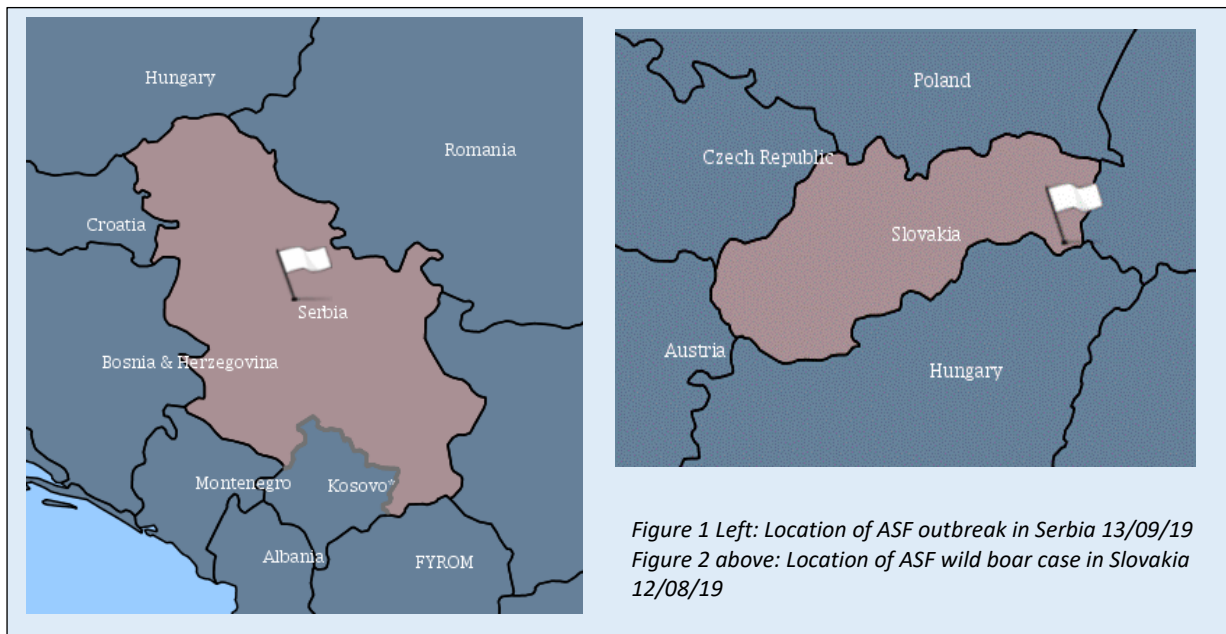


Update on African swine fever

19th August 2019

Serbia

African swine fever was confirmed for the first time in Serbia on 13th August 2019. The outbreak occurred in a small holding containing 24 pigs in the Belgrade city area. Since then, the disease has been confirmed in 3 other small farms in the Belgrade and adjacent Podunavski areas of the country (see Figure 1 below). Investigations into the cause of the outbreaks are ongoing.



Slovakia

Since the first outbreak of ASF was reported in Slovakia on 24th July 2019, there have been 9 further outbreaks reported in domestic pig farms located close to the Hungarian border. The disease was detected in **wild boar** for the first time on 12th August in the same area of Trebisov (see Figure 2 above).

Myanmar

Myanmar (formerly known as Burma) reported its first case of ASF on 14th August 2019 on a small domestic pig farm located close to the Chinese border. Since then a further outbreak has been reported in the same district in the East of the country. The outbreak in Myanmar brings the number of countries affected by ASF in Southeast Asia to seven – China (including the Special Administration Region of Hong Kong), Mongolia, Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia, North Korea and Myanmar.