

Reporting period: 26 Mar to 1 Apr (Week 13)

**Weekly highlights**

**Human cases of H5N1 infection**

- No human cases have been confirmed by WHO during this reporting period.

**Animal cases of H5N1 infection**

- Czech Republic, Malaysia, and Nigeria reported new avian outbreaks to the World Organisation for Animal Health.

## Places with human H5N1 infection and avian influenza in birds

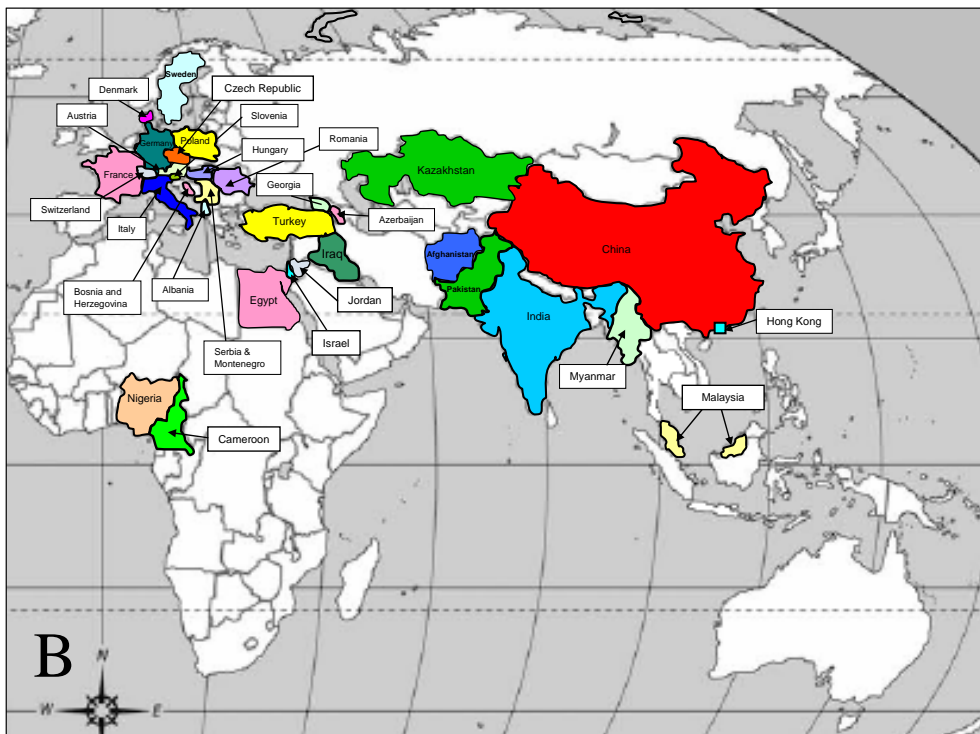
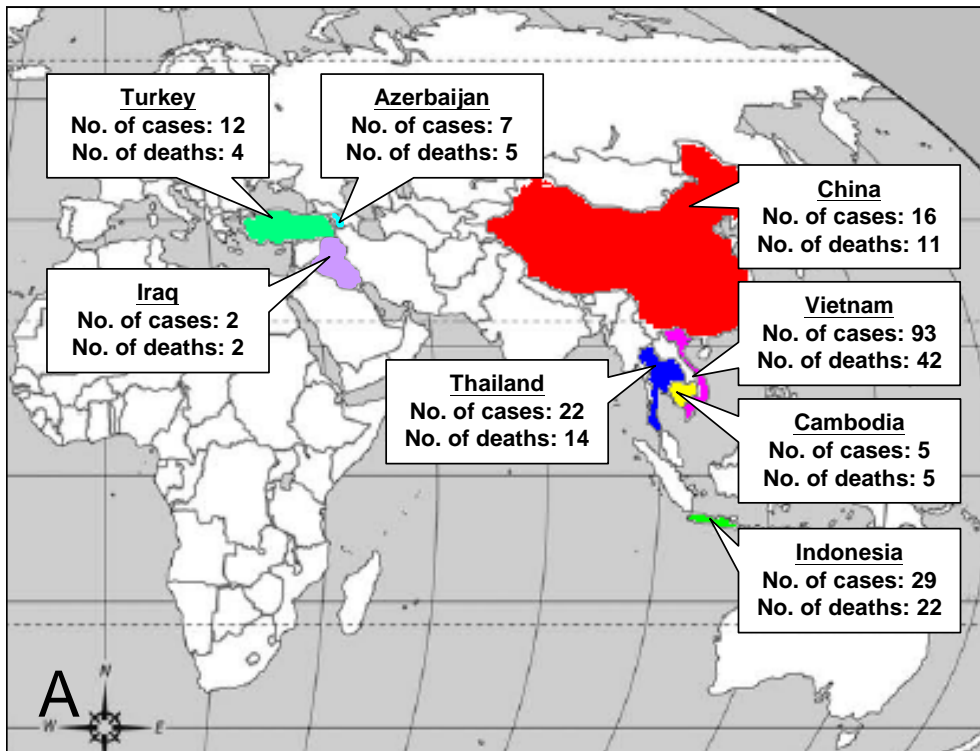
Country	Human H5N1 infection*				Avian influenza in birds**				
	No. of case(s) during the reporting period	Date of last reported case(s)	Place(s) of last reported case(s)	Cumulative no. of cases Since Jan 2004 (No. of deaths)	No. of outbreak(s) during the reporting period (Subtype)	Date of last reported case(s)	Place(s)	Total no. affected (Destroyed)	Type of birds affected
<b>Azerbaijan</b>	0	21/03/06	Salyan Tarter	7 (5)	0	27/02/06	Khyzy and Biljasuvar	296,000 (296,000)	Poultry
<b>Cambodia</b>	0	24/03/06	Kampong Speu	5 (5)	0	01/04/05	Kandal and Kampot	89 (44)	Poultry
<b>China</b>	0	24/03/06	Shanghai	14 (8)	0	07/02/06	Shanxi	76,800 (61,800)	Poultry
<b>Indonesia</b>	0	13/03/06	Central Java	29 (22)	0	21/12/05	Aceh, Bali, Jakarta, Jambi, Jawa Barat, Java Tengah, Lampung, Riau, Sulawesi Selatan, Sumatera Barata, Sumatera Selatan, Sumatera Utara, and Yogyakarta	Information not available	Poultry
<b>Iraq</b>	0	01/03/06	Sulaimaniyah	2 (2)	0	07/02/06	Missan	980 (978)	Poultry
<b>Thailand</b>	0	09/12/05	Nakhonnayok	22 (14)	0	18/11/05	Suphanburi, Samutprakarn, and Nonthaburi	1,931 (1,817)	Poultry
<b>Turkey</b>	0	07/01/06	Agri	12 (4)	0	07/03/06	Istanbul, Sinop, Diyarbakir, and Izmir	1,541 (1,526)	Poultry
<b>Vietnam</b>	0	25/11/05	Hai Phong	93 (42)	0	23/01/06 (covering the period of 24/11/05 to 23/01/06)	Bac Can, Cao Bang, Ha Giang, Hai Duong, Nghe An, Ninh Binh, Phu Tho, Quang Nih, Quang Tri, Son La, Thai Nguyen, Thanh Hoa, TP. Hai Phong, Vinh Phuc, and Yen Bai	-- (216,272)	Poultry

Places with avian influenza in birds only\*\*

Country/ Place	No. of outbreak(s) during the reporting period (Subtype)	Date of last reported case(s)	Virus	Place(s)	Total no. affected (Destroyed)	Type of birds affected
Afghanistan	0	20/03/06	H5N1	Jalalabad, Kabul, Laghman, Vardak and Kunar	27(--)	Poultry Wild bird
Albania	0	23/03/06	H5N1	Tirane	600 (460)	Poultry
Austria	0	20/03/06	H5N1	Graz-Umgebung	-- (--)	Wild bird
Azerbaijan	0	23/03/06	H5	Agdam	1(1)	Wild bird
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0	22/03/06	H5N1	Srednjobosanski	150 (15)	Wild bird
Cameroon	0	12/03/06	H5N1	Diamaré	58 (50)	Poultry
Czech Republic	1	29/03/06	H5	Southern Bohemia	1(1)	Wild bird
Denmark	0	24/03/2006	H5N1	Storstroem, Funen, North Eastern Zealand	14 (--)	Wild bird
Egypt	0	23/03/06	H5N1	Alexandria and Ismailia	6 (--)	Poultry Wild bird
France	0	13/03/06	H5N1	Ain	10 (10)	Wild bird
Georgia	0	09/03/06	H5	Adjarian Autonomic Republic	10 (10)	Wild bird
Germany	0	17/03/06	H5N1	Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania, Bavaria	1,183 (1,169)	Wild bird
Hong Kong	0	20/03/06	H5N1	Hong Kong	16(--)	Wild bird
Kazakhstan	0	21/03/06	H5N1	Mangghystau	3(--)	Wild bird
India	0	08/03/06	H5N1	Maharashtra and Gujarat	408,064 (408,064)	Poultry
Italy	0	02/03/06	H5N1	Calabria and Sicilia	1 (--)	Wild bird
Israel	0	23/03/06	H5N1	HaDarom, Jehuda and Samaria	152,900 (149,800)	Poultry
Jordan	0	24/03/06	H5N1	Kofranja	8,000 (1,500)	Poultry
Malaysia	4	29/03/06	H5N1	Perak, Pulau Pinang	16(51,182)	Poultry
Myanmar	0	16/03/06	H5N1	Mandalay, Sagoing	20,039 (18,862)	Poultry
Nigeria	9	31/03/06	H5N1	Bauchi, Kaduna, Plateau	12,863 (4852)	Poultry
Pakistan	0	03/03/06	H5	Charsada and Abbottabad	26,450 (23,575)	Poultry
Poland	0	20/03/06	H5N1	Bydgoski	-- (--)	Wild bird
Romania	0	06/03/06	H5N1	Braila, Buzau, Calarasi, Constanta, and Dambovita	480 (287)	Poultry
Serbia and Montenegro	0	15/03/06	H5N1	Bajina Basta	24 (22)	Wild bird
Slovenia	0	03/03/06	H5N1	Podravska region	4 (--)	Wild bird
Sweden	0	20/03/06	H5N1	Kalmar	692(692)	Poultry
Switzerland	0	06/03/06	H5N1	Canton Geneva	1 (--)	Wild bird

Note : For those countries with outbreaks in birds only, their name will be removed from the list if no outbreak in birds has been reported for 4 weeks.

Source : \* WHO, \*\*OIE



(A) Human infection of avian influenza (H5N1) in Asia since Jan 2004 (As of 1 Apr 2006) and (B) Avian influenza in animals reported from the week of 01 Mar 2006 to the week of 01 Apr 2006.

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