

Title (en)  
METHOD FOR CONDITIONING ANIMALS WITH POLYUNSATURATED FATTY ACIDS RESULTING MEAT PRODUCTS AND PIG CARCASS FAT

Title (de)  
VERFAHREN ZUR KONDITIONIERUNG VON TIEREN MIT MEHRFACH UNGESÄTTIGTEN FETTSÄUREN, SO ERHALTENE FLEISCHPRODUKTE UND SCHWEINESCHLACHTKÖRPERFETT

Title (fr)  
PROCEDE DE TRAITEMENT DES ANIMAUX AVEC DES ACIDES GRAS POLYINSATURES, GRAISSE DE CARCASSE PORCINE ET PRODUITS CARNES RESULTANTS

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: WO03028474A1] A method of conditioning an animal for slaughter with a view to obtaining a meat product of enhanced nutritional value with regard to polyunsaturated fatty acid, which comprises administering to the animal a feed comprising elevated levels of polyunsaturated fatty acids, wherein the feed includes fatty acids of the C18, n-6 and n-3 series, and wherein said method additionally comprises administering further polyunsaturated fatty acids of the C20 and C22, n-3 series, whereby the polyunsaturated fatty acid content of the meat is improved and the fat firmness of the meat is maintained in a satisfactory physical condition. A method for adapting an animal feed for a meat-producing animal, wherein the feed is adapted by including therein said polyunsaturated fatty acids. A method of modifying the composition of animal fat in a meat product comprising administering to an animal to be bred for its meat the said polyunsaturated fatty acids, as well as the meat product resulting therefrom, preferably pig meat or pig carcass fat.

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