

# **Applied Graphene Materials**



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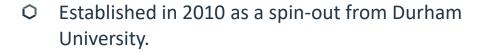
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## Who are Applied Graphene Materials?

**Decade + of Innovation** 









 Actively engaged with over 160 technology and product development partners

Partnerships developed with global distributors Active staffing in USA

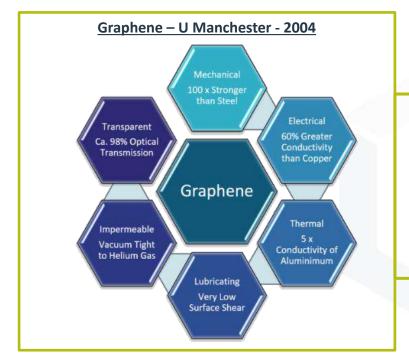




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## **Graphene – What's it all about?**





Amazing
material - BUT
Challenging to
use to make
other materials
better

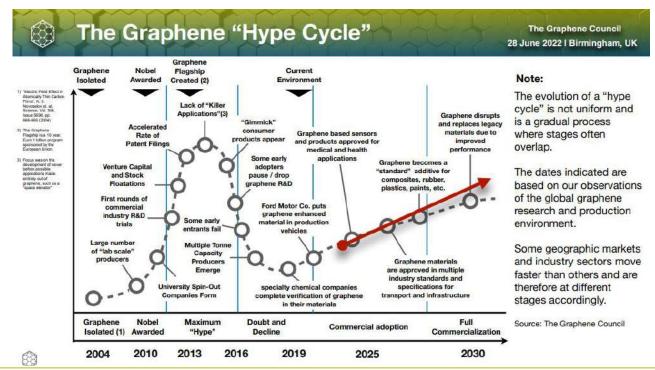
#### **Graphene Nanoplatelets (GNPs)**

- Practical version of graphene powder format
   High Technology Readiness Level (TRL) from unique process.
- Over 300 companies globally that produce graphenes. Combined 2022 global capacity 15,000MT\*. Set to increase substantially.
- O Why these materials matter?
- Remarkable properties of graphene transferrable to make other materials perform even better
- Key is how to use graphene. How to disperse them to create effectiveness in host materials
- AGM dispersion technology provides these answers.

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## **Graphene – Current stage of evolution**





AGM has patent-protected technology to produce a range of Graphene Nanoplatelets (GNPs) plus IP covering dispersion and application of these highly functional materials.

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## **USP – AGM unlocks the potential of Graphene nanomaterials**

Creating long-range value - AGM's <u>dispersion</u> and <u>application</u> expertise



Consistent supply of high quality, repeatable graphene dispersions that are **stable**, **easy to formulate** and **safe to incorporate** – *meeting what the industry needs*.

- O Range of graphenes best fit for application type
- O Standard dispersions High technology readiness
- Custom dispersions meeting customer specific needs
- Range of applicable chemistries
- **O** Application know-how
- Proven technical data
- Practical guidance and technical support group



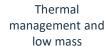


Graphene dispersions + know-how + proven application data = Essential for customer success

## Adoption of AGM dispersed graphenes

Making materials better – Protective Coatings, Composite Materials, Specialty Products

Anti-corrosion. erosion, composites in wind turbines





Aerospace performance advantages for composites

Anti-corrosion and Chemical Resistance for marine

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Aerospace – Aluminium corrosion protection

Offshore harsh environment protective coatings





**Battery and Thermal** conductivity for Electrification of Vehicles







Enhanced pipelines coatings





Construction



Coatings for textiles adjacency

Future development ->







Transportation vehicle weight reduction and anticorrosion



Infrastructure better coatings for roof, cladding, building structure



Anti-corrosion / Chemical resistance -Industrial coatings



Replacement of poor environmental agents

<- Current opportunity pipeline or technology development activity

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## **Commercial use of AGM dispersed graphenes**



Customer product platform using Genable technology from AGM



#### **Anti-Corrosion industrial coatings**

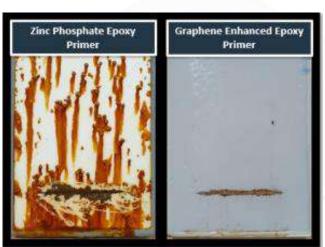
Chemical resistance industrial coatings

**Car care protective coatings** 

Composite materials and adhesives

**Sustainable opportunities** 

**Conductives and printables** 



Corrosion performance after salt spray test



"Making material even better with graphene nanoplatelets"

## **Commercial use of graphene coatings**



 $oldsymbol{G}$  enable dispersions from AGM enabling customers to use graphene effectively in industrial coatings







Customer products in use at a growing scale.







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## **Commercial use of graphene coatings**







**G** e∩able graphene dispersions from AGM in use in construction coatings





- P&0
- **JDB**
- **Severn Bridge Trading Estate**
- **Royal Mail**
- Lidl
- Bensons



**Barrier & Anti-Corrosion** Cost effective solution Extended life Roof surfaces, cut edges and gutters



## **Commercial use of graphene coatings**







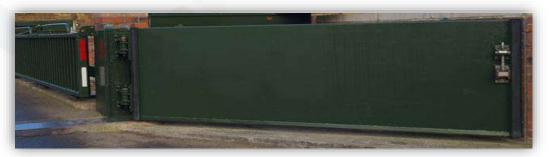












## Commercial use in car care













## DRIVING INNOVATION IN THE AUTOMOTIVE PROTECTIVES MARKET

- Customer products with AGM dispersions
- Waxes and detailers
- Anti-corrosion coatings
- **O** Formats for aerosolised materials
- **Q** Retail to professional engagement
- More sizeable companies now evaluating greater potential volume medium term







**Barrier & Anti-Corrosion** 

Water Shedding

**UV Protection** 

## **Specialty coating products**







#### **POWER TRANSMISSION COATINGS**

- O Indian infrastructure market
- Conductive coating for electrical connections
- Technical challenge solved to enable multiple materials attributes to be realized
- Awaiting customer integration on maintenance cycles







**Permeability & Barrier** 

Conductivity

## **Chemical Resistance with graphene**





**G** enable dispersions from AGM for use in chemical resistant coatings sector









#### **CHEMICAL RESISTANT COATINGS**

- **Factory floor coating application**
- New data package demonstrates chemical resistant coatings solution with graphene
- Meeting the industry needs standard and custom dispersions to suit application
- Opportunities in composites used for transport and storage applications
- Further development anti-static, thermal

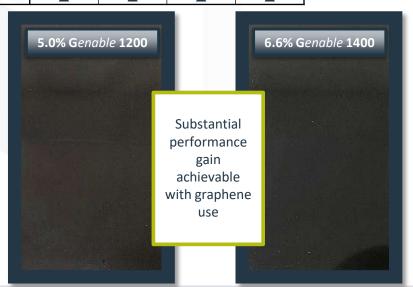
## Genable Dispersion vs. Sulphuric Acid

28 Day Immersion Testing



	Vs. 20% Glass Flake			
Immersion Media	Genable 1200 Loading		Genable 1400 Loading	
(28 Days @ 23°C)	2.50%	5.00%	3.33%	6.67%
Visual Appearance				<b>A</b>
Blistering				
Hardness Retention				<b>A</b>
Gloss Retention		<b>A</b>		<b>A</b>





## **Graphene for composites for hydrogen**





**G** e∩able enabling customers to use graphenes in emerging gas storage sector



#### **COMPOSITES PRESSURE VESSELS**

- **Essential technology for hydrogen storage**
- **Technology application for the broader** hydrogen agenda
- Longer life solutions, higher pressure rating, lower weight
- **Engagements with a number of composites** manufacturers in the hydrogen space





Permeability & Barrier





**Mechanical Performance** 

Conductivity

## Positive sustainable innovation enabled with AGM graphene



Positive contribution to achieving **sustainability goals** as an alternative to traditional chemicals.

- Customer coating life cycle advantages
- Reducing deterioration of coatings
- Extending coating life
- Lower maintenance requirements
- Potential reduction in microplastic release
- Reduction of pollutants such as heavy metals, zinc phosphate, chromates etc
- Product range with innovative chemistries to further advance the opportunity



## **AGM's Business model**

Demonstrating the technology works in our key platform sector.

Comprehensive product range

Continuing to invest in long range technology growth

Supplying and serving customers through mature global distribution network



Promoting
innovative
technology backed
with compelling
backup data

**Establishing** other niche technologies alongside a mature coatings platform

**Creating** capacity ahead of demand to service growth

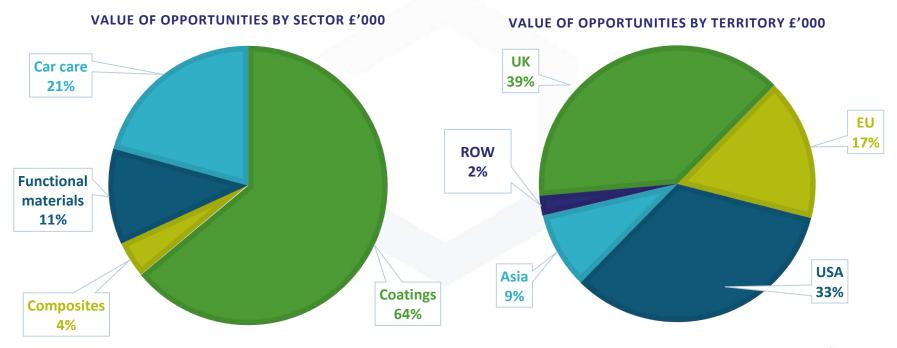
**Building** long range revenue path through customer testing, integration, launch and sales of their products

Perform.

## **Opportunity pipeline**

Sales opportunities at 31/1/22 (excluding completed projects)





## **Current status – main points**



#### Potential for long range growth

#### Previous fund raises – use of funds

Development of graphene manufacturing 2010 to 2017 2018 onwards Start of dispersion know-how 2018 onwards

Last fund raise – fully dedicated to dispersion platform technology 2021

Cash Beyond Jan 2023

#### AGM's dispersion technology now has high readiness

The Right graphenes. The right dispersions The best support to meet customer need

#### Proven performance data to back up claims available for customers on our website

#### Conduit to market well developed

Distribution model plus internal sale team

#### **Exploitation phase developing commercialization**

- Pipeline of engagements demonstrate commercial viability and bring in larger entities for greater momentum and read-across to other adjacencies
- Pathway to revenues impact of supply chain issues and COVID has hit coatings sector hard

### **Distribution Sales Platform**

Potential for long range global support and sales development



#### **Conduit to market**

- Distribution model for global reach
- 11 specialist distribution sales partners located directly in key markets
- 100 sales staff on the ground promoting AGM Graphene Products.



## **Current numbers**

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#### Potential for long range growth

#### Addressable market

Global industrial coatings market is large and growing again post-COVID. Resins supply segment CAGR growth c. 4.7%

#### Realizing value through use of graphene in customer products

- Enabling strong product performance
- Allowing new product launches and range expansion with innovative offerings
- Potential to capture long range market share through successful product embedding
- Growing brand awareness as a technical solution provider
- Technology leadership in the space

#### **Current financials**

	6mo ended 31/1/22 £'000's	12mo ended 31/7/21 £'000's	12mo ended 31/7/20 £'000's
Revenue	46	123	83
EBITDA	(1,723)	(3,150)	(3,084)
Cash	4,214	6,308	3,685

#### **Expected margins potential at volume**

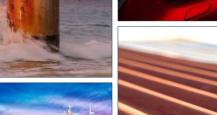
Gross margin to average 30 – 40% with forecast mix

## Why consider AGM now?

#### Solid platform for future growth potential

- Momentum with 30 customer product launches with embedded graphene products.
- Technology platform is well developed for focused verticals. Protective Coatings, Composites, Specialties
- Meeting customer need with reliable and reproducible easyto-use products with enhanced EHS
- Outstanding Technical support for customer engagements
- Products are being launched to new adjacent markets
- Customer pipeline momentum is strong
- Sales network developing
- Larger entities starting to take notice











## What's next?

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#### Opportunity development – Where AGM is active in technology development

- ✓ Coatings space
  - ✓ Graphene-based conductive coatings
  - √ Topcoat development to complement primers
- ✓ Conductivity space
  - ✓ Graphene coatings in batteries
  - ✓ Dielectric materials technology
  - ✓ Graphene for thermal materials for heat management in batteries
- ✓ Hydrogen space
  - ✓ Further application to range of hydrogen pressure vessel technologies

### **Executive Team**

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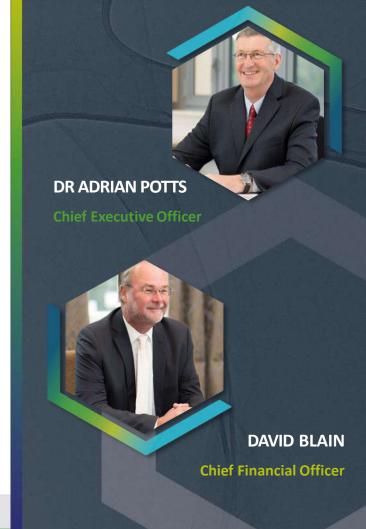
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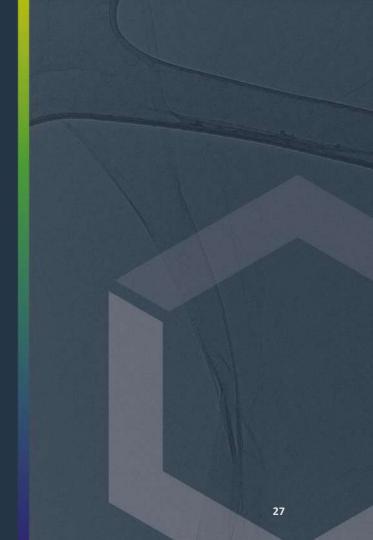




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## **Appendix**



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## **Progress update since interim results**



- Launch of Chemical resistance package on time
  - IP filed
  - Marketing through distribution and direct sales
  - Applicability to wide range chemical resistance applications
- Progress with UK Environmental Agency next asset applications identified
- Progress with Alltimes towards independent certification of Advantage Graphene product
- Stanvac Awaiting maintenance access to electrical grid components
- Floor coatings customer Approaching finalization of product spec
- Car care Further customer products containing our dispersions coming to market
- Composites Further revenue from ICT to support pressure vessel build
- Appointment of Indian distributor

## Data resources for AGM's technology



**Graphene dispersions** <a href="https://www.appliedgraphenematerials.com/products/genable-graphene-dispersions/">https://www.appliedgraphenematerials.com/products/genable-graphene-dispersions/</a>

#### **Coatings**

- Corrosion
  - PowerPoint Presentation (appliedgraphenematerials.com)
  - Chemical resistance | Applied Graphene | (appliedgraphenematerials.com)
- Chemical Resistance
  - Chemical resistance | Applied Graphene | (appliedgraphenematerials.com)
- Automotive detailing products
  - Graphene additives for better performing Car Care products | Applied Graphene | (appliedgraphenematerials.com)
- Technical resources
  - Graphene dispersions that are stable, safe and easy to incorporate. | Applied Graphene | (appliedgraphenematerials.com)

#### **Composites**

PowerPoint Presentation (appliedgraphenematerials.com)

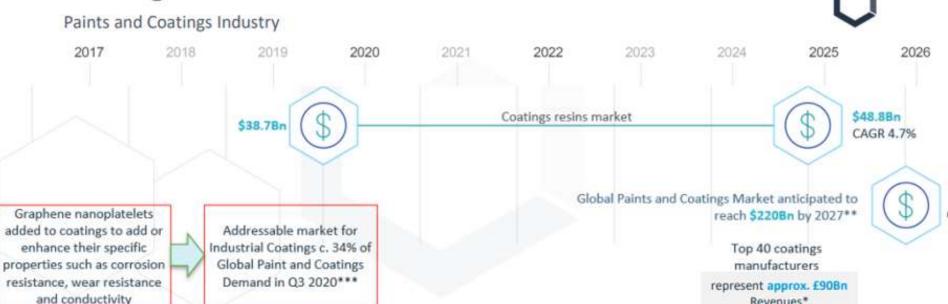
#### **Adhesives**

Light-weight and highly-thermal conductive materials. | Applied Graphene | (appliedgraphenematerials.com)

#### **Customer Case Studies**

**Customer Success Stories - Applied Graphene | Applied Graphene | (appliedgraphenematerials.com)** 

## **Coatings Market info**



Near term access with innovative coatings companies to demonstrate successful adoption of graphene nanoplatelets

Revenues\*

<sup>\*</sup> Source: Coutings World July 2030

<sup>\*\*</sup> Source, https://www.coatingsworld.com/contents/view-market-research/2020-10-12/coherent-marketinsights paint and coatings market to surpass 220 billion by 2027/

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## Sustainability and capacity for growth

**Enabling more sustainble solutions** 

Graphene contributes to **sustainability goals** as an alternative to traditional chemicals.

- Product life cycle advantages.
- Extended life and improved performance.
- O Potential toxin reduction zinc, chromates etc. in coatings.



#### **Expanded product range**

- Water based dispersions incl. UK patent.
- Dio-based materials launched.







#### **Graphene dispersion capacity developing:**

- High speed dispersion.
- Range of dispersion methods.
- Suits both exfoliated and synthesized graphenes.
- Space adjacent to current facility.
- Spray booth commissioned.



## **Graphene innovation platform for industrial coatings**

Meeting customer need - Exceptional package of materials technology for protective coatings and beyond



- Choice of types of Graphene for best technical fit
- Dispersion selection for optimum formulation
- Practical application guidance
- Example coatings to help get started
- Test data to back up performance claims

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## **Future technology roadmap**

Graphene in a "greener" world





Hydrogen Storage – graphene in composites



Batteries &
Fuel Cells –
graphene
coatings and
novel
materials
formats

Green technologies with graphene



Thermal Interface Materials – developing graphene adhesives further



IP growth