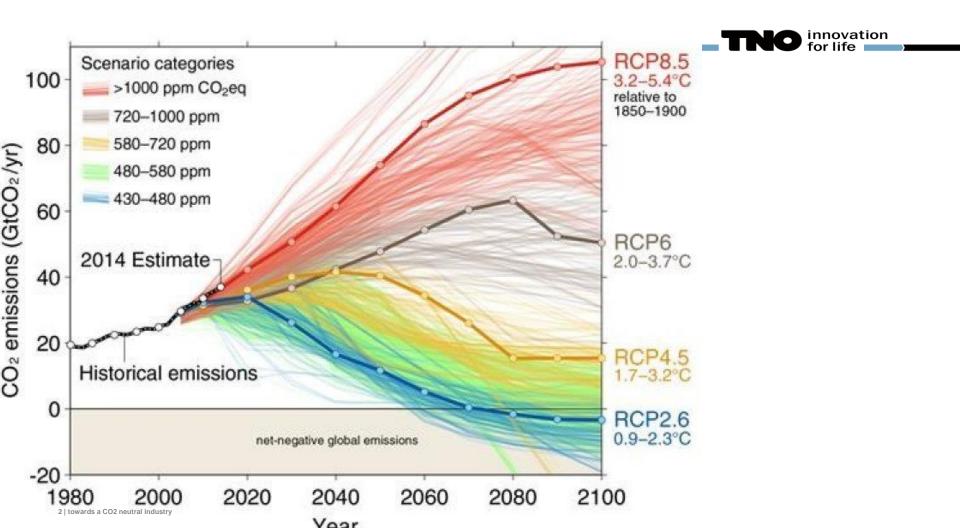
# CO2 capture



#### Prof. Dr. Earl Goetheer



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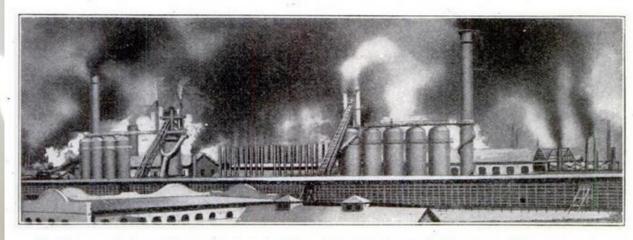
# Science Notes and News.

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ILLUSTRATION AND CAPTION ON COAL AND CLIMATE CHANGE FROM MARCH 1912 POPULAR MECHANICS.

3 | towards a CO2 neutral industry

## NIEUWE APELDOORNSCHE COURANT VAN VRIJDAG 8 JANUARI 1932.

# Koude en beschaving.

Londen, 5 Jan..... Dr. Robert Innes, een bekend Engelsch astronoom en meteoroloog, heeft in een zitting van de British Astronomical Associaton verklaard dat het klimaat v de wereld geleidelijk warmer wordt en da oorzaak daarvan te zoeken is in de toen de beschaving!

Het klimaat, verklaarde dr. Innes et af van den toestand van de atmosp' Kooldioxide in de lucht heeft hetzel ffect als een deken — het maakt het wessermer. De bezigheden van den beschaafden mensch — het verbruik van steenkolen en benzine bijvoorbeeld — veroorzaken kool-dioxide. Indien deze theorie juist is, dan beteekent dit, dat wij geen ouderwetsche strenge winters meer krijgen en dat de zomers geleidelijk warmer worden.

"Human activity, bv using coal and gasoline, creating carbon is dioxide. In case this (greenhouse theory effect) is correct, this means that we are not going to have strong winters anymore and that summers will gradually get warmer".

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# **Carbon Since the Creation**

After years in the doldrums, the EU ETS roared back to life in 2018

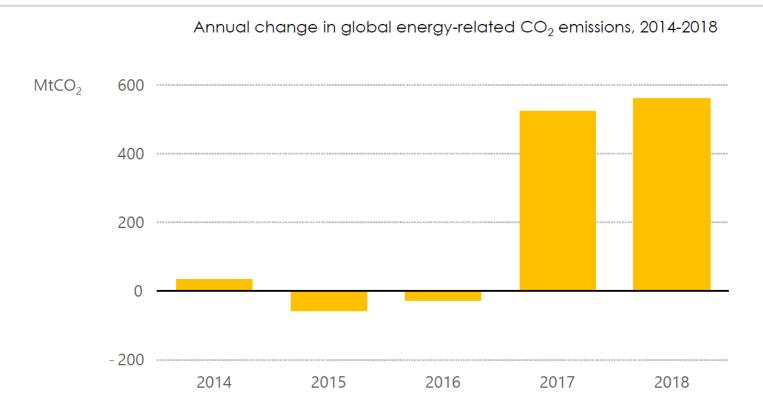


Source: ICE

Bloomberg

# Energy-related CO<sub>2</sub> emissions hit a record high...





Higher demand for fossil fuels drove up global CO<sub>2</sub> emissions for a second year after a brief hiatus. Increases in efficiency, renewables, coal-to-gas switching and nuclear avoided 640 Mt of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.

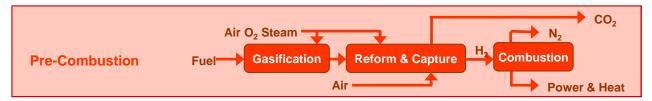
#### CO2 equivalent emission, % change as of 1990

Total emissions Industry emissions -80% -32% -95% 2016 

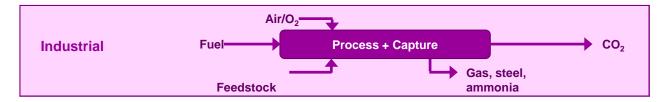
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## **MAIN CO2 CAPTURE TECHNIQUES**



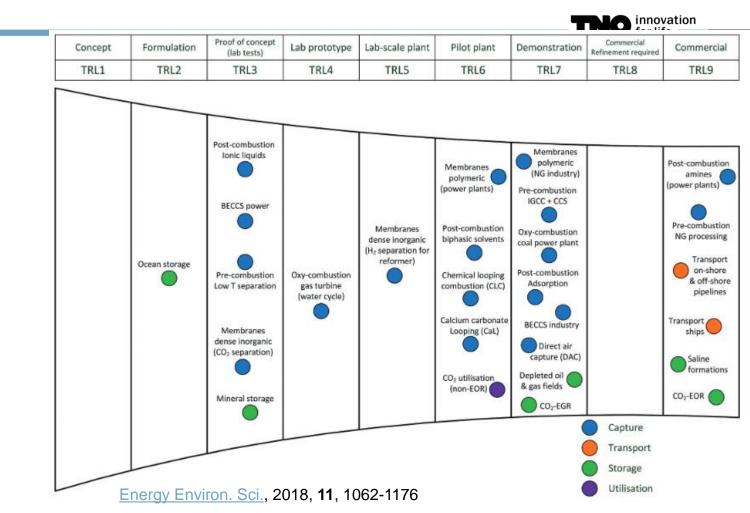






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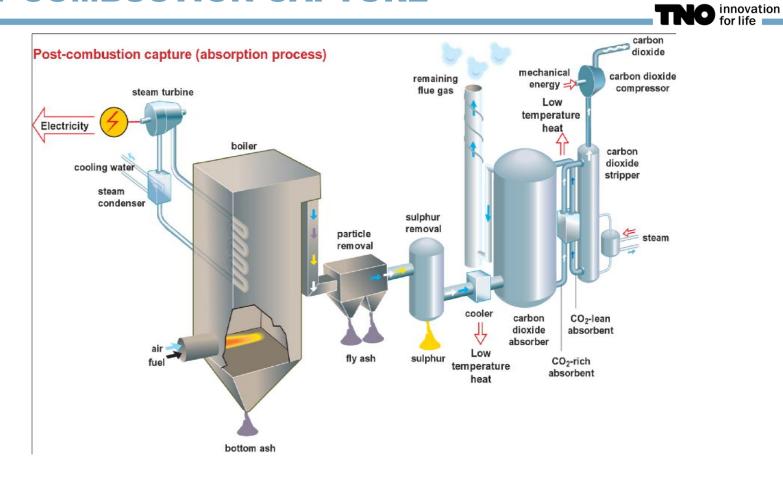


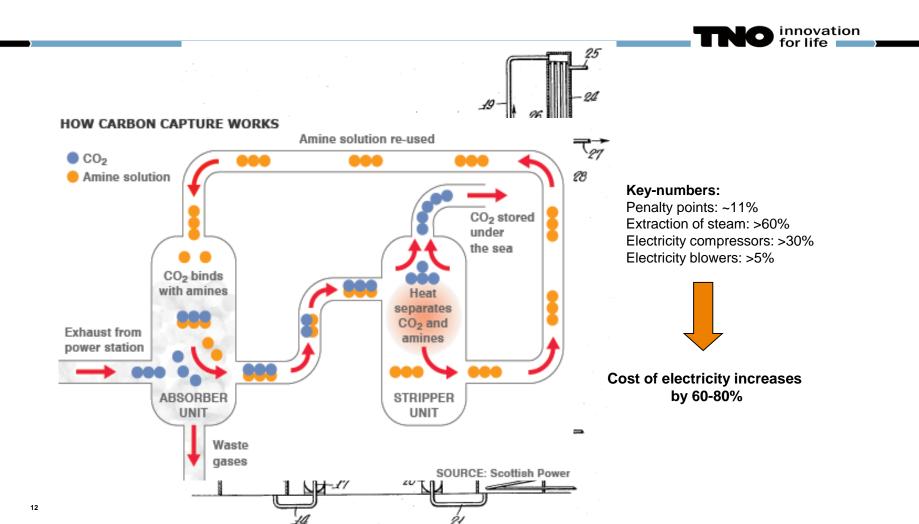
# **CO<sub>2</sub> CAPTURE ROUTES: CLASSIFICATION**

- **Post-combustion capture:** separation  $CO_2$ -N<sub>2</sub>
- Pre-combustion capture: separation  $CO_2$ -H<sub>2</sub>
- Oxyfuel combustion (Denitrogenation): separation  $O_2$ - $N_2$

	Post-comb. (flue gas)	Pre-comb. (shifted syngas)	Oxyfuel comb. (exhaust)
p (bar)	~1 bar	10-80	~1 bar
[CO <sub>2</sub> ] (%)	3-15%	20-40%	75-95%

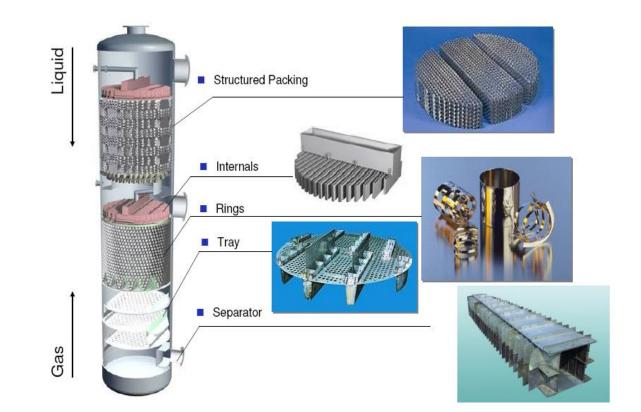
# **POST COMBUSTION CAPTURE**







# Mass transfer equipment



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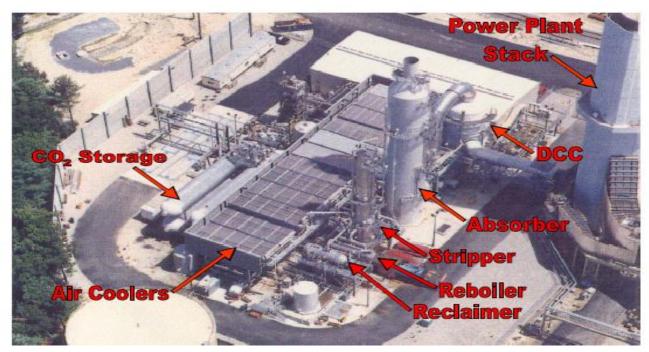
## **ROAD: MPP3**







#### **BELLINGHAM ECONAMINE FGSM AERIAL VIEW**



The plant design was based on air cooling only, hence the large bank of air coolers.

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**Functional groups** & design rules

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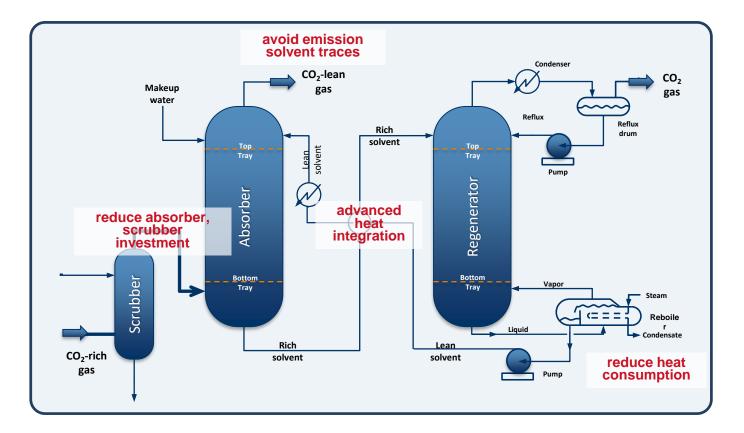
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# Challenges Post-combustion Capture

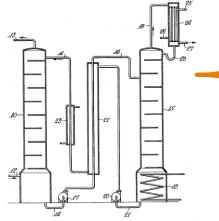


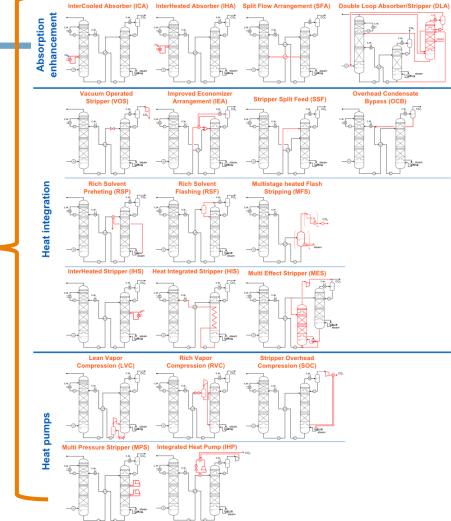
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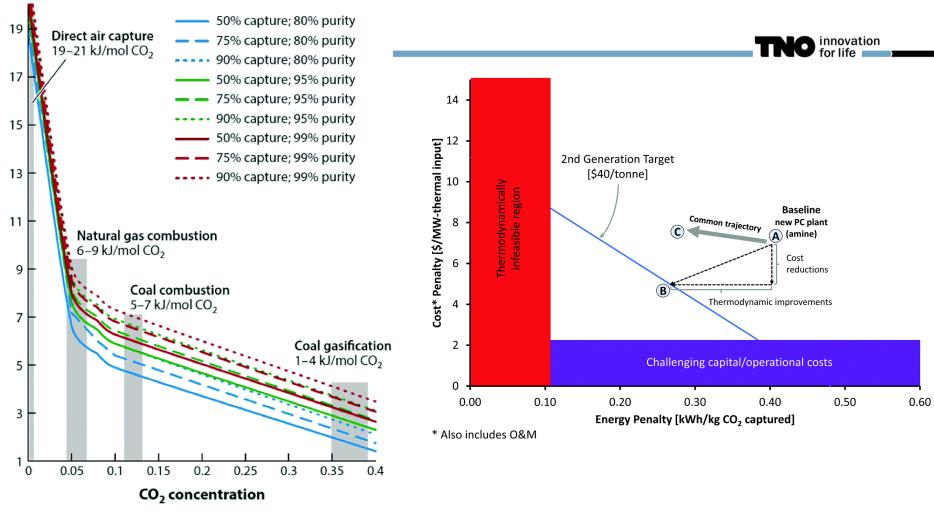
Solvent	Reboiler duty (GJ per t <sub>CO2</sub> )	Ref.
30 wt% MEA	3.6-4.0	Cousins et al., <sup>181</sup> Kwak et al., <sup>182</sup> Mangalapally and Hasse, <sup>183</sup> Stec et al. <sup>184</sup>
40 wt% MEA	3.1-3.3	Lemaire <i>et al.</i> <sup>205</sup>
40 wt% (8 molal) piperazine (PZ)	2.9	Cousins et al. <sup>196</sup>
Cansolv	2.3	Singh and Stéphenne <sup>13</sup>
32 wt% EDA	3.2-3.8	Mangalapally and Hasse, <sup>185</sup> Rabensteiner et al. <sup>204</sup>
28 wt% AMP + 17 wt% PZ	3.0-3.2	Mangalapally and Hasse, <sup>185</sup> Rabensteiner et al. <sup>186</sup>
MEA + MDEA (variable mix ratio)	2.0-3.7	Idem et al., <sup>227</sup> Sakwattanapong et al. <sup>231</sup>
Aqueous ammonia (NH <sub>3</sub> )	2.0-2.9*	Darde et al., <sup>232</sup> Dave et al., <sup>233</sup> Yang et al. <sup>234</sup>
Aqueous potassium carbonate (K <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> )	2.0-2.5	Anderson et al., $^{235,236}$ Smith et al. $^{237}$
Amino acids	2.4-3.4*	Sanchez-Fernandez et al. <sup>238,239</sup>
DEEA + MAPA	2.1-2.4	Raynal et al., <sup>240</sup> Liebenthal et al. <sup>241</sup>
DMCA + MCA + AMP	2.5 (not including extraction)	Zhang <sup>242</sup>

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# **Process**







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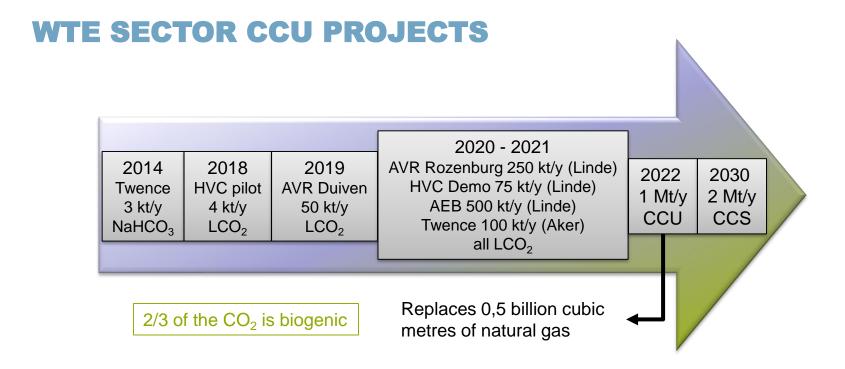
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Betuwe

**REPORTAGE** BROEIKAS ALS MESTSTOF

## Afgevangen CO2, waar laat je het? Tuinders, is het antwoord van AVR

Als eerste afvalenergiecentrale van Nederland gaat AVR grootschalig CO<sub>2</sub> afvangen. Tuinders zullen dit broeikasgas als meststof gebruiken. Het is een stap in de ontwikkeling van koolstof TECHNIEK MAAKT JE WERELD belangrijke pijler van het l **DE INGENIEUR** regeerakkoord.

Niels Waarlo 30 mei 2018. 0:01

Niimegen e.o. Achterhoek

## CO2 uit rookpluimen AVR gaat naar glastuinbouw

DUIVEN - AVR in Duiven gaat koolstofdioxide, CO2, uit de grote rookpluimen halen. Het bedrijf haalt al energie en warmte uit afval. Maar het broeikasgas dat bij de verbranding van restafval vrij komt, gaat nog steeds de lucht in.

Suzanne Huibers 01-06-18, 06:58

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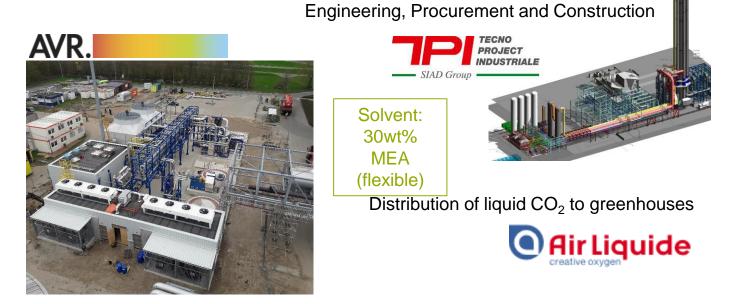
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# **AFVALENERGIECENTRALE IN DUIVEN GAAT CO2** AFVANGEN

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## **AVR DUIVEN**







## **TWENCE**

#### Existing 4 kt/y CO<sub>2</sub> capture unit



#### Basic engineering ready 100 kt/y





#### Aker Solutions levert installatie voor afvangen en vervloeien CO2 12-apr-2019

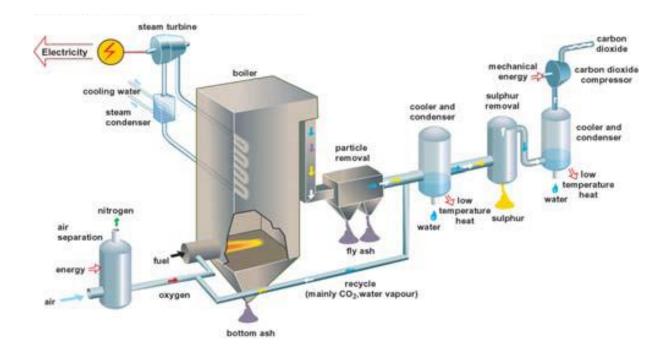
Twence wil uit de rookgassen van de afvalenergiecentrale (AEC) grootschalig CO2 afvangen en geschikt maken voor nuttig gebruik. Deze CO2 wordt dan niet meer direct uitgestoten, maar hergebruikt. In dit innovatieve en omvangrijke project heeft het Noorse Aker Solutions de aanbesteding gewonnen voor het leveren van de installatie voor het afvangen en vervloeien van de CO2. De contracten hiervoor zijn recent getekend.







## **OXYFUEL**



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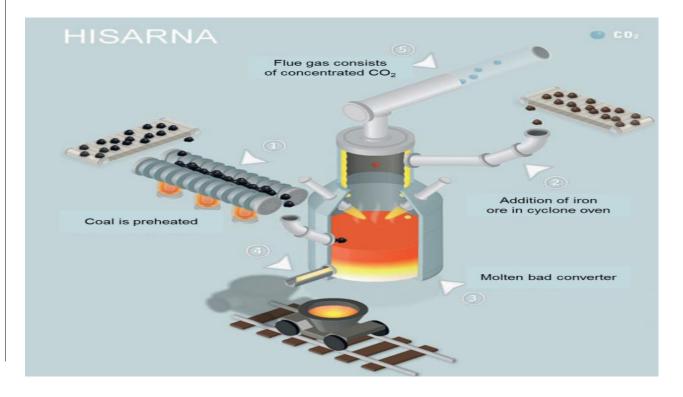






## HISARNA

HIsarna concept is based on a smelting iron reduction process









### **3. HIsarna technology** Benefits of the HIsarna process



#### Environmental:

- 20 % reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> per ton steel product
- Well suited for CO<sub>2</sub> storage (nitrogen free off gas)
- 80 % reduction with CO<sub>2</sub> storage
- Substantial reduction of other emissions (dust, NOx, SOx, CO)

#### Economical:

- Low cost raw material
- Reduced CAPEX

#### TATA STEEL





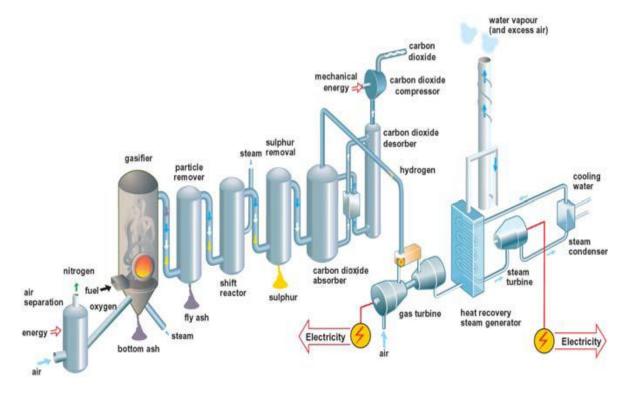


## **PILOT HISARNA**





## PRECOMBUSTION



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# **H-vision** Blue hydrogen for a green future

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### The H-vision project

#### Goal

 Large-scale production of blue hydrogen to achieve a step change in emissions in the Rotterdam port area to help realise climate goals

#### Approach

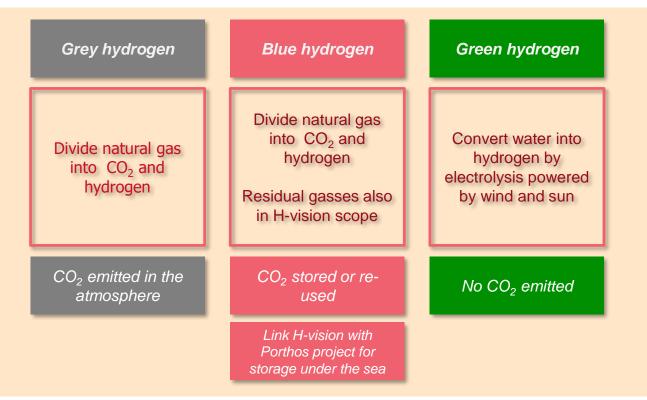
- Sixteen parties from the Rotterdam port area are working together to investigate the feasability of the production and application of blue hydrogen in the industry
- Positive outcomes of a pilot will result in a substantial project for large scale supply of blue hydrogen before 2030
- The sixteen participants represent the full hydrogen chain: from production to end-users

#### Potential CO<sub>2</sub>-reduction

2 million tons in 2025, ascending to 6 million tons per year in 2030



# **GREY, BLUE AND GREEN**



# **H-VISION SIGNIFICANCE**

- Increase of grey hydrogen leads to incease of green house gasses
- Green hydrogen is climate neutral. To generate the required amounts of green hydrogen, more green electricity is needed than will become available in the coming decades
- Large scale blue hydrogen usable before 2030
- Substantial impact on the carbon budget
  - Like in a bathtub, the atmosphere will be filled with green house gasses
  - IPCC recent climate report: within the current trend, if we want to remain within the 2°C goal the world only has 25 years of carbon budget left



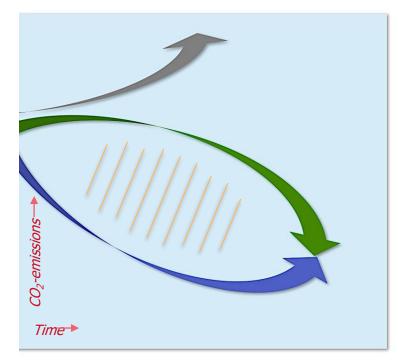


Illustration demonstrates the impact levels from emissions by the three different qualities of hydrogen.

Shaded area demonstrates the  $CO_2$  reductions that can be achieved with blue hydrogen in the short term.

### **ACCELERATOR AND PIONEER**



- By speeding up CO<sub>2</sub>-reductions H-vision accelerates the energy transition
- Potential CO<sub>2</sub>-reduction of 2 million tons in 2025, ascending to 6 million tons annually in 2030
- Blue hydrogen paves the way for the infrastructure needed for green hydrogen and installations of end-users (no lock-in)
- H-vision plants provide a back-up system within a large scale green hydrogen economy

## **BLUE HYDROGEN COSTS**

- With blue hydrogen, substantial reductions in CO<sub>2</sub>-emissions can be achieved quickly and cost efficient
- CO<sub>2</sub> abatement for H-vision is part of the feasability study
- Studies blue hydrogen:
  - 110-150 €/tons CO<sub>2</sub> (Sintef)
  - 110-130 €/tons CO<sub>2</sub> (Berenschot and TNO)
  - 140 €/tons CO<sub>2</sub> (studie "Waterstofroutes Nederland")
- Studies green hydrogen:
  - nearly 700 €/tons CO<sub>2</sub> (CE-Delft)
- Results of the feasability study will provide more clarity on the costs for H-vision, early 2019



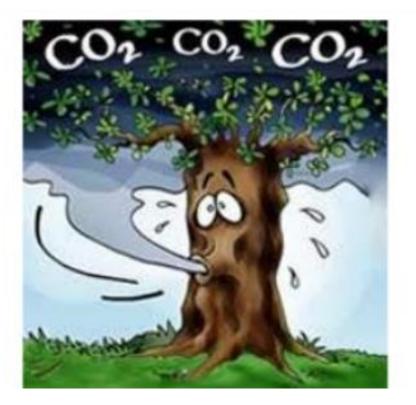
#### PORTHOS (ROTTERDAM)



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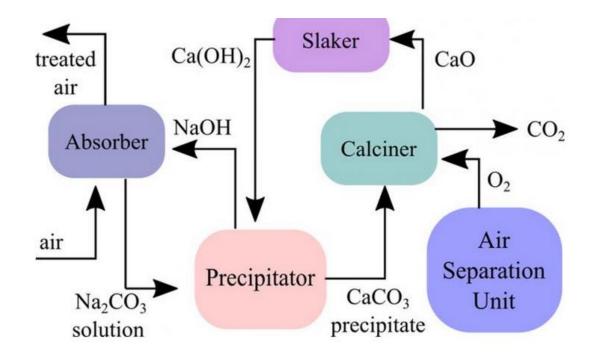


#### **AIR CAPTURE**





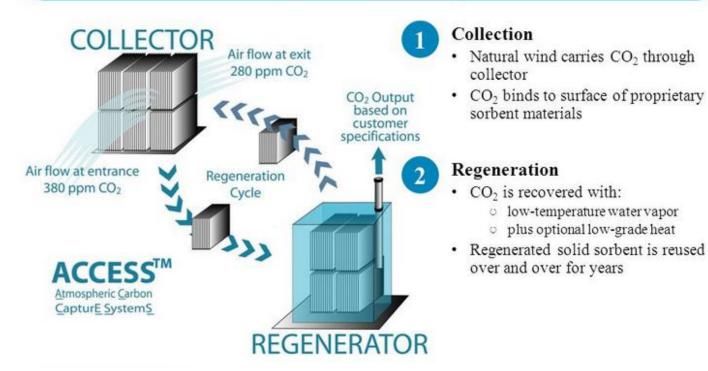
#### **CAPTURE OPTIONS**



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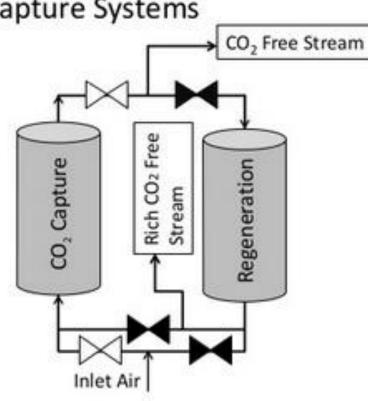
## Air Capture: Collection & Regeneration

#### Ion exchange resin as sorbent, regeneration with humidity



#### Dry Air Capture Systems

- Adsorption/Chemisorpti on process
- Regeneration needed
- Degradation of sorbents in cycles





Crucial is modularisation and

Clime workx

creating low energy consuming air flow through the capture devices

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#### **FINANCE & INNOVATION**

Bill Gates Is Investing in a Technology That Turns CO2 into Clean Fuel

# Bill Gates is planning to strip CO2 from the air and turn it into clean fuel

## How Bill Gates aims to c planet

It's a simple idea: strip CO2 from the air and u carbon-neutral fuel. But can it work on an inc

## Bill Gates haalt CO2 uit de lucht en maakt er brandstof van

Lucht veranderen in benzine: het klinkt misschien te mooi om waar te zijn, maar Microsoft-topman Bill Gates hoopt op deze manier de opwarming van de aarde een halt toe te roepen.

#### Sustainable Energy

# Maybe we can afford to suck CO<sub>2</sub> out of the sky after all

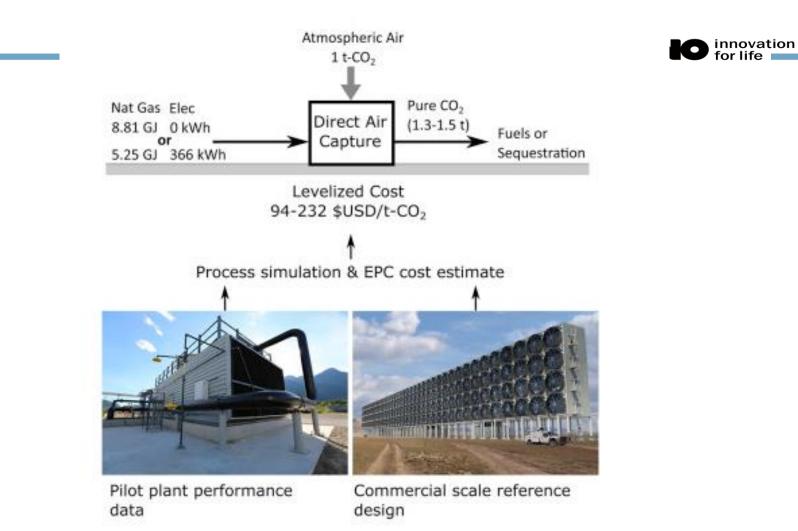
A new analysis shows that air capture could cost less than \$100 a ton.

# Key 'step forward' in cutting cost of removing CO2 from air

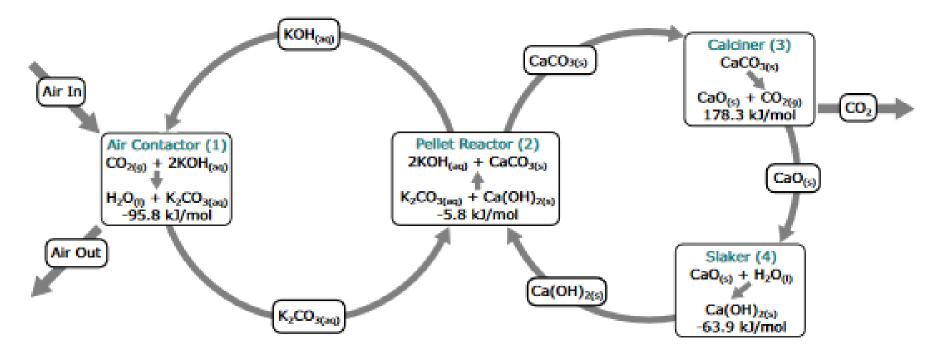
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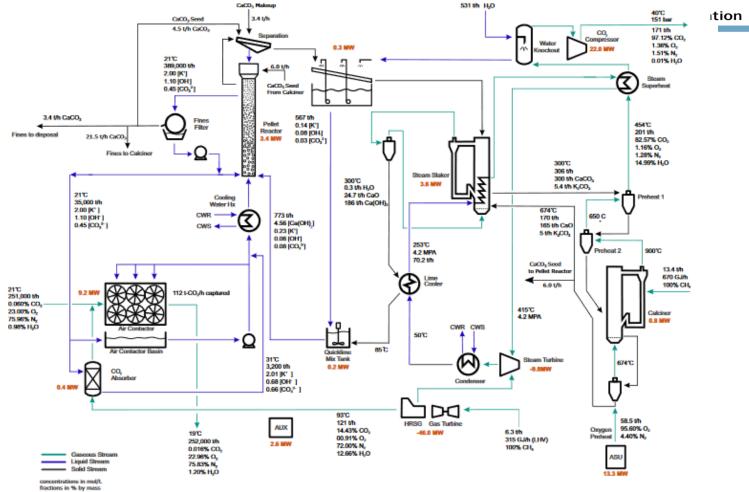
The pilot plant has been built in British Columbia and is extracting about a tonne of CO2 every day







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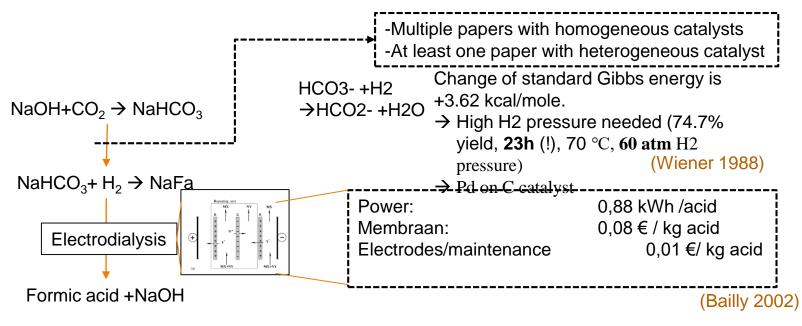
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#### **OUR APPROACH**

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#### Electrodialysis route to Formic acid & NaOH

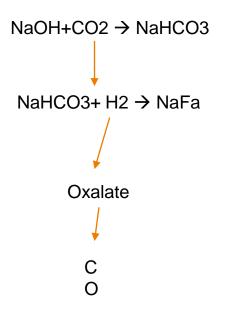


Formic acid price (85%): 0,55 €/kg → 100%: 0,64 €/kg

(https://www.icis.com/resources/news/2006/07/26/ 2015258/chemical-profile-formic-acid/)



#### Sodium formate to oxalate to CO



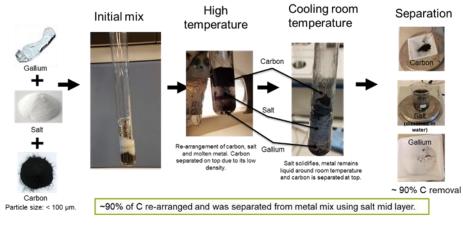
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- Conversion to Oxalate is preferred at 350-400°C (otherwise alkali metal formate will go to carbonate and eventually CO<sub>2</sub> 2HCOOM→ M<sub>2</sub>C<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>+H<sub>2</sub>
- Oxalate decomposes to carbonate & CO  $M_2C_2O_4 \leftrightarrow M_2CO_3 + CO$
- Nitrogen atmosphere gives oxalate, oxygen atmosphere give carbonate.
  (Meisel 1975)

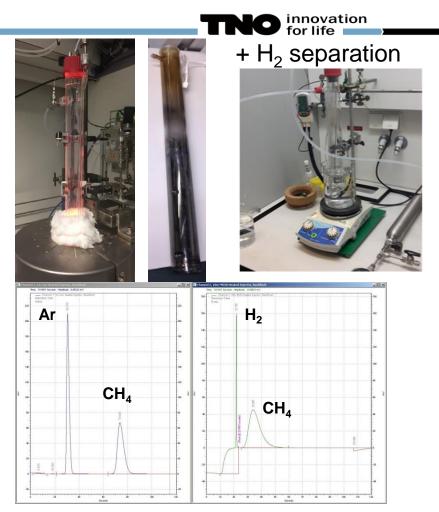
Valid for lithium, sodium, potassium, rubidium & caesium formates

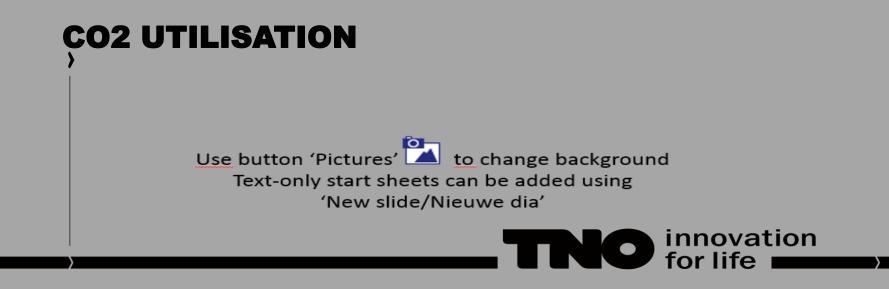
#### **DECARBONIZED HYDROGEN PRODUCTION**

Methane reforming*	$CH_4 + H_2O \rightarrow CO + 3H_2$	206 KJ/mol
CO <sub>2</sub> reforming	$CH_4 + CO_2 \rightarrow 2CO + 2H_2$	247 KJ/mol
Hydrolysis	$H_2O \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}O_2 + H_2$	283 KJ/mol
Pyrolysis	$CH_4 \rightarrow C + 2H_2$	75 KJ/mol
Costs (Eur/ ton) * Water gas shift accompanies this reaction resulting	<b>150 - 400 200 - 1000 1500 - 3000</b> In production of CO <sub>2</sub>	



Who: Rajat, Marco, Willem, Hans, Arjen, Earl.





#### **EXAMPLES OF CO<sub>2</sub> CONVERSION PRODUCTS**

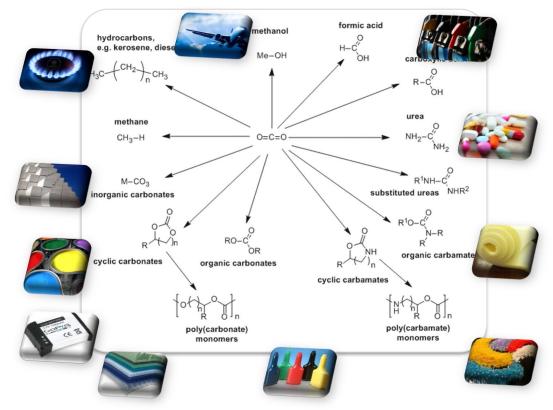


Chart source: "Carbon capture and utilization in the green economy," Center for Low Carbon Futures, 2011

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#### Using unwanted $CO_2$ is a seductive idea but...





Source: Graham Turner for the Guardian







Source: JMR\_Photograp



- People assume that "geological storage is costly and simply hides our waste; it's like landfill"
- "CO<sub>2</sub> is a **valuable resource**; we're running out of carbon"
- "CO<sub>2</sub> utilisation **makes money** from normal consumer demand not from artificial markets like CO<sub>2</sub> certificates"
- "CO<sub>2</sub> utilisation stimulates **innovation** and competitiveness and will generate green growth"

# There are reasons to be cautious:

- What if CO<sub>2</sub> utilisation doesn't prevent emissions?
- Extracting carbon from CO<sub>2</sub> requires lots of extra energy
- Many products from CO<sub>2</sub> utilisation are low volume
- Competitiveness on its own is not energy policy

CCU contribution to CO<sub>2</sub> emissions reduction needs to be demonstrated on life-cycle basis



#### **CONVERSION TECHNOLOGIES**

1. Catalytic Hydrogenation



2. Direct Electrochemical

3. Polymerization

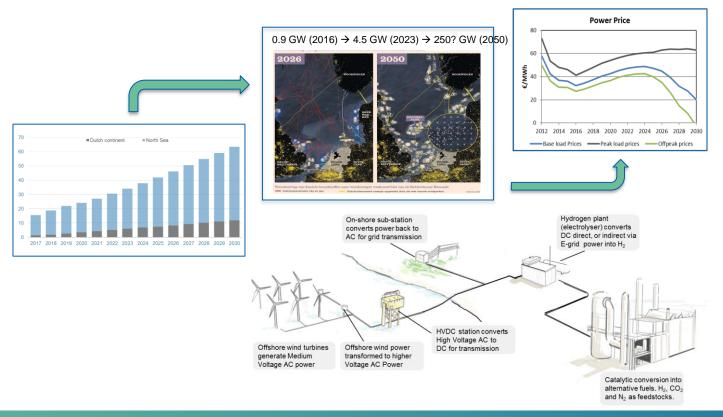
4. Biochemical

#### 5. Mineralisation

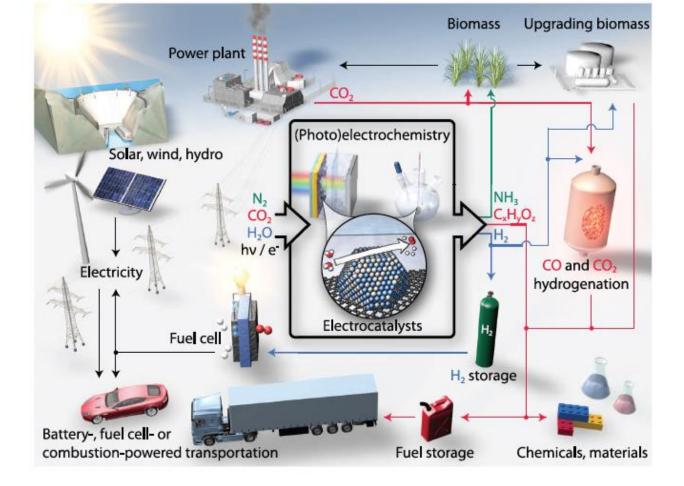




## **RENEWABLES WILL CREATE OPPORTUNITIES**









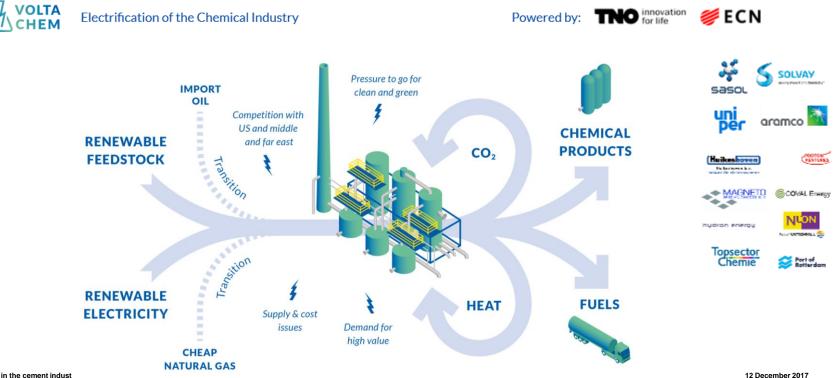
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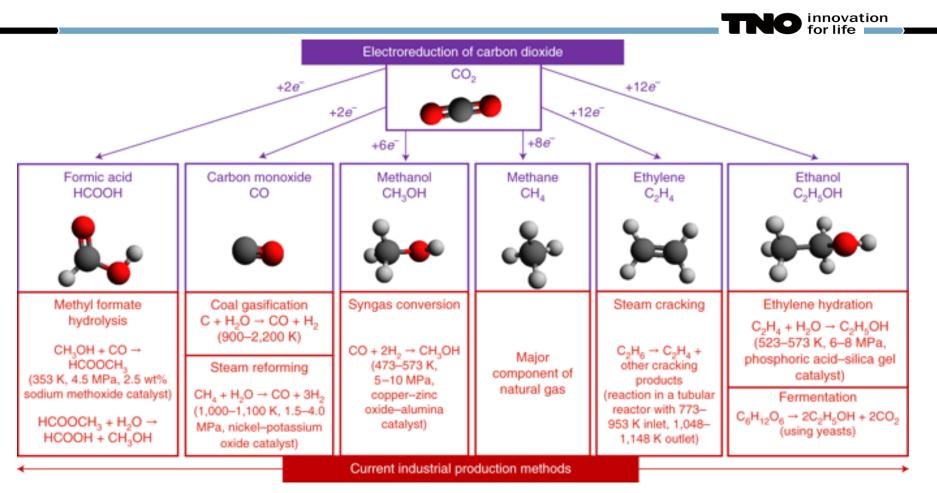
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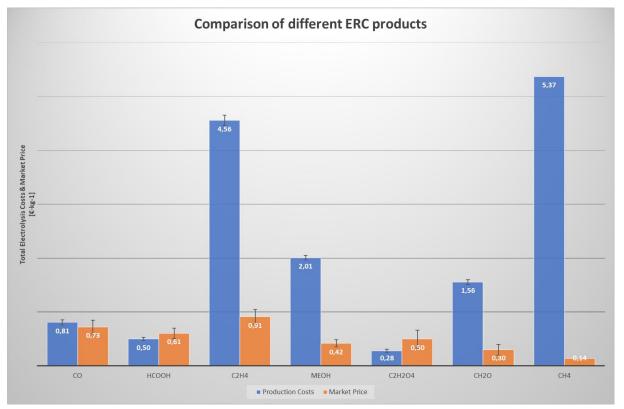
#### **C1 CHEMISTRY: FUTURE VISION**





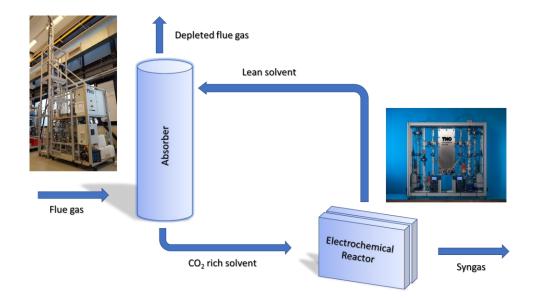
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## DIRECT ELECTROCHEMICAL REDUCT



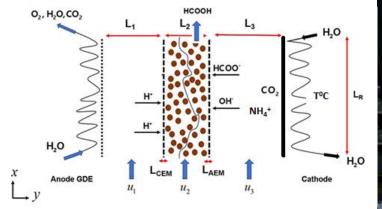


## **INTEGRATION CO<sub>2</sub> CAPTURE AND CONVERSION**





## **CO<sub>2</sub> ELECTROLYSIS IN AMMONIA ELECTROLYTE CONCEPT**





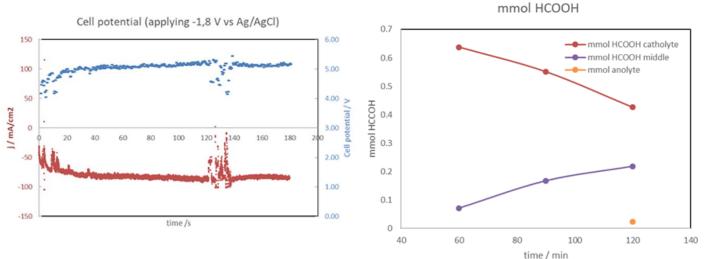
- CO<sub>2</sub> rich ammonia loaded at the catholyte
- Formate produced by electrolysis
- Formic acid separated in situ in the middle compartment

Formate is synthesized at the cathode, H<sup>+</sup> at the anode and they combine in the middle to form formic acid!



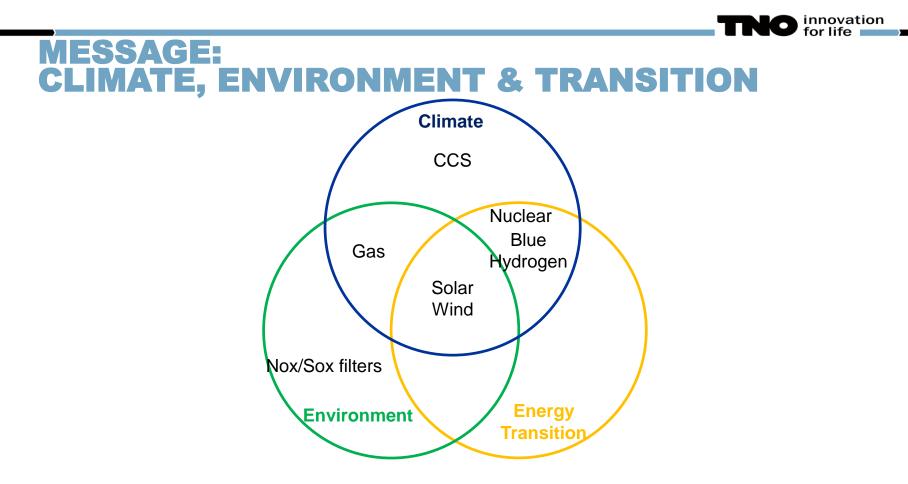
#### **EXPERIMENTAL PROOF OF CONCEPT**

#### IN SITU SEPARATION FORMIC ACID FROM AN AMMONIA SOLUTION



Chronoamperometry at -1.8 V vs Ag/AgCl Temperatures: Warm up cathode at 85°C Cool down catholyte at 15°C









#### **FINAL MESSAGE:**



In the Netherlands, the signs are on green

at least today...

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