

Highly pathogenic avian influenza

Current Situation in Germany

SCoPAFF-meeting on 15.12.2022

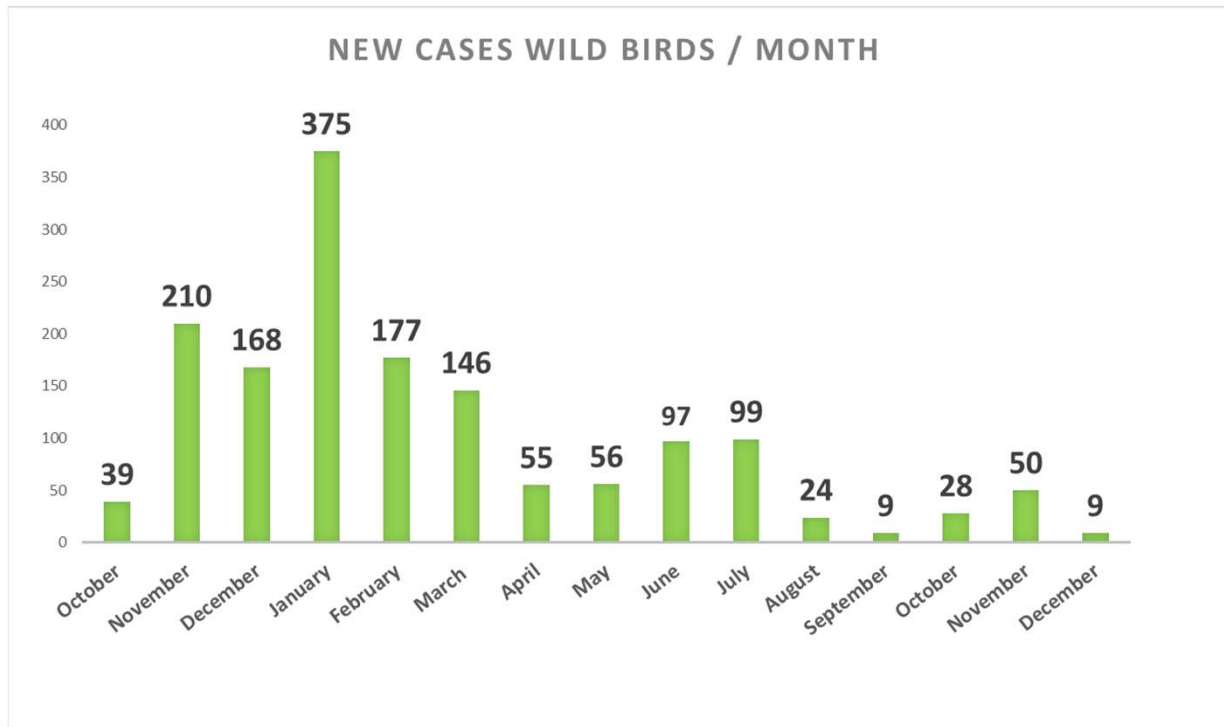
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Wild birds population

Evolution in **wild birds**

No increase of HPAI cases in wild birds in December

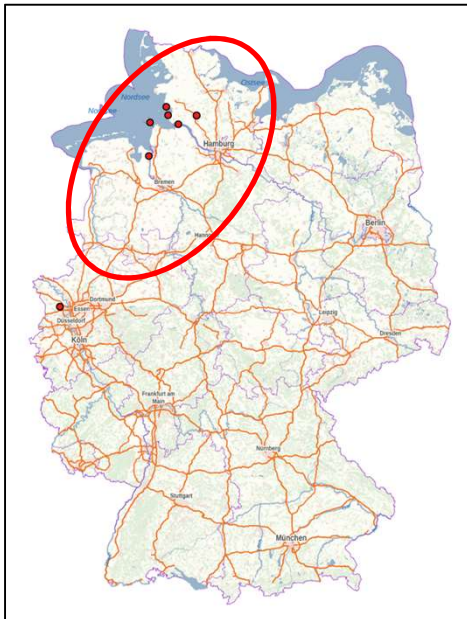


up to
13.12.2022

Situation in wild birds

No increase of the number of cases or of the affected area (up to 13.12.22)

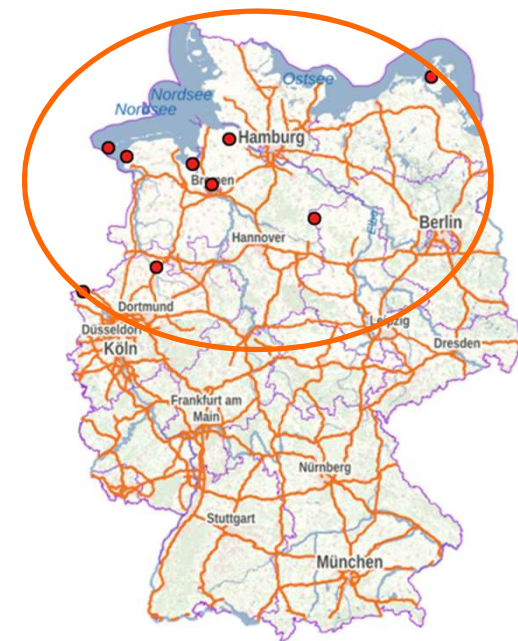
October 2022



November 2022



December 2022

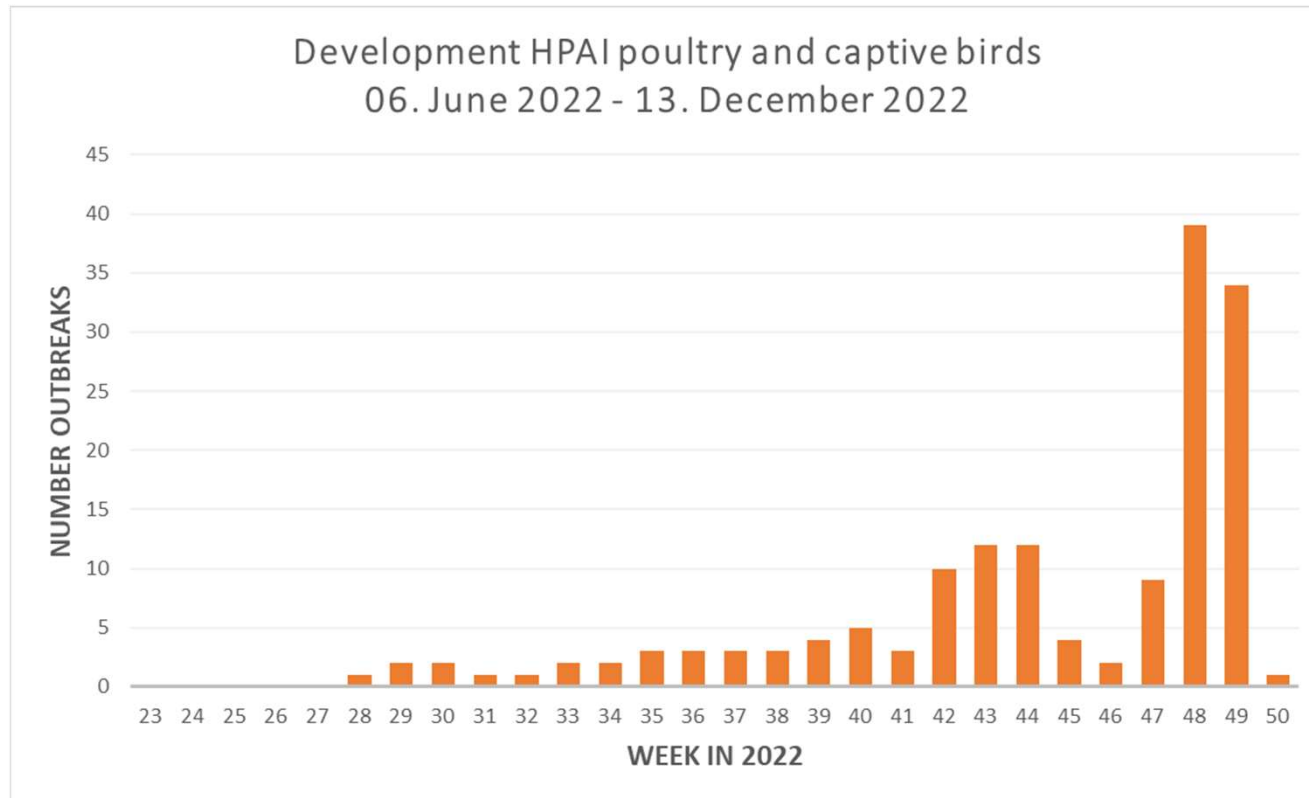


Poultry and captive birds

Situation in **poultry** and **captive birds**

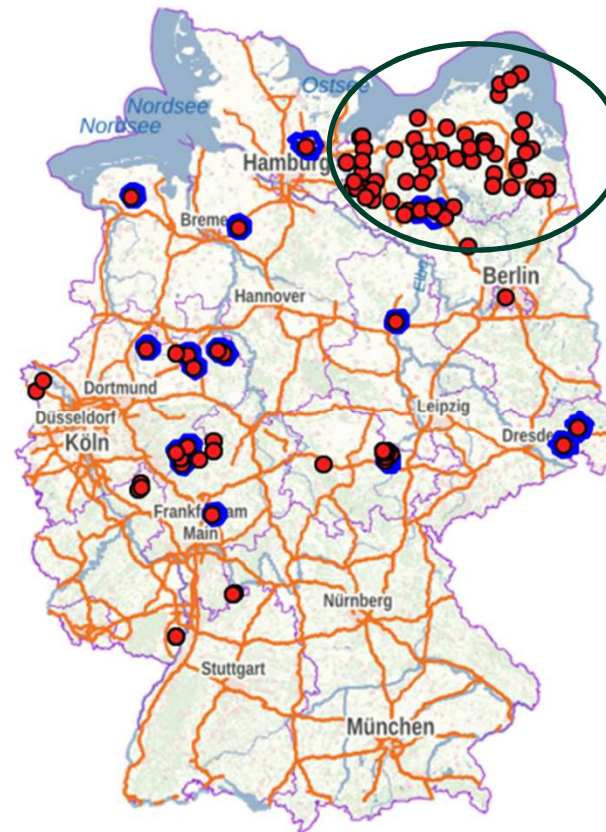
Period of time	Number of outbreaks
Active outbreaks on 13.12.2022 :	102
New from 25.11.2022 (last PAFF) until 13.12.2022:	95
New Season from 15.7.2022 until 13.12.2022:	159 (57 lifted)

Evolution: Poultry and captive birds

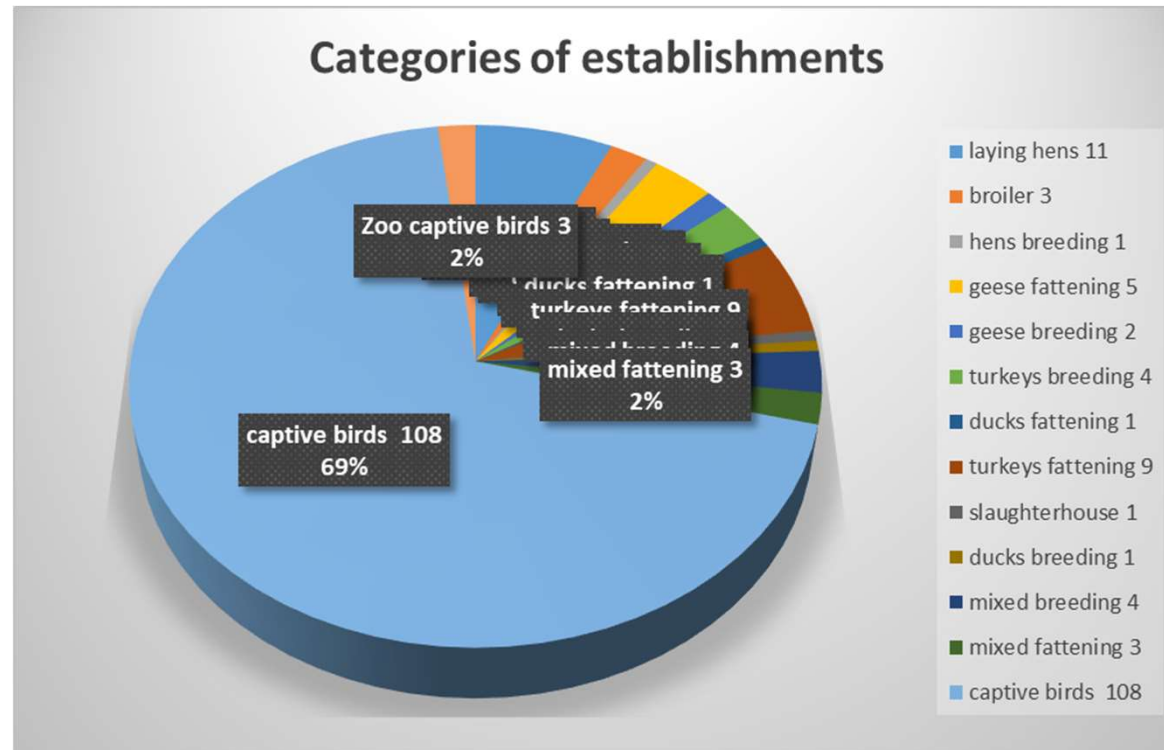


Outbreaks in poultry and captive birds

Particular event:
Exhibition of rare and special
breeds leading to 56
secondary outbreaks in
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania



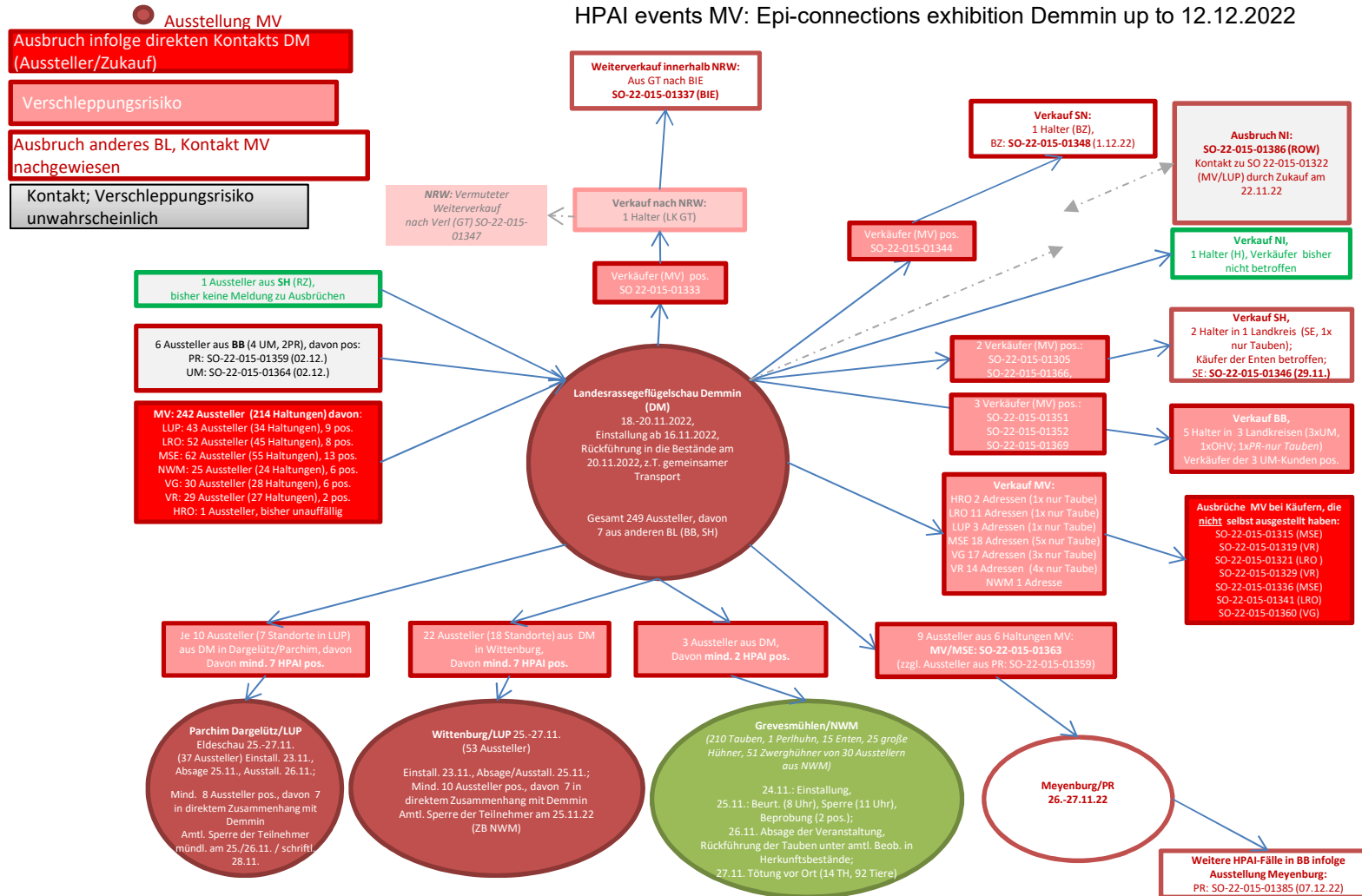
Categories of infected establishments 13.12.2022



Particular event:

- Outbreaks in captive birds after an exhibition of rare and special breeds

HPAI events MV: Epi-connections exhibition Demmin up to 12.12.2022



Outbreaks in captive birds

- 18.11.- 20.11.2022 exhibition in Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania (MV)
- 249 participants, 242 from MV, six from Brandenburg (BB), one from Holstein (SH)
- Index case ADIS DE-HPAI(NON-P)-2022-01271
- All other outbreaks in MV are secondary to the index case
- Huh efforts for the competent authorities
- Outbreaks in other federal states: Four in BB, two in SH, two in North Rhine Westphalia (NW), one in Saxony (SN), one in Lower Saxony (NI)

Measures taken

- All other exhibitions in MV have been cancelled
- Based on the exhibitor and buyer lists for the exhibition all contact herds were immediately subject to official observation by the competent authorities, including the blocking of the respective establishment. Clinical and laboratory examination, record keeping, traceability, biosecurity etc.
- In the event of an outbreak of avian influenza, the flocks were immediately killed and disposed of. Exceptions to the killing of the entire stock were only granted for very few animals. 3.744 birds killed in MV.
- No restriction zones have been set up in MV due to derogations for animals of high genetic, cultural or educational value. The respective decisions are based on an individual case-related risk assessment.

Summary

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- Number of cases in wild birds has not increased significantly at the beginning of December.
- Number of HPAI outbreaks in captive birds increased significantly.
- Number of HPAI outbreaks in poultry **has not** increased and is relatively low.
- The activity of captive birds establishments and exhibitions has to be effectively controlled.
- Still essential: Awareness, knowledge, functional structures, preparation, resources, traceability.

Thank you for your attention!

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