

# Biological Products Markets Around the World









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Biocontrol BioStimulants Biofertilizers

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Strategic Marketing **Bio Market Data Technology Evaluation Market Evaluations** Investment Due Diligence

### **Products**

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Headcount: 3 Global Network of Professionals CPC

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> **Fertilizer** Companies

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42 Years—Crop Protection & Seeds

Mark Trimmer, Ph.D.

**Global & Regional Strategic Marketing Teams** 

**Subsidiary Managing Director** 

30 Years—Crop Protection Global R&D **Global Technology Acquisition** & Licensing

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15 Years—Biostimulants & **Specialty Fertilizers** Regional / Global Marketing & Sales

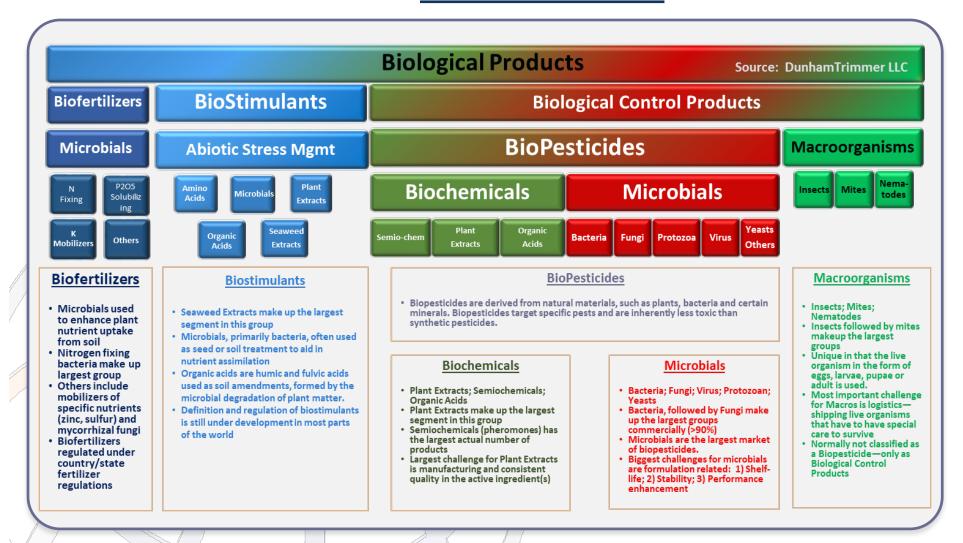
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Global Biocontrol & Biostimulants E-Newsletter Organize Annual Biocontrol LatAm, **Asia and Africa Conference** 





### BIOLOGICAL MARKET OVERVIEW –INTRODUCTION —PRODUCT TYPES—







### **OBJECTIVES**

- Market data.
  - Global Market Landscape on Biocontrol Market.
  - Global Market Landscape on Biostimulant Market.
- Drivers (Influencers, Drivers & Trends).
  - Factors driving actual & future growth.
- Evolution of each Market.
  - How driving factors are shaping evolution of both Markets as Business Models.





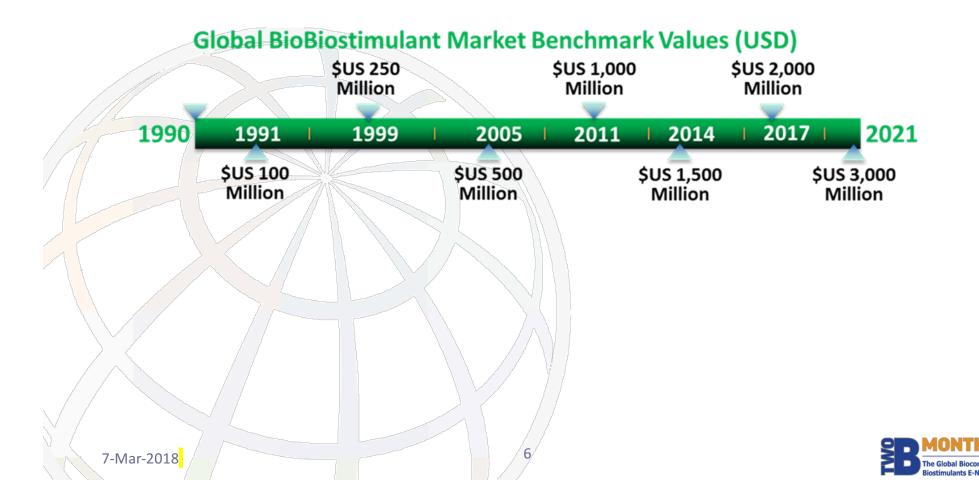


## Biological Products Markets Around the World Market Landscape



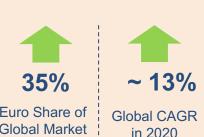


### BIOSTIMULANTS MARKET GLOBAL GROWTH





### GLOBAL MARKET PERFORMANCE—BIOSTIMULANT

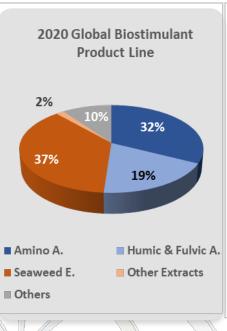


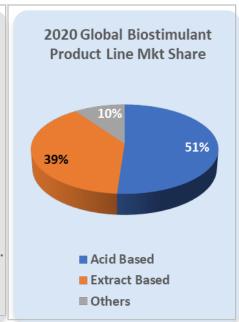


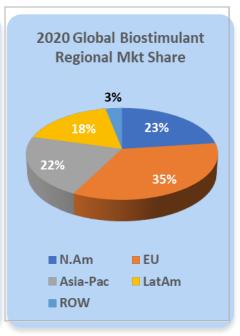


Foliar Application Major Use









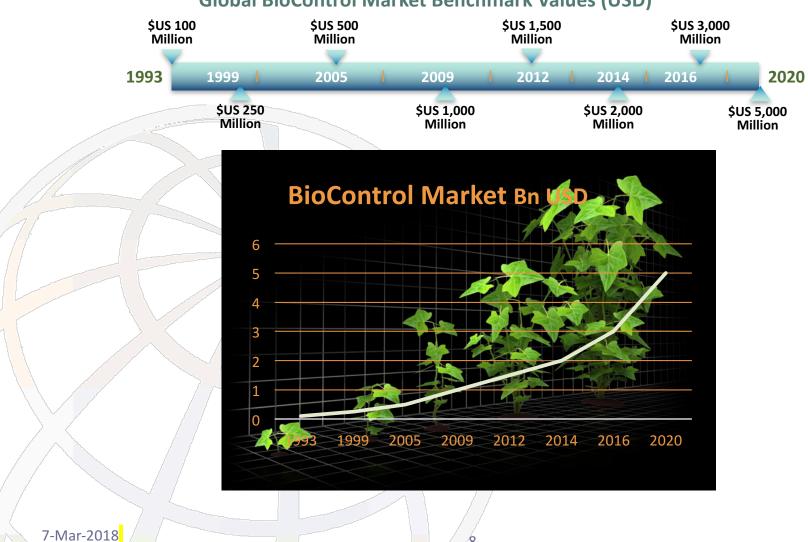
- Biostimulants—Sustainable Growth—12 to 15%
  - <u>Latin American</u> market growing faster than any other region
  - Climate and crops grown in Latin America well adapted to use of biostimulants
- Technology for Abiotic stress & management's constraints
  - More efficient use of resources (fertilizer, water, other inputs)
- Consumer willingness to pay for quality on fruits & vegs
- Biostimulant market still dominated by rapidly growing entrepreneurial companies
  - Large companies focused on microbials but consolidation has started
  - Market consolidation underway
- Market access as key success factor
- Possible impact of increasingly strict regulatory requirements
- R&D increase its importance as differentiation and future business sustainability issue





### **ACCELERATING GROWTH**

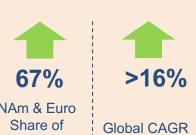
### **Global BioControl Market Benchmark Values (USD)**





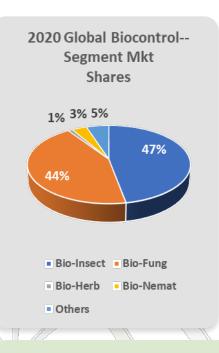


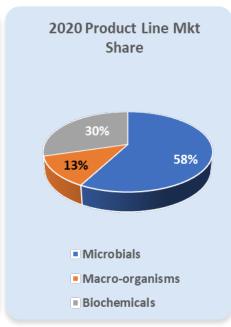
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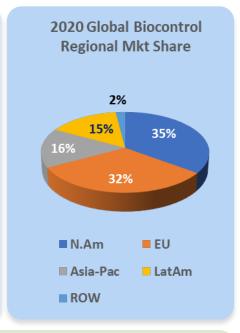












- Biological Control—Sustainable Growth--17%
  - <u>Latin American</u> market growing faster than any other region
  - Climate and crops grown in Latin America well adapted to use of biopesticides
- Green technology / Sustainable technology
  - Consumer demand for lower residues driving adoption
  - Key part of an integrated system for food production
- Biopesticide market still dominated by rapidly growing entrepreneurial companies, but consolidation has started
  - New technology & new companies continue to emerge
- Market access needs drive consolidation
  - Many existing small companies lack market access
  - Larger companies/investors will acquire & consolidate to eliminate inefficiencies in current market





### **BIOCONTROL AS INTEGRATED ON PLANT PROTECTION MARKET**

### Assumptions:

- Conventional Global Plant Protection:
  - \$64 billion<sup>1</sup>
  - Herbicides 40% | Insecticides 30% | Fungicides 25% |
  - Row Crops & Cereals 70% | Fruit & Vegs 20% |
  - Slow growth (<6% CAGR) or even stagnated</li>

### Conclusions:

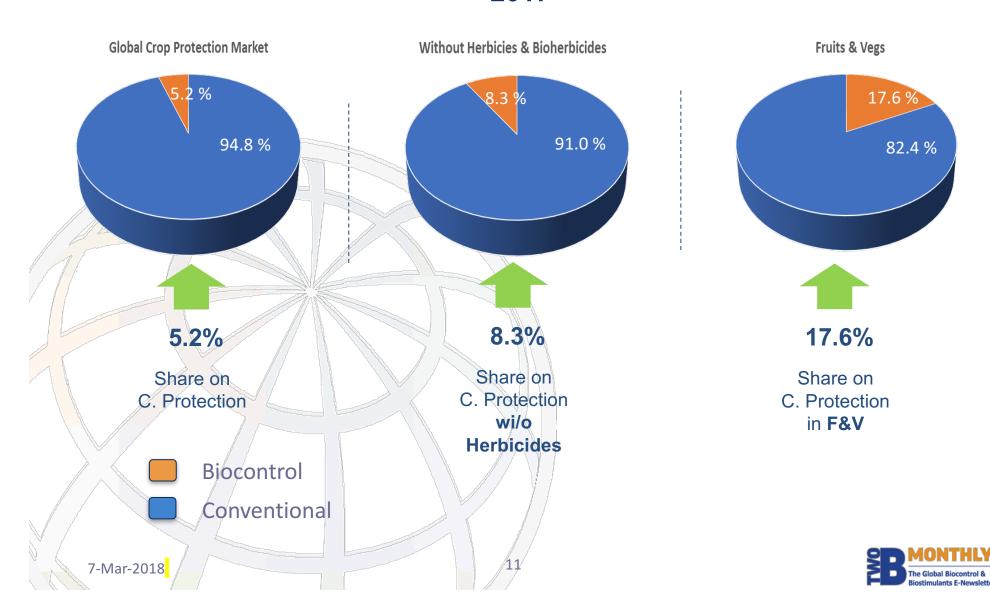
- Biocontrol products represent ~ 5% of total P.P. Market.
- They are positioned on a different way in terms of Use's & Crop's Segments<sup>2</sup>:
  - Biocontrol products are mainly used in Fruits & Vegs (~80%).
  - Bioherbicides are very small share of Biocontrol.
- Biocontrol is growing at 17% CAGR

Source: 1: Philipps McDougal & Others | 2: DunhamTrimmer Bio Market Report





### OVERALL CONTEXT- BIOCONTROL IN THE PROTECTION MARKET 2017





### **M**ARKET LANDSCAPE

- Both Bio. markets growing at two digit % number up to 2025.
- Biocontrol Market bigger than Biostimulant.
- Biocontrol Market growing faster (CAGR) than Biostimulant.
- LATAM fastest growing region up to 2025 for both Markets.
- Microbials fastest growing products for both Markets.
- Biocontrol well established in F&V sector.





## Biological Products Markets Around the World Drivers & Trends





### **DRIVERS, INFLUENCERS & TRENDS**

### **Common Drivers**

- Population Growth
- Climate Change
- Ecological Needs

### **Biocontrol More Specific Drivers**

- Consumer Demands
- Pest Resistance
- Regulatory Advantages
- Entry Of Global Companies

### **Biostimulant More Specific Drivers**

- Snake Oil To Science
- R&D Investment
- Industry Consolidation
- Regulatory Issues
- Precision Ag





## Biological Products Markets Around the World Actual & Future Market Access





### **BIOPESTICIDES & BIOSTIMULANTS APPROACH TO MARKET**

- Both, as business, have common objective of gain acces to the market in the most profitable long term way as possible.
- Both, from their beginning, or immediate evolution, have been shaped as different business models because differences on;
  - Product characteristics.
  - Market integration & Consumer perception.
  - Key initial success factors to grow as a business.





### **BIOPESTICIDE SECTOR**

- Higher investment requirements
- Bigger barriers to enter
- More IP
- More specific solution oriented
- More differentiation
- More limited portfolio offer
- Market: They are compared with chemical pesticides:
  - Field performance of biopesticides
    - Preventative not curative!
    - Application thresholds may differ for biopesticides
    - Biopesticides perform best in a program with chemicals> Integration needs to be done
    - Integration needs involvement from commercial channel, which will depend on profitability & technical capacity and time.
- Stronger market position Fruits & Vegs (Consumer demand, Secondary standards,...)
- ¿profitability to farmer and/or commercial channel?











### **BIOSTIMULANT SECTOR**

### Original drivers for biostimulant adoption and growth

### Consumer level:

• lincreased willingness to pay for fresh & high quality fruits and vegetables (F&V) during the whole year.

#### • Farm level:

- Intensive, added value production of F&V is subject to agroecological & management stress which increases producer's business risk.
- Producers become avid for increasing number of inputs that could help them to reduce risks on production quality and stability, as well as assure the better possible yield.
- Biostimulants probe to support farmer under these stressing conditions.

### • Manufacturer (& Distribution):

- Smart visionary's entrepreneurs who found in biostimulants a profitable business opportunity, began to appear.
- In order to be closer to the farm (due to biostimulant product's characteristics) commercial channel players have found an important an profitable role to play.





### **BIOSTIMULANT SECTOR**

### **Product characteristics**

Biostimulants appeared into the market bringing some intrinsic characteristics that will be crucial on defining the business as we know it today.

- They have a multisite effect.
- Final result is dependent on triad **plant-environment-product**-(management).
- Replicability of results is not always the same.
- Most of them are based on organic materials. Many were waste products from other industries.
- Main active substances used are very similar among commercial products.
- Mode of action not completely understood.
- Biostimulants appear as a new additional solution, not directly substituting any existing one.
- IP level is low.
- At regulatory level most of times trend was to assimilated them as fertilizers (**special nutrition products**).
- There is a fragmented regulatory treatment. (talk better about commodity...)
- Result is a lack of clarity for industry and users.





### **BIOSTIMULANT SECTOR**

### **Market needs**

#### Offer side:

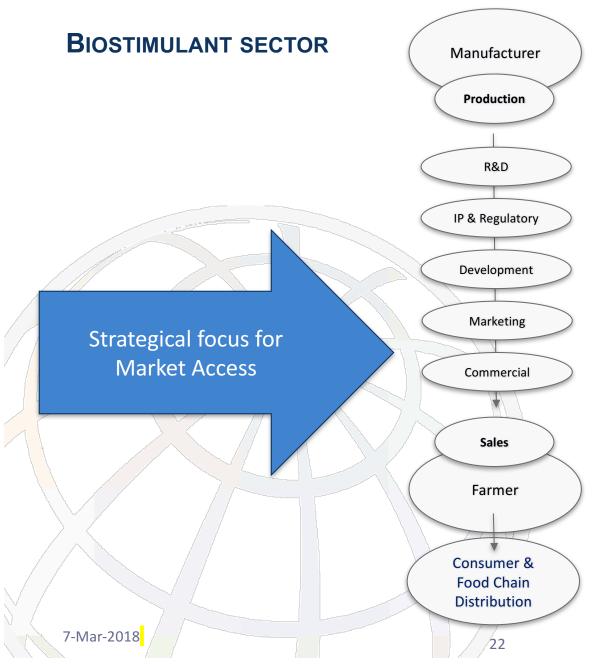
- Low barriers to enter (low IP & lack of harmonized strict regulatory framework at global level) create a good atmosphere for SME's to stablish as main initial players in the market. Those companies lack of enough resources to invest in research.
- Product characteristics create a high risk of **product commoditization**. Companies need to grow fast on the commercial chain. Marketing and Commercial approach are key.
- Biostimulant business is not considered to jeopardize other agricultural input business in most of the cases.

### Demand side:

- Risk of snake-oil claims due to lack of understanding of product characteristics and low barriers to enter that can favor opportunistic sales.
- Proximity to production level (farm) is needed in order to address appropriate message & a close follow up of product performance, as well as building good relationship with consumer.
- Intensive added value crops have high willingness to pay for biostimulants, but stressing conditions in row crops & cereals can make them interesting markets whenever willingness to pay exist.







Trend

Need better knowledge of the product. Knowledge on mode of action

Need differentiation & specialization.

Regulatory requirements.

Technological improvement





### MACRO DRIVERS & TRENDS

### - INDUSTRY CONSOLIDATION -

Business consolidation will increase gap among companies in terms of market access, product differentiation capacity, and financial muscle to fund R&D.

The entry of global companies into this business will definitely impact the business model structure for other players

M	&A / JVs / Investments I	Distribution—Mkt Access	R & D / Manufacturing
7	2017 – 17 Major Agreements	2017 – <b>31</b> Major Agreements	2017 – <b>11</b> Major Agreements
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Source: 2B MONTHLY reported intercompany agreements





### **MACRO DRIVERS & INFLUENCERS**

### - PRECISION AG -

Precision ag provides growers with better knowledge about their crop status and information to use in decision making. Impact on biostimulant adoption has potential to be highly positive, especially on row crops and cereals, as knowledge of abiotic stress leads to increased use. Global company investment in precision ag may further accelerate this trend







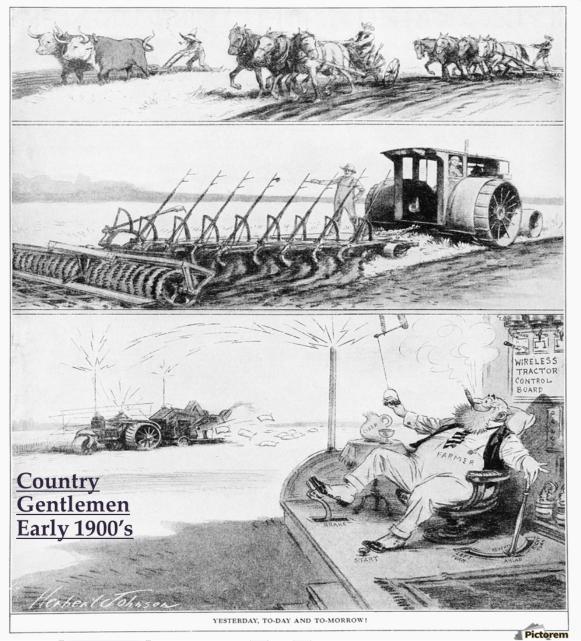
### **FUTURE TRENDS**

- Both Markets have different focus as business model.
- Actual drivers and Trends are shaping a new business model for lot of Biostimulant companies.
- Biostimulant will boost when future efficiency needs for agricultural resources become more and more crucial.
- Biostimulant product's shares as we know them today will change.
  - More specific.
  - New technology & Products.
  - More unique and protected in terms of IP
- Consolidation process and entry of multinationals will reinforce those trends as will bring investment, resources and market access for new product to come.





### **FUTURE TRENDS**







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