



African Swine Fever in Greece

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Outbreaks of ASF in Greece January – February 2024



WILD BOAR (9 outbreaks)

ASF_2: 15 January 2024

Dead male, 2-6 years old

Choumniko Municipal Department, Visaltia Municipality, *Serres RU*

ASF_3: 23 January 2024

Dead female, <1 year old

Thiriopetra Municipal Department, Almopia Municipality, *Pella RU*

ASF_4: 31 January 2024

Dead male, 2-6 years old

Notia Municipal Department, Almopia Municipality, *Pella RU*

ASF_5: 31 January 2024

Dead 2 females (<1 year old and 1-2 years old)

Notia Municipal Department, Almopia Municipality, *Pella RU*

ASF_6: 5 February 2024

Dead male, >6 years old

Vamvakia village, Volvi Municipality, *Thessaloniki RU*

ASF_8: 12 February 2024

Male, >6 years old

Stefanina village, Volvi Municipality, *Thessaloniki RU*

ASF_9: 12 February 2024

Dead 2 females, <1 year old

Konstantia Municipal Department, Almopia Municipality, *Pella RU*

ASF_10: 13 February 2024

Dead 2 females, <1 year old

Konstantia Municipal Department, Almopia Municipality, *Pella RU*

ASF_11: 26 February 2024 (inside restricted zone I)

Hunted female, 2-6 years old

Leukonas Municipal Department, Serres Municipality, *Serres RU*

DOMESTIC PIGS (2 outbreaks)

ASF_1: 11 January 2024

Outdoor farm, 174 black pigs,

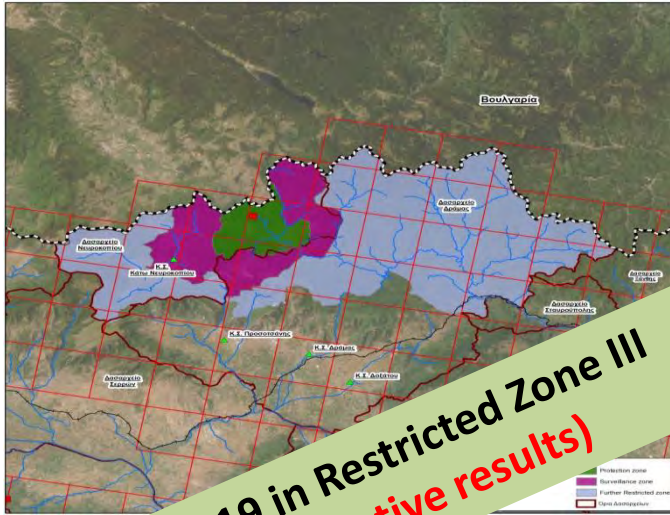
Pagoneri Municipal Department, Kato Nevrokopi Municipality, *Drama RU*

ASF_7: 12 February 2024

Outdoor farm, 491 black pigs

Stefanina village, Volvi Municipality, *Thessaloniki RU*

ASF in Greece – Drama RU

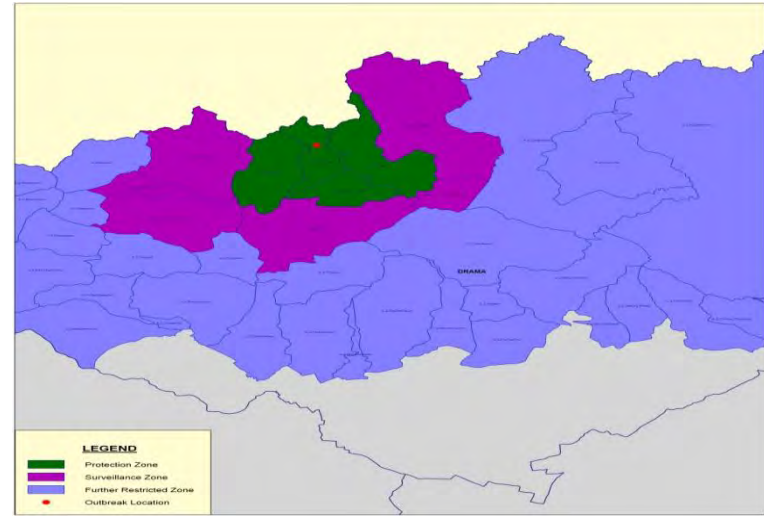


**19 in Restricted Zone III
(negative results)**

**Wild boar
Hunted 2024**

	Wild boar habitat (Km ²)	Estimate number of wild boar
Protection Zone	145	950
Surveillance Zone	363	1600
Further Restricted Zone	1517	6800

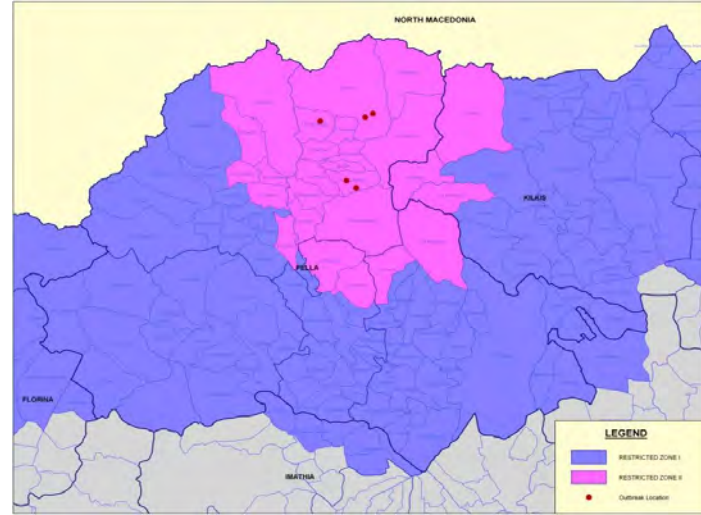
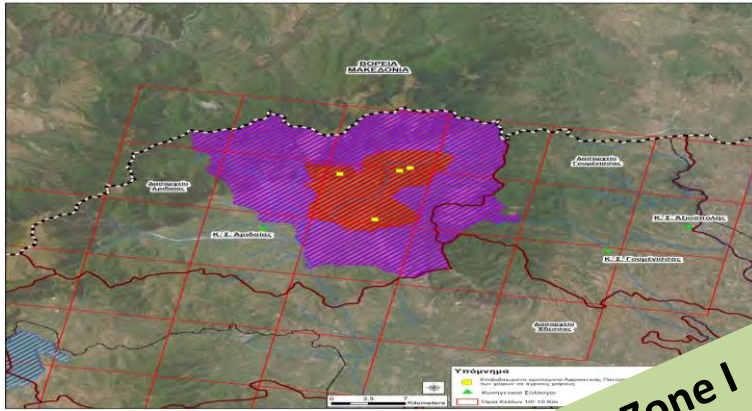
Forestry Services	Hunting Clubs	Potential number of hunting groups
Drama	Doxato, Drama, Prosotsani	29
Nevrokopi	Kato Nevrokopi	13
	TOTAL:	42



Preventive Culling (was done)				
	Boar	Sows	Fattening	Piglets
2 outdoors	2	49	17	85

Preventive Culling (to be done)			
	Boar	Sows	Fattening
2 outdoors	5	7	4
3 backyards	1	3	11

ASF in Greece - Pella RU



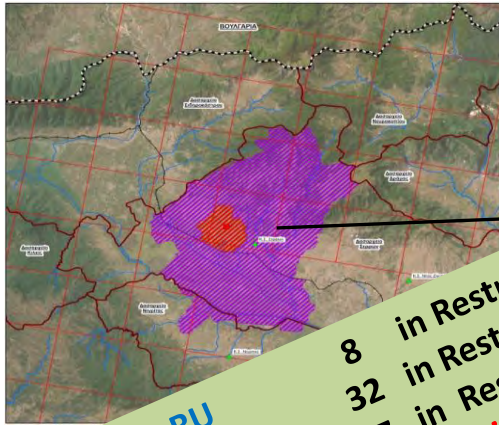
Wild boar Hunted 2024
60 in Restricted Zone I
(negative results)

	Wild boar habitat (Km ²)	Estimated number of wild boar
Core	70,6	320
Buffer zone	374,5	1690

Forestry Services	Hunting Clubs	Potential number of hunting groups
Aridea	Aridea	18
Goumenissa	Axioupoli, Goumenissa	24
	TOTAL:	42

Pella RU	No of holdings	No of holdings checked	No of animals	No of animals checked
Restricted Zone I	17	17	4865	4865
Restricted Zone II	7	6	368	135

ASF in Greece –Serres /Thessaloniki RU

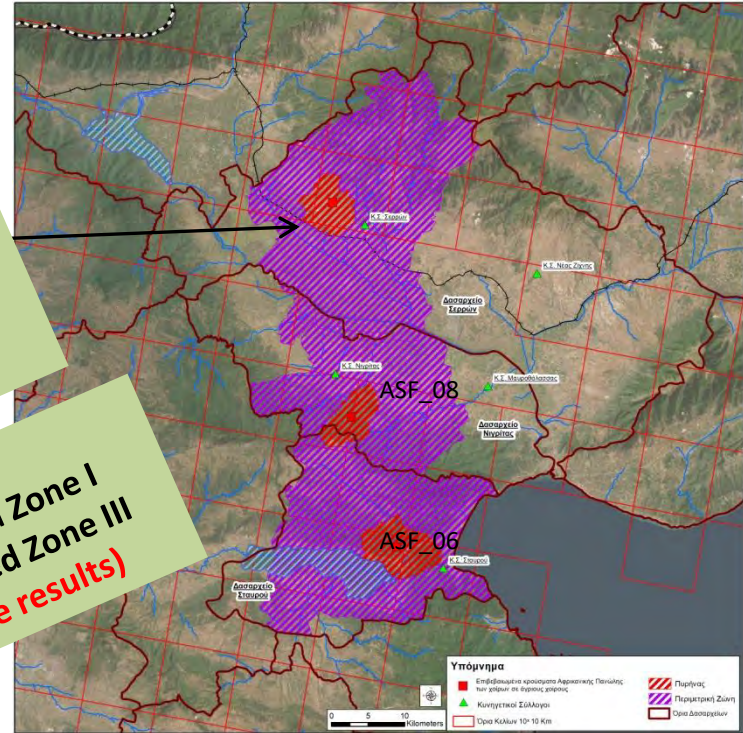


Serres RU
Wild boar
Hunted 2024

8 in Restricted Zone I
32 in Restricted Zone II
7 in Restricted Zone III
(negative results)

Thessaloniki RU
Wild boar
Hunted 2024

1 in Restricted Zone I
86 in Restricted Zone III
(negative results)



Thessaloniki RU	No of holdings	No of holdings checked	No of animals	No of animals checked
Restricted Zone III	11	10	3182	2271

	Wild boar habitat (Km ²)	Estimated number of wild boar
Core	43	190
Buffer Zone	242	1100
Forestry Services	Hunting Clubs	Potential number of hunting groups
Nigrita	Mavrothalassa, Nigrita	13
Stavros	-	-
TOTAL:		13



***ASF in Greece
Sustained Training Mission
Serres Regional Unit
12 - 15 March 2024***



- ✓ **12.03.2024 Hunters, Forestry authorities (47)**
- ✓ **13-14.03.2024 Veterinarians (45)**
- ✓ **15.03.2024 Pig farmers (27)**



Results from Passive and Active Surveillance in Wild Boar

Category	No. of samples 2024
Found dead	11 (10 positive)
Road Accident	1
Hunted	503 (1 positive)

Results from Passive Surveillance in domestic pigs

<i>Year</i>	<i>No of samples tested for ASFV</i>	<i>Results</i>
2024	201	36 Positive

Results from Active Surveillance in domestic pigs

<i>Year</i>	<i>No of samples tested for ASFV</i>	<i>Results</i>
2024	165	0



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*...Thank you very much for your
attention*

