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Session on rabies surveillance

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Rabies epidemiological situation

- Last year of occurrence of **Rabies in domestic animals** :
(May 25, 2023, dog, Ibaneti locality, Botosani county)

- Last year of occurrence of **Rabies in wildlife** :
(May 18, 2023, fox, Uncesti locality, Suceava county)

- Last year of occurrence of **Rabies in humans** :
(February 2012, Bacau county)

- Last year of occurrence of **imported Rabies cases**:
 - In animals : *NA*
 - In humans : *NA*

Oral rabies vaccination

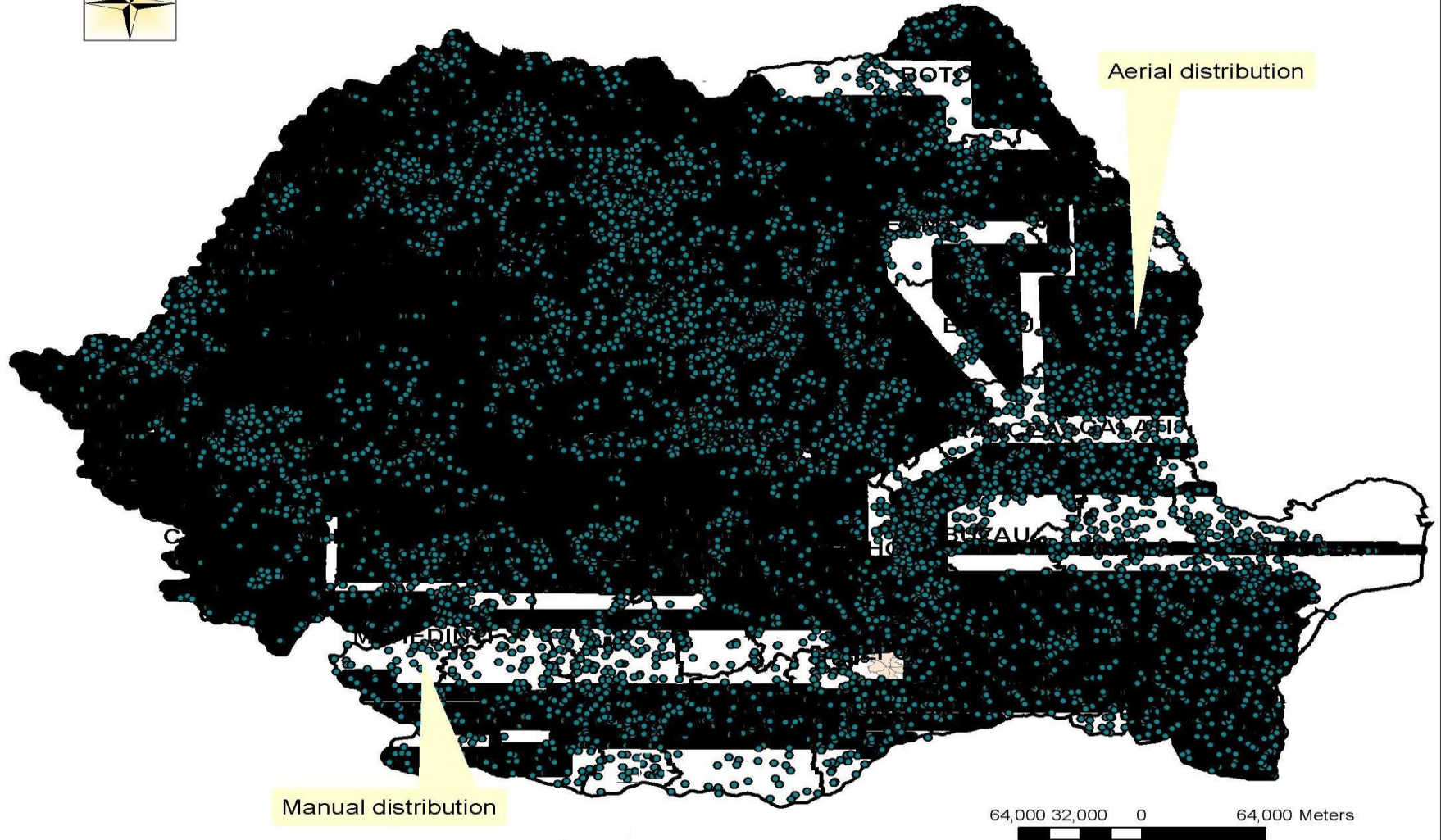
Year*	Campaign carried out		Spring campaign		Autumn campaign		Area covered (please mark with X as appropriate)	
	YES	NO	Start Date	End Date	Start Date	End Date	Whole country	Other (please describe)
2018	-	NO	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019	YES	-	Jun.11	Jul.09	Sep.23	Nov.02	YES	-
2020	YES	-	May.28	Jul.09	Oct.18	Nov.19	YES	-
2021	-	NO	-	-	-	-	-	-
2022	YES	-	-	-	Nov.11	Dec.30	YES	80% of planned distribution (20% could not be covered due to bad weather conditions and problems of the service provider)
2023	-	-	-	-	Waiting finalizing of public procurement			Public procurement starts in 3 July 2023.



Map of the last vaccination area



Manual and aerial distribution ORV autumn 2022



Surveillance

year	Number of tested animals-passive surveillance		Number of tested animals-active surveillance	
	negative	positive	negative	positive
2018	1029	3	-	-
2019	881	3	8201	1
2020	592	5	8642	0
2021	1637	5	-	-
2022	1984	28		
2023	No centralized yet	16	4304 (for 2022 autumn campaign)	2

- Passive surveillance: tests performed in suspect and dead animals
- Active surveillance: tests performed in healthy hunted animals in the frame of the monitoring programme to verify effectiveness of vaccination

Plans for 2023

VACCINATION	YES	NO	NOT SURE	YES UNDER CONDITIONS <i>(please describe)</i>	Area	Period /dates	Comments
ORV Campaign 2023	YES				All country	Autumn	
Spring campaign (realized)		NO		-			No time. Public procurement ongoing.
Autumn campaign	YES			described into the questionnaire	All country	September -November	described into the questionnaire
SURVEILLANCE							
Passive surveillance	YES			2000 foxes and jackals and any other suspect wild animal + domestic animals	All country	All year	
Active surveillance <i>(like the one accompanying all ORV)</i>	YES			4 foxes/100 km ² , 4268 foxes for autumn campaign	All country	45 days after end of distribution	
Other type of active surveillance <i>(please describe)</i>				Hunting due to rabies cases confirmed	Infected area	In any positive case linked with wildlife	

Plans for 2024



VACCINATION	YES	NO	NOT SURE	YES UNDER CONDITIONS <i>(please describe)</i>	Area	Period /dates	Comments
ORV Campaign	YES				All country	Spring - Autumn	
Spring campaign	YES				All country	April - June	
Autumn campaign	YES			described into the questionnaire	All country	September November	described into the questionnaire
SURVEILLANCE							
Passive surveillance	YES			2000 foxes and jackals and any other suspect wild animal + domestic animals	All country	All year	
Active surveillance <i>(like the one accompanying all ORV)</i>	YES			4 foxes/100 km2, 8535 foxes for both campaign	All country	45 days after distribution	
Other type of active surveillance (please describe)				Hunting due to rabies cases confirmed	Infected area	In any positive case linked with wildlife	

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