

Follow-up report No.: 2

Report reference: , OIE Ref: 4623, Report Date: 16/04/2006, Country: Jordan

Report Summary

Disease	Highly pathogenic avian influenza	Animal type	Terrestrial
Causal Agent	Highly pathogenic avian influenza virus	Serotype(s)	H5N1
Clinical Signs	Yes	Reason	First occurrence of listed disease
Date of confirmation of Event	23/03/2006	Date of Start of Event	23/03/2006
Date of report	16/04/2006	Diagnosis	Clinical, Laboratory (advanced)
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Outbreak (other report - submitted)

Province	District	Sub-district	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
AL AJLUN	Kofranja		Farm	Kofranja	32,46182	35,77581	23/03/2006	27/03/2006
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Birds	Animals	20074	21	20	18000	0		
Affected Population		Backyard poultry (turkey and chicken)						

Outbreak summary: Total outbreaks = 1 (Submitted)

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Epidemiology

Epidemiological comments
<p>Three weeks have now passed since the last detection of highly pathogenic avian influenza virus subtype H5N1 in a turkey in a backyard flock at Kofranja in Ajloun governorate.</p> <p>Control measures have been completed involving a stamping out policy with compensation for the destroyed poultry in a 3-km-radius zone around the infected backyard holding.</p> <p>Surveillance and control procedures have been undertaken in the 10-km-radius surrounding zone and no more cases have been detected.</p> <p>It is believed that the virus was introduced through migratory birds.</p>

An ongoing national surveillance programme for wild birds and domestic poultry has not detected any further infections

Source of Infection	• Unknown or inconclusive
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Control Measures

No Control Measures	Animals treated	No
Vaccination Prohibited	No	

Country / Zone

Country or zone	the whole country
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Diagnostic test results

Laboratory Type	Name of Laboratory	Species	Test Type	Date Results Provided	Result
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Future Reporting

What further reports will be submitted in relation to this event?	The event is resolved. No more reports will be submitted.
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Outbreak map

