



# Decision Making

## Suspected FMD Outbreak

Group 6





# Case Study

- FMD-Free Country
- Sheep Farm
- Relevant Number of Lam Animals
- Most of Them referable to FMD or Foot Rot
- NO Mouth Lesions Nor Fever
- Probability:
  - 20% FMD
  - 80% Foot Rot
- FMD Reported 200 Km away
- Lab takes 48 Hours to Give Results



# Case Study

- If you declare FMD, all susceptible animals in the farm and in the surrounding farms will be destroyed
- Otherwise you should wait for lab results
- And the DVO leaves the decision in your hands



# Which Provisions?

- Close the farm and the neighbouring also
  - Strengthen bio-security Systems
- Submit Samples to the Lab
- Epidemiological investigation
- Ask for the Emergency Plan from DVO
- No agreement on culling