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P: Running Out of Energy

- *Rising prices oil \$70/bbl, Nat gas, coal
- *Asia increasing worldwide demand
- **★**Diminishing reserves and OPEC cutbacks
- *Ageing refineries and closing power plants for pollution control
- *Rolling blackouts, Enron debacle
- **★**Buying power from distant generators



S: Limitless Solar Energy

- * Sunlight is free, always will be
- * No scarcity of sunlight enough for all
- * Not subject to cartel controls or embargoes
- * New equipment quickly and easily installed
- * No pollution, no greenhouse gases produced
- **★** Distributed generation, no monkey business
- *Energy is harvested where it's needed



Business Model

- * We will produce solar generating equipment
- * Our first customers will be businesses
- ★ We have achieved costs below current incentives offered by government & utilities
- * Early adopters will get the product for *free*
- * At \$2/W our gross margin is ~53%
- **★** Distribution will evolve as we grow



Magical Mystery TourTM

- *Three brilliant, unconnected realizations
- *The right materials, rugged & inexpensive
- **★**Innovative design, form follows function
- *Captures energy other processes waste
- **★**Double the conversion efficiency of PV
- *Computer control makes it possible



Marketing & Sales

- *We'll ride the wave of free media coverage for the first year or more.
- ★We'll develop our message from customer feedback during that time.
- **★**Targeted radio advertising as soon as practical.
- *WWW driven sales process.
- *Brownfield & landfill reclamation projects.



Competition

- **★PV:** Hundreds of primary cell makers, feeding many small independent installers.
- ★Fuel Cell: Fixed installations for emergency power. Mobile units for municipal fleets.
- *Fossil Fuel: The lowest capital cost and most common source of electric power.
- *Nuclear, Hydro, Wind: No greenhouse gas.



Management Team

- *Paul: inventor, engineer, technophile
- *Larry: CEO, implementer, marketer, philosopher
- *****CFO: someone to count the money
- ★VP sales: someone to build & manage a large sales team
- **★**COO: standing by...



Financial Projections

- *Explosive sales growth!
- *Limited by manufacturing capacity
- **★**Sales potential > \$25MM year 1
- *Limited by new hire capacity
- **★**Gross Margin ~53%, Capital price \$2/W, Cost of power produced ~\$0.086/kWHr, Value of power produced >\$0.10/kWHr



Current Status

- **★**Building prototype
- **★**Securing manufacturing space
- *Negotiating terms for initial site
- **★**Seeking capital for equipment
- **★**Pursuing grants for renewable DG projects
- **★**Building company awareness
- *Additional IP protection utility & design