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Mapping out a One Health model of antimicrobial resistance in the context of the Swedish food system: a literature scan

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Abstract

Background: Antimicrobial resistance (AMR) causes worsening health, environmental, and financial burdens. Modelling complex issues such as AMR is important, however, how well such models and data cover the broader One Health system is unknown. Our study aimed to identify models of AMR across the One Health system (objective 1), and data to parameterize such models (objective 2) to inform a future model of the AMR in the Swedish One Health system. Based on an expert-derived qualitative description of the system, an extensive literature scan was performed to identify models and data from peer-reviewed and grey literature sources. Models and data were extracted, categorized in an Excel database, and visually represented on the existing qualitative model to illustrate coverage. The articles identified described 106 models in various parts of the One Health system; 54 were AMR-specific. Few multi-level, multi-sector models, and models within the animal and environmental sectors, were identified. We identified 414 articles containing data to parameterize the models. Data gaps included the environment and broad, ill-defined, or abstract ideas (e.g., human behaviour). In conclusion, no models addressed the entire system, and many data gaps were found. Existing models could be integrated into a mixed-methods model in the interim.

Background

Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) is one of the largest threats to public health across the globe (Government of Canada, 2017; WHO, 2018), causing an estimated 1.27 million deaths (due to bacterial AMR directly) globally in 2019 (Murray et al., 2022). Financial burdens also occur because of increased healthcare costs and loss of productivity; Europe loses 1.5 billion US dollars annually due to multi-drug resistant bacteria (The European Commission, 2018). AMR can also impact the agricultural sector via production losses from animals with resistant infections, and possibly decreased trade due to a fear of resistance (The European Commission, 2018).

The system that produces AMR is a complex system comprised of many drivers across many sectors (human, animal, and environmental sectors) and ecological scales, allowing for AMR to easily spread across sectors (Aarestrup et al., 2008; Government of Canada, 2017; The European Commission, 2018). Due to this complexity, modelling and combatting AMR through policy and interventions is challenging (Acar and Moulin, 2012; Wang et al., 2016; Islam et al., 2019; Malik and Bhattacharyya, 2019; Søgaard Jørgensen et al., 2020). Complex systems are composed of many elements with multiple interactions between them, in which the elements adapt and react to the patterns the interactions create (Ladyman et al., 2013). These systems are composed of nonlinear relationships (small changes in one element do not necessarily cause a small change in another; Waterloo Institute of Complexity and Innovation, 2022) where microscopic interactions between elements can cause system-wide changes to emerge, thus leading to unpredictable behaviours or unintended consequences (Ladyman et al., 2013; Waterloo Institute of Complexity and Innovation, 2022). Knowledge about how the complex pathways intersect and interact to affect AMR is sparse, therefore, incorporating the entire One Health system into dynamic models and policy analysis is still in its early stages (Chen and Fu, 2018; Malik and Bhattacharyya, 2019). For this study, the One Health system was defined as the complex web of environmental, human, and animal factors and socio-ecological drivers that interact to perpetuate the issue of AMR. Thus, we wanted to identify how current models across

sectors or sub-systems have been combined and determine where data exists to provide the foundations to build and parameterize a proposed model of the Swedish One Health system as a case study to be able to assess interventions through a system lens.

Sweden has one of the lowest rates of AMR and antimicrobial use in Europe (The Public Health Agency of Sweden, 2023) due to the rapid response, enhanced surveillance, and the guidance and stringent measures put in place to reduce antimicrobial use in humans and animals (The Public Health Agency of Sweden, 2023; Wierup et al., 2021). Sweden has a history of long-term efforts to control and eradicate infectious diseases in animals and coordinated activities for endemic diseases, thus reducing the need for antimicrobials (Wierup et al., 2021). Finally, there is widespread stakeholder agreement on the need for AMR action and thus cooperation in creating and implementing measures across the country (The Public Health Agency of Sweden, 2023; Wierup et al., 2021), and much trust in the government and adherence to guidelines from the public (Lambraki et al., 2022). Sweden's response to AMR began in 1986, when the use of growth promoters were banned in food animal production (Grundin et al., 2020). In 2005, Strama (a national strategic programme in Sweden) was formed and the first One Health national strategy against AMR was presented, which has been continually updated, with the latest version published in 2023 (Grundin et al., 2020). This strategy includes an action plan to address seven core objectives as well as an inter-sectional coordinated mechanism to bring together expertise from sectors across sectors to work to reduce AMR (Grundin et al., 2020). Sweden's policies incorporate the One Health aspect of the issue, involving agencies and organizations from human and veterinary medicine, the environment, and food production, outlining clear responsibilities and focussing on international collaboration, research, and innovation (Eriksen et al., 2021).

Systematic and scoping reviews have been conducted to identify models of the system that drives AMR. However, their scope has been limited to population-level mathematical models of AMR within human populations (Niewiadomska et al., 2019), at the microbial or within-host level (Spicknall et al., 2013), or a combination of both (Opatowski et al., 2011). Even reviews that aim to be more inclusive remain human-focused (Ramsay et al., 2018). Thus, it is necessary to expand the scope to identify models of the broader system of drivers which have potential to be adapted for the AMR context.

While a formal literature review is not required for parameterization, a clear framework can improve transparency in the data collection process, especially due to the vast number of factors to be parameterized. With a shift towards more inclusive (integrated) models, scoping reviews or literature scans have gained popularity as a primary step (Murphy et al., 2018; Primeau, 2020; Goltz, 2022), and may become the norm in One Health modelling of complex systems. Our proposed model includes 92 factors from a previously created qualitative model of the drivers of AMR (Lambraki et al., 2022), making a full scoping review extremely resource intensive. Also, many factors were unlikely to have quantitative data available. Thus, a broader search (quantitative and qualitative data from grey and published literature) was necessary.

Therefore, a literature scan inspired by scoping review methods (Arksey and O'Malley, 2005) provided a balance of structure and transparency with the flexibility to explore the literature more freely. The objectives of this study were to perform a literature scan to identify: (1) the different types of existing dynamic models (e.g.,

compartmental model, agent-based model, network model) across various parts of the broader AMR One Health system, and (2) the data sources and evidence that could be used to model the different parts of the Swedish One Health system (further referred to as "the system").

Methods

To determine the scope of the One Health model of AMR, we used an existing causal loop diagram ("diagram") from two participatory modelling workshops that were held in Stockholm, Sweden in September 2019 in which participants mapped the wider system of drivers of AMR in the European One Health system (refer to the workshops carried out by Lambraki et al., 2022 for the methods and full results). The resulting diagram contained 92 nodes and 331 relationships and represented the structure of a hypothetical One Health model of AMR in a European (specifically Swedish) food system context. Using this diagram to bound the scope and define the search terms, we conducted a literature scan, inspired by Arksey and O'Malley, 2005 framework for scoping reviews, to address our two objectives. The search took place from September 1st to December 31st, 2020.

Objective 1: Existing models

A literature search of peer-reviewed publications was performed in Google Scholar and PubMed to identify different types models, including: 1) mathematical models pertaining to the transmission of micro-organisms between humans, animals, and their environments; 2) mathematical models of AMR transmission or emergence; 3) models of AM decay and residue build up in waste, waste-water, and other settings; 4) economic models of agriculture and the One Health system, and; 5) economic models of health systems. Models were not limited to a specific geographical context; however, the search was conducted in English.

A snowball search approach was used, starting with broad, high-level search terms that aligned with major domains of the diagram (e.g., "model AND antimicrobial resistance AND humans/ animals/One Health" or "model AND consumer demand AND food"). Models of E. coli were explicitly searched because E. coli has been identified as one of the major threats for AMR (Léger et al., 2021), is commonly identified in and transmits between humans and animals (Léger et al., 2021), and is heavily represented in the existing AMR surveillance data for animals and humans in Sweden (European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control, 2021; WHO Regional office for Europe, 2017). In instances where specific sections of the diagram were not well described, search terms were refined and the search was narrowed to capture more specific nodes or parts of the system (e.g., "infectious disease model AND antimicrobial resistance/resistant E. coli AND hospital/ on-farm/abattoir," "economic/supply-demand/consumer demand model AND chicken/beef/fish"). This approach allowed for a narrowing of the search criteria to ensure key models were captured in the search, that would be of use for our specific purpose. A full list of search criteria is given in Supplementary materials, Table S1. We found that the first 100 results generally yielded the best fit given our search criteria, and therefore, focused on the first 100 results for each search. Broad search terms and few exclusion criteria were deliberately used to capture a wide range of models from a variety of sectors. Citations about models that were strictly statistical (e.g., linear and logistic regression models)

were excluded; we wanted models that simulated or encompassed the transmission or emergence of AMR or other parts of the system (economics) and not models that provided estimates of association between nodes (e.g., odds or risk ratios). Statistical models would provide an indication of how two nodes affect one another (AMU leads to AMR) and could be used to help inform or parameterize the relationships of a model that simulates AMR transmission, but they are not themselves models of simulation of the broader system.

The lead author (MC) screened the titles and abstracts for inclusion based on the criteria above, then reviewed the full text and excluded any sources that were not simulation models. The following information was extracted from relevant articles and organized into a database created in Microsoft Excel version 16.60: type and process of model (e.g., agent-based model, network model, compartmental model); the sector(s) represented (e.g., food-producing animals, humans, crops, environment); the microorganism and/or antimicrobial(s) involved (e.g., fluoroquinoloneresistant E. coli); and other model characteristics (Tables 1-2; full database Cousins, 2022). Models were categorized to the environment sector if they represented anything that is external to a host (Porta, 2016); included any area in which a person, animal, or plant is living or operating (Oxford Learner's Dictionary, n.d.), which was dependent on the setting of the model and the population of interest (e.g., the bed or light switch, a river or surrounding landscape).

Identified models were visually situated within the diagram (Figure 1) to identify gaps in system coverage (e.g., missing human health, on-farm, or the environment) and depict the overlap between sectors (e.g., zoonotic transmission, food transmission, models including environmental reservoirs, or One Health models) captured by existing model.

Objective 2: Existing data sources and evidence

A second literature search of peer-reviewed publications and grey literature was performed in Google Scholar, PubMed, and Google, to compile data to populate the proposed model using multiple types of data (quantitative and qualitative) from 1995 to present, prioritizing sources 2000 to present and those that were Swedenfocused. While our interest was to identify data from 2000 to present, 1995 was a cut-off to account for potential gaps in data collection (e.g., data collected every five years which causes a gap from 1997 to 2002). Furthermore, if no Sweden-specific data existed, northern Europe was used as a proxy, and if nothing was specific to northern Europe, then all of Europe or a European average was included. The search was not limited by language; all non-English publications were translated with Google Translate.

Search criteria were created based on the 92 nodes identified on the diagram (Lambraki et al., 2022). A search was created for each node. Some were refined further if found necessary; for the node "on-farm production," a separate search was done for on-farm production of animal-based foods (e.g., chicken), fruits (e.g., apples), vegetables (e.g., potatoes), and other important crops (e.g., wheat). Examples of search criteria include: "Antimicrobial resistance AND human AND Sweden," "Imports AND chicken AND Sweden." Broad nodes were narrowed using specific examples given by the participants within the workshops (Lambraki et al., 2022); for the node "New and emerging food," specific products in development or of interest to the European population were searched (insects, genetically modified foods, three-dimensionally printed foods, and lab-based meat). Nodes that were abstract (e.g., diverse experiences and opinions) or broad (e.g., AMU in countries other than of Sweden) were more difficult to create an adequate search strategy. We aimed to find search strategies that were specific enough to retrieve relevant information, while still capturing a broad range of data and sources. A full list of the search strategies used can be found in Supplementary materials, Table S2. As with objective 1, the searches for the 92 nodes each returned over 750 results, and therefore we reviewed titles from the first 100 results for each search string from each database. Citations that were excluded were: 1) those that did not contain information relevant to the list of nodes from the diagram, and 2) those published before 1995.

Due to the number of separate searches performed (at least one per node), the literature scan was time and resource intensive. Therefore, per recommendations by Arksey and O'Malley, 2005, a three-month cut-off date was used (December 31st, 2020) in which articles identified as potentially relevant by title and abstract during the search but were not directly related to the node being searched at the time were not read in full but noted in a separate list (see Supplementary materials, Table S3) for future use. These articles did not undergo the proceeding steps of full review for inclusion and data extraction.

MC reviewed the full text for titles and abstracts that were screened in and excluded any sources that did not contain data relevant to the nodes of interest. MC then extracted the data. Due to the variety of sources and types of reported data, an inter-coder reliability check was done with three members of our team (MC, KD, XMYK) to ensure the same data were being extracted from the articles. MC selected three articles that represented the spectrum of the articles identified for data extraction (two peer-reviewed and one grey literature that were quantitative, qualitative, and mixed-method) and a full article review was performed. MC, KD, and XMYK compared and discussed results to refine what needed to be extracted, or what was being missed.

The following information was extracted (MC) from relevant articles and organized into an excel database (MNV & MC): the data or parameter extracted (e.g., 1,000,000 prescriptions/year), the year the data was collected, the type of data (e.g., pharmaceutical sales, quantitative), the source (e.g., peer-reviewed or grey literature), they type of study (e.g., survey, cross sectional), the country or countries for which the data were available, and the date and country of publication (Table 3; full database; Cousins, 2022). The country of publication was identified by either the affiliation of the first author on a peer-reviewed publication, the country in which the author of an article (magazine, newspaper, blog) was located, or the country of the main headquarters of an organization, magazine, newspaper, or webpage.

The amount of data and an associated level for the node was then initially assigned by MC's personal judgment, and then verified by the research team through discussion, with disagreements being resolved through consensus. The level of the node refers to the position of that node in the context of the Swedish One Health system on a scale of the amount, quantity, extent, or quality compared to a referent (e.g., Sweden *vs.* other countries within or outside of Europe, Sweden currently *vs.* historically). For example, there is "high" AMU in agriculture in Sweden in 2020 compared to 2010 or there is "low" AMR in Sweden compared to other countries in Europe. The following levels were assigned: very high, high, medium, low, very low, or none. A level was assigned to the nodes to indicate how the qualitative and quantitative data could be combined **Table 1.** Distribution of the 106 articles^{*} referring to models of disease transmission of a single system (n = 102) and models of disease transmission with an economic component (n = 4) according to microbe and/or antimicrobial class and sector/population involved

	Total number of articles	Unspecified host/Microbe	Human	Animal	Crops	Environment	Human- Animal	Human- Environment	Animal- Environment	Crop- Human	Human-Animal- Crops-Environment (any 3)
Sensitive microbe											
African swine fever	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Campylobacter	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vibrio cholerae	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Clostridium difficile	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shiga-toxin producing Escherichia coli**	18	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	13	1	-
Foot and Mouth Disease	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Influenza	6	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
Listeria monocytogenes	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Neisseria gonorrhoea	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Salmonella	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Not defined (multiple)	13	-	3	6	-	-	2	1	-	-	1
TOTAL	49	-	9	13	1	-	4	2	15	1	2
						-					
Antimicrobial only											
Chlortetracycline	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fluoroquinolones	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Tetracycline	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
Unspecified (multiple)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
TOTAL	5	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	1	-	-
AMR (Microbe/AM)											
CRE (Carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae)	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chlortetracycline-resistant <i>E. coli</i> **	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ESBL (extended-spectrum-β-lactamase)- producing ST131 <i>E. coli</i> **	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ESBL (extended-spectrum-β-lactamase) and AmpC (AmpC-β-lactamase)-producing <i>E. coli</i> **	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	_	-	-	-
Fluoroquinolone-resistant Campylobacter	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-

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Tetracycline-resistant E. coli**	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MRSA (methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus)	10	-	6	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
VRE (Vancomycin-resistant enterococci)	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Resistant Klebsiella pneumoniae	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Resistant Campylobacter	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Resistant <i>E. coli</i> **	12	1	3	2	-	-	-	2	1	-	1
Resistance in commensal bacteria	4	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Resistance in foodborne pathogens	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Resistant bacteria (general)	10	1	3	1	-	1	1	2	-	-	1
Resistant fungi (general)	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Resistant parasites (general)	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	_	-
Not defined (multiple)	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
TOTAL	52	5	19	6	3	1	4	10	2	-	2
					-						
TOTAL	106	5	28	20	4	3	10	13	18	1	4

*To find more details for each model that falls under the given category please refer to the complete database (Cousins, 2022). The complete list of articles is categorized with the same categories as appear in the table for easy cross-reference. **AM, Antimicrobial.

Table 2. Distribution of the 106 articles^{*} referring to models of disease transmission of a single system (n = 102) and models of disease transmission with an economic component (n = 4) according to study characteristics including the main population of interest, model type and specific model features, and the type of model system (sensitive microbes, resistant microbes, and antimicrobials (AMs^{**})

	Total number of articles	Sensitive microbes	Resistant microbes	ам** only
Main population of interest				
Human	28	9	19	-
Companion animal	-	-	-	-
Cattle	7	4	2	1
Pigs	3	1	2	-
Poultry	3	1	2	-
Sheep	1	1	-	-
Fish/Aquaculture	-	-	-	-
Crops	2	-	2	-
Wildlife	-	-	-	-
Unspecified host (bacterial level)	5	-	5	-
Environment	3	-	1	2
2 populations	43	28	13	2
>3 populations	11	5	6	_
Model class				
Compartmental	73	31	39	3
Agent-based	9	3	6	_
Network	8	5	3	-
Risk analysis	11	9	2	_
Combination/multiple	3	1	2	_
Other	2	-	-	2
Model type				
Deterministic	53	21	27	5
Stochastic	43	23	20	_
Both	6	1	5	_
Hybrid (e.g., semi-stochastic)	4	3	1	_
Specific Model features†				
Multi-strain/co-infections	30	2	28	1
(e.g., competition and gene transfer)				
AMR emergence from AMU	23	-	23	1
Spatial (e.g., patch models, position or GPS data)	17	15	2	-
Multi-level model (e.g., within host and population transmission)	8	4	4	-
Vector-borne (e.g., healthcare workers)	11	3	8	-
Seasonal factors	5	4	-	1
Super-shedders/shedding rate	9	8	1	-
Pathogen survival	11	6	5	-
Vertical and pseudo-vertical transmission	3	2	1	-
Importation/Migration	36	22	14	-
AM effect on gut microbiome	6	-	6	-
AM residue levels and decay	7	-	2	5

(Continued)

Table 2. (Continued)

	Total number of articles	Sensitive microbes	Resistant microbes	ам** only
Cost-benefit/cost analysis	4	3	1	-
Participatory modelling	1	-	1	-
Model parameters				
Referenced data	53	28	23	2
Primary data	12	4	8	-
Both	7	2	2	3
Reference/Theoretical model	34	16	18	-
Publicly available dataset				
Yes	7	1	4	2
No	99	48	48	3
Type of data				
Quantitative	103	47	51	5
Qualitative	-	-	-	-
Mixed-methods	3	2	1	-
Model rigour				
Calibration	52	26	23	3
Validation	56	30	21	5
Sensitivity analysis	56	24	31	1

*To find more details for each model that falls under the given category please refer to the complete database (Cousins, 2022). The complete list of articles is categorized with the same categories as appear in the table for easy cross-reference. **AM, Antimicrobial.

to generate a single estimate of the state of that node, which could then be used to inform a semi-quantitative model for example.

Results

Objective 1: Existing models

A level was able to be assigned to a node based on the decision criteria found in Figure 2; a node had to have enough data to create an accurate evaluation of the state of the node and had to have either: 1) a good comparator to be able to judge the node against (e.g., historical data or data from another country), and 2) the node could be accurately described by a single level (e.g., "Consumer choice, demand, and behaviour" could be split into many different nodes that represent how consumers feel about different commodities and therefore one level could not be assigned).

The amount of data to inform each node was also assigned a categorical level (very little, a little, some, a lot, and most), which was based on the number of sources and data points (e.g., many sources or many years of data collected), and the amount of quantitative and qualitative data that existed for a given node (Figure 3). A data point was defined as a single piece of qualitative (e.g., a quotation) or quantitative data (e.g., a statistic) referring to a single node. A visual representation of the existing data for the nodes was overlayed on the diagram of AMR in the system to depict the amount and quality of data that exists and identify major data gaps (Figure 4).

Although searches were conducted based on the nodes, data pertaining to the relationships between the nodes were also found and extracted into the database, but these were not categorized into categorical levels (Cousins, 2022). New relationships identified via the literature search were mapped on top of the original diagram (Supplementary materials, Figure S1), and the sources that had data pertaining to the existing relationships were also visually mapped (Figure 4).

We identified a total of 146 relevant peer-reviewed articles (Table 4) that provided good coverage of the One Health system (Figure 1). Each individual article and relevant information pertaining to the articles can be found in the database (Cousins, 2022). Most articles were published after 2000 (Supplementary Materials, Figure S2). Most (79/146, 54%) models were either nongeographic context specific or included countries from all over the world (e.g., international travel, global food demand; Cousins, 2022), four of which were situated in multiple countries of Europe. Many articles in which a country was defined were from highincome countries (58/146, 40%), as defined by World Bank (e.g., United States of America (USA), Sweden, Denmark) (World Bank Group, n.d.), and only 10 articles (7%) represented models from low- and middle-income countries. Our search yielded 14 articles that described economic models, however upon further analysis we found that these models were not useable for our purpose as they represented statistical models (e.g., econometric, time series) that reflect the associations between nodes, not simulation models. These excluded models are described in Supplementary materials, Table S4 (details about each model can be found in the database; Cousins, 2022) and are of interest for future research.

There were 126 articles that described models focused on disease transmission and/or AMR emergence and transmission, 102 of which were models of a single system, 4 were models of a single system that included an economic component (e.g., cost-effectiveness of an intervention or cost analysis of a disease outbreak), and 20 were review articles summarizing multiple



Figure 1. The diagram of AMR adapted from Lambraki et al. (2022) with the types of models found from the literature search categorized into broad themes overlayed to depict model coverage of the system. Note: this figure is zoomable in the PDF version to legible font size.

Table 3. Distribution of the 414 sources of data relating to the nodes (n = 64) according to the study characteristics including the number of sources, number of data points, type of data, and regions and years covered within the data

Node	Number of Sources	Number of data points	Qualitative data	Quantitative data	Region(s) covered	Year(s) covered
(Terrestrial) On-farm AM [*] use	3	31	1	30	Denmark, Sweden, EU/EEA and Switzerland	2000-2018
Access to AMs [*] outside of the system	5	32	16	16	Global, EU, Europe, Northern Europe, Southern Europe, Eastern Europe, Sweden, Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Serbia, Tajikistan, Turkey, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, Kosovo, USA	2002–2019
AM [*] use in companion animals	5	20	6	14	Europe, EU/EEA and Switzerland, Sweden, Italy	2000-2017
AM [*] use in plant agriculture	5	18	7	11	Global, EU, Sweden, The Netherlands, USA	2007-2017
Amount of imported product	16	234	8	226	Global, Europe, Sweden, Norway, Thailand	1990–2019

Table 3. (Continued)

Node	Number of Sources	Number of data points	Qualitative data	Quantitative data	Region(s) covered	Year(s) covered
Amount of product in the domestic market	3	31	3	28	Sweden	2000-2018
Animal density	3	7	2	5	Sweden	1980-2005
Animal welfare/stress	8	58	46	12	Sweden	2001-2020
Aquaculture AM use	2	4	1	3	Global, EU/EEA and Switzerland, Sweden, Norway	2008–2017
AROs† in companion animals	7	54	5	50	Europe, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, the Netherlands, Portugal, Serbia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom	2005–2018
AROs† in food products	5	35	2	33	Sweden, Switzerland, UK	2004–2018
AROs† in food-producing animals	9	84	6	78	EU, Belgium, Denmark, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, The Netherlands, UK	2007–2019
AROs† in humans	4	7	1	6	Sweden	2014-2018
AROs† in imported food products	1	1	0	1	Sweden	2004
AROs† in wildlife	1	3	0	3	Sweden	2009–2019
Chronic, non- communicable diseases	3	14	0	14	EU, Poland, Sweden	1986-2017
Companion animal illness	5	22	3	19	Europe, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, the Netherlands, Portugal, Serbia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom	1999–2020
Consumer choice, demand, and behaviour	57	365	289	76	Global, Europe, EU, North America, Nordic countries, Austria, Belgium, China, Denmark, England, Finland, France, Germany, India, Italy, Liechtenstein, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, The Netherlands, UK, USA	1960–2020
Consumption of other (non-meat/egg) foods	20	312	11	301	Europe, Finland, France, Iceland, Norway, Russia, Spain, Sweden, UK	1960-2018
Corporate profits from AM*	12	61	12	49	Global, Europe, EU/EEA and Switzerland, US	1980-2018
Death (Human)	16	60	6	54	Global, Europe, EU, Poland, Sweden	1990-2019
Development of alternatives to AM [*]	14	97	82	15	Global, Europe, EU, Australia, Brazil, Canada, Denmark, Japan, Singapore, The Netherlands, UK, USA	1997–2020
Development of new AMs [*]	35	175	84	91	Global, Europe, EU, Canada, England, India, Scotland, UK, USA	1911-2020
Diagnostics	8	30	18	12	Global, Europe, Africa, Australia, Canada, Norway, Sweden, UK, USA	2003–2018
Digital health	20	77	18	59	Global, Europe, EU/EEA and Switzerland, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, Estonia, Ireland, Sweden, Denmark, Portugal, Spain, Germany, UK, France, Italy, Russia, Poland, Switzerland, The Netherlands, UK, USA	2002–2023
Disease in plant agriculture (crops, horticulture)	2	9	0	9	Sweden	2006-2011
Domestic and international trade	12	184	18	166	Global, EU, Sweden	1990-2019
Feed efficiency	1	1	0	1	Global	2019
Feed quality	1	1	1	0	Sweden	2020
Food and water security (personal, national)	4	27	0	27	Global, EU, Sweden	2000-2019
Food-producing animal illness	11	44	1	43	Denmark, Norway, Sweden, UK	1998-2020

Table 3. (Continued)

Node	Number of Sources	Number of data points	Qualitative data	Quantitative data	Region(s) covered	Year(s) covered
Healthcare costs	12	53	2	51	Global, Europe, EU, Canada, China, Germany, Malaysia, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, Serbia, Thailand, USA	2000–2050
Healthcare resources	16	314	8	306	Global, Europe, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom	1999–2019
Human AM [*] use	17	51	3	48	Global, Europe, Southern Europe, Northern Europe, Eastern Europe, Central Europe, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, England, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, The Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom	1994–2020
Human illness	15	106	3	103	Global, High-Income countries, Europe, Nordic region, Albania, Bosnia, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Hungary, North Macedonia, Montenegro, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway, Sweden, Greenland, Poland, Spain, The Netherlands, UK	1970–2018
Human vaccination	8	41	5	36	Europe, EU, EU/EEA, Canada, Italy, Sweden	2000-2019
Market price per production unit	5	187	1	186	EU, Sweden	1980-2018
Meat/egg consumption	30	296	20	276	Global, Europe, EU, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Norway, Italy, Poland, Russia, Spain, Sweden, UK, USA	1960-2020
Movement of animals	15	95	16	79	Europe, EU, Sweden	1999–2020
Movement of people	10	127	18	109	Europe, EU, Austria, France, Germany, Italy, Sweden, Poland, Hungary	2000-2018
New and emerging foods	36	335	60	275	Global, Asia, Africa, Europe, North America, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Czech Republic, The Netherlands, France, United Kingdom, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, England, Italy, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, United States, UK	1965-2020
Non-AM [*] disease prevention and infection control in health and social care settings	16	140	26	114	Global, EU, Northern Europe, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom,	2002–2020
Non-AM [*] infection control in food-producing animal agriculture	1	1	1	0	EU	2016
Number of units set by quota	1	3	0	3	Sweden	2002
Nutritional quality of diet	2	8	3	5	Sweden	2002–2020
On-farm production level	17	341	15	326	Denmark, Norway, Sweden	1984–2020
Pharmaceutical market, sales, and PR‡	6	63	7	56	Global, Europe, EU, Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Serbia, Tajikistan, Turkey, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, Kosovo, Canada, France, Ireland, Sweden, UK	1995–2018
Population vulnerabilities	12	156	22	134	Global, OECD countries, Europe, EU, Nordic countries, Austria, Bosnia, Belgium, Romania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, England, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Lithuania, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Scotland, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden The Netherlands, United States, Wales, Switzerland	1992-2019

Table 3. (Continued)

Node	Number of Sources	Number of data points	Qualitative data	Quantitative data	Region(s) covered	Year(s) covered
Prescribing, diagnosing, treatment practices (appropriateness)	35	186	34	152	Global, Europe, EU**, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Croatia, Denmark, England, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, The Netherlands, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom, USA	1995–2019
Production costs	1	3	0	3	Sweden	2018
Production systems	28	413	48	365	Global, Europe, EU, Austria, Bosnia, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Latvia, Lithuania, Italy, Malta, Macedonia, Norway, Romania, Russia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, UK, USA	1991–2030
Psychological health	8	60	0	60	Europe, EU, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czechia, Cyprus, Finland, France, Germany, Iceland, Italy, Lithuania, Luxemburg, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Romania, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, The Netherlands, Turkey	2000–2018
Resistance in the wider environment	1	1	1	0	Global	2018
Retail cost of food	16	245	16	229	Europe, EU, Austria, Czech Republic, Belgium, Bulgaria, Denmark, Finland, France, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Lithuania, Luxemburg, Monico, Norway, Poland, Romania, Sweden, Switzerland	1999–2020
Retailer demand for product	8	9	7	2	Europe, Sweden	2005-2019
Treatment of waste and waste-water	2	12	2	10	Global, EU, Bangladesh, Ghana, India	2000-2018
Understanding and awareness	2	11	1	10	Global, EU, Sweden, United states	2010
Unregulated meat sales	1	1	0	1	Sweden	2002
Use for prevention in humans	3	46	0	46	EU/EEA, Sweden	2002-2012
Use for preventive purposes	1	2	0	2	Italy	2000-2007
Use for treatment	1	1	0	1	Denmark	1995-2008
Use for treatment in humans	1	15	0	0	Sweden	2003-2010
Viability of domestic meat production	3	10	5	5	Europe, Sweden	2002-2019

*AM: Antimicrobial; **EU/EEA: European Union/ European Economic Area; †ARO: Antimicrobial-resistant organism; ‡PR: Public relation.

models (not included in the following analysis). Table 5 summarizes the location the model represents (e.g., a hospital, on-farm, food), the type of transmission that is described (e.g., person-to-person, animal-to-animal), and whether the model was representing a sensitive microbe, a resistant microbe.

Table 1 summarizes the microbes and AMs that were modelled and the different sectors or transmission pathways these models encompassed. Less than half of the models addressed two or more sectors (46/106, 43%). Many articles were focused on humans (42/106, 40%). Models at the human-animal interface were described animal exposure as a risk factor for human illness. Models that included the environment as part of the transmission pathway looked at either the immediate surroundings of the host (contaminated pens, hospital equipment, and production equipment; 23/106, 22%) or the natural environment (water sources, soil, plants; 8/106, 8%). The environment as a target area for modelling was very limited (3/106, 3%), and was mostly framed in terms of causing human illness or as a reservoir for pathogens. There were very few models about plant/crop agriculture (5/106, 5%).

Resistant bacteria, specifically *E. coli* and methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA), were the most modelled compared to other resistant microbes (Table 1). Five models focussed on an AM instead of a target microbe (Table 1), specifically on the decay of antimicrobials in different settings (one in the gastrointestinal tract of a host, and four in water systems). One model also described AM's effect on the development of AMR in a pathogen. Five models did not have a specified host (Table 1) and described the transmission of resistance genes and the development of resistance in a population of micro-organisms after exposure to an antimicrobial.



Figure 3. How each of the 64 nodes were categorized into ordinal levels that describe the amount of data (very little, a little, some, a lot, most) given the number of source and amount of the data found from the literature scan to inform the model the different parts of the Swedish food system.

Transmission model characteristics including the type of pathogen (susceptible or resistant) and AM being modelled are shown in Table 2. The majority (42/106; 40%) were humanfocused and were either at a population level (e.g., transfer of patients between hospitals and community members) or at a microscopic or micro-organism level (e.g., within-host models of gene transfer and AMR emergence), with very few including both mechanisms into a multi-level model (Table 2). There were very few animal-focussed models of AMR. Alternatively, models of microbes that did not state the resistance status were mainly animal centred and focussed on within-farm or between-farm transmission (Table 2). Finally, most of the models described were compartmental (n = 73/106, 69%) (Grassly and Fraser, 2008; Hohle, 2015; Blackwood and Childs, 2018) and deterministic (53/106, 50%) (Grassly and Fraser, 2008; Hohle, 2015), and used data from the peer-reviewed literature as inputs for model parameter values (53/106, 50%). This was especially true within the AMR-focused models (Table 2). The use of theoretical models was also widespread (34/106, 32%), especially within the AMR models. We defined theoretical models as models that provide a general structure and are solved mathematically but are not informed by empirical data. These models were occasionally tested with parameters from the literature or with wide ranges for parameters



Figure 4. The diagram of AMR adapted from Lambraki et al. (2022) to show the data sources and evidence found from the scoping review. Nodes colour represents the assigned level for the given node, the darkness of the shading represents the amount of data for the given node, and the relationships that were mentioned in the sources are coloured in black with numbered references (found in database; Cousins, 2022) provided in brackets. Note: this figure is zoomable in the PDF version to legible font size.

Table 4. Breakdown of the types of models found in the sources identified in the literature from a literature scan different types of existing models across various parts of the broader One Health system (n = 146)

	Number of articles
Disease transmission models	122
Single model or system	102
Review articles	20
Economic models	14
Single model or system	10
Review articles	4
Combination models	4
Single model or system	4
Review articles	0
Total	146

to capture many possible values. Models rarely included all indications of rigour (sensitivity analysis, validation, and calibration (Barlas, 1996; Martis, 2006; van Kleef et al., 2013) but over half of the models (56/106, 53%) included at least one of these features.

Objective 2: Existing data sources and evidence

A total of 414 articles were identified that addressed 64 of the 92 nodes from the qualitative model (see full database; Cousins, 2022). Despite the thorough review, there was no literature found for 28 nodes, including: AMU in wildlife; AMU and AMR in other countries; antimicrobial-resistant organisms (AROs) in plant agriculture; cost per unit set by quota; disposal of AMs (e.g., unused, unmetabolized); diverse experiences, education, and training; existing farm infrastructure; existing healthcare infrastructure; exposure to AROs through imported products; good farm practices; host microbiome; level of resistance AMR in other countries; national budgets money, and funding; non-AM infection prevention and control in plant agriculture, by the public, and in other social institutional settings; producer profitability; research, development, and innovation; resistance at the abattoir/processor; restocking with animals/eggs at higher risk of infection; retail availability of meat/eggs in domestic market; science and academia; time to market weight; treatment postprocedure; what is being farmed; and the wider environment microbiome (e.g., water, soil).

The data came from both peer-reviewed (149/414, 40%) and grey literature (228/414, 60%) which are outlined in Supplementary materials, Figure S3. These sources came from multiple countries (Supplementary Materials, Figure S4), with Sweden being the predominant country of origin as it was

Location within the system that drives antimicrobial resistance	Type of transmission	Total Number of Articles	Sensitive microbes	Resistant microbes	AM** only
Community	Person-person, person-environment	10	8	2	-
Hospital/healthcare facility	Person-person, person-environment	11	2†	9†	-
Community-healthcare facility	Person-person, person-environment	13	-	13	-
On-farm transmission	Animal-animal, animal-environment	18	17†	1	-
Between/introduction to farm transmission	Animal-animal	10	9	1	-
Farm-to-slaughter	Animal-animal	2	1	1	-
Crop agriculture	Plant-environment	3	-	3	-
Processing plant/Slaughter house	Animal-person, plant-person, cross-contamination	4	4	-	-
Zoonotic transmission	Animal-person	5	4	1	-
Veterinary clinic	Animal-person	1	-	1	-
Foodborne	Animal-person, plant-person	5	2	3	-
Waterborne	Environment-person	2	2	-	-
One health model	Human-animal-environment	1	-	1	-
Pathogen level	Within host, AMR emergence	14	-	14	-
Pharmacokinetic model	AM levels and decay	2	-	1	1
Hydrological model	AM residue and genetic element levels and decay	5	-	1	4
TOTAL		106	49	52	5

Table 5. Distribution of the 106 articles^{*} referring to models of disease transmission (n = 102) and models of disease transmission with an economic component (n = 4) according to model processes, type of transmission, and type of model system (sensitive microbes, resistant microbes, and AMs^{**})

*To find more details for each model that falls under the given category please refer to the complete database (Cousins, 2022). The complete list of articles is categorized with the same categories as appear in the table for easy cross-reference. **AM, Antimicrobial. †At least one of these models contain an economic component.

prioritized in the search (117/414, 28%). Sources were mainly published after 2017 (205/414, 50%; Supplementary materials, Figure S5). Many databases reported surveillance data or national/ regional statistics and indicators which were particularly useful, including: Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), Worldbank, Eurostat, Migration Data Portal, Our World in Data. Similarly, other useful statistical webpages depicted or combined information found in common databases: Statista, Knoema, TrendEconomy, and Indexmundi

Both qualitative and quantitative data was reported; the majority was quantitative (4445/5432 data points, 82%). However, more qualitative data were available to parameterize some nodes, due to either a lack of available quantitative data (e.g., development of alternatives to AM), or the nature of the node being described (e.g., animal welfare/low stress, consumer demand and behaviour). Ten of the nodes had "very little" amount and quality of data; one or very limited data sources (1 source) and data (1–15 data points). Six of the nodes had a "most" for amount of data; 16 to 30 data sources and 234 to 413 data points per node, with an average of 94% (88%–97%) being quantitative data points.

The literature search was targeted towards the nodes; however, valuable information was identified pertaining to the relationships (arrows) in the diagram. There were 325 relationships found in the

literature, 86 from the original diagram and 239 newly identified during data extraction (see Supplementary materials, Figure S1).

Two new nodes, and included in the newly identified relationships, were added to the diagram: "Access to healthcare (doctors, hospitals, veterinarians, *etc.*)" and "Number of abattoirs."

Discussion

We found a wide variety of dynamic models that described many of the transmission pathways within the system. These models however were segregated and had limited connection across sectors. We also found quantitative and qualitative data to help understand the current and past states of many of the nodes representing the system. The data were highly variable in terms of quantity, source, and type but overall, when combined, helped extend our understanding of the overall system and have the potential to be incorporated into future models of AMR.

Literature scan of models of, and factors associated with AMR

Scoping reviews are useful tools for summarizing and disseminating existing literature in a useable and concise format for use by other researchers, policy makers, and other stakeholders who may not have the skills or resources to perform such a task (Antman et al., 1992) review methodology, this literature scan: 1) provided a framework to improve the transparency of data collection for parameterization of a model of a complex system; 2) supports the building of a future comprehensive One Health model of AMR in a Swedish context; 3) assists other modellers by providing a comprehensive list of existing models of AMR (and related microorganisms) in various sectors, where data exist within those sectors, and how to gain access to these data; and 4) provides insight into the areas in which more empirical data are needed before comprehensive quantitative models can be created. Major data gaps included AMR in the environmental sector (e.g., levels of resistance within the soil and waterways), in wildlife populations (e.g., the level of resistance in birds, rodents, and other wild animals and the relative contribution these pathways have to overall transmission to humans or food-producing animals), and in crop agriculture, and for nodes referring to economics, resources, and practices on-farm and in healthcare (e.g., healthcare and farm infrastructure, good farm practices, feed quality and feed efficiency). Furthermore, most models encompassed a single sector, and more research is needed into modelling methods to connect existing models from the various sectors.

Disease transmission models embedded within the One Health system

We found that the models provided good coverage of the main parts of the One Health system (human, animal, environment), especially for specific human populations (e.g., within hospital) and agriculture (e.g., on-farm transmission). We included models not directly related to AMR (e.g., Foot and Mouth Disease, Influenza) as they are embedded within the same system and model parts that have not yet been explored in AMR-specific models (e.g., importation or global spread). Human-focused models with limited connection between sectors has been identified as a major gap in AMR models in previous reviews (Antman et al., 1992; Birkegård et al., 2018), but even with the inclusion of a wider range of models, there was still limited connection between the sectors, and nodes less directly related to human health and agriculture (e.g., development of new AMs, research and development) were missed.

Furthermore, models typically took a humanistic perspective, looking at how animals, crops, or the environment can lead to resistance in humans. However, humans also have the potential to introduce and spread resistant microbes to animals and into the environment (Government of Canada, 2017; Mcewen and Collignon, 2017; WHO, 2018). Therefore, a more One Health perspective, including cross-sector connections and evaluating all parts equally within models, is an important step towards an integrative modelling approach.

Smaller scale models, such as those in a single hospital or farm, included the environment as a source of transmission (e.g., shedding faeces, contaminated spaces or workers in hospital). In contrast, larger community models of AMR were simplified to human-human or animal-animal transmission. However, to better understand and address the complex issue of AMR, models need to account for these different transmission pathways.

The AMR-specific models identified were mainly quantitative, deterministic, compartmental models, aligning with past reviews of the literature (Birkegård et al., 2018; Ramsay et al., 2018) and the evolution of models; AMR is a developing field, and compartmental models are typically developed first (Hohle, 2015).

Individual-based models allow researchers to add more heterogeneity to the population and include additional population-level attributes (e.g., different contact rates, spatial elements, individual behaviours; Bonabeau, 2002; Maglio and Mabry, 2011; Hohle, 2015). These models are useful but require more data about the populations and the pathogens they model and therefore can be more difficult to parameterize (Bonabeau, 2002; Maglio and Mabry, 2011; Hohle, 2015). Also, many models were theoretical; models that outline the structure and transmission pathways, but do not use data to inform them. Although these theoretical models are useful to understand transmission dynamics, without data to inform them, their ability to be used to accurately model a system or to assess interventions is limited and untested (Birkegård et al., 2018; Ramsay et al., 2018).

Compartmental models provide a good foundation and are typically the starting point for modelling new systems (Hohle, 2015). By creating a set of interlinked compartmental models from multiple areas of the system, we could create a more comprehensive model of the system. Compartmental models also lend themselves well to be expanded into integrated or multi-level models (e.g., within-host and population level; Hohle, 2015). However, there is a lack of data and knowledge about some of the associations between sectors, which can lead to larger uncertainty in results and difficulty in interpreting results. The use of mixedmethods compartmental modelling may be an intermediate step to include a wider range of data.

Economic models embedded within the One Health system

Economic modelling is becoming important in evaluating policies in many health (e.g., health interventions such for obesity (Gortmaker et al., 2011; Sacks et al., 2011), hospital interventions for disease control (Assimakopoulos, 1987; Schechner et al., 2017)), and other fields (e.g., energy (Hafezalkotob, 2018), agriculture (Martínez-López et al., 2014), and climate change (Kahil et al., 2015)). It has been deemed necessary to identify solutions that can have the most impact with the least amount of associated costs (Jamison, 2006; Levin and Chisholm, 2016; Marseille et al., 2015). Cost is especially important for agricultural and food production as there are many levels at which the costs can be applied (Animals, 1999; FAO, 2017). For example, if the ultimate goal is for impacts at the human population level (e.g., reducing AMR), but it is not economical for producers to implement the intervention (e.g., reducing AMU, changing farming practices, updating farm infrastructure), then it is not going to be adopted as easily as an intervention that allows producers to continue to profit (Aarestrup et al., 2008; FAO, 2017; Mcewen and Collignon, 2017; Wernli et al., 2017). Consumer demand is also a strong driver of food availability, cost, and ultimately AMR (Primeau, 2020; Lambraki et al., 2022). To provide enough food for the growing population at a price that consumers can afford, agricultural practices have adapted to high intensity farming where the higher animal density may drive the need for AMs for prevention or treatment of inevitable diseases (Lambraki et al., 2022). Therefore, engaging economists and economic modellers in AMR modelling is vital for cost-benefit analysis (e.g., weighing initial costs and long-term payoffs) of interventions that aim to control AMR at an international scale.

The evidence landscape of factors that drive AMR

Overall, we found the evidence landscape challenging to navigate. Data existed across many formats and sources, and required substantial interpretation, searching, deciphering jargon, and sifting through multiple databases, government webpages, and other literature. After the data were found, it was either: hard to compare between populations and contexts due to multiple metrics being reported, patchy, incomplete, or were not publicly available. Therefore, to adequately capture data for the 92 nodes identified (Lambraki et al., 2022), a separate literature scan may be needed to be conducted for each specific research question (node), especially those where data were not readily available. We estimated that this could take upwards of 276 person-months (given a cut-off of 3 months per node for 92 nodes), which would be resources intensive.

Some of the nodes were informed by quantitative data that captured many years and were specific to the Swedish context. However, in some cases, the way the data were collected or reported was not useful for quantitative modelling purposes; data reported monthly or yearly (as opposed to daily or weekly which is required for many quantitative models), not representative of the entire country, or did not capture the entire context (e.g., surveillance data for one hospital or farm) and could not be generalized to a population level. This quantitative data could, however, be reduced to qualitative categories to represent the state of the node within a semi-quantitative model. For example, the amount of AMU of three countries (e.g., 5 defined daily doses (DDD) per 100,000 population, 10 DDD per 100,000 population, and 18 DDD per 100,000 population (The Centre for Disease Dynamics & Economics & Policy, n.d.)) could be converted into categories; high (18 DDD per 1000,000 population), low (5 DDD per 1000,000 population), and medium (10 DDD per 100,000 population).

Some nodes were mainly represented in qualitative terms. These nodes are important to the system (as identified by the workshop participants; Lambraki et al., 2022)) and therefore incorporating this valuable data is necessary to capture the nuances of the One Health system, providing further evidence for qualitative or mixed-methods simulation modelling this complexity and breadth.

Limitations

This literature scan aimed to identify a breadth of models that fit our context and outcome of interest (One Health model of AMR in a high-income context), not to identify every possible model of AMR and zoonotic transmission. Therefore, it is likely that some models were missed that could provide additional insight into the system. However, many models were identified that provide wide coverage of the system and a good foundation for creating a One Health AMR model.

The search for models were not limited by geographical context, however, most of the models identified were from a high-income context. Although this aligns with our specific goal of creating a model in Sweden, a high-income country, this limits the generalizability of this review to modelling low- and middleincome contexts, and a targeted search may be necessary.

The literature scan of the existing evidence landscape was thorough, and searches for data to inform all 92 nodes were attempted by creating, testing, and refining of the search strings. However, it was more difficult to create searches that captured some nodes in their entirety or were narrow enough to capture some of the more detailed or niche aspects of the nodes (e.g., "Consumption of other (non-meat/egg) foods" could include fruits, vegetables, and grains, but also pop, snack foods, and alcohol). Similarly, a subset of nodes was broad and abstract in nature (e.g., diverse experience, knowledge, and training) and although important to AMR dynamics, are challenging to describe on a national and population level, making it difficult to inform population-based models (e.g., compartmental models). For example, an individual's culture, educational background, and past experiences can shape their views and actions (e.g., how they access the healthcare system (Haenssgen et al., 2020; Lohm et al., 2020; Lambraki et al., 2022), their trust in doctors and medicine (Blommaert et al., 2014; Lambraki et al., 2022)), can impact their risk of AMR. Furthermore, the 331 relationships (arrows) identified by the workshop participants (Lambraki et al., 2022) and additional 239 relationships identified through the literature scan need to be quantified with a targeted search. Finally, although the same search strategy was used throughout, searching the first 100 articles in each data base for each node, the three-month limit could have led to a deeper and more critical look at the titles and abstracts for the nodes that occurred early in the search compared to the end of the search. Finally, although the same search strategy was used throughout, searching the first 100 articles in each data base for each node, the three-month limit could have led to a deeper and more critical look at the titles and abstracts for the nodes that occurred early in the search compared to the end of the search. Overall, this literature search highlights that despite the availability of information, there are substantial challenges as data are not cohesive, accessible, or easy to find. Thus, a more comprehensive scan of the literature by a large inter-disciplinary team (including other fields such as economists or agroecology), to refine nodes for use in modelling and to identify potential data sources is necessary.

Finally, this literature scan was conducted as a pragmatic way of collecting data to outline and parameterize a large-scale model of AMR across a One Health system. Therefore, validating the quality of evidence to support the data or validity of the sources was not a primary aim of this review and not inherently part of the literature scan process. However, most sources were from peer-reviewed, government, or major newspapers and therefore, we have confidence in the data that were collected can be representative of the situation within a high-income country such as Sweden.

Conclusion and recommendations for future research

This literature scan identified disparate, primarily quantitative models that do not fully represent the One Health aspects of this AMR. Many data gaps exist, making it difficult to model the entire system empirically. Current quantitative models are unable to adequately capture the complexity, nonlinear relationships, and interconnectedness of the system and given the data availability, it is not possible to create a fully quantitative model of the complex systems of drivers of AMR in the Swedish One Health system context without including overtly simplifying assumptions. Further work is needed to determine how to integrate the wealth of knowledge found in this review to create a comprehensive model of the system.

To combine the plethora of valuable data found, including both the quantitative and qualitative data, a mixed-methods (semiquantitative) compartmental model of the 64 nodes for which there were data could be created in the interim, while still advocating for further evidence to fill identified data gaps. Interdisciplinarity and cross-sector collaboration can foster communication, highlight different perspectives and expertise, share knowledge about existing or novel models and where and how data are being collected, to gain a more holistic and One Health view of the system of AMR.

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