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THE NATURAL SOLUTION

Eden Research is the only UK-listed company focused on biopesticides for sustainable agriculture. It develops and supplies innovative biopesticide products and natural microencapsulation technologies to the global crop protection, animal health and consumer products industries. Eden's crop protection products are derived from natural plant chemistry and used on high-value fruits and vegetables, improving crop yields and marketability.

Eden's products are formulated with terpene active ingredients, based on natural plant defence metabolites and encapsulated with its branded Sustaine<sup>®</sup> technology, to enable effective crop applications. Eden Research's lead product, Mevalone<sup>®</sup>, has been launched in Europe, with a second product, Cedroz<sup>™</sup>, close to full commercialisation.

We employ talented people in our UK head office, have commercial partnerships across six continents and have established a substantial distributor network for our products, covering relevant European countries, the US, China and others.

"Our focus is on developing products based on sustainable chemistries to protect high-value crops from pests and disease, with equal or better performance when compared with conventional pesticides."

Sean Smith, CEO

#### MARKET OPPORTUNITY

The biopesticide market is expected to grow to ~\$9bn by 2022, growing at a CAGR of 15%. The demands of a growing global population and the resultant requirement for increased food production yields makes the pesticide market an attractive opportunity.



## OUR BUSINESS AT A GLANCE

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**FINANCIALS\*** 

£2.0M

(2018: £2.8m)

£0.3M

milestone payments



#### MANAGEMENT TEAM



Sean Smith, **Chief Executive** 

Over 25 years of experience in the speciality chemicals and industrial biotechnology industries

- 6 years as CEO
- Extensive industry experience in IP-based businesses
- Senior roles previously at Ciba (now BASF) and Honeywell



#### Lykele Van Der Broek. Non-Executive Chairman

Formerly Board member of Bayer CropScience and President of Bayer Animal Health, both crop science divisions of Bayer AG



#### Alex Abrey, **Chief Financial Officer**

Experienced Financial Director to a diverse range of businesses including financial and management consultancy



#### **Rob Cridland. Non-Executive Director**

Until recently, Rob served as Chief Financial Officer of Itaconix plc, having joined from Renovo Group plc where he was Executive Director of Finance and Business Development

### FROM PLOUGH TO PLATTER



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The worldwide organic food and drink market was worth over \$100bn for the first time in 2018

Eden's product Mevalone can

be used to extend the shelf-life

and cost in the supply chain

of produce, reducing food waste



\$300M

Of fruits and vegetables globally are wasted

Nematodes cause an estimated \$300m of damage per year in Europe alone

> All three EU-registered active ingredients from Eden are approved for use in organic farming

## TERPENES

 Naturally occurring metabolites that are one of evolution's answers to natural plant defence mechanisms

- Historically, terpenes are too volatile and hydrophobic for practical use
- · Eden's Sustaine® allows for stable and high capacity loading use of terpenes
- Basis of Eden's biopesticide solutions

# SUSTAINE

- Technology
- Naturally sourced, plastic-free, biodegradable microcapsules
- Derived from yeast extract making it easy to mix and apply
- Technology is applicable to agriculture, horticulture and health sectors
- Susatine<sup>®</sup> is a proven, viable solution to microplastics problem in formulations requiring encapsulation

# MEVALONE

Product

#### **AN INVESTABLE** BUSINESS

Eden's performance ambition is to become a leader in the growing biopesticides markets. Building on its strong foundation of approved products and established distribution partners, the company is on a path to delivering strong product sales and capitalising on market opportunities as they present themselves.



Supportive regulatory environment

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Exposure to high



On the path towards profitability Product

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