



**BARASTOC**

**PIG FEED**

**ENRICHMENT**

# SWINEBLOCK

## THE COMPLETE PACKAGE

ENRICHMENT IN ONE SIMPLE BLOCK

At Barastoc, we understand that taking exceptional care of your pigs isn't just a best practice—it's smart business. That's why we develop specialised feeds and enrichment solutions that ensure your pigs are not only healthy but thriving.

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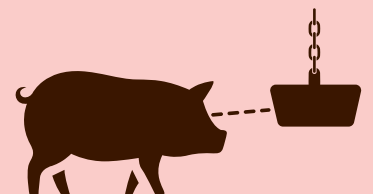
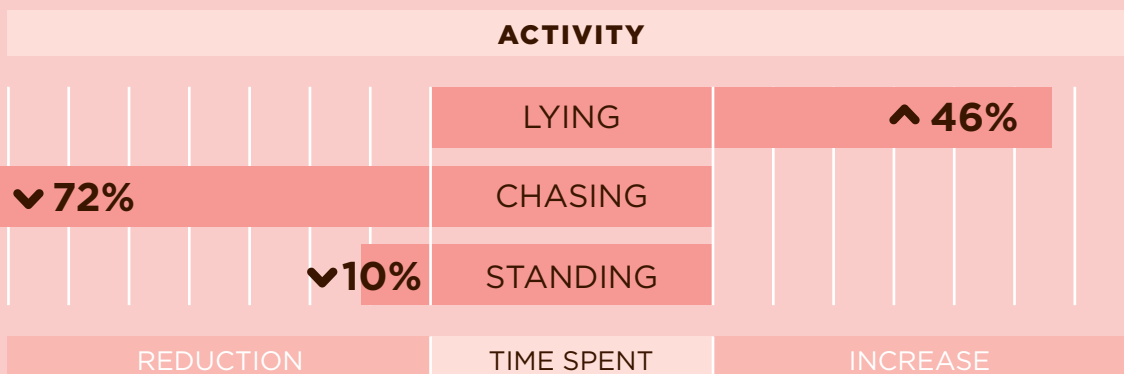
# ENRICHED SOWS HEALTHIER PROFITS

Good nutrition, health, and sanitation are foundational for swine productivity, but as gestation stalls are phased out, addressing pigs' behavioural needs through environmental enrichment becomes crucial. Barastoc's innovative Barastoc Swine Block, made from a molasses base, offers a taste that consistently appeals to pigs, ensuring continuous engagement. This enrichment solution is essential for promoting a stress-free environment, enhancing overall sow productivity.

The Barastoc Swine Block is designed to reduce stress and aggressive behaviour by enhancing satiety in pigs. The blocks are designed to be hung and recommended for use as required when there are signs of bullying, aggression, mixing pens and stress. They are durable enough to withstand moist environments and are easy to move and hang, making them convenient for farm use. Additionally, the blocks do not contain restricted animal material or GMOs and have no withholding period, allowing for continuous and safe use in various farming systems.

## IMPACTFUL RESULTS IN SOW BEHAVIOUR

REDUCED CHASE TIME AND INCREASED LYING TIME COMPARED TO NO ENRICHMENT



With a chain and t-bar hang slightly above the herds eye level.

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## ENHANCED WELFARE

The Barastoc Swine Block enriches sows' natural foraging behaviour, minimising stress and aggression, such as tail biting. This leads to healthier, more content animals and can reduce veterinary costs due to improved overall health.



## LOWER MANUAL HANDLING

Designed for convenience, the 15kg Swine Block features a hole for easy hanging in sheds. Its size and durability allow for easy handling and reduce the need for frequent maintenance.



## COST-EFFECTIVENESS

The Barastoc Swine Block is more economical than traditional materials like straw. It lasts longer, requires fewer replacements, and cuts down on labour costs associated with replenishment.



## IMPROVED CLEANLINESS AND MAINTENANCE

The Barastoc Swine Block keeps pens cleaner than straw, avoiding mess and blockages, and reducing cleanup work. It's especially beneficial in wet or humid conditions.



## POSITIVE IMPACT ON FARM EFFICIENCY

By keeping sows engaged with enrichment activities, the Barastoc Swine Block fosters a more orderly environment, leading to smoother operations and less time spent managing disruptive behaviours.



## SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE FARMING

Enhances retailer and consumer acceptance, ensuring ethical treatment of animals, meeting market standards, and fostering trust in sustainably produced agricultural products.

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The Barastoc team is available to provide expert enrichment and nutritional advice, helping you harness the full potential of Barastoc Swine Block for the utmost benefit to your swine operation. By choosing Barastoc Swine Block, you're selecting a solution that simplifies and enhances swine welfare.

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