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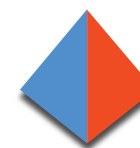


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FAO activities on PPR

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GF-TADs

GLOBAL FRAMEWORK FOR THE
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What does FAO REU do on PPR?

- Assisting countries to obtain official disease freedom status for PPR
- Assisting countries to prepare or control PPR (or in the past LSD)
- Simulation exercises and Workshops
- Technical materials and Publications
- Virtual learning courses



Assisting countries to achieve official disease freedom status for PPR

Azerbaijan

[FAO assisted Azerbaijan to obtain official PPR disease free status](#). First former Soviet Union, but non-EU country (with the exception of Russian Federation) to achieve this status.

Armenia

[Strengthening capacities for prevention of the Peste des Petits Ruminants \(PPR\) disease and recognition of PPR free status](#) - through serosurveillance (2025 – 2027)

Uzbekistan

Supporting preparation of dossier through serosurveillance



Assisting countries to prepare / control PPR

Georgia

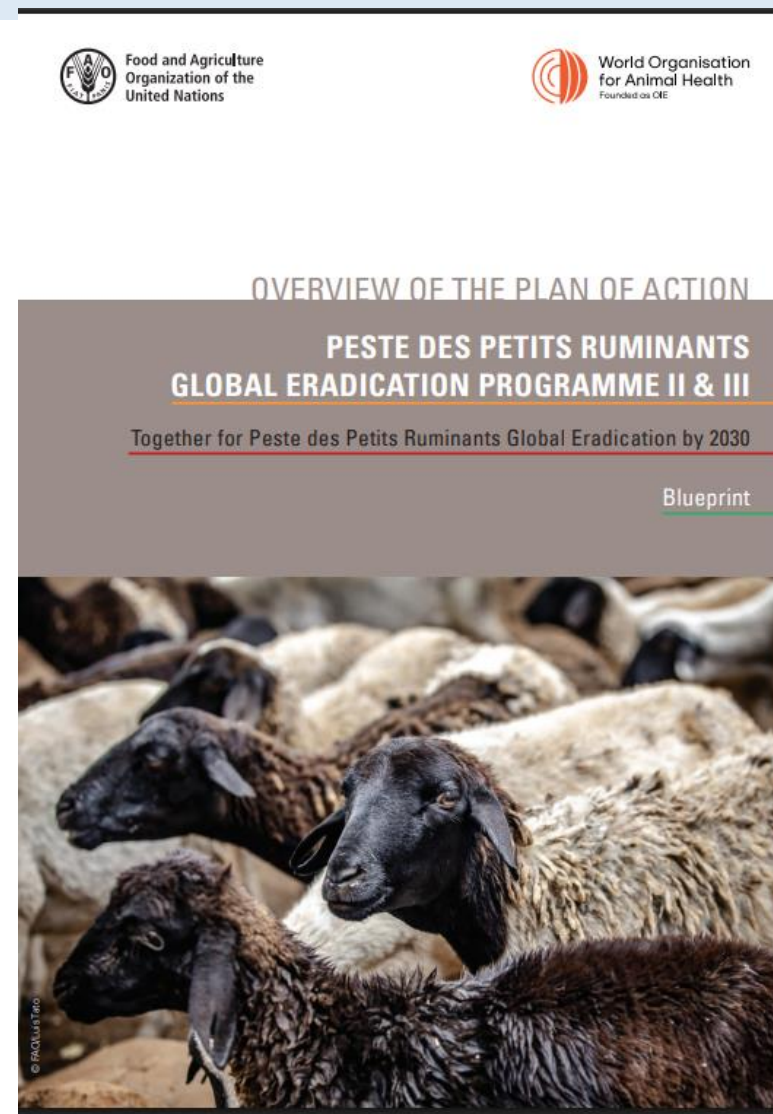
Following PPR outbreak of March 2024 FAO initiated a Technical Cooperation Programme (TCP) on [Emergency assistance for the control of Peste des petits ruminants \(PPR\) in Georgia \(2024-2025\)](#)

Kazakhstan

[Strengthening capacities for the prevention and detection of Peste des Petits Ruminants \(PPR\)](#) - assisting the country in ceasing vaccination and applying for stage 4 of the PPR Monitoring and Assessment Tool (PMAT) .

Albania

Supported with 30 penetrative captive bolts, 150 boxes of cartridges and 100 PPEs suits in 2025.



Simulation Exercise

North Macedonia

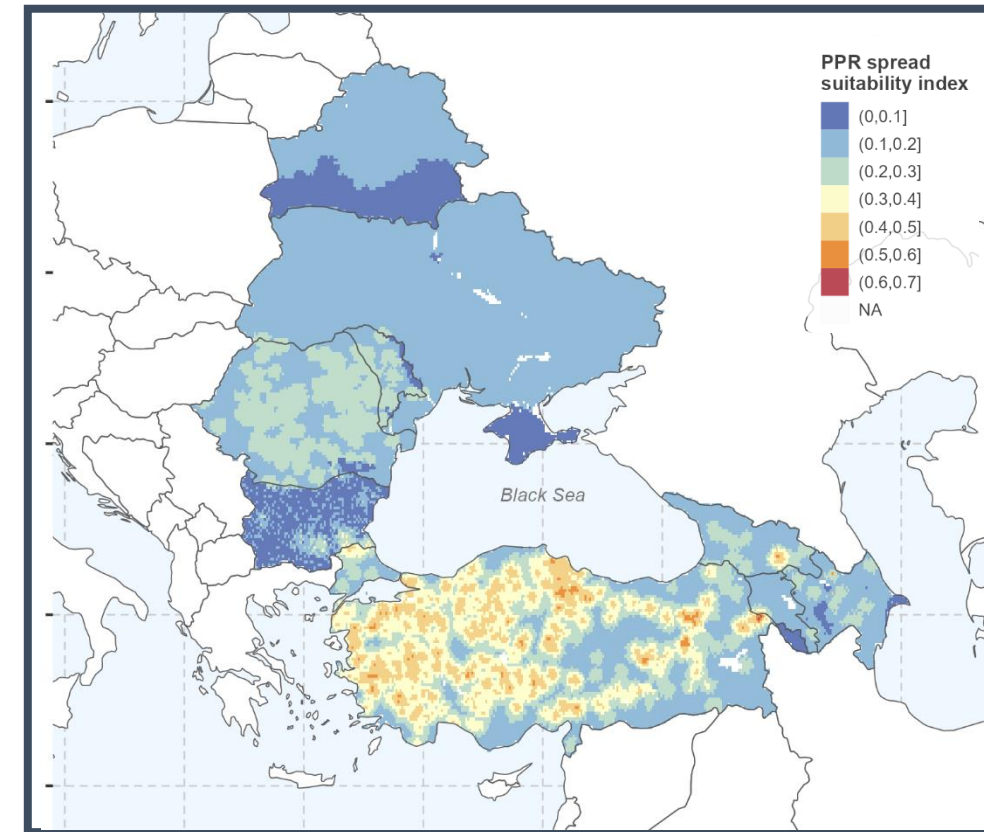
Exercise “Pramenka” held 25 – 27 March 2025

FAO supported with experts, design and evolution of the simulation exercise organized by the Food and Veterinary Agency.



Publications

[Risk Mapping the Peste Des Petits Ruminants Spread in the Black Sea Basin: A Spatial Multicriteria Decision Analysis Approach](#) (2024) - Identify high suitability areas for the spread of PPR in the study region



Virtual Learning

FAO REU's Virtual Learning Centers supports the region since 2021 with trainings on Animal Health offering tutored and self-directed courses.

Tutored Virtual Learning Course on Peste des Petits Ruminants Preparedness, in English is scheduled between October – November 2025)



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Bridging distances, developing capacities.

The FAO Virtual Learning Centers (VLCs) are dedicated to developing tailored learning for advancing Animal Health and One Health capacities around the world through inclusive, dynamic and high-quality training. Explore our training provision and login to access our courses.



Self-directed courses

Self-directed courses are open to everyone and allow participants to progress at their own pace. They are free of charge and include interactive online modules, assessments and a certificate of participation upon completion.

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Tutored courses

Tutored courses are led by experts and feature live sessions, group discussions, and assignments. These courses follow specific schedules, and participation is based on specific eligibility criteria.

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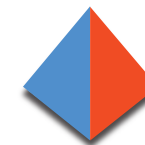
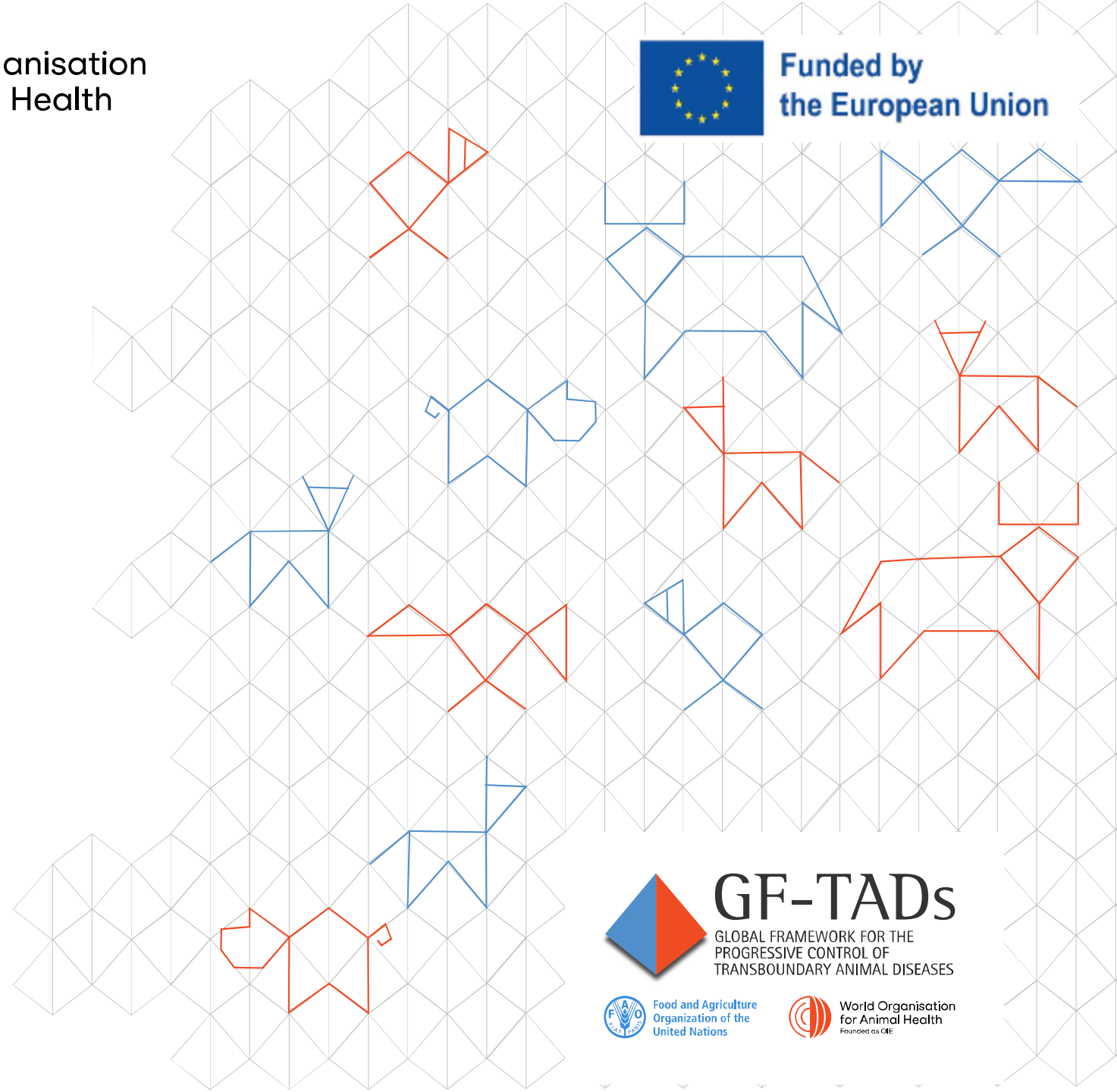


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