

MILESTONE AWARDS UPDATE

Dear XPRIZE Carbon Removal Team,

Thank you for your Milestone Submission. Among the hundreds of submissions reviewed by our expert review panel, your submission was marked as complete, and your solution was deemed to be in scope of the requirements of the competition. Meeting this criteria makes you a Qualified Team in XPRIZE Carbon Removal. Your team has been featured as a “Qualified Team” on our new interactive map that is featured on our [website](#). From the prize page, navigate down to “meet the teams” and visit the map below. You can navigate through the competitors by filtering through their solution type (air, land, oceans, and rocks) or level of achievement (sign up, qualified competitors, student winners). Congratulations! We will use the map, the website, and ongoing communications to draw attention and interest to your work as a team participating in the prize. You are part of a rapidly growing community of solvers working to develop and scale the carbon removal solutions that we urgently need.

You can find a social media [toolkit](#) here to share your status as a Qualified Team in XPRIZE Carbon Removal.

From this group of 287 Qualified Teams, we asked the 70 Expert Reviewers to rank and select the highest-scoring 60 teams. The list of Top 60 teams will be announced publicly on April 19, and the 15 milestone winners will be announced on Earth Day on April 22, so stay tuned! We will also be sharing feedback from the judging process with all teams who prepared a Milestone Submission following the announcement.

Remember: after the announcement of the Milestone Winners, the competition resets entirely! The submission requirements, expectations, and eligibility for the Grand Prize round will be different in the finals. Your registration for the Milestone round carries forward to the final round of the competition, so there is no need to re-register. Per the competition rules, the Grand Prize winner will be selected based on your ability to demonstrate a complete and functioning carbon removal solution at a scale of at least 1000 ton per year. We are here to support you in your journey to develop your carbon removal solution, using the prize as a springboard.

Thank you for your hard work preparing your Milestone Submission!

Best,
XPRIZE Carbon Removal