

Immediate notification report

Report reference: , Ref OIE: 4696, Report Date: 16/02/2006 , Country: Germany

Report Summary

Disease	Highly pathogenic avian influenza	Animal type	Terrestrial
Causal Agent	Highly pathogenic avian influenza virus	Serotype(s)	H5N1
Clinical Signs	Yes	Reason	Reoccurrence of listed disease
Date of confirmation of Event	14/02/2006	Date of Start of Event	08/02/2006
Report date	16/02/2006	Diagnosis	Laboratory (advanced), Necropsy
Date of last occurrence	05/2003	Number of reported outbreaks	Submitted= 2, Draft= 0
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Outbreak (this report - submitted)

Province	District	Sub-district	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
MECKLENBURG-VORPOMMERN	Rügen Island		Not applicable	Dranske	54,6333	13,2333	08/02/2006	
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Wild species	Animals	...	1	1	0	0		
Affected Population a northern goshawk (<i>Accipiter gentilis</i>) found dead.								

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Province	District	Sub-district	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
MECKLENBURG-VORPOMMERN	Rügen Island		Not applicable	Wiek	54,6166667	13,2833333	08/02/2006	
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered		
Wild species	Animals	...	2	2	0	0		
Affected Population four swans (three <i>Cygnus olor</i> and one <i>Cygnus cygnus</i>) found dead. Avian influenza virus H5N1 has been diagnosed in two of the swans (<i>Cygnus olor</i> and <i>Cygnus cygnus</i>)								

Outbreak summary: Total outbreaks = 2 (Submitted)

Species	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered
Wild species		3	3	0	0

Epidemiology

Epidemiological comments	Source of Infection	• Unknown or inconclusive
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Control Measures

Applied	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Movement control inside the country • Screening • Control of wildlife reservoirs • Zoning 	To be applied	• No Planned Control Measures
		Vaccination Prohibited	No
Animals treated	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
OIE's Reference Laboratory	VLA-Weybridge, United Kingdom	Wild species	polymerase chain reaction (PCR)	16/02/2006	Positive
National laboratory	Friedrich-Loeffler-Institut (national reference laboratory)	Wild species	polymerase chain reaction (PCR)	14/02/2006	Positive

Future Reporting

What further reports will be submitted in relation to this event?
There are 35 outbreaks that are still recorded as unresolved. It is not possible to declare this event resolved until these individual outbreaks are resolved.

Outbreak map

