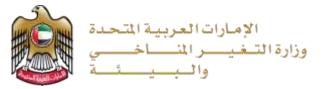
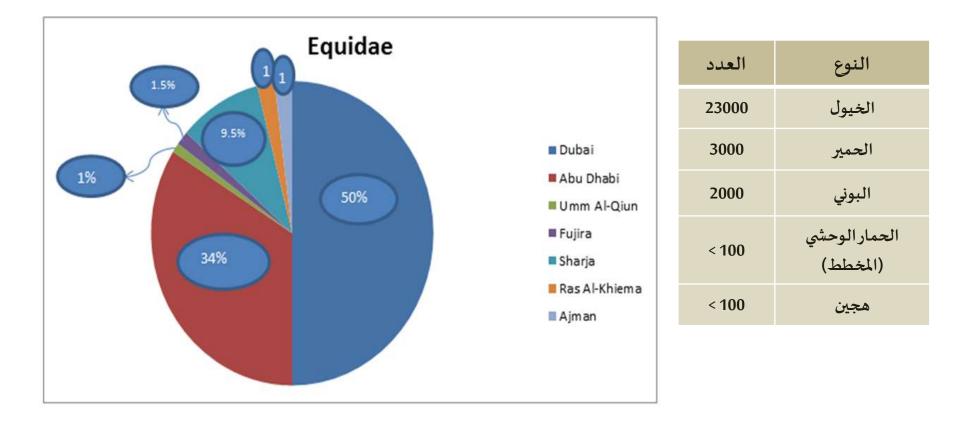
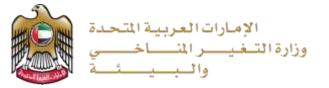


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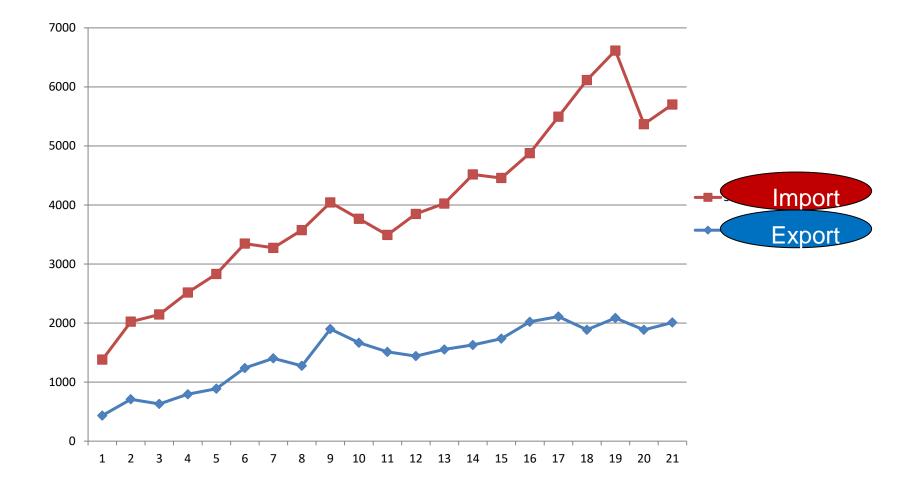


#### **Equidae statistics**





#### Import and Export Statics during the last 20 years





#### **Relevant legislations**

- Federal law no. (6) of 1979 and its amendments concerning Veterinary Quarantine and its by law.
- Federal law no. (10) of 2002 concerning the Practice of Veterinary Medicine and its by law.
- Federal law no. (16) of 2007 concerning the Animal welfare, its amendment and its by-law .
- Federal law no. (8) of 2013 Concerning the prevention and control of contagious animal diseases and its by-law
- Federal Law No. 7 of 2015 Concerning Combating Prohibited Substances in the Field of Horse Racing and Equestrian Sports and its Starting Regulations



#### **Main Stakeholders**

Ministry of Climate Change and Environment

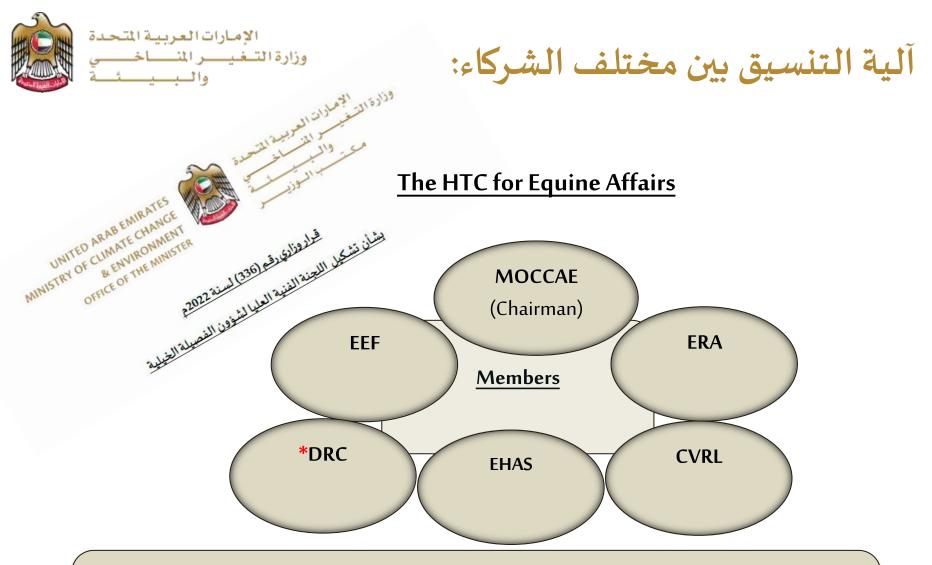
**Emirates Racing Authorities** 

**Emirates Equestrian Federation** 

**Emirates Arab Horse Society** 

Central Veterinary Research Laboratory

**Equestrian Clubs** 



#### Tasks of the Committee

- Develop and review policies and initiatives related to the equine file
- Follow-up and review of issues related to the equine family, including import and export procedures and requirements
- Supervising the implementation of development initiatives and projects related to the equine family file

#### \*DRC : Dubai Racing Club -

#### Notifiable Equine diseases

- 1. African Horse Sickness
- 2. Dourine
- 3. Glanders
- 4. Equine Encephalomyelitis
- 5. Equine Viral Arteritis
- 6. Equine Infectious Anemia
- 7. Contagious Equine Metritis
- 8. Equine Influenza
- 9. Equine Rhinopneumonitis
- 10. Japanese Encephalitis
- 11. Surra (Trypanosoma Evansi)
- 12. West Nile Fever
- 13. Vesicular Stomatitis
- 16. Rabies
- 17. Anthrax

# Biosecurity measures applied in case of an equine disease outbreak

- Notification
- Reporting
- Epidemiological survey
- Movement restrictions
- Disinfection
- Treatment
- Culling

## Surveillance for specific equine diseases

- Large proportion of Horses moved in and out of country regularly and be tested for EIA, AHS, Glanders, Dourine and EVA.
- In accordance to the federal law, any suspicion of notifiable diseases should be notified to the responsible authorities.

## Temporary and Permanent import of horses?

PRE-EXPORT quarantine	POST-ARRIVAL quarantine
Residence :	<b>Quarantine :</b> 10 days for Permanent importation
For Permanent :	
30 days for EU / 90 days for the rest of the world	
For Temporary:	
40 days	
Quarantine :	Isolation : for Temporary importation
30 days for permanent importation except for EU	(Maximum of 30 days except for Show jumping or The
	World Cup)
Testing	Testing
Welfare during transportation:	
- Mean of transport	
- Accompanying professionals	



## Challenges ; Solution .... Discussion

## Thanks