

## **Synthetic milk detection kits**

The National Dairy Development Board (NDDB), India, plans to launch portable ready-to-use reagent kits to detect the constituents of synthetic milk. Priced at around US\$130, this kit would be helpful to both householders and the dairy industry. NDDB has also initiated a programme to develop modern techniques of gene typing and embryo transfer for accelerating the development of high-yielding disease-resistant Indian cattle and buffalo breeds. (Processed Food Industry, March 2000)