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TNO's perspective on dutch subsurface information for GEO-ELEC: a geological survey and national geo-energy research perspective

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Outline

- > General Data availability
- Play types
 - Mesozoic Aquifers, currently target for direct heat information system ThermoGIS

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Deep temperature, active faults, chararacterization of 'paleozoic rocks



Dutch database: over 50 billion Euro of data





Well & Seismic Data Wells: 5876 Seismic: 72.000 km



<u>Log data</u> Gamma ray Sonic Resistivity Neutron, etc

Petrophysics Cores: 100 km Poro/perm: 60.000 measurements (300.000 total)



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Geothermal Energy

Geological storage of CO2

•All kinds of well data & seismic data accessible and free to download



Seismic interpretation



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Mesozoic structure

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Reasons to develop ThermoGIS

Interest is booming

Currently over 100 permits granted

- Geological properties and uncertainties
- Independent analysis and information
- > Overview potential areas and 'hot spots'
- > Performance assessment
- Quickscan
- Realization of market opportunities



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General development scheme



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Bonte et al.,2012

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Comprehends:

3D mapping reservoirs (aquifers)

ThermoGIS ⁻ **project on aquifers**

- Depth, thickness and temperature → <u>Temperature</u>
- (Thickness) porosity, permeability Pluymaekers et al., 2012
- Uncertainties
- Potential energy

Development ThermoGIS application

- Visualisation map
- Performance assessment tool
- > Economic assessment tool

Van Wees et al.,2012

Kramers et al.,2012



Potential estimates – for specific application areas

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Estimation of erosion Innovation for life

Geothermal direct heat Application	Min. Production Temperature	Min. production depth@ 30 °C/km	Re- injection temperatur e	Load factor	Heat demand/yr
Greenhouse	45°C	1200m	25°C	60%	12x10 ³ GJ/ha
Spatial	65°C	1900m	40°C	60%	25GJ/house



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Tgreenhouse = 45 Treturn = 25

Sensitivity to transmissivity (kH)

Tg = 30C/km



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Property mapping



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Property mapping and uncertainties (3)



Rotliegendes aquifer

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Potential Map







potential map vs earlier assessments





Mapped stratigraphic areas

White: insufficient amount of data or other stratigraphic units (like Carboniferous)





Main points Aquifers

- Free access to oil and gas data excellent stepping stone for geothermal exploration and information systems
- > Over 15 aquifers mapped, stacked in 4 groups
 - > Rotliegendes, Triassic, Jurassic-Cretaceous, Tertiary
 - Tedhnical potential ca 85,000 PetaJoules, almost equivalent to heating value of giant groningen gas-field

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- > web-based information system split for different stakeholders
 - > Basic version, not showing subsurface information
 - > Expert version

www.thermogis.nl

Geothermal electricity resource assessment

> Vision on EGS development (IF-Technology, TNO, KEMA)

- > Proposal for National Research Program on geothermal energy
- Pilot project feasibility studies
- > TNO National geological survey: Ongoing mapping activities

Diepe geothermie Nationaal Onderzoek Programma Geothermie (NOPG)

vrije Universiteit amsterdam

Breed inzetbare goedkope duurzame energie

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Engineered Geothermal Systems - EGS

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Cloetingh et al. 2010 (Earth-Science Reviews)

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BHT data (n=1241)

> ICS (n=412)

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- > Initial Cylindrical source
- Used to correct simpler AAPG method
- > AAPG + AAPGcorrected (n=829)

For comparison DST much less (n=52)

BHT wells and E&P licenses

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Results - temperature (3)

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Implications for EGS

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Depth to Paleozoic basement (Geluk, 2007)

To be updated by mapping

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Kombrink, 2008 (PhD thesis)

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Regional studies – VARISCAN BASIN DEVELOPMENT

Southern Permian Basin Atlas, Kombrink et al., 2010

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Geluk et al., 2007

Carboniferous Carbonate Platforms

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Summary

> Mesozoic Clastic Aquifers well mapped \rightarrow UR locally in excess of 1%

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- > Temperature data and model
- > Active faults
- Paleozoic Carbonates (platforms) proposed as target in various pilot projects