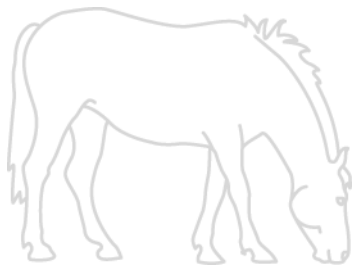


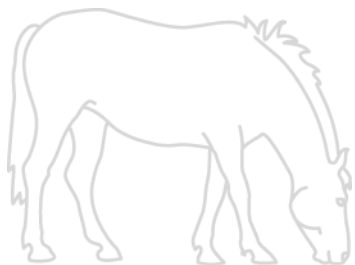
Newcastle Disease in Sweden

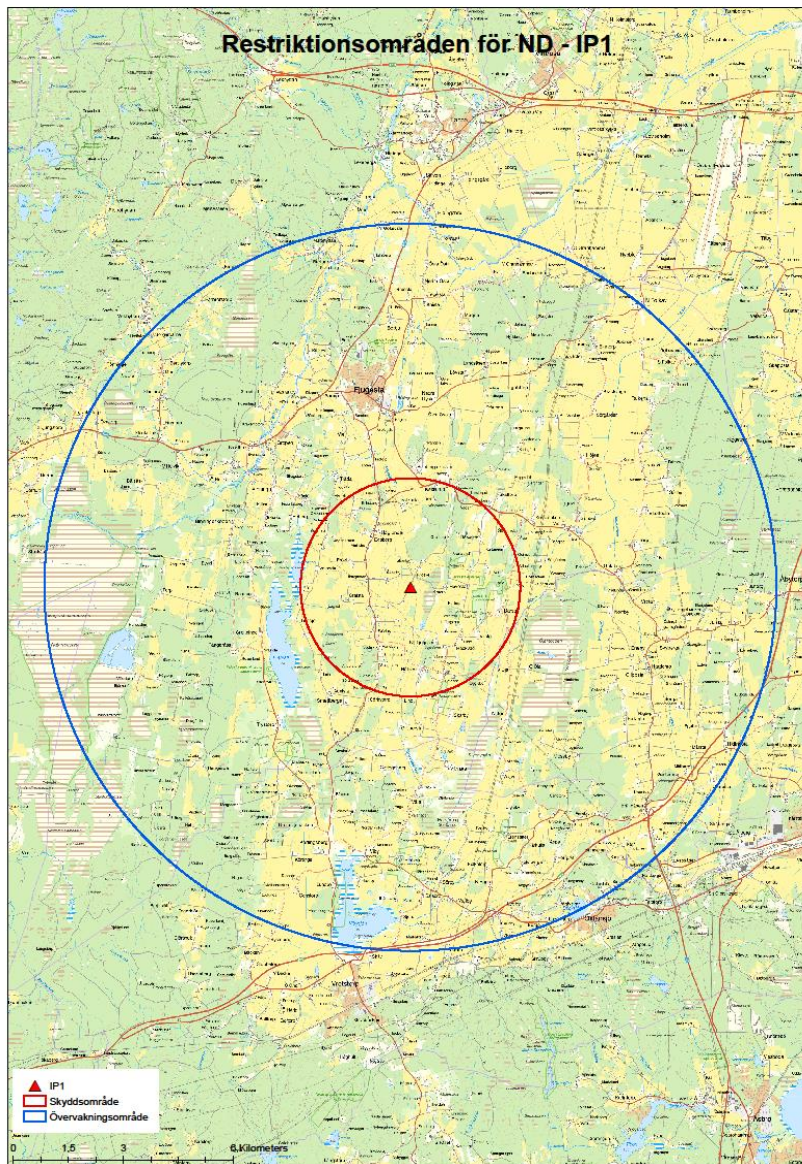
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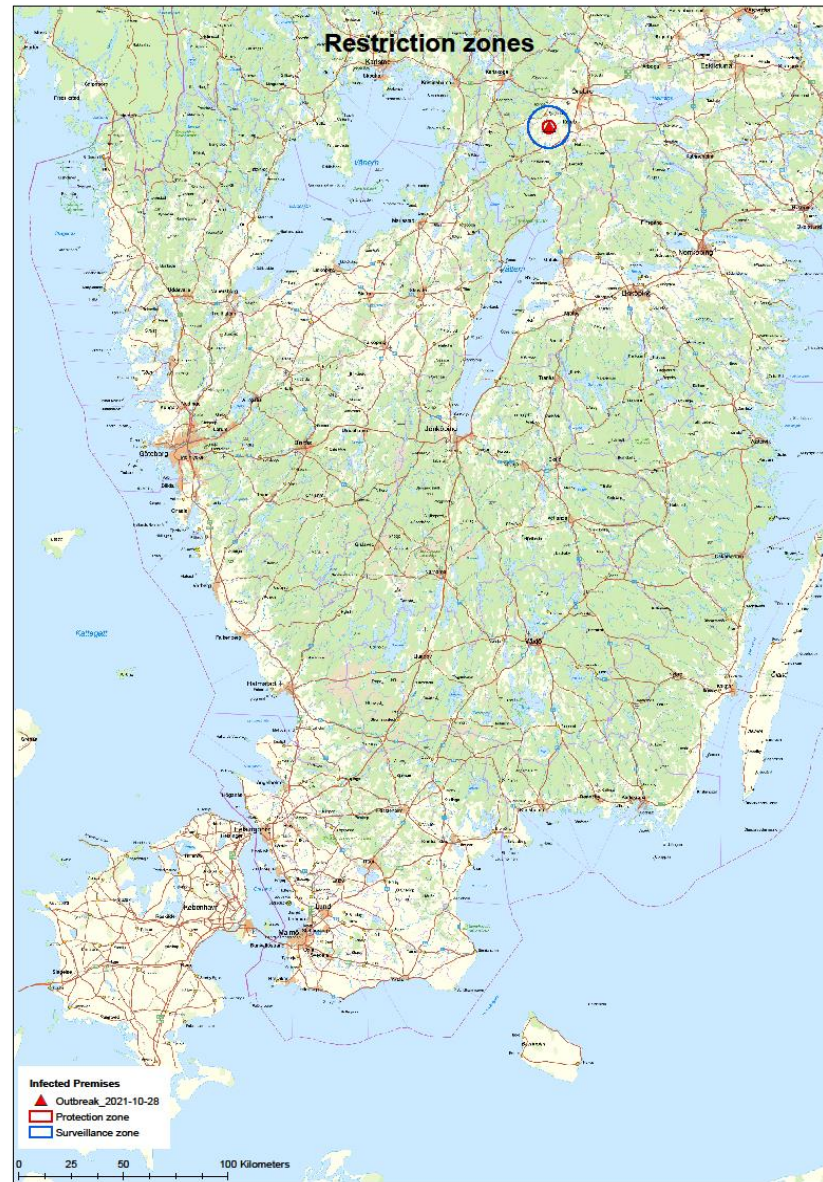
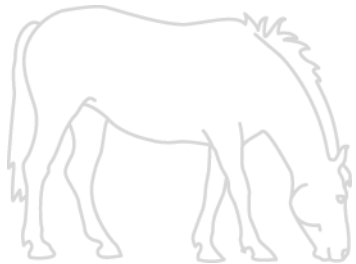
Location and affected farm

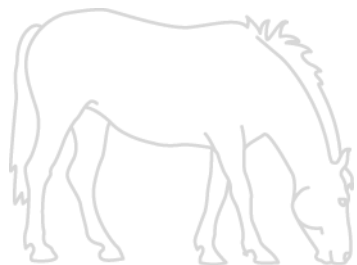
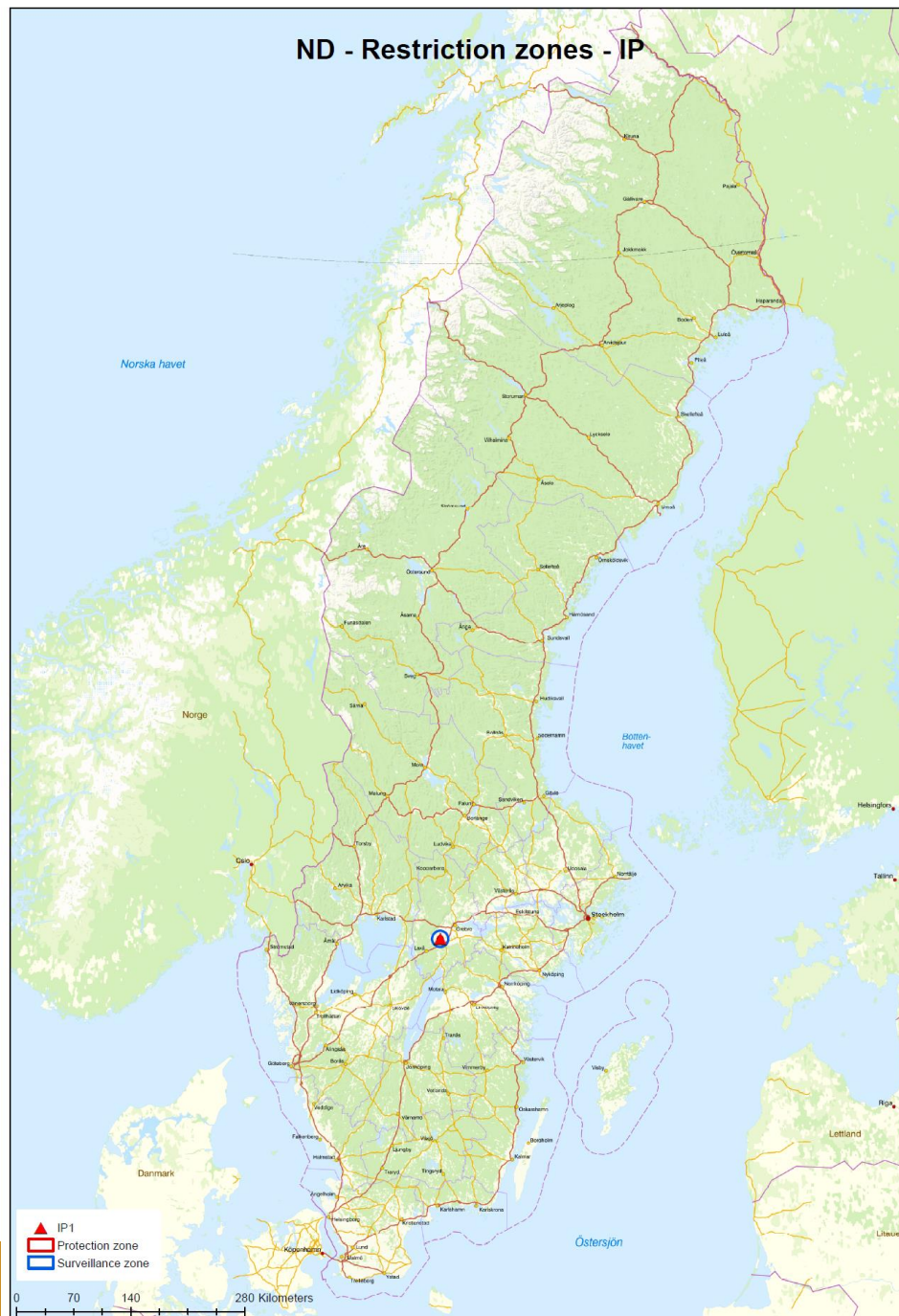
- Poultry farm with egg laying hens in in the municipality Lekeberg in the southern part of Sweden.
- Approximately 7500 poultry.





Restriction zones



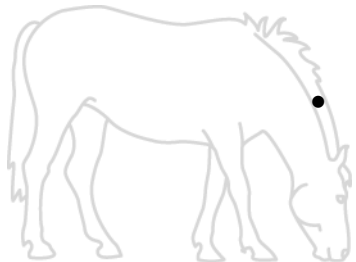


Suspicion 26 October: There was a decrease in egg production and changes in the shells (skin eggs), but no increase in mortality.

Confirmation 28/10: Real time-PCR and sequencing.

Restrictions and other necessary measures are applied in accordance with AHL 2016/429 and DR 2020/687:

- Restriction zones (3 km protection zone and 10 km surveillance zone) are established around the farm
- All poultry were culled 29 October
- Preliminary disinfection was concluded 30 October
- Cleaning and disinfection
- All poultry and animal products were disposed of by official destruction.
- Inspection of farms in the zones – no further suspicions.



- There have not been any sales or movements of poultry or poultry products from the restriction zones to other countries.
- The outbreak is reported to the European Commission (ADIS) and to the OIE (OIE-WAHIS).
- The source of infection is probably wild birds, but further epidemiological investigation is still ongoing.



Thank you for your attention

