

Experiments on animals

- ☐ Polio vaccines developed by experiments on animals reduced the number of cases from 2,495 in 1958 (with 150 deaths) to 4 in 1975.
- ☐ There has been a 90% reduction in the death rate in children in the past 40 years. Experiments on animals played a vital part in developing necessary treatments.
- ☐ It has been proved that animals are treated cruelly in laboratories.
- ☐ Moreover, much of this cruelty makes 'vanity' products such as cosmetics, not medicines.
- ☐ While people complain about experiments on animals, more than 400 million animals each year in Britain are killed to be eaten – about seven for each person.
- ☐ Cruelty is enabling big firms to make profits – the animals can't answer back. They are being taken advantage of.