# Production digitale par impression jet d'encre des aliments de demain: *défis et opportunités*

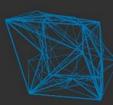
#### InnoFood & co – Cluster Food & Nutrition – 14 juin 2022

Yoshinori Domae Director of Technology & Innovation Yoshinori.Domae@hefr.ch +41 26 429 69 03 Dr. Gioele Balestra Director of Research & Education Gioele.Balestra@hefr.ch +41 76 419 09 88

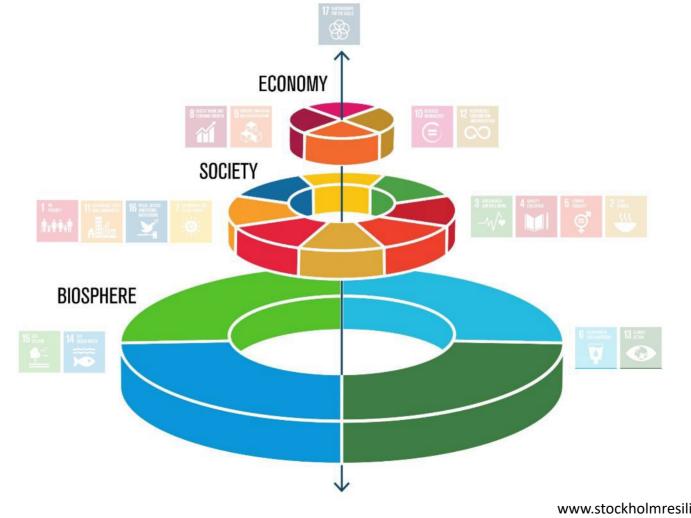
inspire. challenge. create.



laute école d'ingénierie et d'architecture Fribourg lochschule für Technik und Architektur Freiburg



### Can we inkjet print a more sustainable cake?





www.stockholmresilience.org

### Who would be ready to eat digitally printed food?



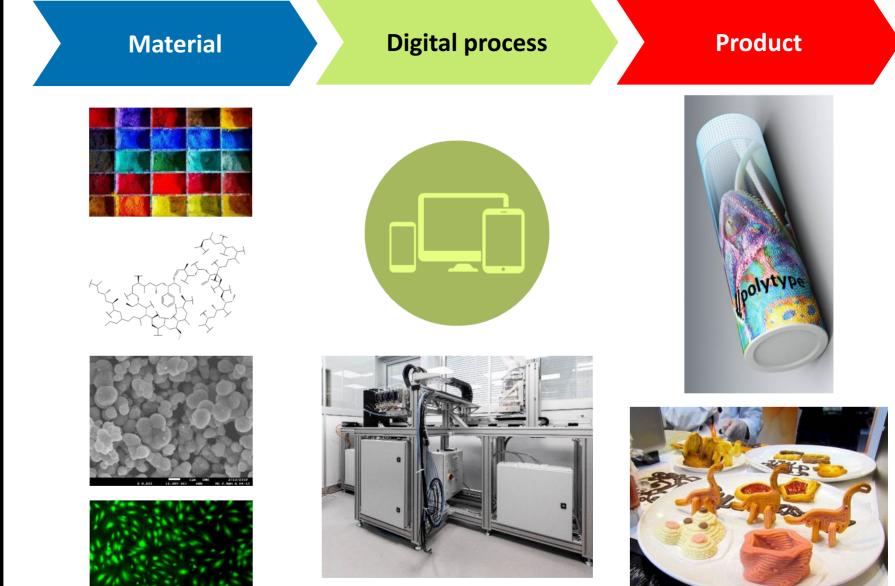
# Digital production



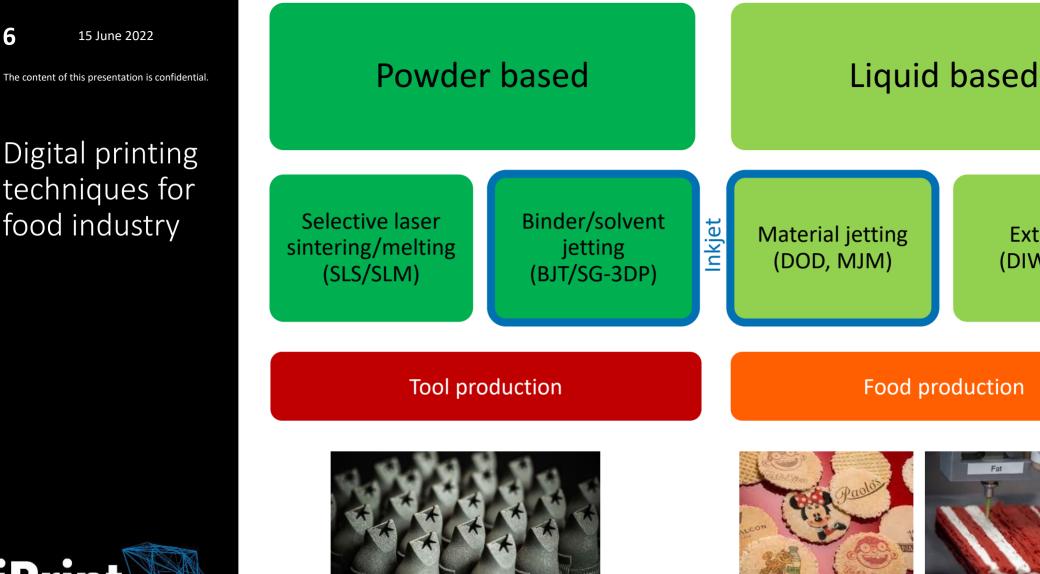
# Digital production



inspire. challenge. create.



fabbaloo.com



xlogic.it

thebeet.com

Extrusion

(DIW, FDM)

6

Digital printing techniques for food industry

iPrint

inspire. challenge. create.

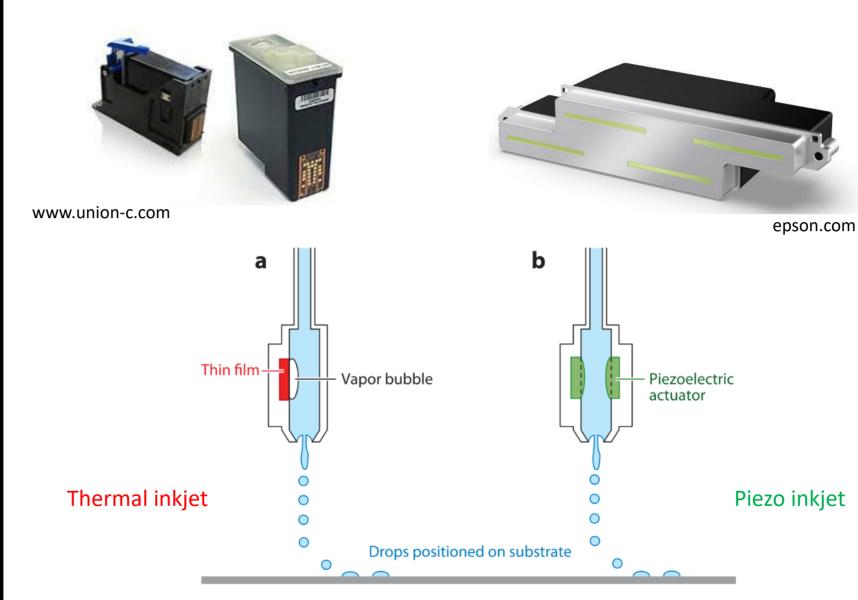
dti.dk



#### Inkjet printing



inspire. challenge. create.



Derby (2010)

# Why inkjet printing?



inspire. challenge. create.

#### Non-contact process

✓ Print on 2D – 3D objects
 ✓ Print out 2.5D – 3D objects
 → Shift from print to produce

#### On demand & multi-material

✓ Change design whenever you want
 ✓ Combine different materials
 → Mass customization

## 

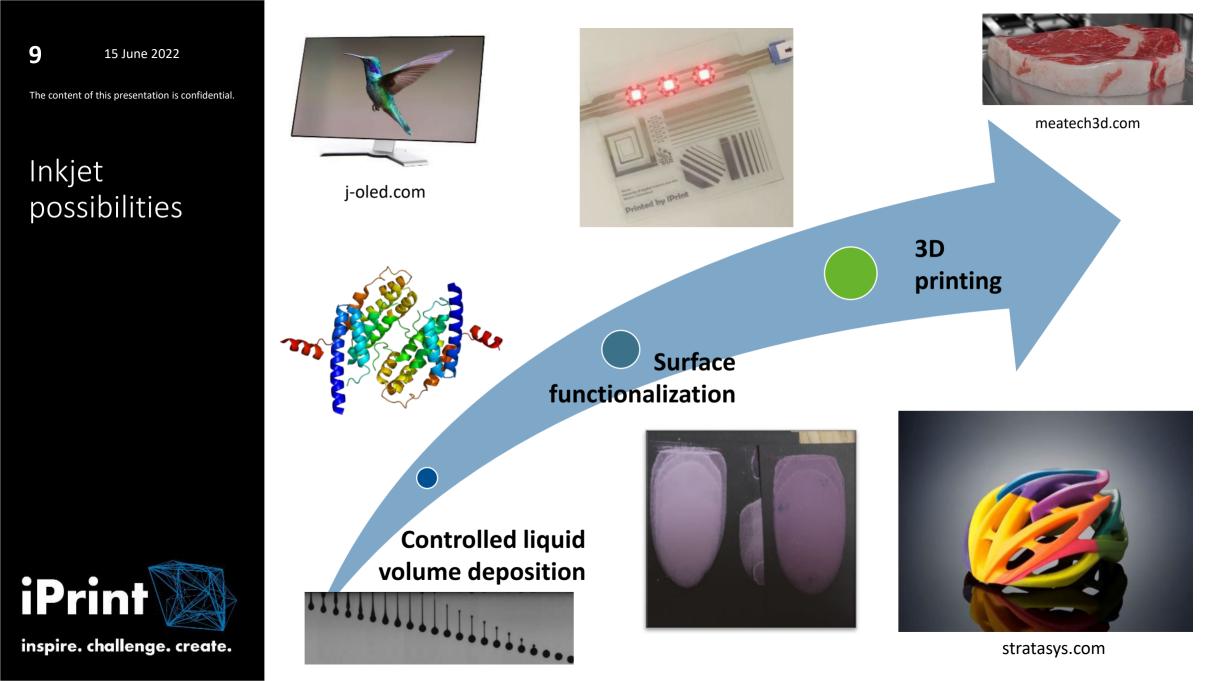


### High definition and productive

- ✓ Photographic quality
  ✓ High speed (e.g. 100 m/min)
- $\rightarrow$  High-value production of the future

40x40x25cm

https://japan.mimaki.com/special/3d\_print /gallery.html



#### Opportunities



inspire. challenge. create.

#### Material

#### **Digital process**

#### Product

- Minimal quantities
- Food substitutes
- Specific
- Circular economy
- Local

- On demand
- On site
- Less waste
- Multi-process
- Multi-material
- Mass customization
- More efficient
- Industry 4.0

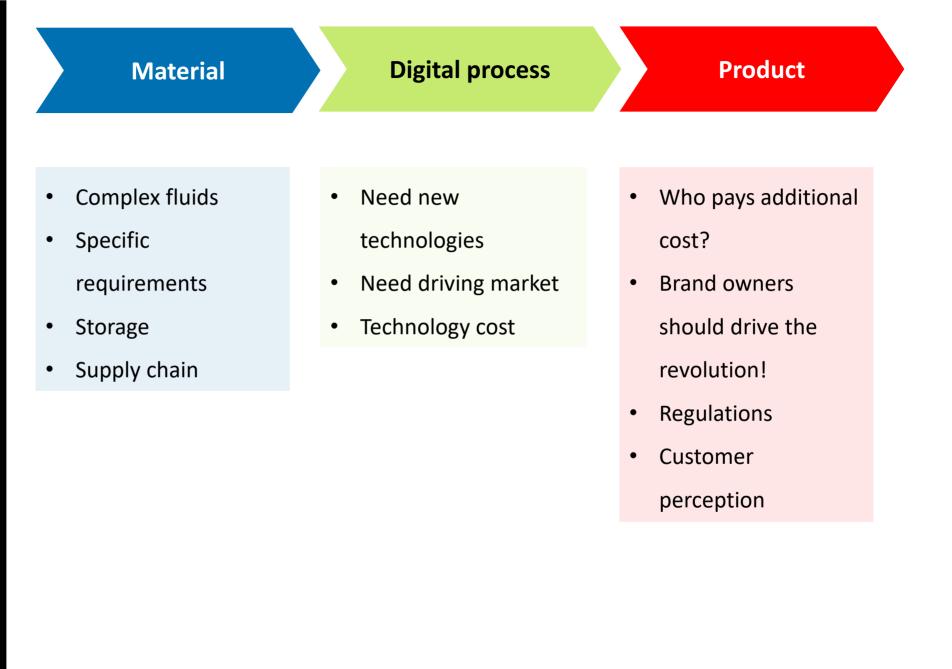
- Personalized
- New possibilities
- Healthier
- Better performance
- Added value
- Direct-to-shape
- Identification
- New business opportunities (digital)



#### Challenges

**iP**rint

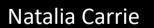
inspire. challenge. create.



# Examples



#### Chocolate printing





inspire. challenge. create.

#### Material



#### **Product**









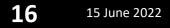




maisonamarella.ch



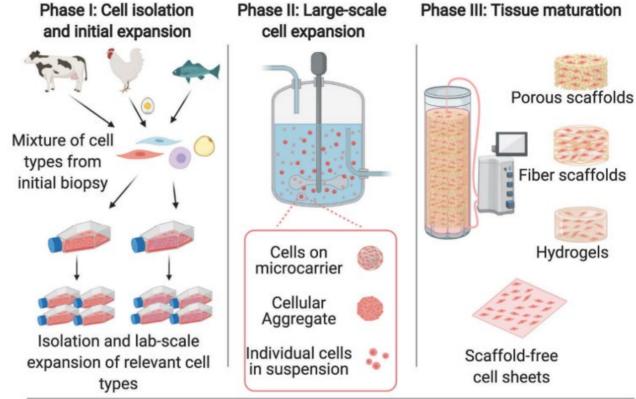


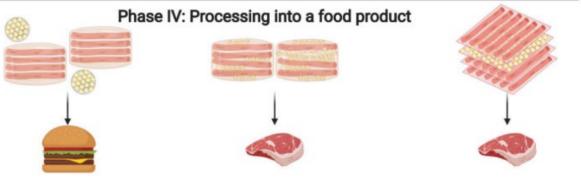


#### Cultured meat



inspire. challenge. create.





Bomkamp et al. (2021)

Phase III: Tissue maturation

Fiber scaffolds

Hydrogels



#### Cultured meat (MeaTech)



inspire. challenge. create.

#### Material

#### **Digital process**

#### Product



#### meatech3d.com

### And now, who would be ready to eat digitally printed food?



**19** 15 June 2022

The content of this presentation is confidential.

#### Packaging



inspire. challenge. create.

#### Decoration

<image>

kurz-graphics.com

#### Texturization



cmaimaging.com

#### Functionalization



Direct printed packaging



3dnatives.com

fujiko.jp

# iPrint – HEIA-FR – HES-SO

#### What is iPrint?



**INSTITUTE & COMPETENCE CENTER FOR INKJET TECHNOLOGY** 

7 professors 32 engineers 2 admin

Mechatronics Electronics Mechanics Material science Fluid mechanics Physics Chemistry Biology



inspire. challenge. create.

#### Where is iPrint?

iPrint



What do we do?



inspire. challenge. create.

#### **INKJET-BASED DIGITAL PRODUCTION: FROM MATERIALS TO PRODUCTS**

Innovative	Applied	Technology	Education
technologies	research	transfer	
Develop new technologies enabling the revolution in tomorrow's digital production	<ul> <li>Develop and</li> <li>optimize inkjet-</li> <li>based digital</li> <li>printing processes</li> <li>in the domains:</li> <li>Printing for</li> <li>electronics</li> <li>Graphical printing</li> <li>Biomedical</li> <li>printing</li> <li>Advanced</li> <li>manufacturing</li> </ul>	Foster the technology transfer for digital printing processes	Educate specialists in inkjet-related core competences with a highly interdisciplinary understanding

### Inkjet ecosystem

What can the **inkjet ecosystem** offer you ?

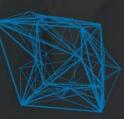
- > Accessibility to high level inkjet-oriented resources
- > Accessibility to necessary equipment and measurement devices
- Laboratory and office spaces
- Support in your developments of new technologies, products or processes
- > Strong network of equipment and material suppliers, as well as application partners

Why not joining iPrint in the Marly Innovation Center, Switzerland, and cocreate the future of digital production by inkjet?



# Thank you

Dr. Gioele Balestra Director of Research & Education Gioele.Balestra@hefr.ch +41 76 419 09 88



info@iprint.center

linkedin.com/company/iprint-ch



Hes.so Haute Ecole Spécialisée de Suisse occidentale Fachhochschule Westschweiz

Haute école d'ingénierie et d'architecture Fribourg Hochschule für Technik und Architektur Freiburg

iprint.center

in

M