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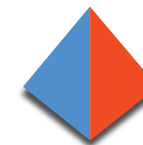
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PESTE DE PETIT RUMINANTS (PPR) OUTBREAK IN ROMANIA

**NATIONAL SANITARY VETERINARY
AND FOOD SAFETY AUTHORITY**

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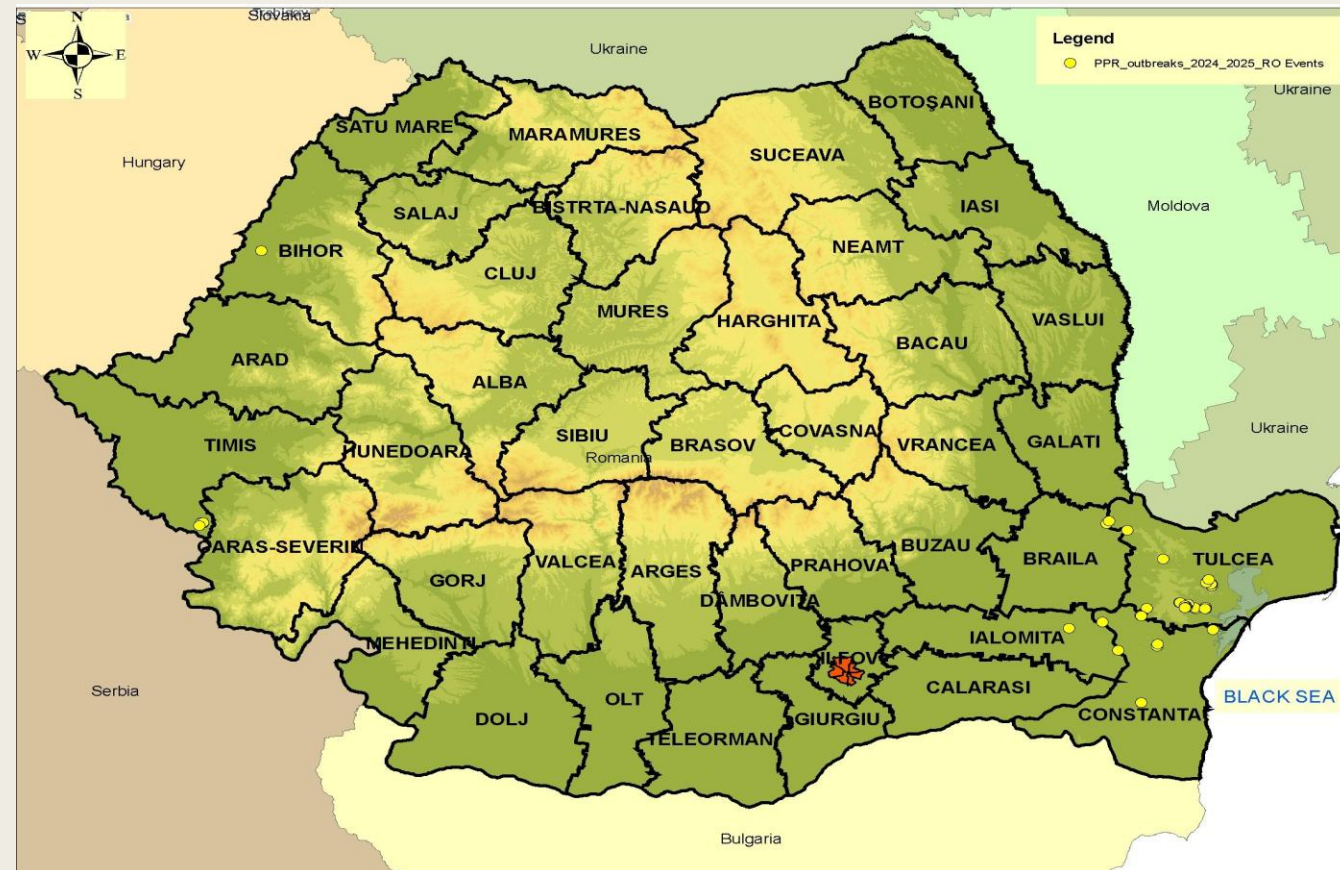
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Outbreaks RO-PPR- 2024 – 2025 - 00068

PPR active period in RO: 2024 – 2025 = 68 PPR outbreaks

2024 - 67 Outbreaks: 15.07.2024 - 02.12.2024 in the counties Tulcea, Constanța, Timiș, Ialomița

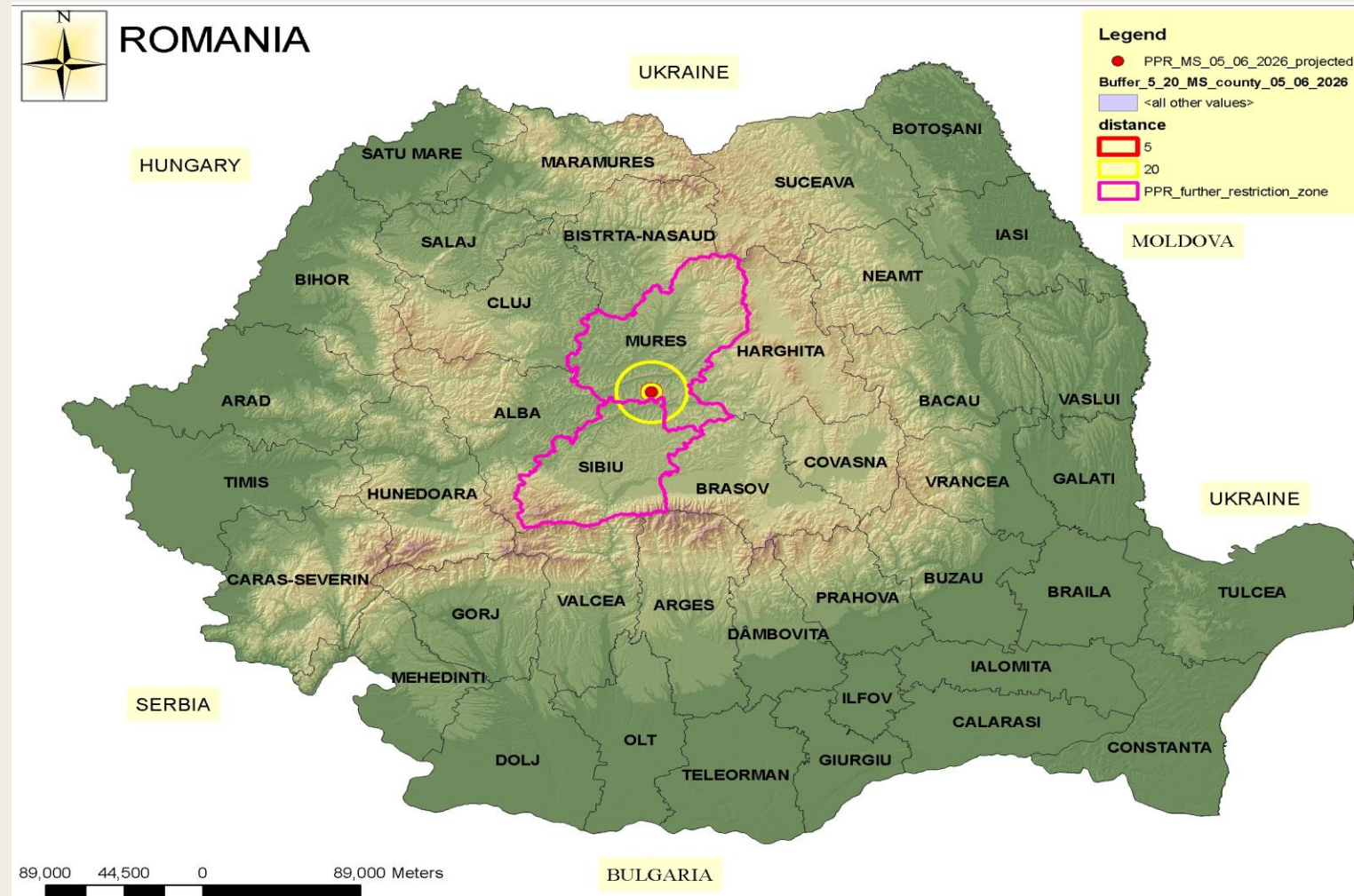
2025 - 1 outbreak in the county Bihor
05.03.2025 -10.05.2025
(when were the restrictions lifted according to the Decision 2025/638)



Outbreak RO-PPR - 2026 – 00001 Mureș County

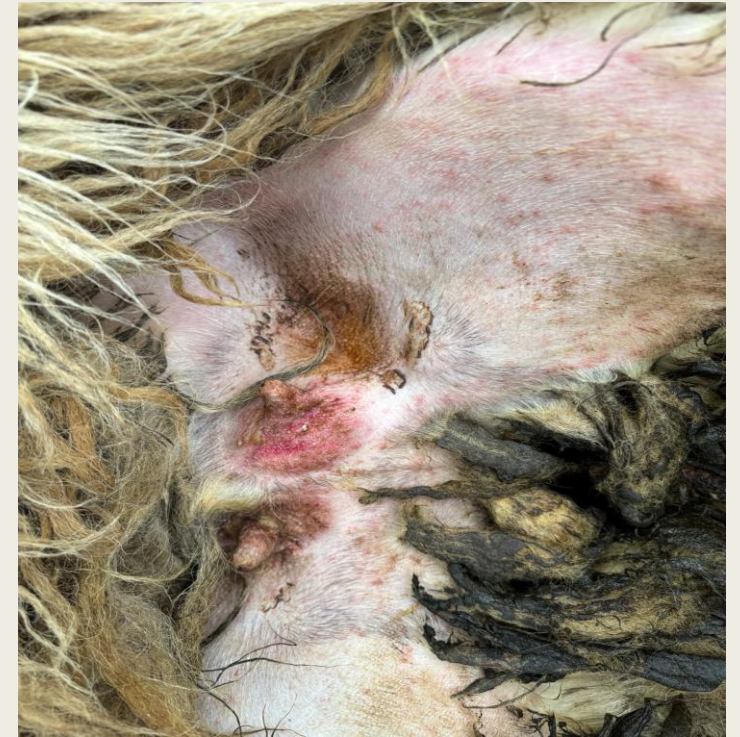
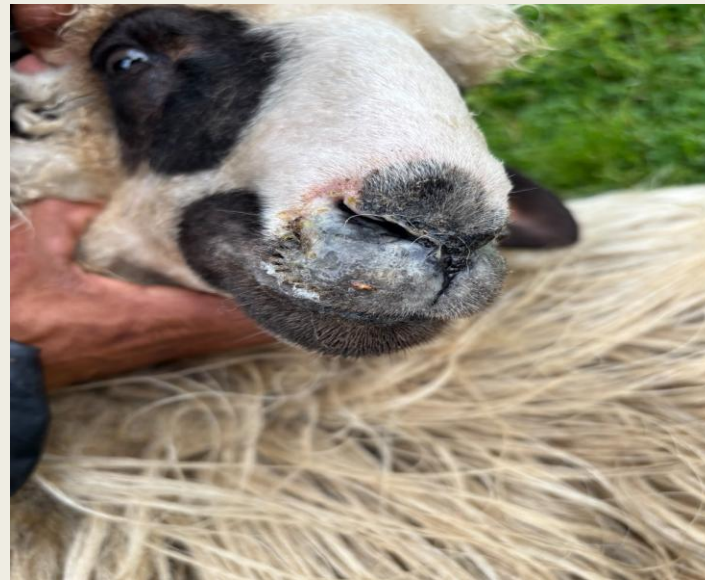
- **Viișoara: sheepfold - 882 sheep**
- On **23.05.26**, the first mortalities (2 young sheep after antiparasitic treatment with Fasciozone in lambs);
- On **24.05.2026**, the first signs of disease: cough, inappetence, nasal secretions and hypersalivation followed by mortalities in young animals:
- On **02.06.2026**, the official veterinarian of the Sanitary-Veterinary and Food Safety District (CSVSAO) Târnăveni was notified by the animal owner -of clinical signs of disease and mortality in sheep
- On **02.06.2026**, the official veterinarian collected and sent to the laboratory biological samples from 5 animals with clinical signs;
- On **03.06.2026**, the Sanitary Veterinary and Food Safety Directorate Mureș was informed by telephone about the negative result for SPG and it requested to the (IDAH) to continue the investigations on the same samples into other direction PPR;
- On **04.06.2026**, the **NLR -SPG (IDAH) - result tests negative of SPG**, from 5 sheep -Real Time PCR test on **both EDTA blood samples and nasal swabs and by the ELISA test on blood serum samples**
- On **05.06.2026**, the NLR –PPR (IDAH) **confirmed the presence of PPR from 5 sheep** - Real Time PCR test on both EDTA blood samples and collected nasal swabs and by the ELISA test on blood serum samples (3 samples were negative by ELISA test).

Outbreak RO-PPR - 2026 – 00001 Mureş County



Outbreak RO-PPR - 2026 – 00001

Mureș County



Killing and disinfection

The outbreak

Date of killing: 08.06.2026

748 animals were killed (134 dead)

The first disinfection 09.06.2026

The second disinfection 10.06.2026

The third disinfection 15.06.2026



Control Measures Implemented

1. **Zoning:** Establishment of a protection zone with a radius of 5 km and a surveillance zone with a radius of 20 km.
2. **Stamping-out:** Killing of all animals from the affected sheepfold.
3. **Safe Disposal:** Burying of carcasses in the area where the animals were grazing, in a space arranged and approved in the CLCB.
4. **Movement control:** Implementation of movement restrictions within the zones, as described in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/687.
5. **Cleaning and disinfection:** Cleaning and disinfection of the sheepfold.
6. **Biosecurity measures:** Implementation of enhanced biosecurity measures in the sheepfold/farms in the restricted zones.

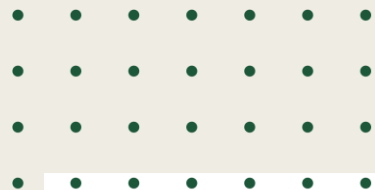
Measure in the protection zone (5km)

- Visits in all small ruminants units: total of 46 establishments
- Clinical examinations of all animals: 7.512 sheep and 1.230 goats (8.742 sheep and goats)

Measure in the surveillance zone (20km)

- Visits in all small ruminants units: total of 827 establishments
- Clinical examinations of all animals: 67.344 sheep and 7.156 goats (74.500 sheep and goats)

Results: without clinical signs



Other measures implemented

- Census
- Production, health and traceability records analysis
- Clinical examination
- Control of biosecurity measures
- Passive surveillance

Notification Mureş County Police Inspectorate

- purchase of unidentified animals without veterinary health documents-inconsistencies in declarations;

Notification National Agency for Zootechnics

- rams without means of identification used for breeding

Contraventional sanctions were applied to several owners



Epidemiological investigation

Incriminated vectors:

- illegal introduction of untested animals and failure to comply with biosecurity measures at the farm level;
- contact with means of transport – the pasture is crossed by a forest road also used by other means of transport;
- unidentified sheep on the farm which, according to the owner, are born in sheepfold;
- improper management of animal carcasses.
- epidemiological investigation is ongoing



**COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING DECISION (EU) 2026/1387 of 17 June 2026
amending Implementing Decision (EU) 2025/638 concerning certain emergency
measures relating to infection with peste des petits ruminants virus in Romania**

- According to this decision, **movements of caprine and ovine animals** from the entire territory of Romania to a destination located outside Romania, **in another Member State or in a third country, are prohibited until 31 December 2026**



Centralization of data for the National PPR / SGP Monitoring Program in Romania 2026

Nr Crt	County	CSVExisting at the date of Grant signing	PPR				SGP	
			Blood samples				Blood samples	
			Total holdings	Total animals	Total samples for IDSA	Total samples for designated laboratory	Total holdings	Total samples for IDSA
1	AB	63	70	980	140	840	70	140
2	AR	77	70	980	140	840	70	140
3	AG	95	60	840	120	720	60	120
4	BC	47	60	840	120	720	60	120
5	BH	59	70	980	140	840	70	140
6	BN	62	60	840	120	720	60	120
7	BR	51	60	840	120	720	60	120
8	BT	96	60	840	120	720	60	120
9	BV	50	60	840	120	720	60	120
10	BUC	1	10	140	20	120	10	20
11	BZ	49	60	840	120	720	60	120
12	CJ	89	70	980	140	840	70	140
13	CL	66	60	840	120	720	60	120
14	CS	39	60	840	120	720	60	120
15	CT	50	70	980	140	840	70	140
16	CV	50	60	840	120	720	60	120
17	DB	66	60	840	120	720	60	120
18	DJ	92	70	980	140	840	70	140
19	GJ	105	60	840	120	720	60	120
20	GL	80	60	840	120	720	60	120

21	GR	75	60	840	120	720	60	120
22	HD	54	60	840	120	720	60	120
23	HR	68	60	840	120	720	60	120
24	IF	70	10	140	20	120	10	20
25	IL	77	60	840	120	720	60	120
26	IS	60	60	840	120	720	60	120
27	MH	99	60	840	120	720	60	120
28	MM	62	60	840	120	720	60	120
29	MS	69	70	980	140	840	70	140
30	NT	60	60	840	120	720	60	120
31	OT	78	60	840	120	720	60	120
32	PH	48	60	840	120	720	60	120
33	SB	78	70	980	140	840	70	140
34	SJ	82	60	840	120	720	60	120
35	SM	100	60	840	120	720	60	120
36	SV	88	60	840	120	720	60	120
37	TL	61	70	980	140	840	70	140
38	TM	48	70	980	140	840	70	140
39	TR	80	60	840	120	720	60	120
40	VL	45	60	840	120	720	60	120
41	VN	63	60	840	120	720	60	120
42	VS	68	60	840	120	720	60	120
TOTAL		2820	2520	35280	5040	30240	2520	5040

HADEA and DG SANTE recommendations

According to the latest EUVET report, and expert comments during the summer of 2025,, the number of herds/farms to be visited and sampled per county (randomly selected and irrespective of suspicion) is 60, and it should be enough to detect a 5% prevalence (among farms/herds) with a 95% level of confidence.

1. “Clinical examinations of herds for the purposes of active surveillance”

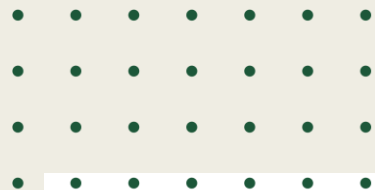
- total number of 42 counties x 60 examinations/county/year x 2 years = **5.040 examinations**

2. “Animals sampled”

- total number of 42 counties x 60 herds/county/year x 14 animals sampled/herd x 2 years = **70.560 animals** sampled

3. “Serological tests”

- total number of 42 counties x 60 herds/county/year x 14 animals tested/herd x 2 years = **70.560** serological tests

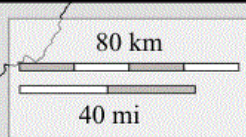


PPR SYNTHESIS BY COUNTY – 26.06.2026

Centralized situation by counties on the date 25.06.2026

Nr. crt.	County	Samples collected / county	Holdings with a positive result	Result positive	Result dubious
1	ALBA	980	26	67	16
2	ARAD	980	44	363	23
3	ARGEȘ	840	2	3	3
4	BACĂU	840	7	14	7
5	BIHOR	980	21	98	23
6	BISTRIȚA-NĂȘĂUD	840	15	2	13
7	BOTOȘANI	840	22	11	23
8	BRĂILA	840	20	89	16
9	BRAȘOV	840	8	6	6
10	BUCUREȘTI	140	0	0	0
11	BUZĂU	840	28	169	18
12	CĂLĂRAȘI	840	8	58	0
13	CARAȘ-SEVERIN	840	13	16	15
14	CLUJ	980	3	3	0
15	CONSTANȚA	980	48	405	21
16	COVASNA	840	1	2	0
17	DĂMBOVIȚA	840	1	14	0
18	DOLJ	980	4	5	0
19	GALAȚI	840	9	54	5
20	GIURGIU	840	3	3	0
21	GORJ	840	18	10	27
22	HARGHITA	840	2	3	0
23	HUNEDOARA	840	12	29	20
24	IALOMIȚA	840	46	188	21
25	ILFOV	140	0	0	0
26	IASI	840	17	3	21
27	MARAMURES	840	12	17	14
28	MEHEDINȚI	840	2	2	0
29	MUREȘ	980	5	14	0
30	NEAMȚ	840	17	3	27
31	OLT	840	5	12	0
32	PRAHOVA	840	7	31	0
33	SĂLAJ	840	15	32	4
34	SATU MARE	840	11	4	10
35	SIBIU	980	16	82	0
36	SUCEAVA	840	13	7	13
37	TELEORMAN	840	9	45	0
38	TIMIȘ	980	29	80	34
39	TULCEA	980	25	162	6
40	VÂLCEA	840	21	11	51
41	VASLUI	840	24	17	33
42	VRANCEA	840	17	39	11
TOTAL COUNTRY		35,280	606	2,173	481

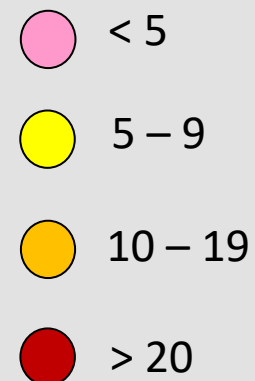




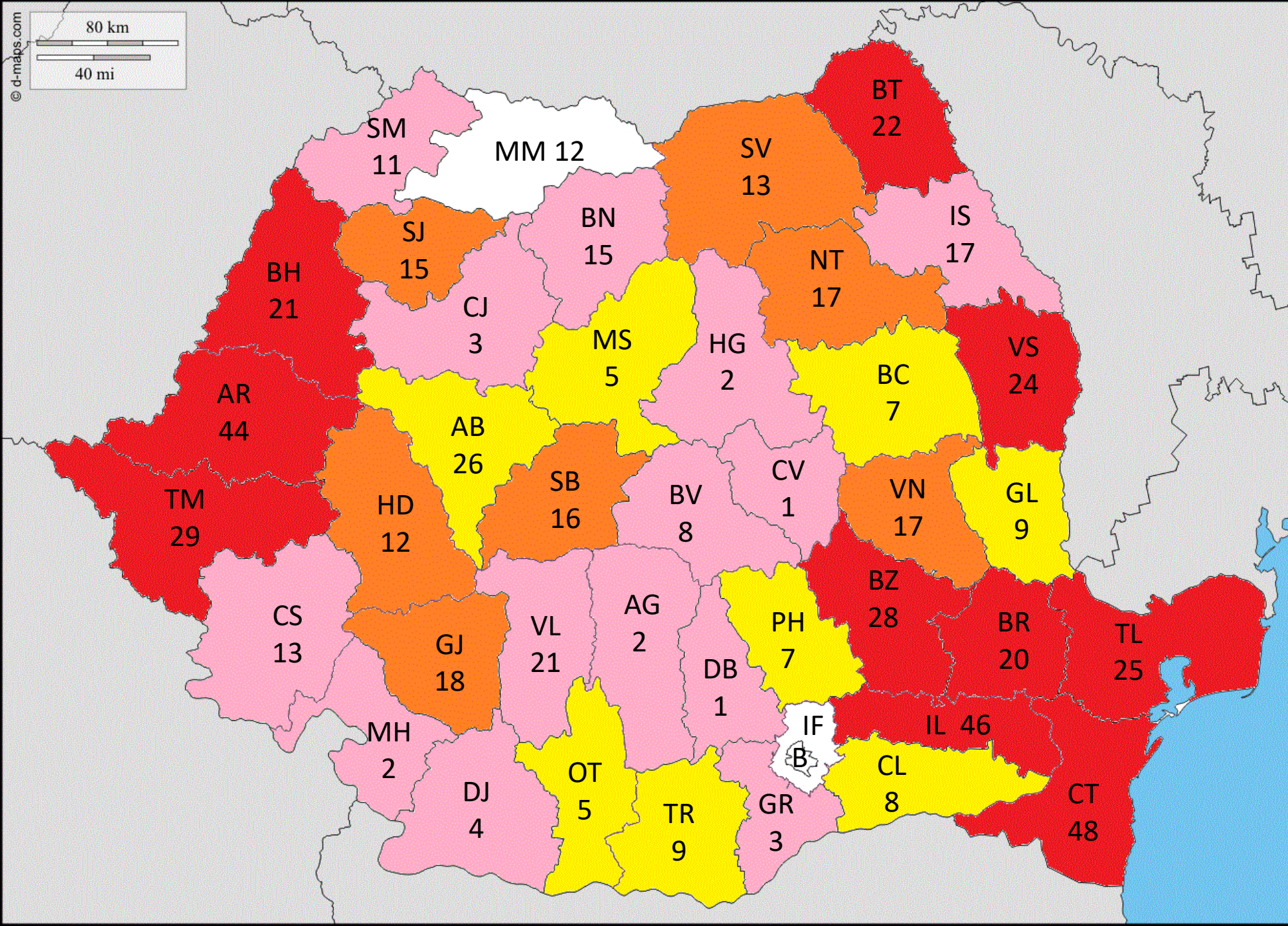
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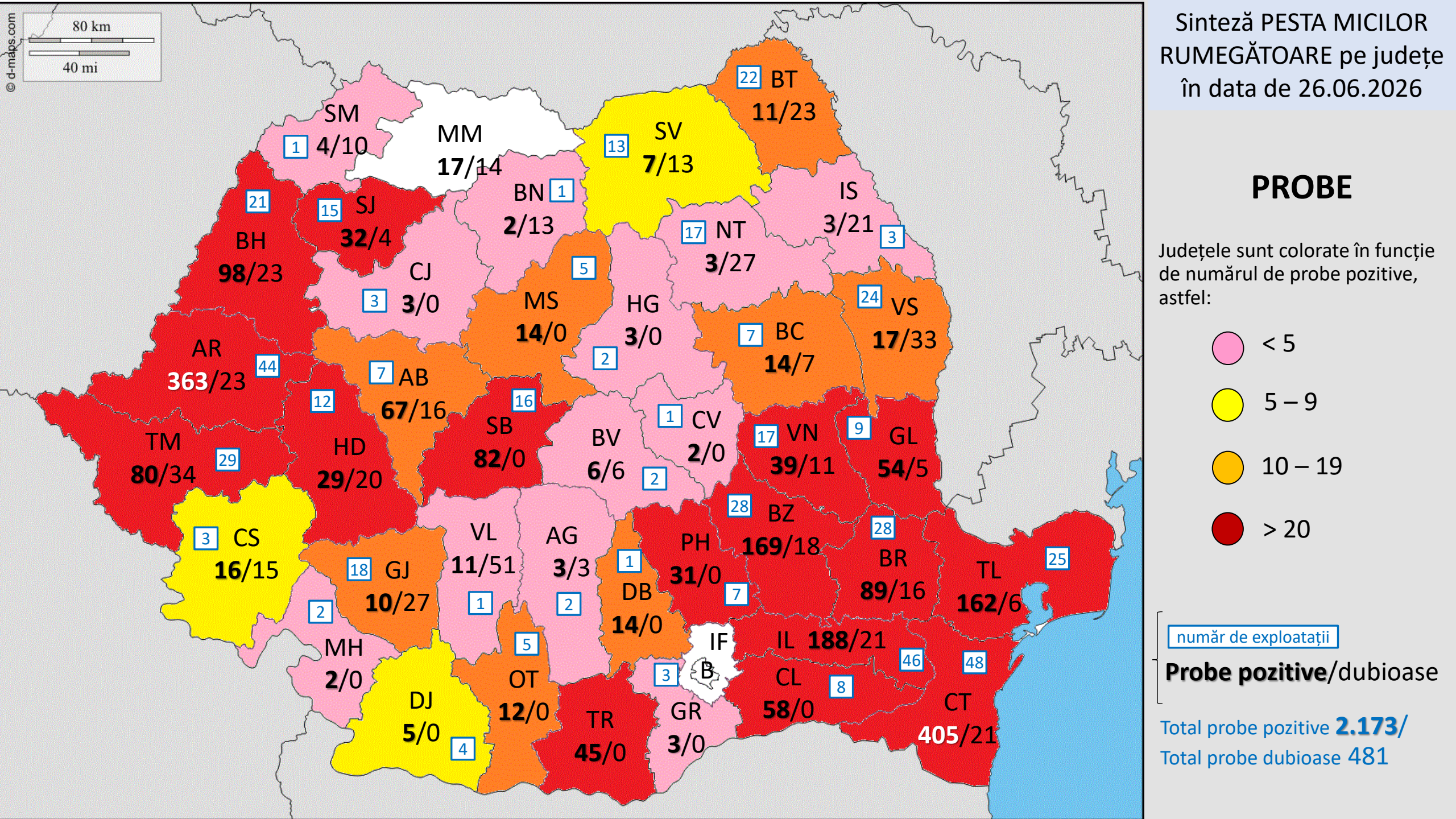
EXPLOATAȚII

Județele sunt colorate în funcție de numărul de exploatații afectate, astfel:



exploații în România în care au
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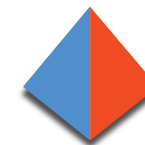


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