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Conference Report

The Conference on "Physiology of young animal nutrition – the influence of feed additives on digestive tract and animal health" was organised in the frame of the International Network Project co-ordinated by the Kielanowski Institute of Animal Physiology and Nutrition and was held in Warsaw on 1 December 2000.

The aim of the conference was to present and discuss the results of the recent studies in the project and possible application of the results in practice.

Scientists from France, Germany, Netherlands, Sweden and Poland presented papers on:

- physiological significance of non-digestible oligosaccharides in pig and broiler chickens nutrition
- stimulation of digestive secretion as an alternative to the of exogenous enzymes
- feed enzymes in pigs and chickens nutrition
- effect of glutamine and its derivatives on the digestive tract function
- mechanisms of protection of the dietary protein from bacterial fermentation in monogastrics.

Papers presented at the conference are published in "Przegląd Hodowlany" Vol. 69 No 2, 2001 (in Polish).

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