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## **Renewable Fuels & Chemicals -Genencor's Perspective**

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- Introduction to Genencor
- Genencor as part of DuPont
- The BioBased Economy
- Renewable Fuels & Chemicals
- Industry Collaborations
- Industry Academia

## **Our mission since 1982**

Through innovation and responsible practices, we deliver bio-solutions that improve industry performance and sustainability.























Biolsoprene<sup>™</sup> Monomer

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## **Genencor** in brief

Leadership	<ul> <li>Early biotechnology pioneer – in 1982 Genentech &amp; Corning Glassworks formed Genencor</li> <li>A leader in industrial enzymes with 380 distinct commercial products</li> <li>3,500+ owned and licensed patents and applications</li> </ul>		Industrial Enzymes Animal Feed Enzymes Cellulosic Enzymes Food Enzymes Fabric & Household Care
Revenue & growth	• Revenue: \$767 million USD in 2009-2010		Grain Processing Textiles Enzymes
Our people & outreach	<ul> <li>~ 1,500 employees worldwide</li> <li>100 job openings in a time of global recession</li> <li>Partnering with 50 universities &amp; government labs to conduct research</li> </ul>	1,3-Propanedio	Biochemicals Lysine Threonine Tryptophan
Sites	<ul> <li>14 production sites in USA, Europe, Asia, Africa &amp; South America</li> <li>4 R&amp;D centers in USA, Europe and China</li> </ul>		Biotin Ascorbic Acid 1,3-Propanediol
			Biolsoprene™

May 2011: DuPont acquires majority stake in Danisco A/S

## **DuPont Industrial Biosciences – 5 Research Centers**



## **DuPont Industrial Biosciences – Production**

- > 16 production sites worldwide in five continents
- > ~20,000 customer orders processed each year
- > Our products ship to 87 different countries
- > Annual supply volume of ~150,000 metric tons



(Kingston, NC, USA)

(Wuxi, China)

(Vonore, Tennessee, USA)



(Naantali, Finland)

## **DuPont Growth Strategy**

To be a premier market-driven science company and create value for our customers

## Building three world-leading, integrated competencies:

- Ag & Nutrition
- Bio-based Industrials
- Advanced Materials & Processes





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#### TOGETHER, WE CAN FEED THE WORLD.

The earth's population will increase by 196,000 population day for the sect 40 years, which means the world will most to increase find production by 70% in this same period—even as the eductre number of acres that can be cultivated globally shrake. To fixed our increasing numbers, we will need to find way to grav more fixed per scen.



#### TOGETHER, WE CAN DECREASE DEPENDENCE ON FOSSIL FUELS.

By 2030, the world will consome 60% more energy than today. And while the densard for many grown, the supply offostil fiels will not. Drep expertise in microbiology, forewardston, polymor science and electrochomicary will help make possible the transition from fostil fiels to more sumainable alternatives.

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High parternance EuPont<sup>®</sup> Teclar<sup>®</sup> makes it possible to supply reliable solar power to more than 4 million homes each year.

#### THERE ARE ALMOST 7 BILLION REASONS WHY WE SHOULD WORK TOGETHER.

As the world's population approaches sevens billion, the challenges facing humanity have never been greater. Fortunately, the solutions to many of the most fundamental challenges can be found in science. But providing for the food, energy and safety needs of a growing population will require more than science alone. It will requise many people working together. People who can collaborate across borders, companies, governments, organizations and cultures to device solutions—both large and small— that improve the lives of people around the world.

DuPont has a rich history of scientific discovery that has enabled countless innovations and made life better for people everywhere. And today, we're working with more people, in more places, to make life the best that it can be, *Wilcome to The Global Collaboratory*.

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#### TOGETHER, WE CAN PROTECT WHAT MATTERS MOST.

As our populations grows, so do the threase to human safety and well-being. Globally, over 1,010,000 people per year lose their lives to workplace injuctes alone. DuFore in working with companies, governments, as advanted and advantant on a war mage of materials, produces and consulding solutions that protect life and our environment.



## The BioBased Economy: Solutions for everyone, everywhere

Population 2011: 7 billion 2050: 9 billion CHEMICALS HEALTH **ENERGY** FOOD Concern Concern Concern Concern Affordable and healthy > Healthy food for all > Global warming and > Environmental impact from dependence on fossil fuels petrochemicals food > Overweight Balanced use of land > Fluctuating oil & energy prices 30% of all food goes to > . waste Solution Solution Solution Solution > Dietary supplements > Enzymes for reduction of > Biolsoprene<sup>™</sup> collaboration Ingredients enhancing supporting physiological water and energy with Goodyear benefits and nutrition claims taste, texture, safety and > Products for 1G > GRINDSTED<sup>®</sup> Soft-N-Safe nutrition > Ingredients contributing to and 2G biofuels digestive, immune, bone, Extend shelf-life and . DDCE: cellulosic ethanol > cardiovascular and oral preserve freshness technology health as well as weight Cost reduction and ٠ management value-improving solutions

## **The BioBased Economy: Industrial Biosciences**

#### Biorefineries

Converting agricultural feedstocks into fuel, chemicals and biomaterials.

## Biomaterials and Chemicals

Leveraging our industry expertise and applications skills to develop new higher value markets.

#### Bioactives

Enzymes, peptides and performance proteins that provide high value to a broad range of applications and producers in markets such as food, animal nutrition, fabric and household care, textiles, pulp & paper, personal care and aquaculture.







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## Enabling the biobased economy through our unique expertise

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# DuPont Cellulosic Ethanol Production Ready for Deployment

Operating demonstration scale facility in Vonore, Tennessee (US) since 2010

- Partnering with Genera Energy and University of Tennessee
- Setting up commercial feedstock supply model
  - Collaborating with custom harvest experts, equipment providers, Iowa State University to carry out comprehensive study
- Developing commercial stover-to-ethanol biorefinery to start up in 2013
  - Synergy with co-located grain plants
- Deployment strategy includes commercial operations and licensing model



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## **DuPont Addressing Key Imperatives of Biofuel Growth**

#### Cellulosic Ethanol: Non-food Feedstocks



## Advantages:

- >60% greenhouse gas reduction
- Non-food sources and marginal land
- Multiple feedstock available
- Additional income for farmers



**Biobutanol: Better Fuel** 

- Drop-in fuel
- High blends without infrastructure changes
- Refinery can use more fractions of oil
- Higher energy content

## Low Cost, Low Carbon, Scalable, Sustainable

## **Bio-PDO<sup>™</sup>: The First Commercial Biorefinery**

DuPont Tate & Lyle BioProducts



successfully provides support for future investments





## Genencor and Goodyear jointly develop Biolsoprene<sup>™</sup> technology

Genencor and The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company are developing an integrated process to manufacture Biolsoprene<sup>™</sup> at industrial scale.

- A collaborative research initiative
- Joint multimillion-dollar investment

Biolsoprene<sup>™</sup> product is a biobased, renewable alternative to the petroleum-based isoprene.

- Biolsoprene<sup>™</sup> is a "business platform C5 chemical: other uses include polymerisation to high carbon fuels.
- Genencor will lead commercial development



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Concept tire – not available to consumers

## **Renewable Fuels & Chemicals: Key Messages**

#### Our biofuel technology and commercial potential are real.

- DuPont has proven our ability to bring new, advanced, bio-based technology to market, with commercial products available today.
- Once the first commercial plants are underway, we intend to make our technology available to others through licensing, enabling a more rapid rate of capacity build around 2015.

#### Multiple renewable fuels will be needed to meet future transportation needs.

- The first generation ethanol market provides a critical foundation, and its long-term viability is necessary for the successful development of next-generation advanced biofuels.
- The relative proportion of grain going into fuel will decline over time as ag production expands, existing biofuel plants continue to improve efficiency, and use of non-grain sources increase.

#### Policy stabilization and consistency are critical.

- Establishing and commercializing a new biofuel technology is a massive undertaking.
- Change or uncertainty in a policy platform is counterproductive and discourages innovators, entrepreneurs, and potential partners at a critical time in advanced biofuels industry development.

## EU Policy needs for a budding biobased economy

- Knowledge Biobased Economy (KBBE) Strategy
- Strong focus on under-utilised biomass, the need for resource efficiency, job creation and innovation, and on communication 'what's in it for the consumer'
- Revision of the Common Agricultural Policy (CAP)
- It should support the biobased economy strategy non food crops
- It should support rural development strategies regional biorefineries
- Horizon 2020 (Research & Development & Innovation)
- Funding schemes should cover gaps in KBBE strategy: demo plants
- Stimulate Market Demand Lead Market for biobased products
- Indicative or binding targets for certain bio-based products
- Member States preference to bio-based products in tender specifications
- Clear and unambiguous European and international standards

## **DuPont Approach to Renewables**

## Focus on large, market driven opportunities enabled by the integration of chemistry and biology from renewable substrates...

- Broadly participate across value chains
- Target areas where our integrated science can create unique advantages
- Systematically evaluate opportunities for incumbency and scale
- Use partnerships to expand market opportunities, accelerate speed to market and maximize value
- Decouple the food and biomaterials/biofuels supply chains quickly as technologies develop



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# Building upon our skills, together



takes more than technologies and discoveries to advance our industry.

- It takes a different way of thinking.
- We know how to collaborate with companies in and outside of our sector.
- The real challenge is finding partners outside our scope and radar.



## **GNext - Our Inclusive Innovation Initiative**





## Welcome to the Global Collaboratory™



# Industry – University Collaborations

"Fee for Services"

- (Mode often used with outside companies.)
- University Centre of Excellence model: Similar to intra- & interuniversity sevice charging.
- Can extend to method, assay & process development.
- Easy: Low / No Intellectual Property developed.

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## Industry – University Collaborations

Research Collaboration: Can cover a wide spectrum of interactions

Examples:

- Leuven University: Long term collaboration with Danisco in Xylanase enzymology (baking enzymes).
- Swedish Agricultural University (SLU) Uppsala: Structural Biology group headed by Mats Sandgren.
- ca. 1998 present: Started for a specific (Cel12A) structure. Evolved into wide-ranging Glycosyl Hydrolase structure study.
- Now also includes a Biogas consortium
- University of Gent: Enzymology group headed by Kathleen Piens.
- ca. 2000 2007: Started for a specific (Cel12A) enzyme. Evolved into wide-ranging Glycosyl Hydrolase enzymology study.
- Combined SLU & Gent: Very strong Structural Enzymology Collaboration

# Industry – University Collaborations Risks / challenges for industry:

- IP ownership and access at commercially viable costs.
- Specially challenging for Industrial Biotechnology vs Pharma margins.
- Publication needs vs protection of IP.
- Expert academic groups working with commercial competitors.
- "Chinese Walls"
- Large collaboration consortia: 1 + 1 = 0
- Maintaining alignment with company needs
- Negative: "Sheep herding"
- Positive: Maintain fundamental vs applied research focus

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## Industry – University Collaborations Benefits for industry:

- Expertise not present in company.
- Specialised resources where permanent hire not fully justified.
- Fresh perspective from outside experts / peers:
- Avoid Not Invented Here (NIH) syndrome.
- Requirement for publication ensures rigorous research.
- Sustained focus on a specific research topic (versus problem solving):
- Fundamental research vs Applied research

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## **Industry Expectations for Academia**

- Align their long term research strategy to address societal challenges that industry cannot address alone.
- e.g. Industrial Biotechnology industry has recognised its role in addressing some world challenges such as climate/environment (GHG emissions), food availability / efficiency, & biobased alternatives.
- . We need academia to weigh into public debates, and provide a more educated objective assessment from trusted experts.
- In Industrial Biotechnology space there are a lot of controversial public debates (food vs fuel, Indirect Land Use, GMOs, nanotech, ) – industry alone will never be the trusted voice in such debates.
- By being an objective voice to policy makers academia can have high influence on legislation that can impact both of our sectors (R&D funding, demo plant funding, controversial policy on GMOs).
- Continuous contact/networking with industry to see where such trends are going.





