



CUSTOMER STORY

FUSION CONSULTING

Why does Fusion Consulting host their data at AQ Compute in Norway?

Fusion Consulting is partnering with AQ Compute to provide individualised data integration, data analytics and machine learning services using AQ Compute colocation capacities. The two principles that are particularly important to Fusion are:

1) Criticality of data within the pharmaceuticals environment: Fusion Consulting's main customer base consists of pharmaceuticals companies to whom they offer services with highly specialized expertise. Fusion has become deeply familiar with the restrictions its clients face. When working with data which involves research, trial or company secrets, there can be no compromise on data security, which must fully meet required standards. Fusion provides facilities based in Europe for European clients.

2) Sustainability: For Fusion Consulting and its clients, the sustainability of technology has become an increasingly important point of discussion in negotiations and project setups. This is sometimes hard to achieve with established cloud and hosting solutions. The focus here is particularly on the consolidation and preparation of data with the help of open-source technologies, such as Apache Spark, and the use of data for machine learning and data analytics. Since these applications are very resource-intensive, it is particularly important to provide them in an environmentally friendly manner.

Petter M. Tømmeraas

CEO, AQ Compute

"We are very happy to be working with Fusion Consulting in delivering innovative sustainable services for data integration, data analytics and machine learning to the pharmaceuticals and other critical industries."

Tony Bochmann

Director, Fusion Consulting

"With AQ Compute, we have found a partner which fulfills our needs - a partner where we do not have to worry about the sustainability of the solution or the local and global impacts of the company. This allows us to meet individual hardware and security requirements with a cost-effective and environmentally friendly hosting model."

About Fusion Consulting:

Fusion Consulting is one of the most dynamic and rapidly growing brands for digital transformation processes in the corporate environment worldwide. Headquartered in Switzerland with over 20 offices globally and more than 350 employees, Fusion is reaching its clients' goals in the areas of SAP implementations, (master) data management and science, CRM, digital program and project management and data driven process transformation. Together, successful. (For more information, please refer to: fusion-cons.com)

Services:

- Machine learning development platform to train and deploy prototype models to resolve client business needs
- Simulation modelling capabilities development
- Data modelling and integration via Apache Spark on cloud services
- Custom analytics for individual hardware demands

About AQ Compute:

AQ Compute is a sub-brand of Aquila Capital, an investment and asset development company focused on generating and managing essential assets on behalf of its clients. AQ Compute provides data centre and colocation services across Europe powered by renewable energy sources. It pursues a pan-European data centre strategy and anticipates a substantial increase in demand for computing capacity with a strong focus on sustainability.

AQ Compute is focused on the European continent with an emphasis on secondary markets. It believes growing markets in the Nordics and the Iberian Peninsula offer ideal conditions for the development and operation of sustainable data centres with excellent access to renewable energy. To provide its clients with a wide range of locations, AQ Compute is working on entering additional markets in Europe. Its first data centres are located in Oslo and Barcelona, with more to follow.

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