

# FURTHER ENHANCEMENTS IN THE APPLICATION OF MODULATING EJECTORS SASCHA HELLMANN



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## NATURAL EVOLUTION



## Carrier CO<sub>2</sub> technology status

More than 15 years of CO<sub>2</sub> projects

> 6500 CO<sub>2</sub> racks delivered<sup>1</sup>

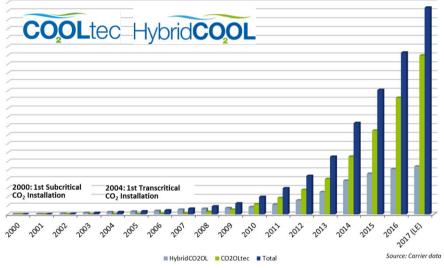
Sustained evolution, continuous improvement

Evolution of...

- Technology: HFC/CO<sub>2</sub> cascade → full CO<sub>2</sub>
- Applications: Supermarkets → all formats
- Climates: Mild / cold → all climates

CO<sub>2</sub> refrigerant: Efficient, environmentally balanced, with A1 safety classification

#### **Project Evolution: Carrier Commercial Refrigeration**

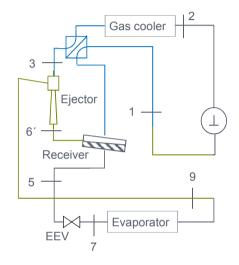




## HIGH EFFICIENCY TECHNOLOGIES



## Initial solution: ejector system with economizer cycle



Pressure in bar Summer Enthalpy kJ/kg First applications of high-efficiency technologies:

- Baseline standard transcritical CO<sub>2</sub> system
- **■** Economizer cycle (parallel compression) Additional compressor to compress flash gas at a higher pressure level
- **■** Carrier modulating ejector Pre-compression of 100% of the MT suction flow

Annual rack energy savings up to 20%1, vs. initial transcritical CO<sub>2</sub>

**Especially beneficial for warm climates** 

## **INITIAL HIGH EFFICIENCY TECHNOLOGIES**



#### Case studies 1 & 2

Puertollano, Spain Location:

**Application:** Supermarket

Solution: Modulating ejector

Economizer cycle

Commissioned: Q4, 2015

Efficient, trouble-free operation during recent extreme high

temperatures













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Location: Venelles, France

Cash & Carry **Application:** 

Solution: Modulating ejector

Economizer cycle

Commissioned: Q4, 2015

Full heat reclaim system w/ gas cooler bypass









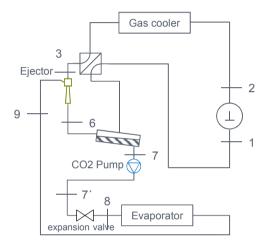


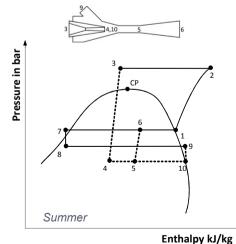


## LATEST HIGH-EFFICIENCY TECHNOLOGY



## Flooded system with ejector and CO<sub>2</sub> pump





#### CO<sub>2</sub>OLtecEvo baseline system:

#### ■ Carrier modulating ejector

Reduced compressor work by pre-compressing the MT suction flow

Optimal capacity-matching and part load performance across the entire range of operating conditions

High entrainment / low pressure lift ejector; optimized to compress 100% of the MT suction vapor



#### ■ CO<sub>2</sub> pump

Reduced energy consumption via full-year MT flooded operation

Full-year flooded operation allows higher evaporating temperatures, delivering reduced energy consumption all year round

No minimum high pressure is needed to operate the ejectors, so even the smallest pressure gains are utilized





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## TAILORED EFFICIENCY, FOR ALL CLIMATES



#### **Extended functionality**













Standard CO<sub>2</sub> refrigeration rack with add-on high-efficiency skid

#### **Smaller capacities**





#### Improved efficiency



Modulating ejector



Economizer cycle



CO<sub>2</sub> pump (flooded MT)



Flooded LT



Mechanical subcooler



Adiabatic gas cooler



High efficiency compressor motors

A portfolio of high-efficiency solutions, to suit your specific project requirements

## VALIDATED CUSTOMER BENEFITS



## A new generation of CO<sub>2</sub> systems validated through pilots

Carrier's latest generation of advanced CO<sub>2</sub> systems is designed to deliver:

- ✓ Improved energy efficiency, up to 30%
- ✓ Optimized performance in all climates
- Solutions for multiple applications

CO<sub>2</sub>OLtecEvo flexibly combines energy-saving features:

- Based around modulating ejector technology
- Delivering ultimate solutions tailored to specific customer needs





#### **CARRIER Modulating Ejector Timeline:**

2010: Ejector performance & qualification tests

2014: First installation

2017: Multiple sites operating across Europe

## **CASE STUDY 3**



## Makro Berverwijk

**Location:** Berverwijk, Netherlands

**Application:** Cash & Carry

**Solution:** Modulating ejector

CO<sub>2</sub> pump

Flooded LT

Commissioned: Q2, 2016

Including low temperature flooded operation, for added efficiency



Modulating ejector













## PROVEN ENERGY SAVINGS

Our 2017 store



## Makro Bervervijk complete store with ejector and CO<sub>2</sub> pump





Energy measured for complete store<sup>1</sup>

Benchmarking via the independent VDMA "Quickcheck" tool, vs. average stores, per year<sup>2</sup>

CO<sub>2</sub>OLtecEvo total store savings:

- -52% AEC<sup>3</sup> vs. average 2009 store
- -38% AEC<sup>3</sup> vs. average 2012 / 2013 store

Omplete store w/ CO<sub>2</sub>OLtec<sup>®</sup>Evo plant (ejector / flooded MT / flooded LT), cabinets, cold rooms

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> www.effizienz-quickcheck.org

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> AEC = Annual Energy Consumption

## **CASE STUDY 4**



## **Transgourmet Bremen**

**Location:** Bremen, Germany

**Application:** Distribution center

**Solution:** Modulating ejector

CO<sub>2</sub> pump

Flooded LT

Heat reclaim

Commissioned: Q3, 2017

Large-capacity semi-industrial installation, >1 MW. Replacement of existing NH<sub>3</sub> & R404A systems.











ejector









**1260** kw mt



480 kW LT



## **NEW HIGH-EFFICIENCY STEP**



## Latest developments in Carrier CO<sub>2</sub> technology

Key drivers for a new generation of CO<sub>2</sub> systems:

- Further improved energy efficiency
- Suitable for all climates
- Suitable for multiple applications
- Reduced complexity of the main cycle
- Optimal energy gains via a configurable approach
- Tailored to specific customer needs & priorities

#### A range of tailored, high-efficiency solutions

- Suitable no matter the application or climate
- No 'one size fits all' approach, to avoid performance compromise





up to

30%

annual rack energy savings<sup>1</sup>, vs. initial transcritical CO<sub>2</sub> (mild climate)



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