

African swine fever in Slovakia state of play (21.9.2021)

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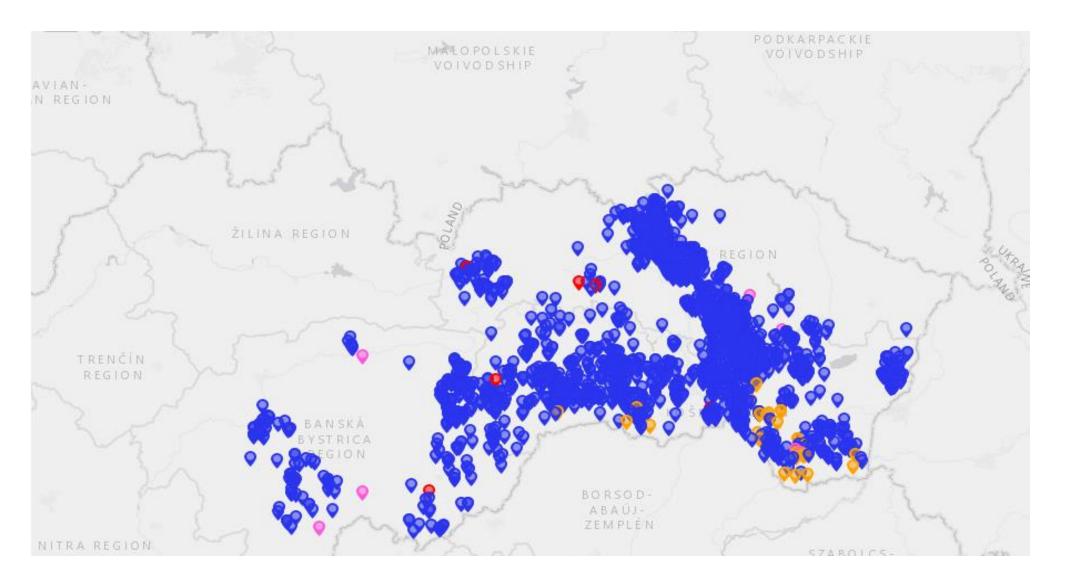
ASF in Slovakia – state of play – year 2021 – till 20.09.2021

- Year 2021: 747 ADNS + 687 ADIS reports (incl one by domestic pigs, other WB)
- 687 ADIS reports- 21 regions affected
- TWO new regions included in the part II
 - LIPTOVSKÝ MIKULÁŠ north part of Slovakia ASF- 2021
 - SNINA north-east part of Slovakia (bordering Ukraine)
- FIVE new regions incuded in the part III due to positive outbreaks in domestic pigs during summer period (Jun- August 2021):
- HUMENNÉ, VRANOV n/T, MICHALOVCE east part of Slovakia
- BREZNO central part of Slovakia
- VEĽKÝ KRTÍŠ south part of Slovakia

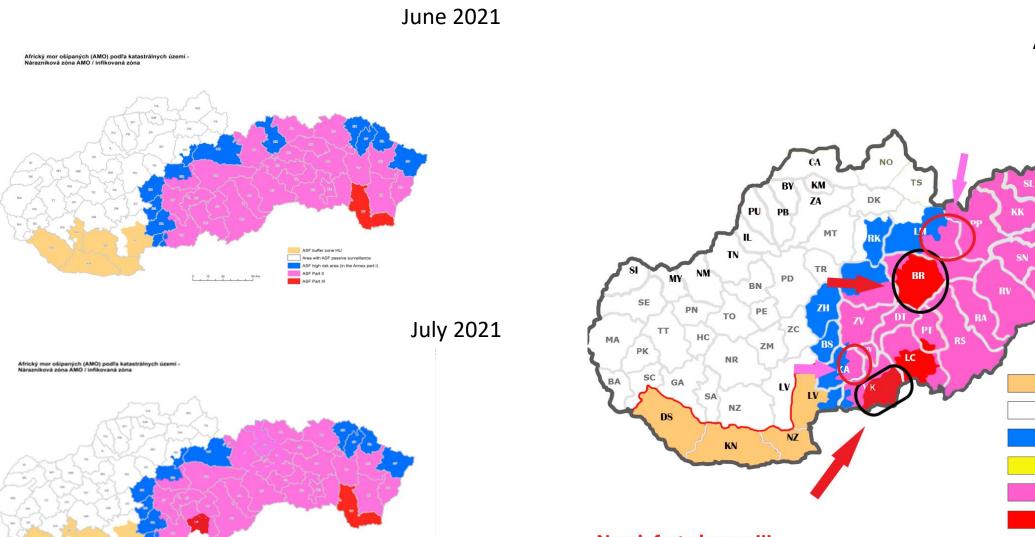


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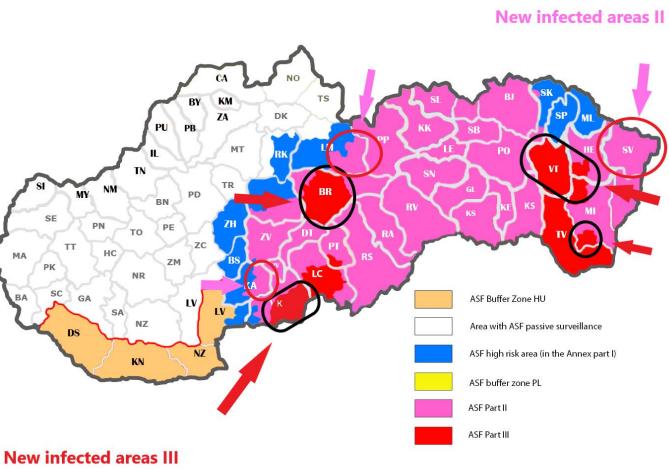


Schematic map of the Slovak territory – from June to September, 20 2021

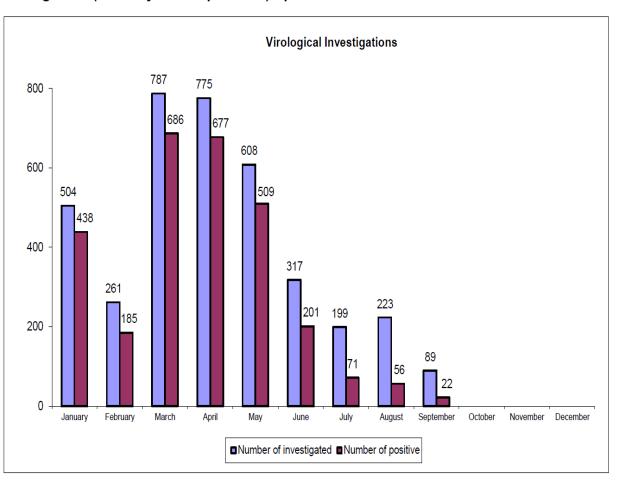


Area with ASF passive surveillance ASF high risk area (in the Annex part I)

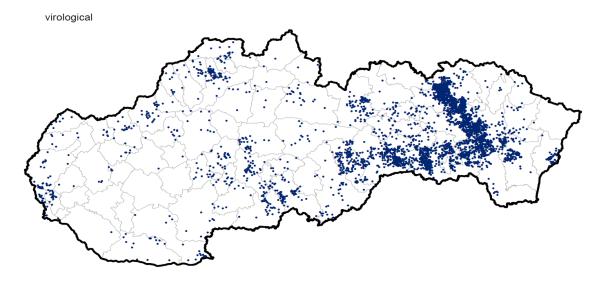
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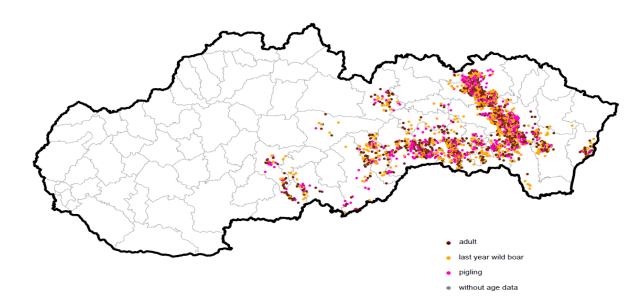
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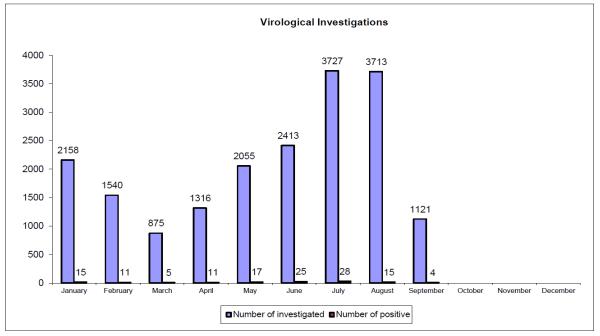
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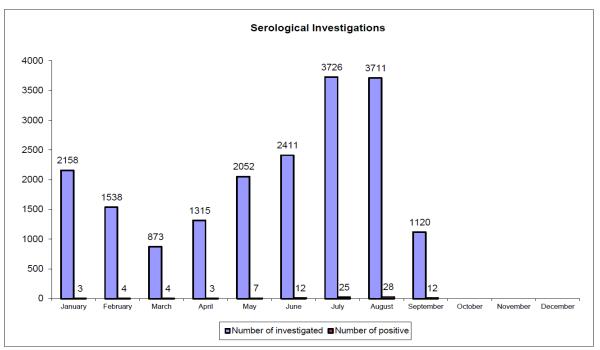


Geographical distribution of wild boars samples positive for ASF virus in Slovakia during 2021 (January - 10 September) - passive surveillance



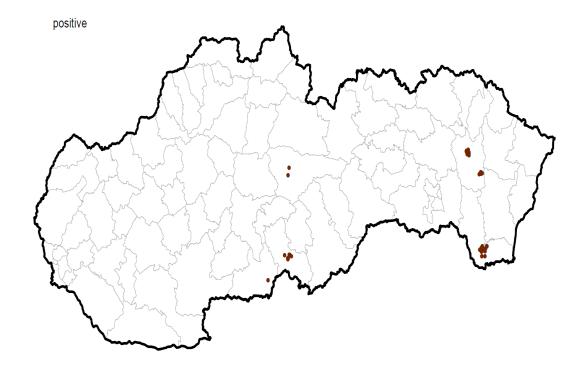
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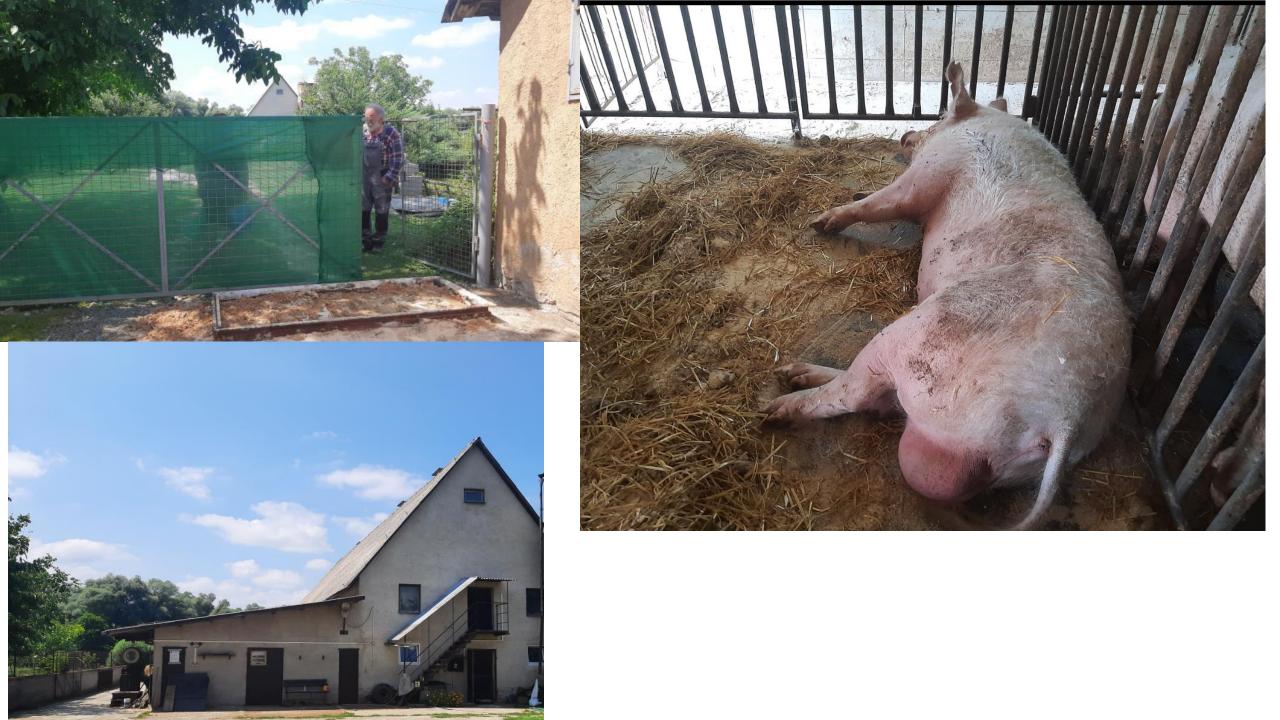


ASF in domestic pigs

- June 2021 the first ASF outbreak in 2021, one big commercial farm in Lučenec district
- July 2021
 - 4 ASF outbraks, small commercial and non-commercial holdings (all farms less than 100 pigs)
 - In the districts Brezno, Veľký Krtíš and Vranov n/T disease never occured before
- August 2021 2 ASF outbreaks in small commercial and non-commercial holdings (all farms less than 25 pigs)
- Last confirmation on 4.8.2021
- From 4.8. 2021 until now **ASF was not detected in domestic pigs**
- Protection zone and surveillance zone demarcated
- The veterinary measures in force in accordance with relevant legislation the movement of pigs prohibited
- The depopulation of holdings done immediately after confirmation the occurrence /the presencxe of virus in the holdings



Outbreak	Confirmation	No. of pigs
No.		in the farm
1.	22.06.2021	8143
2.	27.07.2021	2
3.	29.07.2021	11
4.	29.07.2021	94
5.	30.07.2021	8
6.	04.08.2021	3
7.	04.08.2021	23

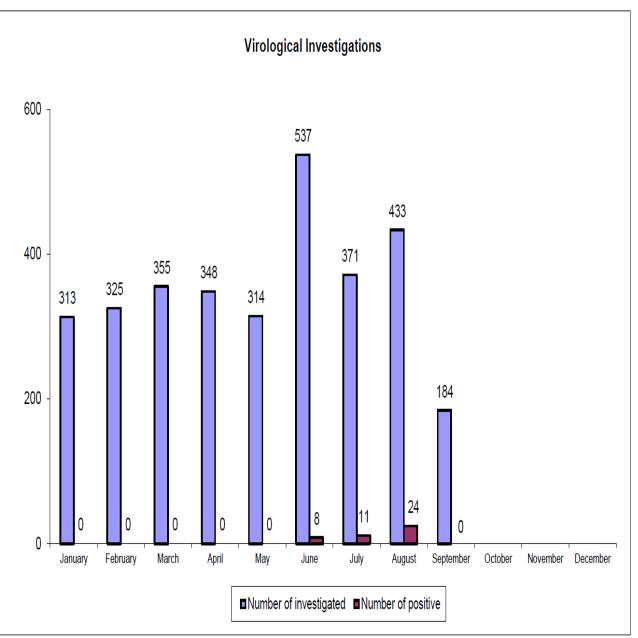


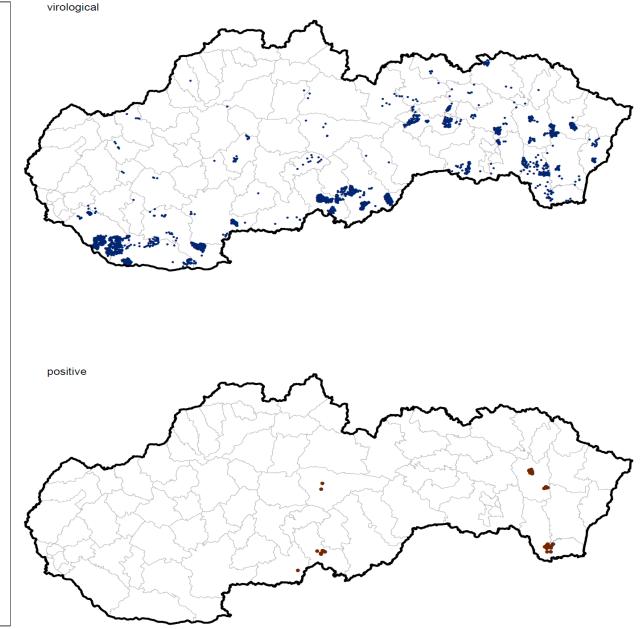
ASF in domestic pigs

- ASF monitoring in place every week (2 samples)
- All ASF positive results were detected by death pigs
- Movement pigs from the farms only slovak slaughterhouses (more than 1 month before introduction of ASFV)
- No movement of pigs from the farm into the MS
- High level of biosecurity in the commercial farms, lower level of biosecurity in the non-commercial farms

Laboratory Investigations of ASF in domestic pigs in Slovakia during 2021 (January - 10 September)

Geographical distribution of samples submitted for ASF virus investigation in domestic swine in Slovakia during 2021 (January - 10 September)





Summary - wild boars

- 3 further updates of zones in two new districts (L.Mikuláš, Snina)
- In new infected area measures adapted as necessary for part II hunting grounds, pigs holdings)
- Trainings of hunters in place on the whole territory of Slovakia (ASF topic a part of the agenda)

Summary – domestic pigS

- All veterinary measures in outbreak, protection zone and surveillance zone – in force/ordered/adopted
- New infected zone III in region V. Krtíš, Brezno, Vranov n/T, Michalovce and Humenné established
- Eradication of ASF outbreak in all cases finished
- Clinical examination and sampling in the protection/surveillance zones – in progress
- No further ASF outbreak (from 4.8.2021 till now)

Acitivities and competences of the SVFA/CVO

- New extraordinary veterinary measures ordered by CVO management of ASF
- Very intensive campaign in the free areas in order to reduce the population of WB closely to 0 (0,3-0,5 od WB /km2)
- The distribution of cooling boxes for hunting grounds further round of distribution in progress
- Very intensive information campaign and the meetings of expert group consisting from big farmers, hunters associations, veterinarians – organised by State Veterinary and Food Administration and the Ministry of Agriculture – in order to highlight to the parties involved their task and role in the process of ASF management (3 meetings)
- Special meeting of State Veterinary and Food Administration and the representatives of central database organised the goal: improvement of the system of registration and clear overview of the pig holding categorisation
- The check of summary of controls of biological safety of holding carried out by official vets at district level in progress
- Exchange of information- seminar of ASF organised by AT colleagues- very comprehensive and useful exchange of views- will be summarised by memorandum of cooperation and experience sharing (by the end of September 2021– participated countries-AT, CZ, SK, HU)
- And ...the reply of SK authorities to the recommendations expressed by EC auditors as a consequence of ASF remote audit carried out in Slovakia In February /March 2021 by Directorate F DG SANTE

Thank you for your attention