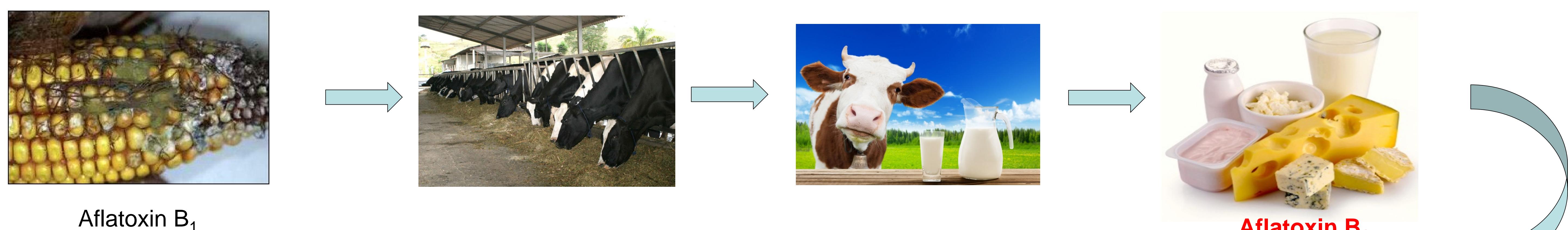




# EFFECT OF *Lactobacillus plantarum* AND PREBIOTICS IN REDUCTION OF AFLATOXIN B<sub>1</sub> IN MILK

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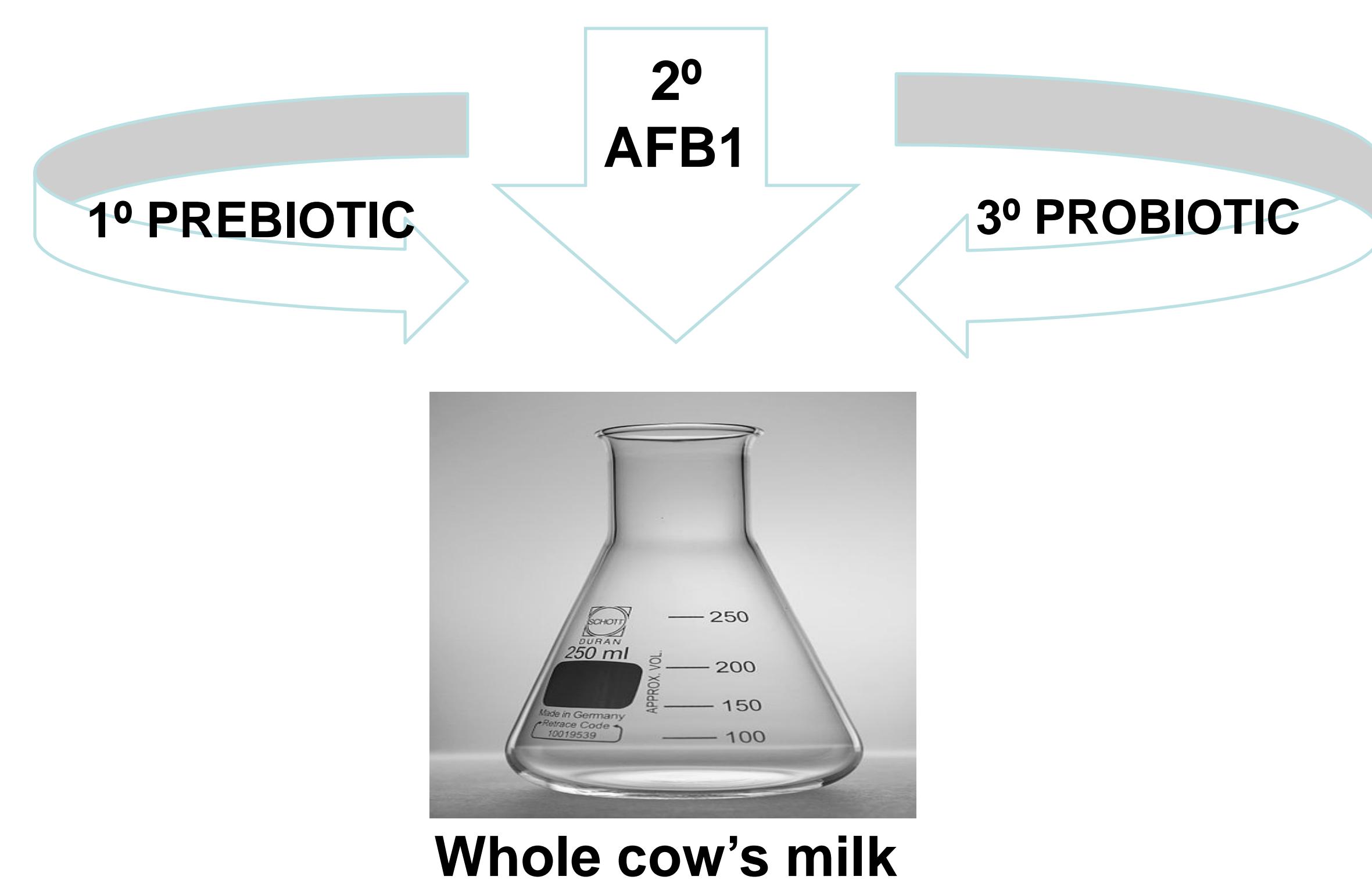
## INTRODUCTION



**Objective:** The aim of this study was to evaluate the influence of *Lactobacillus plantarum* isolated and associated with prebiotics (inulin, oligofructose, β-glucan and polydextrose) on the aflatoxin B<sub>1</sub> (AFB<sub>1</sub>) reduction in artificially contaminated milk.



## MATERIAL AND METHODS



- AFB<sub>1</sub> concentration, time of incubation (37°C) and prebiotic's concentration: Table 1.
- Concentration of *Lactobacillus plantarum*: 10<sup>8</sup> UFC/mL (all trials).
- CT1 = positive control – milk + AFB<sub>1</sub>, CT2 = milk + probiotic; CT3 = milk
- Quantification of AFB<sub>1</sub>: UHPLC-FLD (Dionex Corporation, UltiMate 3000, Sunnyvale, Estados Unidos) .

$$\% \text{ Reduction} = \frac{\text{Expected concentration } (\mu\text{g}) - \text{Real concentration}(\mu\text{g}) \times 100}{\text{Real concentration } (\mu\text{g})}$$

## RESULTS AND CONCLUSIONS

Table 1 – Fourteen-trial Plackett & Burman design matrix for independent variables AFB<sub>1</sub> concentration, time, inulin, oligofructose, beta-glucan and polidextrose and dependent variable percentual reduction of AFB<sub>1</sub> in whole cow's milk.

Trial	Concentratrion of AFB <sub>1</sub> ( $\mu\text{g.L}^{-1}$ )	Time (h)	Inulin (%)	Oligofructose (%)	Beta-glucan (%)	Polidextrose(%)	Reduction (%)
1	+1 (10)	-1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	- 1 (0)	- 1 (0)	- 1 (0)	7,57 ± 1,56
2	+1 (10)	+1 (6)	- 1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	- 1 (0)	- 1 (0)	22,98 ± 0,60
3	-1 (5)	+1 (6)	+ 1 (0,75)	- 1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	- 1 (0)	< LOQ
4	+1 (10)	-1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	+ 1 (0,75)	- 1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	< LOQ
5	+1 (10)	+1 (6)	- 1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	+ 1 (0,75)	- 1 (0)	0,02 ± 2,52
6	+1 (10)	+1 (6)	+ 1 (0,75)	- 1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	+ 1 (0,75)	30,18 ± 1,97
7	-1 (5)	+1 (6)	+ 1 (0,75)	+ 1 (0,75)	- 1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	< LOQ
8	-1 (5)	-1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	+ 1 (0,75)	+ 1 (0,75)	- 1 (0)	55,85 ± 0,66
9	-1(5)	-1 (0)	-1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	+ 1 (0,75)	+ 1 (0,75)	5,48 ± 0,41
10	+1 (10)	-1 (0)	-1 (0)	+ 1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	+ 1 (0,75)	25,43 ± 3,42
11	-1 (5)	+1 (6)	-1 (0)	- 1 (0)	- 1 (0)	+ 1 (0,75)	< LOQ
12	-1 (5)	-1 (0)	-1 (0)	- 1 (0)	- 1 (0)	- 1 (0)	31,45 ± 2,94
13	0 (7,5)	0 (3)	0 (0,38)	0 (0,38)	0 (0,38)	0 (0,38)	25,64 ± 1,54
14	0 (7,5)	0 (3)	0 (0,38)	0 (0,38)	0 (0,38)	0 (0,38)	21,71 ± 2,57
CT <sub>1</sub>	(7,5)	(3)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	-
CT <sub>2</sub>	(0)	(3)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	ND
CT <sub>3</sub>	(0)	(3)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	-

*Lactobacillus plantarum* isolate or in combination with prebiotics has a potential to reduce aflatoxin B<sub>1</sub> concentrations in whole cow's milk.

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