

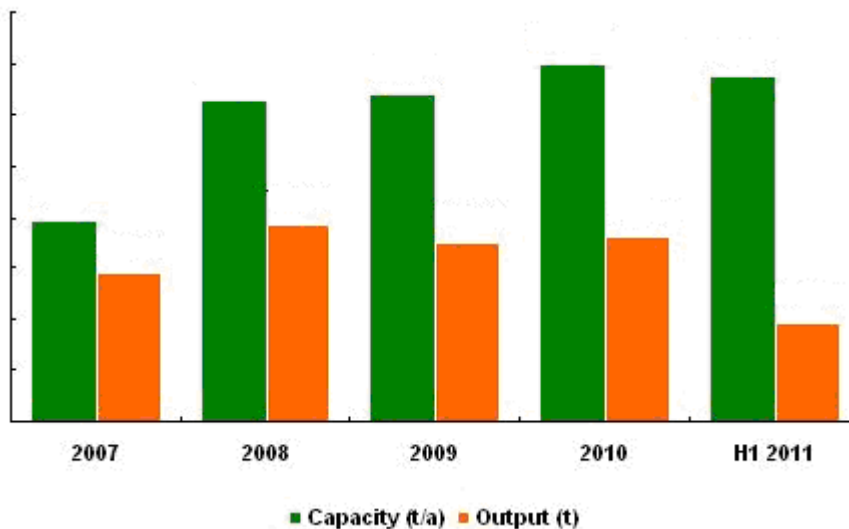
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## 2 Supply situation in China

### 2.1 Production data in latest five years and detailed current situation

At present, China is one of the most important xanthan gum production countries in the world. From 2007 to H1 2011, domestic capacity of xanthan gum has increased from [REDACTED] t/a to [REDACTED] t/a, with a CAGR of [REDACTED]%. During this period, the output has also increased from [REDACTED] tonnes to [REDACTED] tonnes, with a [REDACTED]% CAGR. In H1 2011, domestic xanthan gum output comes to [REDACTED] tonnes

Figure 2.1-1 Capacity and output of xanthan gum in China, 2007-H1 2011



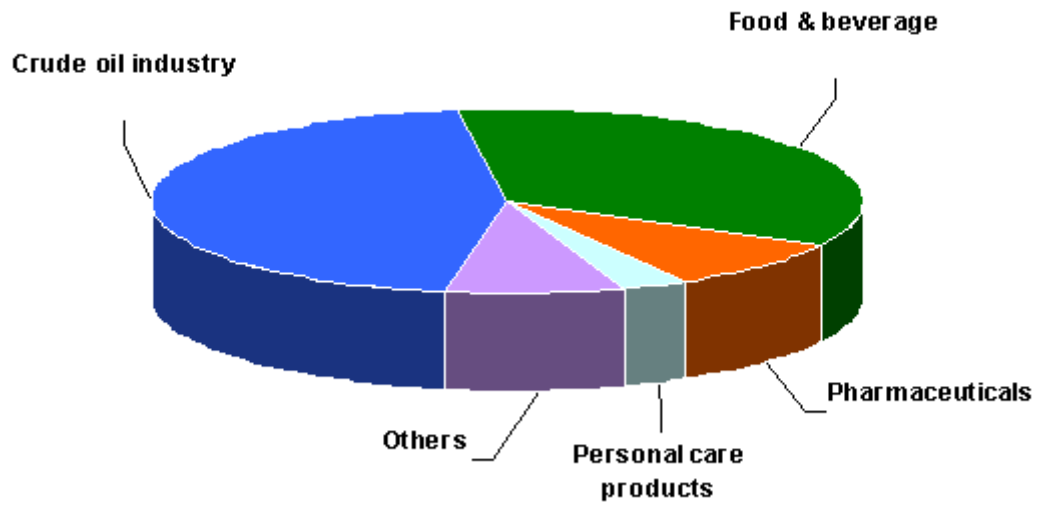
Source: CCM International

## 3 Consumption situation in China

### 3.1 Consumption pattern

Generally speaking, the consumption area of Chinese xanthan gum is wide currently, with about [REDACTED]% exported to other countries. In 2010, [REDACTED] tonnes of xanthan gum is consumed in China, mainly in crude oil industry, food and beverage industry, pharmaceutical industry and personal care products. Moreover, xanthan gum can also be used in other products such as feed and chemical products.

Figure 3.1-1 Xanthan gum's consumption pattern in China, 2010



Source: CCM International