

CCUS in Clean Energy Transitions

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A new dawn for CCUS

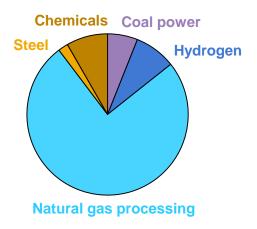


- Stronger investment incentives and climate targets are building new momentum behind CCUS:
 - More than 30 new projects announced recently
 - Governments and industry have committed almost USD 4 billion in 2020
- CCUS can contribute to emissions reductions across the energy system, with four strategic roles:
 - Tackling emissions from existing energy assets;
 - A platform for low-carbon hydrogen production;
 - A solution for the most challenging emissions in sectors such as heavy industry & aviation; and
 - Removing carbon from the atmosphere

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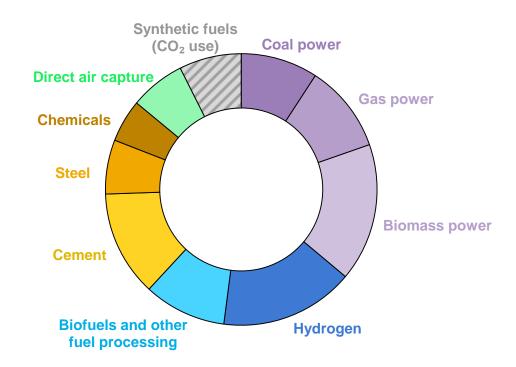


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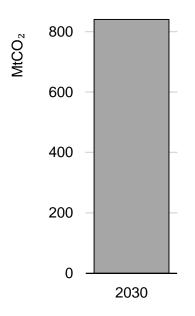
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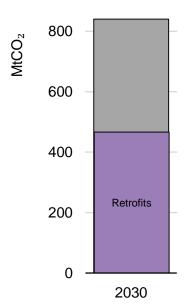


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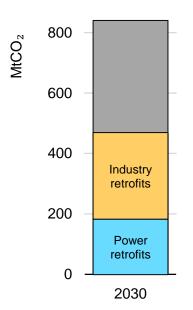
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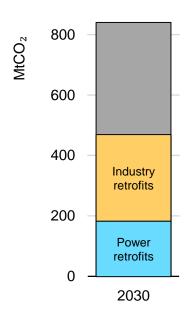
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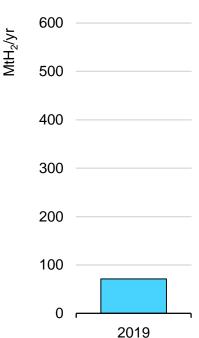
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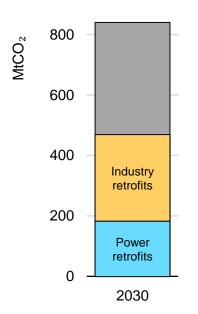
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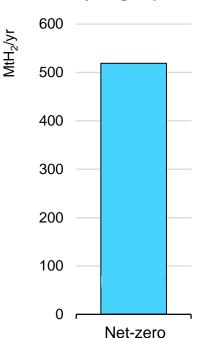
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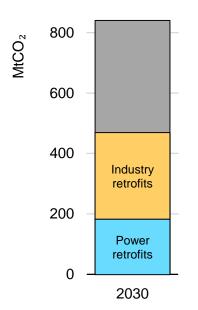
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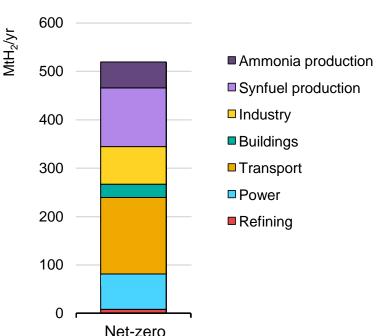
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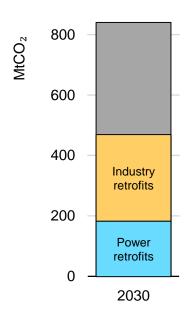
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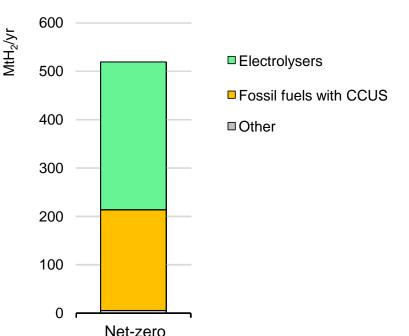
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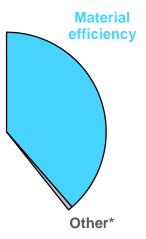


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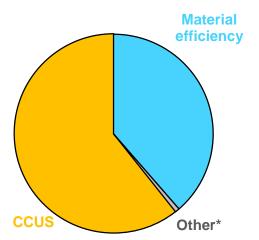


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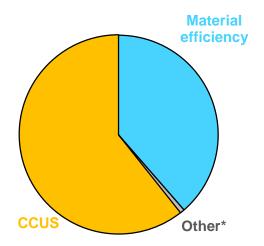
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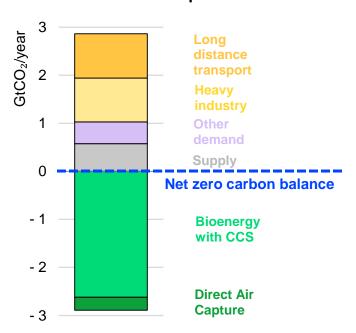
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4. Removing carbon from the atmosphere



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Bioenergy with CCS and direct air capture can balance hard-to-abate emissions for net zero

Government and industry action this decade is crucial



- Four high-level priorities for governments and industry would accelerate the progress of CCUS over the next decade:
- 1. Create the conditions for CCUS investment
- 2. Target the development of industrial hubs with shared CO₂ infrastructure
- 3. Identify and encourage the development of CO₂ storage
- 4. Boost innovation for critical CCUS technologies

