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Outline

- Current Status of CCS regulations & challenges
- CO_2 regulations (including flaring from Oil and Gas Activities)
- CO_2 sources & possible capture/ technologies
- Potential areas for CCS
- Legislative barriers for CCS implementation & solutions
- Future of CCS in the Philippines

Current Status of CCS Regulations and Challenges

- **No current government regulation for CCS**

- **Expected Challenges:**
  - **Social perception / acceptability**
  - **High cost of upgrading infrastructure / processing facilities**
  - **Stability of geological formations**
  - **Viability in deepwater environment**
  - **Applicability to marginal fields**

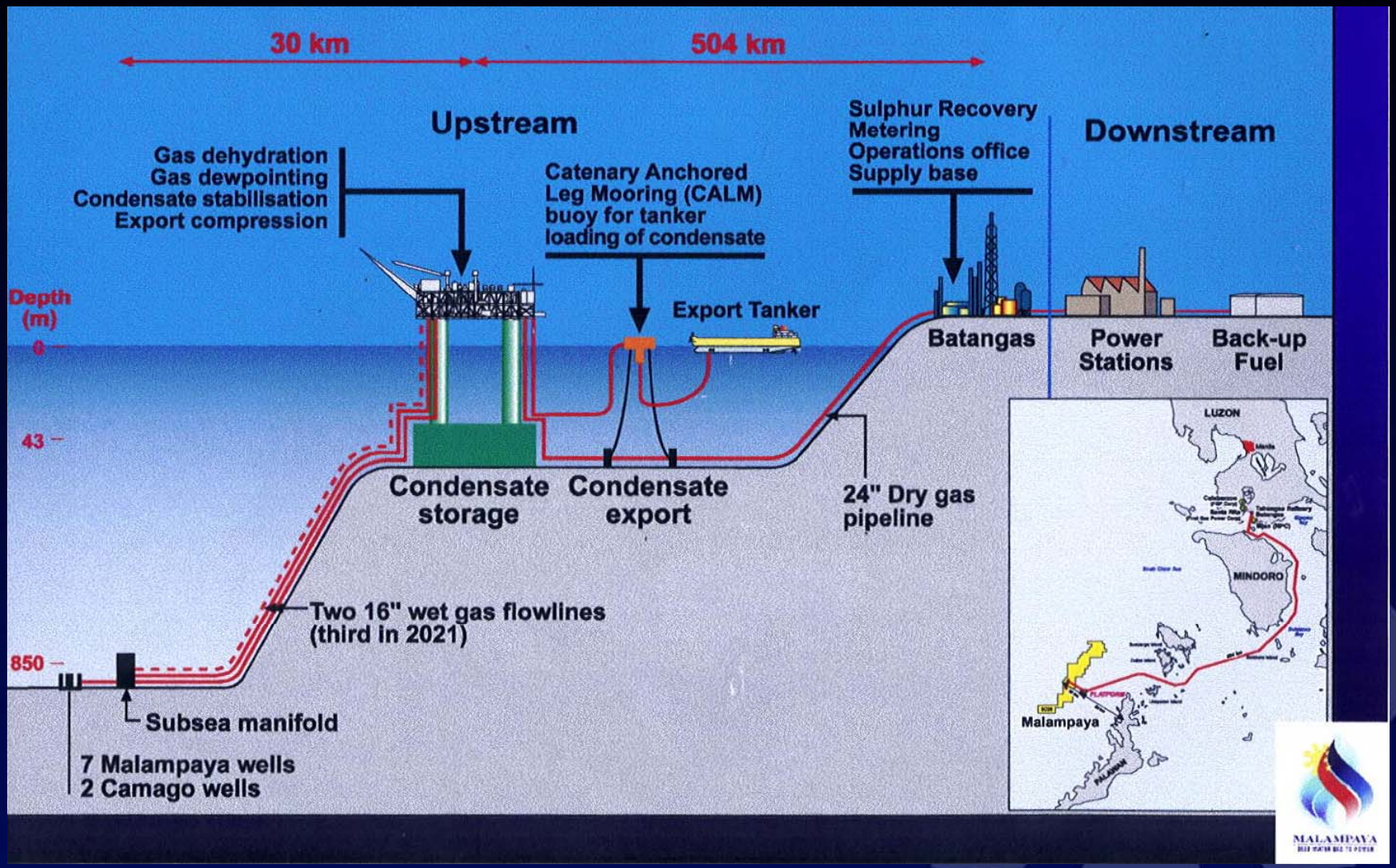
CO_2 Regulations (including flaring from Oil and Gas Activities)

- No regulation governs CO_2 emission except that of the guidelines issued by the Environmental Management Bureau of DENR as stated in the Environmental Compliance Certificate (ECC)
- In the ECC, gas flaring restrictions / limits are stated but no specific volume or amount of gas to be flared
- Operators are required to submit monthly reports on their gas emission / flaring

Possible CO_2 Sources & Potential Areas for CCS

- Power Plants
- Oil & Gas fields

MALAMPAYA DEEPWATER GAS-TO-POWER PROJECT



Legislative Barriers for CCS Implementation & Solutions

- **BARRIERS:**
  - Technology acceptability & feasibility

- **SOLUTIONS:**
  - Pilot projects
  - Cooperative projects with other countries
  - Implement and adapt Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) Projects
  - Grant additional fiscal incentives

Future of CCS in the Philippines

- **Research and development as well as pilot projects should be conducted**
- **Work cooperation with other countries and agencies (i.e. CCOP) working on CCS projects should be encouraged**

CONCLUSION

- **CCS Technology can be viable and feasible for the Philippines in the near future**

End of Presentation

Thank you for your attention!