# **Clean Ammonia powered by - Thorium**



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# Pupuk Kaltim Company Profile



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# **PKT** AT A GLANCE



PKT is an Indonesian state-owned company

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#### We are located in Bontang, East Borneo

# **PKT**ATA GLANCE

Become a world-class company that provides innovative and competitive solutions in agribusiness and chemical for a sustainable future.

Vision:



# **PRODUCTION CAPACITY AND SUPPORTING FACILITIES**



# PROMINENT UREA AND AMMONIA PRODUCER ACROSS APAC AND MIDDLE EAST



Readiness to capture future demand through further production expansion

# Copenhagen Atomics Company Profile

# We enable a paradigm shift for nuclear energy

Copenhagen Atomics Waste burner



## The energy source of the future

A metal from the Periodic Table



A single ball of thorium metal can supply you with all the energy you need your entire life.

\$100





The goal

# Mass manufacturing thorium reactors









https://youtu.be/27IntvWo4mo

## The ultimate problem

Human population growth











We are already building the first prototype reactor in Copenhagen



# **Project Description**

# Clean Ammonia powered by Thorium



# Visualisation of a 1 GW power plant



emote controlled crane

Cooling

Each tube holds 2x 40 foot containers

Double lock

1x reactor being delivered by truck

A conceptual visualization of a 1GW Power plant



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DNV (Det Norske Veritas-an international accredited registrar and classification society, headquartered in Høvik, Norway), in their report Energy Transition Outlook 2019: Maritime Forecast to 2050, mentions that the emission reduction targets set by the International Maritime Organization (IMO) can be met through innovative design using ammonia as an alternative fuel. Widespread commercial adoption of ammonia fuel would begin in 2037; ammonia would be the dominant fuel choice for new ships by 2042; and would represent 25% of the maritime fuel mix by 2050.

This represents new demand for roughly 120 million tons per year of green ammonia by 2050.

## 60% of all ocean going ships expected to run on green ammonia by 2050

Current market is almost solely based on natural gas and needs to adopt to a new low emission reality

- Ammonia is currently used as fertilisers. But the essential services ammonia provides come at a cost for the world's climate, ie. a green transition is also expected here
- Ammonia production accounts for about 2% of total final energy consumption, resulting in a CO2 emission equivalent to the total emissions of South Africa's energy system
- In addition to being used as fertiliser Green Ammonia is also predicted to be the backbone for decarbonising international shipping in the medium and long term.
- While ammonia is corrosive and highly toxic if inhaled in high concentrations, ammonia has been handled safely for over a century

#### Huge market growth potential



Source:Mærsk Mc-Kinney Møller Center for Zero Carbon Shipping, Industry Transition Report, October 2021

- Total energy demand by
- With an energy density of 5.17 MWh per metric ton (LHV), this 11.9 EJ annual demand would require roughly 640 million tons of
- 60% of total demand is expected to be Green Ammonia, hence demand is expected to 380 million
- To produce ammonia in these amounts approx 450 GW of electricity is needed.
- Assuming CA can get 15% of the market, it would manufactures 300 reactors per year, every year from 2050 and forward.

## Reactors on Land VS

Retrofit, Barge & Ship

	Price (LCoE)	Market size	Insurance	Development Speed	Fuel choice
New build on land	\$20 / MWh	5000 GW	\$		Any
Retrofit on land	\$40 / MWh	500 GW	\$\$		Depends
On barge	\$40 / MWh	500 GW	\$\$\$		Likely limited
Ship propulsion	\$100 / MWh	50 GW	\$\$\$\$		Clearly limited



# The global ammonia market needs to turn green

The market is expected to triple before 2050

Green ammonia production needs 600 GW of electricity, twice that of what Europe is producing today.

Ammonia is a direct replacement fuel for diesel in ships, trucks, trains and heavy equipment.

Ammonia has been used as fertilizer and for refrigeration systems for more than 80 years. Well established supply chains.

#### Annual Ammonia Production, Million tonne





Today's market is approx. 220 million ton per year.



# Thorium Molten Salt Reactor

# Global primary energy consumption 1800-2021



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Source: Vaclav Smil (2017) and BP Statistical Review of World Energy

## We will never run out

Thorium is more abundant than uranium

Classic nuclear uses U235 and we may run out of it in 200 years time. Therefore it is not considered a renewable energy source.

However thorium can make a breeder reactor and we will run out of materials to build wind and solar before we run out of thorium and the materials needed to build Copenhagen Atomics power plants. Therefore CA reactors are considered über-renewable energy.



Natural Thorium 100% thorium-232

Natural Uranium 99.3% uranium-238 0.7% uranium-235



### Kilowatt hour (kWh) energy Generated from 1 Kg fuel



## The Molten Salt Reactor design

Simple, efficient & inherently safe

The reactor design has three barriers between radioactive salts and nature.

The system is not pressurized.

If the pump is stopped the salt drains in the dump tank by gravity and the chain reaction stops within seconds.

Heavy water is used as the moderator and this helps the Onion Core<sup>®</sup> to outperform any other reactor design.

The energy is transferred through heat exchangers and delivers heat via molten salt at 560C to the customer.





#### The Onion Core® Cross-section view

The reactor core is patented and under the trademarked Onion Core®.

It has ~1200 liters of heavy water, 200 liters of fuel salt and 2000 liters of thorium blanket salt.

It can achieve remarkable neutron economy and breeding in thermal spectrum, which has the potential to outperform any other reactor design from the past.

This requires almost all fission products are removed online and core are constructed out of carbon composites.





## The fundamentals of an MSR

An MSR separates itself from a traditional LWR in several ways resulting in a safer and more efficient reactor design



## Corrosion in molten salt

2000 hours in purified and unpurified FLiNaK salt at 600 °C



# What are the safest energy sources?

Measured as deaths per terawatt-hour of electricity production.

1 terawatt-hour is the annual electricity consumption of 150.000 people in the EU.



#### Death rate from accidents and air pollution



1230 times higher than solar.

## Understanding radiation

Compared to electricity





## Nuclear technology paradigm shift

This is a new category of commercial nuclear energy!





**Lowest cost of energy**. We can match anyone else on price!

**No taxpayer investments**. Copenhagen Atomics, finance, build, own and operate the nuclear power plant and we decommission it after end of life.

Copenhagen Atomics reactors are able to **burn nuclear waste** and reduce storage from 100,000 down to 300 years.

**Ten times** more energy can be extracted from spent nuclear fuel in CA reactors than in classic reactors first use.

# Thank You