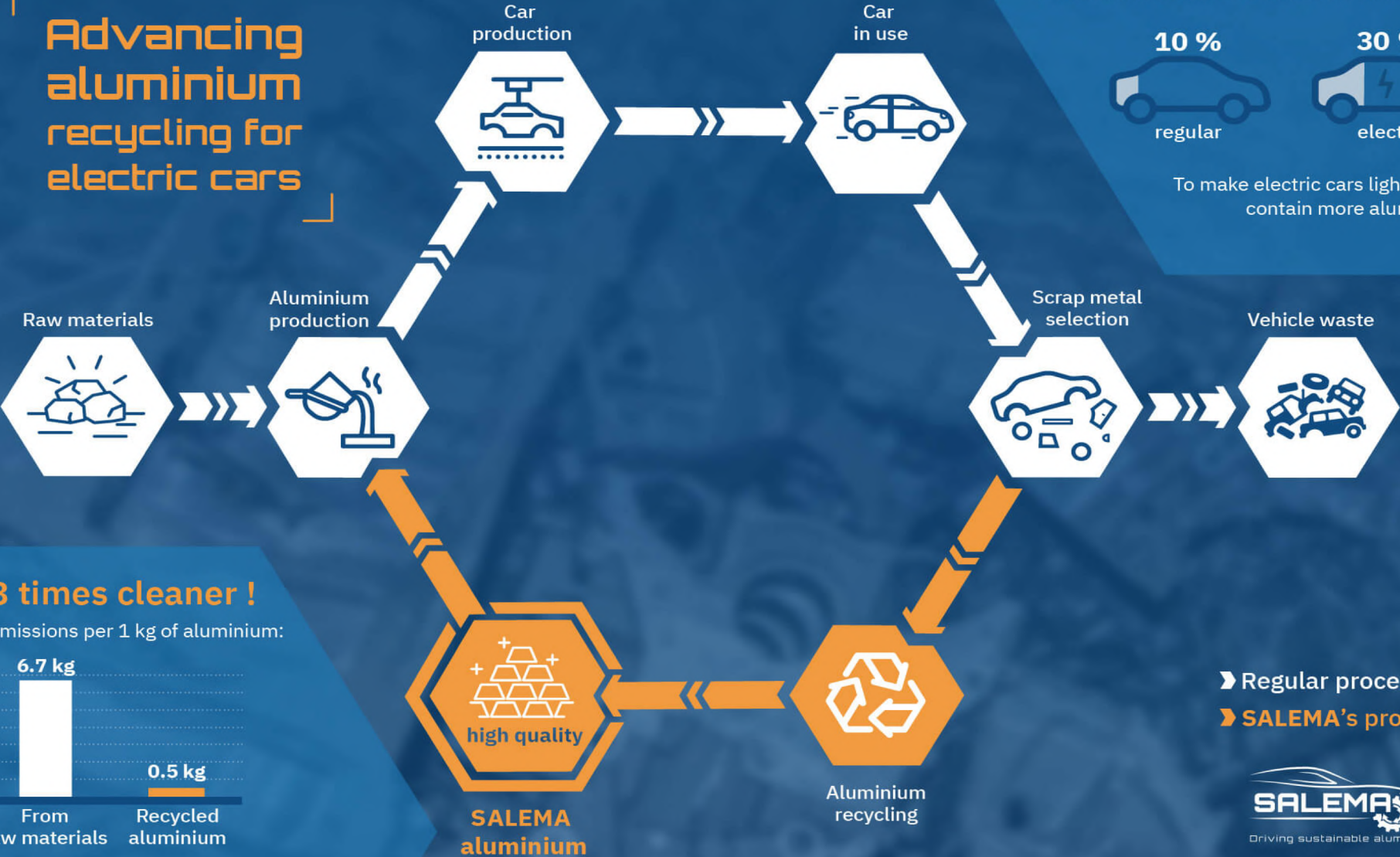


## **Substitution of Critical Raw Materials in Aluminum Alloys for HPDC**

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## Advancing aluminium recycling for electric cars



### Aluminium content in a car



To make electric cars lighter they contain more aluminium.

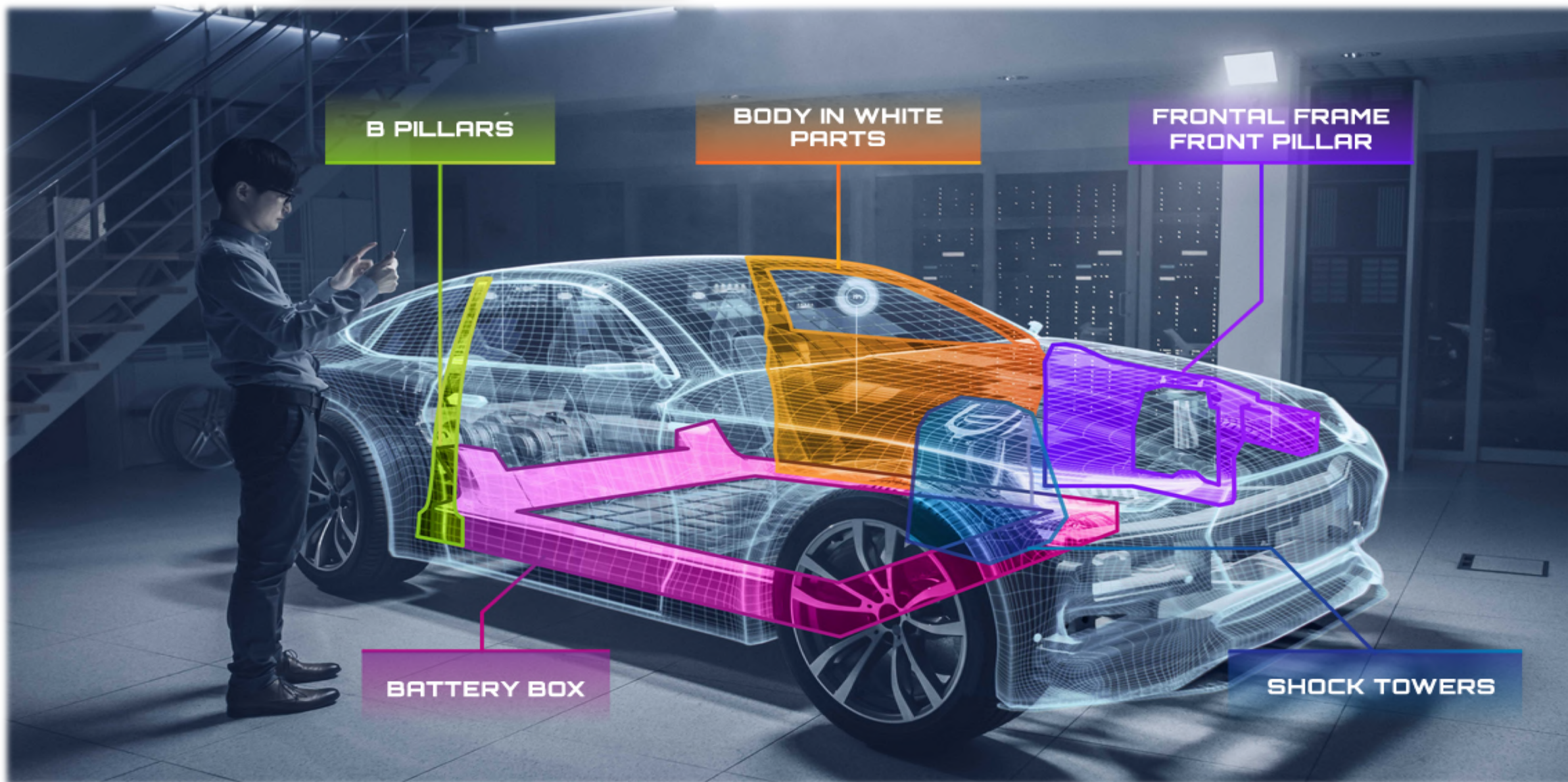
### 13 times cleaner !

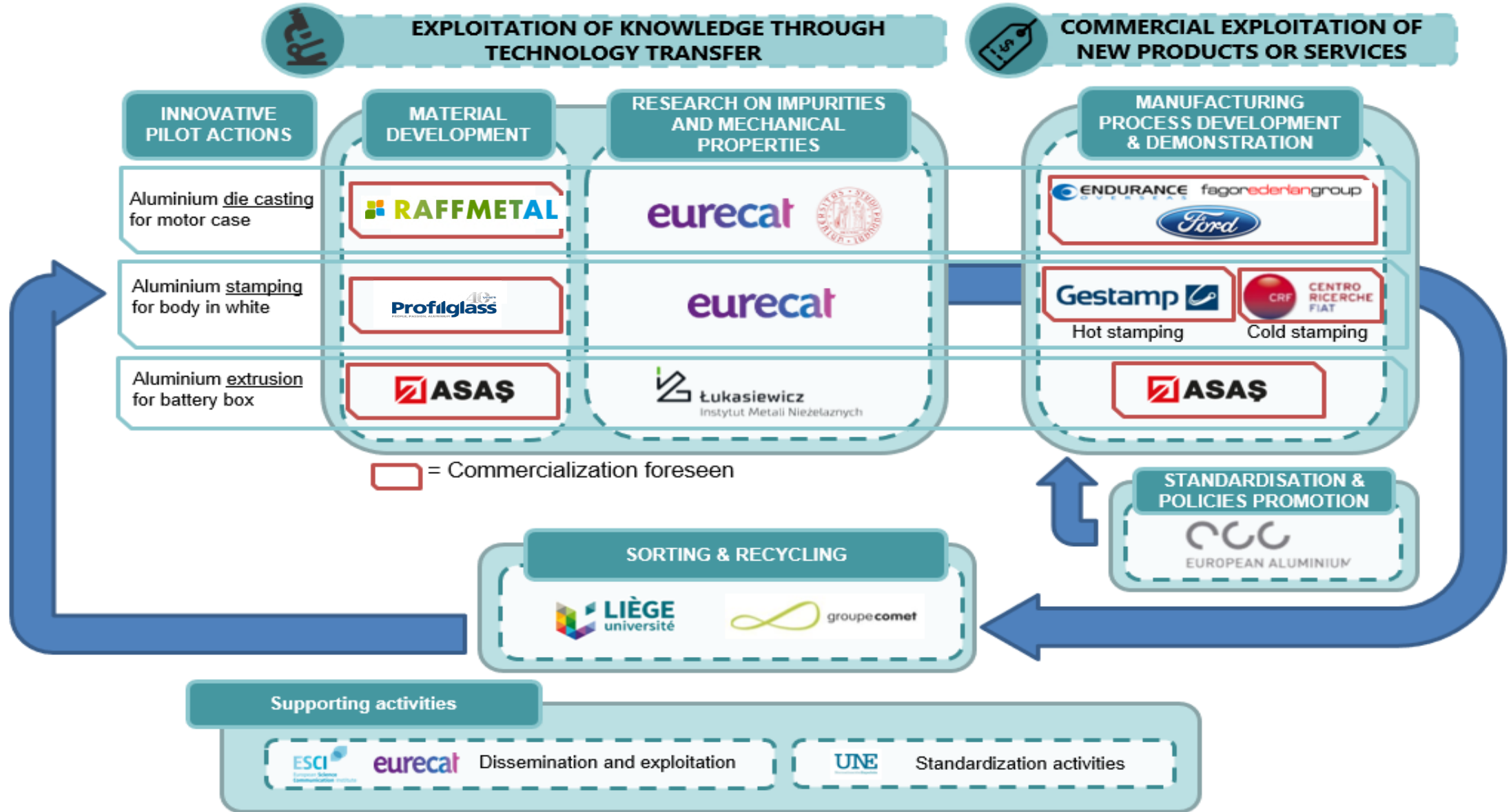
CO<sub>2</sub> emissions per 1 kg of aluminium:



▶ Regular process  
▶ SALEMA's process





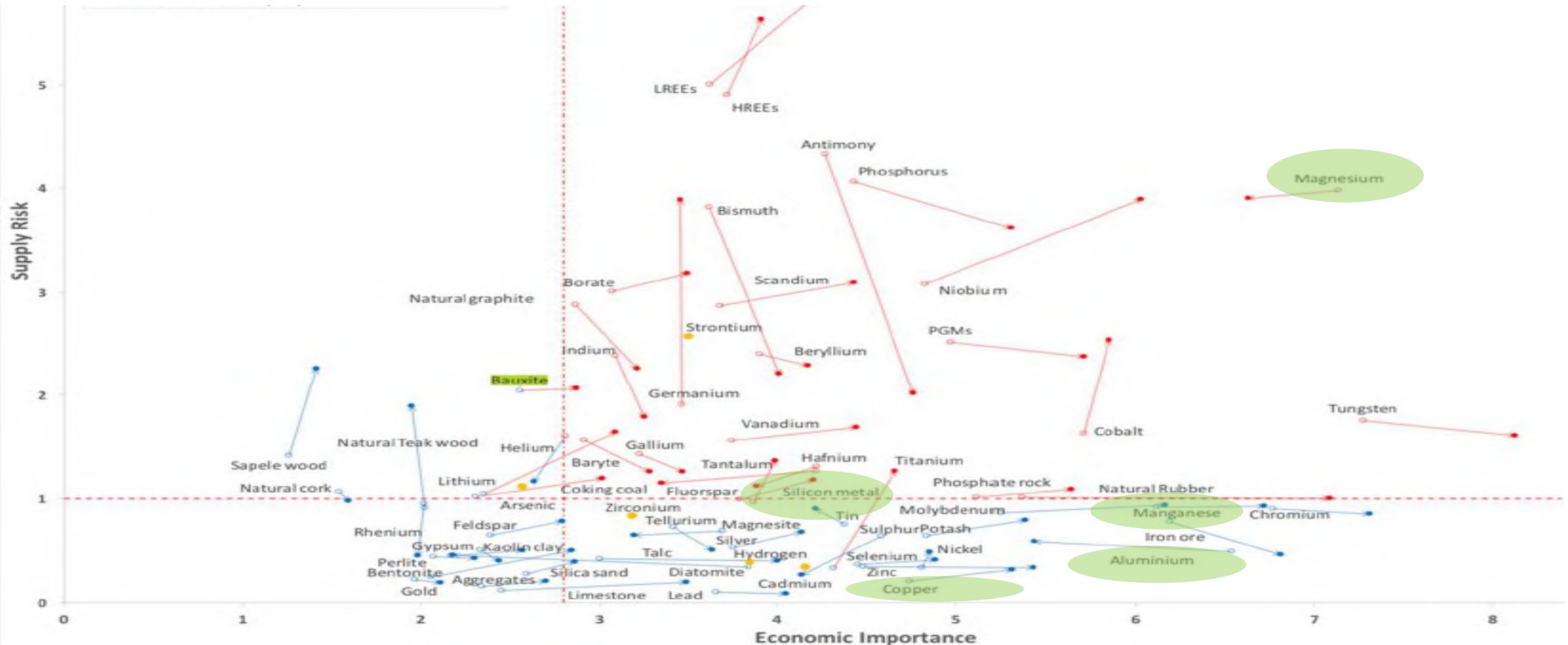




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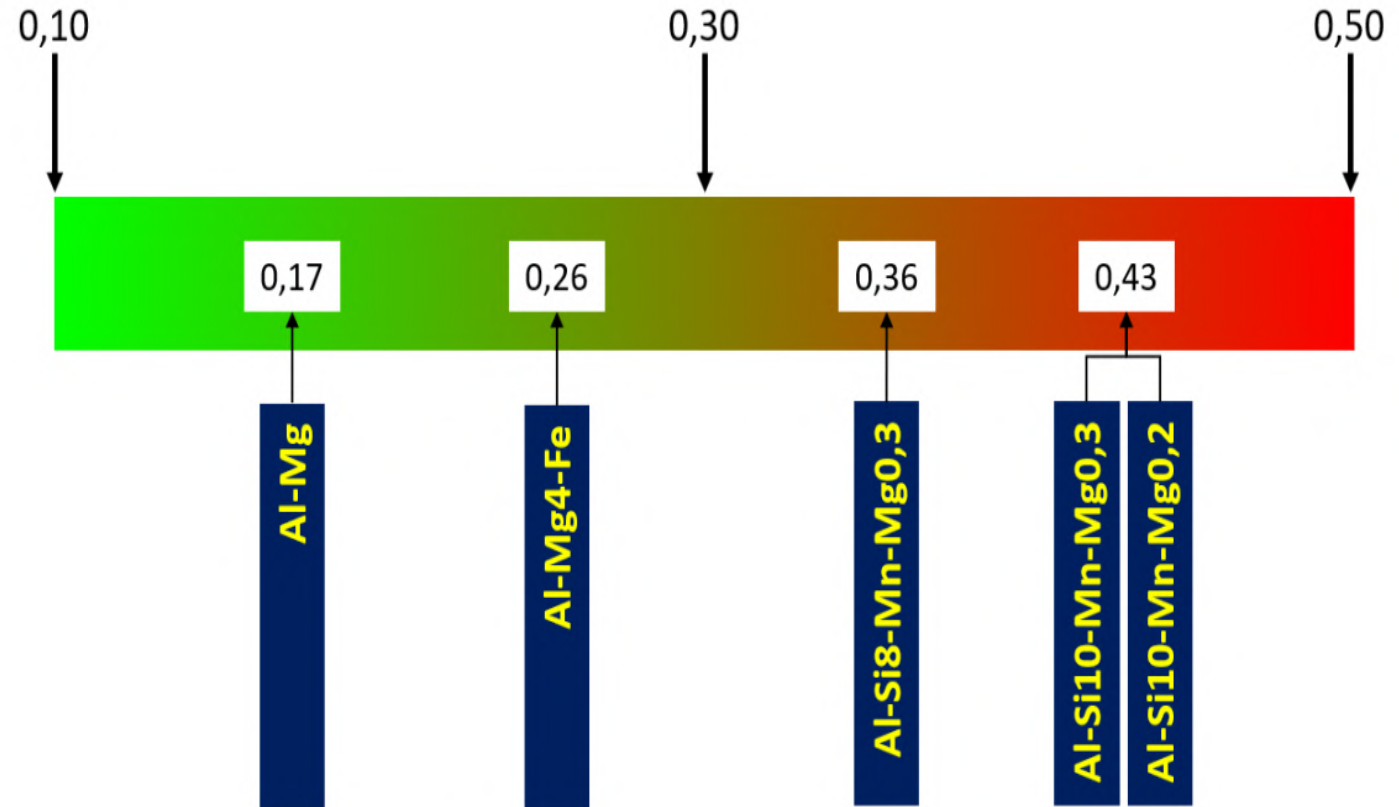


The SALEMA project will develop novel aluminium alloys with minimalised critical raw materials content, using iron as a substitute and integrating scrap metal

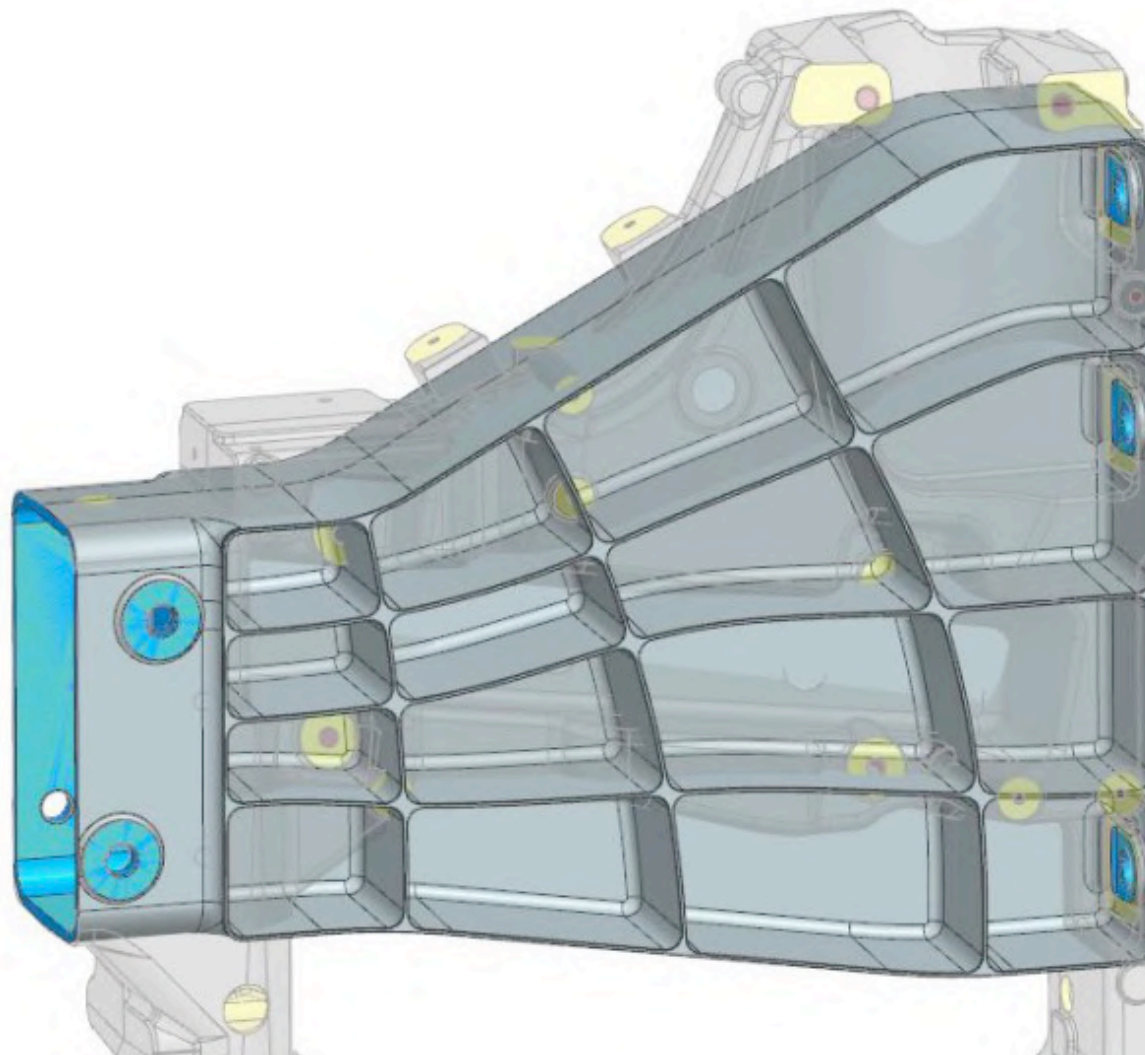
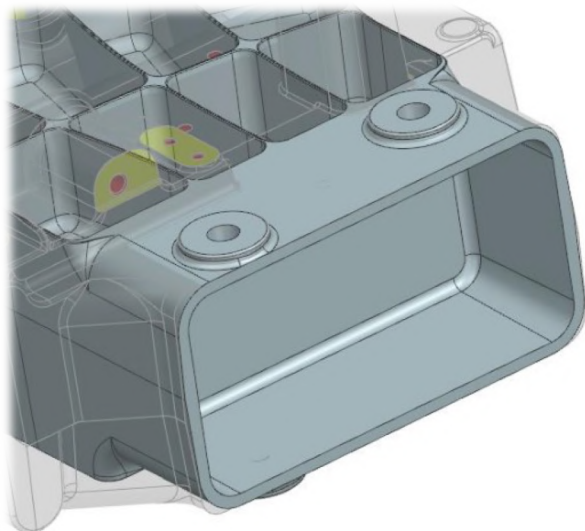
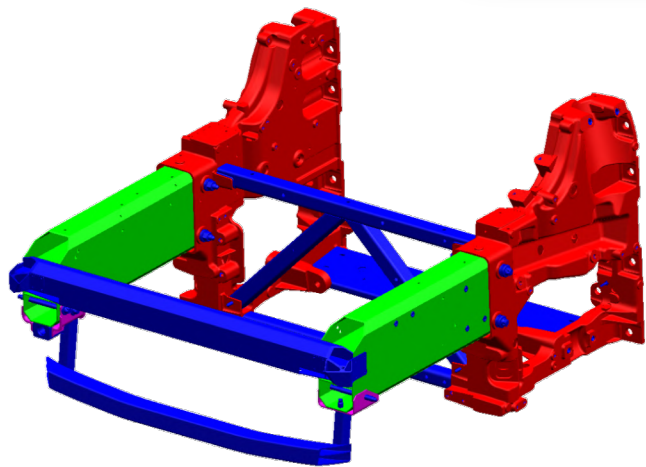


Conceptual area	Characteristic or phenomenon to be modelled	For HPDC
CRM content	Criticality Index	✓
Castability	Fluidity (as the inverse of viscosity)	✓
	Solidification shrinkage	✓
	Slag/dross formation tendency	✓
	Die soldering tendency	✓
	Hot tearing tendency	✓
Hot working attitude, extrudability	Solid solution element at processing temperature	
Mechanical compensation of Si and Mg decrease in alloys	Alternative elements for solid solution strengthening	✓
	Grain refinement	✓
	Improving of heat treatment	✓
	Improving work hardening	

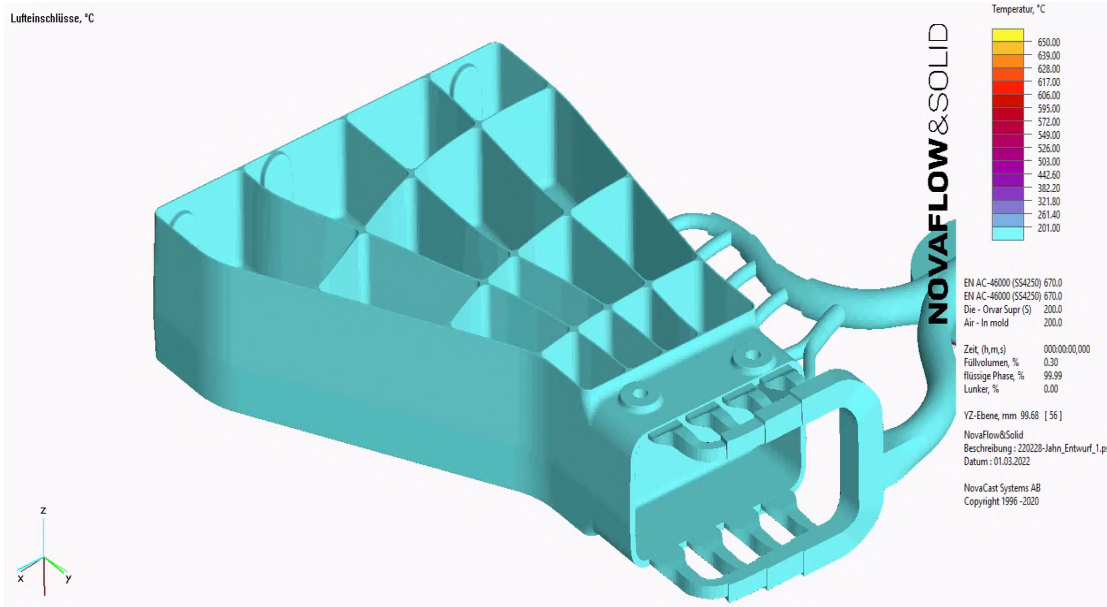
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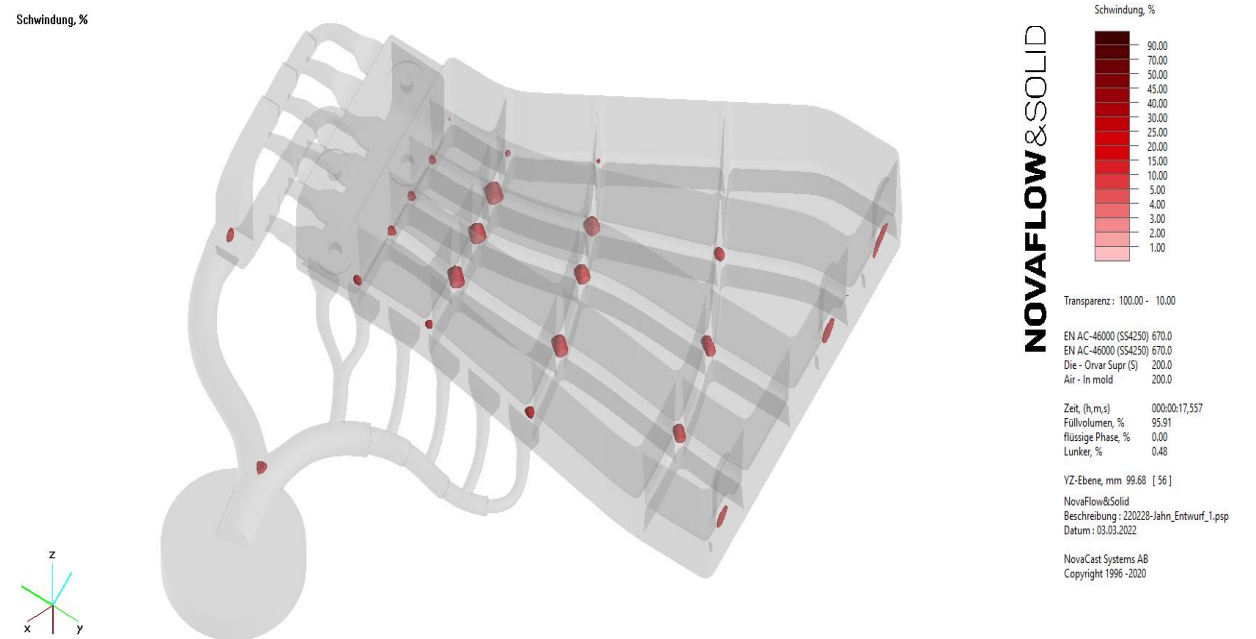




Luftschlüssel, °C



Schwindung, %





More details



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