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# **AGENDA | DAY 2 | APRIL 9 | 11:00 – 4:00 PM ET**

**Opening Remarks: 11:00-11:30am ET**

**SESSION 2: Resource/Feedstock Mobilization, 11:30-1pm ET**

Moderator: Dr. Dana Mitchell, Technology Manager, DOE Bioenergy Technologies Office

**SESSION 3: Carbon-Efficient Conversion Processes, 1-2:30pm ET**

Moderator: Dr. Kristin Powell, Chemical Industry Technical Consultant, DOE Industrial Efficiency and Decarbonization Office

**SESSION 4: Technology Scaling and Demonstration, 2:30-4pm ET**

Moderators: Dr. Andrew Sumner, Project Manager, DOE Office of Clean Energy Demonstrations (OCED)  
Olivia Corriere, Portfolio Strategy, Portfolio & Risk Management, DOE OCED

**Closing Remarks: 4pm ET**





**Office of the Under Secretary for Science and Innovation**  
**Dr. Jennifer Arrigo**  
**Director for Science and Energy Crosscuts**



# DOE Leadership Remarks

**Jeff Marootian**

*Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary*  
Office of Energy Efficiency and  
Renewable Energy  
U.S. Department of Energy



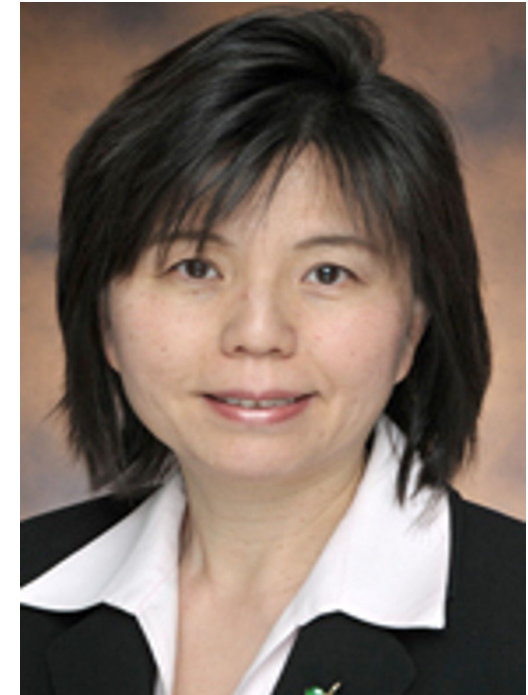
**Brad Crabtree**

*Assistant Secretary*  
Office of Fossil Energy and  
Carbon Management  
U.S. Department of Energy



**Dr. Harriett Kung**

*Acting Director*  
Office of Science  
U.S. Department of Energy





# Dr. Sarah Glaven

Principal Assistant Director for Biotechnology  
and Manufacturing  
White House Office of Science and  
Technology Policy

**DAY 2 KEYNOTE**



## Day 2 Session Lineup

### Pillars/Core Research Areas

#### Societal Considerations/Impacts

- Energy equity impacts and differentiated regional strategies
- Cradle to grave life-cycle analysis and sustainability modeling to prioritize the most impactful R&D

#### Resource/Feedstock Mobilization

- New technologies to enable low cost, low-emissions feedstocks at scale
- Increased carbon incorporation into biomass

#### Carbon-Efficient Conversion Processes

- New carbon-efficient conversion technologies
- Innovation to improve CO<sub>2</sub> catalytic conversion efficiency
- Solar fuels
- Processes using green electricity and hydrogen

#### Technology Scaling & Demonstration

- Integrated pilot and demonstration scale facilities to de-risk technology for rapid industry adoption



## **Session 2**

# **Resource/Feedstock Mobilization**

# Pillar Overview

## Resource/Feedstock Mobilization

### Expand and Develop New Feedstocks:

Develop and utilize new technologies to expand and develop new low-cost, low-emissions feedstocks at scale as well as increase carbon incorporation into biomass..

### Pillar Includes:

Production and yield, material handling, collection and harvest, storage, pre-processing, transportation, system logistics, life cycle analyses, feedstock quality and characterization, sustainability modeling and analysis, techno-economic analysis, and environmental justice.

### Examples:

Forest residues, agricultural wastes, municipal solid waste, recycled materials, energy crops, algae, CO<sub>2</sub>.



Basic & Foundational  
Science



Applied Research  
& Development



# Session 2 | Day 2 | April 9 | 11:30am ET

Session 2: Resource/Feedstock Mobilization, 11:30am ET

Moderator: Dr. Dana Mitchell, Technology Manager, DOE Bioenergy Technologies Office (BETO)

PRESENTATION	SPEAKER
U.S. Department of Energy Updates	Dr. Todd Anderson, Director, Biological Systems Science Division, DOE SC
	Dr. Dana Mitchell, Technology Manager, DOE BETO
	Rory Jacobson, Acting Division Director, DOE Carbon Dioxide Removal, DOE FECM
	Dr. Felicia Lucci, Technology Manager, DOE IEDO
	Tomas Green, Technology Manager, DOE HFTO
	Dr. Kathryn Peretti, Program Manager, DOE Advanced Materials & Manufacturing Technologies Office (AMMTO)
Keynotes	Dr. William Goldner, National Program Leader, U.S. Department of Agriculture
	Dr. Matthew Langholtz, Natural Resource and Environmental Economist, Oak Ridge National Laboratory
Panel	Harrison Pettit, Chief Development Officer, Pacific Ag
	Dr. Jennifer Aurandt-Pilgrim, Vice President of R&D, Marquis
	Dr. David Thompson, Chief Scientist - Bioenergy, Idaho National Laboratory



## **Office of Science (SC)**

**Dr. Todd Anderson**

**Director Biological Systems Science Division**



# Office of Science Activities

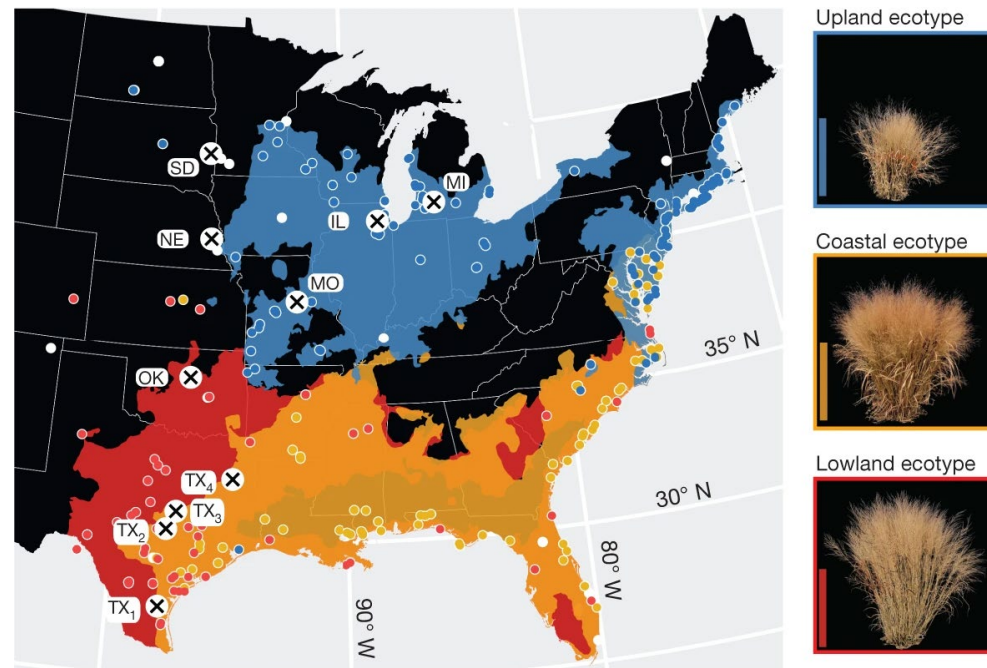
Basic Research to develop resilient bioenergy crops and mechanisms for capturing CO<sub>2</sub> as feedstocks for later conversion to fuels, chemicals and materials

## Plant Feedstock Development (BER)

- DOE Bioenergy Research Centers (BRCs)
- Genomic Science programs
  - Plant Biology
  - Resilient and Sustainable Bioenergy Crop Production
  - Biosystems Design

## CO<sub>2</sub> Capture (BES)

- Energy Frontier Research Centers (EFRCs)
- Fuels from Sunlight Hubs



# DOE Bioenergy Research Centers



- Great Lakes Bioenergy Research Center (GLBRC) – Dr. Tim Donohue
  - University of Wisconsin, Michigan State University (<https://www.glbrc.org/>)

## JBEI

Joint BioEnergy Institute

- Joint BioEnergy Institute (JBEI) – Dr. Jay Keasling
  - Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (<https://www.jbei.org/>)

cbi THE CENTER FOR  
BIOENERGY INNOVATION

- Center for Bioenergy Innovation (CBI) - Dr. Gerald Tuskan
  - Oak Ridge National Laboratory (<https://cbi.ornl.gov/>)



- Center for Advanced Bioenergy and Bioproducts – Dr. Andrew Leakey
  - Innovation (CABBI)
  - University of Illinois (UIUC) (<https://cabbi.bio/>)

Team-oriented, integrated science addressing the basic science challenges to cost-effective conversion of plant biomass to fuels, chemicals and materials



Sustainability



Feedstock  
Development



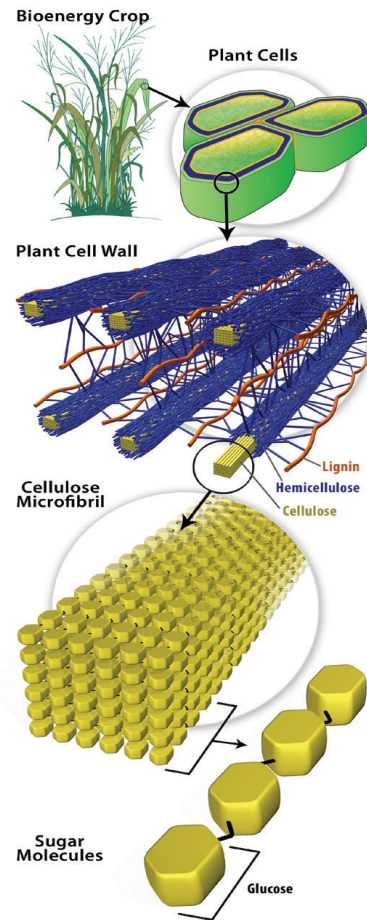
Biomass  
Deconstruction



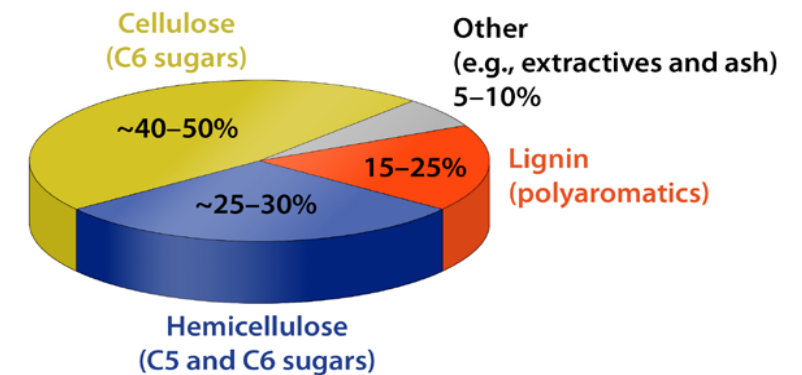
Conversion  
biofuels & bioproducts



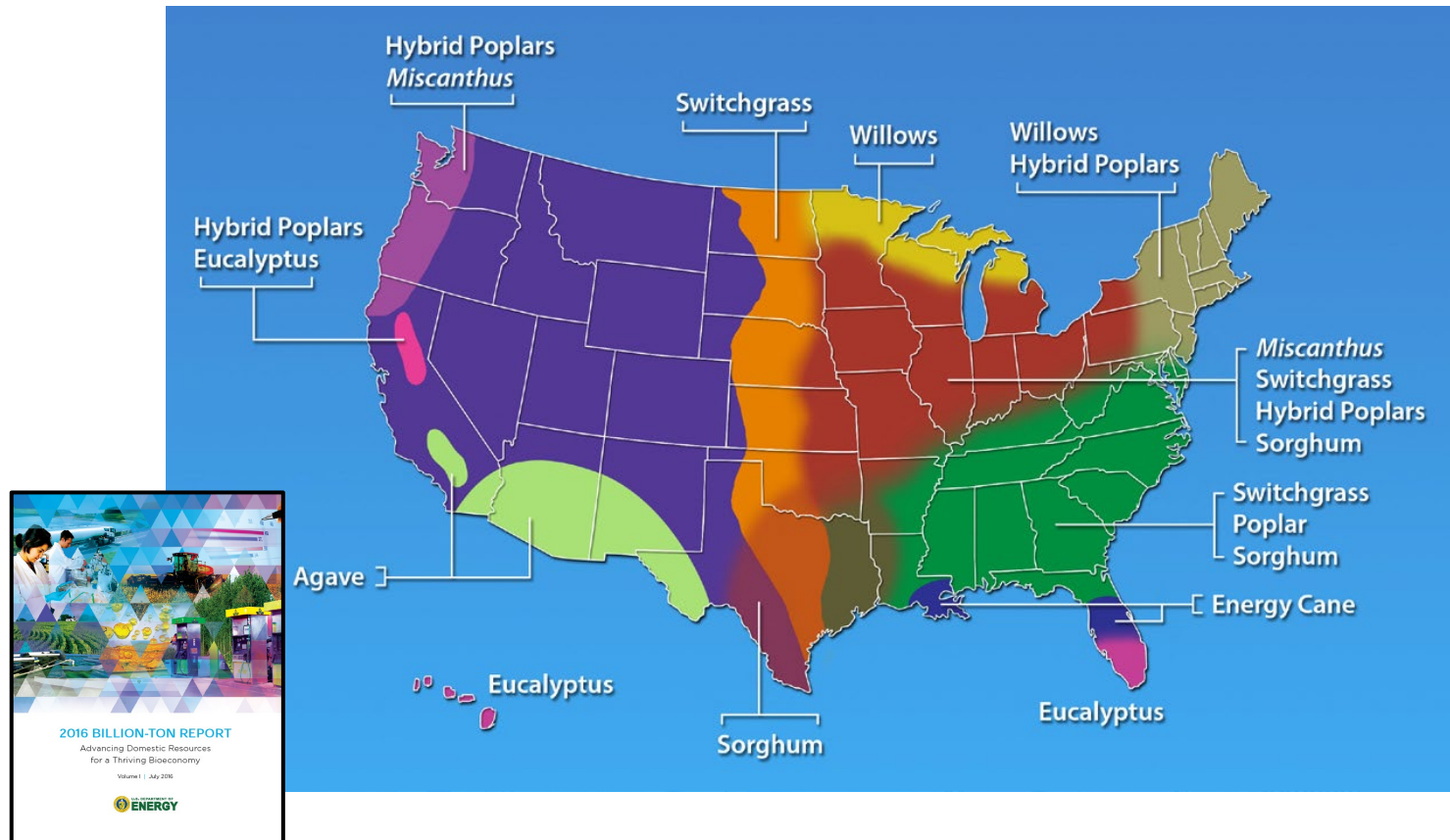
# What is meant by the term “Plant Biomass?”



- Structural polymers in plants
- Cellulose and Hemicellulose
  - 5-6 carbon sugars (e.g. glucose, xylose etc)
  - Long, relatively ordered polymers
- Lignin
  - Polymer of polyaromatic components
  - Unregular structure
- Lignocellulosic Biomass



# Plant Biomass as a Resource for a Broader Bioeconomy

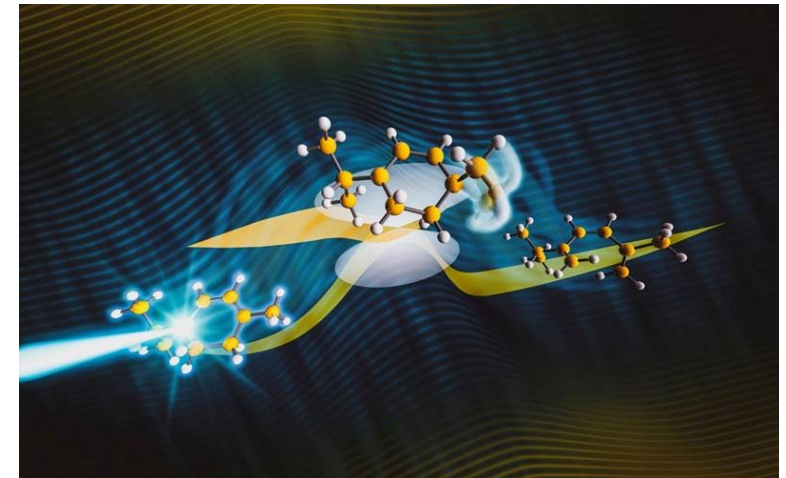


## Research Emphasis

- Nonagricultural crops
  - Non-food crops
- Grown on underutilized lands
  - Arid land
  - Poor nutrients
  - Fallow land
  - Land not in agricultural use
- Up to Billion tons of biomass available every year

# Understanding Mechanisms, Materials, and Processes for CO2 Capture and Conversion

- Foundational knowledge for design of catalysts for efficient interconversion of electrical and chemical energy
- Understanding the capture and conversion of solar energy in both natural (biological) and chemical systems
  - Photosynthesis in plants and microbes
  - Artificial photosynthesis for solar fuels production
- Discovery, design and synthesis of novel materials and pathways for CO<sub>2</sub> capture, release, and conversion
- Studies of enzyme active sites, metallocluster chemistry, and biochemistry of energy flow
- Understanding interfacial processes of CO<sub>2</sub> transport and reactivity for foundational knowledge that could advance new and improved CO<sub>2</sub> removal technologies



Viewing the transition state of a photochemical reaction

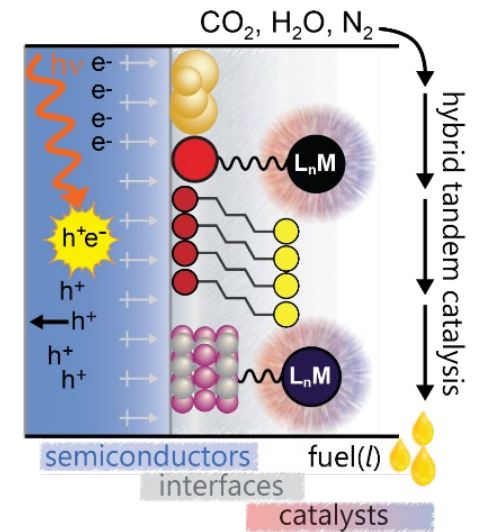


# Fuels from Sunlight Hub Awards

## Center for Hybrid Approaches in Solar Energy to Liquid Fuels (CHASE) Gerald Meyer, Director

**Scope:** Develop a fundamental molecular level understanding of how hybrid photoelectrodes, comprised of molecular catalysts with tailored microenvironments integrated with semiconducting light absorbers, couple single photon absorptions to the multi-electron/multi-proton chemical transformations to generate liquid solar fuels.

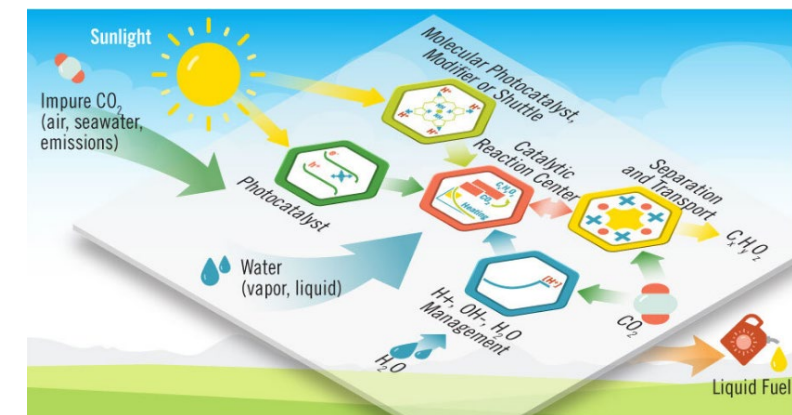
**Participants:** UNC Chapel Hill (lead), BNL, Emory University, NC State University, University of Pennsylvania, Yale University



## Liquid Sunlight Alliance (LiSA) Harry Atwater, Director

**Scope:** Establish the science principles by which assemblies of microenvironments can directly generate liquid fuels from sunlight, water, & carbon dioxide. The principles will guide creation of microenvironment assemblies co-designed to harness sunlight-driven phenomena with unprecedented catalytic selectivity, durability, & efficiency under a fluctuating solar resource, using dilute or impure feedstocks.

**Participants:** Caltech (lead), LBNL, NREL, SLAC, University of Oregon, University of California Irvine, University of California San Diego

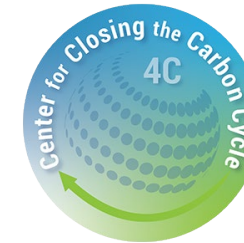


# Energy Frontier Research Centers (EFRCs)

## Center for Closing the Carbon Cycle (4C)

University of California, Irvine (Jenny Yang)

Advance synergistic capture and conversion of carbon dioxide from dilute streams into useful products through the convergent study of sorbents and catalysts



[UCI Center for Closing the Carbon Cycle](#)

## Center for Catalysis in Biomimetic Confinement (CCBC)

Michigan State University (Cheryl Kerfeld)

Develop knowledge for characterization, prediction, and control of materials evolution in the presence of realistic contaminants, processes, and mixtures to accelerate materials discovery for sustainable production and utilization of H<sub>2</sub> and CO<sub>2</sub>.



**Center for Catalysis in Biomimetic Confinement**

[Energy Frontier Research Center | Center For Catalysis In Biomimetic Confinement \(ccbc-efrc.org\)](#)

# Opportunities Relevant to the Clean Fuels & Products Shot

## Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOAs)

Reaching a New Energy Workforce (RENEW) – All SC

Funding for Accelerated, Inclusive Research (FAIR) – All SC

Advances in Artificial Intelligence for Science - ASCR

Energy Frontier Research Centers - BES

Early Career Research Program – All SC

Data Reduction for Science – ASCR



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Opportunity Number	Opportunity Title	Agency	Opportunity Status	Posted Date	Close Date
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003280</a>	FY 2024 Reaching a New Energy Sciences Workforce (RENEW)	PAMS-SC	Posted	03/12/2024	07/23/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003207</a>	FY 2024 Funding for Accelerated, Inclusive Research (FAIR)	PAMS-SC	Posted	03/12/2024	07/16/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003279</a>	FY 2024 Phase II Release 2	PAMS-SC	Posted	02/26/2024	04/30/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003267</a>	Research on General Plasma Science Collaborative Research Facilities	PAMS-SC	Posted	02/21/2024	04/29/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003264</a>	Advancements in Artificial Intelligence for Science	PAMS-SC	Posted	02/13/2024	05/21/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003265</a>	Accelerated Research in Quantum Computing	PAMS-SC	Posted	02/07/2024	05/08/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003258</a>	Energy Frontier Research Centers (EFRC)	PAMS-SC	Posted	01/22/2024	05/08/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003300</a>	EXPRESS: 2024 Exploratory Research for Extreme Scale Science	PAMS-SC	Posted	01/19/2024	05/02/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003266</a>	Data Reduction for Science	PAMS-SC	Posted	01/16/2024	05/07/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003238</a>	Nuclear Data Interagency Working Group (NDIAWG) Research Program	PAMS-SC	Posted	01/04/2024	04/04/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003281</a>	Integrated Biological and Computational Low-Dose Radiation Research	PAMS-SC	Posted	12/21/2023	04/02/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003176</a>	Early Career Research Program	PAMS-SC	Posted	12/15/2023	04/25/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003177</a>	FY 2024 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program	PAMS-SC	Posted	09/29/2023	09/30/2024



## **Bioenergy Technologies Office (BETO)**

**Dr. Dana Mitchell**  
**Technology Manager**





# Multi-Year Program Plan 2023

- BETO Mission: To develop and demonstrate technologies to accelerate reduction of GHG emissions through the cost-effective, sustainable use of biomass and waste feedstocks across the U.S. economy.
- The RCR RD&D subprogram's strategic objective is to develop technologies to mobilize renewable carbon resources to enable the production of bioenergy and renewable chemicals and materials.
- RCR feedstocks include, but are not limited to agricultural residues, forestry residues, purpose-grown energy crops (including algae), waste streams, resources from ecosystem restoration or maintenance, and commodity crops.

<https://www.energy.gov/eere/bioenergy/articles/2023-multi-year-program-plan>

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# Multi-Year Program Plan 2023



# Key Challenges and Barriers

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- Feedstock Availability and Cost
- Production
- Feedstock Genetics and Variety Improvement
- Sustainable Harvesting
- Feedstock Quality
- Biomass Storage Systems
- Biomass Physical State Alteration
- Material Handling and Transportation
- Feedstock Supply System Integration & Infrastructure
- Operational Reliability

# Recent Funding Opportunity Announcements

- FY22: Bioenergy Technologies Office (BETO) Waste Feedstocks and Conversion R&D FOA (DE-FOA-002636)
  - Advanced MSW preprocessing for conversion-ready feedstocks
  - High value co-product development from MSW
- FY23: Reducing Agricultural Carbon Intensity and Protecting Algal Crops (DE-FOA-0002910)
  - Climate-smart agricultural practice for low carbon intensity feedstocks
  - Algal crop protection
- FY24: Regional Resource Hubs for Purpose-Grown Energy Crops (DE-FOA-0003209)
  - Algae
  - Herbaceous Energy Crops
  - Intermediate Energy Crops
  - Short-Rotation Woody Crops



# RCR National Lab Projects



## 2. Progress and Outcomes: **COVER CROP GROWTH AND HARVESTING IN THREE LOCATIONS WAS SUCCESSFUL**



Woollypod vetch



Red clover



Fava bean



Triticale

- Weeds are suppressed by cover crops.
- Biomass CMA is evaluated based on lipid, protein, carbohydrate, ash, and moisture content.

### 1ST YEAR RESULT:

**Triticale and Vetch produced the most biomass above ground in the high precipitation area.**



### Biomass Feedstock National User Facility

A leading facility for research and development in the biomass processing space.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
Office of ENERGY EFFICIENCY & RENEWABLE ENERGY

## 2023 Billion-Ton Report:

An Assessment of U.S. Renewable Carbon Resources

March 2024



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
**Regional Biomass  
Resource Hub Initiative**

LED BY IDAHO NATIONAL LABORATORY





# Industry and Stakeholder Input

## Participate in workshops

- 2021: Advancing Synergistic Waste Utilization as Biofuels Feedstocks: Preprocessing, Coproducts, and Sustainability
- 2022: Bioenergy's Role in Soil Carbon Storage
- 2023: Deploying Purpose-Grown Energy Crops for Sustainable Aviation Fuel

## Respond to Requests for Information (RFI)

Subscribe for updates:

<https://www.energy.gov/eere/bioenergy/bioenergy-technologies-office>





**Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management (FECM)**

**Rory Jacobson**

**Division Director for Carbon Dioxide Removal**



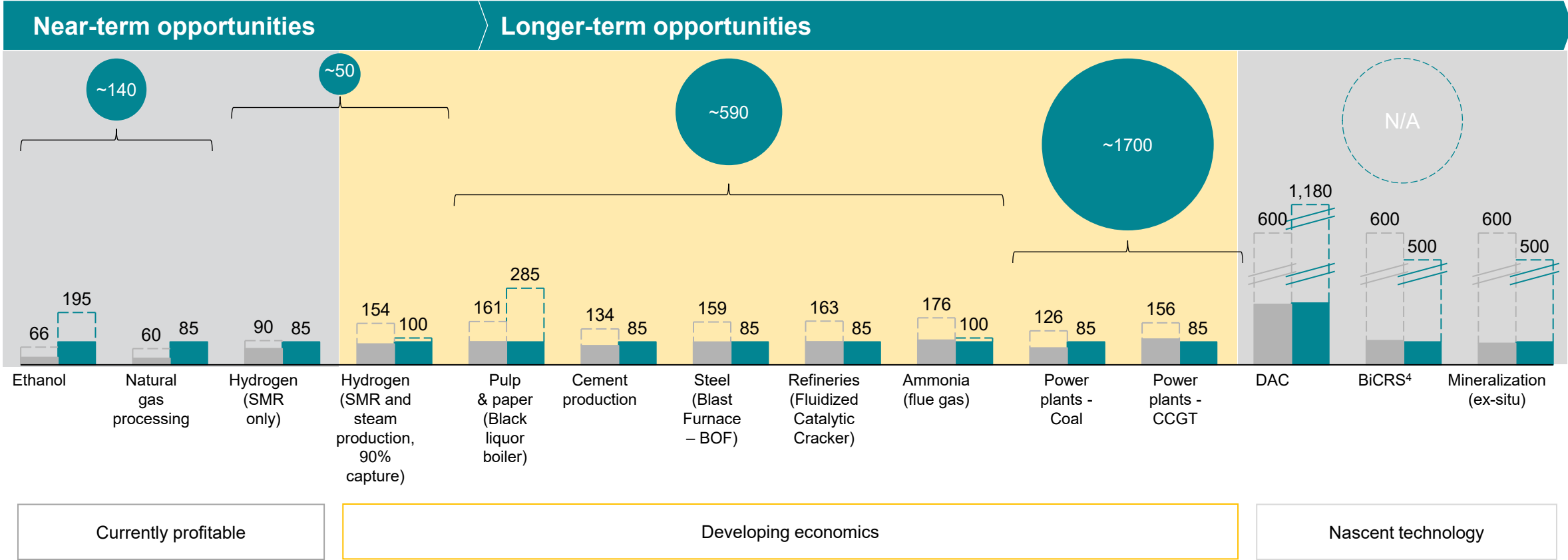
**Carbon Oxides as Clean Feedstocks**

# The Opportunity

x Current emissions (CCUS not viable for all emissions in a given sector)

Low-range Cost High-range Cost Low-range Revenue High-range Revenue

## Cost and revenue per industry or technology today, \$/tonne



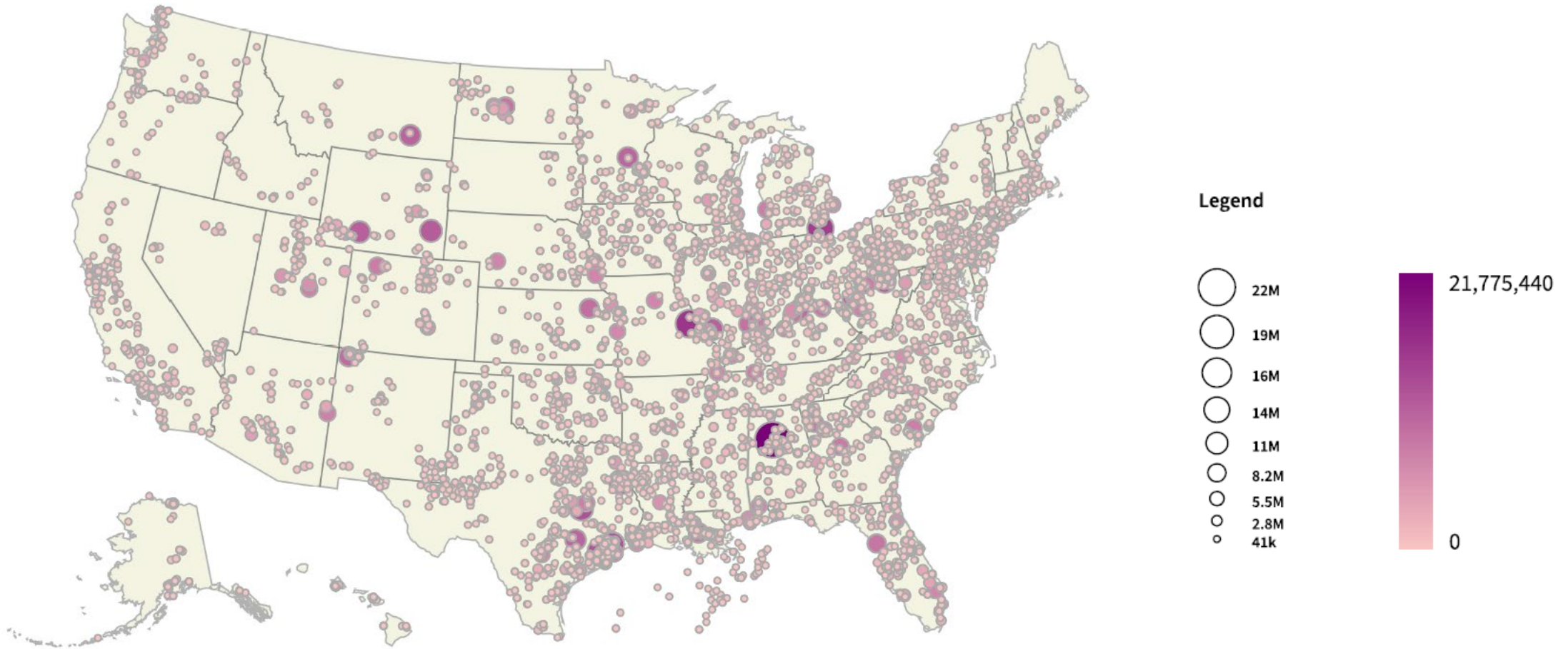
! Sources and references can be found in DOE’s “Pathways to Commercial Liftoff: Carbon Management” report at [liftoff.energy.gov](http://liftoff.energy.gov)

Project specific economics dependent on CO<sub>2</sub> capture capacity, utilization, distance to storage and existing equipment



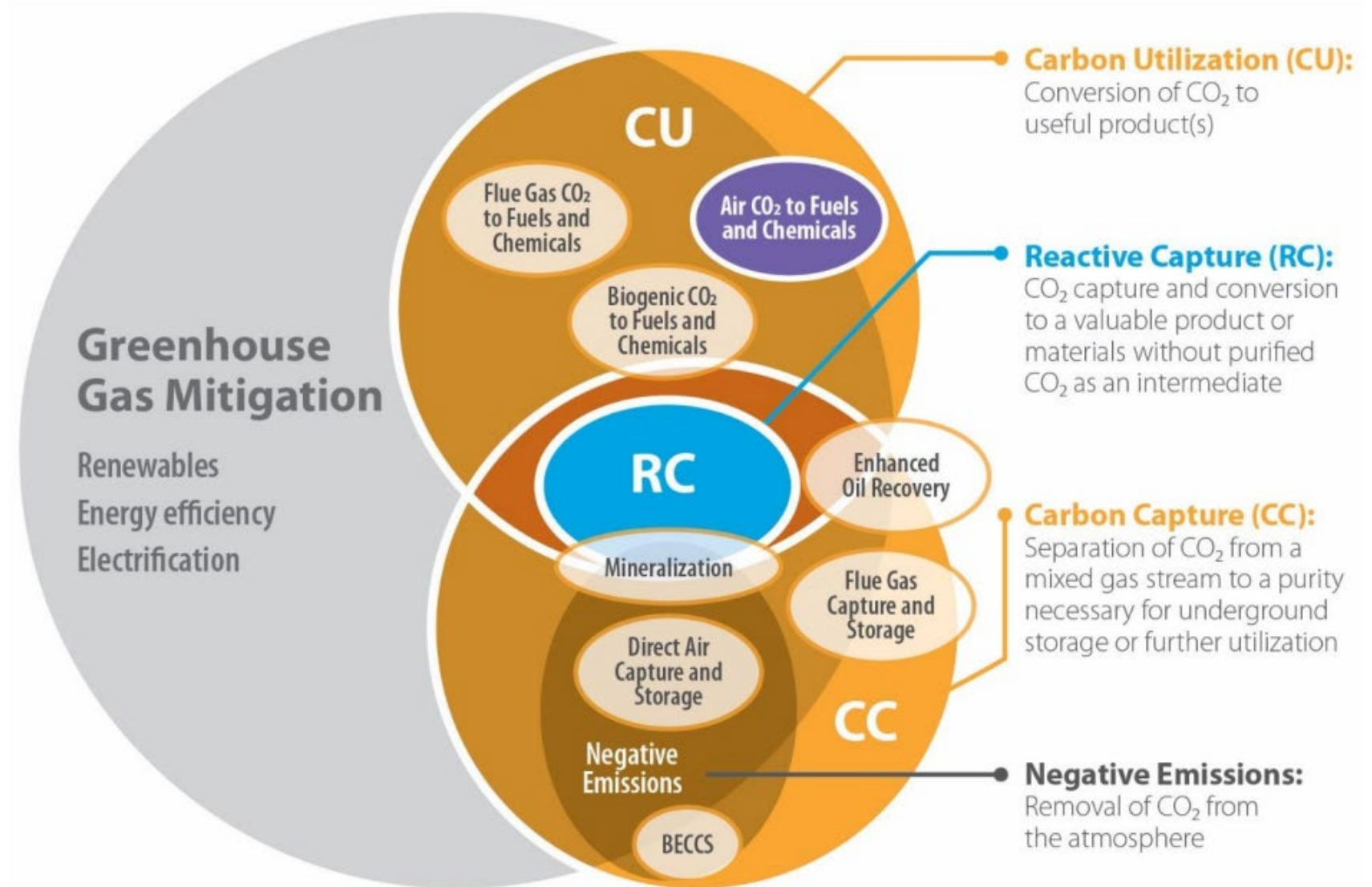


# Regional Emphasis

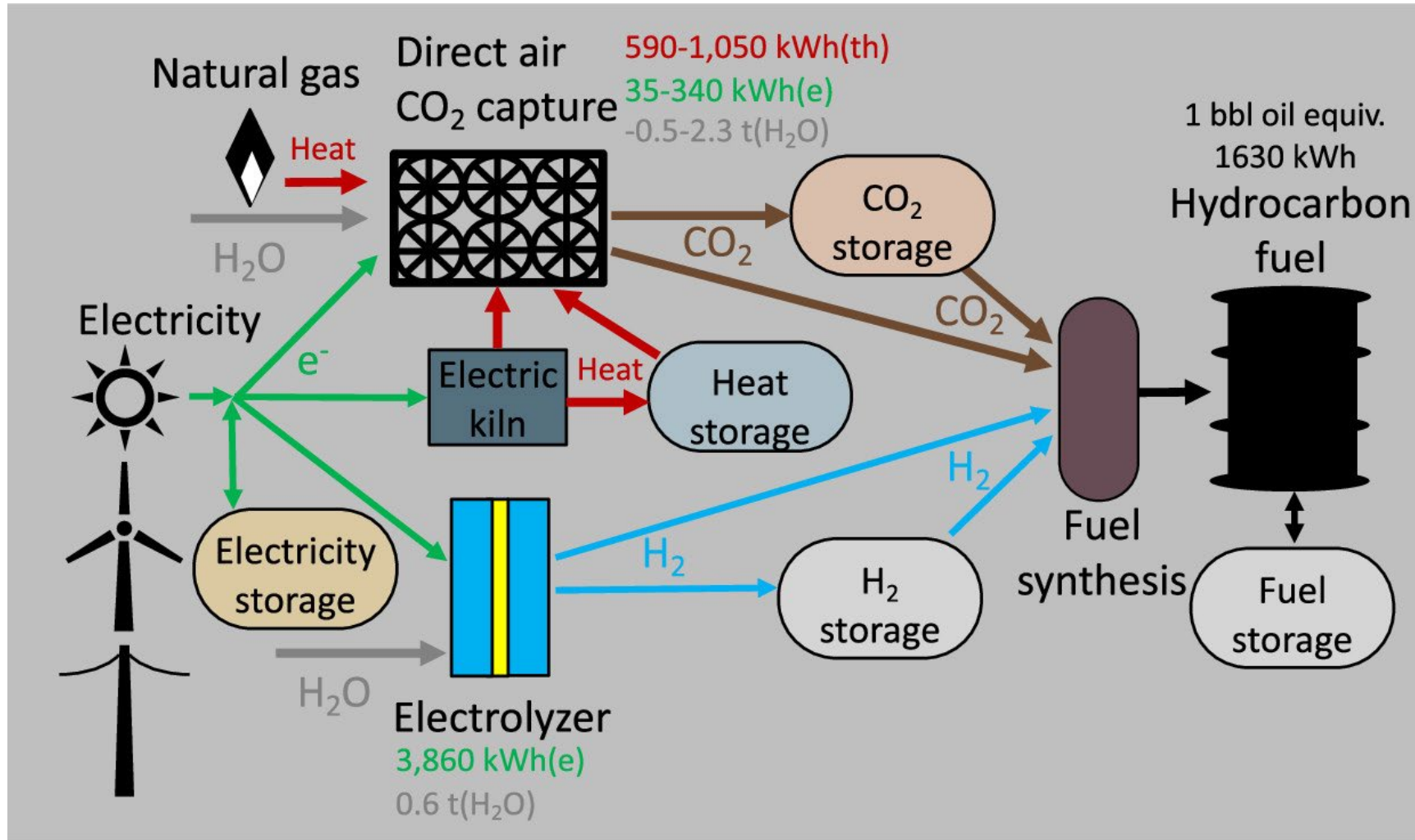


EPA GHGRP 2022: [GHGRP Emissions by Location | US EPA](#)

# Process

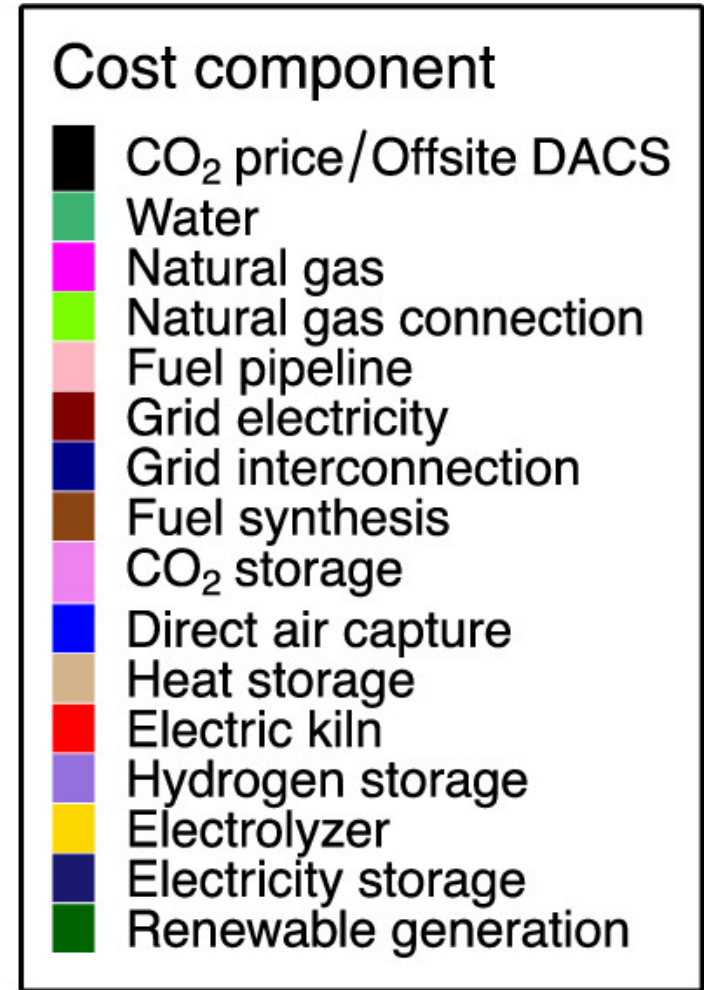
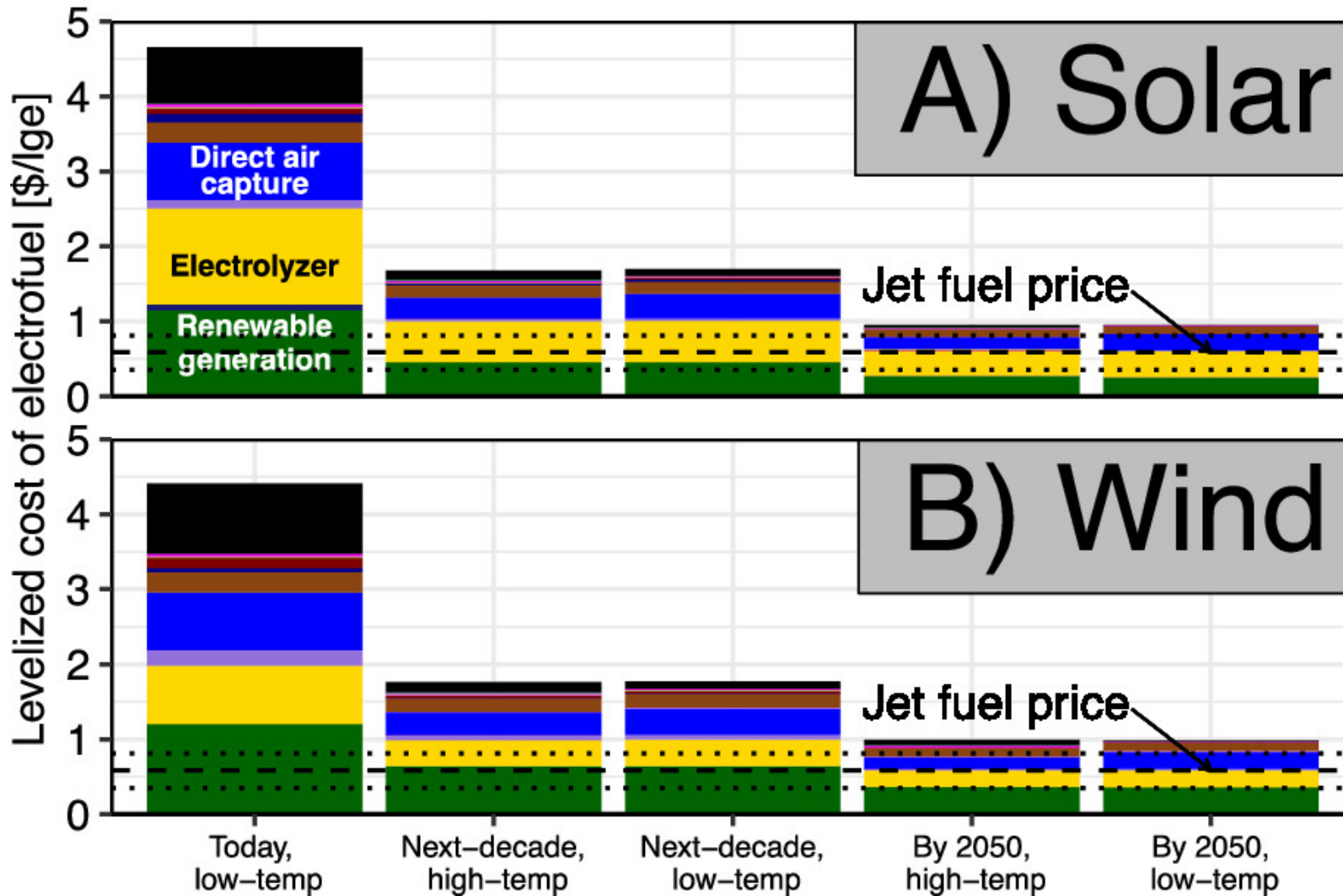


# Example: E-Fuels For Aviation





# Example: SAF



# 2023 BILLION TON REPORT

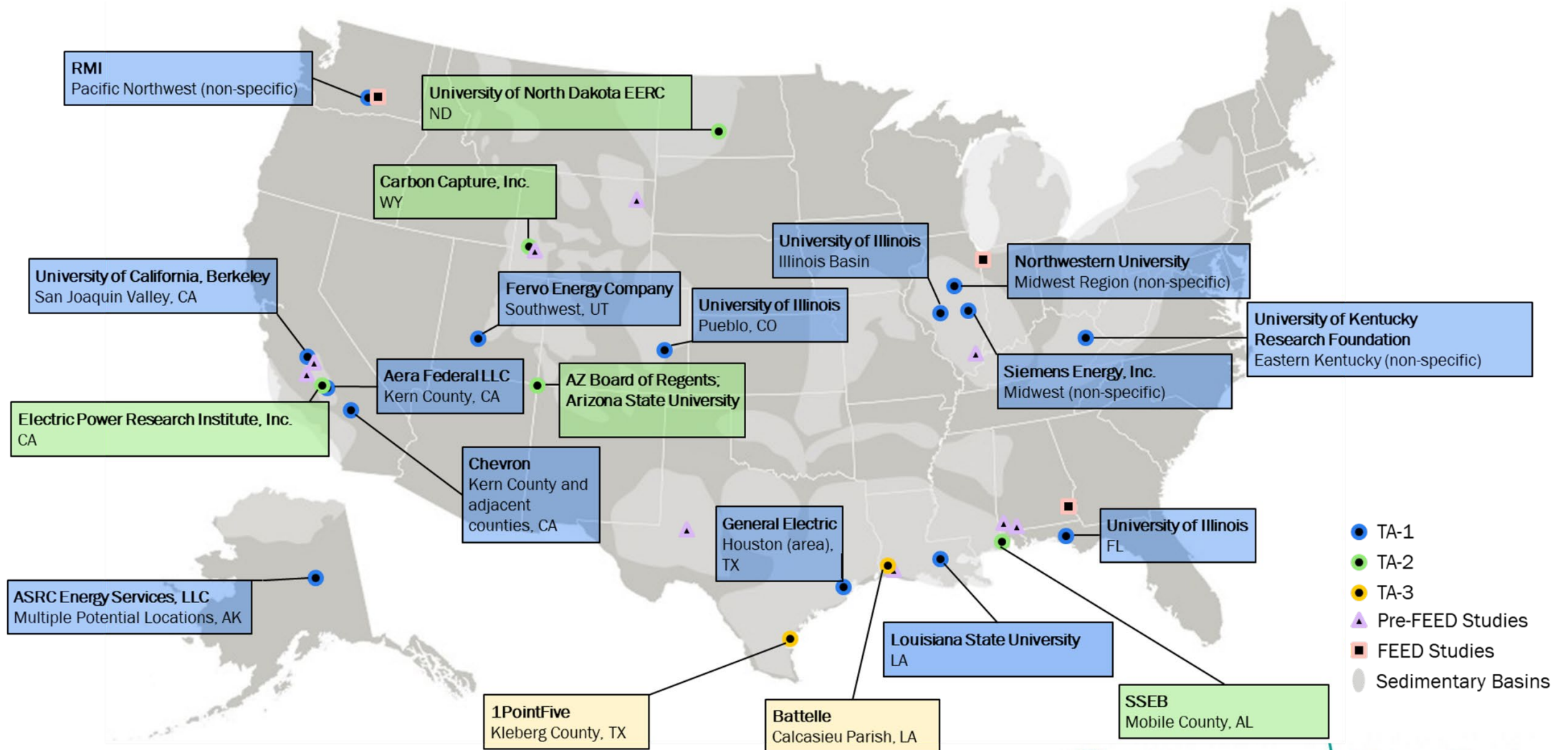
## CAPTURED CO2 FOR U.S. REGIONAL MICROALGAE CULTIVATION OPPORTUNITIES

CO <sub>2</sub> Source	West		Central		East	
	Thousand tons CO <sub>2</sub> /yr [% of regional]	# sites [% of regional]	Thousand tons CO <sub>2</sub> /yr [% of regional]	# sites [% of regional]	Thousand tons CO <sub>2</sub> /yr [% of regional]	# sites [% of regional]
Agricultural processing	353.8	8	0	0	401.9	5
	[7.1%]	[10.1%]	[0%]	[0%]	[5.0%]	[4.0%]
Cement plant	3,629.1	4	6,258.3	10	1,081.8	3
	[19.3%]	[9.5%]	[17.5%]	[21.3%]	[2.6%]	3.5%
Electricity generation	39,725.0	33	209,318.5	67	71,826.2	39
	[12.5%]	[11.0%]	[74.1%]	[14.8%]	[6.6%]	[5.8%]
Ethanol production	25.4	1	0	0	0	0
	[6.0%]	[12.5%]	[0%]	[0%]	[0%]	[0%]
Fertilizer production	0	0	7,883.6	3	453.2	3
	[0%]	[0%]	[37.0%]	[15%]	[6.2%]	[17.6%]
Industrial	282.2	8	1,570.1	20	215.1	2
	[3.2%]	[7.1%]	[2.6%]	[6.0%]	[0.2%]	[0.4%]
Petroleum/natural gas processing	5,046.0	20	10,109.0	103	92.4	2
	[13.3%]	[6.4%]	[19.5%]	[15.4%]	[0.6%]	[0.7%]
Refineries/chemicals	0	0	70,214.8	53	28.8	1
	[0%]	[0%]	[33.1%]	[19.1%]	[0.1%]	[0.6%]

Davis, R., A. Coleman, T. R. Hawkins, B. Klein, J. Zhang, Y. Zhu, S. Gao, et al. 2024. "Chapter 7.1: Microalgae." In 2023 Billion-Ton Report. M. H. Langholtz (Lead). Oak Ridge, TN: Oak Ridge National Laboratory. doi: 10.23720/BT2023/2316175.

# Near-Term DAC Employment Opportunities

## Proposed Regional DAC Hub Locations



[Biden-Harris Administration Announces Up To \\$1.2 Billion For Nation's First Direct Air Capture Demonstrations in Texas and Louisiana | Department of Energy](#)





## **Industrial Efficiency and Decarbonization Office (IEDO)**

**Dr. Felicia Lucci**  
**Technology Manager**





# IEDO Strategy for Carbon Capture & Utilization

- Address technical challenges in CCUS process integration at Industrial Facilities
- Strong emphasis on carbon utilization
  - Accelerating emerging technologies – reactive capture
  - De-risking near term solutions – co-location and stranded CO<sub>2</sub>

## Sector specific focuses:

- Unique R&D challenges on a sector-by-sector basis
  - **Chemicals** – Catalysts require high purity CO<sub>2</sub> sources to avoid poisoning from impurities in stream
  - **Cement/concrete** – Mineralizing CO<sub>2</sub> sources has low conversion, limiting CO<sub>2</sub> uptake/sequestration
  - **Forest Products** – Integration of carbon utilization increases complexity

## Cross sector focuses:

- De-risk technologies that bisect multiple industries to accelerate adoption
- R&D strategy is open to a broad range of topics including
  - Co-benefits of industrial-scale carbon capture
  - Improving manufacturability of CC materials
  - CC for power generation <20MW

## IEDO Portfolio

>\$60M in CCUS investments with majority focused on CO<sub>2</sub> utilization across all sectors

## Stakeholder Engagement

Science of Scaling Up Technologies for Carbon Capture and Utilization Workshop

- Fall 2024 in Bay Area, CA
- Assess the current state of carbon capture and utilization technology and address the technical challenges facing scale-up and deployment

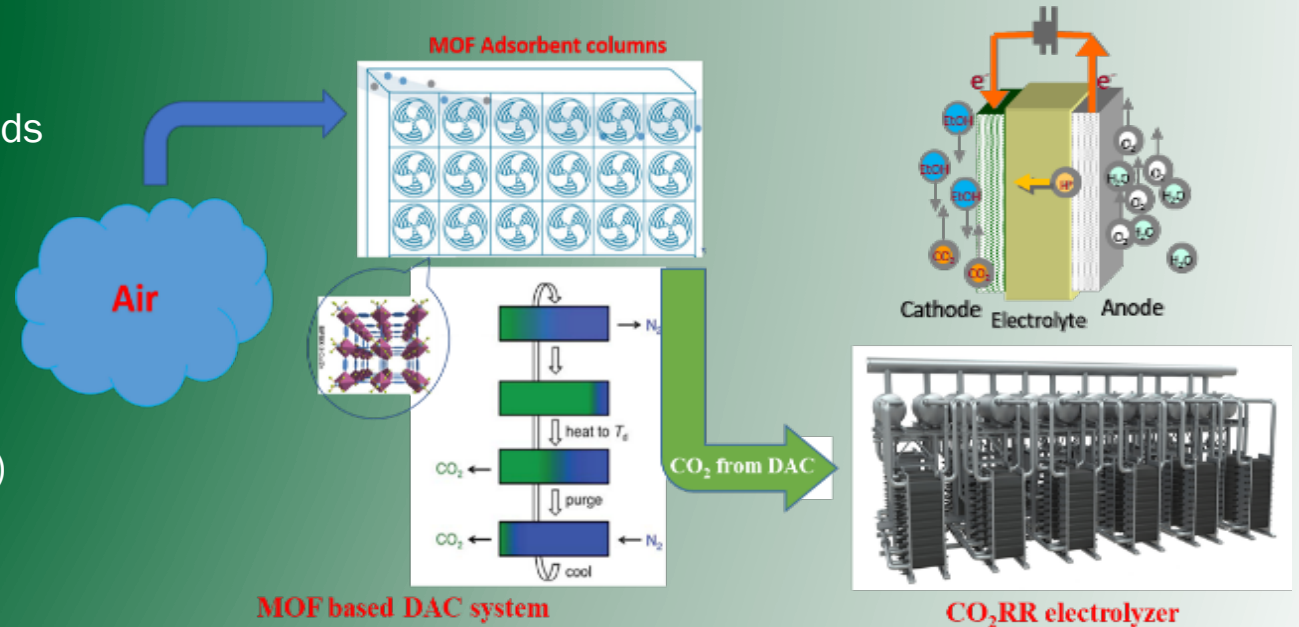
# Integration of CO<sub>2</sub> Capture and Electrocatalytic Conversion to Organic Liquids

## Innovation:

- Integrating direct CO<sub>2</sub> air capture with highly efficient electrochemical conversion of CO<sub>2</sub> to value-added organic liquids
- Superior metal organic framework (MOF) DAC adsorbents combined with state-of-the-art electrocatalysts

## Project Impact:

- Dramatic improvements in CO<sub>2</sub>-to-ethanol FE (>90% vs. 41% SOA) and current density (>200 mA/cm<sup>2</sup> vs. 124 mA/cm<sup>2</sup> SOA)
- Potential to produce ethanol with zero or negative emissions



**Project Lead:** Tao Xu, Northern Illinois University

**Project Partners:** Di-Jia Liu (Argonne National Laboratory)

Shengqian Ma (University of North Texas); Angstrom Advanced Inc.

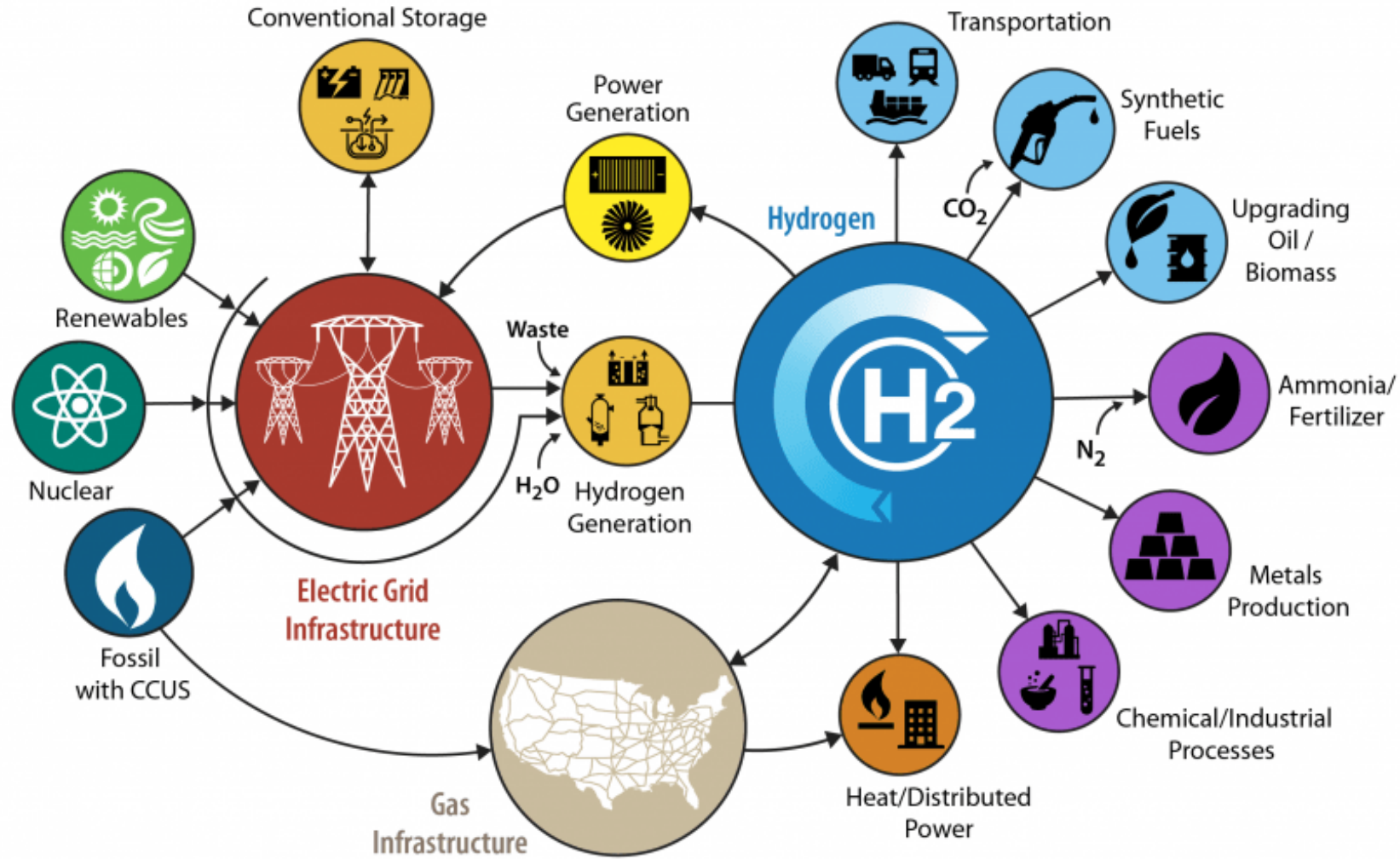


## **Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Technologies Office (HFTO)**

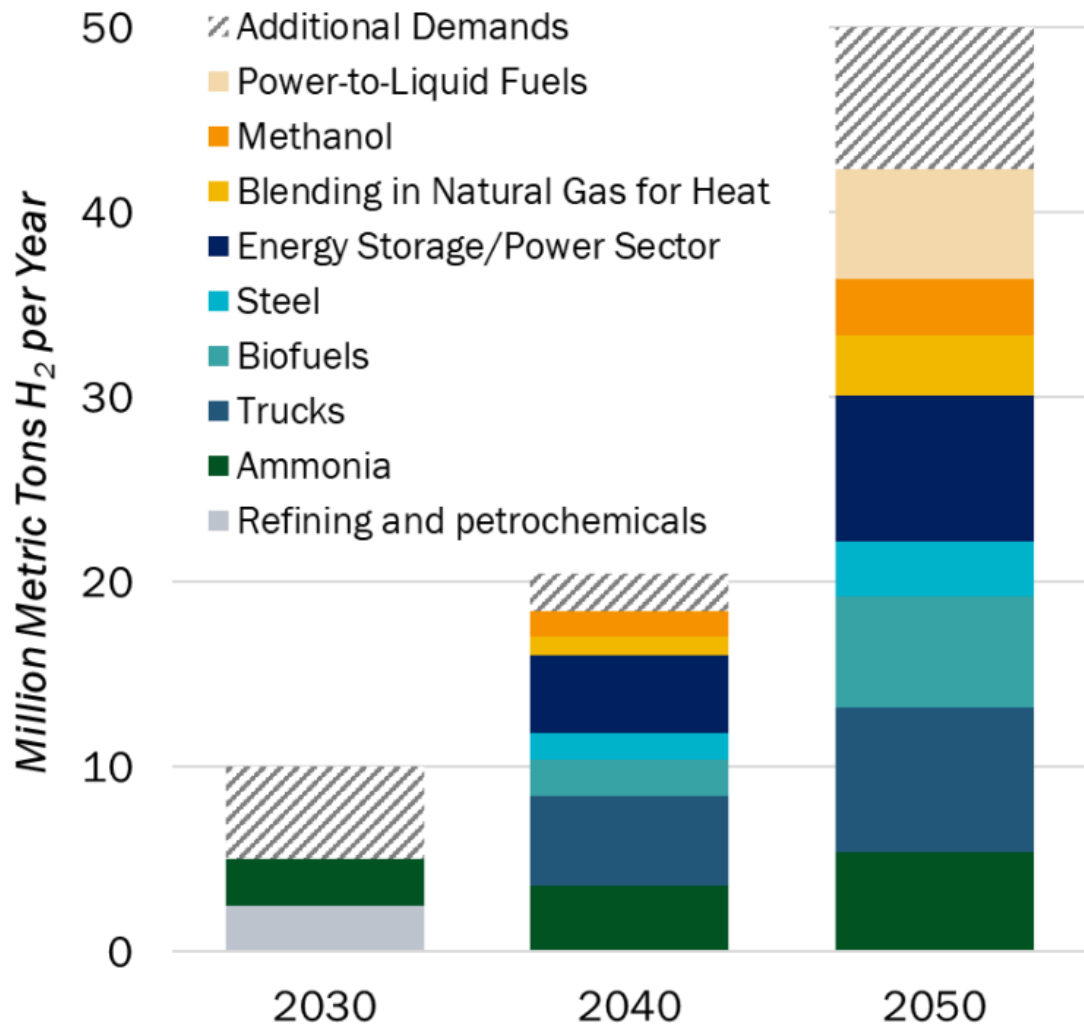
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# Clean Hydrogen Plays Role as Feedstock in Decarbonization



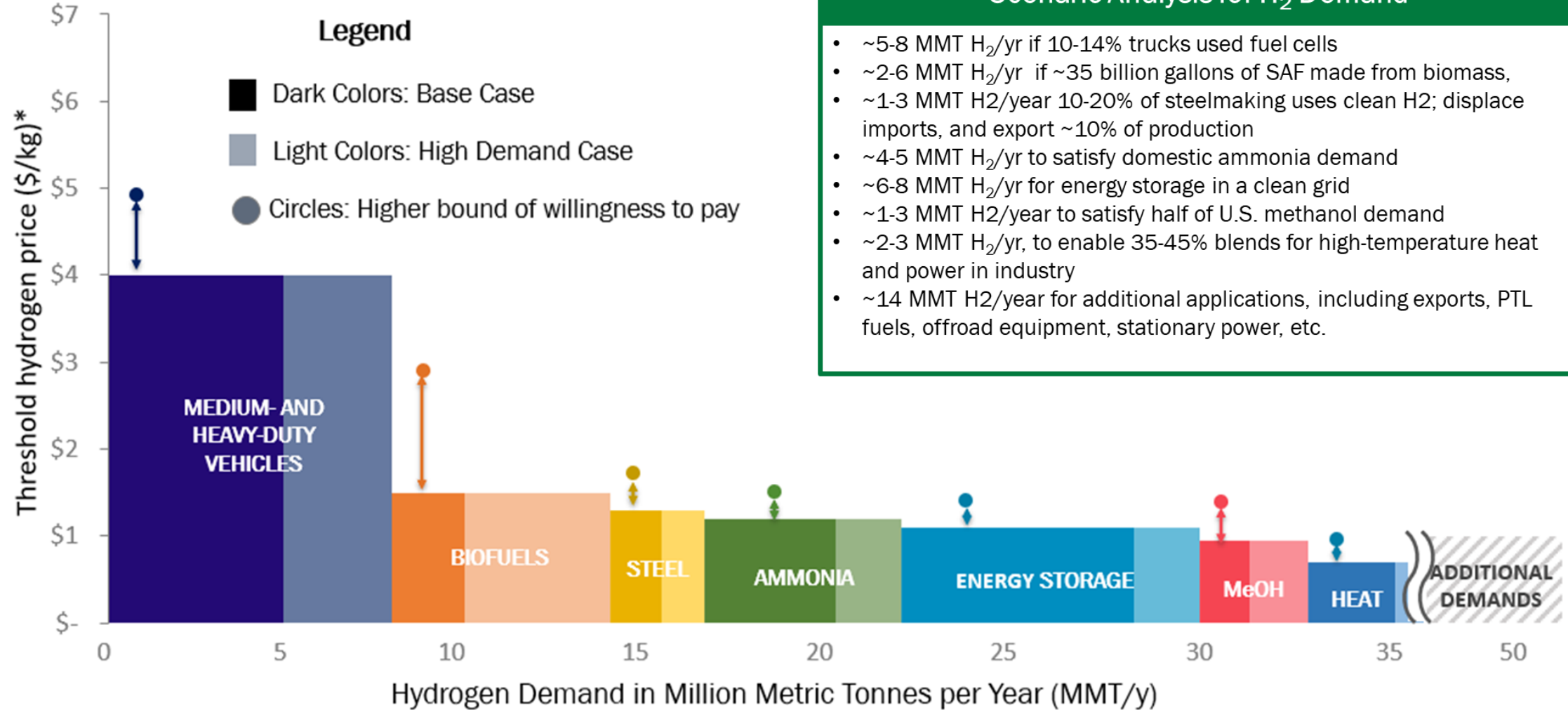




## Clean Fuels and Products in the U.S. National Hydrogen Strategy and Roadmap

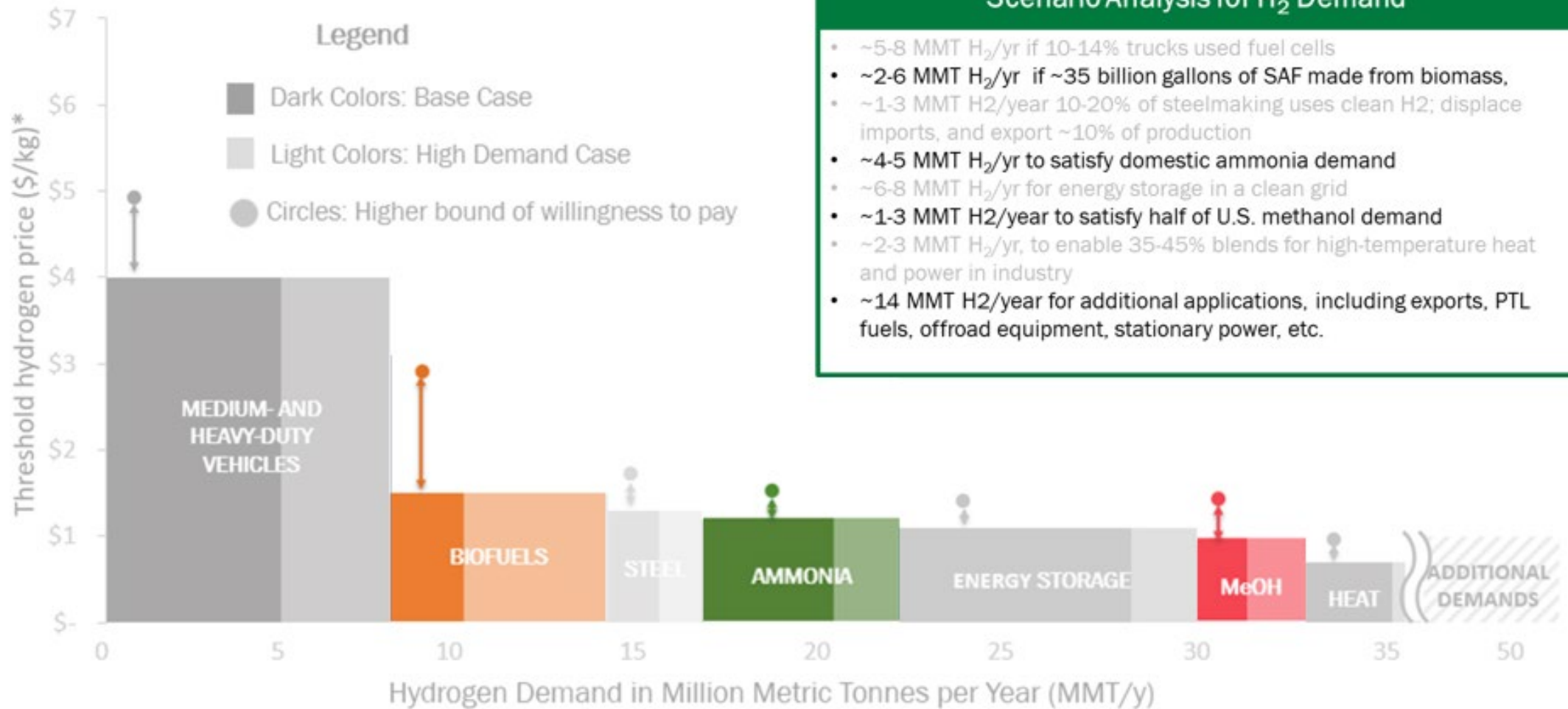
- 10 million metric tons of demand by 2030
- 50 million metric tons of demand by 2050
- Up to 10% economy-wide emissions reductions
- Strategic deployments in:
  - ✓ Biofuel production (especially Sustainable Aviation Fuels)
  - ✓ Ammonia/Methanol
  - ✓ Power-to-Liquid Fuels

## Scenario Analysis for H<sub>2</sub> Demand



- ~5-8 MMT H<sub>2</sub>/yr if 10-14% trucks used fuel cells
- ~2-6 MMT H<sub>2</sub>/yr if ~35 billion gallons of SAF made from biomass,
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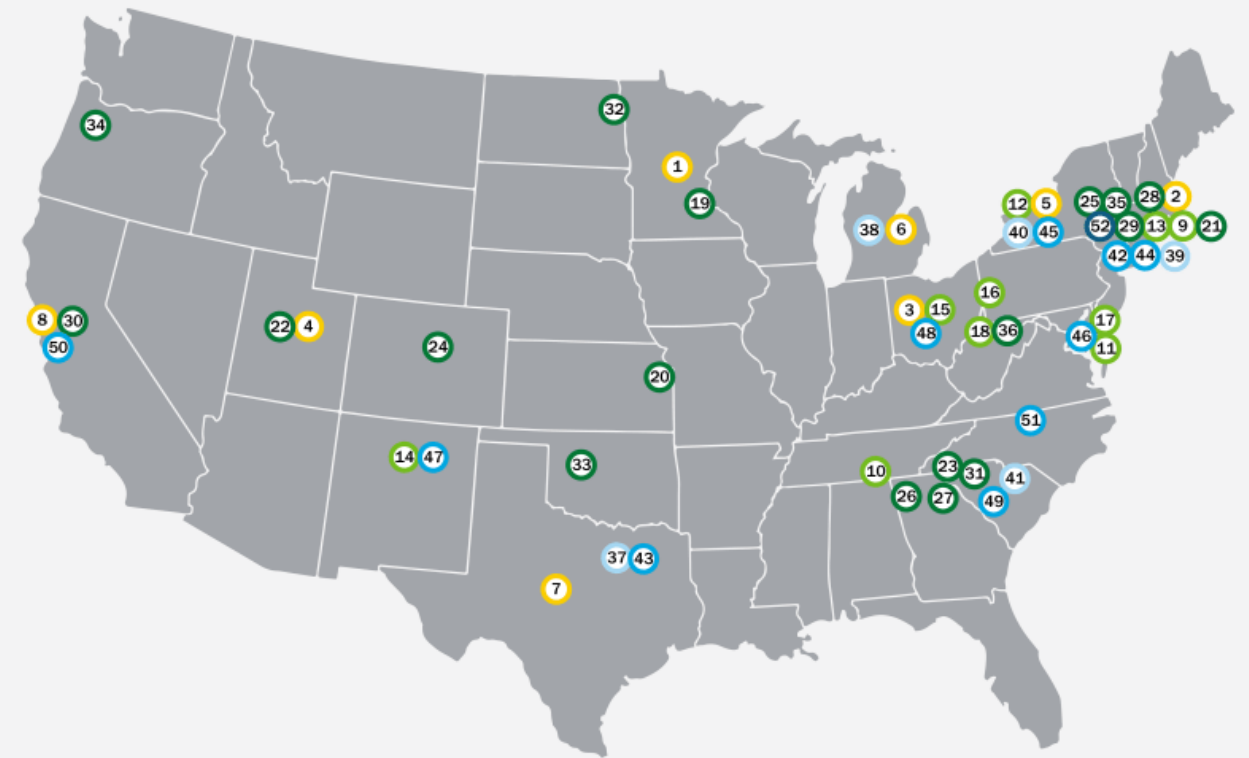
# Selected Regional Clean Hydrogen Hubs





# Funding Announced to Lower Hydrogen Costs

- \$750 million in funding for 52 projects across 24 states
- Funding supports the Hydrogen Shot target: \$1 per kilogram in one decade
- Funding tackles multiple areas, including:
  - Electrolyzer & fuel cell manufacturing
  - Electrolyzer & fuel cell supply chain development
  - Recycling



### Electrolyzer Manufacturing

1. Cummins
2. Electric Hydrogen
3. NexTech Materials
4. OxEon Energy
5. Plug Power
6. Nel Hydrogen
7. thyssenkrupp nucera
8. Verdagy

### Electrolyzer Supply Chain

9. ACS Industries
10. eSpin Technologies
11. HighT-Tech
12. Ionomr Innovations
13. Mott Corporation
14. Pajarito Powder
15. Power to Hydrogen
16. PPG Industries
17. The Chemours Company
18. West Virginia University

### Electrolyzer Components

19. 3M Company
20. Avium
21. Boston University
22. Chemtronegy
23. Clemson University
24. Colorado School of Mines
25. Ecolectro
26. Georgia Tech
27. Georgia Tech
28. Nel Hydrogen
29. Plug Power
30. Stanford University
31. Tetramer Technologies
32. University of North Dakota
33. University of Oklahoma
34. University of Oregon
35. W. L. Gore & Associates
36. West Virginia University

### Fuel Cell Manufacturing

37. Ballard Power Systems
38. General Motors
39. Nuvera Fuel Cells
40. Plug Power
41. Robert Bosch

### Fuel Cell Supply Chain

42. AvCarb Material Solutions
43. Ballard Power Systems
44. Cabot Corporation
45. Ionomr Innovations
46. Materic
47. Pajarito Powder
48. pH Matter
49. Robert Bosch
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### Recycling Consortium

52. American Institute of Chemical Engineers



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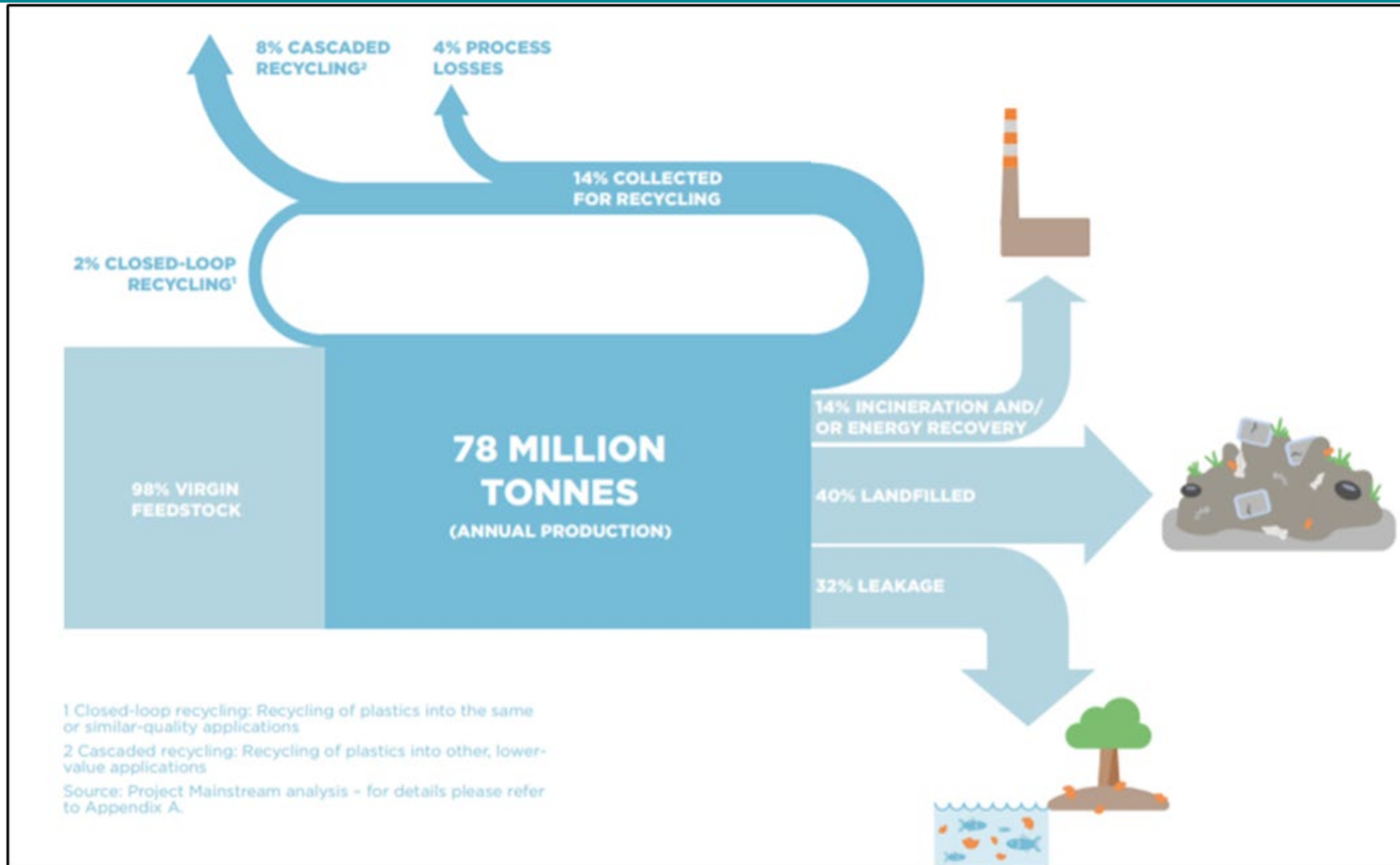
**Advanced Materials and Manufacturing Technologies Office (AMMTO)  
Dr. Kathryn Peretti, Program Manager**



**Recycled Feedstock Mobilization for Products  
with Lower Embodied Emissions**

# Plastic Waste Is a Resource for Chemicals and Products

In 2019, the United States recycled 5% of its plastics and disposed of 86%, resulting in market value losses totaling \$7.2 billion. Plastic consumption accounts for 3% of US GHG Emissions and, globally, plastic waste is projected to triple by 2060.



REMADE MISSION: Reduce embodied energy and carbon emissions through early-stage applied research & development



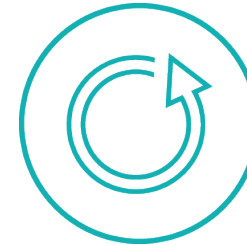
**Systems Analysis  
& Integration**



**Design for Re-X**



**Manufacturing  
Materials  
Optimization**



**Remanufacturing  
& EOL Reuse**



**Recycling &  
Recovery**

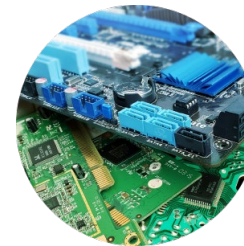
## MATERIAL CLASSES



**Metals**



**Polymers/Plastics**



**E-Waste**



**Fibers**



# Examples of REMADE Material Recovery R&D

## Novel Sorting Technologies

Rapid Sorting of Scrap Aluminum  
Sorting & Recycling of Mixed Flexible Packaging

## Contamination Removal

Purification of Recycled Metals, Fibers, and Plastics

## Artificial Intelligence

Identification of Mixed Plastic & Valuable Electronics / Contaminant Removal from Recycled Plastics



## Improved Material Recovery

Low-Cost, High-Value Metal Recovery from Electronic Scrap

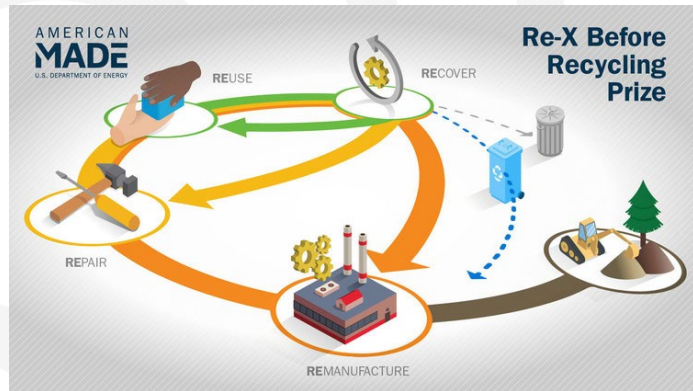
## Novel Waste Processing Methods

Delamination to Enable Recycling of Polymer-Based Multilayer Packaging

## Condition Assessment

Condition Assessment of Used Electronics and Non-Destructive Evaluation of Metal Fatigue Damage

# Diversifying ReX Approaches: ReX Before Recycling Prize



Prize aims to develop innovative, novel supply chains for Re-X pathways that extend product lifespans.

Phase 1 winners will be announced this summer.

Phase 2 does not require participation in phase 1.

		Strategy	Description
Circular Economy	Smarter product use and manufacture	R0 - Refuse	Making products redundant by abandoning their function or by offering the same function with a radically different product
		R1 - Rethink	Make product use more intensive
		R2 - Reduce	Increase efficiency in product manufacture or use by consuming fewer natural resources and materials
Increasing Circularity	Extend lifespan of products and their parts	R3 - Re-use	Re-use by another consumer of discarded product which is still in good condition and fulfills its original function
		R4 - Repair	Repair and maintenance of defective product so it can be used for its original function
		R5 - Refurbish	Restore an old product and bring it up to date
		R6 - Remanufacture	Use parts of discarded products in a new product with the same function
Linear Economy	Useful application of materials	R7 - Repurpose	Use discarded products or their parts in a new product with a different function
		R8 - Recycle	Process materials to a commodity level with same or lower quality
		R9 - Recover	Incineration of materials with energy recovery

Figure ES 2. Circular economy strategies (collectively Re-X) with descriptions and circularity ranking

After Potting et al. (2017), which is based on Rli (2015).

[Sustainable Manufacturing and the Circular Economy, DOE \(2023\).](#)



**Dr. Bill Goldner**

National Program Leader  
U.S. Department of Agriculture

**Session 2 Keynote**  
**SAF Grand Challenge Supply Chain**



# Dr. Matthew Langholtz

Natural Resource and Environmental Economist  
Oak Ridge National Laboratory

**Session 2 Keynote**  
**2023 Billion-Ton Report**





**Session 2 Panel**  
**Resource/Feedstock Mobilization**



**Mr. Harrison Pettit**

Chief Development Officer

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**Dr. Jennifer Aurandt-Pilgrim**

Vice President of R&D  
Marquis

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**Dr. David Thompson**

Chief Scientist - Bioenergy  
Idaho National Lab

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# Panel Q&A

## **Session 2 Panel Resource/Feedstock Mobilization**



## **Session 3**

# **Carbon-Efficient Conversion Processes**

# Pillar Overview

## Carbon-Efficient Conversion Processes

### New Conversion Paradigm:

Develop technologies to enable & maximize conversion of non-fossil resources into fuels and chemicals

### Pillar Includes:

Reactors, separations, process design & optimization  
Integration of clean hydrogen, clean electricity, & clean heat  
Thermo-catalytic, biocatalytic, & electrochemical pathways

### Examples:

Biomass gasification to SAF, power to liquids, catalytic conversion of CO<sub>2</sub>, conversion of waste plastic, solar fuels



**Basic & Foundational  
Science**



**Applied Research  
& Development**

# Session Agenda

## Presentation

U.S. Department of Energy Updates

## SPEAKER

Dr. Todd Anderson, Director, Biological Systems Science Division, **DOE SC**

Dr. Jay Fitzgerald, Chief Scientist and Program Manager, Conversion Technologies, **DOE BETO**

Emily Connor, Acting Division Director/Program Manager, Carbon Conversion, **DOE FECM**

Dr. Felicia Lucci, Technology Manager, **DOE IEDO**

Dr. Kathryn Peretti, Program Manager, **DOE AMMTO**

**Fuels:** Dr. Zia Abdullah, Laboratory Program Manager, **National Renewable Energy Laboratory**

**Chemicals:** Dr. Joel Tickner, Founder and Executive Director, **Change Chemistry**

Dr. Stafford Sheehan, Co-Founder and Chief Technology Officer, **AIR COMPANY**

Dr. Aanindeeta Banerjee, Co-Founder and CEO, **ReSource Chemical**

Dr. Christophe Schilling, Co-Founder and CEO, **Geno**

## Keynotes

## Industry Panel





# DOE Office Updates

- Dr. Todd Anderson | Office of Science
- Dr. Jay Fitzgerald | Bioenergy Technologies Office
- Emily Connor | Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management
- Dr. Felicia Lucci | Industrial Efficiency and Decarbonization Office
- Dr. Kathryn Peretti | Advanced Materials & Manufacturing Technologies Office



## **Office of Science (SC)**

**Dr. Todd Anderson**

**Director Biological Systems Science Division**

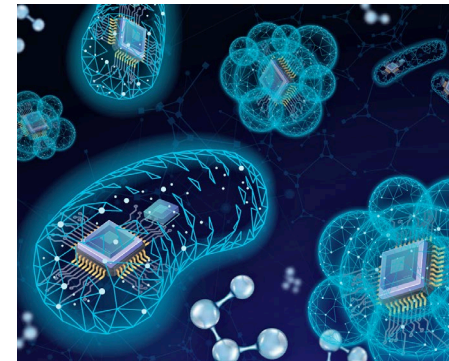


# Office of Science Activities

Basic research on carbon-efficient chemical and biological conversion mechanisms and separations science needed to enable broader production of renewable fuels, chemicals and materials

## Biological Conversion Processes (BER)

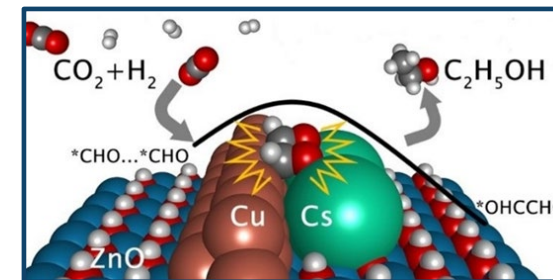
- DOE Bioenergy Research Centers (BRCs)
- Genomic Science programs
  - Microbial biology
  - Biosystems Design



*Illustration imagining the molecular machinery inside microbes as technology. (Wayne Keefe/Berkeley Lab)*

## Catalysis and Separations (BES)

- Energy Frontier Research Centers (EFRCs)
- Catalysis research
- Separations research



# BER DOE Bioenergy Research Centers



- **Great Lakes Bioenergy Research Center (GLBRC) – Dr. Tim Donohue**  
University of Wisconsin, Michigan State University  
(<https://www.glbrc.org/>)



- **Joint BioEnergy Institute (JBEI) – Dr. Jay Keasling**  
Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (<https://www.jbei.org/>)



- **Center for Bioenergy Innovation (CBI) - Dr. Gerald Tuskan**  
Oak Ridge National Laboratory (<https://cbi.ornl.gov/>)



- **Center for Advanced Bioenergy and Bioproducts – Dr. Andrew Leakey**  
**Innovation (CABBI)**  
University of Illinois (UIUC) (<https://cabbi.bio/>)

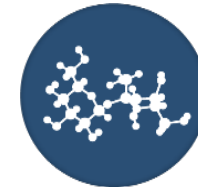
Team-oriented, integrated science addressing the basic science challenges to cost-effective conversion of plant biomass to fuels, chemicals and materials



Sustainability



Feedstock Development



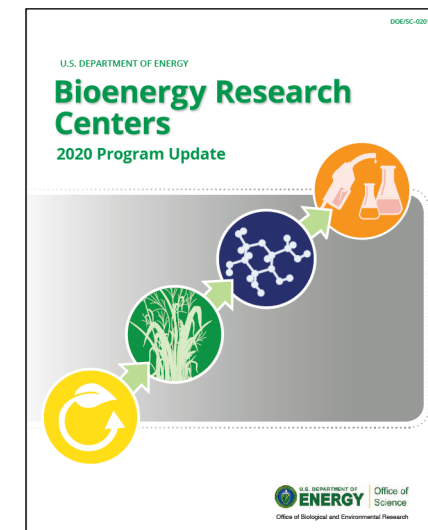
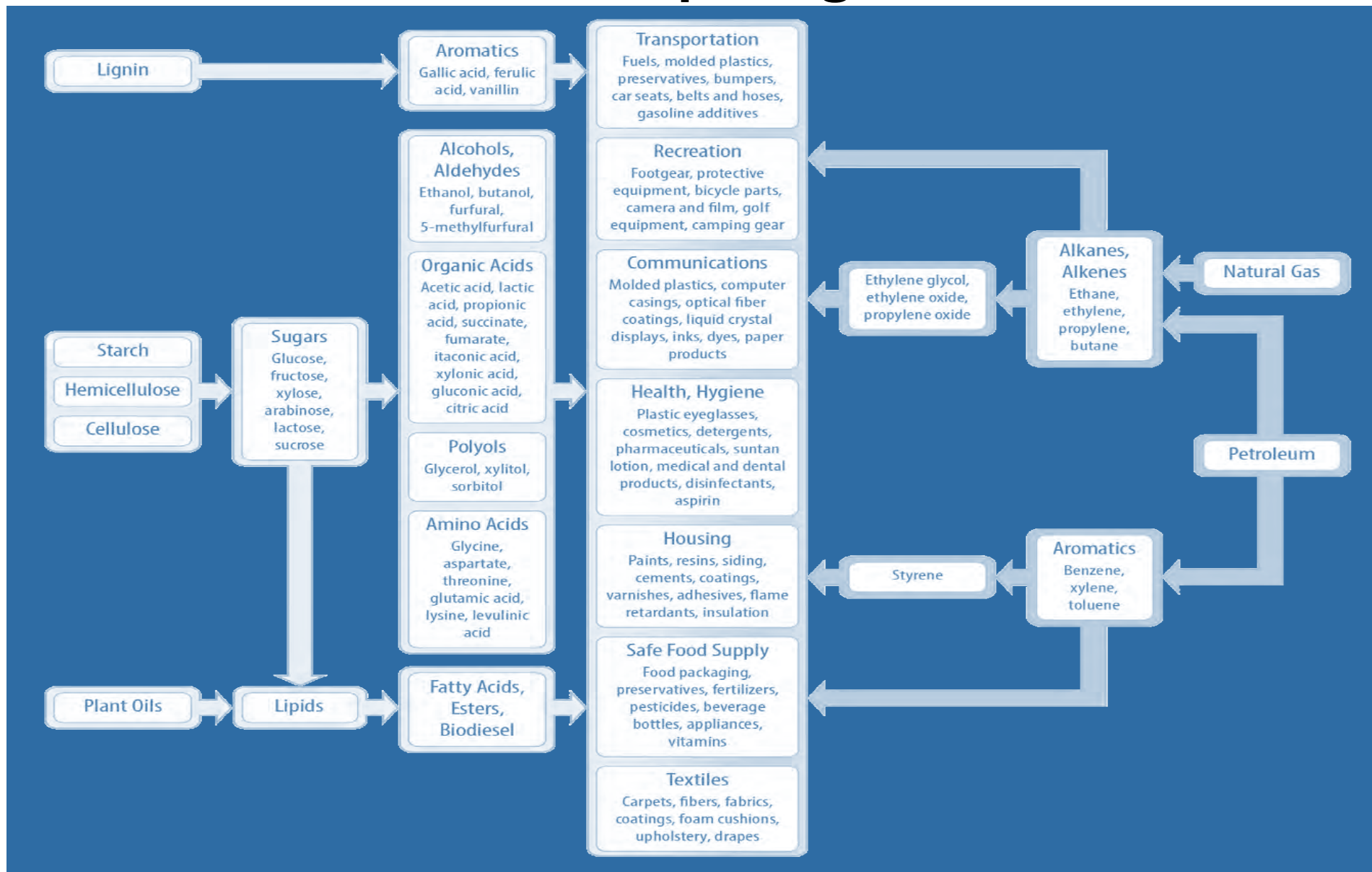
Biomass Deconstruction



Conversion biofuels & bioproducts



# Renewable Feedstocks Underpinning a more Sustainable Bioeconomy



[https://genomicscience.energy.gov/centers/BRC\\_Booklet\\_2020LR.pdf](https://genomicscience.energy.gov/centers/BRC_Booklet_2020LR.pdf)

# BES Catalysis Science Program

- Discover fundamental principles and novel approaches to predict structure-reactivity behavior.
- Understand and control the chemical conversion of natural and artificial feedstocks.
- Impact the efficiency of conversion of natural resources into fuels, chemicals, materials, or other forms of energy, while minimizing environmental impact.

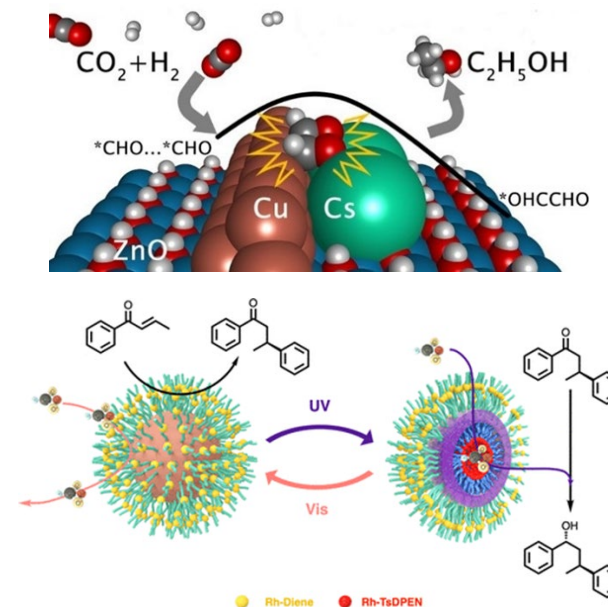
## Feedstocks

- Low-T light hydrocarbon valorization and methane transformations to liquid fuels and aromatics.
- Catalysis of biomass-derived oxygenates to fuels and value-added chemicals.
- Small molecule activation/transformation, including carbon management and hydrogen production/utilization.

## Approaches

- Sustainable and efficient routes for chemical and fuel production (electro-driven processes and polymer upcycling).
- Mastering control of the active site environment (nano-, single-atom, and multi-metallic structures, multi-functionality/site cooperativity, solvent effects, secondary ligand effects, and confinement).
- Operando studies/catalyst dynamics by development of transformative tools.
- Data science and theoretical approaches for catalyst discovery/development.

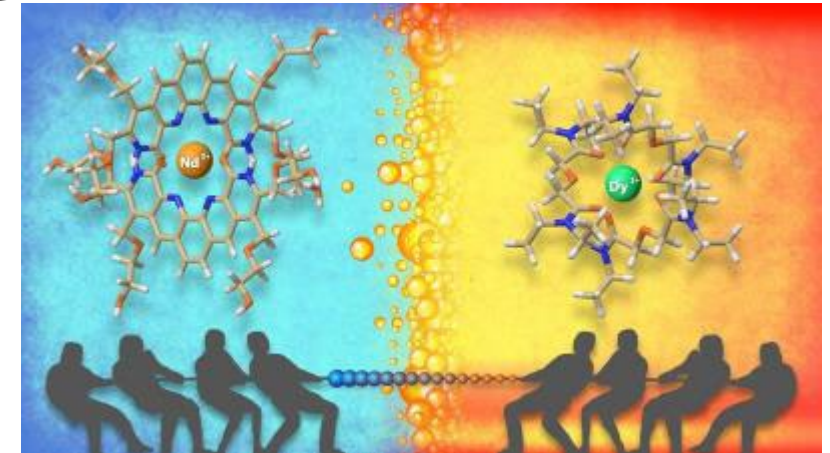
## Conversion Research



# BES Separations Science Program

Separations Research

- Discover, understand, predict, and control de-mixing transitions with the goal of enabling chemical separation paradigms that may serve as a basis for solutions to the current and long-term energy challenges.
- Understand chemical and physical properties at multiple scales, molecular interactions, and energy exchanges that determine the efficiency of chemical separations.



## Selected Topics of Interest include:

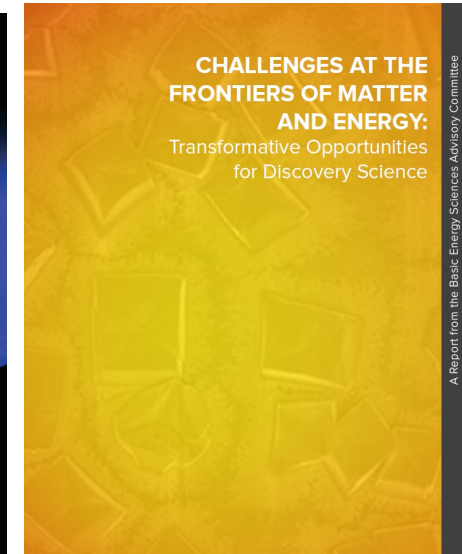
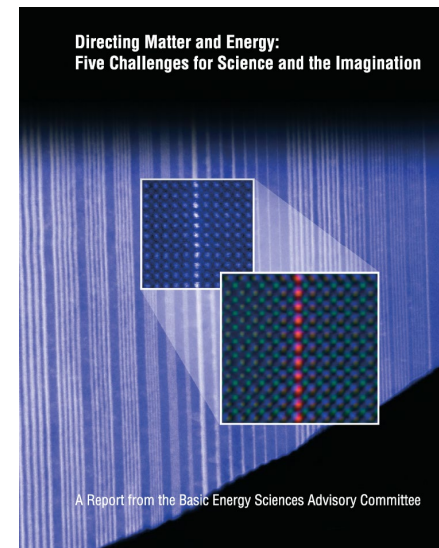
- Discovering, understanding, and predicting paradigms for removal of dilute constituents from a mixture, such as reactive separations, intermolecular interactions leading to formation of a new phase enriched in the target species, and emergent phenomena that result from correlation and amplification of individual atomic or molecular effects
- Understanding factors that cause a separation system to approach mass transfer limitation in the source mixture
- Understanding non-thermal mechanisms that have potential to drive efficient and selective energy-relevant separations, such as magnetic, mechanic, electromagnetic, magneto-reactive, and other means to affect transport kinetics and bonding
- Understanding and control of temporal changes, such as degradation
- Foundational knowledge that can enable or enhance strategies for critical materials recovery from natural and unconventional feedstocks
- Development of scalable approaches to carbon oxide removal from low-concentration sources such as air and water





# BES Energy Frontier Research Centers (EFRCs)

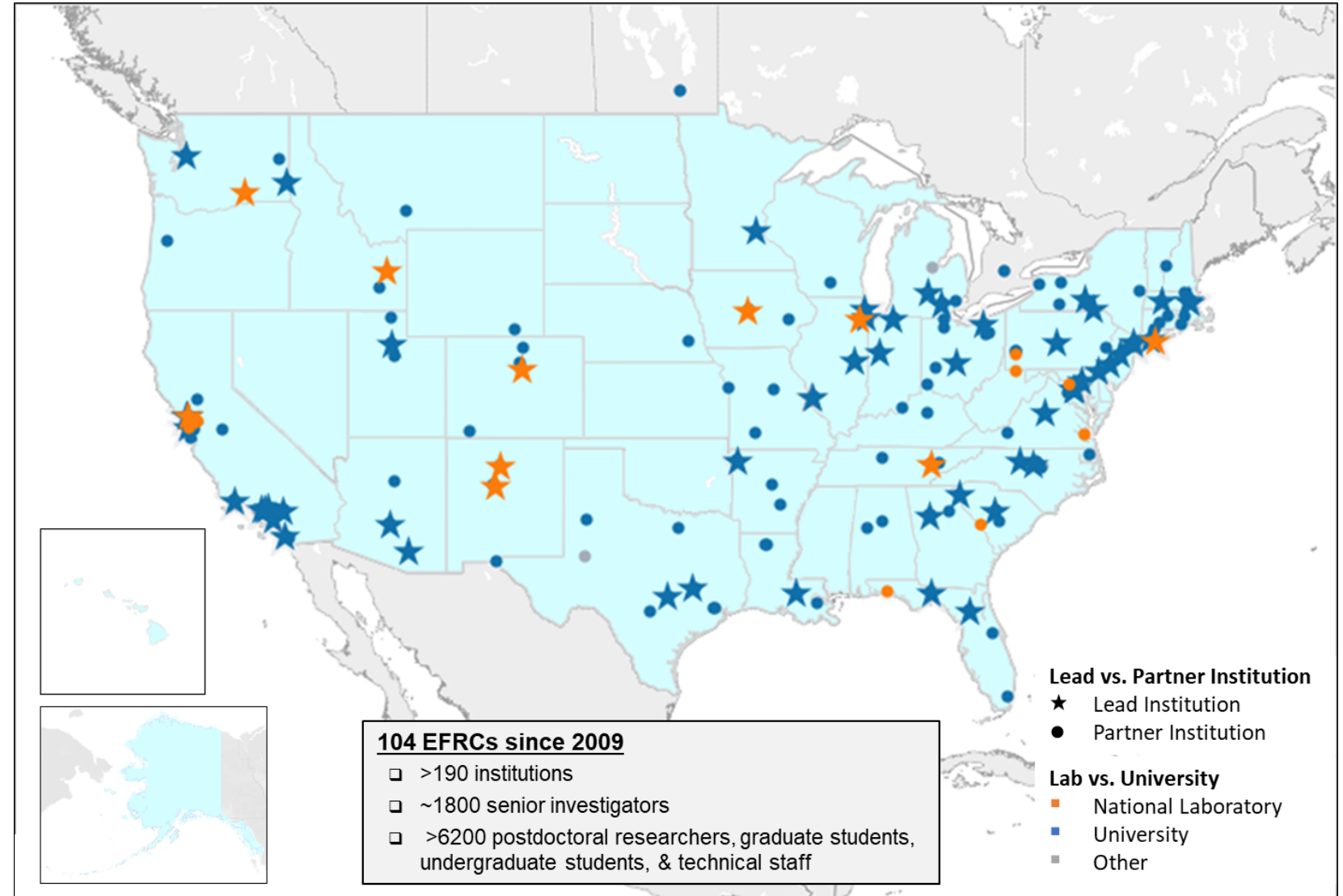
- Multidisciplinary, multi-institutional team research that couples “**basic research needs**” for energy applications and “**grand-challenge science**”
- Brings the academic community and national labs together to enable transformative **team science** with relevance to energy science and technology
- Demonstrates **scientific productivity and world leadership**, and makes progress in ways that would not have been likely through individual efforts
- Develops a diverse and inclusive **next generation of scientists** with a passion for energy science.



<https://science.osti.gov/bes/Community-Resources/Reports>

# EFRCs: Nationwide Participation

- Large number of Institutions involved over the life-time of the program.
- DOE Laboratory and University-led projects.
- Numerous collaborating Institutions





# EFRCs Relevant to Clean Fuels & Products

## Ensembles of Photosynthetic Nanoreactors (EPN)

*University of California, Irvine (Shane Ardo)*

Understand, predict, and control the activity, selectivity, and stability of solar water splitting nanoreactors in isolation and as ensembles



[Ensembles of Photosynthetic Nanoreactors \(uci.edu\)](http://uci.edu)

## Understanding and Controlling Accelerated and Gradual Evolution of Materials for Energy (UNCAGE-ME)

*Georgia Institute of Technology (Ryan Lively)*

Develop knowledge for characterization, prediction, and control of materials evolution in the presence of realistic contaminants, processes, and mixtures to accelerate materials discovery for sustainable production and utilization of H<sub>2</sub> and CO<sub>2</sub>.



[UNCAGE-ME EFRC \(gatech.edu\)](http://gatech.edu)

## Center for Plastics Innovation (CPI)

*University of Delaware (LaShanda Korley)*

Develop catalytic and functionalization approaches and fundamental tools applicable to the upcycling, upgrading, and recycling of polymer plastics waste (PPW) with a focus on mixed-stream transformations in varied material forms



## Institute for Cooperative Upcycling of Plastics (iCOUP)

*Ames National Laboratory (Aaron Sadow)*

Uncover macromolecular and catalytic phenomena at the interface of molecular-scale chemistry and mesoscale materials science in order to enable upcycling of energy-rich polymers (plastics)



[Institute for Cooperative Upcycling of Plastics | Ames Laboratory](http://ameslab.gov)

# Opportunities Relevant to the Clean Fuels & Products Shot

## Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOAs)

- *Reaching a New Energy Workforce (RENEW)* – All SC
- *Funding for Accelerated, Inclusive Research (FAIR)* – All SC
- *Advances in Artificial Intelligence for Science* - ASCR
- *Energy Frontier Research Centers* - BES
- *Early Career Research Program* – All SC
- *Data Reduction for Science* – ASCR



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Opportunity Number	Opportunity Title	Agency	Opportunity Status	Posted Date	Close Date
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003280</a>	FY 2024 Reaching a New Energy Sciences Workforce (RENEW)	PAMS-SC	Posted	03/12/2024	07/23/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003207</a>	FY 2024 Funding for Accelerated, Inclusive Research (FAIR)	PAMS-SC	Posted	03/12/2024	07/16/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003279</a>	FY 2024 Phase II Release 2	PAMS-SC	Posted	02/26/2024	04/30/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003267</a>	Research on General Plasma Science Collaborative Research Facilities	PAMS-SC	Posted	02/21/2024	04/29/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003264</a>	Advancements in Artificial Intelligence for Science	PAMS-SC	Posted	02/13/2024	05/21/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003265</a>	Accelerated Research in Quantum Computing	PAMS-SC	Posted	02/07/2024	05/08/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003258</a>	Energy Frontier Research Centers (EFRC)	PAMS-SC	Posted	01/22/2024	05/08/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003300</a>	EXPRESS: 2024 Exploratory Research for Extreme Scale Science	PAMS-SC	Posted	01/19/2024	05/02/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003266</a>	Data Reduction for Science	PAMS-SC	Posted	01/16/2024	05/07/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003238</a>	Nuclear Data Interagency Working Group (NDIAWG) Research Program	PAMS-SC	Posted	01/04/2024	04/04/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003281</a>	Integrated Biological and Computational Low-Dose Radiation Research	PAMS-SC	Posted	12/21/2023	04/02/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003176</a>	Early Career Research Program	PAMS-SC	Posted	12/15/2023	04/25/2024
<a href="#">DE-FOA-0003177</a>	FY 2024 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program	PAMS-SC	Posted	09/29/2023	09/30/2024



## **Bioenergy Technologies Office (BETO)**

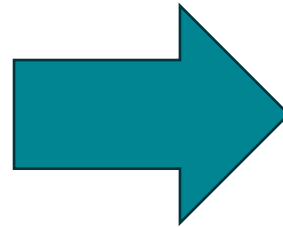
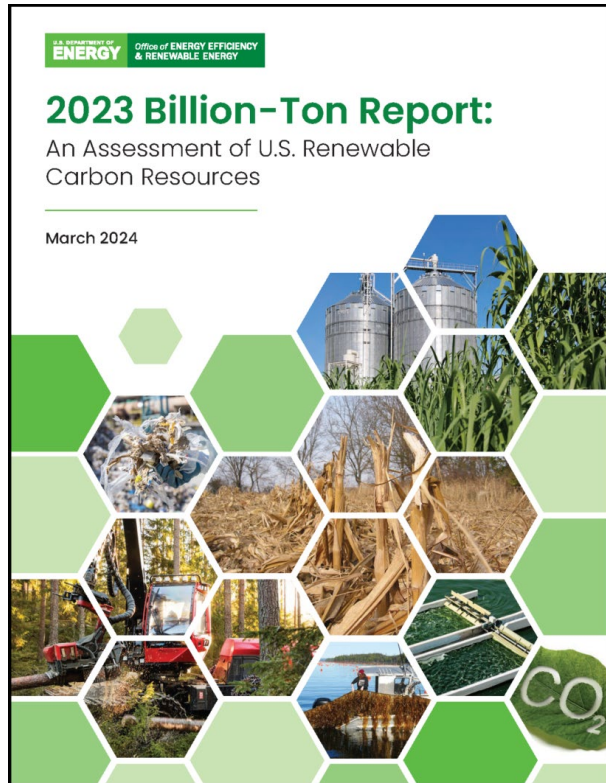
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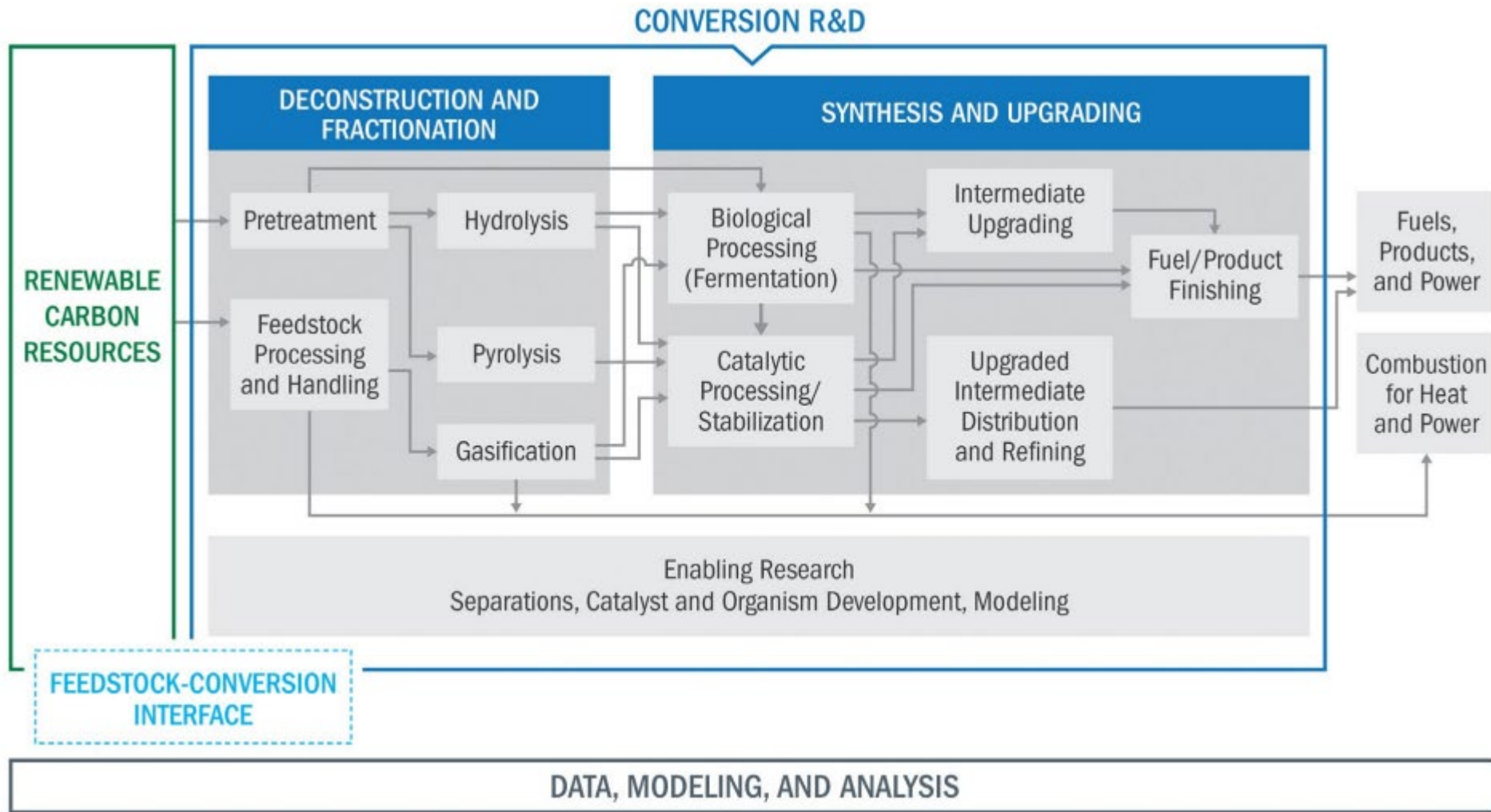
# WHAT IS CONVERSION R&D?

How do we turn the carbon we have into the carbon we need?





# BETO CONVERSION R&D OVERVIEW





# CAPABILITY HIGHLIGHT: CHEMCATBIO



Materials Synthesis >



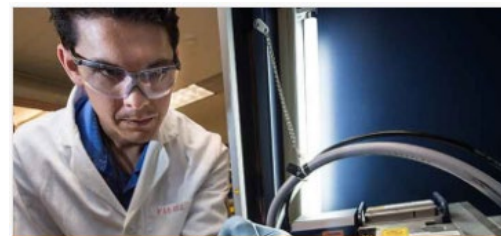
Modeling, Interactive Tools, and Databases >



Techno-Economic and Sustainability Analysis >



Evaluation of Catalyst Performance >

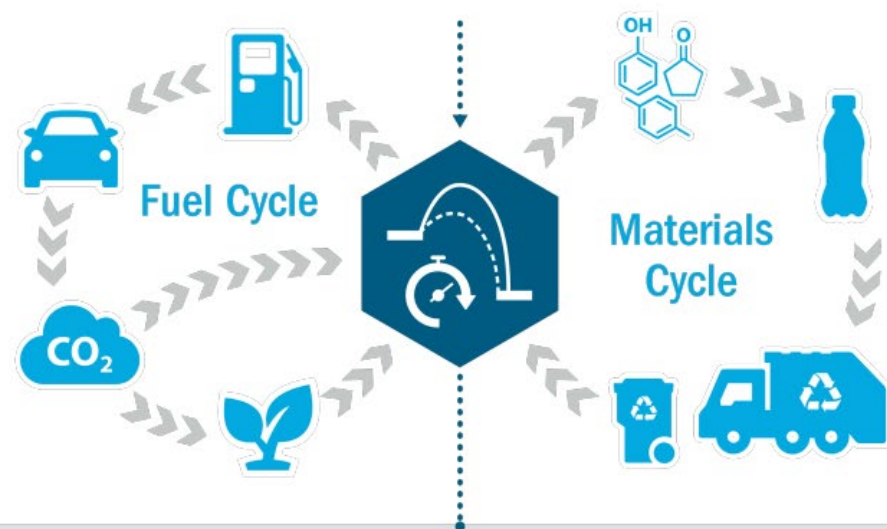


Advanced Catalyst Characterization >



**ChemCatBio**  
Chemical Catalysis for Bioenergy

Catalysis enables a circular carbon economy.  
**85% of industrial chemical processes rely on catalysts.**



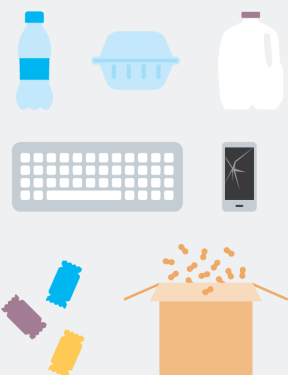
**ChemCatBio** is accelerating catalyst development for bioenergy applications

# CAPABILITY HIGHLIGHT: BOTTLE CONSORTIUM

DEIA  and Industry Engagement 



Plastics Waste



Biomass



**Deconstruction**

Plastics waste and biomass converted to building blocks



**Building Blocks**

Conversion of building blocks into circular and biodegradable polymers



**Redesign**



**Circular Polymers**

Analysis-Guided R&D , Characterization , and Modeling 

# CAPABILITY HIGHLIGHT: AGILE BIOFOUNDRY

## KEY CAPABILITIES

Available to industry for onboarding hosts and improving titers, rates, and yields



### AUTOMATED RECOMMENDATION TOOL

Machine learning and probabilistic modeling techniques for guiding synthetic biology systematically



### SAGE DNA EDITING TOOL

Broadly applicable toolkit to engineer microbes faster and easier



### SCALE-UP

Multiple scales of integrated bioreactor cultivation equipment to translate your technology to industrial scale



### PROTEOMICS AND METABOLOMICS

Both targeted & untargeted



### BIOSENSORS

Responsive, tailorable sensor-reporters indicate the amount of a metabolite both non-invasively and in real time

### We are currently leveraging these capabilities to develop:

- High titer, rate, and yield production of alkanes for sustainable aviation fuels
- Muconate
- 3-hydroxypropionic acid



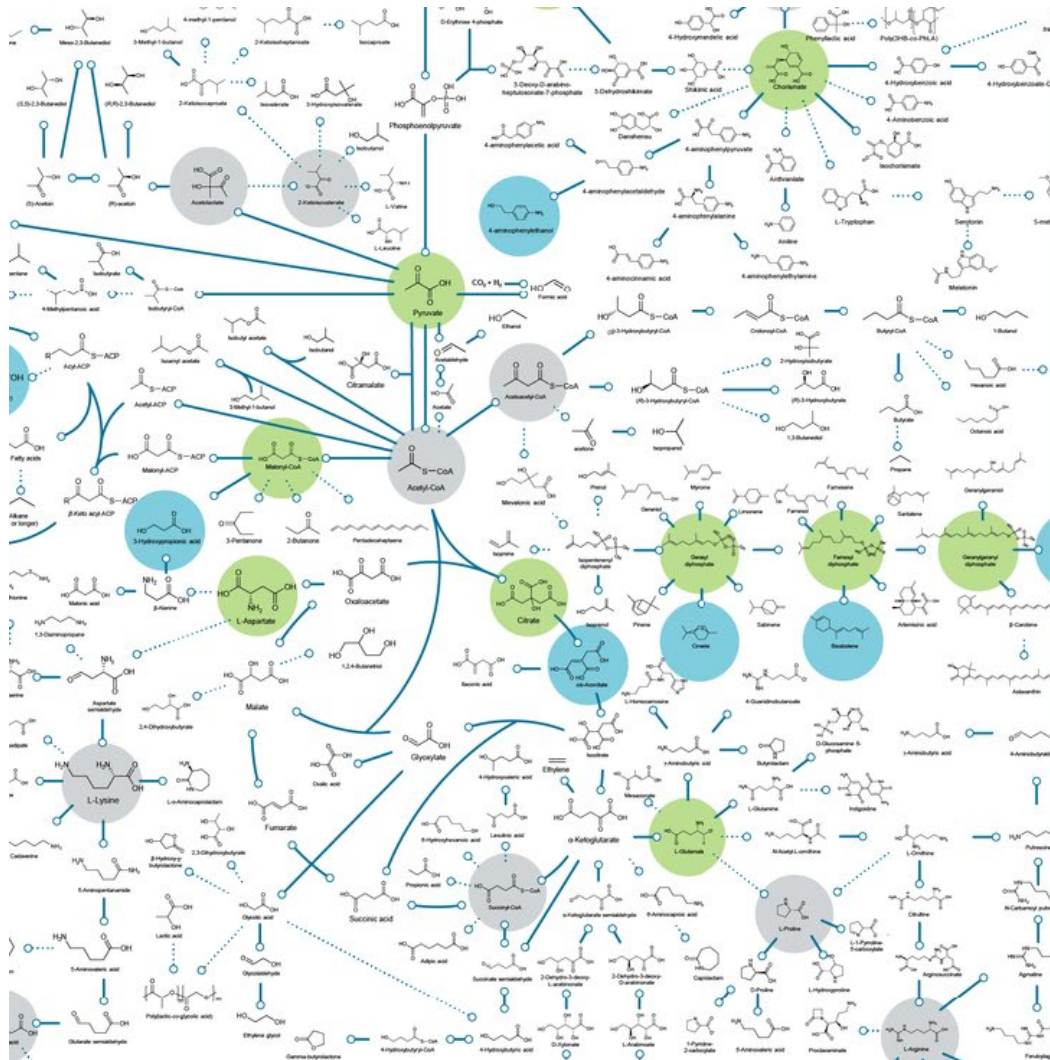
Partnering with industry to enable sustainable biomanufacturing of affordable fuels and chemicals



Clean Fuels & Products™



# AGILE BIOFOUNDRY: CARBON HIGHWAYS



## Get where you want to go, faster.

Leverage millions of dollars of DOE infrastructure and expert researchers with deep experience working with industry to get innovative products to market faster, with higher return on investment.

- Current ABF target molecule
- Current ABF beachhead molecule
- Potential beachhead molecule

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# CONCLUSIONS

- The BETO Conversion program supports R&D on transforming renewable carbon resources into fuels, chemicals, and materials
- Funding through open FOA announcements
- Capabilities at the DOE National Laboratories







**Office of Fossil Energy & Carbon Management (FECM)**

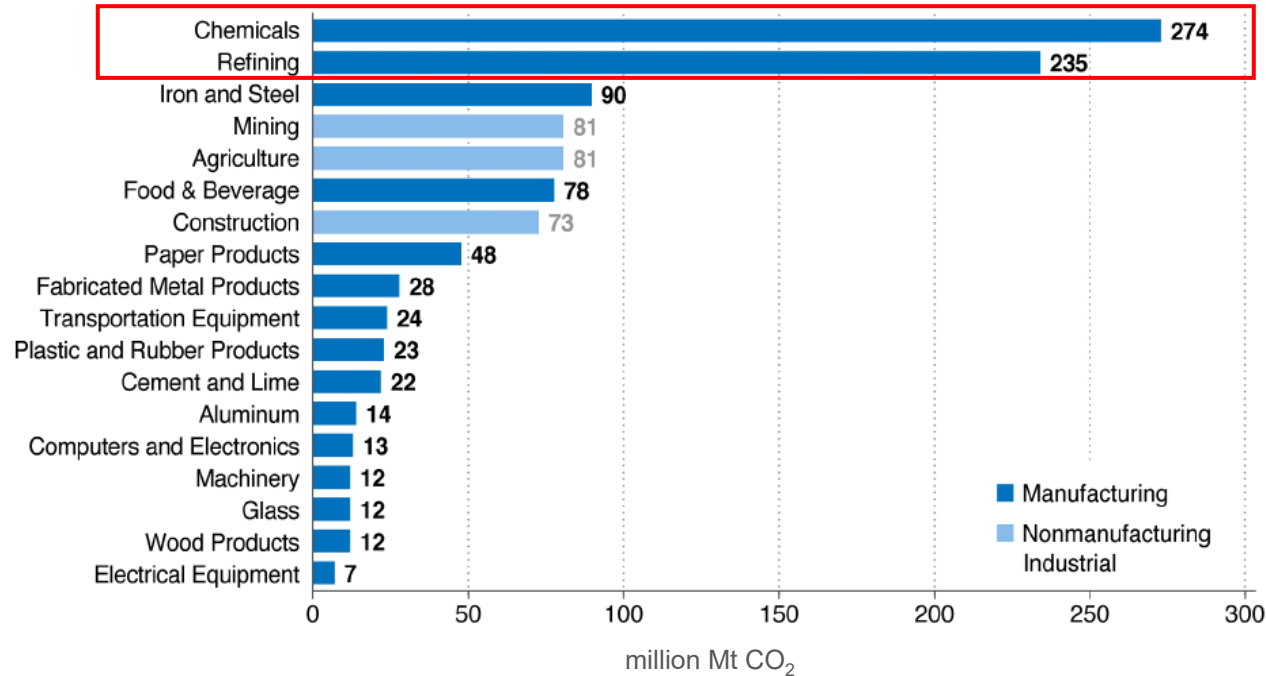
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**Acting Division Director/Program Manager**



# Why Carbon Conversion & Utilization

Energy-related CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by industrial subsector in 2020



- CO<sub>2</sub> conversion & utilization transforms anthropogenic carbon dioxide into a feedstock for products and fuels
- It can provide lower-carbon or net-negative alternatives for industries and processes that are hard to decarbonize
  - For example, long-haul aviation, long-haul shipping, plastics production, and concrete
- U.S. chemicals production and oil refining contribute about 8% to GDP and are critical for energy security but also generate 11% of US emissions
  - Produces fuels for transportation, power, and heat and essential inputs to widely used downstream products, including plastics, fertilizer, and pharmaceuticals

To meet U.S. decarbonization goals of net-zero GHG emissions by 2050, chemicals & refining production must reduce emissions by ~35% through 2030 and more than ~90% by 2050.

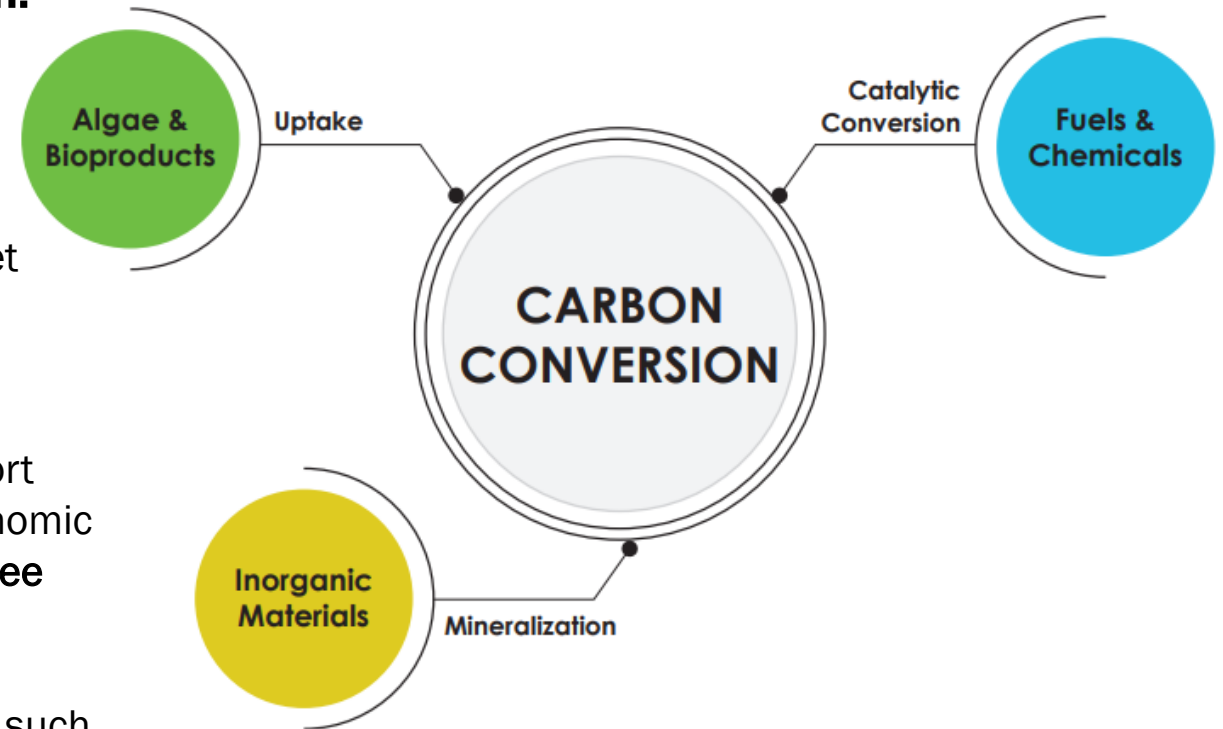
# FECCM Carbon Conversion Program

## Vision Statement for the Carbon Conversion Program:

“Research, develop, and demonstrate a broad suite of technologies that convert CO<sub>2</sub> into environmentally responsible, equitable, and economically valuable products, and enable low-carbon supply chains to meet the goal of a decarbonized economy by 2050.”

– FECCM Strategic Vision 2022

- Annual appropriations in conjunction with IIJA will support overall program goals to advance the performance, economic viability and commercialization of technologies along **three** conversion pathways
- Each pathway has unique challenges, but certain areas, such as improved TEA/LCA capabilities and support for FOAK demonstration/pilot sites are critical for all technologies



# Conversion Goals



Research, develop, and demonstrate a broad suite of technologies that convert CO<sub>2</sub> into environmentally responsible, and economically valuable products, which provide a conversion option for anthropogenic CO<sub>2</sub>.



Create open source LCA/TEA tools to create verifiable carbon accounting foundations to support technology development and policies such as 45Q tax credits.






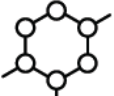


Accelerate large-scale conversion of CO<sub>2</sub> into products that advance net-zero and justice goals – accelerate the pathway to net-zero refineries, advance mineral carbonation approaches, maturation of algae conversion, and expand the availability of CO<sub>2</sub>-based synthetic fuels.

## Challenges

Scale & rate of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions relative to of CO<sub>2</sub> conversion

Determining economic viability and environmental impact requires significant resources - very place-based

# Conversion Opportunities & Challenges

\$0.5 – \$2 trillion / year opportunity		2 – 8 Gigatons of CO <sub>2</sub> / year	
	Annual Market Opportunity (Billion USD)	Annual CO <sub>2</sub> Consumption (Million Tons)	
 <b>Construction Materials</b> Concrete, aggregates	165 - 550	900 - 5000	CO <sub>2</sub> is a new ingredient
 <b>Fuels</b> Natural gas replacement, gasoline, diesel fuel, jet fuel	10 - 250	700 - 2100	
 <b>Chemicals</b> Solvents, detergents	200 - 750	135 - 565	CO <sub>2</sub> replaces fossil carbon
 <b>Engineered Materials</b> Carbon fiber, carbon nanotubes, graphene, carbon ceramics	140 - 400	30 - 84	
 <b>Polymers</b> Plastic foils, containers, furniture, plastic housings, toys	2 - 25	1 - 20	
 <b>Agriculture and Food</b> Fertilizer, protein for human consumption, animal feed	> 25	> 40	CO <sub>2</sub> is a new ingredient

Conversion and utilization can support the transition from status quo to a **future 2050 carbon neutral chemicals & fuels** scenario

Ongoing funding requires robust **LCA and TEA** analysis to evaluate the full lifecycle emissions impacts of all new and developing technologies to ensure overall emissions reductions

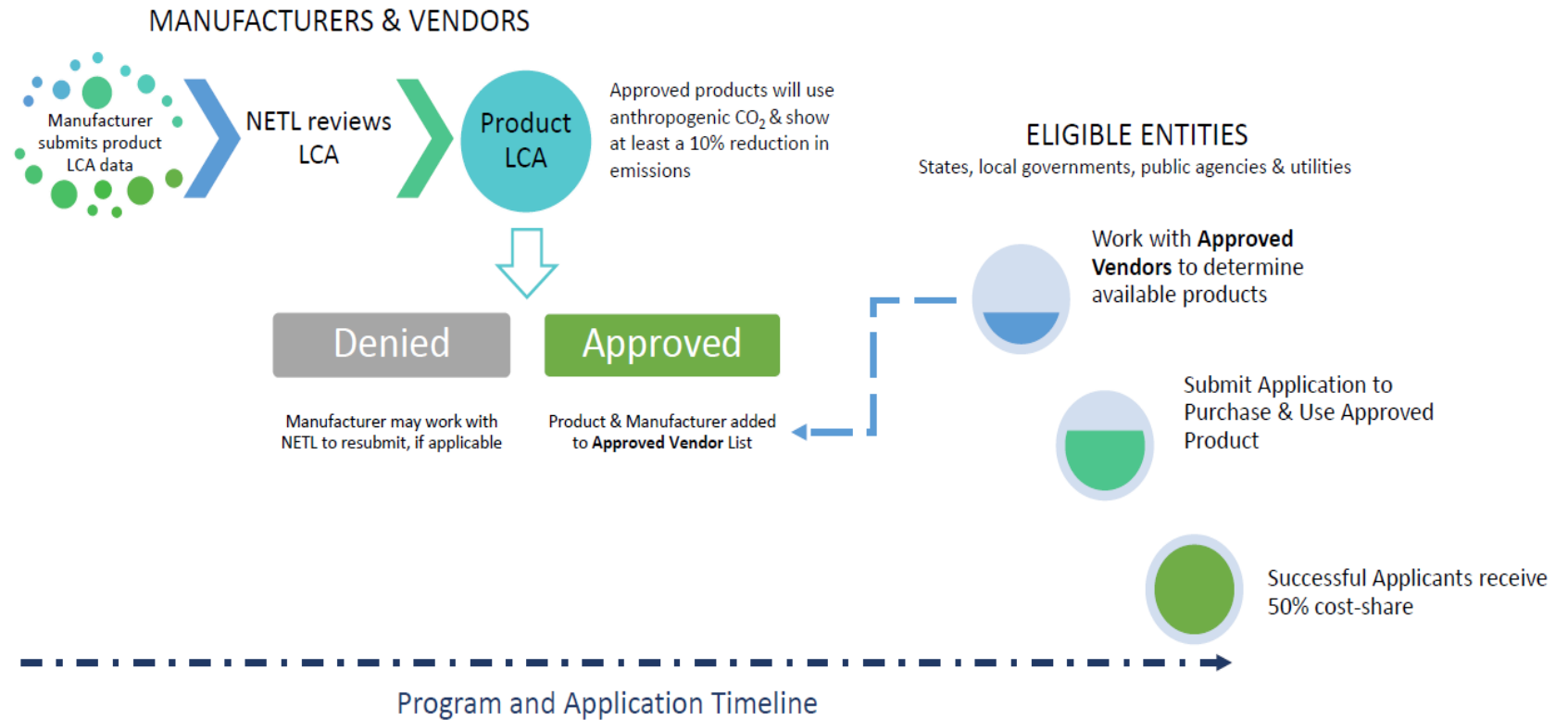
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# Products from CO2: Upgrants Programs

## Current Funding Opportunity

- \$100 million available to states, local governments, and public agencies & utilities to purchase products derived from converted carbon emissions
- Products must demonstrate at least 10% reduction in emissions compared to incumbent products
- Product LCAs are reviewed and approved by DOE's National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL)



# FECM/NETL CO<sub>2</sub>U LCA Toolkit

- Initially created for Carbon Utilization/Conversion Program research projects
- LCA guidance, open source LCA software (openLCA), NETL data, and results reporting tools
- A living document with overall version improvements and addendums to adapt the methodology for new use cases

Toolkit available at [netl.doe.gov/LCA/CO2U](https://netl.doe.gov/LCA/CO2U)

 <p><b>CO2U LCA GUIDANCE DOCUMENT FOR THE U.S. DOE OFFICE OF FECM, VERSION 2.0</b></p> <p>Analysis requirements and instructions for using the supporting data and tools</p>	 <p><b>NETL CO2U LCA DOCUMENTATION SPREADSHEET</b></p> <p>Excel file that can be used to document data when not using openLCA</p>	 <p><b>TRAINING RESOURCES</b></p> <p>Provided to funding recipients to aid in modeling an LCA</p>
 <p><b>NETL CO2U OPENLCA LCI DATABASE VERSION 2</b></p> <p>openLCA database that includes NETL unit process data and an example CO2U LCA</p>		<p><b>45Q ADDENDUM AND TOOLS</b></p> <p>Information pertaining to the use of this toolkit in performing life cycle analyses in support of the 26 CFR § 1.45Q tax credit, including an addendum to the Guidance Document.</p>
 <p><b>OPENLCA CONTRIBUTION TOOL</b></p> <p>Excel template that translates openLCA results into required charts</p>	 <p><b>NETL CO2U LCA REPORT TEMPLATE</b></p> <p>Word report template for summarizing data and results</p>	<p><b>NETL ADDITIONAL DOWNLOADS</b></p> <p> <a href="#">Download Full Toolkit</a></p> <p> <a href="#">Patches, Archives, and Version History</a></p>

# Funding Opportunities

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## FY23/24 Funding Announcements:

- FOA 2614 Carbon Management FOA, multiple issuances
- FOA Carbon Utilization & Procurement Grants (UPGrants)
  - \$100 million for procurement of carbon utilization products
- NOI Issued December 2023
  - Clean Fuels & Products Shot: Supporting Carbon Utilization Products via Electrochemical Conversion and Refinery and Petrochemical Facilities Retrofitting

## Additional Market Drivers:

- 45Q tax credit opportunities for conversion
- Adoption of performance-based standards for new products such as CO<sub>2</sub> cured cement
- Buy Clean & procurement incentives, including UPGrants



## **Industrial Efficiency and Decarbonization Office (IEDO)**

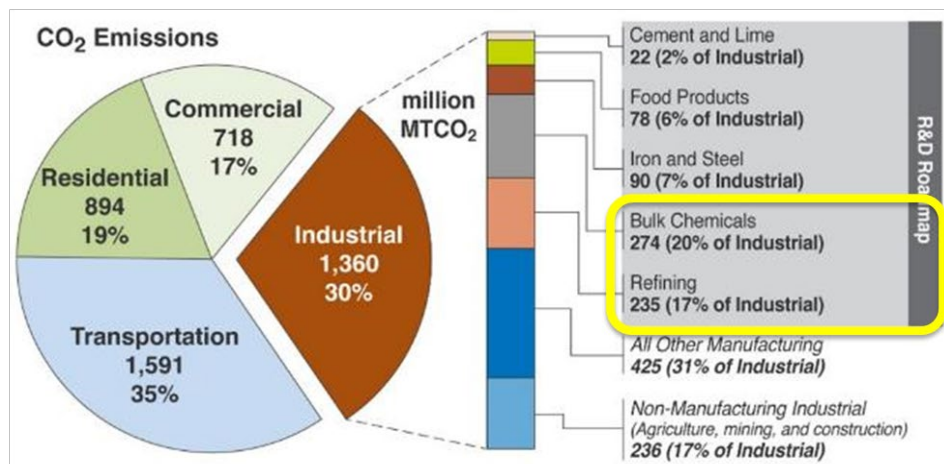
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**Technology Manager**





# Chemicals Sector Crucial for Economy-wide Decarbonization

U.S. Energy-related CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions by Sector and Subsector (2020)



Share of the 4,563 million metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub> emitted by the U.S. in 2020 (EIA 2021)

## Major Economic Impact

- Chemicals is a capital-intensive industry supporting to 25% of U.S. GDP

## Large Manufacturing Footprint

- The domestic manufacturing footprint of major U.S. chemical companies are about 20-30% of global operations
- 30% of chemical manufacturing facilities are owned by small and medium enterprises (CISA)

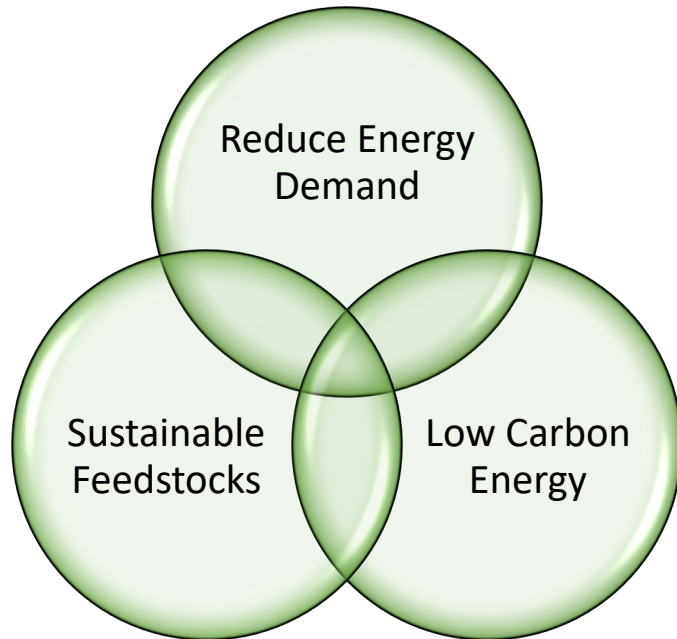
## Significant Emissions

- U.S. bulk chemicals and refining industries are by far the highest emitting industrial subsectors, accounting for 513 MMT of energy-related CO<sub>2</sub> emissions
- Heavily dependent on petroleum and other fossil resources

# IEDO Supports Applied R&D & First-of-a-Kind Pilots & Demonstrations

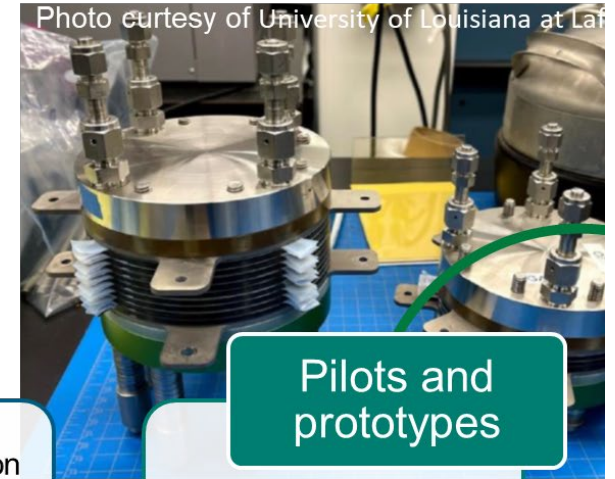
Accelerating development of **next-generation process technologies** capable of transforming chemicals and fuels production

- Full value chain of high-volume, energy intensive, high emissions chemicals & specialty/performance chemicals



- Technology components validation in **laboratory**
- 1/100<sup>th</sup> commercial scale

Applied R&D

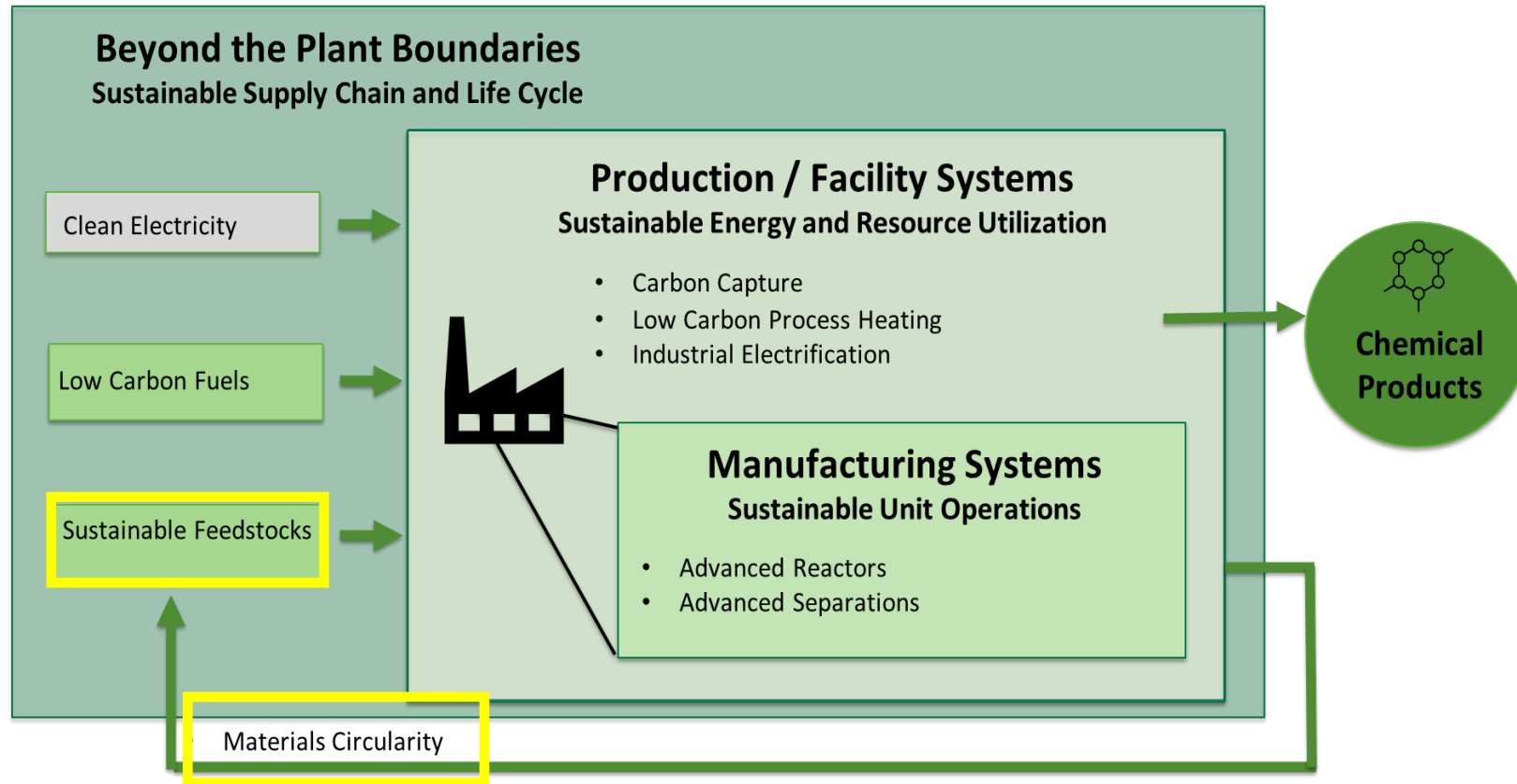


Pilots and prototypes

- Technology components validation in a **relevant environment**
- 1/50<sup>th</sup> commercial scale

# IEDO's Chemicals and Fuels RD&D

Holistically decarbonizing chemicals manufacturing facility from unit operations to supply chains.



## IEDO Portfolio:

\$70M+ for advanced processes to enable conversion of sustainable feedstocks including CO<sub>2</sub> utilization

Advanced reactor systems to produce (or reduce demand of) high-volume chemicals from

- waste gases (CO<sub>2</sub>, CO)
- industrial waste
- plastics
- biomass

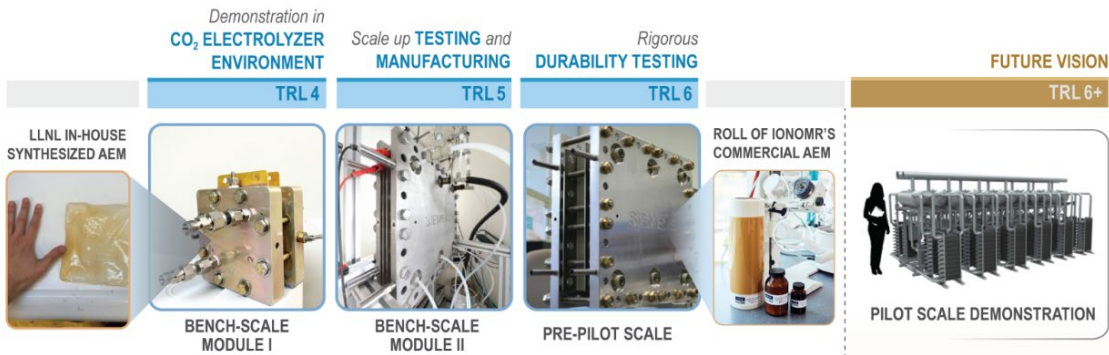
# Addressing Fundamental Challenges for Scaling CO<sub>2</sub>/CO Electrochemical Reactors

## Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory Advanced Reactor Design

- Address knowledge gap regarding critical parameters to maintain performance at increasing scales, over long time, and with variable feedstock for CO<sub>2</sub> to ethylene

## Durability and Performance of Anion Exchange Membranes

- Demonstrate a lab-scale prototype CO<sub>2</sub> to ethylene electrolyzer with a 1000-hour durability



## Giner

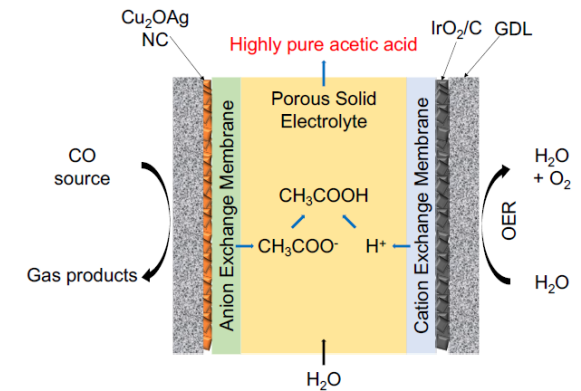
### Dual-Recycle Reactor

- Develop and integrate dual-recycle CO<sub>2</sub> conversion system to produce ethylene from CO<sub>2</sub> using pressure swing adsorption (PSA) to recycle CO<sub>2</sub>/CO and purify ethylene

## Rice University

### Solid Electrolyte Reactor

- Demonstrate a scaled-up porous solid electrolyte reactor for synthesis of high-purity acetic acid solutions, eliminating the need for downstream separation

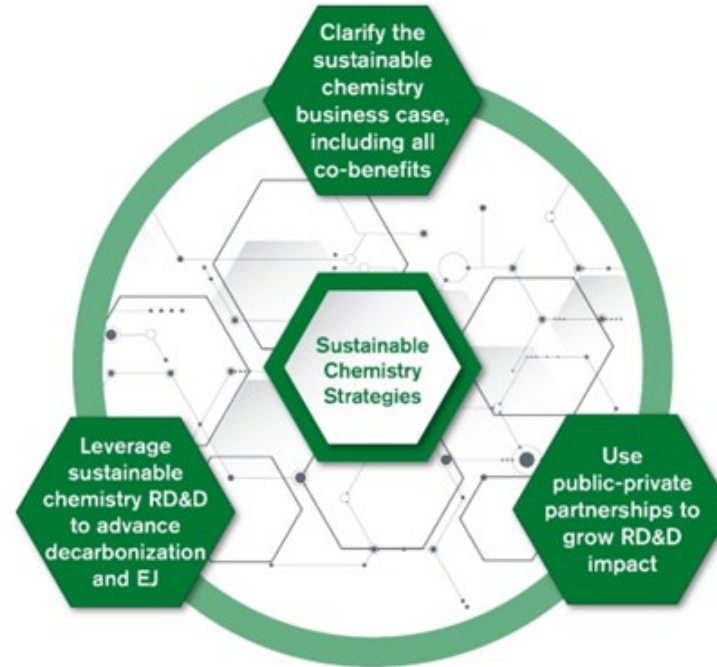




# IEDO Chemicals Focus on Sustainable Chemistry

## Pillars of Sustainable Chemistry

- Are **less toxic** to human health and the environment
- Have **lower energy consumption** and related **emissions**
- Have **reduced natural resource** impacts
- Include **optimized product design** that results in the reduction of waste and the reuse or recycling of chemicals and materials across the product lifecycle



[Sustainable Chemistry in Manufacturing Roundtable](#)

[Sustainable Chemistry in RD&D to Transform the Chemicals Industry Roundtable](#)

## Stakeholder Engagement

### Scaling Sustainable Chemistry for an Industrial Transformation Workshop

- Summer 2024 – Washington, D.C. Metro Area
- Evaluate the technologies, policy and regulatory reforms, and collaborations needed to scale sustainable chemistry from the lab to the market



# IEDO FY24 Funding Opportunities – In Progress

## FY24 Energy- and Emissions-Intensive Industries

- **\$83M** to focus on applied RD&D for the highest GHG-emitting industrial subsectors
- Sector-specific opportunities for seedling research, applied R&D, and first-of-a-kind pilots
- **Chemicals focus on advanced processes to enable conversion of sustainable feedstocks for hydrocarbons and fuels.**
- Joint topic with Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Technology Office (HFTO) and Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management (FECM) focused on pre-Front End Engineering and Design (pre-FEED) studies that support the development of decarbonized industrial processes



# Looking Forward: DOE's Industrial Efficiency & Decarbonization Office



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**Advanced Materials and Manufacturing Technologies Office (AMMTO)  
Dr. Kathryn Peretti, Program Manager**



Utilizing Waste as a Resource

# What is AMMTO All About?

## Vision

A globally competitive U.S. manufacturing sector that accelerates the adoption of innovative materials and manufacturing technologies in support of a clean, decarbonized economy.

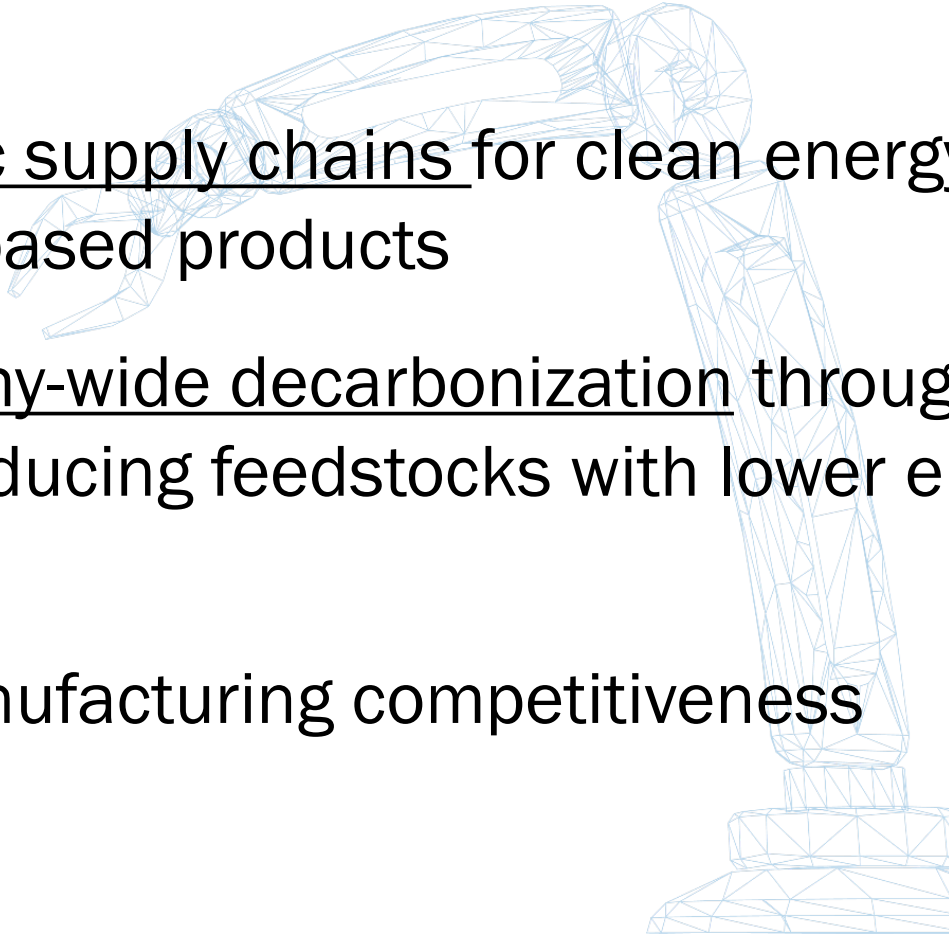
## Mission

We inspire people and drive innovation to transform materials and manufacturing for America's energy future.



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# Material Circularity Supports AMMTO's Mission

- Securing domestic supply chains for clean energy technologies, including carbon-based products
  - Advancing economy-wide decarbonization through material efficiency and producing feedstocks with lower embodied energy and emissions.
  - Increasing US manufacturing competitiveness
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# Strategy for Plastics Innovation

## Vision

For the United States to lead the world in developing and deploying technologies that minimize plastic waste and promote energy-efficient and economic plastic and bioplastic design, production, reuse, and recycling.

## Objectives/Metrics

- Address **end-of-life fate** for **>90%** of plastics
- **≥50% energy savings** relative to virgin material production
- Achieve **≥75% carbon utilization** from waste plastics
- Develop **cost-competitive** recyclable-by-design plastic
- Design recycling strategies that **mitigate ≥50% GHG emissions** relative to virgin resin or plastic intermediates



Strategy for Plastics Innovation | Department of Energy

# Current Portfolio

**BOTTLE FOA Projects (\$17M)** – Broadly covers plastic deconstruction, upcycling, and redesign for circularity.

**SUPR FOA Projects (\$9M)** – Targeted at addressing recycling challenges for flexible packaging.

**Circular Economy Regional Demonstrations (\$10M)** – Seeking to scale technologies and bring together supply chains for a regional pilot demonstration.

Research & Development



**REMADE Institute (\$70M)** is a Manufacturing USA™ Institute that enables R&D promoting circular material solutions across the value chain for metals, fibers, plastics, and e-waste.



**BOTTLE Consortium (\$30M)** is a lab- led consortium that conducts collaborative RD&D to develop scalable technologies for plastic deconstruction, valorization, and redesign.

Strategic Analysis

Innovation Ecosystem Development

Strategic analysis is incorporated into larger efforts like REMADE and BOTTLE to guide their efforts.

In addition, AMMTO funds analysis efforts that can guide and support decision making at DOE and throughout the community.



# BOTTLE Consortium – [www.bottle.org](http://www.bottle.org)



## Vision

- Deliver scalable technologies that enable cost-effective recycling, upcycling, and energy efficiency for plastics

## Mission

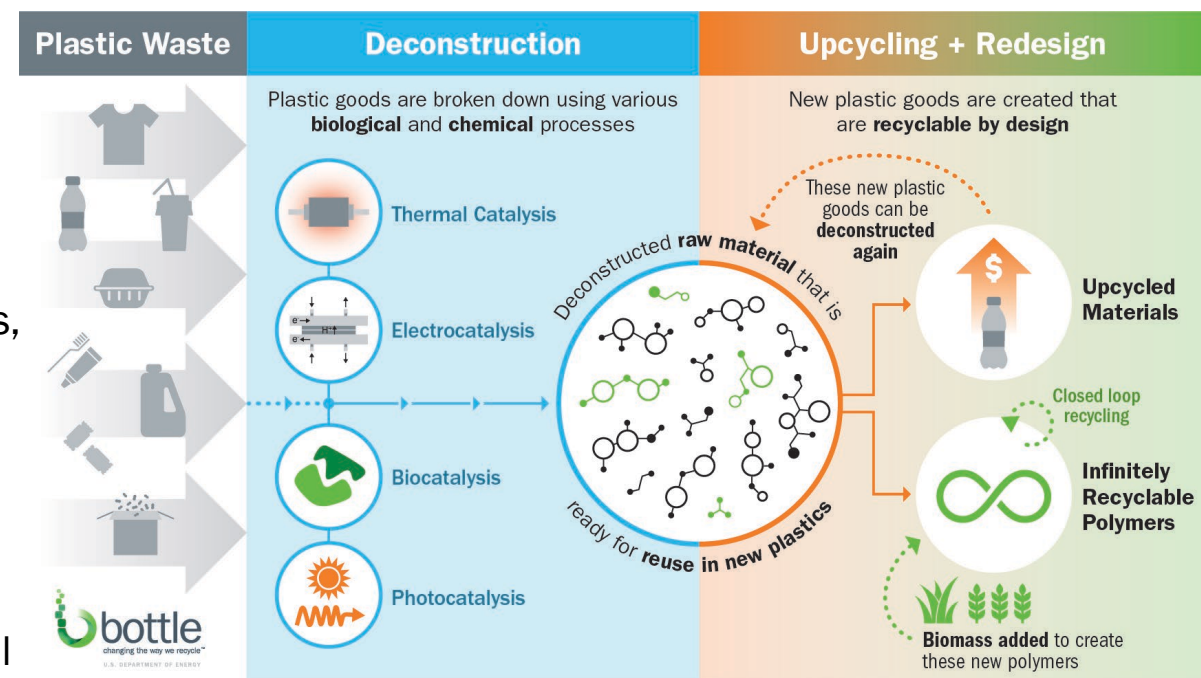
- Develop robust processes to upcycle existing waste plastics
- Develop new plastics that are recyclable-by-design

## Goals

- Work with industry to deploy new recycling and redesign paradigms
- Leverage DOE investments in process development, catalysis, materials, and analysis-driven R&D

## DEI

- A diverse and inclusive consortium that fosters the growth of researchers across their career, engages broadly to educate the public on our work, and ultimately contributes to the local community and the world broadly



# Focus on Conversion Processes

The BOTTLE FOA and Single-Use Plastic Recycling (SUPR) FOA were designed to improve plastic circularity by developing deconstruction and upcycling pathways for plastic waste and redesign polymers for circularity.

Efforts were designed to be complementary to the BOTTLE™ Consortium and the REMADE Institute.

## **BOTTLE FOA:**

- Develop novel polymers that are designed for infinite recyclability or biodegradability.
- Create innovative deconstruction pathways for existing polymers that generate high-value products.
- BOTTLE Consortium Collaborations to Tackle Challenges in Plastic Waste.

## **SUPR FOA:**

- Develop recycling and upcycling pathways for plastic films that are economically favorable, lower greenhouse gas emissions, and reduce the embodied energy of plastics.
- Redesign of multi-layer films to be inherently recyclable or biodegradable.



# Example Project From BOTTLE FOA

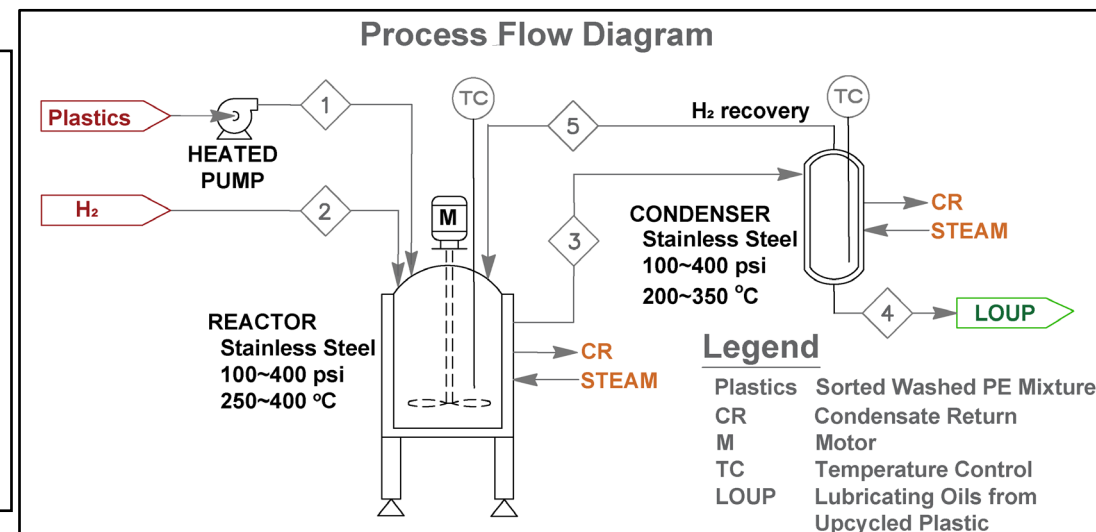
**Project Goal:** Develop a modular, low-temperature (< 300 °C) and low pressure (15 bar) continuous lab-scale process for the catalytic conversion of single-use waste polyolefins (POs) to higher value high performance LOUPs.

Federal funds:	\$2,500,000
Cost-share:	\$702,509
Total budget:	\$3,202,509

Start of project status: batch process that converts polyethylene using Pt/STO by hydrogenolysis to a lube oil in >95% yield by mass.

Proposed work includes:

- Optimizing and scaling catalyst production
- Scaling production of the lube oil through conversion to a continuous process
- Converting feedstock from “clean” to real feedstocks
- Characterization of the lube oil product to ensure benefits over incumbent



	Key Milestones & Deliverables
BP 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Produce LOUPs (3 g) from waste HDPE films using Pt/STO catalyst in &gt;35% yield</li> </ul>
BP 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Large-scale Pt/STO synthesis and LOUPs production</li> <li>• 20% improvement in tribological properties</li> </ul>
BP 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Produce LOUPs on 100 mL scale</li> <li>• Demonstrate tribological properties under ASTM test conditions to verify commercial viability</li> </ul>



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# Circular Economy – FY 2023 Priorities and Beyond

Build the supply chains needed to deploy novel technologies

Identify circular economy technology needs that will serve a breadth of material classes

- Material and product design for circularity
- Smart/Digital Manufacturing
- Sorting and Separations
- Rapid Characterization Methods

Develop LCA capabilities and access to good data for better decision making



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**Session 3 Keynote**  
**Fuels**



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**Session 3 Keynote**  
**Chemicals**





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## Session 3 Panel



## **Session 4**

# **Technology Scaling and Demonstration**

# Session 4 Moderators



**Dr. Andrew Sumner**

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# Session 4 Agenda

- **Demonstration projects unlocking Commercialization**
  - Olivia Corriere, DOE OCED
- **Private sector perspective on demonstration projects**
  - Sharon Nolen, Program Manager and Fellow, Eastman Chemical
  - Jimmy Samartzis, Chief Executive Officer and Board Director, LanzaJet
- **DOE Updates**
  - Jim Spaeth, DOE BETO
  - Dr. Felicia Lucci, DOE IEDO
  - Tomas Green, DOE HFTO
  - Dr. Andrew Sumner, DOE OCED
- **Pathway to liftoff: Decarbonizing chemicals and refining**
  - Maressa Brennan, DOE OCED

# Demonstration Projects as Part of Commercialization

**Olivia Corriere, DOE OCED (Office of Clean Energy Demonstrations)**





**Sharon Nolen**  
Eastman Chemical,  
Program Manager and Fellow



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LanzaJet,  
Chief Executive Officer and Board Director

# Private Sector Perspective on Demonstration Projects



# DOE Office Updates

- Jim Spaeth | Bioenergy Technologies Office
- Dr. Felicia Lucci | Industrial Efficiency and Decarbonization Office
- Tomas Green | Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Technologies Office
- Dr. Andrew Sumner | Office of Clean Energy Demonstrations



## **Bioenergy Technologies Office (BETO)**

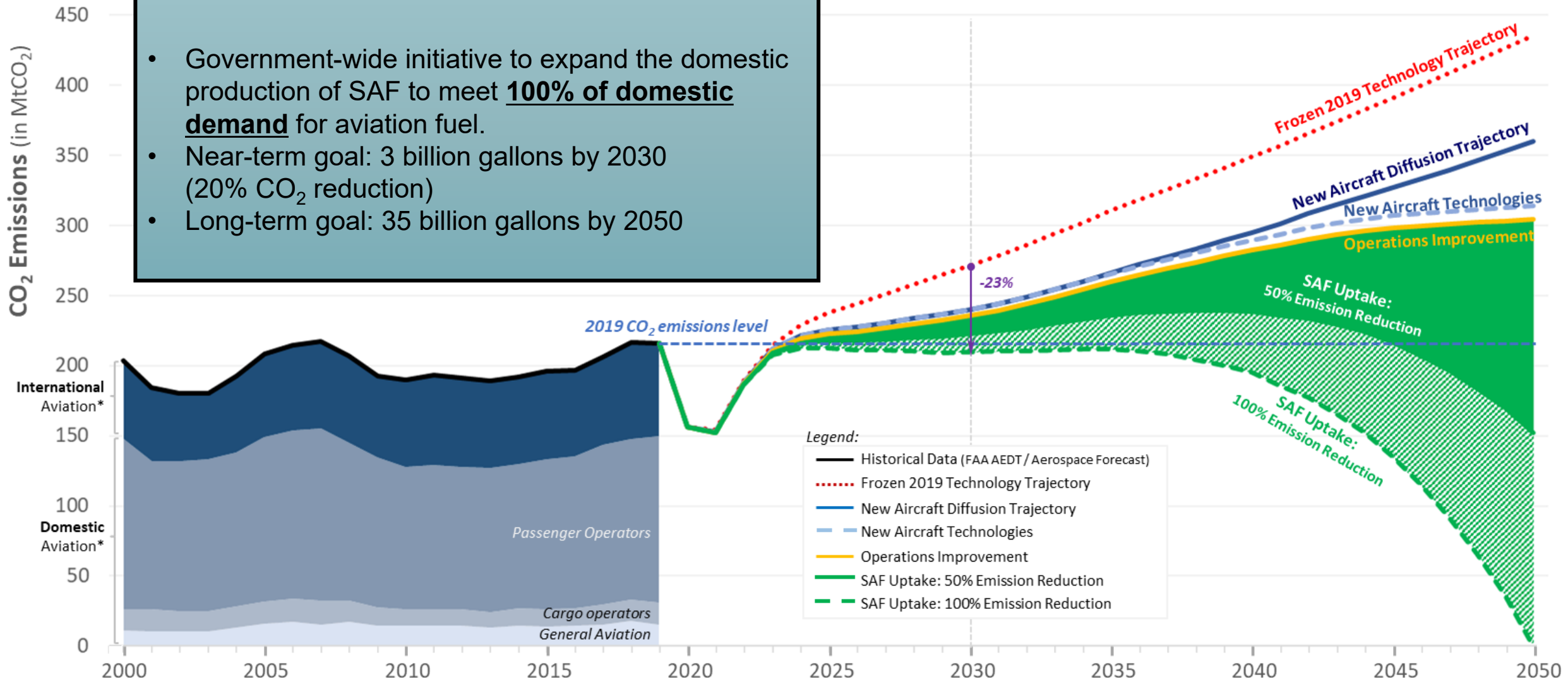
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**Program Manager, Systems Development and Integration**



# Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF) Grand Challenge

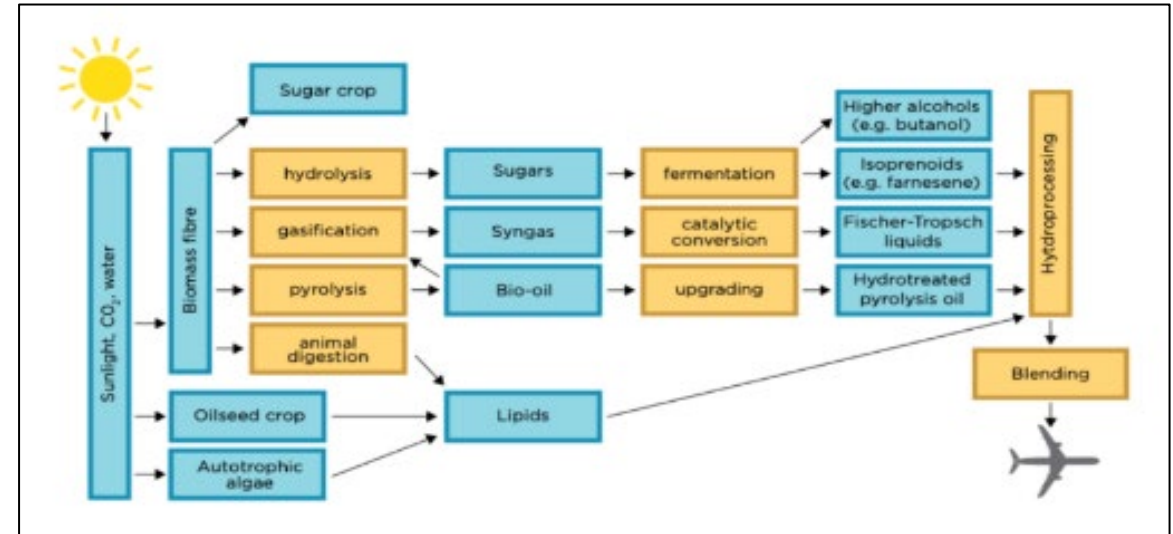
- Government-wide initiative to expand the domestic production of SAF to meet **100% of domestic demand** for aviation fuel.
- Near-term goal: 3 billion gallons by 2030 (20% CO<sub>2</sub> reduction)
- Long-term goal: 35 billion gallons by 2050



\* Note: Domestic aviation from U.S. and Foreign Carriers. International aviation from U.S. Carriers.

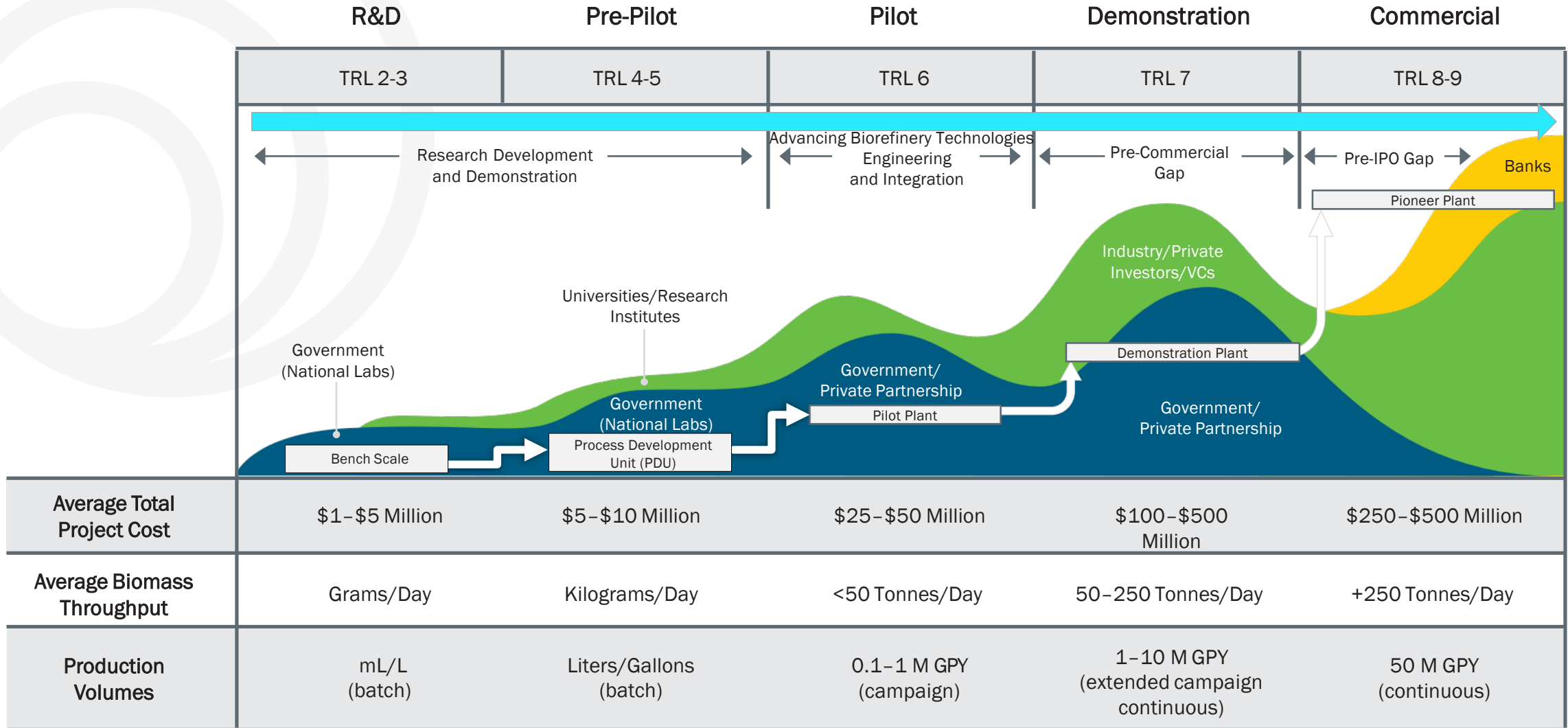
# DOE SAF Scale-up Strategy

- Annual opportunities for pre-pilot, pilot, and demonstration scale projects
- Wide variety of feedstocks
  - Traditional cellulosic feedstocks
  - MSW, CO<sub>2</sub>, CO, flue gas, and biogas
  - Corn starch and oilseeds
- Allow bioproduct opportunities
- Leveraging existing industrial infrastructure supply chains
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Generation ethanol, pulp and paper, petroleum refineries
- Predictive models and high-performance computing





# Scaling Strategy – Pre-Pilot to Demonstration Prior to Commercialization



● Government  
 ● Project Recipients and Partners  
 ● Banks/Bonds/Institutional Investors

# National Laboratories Process Development Units



Advanced Biofuels PDU  
LBNL



Biomass Feedstock PDU  
INL



Integrated Biorefinery PDU  
NREL



Coupled  
Pyrolyzer -  
DCR NREL



Hydrothermal &  
Hydrotreating  
PDU  
PNNL

# SAF Pilot and Demonstration Projects

## Pilot

## Demo

SAF

Renewable Diesel

E-Fuels

SAF

Renewable Diesel

Stover

Woody

Algae

Wet Waste

CO2

Woody

Ethanol

RNG

Biogas



Fulcrum not currently funded under SDI, but is demonstrating Gasification of MSW to SAF at 11mgy facility in Reno, NV

Scale	Count	Technology	Count
Pilot Phase 1	4	Alcohol to Jet*	5
Pilot Phase 2	1	Fischer-Tropsh	2
Demo Phase 1	3	Pyrolysis	1
Demo Phase 2	2	Gasification	2
		Biochemical Conversion	2
		Hydrothermal Liquifaction	2
		Power to Liquids	1

\* Counts projects using other technologies to first produce Ethanol



## **Industrial Efficiency and Decarbonization Office (IEDO)**

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# IEDO Technology Scaling Mechanisms

## Manufacturing USA Institutes

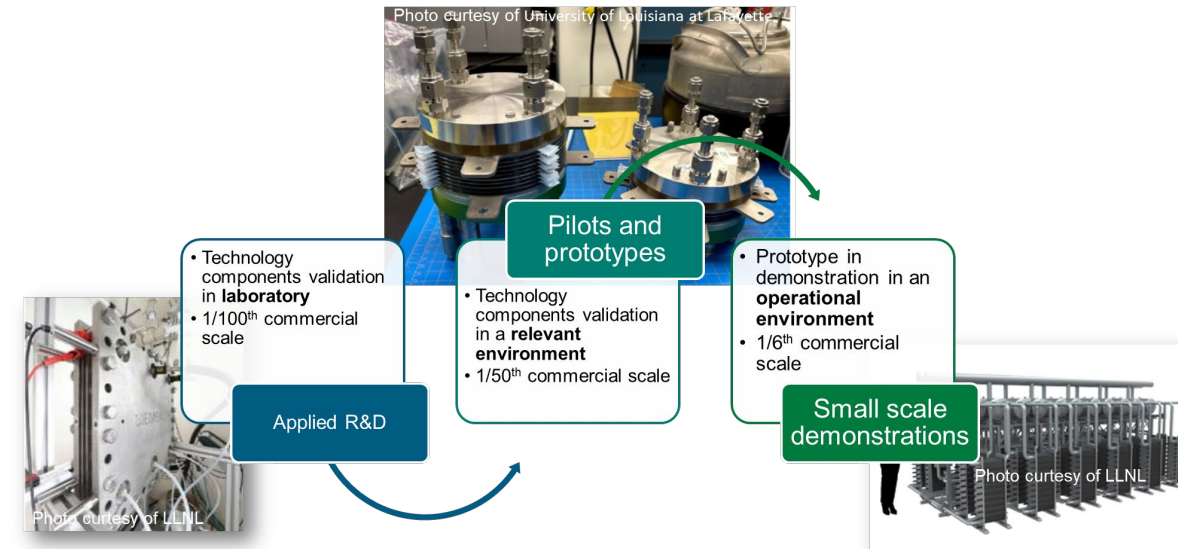
Public-private partnerships to address major collaborative projects  
Address gaps between research and commercialization in the advanced manufacturing sector through collaboration, Shared Resources, and workforce pipeline



## Tiered R&D Projects

Targeted RD&D investments to advance technologies from applied R&D to pilots to site specific assessments

- Tier 0 projects validate technologies in a laboratory
- Tier 1 validate technologies in relevant environment
- Tier 2 pilot-scale technology validation in a relevant or operational environment.
- Preliminary Front-End Engineering Design (pre-FEED) initial site-specific detailed design





# Manufacturing USA Institute – Rapid Advancement in Process Intensification Deployment (RAPID)



- 5-year, \$40 million investment to drive RD&D of advanced process technologies to enable **more resilient, lower cost, and reduced energy and carbon footprint manufacturing** in the process industries.
- Includes a focus on converting **sustainable feedstocks** to chemical products
- Continued work to modularize/distribute chemicals manufacturing strongly **aligns with sustainable chemistry principles**, including environmental justice.

## Stakeholder Engagement *Institute Roadmapping*

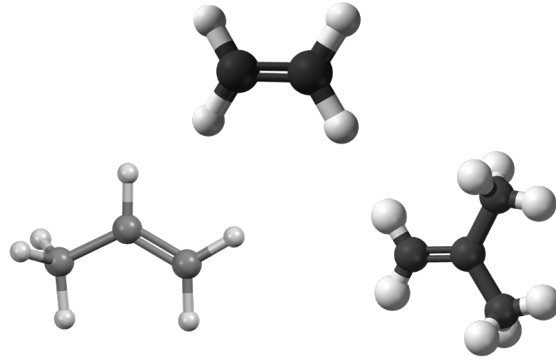
### Technology Valuation

- May 14 – 15, 2024 Golden, CO
- [RAPID Roadmap Workshop: Technology Valuation | AIChE](#)

### Technical Levers for Process Intensification Including Education, Workforce Development, and DEI

- June 3 – 5, 2024 Houston, TX
- [International Congress on Sustainability Science & Engineering \(ICOSSE '24\) | AIChE](#)

# Scaling Technologies



## RAPID Manufacturing Institute

- Scaling electromagnetic reactors to produce light olefins from waste plastics
- Potential for 50 -70 % reduction in carbon intensity from conventional processes

## Bridgestone Americas Tire Operations, LLC.

- Scaling ethanol to butadiene process for circular tire economy
- 85% reduction in carbon intensity in carbon intensity from conventional process



## ReSource Chemical

- Scaling FDCA, a sustainable alternative to fossil-derived terephthalic acid (PTA)
- Potential for >100% reduction in carbon intensity from conventional process

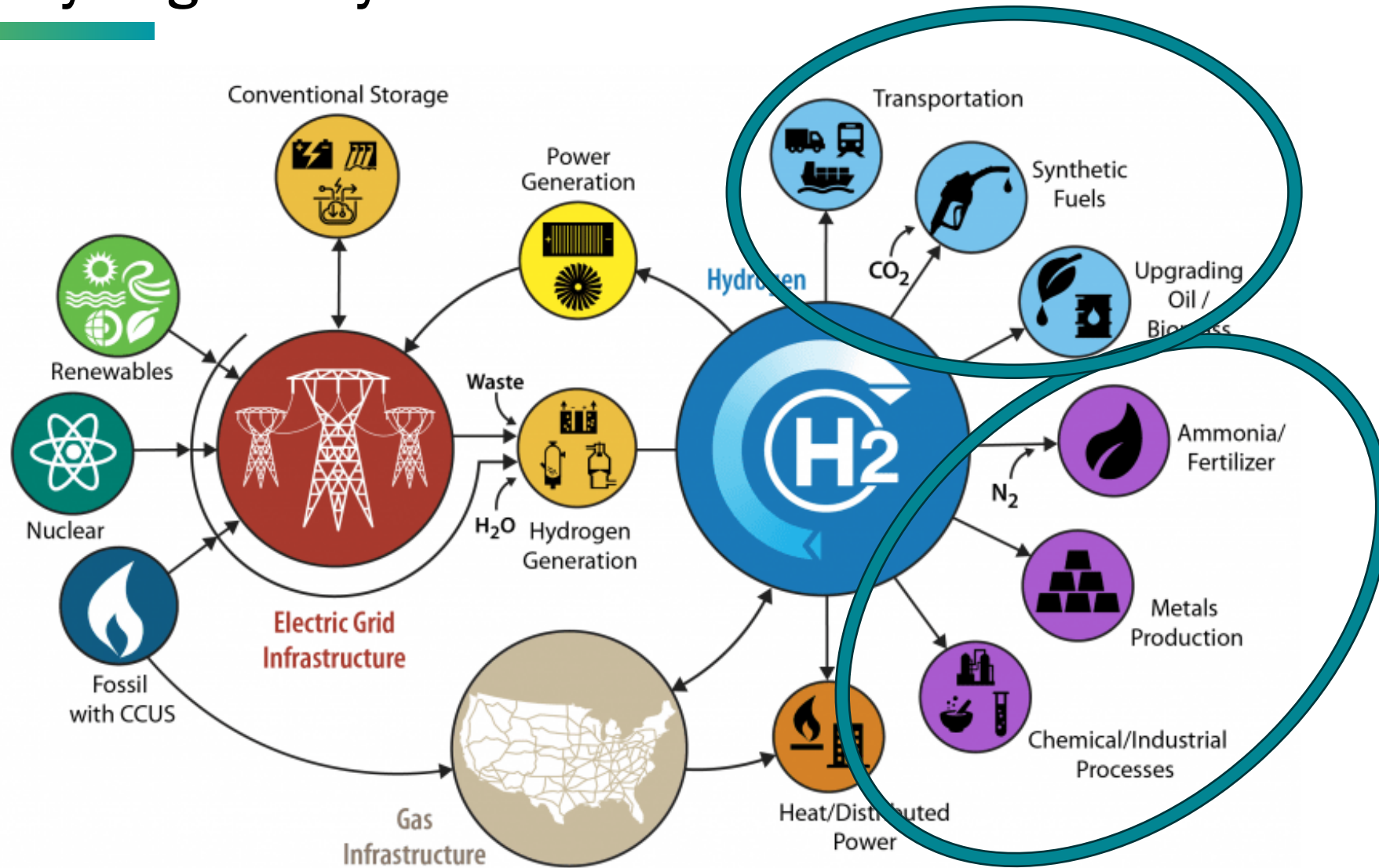


## Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Technologies Office (HFTO)

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Technology Manager



# Clean Hydrogen Plays Role as Feedstock in Decarbonization





# Cross-Office Funding Opportunity (HFTO/IEDO)

## DE-FOA-0003219 FY24 Energy and Emissions Intensive Industries FOA

- Topic Area 6: Innovative Industrial Pre-FEED Studies
  - AOI 1: Integration of Clean Hydrogen in the Industrial Sector
  - AOI 2: Carbon Capture for the Industrial Sector
  - AOI 3: Integrated Process Pre-FEED



## DOE Announces \$83 Million to Decarbonize America's Industrial Sector

New Funding Opportunity will Advance Innovative Technologies to Reduce Emissions from Hard-to-Decarbonize Industrial Sectors

Concept papers due: March 19, 2024  
Full applications due: June 11, 2024

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INDUSTRIAL EFFICIENCY & DECARBONIZATION OFFICE

# Understanding Deployment Potential: Green HEART

Funded by HFTO and WETO  
NREL (lead) + ANL, LBNL, ORNL, and SNL

Novelty and Advantages:

- **Optimized** hydrogen cost delivered for specific end use
- **Holistic** approach, increased efficiency, and reduced capital costs
- **Independence** from natural gas price volatility, grid connection permits, and large-scale transmission buildouts.

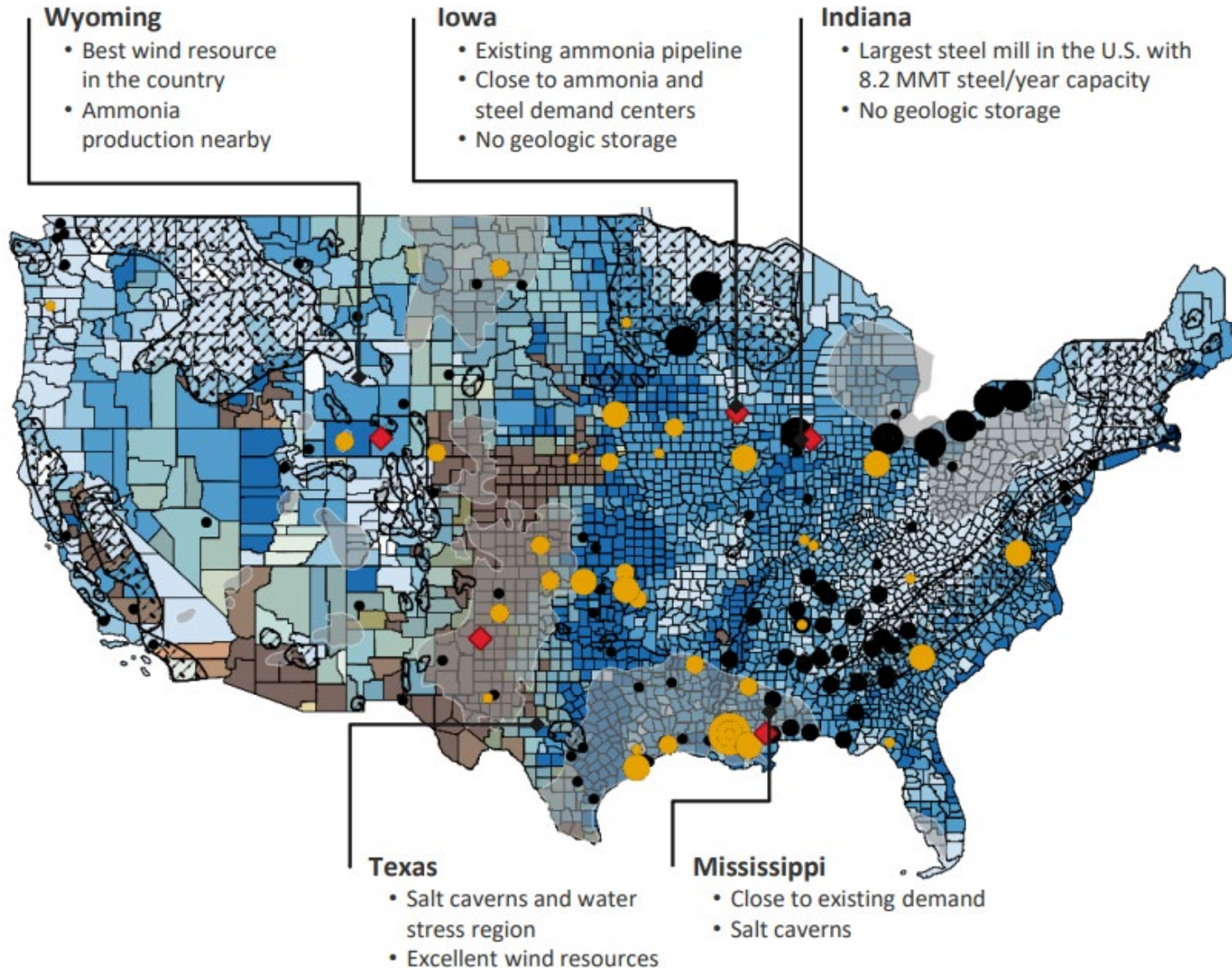
End uses:

- Steel, Ammonia, SAF

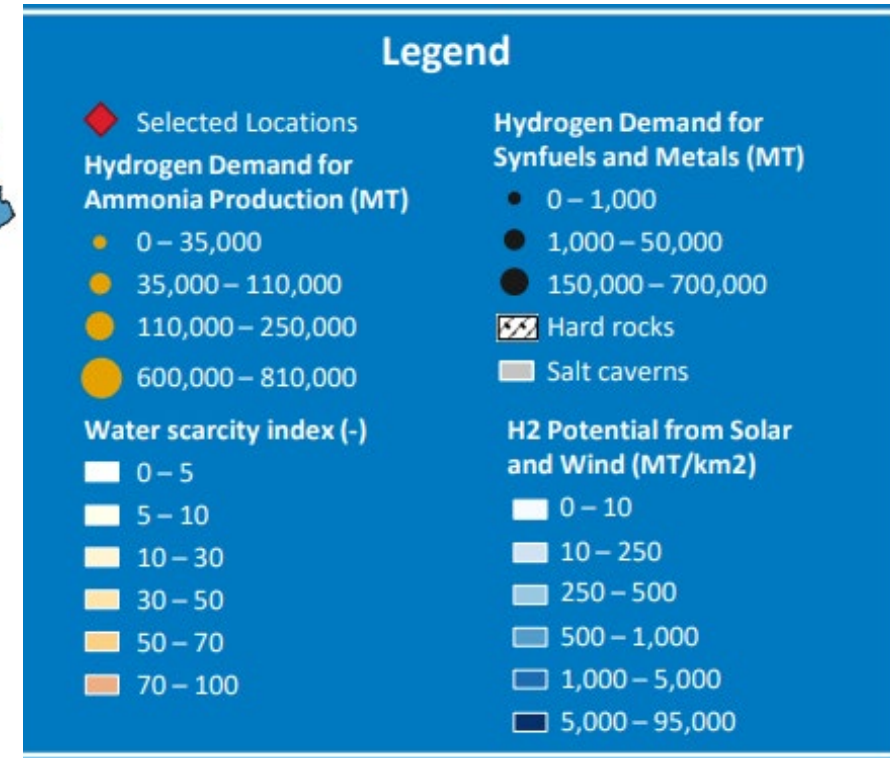




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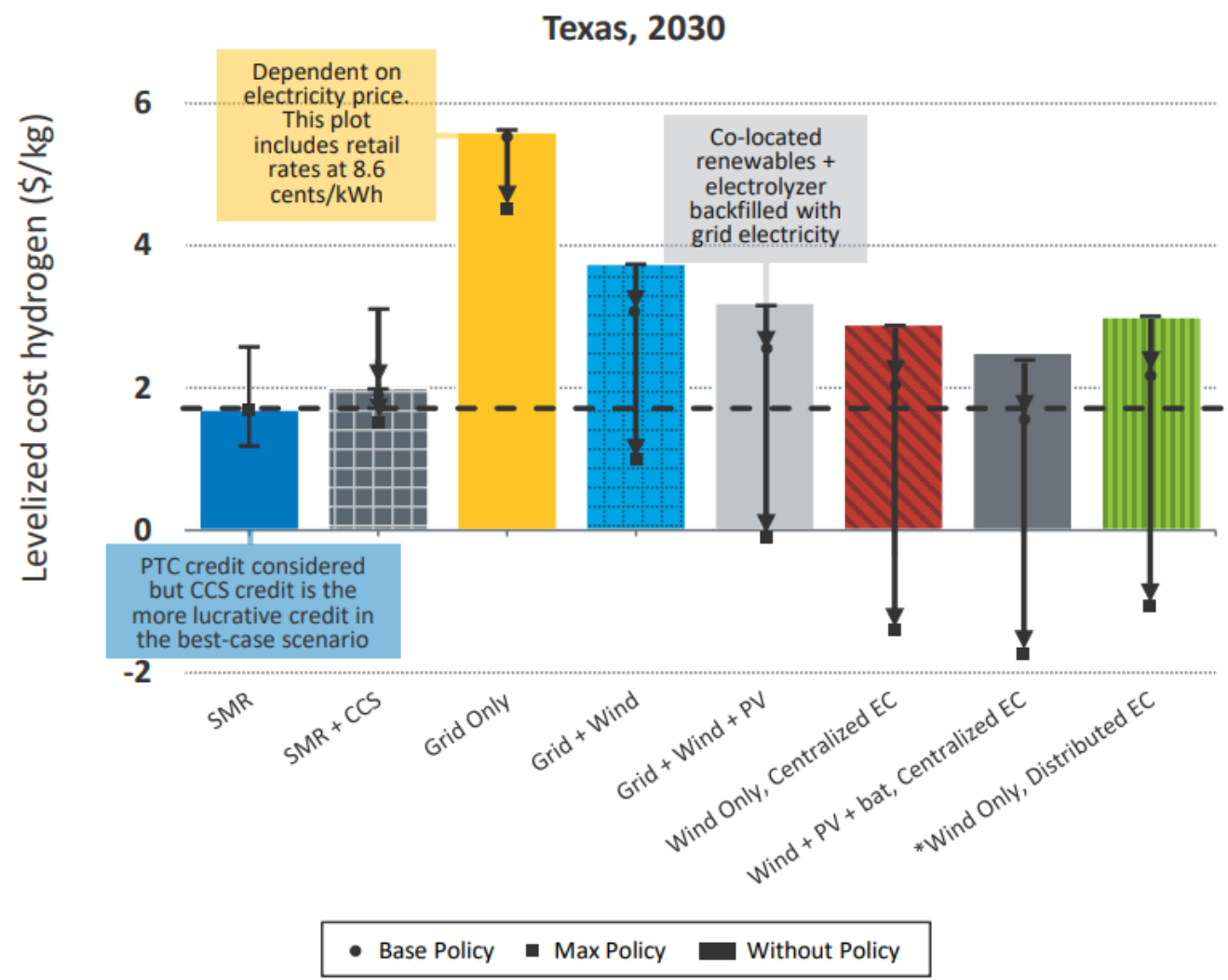


## Preliminary Analysis



# Understanding Deployment Potential: Green HEART

## Preliminary Analysis



### Off-grid costs less than on-grid:

- Reduced electricity costs (retail vs. dedicated PPA results in decrease)
- Dynamic operation of H2 allowed (and accounted for in increased replacement costs)
- Low-cost hydrogen storage (salt caverns)
- \*Made conservative assumptions.
- \*Distributed includes electrical efficiency gains ~4%
- \*Potential conversion efficiencies are not included

**Key Insight: With max policy, all locations compete with SMR**

### Notes:

- Technology year (TY) 2030 corresponds to operational year 2035
  - CCS credit considered for over 12 years
  - H2/wind PTC applied over 10 years
  - Model does not account for RECs
- LCOE for TX 2030**
- Off-grid: 1.3 cents/kWh with PTC
  - On-grid: 8.6 cents/kWh (retail rates), 4.1 cents/kWh (wholesale rates)







## **Office of Clean Energy Demonstrations (OCED)**

**Dr. Andrew Sumner**  
Project Manager



Industrial Demonstrations Program  
Selection Announcements

# Industrial Demonstrations Program (IDP)

\$6.3B for industrial emissions demonstration and deployment projects

<p><b>Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL)</b> 41008/Division J Title III</p> <p>\$0.5B</p> <p><i>FY 2022 - 2025 Funds do not expire</i></p> <p>50% Cost Share</p>	<p><b>Inflation Reduction Act (IRA)</b> 50161</p> <p>~\$5.8B</p> <p><i>Funds must be obligated by FY 2026, available through FY 2031</i></p> <p>50% Cost Share</p>
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**DE-FOA-0002936: Up to \$6B**

**Topic Area 1: BIL: Near-Net-Zero Facility Build Projects**

**Topic Area 2: IRA: Facility-Level Large Installations and Overhaul Retrofit Demonstrations**

**Topic Area 3: IRA: System Upgrades and Retrofits for Critical Unit Operations or Single Process Lines Within Existing Facilities**

**33 Selected Projects:**

- 3 TA1 / 18 TA2 / 12 TA3
- \$20.88B in Total Project Costs
- At least 25 states represented



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**MESC**  
Office of Manufacturing and Energy Supply Chains

**LPO**  
Loan Programs Office



# CHEMICALS & REFINING

& SEPARATIONS PROCESSES FOR PULP & PAPER

8 projects

\$1.3B federal investment

3M metric tons CO<sub>2</sub> avoided annually



Note: Anticipated based on information provided to the Department of Energy as of March 2024

Carbon Capture and Utilization

Value-Added Recycling

Process Heat

Traditional Production



Carbon process emissions released to the atmosphere



Waste landfilled or incinerated



Fossil-based high-temperature heat

Demonstrations



Carbon captured and routed to a new process for upcycling



Chemical byproducts and textiles recycled



Specialized, decarbonized burners  
Thermal batteries powered by renewables  
Membrane separation

Real World Impact



Fuels for marine transport  
Polymers for apparel  
Electrolytes for lithium ion batteries



High-quality plastics for food and medical applications  
Decarbonized fuels



Major CO<sub>2</sub> emissions reductions and improved air quality for communities



# Polyethylene Terephthalate Recycling Decarbonization Project



Selectee: Eastman Chemical Company



Location: Longview, Texas



Federal Cost Share: Up to \$375 million

## Proposed Activities:

- Construct a first-of-a-kind plastic molecular recycling facility integrated with low-carbon renewable energy, capable of taking waste streams that are typically landfill or incinerated and turning them into virgin-quality polyethylene terephthalate (PET)
- Use thermal energy storage combined with on-site solar power to decarbonize process heating operations
- Create product with 70% lower carbon intensity compared to fossil virgin PET and approximately 90% reduction when including avoided incineration emissions
- Create 200 permanent jobs and 1,000 construction jobs
- Support the renovation of the Paula Martin Jones Recreation Center and turn it into a hub for community outreach, workforce training, and more



Eastman's Polyester  
Renewal Technology



>70% reduction in CO<sub>2</sub>  
emissions



Illustrative of future opportunities

Image credit: Eastman Chemical Company LLC



# Syngas Production From Recycled Chemical Byproduct Streams



**Selectee:** BASF Corporation



**Location:** Freeport, Texas



**Federal Cost Share:** Up to \$75 million



Image credit: BASF Corporation

## Proposed Activities:

- Recycle liquid byproducts into syngas, which will be used as a low-carbon feedstock for BASF's Freeport operations
- Use plasma gasification and renewable power to replace targeted natural gas-fired incineration, decreasing carbon dioxide emissions by up to an estimated 90% at the BASF Freeport site
- Enable uptake for a technology that is widely able to recycle liquid byproducts into additional production feedstock like syngas or hydrogen
- Improve local air quality
- Create additional permanent jobs

# Sustainable Ethylene From CO<sub>2</sub> Utilization with Renewable Energy



**Selectee:** T.EN Stone & Webster Process Technology, Inc.



**Location:** U.S. Gulf Coast



**Federal Cost Share:** Up to \$200 million

## Proposed Activities:

- Utilize captured carbon dioxide from ethylene production by applying a biotech-based process and green hydrogen to create ethanol and ethylene
- Deploy LanzaTech's Gas Fermentation technology, previously supported by ARPA-E, to demonstrate the ability to capture and upcycle carbon dioxide to ethanol in any industry with carbon dioxide emissions. The ethanol is then converted to ethylene using Technip Energies' proprietary Hummingbird<sup>®</sup> technology
- Create 200 construction jobs and 40 permanent jobs
- Hire locally and approach unions, community groups, and labor groups once site is finalized to negotiate, review, and update agreements for quality jobs and community collaboration

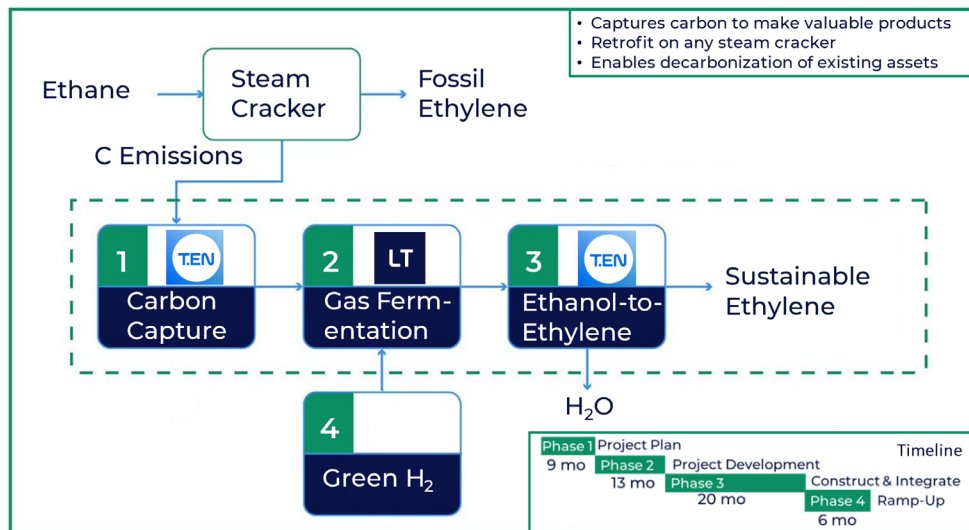


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# Star E-Methanol



**Selectee:** Orsted P2X US Holding LLC



**Location:** Texas Gulf Coast



**Federal Cost Share:** Up to \$100 million

## Proposed Activities:

- Capture biogenic carbon dioxide from a local industrial facility and synthesize with clean hydrogen to produce up to 300,000 metric tons of e-methanol per year
- Reduce carbon footprint of the methanol production process by more than 80% compared to traditional methods
- Prove out supply and demand for renewable hydrogen-derived alternative fuels for the marine shipping and transportation sector
- Create 50 permanent jobs and 300 construction jobs
- Work with the University of Houston to develop a curriculum around zero-carbon fuels and the hydrogen economy to equip workers with skills to take part in the new energy economy

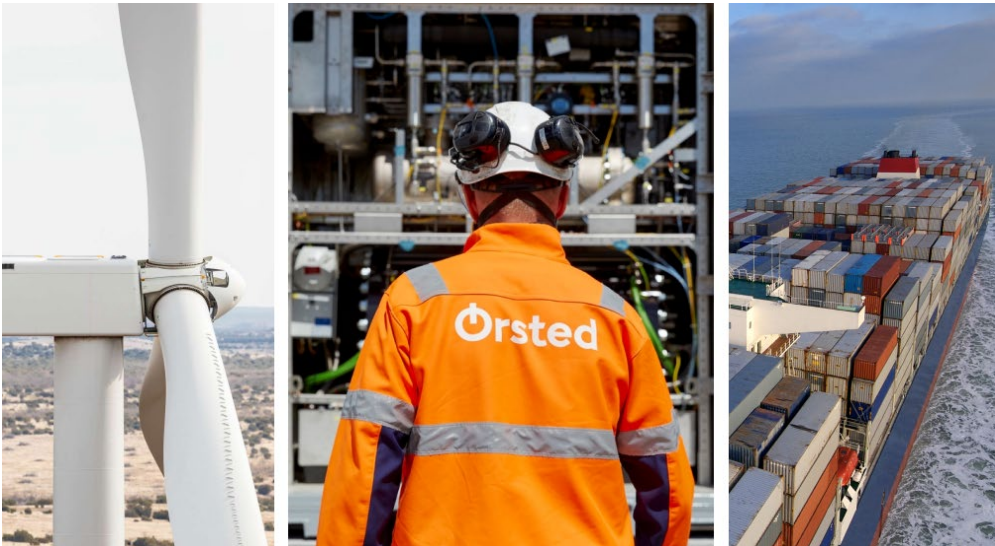


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**Maressa Brennan**



Pathway to liftoff: Decarbonizing chemicals & refining



**THANK YOU!**



# **Closing Comments – Day 2**



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**Adjourn**

**Thank you!**