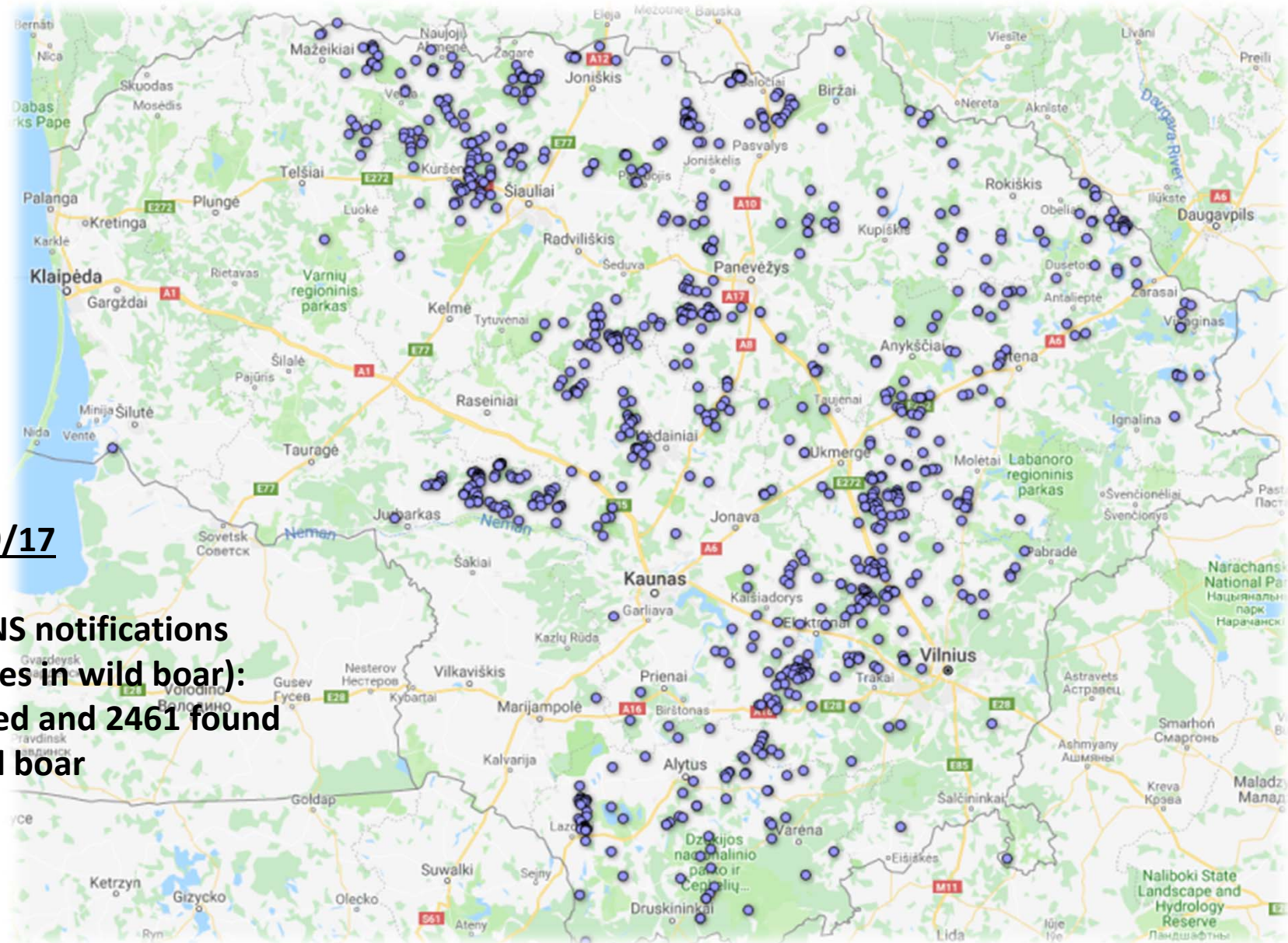




# UPDATE ON AFRICAN SWINE FEVER SITUATION IN LITHUANIA

State Food and Veterinary Service  
PAFF, 19/09/2018

# ASF in wild boars in 2018

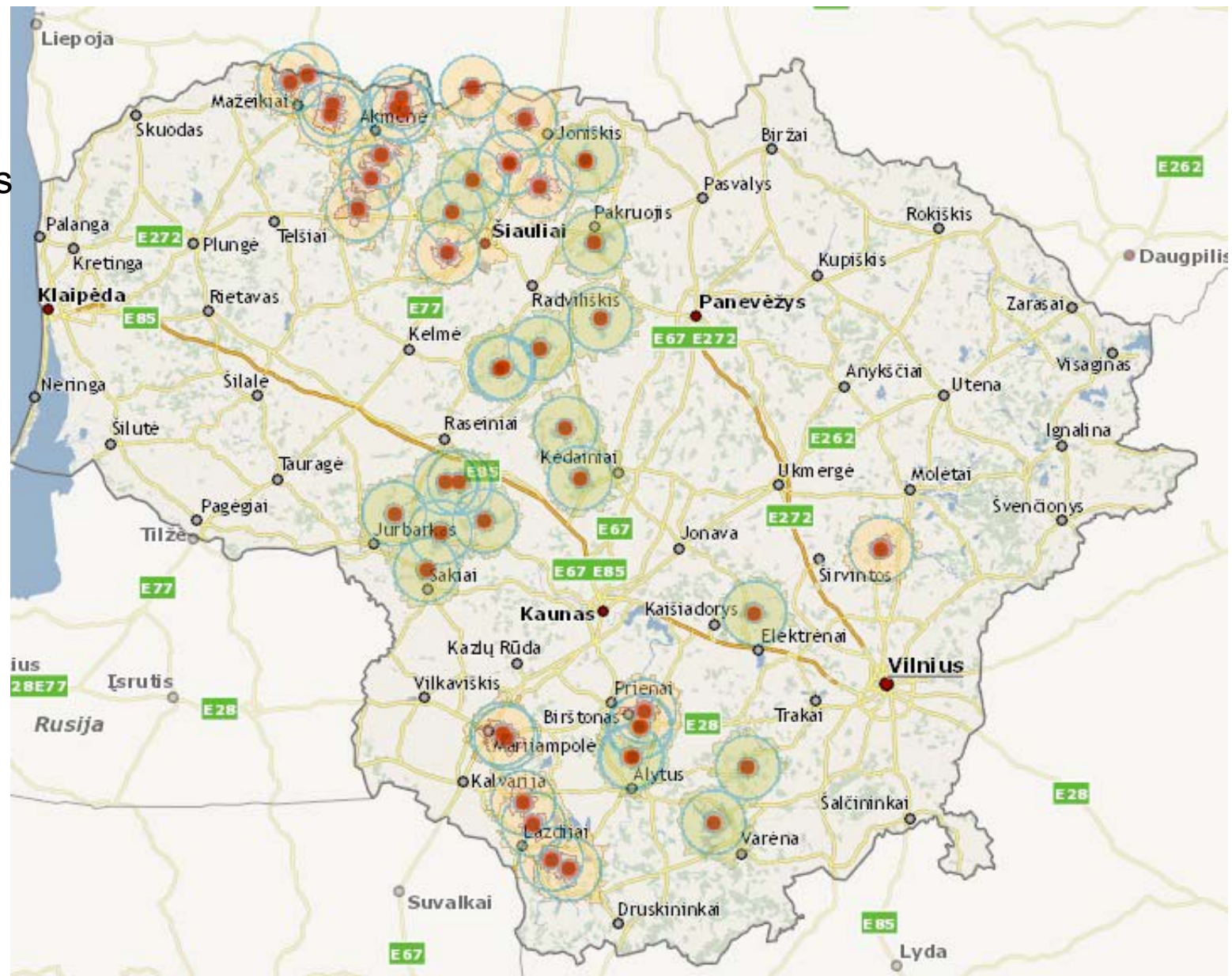


**\*2018/09/17**

**1220 ADNS notifications  
(2749 cases in wild boar):  
288 hunted and 2461 found  
dead wild boar**

# ASF in domestic pigs in 2018

49 outbreaks:  
-5 in commercial  
farms  
-44 in back yards



# Largest ASF outbreak in 2018

## ADNS No.41, 2018-08-06

- Farm with **20171** pigs kept;
- Within 3 days 24 fattening pig died in one stable. Random 12 samples were taken from dead pigs and delivered for testing.
- ASF was confirmed using RT-PCR in 11 out of 12 tested dead pigs;



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# Outbreak in commercial farm

- The farm comply with high biosecurity requirements;
- The first wild boar case in the 10 km radius has been confirmed on July 12<sup>th</sup>;
- Experts from Germany were invited for epidemiological investigation.



# Outbreak in commercial farm

Two main hypothesis of ASF introduction in to the farm:

- With possibly contaminated transport;
- Through human factor.



# Measures applied

- All the measures in accordance with Council Directive 2002/60/EC of 27 June 2002 laying down specific provisions for the control of African swine fever and amending Directive 92/119/EEC as regards Teschen disease and African swine fever have been taken;
- 3 km protection and 10 km surveillance zones were established in accordance with Directive 2002/60;
- All pig keepers have been inspected and census of pigs has been carried out in the protection and surveillance zones;
- In a case of home slaughter, samples are taken for ASF.

# Lithuania ASF training and knowledge centre kindly invite experts to the workshop

- Next week (24-27 of September) Lithuania organizing workshop  
*„African swine fever. Practical experience and field exercise,,*
- ***During workshop:***
  - **Field visit** (Collection of dead wild boar, Biosafety on dead wild boar disposal, Samples management system, Visit in hunting bag. Meeting with a hunters);
  - **Practical work** (Autopsy technique for domestic pigs. Which samples to take to diagnose ASF. Sampling from Pathological anatomy and histology unit to other unit. Samples preparation for testing);
  - **Field visit** (Dressing and sampling of hunted wild boar, Sampling of hunted wild boar in dressing area, Biosafety awareness to hunter).
  - \*French delegation postponed visit and:

**We have 5 free seats available**

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Thank you for your attention!