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# 1. Introduction

- 1. This methodology is adopted and refers to the latest approved version of the UNFCCC Clean Development Mechanism Methodology AM0124 (as valid from 27 September 2023).
- 2. It shall be the responsibility of the non-obligated entity and Accredited Carbon Verification Agency (ACVA) to note of any subsequent changes or revisions in the above-mentioned methodology while developing projects and performing validation and/or verification activity respectively.
- 3. The following table describes the key elements of the methodology:

Typical projects	Production of hydrogen through electrolysis of water using electricity from a captive renewable power plant only, or from a mix of electricity predominantly from a captive renewable plant and residually from the electric grid. The hydrogen produced is supplied to an existing dedicated consumer.			
Type of GHG emissions mitigation action	<ul><li>Fuel or feedstock switch</li><li>Renewable energy</li></ul>			

#### Table 1.Methodology key elements

# 2. Definitions

- 4. For the purpose of this methodology, the following definitions apply:
  - (a) **Captive power plant :** a facility that provides electricity to a captive consumer to meet its entire or partial electricity demand. The captive power plant may or may not be operated in a grid-connected mode;
  - (b) Existing dedicated consumer: an existing facility that has consumed grey hydrogen as a feedstock in a chemical process prior to the implementation of the project activity, and switches to the project hydrogen (green hydrogen) under the project activity. Examples of facilities include, among others, ammonia plants and oil refineries;
  - (c) **Electrolyser hydrogen production plant:** a facility that produces hydrogen from the electrolysis of water. Under this methodology, the hydrogen production plant includes the desalted water station, electrolytic cell, hydrogen compressor, gasliquid processor, hydrogen purification unit and other ancillary equipment;
  - (d) **Gasification of coal:** an industrial process where coal is converted into syngas through a process of gasification;
  - (e) **Steam reforming of syngas:** an industrial process where the syngas produced from the gasification of coal or oil reacts with steam in the presence of a catalyst to produce hydrogen, carbon monoxide and releases carbon dioxide as a by-product;
  - (f) **Steam reforming of natural gas:** an industrial process where natural gas reacts with steam in the presence of a catalyst to produce hydrogen, carbon monoxide and releases carbon dioxide as a by-product.

(g) In addition, definition of Renewable Energy including Ocean Thermal Energy Conversion (OTEC) as recognized by Central Government will be applied.

# 3. Scope & Applicability

## 3.1.1. Scope

5. The methodology applies to project activities where hydrogen is produced by electrolysis of water and is supplied to existing dedicated consumer(s). The electricity consumed by the electrolyser hydrogen production plant shall be sourced from a captive renewable power plant only, or from a mix of electricity predominantly from a captive renewable power plant and residually from the electric grid.

## 3.2. Applicability

- 6. This methodology is applicable to project activities that include the construction of a new captive renewable power plant and a new electrolyser hydrogen production plant. Retrofitting, rehabilitation (or refurbishment), replacement or capacity addition of an existing electrolyser hydrogen production plant or of an existing captive renewable power plant are not covered by this methodology.
- 7. The hydrogen produced by the project activity (hereinafter referred as 'project hydrogen') is supplied to (an) existing dedicated consumer(s) identified ex-ante in the PDD. Prior to the implementation of the project activity, the hydrogen supplied to the existing consumer(s) has been produced through gasification of coal, or steam reforming of natural gas or oil.
- 8. The captive renewable power plant shall be a renewable energy power plant. The renewable energy power can be generated from conventional solar and wind power plants. Purchase of renewable electricity via renewable electricity certificates are not covered by this methodology.
- 9. The project activity shall ensure that the ratio between the electricity consumed from the grid  $(EC_{PJ,grid,y})$  and the electricity consumed from the captive renewable power plant ( $EC_{PJ,captive,y}$ ) by the electrolyser hydrogen production plant is below 0.1 on an annual basis. The ACVA shall confirm that this ratio requirement is met by comparing the data on the electricity consumed from the two sources annually.
- 10. The Non-obligated entity shall demonstrate that double counting of emission reductions will not occur, e.g. via a contractual agreement with the dedicated consumer of the hydrogen produced. The steps to be taken to avoid double counting shall be documented in the project design document.
- 11. The methodology is applicable only if the most plausible baseline scenarios identified after applying "BM-T-001: Combined tool to identify the baseline scenario and demonstrate additionality" are "Production of hydrogen from the steam reforming of syngas produced from the gasification of coal without capture and storage of CO<sub>2</sub>", "Production of hydrogen from the steam reforming of natural gas without capture and storage of CO<sub>2</sub>" or "Production of hydrogen from the steam reforming of syngas produced from the steam reforming of syngas produced from the steam reforming of natural gas without capture and storage of CO<sub>2</sub>" or "Production of hydrogen from the steam reforming of syngas produced from the gasification of oil in general without capture and storage of CO<sub>2</sub>".

- 12. The project shall use no more than 5 per cent of the drinking water available locally, to ensure that the water used in the electrolysis will not displace other uses. This check shall be made at validation and at each renewal of the crediting period using data from the project activity and from official sources.
- 13. The applicability conditions included in the tools (section 3.5) below also apply.

# 3.3. Entry into force

14. The date of adoption of this document shall be effective from 27 March 2025.

# 3.4. Applicability of sectoral scopes

15. For validation and verification of ICM projects by a designated ACVA using this methodology, application of sectoral scope "01: Energy" is mandatory.

# 3.5. Applicability of approved tools

- 16. This methodology also refers to the latest approved versions of the following adopted ICM tools:
  - (a) "BM-T-001: Combined tool to identify the baseline scenario and demonstrate additionality" (hereinafter referred to as BM-T-001);
  - (b) "BM-T-002: Tool to calculate project or leakage CO2 emissions from fossil fuel combustion" (hereinafter referred to as BM-T-002);
  - (c) "BM-T-003: Baseline, project and/or leakage emissions from electricity consumption and monitoring of electricity generation" (hereinafter referred to as BM-T-003);
  - (d) "BM-T-005: Tool to determine the mass flow of a greenhouse gas in a gaseous stream" (hereinafter referred to as BM-T-005);
  - (e) "BM-T-007: Project and leakage emissions from transportation of freight" (hereinafter referred to as BM-T-007).

# 4. Methodology: Baseline Component

# 4.1. **Project boundary**

- 17. The spatial extent of the project boundary encompasses:
  - (a) The electrolyser hydrogen production plant;
  - (b) The captive renewable power plant;
  - (c) All power plants/units connected physically to the electric grid to which the hydrogen production plant is connected; and
  - (d) The existing dedicated consumer of the project hydrogen.
- 18. The greenhouse gases included in or excluded from the project boundary are shown in Table 2.

	Source	Gas	Included	Justification/Explanation
ne		CO <sub>2</sub>	Yes	Main emission source
Baseline	Emissions from hydrogen production	CH <sub>4</sub>	No	Excluded for simplification
Ba		N <sub>2</sub> O	No	Excluded for simplification
	Emissions from the electricity consumption	CO <sub>2</sub>	Yes	Might be an important emission source
	by the electrolyser hydrogen production	CH <sub>4</sub>	No	Excluded for simplification
	plant	N <sub>2</sub> O	No	Excluded for simplification
	Emissions from the consumption of fossil	CO <sub>2</sub>	Yes	Might be an important emission source
iťy	fuels by the electrolyser hydrogen production	CH <sub>4</sub>	No	Excluded for simplification
Project activity	plant (e.g. by the desalination plant)	N <sub>2</sub> O	No	Excluded for simplification
	Emissions from the consumption of fossil	CO <sub>2</sub>	Yes	Might be an important emission source
	fuels to transport the project hydrogen by	$CH_4$	No	Excluded for simplification
	road	N <sub>2</sub> O	No	Excluded for simplification
	Emissions from the consumption of	CO <sub>2</sub>	Yes	Might be an important emission source
	electricity to transport the project hydrogen by	CH <sub>4</sub>	No	Excluded for simplification
	pipeline	N <sub>2</sub> O	No	Excluded for simplification

 Table 2.
 Emission sources included in or excluded from the project boundary

# 4.2. Identification of the baseline scenario and demonstration of additionality

- 19. Non-obligated entities shall apply the latest approved version of BM-T-001 to identify the baseline scenario among all reasonable potential alternative scenarios that could provide similar output/services as the proposed project activity and to demonstrate additionality.
- 20. In applying Step 1 of BM-T-001, baseline alternatives for the production of hydrogen, the Non-obligated entity shall take into consideration, inter alia, the following alternatives:
  - (a) P1: The proposed project activity undertaken without being registered as a ICM project activity;
  - (b) P2: Production of hydrogen through electrolysis of water using electricity from the grid only;
  - (c) P3: Production of hydrogen through electrolysis of water using electricity from a captive power plant that is neither solar nor wind;
  - (d) P4: Production of hydrogen from the steam reforming of syngas produced from the gasification of coal without capture and storage of CO<sub>2</sub>;
  - (e) P5: Production of hydrogen from the steam reforming of syngas produced from the gasification of coal with capture and storage of CO<sub>2</sub>;

- (f) P6: Production of hydrogen from the steam reforming of natural gas without capture and storage of CO<sub>2</sub>;
- (g) P7: Production of hydrogen from the steam reforming of natural gas with capture and storage of  $CO_2$ ;
- (h) P8: Production of hydrogen from the steam reforming of syngas produced from the gasification of oil without capture and storage of CO<sub>2</sub>;
- (i) P9: Production of hydrogen from the steam reforming of syngas produced from the gasification of oil with capture and storage of CO<sub>2</sub>;
- (j) P10: Production of hydrogen as a by-product of industrial processes (e.g. as chlor alkali, coking, steel);
- (k) P11: Production of hydrogen from chemical raw materials (e.g. methanol, ethanol, liquid ammonia cracking);
- (I) P12: Production of hydrogen from photochemical process.
- (m) P13: Production of hydrogen from refinery pet coke

## 4.3. Baseline emissions

21. The baseline emissions are calculated as the product between the quantity of project hydrogen produced and the emission factor of the existing baseline hydrogen production plant, as per the equation below.

Equation (1)

#### Where:

$BE_y$	=	Baseline emissions in year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> )
$M_{H2,PJ,y}$	=	Mass of pure hydrogen produced by project activity and consumed by existing dedicated consumers in year $y$ (tH <sub>2</sub> )
$EF_{H2,BL}$	=	Emission factor of the existing baseline hydrogen production plant $(tCO_2e/tH_2)^1$
DATE <sub>H2 plant,BL</sub>	=	Date when the existing baseline hydrogen production plant's lifetime will come to an end (date).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This factor may be revised from time to time based on new publications.

- 22. The baseline emission factor of the existing baseline hydrogen production plant  $(EF_{H2,BL})$  shall be the minimum between (a) and (b) below:
  - (a) Use the following values derived from IEA  $(2023)^2$ :
    - (i) 19 tCO<sub>2</sub>e/tH<sub>2</sub> if the baseline scenario is the production of hydrogen from coal (scenario P4);
    - (ii) 9 tCO<sub>2</sub>e/tH<sub>2</sub> if the baseline scenario is the production of hydrogen from natural gas (scenario P6) or from oil (scenario P8).
  - (b) The emission factor determined based on three years historical data of electricity and fossil fuel consumed and hydrogen produced by the existing baseline hydrogen production plant, following the equation below:

$$EF_{H2,BL} = \sum_{t=3}^{t-1} \frac{(EC_{H2,BL,t} \times EF_{EF,BL,t}) + \left(\sum_{i} FC_{i,BL,t} \times NCV_i \times EF_{CO2,i}\right)}{M_{H2,BL,t}}$$
Equation (2)

Where:

$EC_{H2,BL,t}$	=	Electricity consumed by the existing baseline hydrogen production plant in year $t$ (MWh)
EF <sub>EF,BL,t</sub>	=	Emission factor of the electricity source supplying electricity to the existing baseline hydrogen production plant in year $t$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> e/MWh)
$FC_{i,BL,t}$	=	Fossil fuel type <i>i</i> consumed by the existing baseline hydrogen production plant in year $t$ (mass or volume units)
NCV <sub>i</sub>	=	Net calorific value of the fossil fuel <i>i</i> (GJ/mass or volume units)
EF <sub>CO2,i</sub>	=	$CO_2$ emission factor of the fossil fuel <i>i</i> (tCO <sub>2</sub> /GJ)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> International Energy Agency (IEA). (2023). Towards hydrogen definitions based on their emissions intensity. Available at <u>https://iea.blob.core.windows.net/assets/acc7a642-e42b-4972-8893-2f03bf0bfa03/Towardshydrogendefinitionsbasedontheiremissionsintensity.pdf</u>, accessed on 05 July 2023. See pages 9 and 40. For hydrogen produced from oil, the emission factor was conservatively assumed to be equal to the emission factor from the use of natural gas. Upstream emissions related to fossil fuel production have been excluded in the estimation and the values were proposed as follows:

a) For the production of hydrogen through coal, IEA (2023) states that 'Hydrogen production from coal gasification without CCS results in total emissions of 22-26 kgCO<sub>2</sub>e/kg<sub>H2</sub> (...)', and 'More than 80% of the emissions intensity of hydrogen production from coal is from direct emissions at the production plant and less than 20% is linked to coal mining, processing and transport.' A value of 19 kgCO<sub>2</sub>e/kg<sub>H2</sub> is proposed as the product of the share of direct emissions at the production plant (80%) and a median value of emissions from hydrogen produced from coal without CCS of 24 kgCO<sub>2</sub>e/kg<sub>H2</sub>;

b) For the production of hydrogen through natural gas, IEA (2023) states that 'Hydrogen production from unabated natural gas results in an emissions intensity in the range of 10-14 kgCO<sub>2</sub>e/kg<sub>H2</sub>, with upstream and midstream emissions of methane and CO2 in natural gas production being responsible for 1-5 kgCO<sub>2</sub>e/kg<sub>H2</sub>.' A value of 9 kgCO<sub>2</sub>e/kg<sub>H2</sub> is proposed as the difference of the median value of emissions from hydrogen produced from unabated natural gas (12 kgCO<sub>2</sub>e/kg<sub>H2</sub>) and the median value for upstream and midstream emissions of methane and CO<sub>2</sub> in natural gas production (3 kgCO<sub>2</sub>e/kg<sub>H2</sub>).

	Mass of pure hydrogen produced by the existing baseline hydrogen
$M_{H2,BL,t}$	production plant in year $t$ (tH <sub>2</sub> ). Follow provisions and equations from paragraphs 23 and 24 below.

- = Calendar year of the start date of the project activity
- 23. If the project activity measures hydrogen production in volume units in standard temperature and pressure (STP),  $M_{H2,v}$  is calculated according to the equation below:

$$M_{H2,PJ,y} = \sum_{t=1}^{y} V_{0,t} \times v_{H2,t} \times \frac{2}{22.4} \times 10^{-3}$$
 Equation (3)

Where:

t

$V_{0,t}$	= The volumetric flow of gas in STP in time interval $t$ (Sm <sup>3</sup> )
$v_{H2,t}$	= Volumetric fraction of hydrogen in time interval $t$ (m <sup>3</sup> H <sub>2</sub> /m <sup>3</sup> <sub>gas</sub> )
t	= The time-period of data reading (e.g. minute, hour, month)
22.4	<ul> <li>Volume of gas in standard conditions (Sm<sup>3</sup>/kmol)</li> </ul>
2	<ul> <li>Mass of one mole of hydrogen (kg/kmol)</li> </ul>

24. If the project cannot directly monitor the volume of hydrogen under standard conditions, it can be converted through the following formula:

$$V_{0,t} = \frac{V_{H2,t} \times P_{H2,t} \times 273.15}{101,325 \times (273.15 + T_{H2,t})}$$
Equation (4)

Where:

V <sub>H2,t</sub>	=	Volumetric flow of hydrogen at operational conditions in the time interval $t$ (m <sup>3</sup> )
$P_{H2,t}$	=	Pressure of compressed hydrogen in the time interval $t$ (Pa)
$T_{H2,t}$	=	Temperature of compressed hydrogen in the time interval $t$ (K)

## 4.4. Project emissions

25. Project emissions include the emissions from electricity consumption other than that from the captive renewable power plant, emissions from any fossil fuel consumed (e.g. by the desalination plant), emissions from the incremental transportation of project hydrogen to existing dedicated consumers and emissions due to physical leaks of hydrogen, and are calculated as follows:

$$PE_{y} = PE_{EC,y} + PE_{FC,y} + PE_{transport,y} + PE_{H2-leaks,y}$$
Equation (5)

Where:

 $PE_y$  = Project emissions in year y (tCO<sub>2</sub>e)

PE <sub>EC,y</sub>	= ti h	Project emissions from the consumption of electricity from sources other han the captive renewable power plant to operate the electrolyser hydrogen production plant in year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> e). Determined as per BM-T- 003 and applying the combined margin emission factor <sup>3</sup> .
$PE_{FC,y}$	= e	Project emissions from the consumption of fossil fuels to operate the electrolyser hydrogen production plant in year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> e). Determined as per BM-T-002.
PE <sub>transport,y</sub>		Project emissions due to incremental transportation of hydrogen to existing dedicated consumers in year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)
PE <sub>H2-leaks,y</sub>		Project emissions due to physical leaks of hydrogen in the project activity n year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)

## 4.4.1. Project emissions due to incremental transportation of hydrogen

26. Project emissions due to incremental road and pipeline transportation of project hydrogen  $(PE_{transport,y})$  shall be calculated as follows only if the transportation distance between the baseline hydrogen production plant and the existing dedicated consumer is shorter than the distance between the project hydrogen production plant and the dedicated consumer:

$$PE_{transport,y} = PE_{road,y} + PE_{pipeline,y}$$
 Equation (6)

Where:

PE <sub>road,y</sub>	=	Project emissions due to incremental road transportation of hydrogen in year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)
PE <sub>pipeline,y</sub>	=	Project emissions due to transportation of hydrogen via pipelines in year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)

- 27. In case the project hydrogen is transported via road, the project emissions shall be calculated based on the BM-T-007, and the parameter  $D_{f,m}$  in the tool shall correspond to the difference of the return trip distances between (i) the baseline hydrogen production plant and the existing dedicated consumer and (ii) the electrolysis hydrogen production plant and the dedicated consumer.
- 28. In case the hydrogen is transported using pipelines, project emissions due to operation of pipelines to transport the hydrogen shall be calculated as follows.

$$PE_{pipeline,y} = EC_{H2,pipeline,y} \times EF_y$$

Equation (7)

Where:

$EC_{H2,pipeline,y}$	=	Electricity consumed for operating pipelines that transport the hydrogen in year <i>y</i> (MWh)
EFy	=	Electricity emission factor in year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> /MWh) determined as per BM-T-003

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> This conservative grid emission factor is used because it is possible that the electricity is mainly used from the grid at times when solar or wind power is not available. Any marginal increase in demand during these times only could affect the mostly GHG emission intensive power generation.

## 4.4.2. Project emissions due to physical leaks of hydrogen

- 29. Non-obligated entity shall document in the project design document a plan to minimize physical leaks of hydrogen in its value chain including production, compression, storage, transportation and use. The monitoring report shall demonstrate the implementation of this plan, which should be verified by the designated operating entity through site visits and/or documentation review.
- 30. If the Non-obligated entity failed to demonstrate full implementation of the plan to minimize physical leaks of hydrogen, then the Non-obligated entity shall calculate the project emissions due to physical leaks of hydrogen from its value chain as follows:

$$PE_{H2-leaks} = M_{H2,PJ,y} \times PL_{H2} \times GWP_{H2}$$
 Equation (8)

Where:

$PL_{H2}$	=	Physical leaks of hydrogen in hydrogen value chain as a percentage of the total production (%)
$GWP_{H2}$	=	Global warming potential of hydrogen (tCO <sub>2</sub> e/t <sub>H2</sub> ).

## 4.5. Leakage

31. No Leakage is considered under this methodology.

## 4.6. Emission reductions

32. Emission reductions are calculated as follows:

$$ER_y = BE_y - PE_y - LE_y$$
 Equation (9)

Where:

=	Emission reductions in year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)
=	Baseline emissions in year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)
=	Project emissions in year y (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)
=	Leakage emissions in year $y$ (tCO <sub>2</sub> e)
	=

# 5. Methodology: Monitoring Component

## 5.1. Data and parameters not monitored

33. In addition to the parameters listed in the tables below. provisions on data and parameters not monitored that are contained in the tools referred to in this methodology, and which are needed to calculate emission reductions, apply.

#### Data / Parameter table 1.

Data / Parameter:	DATE <sub>H2 plant,BL</sub>
Data unit:	Date

Description:	Date when the existing baseline hydrogen production plant's lifetime will come to an end
Source of data:	Information to be sourced from the existing baseline hydrogen production plant
Value to be applied	N/A
Any comment:	

### Data / Parameter table 2.

Data / Parameter:	EC <sub>H2,BL,t</sub>
Data unit:	MWh
Description:	Electricity consumed by the existing baseline hydrogen production plant in year <i>t</i>
Source of data:	Measured following the provisions of the parameter $EC_{BL,k,y}$ from BM-T-003
Value to be applied	-
Any comment:	-

## Data / Parameter table 3.

Data / Parameter:	EF <sub>EF,BL,t</sub>
Data unit:	tCO <sub>2</sub> e/MWh
Description:	Emission factor of the electricity source supplying electricity to the existing baseline hydrogen production plant in year <i>t</i>
Source of data:	Determined following the provisions of the parameter $EF_{EF,k,y}$ from BM-T-003
Value to be applied	-
Any comment:	-

### Data / Parameter table 4.

Data / Parameter:	FC <sub>i,BL,t</sub>
Data unit:	Mass or volume units
Description:	Fossil fuel type <i>i</i> consumed by the existing baseline hydrogen production plant in year <i>t</i>
Source of data:	Measured following the provisions of the parameter $FC_{i,j,y}$ from BM-T-002.
Value to be applied	-
Any comment:	-

### Data / Parameter table 5.

Data / Parameter:	NCV <sub>i</sub>
Data unit:	GJ/mass or volume units
Description:	Net calorific value of the fossil fuel <i>i</i>
Source of data:	Determined following the provisions of the parameter $NCV_{i,y}$ from BM-T-002

Value to be applied	-
Any comment:	-

#### Data / Parameter table 6.

Data / Parameter:	EF <sub>CO2,i</sub>
Data unit:	tCO <sub>2</sub> /GJ
Description:	CO <sub>2</sub> emission factor of the fossil fuel <i>i</i>
Source of data:	Determined following the provisions of the parameter $EF_{CO2,i,y}$ from BM-T-002
Value to be applied	-
Any comment:	-

#### Data / Parameter table 7.

Data / Parameter:	M <sub>H2,BL,t</sub>
Data unit:	tH <sub>2</sub>
Description:	Mass of pure hydrogen produced by the existing baseline hydrogen production plant in year <i>t</i>
Source of data:	Apply provisions and equations from paragraphs 23 and 24
Value to be applied	-
Any comment:	-

### Data / Parameter table 8.

Data / Parameter:	PL <sub>H2</sub>
Data unit:	%
Description:	Physical leaks of hydrogen in hydrogen value chain as a percentage of the total production
Source of data:	A study "Hydrogen emissions from the hydrogen value chain- emissions profile and impact to global warming" by Jasmin Cooper, Luke Dubey, Semra Bakkaloglu, Adam Hawkes, published at "Science of The Total Environment", by Elsevier B.V. on 15 July 2022.
Value to be applied	5
Any comment:	The Non-obligated entitys may propose another value through a request for revision of this methodology

#### Data / Parameter table 9.

Data / Parameter:	GWP <sub>H2</sub>
Data unit:	tCO <sub>2</sub> e/t <sub>H2</sub>
Description:	Global warming potential of hydrogen
Source of data:	IPCC AR4 WG1 as under chapeter 2.10.3.6
Value to be applied	5.8
Any comment:	The GWP value is calculated as an indirect 100-year GWP

# 5.2. Data and parameters monitored

- 34. All data collected as part of monitoring should be archived electronically and kept for at least two years after the end of the last crediting period. All of the data in the tables below should be monitored unless otherwise indicated. All measurements should be conducted with calibrated measurement equipment according to relevant industry standards.
- 35. In addition to the parameters listed in the tables below, the procedures contained in the tools referred to in this methodology also apply.

Data / Parameter:	V <sub>0,t</sub>
Data unit:	Sm <sup>3</sup>
Description:	The volumetric flow of gas in STP in time interval <i>t</i>
Source of data:	As per BM-T-005
Measurement procedures (if any):	As per BM-T-005
Monitoring frequency:	As per BM-T-005
QA/QC procedures:	As per BM-T-005
Any comment:	Non-obligated entities shall specify whether the flow is measured on wet or dry basis and follow the monitoring provisions of the parameters $V_{t,wb}$ or $V_{t,db}$ from BM-T-005.

#### Data / Parameter table 10.

### Data / Parameter table 11.

Data / Parameter:	$v_{H2,t}$
Data unit:	m <sup>3</sup> <sub>H2</sub> /m <sup>3</sup> <sub>gas</sub>
Description:	Volumetric fraction of hydrogen in time interval <i>t</i>
Source of data:	As per BM-T-005
Measurement procedures (if any):	As per BM-T-005
Monitoring frequency:	As per BM-T-005
QA/QC procedures:	As per BM-T-005
Any comment:	Non-obligated entities shall specify whether the flow is measured on wet or dry basis and follow the monitoring provisions of the parameters $v_{t,i,wb}$ or $v_{t,i,db}$ from BM-T-005

#### Data / Parameter table 12.

Data / Parameter:	V <sub>H2,t</sub>
Data unit:	Volumetric flow of the hydrogen at operational conditions in the time interval <i>t</i>
Description:	m <sup>3</sup>
Source of data:	As per BM-T-005
Measurement procedures (if any):	As per BM-T-005
Monitoring frequency:	As per BM-T-005

QA/QC procedures:	As per BM-T-005
Any comment:	Non-obligated entitys shall specify whether the flow is measured on wet or dry basis and follow the monitoring provisions of the parameters $V_{t,wb}$ or $V_{t,db}$ from BM-T-005

#### Data / Parameter table 13.

Data / Parameter:	$P_{H2,t}$
Data unit:	Ра
Description:	Pressure of the compressed hydrogen in time the interval <i>t</i>
Source of data:	As per BM-T-005
Measurement procedures (if any):	As per BM-T-005
Monitoring frequency:	As per BM-T-005
QA/QC procedures:	As per BM-T-005
Any comment:	As per BM-T-005

### Data / Parameter table 14.

Data / Parameter:	<i>T</i> <sub><i>H</i>2,<i>t</i></sub>
Data unit:	К
Description:	Temperature of the compressed hydrogen in the time interval t
Source of data:	As per BM-T-005
Measurement procedures (if any):	As per BM-T-005
Monitoring frequency:	As per BM-T-005
QA/QC procedures:	As per BM-T-005
Any comment:	As per BM-T-005

### Data / Parameter table 15.

Data / Parameter:	$PE_{EC,y}$
Data unit:	tCO <sub>2</sub> e/year
Description:	Project emissions from the consumption of electricity from sources other than the dedicated renewable power plant (grid electricity) to operate the electrolyser hydrogen production plant in year y
Source of data:	As per BM-T-003
Measurement procedures (if any):	As per BM-T-003
Monitoring frequency:	As per BM-T-003
QA/QC procedures:	As per BM-T-003
Any comment:	Apply a combined margin emission factor as per BM-T-003

Data / Parameter:	$PE_{FC,y}$
Data unit:	tCO <sub>2</sub> e/year
Description:	Project emissions from the consumption of fossil fuels to operate the electrolyser hydrogen production plant in year y
Source of data:	As per BM-T-002
Measurement procedures (if any):	As per BM-T-002
Monitoring frequency:	As per BM-T-002
QA/QC procedures:	As per BM-T-002
Any comment:	As per BM-T-002

#### Data / Parameter table 16.

## Data / Parameter table 17.

Data / Parameter:	EC <sub>PJ,grid,y</sub> ; EC <sub>PJ,captive,y</sub> ; EC <sub>H2,pipeline,y</sub>
Data unit:	MWh
Description:	$EC_{PJ,grid,y}$ : Electricity consumed by the hydrogen production plant from the grid in year y $EC_{PJ,captive,y}$ : Electricity consumed by the hydrogen production plant from the captive renewable power plant in year y $EC_{H2,pipeline,y}$ : Electricity consumed for operating pipelines that transport the hydrogen in year y
Source of data:	The monitoring of these parameters shall follow the monitoring of $EC_{PJ,j,y}$ from BM-T-003
Measurement procedures (if any):	The monitoring of these parameters shall follow the monitoring of $EC_{PJ,j,y}$ from BM-T-003
Monitoring frequency:	The monitoring of these parameters shall follow the monitoring of $EC_{PJ,j,y}$ from BM-T-003
QA/QC procedures:	The monitoring of these parameters shall follow the monitoring of $EC_{PJ,j,y}$ from BM-T-003
Any comment:	These parameters are used to check the compliance of the project with paragraph 9 of the methodology

#### Data / Parameter table 18.

Data / Parameter:	PE <sub>road,y</sub>
Data unit:	tCO <sub>2</sub> e
Description:	Project emissions due to road transportation of hydrogen in year y
Source of data:	As per BM-T-007
Measurement procedures (if any):	As per BM-T-007
Monitoring frequency:	As per BM-T-007
QA/QC procedures:	As per BM-T-007

Any comment:	The parameter $D_{f,m}$ in the tool shall correspond to the difference of
	the return trip distances between (i) the baseline hydrogen production plant and the existing dedicated consumer and (ii) the electrolysis
	hydrogen production plant and the dedicated consumer

## Data / Parameter table 19.

Data / Parameter:	EFy
Data unit:	tCO <sub>2</sub> /MWh
Description:	Electricity emission factor in year <i>y</i>
Source of data:	As per BM-T-003
Measurement procedures (if any):	As per BM-T-003
Monitoring frequency:	As per BM-T-003
QA/QC procedures:	As per BM-T-003
Any comment:	As per BM-T-003

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