

BOOST FEED INTAKE FROM DAY ONE



The appetite stimulant for piglets feed

Feed intake is critical to piglets at weaning. Inadequate feed intake can lead to poor daily gain and impaired life time performance. Key to successful weaning is not how much, but more importantly when piglets eat. The sooner the better!

The benefits of Delistart®

- Stimulates early feed intake
- Eases stress around weaning
- Avoids the “growth check”
- Improves average daily gain

How it works...

Maximizing early feed intake

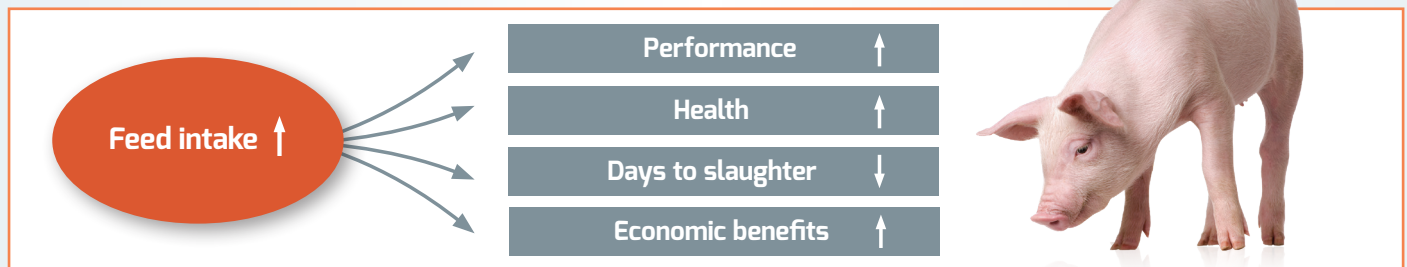


The abrupt change in the environment, but also the dietary changes piglets experience around weaning is a tremendous stressor in a pig's life. The adjustment to only solid feed combined with the environmental changes quite often lead to diarrhea, reduced feed intake and a decrease in weight gain during the first weeks post-weaning.

Providing a palatable diet during the time around weaning is of high importance and supports piglets to overcome the stress of weaning. Even in well-managed, high performing units piglets often do not consume enough feed during the weaning period to achieve their genetic potential.

Provide specific taste cues

There are many factors that influence feed intake including the quality and palatability of the diet. Pigs are extremely sensitive to taste, much more so than humans, and research has shown that the palatability of a diet can influence feeding behavior. Delistart® is a combination of flavouring and appetizing substances formulated specifically for inclusion into creep and starter feeds to provide specific taste cues that will stimulate feed intake. Delistart® is the result of a continued development by Adisseo to stimulate feed intake.



Proven in practice

An independent university conducted a trial to compare commercial available options to improve voluntary feed intake. The UMAMI concept was proven to be not as effective as any of the other options in terms of its effects on feed intake and daily gain. Delistart® improved feed intake and average daily gain compared to other available intake enhancers.

