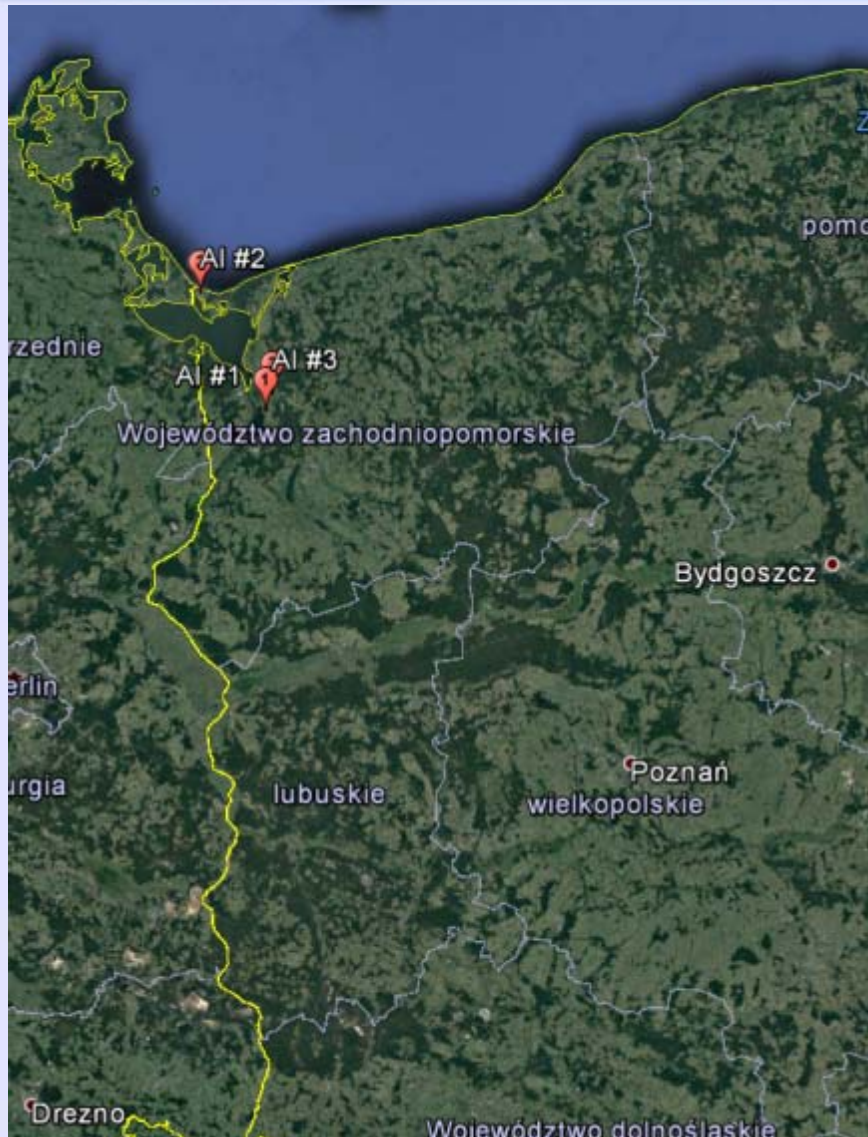


Highly pathogenic avian influenza in wild birds

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Epidemiological situation



Year	No of occurrences of HPAI	Birds species
2016	3	Wild birds (Anatidae, Laridae)



Epidemiological situation



No. of occurrence	Birds species	Type of virus	Date of confirmation	Localisation
1/2016	6 wild birds (5 Anatidae, 1 Laridae)	H5N8	5.11.2016	Lubczyna, Goleniów, goleniowski, zachodniopomorski e
2/2016	1 wild bird (Larus argentatus)	H5N8	10.11.2016 – subtype 11.11.2016 – pathogenicity	Świnoujście, Świnoujście, Świnoujście, zachodniopomorski e
3/2016	5 wild birds (5 Anatidae)	H5N8	15.11.2016	Modrzewie, Goleniów, goleniowski, zachodniopomorski e

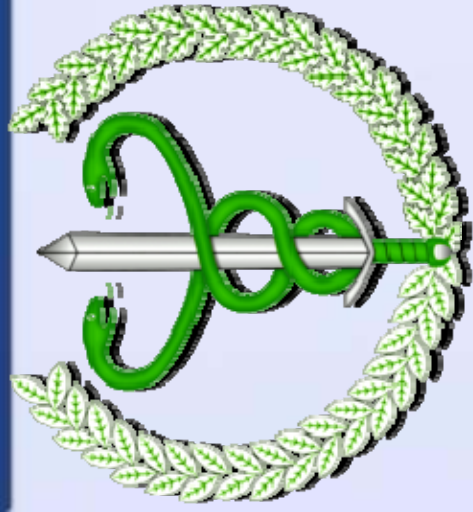
All occurrences detected due to passive surveillance (sampling and testing of wild birds found dead)





Measures taken

- Information activities (including information concerning biosecurity, epidemiological situation in Poland and in other countries, refresher trainings) towards the local veterinary services and the poultry farmers/organisations
- Update of district level contingency plans for AI
- A special Taskforce was established by the Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development
- Increased vigilance (notification in any case of suspicion)
- Ongoing passive surveillance in wild birds
- Additional active surveillance (faeces of wild birds are tested for AI in the framework of the multiannual research program of the NVRI)
- Preliminary risk assessment performed by the NVRI (re-lab for AI)



Thank you for your attention