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We're excited to present the fifth edition of our newsletter, which will provide you with updates on our objective.

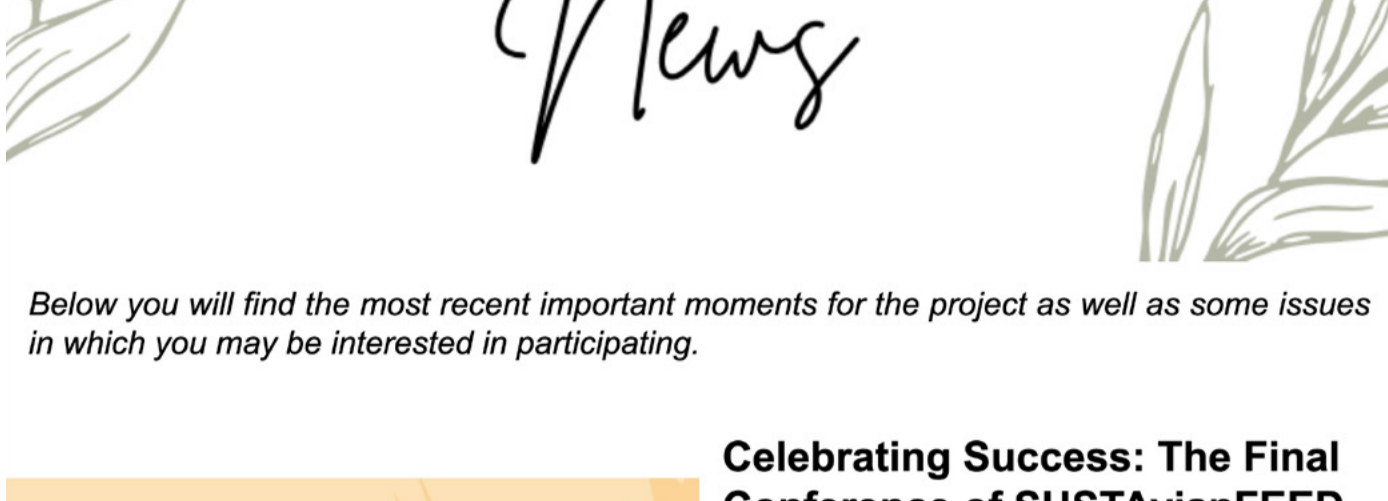
This September, we are thrilled to announce that the final conference of our project will be held in Turin, Italy, during Terra Madre Salone del Gusto 2024. We invite you all to participate and discover the fascinating results we will bring to the discussion. Stay tuned!

In this newsletter, you will find many updates on all of our partners' activities as well as the research we are conducting on sustainable poultry farming. Don't miss our updates, and thank you for being the driving force behind our adventure.

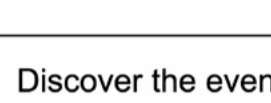
Warm regards,

The SUSTAvianFEED Team

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Below you will find the most recent important moments for the project as well as some issues in which you may be interested in participating.



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Celebrating Success: The Final Conference of SUSTAvianFEED at Terra Madre Salone del Gusto

We are pleased to invite you to attend the final conference of our project, which will be held in Turin (Italy) during Terra Madre Salone del Gusto, from September 26 to 30, 2024. This conference is a significant opportunity to share the results achieved, discuss future challenges, and celebrate the success stories of our partners and participants. Join us for a rich experience of meetings, debates, and discoveries at the heart of one of the most prestigious events dedicated to food culture and sustainability. Don't miss it! Stay tuned following our social media channel to have more info!

Innovative approach to sustainable poultry nutrition at European Symposiums

In the quest for more sustainable and environmentally friendly poultry nutrition, the SUSTAvianFEED project is taking a bold step forward. In this framework, the EGE team, partner of our project, recently showcased its preliminary findings at the XIXth European Symposium on the Quality of Eggs and Egg Products and the XXVth European Symposium on the Quality of Poultry Meat, held in Krakow, Poland, from September 7 to 9, 2023.

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University of Murcia as spokesperson for the project in three international events

The University of Murcia has recently taken center stage as the spokesperson for the project in three significant international events. These events provided a unique platform for the dissemination of research conducted within the project, directly aligning with its main objectives. The University of Murcia's substantial contribution to sustainability and animal welfare in poultry production further emphasized its dedication to these critical goals.

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Navigating the future of sustainable poultry farming: at SEPOR 2023

The SEPOR Industrial and Agri-food Fair, renowned for its pioneering spirit and remarkable influence, has celebrated its 56th edition in October 2023 in Lorca, Spain. Under the banner of "Feeding the Future," this year's SEPOR event was a cornerstone for stakeholders across the agri-food sector. In a world where sustainability is not a mere buzzword but a collective imperative, SEPOR stands as a guiding light for all facets of the agro-industrial chain.

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Empowering women and promoting gender equality in sustainable agriculture

The role of women in animal farming is both significant and multifaceted. Historically, this sector has often been perceived as male-dominated, but women have been making substantial contributions that deserve recognition. Today, more than ever, women are emerging as vital pillars of sustainable and ethical animal farming.

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Embracing biodiversity and indigenous breeds: a sustainable path to reviving tradition

In recent times, the world has been awakened to the urgency of ecological revival and the need for a fundamental shift in our dominant socio-economic model. We are coming to realize that within just a few decades, we have undone centuries of natural evolution guided by time and nature itself.

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The backyard poultry farming sector in Tunisia: current situation and future trend

The poultry sector in Tunisia has undergone a significant transformation over the years, mirroring developments seen in other countries and evolving from traditional family farming to a well-established industry. This sector currently plays a vital role in meeting the country's increasing meat demand accounting for approximately 50% of the total national requirement. In 2023, broiler meat production reached 146,387 tons, with an average annual growth rate of +4.15% since 1985 while egg production amounted to 1,844,617 eggs, growing at an average annual rate of +2.16%.

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Elevating poultry nutrition and unlocking animal health and welfare

In the realm of poultry nutrition, the quest for optimal dietary formulations has long been a focal point. The SUSTAVIANFEED project emerges as a beacon of innovation, weaving together scientific inquiry and practical application to redefine the parameters of poultry nutrition. Building upon a foundation of meticulous research, the project aims to elucidate the nuanced relationship between dietary components and broiler performance, with a particular focus on the inclusion of black soldier fly larvae meal (BSFLM).

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Here below you can find the latest developments and progress within the project. Stay informed about the innovative farming systems, sustainable nutrition formulas, and the role of insects in shaping a more sustainable livestock sector.

Nourishing change: exploring the benefits of dehydrated larvae for poultry welfare and nutrition

In the realm of sustainable poultry farming, the project plays a pivotal role in demystifying innovative practices. This article focuses on the significance of utilizing dehydrated black soldier fly larvae, emphasizing their protein-rich composition and unique attributes.

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Sustainable practices in autochthonous slow-growing chicken farming

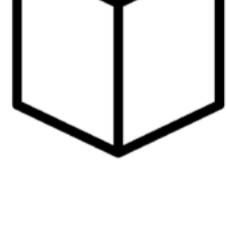
The quest for sustainability in livestock farming has led to innovative approaches in feed development. The latest research from the University of Turin delves into the impact of alternative dietary proteins on autochthonous slow-growing chicken breeds.

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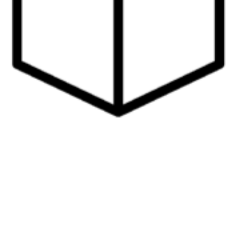
Here, you'll find a curated collection of scientific articles published by our project partners. Dive into thought-provoking reads and explore engaging content related to sustainable poultry feeding. We believe that sharing knowledge and valuable resources is crucial in our collective journey towards a more sustainable future. Happy reading!

Incorporating Whole Insect Larvae into Poultry Diets: State of the Art and Future Perspectives



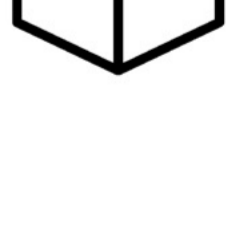
In a publication from the University of Turin, a new era in poultry nutrition is looming with the incorporation of whole insect larvae into diets. Titled "Incorporating Whole Insect Larvae into Poultry Diets: State of the Art and Future Perspectives" the study explores the transformative potential of live and dehydrated insect larvae in enhancing not only the sustainability of poultry diets but also the overall welfare of birds. [\[Read more\]](#)

Does the Provision of Live Black Soldier Fly and Yellow Mealworm Larvae Improve Muscovy Duck Welfare?"



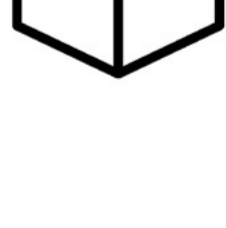
Unlock the secrets to enhanced Muscovy duck welfare with the University of Turin's publication, "Does the Provision of Live Black Soldier Fly and Yellow Mealworm Larvae Improve Muscovy Duck Welfare?" This in-depth study delves into the effects of live black soldier fly (BSF) and yellow mealworm (YM) larvae provision on various aspects of Muscovy duck performance, behavior, and physiological parameters. [\[Read more\]](#)

Improving sustainability in autochthonous slow-growing chicken farming: Exploring new frontiers through the use of alternative dietary proteins



The interplay between animal diet and environmental impact has long been a topic of interest and concern within the scientific community. In a world grappling with increasingly pressing environmental challenges, finding sustainable solutions for animal farming becomes imperative. A recent study conducted by the UNITO, SUSTAvianFEED partner, at an Italian farm tackled this challenge with an innovative and promising approach. [\[Read more\]](#)

PPilow's Scientific publication



One of SUSTAvianFEED partners, Slow Food, is part of another interesting animal welfare approach, [Ppilow](#). This project aims to co-construct through a multi-actor approach solutions to improve the welfare of poultry and pigs reared in organic and low-input outdoor production systems. As part of that project, some interesting scientific publications have been written, which may be of interest to you. [\[Read more\]](#)

If you want to have more info about the project, write to info@sustavianfeed.eu

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