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## Introduction

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## Background - BioProducts

- Greenhouse Gas Emissions
  - Efficient use of biomass to produce bioproducts is a key component of achieving global climate change targets
- Forest Industry Transformation
  - Forest products companies are transforming from paper producers to bioproducts producers
- Competitive Conversion Technologies
  - Economical industrial biotech conversion technologies are needed to produce profitable biomaterials from biomass that can compete with petroleum-based products



## Introduction to S2G BioChem

- > Founded in 2009
- Based in Vancouver, Canada
- Privately held
- 14 full-time/contract employees
- Industrial bio-tech conversion technology
- Products: Xylitol and Bio-glycols (MEG, MPG)
- Thousands of hours of pilot-scale validation







Now scaling up to a Commercial Demonstration



# S2G History & Partners



- Glycol Pilot Plant
- 2<sup>nd</sup> generation of technology



 Xylitol Coproduction technology development



2016

 Commercial Campaign











# **Xylitol Opportunity**

Sugar = Obesity = Diabetes

Growing demand hatural strength of low-calorie sweeteners Healthy

• Sweeteners: \$100 BB

• Sugar Alcohols: \$6.5 BB<sup>1</sup>

Next 5 years: 30% growth<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> BCC Research - Global Markets for Non-Sugar Sweeteners

# S2G Xylitol – A Superior Sugar Alcohol

# Lowest cost

- 50% of current xylitol costs
- Highest product yield
- Co-product biochemical glycols

## Cleanest

- Sustainable byproduct feedstock
- Cleanest production processes
- Supports sustainable biorefineries



# Commercialization Strategy

### Priority

#### **Demonstration Plant - Sarnia**

\$30 MM budget

- Prove technology
- Prove scale-up
- Confirm economics
- Develop market for S2G Xylitol

#### Commercial Plant - Partner Site

\$150 MM budget

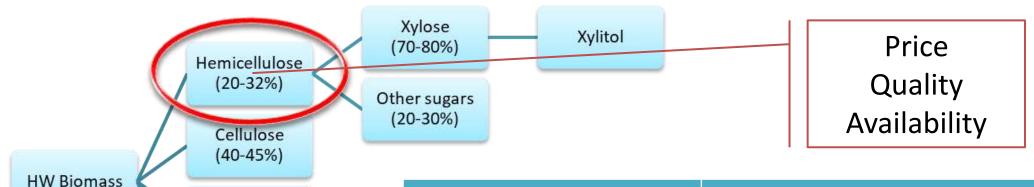
- \$80 MM revenue
- \$40 MM margin
- Global low-cost producer
- Develop engineering packages

### License to 3<sup>rd</sup> Parties

- Canada and global market
- Add other biochemicals



## Hybrid Chemistry Cluster (HCC) in Sarnia-Lambton



Feedstock – S2G's
biggest challenge

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Lignin (25-30%)

Ash (1-5%)

S2G Challenges	Support
Financing (Announcement pending)	BIN Fed Dev Comm Sci
Customers	Bio-MEG
Technology Partners	Origin Materials, Renix, Lambton College
Site	Western Sarnia Lambton Research Park, Newalta
Feedstock	Comet, Greenfield, Growers →Pulp Mills

