Introduction

“Unique Approaches to the Challenge”

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Where are we now and why do we need to keep investigating?

- Zeuterin/CaCl₂
  - Permanent
  - Testosterone may or may not be affected.
- Gonacon (new formulation)
  - Not permanent
  - Short term data available in dogs (60 days)
  - Extremely variable response in cats
  - Not (in foreseeable future) for domestic animals
  - Current development requires repeated immunizations
- Suprelorin
  - Not permanent
  - Current formulations – 12 months

Into the Future

• Regulatory Approval
• Gonazon

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• Other regulators of reproduction (Kisspeptin)
• New technologies (Gene silencing)
• Selective toxic targeting

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