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ASF epidemiological situation in Bulgaria

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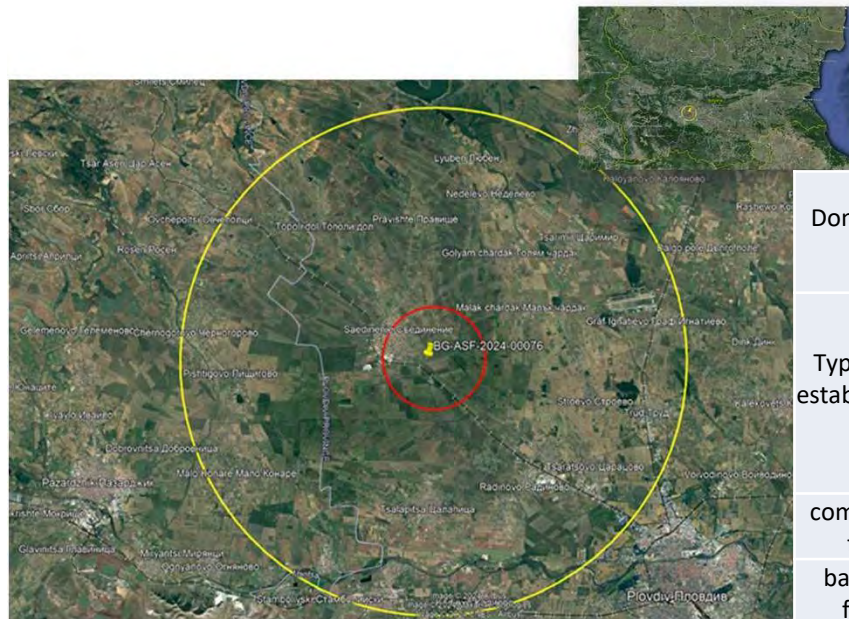


ASF in domestic pigs, outbreak BG-ASF-2024- 00076

Control measures:

Measures in accordance with CDR (EU) 2020/687 applied;

- Restricted zones (RZs) : 3 and 10 km zones established and to be enforced till 25.06.2024;
- Census, official inspections, clinical examinations and laboratory surveillance in the pig holdings located in the RZs.

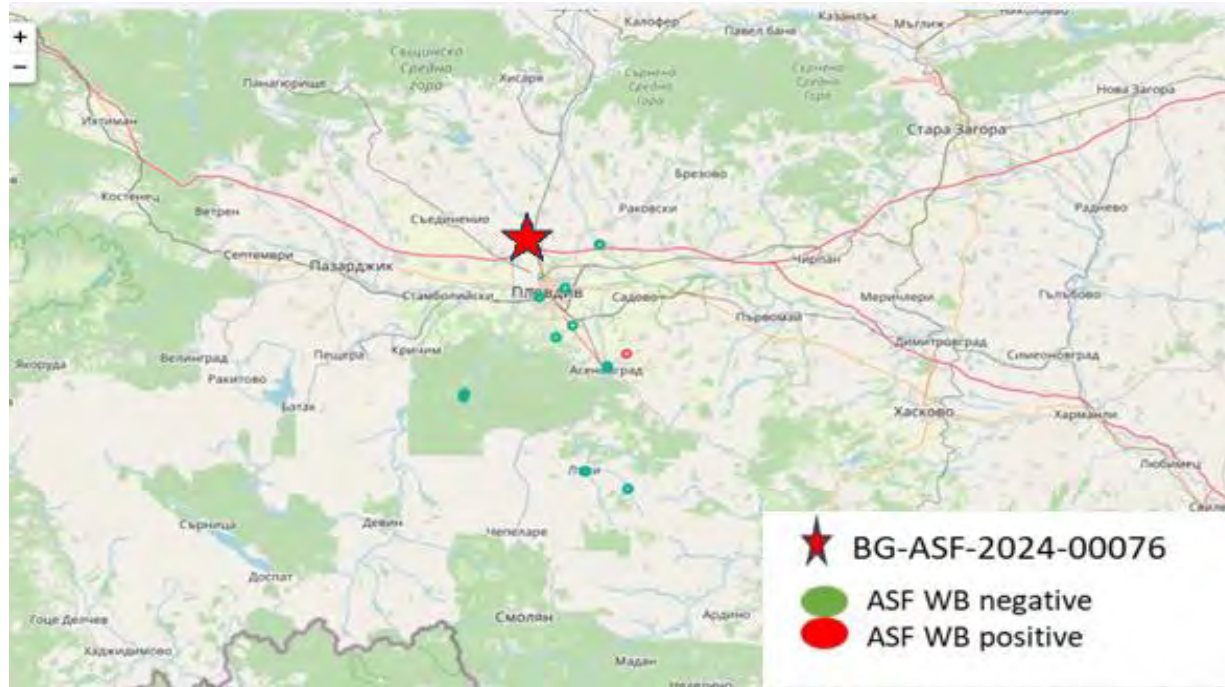


Domestic pig establishments in protective and surveillance zone around outbreak No BG-ASF-2024-00076

Type of pig establishments	Number	Number of pigs	Number of official checks for control and biosecurity	Last date of checks for biosecurity	Number of samples for ASF	Last date of sampling	Result of test for ASF
commercial farm	2	3934	8	14.6.2024	165	12.6.2024	negative
backyard farms	16*	19	26	7.6.2024	19	27.3.2024	negative

Map- location outbreak BG-ASF-2024-00076, confirmed on 22.03.2024 and restriction zones established

ASF in wild boar surveillance 01/03/2024 – 15/06/2024



Wild boar in protective and surveillance zone around outbreak No BG-ASF-2024-00076 in period 01.03. - 15.06.2024

Region	Number of shoted WB	Number of found dead WB	Number of tested for ASF WB	Number of negative test	Number of negative positive
Plovdiv	91	0	91	90	1*

* positive result is for antibody (ELISA), all 91 WB was negative on PCR test

CONCLUSION



- The ASF in kept porcine animals is stable. The outcomes from the surveillance activities in the restricted zones are negative, no ASF outbreaks or suspicion have been raised so far;
- The restricted zones listed in Part B of the Annex II to Reg (EU) 2023/594 – the date until applicable: 25/06/2024;
- The backyard sector is under control within the implementation of the National action plan for control of ASF in backyard, in Bulgaria;
- The pig market and outdoor pig farms in the territory of the country are forbidden;
- The annual inventory and inspections in backyards holdings in the entire territory of the country are continuing;
- The biosecurity measures in the commercial holdings with kept porcine animals are in place;
- The active and passive surveillance in WB, as well as enhance searching parties in 20 km zones around the industrial farms are in place.

Thank you!



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