

Special Issue

Marbling Fat in Livestock

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue of *Animals* is dedicated to meat quality, in particular as it relates to intramuscular fat (IMF). The study of IMF can be focused on any livestock species (ruminants, swine, poultry, etc.) and on different aspects of its origin, development and meat quality attributes, either from the standpoint of genetics, genomics, biochemistry, histology, physiology, nutritional management, industrial characteristics or assessment methodology, as well as other related research fields including animal modelling for human health and nutrition.

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