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ALGAE IS GOOD OIL FOR QPONICS

The Healthwatch column in Brisbane's [Sunday Mail](#) earlier this month reported that the decline in global fish stocks could benefit Qponics due to the Company's focus on producing EPA/DHA omega-3 fatty acids from algae.

Qponics' CEO Dr Barnett said "Global consumption of EPA/DHA omega-3 oil is doubling every 5 years and this growth cannot be sustained from harvesting oil from ocean fish. Fish get their omega-3s from eating either algae or other marine animals that eat algae, therefore farming algae provides the only sustainable means of supplying natural EPA/DHA omega-3."

There are new reports in the medical literature every day pointing to the powerful health benefits of consuming EPA/DHA omega-3s, including a recent [US study](#) suggesting that low levels of DHA omega-3 oil in human diets leads to increased risk of major depression and suicide.

"Accelerating reportage in scientific publications and consequently in the media on the health benefits of EPA/DHA omega-3s, is the key driver of amazing growth in this market" said Dr Barnett.

Qponics' unique aquaponic process for the fertilisation of the growth of algae through circulation of fish tank effluent water will be the first of its kind in the world.

Graeme Barnett

Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director
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