



towards C<sub>2</sub> chemicals for storage













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**Pioneering a novel** technology that directly converts sunlight and CO, into valuable C<sub>2</sub> chemicals, enabling safe and efficient green energy storage

> 1 step, stand alone solar-to-X



Abundant non-toxic feed-stock (CO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O) and materials



Up-scalable processing and system integration

True green circular CO<sub>2</sub> economy

## The energy transition challenge

## **Project goals**

To directly convert solar energy into storable fuels and chemicals, overcoming:



A **compact tandem photo-electrochemical cell (PEC)** that converts CO<sub>2</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>O into C<sub>2</sub> chemicals ethanol and ethylene, incorporating:

- Organo-metallic water oxidation catalysis (WOC), stable at pH7.
- Metal oxide/organic PV/perovskite PV triple tandem.
- Photonic nano-structures for broadband sunlight harvesting.
- Cathode for CO<sub>2</sub> reduction (CO<sub>2</sub>R) based on CPET<sup>1</sup> catalysis.







## **Future roadmap**



<sup>1</sup>CPET: Concerted Proton-Electron Transfer molecular mediator