

Immediate notification report

Report reference: 01, Ref OIE: 6557, Report Date: 05/12/2007 , Country: Benin

Report Summary

Disease	Highly pathogenic avian influenza	Animal type	Terrestrial
Causal Agent	Highly pathogenic avian influenza virus	Serotype(s)	Pending
Clinical Signs	Yes	Reason	First occurrence of a listed disease
Date of confirmation of Event	05/12/2007	Date of Start of Event	07/11/2007
Date of report	05/12/2007	Date Submitted To OIE	05/12/2007
Diagnosis	Suspicion, Clinical, Laboratory (basic), Necropsy	Number Of Reported Outbreaks	Submitted= 2, Draft= 0
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Outbreak (this report - submitted)

ADJARA	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
ADJARA	Village	Honvié	6,4612	2,6417	07/11/2007	
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered
Birds	Animals	37	33	33	0	4
Affected Population						
flock wandering in the village including 15 chicks and 22 local adult chickens. Animals vaccinated on 31 October 2007 against Newcastle disease.						

Outbreak (this report - submitted)

COTONOU	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start	End
COTONOU	Farm	2ème arrondissement	6,3648	2,4014	03/12/2007	
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered
Birds	Animals	308	238	67	0	241
Affected Population						
layer chicken flock of Arco and Warren breeds. Fraudulent introduction of poultry from Ghana. Holding including also 8 turkey cocks (5 dead).						

Outbreak summary: Total outbreaks = 2 (Submitted)

Species	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered
Birds	345	271	100	0	245

Epidemiology

Epidemiological comments	Source of Infection	• Illegal movement of animals
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• Introduction of new live animals

Control Measures

Applied	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Quarantine• Movement control inside the country• Screening• Disinfection of infected premises/establishment(s)• Dipping / Spraying• Modified stamping out	To be applied	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vaccination in response to the outbreak (s)
	Animals treated	No	Vaccination Prohibited

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
National laboratory	Laboratoire national	Birds	test de détection rapide	05/12/2007	Positive

Future Reporting

What further reports will be submitted in relation to this event?
There are 2outbreaks that are still recorded as unresolved. It is not possible to declare this event resolved until these individual outbreaks are resolved.

Outbreak map

