



## Matrix technology:

The new generation vitamin K2 in powder form



# vitaMK7<sup>®</sup> Matrix technology

Vitamin K2 market is growing rapidly and brand-owners need to adpat to evolving consumer needs.

- Matrix technology has been developed to ease formulation with other nutrients, especially minerals
- Matrix technology is also a solution for formulation in Functional Food & Beverage, such as Dairy, and specific formats such as Sachets, Gummies or Chewable

## why Matrix?

- Carrier organized as a matrix to embed the particles of vitamin K2 MK-7
- Natural protection of vitamin K2 MK-7: No coating, no additive, no additional ingredient
- Gnosis by Lesaffre innovative & proprietary technology

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

**4** main benefits

Improved homogeneity and handling properties of the powder

### STABILITY

Facilitated and improved **stability in formulation** (esp. with minerals)

> **B** DISPERSIBILITY Improved dispersibility into liquid



**COMPOSITION** Short and **unchanged list of ingredients** and no additives

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## Focus on stability in formulation and liquid dispersion

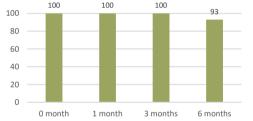
vitaMK7<sup>®</sup> Matrix is achieving best-in-class stability in formulation in tablets with minerals, also facilitating manufacturing under harsh conditions.



#### Stability of vitaMK7<sup>®</sup> Matrix in formulation with minerals



Tablet with vitamin K2 and CaCO₃



#### Accelerated test at 40°C, Assay as a % of label claim

Tablet formulation with **Magnesium oxide** 



Tablet with vitamin K2 and MgO

Liquid Dispersion

Thanks to Matrix technology, vitaMK7<sup>®</sup> is highly dispersible into liquid, with an homogeneous opaque dispersion and no aggregate.



vitaMK7<sup>®</sup> Matrix in Maltodextrin

# vitaMK2

#### About vitaMK7®

vitaMK7<sup>®</sup> is the optimal vitamin K2 from natural biotransformation: a naturally derived, allergen-free vitamin K2 in the form of MK-7, produced by Gnosis by Lesaffre in its own European manufacturing site through a patented biofermentation process of *Bacillus subtilis* natto.

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