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STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE

Accelerate research commercialization and technology-based innovation while strengthening PTN-BH financial independence through industry collaboration.

ECOSYSTEM STRENGTHENING

Bridge university research with industry needs and support startups and SMEs through **integrated innovation and business development facilities.**

INSTITUTIONAL OPTIMIZATION

Leverage PTN-BH autonomy (Law No. 12/2012) to position STP as **Centers of Excellence and alternative revenue generators** (non-APBN).

NATIONAL COMPETITIVENESS

Enhance higher education quality and national innovation capacity through increased **Technology Readiness Level (TRL) and strong PTN-BH infrastructure and talent.**



ITB Innovation Park (DKST) serves as a **hub** at ITB – connecting industry, government, and academia to address real world challenges.

DKST nurtures an ecosystem that drives **technology commercialization** and **accelerates startup** growth, empowering stakeholders to enhance competitiveness and create lasting **impact**.

3 Main Function

Business Development

We help organizations shape the future through strategic technology planning, from foresight and roadmapping to research portfolio management. By fostering innovation leadership, cross-disciplinary collaboration, and organizational agility, we empower organization not just to adapt to change, but to lead it with resilience and sustainable impact.

Business Incubation and Acceleration

Our incubation and acceleration programs support technology-based businesses from prototype development to spinoff readiness. We offer startup grants, business planning, competitions, and matchmaking, complemented by consulting, mentoring, legal and business assistance, investor access, and co-working spaces.

Technology Transfer

We drive impactful downstream strategies, ensuring research innovations benefit end users through patent licensing, joint operations, joint ventures, and innovation-based startups. Our programs cover intellectual property management, protection, and commercialization support to bring cutting-edge research to market.



STP ITB research and development administration, partnerships, and start-up incubation

1. Innovation Development

The Innovation Research Grant Schemes fund TRL 7 projects for prototype refinement, real-life testing, and industry collaboration, bridging research and commercialization.

It supports technical validation, business feasibility, and industry partnerships for market adoption.

The Commercialization Scheme focuses on IP licensing, joint ventures, and joint operations, enabling technology transfer, collaboration, and resource sharing to turn research into market-ready solutions.

2. Incubation

The Startup Incubation Program supports technology-based startups at TRL 5-7, providing mentorship, business model development, and industry networking to accelerate commercialization.

This program offers structured guidance in product validation, market entry strategies, and investor readiness. **Startups receive access to** coaching, technical support, funding opportunities, and ecosystem partnerships to enhance their growth potential.

By bridging innovation with market needs, the program helps startups refine their solutions, secure industry collaborations, and scale effectively.

3. Acceleration

The Startup Acceleration Program supports TRL 7-9 startups in scaling and market expansion.

It provides business mentorship, investor networking, market access, and funding opportunities to accelerate growth. **Startups receive guidance** on scaling operations, securing investments, and establishing strategic partnerships.

The program helps startups strengthen their market position and drive commercialization success.

Activities

A. STP ITB research and development administration, partnerships, and start-up incubation



The ITB **Research Innovation, Incubation, and Startup Acceleration Funding Program** supports technology commercialization through three stages.

B. Capacity of STP ITB strengthened



The **Capacity Development Program** is designed to strengthen innovation and research ecosystems through five key initiatives.

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Incubatees
Incubation Program
PRIME STeP 2023-2025

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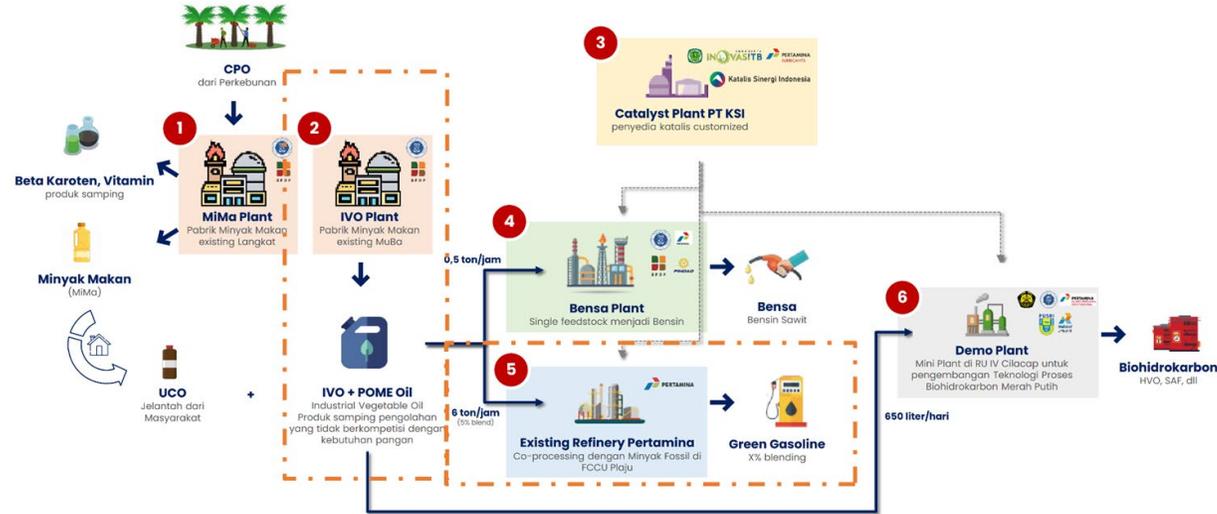
Accelerated
Acceleration Program
PRIME STeP 2023-2025

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**Innovation Program
Funded**
Innovation Development
PRIME STeP 2023-2025



Sustainable Processing of Bio-Based Feedstocks and *Merah Putih* Catalyst Technology to Reduce Gasoline Imports



Indonesia, as the world's largest CPO producer, has significant potential to strengthen national energy security through the development of palm-based gasoline (Bensa) derived from bio hydrocarbons. The abundant **CPO production**, most of which is still exported, represents an opportunity to be converted into high value-added biofuels that support energy independence and the implementation of Presidential Regulation No. 109/2020. Through downstream palm oil industry research, **Bensa** production technology is being developed from **Industrial Vegetable Oil (IVO)** using the **Merah Putih catalyst, integrated with smallholder palm plantations and capable of processing various types of palm oil feedstock**.

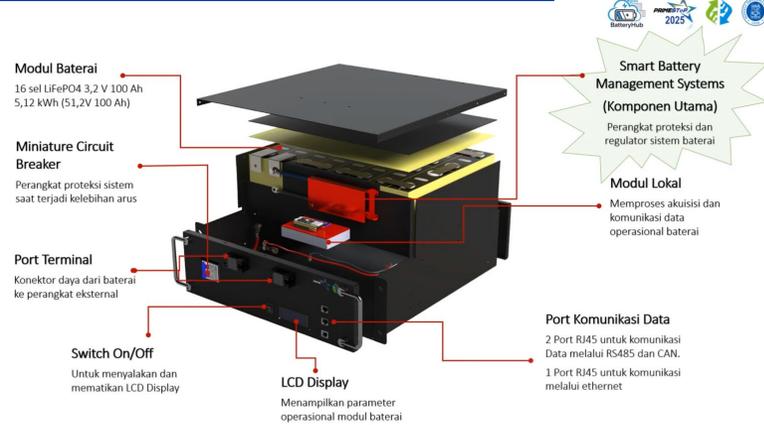
This development includes process and reactor optimization, provision of IVO that meets quality standards, establishment of pilot units and economically viable small-scale demonstration facilities, as well as performance testing and techno-economic evaluation. This approach enables Bensa production to be feasible not only at large scale but also in relatively small and distributed plants, thereby promoting the use of local raw materials, local employment, fulfillment of local energy needs, and strengthening of regional economies, particularly in an archipelagic country such as Indonesia.



Batari Energy-Dr. Eng. Ferry Iskandar M.Eng.



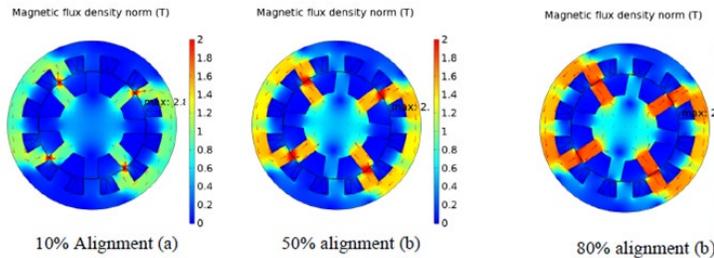
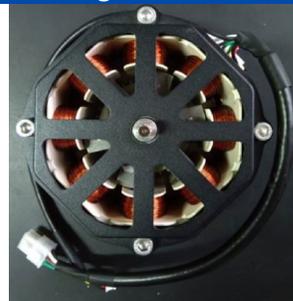
BatteryHub.id-Prof. Edi Leksono, M.Eng., Ph.D.



Panel Solar Absorber-Poetro Lebdo Sambegoro M.Sc., Ph.D.



Battery Pack - Dr. Bentang Arief Budiman S.T, M.Eng.



Switched Reluctance Motor-Dr. Tri Desmana Rachmilda S.T, M.T.



MODULTRAX V3-Bismo Jelantik Joyodiharjo, S.Sn., M.Ds





ALGATEK

Turning Carbon into Sustainable Value Through Algae Innovation



Before



After



Biosilica



Algae Oil



Algae Supplements & Pigments



Biofertilizer



Algatek is an Indonesian biotechnology company committed to advancing sustainable solutions through the integration of algae and plankton technologies with Internet of Things (IoT) systems. The company focuses on **carbon capture optimization, photobioreactor innovation, scalable biomass production, and the development of algae-based derivatives** that support **renewable energy, agriculture, and environmental industries**. By combining biological science with digital monitoring and control technologies, Algatek delivers data-driven, efficient, and environmentally responsible solutions that contribute to climate mitigation, resource efficiency, and the transition toward a **circular bio-economy**.

DKST Energy Innovation Category



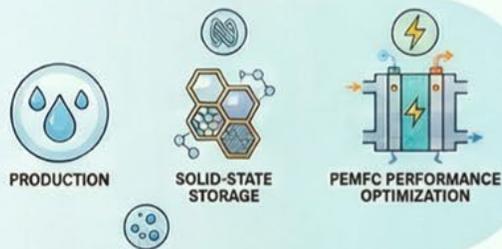
UGM Innovation Ecosystem: Leading the Energy Transition

Spearheading a transdisciplinary approach to energy and technology through Hydrogen Valley and Link & Match programs, transforming fundamental research into industrial solutions.

CORE TECHNOLOGICAL PILLARS

The Hydrogen Technology Ecosystem

An integrated system spanning production, solid-state storage, and PEMFC performance optimization for sustainable utilization.



Sustainable Metal Fuel Technology

Utilizing iron powder combustion to generate clean power and retrofit existing coal-based plants.



Cold Plasma for Human Flourishing

Applying non-thermal "Fourth State of Matter" technology to medicine, agriculture, and food safety.



STRATEGIC COLLABORATION FRAMEWORK



Industry-Driven "Link & Match"

Researchers immerse in industrial sites to formulate innovative solutions for real-world manufacturing challenges.



The Hydrogen Valley at Yogyakarta

A national center connecting research, industry, and government from upstream to downstream.



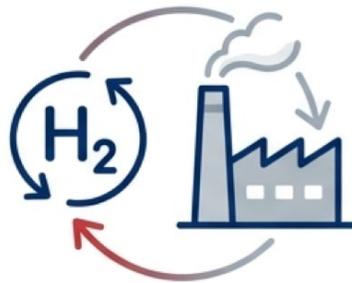
Global NEDO Partnerships

Strengthening international R&D with Japan to facilitate decarbonization and deep-tech startup growth.

From Lab to Life: A Comprehensive Innovation Ecosystem

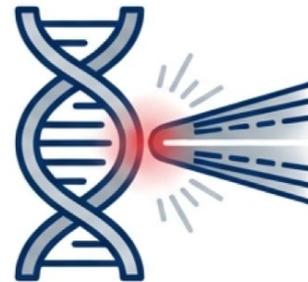
Scaling the partnership from isolated projects to a holistic ecosystem

Renewable Energy



Establishing a "Hydrogen Valley" and circular Metal Fuel economy to support decarbonization

Life Science Innovation



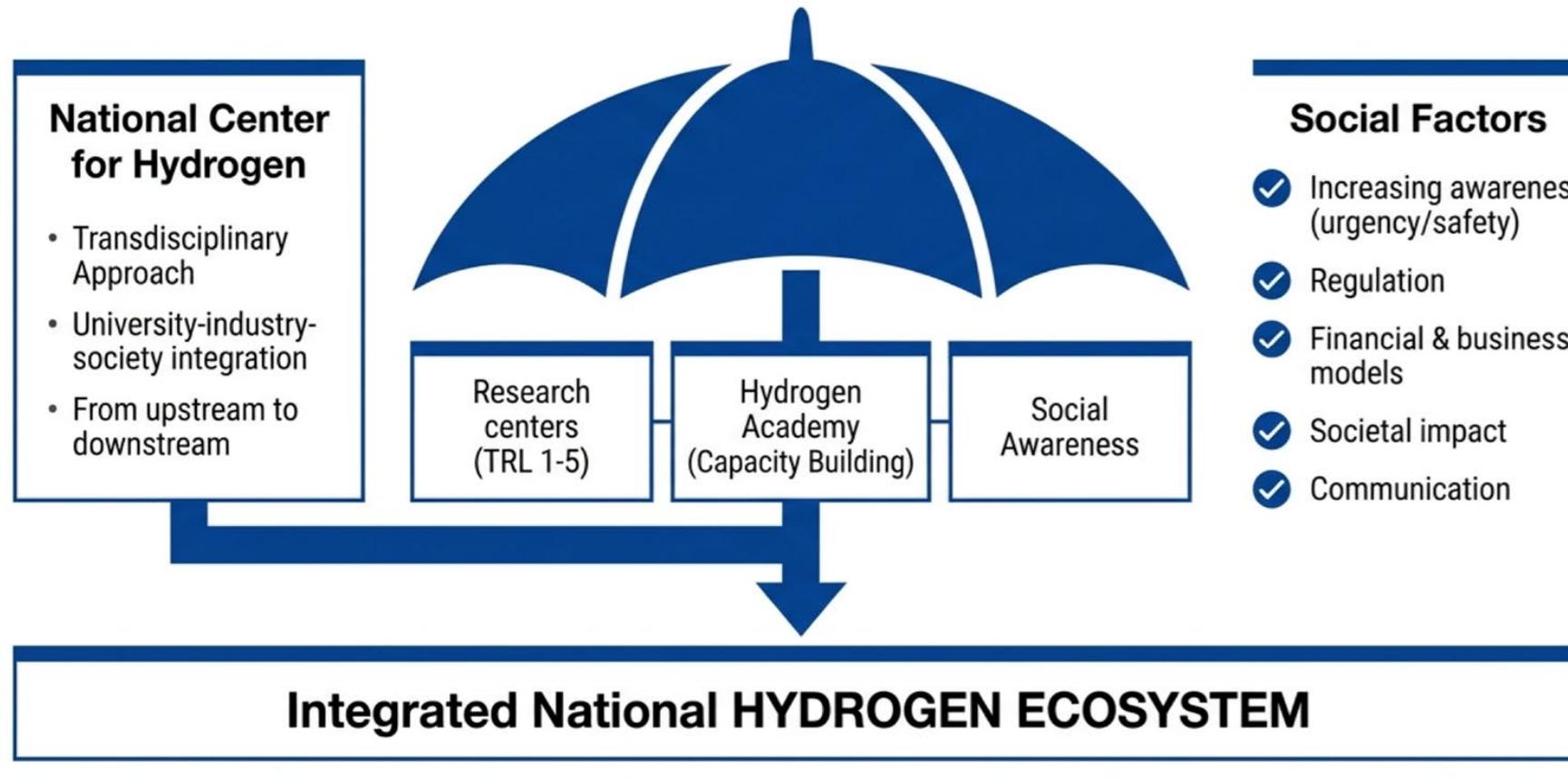
Utilizing Non-Thermal Cold Plasma technology for medical, agricultural, and food safety applications

Strategic Implementation



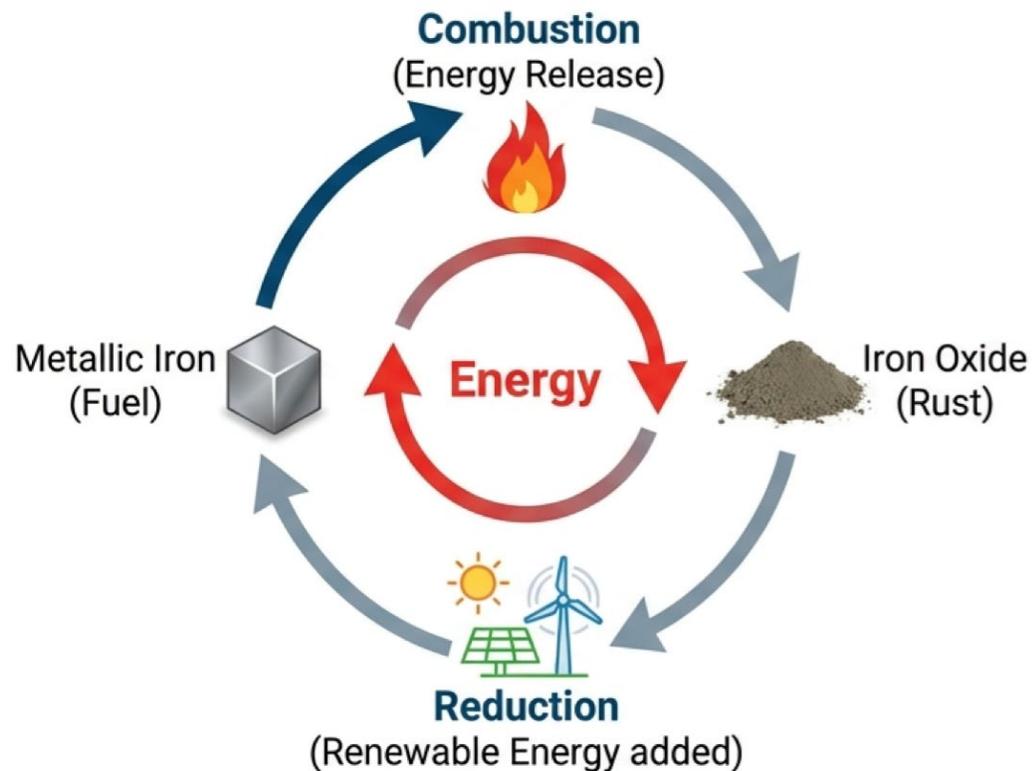
Utilizing "Link & Match" industrial immersion and International Funding schemas to ensure commercial viability.

The Vision: An Integrated National Hydrogen Ecosystem

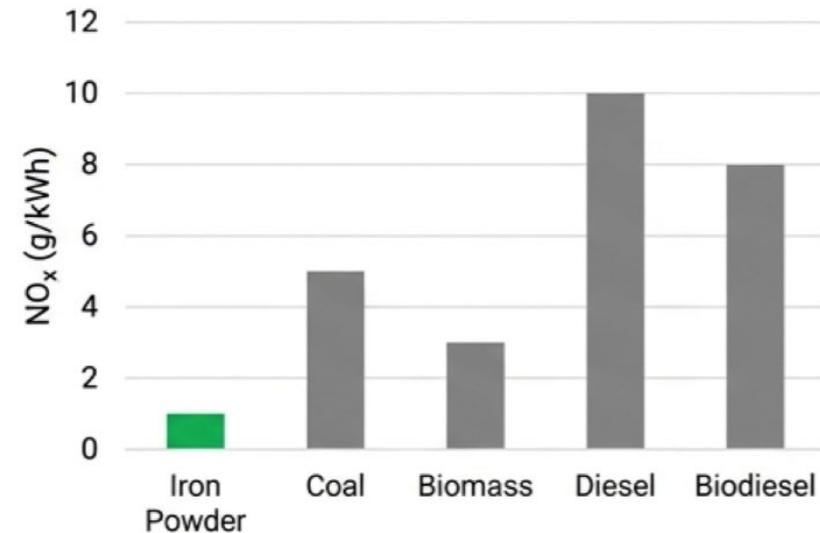


Metal Fuels: The Circular Iron Power Cycle

Metal Fuels Research at UGM

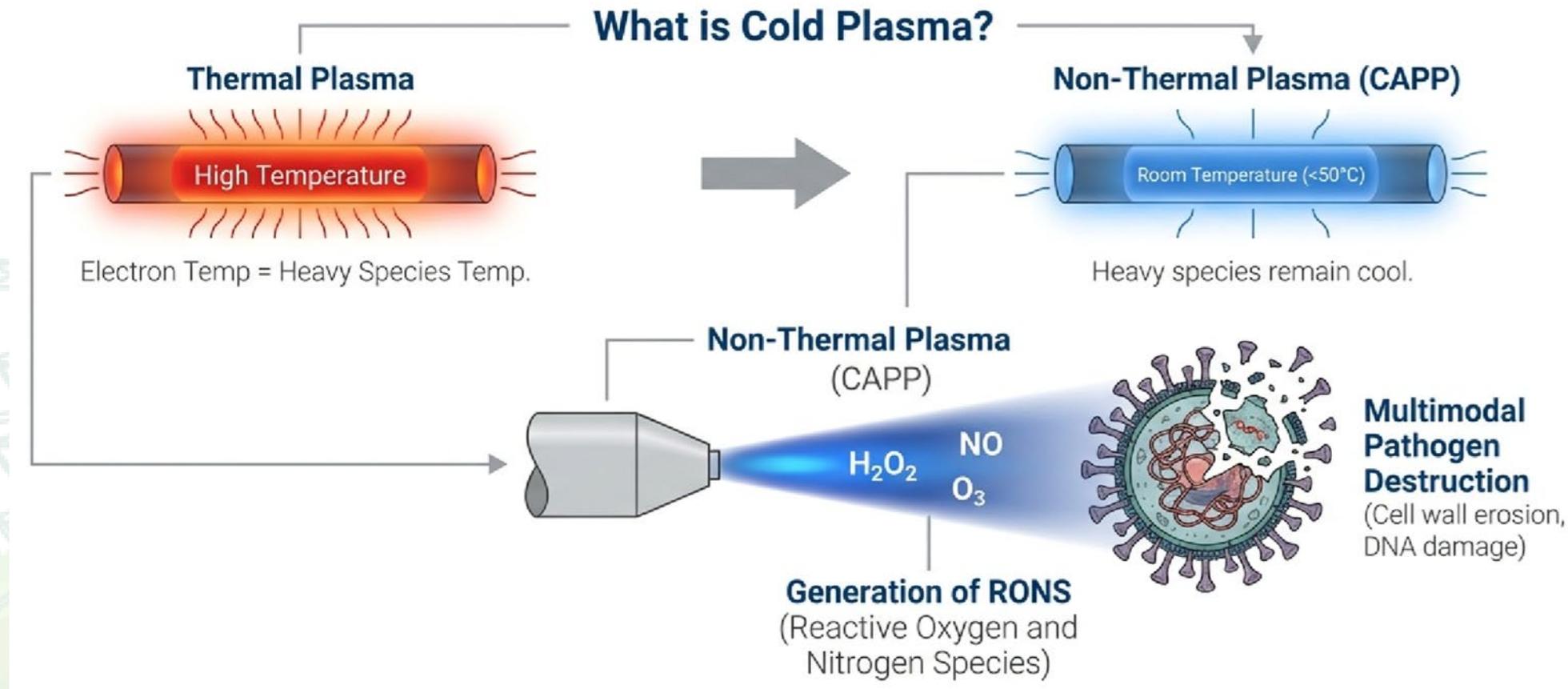


NO_x Emissions Comparison



Iron combustion with air produces minimal NO_x compared to fossil fuels.

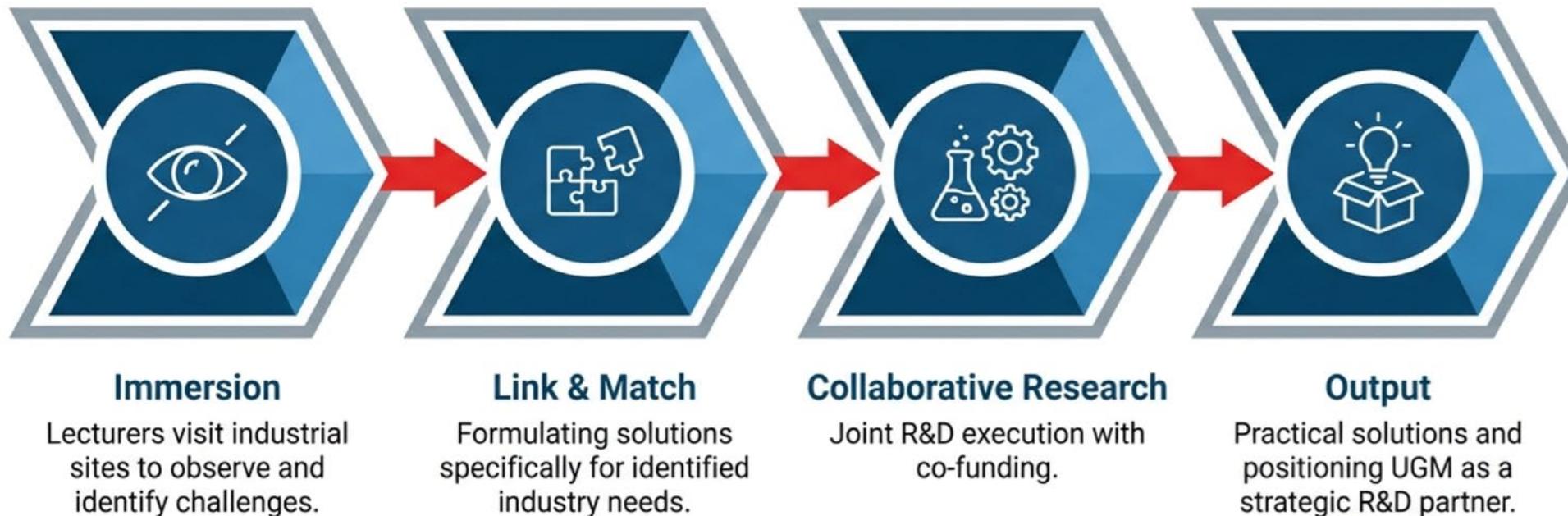
Cold Plasma: Technology for Human Flourishing





The Collaboration Engine: UGM Link & Match

Industry-Driven Research Workflow



Universities are not only knowledge institutions, **but transformation engines for sustainable industrial ecosystems**

- Global shift toward low-carbon economy & ESG compliance
- Universities as:
 - Knowledge producers (research & patents)
 - Technology incubators
 - Talent suppliers
 - Neutral innovation platforms
- From academic research → applied technology → industrial adoption
- Alignment with SDGs & national green transition agenda



Core Functions:

- Technology commercialization & IP management
- Startup incubation & acceleration
- Industry partnership facilitation
- Prototype development & pilot project deployment

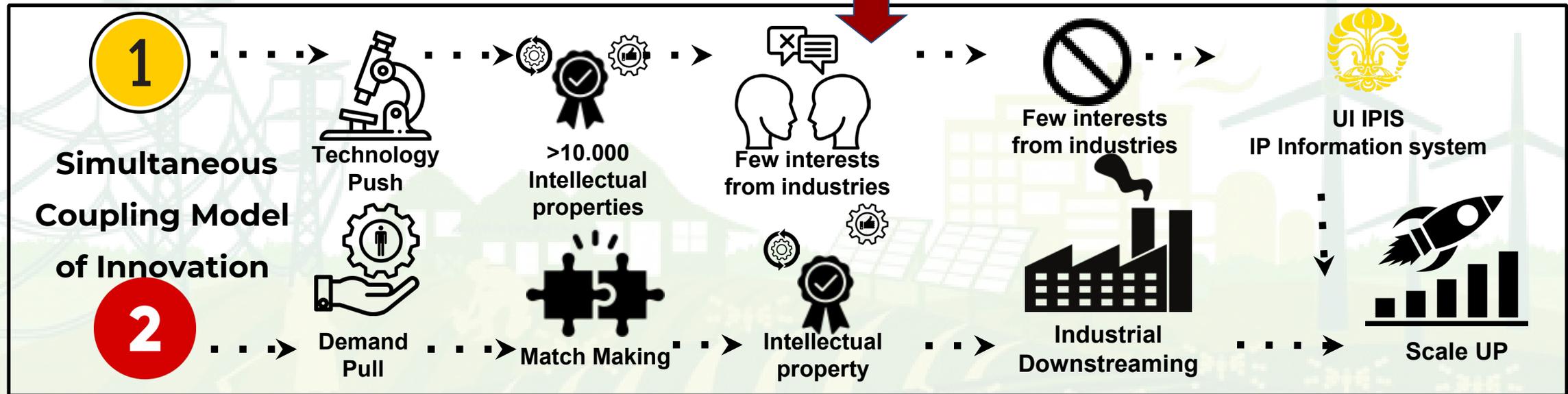
Green Industry Focus Areas:

- Renewable energy & energy storage
- Circular economy & waste valorization
- Green materials & sustainable construction
- Environmental monitoring technologies

- Misalignment of priorities** : Universities focus on publications, while industries prioritize market readiness, speed, and profitability.
- Low Technology Readiness Level (TRL)** — Many innovations remain at early concept or prototype stages, not yet ready for industrial adoption.
- Limited funding and scale-up facilities** — Insufficient capital, pilot plants, and testing infrastructure make it difficult to advance technologies to commercial levels.
- Complex intellectual property (IP) and licensing issues** — Unclear ownership, lengthy negotiations, and uncertain commercial value often slow down collaboration.
- Lack of entrepreneurial mindset and weak ecosystem support**



As a result, these challenges often lead to the **innovation death valley**, where promising technologies and innovations fail to reach the market.



PRIORITY TOPICS FOR UI INNOVATION



UI focuses on **11 thematic areas** of innovation products, in addition to social sciences and humanities

Vaccine

Stemcell

Herbal Medicine & Phytopharmaceutical

Functional Food

Drug & Functional Food

Dental Care & Implant

Bone Implant

Electromedical & In Vitro Diagnostics

Medical Devices

Artificial Intelligent

Renewable Energy

Advanced Building

Transportation

Engineering

The thematic areas encompass 3 clusters of scientific disciplines at UI: **the Health Sciences, the Science and Technology, and the Social Sciences and Humanities**

Social change

Democracy

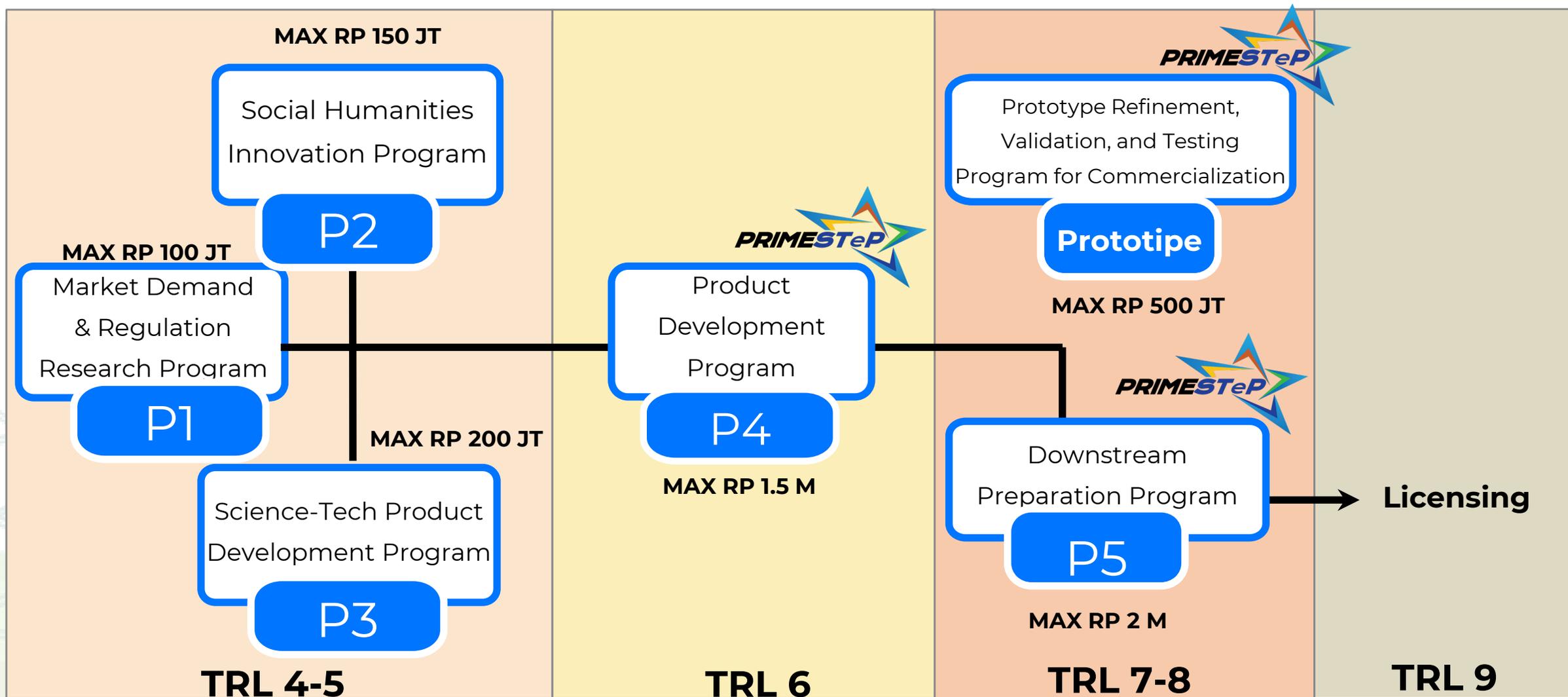
Inclusive socio-economic

Maritime development

Social Sciences and Humanities



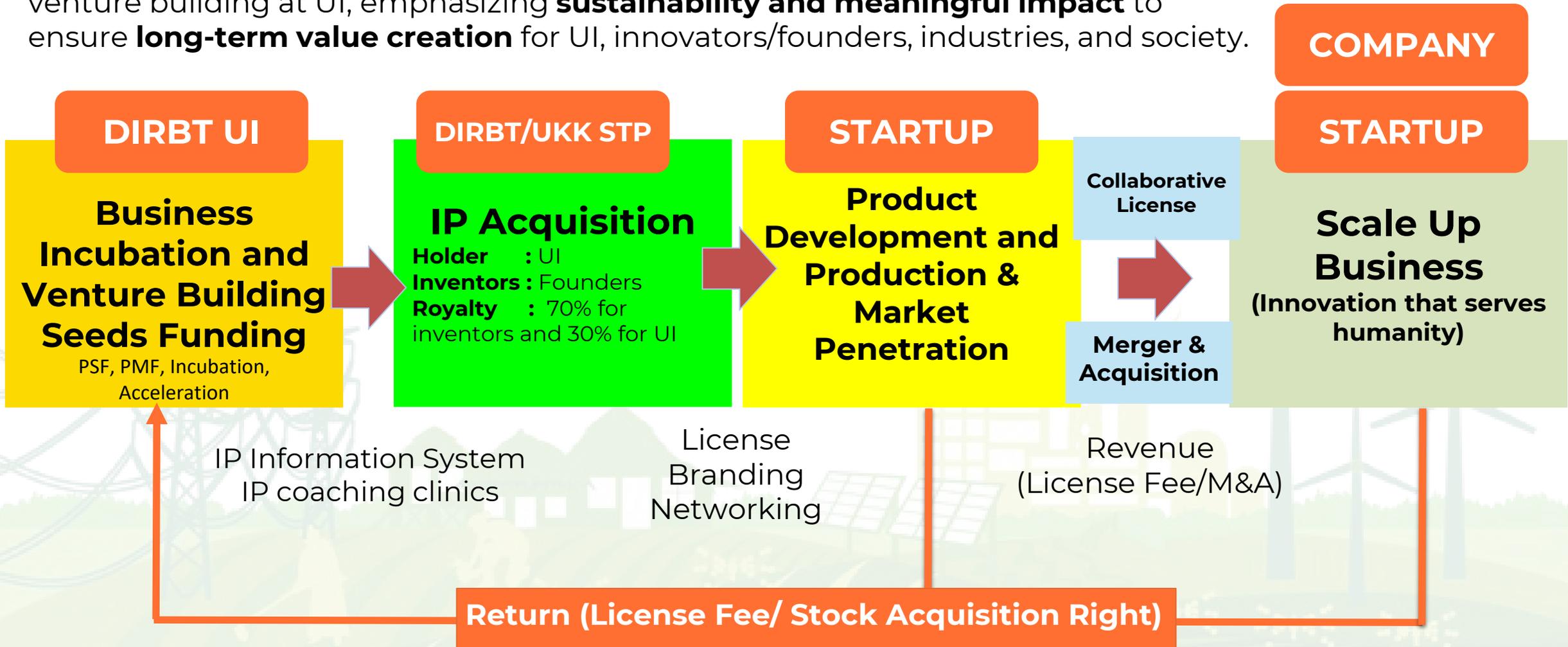
RESEARCH AND INNOVATION FUNDING SUPPORT

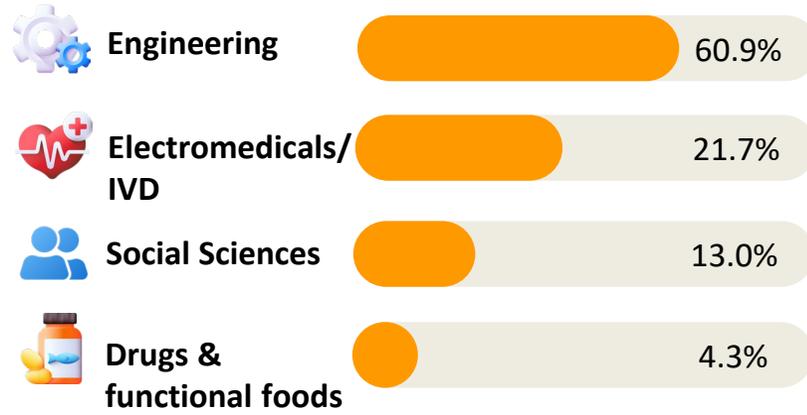


SUSTAINABILITY IMPACT OF INCUBATION



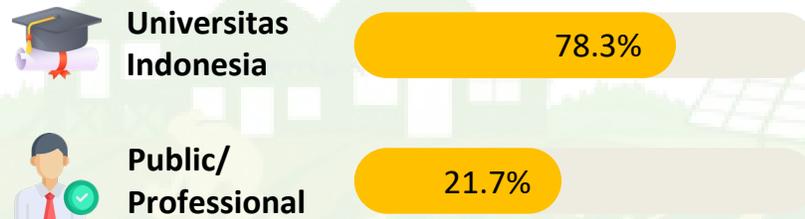
This implemented concept introduces a new approach to business incubation and venture building at UI, emphasizing **sustainability and meaningful impact** to ensure **long-term value creation** for UI, innovators/founders, industries, and society.





Most startups are from Engineering, with most of them focus on Artificial intelligence (AI)

Founders Background



The majority of founders come from the academic community and UI alumni, with others coming from the general public and professionals in related topics.

Scheme Category

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Problem Solution Fit Stage

#11

Product Market Fit Stage



SOME OF LICENSED GREEN PRODUCTS INNOVATION (2025)



PETROJEL

Sustainable and Responsible Management of Used Cooking Oil into Biodiesel

PT Energi Hijau Lestari

Abdul Rahman

EC002025197104



REMINER

Recycling Mining & Industries Residue

PT Rekayasa Mineral Residy

Nama Peneliti

EC002025197501



TERUMBU

Sustainable Marine Tourism Platform

PT Terumbu Lestari Nusantara

Muhamad Reza Pahlevi

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Jokeen:

Smart Renewable Energy Charging Hub for MRT station

PT Jokeen Solusi Teknologi

Puguh Pambudi, S.T.

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BUSINESS MATCHING FOR STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP DEVELOPMENT



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