



BOOSTING THE EFFICIENCY OF

COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTORS









COMPTEK SOLUTIONS

Comptek Solutions provides key technology to improve the performance of compound semiconductors for OEMs in different industries.

Kontrox[™], Comptek's technology, results in lower manufacturing costs and more competitive devices for the OEMs.

- Founded in 2017 as a spin-off from University of Turku, Finland
- State of the art proprietary 7000 sq. ft laboratory with 450 sq. ft ISO 5 clean room
- Team of 11 (with 8 PhD)
- Active customers, 650.000€ revenue 2019 and strong pipeline including global OEMs from different industries.
- 2 granted patent families,3 patent pending, 1 trademark





TECHNOLOGY TREND: HIGHER DEMANDS ON PERFORMANCE

- Booming applications (Mobility, 5G, VR/AR, optoelectronics, ..) **demand better performance & reliability**
- These applications use many compound semiconductor devices as their main HW solution: i.e lasers, uLEDs, detectors, RF power amplifiers and switches, Power amplifier modules, etc



Higher

operating

frequency



FAST GROWING MARKET

Many of the biggest tech trends require the use of compound semiconductor devices and are driving the market rapid growth:

- 5G and data communication
- IoT
- VR/AR
- connected and autonomous driving
- electrical vehicles

Market expected to grow at CAGR 12,6%





THE FUTURE OF CPU: III-V COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTORS

III-V type of compound semiconductors are identified as the most promising solution towards next generation transistors for CPU applications

Two issues in type III-V adoption:





THE PROBLEM: OXIDATION

Well Known problem by the industry

Oxidation causes big amounts of defects that limit the performance and lower the manufacturing yields

This is the main reason that has restricted the use of these materials

Becoming more relevant for smaller devices such as mini/microLEDs

Example: Efficiency of μLED is only 10% vs. 70% for normal LEDs



THE SOLUTION:



1000



Comptek developed a breakthrough and counterintuitive approach to:

- achieve 98% surface defect density reduction
- 1st time ever to get good quality, perfect • novel crystalline oxide structures that are stable under air exposure



COMPETITION LANDSCAPE

- 1. Industry established methods : Less effective methods used in the Industry: ALD, Interfacial Si, Sulfide passivation,...
- 2. Invisible competition: Companies internal R&D

No direct competing companies with similar technology focus in the market

Traditional methods used in the III-V industry	Defect density (1/cm ² eV)
Interfacial Si	2*10 ¹²
(NH ₄) ₂ S	2.5*10 ¹²
Chemical cleaning + ALD	1*10 ¹³
III-V Kontrox	1.1*10 ¹¹

2 orders of magnitude less defects obtained with Kontrox[™]



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YEARS OF RESEARCH

Spin off from the University of Turku, Finland

- 2008 Research initiated at the University of Turku, Finland
- 2011 1st patent family
- 2016 Technology Commercialization study funded by TEKES (Finnish Funding Agency for Innovation)
- 2017 **Company registered**. Offices located in Turku, Finland. Raised first round of funding from Inventure
- 2018 First revenue generated ~100K€ 3 patents. EU SME phase I grant
- 1st long term development and commercial license
 agreement signed.
 1 patent
 Revenue 650K€
- **2020 Partnership agreement** with RIBER for equipment supply



BUSINESS MODEL: FULL TURNKEY TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS

We provide fully customized processes tailored to improved customer's devices to be implemented in customers factories Monetization in form of licenses



BUSINESS MODEL: CUSTOMERS

We add value at different stages of the semiconductor supply chain.

Our customers

Our added value



Semiconductor Ecosystem and value chain

BUSINESS MODEL: GO-TO-MARKET AND REVENUE MODEL



at this stage with NDA signed

- Average 2-4 months
- Monetization: project based billing

- Long term, 6-18 months development agreement
- technology validation & implementation studies
- Possibility to transfer to customers' site
- Monetization: project based billing + R&D license fee

- Monetization: royalty based models
- Long term contract with royalties expected in 2-5% range
- Commissions on Equipment sales via partners
- Equipment Calibration & tuning service

MARKET PULL FROM THE OPTOELECTRONICS MARKET



Mini, micro LEDs

- Proof of concept made with two companies: US well known company & European optoelectronics leader
- Open discussion with one Japanese world top brand



Lasers

- A lot of interest from high power laser makers
- Proofs of concept ongoing with
- Several open discussions around VCSEL applications for 3D recognition



IR detectors

- Discussions with several European companies
- Proof of concept definitions with major mobile phones maker for different applications



GaN for power conversion and RF applications

- Discussions ongoing with Tier1 automotive company for proof of concept
- 1 big IDM manufacturer under NDA
- Our customer current focus is mainly in mini-uLEDs and different Laser applications
- Internal developments ongoing for GaN power market.
- GaN and other RF (GaAs) applications will be the next focus area.

OUR TRACTION TODAY: FUNNEL OF LEADS AND CUSTOMERS

In a period of 2 years we succeeded in opening many sale leads from leading corporates in our target industries.

We have already secured several paying customers and 1 trial license and 1 commercial license agreements.



THE TEAM

Founders



Vicente Calvo, CEO Founder MSc Industrial Eng. Lead innovator at Nokia



Jouko Lång, CTO Founder PhD Physics **Process inventor**

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Erkki Heinonen, MD at EQT solutions ltd. Former Director of Sourcing @ Nokia



FUNDING TO DATE

2M€, of which 1M€ of non-equity funding

Burning rate: 75K€/month What we have achieved:

- Build our own high-tech lab
- 2 granted patent families (US, JP, CN, EU, CA, RU, KR,...)
 3 patent pending and 1 trade mark
- a solid customers base and first commercial license agreement signed
- A partnership agreement with world top equipment manufacturer
- Break even point achieved in 2019

RAISING A SERIES @ 4M€

Already committed 1M€

What we will achieve:

- Increase business development team and activities
- Increase our capacity to shorten the time to revenue cycle
- Strengthen the IP portfolio
- Expand our activities to other industry segments

What we are looking for:

- VC or CVC with experience in semiconductor industry
- Potential Industrial partners

