

Editorial news and events

The 20th Anniversary of the *Journal of Animal and Feed Sciences*

The *Journal of Animal and Feed Sciences* has been published by the Kielanowski Institute of Animal Physiology and Nutrition in Jabłonna since 1991. It is a continuation of the Polish-language journal, *Roczniki Nauk Rolniczych. Seria B, Zootechniczna*, which had been published by the Polish Academy of Sciences since 1969.

Most of the papers published in *JAFS* are related to basic and applied sciences in animal physiology as well as in feed preparation and its evaluation in animal nutrition.

By the effort and very systematic work of the Editorial Board, with its Head, Professor Jan Kowalczyk, co-editors: Professors Teresa Żebrowska and Stefania Smulikowska, secretary, Professor Aleksandra Ziotecka, language reviewer, Dr. Joanna Śmigielska, and editorial assistant, Ewa Sałek, *JAFS* was the first Polish animal sciences journal to appear on the list of the Philadelphia Institute; our IF for the year 2010 is 0.659.

The high standard of the manuscripts published in *JAFS* depends very much on the material submitted by authors from various outstanding research units, but also on the reviewers, who, for many years, have dedicated their valuable time to helping the Editorial Board select the best subjects for further volumes of *JAFS*.

Here we would like to express our deep gratitude for your cooperation!

JAFS is recognized in many countries all over the world. To date, a total of 994 manuscripts have been published. They were submitted from:

- Europe – Belgium (6), Bulgaria (1), Croatia (2), Czech Republic (26), Denmark (23), Finland (9), France (5), Greece (3), Hungary (5), Ireland (2), Italy (4), Lithuania (1), Germany (46), Great Britain (23), Norway (5), the Netherlands (6), Poland (512), Russia (4), Serbia (1), Slovakia (29), Slovenia (1), Spain (36), Switzerland (4), Sweden (1), Ukraine (2),
- Asia – Bangladesh (2), China (66), India (11), Iran (9), Israel (7), Japan (9), Jordan (2), South Korea (13), Malaysia (5), Samoa (3), Taiwan (4), Turkey (23), Vietnam (1),
- Africa – Cameroon (2), Egypt (2), Ethiopia (1), Ghana (10), Nigeria (2), RSA (1), Senegal (2), Sudan (1), Tanzania (1), Tunis (1), Zambia (1), Zimbabwe (1),

- North America – Canada (20), USA (18), Mexico (5), Cuba (5),
- South America – Argentina (1), Brasil (7),
- New Zealand (1).

All of them have played a very important role in popularizing the subject matter of the research being carried out on these continents. They also help keep track of achievements and open new opportunities for cooperation.

We invite you, dear Readers, to remain with us and continue your cooperation with our Journal.

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