

# Executing the Vision: Creating the Power of the Stars on Earth



# 2023 Execution is the key to Fusion

- Experienced pros and young talents for efficient execution.
- Scientifically proven methods for swift commercialization.
- Masterplan for strategic execution.
- Organizational structure for methodical execution.
- Milestones to monitor and assess progress.
- Engineering for seamless connectivity and comprehensive solution-building.
- Strategic secondary market commercialization on our path to fusion.

# 2023 - notable achievements in Industry, Government, Science, Funding, and DOE PPP



### **GOVERNMENT AWARDS**

**DOE Award** - US PPP Fusion Program

ARPA-E - winner of three infuse proposals

SPRIN-D Award by the Federal Ministry of Research

Selected by the Federal Ministry of Research and VDI for prototyping a Laser Driven Neutron Source

The **EuroHPC** "Industry Track"

### **SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY**

Targetry alignment robot developed and demonstrated

Liquid cooled slab amplifier designed

**Proprietary computational** codes for synthetic modelling of ICF physics, fuel compression, laser tracking, and plasma behaviors developed

4 Patents submitted in the areas of Targetry, LDRS, Beam shaping

### **SCIENCE AWARDS**

Fellow of American Physical Society (x4)

John Dawson Award for Excellence in Plasma Physics (x3)

Fusion Power Associates Leadership Award

E. Gail de Planque award from American Nuclear Society (DC)

Ronald Davidson award from American Institute of Physics, Physics of Plasmas journal (DC)

Edward Teller Award winner (SA)

David J Rose Excellence in Fusion Engineering Award from Fusion Power Associates (PP)

Landau-Spitzer Award from American Physical Society and European Physical Society (WT)

LaserNetUS Data & Diagnostics Committee membership (VO)

### **ECOSYSTEM**

### **Cooperations and partnerships**

established with key commercial, public and scientific leaders

First commercial traction with LDRS & RWE

Partnership with **LLNL** 

Partnership with Gauss & Proxima (FF)













**TRUMPF** 



### **FUNDING**

Over \$82 million in funding collected from public and private sources







VCP VENTURES

















# 2023 - Our experienced experts and young talents for efficient execution





# 2023 - Our extremely talented Team



### **BOARD**







- 20+ years experience as CEO/CFO
- Expert in developing and leading of international High-Tech companies

**ENGINEERS** 





### Prof. Dr. Markus Roth

- Professor TU Darmstadt, GER
- APS Fellow, Rosen Award
- Founder of the IC for Nuclear **Photonics**
- 25+ years in fusion research
- Invented the Proton Fast Ignition Concept





### Dr. William Goldstein

- Director Emertius of the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL)
- President of Lawrence Livermore National Security

**Adrian McFarland** 

Design and Electrical

HERMANGHAM CITY University





### **Dakin Sloss**

- Founder & Partner at Prime Movers Lab
- Deep-Tech Lead Investor





### **Dr. Pravesh Patel**

- NIF ICF Program Element Lead
- Lead of the LLNL Fast Ignition Program







### Dr. Debbie Callahan

- 35 years at LLNL
- Group leader Target design
- Co-leader of ignition campaign 2012 Dawson Price



### Prof. Dr. Stefano Atzeni

 Professor at the LaSapienza University, Rome, Italy The theory expert in IFE



### Dr. Wolfgang Theobald

- Leading expert on direct drive experiments at Laboratory for Laser Energetics (LLE) / OMEGA
- Expert in Fast Ignition experiments



### Prof. Dr. Paul Gibbon

- Professor and Director theory at Forschungszentrum Jülich
- Expert in laser-plasma Interaction



### Prof. Dr. Javier Honrubia

- Professor at Politechnica Madrid Spain
  - Leading expert in fast ignition



R&D engineer

- Dr. Kurt Schoenberg
- leading large science infrastructures









**Doug Hammond** 

Has a diverse and

in engineering

extensive work experience

### Dr. Juan Carlos Fernandez

- >20 years of leading plasma and fusion as group leader at Los Alamos National Lab (LANL)
- Expert in Fast Ignition and ion acceleration







Engineering for fusion energy

- Director Emertius
- >35 years of experience





### Dr. Omar Hurricane

Physicist at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, in the thermonuclear and inertial confinement fusion design division.

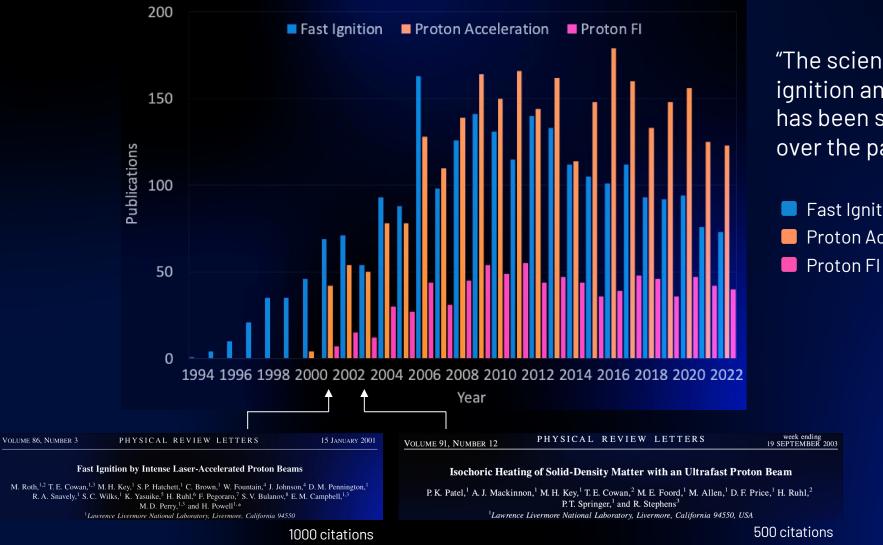


### Prof. Dr. Jose Manuel Perlado

- Professor and Director Insituto Fusion Nucleaire at Politechnica Madrid, Spain
  - Expert in reactor structural materials and activation

# **2023 -** Our scientifically proven methods for swift commercialization





"The science basis of fast ignition and proton acceleration has been studied extensively over the past 20 years"

Fast Ignition

2400+ papers

Proton Acceleration

2700+ papers

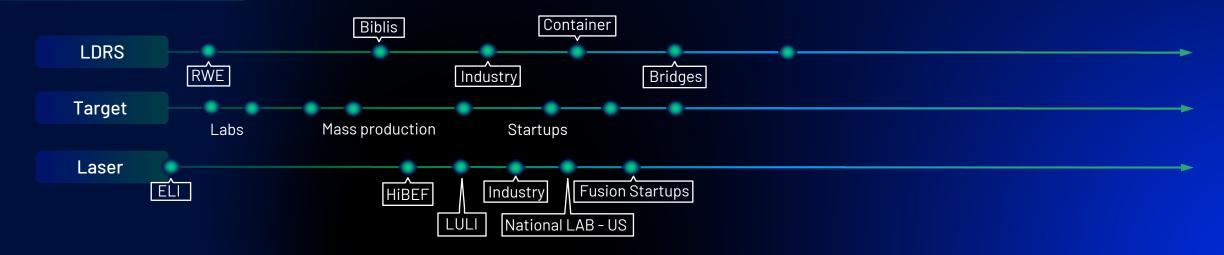
800+ papers

# 2023 - Our Masterplan for strategic execution





# \$ COMMERCIALIZATION



# 2023 - Our organizational structure for methodical execution



## Systems Engineering

- Facility studies
- Project Management
- Implosion test facility design
- FPP facility design
- Reactor Material
- Breeding & Blanket
- Chamber Design
- Energy Extraction
- Software Integration

### Laser

- Diode-pumped laser design
- Flashlamp-pumped laser design
- Prototype broadband front-end
- Prototype 2w frequency conversion

### Targetry

- FPP targetry systems concept design
- Prototype shell
- Prototype foam
- Prototype cone
- Prototype calotte
- 1000+ hemispherical target production
- Prototype robotic target supply system

### Science

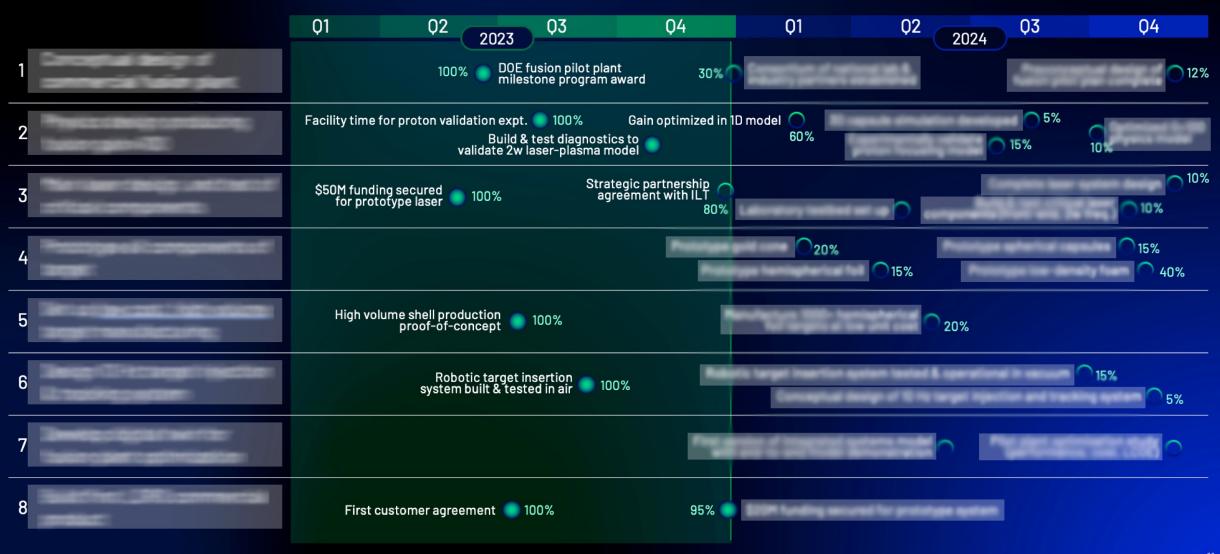
- Develop Q>100 point design
- 2w LPI diagnostic development (ELI)
- LPI mitigation experiment (GSI)
- Proton focusing experiment (CSU)

### Products

- Targets
- Lasers
- LDRS
- More to come

# 2023 - Our Milestones to monitor and assess progress





# **2023 -** Our modular 'Lego principle' for building comprehensive solutions



Thermal Transfe

Electrical Turbin

Balance of Power

N-DETECTOR

X-RAY-DETECTOR

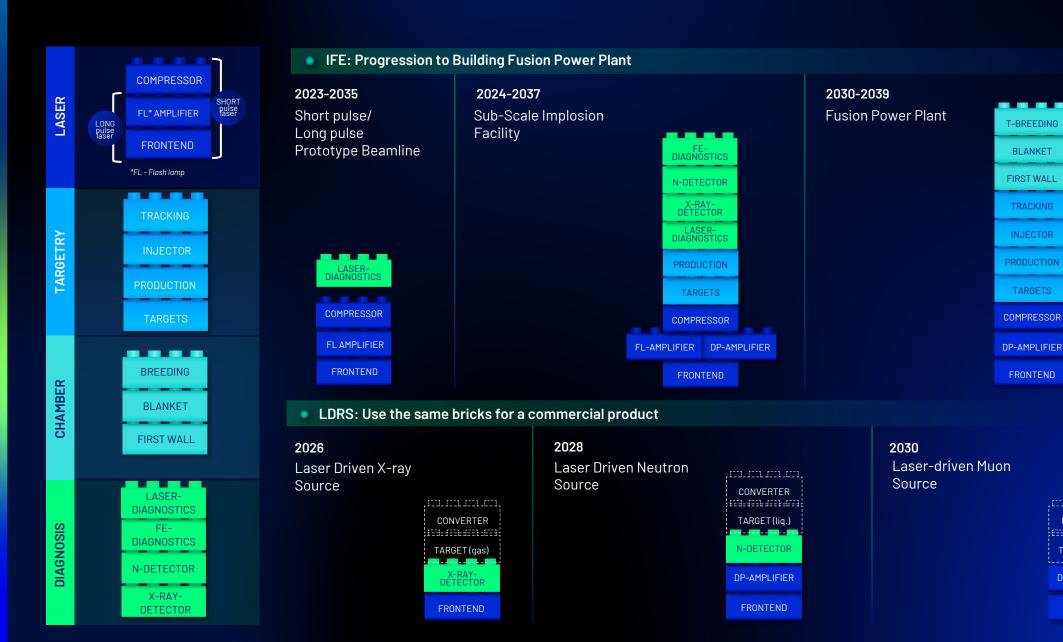
LASER-DIAGNOSTICS

CONVERTER

TARGET (gas)

**DP-AMPLIFIER** 

FRONTEND



# **2023 - Products**

# on our way to Fusion



### LDRS

Using our modular laser fusion technology

3-Phase plan to recycle fission infrastructure for fusion in Biblis set up

A **collaboration with RWE** will involve the construction of a prototype device within the **existing plant facilities** 

The plant is already **fully integrated into the grid** and local infrastructure

We have direct support from the Hessen State Government

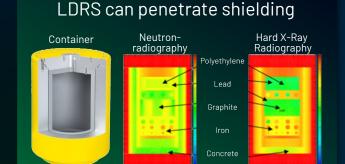




Phase 1: LDRS facility for nuclear waste inspection on site (huge ARR source)

Phase 2: IFE prototype reactor

Phase 3: Full-scale, fully integrated IFE plant to provide clean energy for Hessen



Lasers

Using our modular laser fusion technology

\$30M LOIs with strategic partners for our first lasers



Targets

First revenues with targets in 2023

Currently in talks with top scientific centers, we aim to provide target (fuel) supplies for high-energy physics and laser-driven fusion



# **2023 -** Our commercial products by as early as 2025 to support us on our way to Fusion



### **REV STREAMS**



Laser-Driven Radiation Source



Fusion Targets

### **OVERVIEW**

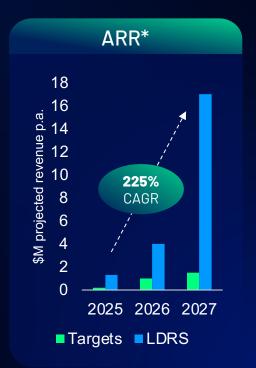
- LDRS focuses on imaging technologies that allow for the analysis of materials or objects
- Use cases: e.g. pipeline monitoring, nuclear waste control, and container inspections
- Fusion targets are at the core of fusion experiments and reactors worldwide
- they enable achieving and sustaining fusion reactions

### STATUS



- Strategic cooperation with RWE is live
- Market faces strong cost pressure and surging volumes

- Operational as of now
- Production has started
- Market is almost ripe for accelerated growth phase







### INITIAL STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS















# Thanks

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