



# FUEVA

EUROPEAN FUEL CELL VEHICLES TECHNOLOGY VALIDATION

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# Overview

## Project partners

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**Start: 01.01.2003**  
**Duration: 42 month**  
**Budget: 2 M€**  
**EU contribution: 1,2 M€**



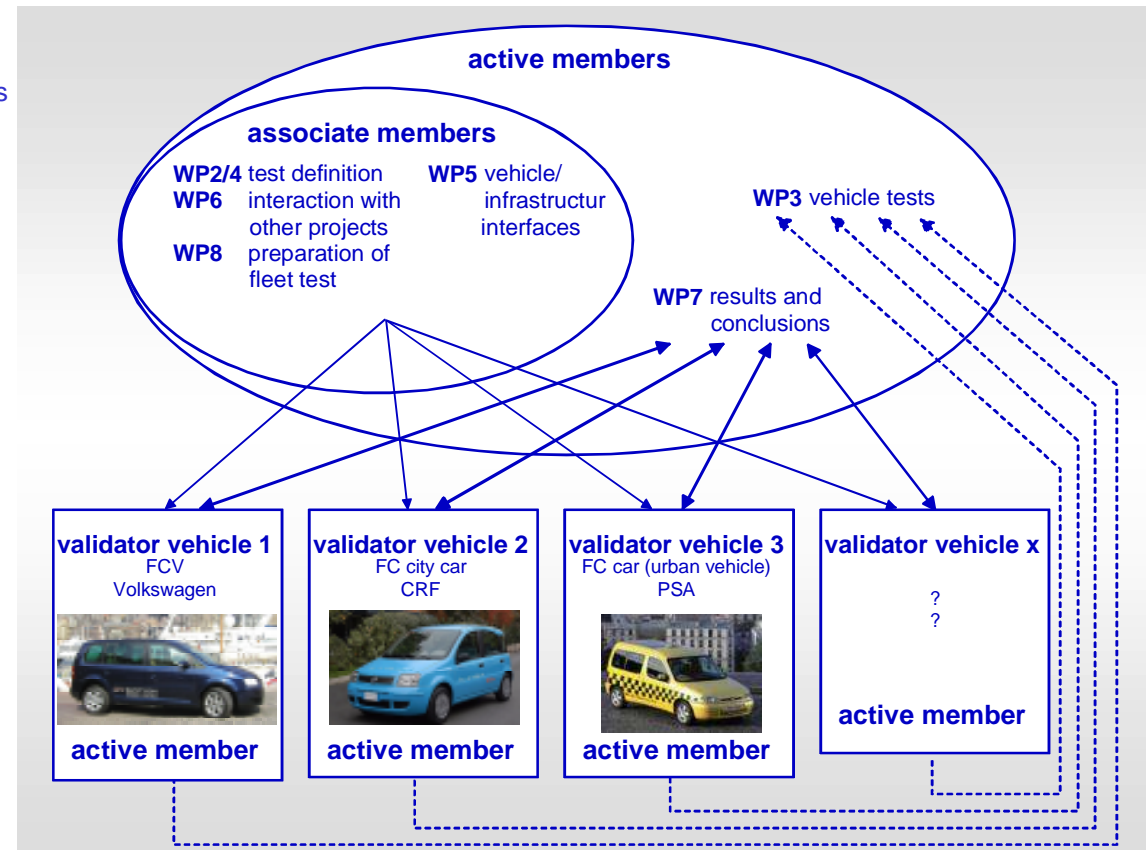
# Overview

## Project structure

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### Main Tasks:

- Modification of regulations, codes and standards for usage with FCV with focus on fuel consumption measurement
- Preparation of test equipment  
for performing the various measurement methods at different locations
- Vehicle measurements
- Refinement of the proposed documents
- Verification of measurement methods, also possible in cooperation with other European/International projects





## WP 2

### Standards and Regulations in the scope of the project

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	European Regulation	ECE Directive	Status
Fuel Consumption H <sub>2</sub>	R101	80-1268	V
Fuel Consumption LH <sub>2</sub> & CO <sub>2</sub> emissions	R101	80-1268	V
Emissions	R83-05	70-220	D
Start up time & energy cons.	(R 101)	70-220	V
Maximum & 30 min power	R85-84	80-1269	V
Maximum Electrical power (FC system + Battery)	-----	New draft	V
Range with fuel + Battery	(R 101)	-----	V
Range with fuel	(R 101)	-----	D
Status : Validated, Draft, Not Achieved, Not Modified			



## WP 2

### H2 measurement methods

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- **Electric current method:** the hydrogen consumption is calculated by measuring the output current of the fuel cell stack
- **Pressure temperature method:** the hydrogen consumption is calculated by measuring the pressure and the temperature of the gas in the high-pressure fuel tank before and after the test, calculating the change in the number of moles of gas in the storage by applying the measured values of  $p$  and  $T$  to the state equation
- **Weighing method:** the hydrogen consumption is calculated by measuring the weight of the high-pressure fuel tank before and after the test procedure
- **Flow volume method:** the amount of hydrogen supplied to and consumed by a fuel cell vehicle is measured by a flow meter, which will be installed in the  $H_2$  feed pipe in between an external fuel supply source and the vehicle

Main issues:

Measurement range, accuracy and dynamics  
(strongly depending on the method)

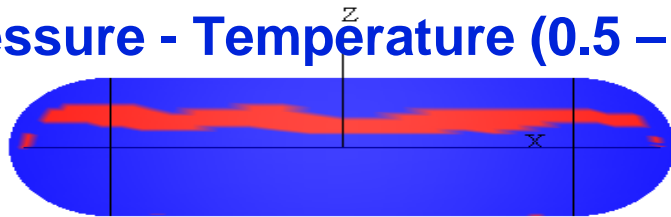


## WP2

# Benchmarking of H2 measurement methods suitable for H2 FCV

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## Pressure - Temperature (0.5 – 1%)



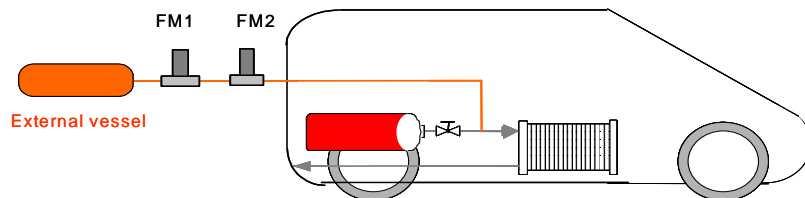
Redlich-Kwong Equation  $\leftrightarrow$  Van der Waals

## Weight (0.2 – 0.5 %)

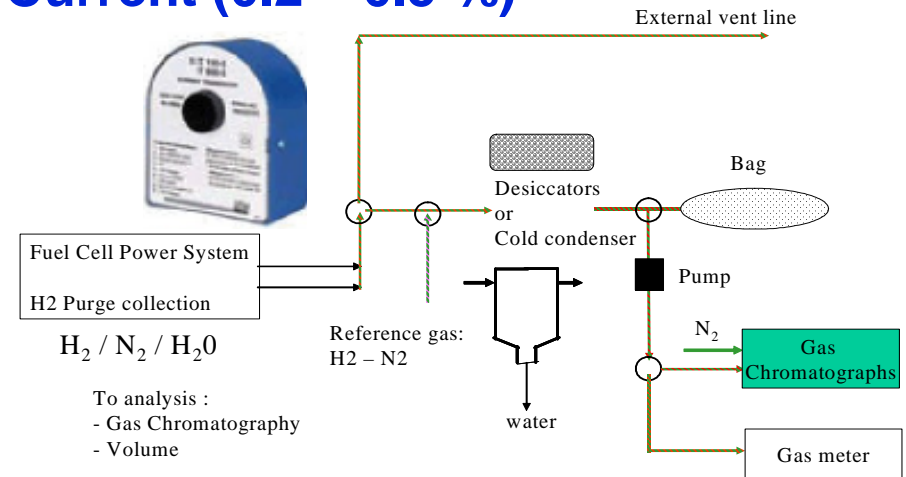


**Accuracy  
Target:  
Error < 1 %**

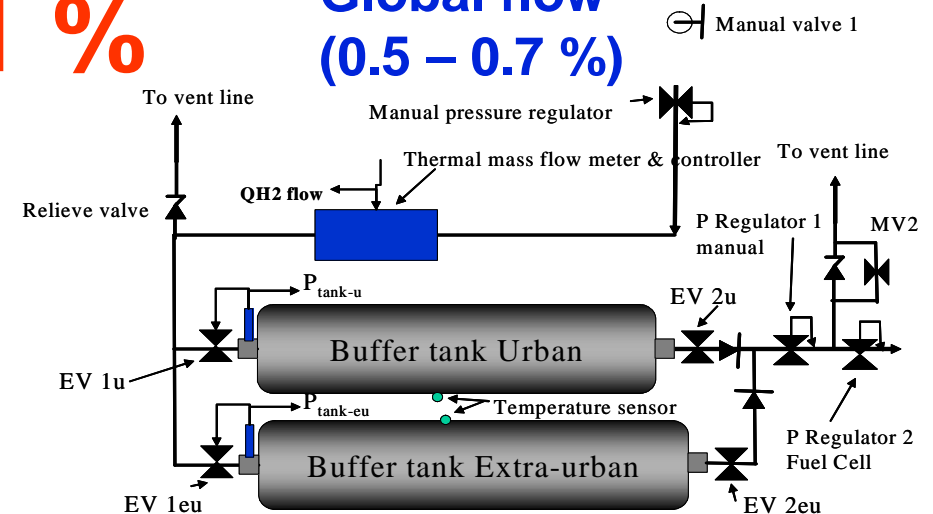
## Instantaneous flow rate (0.9 – 1.3 %)



## Current (0.2 – 0.5 %)



## Global flow (0.5 – 0.7 %)

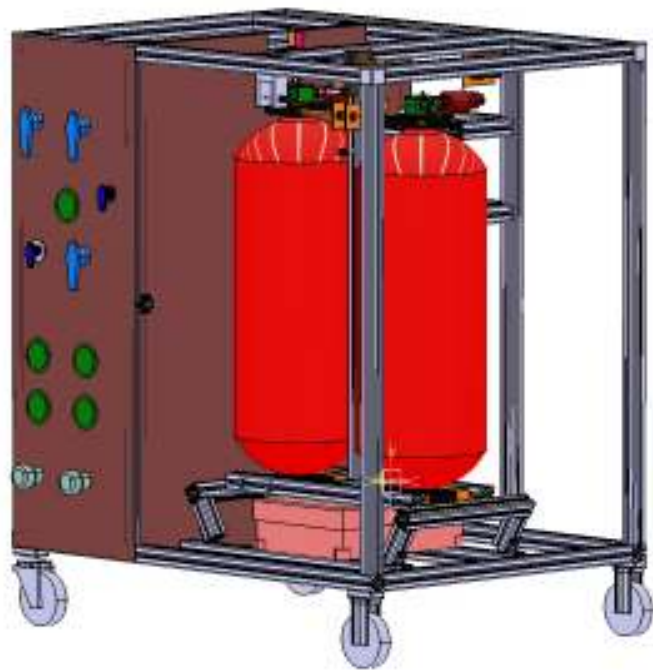




## WP3

### Hydrogen Measuring Rack (I)

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Purge Pipes

Control  
Panel



H2 Valve

H2 Tank

H2 Connector  
(rear panel)

Mobile Rack:  
HxBxL: 1380x920x1200

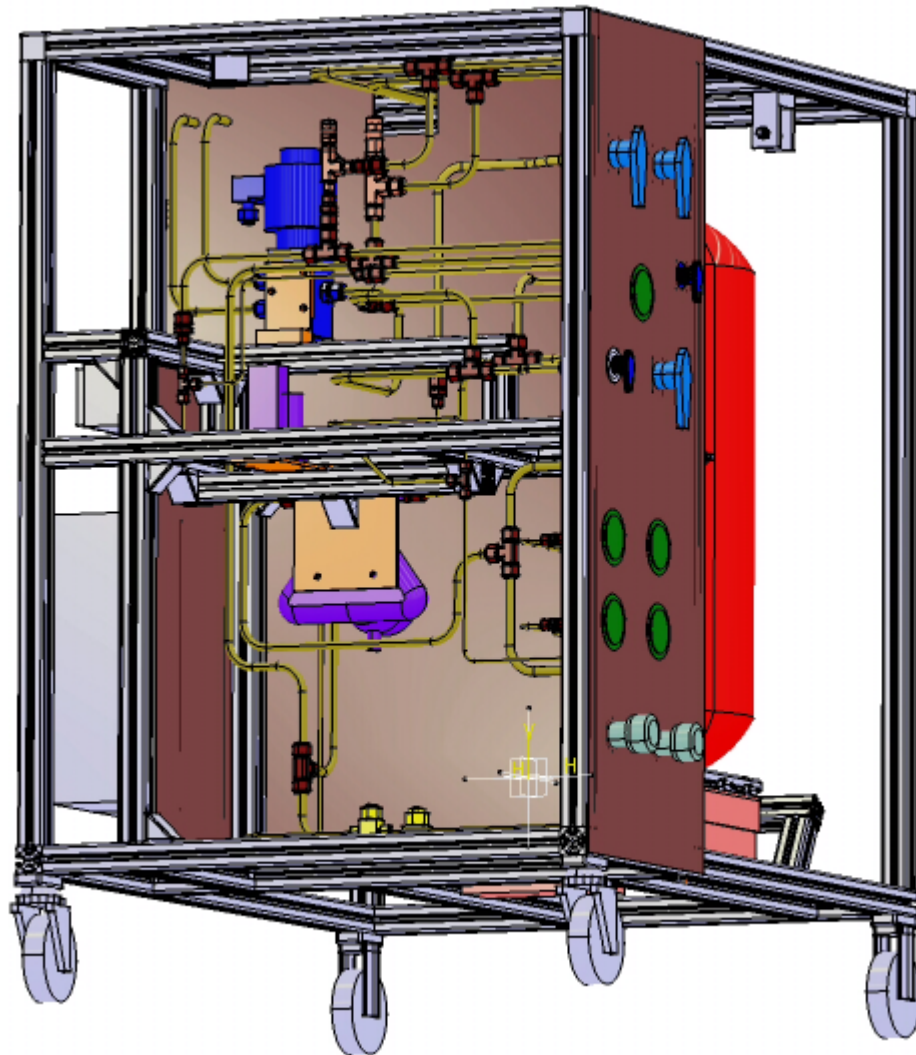




# WP3

## Hydrogen Measuring Rack (II)

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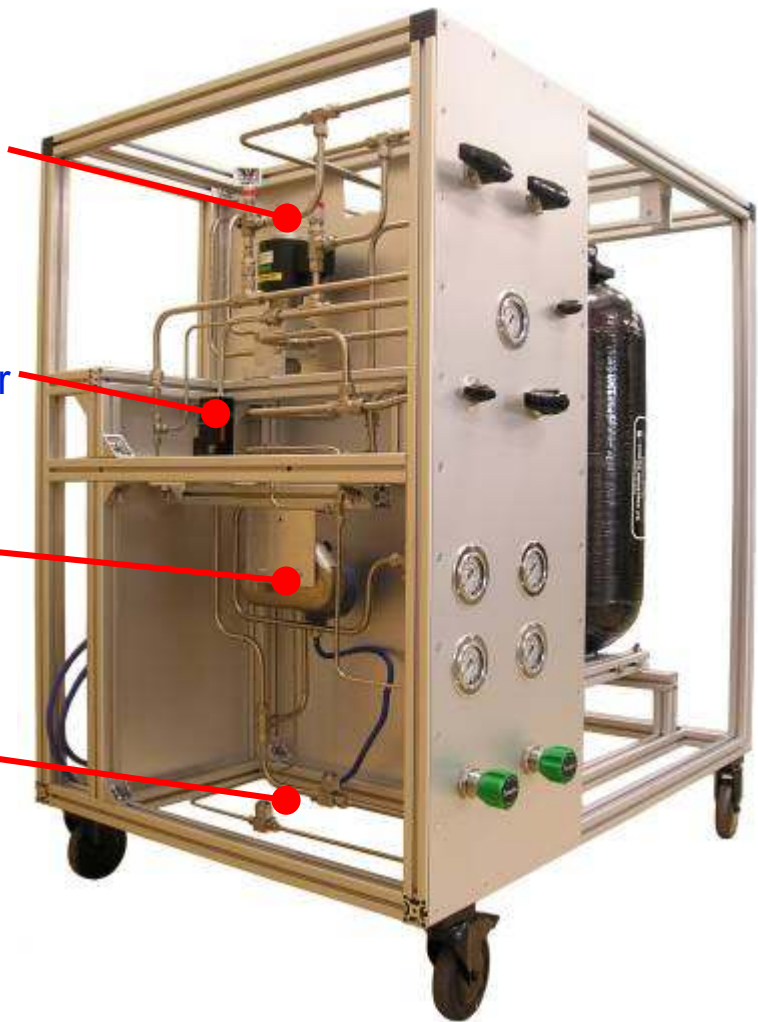


Pressure  
Relief Valves

Thermal Flow  
Meter / Controller

Coriolis  
Flow Meter

Filter  
Elements







## WP3

### Vehicle measurements

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- Measurement of VW Touran

- Measurement of PSA vehicle

- Measurement of CRF vehicle or powertrain



## WP3

Information on measuring equipment  
(e.g. accuracy, practicability, ...)

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### ● Demanded / specified accuracy:

- p/T method 1 %
- Weighing method 1 %
- CMFM method 1 %
- TMFC refill method 1 %

### ● Achieved / calculated accuracy (for 120 g H<sub>2</sub>):

- p/T method  $\pm 200$  mbar pressure x temp.- error
- Weighing method 0,4 % (~0,5 g, in optimal case)
- CMFM method 0,35 % (0,8%) x response error
- TMFC refill method 0,5 % x  $\pm 200$  mbar pressure



## WP4

### Definition and preparation of field tests

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- ***Overall goal:***  
Development of assessment criteria for FCV road operating performance and other customer relevant data on test tracks and public roads.
- ***Examples for road operating performance:***  
Maximum and continuous speed, acceleration, hill starting ability, speed uphill, airborne noise levels, etc..
- ***Examples for customer relevant assessment data:***  
Pre-starting time, passenger compartment noise levels, etc..



## WP4

### Customer relevant assessment criteria

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#### 1. Technical data:

Vehicle & component technical assessment data mainly based on FUERO templates.

- Electric motor & transmission
- High power traction battery system
- Fuel cell system
- Hydrogen tank system
- High & low voltage DC/DC-converter
- Power steering
- Climate control system
- Passenger cabin heating device
- Other comfort auxiliaries

#### 2. Operational requirements:

Mainly inputs from car manufacturer, who deliver cars for testing.

- Environmental operating conditions and requirements
- Safety requirements
- Maintenance requirements
- Pre- / starting process requirements
- Shut-down process
- Refuelling requirements
- ...

#### 3. Performance data:

Measurement data according already established revised standards and regulations for FCEVs, performed at proving grounds.

- Pre-starting process
- Shut-down process
- Fuel consumption
- Range
- Top and 30-minutes speed
- Acceleration performance
- Braking performance
- ...

#### 4. Comfort & handling assessment:

Mainly subjective assessment during field testing activity, checklist has to be established.

- Power steering
- Heating & climate control system
- Seating comfort
- Noise outside & passenger compartment
- Instrumentation
- Handling during driving
- Safety impression
- ...





# WP5

## Hydrogen infrastructure, refuelling stations and common interfaces

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### Activities

- Hydrogen quality
- Hydrogen availability
- Refuelling stations
- Connectors and nozzles

	Rated	N2/FC/FC	FC/DC	ISO14467-1/SA	Actual	Actual	UCFC
Hydrogen (%)	99.95	99.95 (50%)	99.9	99.9	99.5	99.5	
CO (ppm)	ns	1	1 ppm	ns	ns	ns	
H2O (ppm)	ns	2	50 (kg/h)	not controlled	ns	ns	
N2 (ppm)	ns	2	20	ns	ns	ns	
HC (ppm)	ns	0	1	0.01 (normal) (H2O 0.01)	ns	ns	
CO2 (ppm)	ns	0	2	0.01 (normal)	5	ns	
CO2 (ppm)	ns	0	2	ns	ns	ns	
H2O (ppm)	ns	ns	0.1		ns	ns	
Sulfur (ppm)	ns	ns	1	0.002 (normal)	0	ns	
NH3 (ppm)	ns	ns	0.01	?	ns	ns	
H2 (ppm)	ns	ns	20	ns	ns	ns	
A (ppm)	ns	ns	20	ns	ns	ns	
Particulate (ppm)	ns	ns	10	10 (gasoline equivalent)	ns	ns	
Max Part. size (µm)	ns	ns	10	ns	ns	ns	
Q	ns	ns	ns	ns	0	ns	

Hydrogen quality chart by FC manufacturer

Hydrogen refilling stations worldwide

Specifications of refilling nozzles, by manufacturer

Name of manufacturer	WEH GmbH	OPW GmbH
	Hydrogen fuelling nozzles	
Product name	TK15 <sup>(1)</sup> , TK16 <sup>(2)</sup> , TK25 <sup>(1) (2)</sup>	CW3600 CW5000
Material	Corrosion resistant steel	316L stainless steel
Max pressure (bar)	250 350	248 345
Min flow rate	ns	2000 SCFM @ 3600 psid
Temperature range	-40°C to 80°C -40°C to 80°C	-40°C to 8 5°C -40°C to 85°C
Weight (g)	ns	1520
Compatibility	250 - 350 350	LW3600 LW5000
	Hydrogen fuelling receptacles	
Product name	TN1, TN5 <sup>(3)</sup>	LW3600 LW5000
Material	Corrosion resistant steel	316L stainless steel
Max pressure (bar)	250 350	248 345
Min flow rate	ns	2000 SCFM @ 3600 psid
Temperature range	-40°C to 80°C -40°C to 80°C	40°C to 1 20°C -40°C to 120°C
Weight (g)	ns	230
Compatibility	250 250 - 350	CW3600 CW5000
Contact information	<a href="http://www.weh.com">http://www.weh.com</a>	<a href="https://www.opw-fc.com/">https://www.opw-fc.com/</a>
Notes	<sup>(1)</sup> TÜV approval for hydrogen <sup>(2)</sup> TK15 & TK16 are designed for cars and TK25 for buses <sup>(3)</sup> TN 1 for cars and TN5 for buses <sup>(4)</sup> TÜV certificate of conformity with SAE J2600 - H35 standard on 09-09-2004	

Location	Continent	country / state	Picture	Fuel type	Project	Dates in operation	H2 production mode	production rate
Cairo	Africa	Egypt			GEF and UNDP FC bus		Electrolytic Hydrogen	
Mobile station	North America	USA		GH2	DYNATEK			
Mobile station	North America	USA		GH2	POWERTECH			
Mobile station	America	Arizona		GH2	FORD	2002	Electrolyser Stuart Energy	24 kg / day
Phoenix	North America	Arizona		GH2, CNG & blend	DOE, Arizona public service, Van, Testing Center - Part of DOE Field Ops Program	2001	PEM electrolyser Proton Energy's HOGEN	
Sao Paulo	South America	Brazil			GEF, UNDP FC bus, GOB, Sao Paulo state			
Auburn	North America	California		GH2	CAFCP: Pacific gas & electricity	Mid 2004	High Performance Steam NG Reforming (HPSR by Zick)	17 L / h
Chula Vista (mobile station)	North America	California		GH2	City of Chula vista	2003	Electrolyser CFP 1350	36 Nm3/h - 60kg/day
Devis	North America	California		GH2	Davis H2 bus; California university; Toyota	2003 June	Delivery LH2 by truck from Air Products and Chemicals (APCI)	20 kg / day
Detroit	North America	California			Ford - BP			
Diamond Bar	North America	California		GH2	South Coast Air Quality Management (SCAQMD) HQ	2004 august	Stuart Energy Station (SES-4)	
El Segundo	North America	California		GH2	Xerox; DOE; UC Riverside; Matrix engineers; City West Hollywood; Kaiser engineering SCAQMD; CAN	1995-1997	Electrolyser from solar energy	
Invine	North America	California		GH2	UC Irvine; SCAQMD; Toyota FCV	2003 June	Delivery LH2 by truck from Air Products	20 kg / day
Invine	North America	California		GH2	UC Irvine; NRCRC; Toyota FCV	ordered in 2004	small scale SES-4	
Los Alamos	North America	California		LH2	Los Alamos National Laboratory	1979	Delivery LH2	
Los Angeles (Airport)	North America	California		GH2	PRAXAIR; BP, DOE, SCAQMD	october 2004	Natural gas steam reforming	150 kg / day
Oakland	North America	California		GH2	Chevron Texaco; AC Transit	2005 August	Natural gas steam reforming	150 kg / day
Orlando	North America	California			Ford - BP			
Oxnard	North America	California		LH2	BMW; Emission test center	2001 July	Delivery LH2 by truck from APCI	



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## Information on fuel qualities and receptacles

Manufacturer	Walther	Nitto Kohki		WEH		OPW	
	Hydrogen fuelling nozzles						
Product name	HG-400	HHV-3S-H25-L-G, HHV-3S-H35-L-G		TK15 <sup>(1)</sup> , TK16 <sup>(4)</sup> , TK25 <sup>(1) (2)</sup>		CW3600	CW5000
Material	Stainless steel 1.4404/1.4571 or similar	SUS304		Corrosion resistant steel		316L stainless steel	
Max pressure (bar)	700 (max. 875)	250	350	250	350	250	345
Min flow rate	ns	Cv value 1.3		ns	ns	56 m <sup>3</sup> /min @ 250 bar	
Temperature range	-40°C to 85°C	-20°C to 70°C		-40°C to 80°C	-40°C to 80°C	-40°C to 85°C	-40°C to 85°C
Weight (g)	1400	3000		ns	ns	1520	
Compatibility	ns	ns	350	250 - 350	350	LW3600	LW5000
	Hydrogen fuelling receptacles						
Product name	HG-400	HHV-3P-BI3/8-3500, -5000		TN1, TN5 <sup>(3)</sup>		LW3600	LW5000
Material	Stainless steel	SUS316		Corrosion resistant steel		316L stainless steel	
Max pressure (bar)	700 (max 875)	250	350	250	350	250	345
Min flow rate	Ns	Cv value 1.3		ns	ns	56 m <sup>3</sup> /min @ 250 bar	
Temperature range	-40°C to 80°C	-20°C to 70°C		-40°C to 80°C	-40°C to 80°C	-40°C to 120°C	-40°C to 120°C
Weight (g)	310	335		ns	ns	230	
Compatibility	ns	250	ns	250	250 – 350	CW3600	CW5000
Contact information				<a href="http://www.weh.com">http://www.weh.com</a>		<a href="https://www.opw-fc.com/">https://www.opw-fc.com/</a>	
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- SAE J2600 → ISO 17268
- SAE J2601
- Revised ISO 17268 ?

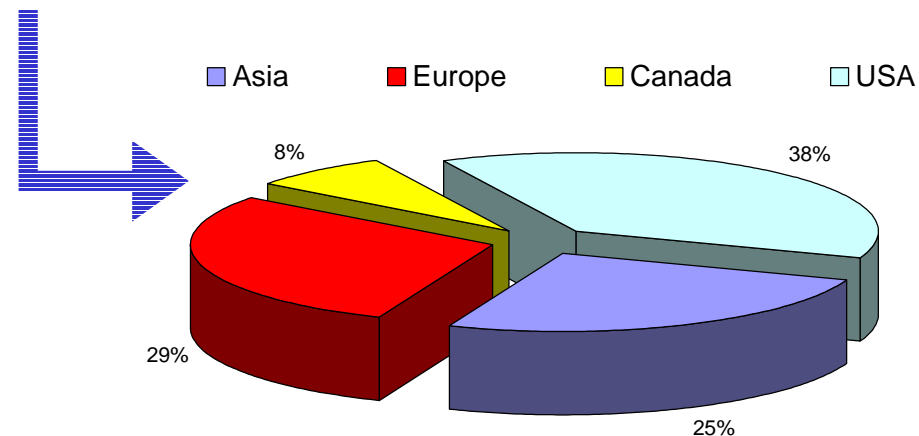
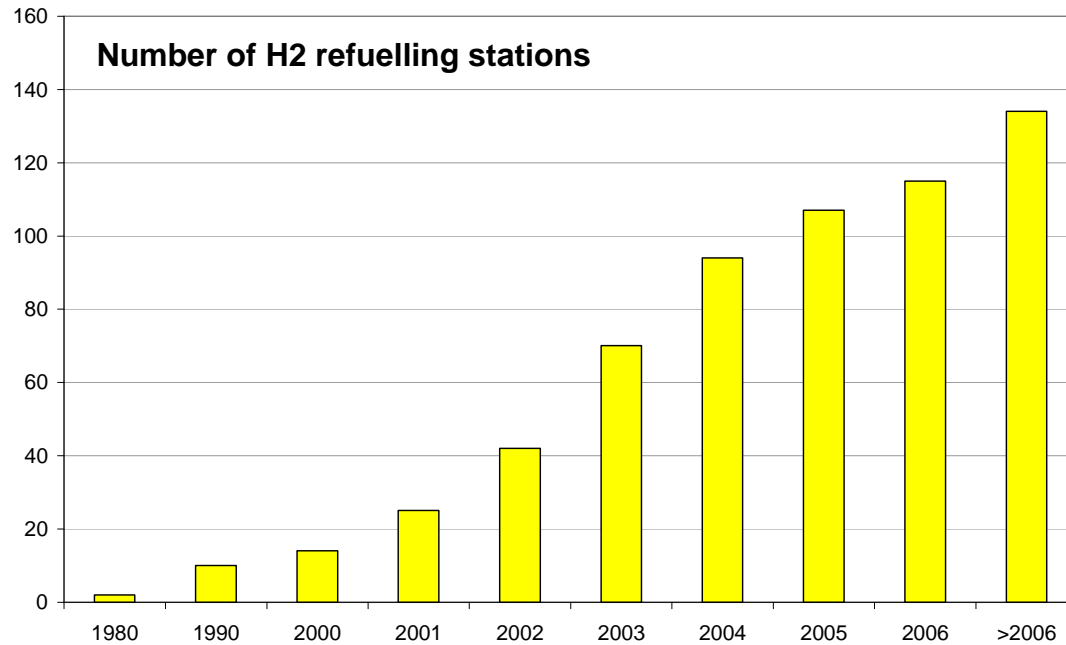




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### Hydrogen refuelling stations

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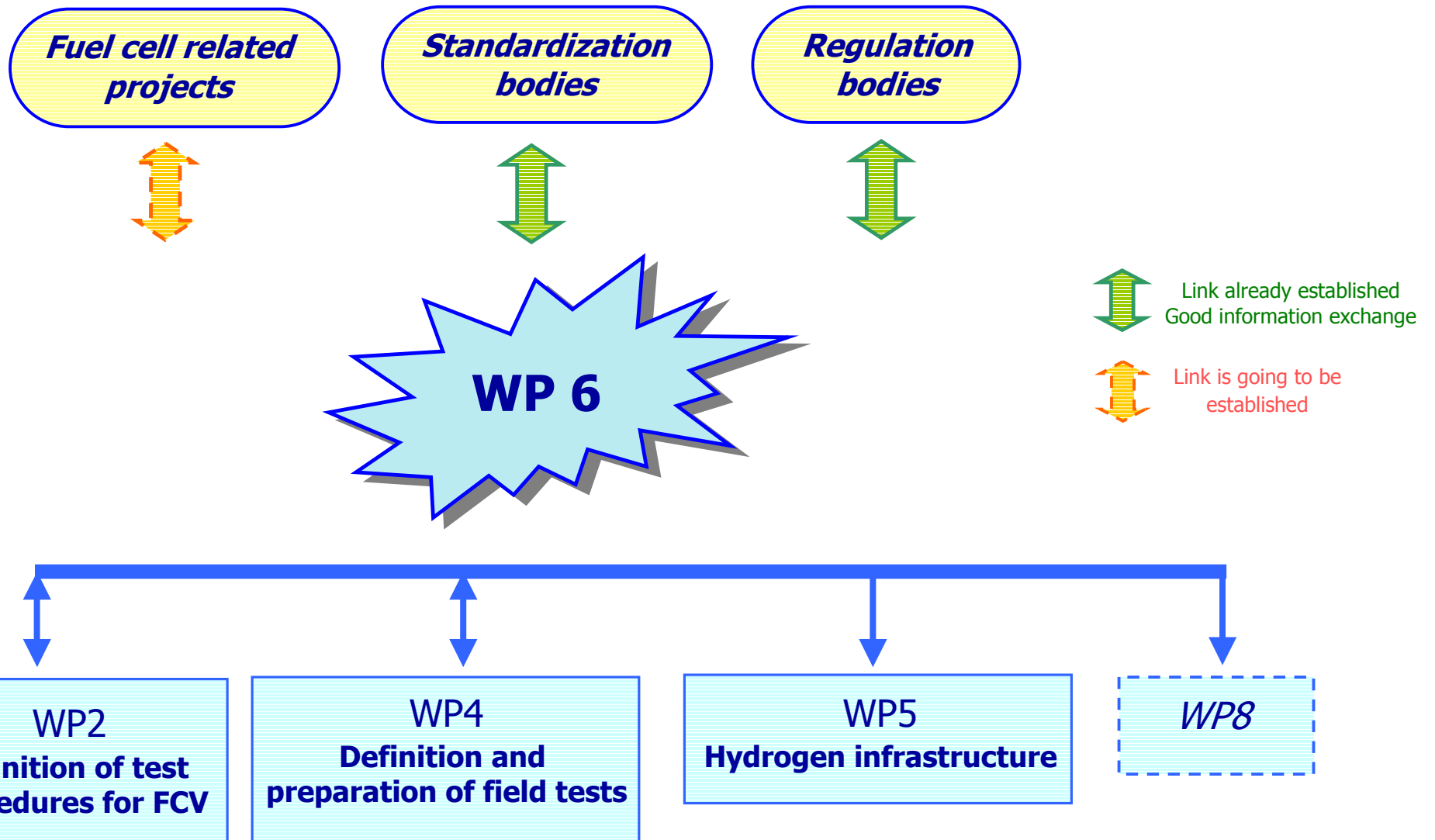




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FUEVA cooperation  
Internal and external links

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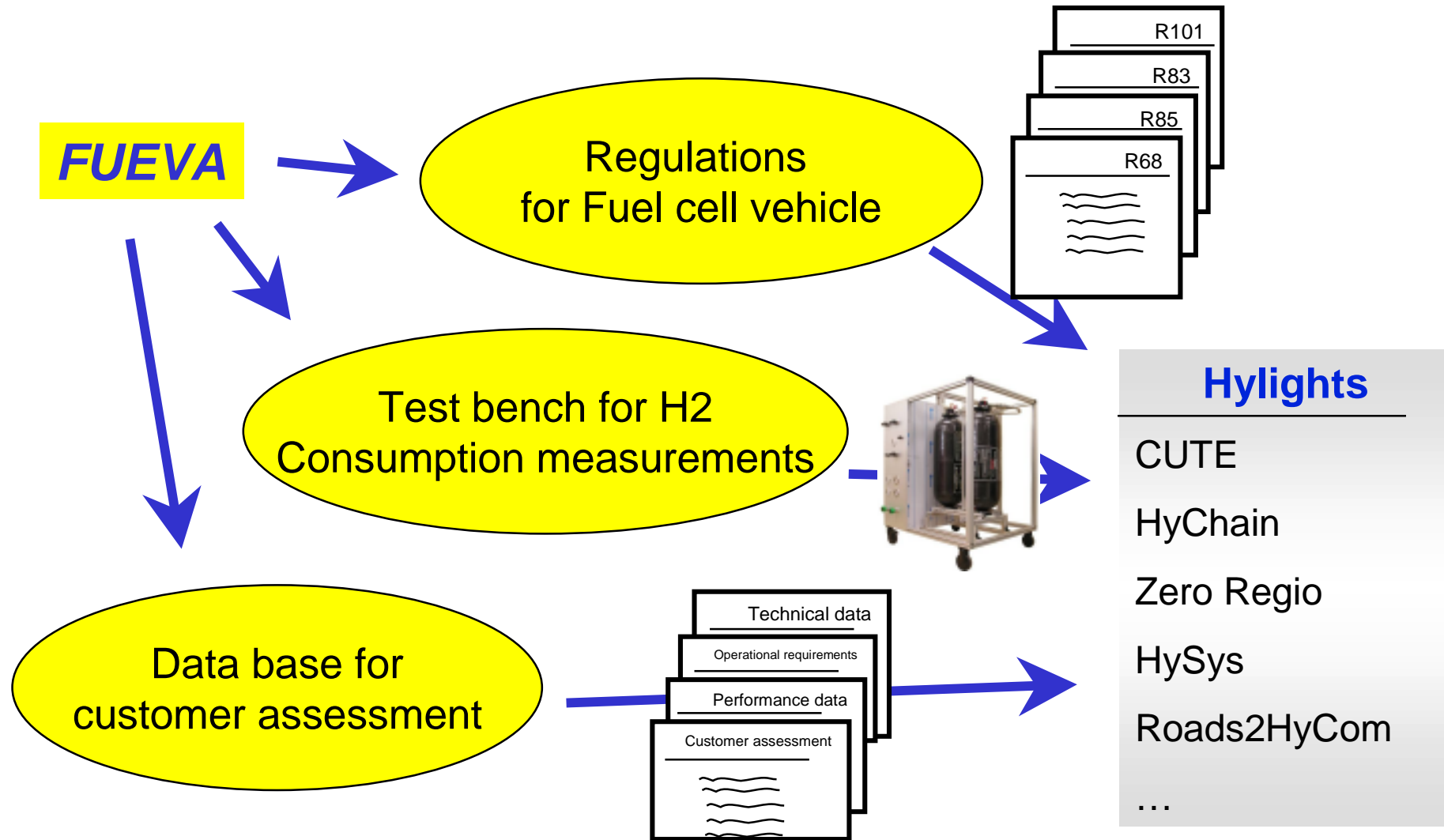




## WP8

### Benefits of FUEVA for « European Fuel Cell Vehicle Partnership with fleet demonstration »

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# Dissemination

Who can get which information?

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## Modified / Amended Standards and Documents available for:


- Other EC projects  
(Zero Regio, HySYS, Roads2HyCom, Hylights, HarmonHy, etc.)
- OICA
- EUCAR
- ACEA
- ISO TC 197
- ....

## Final report in a public version giving an overview of the tasks tackled in the FUEVA Project and possible contact persons for getting information, documents, etc.

## Presentation of results on workshops, conferences, public events, etc.

Test bench activity (WP2)	Regulation	European Directive	ECE Status	RC&S
Fuel Consumption H <sub>2</sub>	R101	80-1268	✓	
Fuel Consumption Liquid & CO <sub>2</sub> emissions	R101	80-1268	✓	
Emissions	R83-05	70-220	D	
Start up time & energy	(R 101)	70-220	✓	
Maximum Power & 30 min	R85-84	80-1269	✓	
Maximum Electrical power (FC system + Battery)	-----	New draft	✓	
Range with fuel + Battery	(R 101)			
Range with fuel	(R 101)			
Status : Validated, Draft, Not Achieved, Not				

Manufacturer	Volkswagen
Vehicle	VW Touran HyMotion
Picture	
Basic Platform	VW Touran
Basic System Configuration	Fuel Cell Hybrid Vehicle
Drive Train Configuration	Front Wheel Drive
Dimensions LxWxH [mm]	4391x1794x1635
Curb Weight [kg]	1975
Total Weight [kg]	2300
Passengers	4
<b>Power Steering</b>	
Individual Classification	worth    normal    excellent
<b>Brake System</b>	
Individual Classification	worth    normal    excellent
<b>Air Conditioning</b>	
Individual Classification	worth    normal    excellent
<b>Passenger Cabin Heating System</b>	
Individual Classification	worth    normal    excellent
<b>Seating Comfort</b>	
Individual Classification	worth    normal    excellent
<b>Noise Inside</b>	
Individual Classification	worth    normal    excellent
<b>Noise Outside</b>	
Individual Classification	worth    normal    excellent

Customer  
evaluation  
questionnaire



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