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The Annexes can be consulted on the DG SANCO website with this report at:

[http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/resources/publications\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/resources/publications_en.htm)



## **PART I**

### **PLACE, ROLE, MISSION AND DESCRIPTION OF DG SANCO UNIT D1**

#### **1. INTRODUCTION**

##### **1.1. The European Commission**

The European Commission is the executive body of the European Union. The European Commission was created to represent the European interest common to all Member States of the Union. So that it can play its role as guardian of the Treaties and defender of the general interest, the Commission has been given a right of initiative in the legislative process, proposing legislation on which the European Parliament and the Council decide. The Commission also implements common policies, administers the budget, and manages the European Union's programmes.

##### **1.2. EU Animal Health Strategy (2007-2013)**

Following the announcement of the Commission's Animal Health Strategy, "Prevention is better than cure" in 2007, the Commission adopted the Action Plan for its implementation in September 2008. The Action Plan contains the planned key actions and their indicative timetable. These actions are structured around four pillars.

Two key underlying principles apply to all the work of the Commission: partnership and communication. The action plan acknowledges the importance of dialogue between citizens, civil society associations and the EC institutions. This facilitates the involvement of stakeholders, organisations and citizens in the European decision making process. For many of the initiatives steering groups have been or will be formed to assist the work of the Commission and mobilise available expertise of all concerned parties on those areas.

The Animal Health Advisory Committee<sup>1</sup> includes representatives from non-governmental organisations spanning the animal health sector, consumers and governments. The Committee provides strategic guidance on the appropriate or acceptable level of animal or public health protection, and on priorities for action and communication. The Committee also follows the strategy's progress. It is consulted on all impact assessments and advises the Commission on how best to deliver agreed outcomes. The Committee had 4 meetings in 2009.

Within the pillar "Prioritisation of EU intervention" the Commission is developing a tool for the categorisation of animal disease risks by 2010 which will provide the basis to prioritise actions in order to ensure that interventions and resources can be focused on diseases of high relevance. During 2009 two meetings of the steering group for this initiative were held with the work steadily progressing.

The pillar "EU Animal Health framework" provides for a proposal for an EU Animal Health Law to replace the current series of policy areas with a single regulatory framework by 2011. The

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<sup>1</sup> [http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/animal\\_health\\_advisory\\_committee\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/animal_health_advisory_committee_en.htm)

ongoing preparatory work for this initiative included four steering group meetings<sup>2</sup> and two further discussions at the Animal Health Advisory Committee during the first half of 2009, to assist the Commission in the problem definition phase. Based on that, in the second half of 2009 a web-based public consultation<sup>3</sup> took place on possible policy options to address the problems, with two further discussions in the Committee.

A legislative proposal concerning a harmonised EU framework for responsibility and cost-sharing in detecting and eradicating diseases is planned to be completed by 2012. The preparatory steps for a feasibility study to assess various options have been completed in 2009.

Under this pillar also the new Regulation (EC) 1069/2009 on animal by-products was adopted. Work is underway on the implementing rules for this Regulation which will apply from March 2011.

On the area of the third pillar "Prevention, surveillance and preparedness" the Action Plan focuses on an overall reinforcement of biosecurity measures, disease awareness and traceability. In particular, the project for the development of an Animal Diseases Information System (ADIS) for better disease surveillance has started and preparatory work to assess policy options for electronic bovine identification has progressed significantly. The task force for a policy paper on the reinforcement of the necessary EU antigen/vaccine banks has concluded its operation with the paper being finalised in early 2010.

Finally, the pillar "Science, innovation and research" will provide for enhanced cooperation between Commission and other key players such as the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA), European Medicines Agency (EMA) and Joint Research Centre (JRC). Evaluation of the EU Reference Laboratories in the field of animal health and live animals has been completed by end of 2009. During 2009 several legislative and non-legislative initiatives relevant for veterinary medicines have been completed and an overarching new initiative to review the application of Directive 2001/82/EC on veterinary medicinal products has started.

Further details and updates on these and other particular initiatives not mentioned here are available in the Programming document of the Action Plan<sup>4</sup>.

All interested parties can follow the progress of these different actions and more details on the Action Plan can be found at:

[http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/actionplan\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/actionplan_en.htm)

### **1.3. The EU Veterinary Week and the "One health" roadshow**

DG SANCO decided as part of its 2008 communication priorities to promote the new EU Animal Health Strategy to stakeholders and the public, in order to increase awareness and level of acceptance. To reach this goal, the concept of an EU Veterinary Week was developed in partnership with the Federation of Veterinarians of Europe (FVE).

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<sup>2</sup> [http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/pillars/action\\_steering\\_group\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/pillars/action_steering_group_en.htm)

<sup>3</sup> [http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/pillars/consultation\\_process\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/pillars/consultation_process_en.htm)

<sup>4</sup> [http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/pillars/action\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/pillars/action_en.htm)



One of the main aims of the EU Veterinary Week was to ensure that stakeholders and consumers are aware of the latest developments and that they understand how they can be involved in future steps of the Animal Health Strategy. In addition, the EU Veterinary Week aimed to promote the work of EU veterinarians.

The "One Health" roadshow was launched in 2008 to continue to promote the aims of the EU Veterinary Week throughout the year and across the EU. In particular, the roadshow aims to promote the link between animal health and human health. Animal diseases are having an increasing impact on public health, and therefore high standards of animal health have a positive impact on human health and consumer wellbeing.

To achieve this aim, the roadshow customised vehicle visits agricultural and veterinary fairs across the EU where a variety of communication tools will be brought to the attention of visitors. In particular, leaflets and videos have been produced to explain to travellers the health risks associated with the introduction of pets or products of animal origin coming from outside of the EU. In addition, the roadshow aims to provide information to children concerning animal welfare through the Farmland game.

Since its launch, the vehicle has attended a large number of important events across the EU, and it will continue to promote key issues in the future.

### **1.3.1 EU Veterinary Week 2009 (28 September to 2 October 2009)**

The EU Veterinary Week initiative was repeated in 2009 to promote the concept of "One Health" and to pass the key message that animal diseases are having an increasing impact on public health and that therefore high standards of animal health have a positive impact on human health and consumer wellbeing.

The EU Veterinary Week 2009 took place from 28 September to 4 October 2009 and it focussed on the concept of One Health and rabies, as World Rabies Day is celebrated every year on the 28th of September. The Week consisted of central events in Brussels, as well as events in the Member States organised by the EU veterinary schools, with communication and financial support from DG SANCO.

### **1.3.2 One Health conference on 28 September**

A conference entitled: "Animals + Humans = One Health" was organised in Brussels on Monday 28 September. The conference focussed on several examples of diseases that exemplify the link between animal and human health, such as Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (TSEs), rabies, and influenzas.

The conference programme included a plenary session on TSEs and parallel discussions in the afternoon. The conference delegates included Chief Veterinary Officers, Chief Medical Officers, Members of the European Parliament, representatives from Veterinary and Medical Associations, scientific experts and representatives from the EU Veterinary schools and faculties. In addition, there were representatives from neighbouring countries, stakeholders, and officials from the European institutions.

As the conference was held on World Rabies Day, a 3-minute video developed on this topic by DG SANCO was also screened during the conference. The film entitled "EU pet passports and the fight against rabies" describes the measures that have already been taken to eradicate rabies in

the EU and the devastating impact this disease can have on animals and humans. In addition, it explains what travellers can do to prevent the spread of rabies by ensuring that their pet animals are vaccinated against rabies and have an EU pet passport when travelling in the EU. The film has been produced in 29 languages and published here:

[http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/liveanimals/pets/video\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/liveanimals/pets/video_en.htm).

### **1.3.3 Influenza conference on 30 October**

Within the framework of the EU Veterinary Week 2009, a conference entitled "Influenza at the interface between humans and animals" was also organised on Friday 30 October 2009 in the Charlemagne building in Brussels.

The conference aimed to promote the "One Health" concept, linking animal and human health through the influenza example. The occurrence of influenza A (H1N1) in 2009 indeed highlighted this link and the importance of veterinary and medical sectors working in a coordinated manner.

### **1.3.4 EU Veterinary diary 2009-2010**

During the EU Veterinary week, there were also events taking place in the Member States. These events were organised by the EU veterinary faculties, with some communication and financial support from DG SANCO. In particular, an EU Veterinary Diary for 2009-2010 was produced to support these actions. The academic diary was produced for September 2009 to September 2010 in 22 languages, aimed mainly at veterinary students, providing information on the EU and on 6 diseases that affect both animals and humans.

Additional information on the conferences, including the conference programmes can be found here: [http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/events\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/strategy/events_en.htm)

Further information on the communication campaign, including the itinerary for the Roadshow can be found on the dedicated website [www.one-health.eu](http://www.one-health.eu).

## **2. UNIT D1 WITHIN THE EU INSTITUTIONS – RELATIONSHIP WITH OTHER BODIES AND INSTITUTIONS OF THE EUROPEAN EU**

### **2.1. Mission statement**

The European Commission's Health and Consumers Directorate General (DG SANCO) main mission is to help make Europe's citizens healthier, safer and more confident. Over the years, the European Union has established EU laws on the safety of food and other products, on consumers' rights and on the protection of people's health. DG SANCO has the task of keeping these laws up to date.

DG SANCO is organised into 6 Directorates (see the organisation chart on page 5) and has approximately 850 staff, 600 of which are based in Brussels, 75 in Luxembourg and another 175 in Grange, near Dublin, Ireland.

Within DG SANCO, Directorate D's mission is to:

- Ensure a high level of animal health and welfare protection, including the development of legislation on animal by-products, and zootechnical standards;
- Guarantee free circulation of feeding stuffs and feed materials, in respect of labelling rules, the requirements on hygiene, as well as the registration and control of feed operators;
- Monitor and contribute to the implementation of the rights and obligations of the EU in the area of animal health and food safety acquired through international agreements at the multilateral (especially WTO and international standard setting bodies OIE, Codex alimentarius and IPPC) and bilateral levels with third countries;
- Manage standing committees.

Within Directorate D, the mission of Unit D1 "Animal Health and Standing Committees" is to:

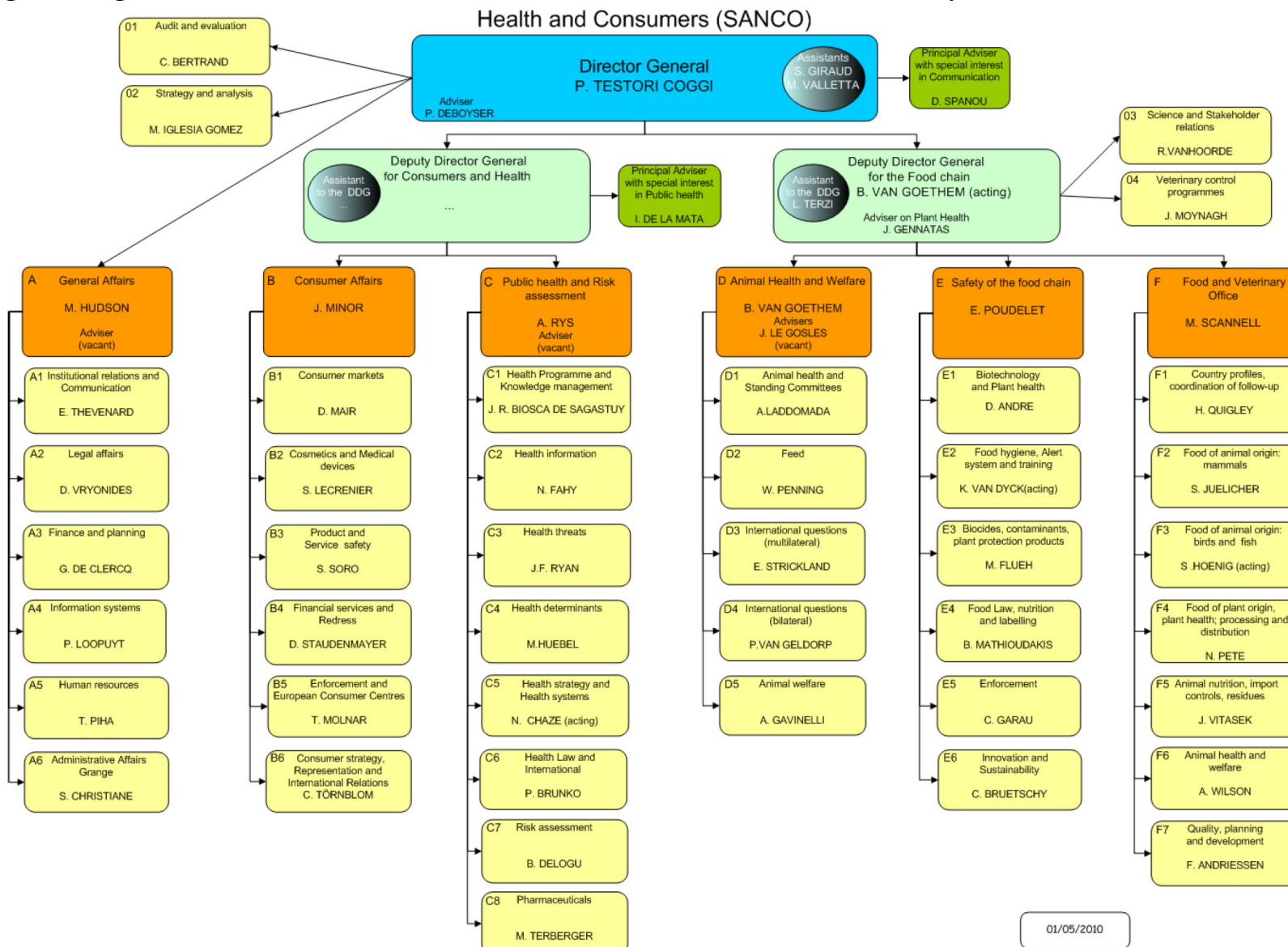
- Ensure the management, through legislative acts, of animal health rules governing the movement of, trade in, and introduction of live animals and products of animal origin;
- Plan, develop and promote a high animal health status, in particular of livestock, poultry and fish through animal disease surveillance and eradication programmes;
- Coordinate the EU's position in and promote the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) ;
- Develop legislation on animal by-products not intended for human consumption;
- Develop and manage the zootechnical standards applicable for breeding animals;
- Manage the secretariat of various standing committees, including those not in the field of its core responsibilities; it serves as the common Secretariat of the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health (formally the Standing Veterinary Committee), for both animal health and biological risks, and the Standing Zootechnical Committee (see section 3.1).

Unit D1's main responsibility is for the drafting, revision, and management of the EU legislation that pertains to the above subjects. The other Units of Directorate D are Unit D2, responsible animal feed, Unit D3 responsible for international multilateral relations, Unit D4 responsible for international bilateral relations, and Unit D5 responsible for animal welfare.

More detailed information on DG SANCO can be found at:

[http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/index_en.htm)

Figure 1: Organisation chart of the Health and Consumers Directorate General, as of May 2010



## 2.2. Relationship with the other Units of Directorate D of DG SANCO

Unit D1 works in close collaboration with the other Units of Directorate D, namely Units D2, D3, D4, and D5 respectively in the fields of:

- Animal feed: many animal health issues are co-related with animal feed issues, which are dealt with by D2;
- Multilateral international matters (international organisations): D1 and D3 combine forces in particular to address issues relating to the WTO (SPS);
- Bilateral international affairs (import from third countries, equivalence agreements) with D4.
- Animal welfare: many animal health issues are co-related with animal welfare, which are dealt with by D5.

Unit D1 is committed to propose its initiatives to be coherent with other Commission and DG SANCO strategies, principles and practices. In particular also committed to better regulation. Hence new legislative and non-legislative initiatives are subject to thorough scrutiny as regards their integration with other policy areas and foreseen impacts on various stakeholders, economic operators and citizens. In many cases impact assessments, evaluation and analysis of economic and other data, support studies and similar are performed to support sound decision making. All these are done in close cooperation with Unit 02 Unit Strategy and Analysis (02)..

Unit D1 is closely working together with Unit 03, especially on the key area of *Animal Health and cooperation/interaction* with the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA). Another area of cooperation is the organisation of meetings for the Animal Health Advisory Committee, which is a working group of the Advisory Group on the Food Chain and Animal and Plant Health, managed by Unit 03.

Unit D1 has also a close cooperation with Unit 04 'Veterinary programmes' which manages the animal disease eradication and monitoring programmes.

Moreover, Unit D1 co-ordinates all the meetings of the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health (SCFCAH), which include the participation of other Units of Directorate D, as well as other Directorates (E and F). It also, under the guidance of the Director of Directorate D, takes a lead role in the SCFCAH section dealing with Animal Health and Welfare.

## 2.3. Relationship with Directorates E and F of DG SANCO

Directorate E is responsible for the safety of the food chain. As such, it deals with many issues related to animal health issues, such as zoonoses and food-borne diseases of animal origin. The work of Unit E2, in charge of hygiene and control measures, is the most closely related to D1. This is particularly true when problems are detected in an EU or imported product, through the Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed (RASFF), which is under the management of Directorate E. More information on RASFF can be found at:

[http://ec.europa.eu/food/food/rapidalert/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/food/rapidalert/index_en.htm)

Both Directorates D and E work in close co-operation with Directorate F. Directorate F, also known as the Food and Veterinary Office (FVO, based in Grange, Ireland), has a major role in the control function of the Commission in relation to the implementation of the EU legislation on health matters. The mission reports issued by the FVO provide valuable information for Unit D1 in its preparatory work for the adoption of EU legislation. In particular, a very close level of co-operation exists between Unit D1 and Unit F2 when outbreaks of OIE notifiable diseases occur in mammals in the EU and between Unit D1 and Unit F3 when OIE notifiable diseases are confirmed in poultry and fish. The information and reports received from these units are very valuable in particular when safeguard measures are proposed to the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health in order to protect the EU from potentially infectious animals or animal products. The reports originating from the FVO's missions in Member States are also useful when assessing the eradication, control and monitoring programmes annually submitted to the Commission.

More information on the tasks and activities of the FVO and all the published reports are available on the Internet at: [http://ec.europa.eu/food/fvo/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/fvo/index_en.htm).

#### **2.4. Relationship with Directorates A, B and C of DG SANCO**

Directorate A is responsible for General Affairs and aims to ensure the effective and efficient use of the DG's financial, human and other resources in pursuit of the DG's objectives, to ensure co-ordination within the DG on certain policy issues, to co-ordinate DG SANCO's relations with other EU institutions, to provide legal scrutiny and advice within the DG, and to conceive and implement the DG's policy in relation to information and informatics systems. Unit D1 works together with Directorate A, and in particular Unit A1, on inter-institutional issues, including relations with the European Parliament and the Council (see section 2.6 for further details), as well as on communication actions. Unit D1 also works closely with Unit A2 as regards infringement actions.

Directorate B is responsible for Consumer Affairs and aims to contribute to improve the quality of life of EU citizens in the Internal Market, to integrate consumer concerns into all policies, and to ensure the same high levels of consumer protection and safety in the whole EU.

Directorate C is responsible for Public Health and Risk Assessment issues. It aims to improve and promote health, prevent human illness and disease through a global health strategy and supported by a multi-annual public health programme, to establish capacities and networks to reinforce co-operation with the Member States on health information, health threats and health determinants and as appropriate with international organisations such as the World Health Organisation, the Council of Europe and the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development, to improve public information and awareness of health issues, develop health measures under Art.152 of the Treaty, and assist the accession countries in achieving a high level of health protection, and to conduct risk assessments and activities in relation to independent scientific advice on non-food related risk to public health, consumer safety and the environment. In 2008, Unit D1 worked with Directorate C on issues of mutual interest, such as influenza and other non food-borne zoonoses.

## **2.5. Relationship with the European Food Safety Authority**

In the preparatory work on health legislation, the Commission is assisted by the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA), which, through its Scientific Committee and through its nine scientific expert Panels, prepares scientific advice based on the principles of independence, transparency and excellence. In particular, the Panel dealing with the matters of interest of Unit D1 is AHAW “Panel on animal health and welfare”, primarily relating to food producing animals including fish. It is composed of 21 Members from different Member States, and is chaired by Dr. Philippe Vannier. During 2009, the AHAW Panel adopted thirty-one opinions in answer to requests dating from 2008 and 2009 (for the full list of opinions since 2004, see Annex XI). Unit D1 works together with Unit 03 'Science and Stakeholder relations' in particular as regards relations with EFSA.

Information about EFSA, including the work of the Scientific Committee and the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) can be found on the following website: [http://www.efsa.europa.eu/EFSA/ScientificPanels/efsa\\_locale-1178620753812\\_AHAW.htm](http://www.efsa.europa.eu/EFSA/ScientificPanels/efsa_locale-1178620753812_AHAW.htm)

## **2.6. Relationship with the European Centre for Diseases Control**

Along with EFSA, Unit D1 maintains close relations with the European Centre for Disease Control (ECDC), as far as zoonoses are concerned. The ECDC was established in 2005 in Stockholm, Sweden and it is an EU agency which aims to strengthen Europe's defences against infectious diseases. The ECDC's mission is to identify, assess and communicate current and emerging threats to human health posed by infectious diseases. In order to achieve this mission, the ECDC works in partnership with national health protection bodies across Europe to strengthen and develop continent-wide disease surveillance and early warning systems.

By working with experts throughout Europe, the ECDC pools Europe's health knowledge, so as to develop authoritative scientific opinions about the risks posed by current and emerging infectious diseases. More information about ECDC can be found at: <http://www.ecdc.eu.int/>

## **2.7. Relationships with other EU Institutions and Consultative Bodies**

Unit D1 officials participate in meetings of the Council and the European Parliament (Agriculture, Environment and Budget Committees). They also participate in meetings of the Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of Regions, when requested, in relation to draft legislation. Unit D1 officials also respond to questions raised by the Court of Auditors and, on occasions, meet with officials of the Court of Auditors when requested to do so. They also participate in any action of the Court of Justice that relates to their areas of responsibility.

### **2.7.1. *The European Parliament***

In relation to questions raised by Members of the European Parliament to the European Commission, Unit D1 received 41 parliamentary questions (32 written questions and 9 oral questions) during 2009, out of which 6 were priority questions. The questions raised related to various topics within the area of responsibility of the Unit. Furthermore, Unit D1 provided

contributions to questions for which the unit was not "Chef de File". A timely reply was provided for all of them. Unit D1 officials were also requested to attend hearings and petitions concerning animal health issues. For more information about the activity of the European Parliament visit its website at: <http://www.europarl.europa.eu>.

The Parliamentary Committee dealing with veterinary matters is represented by the Committee for Environment, Public Health and Food Safety and by the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Additional details on the Committees can be found at:

<http://www.europarl.europa.eu/activities/committees/committeesList.do?language=EN>

### **2.7.2. *The Council***

The Council, embodiment of the Member States, is the EU's main decision-making body. Council representatives are regularly brought together at ministerial level. According to the agenda, the Council meets in different compositions, including for example foreign affairs, agriculture, public and animal health. Unit D1 officials were involved and worked in the preparation of each of the dossiers of their responsibility that were brought to the Council. The Council Configuration dealing with veterinary matters is represented by the Agriculture and Fisheries Council. For more information on the activities of the Council, consult:

<http://consilium.europa.eu>

The Working Party of Chief Veterinary Officers (CVO group) is one of the preparatory bodies of the Council. It deals with general matters of animal health, animal welfare and veterinary public health. It meets approximately six times a year, usually in Brussels, but two informal meetings are also held in the country of the EU Presidency (one in each country).

The meetings are chaired by the CVO of the Member State presiding the EU. The meetings allow discussions between Unit D1 and the MS's CVOs to take place on general policies and trade issues, international relations, and on questions that have not been resolved or need discussions at a higher level, after first being raised at the SCFCAH. They are also the occasion for the CVOs to put forward issues of a broader political scope.

At these meetings, common EU positions can be reached regarding international standards (mainly OIE Standards) relating to animal health. The list of the Member States' CVOs, as well as the CVOs of Candidate and Associated Countries can be found in Annex I.

### **2.7.3. *The European Court of Auditors***

Set up in 1977, the European Court of Auditors has its headquarters in Luxembourg. The European Court of Auditors audits the revenue and expenditure of the European Union. It aims to contribute to improving the financial management of European Union funds, so as to ensure maximum value for money for all citizens of the Union. For more information on the activities of the Court of Auditors consult: <http://www.eca.europa.eu/index>.



#### **2.7.4. *The Court of Justice***

The Court of Justice is responsible for maintaining the balance between the respective powers of the EU institutions, and between the powers transferred to the EU and those retained by the Member States. The Court is often called upon to settle questions of a constitutional nature or of major economic significance. Moreover, certain acts of the Parliament can be the subject of an action before the Court and, conversely, the Parliament can challenge acts of the other institutions if they compromised the institutional balance. For more information on the Court of Justice visit: <http://www.curia.europa.eu/en/index.htm>

#### **2.7.5. *The Economic and Social Committee***

The Economic and Social Committee advises the Parliament, the Council and the Commission on issues such as employment, operation of the single market and animal and public health. It consists of representatives of the various categories of economic and social activity. For more information about the Economic and Social Committee visit: <http://www.eesc.europa.eu>

#### **2.7.6. *The Committee of the Regions***

The Committee of the Regions, composed of representatives of regional and local authorities, ensures that regional and local identities and prerogatives are respected. It has to be consulted on matters concerning regional policy. In this context the region will examine and express its wishes on proposed animal health legislation. For more information about the Committee of the Regions: <http://www.cor.europa.eu>

### **3. COMITOLGY, RELATIONSHIPS WITH MEMBER STATES AND THE PUBLIC, AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS**

#### **3.1. Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health (SCFCAH)**

During the procedure for the adoption of its autonomous legal acts, the European Commission is supported by Committees, which take part in designing and implementing the Union's policies. The Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health (SCFCAH) is the main Committee for areas relating to food law, including animal health and welfare. The SCFCAH is divided into the following nine sections:

- General food law
- Biological safety of the food chain
- Toxicological safety of the food chain
- Controls and import conditions
- Animal nutrition

- Genetically modified food and feed and environmental risk
- Animal health and animal welfare
- Pesticides legislation
- Pesticides residues

The Committee comprises representatives of each of the Member States, as well as representatives from the EEA countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway) and Switzerland. The section on animal health (for which the Unit D1 is responsible) meets at least once a month (except August), and often twice a month or more during crisis situations. Before presenting a draft measure to the Committee, DG SANCO consults the Legal Service and other concerned DGs, such as Agriculture, Fisheries, Trade, and External Relations. Following the presentation of the draft measure, the Committee may express a favourable or an unfavourable opinion, or may fail to deliver an opinion.

The voting system in force is shown in the table below:

<b>Member States</b>	<b>Votes</b>
France, Germany, Italy, United Kingdom	29
Poland, Spain	27
Romania	14
Nederland	13
Belgium, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Portugal	12
Austria, Sweden, Bulgaria	10
Denmark, Finland, Ireland, Lithuania, Slovakia	7
Cyprus, Estonia, Latvia, Luxembourg, Slovenia	4
Malta	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>345</b>

- Qualified majority: 255 votes and expressing the vote of the majority of the 27 MS (i.e. at least 14 MS)
- Blocking minority: 91 votes.

MS can delegate other MS to represent them in a SCFCAH meeting, but each MS can only represent just one other MS.

The Committee's opinion is binding on the Commission, which cannot adopt the measures unless the Committee's opinion is favourable. When the Committee delivers an unfavourable opinion on the Commission's proposed measures, or when no opinion is delivered, the Commission cannot take any decision, even a provisional one; it must pass the proposal to the Council immediately. The proposal follows then the normal procedure in the Council. However, if after 3 months (or 15 days in case of urgency) the Council has not acted (qualified majority in favour or simple majority against), the Commission adopts its proposal.

In certain crisis situations, the Commission can adopt a decision on its own, but it has to present the text at the Committee within 14 days.

The Lisbon Treaty entered into force on 1 December 2009. Considering that it was only applicable for one month and that no alignment of existing legislation has taken place, it had no influence on Comitology activities in 2009.

More information on the Standing Committee on Animal Health and the Food Chain, including the latest reports and opinions can be found at:

[http://ec.europa.eu/food/committees/regulatory/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/committees/regulatory/index_en.htm)

## 3.2. International Affairs

### 3.2.1. *World Organisation for Animal Health*

The World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) is an intergovernmental organisation created by the International Agreement of 25 January 1924, signed by 28 countries. The OIE includes a total of 175 Member Countries. The Office is placed under the authority and control of a World Assembly consisting of Delegates designated by the Governments of Member Countries. All EU Member States are OIE Member Countries.

The day-to-day operation of the OIE is managed by Headquarters situated in Paris, placed under the responsibility of a Director General elected by the World Assembly. The Headquarters implement the resolutions passed by the World Assembly and developed with the support of elected Commissions (the OIE Council, the five Regional Commissions and the four Specialist Technical Commissions, among which are the Animal Health Standard Commissions for Terrestrial and Aquatic animals). There are also five regional representations as well as sub regional offices, one of which is in Brussels, which facilitates a better cooperation with the European Commission.

The OIE's financial resources for its core activities are derived from regular annual contributions of its Members, supplemented by voluntary contributions. However, the Members and other organisations, such as the European Commission, can also contribute financially to OIE external actions, through a trust fund, the World Animal Health and Welfare Fund.

The aims of the OIE are:

- To ensure transparency in the global animal disease situation;
- To collect, analyse, and disseminate veterinary scientific information, notably through its network of reference laboratories and collaborating centres;
- To provide expertise and encourage international solidarity in the control of animal diseases, including through laboratory twinnings between reference and national laboratories;
- Within its mandate under the WTO SPS Agreement, to safeguard world trade by publishing health standards for international trade in animals and animal products;
- To improve the legal framework and resources of national Veterinary Services, especially through its "Performance of Veterinary Services" (PVS) evaluation tool and follow-up gap analysis.

The Commission and the OIE signed a cooperation agreement in 2004, with the Commission obtaining an observer status. The OIE is one of the main international organisations with which Unit D1 deals with. Technically, Unit D1's task is to carry out EU co-ordination work on documents, Standards and Guidelines from the OIE for a possible vote at the Annual General Session (AGS) of the World Assembly in Paris each May. For 2009, comments on the report of the meeting of September 2008 of the OIE Terrestrial Animal Health Code Commission were sent to the OIE in January, and then a position paper on the report of the meeting in February 2008 of this Code Commission was agreed at Council level and sent for information to the OIE in May. However, the Czech Presidency presented the EU positions during the AGS meeting (last week of May 2009) with the help of CVOs from other Member States. Work started again after the AGS on other documents and comments were sent to OIE during the year. The same work was done with respect to Aquatic Animal Health.

The EU's comments and positions submitted to the OIE can be found at the following address: [http://ec.europa.eu/food/international/organisations/oie\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/international/organisations/oie_en.htm)

Unit D1 officials also attended a number of *ad hoc* working groups to assist in the further development of OIE policy on animal health, such as countries status assessment (Foot and Mouth Disease), brucellosis, epidemiology, wildlife diseases, new technology vaccines, commodity based trade (terrestrial and aquatic animals) during the year. The amount of work in this area again increased in 2009 and is due to increase again in 2010. DG SANCO's policy consists of providing continued participation in this area and even to increase its contributions as much as possible, in order to try and improve the links between the International Standards and EU Legislation. The Commission's observer status in the OIE is effective at keeping all Member States informed and working together on matters of common interest.

In the context of the cooperation with the OIE, up to the end of 2009 contribution pledge from the EC reached more than 14 million euros, mainly to finance or co-finance new activities related to avian flu in Asia, conferences and seminars, studies, and PVS audits of veterinary services of neighbouring and developing countries, especially in Africa. The majority of funds are allocated by the means of specific Grant Agreements to the OIE "World Animal Health and Welfare Fund" and this was discussed during the annual coordination meeting of 9 December 2009 at the OIE. However, negotiations led by DG AIDCO have been conducted in order to sign in 2010 a Framework Agreement, which will be another step towards ensuring closer links between the OIE and the EC.

### **3.2.2. Food and Agriculture Organisation**

The mandate of the Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) of the United Nations, located in Rome, is to raise levels of nutrition, improve agricultural productivity, and better the lives of rural populations. It is thus very active in matters relating to animal health, especially in the field of animal diseases control and eradication, through field projects throughout the world. The European Commission has very strong and binding relations with the FAO and is one of the major financial contributors to help ensure that the projects achieve their goals.

The secretariat of the European Commission for the Control of Foot and Mouth Disease (EUFMD Commission) is even located at the FAO. Unit D1 works in close co-operation with EUFMD in the area of FMD research and field operations on the base of an Implementing Agreement on "EC funded permanent activities carried out by the FAO European Commission for the Control of FMD". The EU financial support for joint activities has been made available partly by a Trust Fund established by the EU at the FAO. There is in addition an EC delegation to the FAO.

Detailed information may be found within the FAO website ([www.fao.org](http://www.fao.org)).

### **3.2.3. *World Health Organisation***

The World Health Organisation (WHO) is a specialised agency of the United Nations with a primary responsibility in international health matters and public health. Unit D1 works in close co-operation with the WHO collaborating centres for Rabies located in Nancy, France and in Wusterhausen, Germany. The collaborating centre for Rabies in Nancy is designated as a EU Reference Laboratory and it is responsible for the standardisation of measures of serological titration on carnivores vaccinated against Rabies.

Unit D1 also works with the WHO in relation with the influenza pandemic. Like the FAO, the WHO has an important role in the management of the avian influenza emergency programmes in South-East Asia, and especially from a public health point of view. Detailed information may be found within the WHO website ([www.who.int](http://www.who.int)). A special section on avian influenza emergency programmes is also available ([www.who.int/topics/avian\\_influenza/en/](http://www.who.int/topics/avian_influenza/en/)).

### **3.2.4. *World Trade Organisation***

The World Trade Organization (WTO) is the only global international organization dealing with the rules of trade between nations, with a primary responsibility in the rules and disputes governing international trade. The basic rules are set by the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT). Article X makes it compulsory to inform other members of new standards, and Article XX (b) allows an exception for the free circulation of good by reasons related to health protection although in applying these exceptions, members must comply with the Agreement on the Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary measures (SPS) and inform other members of the new standards. Therefore Unit D1 notifies to the SPS all proposals with a significant effect on the trade of products of animal origin to allow third countries to comment within the WTO prescribed period for comment of 60 days. The exchanges with the SPS secretariat are centralised within Unit D3. In 2009, out of 55 notifications, the Unit D3 in coordination with D1 sent 8 drafts proposals to the WTO/SPS Secretariat and 4 adopted documents (see Annex XII), related to list of third countries from which imports into the EU of fresh meat, crustaceans and aquatic animals, poultry and poultry products or consignments of raw milk and dairy products, among others, are authorised.

### **3.2.5. *Training and technical assistance***

#### **3.2.5.1. *Training***

"Better Training for Safer Food" is a Commission initiative, organised by SANCO Unit E2, aimed at organising a Community (EU) training strategy in the areas of food law, feed law, animal health and animal welfare rules, as well as plant health rules. Article 51 of Regulation (EC) No 882/2004 Regulation (EC) No 882/2004 on official controls performed to ensure the verification of compliance with feed and food law, animal health and animal welfare rules, provides the legal instrument for this initiative. Training is designed for all staff of competent authorities of Member States involved in official control activities so as to keep them up-to-date with all aspects of Community law in the areas specified above and ensure that controls are carried out in a more uniform, objective and adequate manner in all Member States. It is also essential that third

countries and in particular developing countries are familiar with EU import requirements and, where it exists, with the possibility of EU support. For this purpose, training organised for Member States in the EU is open to participants from third countries and specific training sessions are organised for third country participants on the spot.

Concrete activities began within the Better Training for Safer Food initiative in 2006 with the implementation of seven training programmes.

A total of 15 programmes were launched in 2008 of which ten were held in the EU and five in third countries. In all, 120 training activities, including workshops and training and assistance missions, have been held within these programmes. In its first three years of activity, approximately 8,000 participants have benefited directly from the initiative's training.

In 2009 these activities continued with around 110 events and over 5,000 participants with a budget of €11.5 million. In 2009 colleagues from D1 attended the following workshops for the BTSF programme:

November: K. Kroon, Animal welfare, Rome  
October: S. Goeminne, TRACES, Rabat (Morocco)  
K. Kroon, BIPs, Poland  
D. Carton, TRACES, Morocco  
September: A. Van Ranst, Animal welfare, Rome  
March: P. Bernorio, BIPs, Vienna  
M. Giaprakis, TRACES, Mauritius  
D. Carton, TRACES, Mauritius

The training is organised and led by Unit E2 and in 2009 Unit D1 officials participated in a few of activities mainly involving training in TRACES.

D1 took part on the BTSF evaluation board for selection of contractors for training on animal health in bees and zoo animals and the evaluation board for selection of contractors for training on animal health in aquaculture animals. These training activities will commence in 2010.

In addition to the standard training programmes, concrete activities within the Better Training for Safer Food in Africa programme (BTSF Africa) began with an opening conference in April 2009 in Addis Ababa.

BTSF Africa is developed by DG SANCO jointly with the African Union (AU) Commission, in coordination with other Commission services and the EU Delegations in Africa. Owing to the growing importance of the programme, SANCO has seconded a staff member to the EU Delegation to the AU to coordinate infield activities.

BTSF Africa is implemented under the Trade, Regional Integration and Infrastructure partnership of the Joint Africa-Europe Strategy's first Action Plan 2008-2010, agreed by Heads of State and Government in Lisbon in 2007. The first series of training activities are to run until the end of 2010 for a budget of around €10 million.

The main aim is to support food security by providing technical expertise and policy advice on animal health and welfare, plant health and food safety and quality. This will help African countries to produce and distribute agro-food products compatible with international standards and in turn reduce the likelihood of food-borne disease and related health and socio-economic burden.

The training is comprised of seven activities:

- 1) Evaluation of the performance of veterinary services (PVS), follow-up PVS Gap Analysis and accompanying measures;
- 2) Improving national and regional animal health and food safety legal frameworks;
- 3) Strengthening capacity of laboratory technicians through twinning;
- 4) Training for Chief Veterinary Officers (CVO) on the role of veterinary services, and national focal points on food safety;
- 5) Training trainers during regional workshops on harmonisation of food hygiene procedures;
- 6) Strengthening capacity of SMEs via deployment of experts to address SPS deficiencies;
- 7) Training sessions for officials of the Regional Economic Communities, AUC and specialist bodies on international policy, standards and norms.

In 2009 for the BTSF in AFRICA there were around 36 events with about 1,100 participants with a budget of €3.5 million.

Further information can be found on BTSF at:

[http://ec.europa.eu/food/training\\_strategy/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/training_strategy/index_en.htm)

#### **3.2.5.2. Technical assistance**

The Technical Assistance Information Exchange instrument (TAIEX) is a part of the Institution Building Unit of DG Enlargement and its function is to provide technical aid and information to its beneficiary countries on the transposition, implementation and enforcement of the EU's legislative "acquis". Unit D1 takes part in and helps arrange meetings organised by TAIEX. VETLEX, an interactive database providing consolidated veterinary legislation, is provided by TAIEX to the Commission services from their website. Unit D1 continuously uses the system and provides feedback to TAIEX to ensure it is kept accurate and as fully as up to date as possible. VETLEX is now available in French, as well as English and German. Russian is also being added.

Within the context of the SPS Agreement (article 9 thereof), technical assistance should be provided to help developing and least-developed countries (DC and LDC) meet the SPS requirements in their export markets. In this context and as it was felt that serious gaps exist in data gathering and coordination of technical assistance activities in the SPS field, the Standards and Trade Development Facility was established. The European Commission and several of the EU Member States contribute to this facility financially in order to secure its operation. The Commission, and in particular SANCO D3, is contributing substantially to the proper functioning of this facility.

Next to this, considerable effort is provided to Third Countries, in particular the DC and LDC to help them deal with SPS concerns, animal health issues being an important element. SANCO D3 in close collaboration with D1 provides for tailor-made input to expert missions that contain an animal health part.

In addition, D3 ensures that other Commission activities that deal with SPS issues, include animal health related topics and provide for expert knowledge input (e.g. training and technical



assistance programmes from the RELEX family, specific assistance programmes run by DG TRADE, EUCTP, etc) with input from D1 wherever and whenever needed.

### **3.2.6. *Bilateral Affairs***

There are a large number of agreements with certain third countries and Unit D1 participated in the majority of the Joint Management Committee meetings held during the year, under the responsibility of Unit D4. In particular, meetings with the veterinary services were held in China and Thailand mainly for avian influenza and Russia to discuss import and export matters. Some amendments were made to a number of agreements or memoranda of understanding during the year.

Meetings were held with New Caledonia to solve problems over farmed game meat imports, with Australia on possible Bluetongue regionalisation of Australia and request to add Australia as a country authorised to export raw milk to the EU but the main problem for the EU remains their practically zero risk import policy, meetings were held with many other countries including in particular Argentina, Brazil and South Africa.

### **3.3. Information to the Public**

In accordance with the Commission's policy to improve transparency, Unit D1 officials have frequently been invited to participate in and to present papers at international seminars, workshop and meetings concerning animal health and animal welfare policy.

In addition to the formal publication of all legislation produced by the Official Journal, Unit D1 continues to produce a wide range of information to ensure the public has a direct access to the work that is carried out by the unit. This includes:

- DG SANCO's website, including the animal health and animal welfare areas. It provides information on the activity of the different matters Unit D1 deals with including: Live animals; Semen, ova and embryos; Animal products, Animal diseases; Identification, Zootechnics: [http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/index_en.htm)
- Animal diseases control measures (including chronology of the Avian Influenza epidemic). [http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/controlmeasures/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/controlmeasures/index_en.htm)
- Reports of the SCFCAH meetings, which are regularly published on the web and provided to the European Parliament. [http://ec.europa.eu/comm/food/committees/regulatory/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/comm/food/committees/regulatory/index_en.htm)
- Information and details of staging points, assembly centres, quarantine facilities or centres for importation of birds, semen collection centres and embryos collection teams, and Third Countries establishments that have been approved for imports into the EU. <http://circa.europa.eu/Public/irc/sanco/vets/information>
- Regularly updated information concerning General guidance for Third Country authorities on the procedures to be followed when importing live animals and animal products into EU. [http://ec.europa.eu/food/international/trade/importing\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/international/trade/importing_en.htm)
- Weekly updated information concerning the animal health situation in the EU with the Animal Disease Notification System (ADNS). [EUROPA-Animal Health & Welfare-Animal Diseases-Animal Disease Notification System](http://europa.europa.eu/Animal-Health-Welfare-Animal-Diseases-Animal-Disease-Notification-System)

In addition, a range of press releases and other single publications were produced throughout the year. Information on all such publications can be found on the updated animal health and welfare pages of DG SANCO's website.

#### **4. FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND STAFF**

##### **4.1. Financial Resources**

The budget allocated for actions within the area of animal health, zootechnics and animal by-products was given under three different budget lines.

###### **4.1.1. *Animal disease eradication and monitoring programmes***

The management (veterinary evaluation, approval and follow up) and the financing of animal disease eradication and monitoring programmes are under the responsibility of SANCO Unit 04: "Veterinary control programmes".

###### **4.1.2. *Other actions in the veterinary field***

Community financial contributions are available for a number of different activities within the framework of Council Decision 2009/470/EC and are under the responsibility of SANCO Unit 04: "Veterinary control programmes".

These contributions have *inter alia* been used in 2008 for the activities of certain Community reference laboratories in the field of animal health and zootechnics (3,890,000 € for 2009).

###### **4.1.3. *Emergency veterinary measures***

Under the responsibility of SANCO Unit 04.

Following the occurrence of several infectious diseases such as avian influenza, bluetongue, classical swine fever, and others listed in Chapter 1 of Council Decision 90/424/EEC, affected Member States may obtain a financial contribution from the Community for the eradication of the disease, on the condition that certain measures have been implemented:

- the establishment of protection zones
- the imposition of suitable measures to prevent the risk of the spread of infection
- the establishment of a waiting period to be observed after slaughter before re-stocking of the holding
- swift and adequate compensation of livestock farmers (50% EC contribution);
- the compulsory slaughter and destruction of animals of the susceptible species (50% EC contribution);
- the destruction of contaminated feedingstuffs and equipment (50% EC contribution);
- the cleaning, disinfectisation and disinfecting of holdings (50% EC contribution);
- supply of the vaccine (100% EC contribution) and carrying out vaccination (50% EC contribution), where vaccination has been decided in accordance to a Decision.

In particular, for 2009, the EU financing contribution for veterinary emergency measures was 40.7 million euros, covering the costs incurred for the following diseases and countries:

<b>Payments executed in 2008</b>		
Member States	Disease	Amount (€)
Estonia	Newcastle disease -2007	350.527
United Kingdom	Avian influenza - 2007	893.304
Portugal	Avian influenza - 2007	50.085
Denmark	Avian influenza - 2008	177.972
Germany	Newcastle disease - 2008	7.444
Germany	Avian influenza - 2006	306.574
Germany	Avian influenza - 2008 - 2009	2.000.000
Germany	Classical Swine Fever - 2002	44.359
Czech Republic	Avian influenza - 2007	468.949
Germany	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	2.218.495
Germany	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	8.781.505
Netherlands	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	2.611.385
Netherlands	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	1.388.615
Portugal	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	201.977
Portugal	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	698.023
Italy	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	215.502
Spain	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	17.000.000
Luxembourg	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	253.010
Austria	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	1.706.326
Sweden	Bluetongue - 2007-2008	1.281.077
<b>Total</b>		<b>40.655.128</b>

In accordance with the financial regulation, the role of Unit D1 in the payments mentioned above is as the operational initiator and operational verifier, while Unit 04 carries out the financial initiator and verifier roles.

#### **4.2. Staff**

For the year 2009, the unit allocation of posts within the different staff categories was as follows:

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Number</b>
ADs	17
END's (National Experts)	8
ASTs	28
Consultants	3
Trainees	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>57</b>

Information on the roles of individual staff members is given in Annex III.

The missions carried out by the unit have primarily been associated with the seminars, workshops and meetings referred to above. The total number of missions carried out in 2009 was 181 (see Annex IV for details).

## **PART II**

### **SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES IN THE AREA OF ANIMAL HEALTH, ANIMAL BY-PRODUCTS AND ZOOTECHNICS**

During the year 2009, a large number of activities were carried out within the area of animal health, animal by-products and zootechnics for the further development of the Internal Market. These activities related in particular to the preparation and adoption of EU legislation.

#### **1. LEGISLATION**

The EU has a comprehensive set of legislative texts in the area of animal health, animal welfare and zootechnics, with more than 600 Regulations, Directives and Decisions in force. During 2008, Unit D1 was engaged in the preparation of EU legislation, based on article 37 (agricultural matters) and on article 152 of the Treaty (matters having an impact on public health). See the complete list of legislative texts in Part 1 of Annex V.

In relation to the work of Unit D1, and with regard to legislation prepared and adopted by the European Commission, the total number of Decisions (CD), Regulations (CR) and Directives (CDIR) was 61 (43 CD, 18 CR, and 0 CDIR). See Part 2 of Annex V for the number of veterinary legislative texts published per year since 1981.

##### **1.1. SCFCAH**

During 2009, the section of the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health (SCFCAH) concerning *animal health and welfare* met 16 times, most of the time in a joint meeting of the *controls and import section*. The Standing Committee on Zootechnics met 3 times. Numerous points were discussed by the Committee, which gave favourable opinions on 98 draft proposals presented under the responsibility of Unit D1. See details in Annex VII.

In addition to providing secretariat functions for the animal health and welfare section of the Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health, the common secretariat within Unit D1 also dealt with the administration of all the other SCFCAH sections and Standing Committees of Directorates D and E. These sections and Committees met a total of 93 times during 2009.

##### **1.2. Joint meetings**

The Unit also organised all the other meetings under the responsibility of Units D2, D3, D4, D5, and E2, including expert working groups and meetings with representatives of the Member States, acceding States and Third Countries.

## **2. ACTIVITIES IN RELATION TO THE WHITE PAPER ON FOOD SAFETY**

The White Paper on Food Safety was adopted by the Commission in January 2000<sup>5</sup>. In an Action Plan on Food Safety, annexed to the White Paper, 84 actions to be carried out by the Commission services in order to improve food safety (under the stable to table approach) were listed. An on-going actions fall within the responsibility of Unit D1: Action N ° 84.

Action N ° 84 foresees the accession of the European Union to the OIE with the objective to reinforce the participation of the European Union in the elaboration of international animal health standards. During 2003, the Commission concluded negotiations with the OIE, and hence from 23 February 2004, the Commission obtained full observer status within the OIE. The signed exchange of letters formalising this has been published in O.J.215 of 28.8.2004 (page 5). This fulfils an important action laid down in the white paper, and as a result, it re-enforces the participation of the European Union in the elaboration of international health standards.

Since then, a number of exchanges of letters and common actions reinforced the cooperation between the OIE and the EC, but in view of the above and certain legal difficulties with the OIE charter only enabling countries to join, it is unlikely that the EU will become a member of the OIE in its own right in the short to medium term. Nevertheless, in relation with continuously closer relations, a Framework Agreement has been discussed in 2008 and 2009 and will be signed in 2010 (see Part I, 3.2.1.). In the meantime, a task force on OIE was created by Unit D1, which has regularly met since December 2008 and will continue to reflect on how to achieve this action 81. For more information please see also the OIE section in the international affairs section in Part I.

## **3. ANIMAL HEALTH**

### **3.1. EU Veterinary Emergency Team**

Serious animal epidemics in the past have highlighted the importance of having well-prepared, highly-trained personnel available to efficiently manage animal disease outbreaks. In the EU, an extensive experience with eradicating animal diseases has been gained over recent years. In times of crisis, animal disease experts have been called upon to support the authorities of the Member States or Third Countries that were affected by a disease for the first time.

On February 28, 2007 a Commission Decision established an EU Veterinary Emergency Team to assist the Commission in supporting Member States and third countries in veterinary matters relating to certain animal diseases. An EU Veterinary Emergency Team composed of experts was created for veterinary technical assistance on control measures relating to certain animal diseases. Team members were designated from among experts in the field of veterinary epidemiology, virology, wildlife, management of eradication, laboratory diagnostics, organisation of veterinary services and regulatory framework, risk communication, management and any other relevant field for animal disease control. From this list of experts, the Commission selects *ad hoc* team members when a request for assistance is submitted by a Member State or a third country during an animal health emergency. The Commission provides financial cover for all the operations of

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<sup>5</sup> COM (1999) 719 of 12.01.2000

the EU Veterinary Emergency Team and informs the Member States of its activities through the SCFCAH.

Since the adoption on 28 February 2007 of the Decision laying down the principles relating to the Team management, experts have been sent out nine times, to support Cyprus in 2007 (2) in the control of foot and mouth disease, Georgia in 2007 (1) and Armenia in 2007 (1) for African swine fever, Croatia in 2008 (2) for classical swine fever, Slovakia in 2008 (1) for Classical Swine Fever, the Netherlands in 2008 (1) for Bluetongue and Lithuania in 2009 (1) for classical swine fever. DG SANCO itself organises the missions and during such missions colleagues stay in direct contact with the expert. This enables the Commission to take immediate action when necessary.

The EU Veterinary Emergency Team expert list can be consulted on DG SANCO website: [http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/cvet\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/cvet_en.htm)

### **3.2. Animal health situation in the EU**

#### **3.2.1. *Animal Disease Notification System (ADNS)***

Member States have to notify the Commission and the other Member States of outbreaks of specific animal diseases found on their territory. For this purpose, the ADNS system has been developed under Council Directive 82/894/EEC.

The ADNS system enables the Central Veterinary authority of each of the 27 Member States, Switzerland, Norway, Iceland, Andorra, the Faeroe Islands and the Western Balkan countries, to notify the Commission and the other participating States of new disease outbreaks, in accordance with specific procedures and a codified system. The formats and codes to be used are laid down in CD 2005/176/EC. This avoids the difficulty caused by the use of different languages.

The web-based ADNS system simplifies input via the web by using drop down menus on structured input screens and gives users access to the detailed information on any outbreak notified to the system. During 2009, this web-based system was further updated to take into account new IT technologies and to add to the system new functionalities that will enable the users to make better and more efficient use of it.

In 2009, hundreds of outbreaks of animal diseases listed in Annex I to Directive 82/894/EEC were notified via the web interface. The Commission dispatched each week to all Member States information on the animal health situation in the EU, as reported through ADNS.

Details of the disease situation in the EU and in other participating countries can be found in Annex VI. All information is based on notifications received from the different countries. For more information visit:

[http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/adns/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/adns/index_en.htm)

**The following notifiable diseases were notified by Member States in 2009:**

- African swine fever (both in domestic pigs and wild boar)
- Avian influenza (HPAI and LPAI - both in domestic poultry and wild birds)
- Bluetongue
- Bovine spongiform encephalopathy
- Classical swine fever (both in domestic pigs and wild boar)
- Equine encephalomyelitis
- Equine infectious anaemia
- Infection with *Bonamia ostreae*
- Infection with *Marteilia refringens*
- Infectious haematopoietic necrosis
- Infectious salmon anaemia
- Koi herpes virus disease
- Newcastle disease
- Swine vesicular disease
- Viral haemorrhagic septicaemia

**The following notifiable diseases were not notified to the Commission in 2009:**

- African horse sickness
- Contagious bovine pleuropneumonia
- Dourine
- Epizootic haematopoietic necrosis
- Epizootic ulcerative syndrome
- Foot and mouth disease
- Glanders
- Infection with *Bonamia exitiosa*
- Infection with *Microcytos mackini*
- Infection with *Perkinsus marinus*
- Lumpy skin disease
- Peste des petits ruminants
- Rift valley fever
- Rinderpest (cattle plague)
- Sheep and goat pox (Capripox)
- Small hive beetle (*Aethina tumida*)
- Taura Syndrome
- *Tropilaelaps* mite
- Vesicular stomatitis
- White spot disease
- Yellowhead disease

### **3.2.2. Avian influenza (AI)**

Council Directive 2005/94/EC on AI includes control and eradication measures for both highly pathogenic AI (HPAI) and low pathogenic avian influenza (LPAI) which concerns AI viruses of the H5 and H7 subtypes, as those have shown a potential to mutate to HPAI viruses. Additional protection measures that were laid down to specifically combat the spread of the "Asian" strain HPAI H5N1 have further reduced the impact of the disease on animals and humans. Since the start of the epidemic in 2003, no human death caused by HPAI H5N1 has occurred. Protection measures include early detection systems in poultry holdings, routine surveillance for AI in poultry and wild birds, biosecurity measures at farm level, the establishment of additional buffer zones with movement restrictions around outbreaks in poultry and control and hygienic measures on poultry holdings when those are at risk of becoming infected due to the disease detected in wild birds.

The avian influenza situation during 2009 was very favourable characterised by only one outbreak of HPAI in poultry and one in wild birds. A total of 50 outbreaks of LPAI in poultry were reported mainly in backyard poultry.

#### **3.2.2.1. Highly pathogenic avian influenza in poultry**

In 2009 no outbreak of HPAI of the H5N1 subtype was reported. The last outbreak caused by the HPAI H5N1 virus in the EU had occurred in Germany in 2008 in a small mixed poultry holding.

However, in October 2009 **Spain** recorded one outbreak of HPAI of the H7N7 subtype one in a large commercial layer farm located in the autonomous region of Castilla-La Mancha. On that farm the poultry had no access to the open.

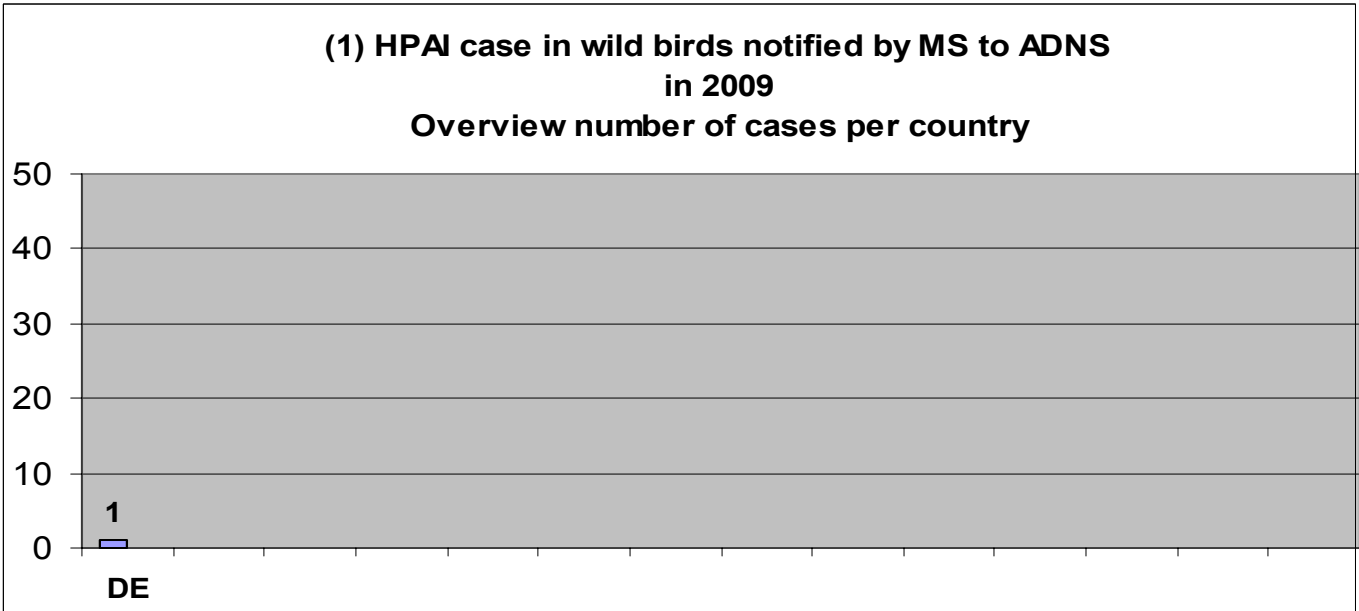
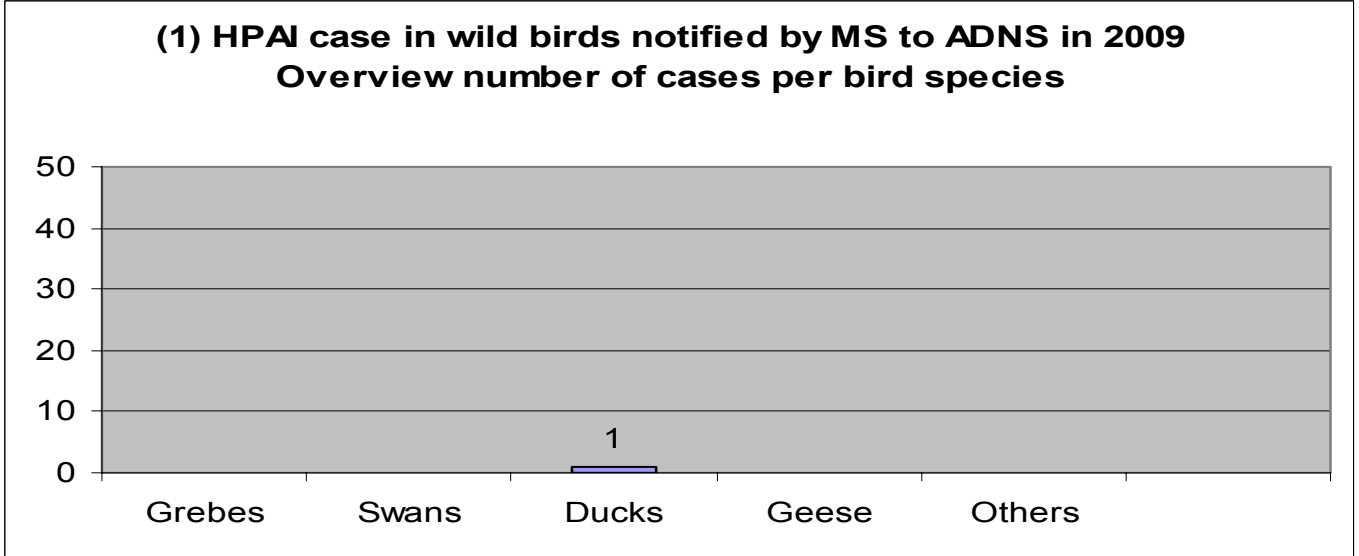
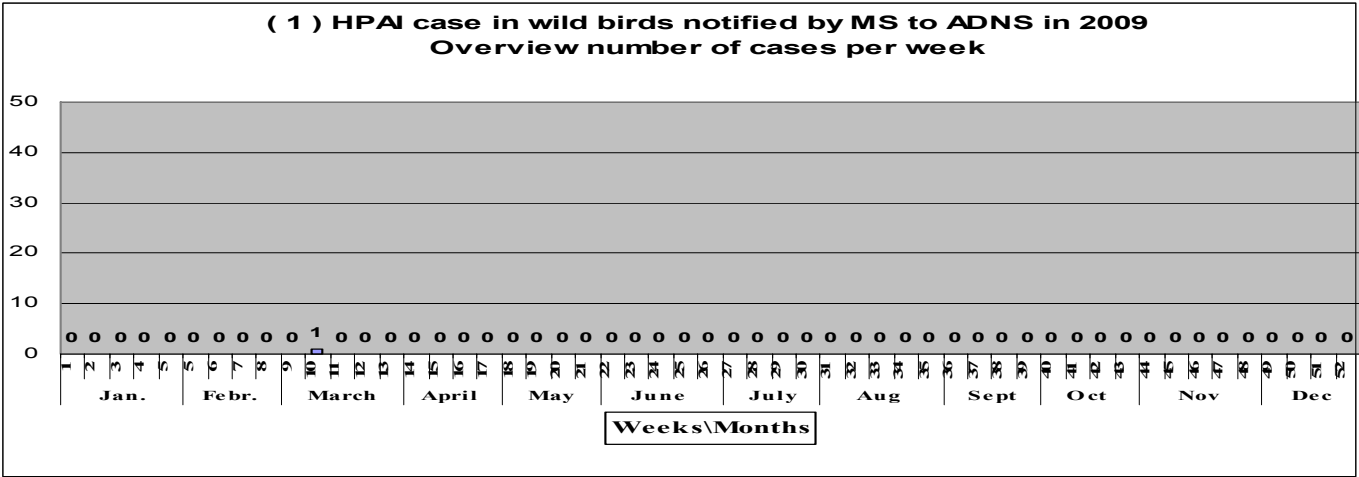
#### **3.2.2.2. Highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI H5N1) in wild birds**

##### **3.2.2.3.**

In 2009 only one positive case of HPAI H5N1 was detected in March in a wild mallard shot during hunting in Bavaria, Germany.

This compares to 11 cases of HPAI H5 in wild birds found in the UK during 2008.





#### 3.2.2.4. Low pathogenic avian influenza (LPAI) in poultry

In 2009, a total of 50 outbreaks of LPAI in poultry were reported from six Member States, while 38 outbreaks were recorded in four Member States during 2008.

In the **Czech Republic**, two outbreaks were detected. One outbreak of LPAI of the H7N9 subtype was confirmed in February in a holding keeping breeding geese and mallards in the South Moravian Region and in November infection with LPAI of the subtype H5N3 was confirmed in mallards game birds kept for restocking close to Ceské Budejovice in the region of Southern Bohemia.

**France** confirmed in total three outbreaks of LPAI in poultry during 2009. In February, LPAI of the H5N3 subtype was confirmed in the Vendée département in one breeder duck farm and a close-by farm keeping ducks for fatty liver production. A further outbreak of the H5 subtype was reported from a fattening duck holding in November in the département of Deux Sèvres.

In addition to these LPAI outbreaks in poultry, LPAI was also detected during routine surveillance in decoy birds used for hunting purposes in the départements of Pas de Calais (subtype H5N2) and Calvados (subtype H5N1).

**Germany** has reported six LPAI outbreaks in 2009. Four of those outbreaks all confirmed in January were still linked to the LPAI epidemic of the subtype H5N3 that had occurred in late 2008 in Lower Saxony in the Landkreis Cloppenburg affecting almost exclusively fattening turkeys. During that epidemic a total of 33 outbreaks had occurred.

Two further outbreaks occurred in April of LPAI of the H7H7 subtype in a turkey holding in the Landkreis Kleve, Land North Rhine Westphalia and in November in Thuringia in a mixed poultry farm caused by an LPAI virus of the H5 subtype.

**Italy** recorded 37 outbreaks of LPAI. While the first four outbreaks in April and May were attributed to LPAI virus of the H5 subtype, the following 33 outbreaks that were detected until 31/12/2009 were related to the H7 subtype. Only 6 holdings were commercial holdings while the majority of the affected holdings concerned dealer holdings and small rural holdings. The outbreaks affected 11 out of 20 Italian regions. The situation is complicated by the type of holdings concerned such as dealers keeping many different poultry species of poultry including gallinaceous and waterfowl poultry species and trading even beyond region borders which makes disease control measures difficult.

**Romania** has detected one LPAI outbreak of the H5N3 subtype in February in a small poultry holding in Tulcea county, located in the Danube Delta.

**Spain** reported in June one outbreak of LPAI of the H5 subtype in a duck fattening farm in Navarra.

### **3.2.2.5. Surveillance for avian influenza in poultry and wild birds**

Since 2003, EU Member States have been implementing AI surveillance programmes in domestic poultry and wild birds co-financed by the European Commission with the main objective to early detect the introduction of LPAI of H5 and H7 subtypes in poultry farms from the wild bird reservoir with a view to possibly prevent their eventual mutation to HPAI. Surveys cover different poultry production systems targeting those deemed at increased risk for virus introduction such as free range husbandry systems, multi-age and multi-species poultry farms.

Samples from poultry are taken for serological laboratory investigations and positive findings need to be followed up by further clinical, epidemiological and laboratory examinations for virus detection. Wild bird surveys focus on sampling of migratory waterfowl and shorebirds representing a well-known reservoir for all LPAI subtypes for virological testing.

Following the spread of the Asian lineage HPAI H5N1 towards Europe, surveillance in wild birds has been modified and intensified mainly by increased passive surveillance of wild birds found dead and active surveillance in living and hunted birds in particular of species migrating from areas affected by HPAI H5N1 outbreaks and therefore presenting a higher risk for AI introduction. Collaboration with ornithologists has been enhanced and surveillance guidelines are under ongoing review to adapt them to the evolving epidemiological situation.

The surveillance programmes that had to be implemented by Member States during 2009 according to agreed guidelines were co-financed by the Commission up to 50% of Member States' expenses for laboratory testing and sampling of wild birds. A total sum of 4.5 million euro was allocated for that purpose. More than 30.000 poultry holdings and more than 45 000 wild birds have been tested in that framework.

While Unit 04 (Veterinary control programmes) handles chiefly the financial issues of surveillance and eradication programmes, Unit D1 is mainly dealing with the technical matters in collaboration with the EU Reference Laboratory in Weybridge, UK. Surveillance reports are available under:

[http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/controlmeasures/avian/eu\\_resp\\_surveillance\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/diseases/controlmeasures/avian/eu_resp_surveillance_en.htm)

### **3.2.2.6. Control measures applied in affected MS**

In the EU there is a high level of disease awareness and preparedness in relation to AI. When outbreaks of AI occur in poultry, the stringent control, surveillance and biosecurity measures in accordance with Directive 2005/94/EC are applied in Member States. In relation to HPAI of the Asian subtype H5N1, Member States apply additional measures laid down in Commission Decision 2006/415/EC establishing restriction zones A and B around poultry outbreaks with supplementary restrictions on movements of live poultry and poultry products.

If HPAI H5N1 is detected in wild birds, measures as laid down in Commission Decision 2006/563/EC require the establishment of control and monitoring areas with intensified wild bird surveillance and enhancement of biosecurity and investigations in poultry holdings.

Commission Decisions concerning protection measures in Member States were taken in relation to the single outbreak of HPAI of H7N7 subtype in Spain. The Commission has drawn up a set of standard safeguard decisions which allow a quick adoption of urgent interim protection measures by the Commission.

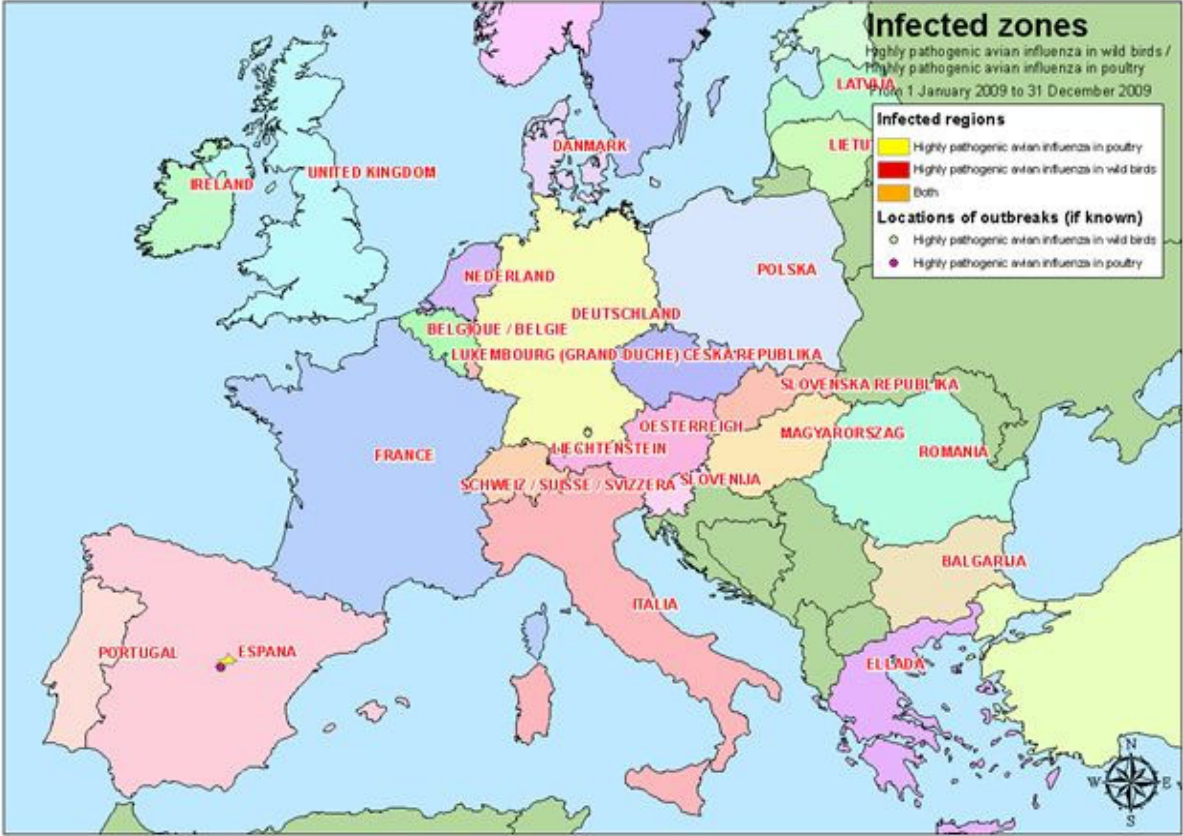


Figure 2: Highly pathogenic and pathogenic avian influenza in poultry and wild birds

**3.2.2.7. Vaccination against AI**

Directive 2005/94/EC foresees both emergency (short term) vaccination of poultry and captive birds in response to disease outbreaks on the Member States' territory and in neighbouring countries and preventive (long term) vaccination against AI. In both situations, the decision to apply vaccination must be based on the outcome of the Member State's risk assessment. A DIVA vaccination strategy (Differentiating Infected from Vaccinated Animals) must be employed by using a vaccine strain of a heterologous subtype from the circulating field strain accompanied by stringent clinical and laboratory surveillance of vaccinated and unvaccinated flocks to detect an eventual virus infection and unnoticed circulation in vaccinated birds. This is in particular important for enabling the marketing of offspring and poultry products from vaccinated birds.

**3.2.2.7.1. Vaccination against AI in poultry**

During 2009, only two Member States carried out vaccination against AI in poultry.

- **Netherlands**

Preventive vaccination on a voluntary basis for backyard hobby poultry and free range laying hens that cannot be satisfactorily confined throughout the Dutch territory has been carried out since February 2006. The vaccination campaign was discontinued by end July 2009.

- **Portugal**

Emergency vaccination was introduced following the detection of four outbreaks of LPAI H5N2/H5N3 subtypes in three game bird holdings and a broiler farm during the second half year of 2007 in the central parts of Portugal in the regions of Ribatejo Norte and Oeste. The vaccination plan concerned only one holding with valuable breeding mallards. No further outbreaks occurred during 2008. Vaccination with a bivalent vaccine continued to further maintain the birds' immunity under a preventive vaccination plan that was approved by the Commission 2008/838/EC until end July 2009.

### **3.2.2.7.2. Vaccination against AI in other captive birds (zoo birds)**

Interest of vaccination of zoo birds that had been approved in 17 Member States (Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, The Netherlands and the United Kingdom) has further decreased and was implemented to a lesser extent than in previous years, most likely due the decreased perceived risk.

### **3.2.3. *Pandemic (H1N1) 2009 influenza in animals***

Unit D1 has in collaboration with Unit C3 closely followed the situation as regards the H1N1 influenza in humans which emerged by mid April 2009 in Mexico and USA and was declared to be a human pandemic on 11 June 2009.

In early May the virus was first detected in a pig farm in Canada and then in many countries worldwide including Australia, Argentina and several EU Member States.

The infection with the pandemic virus showed the same clinical picture as infection with the swine influenza viruses which are endemic in the EU causing fever and respiratory symptoms. To a much lesser extent the infection also appeared in turkey breeders (Chile and Canada) and later also in France.

The Veterinary Laboratory Agency, Weybridge, UK (EU Reference Laboratory for Avian Influenza) has been assigned by the Commission to carry out in collaboration with other EU laboratories pig infection studies with the pandemic (H1N1) 2009 influenza virus which has yielded valuable information on the susceptibility of pigs to the virus and pig-to pig transmission. A brainstorming meeting of scientists, risk assessors and risk managers on the pandemic (H1N1) 2009 influenza at the human animal interface organised by the Commission with the support of ECDC and EFSA took place on 9 June 2009 in Brussels. It focused on the potential risks posed by that virus at the interface between humans and animals. Scientists from the public health, animal health and food safety field from the EU, USA, Canada and Russia attended the meeting.

To support Member States in confronting infections in their animal populations two guidance documents for "Surveillance/monitoring and control measures for the pandemic (H1N1) 2009 influenza virus" were drawn up by the Commission for pigs and for poultry following discussion with Member States and consultation of stakeholders.

The recommended measures include targeted surveillance in farms having a specified risk (linked to human cases) and sustainable movement restrictions for infected animals for a period of seven days after the clinical signs have disappeared. Animals that have recovered from the clinical symptoms can go to slaughter under the general hygienic provisions of the food law. It also highlighted that Influenza is not a food borne zoonosis and it does not spread to humans by meat or meat products and therefore no food safety concerns exist.

Biosecurity measures should be strictly followed in particular with a view to prevent infection of pigs and poultry by sick persons. Surveillance should be carried out in a targeted manner i.e. in holdings where an epidemiological link to human cases has been clearly established and where an identified risk of human-to-pig transmission exists.

The key principles to be taken into account for any kind of measure are **vigilance, proportionality** and **flexibility**.

A conference on "Influenza at the human-animal interface" with participation of international experts organised by the Commission in the frame of the EU Veterinary Week was held on 30 October 2009. It concluded that a coordinated and global approach for disease prevention and control is needed which includes collaboration with international organisations such as the OIE, the FAO, the WHO. The 'One health' concept should be retained as a core notion and further developed to address pandemic (H1N1) 2009 influenza.

### **3.2.4. Newcastle disease**

#### **3.2.4.1. EU legislation on Newcastle disease**

The control measures for Newcastle disease (ND) are laid down in Council Directive 92/66/EEC. In case of disease outbreaks, current EU legislation requires the implementation of specific control measures in the infected holdings and in areas around the outbreaks. These include stamping-out of all poultry on the infected holding, destruction of eggs, meat, manure, slurry etc. Both prophylactic and emergency vaccination can be authorised by the Member States. When disease is detected in pigeons these birds must not be killed, but can be placed in quarantine instead.

For wild bird cases, MS have the obligation to inform the Commission of the measures they are taking (for e.g. they may apply more stringent hygienic measures in poultry farms to prevent disease introduction). MS are obliged to report via the Animal Disease Notification System (ADNS) outbreaks in poultry or birds kept in captivity. Cases in wild birds do not need to be notified through this system.

### 3.2.4.2. Newcastle disease outbreaks in Member States reported in 2009

In 2009, 22 ND outbreaks in 7 Member States were reported through ADNS:

<b>Member State</b>	<b>Number of outbreaks</b>
ES	1 (farmed game birds)
NL	10 (pigeons)
BE	8 (pigeons)
IT	1 (pigeon)
SE	1 (breeding poultry)
BG	6 (backyard poultry)
RO	2 (parrots and backyard poultry)

### 3.2.4.3. Control measures applied in the affected Member States

All Member States applied the control measures as laid down in Council Directive 92/66/EEC. Mainly due to insufficient vaccination coverage of backyard poultry flocks the disease was not immediately brought under control in Bulgaria and Romania. Disease control in pigeons in Netherlands and Belgium also required some efforts due to various epidemiological links.. The Commission kept other Member States and trading partners regularly informed about the disease evolution, the measures taken, and the respective trade restrictions. No protection measures were taken at EU level.

### 3.2.4.4. Vaccination policy

The EU policy on ND control allows the use of prophylactic and emergency vaccination. All Member States except Sweden and Finland apply a prophylactic vaccination policy. The non-vaccinating status is officially recognised by Commission decisions and allows those Member States to require additional testing and certification when trading in live poultry and hatching eggs from a country or Member State that carries out vaccination. Member States need also to ensure that only vaccinated racing pigeons may participate in races and shows.

## 3.2.5. *Classical swine fever*

### 3.2.5.1. Situation of Classical swine fever in domestic pigs

Apart from only one Classical swine fever (CSF) outbreak in Lithuania in July 2009, no further outbreaks were recorded in the EU. A breeding farm with 445 pigs was affected. Molecular epidemiological investigations could prove that the CSF virus causing the outbreak must have been introduced from outside the EU.

Romania stopped end of 2009 its emergency vaccination program for CSF, approved by Commission Decision 2006/802/EC<sup>6</sup>. All pigs in back yard holdings (approximately 2,000,000 holdings with in total approximately 4,500,000 pigs) were vaccinated with a conventional live attenuated vaccine. The programme started in December 2006 and had a favourable influence. No outbreaks of CSF were notified in Romania in 2009.

However, protective measures remained in place for the whole territory of Romania in application of Decision 2006/779/EC<sup>7</sup>. The Decision provides for the prohibition on the dispatch from Romania of live pigs, of porcine semen, ova and embryos of swine, of fresh meat of pigs, and meat preparations and meat products consisting of, or containing meat of pigs, to other Member States. These measures were prolonged by Commission Decision 2007/630/EC<sup>8</sup> until 31/12/2009.

### **3.2.5.2. Situation of Classical swine fever in feral pigs**

CSF situation in wild boar did not changed considerably compared to 2008. Cases of CSF were reported from Hungary, Slovakia, Germany, Romania and Bulgaria. The EU measures laid down in Decision 2008/885/EC<sup>9</sup> remained in place for the affected areas. Oral vaccination against CSF in wild boar has been conducted in the affected regions of Slovakia, Germany, Romania, France and Bulgaria.

### **3.2.6. *African swine fever***

As the years before, in 2009 African swine fever (ASF) was detected only in Sardinia, Italy. Four outbreaks have been notified in the provinces of Nouro (3) and Cagliari (1).

The Italian surveillance and eradication program on ASF in Sardinia, approved by CD 2005/362/EC, remained in place during 2009 and the animal health protection measures against ASF in Sardinia, Italy, as laid down in CD 2005/363/EC continued to apply.

### **3.2.7. *Swine vesicular disease***

Within the EU only Italy was affected by Swine vesicular disease (SVD) in 2009 and the disease is still considered to be present in the regions of Campania and Calabria. However, secondary outbreaks were also detected in central and Northern Italy. Nevertheless the situation improved compared with the previous years. In 2008 sixty-five outbreaks were notified in Italy while in 2009 only 18.

Since 1995, Italy has also taken additional eradication and monitoring measures for SVD covering the whole country. These measures are laid down in yearly programmes for the eradication and monitoring of SVD presented by Italy and approved according to the provisions of articles 24(6),

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<sup>6</sup> OJ No. L 329, 25.11.2006, p. 34.

<sup>7</sup> OJ No. L 314, 15.11.2006, p. 48

<sup>8</sup> OJ L 255, 29.09.2007, p. 44

<sup>9</sup> OJ L 302, 13.11.2008, p.19



29 and 32 of Council Decision 90/424/EEC of 26 June 1990, as last amended, on expenditure in the veterinary field.

### **3.2.8. *Bluetongue***

The year 2009 was marked by a strong decline of Bluetongue virus (BTV) outbreaks, and in particular of serotype 1 and serotype 8 in areas where mass vaccination was performed.

More than 1100 outbreaks were notified in 2009, which is approx. 25% of the number of outbreaks in the year 2008. About 50% of the outbreaks were caused by BTV serotype 1 (Spain and Portugal), and approximately 25% by serotype 8. Not clearly visible in the map (Figure 3), Greece notified more than 180 BTV 16 outbreaks (on the Island of Lesbos).

The control of Bluetongue (BT) is based on vaccination, protection from vectors attack, and restrictions on animal movements and surveillance. Movement restrictions for live animals are implemented in principle in an area of approximately 150 km around the disease outbreaks to avoid further disease spread due to animal movements. However, the movement of the insect vectors are impossible to control, so the effectiveness of movement restrictions to control disease spread is limited. Commission Regulation (EC) No 1266/2007 introduced new rules on the definitions of case and outbreak, restricted zones, and seasonally free period; compulsory monitoring and surveillance; reporting on BT and simplified listing of restricted zones. As regards the conditions for movements of animals from a BT restricted zone to a free zone, the Regulation offers a set of alternatives (health guarantees) that provide for safe trade of animals from the affected areas. One of the options is vaccination.

On two occasions in 2009, amendments were introduced in Regulation (EC) No 1266/2007. The most important is the introduction of "lower risk areas" which makes it possible to use vaccines in a preventative way in areas where the bluetongue virus is not circulating. Another important amendment involves the housing of animals in a "vector proof establishment" for a specific period of time before movements of animals from a BT restricted zone to a free zone to prevent the exposure of the animals to infected vectors. This is in line with OIE standards.

As regards vaccination, the programmes for 2009 were dealt with in the context of eradication programs (in 2008, they were co-financed as emergency measures). Commission Decision 2008/897/EC amended by Decision 2009/858/EC approved the surveillance and vaccination programmes of 24 Member States for 2009 allocating ~104 MEUR for co-financing these programmes. Generally speaking, there was a continuation of the vaccination programmes of 2008.

On the basis of the experience of the past 4 years, the Commission started in December 2009 the dialogue with the CVOs for a more sustainable and effective BT policy with appropriate control measures.

Figure 3: Bluetongue outbreaks notified to the Animal Disease Notification System (ADNS) in 2009

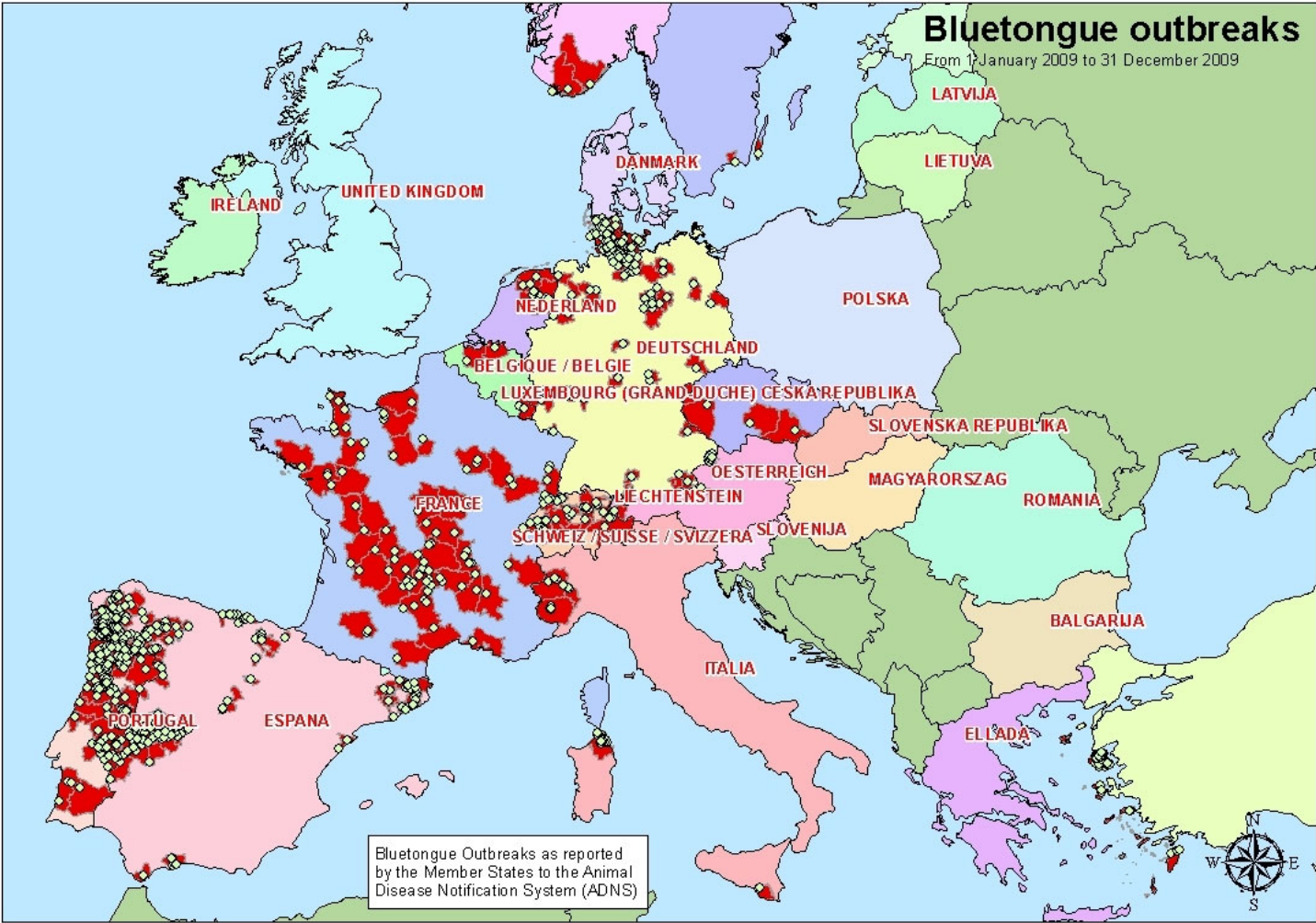
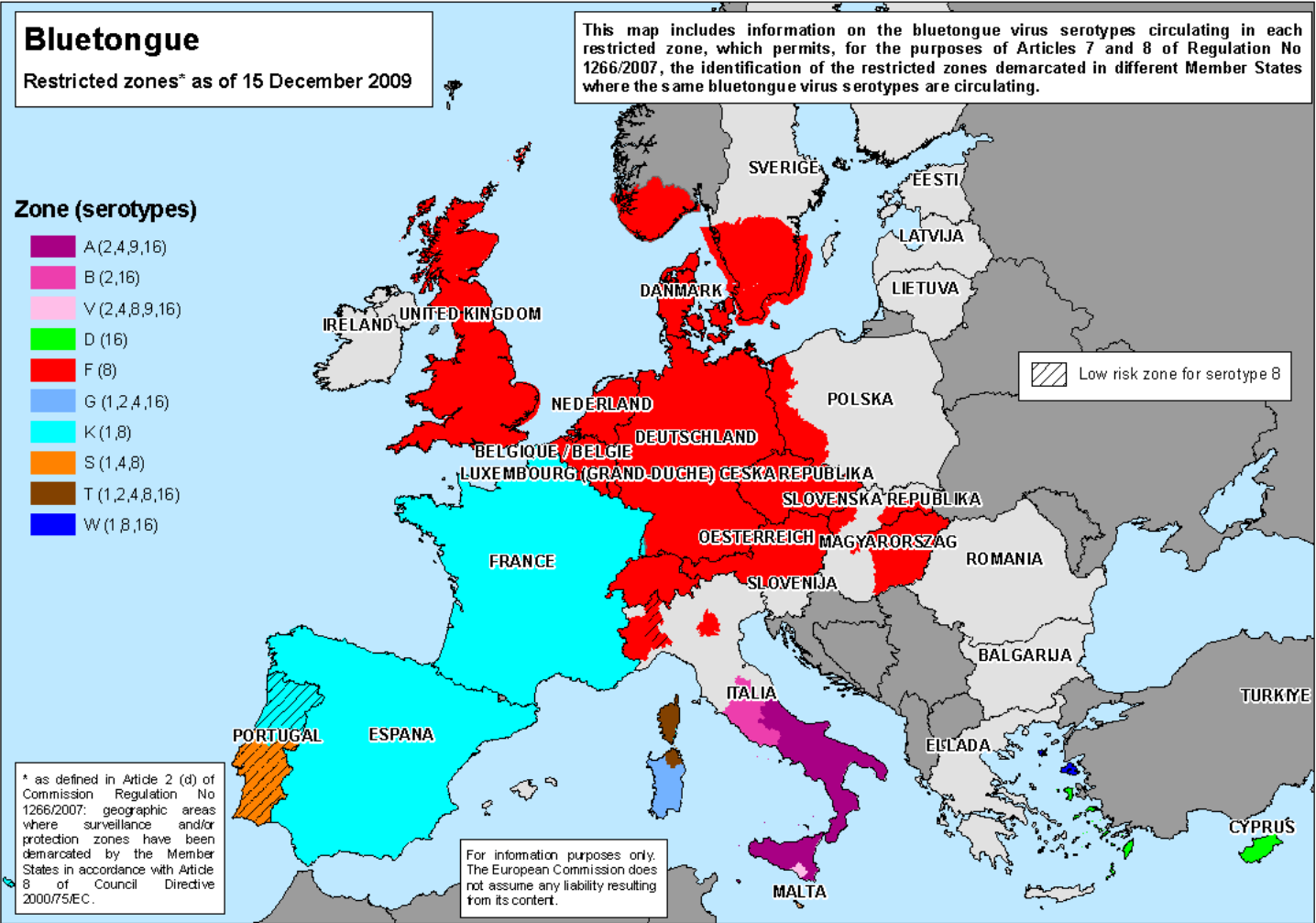


Figure 4: Bluetongue restricted zones as of 15 December 2009



### **3.2.9. *Foot and mouth disease***

#### **3.8.2.1. 38th General Session of EuFMD**

The 38th General Session of the European Commission for the control of foot and mouth disease (EuFMD) took place in Rome on 28-30 April 2009. A number of recommendations were issued as a result of the meeting and these are listed here:

[www.fao.org/ag/againfo/commissions/docs/genses38/REPORT\\_38.pdf](http://www.fao.org/ag/againfo/commissions/docs/genses38/REPORT_38.pdf)

#### **3.8.2.2. Global Conference**

Two colleagues from DG SANCO participated in and contributed to the OIE/FAO Global Conference on foot and mouth disease "The way towards global control" in Paraguay: 24 to 26 June 2009. Further information on this global conference can be found here:

[www.oie.int/ENG/A\\_FMD2009/WELCOME-FMD.html](http://www.oie.int/ENG/A_FMD2009/WELCOME-FMD.html)

<http://en.mercopress.com/2009/06/24/paraguay-hosts-global-conference-to-eradicate-fmd-in-poor-countries>

[www.oie.int/ENG/A\\_FMD2009/recomandations/FMD%20Global%20Conf\\_Final%20Recommendations\\_Version%208.pdf](http://www.oie.int/ENG/A_FMD2009/recomandations/FMD%20Global%20Conf_Final%20Recommendations_Version%208.pdf)

#### **3.2.8.3. The FMD Week in Istanbul (5-9 October 2009)**

The OIE/FAO/EC-Bulgaria-Greece-Turkey Tripartite meeting on control of FMD and other exotic diseases in the southern Balkans/Aegean region, the 78th Session of the Executive Committee of the EuFMD and the annual progress meeting on Controlling Transboundary Animal Diseases in Central Asian Countries took place in during one, FMD-devoted, week in Istanbul. SANCO/D1 participated in and contributed to the success of this series of meetings.

### **3.2.10. *Diseases in aquaculture animals***

#### **3.2.10.1. Exotic diseases (Listed in Part II of Annex IV to Directive 2006/88/EC)**

During 2009, there were no notifications of any of the exotic diseases listed in Directive 2006/88/EC.

#### **3.2.10.2. Non-Exotic diseases (Listed in Part II of Annex IV to Directive 2006/88/EC)**

The disease situation as concerns non-Exotic diseases within the EU is variable. The diseases are present, and even considered as endemic, in certain parts of the EU, while being absent in other areas.

- **Fish diseases (Viral haemorrhagic septicaemia (VHS), Infectious haematopoietic necrosis (IHN), Koi herpes virus disease (KHV) and Infectious salmon anaemia (ISA)).**

- **VHS and IHN**

The territories of the UK, including Guernsey and the Isle of Man, Ireland (excluding Cape Clear Island as regards VHS), Sweden and Cyprus are approved areas as regards freedom from VHS and IHN. Furthermore, several zones in Spain, France and Italy and a few in Germany are approved for VHS and IHN. The continental and coastal territory of Finland is recognised as an approved zone with regard to IHN and VHS except a restriction area with special measures to control VHS. The entire territory of Denmark is recognised as an approved zone with regard to IHN. Certain areas in Denmark are approved also with regard to VHS while an EU co-financed VHS eradication programme covers those areas where the disease is still endemic.

In Austria, Belgium, Germany, France, Italy, Spain, Slovenia and Denmark, a number of farms/compartments are recognised as free of one or both diseases. There has been a steady increase in the number of disease free zones and compartments.

During 2009, 52 VHS outbreaks were reported via ADNS by the Member States: Belgium (1), Denmark (1), Germany (13), Finland (6), Poland (19), Slovakia (8), Slovenia (3) and Switzerland (1). A total of 7 outbreaks of IHN were reported by Germany (3), Italy (1), and Poland (3).

- **KHV**

This disease was not previously under the scope of the EU legislation. This explains why there are no areas with a recognized KHV-free areas. Nevertheless, an EU co-financed KHV eradication programme has been approved covering the whole Land of Saxony in Germany.

During 2009, 155 KHV outbreaks were reported via ADNS by the Member States: Belgium (8), Czech Republic (4), Germany (107), Poland (34), Slovenia (1) and Sweden (1).

- **ISA**

The whole EU remains free of ISA, except the South West Shetland Islands of UK, where ISA was detected. UK has established an eradication programme for that area.

- **Mollusc diseases: infection with *Bonamia ostrea* (Bonamiosis) and infection with *Marteilia refringens* (Marteiliosis)**

The whole coastline of Ireland and United Kingdom is approved as free in regard to Bonamiosis and Marteiliosis (except some areas in Great Britain and Ireland as regards Bonamiosis and parts of Jersey as regards Marteiliosis).

Limfjorden, in Denmark, maintained its free status with regard to Bonamiosis and Marteiliosis.

For several years, programmes intended to achieve approved free status with regard to Bonamiosis and Marteiliosis have been applied in large areas of France.

During 2009, 2 outbreaks of infection with *Marteilia refringens* have been notified by Italy.

- **Emerging diseases: Ostreid herpes virus-1 microvar**

During 2009 increased mortalities in Pacific oysters (*Crassostrea gigas*) were detected in France, in parts of Ireland and on Jersey (UK). While there were uncertainties as regards the causes of the mortalities, the epidemiological investigations undertaken in Ireland and UK suggested that Ostreid herpesvirus-1 (OsHV-1) including a newly described genotype of that virus named OsHV-1  $\mu$ var played an important role in the mortalities. France and Ireland took measures to prevent the spread of the mortalities. The need to harmonise these measures at EU level was discussed with the Member States throughout the autumn of 2009 (which in 2010 led to the adoption of Commission Regulation (EU) No 175/2010 of 2 March 2010 implementing Council Directive 2006/88/EC as regards measures to control increased mortality in oysters of the species *Crassostrea gigas* in connection with the detection of Ostreid herpesvirus 1  $\mu$ var (OsHV-1  $\mu$ var)).

- **Crustacean diseases: White spot disease**

This disease was not previously under the scope of the EU legislation. This explains why there are not recognized WSD-free areas.

During 2009, no WSD outbreaks were notified by Member States.

### 3.2.10.3. Diseases for which some Member States have measures approved according to Decision 2004/453/EC

Infectious pancreatic necrosis (IPN), Bacterial kidney disease (BKD), Spring viraemia of carp (SVC) and infection with *Gyrodactylus salaris* are diseases for which some Member States are granted additional guarantees according to Decision 2004/453/EC, based on freedom of the disease in question or the establishment of eradication programmes with the aim to obtain freedom. The table below gives an overview over areas covered by the additional guarantees.

	<b>IPN</b>	<b>BKD</b>	<b>SVC</b>	<b><i>G. salaris</i></b>
Denmark			Free	
Finland	Free (continental parts)	Eradication programme (continental parts)	Free	Free (2 water catchment areas)
Ireland		Free		Free
Sweden	Free (continental parts) and Eradication programme (The coastal parts of the territory)	Eradication programme (continental parts)	Free	
United Kingdom	Free (The Isle of Man)	Free (Northern Ireland, The	Free (Northern Ireland, The	Free

		Isle of Man and Jersey) and Eradication programme (territories of Great Britain)	Isle of Man, Jersey and Guernsey) and Eradication programme (territories of Great Britain)	
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### 3.3. EU Reference Laboratories

A network of European Union Reference Laboratories (EU-RLs) has been gradually established to ensure co-ordination between Member States national reference laboratories and provide harmonised diagnosis of some of the diseases for which European Union (EU) legislation is in place. This network plays an important role in the implementation and development of the EU policy on animal diseases.

The functions and duties of the EURLs were in particular related to harmonisation of diagnostic methods for the disease control. EU finance was made available under CD 2009/961/EU. The majority of EURLs organised inter-laboratory comparative tests for the National Reference Laboratories of the Member States. EU funds were made available under CD 2009/961/EU.

#### European Union Reference Laboratories' evaluation

In accordance with the [Communication from the Commission on a new Animal Health Strategy for the EU and in the Action Plan of the new Animal Health Strategy](#), DG SANCO carried out an external evaluation of the EURLs in the field of animal health and live animals for 2009.

The main purpose of the evaluation was to assess the performance of the EURLs during the past 15 years, especially as regards effectiveness and efficiency and to identify areas for improvement to ensure high quality and harmonisation of laboratory testing of animal diseases across the EU, taking into account the current animal health situation in the EU.

The scope of the evaluation will concern the following EURLs in the field of animal health and live animals: EURLs for avian influenza, Newcastle disease, bluetongue, classical swine fever, African swine fever, swine vesicular disease, African horse sickness, rabies serology, fish diseases, molluscs' diseases, zootechnics and for transmissible spongiform encephalopathies. EURLs for foot-and-mouth disease, Brucellosis, equine diseases other than African horse sickness, crustacean diseases, rabies and bovine tuberculosis are not included in the evaluation as they have been appointed only very recently.

The evaluation was performed by an external contractor (VetEffect-Agraceas consortium) selected through an Open Call for Tender. The final report of the evaluation can be found in the SANCO website.

See the list of EU Reference Laboratories in Annex VIII.

### **3.4. Animal vaccines**

#### **3.4.1. *Foot and mouth disease vaccines***

As the European Union is free of foot-and-mouth disease (FMD) in order to protect EU livestock and based on risk assessment, EU has been assisting neighbouring third countries infected by or at risk of FMD supplying them with vaccines reconstructed from EU antigen stocks.

In 2009, the EU FMD antigen bank has been operated in order to contribute to the vaccination campaign against FMD in Iraq, Iran and Lebanon.

Consequently, and taking account of the report of the Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) World Reference Laboratory for Foot-and-Mouth Disease, which is also the EU Reference Laboratory for foot-and-mouth disease, on a list of priority antigens recommended for antigen banks, which was endorsed by the Technical Committee in October 2008 and by the 77th Meeting of the Executive Committee in December 2008 of the European Commission for the Control of Foot-and-Mouth Disease (EuFMD) at the FAO, CD 2009/486/EC was adopted in order to allocate funds for replacement and purchase of new foot-and-mouth disease virus antigens.

#### **3.4.2. *Classical swine fever vaccines***

The EU has purchased 2 x 1,000,000 doses of live attenuated classical swine fever vaccine (CD 2003/22/EC and CD 2006/649/EC) and made arrangements for keeping it in stock and making it rapidly available in case of an emergency vaccination of domestic pigs. As those doses have been made available to Romania in December 2006 and in July 2007, they needed to be replaced. For that purpose and in order to maintain the EU's capability to respond quickly to the need to carry out emergency vaccination against classical swine fever CD 2007/682/EC was issued. This Decision allows for a quick replacement of the vaccine stock when depleted by 1,000,000 doses up to four times during a period of five years after the date of the first purchase.

## **4. TRADE**

### **4.1. Intra-EU trade**

#### **4.1.1. *Background***

The general animal health requirements applicable to the trade of animals and certain products of animal origin (e.g. germinal products) are laid down in a number of Council Directives. A health certificate must accompany all such consignments being moved. This makes the Animal Health Certificate a very important part of the legislation as it puts the onus for ensuring requirements are met for trade, on the veterinarian signing the certificate and on the veterinary administration in the Member State of origin. The use of veterinary frontier controls relating to intra-EU trade



in live animals and animal products was phased out in 1993 and replaced by the following measures being implemented by the Member States:

- registration and identification of holding and animals;
- application of harmonised control and eradication measures in relation to diseases of major economic importance;
- checks on, and controls at the farms and establishments of origin or place of dispatch in line with current legislation governing the pre-movement tests and examinations to be carried out;
- the use of a computer system, TRACES, which links local offices throughout the EU by computer. TRACES enables notification of animal movements to be made from origin to destination.

#### **4.1.2. *Status of Member States and parts thereof***

A number of Commission Decisions (CD) were laid down in 2009 by the Commission as concerns intra-Union trade in live animals and products, in particular a number of amendments were made to CD 2003/467/EC, laying down the lists of Member States and regions thereof officially free of tuberculosis, brucellosis, and enzootic bovine leukosis as regards bovine herds:

- CD 2009/342/EC declared officially free of tuberculosis as regards bovine herds province of Oristano the Region of Sardinia (Italy); officially free of bovine brucellosis the whole territories of Poland and Slovenia and the province of Cuneo in the Region of Piemonte (Italy); officially free of enzootic bovine leukosis the Region of Sardinia (Italy) and 5 powiats in Podlaskie voivodship (Poland) and 6 powiats in Pomorskie voivodship (Poland).
- CD 2009/600/EC declared officially free of bovine brucellosis the whole territories of Ireland and Poland, the islands of Faial and Santa Maria in the Autonomous Region of Azores (Portugal) and provinces of Santa Cruz de Tenerife and Las Palmas in the Autonomous Region of the Canary Islands (Spain).
- CD 2009/761/EC declared officially free of tuberculosis as regards bovine herds Scotland (United Kingdom).

During 2009, amendments were also made to CD 2008/185/EC (former CD 2001/618/EC before codification), establishing a list of Member States or regions thereof free of Aujeszky's disease and a list of Member States or regions thereof where disease control programme for that disease are in place. CD 2009/621/EC declared Northern Ireland as region of the United Kingdom with approved programme for Aujeszky's disease in place. In addition, CD 2009/248/EC clarified that the movement of pigs between Member States or regions thereof, which are free of Aujeszky's disease and where vaccination is prohibited and which are listed in Annex I to Decision 2008/185/EC, does not require any additional guarantees.

Council Directive 64/432/EEC applies to intra-Union trade in bovine animals and Chapter II of Annex D thereto sets out the diagnostic tests for enzootic bovine leukosis (EBL) to be used for the control and eradication of that disease and for surveillance and monitoring, as well as for the establishment and maintenance of an officially enzootic-bovine-leukosis-free herd status and certification required for intra-Union trade in bovine animals. In 2009, CD 2009/937/EC amending Annex D to Directive 64/432/EEC as regards diagnostic tests for enzootic bovine leukosis was issued to take account of a new EBL standard serum (E05 serum) recently developed by the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) Reference Laboratory for Enzootic Bovine Leukosis in Germany (Friedrich-Loeffler-Institute) in cooperation with the OIE Reference Laboratories in the United Kingdom (Veterinary Laboratories Agency) and in Poland (National Veterinary Research Institute). The E05 serum has been included as an accredited OIE standard serum in Section B(2) of Chapter 2.4.11 of the OIE Manual of Diagnostic Tests and Vaccines for Terrestrial Animals, Sixth Edition, 2008 and is available from the OIE Reference Laboratory for Enzootic Bovine Leukosis in Germany . The German competent authorities and the Friedrich-Loeffler-Institute have agreed to be a supplier of the E05 serum which shall consequently become the new official EU standard serum for EBL.

Annex IX provides a list of the Member States of parts thereof officially free from bovine tuberculosis, bovine brucellosis, enzootic bovine leukosis, brucellosis, Aujeszky's disease and infectious bovine rhinotracheitis.

#### **4.2. TRACES**

TRACES, 'TRAdE Control and Expert System', is a modern and multilingual web-based system networking veterinary authorities in all EU Member States, Norway and Switzerland and economic operators (EOs).

TRACES is legally based on CD 2004/292/EC and it started to be implemented on a voluntary basis from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2004. On 31st December 2004, TRACES was made compulsory for intra-Union trade certification and the CVED for all Member States and, in accordance with the agreements, for Norway, Switzerland, Iceland, Andorra and San Marino.

TRACES:

- allows the production in the 22 official languages of the EU, with a collaboration between the private sector and health authorities, of all certificates and route plans that must accompany live animals within the framework of intra-Union trade as well as the production of all Common Veterinary Entry Document (CVED) issued by EU Border Inspection Posts for imports of animals or products of animal origin ;
- notifies to the competent authority at the place of destination on movements of the trades commodities from the place of origin ;
- allows the introduction of all performed controls on animal or public health and animal welfare carried out by the competent authorities en route or at the place of destination;

- allows the creation of RASFF border rejection notification in case of public health threats;
- assists the competent veterinary authorities in decision-making and reacting rapidly in the event of a disease emergency by tracking back and forth the movements of traded and imported animals and products. TRACES has allowed to immediately provide all health authorities with elements identifying the origin and destination of susceptible animals during the recent outbreaks of foot-and mouth disease, avian influenza, classical swine fever or bluetongue all over the EU;
- provides consolidated statistical information on animal health and welfare and public health using the data entered into the system. This allows to react rapidly in case of a disease emergency by tracking back and forth all the movements of traded and imported animals and by products, as well as imported products of animal origin;
- integrates EOs allowing them to introduce their requests on line to speed up all the administrative procedures either for intra trade or for import;
- an addition of an import module allows the integrated third countries to introduce the health certificates for export to the European Union directly into the EU system . This option aims to expedite the work of inspectors together with increasing security within the international trade.

Three new versions were made available in 2009. Detailed information can be read with the following hyperlink:

[3.1d](#) launched on 19 February; [3.20](#) on 26 June and [3.21](#) on 20 October.

In 2009 more than 5000 certificates have been issued via TRACES application by 12 third countries or overseas territories: New Caledonia, French Polynesia, Mayotte, Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Morocco, Mauritius, Seychelles, Benin, Senegal, Iceland and Mexico.

A communication interface of the TRACES application with the system of certification applied in New-Zealand (eCert) has started in 2009 and we expect that the trial limited to the export of ovine meat and offals (65 % of the NZ exports to EU) with three BIP (Tillbury (UK) , Zeebrugge (BE) and Le Havre (FR)) will be ended by mid 2010.

In 2009 TRACES application was also developed for the inclusion of two export health certificates from EU Member States to Mexico (day-old chicks and hatching eggs).

A communication tool has been developed also for the Member State in order to recover their data inserted in TRACES application. The tool has experimented with 10 Member States: Slovakia, Check republic, Lithuania, France, Belgium, Spain, United Kingdom, Luxemburg and Nederland.

A detailed report of TRACES messages in 2009 can be found in Annex X.

### 4.3. Import measures taken during 2009

The general animal health requirements applicable to the imports of animals are laid down in a number of Council Directives. In addition to the general health requirements, specific requirements for individual animals and their products are also required which take into account such issues as the evolving disease situation in exporting countries that may pose a risk to animal health in the EU. These additional requirements are set out in the health certificate which must accompany all consignments into the EU and which must be signed by the competent authorities in the Third Country to signify that the consignment complies with all the requirements within the health certificate prior to dispatch. The complete list of the Decisions and Regulations may be found in Annex V, but the main areas are summarised below.

N.B.: General guidance for Third Country authorities on the requirements and procedures to be followed when importing live animals and animal products into the EU can be found at: [http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/liveanimals/guide\\_thirdcountries\\_en.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/liveanimals/guide_thirdcountries_en.pdf)

More information on import requirements can also be found on DG SANCO's website, where specific sections covering the importation of both live animals and animal products are available.

#### 4.3.1. *Imports of live animals and fresh meat*

In 2009, a number of amendments were made to Council Decision 79/542/EEC drawing up a list of third countries from which the Member States authorize imports of bovine animals, swine and fresh meat:

- Commission Decision 2009/4/EC amended Annex II to Council Decision 79/542/EEC as regards the entry for Botswana and Brazil in the list of third countries or parts thereof from which imports into the EU of certain fresh meat are authorised. On 20 October 2008, an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease was suspected in a farm located in the district of Ghanzi, situated in the veterinary disease control zone 12 of Botswana. Commission Decision 2009/4/EC was adopted in view of these circumstances, to suspend the authorisation of imports into the EU of fresh meat from the veterinary disease control zone 12 of Botswana. In addition, two Brazilian municipalities (Caracol and Antônio João) were added to the description of the "high surveillance zone" excluded from the Brazilian territories authorised to export fresh de-boned and matured bovine meat into the EU.
- Following the guarantees provided by the competent authority in Botswana regarding the measures put in place to control the spread of the disease, Commission Decision 2009/151/EC amending Annex II to Council Decision 79/542/EEC as regards the entry for Botswana in the list of third countries or parts thereof from which imports into the EU of certain fresh meat are authorised was adopted. The Decision reinstated veterinary disease control zone 12 thereby once again allowing exports of fresh meat into the EU from that zone.
- Commission Decision 2009/317/EC amended Council Decision 79/542/EEC as regards the transport of animals by air, the transit of animals through certain third countries and the

animal health certificates for certain meat from solipeds and for transit and storage of certain fresh meat. The Decision provided for measures for disinfestation of the means of air transport in order to avoid the accidental introduction into the EU of potentially infected insect vectors together with imported animals. For animal welfare reasons, the Decision also extended to bovine animals for fattening originating in a Member State and destined for another Member State the possibility to transit through certain third countries, by providing additional measures to be applied both during transit and at the final destination of these consignments. Furthermore the Decision amended the animal health certificates for certain meat from domestic and wild solipeds to include requirements concerning African horse sickness and glanders.

- In addition in 2009, considerable efforts have been devoted to the preparation of a proposal for a new Commission Regulation replacing Decision 79/542/EEC that has been drafted and voted in the SCoFCAH (SANCO4787/2009). From the moment in which that new Regulation would enter into force, Council Decision 79/542/EEC would have lapsed and would no longer apply. However, for the sake of clarity and transparency of EU legislation, Decision 79/542/EEC should be explicitly repealed with effect from that date. Therefore, in parallel, a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council repealing Council Decision 79/542/EEC drawing up a list of third countries or parts of third countries, and laying down animal and public health and veterinary certification conditions, for importation into the EU of certain live animals and their fresh meat (COM/2009/0516 final - COD 2009/0146) was put forward.

#### **4.3.2. *Equidae***

Following up to the International Conference on African horse sickness (AHS) in South Africa in February 2008, Unit D1 prepared a what was later adopted as Decision 2009/3/EC establishing the Community reserves against African horse sickness. Subsequently we launched a procurement procedure was launched that finished, unfortunately without success, on 14 December 2009.

Following the notification of a case of glanders in the State of Sao Paulo in Brazil, the Commission adopted Decision 2008/804/EC of 17 October 2008 amending Decision 2004/211/EC as regards the entries for Brazil, Montenegro and Serbia in the list of third countries and parts thereof from which imports into the Community of live equidae and semen, ova and embryos of the equine species are authorised, allowing at the same time to carry out under specific biosecurity conditions a major equestrian event in the city of Sao Paulo. Despite our efforts, it took Unit D1 almost one year to receive satisfactory information from Brazil that would allow the Commission to remove the 6 months import ban on horses from the State of Sao Paulo.

In early November 2009, a Chinese delegation visited Aachen (Aix-la-Chapelle) in Germany to inspect the facilities they had designated as the pre-export quarantine stables to prepare horses for the dispatch to Guangzhou in China for the 16<sup>th</sup> Asian Games. Unit D1 presented the EU situation as regards legislation on equidae and the related disease and movement controls. As a result China accepted all 27 Member States, Switzerland and Norway as "scheduled countries" from which the introduction of horses into China would be allowed.

From that meeting on an intensive work and collaboration commenced which brought together Unit D1 and various competent authorities and experts in Member States, China including Hong Kong, as well as international organisations such as the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) and the World Equestrian Federation (FEI). As a result and following a veterinary inspection mission in China, the Commission adopted Decision 2010/266/EC on imports of horses from parts of China. In addition the conditions for temporary admission of horses into the equine disease free zone in Guangzhou were agreed with the authorities in China.

On 1 December 2009 the Community Reference Laboratory for AHS held its annual meeting with the National Reference Laboratories of Member States and with the participation of colleagues from Morocco. Progress has been demonstrated in introducing advanced diagnostic techniques for the early diagnosis of this vector born disease.

A few days later SANCO/D1 attended the annual meeting of World Breeding Federation for Sport Horses (WBFSH) on 5-6 December 2009 in Copenhagen, where AHS was discussed in detail by the sector, guided by the renowned AHS expert Prof. A. Guthrie from South Africa. Unit D1 briefly reported about the state of play of establishing a Community vaccine bank for African horse sickness.

Back from meeting on horse breeding, Unit D 1 participated in the first meeting of the laboratories of Member States dealing with horse disease, organised by the Community Reference Laboratory for equine diseases other than AHS in Maisons Alford on 10 and 11 December 2009. Easy to summarise: an excellent meeting with fascinating contributions relating to Dourine on the first day and Equine viral arteritis on the second day, connected by a lovely boat tour on the Seine to admire Paris at night. Everybody is invited to frequently consult the website organised by the CRL : <http://www.afssapro.fr/crlequinediseases/>

The year ended with the much appreciated annual meeting of the International Horse Movement Committee in Hong Kong from 14 to 17 December 2010, assembling representatives of the horse sector, international horse sport organisations, the OIE and administrations, including the EU Commission. This meeting was as usual devoted to the improvement of the conditions for the international movement of sport and race horses, but in particular focussed on the preparation of the 16<sup>th</sup> Asian Games in November 2010 in China.

On 31 December 2009 the transitional period provided for in Commission Regulation (EC) No 504/2008 on the identification of equidae came to an end .

#### **4.3.3. *Aquaculture animals***

In 2009, the following legislation in relation to aquaculture animals was adopted:

- Commission Regulation (EC) No 719/2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 1251/2008 as regards the list of third countries and territories from which certain crustaceans and ornamental aquatic animals may be imported into the EU

- Commission Decision 2009/177/EC implementing Council Directive 2006/88/EC as regards surveillance and eradication programmes and disease-free status of Member States, zones and compartments (*adopted in 2008, but published in 2009*)
- Commission Decision 2009/975/EU amending Decision 2009/177/EC as regards eradication programmes and disease-free status of certain Member States, zones and compartments for certain aquatic animal diseases

#### **4.3.4. *Pets***

During 2009, in relation to movements of pet animals, a Commission proposal amending Regulation (EC) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council was adopted. Its main purpose was to extend the transitional regime which applies in five Member States until 31 December 2011.

The Commission proposal (adopted before the entry into force of the Lisbon Treaty) also included technical adaptations with regard to anti-rabies vaccines and electronic identification laid down in Annexes and the possibility for the Commission to adopt via Comitology certain preventive health measures on diseases other than rabies after the current transitional regime expires, provided that they are scientifically justified and proportionate to the risk of spreading those diseases due to such movements.

#### **4.3.5. *Bees***

In 2008, the situation of the beekeeping sector was discussed in the European Parliament (EP). An EP resolution was adopted on 21 November 2008 calling on the Commission to address a number of very diverse cross-cutting issues in this field, concerning amongst others, research, the marketing of honey, pollination, the quality of surface water, and the provision of financial support to beekeepers. As the situation in the beekeeping sector is an issue that relates equally to a number of different Commission dossiers, it requires a certain level of coordination between several Directorates Generals. It is for this reason that Unit D1 created an interservice coordination group to discuss what measures could be taken by the Commission to address recent concerns. The interservice group met for the first time on 19 March 2009 and then again on the 27 November 2009 to discuss topical issues in the beekeeping sector and to discuss future possible Commission actions.

D1 has also taken part and given speeches on the EU animal health policy on bees in a number of events/meetings connected with bees. One of the most important has been "Apimondia", a bi-annual world wide congress on bees involving all categories of beekeepers, scientist and stakeholders.

#### **4.3.6. *Semen, ova and embryos***

After the entry into force of Directive 2003/43/EC, amending Directive 88/407/EEC, a short consultation procedure was introduced to simplify the updating of the list of semen collection or storage centres in Third Countries from which the imports of bovine semen is authorised.

According to this procedure, Member States were consulted 6 times during 2009 (Third Countries involved: Australia, New Zealand and the United States).

A similar procedure was introduced for authorising imports of equine, ovine, caprine semen, ova and embryos and porcine embryos by Directive 2004/68/EC, amending Directive 92/65/EEC.

During 2009, Member States were consulted:

- 10 times in order to update the list of equine semen collection centres (Third Countries involved: Australia, Canada, Israel, and the United States);
- once in order to update the list of ovine/caprine semen collection centres (Third Countries involved: Canada);
- once in order to update the list of ovine/caprine embryo collection teams (Third Countries involved: Canada).

Council Directive 2008/73/EC simplifying procedures of listing and publishing information in the veterinary and zootechnical fields and amending Directives 64/432/EEC, 77/504/EEC, 88/407/EEC, 88/661/EEC, 89/361/EEC, 89/556/EEC, 90/426/EEC, 90/427/EEC, 90/428/EEC, 90/429/EEC, 90/539/EEC, 91/68/EEC, 91/496/EEC, 92/35/EEC, 92/65/EEC, 92/66/EEC, 92/119/EEC, 94/28/EC, 2000/75/EC, Decision 2000/258/EC and Directives 2001/89/EC, 2002/60/EC and 2005/94/EC introduced a simplified procedure of listing and publishing the lists of embryo collection and production teams and semen storage and collection centres in third countries approved for imports of bovine, equine, ovine, caprine and porcine embryos and semen into the European Union.

Under that new procedure, which is to apply from 1 January 2010, the competence to establish the list will no longer lie with the Commission. The lists of teams and centres that the competent authority of the third country has approved in accordance with the conditions laid down in relevant Directives and from which the embryos and the semen may be dispatched to the EU will only have to be communicated to the Commission, which is to make it available to the public for information purposes.

As regards imports of bovine embryos, in 2009 for the sake of clarity Commission Decision 2008/115/EC establishing a list of embryo collection teams and embryo production teams in Third Countries approved for imports of bovine embryos to the European Union was repealed and replaced by Commission Decision 2009/759/EC. This Decision was laid down to amend the list in order to either add new teams, modify the details concerning some of already approved teams or to delete some teams for Australia, Canada, New Zealand, and the United States and to provide its applicability period due to the new simplified procedure which shall apply as of 1 January 2010.

Commission Decision 2006/168/EC establishes the animal health and veterinary certification requirements for imports into the European Union of bovine embryos. This Decision was amended by Commission Decision 2009/873/EC as regards the listing of embryo collection and production teams approved for imports of bovine embryos into the EU to take account of new simplified procedure introduced by Directive 2008/73/EC.

As regards imports of porcine semen, in 2009 for the sake of clarity Commission Decision 2002/613/EC laying down the importation conditions of semen of domestic animals of the



porcine species was repealed and replaced by Commission Decision 2009/893/EC. This Decision was laid down to amend the list of porcine semen collection centres in third countries approved for imports of porcine semen to the EU in order to modify the entries for Canada and the United States as requested by those third countries. In addition the Decision takes account of a new simplified procedure of listing and publishing the list of porcine semen collection centres introduced by the provisions of Directive 2008/73/EC and of the certification requirements for imports of porcine semen from Switzerland to the European Union, established under the Agreement between the European Union and the Swiss Confederation on trade in Agricultural Products; present the certificate for imports of porcine semen to the EU in accordance with the standardised layout of veterinary certificates as set out in Commission Decision 2007/240/EC, and aligns certain references in the model health certificate to the Terrestrial Animal Health Code of the World Organisation for Animal Health.

Lists of approved of semen collection centres, semen storage centres, embryo collection teams and embryo production teams in Third Countries are published on the DG Health and Consumers website: [http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/semen\\_ova/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/animal/semen_ova/index_en.htm) .

#### **4.3.7. *Meat products***

Commission Decision 2007/777/EC of 29 November 2007 lays down the animal and public health conditions and model certificates for imports of certain meat products and treated stomachs, bladders and intestines for human consumption from third countries. In particular, it lays down the animal health requirements concerned the origin and treatment of the meat products, treated stomachs, bladders and intestines.

This Decision was updated by Commission Decision 2009/864/EC of 30 November 2009 in order to allow imports into the EU of biltong from certain parts of South Africa and from Uruguay.

#### **4.3.8. *Introduction of personal consignments of products of animal origin***

Commission Regulation (EC) No 206/2009 on the introduction into the EU of personal consignments of products of animal origin and amending Regulation (EC) No 136/2004 entered into force on 1 May 2009. This Regulation, which repealed Commission Regulation (EC) No 745/2004, intended to clearly explain to the general public the rules concerning the introduction of different types of products of animal origin coming from outside of the EU. The Regulation also strengthened the requirements for international passenger transport operators and postal services to ensure that their clients were aware of the rules laid down in the Regulation.

#### **4.3.9. *Specific safeguard measures relating to imports after the outbreak of certain diseases***

The Commission has further used its competence in the response to AI by banning imports of live poultry and their products liable to spread the virus from affected third countries where outbreaks of HPAI have occurred or are endemic. Protection measures in relation to imports of

certain poultry commodities from China, Malaysia, South Korea and Thailand as well as protection measures in relation to imports of pet birds were prolonged until 31/12/2010.

#### **4.4. International Bilateral Agreements**

There are a number of agreements in place on veterinary matters with certain third countries and Unit D1 participated or had input into in a number of the Joint Management Committee (JMC) meetings or technical meetings held during the year 2009 concerning USA (technical meetings and JMC in Stockholm), Canada (JMC in Stockholm), New Zealand, Chile and Mexico .

- As regards Canada and New Zealand D1 has given input for several technical meetings concerning the mitigating measures for trade in poultry meat in the case of outbreaks of avian influenza, IBR testing of semen and EU import conditions for semen from certain species of animals e.g. deer.
- As regards Canada the unit gave support to the various technical meetings under the veterinary agreement with Canada concerning aquaculture (new legislation proposed by Canada which the EU responded to via WTO/SPS procedures), Canadian import certification conditions for meat products concerning swine vesicular disease in Italy, semen and embryos. In particular concerning bluetongue disease equivalence on dairy products was agreed and equivalence on bovine embryos was discussed.
- As for the USA, the unit gave support to the various technical meetings under the Veterinary Agreement with the USA concerning animal by-products and other various animal health issues.
- In the Mexican file, D1 has also given input especially on the animal health conditions for import/export of pigs, pig meat (concerns classical swine fever and regionalisation) and poultry meat under the Special Committee for SPS with Mexico. An EU export certificate for day old chicks was agreed upon.

Input was given in the negotiations on the SPS part of possible agreements, in particular negotiations with Ukraine, India, S. Korea and ASEAN Furthermore, input was provided to the discussions in the framework of partnership and co-operation agreements (PCA) with China, Indonesia (now signed), Philippines (almost completed) Thailand (almost completed), and Vietnam (almost completed) were held. In addition some meetings with representatives of Australia were held to discuss a possible veterinary agreement and to discuss a number of technical issues including horse influenza and bovine semen.

Considerable D1 input was given to the ongoing discussions on the export protocols (i.e. certification requirements for EU exports) with Russia. There were also a number of other issues which arose in particular concerning the transit of live animals between Kaliningrad and the rest of Russia, the few months Russian ban on certain exports from Spain and UK because of avian influenza in swine.

Unit D1 actively supports on a regular basis the activities under the agreements with Switzerland, Faeroe Islands, Norway and Iceland, in particular as Norway, Iceland and Switzerland participate as observers in SCFCAH meetings and these countries are invited to the OIE coordination meetings and some other meetings. A good coordination and

cooperation with Switzerland in the animal health field is crucial as from 1 January 2009 veterinary border controls between the EU and Switzerland were abolished, as a consequence of the approximation of the Suisse legislation to the EU legislation.

## 5. ANIMAL BY-PRODUCTS

### Regulation (EC) No 1774/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council on animal by-products not intended for human consumption

#### 5.1. Background

The key lesson from various feed-borne crises, such as BSE, Food and Mouth Disease or Classical Swine Fever was that the use of certain animal by-products (ABP) can spread these diseases or spread chemical contaminants such as dioxins, and thus can pose a threat to human and animal health if not properly disposed of or treated. On the basis of Regulation (EC) No 1774/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council which entered into application in mid-2003, the Commission introduced a comprehensive regulatory framework, based on scientific research, which helps to control deficiencies in the feed sector and to prevent feed-borne crises in the future. The Regulation covers the handling of animal by-products within the EU and sets the standards for their import into and transit through the EU.

As in Action N° 30 of the White Paper on Food Safety, the key elements of the Regulation are:

- The ban on cannibalism and exclusion of dead animals and condemned materials in feed (i. e. only materials derived from animals fit for human consumption can be used for feeding to farmed animals).
- The introduction of clear rules on what must and may be done with the more than 16 million tonnes of ABP produced throughout the EU each year.
- The requirement for strict identification, traceability and marking of unsafe materials to avoid possible fraud and risk of diversion of banned products into feed or food.
- The introduction of new alternative means of use or disposal (e. g. biogas, composting, co-incineration).
- The creation of a link with environmental legislation on waste.
- The creation of a new transparent, comprehensive and directly applicable legal framework, replacing and simplifying a number of Directives and Decisions which have developed in the past in response to internal market requirements and crisis situations.

The Regulation classifies ABP into three categories based on their potential risk to public and/ or animal health and to the environment and it sets out clear rules on how each category must be treated. The three categories are as follows:

- **Category 1 materials** (e.g. BSE specified risk materials) must be disposed of as waste.

- **Category 2 materials** (e. g. dead on farm pigs) may be recycled for uses other than feed after appropriate treatment (e. g. production of biogas, bio-fertilisers, oleo-chemicals, etc.)
- **Category 3 materials** (e. g. from healthy animals slaughtered for human consumption following veterinary inspection) may be used in the production of animal feed.

The Regulation also contains revised rules on import including necessary health certificates. Also, following rigorous safety evaluations, specific exemptions have been granted from the general standards in certain areas, allowing for example intra-species recycling for fish and fur animals and local feeding practices for endangered species of necrophagous birds.

## 5.2. Legislative changes during 2009

### 5.2.1. *Revised Animal By-products Regulations*

Based on a Commission proposal from June 2008, and on the basis of an agreement at first reading which was reached in April 2009, the European Parliament and the Council adopted a revised legal framework for animal by-products: Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009<sup>10</sup>. That Regulation will replace Regulation (EC) No 1774/2002 as from March 2011.

The new Regulation aims introducing clearer and more risk-proportionate rules, and thus at contributing to the reduction of burden for stakeholders, while maintaining a high level of protection of public and animal health within the European Union.

It maintains the basic principles of Regulation (EC) No 1774/2002. exclusion of materials unfit for human consumption from feed used for farmed animals, prohibition of intra-species recycling, ban on feeding of catering waste and the principal uses and obligations to dispose of animal by-products, while maintaining full traceability.

Furthermore, the new Regulation clarifies the link between health and environmental rules, and it clarifies that certain products produced on the basis of animal by-products, for which there are more special harmonised rules, such as cosmetics, pharmaceutical products and diagnostic devices, may be placed on the market in accordance with those more special rules. The new Regulation also allows to limit controls over animal by-products, which have undergone certain processing so as to eliminate possible health risks.

Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009 only introduces basic principles, and it leaves the determination of technical details, such as hygiene requirements, processing standards and traceability requirements, to the Commission.

In 2009, the Commission already started its consultations with experts from Member States, stakeholders and third countries with major trade relations with the EU. Its intention is to present a draft measure for the implementation of Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009 during the second half of 2010, so that the new rules are in place in March 2011.

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<sup>10</sup> OJ L 300, 14.11.2009, p.1.

### **5.2.2. *Prolongation of the transitional arrangements for former foodstuffs***

Commission Regulation (EC) No 197/2006<sup>11</sup> introduced transitional arrangements which allow the disposal of unprocessed former foodstuffs, which are removed from retail due to commercial reasons (other than health risks), and the use of such materials in feed for farmed animals. Given that the future rules governing the handling and disposal of such former foodstuffs would still need to be established by way of implementing measures for the forthcoming Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009, the Commission prolonged the transitional arrangements by way of Commission Regulation (EC) No 129/2009<sup>12</sup> until 31 July 2011.

### **5.2.3. *Extension of the feeding rules for fur animals***

Commission Decision 2003/324/EC<sup>13</sup> allows the use of processed animal proteins from certain species of fur animals for the feeding to the same species in Finland and Estonia, by way of derogation from the intra-species recycling ban laid down in Regulation (EC) No 1774/2002. Both Member States have to carry out controls regarding the health status of animals that are used for feeding, so as to prevent the transmission of diseases. On the basis of an application from that Member State, the derogation was extended to certain fur animals in Latvia, by way of Commission Decision 2009/722/EC<sup>14</sup>, under the same conditions.

### **5.2.4. *Amendment to the import rules for photogelatine***

Commission Decision 2004/407/EC<sup>15</sup> establishes a transitional framework for the import of photogelatine produced from bovine vertebral column (Category 1 material) to certain approved establishments in three Member States, pending permanent requirements for such imports which will be laid down in the implementing measures for Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009. Commission Decision 2009/960/EC<sup>16</sup> extended this transitional arrangement to an establishment in the Czech Republic.

## **5.3. Other activities**

### **5.3.1. *Working group meetings***

Due to the ongoing exchanges of views in Council and Parliament, only one working group meeting with the delegates of Member States was held, to discuss intended changes to the legislation, and to discuss questions of application, so as to promote a harmonised interpretation of EU rules.

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<sup>11</sup> OJ L 32, 4.2.2006, p.13.

<sup>12</sup> OJ L 44, 14.2.2009, p.3.

<sup>13</sup> OJ L 117, 13.5.2003, p.37.

<sup>14</sup> OJ L 257, 30.9.2009, p.38.

<sup>15</sup> OJ L 208, 10.6.2004, p.9.

<sup>16</sup> OJ L 330, 16.12.2009, p.82.

### **5.3.2. Support to activities of other Commission services**

In 2009, support was also provided to the activities of other Commission services with certain relevance to the area of animal by-products. In particular, support was given to research performed by the Institute of Reference Materials of the Joint Research Centre of the Commission, which validated a detection method for a marker for processed products from the rendering process<sup>17</sup>. As a result, a method has been validated which is now available for the purposes of official controls regarding traceability.

## **6. ZOOTECHNICS**

Satisfactory results in animal production depend to a large extent on the use of breeding animals of high genetic quality. The EU's zootechnical legislation aims to promote the free trade of breeding animals and their genetic material considering the sustainability of breeding programs and preservation of genetic resources. The general requirements are laid down in a number of Council Directives and implementing Decisions.

The main emphasis in 2009 focussed on the preparation of a review of EU legislation on the approval of breeding organisations.

The EU continued to grant financial assistance to the INTERBULL Centre, Uppsala, Sweden for genetic evaluation and co-ordination of the various methods of performance testing for pure-bred breeding animals of the bovine species. EU finances were provided for by Commission Decision 2009/961/EC.

## **7. IDENTIFICATION AND REGISTRATION OF ANIMALS**

The basic objectives for EU rules on the identification of animals are:

- the localisation and tracing of animals for veterinary purposes, which is of crucial importance for the control of infectious diseases;
- where applicable, the traceability of meat for animal and public health reasons and the management and supervision of livestock premiums.

Further work was done on in relation to electronic identification of sheep and goats. Regulation (EC) No 759/2009 was adopted. The new measures ensure a smooth and flexible introduction of electronic identification without lowering traceability standards.

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<sup>17</sup> The JRC report is available at ,  
[http://irmm.jrc.ec.europa.eu/html/activities/marker\\_for\\_animal\\_by\\_products/index.htm](http://irmm.jrc.ec.europa.eu/html/activities/marker_for_animal_by_products/index.htm)

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EXECUTION OF THE 2009 BUDGET FOR CHAPTER 17 SANCO/2010/10046				
Budget Line		Credits after transfer	Committed	balance commitments - credits
17.040101	<b>Animal disease eradication and monitoring programmes and monitoring of the physical conditions of animals that could pose a public-health risk linked to an external factor</b>			
	1 Eradication		71.419.595	
	2 Bluetongue		112.040.000	
	3 Avian influenza		4.919.000	
	4 TSE/BSE and scrapie		58.469.000	
	5 Salmonella		18.646.000	
	<b>sub total</b>	<b>272.340.000</b>	<b>265.493.595</b>	<b>-6.846.405</b>
17.040201	<b>Other measures in the veterinary, animal welfare and public-health field</b>			
	1 OIE conferences		357.920	
	2 purchase FMD antigens		4.845.950	
	3 Purchase PPR vaccines		1.500.000	
	4 IT (TRACES, ADNS, ...)		3.154.988	
	5 Communication		6.177.076	
	6 Study salmonella breeding pigs		131.500	
	7 Evaluation animal welfare policy and animal welfare in transport		399.005	
	8 EU FMD trust fund		1.550.011	
	<b>sub total</b>	<b>18.402.027</b>	<b>18.116.450</b>	<b>-285.577</b>
17.040301	<b>Emergency fund for veterinary complaints and other diseases of animal contaminations which are a risk to public health</b>			
	1 Newcastle disease		357.971	
	2 Classical swine fever		44.359	
	3 Maladie vésiculeuse du porc		7.645.839	
	4 bluetongue 2007		350.183	
	5 Avian influenza		893.304	
	6 avian influenza		3.003.579	
	7 rabies Kaliningrad		1.800.000	
	<b>sub total</b>	<b>14.095.235</b>	<b>14.095.235</b>	<b>0</b>
17.040303	<b>Preparatory action</b>			
	1 Control post animal welfare		4.000.000	
	<b>sous-total</b>	<b>4.000.000</b>	<b>4.000.000</b>	<b>0</b>
17.040401	<b>Plant-health measures - Expenditure on operational management</b>			
	1 Solidarité		14.920.976	
	2 IT		681.884	
	3 better training for safer food		999.880	
	4 Poseidom		246.660	
	<b>sub total</b>	<b>17.175.920</b>	<b>16.849.400</b>	<b>-326.520</b>
17040701	<b>Food and feed control Expenditure on operational management</b>			
	1 IT and communication		779.491	
	2 Lab. Comm. de référence risques biologiques		4.542.224	
	3 Lab. Comm. de référence résidus		4.532.000	
	4 Lab. Comm. de référencesanté animale		3.760.000	
	5 Better training for safer food		12.312.594	
	<b>sub total</b>	<b>25.926.818</b>	<b>25.926.308</b>	<b>-509</b>
17.0409	<b>International affairs</b>			
	1 UPOV		166.225,60	
	<b>sous-total</b>	<b>276.000</b>	<b>166.226</b>	<b>-109.774</b>
17.010401	<b>Plant-health measures - Expenditure on administrative management</b>			
	1		300.000	
	<b>sub total</b>	<b>300.000</b>	<b>300.000</b>	<b>0</b>
17.010405	<b>F&amp;F expenditure on administrative management</b>			
	1 Supportive actions training food and feed		575.188	
	2 Communication		99.742	
	<b>sub total</b>	<b>675.000</b>	<b>674.930</b>	<b>-70</b>
	<b>total</b>	<b>353.190.999</b>	<b>345.622.145</b>	<b>-7.568.855</b>
	<b>utilisation en %</b>		<b>97,86%</b>	<b>-2,14%</b>

**BUDGET 2009**

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Line	Measure	Belgium	Bulgaria	Czech Rep.	Denmark	Germany	Estonia	Greece	Spain	France	Ireland	Italy	Cyprus	Latvia	Lithuania	Luxembourg	Malta	Hungary	Netherlands	Austria	Poland	Portugal	Romania	Slovenia	Slovakia	Finland	Sweden	UK	#	TOTAL					
<b>17.040101</b>	<b>Animal disease eradication and monitoring</b>																																		
1	Eradication	136 403	1 300 000	600 000		1 125 000	885 000	250 140	15 201 875	670 000	15 400 000	13 300 000	3 152 000	905 000	520 000	5 000	520 000	1 230 000	1 820	270 000	6 581 988	3 184 940	3 260 000	420 431	1 020 000	100 000	1 550 000	1 370 000		71 419 595					
2	Bluetongue	4 450 000	5 000	2 350 000	50 000	16 650 000	90 000	50 000	21 000 000	55 000 000	60 000	2 000 000	2 000 000	300 000	50 000	3 550 000	6 581 988	3 184 940	3 260 000	420 431	1 020 000	100 000	1 550 000	1 370 000						112 040 000 00					
3	Avian influenza	90 000	70 000	60 000	200 000	25 000	7 000	70 000	350 000	200 000	60 000	1 400 000	15 000	30 000	40 000	180 000	500 000	80 000	200 000	220 000	55 000	50 000	50 000	50 000	50 000	35 000	280 000	380 000		4 919 000 00					
4	TSE/BSE and scrapie	1 400 000	350 000	1 050 000	1 850 000	8 900 000	220 000	1 200 000	5 400 000	14 100 000	3 300 000	5 350 000	50 000	250 000	530 000	105 000	24 000	990 000	2 600 000	1 150 000	790 000	1 530 000	580 000	250 000	500 000	900 000	4 600 000	20 000		58 489 000 00					
5	Salmonella	850 000	30 000	1 600 000	140 000	350 000	25 000	700 000	1 250 000	1 450 000	40 000	1 700 000	100 000	90 000	16 000	110 000	1 450 000	2 350 000	525 000	4 500 000	650 000	50 000	25 000	625 000						18 646 000 00					
	<b>sous-total</b>	<b>6 926 403</b>	<b>1 755 000</b>	<b>5 660 000</b>	<b>2 240 000</b>	<b>27 275 000</b>	<b>1 227 000</b>	<b>2 270 140</b>	<b>43 201 875</b>	<b>71 420 000</b>	<b>18 860 000</b>	<b>23 750 000</b>	<b>3 317 000</b>	<b>1 295 000</b>	<b>1 090 000</b>	<b>646 000</b>	<b>666 000</b>	<b>4 150 000</b>	<b>5 501 820</b>	<b>5 575 000</b>	<b>12 051 988</b>	<b>8 274 940</b>	<b>4 210 000</b>	<b>1 710 431</b>	<b>2 195 000</b>	<b>1 125 000</b>	<b>2 730 000</b>	<b>6 370 000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>265 493 595 00</b>					
<b>17.040201</b>	<b>Other measures in the veterinary, animal welfare and public-health field</b>																																		
1	OIE conferences																														357 920	357 920			
2	purchase FMD antigens																														4 845 950	4 845 950			
3	Purchase PPR vaccines																															1 500 000	1 500 000		
4	IT (TRACES, ADNS, ....)																															3 154 988	3 154 988		
5	Communication																															6 177 076	6 177 076		
6	Study salmonella breeding pigs																															131 500	131 500		
7	Evaluation animal welfare policy and animal welfare in transport																															399 005	399 005		
8	EU FMD trust fund																															1 550 011	1 550 011		
	<b>sous-total</b>																															<b>18 116 450</b>	<b>18 116 450</b>		
<b>17.040301</b>	<b>Emergency fund</b>																																		
1	Newcastle disease					7 444	350 527																										357 971		
2	Classical swine fever					44 359																											44 359		
3	Maladie vésiculeuse du porc																																7 645 839		
4	bluetongue 2007									350 183		7 645 839																					350 183		
5	Avian influenza																																893 304		
6	avian influenza																						50 085										1 800 000		
7	rabies Kaliningrad			468 949	177 972	2 306 574																											1 800 000		
	<b>sous-total</b>			<b>468 949</b>	<b>177 972</b>	<b>2 358 376</b>	<b>350 527</b>			<b>350 183</b>		<b>7 645 839</b>										<b>50 085</b>								<b>893 304</b>	<b>1 800 000</b>	<b>14 095 235 31</b>			
<b>17.040303</b>	<b>Preparatory action</b>																																		
1	Control post animal welfare																																4 000 000		
	<b>sous-total</b>																																4 000 000		
<b>17.040401</b>	<b>Plant-health measures -operat.manag.</b>																																		
1	Solidarité					339 567																													
2	IT																																	511 733	
3	better training for safer food																																	14 069 676	
4	Poseidon																																	681 884	
	<b>sous-total</b>					<b>339 567</b>																												999 880	
	<b>sous-total</b>																																	246 660	
<b>17040701</b>	<b>Food and feed control -operat.manag.</b>																																		
1	IT and communication																																		
2	Lab. Comm. de référence risques biologiques	596 999			460 345					367 560	814 814		599 475																						
3	Lab. Comm. de référence résidus				308 900					450 840	477 000		286 000																						
4	Lab. Comm. de référence santé animale				255 000					514 000	1 375 000																								
5	Better training for safer food																																		
	<b>sous-total</b>	<b>596 999</b>			<b>1 024 345</b>	<b>1 710 310</b>				<b>1 332 400</b>	<b>2 670 814</b>		<b>865 475</b>								<b>845 581</b>														
<b>17.0409</b>	<b>International affairs</b>																																		
1	UPOV																																		
	<b>sous-total</b>																																		
<b>17.010401</b>	<b>Plant-health measures - adm. manag.</b>																																		
1	Evaluation/plant health regime																																		
	<b>sous-total</b>																																		
<b>17.010405</b>	<b>Food and feed control adm. management</b>																																		
1	Supportive actions training food and feed																																		
2	Communication																																		
	<b>sous-total</b>																																		

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**COMMITMENTS in % line total**

Line	Measure	Belgium	Bulgaria	Czech Rep.	Denmark	Germany	Estonia	Greece	Spain	France	Ireland	Italy	Cyprus	Latvia	Lithuania	Luxemburg	Malta	Hungary	Neth.lands	Austria	Poland	Portugal	Romania	Slovenia	Slovakia	Finland	Sweden	UK	#	TOTAL		
<b>17.040101</b>	<b>Animal disease eradication and monitoring programmes</b>																															
1	Eradication	0,05	0,49	0,23		0,42	0,33	0,09	5,73	0,25	5,80	5,01	1,19	0,34	0,20	0,00	0,20	0,46	0,00	0,10	2,48	1,20	1,23	0,16	0,38	0,04		0,52		26,90		
2	Bluetongue	1,68	0,00	0,89	0,02	6,27	0,03	0,02	7,91	20,72	0,02	0,75		0,01		0,19	0,00	0,11	0,02	1,34	0,04	1,02	0,04	0,36	0,18	0,58	0,11	0,14		42,20		
3	Avian influenza	0,03	0,03	0,02	0,08	0,09	0,00	0,03	0,13	0,08	0,02	0,53	0,01	0,01	0,02	0,00	0,00	0,07	0,19	0,03	0,03	0,08	0,08	0,02	0,02	0,01	0,11	0,14		1,85		
4	TSE/BSE and scrapie	0,53	0,13	0,40	0,70	3,35	0,08	0,45	2,03	5,31	1,24	2,02	0,02	0,09	0,20	0,04	0,01	0,37	0,98	0,43	0,30	0,58	0,22	0,09	0,19	0,19	0,34	1,73		22,02		
5	Salmonella	0,32	0,01	0,60	0,05	0,13	0,01	0,26	0,47	0,55	0,02	0,64	0,04	0,03		0,01	0,04	0,55	0,89	0,20	1,69	0,24	0,02	0,01	0,24		0,01		7,02			
	<b>sous-total</b>	<b>2,61</b>	<b>0,66</b>	<b>2,13</b>	<b>0,84</b>	<b>10,27</b>	<b>0,46</b>	<b>0,86</b>	<b>16,27</b>	<b>26,90</b>	<b>7,10</b>	<b>8,95</b>	<b>1,25</b>	<b>0,49</b>	<b>0,41</b>	<b>0,24</b>	<b>0,25</b>	<b>1,56</b>	<b>2,07</b>	<b>2,10</b>	<b>4,54</b>	<b>3,12</b>	<b>1,59</b>	<b>0,64</b>	<b>0,83</b>	<b>0,42</b>	<b>1,03</b>	<b>2,40</b>		<b>100,00</b>		
<b>17.040201</b>	<b>Other measures in the veterinary, animal welfare and public-health field</b>																															
1	OIE conferences																													1,98	1,98	
2	purchase FMD antigens																													26,75	26,75	
3	Purchase PPR vaccines																													8,28	8,28	
4	IT (TRACES, ADNS, ....)																													17,42	17,42	
5	Communication																													34,10	34,10	
6	Study salmonella breeding pigs																													0,73	0,73	
7	Evaluation animal welfare policy and animal welfare in transport																													2,20	2,20	
8	EU FMD trust fund																													8,56	8,56	
	<b>Sous-total</b>																													<b>100,00</b>	<b>100,00</b>	
<b>17.040301</b>	<b>Emergency fund</b>																															
1	Newcastle disease					0,05	2,49																								2,54	
2	Classical swine fever					0,31																									0,31	
3	Maladie vésiculeuse du porc											54,24																			54,24	
4	bluetongue 2007								2,48																						2,48	
5	Avian influenza																														6,34	
6	avian influenza			3,33	1,26	16,36																0,36									21,31	
7	rabies Kaliningrad																													12,77	12,77	
	<b>sous-total</b>			3,33	1,26	16,73	2,49		2,48			54,24										0,36						6,34	12,77	100,00		
<b>17.040303</b>	<b>Preparatory action</b>																															
1	Control post animal welfare																													100,00	100,00	
	<b>sous-total</b>																													<b>100,00</b>	<b>100,00</b>	
<b>17.040401</b>	<b>Plant-health measures - operat. manag.</b>																															
1	Solidarité					2,02														3,04											83,50	88,55
2	IT																														4,05	4,05
3	better training for safer food																														5,93	5,93
4	Poseidom									1,46																					1,46	1,46
	<b>sous-total</b>					2,02				1,46										3,04									93,48	100,00		
<b>17040701</b>	<b>Food and feed control -operat.manag.</b>																															
1	IT and communication																														3,01	3,01
2	Lab. Comm. de référence risques biologiques	2,30				1,78			1,42	3,14		2,31															1,23	3,92	17,52			
3	Lab. Comm. de référence résidus					1,19	5,77		1,74	1,84		1,10									1,84								4,00	17,48		
4	Lab. Comm. de référencesanté animale					0,98	0,83		1,98	5,32																	0,35	5,04	14,50			
5	Better traing for safer food																												47,49	47,49		
	<b>sous-total</b>	<b>2,30</b>			<b>3,95</b>	<b>6,60</b>		<b>5,14</b>	<b>10,30</b>		<b>3,42</b>									<b>3,26</b>						<b>1,58</b>	<b>8,96</b>	<b>54,50</b>	<b>100,00</b>			
<b>17.0409</b>	<b>International affairs</b>																															
1	UPOV																														100,00	100,00
	<b>sous-total</b>																														<b>100,00</b>	<b>100,00</b>
<b>17.010401</b>	<b>Plant-health measures - adm. manag.</b>																															
1	Evaluationplant health regime																															
	<b>sous-total</b>																														<b>100,00</b>	<b>100,00</b>
<b>17.010405</b>	<b>Food and feed control adm. management</b>																															
1	Supportive actions training food and feed																														85,22	85,22
2	Communication																														14,78	14,78
	<b>sous-total</b>																														<b>100,00</b>	<b>100,00</b>
<b>total</b>		<b>2,18</b>	<b>0,51</b>	<b>1,77</b>	<b>1,00</b>	<b>9,17</b>	<b>0,46</b>	<b>0,66</b>	<b>12,99</b>	<b>21,51</b>	<b>5,46</b>	<b>9,34</b>	<b>0,96</b>	<b>0,37</b>	<b>0,32</b>	<b>0,19</b>	<b>0,19</b>	<b>1,20</b>	<b>1,98</b>	<b>1,61</b>	<b>3,49</b>	<b>2,41</b>	<b>1,22</b>	<b>0,49</b>	<b>0,64</b>	<b>0,33</b>	<b>0,91</b>	<b>2,77</b>	<b>15,90</b>	<b>100,00</b>		

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**COMMITMENTS in % of total**

Line	Measure	Belgium	Bulgaria	Czech Rep.	Denmark	Germany	Estonia	Greece	Spain	France	Ireland	Italy	Cyprus	Latvia	Lithuania	Luxemburg	Malta	Hungary	Neth.lands	Austria	Poland	Portugal	Romania	Slovenia	Slovakia	Finland	Sweden	UK	#	TOTAL		
<b>17.040101</b>	<b>Animal disease eradication and monitoring programmes</b>																															
1	Eradication	0,04	0,38	0,17		0,33	0,26	0,07	4,40	0,19	4,46	3,85	0,91	0,26	0,15	0,00	0,15	0,36	0,00	0,08	1,90	0,92	0,94	0,12	0,30	0,03		0,40		20,66		
2	Bluetongue	1,29	0,00	0,68	0,01	4,82	0,03	0,01	6,08	15,91	0,02	0,58	0,01			0,15	0,00	0,09	0,01	1,03	0,03	0,78	0,03	0,28	0,14	0,45				32,42		
3	Avian influenza	0,03	0,02	0,02	0,06	0,07	0,00	0,02	0,10	0,06	0,02	0,41	0,00	0,01	0,01	0,00	0,00	0,05	0,14	0,02	0,02	0,06	0,06	0,02	0,01	0,08	0,11			1,42		
4	TSE/BSE and scrapie	0,41	0,10	0,30	0,54	2,58	0,06	0,35	1,56	4,08	0,95	1,55	0,01	0,07	0,15	0,03	0,01	0,29	0,75	0,33	0,23	0,44	0,17	0,07	0,14	0,14	0,26	1,33		16,92		
5	Salmonella	0,25	0,01	0,46	0,04	0,10	0,01	0,20	0,36	0,42	0,01	0,49	0,03	0,03		0,00	0,03	0,42	0,68	0,15	1,30	0,19	0,01	0,01	0,18		0,01		5,39			
	<b>sous-total</b>	<b>2,00</b>	<b>0,51</b>	<b>1,64</b>	<b>0,65</b>	<b>7,89</b>	<b>0,36</b>	<b>0,66</b>	<b>12,50</b>	<b>20,66</b>	<b>5,46</b>	<b>6,87</b>	<b>0,96</b>	<b>0,37</b>	<b>0,32</b>	<b>0,19</b>	<b>0,19</b>	<b>1,20</b>	<b>1,59</b>	<b>1,61</b>	<b>3,49</b>	<b>2,39</b>	<b>1,22</b>	<b>0,49</b>	<b>0,64</b>	<b>0,33</b>	<b>0,79</b>	<b>1,84</b>		<b>76,82</b>		
<b>17.040201</b>	<b>Other measures in the veterinary, animal welfare and public-health field</b>																															
1	OIE conferences																													0,10	0,10	
2	purchase FMD antigens																													1,40	1,40	
3	Purchase PPR vaccines																													0,43	0,43	
4	IT (TRACES, ADNS, ....)																													0,91	0,91	
5	Communication																													1,79	1,79	
6	Study salmonella breeding pigs																													0,04	0,04	
7	Evaluation animal welfare policy and animal welfare in trans																													0,12	0,12	
8	EU FMD trust fund																													0,45	0,45	
	<b>sous-total</b>																													<b>5,24</b>	<b>5,24</b>	
<b>17.040301</b>	<b>Emergency fund</b>																															
1	Newcastle disease					0,00	0,10																								0,10	
2	Classical swine fever					0,01																									0,01	
3	Maladie vésiculeuse du porc																														2,21	
4	bluetongue 2007								0,10																						0,10	
5	Avian influenza																												0,26		0,26	
6	avian influenza			0,14	0,05	0,67																0,01									0,87	
7	rabies Kaliningrad																												0,52		0,52	
	<b>sous-total</b>		0,00	0,14	0,05	0,68	0,10		0,10			2,21										0,01						0,26	0,52	4,08		
<b>17.040303</b>	<b>Preparatory action</b>																															
1	Control post animal welfare																													1,16	1,16	
	<b>sous-total</b>																													1,16	1,16	
<b>17.040401</b>	<b>Plant-health measures - operat. manag.</b>																															
1	Solidarité					0,10														0,15											4,07	4,32
2	IT																														0,20	0,20
3	better training for safer food																														0,29	0,29
4	Poseidom								0,07																						0,07	0,07
	<b>sous-total</b>					0,10				0,07									0,15											4,56	4,88	
<b>17040701</b>	<b>Food and feed control -operat.manag.</b>																															
1	IT and communication																														0,23	0,23
2	Lab. Comm. de référence risques biologiques	0,17			0,13				0,11	0,24		0,17																0,09	0,29		1,31	
3	Lab. Comm. de référence résidus				0,09	0,43			0,13	0,14		0,08									0,14									0,30	1,31	
4	Lab. Comm. de référencesanté animale				0,07	0,06			0,15	0,40																		0,03	0,38		1,09	
5	Better traing for safer food																													3,56	3,56	
	<b>sous-total</b>	0,17			0,30	0,49			0,39	0,77		0,26							0,24									0,12	0,67	4,09	7,50	
<b>17.0409</b>	<b>International affairs</b>																															
1	UPOV																														0,05	0,05
	<b>sous-total</b>																														0,05	0,05
<b>17.010401</b>	<b>Plant-health measures - adm. manag.</b>																															
1	Plant-health measures - adm. manag.																														0,09	0,09
	<b>sous-total</b>																														0,09	0,09
<b>17.010405</b>	<b>Food and feed control adm. management</b>																															
1	Supportive actions training food and feed																														0,17	0,17
2	Communication																														0,03	0,03
	<b>sous-total</b>																														0,20	0,20
<b>total</b>		2,18	0,51	1,77	1,00	9,17	0,46	0,66	12,99	21,51	5,46	9,34	0,96	0,37	0,32	0,19	0,19	1,20	1,98	1,61	3,49	2,41	1,22	0,49	0,64	0,33	0,91	2,77	15,90	100,00		

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**Mission:**

- Conception, study and management of legislation in the field of sanitary policy relating to live animals and their products (rules for putting on the market, trade and imports); zootechnic legislation; veterinary spending.
- Secretariat of the Standing Committees.

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<sup>1</sup> Ex 91/494/EEC

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## Annex IV - Unit D1 missions

Departure date	Ending date	Name	City	Purpose	Organization
13/01/2009	13/01/2009	Soto Emma	Paris	OIE	OIE
15/01/2009	16/01/2009	Soto Emma	Berlin	One-Health Roadshow - Green Week	German Ministry of Agriculture
17/01/2009	17/01/2009	Freigofas Ramunas	Dortmund	Presentation of Newcastle disease legislation	Pigeon breeder association
18/01/2009	20/01/2009	Carton Didier	Faroe Islands	TRACES Training	European Commission
18/01/2009	20/01/2009	Stéphanie Goeminne	Faroe Islands	TRACES Training	
20/01/2009	20/01/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris	REMSA Meeting	France
20/01/2009	21/01/2009	Depner Klaus	Berlin	Green Week	German Ministry of Agriculture
22/01/2009	23/01/2009	Mesman Sanna	Berlin	Green Week	German Ministry of Agriculture
22/01/2009	01/06/2009	Soto Emma	Morelia	cancelled	
26/01/2009	31/01/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Nairobi	Foot and Mouth Disease Pathway	FAO/EUFMD/OIE/IBAR
27/01/2009	30/01/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Rome	Intergovernmental Technical Working Group on Animal Genetic Resources	FAO
28/01/2009	29/01/2009	Batho Howard	Sofia	Veterinary Week	
29/01/2009	30/01/2009	Füssel Alf	Sofia	Traceability	Veterinary Week
01/02/2009	06/02/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Edinburgh	Electronic Identification	UK Government and stakeholders
02/02/2009	03/02/2009	Danau Réne	Luxembourg	Training - Translation Service	OPOCE and DGT
02/02/2009	03/02/2009	Hoffmann Annette	Luxembourg	Training Translation Service	OPOCE and DGT
02/02/2009	03/02/2009	Jamrichova Martina	Luxembourg	Training - Translation Service	OPOCE and DGT
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05/02/2009	05/02/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris	Disease Categorisation study	OIE
08/02/2009	11/02/2009	Carton Didier	Sarajevo	TRACES Training	European Commission
09/02/2009	11/02/2009	Bernorio Pierangelo	Weymouth	Amphibian Diseases	EU reference lab for fish diseases
09/02/2009	10/02/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Algiers	REMESA meeting	FAO
09/02/2009	10/02/2009	Füssel Alf	Paris	OIE Meeting - FMD adhoc group country freedom	OIE
09/02/2009	13/02/2009	Goeminne Stéphanie	Sarajevo	TRACES Training	European Commission/MS
13/02/2009	28/02/2009	Freigofas Ramunas	Bangkok	FVO Mission	Ministry of Agriculture
16/02/2009	19/02/2009	Rosado Martin Pedro	Paris	OIE ad-hoc group	OIE
17/02/2009	20/02/2009	Kroon Kaido	Zagreb	TRACES Training	Croatian veterinary service
21/02/2009	21/02/2009	Soto Emma	Paris	One-Health Roadshow	Salon Intl. De l'agriculture
24/02/2009	24/02/2009	Bernorio Pierangelo	Antwerp	Fruit Imports	Port control post for food of non animal origin

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24/02/2009	25/02/2009	Danau Réne	Luxembourg	Working Group	OPOCE
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24/02/2009	25/02/2009	Lopes Rui	Luxembourg	Working Group	OPOCE
24/02/2009	25/02/2009	Nguyen Ngoc To Uyen	Luxembourg	Working Group	OPOCE
02/03/2009	05/02/2009	Bernorio Pierangelo	Vienna	Training Course for BIPs	European Commission - BTSF
03/03/2009	15/03/2009	Füssel Alf	Buenos Aires	OIE mission FMD South America	OIE, veterinary services of Argentina, Bolivia, Paraguay
05/03/2009	05/03/2009	Carton Didier	Paris	Electronic certification	DICTAO (Paris)
05/03/2009	06/03/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Malaga	Electronic identification	ISO (international standards organisation)
06/03/2009	06/03/2009	Pittman Maria	Gent	EU project on rescue of rare breeds	ELBARN
08/03/2009	11/03/2009	Carton Didier	Belgrade	TRACES Training	European Commission
08/03/2009	13/03/2009	Kroon Kaido	Riga	FVO Audit	Latvian Veterinary service
10/03/2009	10/03/2009	Gumbel Tim	Strasbourg	Trilogue on new ABP Regulation	European Parliament
10/03/2009	11/03/2009	Rosado Martin Pedro	Grange	Training	European Commission - FVO
12/03/2009	13/03/2009	Depner Klaus	Bratislava	Control and eradication of CSF	Central Vet Service
15/03/2009	17/03/2009	Rosado Martin Pedro	La Rochelle	Annual Meeting NRLs molluscs	CRL Mollusc diseases
16/03/2009	18/03/2009	Freigofas Ramunas	Prague	EMIDA & CWG	Ministry of Education
16/03/2009	20/03/2009	Reviriego Paco	Winnipeg	International consultation on One World One Health	Public Health Agency Canada
18/03/2009	22/03/2009	Depner Klaus	Sofia/Bucharest	Control and eradication of CSF	Central Vet Service
18/03/2009	22/03/2009	Klemencic Matjaz	Podgorica	Workshop	TAIEX
20/03/2009	22/03/2009	Batho Howard	Ankara	Symposium	
21/03/2009	26/03/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Buenos Aires	Presentation at OIE International conference on animal identification and traceability	OIE
28/03/2009	17/04/2009	Carton Didier	Port Louis	Training Workshop TRACES	Financement BTSF
02/04/2009	19/04/2009	Reviriego Paco	Madrid/Paris	Eradication control - EU RL & OIE	EU RL (Madrid) & OIE (Paris)
04/04/2009	09/04/2009	Pittman Maria	Athens	7th internat. AI Symposium	University of Georgia, USA
05/04/2009	07/04/2009	Rosado Martin Pedro	Zadar	Workshop	
13/04/2009	16/04/2009	Laddomada Alberto	Prague	Informal meeting CVOs	
14/04/2009	16/04/2009	Gumbel Tim	Prague	Informal meeting CVOs	Czech Presidency of the EU
15/04/2009	19/04/2009	Batho Howard	Paris	OIE	OIE
15/04/2009	17/04/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris	Epidemiology Ad hoc Group	OIE
20/04/2009	22/04/2009	Freigofas Ramunas	Stockholm	Presentation of West Nile Fever legislation	ECDC
21/04/2009	24/04/2009	Reviriego Paco	Bruges	Commission Training	Hotel arranged by Commission
23/04/2009	26/04/2009	Gumbel Tim	Strasbourg	Trilogue on new ABP Regulation	European Parliament

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27/04/2009	30/04/2009	Füssel Alf	Rome	38th General Session EUFMD	EUFMD
27/04/2009	28/04/2009	Kuster Laszlo	Grange	Animal Health Action Plan	European Commission - FVO
27/04/2009	28/04/2009	Logar Barbara	Grange	Animal Health Action Plan	European Commission - FVO
27/04/2009	29/04/2009	Soto Emma	Turin	Rabies Communication	Alliance for Rabies Control
27/04/2009	30/04/2009	Zietara Magdalena	Rome	38th General Session of the EUFMD	EUFMD
04/05/2009	05/05/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Nairobi	Panafrican CVO Meeting	AU/IBAR
06/05/2009	08/05/2009	Mesman Sanna	La Coruna	Presentation/Round Table on Bluetogues in the EU	ANEMBE Spanish Association of Cattle Practitioners
07/05/2009	07/05/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris	Disease Categorisation study	OIE
12/05/2009	16/05/2009	Reviriego Paco	Antalya	Epizone Network (Research)	Hotel arranged by Epizone
13/05/2009	14/05/2009	Depner Klaus	Tirana	Workshop - TAIEX Misson	Central Vet Service
16/05/2009	23/05/2009	Carton Didier	Mexico City	TRACES Training	European Commission
18/05/2009	20/05/2009	Kroon Kaido	Kiev	TAIEX Workshop	Ukrain Ministry of Agriculture and agricultural associations
18/05/2009	19/05/2009	Laddomada Alberto	Stockholm	Seminar	
19/05/2009	24/05/2009	Reviriego Paco	Bolzano	Workshop/Meeting AT, DE, IT, CH	Veterinary Service Bolzano (Italy)
19/05/2009	19/05/2009	Zietara Magdalena	Paris	EFSA Working group on B. suis opinion	EFSA
23/05/2009	25/05/2009	Carton Didier	Paris	TRACES meeting with OIE representatives	OIE
24/05/2009	28/05/2009	Batho Howard	Paris	OIE Conference	OIE
24/05/2009	29/05/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris	OIE General Session	OIE
24/05/2009	25/05/2009	Laddomada Alberto	Paris	OIE Conference	
25/05/2009	27/05/2009	Bernorio Pierangelo	Paris	OIE Conference	OIE
25/05/2009	28/05/2009	Depner Klaus	Griefswald	Symposium - invited speaker	
25/05/2009	27/05/2009	Füssel Alf	Paris	Annual General Session OIE	OIE
25/05/2009	28/05/2009	Klemm Moritz	Paris	OIE Conference	OIE
25/05/2009	28/05/2009	Reviriego Paco	Paris	OIE General Session	OIE
25/05/2009	28/05/2009	Rosado Martin Pedro	Paris	OIE Conference	OIE
25/05/2009	27/05/2009	Zietara Magdalena	Paris	77th General Session of the OIE	OIE
26/05/2009	28/05/2009	Kroon Kaido	Southampton	Better training for safer food	MS and third country veterinary service
27/05/2009	27/05/2009	Cabot Sigrid	Copenhagen	Annual Meeting NRLs fish diseases	CRL Fish Diseases
28/05/2009	28/05/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Warsaw	Identification of Equidae	Polish Government
31/05/2009	04/05/2009	Carton Didier	Winnipeg	TRACES Conferences	Canadian Govt (part-financing)
31/05/2009	06/06/2009	Giaprakis Maria	Thessaloniki	TRACES Training	European Commission/MS
02/06/2009	02/06/2009	Klemm Moritz	London	RSPCA Conference	RSPCA

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02/06/2009	04/06/2009	Pittman Maria	Pulawy	AI/ND laboratories meeting	National reference laboratory PL
09/06/2009	10/06/2009	Depner Klaus	Ahrweiler	Symposium - invited speaker	Central Vet Service
11/06/2009	13/06/2009	Füssel Alf	Berlin	Workshop on equine diseases	
11/06/2009	12/06/2009	Kroon Kaido	Hamburg	4th seaport BIPs meeting	Hamburg border inspection post veterinary service
13/06/2009	20/06/2009	Batho Howard	Manila	OIE	OIE
14/06/2009	17/06/2009	Depner Klaus	Madrid	Meeting CSF & ASF	National reference laboratory
16/06/2009	16/06/2009	Klemencic Matjaz	Stockholm	EBSA 2009 Conference	EBSA European Biosafety Association
17/06/2009	18/06/2009	Kuster Laszlo	Grange	Presentation - Animal Health Strategy	European Commission - FVO
17/06/2009	18/06/2009	Mc Eneaney Paddy	Grange	Presentation - Animal Health Strategy	European Commission - FVO
17/06/2009	17/06/2009	Soto Emma	Paris		
22/06/2009	28/06/2009	Füssel Alf	Asuncion	OIE/FAO Global Conference on FMD	EU was contributor to the conference in general and I gave a presentation
22/06/2009	24/06/2009	Kuster Laszlo	Plovdiv	TAIEX Workshop	Bulgarian Veterinary Service
24/06/2009	25/06/2009	Klemm Moritz	Bonn	Symposium CVO	BMELV
30/06/2009	01/07/2009	Depner Klaus	Parma	Working Group	EFSA
02/07/2009	06/07/2009	Soto Emma	Porto	Animal Health Strategy	Portuguese Ministry
06/07/2009	07/07/2009	Batho Howard	Berne		
06/07/2009	13/07/2009	Carton Didier	Reykjavik	TRACES Training	European Commission
06/07/2009	09/07/2009	Füssel Alf	Amasya	EU FMD/PPR pre-accession eradication programme in Turkey	Ministry of Agriculture
06/07/2009	10/07/2009	Van Ranst Annelies	Reykjavik	TRACES Training	
07/07/2009	09/07/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Rome	Global GF-TADs SC meeting	FAO/OIE
09/07/2009	10/07/2009	Depner Klaus	Vilnius	CSF Suspicion	European Commission
10/07/2009	22/07/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris/Tunis	Disease Categorisation study + REMESA	OIE - FAO
10/07/2009	10/07/2009	Gumbel Tim	Baarn	Conference on animal by-products	Dutch Ministry of Agriculture
15/07/2009	15/07/2009	Klemm Moritz	Den Haag	Partners for Rabies prevention meeting on Blueprint for Rabies Control	PRP/Ministry of Agriculture NL
15/07/2009	15/07/2009	Soto Emma	Den Haag	cancelled	
24/07/2009	24/07/2009	De Rooij Diana	Libramont	Foire de Libramont	European Commission
27/07/2009	27/07/2009	De Rooij Diana	Libramont	Foire de Libramont	European Commission
27/07/2009	30/07/2009	Freigofas Ramunas	Grange	Export certificate negotiations	FVO

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15/08/2009	17/08/2009	Cabot Sigrid	Trondheim	EU Forum at Aquaculture Europe 2009	European Aquaculture Society (EAS)
23/08/2009	26/08/2009	Rosado Martin Pedro	Paris	OIE ad-hoc group	OIE
23/08/2009	27/08/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Barcelona	Presentation on traceability at EAAP conference	European Association of Animal Science (EAAP)
28/08/2009	05/09/2009	Soto Emma	Mexico City	Import requirements for bees	Mexican Beekeepers Assoc.
30/08/2009	31/08/2009	Logar Barbara	Ljubljana	Veterinary Day - Agricultural Fair Gornja Radgona	Veterinary Chamber of Slovenia
05/09/2009	17/09/2009	Batho Howard	Lusaka	PVS Gap Analysis	
05/09/2009	11/09/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris	Code Commission Meeting	OIE
08/09/2009	09/09/2009	Kroon Kaido	Kaiserlautern	TRACES Training	US military airbase veterinary service
08/09/2009	08/09/2009	Mc Eneaney Paddy	Hargimont	Assist with Away Day organisation	European Commission
09/09/2009	10/09/2009	Depner Klaus	Pristina	Twinning Project on CST	Central Vet Service
09/09/2009	10/09/2009	Zietara Magdalena	Ghent	Annual meeting of EU-AI-Vets	EU-AI-Vets
10/09/2009	11/09/2009	Kuster Laszlo	Helsinki	Nordic Animal Health and contingency meetng	Association for animal disease prevention (ETT) Finland
11/09/2009	21/09/2009	Soto Emma	Morelia	Import requirements for bees	Mexican Beekeepers Assoc.
14/09/2009	18/09/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris	Code Commission Meeting	OIE
15/09/2009	18/09/2009	Bernorio Pierangelo	Montpellier	APIMUNDIA	APIMUNDIA
15/09/2009	15/09/2009	Klein Hélène	Dublin	IPATA Meeting	IPATA
15/09/2009	17/09/2009	Reviriego Paco	Paris	OIE ad-hoc group	OIE
16/09/2009	16/09/2009	Laddomada Alberto	Strasbourg	European Parliament session	
16/09/2009	17/09/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Vienna	Presentation on animal traceability	Austrian Government
20/09/2009	21/09/2009	Cabot Sigrid	Paris	Flavobacterium 2009	OECD
21/09/2009	23/09/2009	Zietara Magdalena	Terceira Island, Azores	Presentation of prospective in obtaining officially free status as regards certain diseases of bovine animals	Veterinary services of the Autonomous Region of Azores
25/09/2009	25/09/2009	Klein Hélène	Cardiff	BVA Congress	BVA
28/09/2009	01/10/2009	Van Ranst Annelies	Rome	BTSF workshop	
29/09/2009	01/10/2009	Füssel Alf	Ankara	pre-accession workshop on equine identification	Ministry of Agriculture
29/09/2009	30/09/2009	Rosado Martin Pedro	Valencia		
30/09/2009	30/09/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Gross-Umstadt	Presentation on electronic identification	DLG - German test laboratory for identification devices
01/10/2009	02/10/2009	Batho Howard	Dublin		
01/10/2009	02/10/2009	Freigofas Ramunas	Spa	Negotiation training	SYSLOG training

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02/10/2009	02/10/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris	Disease Categorisation study	OIE
04/10/2009	09/10/2009	Füssel Alf	Istanbul	FAO/OIE FMD week - WestEurasia Roadmap to FMD freedom, FMD Tripartite, EUFMD	FAO/OIE
05/10/2009	09/10/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Istanbul	Foot and Mouth Disease Pathway	FAO/EUFMD/OIE
05/10/2009	16/10/2009	Freigofas Ramunas	Moscow	FVO Mission	Ministry of Agriculture
05/10/2009	09/10/2009	Goeminne Stéphanie	Rabat	BTSF Training	European Commission/MS
05/10/2009	09/10/2009	Kroon Kaido	Janow Podlask	BTSF Training	MS and third country veterinary service
06/10/2009	09/10/2009	Depner Klaus	Belgrade	TAIEX Mission	Central Vet Service
07/10/2009	09/10/2009	Cainzos Garcia Marta	Uppsala	Conference on animal welfare quality	Finnish Presidency
08/10/2009	09/10/2009	Klemm Moritz	Vienna	EU Veterinary Week	University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna
08/10/2009	10/10/2009	Laddomada Alberto	Alghero		
11/10/2009	15/11/2009	Batho Howard	Windhoek		
11/10/2009	13/10/2009	Peteva Jenia	Trier	Training - Law Academy of EU Law	Trier Law Academy
12/10/2009	12/10/2009	Soto Emma	Paris		OIE
13/10/2009	13/10/2009	Depner Klaus	Dusseldorf	Disease control	Vet Services Northrhein Westfalia
13/10/2009	15/10/2009	Reviriego Paco	Paris	OIE ad-hoc group	OIE
14/10/2009	14/10/2009	Soto Emma	Paris		OIE
15/10/2009	15/10/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris	Ad Hoc Group on commodity trade	OIE
15/10/2009	15/10/2009	Reviriego Paco	Paris	Med/vet/Net (Research)	
16/10/2009	16/10/2009	Bernorio Pierangelo	Antwerp	Training course for developing countries	Institute for tropical diseases
16/10/2009	21/10/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Rome	Commission on Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture	FAO
20/10/2009	23/10/2009	Laddomada Alberto	Jonkoping	Informal meeting CVOs	
20/10/2009	23/10/2009	Logar Barbara	Jonkoping	Informal meeting CVOs	Swedish Presidency
20/10/2009	22/10/2009	Reviriego Paco	Jonkoping	Informal meeting CVOs	SE
20/10/2009	22/10/2009	Soto Emma	Larnaca	Cyprus State Fair	Veterinay Authorities Cyprus
22/10/2009	24/10/2009	Pittman Maria	Perugia	Round table on future legislation	SIPA - IT avian pathology
26/10/2009	02/11/2009	Giaprakis Maria	Palermo	TRACES Training	European Commission/MS
26/10/2009	28/10/2009	Klein Hélène	Vilnius	Rabies Task Force	EUROPEAN COMMISSION DG SANCO 04
26/10/2009	28/10/2009	Kuster Laszlo	Grange	Workshop for mutiannual national control plans under Reg 882/2004	European Commisson - FVO
27/10/2009	31/10/2009	Carton Didier	Palermo	TRACES Training	Séminaire TRACES

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27/10/2009	30/10/2009	Depner Klaus	Sofia	CSF Control	European Commission
27/10/2009	31/10/2009	Kroon Kaido	Palermo	TRACES Training	DG Sanco D.1
02/11/2009	03/11/2009	Füssel Alf	Copenhagen	Annual meeting of World Breeding Federation for Sport Horses	WBFSH
02/11/2009	03/11/2009	Reviriego Paco	Madrid	Veterindustria (IFAH partner) Conference	Veterindustria
04/11/2009	05/11/2009	Rosado Martin Pedro	Ankara	TAIEX Workshop on aquaculture disease control and legislation	
05/11/2009	07/11/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Perugia	Conference on One Health	IZS MARCHE UMBRIA
05/11/2009	06/11/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Milan	Presentation on animal traceability	ID-World conference on identification technologies
07/11/2009	16/11/2009	Carton Didier	Dakar	Formation TRACES	Senegalese Govt
09/11/2009	13/11/2009	Depner Klaus	Bucharest/Budapest	Task Force Mission	Central Vet Service
10/11/2009	11/01/09	Kroon Kaido	Rome	BTSF Training	MS and third country veterinary service
14/11/2009	21/11/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Shanghai	Conf of the Regional Commission for Asia	OIE
16/11/2009	18/11/2009	Klein Hélène	Nancy	CRL annual workshop	CRL Rabies
16/11/2009	19/11/2009	Klemm Moritz	Paris	Ad-hoc group on vaccines related to new and emerging technologies	OIE
16/11/2009	18/11/2009	Kroon Kaido	Munich	TRACES Pilot project	US military airbase veterinary service
17/11/2009	19/11/2009	Batho Howard	Paris		
17/11/2009	17/11/2009	Füssel Alf	Aachen	Preparation Asian Games, meeting requested by China, organised by the German Ministry of Agriculture for approval of pre-export quarantine by Chinese authorities	Aachen-Laurensberger Rennverein e.V. - Aachener Reittourier GmbH ( premises of the pre-export quarantine)
17/11/2009	17/11/2009	Sprenger Kai-Uwe	Grub	Presentation on electronic identification	German Government
18/11/2009	20/11/2009	Depner Klaus	Zagreb	Task Force Mission	Central Vet Service
23/11/2009	24/11/2009	Batho Howard	Wageningen ???	MTEC Animal health course	
23/11/2009	24/11/2009	Klemm Moritz	Wageningen	MTEC Animal health course	Wageningen University/Ministry of Foreign Affairs NL
24/11/2009	29/11/2009	Reviriego Paco	Paris	OIE ad-hoc group	OIE
02/12/2009	04/12/2009	Depner Klaus	Parma	Working Group	EFSA
07/12/2009	10/12/2009	Batho Howard	Paris	OIE Advisory Group	OIE

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07/12/2009	09/12/2009	Kuster Laszlo	Grange	Workshop for national audits under Reg 882/2004	European Commission - FVO
07/12/2009	07/12/2009	Pittman Maria	Luxembourg	Climate change WG	DG SANCO C3
08/12/2009	10/12/2009	Reviriego Paco	Stockholm	US Joint Management Meeting	
09/12/2009	10/12/2009	Bonbon Etienne	Paris	OIE PVS Feedback	OIE
10/12/2009	11/12/2009	Füssel Alf	Maisons Alfort	first annual meeting of CRL for equine diseases	CRL equine disease Maisons-Alfort
11/12/2009	15/11/2009	Soto Emma	London	EMEA Workshop - Bees	EMEA
12/12/2009	16/12/2009	Füssel Alf	Hong Kong	Annual meeting of International Movement of Horses Committee	IMHC
15/12/2009	17/12/2009	Freigofas Ramunas	Moscow	Export certificate negotiations	Ministry of Agriculture



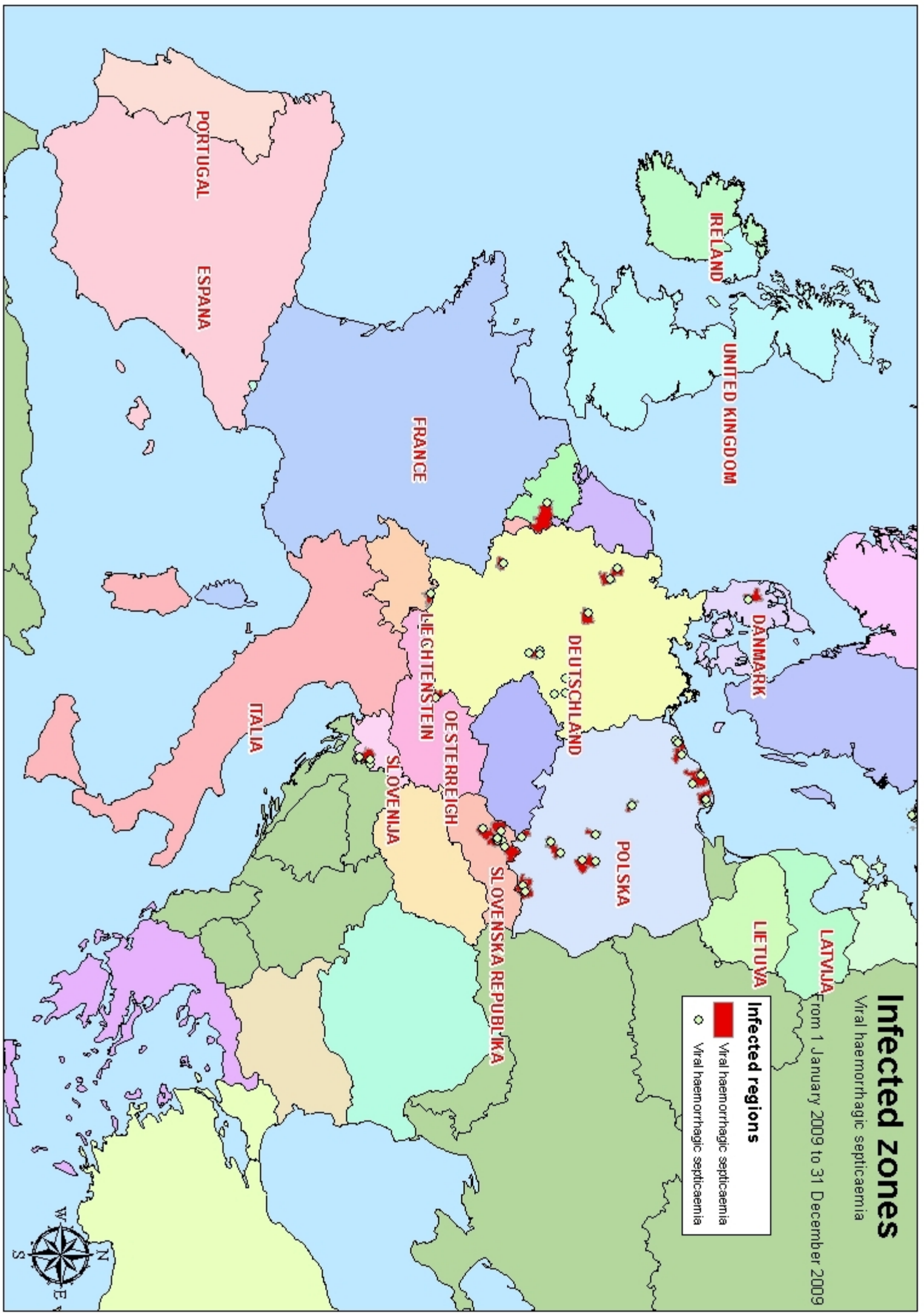
**Annex V. - Commission Decisions and Regulations adopted concerning animal health, welfare and zootechnics by applying the Standing Veterinary Committee procedure**

1	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/148/EC</b> of 19 February 2009 amending Decision 2008/883/EC as regards Brazil concerning the date for which imports into the Community of certain fresh bovine meat are authorised	L 49/46	hb
2	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/151/EC</b> of 20 February 2009 amending Annex II to Council Decision 79/542/EEC as regards the entry for Botswana in the list of third countries or parts thereof from which imports into the Community of certain fresh meat are authorised	L 50/45	hb
3	COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No <b>201/2009</b> of 16 March 2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 318/2007 laying down animal health conditions for imports of certain birds into the Community and the quarantine conditions thereof	L 71/3	ab
4	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/247/EC</b> of 16 March 2009 amending Decision 2003/322/EC as regards the feeding of certain species of necrophagous birds in Bulgaria with certain category 1 material	L 73/20	tg
5	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/248/EC</b> of 18 March 2009 amending Decision 2008/185/EC as regards the animal health conditions for trade in pigs between Member States or regions thereof which are free of Aujeszky's disease	L 73/22	kd
6	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/254/EC</b> of 20 March 2009 amending Decision 2008/855/EC as regards animal health control measures relating to classical swine fever in Germany	L 75/22	kd
7	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/255/EC</b> of 20 March 2009 amending Decision 2003/135/EC as regards the eradication and emergency vaccination plans for classical swine fever in feral pigs in certain areas of the Federal States of North Rhine-Westphalia and Rhineland-Palatinate	L 75/24	kd
8	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/317/EC</b> of 6 April 2009 amending Council Decision 79/542/EEC as regards the transport of animals by air, the transit of animals through certain third countries and the animal health certificates for certain meat from solipeds and for transit and storage of certain fresh meat	L 94/100	hb
9	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/333/EC</b> of 20 April 2009 on the financial contribution of the Community for the year 2009 for the computerisation of veterinary procedures, the system of notification of animal diseases, communication measures and studies and evaluations and on a direct grant to the OIE based on Article 168(1)(c) of Regulation (EC, Euratom) No 2342/2002	L 101/18	mcg
10	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/342/EC</b> of 23 April 2009 amending Decision 2003/467/EC as regards the declaration that certain administrative regions of Italy are officially free of bovine tuberculosis, bovine brucellosis and enzootic-bovine-leukosis, that certain administrative regions of Poland are officially free of enzootic-bovine-leukosis and that Poland and Slovenia are officially free of bovine tuberculosis	L 104/51	mz
11	COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No <b>411/2009</b> of 18 May 2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 laying down a list of third countries, territories, zones or compartments from which poultry and poultry products may be imported into and transit through the Community and the veterinary certification requirements	L 124/3	mp
12	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/422/EC</b> of 26 May 2009 amending Decision 2003/135/EC as regards the eradication and emergency vaccination plans for classical swine fever in feral pigs in certain areas of Germany	L 137/42	kd
13	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/423/EC</b> of 26 May 2009 amending Decision 2008/855/EC as regards animal health control measures relating to classical swine fever in Germany	L 138/5	kd

14	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/437/EC</b> of 8 June 2009 amending Decision 2007/268/EC on the implementation of surveillance programmes for avian influenza in poultry and wild birds to be carried out in the Member States	L 145/45	mp
15	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/486/EC</b> of 22 June 2009 on the purchase of foot-and-mouth disease virus antigens	L 160/27	aef
16	COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No <b>555/2009</b> of 25 June 2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 318/2007 laying down animal health conditions for imports of certain birds into the Community and the quarantine conditions thereof	L 164/37	ab
17	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/492/EC</b> of 22 June 2009 on a Community financial contribution towards Trust Fund 911100MTF/INT/003/EEC (TFEU 970089129) to assist the campaign against foot-and-mouth disease outside the Community	L 164/64	aef
18	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/494/EC</b> of 25 June 2009 concerning certain protection measures in relation to highly pathogenic avian influenza of subtype H5N1 in Croatia and Switzerland	L 166/74	mp
19	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/495/EC</b> of 26 June 2009 amending Decision 2006/415/EC concerning certain protection measures in relation to highly pathogenic avian influenza of the subtype H5N1 in poultry in the Community	L 166/77	mp
20	COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No <b>616/2009</b> of 13 July 2009 implementing Council Directive 2005/94/EC as regards the approval of poultry compartments and other captive birds compartments with respect to avian influenza and additional preventive biosecurity measures in such compartments	L 181/16	eb
21	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/585/EC</b> of 31 July 2009 amending Decision 2008/965/EC on financial aid from the Community for the year 2009 for certain Community reference laboratories in the field of animal health and live animals	L 201/65	fr
22	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/600/EC</b> of 5 August 2009 amending Decision 2003/467/EC as regards the declaration that certain Member States and regions thereof are officially free of bovine brucellosis	L 204/39	mz
23	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/601/EC</b> of 5 August 2009 amending Annex I to Decision 2004/233/EC as regards the entries for Germany in the list of laboratories authorised to check the effectiveness of vaccination against rabies in certain domestic carnivores	L 204/43	hk
24	COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No <b>719/2009</b> of 6 August 2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 1251/2008 as regards the list of third countries and territories from which certain crustaceans and ornamental aquatic animals may be imported into the Community	L 205/10	prm
25	COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No <b>759/2009</b> of 19 August 2009 amending the Annex to Council Regulation (EC) No 21/2004 establishing a system for the identification and registration of ovine and caprine animals	L 215/3	kus
26	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/620/EC</b> of 20 August 2009 amending Decision 2005/779/EC as regards the inclusion of the region of Abruzzo in the list of Italian regions free of swine vesicular disease	L 217/3	kd
27	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/621/EC</b> of 20 August 2009 amending Decision 2008/185/EC as regards the inclusion of Northern Ireland in the list of regions where an approved national control programme for Aujeszky's disease is in place	L 217/5	kd
28	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/623/EC</b> of 26 August 2009 amending Decision 2006/139/EC as regards its period of applicability and the list of authorities in Canada approved for keeping a herdbook or register of certain animals	L 224/15	kus
29	COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No <b>789/2009</b> of 28 August 2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 1266/2007 as regards protection against attacks by vectors and minimum requirements for bluetongue monitoring and surveillance programmes	L 227/3	sm

30	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/624/EC</b> of 28 August 2009 amending Decision 2004/211/EC as regards the entries for Brazil and Mauritius in the list of third countries and parts thereof from which imports into the Community of live equidae and semen, ova and embryos of the equine species are authorised	L 227/7	aef
31	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/712/2009</b> of 18 September 2009 implementing Council Directive 2008/73/EC as regards Internet-based information pages containing lists of establishments and laboratories approved by Member States in accordance with Community veterinary and zootechnical legislation	L 247/13	hk
32	COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No <b>898/2009</b> of 25 September 2009 amending Annex II to Regulation (EC) No 998/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the list of countries and territories	L 256/10	hk
33	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/722/EC</b> of 29 September 2009 amending Decision 2003/324/EC as regards a derogation from the intra-species recycling ban for the feeding of certain fur animals in Latvia	L 257/38	tg
34	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/759/EC</b> of 15 October 2009 amending Decision 2008/155/EC as regards its period of applicability and certain embryo collection and production teams in Australia, Canada, New Zealand and the United States	L 271/18	mz
35	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/761/EC</b> of 15 October 2009 amending Decision 2003/467/EC as regards the declaration that Scotland is officially free of bovine tuberculosis	L 271/34	mz
36	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/779/EC</b> of 22 October 2009 amending Annex I to Decision 2004/233/EC as regards the entry for Denmark in the list of laboratories authorised to check the effectiveness of vaccination against rabies in certain domestic carnivores	L 278/58	hk
37	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/794/EC</b> of 27 October 2009 concerning certain protective measures in relation to highly pathogenic avian influenza of subtype H7N7 in Spain	L 283/58	mp
38	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/818/2009</b> of 6 November 2009 amending Decisions 2005/692/EC, 2005/731/EC, 2005/734/EC and 2007/25/EC concerning avian influenza as regards their period of application	L 291/27	mp
39	COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No <b>1118/2009</b> of 20 November 2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 318/2007 laying down animal health conditions for imports of certain birds into the Community and the quarantine conditions thereof	L 307/3	ab
40	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/847/EC</b> of 20 November 2009 amending Decision 2005/176/EC laying down the codified form and the codes for the notification of animal diseases pursuant to Council Directive 82/894/EEC	L 307/7	ab
41	COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No <b>1156/2009</b> of 27 November 2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 1266/2007 as regards the conditions for exempting certain animals of susceptible species from the exit ban provided for in Council Directive 2000/75/EC	L 313/59	sm
42	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/856/EC</b> of 27 November 2009 concerning the adoption of a financing decision for 2010 for communication measures, studies, evaluations and on a direct grant to the OIE based on Article 168(1)(c) of Regulation (EC, Euratom) No 2342/2002	L 313/126	ab
43	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/864/EC</b> of 30 November 2009 amending Decision 2007/777/EC as regards imports into the Community of biltong from certain parts of South Africa and from Uruguay	L 314/97	pb
44	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/869/EC</b> of 27 November 2009 amending Annexes XI, XII, XV and XVI to Council Directive 2003/85/EC as regards the list of and minimum security standards applicable to laboratories authorised to handle live foot-and-mouth disease virus	L 315/8	mz
45	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/873/EC</b> of 30 November 2009 amending Decision 2006/168/EC as regards the listing of embryo collection and production teams approved for imports of bovine embryos into the Community	L 315/22	mz

46	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/893/EC</b> of 30 November 2009 on importation of semen of domestic animals of the porcine species into the Community as regards lists of third countries and of semen collection centres, and certification requirements	L 320/12	mz
47	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/952/EU</b> of 14 December 2009 amending Decision 2008/855/EC concerning animal health control measures relating to classical swine fever in certain Member States	L 328/76	kd
48	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/960/EU</b> of 14 December 2009 amending Decision 2004/407/EC as regards authorising imports of photographic gelatine into the Czech Republic	L 330/82	tg
49	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/975/EU</b> of 14 December 2009 amending Decision 2009/177/EC as regards eradication programmes and disease-free status of certain Member States, zones and compartments for certain aquatic animal diseases	L 336/31	prm
50	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2009/976/EU</b> of 15 December 2009 amending Annex D to Council Directive 64/432/EEC as regards diagnostic tests for enzootic bovine leukosis	L 336/36	mz
51	COMMISSION DECISION <b>2010/57/UE</b> of 3 February 2010 laying down health guarantees for the transit of equidae being transported through the territories listed in Annex I to Council Directive 97/78/EC	L 32/9	aef
52	COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) No 176/2010 of 2 March 2010 amending Annex D to Council Directive 92/65/EEC as regards semen collection and storage centres, embryo collection and production teams, and conditions for donor animals of the equine, ovine and caprine species and for handling semen, ova and embryos of those species	L 52/14	mz



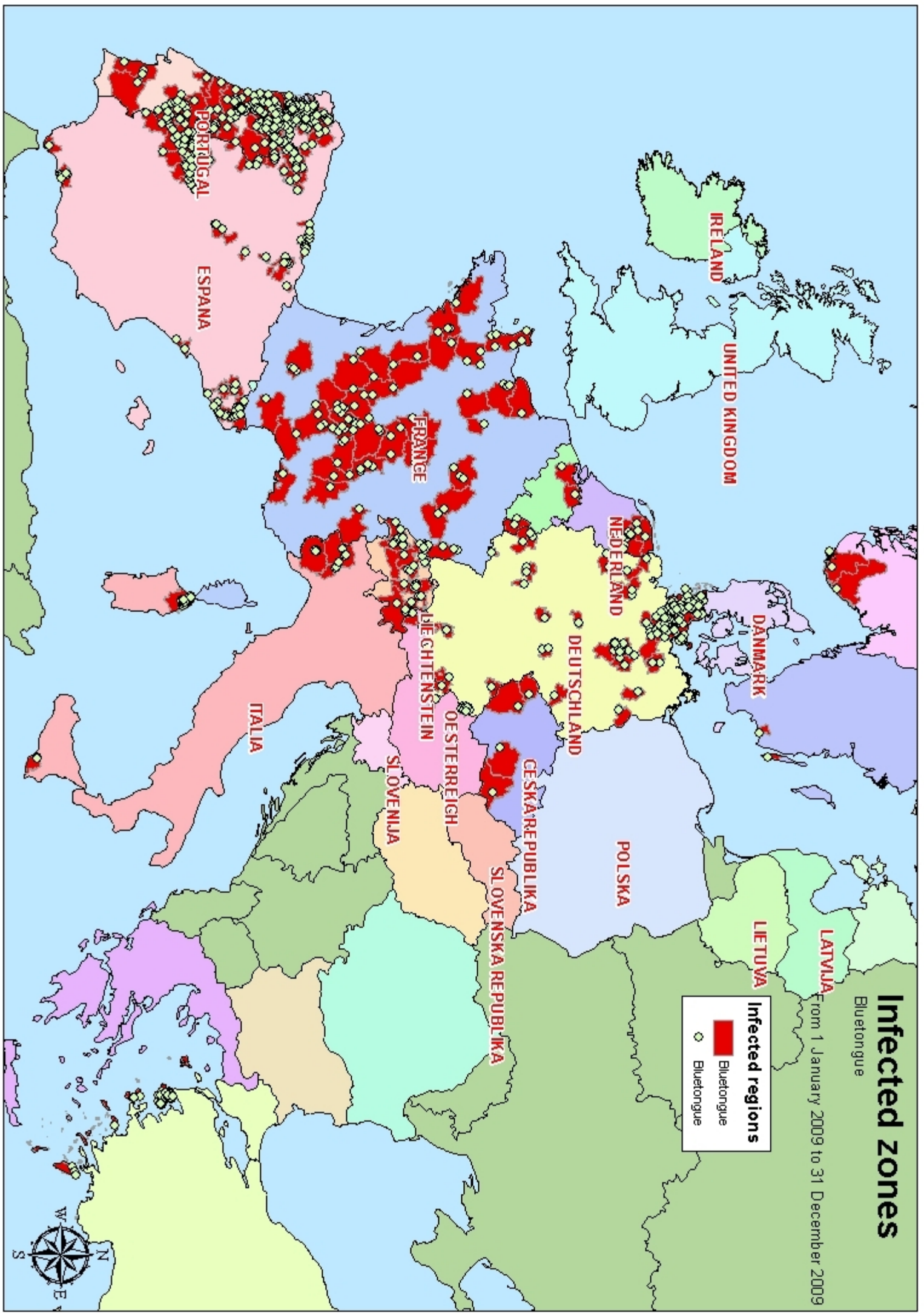
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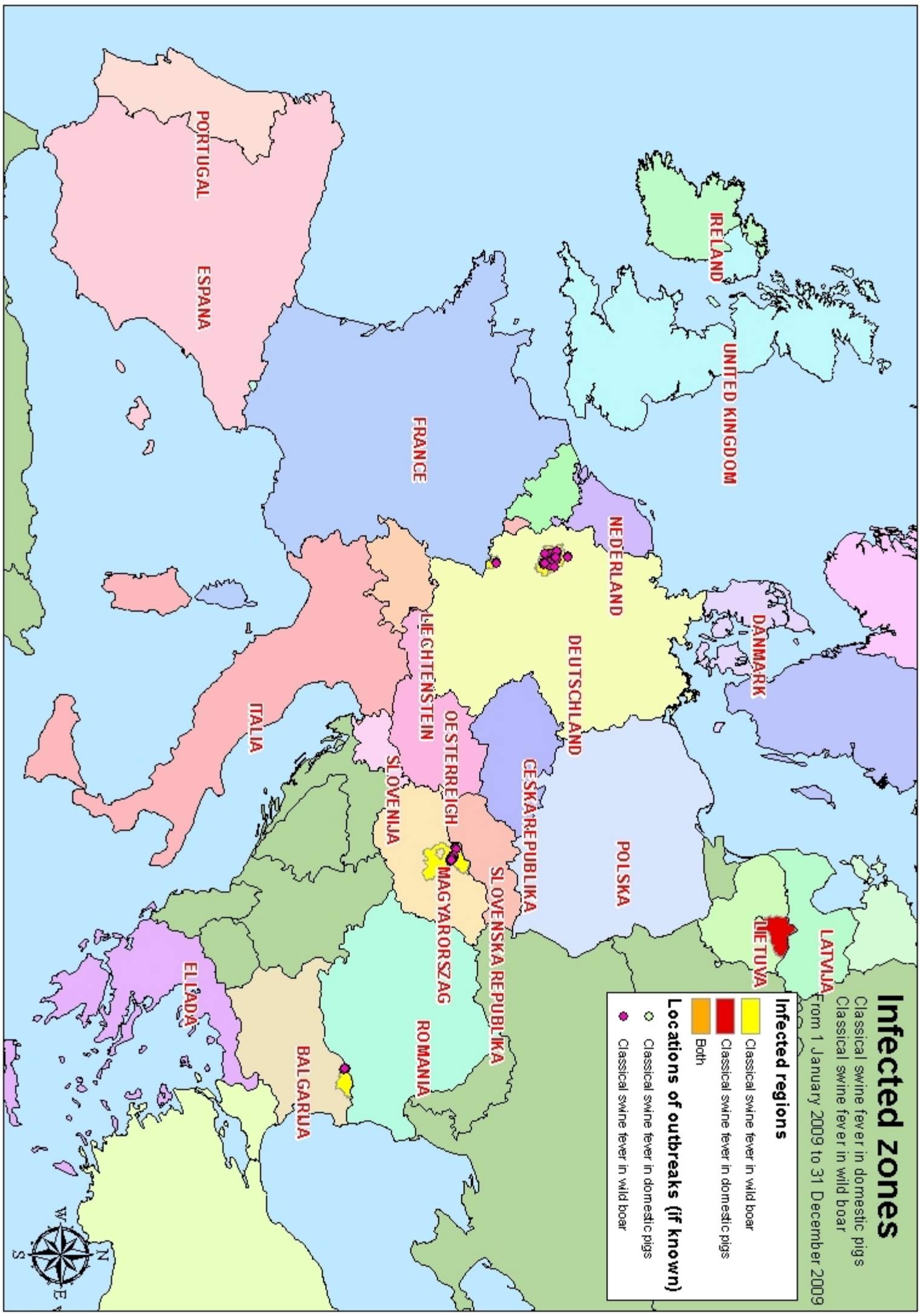
Viral haemorrhagic septicaemia

From 1 January 2009 to 31 December 2009

## Infected regions

- Viral haemorrhagic septicaemia
- Viral haemorrhagic septicaemia





# Infected zones

Classical swine fever in domestic pigs  
 Classical swine fever in wild boar  
 From 1 January 2009 to 31 December 2009

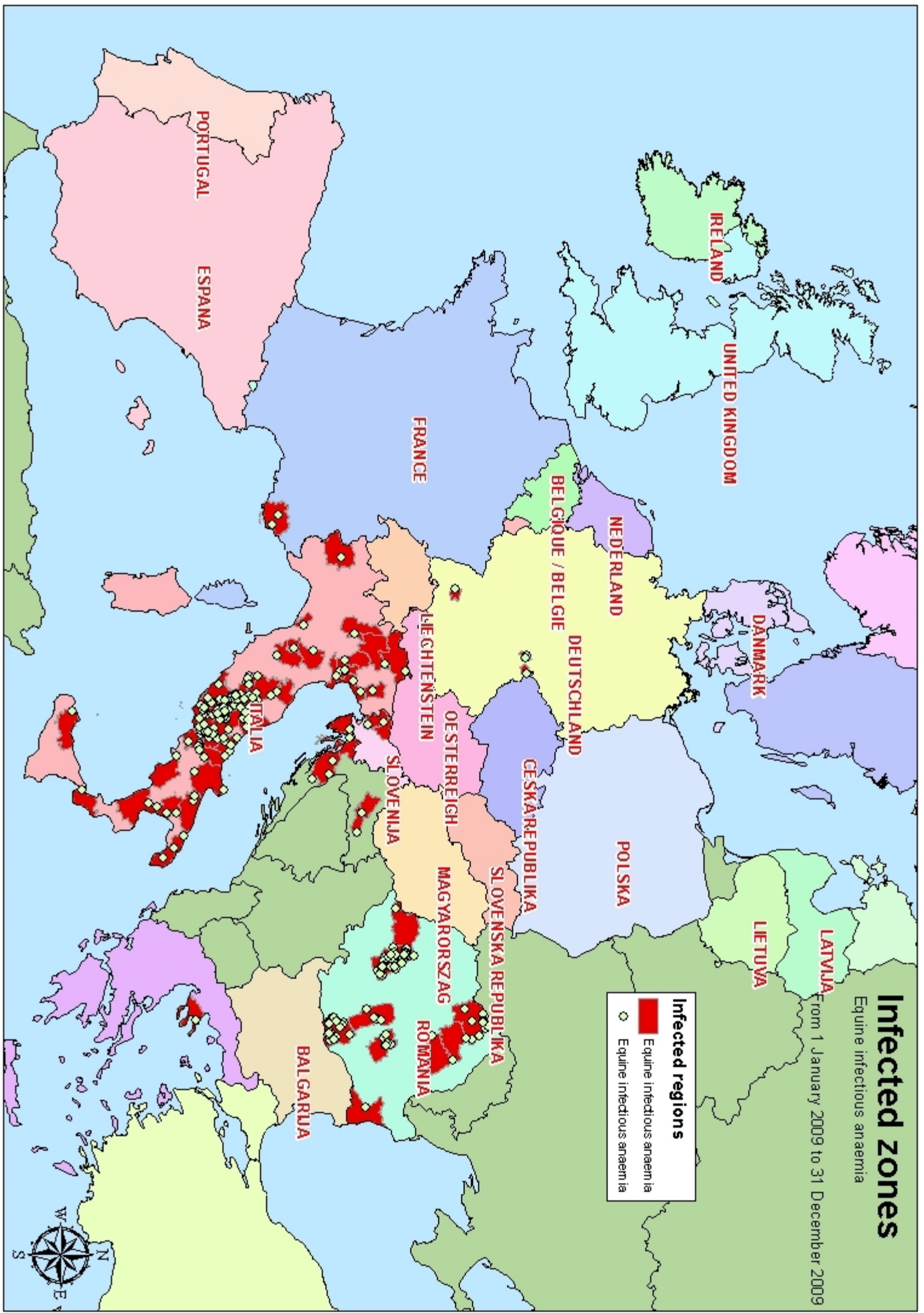
## Infected regions

- Classical swine fever in wild boar
- Classical swine fever in domestic pigs
- Both

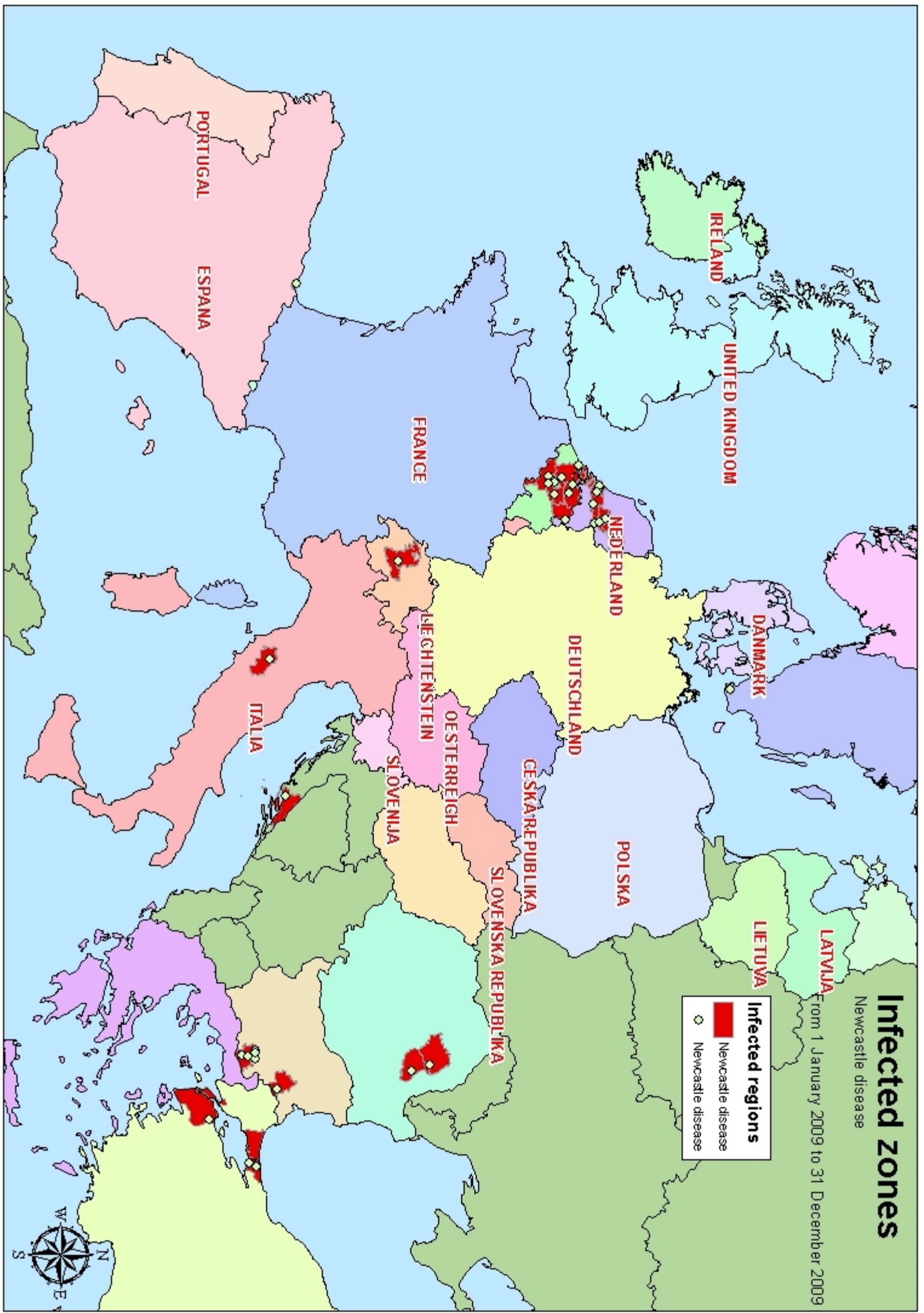
## Locations of outbreaks (if known)

- Classical swine fever in domestic pigs
- Classical swine fever in wild boar









**Annex VI**  
**– ANIMAL DISEASE NOTIFICATION SYSTEM: NOTIFICATIONS –**

The following diseases are the subjects of the notification within the framework of Council Directive 82/894/EEC, as last amended by CD 2008/650/EC:

**A. Diseases of terrestrial animals**

- African horse sickness
- African swine fever
- Avian influenza (was fowl plague)
- Bluetongue
- Bovine spongiform encephalopathy
- Classical swine fever
- Contagious bovine pleuropneumonia
- Dourine
- Equine encephalomyelitis (of all types, including Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis)
- Equine infectious anaemia
- Foot and mouth disease
- Glanders
- Lumpy skin disease
- Newcastle disease
- Peste des petits ruminants
- Rift valley fever
- Rinderpest (cattle plague)
- Sheep and goat pox (Capripox)
- Small hive beetle (*Aethina tumida*)
- Swine vesicular disease
- Tropiclaelaps mite
- Vesicular stomatitis

**B. Aquatic diseases**

- Epizootic haematopoietic necrosis
- Epizootic ulcerative syndrome
- Infection with *Perkinsus marinus*
- Infection with *Microcytos mackini*
- Infection with *Marteilia refringens*
- Infection with *Bonamia ostreae*
- Infection with *Bonamia exitiosa*
- Infectious haematopoietic necrosis
- Infectious salmon anaemia
- Koi herpes virus disease
- Taura syndrome

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- Viral haemorrhagic septicaemia
- White spot disease
- Yellowhead disease

Information on reported outbreaks of compulsory notifiable diseases during 1997-2009 is given in tabulated format in the following pages:

1. Avian influenza
2. Newcastle disease
3. African swine fever
4. Classical swine fever
5. Swine vesicular disease
6. Infectious haematopoietic necrosis
7. Bluetongue
8. Bovine spongiform encephalopathy

Maps with outbreak distribution in 2009 for Newcastle disease, classical swine fever, bluetongue, equine infectious anaemia and viral haemorrhagic septicaemia are presented after the tables.

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## 1. HIGHLY PATHOGENIC AVIAN INFLUENZA (HPAI) OUTBREAKS IN POULTRY REPORTED BY MEMBER STATES, 1997-2009

COUNTRY	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Austria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belgium	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	4	0	0
Denmark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Germany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	1	0
Greece	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	29	2	0	0
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Italy	7	1	30	351	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	241	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	9	0	0
Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	0
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
United Kingdom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0
TOTAL	7	1	30	351	0	0	250	0	0	33	25	2	1

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## 2. NEWCASTLE DISEASE OUTBREAKS REPORTED BY MEMBER STATES, 1997-2009

COUNTRY	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Austria	1	6	4	0	0	0	2*	0	0	0		0	0
Belgium	2	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	4	8
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	3	6
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	1	0		0	0
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	1	0	0
Denmark	0	2	0	0	0	135	0	0	1	0		0	0
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	2	0	0
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		6	0
France	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1		0	0
Germany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		1	0
Greece	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4	1	0	0
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0		0	0
Ireland	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
Italy	2	2	1	257	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0		0	0
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0		0	0
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0		0	0
Netherlands	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		1	10
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0		0	0
Portugal	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0		0	0
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	6	2
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	1
Sweden	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	1		1	1
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	1	0		0	0
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0		0	0
United Kingdom	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1		0	0
TOTAL	58	25	6	257	2	135	4	3	14	8	54	22	29

\* - Not included in ADNS

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## 3. AFRICAN SWINE FEVER OUTBREAKS (()) OUTBREAKS IN WILD BOAR) REPORTED BY MEMBER STATES, 1997-2009

COUNTRY	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Austria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belgium	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denmark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Germany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greece	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Italy	23	28	21	11	9	11	12	248	198	0	31	6(2)	3(1)
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Portugal	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	23	28	22	11	9	11	12	248	198	0	31	6(2)	3(1)

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## 4. CLASSICAL SWINE FEVER OUTBREAKS (0) OUTBREAKS IN WILD BOAR) REPORTED BY MEMBER STATES, 1997-2009

COUNTRY	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Austria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belgium	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	0(6)
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denmark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	0	0	0	0	0	1	0(2)	(1)	0(28*)	0(2)	0(2)	0	0
Germany	44	11	6	2	5	11	1	(3)	0(24)	8(44)	0(12)	0	0(55)
Greece	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0(42)	0(163)	0(23)
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Italy	55	18	9	3	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	1
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	11	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	429	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	155(3)	0	0
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5(3)	1(0)	0(1)	0(9)	3(4)	0
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spain	78	21	0	0	33	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	613	55	15	21	43	40	3(2)	5(7)	1(52)	8(47)	158(68)	4(167)	1(84)

\* - Not included in ADNS

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## 5. SWINE VESICULAR DISEASE OUTBREAKS REPORTED BY MEMBER STATES, 1997-2009

COUNTRY	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Austria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belgium	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denmark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Germany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greece	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Italy	16	21	14	6	12	171	31	125	13	51	89	65	18
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	16	21	14	6	12	171	32	126	13	51	90	65	18



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## 6. INFECTIOUS HAEMATOPOIETIC NECROSIS OUTBREAKS REPORTED BY MEMBER STATES, 1997-2009

COUNTRY	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Austria	0	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belgium	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	1	1	1	0	0
Denmark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	3	1	15	21	8*	6	4	6	0	0	1	3	0
Germany	11	6	8	7	11	10	0	1	4	7	2	1	3
Greece	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Italy	0	0	0	5	7	9	7	0	2	2	0	1	1
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	1	3
Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Romania	-	--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	1	0	1	0	0
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Kingdom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	22	8	24	33	27	26	13	7	9	10	5	7	7

\* - Not included in ADNS

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## 7. BLUETONGUE OUTBREAKS REPORTED BY MEMBER STATES, 1997-2009

COUNTRY	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Austria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	12
Belgium	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	695	6870	45	2
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	0	0	0	0
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	1	9	4
Denmark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	15	0
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	0	0	0	49	323	0	17	34	6	6	15298	38022	86
Germany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	885	20476	2605	142
Greece	0	84	1 254	0	172	0	0	0	0	0	0	78	191
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	1	0
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Italy	0	0	0	6744	6221*	11	2	136	0	236	2	5	67
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1315	19	2
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	456	5798	66	12
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	1	158	78	129
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spain	0	0	0	505	0	0	14	317	87	0	7835	3036	427
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	2
United Kingdom	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	81	0
TOTAL	0	84	1 254	7298	6716	11	33	499	93	2284	57819	44099	1076

\* - Not included in ADNS

## Annex VI - ADNS

## 8. BOVINE SPONGIFORM ENCEPHALOPATHY OUTBREAKS REPORTED BY MEMBER STATES, 1997-2009

COUNTRY	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Austria	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	0
Belgium	1	6	2	9	41	38	15	11	2	2	0	0	0
Bulgaria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	8	3	2	0	2
Denmark	0	0	0	1	6	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	1
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finland	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	6	18	31	156	271	239	137	54	2	7	9	7	11
Germany	2	0	0	7	123	106	54	65	32	16	4	2	2
Greece	0	0	0	0	1	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ireland	77	79	91	145	233	325	183	126	69	41	25	23	9
Italy	0	0	0	0	48*	3	0	7	3	7	2	1	2
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Luxembourg	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	2	2	2	2	18	24	19	6	3	2	2	1	0
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	20	4	5	5	4
Portugal	30	104	168	136	98	86	133	92	51	33	11	18	8
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	2	0	2	1	0
Slovenia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	0	0	0	0
Spain	0	0	0	2	81	127	167	133	98	67	38	23	20
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
United Kingdom	4 923	3 498	2 702	1 583	1075	1210	668	363	225	132	65	41	12
TOTAL	5 042	3 707	2 996	2 041	1997	2162	1379	884	522	318	166	122	71

\* - Not included in ADNS

## **Annex VII – SCFCAH information**

The titles of the columns are the following:

- A. Number of: Meetings
- B. Number of: Written consultations
- C. Number of: Dossiers of different types
- D. Number of: Favourable opinions (Co-decision)
- E. Number of: Unfavourable opinions (Co-decision)
- F. Number of: No opinions (Co-decision)
- G. Number of: Favourable opinions (Not co-decision)
- H. Number of: Unfavourable opinions (Not co-decision)
- I. Number of: No opinions (Not co-decision)
- J. Number of: Measures adopted by co-decision procedure
- K. Number of: Measures adopted by other procedures (Not co-decision)
- L. Number of: Measures adopted according to Regulatory procedure with scrutiny
- M. Number of: Times European Parliament has opposed adoption of draft measures under Regulatory procedure with scrutiny
- N. Number of: Times Council has opposed adoption of draft measures under Regulatory procedure with scrutiny
- O. Number of: Times European Parliament/Council has opposed adoption of draft measures under Regulatory procedure with scrutiny
- P. Number of: Cases in which European Parliament has adopted a resolution pursuant to Art. 8 of Council Decision 1999/468/EC as amended by Decision 2006/512/EC
- Q. Number of: Cases referred to Council

Committee	Basic legal act(s)	Procedure(s)	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q
C19900 - Standing Committee for Community protection of plant variety rights	Council Regulation (EC) No 2100/94	Regulatory	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C20000 - Standing Committee on plant health (SCPH)	Council Directive 2000/29/EC	Regulatory	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C20100 - Standing Committee on propagating material and ornamental plants	Council Directive 98/56/EC	Management Regulatory	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C20200 - Standing Committee on propagating material and plants of fruit genera and species	Council Directive 92/34/EEC	Management Regulatory	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C20300 - Standing Committee on seeds and propagating material for agriculture, horticulture and forestry (SCS)	Council Directive 2002/53/EC Council Directive 2002/55/EC	Management Regulatory	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C20400 - Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health	Regulation (EC) No 178/2002	Regulatory Regulatory w/scrutiny	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C20401 - Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health - Section "Phytopharmaceuticals-Pesticide residues"	Regulation (EC) No 396/2005 Regulation (EC) No 178/2002	Regulatory Regulatory w/scrutiny	8	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	4	0	0	0	0	4

Committee	Basic legal act(s)	Procedure(s)	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q
C20402 - Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health - Section: "Animal health and animal welfare"	Regulation (EC) No 1774/2002 Regulation (EC) No 854/2004 Regulation (EC) No 998/2003 Regulation (EC) No 2160/2003 Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 Council Directive 2004/68/EC Council Directive 2002/99/EC Council Directive 92/65/EEC	Regulatory Regulatory w/scrutiny	16	0	0	12	0	0	62	0	0	11	62	1	0	0	0	0	1
C20403 - Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health - Section: "Animal nutrition"	Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003 Directive 2002/32/EC Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 Regulation (EC) No 767/2009 Council Directive 93/74/EEC	Regulatory Advisory Regulatory w/scrutiny	10	0	1	39	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
C20404 - Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health - Section: "Biological safety of the food chain"	REGULATION (EC) No 852/2004 Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 Regulation (EC) No 854/2004 Regulation (EC) No 2160/2003 DIRECTIVE 2003/99/EC Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 Regulation (EC) No 882/2004	Regulatory Advisory Regulatory w/scrutiny	12	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	2	0	0	0	0	2

Committee	Basic legal act(s)	Procedure(s)	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q
C20405 - Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health - Section: "Controls and import conditions"	Regulation (EC) No 854/2004 Regulation (EC) No 882/2004 Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 REGULATION (EC) No 852/2004 Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 Council Directive 96/23/EC Regulation (EC) No 1774/2002	Regulatory Regulatory w/scrutiny	14	1	0	8	0	0	14	0	0	8	14	1	0	0	0	0	1
C20406 - Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health - Section: "General food law"	Regulation (EC) No 1924/2006 Directive 2000/13/EC Regulation (EC) No 882/2004 Regulation (EC) No 258/97 Directive 2009/39/EC Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006 Directive 2002/46/EC Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 Directive 2009/54/EC	Regulatory Advisory Regulatory w/scrutiny	7	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	9	0	0	0	0	9
C20407 - Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health - Section: "Phytopharmaceuticals - Legislation"	Regulation (EC) No 178/2002	Regulatory Regulatory w/scrutiny	9	0	0	0	0	0	34	7	0	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	7

Committee	Basic legal act(s)	Procedure(s)	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q
C20408 - Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health - Section: "Toxicological safety of the food chain"	Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004 Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008 Regulation (EC) No 882/2004 COUNCIL REGULATION (EEC) No 315/93 Directive 1999/2/EC	Regulatory Advisory Regulatory w/scrutiny	6	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
C20409 - Standing Committee on the Food Chain and Animal Health - Section on Genetically modified food and feed and environmental risk	REGULATION (EC) No 1829/2003 Regulation (EC) No 178/2002	Regulatory Regulatory w/scrutiny	7	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
C20500 - Standing Committee on Zootechnics (SCZ)	Council Directive 77/504/EEC	Regulatory	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



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EU-RL for <b>Newcastle Disease</b>	Central Veterinary Laboratory New Haw, Weybridge Surrey KT 15 3NB United Kingdom Tel. +44 1932 341111(switchboard) Fax: +44 1932 347046(switchboard) <b>Ian Brown</b> <b>Tel. +44 1932 357 339 / 736</b> <b>Fax +44 19 32 357 239</b> <b>GSM +44 7780823005</b> <a href="mailto:i.h.brown@vla.defra.gsi.gov.uk">i.h.brown@vla.defra.gsi.gov.uk</a>
EU-RL for <b>Bluetongue</b>	Institute for Animal Health, Pirbright Laboratory, Pirbright, Woking, Surrey GU24 ONF United Kingdom <b>C Oura</b> <b>Tel. +44 7716993557</b> <b>Tel. +44 7748314433</b> <b>Fax +44 14 83 23 24 48</b> <a href="#">C</a>
EU-RL for <b>African Horses sickness</b>	Laboratorio de sanidad y producción animal, Ministerio de Agricultura, Pesca y Alimentación, 28110 Algete, Madrid – España <b>Conception Gómez Tejedor</b> <b>Tel: +34 916290300</b> <b>Fax +34 91 62 02 247 / 916290598</b> <a href="mailto:cgomez@mapya.es">cgomez@mapya.es</a>

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NAME OF LABORATORY PER DISEASE	ADDRESS AND CONTACT DETAILS
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EU-RL for <b>Swine Vesicular Disease</b>	Institute for Animal Health, Pirbright Laboratory, Pirbright, Woking, Surrey GU24 ONF United Kingdom <b>Director: D J Paton</b> <b>Tel. +44 7900 162031</b> <b>Tel. +44 7074 505786</b> <b>Fax +44 14 83 23 26 21</b> <a href="mailto:jef.hammond@bbsrc.ac.uk">jef.hammond@bbsrc.ac.uk</a>
EU-RL for <b>African Swine Fever</b>	Centro de Investigación en Sanidad Animal, Ctra. De Algete a El Casar, Valdeolmos 28130, Madrid, Spain <b>Director: Marisa Arias</b> <b>Tel. +34 600 315189</b> <b>Tel. +34 696 501674</b> <b>Fax +34 91 62 02 247</b> <a href="mailto:arias@inia.es">arias@inia.es</a>
EU-RL for <b>Classical Swine Fever</b>	Institut für Virologie der Tierärztlichen Hochschule Hannover, Bünteweg 17, D-30559 Hannover, Germany <b>Director: Dr. Volker Moennig</b> <b>Tel: +49 511 953 8841</b> <b>Fax: +49 511 953 8898</b> <b>GSM +49 172-511-1865</b> <a href="mailto:volker.moennig@tiho-hannover.de">volker.moennig@tiho-hannover.de</a>

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NAME OF LABORATORY PER DISEASE	ADDRESS AND CONTACT DETAILS
EU-RL for <b>Molluscs diseases</b>	The Ifremer Laboratory B.P. 133 F-17390 La tremblade, France <b>Director: Isabelle Arzul</b> (Coordinator) <b>Tel. +33 5 46 76 26 10</b> <b>Tel. +33 5 46 76 26 47</b> <b>Fax +33 5 46 76 26 11</b> <a href="mailto:iarzul@ifremer.fr">iarzul@ifremer.fr</a>
EU-RL for <b>Zootechnics</b> (bovine breeding)	INTERBULL Centre Department of Animal Breeding and Genetics Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences , P.O. Box: 7023 S-750 07 Uppsala, Sweden <b>Director: Joao Walter Dürr</b> <b>Tel. +46 18 67 19 94</b> <b>Fax +46 18 67 26 48</b> <a href="mailto:Joao.Durr@hgen.slu.se">Joao.Durr at hgen.slu.se</a> <a href="http://www.interbull.org/">http://www.interbull.org/</a>
EU-RL for <b>Brucellosis</b>	ANSES Alfort Unité zoonoses bactériennes 23 avenue du Général de Gaulle 94 706 Maisons Alfort CEDEX France <a href="mailto:b.garin-bastuji@anses.fr">b.garin-bastuji@anses.fr</a>
EU-RL for <b>Fish diseases</b>	National Veterinary Institute Technical University of Denmark Hangøvej 2 <b>DK-8200 Århus N, Denmark</b> <b>Director: Niels Jørgen Olesen</b> <b>Tel. +45 40884778</b> <b>Tel. +45 29244310</b> <b>Fax: +45 72 34 69 01</b> <a href="mailto:njo@vet.dtu.dk">njo@vet.dtu.dk</a>

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NAME OF LABORATORY PER DISEASE	ADDRESS AND CONTACT DETAILS
EU-RL for <b>Bovine Tuberculosis</b>	<p>VISAVET - Laboratorio de vigilancia veterinaria, Facultad de Veterinaria, Universidad Complutense de Madrid            Avda. Puerta de Hierro, s/n. Ciudad Universitaria            28040. Madrid  <b>Director</b> Alicia Aranaz  <b>Tel:</b> +34 913943992  <b>Fax:</b> +34 91 394 3908  <b>E-mail:</b> <a href="mailto:alaranaz@vet.ucm.es">alaranaz@vet.ucm.es</a></p>
EU-RL for <b>Crustacean Diseases</b>	<p>Centre for Environment, Fisheries &amp; Aquaculture Science (Cefas)            Weymouth Laboratory            The Nothe            Barrack Road            Weymouth            Dorset DT4 8UB            United Kingdom  <b>Drector:</b> Grant Stentiford  <b>Tel:</b> + 44 (0) 1305 206722  <b>Tel:</b> +44(0)1305 206722  <b>Fax:</b> +44(0)1305 206601  <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:grant.stentiford@cefasc.co.uk">grant.stentiford@cefasc.co.uk</a></p>
EU-RL <b>equine diseases other than AHS</b>	<p>ANSES-Laboratoire d'études et de recherches en pathologie animale et zoonoses            23, avenue du Général de Gaulle            F-94706 MAISONS-ALFORT Cedex  <b>Directeur</b> UMR 1161 Virologie  <b>Mr. Stephan Zientara</b>  <b>Tel:</b> + 33 (0)1 43 96 72 80  <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:s.zientara@anses.fr">s.zientara@anses.fr</a></p>
EU-RL <b>rabies</b>	<p>ANSES, Nancy            Laboratoire d'études sur la rage et la pathologie des animaux sauvages            Domaine de Pixérécourt, BP 9            F-54220 Malzéville, France  <b>Director:</b> Florence Cliquet            Tel. +33.3.83.29.89 50            Fax +33 38 32 98 959  <a href="mailto:f.cliquet@anses.fr">f.cliquet@anses.fr</a></p>

## **ANNEX IX: Status of Member States and parts thereof in relation to certain animal diseases**

In the present chapter information is provided on the countries or regions thereof recognised as officially free from certain animal diseases by the end of 2009.

### **BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS**

#### **Legal basis**

CD 2003/467/EC as last amended in 2009 by CD 2009/342/EC and 2009/761/EC

<b>Countries officially free</b>	
	Austria
	Belgium
	Czech Republic
	Germany
	Denmark
	Finland
	France
	Luxembourg
	Netherlands
	Poland
	Slovakia
	Slovenia
	Sweden
<b>Regions officially free</b>	
Italy	Emilia-Romagna region
	Friuli Venezia Giulia region
	Lombardy region: provinces of Bergamo, Como, Lecco, Sondrio
	Marche region: province of Ascoli Piceno
	Piemonte region: provinces of Novara, Verbania, Verceli
	Sardinia region: province of Oristano
	Tuscany region: provinces of Grosseto, Livorno, Lucca, Pisa, Pistoia, Prato, Siena
	Trentino-Alto Adige region: provinces of Bolzano, Trento
	Veneto region
United Kingdom	Scotland

## BOVINE BRUCELLOSIS

### Legal basis

CD 2003/467/EC as last amended in 2009 by CD 2009/342/EC and CD 2009/600/EC

<b>Countries officially free</b>	
	Austria
	Belgium
	Czech Republic
	Germany
	Denmark
	Finland
	France
	Ireland
	Luxembourg
	Netherlands
	Poland
	Slovakia
	Slovenia
	Sweden
<b>Regions officially free</b>	
Italy	Abruzzo region: province of Pescara
	Emilia-Romagna region: provinces of Bologna, Ferrara, Forli-Cesena, Modena, Parma, Piacenza, Ravenna, Reggio Emilia, Rimini
	Friuli Venezia Giulia region
	Lazio region: province of Rieti
	Liguria region: provinces of Imperia, Savona
	Lombardy region: provinces of Bergamo, Brestia, Como, Cremona, Lecco, Lodi, Mantova, Milano, Pavia, Sondrio, Varese
	Marche region: province of Ascoli Piceno
	Piemonte region: provinces of Alessandria, Asti, Biella, Cuneo, Novara, Torino, Verbania, Vercelli
	Puglia region: province of Brindisi
	Sardinia region: provinces of Cagliari, Nuoro, Oristano, Sassari
	Tuscany region
	Trentino-Alto Adige region: provinces of Bolzano, Trento
	Umbria region: provinces of Perugia, Terni
	Veneto region
Portugal	Autonomous Region of Azores: Islands of Corvo, Faial, Flores, Graciosa, Pico, Santa Maria
Spain	Autonomous Region of the Canary Islands: provinces: Santa Cruz de Tenerife, Las Palmas
United Kingdom	Great Britain: England, Scotland, Wales

## ENZOOTIC BOVINE LEUKOSIS

### Legal basis

CD 2003/467/EC as last amended in 2009 by CD 2009/342/EC

<b>Countries officially free</b>	
	Austria
	Belgium
	Cyprus
	Czech Republic
	Germany
	Denmark
	Spain
	Finland
	France
	Ireland
	Luxembourg
	Netherlands
	Slovakia
	Slovenia
	Sweden
	United Kingdom
<b>Regions officially free</b>	
Italy	Abruzzo region: province of Pescara
	Emilia-Romagna region: provinces of Bologna, Ferrara, Forli-Cesena, Modena, Parma, Piacenza, Ravenna, Reggio Emilia, Rimini
	Friuli Venezia Giulia region
	Lazio region: provinces of Frosinone, Rieti
	Liguria region: province of Imperia, Savona
	Lombardy region: provinces of Bergamo, Brescia, Como, Cremona, Lecco, Lodi, Mantova, Milano, Pavia, Sondrio, Varese
	Marche region: province of Ancona, Ascoli Piceno, Macerata, Pesaro
	Molise region
	Piemonte region
	Sardinia region
	Tuscany region: provinces of Arezzo, Firenze, Grosseto, Livorno, Lucca, Massa-Carrara, Pisa, Pistoia, Prato, Siena
	Trentino-Alto Adige region: provinces of Bolzano, Trento
	Umbria region: provinces of Perugia, Terni
	Val d'Aosta region: province of Aosta
	Veneto region

Poland	<p>Voivodship Dolnośląskie  Powiaty: Bolesławiecki, Dzierżoniowski, Głogowski, Górowski, Jaworski, Jeleniogórski, Jelenia Góra, Kamiennogórski, Klodzki, Legnicki, Legnica, Lubański, Lubiński, Lwówecki, Milicki, Oleśnicki, Olawski, Polkowicki, Strzeliński, Średzki, Świdnicki, Trzebnicki, Wałbrzyski, Wałbrzych, Wołowski, Wrocławski, Wrocław, Ząbkowicki, Zgorzelecki, Złotoryjski</p>
	<p>Voivodship Lubelskie  Powiaty: Bialski, Biała Podlaska, Bilgorajski, Chełmski, Chełm, Hrubieszowski, Janowski, Krasnostawski, Kraśnicki, Lubartowski, Lubelski, Lublin, Łęczyński, Łukowski, Opolski, Parczewski, Puławski, Radzyński, Rycki, Świdnicki, Tomaszowski, Włodawski, Zamojski, Zamość.</p>
	<p>Voivodship Kujawsko-pomorskie  Powiaty: Aleksandrowski, Chełmiński, Golubsko-Dobrzyński, Grudziądzki, Grudziądz, Toruński, Toruń, Wąbrzeski.</p>
	<p>Voivodship Łódzkie  Powiaty: Bełchatowski, Brzeziński, Kutnowski, Łaski, Łęczycki, Łowicki, Łódzki, Łódź, Opoczyński, Pabianicki, Pajęczański, Piotrkowski, Piotrków Trybunalski, Poddębicki, Radomszczański, Rawski, Sieradzki, Skierniewicki, Skierniewice, Tomaszowski, Wieluński, Wieruszowski, Zduńskowolski, Zgierski.</p>
	<p>Voivodship Małopolskie  Powiaty: Brzeski, Bocheński, Chrzanowski, Dąbrowski, Gorlicki, Krakowski, Kraków, Limanowski, Miechowski, Myślenicki, Nowosądecki, Nowotarski, Nowy Sącz, Oświęcimski, Olkuski, Proszowicki, Suski, Tarnowski, Tarnów, Tatrzański, Wadowicki, Wielicki.</p>
	<p>Voivodship Mazowieckie  Powiaty: Białobrzegi, Garwoliński, Grójecki, Gostyniński, Grodziski, Kozienicki, Lipski, Płock, Płocki, Pruszkowski, Przysuski, Radom, Radomski, Sochaczewski, Szydłowiecki, Warszawski Zachodni, Zwoleniński, Żyrardowski.</p>
	<p>Voivodship Podkarpackie  Powiaty: Bieszczadzki, Brzozowski, Dębicki, Jarosławski, Jasielski, Kolbuszowski, Krośnieński, Krosno, Leski, Leżajski, Lubaczowski, Łańcucki, Mielecki, Niżański, Przemyski, Przemyśl, Przeworski, Ropczycko-Sędziszowski, Rzeszowski, Rzeszów, Sanocki, Stalowowolski, Strzyżowski, Tarnobrzeg, Tarnobrzegi.</p>
	<p>Voivodship Podlaskie  Powiaty: Augustowski, Bielski, Białostocki, Białystok, Hajnowski, Sejneński, Siemiatycki, Sokólski, Suwalski, Suwałki, Wysokomazowiecki, Zambrowski.</p>
	<p>Voivodship Pomorskie  Powiaty: Lęborski, Gdański, Gdańsk, Gdynia, Sopot, Wejherowski.</p>



	<p>Voivodship Śląskie  Powiaty: Będziński, Bielski, Bielsko-Biała, Bieruńsko-Lędziński, Bytom, Chorzów, Cieszyński, Częstochowski, Częstochowa, Dąbrowa Górnicza, Gliwicki, Gliwice, Jastrzębie Zdrój, Jaworzno, Katowice, Kłobucki, Lubliniecki, Mikołowski, Mysłowice, Myszkowski, Piekary Śląskie, Pszczyński, Raciborski, Ruda Śląska, Rybnicki, Rybnik, Siemianowice Śląskie, Sosnowiec, Świętochłowice, Tarnogórski, Tychy, Wodzisławski, Zabrze, Zawierciański, Żory, Żywiecki.</p>
	<p>Voivodship Świętokrzyskie  Powiaty: Buski, Jędrzejowski, Kazimierski, Kielecki, Kielce, Konecki, Opatowski, Ostrowiecki, Pińczowski, Sandomierski, Skarżyski, Starachowicki, Staszowski, Włoszczowski.</p>
	<p>Voivodship Warmińsko-mazurskie  Powiaty: Elcki, Giżycki, Gołdapski, Olecki.</p>
	<p>Voivodship Wielkopolskie  Powiaty: Jarociński, Kaliski, Kalisz, Kępiński, Kolski, Koniński, Konin, Krotoszyński, Ostrzeszowski, Słupecki, Turecki, Wrzesiński.</p>

## BRUCELLOSIS (*BRUCELLA MELITENSIS*)

### Legal basis

CD 93/52/EC as last amended in 2008 by CD 2008/97/EC.

<b>Countries officially free</b>	
Austria	
Belgium	
Czech Republic	
Germany	
Denmark	
Finland	
Hungary	
Ireland	
Luxembourg	
Netherlands	
Poland	
Romania	
Sweden	
Slovakia	
Slovenia	
United Kingdom	
<b>Regions officially free</b>	
France	Departments of: Ain, Aisne, Allier, Ardèche, Ardennes, Aube, Aveyron, Cantal, Charente, Charente-Maritime, Cher, Corrèze, Côte-d'Or, Côtes-d'Armor, Creuse, Deux-Sèvres, Dordogne, Doubs, Essonne, Eure, Eure-Loire, Finistère, Gers, Gironde, Hauts-de-Seinne, Haute-Loire, Haute-Vienne, Ille-et-Vilaine, Indre, Indre-et-Loire, Jura, Loir-et-Cher, Loire, Loire-Atlantique, Loiret, Lot et Garonne, Lot, Lozère, Maine-et-Loire, Manche, Marne, Mayenne, Morbihan, Nièvre, Nord, Oise, Orne, Pas-de-Calais, Puy-de-Dôme, Rhône, Haute-Saône, Saône-et-Loire, Sarthe, Seine-Maritime, Seine-Saint-Denis, Territoire de Belfort, Val-de-Marne, Val-d'Oise, Vendée, Vienne, Yonne, Yvelines, Ville de Paris, Vosges.
Italy	Abruzzo region: province of Pescara
	Friuli Venezia Giulia region
	Lazio region: provinces of Latina, Rieti, Roma and Viterbo
	Liguria region: province of Savona
	Lombardy region: provinces of Bergamo, Brescia, Como, Cremona, Lecco, Lodi, Mantova, Milano, Pavia, Sondrio, Varese
	Marche region
	Molise region: province of Isernia
	Piemonte region
	Sardinia region: provinces of Cagliari, Nuoro, Oristano, Sassari
	Trentino-Alto Adige region: provinces of Bolzano and Trento
	Tuscany region: provinces of Arezzo, Florence, Grosseto, Livorno, Lucca, Massa-Carrara, Pisa, Pistoia, Prato, Siena
	Umbria region: provinces of Perugia, Terni
	Veneto region

Portugal	Autonomous region of the Azores
Spain	Autonomous Region of Canary Islands: Provinces of Santa Cruz de Tenerife, Las Palmas

## AUJESZKY'S DISEASE

### Legal basis

CD 2008/185/EC as last amended in 2009 by CD 2009/621/EC

<b>Countries free ( additional guarantees according to Art. 10 of Directive 64/432/EEC)</b>	
Austria	
Cyprus	
Czech Republic	
Denmark	
Finland	
Germany	
Luxembourg	
Netherlands	
Slovakia	
Sweden	
<b>Regions free (additional guarantees according to Art. 10 of Directive 64/432/EEC)</b>	
France	Départements of: Aisne, Ain, Allier, Alpes-de-Haute-Provence, Alpes-Maritimes, Ardèche, Ardennes, Ariège, Aube, Aude, Aveyron, Bas-Rhin, Bouches-du-Rhône, Calvados, Cantal, Charente, Charente-Maritime, Cher, Corrèze, Côtes-d'Armor, Côte-d'Or, Creuse, Deux-Sèvres, Dordogne, Doubs, Drôme, Essonne, Eure, Eure-et-Loir, Finistère, Gard, Gers, Gironde, Hautes-Alpes, Hauts-de-Seine, Haute Garonne, Haute-Loire, Haute-Marne, Hautes-Pyrénées, Haut-Rhin, Haute-Saône, Haute-Savoie, Haute-Vienne, Hérault, Ille-et-Vilaine, Indre, Indre-et-Loire, Isère, Jura, Landes, Loire, Loire-Atlantique, Loir-et-Cher, Loiret, Lot, Lot-et-Garonne, Lozère, Maine-et-Loire, Manche, Marne, Mayenne, Meurthe-et-Moselle, Meuse, Moselle, Morbihan, Nièvre, Nord, Oise, Orne, Paris, Pas-de- Calais, Pyrénées-Atlantiques, Pyrénées-Orientales, Puy-de-Dôme, Réunion, Rhône, Sarthe, Saône-et-Loire, Savoie, Seine-et-Marne, Seine-Maritime, Seine-Saint-Denis, Somme, Tarn, Tarn-et-Garonne, Territoire de Belfort, Val-de-Marne, Val-d'Oise, Var, Vaucluse, Vendée, Vienne, Vosges, Yonne, Yvelines
United Kingdom	All regions in England, Scotland and Wales
<b>Countries with approved eradication programme (additional guarantees according to Art. 9 of Directive 64/432/EEC)</b>	
Belgium	
Hungary	
<b>Regions with approved eradication programme (additional guarantees according to Art. 9 of Directive 64/432/EEC)</b>	
Italy	Province of Bolzano
Spain	The territory of the Autonomous Communities of Galicia, País Vasco, Asturias, Cantabria, Navarra, La Rioja; The territory of the provinces of León, Zamora, Palencia, Burgos, Valladolid and Ávila in the Autonomous Community of Castilla y León; The territory of the province of Las Palmas in the Canary Islands
United Kingdom	Northern Ireland

## INFECTIOUS BOVINE RHINOTRACHEITIS

### Legal basis

CD 2004/558/EC as last amended in 2008 by CD 2008/233/EC.

<b>Countries free (additional guarantees according to Art. 10 of Directive 64/432/EEC)</b>	
Austria	
Denmark	
Finland	
Sweden	
<b>Regions free (additional guarantees according to Art. 10 of Directive 64/432/EEC)</b>	
Germany	Regierungsbezirke Oberpfalz and Oberfranken in the federal state of Bavaria
Italy	Province of Bolzano
<b>Countries with approved eradication programme (additional guarantees according to Art. 9 of Directive 64/432/EEC)</b>	
Czech Republic	
<b>Regions with approved eradication programme (additional guarantees according to Art. 9 of Directive 64/432/EEC)</b>	
Germany	All regions, except Regierungsbezirke Oberpfalz and Oberfranken in the federal state of Bavaria
Italy	The Autonomous Region of Friuli Venezia Giulia The Autonomous Province of Trento

Annex X:

TRACES data – Part 1

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Breeding

	AD	AT	BE	BG	CH	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	Total of consignments	
AD												1																	1	
AT				1	79	20	1074			24		6	1		12		1663		1			27	5		41		17	5	2976	
BE			1		1	1	18	1	1	6	1	174	9	6	1		41	2	93	1		266	1	3			1		628	
BG														1			1													2
CH			95	1	1		40		4	17		65	1				468		1			1			1				695	
CZ			18	100			139			21		5	24	43	8		108					16	139		9		60	92	782	
DE			177	653	8	49	100		21		1051		147	176	130	22		765	15	209	24		347	203	155	103	3	6	4364	
DK			6				3	42		3	3	1	1	15	38			5			9		20			2	2		150	
EE					1															2	76					10			89	
ES		7					2	1				69		3			24					2			95				203	
FI							5	1	1																				7	
FR		4	6	612	2	64	34	134	5		1544		81	36	12	37	1103		74			39	6	342	31			7	4173	
GB				7		2	1	30	7	1	16		27										3		13	2			451	
GR															7														7	
HU			2		1		4			1				78			37					9			30		3	29	194	
IE				4			3	6		11		4	2614	2			232				13	1			1				2891	
IT			27	13		5	3	23			135		15	7	70	6	1		1	3			33			21		3	366	
LT				1																	5			4					10	
LU			4	458		3		97		45		17		5			23					20	1		2				675	
LV				1			3	20		3	1								8			4	38						78	
NL			1	1007	15	1	14	301	5		256		52	324	79	16	3	35	4	5			11	81	18		1	1	2230	
NO													1																	1
PL				63			2	9			186		7		182	12		1574				2	1077			6	24	11	3155	
PT										110		1																		111
RO			1				1							22			10											3	37	
SE							17	29				7		4		5	1	8							2				73	
SI			1														54											5	60	
SK			1	30			12	2			1			54	14		197						111	8		1	22		453	
	11	340	2950	28	205	193	1961	76	13	3428	9	591	3257	749	115	367	6355	38	388	41	104	2001	378	689	280	5	134	156	24862	

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Breeding

	AT	BE	BG	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	Total of consignments		
AT					2	23	1		13					35		17						10		8		58			167	
BE					2	4			17		19	2	40	5		5			2			10	1	12	1				120	
CH		1				6					1																		8	
CY				2																									2	
CZ		3		9		7								27		2							42		10		17		117	
DE		64	17	3		5	1	1	139		217		29	4		13	2	3				177	14	28	22		5	2	746	
DK		10	261	5		66	4336		59		5	10	50	26		137	2	2	6			16	245		7		1	13	5257	
EE																			9										9	
ES			4			4						8		3	2		26					5	112	5					169	
FI						3																							3	
FR		9	151	23	6	9	392		294			11	199	13	3	68	1	69				14	52	16	12			7	1349	
GB			22	8		6	6		47		9		30	7	29	5					11	12	11						203	
HU		56	1			1	5				1														19		3	2	88	
IE			1			10			2			102	3			7						1							126	
IT		1	1								3			2											8		5		20	
LT						4																							4	
LU			6			57					3											4		4					74	
LV																							4							4
NL		1	1814	38		126	6455		352		92	1	94	176		600	2	14				3163	2	574		96	154	13754		
NO								3		8													14			19				44





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Fattening

	AD	AT	BE	BG	CH	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	Total of consignments
AT							5	317			14				5		2103					13			1	12	3	2473
BE								252			139	372	2	1			528		34			4524					1	5853
BG														25			3											28
CZ			19	82				226			121	6		72	9		170					181	4		2	151	8	1051
DE			2	378			18	1			644	314		7	1		630		62			5067	3		2			7129
DK				6				193														40						239
EE				23				1		1	16						23	12				253	16					345
ES		1		6								872		154			841								11			1885
FR				594			3	315			5251		1	727	38		31982		20			74		17	6	4	6	39038
GB											25					104	8											137
GR															1													1
HU			2	8	1			14						376			223					59	6		5	143	8	845
IE				87							475	24	2611	19	12		1263				3	486			2	2		4984
IT			10	5	3		1	55			233			5	1							81	1		1	5		401
LT				13				8			291				50		7			1		890	379		1			1640
LU				378				11				1		3			5					240						638
LV				7			5	109	2		8								15			47	13			1	207	
NL				90				16			3	9																118
PL				449			1	9			492	6		102	15		984	2				82			3	39	12	2196
PT											897						6											903
RO				228	3		1	46			662			441	35		699					34	1			43	35	2228
SI														1			77											78
SK				39			2				2			55	23		171					2	1			5		300
	1	33	2393	7	3	1	32	1573	2	1	9273	1604	2614	1988	190	104	39723	29	116	1	3	12073	424	28	23	404	74	72717

CNCode : 0103

Fattening

	AD	AT	BE	BG	CZ	DE	ES	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	Total of consignments		
AT				13	11	11					4		65							2		246			352	
BE						2		158			2		137				17	3		78					397	
CY										1															1	
CZ											1								12			1	6		20	
DE			466	3	11	169	35	18			280		356		101		32	400		502		74	29		2476	
DK			53		506	12209					101		651	1			149	1382		80			30		15162	
ES		1		7	2	8		2			5		92				1	2	125	13					258	
FI																						3			3	
FR		1		43	11	11							535		3		31			15					650	
GB												16													16	
GR				28																					28	
HU			5							6			4							148			4		167	
IE									190								2								192	
IT								7												2		3			12	
LT					2											6		102		12			4		126	
LU				2		77																			79	
LV																		85							85	
NL			1	129		13	417	16	5		44		59		3		148			25		2	2		864	
PL																2				20			1		23	
PT							41																		41	
SI													1												1	
SK					3						7												4			14
	2	525	184	65	704	12735	92	190	190	7	444	16	1900	1	107	8	232	2138	125	897	3	326	76		20967	

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Fattening

AT	BE	BG	CY	CZ	DE	ES	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LU	LV	NL	PT	RO	SI	SK	Total of consignments
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CNCode : 0102

Slaughter

	AT	BE	BG	CH	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	Total of consignments	
AD									1																	1	
AT						406								1		144		1									552
BE						1555			3		606							17		1452						3633	
BG													4													4	
CZ	2749	14				1298								3		21				43	28			2	2	4160	
DE	198	175	2						1		5			2		226		48		636	1					1294	
DK						64																				64	
EE		1															327		179		3					510	
ES											1108		36			1508						112				2764	
FR	128	401		589		948			140				19			2144		44		36				9		4458	
GB															483											483	
GR														7												7	
HU	1004		3			1					1		84			65				1			3	120	43	1325	
IE												1693				2										1695	
IT	3										12		1													16	
LT								3								1				2	13					19	
LU		1579				826					4		2			1				2						2414	
LV		1				4		1									264			1	8					279	
NL		1230	4		3	94			2		236					11										1580	
PL	29		1		78	97	1						5	17		209	154			1			1		2	595	
PT									1581		5					4										1590	
RO	29													17		2								2		50	
SE								7			8															15	
SI	1079													1		545										1625	
SK	670				95	3							3	227		26					244			1		1269	
	5889	3401	10	589	176	5296	8	4	1728	8	1977	1693	159	270	483	4909	745	110	179	2174	297	112	4	134	47	30402	

CNCode : 0103

Slaughter

	AD	AT	BE	BG	CH	CZ	DE	ES	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	Total of consignments	
AT						18	27					3		6								48		102	
BE						2	689		235			56		154				2461	48					3645	
CH														2										2	
CY				1																				1	
CZ		77					101					317						1	44		6		551	1097	
DE		3420	35			617		56	97			607		65	16	412		96	2713	3	50	4	175	8366	
DK			1			1	7531							4				5	399					7941	
EE																	10							10	
ES	1						11		598					1123						8304	1			10038	
FR	1		4494		19	118	1125	240				2		577		1		768	8	5			9	7367	
GB													83												83
GR				90																				90	
HU		8		5			22					7		29						8	686	2	234	1001	
IE										3115														3115	
IT					3	6	3	28			1	317							37		82			477	
LT																	43		3		2			48	
LU			249			7	235												4		8			503	
LV															28					22				50	
NL			1654	3		252	26789	14	12			2861		471	18				1963		110	1	233	34381	
PL				2		3						578		4	393		19						39	1038	
PT								1818																1818	
SE							164																	164	
SI		295				6	5					3		2										311	
SK		98				5	65					452		1						42		103		766	
	2	3898	6433	101	19	1032	36770	2131	970	3115	8	5196	83	2438	455	413	72	3331	5291	8312	1048	55	1241	82414	

Selected CNCodes : 0102;0103;010410;010420

Number of consignments

Year under review : 2009

CNCode : 010410 Slaughter

	AD	AT	BE	BG	DE	DK	ES	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LU	NL	PL	PT	SK	Total of consignments
AT					4								19						23
BE								21						1	14				36
BG										1									1
CZ		100			4						1							18	123
DE		29	4					112					30	23	67				265
DK					6			1							6				13
EE					11														11
ES	13				11			311		45			336				194		910
FR					4		1045			3			461		8				1521
GB			9		1							1003			14				1027
GR				1															1
HU		1		5						2			1454						1462
IE			1		1		1	1	124				10				1		139
LU			1		11			5							1				18
LV					4														4
NL			449		91	2	7	950					5				1		1505
PL					11								87		6			1	105
PT							127	1											128
RO		1		606	1					201	24		515				1		1349
SE					1	1													2
SI													19						19
SK		4								1	7		45				8		65
	13	135	464	612	161	3	1180	1402	124	253	32	1003	2981	24	116	9	196	19	8727

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	AD	AT	BE	BG	DE	ES	FR	GR	IT	LU	NL	PT	Total of consignments
AT					2				21				23
BE							17			2			19
BG								2					2
DE		3									4		7
DK					2								2
ES	2						12		15			340	369
FR						36			45				81
HU									17				17
LU			1										1
NL			9			41	9		1	1			61
PL									2				2
RO				1				30	2				33
SE					1								1
SI									3				3
	2	3	10	1	5	77	38	32	106	3	4	340	621

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Other

CNCode : 0102

	AD	AT	BE	CH	CZ	DE	DK	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IT	LT	LU	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	Total of consignments
AD								11		4															15
AT				1		223							1	287										2	514
BE					1					1								4							6
BG												1													1
CH						19				380															399
CZ						2														1			1	1	5
DE		3	20	9	13		2	114		10	4		1	75		1		168	19		3	1			443
EE					1																				1
ES	12									32				4						1	6				55
FR				285				1				18		17											321
HU		1					1														1			6	9
IE											8														8
IT		11			1	1				18								2					1		34
LT			4					18										7	58						87
NL			6	1		1				1		1													10
PL					2	5							1		1		1								10
PT								33																	33
SE									1																1
SK													3												3
	12	15	30	296	18	251	3	177	1	446	12	20	6	383	1	1	1	181	79	6	4	1	2	9	1955

Other

CNCode : 0103

	AT	BE	BG	CH	CZ	DE	DK	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IT	LT	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	Total of consignments
AT					1	1										1					2	5
BE							1			3						2						6
CZ	1																		1			2
DE	12			1	2		2	1		2		8	6	4		3	4		2		6	53
DK	2	3		5		79		4	1	39	35			2		8				5		183
ES																			15			15
FR		1				3		2														6
HU	1		1																	1		3
IE										1	5											6
NL			2			3				2							1					8
PL											1				2							3
SK					2																	2
	16	6	1	6	5	87	2	7	1	47	41	8	6	6	2	14	5	16	3	5	8	292

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	AD	AT	BE	BG	CH	CZ	DE	EE	ES	FR	GB	GR	IT	LT	NL	PT	RO	SI	SK	Total of consignments		
AD									5												5	
AT													13									13
BE										2												2
BG												1										1
CH							3															3
CZ		1								3							1		4			9
DE		8	2		1	1		1							2							15
EE														1								1
ES	3											7	5			25						40
GR				6																		6



Selected CNCodes : 0102;0103;010410;010420

Number of animals

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CNCode : 0102 Breeding

	AD	AT	BE	BG	CH	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	Total of animals
AD												5																	5
AT				31	416	63	14743			195		27	20		70		22586		2			206	124		592		48	46	39169
BE			7		4	20	59	1	3	11	1	1231	170	129	35		766	2	340		6	1610	2	35			5		4437
BG														12			5												17
CH		160	4	32			195		12	196		318	35				4405		1			1			31				5390
CZ		77	8611				3535			1185		122	683	1313	450		4961					569	2163		288		2106	1815	27878
DE		1067	7563	267	211	382		131		10849		2523	4557	3159	573		16531	242	1208		643	2705	2710	1271	2822	3		145	59562
DK			33			9	375		31	64	1	2	248	441			32				75		217		24	2			1554
EE					2															14	694				140				850
ES	20						3	4				794		44			306					11		815					1997
FI							7	2	24																				33
FR	10	19	3749	8	385	251	351	5		14502			1157	677	306	83	32345		164			132	33	2392	640			53	57262
GB			75		6	1	76	60	2	2526			222				1228	341		12		7		63	39				4658
GR															332														332
HU		7		30			115			32				1721			1106				139				657	92	205		4104
IE			328				11	8		1037		61	19640	59			7363				161	15			63				28746
IT		78	718		30	4	59			11647		63	30	1028	83	31			171	155			2232		396		4		16729
LT			1																				13						30
LU		15	2547		3		318			214		75		176			351					880	1		131				4711
LV			28			138	3257		45	159								43			105	2382							6157
NL		21	19096	497	4	273	9834	9		3407		1179	6150	2365	748	4	775	58	80				308	752	626	68	2		46256
NO													2																2
PL			12318			6	312			15221		1382		5631	607		98000				68	115911			120		751	357	250684
PT										1911		7																	1918
RO		2					4							774			475										171		1426
SE							82	785			90		73		6		1	34							6				1077
SI		18															855										9		882
SK		7	4376			245	113			89				1719	530		11791					8577	126		18		1139		28730
	30	1511	59414	865	1061	1392	33449	1005	117	63245	92	8011	32765	19248	3740	1346	202995	550	1962	754	1167	135455	5480	5328	6593	5	4384	2632	594596

CNCode : 0103 Breeding

	AT	BE	BG	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	Total of animals	
AT					7	94	5		48					100		207						64		800		120			1445
BE					9	36			141		1183	37	198	70		288		3			42	655	22	2					2686
CH	2					18					1																		21
CY			206																										206
CZ	4		1617			500								3568		118						1818		7950			2194	17769	
DE	913	806	451		520	150	8		1775		1681		484	1307		2047	35	157			8771	525	64	6676		686	384	27440	
DK	3401	19034	110		24410	594503			2323		311	685	469	3861		23955	445	636	85		1329	70868		1380		30	1776	749611	
EE																			23										23
ES		175				118					534		345	124		1440						96	6141	353					9326
FI						4																							4
FR	565	5944	180	59	51	14904			7870			874	2330	119	84	6294	14	1540			199	3109	86	2693			23	46938	
GB		2715	603		368	57			5152		400		932	179	95	121				1971	58	617							13268
HU	3996	4			2	184					42													1392		174	31	5825	
IE		4				1435			18			9790	160			250					16								11673
IT	2	4									18			167										2769		60		3020	
LT									536																				536
LU		56				424					9											250		671					1410
LV																						1695							1695

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NL	2	681169	24924		86164	2873842			172253		40906	2	4020	94634		309964	779	8030				885840	2349	426886		18425	60176	5690365
NO								21		80												37				189		327
PL																		26						13009			788	13823
PT									1143																			1143
SE								4		8		129																141
SK															160									663				823
	8885	709911	28091	59	111531	3486269	13	25	191259	88	45085	11517	8938	104289	179	344684	1299	10366	108	1971	10415	965574	8662	465244	189	19495	65372	6599518

CNCode : 010410

Breeding

	AD	AT	BE	BG	CH	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	NL	NO	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	Total of animals
AT		2		20	5	7	346								45		802				1		2		8			3	1241
BE							34			78		49	46								94								301
BG														78											46				124
CH		51					205					101			31		41												429
CZ					75										216						9		54				176	530	
DE		297	1	13	230	88		6	2			20	8	240	12		57	53	11	27	464		58		35		10	1632	
DK							28					9		2							9	36	18				13	115	
EE																			4		24						1	29	
ES								2				570		2512			336							812				4232	
FI									6																			6	
FR	30	12	237	10	62	18	18			3601				2087	56	5	351		16		117		308	34	60		9	7031	
GB			40		1	17	71			9		513			8	883					45				193		104	1884	
GR				126																									126
HU								1							783										33			1	818
IE			1				1902					50	1425															3378	
IT		24			18		2																		200			244	
LU							3															5						8	
LV									192																			192	
NL			1576		21	21	273	36	34	2		133	47							12							1	2156	
NO													162															162	
PL						6	128					2206								121		2230						4691	
PT										1709																			1709
RO				550										5376	662		1415											8003	
SE																						2						2	
SI																	130											130	
SK						47							2287	1449		1024												4807	
	30	386	1855	794	337	232	2985	42	234	5399	9	3642	1690	13363	2479	888	4156	178	39	69	2992	20	422	846	575	14	114	190	43980

CNCode : 010420

Breeding

	AD	AT	BE	BG	CH	CZ	DE	EE	ES	FR	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	Total of animals	
AD																					12				12
AT					2	23	44					1		506								31	1	2	610
BE										65															65
CH			526				108		1	11		2		71							2				721
CZ																	2							16	18
DE		78	21	5	65	11				32		16		24		51			17	15		6	4	345	
ES	8									12	788			110								5554			6472
FR			102				15		15		13					7							1044		1196
GB			4			4	8			2			3												21
HU																							68		68
IT		39					16															49			104
LT																		1							1
LU			2							121															123
LV								2								11									13
NL			259			6				10						1021									1296





Selected CNCodes : 0102;0103;010410;010420

Number of animals

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CNCode : 0102

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	AD	AT	BE	BG	CH	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	Total of animals
AT							28	3861			855				58		37265					82			5	155	93	42402
BE								6297			22375	11367	28	8			12078		437			193751					50	246391
BG														571			150											721
CZ			369	7482				6112			12589	110	3250	609			10972					15874	11		147	6469	514	64508
DE			42	39286			1797	58			40239	44132		192	69		30502		540			406630	37		56		563580	
DK				536				16224														2300					19060	
EE				3954				205		2	1920						2475	152				20083	570				29361	
ES	1			315								48109		3247			11640							182			63494	
FR				8295		9		5601			206287		2	19993	1557		920428		477			1755		411	326	157	228	1165526
GB											3141						2782	1143										7066
GR															82													82
HU			30	587	36			580						11614			7126					4266	218		246	3736	282	28721
IE				16295							43412	1595	28042	910	680		47485				49	61128			126	128		199850
IT			52	316	107		79	835			22657			162	54							1426	80		38	153		25959
LT				579				1055			15458				6642		287			1		56782	47081		92		127977	
LU				6504				118				7		127			63					6442					13261	
LV				123			270	19994	77		971							255				3560	500			87	25837	
NL				5409				1888			99	473															7869	
PL				78783			98	268			43981	1036		3635	699		54142	94				8854			199	988	644	193421
PT											30747						224											30971
RO				18197	136		70	3763			67789			15170	1903		24567					1958	34			2326	1926	137839
SI														29			964											993
SK				3094			87				90			1582	1044		6882					117	8			223		13127
	1	493	189755	279	9	70	2359	66859	77	2	512610	106829	28072	60490	13397	2782	1168393	501	1454	1	49	785008	48539	593	1235	14335	3824	3008016

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Fattening

	AD	AT	BE	BG	CZ	DE	ES	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	Total of animals		
AT				5220	1675	901					1060		1087							64		32241			42248	
BE						229		47177			860		12985				3844	1939		61736					128770	
CY										180															180	
CZ											190							3860				800	810		5660	
DE		142704	400	5620	72340		23051	6573			173174		86497		47095		12300	128008		332728		11772	10605		1052867	
DK		25295			279155	5172138					56088		357925	597			82827	456614		45142				17398	6493179	
ES	5		5250	1700		7107		650			3350		10022				700	1650	25020	11100					66554	
FI																						1760			1760	
FR	2		5509	365		1039							39286		351		5537			15398					67487	
GB													5082												5082	
GR				1319																					1319	
HU		2190								3308			680							49590				1850	57618	
IE									92169								138								92307	
IT								33												712		21			766	
LT					1300											720		37259		6964				2350	48593	
LU			9			13473																			13482	
LV																		31351							31351	
NL		860	49071		13770	185182	9672	2400			19386		32599		1800			44571		19162		210	1730		380413	
PL																									12547	
PT							8435																			8435
SI													6													6
SK					1260						3100															6870
	7	171049	60239	14224	369500	5380069	41158	56833	92169	3488	257208	5082	541087	597	49246	847	105346	707762	25020	554796	1760	45044	34963		8517494	

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CNCode : 010410

Fattening

	AT	BE	BG	CY	CZ	DE	ES	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LU	LV	NL	PT	RO	SI	SK	Total of animals
AT						146							8765								8911
BE								105						11		86					202
BG				6658						1950											8608
CZ	2874			5		2776					875				15	560				47	7152
DE	1628	1687						17381					6794	18	3	26508					54019
DK																276					276
ES								24599		23330			27505				3664				79098
FR		8					11782			2584			20256			332		100			35062
GB		7322				5354		23875	230			7446				21385					65612
HU	1414						520	3090		2459			195004							5	202492
IE		2035				11642		13931	669				14010				3006				45293
IT						64															64
NL		11107			23	166		2219						24							13539
PL		600				563		3505					11886			5802					22356
PT							31845	2													31847
RO	1080	347	6369	14190		3500	15442	29288		478397	54129		127245			300	638			250	731175
SI													35								35
SK					113						954					109					1176
	6996	23106	6374	20848	136	24211	59589	117995	899	508720	55958	7446	411500	53	18	55358	7308	100	5	297	1306917

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Fattening

	AT	BE	CY	CZ	DE	ES	FR	GB	GR	IT	LU	NL	PT	RO	Total of animals
AT										398					398
BE							36				106				142
BG			1734												1734
CZ	14														14
DE							2576		2		93	3			2674
ES										355			1570		1925
FR						169				268				184	621
GB								1							1
HU	39									726					765
IE								4							4
LU		80													80
NL		105		22							427				554
PL										147					147
RO			1330		27	50			1037	512					2956
	53	185	3064	22	27	219	2613	4	1039	2406	626	3	1570	184	12015

Selected CNCodes : 0102;0103;010410;010420

Number of animals

Year under review : 2009

CNCode : 0102

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	AT	BE	BG	CH	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	Total of animals	
AD									1																	1	
AT						3322								12		476		2									3812
BE						53379			36		11917							153		54057						119542	
BG													70													70	
CZ	53751	418				16466							57			539				2248	370			77	6	73932	
DE	2610	2509	79						40		129		33			4726		219		31422	35					41802	
DK						1235																				1235	
EE		30															1848		2146		96					4120	
ES											5587		325			17327						321				23560	
FR	4202	5215		3092		20380			1136				524			42987		221		864				308		78929	
GB																7347										7347	
GR														162												162	
HU	20454			113		27					26		2486			1588				54			74	4786	412	30020	
IE												39685				302										39987	
IT	20										313		35													368	
LT								54								2				135	471					662	
LU		10195				9634					22		69			61				67						20048	
LV		27				96		17									6677			41	235					7093	
NL		67374	180		331	3563			141		18488					374										90451	
PL	838		54		494	2612	14						157	524		6412	6202			7			38		35	17387	
PT									33457		32					136										33625	
RO	774													318		38								40		1170	
SE							125			94																219	
SI	19331														33	8433										27797	
SK	16912				2081	101							28	4462		689					4589			43		28905	
	118892	85768	426	3092	2906	110815	139	71	34811	94	36514	39685	3784	5511	7347	84090	14727	595	2146	88895	5796	321	112	5254	453	652244	

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	AD	AT	BE	BG	CH	CZ	DE	ES	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	IT	LT	LU	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	Total of animals	
AT						2650	1905					495		338								3822		9210	
BE						370	78540		81797			11058		8323				472584	8615						661287
CH														10											10
CY				180																					180
CZ		7710					13938					54860						120	3807		1090		55565	137090	
DE		461275	3667			105729		78185	27507			110613		13140	2657	42598		3739	465837	2923	10659	1177	32533	1362239	
DK			100			156	1139471							745				692	83895						1225059
EE																	1529								1529
ES	3						2721		119576					144576						1517477	410				1784763
FR	34		475716		1001	17633	105526	46990				426		53526		16		104867	1556	430			1850		809571
GB													4564												4564
GR				3207																					3207
HU		766		1010			1055				4874			3805					1546		101698	24	31398		146176
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LU			39504			1347	15210												721		1371				58153
LV														1095					4196						5291
NL			195345	1270		52111	6060720	6522	4135			578941		71187	3413				377223		26297	50	45292		7422506
PL				320		261						88955		332	34183		2403						5445		131899
PT								161579																	161579
SE						14607																			14607



Selected CNCodes : 0102;0103;010410;010420

Number of animals

Year under review : 2009

Other

CNCode : 0102

	AD	AT	BE	CH	CZ	DE	DK	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IT	LT	LU	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	Total of animals
AD								288		5															293
AT				1		5981							1	7606										2	13591
BE					1					6								85							92
BG												24													24
CH						209				8993															9202
CZ					6														1				44	1	52
DE		6	105	77	41		2	8146		487	70		11	2960		2		14244	82		110	1			26344
EE					2																				2
ES	368									284				6					3	40					701
FR				7163				24				381		284											7852
HU		2					8														21			164	195
IE											96														96
IT		20			1	1				339								181					1		543
LT			568					1940										439	9380						12327
NL			116	1		4				3		2													126
PL					6	5							5		2		1								19
PT								418																	418
SE									2																2
SK													73												73
	368	28	789	7242	51	6206	10	10816	2	10117	166	407	90	10856	2	2	1	14949	9466	40	131	1	45	167	71952

Other

CNCode : 0103

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AT					180	1										1					198	380	
BE						113				29						419							561
CZ	1																		1				2
DE	2617			1	9		9	2		1250		160	1320	322		16	1585		368		1130		8789
DK	28	74		49		3543		48	8	559	472			38		98				40			4957
ES																			3568				3568
FR		4				23		37															64
HU	22		13																	11			46
IE										1	453												454
NL		98				412				12							189						711
PL											1				11								12
SK					7																		7
	2668	176	13	50	196	4092	9	87	8	1851	926	160	1320	360	11	534	1774	3569	379	40	1328		19551

Other

CNCode : 010410

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Annex X:

TRACES data – Part 2





Période de janvier 2005 à décembre 2009 Etabli le : 15/04/2010 at 4:24:44 PM

Année	Mois	Intra	Cveda	Cvedp	Total
2009	décembre	51 686	4 215	35 578	91 479
	novembre	55 729	4 614	36 016	96 359
	octobre	57 230	5 124	35 189	97 543
	septembre	56 150	4 931	33 534	94 615
	août	50 790	4 537	30 391	85 718
	juillet	53 354	4 354	32 785	90 493
	juin	54 165	4 164	32 885	91 214
	mail	53 629	4 122	33 032	90 783
	avril	55 048	4 853	34 087	93 988
	mars	54 603	4 416	34 711	93 730
	février	44 601	3 551	28 791	76 943
	janvier	46 112	3 599	28 868	78 579
2008	décembre	45 280	3 987	32 921	82 188
	novembre	43 756	3 989	33 429	81 174
	octobre	52 809	5 317	35 692	93 818
	septembre	51 053	5 203	35 354	91 610
	août	44 705	4 937	34 864	84 506
	juillet	49 443	4 948	38 811	93 202
	juin	48 681	4 989	37 433	91 103
	mail	48 860	5 586	37 230	91 676
	avril	50 373	6 235	36 358	92 966
	mars	44 898	5 178	34 337	84 413
	février	46 969	4 220	32 458	83 647
	janvier	47 805	4 359	33 322	85 486
2007	décembre	37 834	3 949	31 661	73 444
	novembre	46 256	4 287	35 042	85 585
	octobre	50 782	4 960	35 260	91 002
	septembre	44 219	4 037	32 098	80 354
	août	44 564	3 955	33 237	81 756
	juillet	46 157	3 594	35 471	85 222
	juin	48 508	3 628	33 203	85 339
	mail	49 882	4 595	32 650	87 127
	avril	44 815	4 366	29 005	78 186
	mars	48 160	4 091	31 132	83 383
	février	41 433	2 955	23 936	68 324
	janvier	42 008	3 037	24 979	70 024
2006	décembre	36 602	3 351	24 855	64 808
	novembre	43 931	3 451	26 393	73 775
	octobre	45 134	3 847	26 328	75 309
	septembre	42 496	3 402	24 631	70 529
	août	42 701	3 280	24 740	70 721

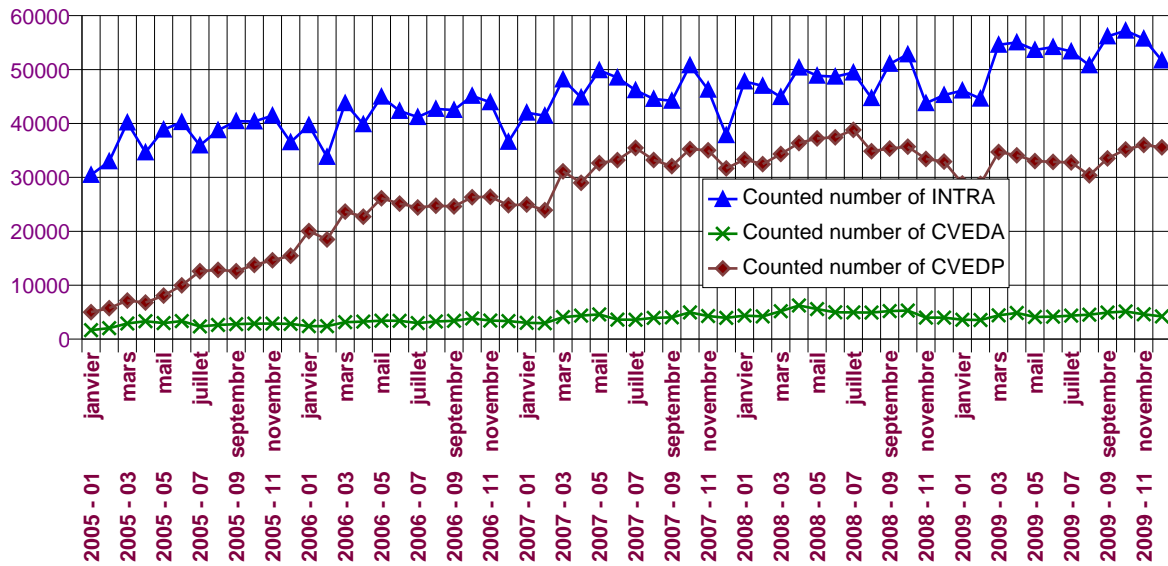


Période de **janvier 2005** à **décembre 2009** Etabli le : 15/04/2010 at 4:24:44 PM

Année	Mois	Intra	Cveda	Cvedp	Total
<b>2005</b>	juillet	41 191	2 984	24 427	68 602
	juin	42 334	3 393	25 129	70 856
	mail	44 973	3 419	26 121	74 513
	avril	39 850	3 264	22 725	65 839
	mars	43 769	3 146	23 668	70 583
	février	33 793	2 423	18 485	54 701
	janvier	39 684	2 418	20 052	62 154
	décembre	36 529	2 825	15 463	54 817
	novembre	41 462	2 874	14 634	58 970
	octobre	40 369	2 869	13 769	57 007
	septembre	40 420	2 780	12 612	55 812
	août	38 754	2 632	12 852	54 238
	juillet	35 935	2 352	12 606	50 893
	juin	40 241	3 358	9 970	53 569
	mail	38 855	2 978	8 069	49 902
	avril	34 640	3 338	6 786	44 764
	mars	40 188	2 914	7 160	50 262
	février	32 991	2 040	5 755	40 786
	janvier	30 461	1 660	5 014	37 135
	<b>Total toutes années</b>		<b>2 699 650</b>	<b>229 880</b>	<b>1 607 994</b>



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Published	Adopted	Title of Scientific Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW)
22/12/2009	02/12/2009	Scientific Opinion on Epizootic Hemorrhagic Disease
22/12/2009	02/12/2009	Guidance on Good Practice in Conducting Scientific Assessments in Animal Health using Modelling
18/12/2009	23/11/2009	Project to develop Animal welfare Risk Assessment Guidelines on Transport
17/12/2009		Public call for data on health and welfare aspects of genetic selection of broilers
26/11/2009	26/11/2009	Scientific review on ticks and tick-borne diseases
26/11/2009	26/11/2009	Scientific review on African Horse Sickness
26/11/2009	26/11/2009	Scientific review on Classical Swine Fever
26/11/2009	26/11/2009	Scientific review on mosquitoes and mosquito-borne diseases
26/11/2009	26/11/2009	Scientific review on African Swine Fever
25/11/2009		Scientific Review on Crimean-Congo Hemorrhagic Fever
25/11/2009		Scientific Review on Epizootic Hemorrhagic Disease
20/10/2009		Scientific review on Tuberculosis in wildlife in the EU
16/10/2009	01/12/2009	Project to develop Animal Welfare Risk Assessment Guidelines on Stunning and Killing
09/10/2009	30/09/2009	Fostering harmonised risk assessments approaches on animal health and welfare issues in the Member States
09/07/2009	05/06/2009	Scientific opinion on welfare of dairy cows in relation to behaviour, fear and pain based on a risk assessment with special reference to the impact of housing, feeding, management and genetic selection
09/07/2009	05/06/2009	Scientific Opinion on the overall effects of farming systems on dairy cow welfare and disease
09/07/2009	05/06/2009	Scientific opinion on welfare of dairy cows in relation to udder problems based on a risk assessment with special reference to the impact of housing, feeding, management and genetic selection
09/07/2009	05/06/2009	Scientific opinion on welfare of dairy cows in relation to metabolic and reproductive problems based on a risk assessment with special reference to the impact of housing, feeding, management and genetic selection
09/07/2009	05/06/2009	Scientific opinion on welfare of dairy cows in relation to leg and locomotion problems based on a risk assessment with special reference to the impact of housing, feeding, management and genetic selection
09/07/2009	05/06/2009	Scientific report on the effects of farming systems on dairy cow welfare and disease
03/07/2009	12/12/2008	Animal health safety of fresh meat derived from pigs vaccinated against Classic Swine Fever
26/06/2009	05/06/2009	Porcine brucellosis ( <i>Brucella suis</i> )
22/06/2009	05/06/2009	Knowledge gaps and research needs for the welfare of farmed fish
11/05/2009	30/04/2009	Species-specific welfare aspects of the main systems of stunning and killing of farmed turbot
06/05/2009	30/04/2009	Species-specific welfare aspects of the main systems of stunning and killing of farmed tuna
27/04/2009	20/03/2009	Species-specific welfare aspects of the main systems of stunning and killing of farmed Carp
14/04/2009	20/03/2009	Species-specific welfare aspects of the main systems of stunning and killing of farmed Atlantic Salmon
14/04/2009	20/03/2009	Species-specific welfare aspects of the main systems of stunning and killing of farmed fish: Rainbow Trout
14/04/2009	20/03/2009	Species-specific welfare aspects of the main systems of stunning and killing of farmed Seabass and Seabream
14/04/2009	20/03/2009	Species-specific welfare aspects of the main systems of stunning and killing of farmed Eels ( <i>Anguilla Anguilla</i> )
24/02/2009	29/01/2009	General approach to fish welfare and to the concept of sentience in fish

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30/01/2009	12/12/2008	Control and eradication of Classic Swine Fever in wild boar
17/12/2008	22/10/2008	Animal welfare aspects of husbandry systems for farmed common carp - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
26/11/2008	22/10/2008	Animal welfare aspects of husbandry systems for farmed European seabass and gilthead seabream - Scientific Opinion of the Panel
18/11/2008	11/09/2008	Risk of Bluetongue Transmission in Animal Transit - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
13/11/2008	11/09/2008	Aquatic species susceptible to diseases listed in Directive 2006/88/EC - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW)
20/10/2008	11/09/2008	Animal welfare aspects of husbandry systems for farmed trout - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
20/10/2008	11/09/2008	Animal welfare aspects of husbandry systems for farmed fish - European eel - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
23/07/2008	19/06/2008	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare on request from the Commission on bluetongue
22/07/2008	19/06/2008	Animal welfare aspects of husbandry systems for farmed Atlantic salmon - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
05/06/2008	07/05/2008	Animal health and welfare aspects of avian influenza and the risk of its introduction into the EU poultry holdings - Scientific opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
11/03/2008	30/01/2008	Tuberculosis testing in deer - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
3/01/2008	06/12/2007	Possible vector species and live stages of susceptible species not transmitting disease as regards certain mollusc diseases - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
20/12/2007	06/12/2007	The risks associated with tail biting in pigs and possible means to reduce the need for tail docking considering the different housing and husbandry systems - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
20/12/2007	06/12/2007	Possible vector species and live stages of susceptible species not transmitting disease as regards certain crustacean diseases - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
20/12/2007	19/12/2007	Review of the Community Summary Report on Trends and Sources of Zoonoses, Zoonotic agents and Antimicrobial Resistance in the European Union in 2005 - Scientific Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Biological Hazards (BIOHAZ) and Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW)
19/12/2007	06/12/2007	Animal Welfare aspects of the killing and skinning of seals - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
23/11/2007	11/10/2007	Possible vector species and live stages of susceptible species not transmitting disease as regards certain fish diseases - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
29/10/2007	10/10/2007	Animal health and welfare aspects of different housing and husbandry systems for adult breeding boars, pregnant, farrowing sows and unweaned piglets[1] - Scientific Opinion of the Panel on Animal Health and Welfare
18/10/2007	06/09/2007	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare on a request from the Commission related to animal health and welfare in fattening pigs in relation to housing and husbandry
10/10/2007	21/09/2007	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on the Framework for EFSA AHAW Risk assessments[1]

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06/06/2007	11/05/2007	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) related with the vaccination against avian influenza of H5 and H7 subtypes in domestic poultry and captive birds
29/05/2007	27/04/2007	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) to review Newcastle disease focussing on vaccination worldwide in order to determine its optimal use for disease control purposes.
15/05/2007	27/04/2007	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on request from the Commission on bluetongue vectors and vaccines
15/05/2007	27/04/2007	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on the EFSA Selfmandate on bluetongue origin and occurrence
19/03/2007	08/03/2007	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on an assessment of the risk of tick introduction into UK, Republic of Ireland, and Malta as a consequence of abandoning National rules
20/02/2007	01/02/2007	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related with the vaccination against avian influenza of H5 and H7 subtypes as a preventive measure carried out in Member States in birds kept in zoos under Community approved programmes
15/02/2007	11/12/2006	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission regarding an assessment of the risk of rabies introduction into the UK, Ireland, Sweden, Malta, as a consequence of abandoning the serological test measuring protective antibodies to rabies.
09/02/2007	11/12/2006	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission concerning Brucellosis Diagnostic Methods for Bovines, Sheep, and Goats
26/01/2007	18/01/2007	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) regarding the assessment of the risk of Echinococcosis introduction into the UK, Ireland, Sweden, Malta and Finland as a consequence of abandoning national rules
13/11/2006	27/10/2006	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related with animal health and welfare risks associated with the import of wild birds other than poultry into the European Union
09/11/2006	08/09/2006	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Biological Hazards (BIOHAZ) and of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on "Review of the Community Summary Report on Trends and Sources of Zoonoses, Zoonotic Agents and Antimicrobial Resistance in the European Union in 2004
06/06/2006	24/05/2006	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related with the risks of poor welfare in intensive calf farming systems
15/05/2006	12/05/2006	Opinion of the Scientific Panel Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) related with the Migratory Birds and their Possible Role in the Spread of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza
12/04/2006	29/03/2006	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) related with the Animal health risks of feeding animals with ready to use dairy products without further treatment
27/03/2006	13/02/2006	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related with the welfare aspects of the main systems of stunning and killing applied to commercially farmed deer, goats, rabbits, ostriches, ducks, geese

Published	Adopted	Title of Scientific Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW)
16/02/2006	05/02/2006	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on request from the European Commission related to: Assessing the risk of Foot and Mouth Disease introduction into the EU from developing countries, assessing the reduction of this risk through interventions in developing countries / regions aiming at controlling / eradicating the disease, and Tools for the control of a Foot and Mouth Disease outbreak: update on diagnostics and vaccines
10/02/2006	15/12/2005	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission on a Definition of a BoHV-1-free animal and a BoHV-1-free holding, and the procedures to verify and maintain this status
22/12/2005	14/11/2005	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to the aspects of the biology and welfare of animals used for experimental and other scientific purposes
28/10/2005	13/09/2005	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to welfare of weaners and rearing pigs: effects of different space allowances and floor types<
11/10/2005	05/07/2005	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to "The Risk of a Rift Valley Fever Incursion and its Persistence within the Community"
11/10/2005	13/09/2005	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to "The Impact of the current housing and husbandry systems on the health and welfare of farmed domestic rabbits."
20/09/2005	13/09/2005	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to animal health and welfare aspects of Avian Influenza
12/08/2005	14/06/2005	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to the probability of transmission of Porcine Reproductive and Respiratory Syndrome virus (PRRSv) to naive pigs via fresh meat
07/03/2005	10/11/2004	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to the welfare aspects of various systems of keeping laying hens
26/10/2004	20/10/2004	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to standards for the microclimate inside animal road transport vehicles
19/10/2004	14/09/2004	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to the risk of transmission of Mycobacterium avium subsp. paratuberculosis via bovine semen
27/07/2004	12/07/2004	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to welfare aspects of the castration of piglets <sup>1</sup>
06/07/2004	15/06/2004	Summary of Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to welfare aspects of the main systems of stunning and killing the main commercial species of animals
07/05/2004	30/03/2004	Opinion of the Scientific Panel on Animal Health and Welfare (AHAW) on a request from the Commission related to the welfare of animals during transport

## Annex XII – SPS notifications

1. G/SPS/N/EEC/335/Add.1 (13/02/2009) Commission Regulation (EC) No 119/2009 of 9 February 2009 laying down a list of third countries or parts thereof, for imports into, or transit through, the Community of meat of wild leporidae, of certain wild land mammals and of farmed rabbits and the veterinary certification requirements- Addendum.
2. G/SPS/N/EEC/308/Add.3 (9/03/2009) Commission Decision of 20 February 2009 amending Annex II to Council Decision 79/542/EEC as regards the entry for Botswana in the list of third countries or parts thereof from which imports into the Community of certain fresh meat are authorised - Addendum.
3. G/SPS/N/EEC/347 (23/07/2009) "Draft Commission Regulation amending Commission Regulation (EC) No 1251/2008 as regards the list of third countries and territories from which crustaceans and ornamental aquatic animals may be imported into the Community".
4. G/SPS/N/EEC/348 (24/07/2009) "Draft Commission Regulation approving a control programme for *Salmonella* for Israel in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 2160/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council and amending Annex I to Regulation (EC) No. 798/2008 as regards the *Salmonella* control status in turkeys of certain third countries".
5. G/SPS/N/EEC/349 (29/07/2009) "Draft Commission Regulation of \*\*\* amending Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 laying down a list of third countries, territories, zones or compartments from which poultry and poultry products may be imported into and transit through the Community and the veterinary certification requirements".
6. G/SPS/N/EEC/350 (29/07/2009) "Draft Commission Regulation of \*\*\* laying down animal and public health and veterinary certifications conditions for introduction into the Community of raw milk and dairy products intended for human consumption".
7. G/SPS/N/EEC/347/Add.1 (18/08/2009) "Commission Regulation (EC) No 719/2009 of 6 August 2009 amending Regulation (EC) No 1251/2008 as regards the list of third countries and territories from which certain crustaceans and ornamental aquatic animals may be imported into the Community"- Addendum.
8. G/SPS/N/EEC/356 (18/09/2009) Draft proposal "Commission Regulation ... laying down lists of third countries, territories or parts thereof authorized for the introduction into the European Union of certain animals and fresh meat and the veterinary certification requirements"
9. G/SPS/N/EEC/357 (18/09/2009) "Commission Decision of 5 August 2009 amending Decision 2003/467/EC as regards the declaration that certain Member States and regions thereof are officially free of bovine brucellosis".
10. G/SPS/N/EEC/359 (23/11/2009) "Draft Commission Decision of \*\*\* on importation of semen of domestic animals of the porcine species into the Community as regards lists of third countries and of semen collection centres, and certification requirements".
11. G/SPS/N/EEC/359/Add.1 (10/12/2009) "Commission Decision (2009/893/EC) of 30 November 2009 on importation of semen of domestic animals of the porcine species into the Union as regards lists of third countries and of semen collection centres, and certification requirements"- Addendum.
12. G/SPS/N/EEC/363 (10/12/2009) "Draft Commission Regulation of \*\*\* amending Regulation (EC) No 1251/2008 as regards the placing on the market and import requirements for consignments of aquaculture animals intended for member States or parts thereof with national measures approved in accordance with Decision 2009/XX/EC".









