

# Development of long-distance & large-scale CCS value chain using liquefied CO<sub>2</sub> ship transportation

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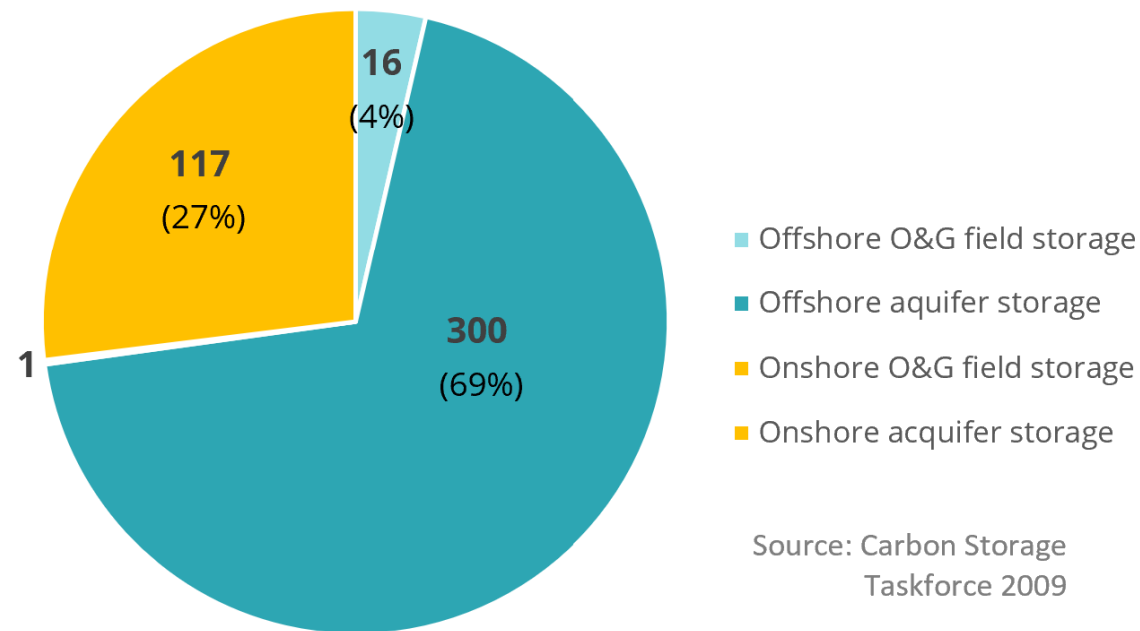
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# Why CO<sub>2</sub> Storage in Australia?

- ◉ With net emissions in 2020 being ~500 million tonnes CO<sub>2</sub>-e\*, Australia has ~870 years worth of storage.
- ◉ 73% (316 billion tonnes) of its CO<sub>2</sub> storage resource capacity resides offshore.
- ◉ CO<sub>2</sub> storage acreages accessible, with well established CCS legislation & regulation.

\* Source: "Australia's NDC Communication 2022" (Commonwealth of Australia)

## Total 434 Billion Tonnes



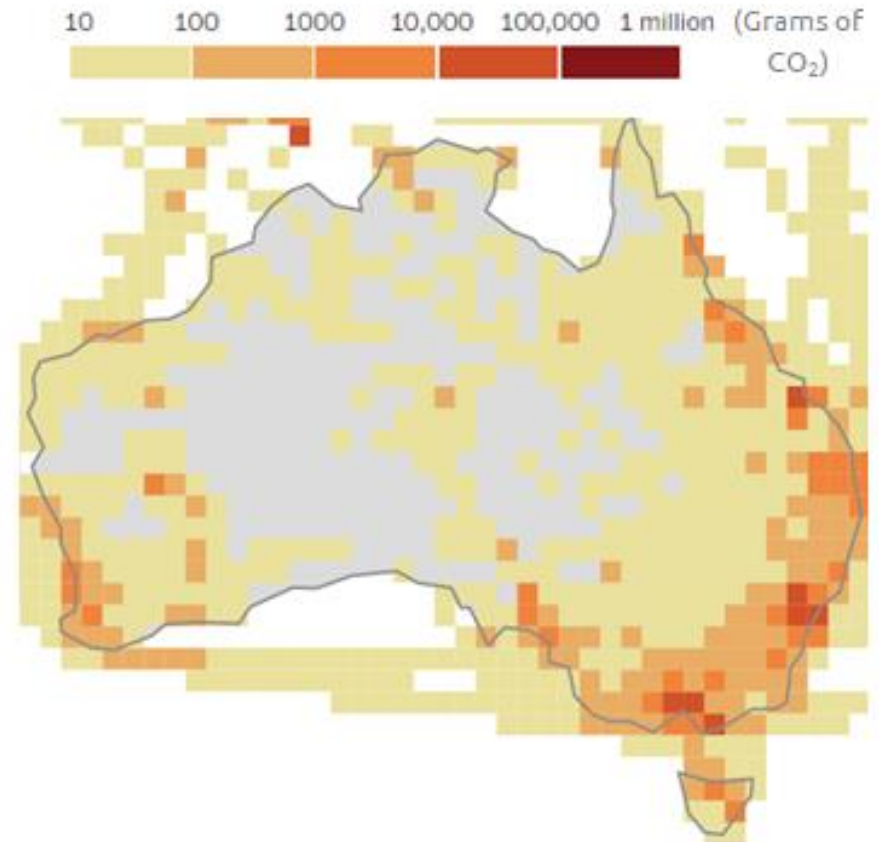
# Key Challenge for Reducing Emissions is “Distance”

## Prospective CO<sub>2</sub> Storage Sites



Source: Commonwealth of Australia (DISER) 2021

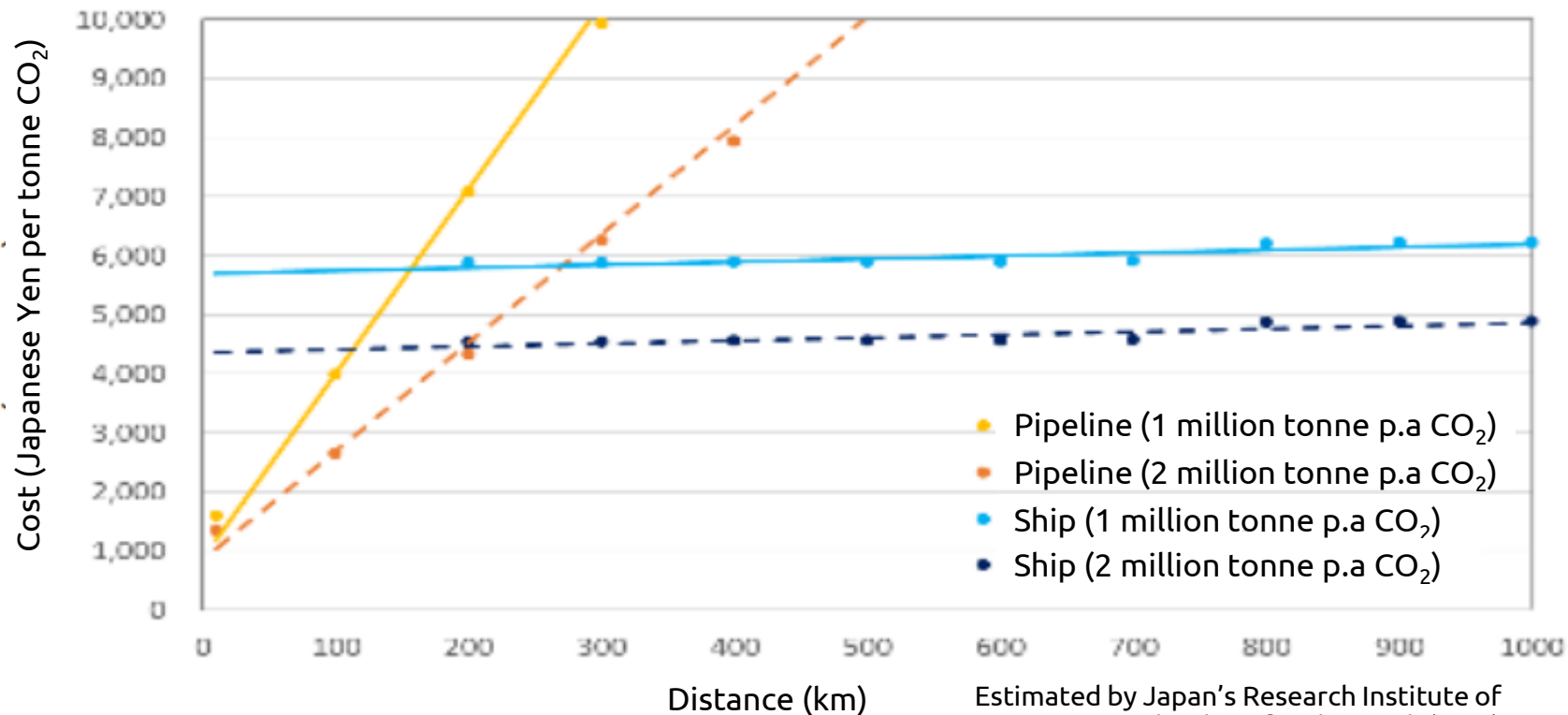
## CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions (2001 to 2012 mean)



Source: The Washington Post 2015

# Relationship of CO<sub>2</sub> transport volume, distance & cost

- “Upon exceeding 200km, shipping can be lower cost.”\*
- “Technical capability to manage ‘low temperature & low pressure’ large volume liquefied CO<sub>2</sub> ship transportation is essential.” \*



Estimated by Japan's Research Institute of Innovative Technology for the Earth (RITE)

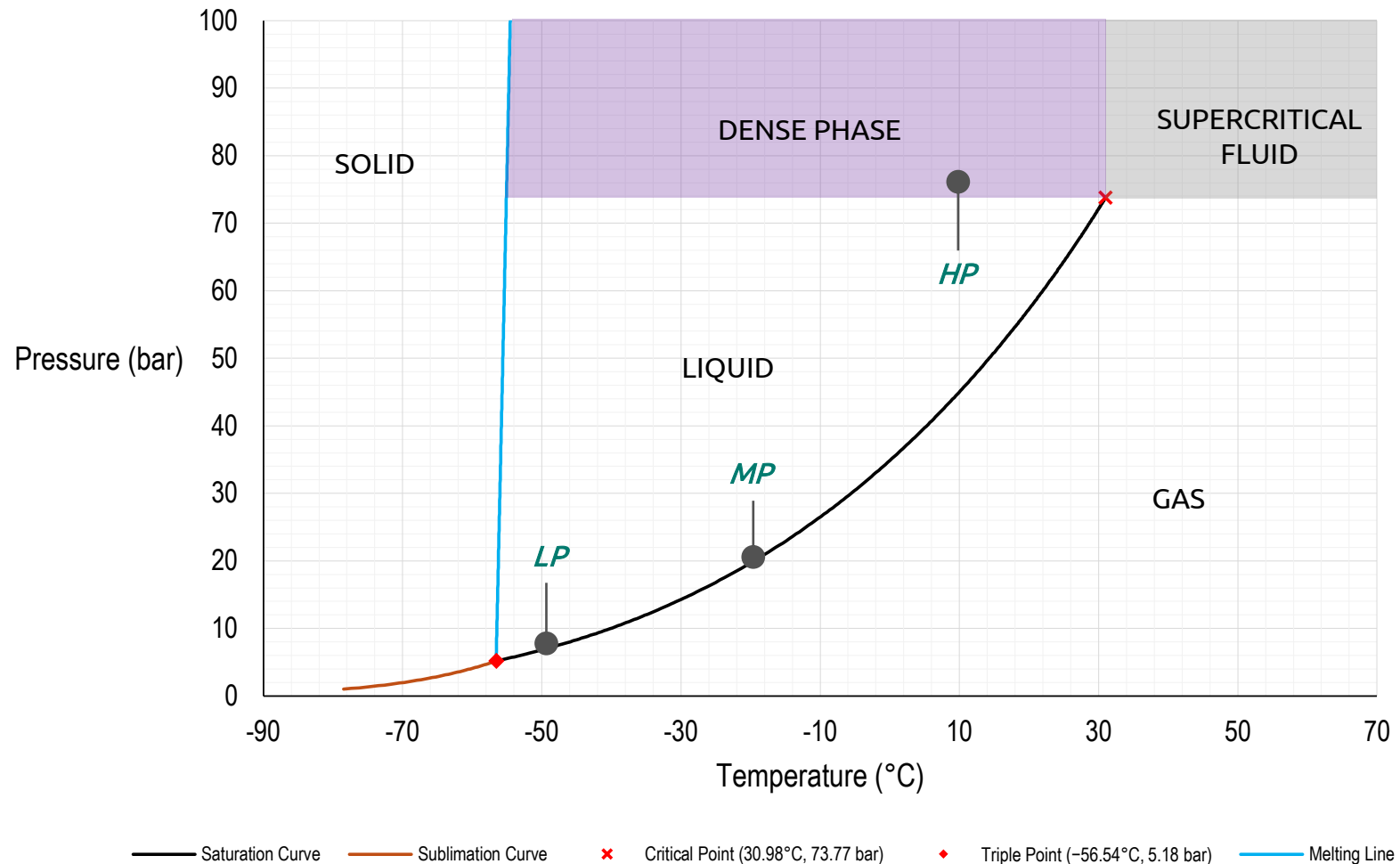
\* From “CCS Long-term CCS Roadmap Investigative Commission Interim Summary” report (page 17), Japanese Government (METI), 2022

# Key technical decisions

- ⦿ Liquefaction condition
- ⦿ CO<sub>2</sub> supply specification
- ⦿ LCO<sub>2</sub> ship parcel size

# Liquefaction condition

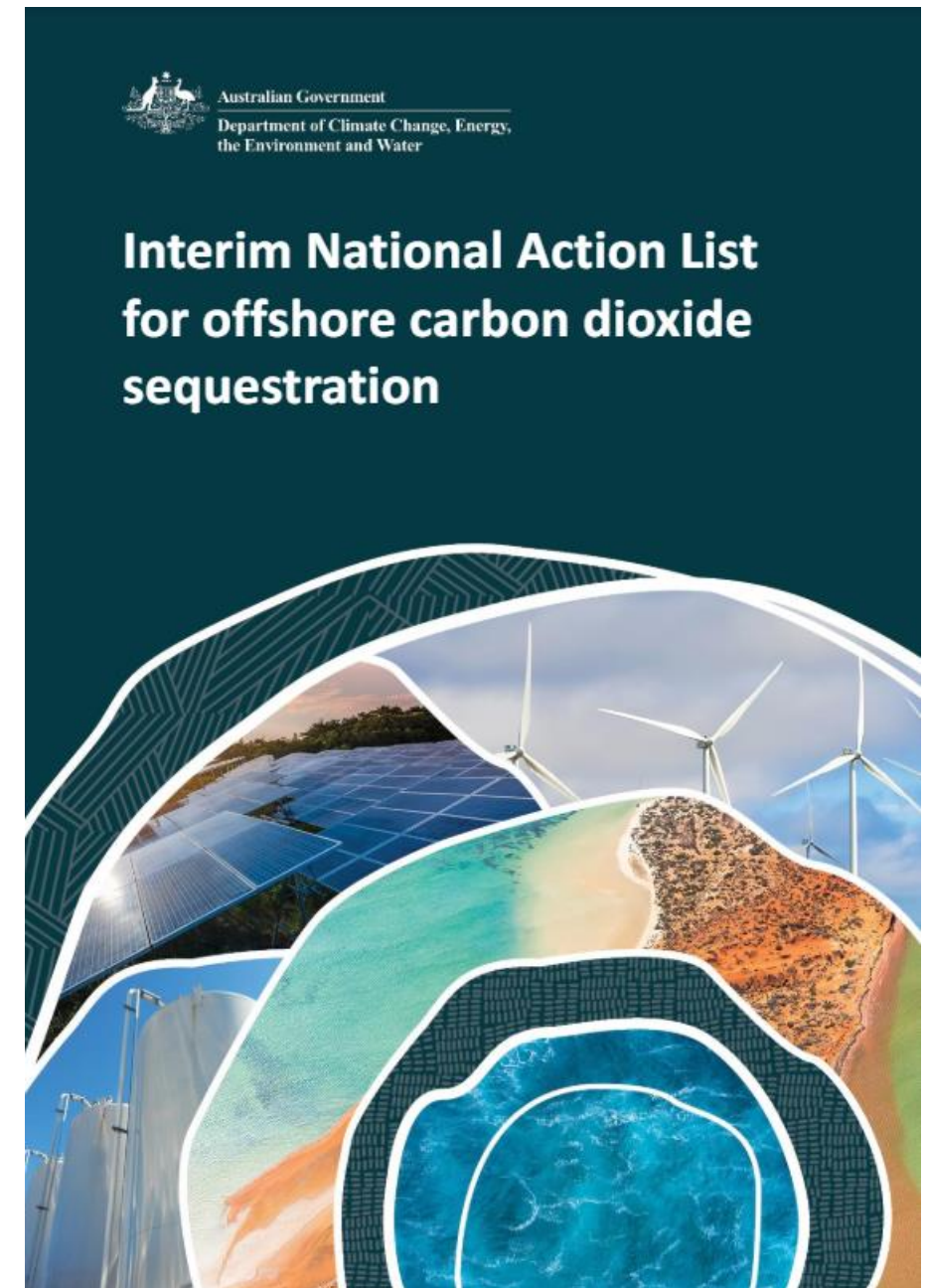
- ⊙ Pressure  $\uparrow$  = tank wall thickness & tank unit cost  $\uparrow$
- ⊙ LP & MP: Light ends reduced to soluble levels ( $\text{CO}_2 \sim 99+\%$ ). BOG from liquefaction needs to be managed.
- ⊙ HP: Light ends will not drop out ( $\text{CO}_2 \sim 96+\%$ )



# CO<sub>2</sub> specification

- ⦿ DCCEEW issued the Interim National Action List.
- ⦿ Prior to liquefaction: Identical for LP, MP & HP
- ⦿ Post liquefaction: Provided specification is adhered to prior to liquefaction, there is no requirement for compositional control

deepC Store invites participation in DCCEEW's stakeholder consultation to finalise National Action List.





# LCO<sub>2</sub> ship parcel size

## Key premises

- Deliver full cargoes
- Unloading per ship < 24 hours

## Optimise unit cost & operability

- Annual offtake volume
- Distance
- Number of ships & utilisation rate
- Utilisation rate & tank size of facilities
- Ship design standardisation

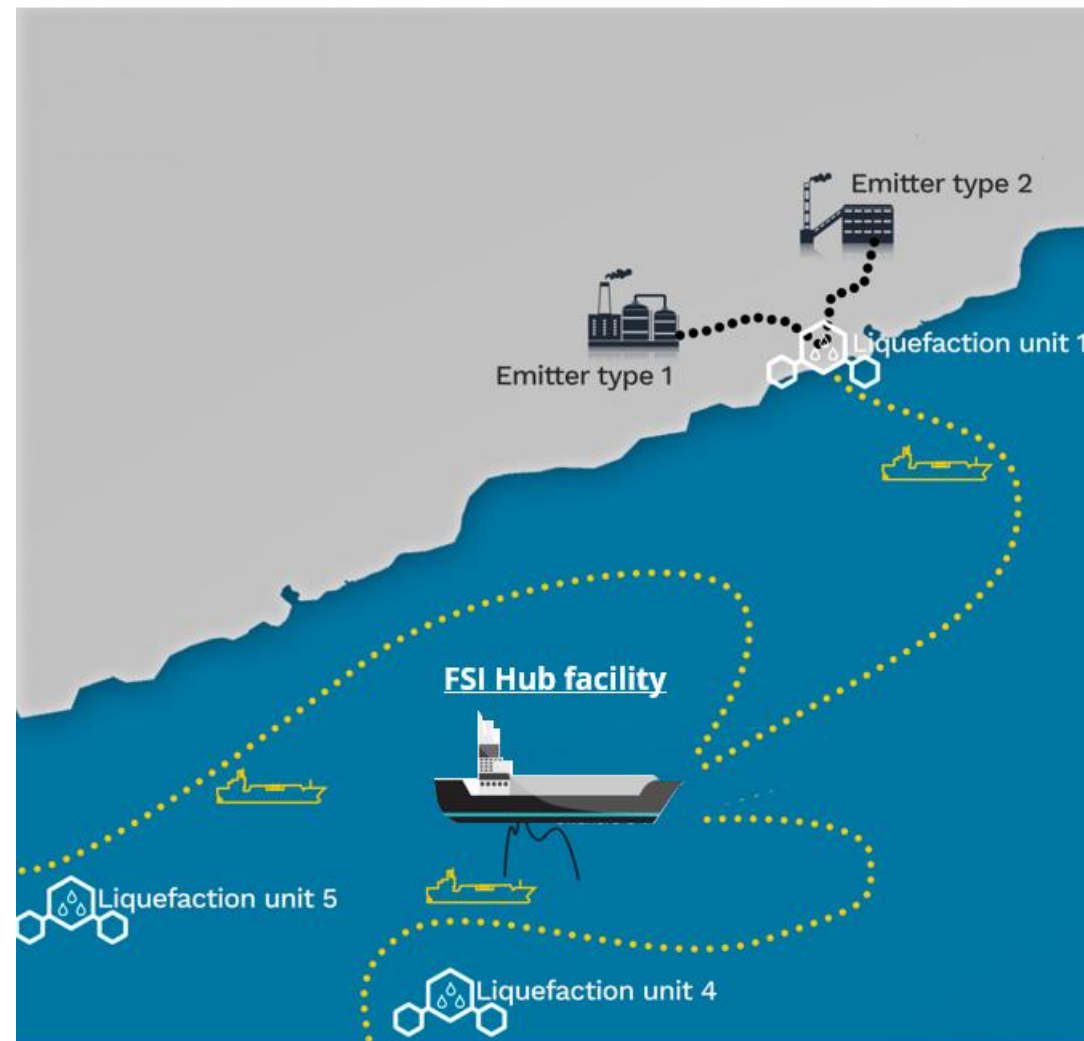


Image of CStore1 (courtesy to Technip Energies)

# Key Commercial Considerations

- ⦿ Business models
- ⦿ Key EPC & operations risks & opportunities

# Business models

- ⦿ 230 MTPA (>1% annual global emissions) used by fertiliser industry, EOR, etc (IEA, 2019).
- ⦿ Setting aside CO<sub>2</sub> being used, captured CO<sub>2</sub> has limited commercial value. Instead, value is derived from regulatory constructs that allow for monetary value generation:

- carbon tax
- “cap & trade” mechanism
- tax credit
- subsidy for CCS



# Key EPC & operations risks & opportunities

- ⦿ Majority are known & manageable by industry.
- ⦿ “Who owns the CO<sub>2</sub> injected” is also important.

<b>Risks</b>	EPC cost / schedule overrun & performance risks	←	CCS Specific
	Delivery / offtake risks (volume & specification)		
	Asset damage / loss risks (FM & non-FM events for EPC & Ops)		
	Payment risks		
	<b>CO<sub>2</sub> price risk</b>	←	
	Environmental (remediation & 3 <sup>rd</sup> party) liabilities for CO <sub>2</sub> release		
	Decommissioning liabilities		
	<b>Long-term sequestration liability</b>	←	
<b>Opportunities</b>	Under-run of EPC schedule &/or cost		
	Excess CCS volume / capacity		
	<b>CO<sub>2</sub> price upside</b>	←	
	Residual value of facilities after initial contract duration		

# Key Policy & Regulatory Considerations

- ⦿ Comparative assessment across key jurisdictions
- ⦿ Actions for nations to enable transboundary CCS

# Comparative assessment across key jurisdictions\*

- ⦿ USA, EU, others are offering favourable incentives.
- ⦿ Access to funding & talent is influenced by global competition.

	EU	USA	Australia	Malaysia	Indonesia	Japan
Enabling legislation and rules	●	●	●	●	●	▲
Cost reduction measures	●	●	▲	●	●	▲
Carbon pricing measures	●	▲	▲	▲	▲	▲
Strategic signalling by government	●	▲	▲	▲	▲	●

● Sufficient measures in place

▲ Measures insufficient

\* Based on deepC Store's assessment using IEA's categories from "CCUS Policies and Business Models" (IEA, 2023)

## Actions for nations to enable transboundary CCS

- ⦿ Submit instrument of ratification & declaration of provisional application to IMO
- ⦿ Execute bilateral agreements between CO<sub>2</sub> supply & storage nations

**deepC Store invites support to earn social license for transboundary CCS**

## Conclusion

- ⦿ Developing large-scale CCS value chains via LCO<sub>2</sub> ship transportation is essential to unlock the full potential of offering CCS to all industrial sectors.
- ⦿ Ongoing collaborative effort is needed among governments, CO<sub>2</sub> suppliers, CCS project proponents, & industry to enable domestic & transboundary CCS value chains.



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