

What will power our electric future?



# The world has a growing need for clean energy

Almost 1 billion people live without electricity



7 million people die each year due to air pollution





# Demand for electricity continues to rise and must be met cleanly



Source: 1945-1979, IEA databases and analysis 1980-2012, Energy Information Administration 2013-2050, IEA Energy Technology Perspectives 2015

## **R**HARMONY More serious and urgent action is required on climate



Adapted from Emissions Gap Report 2018, UN Environment

# **R**HARMONY Nuclear makes quick, lasting decarbonisation possible



Source: Cao et al, Science, August 2016. UAE projections by WNA

## **New construction and new countries**



56.3 GWe nuclear construction worldwide

10.9 GWe construction in 4 newcomer countries

# 6.3 GWe construction started in 2018

Akkuyu 1 **(Turkey)** Hinkley Point C 1 **(UK)** Kursk 2-1 **(Russia)** Rooppur 2 **(Bangladesh)** Shin-Kori 6 (**Korea Republic)** 





Kingdom

#### Clean nuclear energy on track to Harmony goal HARMONY

#### 10.3 GWe connected to the grid in 2018

- Russia: Rostov 4 Leningrad 2-1
- China: Tianwan 4 Sanmen 1,2 Haiyang 1,2 Taishan 1 Yangjiang 5

shutdowns



Japan: Genkai 3,4 Ohi 3,4 Ikata 3

## **PHARMONY** Nuclear innovations for further decarbonization

SMRs and floating nuclear power plants for local or remote communities



# Clean electricity or H<sub>2</sub> to decarbonize transport



# High temperature gas reactors for industrial heat



Fast reactors and fusion for extended fuel utilization



## HARMONY Harmony: a goal for the nuclear community

25% of electricity supply in 2050

1000 gigawatt new nuclear capacity by 2050

To help meet the growing demand for a clean and reliable low-carbon mix.





Construction rate doubled from trend of 5GW/y or less to 10GW/y

Then we need to triple from today's level





The Harmony programme provides a framework for action, helping industry reach out to key stakeholders so that barriers to growth can be removed.





Create a level playing field in energy markets which optimizes existing low-carbon energy resources already in place and drives investment in future clean energy, where nuclear energy is treated on equal opportunity with other low-carbon technologies and recognized for its value in a reliable, resilient low carbon energy mix.





Nuclear energy is cost competitive: Levelized cost of electricity ranges (LCOE) at 7% discount rate



Source: Projected Costs of Generating Electricity - 2015 Edition, International Energy Agency and OECD Nuclear Energy Agency



# Dozens of well-performing reactors are at risk of early closure in failing markets



## HARMONY Harmonized Regulatory Processes

Create harmonized regulatory processes in order to provide a more internationally consistent, efficient and predictable nuclear licensing regime, to facilitate significant growth of nuclear capacity and timely licensing of innovative designs.



### **PHARMONY** The variety of national regulatory requirements...

...causes many drawbacks for the entire nuclear industry, including developers, vendors, operators and even regulators themselves

This results in increased costs and reduced predictability in project execution<sup>,,</sup>





Create an effective safety paradigm focusing on genuine public wellbeing, where the health, environmental and safety benefits of nuclear are better understood and valued when compared to other energy sources





#### Safety of Electricity Generation: Energy accident fatalities for OECD countries



#### \* Gen II PWR, Swiss

Source: Paul-Scherrer Institut. Data for nuclear accidents modified to reflect UNSCEAR findings/recommendations 2012 and NRC SOARCA study 2015

### **PHARMONY** Communicate the real benefits of nuclear technologies











<sup>44</sup> There is no sustainable energy future in the absence of nuclear energy.<sup>33</sup>

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The Harmony programme is a global initiative of the nuclear industry coordinated by World Nuclear Association.

