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Eradication: Final report for Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies 2019

For each approved annual or multi-annual programme Member States shall submit to the Commission by the 30 April each year an annual detailed technical and financial report covering the previous year. That report shall include the results achieved and a detailed account of eligible costs incurred (Art 14 of Regulation (EU) No 652/2014).

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Reporting period

From: 2019

To: 2019

Year of implementation: 2019

1. Technical implementation of the programme

1.1 Description and evaluation of the evolution of the epidemiological situation, the technical implementation of the activities foreseen under the programme and the cost-effectiveness of the programme.

BSE

The examination of the bovines for the BSE is carried out in Romania with the application of the provisions of the art. 6, indent 1 and according to Annex III, Chapter A paragraph I no.2 and 3 of Regulation 999/2001 regarding the establishing of the prevention, control, eradication rules of some transmissible spongiform encephalopathies.

In Romania between 1 January - 31 December 2019 there were examined for BSE a number of 112.691 bovines, all with negative results.

The results of the active and passive surveillance activity for BSE, the monitoring of the bovine flocks, the clinical and laboratory investigations undertaken in 2019 did not show the presence of bovine spongiform encephalopathy in Romania.

The number of healthy bovine slaughtered tested has decreased, the number of risk animals tested remained at the level of 2018, although targets were set to be reached by each county and checks were performed each month in order to reach the targets set out at the beginning of the year, but it was a difficult year due ASF evolution and a lot of the personnel was involved in ASF eradication.

TSE

The examination of ovines and caprines to identify the presence of scrapia is carried out in Romania

according to the provisions of Article 6, paragraph 1 and according to Annex III Chapter A paragraph II, no. 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Regulation No 999/2001 regarding the establishing of the prevention, control and eradication rules of some transmissible spongiform encephalopathies.

During 1 January - 31 December 2019 the disease was notified in 8 counties, being found 24 outbreaks in which 141 diagnosed and confirmed cases were registered, all classical scrapie.

1.2 Details on the level of achievement of the targets set in the approved programme and technical difficulties.

We are still facing problems with the collection of fallen stock from backyards farms, situation which conducts to a lower sampling from eligible fallen stock, but still there is an improvement of the situation.

1.3 Epidemiological maps for infection and other relevant data on the disease/activities (information on serotypes involved,...) (Please attach files of data using the PDF attachment feature) Use the textbox below to provide clarifications for the maps you attach, if needed.

see attachment

2. Tables for TSE monitoring outcome of the year

VERY IMPORTANT: Please fill out the following tables with figures corresponding to measures performed during the implementing period (1/1 to 31/12).

NB: the Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 is thereafter quoted as the TSE Regulation.

Table A

	Total positive cases detected during the implementing period		
	Classical cases	Atypical cases	Unknown
TSE	0	0	0
Scrapie (ovine animals)	141	0	0
Scrapie (caprine animals)	0	0	0

Table B

RAPID TESTS ON BOVINE ANIMALS		
	Age limit applied (in months)	Number of tests cases
Risk bovine animals from MSs listed in Annex to Decision 2009/719/EC	24	585
Risk bovine animals from MSs NOT listed in Annex to Decision 2009/719/EC	24	8,238
Healthy slaughtered bovine animals from MSs listed in Annex to Decision 2009/719/EC	30	4,490
Healthy slaughtered bovine animals from MSs NOT listed in Annex to Decision 2009/719/EC	30	108,125
Suspect animals and confirmatory tests		65
Total		121,503

Table C

Population of ewes and ewe lambs put to the ram in the Member State

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RAPID TESTS ON OVINE ANIMALS	
	Number of tests
Healthy slaughtered ovine animals	15,181
Dead ovine animals	19,188
In the context of measures of control/eradication on holdings affected by TSE as described in Annexes III and VII of the TSE regulation	
Ovine animals from holdings affected by classical scrapie	8,991
Ovine animals from holdings affected by atypical scrapie	0
Ovine animals from holdings affected by BSE	0
Suspect animals	23
Total number of tests	43,383

Table D

RAPID TESTS ON CAPRINE ANIMALS	
	Number of tests
Healthy slaughtered caprine animals	28,504
Dead caprine animals	7,580
In the context of measures of control/eradication on holdings affected by TSE as described in Annexes III and VII of the TSE regulation	
Caprine animals from holdings affected by classical scrapie	0
Caprine animals from holdings affected by atypical scrapie	0
Caprine animals from holdings affected by BSE	0
Suspect animals	1
Total number of tests	36,085

Table E

Confirmatory and discriminatory tests	
	Number of tests
Confirmatory tests other than rapid tests on bovine animals	73
Confirmatory tests on ovine and caprine animals	165
Discriminatory tests on bovine animals	0
Discriminatory tests on ovine and caprine animals	141
Total number of confirmatory tests	238
Total number of discriminatory tests	141

Table F

Genotyping tests	
	Number of tests
Positive TSE case	129
Randomly selected ovine animals	0
Animals in scrapie infected flocks	2,725
Breeding programme - ewes	569
Breeding programme - rams	1,088
Total of number of tests	4,511

Table G

COMPENSATION FOR ANIMALS In the context of suspicion, control and eradication of TSEs	
Animals culled and destroyed	Number of animals compensated
Bovine animals	0
Ovine animals	0
Caprine animals	0
Animals slaughtered	Number of animals compensated
Ovine animals	8,991
Caprine animals	0
Total Bovine	0
Total Ovine + Caprine	8,991

COMMENT / ADDITIONAL CLARIFICATION

