

## Supplementary material

Questionnaire mailed to each farmer who sold cull dairy cows through the market during the study period.



### **Animal Owner Questionnaire**

Farm of origin (will never be revealed)	
Approximate distance travelled to market	
Type of farm (organic, nonorganic, head, etc.)	
Type of transport vehicle	

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### **Repeated N animals sold per farm**