

Eradication: Final report for Avian Influenza 2018

For each approved annual or multi-annual programme Member States shall submit to the Commission by the 30 April each year an annual detailed technical and financial report covering the previous year. That report shall include the results achieved and a detailed account of eligible costs incurred (Art 14 of Regulation (EU) No 652/2014).

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Reporting period

From: 2018

To: 2020

Year of implementation: 2018

1. Technical implementation of the programme

1.1 Description and evaluation of the evolution of the epidemiological situation, the technical implementation of the activities foreseen under the programme and the cost-effectiveness of the programme.

All legislation concerning the implementation of the programme was in force at the beginning of the programme.

AI for the first time has been registered in Lithuania on 27 of February 2017 in wild birds. In total has been registered 5 cases of AI.

Method used for avian influenza surveillance are based on representative sampling, taking into account criteria of Annex I of Commission Decision 2010/367/EC. The surveillance plan is drawn up having regard to Council Directive 2005/94/EC of 20 December 2005 on Community measures for the control of avian influenza and repealing Directive 92/40/EEC for the detection of avian influenza viruses. Sampling for serological testing for avian influenza has been carried throughout the whole territory of Lithuania in accordance with the approved surveillance programme.

Surveillance system by laboratory investigation of wild birds has been focused on moribund wild birds or birds found dead and are specifically directed towards water bird species.

1.2 Details on the level of achievement of the targets set in the approved programme and technical difficulties.

No technical difficulties have been raised during implementation of a programme. The samples have been taken by official or authorized veterinarians.

1.3 Epidemiological maps for infection and other relevant data on the disease/activities (information on serotypes involved,...) (Please attach files of data using the PDF attachment feature) Use the textbox below to provide clarifications for the maps you attach, if needed.

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2. TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMME ON AVIAN INFLUENZA

VERY IMPORTANT: Please fill out the following tables with figures corresponding to measures performed during the implementing period (1/1 to 31/12).

In the column "Total number of samples taken", please put 0 if the same samples have already been counted for another laboratory analysis (example : for HI-H5 and HI-H7 test, only 1 sample should be counted).

Table A - POULTRY HOLDINGS SAMPLED : SEROLOGICAL INVESTIGATION ACCORDING TO ANNEX I TO COMMISSION DECISION 2010/367/EU

Poultry category	NUTS2 Code	Total number of holdings	Total number of holdings sampled	Number of samples per holding	Total number of samples taken	Methods of laboratory analysis	Total number of tests performed per method
Broilers	Lithuania	52	9	25	225	ELISA test	225
Fattening Turkeys	Lithuania	14	6	38	230	ELISA test	230
Fattening Turkeys	Lithuania	14	1	20	20	HI test for H5	20
Chicken Breeders	Lithuania	26	17	39	669	ELISA test	669
Laying Hens	Lithuania	35	40	19	817	ELISA test	817
Fattening ducks	Lithuania	1	1	23	23	ELISA test	23
Fattening ducks	Lithuania	1	1	17	17	HI test for H5	17
Total		143	75	181	2,001	Methods of laboratory analysis	Total number of tests
						Total - ELISA test	1,964
						Total - HI test for H5	37

Table B - WILD BIRDS : INVESTIGATION ACCORDING TO THE SURVEILLANCE PROGRAMME FOR AVIAN INFLUENZA IN WILD BIRDS SET OUT IN ANNEX II TO DECISION 2010/367/EU

NUTS 2 Code	Total number of wild birds sampled for passive surveillance	Number of PCR tests done for passive surveillance	Number of virus isolation tests for passive surveillance
Lithuania	71	71	0
Total	71	71	0

Table C - POULTRY AND WILD BIRDS : NUMBER OF OUTBREAKS OF AVIAN INFLUENZA DETECTED DURING THE YEAR

	Domestic birds	Wild birds
Nr of HPAI outbreaks	0	0
Nr of LPAI outbreaks	0	0

COMMENT / ADDITIONAL CLARIFICATION

N/A