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Nutrient Metabolism and Feed Nutritional Values in Sows

Message from the Guest Editors

An accurate assessment or prediction of feed nutritional values through traditional or machine learning methods is a prerequisite for sows to achieve precise and required nutrition. Improving nutrient utilization efficiency of sows by utilizing new technologies or methods is also of great significance for improving feed utilization efficiency. Exploring the metabolism of nutrients in high-yielding sows is crucial for achieving high sow yields. The aim of this Special Issue is to present original research articles and reviews regarding the traditional or novel feed nutrition value estimation or prediction of sows, new methods for improving feed efficiency, and nutrition metabolism in high-yielding sows.

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