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LaserEMobility

Network and know-how for laser based manufacturing in the eV sector

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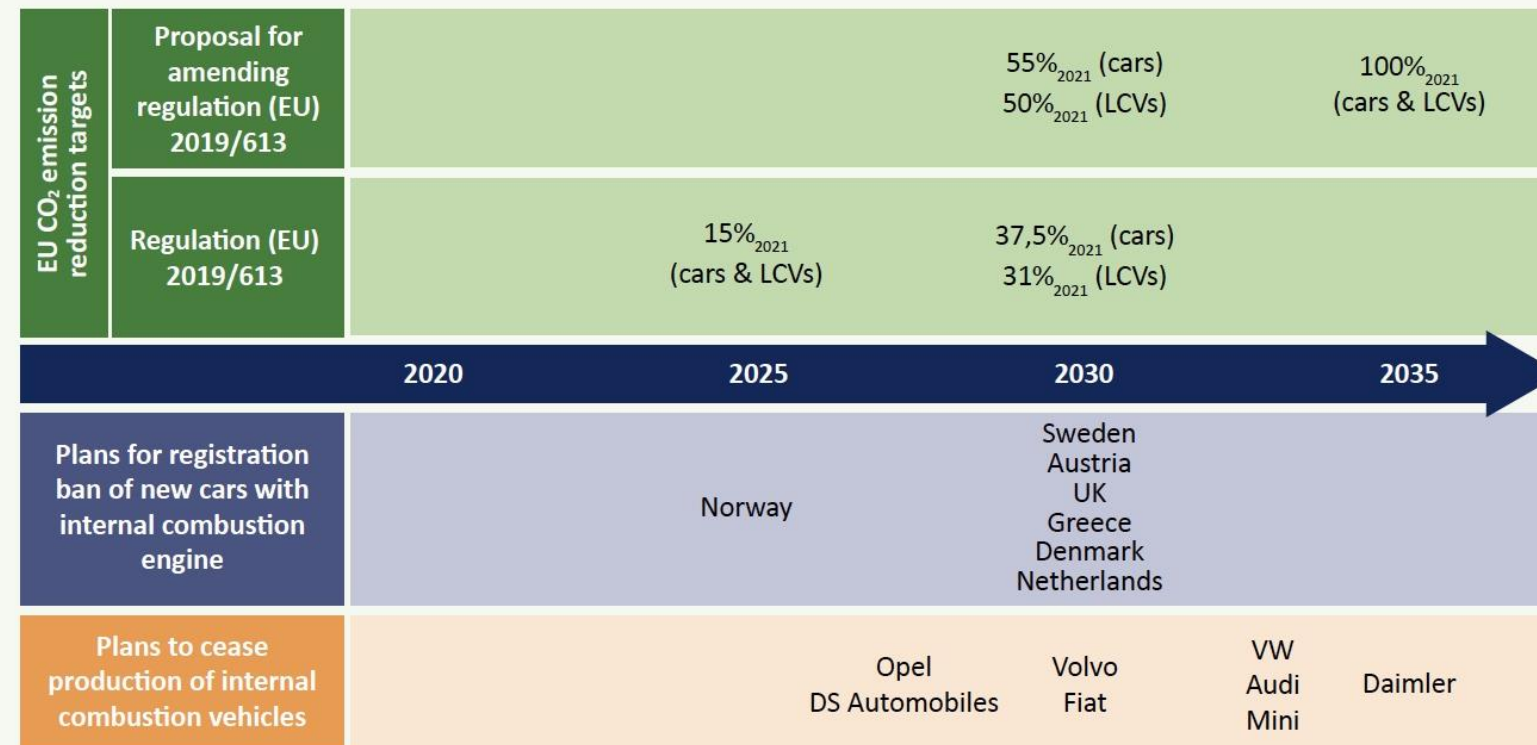
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State of the art and background

Figure 1: Targets regarding the reduction of emissions from cars and LCV as well as communicated timeline for a phase-out of internal combustion engine. [2-16]

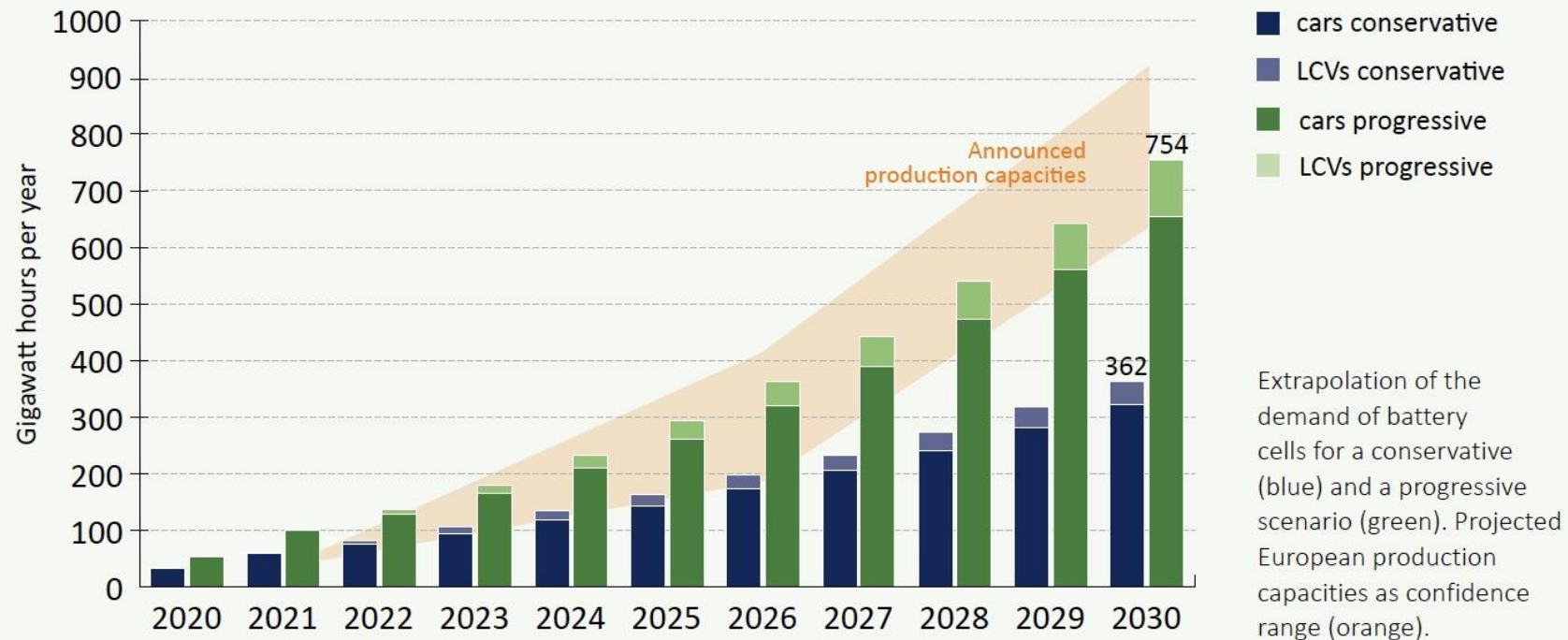


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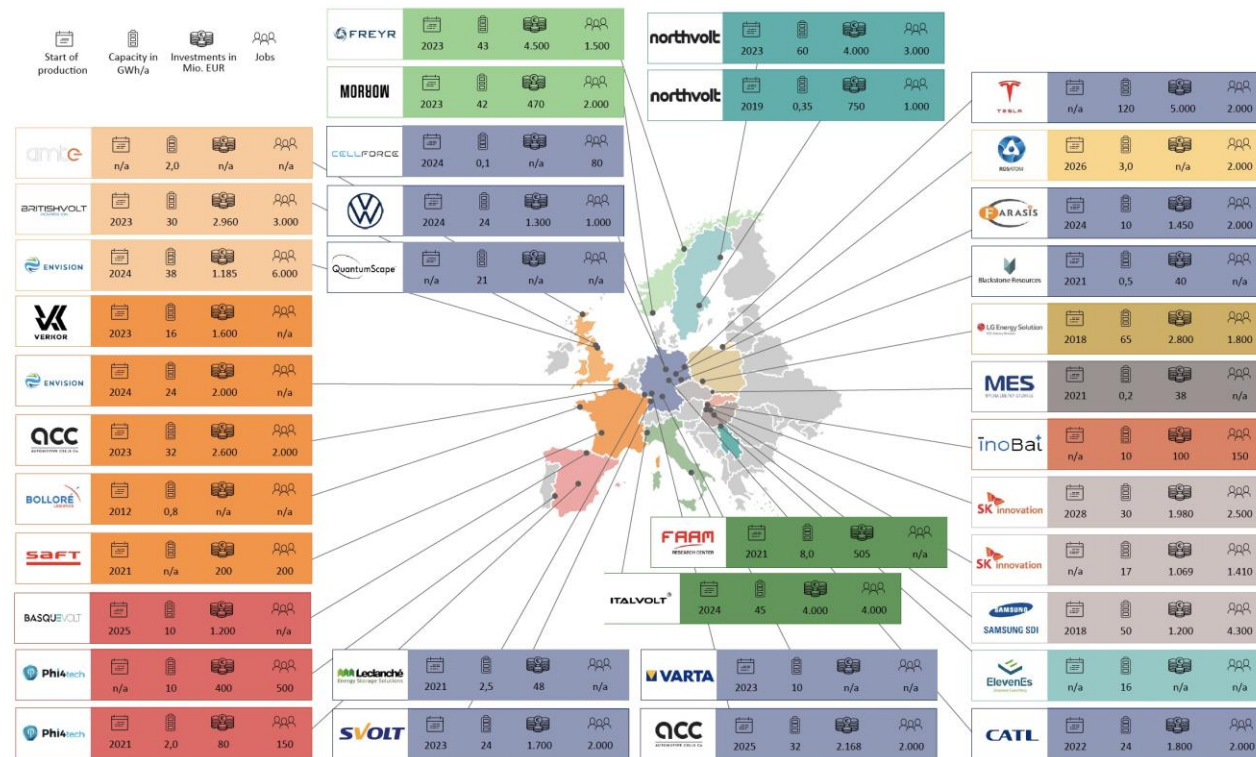
Figure 2: European battery cell production can meet automotive industry demand.

Confidence range of announced European production capacities compared to the modelled battery cell demand in Europe until 2030.



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Figure 3: Battery cell production sites in Europe.



Own figure based on announcements of the manufacturers.

Why Emilia Romagna

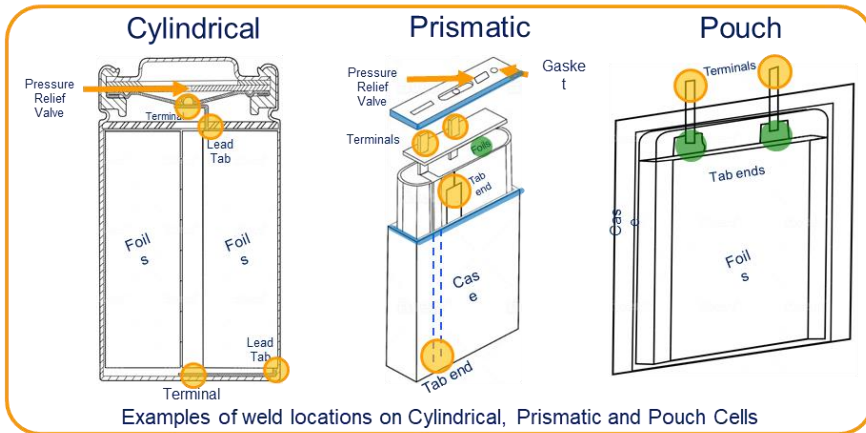


- Emilia Romagna is known as «Motor Valley»
- Consolidated partnership between Universities and Car Manufacturers **MUNER**

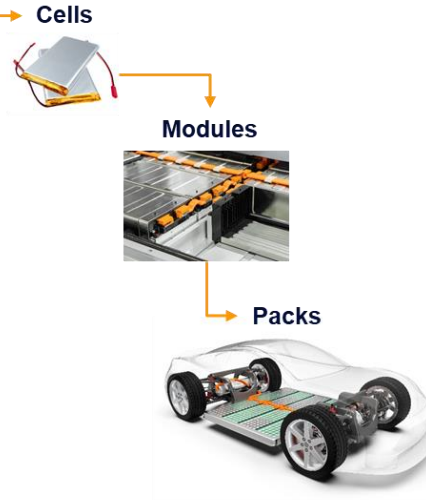


Why Lasers

EV Battery Cell Types



● > 70% are Lap Welds ● Butt/Edge Welds ● Multi Foil Welds



1. Battery Tray welding
2. Hairpin welding
3. Hairpin Ablation
4. Rotor and stator welding
5. IGBT+MCU -sub welding system
6. Fuel Battery welding



It is estimated that Laser Material Processing can cover between 60% to 80%¹ of all material processing applications for EV manufacturing,

Laser Technology

- Wear-free
- Non-contact tool
- Precision
- Reduced HAZ

- Wide materials' range
- Operation versatility
- Different wavelengths
- Process parameters

Quality

High number of solutions from laser manufactures

- New wavelengths
- New strategies
- Many suppliers
- Lower laser cost

Flexibility

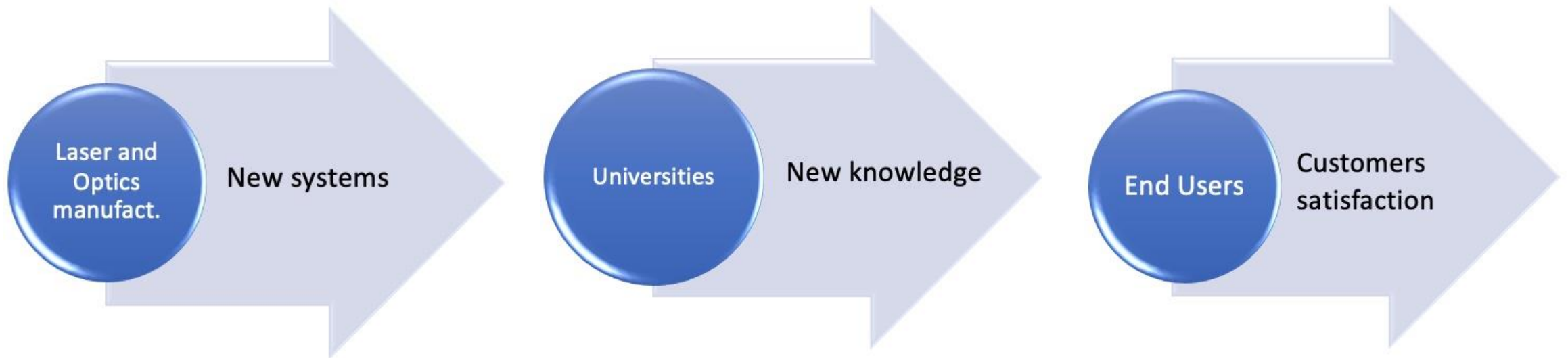
Productivity

- Low cycle time
- High utilization rate
- Stability over time
- Low maintenance

¹ Kogel-Hollacher M., "The full potential of photonics in e-mobility: an overview", The Laser User Magazine 2020

Why the Workshop

- The *technological need from industries* is to maximise productivity and adhere to sustainability, whilst accelerating strategies for **zero-defect** and **zero-waste**, at both low- and high-volume production



What we know

- The Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) and the state of North Rhine-Westphalia are funding the development of battery cell research production in the area with up to a total of EUR 680 million.

< Industry

Northvolt invests \$750 million to establish world's first R&D campus covering the entire battery ecosystem

October 07, 2021

Northvolt is underway in establishing Northvolt Labs as Europe's leading campus for battery technologies via investment of approximately \$750 million.



Outline of the Workshop

10th March 2022

9:00 Registration desk opens for in-person participants

9:20 Welcome speeches
Stefano Cattorini, Managing Director BI-REX
Alfredo Liverani
Director of Industrial Engineering Department (DIN)
Luca Settineri, President of Italian Association
of Manufacturing Technologies (AITeM)
Vincenzo Colla
Councilor for Economic Development and Green Economy,
Employment, Training at Emilia-Romagna Region
Alessandro Fortunato
LaserEMobility Workshop Co-organizer

Advanced sources, beam shaping, and monitoring

10:00 Overcoming challenges in EV production with Adjustable
Ring Mode fiber lasers,
Thomas Hofmeister, Coherent

10:20 Highly integrated laser systems and processes for
E-Mobility manufacturing,
Matthias Beranek, Trumpf

10:40 Advanced laser solutions for the E-Mobility industry,
Stefano Cattaneo, IPG Photonics

11:00 Coffee break

11:40 Hairpin laser stripping, **Giovanni Masotti**, ELen

12:00 Tailored solutions from a partner in laser E-Mobility:
Results from wavelengths and beam shaping blend,
Salvatore Salerno, Optoprim

12:20 Laser Processing of EV Battery Electrodes
Philippe Leopold, Lumentum

12:40 Lunch break

14:10 Going green - Laser welding and smart sensor
technology driving E-Mobility, **Jens Reiser**, Precitec

14:30 OCT applications for laser welding in battery
production, **Richard Steinbrecht**, Lessmüller

14:50 How pre-focusing deflection units from Raylase enable
E-Mobility applications and optimize process monitoring,
Jan Habedank, Raylase

15:10 In-line production monitoring of battery welding
processes, **Luca Porcelluzzi**, MKS Instruments

15:30 Coffee break

Brainstorming event moderated by EPIC (1h30')

16:10 Four specific E-Mobility themes, in open discussion, in
four corners of the room.
Moderator: **Antonio Raspa**, EPIC

Day 1 closure

17:40 Final Remarks

11th March 2022

End-users and future prospects

9:00 Ducati's electrification challenges, **Roberto Canè**, Ducati

9:20 The future of electrification at Ferrari, **Luca Poggio**, Ferrari

9:40 Title to be defined, **Stefano Mazzetti**, Lamborghini

10:00 Title to be defined, **Luca Vescovi**, Dallara

10:20 Coffee break

From process to system

11:00 Improving laser operation performance for the e-drive: From
processing to testing, **Davide Chesi**, IMA Automation ATOP

11:20 Future battery technologies: Manz approach,
Giorgio Balugani, Manz

11:40 Development of a laser welding cell for prototyping Li-ion
batteries, **Lorenzo Ceccon**, Nextema

12:00 Electrical testing in the production of battery modules and
packs, **Anisa Kapxhiu**, Marposs

12:20 Lunch break

13:50 BorgWarner - LaserEMobility 2022,
Davide Spazian, BorgWarner

14:10 Laser welding in high performance battery system and
manufacturing challenges, **Giuliano Ellena**, Podium Tech

14:30 The combination of advanced sensors and artificial intelligence
to unlock batteries production,
Massimiliano Moruzzi, Augmenta

14:50 Coffee break

LaserEMobility Research

15:30 Lasers for E-Mobility in Bologna

15:50 Lasers for E-Mobility in Milan

16:10 Lasers for E-Mobility in Munich

Rountable discussion

16:30 Photons for electrons – Towards the LaserEMobility Network

Virtual lab tour and Workshop closure

17:10 Final Remarks

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