



Horisont Energi - The Greater Perspective  
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“Our ambition is to become a leading clean energy company offering cost-effective clean ammonia, with market leading sustainability performance.”

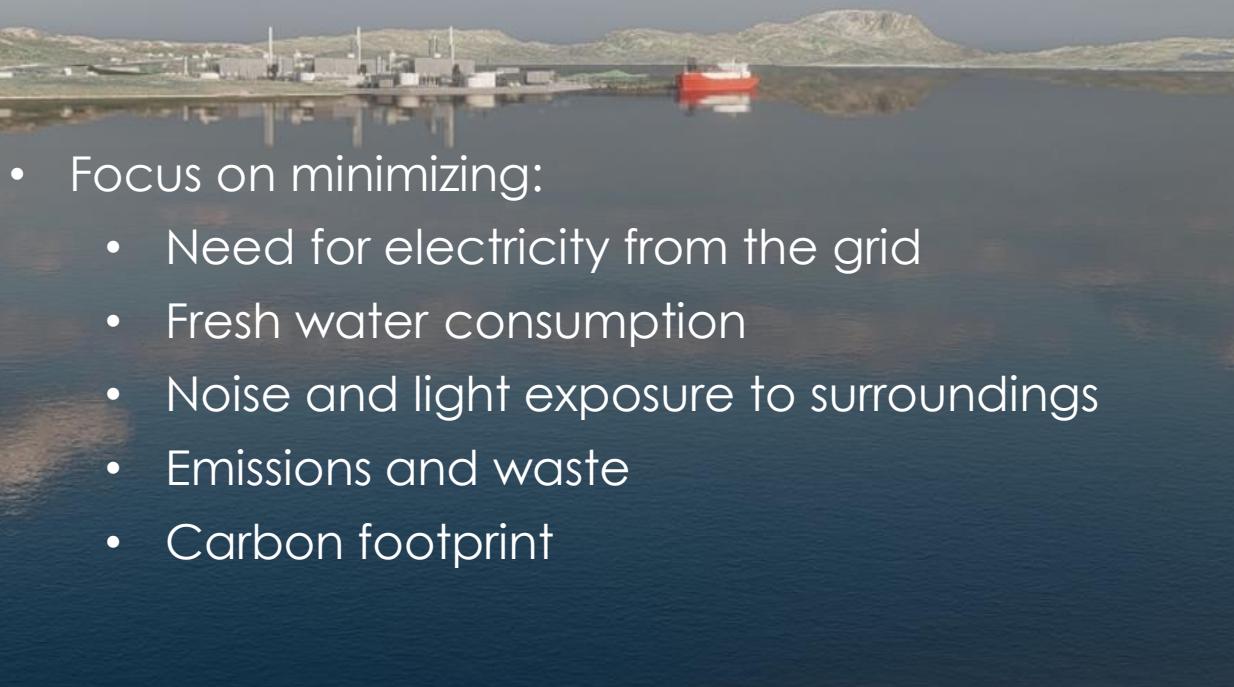
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# Horisont Energi Blue Ammonia

SETTING THE STANDARD  
FOR **CLEAN AMMONIA**

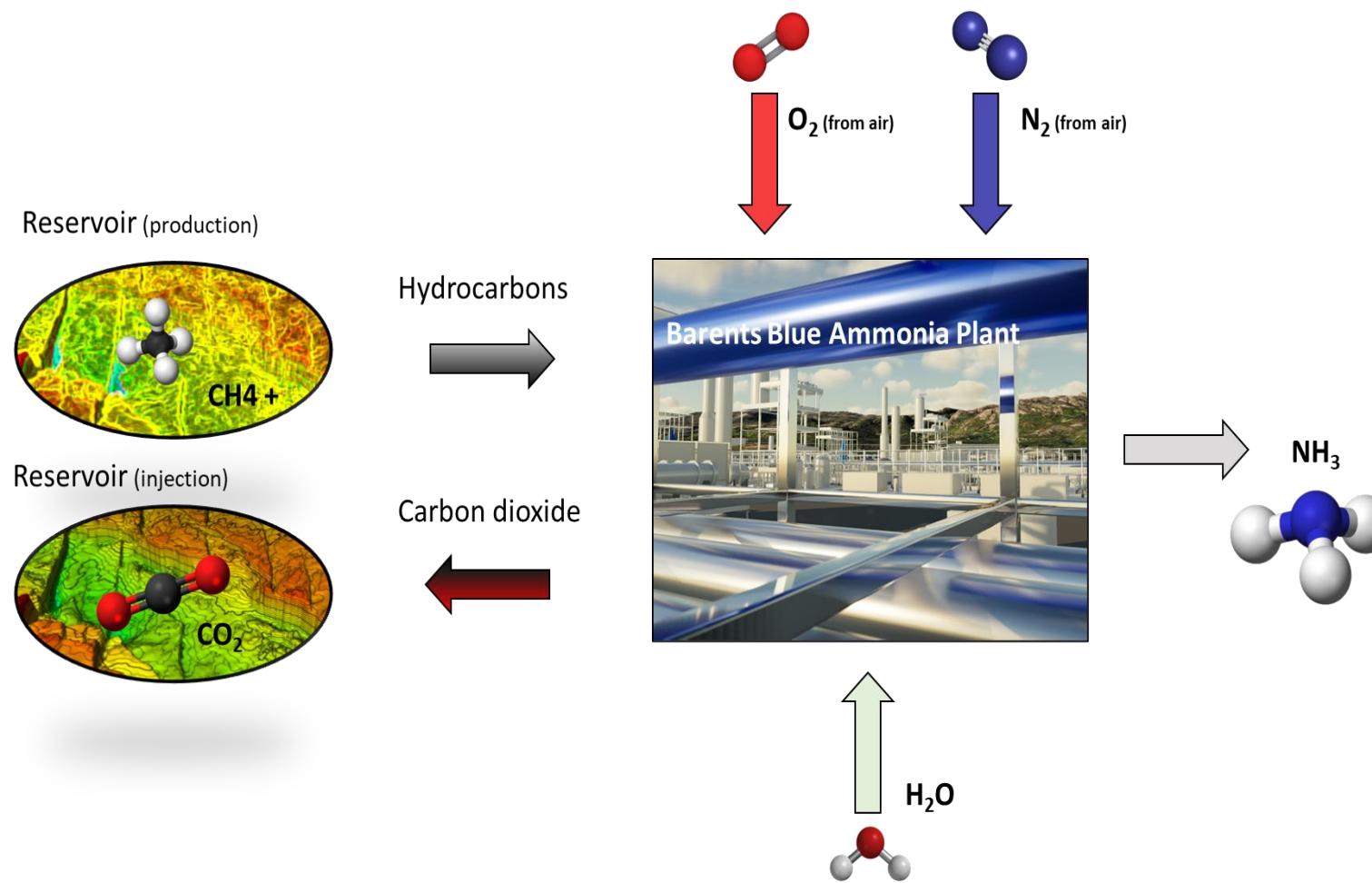
## WHAT WE SET OUT **TO DO**

- World-scale clean ammonia plant
- Most carbon and energy efficient blue ammonia plant in the world
- Best-in-class carbon footprint, well within EU taxonomy requirements
- High safety level for personnel and 3<sup>rd</sup> party obtained by use of barrier management principles



- Focus on minimizing:
  - Need for electricity from the grid
  - Fresh water consumption
  - Noise and light exposure to surroundings
  - Emissions and waste
  - Carbon footprint

# Ammonia and what makes it blue



- Ammonia ( $\text{NH}_3$ ) production is the reaction of nitrogen ( $\text{N}_2$ ) with hydrogen ( $\text{H}_2$ ) in a 1:3 ratio



- Source of nitrogen: cryogenic separation of air which contains 78%  $\text{N}_2$  and 21%  $\text{O}_2$
- Source of hydrogen: natural gas reforming (using  $\text{O}_2$  from air separation in an autothermal reformer) and water ( $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ )

# Why Finnmark?

The best region for production of clean ammonia in Europe

- A **climate optimal for cooling** without affecting seaborne transport
- Among the **lowest power prices in Europe** – with only renewable energy
- **Available gas that can be decarbonised** – a good climate measure, and where most of the gas have a low carbon footprint
- **Good marine conditions** in many areas with a limited need for winterisation and high reliability
- **Short transport route** to the worlds next largest port for marine bunkering - Rotterdam



# Barents Blue Ammonia

What does the Barents Blue project do for Finnmark?



- Barents Blue provides infrastructure that builds Finnmark for the future
- Creates above 500 future oriented jobs in Northern Norway
- Transforms Finnmark into a global production region for clean ammonia
- Creates strong synergies with but also depends upon the Snøhvit Future project
- Places Finnmark in a leading role in the energy transition of Norway



# Setting the standard for **CLEAN AMMONIA**

## Key design ambitions

### Develop the most carbon and energy efficient ammonia plant in the world

- Minimum all emissions & use of clean water
- CO<sub>2</sub> capture rate: > 99 %
- Minimise renewable electricity use, high energy efficiency
- Focus on sustainable solutions and circular practices
- Efficient process utilizing the benefit of the cold climate
- Low noise level and negligible light pollution – minimize effect on surroundings and impact on biodiversity
- Full EU Taxonomy compliance

### Project facts

Established May 2020 by Horisont Energi  
Based upon Topsoe ammonia technology  
Design developed together with Saipem  
EU IPCEI Hydrogen project

# Key Technical Data

**Hydrogen technology:** Oxyfuel Auto Thermal Reforming (ATR) (Syncor Ammonia™)

**CO<sub>2</sub> capture rate:** > 99 %

**Gas feed:** ~2.8 million Sm<sup>3</sup>/day

**Blue hydrogen capacity:** 675 MT/day

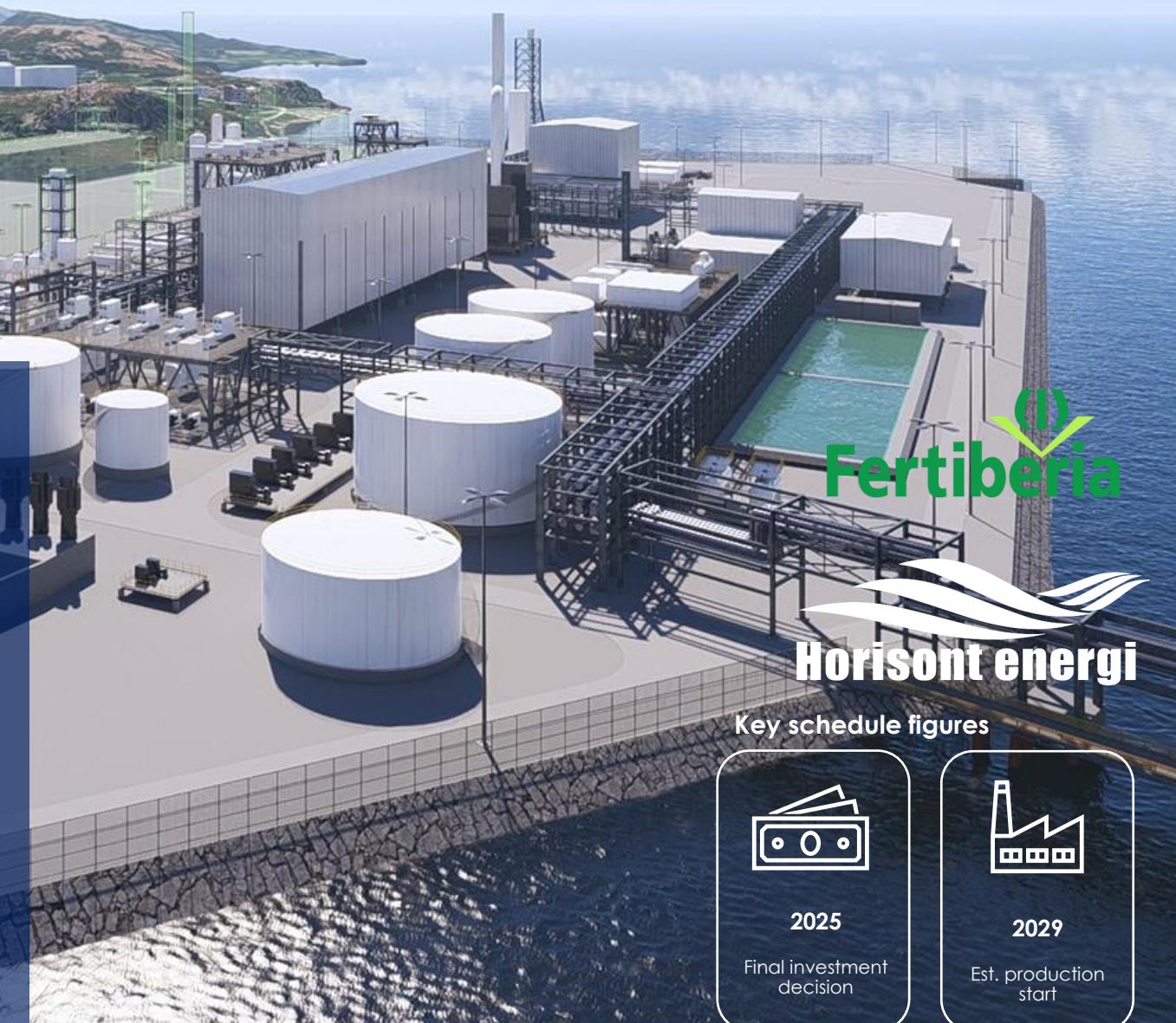
**Blue ammonia capacity:** 3000 MT/day

**Annual output NH<sub>3</sub>:** 1 million MT/year

**Renewable electricity:** 45 MW

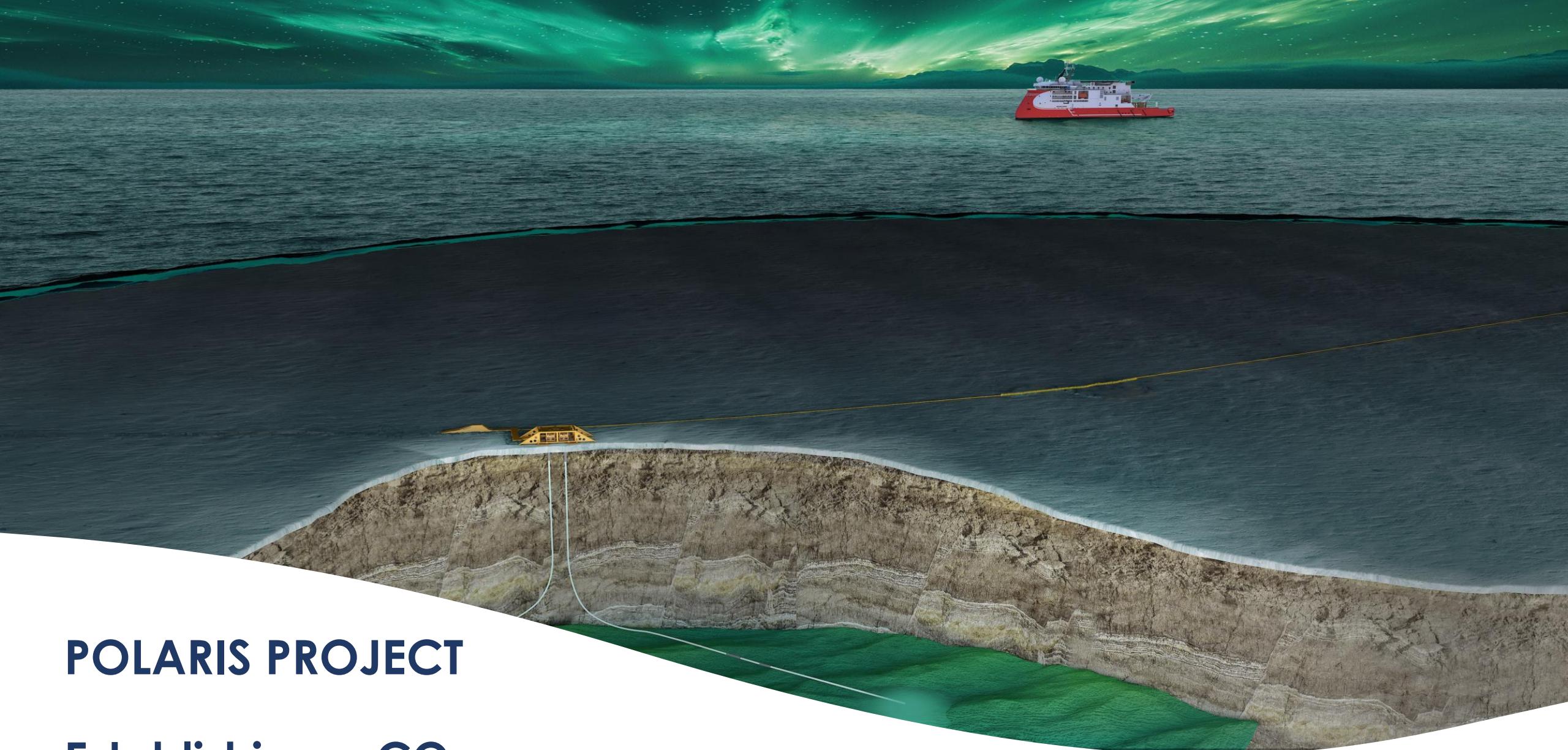
**Carbon footprint scope 1-3:** 300 g CO<sub>2e</sub>/kg H<sub>2</sub>

**Total Module Weight:** ~60 000 tons



Key schedule figures





## POLARIS PROJECT

Establishing a CO<sub>2</sub>  
value chain in Northern Norway

# The first CO<sub>2</sub> value chain in Northern Norway for third parties



## Key figures



## Polaris (EXL003)

### One of Norway's most mature CO<sub>2</sub> licences

- Operated by PGNiG Upstream Norway (PUN)
- Driven by Barents Blue as anchor customer
- Planned with robust operations and mature technology
- Strong customer base for scaling of the development, term-sheets signed and in development
- Strong support in local community for Northern Norway CCS value chain
- Project lifetime 25+

# Tentative subsea CO<sub>2</sub> storage scope

Developed a standard cost-efficient CO<sub>2</sub> system

## Power and communication

- DCFO cable from shore
- Jumpers and flying leads
- Onshore control room
- Reservoir monitoring system

## Well design:

- Simplified templates
- Low deviation of well path
- Reduced casing program
- No hydraulic functions in the well, no need for subsea hydraulic



## Flexible field architecture

- Subsea pipeline and spool
- Scalable number of wells
- Standard building blocks
- 2 wells on each injection point

## All electric Solution

- Simplified and light weight subsea tree and manifold
- Single control module on structures
- Automated well control



“Barents Blue will be a flagship project of great importance for Norway and Europe.”

“The project will demonstrate that new, energy-efficient technology for ammonia production including carbon capture can make low-emission ammonia competitive.”

NILS KRISTIAN NAKSTAD  
CEO Enova



Our mission

**Accelerating the transition to carbon  
neutrality through pioneering projects**



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