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# STEPWISE GRAND OPENING

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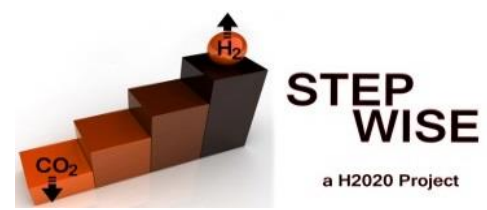
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# GRAND OPENING

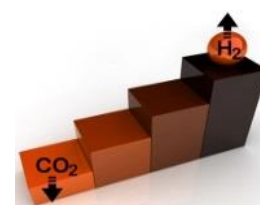


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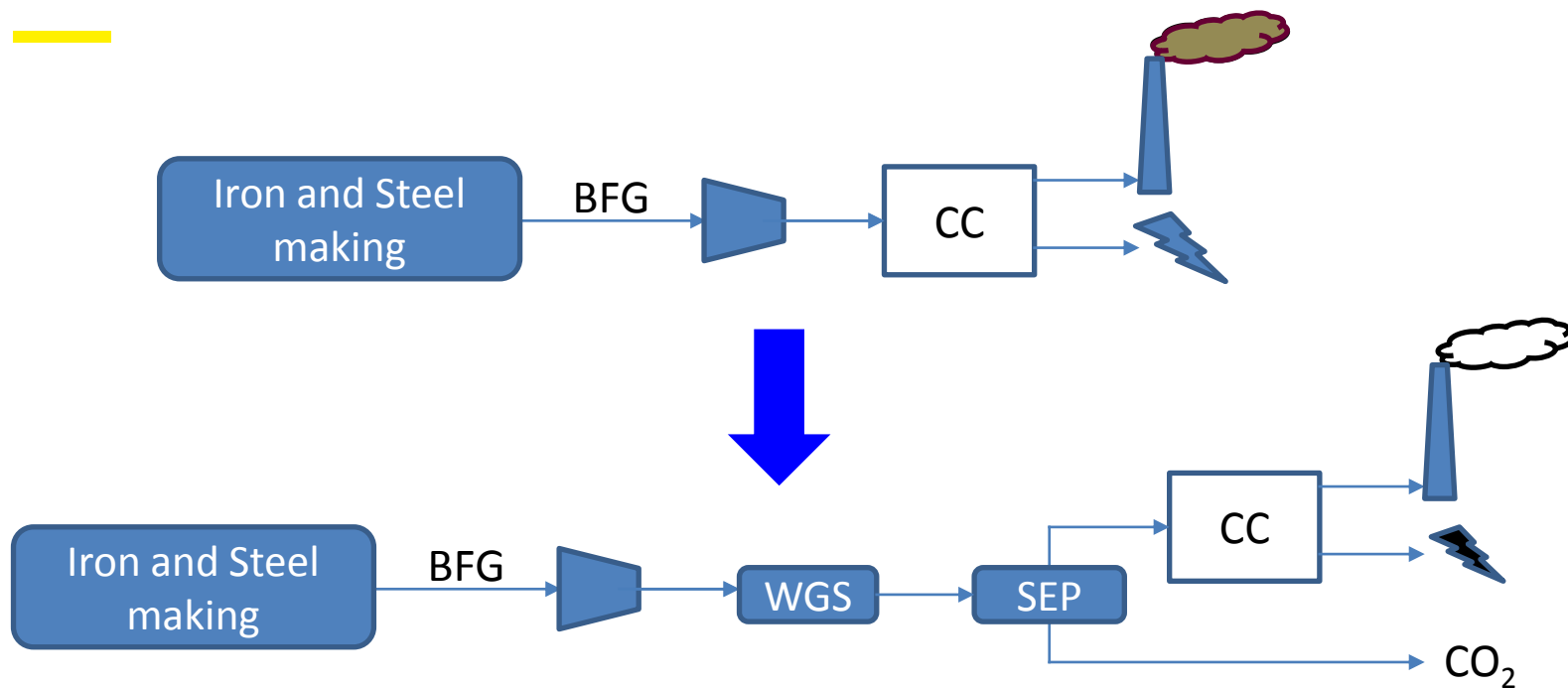


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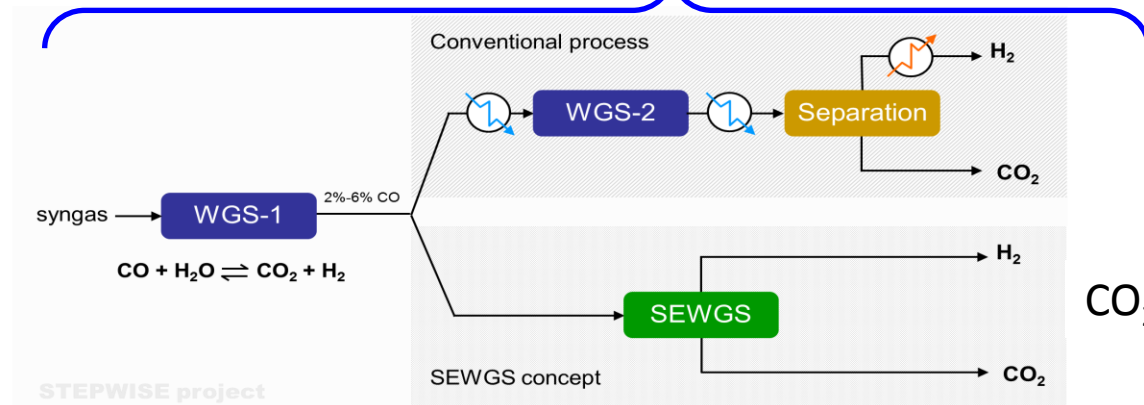
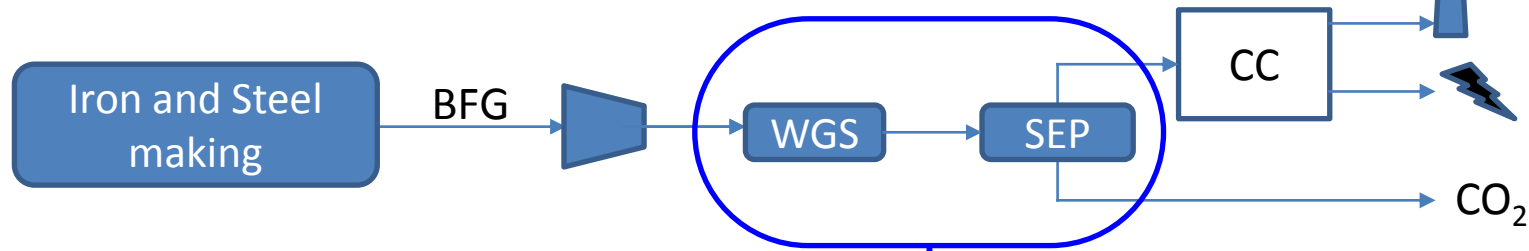
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# STEPWISE: what does it mean ?

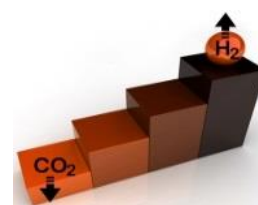


# STEPWISE: what does it mean ?



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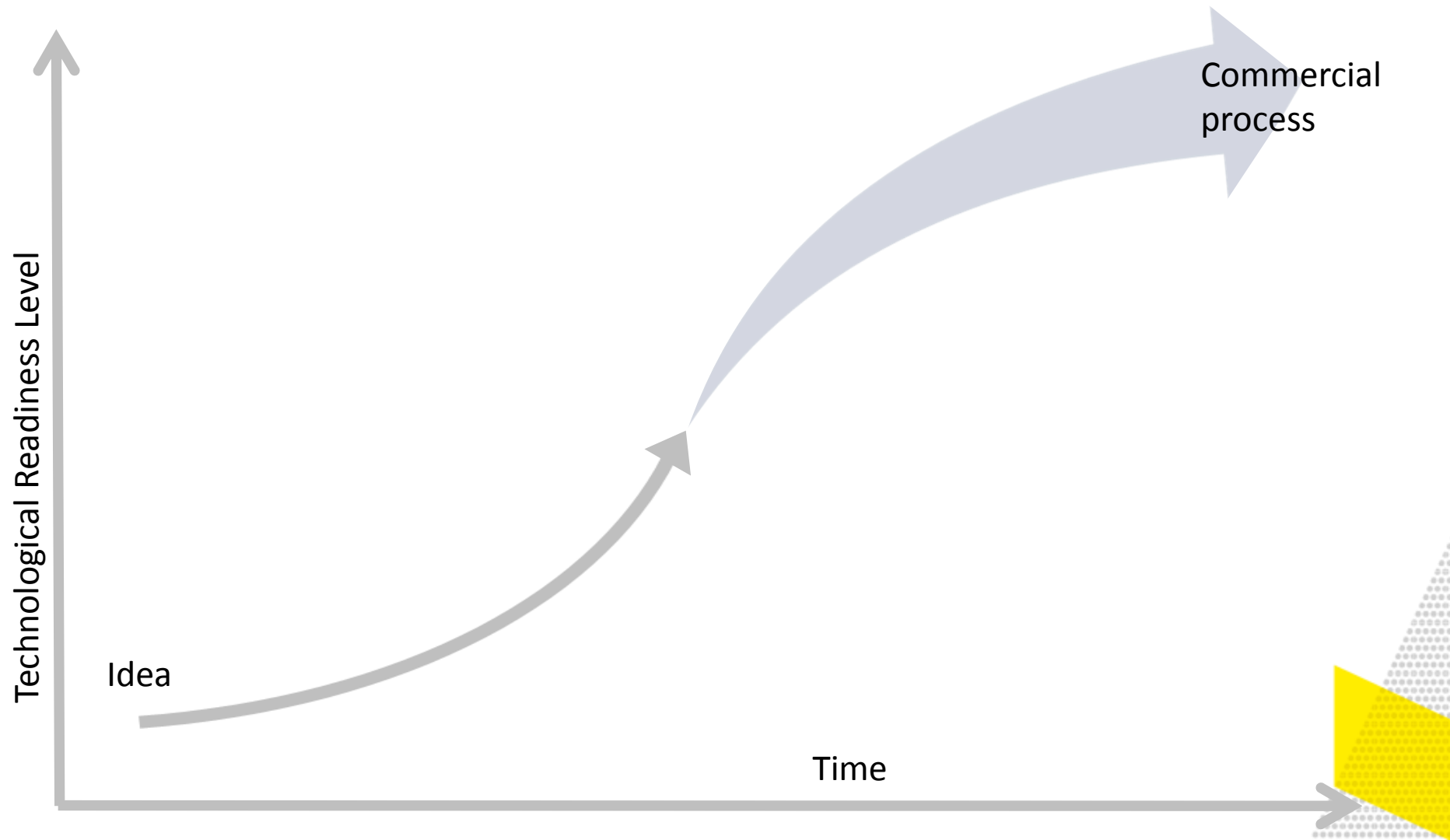


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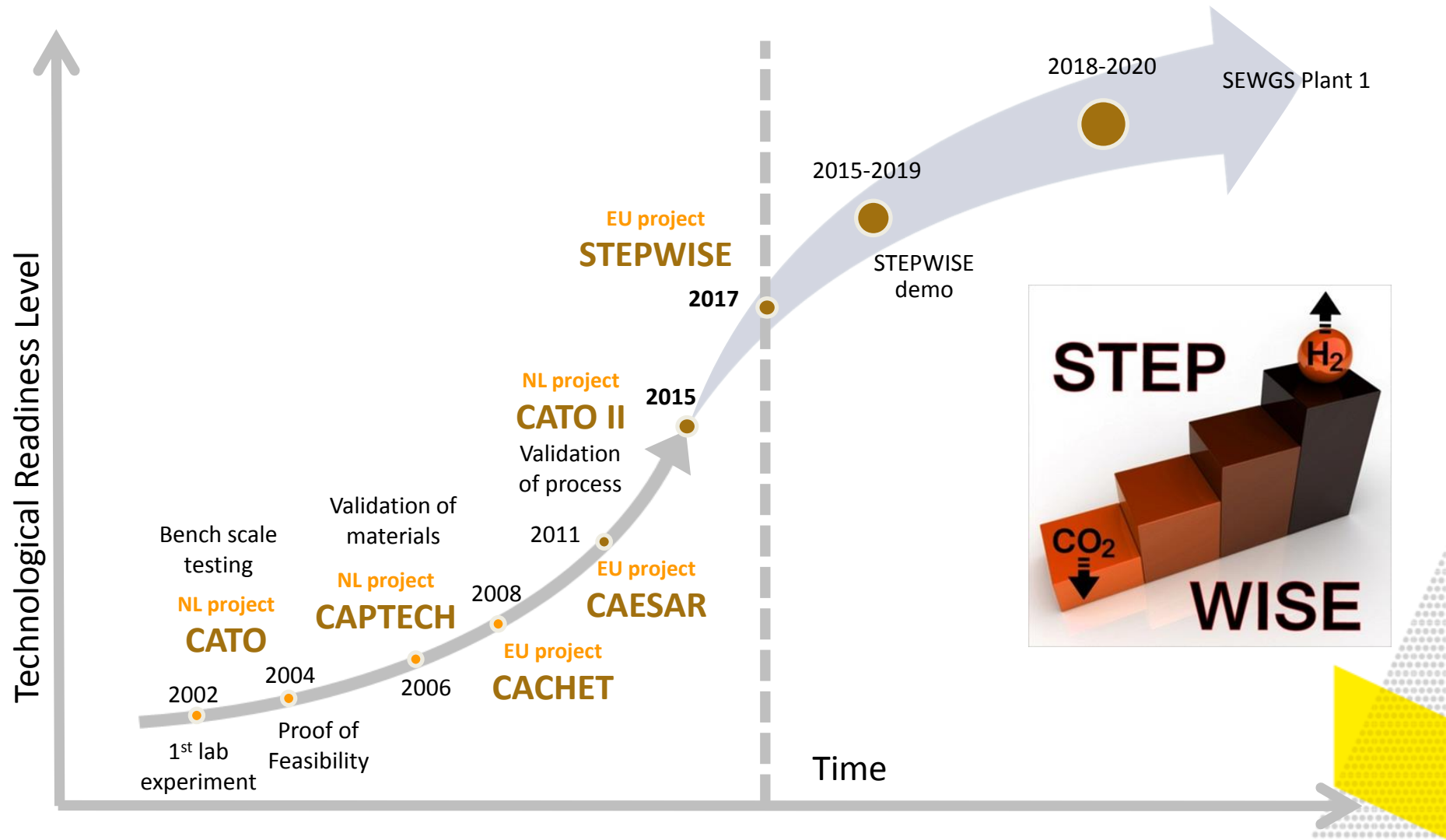
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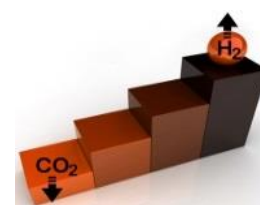
## STEPWISE: what does it mean ?

- Iron & Steel : No easy incorporation of renewable energy  
↳ CO<sub>2</sub> Capture and Storage (CCS)
- STEPWISE : Cost effective CO<sub>2</sub> capture
- Maintain competitiveness of the Iron & Steel industry and secure jobs







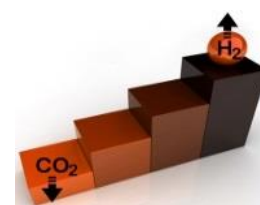


# First step .... material

1<sup>st</sup> experiment  
20 November 2002

overzicht exp 2002-2004.xls [Compatibility Mode] - Microsoft Excel

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1	Overzicht metingen project 7.2560 (2002) 7.2829 (2003)											
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8	329	m5021126	SiC	67%CO2	400°C en 500°C				265.17			
9									266.90			
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15	336	m5021205-1	SiC	5%CO2	400°C				109.33			
16	337	m5021205-2 (30 cycli)	kHTC-2.7	67%CO2	400°C	2.9999	2.2036	26.5				
17	NB: Bij deze meting is de 1e adsorptie beter omdat er nog een desorptie-stap voor zit!											
18						2.9999	2.2036		225.60	39.57	0.73	
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30	341	m5021217 (10 cycli)	kHTC-2.7(2)	67%CO2	400°C	3.0000	2.2654	24.5				
31	NB: Bij deze meting is de 1e adsorptie beter omdat er nog een desorptie-stap voor zit!											
32						3.0000	2.2654		229.86	35.31	0.64	
33						3.0000	2.2654		235.74	29.43	0.53	



## Next steps ....

- 2004 – **First experimental feasibility**
- 2005 – **First systems analysis**
- 2006 – **High Pressure Single-Column Unit**
- 2007 – **SEWGS for gasification**
- 2008 – **Multi-Column Unit**
- 2010 – **Process Improvements**
- 2011 – **New sorbent class**
  - boosting performance by 100%
- 2012 – **Techno-economic evaluation**
  - 35% lower than base-case state-of-the-art system IGCC
- 2014 – **Further reduction in steam demand**
  - New cycles for Blast Furnace Gas
- 2015 – **Industrial Scale Production of Sorbent**
- 2016 – **Start construction pilot plant 800 Nm<sup>3</sup>/hr**

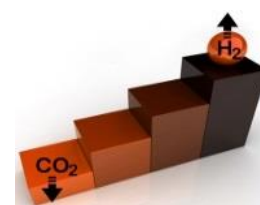
### Major Innovations

Sorbent Stability

H<sub>2</sub>S Recovery  
Shift Activity

Stress Test  
Low steam demand WGS

Pilot Scale Demonstration



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# STEPWISE: Who is involved ?




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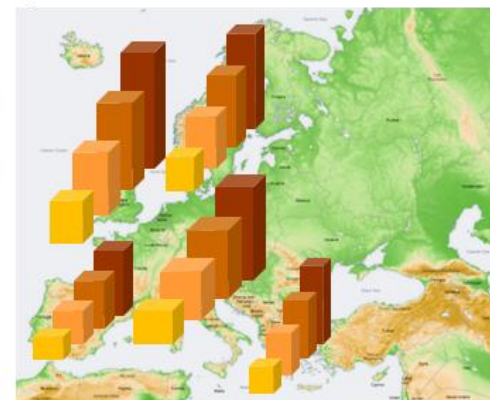
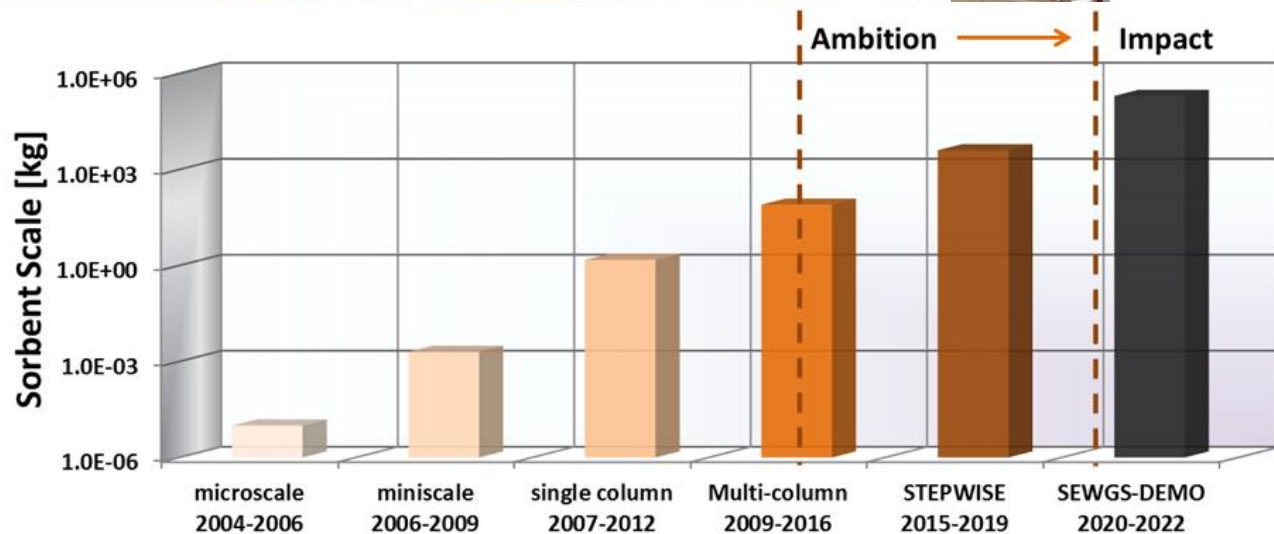
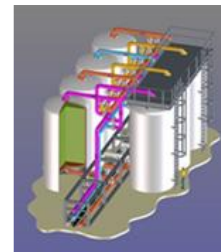
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## What next ?

- STEPWISE project : filling reactors and start demonstration
  - SEWGS-technology : TRL6 demonstration
-  Reducing risk for scale-up

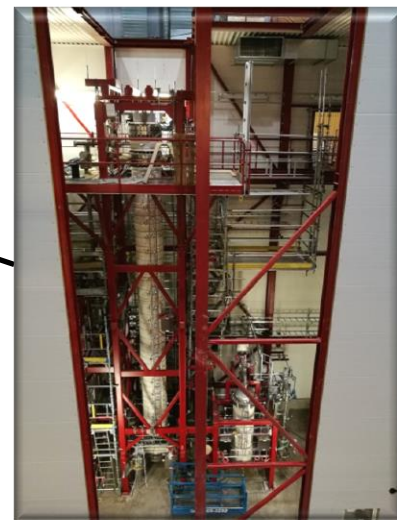
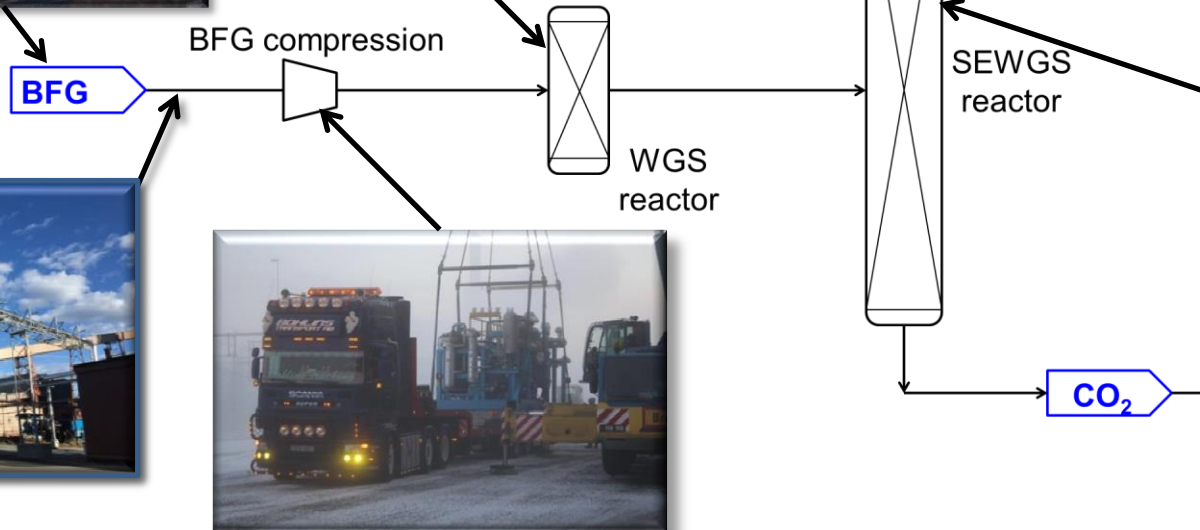
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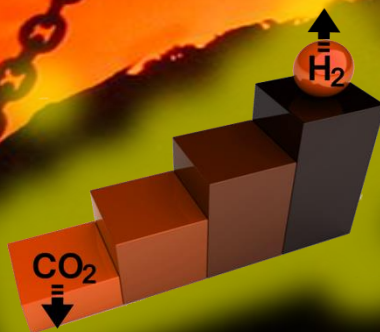


# Impression





# Thank you for your attention



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