





**Hydrogen Initiative Flagship Region Austria Power & Gas** 



#### The Energy Model Region WIVA P&G

- Demonstrating the conversion of the Austrian economy to a largely CO<sub>2</sub>-free, or CO<sub>2</sub>-neutral structure with a necessary transformation towards a strongly hydrogen-based – and thus also renewable gases based – energy system.
- Green hydrogen as a key component in this process
- WIVA P&G includes Austrian companies reflecting the entire value creation chain



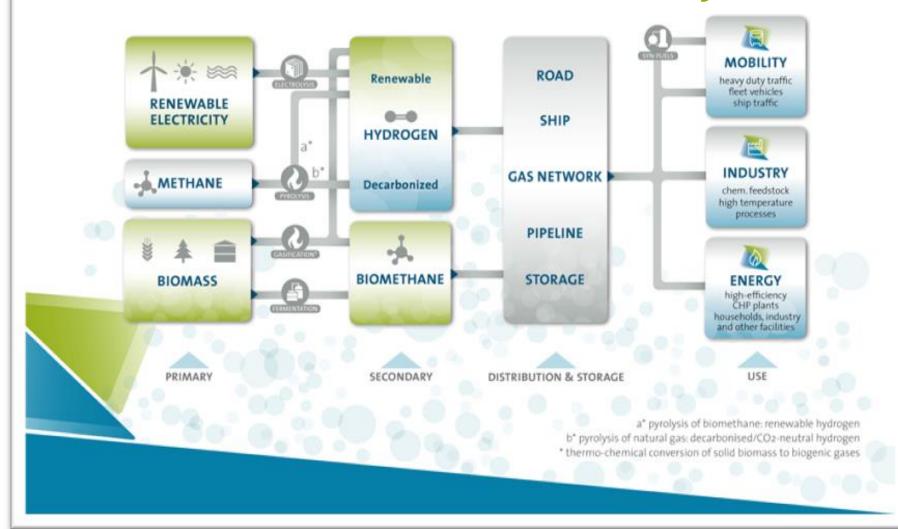




### WIVAP&G

Energy Model Region

#### Renewable Gases in the Economic System









#### The Energy Model Region WIVA P&G

- Austrian-wide, supra-regional thematically focused and internationally visible region focusing on three segments:
  - Green Energy
  - Green Industry
  - Green Mobility
- WIVA P&G is an association that is coordinating and implementing the model region
- WIVA P&G contains the experience of more than 30 completed and ongoing projects and is going to implement 25 subproject within the model region







# Potential for hydrogen and fuel cells in maritime applications



- Studies emphasize the potential of H2-based propulsion technologies for shipping sector
- Several pilot- and demonstration plants realised research gap regarding logistical, infrastructural, economical concepts
- Constant improvements regarding shipping infrastructure sector is expected to grow
- EU White Paper: shift in freight transport from road to shipping – opens up chances for shipping sector
- Danube Region is supposed to become the most frequented corridor within Europe regarding traffic volume (Federal Ministry for Climate Action Austria)











- Optimal application of green hydrogen technologies
  - Federal Ministry of Climate Action Austria Green Hydrogen in Industry and heavy-duty mobility
- Stakeholder analysis regarding hydrogen infrastructure in the shipping industry
  - Determine the potential for H2-based propulsion technologies for the shipping sector
  - Developing an international concept regarding the necessary infrastructure along the Danube
  - Considering legitimate, regulatory and administrative requirements
  - Considering synergy potentials regarding H2 Infrastructure of other sectors (logistics, etc.)









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