

Credit for Carbon Oxide Sequestration is a must because it promotes the capture of usable CO₂. In today's market CO₂ is used in Food freezing & Chilling, Beverage, Dry Ice, H₂O waste treatment, welding, and other applications. Beverage Grade Co₂, Chilling/Freezing, and Dry Ice makes up 70% of the total use in the US. As a gas distributor who services these types of applications, Co₂ is critical for those customers. Currently 35%-40% of CO₂ is generated from the production of Ethanol in the US with Ammonia a close second. These plants can be very unreliable at times and can cause issues with getting Co₂. The more Co₂ investments that can be made only makes for a better future. The demand for Co₂ continues to grow due to new technology and emerging markets. Anytime there's an opportunity to add additional Co₂ capacity within the US, it should be taken seriously. If the demand continues as it is currently, the US will not have enough supply to answer to the demand. We need to encourage new Co₂ capture opportunities by supporting companies in ways of subsidies or tax credits. What an opportunity to take raw Co₂ out of the atmosphere (Ozone) and turn it into something usable like carbonation for a beverage or preserving a meal to be served at a later date. The use for Co₂ continues to evolve...