



Working together to produce more cheese from milk

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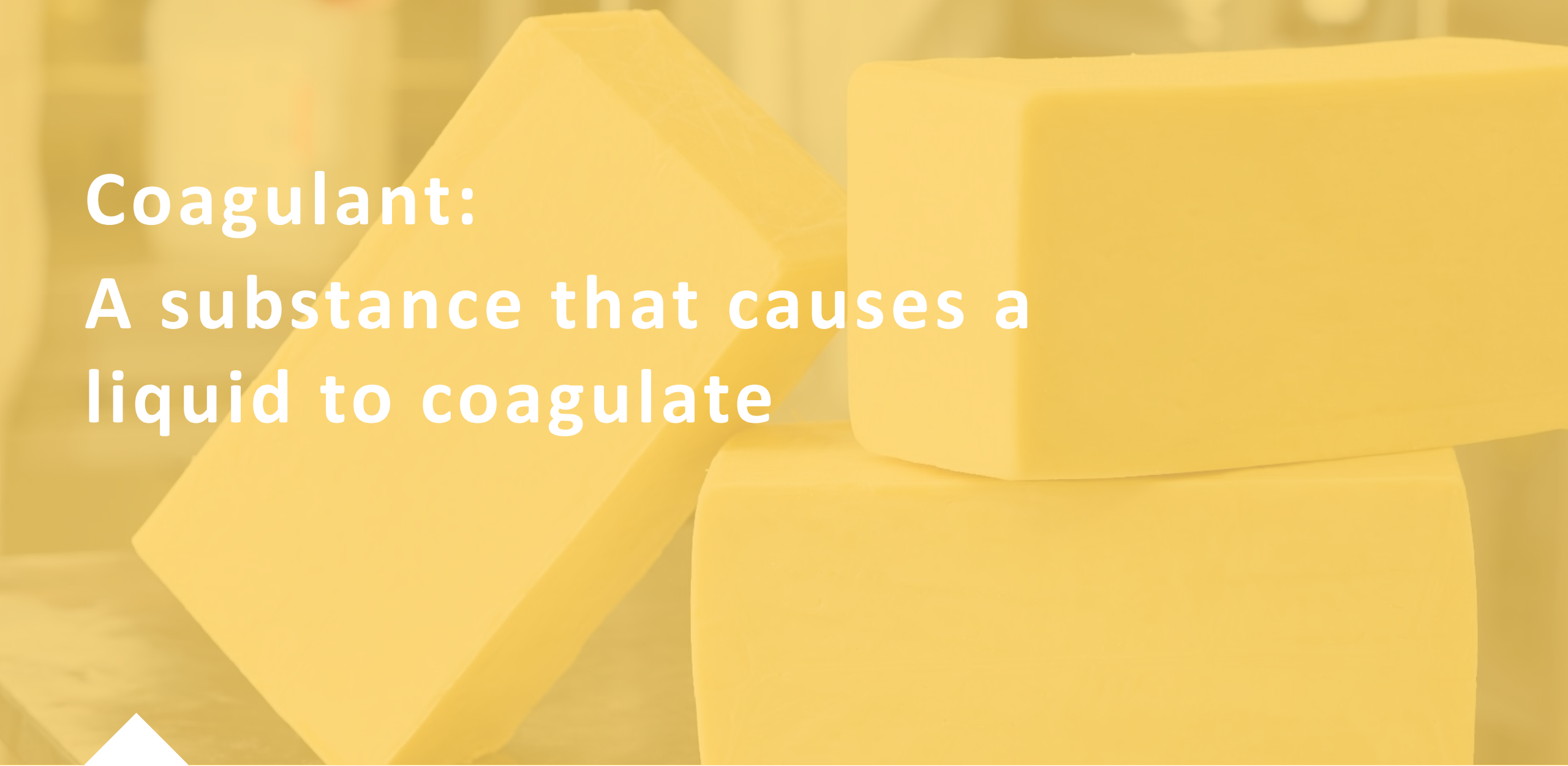
Chr. Hansen in brief

- ▼ Founded in 1874 in Copenhagen by Danish pharmacist Christian D.A. Hansen
- ▼ A global supplier of bioscience based ingredients to the food, health, pharmaceutical and agricultural industries
- ▼ More than 3400 employees
- ▼ We mainly produce cultures and dairy enzymes, probiotics and natural colours



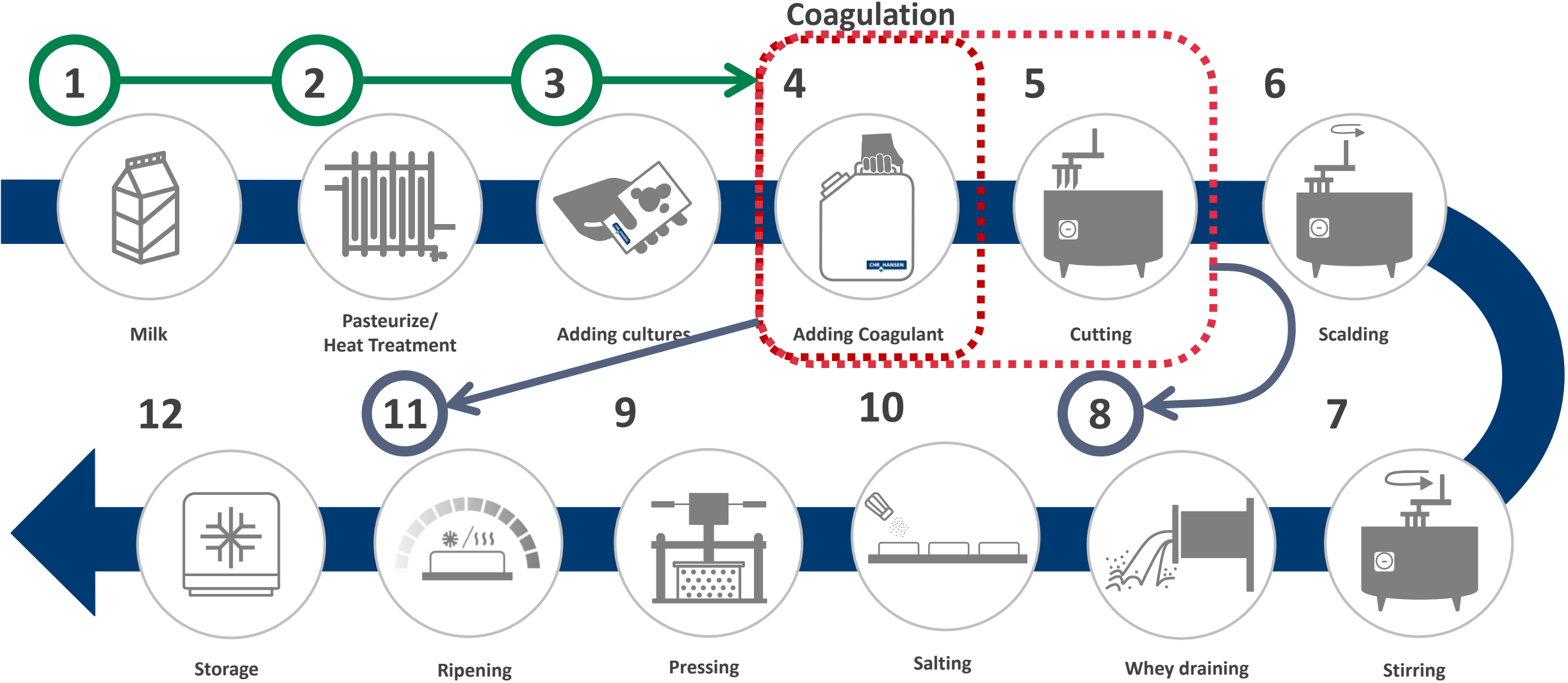
Agenda

- **ROLE OF COAGULANTS IN CHEESE MAKING**
- **CHY-MAX SUPREME**
- **COAGUSENS**
- **QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**



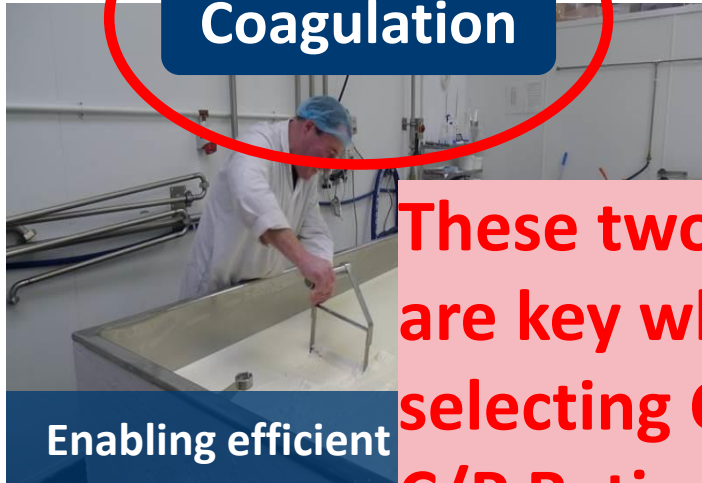
Coagulant:
**A substance that causes a
liquid to coagulate**

Cheese Making Process



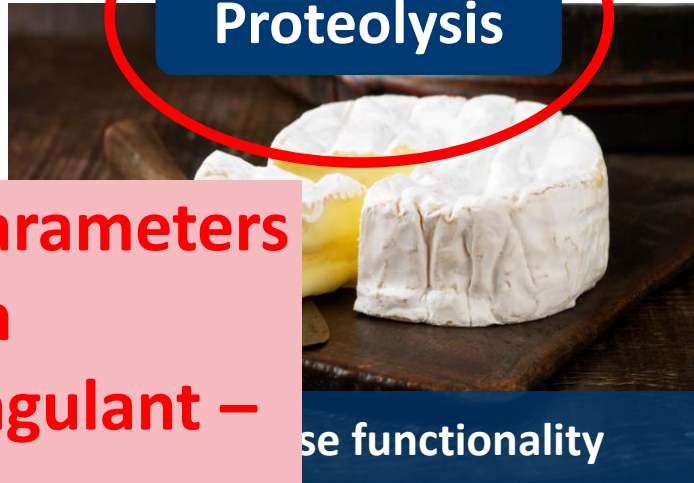
The role of coagulants in cheese making

Coagulation



Enabling efficient

Proteolysis



se functionality

**These two parameters
are key when
selecting Coagulant –
C/P Ratio**

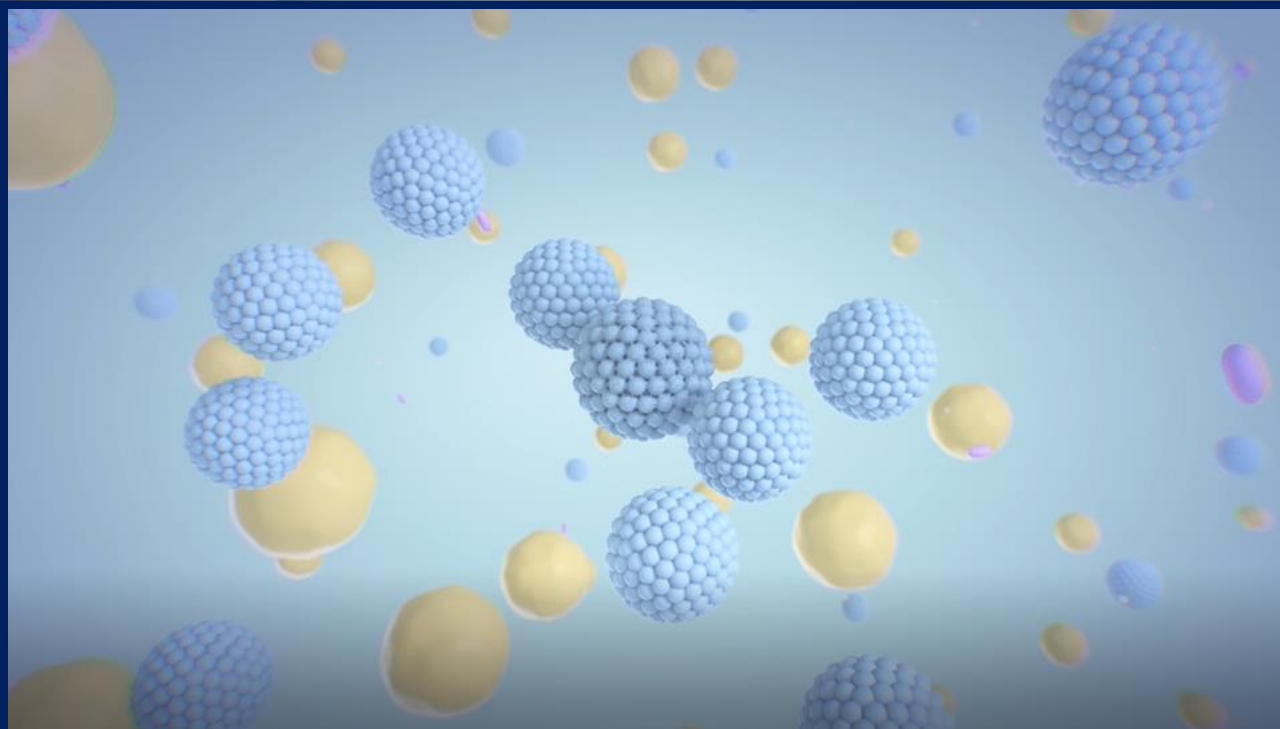
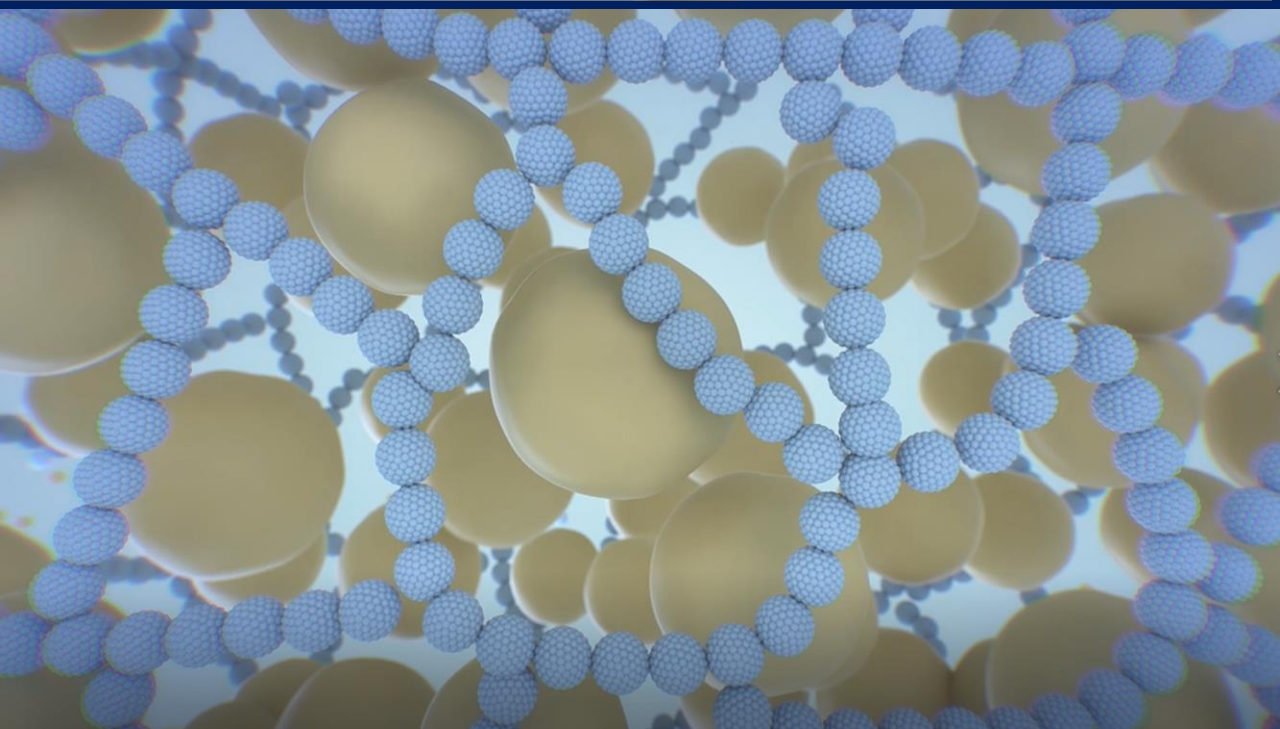
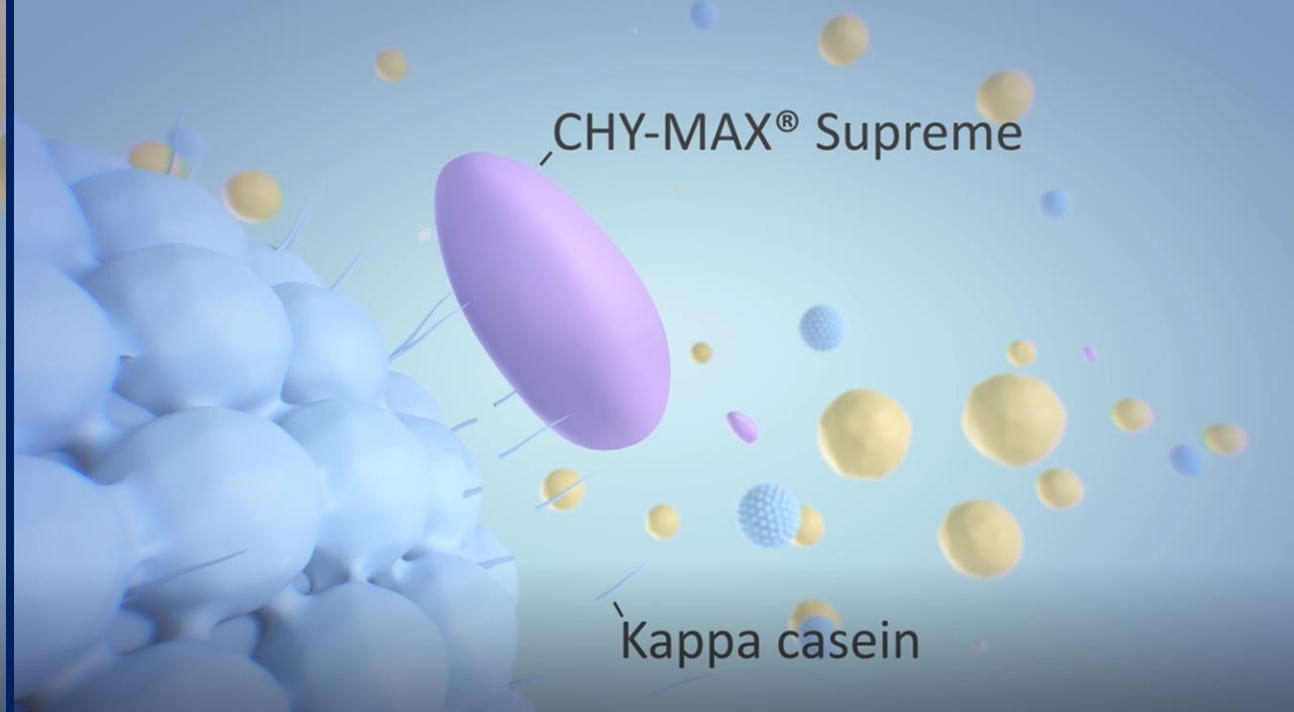
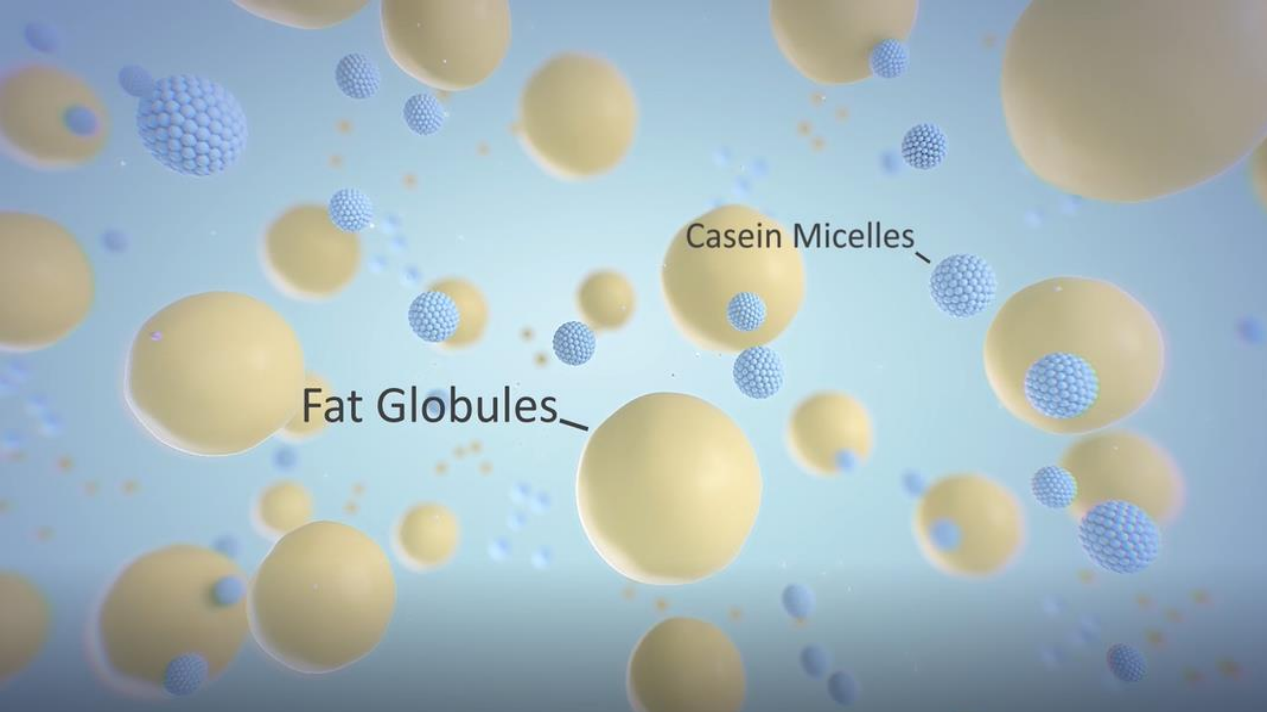
- Coagulation is impacted to a large extent by the specific coagulant
- Choice of coagulant plays a role in the ripening of the cheese.
- Level of proteolysis delivered by the coagulant impacts flavour and texture development as well as other key functionalities.

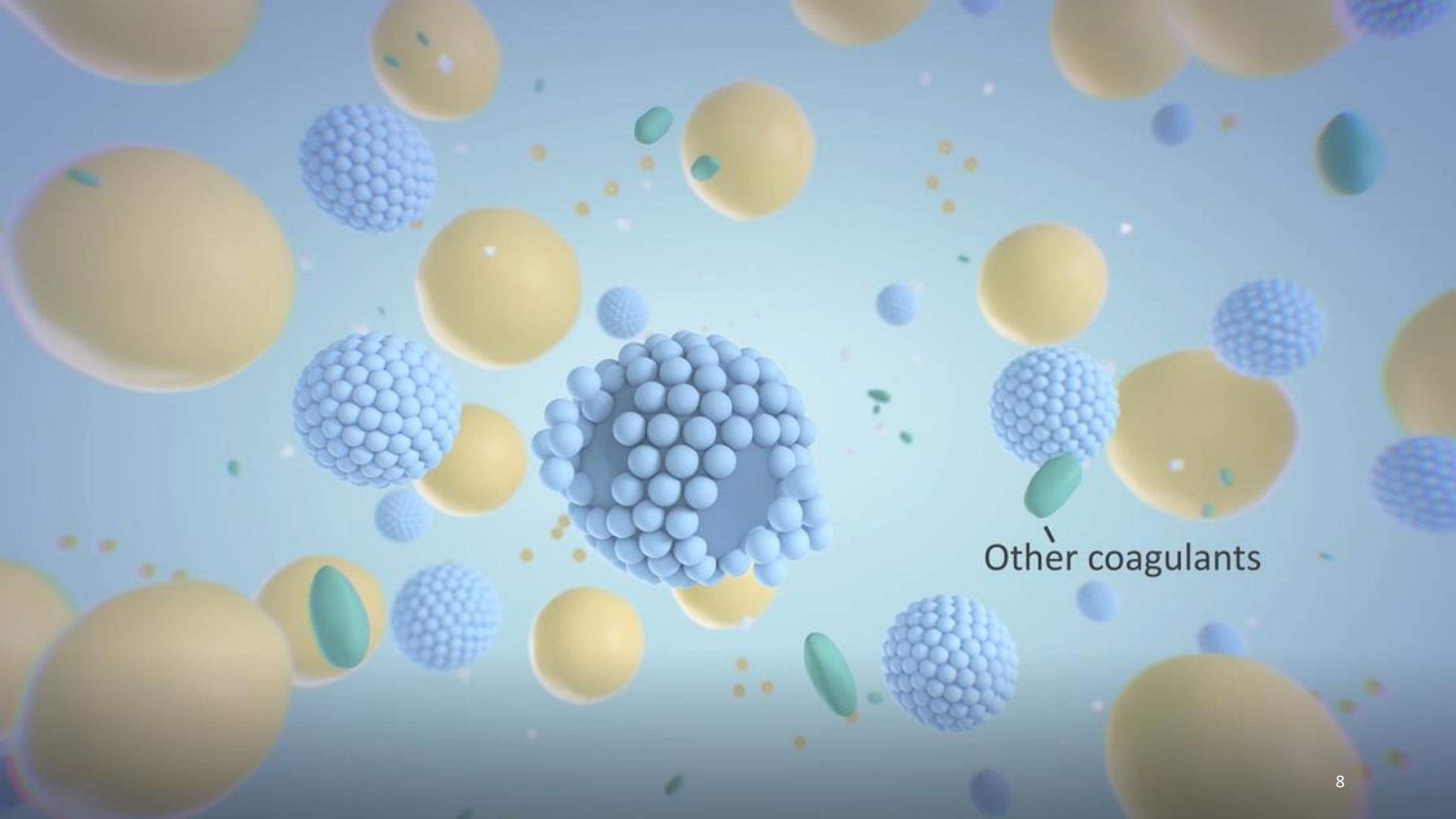
Whey



No longer a bi-product

- Choice of coagulant impacts the peptide fractions in the whey.
- The ability to inactivate the coagulant is important.





Other coagulants

Specificity is affected by the C/P ratio

THE C/P RATIO¹

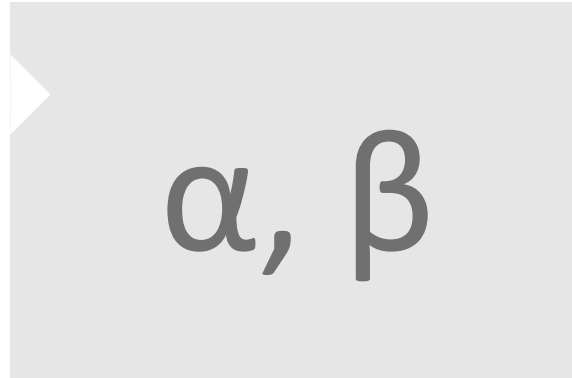


CASEIN SUBSTRATE



ANALYSIS METHOD

- › 50 IMCU / liter of milk at pH 6.50

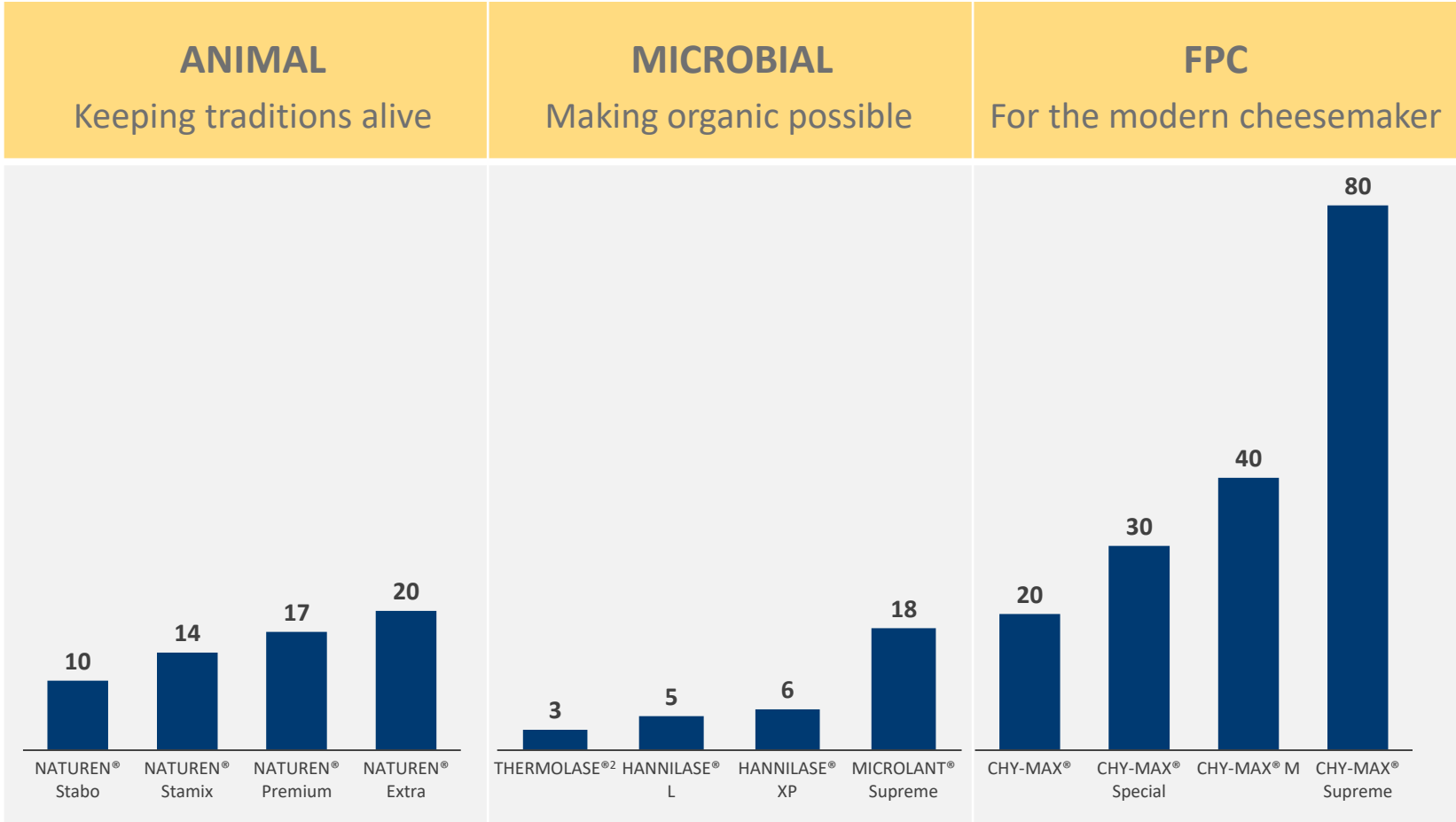


- › Curd simulation
- › Peptides extraction

The three families

Reduced proteolysis comes when you have a higher C/P ratio, indicating greater specificity during coagulation

SPECIFICITY (C/P)¹



¹ C/P is the ratio between specific clotting activity (IMCU/ml) and general proteolytic activity
² Thermolase is generally not compatible with organic cheese production
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Constantly raising the bar in coagulant performance, we kicked off our quest for the next best coagulant in 2014



OUR GOAL

To deliver a superior chymosin for tomorrow's cheesemaker

- › Better cheese
- › Less waste – getting the most out of milk



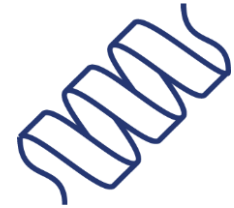
CRITERIA

- › **Increase C/P ratio**
Indicator for higher yield
- › **Decrease β -casein cleavage**
Indicator for less bitterness
- › **Decrease α -casein cleavage**
Indicator for higher firmness
- › **Increase yield by 0.2%**



LEARNING

Inspired by nature and applying cutting edge scientific methods and machine learning, we analyzed over 500 enzyme variants. Learning from observation, we were able to then refine and pinpoint the enzymes with the strongest proteolytic profiles



DEVELOPMENT

Prime candidates were chosen for application trials and many trials later the superior enzyme was chosen



Introducing CHY-MAX[®] Supreme

Small change, big difference

At Chr. Hansen we are committed to raising the industry standard for coagulant performance. By making a small but crucial change to our CHY-MAX[®] enzyme, we are making a big difference across cheese production and functionality

DELIVERING BIG RESULTS



Higher yield



Faster and more
precise production



Superior
functionality

It's a small change that can make a big difference to your business

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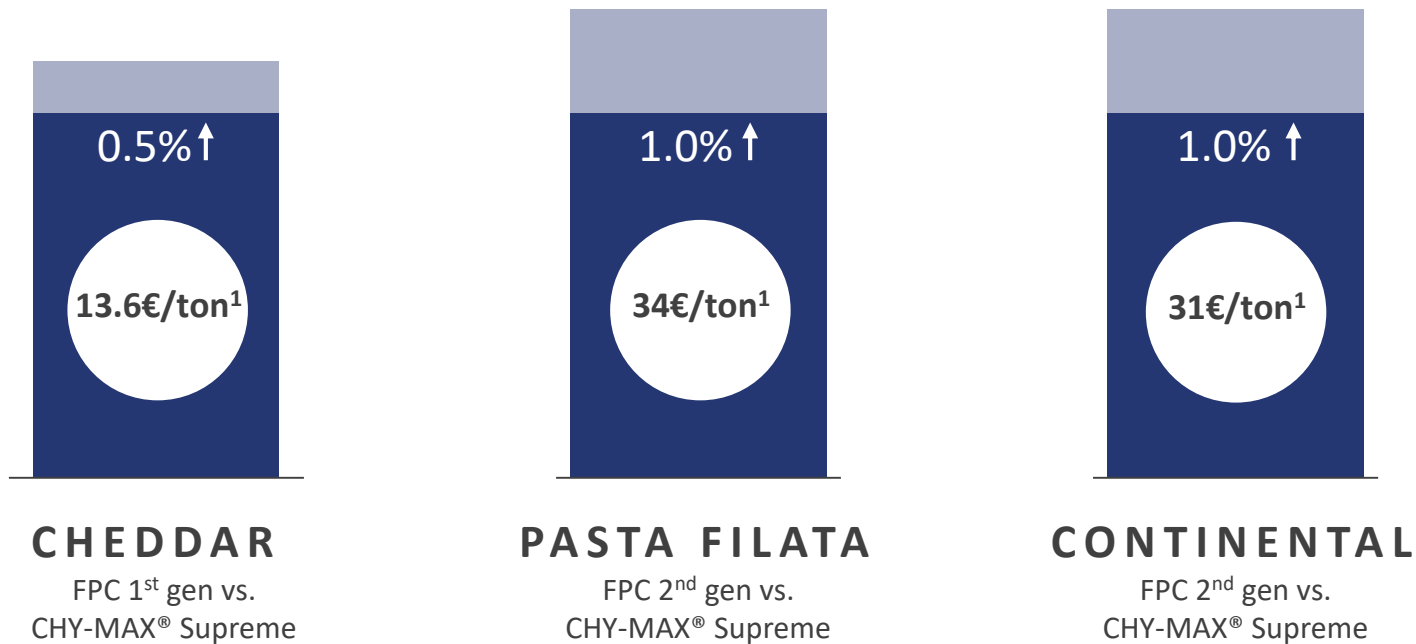
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Maximizing value

More yield, longer shelf life, and less giveaways mean greater profits – effectively paying for itself

YIELD AND PROFIT INCREASES IN DIFFERENT CHEESE TYPES USING CHY-MAX® SUPREME



Trial results reveal:

- › CHY-MAX® Supreme is the outstanding performer in the market-leading CHY-MAX range
- › Yield increase of 0.5-1% on average per ton²
- › More product from less milk delivering a higher profit margin

¹ Based on latest cheese prices informed on September 17, 2018. Pasta Filata prices for Poland (3.4 EUR/kg), Cheddar for US (3.1 EUR/kg) and Continental in Germany (3.1 EUR/kg).

² All factors the same using recommended dosage of coagulant
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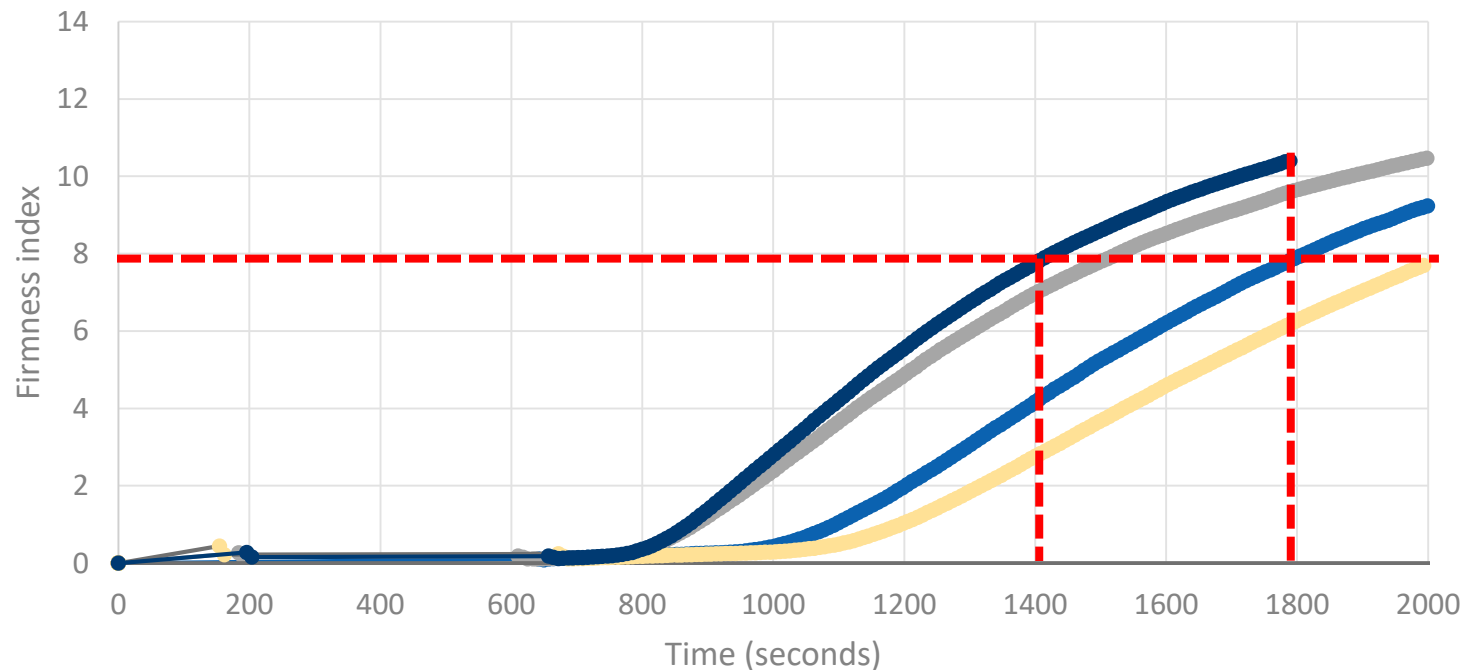
CHY-MAX® Supreme is able to reach the ideal firmness, much faster while obtaining maximum yield

When dosed properly, CHY-MAX® Supreme can save time and increase yield

COAGULATION PROFILE FOR CHEDDAR

Firmness over time in Cheddar

- CHY-MAX® Supreme
- FPC 2nd gen
- FPC 1st gen
- Microbial 1st gen

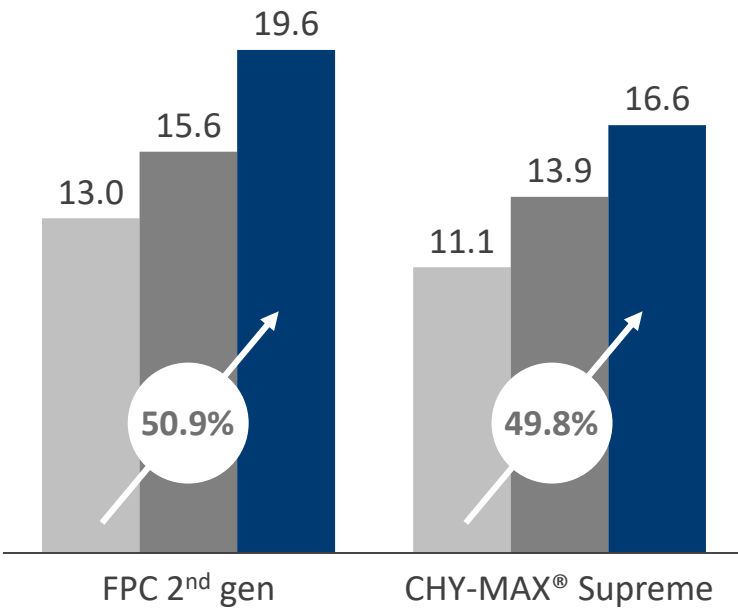


Because of the high specificity, the coagulation profile for CHY-MAX® Supreme using the same IMCU dosage is much faster than the market leading references so it is necessary to adjust the cutting time to produce the same cheese (cut at the same firmness)

CHY-MAX[®] Supreme is less proteolytic during ripening than market leading coagulants

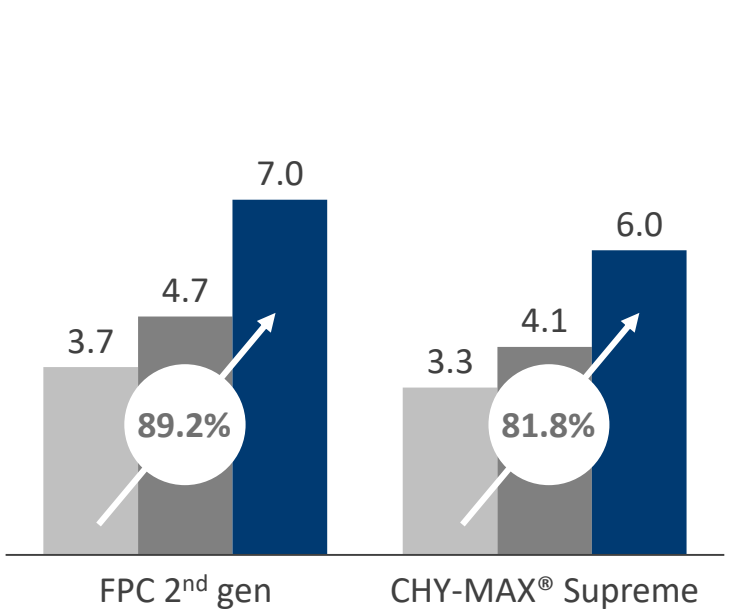
CONTINENTAL 50+¹
Soluble protein % of total

5 weeks
8 weeks
16 weeks



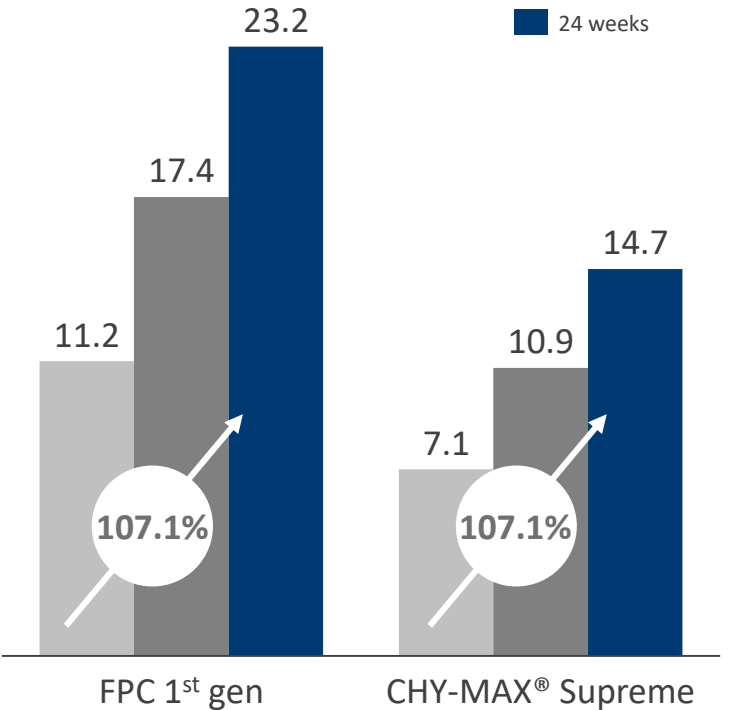
PASTA FILATA¹
Soluble protein % of total

8 days
30 days
60 days



CHEDDAR¹
Soluble protein % of total

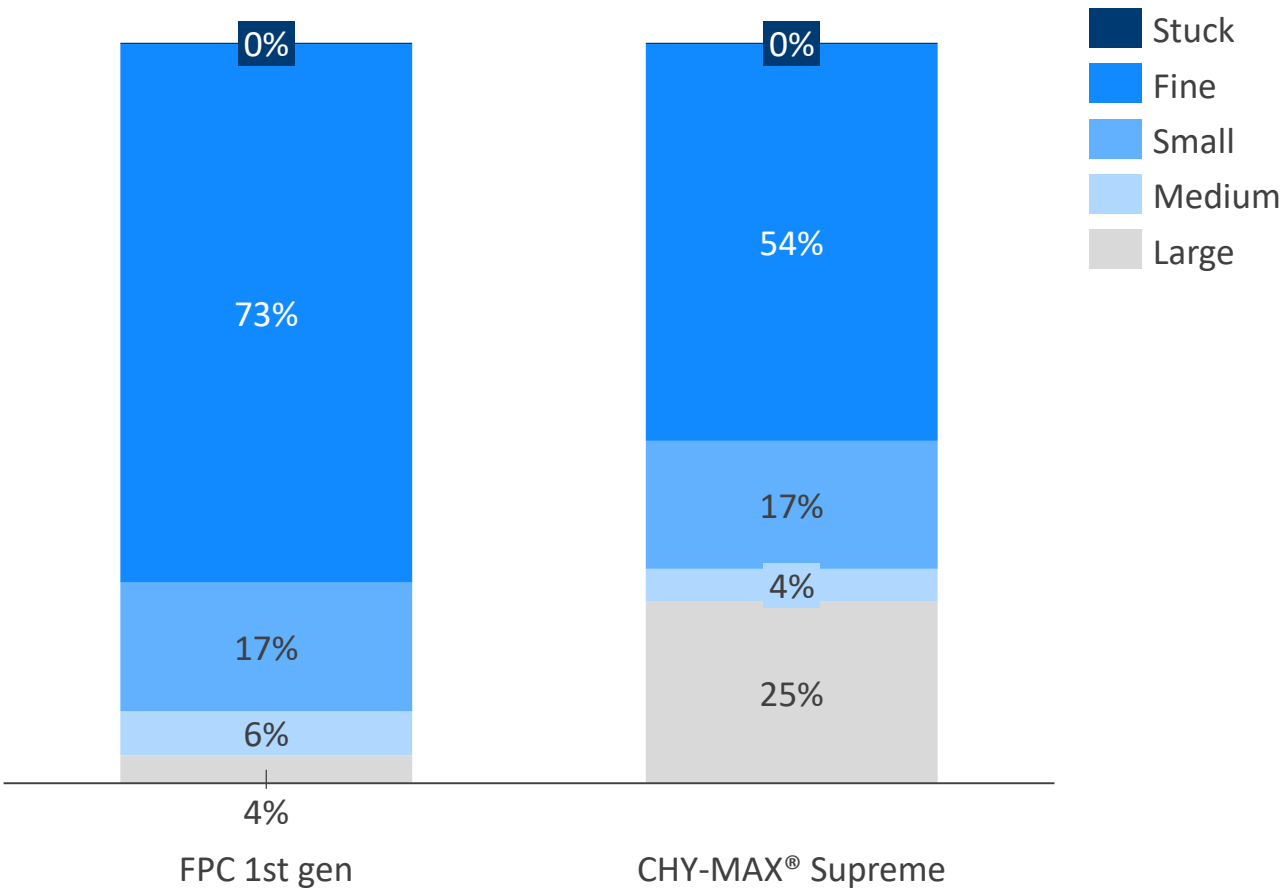
4 weeks
12 weeks
24 weeks



We see a difference between trial and control cheese when evaluating the shredability of cheddar

SHREDABILITY AFTER 2 MONTHS¹

Customer cheese internal evaluation



TRENDS OF CHY-MAX® SUPREME:

- › >25% less fines
- › 5 times more large shreds

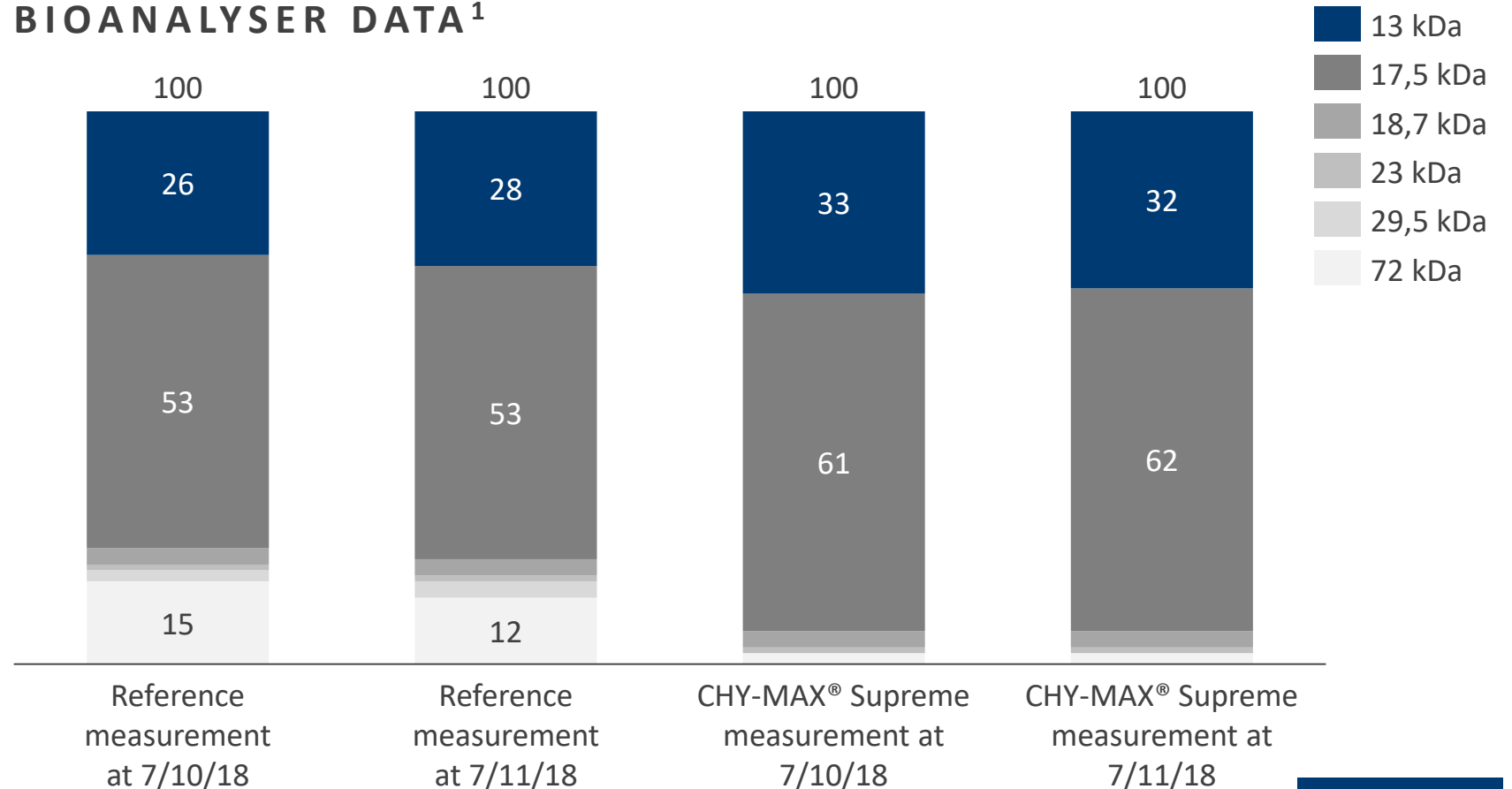
¹Shredding evaluation performed at Chr. Hansen using cheese produced at customer. These are average values of two trials



Trials reveal an positive impact on the whey quality

Analysis show an increase in valuable whey proteins (α - lactoglobulin and β - lactoglobulin) and less large molecular weight (kDa) residual of caseins with CHY-MAX[®] Supreme, leading to slightly improved whey quality

BIOANALYSER DATA¹



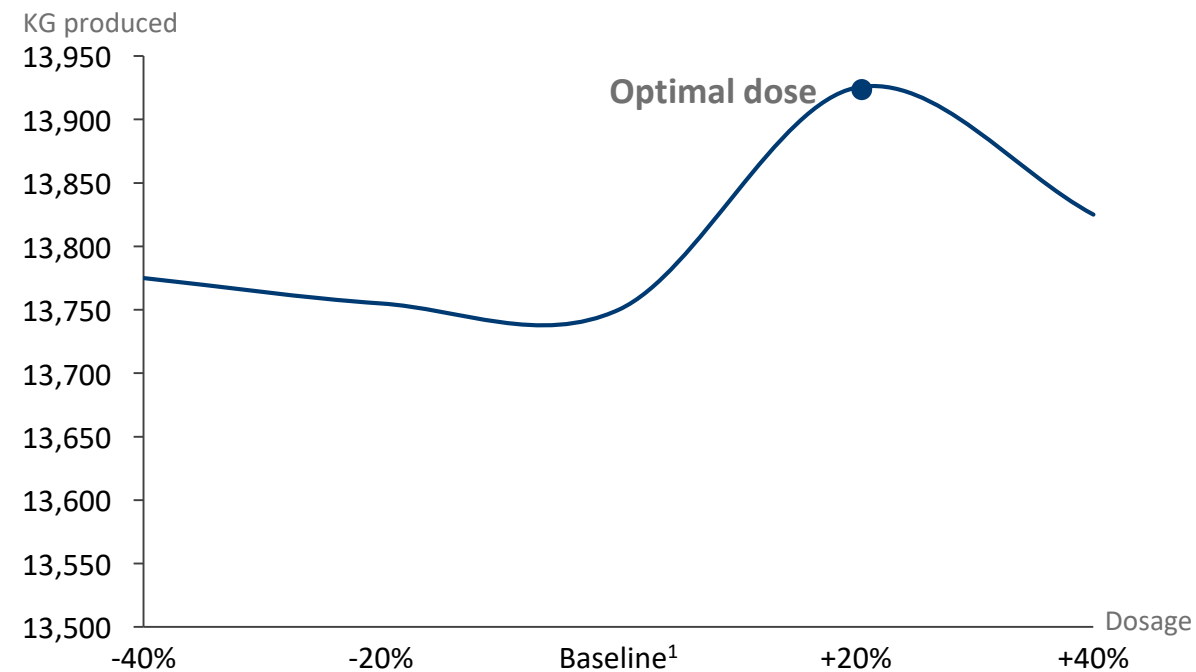
¹Customer trial, 2018

Proper dosing can enable higher yield on top of CHY-MAX[®] Supreme gains

Our trials indicate that there is an optimal dosage of coagulant. Obtaining the optimal dose can help you achieve a higher yield, on top of the increased yield from CHY-MAX[®] Supreme, increasing the value well beyond the cost of the coagulant at proper dose

CURVE OF OPTIMAL DOSE¹

KG of cheese per 100 kg of milk



- › The optimal dose generates a higher yield compared to a non-optimal dose
- › Using the latest technology to measure flocculation and our extensive coagulant knowledge, our expert team can help you identify the optimal dosage for your target firmness

¹ATC trials, US Long Make Cheddar, May 2018. Milk protein 4.15%.

¹Actual dosage depends on volume and process



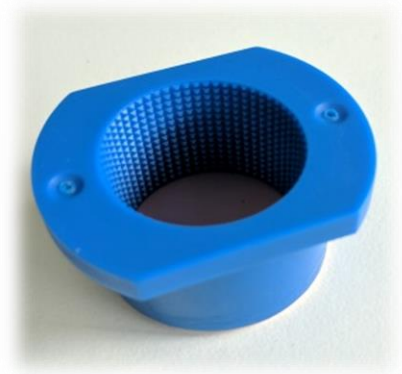
The equipment

The CoaguSens™ system is composed of the CoaguSens unit and the sample holders.



CoaguSens™

Tool to monitor the coagulation process



Sample Holder

Specific surface design and flexible membrane

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From coagulation to data analysis

The CoaguSens™ provides a real-time measurement of the coagulation process. This allows the cheese maker to control the variation of this step.



STARTING UP

A cheese recipe is configured.
A new measurement is initiated.



ADDING SAMPLE

A sample of the coagulating milk is transferred to the CoaguSens™



REAL TIME MEASUREMENT

The coagulation process is displayed real-time.
Cutting firmness is recorded.

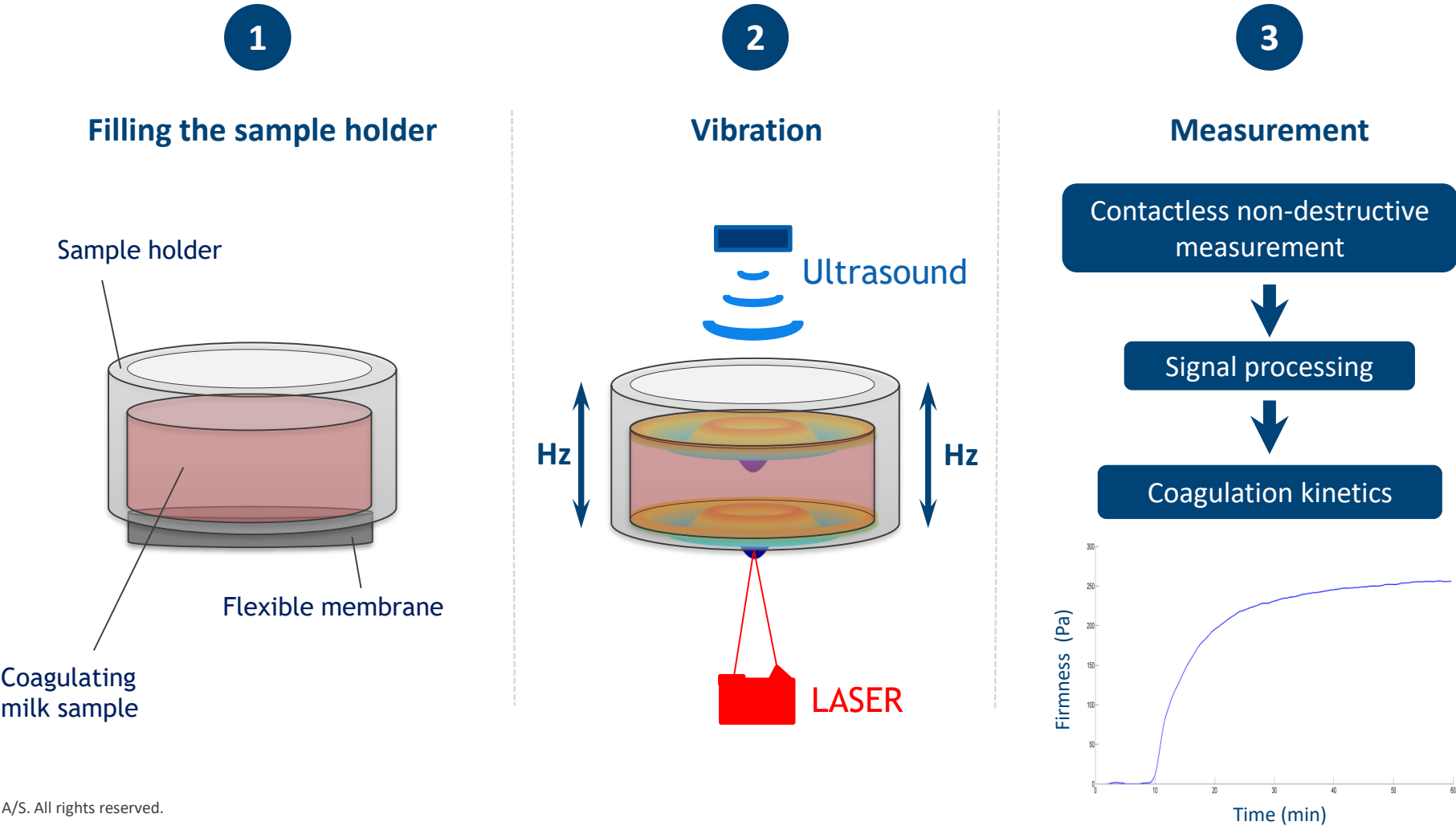


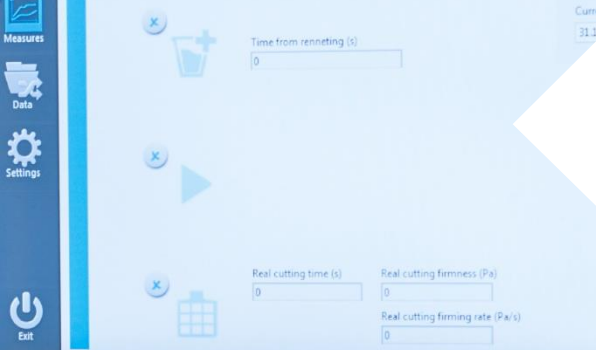
DATA ANALYSIS

Coagulation data is analyzed for variance.
Next steps suggested and agreed.

How does the CoaguSens™ measure a sample?

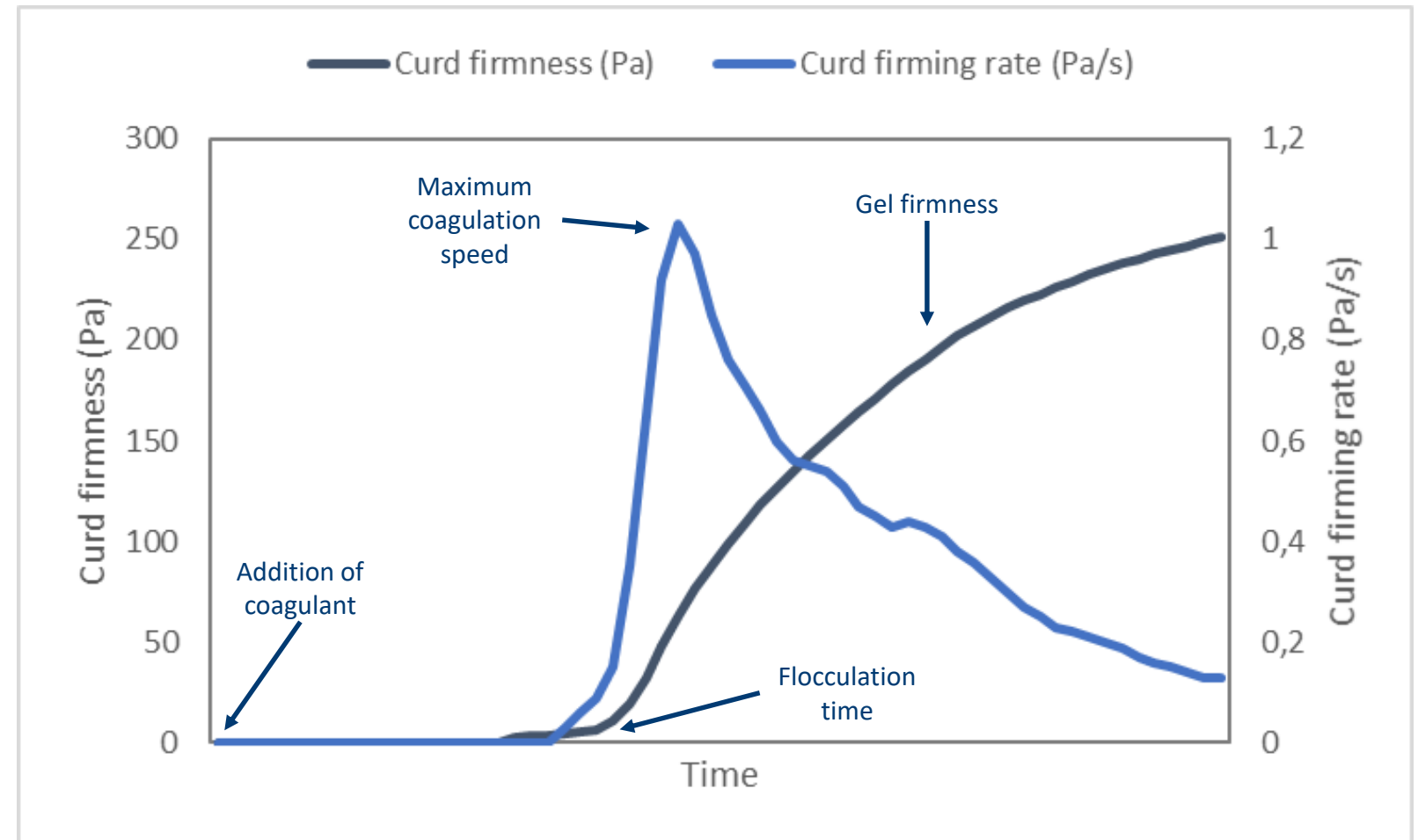
It measures firmness development by a contactless, non-destructive vibration measurement





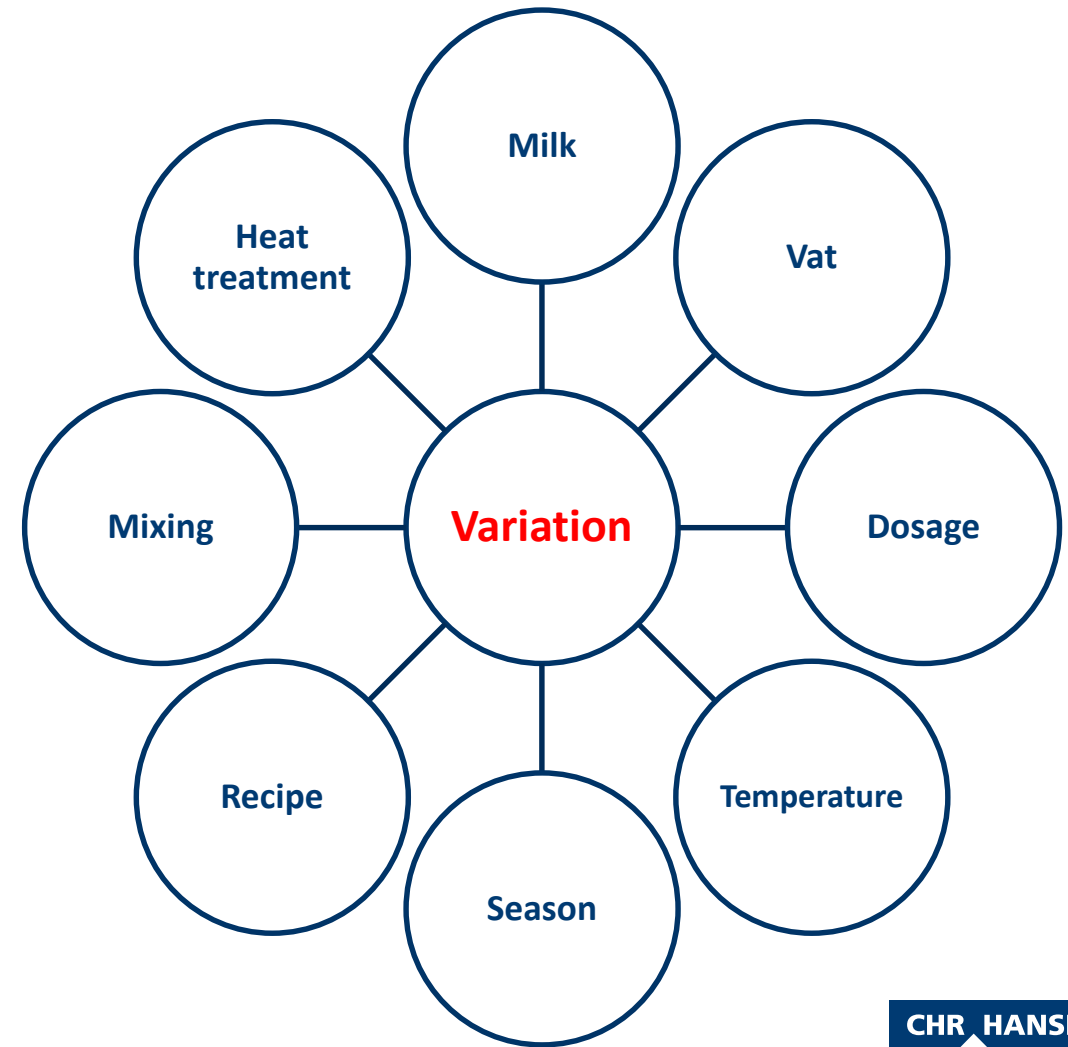
Parameters measured by CoaguSens™

The CoaguSens™ effectively measures the gel firmness as a function of time. The slope of the firmness curve provides additional information.

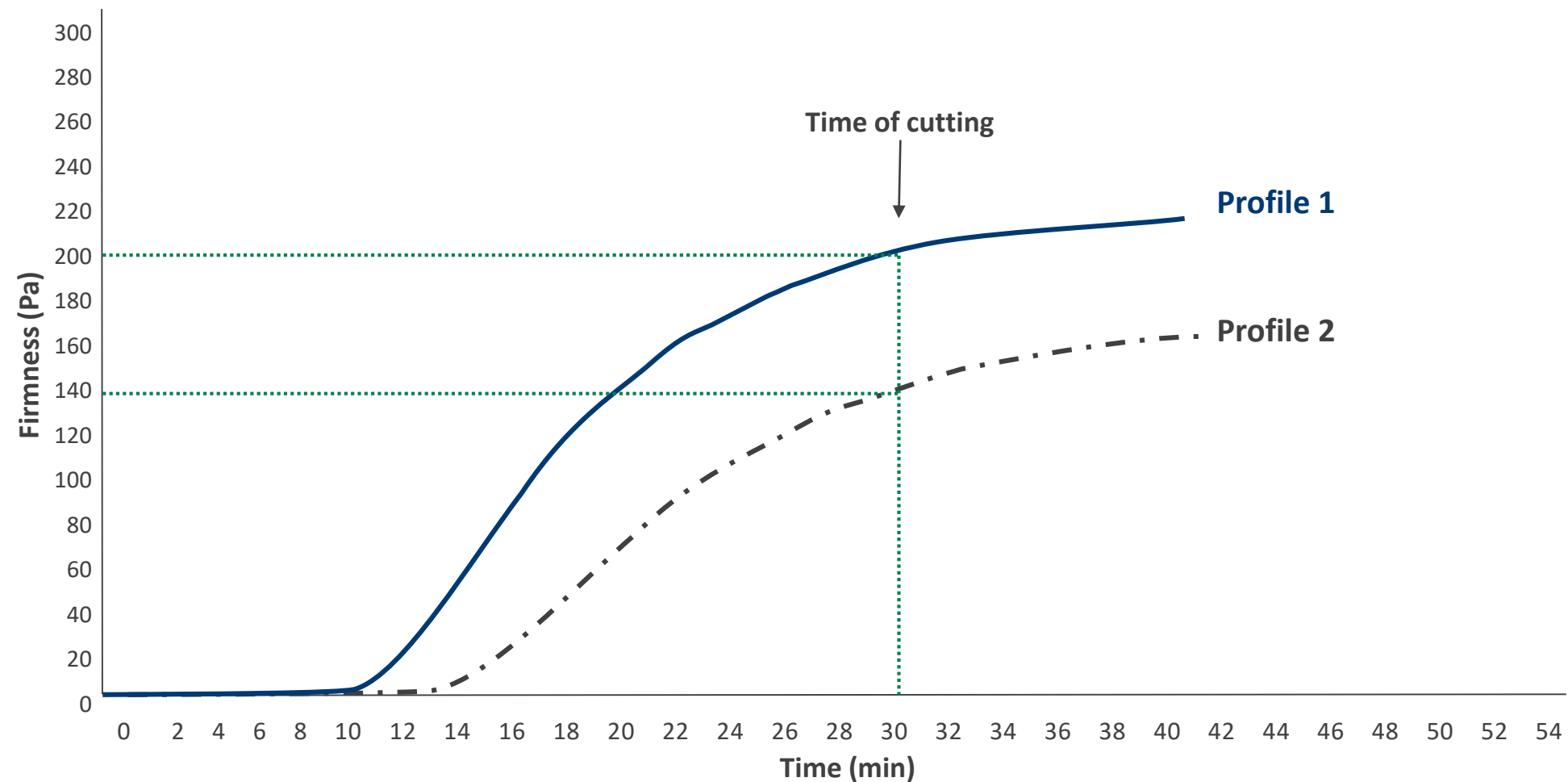




Sources of coagulation variance in a cheese plant



Effect of process variance during the coagulation step

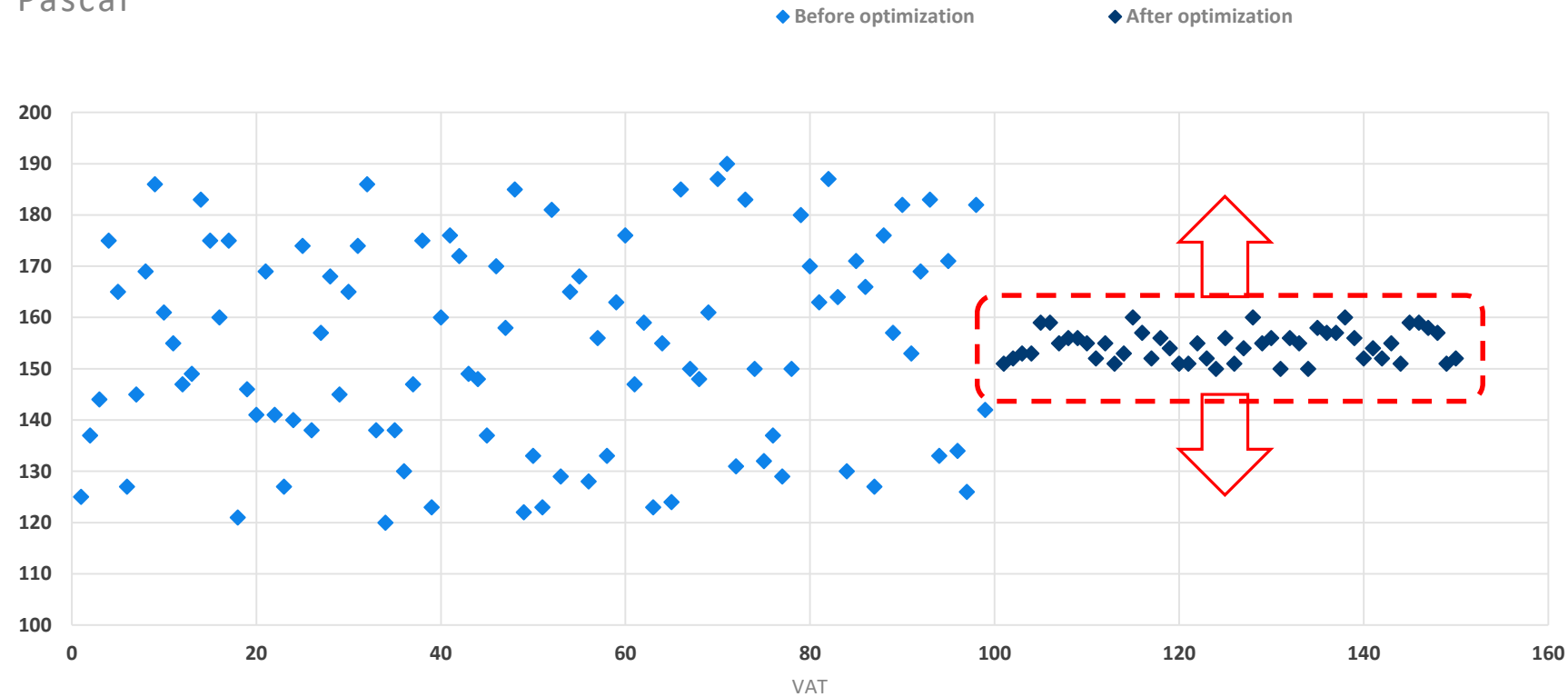


Different coagulation profiles gives **different firmness at cutting**
Coagulation profile is correlated to **retention of moisture and solids**

Improve the process by establishing the optimum

FIRMNESS AT CUTTING

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Summary

How can more cheese be produced from milk?

1. Select a coagulant with higher C/P ratio – increase yield
2. Faster coagulation
3. Firmer body
4. Optimise the coagulation using the CoaguSens

Thank you



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