

Follow-up report No.: 11

Report reference: , OIE Ref: 4888, Report Date: 12/06/2006, Country: Switzerland

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 a listed disease
Date of confirmation of Event	26/02/2006	Date of Start of Event	26/02/2006
Report date	12/06/2006	Diagnosis	Suspicion, Laboratory (advanced)
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Outbreak (other report - submitted)

Cantons	district	municipality	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
SCHAFFHAUSEN			Not applicable	Schaffhausen	47,69	8,64	06/03/2006	12/06/2006
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Wild species	Animals	...	1	1	...	...
Affected Population		wild freshwater bird (a little grebe [Tachybaptus ruficollis])						

Outbreak (other report - submitted)

Cantons	district	municipality	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
THURGAU			Not applicable	Steckborn	47,66	8,98	04/03/2006	12/06/2006
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Wild species	Animals	...	1	1	...	...
Affected Population		a common pochard (Aythya ferina)						

Outbreak (other report - submitted)

Cantons	district	municipality	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
ZURICH			Not applicable	Feuerthalen	47,69	8,658	02/03/2006	12/06/2006
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Wild species	Animals	...	1	1	...	...
Affected Population		a common coot						

Outbreak (other report - submitted)

Cantons	district	municipality	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
SCHAFFHAUSEN			Not applicable	Schaffhausen	47,69	8,63	11/03/2006	12/06/2006
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Wild species	Animals	...	1	1	...	...
Affected Population		wild freshwater bird (a common pochard [Aythya ferina])						

Outbreak (other report - submitted)

Cantons	district	municipality	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
SCHAFFHAUSEN			Not applicable	Dörflingen	47,71	8,71	11/03/2006	12/06/2006
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Wild species	Animals	...	1	1	...	...
Affected Population		wild freshwater bird (a tufted duck [Aythya fuligula])						

Outbreak (other report - submitted)

Cantons	district	municipality	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
ZURICH			Not applicable	Feuerthalen 2	47,69	8,65	10/03/2006	12/06/2006
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Wild species	Animals	...	1	1	...	...
Affected Population		wild freshwater bird (a duck [Anatidae])						

Outbreak (other report - submitted)

Cantons	district	municipality	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
ZURICH			Not applicable	Feuerthalen 1	47,69	8,65	10/03/2006	12/06/2006
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Wild species	Animals	...	1	1	...	...
Affected Population		wild freshwater bird (a duck [Anatidae])						

Outbreak (other report - submitted)

Cantons	district	municipality	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
THURGAU			Not applicable	Steckborn	47,665	8,983	02/03/2006	12/06/2006
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Wild species	Animals	...	1	1	...	...
Affected Population		a tufted duck						

Outbreak (other report - submitted)

Cantons	district	municipality	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
GENEVE			Not applicable	Geneva	46,21344	6,1386	26/02/2006	12/06/2006

Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered
Wild species	Animals	...	...	1	...	...

Affected Population a goosander (*Mergus merganser*) found dead in the harbour of the city of Geneva

Outbreak summary: Total outbreaks = 9 (Submitted)

Species	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered
Wild species		8	9		

Epidemiology

Epidemiological comments

No cases have been confirmed positive for highly pathogenic avian influenza virus subtype H5N1 during this reporting period.

Zoning measures were lifted on 1 May 2006; the national monitoring programme for avian influenza in wild birds is continuing.

Since the start of the event, 1,083 samples from dead birds have been tested. In addition, 233 samples from trapped healthy birds have been tested for avian influenza subtype H5 since 27 March 2006, all with negative results.

Continuously updated information may be accessed on the Federal Veterinary Office website: <http://www.bvet.admin.ch>

Source of Infection • Unknown or inconclusive

Control Measures

Applied	• Movement control inside the country	To be applied	• No Planned Control Measures
	• Screening	Vaccination Prohibited	Yes
	• Control of wildlife reservoirs		
Animals treated	No		

Country / Zone

Country or zone the whole country

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.

Outbreak map

