## Influence of processing and packaging conditions on probiotic survivability rate, physicochemical and sensory characteristics of low calorie synbiotic milk beverage

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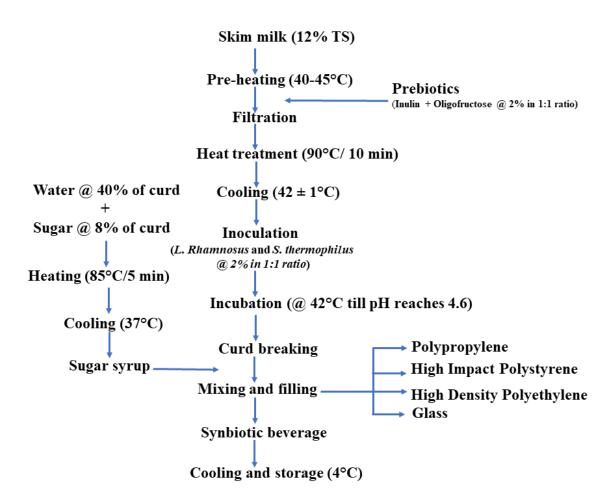


Fig S1: Flow diagram for the preparation of low calorie synbiotic milk beverage

Table S1: Various specification of packaging materials used in the study

S.No	Packaging material	Specifications		
		Microbial quality: Sterile		
1	Polypropylene (PP)	Capacity:100mL		
1	1 orypropytene (11)	Dimensions (lengthXwidth): 7cmX4.6cm		
		Microbial quality: Sterile		
		Capacity: 100mL		
2	Glass			
		. The oxygen and water vapor barrier		
		properties of glass were considered negligible		
	High Impact polyetyrone	Microbial quality: Sterile		
3	High Impact polystyrene (HIPS)	Capacity: 100mL		
	(11113)	Dimensions (lengthXwidth)::7cmX4.6cm		
		Microbial quality: Sterile		
4	High Density polyethylene (HDPE)	Capacity: 100mL		
		Dimensions (lengthXwidth)::7cmX4.6cm		

Table S2: Effect of different levels of sugar and water on physico-chemical attributes of low calorie synbiotic milk beverage

Level of water	Level of Sugar (%)			
(%)	6	7	8	
рН				
30	$4.60\pm0.07^{\mathrm{bB}}$	$4.67\pm0.06^{aB}$	$4.69\pm0.01^{aB}$	
35	$4.70\pm0.05^{aB}$	$4.72\pm0.05^{aB}$	$4.75\pm0.06^{aB}$	
40	$4.80\pm0.04^{aA}$	$4.83\pm0.04^{aA}$	$4.86\pm0.05^{aA}$	
		lactic acid)		
30	$0.83\pm0.02^{aA}$	$0.82\pm0.01^{aA}$	$0.80\pm0.02^{aA}$	
35	$0.79\pm0.02^{aB}$	$0.78\pm0.03^{aAB}$	$0.76\pm0.03^{aB}$	
40	$0.75\pm0.01^{aC}$	$0.76\pm0.05^{aC}$	$0.74\pm0.04^{aBC}$	
Probiotic count (log cfu/mL)				
30	$9.02 \pm 0.02^{aA}$	$9.01\pm0.01^{aA}$	$9.00\pm0.01^{aA}$	
35	$8.97\pm0.05^{aB}$	$8.96\pm0.03^{aB}$	$8.95\pm0.06^{aB}$	
40	$8.94\pm0.04^{aB}$	$8.95\pm0.05^{aB}$	$8.96\pm0.04^{aB}$	
	Apparent vi	iscosity (Pa.s)		
30	$2.25 \pm 0.002^{aA}$	2.23±0.001 <sup>bA</sup>	2.20±0.001 <sup>cA</sup>	
35	$2.15\pm0.006^{aB}$	$2.14\pm0.004^{aB}$	$2.13\pm0.002^{aB}$	
40	$2.00\pm0.002^{aC}$	$1.98\pm0.007^{abC}$	$1.96\pm0.006^{cC}$	
		$L^*$		
30	$73.93 \pm 0.55^{aA}$	$72.45\pm0.78^{aA}$	$70.45 \pm 0.34^{bA}$	
35	$70.12\pm0.42^{aB}$	$69.14\pm0.59^{aB}$	$68.47 \pm 0.24^{aB}$	
40	$60.45\pm0.36^{aC}$	$59.47 \pm 0.69^{aC}$	$56.74 \pm 0.24^{bC}$	
$a^*$				
30	$2.87 \pm 0.15^{aA}$	$2.86\pm0.24^{bA}$	$2.84 \pm 0.65^{bA}$	
35	$2.31 \pm 0.23^{aAB}$	$2.34 \pm 0.27^{aB}$	$2.36\pm0.42^{aA}$	
40	$2.20\pm0.35^{bB}$	2.25±0.39 <sup>aB</sup>	2.12±0.36 <sup>bB</sup>	
$b^*$				
30	20.60±0.30 <sup>aBC</sup>	21.30±0.47 <sup>aB</sup>	22.40±0.37 <sup>aC</sup>	
35	$21.45 \pm 0.89^{aB}$	$22.36\pm0.35^{aB}$	$24.36 \pm 0.69^{aB}$	
40	$25.12\pm0.24^{bA}$	$25.63\pm0.34^{aA}$	$27.15 \pm 0.38^{bA}$	

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Table S3: Effect of different levels of sugar and water on sensory attributes of low-calorie synbiotic milk beverage

Level of water	Level of Sugar (%)				
(%)	6	7	8		
	Appearance				
30	$7.7 \pm 0.14^{bA}$	$7.6 \pm 0.06^{bC}$	$7.9 \pm 0.05^{aB}$		
35	$7.8 \pm 0.08^{bA}$	$7.7 \pm 0.09^{bB}$	$8.0 \pm 0.08^{aB}$		
40	$8.0 \pm 0.10^{cA}$	$8.2 \pm 0.06^{bA}$	$8.4 \pm 0.14^{aA}$		
	Flavour				
30	$7.2 \pm 0.14^{aB}$	$7.4 \pm 0.09^{aC}$	$7.5 \pm 0.06^{aC}$		
35	$7.5 \pm 0.10^{bB}$	$7.7 \pm 0.11^{aB}$	$7.8 \pm 0.08^{aB}$		
40	$7.9 \pm 0.10^{bA}$	$8.0 \pm 0.07^{\mathrm{bA}}$	$8.2 \pm 0.08^{aA}$		
		& Texture			
30	$7.1 \pm 0.08^{bC}$	$7.5 \pm 0.06^{aB}$	$7.6 \pm 0.11^{aC}$		
35	$7.5 \pm 0.05^{\text{bB}}$	$7.6 \pm 0.08^{\mathrm{bB}}$	$7.8 \pm 0.09^{aB}$		
40	$7.9 \pm 0.07^{aA}$	$8.0 \pm 0.07^{aA}$	$8.1 \pm 0.07^{aA}$		
	Sourness				
30	$1.2 \pm 0.05^{aA}$	$0.9 \pm 0.06^{bB}$	$0.8 \pm 0.06^{bA}$		
35	$1.0\pm0.02^{aB}$	$0.8\pm0.08^{bB}$	$0.7 \pm 0.05^{bA}$		
40	$1.0\pm0.06^{aB}$	$1.1 \pm 0.06^{aA}$	$0.7 \pm 0.09^{bA}$		
Overall acceptability					
30	$7.3 \pm 0.05^{\text{cC}}$	$7.5 \pm 0.11^{bC}$	$7.7 \pm 0.08^{aC}$		
35	$7.6\pm0.08^{bB}$	$7.7 \pm 0.02^{bB}$	$7.9 \pm 0.10^{aB}$		
40	$8.0 \pm 0.09^{bA}$	$8.1 \pm 0.02^{bA}$	$8.2 \pm 0.10^{aA}$		
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Table S4: Physico-chemical, microbial and colour value of low calorie synbiotic milk beverage

S.No	Parameters		Value
1.	Total solids (%)	Total solids (%)	
2.	Protein (%)		2.24±0.13
3.	Fat (%)		0.07±0.10
4.	Lactose (%)	3.76±0.13	
5.	Ash (%)	0.58±0.16	
6.	рН		4.81±0.09
7.	Acidity (% lactic acid)		0.69±0.06
8.	Probiotic count (log cfu/mL)		8.91±0.01
9.	Viscosity (Pa.s)		1.99±0.003
10.	Colour value	L*	55.89 ±0.17
		a*	
	b*		26.65 ±0.31
11.	Total viable count (log cfu/mL)		9.05±0.18
12.	Coliform count (log cfu/mL)		NIL
13.	Yeast and Mold count (log cfu/mL)		NIL

All the values are Mean  $\pm$  S.D (n=9)

Table S5: Effect of packaging materials on sensory attributes of low calorie synbiotic milk beverage during storage (4±1  $^{\circ}C)$ 

Days	Polypropylene	HIPS	HDPE	Glass		
	, , , , , ,	Appearanc	e	•		
0	7.52±0.12 <sup>aA</sup>	7.53±0.36 <sup>aA</sup>	7.56±0.21 <sup>aA</sup>	7.58±0.24 <sup>aA</sup>		
1	7.15±0.36 <sup>aA</sup>	7.31±0.24 <sup>aA</sup>	$7.26\pm0.62^{aA}$	7.32±0.37 <sup>aA</sup>		
3	7.07±0.24 <sup>aAB</sup>	6.95±0.27 <sup>aB</sup>	6.91±0.37 <sup>aAB</sup>	7.12±0.35 <sup>aAB</sup>		
6	6.55±0.14 <sup>aC</sup>	6.46±0.20 <sup>aC</sup>	6.57±0.31 <sup>aB</sup>	6.85±0.27 <sup>aB</sup>		
9	5.98±0.18 <sup>bD</sup>	6.27±0.36 <sup>aC</sup>	5.73±0.27 <sup>cC</sup>	6.50±0.24 <sup>aC</sup>		
12	Spoiled	5.72±0.18 <sup>bD</sup>	Spoiled	6.03±0.36 <sup>aD</sup>		
15	Spoiled	Spoiled	Spoiled	5.86±0.79 <sup>CD</sup>		
		Flavor				
0	8.07±0.17 <sup>aA</sup>	8.06±0.35 <sup>aA</sup>	8.08±0.46 <sup>aA</sup>	8.02±0.27 <sup>aA</sup>		
1	7.88±0.25 <sup>aA</sup>	7.58±0.27 <sup>aB</sup>	7.77±0.13 <sup>aAB</sup>	$7.76\pm0.35^{aB}$		
3	7.53±0.36 <sup>aAB</sup>	7.12±0.38 <sup>bC</sup>	7.13±0.35 <sup>bB</sup>	7.23±0.24 <sup>aC</sup>		
6	7.08±0.37 <sup>aB</sup>	6.68±0.34 <sup>abD</sup>	6.55±0.27 <sup>bC</sup>	$7.08\pm0.26^{aC}$		
9	6.58±0.48 <sup>aC</sup>	$6.08\pm0.24^{bE}$	5.52±0.34 <sup>cD</sup>	$6.53\pm0.78^{aC}$		
12	Spoiled	5.82±0.26 <sup>aF</sup>	Spoiled	6.08±0.24 <sup>aD</sup>		
15	Spoiled	Spoiled	Spoiled	5.79±0.20 <sup>aE</sup>		
		Body & Text	ure			
0	7.66±0.30 <sup>aA</sup>	7.69±0.34 <sup>aA</sup>	7.69±0.27 <sup>aA</sup>	7.61±0.24 <sup>aA</sup>		
1	7.37±0.24 <sup>aA</sup>	$7.44\pm0.36^{aA}$	$7.36\pm0.24^{aA}$	$7.20\pm0.34^{aB}$		
3	6.92±0.38 <sup>aB</sup>	$7.07\pm0.17^{aB}$	6.93±0.36 <sup>aB</sup>	6.82±0.27 <sup>bB</sup>		
6	$6.58\pm0.74^{aAB}$	6.43±0.27 <sup>aC</sup>	6.57±0.34 <sup>aB</sup>	6.66±0.59 <sup>aC</sup>		
9	6.03±0.37 <sup>bC</sup>	$6.02\pm0.26^{bD}$	6.12±0.27 <sup>bC</sup>	$6.38\pm0.16^{aD}$		
12	Spoiled	5.32±0.35 <sup>abE</sup>	Spoiled	5.57±0.14 <sup>aE</sup>		
15	Spoiled	Spoiled	Spoiled	4.93±0.35 <sup>F</sup>		
		Sourness				
0	4.07±0.24 <sup>aD</sup>	4.08±0.49 <sup>aE</sup>	4.09±0.14 <sup>aE</sup>	4.03±0.30 <sup>aE</sup>		
1	4.23±0.27 <sup>aD</sup>	4.29±0.56 <sup>aE</sup>	4.33±0.26 <sup>aD</sup>	4.26±0.41 <sup>aDE</sup>		
3	5.58±0.36 <sup>aC</sup>	4.99±0.30 <sup>bD</sup>	5.49±0.23 <sup>aC</sup>	4.82±0.33 <sup>bD</sup>		
6	$6.02\pm0.48^{aB}$	5.62±0.15 <sup>bC</sup>	6.12±0.48 <sup>aB</sup>	5.59±0.36 <sup>bC</sup>		
9	6.99±0.27 <sup>aA</sup>	6.09±0.13 <sup>bB</sup>	6.95±0.42 <sup>aA</sup>	6.12±0.75 <sup>bB</sup>		
12	Spoiled	6.64±0.10 <sup>aA</sup>	Spoiled	6.30±0.23 <sup>bB</sup>		
15	Spoiled	Spoiled	Spoiled	$6.82\pm0.20^{A}$		
Overall Acceptability						
0	7.57±0.24 <sup>aA</sup>	7.69±0.14 <sup>aA</sup>	7.68±0.24 <sup>aA</sup>	7.69±0.45 <sup>aA</sup>		
1	7.33±0.36 <sup>aA</sup>	7.25±0.26 <sup>aB</sup>	7.44±0.35 <sup>aA</sup>	7.44±0.35 <sup>aA</sup>		
3	7.08±0.75 <sup>aB</sup>	7.13±0.34 <sup>aB</sup>	7.13±0.37 <sup>aAB</sup>	7.12±0.27 <sup>aAB</sup>		
6	6.73±0.22 <sup>aBC</sup>	6.83±0.47 <sup>aB</sup>	6.89±0.24 <sup>aB</sup>	6.99±0.31 <sup>aB</sup>		
9	5.82±0.36 <sup>bD</sup>	6.62±0.31 <sup>aBC</sup>	5.72±0.31 <sup>bC</sup>	6.72±0.36 <sup>aB</sup>		
12	Spoiled	6.08±0.32 <sup>bD</sup>	Spoiled	6.39±0.24 <sup>aC</sup>		
15	Spoiled	Spoiled	Spoiled	5.62±0.38 <sup>D</sup>		

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