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China: Update on H7N9 in poultry

As of 22 May 2013, the national veterinary laboratories at all levels have tested 899,758 samples (702,369 serological samples and 197,389 etiological samples collected from 31 provinces. No H7N9 avian influenza virus was detected in samples collected from poultry and pig farms. [read more](#)

China: FMD type A in Tibet

A new outbreak caused by FMDV type A was reported in Yongjiu village, Bayi, Linzhi, Tibet led to destruction of 207 cattle. [read more](#)

Chinese Taipei: FMD type O in Yulin

An outbreak caused by FMDV type O was reported in Baozhong Township, Yun-lin by the Animal Technology Institute. [read more](#)

Nepal: 32 outbreaks of H5N1 reported from 6 Zones

Since the last report on 11 April 2013, there were 32 new outbreaks of H5N1 reported from 6 of 14 zones in Nepal including Bagmati (6), Gandaki (1), Lumbini (4), Mechi (6), Narayani (14) and Seti (1) with 122,334 birds died and destroyed. One of the reported outbreaks occurred in wild crow and another outbreak reported in a giriraj bird farm. [read more](#)

Vietnam: Poor quality meat poured into Ho Chi Minh City

The Thu Duc Animal Quarantine Station and a traffic police unit in Ho Chi Minh City caught a bus carrying rotten pork into the city yesterday. The same bus and driver were stopped two weeks ago. [read more](#)

Among other poor-quality pork and poultry seized recently in Ho Chi Minh City, the rotten and stinking pigs taken on May 9 have tested positive for blue ear disease and diarrhea, health authorities reported. [read more](#)

Vietnam: Bird flu and other livestock diseases put under control

Bird flu epidemic and diseases in farm animals including blue-ear and foot-and-mouth in pigs and cattle have been put under control in most localities nationwide during the last two weeks. The news was announced by Director of the Animal Health Department under the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development (MARD) Pham Van Dong during a May 21 meeting of the National Steering Committee for Bird Flu Prevention and Control in Hanoi. [read more](#)