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Risk-based meat inspection and
integrated meat safety assurance

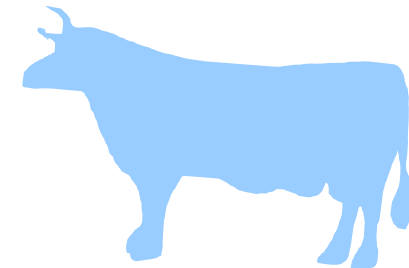
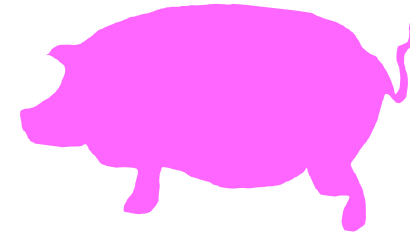
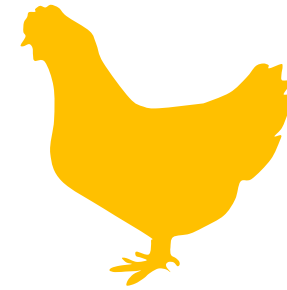


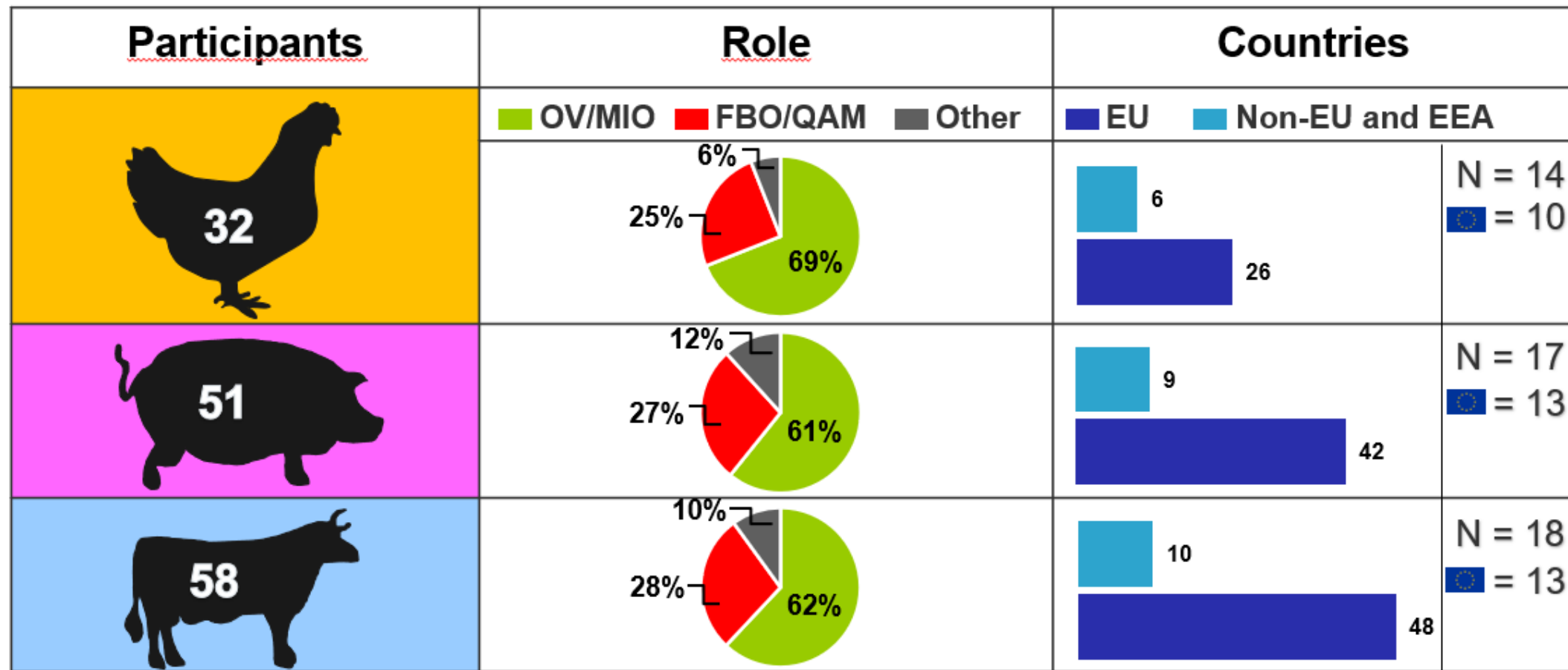
Food chain information

Status quo and improvements: results from an online survey

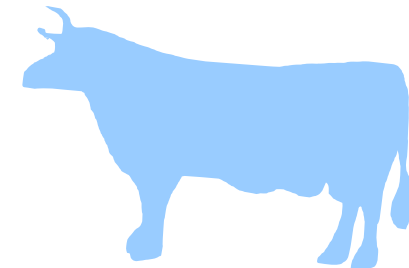
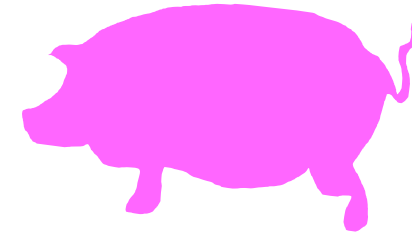
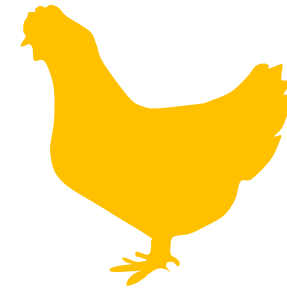
- online survey on FCI and HEIs for   
 - status quo & improvements
- participating countries: 33 “RIBMINS-countries”
- target groups: official veterinarians (**OVs**)/meat inspection officers (**MIOs**) and food business operators (**FBOs**)/quality assurance manager (**QAMs**)
 - recruited by NCPs, at least one OV and FBO per country
 - request: number of participants per country according to the country’s structure
- survey period: November to December 2020

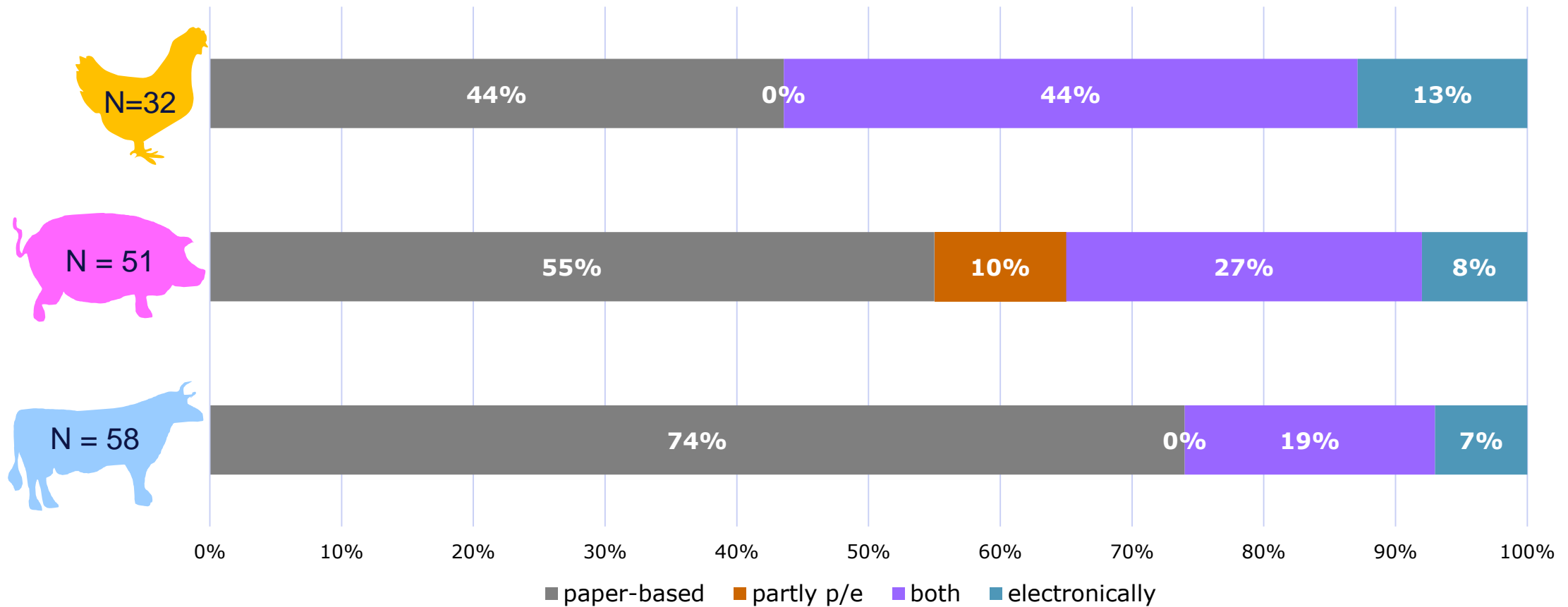
- respondents' background
- status quo of food chain information
 - transmission procedure & usefulness
 - parameters
 - subsequent measures
- improvements
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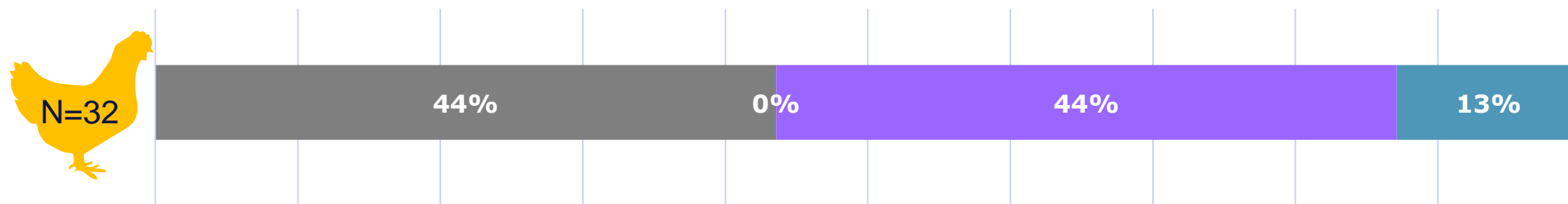


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partly: parts of FCI are transmitted paper-based and others electronically



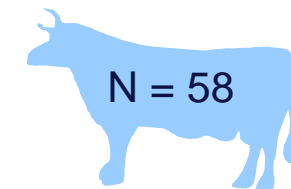
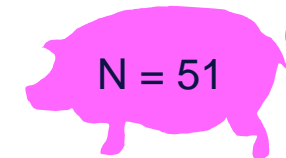
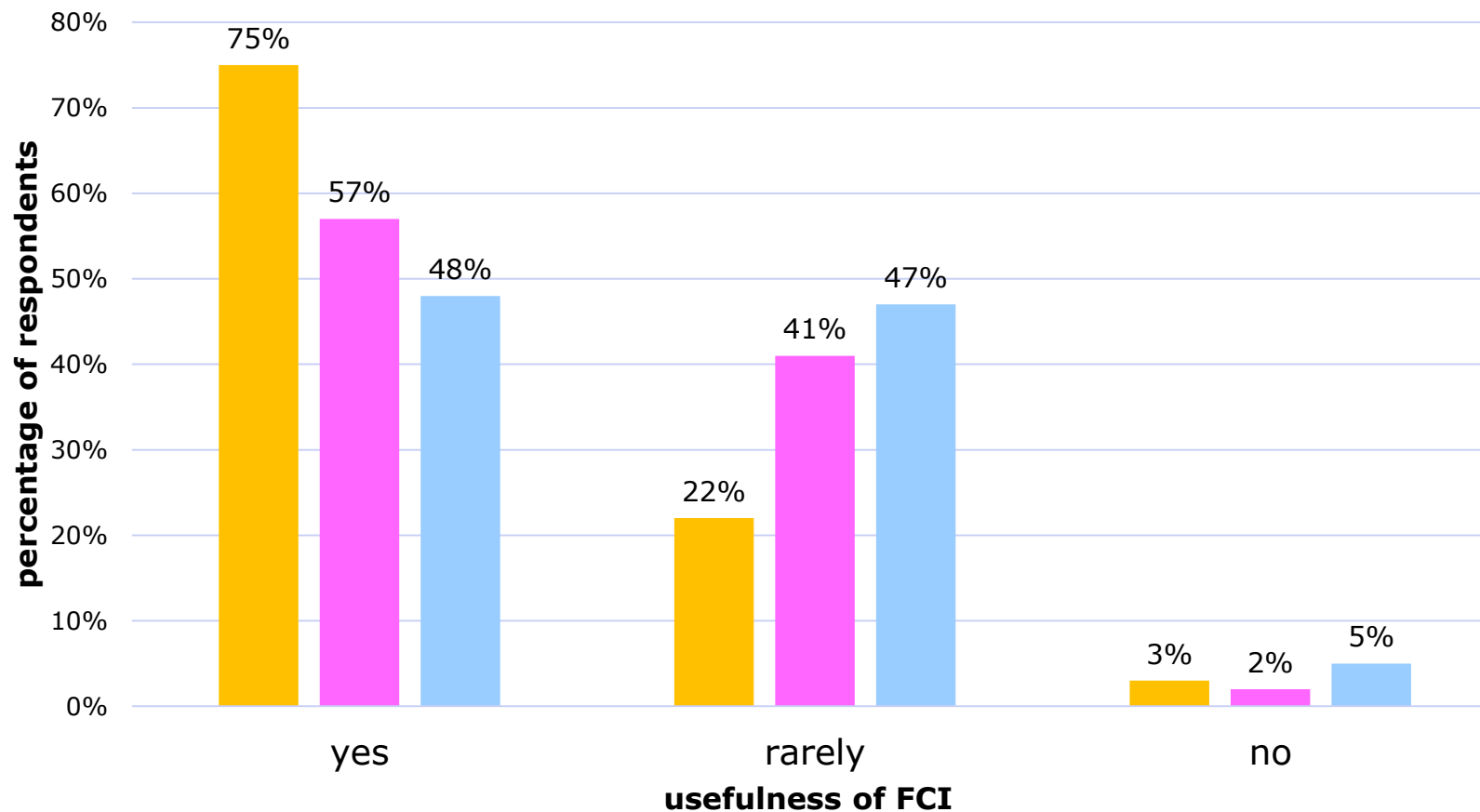
- 78% of the respondents assess the transmission procedure as practical
 - among them, all respondents (n=18) with electronic access
 - similar results for other species

■ paper-based ■ partly p/e ■ both ■ electronically

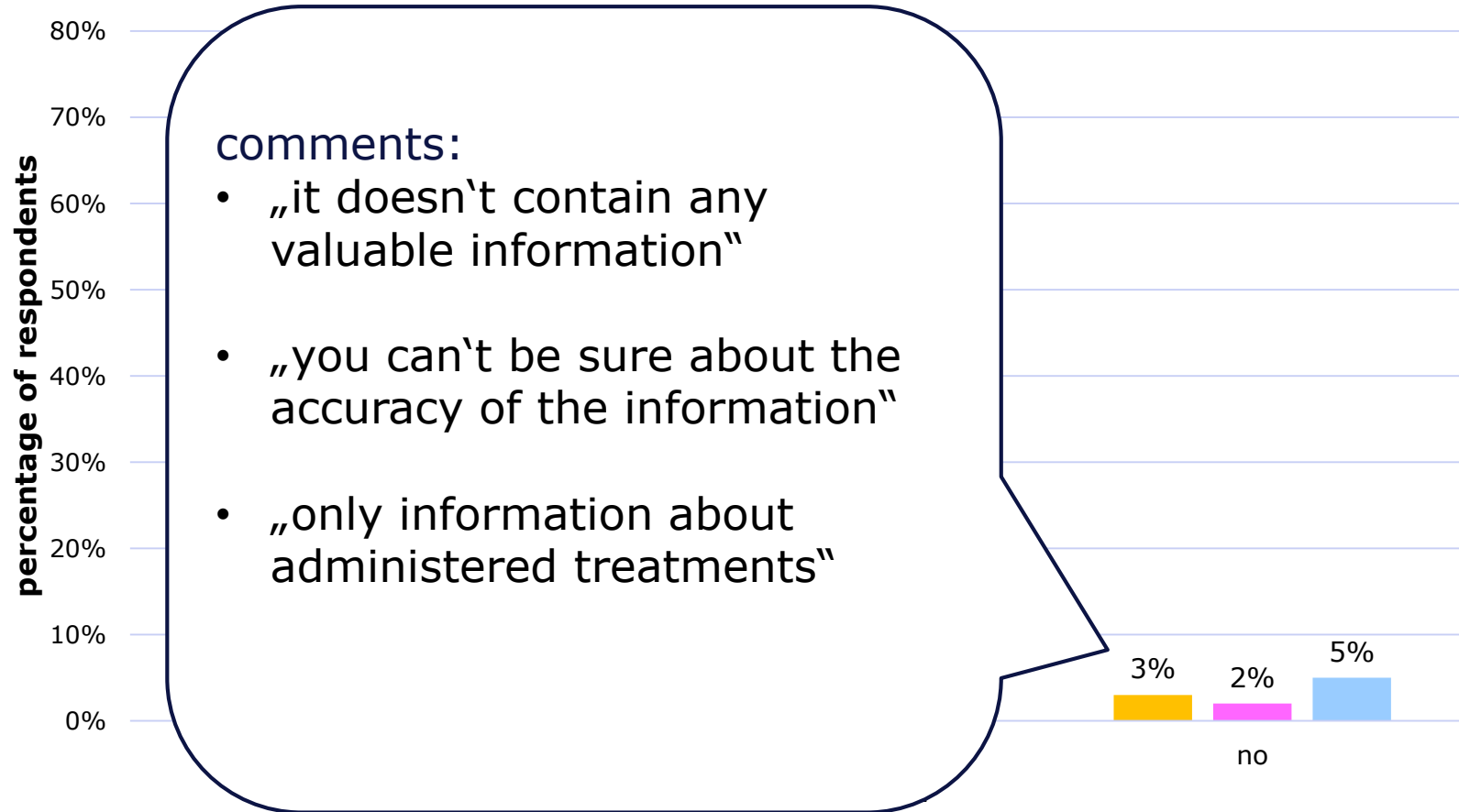
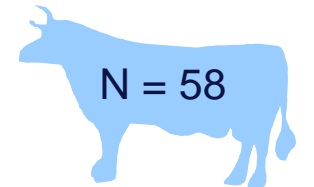
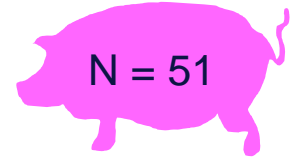


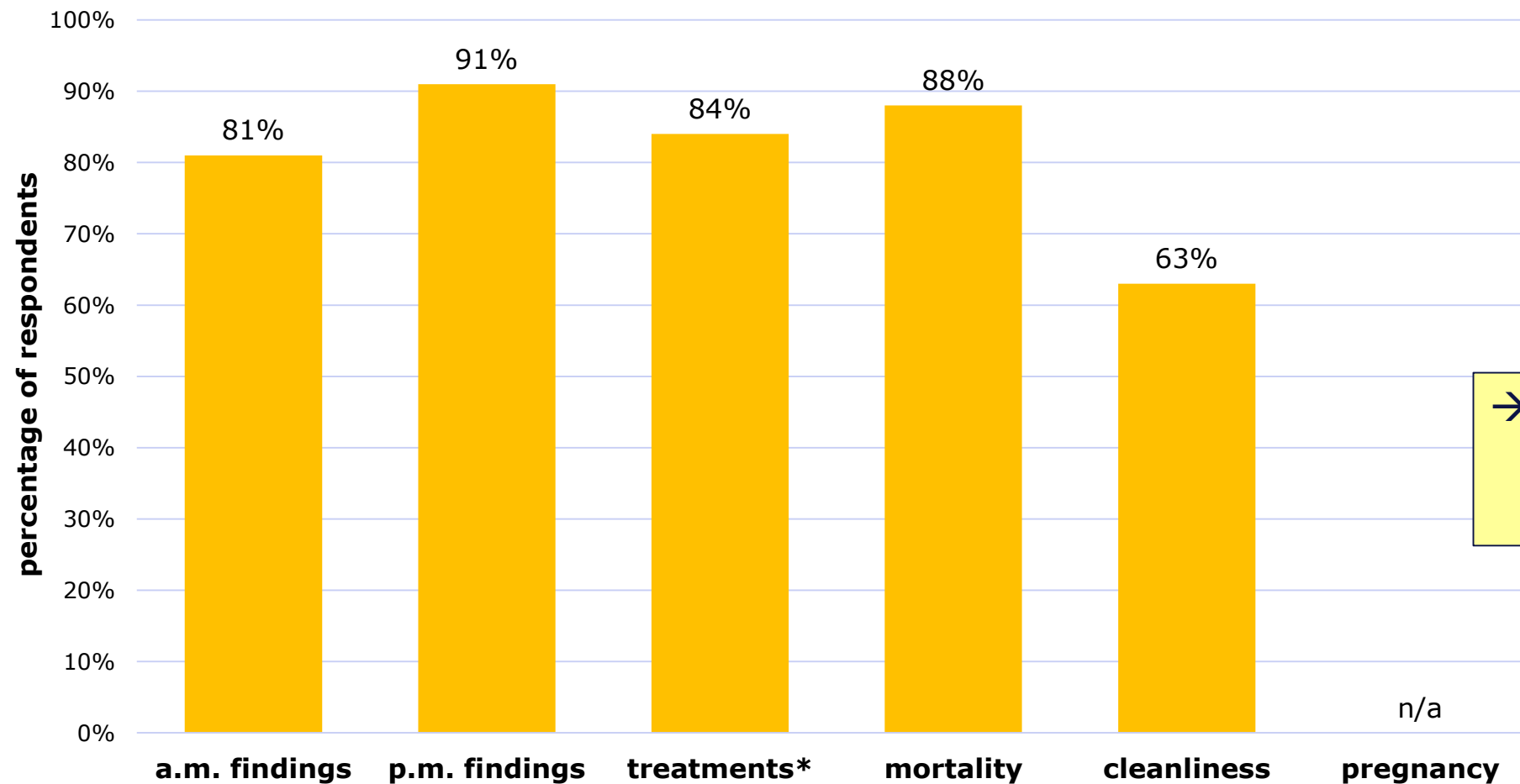
→ aim:
transfer FCI
electronically

Does the FCI help you in decision-making regarding food safety?

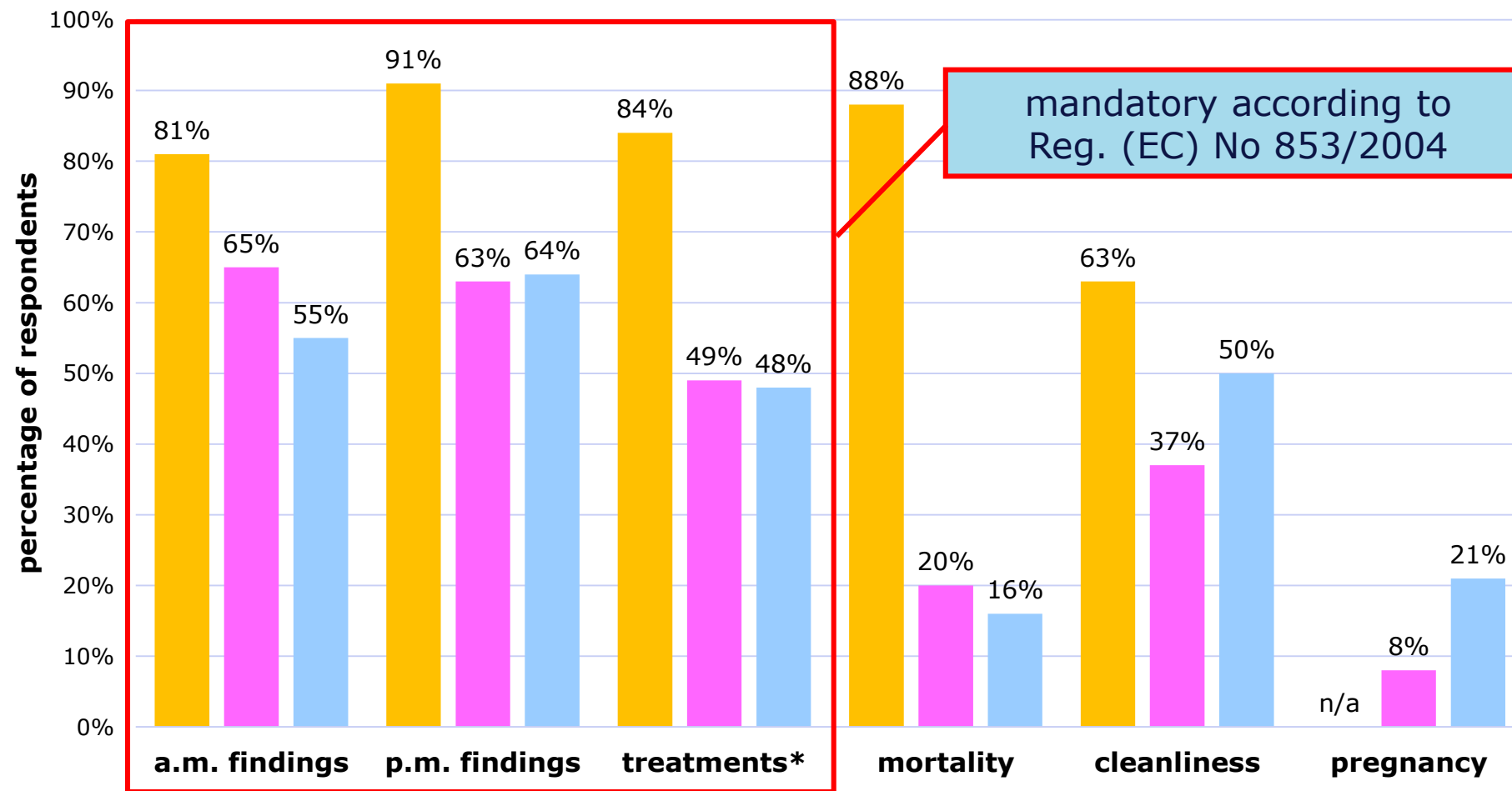


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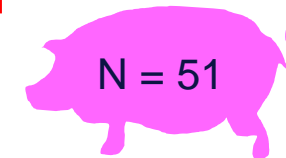




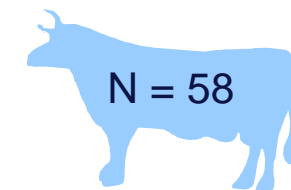
→ FCI should include mortality rate



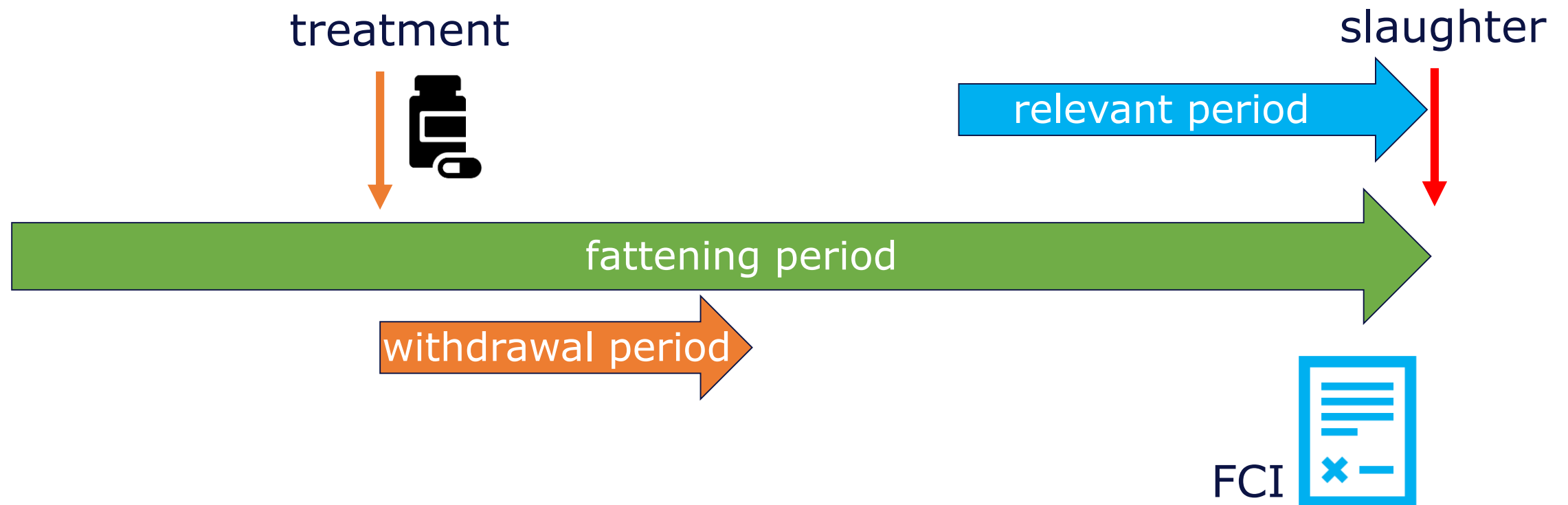
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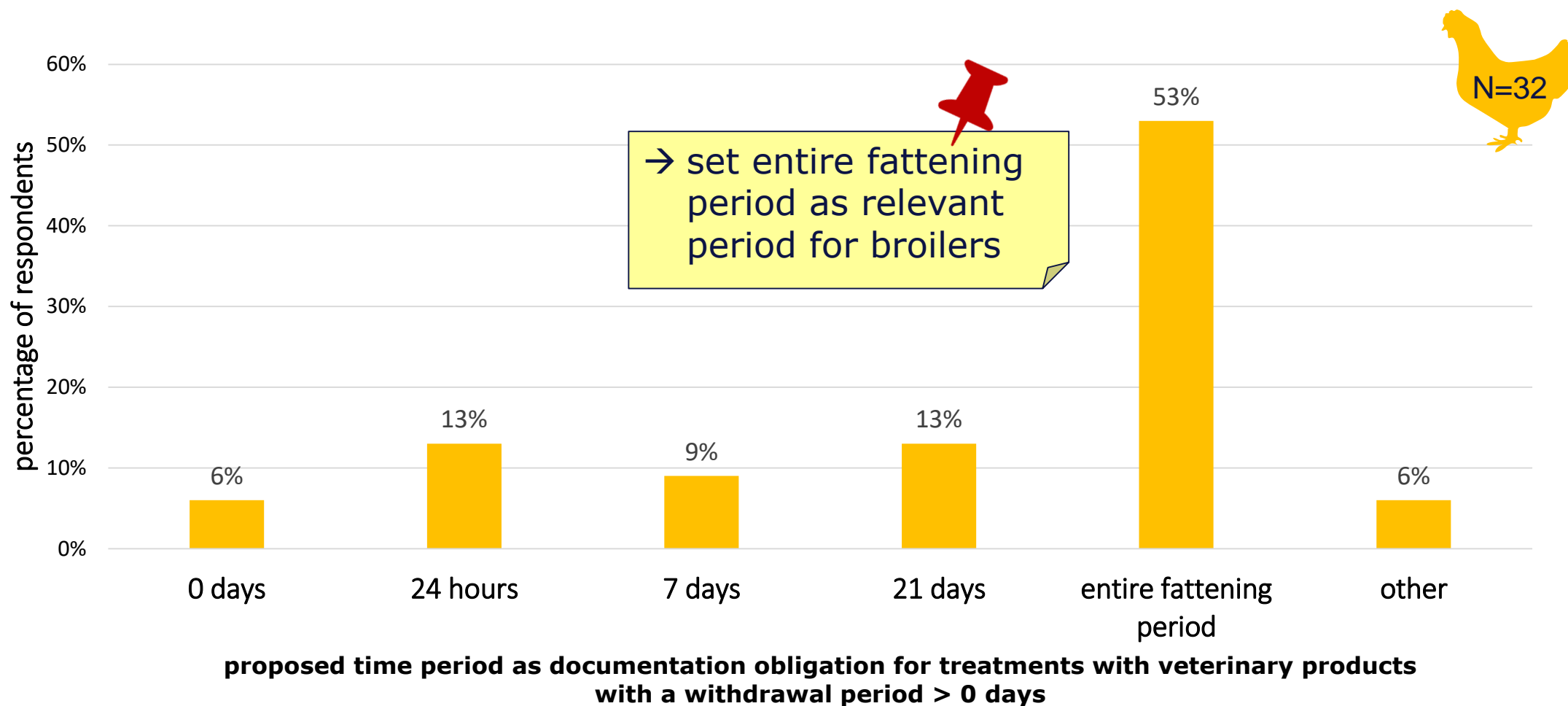
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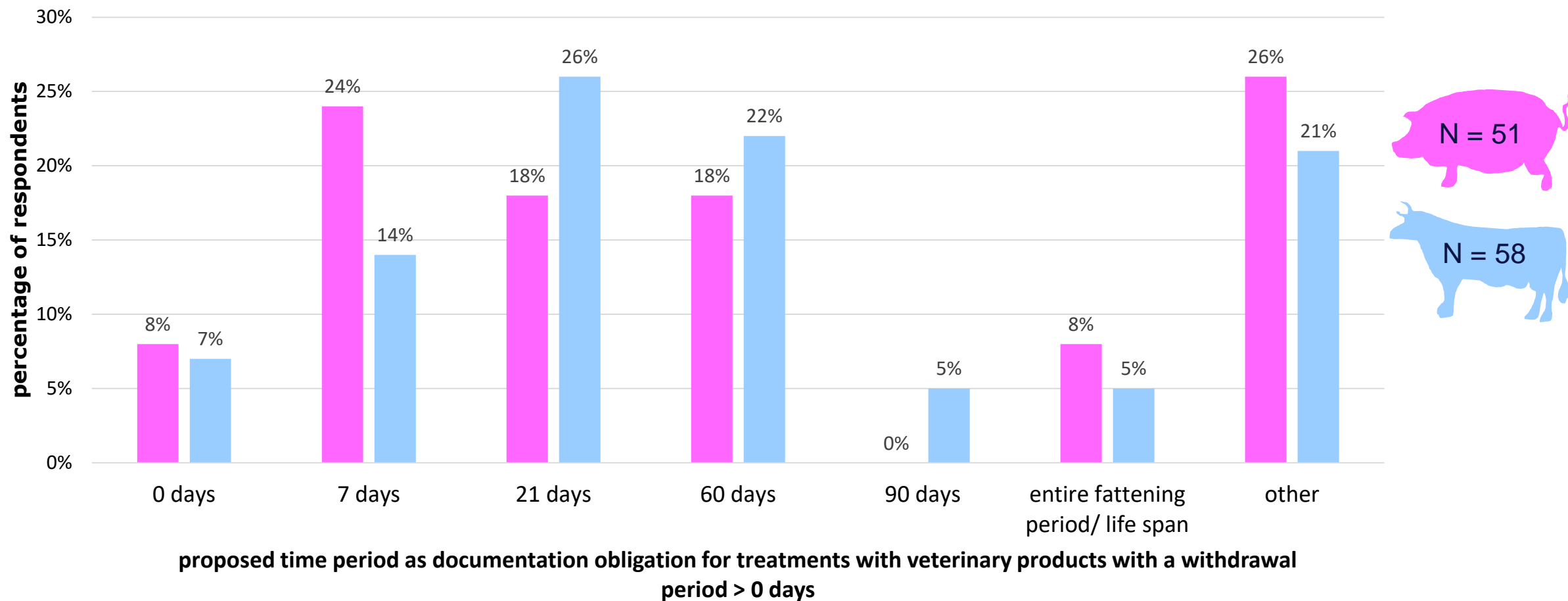


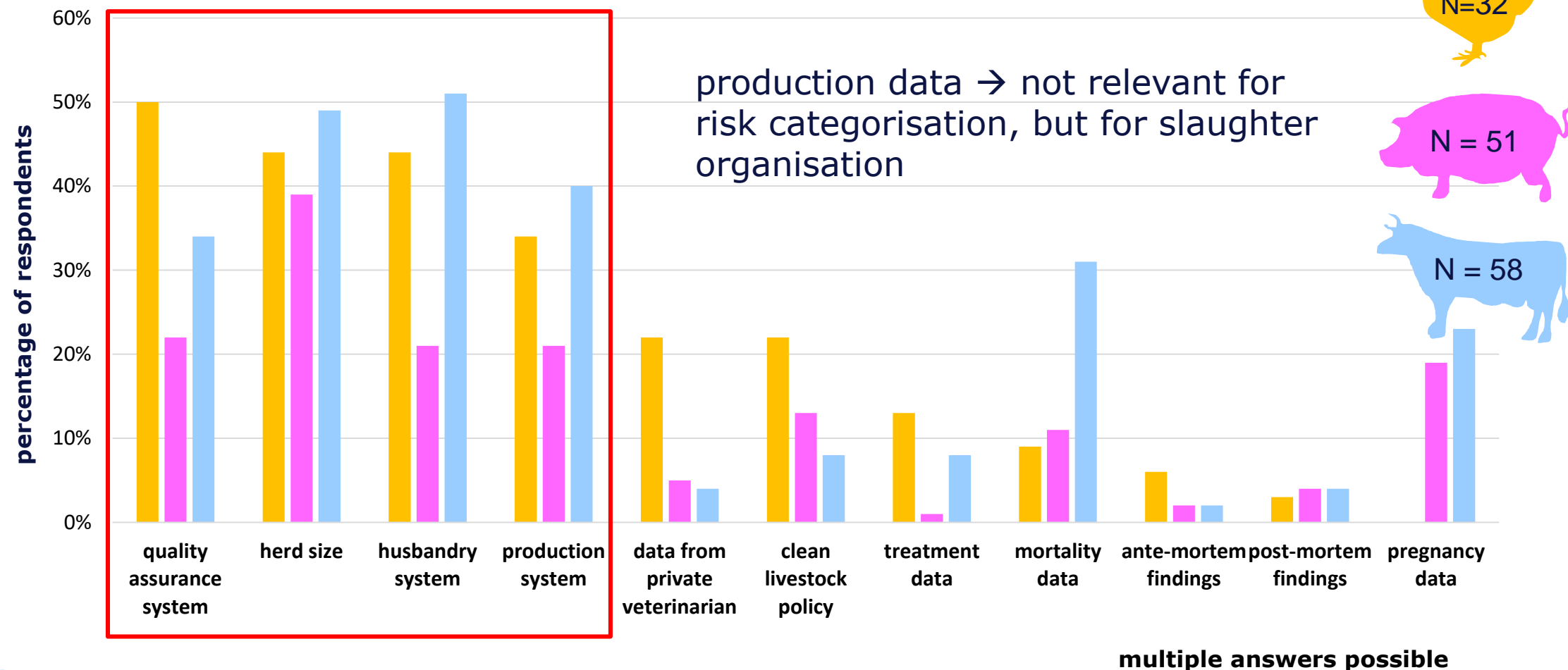
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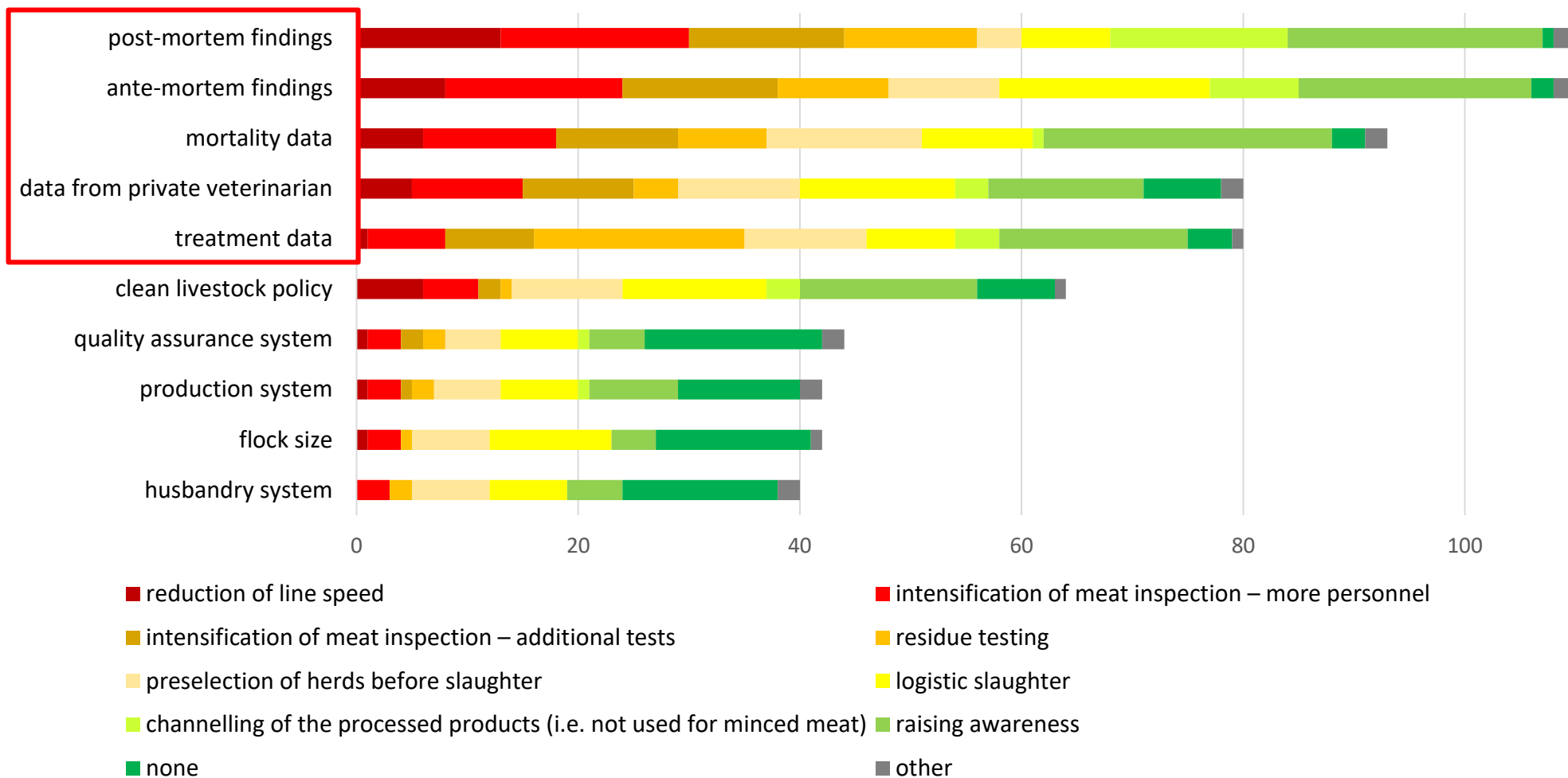


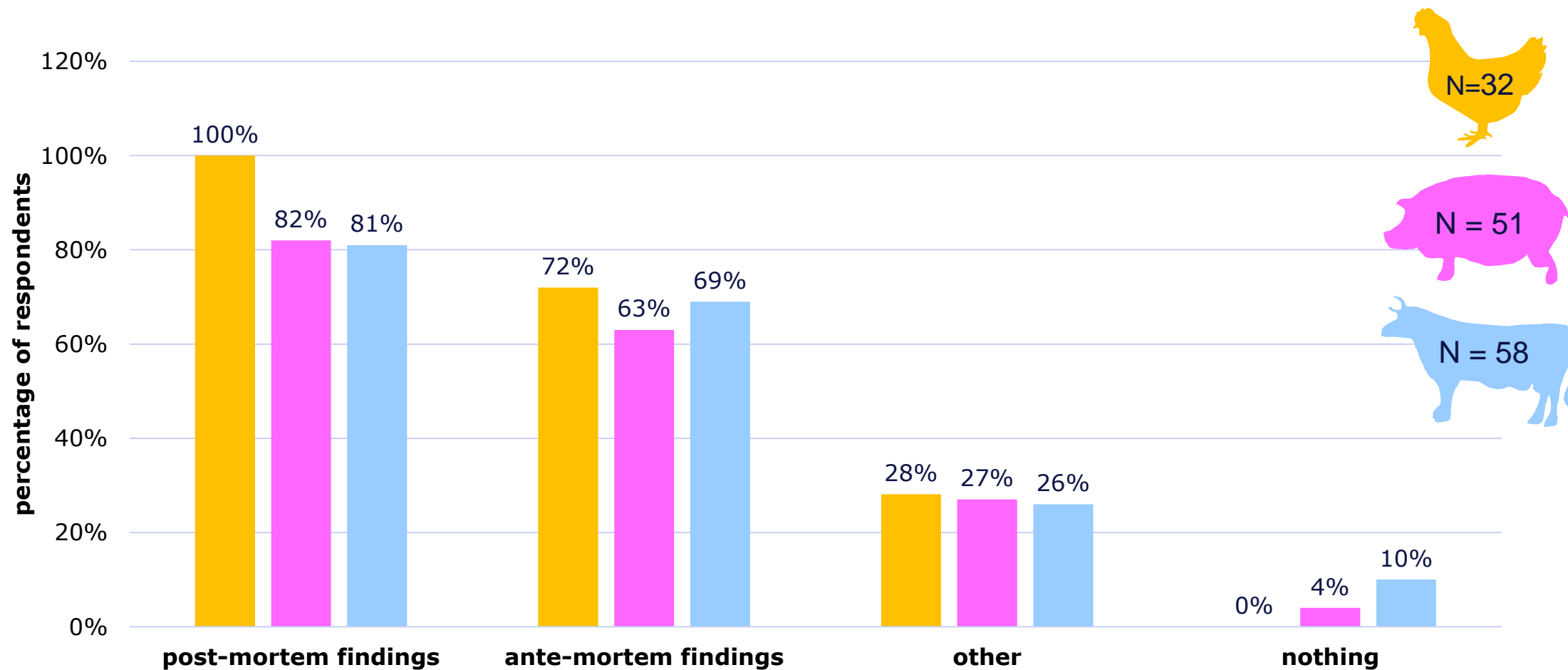
- status quo:
 - problems in analysing the answers:
 - different answers from respondents from the same country
 - erroneous answers:
 - “the animal that is under withdrawal period must not arrive at the abattoir”
 - “The relevant withdrawal period according to administered treatments”
 - high variability in different European countries
 - targeted enquiry with veterinarians in the various European countries
→ difficulties in understanding, esp. in countries where the relevant period = 0 days





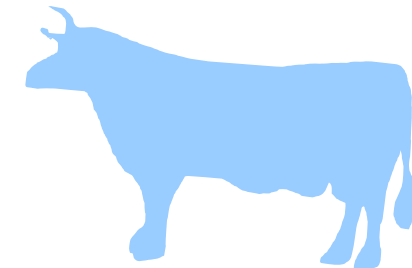
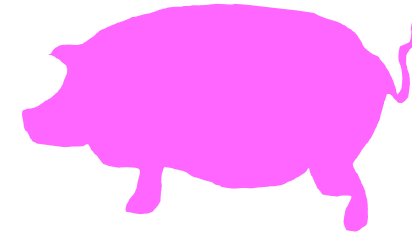
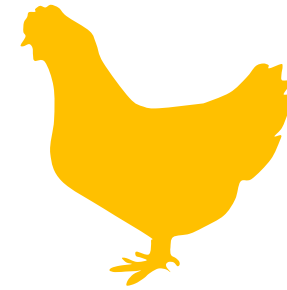


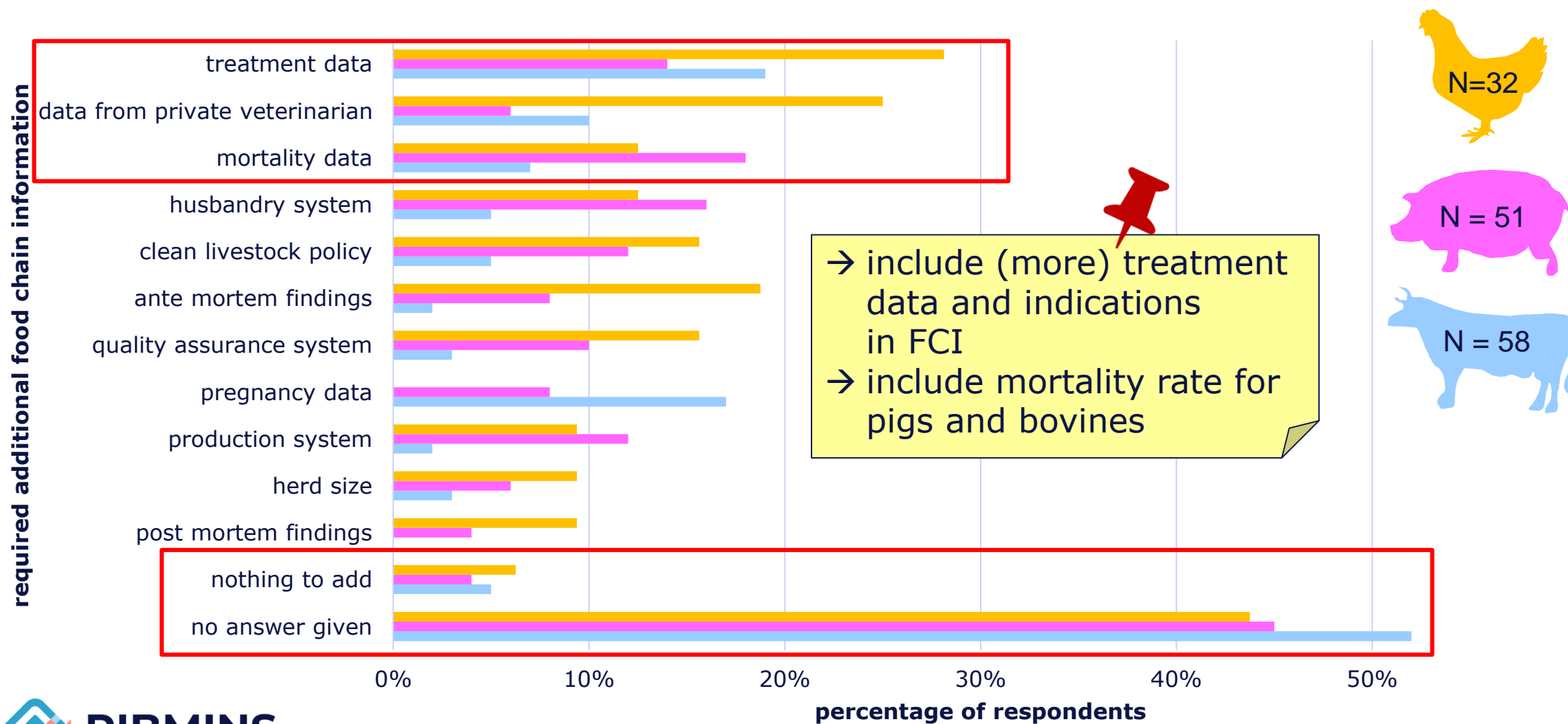




multiple answers possible

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- FCI are working best for broilers, probably due to integrated systems and meaningful data out of whole flocks
- for bovines, separate analyses of the different production types are necessary
- suggestions for improvement are made (next slide)
- legal basis should also be revised

**optimisation of the practical execution**

- electronic transmission of FCI
- access to as many relevant data as possible, at least to all listed in Reg. (EC) No 853/2004

improvement of FCI legislation

- precise definitions of required FCI
- FCI should include mortality rate → more research needed for thresholds
- harmonisation of relevant period of treatments with WP > 0 days
→ entire fattening period for broilers
→ harmonisation to a specific length > 0 days
- FCI should contain all treatments and indications

Thank you for the attention.

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