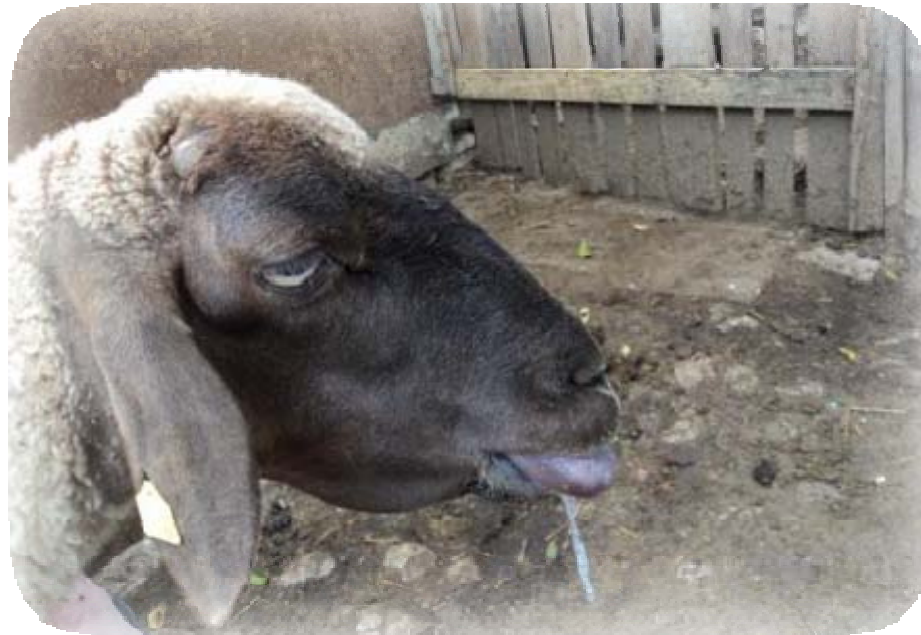




# **Bluetongue in Bulgaria**

## **Epidemiological situation and** **control measures**



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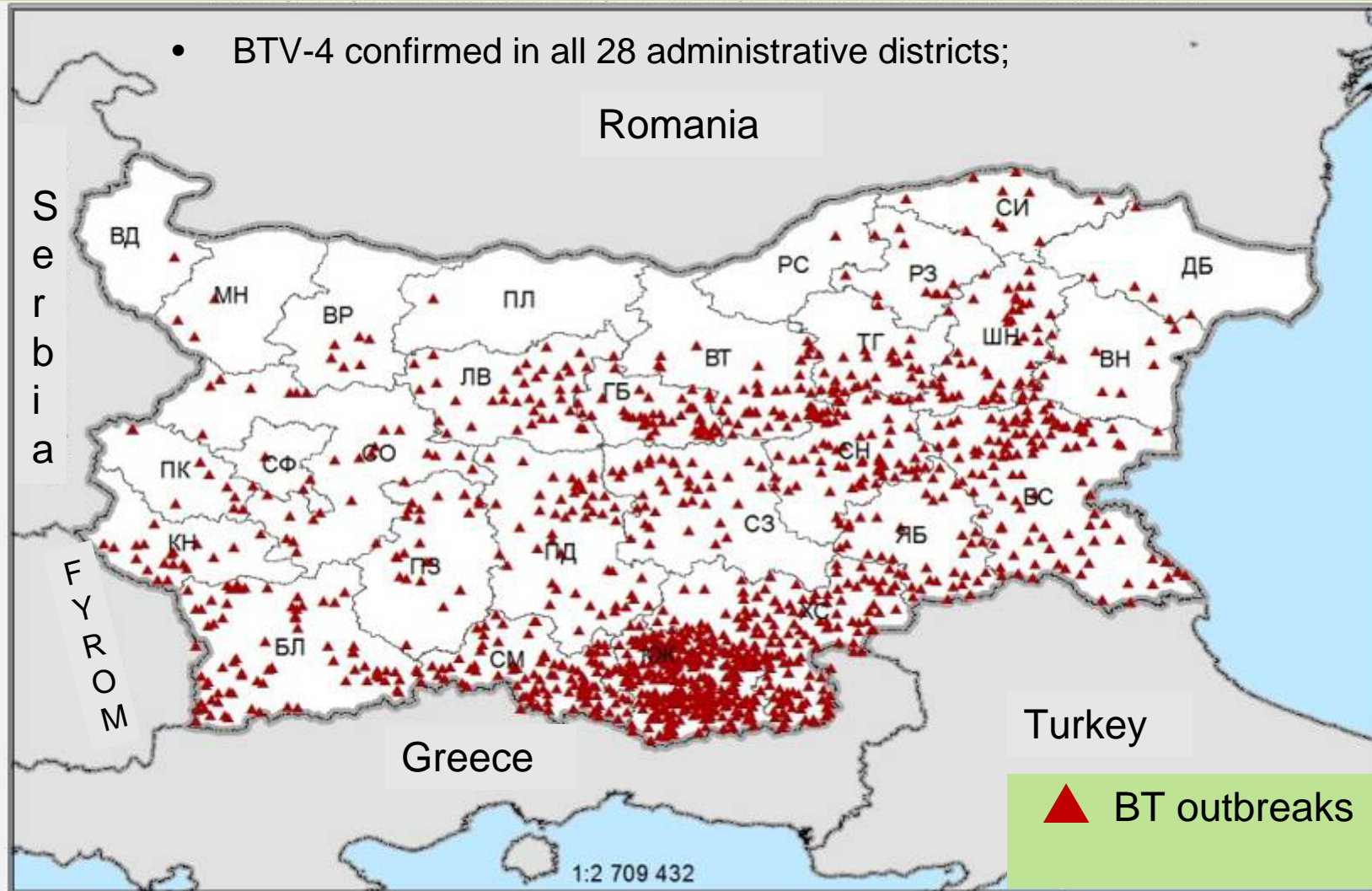
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# Updated BT outbreaks by 31 Oct 2014

BT distribution per regions for the period 04 Jul – 31 Oct 2014

- BTV-4 confirmed in all 28 administrative districts;





# Data on infected herds and animals

Reporting period: 04 July – 31 October 2014

	<b>Bovines</b>	<b>Goats</b>	<b>Sheep</b>
Total number of herds	83747	49816	86266
Total number of animals	632553	383755	1558222
Infected herds	799	389	6008
Number of animals in the infected herds	25815	12095	532870
Fallen stock/Culled animals	405	246	26757



# Ongoing actions

- Revised and submitted new 2014 BT Programme :
  - Enforced laboratory testing (number of tests increased)
  - Vaccination campaign not foreseen for 2014
- Revised and submitted for approval to EC 2015 BT Programme :
  - Vaccination plan for all susceptible animals
  - New surveillance plan covering the whole country



- On 25 Oct sudden drop of temperatures and first snow;
- Stop of vector activity;
- Decrease in morbidity and mortality.





# Thank you for the attention!



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