

# Decoupling Capture from Transport and Storage Gardiner Hill, Vice-Chair ZEP

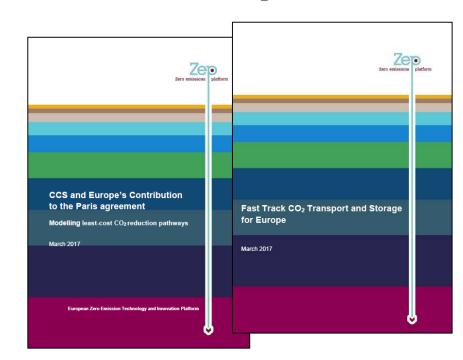
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#### **ZEP** introduction



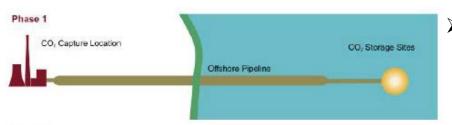
- ZEP is a unique coalition of CCS stakeholders supported by the European Commission – to deliver the following objectives;
  - ➤ Enabling CCS as a key technology for all CO₂ emitting sectors including electricity, energy intensive industry and producers of hydrogen and biofuels
  - Making CCS an investable technology by 2020
  - Accelerating next generation RD&D of CCS technology and the widespread deployment post 2020
  - ➤ Enabling CCU as a part of the portfolio of options available for CO₂ emitters
- ZEP modelling has demonstrated the importance of CCS to the European economy
  - Value of CCS for the EU exceeds €1 trillion by 2050 and more than €50 bn per year thereafter
- ZEP reports have highlighted the importance of decoupling CO<sub>2</sub> transport and storage infrastructure to realise investible CCS and significant cost reductions

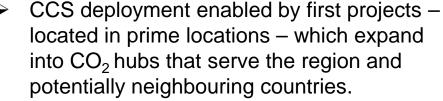
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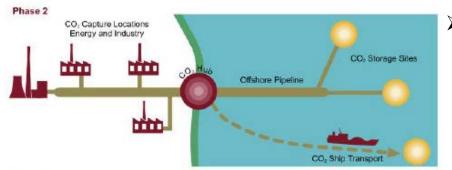


### **ZEP vision on CCS deployment**

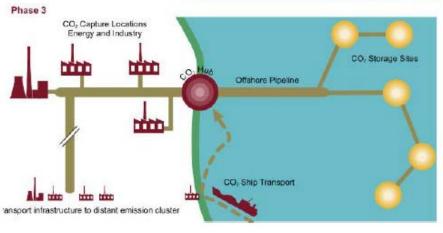








- Largest cost-reductions realised where transport and storage infrastructure is shared, and de-coupled from CO<sub>2</sub> capture.
  - Supports emission reductions across industry, power and – via clean Hydrogen – heating and transport.



- 'Market Makers' may be required to service emitters who wish to capture CO<sub>2</sub> from their operations, by;
  - Developing CO<sub>2</sub> storage and transport infrastructure
  - Transporting and storing captured CO<sub>2</sub> on a commercial contract basis
  - Taking the operational storage risk

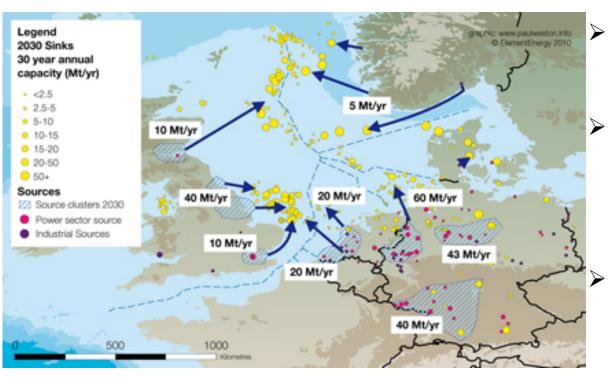
## European CCS & CCU 2020 targets



- Member States, industry and European Commission have recently agreed new 2020 targets to progress CCS and CCU
- Implementation Plan established to deliver targets includes a four activities that focus on supporting infrastructure
  - 1. Progress multiple regional CCUS clusters, including feasibility for a European H<sub>2</sub> infrastructure
  - 2. Support at least one transboundary CO<sub>2</sub> infrastructure project in the North Sea
  - 3. Establish a European CO<sub>2</sub> Storage Atlas
  - 4. Advance small-scale storage projects to increase European storage experience

### Transboundary CO<sub>2</sub> infrastructure





- Sharing infrastructure may also require movement of CO<sub>2</sub> across national boundaries
- Europe has established
   "Projects of Common Interest (PCIs)" to assist in permitting and funding CO<sub>2</sub> transport infrastructure
  - Four PCIs adopted and could form the starting point for pan-European CO<sub>2</sub> infrastructure

London Protocol still a potential barrier to these projects as insufficient ratifications of the amendment to allow transboundary movement of CO<sub>2</sub>

# **Conclusions and recommendations for CSLF countries**



- ➤ Development of shared CO₂ transport and storage infrastructure is an important enabler for widespread, cost-effective CCS deployment
- Opportunities for early CCS projects to contribute to strategic, regional CO<sub>2</sub> infrastructure should be identified
- Targeted policy and funding mechanisms are needed to deliver strategic infrastructure from storage appraisal through to construction and operation
- Cross-border cooperation on CO<sub>2</sub> hubs is needed for countries without access to storage capacity. The London Protocol currently a barrier for some of these projects
- Understanding the value of CCS to decarbonisation efforts is key to ensure that infrastructure investments are consistent with the Paris Agreement