

# Statement on biotechnology



Corbion

**At Corbion, we are committed to responsibly creating value for our customers, shareholders, and society. Our ambition is to lead the specialty food ingredients industry by delivering sustainable, natural, and science based solutions that support food preservation and animal nutrition. Biotechnology and fermentation form the backbone of our ingredient innovation, enabling us to develop solutions that truly help preserve what matters.**

We are pioneers in large scale fermentation, producing organic acids and algae-derived nutritional solution. We continue to advance our production technologies to make them more sustainable and cost effective, demonstrated by the progress at our circular lactic acid facility in Thailand or our efficiency gain in omega-3 production among others. Through continuous innovation, we develop healthier and more sustainable ingredients aligned with market trends and evolving consumer expectations.

To accelerate this process, we continue to grow our biotechnology capabilities through in house development and through strategic partnerships that complement our expertise. These collaborations allow us to deliver differentiated, high quality solutions that meet the needs of customers across a wide range of applications.

As we expand and apply our biotechnology capabilities, we recognize that perspectives, regulations, and expectations differ across regions and industries. Our global portfolio reflects this diversity through a range of approaches, including products manufactured by Corbion or our partners using naturally occurring or carefully engineered microorganisms.

Across all cases, we maintain a firm commitment to safety, stewardship, and transparency. We strive to ensure that every solution we develop is responsibly produced, clearly communicated, and aligned with our commitment to protect people, the planet, and the trust our customers place in us.

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In line with our purpose to preserve what matters, we are strengthening our biotechnology strategy in several ways:

- ▶ Expanding our platform organism portfolio to increase capability, improve flexibility, and ensure we remain ready for future opportunities.
- ▶ Advancing new fermentation processes while enhancing our digital, high throughput, and metabolic insight tools to speed up development and improve efficiency.
- ▶ Focusing on natural preservation, next generation food fermentations, and high value nutrition opportunities, including the expansion of algal fermentation and other emerging growth platforms.
- ▶ Building strategic alliances across the supply chain and with external partners to accelerate innovation, support responsible sourcing, and create breakthrough solutions for our customers.

We believe that biotechnology, when used responsibly and safely, plays an essential role in addressing global challenges such as climate pressure, food waste, resource scarcity, and the need for healthier and more sustainable products. As a responsible supplier, Corbion adheres to high standards of stewardship, including practices aligned with the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety and the Nagoya Protocol principles of fair and equitable benefit sharing in every region in which we operate. These commitments form an important foundation as we advance BRIGHT 2030 and reinforce our position as a trusted biotechnology leader.

Through disciplined execution, deep scientific expertise, and a purpose driven innovation culture, we deliver biotechnology solutions that are safe, sustainable, and impactful, supporting Corbion's long term growth and our shared purpose of preserving what matters.