

Supplementary Materials

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Sensory parameters (Full score)		Score		
Colour (10)	Light colour and bright 8-10	Brown and less bright 5-7	Dark-brown 1-4	-
Appearance (10)	Smooth and irregular shape 8-10	Less smooth and in shape 5-7	Rough and unshaped 1-4	-
Hardness (20)	Suitable hardness 17-20	Harder or softer 12-16	Over hard or soft 1-12	-
Elasticity (25)	Elastic 21-25	Poor elastic 16-20	Worse elasticity 11-15	Worst elasticity 1-10
Stickiness (20)	Non-sticky 16-20	Less sticky 11-25	Sticky 6-10	Very sticky 1-5
Smoothness (10)	Smooth 8-10	Less smooth 5-7	Coarse 1-4	-
Flavour (5)	Buckwheat flavour 5	Non-smell 3-4	Smell 1-2	-

Table S2. Relative amount of water in different states/distribution for uncooked FBN and DBN (A_{21} for tightly bound water (TBW); A_{22} for softly bound water (SBW); A_{23} for free water (FW)).

Noodles	$A_{21}/\%$	$A_{22}/\%$	$A_{23}/\%$
FBN-20%	18.03 ± 0.29 ^{b1} B	81.60 ± 0.24 ^{a1} A	0.37 ± 0.28 ^{b1} B
DBN-20%	93.58 ± 0.67 ^{a2} A	3.64 ± 0.90 ^{a2} B	2.78 ± 0.25 ^{c2} A
FBN-50%	19.63 ± 1.32 ^{b1} B	78.27 ± 1.55 ^{b1} A	2.10 ± 0.24 ^{a1} B
DBN-50%	89.86 ± 0.77 ^{b2} A	3.66 ± 0.67 ^{a2} B	6.34 ± 0.23 ^{b2} A
FBN-80%	24.88 ± 0.12 ^{a1} B	72.51 ± 0.14 ^{c1} A	2.61 ± 0.07 ^{a1} B
DBN-80%	87.65 ± 1.43 ^{c2} A	3.85 ± 1.12 ^{a2} B	8.50 ± 1.59 ^{a2} A

*The a1, b1 and c1 in a column indicate the proportion of TBW, SBW, and FW respectively within FBN-20/50/80 % is significantly different at $p < 0.05$; The a2, b2, and c2 in a column indicate the proportion of TBW, SBW, and FW respectively within DBN-20/50/80 % is significantly different at $p < 0.05$; The A and B of FBN and DBN with the same addition of extruded buckwheat flour indicate significantly different at $p < 0.05$.

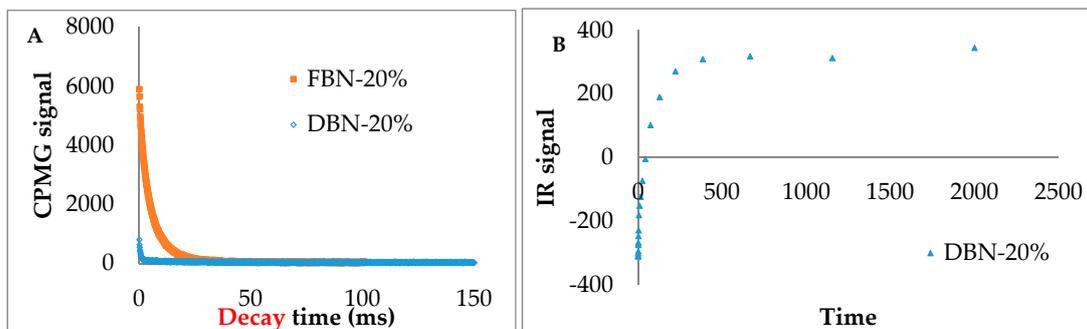


Figure S1. CPMG (A) and IR (B) signal of noodles

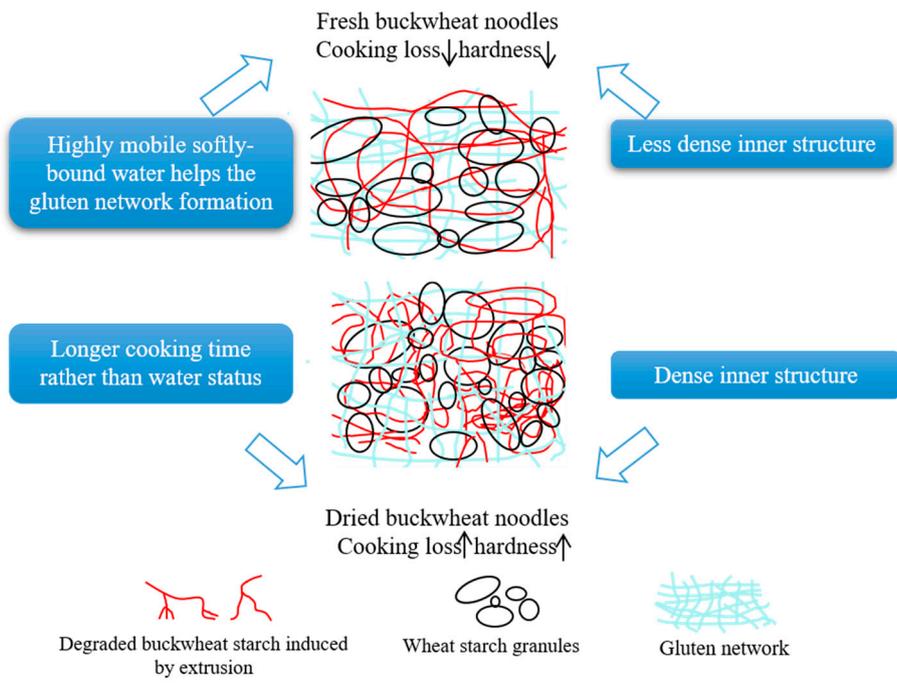


Figure S2. Graphical abstract