

Greenhouse Gas Emissions Life Cycle Analysis of Carbon Capture and Storage for Industrial Sources in the Midwest-Northeast United States



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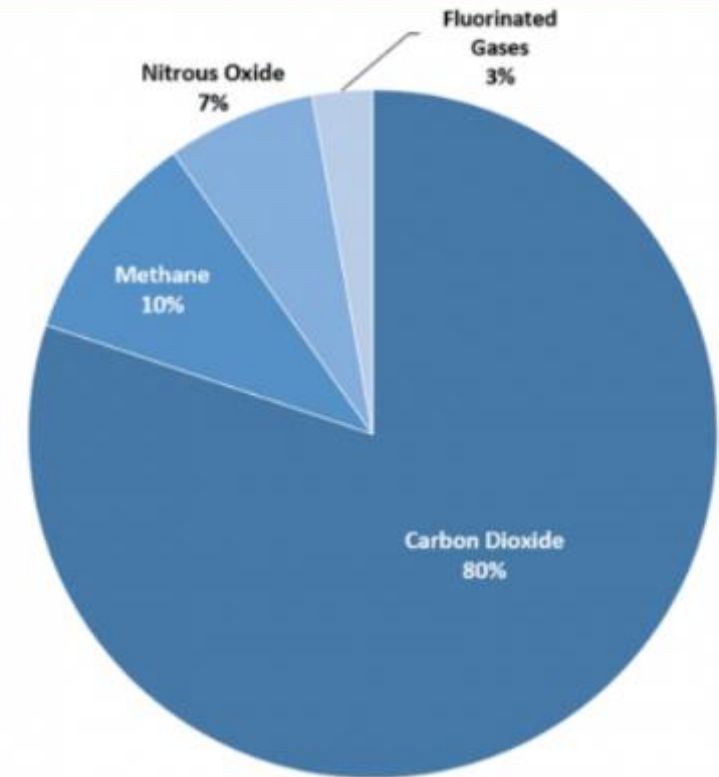
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GHG Life Cycle Background

- Life cycle analysis accounts for all greenhouse gas emissions generated for a process.
- Emissions expressed as CO₂ equivalent (**kg CO₂e**).
- 1 kg methane ~ 25 kg CO₂e
- Example: Crude oil transport, refining, fuel transport, and combustion of fuel products from 1 barrel (160 L or 130 kg) of oil has ~470 kg CO₂e emission factor.
- LCA helps understand the net benefit of carbon capture and storage projects.

Overview of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions in 2019



**US 2019 Total Emissions =
6,558 Million Metric tons CO₂ e**

USEPA- Inventory of U.S. Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Sinks: 1990–2016.
<https://www.epa.gov/ghgemissions/overview-greenhouse-gases>

Carbon Storage GHG LCA

*Example: CO₂ GHG Emissions LCA
480,000,000 kg/yr Gas Processing Source*

Emissions from construction, operations, materials

Capture

+42,000,000 kg CO₂e/year



Compression

+18,000,000 kg CO₂e/year



Injection

+2,000,000 kg CO₂e/year

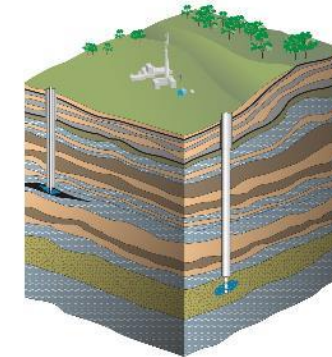


Life Cycle Analysis Questions:

- How much greenhouse gas emissions were emitted through Carbon Capture Utilization and Storage operations?
 - capture, compression, pipeline transport, drilling, injection, fugitive emissions, embodied emissions, land use, etc.
- How CO₂ much was left in the ground?
- What is the net carbon balance?

CO₂ Storage

480,000,000 kg CO₂e/year



Net Storage = 480,000 t/yr – 62,000 t/yr = 418,000 t/yr

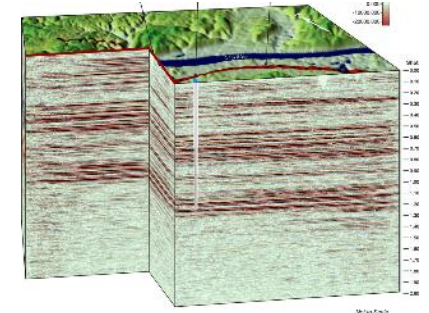
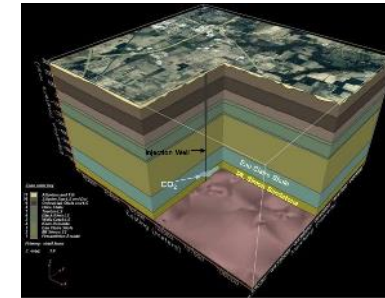
418,000/480,000 t/year = 87%

MRCI CCS Scenario GHG Life Cycle Analysis

Objectives:

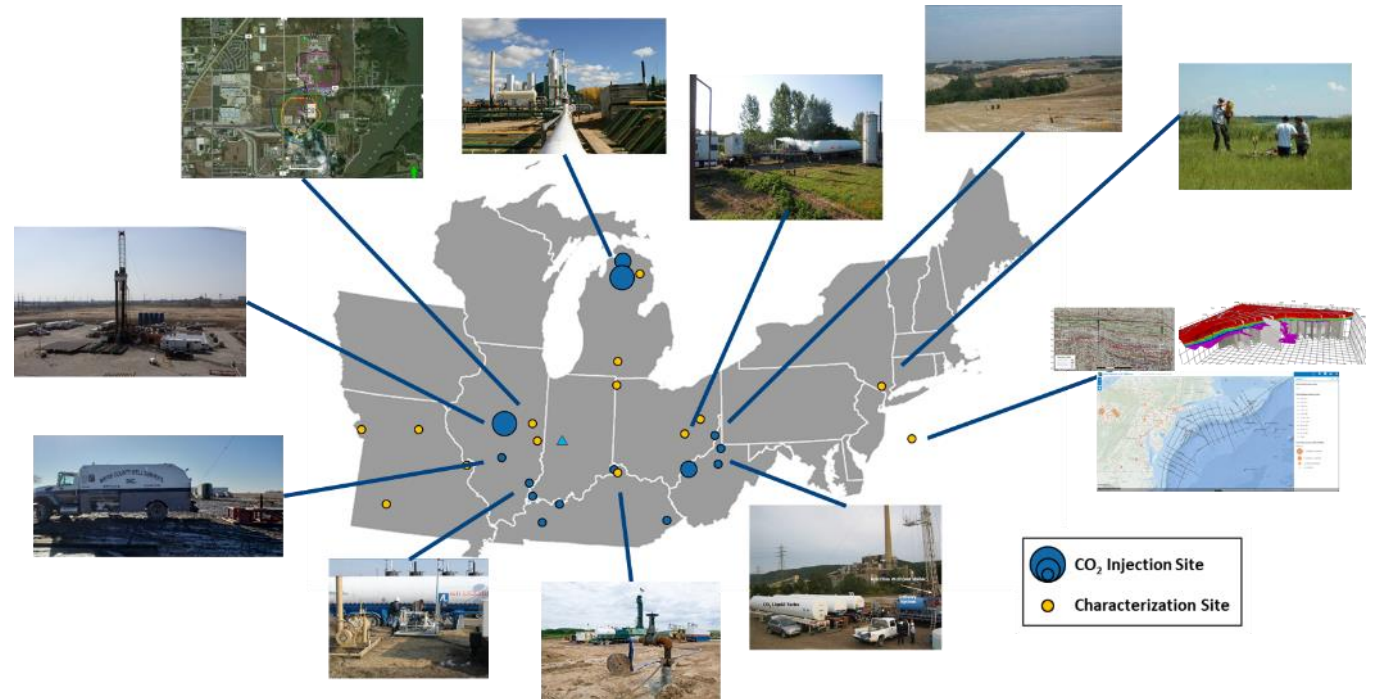
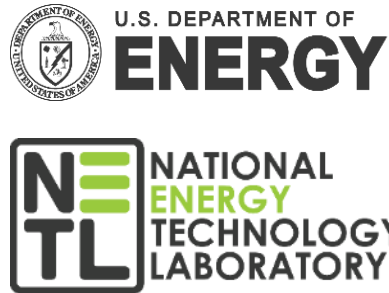
1. Evaluate potential greenhouse gases generated for CCUS facilities in the Midwest-NE U.S.
2. Account for CO₂e emissions for carbon capture, transport, and storage operations in relation to volume of CO₂ stored underground.
3. Integrate MRCI specific factors on CO₂ sources, geology, and geographic location.

Endproduct: Greenhouse gas life cycle guidance for developing CCUS in the MRCI region in terms of maximizing net CO₂ storage effectiveness.



Midwest Regional Carbon Initiative (MRCI)

- This work was supported through the Midwest Regional Carbon Initiative (DE-FE0031836), a US-DOE regional initiative to accelerate CCUS deployment in the Midwestern and Northeastern US.
- Builds on more than 20 years of CCUS experience in the region.

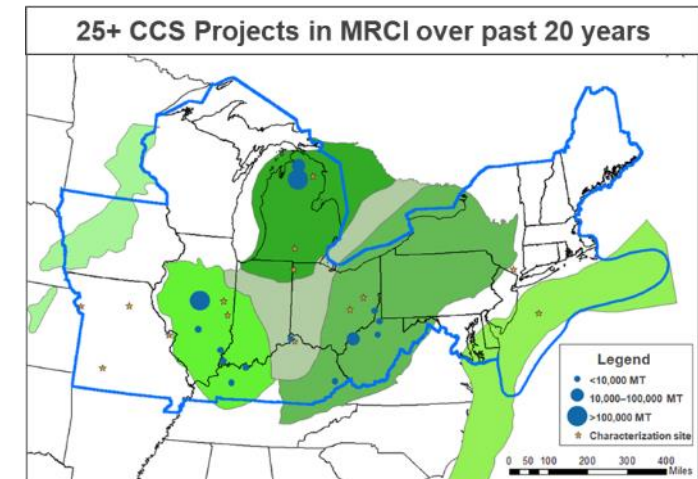
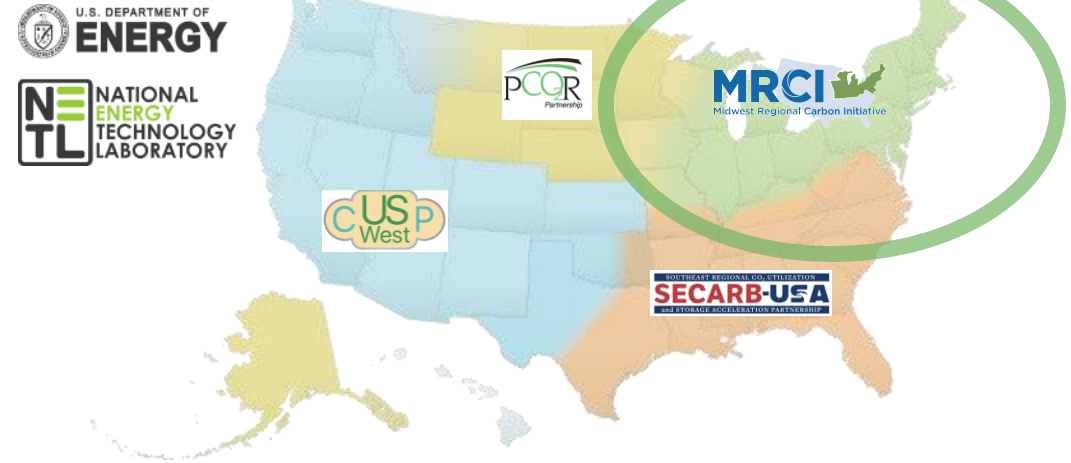


Midwest Regional Carbon Initiative



MRCI Region At a Glance:

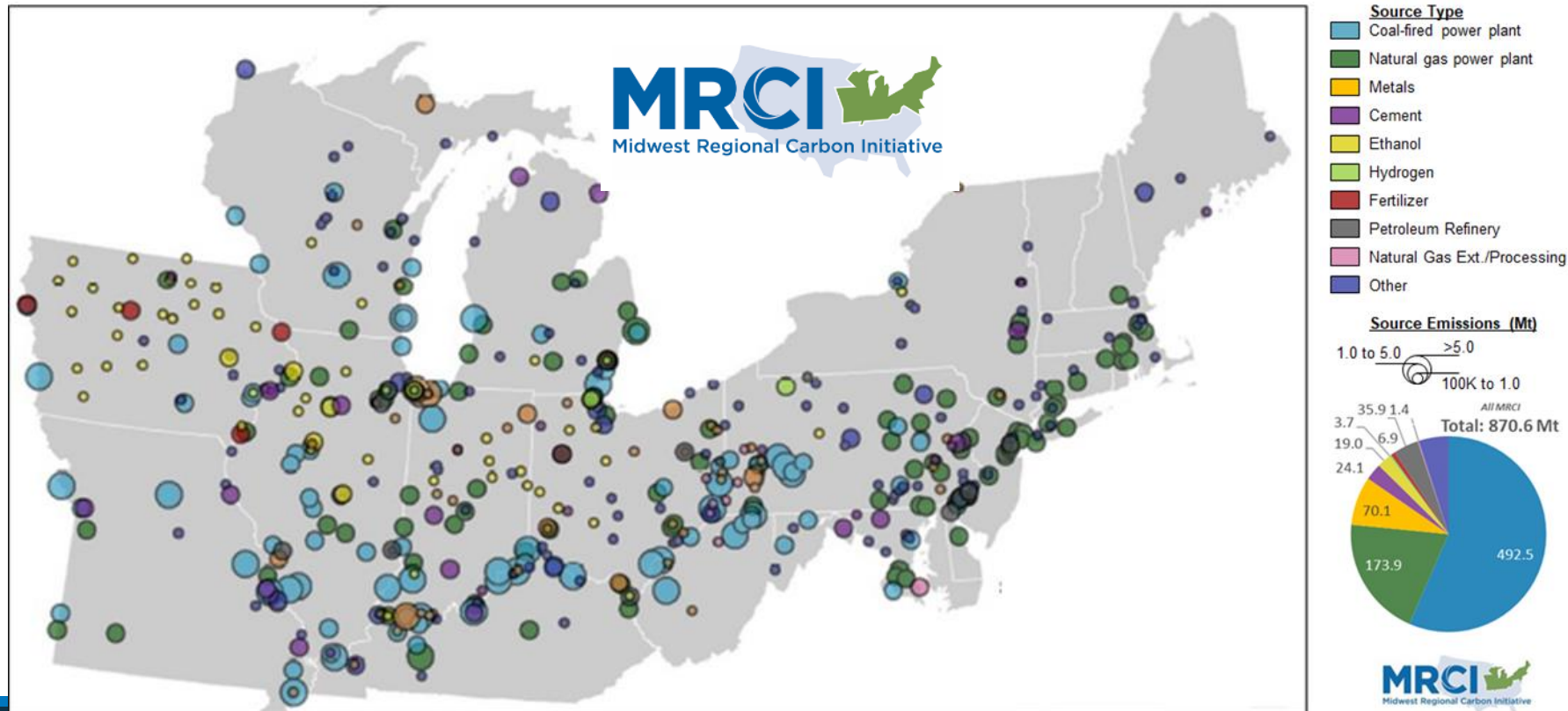
- 20 States
- 39% of U.S. Population
- 22% of US. Continental Land Area
- 45% of U.S. GDP
- 38% of U.S. CO₂ Emissions
- 35% of CO₂ emissions in MRCI region are from Electric Power Generation.*



(*based on 2018 USEA data)

MRCI CCS Scenario GHG Life Cycle Analysis

- Greenhouse gas life cycle model applied for capture, compression, transport, and injection activities. Eight scenarios were evaluated:
 - Ethanol Plant (108)
 - Natural Gas Power (192)
 - Direct Air Capture (0)
 - CO₂-EOR(1)
 - Hydrogen (16)
 - Petroleum refinery (21)
 - Cement Plant (32)
 - Fertilizer/Ammonia(7)



MRCI CCS Scenario GHG Life Cycle Analysis

- A streamlined, energy & emissions based LCA model* was applied for CCS operations that may contribute to greenhouse gas emissions.
- The model includes general process level capture parameters with more detailed parameters for CO₂ compression, transport, and injection.
- The model does not account for produced materials (like cement or fertilizer or H₂).

SEGMENT	PARAMETER DESCRIPTION	UNITS	LOW VALUE	EXPECTED	HIGH VALUE	SOURCE	NOTES	LOW EMISSION	BASE CASE	HIGH EMISSION
GATE-TO-GATE CO₂ CAPTURE										
Capture	CO ₂ emissions	kg CO ₂ /yr	1,000,000,000	2,000,000,000	3,000,000,000	Source Survey		1,000,000,000	2,000,000,000	3,000,000,000
Capture	CO ₂ capture efficiency	%	90%	90%	90%	Estimated		90%	90%	90%
Capture	CO ₂ captured for transport to CS system	kg CO ₂ /yr				Derived		0	0	2,970,000,000
Capture	Highly CO ₂ emissions from plant capture system	kg CO ₂ /yr	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	Derived		0	0	0
Capture	Electricity for CO ₂ captured for transport to CS storage	MWh / kg CO ₂	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	Derived	PCS Report # 117	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
Capture	Net gas emission factor of the electricity used for capture	kg CO ₂ / MWh	500	500	500	Literature	Net gas emissions	500	500	500
Capture	CO ₂ emissions from capture operations	kg CO ₂ /yr				Derived		0	0	0
Capture	Land area of CO ₂ capture facility	acre	50	20.0	30	Literature	Cooney et al. (2015)	10.0	20.0	30.0
Capture	Land area of CO ₂ capture facility	m ²				Derived	Derived from unit conversion	20,465	80,317	121,476
Capture	CO ₂ capture facility construction	kg CO ₂ e		755,000		Literature	Fakher from Cooney et al.	755,000	1,310,000	2,265,000
GATE-TO-GATE TRANSPORT OF CO₂ (ELECTRICITY)										
Transport	Electricity needed per tonne of CO ₂ transported 1000 to 1000	MWh / tonne		6.50		Literature	No pipeline pumping req	6.50	6.50	6.50
Transport	Electricity needed per kg of CO ₂ transported 1000 to 1000	MWh / kg				Derived	Unit conversion from MWh	6.50E-06	6.50E-06	6.50E-06
Transport	kilograms of CO ₂ transported	kg				Derived	Derived from measurement	999,000,000	1,980,000,000	2,970,000,000
Transport	Energy needed to pipeline CO ₂	MWh				Derived	Derived from the electricity	6,435	12,470	15,305
Transport	emission factor of the electricity used for pipeline trans	kg CO ₂ / MWh		660		Literature	2010 U.S. mix, delivered	660	660	660
Transport	Emissions from pipeline electricity needs	kg CO ₂ e				Derived	Derived from the life cycle	4,247,100	8,454,200	12,741,300
GATE-TO-GATE PIPELINE TRANSPORT OF CO₂ (FUGITIVE EMISSIONS AND SERVICES)										
Transport	Pipeline distance	km	20	40	60	Estimate	Estimate	20	40	60
Transport	Use emissions factor from pipeline transport of CO ₂ (line)	kg CO ₂ / km-yr	7.5	7.5	282	Literature	BN (2000); Lamb et al. (2007)	7	7	282
Transport	Use emissions factor from pipeline transport of CO ₂ (line)	kg CO ₂ / yr				Derived	Derived from the fugitive	1,495	2,985	16,955
Transport	Use emissions factor from pipeline transport of CO ₂ (line)	kg CO ₂ / service yr	0.36	3.6	5.5	Literature	BN (2000); Lamb et al. (2007)	0.36	4	5
Transport	Number of pipeline services per year	services / year	30	35	20	Estimate	Estimate	30	35	20
Transport	Use emissions factor from pipeline transport of CO ₂ (line)	kg CO ₂ / yr				Derived	Derived from the fugitive	4	15	109
Transport	CO ₂ -EOR project duration	yr	1	1	1	3 year	3 year	1	1	1
Transport	Fugitive emissions from pipeline transport of CO ₂	kg CO ₂				Derived	Derived from the fugitive	123	1,202	17,229
GATE-TO-GATE TRANSPORT										
								4,247,213	8,497,240	12,718,524
GATE-TO-GATE CARBON STORAGE: LAND USE										
Gate-to-Gate	Land area of CO ₂ processing facility	acre	30	20	30	Literature	Cooney et al. (2015)	30.0	20.0	30.0
Gate-to-Gate	Land area of CO ₂ processing facility	m ²				Derived	Derived from unit conversion	40,465	80,317	121,476
Gate-to-Gate	Well footprint	acre		2.5		Literature	Cooney et al. (2015)	2.5	2.5	2.5
Gate-to-Gate	Well footprint	m ²				Derived	Derived from unit conversion	10,117	4	10,117
Gate-to-Gate	Number of wells	count	2	4	6	System Data	Injection well	2	4	6
Gate-to-Gate	Total footprint of all wells	m ²				Derived	Derived from the well foot	10,234	40,469	60,705
Gate-to-Gate	Land area repurposed (ign processing facility + well)	m ²				Derived	Derived from land area of	60,705	121,406	182,109
Gate-to-Gate	Emissions per kg meter of repurposed land	kg CO ₂ / m ²		7.5		Literature	Derived from Cooney et al.	7.5	7.5	7.5
Gate-to-Gate	CO ₂ emissions	kg CO ₂ e				Derived	Derived from the land area	453,000	906,000	1,359,000
GATE-TO-GATE CARBON STORAGE: CONSTRUCTION (NOT CURRENTLY MODELLED TAKEN DIRECTLY FROM COONEY ET AL. (2015))										
Gate-to-Gate	Injection well construction	kg CO ₂ e / well		30,400		System Data	Taken from Cooney et al.	7,4800	1,49600	22,1400
Gate-to-Gate	CO ₂ gas processing facility construction	kg CO ₂ e		755000		Literature	Taken from Cooney et al.	755000	1,310000	2,265000
Gate-to-Gate	CO ₂ emissions	kg CO ₂ e				Derived	Derived from the CO ₂ em	1,479,800	2,959,600	4,439,400
GATE-TO-GATE CARBON STORAGE: WELL OPERATIONS - CO₂ COMPRESSION AND INJECTION ELECTRICITY										
Gate-to-Gate	Total CO ₂ injected	kg CO ₂ /year		2,706,000		Input	Input	989,999,847	1,979,999,690	2,969,999,576
Gate-to-Gate	Compressor power factor	MW/(tonne CO ₂ /day)		2.70E-03		Literature	NA; Cooney et al. (2015)	2.70E-03	2.70E-03	2.70E-03
Gate-to-Gate	Compressor power	MW				Derived	NA; Derived from the comp	2,673,000	5,345,000	8,018,000
Gate-to-Gate	Natural Gas Compressor Fuel charge	M2/kg CO ₂		0.50		System Data	NA; on MERCF operational	5,00E-01	5,00E-01	5,00E-01
Gate-to-Gate	MER	MP				System Data	NA; on MERCF operational	499,000,000	998,000,000	1,497,000,000
Gate-to-Gate	CO ₂ emissions	kg CO ₂ e		5,53E-04	2.90E-04	Derived	Derived from MER	2,970,241	6,526,282	10,177,093
Gate-to-Gate	CO ₂ pump power factor	MW/(tonne injected CO ₂ /day)		5.53E-04	3.02E-04	System Data	Cooney et al. (2015)	1,92E-04	5,27E-05	1,92E-04
Gate-to-Gate	CO ₂ pump power	MW				Derived	Derived from the pump po	1,05000	1,05000	1,05000
Gate-to-Gate	CO ₂ pump energy	MWh				Derived	Derived from the pump po	69,017,189	40,254,328	137,121,389
Gate-to-Gate	CO ₂ emissions (total)	kg CO ₂ e				Derived	Derived from the sum of	27,052,441	64,509,282	91,557,073
GATE-TO-GATE CARBON STORAGE: WELL OPERATIONS - CO₂ COMPRESSION FUGITIVE EMISSIONS										
Gate-to-Gate	Compressor CO ₂ emissions (air direct to atmosphere)	kg CO ₂ e / MW-day		0.6		Literature	NA; Cooney et al. (2015)	0.6	0.6	0.6
Gate-to-Gate	Compressor CO ₂ emissions (direct to atmosphere)	kg CO ₂ e				System Data	Subpart C Core forms	465,954	931,926	1,397,881
GATE-TO-GATE CARBON STORAGE: OPERATIONS - FACILITY ELECTRICITY										
Gate-to-Gate	Facility electricity use	MWh / kg CO ₂ injected		4.56E-02		Literature	Derived on	0.0050	0.0050	0.0050
Gate-to-Gate	Facility electricity	MWh				System Data	NA; on MERCF operational	5,114,269	9,008,106	13,141,929
Gate-to-Gate	Facility electricity	MWh				Derived	Unit conversion from kWh	4,524	8,079	11,541
Gate-to-Gate	CO ₂ emissions	kg CO ₂ e				Derived	Derived from the MWh an	3,079,504	5,358,009	6,538,461
CARBON STORAGE EMISSIONS										
								31,492,908	64,861,294	97,295,488
CO₂ INJECTION IN RESERVOIR										
CO ₂ INJECTION IN RESERVOIR	kg CO ₂							989,999,847	1,979,999,690	2,969,999,576
CO₂ LEAKAGE FROM STORAGE OVER 100-YEAR TIMEFRAME										
CO ₂ LEAKAGE FROM STORAGE OVER 100-YEAR TIMEFRAME	kg CO ₂		0.00%	0.00%	0.00%			989,999,847	1,979,999,690	2,969,999,576
CO₂ STORED IN RESERVOIR										
CO ₂ STORED IN RESERVOIR	kg CO ₂							989,999,847	1,979,999,690	2,969,999,576
CO₂ CAPTURE LCA EMISSIONS										
CO ₂ CAPTURE LCA EMISSIONS	kg CO ₂ e							755,000	1,310,000	2,265,000
CO₂ TRANSPORT LCA EMISSIONS										
CO ₂ TRANSPORT LCA EMISSIONS	kg CO ₂ e							4,247,213	8,497,240	12,718,524
CO₂ STORAGE EMISSIONS										
CO ₂ STORAGE EMISSIONS	kg CO ₂ e							35,430,927.9	64,861,294.4	97,295,488.2
GATE-TO-GATE LCA (GROSS EMISSIONS)										
GATE-TO-GATE LCA (GROSS EMISSIONS)	kg CO ₂ e							37,435,140.8	74,869,046.1	112,315,996.6
GATE-TO-GATE CO₂ NET STORAGE BALANCE										
GATE-TO-GATE CO ₂ NET STORAGE BALANCE	kg CO ₂ e							853,566,886.3	1,705,177,814.3	2,871,694,088.4
GATE-TO-GATE CO₂ STORAGE EMISSION FACTOR PER METRIC TON CO₂ STORAGE										
GATE-TO-GATE CO ₂ STORAGE EMISSION FACTOR PER METRIC TON CO ₂ STORAGE	kg CO ₂ e / metric ton CO ₂							37.8	37.8	37.8

* Sminchak et al, 2020 <https://pubs.acs.org/doi/10.1021/acs.energyfuels.9b04540>
 Azzolina et al, 2016 <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijggc.2016.06.008>

MRCI CCS Scenario GHG Life Cycle Analysis

- Key input:
 - source size (based on existing sources in MRCI),
 - energy for capture,
 - compression requirements,
 - pipeline transport distances,
 - fugitive emissions.

Source	Count in MRCI	Source Size	Emissions (metric tons CO ₂ /yr)
Ethanol Plant	108	Low	22,000
		Average	215,000
		High	4,327,000
Natural Gas Power Plant	192	Low	500,000
		Average	1,500,000
		High	3,800,000
Direct Air Capture	0 (source size based on literature)	Low	50,000
		Average	200,000
		High	500,000
Hydrogen Plant	16	Low	80,000
		Average	400,000
		High	1,500,000
CO2-EOR	1	Low	NA
		Average	94,954
		High	NA
Cement Plants	32	Low	160,000
		Average	760,000
		High	3,250,000
Refineries	21	NA	NA
Ammonia/Fertilizer Plant	7	Low	500,000
		Average	1,000,000
		High	1,500,000

MRCI CCS Scenario GHG Life Cycle Analysis

- Results reflect net CO₂ stored versus emissions generated from capture, compression, transport, injection. Also, economies of scale.
- Sources that integrate capture and compression have highest net storage%.

GHG LCA Net CO₂ Storage

- **Ethanol Plant with CS (82-90%)**
- **Direct Air Capture Plant (59-90%)**
(depending on energy source for capture)
- **Petroleum refinery (NA)**
- **Fertilizer/Ammonia Plant (87-88%)**
- **Natural Gas Power Plant (71-76%)**
(accounting for displaced electricity)
- **Hydrogen Plant (88-90%)**
- **Cement Plant (90-91%)**
(new facility)
- **CO₂-EOR (59-66%)**
(not including downstream combustion of fuel products)

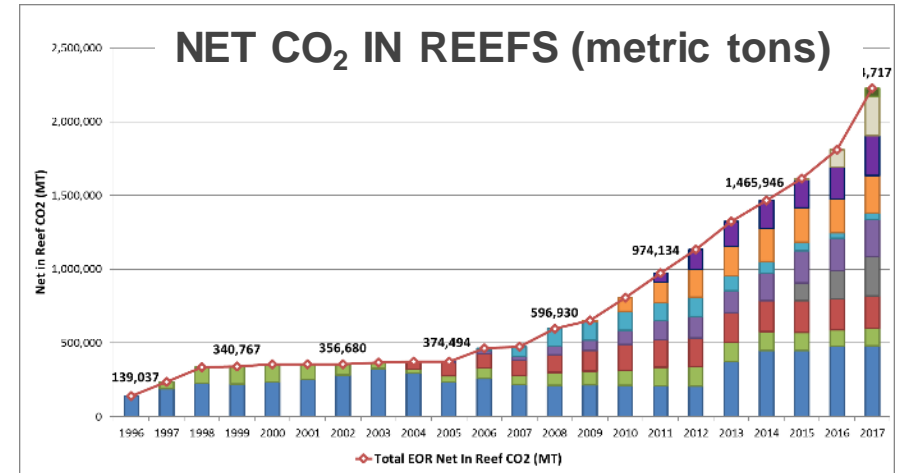
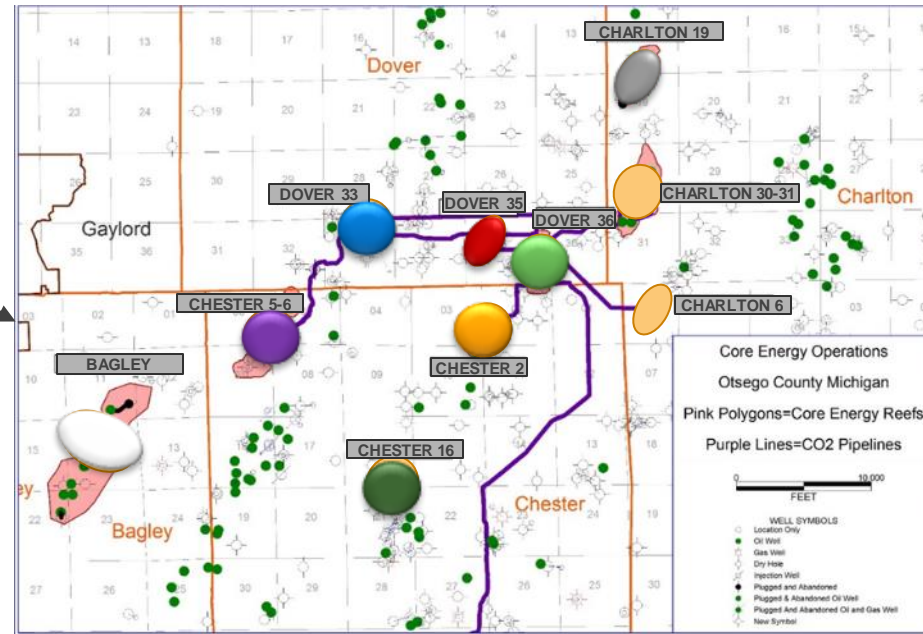
SEGMENT	SUB-SEGMENT	Input Fields	1		2		3			4			5			6			7			CO ₂ -EOR	CO ₂ -EOR w/storage							
			LOW VALUE	AVERAGE	LOW VALUE	AVERAGE	LOW VALUE	AVERAGE	LOW VALUE	AVERAGE	LOW VALUE	AVERAGE	LOW VALUE	AVERAGE	LOW VALUE	AVERAGE	LOW VALUE	AVERAGE	LOW VALUE	AVERAGE	LOW VALUE			AVERAGE						
Capture	Capture plant	CO ₂ Emissions Routed to Capture	kg CO ₂ /yr	21,000,000	215,000,000	4,327,000,000	500,000,000	1,500,000,000	3,800,000,000	50,000,000	200,000,000	500,000,000	80,000,000	400,000,000	1,500,000,000	1,000,000,000	3,000,000,000	5,000,000,000	160,000,000	760,000,000	3,250,000,000	500,000,000	1,000,000,000	1,500,000,000	71,272,000	133,182,000	164,500,000	94,954,545		
Capture	Capture plant	CO ₂ capture efficiency (CO ₂ Captured/CO ₂ emissions routed to capture)	%	99%	99%	99%	90%	90%	90%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	99%	90%	90%	90%	90%	90%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%		
Capture	Capture plant	Electricity for CO ₂ captured for transport to CO ₂ Storage	MWh / kg CO ₂	0.00010	0.00012	0.00013	0.00045	0.00050	0.00056	0.00021	0.00034	0.00047	0.00015	0.00016	0.00018	0.00030	0.00040	0.00050	0.00013	0.00014	0.00015	0.00008	0.00009	0.00010						
Capture	Capture plant	Fugitive CO ₂ emissions from plant capture system	kg CO ₂ /yr	6.60E+04	1.29E+06	4.33E+07	1.50E+06	9.00E+06	3.80E+07	1.50E+05	1.20E+06	5.00E+06	2.40E+05	2.40E+05	1.50E+07	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	4.80E+05	4.56E+06	3.25E+07	1.50E+06	6.00E+06	1.50E+07						
Compression	Compression	Electricity for CO ₂ compression	MCF/kg CO ₂	Included in capture			Included in capture			1.13	1.13	1.13	Included in capture			Included in capture			Included in capture											
Transport	Pipeline transport of CO ₂	Pipeline distance	km	50	100	150	50	100	200	100	150	250	20	40	60	20	40	60	50	100	200	10	20	30						
Gate-to-Gate	Land use	Land area of CO ₂ processing facility	acre	20	20	30	10	20	30	12	20	40	10	20	30	10	20	30	10	20	30	10	20	30						
Gate-to-Gate	Land use	Number of wells	count	1	2	3	3	4	6	6	10	20	2	4	6	2	4	6	2	4	6	2	4	6						
Notes				Assumes negligible CO ₂ capture & processing			Assumes Nat. Gas Plant near sedimentary basin			Assumes more pipeline & injection wells for larger capture, no emissions for capture, emissions for compression			Assumes minimal emissions for capture b/c CO ₂ byproduct of H ₂ generation			Assumes capture similar to nat. gas			Assumes capture similar to nat. gas, longer pipeline as cement plants are not aligned with sedimentary basins			Assumes minimal emissions for capture b/c CO ₂ byproduct of H ₂ generation			*Based on Azzolina et al 2016 gate-to-gate LCA for CO ₂ -EOR gate-to-gate only			*Based on Smircich 2020 LCA for CO ₂ -EOR including upstream, gate-to-gate		
Output Results																														
CO ₂ INJECTED IN RESERVOIR		kg CO ₂	21,779,623	212,842,483	4,283,687,604	449,999,623	1,349,992,483	3,419,943,508	49,999,250	199,988,752	499,920,412	79,199,847	395,996,960	1,484,982,976	899,999,847	2,699,996,960	4,499,982,976	143,999,623	683,992,483	2,934,943,508	494,999,923	989,998,453	1,484,991,433	71,272,000	133,182,000	164,500,000	94,954,545			
CO ₂ LEAKAGE FROM STORAGE OVER 100-YEAR TIMEFRAME		kg CO ₂	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
CO ₂ STORED IN RESERVOIR		kg CO ₂	21,779,623	212,842,483	4,283,687,604	449,999,623	1,349,992,483	3,419,943,508	49,999,250	199,988,752	499,920,412	79,199,847	395,996,960	1,484,982,976	899,999,847	2,699,996,960	4,499,982,976	143,999,623	683,992,483	2,924,943,508	494,999,923	989,998,453	1,484,991,433	71,272,000	133,182,000	164,500,000	94,954,545			
CO ₂ CAPTURE LCA EMISSIONS		kg CO ₂ e	2,276,115	18,027,160	367,924,193	102,997,250	342,317,500	951,981,900	7,538,388	46,243,691	158,099,580	6,564,320	33,784,000	135,395,250	135,755,000	541,510,000	1,227,265,000	9,827,000	49,390,000	227,490,000	21,381,650	47,347,000	77,886,050							
CO ₂ TRANSPORT LCA EMISSIONS		kg CO ₂ e	93,813	920,644	18,419,598	1,930,877	5,799,017	14,728,292	215,250	869,248	2,215,588	339,921	1,701,880	6,387,674	3,861,153	11,586,040	19,322,024	618,137	2,941,877	12,604,742	2,123,628	4,248,647	6,379,217							
CO ₂ STORAGE EMISSIONS		kg CO ₂ e	1,570,699	3,730,549	19,393,000	3,936,820	8,563,938	17,700,727	15,700,727	19,540,321	45,604,156	2,208,437	5,243,776	10,966,542	5,065,041	13,262,319	21,459,557	2,433,767	6,246,078	15,977,994	34,225,018	68,450,031	102,675,024							
GATE-TO-GATE LCA GHG EMISSIONS		kg CO ₂ e	3,940,627	22,678,353	405,738,881	108,864,947	356,080,456	984,410,920	14,911,275	66,651,261	205,915,323	9,112,678	40,729,656	152,749,466	144,681,194	566,858,959	1,168,046,581	12,879,294	58,577,956	256,072,738	57,730,296	120,045,678	186,950,291	28,086,000	44,696,000	64,628,000	37,007,909			
CO ₂ NET STORAGE BALANCE		kg CO ₂ e	17,838,996	190,164,130	3,877,960,723	341,136,674	993,312,027	2,435,532,588	35,087,973	183,316,491	294,010,091	70,087,169	355,267,304	1,332,233,310	795,318,652	2,133,636,602	3,331,936,395	131,120,329	625,414,327	2,668,870,772	437,269,626	869,952,775	1,298,041,142	43,186,000	88,486,000	99,902,000	56,197,227			
CO ₂ STORAGE EMISSION FACTOR PER METRIC TON CO ₂ Storage		kg CO ₂ e / metric ton CO ₂	181	107	85	242	264	288	298	333	412	115	103	103	161	210	260	89	88	117	121	126	650	500	647	303				
Net %CO ₂ Storage		Net Storage/CO ₂ Captured	82%	89%	91%	76%	74%	71%	70%	67%	59%	88%	90%	90%	84%	79%	74%	91%	91%	88%	88%	87%	61%	66%	61%	59%				

Learning from LCA of 22 years of CO₂-EOR

- CO₂ EOR operations in N. Michigan in place since 1996, where CO₂ EOR expanded to 10 reefs over 22 years.
- 2.2 million metric tons net CO₂ in reefs thru 2018.
- 2.3 million barrels oil produced (294,326 metric tons).



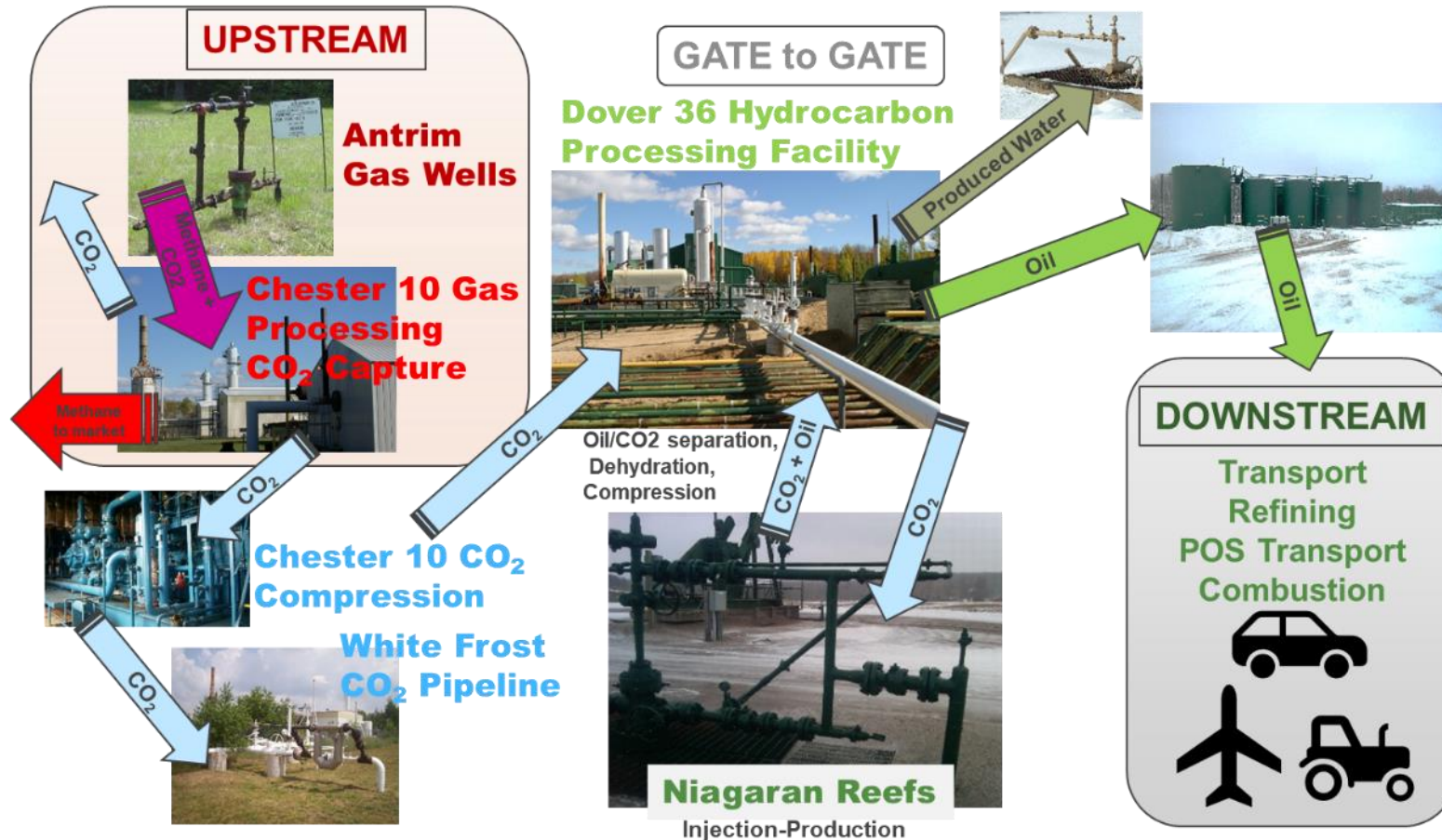
INDEX MAP OF REEFS



Establishing Boundary Conditions

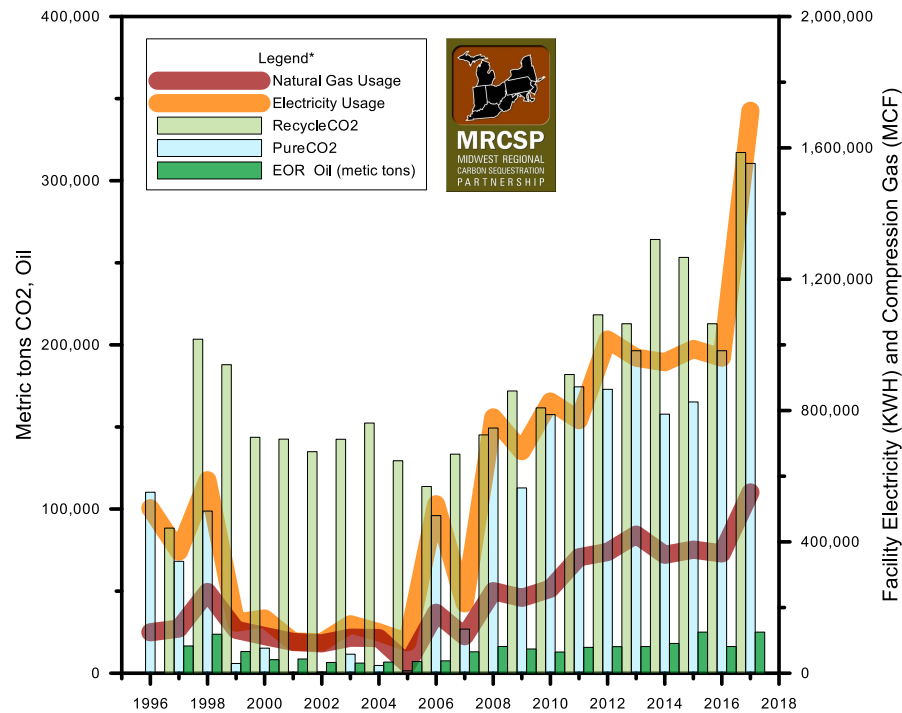


- CO₂ EOR is part of a bigger hydrocarbon life cycle, including upstream, gate to gate, and downstream components (i.e. “Cradle to Grave.”).



Gate-to-Gate Operations Data

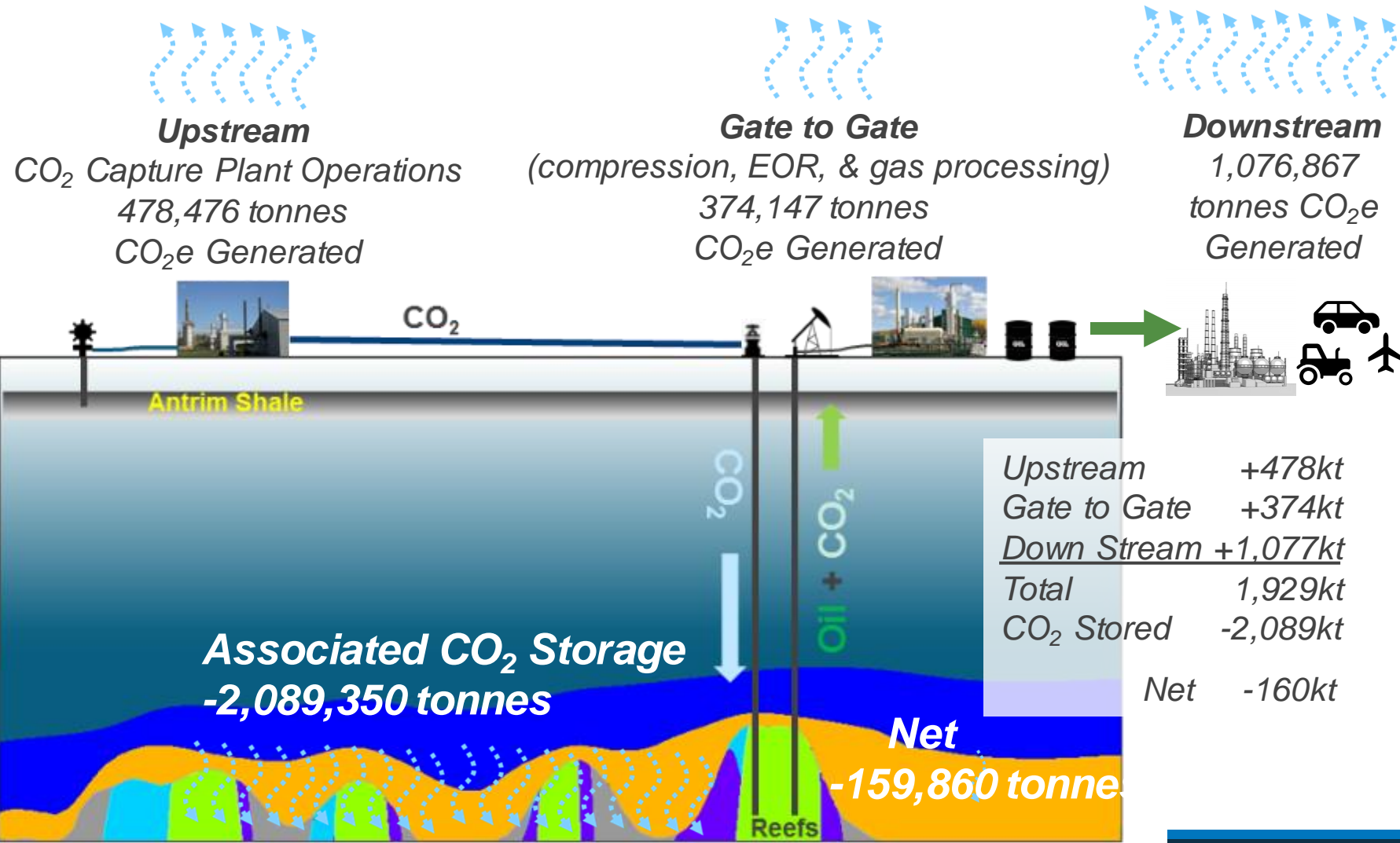
- Direct measurements from system monitoring & operations entered into CO₂ EOR LCA model (Azzolina, 2016). Operations trends reflect CO₂-EOR cycles & additional reefs. “Cradle to Grave” results show net negative CO₂ emissions of -159,860 metric tons due to very large volume of CO₂ storage vs oil produced.



*Chester 10 fuel estimated 1996-2009 based on pure CO₂
 Chester 10 electricity estimated 1996-2010 based on pure CO₂
 Dover 36 fuel usage estimated 1996-2004 based on CO₂ Recycle
 Dover 36 electricity usage estimated 1996-2010 based on CO₂ Recycle
 Pure CO₂ estimated for 1998-2011 based on mass balance

Year	Upstream Capture Emissions* (metric tonnes)	Gate to Gate total Emissions (metric tons)	Downstream Total Emissions (Metric tons)	Total CO2 Associated Storage (metric tonnes)	Net CO ₂ e Emissions (metric tonnes)
1996	22,872	7,166	47	139,037	-108,952
1997	14,142	10,511	60,767	97,026	-11,606
1998	38,543	19,554	86,924	98,763	46,257
1999	1,289	12,025	48,312	5,941	55,684
2000	2,061	9,786	30,084	15,259	26,673
2001	-	8,759	31,757	-12	40,529
2002	72	8,237	24,005	665	31,649
2003	1,174	9,397	22,580	11,585	21,566
2004	528	9,521	24,859	4,728	30,180
2005	175	4,697	26,011	1,500	29,383
2006	19,916	13,308	27,620	87,763	-26,918
2007	5,574	10,042	47,732	14,079	49,269
2008	30,986	18,472	59,543	120,595	-11,594
2009	23,417	17,449	54,040	56,505	38,402
2010	32,682	18,740	47,226	154,237	-55,589
2011	36,195	24,530	57,638	166,463	-48,100
2012	35,879	26,342	59,147	159,857	-38,489
2013	40,759	26,118	59,495	182,417	-56,045
2014	32,740	26,908	66,357	144,313	-18,309
2015	34,280	27,971	91,614	148,202	5,664
2016	40,759	26,118	59,495	182,417	-56,045
2017	64,433	38,495	91,614	298,010	-103,468
Total	478,476	374,147	1,076,867	2,089,350	-159,860

Results- Total LCA results 1996-2017



Conclusions: MRCI CCS GHG Life Cycle Analysis

- Greenhouse gas emissions life cycle analysis helps depict the *net benefits* of carbon capture and storage.
- Results reflect net CO₂ stored versus emissions generated from capture, compression, transport, injection. Also, economies of scale.
- There are many opportunities for CCS in the MRCI region. Sources that integrate capture and compression have highest net storage%.
- CCS LCA emissions are likely to change over time as operations are optimized to reduce emissions.

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