



Reporting to the World Animal Health Information system:

Official data and Epidemic intelligence activity

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World Animal Health Information System

OIE-WAHIS (OIE World Animal Health Information System) is a unique comprehensive database through which information on the animal health situation worldwide is reported and disseminated throughout the world. OIE-WAHIS data reflects the information gathered by the Veterinary Services from OIE Members and non-Members Countries and Territories on OIE-listed diseases in domestic animals and wildlife, as well as on emerging diseases and zoonoses.

All this information can be publicly accessed and visualized on this interface. OIE-WAHIS replaces and significantly extends the former web interface named WAHIS providing access to all reported data since 2005. This new public interface includes data extraction tools, interactive mapping tools and dashboards to support data consultation, visualization and extraction of officially validated animal health data.



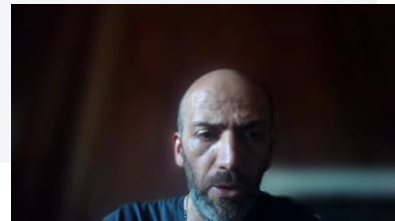
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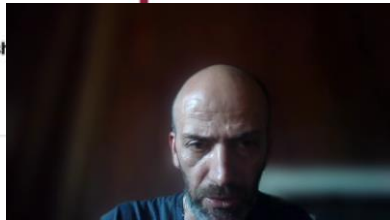
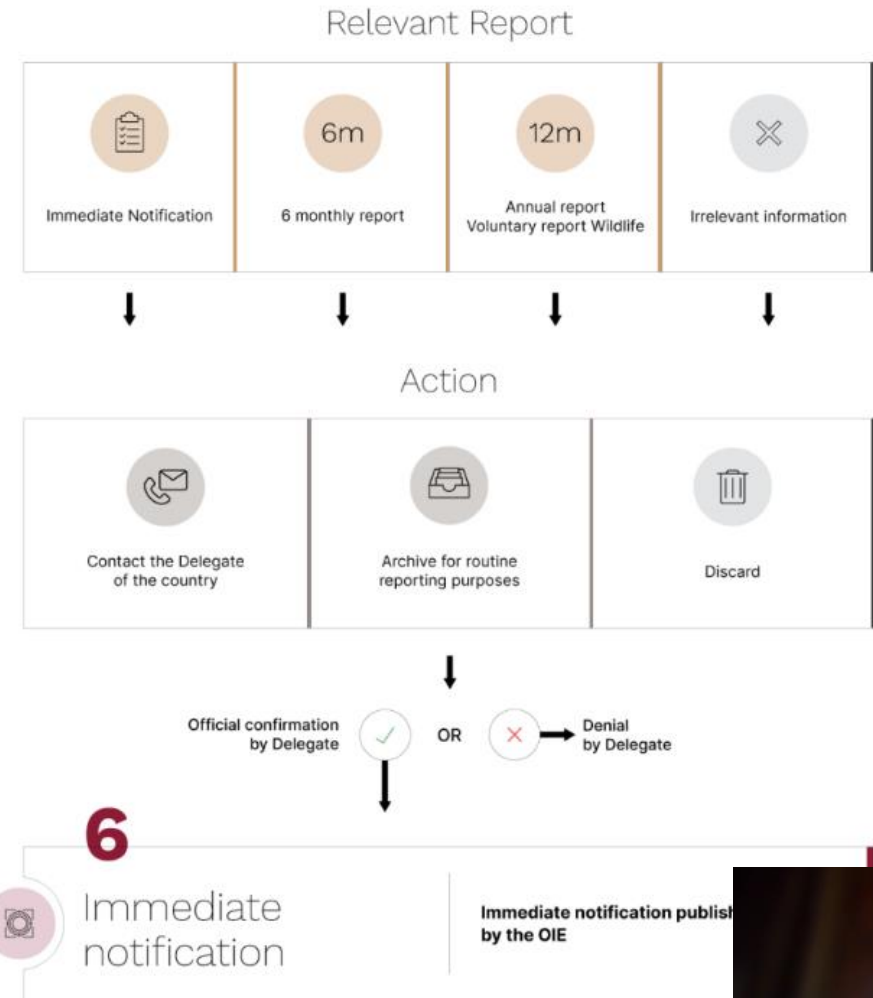


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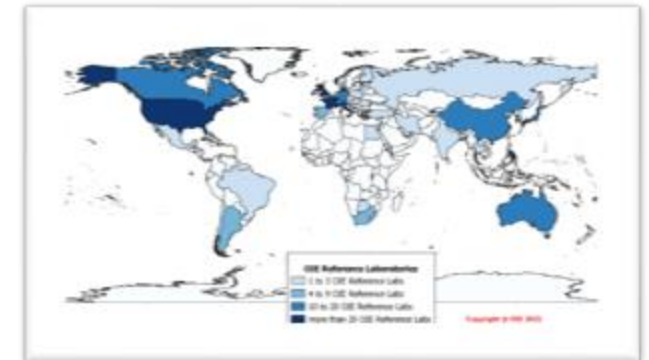
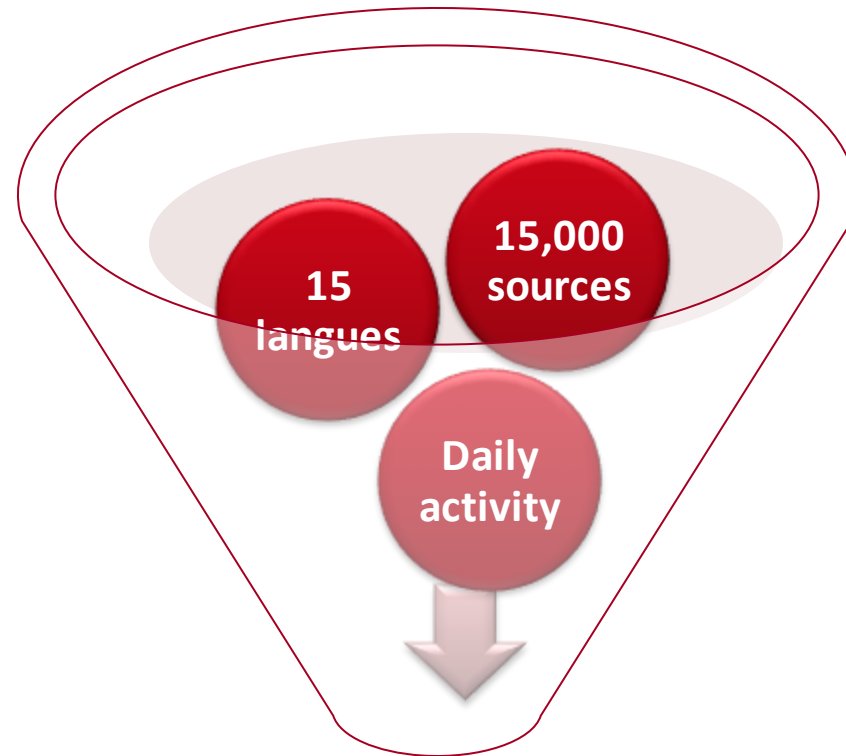






EIOS EPIDEMIC INTELLIGENCE
FROM OPEN SOURCES

GLEWS platform
Global Early Warning and Response
System for Major Animal Diseases,
including Zoonoses



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IBIS (Australia)



**Reference laboratories
(OIE network)**



- EIOS system for epidemic intelligence
- Daily screening of the web for all OIE-listed diseases (120,000 news screened in 2020)
- Constant communication between OIE and Members
- Around 10% of Immediate notification submitted thanks to active search of rumours

The screenshot displays the EIOS (Epidemic Intelligence from Open Sources) monitoring interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Monitoring', 'Documents', 'Dashboards', 'Training', 'Communities and Teams', and 'Help and Feedback'. The main content area is titled 'Board: OIE_Diseases' and shows 119k total articles. A world map is populated with black circular markers indicating the geographic distribution of news articles. Below the map, a list of news items is displayed, including:

- newsmedical** - Omicron infection induces cross-reactive immune responses
- Twitter-Gertvan...** - France - Min of Agr identifies 26 outbreaks avian flu virus in farms, 15 cases in wildlife and 3 cases in backyards. Most cases are now concentrated in the north of France and reach the South-West. 600,000 to 650,000 poultry culled since the end of Nov
- gphin** - Rip Bio (300119.SZ): Triple inactivated vaccines for chicken Newcastle disease, infectious bursal disease, and avian influenza (H9 subtype) have obtained veterinary drug product approval numbers
- Twitter-Gertvan...** - Japan - Authorities in Ehime prefecture will kill about 130,000 chickens due to bird flu outbreak
- 24chasa** - Във Франция заклаха 600 000 домашни птици за месец заради птичи грип

The interface also features a 'TIME PERIOD' section with a line graph showing activity from 2014 to 2022, and a 'CATEGORIES' section listing various diseases such as African Horse Sickness Virus, African Swine Fever, and Avian influenza.





EIOS system

OIE

Explore Latest Activities Sources Manage Communications

Select board **+**

Current board: All Articles

Board info Save As new board

BOARD COMMUNICATIONS AND COMMENTS

Search text within articles...

TIME PERIOD

Period: Entire Period

CATEGORIES

Filtering



Board: All Articles

Categories: All OIE Categories Filter definition

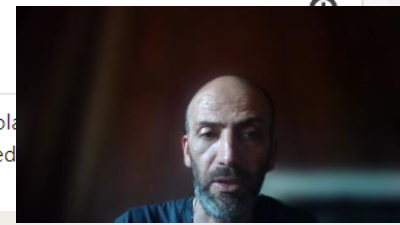
58.9M TOTAL ARTICLES 1 of 200



Any article

Import Date

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arthikawaj 09:33 UTC Hindi	अन्नपूर्ण पदमार्गमा घट्दै पर्यटक	Coronavirus	Nepal
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bayyraq 09:33 UTC Arabic	من تعقيم الشمس وحتى تفجير القمر...أغرب الطرق لتخفيف الاحتباس الحراري	Emerging Wildlife Diseases, Floods	Pakistan
polandin 09:33 UTC English	Putin is ready to starve world to win his war: American historian According to	Refugees and Internally Displaced Persons	Poland, Fed

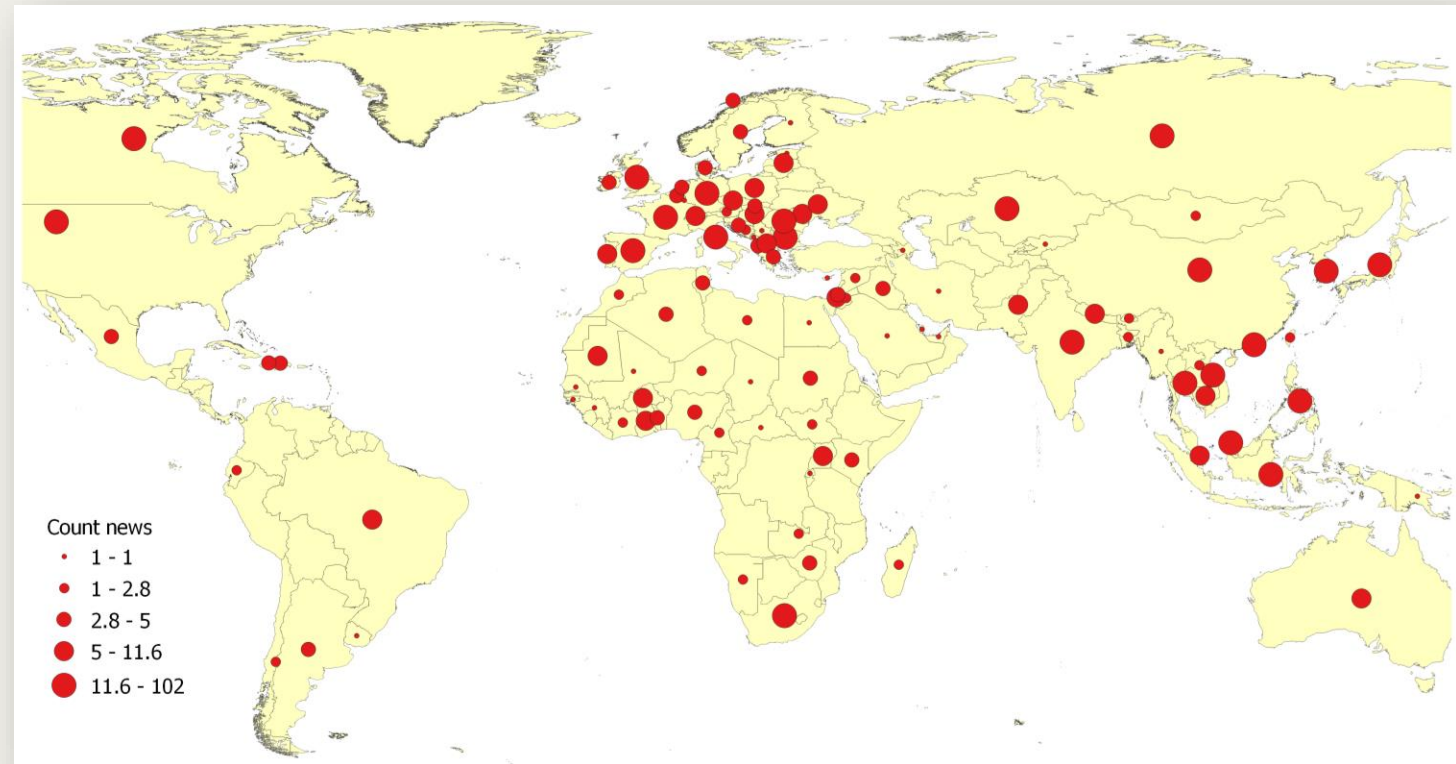




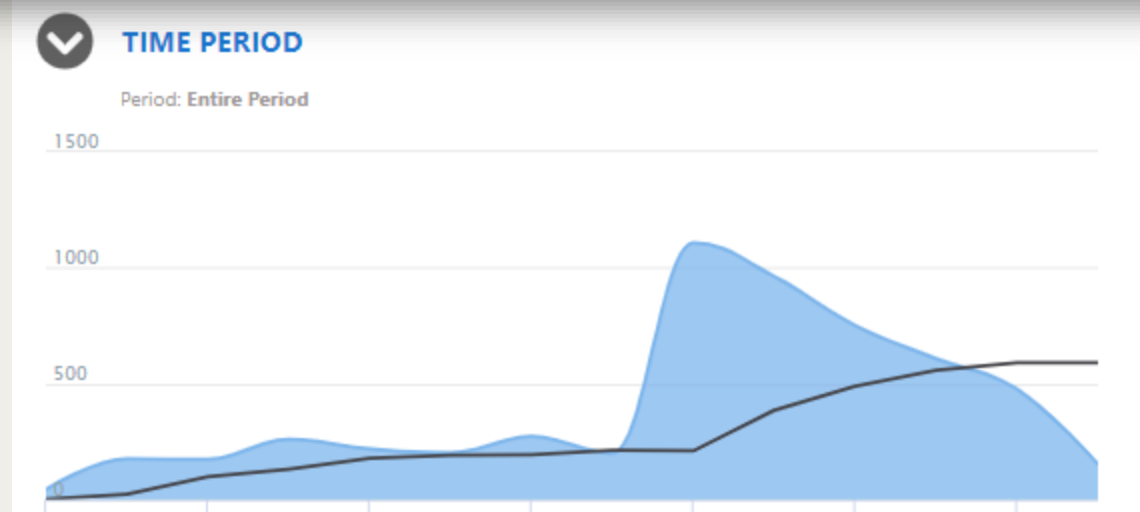
Algorithms implemented

categories categories

- ▼ All OIE Categories (11 of 395 categories selected)
- ▼ Biological (222k) (10 of 114 categories selected)
 - Babesiosis (49) ✓
 - Baylisascaris (0) ✓
 - Chronic Wasting Disease (12) ✓
 - Emerging Wildlife Diseases (1.1k) ✓**
 - Filovirus (14) ✓
 - Louping ill (0) ✓
 - Rinderpest (6) ✓
 - White-nose syndrome (10) ✓
 - Yersinia Enterocolitica (5) ✓
 - Yersinia Pseudotuberculosis (1) ✓
- ▼ zAll Hazards Threats (optional) (29.5k) (1 of 145 categories selected)
 - Emerging Wildlife Diseases (1.1k) ✓



5.6k
TOTAL ARTICLES





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ORIGINAL ARTICLE

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Sensitivity of an international notification system for wildlife diseases: A case study using the OIE-WAHIS data on tularemia

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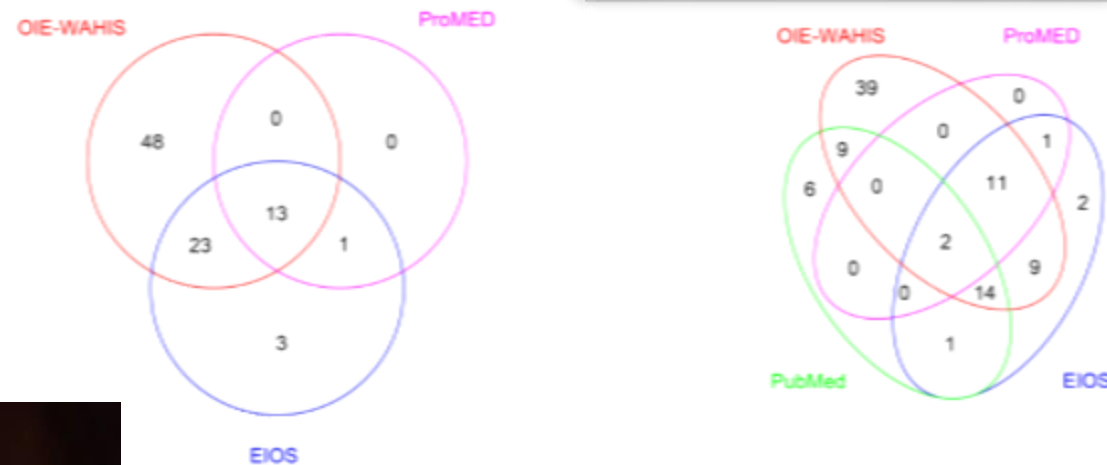
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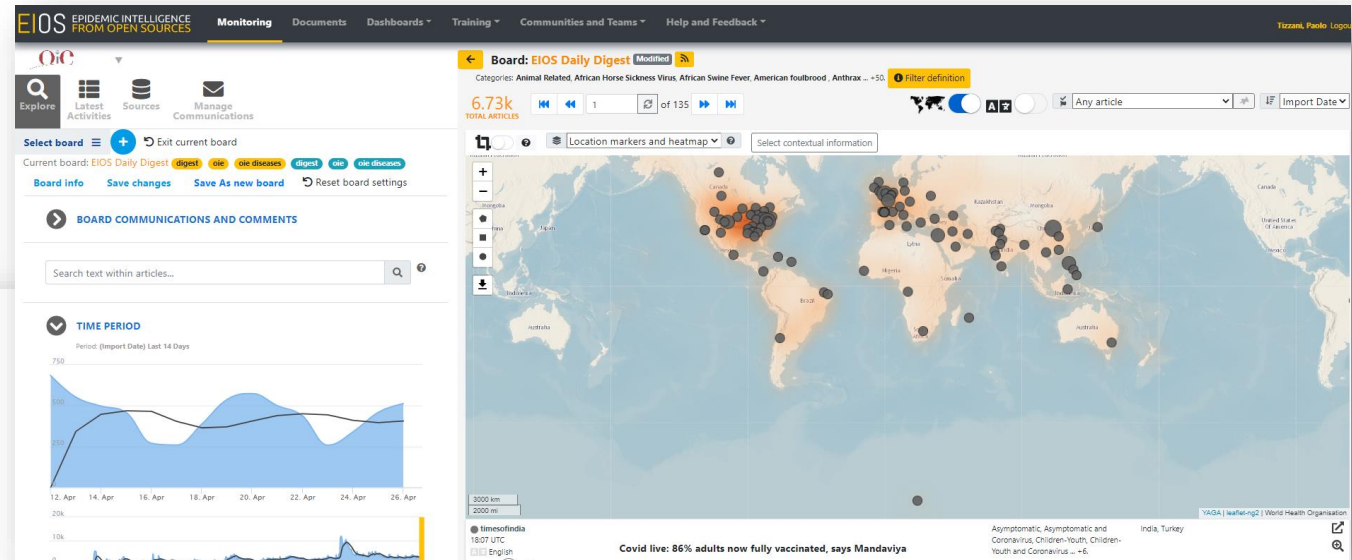
Abstract

The World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) has recently developed a Wildlife Health Framework to respond to the need of members to manage the risk from emerging diseases at the animal-human-ecosystem interface. One of its objectives is to improve surveillance systems, early detection and notification of wildlife diseases. Members share information on disease occurrence by reporting through the OIE World Animal Health Information System (OIE-WAHIS—formerly known as ‘WAHIS’). To evaluate the capacity of a surveillance system to detect disease events, it is important to quantify the gap between all known events and those officially notified to the OIE. This study used capture-recapture analysis to estimate the sensitivity of the OIE-WAHIS system for a OIE-listed wildlife disease by comparing information from publicly available sources to identify undetected events. This article presents a case study of the occurrence of tularemia in lagomorphs among selected North American and European countries during the period 2014–2019. First, an analysis using three data sources (OIE-WAHIS, ProMED, WHO-EIOS [Epidemic Intelligence Sources]) was conducted. Subsequent analysis then explored the sensitivity of information from a fourth source (scientific literature collected in PubMed.gov).



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embarcadero: Species distribution modelling with Bayesian additive regression trees in R

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Abstract

1. *embarcadero* is an R package of convenience tools for species distribution modelling (SDM) with Bayesian additive regression trees (BART), a powerful machine learning approach that has been rarely applied to ecological problems.
2. Like other classification and regression tree methods, BART estimates the probability of a binary outcome based on a set of decision trees. Unlike other methods, BART iteratively generates sets of trees based on a set of priors about tree structure and nodes, and builds a posterior distribution of estimated classification probabilities. So far, BARTs have yet to be applied to SDM.
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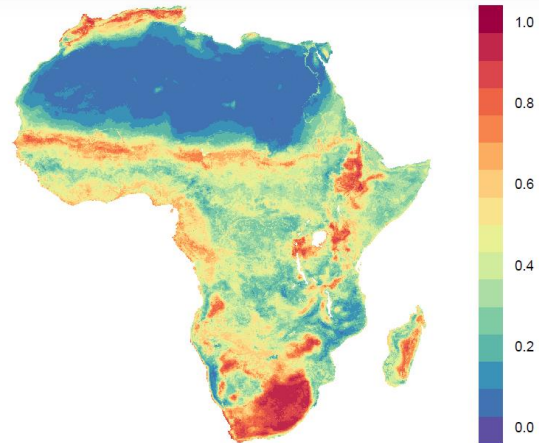
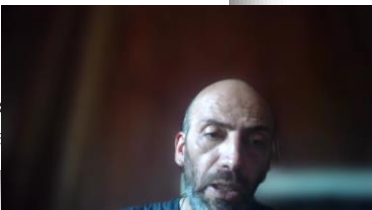
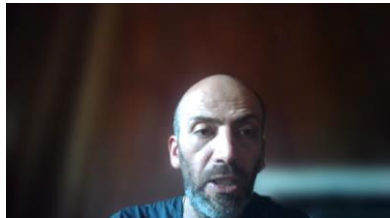


Figure 4: A map of Crimean-Congo haemorrhagic fever transmission risk using ecological niche modelling with BART (see Supplementary Material)





- **Opportunities:**
 - **Having a centralized and standardized reporting system for diseases in wildlife**
 - **Legal framework and standards on animal diseases**
 - **Improved sensitivity for occurrence of diseases in wildlife**
- **Gaps and challenges:**
 - **sensitivity of the system for some diseases**
 - **some communication gaps among relevant stakeholders / institutions**



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