

Options for Decarbonization in the Cement Industry

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THE GLOBAL LEADER IN INNOVATIVE AND SUSTAINABLE BUILDING SOLUTIONS

WE ARE AT THE FOREFRONT OF DECARBONIZING BUILDING END-TO-END, IN LINE WITH OUR PURPOSE TO BUILD PROGRESS FOR PEOPLE AND THE PLANET

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DECARBONIZING BUILDING ACROSS ITS LIFECYCLE

Holcim is on a mission to decarbonize building across its lifecycle: from its operations and solutions, to making buildings more sustainable in use, and driving circular construction.





GREEN OPERATIONS: CEMENT MANUFACTURING COMPRISES MAJORITY OF SCOPE 1,2, 3 EMISSIONS OF HOLCIM GROUP



GREEN OPERATIONS Decarbonizing Holcim



HOLCIM NET ZERO PATHWAY



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HARD TO ABATE SECTORS GHG EMISSIONS THAT ARE DIFFICULT TO AVOID

Hard to abate emissions: Prohibitively costly or impossible to reduce with current technology.

- heavy industry (e.g. cement, steel, and chemicals manufacture),
- heavy-duty transport (e.g. trucking, shipping, and aviation).

Approximately 30% of global emissions



CEMENT INDUSTRY CO2 FOOTPRINT VERY HARD TO ABATE ABOUT HALF OF IS FROM ENERGY, THE OTHER HALF FROM LIMESTONE





GREEN OPERATIONS: DECARBONISATION OPTIONS



DECARBONIZING ENERGY GREEN POWER IS AT THE HEART OF THIS







DECARBONIZING ENERGY: HYDROGEN APPLICATIONS





DECARBONIZING ENERGY: GREEN MOBILITY





DECARBONIZING ENERGY: GREEN MOBILITY FOCUS ON FLEET ELECTRIFICATION, SOME ROLE FOR HYDROGEN EXPECTED

OFF ROAD (QUARRY) ON ROAD Technology SANY SKT105E **ECO**Planet **Cimentul** yerd CO2 Reduction **Quarry on Road Trucks Battery-Electric Wide-Body BioDiesel BioGas** Trucks Up to 50% Up to 70% Up to 60% Up to 60%



Up to 75%



Up to 70%

Up to 80%

Electric

Up to 75%

Hydrogen Fuel Cell



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DECARBONIZING MATERIALS FOCUS ON MINIMIZING LIMESTONE RELATED EMISSIONS

STEPS IN CONCRETE MANUFACTURING PROCESS

- Make clinker (limestone+ correctives)
- Make cement (clinker+mineral components)
- Make concrete (cement + aggregates)

DECARBONIZATION APPROACH. Minimize use of

- limestone in clinker
- clinker in cement
- cement in concrete







DECARBONIZING MATERIALS EXAMPLES



Calcined clays





Construction Demolition Materials (CDM)





DEVELOPING CARBON CAPTURE UTILIZATION AND STORAGE

OVER 50 CCUS PROJECTS: CHF 2 BLN CAPEX & OVER 5M TONS OF CO2/YEAR BY 2030

11 FLAGSHIP PROJECTS TO START CAPTURING +5 MT CO2 BEFORE 2030 From storage and utilization, including mineralization and carbonation





CCUS: 2 EU INNOVATION FUND GRANTS AND SOLID PARTNERSHIPS PUBLIC FUNDING TO SUPPLEMENT HOLCIM'S CHF 2BN INVESTMENT

Go4ECOPlanet Kujawy, Poland

€ 228M EU Innovation Fund grant



- End-to-end CCS chain for offshore storage
- Goal to be a net-zero plant by 2027
- Air Liquide's Cryocap[™] FG technology to capture 100% of CO₂ emissions from clinker production
- +10.2 million tons of CO₂ captured in 10 years, lowering Poland's cement sector emissions by 10%

Carbon2Business Lägerdorf, Germany

€ 110M EU Innovation Fund grant



- Captured CO₂ to be repurposed as **industrial raw material**
- Industrial-scale prototype for decarbonizing cement production
- Second-generation oxyfuel technology
- Capture +1 million tons of CO₂ emitted annually: Lägerdorf to become net-zero plant by the end of the decade



HOLCIM ACCELERATES CLIMATE ACTION 2022 HIGHLIGHTS

- CO₂ per net sales reduction of 21% in 2022 with goal to reduce by over 10% in 2023
- Upgraded 2030 climate targets in line with SBTi 1.5°C framework, validated by Science Based Targets initiative
- CHF 2 billion investment in carbon capture, utilization and storage projects by 2030 to capture +5 million tons CO₂ per year
- Advancing decarbonization ambition with 420 kg CO₂ Net per ton of cementitious by 2030
- 6.8 million tons of construction and demolition waste recycled into new building solutions in 2022, on track to exceed 2025 target of 10 million tons
- Publication of second climate report, giving shareholders a say on the company's climate strategy







GLOBAL CONTEXT GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS (GHG) MAJORITY ASSOCIATED WITH ENERGY AND LAND USE, CEMENT ABOUT 3 % OF TOTAL



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