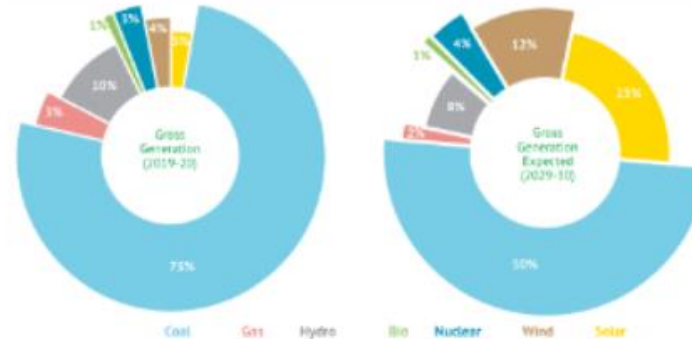


India power capacity is expected to be dominated by RE sources in 2030

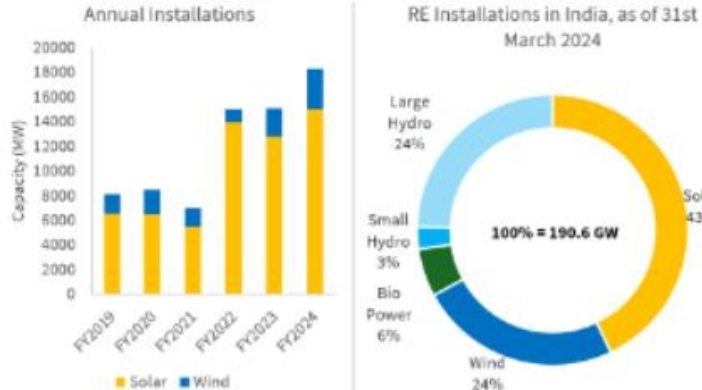
India power capacity, 2021 actual and 2030 forecast



RE sourced power generation is expected to be half of the total mix by 2030



RE installed capacity crosses 190GW, with a strong pipeline of 100GW+



Auction based FDRE tariff quoted @ Rs 4.38 – Rs 5.59, last 12 months



Share of Renewable Energy in overall Energy Mix in India

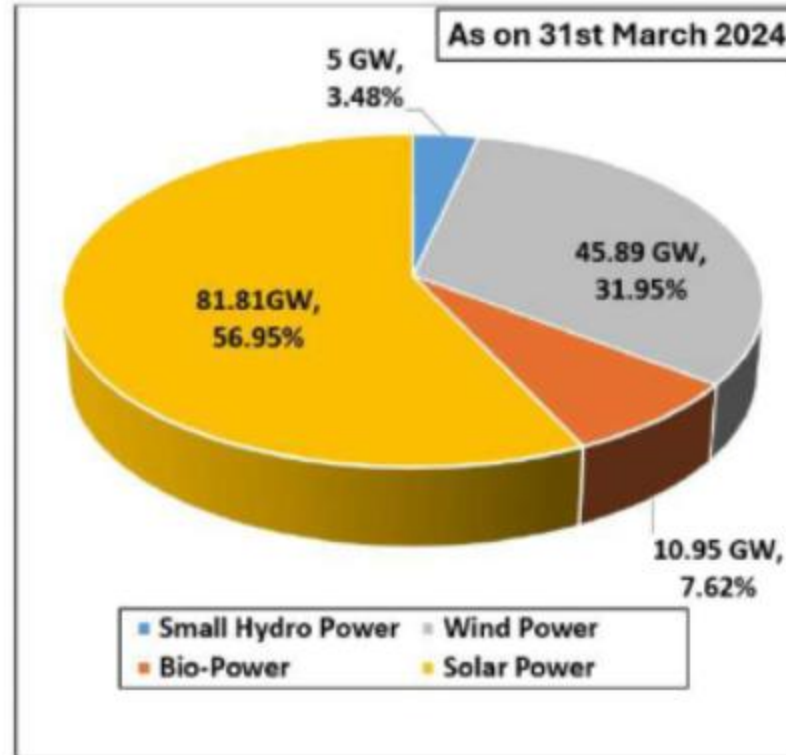
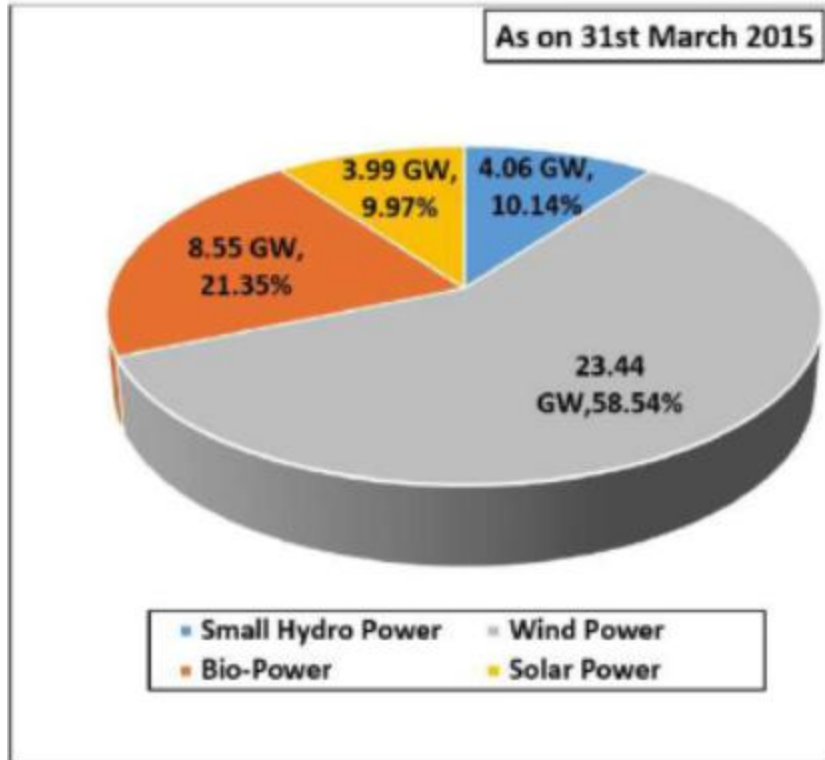
Share of RE has grown from 29.44% in 2014-15 to 43.14% in 2023-24



Source: Renewable Energy Statistics 2023-24, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India

Share of various sources of RE – cumulative installed capacity

Solar has become the most dominant source of RE power in India with 56.95% share of capacity. India surpassed 100GW installed capacity in Jan 2025, with 84GW under implementation and 47GW under tendering. **500GW RE target by 2030.**



Source: Renewable Energy Statistics 2023-24, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India

State-wise distribution of installed capacity

Top 5 states are: Gujarat (27,461 GW), Rajasthan (27,103 GW), Tamil Nadu (22,161 GW), Karnataka (21,441 GW) and Maharashtra (17,530 GW)

(in MW)

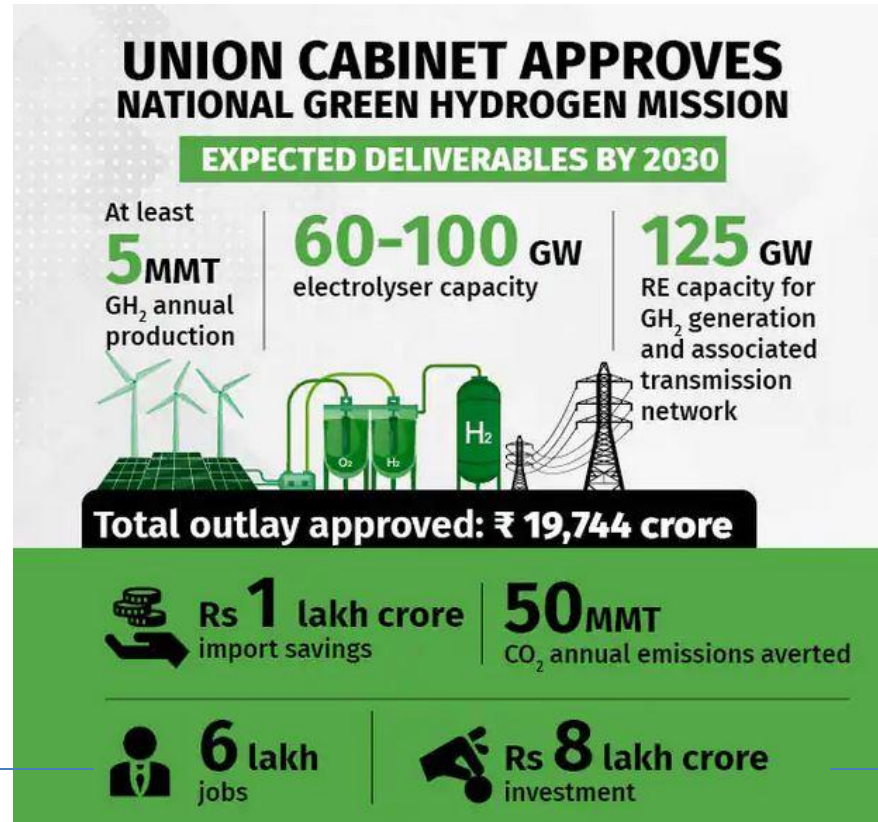
States /UTs	Small Hydro Power	Wind Power	Bio Power	Solar Power	Large Hydro	Total Capacity
Andhra Pradesh	163.31	4096.65	574.39	4584.98	1610.00	11029.33
Arunachal Pradesh	133.11		0.00	11.79	1115.00	1259.90
Assam	34.11		2.00	156.18	350.00	542.29
Bihar	70.70		140.22	239.23		450.15
Chhattisgarh	76.00		275.00	1212.39	120.00	1683.39
Goa	0.05		1.94	43.48		45.47
Gujarat	91.64	11722.72	112.48	13544.88	1990.00	27461.72
Haryana	73.50		283.70	1475.72		1832.92
Himachal Pradesh	969.71		10.20	95.23	10281.02	11356.16
Jammu & Kashmir	169.93		0.00	65.44	3360.00	3595.37
Jharkhand	4.05		19.10	162.40	210.00	395.55
Karnataka	1280.73	6019.61	1907.72	8544.68	3689.20	21441.94
Kerala	276.52	63.50	2.50	1022.79	1864.15	3229.46
Ladakh	42.99		0.00	7.80	89.00	139.79
Madhya Pradesh	123.71	2844.29	134.94	3995.43	2235.00	9333.37
Maharashtra	382.28	5207.98	2643.19	6249.67	3047.00	17530.12
Manipur	5.45		0.00	13.04	105.00	123.49
Meghalaya	55.03		13.80	4.24	322.00	395.07
Mizoram	45.47		0.00	30.31	60.00	135.78
Nagaland	32.67		0.00	3.17	75.00	110.84

Odisha	115.63		59.22	495.63	2154.55	2825.03
Punjab	176.10		567.25	1324.27	1096.30	3163.92
Rajasthan	23.85	5195.82	125.64	21347.58	411.00	27103.89
Sikkim	55.11		0.00	7.04	2282.00	2344.15
Tamil Nadu	123.05	10603.54	1045.45	8211.38	2178.20	22161.62
Telangana	90.87	128.10	221.67	4758.16	2405.60	7604.40
Tripura	16.01		0.00	18.46		34.47
Uttar Pradesh	49.10		2226.14	2920.33	501.60	5697.17
Uttarakhand	218.82		142.24	575.53	4035.35	4971.94
West Bengal	98.50		348.36	194.07	1341.20	1982.13
Andaman & Nicobar	5.25		0.00	29.91		35.16
Chandigarh			0.00	65.52		65.52
Dadar & Nagar Haveli/ Daman & Diu			0.00	46.47		46.47
Delhi			84.00	256.51		340.51
Lakshadweep			0.00	4.97		4.97
Puducherry			0.00	49.91		49.91
Others		4.30	0.00	45.01		49.31
Total	5003.25	45886.51	10941.15	81813.60	46928.17	190572.68

Source: Renewable Energy Statistics 2023-24, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India

Green Hydrogen Potential

Due to abundance of solar and cheap RE power, India stands to become a global hub for GH₂ production



600k jobs

£80bn

Source: Green Hydrogen Mission, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India

Scaling-up will deliver a reduction in costs of GH2

The levelised cost of green hydrogen in India will likely fall by up to 40% to Rs260-310/kg (US\$3-3.75/kg) with the support of incentives, cheap renewable electricity, waiver of ISTS open access charges, distribution and transmission charges and lowering the GST rate for hydrogen to 5%.

Electrolyser manufacturers are projected to achieve a 7-10% reduction in total system costs for the first five years with Rs2,960/kW (US\$36/kW) being the average annual realisable base incentive.

India: Race to Cut Cost of Green Hydrogen

Major renewable sector players plan to beat fossil hydrogen \$6 per kg hydrogen



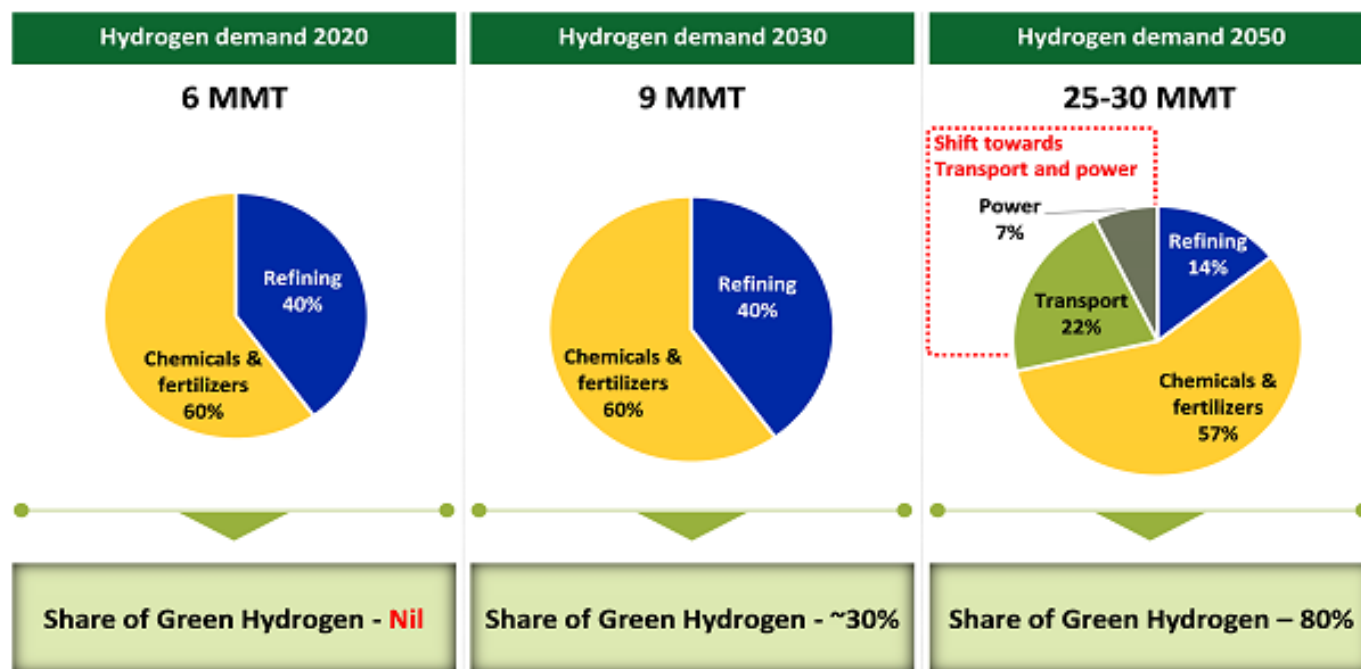
Sources: BNEF, Various media outlets

IEEFA

Source: Institute for Energy Economics and Financial Analysis

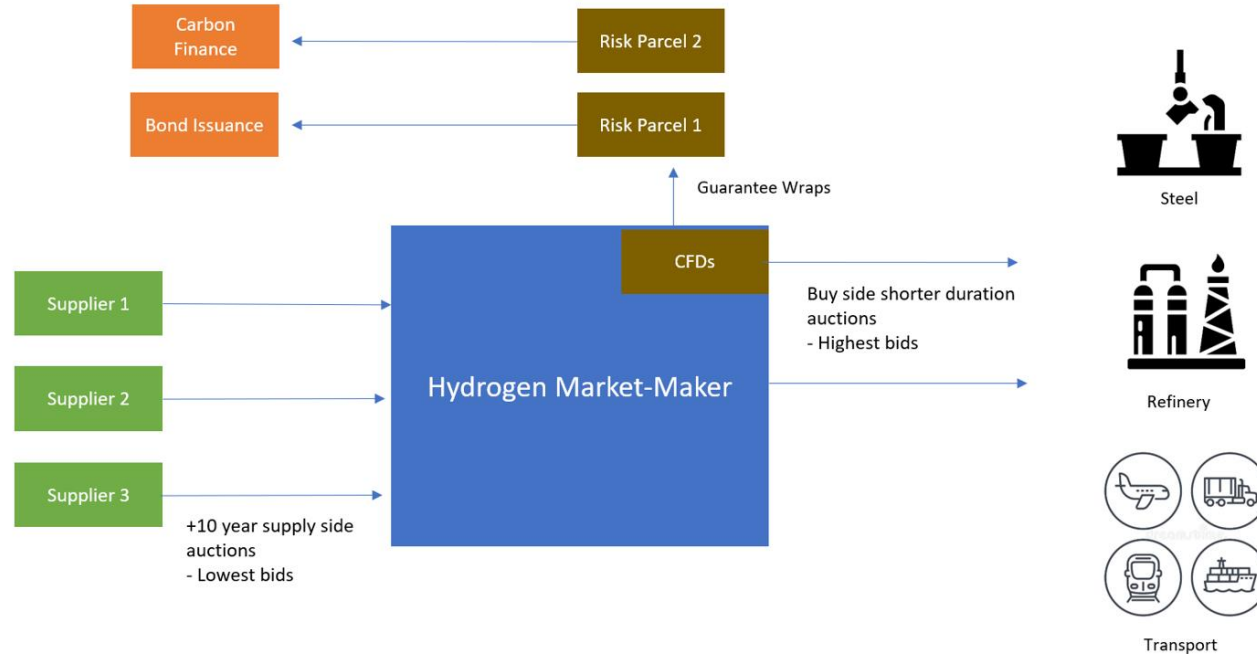
Consumption patterns in Hydrogen

Hydrogen demand will see shift to transport and power going forward



Source: TERI, ICRA Research |

Bharatia Initiatives in GH2



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Initiative 2: Electrolyzer Capacity Leasing Model

