I eat large amounts of meat every day.

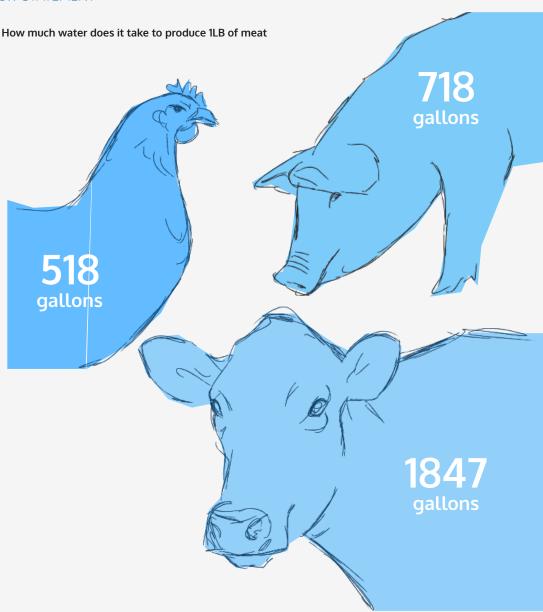
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SIGNIFICANCE OF ISSUE

The production of meat is very water intensive. 1 kg of meat takes between 5.000 and 20.000 L of water to produce, whereas 1 kg of wheat takes between 500 and 4.000 L. Much of the livestock is also given antibiotics, and 90% of these are excreted and end up in the groundwater. That furthers the antibiotic resistance.

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