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Welcome to the Gasline Newsletter

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Gasline is published regularly as part of the industry's efforts to encourage the direct use of natural gas and LPG into households and small businesses.

Using natural gas and LPG as a direct energy source offers numerous cost, environmental and energy efficiency benefits. Gas New Zealand hopes to educate consumers and policy makers about the many advantages of making wider use of this strategic energy asset.

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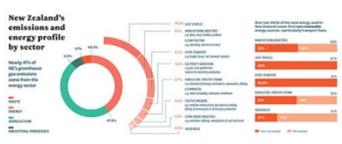
**Study reveals NZ's renewable gas could offset half of residential gas emissions today**



A joint study by Beca, Firstgas Group, and Fonterra reveals renewable gas is a viable, untapped solution to decarbonising New Zealand's residential natural gas network right now, with the potential to replace nearly 20 per cent of the country's total gas usage by 2050.

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**Info for business and government to explore emissions reductions options**



An updated modelling tool will help businesses and organisations grappling with climate change make better-informed decisions about energy use.

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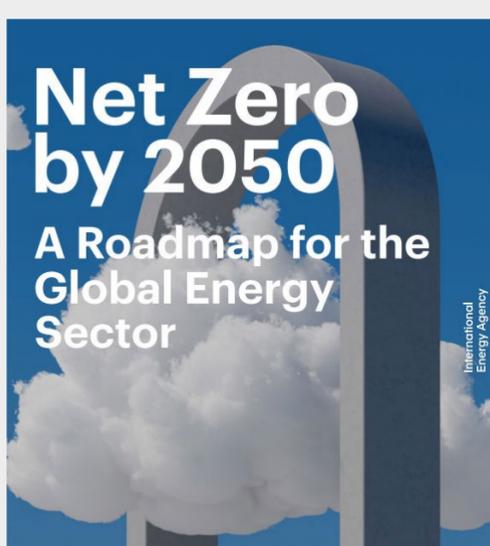
**Dutch Government subsidises planned CCS project**



The Dutch Government will subsidise a consortium of energy companies with \$2.4 billion to support the construction of a carbon capture and storage (CCS) facility at the Port of Rotterdam.

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**IEA net-zero roadmap**



As reported by *Gas in Transition* – an interview with Cyril Widdershoven, energy analyst at VEROCY. The International Energy Agency (IEA) stunned markets in May with the publication of its [Net Zero by 2050 roadmap](#).

It calls for an immediate end to new investments in oil and gas projects as part of a "total transformation of the energy systems that underpin our economies."

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**"Biomethane is the best solution right now"**



As reported by *Natural Gas World*

The European biogas sector is poised for a period of accelerated growth.

The production of biogas and biomethane has been growing steadily for many years in Europe, but the European Biogas Association (EBA) believes a doubling of production is possible by 2030, and a quadrupling by 2050, according to Harmen Dekker, who has been director of the association since April 2020.

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STORY IDEAS?

**We are always looking for stories from both the natural gas and LPG worlds, as well as the wider gas community.**

If you have any story ideas for Gasline please [email Daniel](#).

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