

## EPIDEMIOLOGICAL REPORT



# WEST NILE DISEASE IN EUROPE AND IN THE MEDITERRANEAN BASIN

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On 20 July 2022 West Nile Disease cases have been reported in both human and birds in 3 European and Mediterranean countries. Details are provided in Table 1 and Figure 1:

Country	Species	n.total cases (1)	n.confirmed cases(2)
ITALY	Humans	1	1
	Birds	6	6
GREECE	Humans	1	1
GERMANY	Birds	1	1
n. total cases		9	

**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
- 2. For EU countries, confirmed cases, as per EU case definition http://ec.europa.eu/health/ph\_threats/com/docs/1589\_2008\_en.pdf

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Country	Source	
ITALY	VETINFO	
HALT	ISS	
GREECE	Uomo	
GERMANY	OIE	

Information on the disease, legislation and other useful information can be found at:

<a href="https://westnile.izs.it/j6">https://westnile.izs.it/j6</a>
<a href="wmd/home">wmd/home</a>

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