REDUCING NATURAL
AND INDUCED
BIOLOGICAL RISKS

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The killing fields
FMD: MAFF fights fire with fire p8-10
Horses, though not susceptible to FMD, are capable of carrying the virus in dirt, debris, on their coats, tack, or trailer equipment. Restricted in movement for several months, by June they are allowed out on public roads in most areas, with appropriate biosecurity measures.
Silage, hay or crops; another concern for spread of FMD virus
MAJOR REGULATORY AND
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