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PHB-based packaging from whey

REDUCTION OF CO<sub>2</sub> EMISSIONS BY THE PHB USE OBTAINED FROM WHEY: Demostration in dairy products packaging

## THE PROJECT

WHEYPACK project aims to demonstrate environmental and socio-economic benefits of a biodegradable food packaging material with a lower environmental impact through the reduction of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions in comparison with current petrol-based food packaging materials.



## THE MATERIAL

The biodegradable food packaging material selected is Polyhydroxy butyrate (PHB) that will be obtained from a by-product (whey) that comes from the cheese industries.

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