

# SUSTAINABILITY AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS OF FEED ADDITIVES

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# You are feeding the world successfully





#### Humans are winning the battle for food security

- People in chronic hunger conditions decreased from 25% (in 1992) to 12% (in 2015)
- Life expectancy went up from 52 (1960) to 71 years (2014).
- More population, more food and a higher life expectancy





Source: http://www.fao.org/hunger/en/

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Source: http://www.unicef.org/sowc2012/urbanmap/



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## 2050 global demands & constraints

#### Demand

+70% Agricultural production

+110% cereals +140% soybeans +135% meat

Source: Rabobank, 2012; Mensbrugghe, D. van der, et al., 2009; FAO 2006



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#### Protein consumption is linked to GDP



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Source: USDA 1990-2013, EIU, BCG analysis

# We should act now:

- Good quality nutrition is a human right and ending hunger and malnutrition within planetary boundaries is the next step in our civilization.
- So consumption has to change.

## We should act now:

• But we have to change the way we produce food as well.

#### A sustainable food production system..

- ...has to have a positive impact in the wellbeing of People
- ...has to be able to generate **Profit** for the producer
- --has to have a low impact on the ecology of the Planet





### Animal proteins are important in a healthy, nutritious diet

- A healthy, nutritious diet is fundamental to our physical, mental and economic wellbeing.
- Protein is a key part of a healthy, nutritious diet, and should account for approximately 10-15% of our daily intake.
- The food we get from animals (meat, fish, eggs and dairy) usually has a more complete amino acid profile, and they are seen as 'high-quality proteins'.



### Animal proteins are important in a healthy, nutritious diet

- Animal food sources supply all of the essential amino acids and are an important source of micronutrients (vitamins and minerals) and omega-3 poly-unsaturated fatty acids.
- Animal food sources have been an essential part of food cultures globally for a long time and many people enjoy the texture, the taste and the culture around it.
- Today, the amount of meat, eggs, milk, and fish that the average consumer eats has never been higher.



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Source: http://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/sustainable-development-goals/



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# What are feed additives:

EU: 'feed additives' means substances, micro-organisms or preparations, other than feed material and premixtures, which are intentionally added to feed or water in order to perform a specific function related to a particular target.





# 1. Complementing feed formulations, correcting inadequacies





# 2. Improved digestibility and reduced nutrient excretion

#### Use of enzymes reduces FCR, feed cost and environmental impact

Protease use not only reduces the level of dietary protein needed, but also reduces digestive issues and leads to improved welfare

#### Phytase Carbohydrase Proteinases Emulsifiers

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Phosphorus is a finite resource. Unlocking plant bound phosphorus through the use of phytase has reduced feed costs and environmental impact of animal production





12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION

Increase efficiency in the use of resources like energy, water, grains and vegetable proteins



Reduction of CO2 and NH3



Reduce the risk of overfishing by increasing the availability of responsibly produced nutritious fish. Reduction of P pollution in fresh water sources



Reduction on the arable land needed per unit of animal protein



## 3. Improved gut function

#### **Eubiotics Acidifiers**

Increased animal productivity, digestibility and reduced use of antibiotics



 Essential oil compounds interact with cell wall receptors in the pancreas and stimulate increased secretion of key digestive enzymes including lipase, amylase and trypsin



 Other essential oils attack the cell walls of specific classes of bacteria, making the cell wall more permeable, making it easier for benzoic acid to enter the cell



 Benzoic acid enters the bacterial cell and disrupts cell function by reducing the pH in the cell, depleting cell energy reserves 3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING Reduction in the use of antibiotic growth promoters



Healthier animals and therefore increased welfare



Reduce the risk of overfishing by increasing the availability of responsibly produced nutritious fish, lower mortality.



Reduction on the arable land needed per unit of animal protein due to increased nutrient utilization



### 4. Reduction of green house gasses



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# 5. Precision feeding to achieve a particular food product characteristic



Enriched animal (milk, eggs and fish) for a better nutrition

Increase shelf life of meat, eggs and fish, attractiveness

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# We should act, measure and communicate to farmers, consumers and agencies!





Source: eggfarmers.ca

### So what can you do?

Keep providing a nutritious diet to the world population. Produce food using the proper feed additives:

- It generates **Profit** for you
- It has a low impact on the ecology of the Planet
- It will have a positive impact in the wellbeing of **People**





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