

# GF-TADs

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**ASF SITUATION**  
**from October 2020 to May 2021**

**[Slovakia]**

# 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 ( <i>October 1-st, 2020 –to 01. of May 2021</i> )	N° wild boar found dead	% PCR positive	% seropositive
	1073	960 WB -89,4 %	86 out of 176 48%

## Wild boar hunted

Period considered ( <i>October 1.-st, 2020 tto 01. of May 2021</i> )	N° wild boar hunted	% PCR positive	% seropositive
	2075	53 WB-2%	16 WB- 0,07%

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

## Wild boar found dead

Period considered ( <i>October 1-st 2020, to May, 1st, 2021</i> )	N° wild boar found dead	% PCR positive	% seropositive
	1622	1475 WB -90,9 %	57 out of 201 28 %

## Wild boar hunted

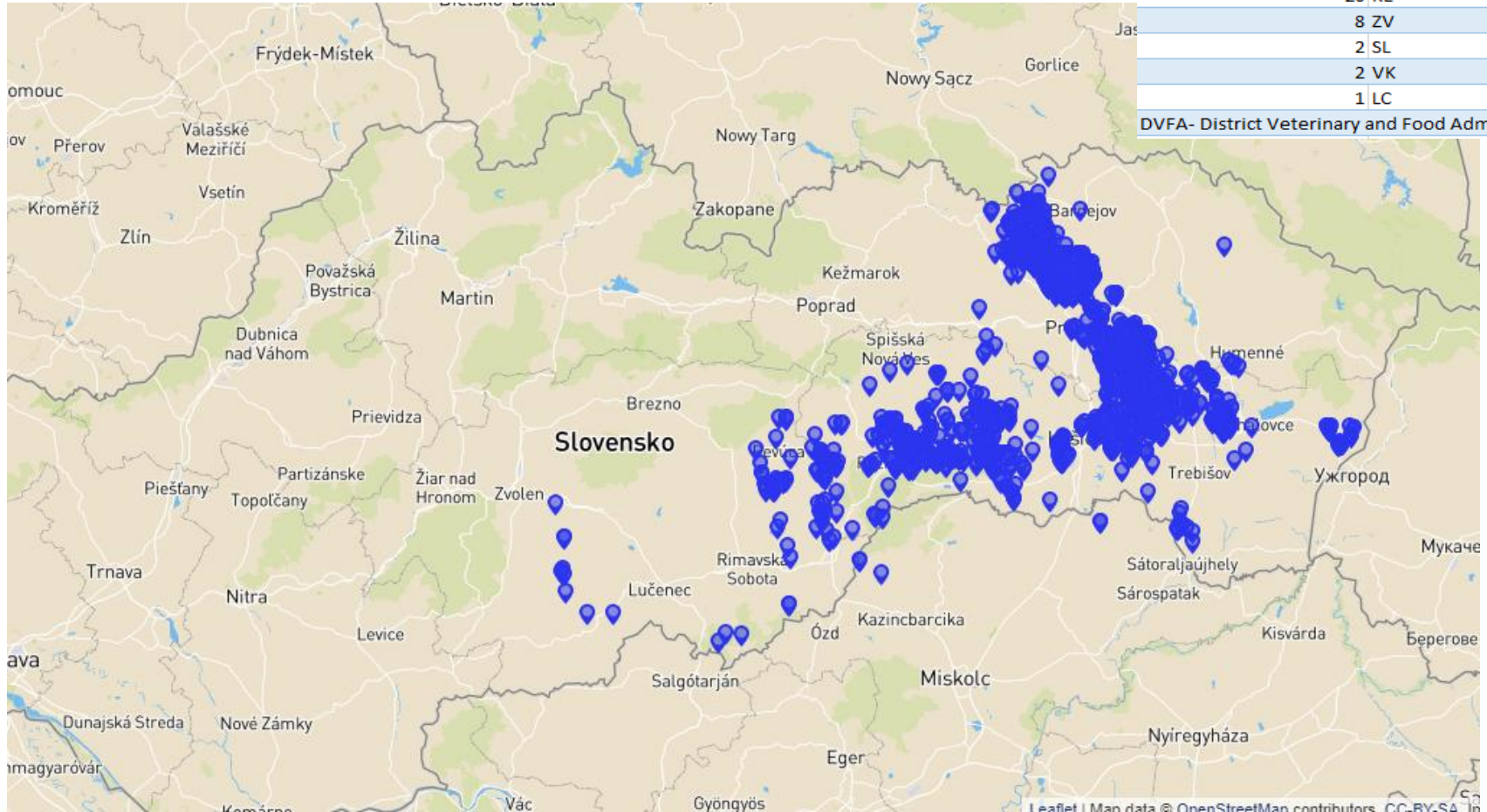
Period considered ( <i>Ocober 1-st 2020 May , 1-st2021</i> )	N° wild boar hunted	% PCR positive	% seropositive
	5181	17 WB – 0,3 %	10 WB- 0,1 %

# Cases in wild boar – country map

Period considered (*October 2020- May 2021*)

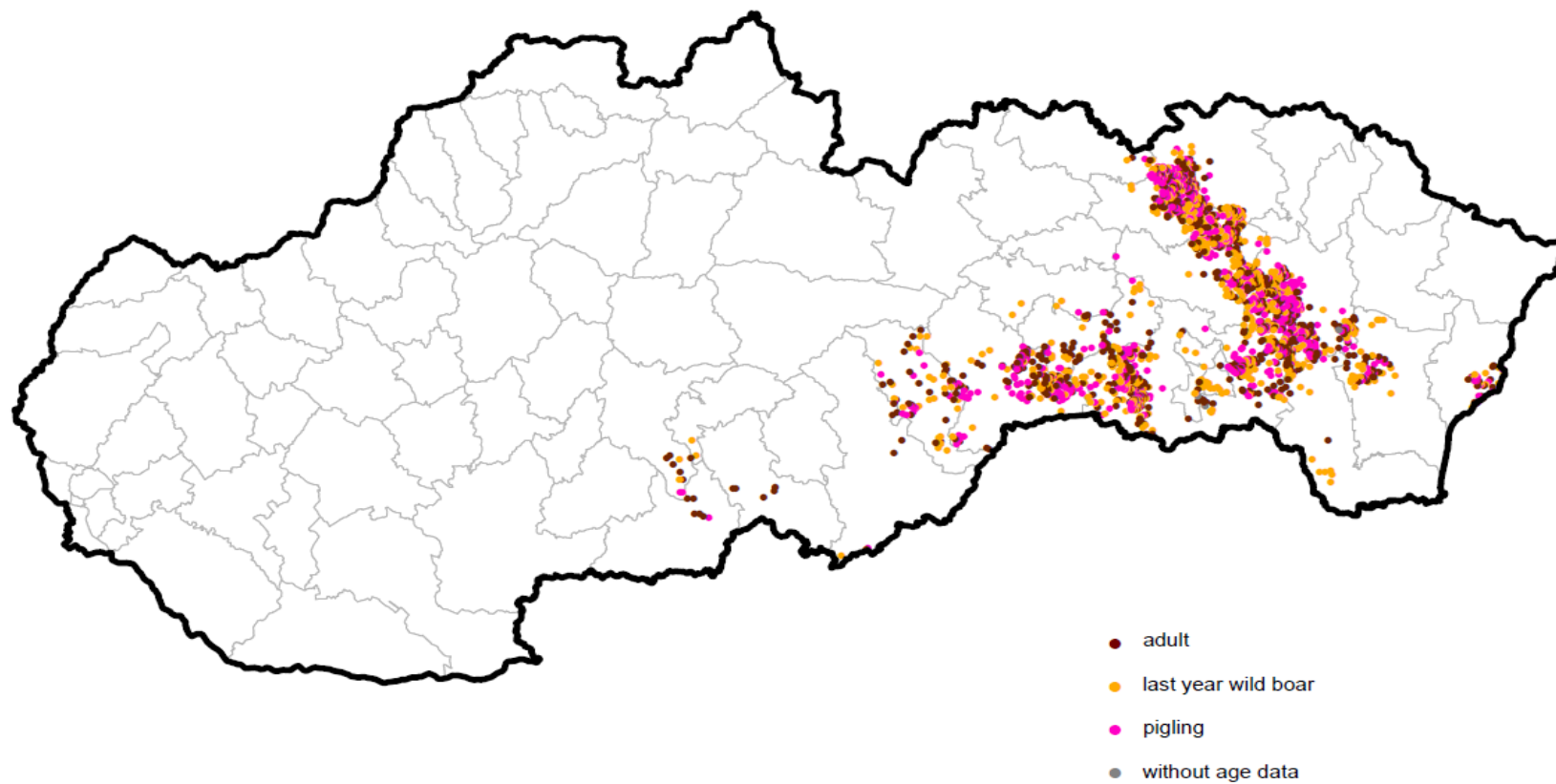
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578	KS
504	PO
308	VT
274	BJ
179	RV
175	TV
83	MI
59	RS
42	SN
26	KE
8	ZV
2	SL
2	VK
1	LC

DVFA- District Veterinary and Food Administration



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Geographical distribution of wild boars samples positive for ASF virus in Slovakia during 2021 (January - 10 May) - passive surveillance



# Domestic pigs surveillance

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

Period considered ( <i>1-st of October 2020- May,10 2021</i> )	N° suspicions Commercial farms / backyards	N° confirmed outbreaks Commercial farms / backyards
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**In the zones of the country already considered affected at the beginning of the period**

Period considered ( <i>1-stOctober- May, 10 2021</i> )	N° suspicions Commercial farms / backyards	N° confirmed outbreaks Commercial farms / backyards
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# Outbreaks in domestic pigs – country map

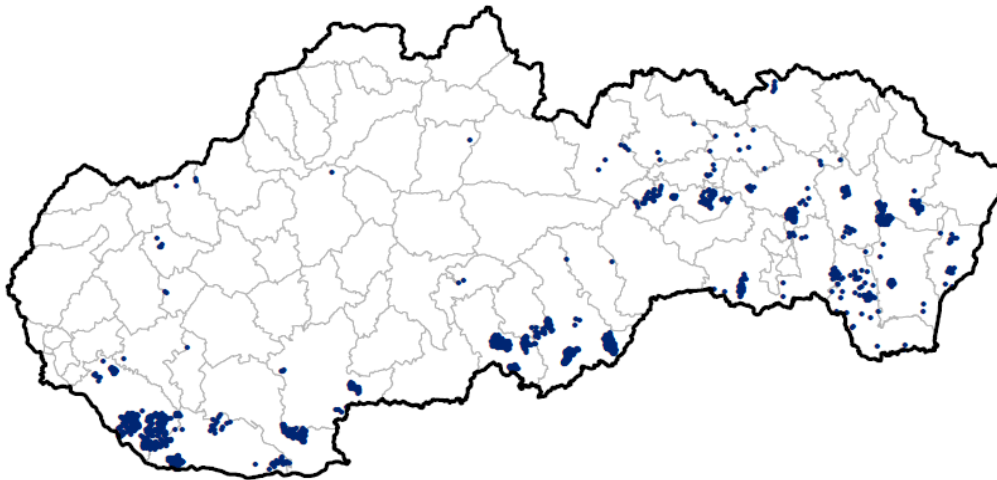
Period considered (*October 2020 to 3 June 2021*):

Without outbreaks in domestic pigs

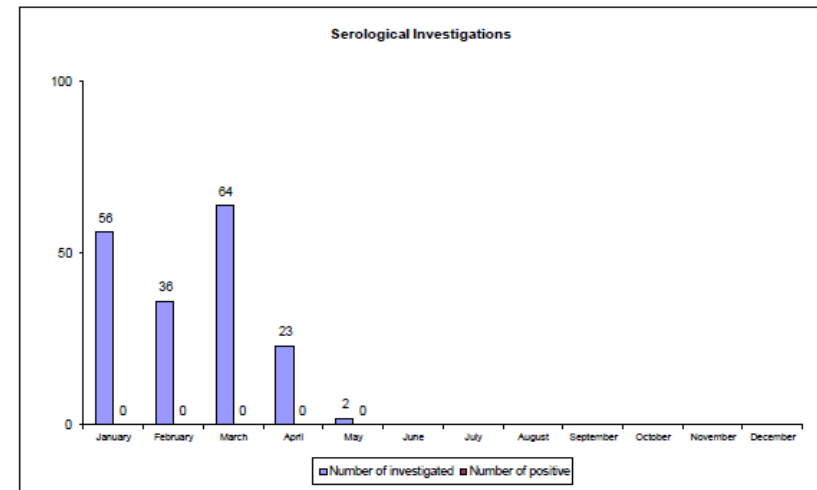
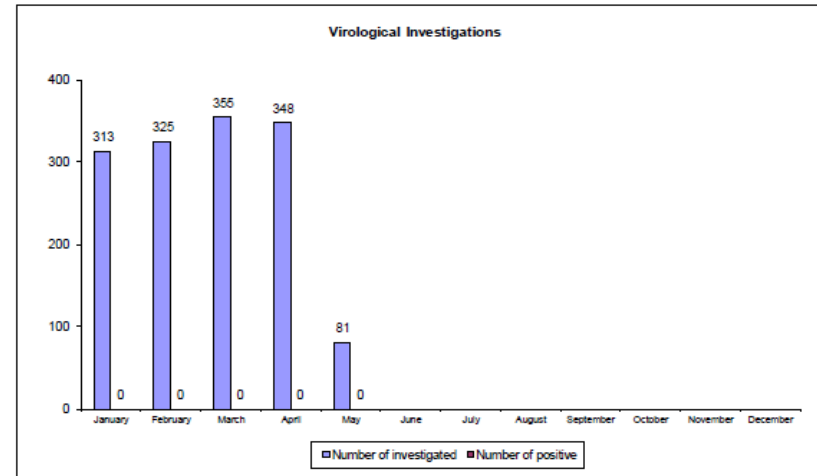


**Geographical distribution of samples submitted for ASFV investigation in domestic swine in Slovakia during 2021 (January - 10 May)**

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**Laboratory Investigations of ASF in domestic pigs in Slovakia during 2021 (January - 10 May)**



# How COVID 19 effects on ASF control and eradication measures

Period considered: October 2020-May 2021

- 2 national lockdowns ordered by SK government
- Limited possibilities for performing the checks ( biosecurity ) of the PIG FARMS AND HUNTING GROUNDS
- Activities related to searching of dead WBs / hunting of WB in certain areas and laboratory investigation of samples taken maintained
- The trinigns of hunters postponed
- Experts group related to the analysis of the ASF development by reflecting the situation in the regions affected – the participation of all parties ( vets, pig breeders, hunters ) postponed or carried out via web in the narrowed format





# Summary 2021

- Period 1.10.2020-30.4.2021: 2241 posit. WB tested in 14 districts
- Year 2021: 747 ADNS + 266 ADIS reports 266 ADIS – localisation of regions affected – south /northeast part of Slovakia – **only by WB**
- Epizootological enquiry done- naturally spread of infection ( trans-border, within SK from infected to previously free regions)
- New methodological guidelines adopted by State Veterinary and Food Administration – topic: movement of pigs – it corresponds with the EU legislation 2021/605/EC
- A lot of ADNS messages reported by the end of 2020 and at the beginning of the year 2021 – in the infected area a lot of findings of dead WB reported , hunters are active in searching of dead WB
- Active and passive surveillance of WB in place- depending the localisation of hunting ground, its inclusion into the zones according the european legislation
- In new infected zones- measures newly ordered
- COVID 19 influence- lockdown- performing of checks – pig farms / hunting grounds ( biosecurity checks + implementation of measures ordered)

# THANK YOU



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