



Importance of monitoring quantities and usage patterns of antimicrobial agents in animals at a national level



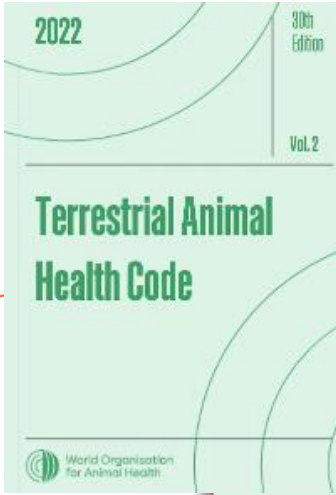
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“If you cannot measure it, you cannot improve it.

Lord Kelvin (1824 – 1907)



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Ch.6.8. Harmonisation of national AMR **surveillance and monitoring** programmes

Ch.6.9. **Monitoring of the quantities and usage patterns** of antimicrobial agents used in food-producing animals

Ch.6.10. **Responsible and prudent use** of antimicrobial agents in veterinary medicine

Ch.6.11. **Risk analysis** for AMR arising from the use of antimicrobial agents in animals



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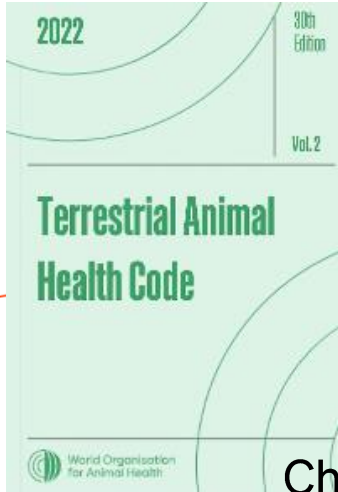
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Ch.6.2. Principles for **responsible and prudent use** of antimicrobial agents in aquatic animals

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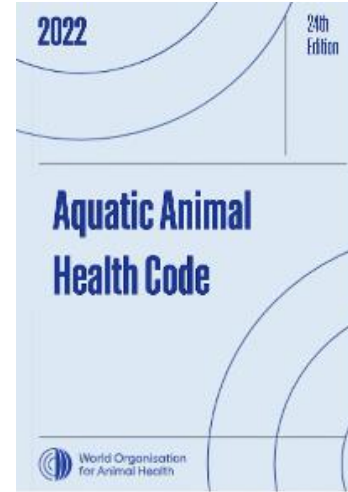
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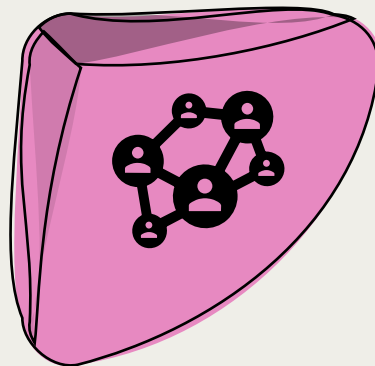
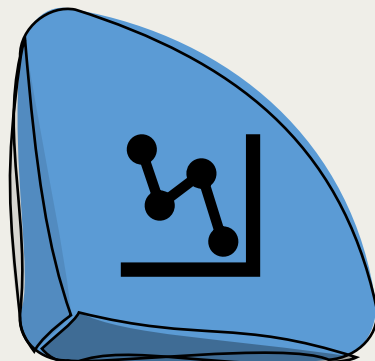
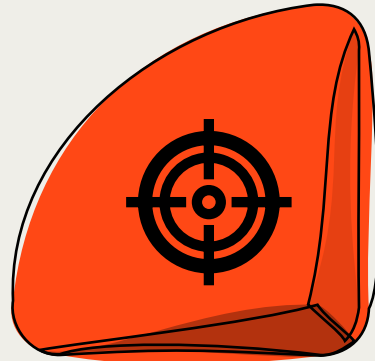
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Ch.6.9. & 6.3. Objectives – Importance of monitoring Antimicrobial Use (AMU)

INTERPRETATION

Helping in the interpretation of **AMR surveillance data** and assisting in responding to problems of antimicrobial resistance in a **precise and targeted way**



EVALUATION

Assisting in **risk management** to **evaluate** the **effectiveness** of efforts and mitigation strategies.

EVOLUTION

Giving an **indication of trends** in the use of antimicrobial agents in animals over time and **potential associations with AMR** in animals

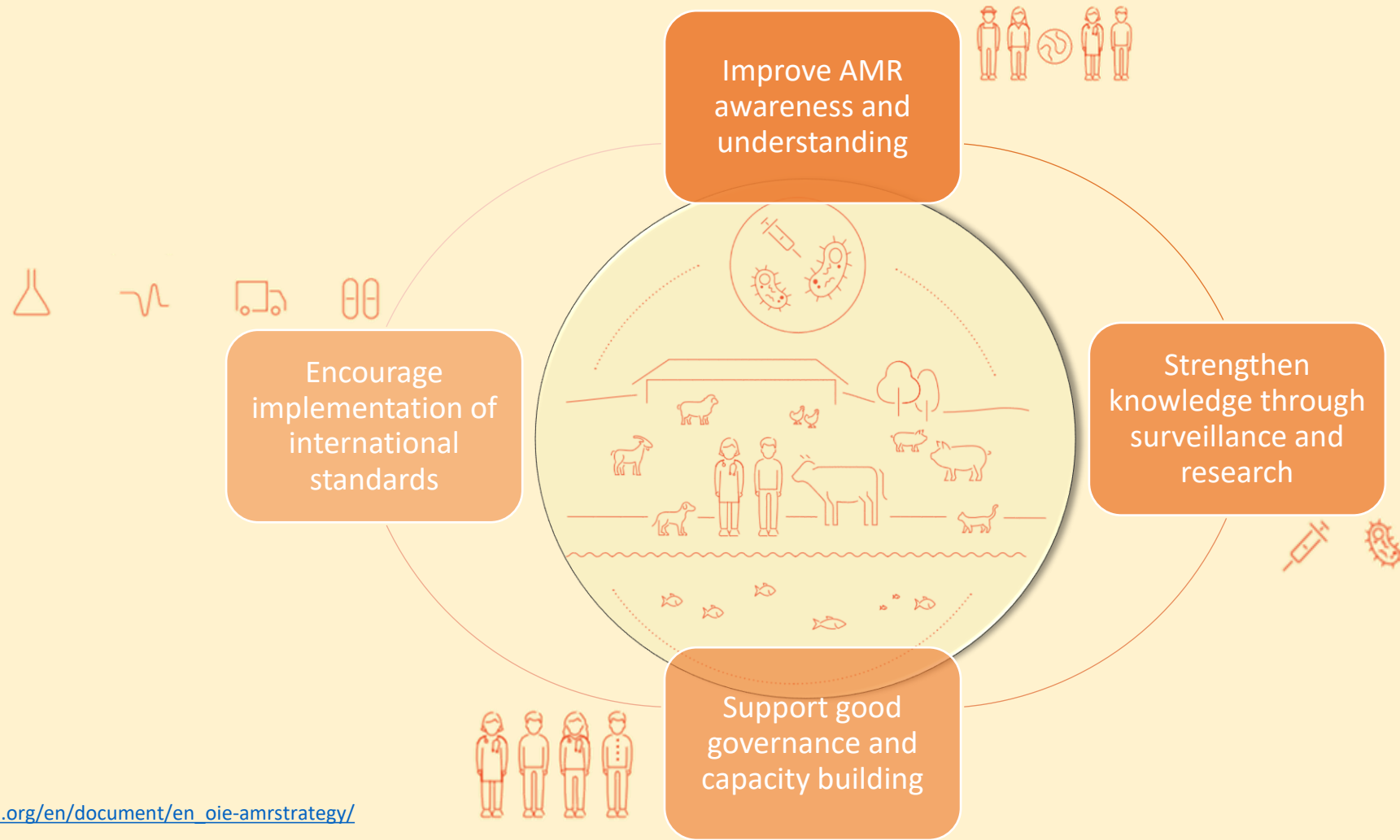
COMMUNICATION

Ensuring transparency and communicating on the **risks** (if data published)



WOAH Strategy on AMR and the Prudent Use of Antimicrobials

The WOAH Strategy supports the objectives established in the Global Action Plan on AMR, developed by WHO with strong contribution from FAO and WOAH. It reflects the mandate of the WOAH, through four main objectives:





Strengthen knowledge through surveillance and research

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AMR National Action Plans



Monitoring and surveillance systems



Report trends in antimicrobial use and AMR



Emergence of organisms with AMR traits

- Support Members in **developing and implementing monitoring and surveillance systems**
- Build and maintain a **database for collecting data on the use of antimicrobial agents in food-producing and companion animals**, with associated analysis and annual reporting
- **Enhance the development, use and functionality of WAHIS** to allow analysis of data on antimicrobial use
- **Guide and support research into alternatives to antibiotics** to encourage the development and uptake of new tools, products and methodologies
- Identify and pursue **opportunities for public-private partnerships** in AMR research and risk management



The database is designed for **YOU** to:

1.

Monitor the type and use of antimicrobial products

2.

Measure trends over time

3.

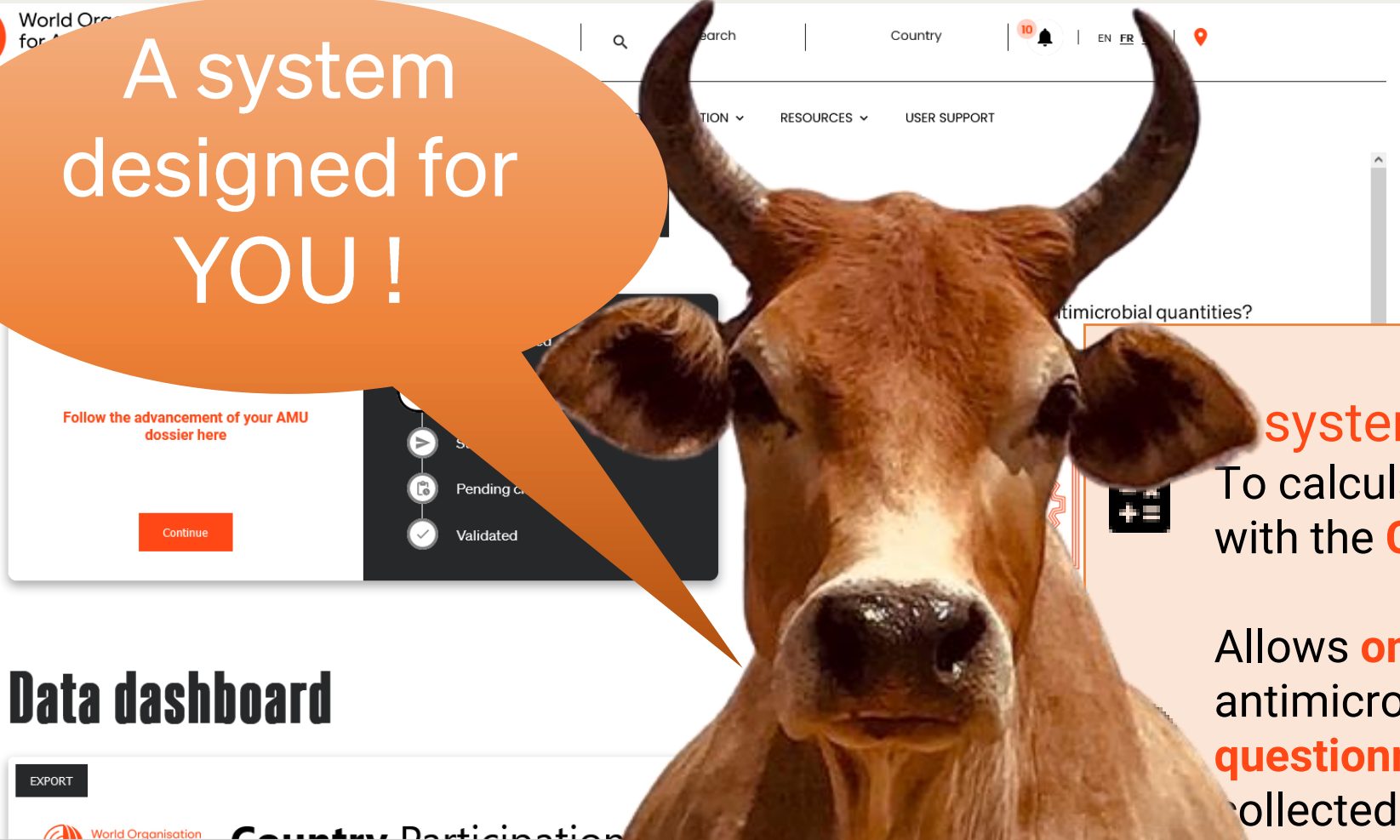
Trace circulation and use patterns globally

4.

Evaluate the quality and authenticity of antimicrobial products in use



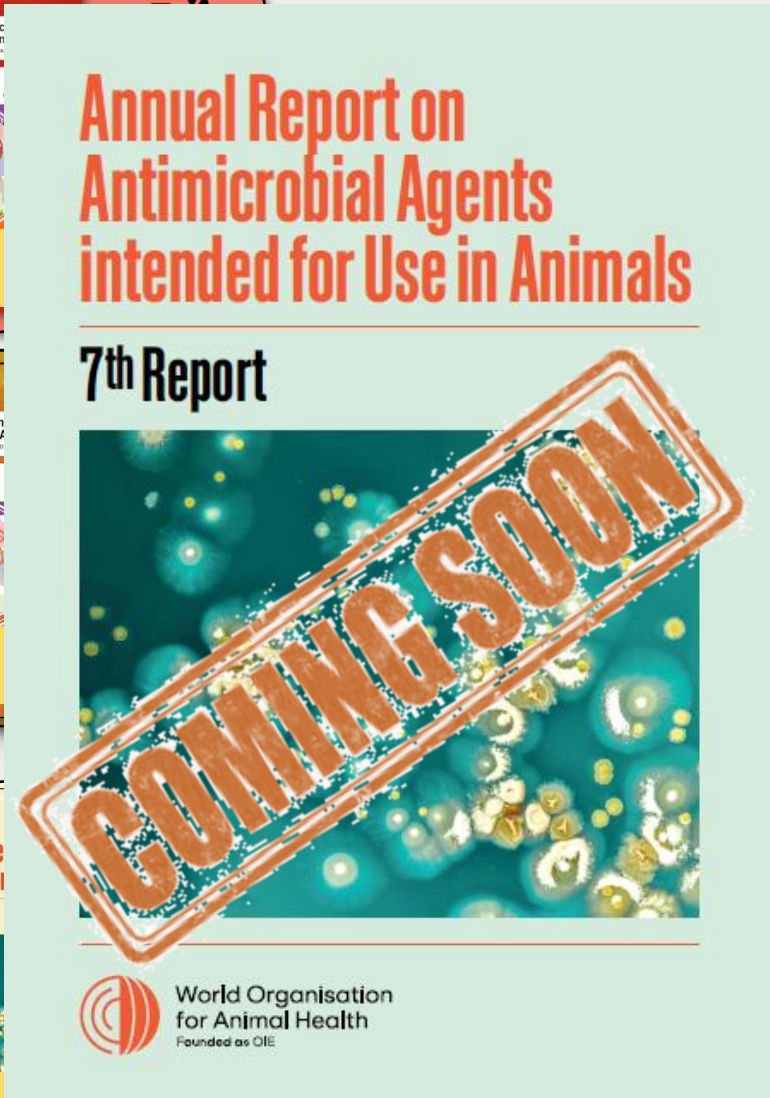
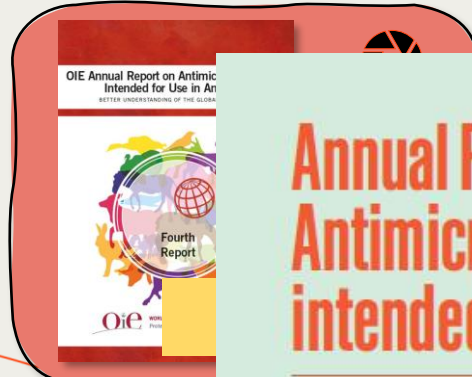
A system
designed for
YOU!



system designed for **YOU**
To calculate antimicrobial quantities
with the **Calculation module**

Allows **online access** to complete the
antimicrobial use (AMU)
questionnaire and upload data
collected offline.

Access **historical data** and generate
professional outputs for **data**
visualisation



Result of the Round

Regional Information

Animal Biomass

Antimicrobial Quantities
Focused on One Year

Trends on Time



Qualitative data

Antimicrobial quantities
are not available
(Question 1)

Answer Parts A & B
(Questions 1-4)

WOAH AMU
Questionnaire

Reporting Option 1

Antimicrobial quantities
are available (Question1)

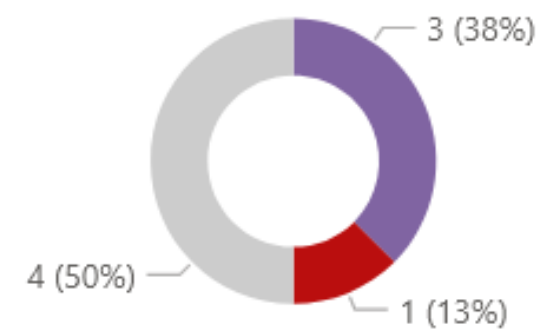
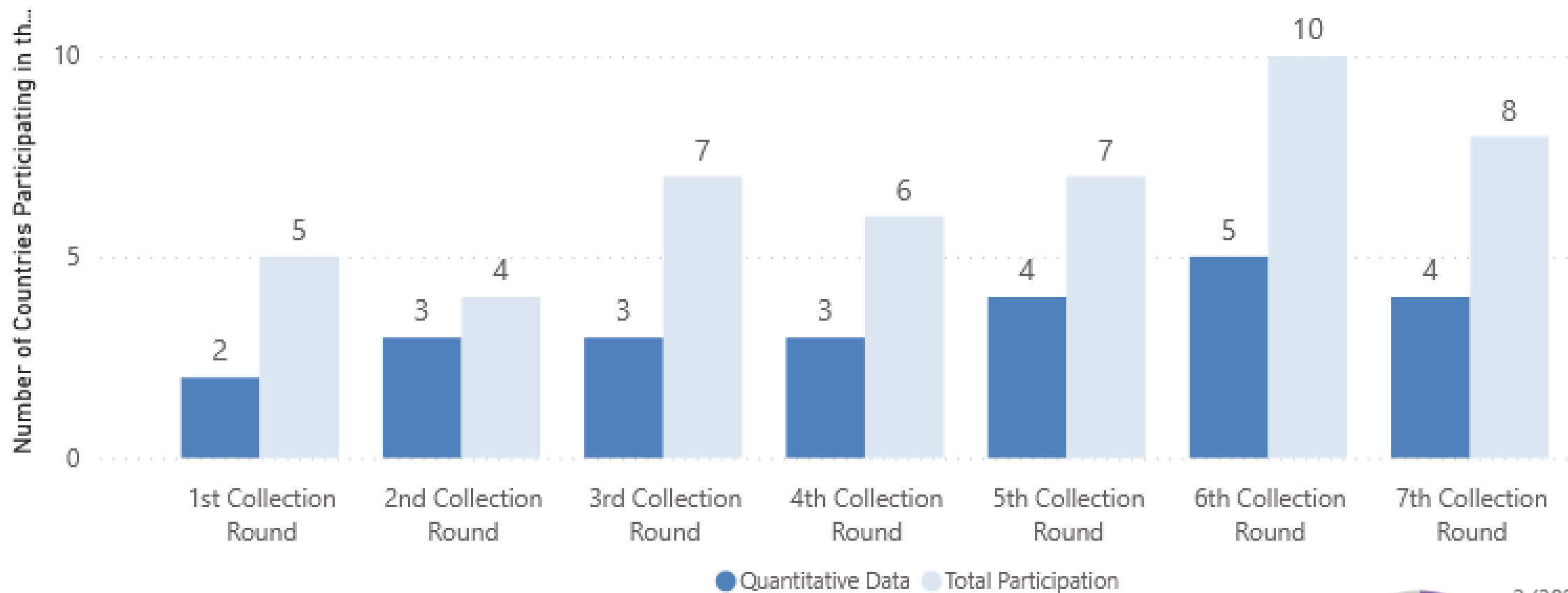
Answer Parts A, B & C
(Questions 1-13)

Reporting Option 2

Reporting Option 3

Quantitative data

Answering the questionnaire and choosing a Reporting Option it
is now easier with ANIMUSE



Next steps

- More participation from Members during this 8th Round of AMU Data Collection – letters have been sent in September 2022.
- More information on:

- Type of use
- Animal groups
- Route of administration



This can be easily achieved with ANIMUSE's Calculation Module



World Organisation
for Animal Health
Founded as OIE

Long-term vision

- Provide information by animal species
- Refined animal population data with WAHIS
- Explore AMU data collection at field level



ANIMUSE

Global
Database

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