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KEROGREEN

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1 Introduction

The KEROGREEN deliverable 7.7 reports on the production of a leaflet for stakeholders presenting the business concept. This leaflet has been produced by DIFFER based on the KEROGREEN Corporate Identity (logo, picture with plane and fixed green colour). It also includes the previously used infographic showing the “Circle of KEROGREEN”, from CO₂, water and renewable electricity to green kerosene in 12 steps. This leaflet has been submitted to the coordinator for review and to all project partners for approval for dissemination and use. The leaflet was available on the Final Event, which was held on the 27th of September 2022 at KIT. It is also available from the project website.

2 Leaflet for stakeholders

The purpose of the Leaflet is to promote and to inform stakeholders about the results achieved in the project. Therefore, besides the description of the ‘Circle of KEROGREEN’, the main achievements and key figures are presented. The Leaflet also identifies the challenges yet to overcome and the invitation to stakeholders to join and/or contribute to take green kerosene to the next level.

The main stakeholder identified are:

- Policymakers
- Investors
- EU/National projects in related topics
- Aviation Industry, including those represented by members of the Advisory Board
- Chemical Industry, including those represented by members of the Advisory Board
- Energy companies
- (Public) utility companies

Each partner will be able to print the Leaflet and disseminate it as often as required.

3 Annex

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KEROGREEN MAKING GREEN KEROSENE OUT OF CO₂, WATER, AND RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY

We integrated the individual, separate processes...

... and installed it into a shipping container!

Now, will you fly with us...

... to the next level of technology readiness?

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THE CIRCLE OF KEROGREEN

Step 1: The 12 steps to produce kerosene cost a lot of energy. To produce green kerosene, the energy source has to be renewable. Good sources are solar energy and wind energy.

Step 2: CO₂ feedstock is to be [re]-captured from ambient air for the fuel cycle to become CO₂ neutral

Step 3: The energy from step 1 drives a so called RF source, a kind of microwave-oven.

Step 4: A plasma reactor uses the microwave radiation and splits CO₂ in CO and O₂. This so called plasmolysis has been proven at small scale by DIFFER.

Step 5: To remove the oxygen [O₂] VITO and Cerpotech produced oxygen permeable membranes. DIFFER demonstrated that oxygen is removed from the mixture. CO and CO₂ go to the next step.

Step 6: In the CO purifier, made by HyGear, undesired gases are removed to supply clean CO for the next step.

Step 7: The integrated water-gas shift and CO₂-removal is built by KIT. CO and H₂ go to step 8.

Step 8: The Fischer-Tropsch synthesis by INERATEC is a collection of chemical reactions that converts a mixture of carbon monoxide and hydrogen into liquid hydrocarbons, mainly alkanes, a source for e.g. clean diesel fuel, Kerosene and wax.

Step 9: An excess fraction e.g., molecules that do not fit to the Kerosene specification could be stored for later use [or as CO₂ storage].

Step 10: The molecules which have passed the hydrocracking step [by KIT] and fit to the Kerosene blend, a mixture of carbonmolecules with 8 to 14 carbonatoms, are sent to final upgrading for aviation.

Step 11: Kerosene can be stored in barrels and tanks.

Step 12: The kerosene is used by a plane. The plane produces CO₂ and H₂O. The CO₂ can be captured and used again. And the circle is closed.

FROM CO₂, WATER, AND RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY TO GREEN KEROSENE IN 12 STEPS

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Main achievements

- Individual elements have been demonstrated at lab-scale
- The elements have been integrated in a container sized system

Key figures

Plasma Reactor [step 4]

- Up to 0.7 kg CO/h production rate
- Typical energy cost: 0.12 kWh/kg CO

CO purification [step 6]

- Up to 98% purity [on single step]
- Up to 95% CO yield

Fischer-Tropsch & Hydrocracking modules [steps 8 +10]

- In-line recycling [and cleaning] of residual wax
- Wax conversion > 50%
- Required isomer content of > 30% for kerosene obtained

Challenges

- To scale up the oxygen separator [step 5] to system level
- To produce 0.1 kg/h kerosene with a fully integrated system

What's next?

- We would love to get into contact with investors, policymakers, companies and airports
- Do you take green kerosene with us to the next level?