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Ideanomics CEO Alf Poor's CleanTechnica Podcast: 5G & The Future of Transport

For years, we've been hearing about 5G being the next generation of wireless technology networking. Boasting of speeds 100 times faster than 4G – on a 5G network, one can download a movie in less than ten seconds versus seven minutes on 4G. 5G is capable of unlocking the full capabilities of technology from virtual reality to drones to IoT. However, when it comes to IoV (internet-of-vehicles) and self-driving cars, there are several important considerations.

In a CleanTechnica podcast, Ideanomics CEO Alf Poor discussed the near-term use cases for 5G in vehicles as well as its current limitations. Alf Poor said, “We’re going to have to find the right technological blend to keep 4G and 3G able to work with Internet of Vehicles, to make it an end-to-end experience. You think about a delivery truck going state to state — it’s going to pass through some significant rural areas. You can’t just have it go dark if you’re working with Internet of Vehicles and you have fleet operations management relying on it.”

This 27-minute interview also covered different semi-autonomous vehicle experiences, autonomous vehicle efficiency, and innovations in EV charging. Please click below to hear more.

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- [Global funds invest more in China as coronavirus spreads to the rest of the world](#), CNBC
- [Electric cars take the spotlight in China’s post-coronavirus stimulus plans](#), CNBC
- [Past its peak? Battered oil demand faces threat from electric vehicles](#), Reuters



[Ideanomics' MEG To Provide Energy Procurement Services for China 5G Tower Projects and EV Charging Infrastructure \(April 22, 2020\)](#)

- MEG's energy sales division was established to sell pre-paid wholesale electricity and metered electricity via charging networks.
- A cooperation agreement provides MEG with rights to provide electricity for multiple infrastructure projects, which include 5G towers and new energy vehicle charging piles.
- MEG's IoT/IoV 5G Energy Services division is positioned to capitalize on China's New Infrastructure Investments starting in 2020.

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Ideanomics' MEG Secures First Order for Qingdao EV Hub (May 18,2020)

- Order is for 130 units totaling approximately USD 2.5 Million
- Order will be fulfilled with EVs from SAIC brand Roewe
- Vehicles ordered are for immediate Q2 delivery

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