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ASABE TO DEVELOP DATA STANDARD ON DDGS CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

ST JOSEPH, MICHIGAN— The American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE) announces the initiation of a project to develop a new standard that summarizes the data related to the physical and chemical property data of dried distillers grains with solubles (DDGS). Such information is important in the design and construction of commercial and on-farm structures and equipment.

The new standard will be titled D606, Properties and Relationships for Distillers Dried Grains with Solubles (DDGS), and will be of use to ethanol manufacturing and livestock production facilities, as well as engineering firms.

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