## Integrated Research for Evidence-based Animal Production

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## Research Area

- 1. Establishment of effective genetic and epigenetic markers for the estimation of meat quality
- 2. Development of technology to manage intestinal flora and metabolism to efficiently produce high quality meat.
- 3. Reliable evaluation technique to give stable evaluation to aging meat







## Recent Activities

- Identification and characterization of an oocyte factor required for development of porcine nuclear transfer embryos. Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A. 2011, 108(17): 7040-7045.
- Large-scale proteomic analysis of Japanese Black cattle: Part III. Identification of protein biomarker candidates for assessment of carcass traits and meat quality characteristics. Nihon Chikusan Gakkaiho 2015, 86(2): 141-152.