Israel’s Cleantech Industry: An Introduction

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Nixon Peabody
“The largest and most impressive source of energy in our world, the source of life for every plant and animal, yet a source so little used by mankind today is the sun… Solar energy will continue to flow toward us almost indefinitely.”

David Ben-Gurion, Israel’s first Prime Minister
Drip irrigation was invented by Israeli cleantech pioneer, Simcha Blass, who wanted to know why a lone tree grew in the desert.
Netafim, the company founded by Simcha Blass, is today the global leader in smart drip and micro irrigation solutions.

It’s motto is “Grow more with less.”
2011 Venture Capital Investment in Cleantech
(in $US millions)
Nixon Peabody named “Dealmakers of the Year” for smart grid representation

Our firm was recognized by *The American Lawyer* for its representation of the CapX 2020, a joint initiative of 11 utilities to expand the electric grid and support renewable energy expansion.
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