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***Sample Abstract***

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***Introduction***

Changes in feed nutrients are known to influence the rumen microbiota and microbial activity, and short-term starvation, such as fasting, causes microorganisms in the rumen.

***Materials and methods***

Representative rumen contents were obtained from three cannulated Holstein steers (793±8 kg), 2 h after morning feeding (control).

***Results and discussion***

During fasting, steers did not show any abnormal symptoms or behaviour until feed and water were reintroduced at the end of the study.