



The Ultimate CO<sub>2</sub> Refrigeration System for every food retail store format

Market developments for CO<sub>2</sub> in Commercial Refrigeration

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#### The last two decades

Significant GWP of HFC refrigerants demanded efforts to reduce the greenhouse gas effect resulting from these substances

- refrigerant charges reduced
- → system tightness improved

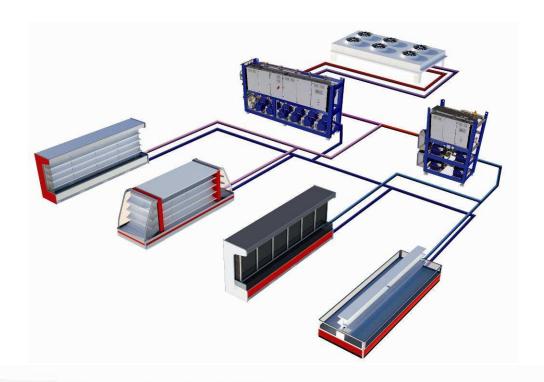
Situation better but no real long term way forward

numerous supermarket refrigeration systems with different natural refrigerants, some with secondary refrigerant- / waste heat circuit, realised



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Based on collected experiences CO<sub>2</sub> DX emerged as state of the art solution in food retail stores today







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#### Market drivers

- climate protection
- economic aspects
- energy efficiency
- products, technical innovation, services





#### **Climate Protection**

European Union

F-Gas Regulation – actual review of effectiveness

National regulations

CO<sub>2</sub> is standard in several countries today because governments have shown strong leadership towards sustainable solutions

#### End users

- many food retail chains take a safe line and invest into CO<sub>2</sub> refrigeration equipment, some opt for CO<sub>2</sub> as their standard
- Sustainability is a business objective of leading retail chains





### **Economic aspects**

- price of HFC refrigerants rising rapidly
  - refrigerant disposal costs at the end of the life cycle
- cost for energy is rising continuously
- compliance with F-Gas Regulation adds to cost of ownership
- life-cycle cost comparisons starting to show more attractive ROI for CO<sub>2</sub> systems at large store formats [supporting policy and volume growth is key!]
- risk of potential refrigerant conversion and additional costs due to possibly tightened requirements of a revised F-Gas Regulation
- → retailers are more and more prepared to review their investment strategy towards natural refrigerants





### Energy efficiency

- reducing energy consumption makes perfect sense
  - saves operating costs
  - enhances corporate image
  - supports the fight against climate change
- → CO<sub>2</sub> systems in commercial refrigeration have proved their attractive energy savings by 10% in mild to cold climates
- → industry is working on next generation of CO<sub>2</sub> systems for warmer climates





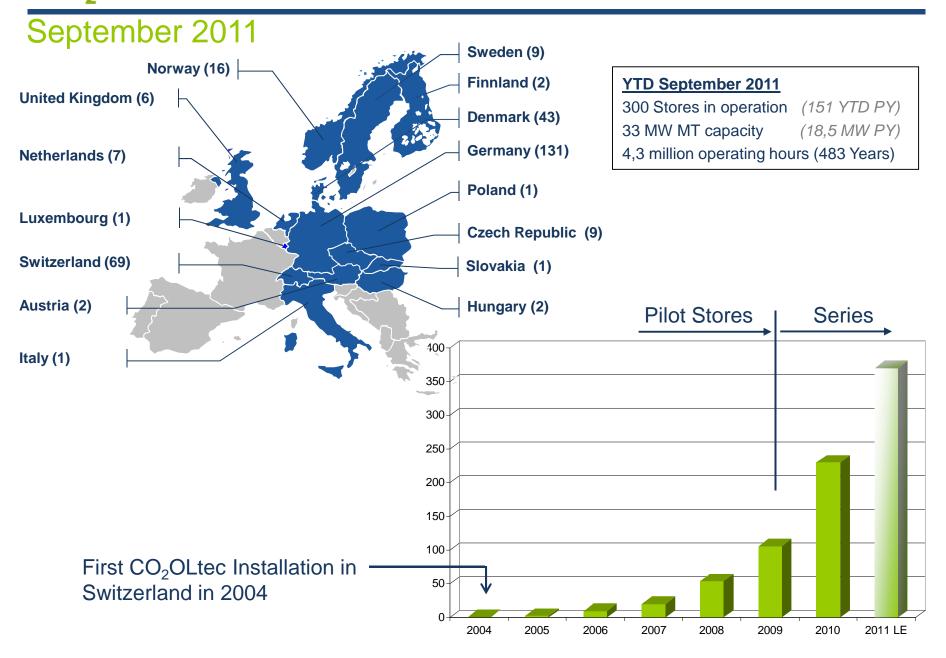
### Products, technical innovation, services

- plug-and play heating system solution as an add-on to the range of CO<sub>2</sub> refrigeration systems
- integrated solutions for refrigeration, space heating and cooling
- CO<sub>2</sub> based refrigeration systems under development and testing for warmer countries
  - parallel compression / economizer
  - expansion compression unit / ejector instead of HP valve
  - combination with sub cooling unit
- energy analysis services

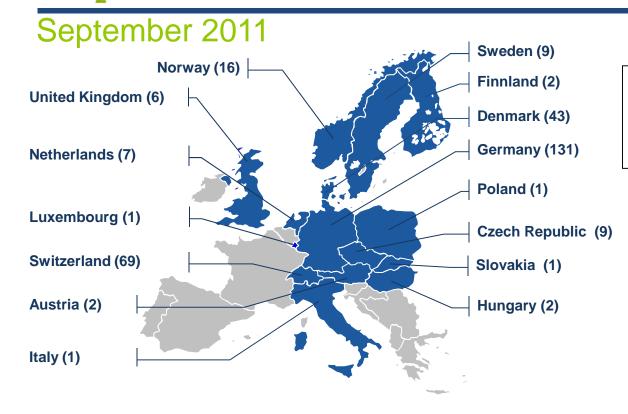




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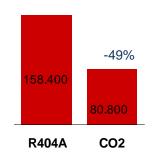


#### YTD September 2011

300 Stores in operation (151 YTD PY)
33 MW MT capacity (18,5 MW PY)
4.3 million operating hours (483 Years)

#### **Environmental Impact**

CO2 equivalent(tons)



Cumulated reduction of CO2 emissions

77.600 tons or\* (40.900 tons YTD PY)

23.200 X (12.900 YTD PY)



\* Average car using 0,12Kg CO2/km; run time 15.000 km per year

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## Geography



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CO<sub>2</sub> DX systems next generation

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