# From Plant to Plate

Grow your brand through the power of plant-based solutions from DSM

39% of US consumers are eating more plant-based food<sup>1</sup>

### By 2023<sup>2</sup> the meat substitute market in the US is expected to be worth \$2.5 billion

In 2018, sales of plant-based milk in the US had a **9% growth** 

Consumers following an elimination diet may be at a higher risk of micronutrient deficiencies including:





fatty acids





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### Helping your plant-based offering flourish Top <u>ten tips</u>

Use consumer insights:

Understanding consumer wants and needs ensures your products meet them



Get up-to-speed on the latest prototypes and consumerinspired concepts

## Know the roots of your ingredients:

Transparency is key, know where your ingredients come from



Fortifying plant-based products with essential micronutrients helps to overcome deficiencies in elimination diets

HOW DSM DEFINES: Plant•based /'pla:nt beis/ noun



a product that consists of ingredients derived only from a land or marine-based plant or suitable for a plant-based diet.

Plant-based sources include anything from

vegetables, fruits, wholegrains, nuts, seeds and legumes – to trending ingredients like

tree bark, mushrooms and algae.



## Fortifying the future

70+ plant-based micronutrient solutions that can be transformed into tailor-made premix solutions.



DSM's portfolio has been specifically grown to deliver essential health benefits for individuals following a plant-based diet, including:



**Brain health:** *life'sDHA*<sup>®</sup> (nutritional lipids) & Ashwagandha



**Immunity:** Natural Vitamin E, CaroCare® Nat. B-Carotene & Acerola Cherry Extract, Vitamin C



**Energy:** Quali®-B vitamins Riboflavin & B12, Guarana & Green Tea Extract



Cardiovascular health: ALL-Q™ (CoQ10) & Fruitflow®

Demonstrate why your products support good nutrition

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### Talk about health benefits:

Digestive health, energy and cognitive health are on the top of the consumer's health agenda

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### Get the terminology right:

Avoid any unsubstantiated claims by being clear about the difference between vegan, plant-based, organic and clean eating



### Find a point of differentiation:

In a rapidly evolving market, identify what makes your plant-based offering unique



#### Don't forget your wider portfolio:

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Consider how your plant-based offering sits within your existing portfolio



Does your packaging have a natural appeal to your customer base?

We can collaborate with you to leverage new concepts for delivering nutritious plant-based food and beverages, including milks, juices, yogurts, bars and energy drinks to fill the micronutrient gap in elimination diets.

Fortifying your product with essential micronutrients couldn't be easier with DSM's plant-based product range. Contact us today and discover how together, we can sow the seeds for plant-based growth!

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