



Monitoring issues with CCS in the ETS

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CCS in Norway

- Two existing projects, Snøhvit and Sleipner
- Three possible new projects
 - Cement plant
 - Waste to energy plant
 - Ammonia plant

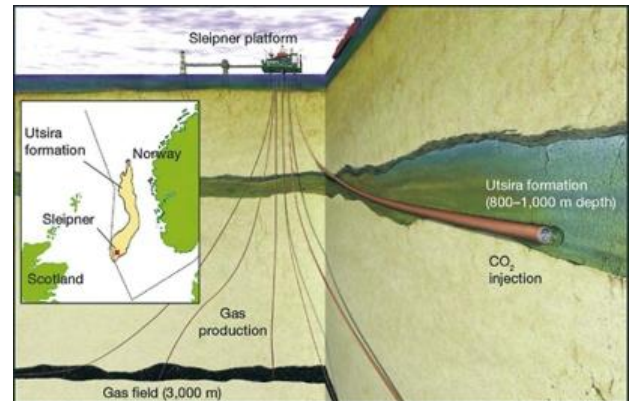


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Transport of CO₂

- All the proposed new CCS-projects rely on CO₂ transport by ship, but the MRR does not give a sufficient framework for regulation and monitoring of transport of liquefied CO₂
 - Base requirement: Measurement-based monitoring methodology
- The MRR (Annex IV) and Annex 1 of the Directive should be amended to include all relevant forms of transport of CO₂ for permanent storage. The option of using a calculation-based monitoring methodology should be included on an equal footing

Negative emissions

- Two of the three proposed CCS-projects in Norway will capture CO₂ from both fossil and biogenic sources
 - There is currently no setup in the ETS to account for carbon captured and stored from biogenic sources
 - MRR (Annex IV) does not provide a solution for handling the split between captured CO₂ from biogenic and fossil sources
- MRR, as well as ETS Directive, should be amended in such a way that negative emissions are accounted for

Venting of uncombusted separated CO₂

- The two existing CCS-projects in Norway store 1.7 million tonnes of CO₂ separated from natural gas
 - The ETS covers these emissions only when CCS is applied, thus creating a disincentive to apply CCS on such emissions sources
- Annex 1 of ETS Directive should be amended to include venting of CO₂ that has been separated from natural gas



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