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CO₂ Capture Technology Masoud Talebi Amiri | CEO

Mobile CO₂ capture for accelerating the decarbonization of logistics

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Background – Direct Air Capture

• Direct Air Capture (DAC) - 1999.

• **Concept:** Material, Swing, Treatments (Post/Pre).





• Performance:

Feed quality, Material efficiency, Energy demand.

Background – Direct Air Capture

• Captured CO₂:

Long-term storage (DACS), Carbon-neutral feed, EOR.





Challenges:

Concentration, Energy demand, Costs, Impact, Operational details.

 Cost: Profitable: 100 €/ton⁽¹⁾ vs. Current: >200 €/ton.

Background – Point Source Capture



- 1920s.
- Concept:

Concentration, Combustion techniques, Chemical reaction, Cryogenic.

- Carbon Capture and Utilization + Carbon Capture and Storage (CCUS)
- **Challenges:** Scalability, Feed impurities, Economic Feasibility (incentives).

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- Earth Overshoot Day (EOD)

The date that humanity's resource consumption for the year exceeds Earth's capacity to regenerate those resources that year.



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- **Challenges** of low(zero) emission technologies.
- What is the plan B? (risk mitigation, compliances, stakeholders' interests)
- Competitive advantage.
- Brand and reputation.
- Long-term viability.

Background – Traction

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Challenges

- **10%** of global emissions.
- Road HDVs: **41%** of fuel consumption.¹
- Maturity of the available green alternatives.
- **Impact** on the economy and policies.

Trucks decarbonization – Current solutions



(1) Substitution products – No retrofitting

Trucks decarbonization – Takes at least 25 years



6'400'000

Trucks on the road. 77% of all freight transportation.

274'058

New trucks registered in 2022.

AVERAGE AGE OF EU VEHICLE FLEET



2% Annual growth.

European Automobile Manufacturers' Association: ACEA (2023)

(1) Substitution products – No retrofitting

(2) New infrastructure – for fuelling

(3) Cost – more than 3x diesel trucks



Implementation challenges – Underestimating the scale up



Switzerland to restrict use of electric vehicles

16/12/2022 BY LE NEWS

Switzerland's federal government plans to restrict the use of electric vehicles if there is a serious shortage of electricity, reported RTS.



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- **Retrofit** (accelerate the decarbonization).
- Existing infrastructure for fuel.
- Less expensive (compatible with current manufacturing supply chain).

Mobile CO₂ Capture (MCC) Technology



Mobile CO₂ Capture (MCC) kit – Truck retrofit





Captured CO₂







- **Permanent storage** (Tax refund, carbon credit)
- CO₂ market (Chemical industry, E-fuels)



Cost of capture <100 €/ton

Challenges



- **Captured CO₂** (supply will be much higher than the current demand).
- **CO₂ valorization** is still under development.
- **CO₂ cost & pricing** (prices might drop with increase in supply).
- **Incentives** (carbon tax).
- Policy models.

Product design



- Back pressure on the engine (Extra fuel consumption).
- Modular product.
- Volume vs. Weight limitations (product configuration).
- **Exhaust gas pretreatment** (using current available equipment).
- **CO₂ capture rate** (between 25%-50%).
- **Operational** (run time, discharge time, maintenance, training, etc.).

Future landscape





Decarbonization Technologies – Transition from innovation phase



• **Preparation for growth:** Value delivery system is the key.



Driving forces



• **Consumer** (eco-consciousness)

• **Clean tech technologies** (Strategy and Business model innovation)

• **Government** (regulations)

CO₂ capture technology applications – Strategy innovation



Qaptis strategy

- Partnership with leading manufacturers.

(1) Joint Development Project(2) Commercialization Partner





Qaptis – Joint Development Projects







€ 1.5m in Revenue.

€ 1.2m-1.5m per follow up project.







Industrial Boiler € 600k Q4 2024



Generator Sets TBD 2025 (Q2)



Train TBD 2025 (Q2)

Capture the culprit !

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CO₂ CAPTURE TECHNOLOGY





Business model (Innovation) – Carbon Credit





Business model (Innovation) – CO₂ market





Return on Investment

User: 3-5 years

Qaptis revenue streams

Licensing CO₂ valorization (<5%)

Core Team



Masoud Talebi Amiri, CEO

PhD in chemical Engineering (EPFL). Serial entrepreneur (5 active startups). **10** years of experience in sustainability.



Théodore Caby, COO

MSc in Energy systems (EPFL). **5** years of experience in green tech. Specialized in CO₂ valorization.



Marie Tournant, **CFO**

28 years of experience

Crédit Agricole, SWAROVSKI, Barry Callebaut



Ed Green, CTO

36 years of experience

Design, prototyping, and scaling for carbon capture & hydrogen prod.



Mitulkumar Suthar, Lead Engineering

17 years of experience

GE Aviation, Rolls-Royce, National Aerospace Laboratories