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[ROMANIA]

Wild boar surveillance

In the zones of the country considered free until at least the beginning of the period

Wild boar found dead

Period considered (23 Nov 2020 to 31 May 2021)	N° wild boar found dead	% PCR positive	% seropositive
N/A	N/A		

Wild boar hunted

Period considered (23 Nov 2020 to 31 May 2021)	N° wild boar hunted	% PCR positive	% seropositive
N/A	N/A		

In the zones of the country already considered affected at the beginning of the period

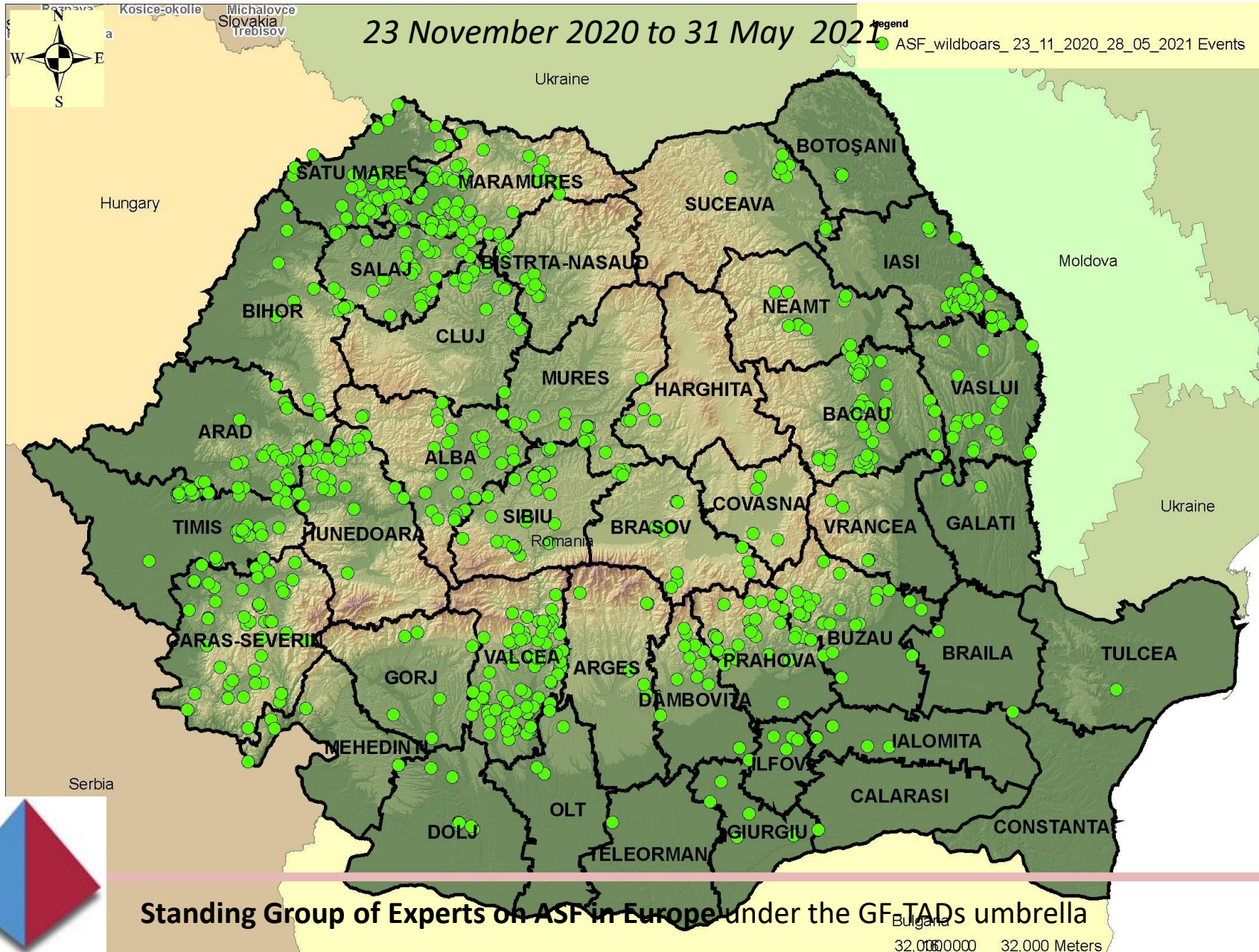
Wild boar found dead

Period considered (23 Nov 2020 to 31 May 2021)	N° wild boar found dead	% PCR positive	% seropositive
All country	1271	81.67%	0.94%

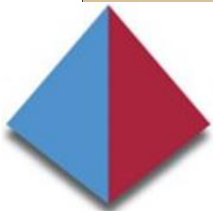
Wild boar hunted

Period considered (23 Nov 2020 to 31 May 2021)	N° wild boar hunted	% PCR positive	% seropositive
All country	24478	2.26%	0.71%

Cases in wild boar – country map



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Domestic pigs surveillance

In the zones of the country considered free until at least the beginning of the period

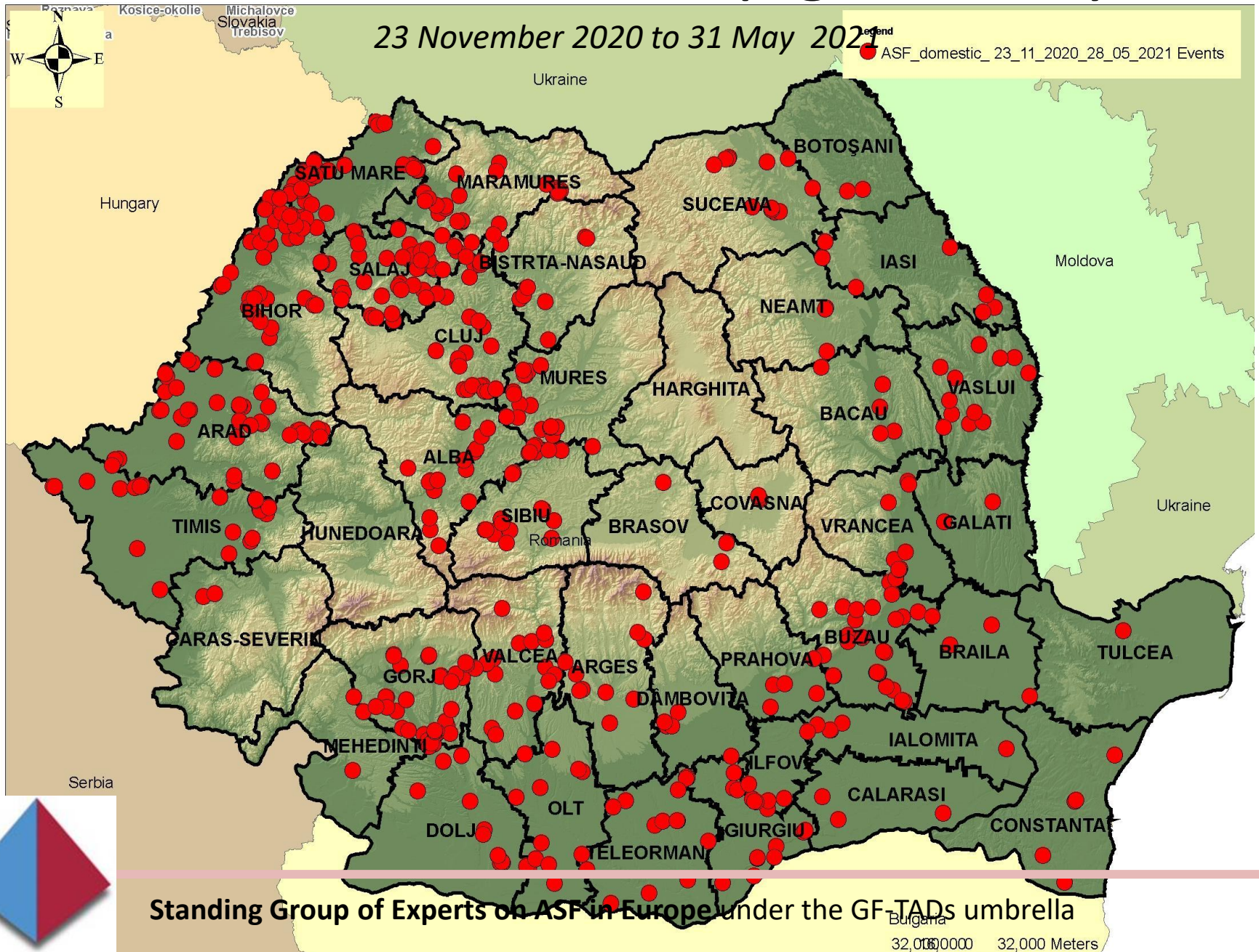
Period considered (<i>23 Nov 2020 to 31 May 2021</i>)	N° suspicions Commercial farms / backyards	N° confirmed outbreaks Commercial farms / backyards
N/A	N/A	N/A

In the zones of the country already considered affected at the beginning of the period

Period considered (<i>23 Nov 2020 to 31 May 2021</i>)	N° suspicions Commercial farms / backyards	N° confirmed outbreaks Commercial farms / backyards
All country	19 / 603	18 / 568

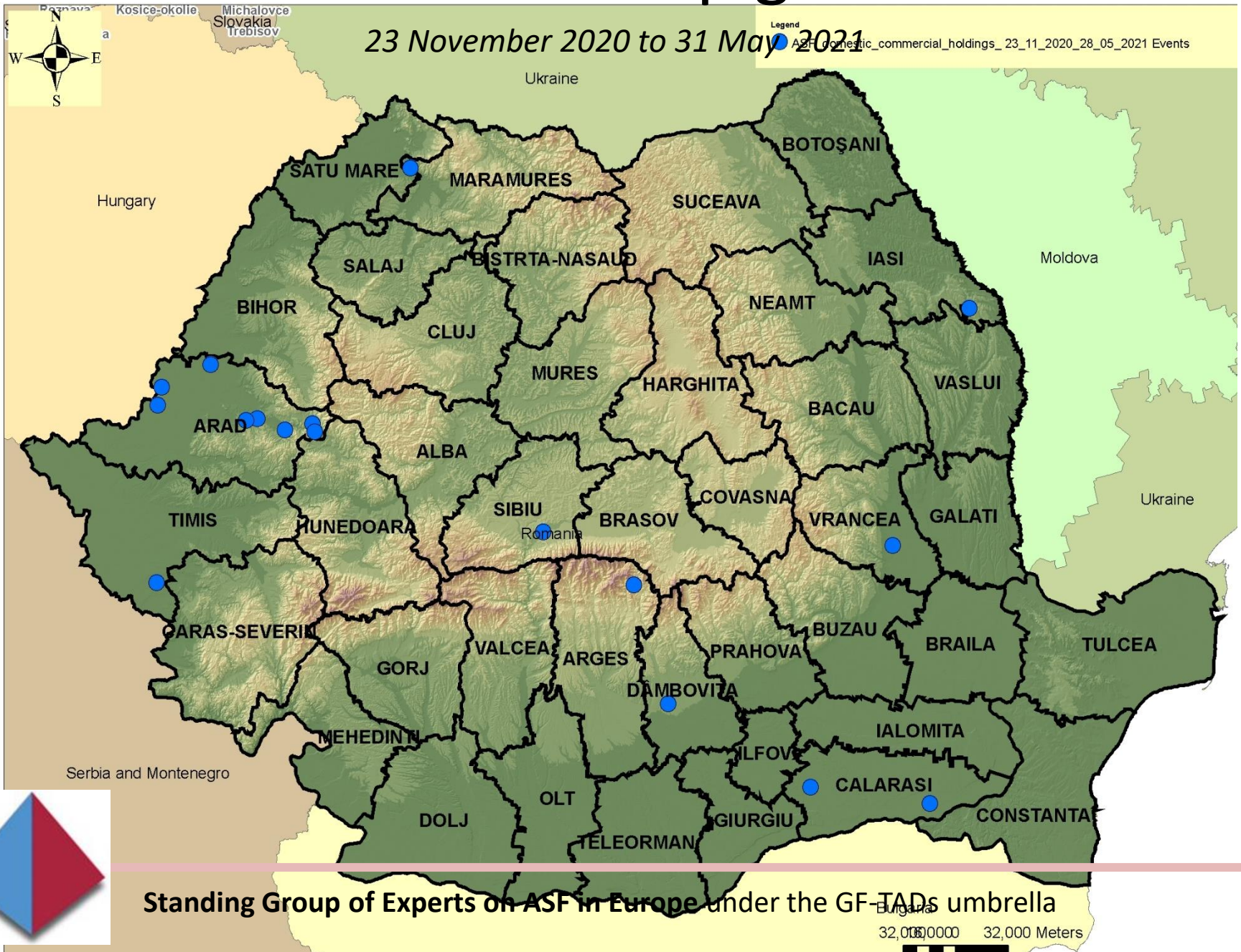


Outbreaks in domestic pigs – backyards



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Outbreaks in domestic pigs – commercial



How COVID 19 effects on ASF control and eradication measures

Control measures (such as clinical and laboratory examinations) are difficult to carry on, on account of:

- In protection and surveillance zones there are numerous backyards with pigs in which there are quarantined people,
- Backyard owners are reluctant to allow veterinary inspectors, even if all precautions and measures are foreseen,
- Insufficient on field staff due to *work from home* protocol during COVID-19 state of emergency,
- Veterinary laboratories are involved in the COVID-19 crisis through specialized personnel and PCR equipment.

Romanian stakeholders are demanding the adoption of exceptional measures to contribute to the security of the national pork production and food safety.



THANK YOU



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