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Dr. Francisco Navarro is an Industrial Data Science Director at IFF, a global leader in flavors, fragrances, food ingredients, and health & biosciences, as well as a Visiting Researcher at Imperial College London with 10+ years of industrial and research experience (Bayer, DSM, P&G, Solvay, and IFF).

At IFF, we empower production engineers with Machine Learning and GenAI for process safety and efficiency via data-driven monitoring, troubleshooting, and optimization. Our innovative approach focuses on scaling impact through data-driven literacy and self-service analytics, moving beyond traditional support-dependent solutions.

Francisco also holds a Ph.D. in modeling and simulation, during which he visited Prof. Jensen's Lab at MIT, patented multiphase-flow sonoreactors, and contributed to the field of fluid dynamics.