

# Lyofast MW 036 Q

## Technical Data Sheet

### General information

#### Description

Lyofast MW 036 Q is a freeze-dried culture; it consists of undefined strains of *Lactococcus lactis* ssp. *cremoris*, *Lactococcus lactis* ssp. *lactis* and *Lactococcus lactis* ssp. *lactis* biovar *diacetylactis*, and selected strains of *Leuconostoc mesenteroides* and *Leuconostoc pseudomesenteroides*.  
 Lyofast MW 036 Q ensures a uniform and controlled production of fermented milk, fresh cheese, soft cheese, and semi-hard cheese.  
 Lyofast MW 036 Q has slow citrate fermentation at 32 °C (89.6 °F).

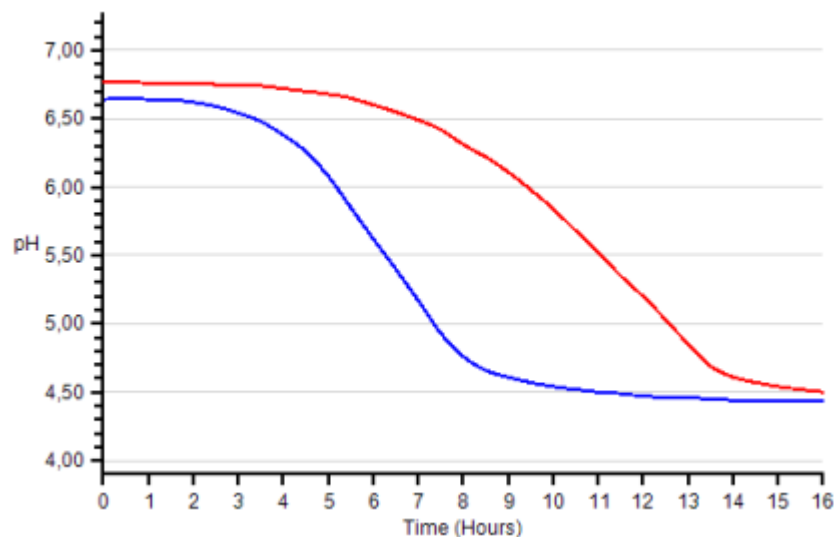
#### Application

Please note that the content of each pouch is intended for single use only. Specifically, culture performance cannot be guaranteed if the blended culture is divided and used in smaller portions. Furthermore, we suggest the entire culture is added directly into the process substrate, under aseptic conditions, and it is ensured the culture is well dispersed by gentle stirring.  
 The following may be used as inoculation guidelines:

Product	UC / 100 L	Product	UC / 100 L
Fresh cheese	0.5-2.0	Soft cheese	0.7-2.0
Semi-hard cheese	1.0-4.0	Fermented milk	0.5-2.0

#### Culture Information

Standardized laboratory acidification tests performed in 9% reconstituted skim milk, heat-treated at 90 °C (194 °F) for 20 minutes.  
 Standard QC acidification release performed with 1 UC / 100 L milk at 32 °C (89.6 °F) in 6.5 hours: pH 5.40 ± 0.15.  
 The red line represents the acidification profile at 22 °C (71.6 °F).



## Technical Information

Data are obtained under standardised laboratory conditions, and consequently, should be considered as guidelines.

Trait	Result
Optimal temperature for growth	25-35 °C (77-95 °F)
Scalding temperature	Max. 39 °C (102.2 °F)
Acidification capability	pH 4.30

## Microbiological specifications

Assay	Result	Method (Reference)
<i>Bacillus cereus</i>	< 100 CFU/g	M10 (ISO 7932)
Coagulase positive staphylococci*	< 10 CFU/g	M11 (ISO 6888-1-2)
Enterobacteriaceae	< 10 CFU/g	M02 (ISO 21528-1-2-3)
<i>Escherichia coli</i>	< 1 CFU/g	M27 (ISO 11866-1-2/IDF 170)
<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> *	Not detected in 25 g	M13 (ISO 11290-1-2)
Yeast and mould	< 10 CFU/g	M03 (ISO 6611/IDF 94)
<i>Salmonella</i> spp.*	Not detected in 25 g	M12 (ISO 6785/IDF 93)

\* Analysed on regular basis. Analytical methods are available upon request.

## Safety information

### Heavy metal analysis

Heavy metal*	Amount (ppm)
Lead (Pb)	< 1
Mercury (Hg)	< 0.03
Cadmium (Cd)	< 0.1

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### Safety sheet

This product is not hazardous; therefore provision of a Safety Data Sheet (SDS) is not mandatory (REACH Art. 31). A Safety Information Data Sheet has been made as a voluntary presentation of certain information that may assist the user in the handling. The safety information is available upon request.

### GMO status

Sacco organisms are not genetically modified (GMO), in accordance to the European Directive 2001/18/EC.

This product does not require labelling with regard to the use of GMO, in accordance to Regulation (EC) No. 1829/2003, and Regulation (EC) No. 1830/2003.

### Allergens

The raw materials used are free of the following components and their products thereof: cereals containing gluten, crustaceans, eggs, fish, peanuts, soybeans, nuts, celery, mustard, sesame seeds, sulphur dioxide and sulphite, lupin and molluscs.

**This product contains MILK.**

The list of allergens is in compliance with Regulation (EC) 1169/2011.

### BSE/TSE status

This product is considered safe with respect to bovine spongiform encephalopathy (BSE) or transmissible spongiform encephalopathies (TSEs) transmissions in accordance to Regulation EMA 410/01 rev. 3.

## Other information

### Colorants

This product does not contain added colorants, in accordance to Regulation (EC) 1333/2008.

### **Packaging information**

The freeze-dried culture is packaged inside waterproof and airproof pouches, consisting of three layers (in order, going inwards): polyester, aluminium, and polyethylene. The packaging material used is food grade.

### **Storage and shelf-life**

Cultures should be preferably stored, at -18 °C (-0.4 °F), or below. Under these conditions and in the original sealed package, the shelf-life of the product is 18 months.

### **Certificate of analysis**

Lot's certificate of analysis is available upon request.

### **Certifications**

#### **General**

Sacco S.r.l. is ISO 22000 and FSSC 22000 certified since 2014. Certificates are available in the web site [www.saccosystem.com](http://www.saccosystem.com).

#### **Kosher**

Sacco cultures are generally Kosher approved. Please consult Certificates that are available in the web site [www.saccosystem.com](http://www.saccosystem.com).

#### **Halal**

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### **Service and technical support**

This product complies the Russian GOST 34372-2017 standard. Please contact your distributor for guidance and instructions for your choice of culture and processing. Information about additional package sizes and sales units is also available upon request.

### **Liability**

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