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## POLARIS Laboratories® and i-Care Announce Strategic Integration with I-see Technology

Industrial organizations are set to benefit from this collaboration, as it promotes more cohesive data collection and analysis that deliver timely insights into equipment performance and operational longevity.

I-care, a global leader in predictive maintenance and machine health, has announced a strategic integration with POLARIS Laboratories<sup>®</sup>. This integration connects I-see<sup>™</sup>, I-care's AI-enhanced platform for oversight of PdM technologies, with advanced fluid analysis data from POLARIS Laboratories<sup>®</sup>. The integration was developed by POLARIS Laboratories<sup>®</sup> and is now available to I-see users through the company's API, HORIZON<sup>®</sup> Connect.

"We're excited to partner with I-care on this important advancement," said Randy Clark, POLARIS Laboratories' Manager of Reliability. "Integrating our fluid analysis insights with Wi-care's predictive maintenance sensors provides a more holistic approach to equipment reliability and strengthens the maintenance strategies of our customers."

The collaboration between I-care and POLARIS Laboratories® brings together two critical sources of machine health intelligence, providing maintenance teams with a more complete view of equipment performance and condition. Through the HORIZON® Connect API, fluid analysis results from POLARIS Laboratories® can now feed directly into the I-see platform, which provides maintenance personnel with actionable insights into mechanical systems without the need for manual data transfer.

Using AI workflows, I-see processes millions of data points, clearly categorizing data to indicate potential issues and critical failures, generating recommendations through a centralized dashboard with asset, plant, and global views, all accessible with a user-friendly interface.

Maintenance and reliability professionals will now be able to see lubricant condition, contamination and wear data, alongside vibration and temperature trends from Wi-care™ sensors. These combined insights facilitate more informed decisions and faster response times.

"This integration marks the beginning of a new chapter in data-driven maintenance," says Ben Detober, Deputy CEO of I-care Group. "By linking POLARIS Laboratories" industry-leading fluid analysis with the I-see platform, we're giving customers the power to see more, know more and do more to protect their critical assets. It's the first of many partnerships we're enabling through I-see's open API to elevate reliability programs."

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Both companies see this as the first step in a broader strategy to deliver seamless interoperability between reliability tools. Together, they aim to enhance maintenance workflows and reduce unplanned downtime for asset-intensive industries.

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## **About POLARIS Laboratories®**

POLARIS Laboratories® is an independent fluid analysis company headquartered in Indianapolis, Indiana and six additional laboratories around the globe. The company specializes in testing and analyzing oil, coolant, grease and diesel fuel to provide maintenance recommendations that reduce maintenance costs, improve equipment reliability and minimize unscheduled downtime for companies in the transportation, oil and gas, construction, mining and power generation industries. The United States and Poland laboratory locations are ISO17025:2017 certified by A2LA (certificate 2145.01). For more information, visit <a href="https://www.polarislabs.com">www.polarislabs.com</a>

## **About I-care**

The I-care group is the market leader in predictive maintenance, monitoring hundreds of thousands of industrial machines worldwide. Our mission is to change the way the world performs. Our AI and data-driven solutions, including the I-see platform and Wi-care sensors, predict industrial failures months or even years before they occur. Thanks to I-care, machines around the world are safer, more productive and more sustainable. Founded in 2004 in Mons, Belgium, I-care employs more than 950 people, has 36 offices in 16 countries (Asia-Pacific, EMEA and the USA) and has customers in more than 55 countries. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.icareweb.com">www.icareweb.com</a>.

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