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CCS & the global climate change issues

CCOP-Norway EPPM Program 3rd Seminar

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Outline of my talk



1 Why CCS & what are the current issues?

Climate issue

Reduce the CO₂ content in the produced gas

Use CO₂ for enhanced recovery

Find storage sites

2 Mapping of suitable CCS reservoir

Criteria & process of selection

Cross-boarder collaboration- challenges and solutions

Tools & capacities needed

Case studies

3 Role(s) of geosciences

Norwegian Petroleum Directorate

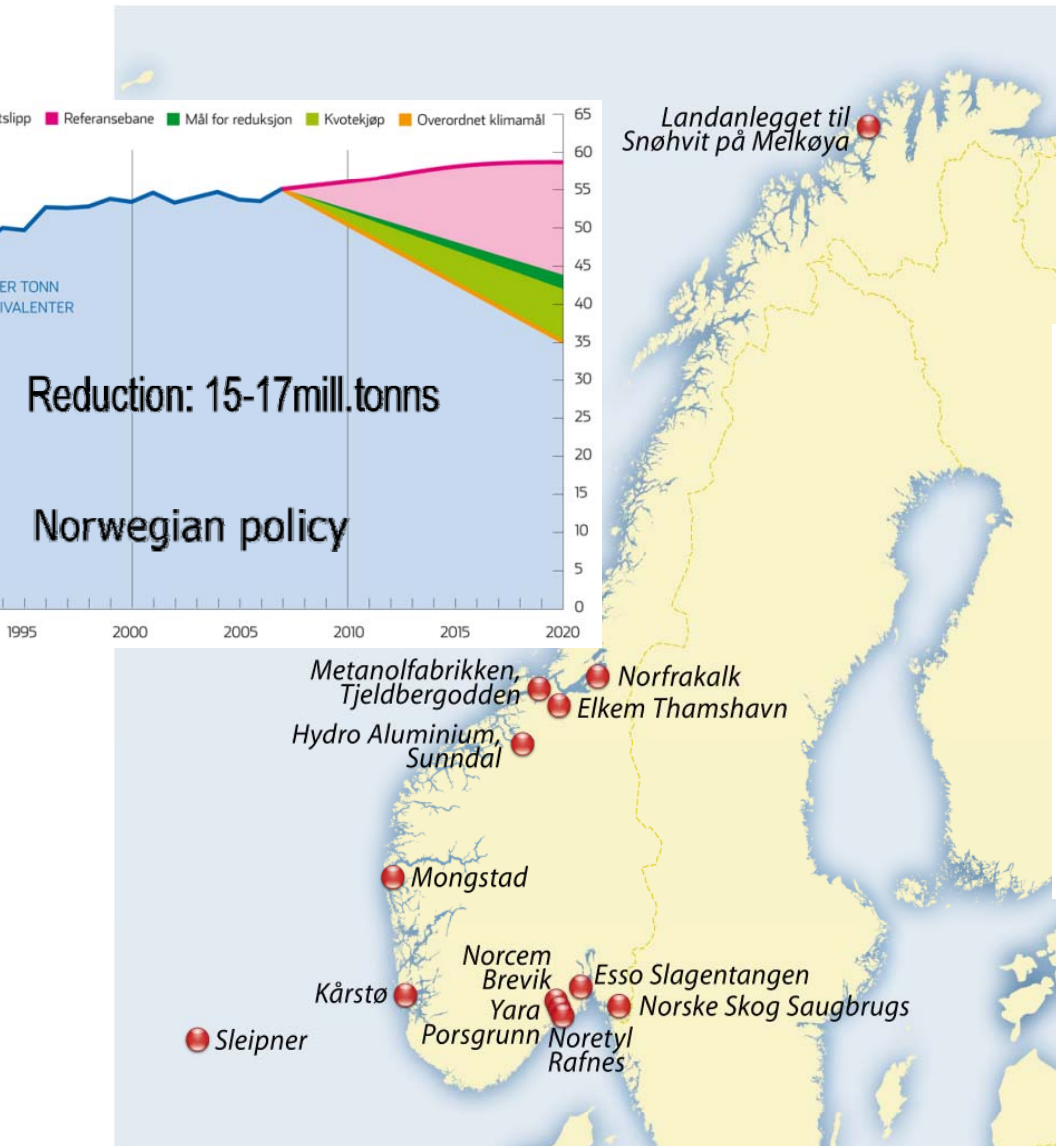


- ◆ Subordinate to the Ministry of Petroleum and Energy (MPE)
 - ◆ Advisory body to the MPE
 - ◆ Exercise management authority
- ◆ Established 1972 in Stavanger
- ◆ 220 employees; – engineers, geologists, economist etc

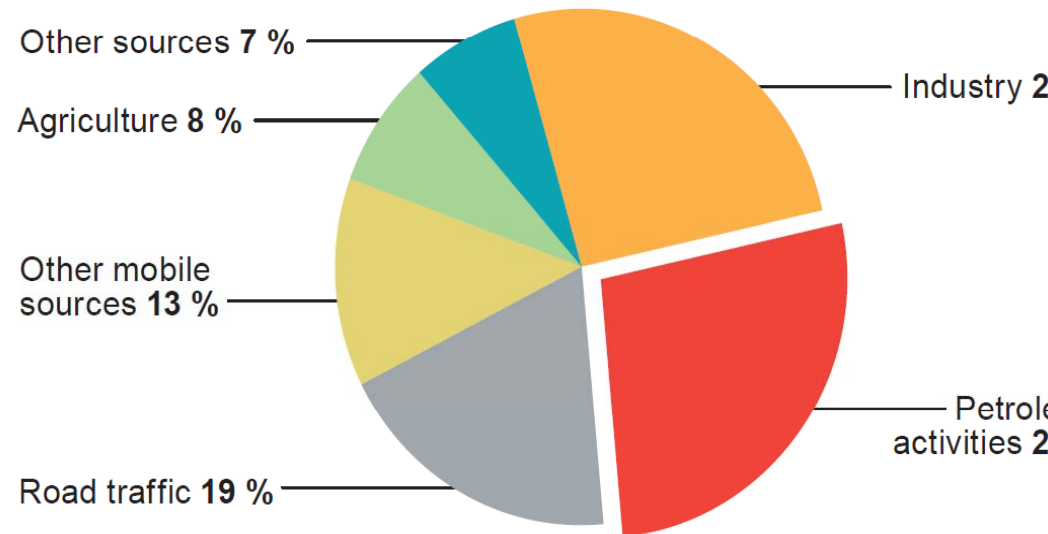
The Norwegian Petroleum Directorate will contribute in **creating the greatest possible value for society from oil and gas activities by means of prudent resource management**, based on safety, emergency preparedness and safeguarding the natural environment.



CO₂- emissions from Norwegian sources



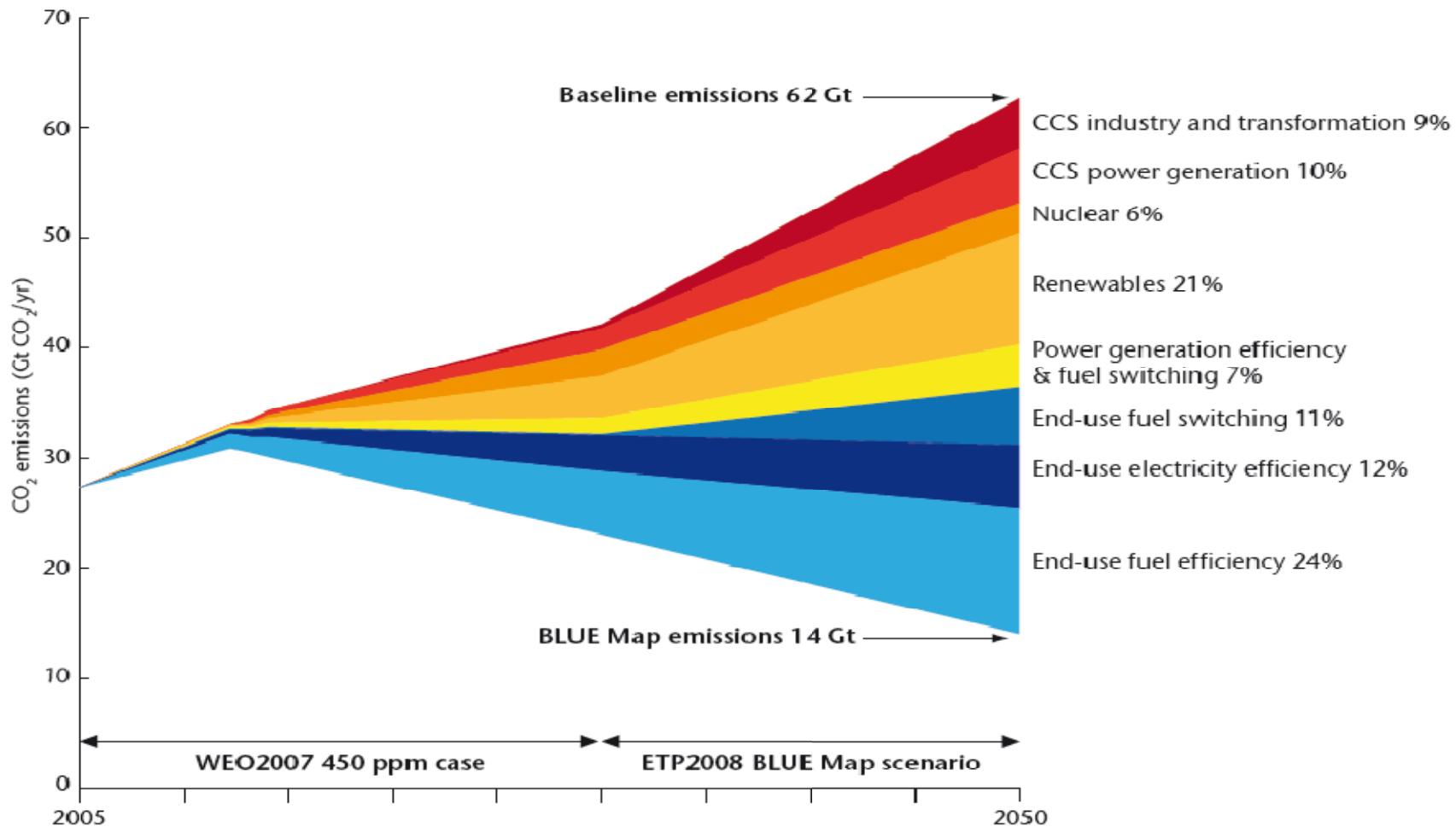
Sources of Norwegian CO₂ emissions, 2008



Total CO₂ emissions
ca. 45 million tonns/year

CCS Potential: up to 20% of needed reductions

Figure 1: CCS delivers one-fifth of the lowest-cost GHG reduction solution in 2050



Source: IEA, *Energy Technology Perspectives* (2008a).

KEY POINT: Without CCS, overall costs to halve CO₂ emissions levels by 2050 increase by 70%.

Internationally



The Global CCS Institute formally launched at G8/Major Economic Forum in Italy 9th July 2009

Testimonial

"If we want to reduce our greenhouse gas emissions by 80% in 2050, we certainly need Carbon Capture and Storage" (Andris Piebalgs, EU Energy Commissioner)

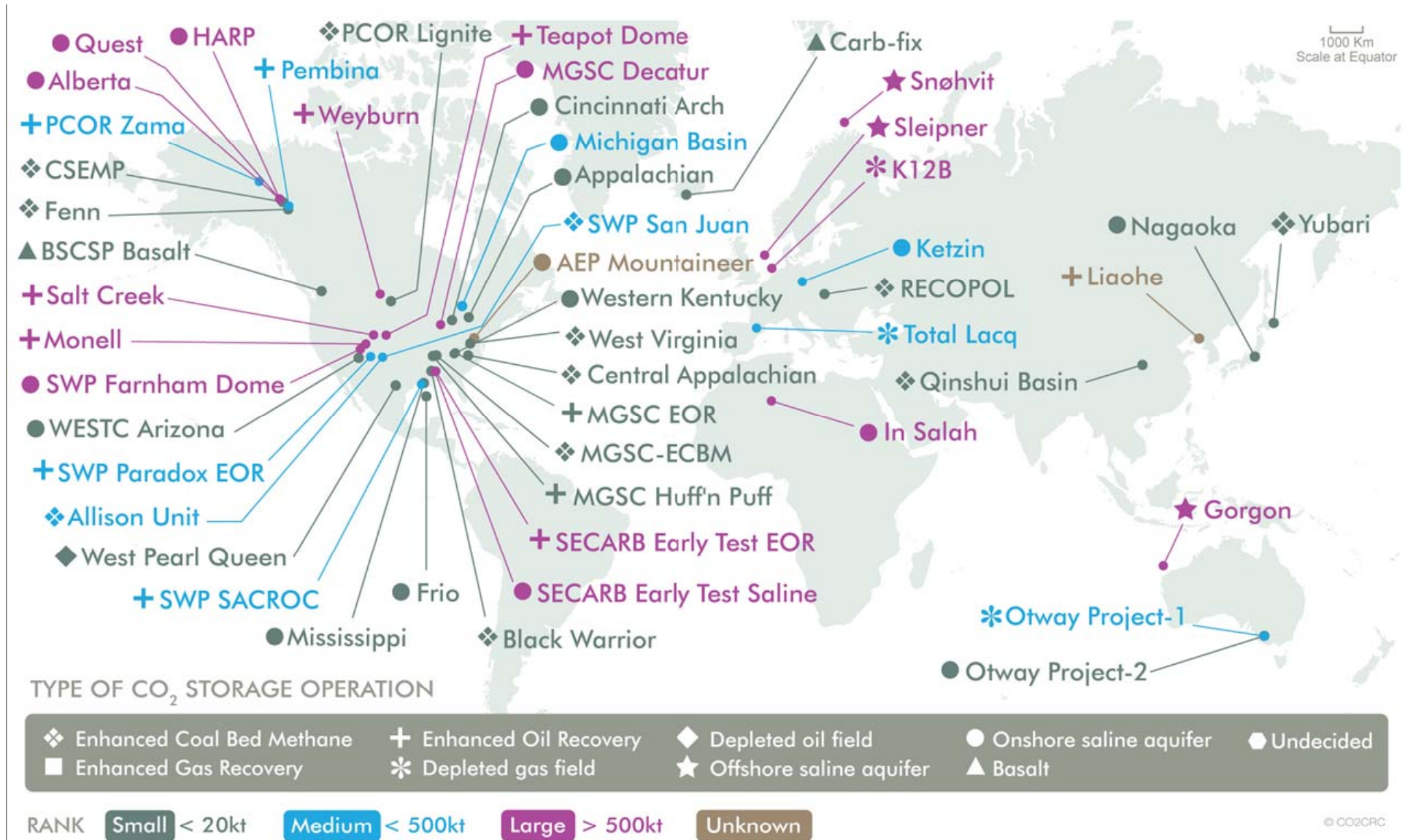
The European Council has called for a demonstration programme of up to 12 large-scale CCS projects to be operational by 2015



"We strongly support the recommendation that 20 large scale CCS demonstration projects need to be launched globally by 2010, with a view to supporting technology development and cost reduction for the beginning of broad deployment of CCS by 2020."

G8 Statement of June 2008

CO₂ active projects



CO₂ value chain

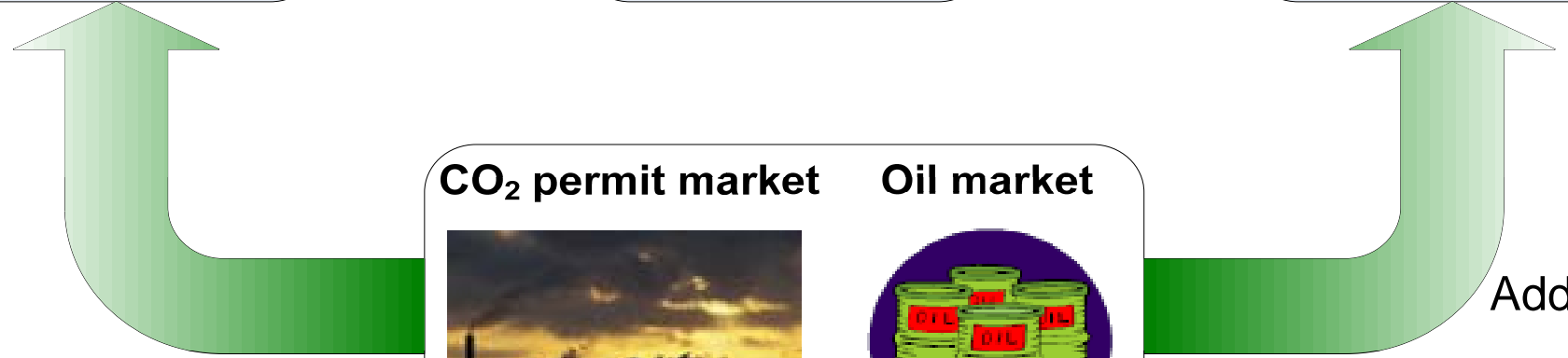
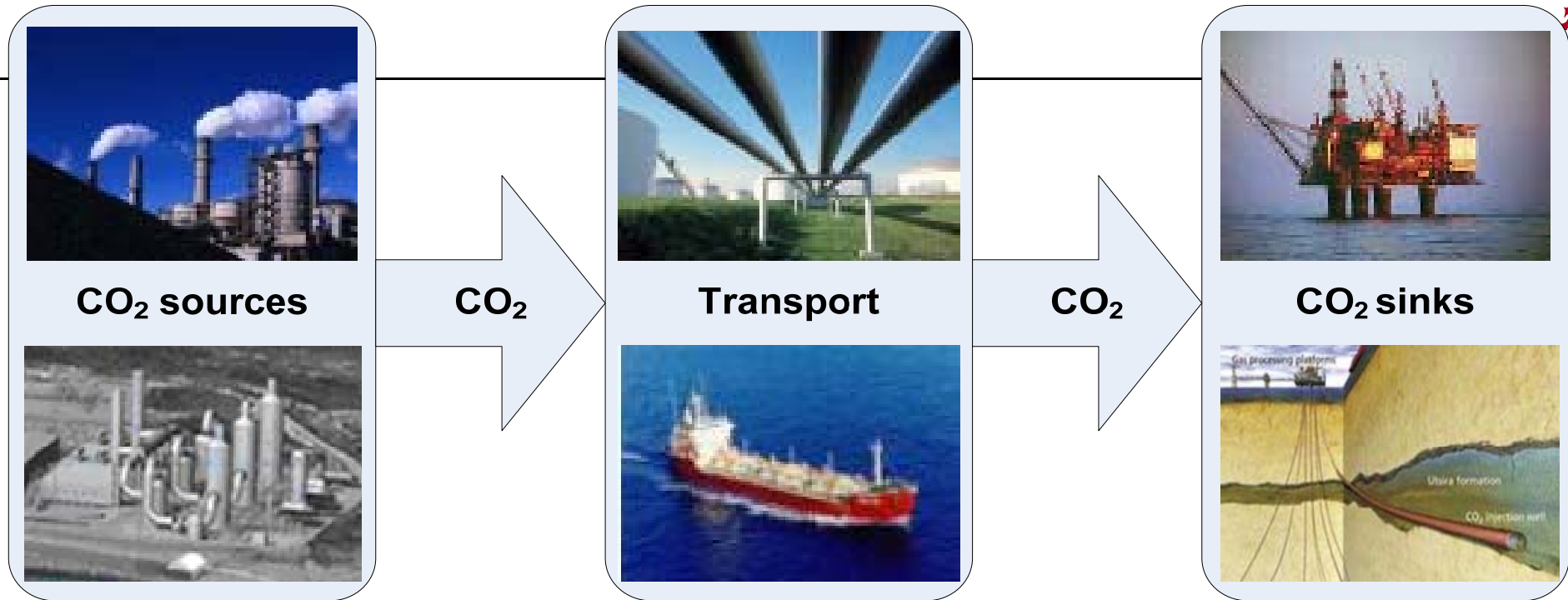


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mechanisms and
emission trading schemes

CO₂ permit market **Oil market**

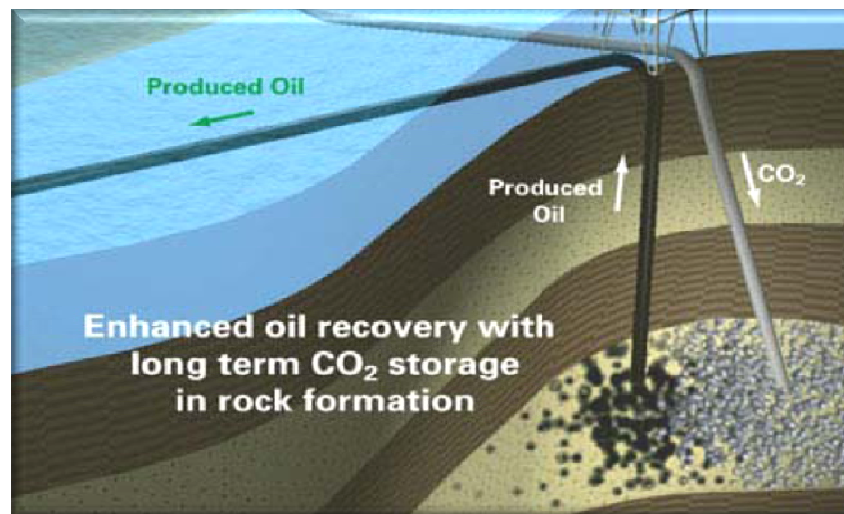
Additional oil
if CO₂-enhanced
recovery feasible

CCS – just expensive or good value-creation?

- ✓ Gas with high CO₂ content - Sales gas specification (Sleipner, Snøhvit)
- ✓ Enhanced hydrocarbon recovery
- ✓ Increased industrial production
- ✓ Offer good quality storage sites – business opportunities



..and reduce the CO₂ emission to air



Four Large CO₂ Commercial Projects in Operation

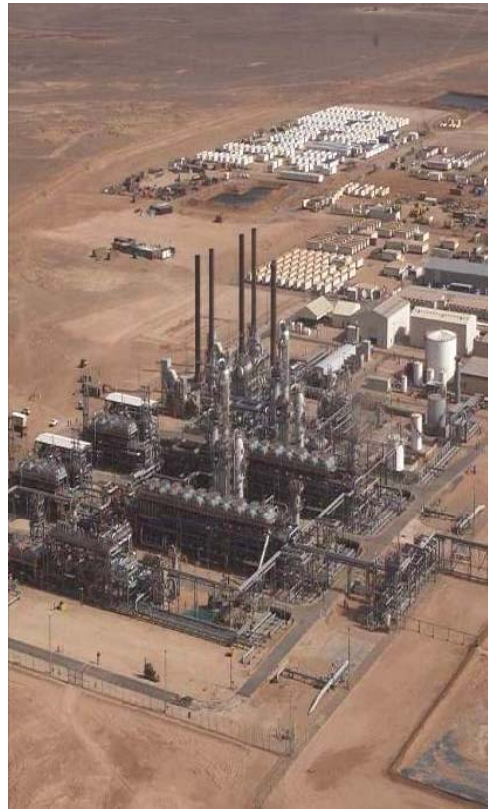


Sleipner, Norway



Operator: Statoil
1 million tonnes of
CO₂/year

In Salah, Algeria



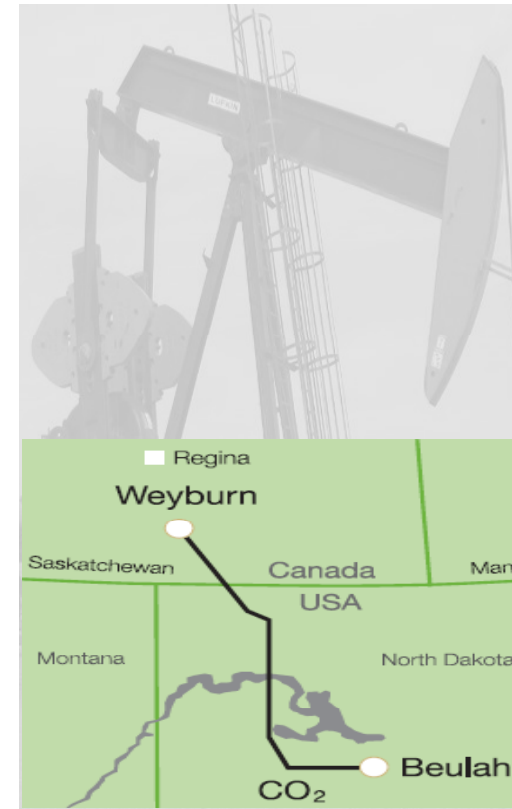
Operators: BP, Statoil and
Sonatrach
0.8-1.2 million tonnes of
CO₂/year

Snøhvit, Norway



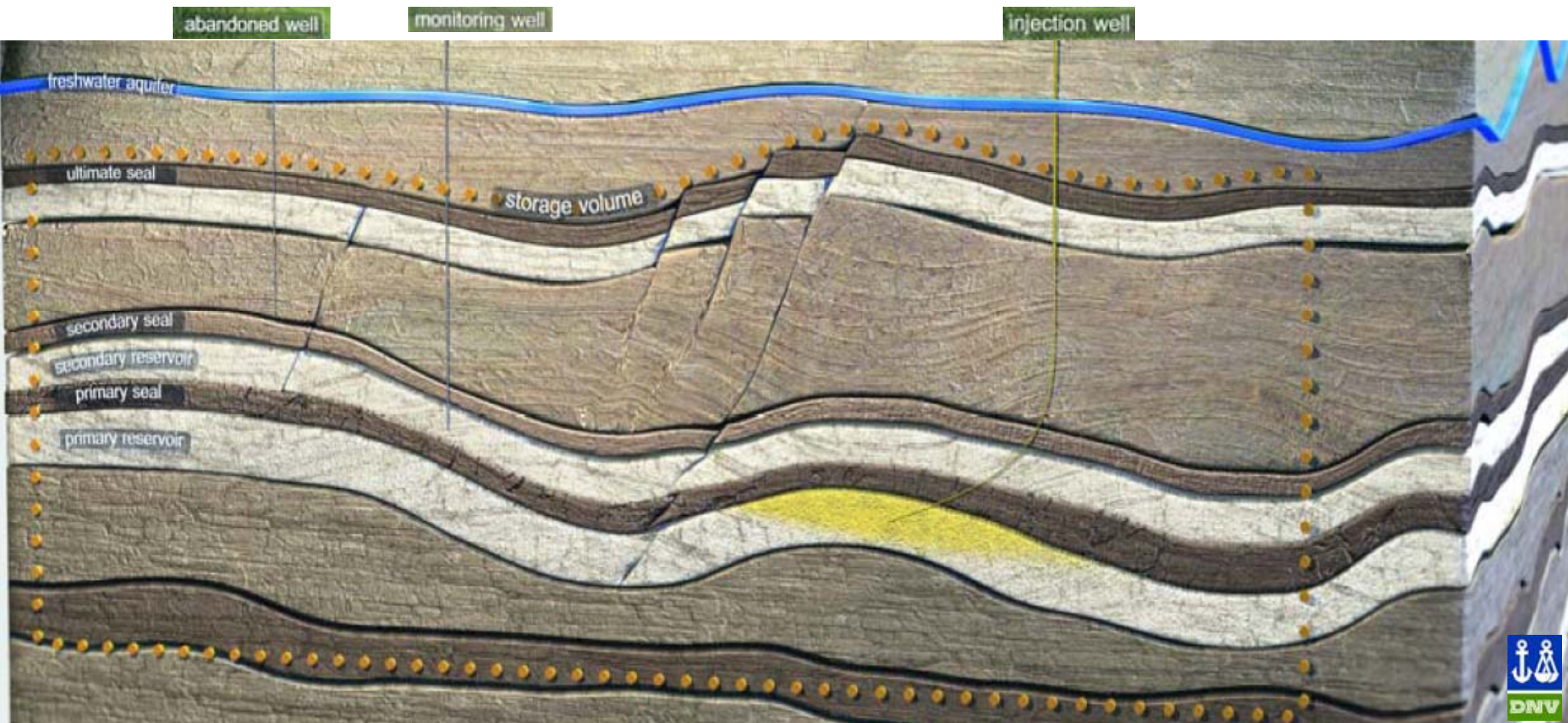
Operator: Statoil
0.7 million tonnes of
CO₂/year

Weyburn, Canada

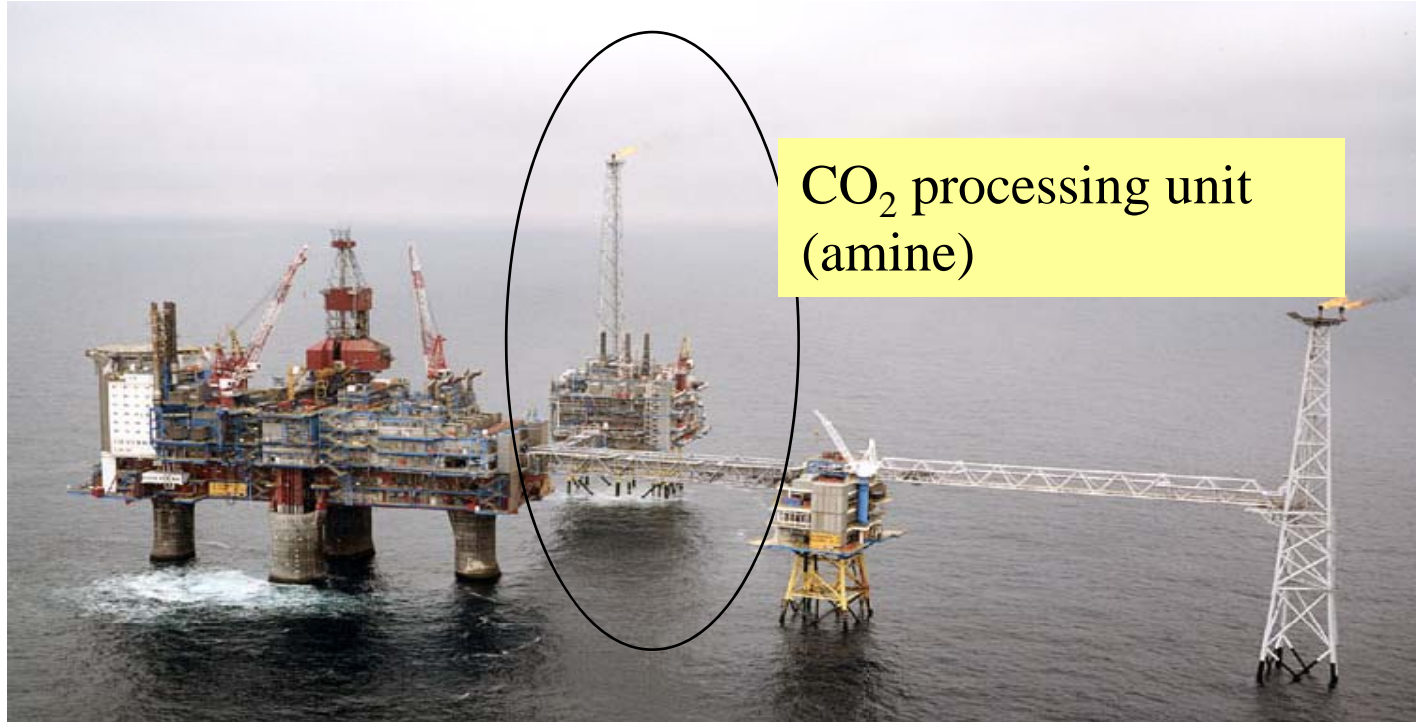


Operator: EnCana
1.8 million tonnes of
CO₂/year

Storage of CO₂ in the bedrock: an illustration



Sleipner CO₂ separation and injection



Started in 1996 – 10 year of CO₂-injection in October 2006

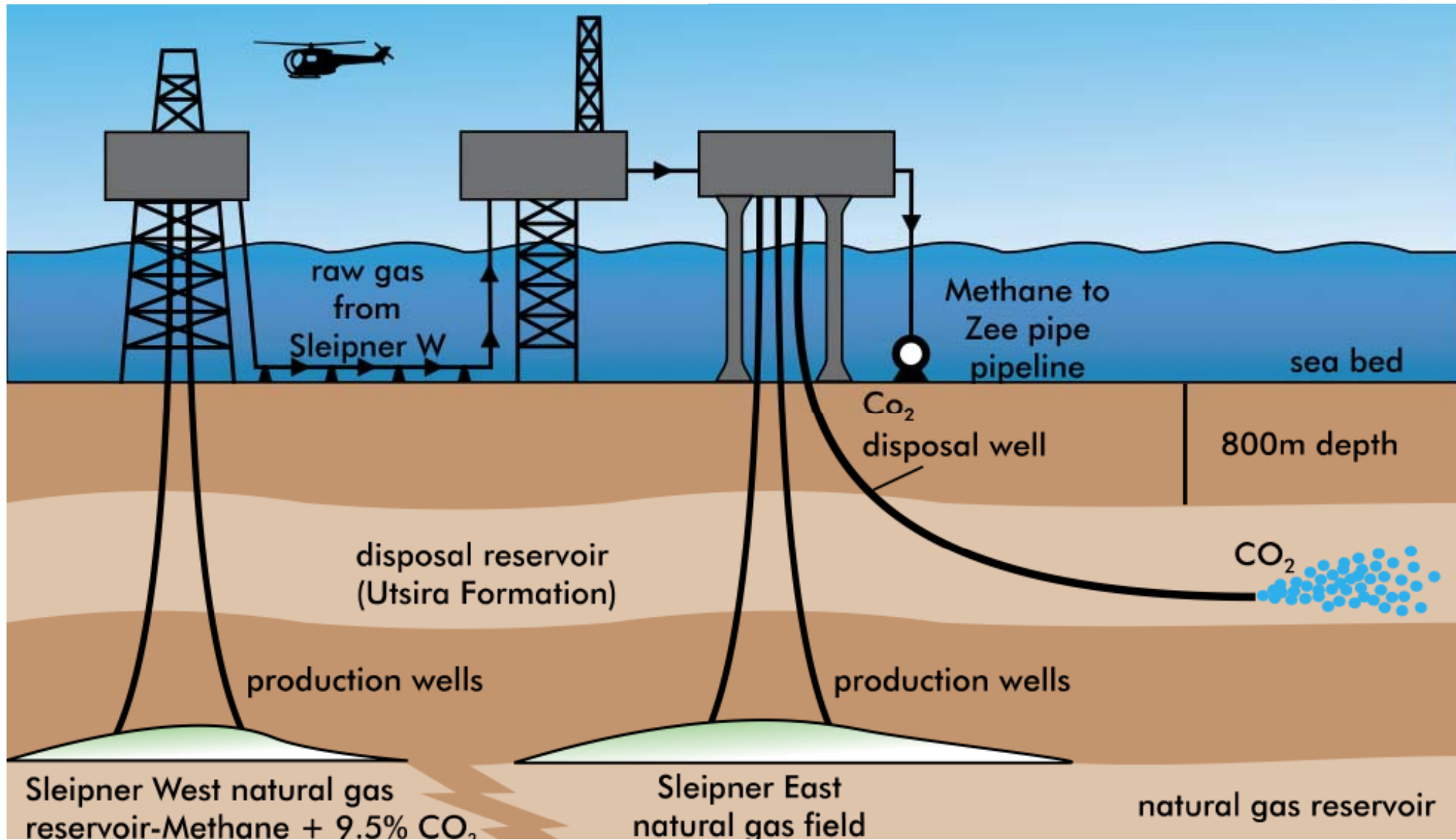
Separating and injecting nearly 1 mill. tons CO₂ annually

Storing in saline aquifer above natural gas reservoir

Driver: the ~45US\$/ton CO₂-tax imposed in 1992

Learning and confidence building through a series of large EU-wide R&D programs

Sleipner case



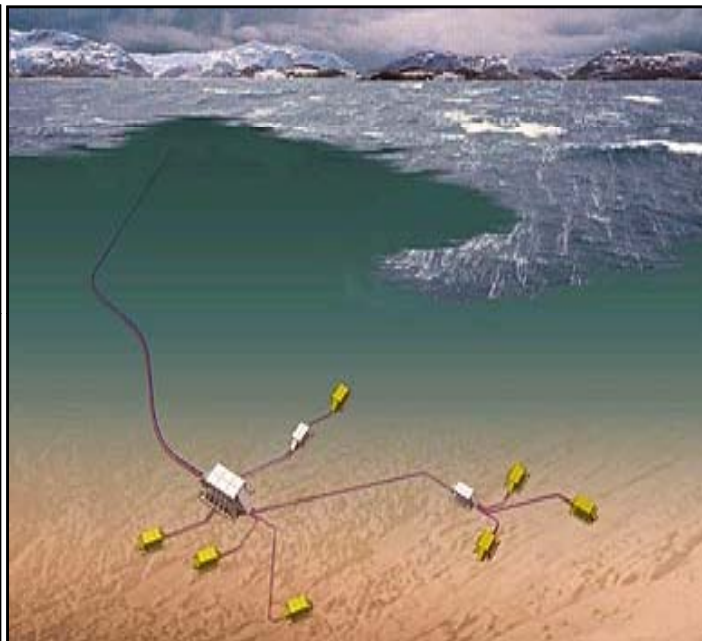
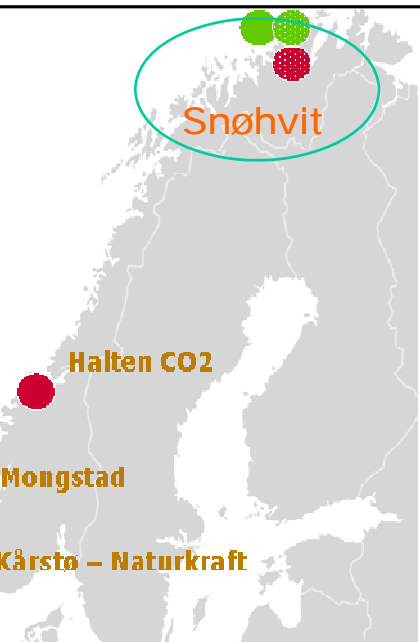
Snøhvit LNG with CCS



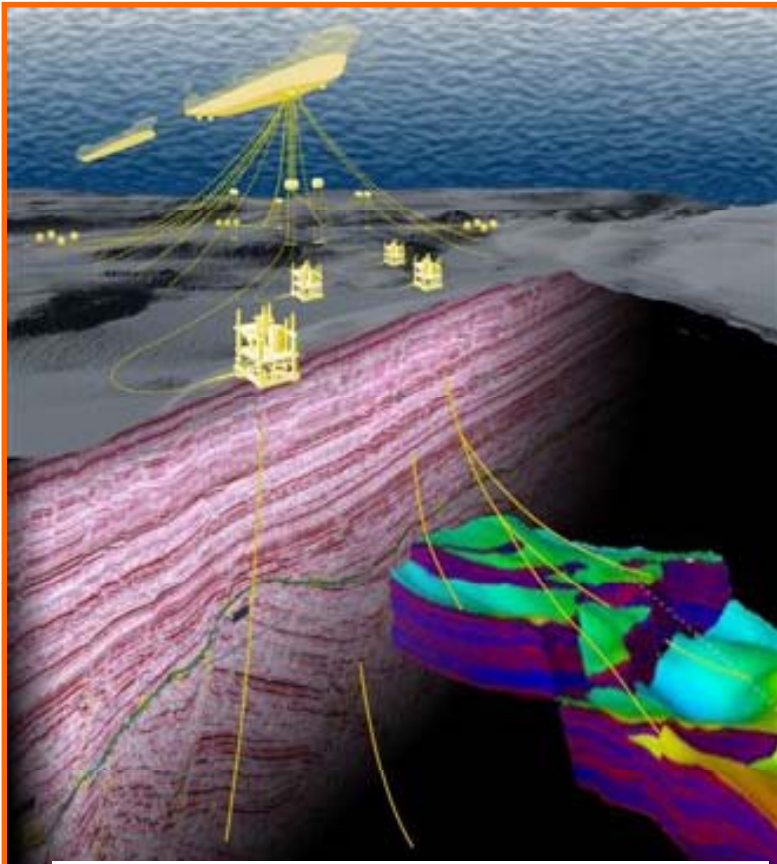
Striped CO₂ separated from natural gas (5-8% CO₂) in onshore LNG plant, and re-injecting in sandstone below natural gas reservoir

145 km subsea pipeline transport.

CCS started April 2008 – capacity 700,000 ton/yr

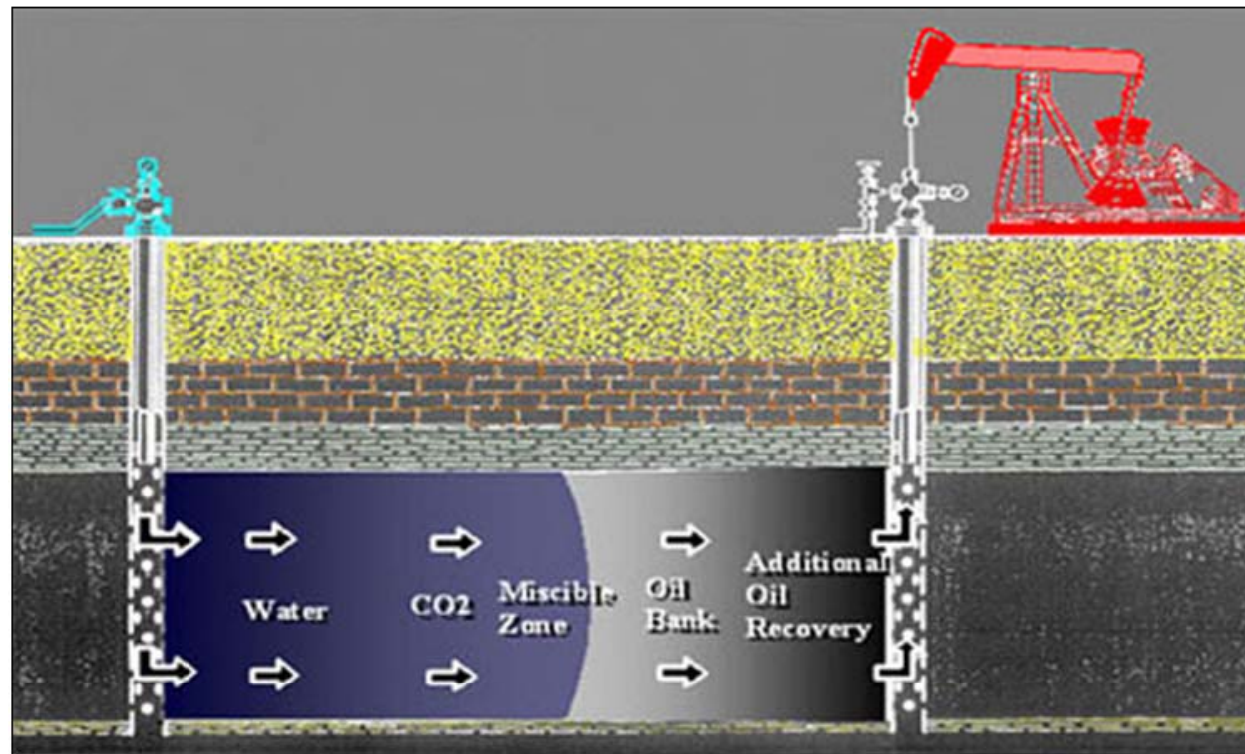
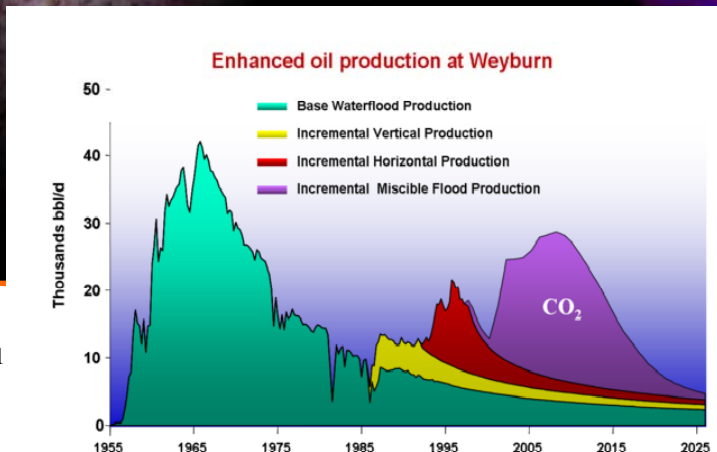


CO₂ to EOR a technical potential in the Norwegian fields

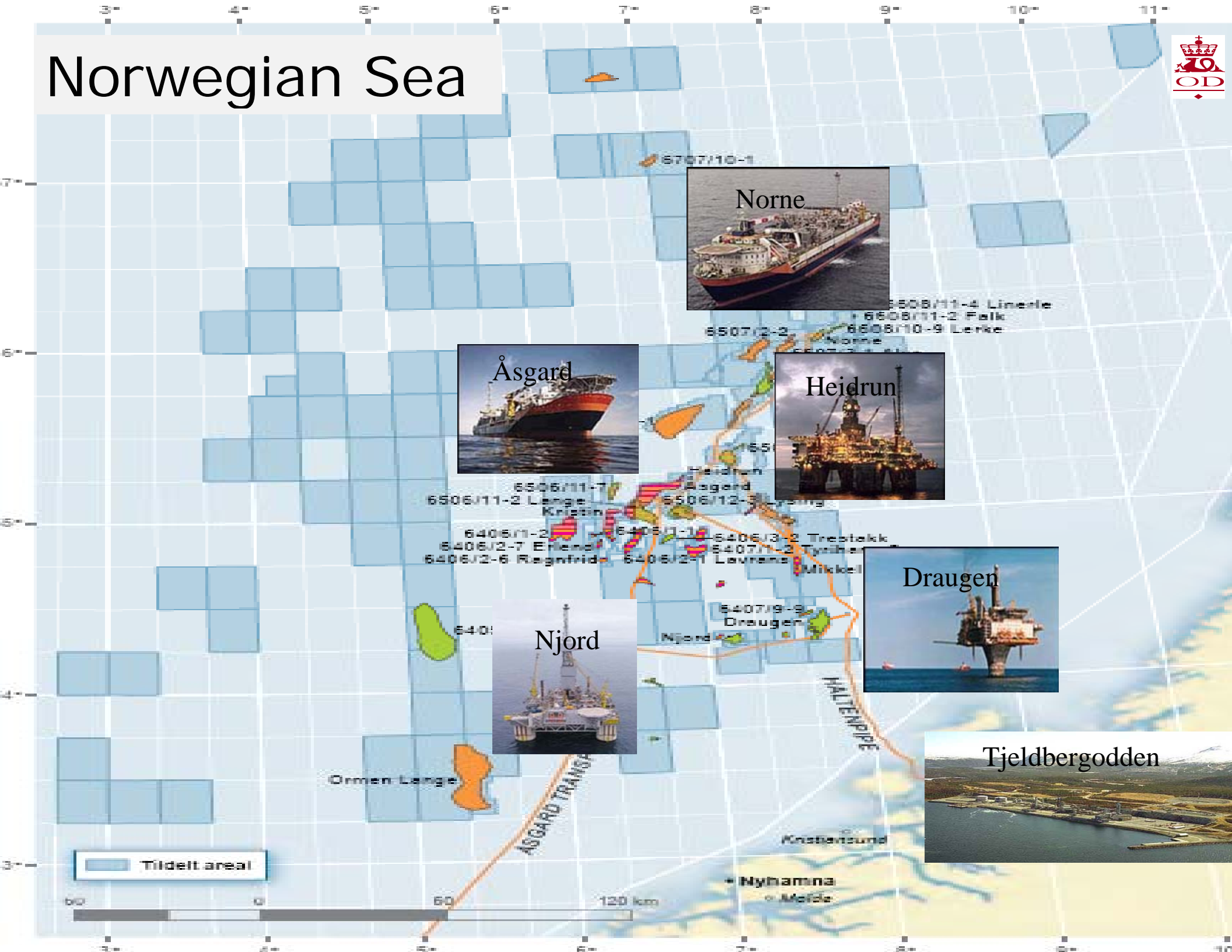


For 20 oilfields: 150-300 million Sm³ extra oil, 3-7% (2005)
Need: 25 Mt CO₂/year for 30 years

IF enough CO₂ could be made available at the optimum time in their production life at commercial conditions.



Norwegian Sea



Norne



Åsgard



Heidrun



Njord



Draugen



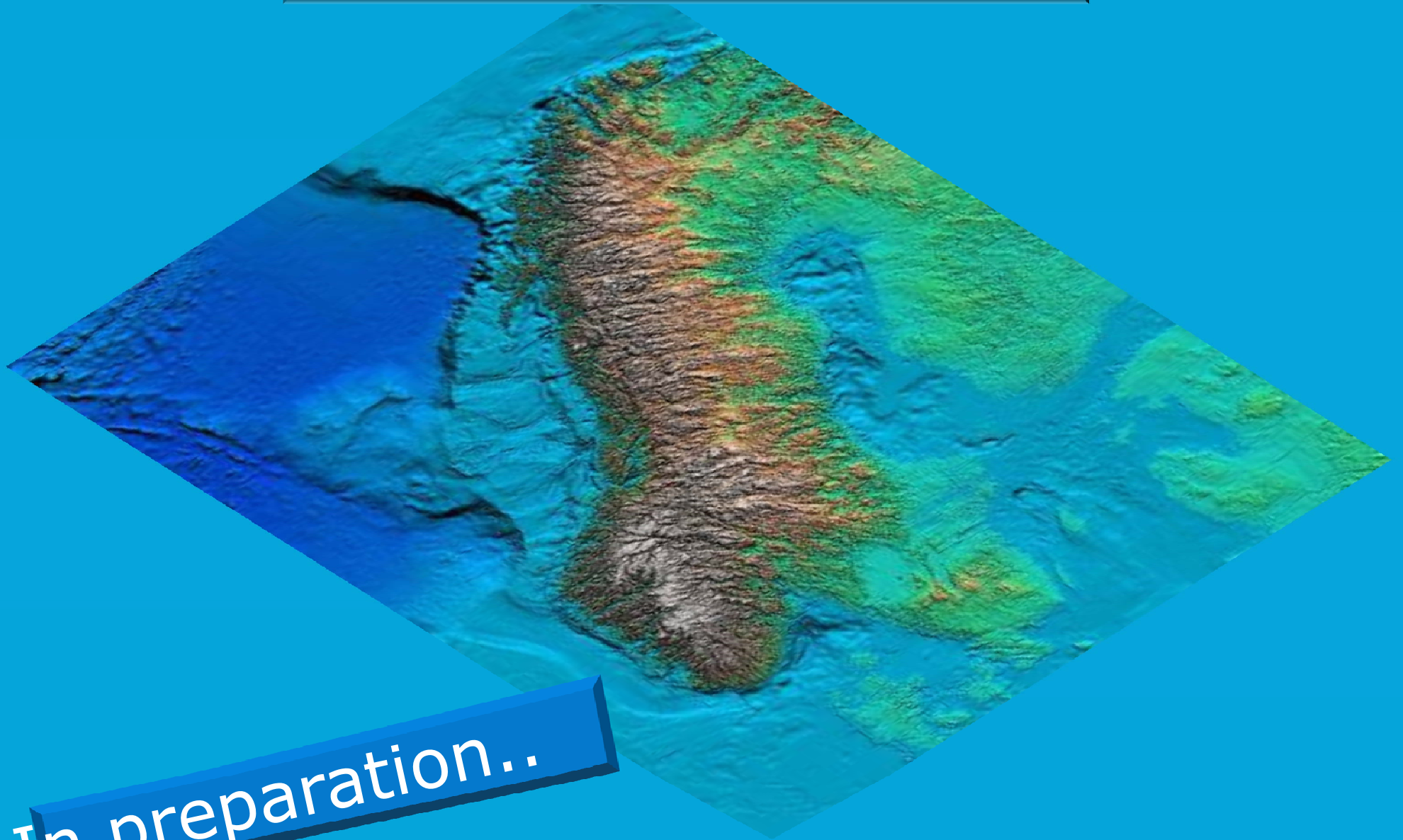
Tjeldbergodden

Tildelt areal

0 60 120 km

Norway

Carbon Dioxide Geological Storage Atlas

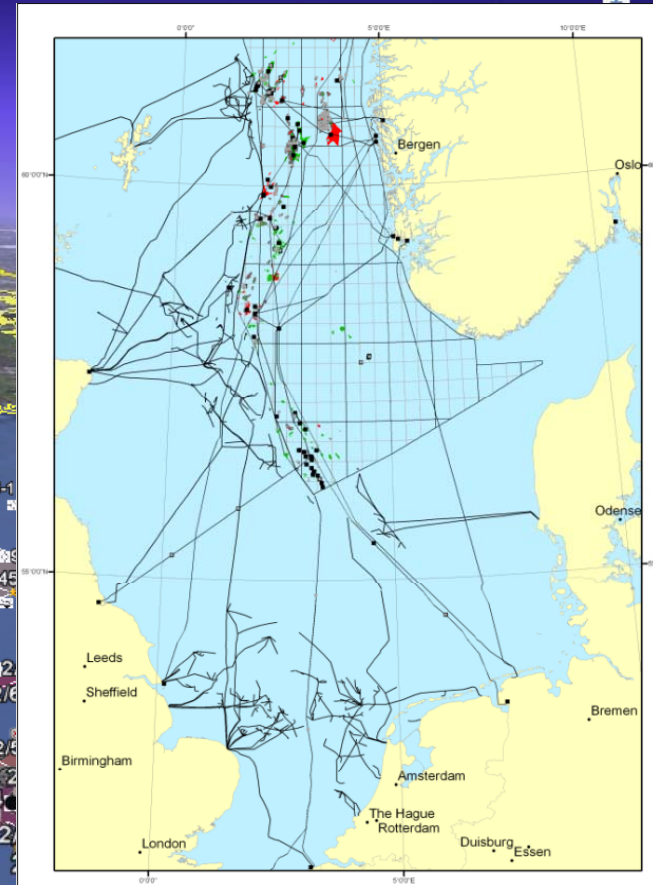


In preparation..

Based on collaboration with the Petroleum industry



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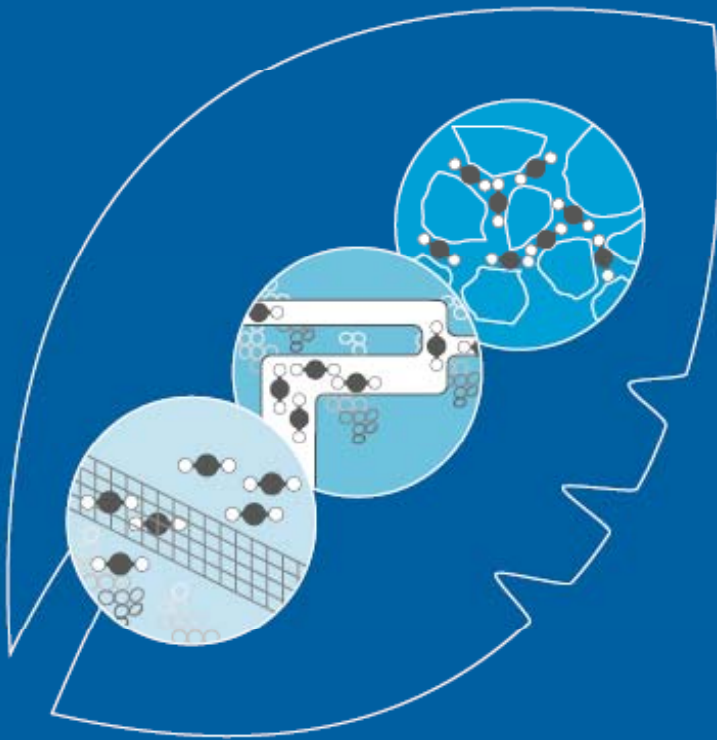


In cooperation with Universities, Research Institutions



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PROGRAMME PLAN 2010–2012



Two FME in CO₂ storage (Centre for Environment Friendly Energy research)

BIGCCS : 2009-2016, 22 partners

SUCCESS: 2009-2016, 8 partners

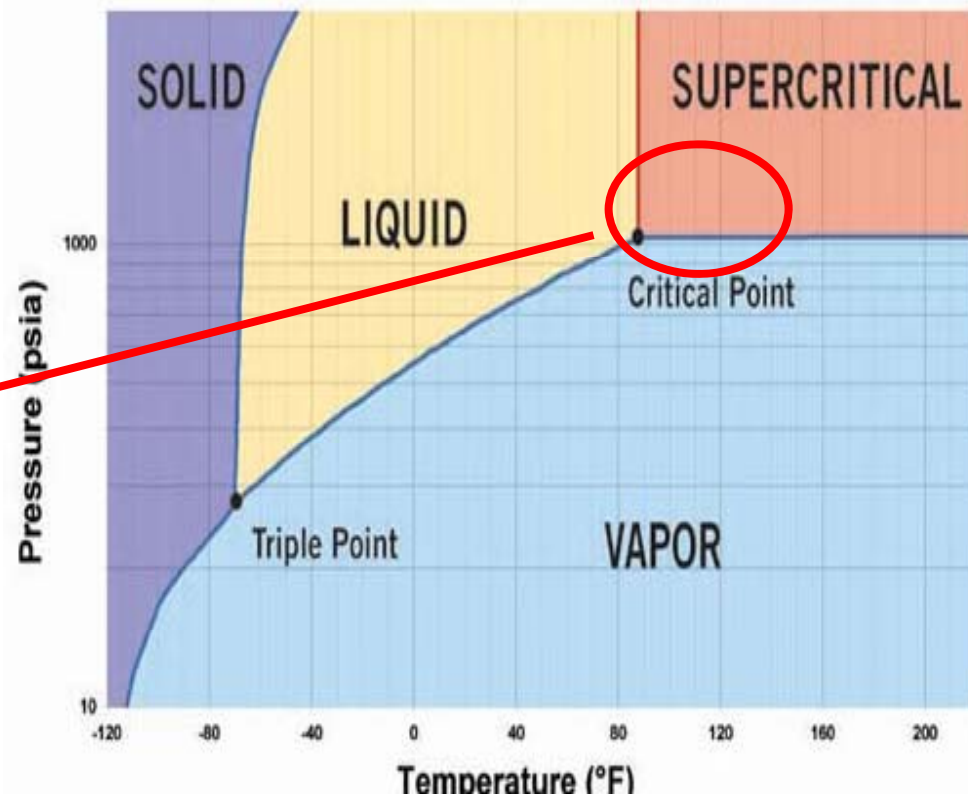
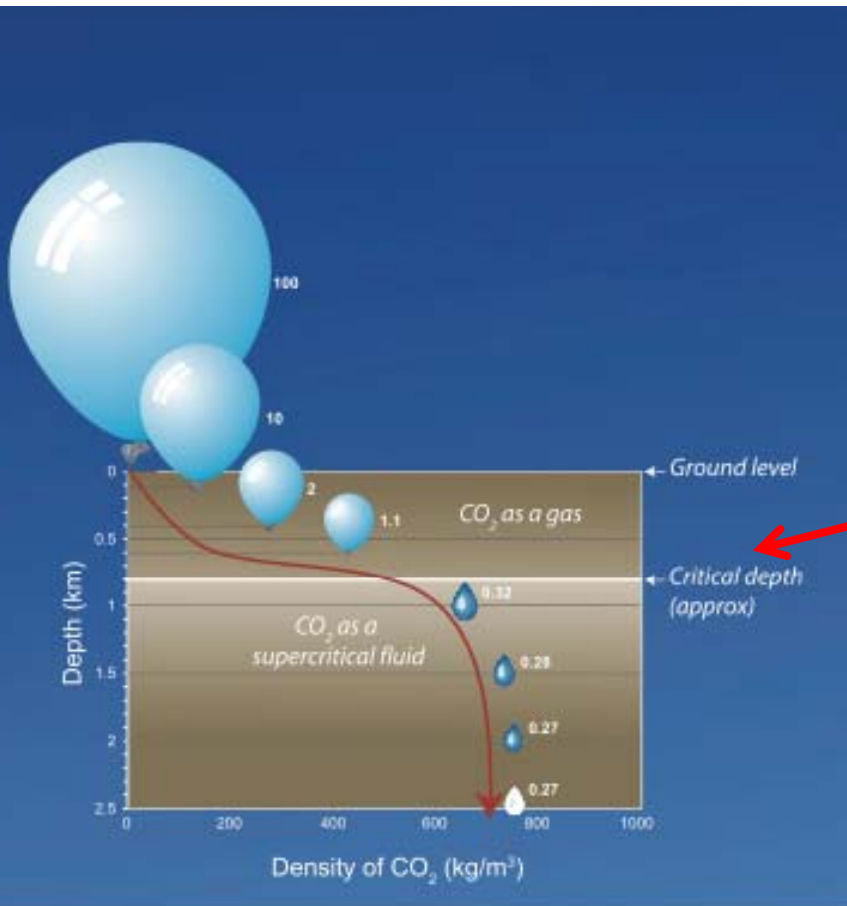
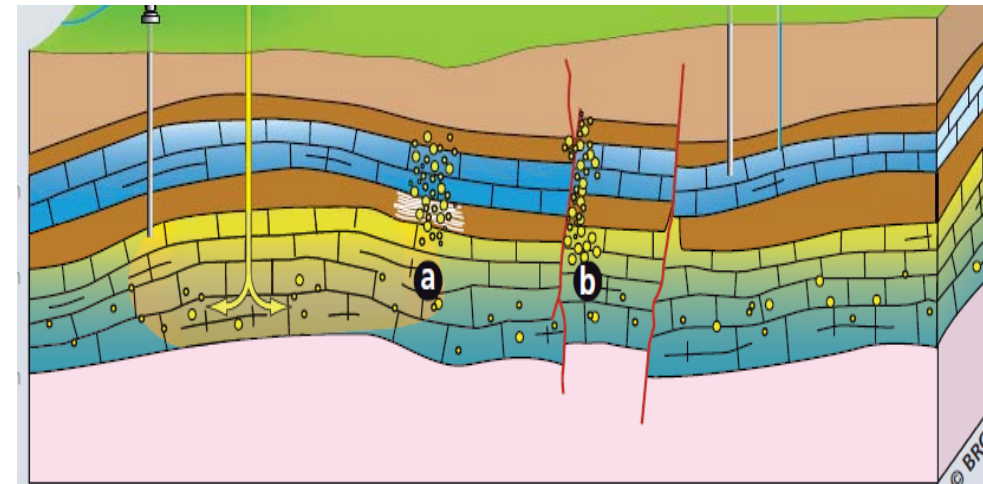
CO₂ Storage Forum, chaired by NPD

Norwegian CO₂ regulations on CO₂ Storage and Transport, are in progress

NPD will give recommendations to The Ministry regarding where to store- and who will be allowed to store CO₂ offshore Norway.

Safe storage of CO₂

- Storage depth
- Traps
- Seal
- Storage capacity
- Injectivity – pressure build up



CO₂ Temperature and Pressure diagram

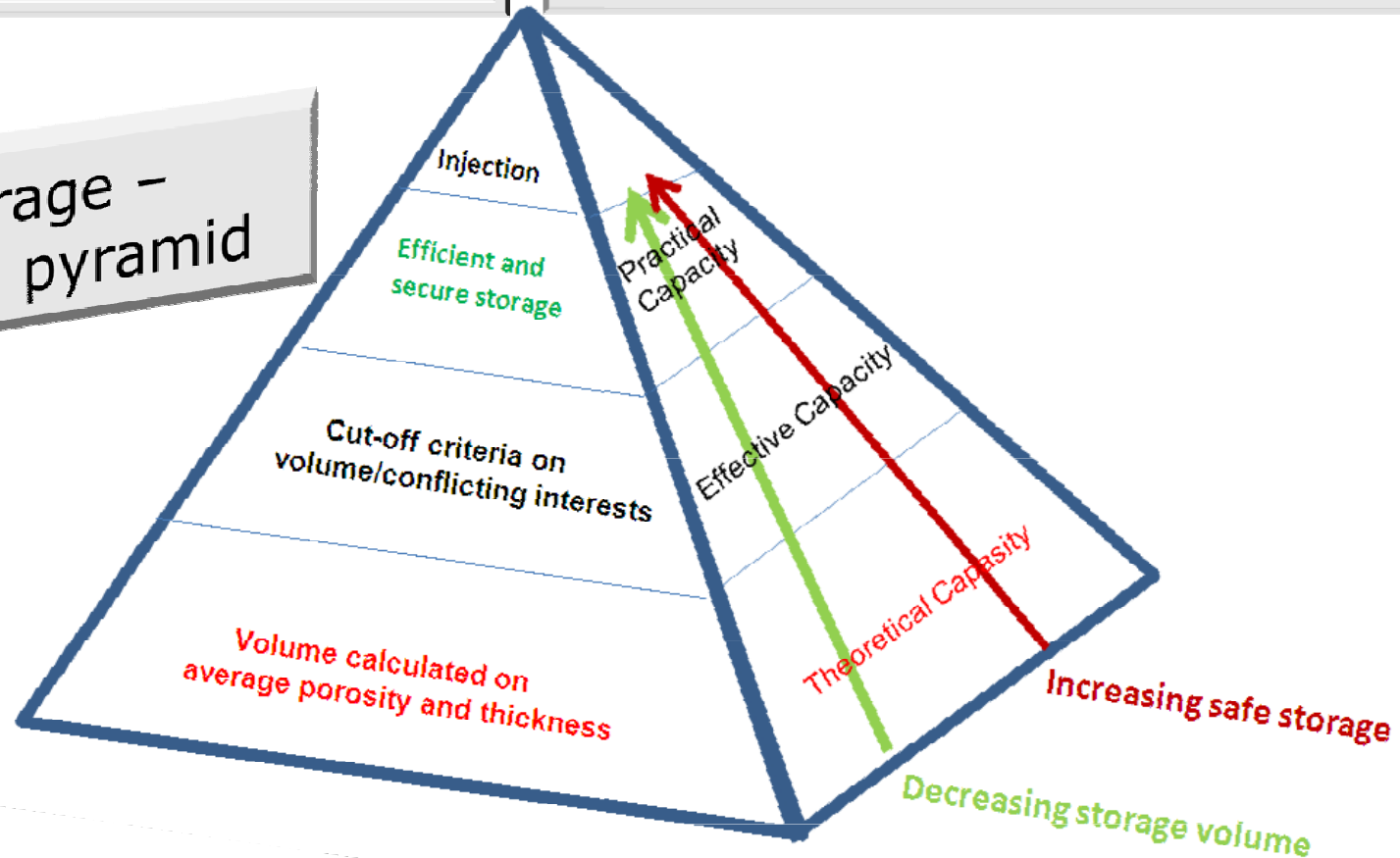
Scope

- ◆ Safe storage of CO₂
- ◆ Storage of CO₂ to be used in possible EHR projects

Type

- ◆ Saline aquiferes
- ◆ Defined geological structures
- ◆ Ceased hydrocarbon fields

CO₂ storage -
maturation pyramid



Deep saline aquifers

$$M_{\text{CO}_2\text{e}} = A \times h \times \phi \times \rho_{\text{CO}_2\text{r}} \times S_{\text{eff}}$$

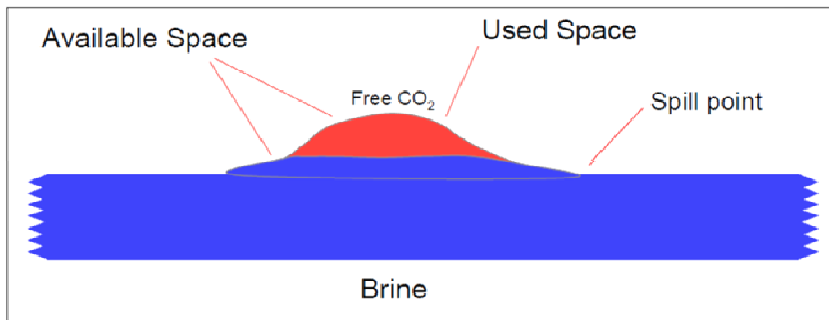
- $M_{\text{CO}_2\text{e}}$: effective storage capacity
- A : area of trap or regional aquifer
- h : average height of aquifer \times average net to gross ratio
- ϕ : average reservoir porosity
- $\rho_{\text{CO}_2\text{r}}$: CO₂ density at reservoir conditions
- S_{eff} : sweep efficiency (estimated)

Typical S_{eff} ranges for structures: 5 – 40 %

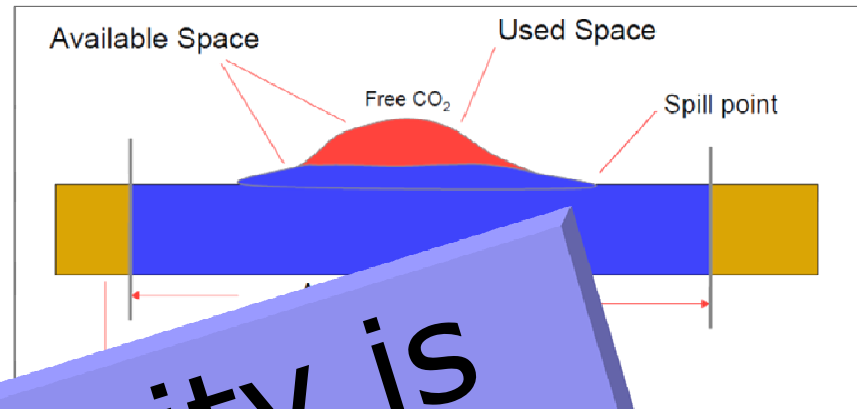
Suggested S_{eff} for regional aquifers: 2 %

Estimation of CO₂ storage volume

Conceptual model for open aquifers



Conceptual model for closed aquifers



- Storage space is generated by displacing existing fluids and distributing pressure increase in surrounding aquifer system
- Storage volume = $A \cdot \text{height} \cdot N/G \cdot \phi \cdot S_{\text{eff}}$
- S_{eff} depends on connectivity to surrounding aquifer
- $S_{\text{eff}} = \text{Used space} / \text{Available space}$

From Filip Neele, TNO

Storage capacity is site specific !

$$M_{\text{CO2t}} = A \times h \times \rho_{\text{CO2r}} \times \phi \times S_{\text{eff}}$$

- M_{CO2t} : theoretical storage capacity
- A : area of aquifer
- h : height \times net to gross ratio
- ϕ : average reservoir porosity
- ρ_{CO2r} : CO₂ density at reservoir conditions
- S_{eff} : storage efficiency factor

$$M_{\text{CO2e}} = A \times h \times \rho_{\text{CO2r}} \times \phi \times S_{\text{eff}}$$

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Theoretical vs. effective capacity

Storage coefficient (by the rule-of-thumb) S_{eff}

	1*	2	3	4
High quality reservoir	40 %	20 %	10 %	3-5 %
Low quality reservoir	20 %	10 %	5 %	<3 %

*Volume of bulk reservoir shall be 5-10 times the volume of the reservoir

--- Fault

CO₂ storage capacity offshore Norway (preliminary)



2008

Total conservative European storage capacity is 117 Gt CO₂

- 96 Gt in deep saline aquifers
- 20 Gt in hydrocarbon fields
- 1 Gt in unmineable coal beds

25 % is storage capacity offshore Norway



A Norwegian- UK initiative 2009

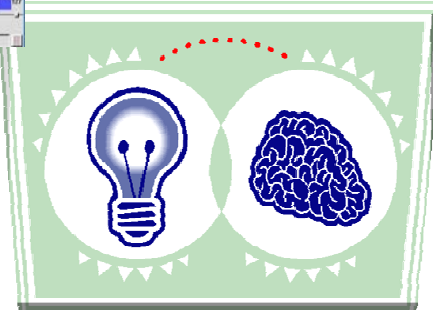
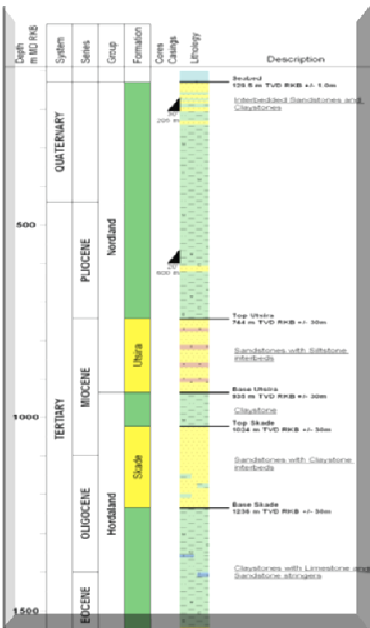
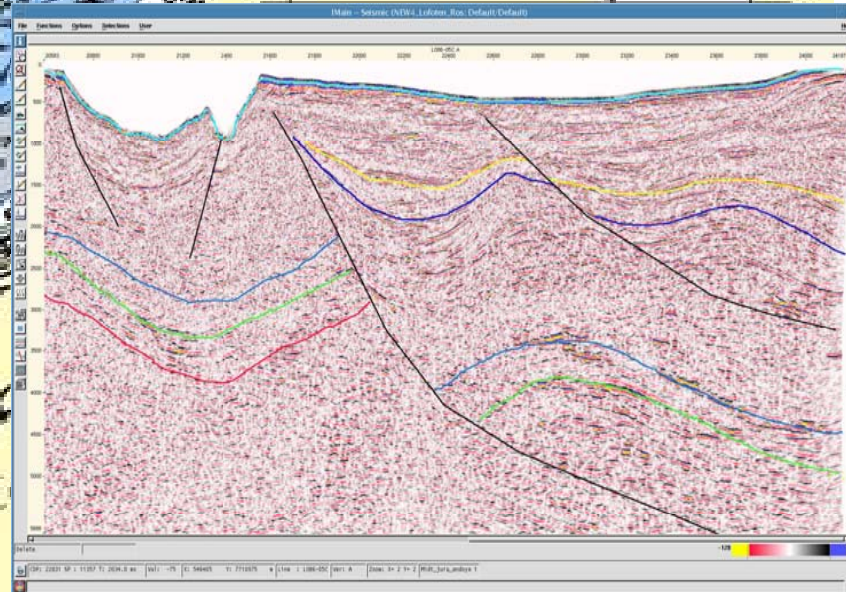
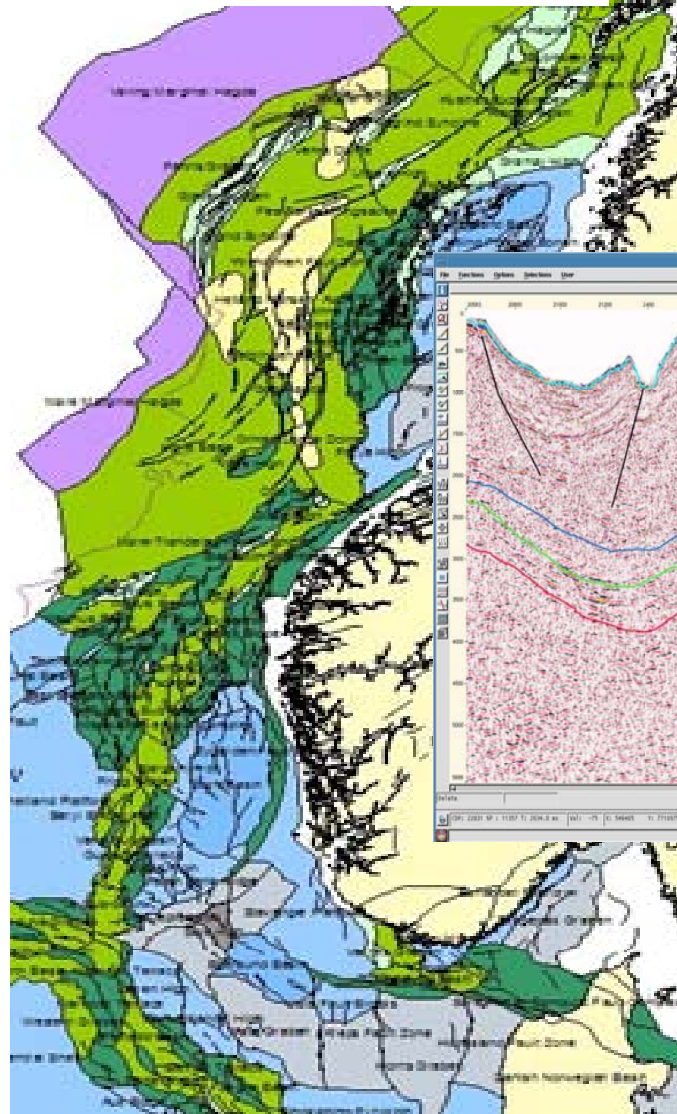
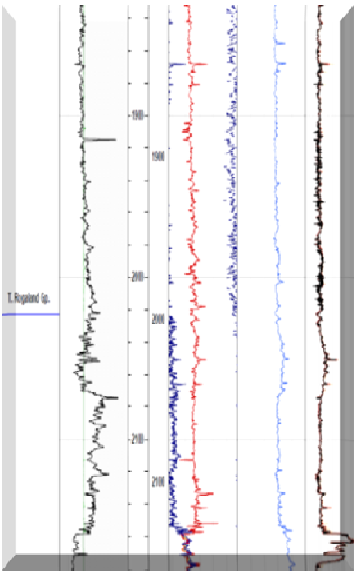
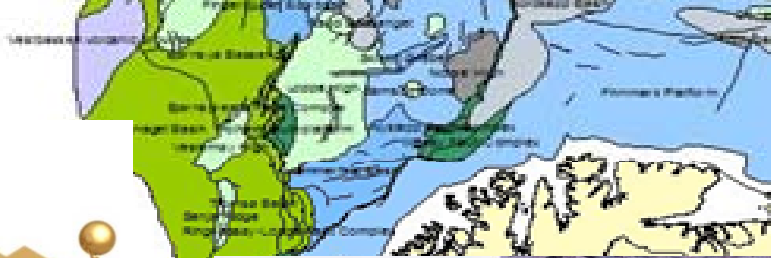
Modelled Mt CO₂ storage capacity in saline aquifers

Country	2030 storage (Mt)	2050 storage (Mt)	Reference
Denmark	16,672		GeoCapacity
Germany	27,120		GeoCapacity
Netherlands	438		GeoCapacity
Norway ²⁰	48,488	97,059	NPD
United Kingdom	60,971		GeoCapacity and SCCS (2% efficiency)
Total	153,689	202,260	

More detailed work in progress

ur playground

has access to all data collected
throughout Norway



Ranking criteria

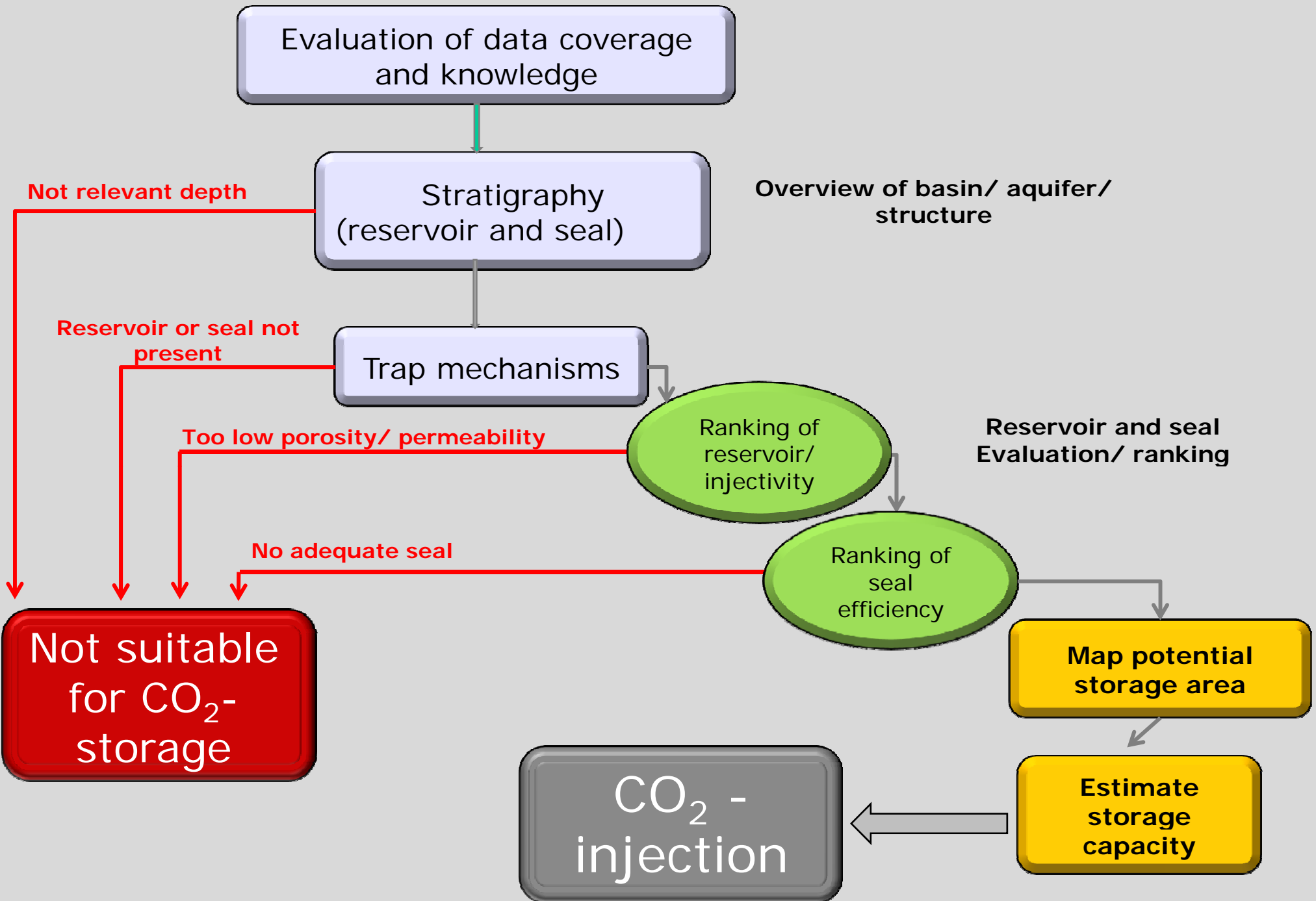


Ranking criteria		Choice	Definition/ comments	
quality	Total trap efficiency	Defined trap	3 Effective seal	2 or more barriers, relevant thickness.
			2 Seal present	1 barrier
			1 Lack of seal	Barrier not present
	Undefined trap	3 Effective unconventional seal	2 or more barriers, relevant thickness. And extension	
		2 Probable unconventional seal	e.g. well integrity	
		1 Lack of seal	Not present	
	Faults	3 No trough-going faults	No faults penetrates trough the seal	
		2 Uncertainty of trough-going faults	Uncertain interpretation	
		1 Trough-going faults	High risks of insufficient seal	
Porosity	3 Good porosity	Equal to or more x % or more		
	2 Possible good porosity	Based on known information		
	1 Insufficient/ no porosity	No proven effective porosity		
Permeability	3 Good permeability	Equal to or more than x mD.		
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Depth to top reservoir	3 > 800 m – 2500 m (3000 m)	800 m below surface due to CO2 in supercritical fluid phase. 2500 m (3000) for technological reasons.		
	2 > 600 m	Depending on pressure and temperature data from the area		
	1 shallower	Unsuitable for storage, CO2 in gas phase		

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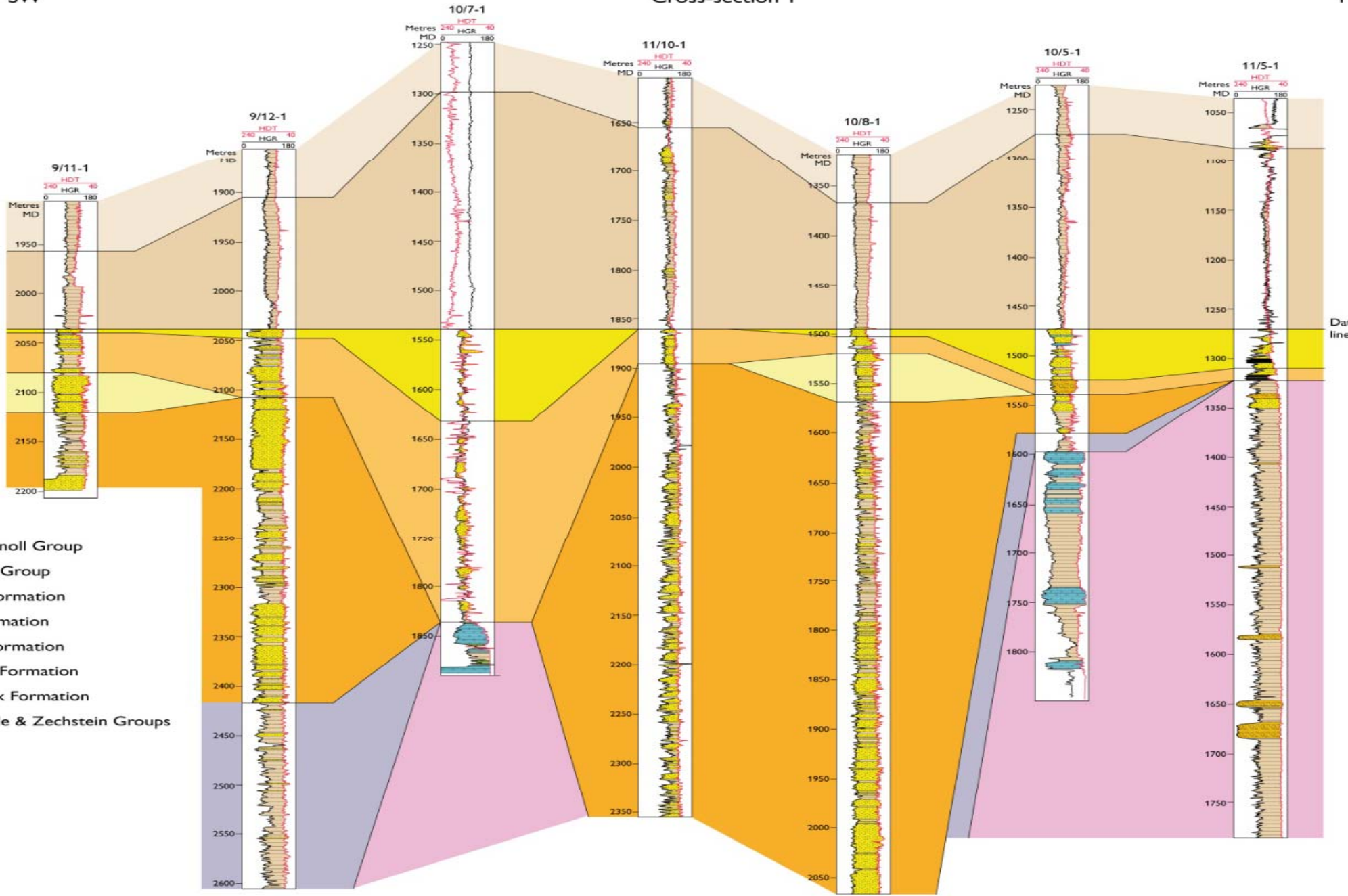
	Good data /quality	Limited data/ quality	Poor data /quality
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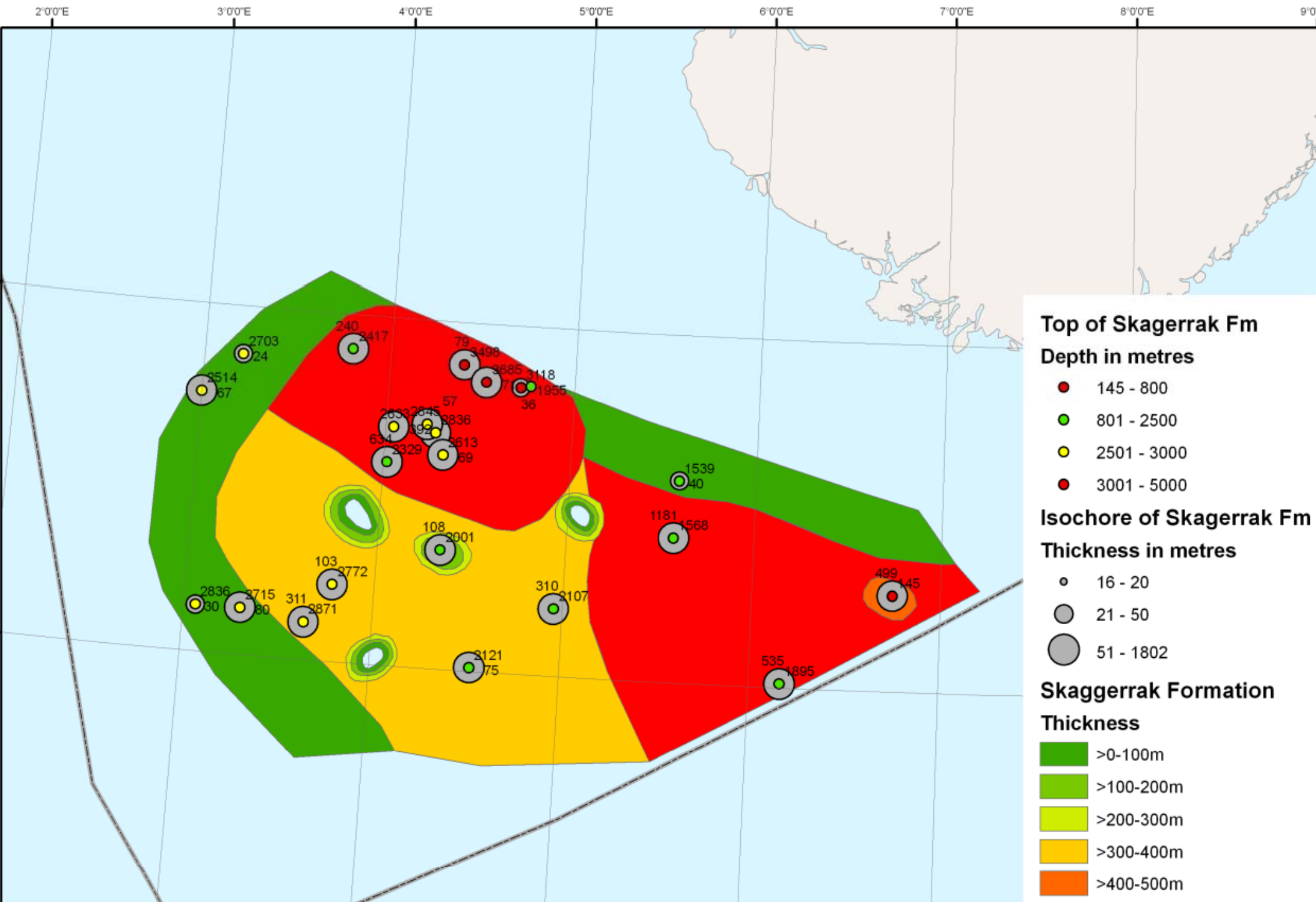
CO₂ storage - NPDs evaluation process

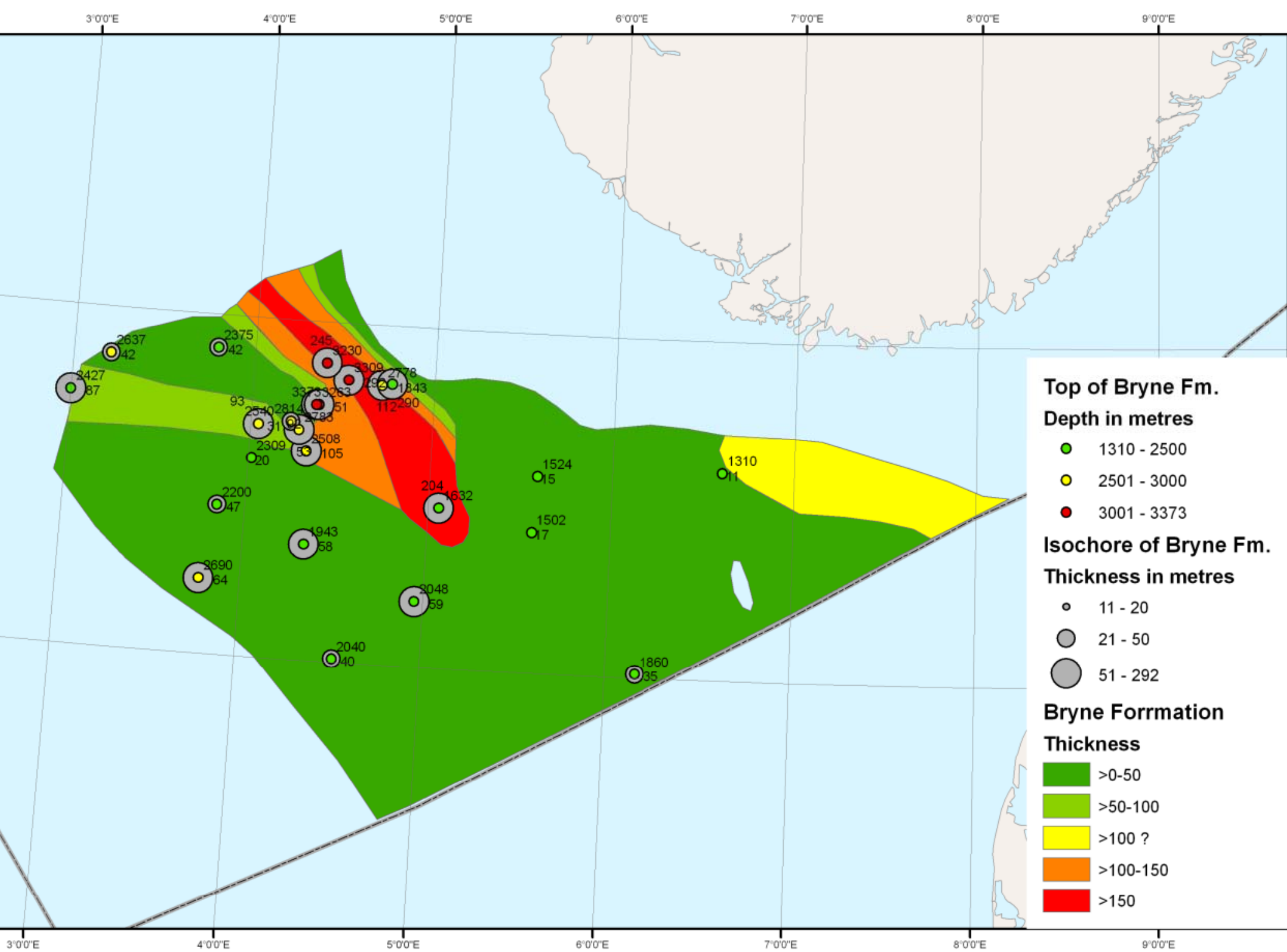


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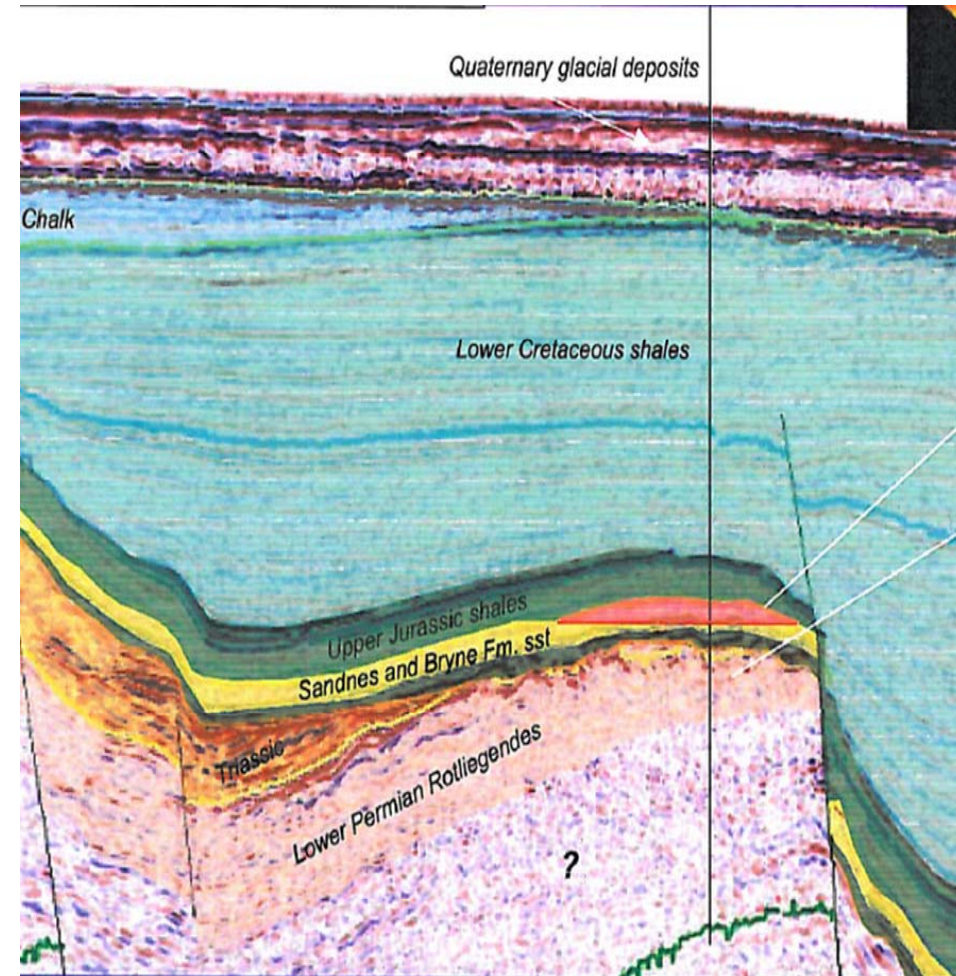
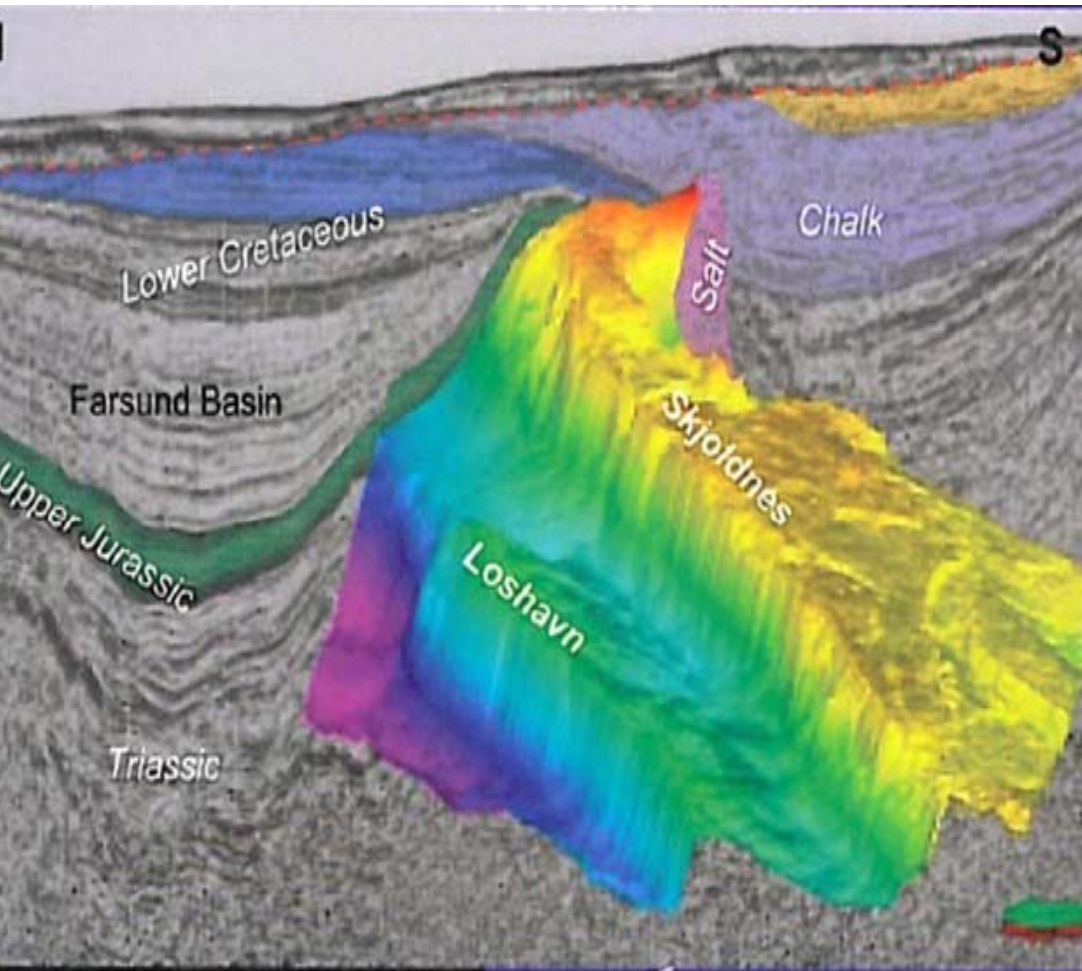
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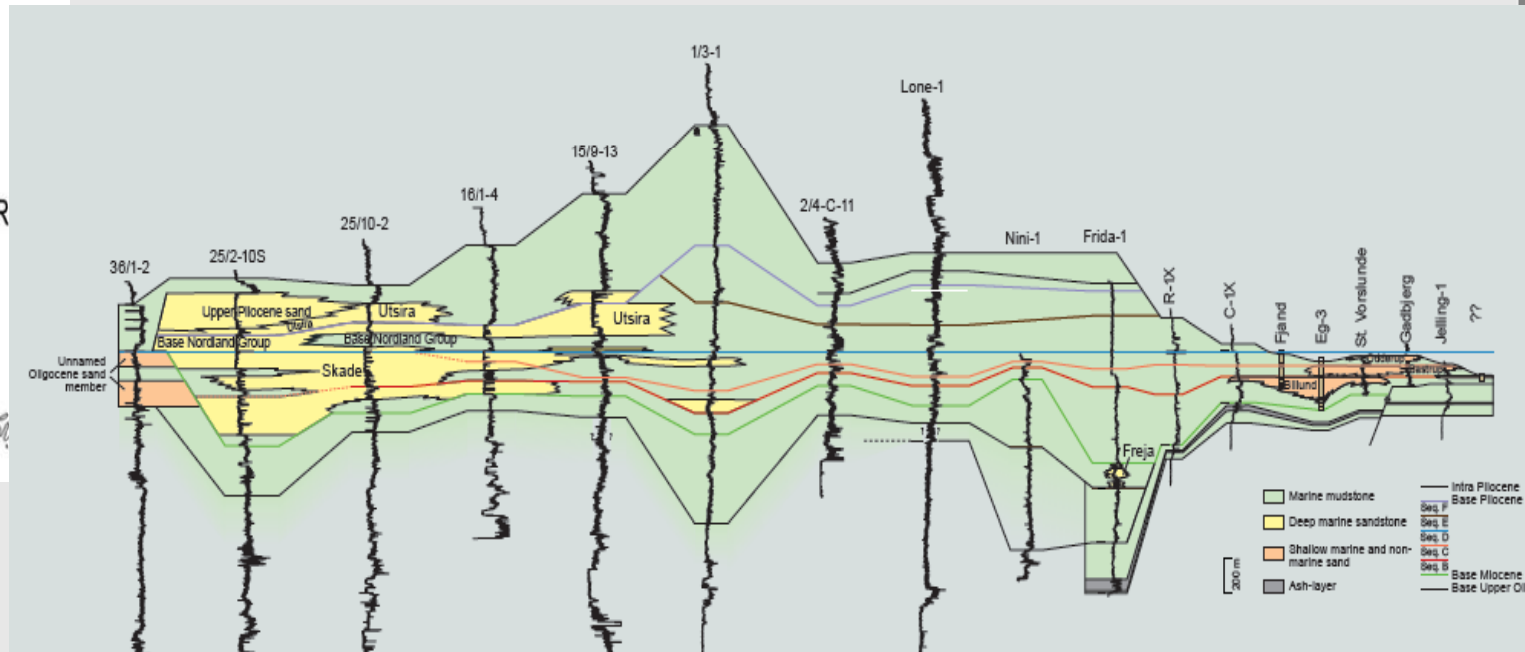
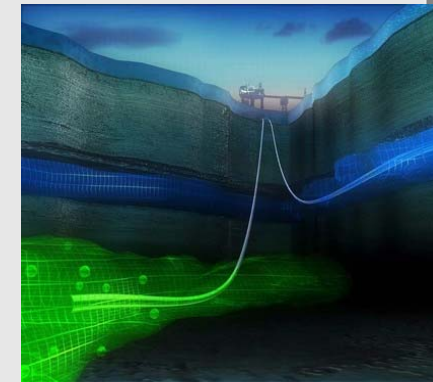
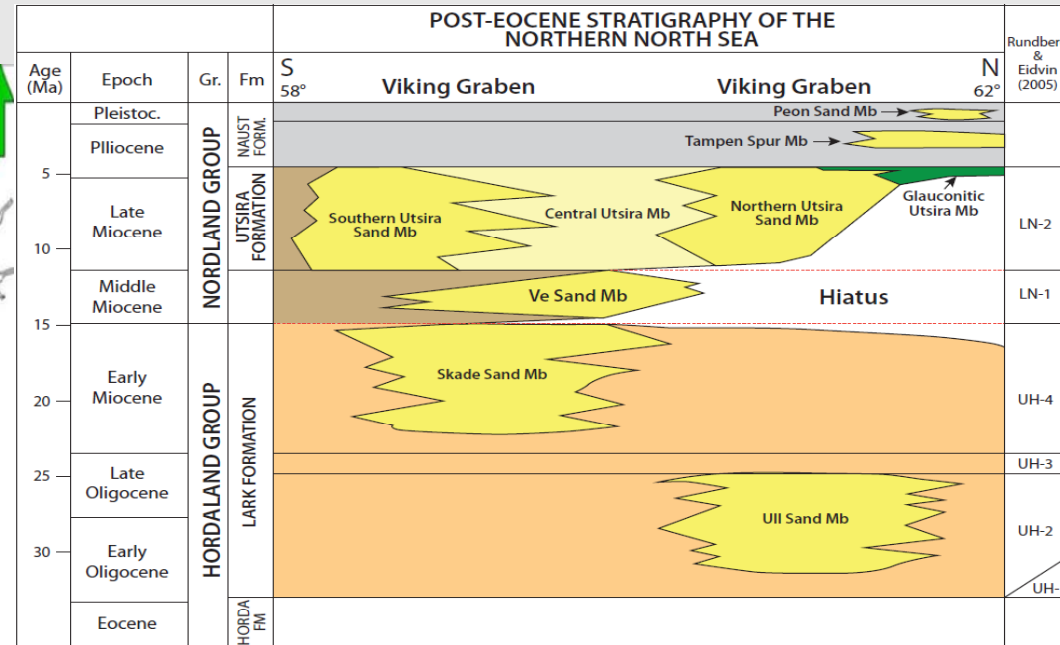
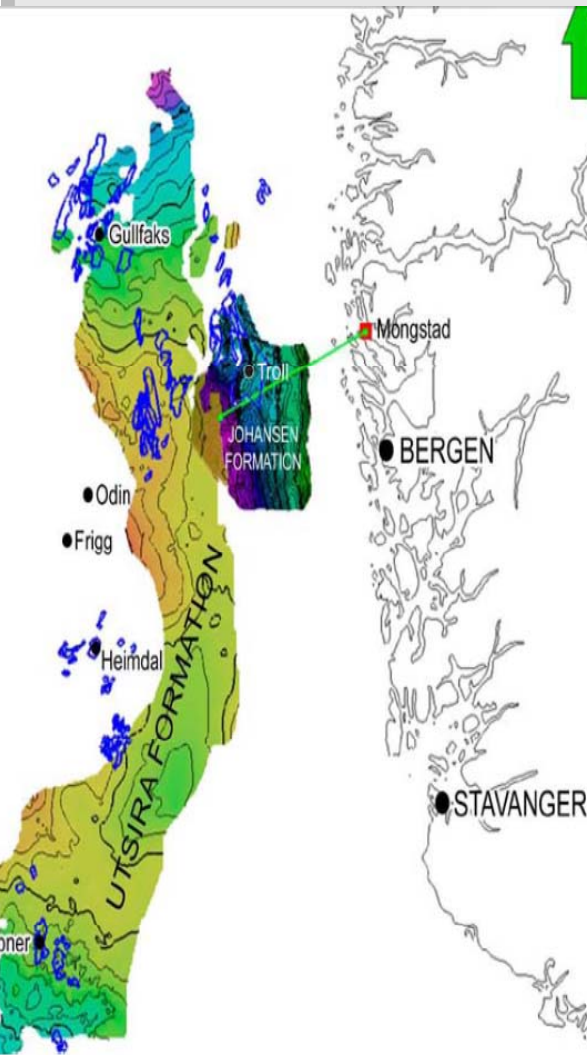




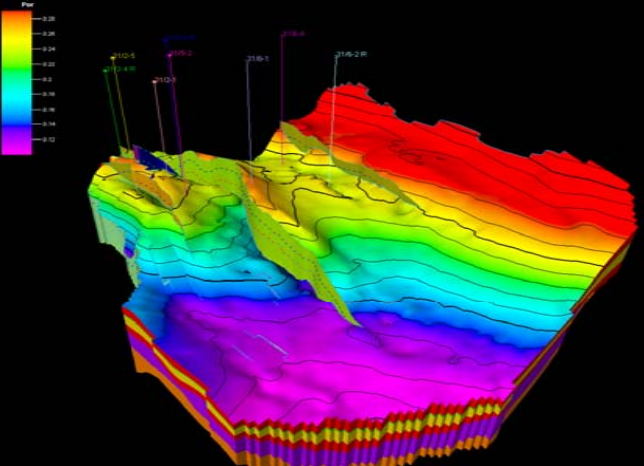
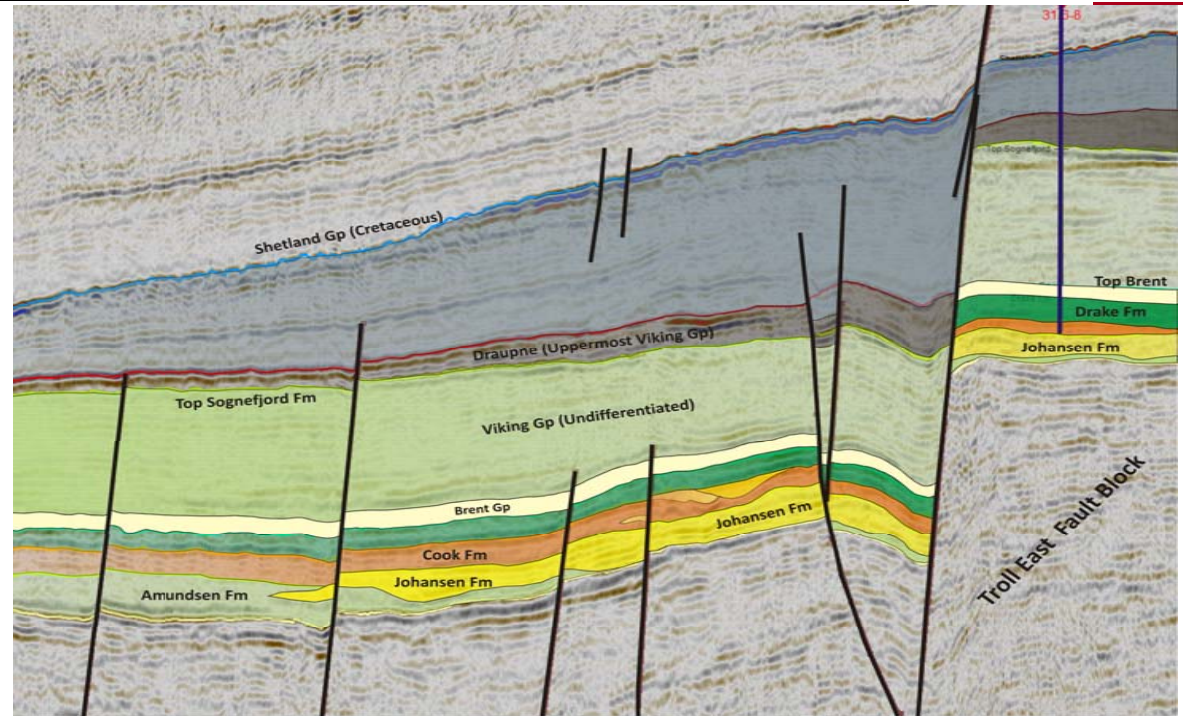
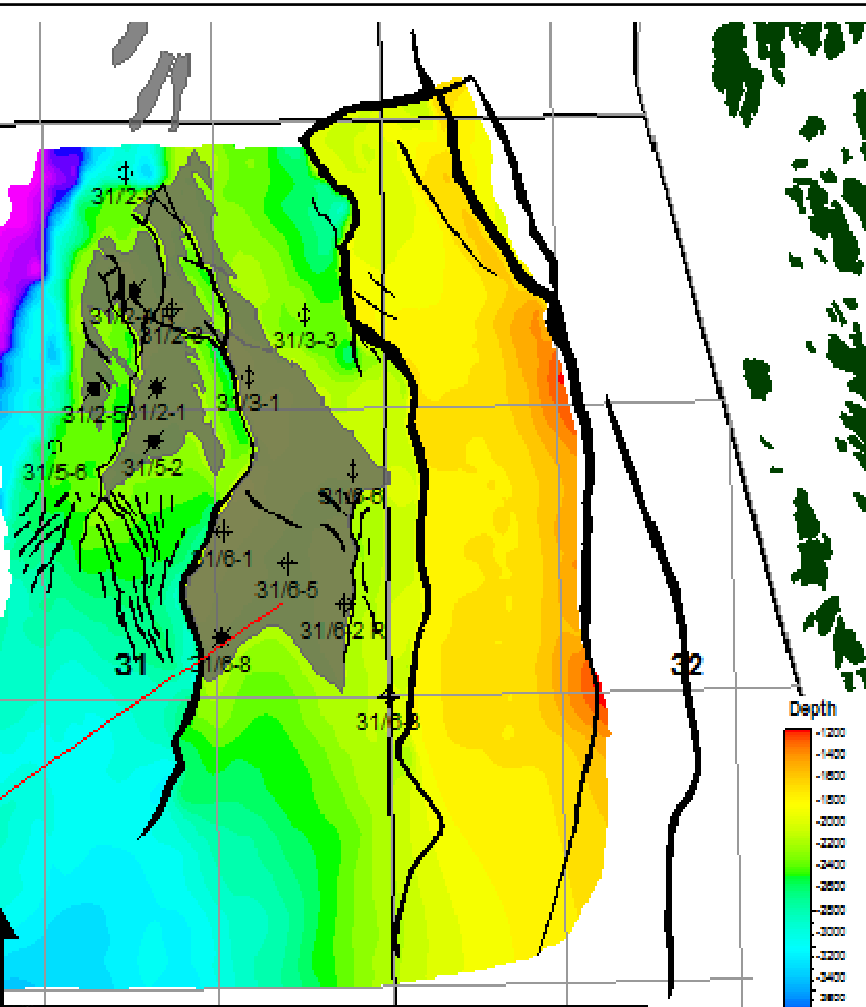
Dry-drilled geological structures



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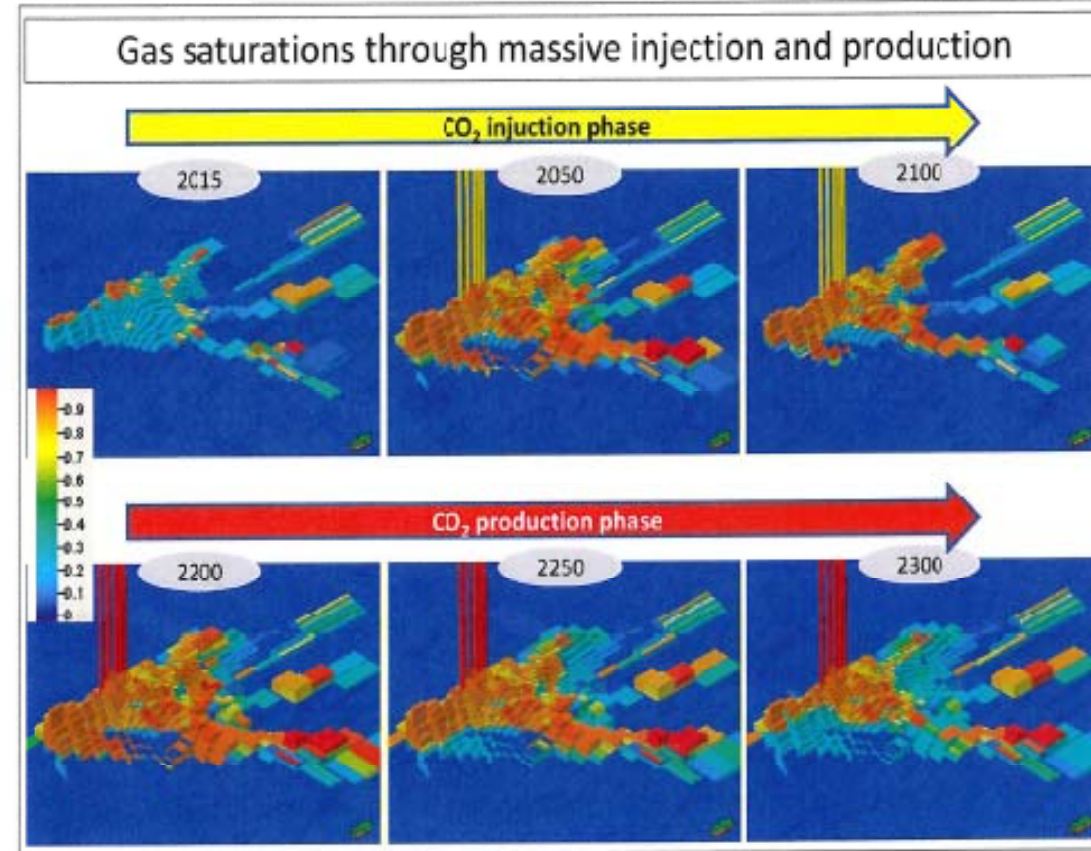
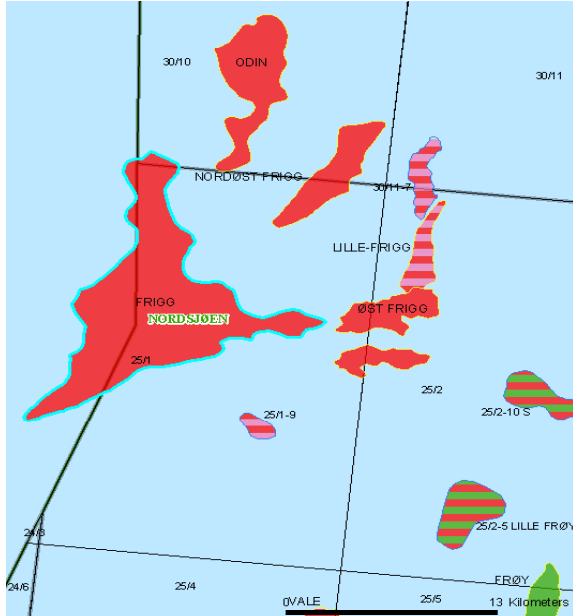


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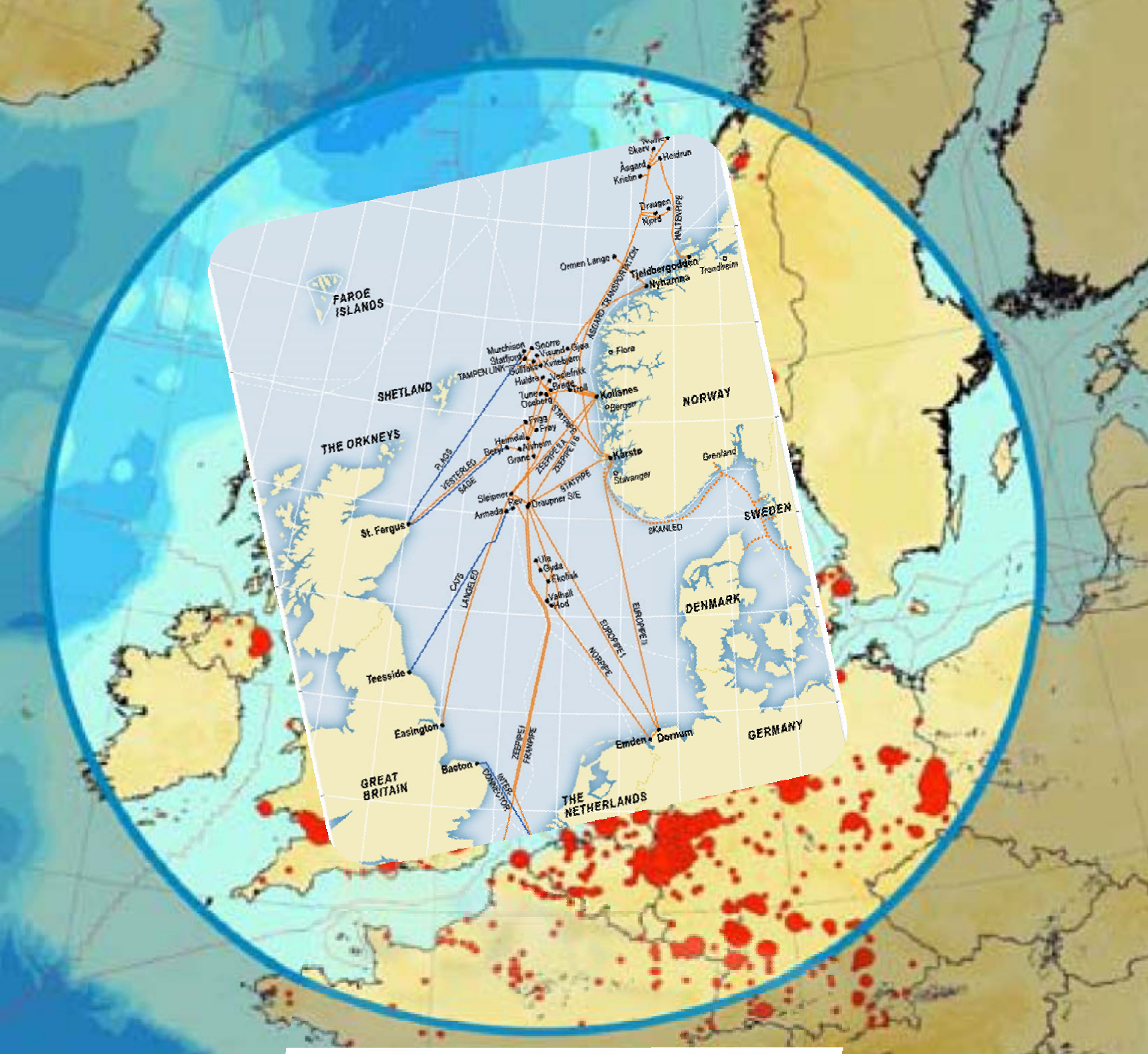
Formation summary						
Quadrant	Max thickness	Porø.	Perm.	Seal	trap	
31/32	Ca 80 m	20-30 %	500- 6000 mD (Well 31/2-3)	Dunlin Gruppen (1) 500 m sand/ shale (2)	Stratigraphy 2200-3500 m dyp	
Seal Ranking			Reservoir ranking			Conclusio
Type	Effectivness	Faults	Porosity	Permeability	Depth	
K	3	2	3	3	3	Suitabl
Storagecapacity		Theoretical		Effective		
		X...		X...		

Evaluation of CO₂ sequestration in the Frigg Field



10 Million Sm³/day: 8 Million tonns of CO₂ for 55 years

50 Million Sm³/day: 3 Gtonns of CO₂ for 85 years

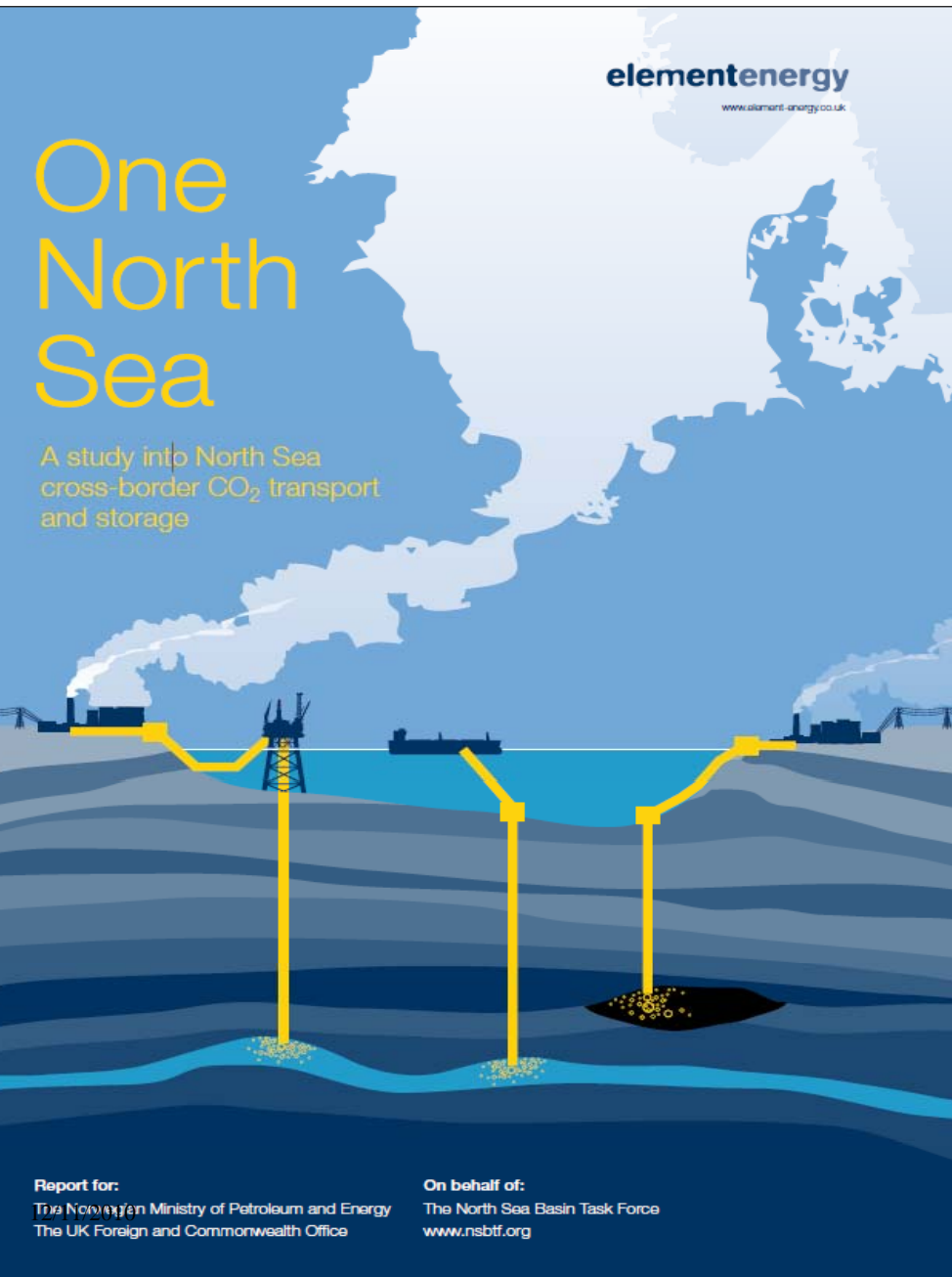


NORTH SEA BASIN TASK FORCE



The aims of the North Sea Basin Task Force are to develop broad, common principles that could form a basis for regulating the storage of CO₂ under the North Sea and to provide a consistent basis for managing this activity.

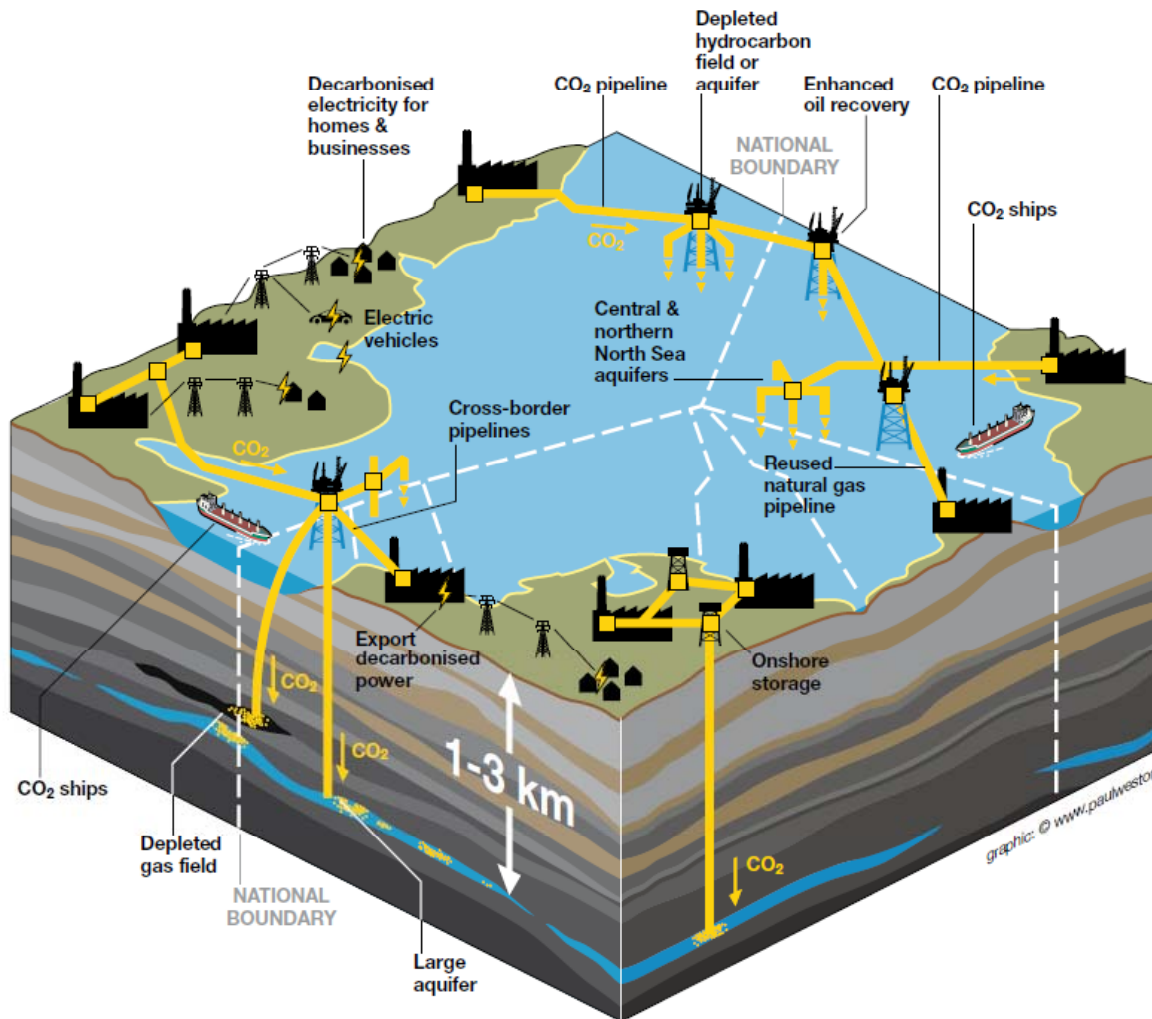
cooperation with the North Sea countries



- ◆ **Initiated** by the Norwegian and UK Energy Ministers in May 2009
- ◆ **Identify** the storage potential for CO₂ in the North Sea
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One North Sea – objective

A 'One North Sea' vision



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"One North Sea" database

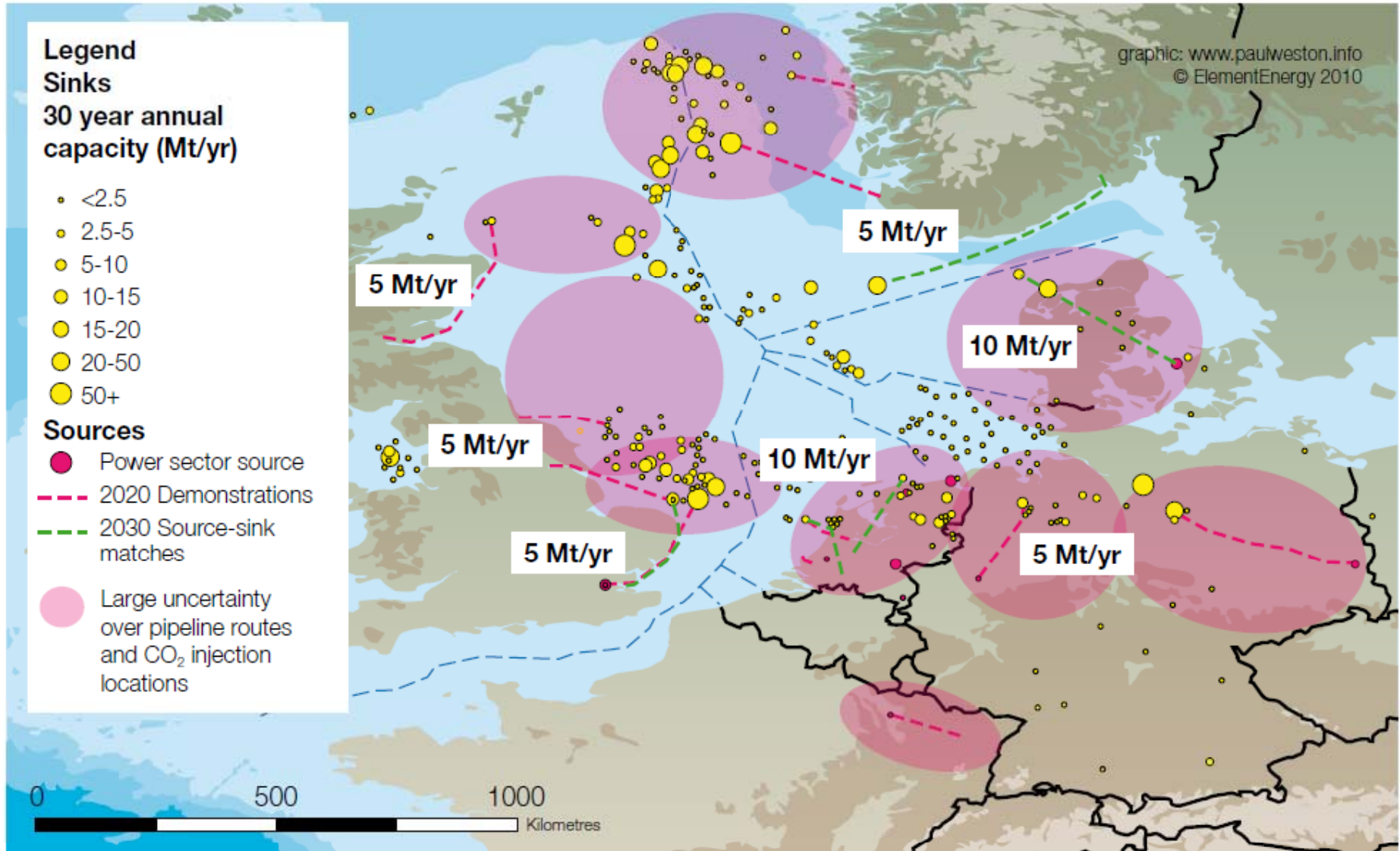
- ✓ Storage capacity: based upon Geocapacity project and data from Norwegian Petroleum Directorate
- ✓ Policies and initiatives to support CCS at EU level and within Norway, UK, the Netherlands and Germany
- ✓ Economic modelling of CCS demand
- ✓ Analysis of legal and regulatory barriers
- ✓ Scenarios of investment in capture, transport and storage in 2030 and 2050
- ✓ CO₂ transport and storage scenarios and network
- ✓ Several stakeholder meetings



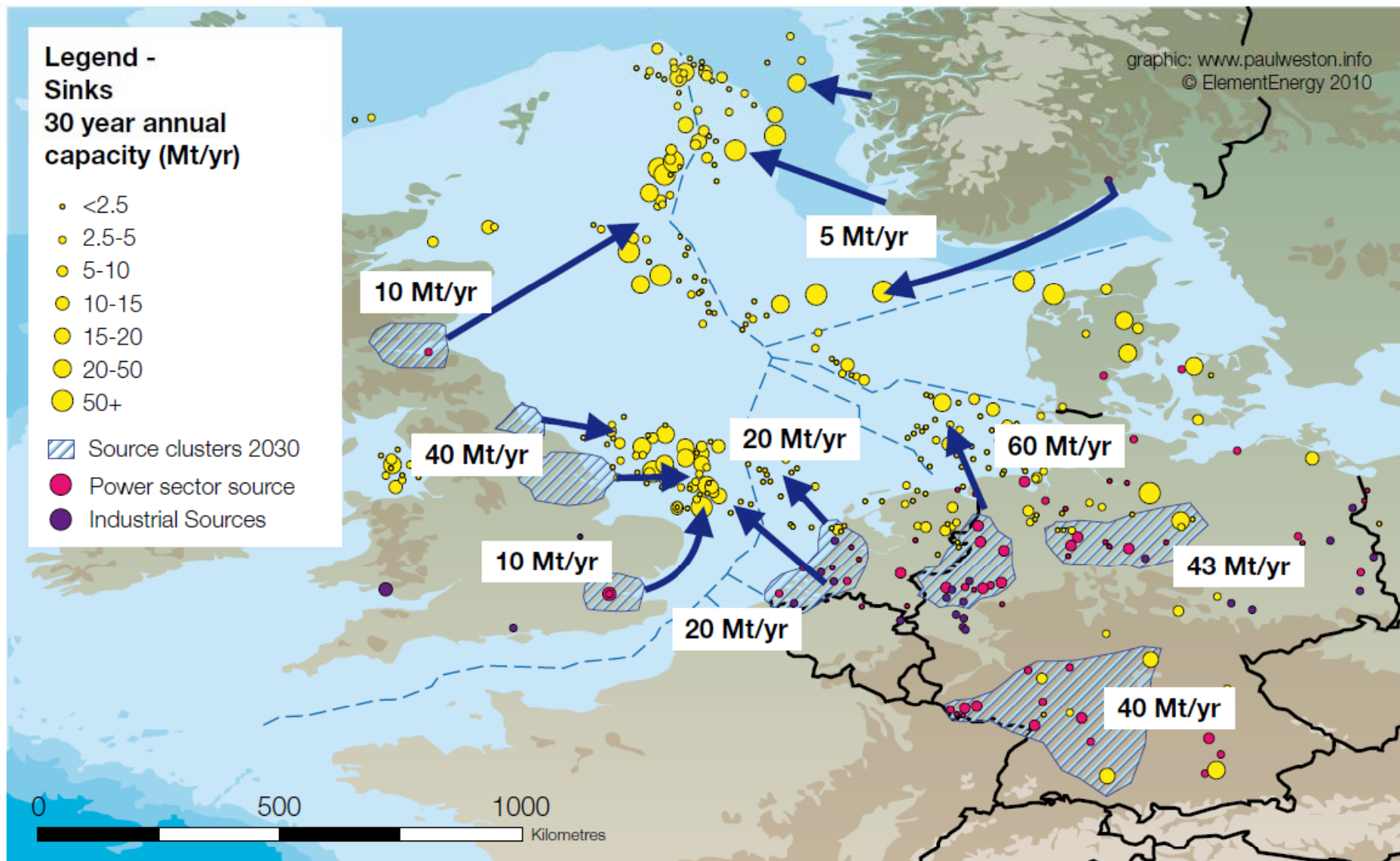
Summary of the market and policy combinations in 2030 used as inputs for the Classic Carbon model

Driving force	Mandatory	Competitive	Fragile
Power demand	High	Business as usual	Business as usual
Renewables	90% of 2020 target	90% of 2020 target	100% of 2020 target
CO ₂ cap	30% reduction relative to 1990	40% reduction relative to 1990	25% reduction relative to 1990
CCS costs	35% reduction relative to 2008	25% reduction relative to 2008	20% reduction relative to 2008
CCS efficiency penalty	6% gas, 8% coal	8% gas, 10% coal	8% gas, 10% coal
Gas prices	\$19/MWh	\$22/MWh	\$27/MWh
Coal prices	\$70/tonne	\$70/tonne	\$70/tonne
Nuclear	Known investments only	Known and new investments	Known investments only
Mandatory CCS	New investments from 2020	None	None

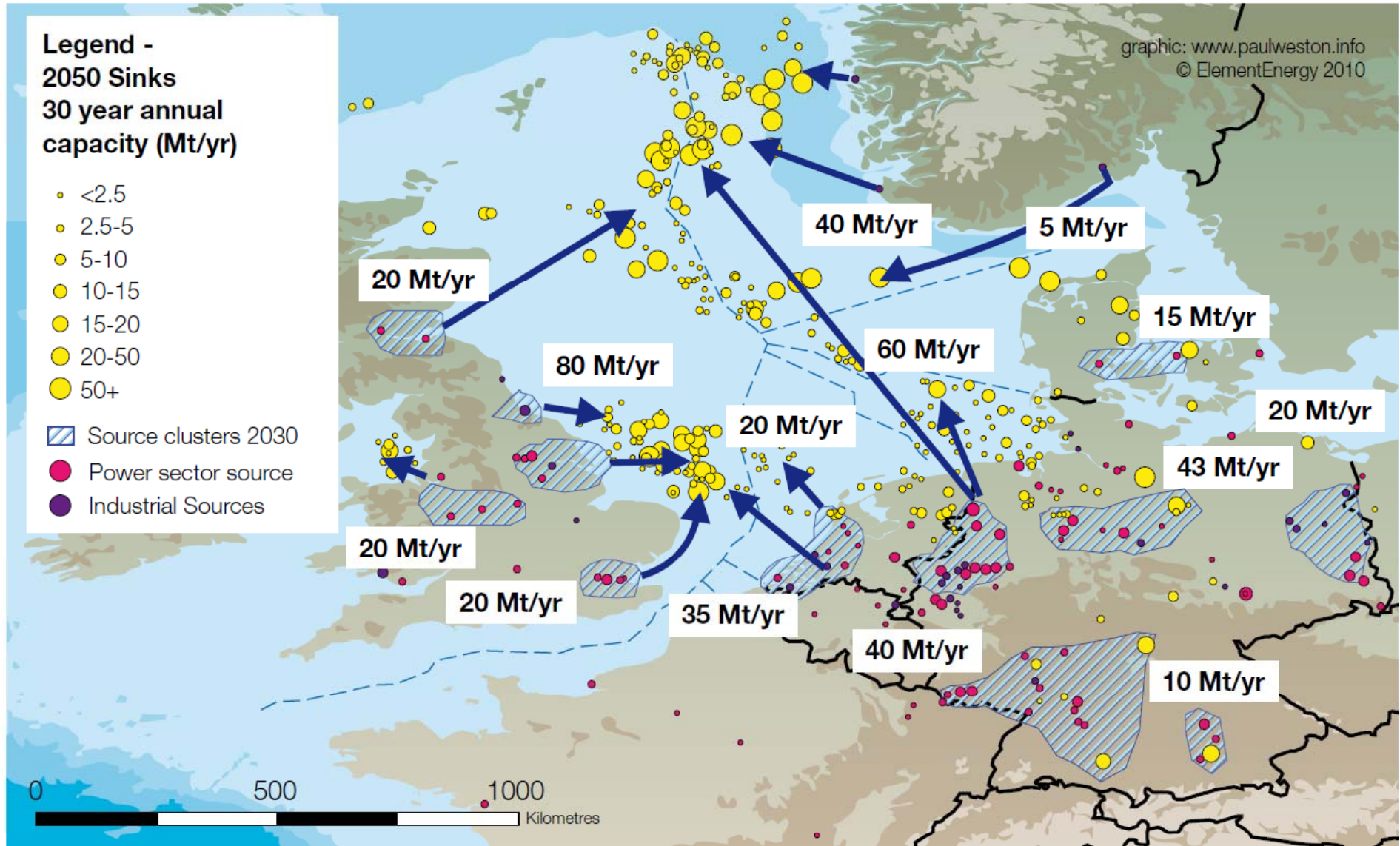
Map of source-sink connections in 2030 – 'Medium' Scenario



Map of CCS transport and storage in 2030 – 'Very high' scenario

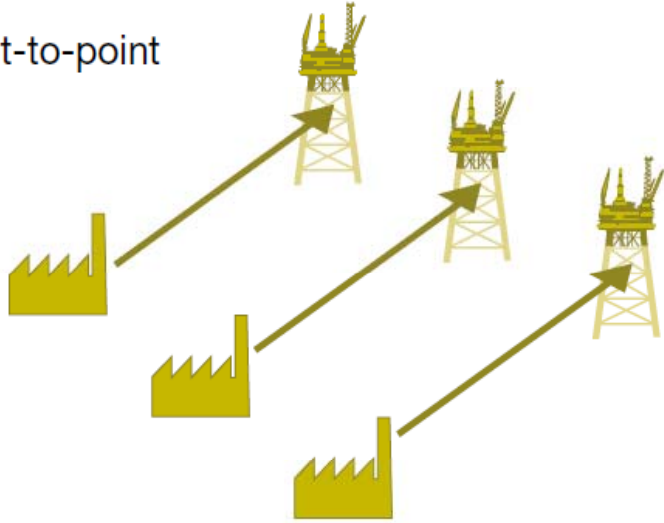


CO₂ transport in 2050 – Very High Scenario. (No restrictions on transport or storage)

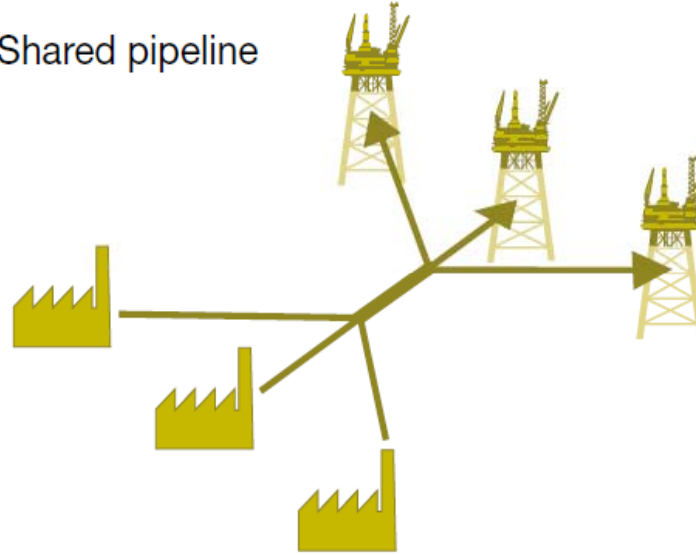


Transport network topologies

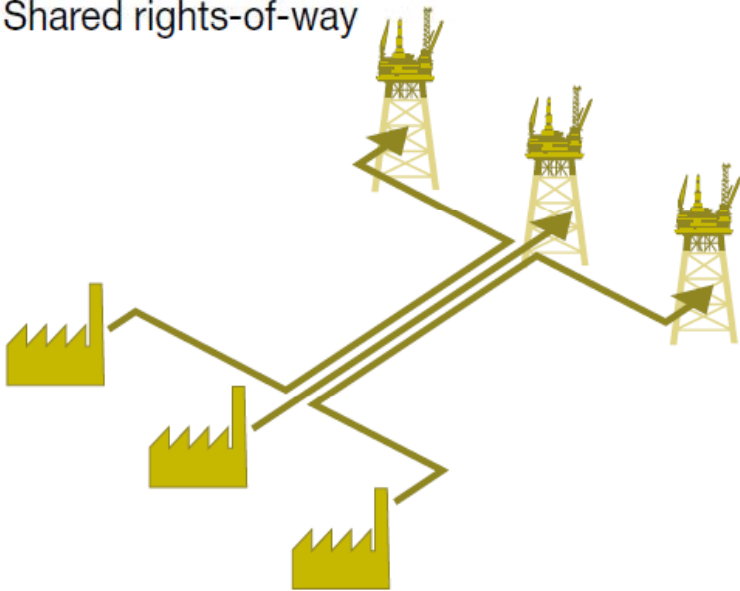
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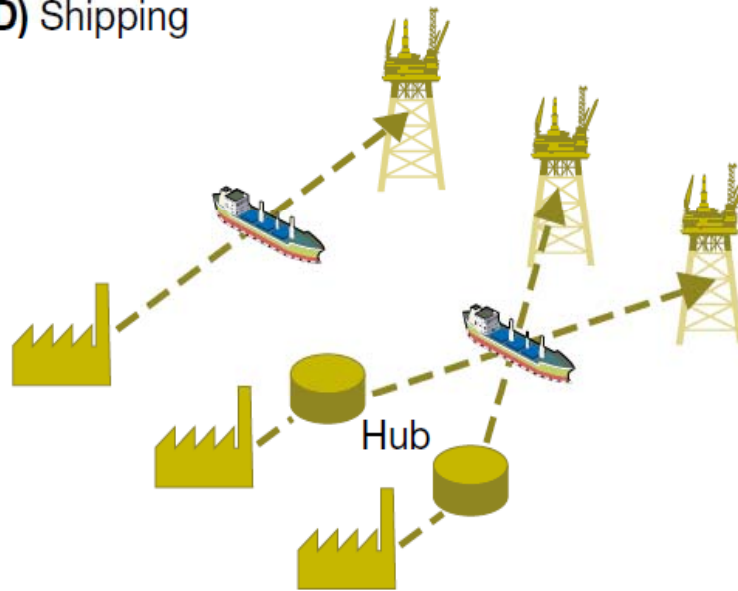
B) Shared pipeline



C) Shared rights-of-way



D) Shipping

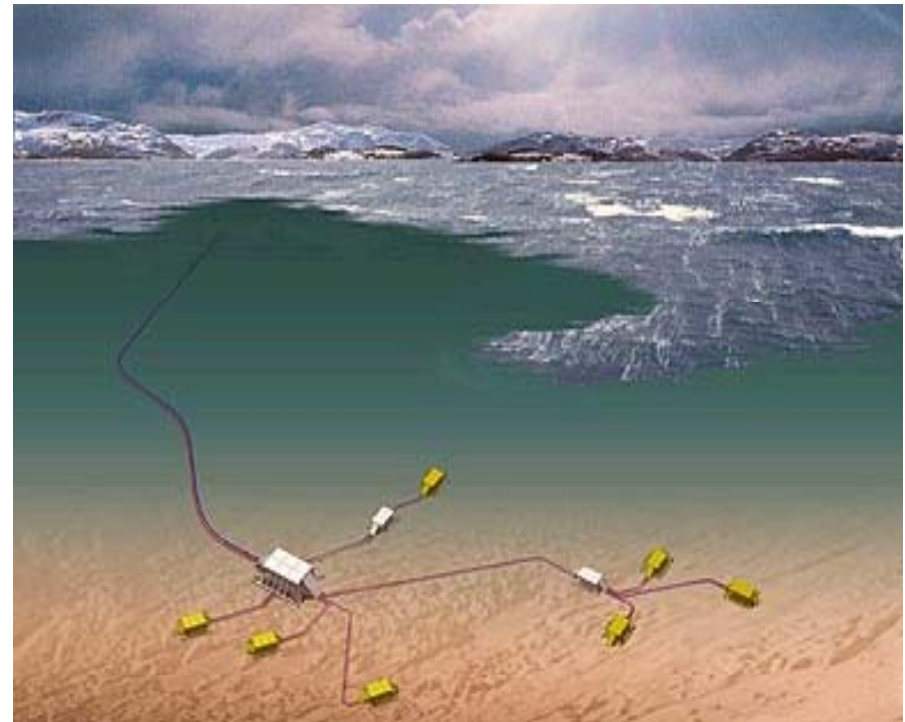


CO₂ - transport (rørledning)



USA

Over 30 års erfaring med transport av CO₂



Snøhvitflettet

143 km lang rørledning på havbunnen for transport og injeksjon av CO₂

CO₂ - transport (ship ?)

Existing technology



Available ship technology is not sufficient for transport of large volumes of CO₂

(0,5 tonnes CO₂ per m³)

New technology



Cold liquefied CO₂



Pressurised liquefied CO₂

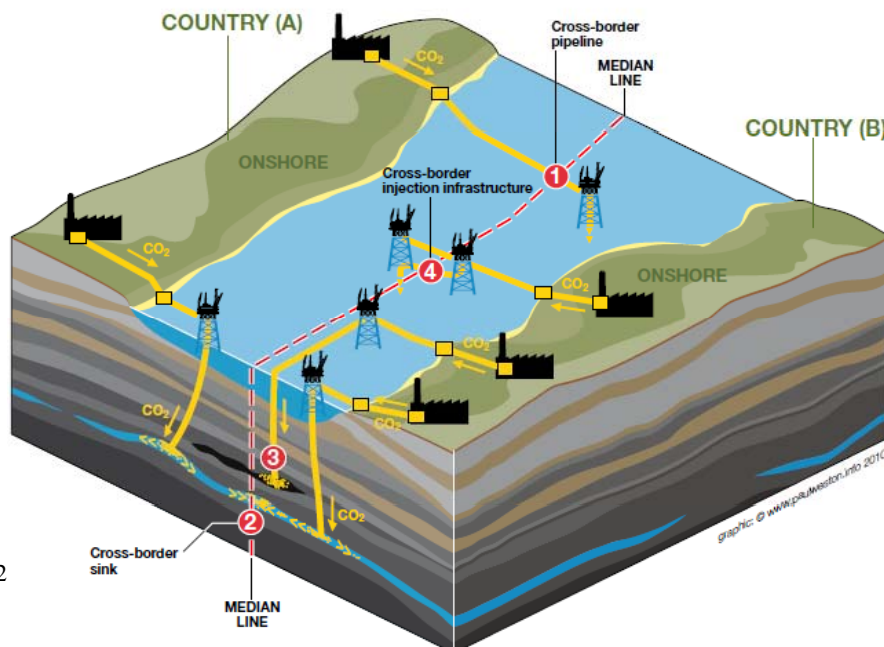
Legal and regulatory issues



EU CCS Directive
National regulations

Cross-border challenges

- ◆ Legal rights to transport CO₂ across borders
- ◆ Regulation of cross-border transport of captured CO₂
- ◆ Storage complex spanning national boundaries
- ◆ Cross border impacts from storage operation
- ◆ Emissions accounting
- ◆ Mechanism to facilitate cross-border project development



Before CO₂ injection

- ◆ Do risk assessment
- ◆ Have a good monitoring programme
- ◆ Have a clear remediation and mitigation plan


And do a baseline inspection




Monitoring tools



Offshore gravity surveys

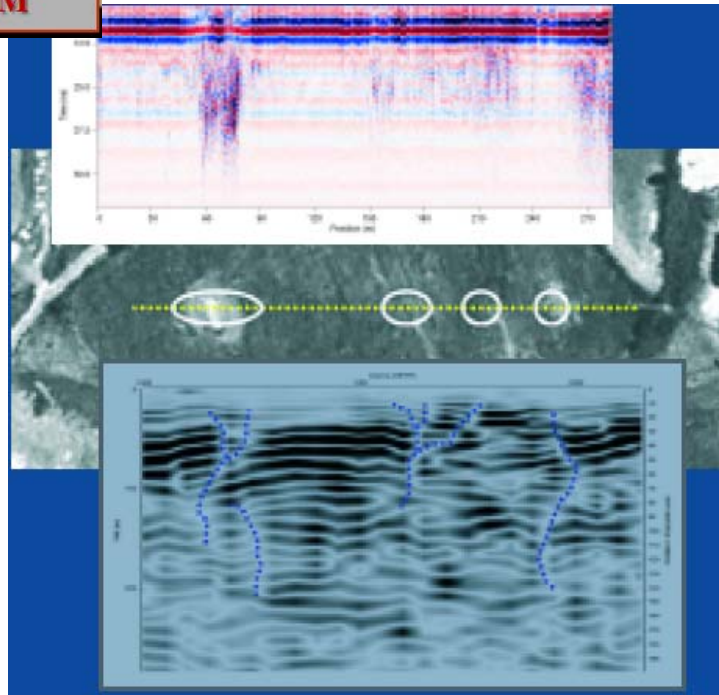
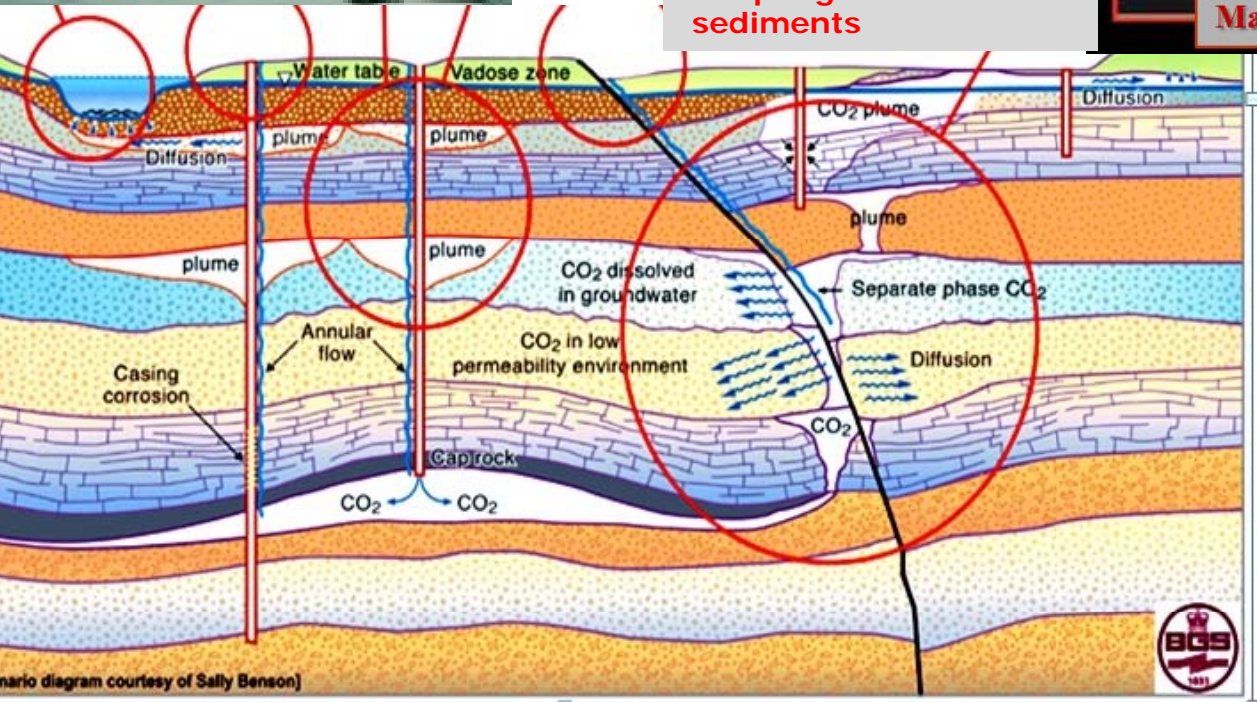


Offshore seismic survey

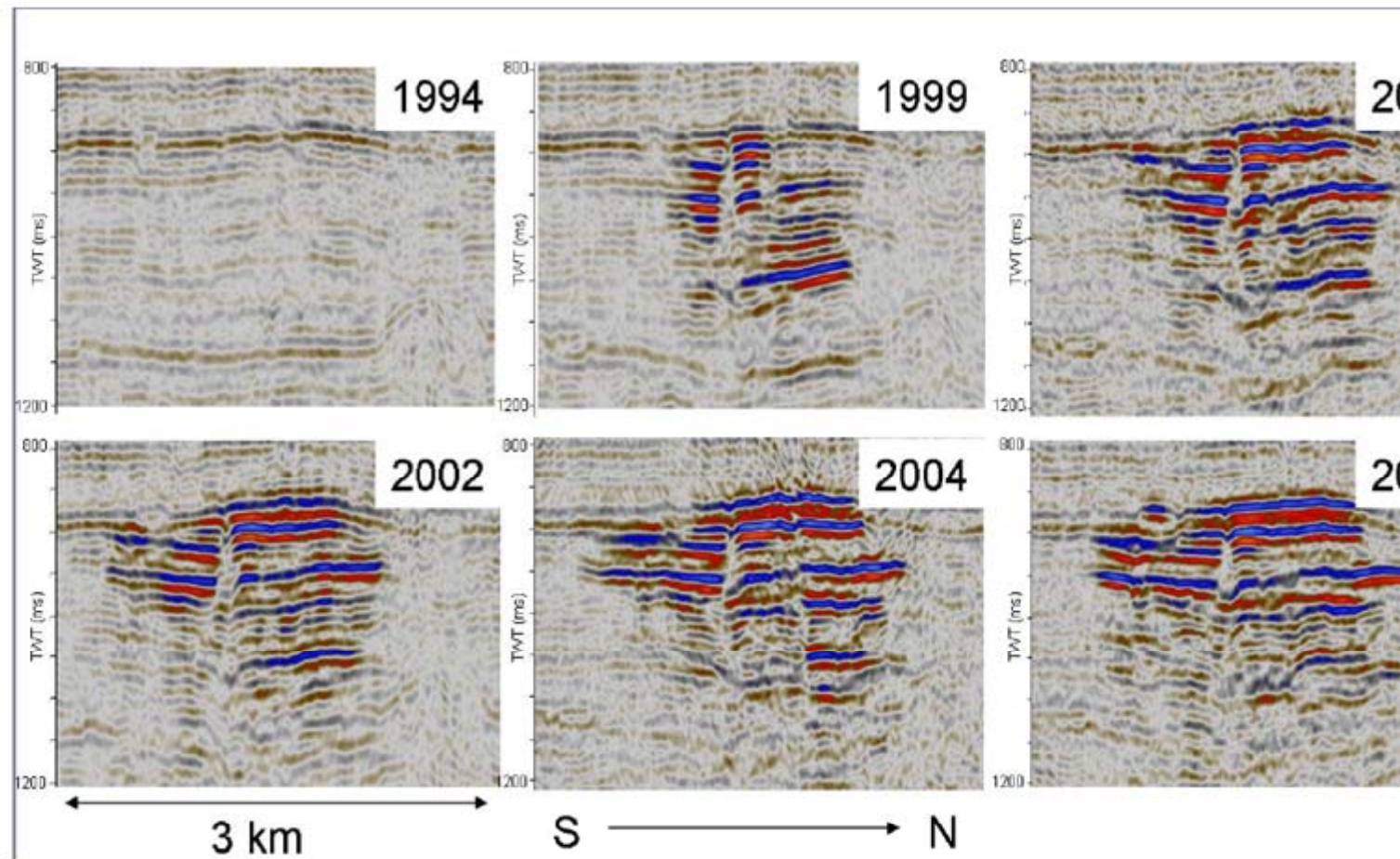
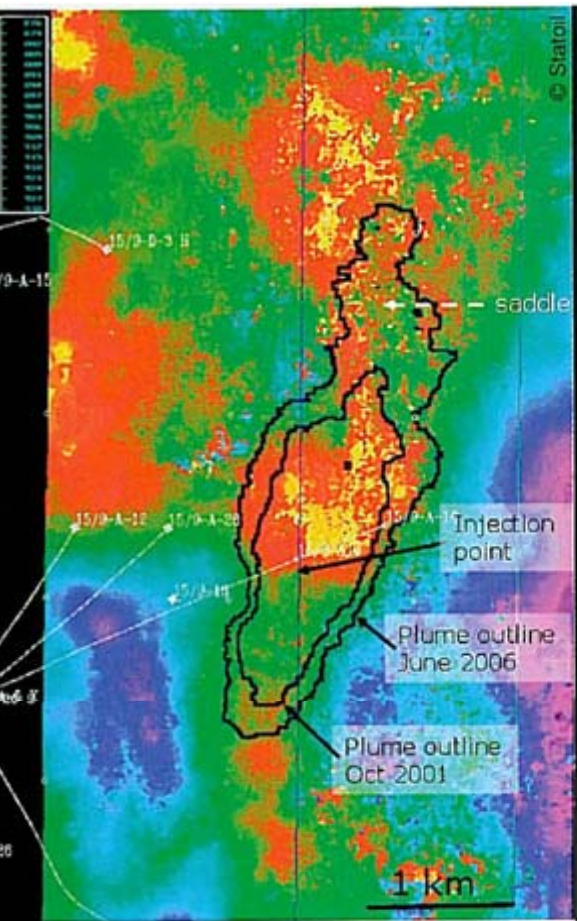


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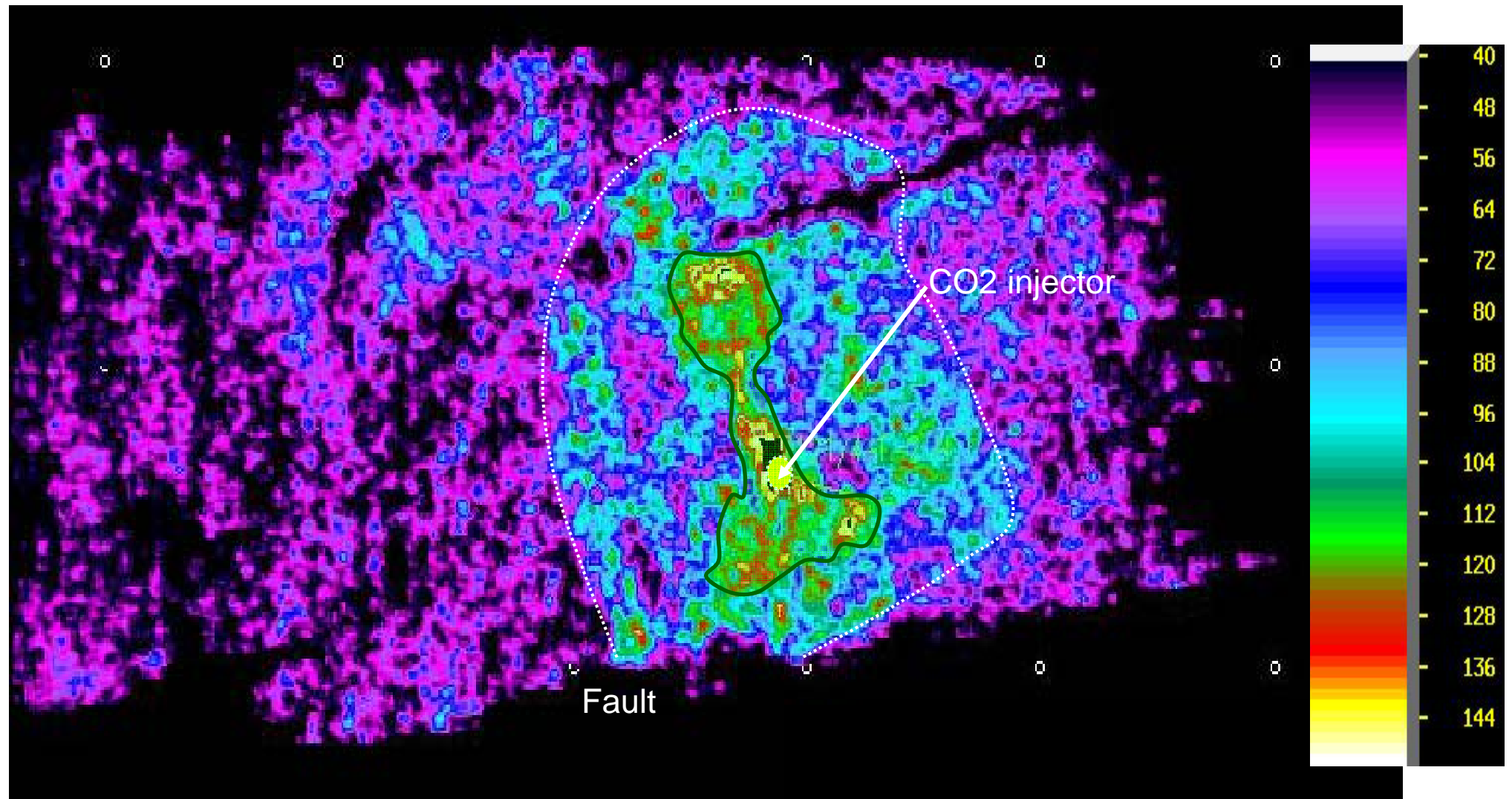
Sampling of seabed sediments



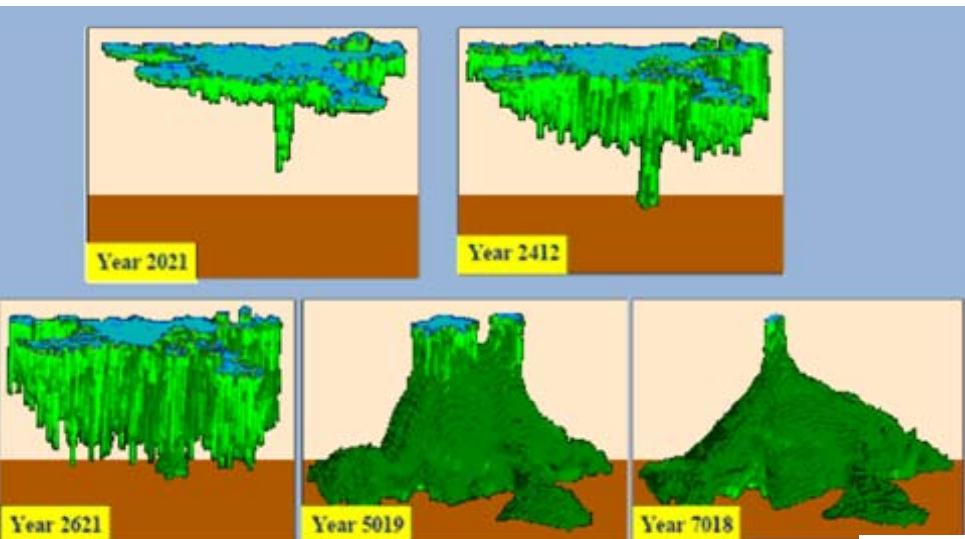
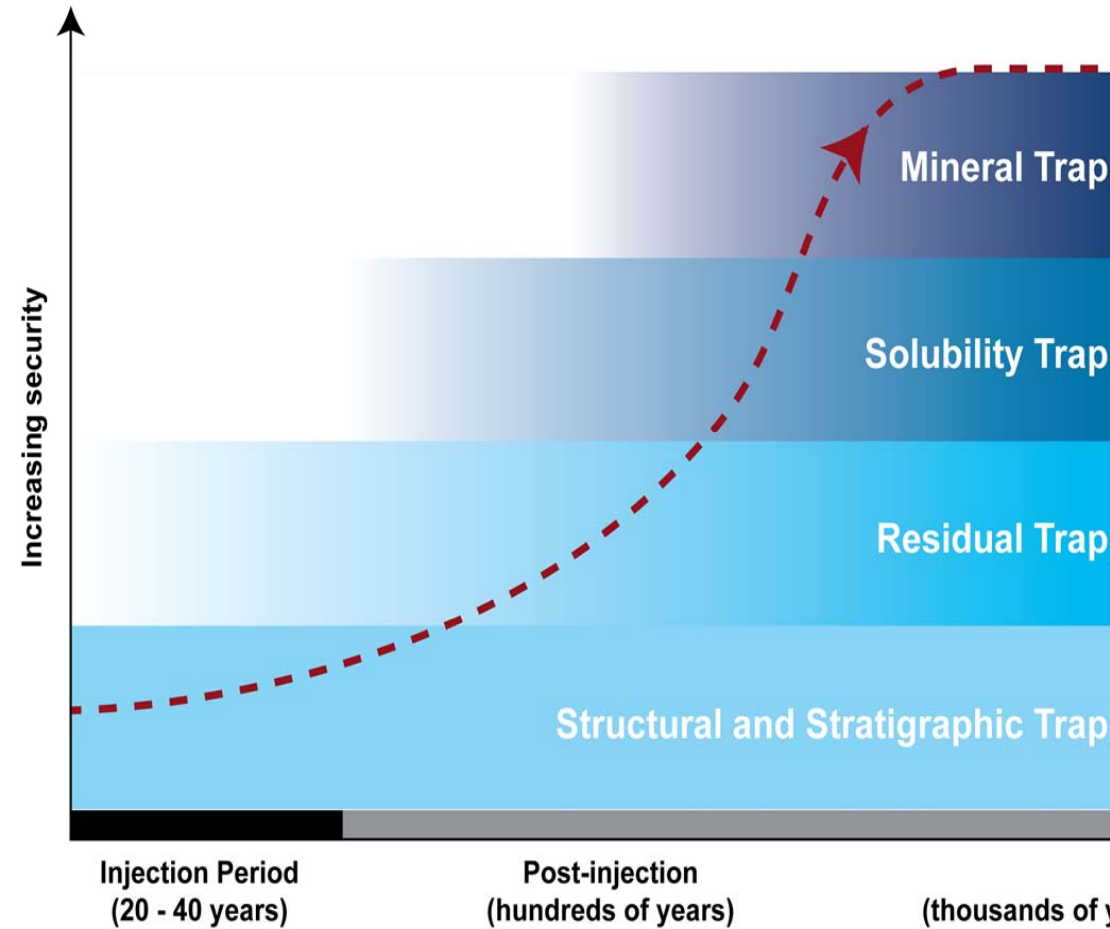
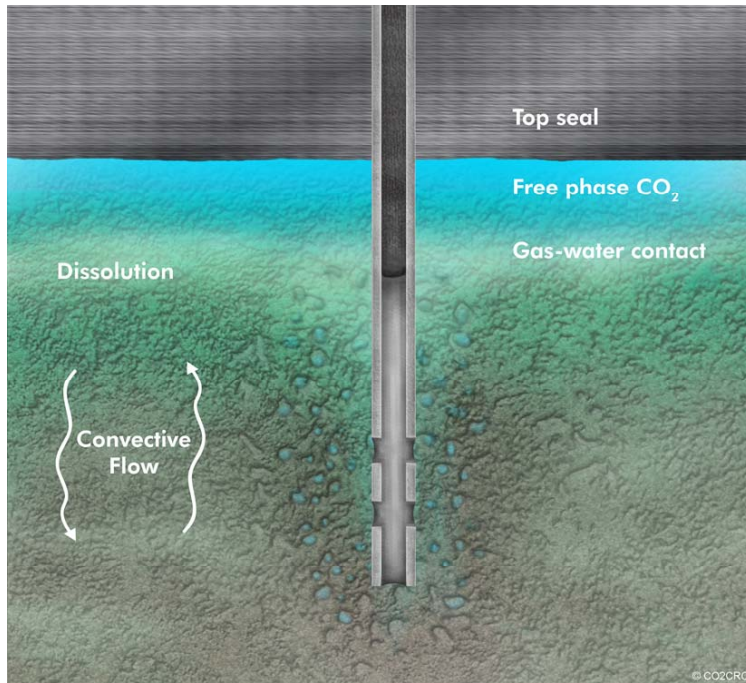
Monitoring of injected CO₂ in the Utsira Formation



Pressure affected area

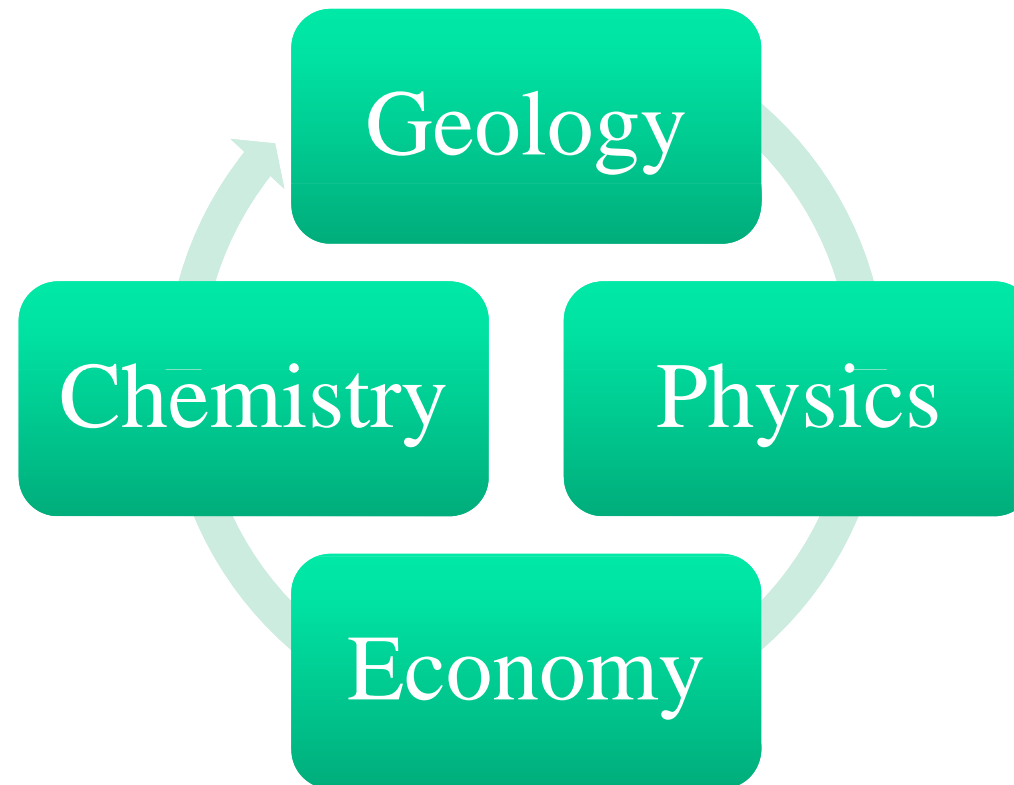


..and after termination of CO₂- injection



Role(s) of geosciences

- ◆ Know your geology
- ◆ Trap types
- ◆ Trapping mechanisms
- ◆ Geological risk
- ◆ Leakage rates
- ◆ Operational risk
- ◆ HSE risk



Geologists in action



Thanks for your attention

