



GF-TADs

GLOBAL FRAMEWORK FOR THE
PROGRESSIVE CONTROL OF
TRANSBOUNDARY ANIMAL DISEASES



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**Standing Group of Experts on Lumpy Skin Disease
in South East Europe
under the GF-TADs umbrella**

SGE LSD 11

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Kosovo

Country Update

Lumpy Skin Disease – Background information

- **LSD occurrence :**

- *There were no suspected cases for the LSD*

- **LSD Vaccination:**

- *Vaccination against LSD was done annually from 2016 till 2019*

- **LSD surveillance (active):**

- *Post vaccination serological test for the determination of levels of immunity was performed 2018-2020*
- *In 2021 active serological surveillance*



Lumpy Skin Disease – 2021 - Occurrence

- *No cases reported*



Lumpy Skin Disease – 2021 - Vaccination

- **No vaccination against LSD in 2021**



Lumpy Skin Disease – 2021 - Surveillance

- ***Description of the active surveillance undertaken***

Include at least :

- ✓ **340**

- ✓ **720**

- ✓ **Bovine**

- ✓ ***Capripoxvirus* Double Antigen ELISA**

- ✓ **Result under evaluation**

- ✓ **surveillance period 5 July – 18 November**

- ✓ **regions covered- Whole country**

- ***Description of the passive surveillance undertaken***

No suspected cases reported



Lumpy Skin Disease – 2022 plans

- **LSD Vaccination:**

“Not Applicable”

- **LSD surveillance (active):**

*Annual national plan for the monitoring of animal diseases
Serological active surveillance of non-vaccinated cattle*

- **Other LSD measures :**

Visits in selected cattle holdings for clinical inspection

