

# **Novel Transformational Membranes and Process for CO<sub>2</sub> Capture from Flue Gas**

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# Project Objective

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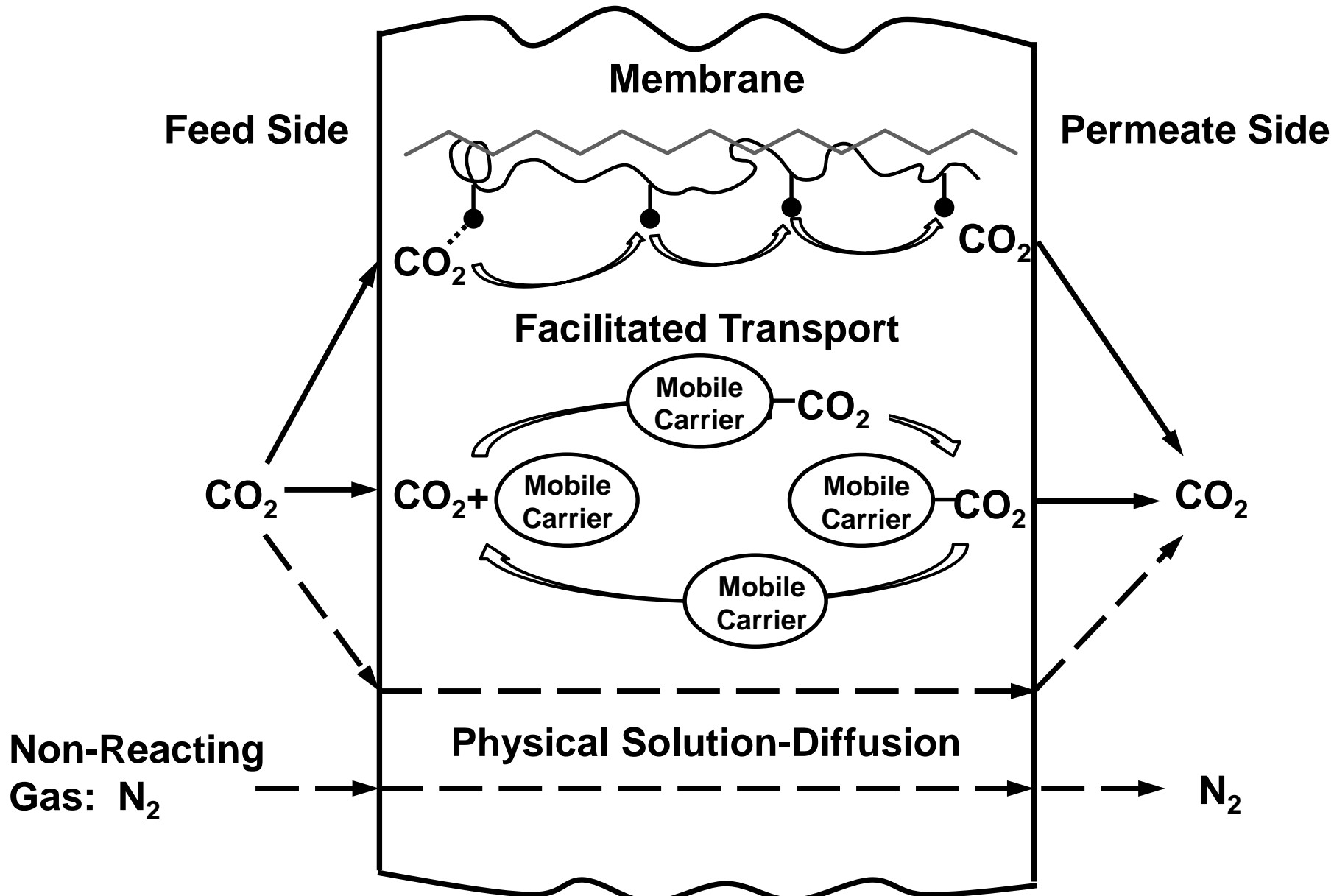
- **Develop a cost-effective design and fabrication process for a novel transformational membrane and its membrane modules that capture CO<sub>2</sub> from flue gas**
  - **95% CO<sub>2</sub> Purity**
  - **60 – 90% CO<sub>2</sub> Recovery**

# 2-Budget Period Project

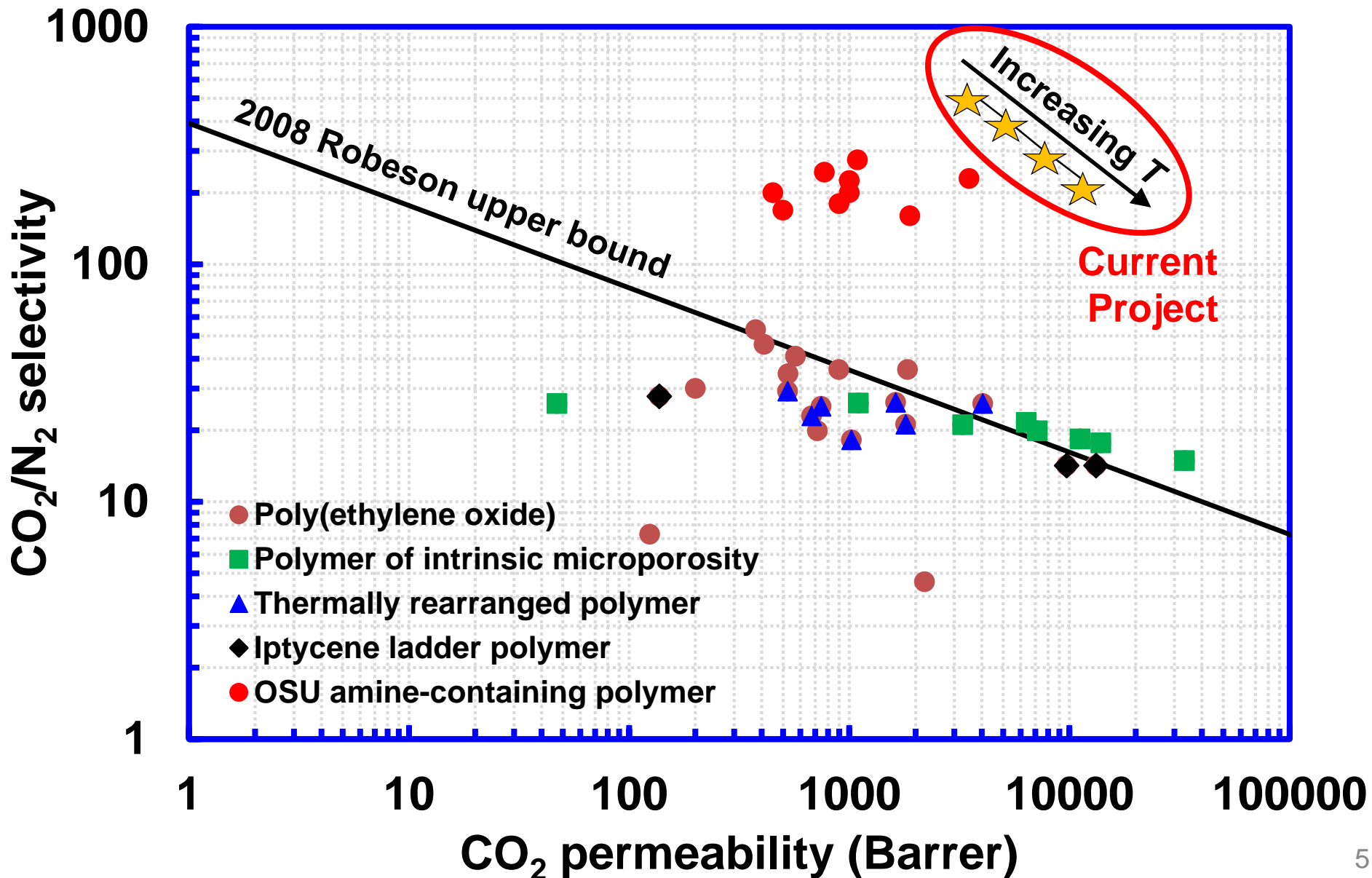
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- **BP1: 07/01/2019 – 12/31/2020**
  - Material design aided by advanced computation
  - Laboratory-scale membrane synthesis, characterization and transport performance studies
  - High-level preliminary techno-economic analysis
- **BP2: 01/01/2021 – 06/30/2022**
  - Fabrication, characterization and transport performance studies of scale-up membrane (21" wide)
  - Fabrication and characterization of prototype spiral-wound membrane modules (8" diameter & 20" long)
  - Construction and field testing of integrated membrane skid with actual flue gas
  - Update techno-economic analysis by Gas Technology Inst.
- **Integrated program with fundamental studies, applied research, synthesis, characterization and transport studies, and high-level techno-economic analysis**

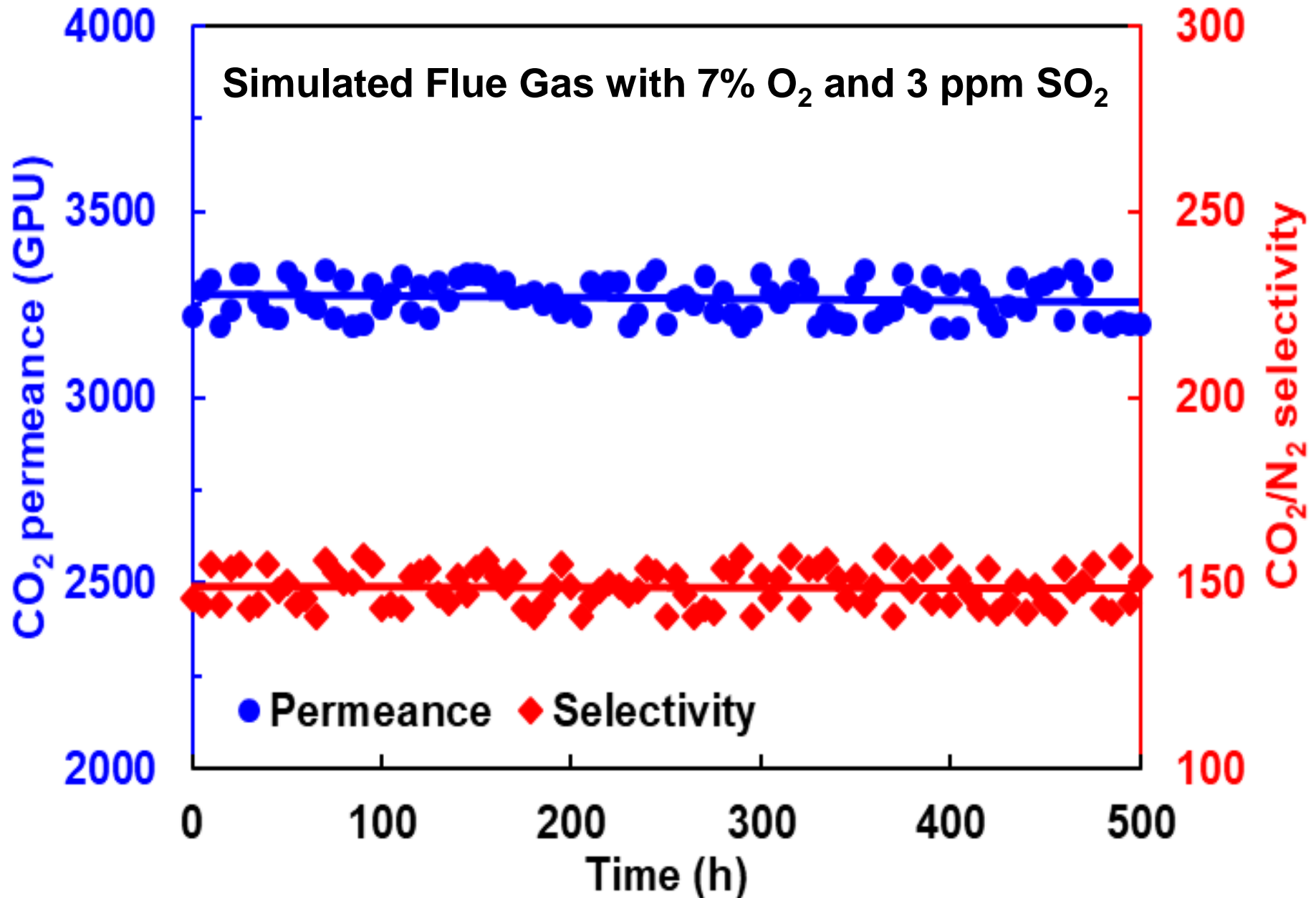
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# Good Membrane Stability Obtained



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