

Bad Weather Doesn't Have to Mean Bad Business: Let Enzymes Help

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Agenda

- Enzymes
 - 101
 - In brewing
 - Assisting with low quality barley/malt
 - Lowering high energy costs



Enzyme 101

Active proteins

In all living organisms

- Plant
- Animal
- Microorganisms-fungal, bacterial

Specific

Works under mild conditions

Can replace/reduce chemicals

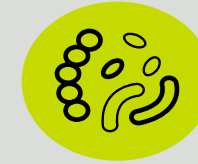


Enzymes

Are proteins

Are found in nature

Drive chemical reactions and break down complex structures



Microorganisms

Are living organisms

Have natural properties that influence processes

Are plentiful. More than 400,000 different microorganisms are already known

Sometimes the greatest answers in life are found in its smallest components

Enzymes



Microorganisms



Catalyzing processes and building up or breaking down molecules



Cleaner clothes
with less consumption of energy



Better nutrition
with less food waste

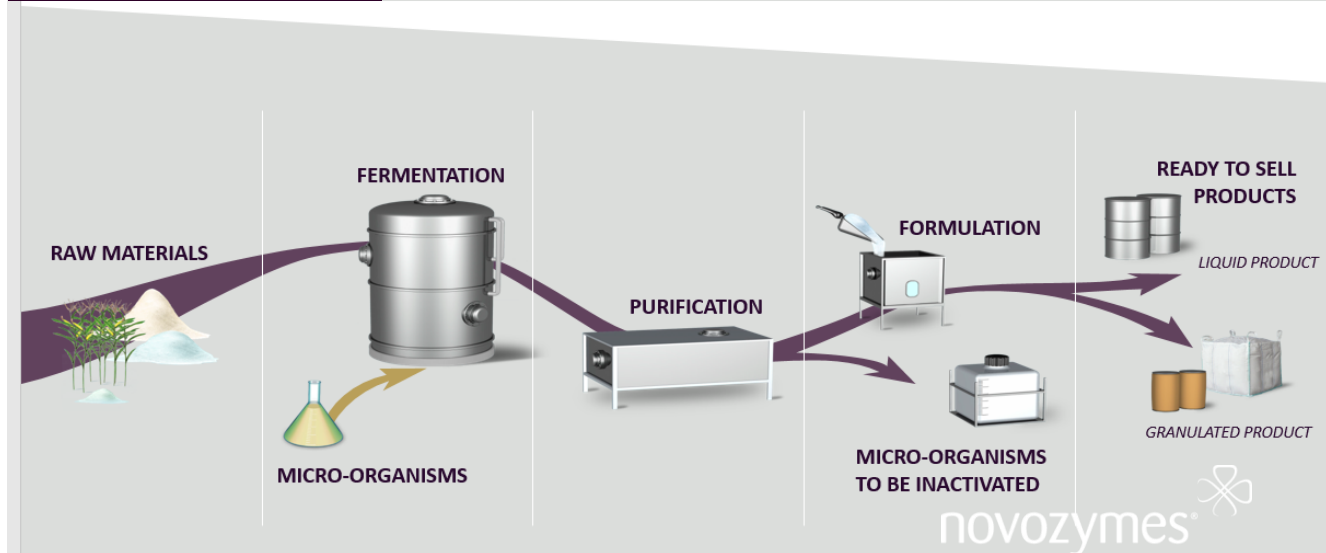


Green fuel
to reduce our dependence on oil

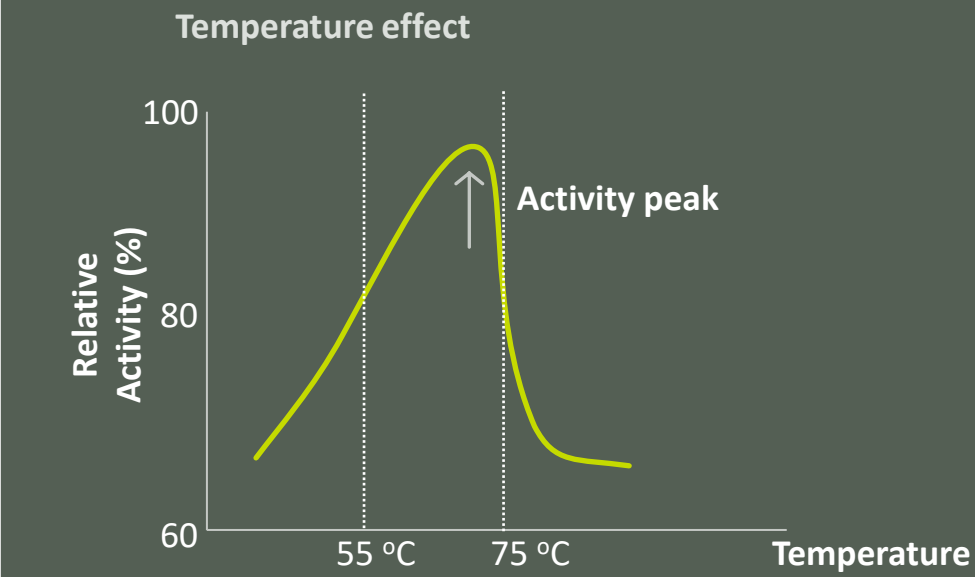
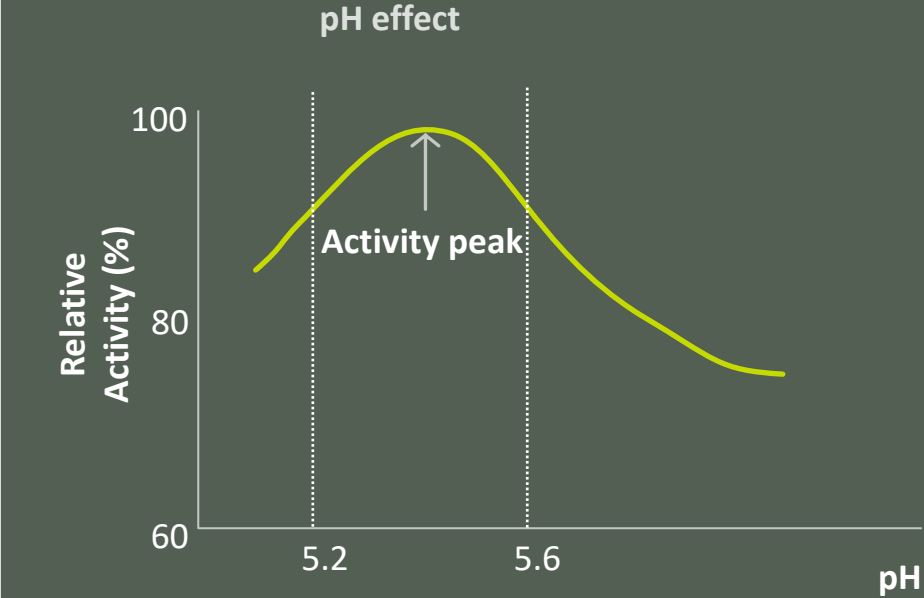
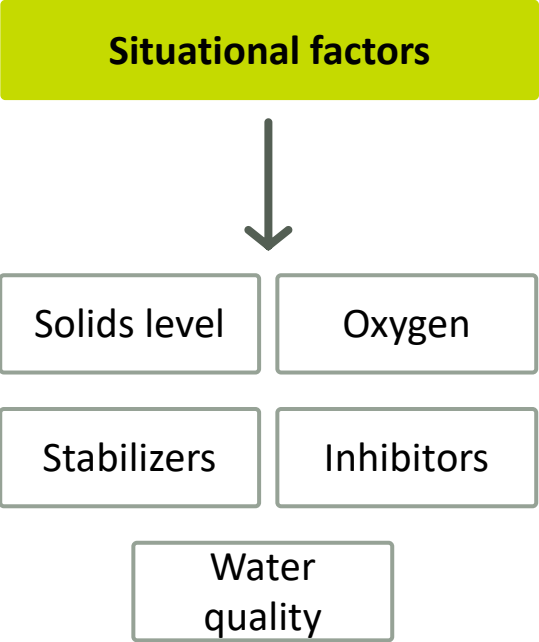
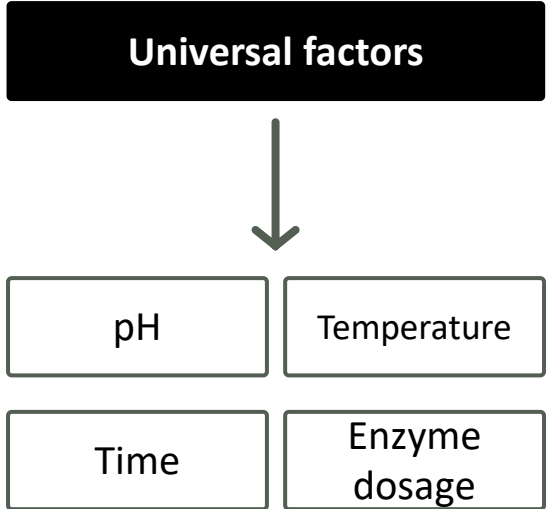


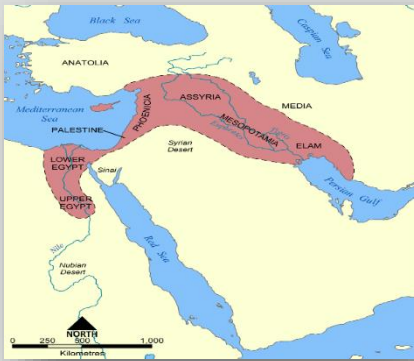
Higher yields
and fewer pesticides

We also work with other proteins, biopolymers and related technologies

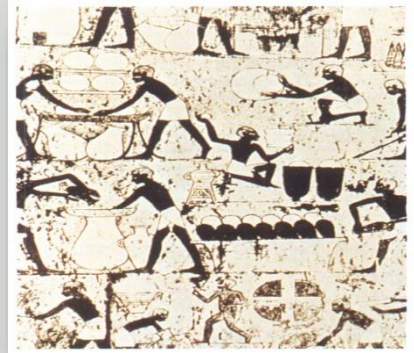


Enzymes need specific conditions to perform





~10.000 BC



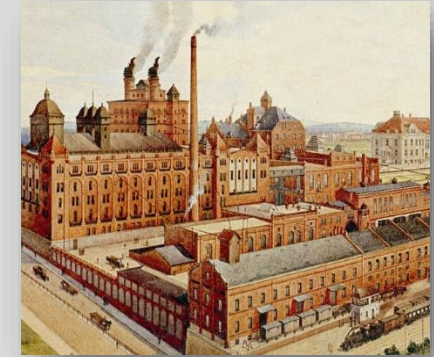
~2.000 BC



1425 AD



1516 AD



~1900 AD



Enzymes in brewing: expressed during malting needed for degradation of starch and other high molecular components

Enzymes expressed during barley malting

	T _{opt} [°C]	pH _{opt}	Substrate	Product
α-Amylase	65 – 75	5.6 – 5.8	High- and low molecular α-glucans	Oligosaccharides
β-Amylase	60 – 65	5.4 – 5.6	α-glucans	Maltose
Limit dextrinase	55 - 60	5.1	Limit dextrans	Dextrins
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	T _{opt} [°C]	pH _{opt}	Substrate	Product
Endopeptidase	45 – 50	3.9 – 5.5	Proteins	Peptides, free AS
Carboxypeptidase	50	4.8 – 5.6	Proteins, Peptides	Free AS
Aminopeptidase	45	7.0 – 7.2	Proteins, Peptides	Free AS
Dipeptidase	45	8.8	Dipeptides	Free AS

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β-Glucan Solubilase	62 – 65	6.8	Matrix bound β-Glucan	Soluable high molecular β-Glucan
Endo-1,3- β-Glucanase	<60	4.6	Soluable high molecular β-Glucan	Low molecular β-Glucan
Endo-1,4- β-Glucanase	40 – 45	4.5 – 4.8	Soluable high molecular β-Glucan	Low molecular β-Glucan
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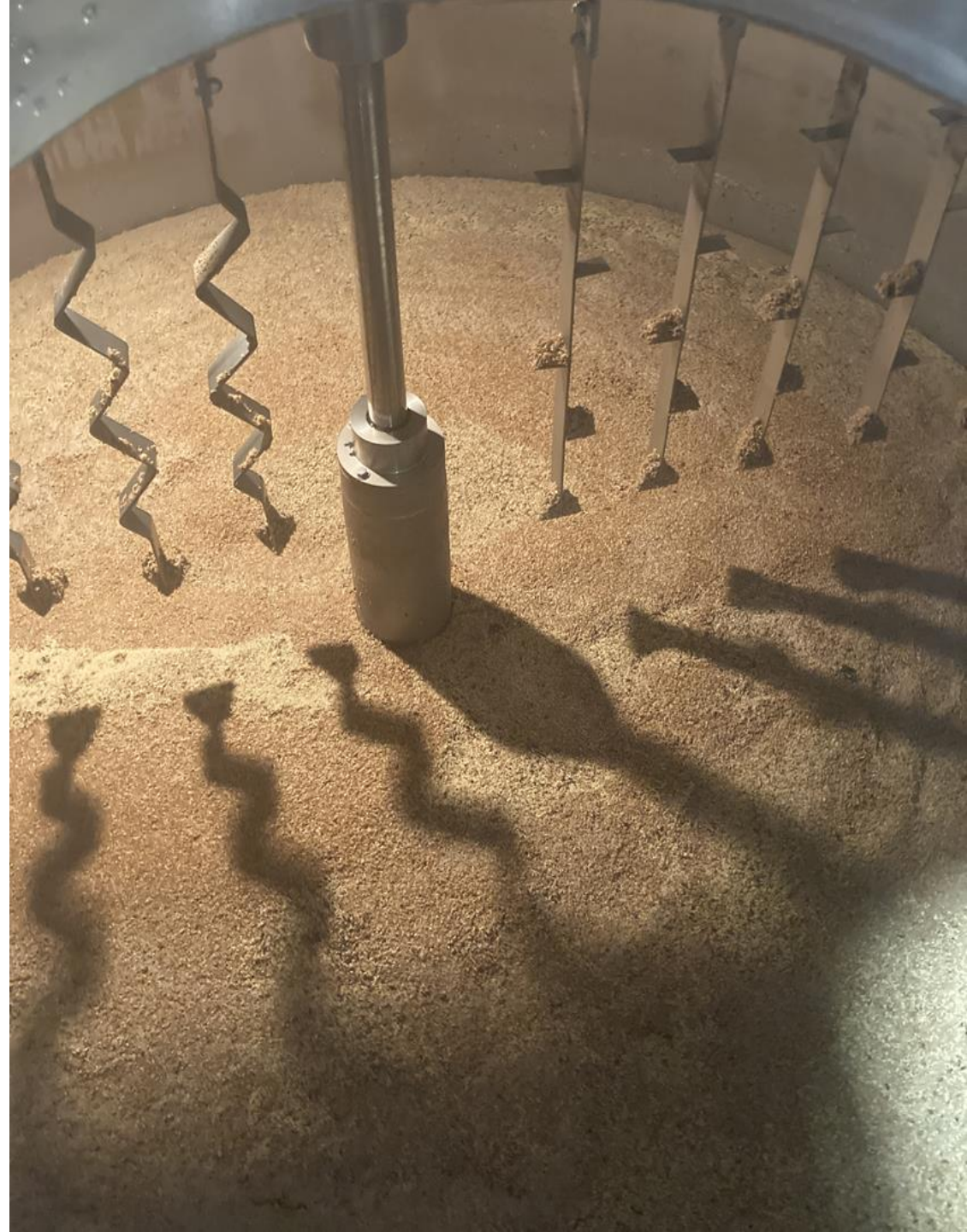


Goal of mashing

Solubilize key malt/adjunct constituents (sugars, starch, amino acids, peptides, protein)

Hydrolyze high molecular components into fermentable molecules (starch, sugars; protein, peptides → amino acids)

- *Malt delivers both the substrate (i.e. starch, protein) and the enzymes (catalyst) transforming it into components fermentable by brewing yeast*
- *Applying the right biochemical and physical conditions (pH, temperature, water: grist ratio, content of ions etc.) in order to maximally utilize the malt-enzyme potential and substrate availability (i.e. solubilizing, gelatinization)*



Mashing with exogenous enzymes

Process efficiency

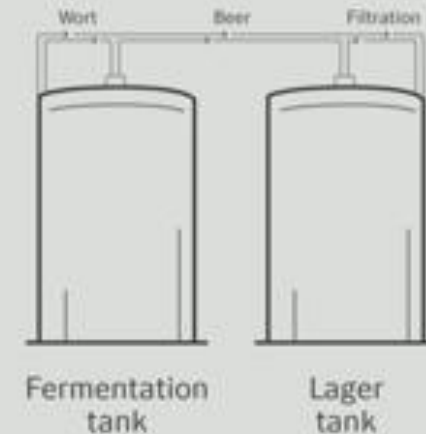
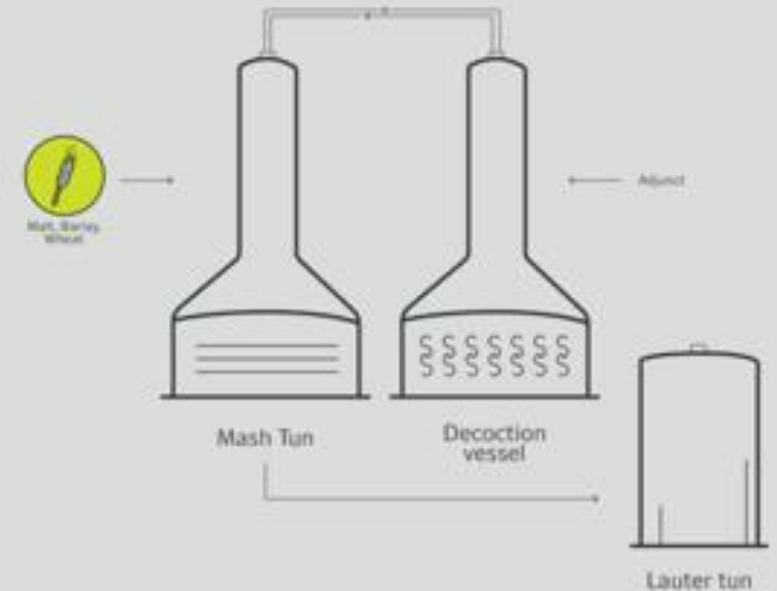
- Improved planning reliability
- Reduced losses
- Increased flexibility on raw material (type, quality)

Space to innovate

- Use of untraditional raw materials
- Enhance/reduce concentration of present beer components

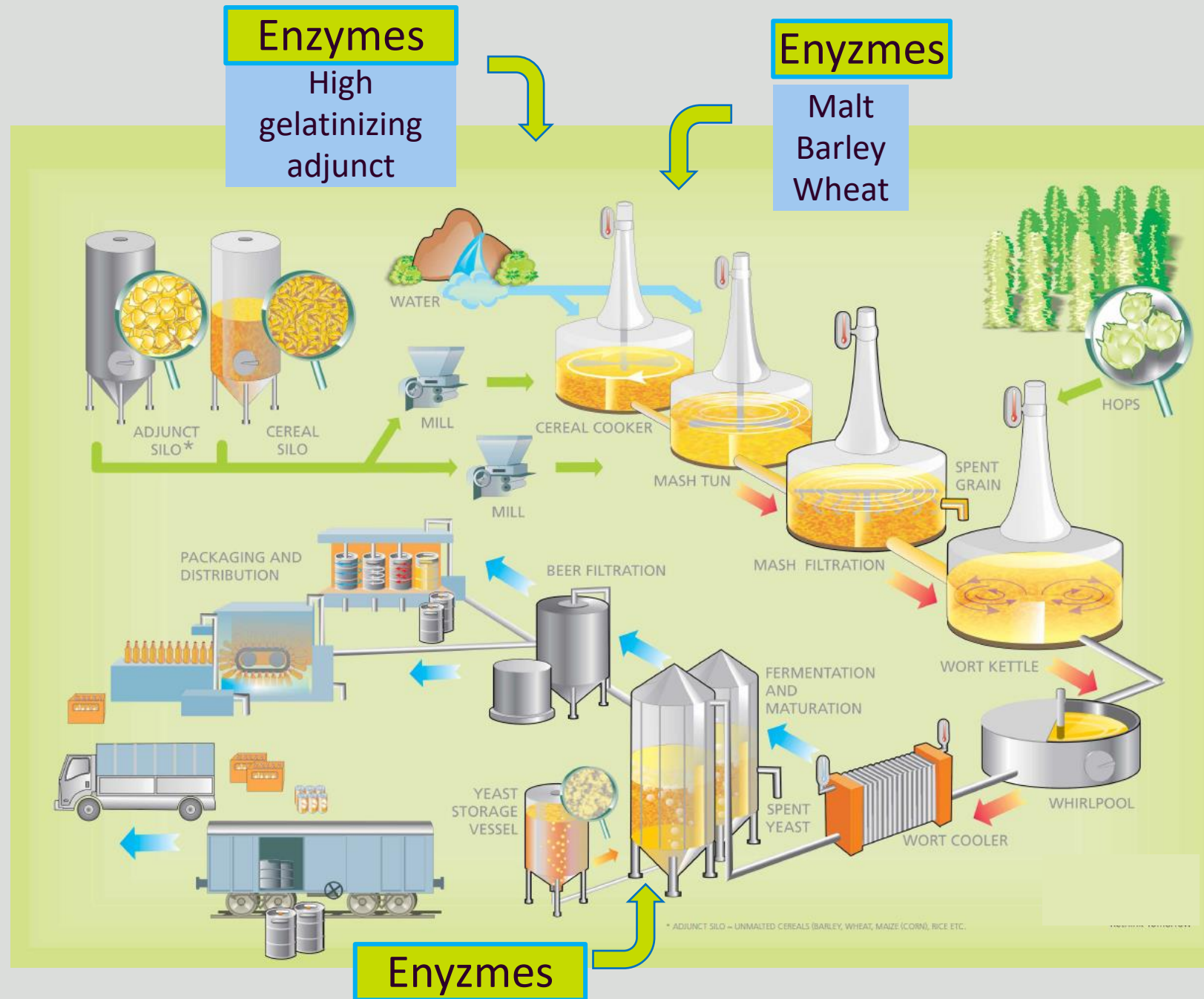
Improve sustainability

- Reduced water, energy consumption and CO₂ emission
- Usage of locally grown raw material



Most brewing enzymes are added into

**MASH VESSEL/
CEREAL COOKER**
at the beginning of
the process.



Enzymes assisting with low quality barley/malt

-5%* vs. 2017, leading to higher protein content



Throughput



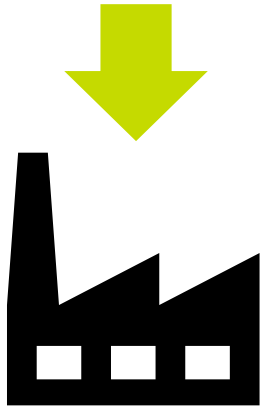
Beer Haze



Material Costs

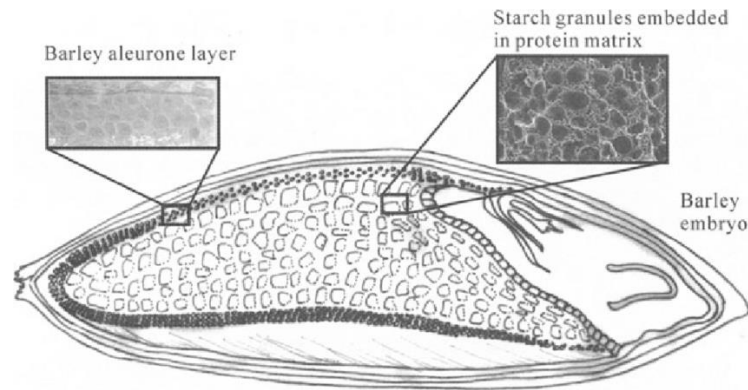
The weather impact on brewing & impact on raw material quality

Barley

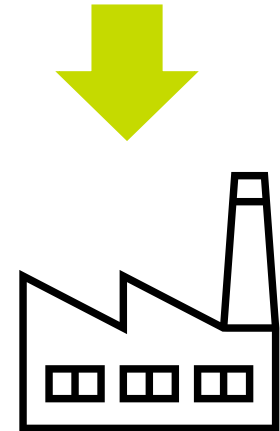


Harder to malt
Increased extract losses

High Protein contents

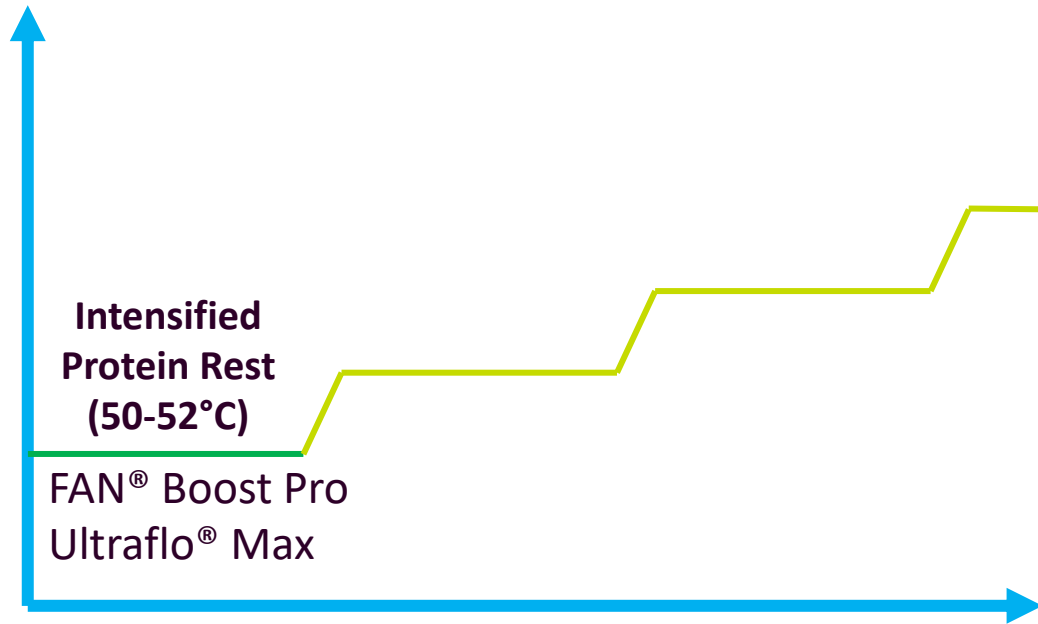


Malt



Less extract / ton of grist
Potential filtration issues
Haze and turbidity risk

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Malt



High Protein contents

Impact: Filtration / Haze Issues due to poor breakdown of proteins

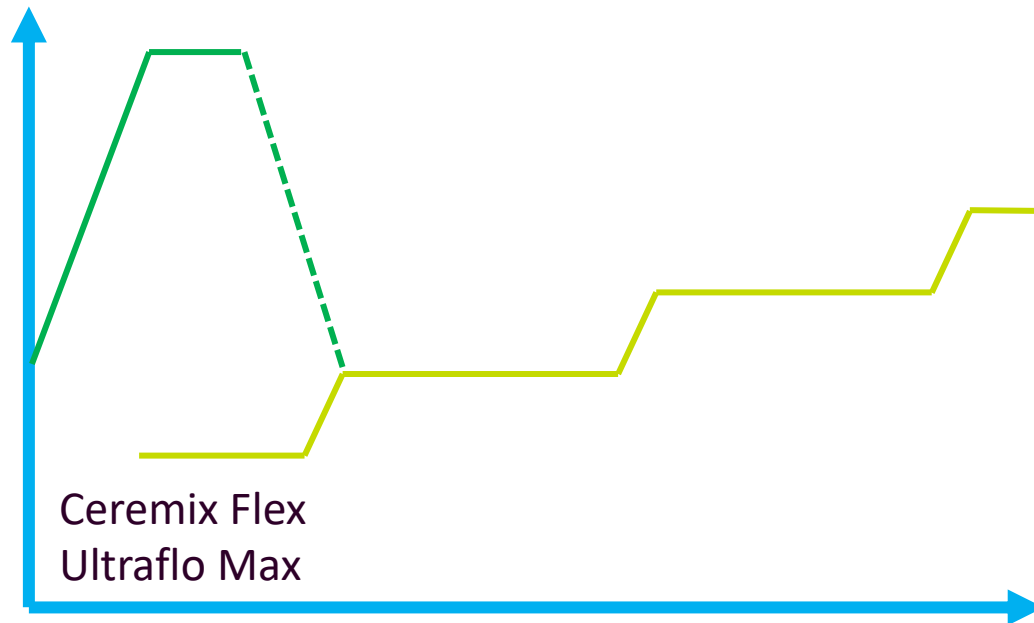
Solution:

Integrate additional protein rest. Allow time for endogenous proteases to act.

Optimise with FAN® Boost Pro to maintain capacity and prevent gel formation.

Optimising the Ultraflo® or Ceremix® applications will aid in improving filtration by reducing other carbohydrates.

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More Extract = Less starch
Impact: lower yields due to less starch content per kernel

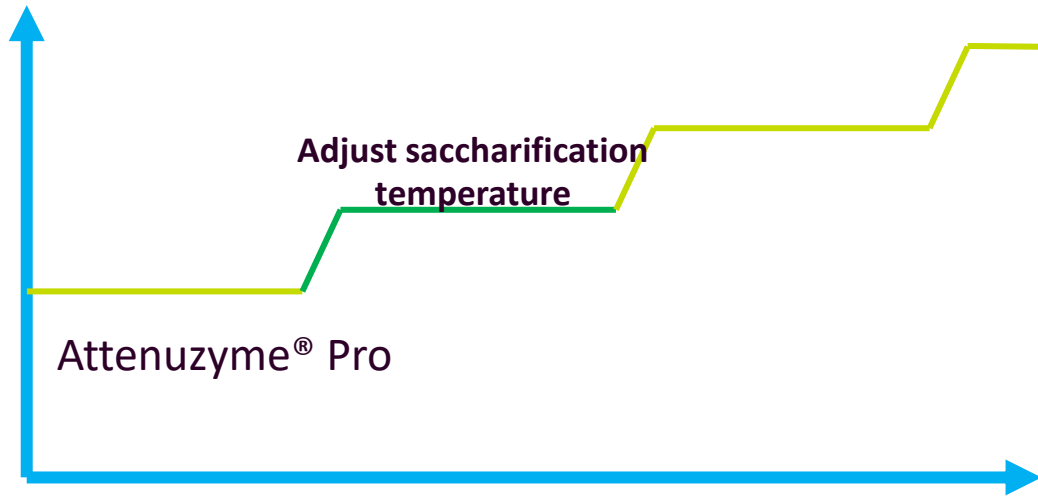
Solution:

Optimise Ceremix Flex to ensure effective, maximum degradation of starch in the mash-tun.

If Termamyl (Ceremix Flex) only added to Cereal Cooker review whether necessary to add into the mash-tun (-> transfer-temperature).

(Addition of Ultraflo Max has shown an overall increase in extract yield due to lower viscosity)

Cont'



Raw material

Barley Barley malt Wheat Maize/corn Rice Sorghum Cassava

Gelatinization temperature (°C)

60-65 61-65 55-65 64-82 68-84 68-75 64-76

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Small Kernels

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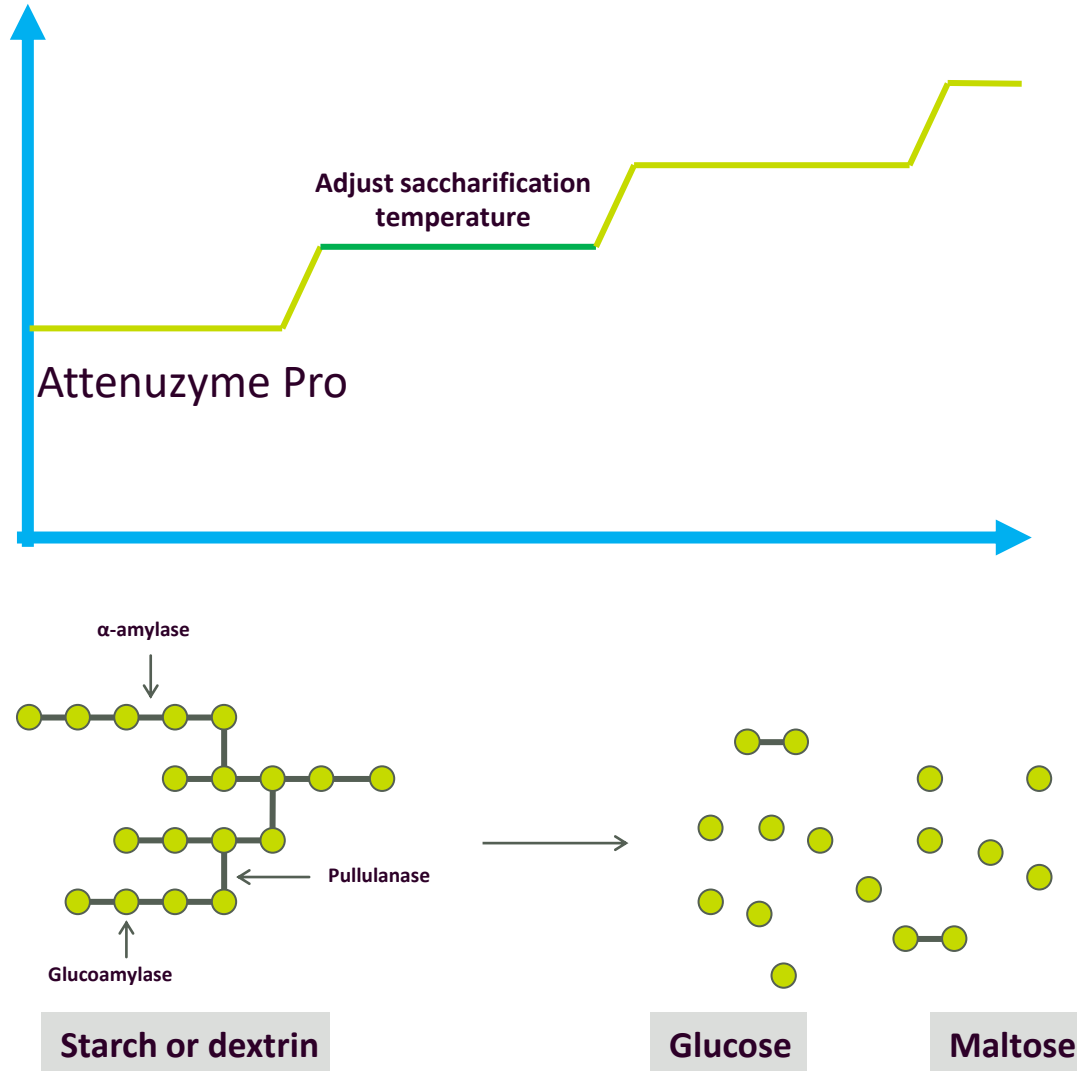
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Pullulanase in Attenuzyme Pro will breakdown the alpha 1-6 linkage additionally increasing the RDF and yields.

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Summary: Enzymes assisting with low quality barley/malt

High Protein Content

Impact: Filtration / Haze Issues due to poor breakdown of proteins

Less starch

Impact: lower yields due to less starch content per kernel

Small kernels (grain size)

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Enzymes lowering high energy costs

Brewing enzymes in a market with elevated prices and uncertainty



Global malting barley prices has been trending upwards for some time and world barley stocks are at the lowest level in almost 40 years.



Increasing energy prices impacts the entire value chain: maltsters, breweries, packaging, logistics.



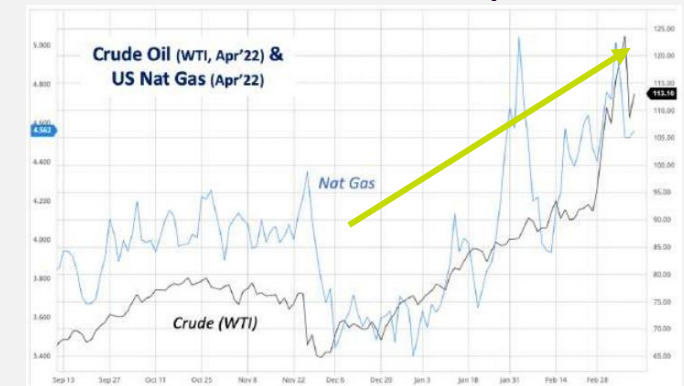
Enzymes can create even more value for the breweries:

- In a market with elevated raw material price market and uncertainty around availability and quality
- In a market with rising utility prices

Global Malting Barley Prices (USD/mt)



Crude Oil and US Natural Gas price



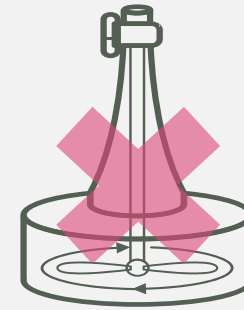
Save time and energy with Ceremix® Flex

Process high gelatinizing raw materials in an infusion process

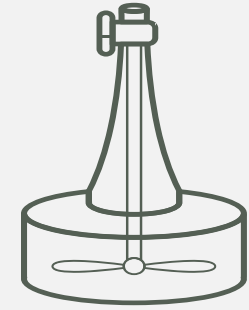


Ceremix® Flex

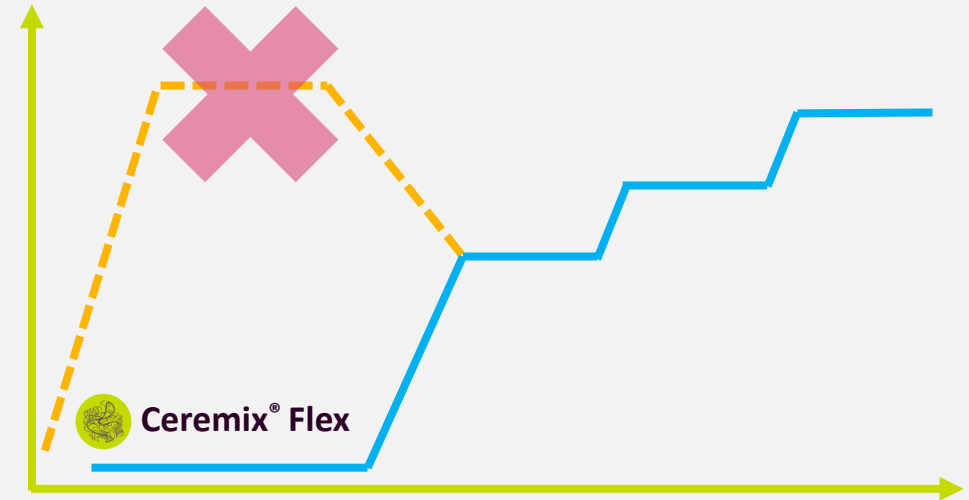
Enables processing of high gelatinizing raw material in an infusion process avoiding the boiling step



Cereal Cooker



Mash Tun



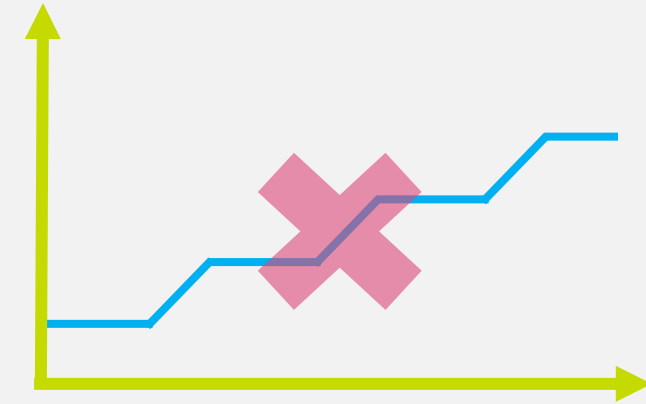
Simplify your mashing process

From step mashing to iso-thermal mashing?



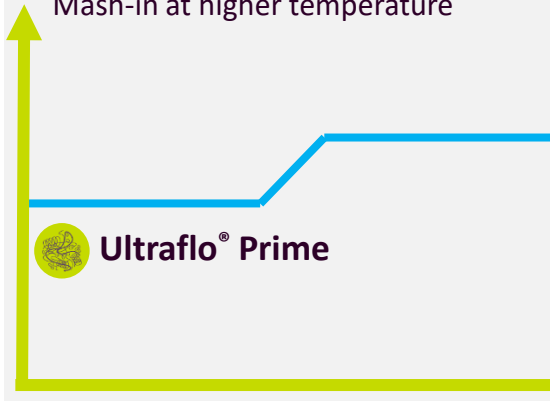
Ultraflo[®] Prime
Ceremix[®] Flex

Enables high-temperature mashing



Today's Mashing Regime

Simplified mashing:
Mash-in at higher temperature



Isothermal mashing:
Above gelatinization temperature



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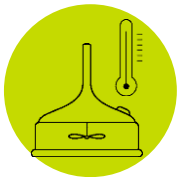
Studies confirms the benefits of high temperature mashing



A simplified mashing regime can have a significantly positive impact on the energy balance and water consumption.



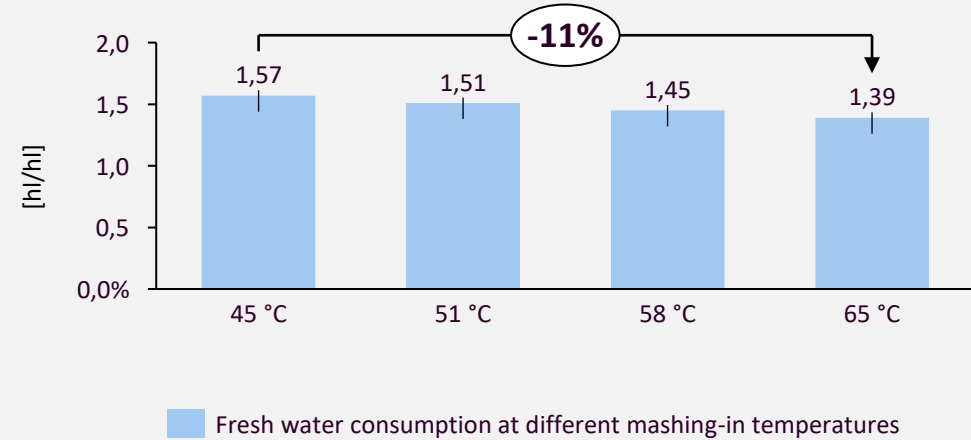
Higher temperature = less fresh cold water consumption, less steam heating, and less surplus hot water consumption.*



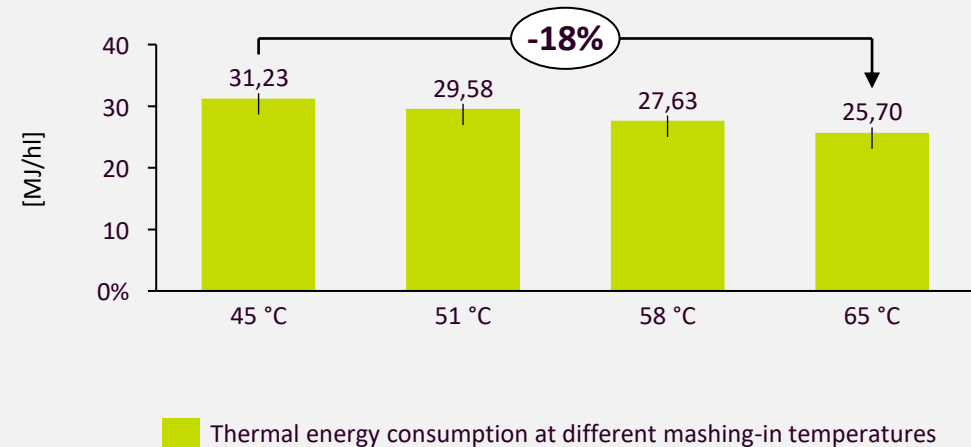
Brewers now have greater flexibility when choosing the mashing-in temperature.

Sources: *Brauwelt International 4-2014 / 20.08.2014 / Topics: Filling, Water / Author: Jaap Risselada

Fresh water consumption*

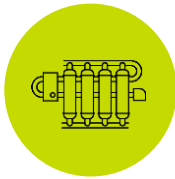


Thermal energy (steam) consumption*



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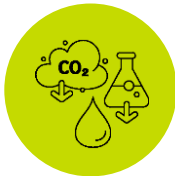
Case study: Faster Beer filtration can reduce water and energy usage by nearly 10%



Superior beer filtration performance with as much as **12%** higher throughput.



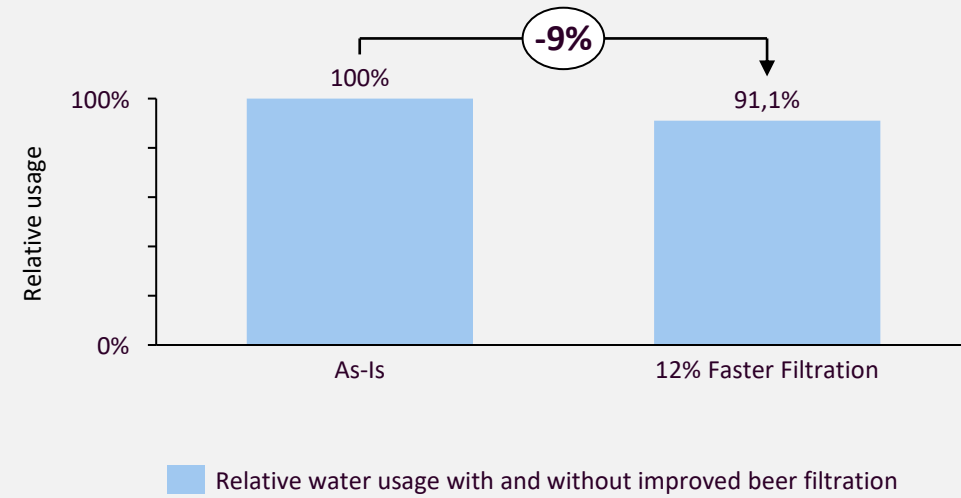
Faster filtration at same Kieselguhr consumption = more volume per cycle = improved water and energy usage.



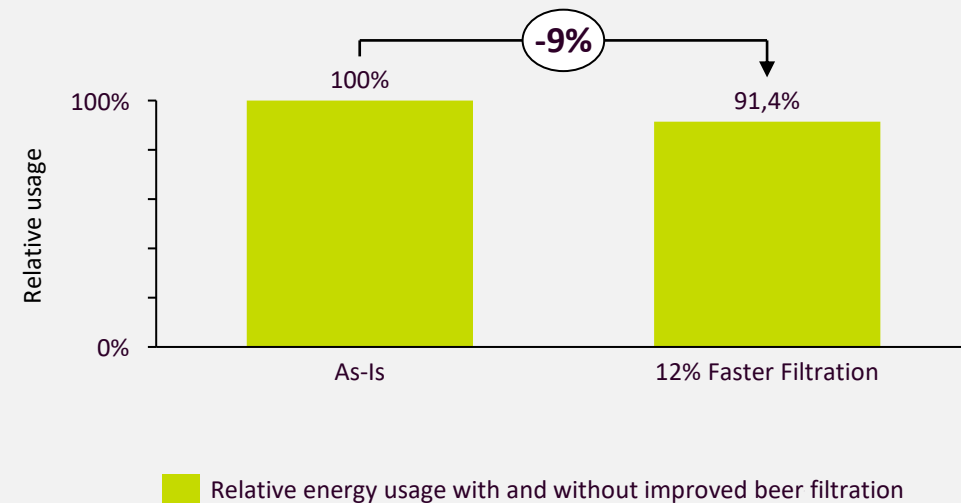
Water usage and energy consumption in the beer filtration step is reduced as much as **9%** by faster filtration.*

* Based on internal Novozymes data

Water usage*



Energy usage*



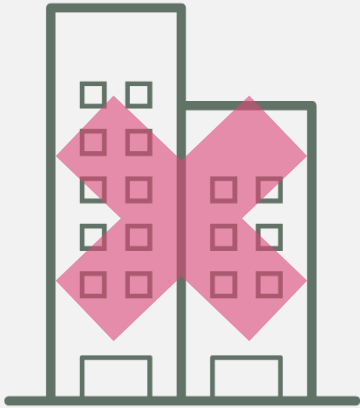
Avoid energy intense malting with Onda[®] Pro

Lower the energy requirements of the brewing process by increasing the amount of barley in your beers



Onda[®] Pro

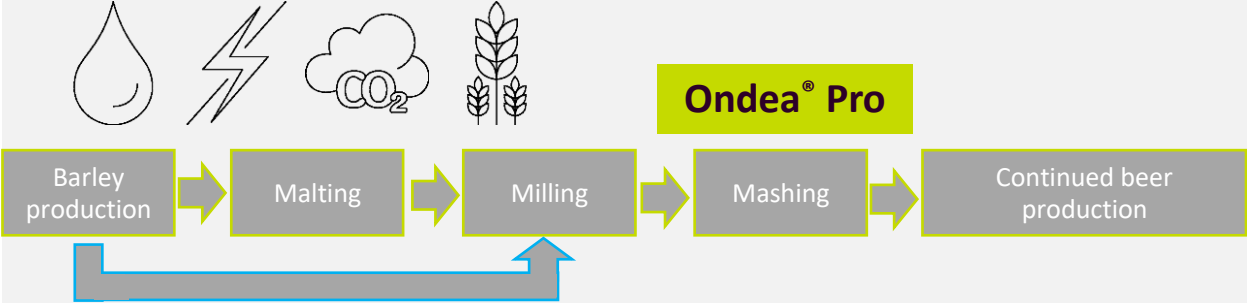
Enables brewing with barley and thereby avoiding the malting process



Malthouse



Brewery



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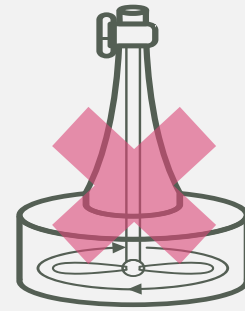
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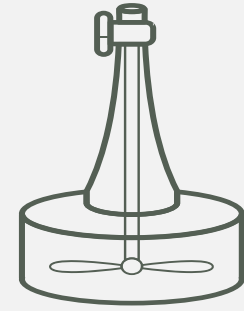


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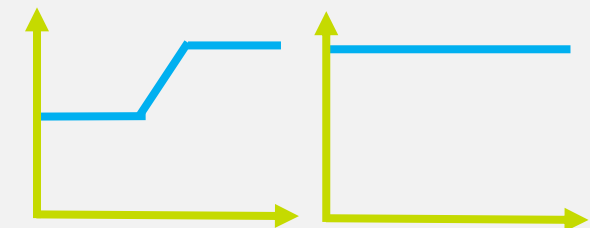
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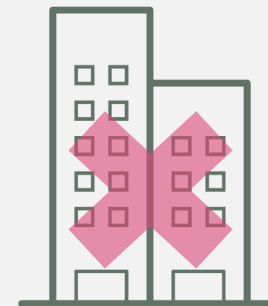
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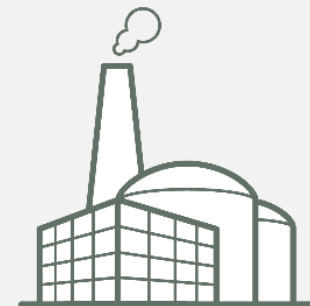
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