The influence of changing rearing system of weaner piglets on production results in a way of growing pigs rearing on farm production results

Summary

The experiment was carried out on weaner piglets in a commercial pig farm. The animals were randomly divided into two groups. The first group of weaner piglets (including 40 technological groups) was reared according to the old maintenance system. In case of the second group of weaner piglets (including other 72 technological groups) a new improved maintenance system was used. In the new method piglets weaned from sows at the age of 21-28 days were maintained for the next 4 weeks in pens provided with screens and infrared heaters. Modification of maintenance system for weaner piglets rearing contributed distinctly to improving health of weaner piglets and in consequence rearing results.