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TRENDS AND SOURCES OF ZOONOSSES AND ZOOBOTIC AGENTS IN HUMANS, FOODSTUFFS, ANIMALS AND FEEDINGSTUFFS

including information on foodborne outbreaks,
antimicrobial resistance in zoonotic agents and some
pathogenic microbiological agents.

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State Veterinary Administration of the Czech Republic	Control and monitoring of animal health situation and protection of consumers from products of animal origin	Contact point for Commission in accordance with Article 3 (2) Regulation 2003/99/EC. Monitoring, data collection and reporting
National Institute of Public Health (NIPH)	Health promotion and protection, disease prevention and follow-up environmental impact on the health status of the population. Two department are involved to the zoonoses reporting: Department of epidemiology and microbiology and Department of food chain hygiene.	Foodborn outbreaks reporting, sampling, laboratory testing and reporting.

PREFACE

This report is submitted to the European Commission in accordance with Article 9 of Council Directive 2003/99/ EC*. The information has also been forwarded to the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA).

The report contains information on trends and sources of zoonoses and zoonotic agents in Czech Republic during the year 2008 .

The information covers the occurrence of these diseases and agents in humans, animals, foodstuffs and in some cases also in feedingstuffs. In addition the report includes data on antimicrobial resistance in some zoonotic agents and commensal bacteria as well as information on epidemiological investigations of foodborne outbreaks. Complementary data on susceptible animal populations in the country is also given. The information given covers both zoonoses that are important for the public health in the whole European Community as well as zoonoses, which are relevant on the basis of the national epidemiological situation.

The report describes the monitoring systems in place and the prevention and control strategies applied in the country. For some zoonoses this monitoring is based on legal requirements laid down by the Community Legislation, while for the other zoonoses national approaches are applied.

The report presents the results of the examinations carried out in the reporting year. A national evaluation of the epidemiological situation, with special reference to trends and sources of zoonotic infections, is given. Whenever possible, the relevance of findings in foodstuffs and animals to zoonoses cases in humans is evaluated.

The information covered by this report is used in the annual Community Summary Report on zoonoses that is published each year by EFSA.

* Directive 2003/ 99/ EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 December 2003 on the monitoring of zoonoses and zoonotic agents, amending Decision 90/ 424/ EEC and repealing Council Directive 92/ 117/ EEC, OJ L 325, 17.11.2003, p. 31

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1. ANIMAL POPULATIONS

The relevance of the findings on zoonoses and zoonotic agents has to be related to the size and nature of the animal population in the country.

A. Information on susceptible animal population

Sources of information:

Czech Statistical Office

Official statistics from Central Register of Animals in the Czech Republic which is performing in accordance with Breeding Act No. 154/2000 as amended

Data from State Veterinary Administration database

Dates the figures relate to and the content of the figures:

Numbers of animals and holdings related to 31. 12. 2008

National evaluation of the numbers of susceptible population and trends in these

The number of cattle holdings little bit decreased whereas the number of animals slightly increased. The number of sheep holdings and animals increased in year 2008. The same trends were in goats population. The number of pig holdings decreased, number of animals slightly increased. Number of Gallus gallus were approximately in the same level as in 2007, but number of flocks decreased as compared with year 2007. Number of geese and ducks were going up. Number of holdings with turkeys were going up but number of turkey decreased.

Geographical distribution and size distribution of the herds, flocks and holdings

The geographical distribution of animals and holdings on the whole territory in the Czech Republic is approximately equal.

Table Susceptible animal populations

		Number of herds or flocks		Number of slaughtered animals		Livestock numbers (live animals)		Number of holdings	
Animal species	Category of animals		Year		Year		Year		Year
Cattle (bovine animals)	calves (under 1 year)			10860		428168		15048	
	dairy cows and heifers			146421		404207		16008	
	in total			289998		1443640		21292	
	meat production animals			132294		243714		3270	
	mixed herds			423		368051		2014	
Deer	farmed					4386		123	
	farmed - in total					4386		123	
Ducks	breeding flocks, unspecified - in total	95				4072690		74	
	elite breeding flocks	6				12000		4	
	grandparent breeding flocks	6				12000		4	
	in total	95		3096529		4872690		74	
	meat production flocks	64				4000000		52	
	parent breeding flocks	19				48690		14	
Gallus gallus (fowl)	breeding flocks for egg production line - in total	72				94000		13	

Table Susceptible animal populations

Animal species	Category of animals	Number of herds or flocks		Number of slaughtered animals		Livestock numbers (live animals)		Number of holdings	
			Year		Year		Year		Year
Gallus gallus (fowl)	breeding flocks for meat production line - in total	485				2216094		75	
	breeding flocks, unspecified - in total	579				2310094		88	
	broilers ¹⁾	1297		130294615		197000000		316	
	elite breeding flocks for egg production line	5				42000		3	
	elite breeding flocks, unspecified - in total	6				42000		3	
	grandparent breeding flocks for egg production line	8				52000		3	
	grandparent breeding flocks for meat production line	0							
	grandparent breeding flocks, unspecified - in total	6				52000		3	
	in total	2882		133770785		205594000		490	
	laying hens	449		3476170		6500000		86	
	parent breeding flocks for egg production line	59				145380		7	
	parent breeding flocks for meat production line	485				2216094		75	
	parent breeding flocks, unspecified - in total	567				2361474		82	

Table Susceptible animal populations

Animal species	Category of animals	Number of herds or flocks		Number of slaughtered animals		Livestock numbers (live animals)		Number of holdings	
			Year		Year		Year		Year
Geese	breeding flocks, unspecified - in total	35				234127		22	
	elite breeding flocks	4				8000		1	
	grandparent breeding flocks	4				8000		1	
	in total	35		3675		234127		22	
	meat production flocks	16				206000		11	
	parent breeding flocks	11				12127		9	
Goats	animals over 1 year					14442		4699	
	animals under 1 year					9017		3951	
	in total			691		23459		4751	
	meat production animals					1516		1000	
	milk goats					9110		951	
	mixed herds					13349		2284	
Pigs	breeding animals			109566		255000		1050	
	breeding animals - unspecified - sows and gilts					244925		2369	

Table Susceptible animal populations

Animal species	Category of animals	Number of herds or flocks		Number of slaughtered animals		Livestock numbers (live animals)		Number of holdings	
			Year		Year		Year		Year
Pigs	fattening pigs			3549668		909000		2231	
	in total			3659234		2351672		3546	
Quails	in total							5	
Sheep	animals over 1 year					140821		8817	
	animals under 1 year (lambs)					57002		8882	
	in total			14431		197823		8902	
	meat production animals					48536		1775	
	milk ewes					1250		520	
	mixed herds					148037		6607	
Solipeds, domestic	horses - in total			274		64126		8700	
Turkeys	breeding flocks, unspecified - in total	290				1190000		130	
	in total	290		283655		1119000		130	
	meat production flocks	280				800000		120	
	parent breeding flocks	10				39000		2	

Table Susceptible animal populations**Comments:**

¹⁾ number of flocks at 31 December 2008

Footnote:

number of breeding and laying flocks is number of flocks only in production period. Number of flocks in rearing period is excluded.

2. INFORMATION ON SPECIFIC ZOOSES AND ZOONOTIC AGENTS

Zoonoses are diseases or infections, which are naturally transmissible directly or indirectly between animals and humans. Foodstuffs serve often as vehicles of zoonotic infections. Zoonotic agents cover viruses, bacteria, fungi, parasites or other biological entities that are likely to cause zoonoses.

2.1 SALMONELLOSIS

2.1.1 General evaluation of the national situation

A. General evaluation

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

The monitoring and control programmes for Salmonella are carried out in the whole food chain. To this programmes are involved three institutions which are in charge for food safety and public health protection. Czech Agriculture and Food Inspection Authority and State Veterinary Administration have been established by Ministry of Agriculture and National Institute of Public Health has been established by Ministry of Health. The Salmonellosis is notifiable disease in both in human and animal population and the obligation for notification is laid down in the legislation.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The Salmonellosis is very frequent reported foodborne disease. The main sources of infection in humans were products from eggs and poultry meat. However, number of reported cases in human population has decreasing tendency.

Relevance of the findings in animals, feedingstuffs and foodstuffs to human cases

There is no relevance between finding in animals and finding in human. These cases are very rare. The main source of infection is through to foodstuffs of animal origin.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

Based on the result of baseline study in laying hens flocks and with the aim to reduce occurrence of Salmonella in laying hens flocks, the State Veterinary Administration, Ministry of Agriculture and Poultry Breeding Association prepared Salmonella control programme in breeding flocks and laying hens flocks producing table eggs. These two programmes are in force since 1. 1. 2007.

The Czech Republic participated in the survey on the prevalence of Campylobacter spp. and Salmonella spp. in broiler carcasses (BSBC) in 2008. So we insert in all data in this zoonoses monitoring.

2.1.2 Salmonellosis in humans

A. Salmonellosis in humans

Reporting system in place for the human cases

Infectious diseases (all infections including parasitary) are notified on legal basis (20/1966, 258/2000.) Physicians are obliged to notify the occurrence of the infection disease and data are collected by the net of Regional Public Health Institutes with their district branch offices. The data are centrally collected and processed by the National Institute of Public health.

Case definition

Clinical signs compatible with salmonellosis, e.g. diarrhoea, abdominal pain, nausea and sometimes vomiting and bacteriological investigation.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

Microbiological investigation, cultivation, serotyping, phagetyping

Notification system in place

Infectious diseases (all infections including parasitary) are notified on legal basis (20/1966, 258/2000). Physicians are obliged to notify the occurrence of the infection disease and send collected data by the net of Regional Public Health Institutes with their district branch offices. The data are centrally collected and processed by the National Institute of Public health.

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

Incidence of salmonellosis was growing during the period from 1981 and got the plateau in late eighties. The brake was in 1989 when incidence reached three times higher levels than in previous years. The highest incidence rates were notified in 1995. Since 1998 the rates are steadily dropping down. Salmonellosis are unevenly distributed in our country. The highest rates were generally notified in agricultural districts in the east.

Results of the investigation

Less attention is paid to thermic processing of poultry and eggs and they became predominant risk food. Salmonella Enteritidis is the prevalent serotype (95% of all cases) in recent years.

2.1.3 Salmonella in foodstuffs

A. Salmonella spp. in broiler meat and products thereof

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

The sampling was carry out in carcasses in slaughterhouses after chilling. Monitoring take place in accordance with Directive 2003/99/EC.

At meat processing plant

The samples were taken in the ordinary surveillance.

Frequency of the sampling

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Once a month

At meat processing plant

Sampling distributed evenly throughout the year

Type of specimen taken

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Other: neck skin samples

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Fifteen neck skin samples were taken randomly from 15 carcasses of broilers after chilling. Minimal weight each of sampl was 10g.

At meat processing plant

The samples - meat product (final product), were placed aseptically into a sample container and transfer to the laboratory.

Definition of positive finding

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

presence of salmonella in 25 g of sample

At meat processing plant

presence of salmonella in 25 g of sample

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

At meat processing plant

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

Preventive measures in place

creation and control of HACCP and GHP system

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The competent authority takes measures according to the legislation in force and defined cases are reported into the Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

SVA, NIPH and CAFIA carry out monitoring and control programmes in the whole food chain and take appropriate measures according to the legislation in force to ensure safe foodstuffs.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

In the case of positive result of the investigation the competent authority takes measures to prevent spreading of the infection to the food chain.

Notification system in place

The positive result of the bacteriological test has to be reported to the appropriate Regional Veterinary Administration (RVA) and the RVA has oblige to take appropriate measures. The positive results are reported to the RVA from laboratories which made the tests.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The prevalence of the Salmonella spp. in broiler meat and products is stable and situation is similar like in previous years.

B. Salmonella spp. in turkey meat and products thereof

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

The sampling is carry out from carcasses at slaughterhouses. Samples are taken from the most consistently contaminated sites of carcass in half way through the slaughter day and after chilling.

At meat processing plant

The samples were taken in the ordinary surveillance. The final products are sampled in the end of production.

Frequency of the sampling

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Once a month

At meat processing plant

Sampling distributed evenly throughout the year

Type of specimen taken

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Other: neck skin

At meat processing plant

Other: final product

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Neck skin samples are taken randomly from 15 carcasses of turkey after chilling.

At meat processing plant

the samples - one piece of final product must be placed aseptically into a sample container and transfer to the laboratory

At retail

Definition of positive finding

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

presence of salmonella in 25 g of sample

At meat processing plant

presence of salonella in 25 g of sample

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

At meat processing plant

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

Preventive measures in place

creation and control of HACCP and GHP system

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The competent authority takes measures according to the legislation in force and defined cases are reported into the Rapid Alert System for food and feed.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

SVA, NIPH and CAFIA carry out monitoring and control programmes in the whole food chain and take appropriate measures according to the legislation in force to ensure safe foodstuffs.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

In the case of positive result of the investigation the competent authority takes measures to prevent spreading of the infection to the food chain.

Notification system in place

The positive result of the bacteriological test has to be reported to the appropriate Regional Veterinary Administration (RVA) and the RVA has to take appropriate measures. The positive results are reported to the RVA from laboratories which made the tests.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The prevalence of the *Salmonella* spp. in turkey meat and products is low and the situation is stable and similar like in previous years.

C. Salmonella spp. in pig meat and products thereof

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

The sampling was randomly and carry out on the surface of carcasses in slaughterhouses. In the region was choosen slaughterhouses in which was made sampling. The samples were taken in accordance with Directive 2003/99/EC. Samples were taken from the most consistenly contaminanted sites of carcass in half way through the slaughter day and before chilling.

At meat processing plant

The samples were taken in the ordinary surveillance.

At retail

Frequency of the sampling

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Once a month

At meat processing plant

Once a month

Type of specimen taken

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Surface of carcass

At meat processing plant

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Five carcasses of pigs were sampled randomly before chilling using the non-destructive method with swabs (according ISO/FDIS 1704:2003(E)). The samples were taken from four sites of carcass (mid-back, hind limb - medial, breast - lateral, abdomen - lateral). Each sample was taken from area-100cm², first swab made with moist dossil and than with dry dossil. The alternative method was the dectructive method. Four samples of the muscle tissue cover 5 cm² each (total 20 cm²) were taken before chilling too. Pieces of tissue were cut off a slice of 5 cm² with maximum thickness of 5 mm with sterile instrument.

The samples were aseptically cut off and placed aseptically into a sample container and transfered to the laboratory.

At meat processing plant

The samples - meat products, were plected aseptically into a samle container and transfered to the laboratory.

At retail

The samples - final product, had to be placed aseptically into a sample container and transferred to the laboratory.

Definition of positive finding

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

presence of salmonella in 25 g of sample

At meat processing plant

presence in 25 g

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

At meat processing plant

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

Preventive measures in place

Controls of HACCP, GMP and GHP systems

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The competent authority takes measures according to the legislation in force and defined cases are reported into the Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

SVA, NIPH and CAFIA carry out monitoring and control programmes in the whole food chain and take appropriate measures according to the legislation in force to ensure safe foodstuffs.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

In the case of positive result of the investigation the competent authority takes measures to prevent spreading of the infection to the food chain.

Notification system in place

The positive result of the bacteriological test has to be reported to the appropriate Regional Veterinary Administration (RVA) and the RVA has to take appropriate measures. The positive results are reported to the RVA from laboratories which made the tests.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The prevalence of the *Salmonella* spp. in pig meat and products is low and the situation is stable and similar like in previous years.

D. Salmonella spp. in bovine meat and products thereof

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

The sampling was randomly and carry out on the surface of carcasses in slaughterhouses. In the region was choosen slaughterhouses in which was made sampling. The samples were taken in accordance with Directive 2003/99/EC. Samples were taken from the most consistenly contaminated sites of carcass in half way through the slaughter day and before chilling

At meat processing plant

The samles are taken in the ordinary surveillance.

Frequency of the sampling

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Once a month

At meat processing plant

Sampling distributed evenly throughout the year

Type of specimen taken

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Surface of carcass

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Five carcasses of bovine animals were sampled randomly before chilling using the non-destructive method with swabs (according ISO/FDIS 1704:2003(E)). The samples were taken from four sites of carcass - rump, flank, brisket, neck. Each sample was taken from area-100cm², first swab made with moist dossil and than with dry dossil. The alternative method was the dectructive method. Four samples of the muscle tissue cover 5 cm² each (total 20 cm²) were taken before chilling too. Pieces of tissue were cut off a slice of 5 cm² with maximum thickness of 5 mm with sterile instrument.

The samples were aseptically cut off and placed aseptically into a sample container and transfered to the laboratory.

At meat processing plant

The samles - meat product (final product), were plected aseptically into a samle container and transfered to the laboratory.

Definition of positive finding

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

presence in 25 g

At meat processing plant

presence of salmonella in 25 g of sample

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

At meat processing plant

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

Preventive measures in place

creation and control of HACCAP and GHP system

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The competent authority takes measures according to the legislation in force and defined cases are reported into the Rapid Allert System for Food and Feed.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

SVA, NIPH and CAFIA carry out monitoring and control programmes in the whole food chain and take appropriate measures according to the legislation in force to ensure safe foodstuffs.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

In the case of positive result of the investigation the competent authority takes measures to prevent spreading of the infection to the food chain.

Notification system in place

The positive result of the bacteriological test has to be reported to the appropriate Regional Veterinary Administration (RVA) and the RVA has oblige to take appropriate measures. The positive results are reported to the RVA from laboratories which made the tests.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The prevalence of the Salmonella spp. in bovine meat and products is stable and similar like in previous years.

E. Salmonella spp. in food - Other food - food non animal origin - at retail - official food or feed controls - random sampling

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

There is no official National program for monitoring of Salmonella spp. at retail. State Veterinary Administration of the Czech Republic (SVA) make the controls by whole food establishment managements in the Czech Republic.

Czech Agriculture and Food Inspection Authority (CAFIA) performed control at retail according to Commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 of 15 November 2005 on microbiological criteria for foodstuffs. Samples were collected by competent authority as part of an official sampling from all 14 regions of the Czech Republic within a year by the inspectors from the Regional inspectorates and analysed in designated laboratories for analysis samples taken during official controls (Article 12, Regulation (EC) No 882/2004). The sampling by CAFIA was random. However, in case of consumer complaints was the sampling targeted.

National Institute of Public Health (NIPH) carry out monitoring of Salmonella in food at retail level in relation to protection of public health. Samples were collected from 12 regions 4 times per year by the team of worker from the Local Public Health Centers and transported to the NIPH for bacteriological examination.

Frequency of the sampling

The samples have been taken by CAFIA during the whole year mostly randomly.

The samples have been taken by NIPH during the whole year randomly every three months.

Type of specimen taken

Other: food non animal and animal origin

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

Sample of one hundred grams minimum each is taken in a sterile way, into clean and dry plastic bag. The samples are placed into refrigerated container and immediately sent to the laboratory for investigation. Number of subsamples (n=5) were taken in particular food categories according to a sampling - plan which is given to the Chapter 1 Food safety criteria of Commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005.

Definition of positive finding

A batch was considered to be positive where Salmonella spp. has been isolated from at least one single sample taken out of the batch.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

EN ISO 6579: 2002 Microbiology of food and animal feedingstuffs - Horizontal method for the detection of *Salmonella* spp.

Preventive measures in place

According to Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 853/2004, food business operators are to comply with microbiological criteria. This should include testing against the values set for the criteria through the taking of samples, the conduct of analysis and the implementation of corrective actions, in accordance with food law and the instructions given by the competent authority.

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The competent authority takes measures according to the legislation in force and defined cases are reported into the Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed (RASFF).

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

In the case of positive result of investigation the whole batch is recalled from the retail and the competent authority takes measures to prevent spreading of the infection.

Results of the investigation

Table Salmonella in poultry meat and products thereof

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Agona	S. Derby	S. Enteritidis	S. Infantis	S. Kentucky	S. Montevideo
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - spent hens - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	5			4			
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - fresh - - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling	SVA	slaughter	25 g	1367	57	19	1	11	11	4	1
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	1872	5				2		
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	1						
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	250	0						
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	9	0						
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	36	0						
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat products - raw but intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	175	6	2			2		1
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - mechanically separated meat (MSM) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	114	2					1	
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - offal - unspecified - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	1						
Meat from duck - at slaughterhouse - Surveillance - official controls (at processing plant (not at slaughterhouses))	SVA	batch	25 g	2	0						

Table Salmonella in poultry meat and products thereof

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Agona	S. Derby	S. Enteritidis	S. Infantis	S. Kentucky	S. Montevideo
Meat from geese - at slaughterhouse - Surveillance - official controls (at processing plant (not at slaughterhouse))	SVA	batch	25 g	8	0						
Meat from turkey - fresh - at slaughterhouse - Surveillance - official controls (neck skin)	SVA	batch	25 g	201	8						
Meat from turkey - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	70	2						
Meat from turkey - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0						
Meat from turkey - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	12	0						
Meat from turkey - meat products - raw but intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	154	0						
Meat from turkey - mechanically separated meat (MSM) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	2	0						

	S. Newport	S. Ohio	S. Saintpaul	S. Tennessee	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - spent hens - at retail - Survey						1
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - fresh - - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling	4	4		1	1	
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	3					

Table Salmonella in poultry meat and products thereof

	S. Newport	S. Ohio	S. Saintpaul	S. Tennessee	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at retail - Survey						1
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls						
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Surveillance - official controls						
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Survey						
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat products - raw but intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls					1	
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - mechanically separated meat (MSM) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls			1			
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - offal - unspecified - at retail - Survey						1
Meat from duck - at slaughterhouse - Surveillance - official controls (at processing plant (not at slaughterhouses))						
Meat from geese - at slaughterhouse - Surveillance - official controls (at processing plant (not at slaughterhouse))						
Meat from turkey - fresh - at slaughterhouse - Surveillance - official controls (neck skin)	8					
Meat from turkey - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls			1		1	

Table Salmonella in poultry meat and products thereof

	S. Newport	S. Ohio	S. Saintpaul	S. Tennessee	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Meat from turkey - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at retail - Survey						
Meat from turkey - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls						
Meat from turkey - meat products - raw but intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls						
Meat from turkey - mechanically separated meat (MSM) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls						

Table Salmonella in milk and dairy products

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Enteritidis	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Cheeses made from cows' milk - hard - made from pasteurised milk - at retail - domestic production - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	24	0			
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	129	0			
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	632	0			
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA/NIPH	batch	25g	52	0			
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from raw or low heat-treated milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	75	0			
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from raw or low heat-treated milk - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25g	23	0			
Cheeses made from goats' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	33	0			
Cheeses made from sheep's milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	12	0			
Cheeses made from sheep's milk - soft and semi-soft - made from raw or low heat-treated milk - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25g	1	0			
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - butter - made from pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	120	0			
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - butter - made from pasteurised milk - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0			

Table Salmonella in milk and dairy products

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Enteritidis	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - cream - made from raw or low heat-treated milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	23	0			
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - fermented dairy products - at retail - Survey (buttermilk)	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0			
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - ice-cream - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	151	0			
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - milk powder and whey powder - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	6652	0			
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - milk powder and whey powder - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25g	23	0			
Milk, cows' - pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	89	0			
Milk, cows' - raw - intended for direct human consumption - - milk - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	41	0			
Milk, cows' - raw milk for manufacture - intended for manufacture of pasteurised/UHT products - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	35	0			
Milk, cows' - raw milk for manufacture - intended for manufacture of raw or low heat-treated products - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	55	0			
Milk, goats' - raw - intended for direct human consumption - at farm - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	herd	25 g	11	0			

Table Salmonella in red meat and products thereof

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Agona	S. Derby	S. Enteritidis	S. Heidelberg	S. Infantis	S. London
Meat from bovine animals - fresh - at slaughterhouse - Monitoring - official sampling (carcass swabs)	SVA	batch	100 cm2	4505	9		1	2			1
Meat from bovine animals - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	1523	2		1				
Meat from bovine animals - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	641	0						
Meat from bovine animals - meat products - raw but intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	121	0						
Meat from bovine animals - mechanically separated meat (MSM) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	23	0						
Meat from bovine animals - minced meat - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	45	1						
Meat from pig - fresh - at slaughterhouse - Monitoring - official sampling (carcass swabs)	SVA	batch	100 xm2	5625	32	7	7		1	4	2
Meat from pig - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	4532	14		7	1			
Meat from pig - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	1954	3			3			
Meat from pig - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	60	0						
Meat from pig - meat products - raw but intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	420	3		1				

Table Salmonella in red meat and products thereof

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Agona	S. Derby	S. Enteritidis	S. Heidelberg	S. Infantis	S. London
Meat from pig - mechanically separated meat (MSM) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	120	0						
Meat from pig - minced meat - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	2732	5	1	2			1	
Meat, mixed meat - at processing plant - Surveillance (minced meat)	SVA	batch	25 g	421	3					1	
Meat, mixed meat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls (intended to be eaten coked)	SVA	batch	25 g	3203	5	1				2	

	S. Menston	S. Rissen	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp.	Salmonella spp., unspecified	S. enterica subsp. enterica	S. enterica subsp. salamae
Meat from bovine animals - fresh - at slaughterhouse - Monitoring - official sampling (carcass swabs)			2			3	
Meat from bovine animals - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls			1				
Meat from bovine animals - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls							
Meat from bovine animals - meat products - raw but intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls							
Meat from bovine animals - mechanically separated meat (MSM) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls							

Table Salmonella in red meat and products thereof

	S. Menston	S. Rissen	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp.	Salmonella spp., unspecified	S. enterica subsp. enterica	S. enterica subsp. salamae
Meat from bovine animals - minced meat - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls				1			
Meat from pig - fresh - at slaughterhouse - Monitoring - official sampling (carcass swabs)			2			9	
Meat from pig - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls			4			2	
Meat from pig - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls							
Meat from pig - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Survey							
Meat from pig - meat products - raw but intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	1	1					
Meat from pig - mechanically separated meat (MSM) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls							
Meat from pig - minced meat - intended to be eaten cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls			1				
Meat, mixed meat - at processing plant - Surveillance (minced meat)			1			1	
Meat, mixed meat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls (intended to be eaten cooked)			1				1

Table Salmonella in other food

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Agona	S. Enteritidis	S. Infantis	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Crustaceans - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	35	0					
Egg products - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	628	7	1	6			
Egg products - at retail - Survey (mayonnaise)	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0					
Eggs - raw material (liquid egg) for egg products - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	210	1		1			
Eggs - table eggs - at packing centre - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	451	2		1	1		
Eggs - table eggs - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	24	0					
Fish - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	24	1		1			
Fish - smoked - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0					
Fishery products, unspecified - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0					
Fruits - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	23	0					
Fruits and vegetables - precut - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA/CAFIA	batch	25 g	233	0					
Fruits and vegetables - precut - ready-to-eat - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	20	0					
Fruits and vegetables - precut - ready-to-eat - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	84	0					
Infant formula - dried - intended for infants below 6 months - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	44	0					
Meat from pig - offal - Frozen vegetables - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	36	0					

Table Salmonella in other food

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Agona	S. Enteritidis	S. Infantis	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Meat from pig - offal - chilled - at retail - domestic production - Survey (pork liver)	NIPH	single	25 g	12	1				1	
Meat from rabbit - fresh - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0					
Meat, mixed meat - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - chilled - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	58	0					
Meat, mixed meat - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - chilled - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	84	1		1			
Meat, mixed meat - meat products - fermented sausages - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	16	0					
Meat, mixed meat - meat products - fermented sausages - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	24	0					
Meat, red meat (meat from bovines, pigs, goats, sheep, horses, donkeys, bison and water buffalos) - minced meat - at retail - Survey (pork (50%) + beef (50%))	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0					
Molluscan shellfish - cooked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	10	0					
Molluscan shellfish - raw - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	1	0					
Ready-to-eat salads - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	22	0					
Ready-to-eat salads - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	24	0					
Ready-to-eat salads - containing mayonnaise - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	74	0					
Sauce and dressings - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	5	0					
Sweets - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	58	0					

Table Salmonella in other food

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Agona	S. Enteritidis	S. Infantis	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Sweets - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	400	0					
Sweets - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	36	0					

2.1.4 Salmonella in animals

A. Salmonella spp. in ducks - breeding flocks and meat production flocks

Vaccination policy

Breeding flocks

Vaccination is voluntary and usually not performed.

Meat production flocks

Vaccination is voluntary and usually not performed.

B. Salmonella spp. in bovine animals

Vaccination policy

Vaccination is voluntary and usually not performed.

C. Salmonella spp. in Gallus Gallus - breeding flocks

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary)

The sampling strategy was in accordance Regulation (EC) No. 2160/2003 of the European Parliament and the Council and Commission Regulation (EC) 1003/2005. The sampling strategy was in accordance with Council Directive 92/117/EEC Regulation (EC) No. 2160/2003 of 17 December 1992 concerning measures for protection against specified zoonoses the European Parliament and specified zoonotic agents in animals and products of animal origin in order to prevent outbreaks of food-borne infections the Council and intoxications (OJ L 62, 15.3.1993, p. 38). Commission Regulation (EC) 1003/2005.

Frequency of the sampling

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Day-old chicks

Every flock is sampled

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Rearing period

4 weeks

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Production period

2 weeks

Type of specimen taken

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Day-old chicks

Internal linings of delivery boxes

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Rearing period

Faeces

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Production period

Faeces

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Day-old chicks

At day-old chicks after transport are taken samples from internal wall of transport boxes, 10 swabs from each delivery. All fallen chicks (max. 60) were tested as well.

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Rearing period

Pooled samples from faeces with regard on the number of birds in the building. 250 - 349 birds 200 samples, 350 - 449 birds 220 samples, 450 - 799 birds 250 samples, 800 - 999 birds 260 samples, 1000 and more birds 300 samples.

Breeding flocks: Production period

Pooled samples from faeces with regard on the number of birds in the building. 250 - 349 birds 200 samples, 350 - 449 birds 220 samples, 450 - 799 birds 250

samples, 800 - 999 birds 260 samples, 1000 and more birds 300 samples.

Case definition

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Day-old chicks

In the case of detection of *Salmonella enteritidis*, *typhimurium*, *hadar*, *wirchow*, *infantis* in swabs, the official veterinarian from the relevant RVA shall carry out official sampling for confirmation of the first results. The NRL shall apply a confirmation method based on bacteriological examination of organs. Poultry for the examination must be selected from each flock on a random basis “ at least 5 birds from different places in the hall. Birds showing alteration of state of health shall be selected in particular. Samples of liver, ovary and intestines of each bird must be taken and examined for the presence of *Salmonella* spp. at the laboratory.

Pending the completion of the confirmatory examination, the relevant RVA shall order at least the following measures:

- a) performance of bacteriological examination of feed and water for the presence of *Salmonella* spp.;
- b) performance of thorough cleansing and disinfection, both in the hall and in other service premises (e.g. feed and litter stores); performance of thorough mechanical cleansing and disinfection, as well as safe removal of faeces and litter after completion of each production cycle.

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Rearing period

In the case of detection of *Salmonella enteritidis*, *typhimurium*, *Virchow*, *Hadar*, *Infantis* in faeces, the official veterinarian from the relevant RVA shall carry out official sampling for confirmation of the first results. The NRL shall apply a confirmation method based on bacteriological examination of organs. Poultry for the examination must be selected from each flock on a random basis “ at least 5 birds from different places in the hall. Birds showing alteration of state of health shall be selected in particular. Samples of liver, ovary and intestines of each bird must be taken and examined for the presence of *Salmonella* spp. at the laboratory.

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Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Production period

Where the result of monitoring detected presence of *Salmonella enteritidis*, *Salmonella typhimurium*, *Salmonella infantis*, *Salmonella virchow* and

Salmonella hadar in a breeding flock, confirmation of the result was performed. The person responsible for the laboratory carrying out the examination, the person carrying out the examination or the owner of the flock shall notify the results to the competent authority.

The competent authority performed officially sampling in order to confirm the initial results. A sample of birds must be taken at random from within each house of birds on the farm. For the purposes of examination, the birds from each house must be grouped into batches of five and samples of liver, ovary and intestines taken from each bird in the batch must be examined for Salmonella.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Day-old chicks

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Rearing period

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary): Production period

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

Vaccination policy

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary)

Vaccination is mandatory against Salmonella enteritidis since 1st January 2007. Before 1st January 2007 the vaccination was carry out on voluntary basis. Vaccination is voluntary and most of the breeding flocks were in the year 2006 vaccinated mandatory against S. enteritidis. Salmonella enteritidis since 1st January 2007. Before 1st January 2007 the vaccination was carry out on voluntary basis.

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary)

Aim of the programme is to monitor, on the basis of sampling in all poultry flocks, occurrence of invasive serotypes of S. enteritidis, S. typhimurium, S. infantis, S. virchow and S. hadar, and to take measures aimed in particular at the protection of public health, as well as health of other poultry populations. To ensure the reduction of percentage of positive breeding poultry flocks to 1% within the period of 3 years. The entire territory of the Czech Republic and all registered poultry holdings are included in the monitoring.

Official checks at the level of poultry flocks are organized and carried out by the relevant Regional Veterinary Administrations (RVA), which also take measures in the case of positive results.

Sampling in poultry flocks is carried out by farmers or private veterinarians. Official confirmation samples are taken and sent to the laboratory examination by official veterinarians from the relevant RVA.

Samples, the examination of which is paid from the state budget, are always taken by the official veterinarian from the relevant RVA.

Legal basis of the programme

The programme has been approved by the Commission.

Legal basis of the programme represent the following pieces of legislation:

- a) Regulation (EC) No. 2160/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 November 2003 on the control of salmonella and other specified food-borne zoonotic agents, on the basis of which must Member States draw up national programmes for control of salmonellae.
- b) Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1003/2005 of 30 June 2005 implementing Regulation (EC) No. 2160/2003 as regards a Community target for the reduction of the prevalence of certain salmonella serotypes in breeding flocks of *Gallus gallus* and amending Regulation (EC) No 2160/2003.
- c) Act No. 166/1999 concerning veterinary care and amending certain related laws (Veterinary Act), as amended (hereinafter referred to as the "Veterinary Act").
- d) Decree of the Ministry of Agriculture No. 356/2004 concerning monitoring of zoonoses and zoonotic agents and amending Decree No. 299/2003 concerning measures for prevention and eradication of contagious diseases and diseases communicable from animals to man.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

Breeding flocks (separate elite, grand parent and parent flocks when necessary)

Measures to be taken in breeding poultry flocks (*Gallus gallus*) where the infection has been confirmed by examination of an official sample

- a) Performance of epidemiological inquiry in the holding, aimed at detection of source of the infection and, where appropriate, bacteriological examination of feed and water.
- b) Use of antibiotics for treatment of positively confirmed cases in breeding poultry flocks shall be prohibited. Antibiotics may be used in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1091/2005 only.
- c) All poultry in the positive flock, confirmed by bacteriological examination of confirmatory samples including one-day chicks, must be slaughtered or destroyed so as to reduce as much as possible the risk of spreading salmonella. Slaughtering must be carried out in accordance with the legislation on food hygiene. By-products not intended for human consumption must be disposed of

in accordance with Regulation (EC) No. 1774/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 3 October 2002 laying down health rules concerning animal by-products not intended for human consumption.

d) Non-incubated hatching eggs must be destroyed.

e) Where hatching eggs are still present in a hatchery, they must be destroyed or treated in accordance with Regulation (EC) No. 1774/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council.

f) A thorough cleansing and disinfection must be carried out after slaughtering or destruction of poultry from infected flocks, including safe disposal of droppings or litter, in accordance with the relevant RVA instructions.

Notification system in place

Notification system is lay down by the Act No. 166/1999 of 13 July 1999 on veterinary care and amending certain related laws (Veterinary Act), as amended.

D. Salmonella spp. in Gallus Gallus - flocks of laying hens

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

Laying hens flocks

The sampling strategy was in accordance Regulation (EC) No. 2160/2003 of the European Parliament and the Council.

From 1 st January 2007 National Control Programme was started. The aim of the National Control Programme for Salmonella Infections in Laying Hens (*Gallus gallus*) producing table eggs is reduction of the prevalence of *Salmonella enteritidis* (SE) and *Salmonella typhimurium* (ST) in laying hens flocks and to ensure that adequate and effective measures for monitoring and control of salmonella infections are taken in laying flocks. The reduction of the prevalence of the *Salmonella* in laying hens flocks is focused on achievement of the targets laying down in Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1168/2006. The National control programme was imposed one year earlier than is set up in EU legislation.

Frequency of the sampling

Laying hens: Day-old chicks

Every flock is sampled

Laying hens: Rearing period

2 weeks prior to moving

Laying hens: Production period

15 weeks

Type of specimen taken

Laying hens: Day-old chicks

Internal linings of delivery boxes

Laying hens: Rearing period

Faeces

Laying hens: Production period

Faeces

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

Laying hens: Day-old chicks

At one day-old chicks after transport are taken samples from internal wall of transport boxes, 10 swabs from each delivery. All fallen chicks (max. 60) were tested as well. At one day-old chicks after transport are taken samples from internal wall of transport boxes, 10 swabs from each delivery. All fallen chicks (max. 60) were tested as well.

Laying hens: Production period

Pooled samples from faeces with regard

Sampling by operators:

- a) every 15 weeks;
- b) initial sampling " at the age of 24 ± 2 weeks.

Official sampling

- a) in one flock once per year; or
- b) at the age of 24 ± 2 weeks in laying flocks housed in buildings where salmonella was detected in the preceding flock; or
- c) in any case of suspicion on *Salmonella enteritidis* or *Salmonella typhimurium* infection, as a result of the number epidemiological investigation of birds food-borne outbreaks, in accordance with Article 8 of Directive 2003/99/EC European Parliament and of the Council;
- d) in all other laying flocks on the holding in case *Salmonella enteritidis* or *Salmonella typhimurium* are detected in one laying flock on the holding;
- e) in cases where the regional veterinary administration considers it appropriate.

Case definition

Laying hens: Day-old chicks

In the case of detection of *Salmonella enteritidis* and/or *typhimurium* in swabs, the official veterinarian from the relevant RVA shall carry out official sampling for confirmation of the first results. The NRL shall apply a confirmation method based on bacteriological examination of organs. Poultry for the examination must be selected from each flock on a random basis " at least 5 birds from different places in the hall. Birds showing alteration of state of health shall be selected in particular. Samples of liver, ovary and intestines of each bird must be taken and examined for the presence of *Salmonella* spp. at the laboratory.

Pending the completion of the confirmatory examination, the relevant RVA shall order at least the following measures:

- a) performance of bacteriological examination of feed and water for the presence of *Salmonella* spp.;
- b) performance of thorough cleansing and disinfection, both in the hall and in other service premises (e.g. feed and litter stores); performance of thorough mechanical cleansing and disinfection, as well as safe removal of faeces and litter after completion of each production cycle.

Laying hens: Rearing period

In the case of detection of *Salmonella enteritidis* and *Salmonella typhimurium* in faeces and/or dust samples, the official veterinarian from the relevant RVA shall

carry out official sampling for confirmation of the first results. The NRL shall apply a confirmation method based on bacteriological examination of organs. Poultry for the examination must be selected from each flock on a random basis – at least 5 birds from different places in the hall. Birds showing alteration of state of health shall be selected in particular. Samples of liver, ovary and intestines of each bird must be taken and examined for the presence of *Salmonella* spp. at the laboratory.

Pending the completion of the confirmatory examination, the relevant RVA shall order at least the following measures:

- a) performance of bacteriological examination of feed and water for the presence of *Salmonella* spp.;
- b) performance of thorough cleansing and disinfection, both in the hall and in other service premises (e.g. feed and litter stores); performance of thorough mechanical cleansing and disinfection, as well as safe removal of faeces and litter after completion of each production cycle.

Laying hens: Production period

In the case of detection of *Salmonella enteritidis* and *Salmonella typhimurium* in faeces and/or dust samples, the official veterinarian from the relevant RVA shall carry out official sampling for confirmation of the first results. The NRL shall apply a confirmation method based on bacteriological examination of organs. Poultry for the examination must be selected from each flock on a random basis – at least 5 birds from different places in the hall. Birds showing alteration of state of health shall be selected in particular. Samples of liver, ovary and intestines of each bird must be taken and examined for the presence of *Salmonella* spp. at the laboratory.

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- a) performance of bacteriological examination of feed and water for the presence of *Salmonella* spp.;
- b) performance of thorough cleansing and disinfection, both in the hall and in other service premises (e.g. feed and litter stores); performance of thorough mechanical cleansing and disinfection, as well as safe removal of faeces and litter after completion of each production cycle.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

Laying hens: Day-old chicks

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

Laying hens: Rearing period

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

Laying hens: Production period

Bacteriological method: ISO 6579:2002

Vaccination policy

Laying hens flocks

Vaccination against *Salmonella enteritidis* in laying hens flocks producing table eggs is mandatory since 1st January 2007. Vaccination against *Salmonella enteritidis* in laying hens flocks producing table eggs was voluntary and most of the flocks of laying hens have not been vaccinated against any serotype of *Salmonella* spp. is mandatory since 1st January 2007.

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

Laying hens flocks

The aim of the National Control Programme for *Salmonella* Infections in Laying Hens (*Gallus gallus*) producing table eggs, to be applied from the year 2008 (hereinafter referred to as the “National Programme”) is reduction of the prevalence of *Salmonella enteritidis* (SE) and *Salmonella typhimurium* (ST) in laying hens flocks and to ensure that adequate and effective measures for monitoring and control of salmonella infections are taken in laying flocks. The reduction of the prevalence of the *Salmonella* in laying hens flocks will be focused on achievement of the targets laying down in Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1168/2006.

The central authority competent for supervising and coordinating all activities in veterinary care is the State Veterinary Administration, which performs its powers at the whole territory of the Czech Republic (Â§ 47, Veterinary Act No 166/1999 Col. of Acts). SVA of the CR coordinates the activities of Regional Veterinary Administrations and lay down Methodology for Animal Health Control.

Legal basis

- a) Regulation (EC) No. 2160/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 November 2003 on the control of salmonella and other specified food-borne zoonotic agents;
- b) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1177/2006 of 1 August 2006 implementing Regulation (EC) No 2160/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards requirements for the use of specific control methods in the framework of the national programmes for the control of salmonella in poultry;
- c) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1168/2006 of 31 July 2006 implementing Regulation (EC) No 2160/2003 as regards a Community target for the reduction of the prevalence of certain salmonella serotypes in laying hens of *Gallus Gallus* and amending Regulation (EC) No 1003/2005;
- d) Commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 of 15 November 2005 on microbiological criteria for foodstuffs;
- e) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1091/2005 of 12 July 2005 implementing Regulation (EC) No 2160/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council as

regards requirements for the use of specific control methods in the framework of the national programmes for the control of salmonella;

f) Regulation (EC) No 853/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 on the hygiene of foodstuffs;

g) Directive 2003/99/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 November 2003 on the monitoring of zoonoses and zoonotic agents, amending Council Decision 90/424/EEC and repealing Council Directive 92/117/EEC;

h) Act No. 166/1999 concerning veterinary care and amending certain related laws, as amended (Veterinary Act);

i) Act No. 154/2000 concerning pedigree breeding, breeding and registration of farm animals and amending certain related laws, as amended (Breeding Act);

j) Act No. 146/2002 concerning the Czech Agriculture and Food Inspection Authority and amending certain related laws, as amended;

k) Act No. 20/1966 concerning public health care, as amended;

l) Decree No. 356/2004 concerning the monitoring of zoonoses and zoonotic agents and amending Decree No. 299/2003 concerning measures for prevention and eradication of contagious diseases and diseases communicable from animals to man;

m) DeNo. 296/2003 concerning animal health and its protection, animal movement and transportation and authorization and professional qualification for performance of certain professional veterinary activities;

Decree No. 136/2004 laying down details for identification of animals and their registration and registration of holdings and person designated by Breeding Act.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

Laying hens flocks

In the case of positive result of the confirmatory examination, the flock in question shall be considered infected. Safe disposal of poultry showing clinical signs shall be performed; in other poultry targeted effective treatment, including use of probiotics or acidification of water and feeds, shall be applied.

The RVA shall carry out an epidemiological investigation in the flock, aimed at the detection of source of the infection and shall order at least the following:

a) performance of further bacteriological examination of feed and water for the presence of *Salmonella* spp., if necessary;

b) table eggs coming from infected flocks may be used for human consumption only after their in a way ensuring that they are completely free of all salmonella serotypes of public health relevance, in accordance with food hygiene legislation;

c) antibiotics may be used for treatment only based on results of bacteriological examination and after performance of anti-microbial susceptibility test (i.e. test on efficacy of antibiotics against pathogens detected); withdrawal periods and provisions of this programme concerning use of antimicrobials must be observed in such case;

d) thorough cleansing and disinfection, including safe removal of faeces or litter must be performed after slaughtering or killing of poultry from infected flocks; the

slaughtering must be performed in accordance with food hygiene legislation. By-products coming from such birds may be placed on the market for human consumption in accordance with the relevant legislation. If such products are not intended for human consumption, they must be used or disposed of in accordance with Regulation (EC) No. 1774/2002.

Notification system in place

Notification system is lay down by the Act No. 166/1999 of 13 July 1999 on veterinary care and amending certain related laws (Veterinary Act), as amended.

Table Salmonella in breeding flocks of Gallus gallus

	Number of existing flocks	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Enteritidis	S. Hadar	S. Havana	S. Infantis	S. Montevideo	S. Newport
Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - during production period - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - suspect sampling ¹⁾	72	NRL for	flock	2	2	2					
Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - during rearing period - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - suspect sampling ²⁾	15	NRL for	flock	6	1	1					
Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling ³⁾	1	NRL for	flock	1	0						
Gallus gallus (fowl) - elite breeding flocks for egg production line - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling	4	NRL for	flock	4	0						
Gallus gallus (fowl) - elite breeding flocks for egg production line - during production period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling	5	NRL for	flock	5	0						
Gallus gallus (fowl) - elite breeding flocks for egg production line - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling	4	NRL for	flock	4	2	2					
Gallus gallus (fowl) - grandparent breeding flocks for egg production line - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling	0	NRL for	flock	0	0						

Table Salmonella in breeding flocks of Gallus gallus

	Number of existing flocks	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Enteritidis	S. Hadar	S. Havana	S. Infantis	S. Montevideo	S. Newport
Gallus gallus (fowl) - grandparent breeding flocks for egg production line - during production period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling	8	NRL	flock	8	2	2					
Gallus gallus (fowl) - grandparent breeding flocks for egg production line - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling	0	NRL	flock	0	0						
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for egg production line - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling	6	NRL	flock	6	0						
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for egg production line - during production period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling	59	NRL	flock	59	0						
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for egg production line - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling	11	NRL	flock	11	3	3					
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for meat production line - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling	88	NRL for	flock	88	1						
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for meat production line - during production period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling - objective sampling	485	NRL for	flock	485	8	4				1	3

Table Salmonella in breeding flocks of Gallus gallus

	Number of existing flocks	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Enteritidis	S. Hadar	S. Havana	S. Infantis	S. Montevideo	S. Newport
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for meat production line - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling	476	NRL for	flock	476	12	1		1	1	9	

	S. Typhimurium	S. Virchow	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - during production period - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - suspect sampling ¹⁾			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - during rearing period - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - suspect sampling ²⁾			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling ³⁾			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - elite breeding flocks for egg production line - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - elite breeding flocks for egg production line - during production period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling			

Table Salmonella in breeding flocks of Gallus gallus

	S. Typhimurium	S. Virchow	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Gallus gallus (fowl) - elite breeding flocks for egg production line - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - grandparent breeding flocks for egg production line - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - grandparent breeding flocks for egg production line - during production period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - grandparent breeding flocks for egg production line - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for egg production line - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for egg production line - during production period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for egg production line - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling			

Table Salmonella in breeding flocks of Gallus gallus

	S. Typhimurium	S. Virchow	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for meat production line - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling	1		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for meat production line - during production period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling - objective sampling			
Gallus gallus (fowl) - parent breeding flocks for meat production line - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling			

Comments:

- ¹⁾ confirmatory testing
- ²⁾ confirmatory testing
- ³⁾ grandparent for meat production line

Table Salmonella in other poultry

	Number of existing flocks	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Agona	S. Braenderup	S. Chester	S. Enteritidis	S. Havana	S. Indiana
Ducks - meat production flocks - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations		NRL for	animal	121	0						
Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling	253	NRL for	flock	253	24		1		18		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling	137	NRL for	flock	137	3	1			1		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during production period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling	449	NRL for	flock	449	40	4			34		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during production period - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - suspect sampling ¹⁾	449	NRL for	animal	34	3				3		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during production period - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling	449	NRL for	flock	449	14	4			10		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during production period - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling	449	NRL for	flock	449	26				24		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling	263	NRL for	flock	263	3				3		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during rearing period - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - suspect sampling ²⁾	263	NRL for	animal	3	3						

Table Salmonella in other poultry

	Number of existing flocks	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Agona	S. Braenderup	S. Chester	S. Enteritidis	S. Havana	S. Indiana
Gallus gallus (fowl) - unspecified - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations		NRL for	animal	231	11				9		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - unspecified - during production period - - faeces - Clinical investigations		NRL for	animal	251	10				7		1
Turkeys - meat production flocks - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations		NRL for	animal	291	10			2			
	S. Infantis	S. Montevideo	S. Newport	S. Ohio	S. Saintpaul	S. Tennessee	S. Typhimurium	S. Zanzibar	S. Il 6,7:m,t:-	Salmonella spp., unspecified	S. enterica subsp. enterica, rough
Ducks - meat production flocks - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations											
Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling	2			1							2
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling							1				
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during production period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		1							1		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during production period - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - suspect sampling ¹⁾											

Table Salmonella in other poultry

	S. Infantis	S. Montevideo	S. Newport	S. Ohio	S. Saintpaul	S. Tennessee	S. Typhimurium	S. Zanzibar	S. II 6,7:m,t:-	Salmonella spp., unspecified	S. enterica subsp. enterica, rough
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during production period - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling											
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during production period - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling		1							1		
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during rearing period - - faeces - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling - census sampling											
Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - during rearing period - - organ/tissue - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - suspect sampling ²⁾											
Gallus gallus (fowl) - unspecified - day-old chicks - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	1					1					
Gallus gallus (fowl) - unspecified - during production period - - faeces - Clinical investigations							1				1
Turkeys - meat production flocks - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations			5		1			2			

Comments:¹⁾ confirmatory testing²⁾ confirmatory testing**Footnote:**

Gallus gallus-broilers: number of broilers flocks tested in December 2008 in the frame of control programme applied since 1.1.2009.

Table Salmonella in other birds

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Enteritidis	S. Indiana	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Ostriches - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal	52	0				
Partridges - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal						
Pheasants - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal	18	1		1		
Pigeons - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal	78	2			2	
Quails - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal	111	0				

Table Salmonella in other animals

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Derby	S. Enteritidis	S. Infantis	S. Orion	S. Typhimurium	S. 4,12:i:-	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Cattle (bovine animals)	NRL for	animal	862	18		2	1	1	14		
Cattle (bovine animals) - adult cattle over 2 years - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal	223	3					3		
Cattle (bovine animals) - calves (under 1 year) - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal	511	14		1	1	1	11		
Cattle (bovine animals) - heifers - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal	128	1		1					
Goats - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations ¹⁾	NRL for	animal	18	1		1					
Pigs - breeding animals - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal	373	5					2	3	
Pigs - fattening pigs - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal	854	22	1	3			9	9	
Sheep - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations ²⁾	NRL for	animal	12	1					1		
Solipeds, domestic - - organ/tissue - Clinical investigations	NRL for	animal	112	0							

Comments:

¹⁾ adult goats over 2 years

²⁾ lambs (under 1 year)

Footnote:

We confirm that in row "Cattle(bovine animals)" is summary of the data in rows "adult cattle", "calves" and "heifers".

2.1.5 Salmonella in feedingstuffs

Table Salmonella in feed material of animal origin

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Enteritidis	S. Infantis	S. Isangi	S. Muenster	S. Ohio	S. Saintpaul
Feed material of land animal origin - animal fat - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	65	0						
Feed material of land animal origin - blood meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	74	1			1			
Feed material of land animal origin - bone meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	184	0						
Feed material of land animal origin - feather meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	114	0						
Feed material of land animal origin - meat and bone meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	756	0						
Feed material of land animal origin - meat meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	421	0						
Feed material of land animal origin - poultry offal meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	224	1		1				
Feed material of marine animal origin - fish meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	78	4				1	1	1

	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified	S. enterica subsp. enterica
Feed material of land animal origin - animal fat - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls			
Feed material of land animal origin - blood meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls			

Table Salmonella in feed material of animal origin

	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified	S. enterica subsp. enterica
Feed material of land animal origin - bone meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls			
Feed material of land animal origin - feather meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls			
Feed material of land animal origin - meat and bone meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls			
Feed material of land animal origin - meat meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls			
Feed material of land animal origin - poultry offal meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls			
Feed material of marine animal origin - fish meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls			1

Table Salmonella in other feed matter

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Enteritidis	S. Infantis	S. Rissen	S. Typhimurium	S. enterica subsp. arizonae	Salmonella spp., unspecified
Feed material of cereal grain origin - barley derived - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	335	0						
Feed material of cereal grain origin - maize - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	114	0						
Feed material of cereal grain origin - maize - derived - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	46	0						
Feed material of cereal grain origin - other cereal grain derived - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	74	0						
Feed material of cereal grain origin - wheat derived - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	662	0						
Feed material of oil seed or fruit origin - other oil seeds derived - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	54	0						
Feed material of oil seed or fruit origin - rape seed derived - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	165	0						
Feed material of oil seed or fruit origin - soya (bean) derived - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	76	3		1	1		1	
Other feed material - forages and roughages - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	6	0						
Other feed material - other plants - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	4	0						

Table Salmonella in compound feedingstuffs

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Salmonella spp.	S. Enteritidis	S. Infantis	S. Typhimurium	Salmonella spp., unspecified	S. enterica subsp. enterica
Compound feedingstuffs for cattle - final product - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	75	0					
Compound feedingstuffs for pigs - final product - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	226	0					
Compound feedingstuffs for pigs - process control - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	220	0					
Compound feedingstuffs for poultry - laying hens - final product - at processing plant - Control and eradication programmes (Cofinanced by Community)	SVA	batch	25 g	37	1	1				
Compound feedingstuffs for poultry - laying hens - process control - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	169	0					
Compound feedingstuffs for poultry -breeders - final product - at processing plant - Control and eradication programmes (Cofinanced by Community)		batch	25 g	20	0					
Compound feedingstuffs for poultry -breeders - process control - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	200	0					
Compound feedingstuffs for poultry - broilers - process control - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	273	0					
Pet food - dog snacks (pig ears, chewing bones) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	326	4		1	2		1

2.1.6 Salmonella serovars and phagetype distribution

The methods of collecting, isolating and testing of the Salmonella isolates are described in the chapters above respectively for each animal species, foodstuffs and humans. The serotype and phagetype distributions can be used to investigate the sources of the Salmonella infections in humans. Findings of same serovars and phagetypes in human cases and in foodstuffs or animals may indicate that the food category or animal species in question serves as a source of human infections. However as information is not available from all potential sources of infections, conclusions have to be drawn with caution.

Table Salmonella serovars in animals

Serovars	Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Other poultry		Turkeys		Sheep		Goats
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring
Sources of isolates													
Number of isolates in the laboratory													
Number of isolates serotyped	0	18	0	27	0	21	0	0	0	10	0	1	0
Number of isolates per serovar													
S. Agona													
S. Bovismorbificans													
S. Braenderup													
S. Brandenburg													
S. Chester										2			
S. Concord													
S. Derby				1									

Table Salmonella serovars in animals

Serovars	Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Other poultry		Turkeys		Sheep		Goats
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring
	Number of isolates in the laboratory												
	Number of isolates serotyped												
	Number of isolates per serovar												
S. Enteritidis		2		3		16							
S. Havana													
S. Indiana						1							
S. Infantis		1				1							
S. London													
S. Montevideo													
S. Newport										5			
S. Ohio													
S. Orion		1											
S. Saintpaul										1			
S. Tennessee						1							
S. Typhimurium		14		11		1						1	

Table Salmonella serovars in animals

Serovars	Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Other poultry		Turkeys		Sheep		Goats
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring
	Number of isolates in the laboratory												
	Number of isolates serotyped												
	Number of isolates per serovar												
S. Zanzibar										2			
S. 4,12:i:-				12									
S. II 6,7:m,t:-													
S. enterica subsp. enterica, rough						1							

Serovars	Goats	Birds		Pigs - breeding animals		Pigs - fattening pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling	
	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
	Number of isolates in the laboratory												
	Number of isolates serotyped												
	Number of isolates per serovar												
S. Agona				2		14						5	

Table Salmonella serovars in animals

Serovars	Goats	Birds		Pigs - breeding animals		Pigs - fattening pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling	
	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
	Number of isolates in the laboratory												
	Number of isolates serotyped												
	Number of isolates per serovar												
S. Bovismorbificans				1		1							
S. Braenderup													
S. Brandenburg				1									
S. Chester													
S. Concord				1									
S. Derby				1		7							
S. Enteritidis	1					3		7		5		38	
S. Havana										1			
S. Indiana			1										
S. Infantis						1				1			

Table Salmonella serovars in animals

Serovars	Goats	Birds		Pigs - breeding animals		Pigs - fattening pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling	
	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
	Number of isolates in the laboratory												
	Number of isolates serotyped												
	Number of isolates per serovar												
S. London						2							
S. Montevideo										10		1	
S. Newport										3			
S. Ohio				1		1							
S. Orion													
S. Saintpaul	1												
S. Tennessee													
S. Typhimurium			3	3		5				1		1	
S. Zanzibar													
S. 4,12:i:-						1							

Table Salmonella serovars in animals

Serovars	Goats	Birds		Pigs - breeding animals		Pigs - fattening pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling	
	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
	Number of isolates in the laboratory												
	2	0	4	11	0	35	0	7	0	21	0	46	0
	Number of isolates per serovar												
S. II 6,7:m,t:-												1	
S. enterica subsp. enterica, rough				1									

Serovars	Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes	
	Monitoring	Clinical
	Number of isolates in the laboratory	
	24	0
	Number of isolates per serovar	
S. Agona		
S. Bovismorbificans		

Table Salmonella serovars in animals

Serovars	Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes	
	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates		
Number of isolates in the laboratory		
Number of isolates serotyped	24	0
Number of isolates per serovar		
S. Braenderup	1	
S. Brandenburg		
S. Chester		
S. Concord		
S. Derby		
S. Enteritidis	18	
S. Havana		
S. Indiana		
S. Infantis	2	
S. London		
S. Montevideo		

Table Salmonella serovars in animals

Serovars	Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes	
	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates		
Number of isolates in the laboratory		
Number of isolates serotyped	24	0
Number of isolates per serovar		
S. Newport		
S. Ohio	1	
S. Orion		
S. Saintpaul		
S. Tennessee		
S. Typhimurium		
S. Zanzibar		
S. 4,12:i:-		
S. II 6,7:m,t:-		
S. enterica subsp. enterica, rough	2	

Table Salmonella serovars in food

Serovars	Meat from bovine animals		Meat from pig		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus)		Other poultry		Other products of animal origin		Meat, mixed meat - meat products		Other food - at processing plant	
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	
	Number of isolates in the laboratory	12		57		72		10				8		10
	Number of isolates serotyped	12	0	57	0	72	0	10	0	4	0	8	0	10
	Number of isolates per serovar													
S. Agona			8		21						1		1	
S. Derby	2		17		1									
S. Enteritidis	2		4		11				2				8	
S. Heidelberg			1								1			
S. Infantis			5		15								1	
S. Kentucky					5									
S. London	1		2								3			
S. Menston			1											
S. Montevideo			1		2									
S. Newport					7		8							
S. Ohio					4									

Table Salmonella serovars in food

Serovars	Meat from bovine animals		Meat from pig		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus)		Other poultry		Other products of animal origin		Meat, mixed meat - meat products		Other food - at processing plant
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring
	12		57		72		10				8		10
	12	0	57	0	72	0	10	0	4	0	8	0	10
S. Saintpaul					1		1						
S. Tennessee					1								
S. Thompson					1								
S. Typhimurium	3		7		2		1		1		2		
S. 6,7:-:1,5					1				1				
S. enterica subsp. enterica	4		11										
S. enterica subsp. salamae											1		

Table Salmonella serovars in food

Serovars	Other food - at processing plant
Sources of isolates	Clinical
Number of isolates in the laboratory	
Number of isolates serotyped	0
Number of isolates per serovar	
S. Agona	
S. Derby	
S. Enteritidis	
S. Heidelberg	
S. Infantis	
S. Kentucky	
S. London	
S. Menston	
S. Montevideo	
S. Newport	
S. Ohio	
S. Saintpaul	

Table Salmonella serovars in food

Serovars	Other food - at processing plant
Sources of isolates	Clinical
Number of isolates in the laboratory	
Number of isolates serotyped	0
Number of isolates per serovar	
S. Tennessee	
S. Thompson	
S. Typhimurium	
S. 6,7:-:1,5	
S. enterica subsp. enterica	
S. enterica subsp. salamae	

Table Salmonella Enteritidis phagetypes in animals

Phagetype	Pigs - fattening pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Goats		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling		Cattle (bovine animals)
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring
	Number of isolates in the laboratory												
	3	0	5	0	0	1	7	0	38	0	18	0	0
	Number of isolates per type												
PT 13a									1				
PT 31									1				
PT 23									1		2		
6a							1		1				
6									3				
4b							1		1				
4			2				3		3				
3									1				
8	2		3			1	1		21		15		
13	1								3		1		

Table Salmonella Enteritidis phagetypes in animals

Phagetype	Pigs - fattening pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Goats		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - Control and eradication programmes - industry sampling		Cattle (bovine animals)
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring
Sources of isolates													
Number of isolates in the laboratory													
Number of isolates phagetyped	3	0	5	0	0	1	7	0	38	0	18	0	0
Number of isolates per type													
12													
1b									1				
PT 9b							1						
U									1				

Phagetype	Cattle (bovine animals)	Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Other poultry	
	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates							
Number of isolates in the laboratory							
Number of isolates phagetyped	2	0	3	0	16	0	0
Number of isolates per type							
PT 13a	1				1		

Table Salmonella Enteritidis phagetypes in animals

Phagetype	Cattle (bovine animals)	Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Other poultry	
	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates							
Number of isolates in the laboratory							
Number of isolates phagetyped	2	0	3	0	16	0	0
Number of isolates per type							
PT 31							
PT 23							
6a					2		
6							
4b							
4					7		
3							
8			3		5		
13	1						
12					1		
1b							
PT 9b							

Table Salmonella Enteritidis phagetypes in animals

Phagetype	Cattle (bovine animals)	Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Other poultry	
	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates							
Number of isolates in the laboratory							
Number of isolates phagetyped	2	0	3	0	16	0	0
Number of isolates per type							
U							

Table Salmonella Enteritidis phagetypes in food

Phagetype	Meat from bovine animals		Meat from pig		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus)		Other poultry		Other products of animal origin	
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates										
Number of isolates in the laboratory										
Number of isolates phagetyped	2	0	4	0	11	0	0	0	15	0
Number of isolates per type										
PT 6									1	
PT 8									3	
PT 13a									1	
PT 23			1							
PT 7									1	
1									2	
6									2	
4	1				8					
8	1		3		2				3	
7					1					
PT 38									1	
PT 13									1	

Table Salmonella Enteritidis phagetypes in humans

Phagetype	humans	
	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates		
Number of isolates in the laboratory		509
Number of isolates phagetyped	0	508
Number of isolates per type		
PT 1		6
PT 4		49
PT 6		26
PT 8		234
PT 14b		11
PT 21		23
PT 1b		11
PT 21c		1
PT 13a		57
PT 2		5
PT 4b		17
PT 6a		5

Table Salmonella Enteritidis phagetypes in humans

Phagetype	humans	
	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates		
Number of isolates in the laboratory		509
Number of isolates phagetyped	0	508
Number of isolates per type		
PT 6b		7
PT 22		1
PT 23		2
10		1
PT 6c		4
PT 24		1
PT 13		37
U		1
RDNC		1
PT 8a		7
PT 4a		1

Table Salmonella Typhimurium phage types in animals

Phagetype	Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Other poultry		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Pigs - breeding animals		Pigs - fattening pigs
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring
	Number of isolates in the laboratory												
	Number of isolates phagetyped												
	Number of isolates per type												
DT 104		10		6							3		3
DT 120				1									1
U 302				3									
U 310													
DT 42						1							
DT 194				1									
DT 35									1				
DT U													1
DT 1		2											
DT 2													

Table Salmonella Typhimurium phage types in animals

Phagetype	Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Other poultry		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Pigs - breeding animals		Pigs - fattening pigs
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring
	Number of isolates in the laboratory												
	Number of isolates phagetyped												
	Number of isolates per type												
DT 116		2											

Phagetype	Pigs - fattening pigs	Sheep		Birds		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling	
	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
	Number of isolates in the laboratory						
	Number of isolates phagetyped						
	Number of isolates per type						
DT 104			1				
DT 120							
U 302							

Table Salmonella Typhimurium phagetypes in animals

Phagetype	Pigs - fattening pigs	Sheep		Birds		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		
	Sources of isolates	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
	Number of isolates in the laboratory							
	Number of isolates phagetyped	0	0	1	0	3	1	0
	Number of isolates per type							
U 310					1			
DT 42								
DT 194								
DT 35					1			
DT U								
DT 1								
DT 2					1	1		
DT 116								

Table Salmonella Typhimurium phagetypes in food

Phagetype	Meat from bovine animals		Meat from pig		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus)		Other poultry		Other products of animal origin		Meat from turkey - carcass - chilled	
	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates												
Number of isolates in the laboratory	3		7		2				3		1	
Number of isolates phagetyped	3	0	7	0	2	0	0	0	3	0	1	0
Number of isolates per type												
DT 7			1									
DT 104	2		2						3		1	
U 302			1		1							
DT 194			2									
RDNC			1									
DT 27					1							
DT 116	1											

Table Salmonella Typhimurium phage types in humans

Phagetype	humans	
	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates		
Number of isolates in the laboratory		97
Number of isolates phagetyped	0	91
Number of isolates per type		
DT 8		2
DT 104		47
DT 120		3
U 302		5
DT 41		2
DT 132		3
U 310		2
DT 42		1
DT 194		3
DT 55		2
DT 109		6
DT 10		1

Table Salmonella Typhimurium phagetypes in humans

Phagetype	humans	
	Monitoring	Clinical
Sources of isolates		
Number of isolates in the laboratory		97
Number of isolates phagetyped	0	91
Number of isolates per type		
DT 110		1
5		3
DT 1		5
DT 2		2
RDNC		3

2.1.7 Antimicrobial resistance in Salmonella isolates

A. Antimicrobial resistance in Salmonella in cattle

Sampling strategy used in monitoring

Frequency of the sampling

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

Procedures for the selection of isolates for antimicrobial testing

Laboratory used for detection for resistance

Antimicrobials included in monitoring

B. Antimicrobial resistance in Salmonella in pigs

Sampling strategy used in monitoring

Frequency of the sampling

There is the specific monitoring program for antimicrobial resistance applied in the Czech Republic.

Type of specimen taken

faeces, rectal swabs, large intestine content

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

The sampling is random from diseased animals at farm.

Procedures for the selection of isolates for antimicrobial testing

Only one isolate from each serotype per holding and year is examined.

Methods used for collecting data

Data is collected from laboratories in the NRL.

Laboratory methodology used for identification of the microbial isolates

As the standardized method is certified of NCCLS, i.e. Broth dilution method on standardised EUMVS format

Laboratory used for detection for resistance

Antimicrobials included in monitoring

tetracycline
chloramphenicol
ciprofloxacin
enrofloxacin
nalidixic acid
trimethoprim
sulfonamide
streptomycin
gentamicin
cefotaxim
ceftazidime
ampicillin

Breakpoints used in testing

epidemiological cut-off values recommended by EUCAST

C. Antimicrobial resistance in Salmonella in poultry

Sampling strategy used in monitoring

Frequency of the sampling

There is the specific monitoring program for antimicrobial resistance applied in the Czech Republic.

Type of specimen taken

faeces, cloacal swabs, caecum, organs. Samples in breeding flocks (*Gallus gallus*) and laying hens producing table eggs are taken in the framework of National control programmes.

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

1. The sampling is random from the diseased animals at farm.
2. Faeces and dust

Procedures for the selection of isolates for antimicrobial testing

Only one isolate of each serotype per holding and year is examined.

Methods used for collecting data

The isolates are collected from laboratories to be tested centrally at the NRL.

Laboratory methodology used for identification of the microbial isolates

As the standardized method is certified of NCCLS, i.e. Broth dilution method on standardised EUMVS format

Laboratory used for detection for resistance

Antimicrobials included in monitoring

tetracycline
chloramphenicol
ciprofloxacin
enrofloxacin
nalidixic acid
trimethoprim
sulfonamide
streptomycin
gentamicin
cefotaxim
ceftazidime
ampicillin

Breakpoints used in testing

epidemiological cut-off values recommended by EUCAST

D. Antimicrobial resistance in Salmonella in foodstuff derived from cattle

Sampling strategy used in monitoring

Frequency of the sampling

There is the specific monitoring program for antimicrobial resistance applied in the Czech Republic. This monitoring takes place together with monitoring zoonoses in accordance with Directive 2003/99/EC one time a month in slaughterhouses.

Type of specimen taken

The sampling is carried out from carcasses in slaughterhouses. The carcasses of bovine animals are sampled using the non-destructive method with swabs of carcass-100cm². The alternative method is the destructive method. Four muscle samples cover 5 cm² each (total 20 cm²) are sampled before chilling. Sections of tissue cut a slice of 5 cm² and maximum thickness of 5 mm off the carcass with sterile instrument. The samples must be aseptically cut and placed aseptically into a sample container in slaughterhouses, transferred to the laboratory.

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

The sampling is stratified by location slaughterhouses. The sampling is the component of zoonoses monitoring.

Procedures for the selection of isolates for antimicrobial testing

The investigation is carried out in all isolated serotype.

Methods used for collecting data

The isolates are collected from laboratories to be tested centrally at the NRL.

Laboratory methodology used for identification of the microbial isolates

As the standardized method is certified of NCCLS, i.e. Broth dilution method on standardised EUMVS format

Laboratory used for detection for resistance

Antimicrobials included in monitoring

tetracycline
chloramphenicol
ciprofloxacin
nalidixic acid
trimethoprim
sulfonamide
streptomycin
gentamicin

cefotaxim
ceftazidim
ampicillin

Breakpoints used in testing

epidemiological cut-off values recommended by EUCAST

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The competent authority takes measures according to the legislation in force and defined cases are reported into the Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

SVA, NIPH and CAFIA carry out monitoring and control programmes in the whole food chain and take appropriate measures according to the legislation in force to ensure safe foodstuffs.

E. Antimicrobial resistance in Salmonella in foodstuff derived from pigs

Sampling strategy used in monitoring

Frequency of the sampling

There is the specific monitoring program for antimicrobial resistance applied in the Czech Republic. This monitoring takes place in accordance with Directive 2003/99/EC. The sampling of carcasses is carried out one time a month in slaughterhouses.

Type of specimen taken

The same samples are taken in zoonoses monitoring - four tissue samples or swabs from five pig carcasses. The pig carcasses are sampled using the non-destructive method with swabs of carcass-100cm². The alternative method is the destructive method. Four samples of the muscle tissue cover 5 cm² each (total 20 cm²) before chilling. Pieces of tissue cut a slice of 5 cm² and maximum thickness of 5 mm off the carcass with sterile instrument.

The samples must be aseptically cut and placed aseptically into a sample container in slaughterhouse, transferred to the laboratory.

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

The sampling is stratified by location slaughterhouses. The sampling is the component of zoonoses monitoring.

Procedures for the selection of isolates for antimicrobial testing

The investigation is carried out in all isolated serotype.

Methods used for collecting data

The isolates are collected from laboratories to be tested centrally at the NRL.

Laboratory methodology used for identification of the microbial isolates

As the standardized method is certified of NCCLS, i.e. Broth dilution method on standardised EUMVS format

Laboratory used for detection for resistance

Antimicrobials included in monitoring

tetracycline
chloramphenicol
ciprofloxacin
nalidixic acid
trimethoprim
sulfonamide
streptomycin
gentamicin
cefotaxim

ceftazidime

ampicillin

Breakpoints used in testing

epidemiological cut-off values recommended by EUCAST

Preventive measures in place

Creation and control of HACCP and GHP system.

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The competent authority takes measures according to the legislation in force and defined cases are reported into the Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

SVA, NIPH and CAFIA carry out monitoring and control programmes in the whole food chain and take appropriate measures according to the legislation in force to ensure safe foodstuffs.

F. Antimicrobial resistance in Salmonella in foodstuff derived from poultry

Sampling strategy used in monitoring

Frequency of the sampling

There is the specific monitoring program for antimicrobial resistance applied together with monitoring zoonoses in the Czech Republic. This monitoring takes place together with monitoring zoonoses in accordance with Directive 2003/99/EC. The samples were taken one time a month in slaughterhouses.

Type of specimen taken

Neck skin samples are taken randomly from 15 carcasses of broilers after chilling. Minimal weight each of samples is 10g.

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

The sampling is stratified by location slaughterhouses. The sampling is the component of zoonoses monitoring.

Procedures for the selection of isolates for antimicrobial testing

The investigation is carried out in all isolated serotype.

Methods used for collecting data

The isolates are collected from laboratories to be tested centrally at the NRL.

Laboratory methodology used for identification of the microbial isolates

As the standardized method is certified of NCCLS, i.e. Broth dilution method on standardised EUMVS format

Laboratory used for detection for resistance

Antimicrobials included in monitoring

tetracycline
chloramphenicol
ciprofloxacin
nalidixic acid
trimethoprim
sulfonamide
streptomycin
gentamicin
cefotaxim
ceftazidime
ampicillin

Breakpoints used in testing

epidemiological cut-off values recommended by EUCAST

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The competent authority takes measures according to the legislation in force and defined cases are reported into the Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

SVA, NIPH and CAFIA carry out monitoring and control programmes in the whole food chain and take appropriate measures according to the legislation in force to ensure safe foodstuffs.

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Agona* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Agona Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling																										
		no																										
		5																										
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest		
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	5	0						4	1																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																								
	Neomycin		0	0																								
	Streptomycin	64	5	0										5														
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	5	0										3	2													
	Florfenicol		0	0																								
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																								
	Cefotaxim	1	5	0					4	1																		
	Ceftazidim	4	5	0							4	1																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	5	0		2	3																					
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																								
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	5	0							1	4																
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	5	0									4	1														
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	5	0												2	3											
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	5	0								3	2															
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	5	0							4	1																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																								

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Agona* in Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Agona Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey																											
		no																											
		16																											
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest			
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	16	0						12	4																		
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	64	16	2										12	2			2											
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	16	0									3	12	1														
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	1	16	0				4	11	1																			
	Ceftazidim	4	16	0					2	6	8																		
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	16	0		3	13																						
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																									
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	16	1								14	1			1													
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	16	0									6	10															
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	16	1											1	3	11				1								
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	16	1								13	2				1												
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	16	1						13	2					1													
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Agona* in Meat from broilers (*Gallus gallus*) - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Agona Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling																									
		yes																									
		7																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	7	0						6	1																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	7	0										6	1												
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	7	0										2	5												
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	7	0				2	5																		
	Ceftazidim	4	7	0					2		5																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	7	0		1	6																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	7	0							1	5	1														
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	7	0									4	3													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	7	0												1	4	2									
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	7	0								2	5														
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	7	0							7																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Agona* in Meat from pig - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Agona Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from pig - carcass - - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling																									
		no																									
		7																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	7	0						7																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	7	1										5	1			1									
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	7	1									3	2	1		1										
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	7	0				3	3	1																	
	Ceftazidim	4	7	0					2	1	4																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	7	0		4	3																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	7	1							3	3				1											
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	7	0									6	1													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	7	1										1		1	2	2			1						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	7	0							1	3	2	1													
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	7	0						5	2																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Agona* in Meat from broilers (*Gallus gallus*) - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - neck skin - Survey - EU baseline survey - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Agona Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - - neck skin - Survey - EU baseline survey																									
		no																									
		12																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	12	0							1	1	10														
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	12	0										11	1												
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	12	0									6	4	2												
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	12	0				12																			
	Ceftazidim	4	12	0					1	11																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	12	0			12																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	12	0						1	6	5															
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	12	0									5	7													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	12	0											1	1	9	1									
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	12	0								11	1														
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	12	0						12																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. Derby in Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Derby Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey																									
		no																									
		8																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	8	0					2	5	1																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	8	2										5	1			2									
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	8	0										4	4												
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	8	0				4	4																		
	Ceftazidim	4	8	0						7	1																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	8	0		1	7																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	8	1							1	5	1			1											
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	8	0									5	3													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	8	2												1	5				2						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	8	3								2	3				3										
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	8	0						6	2																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Derby* in Meat from pig - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Derby Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from pig - carcass - - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling																									
		no																									
		7																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	7	0						3	4																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	7	0										3	2		2										
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	7	2									1	3	1		2										
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	7	0				1	4	2																	
	Ceftazidim	4	7	0					1	1	4	1															
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	7	0			7																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	7	3							1	2	1			3											
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	7	0									5	2													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	7	3												2	2				3						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	7	2								3	2				2										
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	7	2						4	1					2											
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Derby* in Meat from broilers (*Gallus gallus*) - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Derby Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling																											
		yes																											
		1																											
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest			
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0						1																			
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	64	1	0										1															
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	0										1															
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0				1																					
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0					1																				
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	0			1																						
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																									
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	0							1																		
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	0									1																
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	0										1															
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	0								1																	
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0						1																			
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling																									
		no																									
		5																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	5	0						3	2																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	5	0									4	1													
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	5	0								2	3														
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	5	0				5																			
	Ceftazidim	4	5	0					1	4																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	5	0			5																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	5	0							5																
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	5	0								4	1														
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	5	1												3	1			1							
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	5	0							5																
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	5	0						3	2																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - unspecified - Clinical investigations - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - unspecified - Clinical investigations																									
		yes																									
		16																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	16	0					3	11	2																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	16	0								1	7	8													
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	16	0									11	5													
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	16	0				11	5																		
	Ceftazidim	4	16	0					6	9	1																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	16	0		3	12	1																			
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	16	0					1		5	6	4														
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	16	0									4	12													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	16	1											1	3	11				1						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	16	0							1	11	4														
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	16	1						13	2					1											
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. Enteritidis in Cattle (bovine animals) - Clinical investigations - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Cattle (bovine animals) - Clinical investigations																									
		yes																									
		2																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	2	0						2																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	2	0									1	1													
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	2	0								1	1														
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	2	0				2																			
	Ceftazidim	4	2	0					1	1																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	2	0		1	1																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	2	1								1				1											
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	2	0									2														
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	2	0											1		1										
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	2	0							1	1															
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	2	0						1	1																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S.Enteritidis in animals

S. Enteritidis		Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Turkeys		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens		Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)		yes		yes		yes				no		no		no		no		no	
Number of isolates available in the laboratory		2		3		16				38		18		7		5		3	
Antimicrobials:		N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	2	0	3	0	16	0			38	0	18	0	7	0	5	0	3	0
	Streptomycin	2	0	3	0	16	0			38	0	18	0	7	0	5	0	3	0
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	2	0	3	0	16	0			38	0	18	0	7	0	5	0	3	0
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim	2	0	3	0	16	0			38	0	18	0	7	0	5	0	3	0
	Ceftazidim	2	0	3	0	16	0			38	0	18	0	7	0	5	0	3	0
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	2	0	3	0	16	0			38	0	18	8	7	0	5	0	3	0
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive	2	1	3	3	16	15			38	35	18	10	7	7	5	4	3	2
Penicillins	Ampicillin	2	1	3	0	16	0			38	2	18	0	7	0	5	0	3	0
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	2	0	3	0	16	0			38	0	18	8	7	0	5	0	3	0
Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	2	1							38	3					5	1	3	1
Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	Resistant to 2 antimicrobials					16	1					18	8						
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	2	0	3	0	16	1			38	1	18	0	7	0	5	1	3	0
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	2	0	3	0	16	0			38	0	18	0	7	0	5	0	3	1
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	2	0	3	0	16	1			38	0	18	0	7	0	5	0	3	0

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for egg production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling																									
		no																									
		7																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	7	0					2	5																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	7	0								1	5	1													
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	7	0									5	2													
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	7	0				7																			
	Ceftazidim	4	7	0					2	5																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	7	0			7																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	7	0							2	5															
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	7	0									1	6													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	7	0												2	4	1									
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	7	0								7															
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	7	0						7																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling																									
		no																									
		38																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	38	0					4	30	3	1															
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	38	0								4	30	4													
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	38	0									18	20													
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	38	0				1	35	2																	
	Ceftazidim	4	38	0						15	23																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	38	0		1	36	1																			
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	38	2							10	25	1			2											
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	38	0									27	11													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	38	1											1	8	21	7			1						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	38	0							1	32	5														
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	38	0						29	9																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - broilers - at farm - environmental sample - Monitoring - industry sampling - objective sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - at farm - environmental sample - Monitoring - industry sampling - objective sampling																									
		no																									
		18																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	18	0						12	6																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	18	0									18														
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	18	0									4	14													
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	18	0				18																			
	Ceftazidim	4	18	0					1	17																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	18	2			10	6	2																		
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	18	0								17	1														
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	18	8									9	1			8										
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	18	0												17	1										
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	18	0								18															
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	18	0						18																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in Pigs - Clinical investigations - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Pigs - Clinical investigations																								
		yes																								
		3																								
		break points	N	n	≤0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	3	0							1	2														
	Kanamycin		0	0																						
	Neomycin		0	0																						
	Streptomycin	64	3	0										1	2											
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	3	0										1	2											
	Florfenicol		0	0																						
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																						
	Cefotaxim	1	3	0					1	2																
	Ceftazidim	4	3	0						3																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	3	0		2	1																			
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																						
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	3	0									3													
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	3	0										2	1											
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	3	0													1	2								
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	3	0									3													
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	3	0							3															
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																						

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey																									
		no																									
		3																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	3	0						3																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	3	0									2		1												
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	3	0									2	1													
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	3	0				3																			
	Ceftazidim	4	3	0					1	2																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	3	0		3																					
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	3	1							2				1												
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	3	0								3															
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	3	0											2	1											
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	3	0							3																
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	3	0						3																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in Meat from broilers (*Gallus gallus*) - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling																									
		yes																									
		7																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	7	0						7																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	7	0								2	5														
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	7	0										4	3												
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	7	0					4	3																	
	Ceftazidim	4	7	0						2	5																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	7	0		2	5																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	7	0								5	2														
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	7	0									5	2													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	7	0											1	1	4	1									
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	7	0								1	5	1													
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	7	0				7																			
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in Meat from bovine animals - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from bovine animals - carcass - - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling																											
		no																											
		2																											
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest			
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	2	0						2																			
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	64	2	0								1		1															
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	2	0										2															
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	1	2	0					1	1																			
	Ceftazidim	4	2	0						2																			
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	2	0			2																						
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																									
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	2	0							1	1																	
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	2	0									1	1															
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	2	0										1		1													
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	2	0								1	1																
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	2	0						2																			
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. Enteritidis - qualitative data

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory		Meat from bovine animals - carcass - - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - - neck skin - Survey - EU baseline survey		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling	
		no		no		no	
		2		4		7	
		N	n	N	n	N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	2	0	4	0	7	0
	Streptomycin	2	0	4	0	7	0
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	2	0	4	0	7	0
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim	2	0	4	0	7	0
	Ceftazidim	2	0	4	0	7	0
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	2	0	4	0	7	0
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive	2	2	4	4	7	7
Penicillins	Ampicillin	2	0	4	0	7	0
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	2	0	4	0	7	0
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	2	0	4	0	7	0
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	2	0	4	0	7	0
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	2	0	4	0	7	0

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. Enteritidis in carcass - Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - spent hens - quantitative data [Diffusion method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - spent hens																											
		yes																											
		7																											
		break points	N	n	<=6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28		
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	7	7	0								2		1	3						1								
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	7	7	0							4	2		1															
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	7	7	0														1	2	3						1			
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	7	7	0										1			1	2				1	1						
	Ceftazidim		0	0																									
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	7	7	0														1		1	4								
	Enrofloxacin	7	7	0														2	1	1	1	1			1				
Penicillins	Ampicillin	7	7	1	1									1	2		2	1											
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	7	7	0									1			1	3	1	1										
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	7	7	0										1						1		3	1			1			
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	7	7	0										1	1		3		2										
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	7	7	0											1		1	3		1						1			
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in carcass - Meat from broilers (*Gallus gallus*) - spent hens - quantitative data [Diffusion method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (<i>Gallus gallus</i>) - carcass - spent hens						
		yes						
		7						
		29	30	31	32	33	34	≥35
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin							
	Kanamycin							
	Neomycin							
	Streptomycin							
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol							
	Florfenicol							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins							
	Cefotaxim					1		
	Ceftazidim							
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	1						
	Enrofloxacin							
Penicillins	Ampicillin							
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid							
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide							
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin							
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim							
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in Meat from broilers (*Gallus gallus*) - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - neck skin - Survey - EU baseline survey - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - - neck skin - Survey - EU baseline survey																									
		no																									
		4																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	4	0						3	1																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	4	0								1	2	1													
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	4	0									3	1													
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	4	0			1	2	1																		
	Ceftazidim	4	4	0						2	2																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	4	0			4																				
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	4	0							3	1															
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	4	0									3	1													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	4	0													3	1									
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	4	0								4															
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	4	0						4																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* - qualitative data

S. Enteritidis		Compound feedingstuffs for cattle		Compound feedingstuffs for pigs		Compound feedingstuffs for poultry (non specified)		Compound feedingstuffs for poultry - laying hens - final product - non-pelleted/meal - at farm - feed sample - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)								yes	
Number of isolates available in the laboratory								1	
Antimicrobials:		N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin							1	0
	Streptomycin							1	0
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol							1	0
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim							1	0
	Ceftazidim							1	0
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin							1	0
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive							1	1
Penicillins	Ampicillin							1	0
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid							1	0
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide							1	0
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin							1	0
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim							1	0

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Enteritidis* in final product - Compound feedingstuffs for poultry - laying hens - non-pelleted/meal - at farm - feed sample - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Compound feedingstuffs for poultry - laying hens - final product - non-pelleted/meal - at farm - feed sample - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling - objective sampling																								
		yes																								
		1																								
		break points	N	n	≤0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0							1															
	Kanamycin		0	0																						
	Neomycin		0	0																						
	Streptomycin	64	1	0										1												
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	0											1											
	Florfenicol		0	0																						
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																						
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0					1																	
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0							1															
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	0			1																			
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																						
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	0									1													
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	0										1												
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	0															1							
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	0									1													
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0							1															
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																						

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of Salmonella in humans, Salmonella Enteritidis

S. Enteritidis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		humans	
		no	
		211	
		N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	211	0
	Kanamycin	211	0
	Neomycin	211	0
	Streptomycin	211	4
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	211	0
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	211	0
	Enrofloxacin	211	1
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive	211	155
Penicillins	Ampicillin	211	44
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	211	8
Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	211	50
Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	211	6
Resistant to 3 antimicrobials	Resistant to 3 antimicrobials	211	0
Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	211	0
Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	211	0
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	211	3
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	211	0
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	211	0

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Infantis* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - broilers - at farm - environmental sample - Monitoring - industry sampling - objective sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Infantis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - at farm - environmental sample - Monitoring - industry sampling - objective sampling																									
		no																									
		2																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	2	0						1	1																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	2	0												1	1										
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	2	0											2												
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	2	0					1	1																	
	Ceftazidim	4	2	0						1	1																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	2	2							2																
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	2	0									1	1													
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	2	2													2										
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	2	2																	2						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	2	2													2										
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	2	0						2																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Infantis* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Infantis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling																											
		yes																											
		1																											
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest			
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0						1																			
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	64	1	0										1															
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	0									1																
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0				1																					
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0						1																			
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	0			1																						
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																									
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	0							1																		
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	0									1																
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	0											1														
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	0								1																	
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0						1																			
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Infantis* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - unspecified - Clinical investigations - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Infantis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - unspecified - Clinical investigations																									
		yes																									
		1																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0						1																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	1	1														1									
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	0											1												
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0					1																		
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0						1																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	1							1																
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	0									1														
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	1													1										
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	1																	1						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	1													1										
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0							1																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Infantis* in Meat from broilers (*Gallus gallus*) - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Infantis <div>Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)</div> <div>Number of isolates available in the laboratory</div> Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling																											
		yes																											
		10																											
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest			
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	10	0					1	6	3																		
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	64	10	0										1	1	5	3												
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	10	0									6	4															
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	1	10	0				6	3	1																			
	Ceftazidim	4	10	0					4	4	2																		
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	10	8			2			3	5																		
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																									
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	10	0							2	6	2																
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	10	8									1	1			8												
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	10	8												1	1				8								
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	10	8								1	1				8												
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	10	0						9	1																		
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Infantis* in Pet food - dog snacks (pig ears, chewing bones) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Infantis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Pet food - dog snacks (pig ears, chewing bones) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls																									
		yes																									
		1																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0							1																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	1	0										1													
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	0										1													
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0				1																			
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0						1																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	0			1																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	0									1														
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	0									1														
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	0												1											
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	0									1														
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0						1																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Infantis* - qualitative data

S. Infantis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory		Pet food - dog snacks (pig ears, chewing bones) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls		Feed material of oil seed or fruit origin - soya (bean) derived - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls		Feed material of land animal origin - poultry offal meal - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls	
		yes		yes		yes	
		1		1		1	
		N	n	N	n	N	n
Antimicrobials:							
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	1	0	1	0	1	0
	Streptomycin	1	0	1	0	1	0
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	1	0	1	0	1	0
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim	1	0	1	0	1	0
	Ceftazidim	1	0	1	0	1	0
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	1	0	1	0	1	0
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive	1	1	1	1	1	1
Penicillins	Ampicillin	1	0	1	0	1	0
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	1	0	1	0	1	0
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	1	0	1	0	1	0
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	1	0	1	0	1	0
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	1	0	1	0	1	0

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Infantis* in Feed material of oil seed or fruit origin - soya (bean) derived - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Infantis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Feed material of oil seed or fruit origin - soya (bean) derived - at feed mill - Surveillance - official controls																											
		yes																											
		1																											
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest			
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0						1																			
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	64	1	0										1															
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	0									1																
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0				1																					
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0						1																			
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	0			1																						
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																									
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	0							1																		
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	0									1																
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	0												1													
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	0							1																		
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0						1																			
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Infantis* in Feed material of land animal origin - poultry offal meal - Surveillance - official controls - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Infantis Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Feed material of land animal origin - poultry offal meal - Surveillance - official controls																									
		yes																									
		1																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0						1																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	1	0											1												
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	0											1												
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0					1																		
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0							1																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	0				1																			
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	0								1															
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	0									1														
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	0														1									
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	0									1														
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0							1																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Montevideo* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Montevideo Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling																									
		no																									
		10																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	10	0						10																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	10	0										9	1												
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	10	0									3	3	4												
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	10	0				3	7																		
	Ceftazidim	4	10	0					7	3																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	10	0		1	9																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	10	0							5	1	4														
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	10	0									1	5	4												
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	10	0													10										
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	10	0								3	7														
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	10	0						10																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Newport* in Turkeys - at farm - environmental sample - Clinical investigations - quantitative data
[Dilution method]

S. Newport Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Turkeys - at farm - environmental sample - Clinical investigations																									
		yes																									
		5																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	5	0						3	2																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	5	0									2	2	1												
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	5	0									3	2													
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	5	0			2	1	2																		
	Ceftazidim	4	5	0					3	2																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	5	0		3	2																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	5	5											5												
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	5	0									5														
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	5	0												2	3										
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	5	5												5											
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	5	0						2	3																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. Thompson in carcass - Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - spent hens - quantitative data [Diffusion method]

S. Thompson Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - spent hens																											
		yes																											
		1																											
		break points	N	n	<=6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28		
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	1	1	0								1																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	1	1	0				1																					
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	1	1	0															1										
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0																	1								
	Ceftazidim		0	0																									
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	1	1	0																	1								
	Enrofloxacin	1	1	0													1												
Penicillins	Ampicillin	1	1	0											1														
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	1	1	0	1																								
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	1	1	0	1																								
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	1	1	0	1																								
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	1	1	0																			1						
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. Thompson in carcass - Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - spent hens - quantitative data [Diffusion method]

S. Thompson Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - spent hens						
		yes						
		1						
		29	30	31	32	33	34	>=35
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin							
	Kanamycin							
	Neomycin							
	Streptomycin							
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol							
	Florfenicol							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins							
	Cefotaxim							
	Ceftazidim							
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin							
	Enrofloxacin							
Penicillins	Ampicillin							
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid							
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide							
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin							
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim							
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. Typhimurium in Cattle (bovine animals) - Clinical investigations - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Cattle (bovine animals) - Clinical investigations																									
		yes																									
		14																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	14	0						11	3																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	14	6										4	2		2	6									
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	14	4									2	8			4										
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	14	0				3	10	1																	
	Ceftazidim	4	14	0					2	5	6	1															
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	14	4		2	7		1	4																	
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	14	0								3	1	10													
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	14	5									7	2			5										
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	14	12													2					12					
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	14	4								2	7	1			2	2									
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	14	2							11	1					2										
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. Typhimurium in Pigs - Clinical investigations - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Pigs - Clinical investigations																								
		yes																								
		11																								
		break points	N	n	≤0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	11	0						1	4	6														
	Kanamycin		0	0																						
	Neomycin		0	0																						
	Streptomycin	64	11	9											1			1	9							
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	11	7											3	1		7								
	Florfenicol		0	0																						
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																						
	Cefotaxim	1	11	0				1	5	5																
	Ceftazidim	4	11	0						3	8															
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	11	1		3	6		1	1																
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																						
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	11	11													11									
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	11	2										4	3	2		2								
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	11	11																		11				
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	11	9									1	1			2	7								
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	11	1							7	3					1									
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																						

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling																									
		no																									
		1																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0						1																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	1	0									1														
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	0									1														
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0				1																			
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0					1																		
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	0			1																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	0								1															
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	0									1														
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	0												1											
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	0								1															
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0						1																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S.Typhimurium in animals

S. Typhimurium		Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey		Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Turkeys		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens		Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling	
		no		yes		yes		yes				no				no	
		8		14		11		1				1				1	
		N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	8	0	14	0	11	0	1	0			1	0			1	0
	Streptomycin	8	5	14	8	11	10	1	0			1	0			1	0
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	8	4	14	4	11	7	1	0			1	0			1	0
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim	8	0	14	0	11	0	1	0			1	0			1	0
	Ceftazidim	8	0	14	0	11	0	1	0			1	0			1	0
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	8	1	14	5	11	2	1	0			1	0			1	0
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive	8	2	14	2	11	0	1	0			1	1			1	1
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	5	14	10	11	11	1	0			1	0			1	0
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	8	1	14	5	11	2	1	0			1	0			1	0
Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	8	2	14	2			1	1								
Resistant to 3 antimicrobials	Resistant to 3 antimicrobials					11	2										
Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	Resistant to 4 antimicrobials			14	6	11	2										
Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	8	4	14	4	11	7										
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	8	5	14	12	11	11	1	0			1	0			1	0
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	8	5	14	4	11	7	1	0			1	0			1	0

Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)

Number of isolates available in the laboratory

Antimicrobials:

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S.Typhimurium in animals

S. Typhimurium		Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey		Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Turkeys		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens		Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)		no		yes		yes		yes				no				no	
Number of isolates available in the laboratory		8		14		11		1				1				1	
Antimicrobials:		N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	8	0	14	2	11	1	1	0			1	0			1	0

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - unspecified - Clinical investigations - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - unspecified - Clinical investigations																											
		yes																											
		1																											
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest			
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0						1																			
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	64	1	0										1															
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	0									1																
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0				1																					
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0						1																			
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	0			1																						
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																									
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	0									1																
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	0									1																
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	0													1												
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	0							1																		
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0							1																		
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* in *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling																									
		no																									
		1																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0							1																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	1	0											1												
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	0								1															
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0				1																			
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0						1																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	0		1																					
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	0							1																
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	0									1														
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	0												1											
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	0							1																
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0							1																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* in Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey																									
		no																									
		8																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	8	0					2	4	2																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	8	4										2	1		1	4									
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	8	4									2	2			4										
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	8	0			1	4	2	1																	
	Ceftazidim	4	8	0					1	7																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	8	0		2	5	1																			
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	8	5							1	2				5											
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	8	1									4	3			1										
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	8	5												2		1			5						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	8	5								3				2	3										
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	8	0						6	2																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* in offal - Meat from pig - liver - quantitative data [Diffusion method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from pig - offal - liver																											
		yes																											
		1																											
		break points	N	n	≤6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28		
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	1	1	0										1															
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	1	1	0	1																								
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	1	1	0	1																								
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0	1																								
	Ceftazidim		0	0																									
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	1	1	0																									
	Enrofloxacin	1	1	0																						1			
Penicillins	Ampicillin	1	1	0	1																								
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	1	1	0														1											
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	1	1	0	1																								
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	1	1	0				1																					
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	1	1	0																1									
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* in offal - Meat from pig - liver - quantitative data [Diffusion method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from pig - offal - liver						
		yes						
		1						
		29	30	31	32	33	34	>=35
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin							
	Kanamycin							
	Neomycin							
	Streptomycin							
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol							
	Florfenicol							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins							
	Cefotaxim							
	Ceftazidim							
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin			1				
	Enrofloxacin							
Penicillins	Ampicillin							
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid							
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide							
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin							
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim							
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* in Meat from broilers (*Gallus gallus*) - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling																											
		yes																											
		1																											
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest			
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	1	0						1																			
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	64	1	0													1												
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	1	1													1												
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	1	1	0					1																				
	Ceftazidim	4	1	0						1																			
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	1	0				1																					
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																									
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	1	1													1												
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	1	0										1															
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	1	1																		1							
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	1	1													1												
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	1	0							1																		
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* in Meat from bovine animals - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from bovine animals - carcass - - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling																									
		no																									
		2																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	2	0							2																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	2	1													1	1									
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	2	1										1		1											
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	2	0				1	1																		
	Ceftazidim	4	2	0						2																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	2	0			1	1																			
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	2	1									1			1											
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	2	0									1		1												
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	2	2																	2						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	2	2													2										
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	2	1						1						1											
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* - qualitative data

S. Typhimurium		Meat from bovine animals - carcass - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling		Meat from pig - carcass - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)		no		no		no	
Number of isolates available in the laboratory		2		2		1	
Antimicrobials:		N	n	N	n	N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	2	0	2	0	1	0
	Streptomycin	2	2	2	2	1	1
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	2	1	2	2	1	1
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim	2	0	2	0	1	0
	Ceftazidim	2	0	2	0	1	0
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	2	0	2	0	1	0
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive	2	0	2	0	1	0
Penicillins	Ampicillin	2	1	2	2	1	1
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	2	0	2	0	1	0
Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	2	1				
Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	2	1	2	2	1	1
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	2	2	2	2	1	1
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	2	2	2	2	1	1
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	2	1	2	0	1	0

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* in Meat from pig - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from pig - carcass - - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling																									
		no																									
		2																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	2	0						2																	
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	2	0													2										
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	2	2													2										
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	2	0					2																		
	Ceftazidim	4	2	0						2																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	2	0		1	1																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	2	2												2											
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	2	0									2														
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	2	2																	2						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	2	2													2										
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	2	0						2																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. Typhimurium - qualitative data

S. Typhimurium		Compound feedingstuffs for cattle		Compound feedingstuffs for pigs		Compound feedingstuffs for poultry (non specified)		Pet food - dog snacks (pig ears, chewing bones) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)								yes	
Number of isolates available in the laboratory								2	
Antimicrobials:		N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin							2	0
	Streptomycin							2	1
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol							2	0
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim							2	0
	Ceftazidim							2	0
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin							2	0
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive							2	1
Penicillins	Ampicillin							2	0
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid							2	0
Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	Resistant to 2 antimicrobials							2	1
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide							2	1
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin							2	0
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim							2	0

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *S. Typhimurium* in Pet food - dog snacks (pig ears, chewing bones) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. Typhimurium Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Pet food - dog snacks (pig ears, chewing bones) - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls																									
		yes																									
		2																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	2	0						1	1																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	2	1											1			1									
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	2	0										2													
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	2	0				2																			
	Ceftazidim	4	2	0					1	1																	
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	2	0			2																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	2	0								2															
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	2	0									1	1													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	2	1												1					1						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	2	0								1	1														
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	2	0						2																	
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of Salmonella in humans, Salmonella Typhimurium

S. Typhimurium		humans	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)		no	
Number of isolates available in the laboratory		93	
Antimicrobials:		N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	93	0
	Kanamycin	93	2
	Neomycin	93	1
	Streptomycin	93	37
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	93	0
	Enrofloxacin	93	1
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive	93	42
Number of multiresistant S. Typhimurium	with penta resistance	93	17
Penicillins	Ampicillin	93	37
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	93	4
Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	93	9
Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	93	3
Resistant to 3 antimicrobials	Resistant to 3 antimicrobials	93	1
Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	93	5
Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	93	33
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	93	42
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	93	43
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	93	8

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. 4,12:i:- in Pigs - Clinical investigations - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. 4,12:i:- Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Pigs - Clinical investigations																								
		yes																								
		12																								
		break points	N	n	≤0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	12	0							6	6														
	Kanamycin		0	0																						
	Neomycin		0	0																						
	Streptomycin	64	12	12															12							
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	12	0										3	9											
	Florfenicol		0	0																						
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																						
	Cefotaxim	1	12	0					7	5																
	Ceftazidim	4	12	0						2	10															
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	12	0		2	9	1																		
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																						
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	12	12													12									
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	12	0										6	6											
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	12	12																		12				
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	12	12														12								
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	12	0							9	3														
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																						

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. 4,12:i:- in Meat from pig - carcass - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

S. 4,12:i:- Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from pig - carcass - - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling																									
		no																									
		9																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	4	9	0						6	3																
	Kanamycin		0	0																							
	Neomycin		0	0																							
	Streptomycin	64	9	9														9									
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	32	9	0									1	8													
	Florfenicol		0	0																							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																							
	Cefotaxim	1	9	0				2	2	5																	
	Ceftazidim	4	9	0						2	7																
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	0.12	9	0		3	6																				
	Enrofloxacin		0	0																							
Penicillins	Ampicillin	8	9	9												9											
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	32	9	0									7	2													
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	512	9	9																	9						
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	16	9	9													9										
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	4	9	0						7	2																
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. 6,7:-:1,5 in carcass - Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - spent hens - quantitative data [Diffusion method]

S. 6,7:-:1,5 Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - spent hens																											
		yes																											
		2																											
		break points	N	n	≤6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28		
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	2	2	0												1		1											
	Kanamycin		0	0																									
	Neomycin		0	0																									
	Streptomycin	2	1	0									1																
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	2	2	0																1						1			
	Florfenicol		0	0																									
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins		0	0																									
	Cefotaxim	2	2	0																									
	Ceftazidim		0	0																									
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	2	2	0																	1								
	Enrofloxacin	2	2	0											1														
Penicillins	Ampicillin	2	2	0															1			1							
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	2	2	0	1																	1							
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	2	2	0	1													1											
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	2	2	0	1												1												
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	2	2	0																			1		1				
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides		0	0																									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of S. 6,7:-:1,5 in carcass - Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - spent hens - quantitative data [Diffusion method]

S. 6,7:-:1,5 Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - spent hens						
		yes						
		2						
		29	30	31	32	33	34	>=35
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin							
	Kanamycin							
	Neomycin							
	Streptomycin							
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol							
	Florfenicol							
Cephalosporins	3rd generation cephalosporins							
	Cefotaxim	2						
	Ceftazidim							
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	1						
	Enrofloxacin		1					
Penicillins	Ampicillin							
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid							
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide							
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin							
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim							
Trimethoprim + sulfonamides	Trimethoprim + sulfonamides							

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of Salmonella in animals

Salmonella spp.		Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Turkeys		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens		Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)		yes		yes		yes		yes		no		no		no		no	
Number of isolates available in the laboratory		2		13		4		10		7		6		15		35	
Antimicrobials:		N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	2	0	13	0	4	0	10	0	7	0	6	0	15	0	35	2
	Streptomycin	2	0	13	13	4	2	10	2	7	0	6	3	15	0	35	9
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	2	0	13	0	4	0	10	2	7	0	6	0	15	0	35	4
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim	2	0	13	0	4	0	10	0	7	0	6	0	15	0	35	1
	Ceftazidim	2	0	13	0	4	0	10	0	7	0	6	0	15	0	35	1
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	2	0	13	0	4	1	10	0	7	0	6	4	15	0	35	1
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive	2	2	13	0	4	2	10	3	7	7	6	2	15	12	35	25
Penicillins	Ampicillin	2	0	13	13	4	1	10	5	7	0	6	0	15	3	35	5
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	2	0	13	0	4	1	10	0	7	0	6	4	15	0	35	0
Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	Resistant to 1 antimicrobial															35	1
Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	Resistant to 2 antimicrobials							10	5					15	3		
Resistant to 3 antimicrobials	Resistant to 3 antimicrobials															35	3
Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	Resistant to 4 antimicrobials			13	13			10	2			6	1			35	3
Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	Resistant to >4 antimicrobials					4	2					6	3			35	3
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	2	0	13	13	4	2	10	2	7	0	6	4	15	0	35	8

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of Salmonella in animals

Salmonella spp.		Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Turkeys		Gallus gallus (fowl) - laying hens		Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers		Gallus gallus (fowl) - breeding flocks for meat production line - at farm - environmental sample - Control and eradication programmes - official and industry sampling		Pigs - breeding animals - at farm - environmental sample - Survey - EU baseline survey	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)		yes		yes		yes		yes		no		no		no		no	
Number of isolates available in the laboratory		2		13		4		10		7		6		15		35	
Antimicrobials:		N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	2	0	13	13	4	2	10	7	7	0	6	4	15	3	35	10
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	2	0	13	0	4	1	10	0	7	0	6	0	15	0	35	4

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of Salmonella spp. in food

Salmonella spp.		Meat from bovine animals		Meat from pig		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus)		Meat from other poultry species		Meat from bovine animals - carcass - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling		Meat from pig - carcass - carcass swabs - Monitoring - official sampling		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - neck skin - Monitoring - official sampling		Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - neck skin - Survey - EU baseline survey	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)						yes				no		no		no		no	
Number of isolates available in the laboratory						1				5		30		26		19	
Antimicrobials:		N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n	N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin					1	0			5	0	30	0	26	0	19	0
	Streptomycin					1	1			5	3	30	13	26	3	19	0
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol					1	0			5	0	30	3	26	0	19	0
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim					1	0			5	0	30	0	26	0	19	0
	Ceftazidim									5	0	30	0	26	0	19	0
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin					1	0			5	0	30	0	26	8	19	1
	Enrofloxacin					1	0										
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive									5	2	30	16	26	14	19	18
Penicillins	Ampicillin					1	0			5	3	30	13	26	3	19	1
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid					1	1			5	0	30	0	26	8	19	1
Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	Resistant to 1 antimicrobial											30	1				
Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	Resistant to 2 antimicrobials													26	3		
Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	Resistant to 4 antimicrobials					1	1			5	3	30	12	26	4		
Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	Resistant to >4 antimicrobials											30	1	26	3	19	1
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide					1	1			5	3	30	13	26	8	19	1
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin					1	0			5	3	30	11	26	11	19	1
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim									5	3	30	1	26	0	19	0

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of Salmonella in humans, Salmonella spp.

Salmonella spp.		humans	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)		no	
Number of isolates available in the laboratory		361	
Antimicrobials:		N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	361	0
	Kanamycin	361	3
	Neomycin	361	1
	Streptomycin	361	78
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	361	33
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	361	0
	Enrofloxacin	361	2
Fully sensitive	Fully sensitive	361	208
Penicillins	Ampicillin	361	116
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	361	18
Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	361	68
Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	361	10
Resistant to 3 antimicrobials	Resistant to 3 antimicrobials	361	2
Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	361	36
Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	361	37
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	361	82
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	361	79
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	361	10

Table Breakpoints for antibiotic resistance testing

Test Method Used	
Disc diffusion	○
Agar dilution	○
Broth dilution	●
E-test	○

Standards used for testing
NCCLS Eucast

			Breakpoint concentration (microg/ml)			Range tested concentration (microg/ml)		Disk content	Breakpoint Zone diameter (mm)		
		Standard for breakpoint	Susceptible <=	Intermediate	Resistant >	lowest	highest	microg	Susceptible >=	Intermediate	Resistant <=
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	EUCAST	2		4	0.25	32				
	Streptomycin	EUCAST	32		64	2	128				
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	Eucast	16		32	2	64				
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim	EUCAST	0.5		1	0.06	4				
	Ceftazidim	EUCAST	2		4	0.25	16				
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	EUCAST	0.06		0.12	0.008	8				
Penicillins	Ampicillin	EUCAST	4		8	0.5	32				
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	EUCAST	16		32	4	64				
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	EUCAST	256		512	8	1024				
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	Eucast	8		16	1	64				
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	EUCAST	2		4	0.5	32				

Table Breakpoints for antibiotic resistance testing

Test Method Used	
Disc diffusion	⊙
Agar dilution	○
Broth dilution	⊙
E-test	○

Standards used for testing
NCCLS EUCAST

			Breakpoint concentration (microg/ml)			Range tested concentration (microg/ml)		Disk content	Breakpoint Zone diameter (mm)		
			Susceptible <=	Intermediate	Resistant >	lowest	highest		microg	Susceptible >=	Intermediate
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	EUCAST/NCCLS	2		4	0.25	32		15	13.14	12
	Streptomycin	EUCAST/NCCLS	32		64	2	128		15	12.13.14	11
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	EUCAST/NCCLS	16		32	2	64		18	13.14.15.16.17	12
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim	EUCAST/NCCLS	0.5		1	0.06	4		23	15.16.17.18.19.20.21.22	14
	Ceftazidim	EUCAST	2		4	0.25	16				
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	EUCAST/NCCLS	0.06		0.12	0.008	8		21	16.17.18.19.20	15
	Enrofloxacin	NCCLS							20	17.18.19	16
Penicillins	Ampicillin	EUCAST/NCCLS	4		8	0.5	32		17	14.15.16	13
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	EUCAST/NCCLS	16		32	4	64		19	14.15.16.17.18	13
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	EUCAST/NCCLS	256		512	8	1024		17	13.14.15.16	12
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	EUCAST/NCCLS	8		16	1	64		19	15.16.17.18	14
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	EUCAST/NCCLS	2		4	0.5	32		16	11.12.13.14.15	10

Table Breakpoints for antibiotic resistance testing

Test Method Used	
Disc diffusion	○
Agar dilution	○
Broth dilution	●
E-test	○

Standards used for testing
EUCAST

			Breakpoint concentration (microg/ml)			Range tested concentration (microg/ml)		Disk content	Breakpoint Zone diameter (mm)		
		Standard for breakpoint	Susceptible <=	Intermediate	Resistant >	lowest	highest	microg	Susceptible >=	Intermediate	Resistant <=
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	EUCAST	2		4	0.25	32				
	Streptomycin	EUCAST	32		64	2	128				
Amphenicols	Chloramphenicol	EUCAST	16		32	2	64				
Cephalosporins	Cefotaxim	EUCAST	0.5		1	0.06	4				
	Ceftazidim	EUCAST	2		4	0.25	16				
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	EUCAST	0.06		0.12	0.008	8				
Penicillins	Ampicillin	EUCAST	4		8	0.5	32				
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	EUCAST	16		32	4	64				
Sulfonamides	Sulfonamide	EUCAST	256		512	8	1024				
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	EUCAST	8		16	1	64				
Trimethoprim	Trimethoprim	EUCAST	2		4	0.5	32				

2.2 CAMPYLOBACTERIOSIS

2.2.1 General evaluation of the national situation

A. Thermophilic Campylobacter general evaluation

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

State Veterinary Administration (SVA) of the Czech republic launched monitoring for occurrence of thermophilic Campylobacter in poultry in the year 2005. This monitoring was also carried out in 2006, 2007 and 2008. Its chief aim is the monitoring of thermophilic Campylobacter incidence and their antibiotic resistance. The cloacal swabs of broilers were taken at the slaughterhouses in 2006 and 2007. The caecum samples and carcasses of broilers were taken at the slaughterhouses in 2008. The slaughterhouses were selected so that the entire area of the Czech Republic was covered, if possible. To deal with seasonal prevalence, samples were collected in slaughterhouses monthly throughout the entire calendar year. The partner of the Communitary Reference Laboratory in Uppsala is the State Veterinary Institute Olomouc.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

Last year there was the slight decrease of campylobacteriosis in human population.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

The monitoring of the prevalence and antibiotics resistance of thermotolerant Campylobacter spp. in broilers.

2.2.2 Campylobacteriosis in humans

A. Thermophilic Campylobacter in humans

Reporting system in place for the human cases

Infectious diseases (all infections including parasitary) are notified on legal basis (20/1966, 258/2000.) Any physician is obliged to notify the diagnosed disease and data are collected by the net of Regional Public Health Institutes with their district branch offices. The data are centrally collected and processed by the National Institute of Public health.

Case definition

Clinical picture compatible with campylobacteriosis, e.g. diarrhoeal illness of variable severity.

Notification system in place

Infectious diseases (all infections including parasitary) are notified on legal basis. (20/1966, 258/2000) Any physician is obliged to notify the diagnosed disease and data are collected by the net of Regional Public Health Institutes with their district branch offices. The data are centrally collected and processed by the National Institute of Public health.

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

Campylobacter is routinely diagnosed only in recent years and we observe typical seasonal variation in its incidence. The increaing trend in incidence was partly due to spread of diagnostic in all country. Campylobacterioses have importance comparable with salmonelloses.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The highest increase in morbidity is recorded for the lowest age groups that is indicative of worsening conditions in food processing (particularly in households). Almost three fourths of cases were infected via poultry products.

2.2.3 Campylobacter in foodstuffs

A. Thermophilic Campylobacter in Broiler meat and products thereof

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Frequency of the sampling

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Once a month

Type of specimen taken

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Other: cloacal swabs

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

At slaughterhouse and cutting plant

Other: CSN EN ISO 10272-1:2006

At meat processing plant

Other: CSN EN ISO 10272-1:2006

At retail

Other: CSN EN ISO 10272-1:2006

Preventive measures in place

creation and control of HACCP and GHP system

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The competent authority takes measures according to the legislation in force and defined cases are reported into the Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed. This is not valid for positive findings from cloacal swabs at slaughterhouses.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

SVA and NIPH carry out monitoring and control programmes in the whole food chain and take appropriate measures according to the legislation in force to ensure safe foodstuffs.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

In the case of positive results of the investigation the competent authority takes measures to prevent spreading of the infection to the food chain. This is not valid for positive findings from cloacal swabs at slaughterhouses (monitoring program).

Notification system in place

The positive result of the bacteriological test has to be reported to the appropriate Regional Veterinary Administrations (RVA) and the RVA has to take appropriate measures. The positive results are reported to the RVA from laboratories which made the tests.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The prevalence of the *Campylobacter* in broiler meat and products thereof is low and the situation is stable and similar like in previous years.

Table Campylobacter in poultry meat

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for thermophilic Campylobacter spp.	C. coli	C. jejuni	C. lari	C. upsaliensis	Thermophilic Campylobacter spp., unspecified
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - carcass - spent hens - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	10 g	12	10	3	7			
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	10 g	12	6	2	4			
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - offal - unspecified - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	10 g	12	10	2	8			
Meat from rabbit - fresh - chilled - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	10 g	12	1	1				
Meat from turkey - meat preparation - intended to be eaten cooked - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	10 g	12	4		4			

Table Campylobacter in other food

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for thermophilic Campylobacter spp.	C. coli	C. jejuni	C. lari	C. upsaliensis	Thermophilic Campylobacter spp., unspecified
Fish - at processing plant - Survey (chilled fish)	NIPH	single	10 g	24	1	1				
Meat from pig - offal - chilled - at retail - Survey (pork liver)	NIPH	single	10 g	12	6	4	2			

2.2.4 Campylobacter in animals

A. Thermophilic Campylobacter in Gallus gallus

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

Since September 2005 the State Veterinary Administration (SVA) in the Czech Republic has introduced monitoring of thermophilic Campylobacter in poultry. Monitoring was also carried out in 2006, 2007 and 2008 too. Samples are taken at slaughterhouses from poultry at random. Sampling is done by official veterinarian every month. Ten caecum samples and one carcass are taken at slaughterhouses. The samples are put into plastic bags. One slaughter batch equals 10 caecums and one carcass. After collecting the samples, they are kept chilled and they are sent to the accredited laboratories of the State Veterinary Institutes within 24 hours.

Monitoring system follows the Commission Decision 2007/516/EC and Methodology Instruction of SVA.

Frequency of the sampling

At slaughter

Once a month

Type of specimen taken

At slaughter

Caecum and carcass

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

At slaughter

Samples are taken at slaughterhouses at random. Caecum and carcass were taken.

Samples are cooled and delivered to lab within 24 hours. Sampling is done by official veterinarian every month throughout the entire calendar year.

Monitoring system follows the Commission Decision 2007/516/EC and Methodology Instruction of SVA. The slaughterhouses were selected so that the entire area of the Czech Republic was covered, if possible.

Case definition

At slaughter

Positive result of the bacteriological test.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

At slaughter

CSN EN ISO 10272-1:2006, CSN EN ISO 10272-2:2006 and Commission Decision 2007/516/EC

Notification system in place

The official laboratory (State Veterinary Institute) notifies the positive sample to RVA.

Results of the investigation

Investigation is performed in state laboratories accredited in accordance with CSN ISO EN 17025:2005. Investigation results are sent in the form of lab test report to the SVA.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The prevalence of thermophilic *Campylobacter* in broilers' caecum in 2008 was 61 % and the prevalence in broilers' carcasses was 70%.

Table Campylobacter in animals

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for thermophilic Campylobacter spp.	C. coli	C. jejuni	C. lari	C. upsaliensis	Thermophilic Campylobacter spp., unspecified
Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - neck skin	SVA	single	422	295	44	226			25
Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - caecum	SVA	batch	422	258	41	199			18

Footnote:

Thermophilic Campylobacter spp., unspecified means the dual detection (C.jejuni and C. coli together)

2.2.5 Antimicrobial resistance in Campylobacter isolates

A. Antimicrobial resistance in Campylobacter jejuni and coli in poultry

Sampling strategy used in monitoring

Frequency of the sampling

Antimicrobial Resistance in Campylobacter is a part of monitoring described above in chapter Thermophilic Campylobacter in Gallus gallus - Sampling strategy. In strains C. jejuni and C.coli isolated from pooled samples of caecum taken at slaughterhouses, the investigation of antimicrobial resistance is carried out.

Type of specimen taken

Isolates of C. jejuni and C. coli were tested by the microdilution method for resistance to selected antimicrobial agents. Due to the overwhelming majority of C. jejuni isolates, resistance in this species is being reported only.

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

See chapter Thermophilic Campylobacter in Gallus gallus- Monitoring system, Sampling strategy.

Procedures for the selection of isolates for antimicrobial testing

For Antimicrobial Resistance testing , strains isolated during the Campylobacter monitoring in slaughterhouse poultry are used - see chapter Thermophilic Campylobacter in Gallus gallus- Monitoring system, Sampling strategy.

Methods used for collecting data

Isolated strains of thermophilic Campylobacter are collected and sent to the only state laboratory, where they are centrally investigated for antimicrobial resistance. The monitoring of antibiotics resistance was carried out only by the State Veterinary Institute Olomouc (National Reference Laboratory for Campylobacter).

Laboratory methodology used for identification of the microbial isolates

Bacteriological examination was in accordance with the ISO 10272-1:2006, ISO 10272-2:2006 standard and Commission Decision 2007/516/EC. To confirm suspected isolates, the PCR methods described by Ertas and Lund (Ertas et al., 2002, Lund et al., 2004) and a commercial real-time PCR kit (Taq Man Campylobacter spp. Kit, Applied Biosystems) were utilized. For quality control, the C. jejuni ATCC 33560 reference strain was used.

Laboratory used for detection for resistance

Antimicrobials included in monitoring

In 133 C. jejuni isolates detected in 2008, resistance to selected antimicrobial agents was tested by the microdilution method. The results of isolate testing carried out in 2008 are presented as in that year, the criteria for monitoring of

antibiotic resistance of thermotolerant *Campylobacter* spp. in poultry defined by Commission Decision 2007/516/EC were first applied.

In *C. jejuni* isolates, resistance to 8 selected antibiotics (ATB) was tested. The first 5 ATB (erythromycin, ciprofloxacin, tetracycline, streptomycin and gentamicin) are specified in Commission Decision 2007/516/EC for monitoring of antibiotic resistance in poultry. Advised optimum concentration range to be tested for each ATB in mg/L were recommended by The EFSA Journal (EFSA 2007). The cut-off values (mg/L) were also specified by the above-mentioned Commission Decision 2007/516/EC. Beyond the scope of the EC recommendations, chloramphenicol, ampicillin and oxolinic acid were tested as well. In these three ATB, the cut-off values (mg/L) were based on the parameters published in Communique 2005. Quality of the plates was tested at regular intervals with the *C. jejuni* ATCC 33560 reference strain.

Breakpoints used in testing

The breakpoints (mg/L) were also specified by the above-mentioned Commission Decision 2007/516/EC.

Notification system in place

The results of the antibiotics resistance of the isolates were notified to the SVA.

Results of the investigation

The highest resistance detected was to quinolone antibiotics. Resistance to oxolinic acid was 58.6% in isolates, to ciprofloxacin 56.4% in isolates, to ampicillin 18%. Moreover, 3% of animal isolates demonstrated resistance to streptomycin. In erythromycin, resistance was not detected.

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of *C. jejuni* in broilers - *Gallus gallus* (fowl) - unspecified - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - caecum - Monitoring - official sampling - objective sampling - quantitative data [Dilution method]

C. jejuni Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no) Number of isolates available in the laboratory Antimicrobials:		Gallus gallus (fowl) - broilers - unspecified - at slaughterhouse - animal sample - caecum - Monitoring - official sampling - objective sampling																									
		yes																									
		133																									
		break points	N	n	<=0.008	0.015	0.03	0.06	0.12	0.25	0.5	1	2	4	8	16	32	64	128	256	512	1024	2048	>2048	lowest	highest	
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	1	133	0		3	9	26	60	24	9	2															
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	1	133	75			6	23	20	6	1	2	3	2	11	28	16	12	3								
Macrolides	Erythromycin	4	133	0				3	120	7		2	1														
Penicillins	Ampicillin	4	133	24			2	5	2	11	21	26	20	22	13	6	3	2									
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	8	133	78							10	16	24	4	1	3	1	3	42	29							
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	2	133	10				26	74	16	3	4		2	2	2	2	2									

Table Antimicrobial susceptibility testing of Campylobacter in animals

Campylobacter spp., unspecified		Gallus gallus (fowl)		Cattle (bovine animals)		Pigs	
Isolates out of a monitoring program (yes/no)		yes					
Number of isolates available in the laboratory		133					
Antimicrobials:		N	n	N	n	N	n
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	133	0				
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	133	75				
Macrolides	Erythromycin	133	0				
Penicillins	Ampicillin	133	24				
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	133	78				
Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	Resistant to 1 antimicrobial	133	20				
Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	Resistant to 2 antimicrobials	133	58				
Resistant to 3 antimicrobials	Resistant to 3 antimicrobials	133	13				
Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	Resistant to 4 antimicrobials	133	4				
Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	Resistant to >4 antimicrobials	133	0				
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	133	10				

Footnote:

Campylobacter jejuni

Table Breakpoints used for antimicrobial susceptibility testing

Test Method Used	
Disc diffusion	○
Agar dilution	○
Broth dilution	●
E-test	○

Standards used for testing
EFSA,_Communique_2005

			Breakpoint concentration (microg/ml)			Range tested concentration (microg/ml)		Disk content	Breakpoint Zone diameter (mm)		
		Standard for breakpoint	Susceptible <=	Intermediate	Resistant >	lowest	highest	microg	Susceptible >=	Intermediate	Resistant <=
Aminoglycosides	Gentamicin	EFSA	1		1	0.03	64				
Fluoroquinolones	Ciprofloxacin	EFSA	1		1	0.03	64				
Macrolides	Erythromycin	EFSA	4		4	0.125	256				
Penicillins	Ampicillin	Communique	4		4	0.01	32				
Quinolones	Nalidixic acid	Communique 2005	8		8	0.5	64				
Tetracyclines	Tetracyclin	EFSA	2		2	0.03	64				

2.3 LISTERIOSIS

2.3.1 General evaluation of the national situation

A. Listeriosis general evaluation

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

There is no official National program for monitoring of Listeriosis at animals. Czech Agriculture and Food Inspection Authority performed control at retail. Findings in human population were not sporadic in the last year.

State Veterinary Administration carry out monitoring of listeriosis in foodstuffs of animal origin in food producing establishments in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 on microbiological criteria for foodstuffs.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

Trends keep changing. During the last year the increased occurrence of findings recorded - i.e. *Listeria monocytogenes* in foodstuffs of animal origin where the food is the main source of infection.

Relevance of the findings in animals, feedingstuffs and foodstuffs to human cases

There are relevancies of the findings in foodstuffs as a source of infection to human cases. Sources of infection are just foodstuffs of animal origin.

Additional information

In accordance with Regulation (EC) 2073/2005 in 2006 was putting into practice the bacteriological detection of *Listeria monocytogenes* performed by State Veterinary Administration. The investigation was made by the detection method, this method is more sensible than the enumeration method. For presence or absence *L. monocytogenes* in 25 g is using EN/ISO 11290-1.

2.3.2 Listeriosis in humans

2.3.3 Listeria in foodstuffs

A. L. monocytogenes in food - Other food - at retail - official food or feed controls - random sampling

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

CAFIA performed control at retail according to Commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 of 15 November 2005 on microbiological criteria for foodstuffs (as amended by EU regulation No. 1441/2007).

Samples were collected by competent authority as part of an official sampling from all 14 regions of the Czech Republic within a year by the inspectors from the Regional inspectorates and analysed in designated laboratories for analysis samples taken during official controls (Article 12, Regulation (EC) No 882/2004). The sampling by CAFIA was random. However, in case of consumer complaints was the sampling targeted.

Frequency of the sampling

At the production plant

Other: depend on the HACCP and on the survey

At retail

Sampling distributed evenly throughout the year

Type of specimen taken

At the production plant

Raw materials and final products.

At retail

Final products.

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

At the production plant

Final products must be placed aseptically into a sample container and transfer to the laboratory. The number of subsamples have been taken in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005.

At retail

Final product of one hundred grams minimum each is taken in a sterile way, into clean and dry plastic bag. The samples are placed into refrigerated container and immediately sent to the laboratory for investigation. The numbers of subsamples were taken in particular food categories according to a sampling plan which is given to the Chapter 1 Food safety criteria of commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005:

Sampling plan n=5 for ready-to-eat foods able or unable to support the growth

of *L. monocytogenes*, other than those intended for infants and for special medical purposes was taken;

Sampling plan n=10 for ready-to-eat foods intended for infants was taken.

Definition of positive finding

At the production plant

The positive batch means the presence *L. monocytogenes* in 25 g only in one of all subsamples.

At retail

A batch was considered to be positive where *L. monocytogenes* has been isolated in amount more than 100 CFU in 1g from at least one subsample taken out of the batch.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

At the production plant

Bacteriological method: ISO 11290- parts 1 and 2:1996, 1998

At retail

Bacteriological method: ISO 11290- parts 1 and 2:1996, 1998

Preventive measures in place

Controls of HACCP, GMP and GHP systems

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The control programmes/ strategies in place: check of records and documents within the HACCP system

Measures in case of the positive findings

On the basis of positive finding, the whole batch is recalled from circulation. A fine is imposed on the food business operator and he is ordered to remove the causes and to take such measures that would prevent recurrence of pathogens.

Table *Listeria monocytogenes* in milk and dairy products

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for <i>L.monocytogenes</i>	Units tested with detection method	<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> presence in x g	Units tested with enumeration method	> detection limit but ≤ 100 cfu/g	<i>L. monocytogenes</i> > 100 cfu/g
Cheeses made from cows' milk - hard - made from pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	5676	61	3523	61	2153	0	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - hard - made from pasteurised milk - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	6	0			6	0	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - hard - made from pasteurised milk - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	24	0	24	0	24	0	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	4595	72	2423	63	2172	0	9
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	88	0			88	0	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	36	0	36	0	36	0	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from raw or low heat-treated milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	71	0	31	0	40	0	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from raw or low heat-treated milk - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	23	0			23	0	0
Cheeses made from goats' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	216	0	191	0	25	0	0
Cheeses made from goats' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from raw or low heat-treated milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	71	0	31	0	40	0	0
Cheeses made from sheep's milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	20	0	20	0			

Table *Listeria monocytogenes* in milk and dairy products

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for <i>L.monocytogenes</i>	Units tested with detection method	<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> presence in x g	Units tested with enumeration method	> detection limit but ≤ 100 cfu/g	<i>L. monocytogenes</i> > 100 cfu/g
Cheeses made from sheep's milk - soft and semi-soft - made from raw or low heat-treated milk - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	2	0			2	0	0
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - butter - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	56	0	56	0			
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - butter - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0	12	0	12	0	0
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - cream - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	42	0	31	0	11	0	0
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - fermented dairy products - at retail - Survey (Buttermilk)	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0	12	0	12	0	0
Milk, cows' - raw milk for manufacture - intended for manufacture of raw or low heat-treated products - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 ml	73	5	73	5	0		
Milk, goats' - raw milk for manufacture - intended for manufacture of raw or low heat-treated products - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 ml	11	0	6	0	5	0	0

Table *Listeria monocytogenes* in other foods

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for <i>L.monocytogenes</i>	Units tested with detection method	<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> presence in x g	Units tested with enumeration method	> detection limit but ≤ 100 cfu/g	<i>L. monocytogenes</i> > 100 cfu/g
Fish - gravad /slightly salted - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	6	0	0		6	0	0
Fish - marinated - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	26	0	0		26	0	0
Fish - raw - frozen - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	24	1	24	1	0		
Fish - smoked - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	478	18	277	18	201	0	0
Fish - smoked - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	15	0	0		15	0	0
Fish - smoked - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	1	12	1	12	1	0
Fruits - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	23	0	23	0	23	0	0
Fruits - pre-cut - ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	5	0	0		5	0	0
Fruits - pre-cut - ready-to-eat - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	10	0	0		10	0	0
Infant formula - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	50	0	50	0	0		
Meat from bovine animals - fresh - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	144	0	144	0			
Meat from bovine animals - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	6700	138	5975	130	725	0	8
Meat from broilers (<i>Gallus gallus</i>) - carcass - spent hens - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	3	12	3	0		
Meat from broilers (<i>Gallus gallus</i>) - fresh - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	335	5	300	5	35	0	0

Table *Listeria monocytogenes* in other foods

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for <i>L.monocytogenes</i>	Units tested with detection method	<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> presence in x g	Units tested with enumeration method	> detection limit but ≤ 100 cfu/g	<i>L. monocytogenes</i> > 100 cfu/g
Meat from broilers (<i>Gallus gallus</i>) - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	439	8	399	8	40	0	0
Meat from broilers (<i>Gallus gallus</i>) - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	12	0	0		12	0	0
Meat from broilers (<i>Gallus gallus</i>) - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	36	0	36	0	36	0	0
Meat from broilers (<i>Gallus gallus</i>) - offal - unspecified - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	2	12	2	0		
Meat from pig - fresh - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	156	13	156	13	0		
Meat from pig - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	8401	120	6355	119	2046	0	1
Meat from pig - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	60	2	60	2	60	2	0
Meat from pig - offal - Frozen vegetables - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	36	3	36	25	0		
Meat from pig - offal - liver - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	1	12	1	0		
Meat from rabbit - fresh - chilled - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	1	12	1	0		
Meat from turkey - fresh - chilled - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	12	2	12	2	0		
Meat, mixed meat - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	83	0	0		83	0	0
Meat, mixed meat - meat products - cooked, ready-to-eat - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	84	5	84	5	84	5	0

Table *Listeria monocytogenes* in other foods

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for <i>L.monocytogenes</i>	Units tested with detection method	<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> presence in x g	Units tested with enumeration method	> detection limit but ≤ 100 cfu/g	<i>L. monocytogenes</i> > 100 cfu/g
Meat, mixed meat - meat products - fermented sausages - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	13	0	0		13	0	0
Meat, mixed meat - meat products - fermented sausages - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	24	2	24	2	24	2	0
Meat, mixed meat - meat products - raw but intended to be eaten cooked - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	6	0	0		6	0	0
Meat, mixed meat - minced meat - at retail - Survey (50% pork meat + 50% beef meat)	NIPH	single	25 g	12	0	12	0	0		
Ready-to-eat salads - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	24	0	24	0	24	0	0
Ready-to-eat salads - containing mayonnaise - at processing plant - Surveillance	SVA	batch	25 g	1121	46	553	46	568	0	0
Ready-to-eat salads - containing mayonnaise - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	411	20	95	18	316	0	2
Ready-to-eat salads - containing mayonnaise - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	86	0	0		86	0	0
Sauce and dressings - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	6	0	0		6	0	0
Sweets - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	117	0	2	25	115	0	0
Sweets - at processing plant - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	36	1	36	1	36	1	0
Sweets - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	12	0	0		12	0	0
Vegetables - at processing plant - Surveillance	SVA	batch	25 g	224	4	81	4	143	0	0
Vegetables - non-precut - at retail - Survey	NIPH	single	25 g	84	1	84	1	84	1	0
Vegetables - pre-cut - ready-to-eat - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	27	0	0		27	0	0

Table *Listeria monocytogenes* in other foods

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for <i>L.monocytogenes</i>	Units tested with detection method	<i>Listeria monocytogenes</i> presence in x g	Units tested with enumeration method	> detection limit but ≤ 100 cfu/g	<i>L. monocytogenes</i> > 100 cfu/g
Vegetables - pre-cut - ready-to-eat - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	13	0	0		13	0	0

2.4 E. COLI INFECTIONS

2.4.1 General evaluation of the national situation

A. Verotoxigenic Escherichia coli infections general evaluation

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

Occurrence of the zoonotic agent and/or disease is sporadic and in human there was no clinical case of the disease.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

In the year 2008 was no positive finding from foodstuffs.

Relevance of the findings in animals, feedingstuffs and foodstuffs to human cases

There was no relevance between finding in animals and foodstuffs to human .

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

Sampling for monitoring of VT E. coli is performed at slaughterhouses during July and August. The samples have been taken from carcass swabs of pig and bovine animals. Swabs were taken from 4 places on the carcass. The area of the swab is 100 cm². Samples are tested in state veterinary institutes.

Additional information

The horizontal method for the detection of Escherichia coli O157 (ISO 16654:2001) was used for testing of samples of food for VTEC in routine diagnostic laboratories. Suspected isolates were tested in the national reference laboratory. The isolates were tested for somatic O-antigen by agglutination and for genetic cod for VT production and intimin production by PCR. Somatic O-antigens were tested for more frequent serogroups by 70 O-antisera. Antisera O157, O26, O91, O103, O113, O121, O128, O69, O71, O116, O139, O141, O142, O147, O153, O156 and others were used.

The VTEC isolates from animals were randomly detected from sick or dead animals.

2.4.2 E. coli infections in humans

2.4.3 Escherichia coli, pathogenic in foodstuffs

Table VT E. coli in food

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Verotoxigenic E. coli (VTEC)	Verotoxigenic E. coli (VTEC)-VTEC O157	Verotoxigenic E. coli (VTEC)-VTEC non-O157	Verotoxigenic E. coli (VTEC)-VTEC, unspecified
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - dairy products, not specified - at processing plant - Surveillance	SVA	batch	25 g	27	0			
Egg products - at processing plant - Surveillance	SVA	batch	25 g	1	0			
Fishery products, unspecified - at processing plant - Surveillance	SVA	batch	25 g	5	0			
Fruits - at cutting plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	1	0			
Meat from bovine animals - fresh - at slaughterhouse - Monitoring - official sampling (swabs (100 cm ²))	SVA	batch	25 g	516	0			
Meat from broilers (Gallus gallus) - fresh - at slaughterhouse - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	20	0			
Meat from pig - fresh - at slaughterhouse - Monitoring - official sampling (swabs (100 cm ²))	SVA	batch	25 g	648	0			
Milk, cows' - raw - intended for direct human consumption - - milk - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	20	0			
Milk, cows' - raw milk for manufacture - intended for manufacture of raw or low heat-treated products - at processing plant - domestic production - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	2	0			
Other products of animal origin - at processing plant - Surveillance	SVA	batch	25 g	103	0			

Table VT E. coli in food

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Verotoxigenic E. coli (VTEC)	Verotoxigenic E. coli (VTEC)-VTEC O157	Verotoxigenic E. coli (VTEC)-VTEC non-O157	Verotoxigenic E. coli (VTEC)-VTEC, unspecified
Vegetables - at cutting plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25 g	10	0			

2.4.4 Escherichia coli, pathogenic in animals

2.5 TUBERCULOSIS, MYCOBACTERIAL DISEASES

2.5.1 General evaluation of the national situation

A. Tuberculosis general evaluation

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

Elimination of bovine tuberculosis caused by *M. bovis* was successfully completed in the CR by eradication and control programme in 1968.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The whole territory of the Czech Republic is declared officially free of tuberculosis as regards bovine herds in accordance with Commission decision 2004/320/EC of 31 March 2004. There is no relevance between TBC in human and TBC in animals.

Relevance of the findings in animals, feedingstuffs and foodstuffs to human cases

There is no relevance between findings in animals, feedingstuffs and foodstuffs to human causes because since 1968 the Czech Republic is free from Bovine tuberculosis (*M. bovis*).

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

In animals - simple skin test

- before remove all shemales older than 24 months
- all imported shemales (except sloughtering animals) older than 6 weeks and breeding bulls from third countries
- all removed shemales (except sloughtering animals) older than 6 weeks and breeding bulls from Member States, which have not status of free country
- all breeding bulls

2.5.2 Tuberculosis, mycobacterial diseases in humans

A. Tuberculosis due to *Mycobacterium bovis* in humans

Reporting system in place for the human cases

Register of tuberculosis notifies clinical reports and laboratory reports of tuberculosis and mycobacterioses.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

Laboratory microscopy and cultivation methods of identification are used. Only cultivation proof is considered as valid microbiological proof.

Notification system in place

Tuberculosis is obligatory notified disease since the beginning of the 20th century. The most recent system contains two branches – Register of tuberculosis - physician's reports based register and laboratory reports of positive findings based system. Both are merged into one system with unique identification number.

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

Tuberculosis caused by *M. tuberculosis* is declining for several years after ten-years stagnation. CR is considered as low endemicity country.

After successful elimination of tuberculosis due to *M. bovis* in animals, we notify only very sporadic cases of identification of *M. bovis* in humans. Bacteriological finding of *M. bovis* in humans must be considered very cautiously.

2.5.3 Mycobacterium in animals

A. Mycobacterium bovis in bovine animals

Status as officially free of bovine tuberculosis during the reporting year

The entire country free

The Czech Republic is free of Bovine tuberculosis caused by *M. bovis* since 1967 on the national level and from 2004 is declared as officially free in accordance with EU legislation on the base of Commission Decision 2004/320/EC.

Free regions

The whole territory of the Czech Republic is declared as officially free of tuberculosis (*M. bovis*) in relation to bovine herds.

Additional information

During the reporting year 2008 there was no occurrence and/or outbreak of bovine tuberculosis caused by *Mycobacterium bovis* in bovine animals.

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

The sampling strategy and monitoring system is in accordance with Directive 64/432/EEC as amended.

Frequency of the sampling

Tuberculosis “Alergenodiagnosis” simple intradermal test (antigen "Bovitubal" *M. bovis* 28 000 IU)

Data of the last skin test must be checked prior to skin test in order to observe specified time period between individual examinations.

- a) animals moved for further keeping in the Czech Republic “examination of female animals over 24 months of age one month prior to the first movement 1x per year. The term movement means: outside the territory of a region
- b) animals imported from third countries (excluding slaughter animals) examination of female animals over 6 weeks of age and breeding bulls. The examination must be carried out as soon as possible after arrival of animals to the place of destination with respect to eventual previous tuberculin test;
- c) animals moved from Member States not having status of bovine tuberculosis officially free country or region (excluding slaughter animals) and examination of female animals over 6 weeks of age and breeding bulls. The examination must be carried out as soon as possible after arrival of animals to the place of destination with respect to eventual previous tuberculin test;
- d) breeding bulls in BBRH examination within 28 days prior to basic selection;
- e) breeding bulls prior to admission to semen collection centres examination in accordance with Annex 2 to Decree No. 380/2003;

f) breeding bulls in semen collection centres 1x per year examination in accordance with Annex 2 to Decree No. 380/2003.

Type of specimen taken

Other: skin test

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

The place of antigen application is situated at the border of the anterior and middle thirds of the neck. The skin must be without pathological changes, equally thick with the possibility of an easy cutaneous drape formation. The place of tuberculin administration is perfectly cut and cleaned. The cutaneous drape is formed with the thumb and the point finger and its thickness is after cutimetre measuring recorded. The dosage of 0.1 ml of tuberculin is applied by means of a short sterile needle, bevel edge outwards, with graduated syringe charged with tuberculin, inserted obliquely into the deepest layers of the skin. The right reaction after intradermal administration - the papula formation in the place of allergen inoculation - must be detected by palpation. If the tuberculin was not administered intradermally, it is possible to repeat the administration in the same place in the prescribed dosage. If the skin is injured during cutting or if skin changes are determined before tuberculin administration, it is necessary to inoculate tuberculin on another place of the same neck side. The origin place is cancelled with the hair cut.

Case definition

Negative reaction: If there is apparent only bordered swelling with the cutaneous drape strengthening of max. 2 mm without clinical symptoms as diffusion or large swelling, exudation, necrosis, painfulness or inflammation reaction of the corresponding lymphatic vessels or lymphatic nodes. Dubious reaction: If there is apparent no clinical symptom stated in item a) but the cutaneous drape strengthening is higher than 2 mm but lower than 4 mm. Positive reaction: If there are apparent clinical symptoms stated in item a) or the cutaneous drape in the place of application is thicker by 4 mm or more.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

Simple skin test has been performed with tuberculin BOVITUBAL 28000 IU/ml (Bioveta, CZ) which contains tuberculin protein from *Mycobacterium bovis* (strain AN 5). The dose for one animal is 0,1ml. The diagnostic method is in accordance with recommendation OIE.

Vaccination policy

Vaccination is strictly prohibited.

Other preventive measures than vaccination in place

All slaughtered bovine animals were under veterinary control. The official post mortem veterinary examination is carry out in slaughterhouses by the official veterinarian in accordance with EU legislation.

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The control of bovine tuberculosis is performing in accordance with 64/432/EC as amended.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

In the case of positive results of examination the appropriate RVA issued extraordinary veterinary measures in accordance with Veterinary Act (CZ legislation) and EU legislation.

Notification system in place

Notification system is lay down by the Act No. 166/1999 on veterinary care and amending certain related laws (Veterinary Act), as amended.

Results of the investigation

If the result of investigation is positive, the person responsible for the laboratory carrying out the examination, the person carrying out the examination or the owner of the animals shall notify the results to the competent authority.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

In the Czech Republic bovine tuberculosis was suppressed in frame of the nationwide sanitation program (1959 - 1968) on 10 October 1968. The post-eradication period (1969 - 1999) was characterized by the extinction of reservoir sources. Currently only the sporadic cases of the bovine tuberculosis incidence have been recorded. In 1981, 1987 to 1990, 1993 and 1996 any bovine tuberculosis incidence was not found. Thereat in other years, from 1980 to 1995, at the most three outbreaks of tuberculosis ever appeared in cattle. The participation of the infected animals in individual stocks was very low and never exceeded 5 to 10% of animals. In 1970 to 1995 the *Mycobacterium bovis* infection was also diagnosed in other 119 animals (zoological gardens, nature, small breedings) and in ten milk specimens. By course of the O.I.E. (International Animal Health Code, chapter 3.2.3.) definition the territory of the Czech Republic is free from bovine tuberculosis (the prevalence up to 0,2% of infected cattle stocks).

Relevance of the findings in animals to findings in foodstuffs and to human cases

There is no relevance because we have no case of TBC (*M. bovis*).

Additional information

In 2002 were tested 391 274 animals by single tuberculin test examination (11 positive) and 1 350 animals by simultaneous tuberculin test examination (10 positive). All positive reactions were investigated for *M. bovis* with negative result.

In 2003 were tested 374 625 animals by single tuberculin test examination (1 positive) and 1 730 animals by simultaneous tuberculin test examination. All positive reactions were investigated for *M. bovis* with negative result.

In 2004 were tested 322 494 animals by single tuberculin test examination (29

positive) and 12 124 animals by simultaneous tuberculin test examination. All positive reactions were investigated for *M. bovis* with negative result.

In the 2005 were tested 5659 animals by single tuberculin test examination without positive results. Number of animals with suspicious lesions of tuberculosis were 14. All this lesions were detected as negative.

In the 2006 were tested 5081 animals by single tuberculin test examination without positive results. Number of animals with suspicious lesions of tuberculosis were 12. All this lesions were detected as negative.

In the 2007 were tested 6939 animals by single tuberculin test examination without positive results. Number of animals with suspicious lesions of tuberculosis were 9. All this lesions were detected as negative.

In the 2008 were tested 7037 animals by single tuberculin test examination without positive results. Number of animals with suspicious lesions of tuberculosis were 6. All this lesions were detected as negative.

In frame of the health control paid by the state, bovine tuberculosis is currently monitored in the CR as follow: single tuberculin test examination, simultaneous tuberculin test examination, laboratory examination (section, histological investigation and bacteriological investigation), serological investigation.

Table Tuberculosis in other animals

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Mycobacterium spp.	M. bovis	M. tuberculosis	Mycobacterium spp., unspecified
Goats - at farm - Surveillance (Objective sampling)	SVA	animal	3014	0	0	0	0

Table Bovine tuberculosis in countries and regions that do not receive Community co-financing for eradication programmes

Region	Total number of existing bovine		Officially free herds		Infected herds		Routine tuberculin testing		Number of tuberculin tests carried out before the introduction into the herds (Annex A(I)(2)(c) third indent (1) of Directive 64/432/EEC)	Number of animals with suspicious lesions of tuberculosis examined and submitted to histopathological and bacteriological examinations	Number of animals detected positive in bacteriological examination
	Herds	Animals	Number of herds	%	Number of herds	%	Interval between routine tuberculin tests	Number of animals tested			
CESKÁ REPUBLIKA	21292	1443640	21291	100	0	0	5	7037	7037	6	0
Total	21292	1443640	21291	100.0	0	0.0	5	7037	7037	6	0
Total - 1											

Footnote:

simple tuberculin test

- before remove all shemales older than 24 months

- all imported shemales (except sloughtering animals) older than 6 weeks and breeding bulls from third countries

- all removed shemales (except sloughtering animals) older than 6 weeks and breeding bulls from Member States, which have not status of free country

all breeding bulls

2.6 BRUCELLOSIS

2.6.1 General evaluation of the national situation

A. Brucellosis general evaluation

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

In 1964 the program for eradication and control of bovine brucellosis in cattle caused by *B. abortus* was successfully completed.

Ovine and caprine brucellosis caused by *B. melitensis* has never been occurred in the Czech Republic.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The whole territory of the Czech Republic is declared officially free of brucellosis as regards bovine, sheep and goats herds in accordance with Commission decision 2004/320/EC of 31 March 2004.

2.6.2 Brucellosis in humans

A. Brucellosis in humans

Reporting system in place for the human cases

Epidat, all regions in the Czech Republic

Case definition

EU case definition in use

Notification system in place

Notifiable diseases

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

Brucellosis in human is very rare disease.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

Very rare disease and source of infection is abroad.

2.6.3 Brucella in animals

A. Brucella abortus in bovine animals

Status as officially free of bovine brucellosis during the reporting year

The entire country free

The Czech Republic is free of bovine brucellosis since 1964 on the national level and since 2004 is the Czech Republic officially free of bovine brucellosis according to EU legislation. The officially free status is laid down in Commission Decision 2004/320/EC.

Free regions

The whole territory of the Czech Republic is declared as officially free of Bovine brucellosis regarding bovine herds.

Additional information

During the reporting year 2008 there was no occurrence and/or outbreak of bovine brucellosis on the whole territory of the Czech Republic.

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

Samples are taken from:

- 1, All holdings of cattle, which do not supply milk to dairy - all animals from age 24 months, all breeding bulls, all abortion animals - blood samples.
- 2, All holdings of cattle, where is more than 100 heads, which supply milk to dairy - all animals from age 24 months - blood samples.
- 3, Abortion foetuses in indicated cases.
- 4, All holdings of milk cows, where is less than 100 heads, which supply milk to dairy - bulk milk samples

Frequency of the sampling

Sampling scheme:

- a) breeding bulls in breeding bulls rearing house examination within 28 days prior to basic selection;
- b) breeding bulls prior to admission to semen collection centres examination in accordance with Annex 2 to Decree No. 380/2003;
- c) breeding bulls in semen collection centres 1x per year examination in accordance with Annex 2 to Decree No. 380/2003.

Brucellosis serological examination

- a) all bovine holdings (herds) not delivering milk or not authorized to local sale of milk examination of all animals over 24 months of age and breeding bulls in natural mating 1x per year;
- b) animals imported from third countries (excluding slaughter animals) examination of female animals over 24 months of age and breeding bulls. The

examination must be carried out at most 1 month after arrival of animals to the place of destination;

c) animals moved from Member States not having status of bovine brucellosis officially free country or region (excluding slaughter animals) examination of female animals over 24 months of age and breeding bulls. The examination must be carried out at most 1 month after arrival of animals to the place of destination.

Brucellosis serological examination(RBT or ELISA) number of milking cows is recorded. Blood samples from all bovine holdings, where is more than 100 heads delivering milk to dairy plants or authorized to local sale of milk examination of all animals older 24 months 1x per year.

Brucellosis examination of milk (ELISA) number of milking cows is recorded. Bulk milk samples from all bovine holdings, where is less than 100 heads delivering milk to dairy plants or authorized to local sale of milk examination 2x per year in interval of at least 3 months. The examination of 100 dairy cows at most.

Brucellosis

All aborting cows examination 2x per year in interval of 21 - 28 days.

Brucellosis

Abortions and amnia examination in indicated cases.

Type of specimen taken

Other: milk, blood, abortion foetus

Case definition

Positive laboratory investigation (serological or bacteriological).

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

The diagnostic methods are used in accordance with Directive 64/432/EEC, Regulation 2004/226/EEC. RBT, Complement fixation test, ELISA, slow agglutination.

Vaccination policy

Vaccination is strictly prohibited.

Other preventive measures than vaccination in place

Control of animals movement between regions and control of imported animals.

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

Ministry of Agriculture of the Czech Republic determines main strategies in a veterinary care and carries out their control as laid down in the Veterinary Act No. 166/1999 Article 44, Point 1a. The Ministry of Agriculture specifies obligatory

preventive and diagnostics campaigns in accordance with the Veterinary Act, Article 44; Point 1d, based on the epidemiological situation. Related details are laid down in the Methodology of Animal Health Controls and Prophylaxis approved by the Ministry of Agriculture and issued in its Official Journal. According to the legislation (Veterinary Act 166/1999), the SVA CR (CCA) has the legal power to supervise any action ordered by the Methodology. Regional veterinary administrations execute the legal powers as to supervise private veterinarians over their actions in the professional field as ordered by the Methodology.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

The measures are laid down in the Veterinary Act No 166/1999 and Decree 299/2003 in Accordance with 91/68/EEC.

Notification system in place

Notification system is lay down by the Act No. 166/1999 on veterinary care and amending certain related laws (Veterinary Act), as amended.

Results of the investigation

If the result of investigation is positive, the person responsible for the laboratory carrying out the examination, the person carrying out the examination or the owner of the animals shall notify the results to the competent authority.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

There was no outbreak of the disease in 2008.

Relevance of the findings in animals to findings in foodstuffs and to human cases

There are not relevancies of the findings to human cases as a source of infection.

B. Brucella melitensis in sheep

Status as officially free of ovine brucellosis during the reporting year

The entire country free

The Czech Republic is officially free of ovine brucellosis in accordance with 320/2004/EC.

Free regions

All regions in The Czech republic are free of ovine brucellosis (*B. melitensis*) and the disease has never been found in the Czech Republic.

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

The sampling strategy was done by State Veterinary Administration in Methodology of control of animal health which is laid down in accordance with Veterinary Act No. 166/1999 as amended.

Frequency of the sampling

Ovine and caprine brucellosis (*B. melitensis*) LE CS (RBT + CFR)

Licensed breeding rams examination 1x per year in accordance with Annex 9 to Decree No. 380/2003.

Ovine and caprine brucellosis (*B. melitensis*) LE serological examination (RBT)

Holdings (herds) producing young breeding rams where performance checks are carried out examination 1x per year. Representative number of animals shall include:

- a) all non-castrated male animals over 6 months of age;
- b) 25% of female animals of reproduction age (sexually mature) or lactating examination of at least 50 female animals (all animals in holdings containing less than 50 animals);
- c) all animals over 6 months of age introduced to the holding after the previous testing.

Ovine and caprine brucellosis (*B. melitensis*) LE CS (RBT + CFR)

Aborting ewes examination 2x in interval of 21-28 days.

Ovine and caprine brucellosis (*B. melitensis*) LE (A + BE)

Abortions or amnia examination in indicated cases.

Type of specimen taken

Other: blood and foetuses

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

The methods of sampling is in accordance with Annex of the Council Decision 90/242/EEC

Case definition

Positive laboratory investigation (serological or bacteriological).

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

The diagnostic method that are used in accordance with Annex of the Council Decision 90/242/EEC.

Vaccination policy

Vaccination is strictly prohibited.

Other preventive measures than vaccination in place

Control of animals movement between regions and control of imported animals.

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The control program is laid down by State Veterinary Administration in Methodology of control health in accordance with Veterinary Act no. 166/1999 as amended.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

The measures are laid down in Veterinary Act No. 166/199 sb. and Decree 299/2003 Sb in accordance with 91/68/EEC.

Notification system in place

Notification system is lay down by the Act No. 166/1999 on veterinary care and amending certain related laws (Veterinary Act), as amended.

Results of the investigation

If the result of investigation is positive, the person responsible for the laboratory carrying out the examination, the person carrying out the examination or the owner of the animals shall notify the results to the competent authority.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

In 2008 were tested all breeding rams once a year, all aborted sheep two times in interval 21 -28 days and aborted fetuses and in holdings which produced young breeding rams were tested all rams 6 months old and 25 % adult sheep (min. 50 heads) once a year. 13 238 samples in sheep were tested for B. melitensis in year 2008 with negative results. Samples were tested by complement fixation test, RBT and slow agglutination.

Relevance of the findings in animals to findings in foodstuffs and to human cases

There are not relevancies of the findings to human cases as a source of infection.

C. Brucella melitensis in goats

Status as officially free of caprine brucellosis during the reporting year

The entire country free

The whole territory of the Czech Republic is officially free of Sheep and goat brucellosis in accordance with Commission Decision No. 320/2004/EC.

Free regions

The whole territory of the Czech Republic is free of *B. melitensis* and *B. melitensis* has never been found in the Czech Republic.

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

The sampling strategy was done by State Veterinary Administration in Methodology of control of animal health which is laid down in accordance with Veterinary Act No. 166/1999 as amended.

Frequency of the sampling

Caprine brucellosis (*B. melitensis*) LE CS (RBT + CFR)

Aborting goats examination 2x in interval of 21–28 days.

Caprine brucellosis (*B. melitensis*) LE CS (RBT + CFR)

Breeding goats in mating examination 1x per year in accordance with Annex 9 to Decree No. 380/2003.

Caprine brucellosis (*B. melitensis*) LE serological examination (RBT)

Holdings (herds) producing young breeding he-goats where performance checks are carried out examination 1x per year. Representative number of animals shall include:

- a) all non-castrated male animals over 6 months of age;
- b) 25% of female animals of reproduction age (sexually mature) or lactating examination of at least 50 female animals (all animals in holdings containing less than 50 animals);
- c) all animals over 6 months of age introduced to the holding after the previous testing.

Caprine brucellosis (*B. melitensis*) LE (A + BE)

Abortions or amnia examination in indicated cases.

Type of specimen taken

Blood

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

The methods of sampling is in accordance with Annex of the Council Decision 90/242/EEC

Case definition

The sample is considered like positive in the case of positive laboratory examination.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

The diagnostic methods were used in accordance with Directive 64/432/EEC and Regulation 2004/226/EEC. RBT, CFT, ELISA and slow agglutination.

Vaccination policy

Vaccination is strictly prohibited.

Other preventive measures than vaccination in place

Control of animals movement between regions and control of imported animals.

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

Ministry of Agriculture of the Czech Republic determines main strategies in a veterinary care and carries out their control as laid down in the Veterinary Act No. 166/1999 Article 44, Point 1a. The Ministry of Agriculture specifies obligatory preventive and diagnostics campaigns in accordance with the Veterinary Act, Article 44; Point 1d, based on the epidemiological situation. Related details are laid down in the Methodology of Animal Health Controls and Prophylaxis approved by the Ministry of Agriculture and issued in its Official Journal. According to the legislation (Veterinary Act 166/1999), the SVA CR (CCA) has the legal power to supervise any action ordered by the Methodology. Regional veterinary administrations execute the legal powers as to supervise private veterinarians over their actions in the professional field as ordered by the Methodology.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

The measures are laid down in Veterinary Act No 166/1999 and Decree 299/2003 in accordance with 91/68/EEC.

Notification system in place

Notification system is lay down by the Act No. 166/1999 on veterinary care and amending certain related laws (Veterinary Act), as amended.

Results of the investigation

If the result of investigation is positive, the person responsible for the laboratory carrying out the examination, the person carrying out the examination or the owner of the animals shall notify the results to the competent authority.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The disease has never been recorded in the Czech Republic.
In 2008 were tested all breeding bucks once a year, all aborted goats two times in interval 21 -28 days and aborted fetuses and in holdings which produced young breeding bucks were tested all bucks 6 months old and 25 % adult goats (min. 50 heads) once a year. 2832 samples in goats were tested for B. melitensis in year 2008 with negative results. Samples were tested by

complement fixation test, RBT and slow agglutination.

Relevance of the findings in animals to findings in foodstuffs and to human cases

There are not relevancies of the findings to human cases as a source of infection.

Table Brucellosis in other animals

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Brucella spp.	B. abortus	B. melitensis	B. suis	Brucella spp., unspecified
Dogs - pet animals - at farm - animal sample - Clinical investigations (suspected)	SVA	animal	60	0	0	0	0	0
Hares - from hunting - Monitoring (target)	SVA	animal	600	45	0	0	0	45
Pigs - at slaughterhouse - Monitoring (selective)	SVA	animal	122314	0	0	0	0	0
Solipeds, domestic - horses		animal	11	0	0	0	0	0
Zoo animals, all - at zoo - Monitoring (target)	SVA	animal	1797	0	0	0	0	0

Table Bovine brucellosis in countries and regions that do not receive Community co-financing for eradication programme

Region	Total number of existing bovine		Officially free herds		Infected herds		Surveillance						Investigations of suspect cases								
							Serological tests			Examination of bulk milk			Information about			Epidemiological investigation					
	Herds	Animals	Number of herds	%	Number of herds	%	Number of bovine herds tested	Number of animals tested	Number of infected herds	Number of bovine herds tested	Number of animals or pools tested	Number of infected herds	Number of notified abortions whatever cause	Number of isolations of Brucella infection	Number of abortions due to Brucella abortus	Number of animals tested with serologic al blood tests	Number of suspende d herds	Number of positive animals		Number of animals examined microbio logically	Number of animals positive microbio logically
																		Sero logically	BST		
CESKÁ REPUBLIKA	21292	1443640	21292	100	0	0	20842	544702	0	1682	201832	0	6581	0	0	201	3	6		40	0
Total	21292	1443640	21292	100.0	0	0.0	20842	544702	0	1682	201832	0	6581	0	0	201	3	6	0	40	0
Total - 1																					

Table Ovine or Caprine Brucellosis in countries and regions that do not receive Community co-financing for eradication programme

Region	Total number of existing		Officially free herds		Infected herds		Surveillance			Investigations of suspect cases				
	Herds	Animals	Number of herds	%	Number of herds	%	Number of herds tested	Number of animals tested	Number of infected herds	Number of animals tested with serological blood tests	Number of animals positive serologically	Number of animals examined microbiologically	Number of animals positive microbiologically	Number of suspended herds
CESKÁ REPUBLIKA	13653	221282	13653	100	0	0	1305	16070	0	46	1	7	0	1
Total	13653	221282	13653	100.0	0	0.0	1305	16070	0	46	1	7	0	1
Total - 1														

2.7 YERSINIOSIS

2.7.1 General evaluation of the national situation

2.7.2 Yersiniosis in humans

A. Yersiniosis in humans

Reporting system in place for the human cases

Epidat

Case definition

EU

Notification system in place

Notifiable diseases

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

MKN DG	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
A04.6 Yers	211	231	301	403	372	498

Relevance as zoonotic disease

Morbidity of yersiniosis in CZ reveal increasing (498 cases in the last year). Age distribution is like salmonellosis. Cases are sporadic. Seasonality culminates in October and November. Source is most frequently pork meat.

2.7.3 Yersinia in animals

2.8 TRICHINELLOSIS

2.8.1 General evaluation of the national situation

A. Trichinellosis general evaluation

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

The trichinellosis is very rare disease in wild life animals. The main source of the infection in the Czech Republic are wild boars.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The occurrence of the disease in animals and humans is sporadic and the situation is stable.

Relevance of the findings in animals, feedingstuffs and foodstuffs to human cases

There was no relevance between finding in animals and finding in human.

2.8.2 Trichinellosis in humans

2.8.3 Trichinella in animals

A. Trichinella in pigs

Number of officially recognised Trichinella-free holdings

There is no officially recognised Trichinella-free holdings in the Czech Republic.

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

General

All carcasses of pigs are investigated in slaughterhouses. The sampling strategy is realized in accordance with Veterinary Act No. 166/1999 coll., as amended.

Frequency of the sampling

General

All carcasses of pigs are investigated at slaughterhouses and all hunted wild boar for human consumption were tested for the presence of trichinella according to Veterinary Act No. 166/1999 coll., as amended.

Type of specimen taken

General

Diaphragm muscles were taken and in the case of absence of diaphragm, the jaw muscle, tongue or abdominal muscles were sampled.

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

General

The digestive method is used as an approved method in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No 2075/2005.

Case definition

General

Presence of cyst or organism *Trichinella* spp. in muscles.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

General

The digestive method was carried out in accordance with 2075/2005/EC.

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The control program was made in accordance with 77/96/EC to the end of November 2005. The investigations were carried out in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No 2075/2005 from December 2005.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

The meat from positive carcass is excluded from the food chain.

**Results of the investigation including description of the positive cases and the
Fattening pigs raised under controlled housing conditions in integrated production system**

All fattening pigs slaughtered in the slaughterhouses are tested for *Trichinella* spp. The positive case is presence *Trichinella* spp. in muscles detected by the digestive method.

Fattening pigs not raised under controlled housing conditions in integrated production system

Pigs slaughtered at home only for owner consumption are not under official veterinary control. The veterinary control is in that case voluntary.

Breeding sows and boars

All breeding sows and boars are sampled in slaughterhouses.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The occurrence of *Trichinella* in pigs is very rare and sporadic. Over the reporting period has been detected only one positive finding in wild boar and any occurrence of *trichinella* in domestic pigs.

B. Trichinella in horses

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

All horses at slaughter are tested for trichinella. The samples are taken by veterinary authorities in the slaughterhouses.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

Digestive method in accordance with Commission regulation (EC) No 2075/2005.

Table Trichinella in animals

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Trichinella spp.	T. spiralis	Trichinella spp., unspecified
Pigs - at slaughterhouse - Monitoring	SVA	single	3401215	0		
Solipeds, domestic - horses - at slaughterhouse - Control and eradication programmes - official sampling	SVA	single	267	0		
Wild boars - wild - from hunting	SVA	single	78911	0		

2.9 ECHINOCOCCOSIS

2.9.1 General evaluation of the national situation

A. Echinococcus spp. general evaluation

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

Until 1965 occurred echinococcosis only sporadically in 2% of keepings (low capacity stables) and was minimized and later totally eradicated by innovation and using high capacity stables (restricted access of rodents).

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The monitoring programme for Echinococcus in wildlife red foxes was introduced in the year 2005. The samples are taken from foxes which were hunted for Rabies efficiency control. In the frame of the programme were tested 833 samples from foxes for echinococcosis. 62 samples were positive for E. multilocularis.

In the year 2006 were tested 958 samples from 958 foxes for echinococcosis, 107 samples were positive for E. multilocularis.

In the year 2007 were tested 1250 samples from 1250 foxes for echinococcosis, 222 samples were positive for E. multilocularis.

In the year 2008 were tested 1333 samples (from foxes) for echinococcosis, 426 samples were positive for E. multilocularis.

Relevance of the findings in animals, feedingstuffs and foodstuffs to human cases

Thanks the post mortem inspection of all carcasses is minimized the risk of releasing infected carcasses. There was now relevance between finding in animals and humans in the year 2005,2006,2007 and 2008 too.

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

Investigation is performed in two foxes which were hunted or found dead on every 100 km² of hunting area in year.

2.9.2 Echinococcosis in humans

A. Echinococcus spp. in humans

Reporting system in place for the human cases

Epidat

Case definition

EU

Notification system in place

Notifiable diseases

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

rare occurrence - imported cases

Results of the investigation

Two imported cases in the year 2005.

2.9.3 Echinococcus in animals

Table Echinococcus in animals

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Echinococcus spp.	E. granulosus	E. multilocularis	Echinococcus spp., unspecified
Foxes - from hunting - Monitoring		single	1333	426			426

2.10 TOXOPLASMOSIS

2.10.1 General evaluation of the national situation

2.10.2 Toxoplasmosis in humans

A. Toxoplasmosis in humans

Reporting system in place for the human cases

Epidat

Case definition

EU

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

Laboratory

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

year cases

1970 91

1971 121

1972 157

1973 253

1974 1535

1975 460

1976 1071

1977 369

1978 1093

1979 773

1980 783

1981 704

1982 728

1983 959

1984 826

1985 875

1986 721

1987 569

1988 633

1989 595

1990 793

1991 706

1992 823

1993 860

1994 2056

1995 1514
1996 1217
1997 952
1998 777
1999 857
2000 670
2001 516
2002 646
2003 455
2004 219

Results of the investigation

Steady decrease of incidence

2.11 RABIES

2.11.1 General evaluation of the national situation

A. Rabies general evaluation

History of the disease and/or infection in the country

Continual research carried out during 1960–1980 proved that rabies had become endemic in the border areas of West and North Bohemia and North Moravia. The importance of foxes in rabies epidemiology increased and red fox became the principal vector of rabies in the Czech Republic. Neither subsidaries payment for hunted foxes, which was introduced in 1969, nor gassing of fox dens, carried out during 1979–1984, did not improved the situation. In the 1980s rabies reached its greatest geographical range. With the exception of several districts, the whole territory of the Czech Republic was affected. The oral vaccination of foxes was launched in a few districts adjacent to German borders in 1989 and implemented further thereafter. Since that time continual decline has been visible especially since 1992 when positive effect of oral vaccination has become evident.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The last outbreak of Rabies was reported in April 2002. The rabies data reported during the last thirteen years indicate the development of the rabies situation in our country since the beginning of oral vaccination. In the period 1989 to 2003, 135 819 animals were examined for rabies. The major parts of them were foxes (more than 50%) followed by cats and dogs participating by 30 % together. Rabies was diagnosed in 6 180 cases during this thirteen year period. The highest number of rabies cases was recorded in 1989 reaching 1 501 cases. The lowest occurrence (3 cases – April) was recorded in 2002. The involvement of animal species shows that wild animals participated by 95,6% and domestic animals by 4,4 %. The highest occurrence was recorded in foxes accounting for 90,4% of the total cases. Other wild animals and domestic animals participated only by 5,2% and 4,4% respectively.

The last occurrence of Rabies was reported in bat in the year 2005, it was only one sporadic case. There was no outbreak in wildlife or domestic animals since April 2002.

Relevance of the findings in animals, feedingstuffs and foodstuffs to human cases

There was no relevance between finding in animal and Humans. Human rabies occurs very rarely in the Czech Republic.

Only three cases in human were diagnosed during last 40 years. (1968-1 woman-Fox; 1973-1 man-Dog India; 1989-1 man-Unknown in Vietnam)

Recent actions taken to control the zoonoses

Domestic animals

Preventive vaccination of domestic carnivores and if necessary, domestic herbivores are the principal methods of domestic animals protection. The inactivated tissue-culture vaccines are used exclusively for this purpose.

Wild animals

In total, 9.556 animals were examined for rabies during 2005. One positive case was recorded in bat.

The strategy of rabies control is based on reduction of wildlife reservoir of the virus by oral vaccination of foxes. The strategy of vaccine baits distribution twice a year in spring and autumn was applied. Since 1992, only Czech made live attenuated vaccine SAD - Bern has been used for vaccination campaigns. Results of oral vaccination: Control examinations following baits distribution were oriented to baits uptake, rabies diagnosis, tetracycline marking, characterization of virus strains and antibody formation. The indirect measuring of baits uptake was obtained by the examination of fox bones for tetracycline incorporation. As recommended by WHO, after each campaign, wildlife specimens were collected from vaccination area for examination.

In total, 7927 animals were examined for rabies during 2006, no positive case was found.

In total, 4798 animals were examined for rabies during 2007, no positive case was found.

In total, 8917 animals were examined for rabies during 2008, no positive case was found.

2.11.2 Rabies in humans

2.11.3 Lyssavirus (rabies) in animals

A. Rabies in dogs

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

The sampling is performed only in suspected animals or in animals which savage people.

Frequency of the sampling

In indicated cases.

Type of specimen taken

Other: clinical investigation or brain

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

Samples of brain are taken in State Veterinary Institute.

Case definition

Positive IF test.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

Fluorescent Antibody Test (FAT) on smears from hippocampus or medulla oblongata

Vaccination policy

Antirabies vaccination is obligatory according to Vet. care Act No 166/1999. Every breeder has to ensure that dogs and some other animals kept in captivity, particularly foxes, badgers and martens, are vaccinated against rabies at their age of 3 months and then revaccinated in regular intervals. The vaccination is carried out by private veterinarians at the owner's expense.

Other preventive measures than vaccination in place

All dogs which bite a man must be clinically investigated by the veterinarian.

Control program/mechanisms

The control program/strategies in place

The Czech Republic carries out a program for oral vaccination of foxes.

Measures in case of the positive findings or single cases

Positive animals are destroyed.

Notification system in place

Rabies is a notifiable disease and the notification system is laid down by the Act No. 166/1999, as amended (Veterinary Act).

Results of the investigation

The person responsible for the clinical investigation and laboratory testing have to notify the positive results to the competent authority.

National evaluation of the recent situation, the trends and sources of infection

The situation in relation to the Rabies is very good and is stable. The last Rabies (in fox) was in the 2002 year and the aim is keep the situation.

Relevance of the findings in animals to findings in foodstuffs and to human cases

There is no relevance.

Table Rabies in animals

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Units tested	Total units positive for Lyssavirus (rabies)	Unspecified Lyssavirus	Classical rabies virus (genotype 1)	European Bat Lyssavirus - unspecified
All animals - unspecified	SVA	animal	92	0	0	0	0
Badgers - wild - in total	SVA	animal	11	0	0	0	0
Bats - wild - in total	SVA	animal	13	0	0	0	0
Cats - in total	SVA	animal	270	0	0	0	0
Deer - wild - roe deer - in total	SVA	animal	29	0	0	0	0
Dogs - in total	SVA	animal	156	0	0	0	0
Foxes - wild - in total - Monitoring	SVA	animal	8259	0	0	0	0
Goats - in total	SVA	animal	1	0	0	0	0
Marten - wild - in total	SVA	animal	62	0	0	0	0
Raccoon dogs - wild - in total	SVA	animal	9	0	0	0	0
Sheep - in total	SVA	animal	3	0	0	0	0
Solipeds, domestic - in total	SVA	animal	1	0	0	0	0
Wild boars - wild - in total	SVA	animal	10	0	0	0	0

2.12 Q-FEVER

2.12.1 General evaluation of the national situation

3. INFORMATION ON SPECIFIC INDICATORS OF ANTIMICROBIAL RESISTANCE

3.1 ENTEROCOCCUS, NON-PATHOGENIC

3.1.1 General evaluation of the national situation

3.2 ESCHERICHIA COLI, NON-PATHOGENIC

3.2.1 General evaluation of the national situation

4. INFORMATION ON SPECIFIC MICROBIOLOGICAL AGENTS

4.1 HISTAMINE

4.1.1 General evaluation of the national situation

4.1.2 Histamine in foodstuffs

A. Histamine in foodstuffs

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

There is no official National program for monitoring of histamin at retail. CAFIA performed control at retail according to Commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 of 15 November 2005 on microbiological criteria for foodstuffs (as amended by EU Regulation No. 1441/2007).

Samples were collected by competent authority as part of an official sampling from 7 regions of the Czech Republic 10-times within a year by the inspectors and analysed in CAFIA laboratory. The sampling by CAFIA was random.

Frequency of the sampling

10-times a year an one sample.

Type of specimen taken

smoked fish products

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

Sample of 100 grams minimum each of (n=9) is taken in a sterile way, into clean and dry plastic bag. The samples are placed into refrigerated container and immediately sent to the laboratory for investigation. Numbers of subsamples n=9 were taken in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005.

Definition of positive finding

Batch in non-conformity - a batch for which the mean value of the sample units exceeds 100 mg/kg or 200 mg/kg.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

HPLC in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005.

Control program/mechanisms

Recent actions taken

to control the hazard

CAFIA monitored of histmin in accordance with Commission Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 (as amended by EU Regulation No. 1441/2007) in smoked fishery products from fish species of the family Scombridae, Clupeidae,

Scombresosidae.

Results of the investigation

In total, 18 samples of smoked fishery products (9x mackerel, 4x herring, 5x salmon) were examined for presence of histamin. None of the samples examined exceeded the mean value 100 mg/kg.

Table Histamine in food

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units in non-conformity	<= 100 mg/kg	>100 - <= 200 mg/kg	>200 - <= 400 mg/kg	> 400 mg/kg
Fish - Fishery products from fish species associated with a high amount of histidine - not enzyme matured - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	18	0	18			

4.2 ENTEROBACTER SAKAZAKII

4.2.1 General evaluation of the national situation

4.2.2 Enterobacter sakazakii in foodstuffs

A. Enterobacter sakazakii in foodstuffs

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

There is no official National program for monitoring of Enterobacter sakazakii at food business operators. SVA tested 3 samples of milk powder with negative results. As there was only such a small number of samples we do not provide any additional comments.

Control program/mechanisms

Recent actions taken to control the hazard

Results of the investigation

Table Enterobacter sakazakii in food

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Enterobacter sakazakii	E. sakazakii
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - milk powder and whey powder - at processing plant - Surveillance - HACCP and own checks (milk powder)	SVA	single	10 g	3	0	0

4.3 STAPHYLOCOCCAL ENTEROTOXINS

4.3.1 General evaluation of the national situation

4.3.2 Staphylococcal enterotoxins in foodstuffs

A. Staphylococcal enterotoxins in foodstuffs

Monitoring system

Sampling strategy

There is no official National program for monitoring of staphylococcal enterotoxins at retail nor at food business operators.

SVA performed control according to Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 of 15 November 2005 on microbiological criteria for foodstuffs (as amended by EU Regulation No. 1441/2007). SVA collected samples at the time during or at the end of the manufacturing process.

CAFIA performed control at retail according to performed control at retail according to Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 of 15 November 2005 on microbiological criteria for foodstuffs (as amended by EU Regulation No. 1441/2007).

Samples were collected by competent authority as part of an official sampling from an one region of the Czech Republic twice a year and analysed in CAFIA laboratory. The sampling by CAFIA was random.

Frequency of the sampling

SVA performs sampling at random.

CAFIA performs sampling twice a year.

Type of specimen taken

cheese, milk powder

Methods of sampling (description of sampling techniques)

Sample of 100 grams minimum each is taken in a sterile way, into clean and dry plastic bag. The samples are placed into refrigerated container and immediately sent to the laboratory for investigation. Numbers of subsamples $n=5$ in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 were taken.

Definition of positive finding

The positive batch means the presence of staphylococcal enterotoxins in 25g only in one of all subsamples.

Diagnostic/analytical methods used

European screening method (version II.) for the detection of staphylococcal enterotoxins in milk and milk products recommended in Regulation (EC) No 2073/2005 (Reference: Community reference laboratory for coagulase positive

staphylococci).

Results of the investigation

In 2008, no sample out of the total number of 64 samples tested by the SVA and CAFIA was positive.

Table Staphylococcal enterotoxins in food

	Source of information	Sampling unit	Sample weight	Units tested	Total units positive for Staphylococcal enterotoxins
Cheeses made from cows' milk - Surveillance - official controls (see Sampling strategy)	SVA,CAFIA	batch	25	47	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - hard - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25g	12	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - hard - made from pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Monitoring - official sampling	SVA	batch	25g	12	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - Surveillance - official controls	SVA, CAFIA	batch	25g	35	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25g	19	0
Cheeses made from cows' milk - soft and semi-soft - made from pasteurised milk - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	16	0
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - Surveillance - official controls	SVA, CAFIA	batch	25g	6	0
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - milk powder and whey powder - at processing plant - Surveillance - official controls	SVA	batch	25g	3	0
Dairy products (excluding cheeses) - milk powder and whey powder - at retail - Surveillance - official controls (milk powder)	CAFIA	batch	25 g	3	0
Infant formula - dried - at retail - Surveillance - official controls	CAFIA	batch	25 g	11	0

5. FOODBORNE

Foodborne outbreaks are incidences of two or more human cases of the same disease or infection where the cases are linked or are probably linked to the same food source. Situation, in which the observed human cases exceed the expected number of cases and where a same food source is suspected, is also indicative of a foodborne outbreak.

A. Foodborne outbreaks

System in place for identification, epidemiological investigations and reporting of

Epidemiological investigation of outbreaks are performed by regional public health authorities. After completing epidemiological investigation they provide MOH and National Institute of Public Health with written report on outbreak. Reports are mandatory for larger outbreaks. Summaries are published in yearly table.

Description of the types of outbreaks covered by the reporting:

Mainly general outbreaks are reported. Decision on reporting other outbreaks (mainly family outbreaks) are made by regional authorities. Individual data on disease episodes from specific outbreaks are notified in EPIDAT, general infectious disease notification system. Reporting doesn't depend on causative agent.

National evaluation of the reported outbreaks in the country:

Trends in numbers of outbreaks and numbers of human cases involved

We notified approximately hundred of rather small outbreaks yearly In last several years. Outbreak cases form in average 10% and family outbreaks about 15% of all notified cases. Sporadic cases aform approximately 3/4 of all cases.

Relevance of the different causative agents, food categories and the agent/food category combinations

Main causative agents in their significance are *S.enteritidis*, outbreaks caused by *S.typhimurium* and *C.jejuni* are relatively rare. We observe increase in outbreaks of foodborne diseases of viral origin. The most risky food components are eggs and poultry.

Evaluation of the severity and clinical picture of the human cases

Severe and fatal cases are very rare and are linked with bad health conditions.

Descriptions of single outbreaks of special interest

Outbreaks of particular interest are published in Centre of epidemiology and microbiology reports (NIPH).

Control measures or other actions taken to improve the situation

Control measures performed are done on legal basis.

Foodborne Outbreaks: summarized data

	Total number of outbreaks	Outbreaks	Human cases	Hospitalized	Deaths	Number of verified outbreaks
Bacillus	0	0	unknown	unknown	unknown	0
Campylobacter	0	0	15	14	0	0
Clostridium	0	0	unknown	unknown	unknown	0
Escherichia coli, pathogenic	0	0	unknown	unknown	unknown	0
Foodborne viruses	2	2	183	2	1	0
Listeria	0	0	unknown	unknown	unknown	0
Other agents	0	0	unknown	unknown	unknown	0
Parasites	0	0	unknown	unknown	unknown	0
Salmonella	17	16	271	28	1	1
Staphylococcus	0	0	unknown	unknown	unknown	0
Unknown	3	3	159	0	0	0
Yersinia	0	0	unknown	unknown	unknown	0

Verified Foodborne Outbreaks: detailed data**S. Enteritidis**

Value

Code	BYSTICE
Subagent Choice	Salmonella; S. Enteritidis; 8
Outbreak type	General
Human cases	102
Hospitalized	16
Deaths	1
Foodstuff implicated	Eggs and egg products
More Foodstuff	
Type of evidence	Laboratory detection in implicated food, Laboratory characterization of food and human isolates, Laboratory detection in human cases
Setting	Other setting
Place of origin of problem	Unknown
Origin of foodstuff	Not relevant
Contributory factors	Other contributory factor, Inadequate heat treatment, Infected food handler, Storage time/temperature abuse
Outbreaks	1
Comment	Home for people with disabilities Etiological agents Salmonella Enteritidis PT 8, pulsotype SEXBA 05