# **E PURINA ULTRACARE STARTER FEEDS**

### Keep the growing going

Keep the growing going as you make the transition from pre-starters to starters with fieldtested UltraCare<sup>®</sup> starter feeds. With consistent palatability and gut-optimizing ingredients, UltraCare<sup>®</sup> starter feeds help pigs maintain consumption. This can support productive gains through mid- and late-nursery, which in turn can impact feed-conversion potential.

These key gains in the nursery have been shown to predict desirable finishing weights. According to Purina<sup>®</sup> Animal Nutrition Research, every pound difference at 32 days postweaning correlates to a nearly 2.1-pound heavier pig at finishing.<sup>1</sup>

#### **RESEARCH-PROVEN RESULTS**

The best was made better in 2015 when Purina<sup>®</sup> updated the proven UltraCare<sup>®</sup> formula. Updates include increased palatability for a strong start and gut-optimizing technologies for continued performance through each phase. Compared to the previous UltraCare<sup>®</sup> starter feeds, the new formulation for the nursery period supported the following benefits:

- 1.66 more pounds at day 28 and 0.74 more pounds at end of nursery<sup>2</sup>
- 5.8% higher ADGs<sup>3</sup>
- 3% better feed conversion<sup>1</sup>

#### **FEEDING DIRECTIONS:**

The UltraCare<sup>®</sup> starter feeds are specifically formulated to meet the nutrient requirements of each production phase from 14 pounds through 65 pounds. After providing a strong start with UltraCare<sup>®</sup> pre-starter feeds (UltraCare<sup>®</sup> 100, 200 and 240), follow this recommended feeding program:

Bases and premixes are available for on-farm mixing of UltraCare® 300-700.

PRODUCT	WEIGHT
UltraCare <sup>®</sup> 300	14-21 pounds
UltraCare <sup>®</sup> 350	17-30 pounds
UltraCare <sup>®</sup> 400	21-30 pounds
UltraCare <sup>®</sup> 500	30-45 pounds
UltraCare <sup>®</sup> 600	45-55 pounds
UltraCare <sup>®</sup> 700	55-65 pounds

## FOR OPTIMAL RESULTS

Complement this product with other products from the Purina<sup>®</sup> Progress to Profit<sup>™</sup> Program.

The Purina<sup>®</sup> Progress to Profit<sup>™</sup> Program includes more than 16 proven swine nutrition products that span each stage of production from pre-wean to finish. Pick and choose from these products to optimize the best solution for your operation.

When fed from pre-weaning through finishing, the Progress to Profit<sup>™</sup> Program has been shown to support the following benefits:<sup>1</sup>

- Increases in average daily feed intake
- Increases in average daily gain
- Improved feed:gain conversion from wean-to-finish



- Summation of Purina Animal Nutrition trials: PS1041, PS1035, WF006, WF007, FT142N-15 and PMI Nursery-Grower Transition Pak
- 2. Commercial Research Facility FT142N-15
- 3. Purina Animal Nutrition Center WF007