CO2-fangst fra Jenbacher gasgeneratorer på VandcenterSyd kombineret med brint produktion

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Introduction to PureteQ Group

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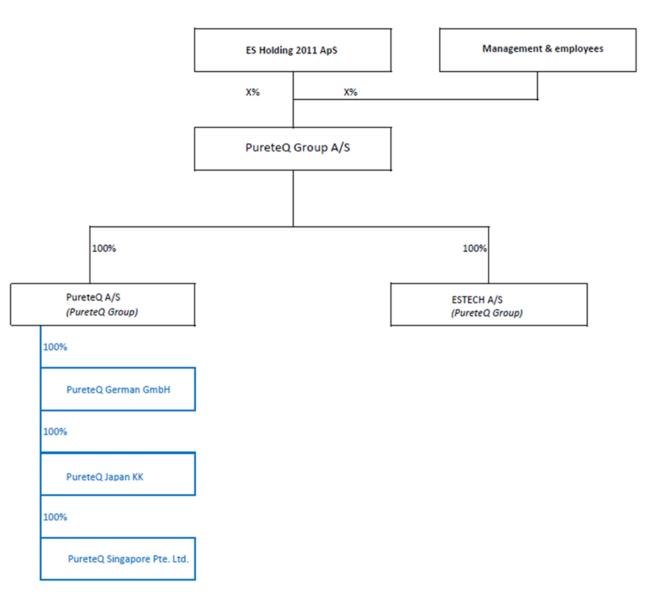
- PureteQ Group consist of:
- PureteQ A/S

An engineering company. The primary activity is design, production, installation, commissioning and servicing of exhaust gas cleaning systems (scrubbers) for the shipping industry worldwide.

• ESTECH A/S

An engineering and development company, developing sustainable environmental technologies.

 Both companies are located in Svendborg (DK) with administration, design, development, testing centre and production facilities



## PureteQ A/S Gas Cleaning System

- PureteQ was established in 2010 to invent and patent technologies that could transform Environmental issues into sustainable solutions.
- Owned by the Danish entrepreneur and industrialist Erik Skjaerbaek and some of the employees.
- Since 2014 development of patented SOx scrubbers for maritime application.
- 1st Hybrid Scrubber system installed and commissioned in spring of 2015. Since then, more than 100 operational and approved scrubbers have been delivered.



## PureteQ In-Line Open Tower Exhaust Gas Cleaning System





- Open Tower no packed bed low back pressure
- High alloy for long life
- Hydrodynamic fluid distribution
- Best energy performance in the market
- Superior Control System with remote access
- Now available as Generation II for reduction of total cost of installation.

# Outperforms traditional scrubber systems

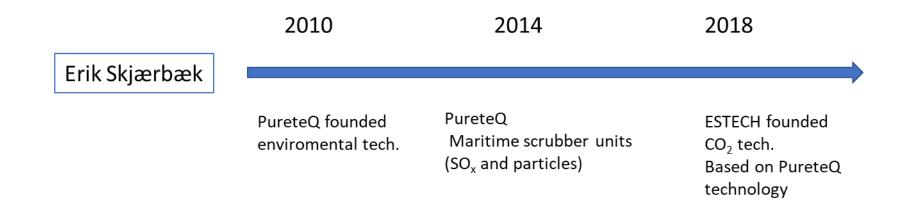


## PureteQ Scrubber systems





- ESTECH A/S, established in late 2018, is an engineering and development company, developing sustainable environmental technologies. Currently CCUS and PtX technologies are the sole focus.
- ESTECH A/S has developed a patented Combined Carbon Capture Hydrogen production (CCCH2) technology based on the vast scrubber experience from PureteQ A/S

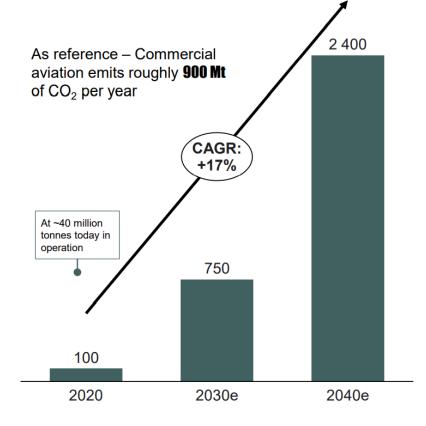


## Why Carbon Capture

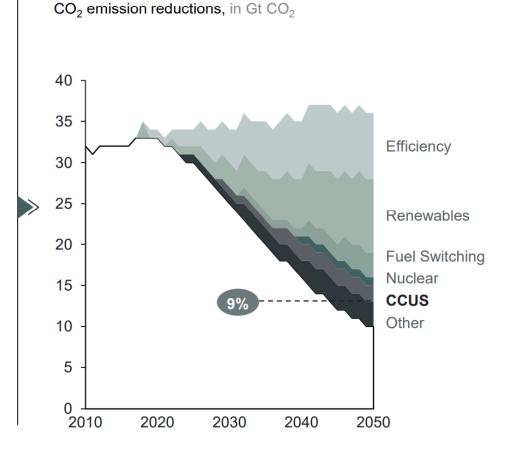
Carbon capture plays an important role in mitigating climate change and will act as a key measure to reduce global CO<sub>2</sub> emissions

Carbon capture capacity of 2 400 million tonnes / year is needed by 2040 to meet Paris Agreement of 1.5 degrees

Carbon capture capacity to meet Paris Agreement, million tonnes



9% of all  $CO_2$  reductions to reach Paris Agreement is expected to come from CCUS according to IEA<sup>1</sup>



## New regulation is driving the market price for carbon upwards with record levels set during 2021

Cost of  $CO_2$  almost three folded during 2021 with analysts expecting ...cost incre

...cost increases mainly driven by different national and regional pricing initiatives across the world

Map of carbon taxes and emission trading systems, 2021

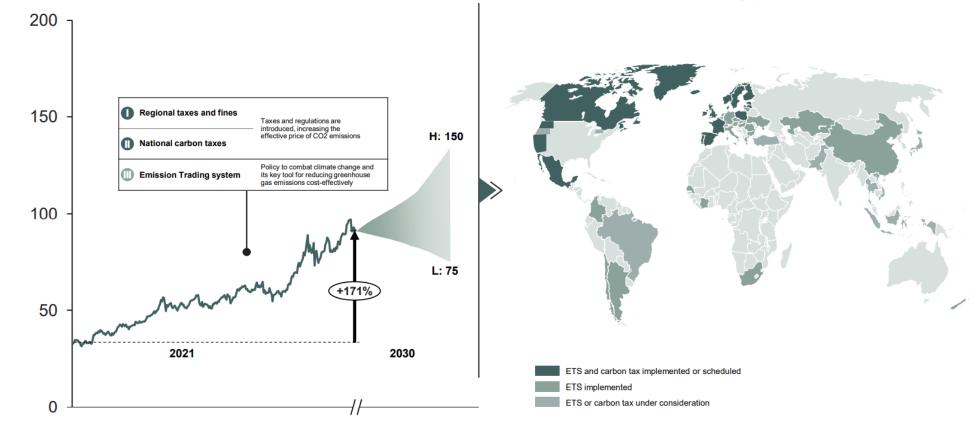
continued growth going forward...

EUA futures prices, EUR/tonnes





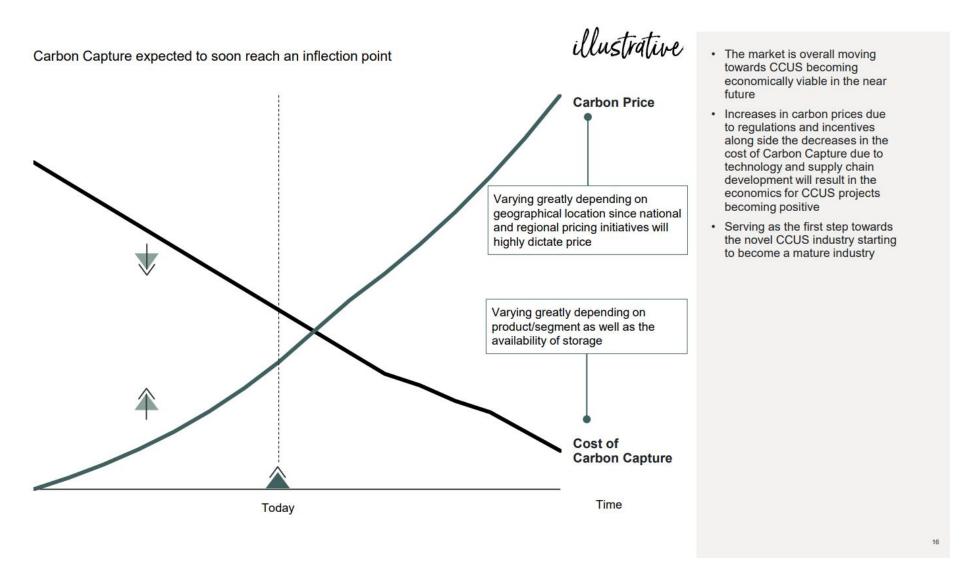
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Project economics expected to turn positive as price for carbon capture decreases and price for carbon increases

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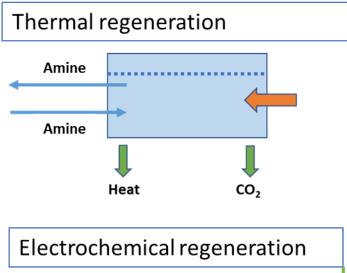


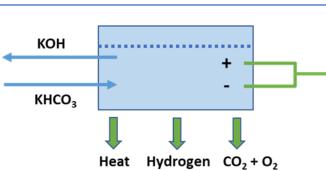
## Carbon Capture Technologies

Carbon capture a future necessity Many old and new technologies exist

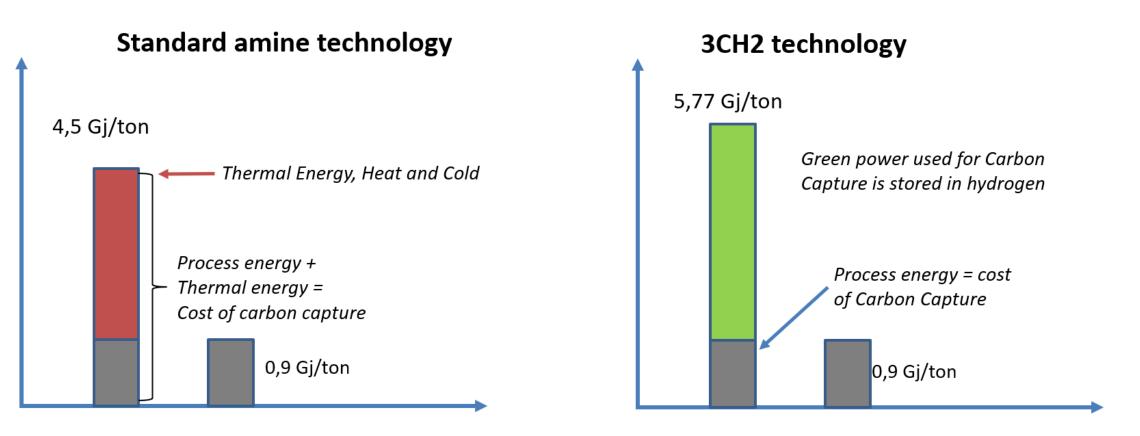
- Amine-based process (ARC)
- Carbonation/calcination (Direct Air capture)
- ESTECH CCCH2 Electrolyzing



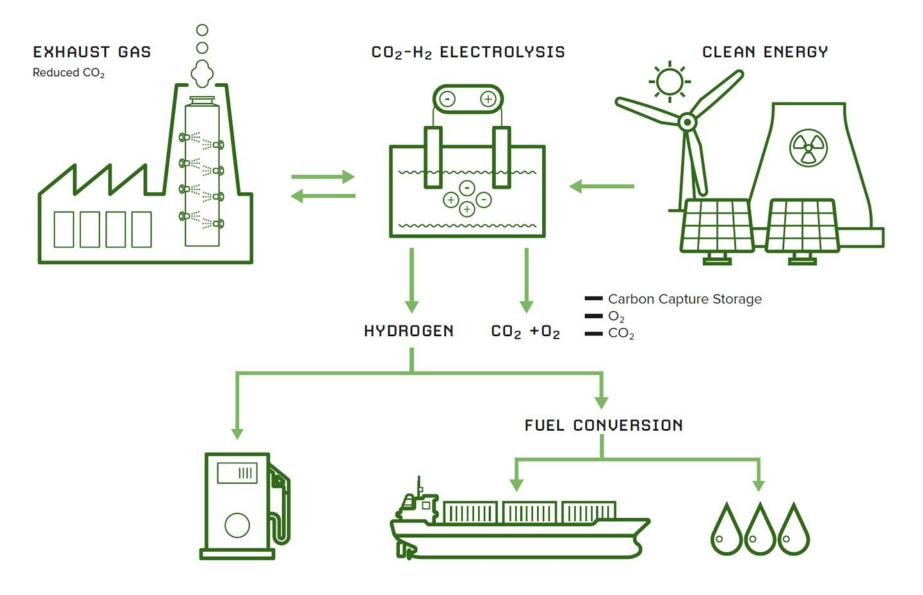




### Comparison of Energy Consumption



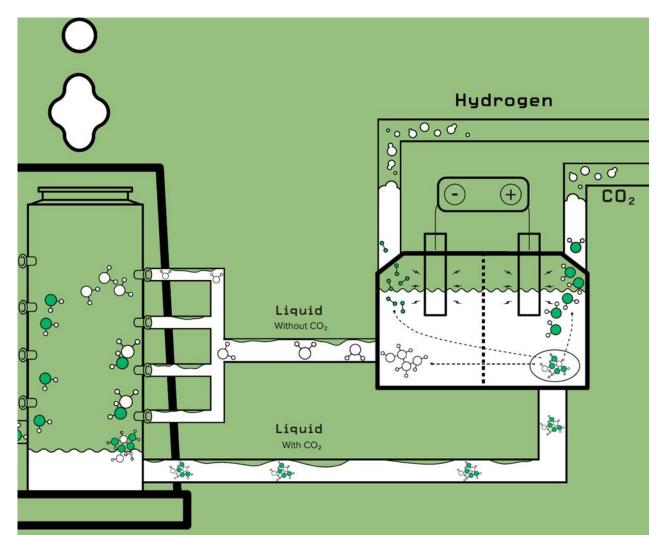
As may be seen on the above comparison, the total amount of energy needed for the 3CH2 technology is bigger than that of a standard amine process. However, most of the energy is stored in the hydrogen produced in the 3CH2, thus making the 3CH2 technology much more economical attractive. ESTECH Technology



## Technology details

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- Step 1: CO<sub>2</sub> absorption in unloaded fluid
- Step 2: CO<sub>2</sub> loaded fluid can be stored
- Step 3: CO<sub>2</sub> loaded fluid can be transferred to electrolyzer
- Step 4: CO<sub>2</sub> is electrochemically released, and the fluid is regenerated



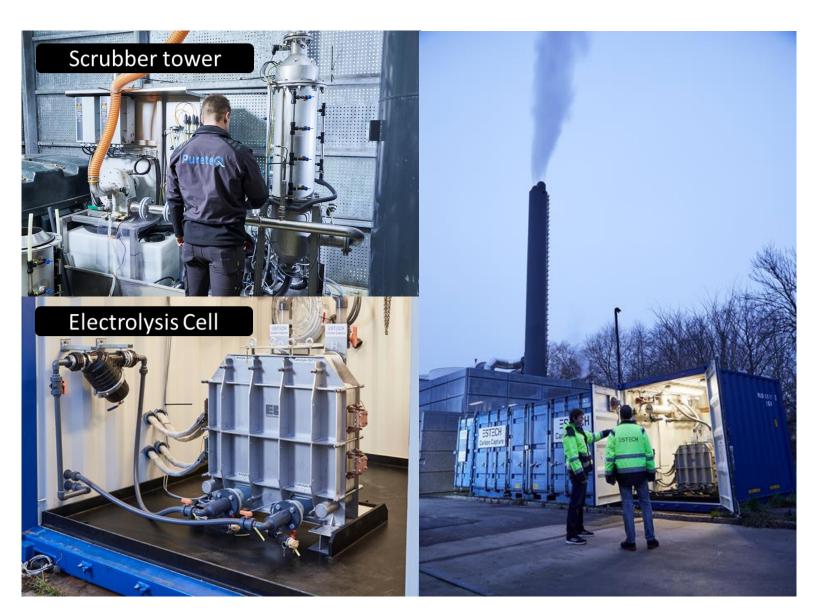
The circular process where  $CO_2$  and hydrogen are released from the fluid. The fluid is regenerated in the process, ensuring no loss of chemicals

## CO2 capture at VandCenterSyd

#### • The ESTECH CO<sub>2</sub> pilot plant:

- Scrubber tower: PureteQ design.
- Installed January 2021
- Electrolysis unit:
- In house design of tanks/pumps/control
  - Commercial Electrolyzer
  - Installed June 2021
- Process optimization and verification, gas purities verified, 24/7 operation, lifetime demonstration
- Supported by the Innobooster programme





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## CO2 capture at VandCenterSyd - demonstration plant



- The ESTECH CO<sub>2</sub>
  Demonstration plant:
- > 200 kg  $CO_2$ /hour
- To be installed May 2023
- Supported by EUDP
- Partners: DTU, VCS and DGC

	Pilot	Demonstration
	EST1020 Innobooster	EST1030 EUDP design
1 CO2 scrubber/absorber tower	$\bigotimes$	$\bigotimes$
2 Water treatment		$\bigotimes$
3 Control – pumps – tanks	$\bigotimes$	$\bigcirc$
4 Electrolyzer	$\bigotimes$	$\bigcirc$
5 $CO_2 - O_2$ Separation		$\bigotimes$
6 $H_2$ treatment		$\bigotimes$

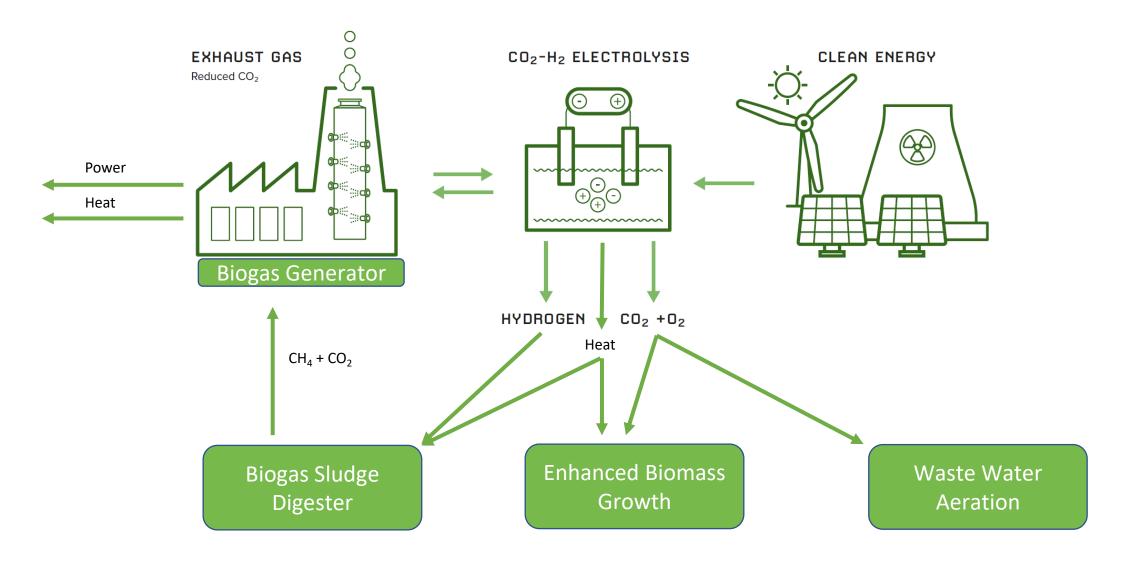
## **EUDP C** The Energy Technology Development and Demonstration Programme

## EST1030 EUDP Installation





## The coupling case at VandCenterSyd



## Business case and test results

Business case is very depending on the following:

- Cost of Clean or Green electrical power
- CO<sub>2</sub> quota (Carbon Credit) or tax cost
- Hydrogen sales price

Cost comparison between known Carbon capture Technology based on amines and the 3CH2 technology based on lye and an electrochemical process shows:

• Standard amine technology:

Euro 54-80/ton CO<sub>2</sub> captured

• 3CH2 Technology:

Euro 22-28/ton CO<sub>2</sub> captured

#### TEST RESULTS:

83% CO<sub>2</sub> captured

DGC have tested the hydrogen produced and the calorific value is very good

### DGC

Gasanalyse, udvalgte sporstoffer i hydrogen

Målerapport:	749.54/21.317	
Rekvirent:	Estech	
	Att. Jan Stougaard Jakobsen	
	Sverigesvej 13	
	5700 Svendborg	
Beskrivelse:	rivelse: Gasprove fra test-anlæg hos Vandcenter Syd, udtaget af Brian Ildved, DG 07.07.2021.	
Gassammensætni	ng <sup>#</sup>	
hydrogen	99.44 mol-%	
nitrogen	0.34 mol-%	
ilt	0.20 mol-%	
kuldioxid	3 ppm	
metan	<1 ppm	
øvrige kulbrinter "	187 ppm C	
Beregnede værdie	er	
øvre brændværdi	12.69 MJ/Nm <sup>3</sup>	

<sup>#</sup>gassammensætning på tør basis

## bl.a. tetrahydrofuran, 2-butanon, 3-methyl-2-butanon og cyclohexanon

Hørsholm, 12.07.21

#### Leo van Gruijthuijsen

Elektronisk udstedt rapport. Kun gyldig med OCES digital signatur for Leo van Gruijthuijsen, Dansk Gasteknisk Center.

## Thank you for your attention



• Questions

