

Trends in animal nutrition

or

May I ask you, HOW YOU PRODUCED MY MEAT?

Franz Waxenecker

SOCIAL DEMOGRAPHY

WORLD POPULATION GROWTH, NOW



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7,728,526,685



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Scope of the Animal Protein Industry

1.537.546.000.000 USD

(1 Trillion 537 Billion 546 Million USD)

Source: FAOSTAT, 2016

The State of World Fisheriers and Aquaculture, 2018



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Scope of the Animal Protein Industry

1.380.000.000 tons

of meat, milk and eggs and seafood
(1 Billion 380 Million tons)

↳ **140.000.000 tons protein**

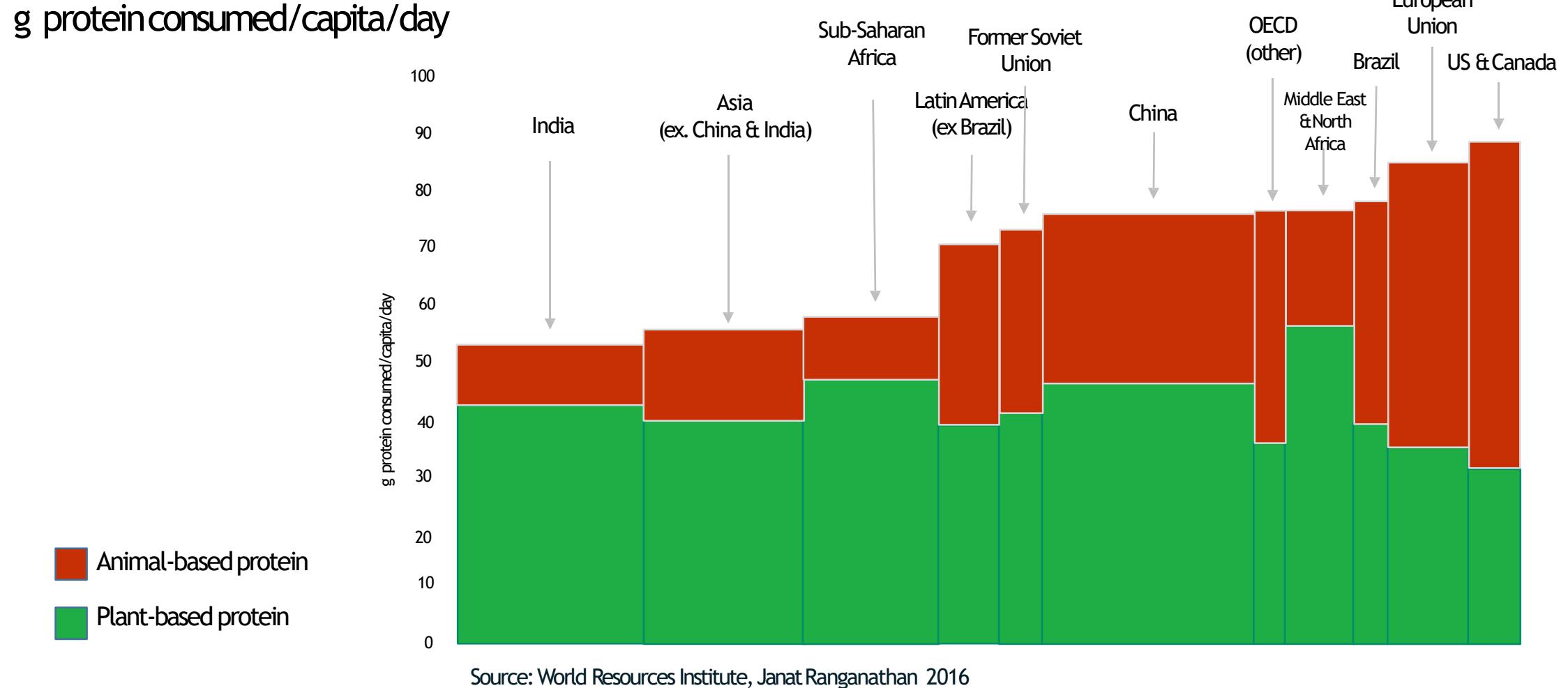
- ↳ Meat 85 Mio tons
- ↳ Milk 25 Mio tons
- ↳ Seafood 20 Mio tons
- ↳ Eggs 10 Mio tons

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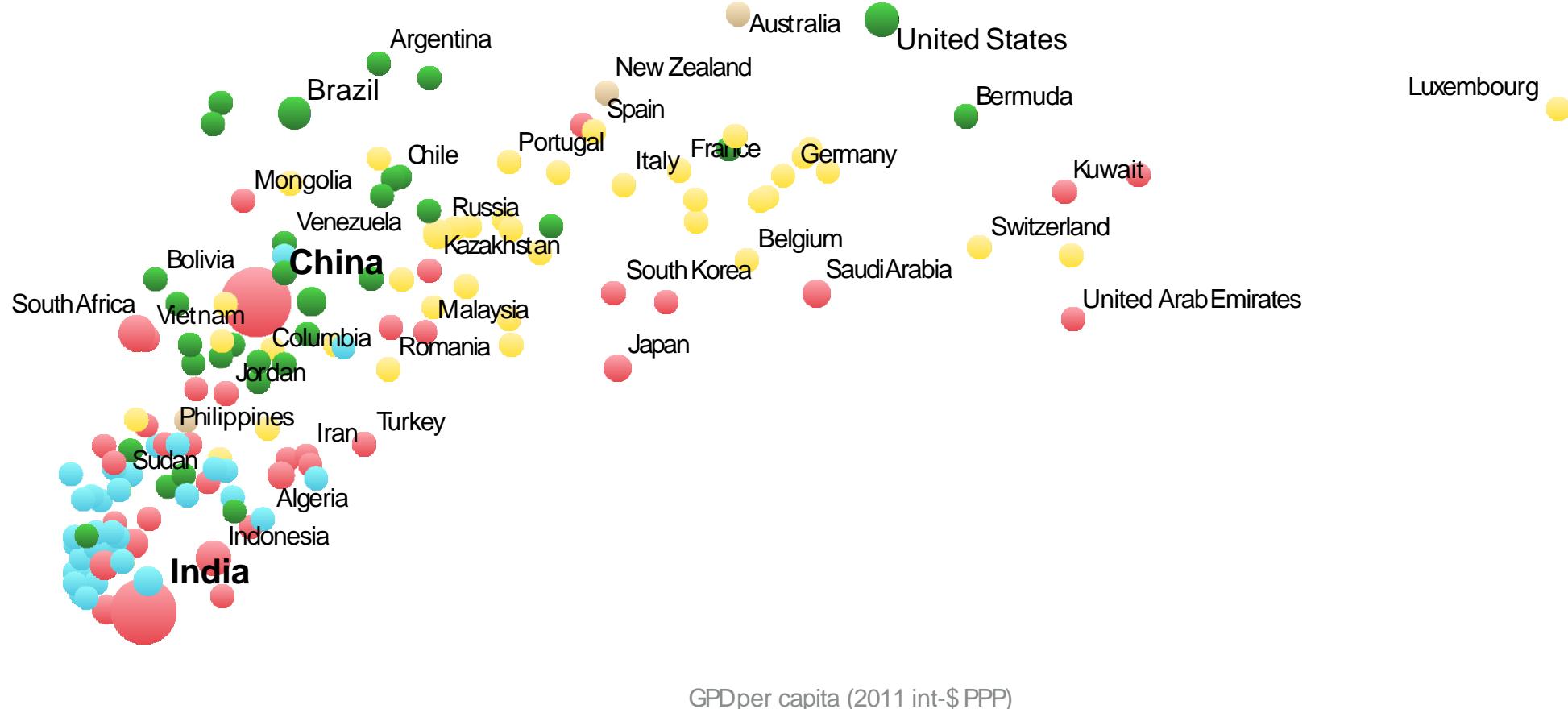


ANIMAL PROTEIN ← → PLANT PROTEIN



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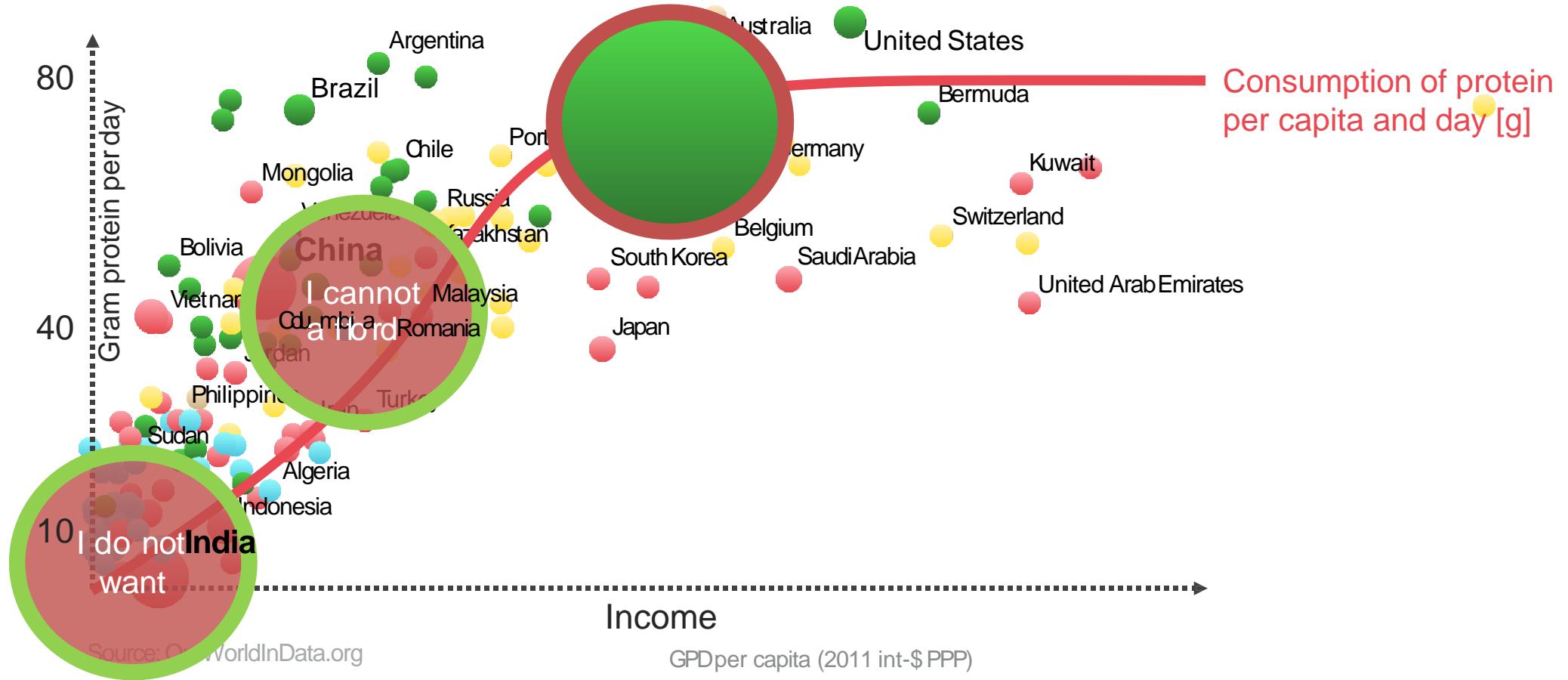
M EAT CONSUMPTION VS. GDP PER CAPITA, 2013 TO 2014



Source: OurWorldInData.org

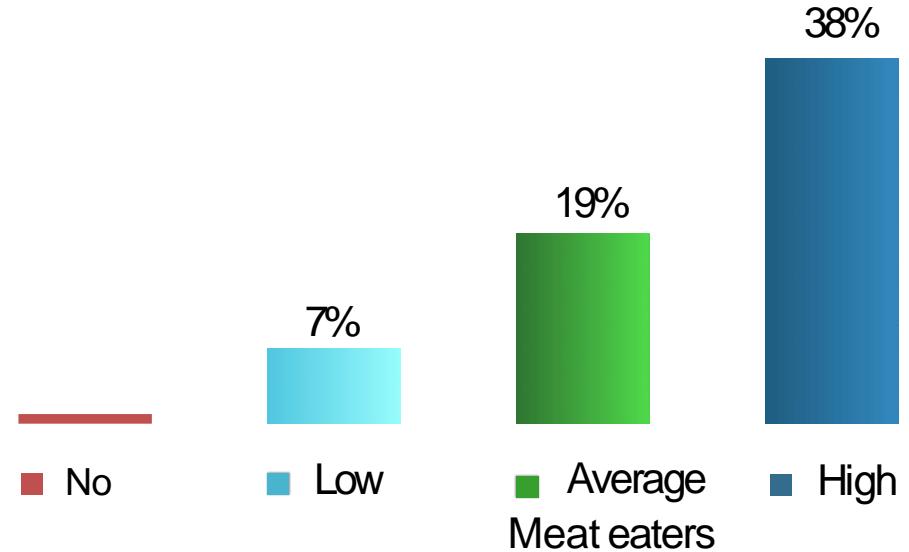
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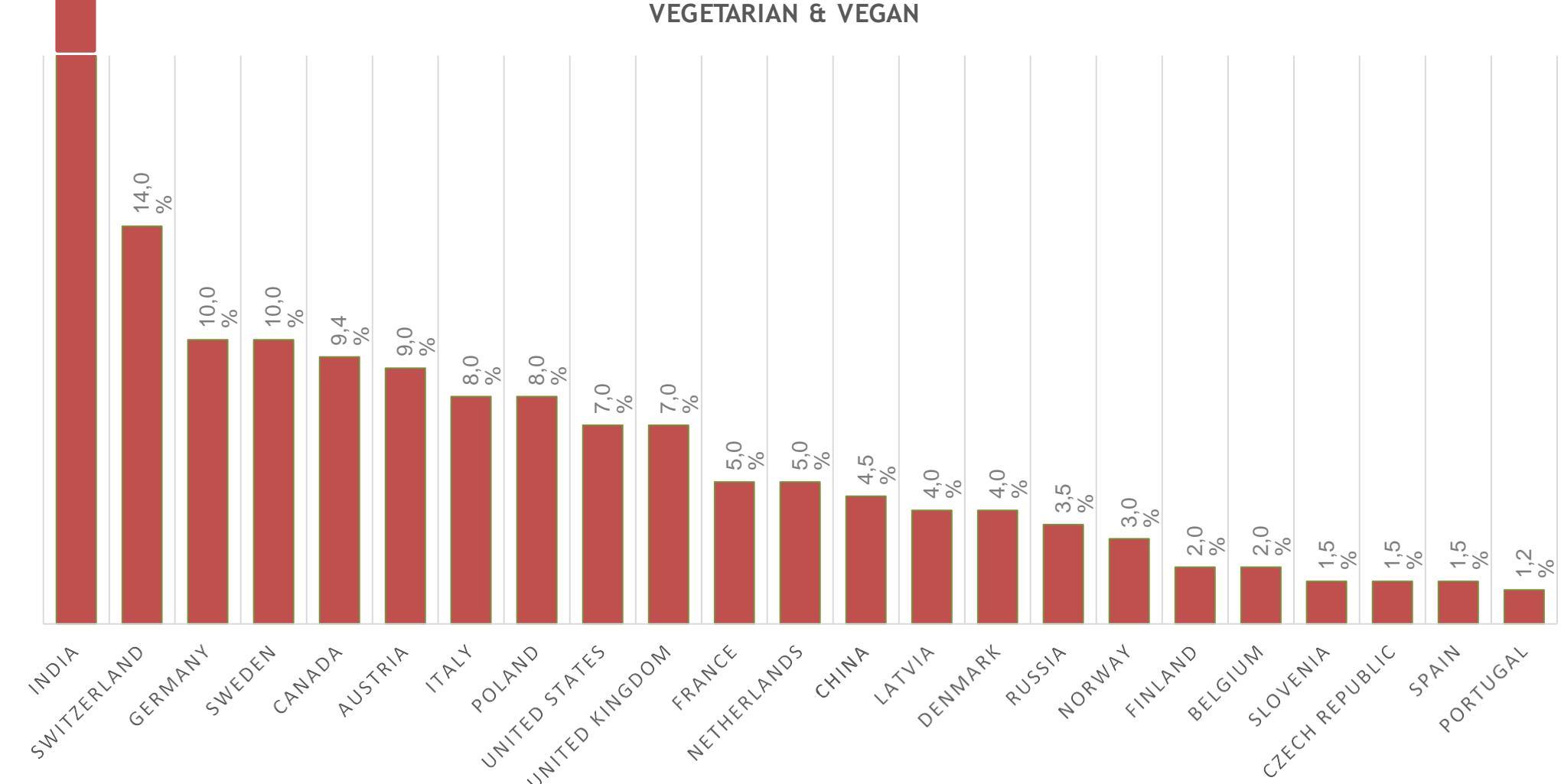
PROPORTION OF MEAT IN THE TOTAL DIET [%]



Source: International Food and Agribusiness Management Review, Volume 16, Issue 2, 2013

Vege

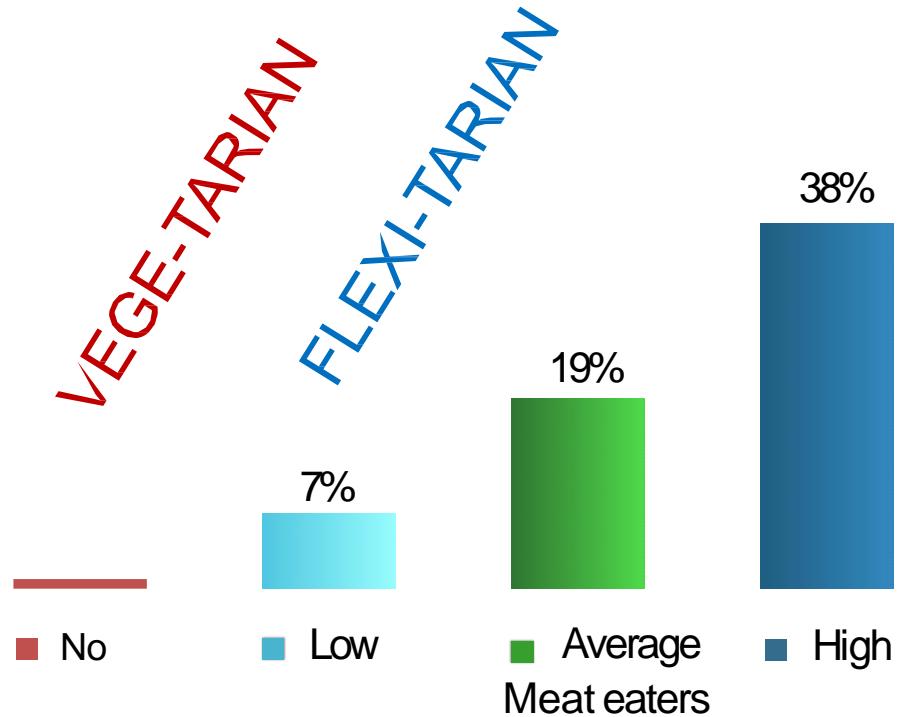
tarian & Vegan [% from population]



Adapted from Wikipedia „Vegetarianism per country“

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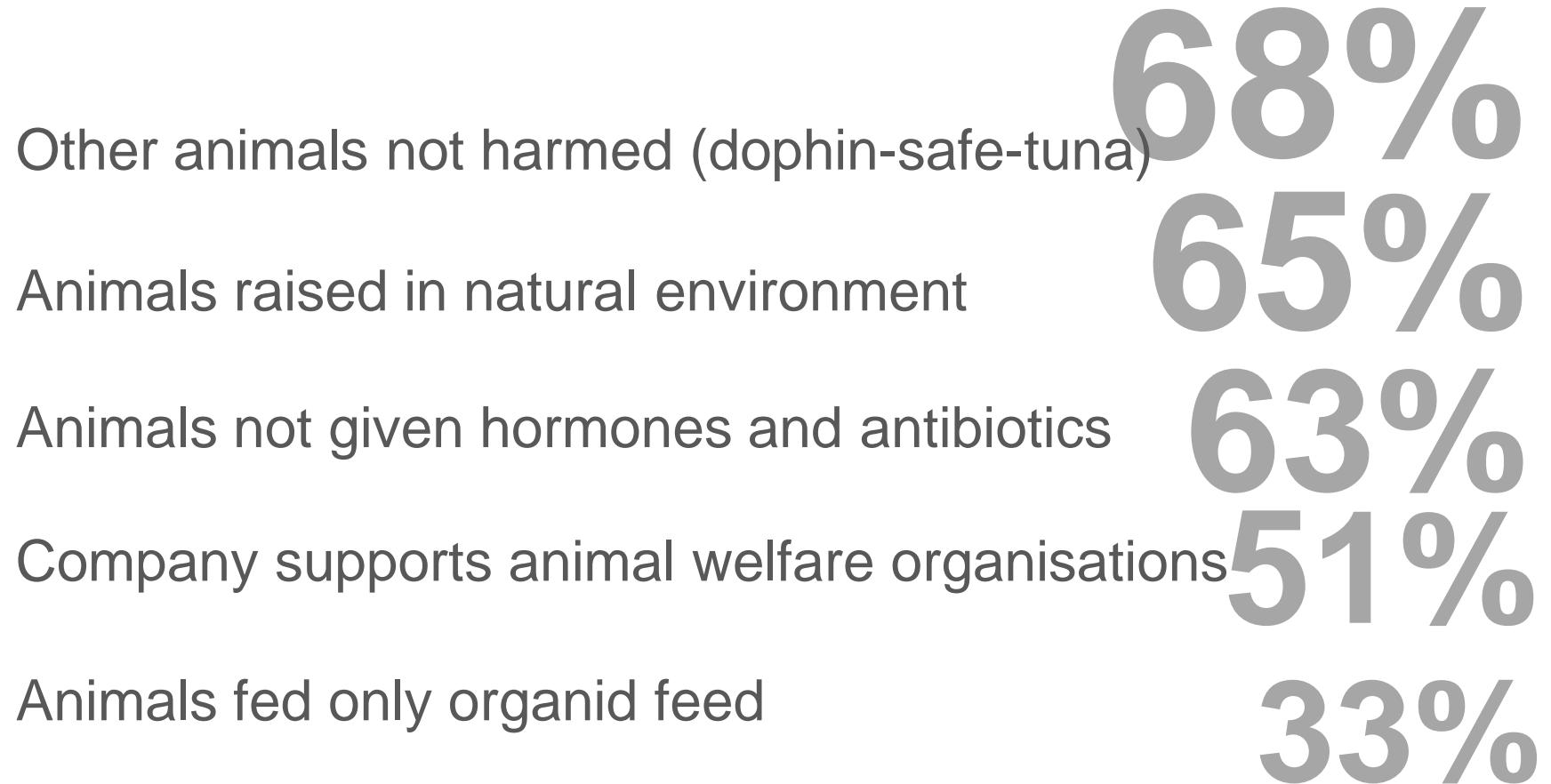


Animal welfare awareness



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Animal welfare – the consumers perspective



Source: Sustainability – Transparency report 2015 (The Hartman Group)



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How much would you pay more per kg meat?



Source: German Ernährungsreport 2019

Animal welfare – expert definition



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An animal is in a good state of welfare if (as indicated by scientific evidence) it is:

- Healthy
- Comfortable
- Well nourished
- Safe
- Able to express innate behaviour
- Not suffering from unpleasant states such as pain, fear, and distress.

(OIE, 2010)

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Principles of FREEDOM:

- Freedom from discomfort
- Freedom from hunger and thirst
- Freedom from pain, injury and disease
- Freedom to express normal behaviour
- Freedom from fear and distress

https://ec.europa.eu/food/animals/welfare_en#ref93-119

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Animal welfare – the experts perspective

Promoting animal welfare through proper animal nutrition

Animal welfare includes the combination of both physical and mental well-being. A properly balanced diet and water supplied in adequate amounts avoid physical and psychological suffering from hunger and thirst; furthermore **correct nutrition is crucial for optimal performance and to sustain optimal fitness.**

An expert meeting held in September last year in Rome reviewed the impact of animal nutrition on animal welfare. For both ruminant and monogastric species, the experts identified: a) **feeding options for different livestock production systems** (extensive, mixed crop-livestock, and intensive) that improve animal welfare while increasing profitability of the livestock producers and ensuring safety and quality through the food chain; and b) **challenges and opportunities to enhance animal welfare through animal feeding approaches.** In addition, guidelines and policy options promoting sustainable animal feeding that enhance animal welfare, animal productivity, animal product quality and profitability were formulated.

In *Extensive production systems*, the major challenge identified is the supply of adequate nutrients year-round despite climatic variation. In *Mixed-crop production systems* the challenge is to better integrate the nutrient management of crop and animal production enterprises within the system, to be relatively self-sufficient and reduce dependence on external inputs. In *Intensive production systems*, the highly specialized genotypes and diet formulation approaches, and the large scale of operation, mean that the nutritional welfare of the animals is best safeguarded when **expert nutritionists are involved in diet formulation.** Feeding to sustain high production levels can lead to metabolic disorders in ruminants, whilst breeding animals of monogastric species which are restrict-fed to optimise health and production may suffer from chronic hunger.

A number of **Opportunities and challenges to enhance animal welfare through animal feeding approaches** were identified. In ruminant species, *welfare assessment* could be improved by development of better integrated and more robust welfare measures. *Preventing undesirable competitive behavior* requires appropriate group composition and facility design. *Maintaining appropriate nutrient balance* involves avoiding excessive mobilization of body reserves for high production, preventing ruminal acidosis by appropriate diet formulation, and providing minerals as well as protein supplements to remedy imbalances in the diet. **Correct nutrition can reduce infectious afflictions** by enhancing cell-tissue integrity and optimising defence mechanisms of the immune system. *Toxicity issues* associated with ingested herbage can be reduced by better management of grazing lands, training animals to avoid poisonous plants and use of medicines in supplements to counteract their negative effects. *Parasite control* can be aided by appropriate host nutrition, particularly adequate metabolisable protein nutrition, and regular use of anti-parasitic drugs. To reduce *morbidity and mortality in young stock*, adequate provision of colostrum at birth and adequate supply of milk replacer until weaning age is essential to ensure proper immune protection.

Red arrow pointing to the text "Correct nutrition can reduce infectious afflictions" in the previous block.

In monogastric species, the greatest challenge involves *understanding and dealing with chronic hunger*, which can arise from the absence of sufficient feed in subsistence systems, the deliberate restriction of feed for breeding animals in intensive systems, and the possibility of nutrient specific hungers arising from imbalances between the diet supplied and the metabolic needs of the animal. There is also scope for **better matching of diets to nutritional needs** through improved knowledge of the nutrient requirements of animals in different situations, and particularly of local breeds of livestock used in more extensive systems. In improved breeds, there are nutritional opportunities to mitigate the effects of problems associated with genetically induced fast growth and the partitioning of nutrients to production functions. The *development of more sustainable nutritional strategies* requires consideration of the use of nutritional approaches to address other societal goals including the supply of food which is both safe and nutritious to humans whilst generating low environmental impact from production systems. Furthermore, there is a challenge in *implementing knowledge and socio-economically applicable solutions* in the field by promoting effective dissemination and motivating uptake of good practice.

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- Maintain appropriate nutrient balance
- Reduce morbidity and infectious diseases
- Reduce mortality

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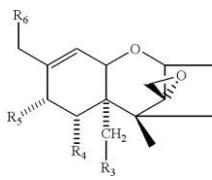


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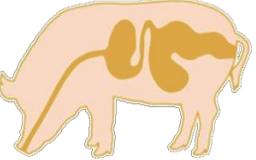
- Reducing Ammonia
- Reducing food pad lesions in chicken
- Reducing heat stress
- Reducing stress
- Reducing negative effects of vaccinations
- Reducing inflammation
- Reducing incidence of diseases
- Reducing mycotoxin effects
- Improving feed intake

Trichothecenes – General effects



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- Dermal toxicity
- Nephrotoxicity
- Neurotoxicity
- Gastrointestinal alterations
- Immune suppression



Vomit



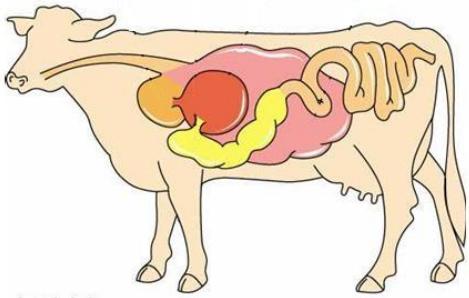
Dermal lesions



Black tongue



Beak lesions



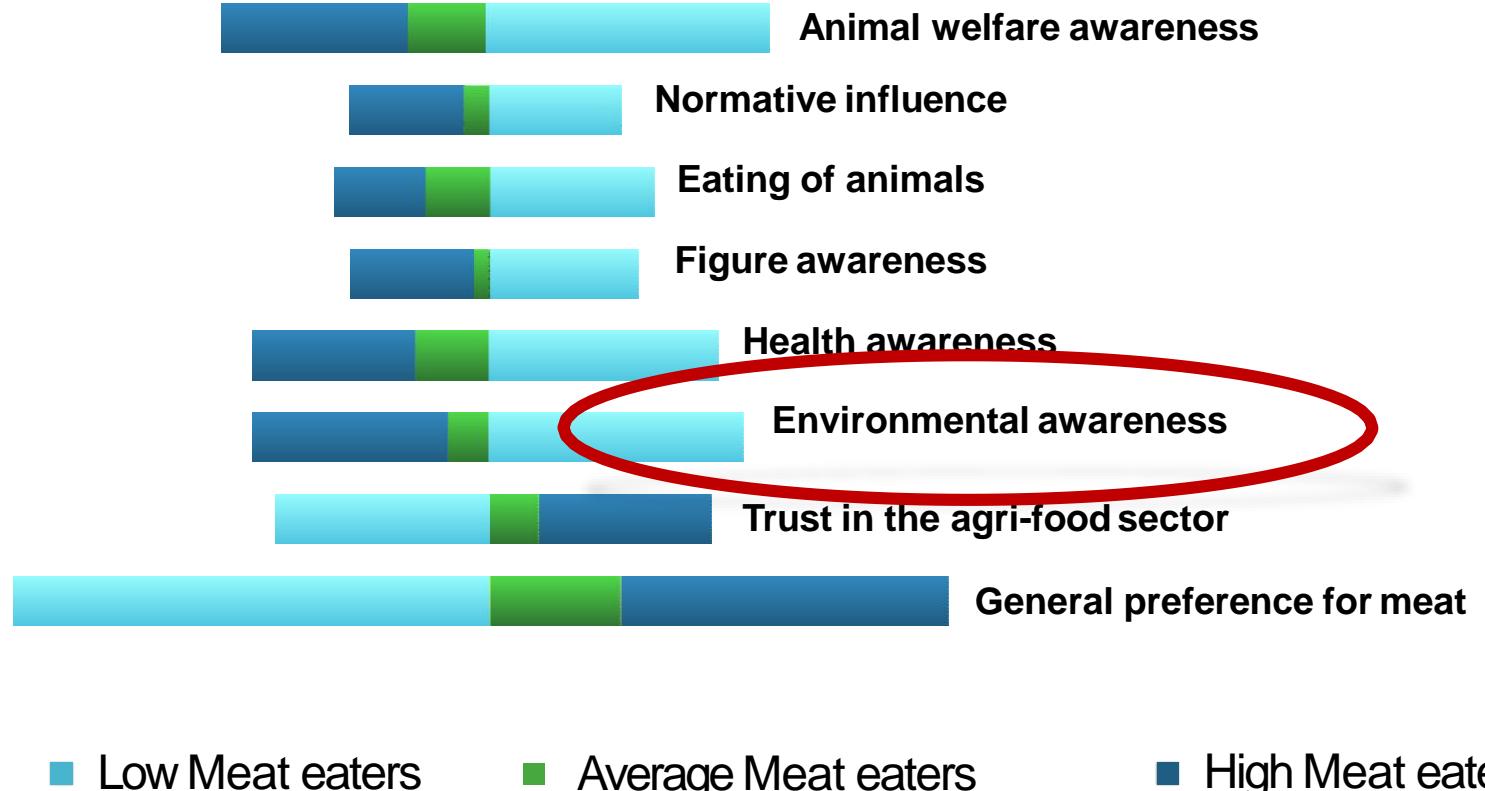
Ketosis



Dermal lesions

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Environmental awareness



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Which one has the lower carbon footprint?





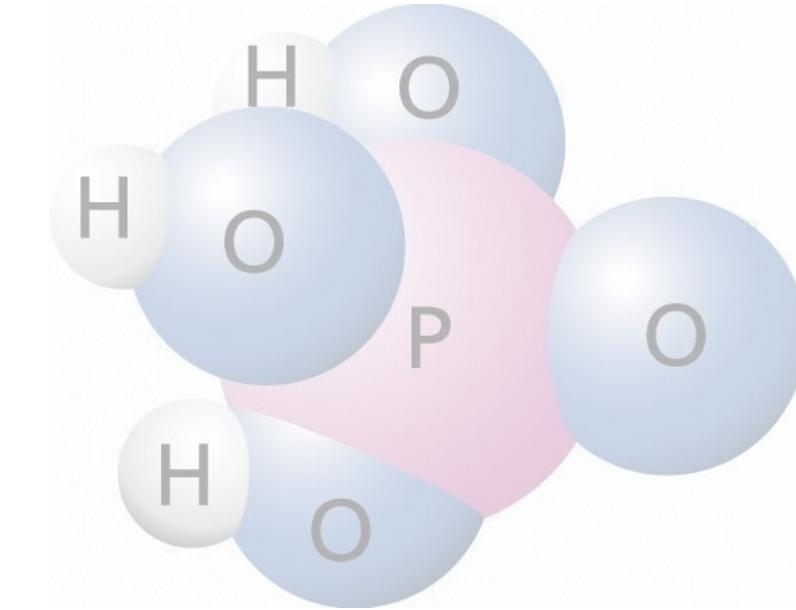
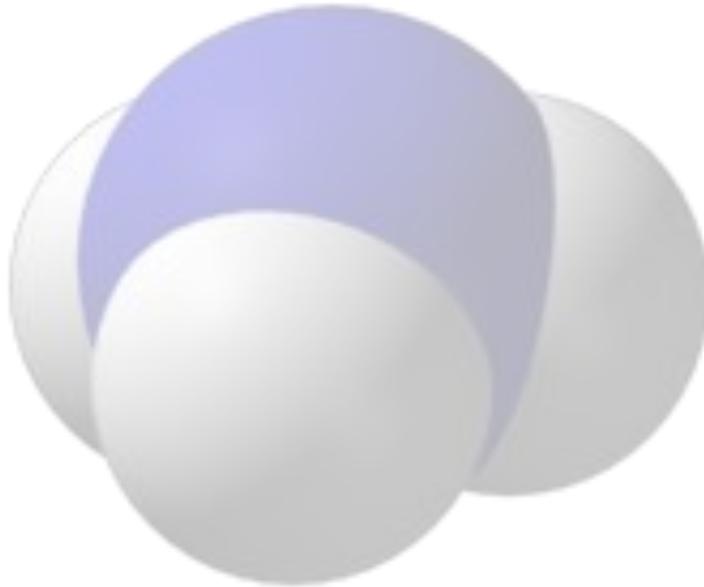
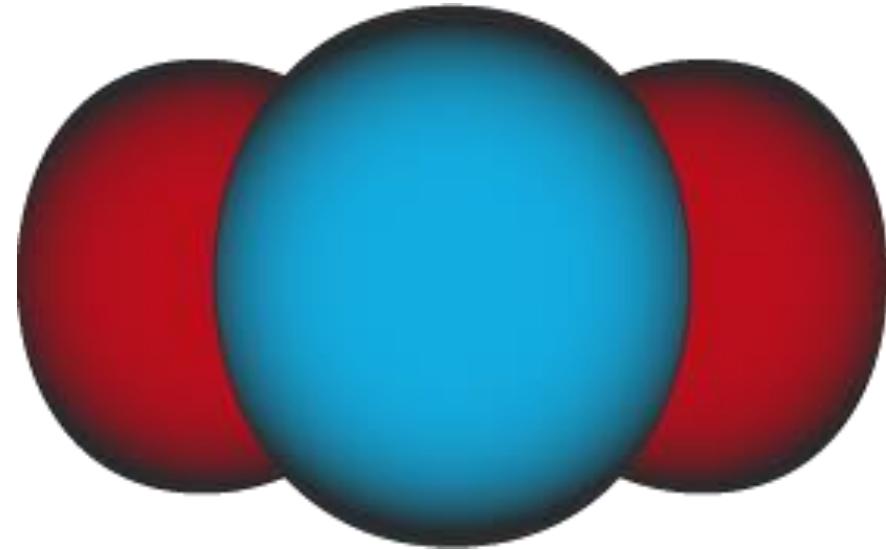
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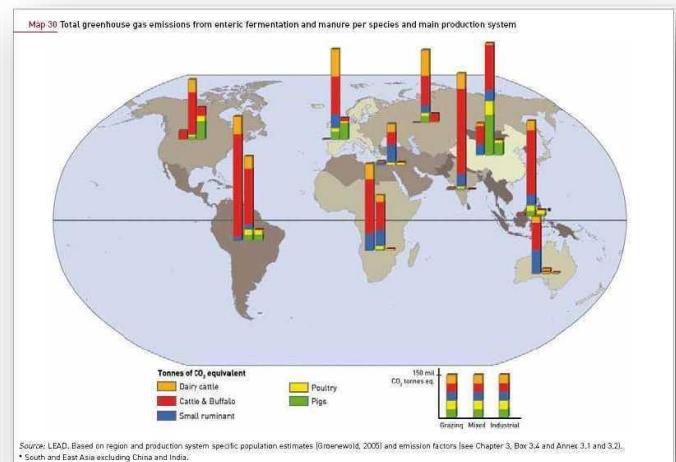
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FAO livestock's long shadow

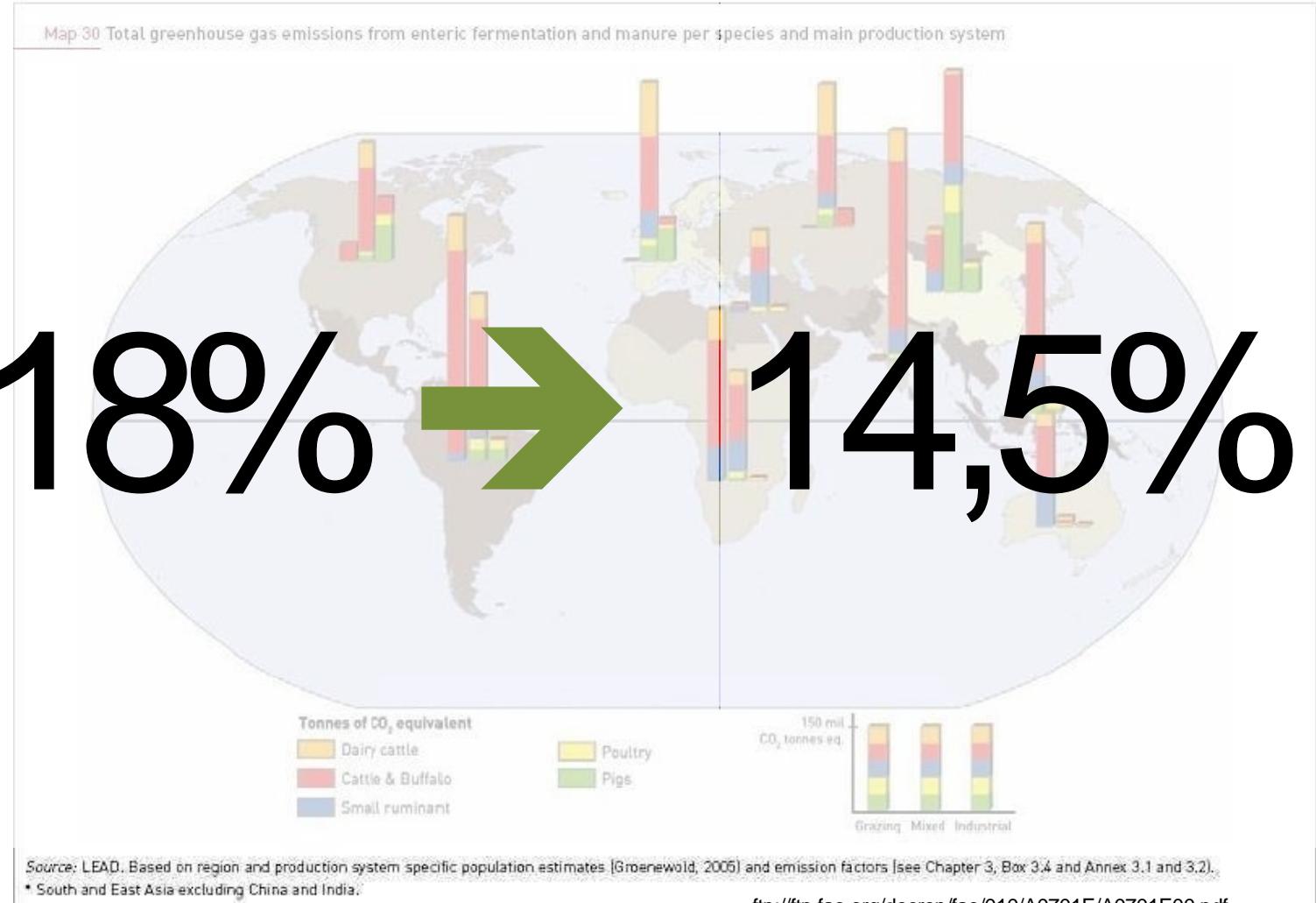
...livestock industry contributes to global warming...



In 2006 FAO estimated that meat industry contributes 18% of all emissions of greenhouse gasses. This figure was revised in 2009 by two World Bank scientists and estimated at 51% minimum.

<ftp://ftp.fao.org/docrep/fao/010/A0701E/A0701E00.pdf>.

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ISO 14040 since 2011



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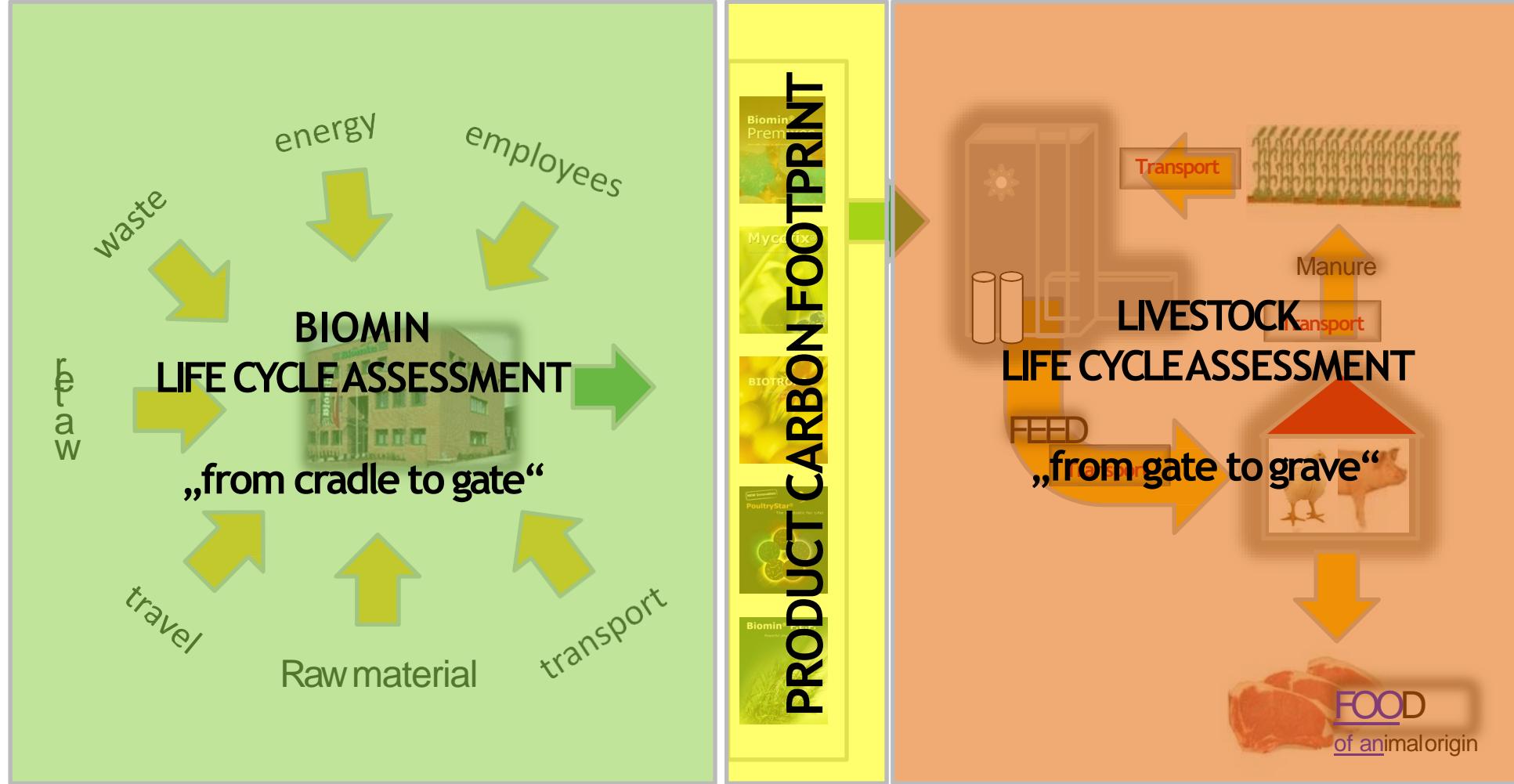




Life Cycle Assessment



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BIOMIN CO2-eq emissions



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ERBER Gruppe emits ca 115.000 tons CO₂-eq per year

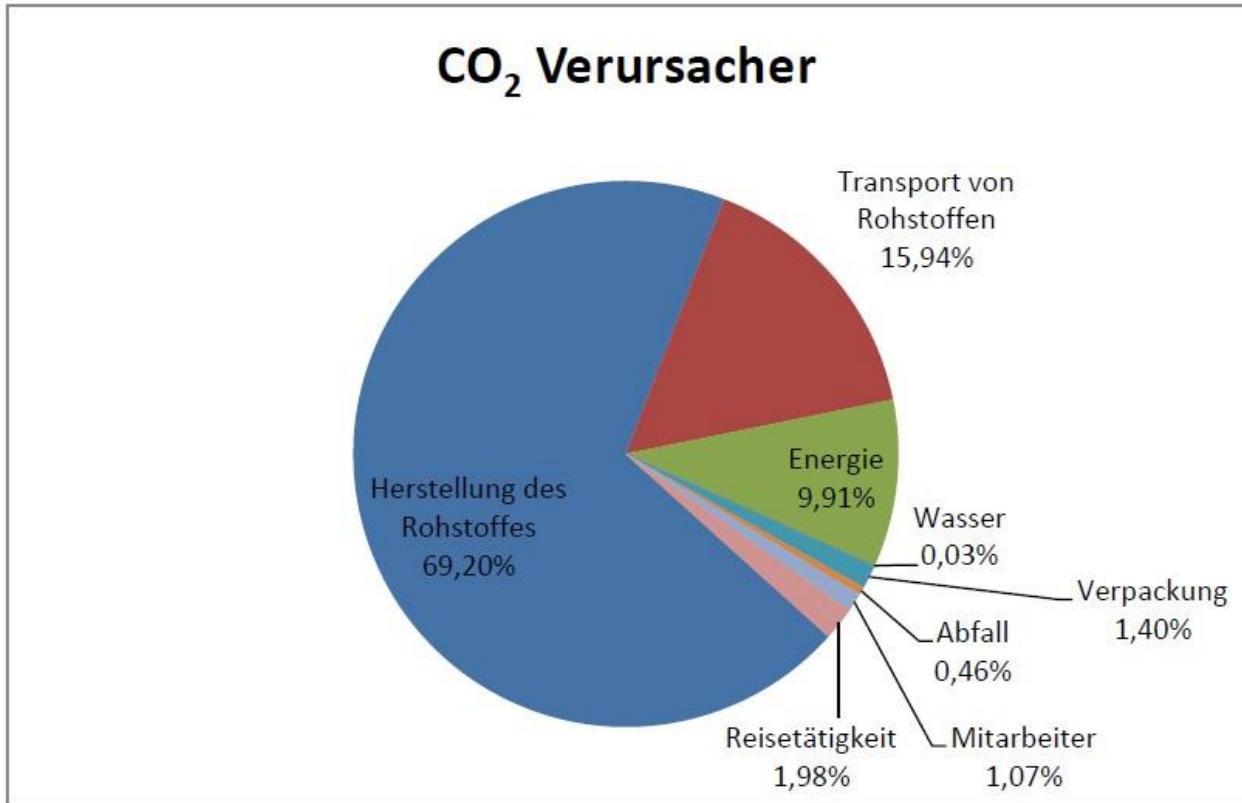
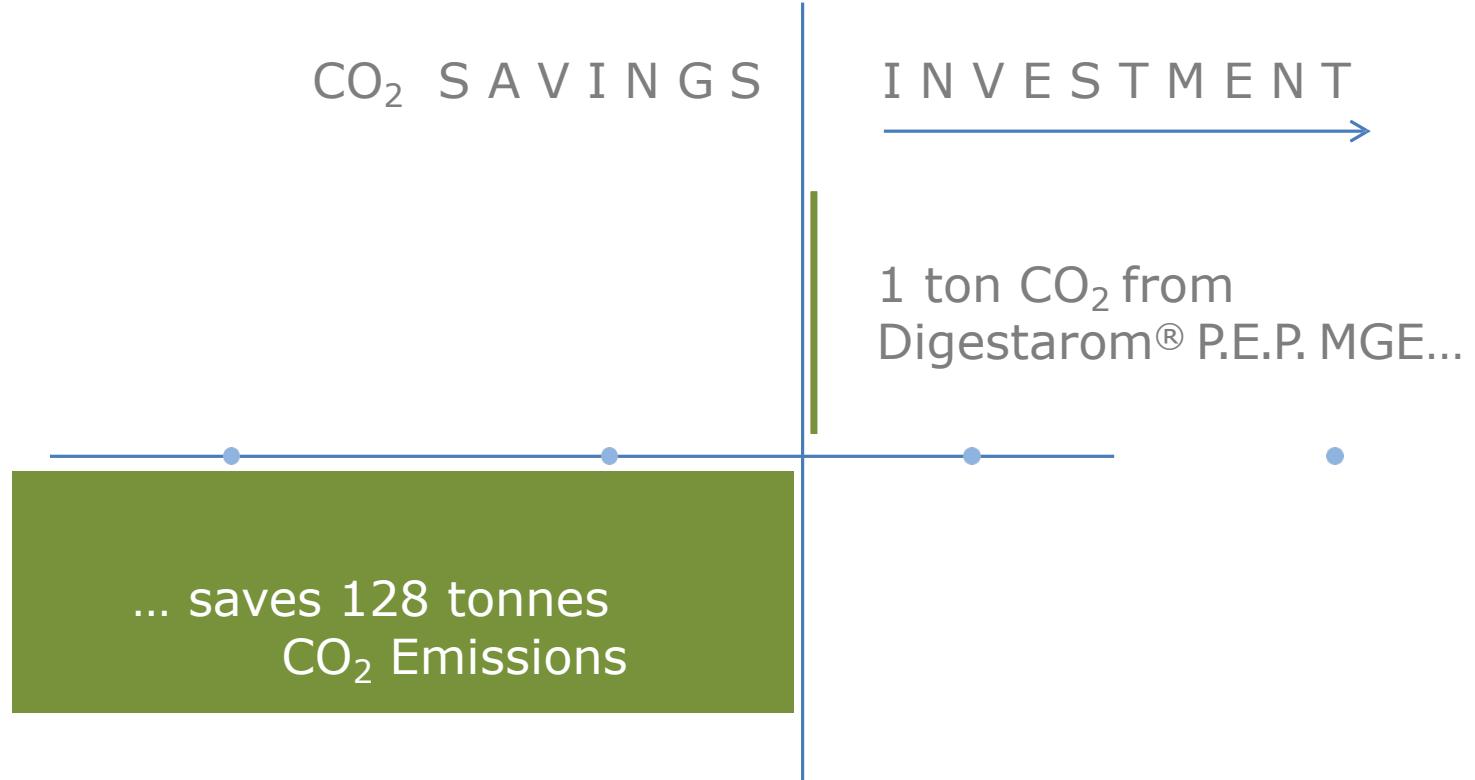


Abbildung 2: Anteil der CO₂eq Emissionsverursacher an der Gesamtemission von Biomin



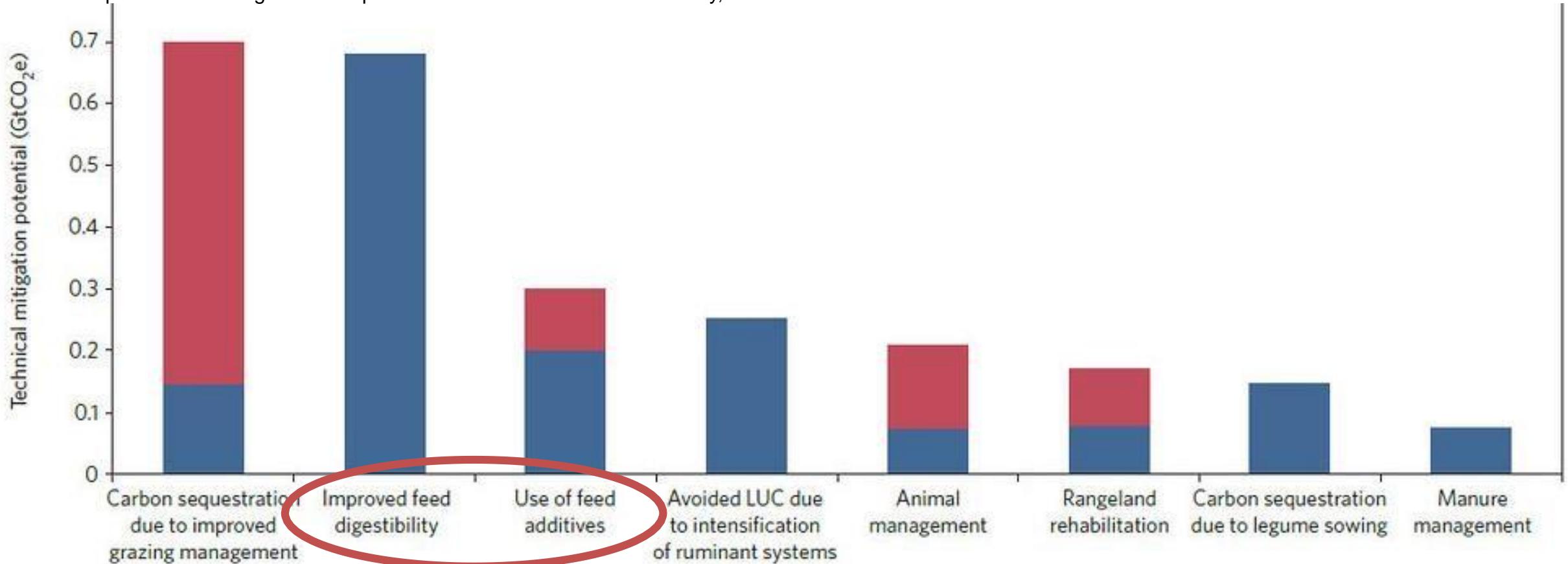
ISO 14040 – Life Cycle Assessment



Better efficiency → better foodprint

Technical mitigation potentials of supply-side options for reducing emissions from the livestock sector.

Red represents the range for each practice. Source: Penn State University, USA



Source:

Herrero, et al., 2016, Greenhouse gas mitigation potentials in the livestock sector, Nature Climate Change

<https://news.psu.edu/story/399440/2016/03/23/research/worlds-livestock-industry-offers-huge-potential-greenhouse-gas>

<https://www.nature.com/articles/nclimate2925>

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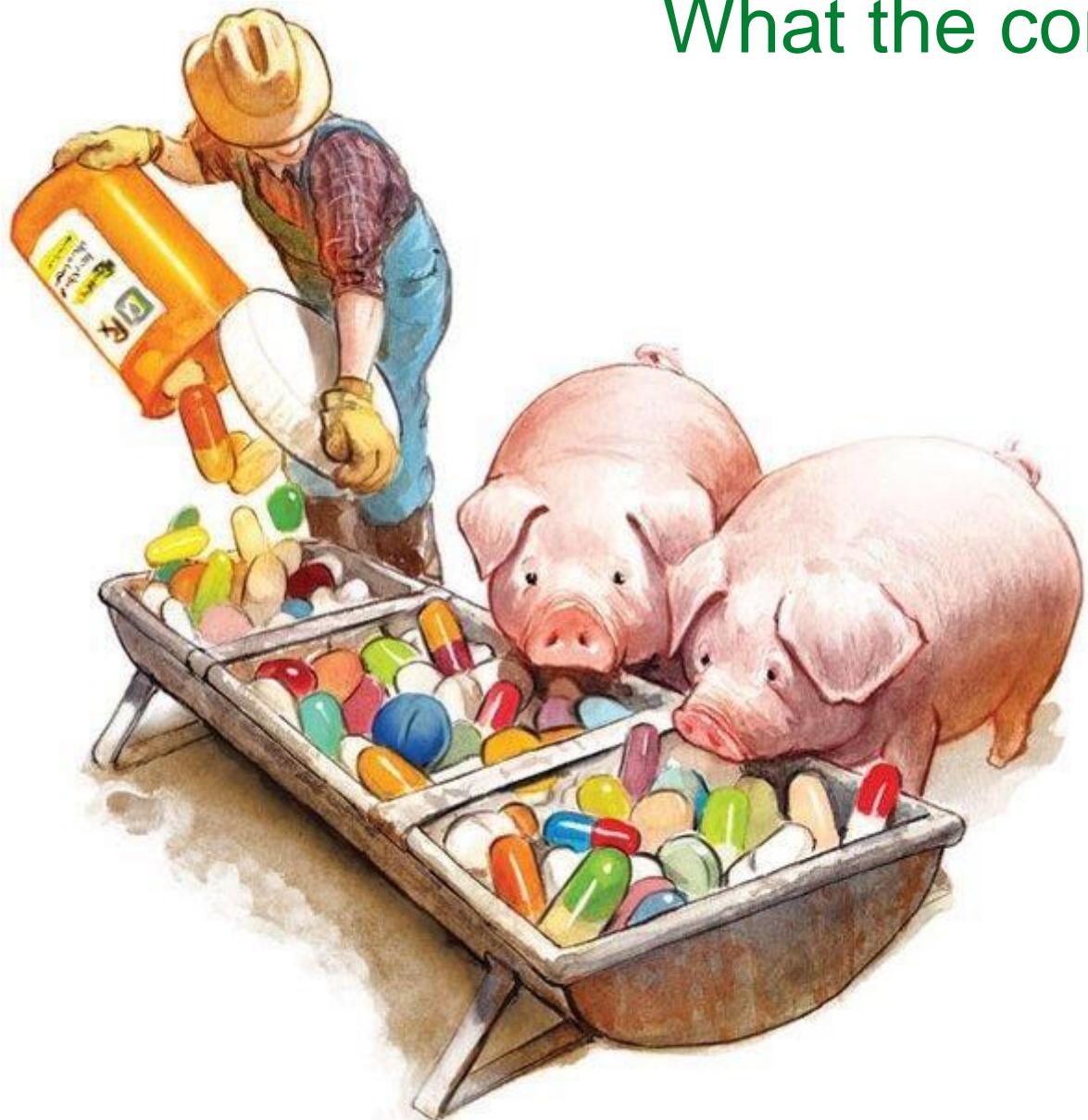
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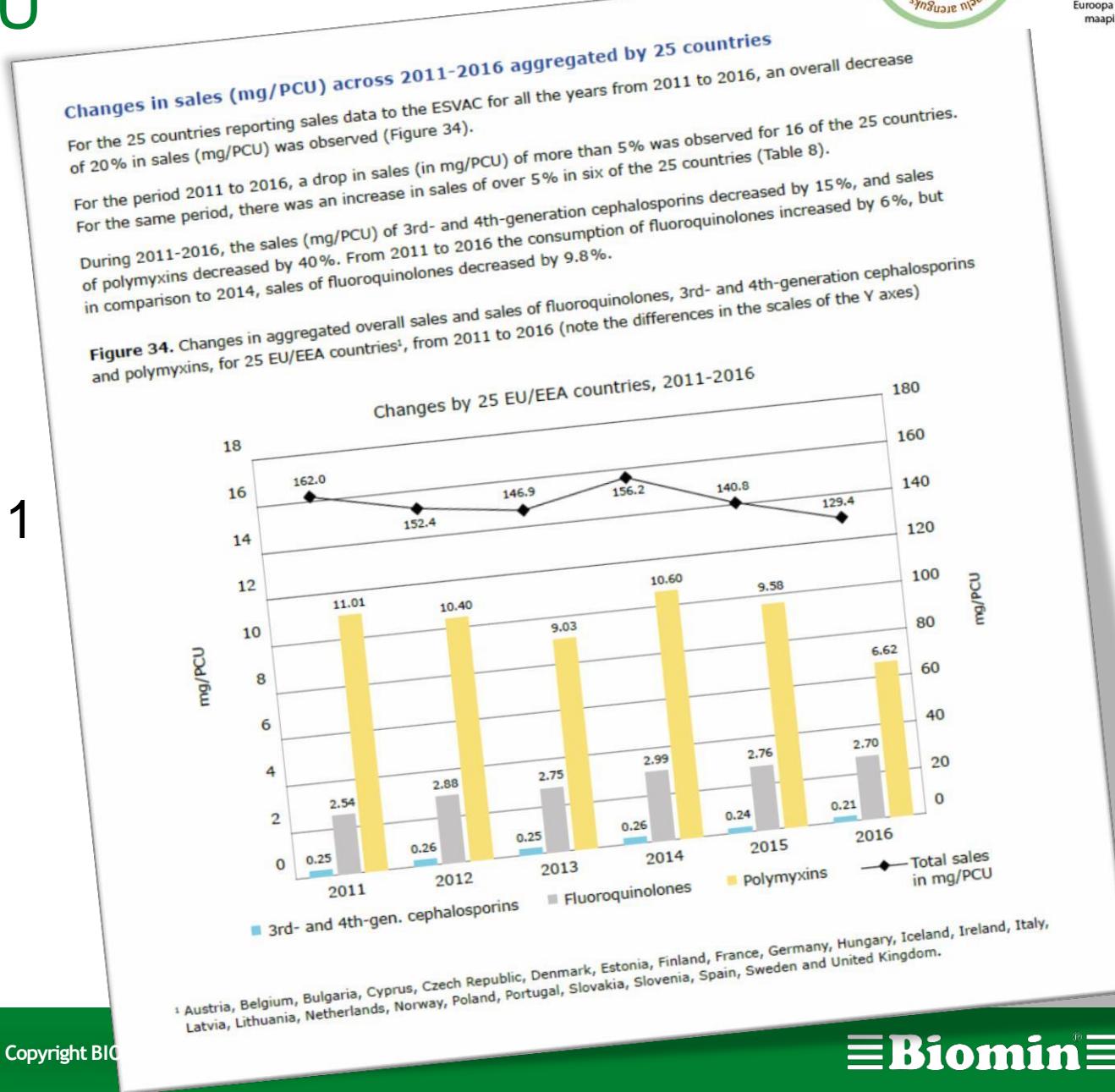
What the consumer



What the consumer does not know: a clear downward trend in EU



- Overall decrease of 25% since 2011



Antibiotic resistance is a natural old phenomenon

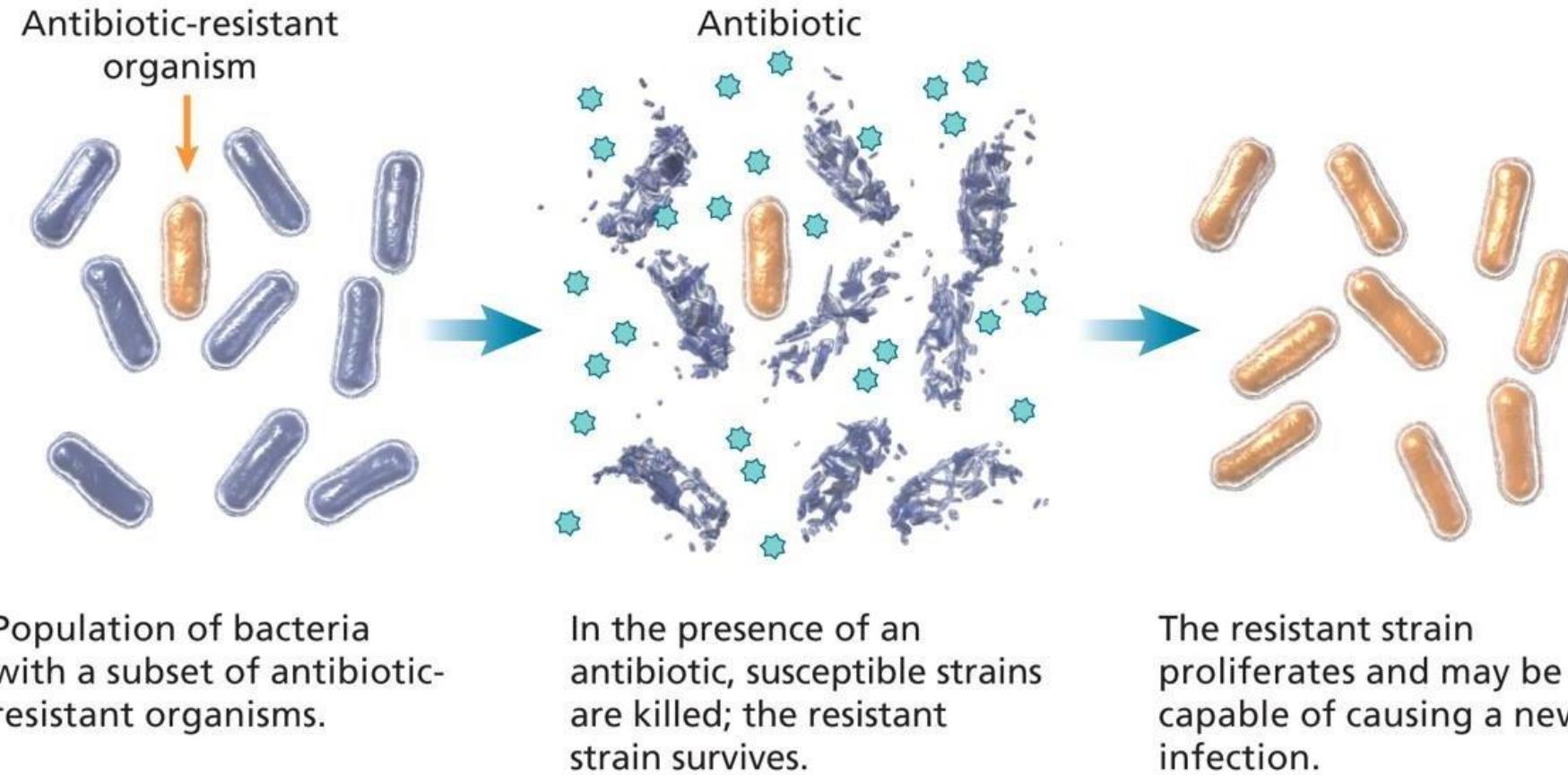


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“The gut bacteria inside 1000-year-old mummies from the Inca Empire are resistant to antibiotics” New Scientist, 07 2016

All antibiotic use will lead to selection of resistant bacteria

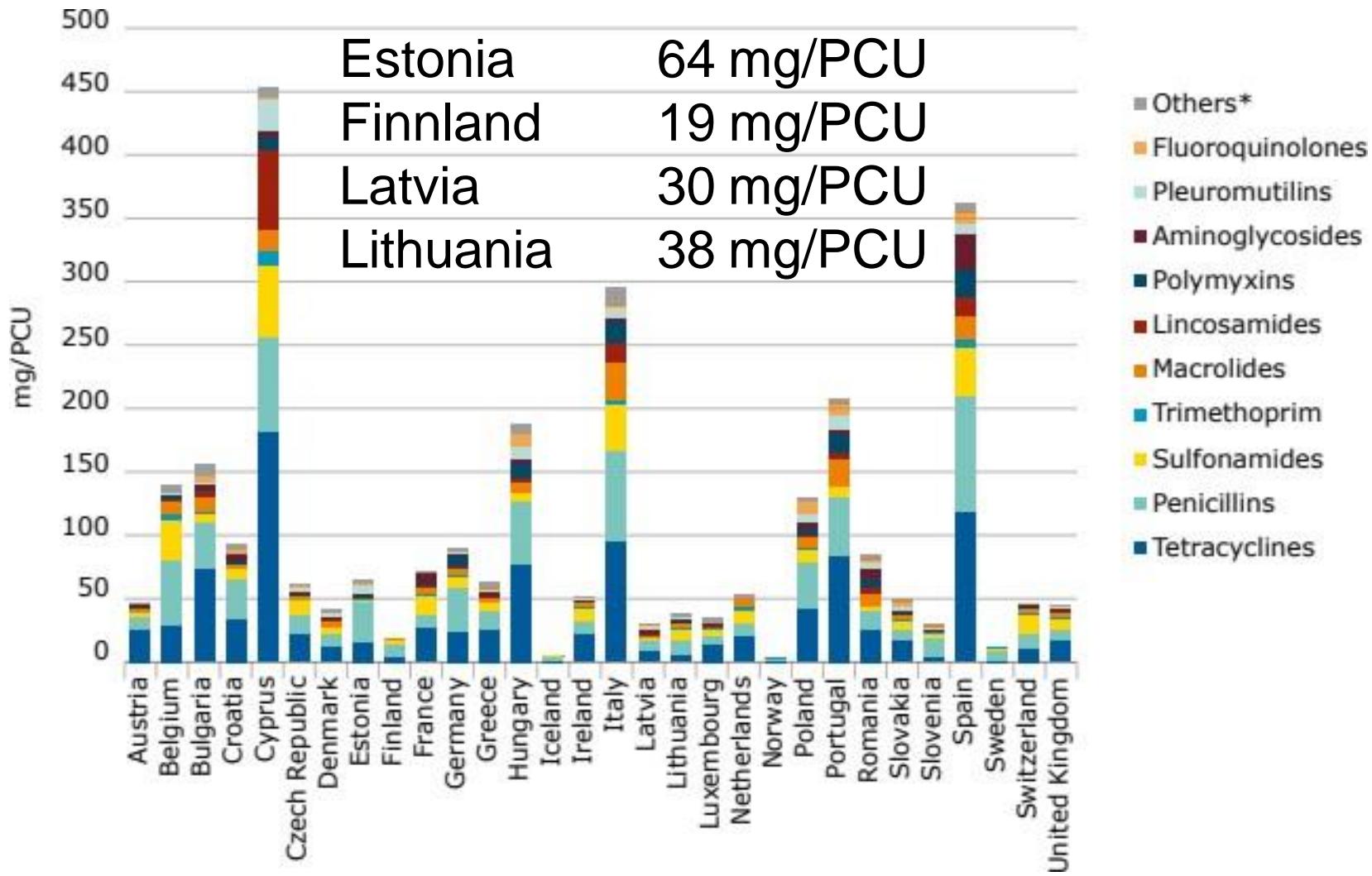


Antibiotics



Antibiotics used in 30 European countries in 2016

mg/PCU = sales of veterinary antimicrobial agents,
expressed as mg sold per population correction unit (PCU)

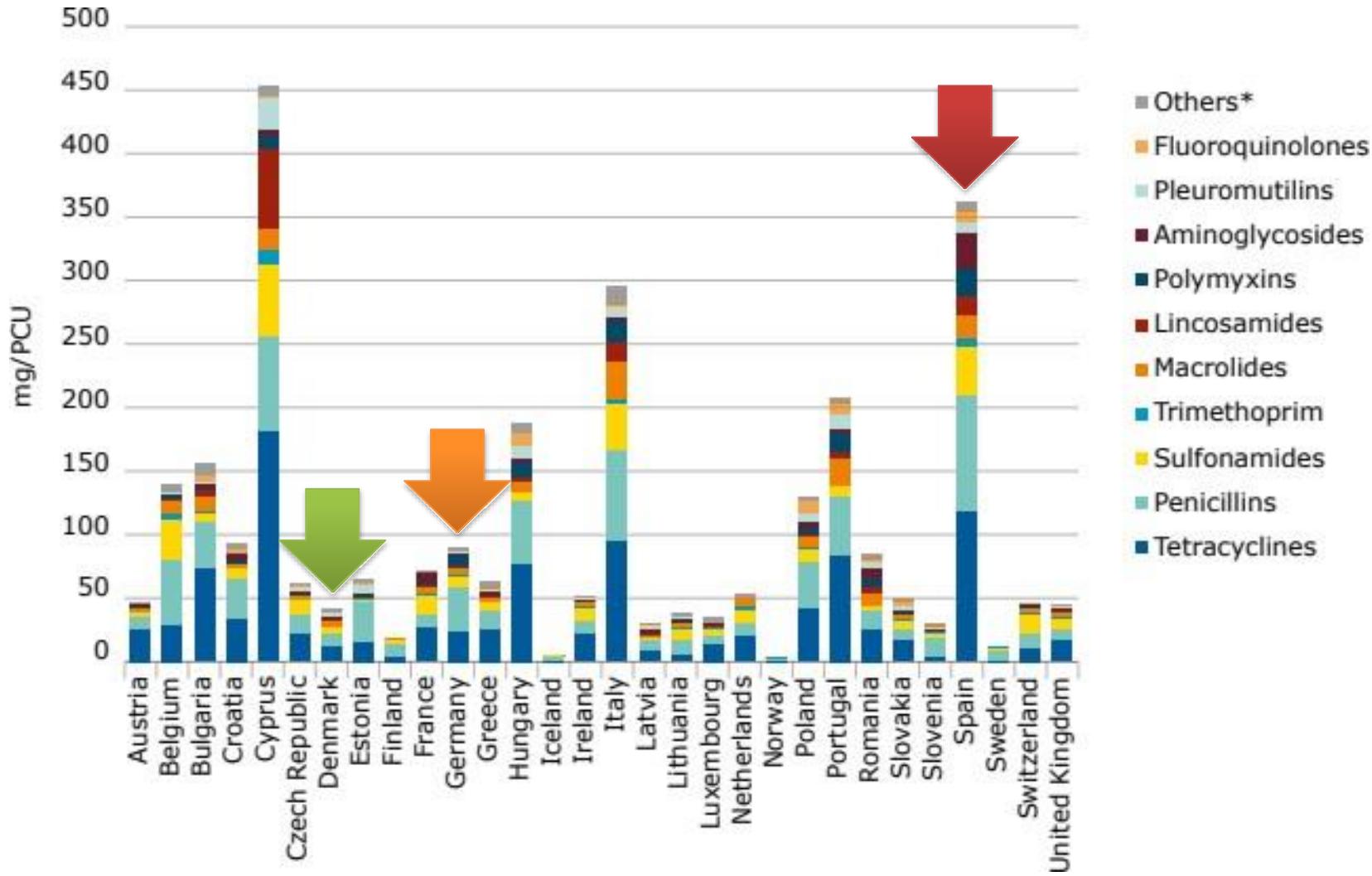


Source:

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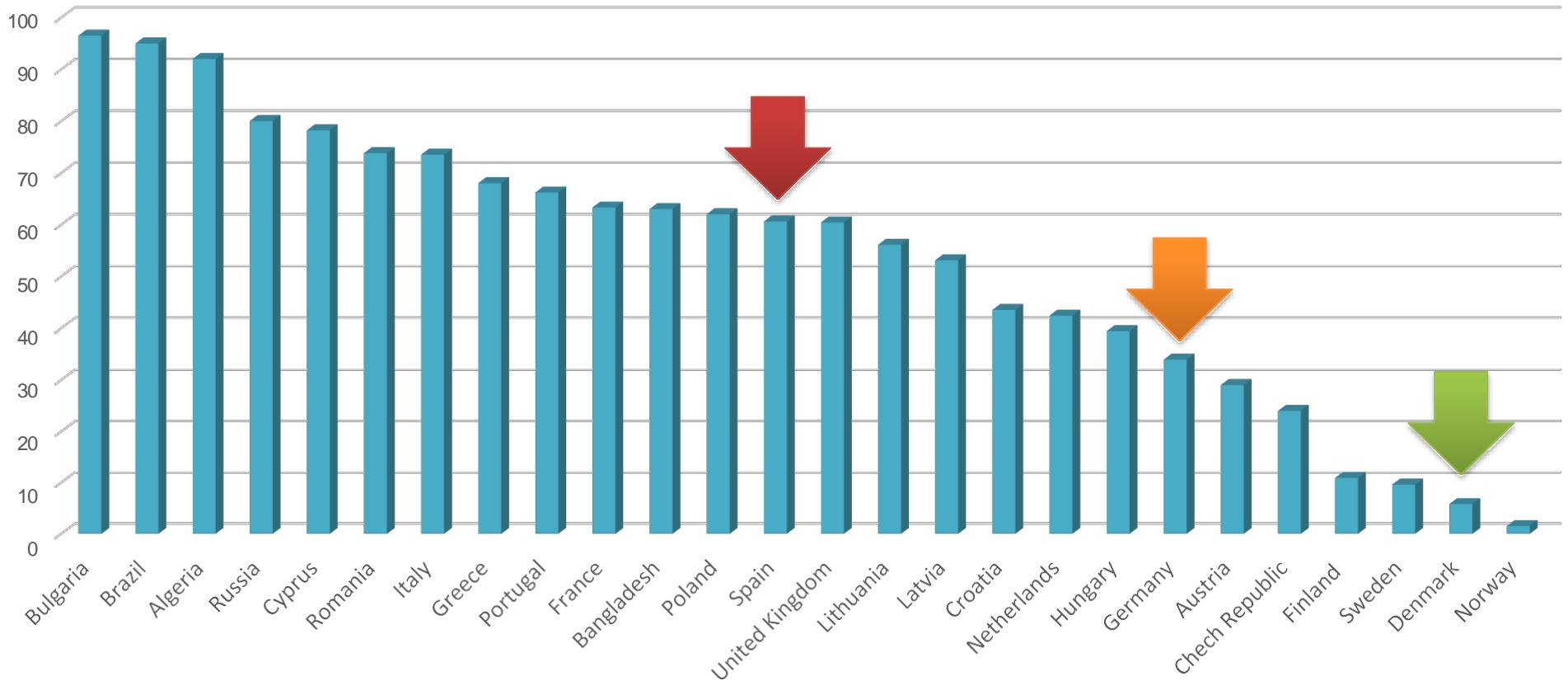
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Percentages of tetracycline resistant *E. coli* isolates from pou



Source:

Algeria: Agabou et al., 2016, Aggad et al., 2010, Belmahdi et al., 2016, Benameu et al., 2014, Benklaou et al., 2016, Boudjerd et al., 2016, Messai et al., 2013

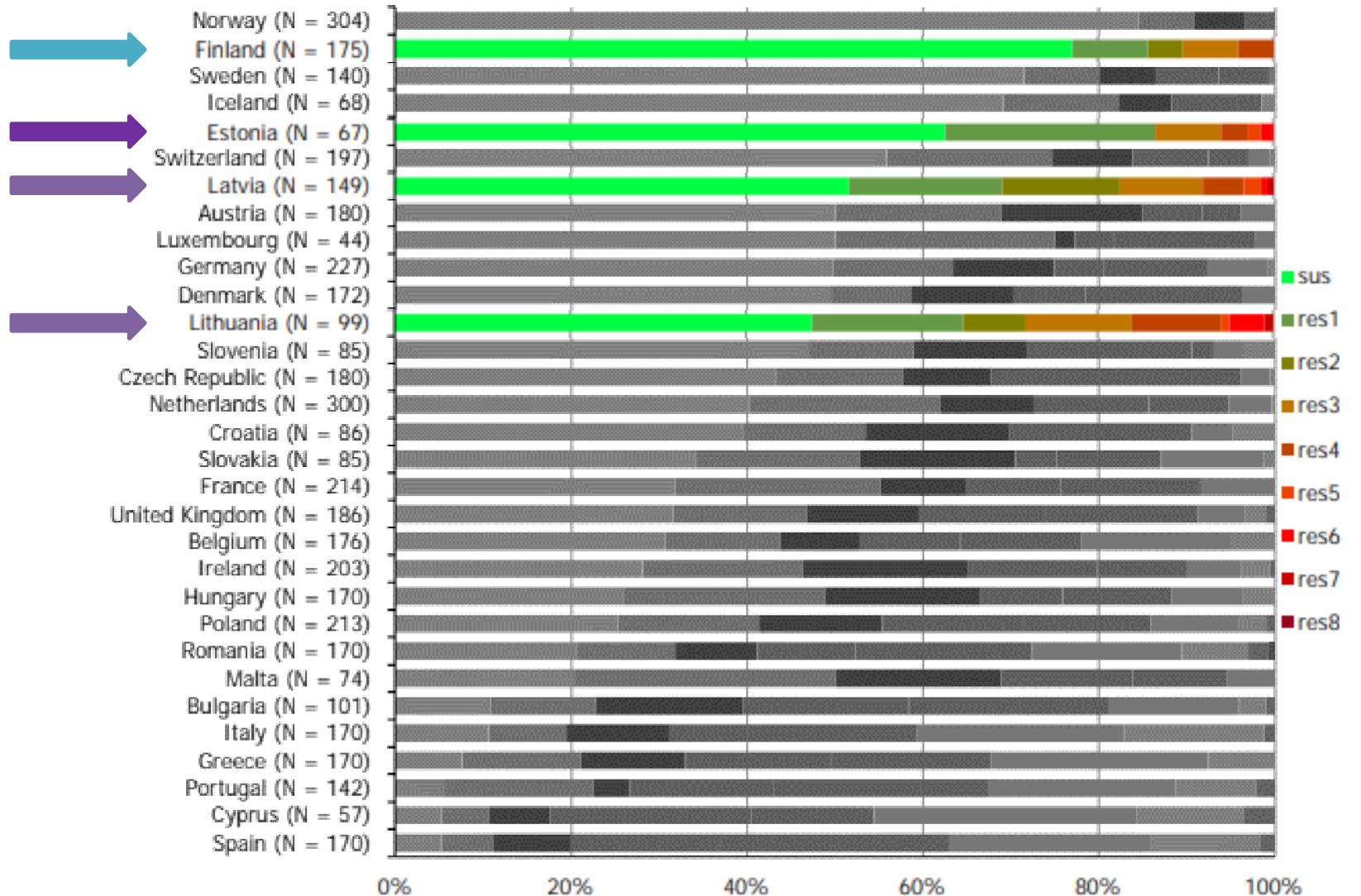
Bangladesh: Akond et al., 2009, Hasanet al., 2011, Hasan et al., 2012, Hossain et al., 2008, Khan et al., 2014, Parvez et al., 2016

EU: EFSA, 2016: The EU summary report on antimicrobial resistance in zoonotic and indicator bacteria from humans, animals and food in 2014

Brazil: (Barros et al., 2012, Bezerra et al., 2016, Cardoso et al., 2002, Korb et al., 2015, Pessanha and Filho, 2001, Stella et al., 2013)

Russia: Paramonova et al., 2014

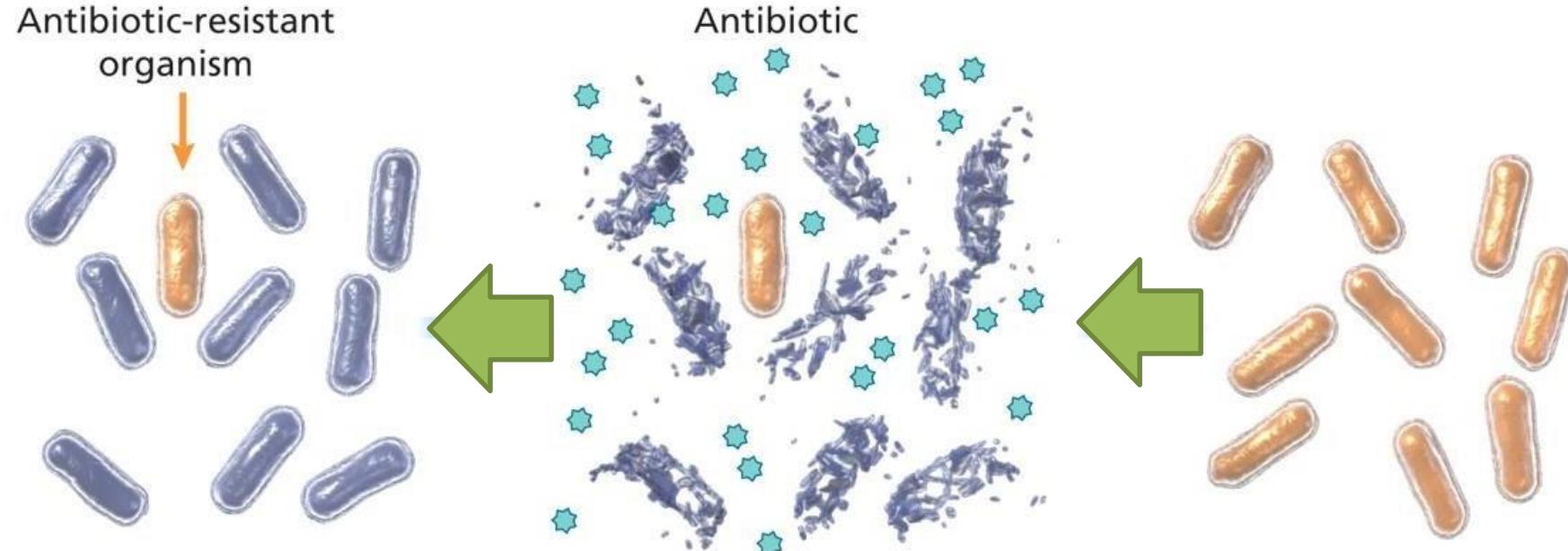
Multi resistances of E.coli to antimicrobials



Source:

https://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/sites/default/files/EU_summary_report_antimicrobial_resistance_in_ecoli_on_rabbit_and_human_animals_2017_web.pdf

Antibiotic resistance prevalence is reversible



Population of bacteria with a subset of antibiotic-resistant organisms.

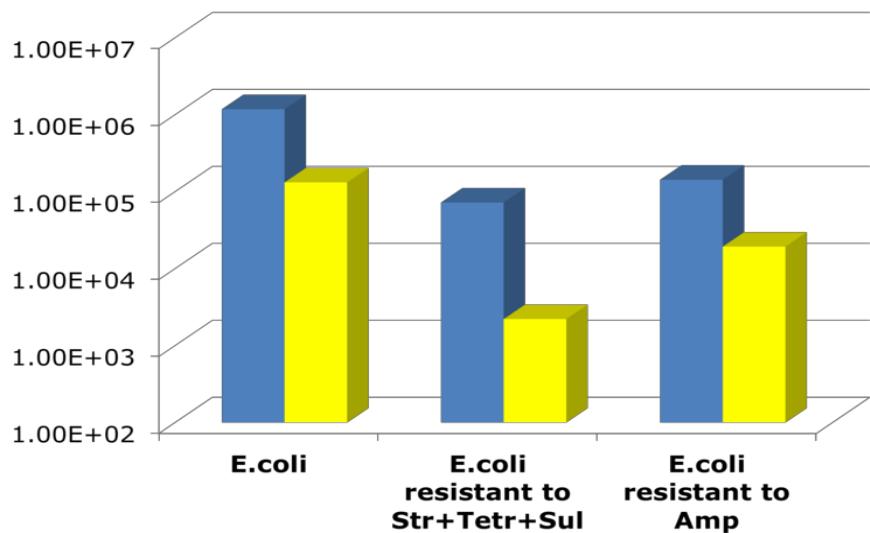
In the presence of an antibiotic, susceptible strains are killed; the resistant strain survives.

The resistant strain proliferates and may be capable of causing a new infection.

Biotronic has a bacteriocidic effect on resistant E.Coli

Caecum microflora	Control group	Biotronic® Top 3 group
<i>E. coli</i>	8.455 ± 0.35 ^a	7.842 ± 0.17 ^b
<i>Salmonella</i>	7.287 ± 0.41 ^a	6.892 ± 0.34 ^b
<i>Lactobacilli</i>	8.262 ± 0.28 ^A	9.115 ± 0.30 ^B
<i>Clostridium perfringens</i>	8.545 ± 0.43 ^a	7.798 ± 0.37 ^b

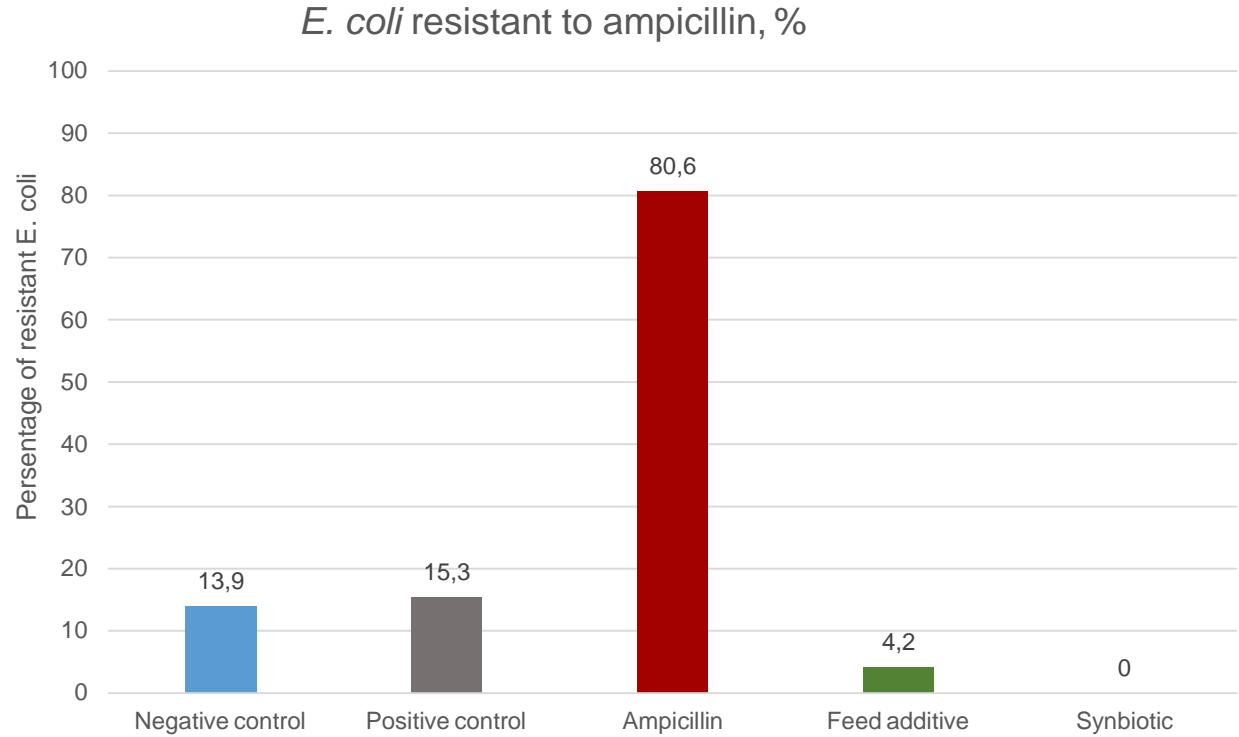
**Average *E. coli* counts
in fecal samples, cfu/ml**



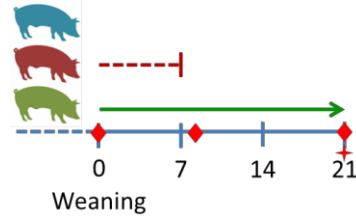


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PoultryStar and Biotronic on resistant E.Coli



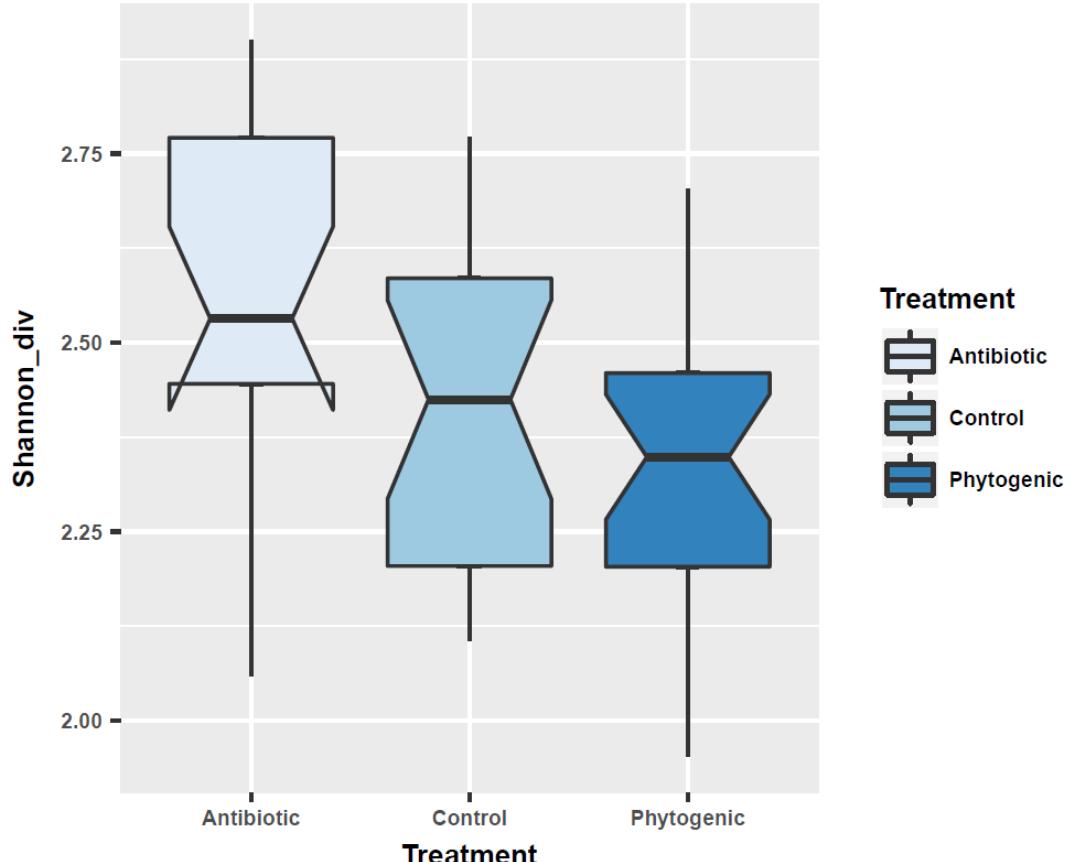
Digestarom on AB-resistance genes



Control
Oxytetracycline
Digerstarom DC

- ◆ fecal samples
- ◆ GIT samples

Alpha Diversity (Shannon index)- AR genes_ResFinder

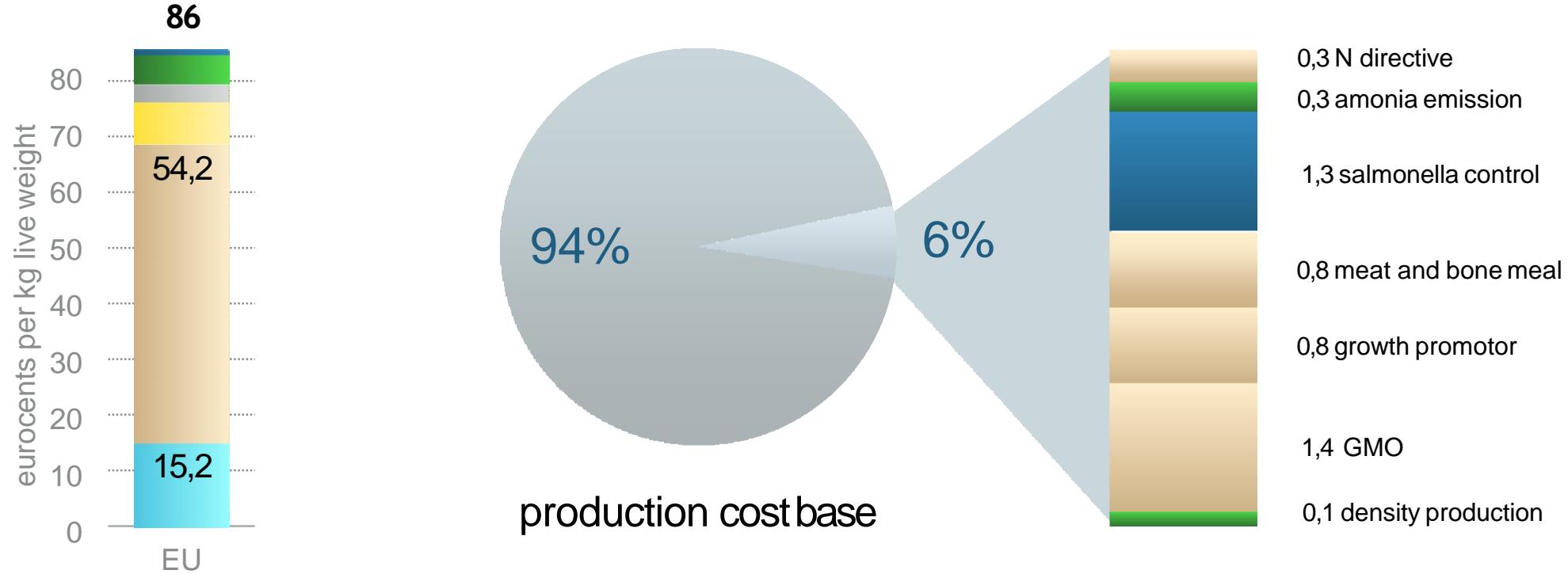


Diversity analysis (number & abundance)

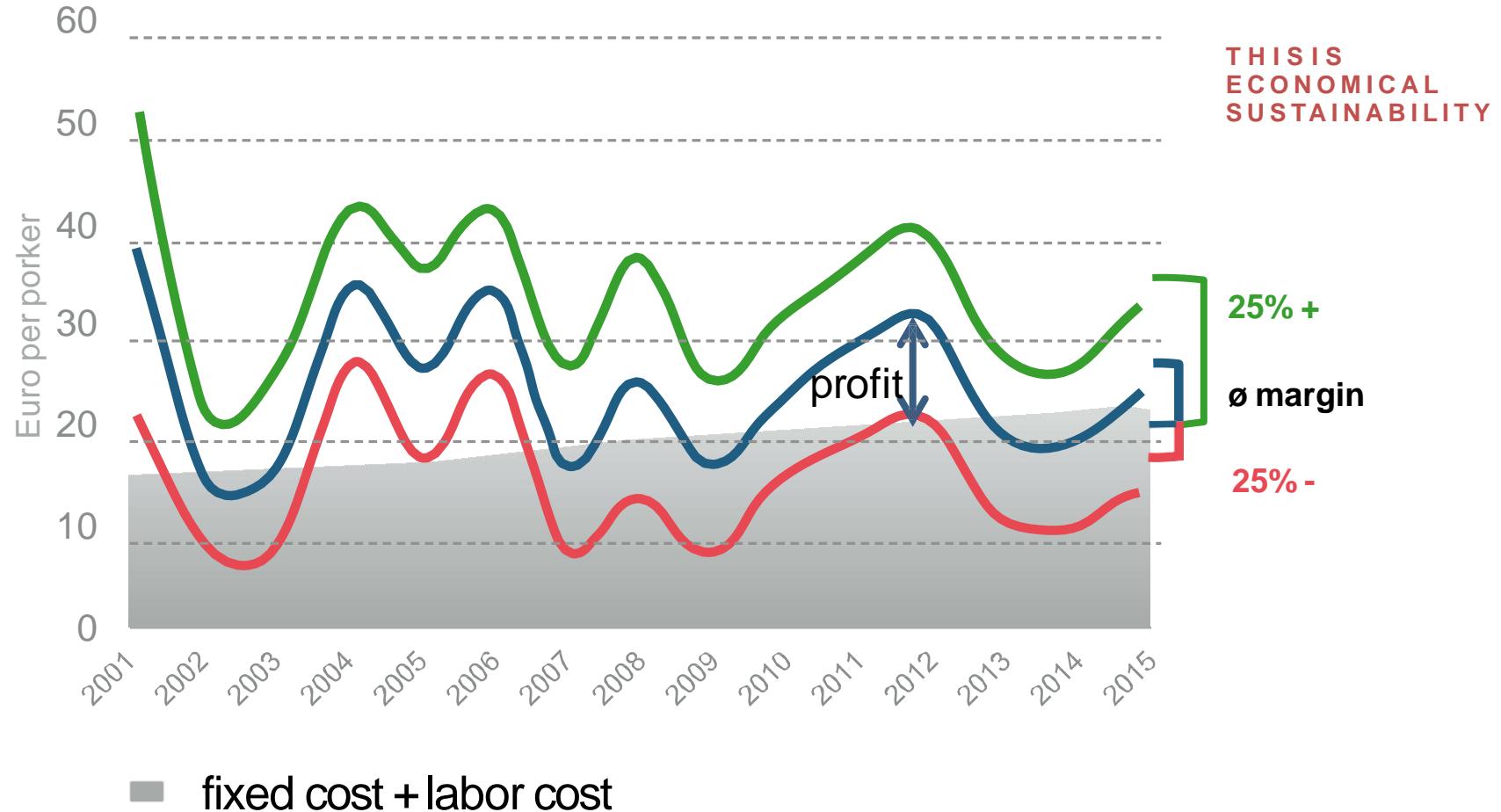


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