

# **ATMOSPHERE AMERICA 2015 CONTRACTORS PANEL CIMCO – Who are We...Capabilities Traditional End Users? Obstacles to Green Solutions Industrial Trends Total Cost of Ownership** ATMO sphere business case natural refrigerants 25 & 26 June - Atlanta, Georgia



### **CIMCO - Who We Are...**









- Founded by the "Shipley family" (who founded York in 1874)
- Established in 1913 as the Canadian Ice Machine Co. Ltd. (CIMCO)
- A member of the Toromont Industries Ltd. group of companies since 1969
- We employ over 850 employees throughout North America
- Conduct projects worldwide
- CIMCO Refrigeration is a global leading supplier of refrigeration services including:
  - ✓ Design/Build Refrigeration Systems
  - ✓ Construction and Installation
  - ✓ Service and Maintenance (+300 Technicians)
  - ✓ Compressor Rebuild Center
  - Manufacturing and Packaging
  - ✓ Controls & BMS Designer/Integrator















- ✓ Low Charge Ammonia
  - Ammonia Air Conditioning systems
  - Eco Chill 1 lb / TR
- ✓ Cascade CO2
- ✓ Volatile Brine CO2
- ✓ Transcritical

#### Complete Refrigeration Plant Operation

- ✓ including providing chief operators, shift operators and maintenance personnel for both Freon and Ammonia plants in accordance with local and Federal requirements
- On-Going Service and Maintenance
  - ✓ All-Inclusive Maintenance Agreements (CSA)
  - Scheduled Inspections and Maintenance
  - Monthly Safety Inspections and Reports
  - √ 24/7 Emergency Service
- Training
  - ✓ Customized training programs to suit the client
  - ✓ Safety, Emergency Response, OSHA, Maintenance, etc.
- National Support Agreements









### **Traditional End Users?**

- Large...Industrial
- Food, Storage, Production, Etc.
- Buildings are not publically occupied
- 100,000 ft2 and larger
- "Built Up Engine Rooms"
- R717 the "go to" refrigerant
- PSM Required Facilities





#### **Obstacles to Green Solutions**

- Regulations limiting where ammonia can be used (grocery stores for example)
- Regulations on ammonia quantity
- Price point. Initial Capital Investment
- Ammonia equipment is typically for large-scale operation only
- Misperceptions on Ammonia safety record.
- CO<sub>2</sub> still "New on the Block"





#### **Trends**

- Pre-packaged systems
- Mini-compressor / HX developments, Air Cooled Ammonia systems, control systems to optimize efficiency
- Smaller facilities are looking at Ammonia and Transcritical CO2
- European Norm is the North American trend...



## **Total Cost of Ownership**

- End users seem more sensitive to lifecycle cost rather than initial capital investment.
- Maintenance
- Life Cycle Costing
- Rebate, Cost Sharing programs
- Complete Envelope Modeling
- Heat/Cool Design Scenarios



