

Immediate notification report

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Report Summary

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Animal type	Terrestrial	Date of report	02/11/2016
Disease	Highly pathogenic avian influenza	Date of start of the event	20/10/2016
Causal Agent	Highly pathogenic avian influenza virus	Date of confirmation of the event	30/10/2016
Serotype(s)	H7N1	Diagnosis	Clinical, Laboratory (advanced)
Reason	First occurrence of a listed disease in the country	Clinical signs	Yes
Country or zone	a zone or compartment		
Number of reported outbreaks	submitted= 1, Draft= 0		

Outbreak details

Wilaya	Number of outbreaks	Daira	commune	Unit Type	Location	Latitude	Longitude	Start Date	End Date:
GHARDAIA- (this report - submitted)	-	El Menia	El Menia	Natural park	Sabkhat el Malah	31.257	2.8246	20/10/2016	
Species	Measuring units	Susceptible	Cases	Deaths	Destroyed	Slaughtered			
unidentified:Incognita(Incognita)	Animals	...	892	892	0	0			
Affected Population	Migratory birds of different species (ruddy shelduck, marbled duck, mallard ducks and gallinules) found dead in a wetland in El Menia, Sabkhat el Malah.								

Outbreak summary: Total outbreaks = 1 (Submitted)

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unidentified		892	892	0	0

Epidemiology

Epidemiological comments
Source of the outbreak(s) or origin of infection
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contact with wild species • Animals in transit • Unknown or inconclusive

Measures applied

Applied	To be applied
• screening	• no planned control measures
Animals treated	Vaccination Prohibited
No	Yes

Diagnostic test results

Laboratory Type	Name of Laboratory	Species	Test Type	Date results provided	Result
National laboratory	Veterinary central laboratory	unidentified	polymerase chain reaction (PCR)	31/10/2016	Positive
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Future Reporting

The event is continuing. Weekly follow-up reports will be submitted.

Outbreak maps

