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“FRAMEWORKS FOR ANIMAL WELFARE ASSESSMENT AND MEETING STAKEHOLDER NEEDS”



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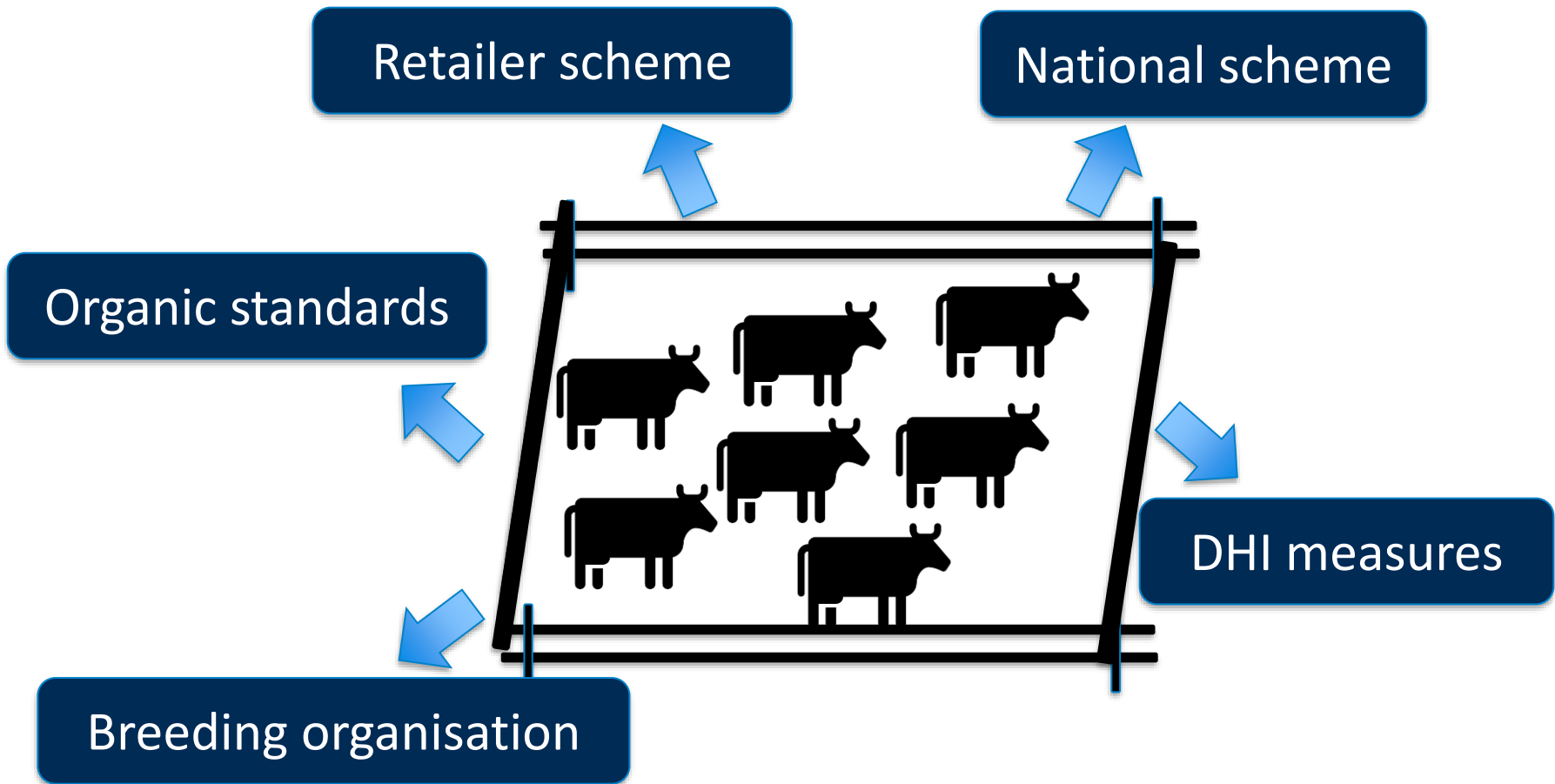
Animal Welfare



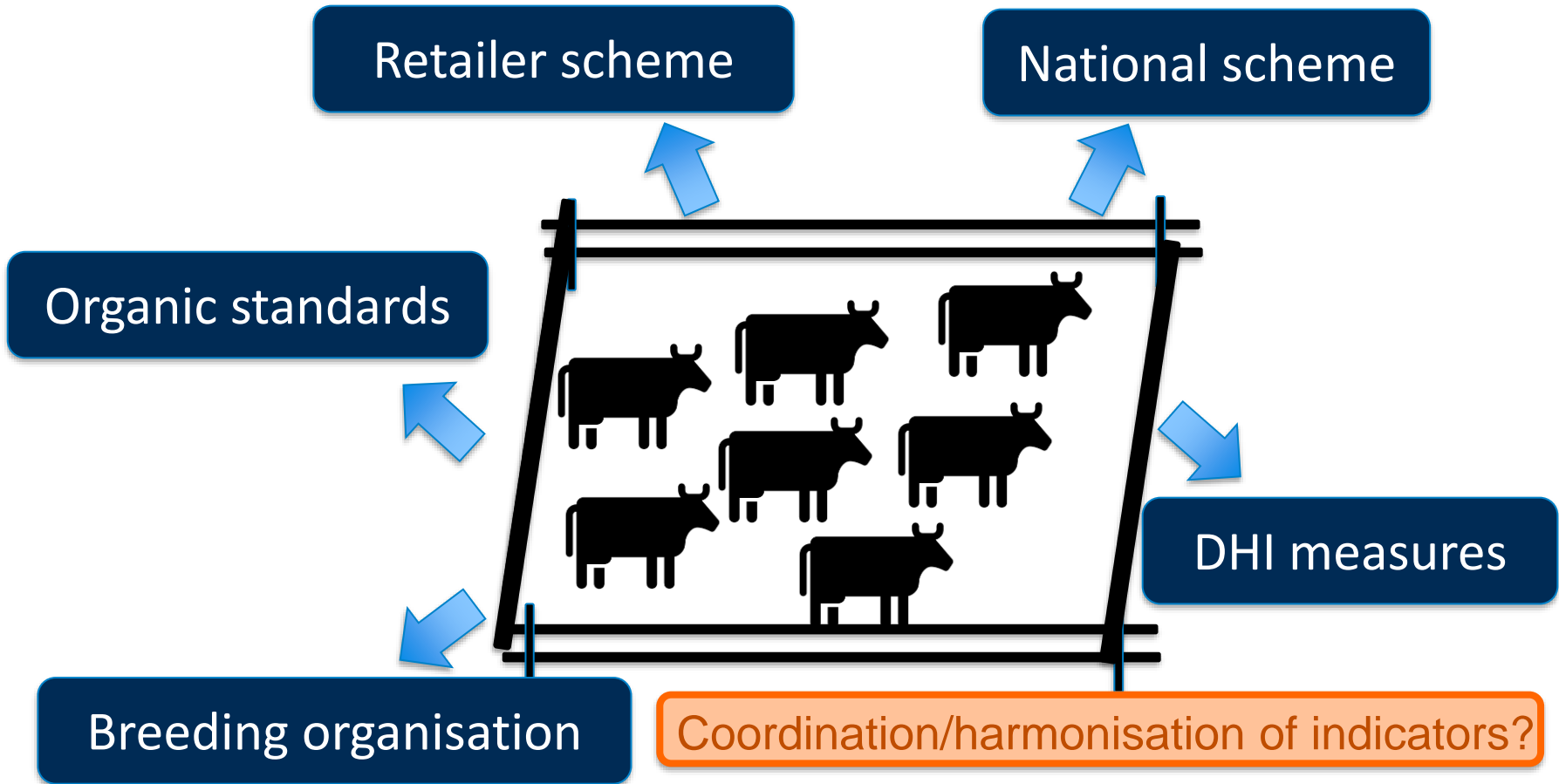
Background:

- Animal welfare has always important been to dairy farmers
- Quantification of welfare standards on farms and in animals is increasingly required by retailers and consumers
- Many different schemes: many different welfare indicators
- Can we harmonise the indicators used to maximise use of assessment effort?

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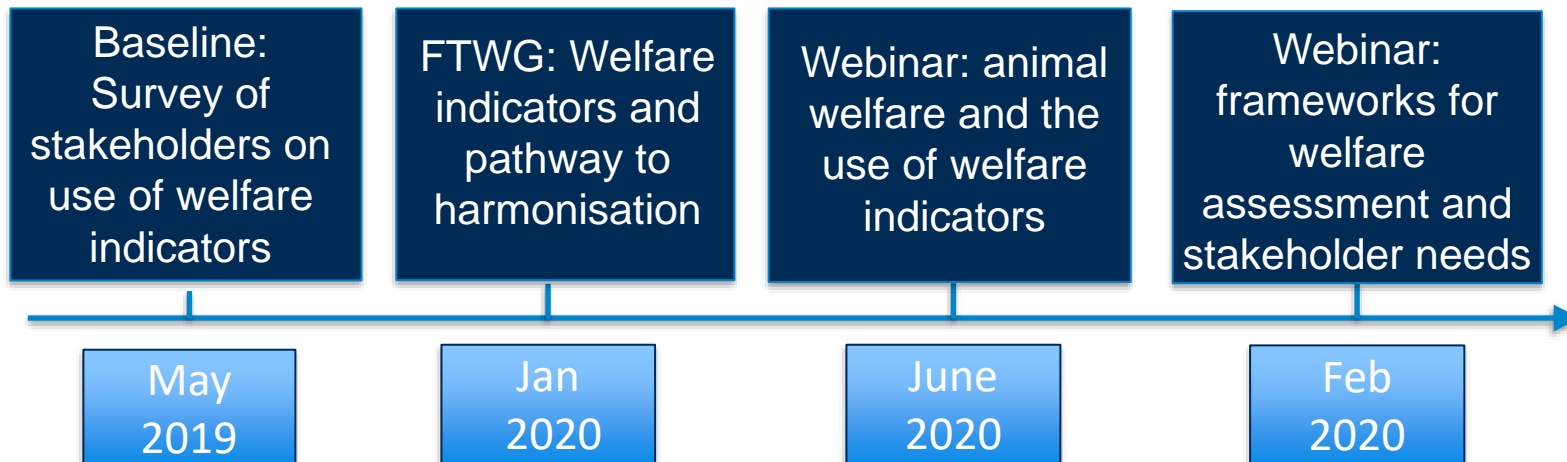


ICAR / IDF Cooperation Welfare indicators project



Aims of the project:

- ICAR Functional Traits Working Group/IDF have been working on the concept harmonization of welfare indicators for a number of years



Frameworks and Stakeholder Needs



Aims of the webinar:

- Discuss current frameworks and how integration and harmonisation of indicators might be achieved
- Focus on existing frameworks, needs and expectations from the perspective of organisations using welfare assessment schemes

Program



- **International framework for outcome-based measures used to assess animal welfare** - Leopoldo Stuardo, Standards Department, World Organisation of Animal Health, OIE
- **ISO/TS 34700, an ISO standard on animal welfare for the food supply chain, based on the OIE Terrestrial Code** - Sandrine Espeillac, ISO/TC 34 Food Products, AFNOR standardization
- **Animal Welfare: The importance of global harmonization to help improve Animal Welfare practices across the food supply chain** – Quincy Lissaur, SSAFE.
- **How to improve animal welfare and health by using relevant data** - Johannes Frandsen, SEGES, DK

Moderator: David Kelton, IDF, University of Guelph, Canada

Our speakers



Leopoldo Stuardo, OIE

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Questions and discussion



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Summary and Next Steps



- Webinar recording will be available online (www.icar.org)
- Next steps to be planned:
 - ICAR/IDF Workshop - Animal-based welfare indicators
26 April 2021 in The Netherlands (50 Euro)
- Interested in cooperation? Email to mosconi@icar.org

Thank you for your participation!



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