

Foot and Mouth disease Measures in Austria

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Active surveillance within zones

- **Surveillane zone** (4 municipalities)
 - First sampling finished – all negative
 - Second round sampling finished
 - Re-examination every week (till May 20)

No farms	No animals	investigated	negative
7	41	41	41



Active surveillance within zones

- **Further restricted zone** (part of 2 Federal states: Lower Austria and Burgenland)
 - 1.103 premises and 82.064 susceptible animals (64,812 pigs, 5,814 sheep, 1,750 goats, 8,813 cattle, 512 other ruminants and 363 camelids)
 - Risk based sampling plan + clinical inspection of all farms with susceptible animals
 - Re-examination every 4 weeks
 - **Up to now: 220 premises are visited and sampled – all samples negative (first round in BGLD is finished)**



FMD suspicions within Austria

- Due to awareness campaigns (12,000 visits to our website daily) we had notifications of suspicions during the last week
 - **8 susceptible premises have been visited and sampled – all samples negative**

Lake Neusiedl – World Heritage Site



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