

Epidemiological situation regarding Highly

Pathogenic Avian Influenza in Romania

Meeting of the Standing Committee of Plants, Animals, Food and Feed



Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza in Romania 2022

Poultry

•February 2022

•1 HPAI H5N1 outbreak in non - commercial farm (backyard) - Ialomita county

•March 2022

- •1HPAI H5N1 outbreak in a laying hens commercial farm Giurgiu county
- •1HPAI H5N1 outbreak in a non- commerciall farm (backyard) Giurgiu county

Wild Birds

- •13 HPAI H5N1 cases in 5 counties:
- Cluj county (3 cases)
- Tulcea county (1 case)
- Galati county (1 case)
- •lalomita county (1 case)
- Neamt county (4 cases)
- Constanta county (2 cases)
- Braila county (1 case)



Primary outbreak - No 1

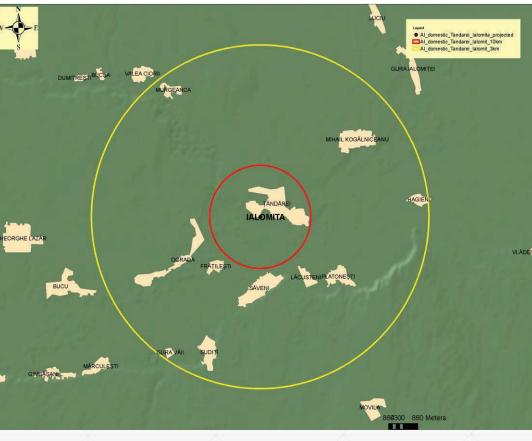
- Locality Tandarei, lalomita County
- Affected holding:
 - Non-commercial (backyard)
 - 47 hens
 - 9 ducks
 - 5 geese
 - 2 guineeafowl



Possible source of infection – wild birds;



NRL confirmed of H5N1 - 11 February 2022



 All measures provided in the Regulation 2020/687/EC have been implemented including the killing of all poultry in the affected backyard, and the protection and surveillance zones ar in place;





Primary outbreak - No 2

NRL confirmed HPAI H5N1 - 18 March 2022





Primary outbreak - No 2

- Locality Branistea, Giurgiu County
- Affected holding:
 - Laying hens commercial farm
 - 5 poultry hoses populated
 - 33925 hens

• 100% mortality in one poultry house (17-18.03)

NRL confirmed
HPAI H5N1 18 March 2022



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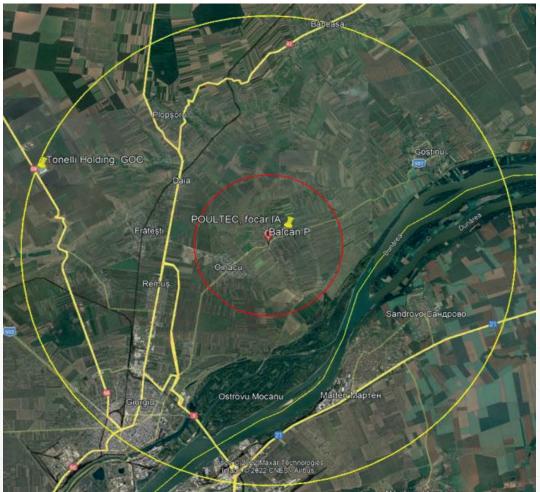
Primary outbreak - No 3

- Locality Branistea, Giurgiu County
- Affected holding:
 - Non-commercial (backyard)
 - 47 hens
 - 48 quails
 - 2 ducks
 - 2 phaesants
 - 1 guineeafowl

• The protection and surveillance zones are the same as for the previous outbreak in Giurgiu county (outbreak no.2)

NRL confirmed HPAI H5N1 28 March 2022







Primary outbreak - No 3

Locality - Branistea, Giurgiu County



Possible source of infection – wild birds;





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Prevention for 2022

At national level – increased biosecurity controls on poultry farms are ongoing



