

## EPIDEMIOLOGICAL REPORT



WEST NILE DISEASE
IN EUROPE AND IN THE
MEDITERRANEAN BASIN

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On 2 September 2021 West Nile Disease cases have been reported in both human and horses in **7** European and Mediterranean countries. Details are provided in Table 1 and Figure 1:

STATE	SPECIES	N.total cases (1)	N.confirmed cases (2)
ITALY	Humans	24	24
GREECE	Humans	25	25
SPAIN	Horses	3	3
SERBIA	Humans	6	6
ROMANIA	Humans	3	3
AUSTRIA	Humans	2	2
HUNGARY	Humans	2	2
Total Humans		62	62
Total Horses		3	3

**Table 1.** Number of cases (confirmed and probable) of West Nile Disease in Europe and in the Mediterranean Basin





**Figure 1.** Geographic distribution of cases (confirmed and probable) of West Nile Disease in Europe and in the Mediterranean Basin

- 1. For EU countries, probable and confirmed cases, as per EU case definition
- For EU countries, confirmed cases, as per EU case definition <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/health/ph\_threats/com/docs/1589\_2008\_en.pdf">http://ec.europa.eu/health/ph\_threats/com/docs/1589\_2008\_en.pdf</a>

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Information on the disease, legislation and other useful information can be found at: http://sorveglianza.izs.it/emergenze/west\_nile /emergenze.html



COUNTRY	SOURCE
Italy	<u>VETINFO</u>
italy	<u>ISS</u>
Spain	JUNTA DE ANDALUCIA
Austria	<u>ecdc</u>
Serbia	
Romania	
Greece	
Hungary	

Table 2. Source of information and reference links

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