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COST Action CA20103: **B**iosecurity **E**nhanced **T**hrough
Training **E**valuation and **R**aising Awareness

WG1 – Mapping biosecurity measures applied on
farms and transport across Europe

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AGENDA



1. WG1 Activities in Progress

- Definitions and biosecurity legislation for small scale farms (poultry, cattle, pigs)
- Small scale questionnaire according to vets in small scale farms
- Publications from pig, cattle and poultry subgroup

2. WG1 Plans for the last GP

- Final result analysis, WG1 subgroups publications



WG1 Plans for the last GP

1. WG1 pig subgroup paper from intensive pig production published in 2025

Finalise data analysis for intensive cattle and poultry subgroups:

WG1 poultry subgroup lead by Alessandra:

- Paper revision has been finalized - will be sent to the coauthors
- The paper is ready for submission asap to PVM

WG1 cattle subgroup:

Work in progress, regular meetings are planned (Julia, Irina, Bojan and defined writing team)

2. WG1 – Survey to identify adoption of biosecurity measures in small scale farms (lead by Inge)

Working plan: monthly meeting for discussions

- complex: mixed species in small scale farms,
- separate analysis for the specific regions
- Teams folder shared – people are going to be invited

Large heterogeneity in biosecurity legislation in the intensive pig production across Europe

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3. **Small-scale survey pig, poultry and cattle - PLAN**

We are very close to finish surveys validation

How to go ahead?

Single paper for all species - wide overview of small scale sector for all included species

Focus on BS implemented specifically in this sector- differences from intensive farming

STSM? Data analysis and paper writing (June-July 2025) depending on the BETTER budget

4. **Systematic review** (lead by Alessandra) – questionnaire about legislation in poultry

- Preliminary results show data heterogeneity –how the legislation is now in Europe
- The work will be finish later, after BETTER ends