

## How does NextGenProteins take into account the impact of alternative proteins on environment and society?

## Use Responsible Research and Innovation (RRI)<sup>1,2,3</sup>

RRI is an interactive and mutually responsive process between scientists accountable for research and non-experts able to influence the Research and Innovation process and its outcomes.

## **Practical Application of RRI principles in NextGenProteins**

	Process: How could we approach it differently?	Product: What are we working on?	Purpose: Why are we working on it?	People: Who might be affected in the future?
Anticipate & Analyze	Theories Methodology	Ethics Regulations Safety IPRs	Protein challenge Climate change	Open access for increased Acceptance Desirability
Reflect & Reason	Gender balance Risk assessment	People & Animals Welfare Food & Feed Quality	Availability of affordable food  Quality of life	Democratic informed choice Income and working conditions
Engage & Include	Researchers Food industry	Stakeholders & Animals	Society & living environment	Citizens
Act & Respond	Data security  Non- discriminatory practices	Regulation Animal welfare	Unpredictability of innovations  Environmental issues  Production costs	Cultural and religious barriers Ignorance Discrimination

## So, what does RRI bring to me, as a consumer?

Responsible research and Innovation (RRI) ascertain that the researchers develop products adapted to my consumer needs and expectations. I can also expect that the products are developed in a responsible way.



<sup>1</sup> NextGenProteins (2020) Deliverable D7.2 RRI Framework established available https://nextgenproteins.eu/wp-content/uploads/deliverables/Submitted-NextGenProteins deliverable-7.2-RRI-Framework-final.pdf

<sup>2</sup> NextGenProteins (2020) RRI Conceptual Framework Matrix available https://nextgenproteins.eu/wp-content/uploads/deliverables/RRI-Conceptual-Framework-Matrix-Final2.pdf

 $<sup>3 \</sup> Next Gen Proteins \ We bin ar \ (2020) \ Next Gen Proteins \ RRI \ Framework \ available \ https://next gen proteins.eu/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/Next Gen Proteins \ RRI \ Framework.mp4$