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China: Confirmed H5 virus in falcon in Hong Kong

Preliminary testing of a peregrine falcon found in Hung Shui Kiu, Yuen Long has returned a positive result for the H5 avian influenza virus, a spokesman for the Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department (AFCD) said today (April 10), adding that further confirmatory tests are being conducted. The sick peregrine falcon was found and collected at a construction site on Hung Yuen Road, Hung Shui Kiu, Yuen Long on April 9. Peregrine falcons are scarce residents and winter visitors to Hong Kong. [read more](#)

China: Confirmed 2 new outbreaks of HPAI H5N2 in Taiwan

The Agriculture Technology Research Institute reported 2 new outbreaks of H5N2 in 2 poultry farms in Yunlin County. Samples were sent to the National Laboratory (AHRI) for diagnosis. H5N2 subtype HPAI was confirmed by AHRI. These farms have been put under movement restrictions. All animals on the infected farms have been culled. [read more](#)

India: Hundred of crows die in Jharkhand, bird flu fear

Khunti is confronting sporadic rise in the death toll off crows since last few weeks. The area has reported death of about 200 crows in the last one and half month period. "Initially, we thought the deaths (of crows) are stray cases but gradually when we found more and more crows dying mysterious we decided to approach the veterinary department for probe into the matter," said a resident. [read more](#)

Mongolia: Confirmed an outbreak of CSF in Tuv

The Veterinary and Animal Breeding Agency reported an outbreak of CSF in a pig farm in 13 khoroo 4 heseg, Khan-uul, Tuv to OIE on 10 April 2015, with a total of 53 pigs died and another 638 destroyed. [read more](#)

Viet Nam: Confirmed an outbreak of H5N1 in Can Tho

Date 05/4/2014 detected the H5N1 bird flu outbreak in a household in the village Nhon Phu Nhon Nghia commune, Phong Dien district, Can Tho city. Herd consists of 900 birds, including chickens infected some 650 children, 399 human deaths. On 08/4/2015 entire infected chickens were destroyed. Can Tho Animal Health Department and local governments are implementing anti-epidemic measures. [read more](#)