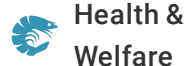




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# Report sheds light on aquatic animal health in sub-Saharan African aquaculture

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## Findings to help prevent or reduce future risks from aquatic animal disease across sub-Saharan Africa

Casammak Aquaculture, a leading specialist in African aquaculture, and ThinkAqua, a prominent global aquaculture nonprofit organization, have released a **groundbreaking new report** ([https://static.s123-cdn-static-d.com/uploads/4628300/normal\\_6488c533f13fa.pdf](https://static.s123-cdn-static-d.com/uploads/4628300/normal_6488c533f13fa.pdf)) that could lead to building a more resilient and secure future for the sub-Saharan African aquaculture industry.

Based on information gathered from an open-access online survey, the report delves into the perspectives and requirements of individuals and organizations from four key stakeholder groups: private sector, government, education training research and NGOs. Focused on aquatic health, it provides invaluable insights into the perceptions of various stakeholders and offers key recommendations for bolstering the sector.

The key findings provide individuals and organizations within the private sector, government, research and NGOs with valuable guidance for advancing essential infrastructure that can help prevent and



Findings from a new report could help prevent or reduce risks from aquatic animal disease across sub-Saharan Africa in the future.

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While offering a comprehensive assessment of the aquaculture landscape in sub-Saharan Africa, a major focus of the survey is on understanding the activities and specific needs of the private sector. The intent is to foster enhanced support for the burgeoning commercial industry across the continent.

A promotional banner for the Responsible Seafood Summit. On the left is the logo for Responsible Seafood Summit, which consists of a stylized blue eye icon and the text 'Responsible Seafood SUMMIT'. To the right of the logo is the text 'SAINT JOHN NEW BRUNSWICK CANADA OCTOBER 2-5 2023'. Further right is a red button with the word 'REGISTER' in white capital letters. The background of the banner is a dark blue map of the world with several red airplane icons and a red maple leaf icon.

(<https://events.globalseafood.org/responsible-seafood-summit>).

This is reportedly the first-ever open-access online survey designed to understand and document the views of the various private sector stakeholders in sub-Saharan African aquaculture whose work is regularly involved with and impacted by aquatic animal health.

**[Read the full report here \(https://static.s123-cdn-static-d.com/uploads/4628300/normal\\_6488c533f13fa.pdf\)](https://static.s123-cdn-static-d.com/uploads/4628300/normal_6488c533f13fa.pdf)**.

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