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Carbon Capture and Storage Finansanalytikeres Forening

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- More than 18 years of experience in the energy industry, with a focus on CCUS Technologies.
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Helping scale CCS – 200+ projects in past 10 years

CAPTURE



- Fossil power plants
- Natural gas CO₂ reduction
- Other industrial processes
- · Cost estimations
- · Introduction of new technologies
- Technology review and benchmarking
- · Up-scaling risk assessment
- HSE risk assessment
- Accidental release and dispersion
- Value of avoided CO₂

TRANSPORT



- Pipelines
- Ships
- Corrosion
- · Material selection and structural design
- Flow assurance and operational issues
- Accidental release and dispersion
- Concept design for CO₂ ships
- Requalification of infrastructure

STORAGE



- Depleted oil or gas reservoirs
- Saline aquifers
- Enhanced oil recovery (EOR)
- Verification of storage sites
- Permanence of storage
- Risk management
- Monitoring and verification
- Public concern
- Transfer of responsibility

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 - Storage capacity and distribution globally
- 5. Cost of a CCS value chain



1. General Introduction



Carbon Capture Utilization and Storage



Current CCUS volume and future projections

- CCS facilities currently in operation can capture and permanently store around 40 Mt of CO₂ every year.
- In the latest IEA Net Zero Emission scenario CCUS will total up to 7,6 Gt/yr which is a scale up of 190 times compared to today volume
- DNV projections, based on current trends, policies and technology progress, show that by 2050 CCS will account for about 2,1 Gt/yr (ETO 2020).



IEA Scenarios and DNV projection (Gt/yr)

SDS = Sustainable Development

CCUS project map Industrial applications



Today, there are 135 (+71 in 2021) commercial CCS facilities:

- 27 are operating
- 4 are in construction
- 58 are reaching advanced development
- 44 are in early development
- 2 are suspended

2. CO₂ Capture



Definition of CO₂ capture

Separation of the CO_2 from a gas stream produced in a power station or an industrial process to obtain pure CO_2 for geological sequestration or further use.

Typically it includes the following steps:

- Separation of the CO₂ with a variety of technologies
- Purification of the separated CO₂ to meet transport and storage requirements
- Compression and liquefaction depending on transport method



Post, pre, and oxy-combustion



Where:

- Coal, biomass power plants,
- Gas turbines
- Industrial facilities
- Waste-to-energy plants

- Integrated Gasifier Combined Cycles (IGCC)
- Hydrogen production Steam Methane Reforming

- Coal and biomass fired power plants,
- Gas turbines (Allam Cycle)
- Industrial facilities (glass, cement)

Several separation technologies are available



Amine-based absorption technology



Membrane separation technology



Sources: CO2CRC; Kearney Energy Transition Institute analysis

Pressure swing absorption technology



Liquid or supercritical CO₂ (cryogenic) distillation



Require to be regenerated: pressure swing, temperature swing, moisture swing, or a combination thereof

Source: Kearney Energy Transition institute analysis

Which separation technology?

Depends on the application



Some examples:

- Flue gas from coal power plant: low pressure, low/medium concentration, high pollutants (SOx, NOx, dust)
- Syngas from SMR: high pressure, medium/high concentration
- Cement plant: low pressure, medium/high concentration, many pollutants

Maturity of CO₂ capture technologies



Separation using liquid solvents

Absorption-desorption cycles using either chemical or physical solvents

Demonstrated at large scale: Demonstration underway: Coal/Gas/Waste **Biomass power CO**₂ **CLEAN GAS** Gas processing Cement Solvent System **Petro-Chemical** (Blue Hydrogen, Ammonia) Absorber Desorber Steel **Bio-ethanol GAS WITH CO**₂

Integration of amine-based separation processes

Requirements:

- Thermal energy for solvent regeneration typically medium pressure steam
- Utilities: Cooling Water / Electricity / Demi-water / Steam
- Periodic reclaiming and make-up of solvent because it degrades (causes: high temp., O₂, NO_x, SO_x)
- Degraded solvent need to be disposed as waste

Advantages:

- Easy to retrofit (end of pipe solution)
- Mature and available form several vendors on the market
- Easy to operate

Downsides:

- High energy demand (2,5-4 MJ/kg of CO₂ captured) -> high OPEX
- Emission of cleaned flue-gas needs to be controlled
- Adds permitting and HSE requirements of a chemical plant

Carbon Capture technologies – innovations

Several new concepts are being developed

New solvents



- More Env. friendly
- Easily scalable •

3. CO₂ Transport



CO₂ Transport

Pipeline



Volumes: cost effective for large volumes, high CAPEX, low OPEX

Distances: long distances

Transformation for transport: Compression under the form of supercritical fluid

Ship



Volumes: technically feasible to transport large volumes, low CAPEX, high OPEX

Distance: long distances

Transformation for transport: liquefaction¹

Railcars



Volumes: costeffective for small and medium volumes, low capex, high opex

Distances: over long distances

Transformation for transport: Liquefaction¹

Trucks



Volumes: cost effective for very small volumes, low capex, high opex

Distances: traveling short distances

Transformation for transport: liquefaction¹

4. CO₂ Storage



CO_2 Storage Different options for CO_2 storage



$\begin{array}{l} CO_2 \ Storage \\ CO_2 \ Storage \ resources \ (millions \ of \ tonnes) \ of \ major \ oil \ and \ gas \ fields \end{array}$



Geological storage resources for CO_2 in saline formations is hundreds of times larger than the resources of oil or gas fields shown in this figure.

STORAGE CAPACITY GLOBALLY IS NOT A CONSTRAINT



5. Cost of CCS



Cost of a CCS project

Cost range for capture, compression & dehydration, transport, storage and monitoring & verification (USD/ t_{CO2})



Cost of CO₂ capture (not including transport & storage) by sector and initial CO₂ concentration (IEA 2019)

USD/tonne



Source: https://www.iea.org/commentaries/is-carbon-capture-too-expensive

Cost of CO₂ transport Pipeline vs Shipping



Cost of CO₂ Storage

€/tonne CO2 stored



Ons = On Shore Offs = Off Shore DOGF = Depleted Oil / Gas Fields SA = Saline Aquifers Leg = With Legacies* NoLeg = No Legacy

Low

Medium

High

* "With Legacies" means existing wells that are re-usable for the storage process



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