



GF-TADs Global Control of African swine fever. A GFTADS initiative (2020-2025)

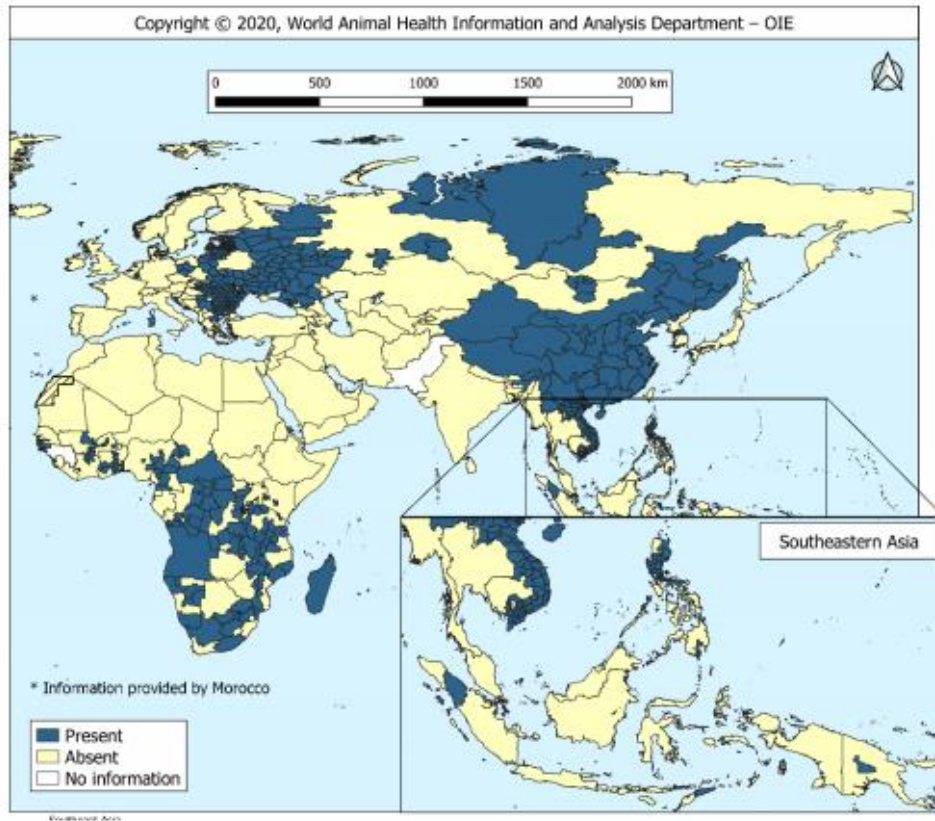
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Chair of the GF-TADS ASF Working Group

The biggest animal disease crisis

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Global situation of ASF (2016-2020)



https://www.oie.int/fileadmin/Home/eng/Animal_Health_in_the_World/docs/pdf/Disease_cards/ASF/Report_47_Global_situation ASF.pdf

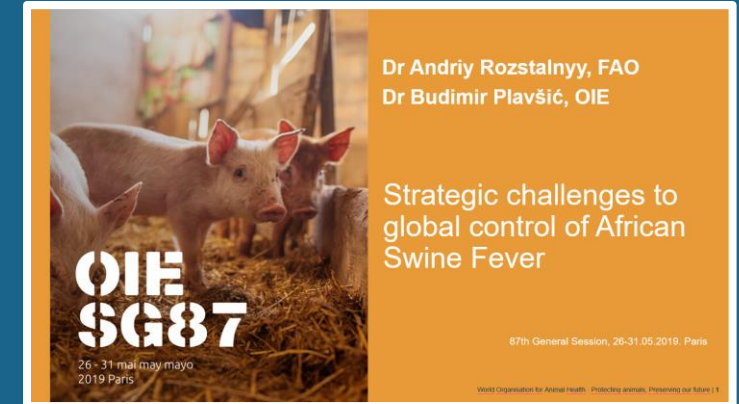
No country is safe from ASF

- Probably already killed a quarter of the world's pig population
- OIE Report N° 55: 2-15 October 2020:
 - 22 countries reported new or ongoing events
 - 236 new outbreaks
 - 7,522 total outbreaks in the world

OIE 87th General Session, Technical item 2

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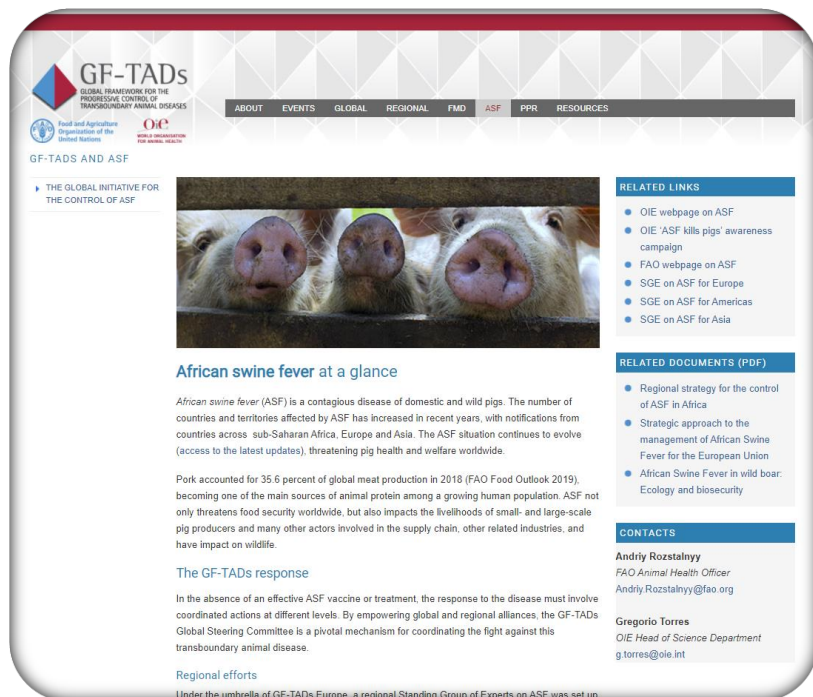
- ASF → Global threat, global impact
- Strategic challenges for the global control
- ASF control → High global priority
- Control is feasible: biosecurity
- Resolutions no. 33. Call for action
 - Key roles for OIE, FAO (GF-TADs) and Members
 - Launch a global initiative



The GF-TADs response

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<http://www.gf-tads.org/asf/asf/en/>



■ GF-TADs ASF Working Group (high-level technical implementation body)

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- Akiko Kamata
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■ Purpose:

- Coordinate, M&E the implementation of the GF-TADs GI
- Support ASF control strategies at the global and regional levels.

Global control of ASF, GF-TADs initiative

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<http://www.fao.org/3/ca9164en/CA9164EN.pdf>

- Build in experiences with other Global strategies/programmes
- Consider the realities of the regions
- Create a framework to ensure synergies and good coordination
- A 6-year (2020–2025) strategic plan linked to a 2-year operational plan
- Define the objectives, outputs, outcomes and KPI
- Define how success will look like

The elements of the Global Initiative

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Narrative

- Defines the call for action, strategic challenges, governance and M&E

Theory of Change

- Schematic representation of chain of events required to achieve the goal
- Define success

Logic framework

- Defines the problem, objectives, outputs, outcomes and the overall goal
- Indicators for monitoring and evaluate progress

[Log Results](#)

Operational plan

- Specific activities implemented under GF-TADs responding to the objectives

[Operational Plan](#)

Key factors for success

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Intelligence framework
disease intelligence,
information management

Capability
strong veterinary services,
technical competency

Risk communication
strengthen commitment
and cooperation

Resources
adequately available and
sustainable

The Theory of Change

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Global control of ASF is achieved*

No new countries
affected with ASF

Decline in the number of
countries affected by ASF

Decline in the number of
ASF cases

Reduced losses due to ASF

OUTCOMES

OUTCOME 1

Capability of countries to control ASF is improved

OUTCOME 2

Regional & global coordination and cooperation is improved

OUTCOME 3

National & international trade based on international standards and guidelines is facilitated

OUTPUTS

OBJECTIVES

OBJECTIVE 1

Improve capability of countries to control ASF **

OBJECTIVE 2

Establish effective coordination and cooperation framework

OBJECTIVE 3

Facilitate business continuity

Regional Standing Group of Experts on ASF

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- Under the FAO/OIE GF-TADs umbrella
- Promote exchange among risk managers and international and national experts
- Coordinate disease control policies and promote regional solidarity and cooperation
- Established in Europe, Asia and Americas. Africa in progress
- Meetings continue despite COVID-19



<https://rr-asia.oie.int/en/events/launch-meeting-of-the-sge-on-asf-for-asia/>



<https://rr-americas.oie.int/en/events/gftads-sge-asf-1stmeeting/>



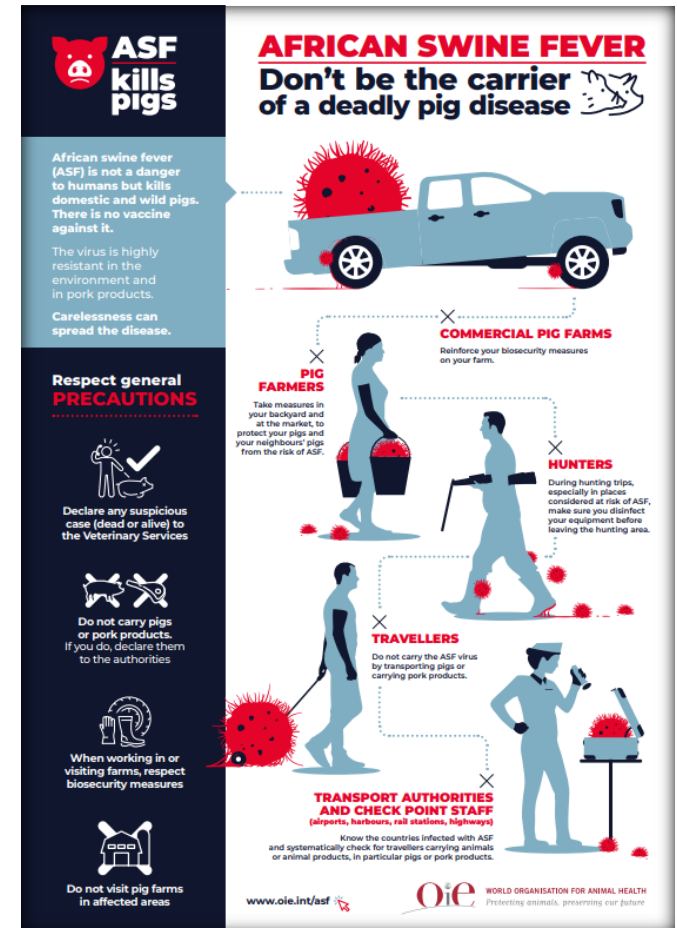
<https://rr-europe.oie.int/en/Projects/gf-tads-europe/standing-groups-of-experts-on-african-swine-fever-in-europe/>

Priorities for next 6 months

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- Continuing supporting regional SGEs. Including Africa
- Maintaining Operational Plan
- Monitoring & Evaluation
- Annual Report
- Strength coordination with partners and stakeholders
 - Public Private partnership
- Support risk communication

<https://trello.com/b/GloiZoik/african-swine-fever-oie>





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