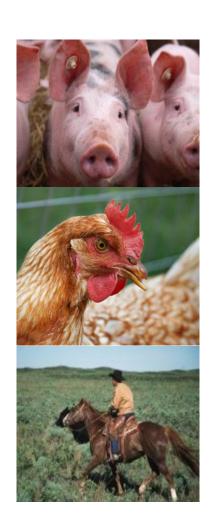




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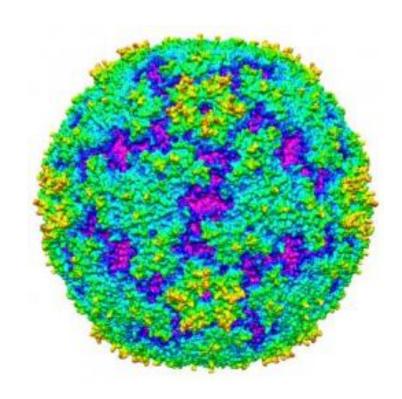
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Current Status

 North American Foot-and-Mouth Disease Vaccine Bank

 North American Plan on Animal and Pandemic Influenzas



QUAD Epidemiological Team

- Vehicle by which the two countries collaborate and share information, along with Australia and New Zealand.
- QUADs initiatives:
 - FMD vaccine sharing arrangements
 - Joint collaboration for favorable trade language in the OIE code
- The International Animal Health Emergency Response Corps
- The 3-D QUADs team
- The modelling team



Risk Mitigation & Vaccination Strategies



- Canada requires all returning swine-haulers wash, disinfect, and heattreat trucks before crossing the border back into Canada
- This ensures that porcine epidemic diarrhea virus does not cross the U.S.-Canadian border



Questions?

