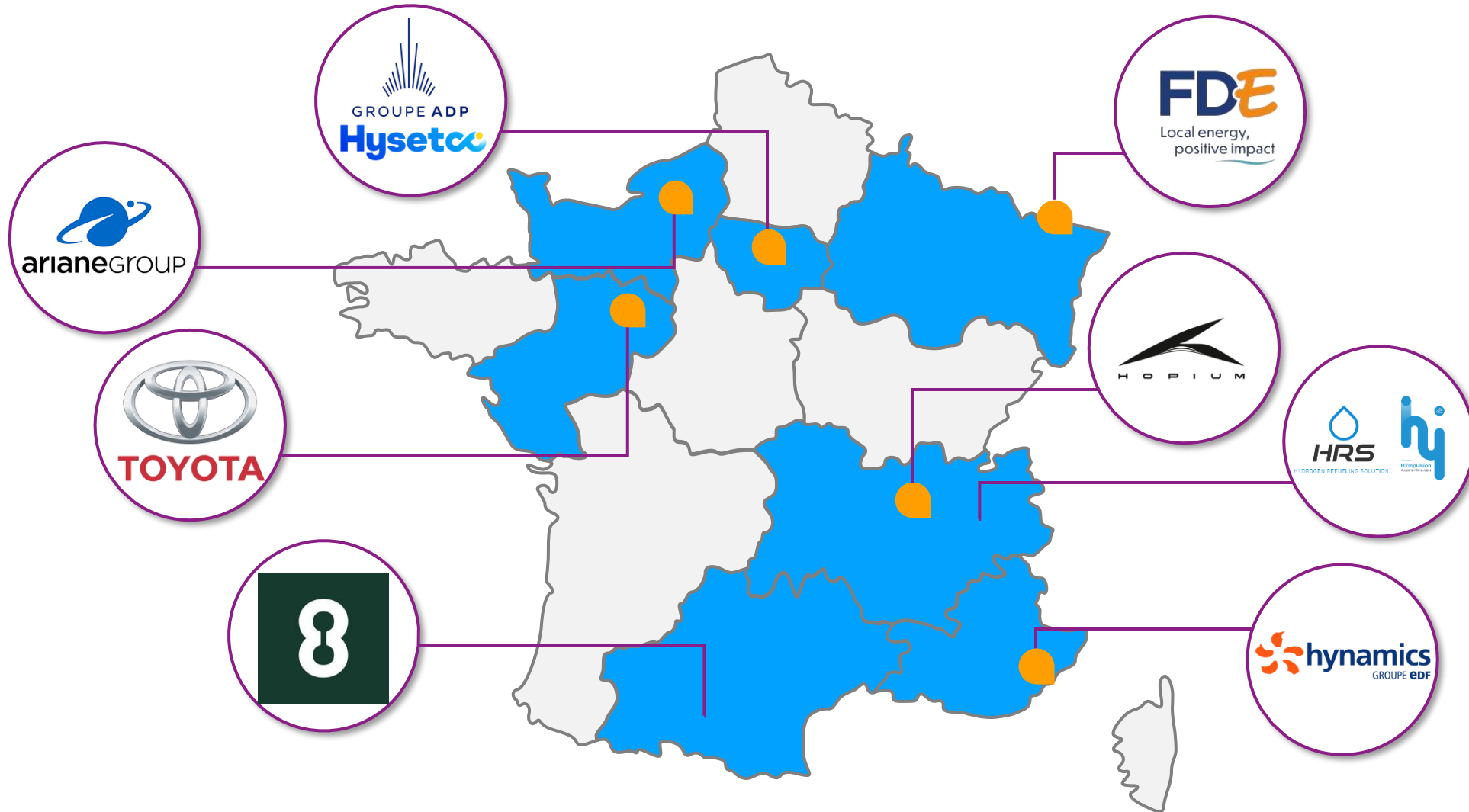


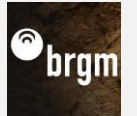
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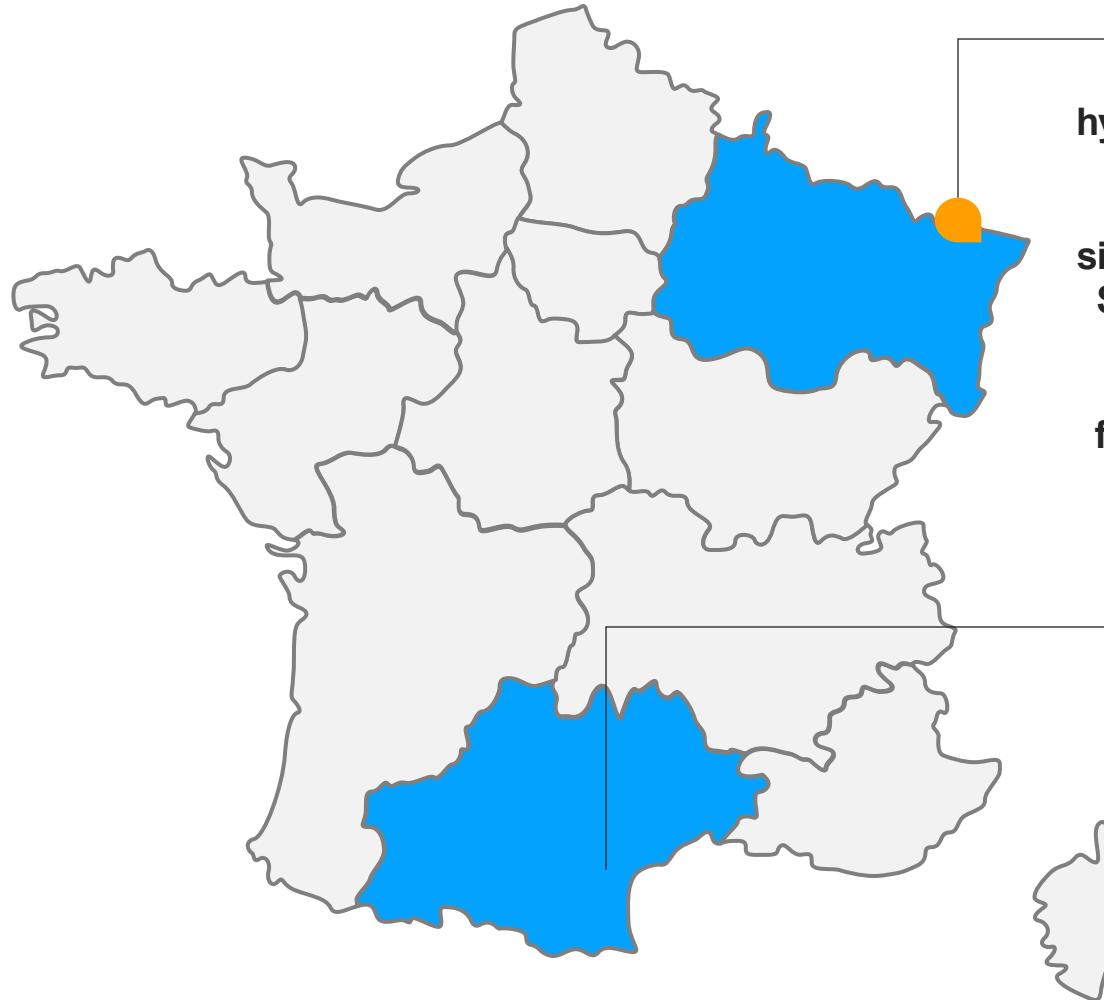
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The BRGM (Bureau de recherches géologiques et minières) and IFPEN sign a five-year partnership agreement to combine their expertise on subsurface energy potential, including underground storage of decarbonised hydrogen and exploration of potential native hydrogen, alongside CO₂ capture and storage, deep geothermal resources, and deep geological modelling | [June 3](#)



Pontpierre (Grand Est)



FDE confirms high dissolved hydrogen concentrations at its PTH-2 well in the Moselle Basin, with concentration rates increasing significantly with depth, validating its SYSMOG™ technology at depth and reinforcing its roadmap toward resource certification in 2027 and first natural hydrogen production by late 2028/early 2029 | [June 23](#)

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Mantle8 secures a five-year exclusive exploration permit (the Permis de Comminges) covering 739 km² in the French Pyrenees for natural hydrogen and helium, thereby officially launching its Hydrogeco project | [June 3](#)

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 **Vernon (Normandie)**

Arianespace signs a three-year deal with Air Products to receive low-carbon liquid hydrogen, with the hydrogen liquefied at Air Products' Botlek site in the port of Rotterdam and trucked to Arianespace's Vernon site for launcher engine testing | June 3

 **Le Mans (Pays de la Loire)**

Toyota's TR LH2 Racing Prototype completes the first-ever liquid hydrogen demonstration lap at Le Mans 2026, marking a milestone in the ACO and H24Project's MissionH24 effort to develop a zero-CO2-emissions hydrogen racing category | June 11

 **Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes**

HRS signs a framework maintenance agreement with HYmpulsion, operator of the Zero Emission Valley project in Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes, to provide 24/7 supervision, maintenance and technical support for six of its hydrogen refuelling stations: Aubenas, Saint-Égrève, Vénissieux, Lyon-Saint-Exupéry, Malataverne and Saint-Priest | June 29

Roissy (Ile-de-France)

Groupe ADP tests a hydrogen fuel-cell Hilux utility vehicle at Paris-CDG, in partnership with Toyota France and refueled via HYSETCO's station, as part of the EU-funded OLGA Project – hOListic & Green Airports | June 15



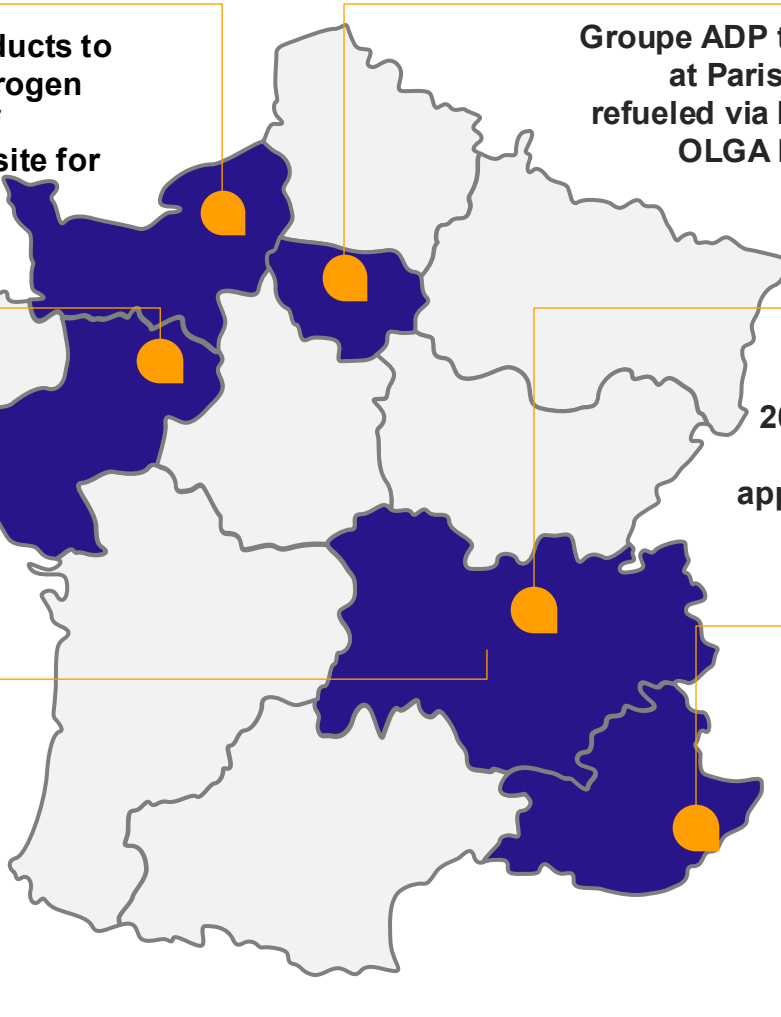
Saint-Bonnet-de-Mure (Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes)

Hopium is launching a €500,000 investment program to develop a new generation of its 200kW dual-stack fuel cell system, targeting full validation by Q2 2027 to expand hydrogen applications across maritime, mobility, stationary energy and defense sectors | June 4



Cannes (Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur)

Hynamics launches the 'Cannes Lérins Hydrogène' station, which will supply 41 electrolytic hydrogen buses on the Palm Bus network in Cannes using treated wastewater from a local plant, backed by over €15 million in investment | June 5



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