

The association's
latest news and directions



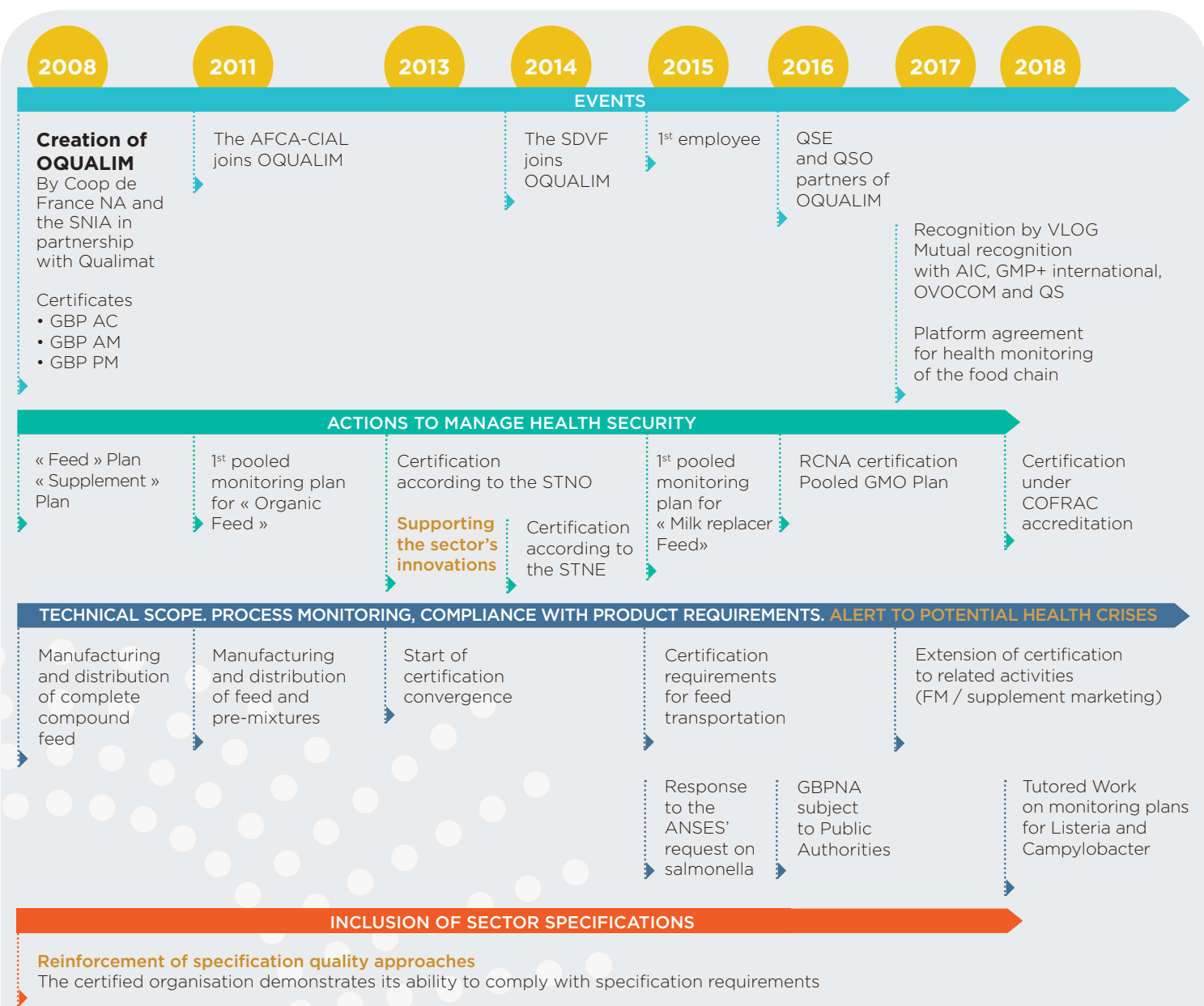
Éditorial

Ludovic Michel,
Chairman



The OQUALIM association has come a long way from its launch 10 years ago. From monitoring plan pooling to certification of factories, along with the creation of the different specific technical platforms, OQUALIM has been able to bring together and engage all animal feed actors around animal feed safety. Mutual recognition with international schemes is a deserved outcome, and also a new beginning. The inclusion of OQUALIM in the different sector plans compiled during the Nutrition General Assembly is also a real recognition of the work accomplished and the positive contribution of our initiatives to animal production. We need to promote our approach to the upstream sectors in order to highlight the fact that health safety cannot be taken for granted, but requires work on a daily basis. Thus, at our humble level, we contribute to ensuring that France is ranked 3rd in the world food security index published by *The Economist*.

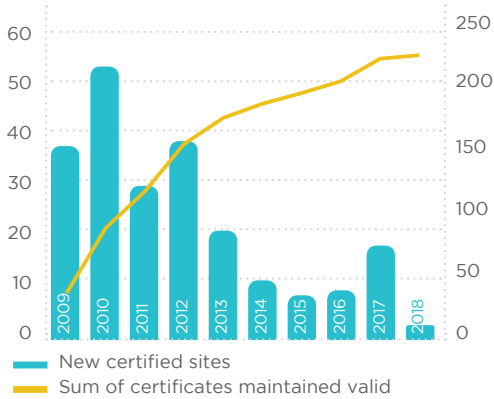
Happy Anniversary OQUALIM!



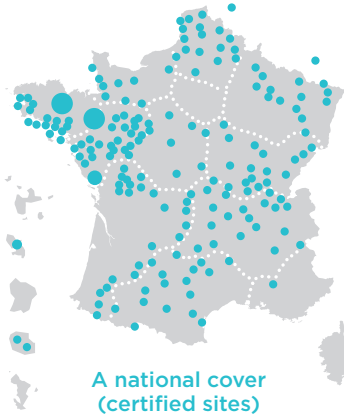
Key figures

RCNA CERTIFICATION

240 
certificates currently valid (March 2018)



39 
companies celebrate the 10th anniversary of their OQUALIM certification



Certified manufacturing sites in France

MANUFACTURING OF COMPOUND FEED	MANUFACTURING OF PRE-MIXTURES	MANUFACTURING OF MINERAL FEED
203 sites 90 % of production 132 STNO certified sites 42 STNF certified sites	11 sites 91 % of production	15 sites 63 % of production

POOLED MONITORING PLANS

10 years 
of pooled monitoring plans

266 
production sites taking part in pooled monitoring plans

Generic plans

COMPLETE FEED <i>since March 2009</i>	Over 10 years:	SUPPLEMENTS <i>since March 2012</i>
77 participants 191 production sites 86 % of feed production	over 75 000 samples analysed of which 45 000 Feed Materials and 30 000 Finished Products	33 participants 52 production sites 91,5 % of supplementary feed production over 4,000 analyses per year

Specialist Plans

MILK REPLACER FEED <i>since April 2015</i>	ORGANIC FEED <i>since June 2011</i>	GMO PLAN <i>since March 2016</i>
5 participants 89 % of national production over 400 analyses per year	17 participants 18 production sites 85 % of organic feed production (Analyses focused on specific contaminants in organic agriculture (pesticide residues, GMO, mycotoxins, salmonella))	135 participating sites

OQUALIM FEED SAFETY MANAGEMENT

 **32** qualified auditors

 **9** accredited certification organisations

 **44** referenced laboratories

What is **OQUALIM** ? Feed Safety Management
La Sécurité Sanitaire des Aliments pour Animaux

OQUALIM is an association whose aim is to provide solutions to help meet feed safety and animal feed quality challenges.

The association coordinates the collective approach by the French animal nutrition sector in terms of quality and feed safety. It has two main objectives: health security and compliance with both public and private specifications. To achieve these objectives, it has constructed two tools: pooled self-monitoring plans and the certification of animal feed plants with the RCNA (Animal Nutrition Certification Reference).

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