

The Plant Computer

Raising a \$5M Seed+ round - \$1M committed by founder



Gardin is raising a \$5 million strategic round (\$1M from Founder).







My timeline.





Growers today drive the climate not the plants

Good on average, but significant energy wasted and missed opportunities for plant growth





Gardin links the climate to the plants

"Before I used Gardin, I mainly focused on the climate conditions in the greenhouse. I tried to set this as optimally as possible for the plants.

With Gardin I can measure the effect of the climate conditions based on the plants themselves." – Leonard Boer, FromBoer Lettuce, NL



GARDIN

We have developed patented pioneering hardware and AI to provide crop insights through the Gardin Platform.



Built for scale: affordable, autonomous and robust measurements on any plant species Deep insight: real-time measurements of photosynthetic rate generates unbeatable dataset

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Plant driven growing: instant response data enables optimisation within production environment



A multidisciplinary team with a culture of learning from our combined experiences.



SUMANTA TALUKDAR CEO



CONRAD LANGTON CTO



ANDREW HUNTER-OSBORNE OPERATIONS



MIGUEL JORDAO STRATEGY & FINANCE



JOHN IBALL PRODUCT



FABRIZIO TICCHIARELLI BIOLOGY



RICHARD OSTERLOH EMBEDDED SYSTEMS



JULIAN GODDING DATA SCIENCE



CONNOR GODDARD PLATFORM



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AMANDA MCGURK

CHIEF OF STAFF, FD



KONSTANTIN MOVSHOVICH HW

2 exits (one > \$500m) Team of 23, 5 PhDs Plant science, Computer Vision, AI, Robotics, Physics, Data engineering, Aerospace



And we are partnered with world class advisors.



DORN WENNINGER

Ex-VP Fresh Produce & Floral – Walmart (11 years)

Ex- Head Driscolls Europe



PROFESSOR TRACY LAWSON

Professor of Plant Physiology Top 1% cited researchers in 2023

Director Plant Phenomics Research Facility



What most excites me about Gardin is the ability to measure and monitor, in real time, how the plant itself is performing. Gardin's sensors and data will help take agriculture to the next level - Dorn Wenninger

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Plant driven growing in practice

VPD Optimisation

- 40% increase in productivity (kg/kWh) with temperature and humidity optimisation.
- 8% increase in annual yield (kg/m2/yr) for irrigation optimisation in commercial farm.

Lighting Optimisation

- 30-40% increase in annual yields (kg/m2/yr) optimising LED spectrum for commercial vertical farm.
- 27% higher performance for far-red treatment compared to flowering bulbs in strawberry cultivation in a commercial greenhouse.





Gardin achieved in 1 year what others said was impossible



6 International Patents UL Certified Product shipping to customers

We are moving fastIn 6 months since product launch we have achieved.





The only phenotyping platform for real-time response agriculture

"My last startup exited for > \$500m, this time we are going to do better"

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