# Tas Dairy 13

Dairy Processing Plant Conceptual Design

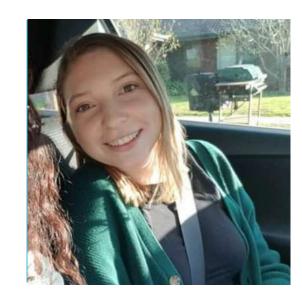




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# How would you like to turn \$95M into \$220M?



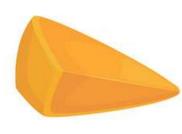
### TasDairy13 Facility

#### **Processing Capacity**

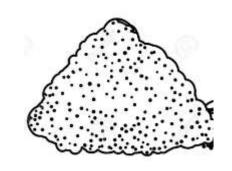


100 000 L/day **\$18M/yr** 

#### **Product Portfolio**



Cheddar Cheese 4400 tonnes/yr \$36M/yr



Lactose 7800 tonnes/yr \$15M/yr



Whey Protein Concentrate (WPC)
1900 tonnes/yr
\$13M/yr



Whipping Cream 400 tonnes/year \$2M/yr

Waste Products
(Whey Cream & Casein Fines )
87 tonnes/yr
\$109K/yr

#### Location



Smithton, Tasmania



Technology & Optimisation

### Agenda



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Product & Location Selection



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#### Product Selection

#### CHEDDAR CHEESE - WPC - LACTOSE POWDER - WHIPPING CREAM

- Focus on one major product cheddar cheese to allow us to compete on the local and global market
- Limited raw milk availability in Tasmania: Over 80% of milk occupied by Saputo Dairy and Fonterra alone
- Economic viability enhanced by yielding as much product from milk as possible, whilst minimising the costs of transporting or disposing of waste products





### Market Evaluation

#### **KEY ATTRACTIONS:**

 Cheddar Cheese: Increasing demand trends and appealing revenue. Operating costs far lower than other major export products including SMP and WMP





- Whey Protein Concentrate: CAGR of 9.2% 2020-2025
- Lactose Powder: Wide range of uses and market value of \$1910/ton
- Whipping Cream: CAGR of 8.1% 2020-2025, Low operating costs and initial capital expenditure





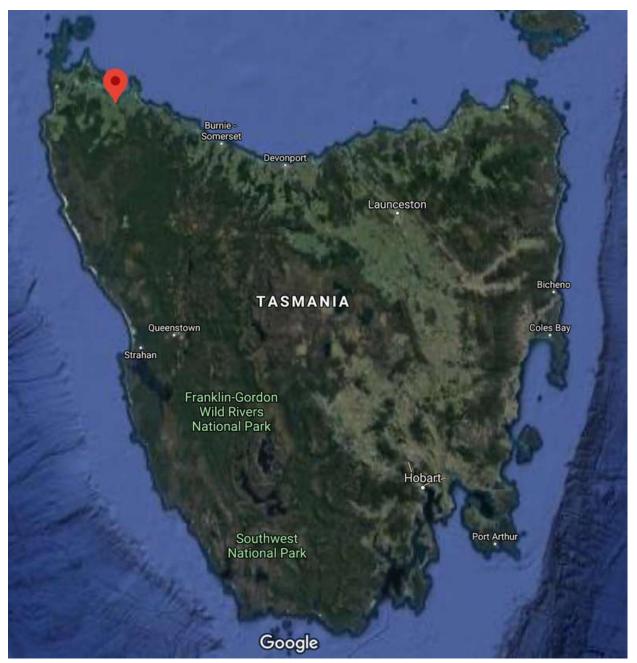




# Geographical Location

#### BASS HIGHWAY, SMITHTON, TASMANIA











- Far north-west of Tasmania has the largest number of dairy farms
- Location on major highway provides ease of transport of materials to and from the facility
- Close proximity to the Port of Burnie
- Close to other dairy process facilities: potential sales channel for waste products





### Economic Analysis

#### Major assumptions made in Economic Analysis:

- 1-year detailed design + 1-year construction + 20-year operational period
- Straight-line depreciation: **5%/annum** for 20 years
- Discount rate = 5% → post-pandemic recovery
- First 2 years 80% capacity & 90% capacity thereafter
- All equity financing
- Effects of inflation negligible





#### Economic Summary

**Net Present Value (NPV)** 

\$125 million

Internal Rate of Return (IRR)

15.3%

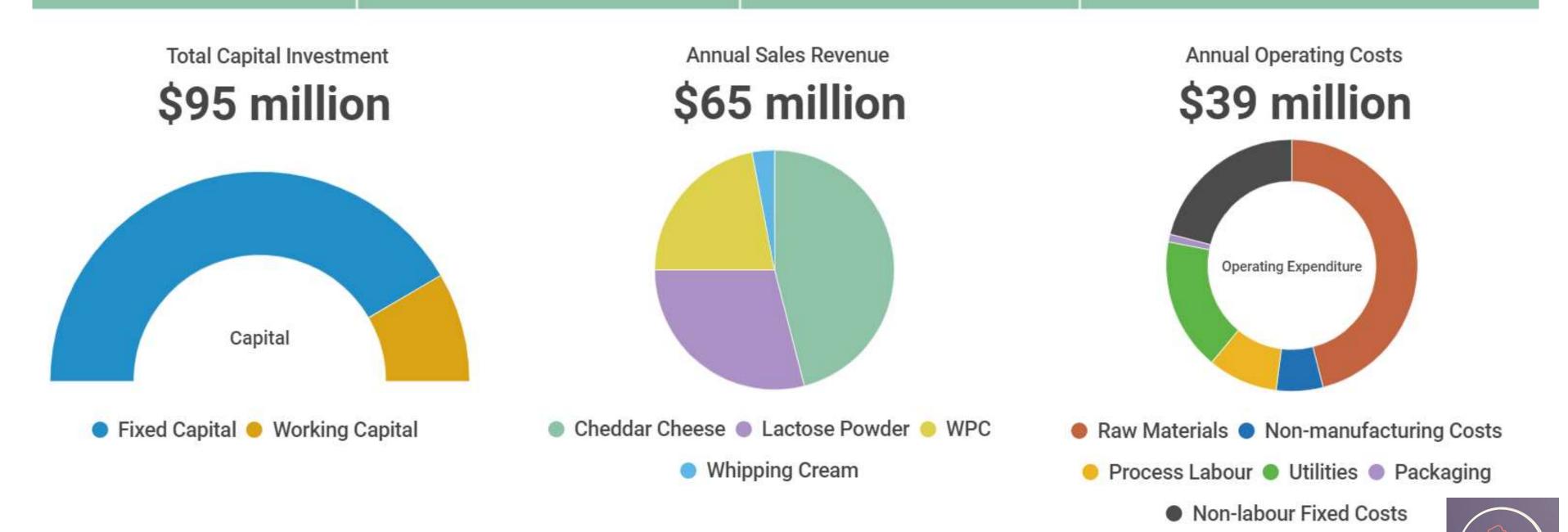
Payback Period (PP)

7 years

Annual Return on Investment (ROI)

27.2%

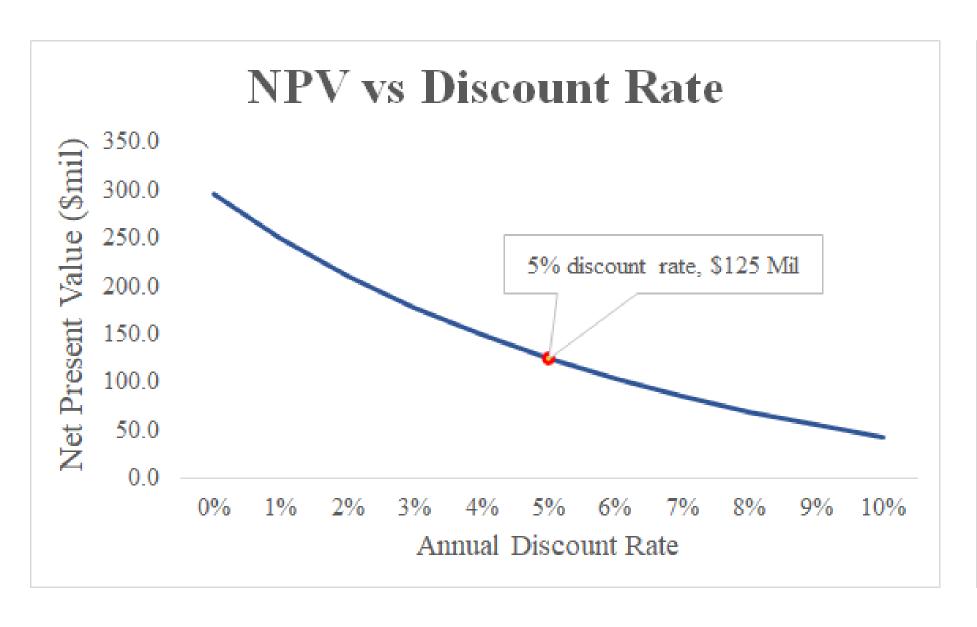
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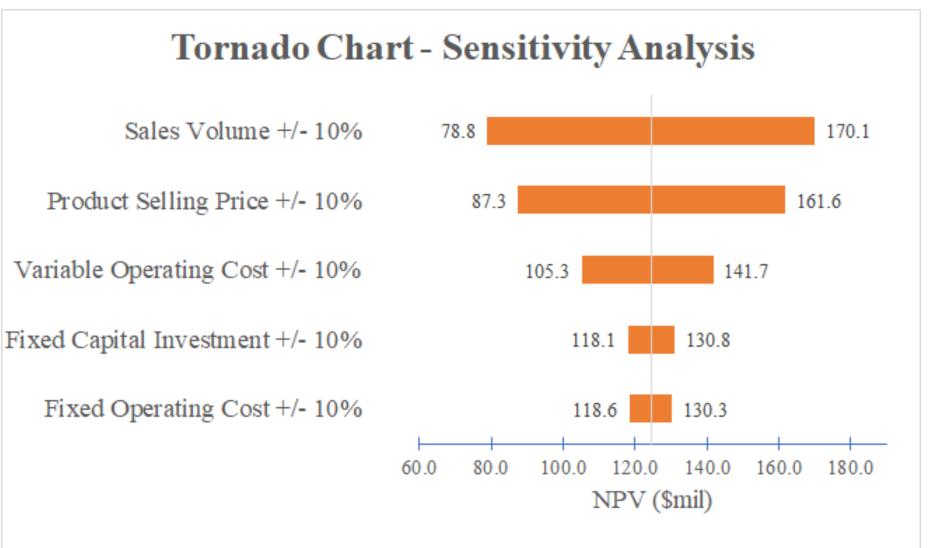




### Sensitivity Analysis

#### Project NPV (base scenario): \$125 Million

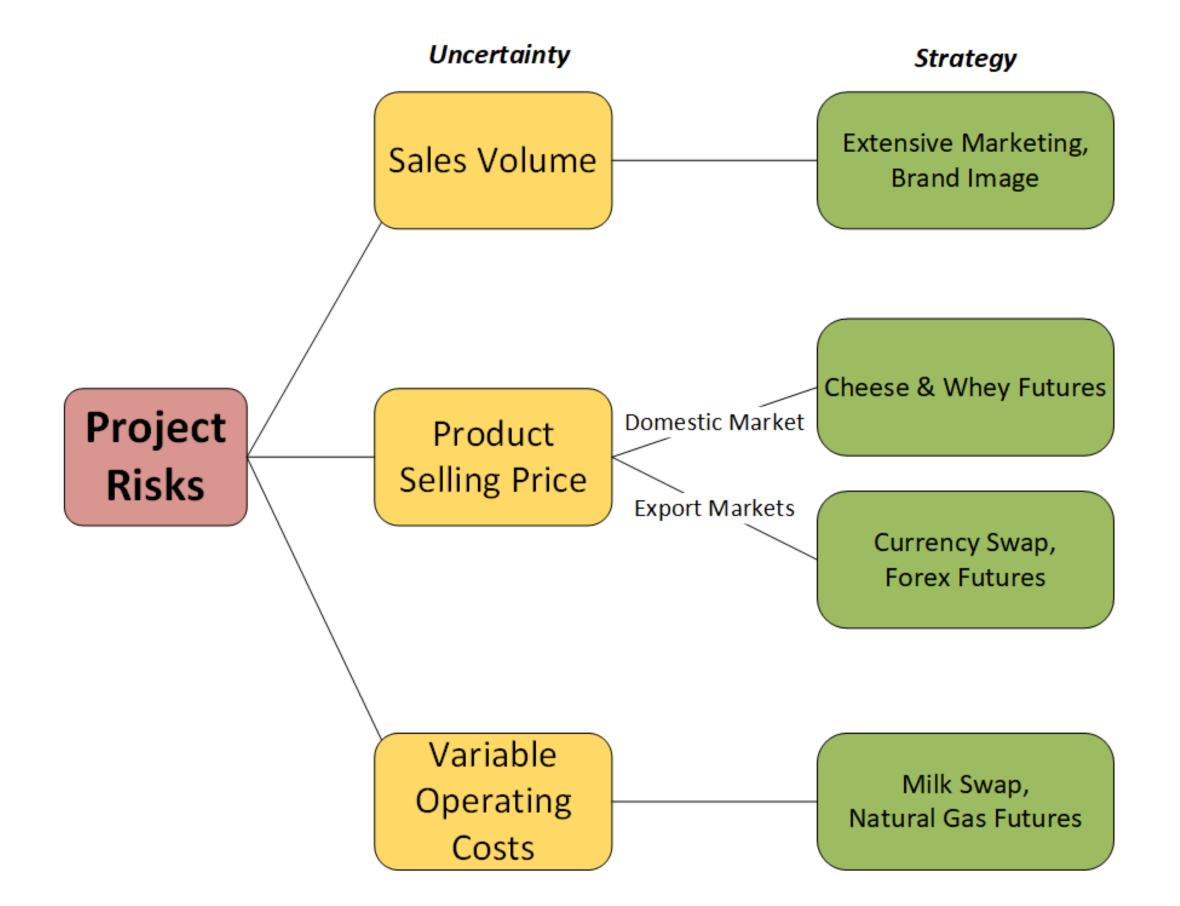








### Financial Strategies





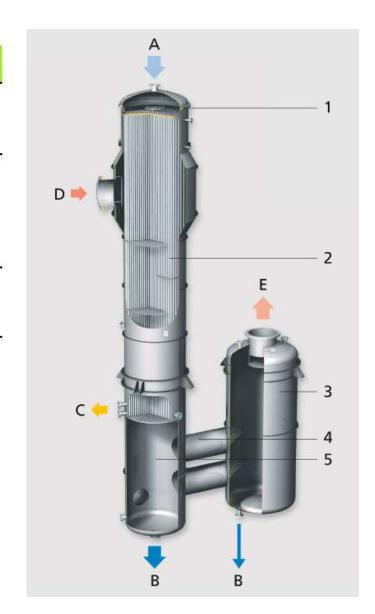


# Technology Selection



**Microfiltration Unit** 

| Technology Type                | Advantage   |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Microfiltration                | <ul> <li>More efficient than Bactofugation</li> <li>Possible to obtain preservative free whey and cheese</li> </ul> |
| Crossflow Ultrafiltration (UF) | <ul> <li>Capable of reducing a large amount of fat content in<br/>whey protein concentrate</li> </ul>               |
|                                | <ul> <li>Used to produce fat-free WPC</li> </ul>  |
| Direct Standardisation Line    | Low cost  |
|                                | Low maintenance   |
| Falling Film Evaporator        | <ul> <li>High efficiency in concentrating product at a low<br/>temperature</li> </ul>                               |
|                                | <ul> <li>Short residence time results in minimum scaling</li> </ul>   |
|                                | <ul> <li>Uniform distribution of liquid over the heating surfaces</li> </ul>  |
|                                | <ul> <li>Suitable for dairy products sensitive to heat treatment</li> </ul>   |
|                                | <ul> <li>Available for multiple-effect evaporation with recycle<br/>loops for energy efficiency</li> </ul>          |
|                                | <ul> <li>Contains little or no denatured protein after process</li> </ul>   |



Falling Film Evaporator Unit



## Water and Heat Integration



#### Water Integration

- CIP: Installed 10 satellite units and 1 set of centralised CIP tanks, reuse final rinse and cooling water as initial rinse
- Recovery of chilled water: Closed loop cooling water system
- Recovery of condensate: Closed loop boiler system
- Recycling of evaporator vapour: Recompress the vapour

Saving in boiler feedwater = 81%
Saving in chilling system feedwater = 90%
Saving in CIP water required = 46%

Saving \$2.2 Mil/yr

#### **Heat Integration**



- ∆T\_min = 10 °C
- Minimum Hot Duty = 821 kW
- Minimum Cold Duty = 0.81 kW
- Thermal Energy Saving = 4900 kW

Saving in cold utility = 99% Saving in hot utility = 67%

Saving \$1.34 Mil/yr







### Safety & Hazard Evaluations

Inherent Safety

Generation of Low-Pressure Steam rather than High-Pressure Steam

Utilization of Hot Water instead of Hot Oil as the heat transfer medium

Installation of protective equipment (e.g. pressure relief valves)

Adoption of CIP systems for process equipment cleaning

Major Hazards & Control Measures

Implementation of Temperature Control Systems for the heating air

Implementation of Pressure Control
Systems and Alarms

High-Rate Discharge (HRD) Explosion Suppression System Dust Explosion

PLC secondary control system for automatic emergency control sequences

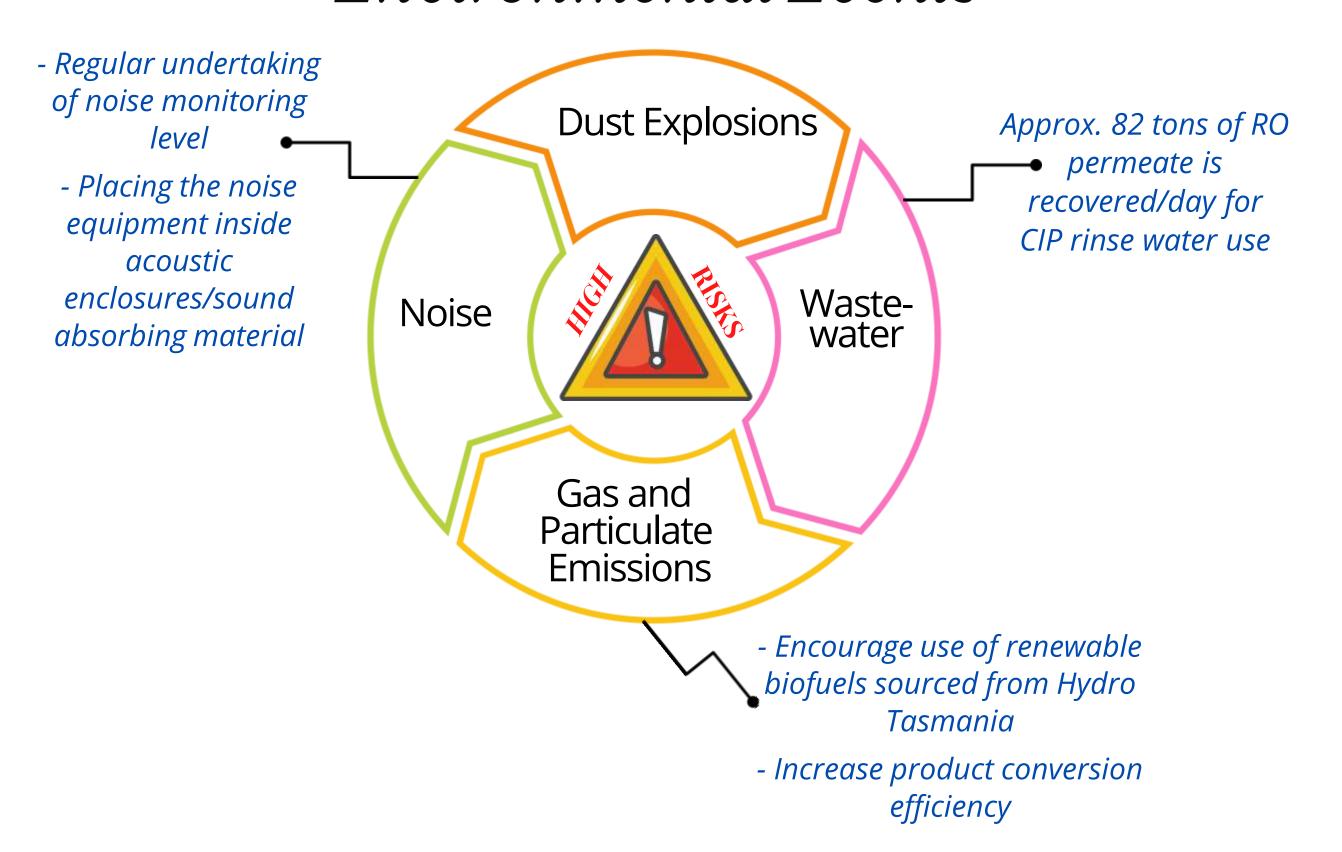
Adequate mechanical design of dryer systems to withstand high pressures





#### Environmental Impacts

#### Environmental Events







### Policy & Legislations

#### Environmental Policy Statement

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY STATEMENT**

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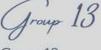
TasDairy13 is a dairy manufacturing company offering wide range of quality dairy products with a production capacity of 100,000 L of milk per day. The location of the facility is set in Bass Highway, Smithton, Tasmania. TasDairy13 is committed to protecting natural resources, promoting environmental awareness and implementing sustainable business practices.

To achieve the goals of sustainability and reduction in environmental pollution, TasDairy13 is aimed to comply with pertinent environmental laws and legislations on a consistent basis to ensure full compliance of environmental management.

In efforts to mitigate the environmental impacts concerning our activities, products and services, we shall: -

- . Minimize carbon dioxide emissions to the environment by 10% in 10 years from 2022.
- . Encourage the practice of recycling and reusing of any waste materials by embracing waste minimization principles in the organization.
- Adopt a safer biofuels for heavy vehicles transportation by at least 40% by the year
- · Reduce the facility's energy usage by integrating renewable resources for sustainable energy generation.
- · Provide environmental workshops to strengthen the organization's environmental stewardships.
- Establish and sustain the environmental management system by forming a R&D team dedicated to supervising and controlling environmental issues.
- · Conduct regular internal audits of the manufacturing process in accordance with environmental standards.
- Conduct an annual review of the Environmental Policy to enhance the information transparency of sharing to the general public of interest.

This policy will be communicated to the staff, workers and suppliers and made available to the public through social media platforms.



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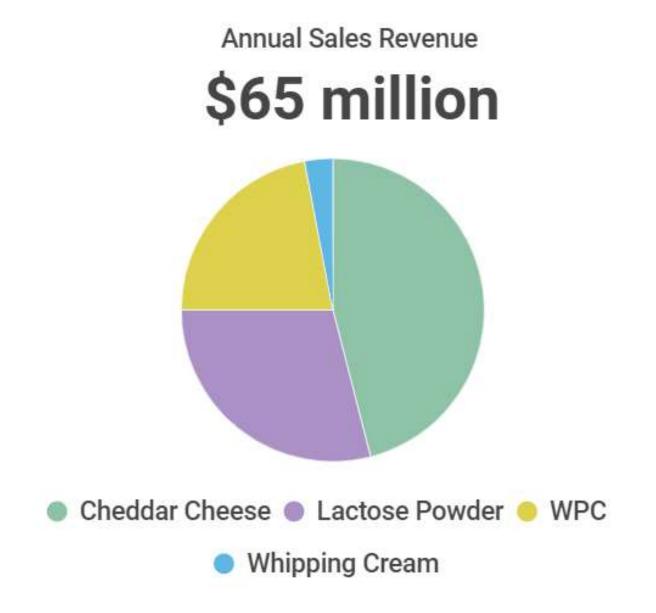
Work Health and Safety Act 2012

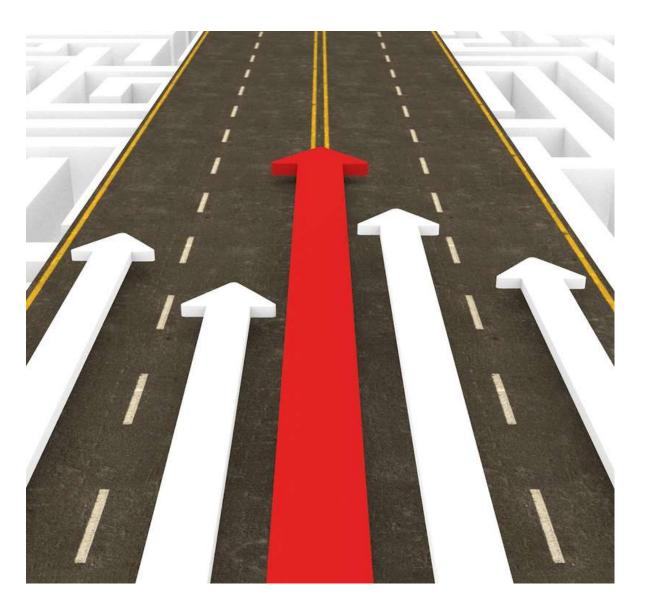


**Environment Protection Act 1973** 

Environmental Management and Pollution Control Act 1994 (EMPCA)

- Attractive annual revenue of **\$65M** and an Internal Rate of return (IRR) of **15%**
- These figures make TasDairy13 a competitive investment

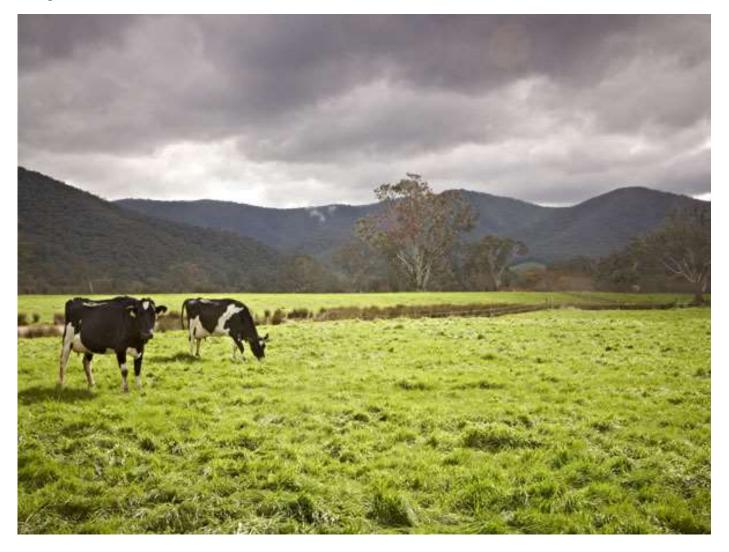






- Strategic location:
  - Dairy farms: potential feedstock
  - Bass highway: easy transportation of goods
  - Other dairy facilities: potential sales of waste products







High quality products guaranteed



Technology selection - cost & energy efficient



Low environmental impact











A GREAT TEAM WORKING FOR YOU!



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### Our takeaway from this journey







# Things we would do differently

Communicate more with the industry advisors





# Thank You!

