# **AVIAN INFLUENZA**

#### **EPIDEMIOLOGICAL SITUATION**



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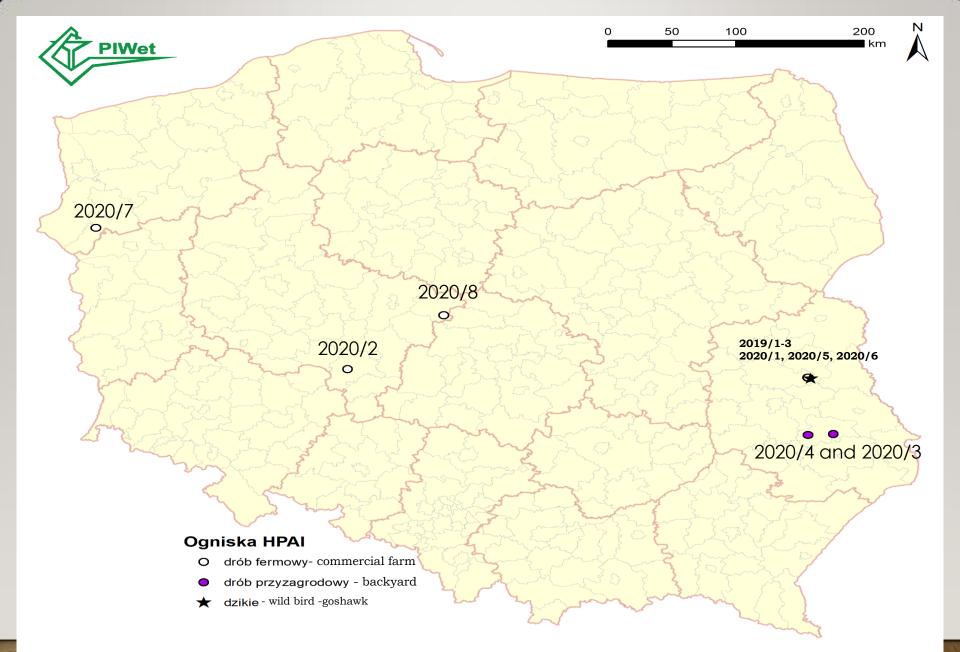
# EPIDEMIOLOGICAL SITUATION 2019/2020

Number of outbreaks of HPAI in Poland – **3 regions**:

- WIELKOPOLSKIE 2
- LUBELSKIE 8
- ZACHODNIOPOMORSKIE 1



3 outbreaks in 2019 – lubelskie region 8 outbreaks in 2020



# FIRST OUTBREAK: 2019/1

- Herd of turkeys 12089 14 week old
- Uścimów municipality, lubartowski district, lubelskie region
- 30.12.2019- increased mortality in herd- samples taken from 5 dead birds
- Confirmed (PCR) 31 December 2019 in NRL
- HPAI: H5N8
- No sale
- Possible source of virus wild birds- water reservoirs in the area
- Preliminary C&D -02.01.2020

#### 2019/2 and 2019/3 secondary to 2019/1 lubelskie region, lubartowski district

#### 2019/2(2)

- Same location as 2019/1 (same village, neighboring farm)
- 9500 turkey 9,5 weeks old
- 31.12.2019- increased mortality in herd
- Confirmed (PCR) 31 December 2019 in NRL
- H5N8
- No sale
- C&D -05.01.2020

#### 2019/3(3)

- Same location as 2019/1 (same village, neighboring farm)
- 20600 turkey -14 weeks old
- 31.12.2019- increased mortality in herd
- Confirmed (PCR) 31 December 2019 in NRL
- H5N8
- No sale
- C&D -05.01.2020

#### 2020/1(4) secondary to 2019/1 lubelskie region, lubartowski district

- Herd of 12900 guinea fowl 7 week old (neighboring farm)
- Uścimów municipality, lubartowski district, Lubelskie region
- 31.12.2019- increased mortality in herd- samples taken 01.01.2020
- Confirmed (PCR) 2 January 2020 in NRL
- HPAI: H5N8
- No sale
- C&D -05.01.2020

2020/5 AND 2020/6 secondary to 2019/1 (neighboring farms) lubelskie region

#### 2020/5(8)

- Herd of 13 186 turkeys- 9 week old
- Uścimów municipality, lubartowski district, Lubelskie region
- Notification on dead animals
- 03.01.2020- sampling
- Confirmed (PCR) 4 January 2020 in NRL
- HPAI: H5N8
- No sale
- C&D -05.01.2020

#### 2020/6(9)

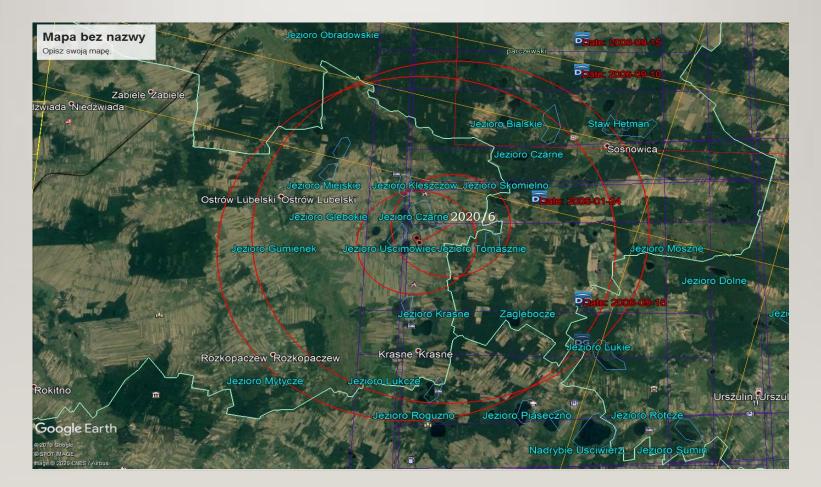
- Herd of 24 000 turkeys -13 weeks old
- Uścimów municipality, lubartowski district, Lubelskie region
- Notification on dead animals
- 04.01.2020- sampling
- Confirmed (PCR) 5 January 2020 in NRL
- HPAI: H5N8
- No sale
- C&D -08.01.2020

#### Outbreaks nos.: 2019/1-3 and 2020/1, 2020/5, 2020/6



#### lubelskie region

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#### lubelskie region, lubartowski district protecion zones

- 28 commercial farms:
- > 16 turkeys for slaughter (including 5 outbreaks),
- > 6 geese for slaughter,
- ▶ 4 geese for slaughter/broilers
- ▶ 1- geese/ducks for slaughter
- > 1- guinea fowl (outbreak no. 2020/1)
- 190 non commercial holdings

#### lubelskie region, lubartowski district surveillance zones

- 13 commercial farms:
- > 3 turkeys for slaughter
- > 3 geese for slaughter,
- > 1 broilers
- ➤ 3 geese/turkey for slaughter
- $\geq 2$  reproductive geese
- ▶ 1 rearing of laying hens
- 595 non commercial holdings

#### lubelskie region, lubartowski district surveillance of wild birds- neighboring area

- Notification of dead goshawk (lubartowski district)- positive
- Notification of dead swan (łęczyński district) negative

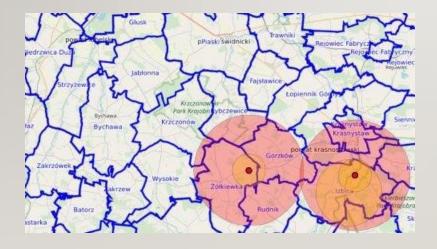
2020/3(6)- lubelskie region, krasnostawski district secondary to 2019/1

- backyard -13 hens, 7 ducks , 16 pigeons and FOXES
- 01.01.2020 clinical signs
- municipality of Izbica, krasnostawski district, lubelskie region
- 02.01.2030 notified to DVO, sampling
- 27-28.12.2019 introduction of animal by-products from turkey farm of outbreak 2019/1 before the suspicion of HPAI;
- Confirmed (PCR) 3 January 2020 in NRL
- HPAI: H5N8
- No sale
- C&D -08.01.2020

#### 2020/4(7) lubelskie region, krasnostawski district

- backyard -43 birds (19 hens, 22 ducks and 3 geese)
- municipality of Żółkiewka, krasnostawski district, lubelskie region
- 02.01.2020-information to DVO on 4 dead birds
- Clinical signs started 31.01.2019;
- Confirmed (PCR) 3 January 2020 in NRL
- HPAI: H5N8
- Possible source wild birds water reservoir in the area
- No sale
- C&D -08.01.2020

#### Outbreaks 2020/3 and 2020/4 lubelskie region krasnostawski district



Protection zones – no commercial farms, ca. 1400 non-commercial holdings

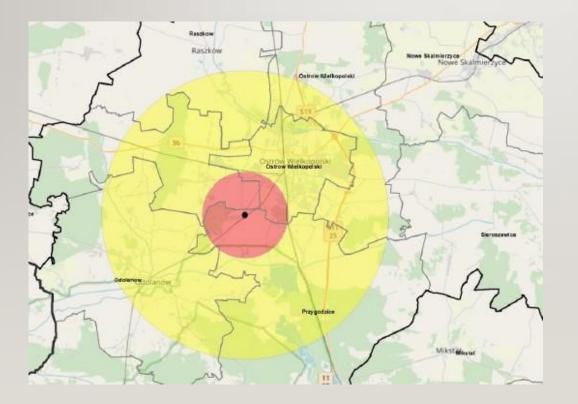
Surveillance zones – 4 farms:

- 1 brojer
- 1 reproductive hens
- 1 rearing hens
- 1 reproductive geese

#### 2020/2 (5) wielkopolskie region

- Herd of 36 069 laying hens 38 weeks old
- municipality of Przygodzice, ostrowski district, wielkopolskie region
- 31.12.2019- increased mortality in herd- samples taken on 02.01.2020
- Confirmed (PCR) 3 January 2020 in NRL
- HPAI: H5N8; source virus environment possibly,
- Eggs from the holding of origin sent before confirmation of the outbreak- part was removed from the market and destroyed, some of the part –sold to final consumer
- No trade within EU
- No notification of dead wild birds in the area,
- C&D -05.01.2020

# 2020/2 (5) wielkopolskie region



Protection zone-10 commercial farms 93 non-commercial holdings,

Surveillance zone-68 commercial farms 997 non-commercial holdings

#### 2020/7(10) zachodniopomorskie region

- 22 629 turkeys -14 weeks old
- municipality of Myślibórz, myśliborski district, in zachodniopomorskie region
- Clinical signs started 08.01.2019;
- Confirmed (PCR) 10 January 2020 in NRL
- HPAI: H5N8
- No sale
- No notification of wild birds found dead
- C&D -18.01.2020

### 2020/7(10) zachodniopomorskie region



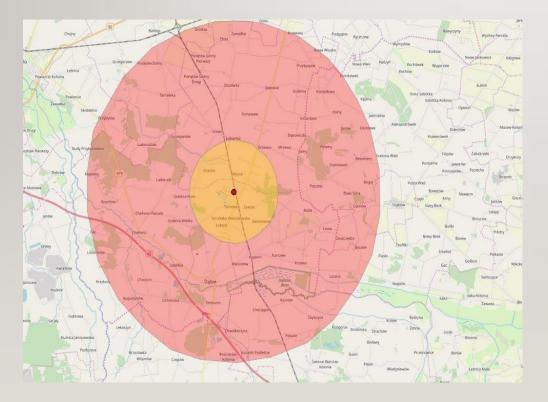
Protection zone – no commercial farms, 57 non-commercial holdings

Surveillance zones – 3 commercial farms Non-commercial holdingscensus in progress

#### 2020/8(11) wielkopolskie region

- Herd of 5595 reproductive geese before reproduction + 20 hens for own consumption
- municipality of Dąbie, kolski district, in wielkopolskie region
- Increased mortality -11.01.2020;
- Sampling-12.01.2020
- Confirmed (PCR) 13 January 2020 in NRL
- HPAI: H5N8
- possible source of virus environment-wild birds
- no sale
- C&D -15.01.2020

# 2020/8(11) wielkopolskie region



protection zone – 5 commerial farms, surveillance zone – 8 commerial farms

non - commercial holdings - census in progress

#### ALL OUBREAKS

Poultry birds were killed and disposed within 48 hours from confirmation

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Cleaning and disinfection was carried out in all farms

# **IMPLEMENTED MEASURES:**

• Measures for combating AI (stamping out, disinfection movement restrictions, etc.) in accordance with Directive 2005/94/EC

- Preventive culling of birds in protection areas (3 km) established around outbreaks (this option is used for some of the outbreaks)
- Additional regulation (applicable to entire territory of PL) of Minister for Agriculture and Rural Development – biosecurity and preventive measures for all holdings
- Awareness campaigns (farmers, hunters)
- Risk assessment
- Biosecurity controls

# measures in zones (<u>protection</u>, <u>surveillance):</u>

- a census of all the holdings;

- fairs, markets, shows or other gatherings of poultry or other captive birds are prohibited;

- any person entering or leaving holdings must apply appropriate biosecurity measures;

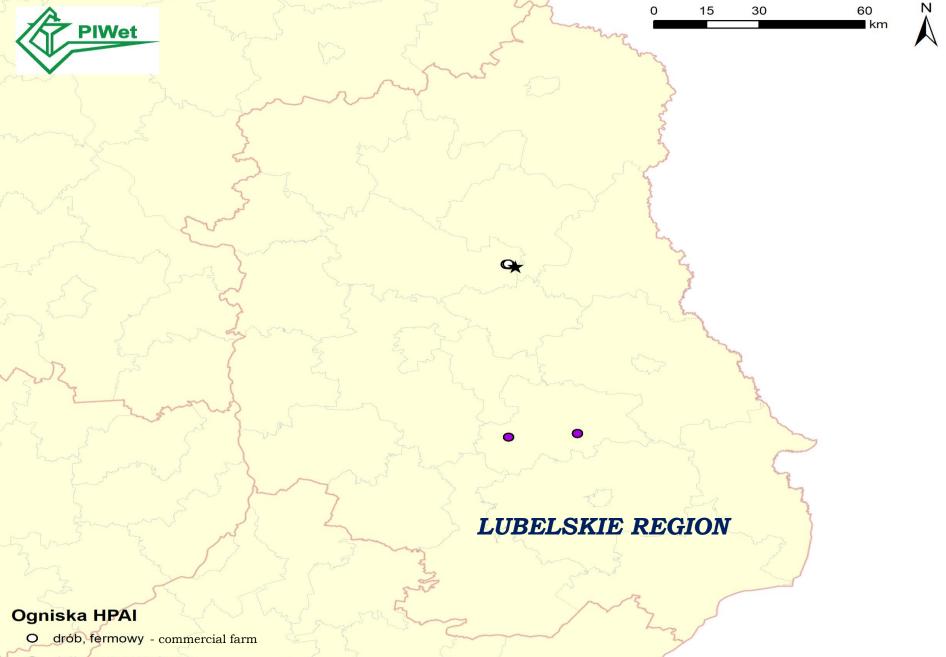
- disinfection of vehicles and equipment used for transporting live poultry or other captive birds, meat, feed, manure, slurry and bedding and any other material or substances likely to be contaminated;

- any increased morbidity or mortality or significant drop in production data in holdings is immediately reported to the competent authority;

## EPIDEMIOLOGICAL SITUATION-WILD BIRDS

cases of HPAI in Poland – <u>1 region</u>:

- lubelskie -1
- goshawk found on 6 January 2020, municipality of Uścimów, lubartowski district, lubelskie voivodship, on the protection area established due to hpai outbreaks in poultry in lubartowski district/ PCR + confirmed in NRL - 7.01.2019
- after detecting the first outbreak of HPAI in poultry on 31 December 31 2019, CVO has recommended to the local competent veterinary authorities to intensify activities related to passive monitoring, in particular regarding wild birds wintering in Poland.



- drób, przyzagrodowy backyard
- ★ dzikie, wild bird -goshawk

#### PASSIVE SURVELLANCE

Testing of sick wild birds and dead poultry, especially wild birds are cover by passive surveilannce as a higher risk of infection and transmission of the virus.

Surveillance is carried out especially in the areas in close proximity of sea, lakes, water reservois, waterways, in particular when there are poultry holdings in the neighborhood.

#### PASSIVE SURVELLANCE

Indication for passive monitoring is increased mortality in wild birds, especially:

a) among 'target species' as well as other birds in contact;

- b) in places of stopping of birds during spring and autumn migration;
- c) in places where a large number of migrating birds of different species mix, mainly 'target species'
- d) in the vicinity of domestic poultry farms / farms;
- e) near migration routes.

# THANK YOU