

How ship-based CCS supports the transition to future fuels

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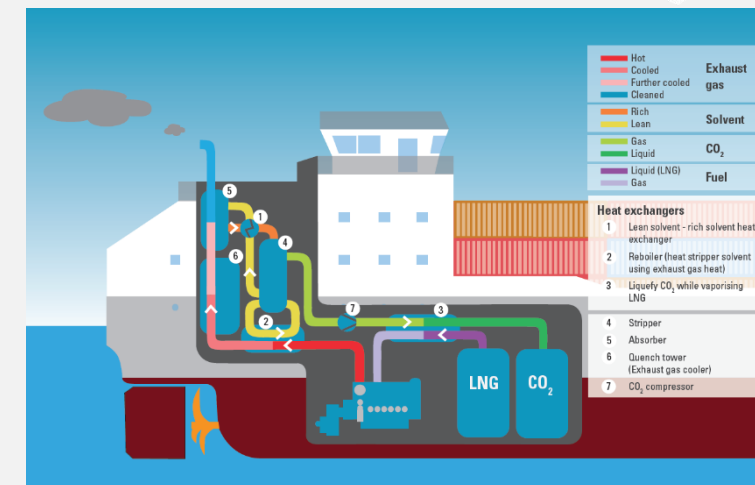
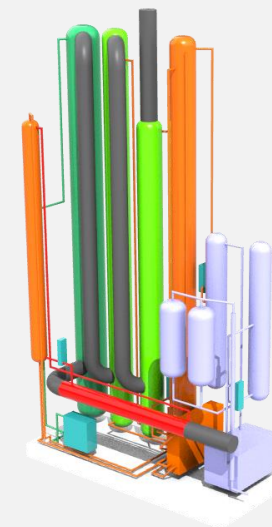
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**CAPTURING CO₂, CH₄ AND NO_x
FOR ZERO-EMISSION
LNG-FUELED VESSELS**

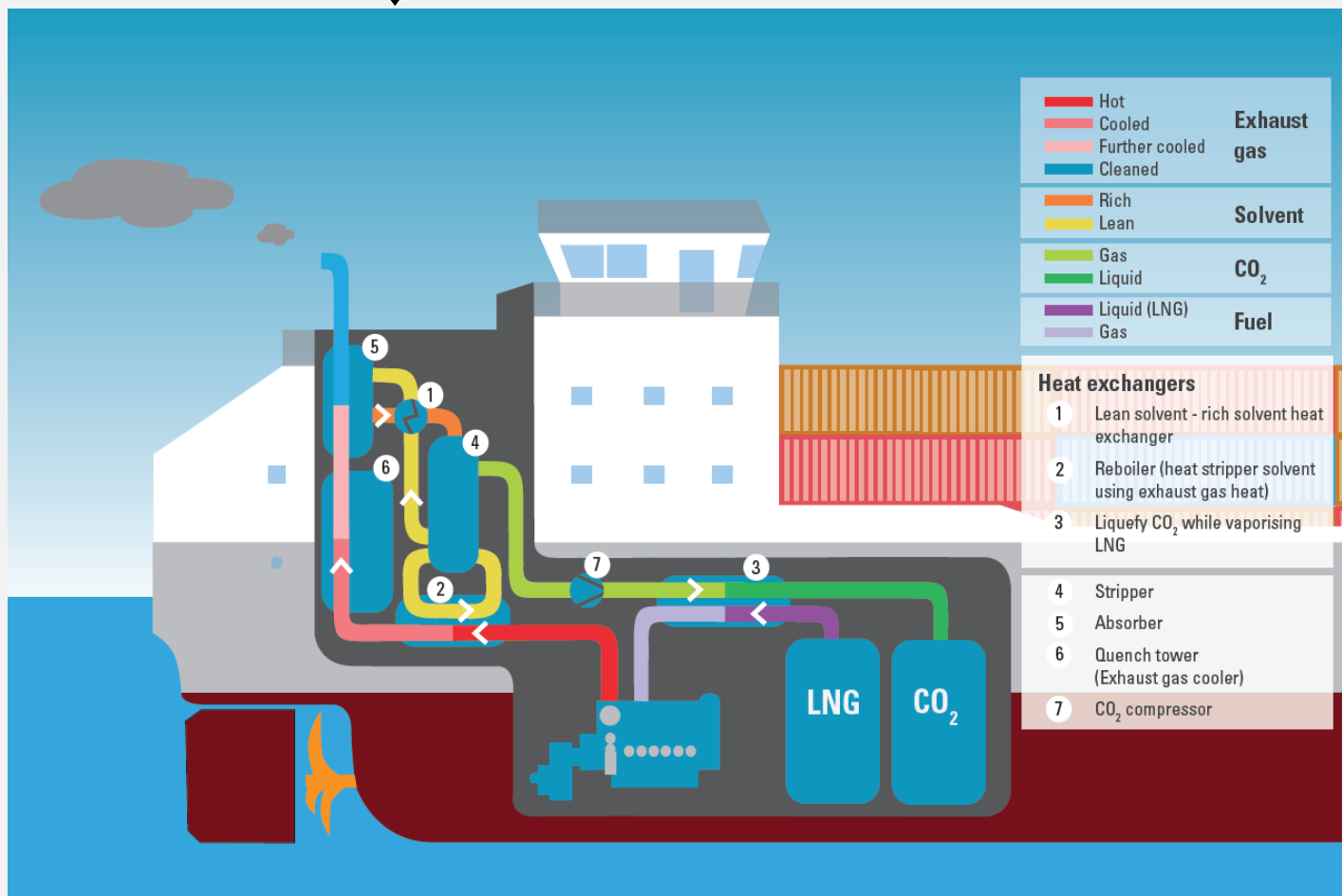
BY GUUS VAN DER BLES

Conoship Int. , Groningen, Netherlands

- Ship Design office started 1952
 - > 2000 vessels built of our design
 - **Focus R&D:** eCONOmy & eCOlogy
 - Reduction of fuel & emissions
 - Propulsion on LNG/MeOH/H₂
 - Wind Assisted Ship Propulsion
 - **CO₂ capturing on board**
- ⇒ Practical applicable innovations



CHALLENGES: CAPTURING & STORING CO₂ ON BOARD



Capturing CO₂:

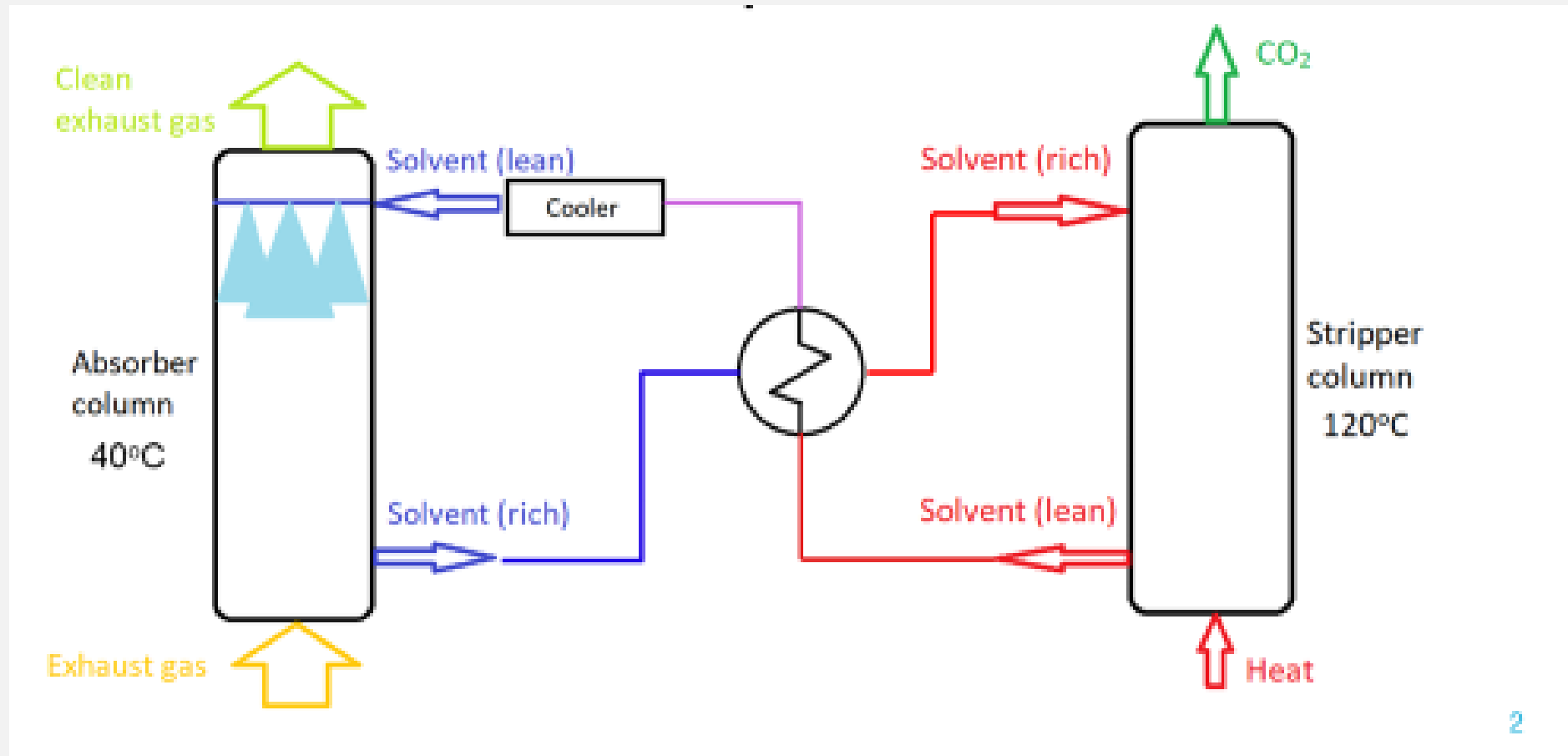
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- proven technology
- land-based plants:
- size/weight/roll&pitch-effects?

Storing CO₂ on board:

- Liquid: -20 C @ 20 bar in tank(/-containers)
- Energy for cooling? => cool CO₂ with LNG

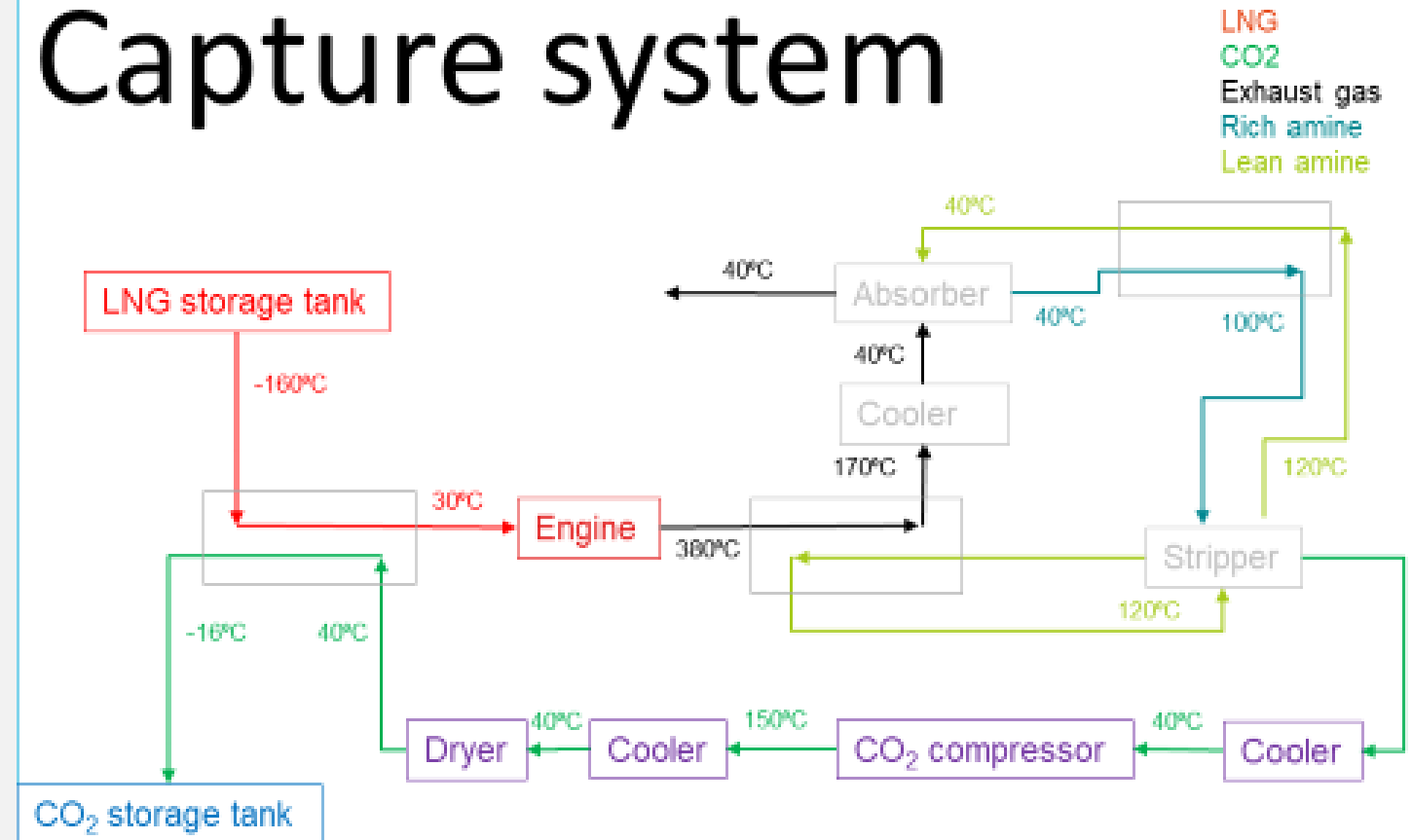
HOW DOES CARBON CAPTURE WORK

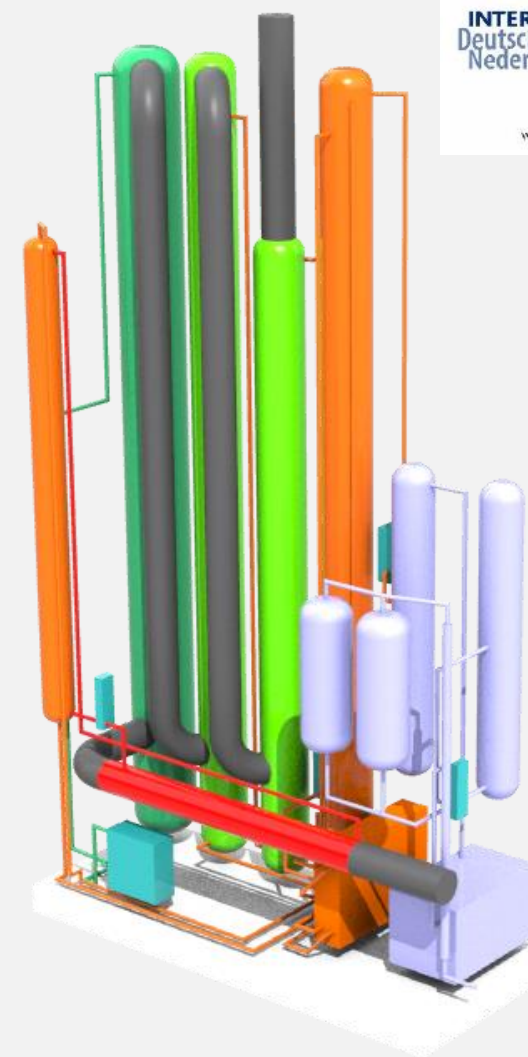
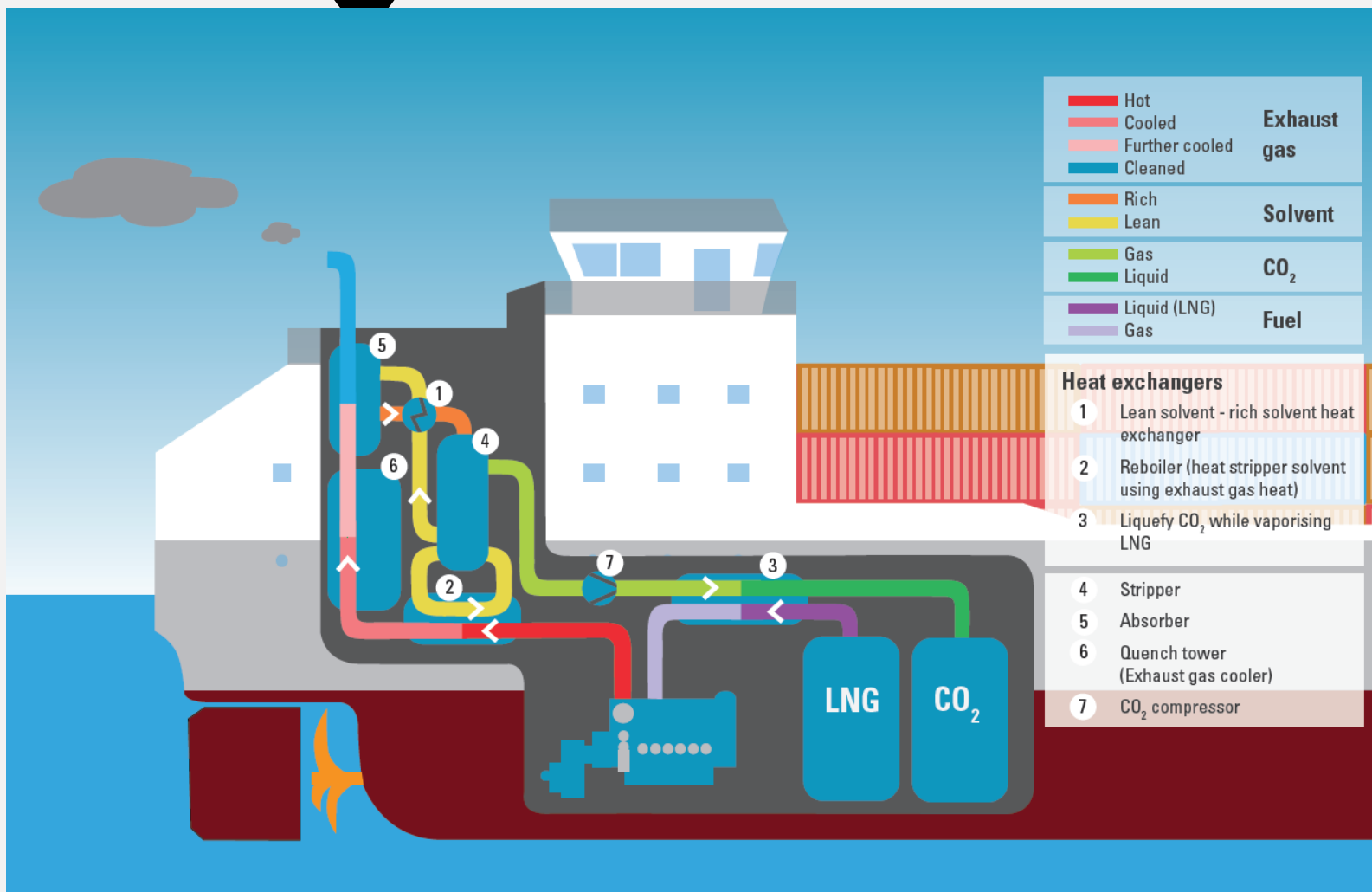


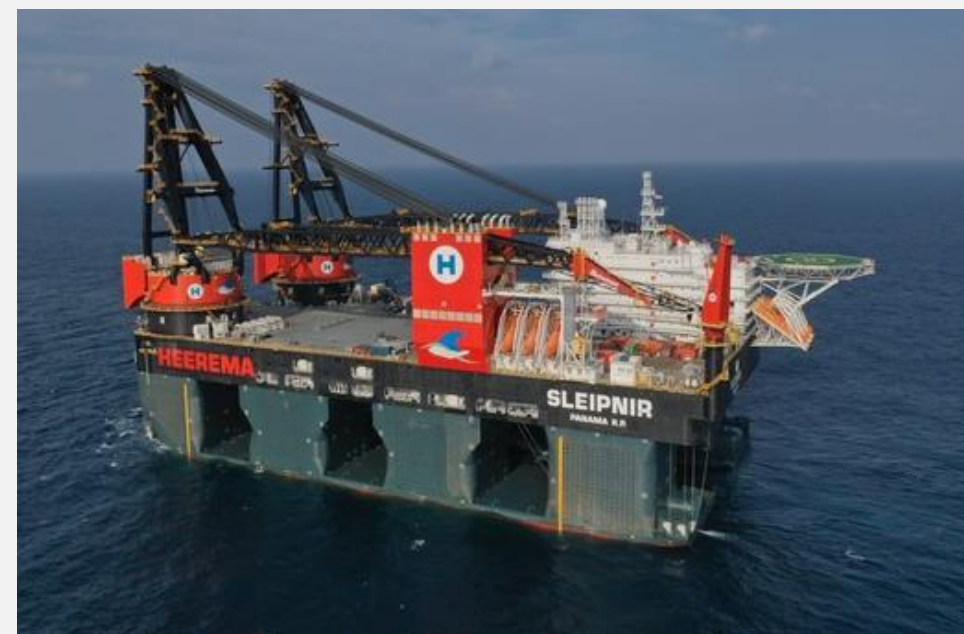
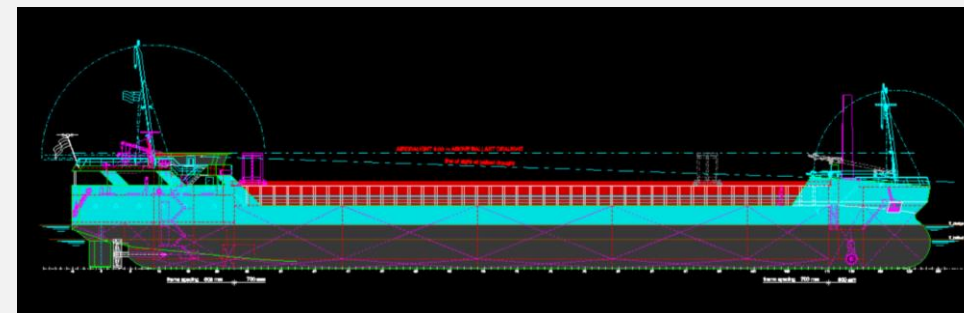
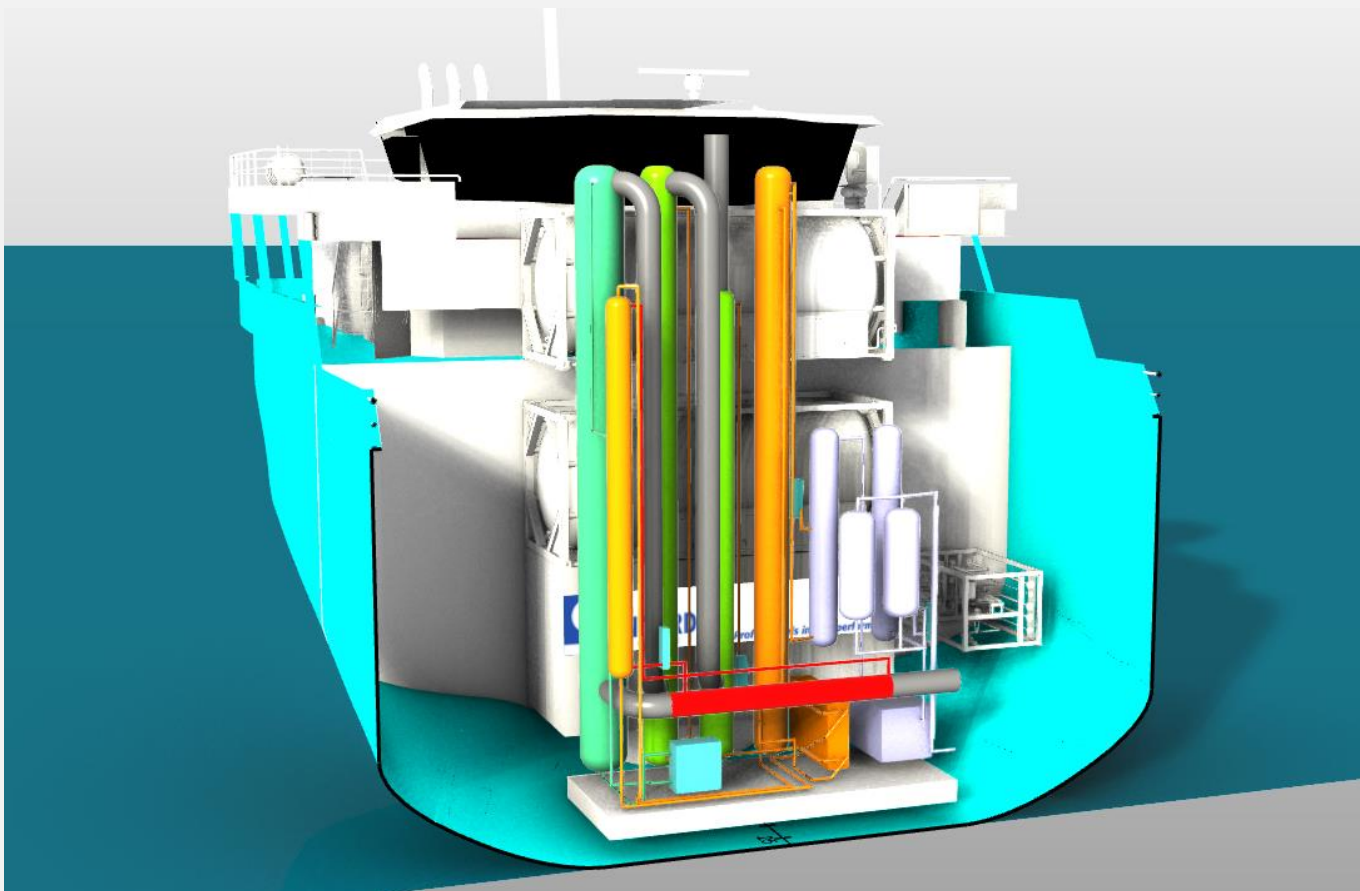
Combining carbon capture with LNG:

- Exhaust gases from LNG contain little contaminants (SO_x, NO_x, particulate matter) => less complicated capture
- CO₂ needs cooling to be stored: LNG is a cold source
- 163 C -> -20 C @ 20 bar
or -50 C @ 8 bar

Capture system

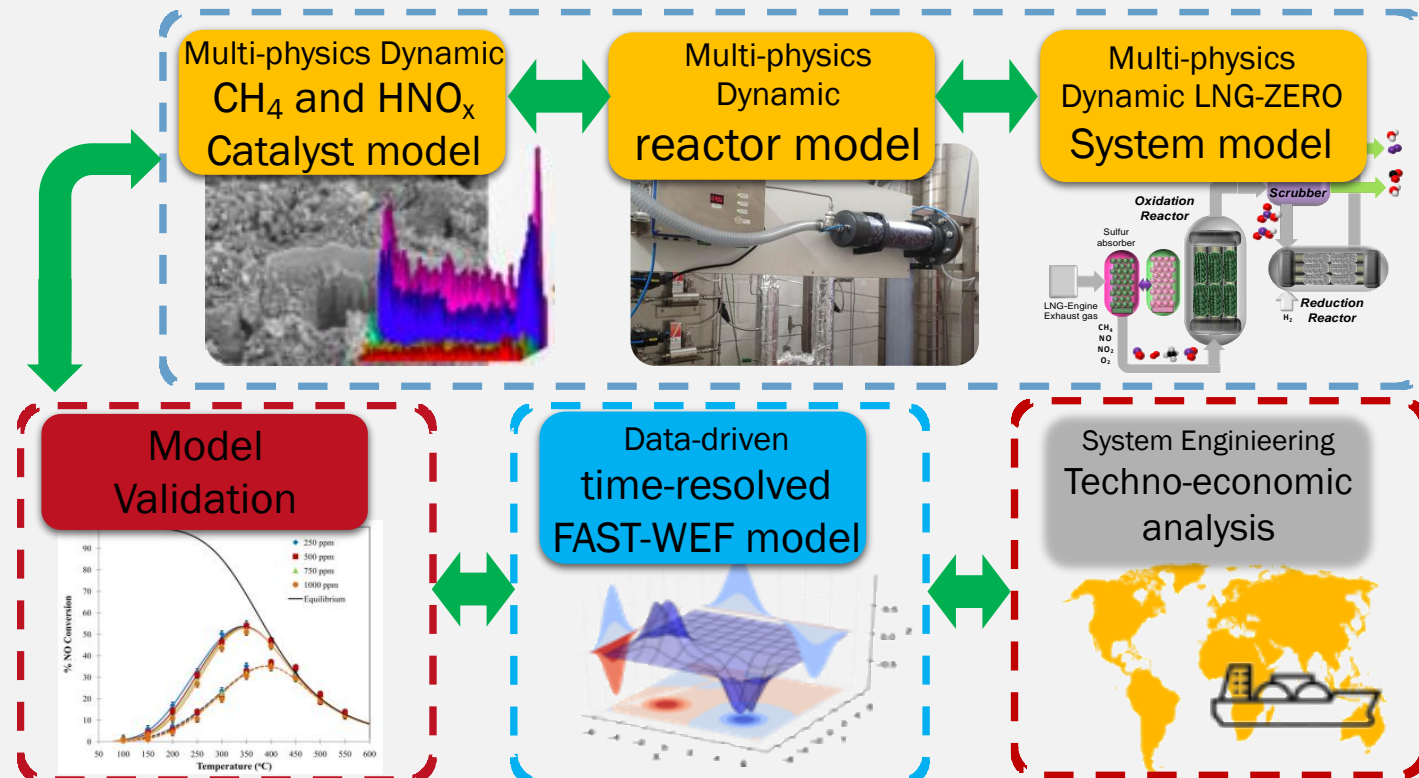






R&D on combining CO₂, NO_x and CH₄ capture:

- Oxidation of methane (CH₄) and NO → CO₂, H₂O & NO₂ R&D
Utwente on catalysts
- NO₂ to be washed from gasses with water in Quench-tower of CO₂ capture plant
- Catalyst to clean NO₂ from H₂O ⇒ N₂
- **Capture rates: CO₂ 80 ~100%, CH₄-slip 80% and NO_x 95%**



Fossile LNG => ~ 85% Methane = **CH₄**

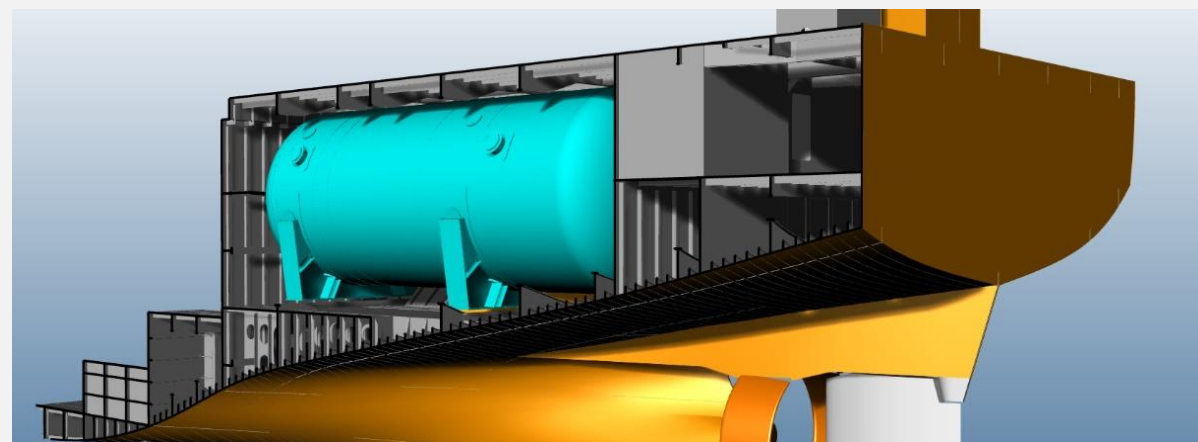
CH₄ in LNG-engine: => **CO₂** + H₂O

=> **Capture CO₂ on board + liquify + store** in CO₂ tank (-containers)

Unload & store in empty offshore gasfields f.e. NorhternLights

=> Fulfil **UN SDG 13 'Climate Action'**!

Future: sell tankcontainers **CO₂**...



Future: tankcontainers liquid **CO2** => **feedstock** for '**synthetic E-Fuels**'

Windenergy -> clean E-power -> 'green'H2

H2 + CO2 -> **CH4** + H2O (Sabatier proces)

Example **E-Fuel CH4** = synthetic Methane

=> liquifying => LSM ready to fuel LNG-vessel

⇒ **Actual LNG fueled vessels can be CO2-neutral in future with Ship Based Carbon Capture**



How ship-based CCS supports the transition to future fuels?

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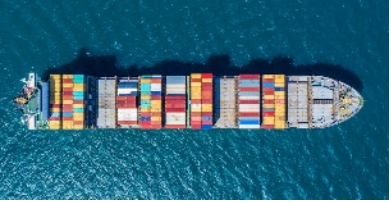
1) Can CCS decarbonize ship operations?



2) Can maritime CO2 become a feedstock for new synthetic fuels?



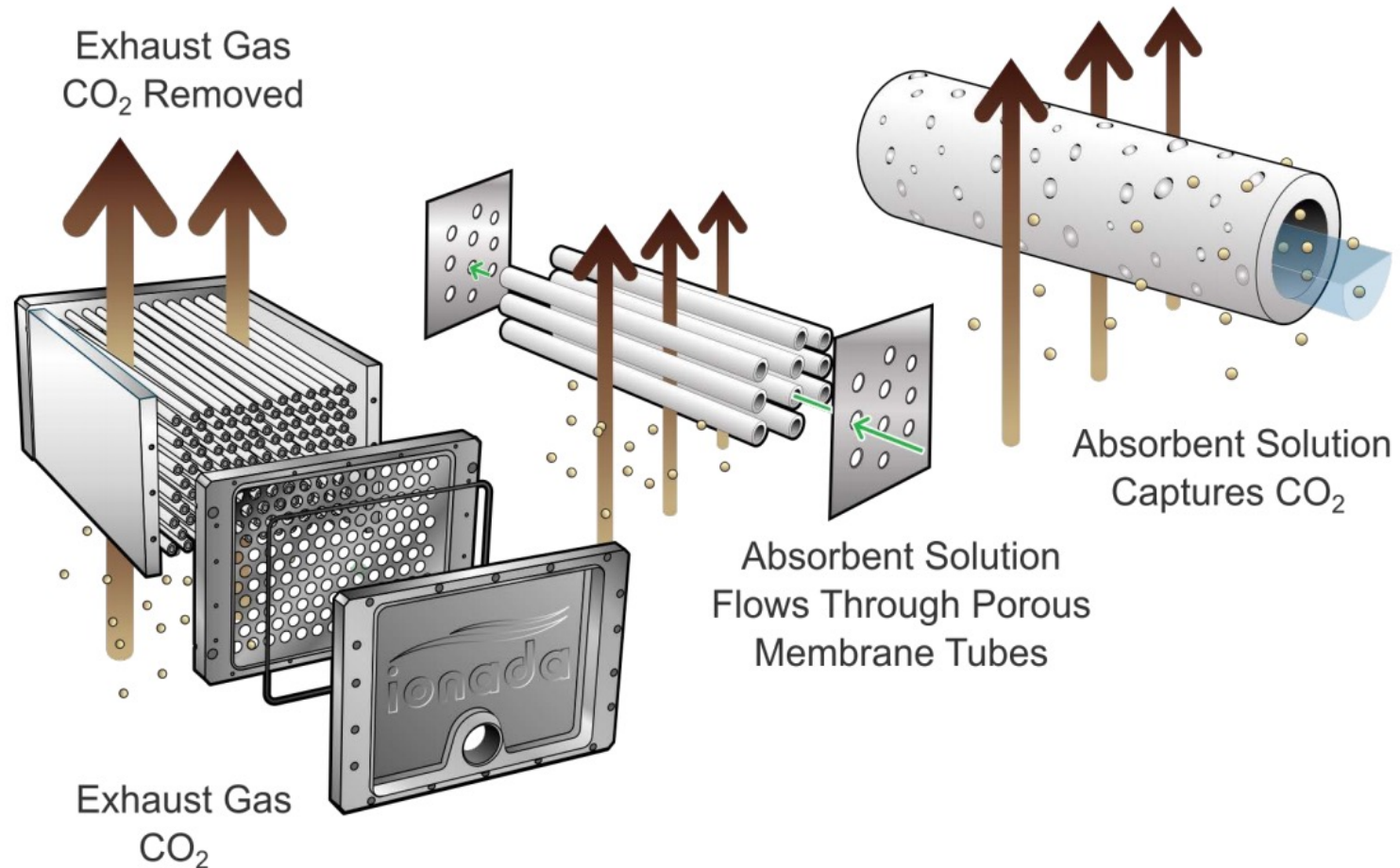
3) What is the potential for maritime CCS?

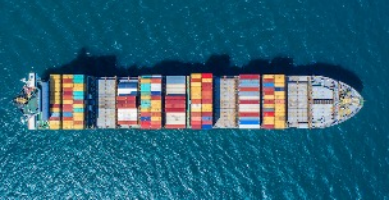


How It Works – Membrane Carbon Capture

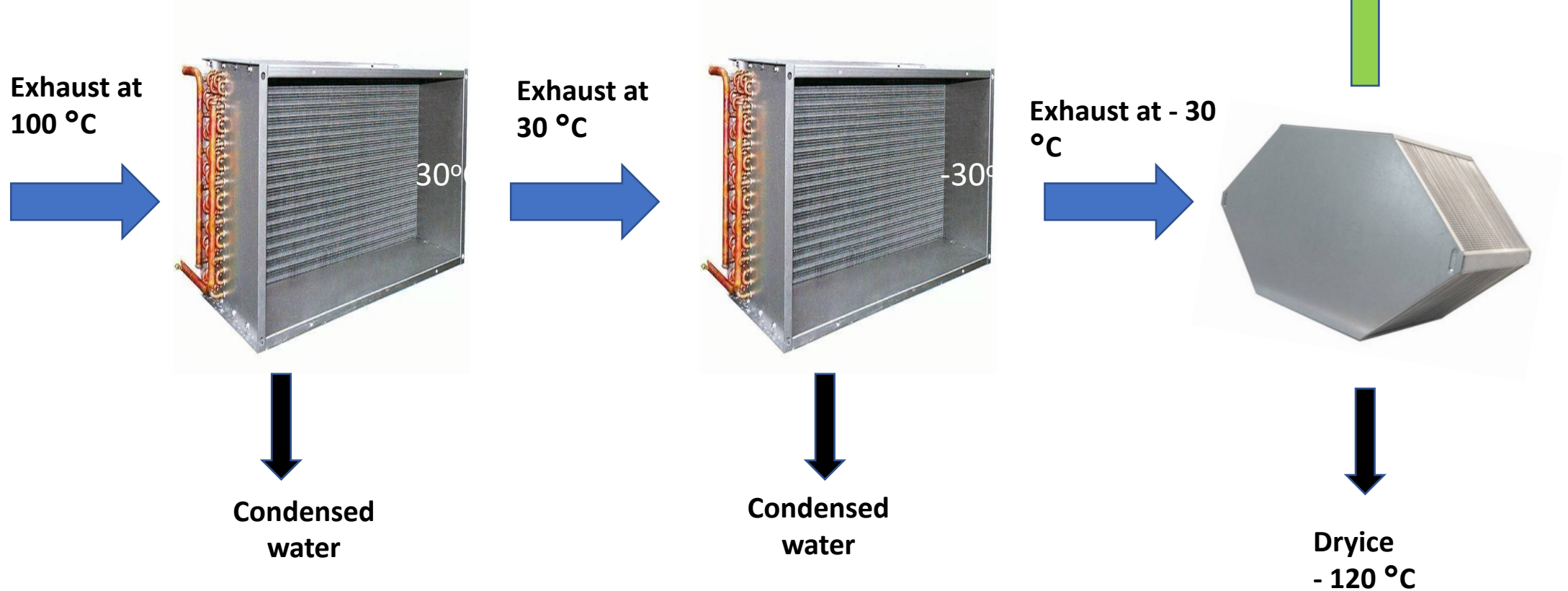


The key innovation is the use of hollow fiber nanotechnology membrane contactors with the amine or ionic liquid CO₂ absorbents. Membranes offer significant increase in capture efficiency and reduced absorbent losses.



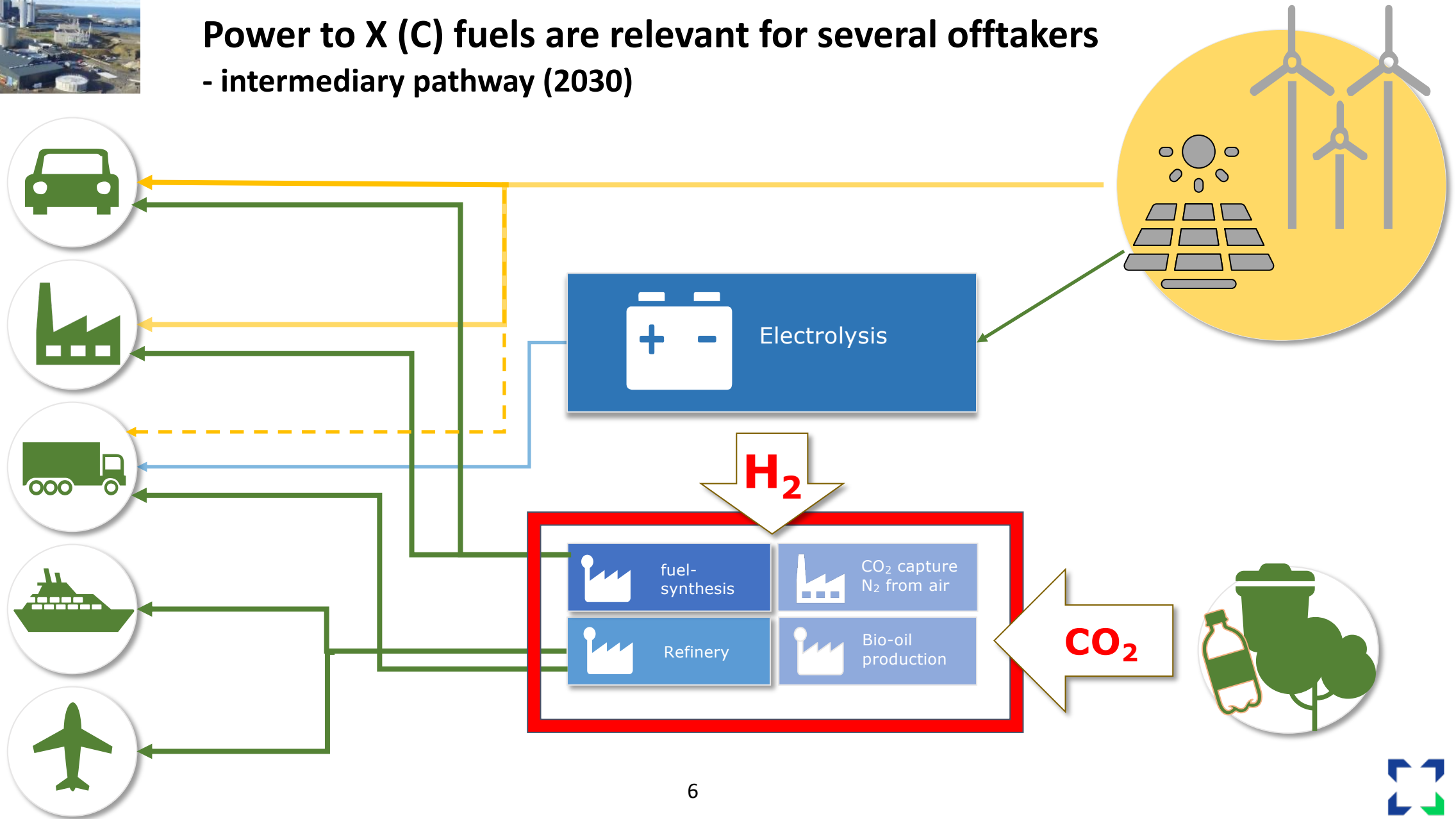


Cryogenic CO₂ capture



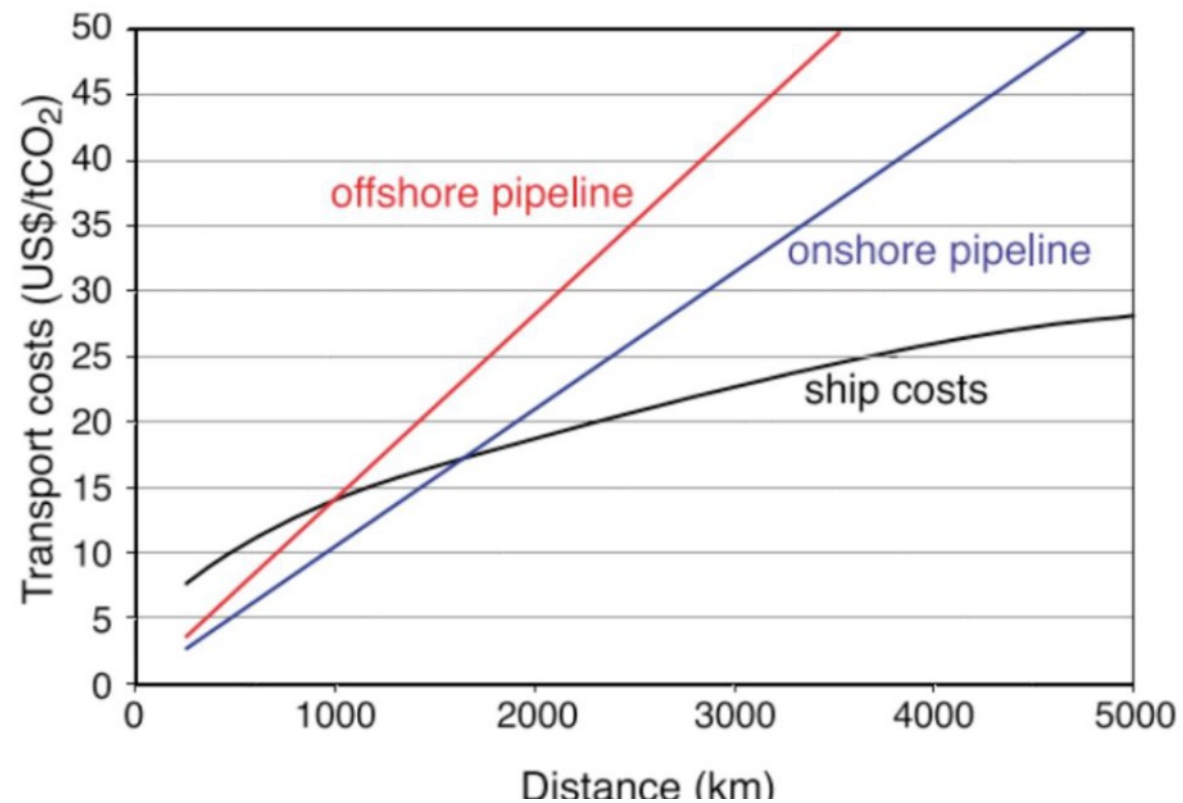


Power to X (C) fuels are relevant for several offtakers - intermediary pathway (2030)





Why not produce C-fuels at point of emission?





Capture potential – 11.2 megaton CO₂ /y

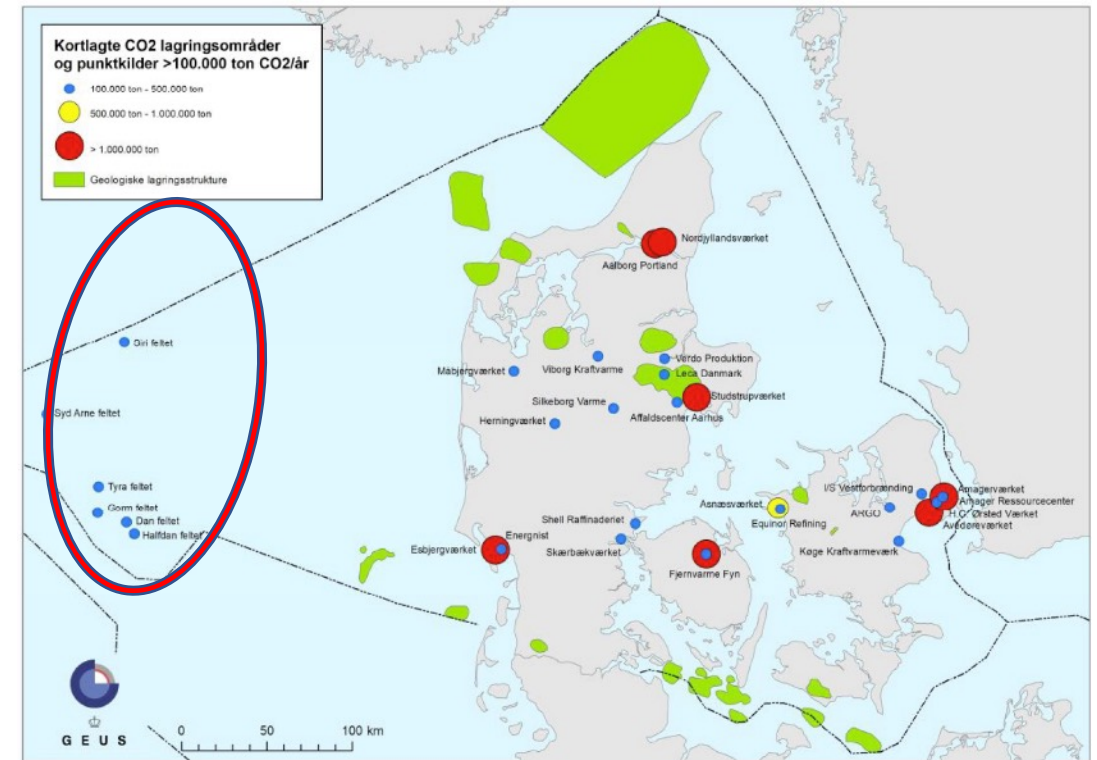


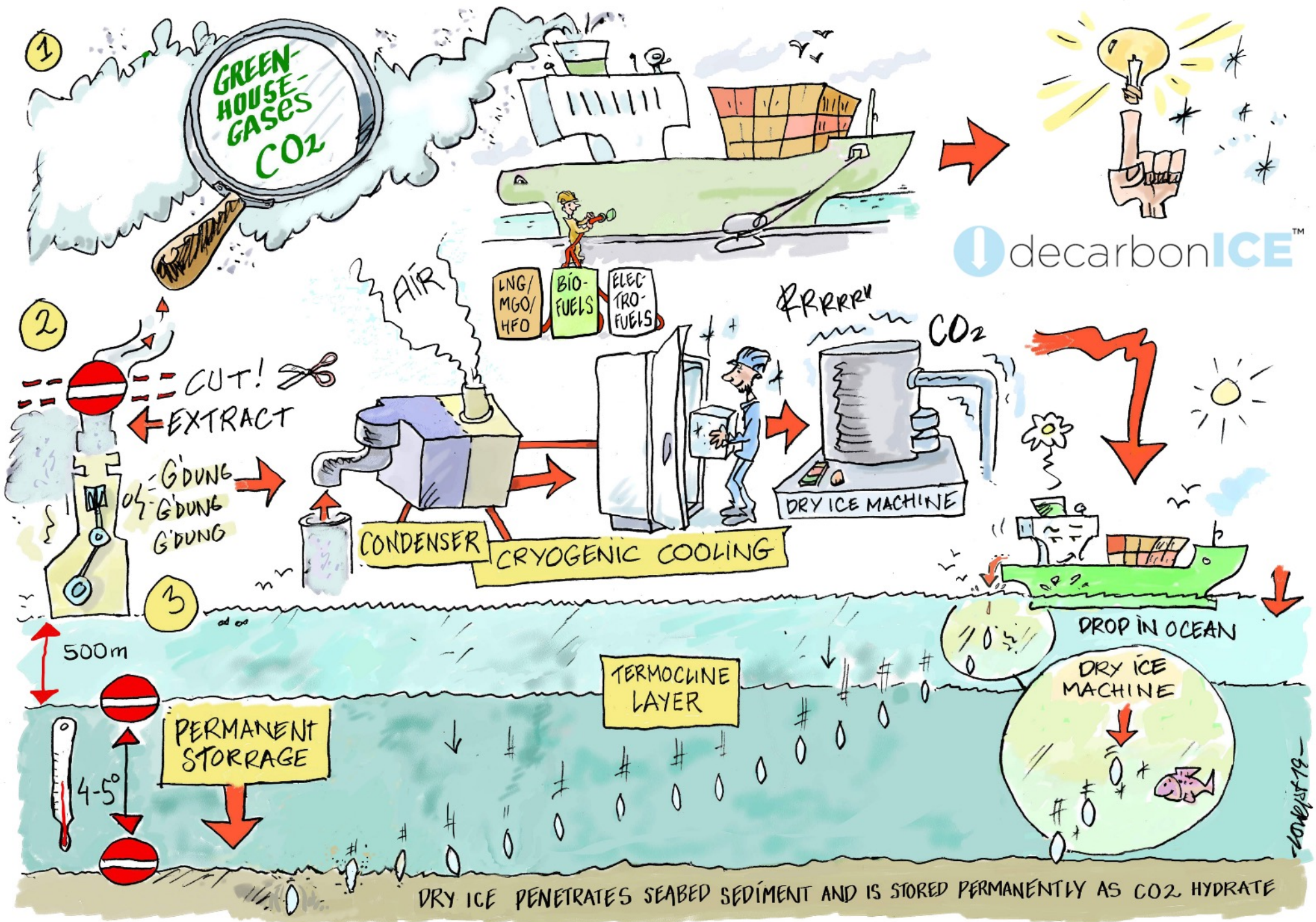
- Biomass power/heat plant 8.2 megaton
- Waste incineration 1.39 megaton



- Cement 1.2 megaton
- Other heavy industry 1.6 megaton

Storage capacity 22,000 megaton







CCS from shipping

- A **non-for-profit** project conducted in a spirit of **open innovation** to fight climate change
- Initiated and hosted by Copenhagen based Maritime Development Center (MDC)
- **10 shipping industry partners**
- **Project funding** comes entirely from the partner shipping companies



How can ship-based CCS support the transition to future fuels?



CCUS can decarbonize shipping at a low cost

- CCS can potentially be much cheaper than a fuels switch



Ship based CCU can provide carbon for new C-fuels

- On board CO₂ storage and carriers are the missing link



CCS can support carbon negative shipping

- If C-fuels are based on bio-feedstock or direct air carbon capture



Methanol: How Shore & Ship-Based CCS Supports the Transition to the Future

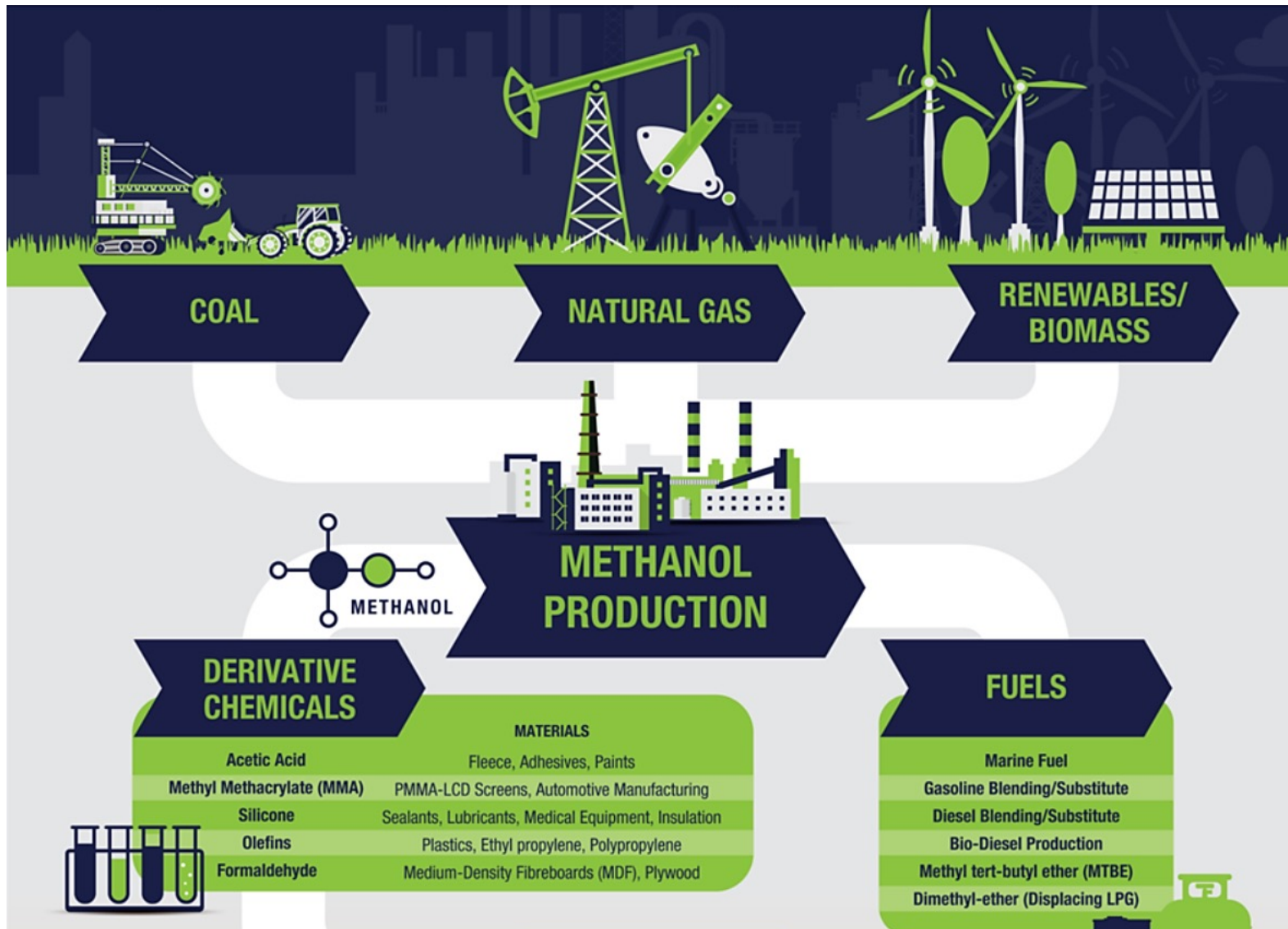
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Feedstocks & markets



- Natural gas is still the predominant feedstock for the methanol industry ex-China
- Increasing number of projects utilize sustainable feedstocks such as captured CO₂ from industrial emitters and green hydrogen produced from municipal solid waste (MSW), forestry residues or agricultural waste
- Conventionally methanol goes into the production of **downstream chemicals** (~55% of global consumption)
- Increasingly, the fastest growing segment is where it is consumed as a **fuel**, in numerous applications (~45%)

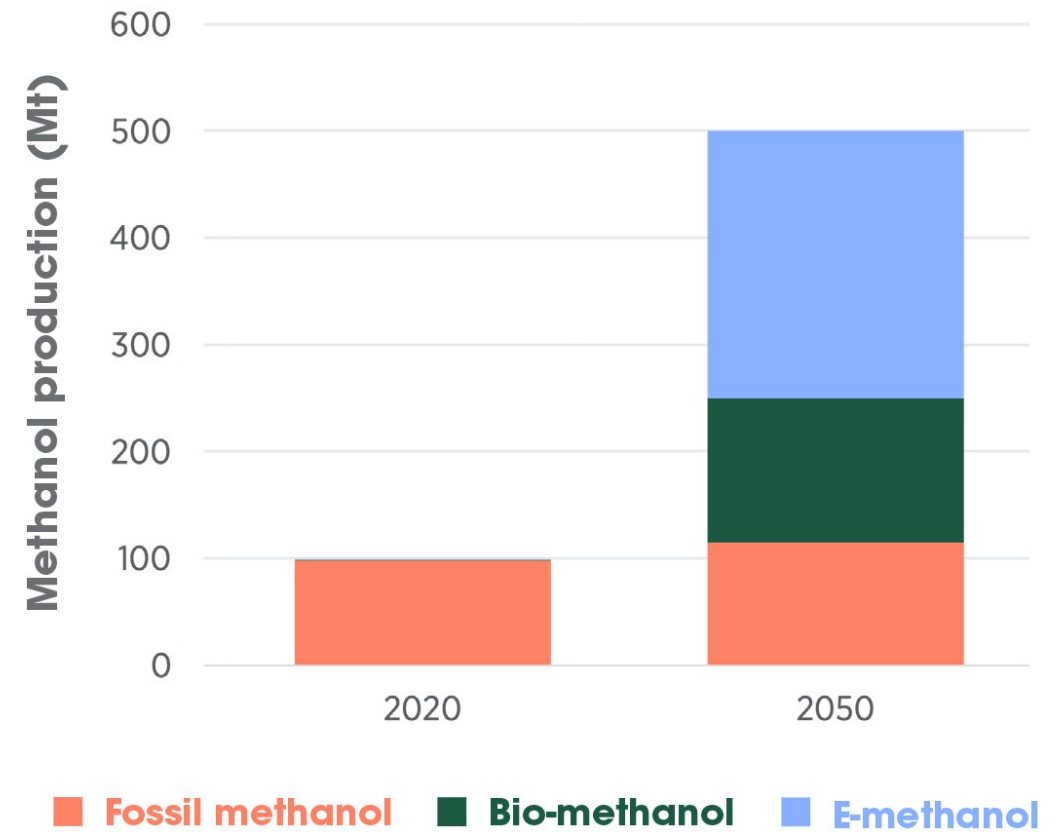
2050: Potential 5-Fold demand increase



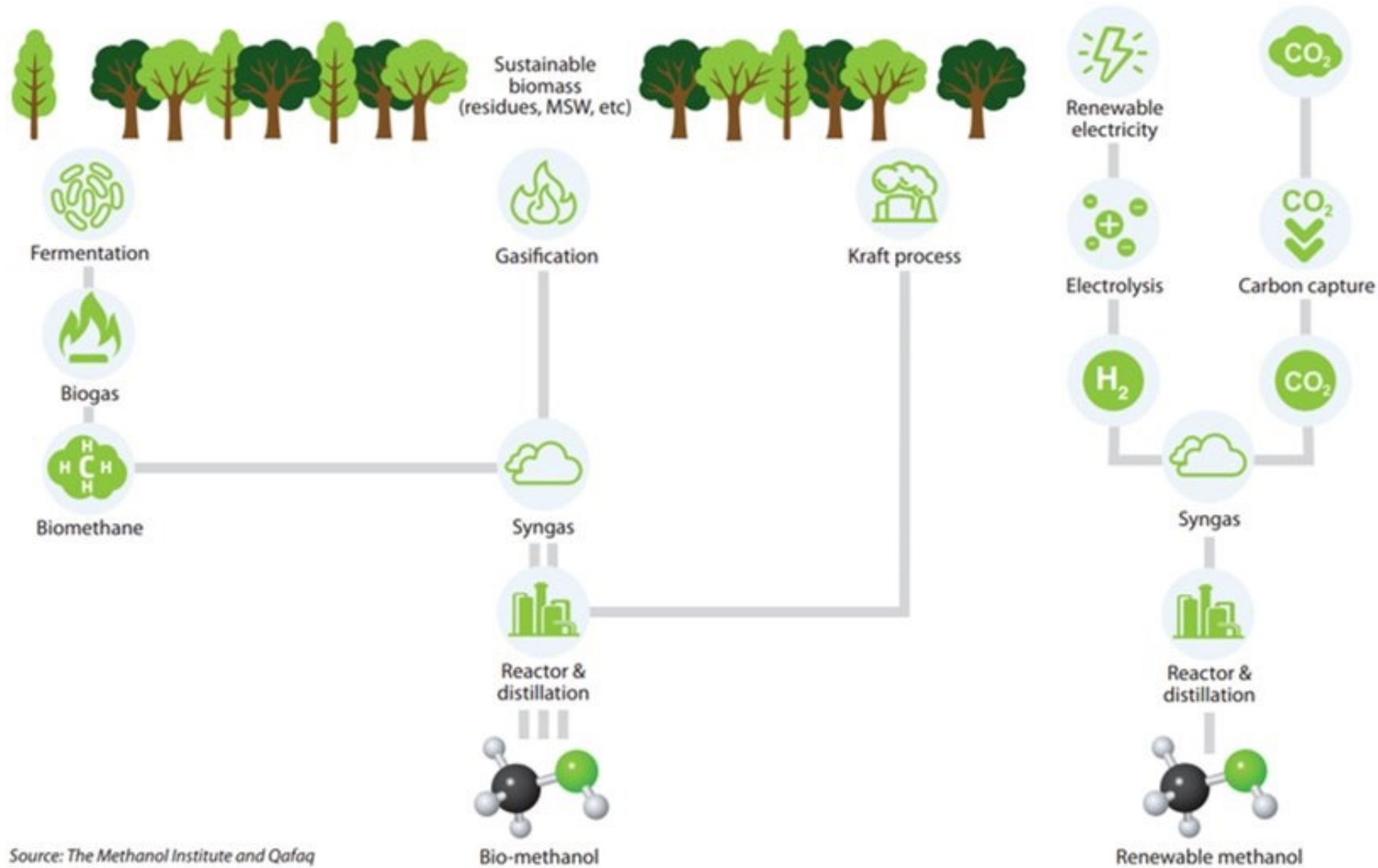
- According to IRENA, the uptake for both bio and renewable methanol is set to increase substantially
 - Existing infrastructure can be repurposed
 - Waste feed and CO₂ streams are readily available, allowing harder to decarbonize sectors to de-leverage
 - Cost effective

<https://www.irena.org/publications/2021/Jan/Innovation-Outlook-Re>

Figure 47. Current and future methanol production by source



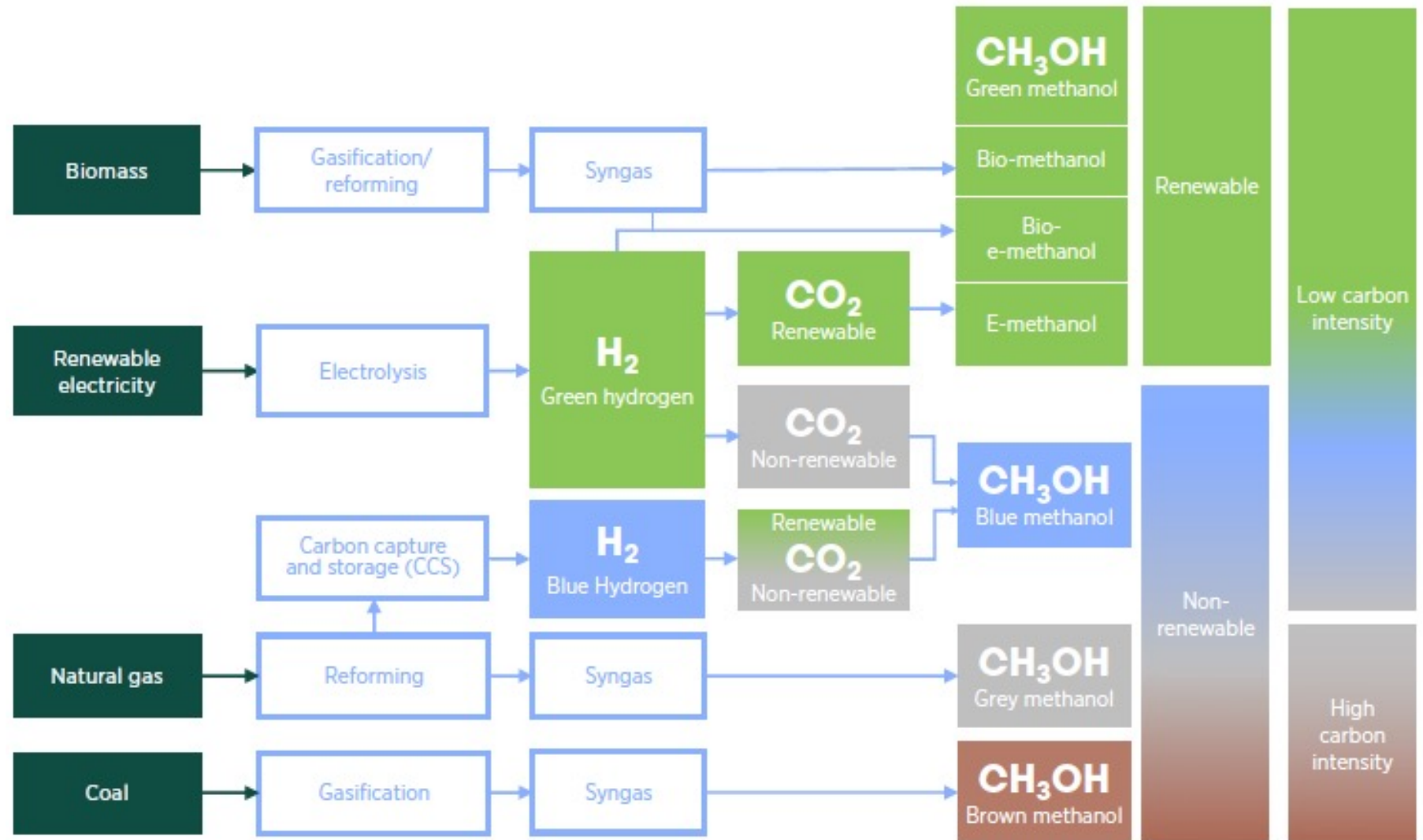
Renewable methanol pathways



Brown, grey, blue, green

Renewable CO₂: from bio-origin and through direct air capture (DAC)

Non-renewable CO₂: from fossil origin, industry



Source: IRENA

Indicative cost of renewable methanol

		Estimated Costs in USD		
		2015 – 2018	2030	2050
Cost of green H ₂ (\$/t H ₂) ^(a)		4000 – 8000	1800 – 3200	900 – 2000
Cost of CO ₂ (\$/t CO ₂) ^(c)		50 – 100	50 – 100	50 – 100
Cost of Methanol (\$/t MeOH) ^(b)	No Carbon Credit	870 – 1690	460 – 790	290 – 560
	Carbon Credit of \$50/t CO ₂ ^(d)	780 – 1610	370 – 700	200 – 480
	Carbon Credit of \$100/t CO ₂ ^(d)	700 – 1520	290 – 620	120 – 390

(a) Source: (IRENA, 2020)

(b) assuming \$50 per ton synthesis cost for e-methanol once the raw material, H₂ and CO₂ are provided

(c) Origin of the CO₂ will change over time as volumes increase

(d) The carbon credit per ton of e-methanol is based on the difference between the average CO₂eq emissions from methanol production from natural gas (95.2 gCO₂eq/MJ) and average CO₂eq emissions from e-methanol production from renewable CO₂ and H₂ (8.645 gCO₂eq/MJ). Considering a LHV of 19.9 MJ/kg for methanol, this corresponds to a 1.72 tCO₂eq of emission avoided per ton of e-methanol, compared to traditional natural gas based methanol.

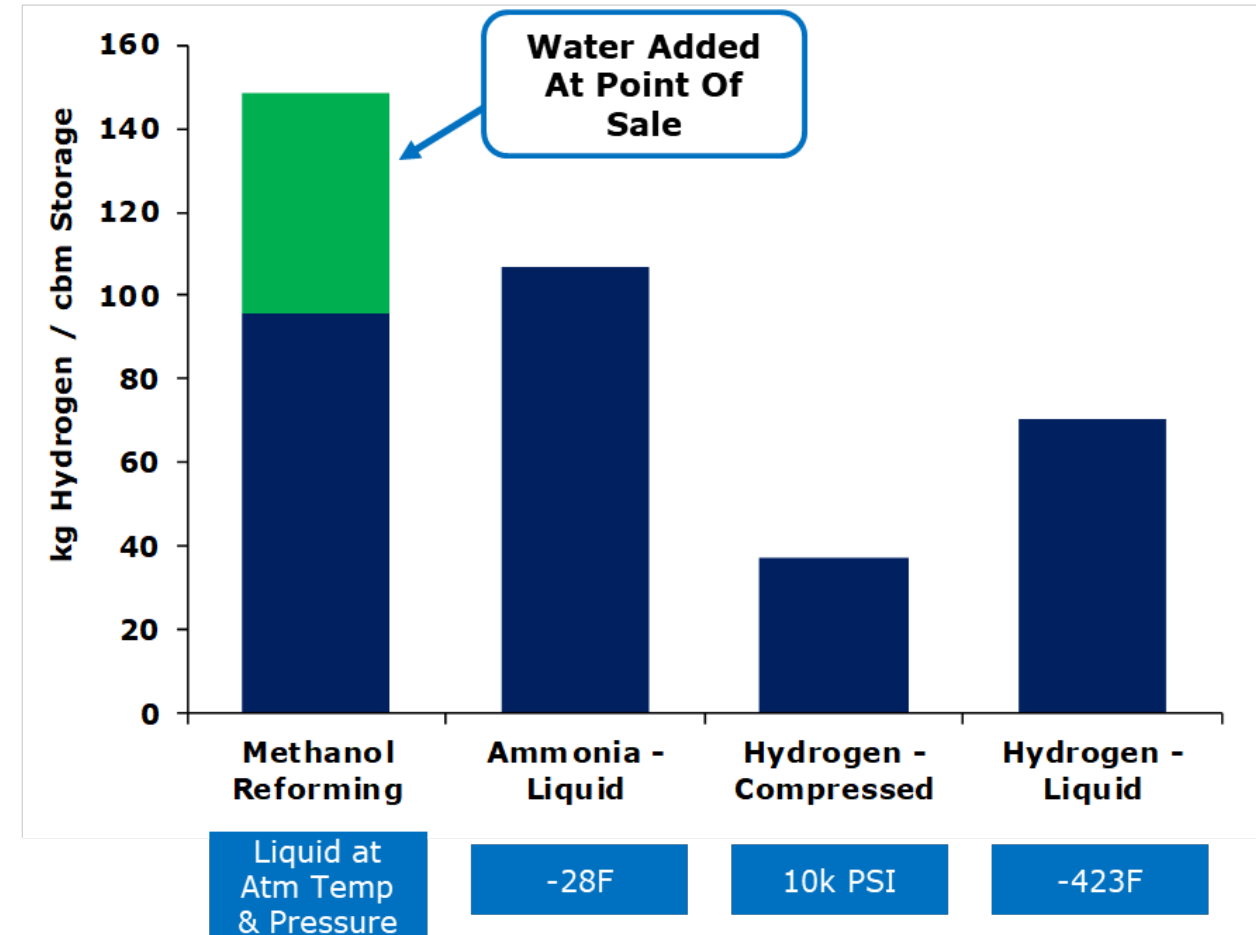


Superior Hydrogen Carrier

- Methanol combines with water at the point of sale to generate 30-40% more hydrogen than Methanol carries.
- Help lower the cost of storage and infrastructure needed to transport, store, and dispense hydrogen safely over long distances
- Traded extensively for the chemical industry which demonstrates considerable experience of safe handling and storing methanol
- As green methanol can be produced from biomass, waste streams and captured carbon dioxide emissions, the GHG emissions avoided due to the production of green methanol allows it to be a carbon-neutral or carbon-negative energy product

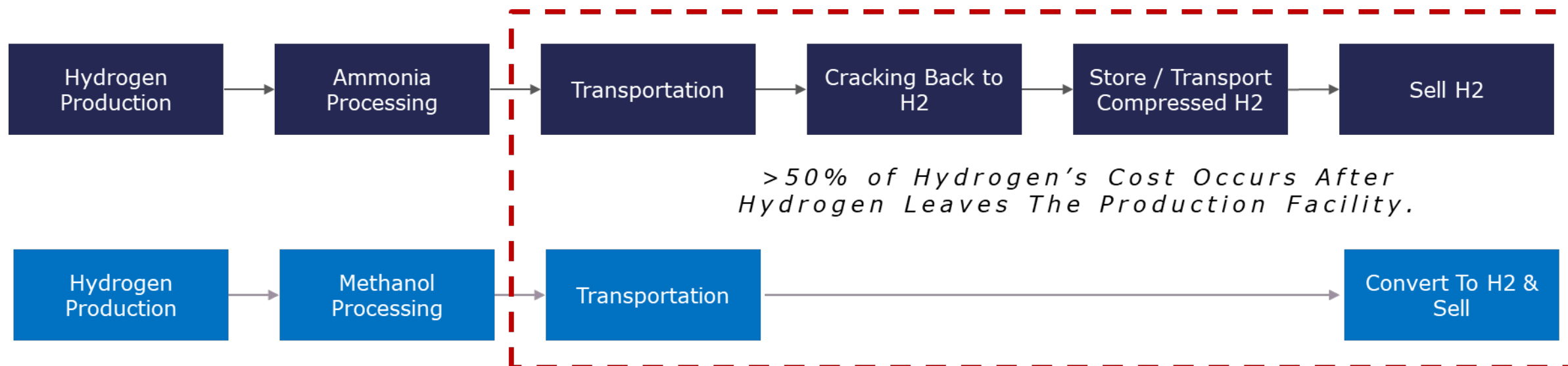
Source: Webber Research and Advisory

Hydrogen Logistics



Methanol vs Ammonia

Ammonia – Converting Ammonia to Hydrogen requires higher heat (600C to 900C = Outside Heat Source), more expensive equipment, and large centralized facilities for Hydrogen distribution to end users. Public spaces cannot currently convert Ammonia to Hydrogen without high costs and/or public safety risk.

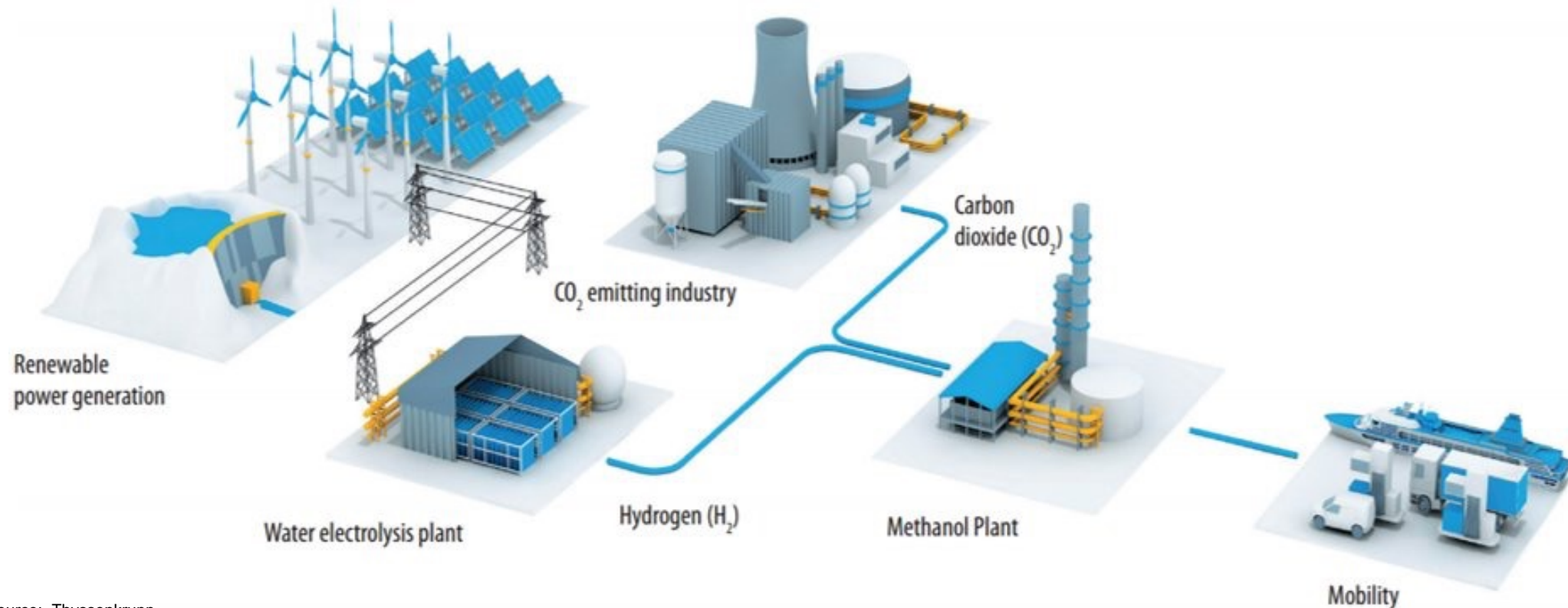


Methanol – Methanol can convert to Hydrogen at lower temperatures (300C to 450C). Methanol also leverages existing liquids infrastructure and converts to Hydrogen with proven technology that is less expensive, safer, and with a limited footprint.

Source: Webber Research and Advisory

Renewable energy and waste CO₂ model

Thyssenkrupp is exploring ways to efficiently marry CO₂ sources with green hydrogen for efficient methanol production



Source: Thyssenkrupp

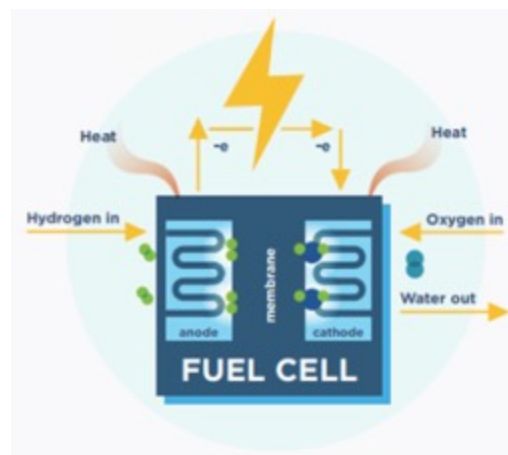


Onboard methanol reformer: fuel cell scenario



E1 L-series reformer: 65kg/day

Purified
H₂



Clean
power

H₂ fuel cells produce clean electric power which can be used in a wide array of applications



- Nascent but growing interest – shipping companies are taking note
- Fuel cells or hybrid systems can be a more efficient pathway to produce power
- **Key driver is cost:**

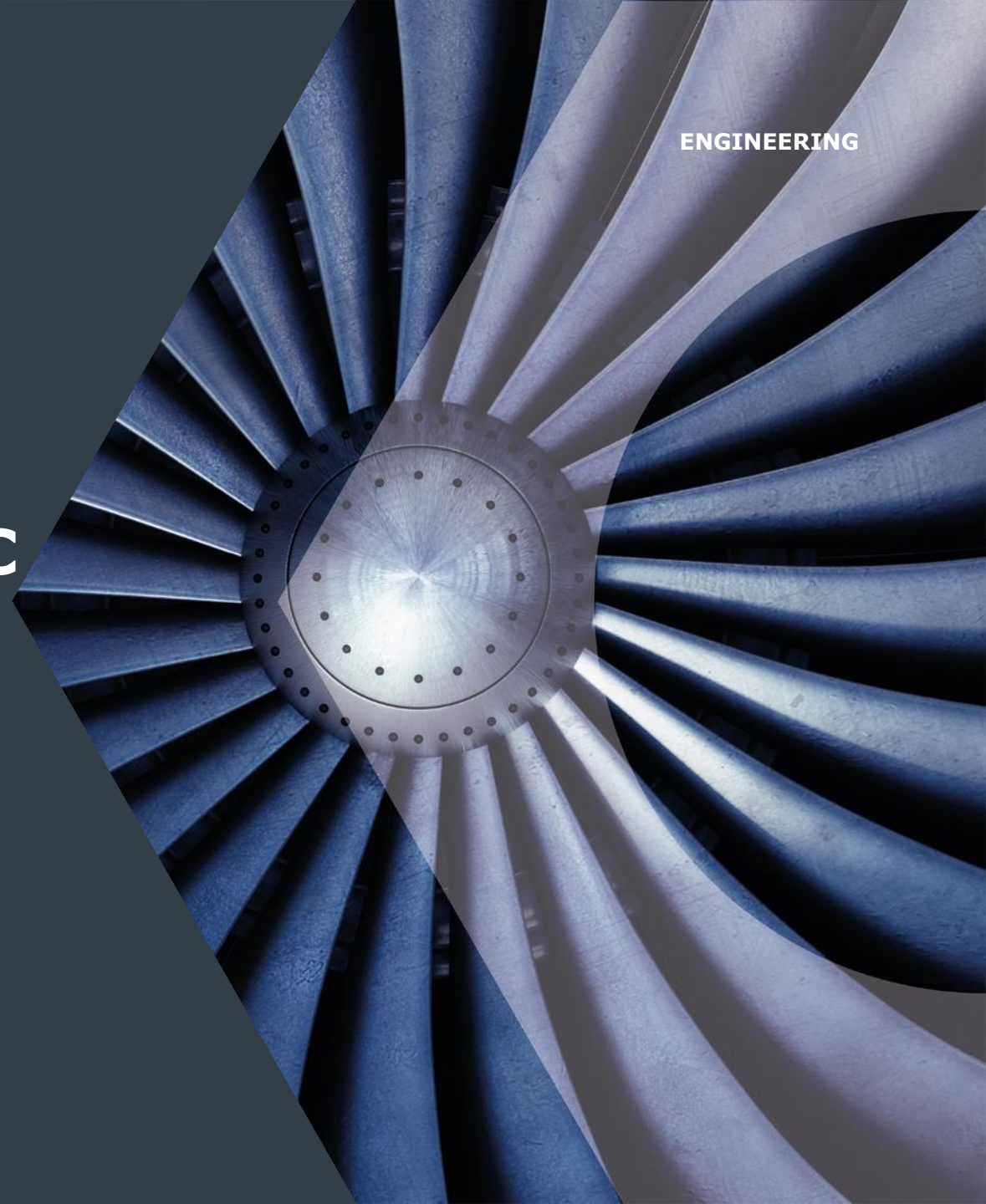
	EU	N America	APAC	China
Cost of methanol \$/MT	\$308.94	\$332.25	\$275.00	\$275.85
Cost for producing 1 kg H ₂	\$2.38	\$2.56	\$2.12	\$2.12



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Why Intellectual Property matters when it comes to CC and the transition to future fuels

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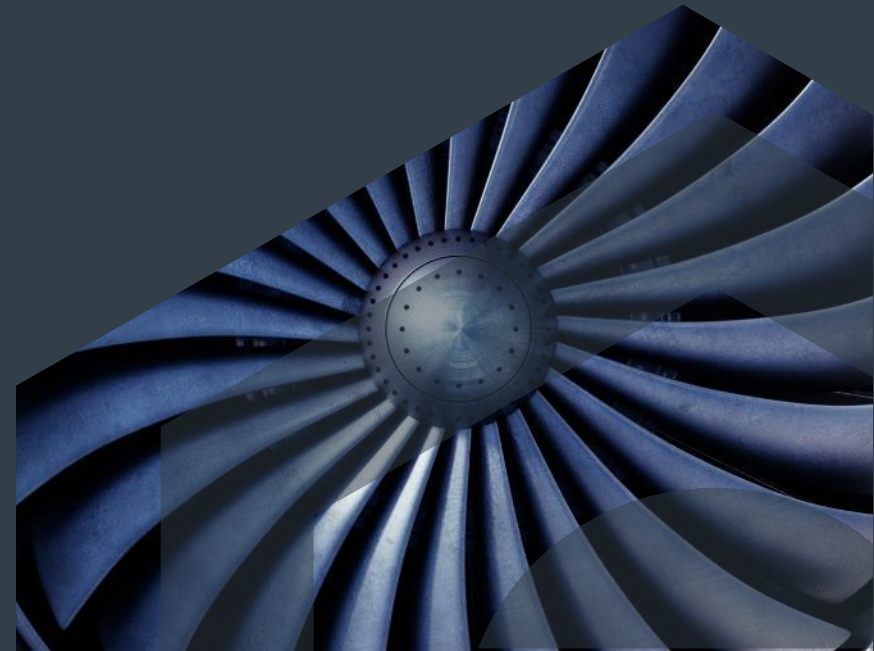


- 01 An Opportunity and a Threat!
- 02 Opportunity
- 03 Threat
- 04 What do I suggest?



Forms of Intellectual Property

- - Inventions (patents)
 - Brands (trade marks)
 - Designs (appearance)
 - Copyright (copying)
 - Trade Secrets (virtually anything!)





An Opportunity and a Threat!

An Opportunity:

- Protect Investment in developing new CC systems
- Best IP rights to protect the investment and opportunities?
- If patents, can be any aspect of CC systems provided the invention is new and an improvement





An Opportunity and a Threat!

A Threat:

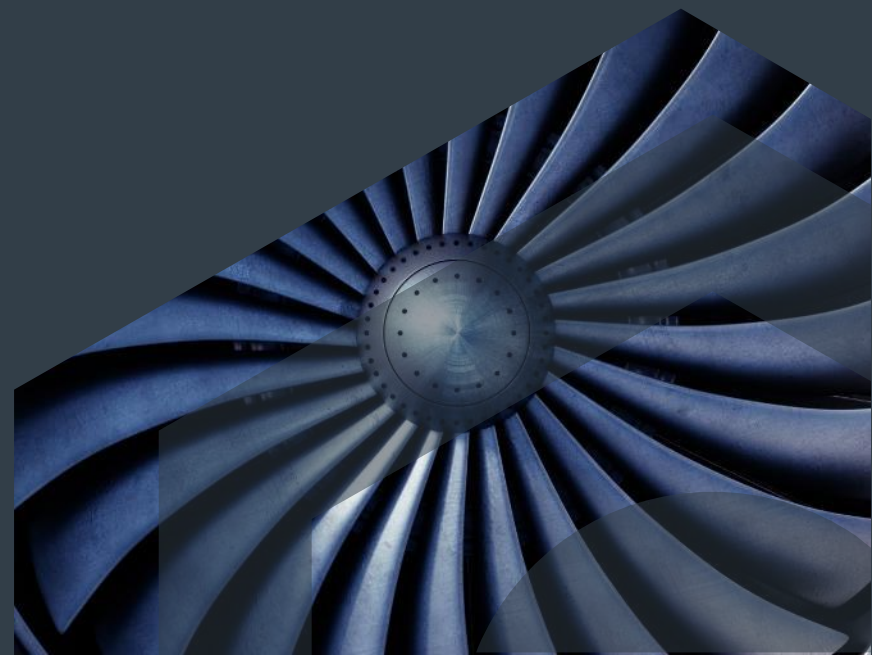
- Legal Issues!
 - Patent Infringement
 - Manufacturers and Suppliers
 - Ship Owners/Fleets
 - Trade Secret issues





What would I suggest?

- Be IP aware and prepared to do your IP homework.



Thank You



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