

Internet public consultation "Capturing and storing CO2 underground – should we be concerned?"

Initial overview of consultation results

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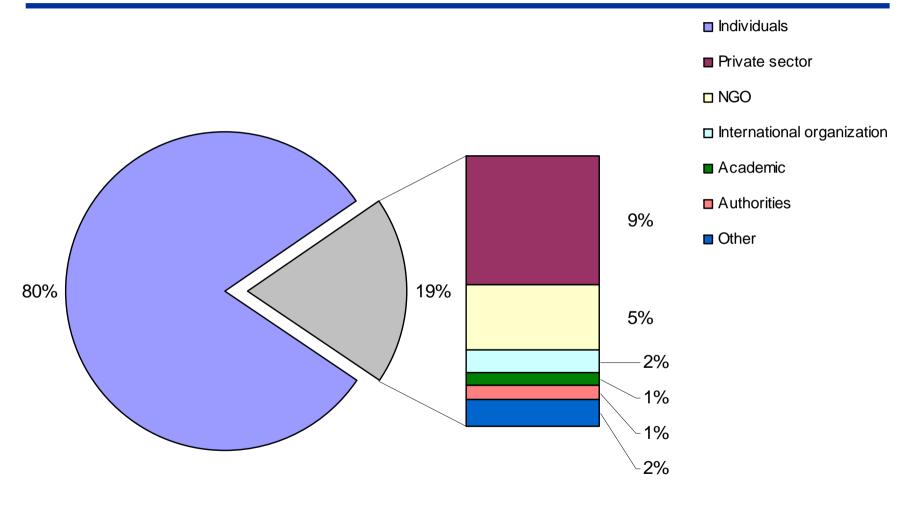
Preliminary Results

(Individuals)

- Moderate support: CCS comparable to RES and EE
- CCS moderately/strongly preferred to nuclear energy
- EC to assure that CCS will not drive attention away from RES and EE
- Need for dialogue & information sharing
- Support for EC measures regarding CCS



Breakdown of respondents by stakeholder type





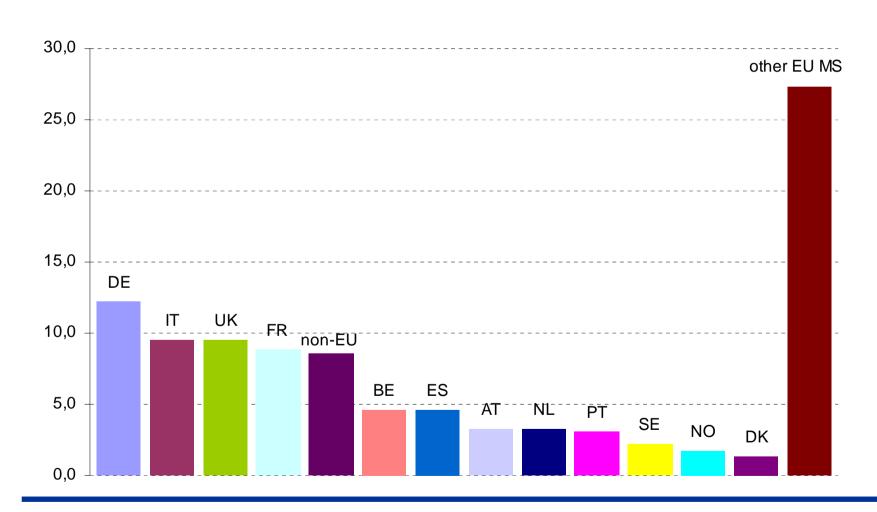
Individuals – relevant knowledge

• 98.3% believe/strongly believe they have good knowledge of the impacts of energy use on climate change

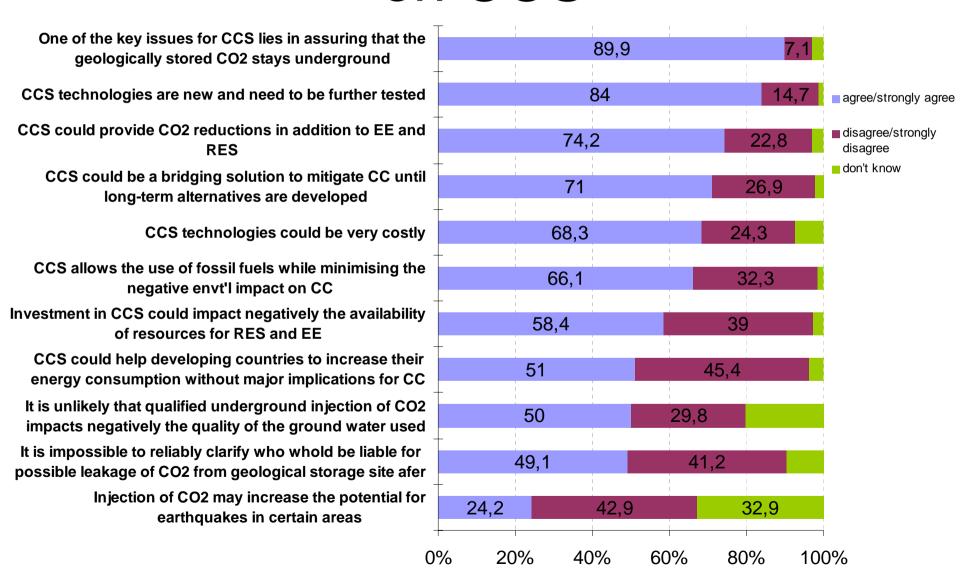
• 80,1% believe/strongly believe they have good knowledge about CCS



Breakdown of respondents by country

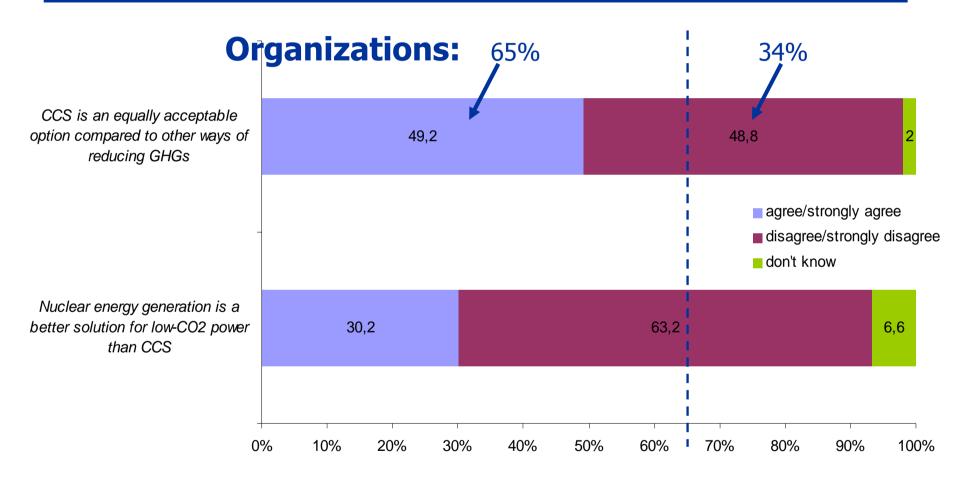


Individuals: main views/opinions on CCS





Individuals: CCS in relation with other technologies





Ways for EC to address public concerns

(Individuals who disagree/strongly disagree that CCS is as good as other ways to reduce GHGs)

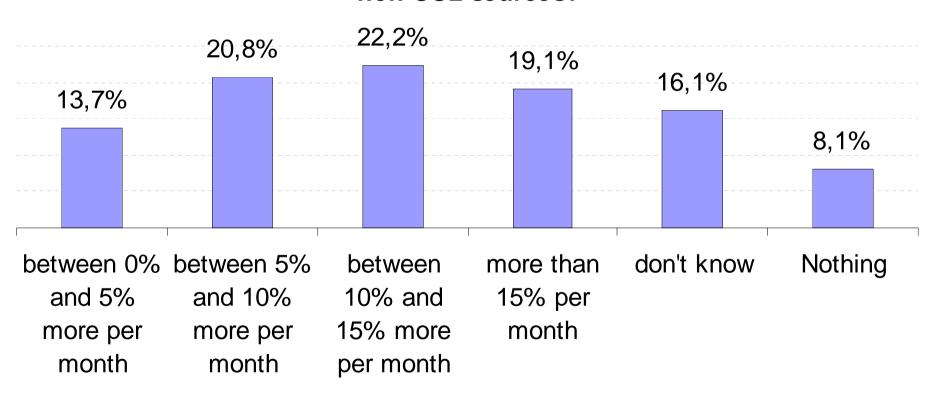
1. EC not to reduce efforts for EE and RES because of CCS

2. Develop a strong regulatory and monitoring framework



WTP Individuals

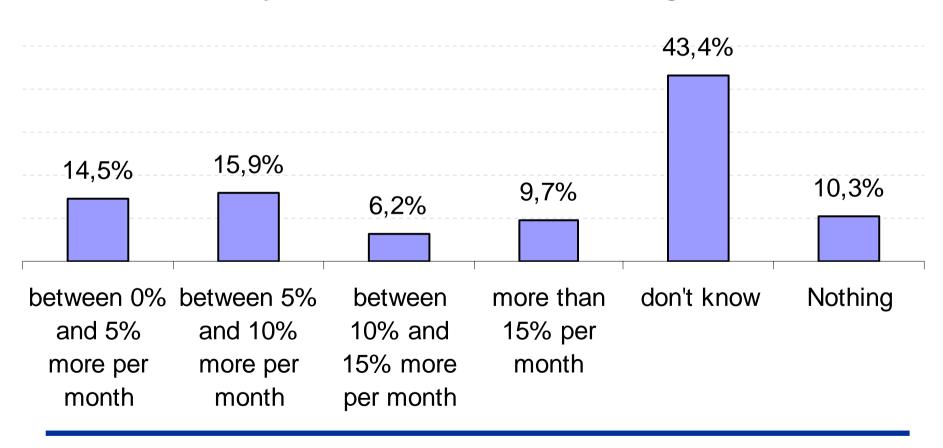
How much would you be willing to pay additionally for your electricity if you were assured that it was generated from non-CO2 sources?





WTP Companies/Organizations

How much extra would you be willing to pay for your electricity if it came from nonCO2-emitting sources?





Thank you for your attention!