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I never sleep. I learn everyday. How about you?

Meet GRoW, the Tomato Harvesting Robot

As an always-on robotic co-worker, the GRoW tomato harvesting robot is available 24/7 - on your side and by your side.

GRoW brings a new level of control to the harvesting process, allowing more efficient and productive deployment of human labour.

Will you pick the fruits of GRoW's labor?

The pros and cons of human vs. robotic labor in the greenhouse



Shifts





Human

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Human harvesters are limited to an 8-hour workday and are available 5 days per week.

GRoW robotic

16 hours shifts are expected to become the new standard in greenhouse harvesting processes. GRoW can work 24 hours and 7 days a week and doesn't mind working weekends.

Vision capabilities

The human visual system can process complex information but is limited to a speed of 10-12 images per second. Fatigue and distraction decrease the quality of optical registration.

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registration

GRoW's machine vision can process hundreds to thousands of pieces of data per minute, goes beyond the human visible spectrum and delivers a very constant, reliable and repeatable performance.

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Consistency

Humans are susceptible to delivering less consistent quality work when their focus decreases.



GRoW will continuously improve your overall harvest quality thanks to a highly accurate and consistent picking process.



Reliability

Fluctuating reliability

The reliability of manual labour can be affected by various human factors and failure.

Maximum reliability

Solutions such as GRoW's proprietary predictive maintenance software ensure maximum reliability.

Working conditions

Harsh working environment

Working in a hot, humid greenhouse environment is challenging and strenuous for humans.

Can work in any conditions

GRoW will constantly deliver highquality output, even in the harshest climatic conditions.



Trainability

Time-consuming

Repeatedly training inexperienced greenhouse workers is time-consuming for new employees and the labour manager.



Efficient learning process

Training robots is timeconsuming but rewarding; once completed, the intelligence can easily be transferred and multiplied to other robots.

Availability

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Robots are always available, and the role of robots in manufacturing is normalizing. The use of industrial robots is increasing by 13% each year.

Labour shortages

An increasing amount of crops is currently being left unpicked due to staggering shortages in seasonal and permanent workers.

Become a horticulture pioneer today

Reserve your GRoW tomato harvesting robot

A greenhouse robotic worker that is always available, sounds like a dream (and it is). GRoW can work 24/7, which opens up opportunities for more efficient use of scarce human resources in your greenhouse.

GRoW is developed by Israeli robotics start-up MetoMotion. As result of an unique partnership, the robotic tomato harvesting robot is marketed and serviced by Ridder, a global leader in greenhouse horticulture technology.



Your contact: Joep van den Bosch Chief Strategy Officer at Ridder

Secure yourself for the GRoW opportunity and:

- Reserve your spot on the waiting list.
- Be an innovator, help in the development and make GRoW a successful robotic harvester in your company.
- Be the first to hear when GRoW is available in your region.
- Be one of the first greenhouses with a GRoW robot in your region.

Do you want to be part of innovation?

Reserve your GRoW







