

# Establishing Commercial Fusion Energy In Europe

Complementing solar and wind for a full renewable energy mix

## Uniting the best from private and public sector



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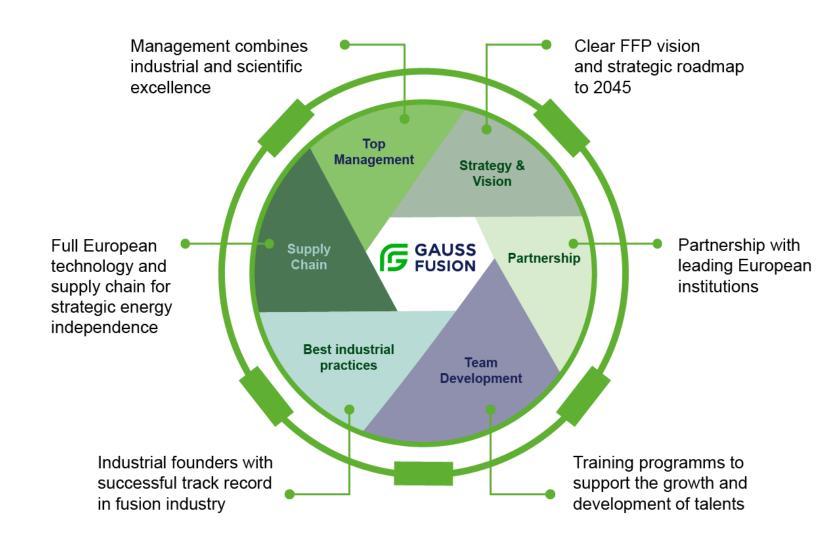












### **Partnerships**











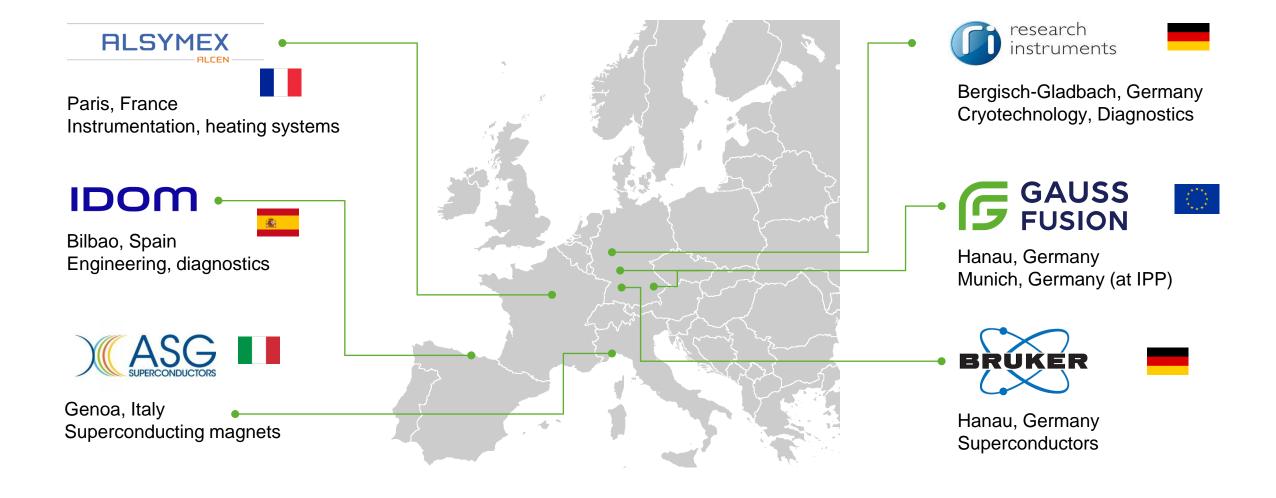
... further partnerships in discussion

### **GAUSS FUSION FOUNDERS**

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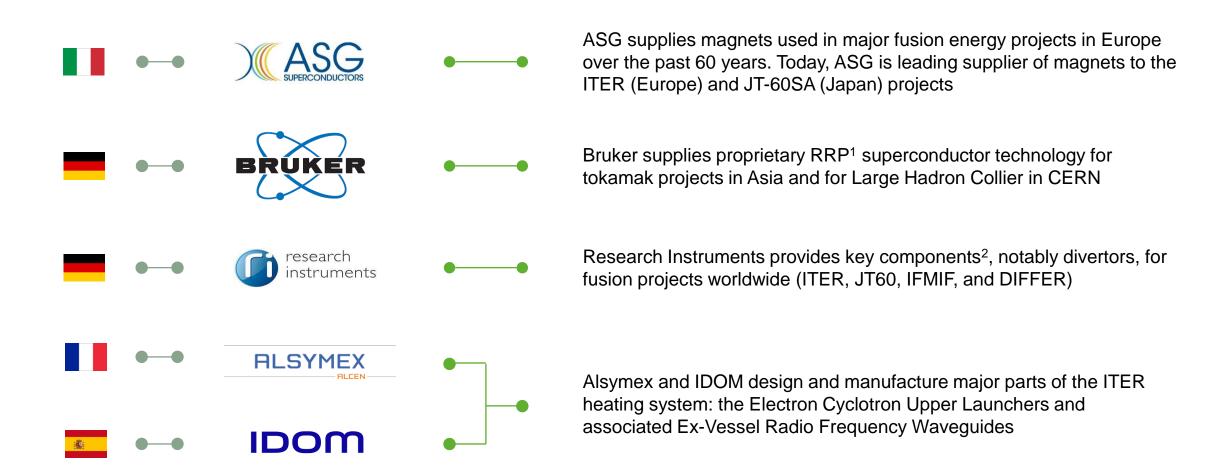


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<sup>1.</sup> Rod-Restack Process

<sup>2.</sup> Torus and Cryostat Cryopumping System (TCCS), Cryogenic distribution system, Inner Vertical Target (IVT), Accelerating grids for neutral and diagnostic beam injection systems, Warm Regeneration Box (WRB)

### GAUSS FUSION SUPERVISORY AND SCIENTIFIC BOARD



# World-class fusion energy industry players supported by a high-profile scientific advisory board

### **Chairman of the Supervisory Board**

Frank Laukien



With a strong science and business background, Frank has been serving as the CEO of Bruker Corp. since 1991

### **Supervisory Board**

Comprises CEO, chairman and members of the board of directors in leading fusion industry players:











### **Strategic & Scientific Advisory Board**

Comprises director, deputy director or division head in leading institutes:













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# Capitalizing on mature technologies, innovating as needed, creating intellectual property



Technology approach



### Core fusion-specific components

- Use existing state-of-the-art and mature technologies to the best extent possible
- Focus innovation on key critical components
- Test the components individually with progressive integration



### Additional fusion-compatible components

- Use only mature technologies
- Test the components in an existing integrated set-up



Gauss Fusion will drive the creation of intellectual property through innovation

Three key areas for innovation and IP creation:





Magnets



**Materials** 



Tritium Breeding Blanket



Heating technology
To be further detailed

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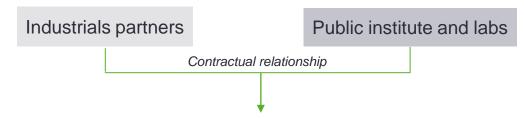


### Addressing the key areas for the construction of a Fusion Power Plant

### Five working groups within Gauss Fusion

- Device design
- 2. Tritium breeding blanket
- Materials
- 4. Magnets
- 5. Site configuration

### Organization of the working groups



- Project management One core team per working group
- In-house engineering and design team

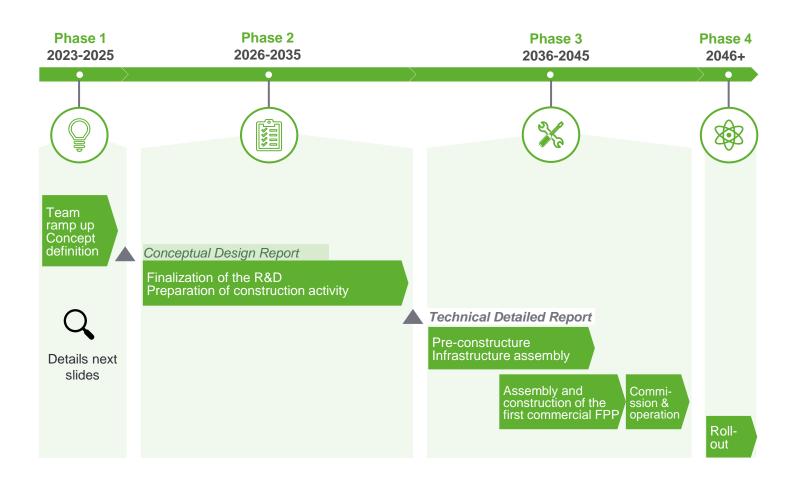
Gauss Fusion core team on the working group #1

- Key technology decisions
- Overall view of all the working groups

Gauss Fusion management level



# Taking a reliable and scalable approach, striking a balance between technological complexity and pragmatical delivery deadlines



### Commentary

Reliable commercial fusion energy before 2045 seems unrealistic, as building FPP still requires around two decades of investment in research and construction:

With substantial resources, some experts believe that fusion may be able to provide electricity to the grid within 10-20 years, while others states that fusion will take more than 20 years to become a reality."

The US Government Accountability Office<sup>1</sup>, 2023

Fusion power plant should be able to be achieved within few decades." LLNL Director Dr. Kim Budil<sup>2</sup>, 2022

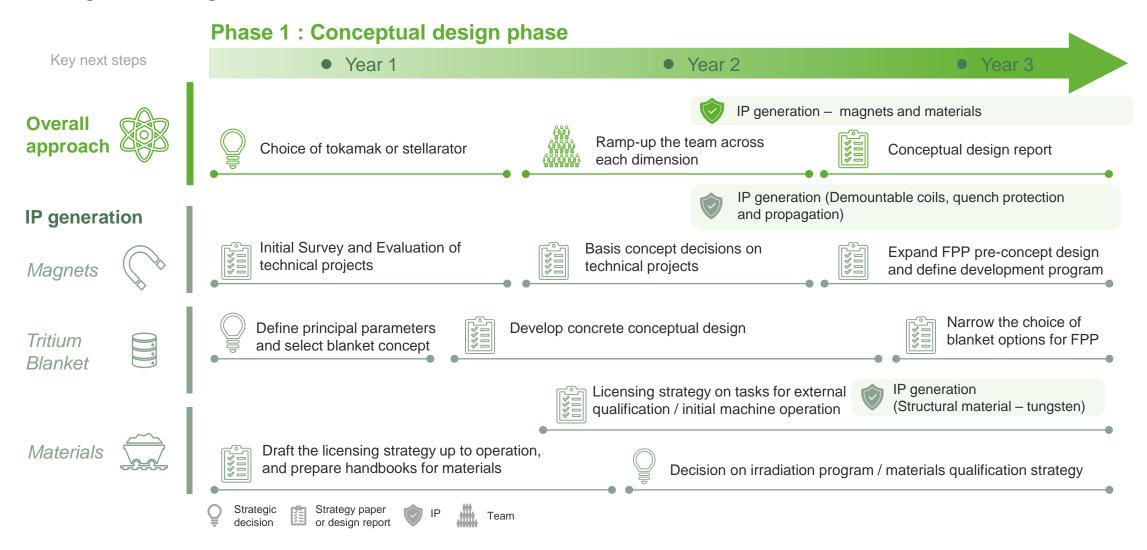
In contrast to the overly aggressive timelines pursued by private players, [...] a realistic roadmap with a 20-year horizon around 2045 to 2050 for demonstration." Chair of EPFL, Ambrogio Fasoli, 2023

<sup>1.</sup> Report on Potentially Transformative Technology Still Faces Fundamental Challenges

<sup>2.</sup> Panelist at U.S. Officials Announce Major Nuclear Fusion Breakthrough & Panel Discussion



# Delivering technical and industrial feasibility while innovating and generating IP



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### **KEY INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS**



## Invest in Europe's fusion champion and trigger the next energy revolution

- 1 Wind and Solar alone won't solve the planet's problem
- 2 Fusion is the answer to the big energy question
- 3 European fusion market has a huge economic potential (over a trillion euros)
- 4 Gauss is using the most mature designs and technology available
- 5 Gauss Fusion is unique: combines industry and science



We have the physicist to build the right thing and we have the industry to build the thing right.

The time is now



# Thank you for your attention



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