

Bio-CCS: going carbon negative in Scandinavia

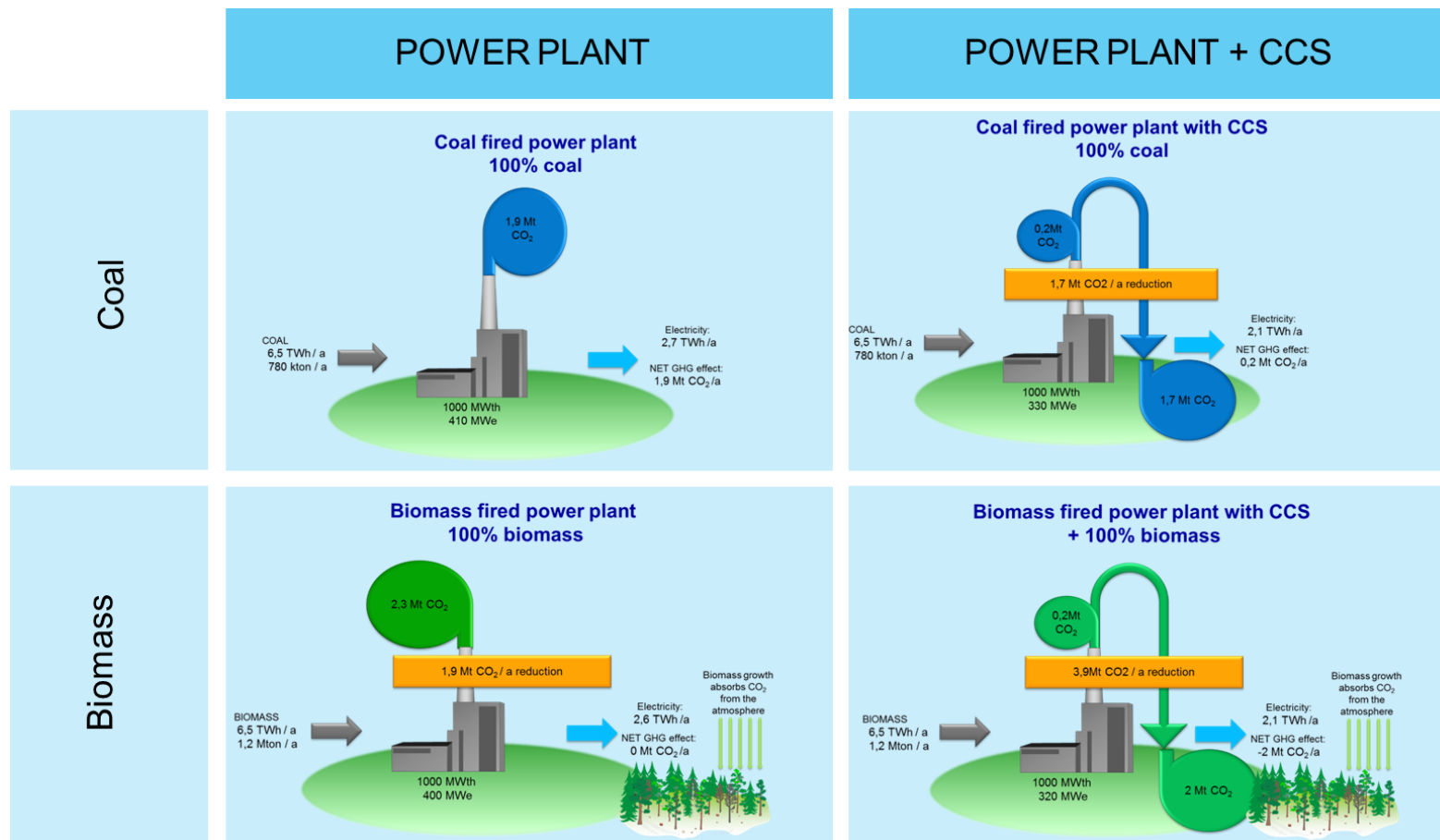
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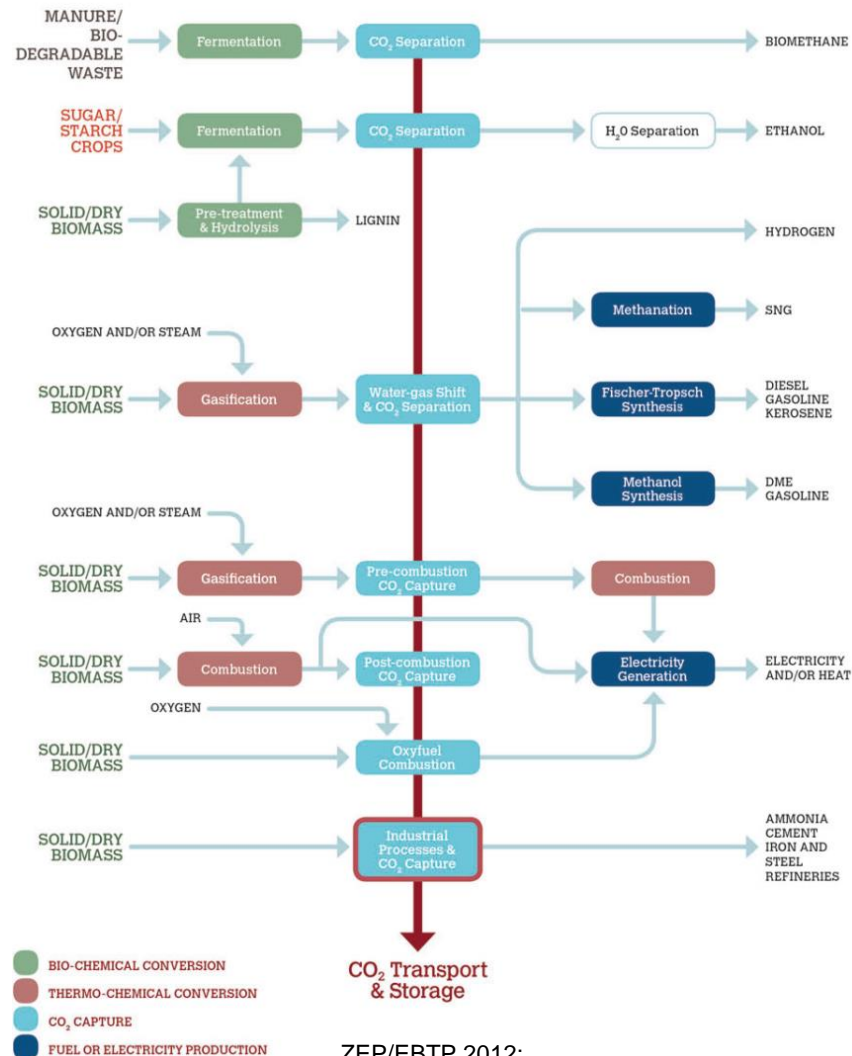
Bio-CCS combines sustainable biomass conversion with CO₂ Capture and Storage (CCS) – impact 2 x coal with CCS



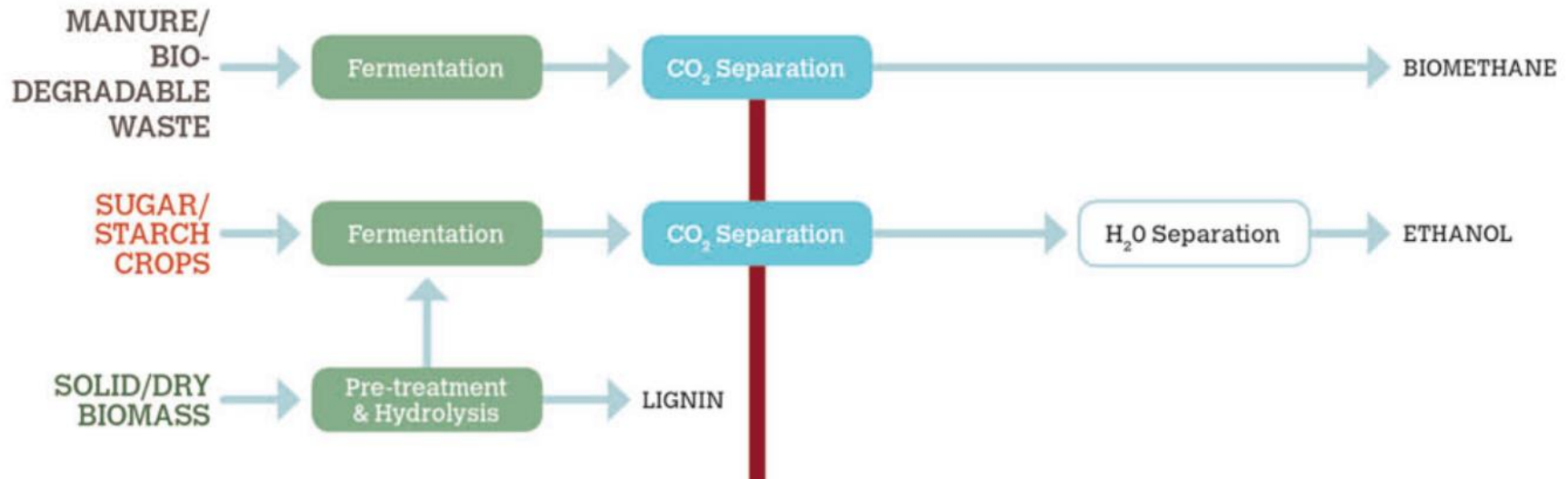
Because Bio-CCS binds CO₂ from the atmosphere, the net CO₂ reduction impact per unit energy produced can be multifold in comparison to fossil CCS or 2nd generation biofuels alone

Biomass-based conversion routes with CCS

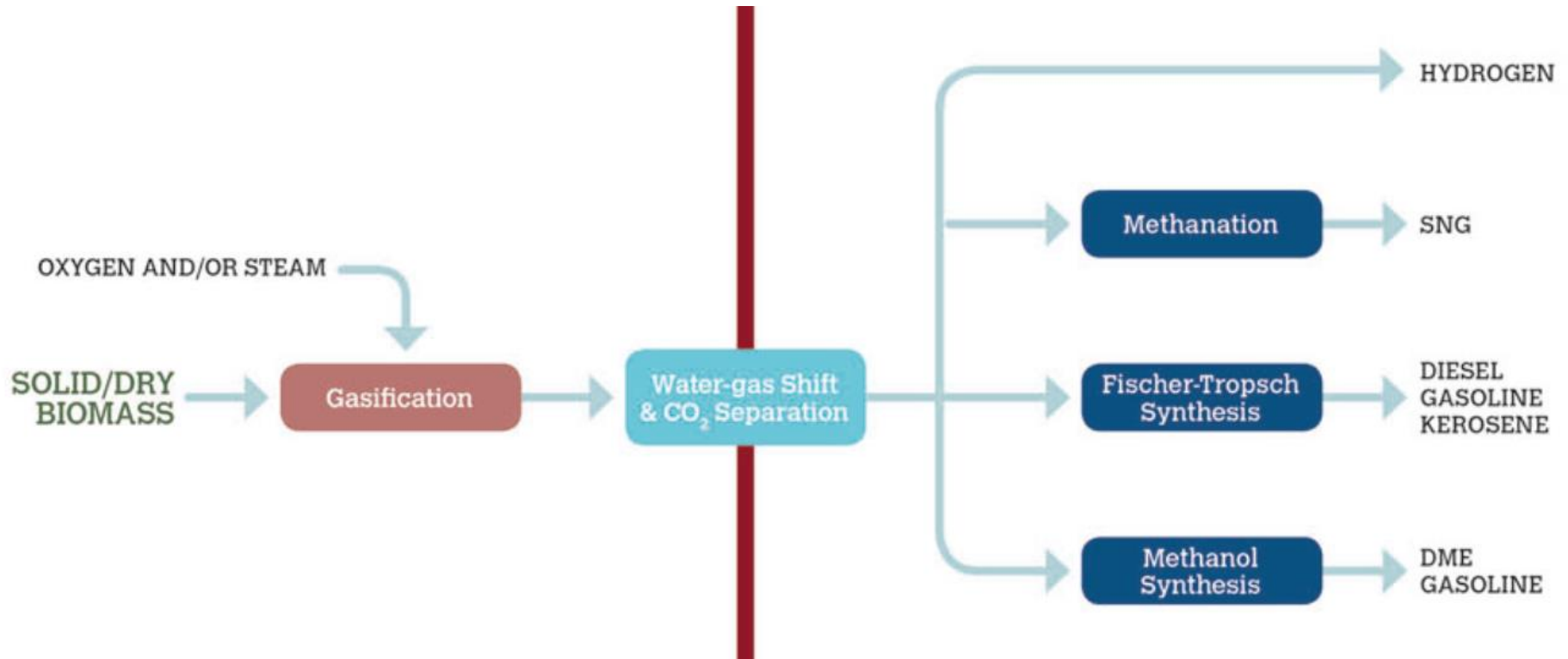
generally Bio-CCS has no fundamental differences in comparison to fossil CCS besides accounting of negative emissions



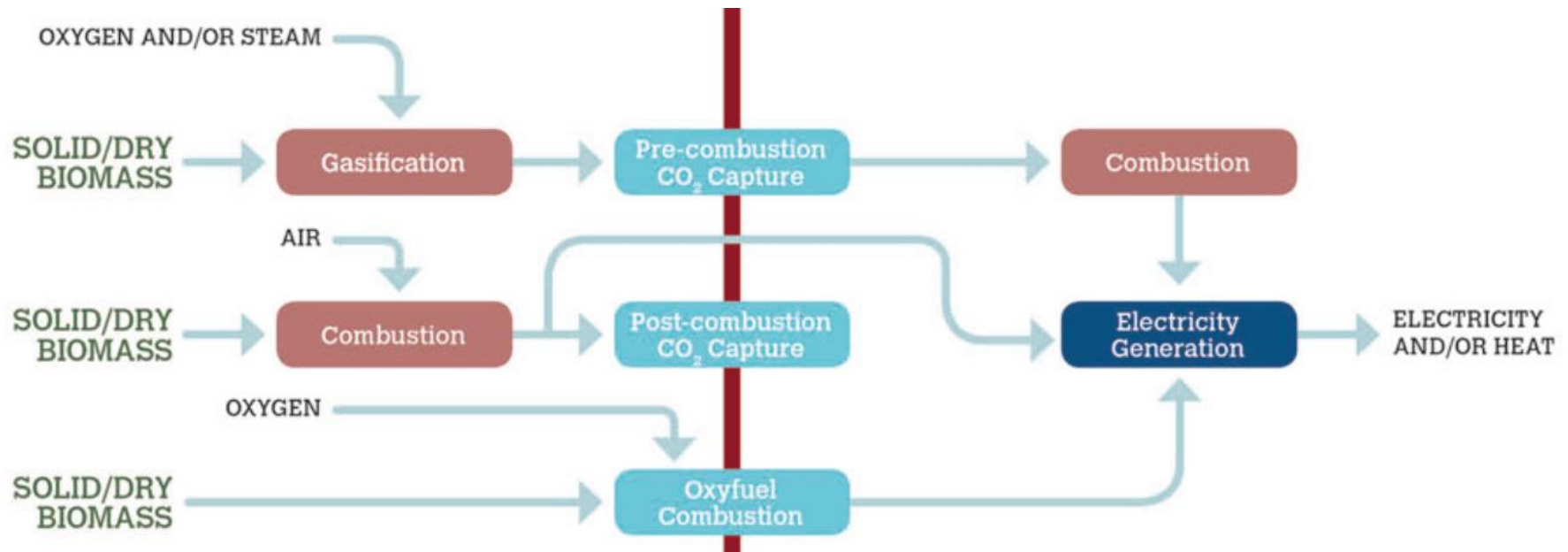
Bio-CCS in biochemical conversion routes of biomass



Bio-CCS in thermo-chemical conversion routes of biomass



Bio-CCS in power production

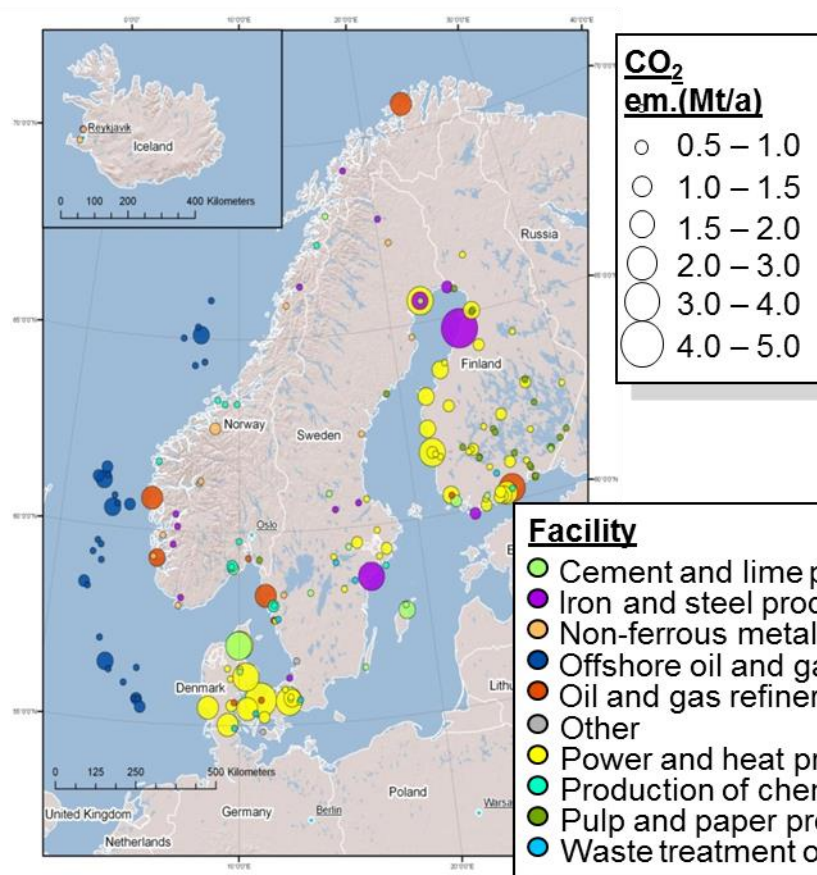


Bio-CCS in industrial processes

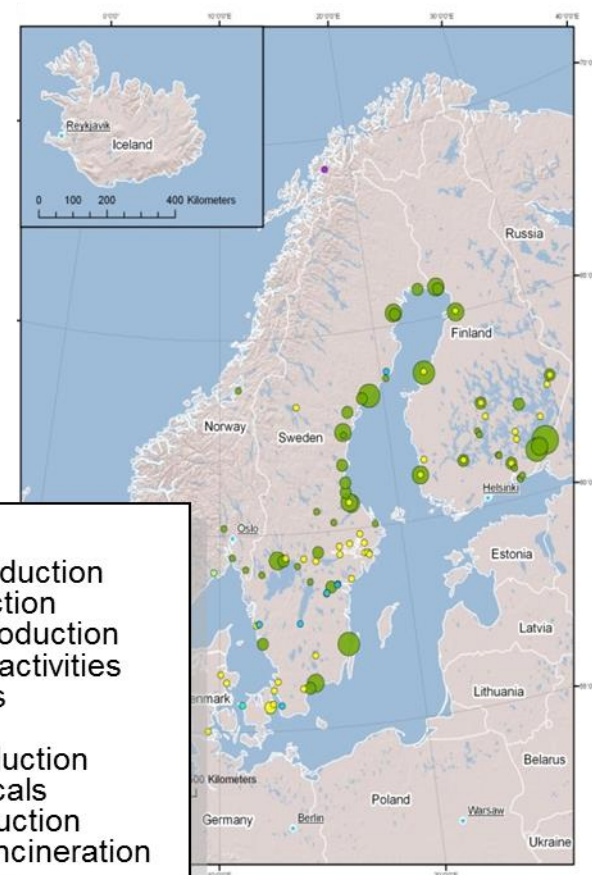


Biomass utilisation in Nordic is mainly forest biomass dominated by pulp and paper industry, Combined Heat and Power production in CFB boilers and future biorefineries

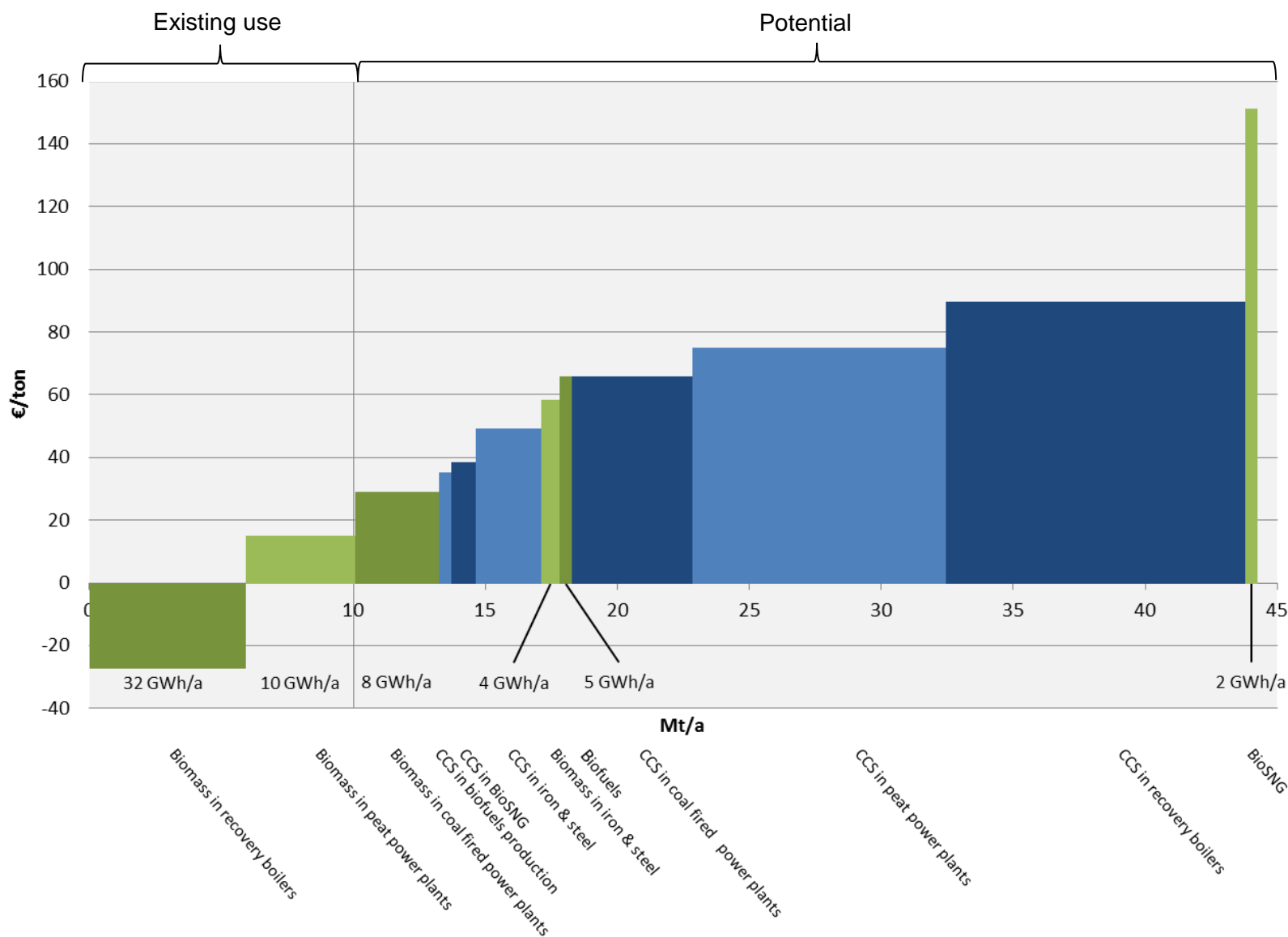
Fossil and inorganic CO₂ emissions



Biogenic CO₂ emissions



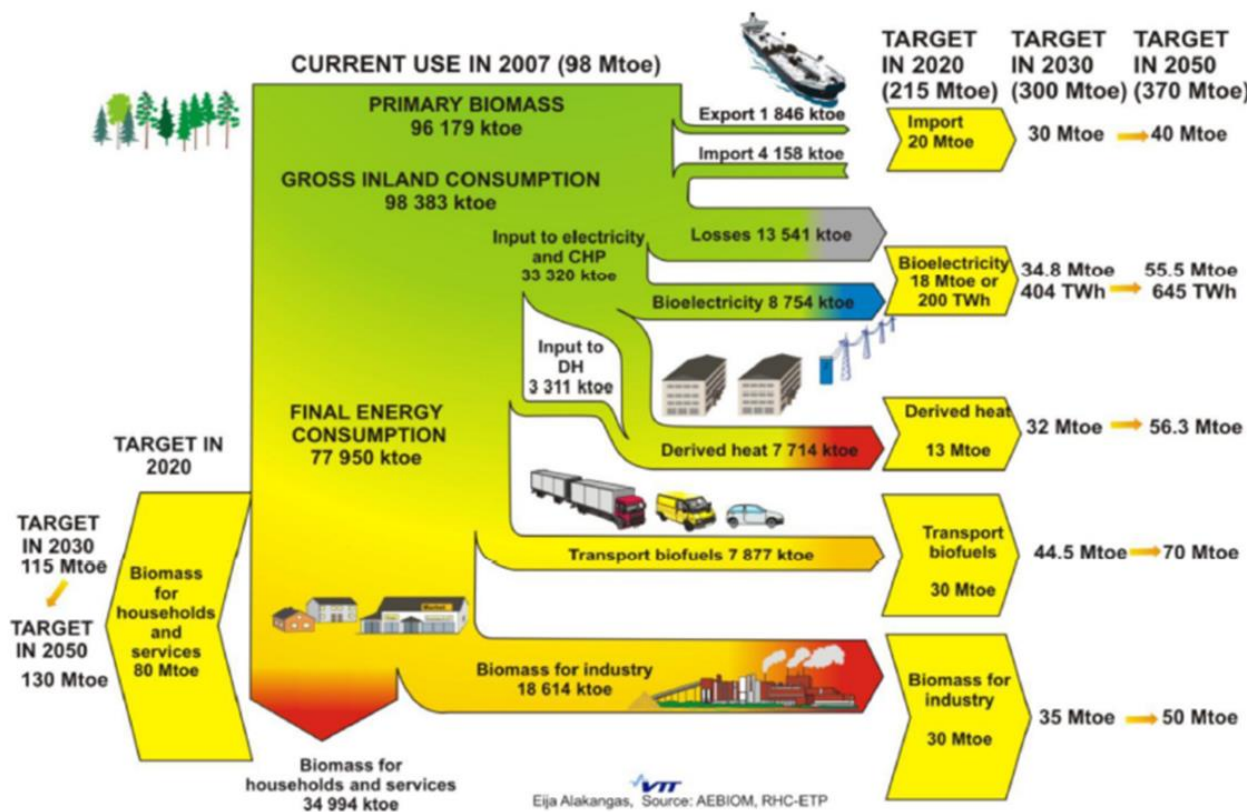
Techno-political Bio-CCS potential in Finland 2025



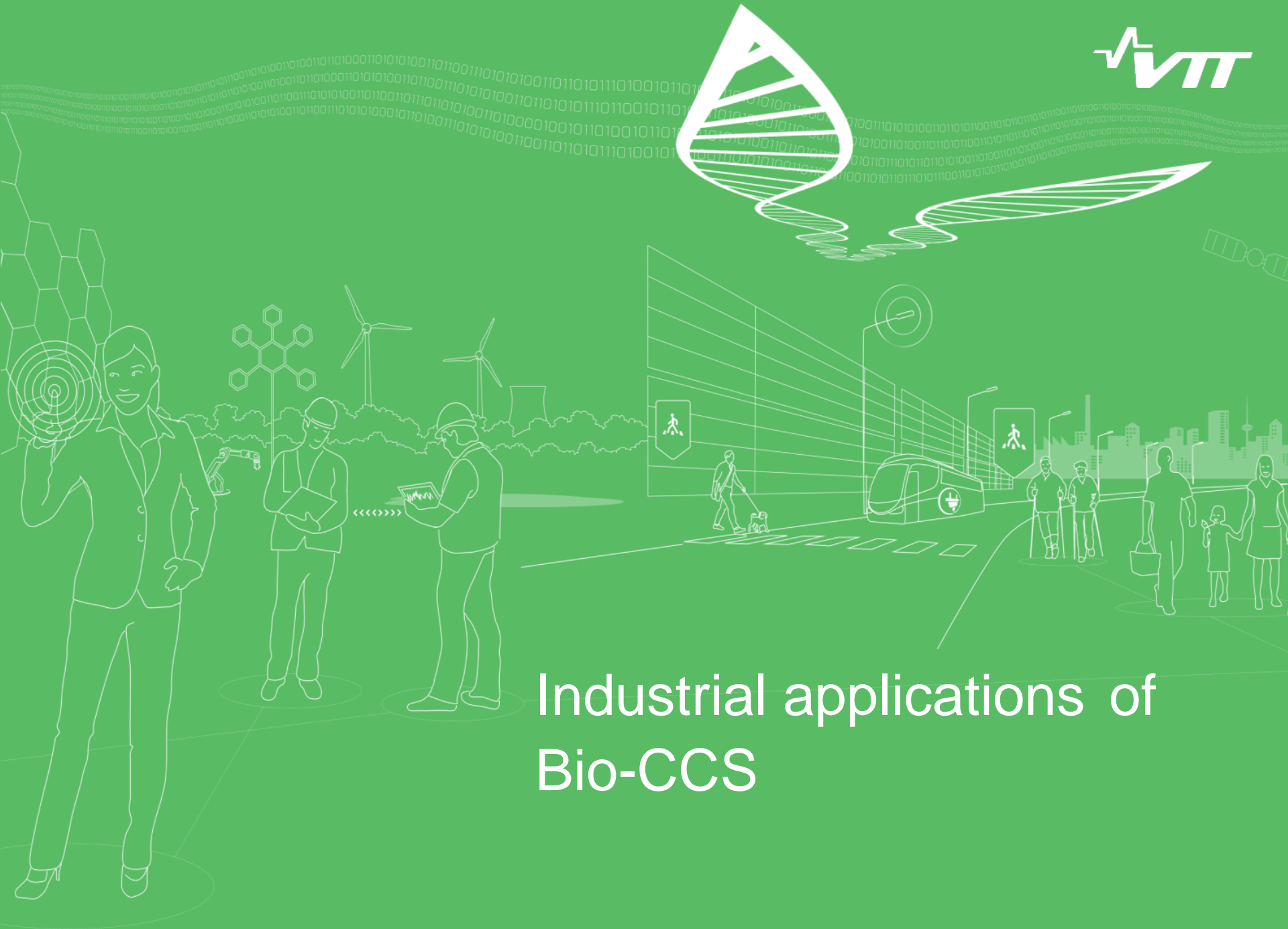
The critical question is the sustainable biomass supply

Biomass use in EU27 and targets for 2020, 2030 & 2050

(Source: EUBIONET, AEBIOM)



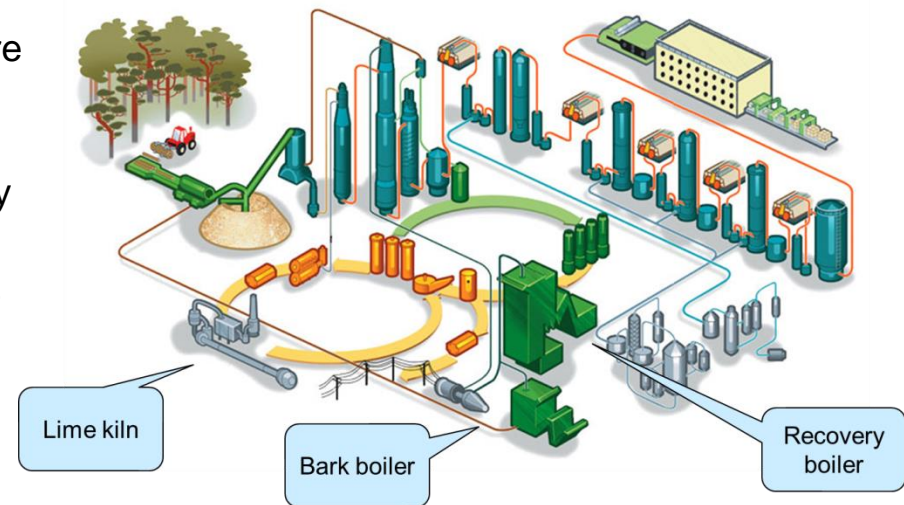
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Industrial applications of Bio-CCS

CCS in pulp and paper industry

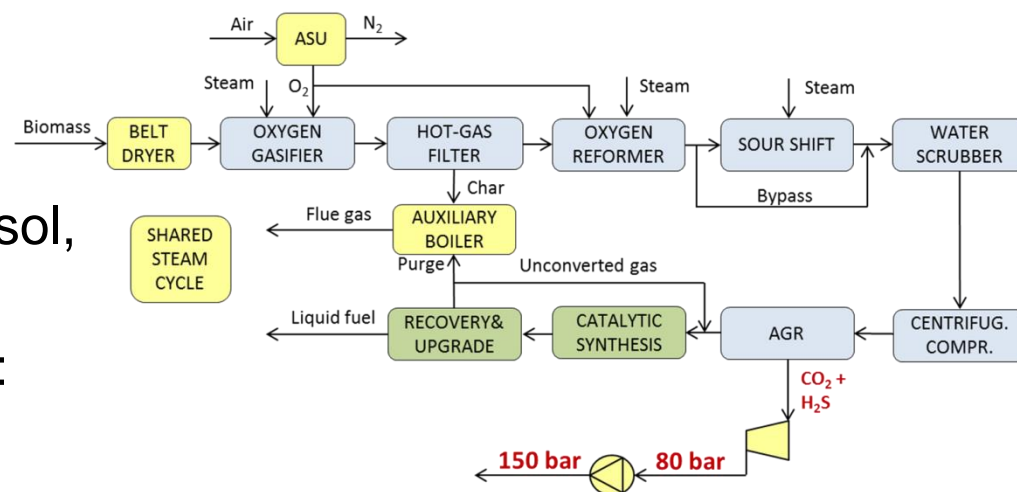
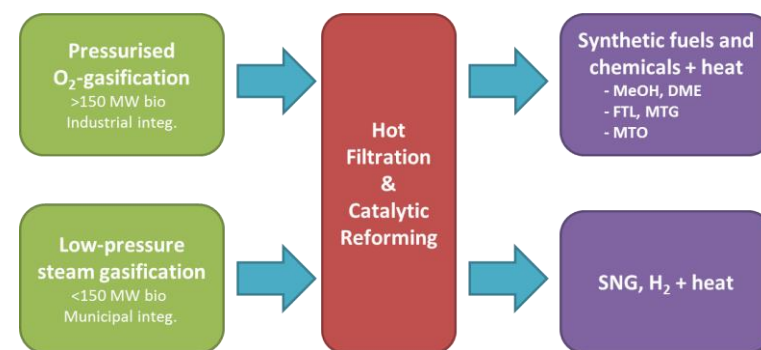
- Kraft pulping process is the most common modern pulping technology currently in use
- Majority of emissions from a pulp mill site are biogenic (Mt/a scale)
 - Fossil free pulp mills are possible but some amounts of fossil fuels generally utilised
 - Emissions scattered to several stacks on site
- Largest point sources on site
 - Lime kiln
 - Recovery boiler
 - Power boiler
- Essential parts of Kraft pulping process and chemical cycle -> high availability and operability are a MUST
 - Recovery of cooking chemicals
 - Recovery of energy
 - Producing power and heat



Kraft process for wood chemical pulping: 50% pulp yield from wood, 100% of biogenic carbon utilised as product or energy

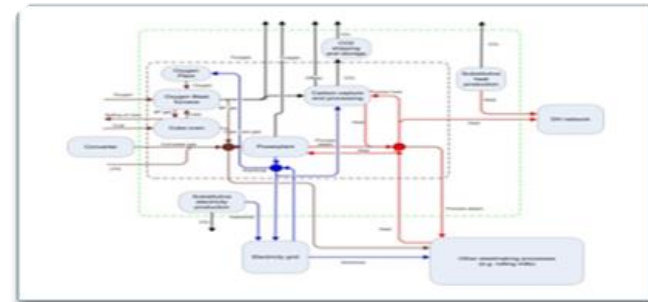
CCS in BtL (Biomass to Liquids) production (+ C1 chemistry)

- Gasification and sythesis based liquid biofuels production
 - MeOH, DME, FTL (e.g. FT diesel) & MTG
- Carbon capture is an essential part of the process, as H₂/CO ratio of synthesis gas must be adjusted according to the requirements of synthesis
- Pre-combustion capture technologies, such as Rectisol, Selexol etc...
- Updated techno-economics:
<http://bit.ly/192VI3G>



CCS in Iron and Steel industry

- BF + BOF most common process route globally (no alternative to fully replace, e.g. DRI)
 - Coke utilised as a reducing agent in blast furnace to extract iron from iron ore
- Largest emission sources (fossil fuel based): Blast furnace, blast furnace gas combustion in hot stoves, coke oven gas and converter gas
- Emissions can be reduced by utilising biomass as co-feed with coal
 - Up to levels of ~40% of coke consumption (PCI)
 - Cannot fully replace coal
- Options for reduction of emission: Oxygen blast furnace with flue gas circulation and CCS, Post combustion CCS, advanced smelting technologies etc.
- Significant reductions in GHG emissions possible with both, the PCC and OBF technologies



More information:

<http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.egypro.2013.06.648>

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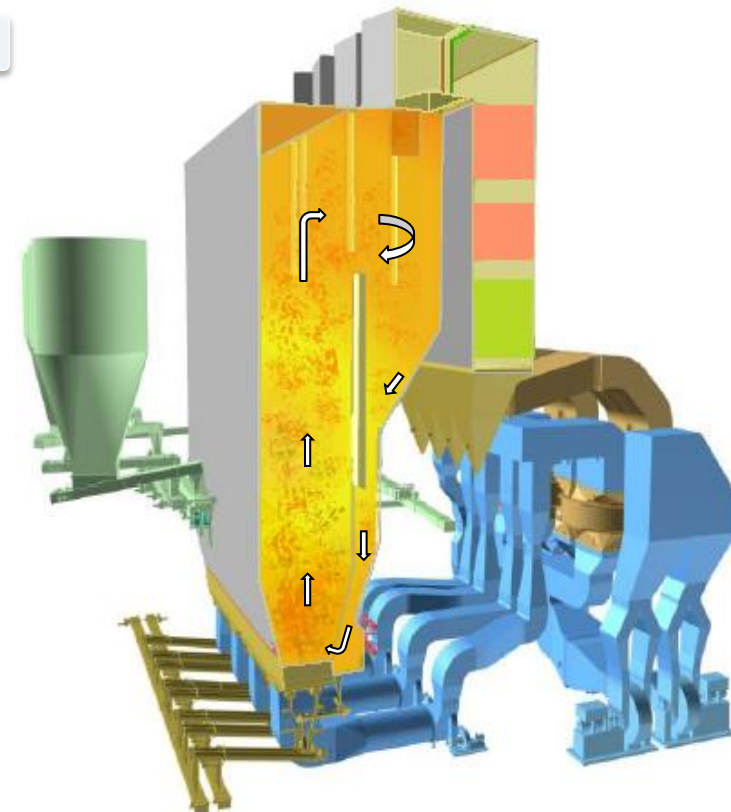
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CFB Co-combustion of Biomass and Coal Up to 800MW_e Scale

CFB Technology with:

- sub-critical steam parameters available up to scale 600MW_e with 100% coal and 100% Biomass firing (or anything between)
- super-critical steam parameters available up to ~600MW_e scale with 50% solid biomass share
- super-critical steam parameters available up to ~800MW_e scale with 20%

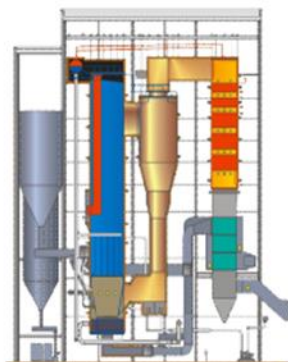
1. Fuel Flexibility



Towards negative CO₂ emissions with Oxy-CFB technology

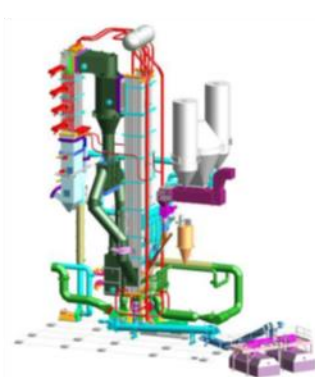
Fossil

- Low solids
- High solids



- High plant efficiency
- Fossil CO₂ emissions

Fossil with CO₂ capture

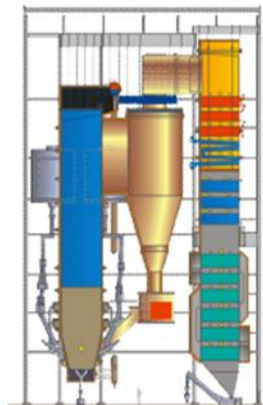


- 8...10 %-pts eff. penalty in CCS
- Up to 95% CO₂ capture rates

Higher OPEX* and CAPEX than without capture

Bio/Multi

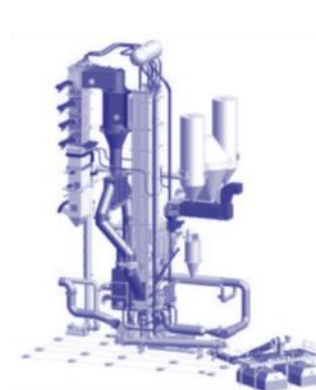
- Agro
- Wood



- Good plant efficiency
- Zero (biogenic) CO₂ emissions

Higher OPEX* and CAPEX than with fossil fuels

Bio/Multi with CO₂ capture



- Efficiency penalty similar to fossil
- "Negative" CO₂ emissions

Highest OPEX* and CAPEX

Impact of CCS to CHP

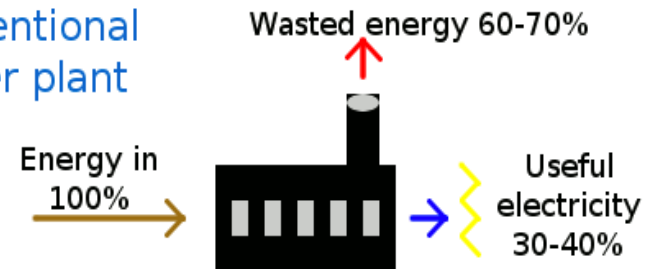
- Generally, over 90 % process efficiency is achievable in CHP production if large heat distribution system and relatively continuous heat consumption exist.
- In CCS processes utilisation of relatively low temperature heat from capture plant, ASU or CO₂ compression in district heating system (and/or industrial applications) offers significant potential to increase overall efficiency.

CHP vs. power only:

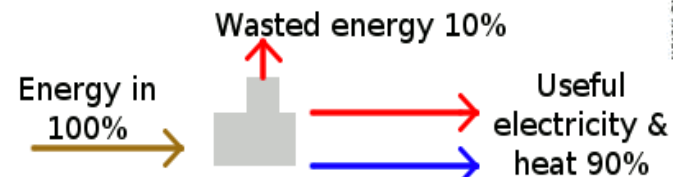
Several CCS estimations available under public domain

Lower break-even price for CCS due to heat utilisation

Conventional power plant



CHP power plant



Conclusions across technologies and sectors

- Bio-CCS can lead to carbon negative impact e.g. remove CO₂ from the atmosphere
 - In order to go carbon negative sustainability of biomass has to be secured
 - However, storing biogenic CO₂ should be considered as storing fossil CO₂ (as there is no difference in climate perspective) independent on the discussion regarding carbon neutrality of biomass
- In general, same technologies for carbon capture can be considered as with fossil power production and industries
 - Liquid biofuels production may be a appealing target for deployment with near-pure CO₂ streams
- Some differences and restrictions regarding implementation of Bio-CCS in comparison to fossil CCS such as shares of biomass in co-firing, regional availability, typical sizes of installations and availability of sustainable raw material



Thank you for your attention!

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