

BREAKING NEWS

FSO - Feed Schemes Observatory - Project Launch

Feed safety schemes are becoming an important feature of the global feed chain. For improving transparency and comparison at all stages within it, representatives of the feed industry have created an international platform of cooperation called the Feed Schemes Observatory (FSO). The first project that will be run under the FSO is the Feed Benchmark Project. [FAMI-QS welcome this joint initiative of the global feed chain.](#)

Launch of FAMI-QS European Training Sessions!

After successful training sessions in France and in Italy, FAMI-QS launches the FAMI-QS Auditors' Training & Info Sessions in Europe. **Limited places available!!!** If you are interested, please contact us quickly (**deadline: 31st of July**).

- Scandinavia > 17 september 2013, Copenhagen.
- Germany > 2 october 2013, Frankfurt.
- Benelux > 13 november 2013, Brussels.

EUROPEAN COMMISSION CORNER

Here is the link pointing to the latest version of the Community Register of Feed Additives pursuant to Reg. (EC) 1831/2003 and released on 2013-06-25 (Appendixes 3 and 4, Annex: List of additives - Rev. 163)

[Community Register of Feed Additives \[Rev. 163\]](#)

Feed additives

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 403/2013 of 2 May 2013 concerning the authorisation of a preparation of endo-1,4-beta-xylanase, endo-1,3(4)-beta-glucanase and endo-1,4-beta-glucanase produced by *Trichoderma reesei* (ATCC 74444) as a feed additive for poultry for fattening and for laying and for weaned piglets and amending Regulations (EC) No 1259/2004, (EC) No 1206/2005 and (EC) No 1876/2006 (holder of authorisation DSM Nutritional Products) ([OJ L 121, 2013-05-03](#))

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 413/2013 of 6 May 2013 concerning the authorisation of a preparation of *Pediococcus acidilactici* CNCM MA 18/5M as a feed additive for use in water for drinking for weaned piglets, pigs for fattening, laying hens and chickens for fattening (holder of authorisation Lallemand SAS) ([OJ L 125, 2013-05-07](#))

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 427/2013 of 8 May 2013 concerning the authorisation of selenomethionine produced by *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* NCYC R646 as a feed additive for all animal species and amending Regulations (EC) No 1750/2006, (EC) No 634/2007 and (EC) No 900/2009 as regards the maximum supplementation with selenised yeast ([OJ L 127, 2013-05-09](#))

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 445/2013 of 14 May 2013 concerning the authorisation of hydroxy-analogue of selenomethionine as a feed additive for all animal species ([OJ L 130, 2013-05-15](#))

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 469/2013 of 22 May 2013 concerning the authorisation of DL-methionine, DL-methionine sodium salt, hydroxy analogue of methionine, calcium salt of hydroxy analogue of methionine, isopropyl ester of hydroxy analogue of methionine, DL-methionine protected with copolymer vinylpyridine/styrene and DL-methionine protected with ethylcellulose as feed additives ([OJ L 136, 2013-05-23](#))

Corrigendum to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 469/2013 of 22 May 2013 concerning the authorisation of DL-methionine, DL-methionine sodium salt, hydroxy analogue of methionine, calcium salt of hydroxy analogue of methionine, isopropyl ester of hydroxy analogue of methionine, DL-methionine protected with copolymer vinylpyridine/styrene and DL-methionine protected with ethylcellulose as feed additives ([OJ L 145, 2013-05-31](#))

Import - Export

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 495/2013 of 29 May 2013 amending Implementing Regulation (EU) No 996/2012 imposing special conditions governing the import of feed and food originating in or consigned from Japan following the accident at the Fukushima nuclear power station ([OJ L 143, 2013-05-30](#))

Labelling and packaging

Commission Regulation (EU) No 487/2013 of 8 May 2013 amending, for the purposes of its adaptation to technical and scientific progress, Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the



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European Parliament and of the Council on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures ([OJ L 149, 2013-06-01](#))

About FAMI-QS

FAMI-QS Asbl is the management and coordination center for the FAMI-QS code of practice. It is the only certifiable code specifically aimed at Specialty Feed Ingredients and Their Mixtures (feed additives, functional feed ingredients, premixtures, specialty complementary feed, specialty complementary dietetic feed) for animal nutrition. The code addresses safety, quality and regulatory compliance in order to minimize the risk that unsafe specialty feed ingredients enter the food and feed chain. It offers independent certification for all operators placing these products on the market. Based on partnership with international certification bodies and third countries institutional partners, it includes more than 750 certified sites spread across more than 49 countries. The current FAMI-QS President is Dr. Dieter Greissing of *Evonik Industries AG*.

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