

# Opportunity and Challenge of SMR Implementation in Indonesia: Techno-economic and Social Aspect

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#### **ENERGY TRANSITIONS ROADMAP TOWARDS NET ZERO EMISSION**

The timeline for strategic achievement towards net zero emission on energy sector The roadmap is a joint commitment between the Government and stakeholders to achieve NZE by 2060



Nuclear Energy Solve ENERGY SECURITY (SDG#7) and CLIMATE CHANGE (SDG#13) Problems.





### SMR DEPLOYMENT ROADMAP

Source: IAEA Presentation by S.Monti for the Tech. Roadmaps for SMR Deployments

#### **Technology Roadmaps for SMR Deployment**

NPP



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## OPPORTUNITIES

- Techno-economics
  - New trend of Small Modular Reactor is appropriate with distributed demand of Indonesian
  - Shorter construction time, lower maintenance costs, and utilization other than traditional NPP → economic competitiveness
  - Technology
    - Safety, security and safeguard
    - The typical power of SMR units perfectly fits the existing grids and infrastructure, making them a viable option for replacement of traditional fossil fueled energy sources
  - Economic (implementation)
    - Electricity → some areas need SMR (remote area, several islands)
    - Non electric
      - Hydrogen production → companies (oil companies)
      - Desalination



#### SMR UTILIZATION IN INDONESIA



Source: https://www.iaea.org/topics/non-electric-applications

- NPP is a reliable and low-carbon energy provider. Nuclear power contributes about 6% of all world energy needs, and 13-14% of the world's electricity needs.
- Nuclear energy has the potential to improve the security of energy and clean water supplies around the world through non-electrical applications, such as seawater desalination, hydrogen production, thermal energy provision, and various industrial applications.
- Apart from being used for desalination and hydrogen production, the heat generated by an NPP can be used for other purposes, such as cooling, heating and process heat.
- Nuclear energy has long been used as an energy source in submarines and icebreakers.
- Small Modular Reactor technology makes NPP more flexible in its utilization.



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## OPPORTUNITIES

- Social aspects
  - Energy accessibility
    - Remote areas that are not connected to main power grid
  - Flexible siting
    - Land-based SMR
    - Floating NPP





### Challenges

- Techno-economics
  - The problem of technology choice
  - Infrastructure for deployment
  - Licensing
  - Demonstration of new technology  $\rightarrow$  demo plant



### Challenges

- Social aspects
  - Regulations frameworks  $\rightarrow$  not ready
  - Policy  $\rightarrow$  NPP is the last option (Gov. Reg. 79/14)
  - Politics  $\rightarrow$  not in my election territory
  - Public perception and acceptance
  - not enough public consensus on nuclear energy



### Conclusions

- SMR is potentially to be deployed in Indonesia for electricity and nonelectricity production such as desalination, hydrogen production especially in remote area
- Need to choose the suitable SMR technology with affordable cost
- Need the commitment and consensus from government to built SMR







# Thank you ありがとうございます

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