

Sustainable Microalgae Protein

The microgravity effect on heterotrophic growth of microalgae for food and nutrition



Eugene Wang Co-Founder & CEO I'm a dedicated dad/entrepreneur using science to find solutions

It all started when I found out my daughter, Sophie, suffered an allergic reaction to shellfish.





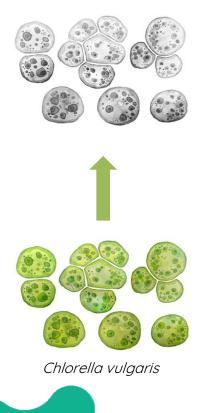
We have developed a patented cutting-edge process to create an optimal protein flour

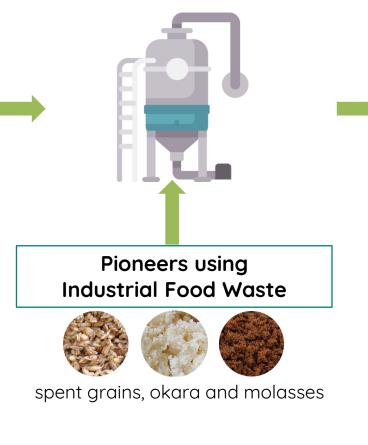
Strain Selection Process Trade Secrets

Protein Induction Process Patented or Patent Pending

Protein Isolation Process Trade Secrets + Patent Pending







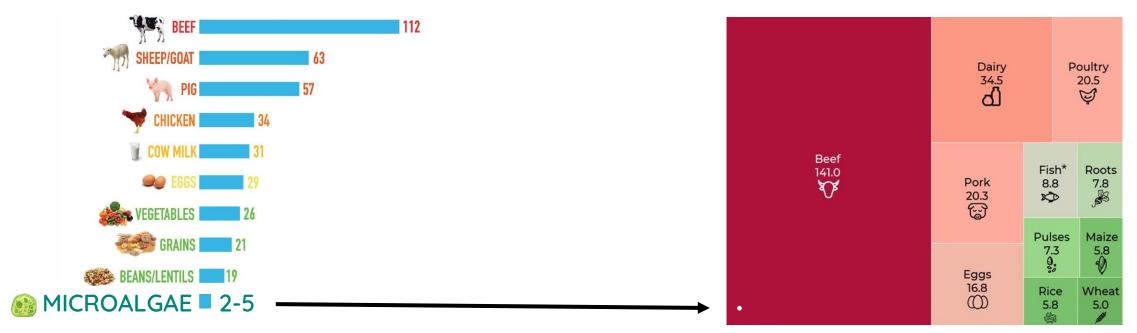




- High protein content (60%)
- High nutritional value (Vitamins, Iron)
- Competitive Price (€6/kg)
- Natural claim
- Circular Economy

Our impact: saving water, land, and 7 SDGs

We ONLY require 2-5 L of water per gram and 0.02 hectares to produce same amount of SBN protein



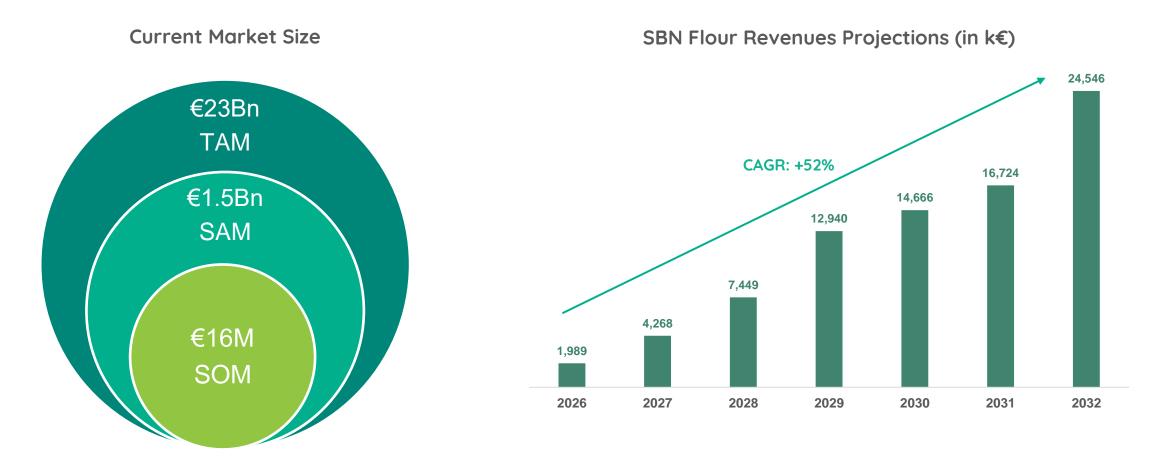
Liters of water per gram of protein.

Hectares of land needed to produce 1-ton protein.



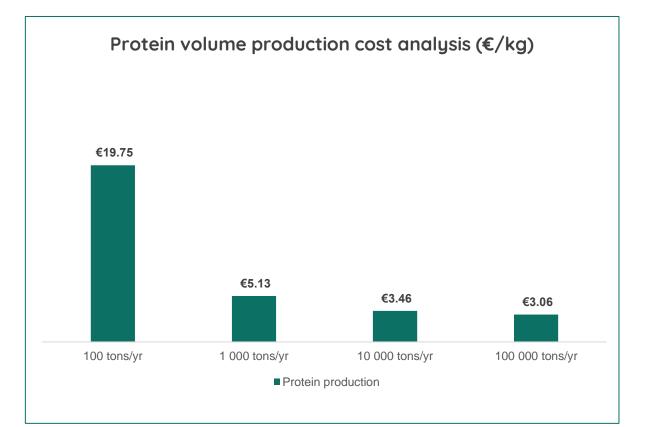
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SOM means penetrating approx. 0.1 % (estimated) of the EU alternative protein market by accessing DE, FR, NL, DK, BE, ES, PT by 2035.





Cost Analysis vs. Other Sources of Plant-Based Proteins				
	Price (€/kg)			
Sophie's BioNutrients	6.0			
PEA	6.0			
WHEAT	4.0			
SOY – Non-GMO	4.0			
SOY - GMO	2.0			



Why taking it to SPACE?

The microgravity condition in SAPCE can help understand how gravity and air density are affecting our cost and yield.





We use the research conducted on ISS to understand how gravity is affecting the following,

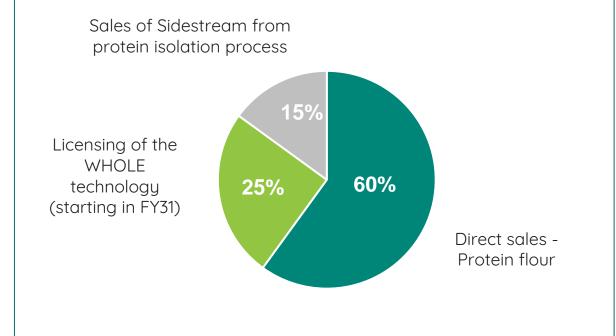
- 1. The heterotrophic growth rate
- 2. The nutrition composition
- 3. The rigidity of cell wall & organelles change
- 4. The oxygen input and CO2 output
- 5. The amino acid content



Risk	Impact (eg Cost, Schedule, or Technical)	Likelihood of Occurence	Precaution Measures	Mitigation Plan	Cost of Risk Mitigation (low, moderate, high)
Budget Overrun	Cost	Medium	Constant Budget Reviews	Finding Alternative Funding	Low
Pre-Flight Project Delay	Schedule	Medium	Periodic Meetings	Postpone to Next Flight	Low
Pre-Flight Contamination	Technical	Medium	Attention to The Purity of Culture and Medium	Work with Service Provider	Medium
In-Flight Tempreture Changes	Technical	Medium	Temperature Monitoring	Work with Service Provider	Low
In-Flight Payload Malfunction	Technical	Medium	Multiple Pre-Flight Testings	Work with Service Provider	Low



B2B Target Revenues Model: ingredient sales Focusing on selling to Plant Meat and Plant based dairy



Go-to market strategy Focusing on servicing Plant Meat and Plant dairy industries

Customer 1 - 10

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- Customization
- Pilot customers (Small and medium size food processing companies)

Customer 10 - 100

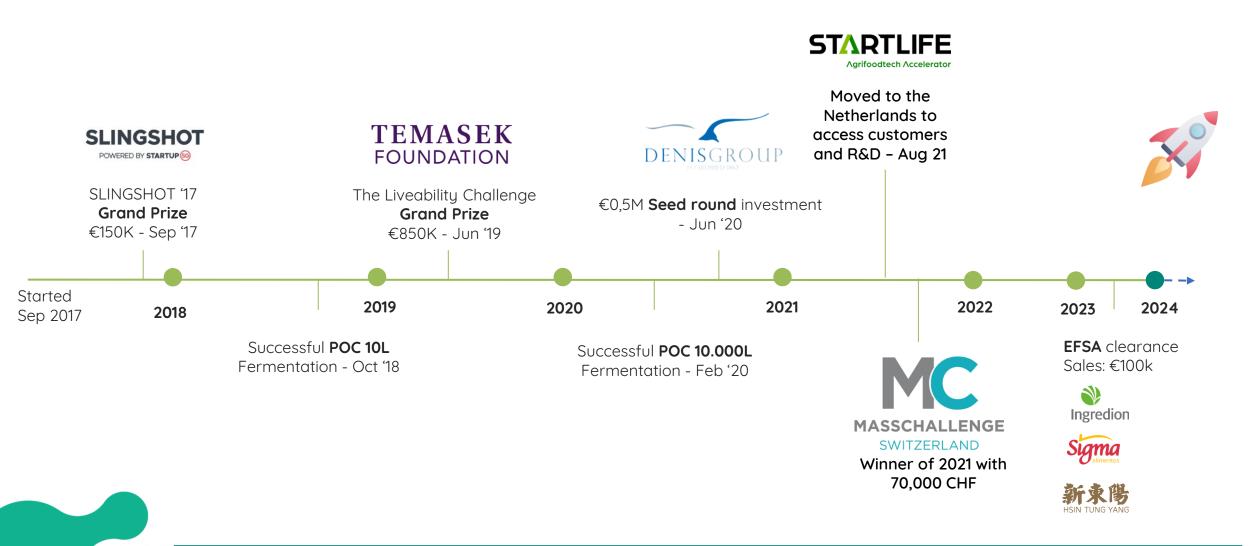
- Standardization
- Larger customers (Multinational food processing companies)

Customer 100 - 10000

• Activating licensing and distributorship worldwide



Our milestones and traction since day 1: €2.5 million raised to date







Eugene Wang Co-founder & CEO

20+ years in food manufacturing

Successfully exited Sophie's Kitchen Plant-Based Seafood

MBA from Columbia Business School



Marieke Vanthoor Advisor

Algae production expert and food process technologist

PhD growth of sponges (WUR) MSc Bioprocess Engineer (WUR + Avans Breda)



Kirin Tsuei Co-founder & CCO

20+ years in global supplement companies

MS in Nutrition Science from UC Davis

Licensed Dietitian



Chen-Han Shih CSO

10+ years in microalgae research

PhD in Biosystems Engineering from The University of Arizona



€4 million raise will enable the business to achieve:

- Secure a contract manufacturer to do both our Upstream and Downstream processes in ONE location to save cost
- Running at least 2-3 more flight missions to International Space Station
- Secure EFSA approval dossier (with 5 production batches of data)
- Secure Purchase Orders from 2 prospective customers in Sports Nutrition
- Secure Purchase Orders from 2 prospective customers in Alternative Dairy

Use of funds	€ Million
Contract manufacturing (including CPAEX on equipment)	0.3
R&D	1.2
Marketing & Sales	0.8
General and Administrative & Others	0.7
Planning & execution for future ISS missions	1.0
TOTAL	4.0



Our Mission

Decoupling protein supply from arable land & reducing the environmental footprint

Let's make EU a sustainable protein powerhouse!!!

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Our Vision

To make microalgae protein available even on Mars



Eugene Wang Co-Founder & CEO at Sophie's BioNutrients

