



# Solenis On-site GPAM Technology Introduction

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# Agenda

- 1. Solenis' Business in Brief**
- 2. On-site GPAM and Its Manufacturing**
- 3. Key Application Cases**

# Serving a Wide Range of Diverse Markets

## Consumer

GRAPHIC & SPECIALTY PAPERS

FOOD PACKAGING & PROCESSING

TISSUE & TOWEL

PACKAGING

SPECIALTIES & ENGINEERED WOOD

RESIDENTIAL

## Institutional

RETAIL & GROCERY

FOOD SERVICES

BUILDING & FLOOR SERVICES

COMMERCIAL

HEALTHCARE

HOSPITALITY

Pool



# Serving a Wide Range of Diverse Markets

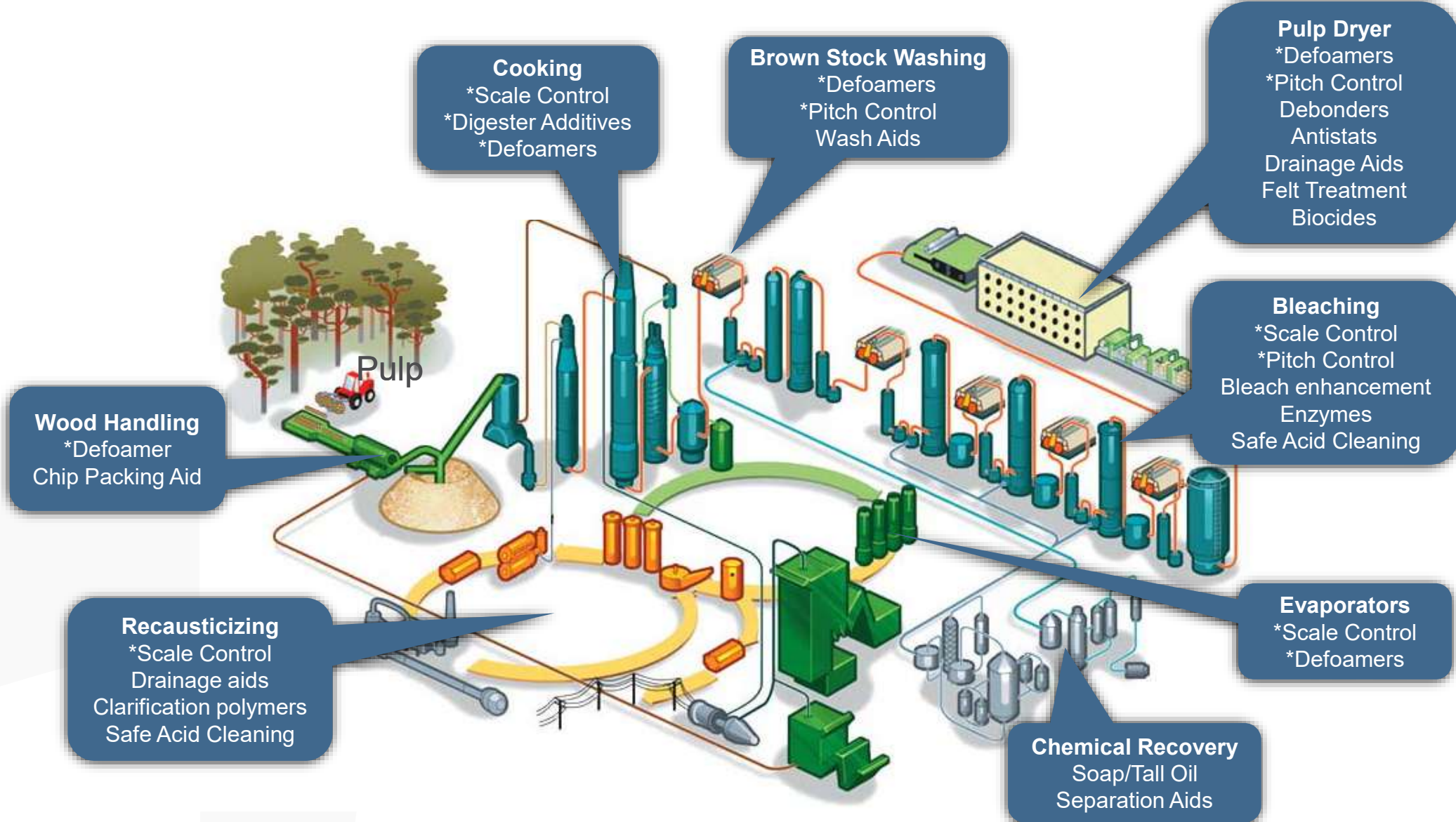
## Food & Beverage



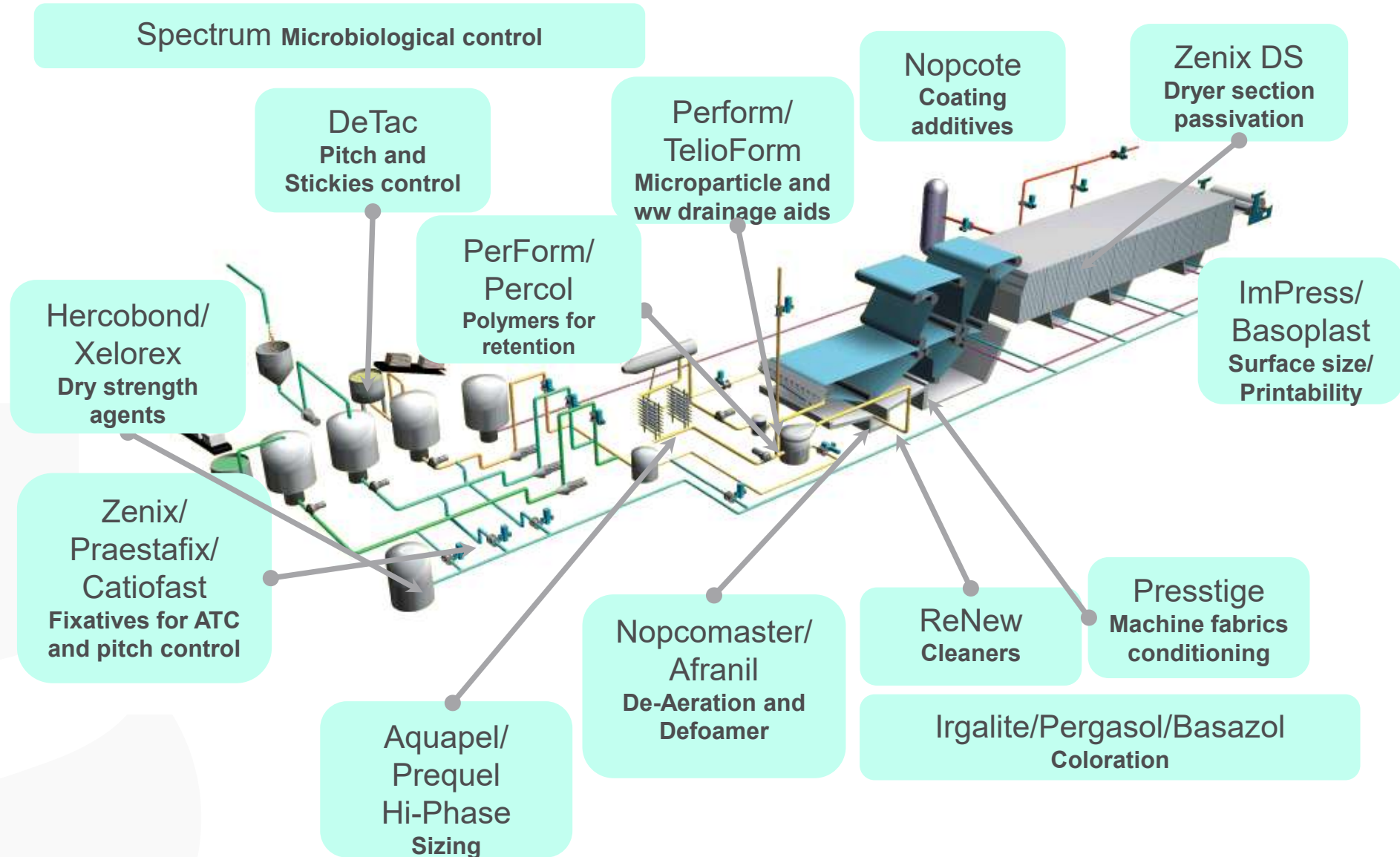
## Industrial



# Solenis Portfolio for Consumer Solutions - Pulping



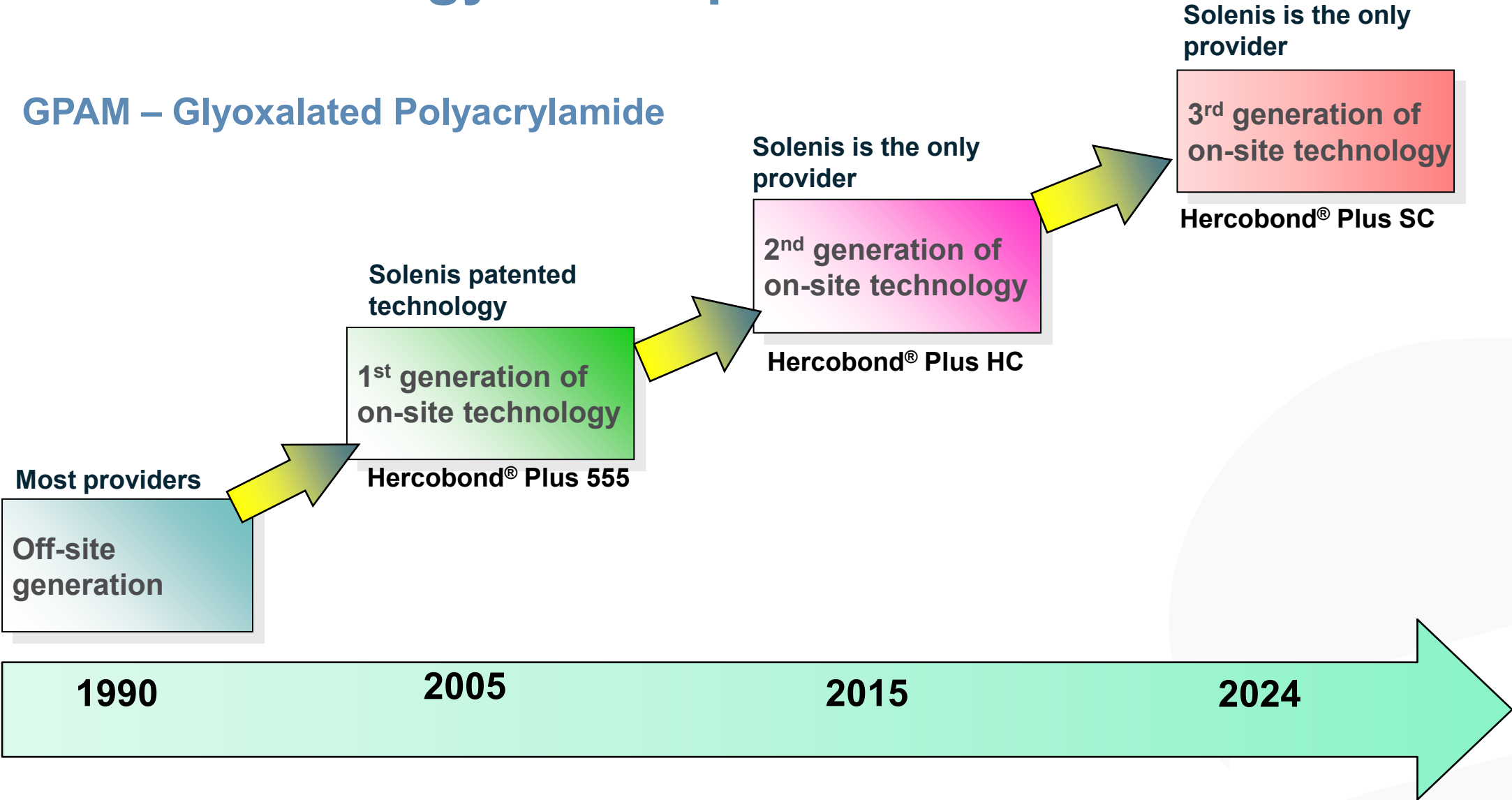
# Solenis Portfolio for Consumer Solutions - Paper





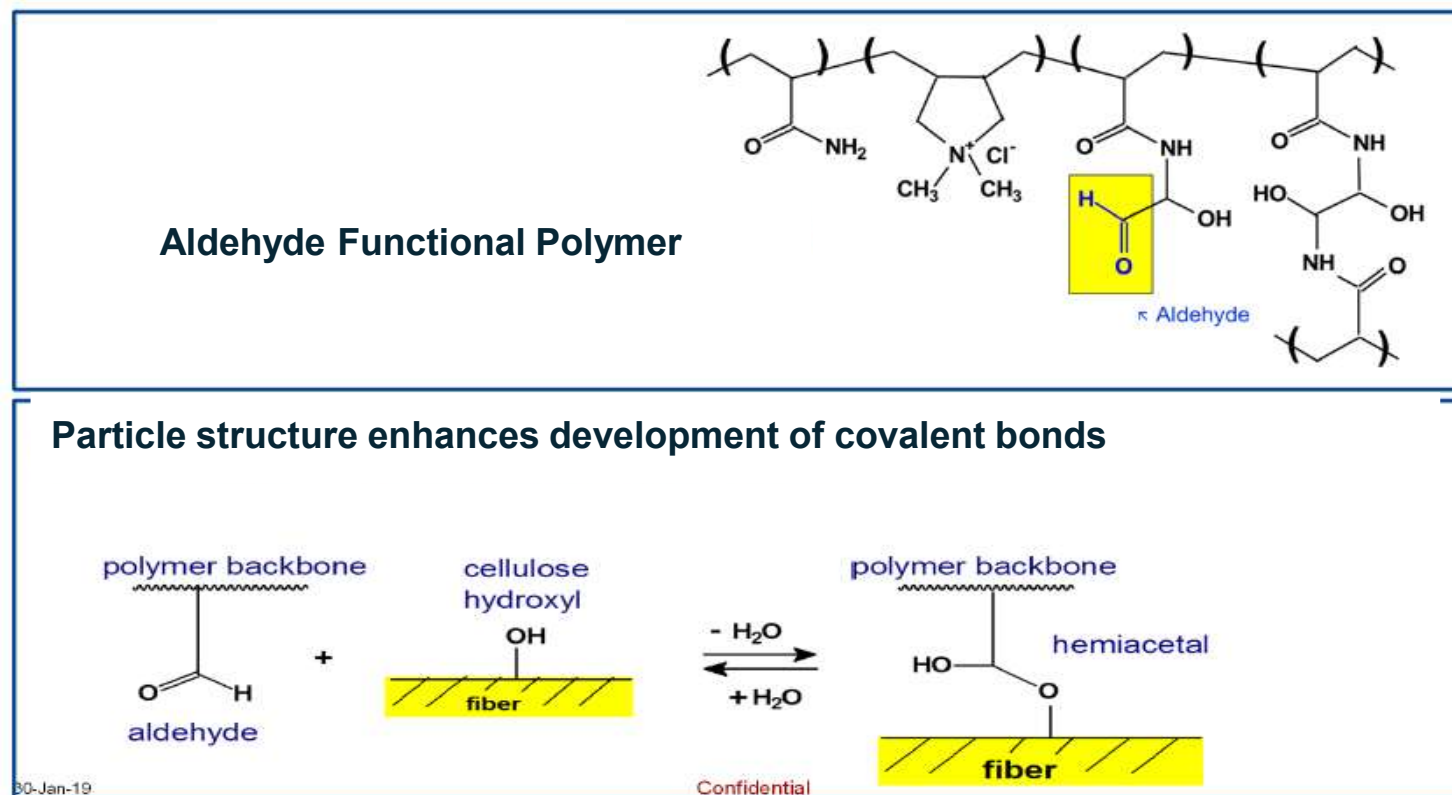
# GPAM Technology Development

GPAM – Glyoxalated Polyacrylamide



# Unique Chemistry – Onsite Generated Dry Strength

- **Hercobond Plus is ...**
  - a structured microparticle generated from a high Mw backbone
  - forms Covalent Bonds with Cellulose
- **Hercobond Plus is not ...**
  - a typical “delivered” GPAM
  - as effected by soluble lignin & other anionic trash



**Bonding Strength:**

Covalent (60-80) > Ionic (10-30) > Hydrogen (4-6 kcal/mole)

**Hercobond Plus is the most effective strength additive in the Industry.**



# Technology Overview

## *Hercobond Plus products are...*

- cellulose reactive cationic dry strength resins
- chemically modified at customer site for optimal performance
- most effective pure strength additives
- an industry proven technology, 18 years commercial experiences

## *Hercobond Plus does...*

- increase SCT, Burst, Concora, Tensile, and Ply Bond of paper and board
- raise productivity via faster wet end water removal and light-weighting
- provide a linear strength response to very high contribution level
- deliver a very high return on investment

# Hercobond Plus – Very High Dry Strength Possible

## Application Performance

	Typical Containerboard	High Strength Specialty
Physical Test	1 – 3 kg/T	3 – 6 kg/T
SCT / Ring Crush (%)	+ 5 – 15	+15 – 35
Burst (%)	+ 8 – 15	+ 15 – 40
Tensile (%)	+ 5 – 12	+ 12 – 25
CMT (Concora) (%)	+10 – 25	+ 25 – 40
Productivity Gain (%)	+ 4 – 10	+ 8 to 15
Weight Reduction (%)	- 4 to 8	N/A

This is where the technology is most differentiated vs. competition, and often what is required to make the leap to a new grade.

# Case 1: Hercobond Plus HC Application in White Kraft Grades

## Overview

- **Machine:** running speed 1100~1250 m/min
- **Grades:** White kraft 90~120 g/m<sup>2</sup>, 600,000 tons/year
- **Furnish:** NBKP + LBKP + APMP, ash content: 18~22 %

## Objectives

- Increase productivity and decrease steam consumption via improving drainage
- Reduce NBKP use.

## Solenis Approach

- Adding Hercobond Plus HC in the outlet of machine chest.

## Results

- Paper ash increased by 0.5%;
- NBKP reduced by 1%;
- Steam consumption reduced by 50~60 kg/ton;
- Running speed increased by 15~30 m/min;
- Economic benefit: USD 2.0~3.0 million/year;
- CO<sub>2</sub> emission reduction: 7,000~8,000 tons/year.

# Case 2: Hercobond Plus HC Application in Testliner/Medium

## Overview

- **Machine:** running speed 1000~1200 m/min
- **Grades:** Liner and medium, 100~300 g/m<sup>2</sup>, 500,000 tons/year

## Objectives

- Increase productivity
- Improve strength

## Solenis Approach

- Hercobond Plus HC to replace amphoteric PAM, added in machine chest

## Results

- Productivity improved by 6-7%;
- New medium grade of lower basis weight developed;
- Overall cost savings: USD 3.0 million/year.



# Case 3: Hercobond Plus 555 Application in Tissue/towel

## Overview

- **Machine:** running speed 530 m/min
- **Grades:** hand towel 36 g/m<sup>2</sup>, 30,000 tons/year
- **Furnish:** 57% NBKP + 43% LBKP, WSR (wet strength resin) 40-50 kg/ton;

## Objectives

- **Minimize use of NBKP, reduce WSR**
- **Improve strength**

## Solenis Approach

- **Adding Hercobond Plus 555 at 1.0 ~ 2.5 kg/ton in outlet of machine chest**

## Results

- **NBKP could be reduced by 10~20%;**
- **Running speed increased by 10~15 m/min;**
- **WSR reduced by 5~10 kg/ton;**
- **Creping ratio decreased by 1.0~2.0%;**
- **Dusting reduced;**
- **Cost benefit: USD 15~25/ton.**

# Case 4: Hercobond Plus 555 Application in Tissue/towel

## Overview

- **Machine:** running speed 1600 m/min
- **Grades:** facial tissue 13.0~15.3 g/m<sup>2</sup>, 60,000 tons/year
- **Furnish:** 20% NBKP + 80% LBKP, WSR (wet strength resin) 20~30 kg/ton;

## Objectives

- **Minimize use of NBKP, reduce WSR**
- **Improve strength**
- **Reduce production cost**

## Solenis Approach

- **Adding Hercobond Plus 555 at ~1.0 kg/ton in outlet of machine chest**

## Results

- **NBKP reduced by 5%;**
- **WSR reduced by 3 kg/ton;**
- **Creping ratio decreased by 1.0~2.0%;**
- **Refining energy reduced from 42 to 25 kWh/t;**
- **Retention improved from 65% to 78%;**
- **Cost benefit: USD ~5/ton.**

# The Possibilities with the Hercobond Plus

- 1) Furnish substitution – Less softwood kraft and More OCC, BCTMP, or MOW, etc.
- 2) Basis weight reduction – Save fibers
- 3) Speed increase – Productivity improvement
- 4) New grade development – Higher strength and profitability
- 5) Reduced energy costs – Steam and electrical (refining)
- 6) Reduced CO<sub>2</sub> emission – Sustainability value
- 7) .....



# GPAM Generators in Operation in APAC

- ❑ 60 units running globally;
- ❑ 16 units located in APAC:
  - Indonesia – 2;
  - Australia – 1;
  - New Zealand – 1;
  - Korea – 1;
  - Thailand – 1;
  - China – 11.