

## Supplementary Material

Supplement to

### **Risk-benefit assessment of foods and its role to inform policy decisions: outcome of an international workshop**

#### ***Preworkshop survey***

*(supported by SurveyXact)*

**Question: What category represents your main working area? (multiple choice)**

- ☐ Food regulator (risk management)
- ☐ Risk communication
- ☐ Other (open box)

**Question: What is your main area(s) of expertise? (multiple choice)**

- ☐ Nutrition
- ☐ Toxicology
- ☐ Microbiology
- ☐ Epidemiology
- ☐ Biology
- ☐ Chemistry
- ☐ Medicine
- ☐ Science communication
- ☐ Other (open box)

**Question: Have you ever used outputs from RBAs of foods to support your work? (single choice)**

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Unsure

**Question: Do you think RBAs of foods is an applicable method for generation of evidence to support decision-making? (single choice – open question)**

- ☐ Yes – Please elaborate why (open box)
- ☐ No – Please elaborate why (open box)

**Question: In your opinion, is there any topic related to RBAs that should be addressed and discussed in the workshop? (open question)**  
(open box)

***In-workshop survey***  
(supported by Mentimeter)

**Round 1**

**Question: *How would you describe your current knowledge on risk-benefit assessment?***  
(single choice)

- ( ) Limited to none. I am looking forward to learning more today
- ( ) I have some general knowledge on RBAs
- ( ) I am familiar with the RBA methods

**Question: *What category best represents your main working area?*** (single choice)

- ( ) Risk assessor
- ( ) Risk manager
- ( ) Risk communicator
- ( ) Other

**Round 2**

**Question: *Are you familiar with other holistic assessment methodologies? If yes, which?***  
(open question)  
(open box)