



# Single Cell Protein: Micro-food for Macro-challenges

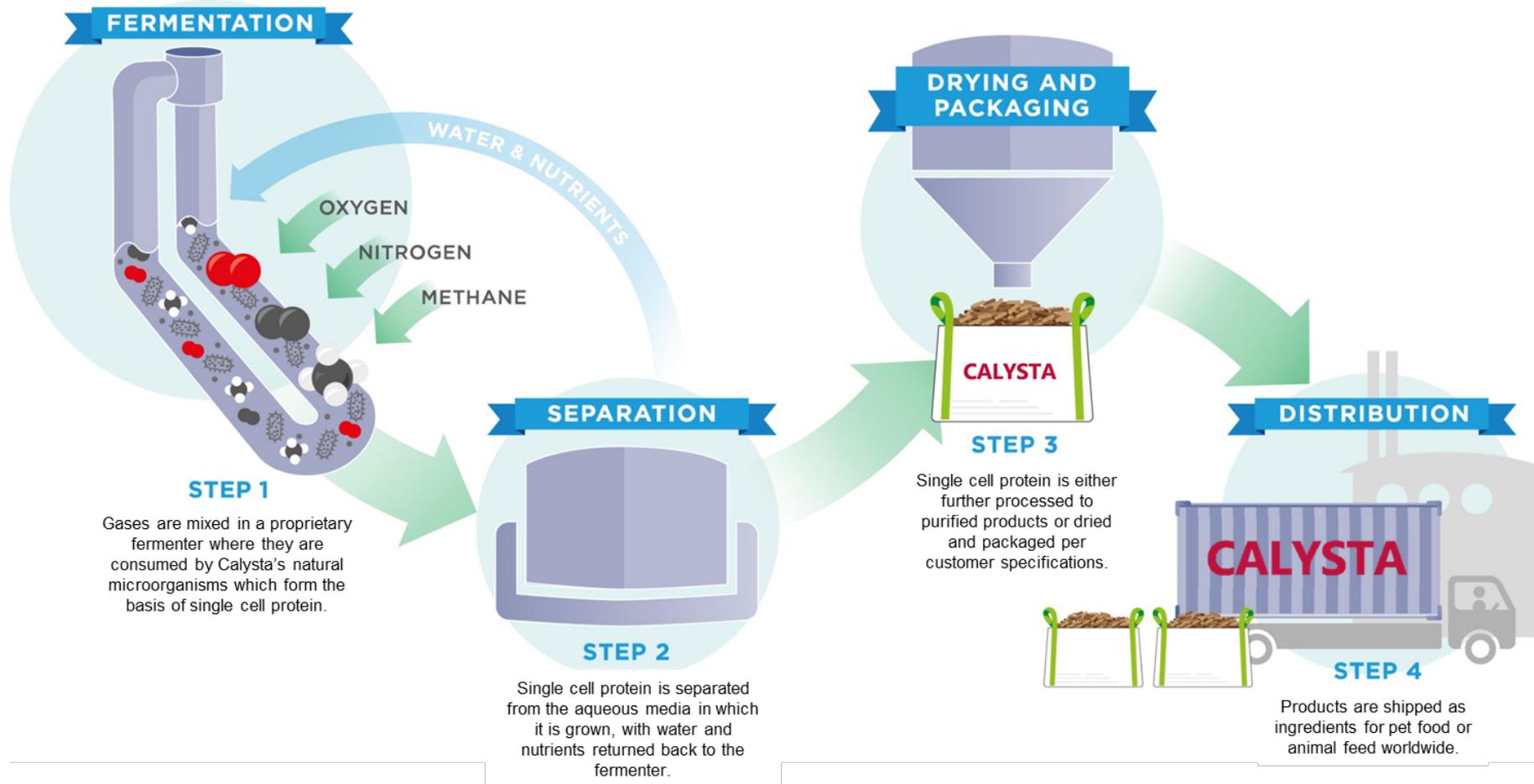


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# FeedKind protein is a single cell protein produced by fermenting natural gas, an abundant source of energy

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# The Coming Wave of Protein Ingredient Demand

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- Changing consumer preferences and growing middle class will drive demand for protein ingredients far more than population growth
- Shifting tastes from omnivorous to carnivorous fish will accelerate slow moving demographic trends
- Growth in Demand =  $[\Delta \text{FCR}] \times [\Delta \text{Marine Inclusion}]$
- It's true that fish need nutrients and not ingredients, but this highlights a clear gap in nutrient dense ingredients with favorable amino acid profiles



Figure 1: Grass carp, *Ctenopharyngodon idella* (source: Liu and He, 1992)

FCR	1.2
Fishmeal inclusion	5%
<b>Fishmeal per tonne</b>	<b>60 kgs</b>

1.0 x



Properly IGFA

FCR	2.0
Fishmeal inclusion	25%
<b>Fishmeal per tonne</b>	<b>500 kgs</b>

**8.3 x**

*Shifting 5% of Chinese carp demand to marine species will require another 440,000 tonnes of high protein ingredients*

# What Is the Industry Looking for in an Alternative Protein?

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Natural & Sustainable  
Process



High Density Protein  
All Essential Amino Acids



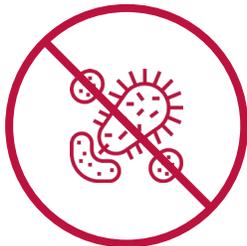
Consistent Quality  
Traceable



Robust and Scalable  
Supply Chain



Animal-free



Non-GMO



No Pesticides  
or Antibiotics



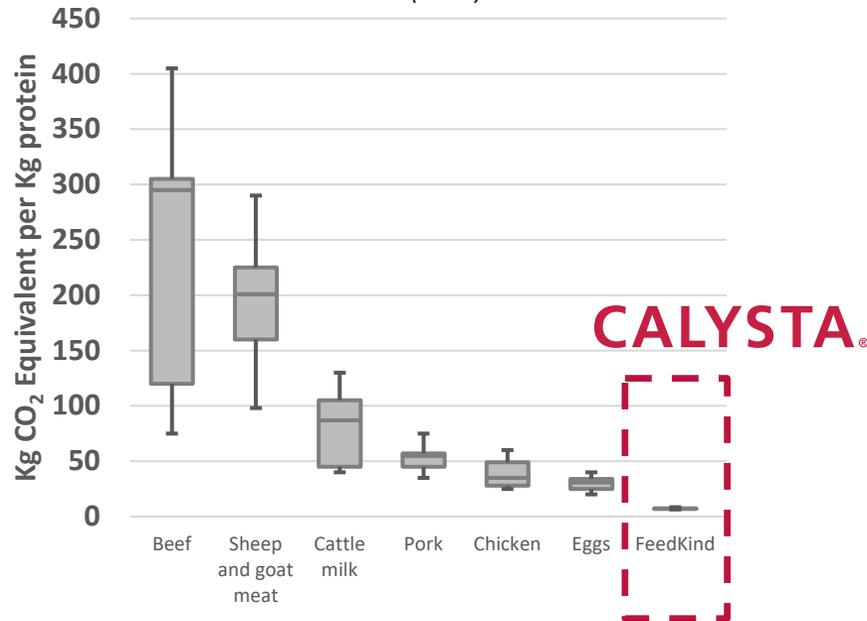
No Known Allergens  
nor Anti-Nutritional  
Factors

# Dramatically Reduced Land and Water Use Requirements, as Well as Lower GHG Profile than Traditional Protein Ingredients

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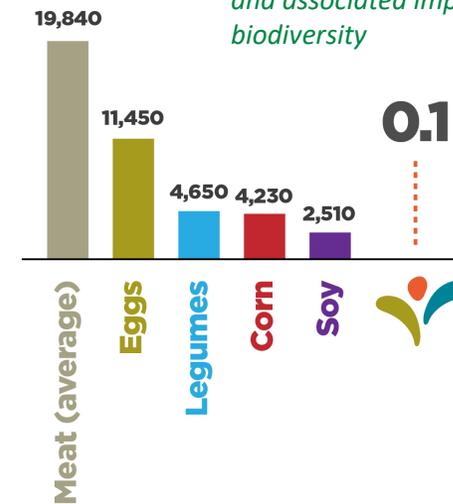
## GHG Intensity of Different Protein Sources

Agriculture and associated land-use change such as deforestation accounted for nearly 25% of global greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions in 2010



## Land Required to Produce Protein Equivalent to a 100,000 mtpa FeedKind Plant

Agriculture has already cleared or converted 70% of grassland, 50% of the savanna, 45% of the temperate deciduous forest, and 27% of tropical forests, yet continues to expand and is the dominant driver of deforestation and associated impacts on biodiversity



(Shown in km<sup>2</sup>)

***FeedKind protein uses 90% less blue water than equivalent soy protein or wheat production; agriculture accounts for 70% of all fresh water withdrawn from rivers, lakes, and aquifers, and for 80-90% of freshwater consumption by human activities***

Source: FAO Global Livestock Environmental Assessment Model (GLEAM), DuPont Solae, USDA, FAO/WHO/UNICEF Protein Advisory Group and The Carbon Trust's "Assessment of environmental impact of FeedKind protein" (2016), World Resources Report "Creating a Sustainable Food Future" (July 2019)

# Methanotroph (*Methylococcus capsulatus*, Bath) bacteria meal as an alternative protein source for Japanese yellowtail, *Seriola quinqueradiata*

- Partnership with Kindai University in Japan
- 2 separate trials to determine efficacy of FeedKind in *Seriola* feeds and appropriate inclusion levels
- Additional treatments to assess impact of attractants and physical processing of FeedKind
- Favorable results showing FeedKind can be included at up to 17% of total feed

**Table 3**

Feed formula and proximate composition of diets used in Trial 2.

	C	FK20	FK25	FK30	FK25J	FKB25	EFK
<b>Ingredients</b>							
Fish meal <sup>a</sup>	68.0	54.4	51.0	47.6	51.0	51.0	48.0
FK 5/35 <sup>b</sup>		13.6	17.0	20.4			17.0
FK jet mill 5/35 <sup>b</sup>					17.0		
FK 5/19 <sup>b</sup>						17.0	
Enzyme-treated fish meal <sup>c</sup>							3.0
Fish oil <sup>d</sup>	8.5	9.7	10.0	10.2	10.0	9.9	10.0
Wheat flour	11.5	7.8	7.3	6.9	7.3	7.4	7.1
Wheat flour (low grade)	5.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
β-Tapioca starch	5.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Vitamin & mineral premix <sup>e</sup>	1.3	1.8	1.9	2.1	1.9	1.9	2.1
Taurine	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Cellulose	0.2	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
Chromic oxide (Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
<b>Proximate composition (% dry matter basis)</b>							
Crude protein	54.7	53.4	52.9	53.2	53.3	53.0	53.3
Crude fat	14.1	15.9	16.4	15.9	15.8	15.5	15.7
Crude ash	12.8	11.3	11.0	10.8	11.1	11.2	11.1
Phosphorus (g/kg diet)	21.4	18.2	18.0	17.8	17.6	18.9	18.4

<sup>a</sup> Feed Pro, Quito, Ecuador (crude protein, ca. 67%).

<sup>b</sup> Calysta, Inc., CA, USA (crude protein, ca. 71%).

<sup>c</sup> Profish S.A., Santiago, Chile (crude protein, ca. 70%).

<sup>d</sup> Ueda Oils & Fats Mfg. Co. Ltd., Tokyo, Japan.

<sup>e</sup> Halver (1957).

- We actively pursue collaborations with academic partners for research of mutual interest
- Primary research of interest is functional benefits of FeedKind to gut and immune health in shrimp and finfish
- We are currently involved in projects with professors at U of Stirling, U of Glasgow, Kasetsart University in Bangkok, and Ocean University in Qingdao (among others!)

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