

Table S2. Effect of supplementing feed additives on apparent total tract digestibility (nutrient retention)

	Total tract nutrient retention (g /kg)		
	DM	EE	CP
V	78.09	91.8	88.2
C	76.09	91.6	88.8
Y	77.6	92.2	88.2
EO1	77.0	92.3	88.0
EO2	77.1	92.2	88.7
SEM	0.535	0.187	0.277
N	4	4	4
P value	0.154	0.089	0.254

C, control (basal diet); V; virginiamycin (40g/ton); Y, Yeast (*S. cerevisiae*, 25 billion CFU/g;500g/ton); EO1, Essential oil mix immobilized microspheres (200g/ton), EO2, Essential oil mix immobilized microspheres (400g/ton); P, probability; N, number of replicates; SEM, standard error mean