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CLEARPATH

Dynamo - Future Fuels

Powering a Clean Economy with Hydrogen and Ammonia

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CLEARPATH

What we do

Power



Nuclear



Storage



Natural Gas



Carbon Capture



Hydro



Geothermal

Industrial



Concrete



Metals



Hydrogen

Who we are

Mission: Develop and advance policies that accelerate breakthrough innovations that reduce emissions in the energy and industrial sectors

Policy areas

Federal R&D (basic and applied)

Demonstration Programs

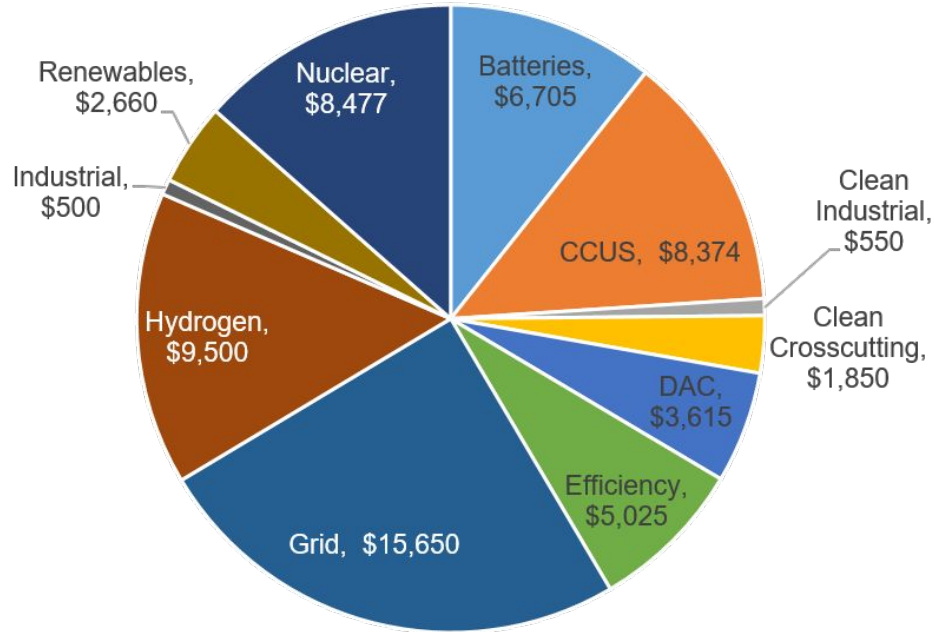
Deployment Incentives

“Ecosystem” e.g. Regulatory Reform

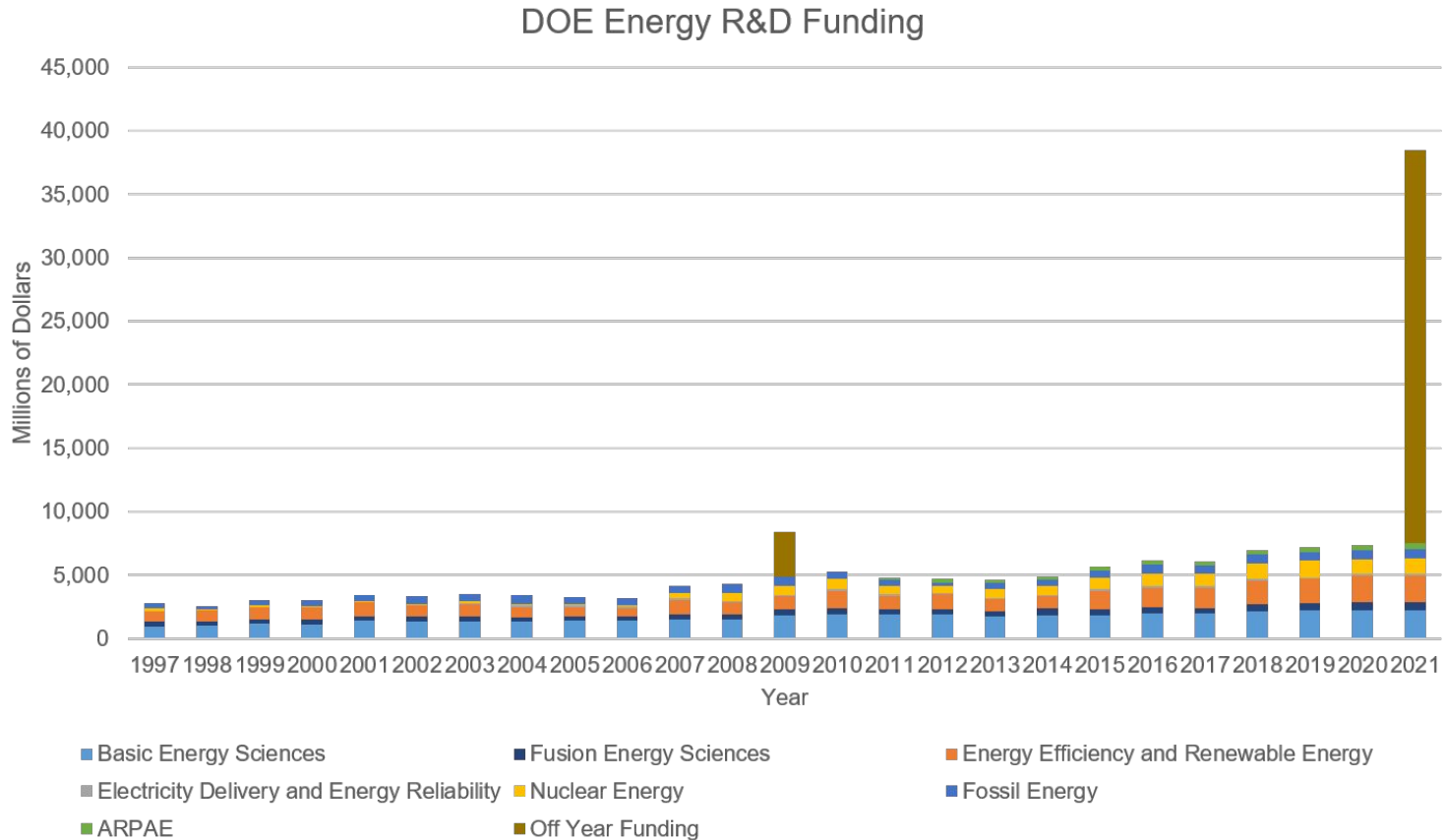
Technology Export and Finance

IIJA Investment by Technology

IIJA Total Investments by Technology (Millions)



Scale Can be Difficult to Comprehend



6 Parts to Hydrogen in IIJA

Clean Hydrogen Research and Development Program	Re-establishes and expands DOE's hydrogen office	Funded through regular appropriations
Clean Hydrogen Electrolysis Program	Demonstration, commercialization, and deployment of electrolyzer systems	\$1 Billion to Department of Energy
Clean Hydrogen Manufacturing and Recycling Program	Support a clean hydrogen domestic supply chain	\$0.5 Billion to Department of Energy
Regional Clean Hydrogen Hubs	Develop at least four large-scale hydrogen production and utilization projects across the country	\$8 Billion to Office of Clean Energy Demos
Clean Hydrogen Strategy and Roadmap	Directs the development of the first U.S. national strategy to facilitate a clean hydrogen economy	Funded through regular appropriations
Clean Hydrogen Production Qualifications	Directs the development of a clean hydrogen production carbon intensity standard	Funded through regular appropriations

IJA: Sec. 40314 Sec 813. Regional Clean Hydrogen Hubs

Regional Hydrogen Hubs

- Demonstrate the production, processing, delivery, storage, and end-use of clean hydrogen.
- Could be developed into a national clean hydrogen network.



Solicitation

180 days after enactment (by May 2022)



Selection

No later than 1 year after solicitation the Secretary shall select **at least 4 regional** hydrogen hubs (by May 2023)

Criteria

- **Feedstock diversity.** Production in at least one of the hubs must be from fossil fuels, nuclear energy, and renewable energy
- **End-use diversity.** End-use in at least one of the hubs must be for power generation, the industrial sector, heating, and transportation
- **Geographic diversity.** Shall be located in different regions, but at least two hubs must be in regions with natural gas resources

Funding

- **\$8 billion** is appropriated from **FY 2022 - FY 2026 to OCED**
- No minimum or maximum award value given

45X Hydrogen PTC & ITC (as of 12/14/21)

Emissions intensity kgCO ₂ e/kgH ₂	% of Credit	PTC Credit Base Rate \$	PTC Credit 5x Bonus Rate \$	ITC Credit 5x Bonus Rate %
4 to 6	15	0.09	0.45	4.5%
2.5 to 4	20	0.12	0.60	6%
1.5 to 2.5	25	0.15	0.75	7.5%
0.45 to 1.5	33.4	0.20	1.00	10%
0.45 and below	100	0.60	3.00	30%

**Credit Level -
based on
emissions
intensity of
production**

Bonus Rate

Double Dip

Duration

- Credit is **increased by 5x** if wage and apprenticeship requirements are met

- Section 45 (RE PTC) **can** be claimed with 45X
- 45J (Nuclear Energy PTC) and 45Q (CCUS) **cannot** be claimed with 45X

- Construction must begin before 2029
- No credit phase out

Private Sector Developments



Monolith Olive Creek, NE
Methane Pyrolysis H₂ Production



Air Products, LA
Natural Gas SMR H₂ Production
with Carbon Capture



Intermountain Power Project, UT
H₂ Electricity Generation with
Grid Scale Energy Storage



Hy Stor Energy, MS
Renewable H₂ Production and
Geologic Storage

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