

# Turning Green Transition into Practice – Exploring Green NH<sub>3</sub> production in Romania

Study Results Presentation

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# Emergy at a glance

Strong footprint in the energy market in South-Eastern Europe



## Key facts

- **Renewable energy developer** specialized in advancing greenfield and early-stage projects up to **Ready-to-Build (RTB) status**
- **Founded in 2004**, developed and constructed 3 windfarms (150 MW) in China back in 2010
- Developed and constructed **246 MW wind power in Ukraine** 2021
- Successfully **divested 168 MW in Serbia** 2024
- Ambition to develop **~450 MW ready to build (RtB)** projects every year

## Portfolio: ~ 2 GW under development



### Serbia

- Joint Venture with WV-International, a local developer with extensive local insight
- 168 MW divested in Q424
- Remaining portfolio of 6 projects with total capacity of ~700 MW



### Romania

- 2 projects with total capacity of ~700 MW
- Local team and office in Bucharest
- Green Hydrogen and Ammonia project with Innovation Norway and Linde



### Greece

- Co-development with local partner RES Invest
- 3 projects with total capacity of ~185 MW
- 24 MW ready to build mid 2025



### Ukraine

- Holding 5 projects with total capacity of ~1,000 MW
- Reached RTB for ~400 MW before the breakout of the war
- Awarded ~3 mEUR in grants from Norad in 2024

# Our project supported by Innovation Norway

Exploring potential for Green Hydrogen & Ammonia

## Emergy & Linde Gas

- **Emergy and Linde Gas** are exploring the opportunity of **green H<sub>2</sub> production**
- **Innovation Norway** granted support in July 2024 to explore green H<sub>2</sub> & NH<sub>3</sub> production and its market potential



## Strategic importance

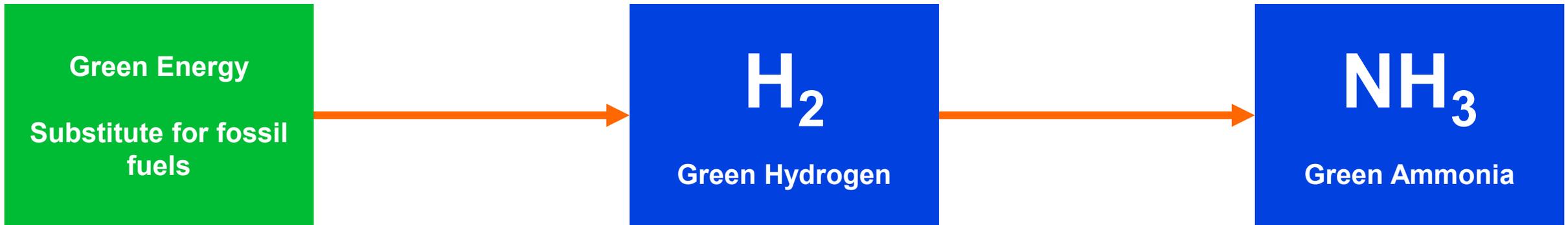
- The project is **aligned with the EU's Green Deal, Fit for 55, and CBAM** regulations
- Green hydrogen and green ammonia are **key enablers of carbon neutrality**, offering solutions across multiple sectors
- Potential to enhance **Romania's energy independence**, reducing reliance on imported fossil fuels and position it as a **regional leader**

## Project objectives

- Explore the market for **green-hydrogen and ammonia** as a **sustainable alternative** to fossil fuel.
- **Evaluate market feasibility** for using ammonia in:
  - Refrigeration
  - Agriculture
  - Off-grid energy storage
- **Increase stakeholder engagement** as part of Emergy's best-practices on E&S work
  - **Assess local needs** among key stakeholders in the region
  - **Inform and involve** farmers and community members
  - **Create awareness** of the potential and use cases for sustainable alternatives (green H<sub>2</sub> & NH<sub>3</sub>)



# Green energy to produce sustainable alternatives to fossil fuels



# Case studies for green ammonia

## 1 Refrigerant (Romania & Bulgaria)

### Impact

- Alignment with **EU environmental regulations** (F-Gas Regulation, Net Zero Industry Act) by **replacing hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs)**
- **Reduces GHG emissions** and operational energy costs while ensuring compliance with EU climate mandates
- Advanced ammonia refrigeration technologies **improve energy efficiency**, reducing energy consumption by 15-20%

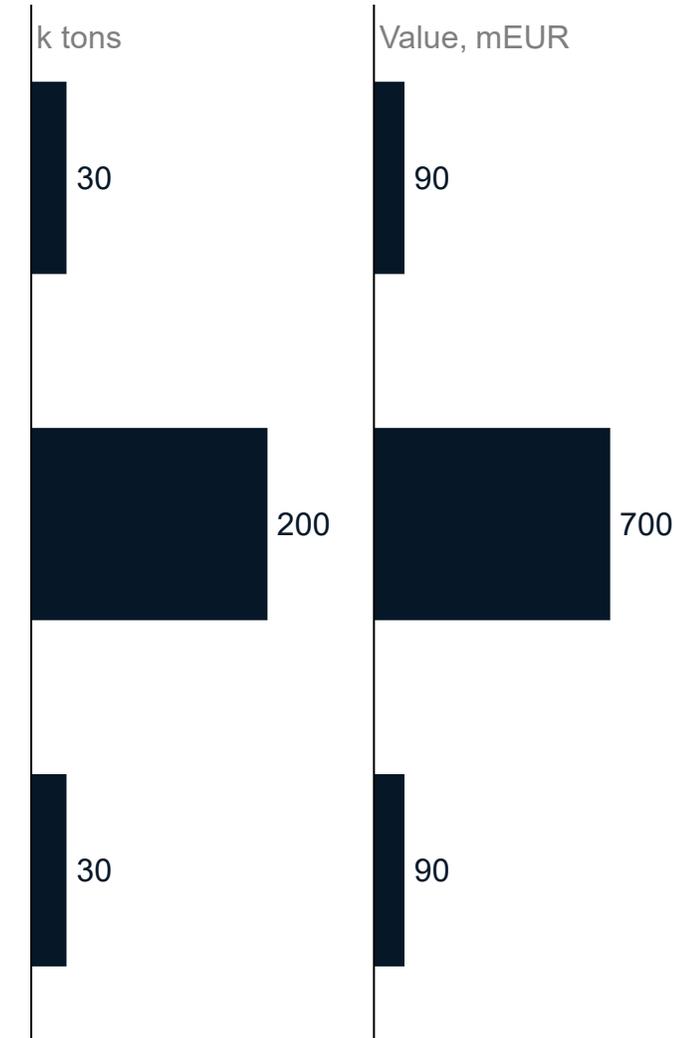
## 2 Agriculture

- Supports the **EU Green Deal and Farm to Fork Strategy** by replacing conventional fertilizers, improving nitrogen use efficiency
- Attractive and growing market, however there are **significant technical limitations and challenges** to enable its full potential
- Advanced synthesis processes such as the Linde Ammonia Concept (LAC™) optimize **production efficiency** and reduce energy consumption

## 3 Off-grid e-chargers (Romania & Bulgaria)

- Supports Romania's hydrogen roadmap by providing **off-grid charging solutions** in remote areas while reducing emissions
- Addresses the lack of traditional energy infrastructure in underserved regions, **promoting EV adoption**
- Ammonia cracking technologies enable **localized hydrogen production** for EV chargers

### Total Market Potential (Annual)



# Emergy's ESG approach

Stakeholder Engagement plan is a critical component, especially for large infrastructure projects

## Our approach for Stakeholder Engagement:

- Multiple live meetings with **local authorities, community members** and **farmers** to:
  - Give every stakeholder a **voice** and opportunity for **engagement**
  - Create **increased awareness** and **sharing of information** with local government and regulatory bodies
- **Stakeholders Needs Assessment** by professional group of social specialists to determine community development needs





Sustainable stories.