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# **The Future of Energy** Decarbonizing Power Generation

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# GE's complimentary portfolio of technology is continuously adapting to global customer needs

GE believes that decarbonization actions will be determined locally, based on resource availability, policy, current infrastructure, and demand for power



**ONSHORE** 

WIND

**OFFSHORE** 

WIND

**HYDRO** 

GAS FIRED

POWER

DIGITAL

SERVICES

**STORAGE** 

& HYBRIDS

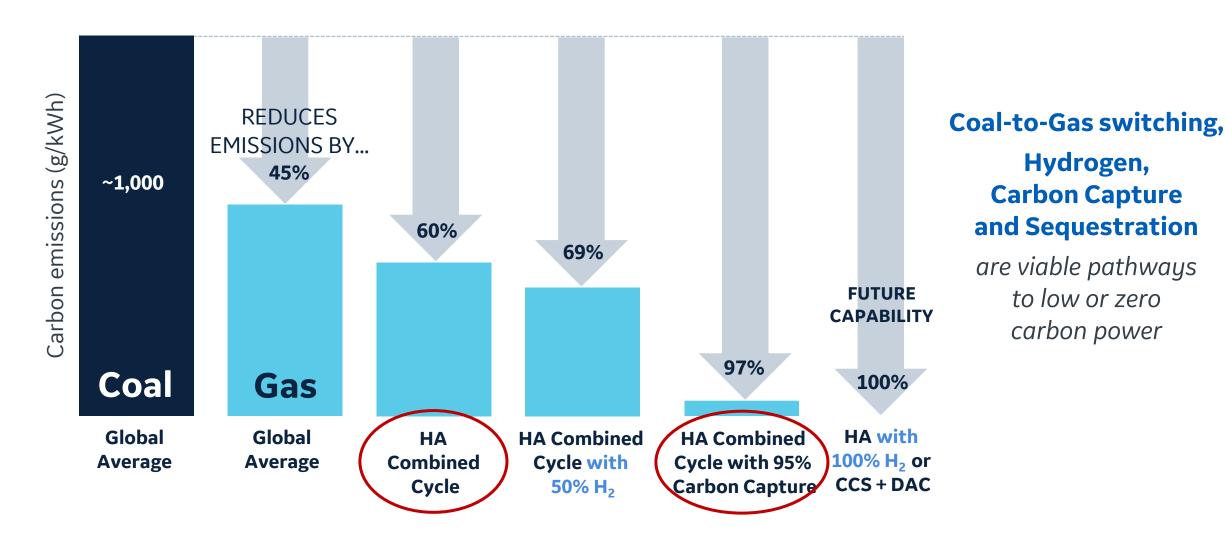
SMALL MODULAR

REACTOR

GRID

SOLUTIONS

# Pathway to low or near-zero carbon power



# Gas Turbine Combined Cycle operational flexibility



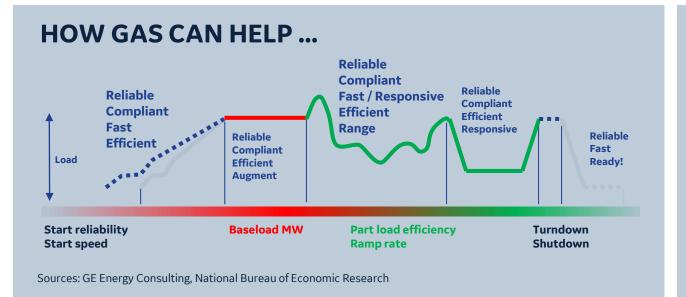
Complementing Intermittent Renewables





#### Needs for renewables integration

Respond to transients in renewables "fuel" availability Shift inflexible tech (coal, nuclear, hydro) to flexible sources Capability to support unseen/uncontrolled distributed gen





Fast & Reliable Start Fast MWs when renewables ramp down



**Baseload MW & Efficiency** Lowers consumer cost and carbon footprint



**Fast Ramping & Partload Operation** Real-time, efficient response to minute changes



**Low Turndown** Accommodate renewables, maintain reliability

# Two world records **CHUBU** 63.08% gross CC Nishi Nagoya Japan EDF 62.22% Bouchain net CC France

### HA TECHNOLOGY: Unlocking a new era of efficiency



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# HA fleet demographics – Q2 2022

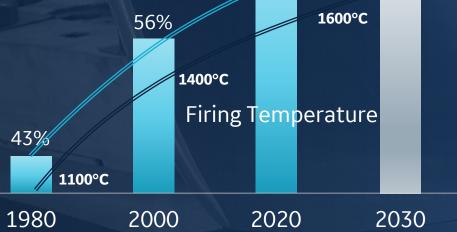


137 orders
104 shipped
72 operation
~1,500,000 hours
2 world records



# Continued Advances for Gas Combined Cycle Efficiency

### CCGT Efficiency Evolution 65%+ 63+% 56% 1600°C



Enabled by advances in engineering and manufacturing sciences







Aerodynamics Combustion & Heat transfer

Materials & Additive mfct

### Design

### Advancing Aerothermal Technology

- Refractory Alloy Innovations for Superior Efficiency + compatible coating
- Creep resistant super alloys for rotor components

### Technology investment in gas turbomachines is key to lower carbon future



# Technology Roadmap – applied to the HAs



#### Model & efficiency

7/9HA.01 62 → 63% IN OPERATION

9HA.02 / 7HA.03 63 → 64%

Installed & Commissioned

Product Growth 65%+

Under development

#### Technologies



4-stage turbine

Flowpath sealing

Turbine aero

Micromixer

Micro-channel cooling

l Advanced sealing







Cooled LSB









Advanced Unsteady aero A Combustion Co

Advanced Core/Castings High-temp additive High Temp Rotor



Ceramic Matrix Composites



Continued improvements to aero efficiency through modelling, design and material science

### Multiple ways to decarbonize\* existing and future gas power plants



# Pre-combustion

### **Post-combustion**

#### Use a near zero or carbon neutral fuel

- Hydrogen (blue, green, pink)
- Synthetic (renewable) methane
- Ammonia (NH<sub>3</sub>)
- Biofuels

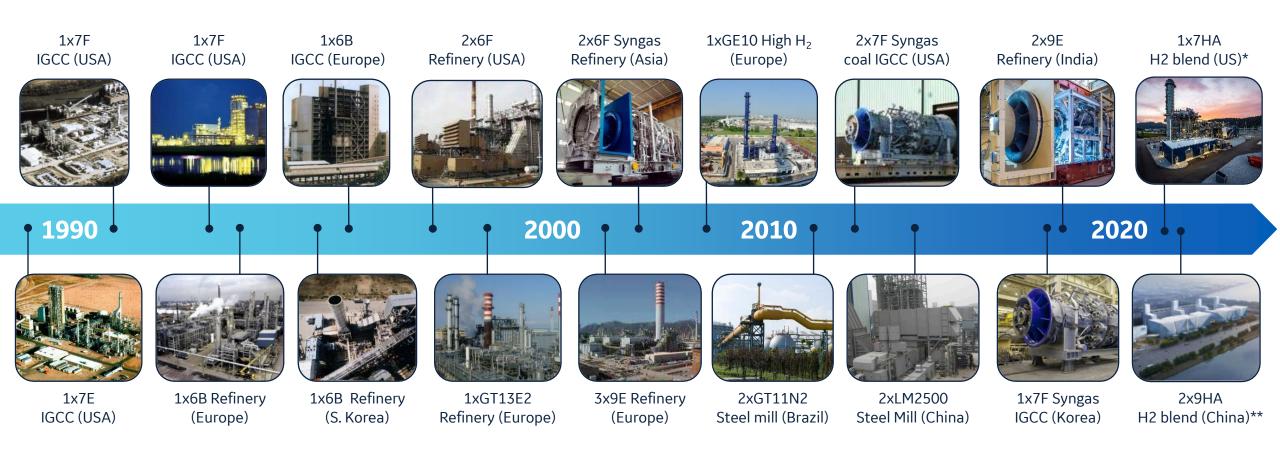
#### Remove carbon from the plant exhaust

• Carbon capture (liquid sorbents)

<sup>\*</sup>Decarbonization as used herein is intended to mean the reduction of carbon emissions on a kilogram per megawatt hour basis.

# Decades of experience with hydrogen fuel





### More than 100 gas turbines with more than 8 million operating hours

\*first HA class on  $H_2$  operation in 2022.

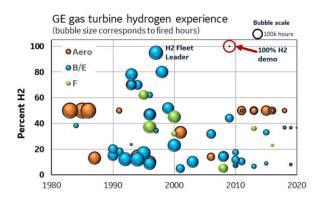
\*\*Expected  $H_2$  operation in 2023.

### **Hydrogen:** GE Leading the way in future-proofing gas plants



#### Experience

#### 100+ gas turbines, >8M hours 2021 Catalog data





H2 fleet leader 6B operating for 20+ years on high H<sub>2</sub> (**70-95% H**<sub>2</sub>); more than 180k hours



**F-class** 4x7F.03 operated on **5%** H<sub>2</sub>/natural gas blend



**Aeroderivative** 2xLM2500 operating on steel mill gases with **58%** H<sub>2</sub>

#### **Current Capability and Projects\***

Aero: 85% Diffusion: 30%-85% Premixed (DLE): 35%

**E-class: 100%** Diffusion: ~100% Premixed (DLN): ~40%

**F-class: 100%** Diffusion: ~100% Premixed (DLN): 10-40%

H Class: 50% Premixed (DLN): 15–50%

\*H<sub>2</sub> maximum capability depends on specific unit, configuration, etc.



LM6000 35% H<sub>2</sub> (1Q22)



6B 33% H<sub>2</sub> (2015-Present)



7F IGCC plants, 30–40% H<sub>2</sub> (1996–Present)



Long Ridge 7HA.02 **5%** H<sub>2</sub> DLN (1Q22)

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### Path To 100% H<sub>2</sub>

#### **Combustion systems**

Aero premixed combustion (DLE)

Phase 1: ~60%+





Advanced premixer

Lean direct injection

#### F & HA Premixed combustion (DLN)

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Phase 1: ~80%+

Phase 2: ~100%+

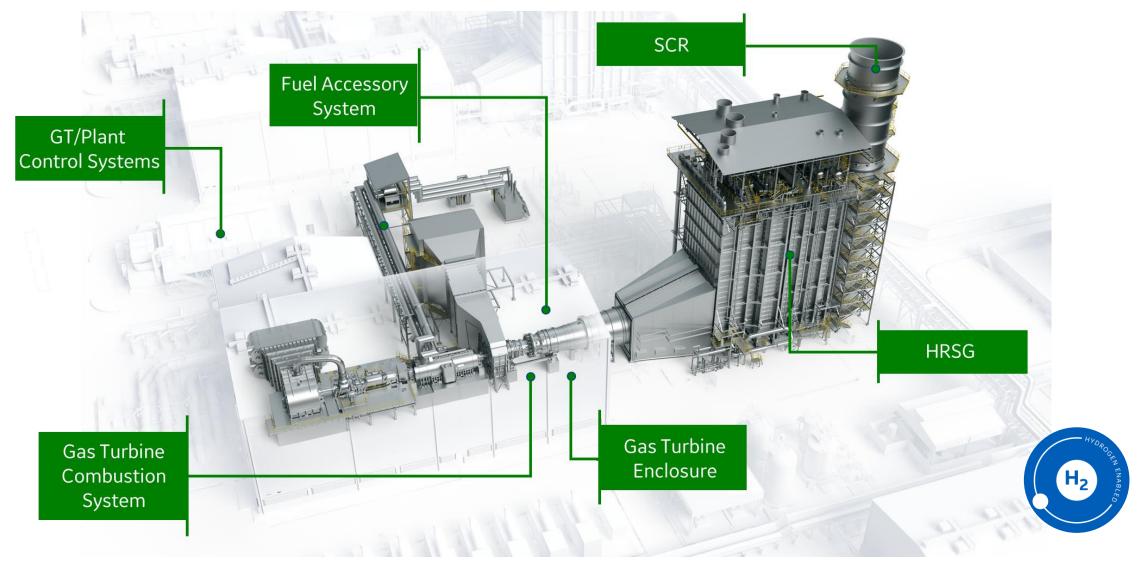


Advanced Micromixer + Axial Fuel Staging

#### Plant impact



### Potential hydrogen impact on new and existing power plants



# Hydrogen project lessons

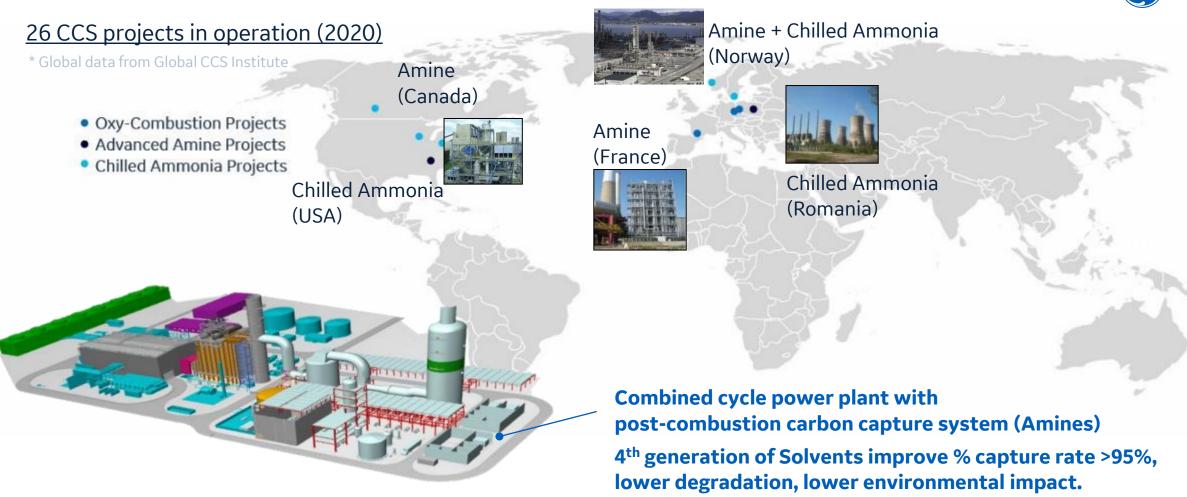


### • H2 fuel system

- Need to have injection and measurement close coupled to the power block
- Site BOP/safety
  - Installation of hydrogen fuel introduces new hazardous zones
  - Potential venting of hydrogen
- Hydrogen supply chain
  - Securing large volumes of hydrogen, especially low carbon intensity hydrogen, is challenging today (650MW CCGT requires 28t/h H<sub>2</sub>

### Pathway to decarbonization: Carbon Capture through Solvents





### GE provides site specific NGCC / CCS Solutions: Pre-FEED and FEED studies

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### **Cooling Tower**

### **CO<sub>2</sub> Desorption Tower**

CO<sub>2</sub> Compressor

### **Steam Turbine**

HRSGs

2x1 natural gas combined cycle plant configured with post-combustion carbon capture plant

Integrated solvent capture system enables thermal cycle optimization and plant flexibility. Gas Turbines Heat Exchanger Direct Contact Cooler (DCC)

CO, Absorber Tower

Tank

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Amine Storage

### GE Carbon Capture ongoing FEED studies

#### Southern Company Barry (USA) 7F.04 Retrofit



- DOE awards \$5.7M focused on carbon capture, utilization, and storage (CCUS) with a goal of **commercial deployment by 2030**
- GE Gas Power, Southern Company, Linde, BASF, and Kiewit develop a detailed plan for integrating carbon capture technologies with a natural gas combined cycle plant to **capture 95 percent of carbon dioxide emissions** generated.

#### **bp Net-Zero Teesside Power** (UK) 9HA.02 New Unit



- Technip Energies and GE Gas Power develop a Front-End Engineering Design (FEED) study for a large amine-based post combustion carbon capture project
- Technip Energies and GE Gas Power will use Shell Cansolv CO2 capture technology with a **planned capture capacity of 2 mtpa**



Technologies to help customers reduce the carbon footprint are available today

Carbon Capture adapted to Combined Cycles requires Operations Considerations through smart Integration

# SUPPORTIVE policies needed, to enable energy investments

Establish **market structures** that value energy, flexibility and dependable capacity separately

Support first CCS projects and the fast tracking of required infrastructure

**Ensure transparency and predictability**, and allow lifecycle economics to determine outcomes Directive 2009/31/EC was a first step ✓ REpowerEU plan is a good approach Setting national / EU wide targets for CCS applications. ⇒ To follow 2020 - 26 CCS projects 2022 - 65 CCS projects (80% require CCS infrastructure that is not permitted today) → Fast track LNG terminals can work bi-directional, NG in, CO2 out

Short term measures are needed to abate long term Climate Change



# The decarbonization journey



- **1** COAL TO GAS ... replacing coal with complementary mix of gas + renewables fastest path to reduce CO<sub>2</sub>
- **2** HYDROGEN ... GE is leading in experience and technology deployment : >75 GT's, +8MM fired hours
- **3** CARBON CAPTURE ... GE can integrate CC technology today with downstream expert partners
- **4 POLICY**... accelerate legislation to permit and finance new CO<sub>2</sub> infrastructure
- **5 AMPLIFY THE CCS NARRATIVE** ... accepting CCS as a cornerstone in reducing emissions for key generation assets in support of grid/network stability

### ACCELERATED GROWTH OF RENEWABLES AND GAS POWER CAN RAPIDLY CHANGE THE TRAJECTORY ON CLIMATE CHANGE

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# The Future of Energy





#### Accelerated and strategic deployment of

### RENEWABLES AND GAS POWER

can change the near-term trajectory for climate change and deliver a path to substantive reductions in  $CO_2$  emissions quickly.

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# Building a world that works