### Report Summary

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05/03/2020

**Animal type**
Terrestrial  
**Date of report**
05/03/2020  
**Disease**
Highly pathogenic avian influenza  
**Date of start of the event**
17/02/2020  
**Causal Agent**
Highly pathogenic avian influenza virus  
**Date of confirmation of the event**
17/02/2020  
**Serotype(s)**
H5N8  
**Date of last occurrence**
05/04/2019

**Reason**
Recurrence of a listed disease  
**Diagnosis**
Laboratory (basic)  
**Country or zone**
a zone or compartment  
**Clinical signs**
Yes  
**Number of reported outbreaks**
submitted= 6, Draft= 0

### Outbreak details

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**Species**
Birds  
**Measuring units**
Animals  
**Susceptible**
15729  
**Cases**
9899  
**Deaths**
9899  
**Killed and disposed of**
5830  
**Slaughtered**
0

**Affected Population**

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**Species**
Birds  
**Measuring units**
Animals  
**Susceptible**
55437  
**Cases**
34  
**Deaths**
34  
**Killed and disposed of**
55403  
**Slaughtered**
0

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**Species**
Birds  
**Measuring units**
Animals  
**Susceptible**
11600  
**Cases**
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**Deaths**
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**Killed and disposed of**
11580  
**Slaughtered**
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**Species**
Birds  
**Measuring units**
Animals  
**Susceptible**
3620  
**Cases**
20  
**Deaths**
0  
**Killed and disposed of**
3620  
**Slaughtered**
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Affected Population

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Epidemiological comments

Source of the outbreak(s) or origin of infection
• Unknown or inconclusive

Measures applied

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Animals treated

Vaccination Prohibited

No

Future Reporting

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