

# PtX Press Monitoring – Week 14/2026

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## Public Sector Press Releases

### **European Commission (30/03/2026): Commission approves €6 billion Italian State aid scheme for renewable hydrogen** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: The European Commission has approved, under EU State aid rules, a €6 billion Italian scheme to support the production of renewable hydrogen for the transport and industrial sectors. The scheme will contribute to the development of renewable hydrogen production capacity in line with the objectives of the EU Hydrogen Strategy and the Clean Industrial Deal.

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### **Netherlands Enterprise Agency (31/03/2026): Subsidy for hydrogen in mobility (SWIM)** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: Do you want to invest in hydrogen filling stations for heavy road transport, hydrogen-powered vehicles, and/or hydrogen-powered equipment? And will you do so together with other entrepreneurs? You can apply for the Hydrogen in Mobility subsidy scheme (Subsidie-regeling Waterstof in Mobiliteit, SWIM). [View press release](#)

## (Political) Debates and Measures


### EUROPE

### **H2 View (01/04/2026): Five EU member states push Brussels to delay key RFNBO rules** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: Five EU member states have called for delays to key requirements in the bloc's green hydrogen rules, warning the criteria do not align with "economic realities." [View article](#)

### GLOBAL

### **Hydrogen Insight (27/03/2026): Japan announces another two winners from its \$19bn clean Hydrogen subsidy programme** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: Japan's Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) has revealed two more successful bidders in its giant ¥3trn (\$20bn) clean hydrogen Contracts-for-Difference (CfD) subsidy programme — as well as further funding for two previous winners [View article](#) 

### **ChemAnalyst News (31/03/2026): HyTerra eyes 'world-class' natural hydrogen opportunity in Oman** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: HyTerra is advancing its ambitions in the emerging natural hydrogen sector by turning attention to Oman, where it sees significant untapped potential for large-scale development. [View article](#)

### **MERCOM India (31/03/2026): SECI Signs Deals for Supply of 724000 TPA Green Ammonia to Fertilizer Units** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: The Solar Energy Corporation of India (SECI) has signed six agreements with manufacturers to supply 670,000 tons per annum (TPA) of green ammonia to fertilizer companies out of the allocated capacity of 724,000. [View article](#)

### GERMANY

**Renewables Now (30/03/2026): Storag Etzel, Gasunie complete hydrogen filling in German caverns** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: Dutch gas grid operator Gasunie and German cavern storage facilities provider Storag Etzel GmbH have completed the filling of two salt caverns in Lower Saxony, Germany, with about 90 tonnes of hydrogen as part of the H2CAST project. [View article](#)

### DEVELOPING AND EMERGING COUNTRIES

**abdas (03/04/2026): Wind Turbine Giant Invests \$10bn in Green Fuels as Ethiopia Secures \$13.1bn Deal Led by Ming Yang** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: Mingyang of China plans to invest over \$10 billion in renewable energy, green hydrogen, and ammonia initiatives in Ethiopia, as reported by the Ethiopian Investment Commission. [View article](#)

### INDUSTRIALISED COUNTRIES AND OTHER

**The Maritime Executive (30/03/2026): Japan Demonstrates Hydrogen-Fueled Engine for Large Commercial Vessels** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: Japan reports a breakthrough with the demonstration of a large hydrogen-fueled engine being developed by Japan Engine Corporation, working with Kawasaki Heavy Industries, for a demonstration project for an ocean-going vessel. [View article](#)

**PR Newswire (30/03/2026): MacroValor and Favis Advanced Robotics Break Ground on 3,000 MW Hydrogen-Powered AI Campus -- America's Largest Sovereign Compute Infrastructure Project** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: Mount Hydrogen will integrate natural hydrogen energy, AI systems, humanoid robotics, and domestic semiconductor manufacturing on a single campus — eliminating U.S. dependence on foreign AI infrastructure. [View article](#)

**Carbon Herald (31/03/2026): Fugro And Sweco Begin Surveys For Dutch CO2 And H2 Pipeline** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: Subsurface investigations, led by Fugro and Sweco, are now underway for a major pipeline project in the Netherlands that aims to connect industrial hubs with hydrogen supply and CO2 storage infrastructure. [View article](#)

## Science

### **Ingenieur (30/03/2026): Green hydrogen is eating away at turbines: the overlooked problem of the energy transition** <sup>GER</sup>

Extract: Hydrogen is intended to make gas-fired power stations climate-neutral, but it corrodes the turbine materials. Fraunhofer researchers aim to tackle the problem with a new process. [View article](#)

### **Ingenieur (03/04/2026): Fraunhofer ISI debunks hydrogen myths and highlights the limitations** <sup>GER</sup>

Extract: Many see hydrogen as the key to climate neutrality. It is expected to power aeroplanes, heat homes and save industry. But how realistic are these scenarios? The Fraunhofer Institute for Systems and Innovation Research (ISI) has analysed more than 100 studies in a comprehensive meta-fact-check. [View article](#)

## Further Press Releases

### **Topsoe (31/03/2026): Topsoe partners with Hynfra P.S.A. to advance green ammonia in Jordan** <sup>EN</sup>

Extract: Topsoe, a leading global provider of advanced technology and solutions for the energy transition, has signed a FEED agreement for Hynfra's green ammonia project located in the port of Aqaba, Jordan. [View press release](#)



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