

Summary of feed additives with scientific evidence evaluating efficacy against viral pathogens in swine feed

Multiple feed additives are on the market to provide nutritional support to pigs through a wide range of production stages using numerous types of active ingredients and mechanisms of action. Through scientific evaluation, many of these products have demonstrated evidence of reducing the detection and infectivity of viruses when inoculated in an experimental setting. Additionally, products have been developed with specific label claims to maintain *Salmonella*negative status of feeds or feed ingredients.

However, claims of efficacy for reduction of viral contamination have not been reviewed and approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration for many of the products described in this document. Therefore, within this document there are no claims directed (whether stated or implied) beyond what is provided on the manufacturer label.

The goal of this document is to provide a brief summary of publically available information for products which have been evaluated within experimental viral inoculation settings. For additional information on feed safety related topics, please see:



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of published studies Total # of published Company **Product name** Active ingredient(s) Inclusion, lb/ton Pricing¹ documenting efficacy² studies ADM DaaFit & Lauric and myristic acids and 10 (Daafit S) \$\$ 1 1 DaaFit S glycerol monolaurate 6 (Daafit) DaaFit PLUS Lauric Acid, GML-90, formic acid, ADM 10 1 1 --short chain fatty acids Alltech Guardian Lactic acid. propionic acid. essential 8 (dry) \$\$\$ (dry) 3 3 oils 5.3 (liquid) \$\$ (liquid) Formaldehyde, propionic acid Termin8 Anitox 6 0 0 ---(liquid or powder form) Formic acid, propionic acid, pHorce Anpario 6 ŚŚ 1 1 ammonium formate **DSM Nutritional** VVC Premix Blend of essential oil compounds 7 \$ 2 3 Products and benzoic acid Feed Energy R2 Short, medium, long chain fatty 60 (R2 active \$ (active acids and essential oils ingredients along 1 1 ingredient) with added fats/oils) Glycerol monolaurate Feedworks USA LipoVital \$\$ 0 0 2 to 4 GL-90 Form A Feed Prohibio-R Medium chain fatty acid and 4-5 \$\$\$ 0 0 monoglyceride, organic acids Monoglycerides, Essential oil, Furst McNess Furst Protect 8 \$\$\$ 1 1 natural extracts Monoglyceride blend, organic acids Kemin FeedSURE MG 3.3 to 7.7 \$\$ 1 1 Kemin Sal CURB Formaldehyde, propionic acid Ś 8 8 6.5 Organic acids, 2-Hydroxy-4-Novus Activate DA \$\$\$ 10 2 3 Methylthio Butanoic acid PMI Vitacv Blend of activated medium chain 4 \$ 0 0 FeedLock fatty acids \$ 8 1 1 Provimi Vigilex Fatty acids \$\$ to \$\$\$ Dual Defender 2 1 1 Ralco Phytonutrients

¹Pricing at recommended inclusion. \$ = < \$10/treated ton; \$\$ = \$10-15/treated ton; \$\$\$ = > \$15/treated ton. --- indicates that pricing estimate not available.

² Efficacy defined as a reduction in the infectivity of viral samples (PEDV, PRRSV, SVA, ASFV, FMDV) using either a cell culture based assay or swine bioassay. Other non-peer reviewed data may be available to support the products such as meeting abstracts and proceedings, but not considered in this summary.



Company	ADM
Product name	DaaFit and DaaFit S
Description	A source of medium chain fatty acids.
Active ingredients	A source of fatty acids, including lauric and myristic acids and glycerol monolaurate.
Application form	Dry flowable product delivered in either a summer (DaaFit S) or a winter (DaaFit) formula. Winter formula used approximately 55% less inclusion rate per ton.
Additional equipment necessary?	N/A
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	DaaFit: 3-6 lb/ton
	DaaFit S: 4-10 lb/ton
Cost estimate	\$10-15/treated ton (\$\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	Proper PPE (eye protection N95, etc).
Distribution channel	Provided by ADM/Pancosma
Peer-reviewed publications	<u>Dee et al., 2020</u>
Website	Link
Contact information	animalnutrition@adm.com



Company	ADM
Product name	DaaFit PLUS
Description	Feed acidification and a source of medium chain fatty acids.
Active ingredients	MCFA's (Lauric Acid, GML-90) and SCFA's (Formic Acid, Ammonium Formate, Benzoic Acid, Lactic Acid, Acetic Acid, Citric Acid)
Application form	Dry flowable product
Additional equipment necessary?	N/A
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	10 lb/treated ton
Cost estimate	
Regulatory/safety considerations	Proper PPE (eye protection N95, etc).
Distribution channel	Provided by ADM/Pancosma
Peer-reviewed publications	<u>Dee et al., 2020</u>
Website	<u>Link</u>
Contact information	animalnutrition@adm.com



Company	Alltech
Product name	Guardian
Description	Acidifier for all classes of swine feed
Active ingredients	Lactic acid, propionic acid, essential oils
Application form	Dry or liquid
Additional equipment necessary?	Additional equipment would be required for liquid product. No
	additional equipment needed for dry product.
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	8 for dry product, 5.3 for liquid product
Cost estimate	Dry: > \$15/treated ton (\$\$\$)
	Liquid: \$10-15/treated ton (\$\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	None reported
Distribution channel	Direct through Alltech or through feed companies
Peer-reviewed publications	Dee et al., 2020 - PEDV, PRRSV, SVA
	<u>Dee et al., 2020 - PEDV</u>
	Stenfeldt et al., 2021
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Russell Gilliam, 515-708-1968; rgilliam@alltech.com



Company	Anitox
Product name	Termin-8 Liquid/Termin-8 Powder
Description	Formaldehyde and organic acid combination for feed application
Active ingredients	Premixture of Aqueous Formaldehyde (37%) used to maintain complete animal feeds or feed ingredients salmonella negative for up to 21 days and Propionic Acid (a preservative) used as a chemical preservative for control of mold in feed or feed ingredients.
Application form	Liquid or dry
Additional equipment necessary?	Yes, Anitox provides equipment for application of liquid product.
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	6 lb/ton for liquid form; Finished feeds or feed ingredients must prominently display the statement: "Treated with formaldehyde to maintain feed Salmonella negative. Use within 21 days."
Cost estimate	Contact Melissa Schlabs; mschlabs@anitox.com or 1-470-457-5438
Regulatory/safety considerations	May require EPA air permitting. OSHA Formaldehyde standard compliance required. Anitox regulatory team can provide guidance and support to help you meet these requirements.
Distribution channel	Direct through Anitox.
Supplemental materials	Cochrane et al., 2015
Peer-reviewed publications	
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Amy Patterson, 1-470-364-2077, apatterson@anitox.com



Company	Anpario
Product name	pHorce (pronounced force)
Description	Feed additive for the acidification of feed
Active ingredients	Silicon Dioxide, Formic Acid (acidifying agent), Propionic Acid (a preservative), Ammonium Formate (acidifying agents).
Application form	Dry
Additional equipment necessary?	No
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	6 (see note 1)
Cost estimate	\$10-15/treated ton (\$\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	Acid based product, classified as hazardous for shipping. MSDS provided to all customers to describe safe handling and product usage.
Distribution channel	Direct through Anpario
Peer-reviewed publications	<u>Dee et al., 2020</u>
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Phil Burke, National Accounts Manager Swine and Turkey, 507-509- 3881, phil.burke@anpario.com
¹ Ongoing work evaluating 5, 4, and	3 lb/ton inclusions. Data not yet available



Company	DSM Nutritional Products
Product name	VVC Premix
Description	Flavoring product and acidifier approved for swine diets
Active ingredients	Blend of essential oil compounds and pure benzoic acid
Application form	Dry
Additional equipment necessary?	No
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	7
Cost estimate	< \$10/treated ton (\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	N/A
Distribution channel	Direct through DSM
Peer-reviewed publications	<u>Gebhardt et al., 2018</u>
	<u>Dee et al., 2020</u>
	<u>Zhai et al., 2021</u>
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Dr. Jon Bergstrom (jon.bergstrom@dsm.com); Dr. Sara Hough
	(sara.hough@dsm.com)
¹ Can be added as two separate products (CRINA Piglets AF at 0.24 lb/ton and VevoVitall 6 lb/ton), or in a	
single premix called VVC Premix at 7	7 lb/ton inclusion.



Company	Feed Energy
Product name	R2
Description	Lipid-based anti-pathogenic product along with gut health benefits to animals.
Active ingredients	Low pKa lipid based ingredients with proprietary combination of short, medium and long chain fatty acids and essential oils.
Application form	Liquid; delivered through fats/oils.
Additional equipment necessary?	May not require any separate dosing system if the feed mill is already equipped with fat application system. Equipment must be able to handle lower pH. Feed Energy can assist in proper equipment setup as needed.
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	60 lb/treated ton dose (per desired fat/oil inclusion) evaluated by Dee et al. (2020)
Cost estimate	< 10/ton (\$); Active ingredients without added fats/oils; Specific pricing available by request: 515-263-0408
Regulatory/safety considerations	None reported
Distribution channel	Direct through Feed Energy
Peer-reviewed publications	<u>Dee et al., 2020</u>
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Feed Energy Company Sales and Marketing, 515-263-0408



Company	Feedworks USA
Product name	LipoVital GL-90
Description	Energy source for animal feed
Active ingredients	Glycerol monolaurate, 99%
Application form	Dry
Additional equipment necessary?	None required
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	2 to 4 lb/ton
Cost estimate	\$10-15/treated ton (\$\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	None reported
Distribution channel	Direct through Feedworks USA
Peer-reviewed publications	
Website	Website Link
Contact information	info@feedworks.com

The active ingredient glycerol monolaurate has been evaluated in a number of published research trials. However, exact product marketed by Feedworks USA has not been evaluated in peer-reviewed publications. Research documenting the efficacy of similar glycerol monolaurate-based products is available:

- Jackman et al., 2020 review
- Jackman et al., 2020 ASFV



Company	Form A Feed
Product name	Prohibio-R
Description	Nutritional support product for swine to address challenges that impact pig gut health.
Active ingredients	Medium chain fatty acid and medium chain monoglyceride, organic acids.
Application form	Dry flowable product
Additional equipment necessary?	N/A
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	4-5
Cost estimate	> \$15/treated ton (\$\$\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	Proper PPE (eye protection N95, etc).
Distribution channel	Direct through Form-A-Feed company and its affiliated dealerships.
Peer-reviewed publications	
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Dr. Mark Whitney (507-380-2644, markwhitney@formafeed.com) or FAF (1-800-422-3649).



Company	Furst McNess
Product name	Furst Protect
Description	A source of emulsifying agents and natural flavor
Active ingredients	Monoglycerides, Essential oil, natural extracts
Application form	Dry
Additional equipment necessary?	No
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	8
Cost estimate	> \$15/treated ton (\$\$\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	N/A
Distribution channel	Direct through Furst McNess
Peer-reviewed publications	<u>Dee et al., 2020</u>
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Contact Link
Product is also available as Furst Pro	otect Direct, which is provided through drinking water via stock solution

at 1:128 dilution.



Company	Kemin
Product name	FeedSURE MG
Description	Monoglyceride blend and organic acids to be used as a liquid energy source for animal feed and feed ingredients.
Active ingredients	Proprietary blend of monoglycerides and organic acids (preservative).
Application form	Liquid
Additional equipment necessary?	A liquid application system is needed for accurate and efficient application to feeds and feed ingredients. Site-specific application system is designed, fabricated, installed, commissioned, and serviced by the Kemin Application Solutions team. Cost of system varies depending on application needs. Supply agreement is available to support system implementation.
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	3.3 to 7.7 lb/ton
Cost estimate	\$10-15/treated ton (\$\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	N/A
Distribution channel	Direct through Kemin Pathogen Control Team
Peer-reviewed publications	Phillips et al., 2021
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Mark Bienhoff, DVM; Pathogen Control Team Leader <u>mark.bienhoff@kemin.com</u>



Company	Kemin
Product name	Sal CURB
Description	Maintains Salmonella-negative status of complete feeds and feed ingredients for up to 21 days and controls mold in feeds or feed ingredients.
Active ingredients	Blend of aqueous formaldehyde 30% solution and propionic acid
Application form	Liquid
Additional equipment necessary?	Yes, additional information available through Kemin.
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	6.5
Cost estimate	< \$10/treated ton (\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	A liquid application system is needed for accurate and efficient application to feeds and feed ingredients. Site-specific application system is designed, fabricated, installed, commissioned, and serviced by the Kemin Application Solutions team. Cost of system varies. Supply agreement is available to support system implementation.
Distribution channel	Direct through Kemin Pathogen Control Team
Supplemental materials	 <u>Sal CURB ASF Liquid Antimicrobial: Internal Research Summary</u> ASFV Patent
Peer-reviewed publications	 <u>Dee et al., 2014</u> <u>Dee et al., 2015</u> <u>Dee et al., 2016</u> <u>Cochrane et al., 2020</u> <u>Dee et al., 2020</u> <u>Niederwerder et al., 2020</u> <u>Tran et al., 2020</u> <u>Stenfeldt et al., 2021</u>
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Mark Bienhoff, DVM; Pathogen Control Team Leader mark.bienhoff@kemin.com



Company	Novus
Product name	Activate DA
Description	Nutritional feed acid
Active ingredients	Granular organic acids, 2-Hydroxy-4-Methylthio Butanoic acid (HMTBa).
Application form	Dry
Additional equipment necessary?	No
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	10 lb/ton (data evaluating 3 and 10 lb/ton inclusion rates)
Cost estimate	> \$15/treated ton (\$\$\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	Not provided by manufacturer
Distribution channel	Not provided by manufacturer
Supplemental materials	Data Sheet Link
Peer-reviewed publications	Trudeau et al., 2016
	Cottingim et al., 2017
	<u>Dee et al., 2020</u>
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Web Contact
	1-314-576-8886



Company	PMI
Product name	Vitacy Feedlock
Description	Source of activated medium-chain fatty acids formulated to help address risk factors in swine feeds.
Active ingredients	Blend of medium chain fatty acids
Application form	Dry (bag or tote) or liquid
Additional equipment necessary?	Additional equipment would be required for liquid product. No additional equipment needed for dry product.
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	4 for dry product, 2.5 for liquid product
Cost estimate	< \$10/treated ton (\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	N/A
Distribution channel	Marketed by PMI, distributed through NutraBlend.
Peer-reviewed publications	
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Todd Clevenger, tlclevenger@landolakes.com, 260-438-6383

Exact composition of product is not publically available, although it is a medium chain fatty acid (MCFA)based product. Research documenting the efficacy of similar medium chain fatty acids is available:

- <u>Dee et al., 2016</u>
- Cochrane et al., 2020
- Lerner et al., 2020
- Niederwerder et al., 2020

Exact composition and inclusion rates of MCFA of Vitacy Feedlock is not known and no publications are available with the commercial product.



Company	Provimi
Product name	Vigilex
Description	Feed additive for the acidification of feed
Active ingredients	A proprietary oil blend of fatty acids, bacterial fermentation products, whey products, plant protein and natural flavorings. Concentration of active ingredients are 0.4%.
Application form	Dry
Additional equipment necessary?	No
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	8
Cost estimate	< \$10/treated ton (\$)
Regulatory/safety considerations	N/A
Distribution channel	Direct through Cargill/Provimi
Peer-reviewed publications	<u>Dee et al., 2020</u>
Supplemental materials	Saddoris-Clemons and Ebarb (2020) – AASV Proceedings, available from supplier by request. Ebarb and Saddoris-Clemens (2020) – AASV Proceedings, available from supplier by request.
Website	N/A
Contact information	Matt Ritter, PhD; Provimi North American Pork Team, Cargill Animal Nutrition & Health; <u>mritter@provimi-na.com</u> , (515)520-1808.



Company	Ralco
Product name	Dual Defender
Description	Natural feed supplement that helps support overall health
Active ingredients	An optimized blend of phytonutrients including Microfused Essential Oils and ActiFibe prebiotic fiber.
Application form	Dry
Additional equipment necessary?	No
Recommended inclusion, lb/ton	2
Cost estimate	\$10-15 (\$\$) to > \$15/treated ton (\$\$\$) depending on quantity.
Regulatory/safety considerations	N/A
Distribution channel	Either direct or through network of distribution and dealer partners.
Peer-reviewed publications	<u>Dee et al., 2020</u>
Website	Website Link
Contact information	Ralco Nutrition, Inc. 1-800-533-5306 Link

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