

FOR THE LONG RUN newsletter

Welcome!

Dear reader,

I am proud to introduce the inaugural issue of our newsletter, the purpose of which is to provide information about European Batteries Oy and lithium-ion battery industry in general. The evolving requirements and fast technical development are paving the way towards more efficient, yet sustainable use of energy. We sincerely believe European Batteries Oy is able to provide OEMs and system integrators with battery solutions that are reliable, safe, efficient and environmentally friendly.

The next issue of "For the long run" is due to come out in a few months. Meanwhile, I would like to take this opportunity and encourage you to send comments and suggestions – regarding both newsletter and European Batteries Oy in general. Interaction is one of the keys towards improved collaboration, and that is what we at European Batteries Oy would like to establish with you.

Yours sincerely,
Martti Alatalo
Editor-in-chief
VP, Sales and Marketing



The Varkaus production unit in progress

As the new European Batteries plant in Varkaus, Finland begins its operations in the spring of 2010, it will be the first independent large lithium-ion battery manufacturing unit in Europe. The process is progressing according to the schedule – the machinery was installed in February and in just a few months, we are all set to go!



Joining forces for a better future

European Batteries Oy and battery management system developer FEVT (Oy Finnish Electric Vehicle Technologies Ltd.) have joined forces and FEVT is now a wholly owned subsidiary of European Batteries Oy. The companies will continue to operate under one brand, European Batteries. By combining efficient lithium-ion cell manufacturing and advanced battery management technologies, the new European Batteries is able to provide individually designed, comprehensive solutions and improved reliability – everything you need for your state-of-the-art battery solution is now available under one roof!





European Batteries joins Cleantech Finland

European Batteries is proud to be a member of Cleantech Finland network. With expert companies from various fields striving towards a common goal, Cleantech is a strong unit that is able to carry significant power in discovering new routes towards a more sustainable environment.



► [More information about Cleantech Finland](#)

The new European Batteries website is now open!

European Batteries has just launched its brand new website. The address www.europeanbatteries.com remains the same but just about everything else has changed. You can surf through our offering to various customer industries, download new material and learn more about the general opportunities of lithium-ion batteries. We hope the new contents will help us in our continuous effort to serve our customer the best possible way.



► [Click here to go to the main page](#)

Stay in touch with the latest developments

The world of lithium-ion batteries and cleaner energy keeps evolving at a fast pace. Check out the latest developments at the European Batteries website!



► [Click here to go to the news list](#)

Download the European Batteries brochure

Our brochure provides more information about how European Batteries can add value to your operations – download it from our website or send email to info@europeanbatteries.com for your printed copy.



► [Click here to download the European Batteries brochure](#)

European Batteries – at your service

European Batteries takes pride in communicating and co-operating efficiently with its interest groups – the best solutions can only be achieved by listening to other industry

professionals and their views on things. We are here to help you further develop your ideas, products and business operations. Feel free to contact us and to tell a bit more about

your ideal battery solution – confidentially and without any obligation. There is every chance that by working together, we might be able to achieve just that.