

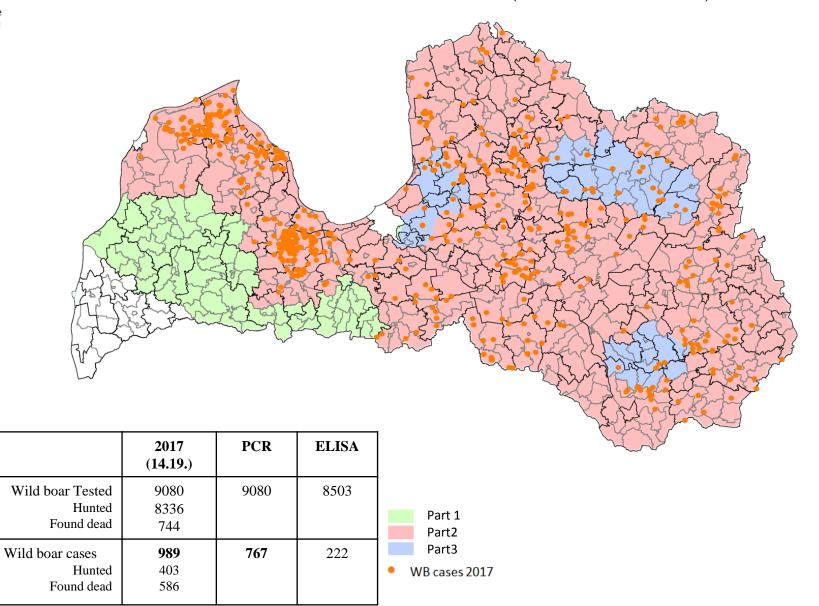
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# ASF epidemiological situation in Latvia – 2017 (update)

PAFF meeting, Brussels, 18.09.2017.

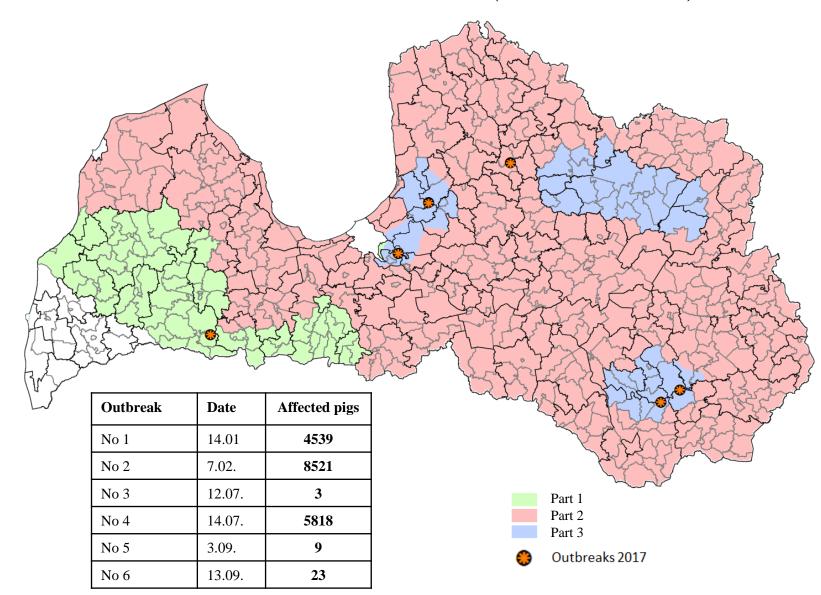


### ASF cases in 2017 (till 14.09.2017)





## Outbreaks in 2017 (till 17.09.2017)





#### Outbreak No 4/2017 (14.07.2017)

Commercial farm - 5818 pigs.

Localization: Daugavpils county Višķu parish

Suspicion notification and laboratory confirmation on 14th July

Results of epidemiological investigation:

- sanitary filter, flow of personnel with several weaknesses
- risk of the farm's territory contamination (transport flow)
- movement of the pigs (sows) between separate corpuses using outdoor path

Hypothesis: indirect contact with wild boar through contaminated environment



#### Outbreak No 5/2017 (5.09.2017)

Backyard farm - 9 pigs (fatteners)

Localization - Saldus county, Jaunauces parish.

1 pig with clinical signs (fever, hemorrhages on the skin)

Suspicion notified by veterinarian

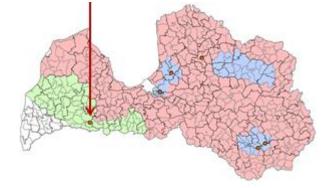
Confirmation – 5.09.2017. Stamping out and primary disinfection carried out on 05.09.2017.

Territory defined as Part 1 according the Decision 2014/709/EU

Results of epidemiological inquiring:

- No infected wild boars in particular area
- Nearest positive wild boar 25 km

#### **Hypothesis:** kitchen waste - wild berries



All measures according to Council Directive 2002/60/EC have been implemented.

Active surveillance of hunted wild boar in surrounding area has started.



#### Outbreak No 6/2017 (13.09.2017)

Holding with 23 pigs (2 sows and fattening pigs) Localization – Priekuļu county, Priekuļu parish

**Suspicion notified by veterinarian** – 12th September

Confirmation – 13.09.2017.

Stamping out and primary disinfection carried out on 12.09.2017.

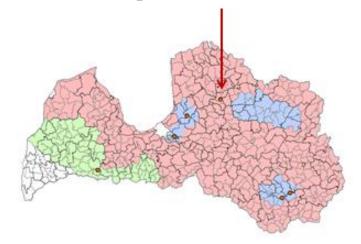
Territory already defined as Part 2 according the Decision 2014/709/EU

All measures according to Council Directive 2002/60/EC have been implemented.

Results of epidemiological inquiring:

- Infected wild boars in particular area
- Feeding of vegetables and apples from garden

Hypothesis: indirect contact with wild boar



# Outbreak No 6/2017 (13.09.2017)





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Thank you for your attention!