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DIC Corporation

DIC Exhibits at the 7th Conference of the International Society for Applied Phycology (ISAP2021) (Virtual Event)

—Exhibit showcases DIC Spirulina and LINABLUE®
Spirulina-Derived Natural Blue Food Coloring—

Tokyo, Japan—DIC today announced that it is exhibiting a variety of products, including DIC Spirulina and LINABLUE® Spirulina-derived natural blue food colorant, at the 7th Conference of the International Society for Applied Phycology (ISAP2021), which will be held virtually from May 14 - August 13, 2021.

The International Society for Applied Phycology, founded in 1999, is the preeminent global organization promoting applied phycology. In addition to organizing presentations on cutting-edge research and encouraging the sharing of technical knowledge, the society stages a triennial conference, which to date has been held in various locations around the world. ISAP2021 is the first conference to be held in Japan. In addition to scientific researchers from universities and research institutes, these conferences are also attended by representatives of private-sector companies with algae-related businesses and feature various presentations and opportunities for exchanging technical information on industrial applications for algae.

— Exposition Details

Dates: May 14 - August 13, 2021
Venue: Virtual platform (accessible from the official conference website)

Official conference website: <https://isap2020-phycology.org/>
(English only)

Website page introducing the DIC Group: https://isap2020-phycology.org/gold_sponsor.html
(English only)



Spirulina seen under a microscope



DIC Spirulina

LINABLUE®

For more information on products exhibited by DIC at ISAP2021, please visit the DIC website:

- **DIC Spirulina:** https://www.dic-global.com/en/products/health_foods/
- **LINABLUE®:** https://www.dic-global.com/en/products/natural_colorants/

As a corporate sponsor of ISAP2021, DIC is scheduled to give a corporate presentation and on July 13 and stage subsequent oral sessions. More information will be published on the DIC website as it becomes available.

Online Session Summary

Date: Tuesday, July 13 9: 30 -10: 00 (Japan time)

Event format: Zoom webinar online

Speaker: Satoshi Horaguchi (Healthcare Production Technology Group, DIC Corporation)

Session Contents:

- Introduction of Spirulina and its useful components
- Introduction of overseas healthcare-related business sites of the DIC Group
- DIC Spirulina and LINABLUE ® products and examples of their applicatoin

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