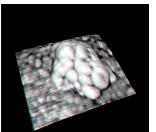
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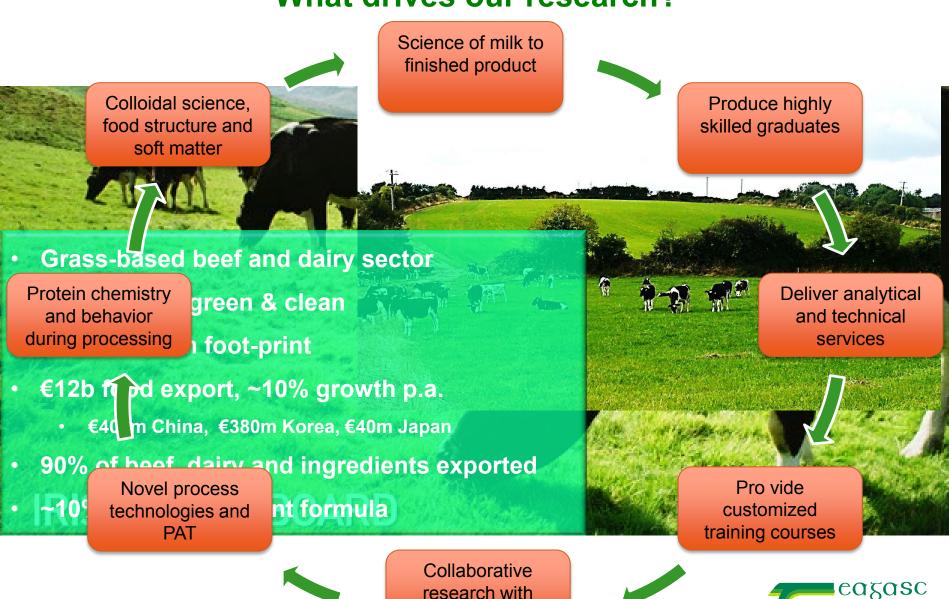
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## Food Chemistry and Technology Department What drives our research?



industry partners

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## **FC&T Innovative Drying Platform**

Working with INRA/VOMM to develop sustainable alternative to spray drying VOMM INRA



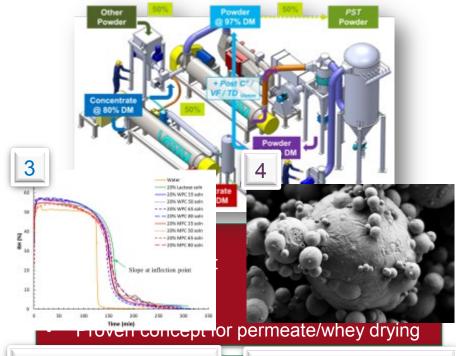


Optimisation of standard processes

 Novel wetprocess design

Wet process:

 Online monitoring of heat induced changes to formulations



#### Drying optimisation:

 Use of drying kinetics to optimise dryer conditions

 Stickiness analytics

## Powder microstructure:

- Optimise rehydration/flow properties
- State of the art imaging



### **DAIRYDRY Powder Functionality Platform**



#### Sensors

Advanced Imaging



**Formulation** Wet processing & Drying

Scale-up Physicochemical analysis

> **NFIC** (High speed camera)



#### UCC

Department of Food and Nutritional Sciences

> Novel Separation & formulation

Acoustic sensors (BARDS)



CIT (CAPPA)

In-line Photonicsbased sensors. Raman, IR

Off-line testing modules (flow cells)



University of Ulster (BMSRI)

**Dynamic** nano-scale imaging of powder hydration



WIT (SEAM)

3D Micro-CT analysis of bulk powder & particles

Industry advisory group To ensure industry relevance



## **Validation of New Technologies**

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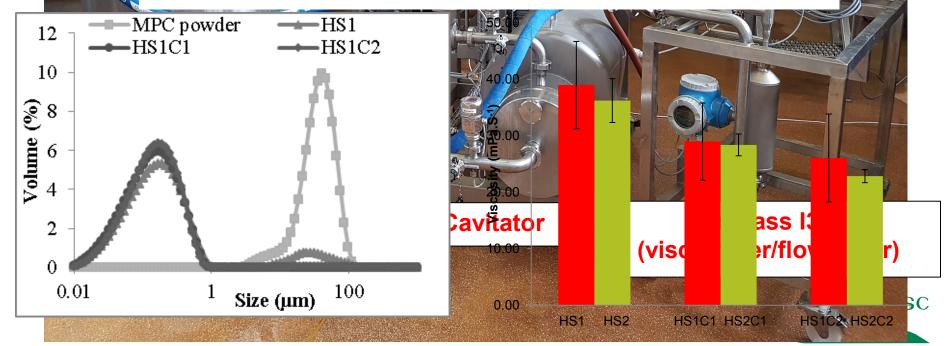
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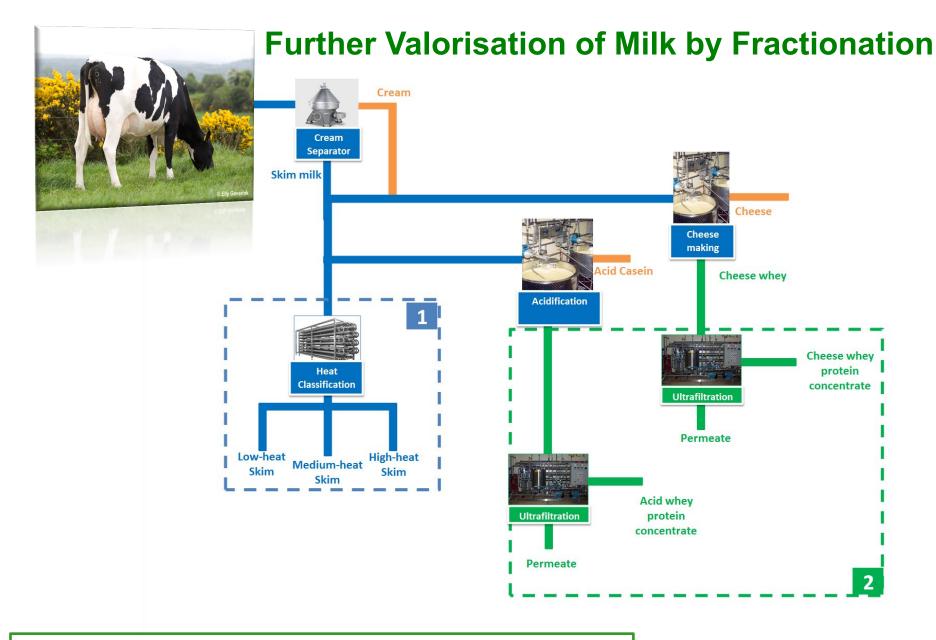


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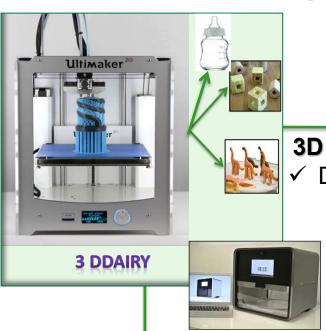




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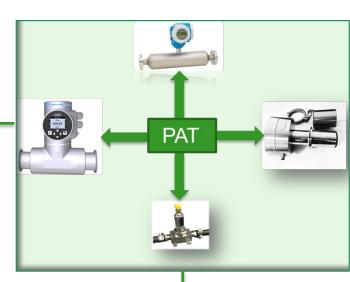


#### FC&T Food IT Platform



#### 3D Printing Technologies:

- ✓ Design & Printing of:
  - Structured Dairy
  - Food Prototyping



#### Process Analytical Technologies (PAT):

- ✓ Monitor & Control of Dairy Processes e.g. concentrate behaviour
  - Quality sensors e.g. temperature

#### **Next Generation Robotics:**

- ✓ application of robotics, PAT & image analysis tools
  - New quantitative methodologies for powder quality



