

# Approaches and research to reduce antimicrobial use

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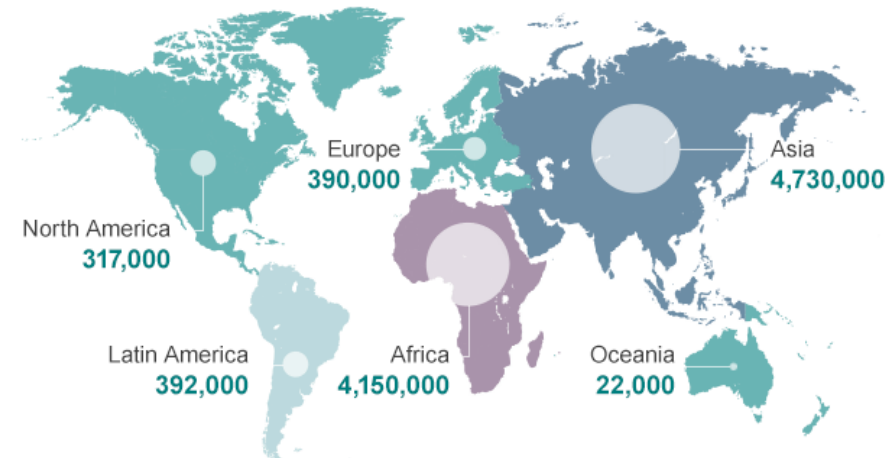


# Antibiotic resistance is a global concern

- WHO has declared that **antibiotic resistance** is one of the top 10 global public health threats facing humanity.
- It has been predicted to lead to **10 million casualties annually by 2050**.



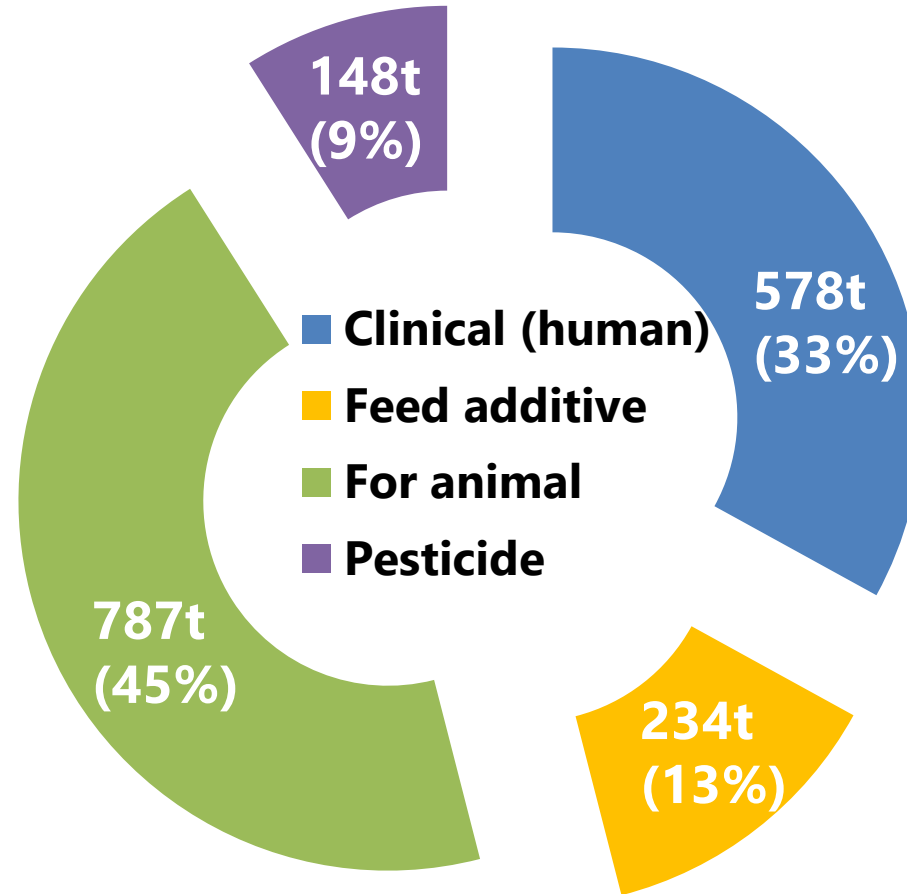
Deaths attributable to antimicrobial resistance every year by 2050



Source: Review on Antimicrobial Resistance 2014

- **Since the establishment of AMR Global Action Plan in 2015, national plans have been published and implemented.**
- **In the action plan, there is also mention of the use of antibiotics in the field of veterinary medicine.**

# The amount usage of antibiotics in Japan



**Many antibiotics are used for animals.**

**Using antibiotics and selection and emergence of ARBs are clearly related**

**Prudent use of antibiotics are required**

**The seminar updates the latest efforts in approaches and researches to reduce antibiotics in terrestrial and aquatic animals**

# Today's Program

- **Lecture 1. Recent activities of WOHAM AMR Working Group**
- **Lecture 2. Building a Sustainable Integrated AMR Surveillance Capability in Singapore and the ASEAN region**
- **Lecture 3. Risk assessment trials for vegetables and aquaculture**
- **Lecture 4. Antimicrobial use guidance for farmers using  $DDD_{VET}$**