



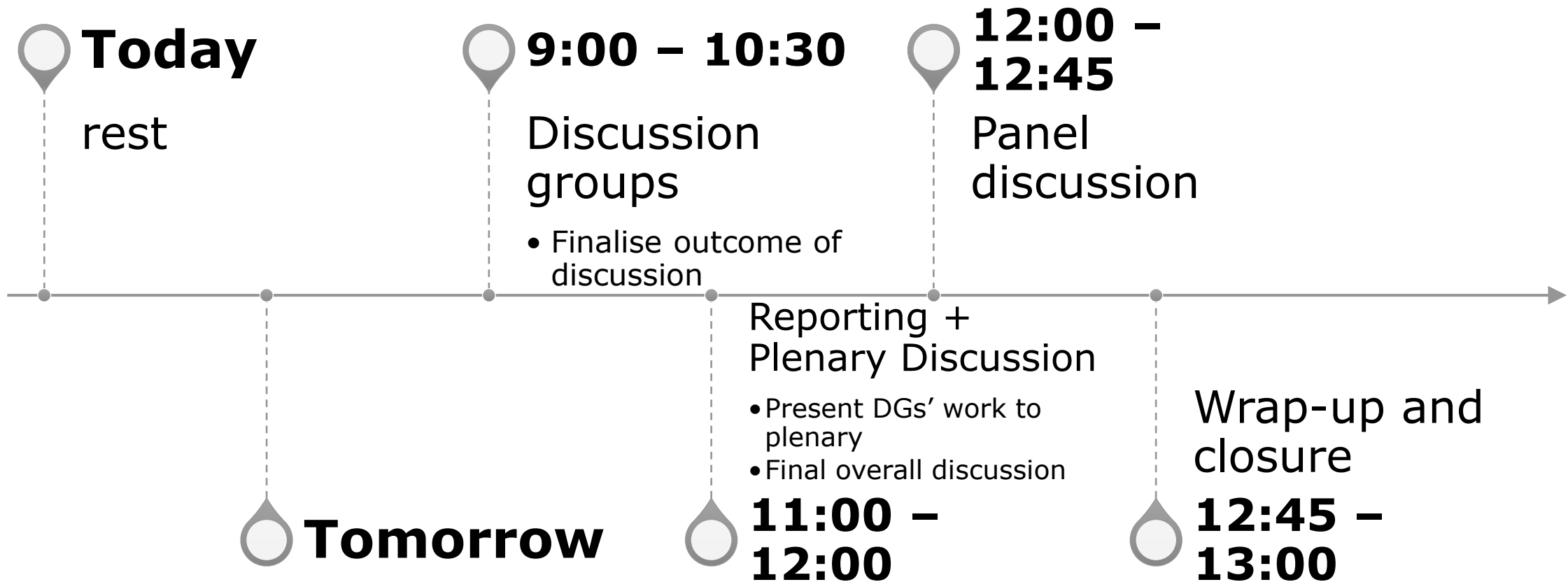
Introduction to discussion groups

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Trusted science for safe food



Discussion groups

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Developments in analytical methods for micro- and nanoplastics	Developments in analytical methods for micro- and nanoplastics	Developments in exposure of humans to micro- and nanoplastics	Developments in exposure of humans to micro- and nanoplastics	Developments in hazard identification and characterisation for micro- and nanoplastics	Developments in hazard identification and characterisation for micro- and nanoplastics
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Open scientific debate



Input from each participant



Around 20 participants each



Participants allocated on the basis of their preferences ... mostly



You received briefing notes



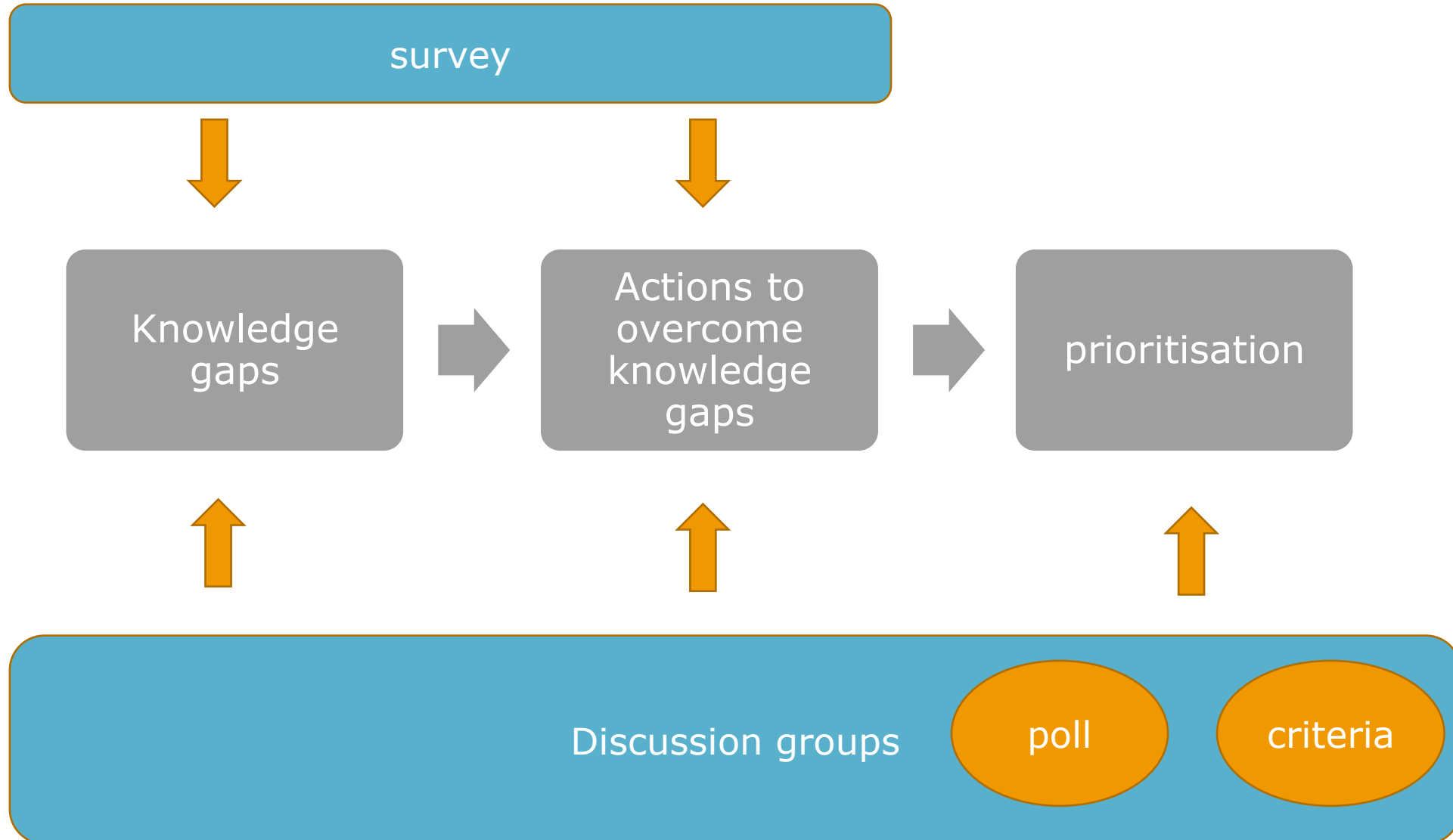
Specific questions to focus the discussion and allow efficient reporting



Report back to plenary



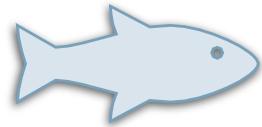
Summary Report





Criterion 1

- To have benefits on the establishment of **harmonised definitions** in Europe



Criterion 2

- To increase our understanding of the **hazards and exposure** linked with the presence of plastic in food and feed



Criterion 3

- To facilitate the implementation of **monitoring programs** at EU level



Information

- Are you aware of ongoing or planned **research projects** related to this priority activity? (yes/no)



- NOT:
 - attempt to agree on details of a strategy
 - identify who is right and who is wrong

- BUT RATHER:
 - a multidisciplinary scientific debate
 - identifying & acknowledging existing gaps
 - priority actions



Presentations at plenary sessions + short web-story on the EFSA website



Publication of summary report on EFSA website and in booklet format (4th quarter 2021)



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