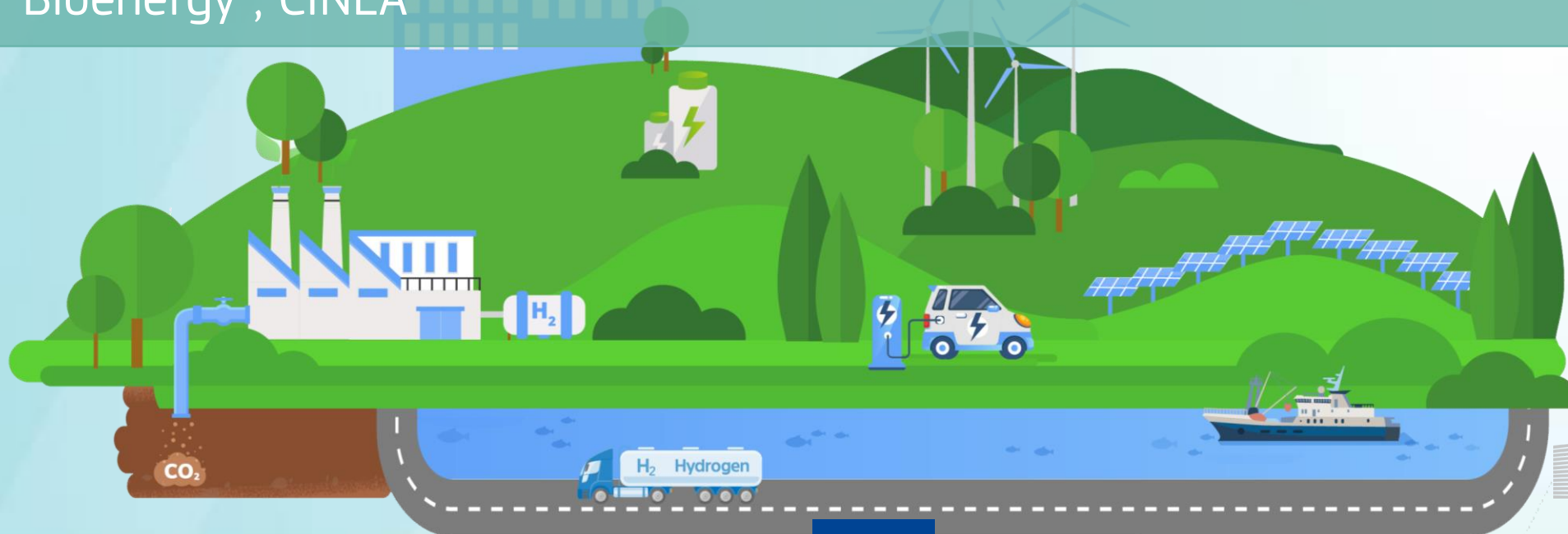


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Award criteria – Scalability

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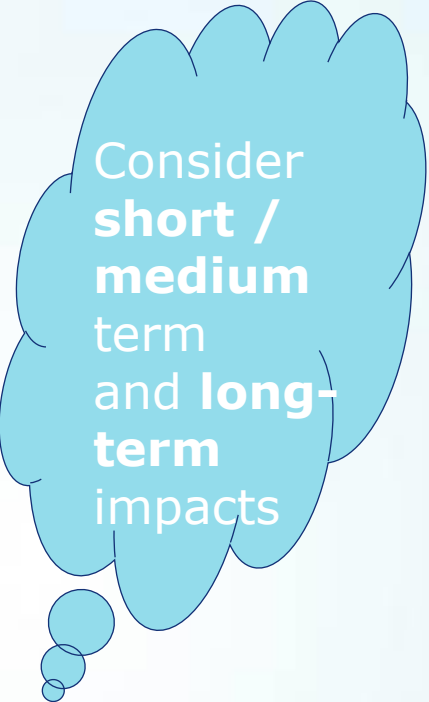
# Scalability

**Objective: to assess the impact of the project beyond the project boundaries**

- **Scalability at project site and regional economy impact**
- **Scalability at the level of the sector**
- **Economy-wide impact**
- **Quality and extent of the knowledge sharing**

# Scalability: project level and regional economy impact

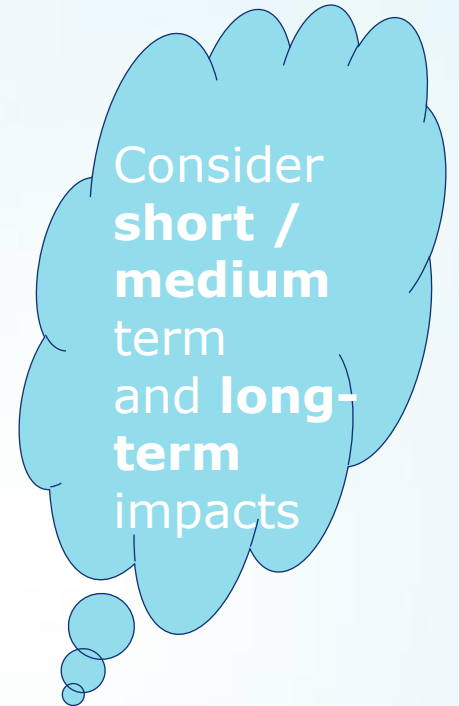
- Further expansion at project site and other sites
- Regional economy impact, cooperation with other relevant actors in the regional economy, impacts of the project on regional economic growth and jobs



Consider  
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and **long-  
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# Scalability at the level of the sector

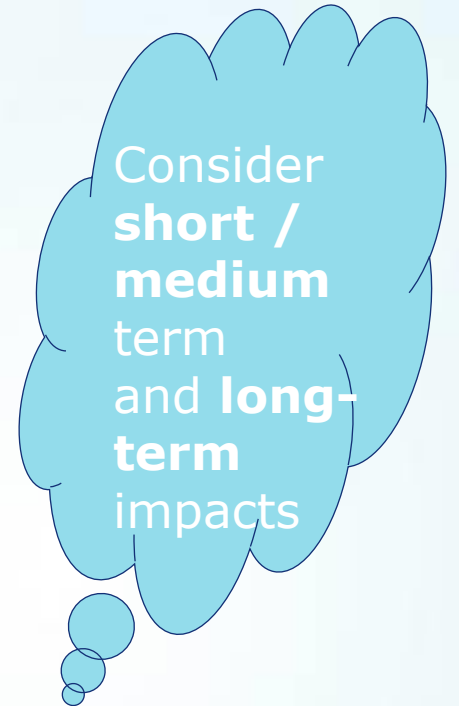
- Extent to which the technology of the project can be applied within the sector \*
- Expected cost reductions
- Resource constraints and how they can be overcome



\* *substantiate claims with calculation integrated as a separate tab in the GHG calculator excel sheet*

# Economy-wide scalability

- Extent to which the technology of the project can be applied across the economy \*
- Potential to create new value chains or reinforce existing ones in Europe
- Contribution to development of strategic autonomy in industrial supply chains



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# Quality and extent of the knowledge sharing

## Knowledge sharing goals

- ✓ de-risking innovative low-carbon technologies with regard to wide-scale commercialisation
- ✓ acceleration of deployment
- ✓ increasing the undertaking of, and confidence in these technologies by the wider public
- ✓ maintenance of a competitive market for the post-demonstration deployment of the technologies

New

Annex 2 of the call text “Knowledge Sharing” – pls check references!

# Knowledge sharing activities

## Beneficiaries

- Knowledge-sharing reporting
- Own knowledge-sharing activities
- Proactive and systematic communication and dissemination activities at the various project stages

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- information, communication and promotion actions
- organise specific seminars, workshops or, where appropriate, other types of activities to facilitate exchanges of experience, knowledge and best practices as regards the design, preparation and implementation of projects

# Knowledge sharing in practice

- Knowledge-sharing is an obligation of the grant award: failure to comply means that the grant award may be adjusted
- But no obligation to disclose if risk of reverse engineering/ability to obtain patent
- Knowledge-sharing will start after grant signature, i.e. includes the periods to financial close and to entry into operation



See draft Knowledge-sharing report template



# Q&A Session

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