

Mapping of barriers in the HØST PtX project

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#### North Sea's Energy Potential

- Denmark can become a net exporter of offshore wind energy with a capacity of 25-35 GW in the Danish North Sea by 2050
- PtX plants can stabilise electricity prices and support the expansion of renewable energy in Denmark's expected 35 GW offshore wind build-out



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#### The Nordic Roadmap project: Longlisted 81 potential green corridors

Short-listed 6 promising green shipping corridors: Hirtshals – Larvik Ystad – Rønne Umeå – Vasa Stockholm – Turku Sandefjord – Strømstad Århus – Torshavn – Reykjavik - Nuuk

Potential ammonia hub Esbjerg: DK – UK green corridor

Passenger traffic, 2019

# **HØST in Esbjerg**

- Located in the Måde Industrial Area near the Port of Esbjerg
- A facility to cover 30 hectares and produce around 100,000 tonnes of green hydrogen annually
- The hydrogen can be converted into 600,000 tonnes of green ammonia
- Permitting envelope of up to 1GW installed electrolyser capacity
- Capital investment exceeding 2 billion EUR

## Providing green ammonia to shipping in Esbjerg



## **HØST** in planning







#### **Main Barriers**

#### Demand and cost

Energy cost/ competitive pricing

Political decisions

Long-term offtake agreements

#### Technology and safety

Ammonia supply chain safety requirements

**Technical maturity** 

Public perception

#### Fuel availability

No existing supply chain

Infrastructure

#### Misalignment

#### **Actions to overcome barriers**



Collaborative Cost and Risk Management Tools Procurement policies Green financing Cover price gap on OPEX for duration

Unified approach to safety standards



Developing a Shared Framework

Promotion of infrastructure Standardized GHG emissions tracking

Alignment of stakeholders

Structure incentives Funding Recognition to reward alignment with common goals



#### Route and fuel green corridor work going forward

- **Green transport DK-U**K: Arla, Danish Crown, DFDS and DSV develop climate-neutral food transports from Denmark to the UK (net zero) by 2030
- Hydrogen fuelled vessel Esbjerg-Immingham: H2 Energy and DFDS completed a technical and operational feasibility study of hydrogen propulsion system for DFDS cargo (Ro-Ro) vessel *Magnolia Seaways* on the Esbjerg-Immingham-Esbjerg route
- **DFDS ammonia driven route:** The Sweden-Belgium green corridor is initiated by DFDS and the ports of Gothenburg, Antwerp-Bruges, and North Sea Port.
- Ammonia fuelled-fuelled vessels: CIP, through its Energy Transition Fund, has signed MOUs to develop ammonia-fuelled carriers.
- Ammonia engine: MAN Energy Solutions began full-scale engine testing in November 2024

- Ensure predictabilty in market related to green electricity
- Establish frameworks regarding regulatory and planning issues
- Work toward a competive and level playing field
- Funding mechanisms should also address OPEX price gap
- Green corridors with open tenders are a suitable mechanism to align all interests



# Thank you

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Nordic Roadmap