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# The Wind-Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Opportunity

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# Hydrogenics Corporation

Our mission is to accelerate the development and commercialization of

## Fuel Cell Technology

for clean power generation.

To achieve this, our team continually seeks out viable markets and finds innovative ways to integrate this technology into operational systems efficiently with maximum results.

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# International Sales & Service Network



-  Hydrogenics – Toronto Headquarters
-  Hydrogenics – Vancouver, B.C.
-  Hydrogenics – New York Office
-  Hydrogenics – Japan Office
-  Hydrogenics – Europe (Germany)

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# Two Strategic Business Units

## Test Products

- Equipment
- Testing Services



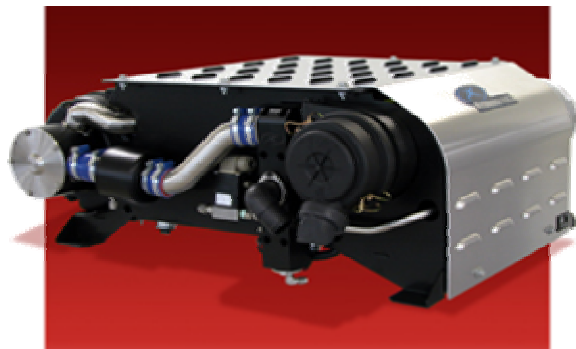
## Power Products

- Power Generation
- H<sub>2</sub> Generation
- Engineering Services
- Seal - in - Place



# Power Products based on Two Building Blocks

## Fuel Cell Power Modules



- DC power & water (H<sub>2</sub>O)
- 500 W to 60 kW (out)

## Electrolyzer Modules



- H<sub>2</sub> gas and O<sub>2</sub>
- 4kWe to 140 kWe (in)

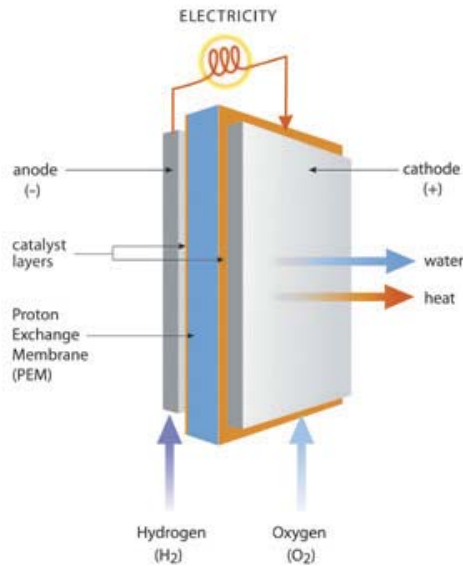




# Fuel Cell Power

From Cells to Stacks to Power Modules

## The PEM Fuel Cell



- **Single cell provides only emission is heat and water**

## The Fuel Cell Stack



- **Multiple cells layered to create a stack**

## The Fuel Cell Power Module



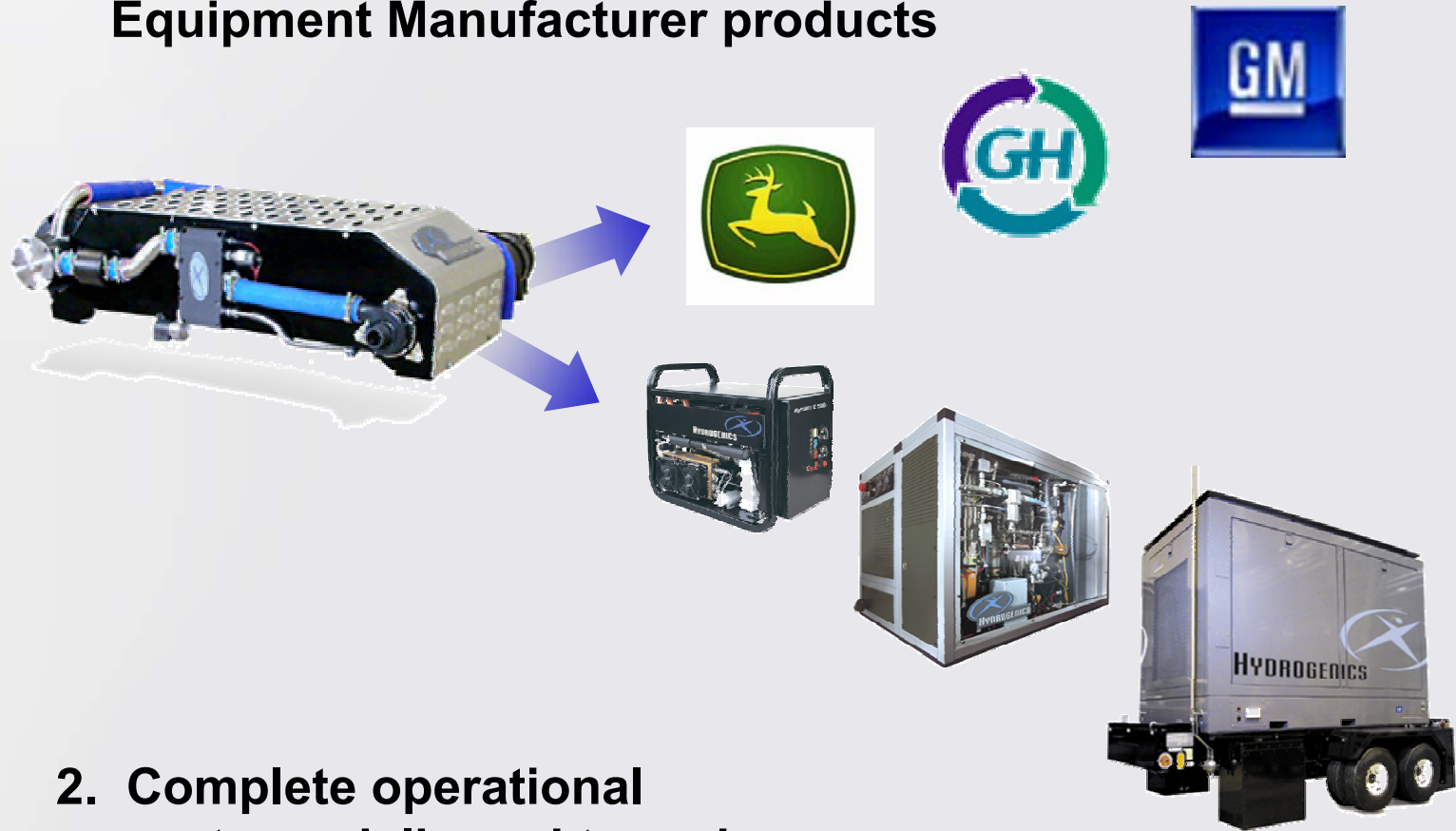
- **Heat and water mgmt**
- **Gas humidification**
- **S/W and H/W controls**
- **Power conditioning**
- **Fuel mgmt**





# Two-Pronged Fuel Cell Distribution Strategy

**1. Modules integrated into Original Equipment Manufacturer products**



**2. Complete operational systems delivered to end-users**



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## 5 kW Regenerative Fuel Cell Auxiliary Power Unit

- Auxiliary power for vehicular applications e.g. Military LAVs
- Attractive alternative to batteries and diesel generators
- Modular and scaleable



GM Military Vehicle Prototype



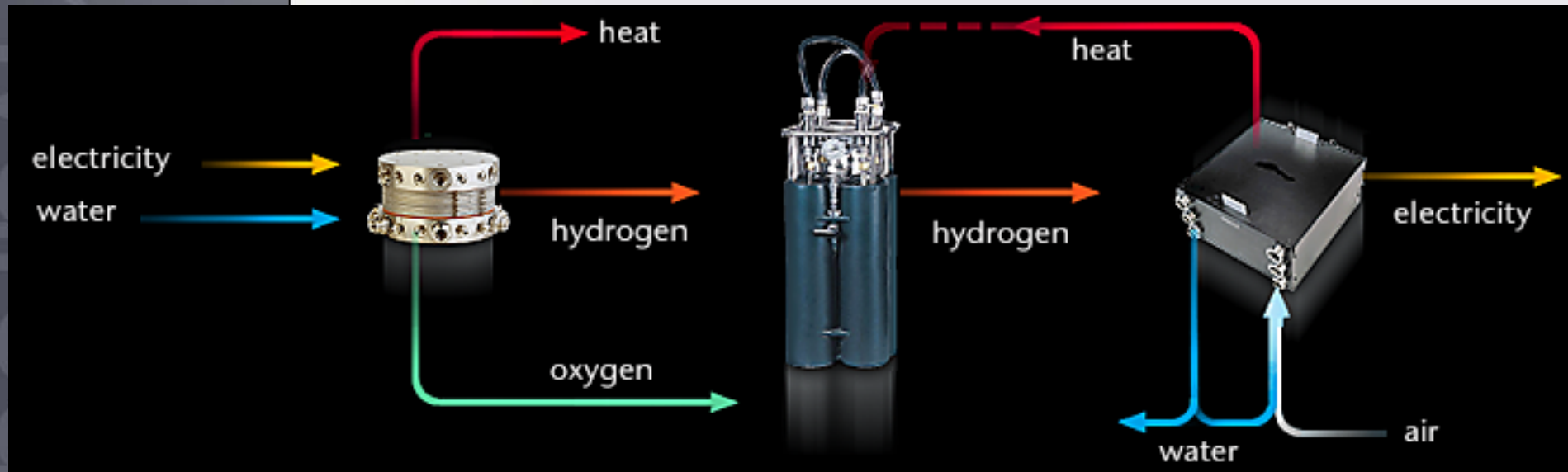


# Regenerative Fuel Cell Systems

Today's self-fuelling solution for intermittent applications

Hydrogen Generation  
(Electrolysis)

Power Generation  
(Fuel Cell)



**A truly sustainable energy solution when used with solar, wind or hydro-electric power**



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# Providing Value Propositions for Fuel Cells

## **SOCIO-POLITICAL & ENVIRONMENTAL BENEFITS INCLUDE:**

- Reduced dependence on foreign oil supplies
- Enabling large scale adoption of renewable & clean energy sources
  - Sunlight, wind, run-of-river hydro, geothermal, nuclear



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# Hurdles to adoption of fuel cells

- High cost
- Lack of hydrogen infrastructure
- Unproven durability
- Hydrogen storage issues
- Undeveloped codes and regulations regarding safety
- Undeveloped codes and regulations regarding installation & operation
  
- In order to introduce fuel cells into viable markets today we must develop **value propositions** where there is market pull based on the benefits that fuel cells offer



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# Hydrogen Infrastructure

Key considerations affecting implementation

## ■ Methods of Production

- Hydrocarbon Reformation – Natural Gas
- Electrolysis - Electricity
  - Grid Power
  - Renewable Energy
- Depends on Localized Commodity Price and Availability



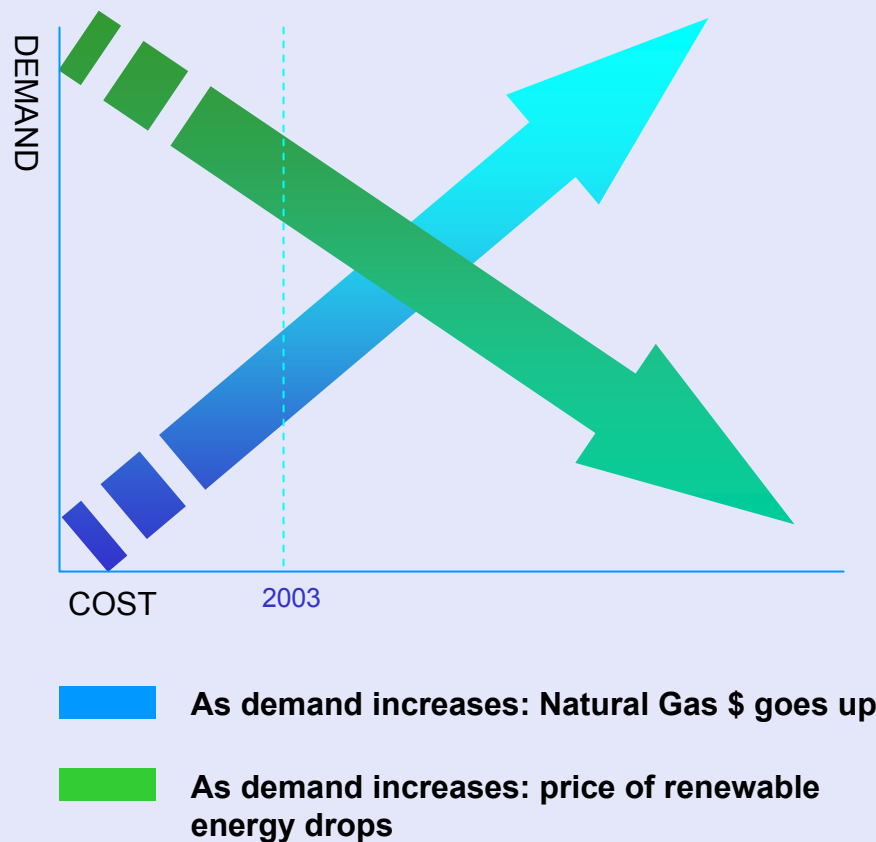
## ■ Centralized or Distributed

- Location and Application Specific



# Outlook on Hydrogen Production Cost

- Renewable energy provides a stable and continually decreasing cost for hydrogen production.
- The cost of natural gas is continually rising (and will continue to rise as reserves are consumed).



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# Progress moves towards Decentralization



Industry	Decentralization Trend		Consumption Trend
Communication	Landline	➔ Wireless	↑
Computing	Centralized Mainframe	➔ PC	↑
Power	Centralized Generation	➔ Distributed Generation	↑
	Low \$ / performance	➔ High \$ / performance	

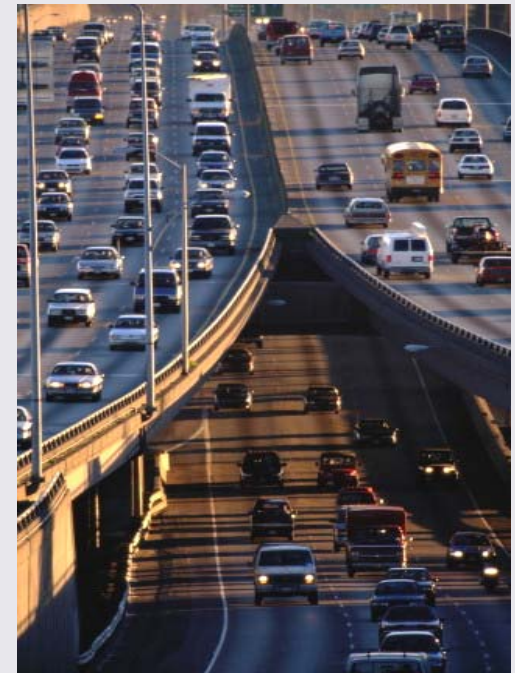
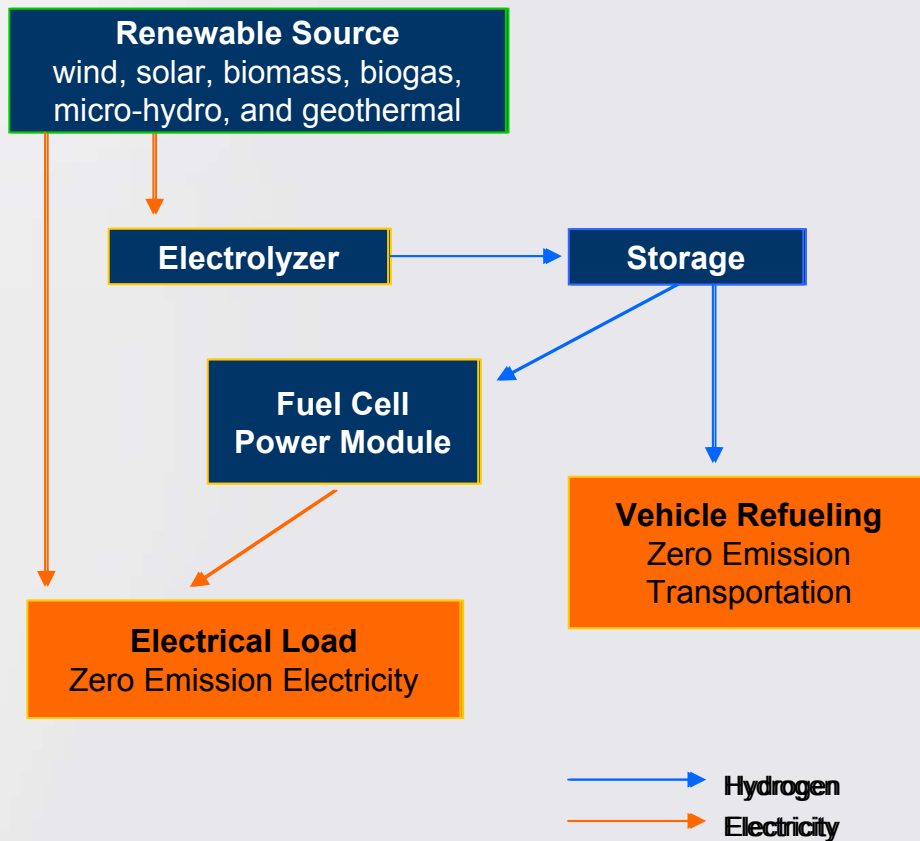
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# Benefits of combining Fuel Cells and Wind Turbines

- Eliminate the barriers associated with intermittent energy sources
- Opens up the transportation energy market to renewable sources



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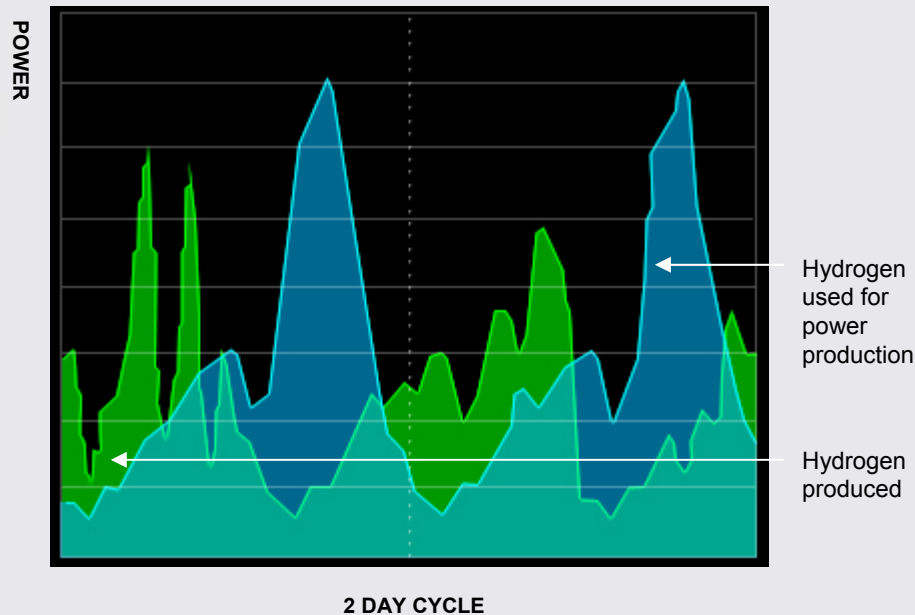
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# Sequence of Operation

System sizing can ensure that there is always enough hydrogen to meet the load

– resulting in a 100% renewable energy supply.



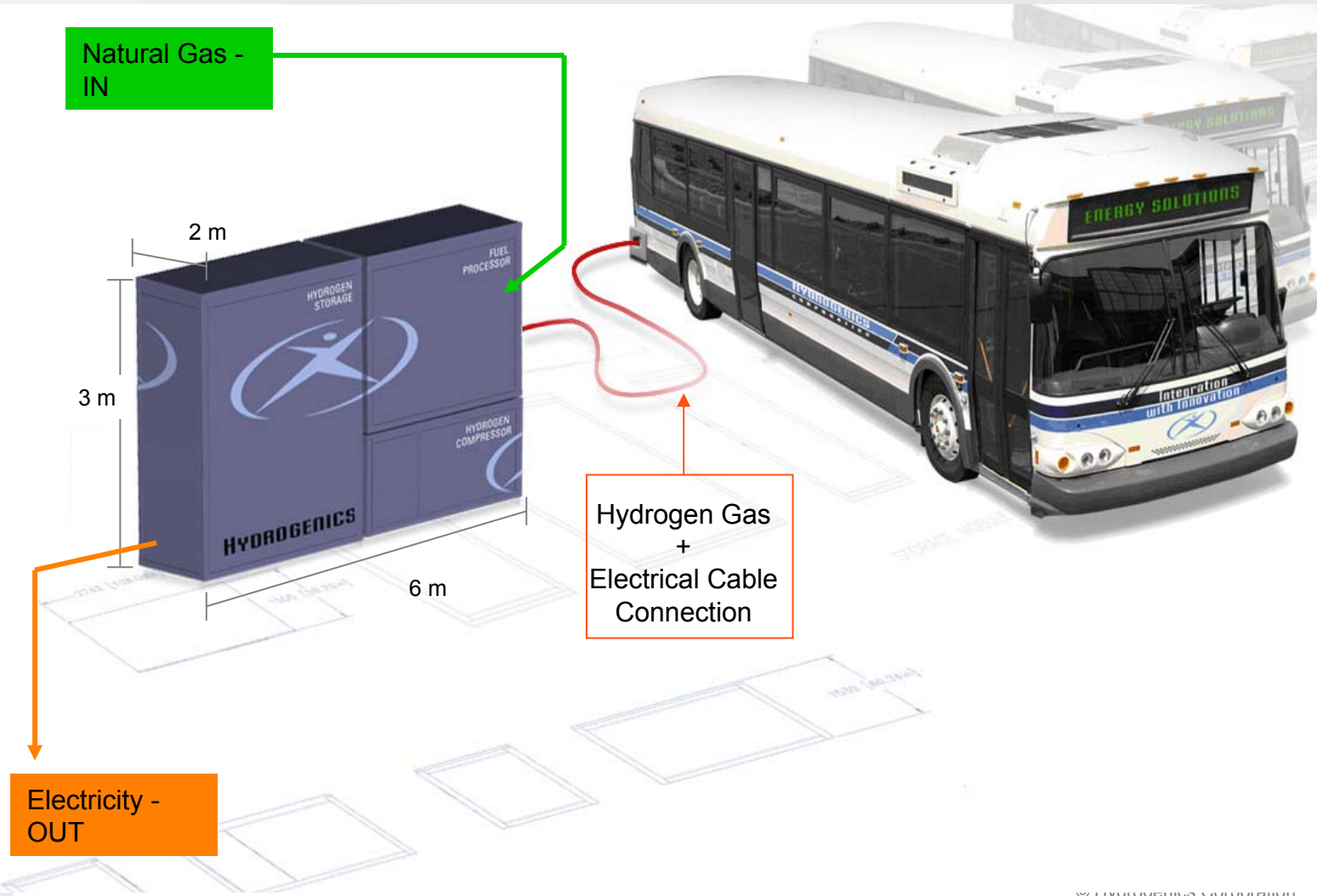
— consumer power demand  
— renewable energy production





# HySTAT Power Generator / Refueler

Fuel Processor + Compressor + Storage + 50kW FC + Cable/Hose Interface



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# Electrolyzer Development

Large active area electrolyzer (701E)

## Achievement:

- 40% increase in power density
- 30-40% cost reduction
- Significant parts reduction

## Performance target:

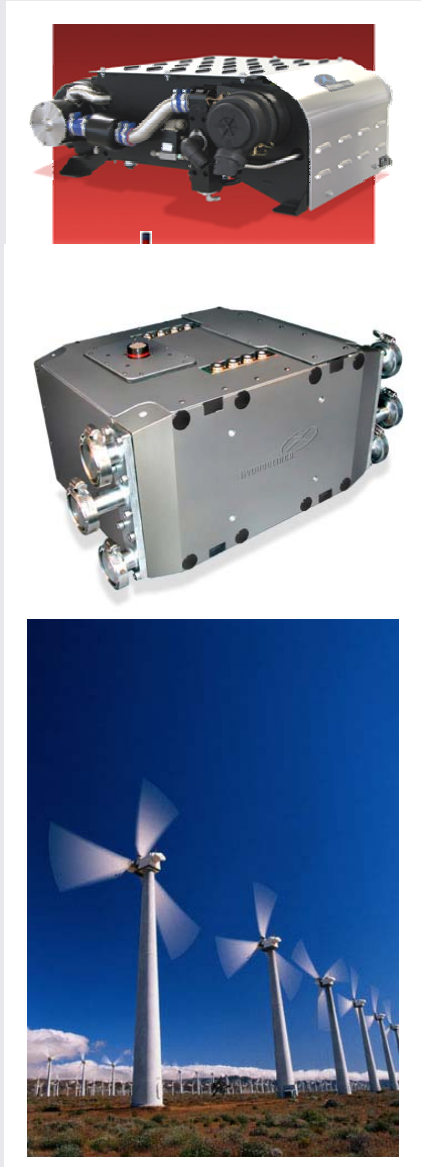
- 10 slpm/cell at operating voltage of 1.91 VDC  
(50 cell stack = 500 slpm)
- Exceeded this target in Q1, 2003
- Durability testing in progress





# Summary

- **Focusing on launch of Power Products business**
  - Developing 2 core building blocks
  - Developing distribution channels
- The potential of renewable energy to produce hydrogen creates a stronger value proposition for both **fuel cells and wind turbines**
- Hydrogenics is finding innovative ways to **integrate these technologies** efficiently and with maximum results



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Thank you!