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#Photonics #QuantumComputing

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#Cybersecurity #AI

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#AI #Defense

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#Cybersecurity #AI

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#RareEarths #SustainableIndustry

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Konboi, a French smart mobility startup, develops AI technologies to decarbonize road freight. Its first product, Hypermile, reduces truck fuel consumption by 11% and CO₂ emissions by 22 tons per year, while paving the way for sovereign autonomous driving.

#SustainableMobility #AI

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#TerritorialAttractiveness #Investment

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#Decarbonization #CircularEconomy

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#EnergyTransition #RenewableEnergy

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Founded in 2020 in Grenoble, Verkor is a European industrial company supported by France 2030 and a strong network of financial and industrial partners. Its ambition: to accelerate the production of low-carbon batteries in Europe to help decarbonize energy use and create value across our regions.

With an agile and sustainable business model, Verkor attracts top talent from around the world. After launching a fully digital pilot line in 2023, its first Gigafactory in Dunkirk is now operational and will produce its first cells in 2026

#Gigafactory #Batteries

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#SpatialSecurity #Defense

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#Electronics #Connectivity

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#GlobalConnectivity #SatelliteTelecom

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#SpaceMobility #NewSpace

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#EuropeanSpaceLogistics #FutureOfEuropeanSpace

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Qonto

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