AAFCO Check Sample 0928 Senior Pig starter, Medicated

Administrative

The link to the Collaborative Check Sample Program page on the AAFCO website is provided below. <u>http://www.aafco.org/NewsandInformation/AAFCOCheckSampleProgram/tabid/74/Default.aspx</u> Use this link to access all relevant program documents and forms, and also link to the Summary reports page.

2010 Program sign-up

Please watch your emails in the next couple of weeks for the 2010 Program invoice. The pricing for 2010 remains the same as in 2009 (US & Canada \$255 for 12 months, International \$300 for 12 months). For current participants we will provide customized invoice forms. Please update the current information as appropriate before you send in your payment. Thanks so much for your continued support of our Program.

Sample 2009-29 Medicated Preconditioning / Receiving Chow

Due to the high fiber content of this sample, grinding caused clumping and there was a tendency for the fiber clumps to segregate, particularly during shipment of the sample. This sample is documented as a non-homogeneous sample. This should be taken into consideration when evaluating your performance scores.

Analyte	Estimated	AAFCO Grand	% of Estimated
	Analysis	Average (Pass 2)*	Analysis
Crude Protein, min	19.00 %	21.5461 %	113.40
Crude Fat ¹ , min	4.50 %	3.6757 %	81.68
Crude Fiber, max	3.50 %	2.8778 %	82.22
Calcium (Ca), min	0.75 %	0.7494 %	99.92
Phosphorus (P), min	0.70 %	0.5919 %	84.56
Salt (from NaCl), min	0.50 %	0.6079 %	121.58
Sodium (Na), min	0.15 %	0.2078 %	138.53
Lysine, min	1.35 %	1.3408 %	99.32
Zinc, min	200 PPM	388.768 PPM	194.38
Phytase (ronozyme), min	839 FTU/LB	967.917 KU/LB	115.37
Carbadox, min	0.0055 %	0.00538 %	97.82

Analytical

* Method Group results

¹Method Group 003.XX

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Five out of twelve reporting labs were screened as outliers (four with a potential high bias, one low) compared to the method group average.

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