

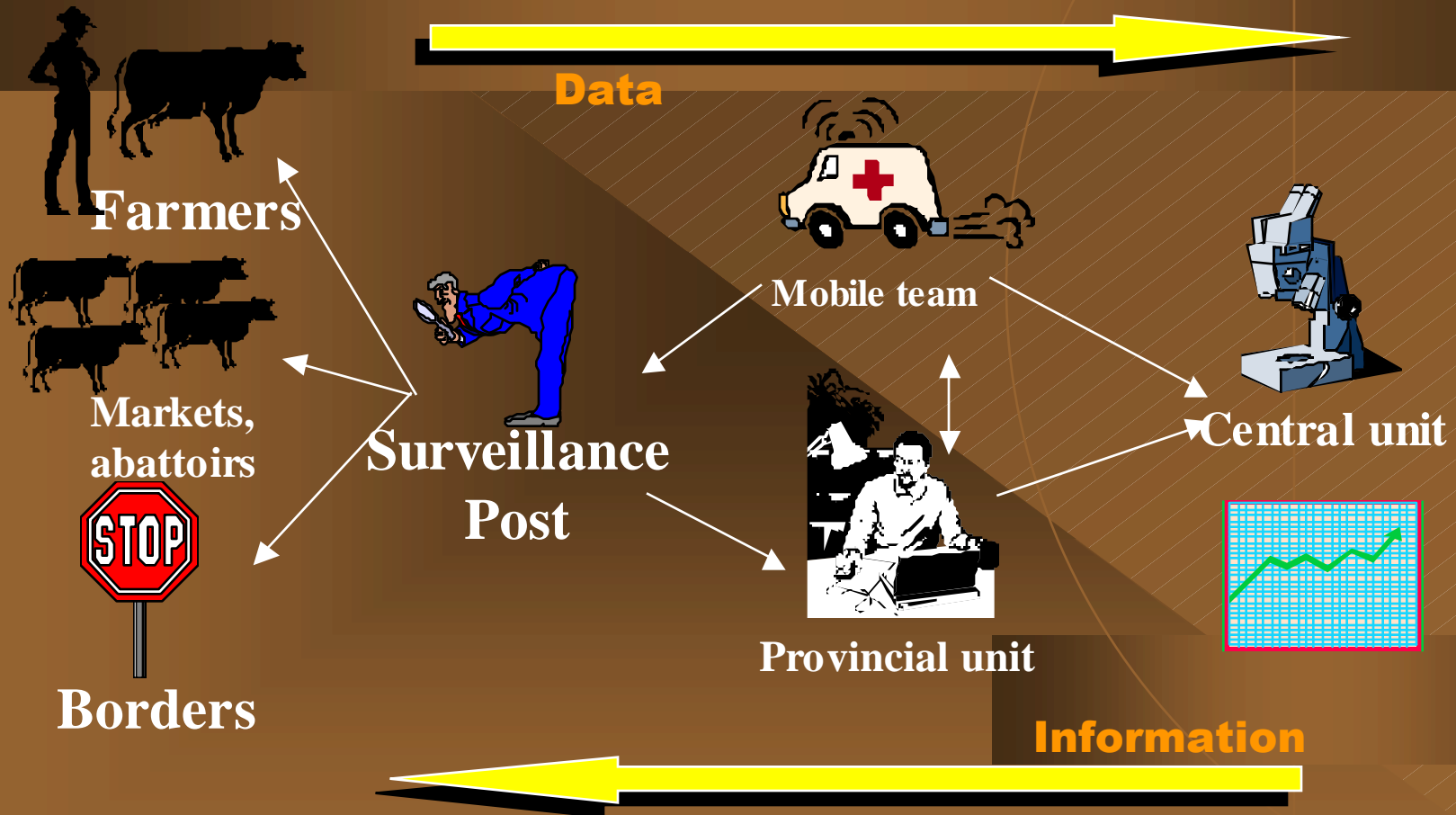
Situation of epidemiological surveillance networks in the Caribbean

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Objectives

To contribute to the structuring, mutual reinforcement and harmonisation of the national surveillance networks. To facilitate the compliance of these systems with the international standards.

Organisation of a network



Key points for the operation of a surveillance network

- ◆ Institutional organisation
 - ◆ Structure of the networks
- ◆ Formalisation and standardisation of objectives and methodologies
- ◆ Good operation
 - ◆ Coordination and supervision
 - ◆ Data management
 - ◆ Communication
 - ◆ Training
 - ◆ Assessment and follow-up

Items of the questionnaire

Structure

- ◆ Administration and central unit
- ◆ Steering committee and technical committee
- ◆ Provincial unit and field actors
- ◆ Laboratory and mobile team
- ◆ Importation and quarantine
- ◆ Position of the private sector in surveillance and control

Methodology

- ◆ Strategy in animal health
- ◆ Formalisation of surveillance procedures
- ◆ Emergency preparedness plans
- ◆ Data management
- ◆ Coordination / supervision of the network

Operation

- ◆ Training
- ◆ Data feed-back and distribution
- ◆ Assessment and performance indicators

Organisation of the questionnaire

Importation et quarantaine

<input type="checkbox"/> Informations sur les règles d'importation complètes et facilement accessibles <input type="checkbox"/> Bonne organisation des procédures d'importation (autorisation préalable, collecte d'informations sur le pays exportateur, accréditation des établissements exportateurs) <input type="checkbox"/> Inspection sanitaire aux frontières suffisante et fonctionnelle <input type="checkbox"/> Stations de quarantaine en nombre suffisant et fonctionnelles	<p>Entourer le résultat</p> <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>
Commentaires :	

1.9 Importation et quarantaine

1.9.1 Organisation de l'importation

Disponibilité des informations sur les règles d'importation :

- Par interrogation du Ministère concerné
 Site Web
 Autre :

Autorisation préalable nécessaire avant importation :

- Jamais
 Toujours
 Parfois : selon critères
- Géographiques. Lesquels
 Espèces. Lesquelles
 Aucun critère

Collecte d'informations sur le pays exportateur Oui Non

Accréditation préalable des structures exportatrices Oui Non

1.9.2 Inspections aux frontières

Nombre de postes frontière dotés d'une inspection sanitaire :

Air : dotés / existants
 Terre : dotés / existants
 Mer : dotés / existants

1.9.3 Quarantaine

Nombre de stations de quarantaine :

Localisations :

Espèces pouvant être accueillies :

- Toutes Lapins
 Bovins Carnivores domestiques
 Ovins/Caprins Oiseaux d'ornement
 Volailles

Durabilité du service assurée par facturation Oui Non

Facturation

- Coût réel
 Contribution

Installations

- Très insuffisantes
 Insuffisantes
 Correctes
 Suffisantes
 Parfaites

Equipements

- Très insuffisants
 Insuffisants
 Correctes
 Suffisants
 Parfaits

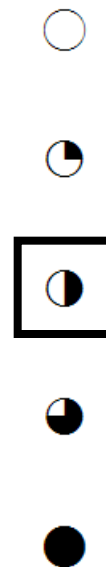
Synthesis of an item

Steering committee and technical committee

- Steering committee organised with the objective to define the main trends of the surveillance (diseases under surveillance, validation of the surveillance protocols, etc.) and ensures at least a member of each partners institution of the surveillance, including representative of the stockbreeders and private veterinarians
- The steering committee meets according to the planned rate and a report is produced at the end of each meeting
- A technical committee is organised with the objective of providing a support to the development of all the technical documents of the surveillance (validation of surveillance protocols, organisation of the training sessions, epidemiological surveillance, etc.) and gathers at least a member of each partners institution which can take part in the development of the technical documents (researcher or practitioner specialised in a field covered by the network, specialist in diagnosis, epidemiologist, training, epidemiologist, etc.)
- The technical committee meets according to the planned rate and is consulted for any technical development within the framework of the network

Comments :

Result



Results for a country

- = Administration and central unit
- : Steering committee and technical committee
- = Provincial unit and field actors
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- : Assessment and performance indicators

Who fills the questionnaire

- ◆ First time
 - ◆ External expert mission
 - ◆ Participative work
- ◆ Follow up
 - ◆ External expert mission
 - ◆ National epidemiological surveillance coordinator
 - ◆ Web site

Evolution of the questionnaire

- ◆ A small team developed the first version of the questionnaire
- ◆ Could be worked inside the epidemiological surveillance working group
- ◆ Evolutive Web tool
- ◆ Same questionnaire for all the countries of the region