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Nutritional Strategies for Higher-Quality Products and Sustainable Animal Production

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There is a constant need to improve the quality of animal products and the efficiency of animal production in order to feed a rapidly growing population. The key element in sustainable animal production is animal nutrition, which affects almost every sector of animal production.

The aim of the current Special Issue is to publish highquality original scientific articles, paying special (but not exclusively) attention to the following topics: the effect of animal nutrition and feeding strategies on the efficiency and sustainability of animal production systems: nutritional quality and content in bioactive compounds of products of animal origin; novel approaches and strategies in the nutrition and feeding of animals in the context of climate change; advances in novel animal alternative feed; exploring the use of innovative prebiotics, probiotics, natural extracts and by-products in non-ruminant feeding. In addition, this Special Issue encourages the simultaneous development of innovative feeding strategies aimed at improving animal welfare and health, as well as reducing environmental pollution on animal farms.

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