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Field measurements of supermarket refrigeration systems -CO₂ vs. HFC-

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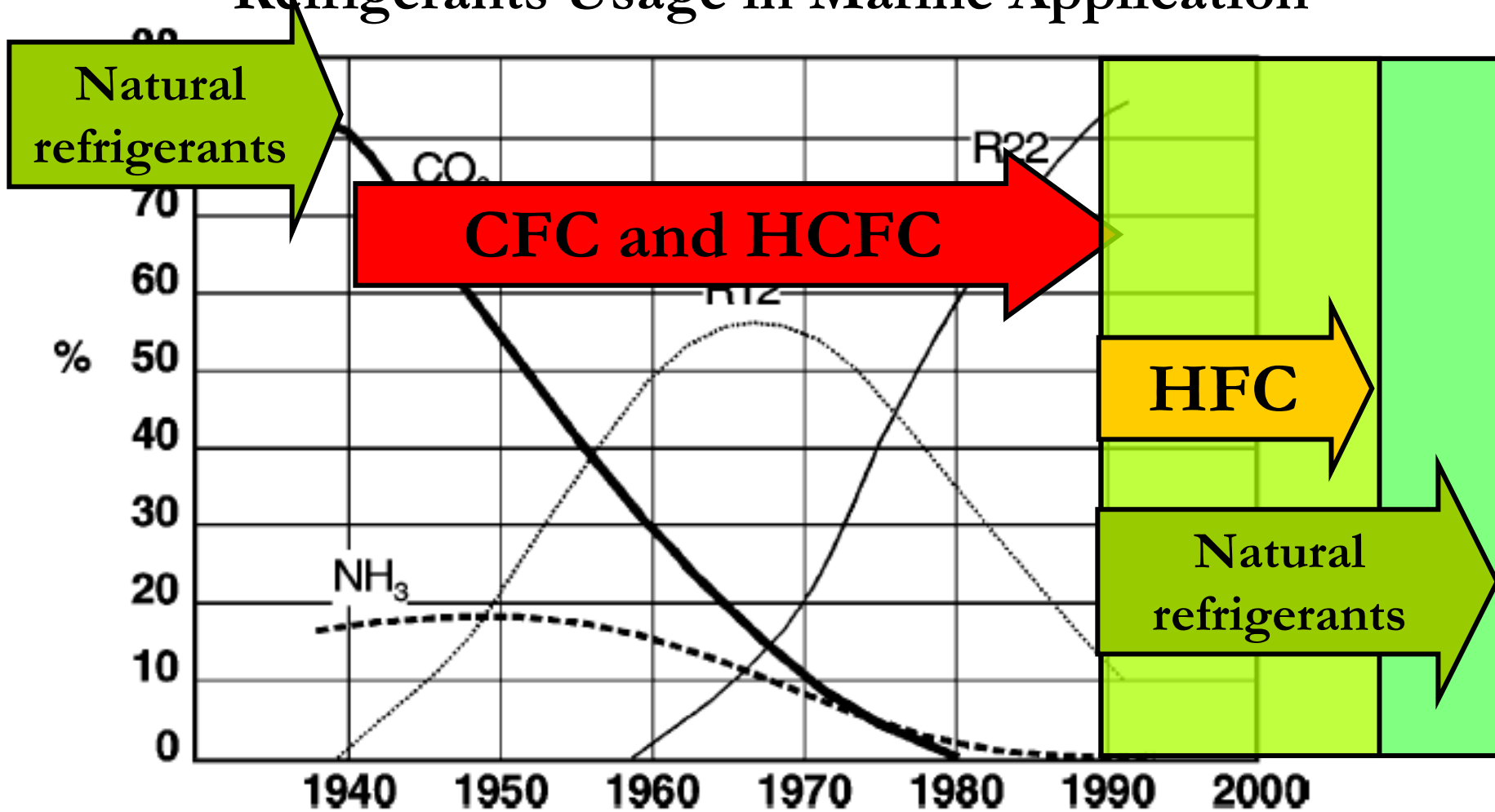
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Introduction-Background

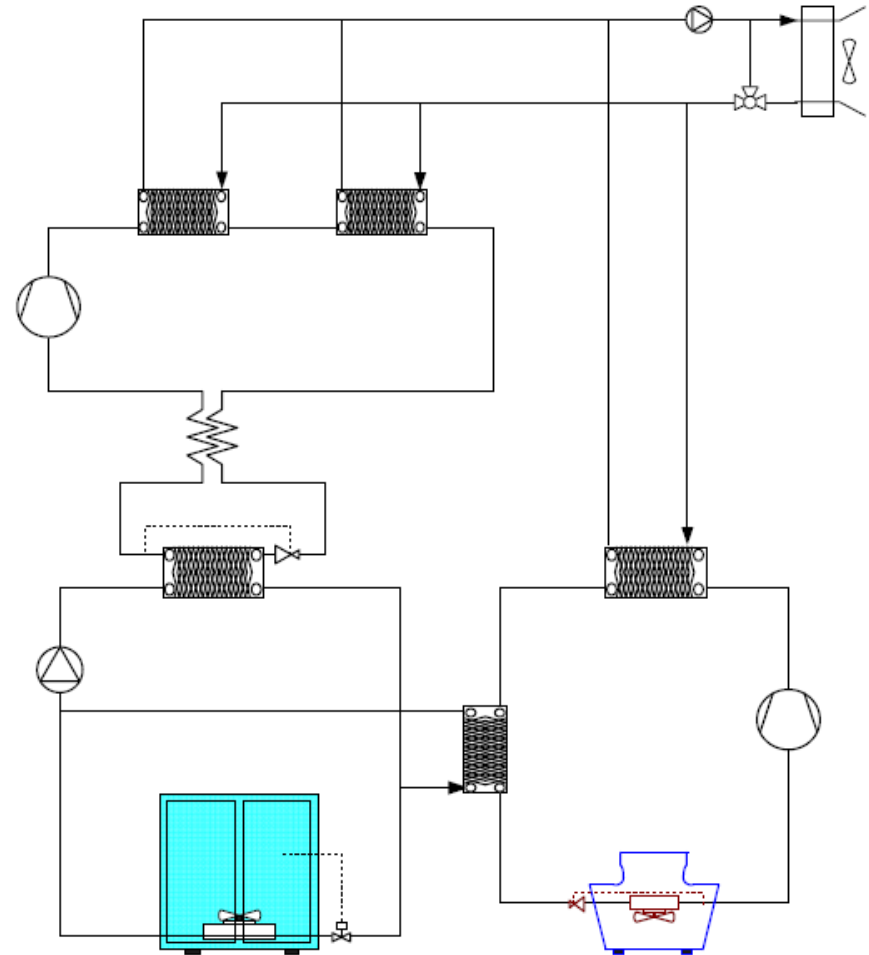
Refrigerants Usage in Marine Application



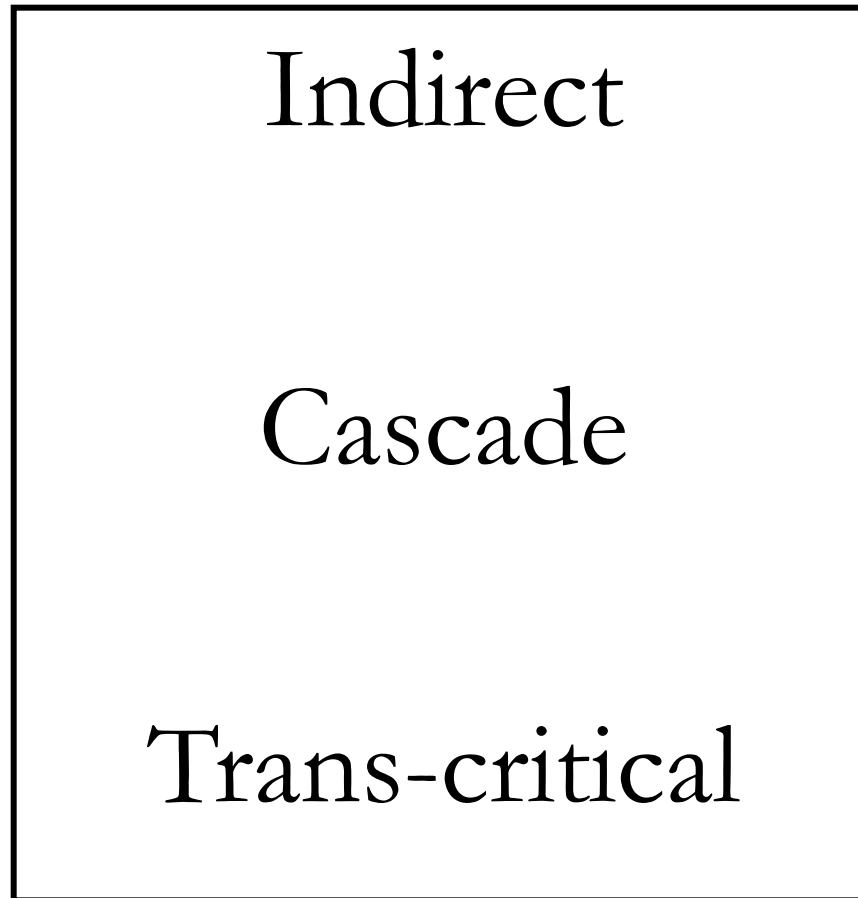
Reference: Stora A. Lloyd's Register (1992)

Conventional R404A system in Sweden

- **Main features**
 - Brine at medium temperature level
 - Sub-cooling of low temperature loop
 - Indirect heat reject to ambient!



CO2 in Supermarket Refrigeration



Field Measurements Project

- Period: 2009-2011
- Co-financed by the Swedish energy agency
- Managed by IUC-SEK, Jörgen Rogstam
- Research done at KTH, Samer Sawalha and several MSc thesis students
- Several companies involved

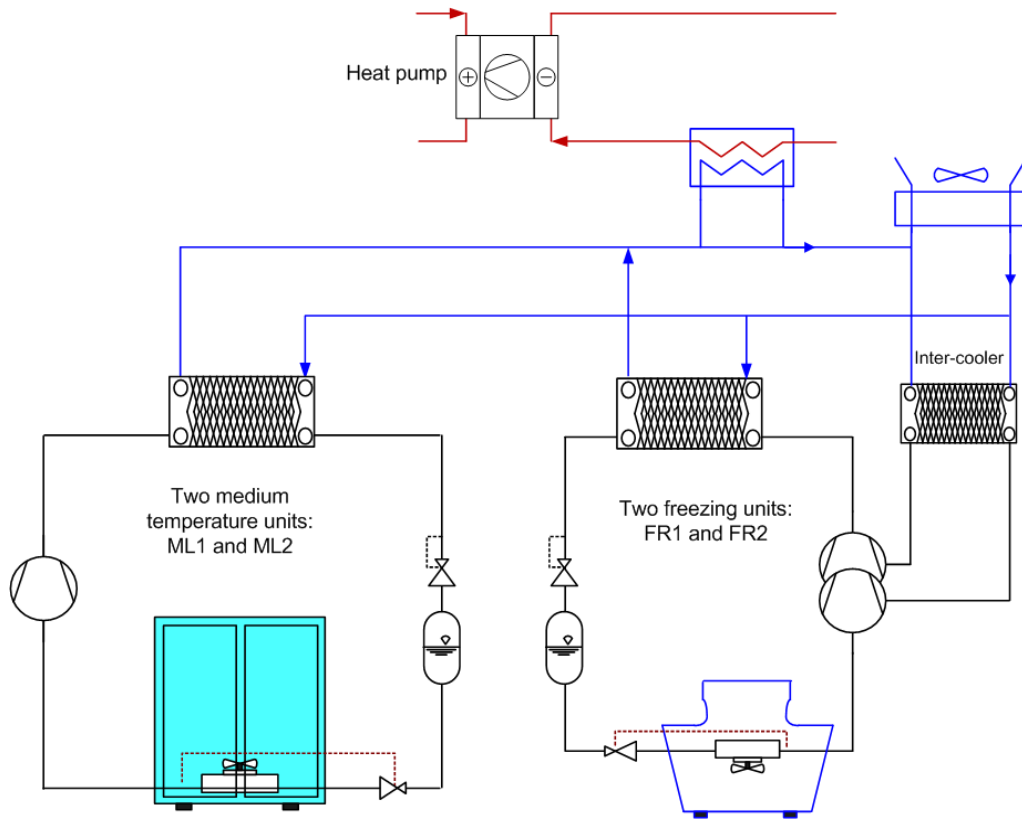
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Systems in Field Measurements

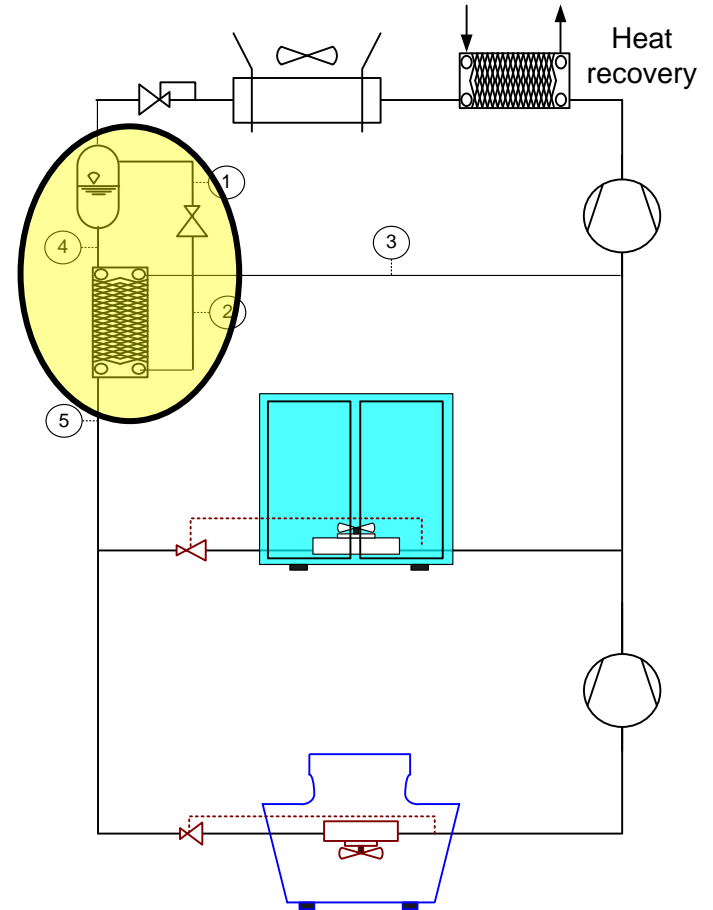
- 12 systems in total
 - Conventional systems (3)
 - CO2 trans-critical
 - Parallel (1)
 - Booster systems type 1 (2)
 - Booster systems type 2 (2)
 - CO2 cascade systems (3)
 - CO2 pump circulation (1)



CO2 trans-critical systems

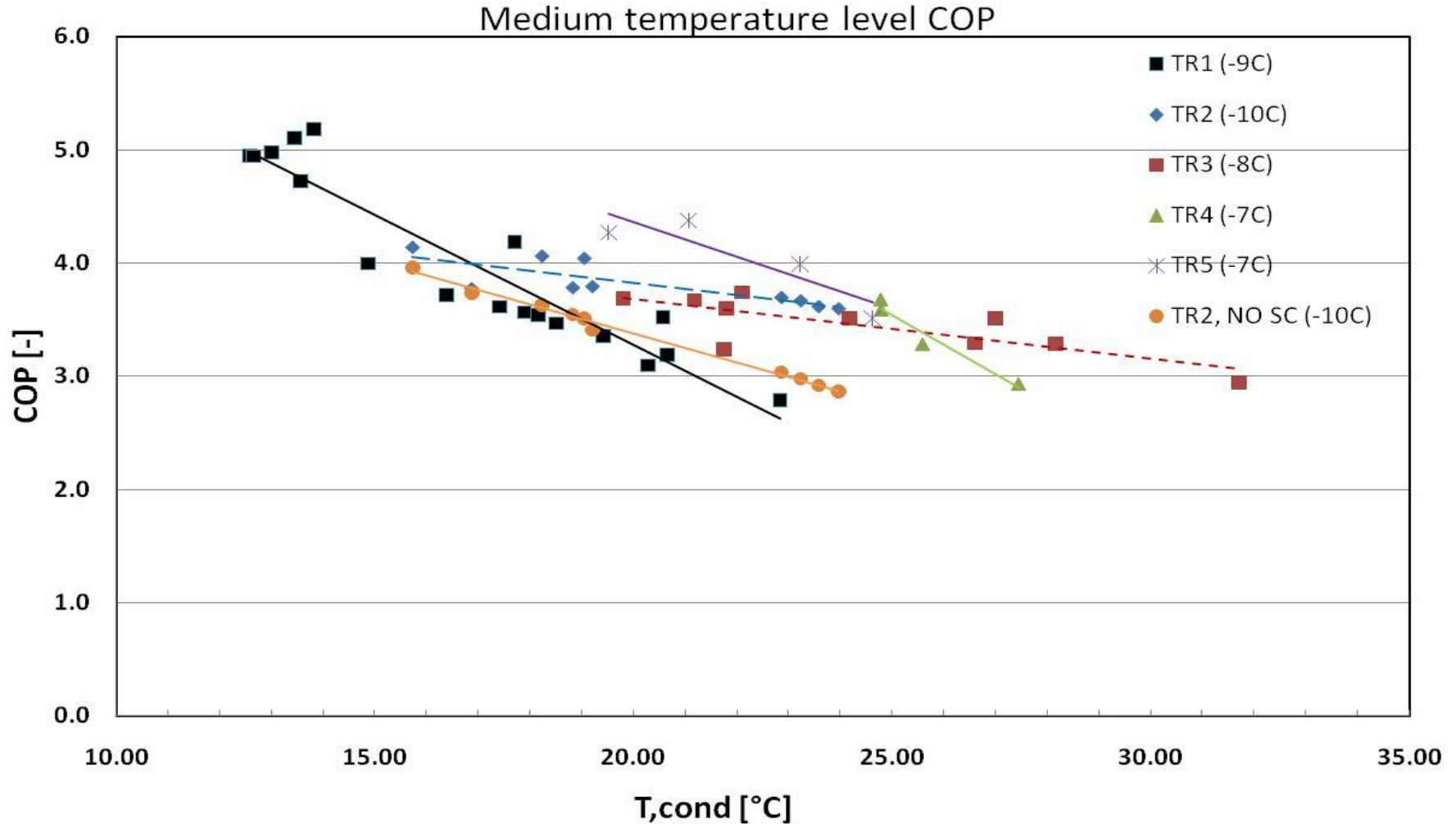


- Parallel

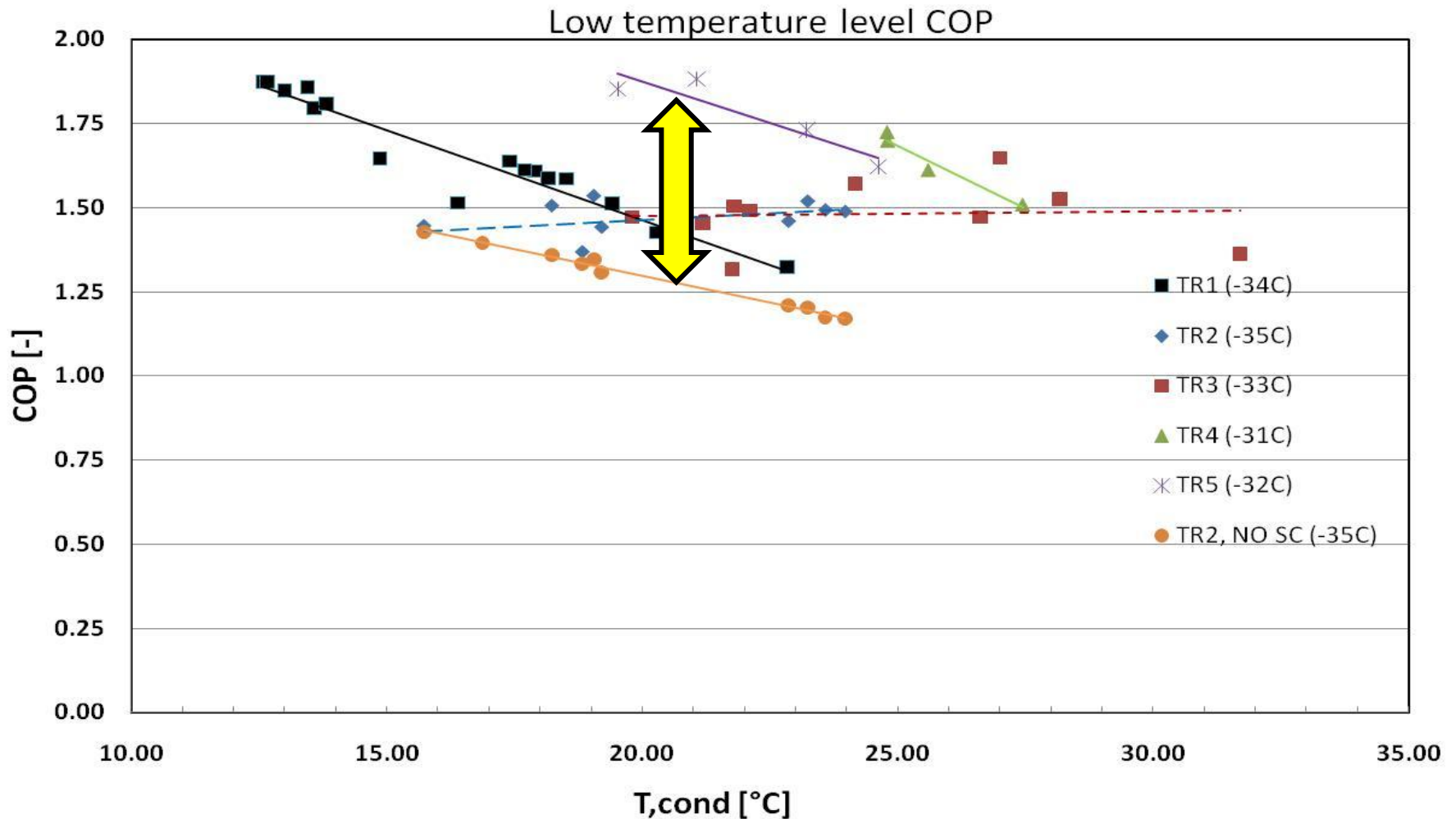


- Booster

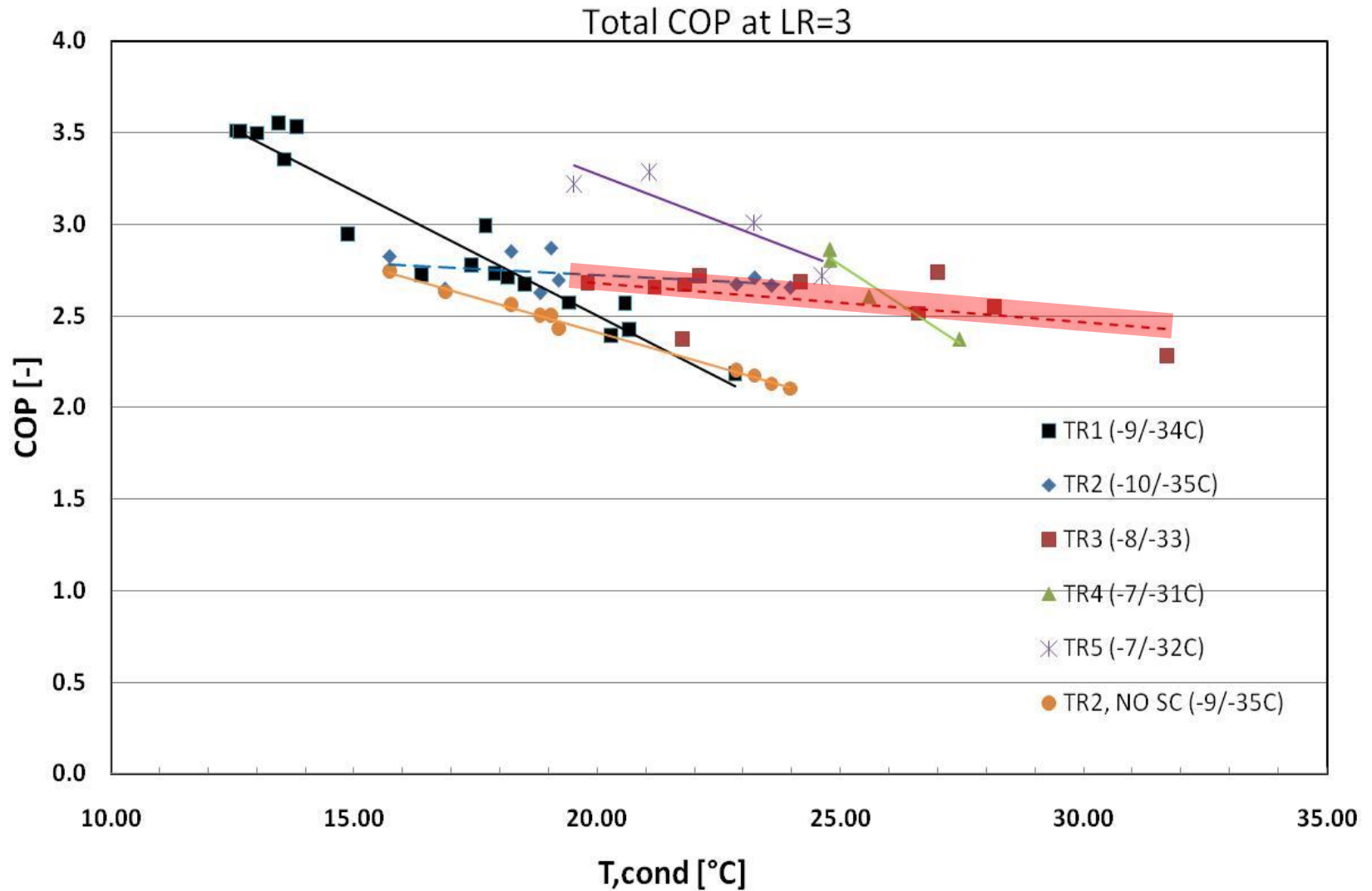
Medium temperature level COP



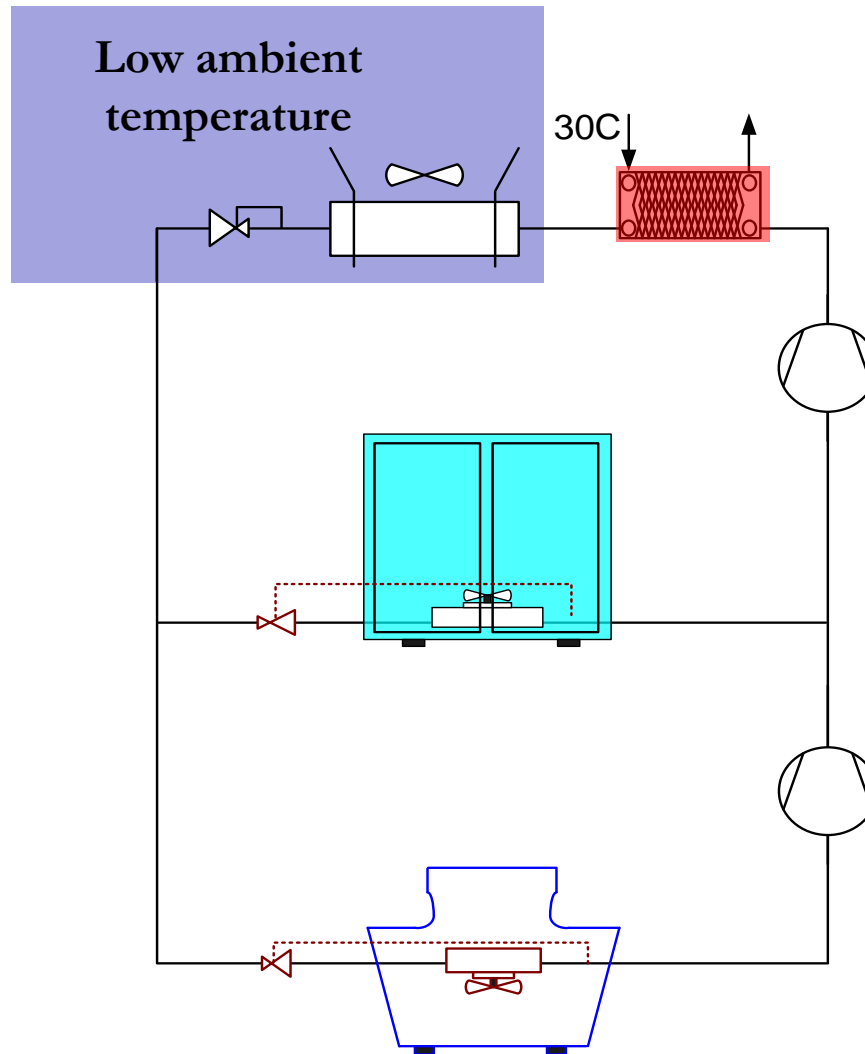
Low temperature level COP



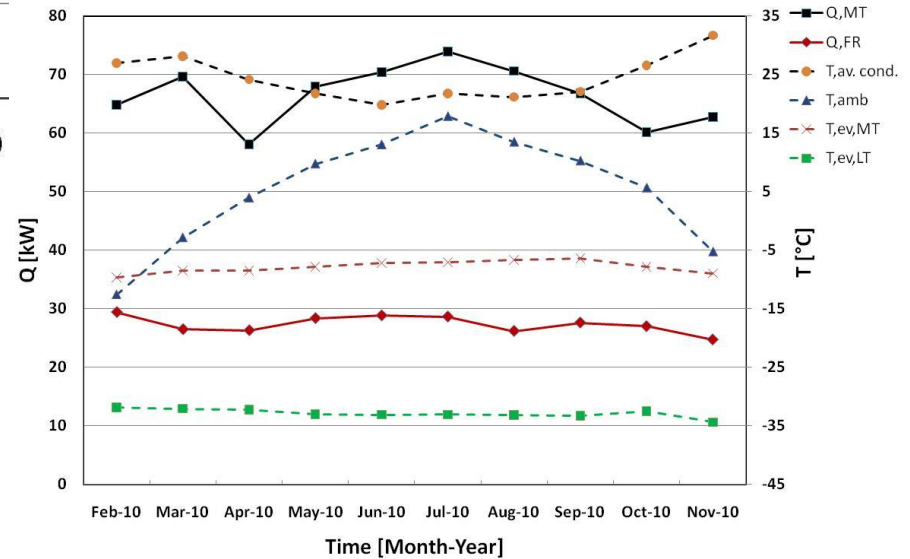
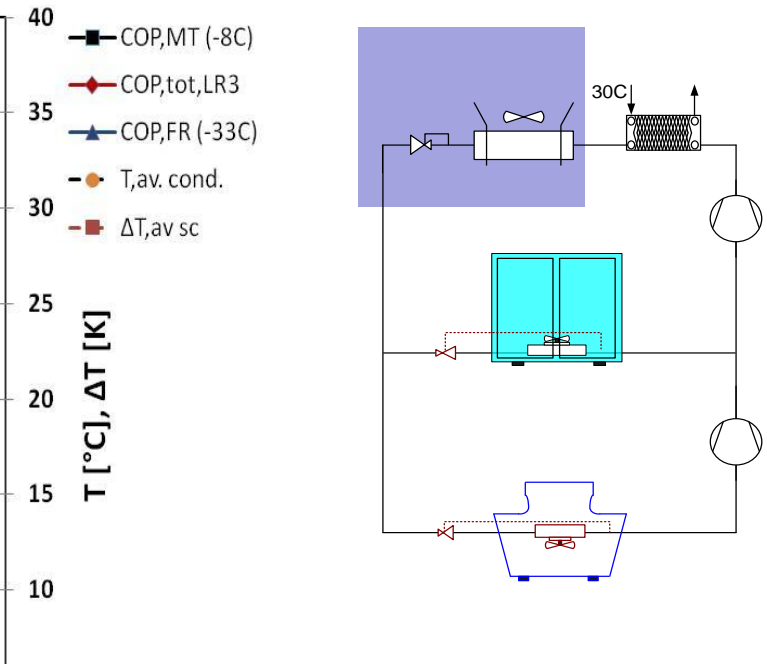
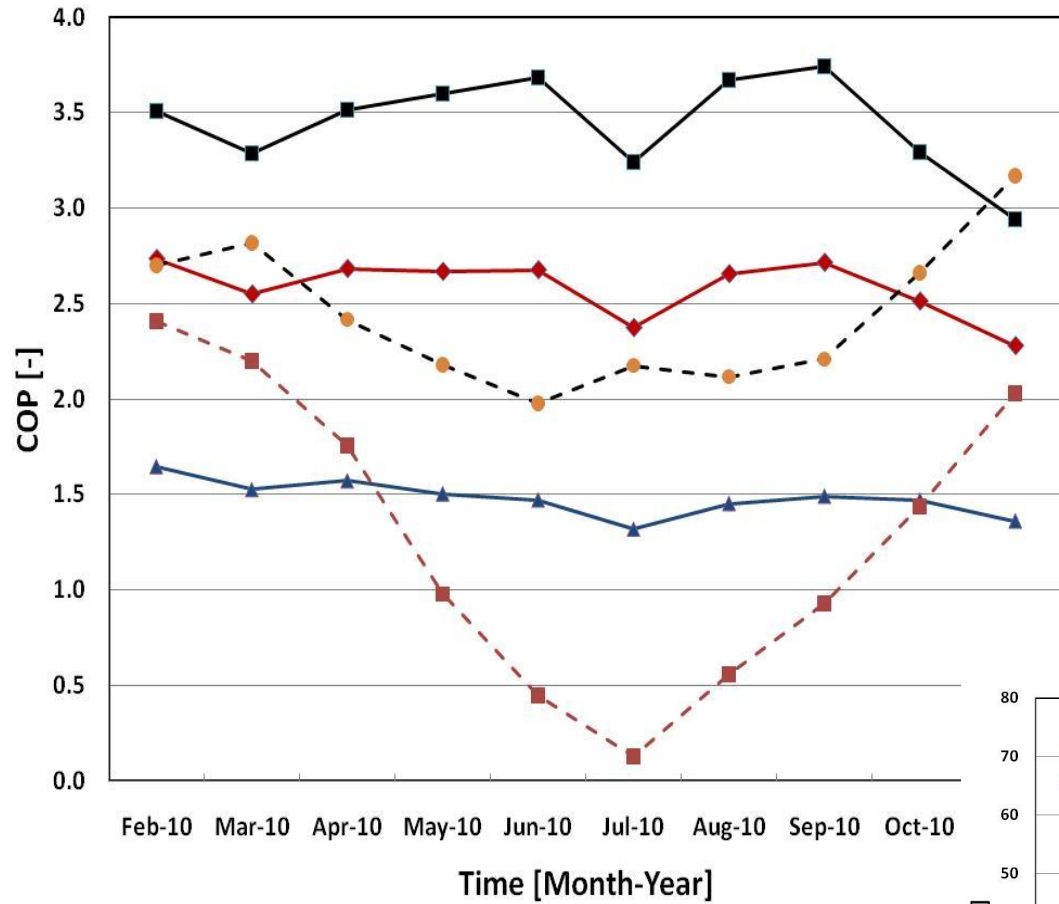
Total system COP- comparable conditions



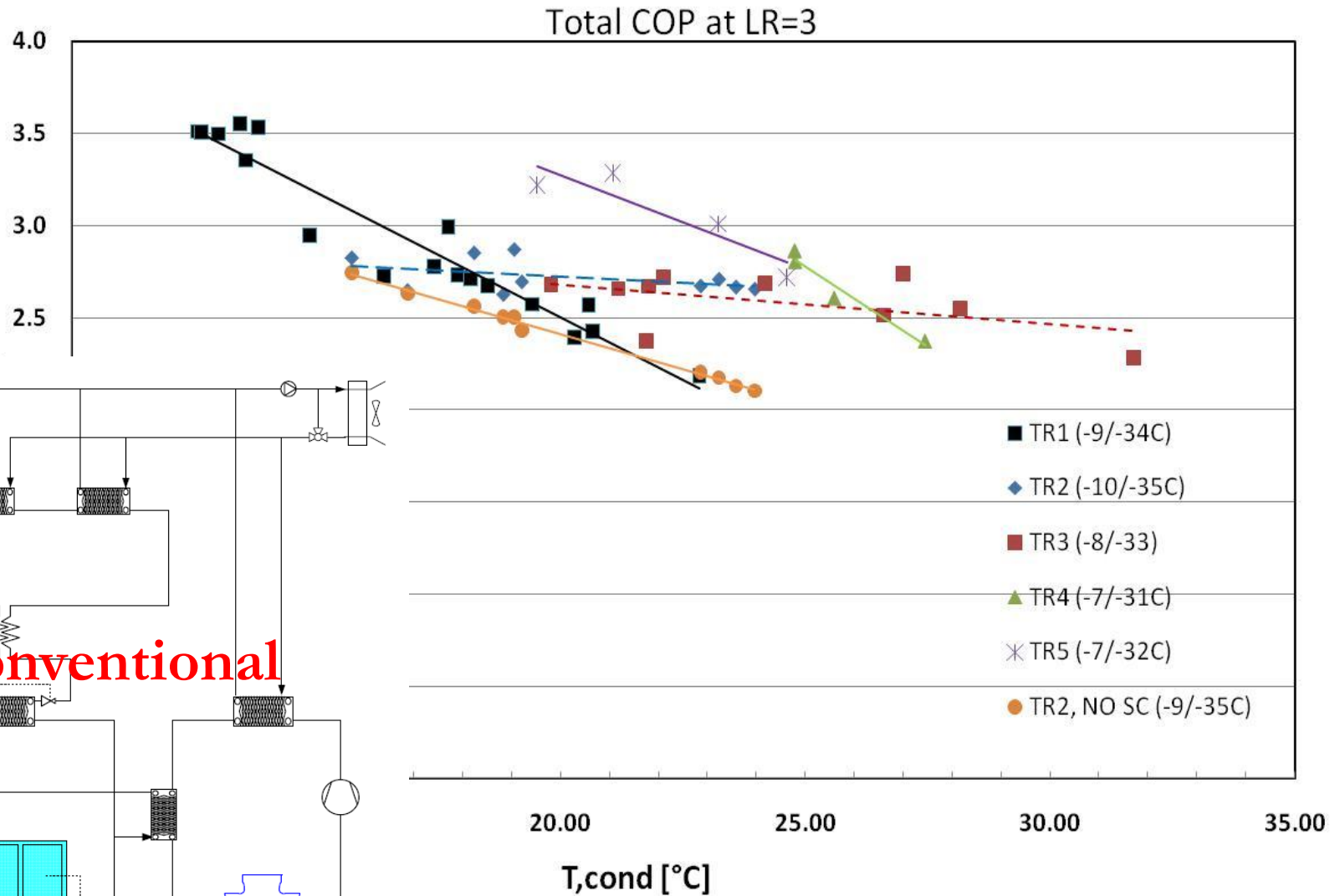
Operation in heat recovery mode



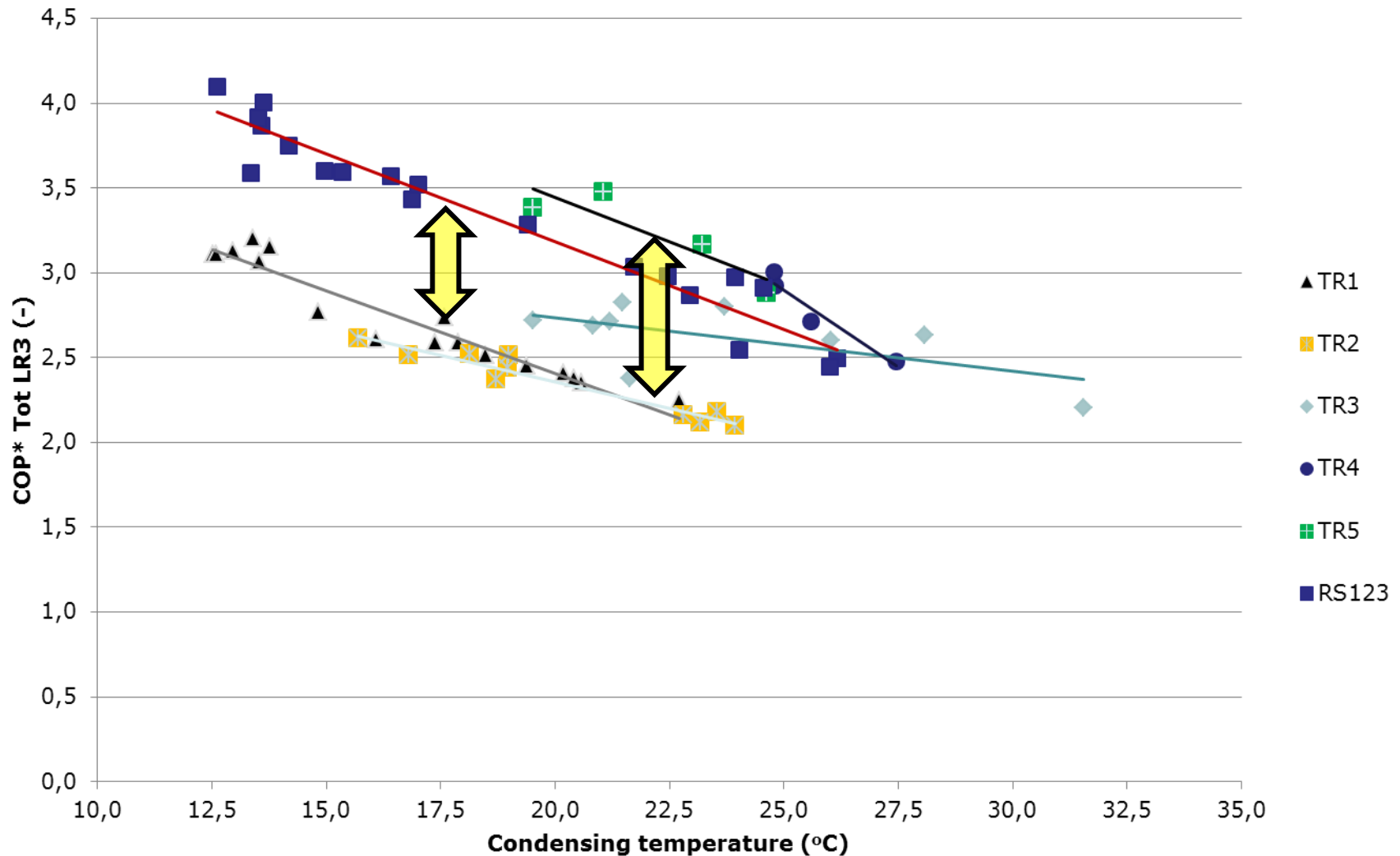
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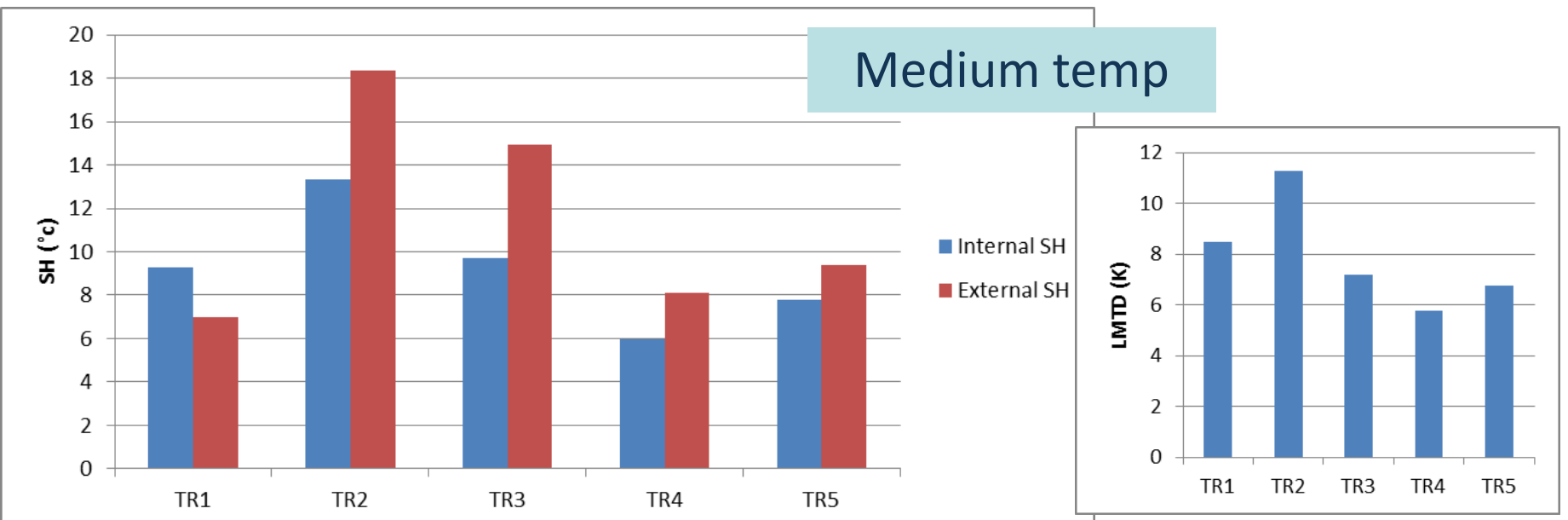
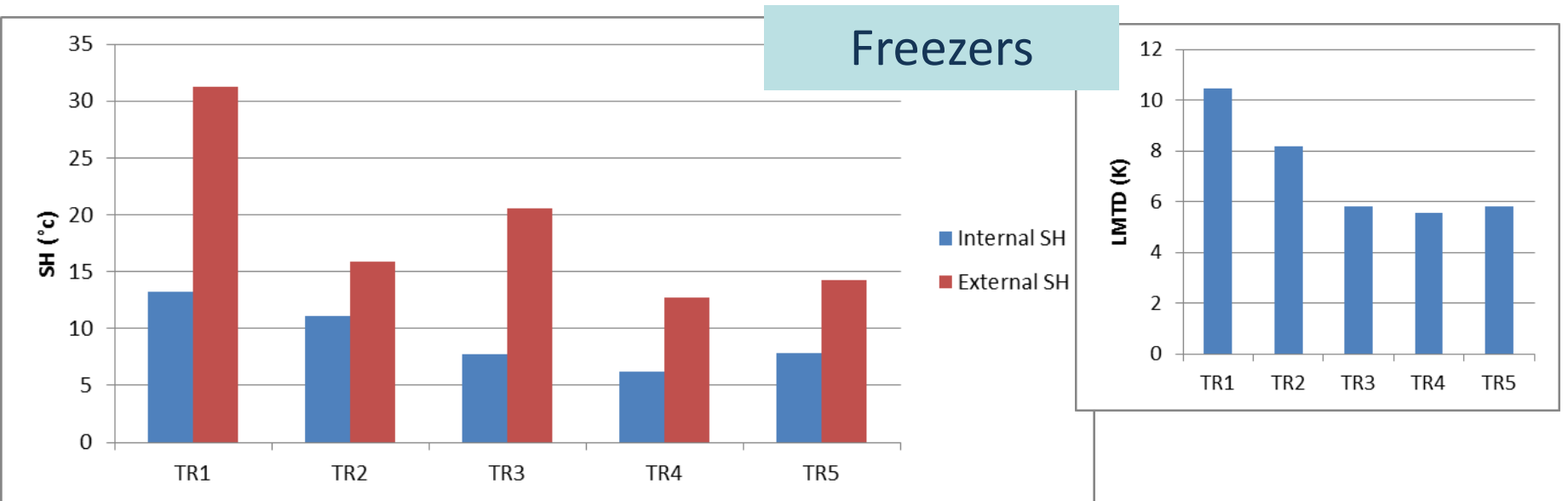


Total system COP- comparable conditions



High evaporation temperature for conventional systems

Internal and external superheat



Field Measurements Results

- CO₂ systems have COP's comparable to an “advanced” conventional system solutions
- Potential for CO₂ systems to have good performance in heat recovery mode
- How to run field measurements? Why to measure?

Field Measurements Results

- All details on the field measurement project can be found at:

<http://www.kth.se/en/itm/forskning/forskning-egi/ett/projekt/co2-suprmarket-refrigeration/publications-1.301166>

Thank you