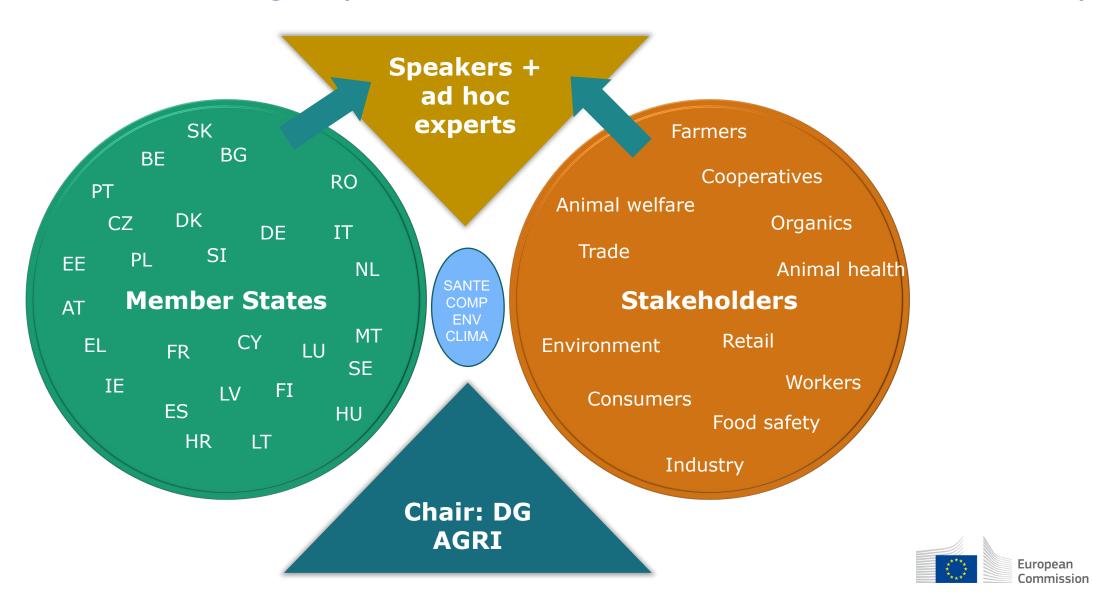


# European Pigmeat Reflection Group



Kick-off meeting – 10 March 2022

## Joint meetings (Member States + stakeholders)



## Timeline and topics

2022 10

Mar

2022

Apr

2022

25

May

2022

Jun

2022

Jul

2022

2022

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Sep

2022

Oct

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Nov

2022

2022

Dec

18 Jan

2023

Commissioner opening

1. Socio-economic dynamics

- Structure of the sector
- Export orientation, short supply chains and socio-economic relevance for rural areas
- CAP strategic plans
- Labelling, geographical indications
- Consumption trends and food environment
- Organic production
- Risk management

2. Environment and climate challenges

Farming methods

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- Carbon footprint & carbon credits
- Emissions and manure management
- Biogas
- Research & innovation

3. Animal health and welfare

Animal health

- Animal welfare
- Animal transport
- Research & innovation

**Independent Final report** 

with possible recommendations



- ❖ 10:30-11:00 Opening speech by Commissioner Janusz Wojciechowski
- ❖ 11:00-11:15 Operation of the group by AGRI E3
- ❖ 11:15-11:30 Import dependence for animal feed by Nicolas Coudry-Mesny, Vice-President of FEFAC
- ❖ 11:30-12:10 Exchange of views with the participants
- ❖ 12:10-12:30 Concluding remarks by AGRI DG Wolfgang Burtscher
- ▶ Q1: To which extent does EU internal market balance need imported animal feed?
- ➤ Q2: Does import for animal feed increase crisis risks or does it play a role in hedging risks?



#### Socio-economic dynamics (1/2)

- Structure of the sector across and within Member States
  - Producer organisations
  - Cooperatives
  - > Interbranch organisations
  - Contracts
- \* Export orientation, short supply chains and socio-economic relevance for rural areas
- CAP Strategic Plans
  - Overview of CAP measures targeted to the sector
  - View of an Association of Producer Organisations
  - Example of a Member State's sectoral interventions



- > Q1: Are there particular economic models that ensure resilience?
- ▶ Q2: To which extent does EU internal market balance need exports? Does export orientation increase crisis risks or does it play a role in hedging risks?
- ▶ Q3: What is the role of short supply chains in EU internal market balance? Do they help mitigate risks?
- ➤ Q4: What is the added value of pig farming for rural areas? Are there threats to be mitigated?
- > Q5: To which extent can structural measures help the pigmeat sector?



### Socio-economic dynamics (2/2)

- Labelling, geographical indications
- Consumption trends and food environment
- Organic production
- Risk management



4 July 2022

#### **Environment and climate challenges** (1/2)

- Farming methods
- Carbon footprint & carbon credits
- Emissions and manure management



## Fourth meeting

12 September 2022

### **Environment and climate challenges** (2/2)

- Biogas
- Research & innovation



## Fifth meeting

21 November 2022

#### **Animal health and welfare**

- Animal health
- Animal welfare
- Animal transport
- Research & Innovation



## Closure

18 January 2023

### Independent report by the Group

with possible recommendations





# Thank you



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