



Future necessity of NatRefs in HVAC



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We have only ONE Earth

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With a worldwide PROBLEM !



10 HOTTEST YEARS ON RECORD GLOBALLY

All in OUR life !



We have learned why...

It's called:

The CO₂ disease

Sure, you all know the largest source of CO₂ emission?

NO.1 in CO₂?

HVAC for Buildings !!!

They use OIL, Gas @ Coal ... 33% of total CO₂ emission

In addition, HVAC sector is another 7.8%, TOTAL > 40 %







Start with low hanging fruit!

Reduce CO₂ emissions for HVAC in buildings

EU low-carbon Energy roadmap 2050: 100% emission reduction by 2050

- "Meeting the Paris goal of keeping climate change well below 2° C and aiming for no more than 1.5° C requires bold action, including reaching climate neutrality this century"
- Carbon neutrality to become a target for 2050
- Commissions work will include "in-depth analysis of the economic, social and environmental transformations needed to inform the political debate in the context of the development of the mid-century strategies,"
- Public consultation ongoing
- Only 2 scenarios inline with max. 1.5° C warming



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CO₂ emission

Stop fossil fuel Solar & Wind

Task for the



Heat Pump without HFC's Zero CO₂







Where we are going

Long term perspective

- Europe has approx. 115 120 million buildings
 - 90 million single family residential
 - 15 million multi-family residential
 - 10 15 million commercial and office buildings
- If heat pump reach a market penetration of 75% of all boilers...
 - More than 86 million HP need to be manufactured and installed by 2050
 - 2.9 million every year (2.5 times todays annual sales)

ALL WITH F-gas?



The impact of Buildings and HVAC&R on climate change



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COOLING DEMAND IS TO GROW ! So how then reduce CO₂eq?

Globally, need for AC increases 3x by 2050! <= rising temperatures + growing middle class. UNEP estimates stock will be over \$1.5billion by 2030, 20% of household energy

The "Blue" refrigeration sector is reducing GWP values, charge, goes to natural refrigerants or 'near to zero' GWP gas. With bans, incentives, and trends in the world.

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The "Orange" HVAC sector is strongly on R22, R407C, R410A, R32. Splits and VRF are largest in size and booming sales. No plans for a 'near to zero' GWP alternative in sight!



Source UNEP % in CO2eq

End Users will find out, stop accepting this and change their public policy !



The F-gas contradiction !



FACT: **99**% of all HVAC units operate with F Gas refrigerants

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It is no rocket science this is likely running into a **PROBLE**





HVAC: Do we want this?





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Nat Refs Alternatives are plenty out there







RESIDENTIAL AC

(prodiminantly Asia)

China: share 85%, 100 million units / year

20 RAC lines ready for R290: *potential* 6 mio units/yr

Major players: Midea, Gree, Haier, TCL

NEW PRODUCTION	OF	R290	ACs	>	MIDEA

Midea products

Model Name

Refrigerant

Operating Mode

Cooling Capacity

Rated Power Input

Refrigerant Charge

Rated Input Current

Currently two sizes developed

Both reversible

Other products developed

· Safety systems under development

Model	Indoor unit (mm)	Outdoor unit (mm)	Cooling capacity	EER	Heating capacity	COP	R290 charge	(
KFR- 26GW/N7 Y-Y(C4)	850 × 275 × 160	780 x 540 x 250	2.6 kW	3.4	2.8 kW	3.6	290 g	
KFR- 35GW/N7 Y-Y(C4)	900 × 285 × 160	780 × 540 × 250	3.5 kW	3.4	3.7 kW	3.6	350 g	

R290-18K

Cooling 4900 W

1318 W

6 A

3.72

R 290

0.340 kg

NEW PRODUCTION OF R290 ACs > GREE

Max noise

ID/OD

Dimensio

Indoo 30×284> Outdoo

760×257×

Gree products

- · Several models developed
- Split, window, portable Reversible and cooling only
- · Products have safety system
- integrated to reduce leak amount Lower price than equivalent R22.
- R410A models Charge

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Midea - received Blue Angel certification from German government

India: Split AC represents 80% of total AC units

 \pm 300,000 R290 units installed

inverter R290 top efficiency Leader: Godrej

PORTABLE AC: Europe is moving towards R290 in 2020

- EU F-Gas bans HFCs with GWP > 150 in portable AC as of 2020
- Delonghi, Midea, TCL, Blaupunkt, Kaysun, Gree, Olimpia Splendid •



R290-12K

Cooling

3400 W

914 W

4 A

3.72

R 290

0.290 kg

viinen FFR

(kW) (W/W) (g) (dB)

2.7 3.55 265 38/52

3.5 3.52 330 41/52



SPLIT HC MARKET = reluctant Active world policy support, update of safety regulations, update of EN standards industry commitment and training are underway to unlock R290 RAC GoNatR



COMMERCIAL HVAC

In recent years

Number of brands on #GoNatrefs has exploded

Over 100 Brands are now available worldwide





Product availability is solved !



ALSO plenty CO₂ and NH₃ CHILLERS / H P today available





Are you still waiting for the final trigger to explode sales of NatRefs HVAC?

Today's LESSONS for Consultants & HVAC END USERS :

- 1. F-gas free solutions is the only way forward. There is plenty of choice today
- 2. The growth of F-gas driven heat pumps is **in conflict** to the future HFC availability.
- 3. NatRefs are final and <u>definitive solution</u> for our generations to come !
- 4. World's global warming **problem is driven by HVAC for buildings**
- 5. NatRefs and Heat Pumps is the *lowest hanging fruit way to carbon neutral.*



Remember this story. Make it your story too...



Pass it on! We need each other. Our future is ours.





Thank you

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Thank you for listening!

