

### Advanced Turbine Developments for Oxy-Combustion TriGen<sup>™</sup> Plants

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#### Agenda

- CES Overview
- CES Technology & Gas Generators
- First Commercial Oxy-Fueled Turbine (OFT-900)
- Manufacturing & Installation of OFT-900

#### Next Steps





#### **Company History and Recent Developments**

- A technology company that uses proven rocketry principles to develop emissionfree energy solutions for the energy industry:
  - ⇒ Principal deployment is the oxy-fuel combustor ("Gas Generator" or "GG")
  - $\Rightarrow$  Focus is the power and oil & gas sectors

#### • Diverse commercial applications:

- ⇒ Zero-emission power plants ("ZEPP")
- ⇒ Enhanced oil recovery (EOR) and Potable Water for Commercial Markets
- ⇒ Fast response ultra-clean peaking power plants
- Proprietary intellectual property and know-how:allows for creation of massive amounts of thermal energy, large volumes of high pressure steam, and CO2
- Diverse commercial applications:
  - ⇒ 30 patents issued, 36 pending
  - ⇒ World's largest oxy-fuel test facility: Bakersfield, CA
  - ⇒ Demonstration facility: Santa Clarita, CA



#### **Equity and Strategic Partners**

#### **Equity Partners**



**Paxton Corporation** is an energy-focused company based in Calgary, Alberta; aggregator of technologies including CES' oxy-fuel combustor for use in the extraction of hydrocarbons; significant equity position currently held by the largest shareholder of Paramount Resources Ltd.

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**Southern California Gas Company** (a subsidiary of Sempra Energy; \$16.0 B+ market capitalization) sells, distributes, and transports natural gas in the United States.

**The AES Corporation** (\$8.5 B+ market capitalization) is a global power company with generation and distribution businesses.

#### **Strategic Partners**



**Maersk Oil** (subsidiary of A.P, Møller – Maersk A/S. with a \$29 B+ market capitalization) is an international oil and gas company with operated production of about 625,000 barrels of oil (equivalent) per day.



**Siemens Aktiengesellschaft** (\$80 B+ market capitalization) is a diversified international electrical and engineering company that provides solutions to the energy and other sectors.



**Paramount Resources Ltd**. (\$2 B+ market capitalization) is an independent energy company that engages in the exploration, development, and production of natural gas, crude oil, and natural gas liquids in North America.



**LM Alternatives Inc.** and its sister companies have been providing quality parts and related services to turbo machinery users in industrial, utility and aviation applications for more than four decades.



#### **Government Partners**

#### **United States**



**US Department of Energy**: Two contracts awarded under competitive bidding: \$2.5 million in 2000 and \$4.8 million in 2005; increased by an additional \$30 million of ARRA funds in 2010. Total funding commitment: \$37.3 million



**California Energy Commission**: 3 separate contracts awarded; two for \$75,000 and one for \$4 million

#### International



**UK Department of Energy and Climate Change (DECC):** Co-funded a \$2 million study led by Jacobs Consultancy, with Siemens, MAN, Imperial College and others to study retrofitting existing coal-fired plants with the CES system



Norwegian Government: Provided funding through Gassnova to study offshore and industrial applications

**Dutch Government**: €18 million commitment for a steel mill demonstration project using CO<sub>2</sub> contaminated "fizzy gas"



#### **CES Facilities**

#### Kimberlina Power Plant

- ⇒ World's largest oxy-fuel combustion facility
- ⇒ 6 MW carbon capture, oxyfuel power plant
- ⇒ Primarily for R&D and subcommercial operations
- Placerita Power Plant, Santa Clarita, CA
  - ⇒ Formerly a 120 MWe CHP plant
  - Robust infrastructure ideal platform to deploy a wide variety of commercial products







#### **CES Overview** Kimberlina: World's First Oxy-Fuel 100% Carbon

**Capture Power Plant** 





- **CES Technology:** Platelet-Based Fuel Injectors
  - ⇒ Hundreds of individual platelets are photoetched to form 3-D channels
  - ⇒ Precisely stacked the platelets get pressure bonded into monolithic structures
  - ⇒ Intricate pathways channel bulk fuel, oxygen, and water into hundreds of combustors
  - ⇒ Intimate, stoichiometric mixing for complete combustion







**CES' Core: Platelet Technology** 





#### **Technology Development Plan**







#### **CES Gas Generators Evolution**

- Bench-Scale (110kWt):
  - ⇒ 0.5" internal diameter
  - ⇒ Funded in part by the California Energy Commission
  - ⇒ Demonstrated proof-of-principle
- Pilot-Scale (20MWt):
  - ⇒ 4" internal diameter
  - ⇒ Replaces Kimberlina's boiler and drives 6 MW turbine
  - ⇒ Provides 100% carbon capture
  - $\Rightarrow$  ~1600 starts
  - ⇒ ~2300 total run hours







# CES 12" Gas Generator For Powering Oxygen Fuel Turbines (OFTs)

- Gas Generator (200MWt):
  - ⇒ 12" internal diameter
  - $\Rightarrow$  ~500 starts
  - ⇒ ~36 total run hours
  - ⇒ Ranges: 20–800psig &
  - $\Rightarrow$  400–1250°F (exhaust)













**Oxy-Fuel Re-heater Assembly for the OFT-900** 





**Oxy-Fuel Re-Heater Assembly for the OFT-900** 

#### **OFT-900 Re-Heater Test Stand**





### CES Commercial Oxy-Fueled Turbine (OFT-900)

### **CES – First Commercial Oxy-Fueled Turbine**

#### **US DOE Cooperative Agreement**

- Objective: Design, manufacture & test a commercial-scale oxy-fuel turbine (OFT) for use in industrial O-F plants that:
  - ⇒ Capture and sequester 99% of produced CO2
  - ⇒ Operate at competitive cycle efficiencies
- Budget & Schedule:
  - ⇒ 48 months; FY2011 thru FY2014
  - ⇒ \$30M DOE (ARRA) funds & \$13M match funding
- Major Strategic Partners:
  - ⇒ Siemens Energy: Oil & Gas Division; TurboCare
  - ⇒ Florida Turbine Technologies, Inc.

#### Results

⇒ CES will complete all objectives by first quarter 2013; one-year ahead of schedule and on budget



### **CES – First Commercial Oxy-Fueled Turbine**

**Overview of CES/DOE Project** 

#### • Main Tasks:

- ⇒ Prepare 12" GG for powering OFT-900
- ⇒ Finalize oxy-fuel turbine design
- ⇒ Evaluate & purchase base SGT
- ⇒ Design & manufacture OFT from base SGT
- ⇒ Upgrade existing Kimberlina Test Site for OFT testing
- ⇒ Install and test oxy-fuel turbine



### **CES – First Commercial Oxy-Fueled Turbine**

Major Changes to Convert an existing SGT-900 to an CES OFT-900

- Converting a 50MWe W251 turbine to a 150MWe oxy-turbine:
  - ⇒ Replace air intake with inlet steam flow system
  - ⇒ Replace compressor with new thrust balance system
  - ⇒ Convert air-breathing combustors to oxy-fuel (O-F) reheaters
  - ⇒ Add guide vanes at exit of turbine





### **CES – Commercial Oxy-Fueled Turbine**

#### **Final OFT-900 Design**







### **OFT-900 Manufacturing and Installation**

**Turbine Removal from Abitibi Bowater Facility: March 2011** 





Arrival at TurboCare Facility: April 2011





SGT-900 Disassembly and Inspection: June 2011





**Rotor Removal and Inspection: July 2011** 





**Rotor Work Including Removal of Air Compressor: January 2012** 





**Turbine Shaft With Power Turbine Blades Re-Installed: May 2012** 





# Manufacturing of OFT-900 Components: March 2012

**Inlet Plenum** 



**Inlet Housing Cover** 

**Construction of OFT-900 Foundation at Kimberlina: May 2012** 





**Re-Assembly of the SGT-900 as OFT-900: June 2012** 





Completion and Shipping of the OFT-900: July 2012





**Arrival of the OFT-900 in Bakersfield: August 2012** 





Placing the OFT-900 on Foundation: September 2012





#### Installed OFT-900: September 2012





**Installing the Generator: September 2012** 





#### Installation of <u>Temporary</u> Stack: September 2012





**Completed Installation of OFT-900 and Generator: September 2012** 







### **CES' Next Steps**



- 1. Complete DOE contract during 1st qtr. 2013: on schedule and on budget.
- 2. Conduct post DOE system testing to further demonstrate commercial readiness of the OFT-900 system.
- 3. Place KPP-45 into long-term operations.
  - 1. CO2 supply contract(s) to EOR operations
  - 2. PPA and/or wholesale electric supply contract(s)
  - 3. Potable water supply agreement
- 4. Develop alternative project plans/locations if KPP-45 contracts and funding are better achieved elsewhere.
- 5. Continue ongoing discussions with strategic partners for US and global TriGen (i.e. zero-emission power, CO2 , potable water) projects

