

Methanol as a Maritime Fuel

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Demand





- Demand and Supply have largely been in balance over the past 20 years
- ~32M mtpa traded internationally
 O China imports >10M mtpa
- Broad sub-vertical markets across both chemicals and fuel applications means
 - Less price volatility
 - Predictable supply
 - o Consistent quality standard

Source: Based on data from MMSA (2020)

Availability



ESTABLISHED TRADING HUBS



- Efficient break bulking, swaps, blending
- Transparent price assessments
- Standards and safe handling
- Lowers entry costs

METHANOL AVAILABLE IN OVER 100 PORTS TODAY

Ports with confirmed methanol supply/storage
 Ports with private bulk liquid storage

www.methanol.org/join-us

Methanol use cases and demand drivers

Looking into the future green methanol will be used in a wide range of applications as a fuel and as a hydrogen carrier - and continue it's role as a chemical building block



1) Internal combustion engine; 2) SAF = Sustainable Aviation Fuel; 3) MtJ = Methanol to jet; 4) LH2 = liquefied H2 at c. -253 °C; 5) LOHC = Liquefied organic hydrogen carrier Source: IRENA study green methanol, IRENA pathway to decarbonize shipping, EU and national H2 strategies, EU Fit-for-55, Company publications, Auto OEM strategies, Roland Berger

2050: Potential 5-Fold demand increase

Conventional Methanol Emissions Reduction



- According to IRENA, the uptake for both bio and renewable methanol is set to increase substantially, by a factor of 5x compared with conventional methanol, from approximately 1mln mtpa in 2023
 - o Existing infrastructure can be repurposed
 - Waste feed and CO₂ streams are readily available, allowing harder to decarbonize sectors to de-leverage
 - Cost effective and supports transition to carbon neutrality

https://www.irena.org/publications/2021/Jan/Innovation-Outlook-Renewable-Methanol

Figure 47. Current and future methanol production by source



Order book

Fuel consumption

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Alternative Fuels Uptake



Engine Designers Top Engine Designers



Potential Methanol Demand

190 x 300 = 57,000 mt/day 57,000 x 25 = 1.4M mt/mo 1.4M x 12 mo = **17.1M mtpa**

Alt Fuel Uptake by Number of Vessels

Alt Fuel	Fleet	% Fleet	Order Book	% Order Book
Methanol	25.0	0.0%	165.0	3.1%

Uptake by Vessel Type

Uptake by Vessel Type





Source: Clarksons

Aggregation of Bio & E-methanol





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Can it be optimized?

- Case for consolidation of production capacities
 - Feed
 - Technology
 - EPC
 - Logistics
- Use of existing distribution, storage, S&M
- Digital Trading

Green methanol supply and demand



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Transitional benchmarking & scaling



Year	IMO Targeted reductions relative to reference year				
2020		Ref	erence year		
2025		\downarrow	2%		
2030		\downarrow	6% > 30%		
2035		\checkmark	13%		
2040		\downarrow	26% > <mark>80%</mark>		
2045					
2050		\downarrow 7	75% > 100%		

"Overall level of ambition to reach netzero emissions as close to 2050 as possible on an LCA basis"

Sources: IMO, IRENA, MI



Methanol and green methanol forecast

The outlook for methanol into 2050 is very promising. Strong additional potential in aviation and H2 long-distance transport – but only if key hurdles are mastered

Forecast by IRENA

Growth drivers in key segments

Updated forecast by Roland Berger



well covered by IRENA not strong upside potential, but hurdles

Source: IRENA, Roland Berger

Bunkering guidelines



ICS CCS

T/CPCAS

Group Standard of China Petroleum Circulation Association

T/CPCAS 1-2023

Code of Practice for marine methanol bunkering

(Exposure Draft)

When submitting feedback, please attach the relevant patents together with the supporting documents of your knowledge.

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Introduction to

Methanol Bunkering

Technical Reference

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Training & ISO standard



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- Green Marine has established training hubs in Asia, with senior trainers, classrooms and onsite facilities as well as appropriate government networks for certification
- Basic SOLAS/IGF/STCE requirement for the Basic and Advanced IGF trainings already in hand, modified to ensure they are methanol specific
- Courses lectures materials have been finalized with courses now on offer: Basic, Advanced, M&O, Bunkering



Methanol fueled fleet: No Silver Bullet!





- Ship Types Container ships, Bulk carriers, Chemical Tankers, Ferries, harbour craft, dredge, OSV, VLCCs, Car Carriers
- Retrofits now being launched







Source: Clarksons, Maersk, MI