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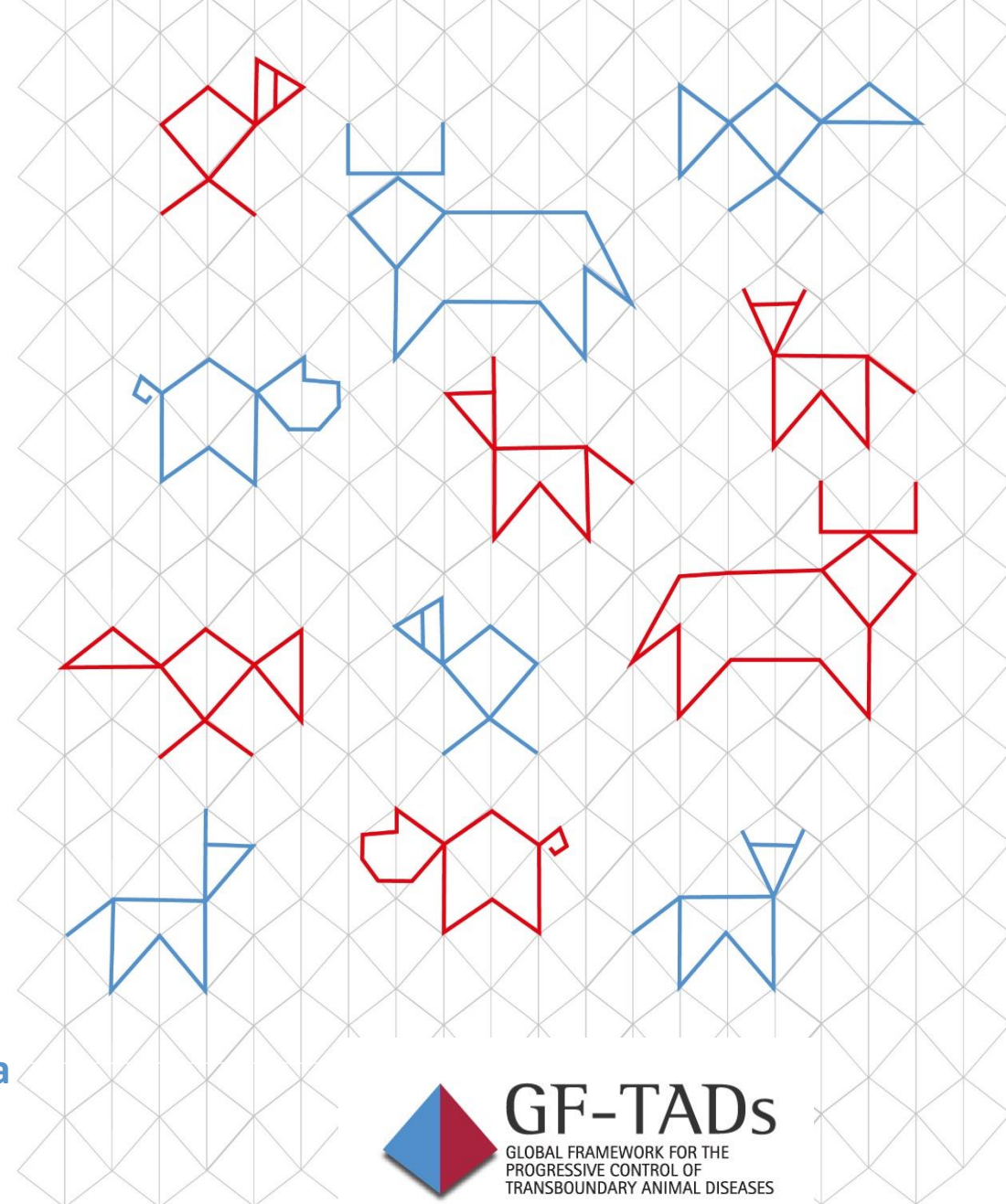
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Update on the finalization of the PMAT revision

GF-TADs AFRICA regional steering
Committee Virtual, virtual
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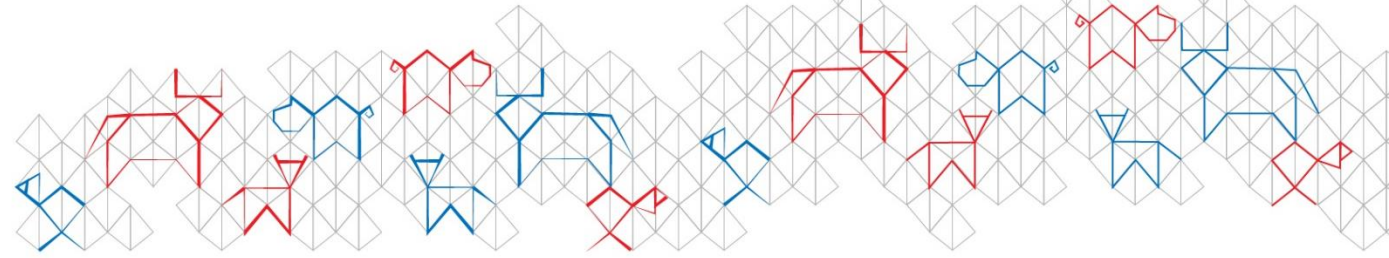
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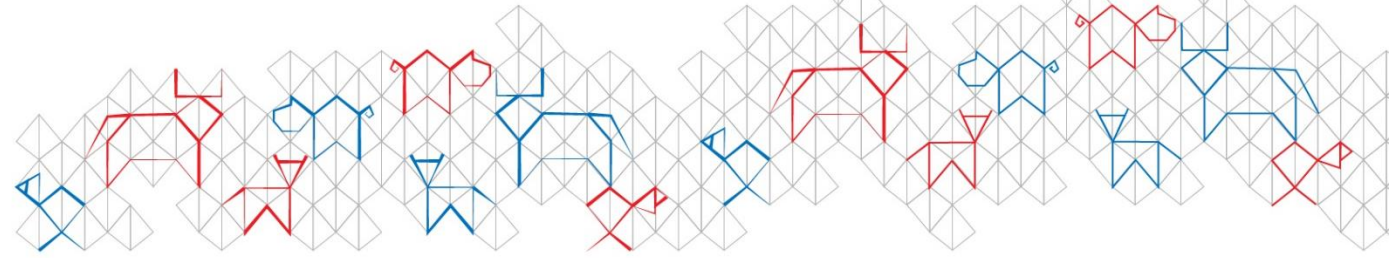
PMAT

- ❑ PMAT is a companion tool to the PPR GCES and a pillar of its implementation

- ❑ It serves to:
 - i) to qualify countries at the appropriate stage along the step-wise approach for the control and eradication of PPR (assessment tool) and
 - ii) to monitor progress within a given Stage and provide an indicative list of activities to implement in the year to come (monitoring tool)



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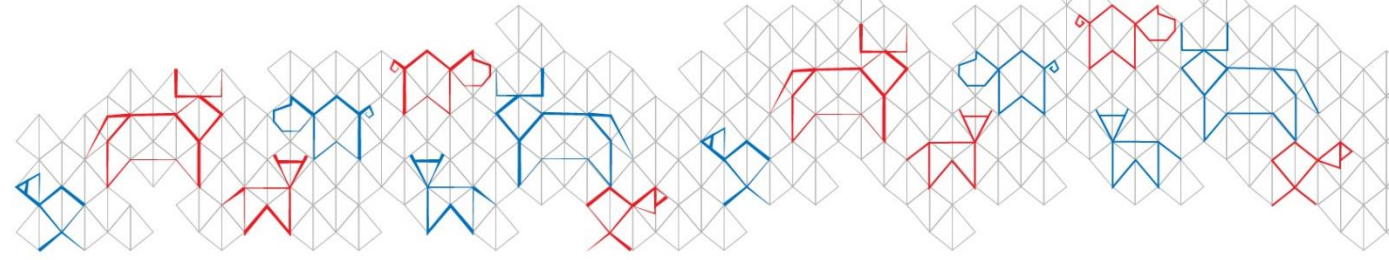
PMAT In-depth review process

- ❑ FAO/OIE launched its revision at the beginning of 2020, with the aim to make it more user-friendly to promote its use by countries
- ❑ FAO/OIE PMAT revision expert team (the Team) convened to undertake the revision jointly with the PPR secretariat
 - 4 independent experts: Susanne Münstermann and Giancarlo Ferrari (OIE), Rabindra Singh and Jeffrey Mariner (FAO)
 - Supervisor of the expert team: Adama Diallo (Chair of the PPR-GREN Bureau)



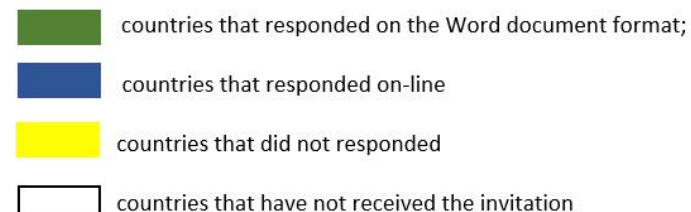
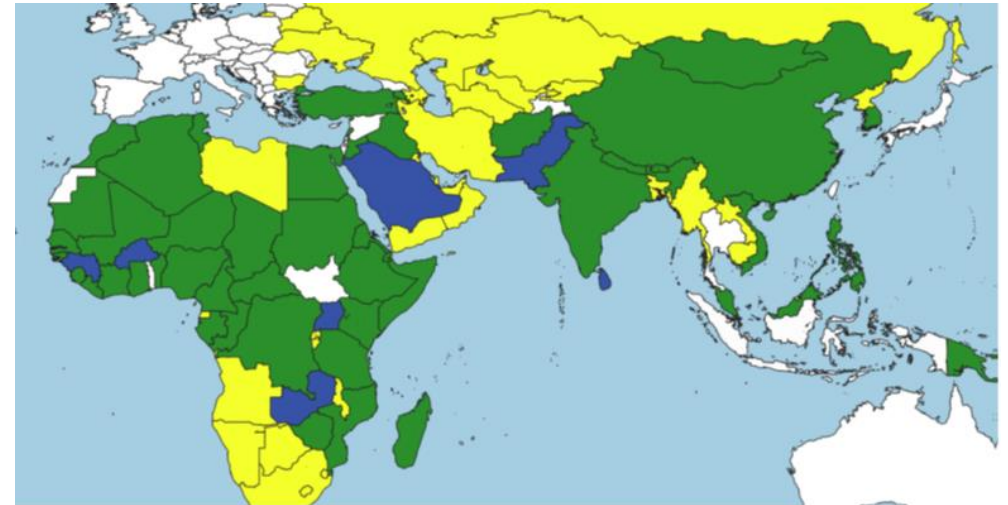
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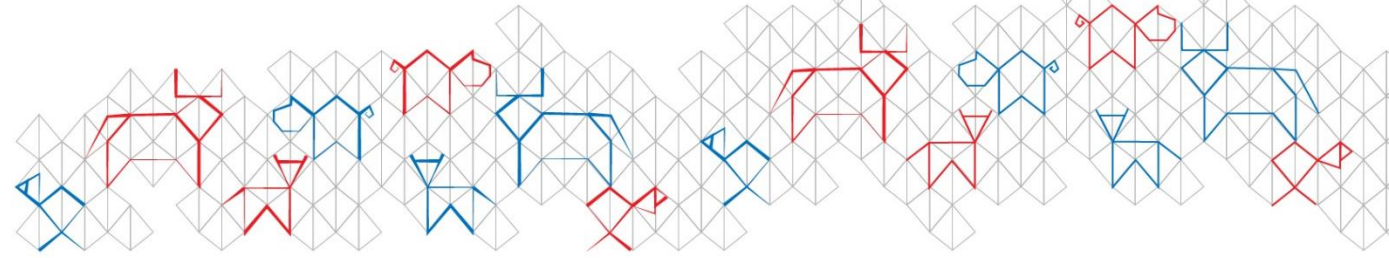
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PMAT In-depth review process : Methodology

- ✓ **Study of background** documents (e.g., original PMAT doc, PPR GEP relevant docs, Report from OIE PVS-PPR mission docs, FAO sets of tools) *(Jan-March 2020)*
- ✓ **Questionnaire for PMAT problem Identification** developed by the Team and sent to PPR infected and at-risk countries (alternative to field visits to 3-5 countries originally foreseen on the CN) *(April- Sept 2020)*
 - ❖ 63 out of 93 countries provided their feedback
 - ❖ Filled questionnaires analysed by the Team
 - ❖ Main findings on PMAT:
 - Useful for the assessment of the PPR eradication activities;
 - Fit for purpose and would help identifying gaps in the PPR eradication pathways;
 - Should include all three components of the GCES;
 - Not widely used because too complex (more training needed);
 - Too prescriptive in claiming the requirement of achieving ALL the activities of the previous stage in order to move to the next one;
 - Restructuration of PMAT is wished and needed.





PMAT In-depth review process :Finalisation phase

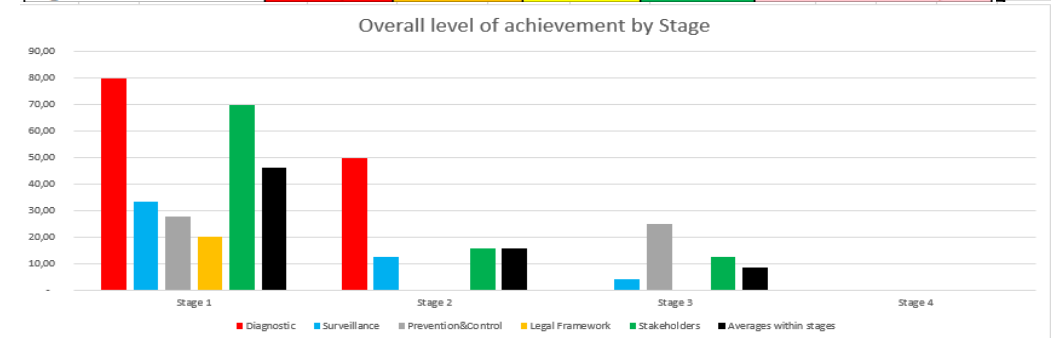
Final PMAT2:

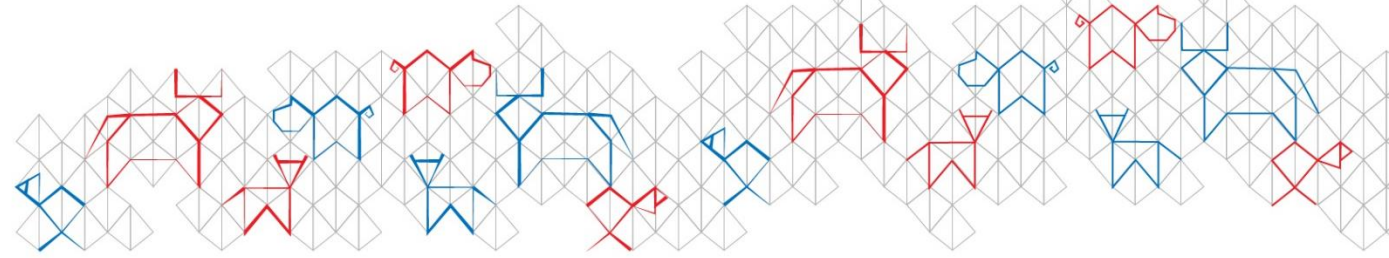
i. PMAT2 Questionnaire:

- Restructured according to the five Technical Elements of the PPR GCES: Diagnostic System, Surveillance, Prevention and Control, Legal Framework, Stakeholders' Involvement
- Covers all the three Components of the PPR GCES (Component 1: PPR eradication, Component 2: Veterinary Services Strengthening, Component 3: Control of other priority diseases of small ruminants)
- A scoring system has been introduced to help quantify the level of achievement or completion of activities. The categorization of a country in a specific Stage is based on the level of achievement within the PPR specific component activities/achievements (Component 1); threshold to move to the next Stage has been reduced from 100% to 80%
- Allows outputs to be generated automatically in different graphs; generates automatically tables of pending activities to assist future work planning.

Stage	Question	Legal Framework - Component 1				
		STATEMENT	QUESTION	Level of Achievement** (please see the footnote)	Comments on achievements to date	Activities to be completed
Stage 1	Q1	PPR is a notifiable disease.	Is PPR indicated in your legislation as a notifiable disease?	<Select an option>		
	Q2	It is essential to develop a legal framework in support of PPR eradication since this provides the Veterinary Services, and national and local authorities with the necessary authority and capability to implement measures to eradicate	Is a work plan established for a legislation review regarding PPR eradication?	<Select an option>		
	Q3	A working group should be established to support the process of developing the legal framework needed for implementation of the PPR National Strategic Plan.	Is a multi-disciplinary working group established to work on legislation review regarding PPR?	<Select an option>		
	Q4	The OIE international standards specific for PPR, and the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code they refer to, should be taken into consideration in the process of amending/improving the legal framework.	Does the working group consider the OIE standards during its work to revise the legislation?	<Select an option>		
	Q5	The Veterinary Services should have the legal powers to delegate certain official PPR control activities to private animal health workers (sanitary mandate).	Is the sanitary mandate already included within the current legislation?	<Select an option>		

Overall level of achievement by Stage and Technical element in %					
Technical element	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Stage 4	Averages across stages
Diagnostic	80,00	50,00	-	-	32,50
Surveillance	33,33	12,50	4,17	-	12,50
Prevention&Control	27,77	-	25,00	-	13,19
Legal Framework	20,00	-	-	-	5,00



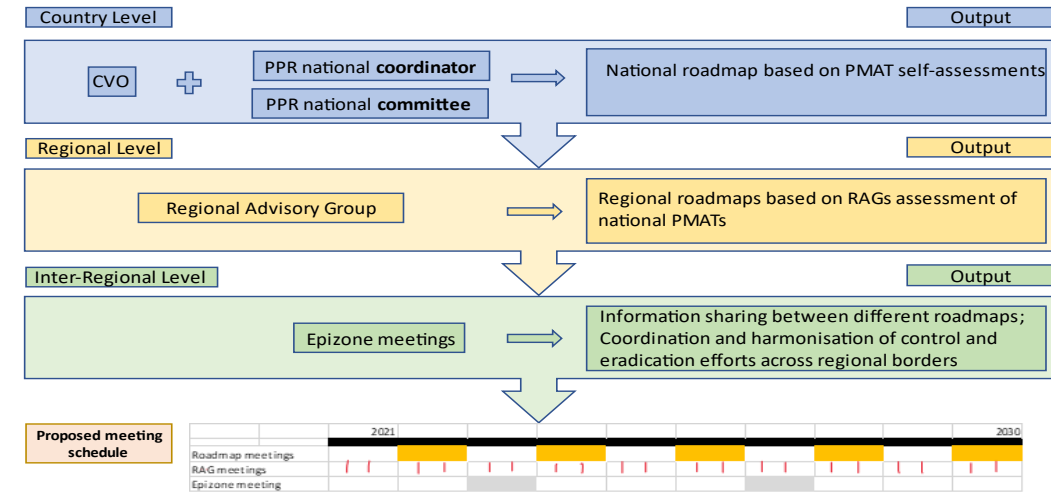


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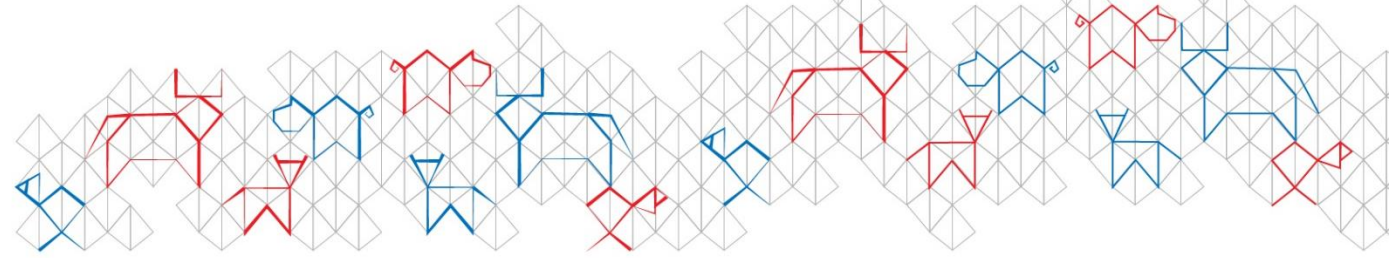
ii. User Guide provides:

- ✓ A description of the structure of the PMAT questionnaire
- ✓ Detailed instructions with examples of how to complete the PMAT questionnaire
- ✓ Guidance on how to interpret the outcomes from filling in the questionnaire
- ✓ Examples of typical activities per Stage of the PPR stepwise approach
- ✓ Role, responsibilities and interactions between key stakeholders (e.g., national staff, RAGs, RECs, PPR Secretariat, representatives from the respective OIE and FAO regional/sub-regional offices) in the completion and review of the PMAT at the national, regional and international levels



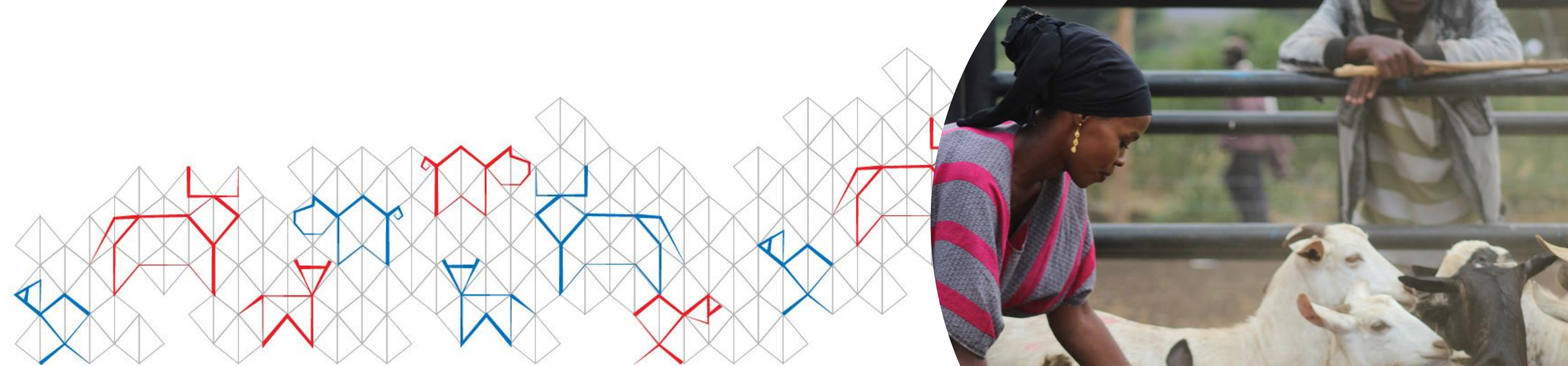


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PMAT2: Next steps

- PMAT2 to be used in the **GEP revision** for gathering of information from countries at the regional consultation meetings
- Translation of PMAT2 in **FR** (OIE) and **RU** (FAO)
- Development of a **tutorial**
- Tailored guidance to be provided to countries to complete the PMAT and assess its progress along the stepwise approach by establishing the mechanism of the **PPR Technical Support Experts (PPR TSE)**
- Development of an **on-line version** of PMAT2



Thank you for
your attention