

# **Danfoss**

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#### Main areas of work:

 Senior Director Sales Europe, Middle East and Africa

#### **Education:**

- Masters degree (Marine Engineering)
- Primary Education Engineering Materials

#### Work experience:

- 18 years in Danfoss out of 27 years within Refrigeration
- Branch Manager for IR Contractor
- Senior Director Sales Asia
- Global Marketing Director
- Sale Manager for Industrial Refrigeration (IR) and Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM)
- Sales Engineer
- Technical Service Support
- Installation Manager for Refrigeration Contractor
- Marine Engineer



Danfoss engineers technologies that enable the world of tomorrow to do more with less. We meet the growing need for infrastructure, food supply, energy efficiency and climate-friendly solutions



Mr. Mads Clausen established a company and named it Danfoss.



# **Business** segments



## **DANFOSS POWER SOLUTIONS**

Market position



32% of Group net sales

- 6,815 employees
- 22 factories in 11 countries
- 2.3bn USD



## **DANFOSS COOLING**

**Market position** 



- · 6,396 employees
- 13 factories in 10 countries
- 1.9bn USD



## **DANFOSS DRIVES**

Market position



- 4,652 employees
- **11 factories** in 7 countries
- **1.7**bn USD



## **DANFOSS HEATING**

**Market position** 



- 5,339 employees
- 26 factories in 12 countries
- 1.2bn USD

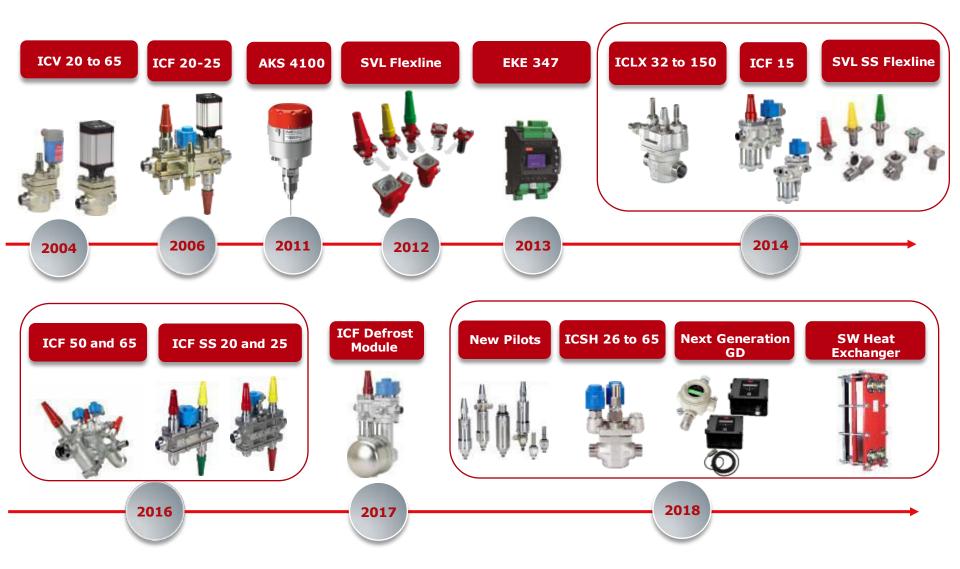




# Industrial Refrigeration



# Innovation highlights 2004-2018

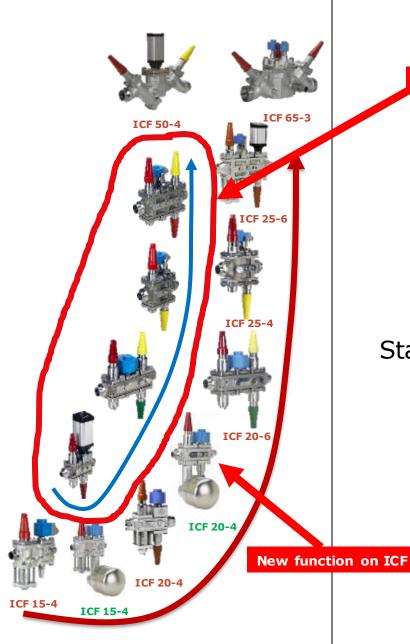




# The Formula for Efficiency

Danfoss ICFD Defrost Module



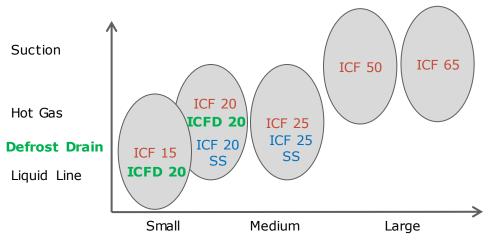


**Stainless Steel** 

## The ICF Portfolio

Focus is to continually develop our offering to meet customer and market needs and continue the journey from conventional valves and transfer to ICF valve stations.

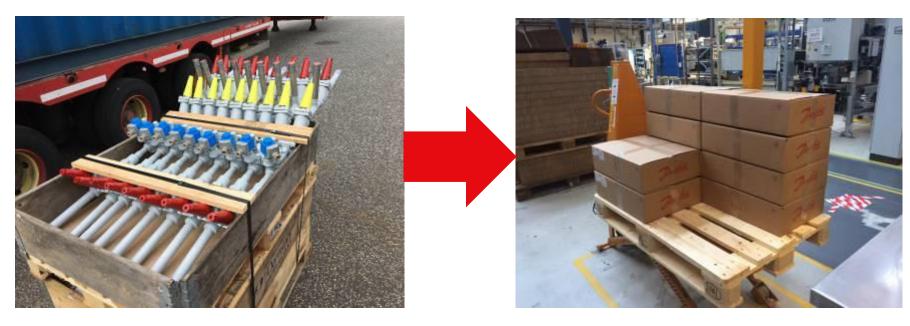
## Stainless Steel



# New opportunities

## **SVA-FIA-ICS-NRVA-REG-SVA**



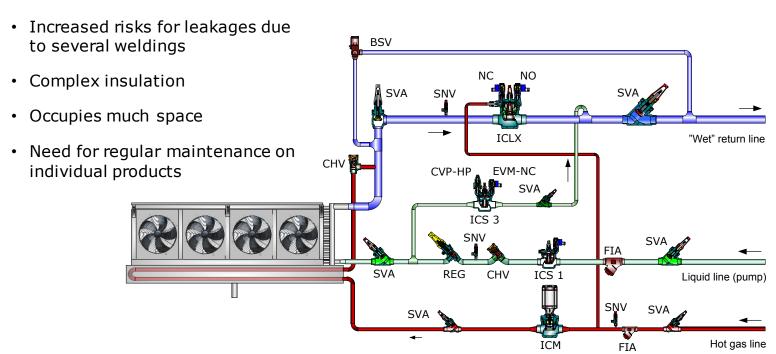


### Hot gas defrost by pressure control

## Air cooler without the **ICF Valve Station**

A conventional system with numerous individual valves:

 Installation requires disassembly and re-assembly prior to welding

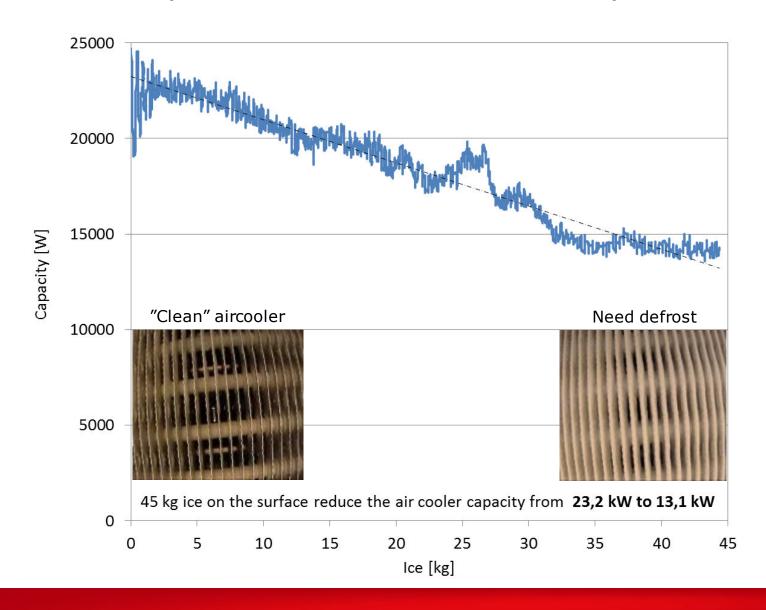


### Hot gas defrost by liquid drain

## Air cooler with the **ICF Valve Station**

ICF Valve Stations across the wet suction, liquid, hot gas, and defrost drain lines BSV Uniting simplified efficiency and reduced SNV energy consumption ICF65-3-41 'Wet" return line CHV 6 ICF20-4-102D1 SNV Liquid line ICF25-6-3RA (pump) Hot gas line ICF50-4-43MA

# Air cooler performance vs. ice build-up on surface



# Pressure Controlled vs Liquid Drain

## Pressure Controlled

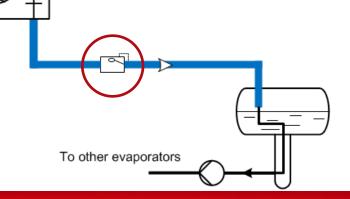
 Increasing amount of gas is bypassed as defrost progresses

# bypass Gas "Evaporator as condenser"

## Liquid Drain

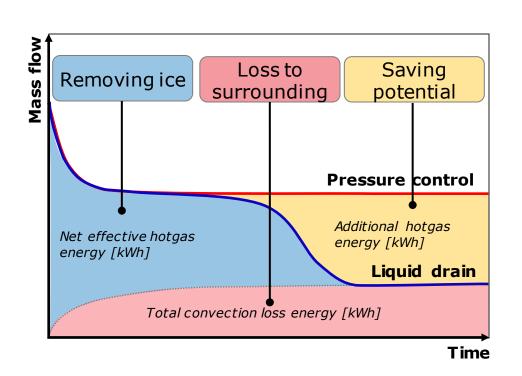
 Float valve just returns liquid to separator

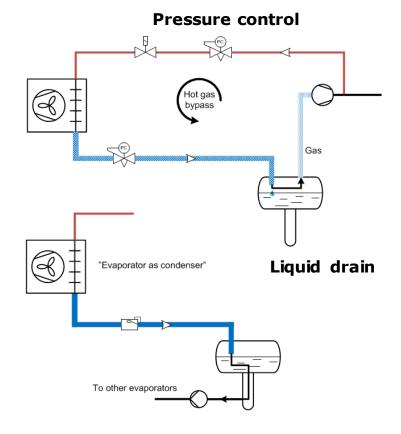
...minor gas bypass necessary though bleed



## Mass flow

## Liquid drain method vs. Pressure control method

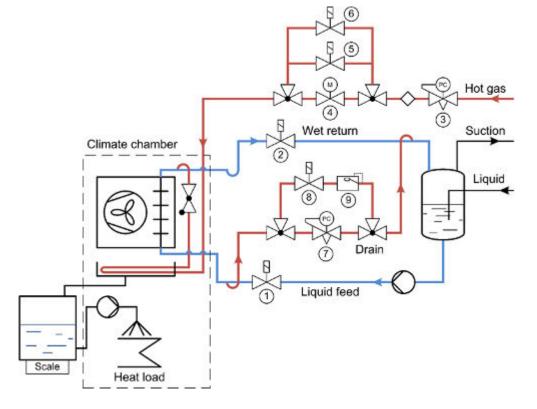




# Defrost test

- Laboratory tests / measurements at DTI
- Defrost simulation tool
- Test on Industry applications
- Literature study

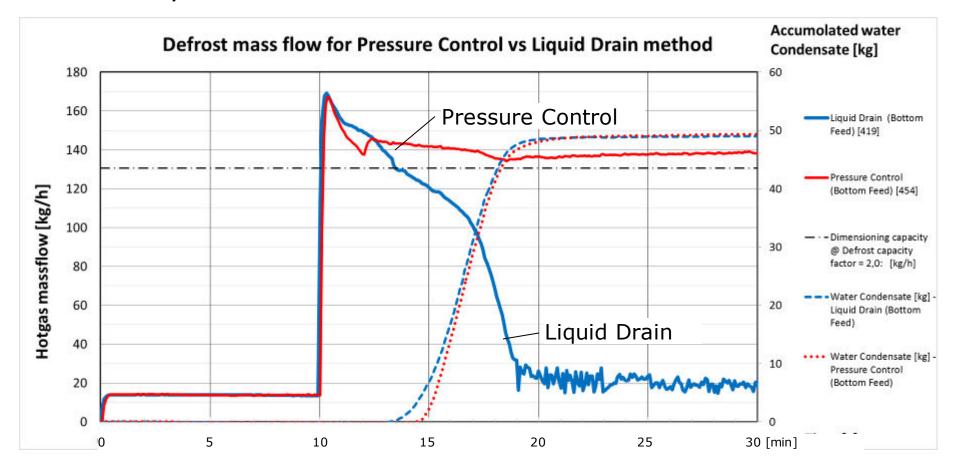








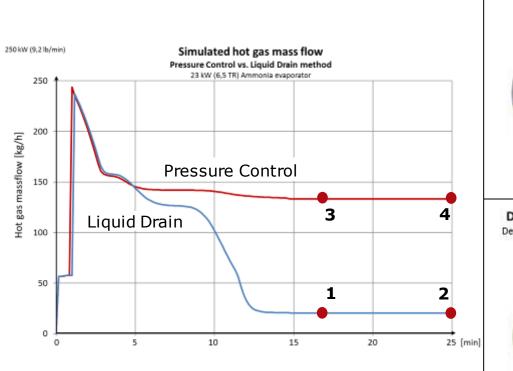
## Laboratory defrost test

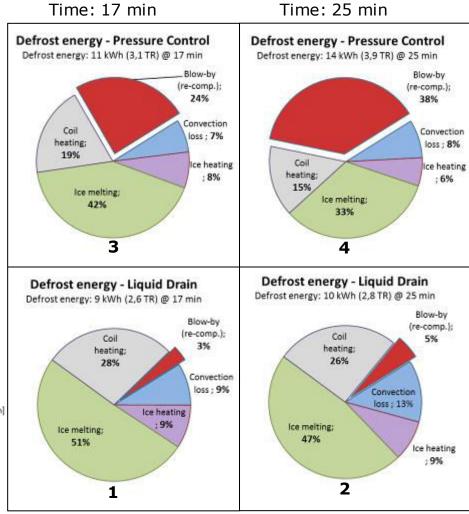


Laboratory defrost test shows significant saving potential on a new "modern" air-cooler, with Liquid Drain defrost vs. Pressure Controlled defrost

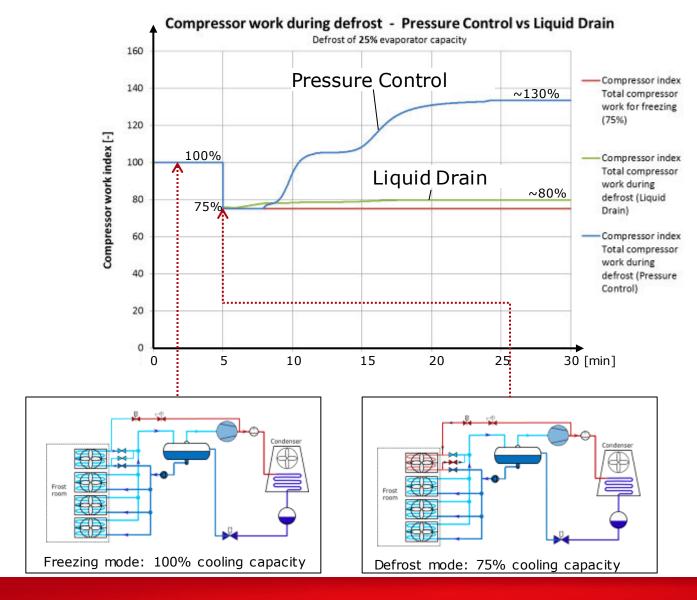
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# Defrost energy - Pressure Control vs. Liquid Drain

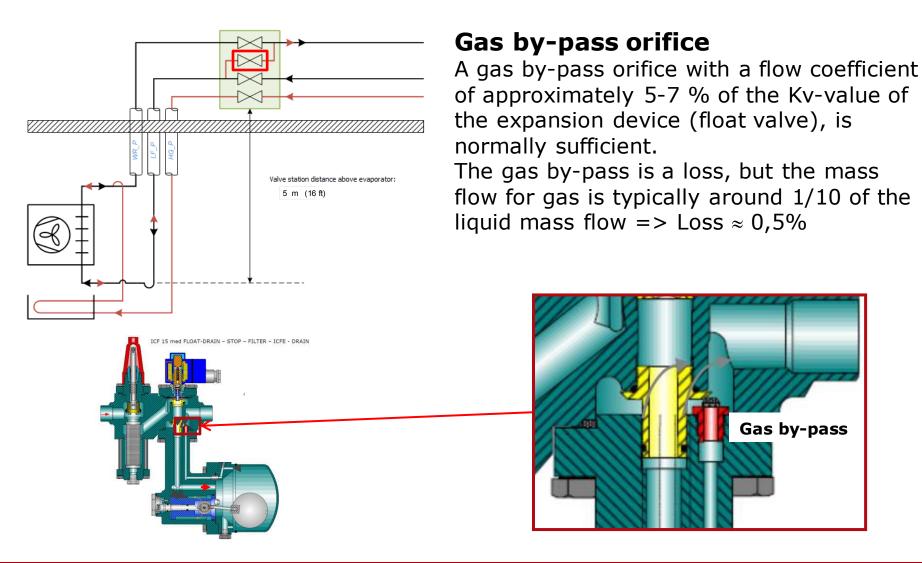




## Compressor work during defrost - Pressure Control vs Liquid Drain Defrost of 25% evaporator capacity

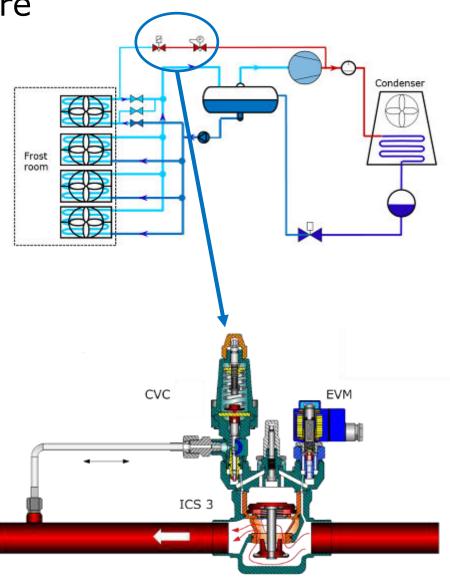


# Roof mounted valve station (Liquid Drain -ICF) Gas by-pass orifice



Regulated hot gas pressure

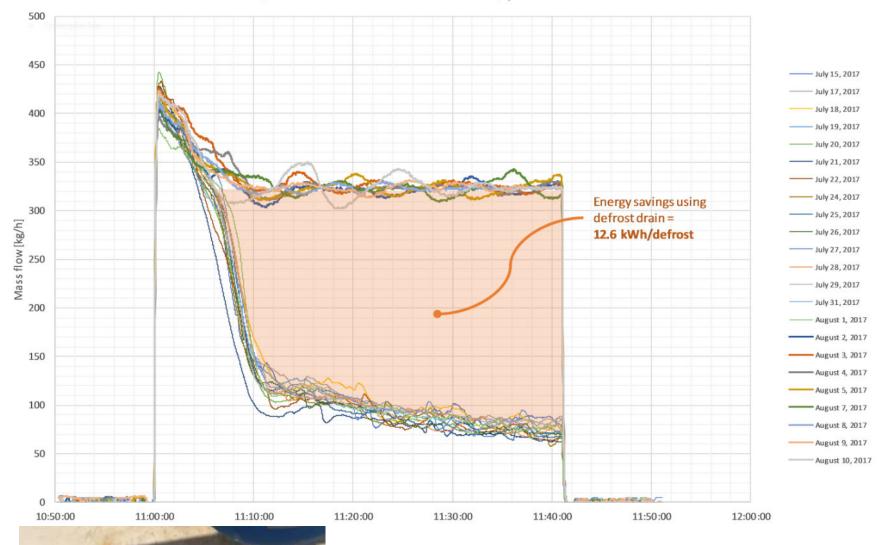
- Defrost temperature ~ 10 C (50 F) is generally an efficient defrost temperature.
- Hotgas supply pressure depends on the pressure drop in the supply system, but a "rule of thumb" state ~1 bar(15 psi) across the hotgas solenoid.
- "Regulated" hot gas is recommended (pressure my increase in evaporator to higher level than for Pressure Control method); regulated by a back pressure control valve.
- "Regulated" hot gas is good design practice, and support high safety level.



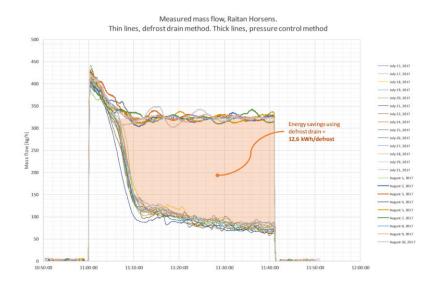




Measured mass flow, Raitan Horsens. Thin lines, defrost drain method. Thick lines, pressure control method



# Compressor energy savings



## Customer Benefit (end-user)

- Reduction of blow-by gas by up to 90%
- Eliminates need to re-compress blow-by gas
- Less loading of compressors
- Reduce hot gas consumption

## Customer Value (end-user)

Reduced energy consumsion

#### **Assumptions:**

Evaporator: 41 kW @ -25C (12 TR, @ -13□F)

Defrost 40 min. Once a day Savings:12.6 kWh pr defrost

Industry current rate: EU 28 countries 2017:0.17 USD Danish Energy Ministry: <a href="https://ens.dk/service/statistik-">https://ens.dk/service/statistik-</a>

data-noegletal-og-kort/priser-paa-el-og-gas

#### Calculation:

Evaporator/year: 12.6 x 0.17 x360

782 USD Per Evaporator/Year

(650 EUR)



Customer Value

## **Danfoss IRF** Coolselector®2

- Provides complete valve and piping calculation and selection
- Offers specific sales/order codes
- Consult Danfoss Industrial Refrigeration experts for advice on how to optimize the defrost cycle based on the system conditions in question
- Easy download and installation
- ICFD released August 31st





#### Coolselector2

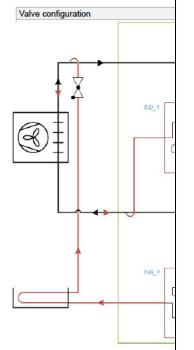


#### Project information

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#### Evaporator valve station 1



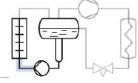
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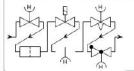
#### Evaporator valve station 1 - Liquid feed line

Operating conditions (synchronic	zed acro	oss app	lication)	
Refrigerant:	R717		Cooling capacity:	
Mass flow in line:	833,9	kg/h	Heating capacity:	
Evaporating temperature:	-10,0	°C	Condensing temperature	
Evaporating pressure:	2,914	bar	Condensing pressure:	
Superheat before compressor:	0	K	Subcooling:	
Circulation rate:	3,00	-	Additional subcooling:	
DP pump:	2,000	bar	Discharge temperature:	
System and line:	Pump - Liquid feed line Size: DIN-EN Butt weld / DIN-EN 20 (3/4")			
Initial line connection type and size:				
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Line total			
Pressure drop	0,628	bar	
Saturation temperature drop	3,7	K	

#### Position 1. ICF-20-6-20D DIN-EN Butt weld DN 20



Type codetCF-20-6-20DSXFXEXOXRANX62XX Type string: ICF 20-6-2RA Code number: 027L3009 Pressure drop 0,628 Saturation temperature drop 3,7

#### Position 1. House in

Pressure drop	0,005	bar
Saturation temperature drop	0,0	K
Velocity, in	0,91	m/s

#### Position 1. Stop valve: ICFS 20 m



Pressure drop 0,008 bar Saturation temperature drop 0,0 K Velocity, in 0,91 m/s Velocity, out 0,91 m/s

## Coolselector®2

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	Quantity	Product Description	Code number	Type Code	Sales Price
		Evaporator valve station 1			
		Liquid feed line			
	1	ICF-20-6-20D DIN-EN Butt w eld DN 20. M1: Stop. M2: Filter. M3: Solenoid. M4: Manual. M5: Control. M6: Check	027L3009	ICF-20-6-20DSXFXEXOXRANX62XX	
		Wet return line			
	1	ICF-50-4-50D DIN-EN Butt w eld DN 50. M1: Stop. M2: Blank. M3: Solenoid. M4: Stop	027L5023	ICF-50-4-50DSXBXIXSXXXXX2JXX	
	1	Welding connection for ICF side port			
X		Hot gas defrost line			
A	1	ICF-25-4-32D DIN-EN Butt w eld DN 32. M1: Stop. M2: Filter. M3: Solenoid. M4: Stop	027L4067	ICF-25-4-32DSXFXEHSXXXXX49XX	
9		Defrost drain line			
7	1	ICF-15-4-20D DIN-EN Butt w eld DN 20. M1: Stop. M2: Filter. M3: Solenoid. M4: Float EV	027L4589	ICF-15-4-20DSYFYEXD1XXXX24AX	
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# TREND IN TECHNOLOGIES WITHIN INDUSTRIAL REFRIGERATION

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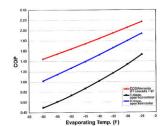


# Driving forces of Large Refrigeration System



# Industrial Refrigeration

## **Industry Drivers**



#### Cost

 primary growth in emerging markets with higher price pressure, TCO awareness

## Safety

Safety

Reliability

 products and system design



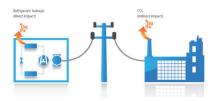
## Reliability

Automatic running



#### **Global warming**

 refrigerants focus, plays along with NH3 and CO2



## Energy efficiency

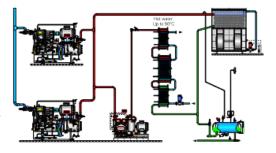
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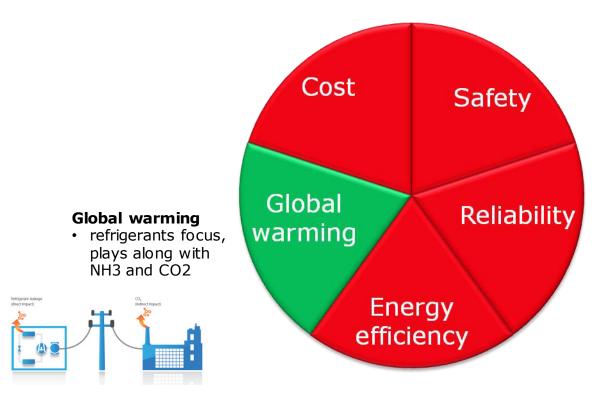
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warming

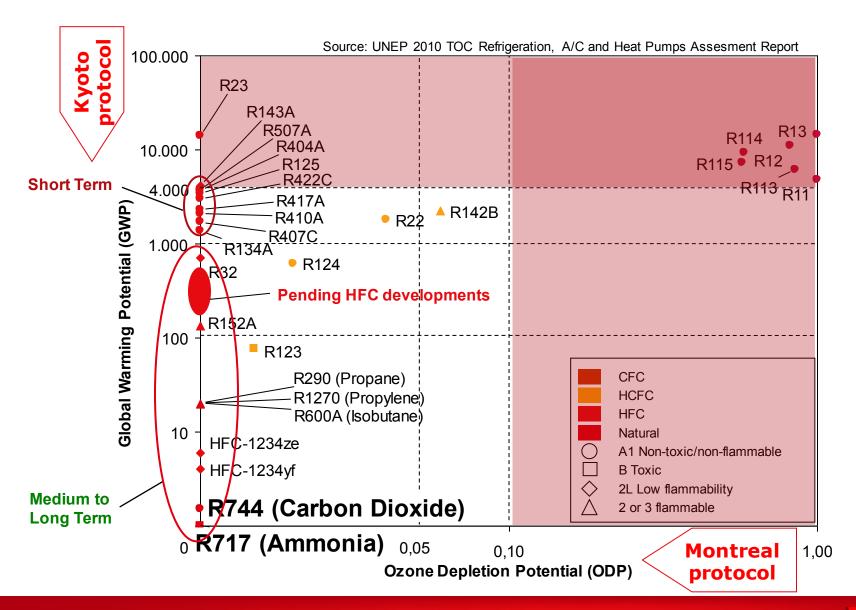
### **Energy efficiency**

- new and retrofit systems
- Industriel heat pumps



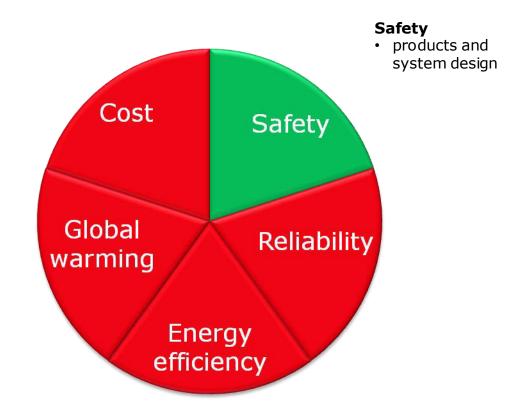


# Refrigerant Map - outlook



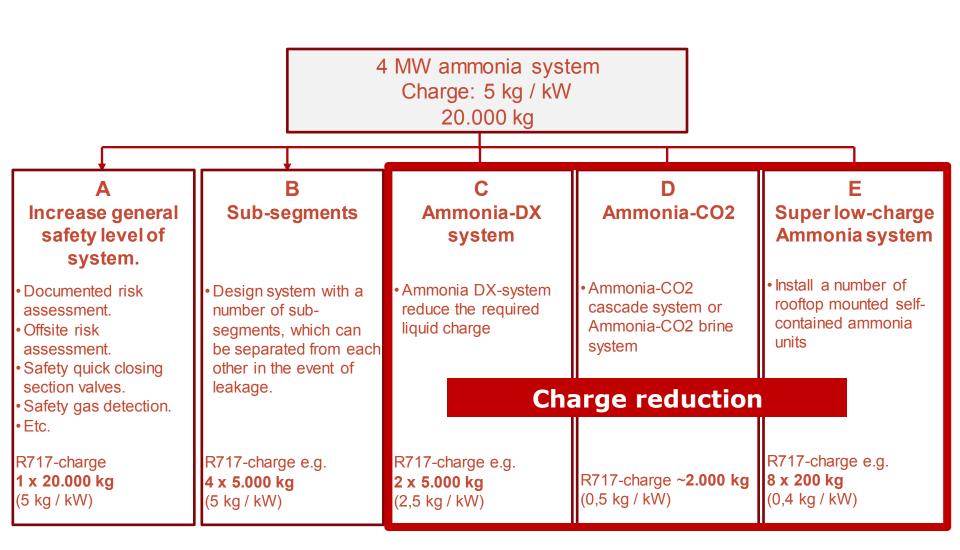
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**Industry Drivers** 



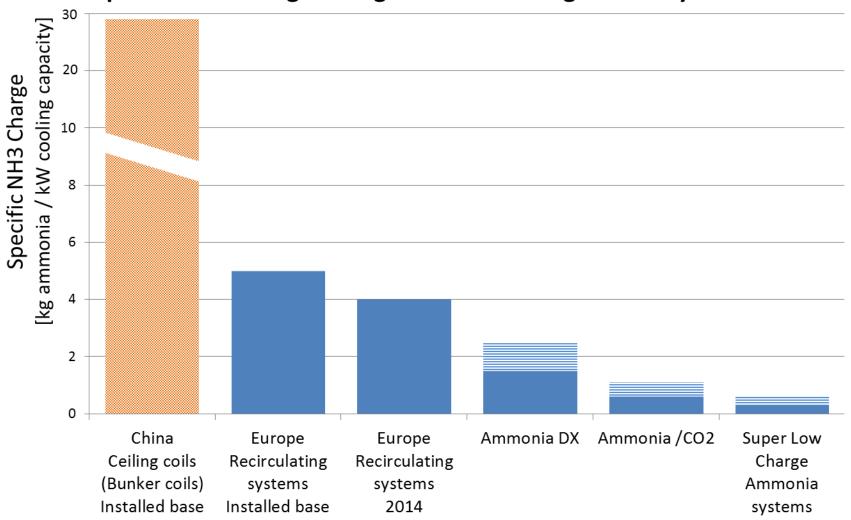


# Offsite risk mitigation by charge reduction / segmentation



## Ammonia charge in large industrial refrigeration systems

## Specific NH3 charge in large industrial refrigeration systems



# Reduced charge = Reduced Risk

Example: Cold Store 2300 kW

Ammonia Ceiling Coil system  $\Leftrightarrow$  Ammonia DX system with Aluminum Air Coolers

Type of evaporators	Ammonia charge (kg)	Ammonia charge (kg /kW)	Charge reduction (%)	
U bend ceiling coil (OD,38mm; ID, 32mm)	59869	26	94%	
Aluminum DX Air coolers	3680	1.6	94%	



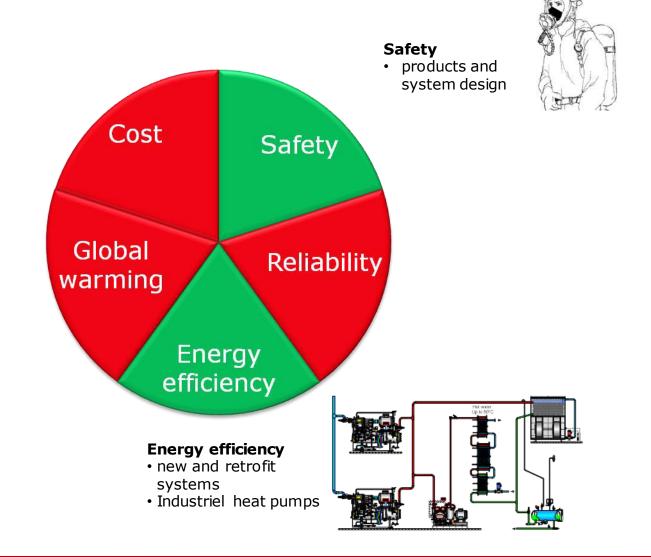






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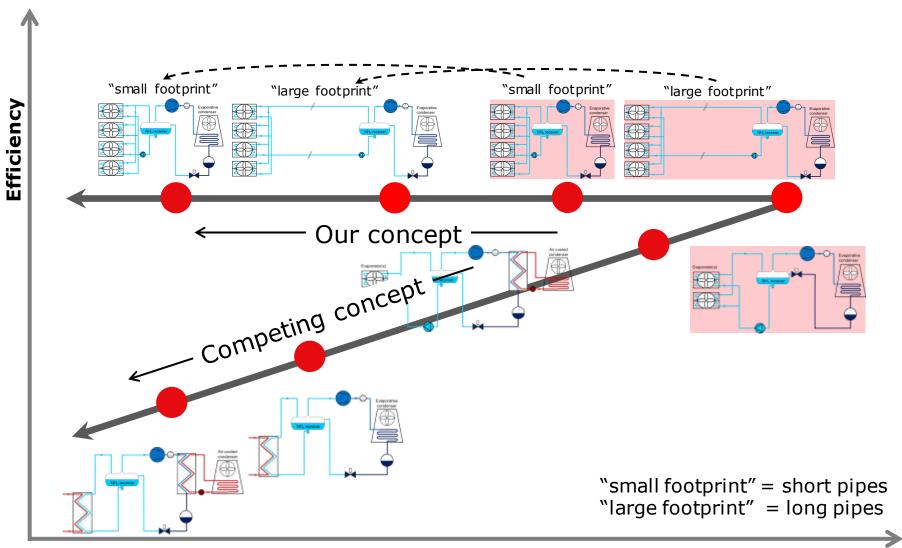
**Industry Drivers** 



New upcoming "Low Charge" solutions

# Charge reduction without compromising efficiency

Impact on efficiency by concepts



Specific refrigerant charge [kg refrigerant / kW cooling]

### Super low charged ammonia system for cold storages

### Mitigating risks

Though not entirely new, advancements in evaporator design and liquid feed control open the door to NH3 systems offering

- No need for an engine room
- Roof-top based design
- "VLC" very low NH3 charge
- Claimed to have up to 98% less ammonia than regular systems (lowest charge < 100 g / kW)
- Fully automated self-contained NH3 system
- Very fast installation





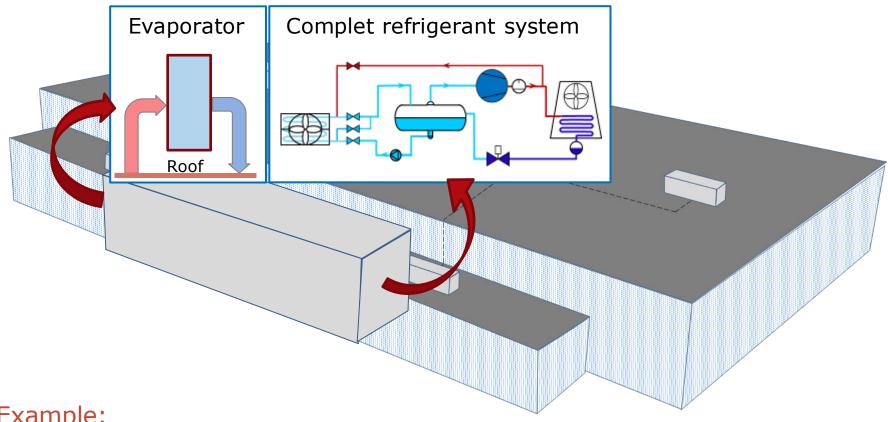




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### Super low charged ammonia system for cold storages New upcoming trend in USA



Example:

Cold storages with 6 self-contained

NH3 "penthouse units"

6 x 100 kg ammonia

6 x 250 kW cooling capacity

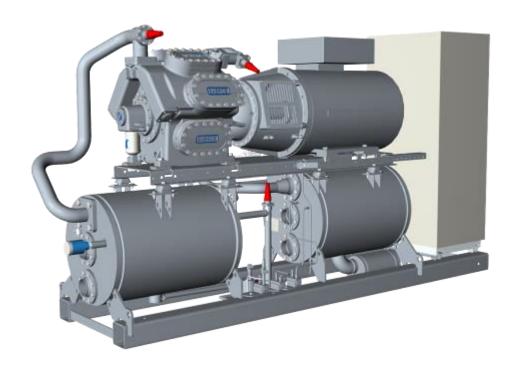


### ChillPAC MK3



Better performance, less vibration, less charge, easy service

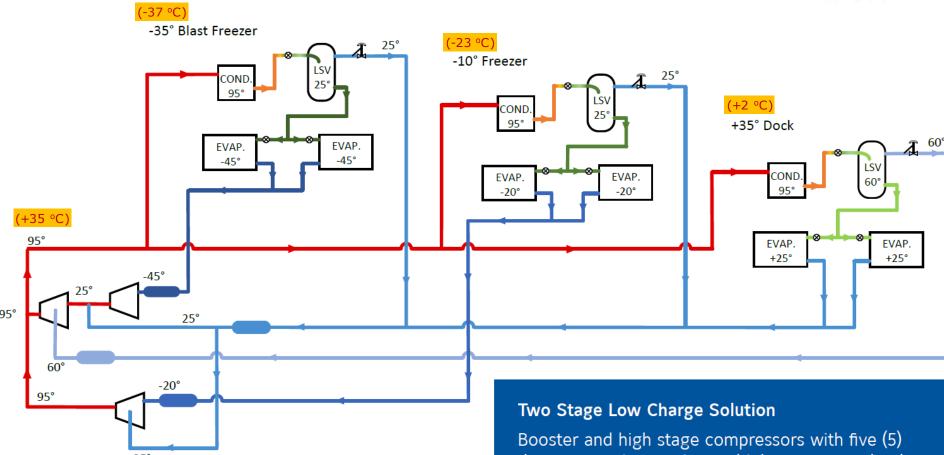
- Compact design, small footprint, door size
- Capacity: 150 1400 kW (Water inlet 12°C, water outlet: 7°C
- Flooded evaporator with integrated liquid separator
- Low refrigerant (ammonia) charge: 40 kg / 1000 kW cooling
- HP-side design pressure: 28 bar (suitable as lukevarm heat pump)





# Low Charge Central System





- No liquid refrigerant in engine room
- No liquid "distribution lines"
- All "distribution lines" dry gas
- Specific charge: 1.5-3 lbm/TR (0,5-1 kg/kW)

dry vapor mains serving multiple evaporator loads at differing suction conditions.

No liquid refrigerant is in the engine room. Ideal for blast freezing.

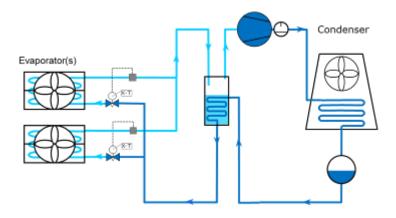


# Ammonia low charge systems

Ammonia pump circulating system with regulated circulation rate

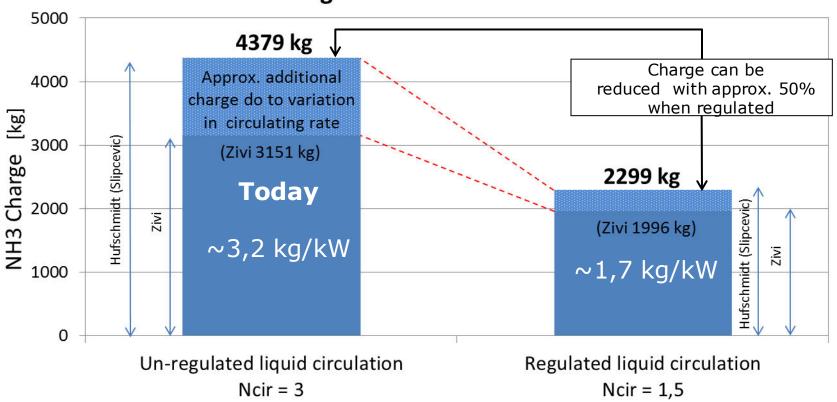
Condenser Evaporator(s) NH<sub>3</sub> receiver

Ammonia "**DX"-system** with hot gas defrost & suction accumulator



### Potential: Charge reduction by regulated liquid circulation

#### NH3 charge in a 1380 kW Cold Store

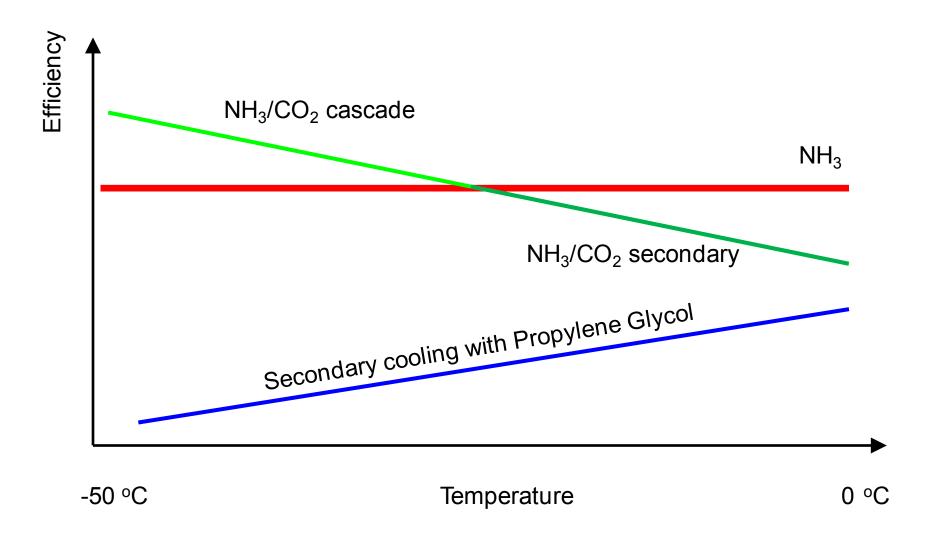


Example based on:

Cold Store: 580 kW freezing @ -35 °C and 800 kW cooling @ -5 °C total 1380 kW

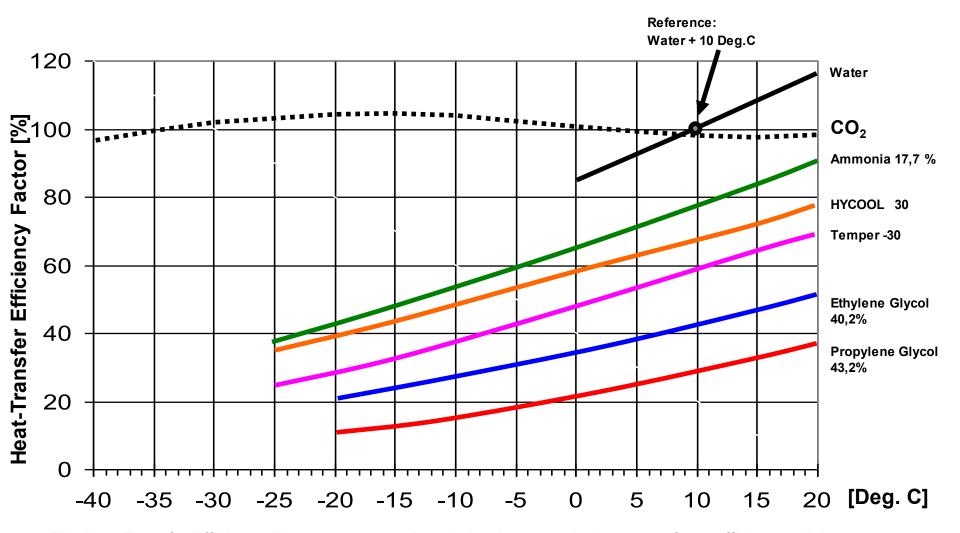
14 evaporators @ -35 °C and 22 evaporators @ -5 °C

## Ammonia vs. CO2/Ammonia and Glycol systems



#### CO2 <-> Secondary cooling systems *Heat-Transfer*

#### Efficiency Factor



The Heat-Transfer Efficiency Factor expresses the relation between the heat-transfer coefficient and the necessary pump power to overcome frictional pressure losses.

## CO<sub>2</sub> as a brine

Calculation example: Energy consumption

		CO <sub>2</sub>	Propylen Glycol	CO <sub>2</sub>	Hycool
Air temperature	[°C]	0	0	-20	-20
Cooling capacity	[kW]	500	500	500	500
<b>Evaporating temp</b>	[°C]	-7,0	-9,5	-28,0	-32,0
Additional heat gains,	[%]	7%	10%	9%	12%
Additional heat gains,	[kW]	35	50	45	60
Pump power	[kW]	1	14	1	16
Cooling capacity adjusted	[kW]	536	564	546	576
Compressor power	[kW]	130	140	251	306
Pump power	[kW]	1	14	1	16
Total install	[kW]	131	154	252	322
Total energy difference (CO <sub>2</sub> vs. glycol)	[%]	15%		22%	

# Comparison of ammonia vs. CO<sub>2</sub> systems

#### Pre-conditions

- Dimensioning capacity: 1000 kW @ -10 °C & 1000 kW @ 40 °C
- Floating condensing temperature: TC<sub>min</sub> = 15 °C for R717 & 10 °C for CO<sub>2</sub>

#### Ammonia two stage open intercooler

- HT: SAB 283 S VSD
- IT: SAB 283 F male drive
- Control system: Flooded evaporators

#### CO<sub>2</sub> + Ammonia two stage cascade

- HT: SAB 283 S VSD
- LT: HPC 108 S Rotatune
- Control system: Flooded evaporators & temperature difference in cascade cooler: 5 K

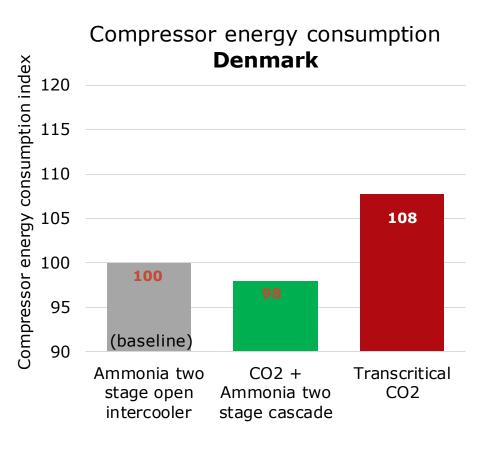
#### Transcritical CO<sub>2</sub>

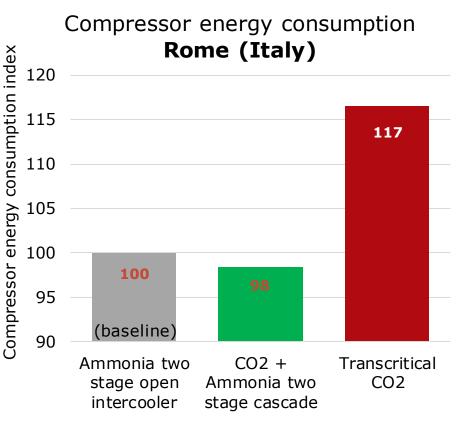
- Bitzer 4CTC-30K • HT / IT:
- IT: Bitzer 4NSL-30K
- Control system: DX

Calculation based on Pack Calculation Pro ver.4.20

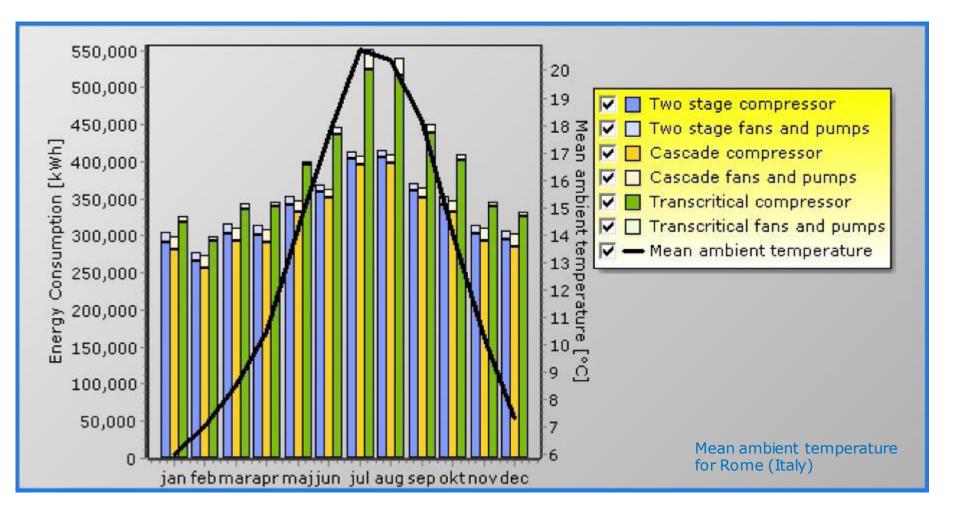


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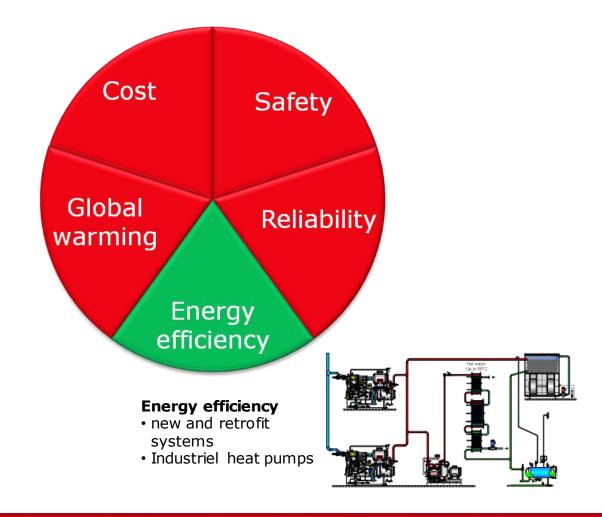


# Comparison of ammonia vs. CO<sub>2</sub> systems



# Industrial Refrigeration

### **Industry Drivers**



### Utilize waste heat with Ammonia Heat pumps

Slaughter-

houses



**Breweries** 

Ammonia - high temperature

• Pressure: up to 65 bar

**Dairies** 

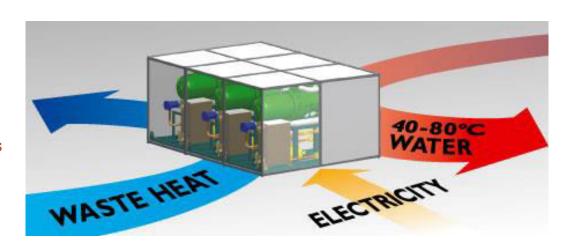
• COP: up to 5 or higher as add-on

• Temperature range: water up to 95°C

 Applications: food processing, process technologies and district heating

Ice Rinks

Capacity range: ~200 kW -> 30+ MW



Poultry

District

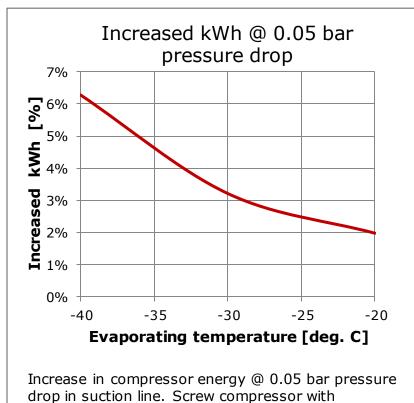
Heating

## Benefit of implementing effective control systems

### Servo operated valves vs. motorized valves

- Servo operated valves requires 0.2 bar for 100% opening, and min 0.05 bar
- Example: An additional pressure drop at e.g. 0.05 bar in a suction line of an Ammonia system with an evaporating temperature at -40 Deg. C correspond to a temperature drop on approx. 1.5 K.

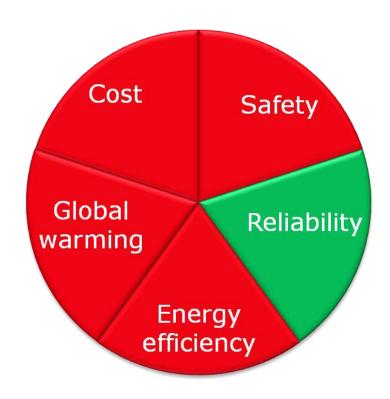




Ammonia. (TE -40 to -20 Deg. C / TC +30 Deg. C)

# Industrial Refrigeration

### **Industry Drivers**





## Danfoss Flexline™ Commonalities Across ICV, ICF And SVL

- Platform based concept offering a lot of benefits such as
  - Clever simplicity
  - Advanced flexibility
  - Timesaving efficiency
- All products are designed for Ammonia and CO<sub>2</sub>
- Standard approval for 52 bar (65 bar on request)



ICV Flexline ™ Control valve



ICF Flexline ™ <sup>-</sup> Complete valve stations



SVL Flexline TM - Line components

## "State of the art" Cold Store application



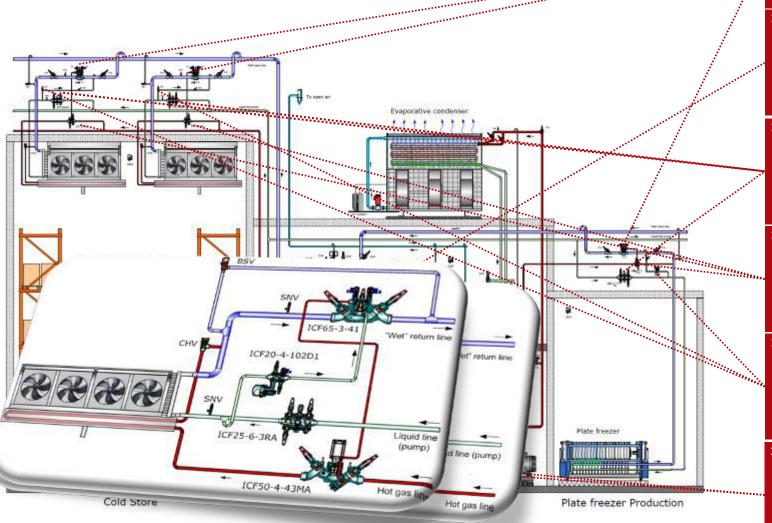












### Coolselector®2

- Provides complete valve and piping calculation and selection
- Provides application selection (complete evaporator station selection)
- Offers specific sales/order codes
- Easy download and installation

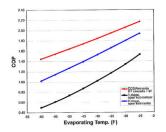


Fast and easy selection

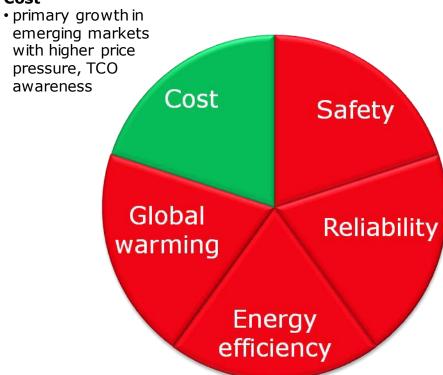


# Industrial Refrigeration

#### **Industry Drivers**



#### Cost



# Total cost of ownership for complete system



#### **Conclusion**

- >The ammonia industry has a long history with more than 100 years of experince.
- ➤Today's challenges:
  - Ammonia is still the preferred refrigerant for industrial applications
  - Safety is a topic, that has to be treated professional
  - Low charge ammonia systems is an obvious solution
  - Low charge solutions can be obtained by:
    - Re-design traditional pump-systems
    - Combining ammonia and CO<sub>2</sub>
    - Transcritical CO2
  - Increase energy efficiency





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