



# Timberlands Sequestration Project (FE0032330) Carbon SAFE Phase III

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# **Timberlands Sequestration Project Overview**

- A CCS project for a pulp and paper mill in southwestern Alabama
- Project designed to capture, transport, and sequester 2 million tons per year of CO<sub>2</sub> for 30 years from the mill
- Phase III CarbonSAFE funding:

\$27.1 million (DOE) \$6.8 million (Timberlands) \$33.8 million (total)

• Recipients:







- Project Objectives:
  - Demonstrate the technical and commercial feasibility of a carbon capture and sequestration project for the pulp & paper industry in Alabama that can be replicated across numerous other mills
  - Demonstrate initial storage site viability to position it as a large-scale storage hub for multiple emitters across Alabama



# Timberlands Sequestration Project Background

### **Pore Space**

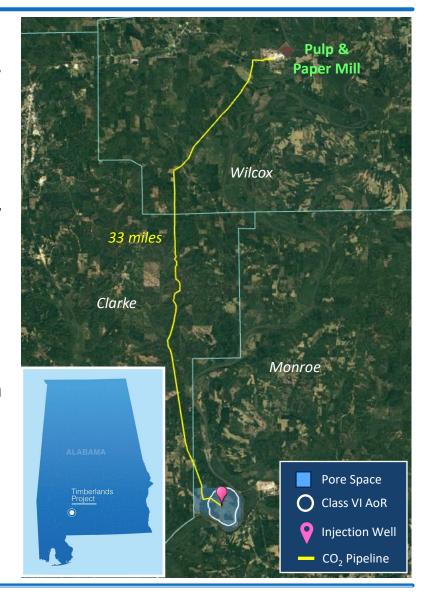
- Approximately 4,000 acres of undeveloped land in rural Monroe County
- Estimated storage capacity of 60 million metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub>

## **Pipeline**

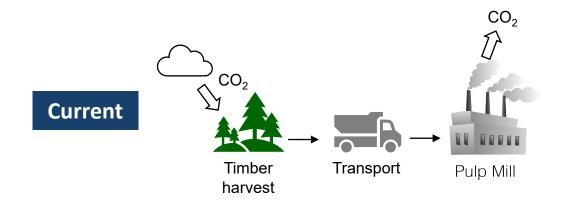
- Captured CO<sub>2</sub> will be transported in a dense phase using a 33-mile-long, new-build CO<sub>2</sub> pipeline from the mill to the pore space
- The area is rural with many large tracts of land used for timber production

### Pulp & Paper Mill

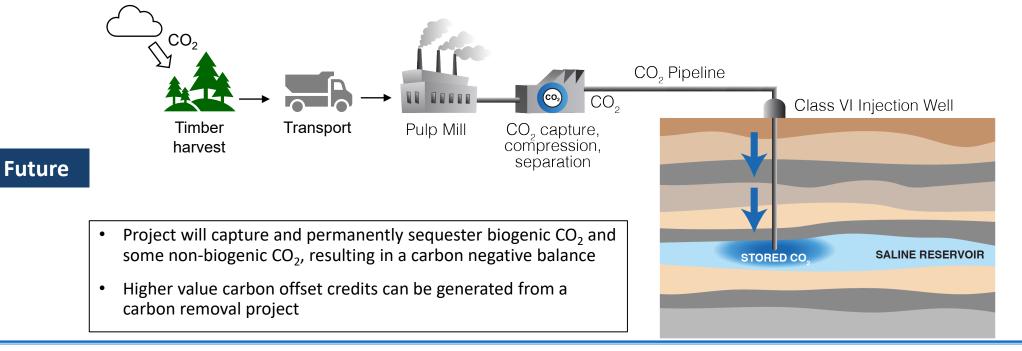
- A large, integrated pulp and paper mill with CO<sub>2</sub> emissions of 1.5 million metric tons per year (5-year average)
- Approximately 90% of the mill CO<sub>2</sub> emissions are biogenic
- CO<sub>2</sub> emissions generated from powering capture plant with low pressure steam and electricity using either natural gas or waste wood as fuel sources will also be captured (+0.4 million metric tons annually)



# Timberlands Sequestration Project CO<sub>2</sub> Reduction

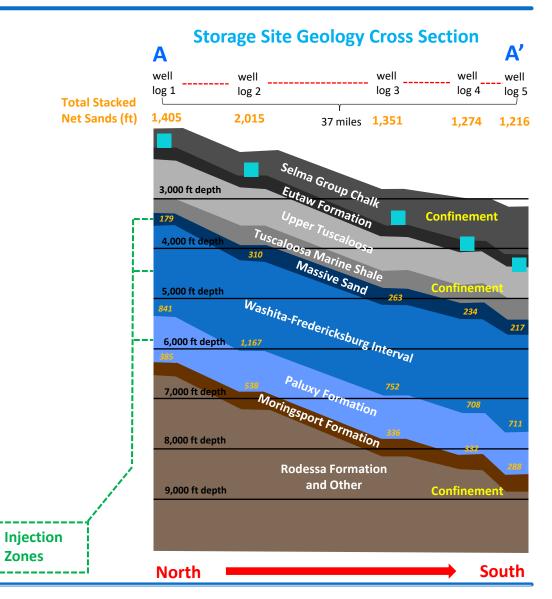


- About 90% of the mill's CO<sub>2</sub> emissions are biogenic from the processing and combustion of timber that removed CO<sub>2</sub> from the atmosphere during its life cycle
- Biogenic and non-biogenic CO<sub>2</sub> are released to the atmosphere today
- Southeastern US timber harvesting for the pulp and paper industry is sustainable: for every 1 tree cut down, 3 are planted



# **Timberlands Sequestration Geology**

- Good existing data available (10+ well logs and 200+ miles of 2D seismic data)
- Existing 3D seismic will be licensed and a test well will be drilled for analysis
- 3 vertically stacked injection zones below the Tuscaloosa Marine Shale primary confining unit
- 1,200 feet to 1,400 feet of net injectable sands
- None of the injection zones have oil and gas production
- Planned injection will commence in the Paluxy formation first (~7k feet deep) and once this layer is utilized within pore space lease boundary, a plug is set, and injection moves up to the Wash-Fred formation (~5k feet deep)



= minimum depth to first non-potable water bearing sand

## Timberlands Sequestration CarbonSAFE Phase III Scope

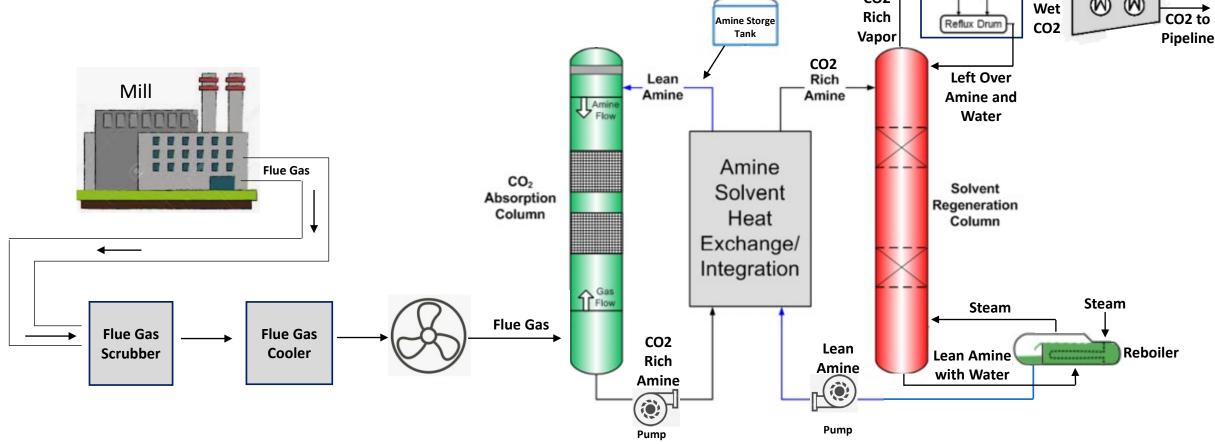
- Lease pore space
- Acquire 3D seismic survey data that covers pore space area
- Permit and drill stratigraphic test well
- Submit Class VI permit application for a future injection well
- Conduct pipeline FEED study to include:
  - Civil survey
  - Environmental and cultural resources surveys
  - Routing and workspace optimization
- Submit pipeline permit applications
- Perform capture plant engineering study
- Create development, business, and financial plans
- Implement Community Benefits Plan
- Complete NEPA evaluation with DOE



# Capture Plant Engineering Study

 Will analyze the mill operations to understand the current and future CO<sub>2</sub> emissions and determine the optimal capture system

Intend to design for a proven amine solvent capture technology

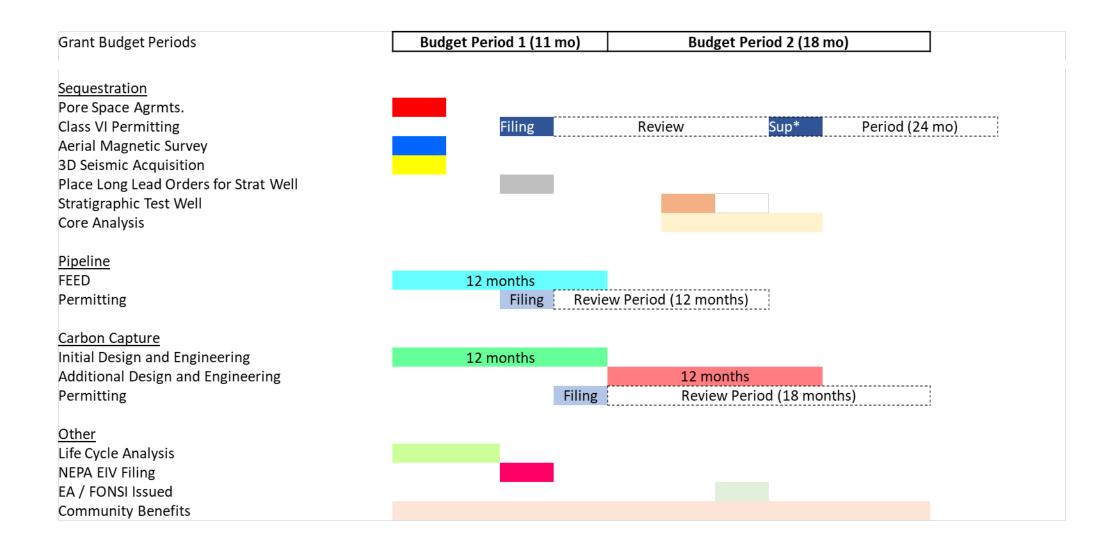


Multi-stage Compression and Dehydration

Condenser

CO<sub>2</sub>

# CarbonSAFE Phase III Project Schedule



<sup>\*</sup> Supplement Class VI application with stratigraphic test well data

# Community Attributes and Benefits Plan

- The area is rural and there is limited knowledge of CCS among residents and public officials
- The majority of the project area is considered "disadvantaged"
- Partnering with the University of Alabama on a Community Benefits Plan to:
  - Engage, educate, and solicit feedback from stakeholders throughout life of the project
  - Provide quality, high-wage jobs with training opportunities during the execution and operation of the project
  - Create a Community Benefits Fund and appoint an advisory board to allocate and manage a portion of TS's future injection fee to be used to make ongoing investments to serve needs of local communities
  - Work with a local community college to assist with the development of careers in energy transition services