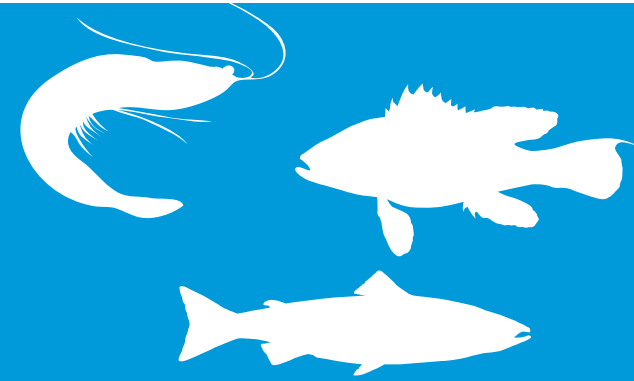


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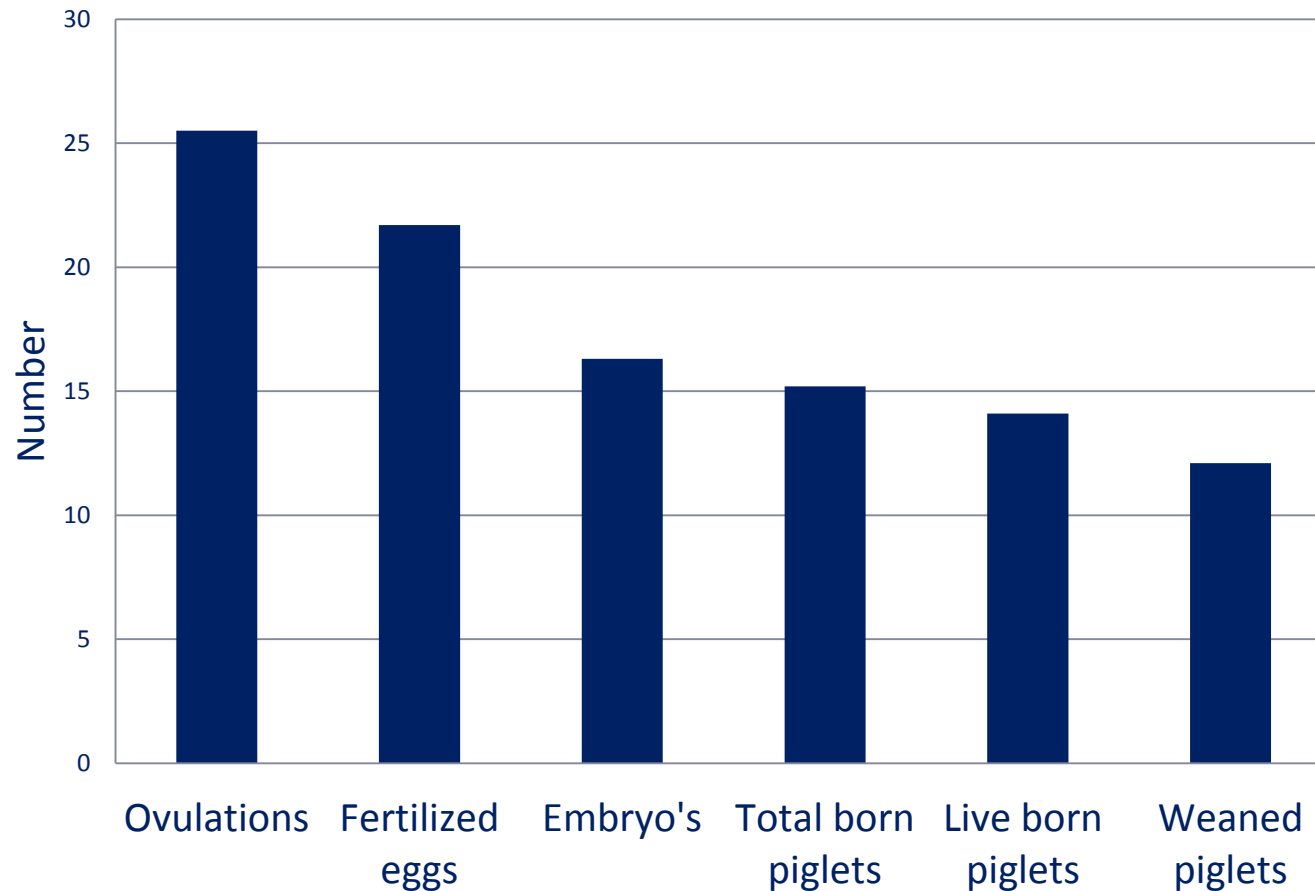
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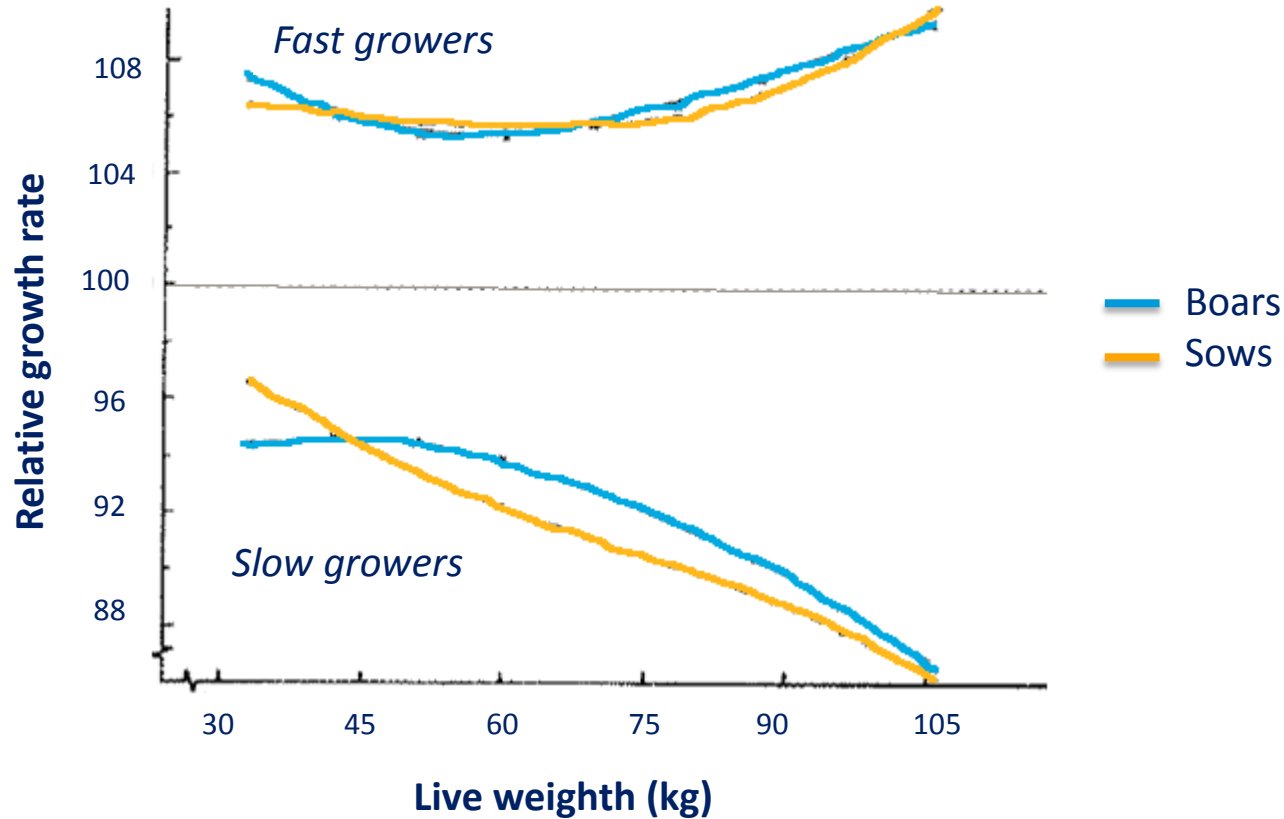
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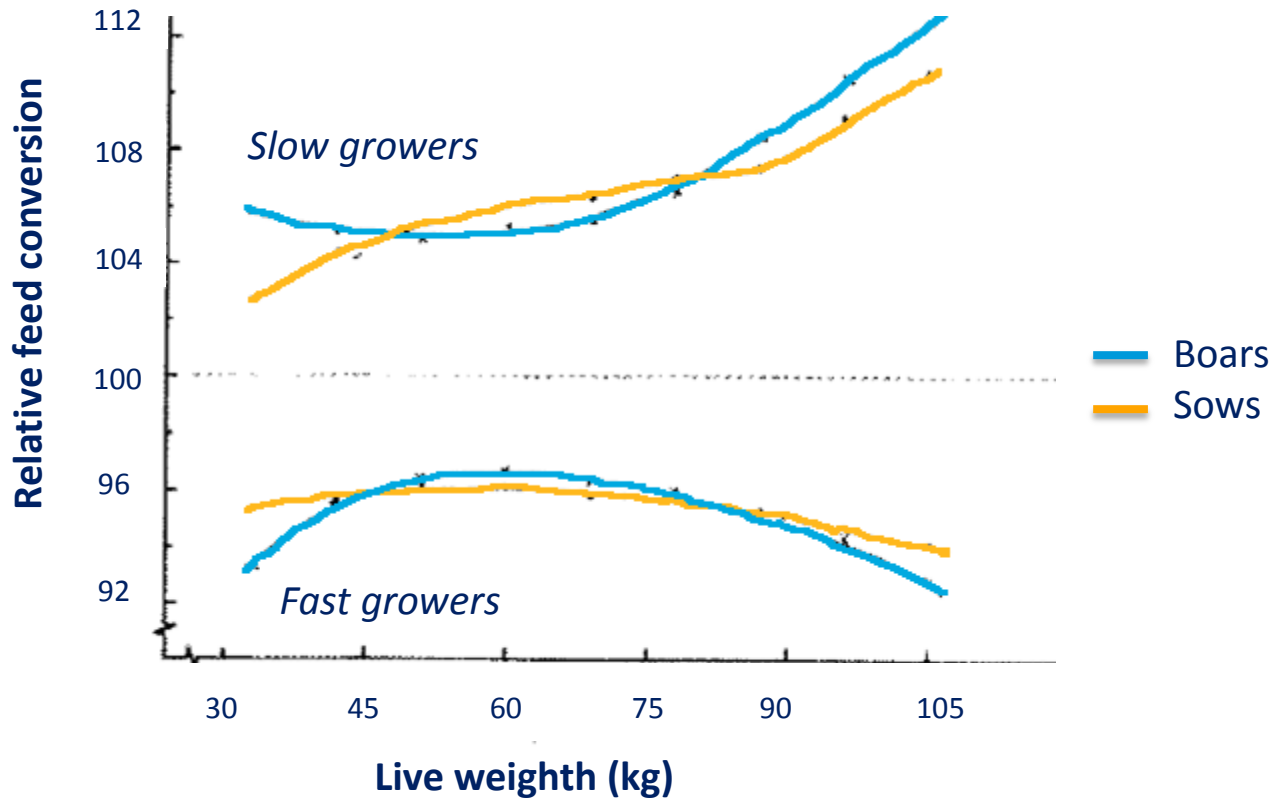
# Reproductive performance of a sow



# Relative growth rate for fast and slow growers



# Relative feed conversion for fast and slow growers

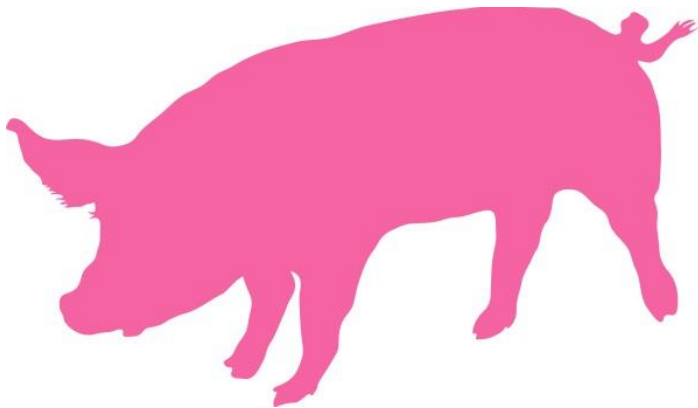


# Objective is to reduce variation and improve health status



# LifeStart

*Prepare young animals to adapt to the environment to which they are expected to be exposed*



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# Symposium Programme

## Day 1 – Tuesday May 12

<b>8.00</b>	Optional visit Swine Research Center	
<b>12.30</b>	Lunch	
<b>13.15</b>	Opening by the Chairman	Prof. Dr. Leo den Hartog
<b>13.25</b>	Official opening by Knut Nesse, CEO Nutreco	
<b>13.45</b>	Metabolic Programming during prenatal and early life: and intriguing phenomenon beyond the genes	Prof. Dr. Martin Kaske
<b>14.45</b>	Impact of early life influences on aspects of physiology and production in pigs	Prof. Dr. John Pluske
<b>15.45</b>	Break	
<b>16.15</b>	LifeStart a veterinarian perspective	Drs. Manon Houben, DVM
<b>17.00</b>	LifeStart applied on a swine farm	Mr. Thierry Janssens
<b>17.45</b>	Closing of the day (until 18.00)	Prof. Dr. Leo den Hartog
<b>19.30</b>	Diner	



# Thank you

