

Phileo Focus



Last 4th of April 2017, Phileo Vietnam organized a monogastric seminar in Ho Chi Minh City – Vietnam focused on sustainable solutions to face new challenge in animal production



Vietnamese livestock and feed industry is a very fast growing market facing important technical and economic challenges. Consumer is demanding more and safer meat while Vietnamese tropical condition (sanitary pressure, heat stress...) can be very challenging for animal health and farms performances. As explained by **Pascal Termignon- Phileo APAC Director**- Phileo is proposing to the market sustainable solution to face these different challenges.

Nutritional management of modern productive sows have been presented by Mr **Gilles Langeoire - Swine nutritionist**. He presented the factorial approach developed by INRA (French National Research Institute) allowing a better evaluation of sows nutritional requirements, conditioning good lactation litter performances. Novative approaches such as adaptation of diet depending on sows genetics have been also presented.

Mr **Fabio Catunda, Global Swine Manager Phileo** made a speech about new perspectives offered by Probiotic Actisaf® Live Yeast to enhance sows performances. News scientific data showing improvement of immunity and nutrition in sows have been presented. Particularly, Mr Catunda presented the better diet efficiency and increase of Volatil Fatty acids production in hindgut under Actisaf supplementation, allowing better nutritional supply in sows during lactation. Lastly, he presented Actisaf Probiotic benefits improving sows prolificacy in modern sows farm in South East Asia.

In Poultry, heat stress remains an important concern for Vietnamese poultry production. Poultry producers must limit as much as possible their losses, and naturally seek for help and new solutions to limit the negative impacts of this challenging period.

Dr. Jose Ignacio Barragan, consultant dedicated to poultry production since 1982, shared his knowledge on birds thermal stress. After defining the phenomenon, he explained how heat stress affects poultry production, referring to scientific researches and field data collected in Spain and Latin America thanks to a specific tool he developed. Then, he discussed practical solutions to apply on the farm, and suggested several nutritional solutions to manage heat stress in poultry production.

Ms. Laurine Faivre, Phileo APAC Poultry Manager, presented Safmannan®, premium yeast fraction solution to counteract heat stress. Phileo is investing significantly in scientific research and collaboration with recognised universities to understand and explain the mode of action of Safmannan®. Recent scientific results, as well as field trials, proved that Safmannan® helps to reduce the negative impacts of heat stress by modulating physiological parameters such as thyroid hormone, corticosterone and even immunity.



The seminar ended with a great questions and answers session facilitating information sharing about the swine and poultry sustainable solution.