

Approval of Natuphos® in Sows Published

The approval of Natuphos for the use in sows was published with Regulation 505/2008/EC (OJ L 149 of 7. 6. 2008 p. 33) and entered into force on June, 28, 2008.

The following link will lead you to the Official EU Journal “L149“, where the text is available in different European languages:

[EUR-Lex - Official Journal - 2008 - L 149 /33](#)

This recent publication of the approval of Natuphos in sows completes the registration status of Natuphos. Five different Natuphos products are now available in the EU for seven species and categories of animals under the identification number 4a1600, which means in the category “zootechnical additives” with the functional group “digestibility enhancers” as shown in table 1.

The broad registration of solid and liquid formulations as well as of different product concentrations standard and high concentrated formulations for all relevant species allows the full application of Natuphos in all relevant sectors of animal nutrition.

For the products Natuphos 5000, Natuphos 5000 G(EU) and Natuphos 5000 L we will duly inform our customers about the

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change from **E1600** to **4a1600** to allow correct labeling of the premixes, base mixes and compound feed containing Natuphos.

To give a complete picture on the registration status of Natuphos products under the Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 September 2003 on additives for use in animal nutrition the links to the relevant publications in the Official Journal of the EU are listed below:

[EUR-Lex - Official Journal - 2008 - L 50 /8](#) Use for ducks

[EUR-Lex - Official Journal - 2007 - L 73 /4](#) Use for piglets, pigs for fattening, chickens for fattening

[EUR-Lex - Official Journal - 2007 - L 256 /20](#) Use for laying hens, turkeys for fattening

Table 1: New registration status of Natuphos products in the EU

Species or category of animal (Minimum dosage Units per kg complete feedingstuff)	4a 1600 3-phytase EC 3.1.3.8				
	Natuphos				
	5000	5000 G(EU)	5000 L	10 000 G(EU)	10000 L(EU)
Piglets (weaned) (500 FTU)	X	X	X	X	X
Pigs for fattening (280 FTU)	X	X	X	X	X
Sows (500 FTU)	X	X	X	X	X
Chicken for fattening (375 FTU)	X	X	X	X	X
Turkey (250 FTU)	X	X	X	X	X
Laying hens (250 FTU)	X	X	X	X	X
Ducks (300 FTU)	X	X	X	X	X