

**Press Release**

**CCP PUBLISHES 2016 ANNUAL REPORT**

The CCP (CO<sub>2</sub> Capture Project) has published its latest Annual Report covering the key programme activities delivered during 2016. The Report is available in digital format at [www.co2captureproject.org](http://www.co2captureproject.org).

Having been founded in 2000 to advance technologies for CO<sub>2</sub> capture and geological storage, CCP is currently in its fourth phase of activity. The 2016 Annual Report summarises the main activities delivered by the organisation's Capture, Storage, Monitoring & Verification, Policy & Incentives and Communications Teams. Highlights of the new Report include:

- progress on the novel capture technologies project, including molten carbonate fuel cells and high-pressure solvent absorption
- conclusions of the natural gas treating study
- latest update on the well sealing experiment at Mont Terri
- conclusion of the study into transitioning CO<sub>2</sub> EOR to CO<sub>2</sub> storage.

CCP Chairman, Jonathan Forsyth, comments: "CCP is delighted to publish its Annual Report for 2016, which reflects the busy year we had and the fact that we are now well underway in our fourth phase of activity. Our aim is to orientate our programme to provide our members with what they need in regard to future CCS development in the face of potential societal needs and legislative requirements. I hope that the Report provides all readers with an interesting overview of some of the main projects we have been involved in."

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### Notes to Editor

The CCP (CO<sub>2</sub> Capture Project) is a group of major energy companies working together to advance the technologies that will underpin the deployment of industrial-scale CO<sub>2</sub> capture and storage (CCS).

Since CCP's formation in 2000, it has undertaken more than 150 projects to increase understanding of the science, economics and engineering applications of carbon capture and storage.

CCP works alongside specialists from industry, technology providers and academia to advance technologies, improve operational approaches and help make CCS a viable option for CO<sub>2</sub> mitigation in the oil and gas industry. CCP has been working closely with government organizations – including the US Department of Energy, European Commission and 60+ academic bodies and global research institutes.

The members of CCP's fourth phase are BP, Chevron, Petrobras and Suncor<sup>1</sup>.

For further information on CCP and its projects, register at [www.co2captureproject.org](http://www.co2captureproject.org).

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<sup>1</sup> Suncor exited CCP in Dec 2016.