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Abstract:

For most industries, CO_2 emissions represent a significant cost—both financially and environmentally. But what if CO_2 could be transformed from a liability into a valuable resource?

At Phase Biolabs we are commercialising CO2 Biomanufacturing technology to create new revenues streams from waste CO2, unlocking its true value.

We believe the future of biomanufacturing lies in leveraging CO2 as the cornerstone of production because CO2 isn't a waste, it is a valuable, limitless and untapped resource.

Phase makes carbon negative chemicals and e-fuels from CO2 using fermentation. This bioprocess uses engineered microorganisms as biocatalysts to convert CO2 and hydrogen gas into useful chemicals like ethanol. Our advantage lies in the direct use of CO2 as a feedstock. We convert it into product in a single step with a single technology and without generating CO2. We engineer our microorganisms to enhance their production capabilities, making our fermentation process faster and more efficient. All of this means higher efficiencies and lower costs.

What is exciting, is that by genetically modifying our proprietary microorganisms, we can produce a portfolio of products directly from CO2.

Our manufacturing process not only leverages a limitless feedstock in CO2, but it also leverages the decreasing cost of renewable energy enabling us to produce ethanol at lower cost than the incumbent industry, while delivering a carbon negative product.