

# Hydrogen project development Flexens Oy Ab

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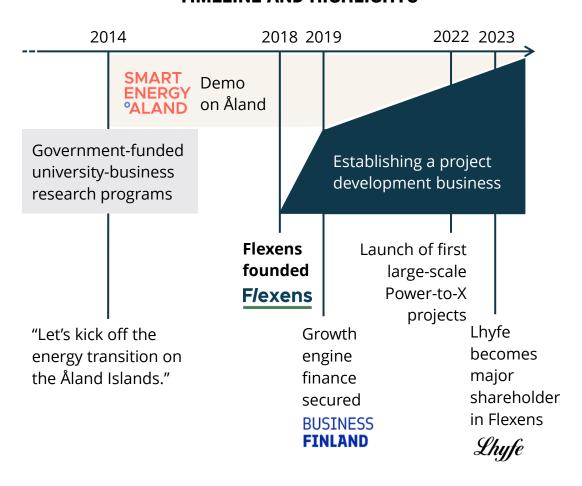
## Advanced project development rooted in research

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#### **BUILT ON A SOLID OWNERSHIP STRUCTURE**



#### **TIMELINE AND HIGHLIGHTS**





# **Exceptional team driven by necessary change**

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**21** dedicated professionals with diverse backgrounds

16 based in our Helsinki office5 based on the Åland Islands

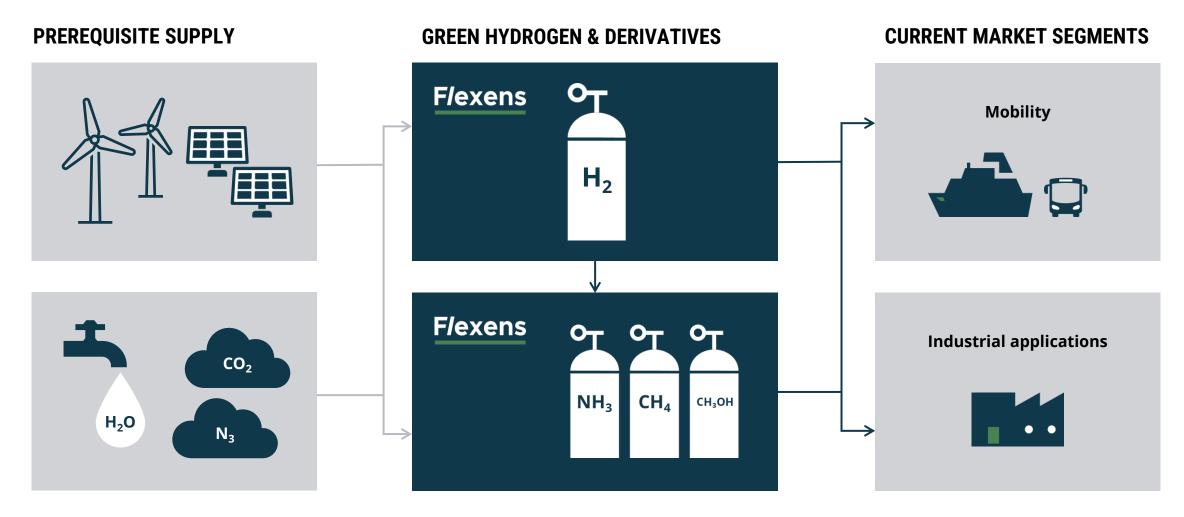
**Over 250 years** of shared experience in key industries

We are growing: In the past 2 years, our team size has **doubled** 



# Focus on green hydrogen and its derivatives

Flexens as a project developer





## What does a project developer do until FID?

### Things to do to reach Final Investment Decision (FID)

- Identifying sites
- Negotiating about land lease/purchase
- Feasibility study, including technical and business modelling
- Securing grid connection
- Energy system integration (DH, Steam, electricity)
- Water sourcing
- Carry out Environmental Impact Assessment
- Carry out permitting processes
- Negotiating contracts for off-takers of the end product
- Negotiating contracts for energy sourcing
- Basic engineering
  - Increasing maturity of the project through technical planning, identifying, negotiating and choosing technology suppliers.
- Citizen engagement
- Communication





## **Examples from our project pipeline (Public)**

Highlighting our current activities

#### KOKKOLA



We are developing a 300-350 MW green hydrogen and ammonia plant in Kokkola, Finland. Its planning started in 2022, and we're currently in the EIA phase.

## **ÅLAND ENERGY ISLAND**



Copenhagen Infrastructure Partners, Flexens, and Lhyfe have formed a partnership for the development and construction of an integrated energy island solution enabling large-scale offshore wind, green hydrogen production, and other value-creating activities on Åland.

#### **CABO VERDE**



Cabo Verde and Flexens have signed an MoU to collaborate further in developing feasibility studies for the implementation of large-scale green ammonia production in Cabo Verde.

## **NAANTALI (GNE)**



Flexens is a minority shareholder (8 %) in Green North Energy.

Their planned 280 MW plant in Naantali is Finland's first green ammonia project.



## Large-scale green ammonia

Highlighting our current activities



#### **FLEXENS KOKKOLA**

**Status:** Planning started

The Flexens Kokkola plant is one of the largest green ammonia

and green hydrogen projects in Europe.

Location: Kokkola, Finland

Capacity: 350 MW

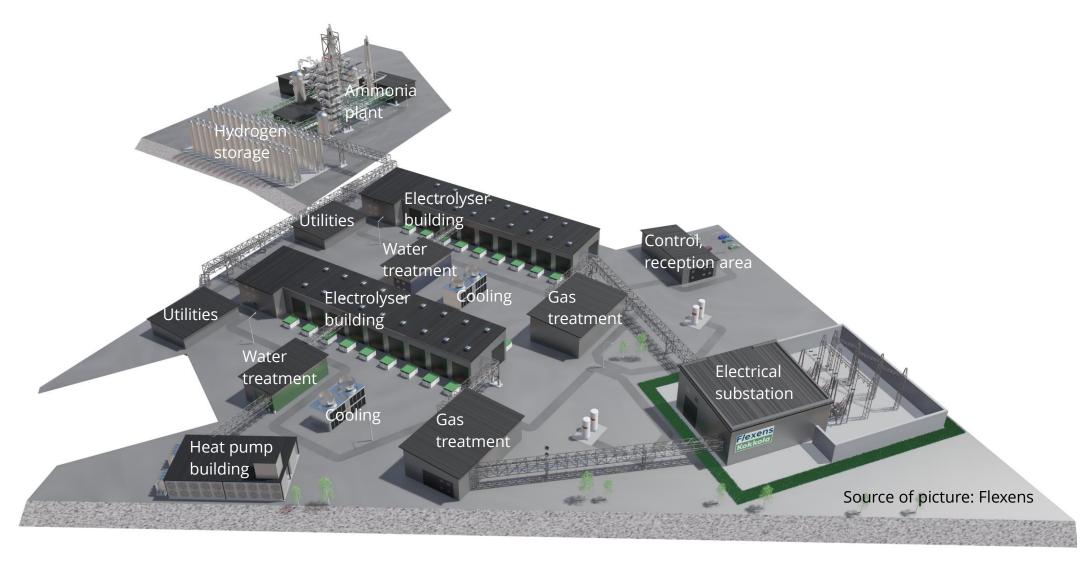
**Estimated start of operation: 2027** 

**Estimated investment:** 800 M€





## **Overview of facilities**







## Thoughts on challenges and opportunities

- Hydrogen is a new field, also for permitting authorities
  - Key is open and active communication with ELY keskus, TUKES, the city authorities etc.
  - TUKES is publishing "guidelines for hydrogen projects" shortly.
- Everyone is learning the field. In-depth long term H2 experts only a "handful".
  - Education, research and development is needed, on all levels
- Huge opportunity for Finland, let's not waste this!
  - Smooth and open permitting process needed (already in good shape now)
  - Smooth process securing grid connection
  - Enable "behind the meter" connection combining RE production directly to H2 plants.
  - Create as high value as possible in Finland, not sell out too low valued products (electricity => H2 => e-fuels => fertilisers and other products)





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