

# Mayekawa Natural Five Solutions

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#### **About Mayekawa**

- Mayekawa founded in 1924 in Tokyo, Japan to build compressors
- 1967 Mycom founded to facilitate sales in US market
- Over 70,000 screw and piston compressors operating in 100 countries
- Extensive experience in industrial refrigeration and food processing

Mayekawa - Japan





#### Refrigeration Solutions

- Improve system efficiency
- Reduce refrigerant charge
- Develop cost effective solutions

- Effectively manage risk of new technology and solutions
  - Adoption
  - Financial



#### **Obstacles**

- First Cost
- Qualified service and installation
- Perceived business risk
- Safety concerns



#### Natural Refrigerants

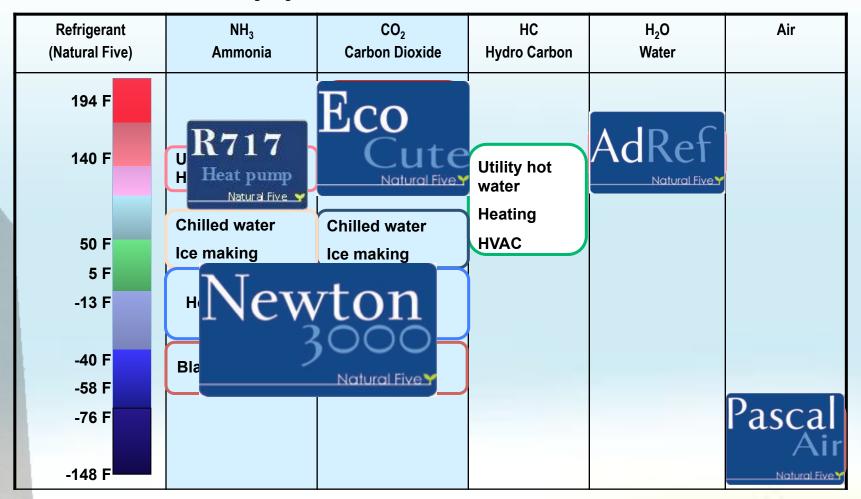
- Ammonia Refrigeration
- Heat Pump development with Japanese
   Government in 1970's
- Technology development in anticipation of Montreal and Kyoto protocol impacts







#### **Application Chart**





### **Technology Development**



#### Semi-hermetic Ammonia Compressors

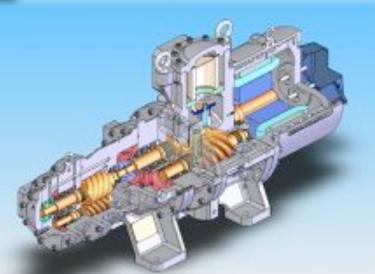
- Reduced possibility of shaft seal leak
- Reduced shaft alignment problems
- More familiar to traditional Freon users



#### **Newton Compressors**



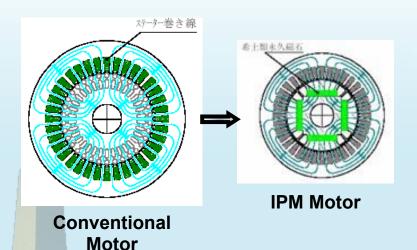
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#### High Efficiency Motors (IPM)

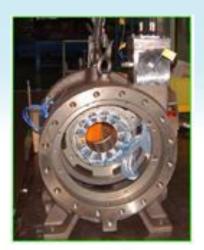


#### **Benefits of IPM motor**

- 5-10% better in efficiency
- 40% smaller in size
- High speed is possible



Rotor



Stator



### **Ammonia Scroll Compressor**

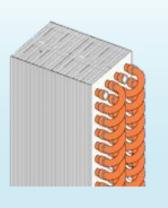


- No mechanical seal
- IPM motor for higher efficiency and smaller size
- Quieter compared to recip or screw compressors



### Microchannel Technology

- Reduce ammonia charge for safety and non traditional applications
- Large capacity in small footprint
- High heat transfer coefficient







### Recent Projects



#### Refrigeration



- Natural Refrigerant Applications
  - 85% of package sales are using natural refrigerants
  - Predominantly Industrial systems



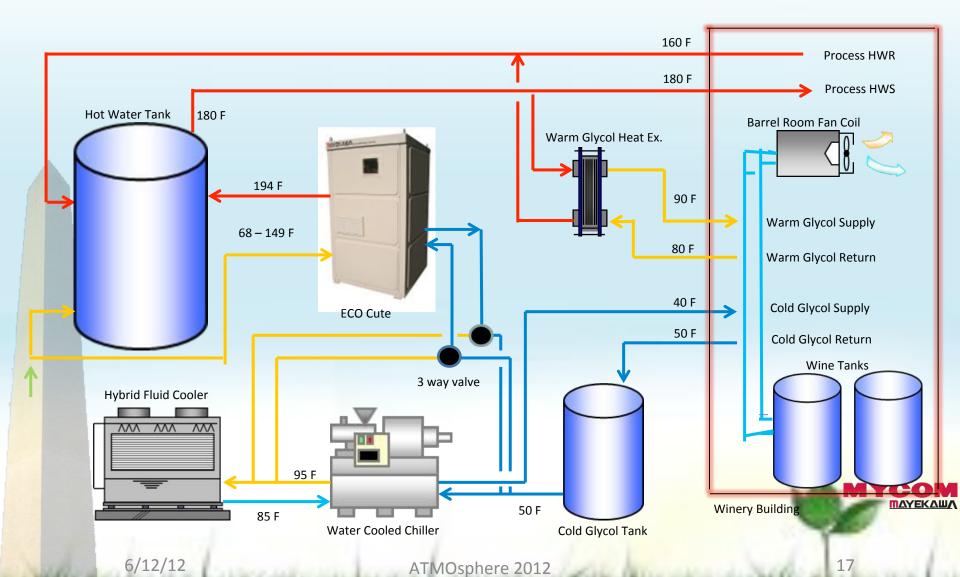
#### CO2 Heat Pump



- Energy Efficient Winery
- Goal to be off grid for power
- Required 180F supply hot water
- Only expensive propane available to site



#### **EcoCute System**



#### Results

- High hot water supply eliminates the use for harsh chemical treatment in wash down
- Designed for off grid capability
- System ~1.35 cost of conventional refrigeration and boiler equipment
- Three year payback



### Garden City Ammonia Program

- Trained over 8,500 ammonia operators
- Hands on training equipment
- Includes safety programs



#### Training the next generation



 Purchased due to an increased demand for education on natural refrigerant systems



#### Other Notable Projects

#### **Haliburton International Foods**

- Old plant consisted of 14 semi hermetic Freon compressors for cold storage
- 8 semi hermetic Freon compressors for water chilling
- New ammonia plant to replace all synthetic refrigerants
- Chose ammonia because of energy savings and environmental friendliness

#### **Automotive Parts Drying**

- Air source heat pump
- Replaces electrical heating
- Supply up to 190F hot air
- Superior end product quality



#### **Future Goals**

- Continue to promote natural refrigerant products to traditionally Freon based users
- Forge industry partnerships
- Dedicate resources to application engineering of natural refrigerant products



#### Future Market Developments



- Targeted application of natural refrigerant technology
- Chief growth areas
  - Supermarket
  - R22 Chiller Replacement
  - Low Charge Ammonia System
- Plant Integration beyond refrigeration system

#### Natural is What We Design For







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## Thank you

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