

'VindØ' - Denmark's next step as a global leader in offshore wind

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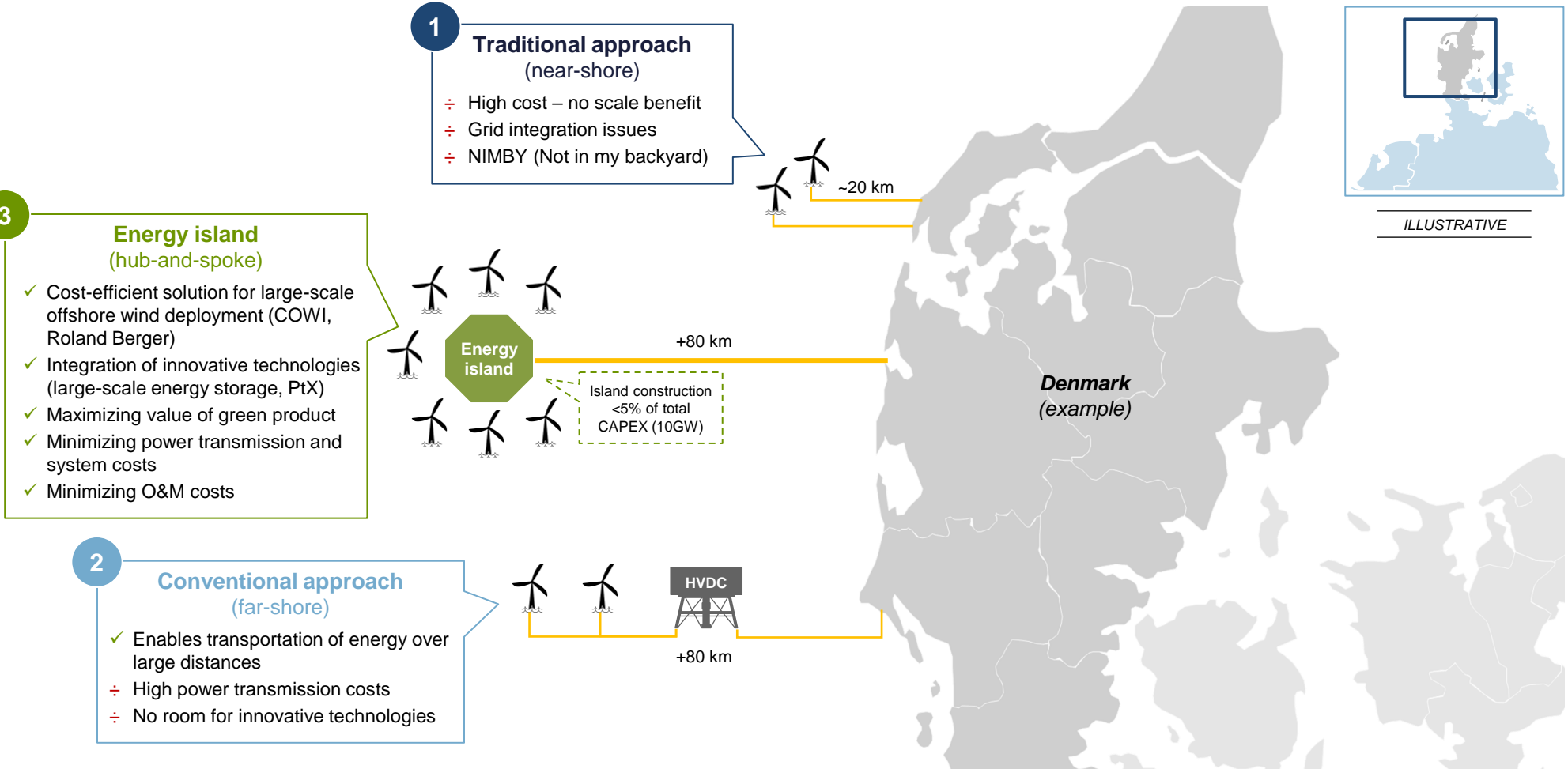
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What is an energy island?

- Cost-efficient harvesting of offshore wind resources

Illustrative comparison of connection possibilities for offshore wind



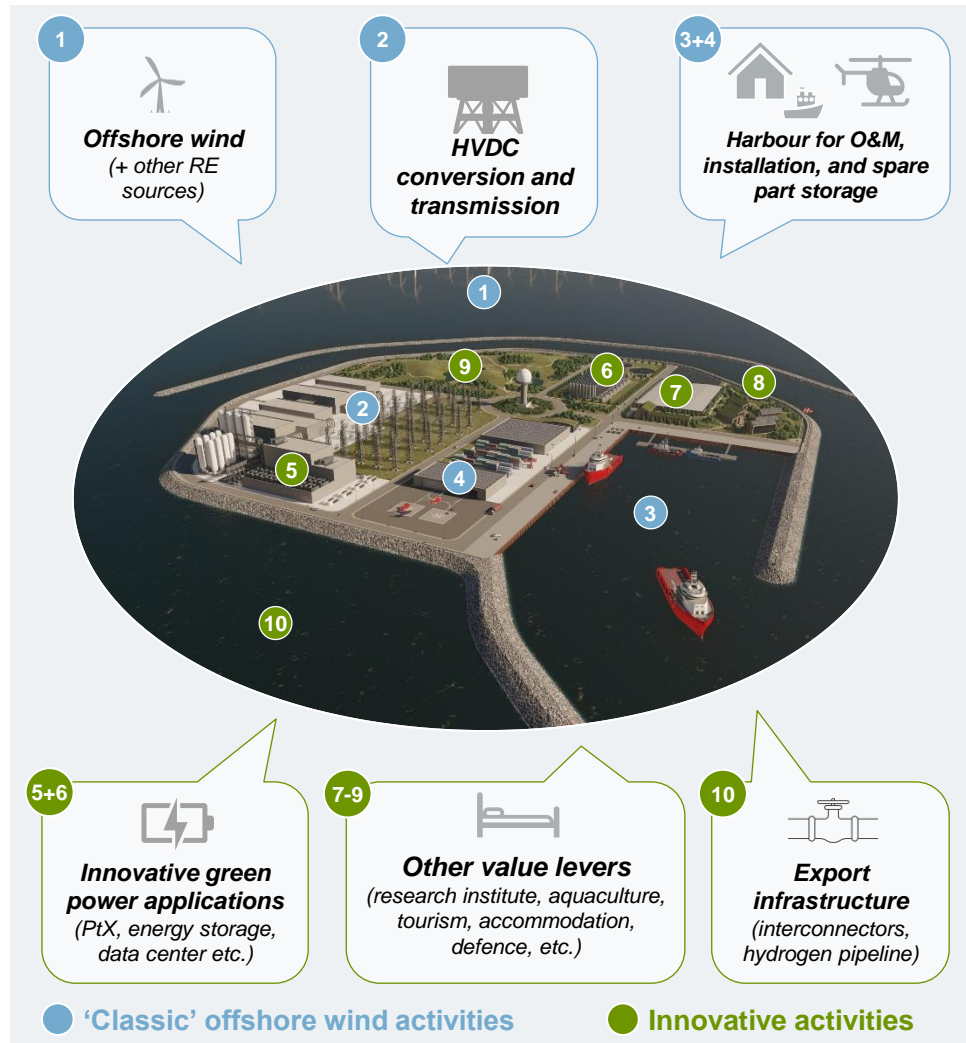
Energy islands are essential for realizing the full potential of offshore wind – cost-efficient and highly integratable

Sources: COWI (2021): "Cost benefit analyse og klimaaftryk af energier i Nordsøen og Østersøen"; Roland Berger for the European Commission (2019): "Cost efficient offshore development through hybrid projects".

Energy island value proposition

- Combining classic offshore wind activities with large scale offshore innovation and integration

Integration of large-scale offshore wind and related activities



Energy island value proposition

Cost-efficient option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Cost-efficient grid connection and integration of large-scale offshore wind into the energy system ✓ Savings on transmission capacity and O&M ✓ Connects markets and sectors
Unlock innovative, value-enhancing use cases	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Potential to unlock large-scale offshore green hydrogen production and large-scale energy storage – creating new innovative ways of enhancing the value of the green product
External values	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Enables very large-scale offshore wind deployment and market growth ✓ Displays green leadership and ambition ✓ Strong branding tool/Unique Selling Point, including in Government-to-Government relations
Local job creation and growth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Strong local job creation and growth <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Estimated 84,000 full year equivalent jobs during construction phase and 54,000 full year equivalent jobs during operations phase (assuming 10GW offshore wind)

Sources: QBIS (2020): "Socio-economic impact study of offshore wind". Labour effects for 10GW build-out extrapolated from 3GW North Sea energy island scenario.

VindØ – the world's first energy island (www.windisland.dk)

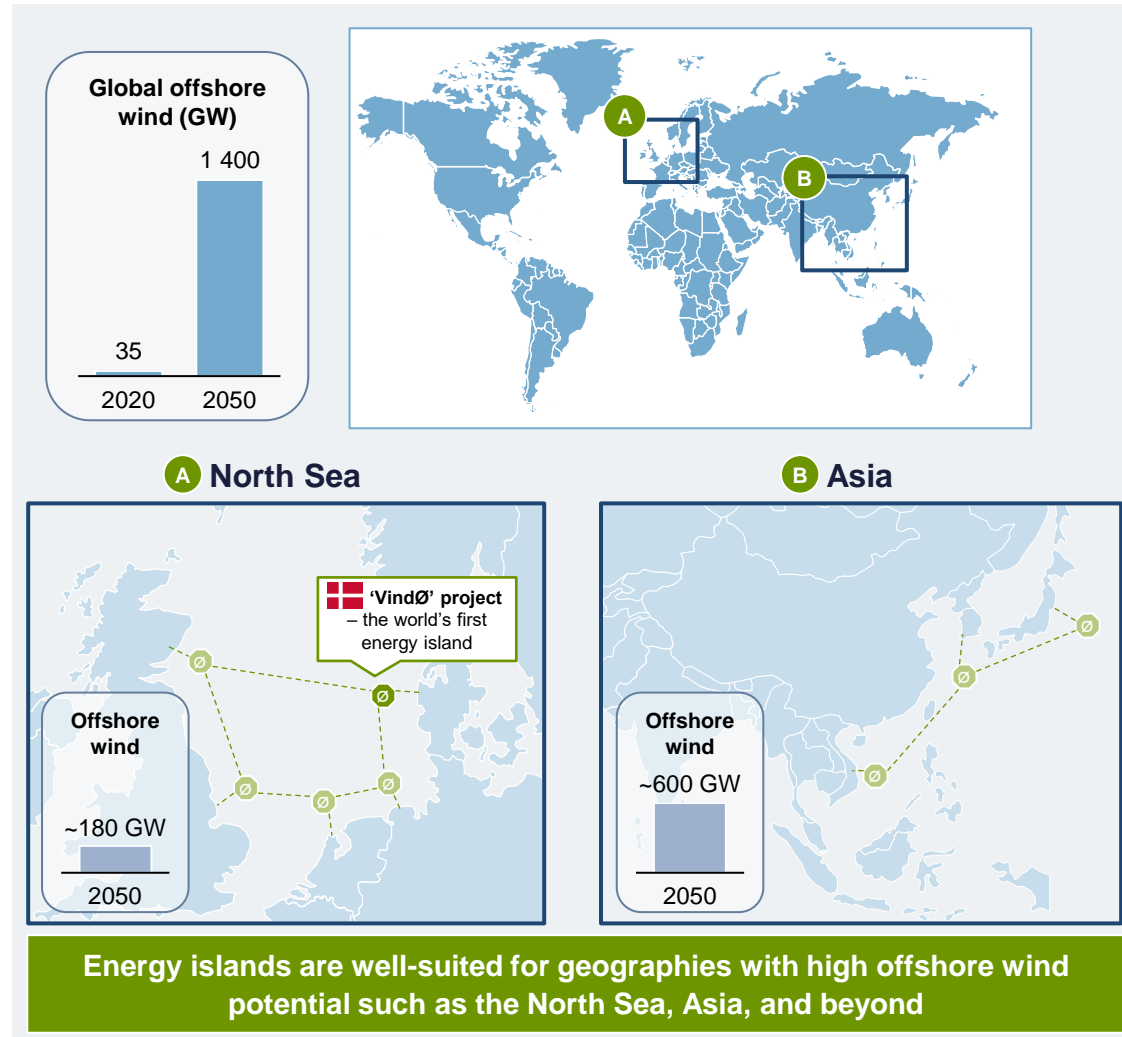
Illustrative depiction of 'VindØ' - Danish energy island project



A global market opportunity for accelerating offshore wind

- Significant global market potential in the North Sea, Asia and beyond, including existing islands

Illustrative mapping of potential energy islands – two major markets in focus



Partnering proposition



CIP is exploring opportunities for local and global partnerships, leveraging our experience and capabilities:



Expertise within offshore wind, HVDC systems, PtX and energy storage



Expertise within energy island concepts: large-scale integration of offshore renewables into energy systems through market and sector coupling



Global reach and experienced public-private partner



Long-term financing, ensuring predictability and stability

Sources: OREAC (2020): "The Power of Our Ocean"; NSWPH (2019) "Industry Engagement"; GWEC (2021): "Global Wind Report 2021".