



State of play of and the EU measures taken to control African swine fever

**Committee on Agriculture and Rural
Development**

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An update on ASF

- Epidemiological situation
- Regionalization
- Strategy
- EU actions



ASF epidemiological situation



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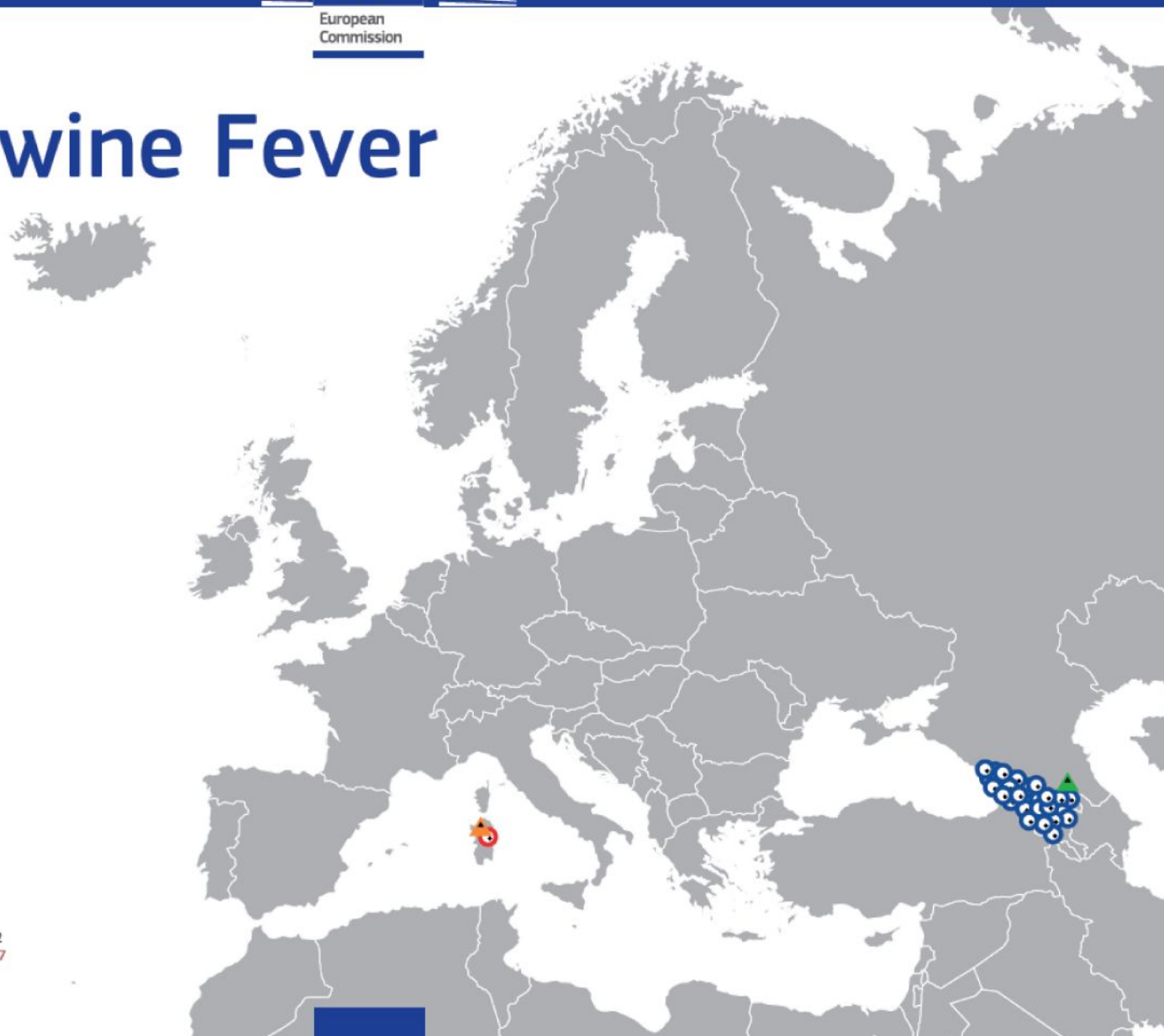
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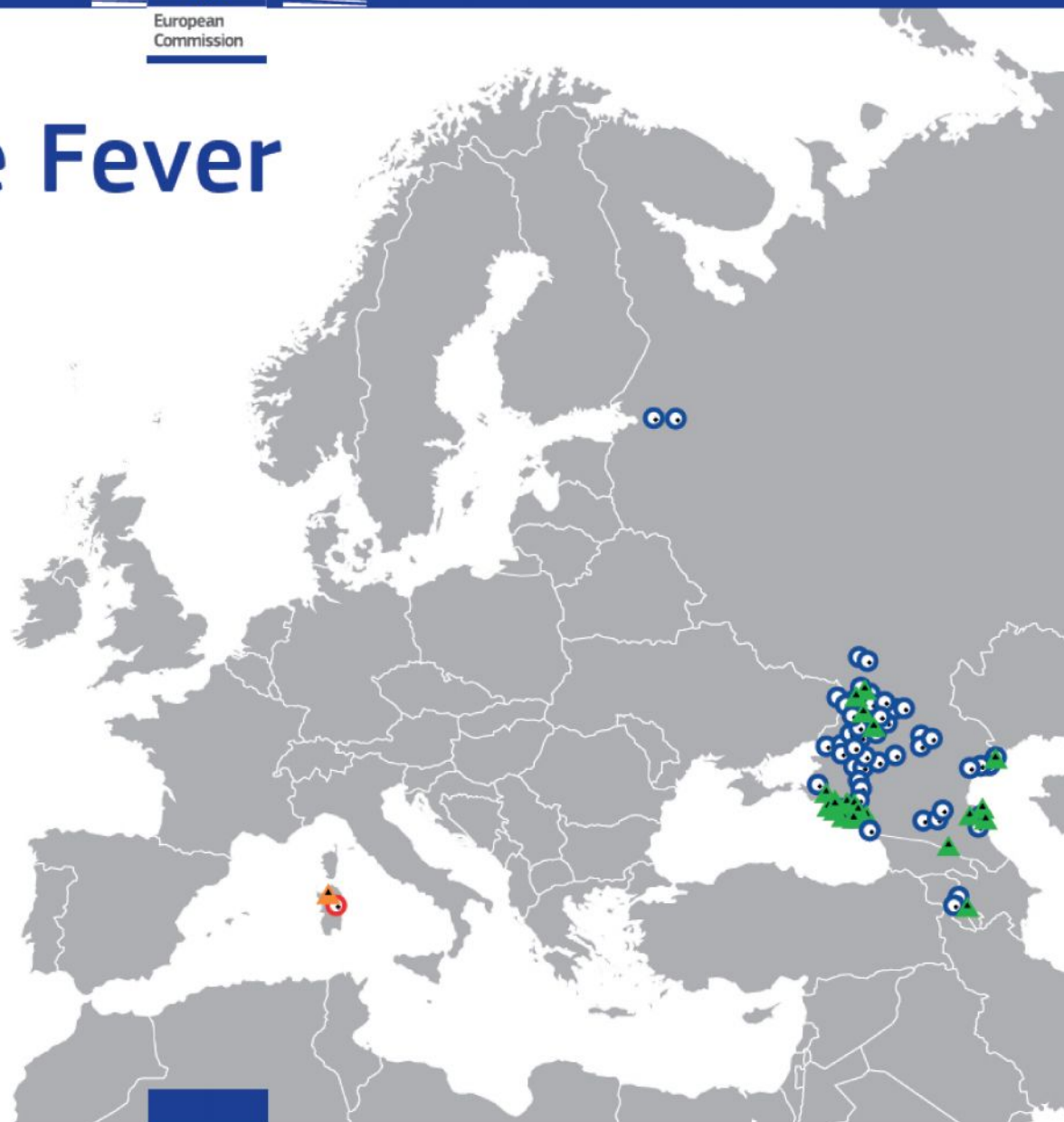
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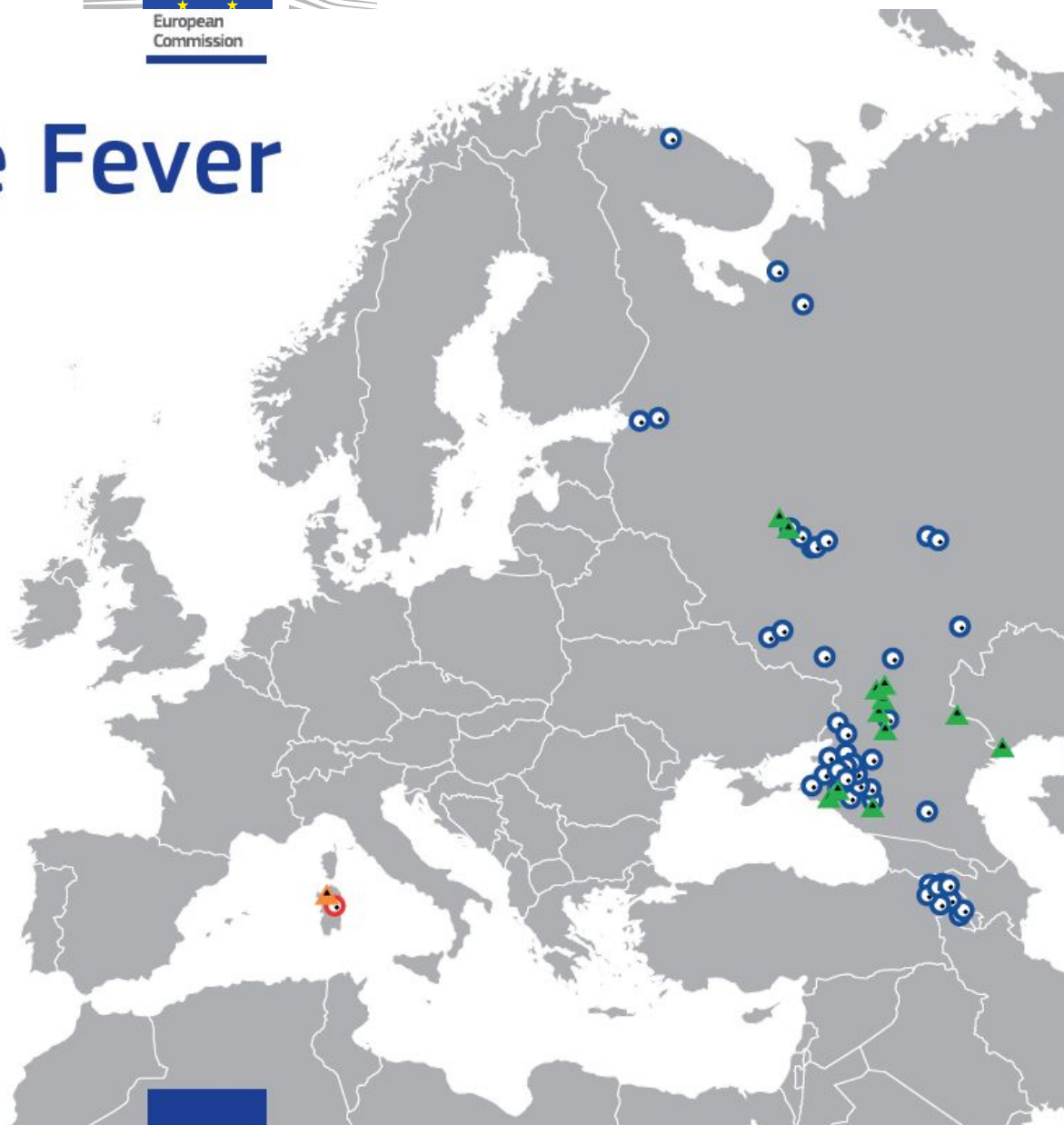
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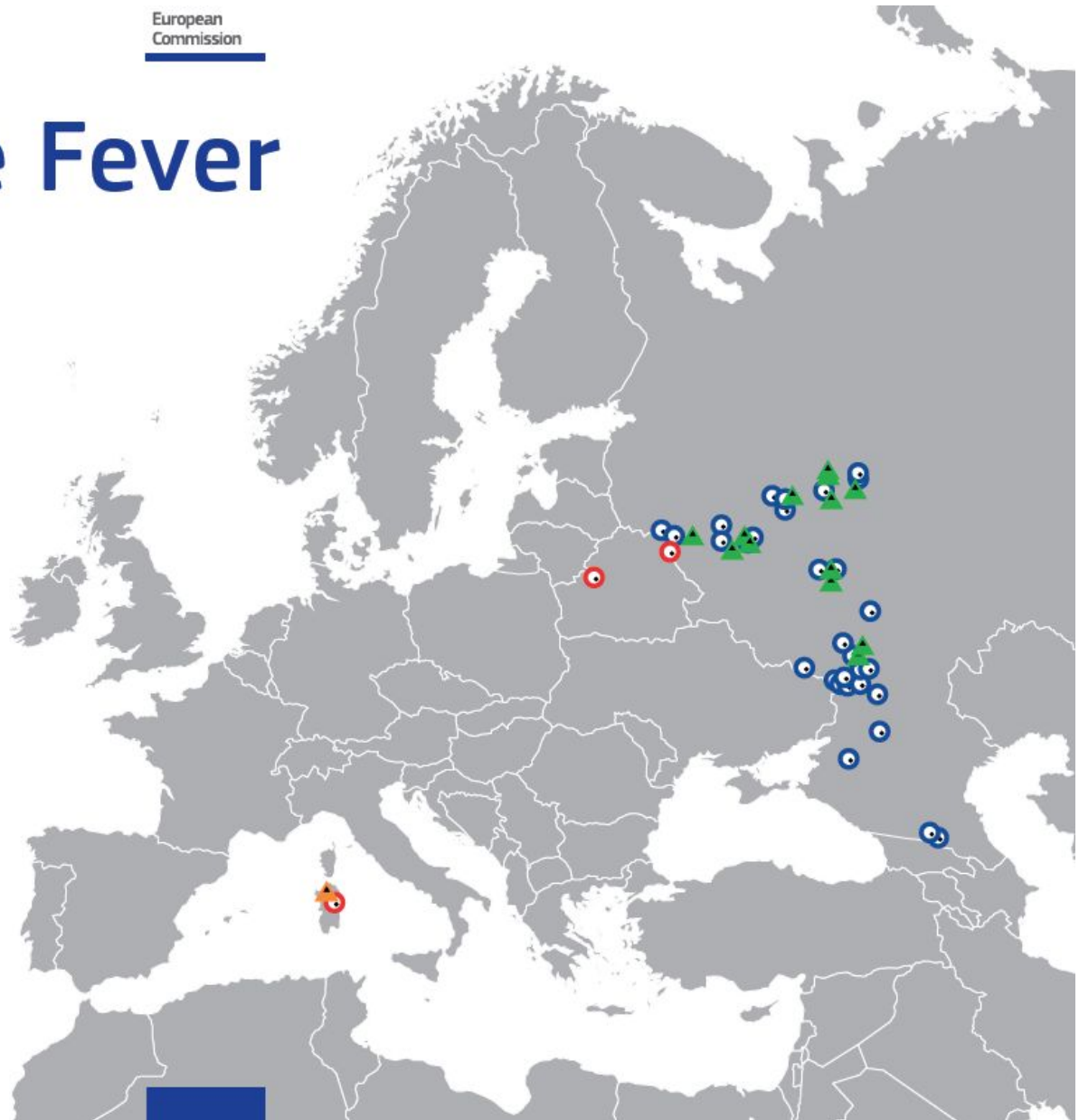
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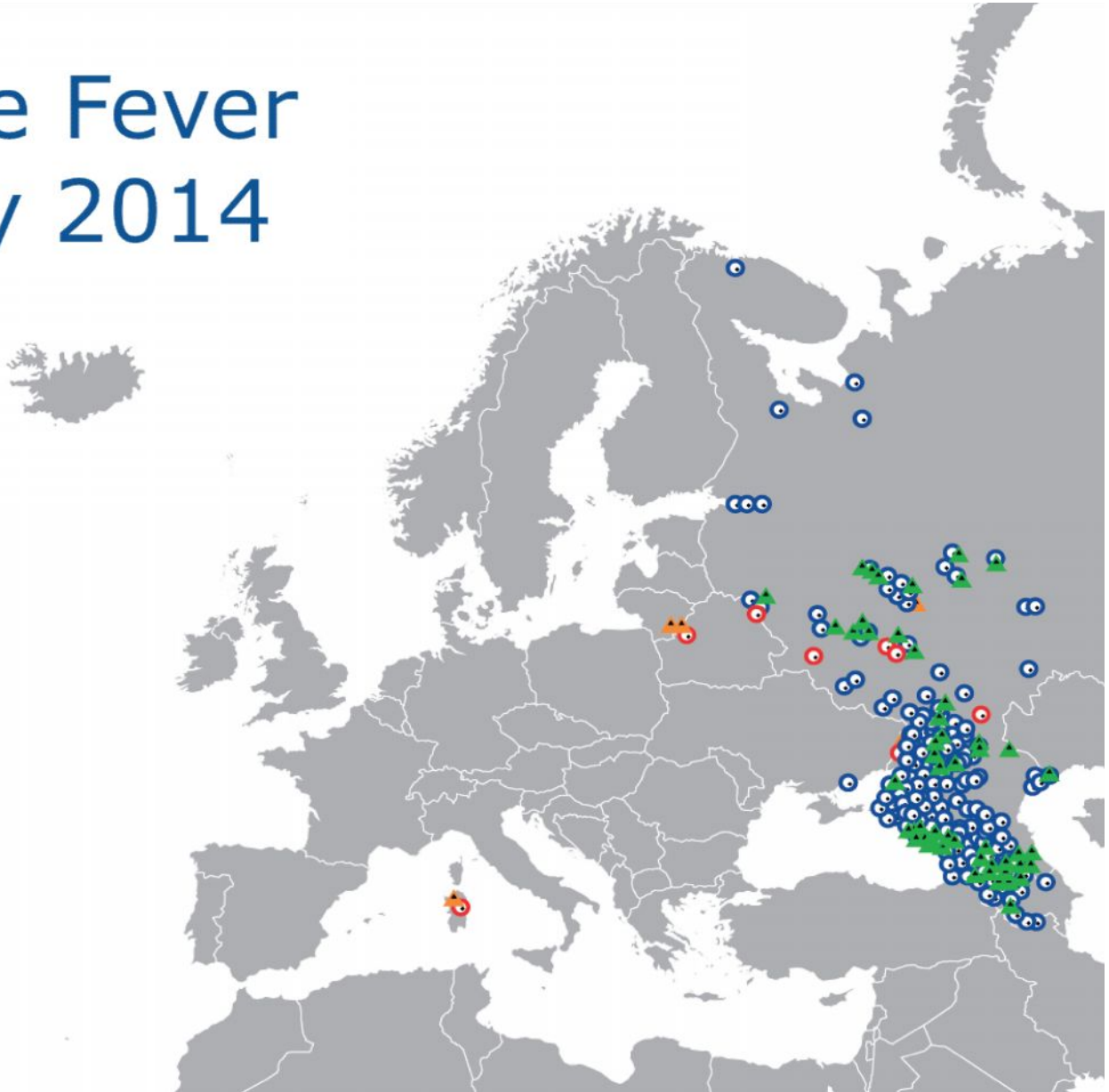
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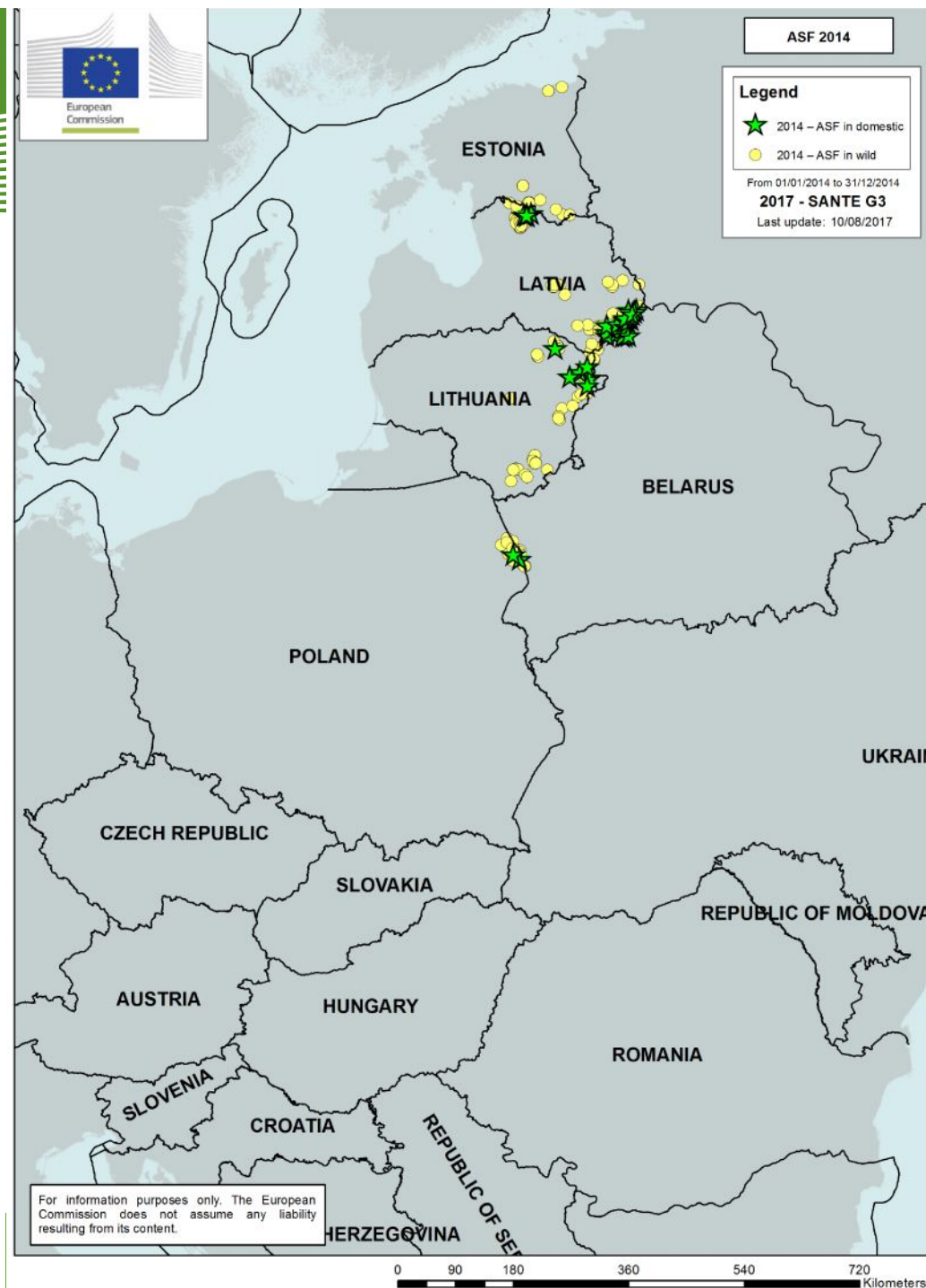
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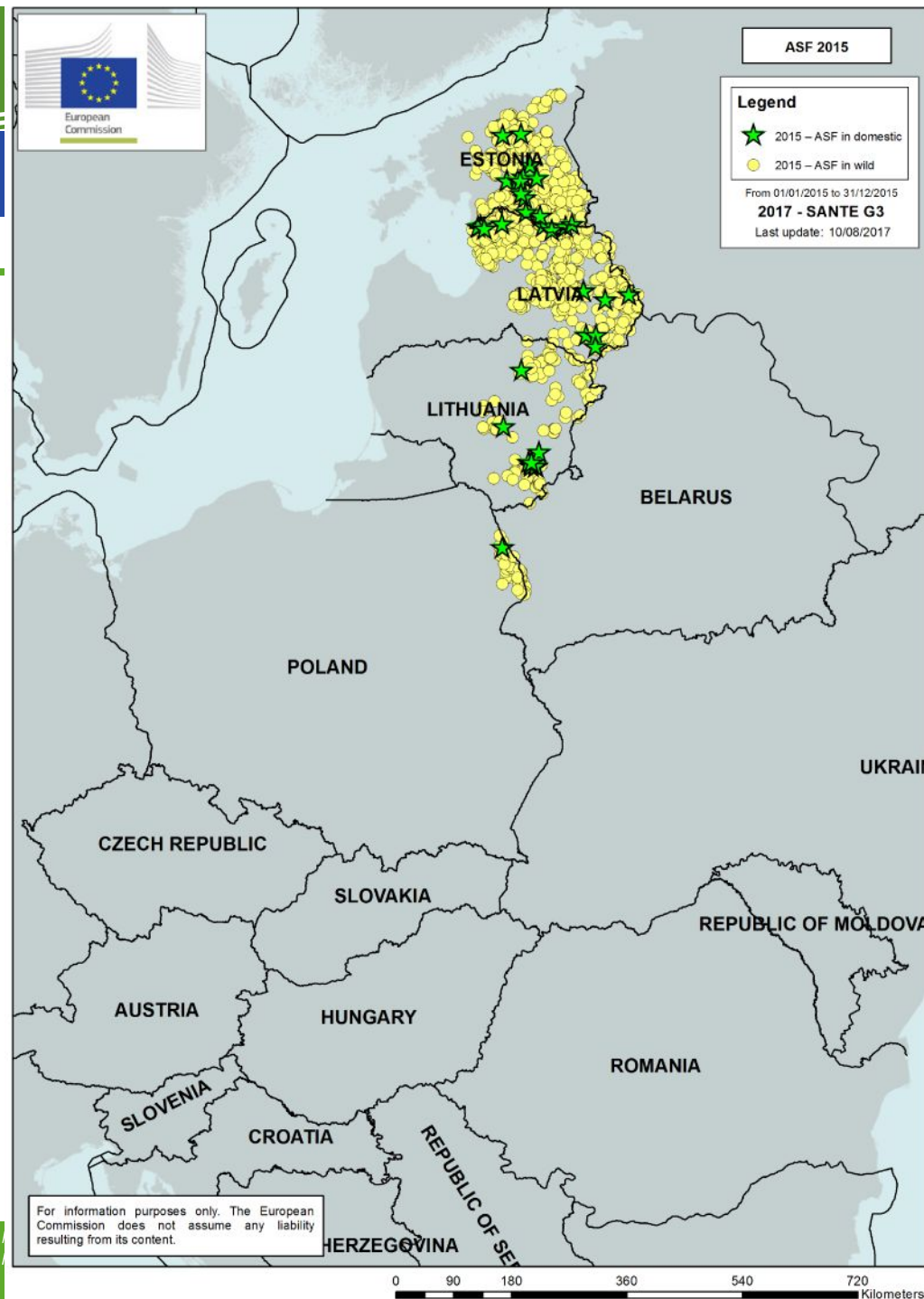
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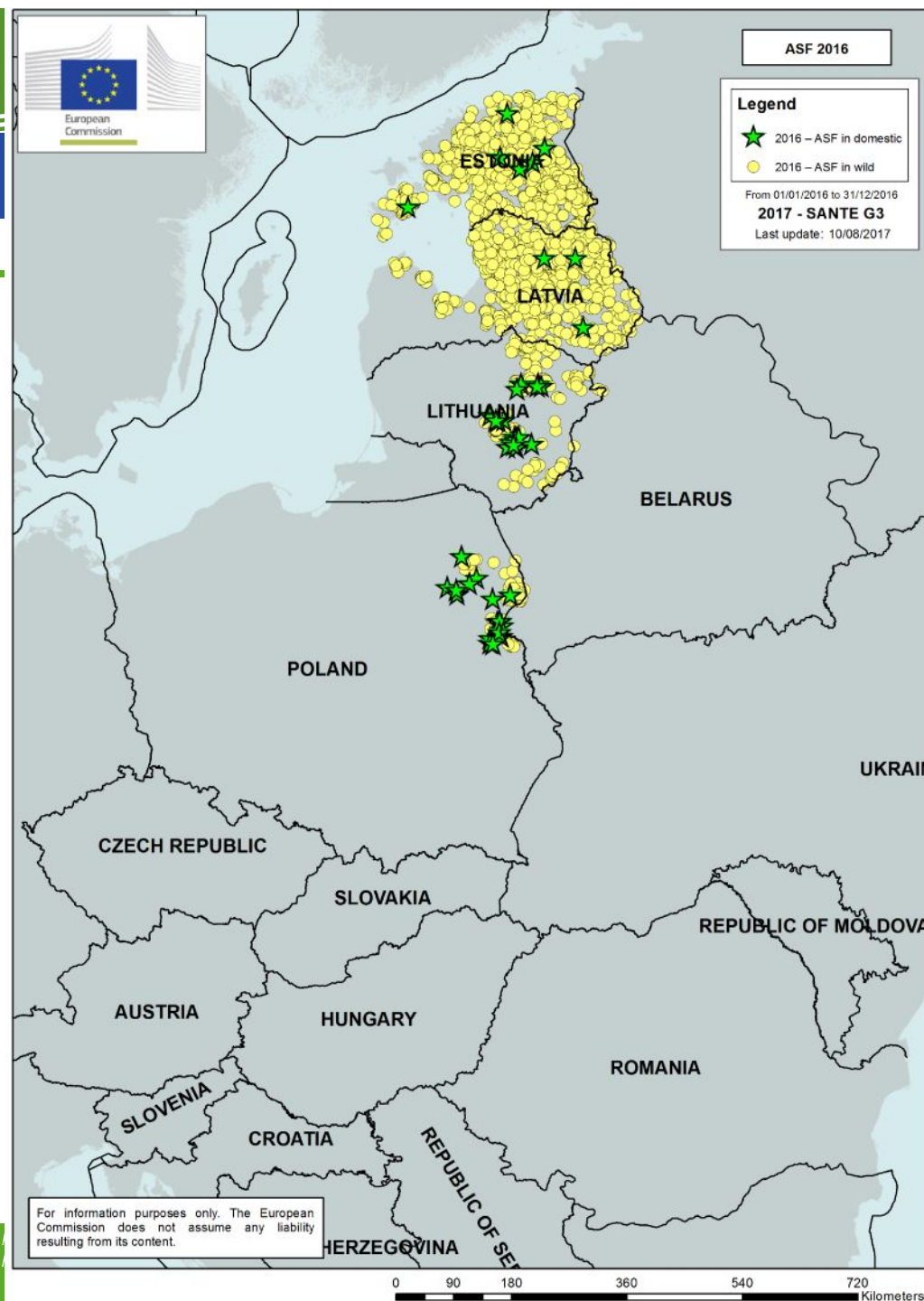
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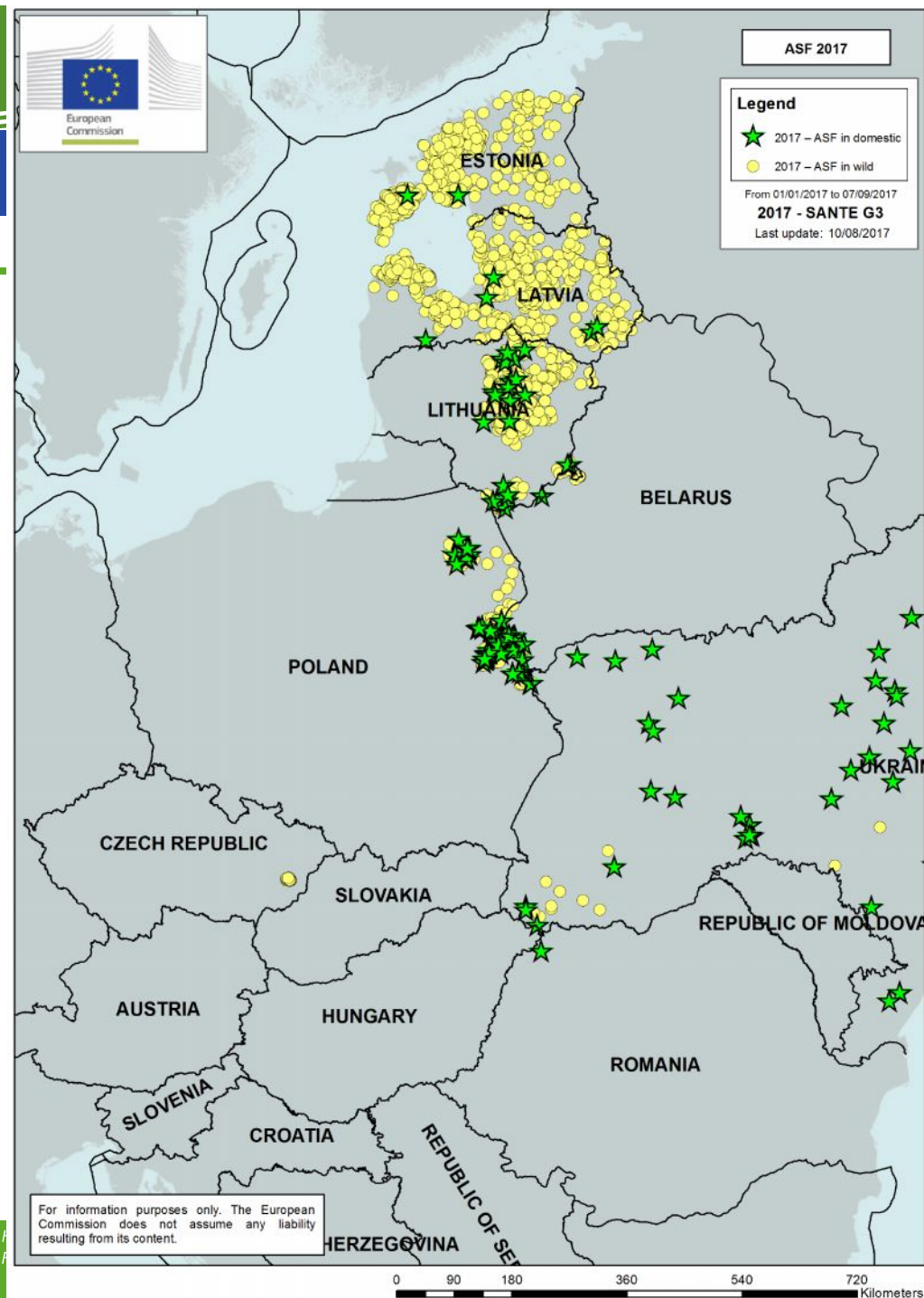
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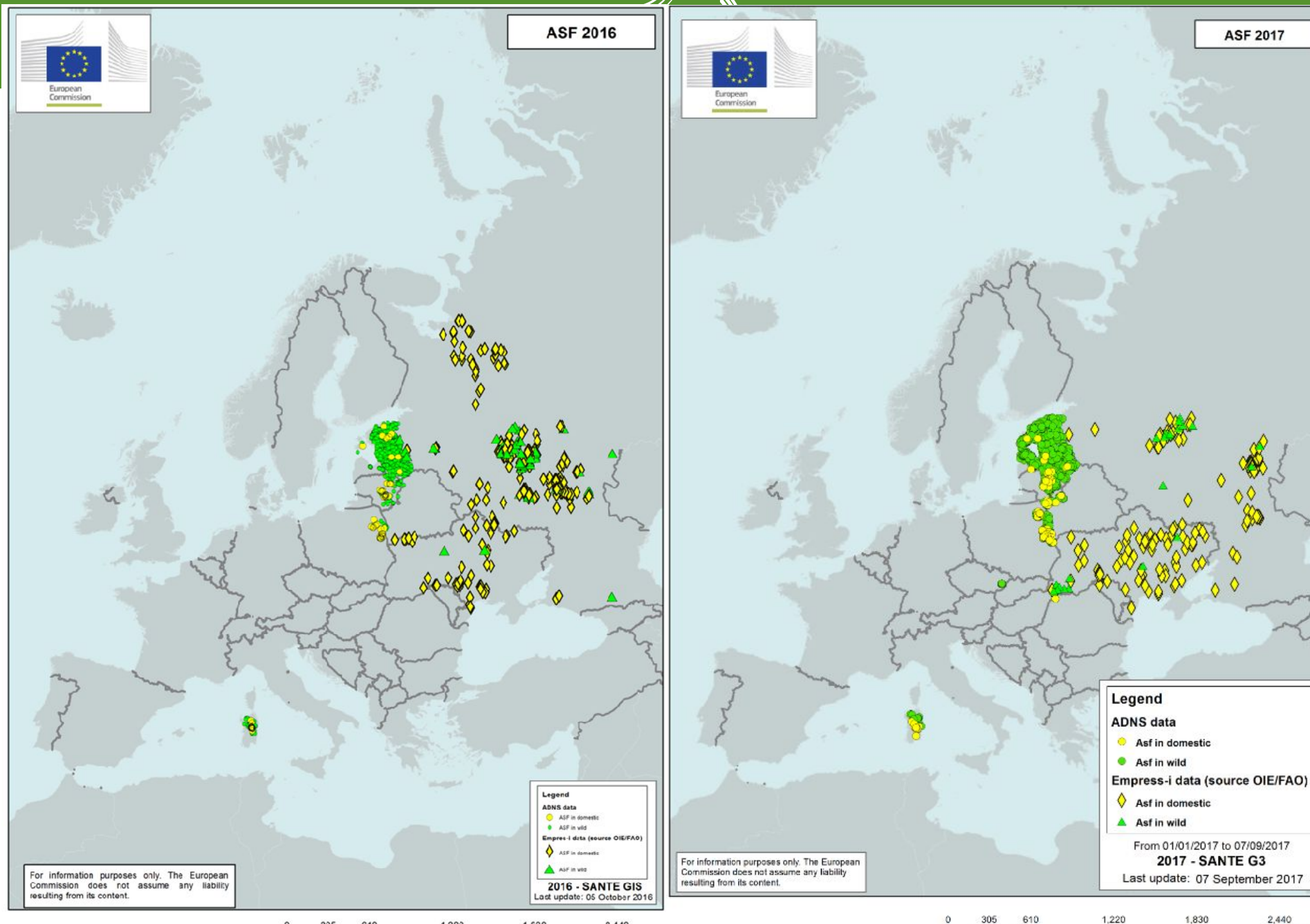
EU-2016



EU-2017 (Sept)



Overview Europe 2016-2017



ADNS data	2017 (02/10/17)	
	Notification of cases in WB	outbreaks in pigs
CZECH REPUBLIC	106	0
ESTONIA	508	3
LATVIA	679	7
LITHUANIA	681	30
POLAND	338	78
ROMANIA	0	2

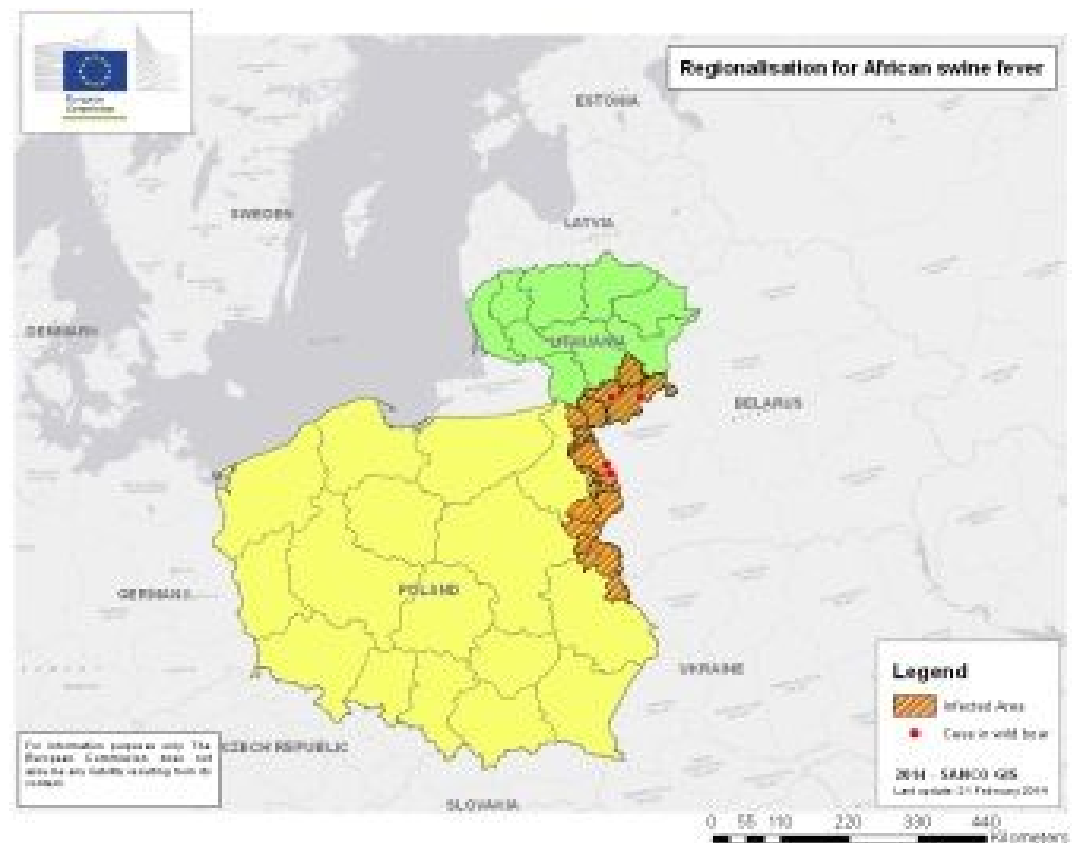


ASF EU regionalisation

(Non exhaustive maps are shown)

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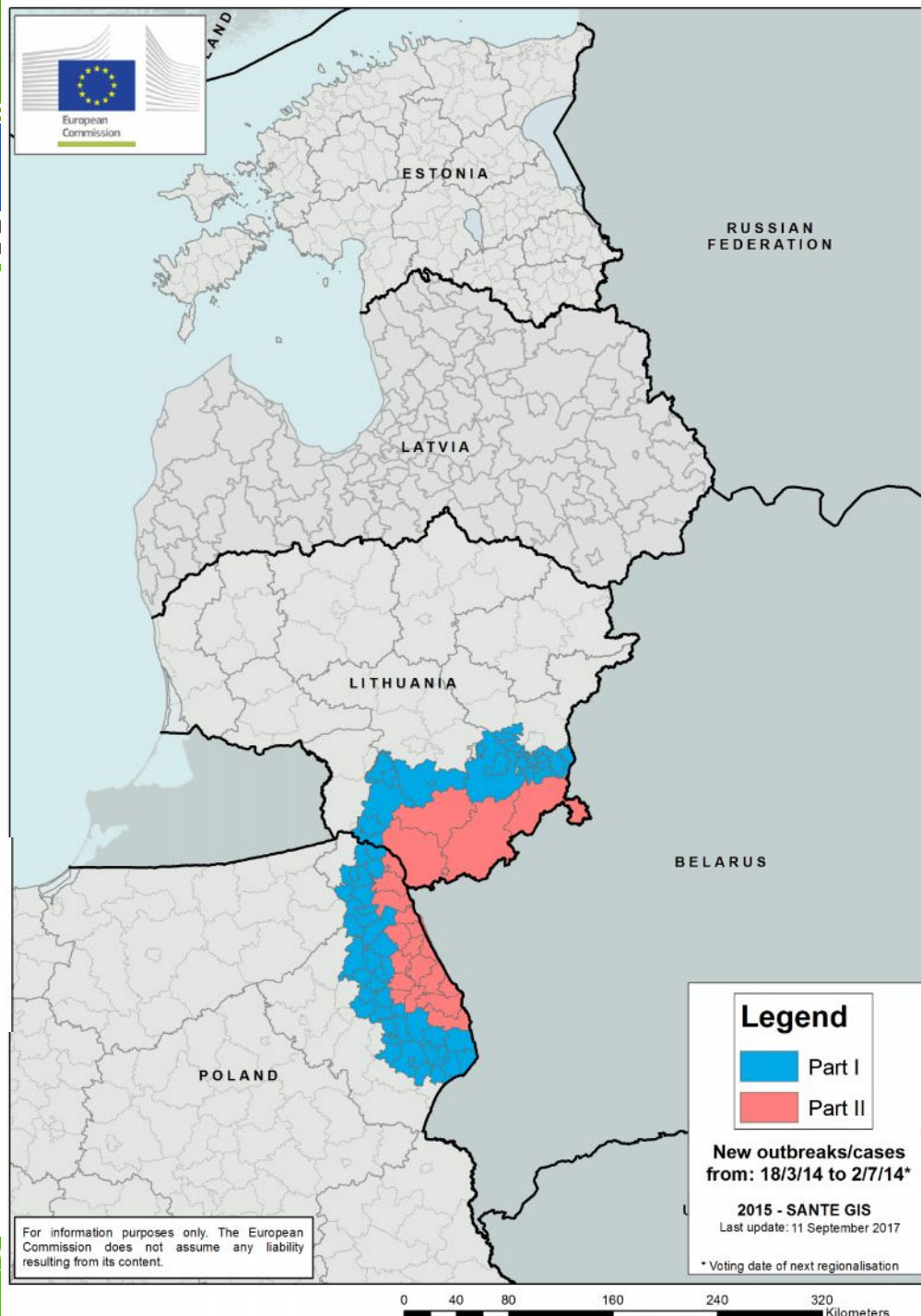
concerning certain protective
measures (**safeguards**)
relating to African swine fever
in Lithuania and Poland



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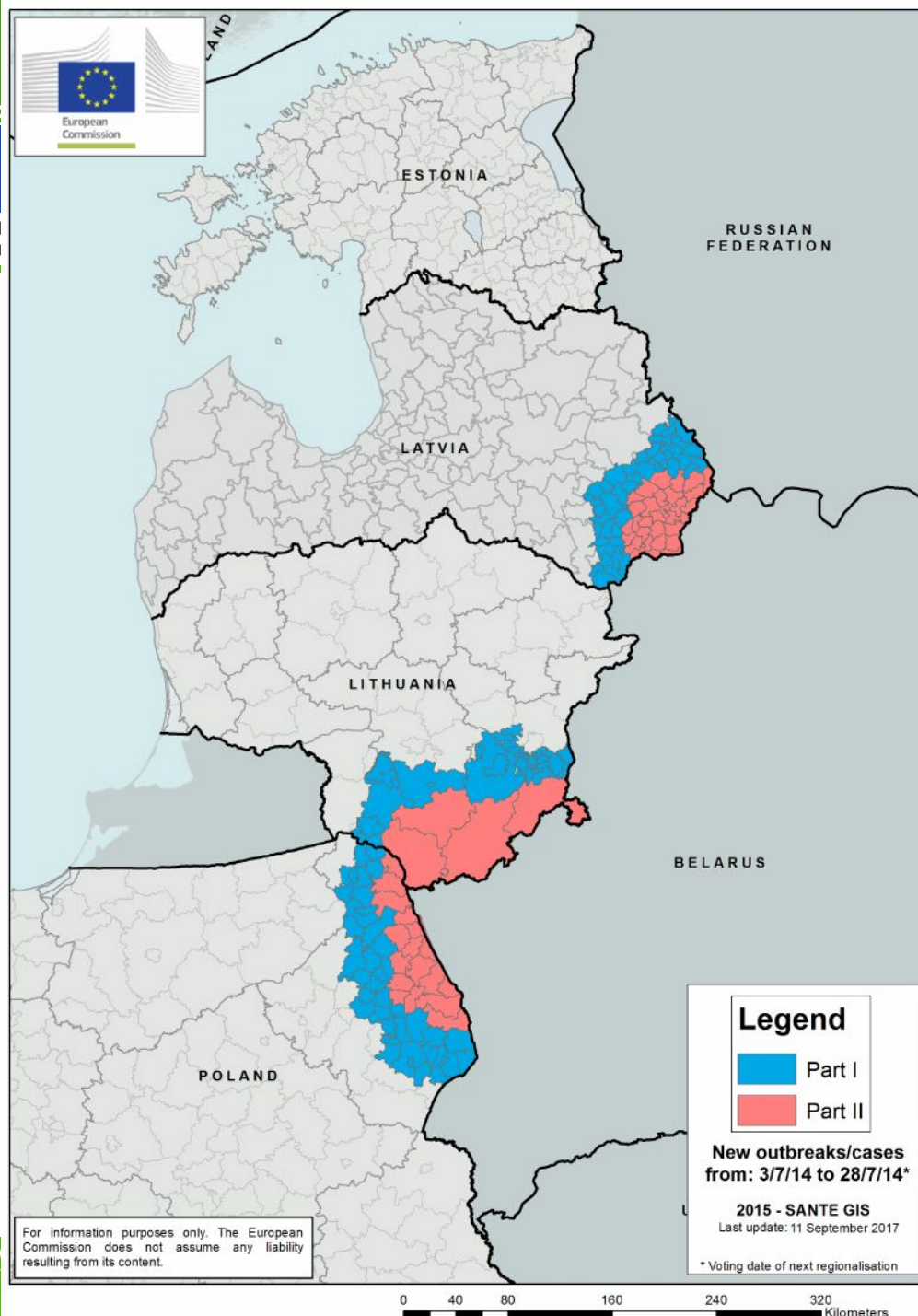
concerning animal health
control measures relating to
African swine fever in certain
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First regionalization



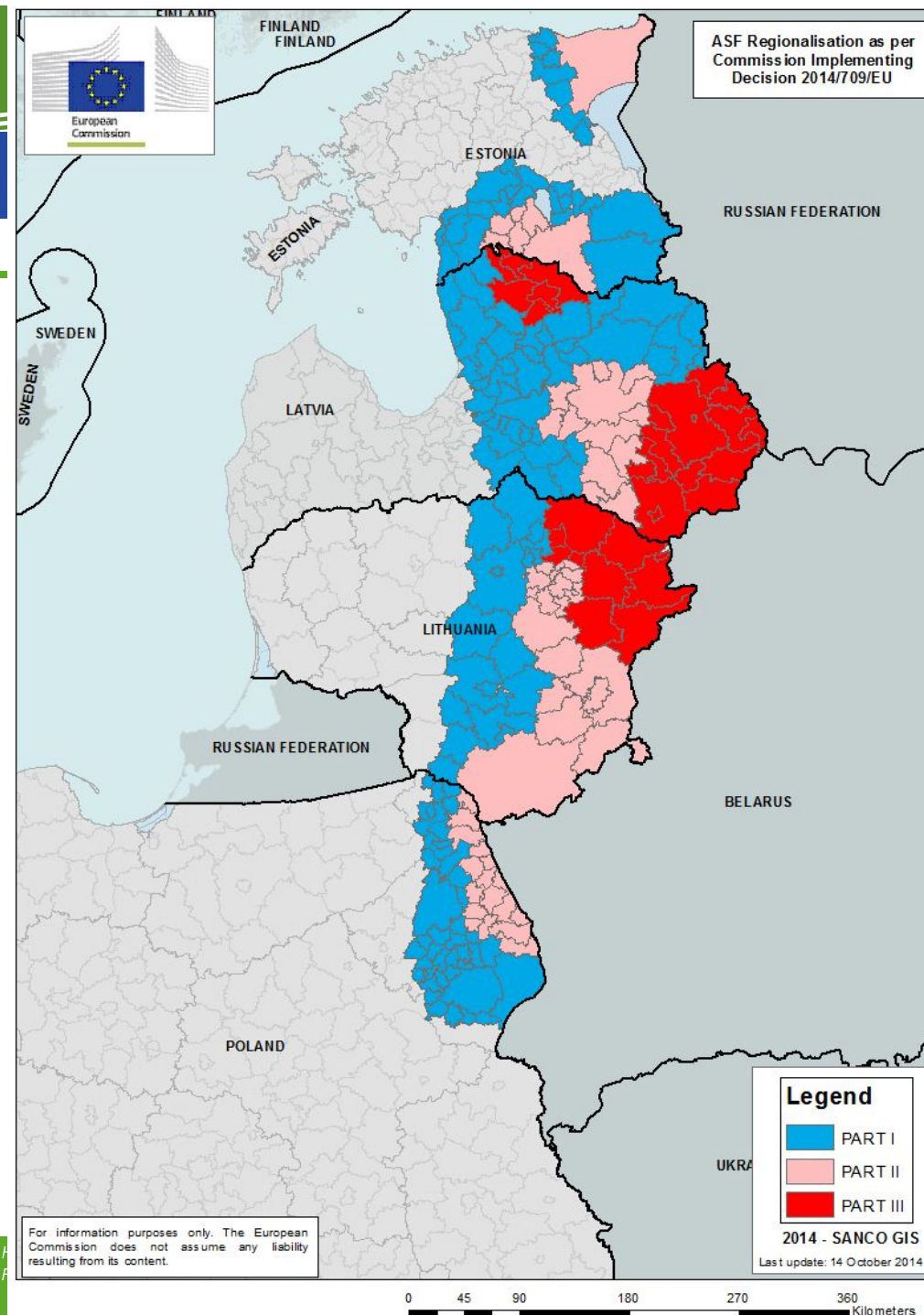
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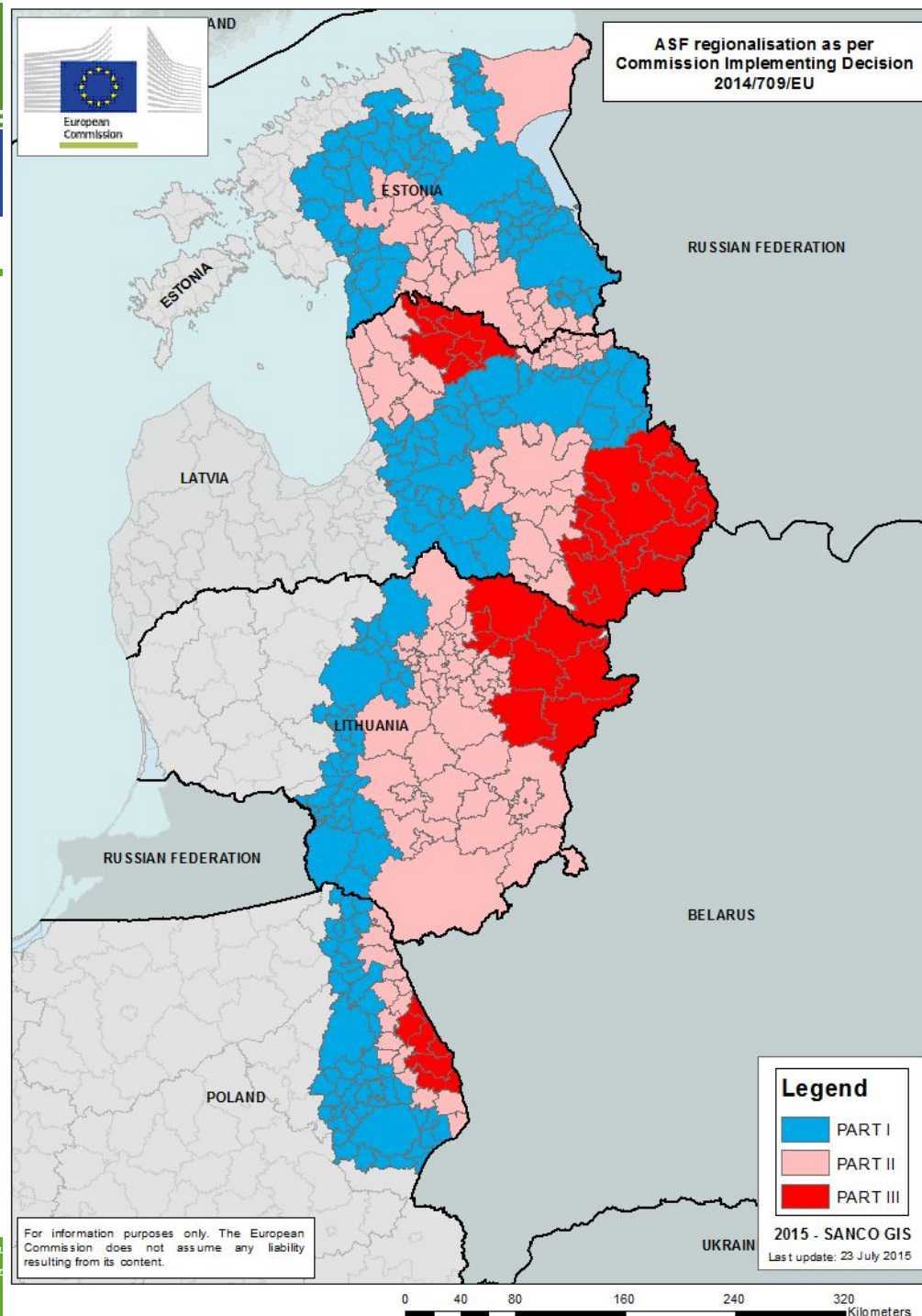
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**New measures
& new Annex**



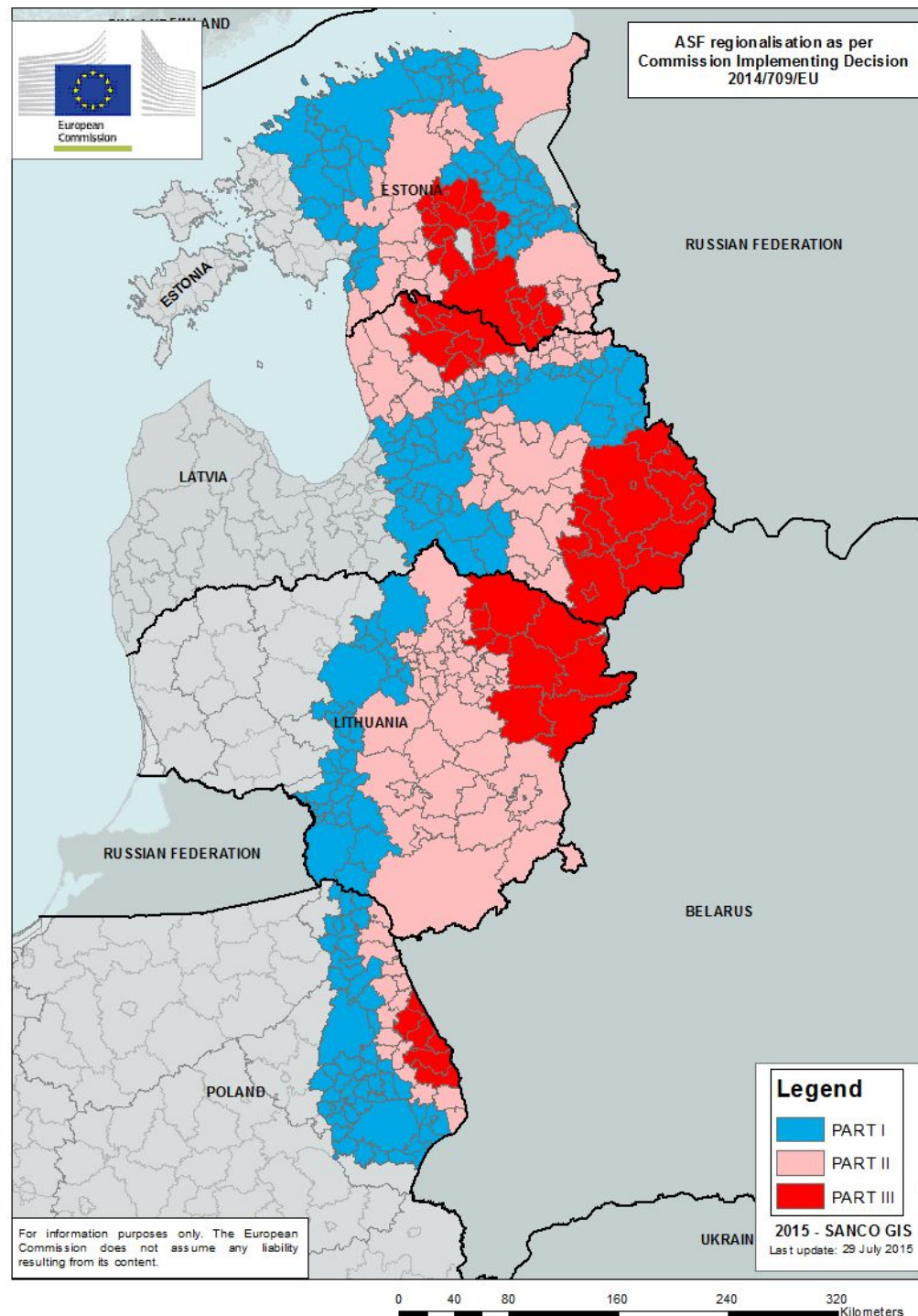
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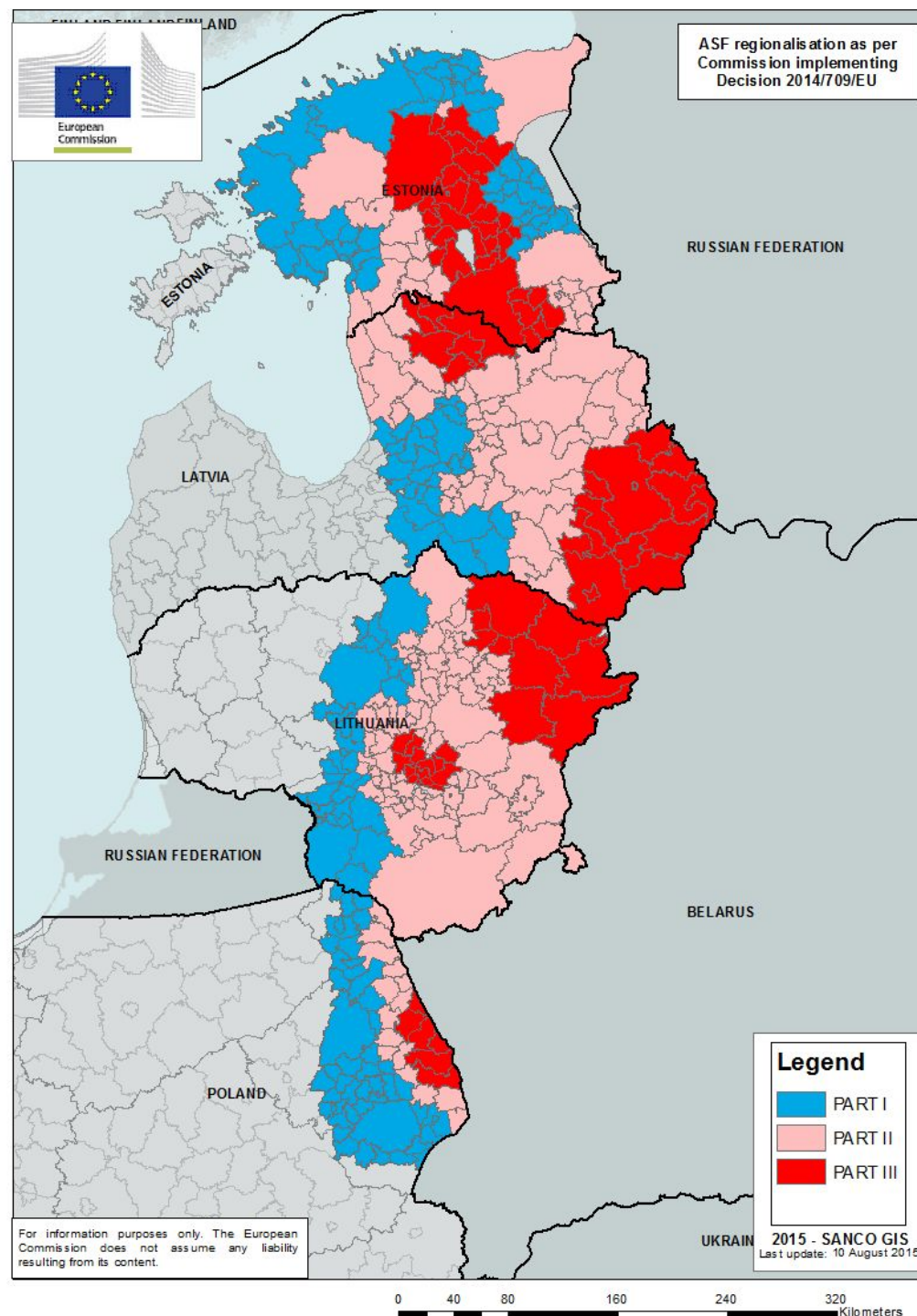
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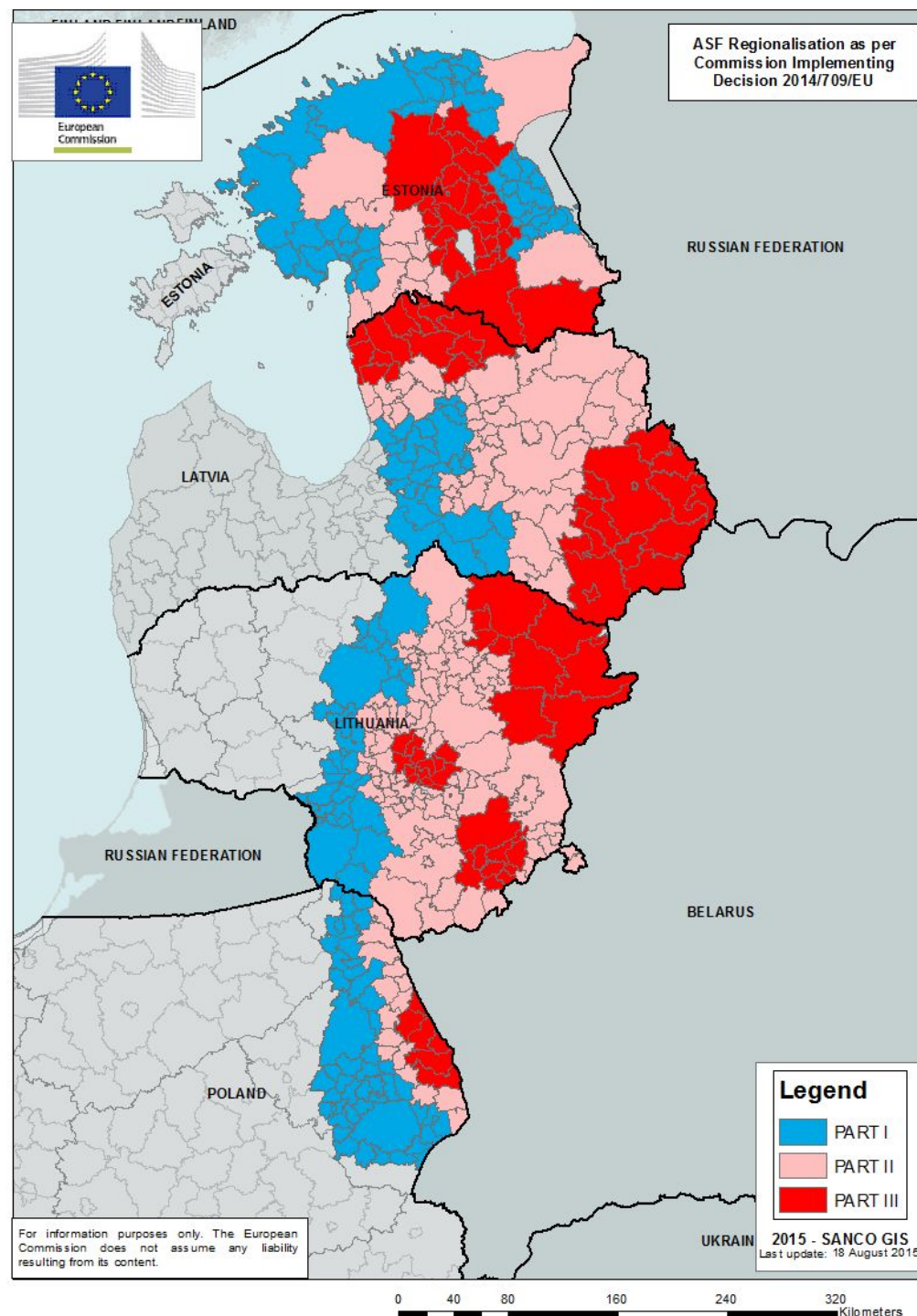
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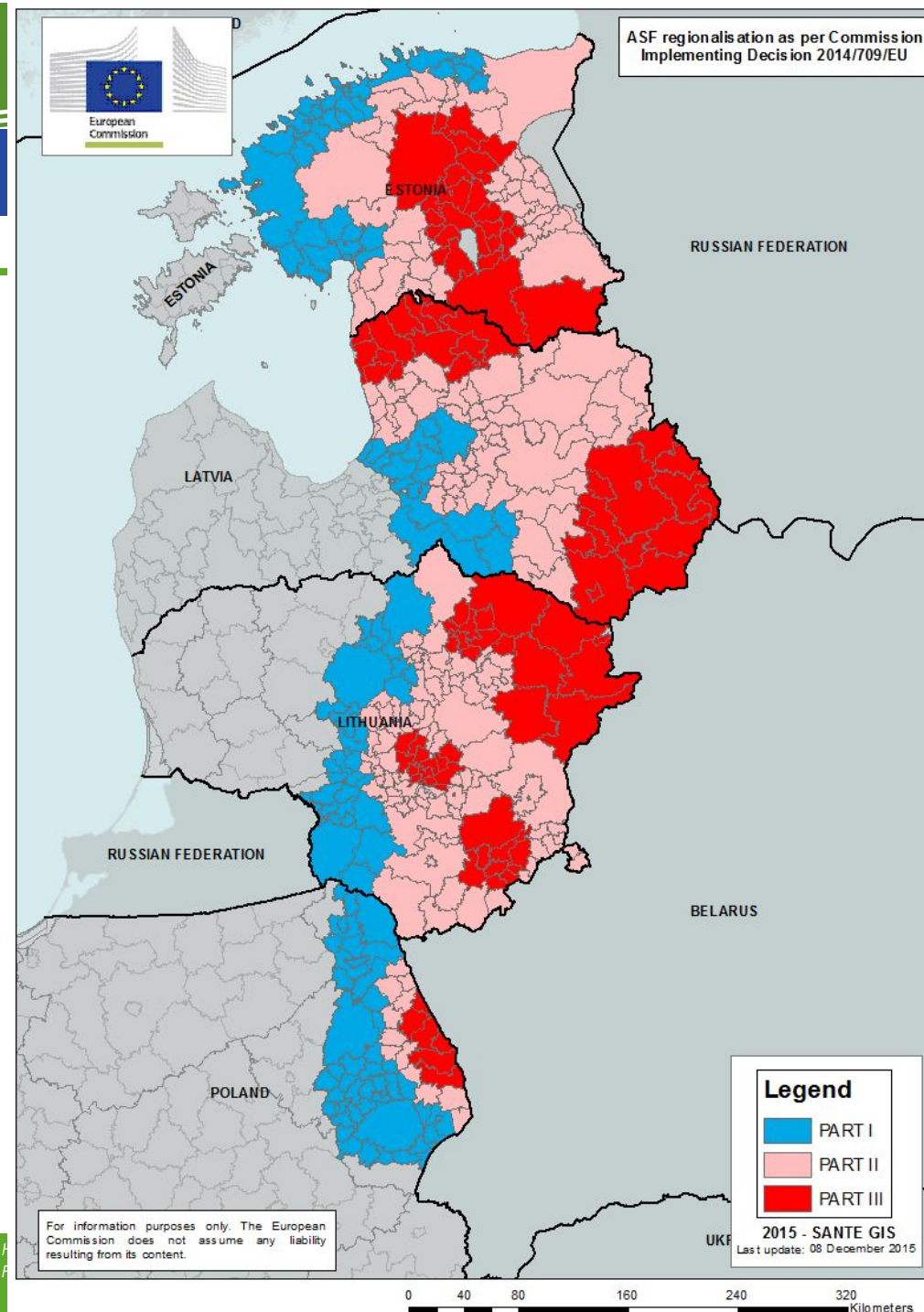
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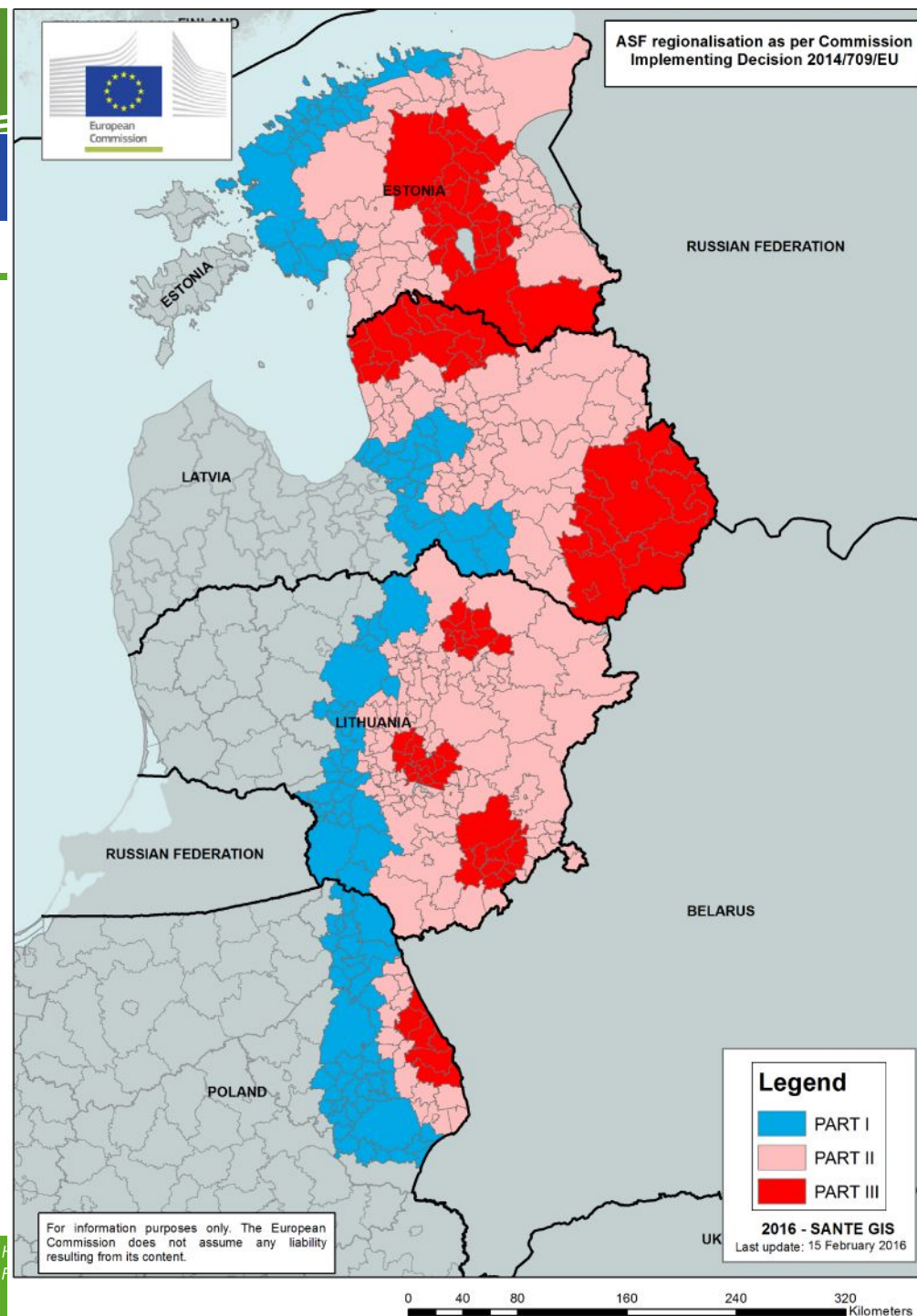
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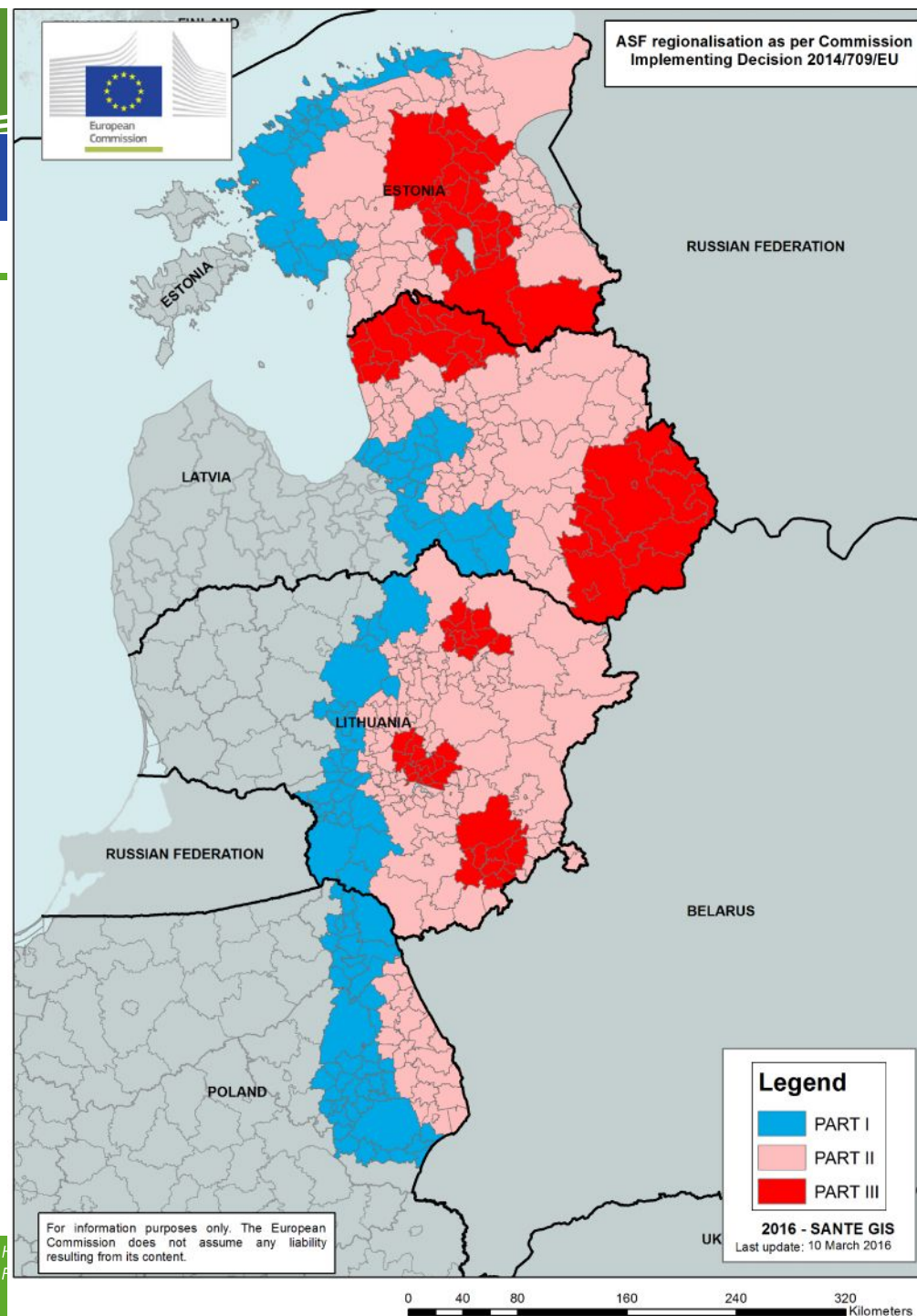
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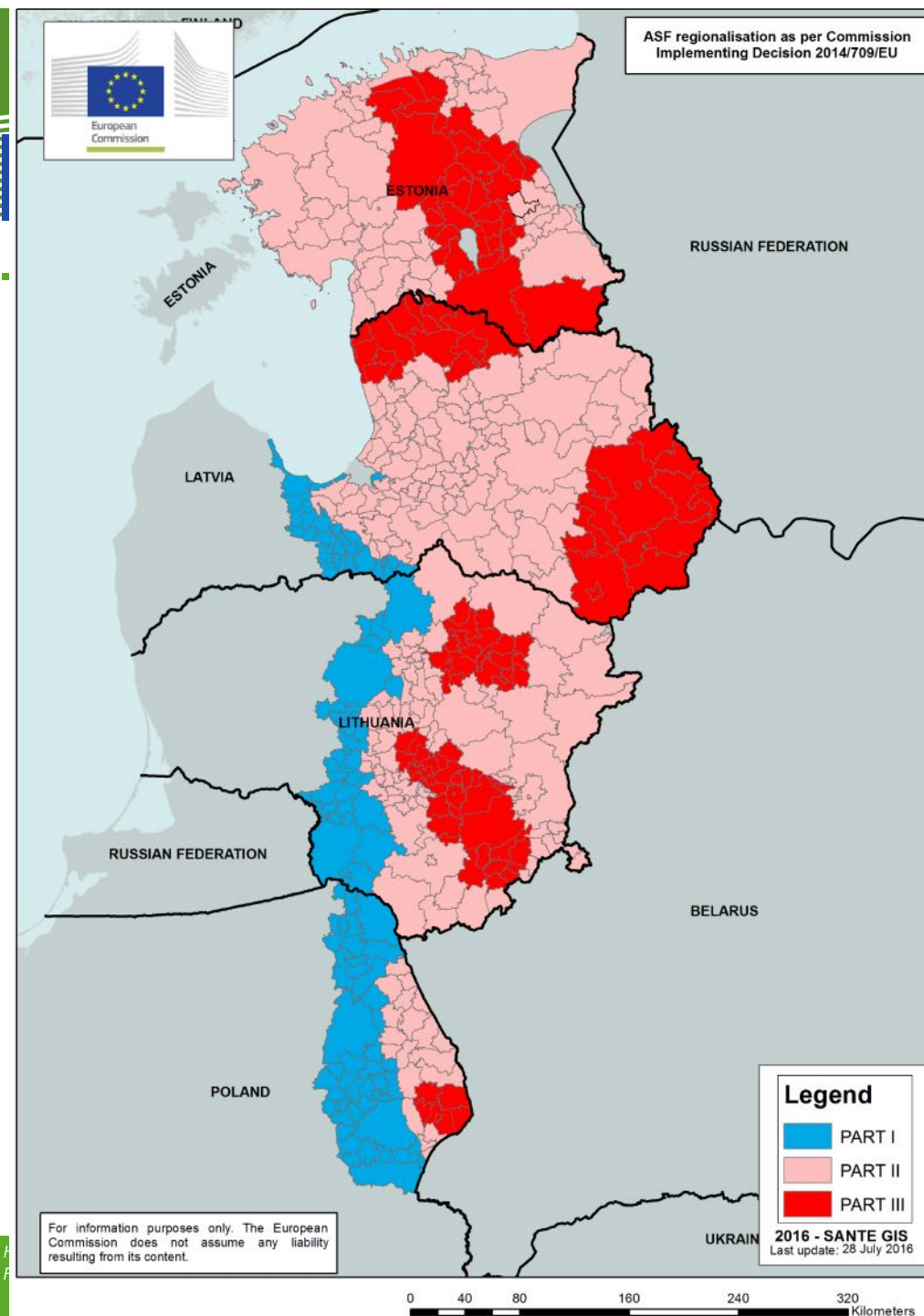
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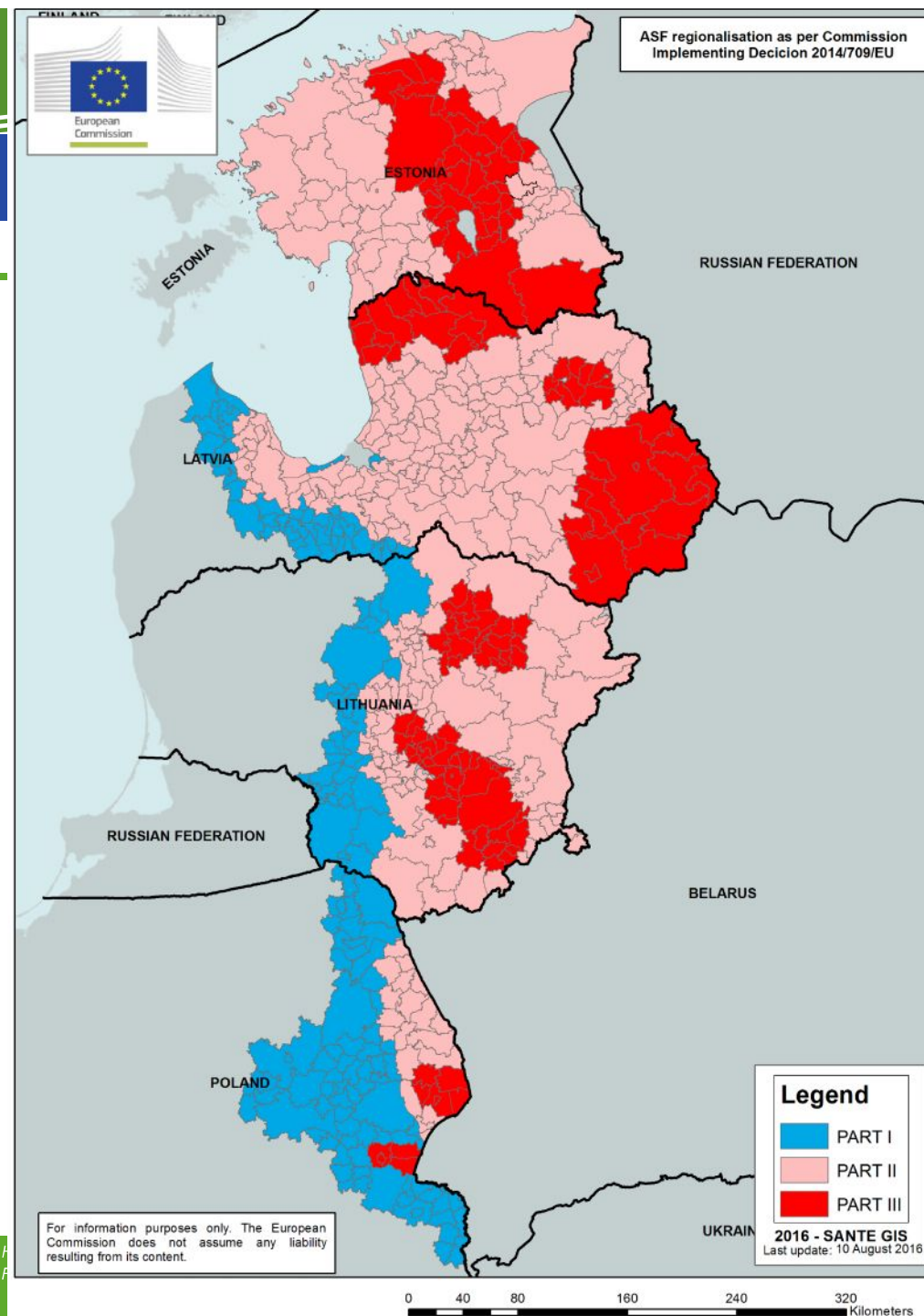
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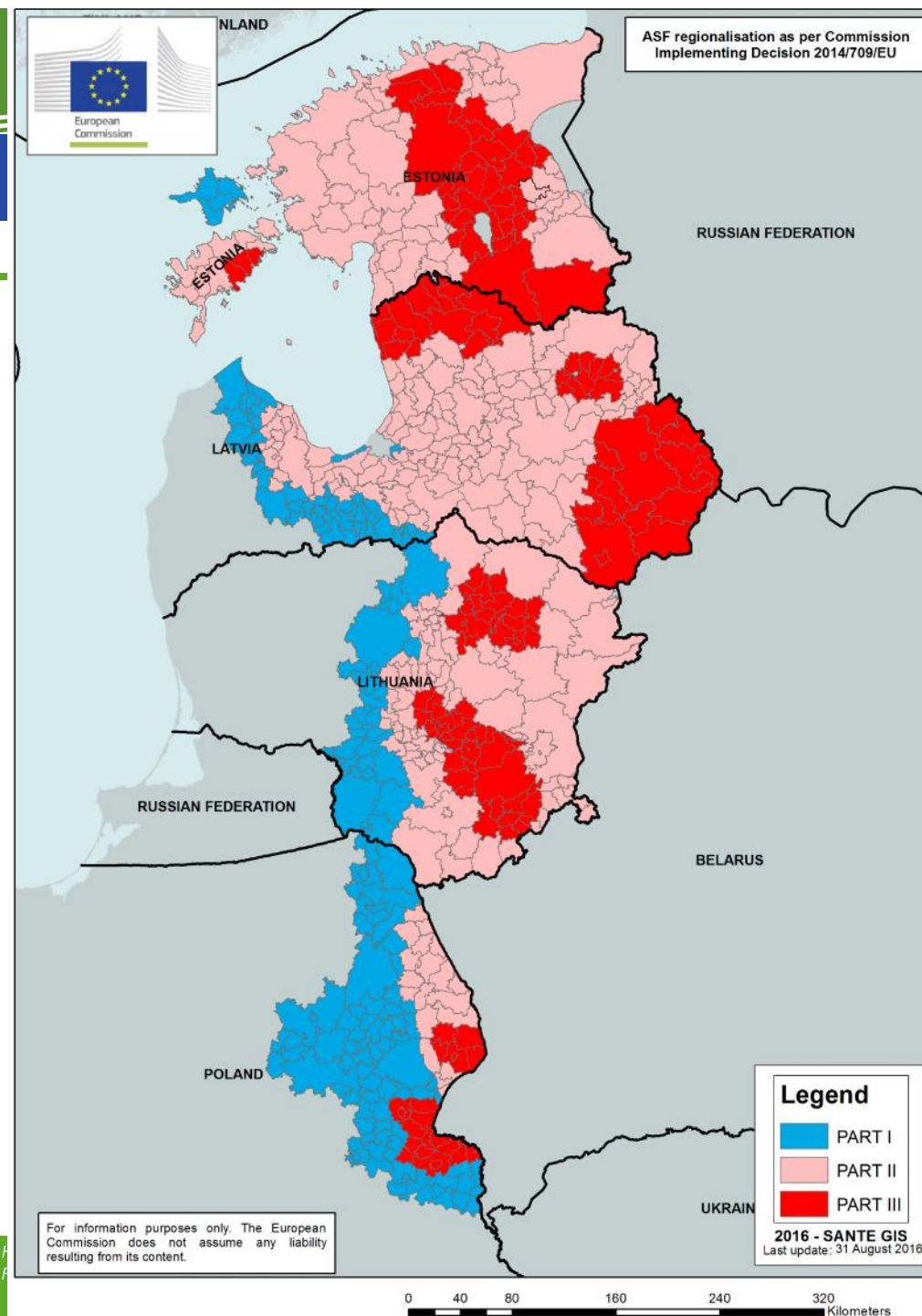
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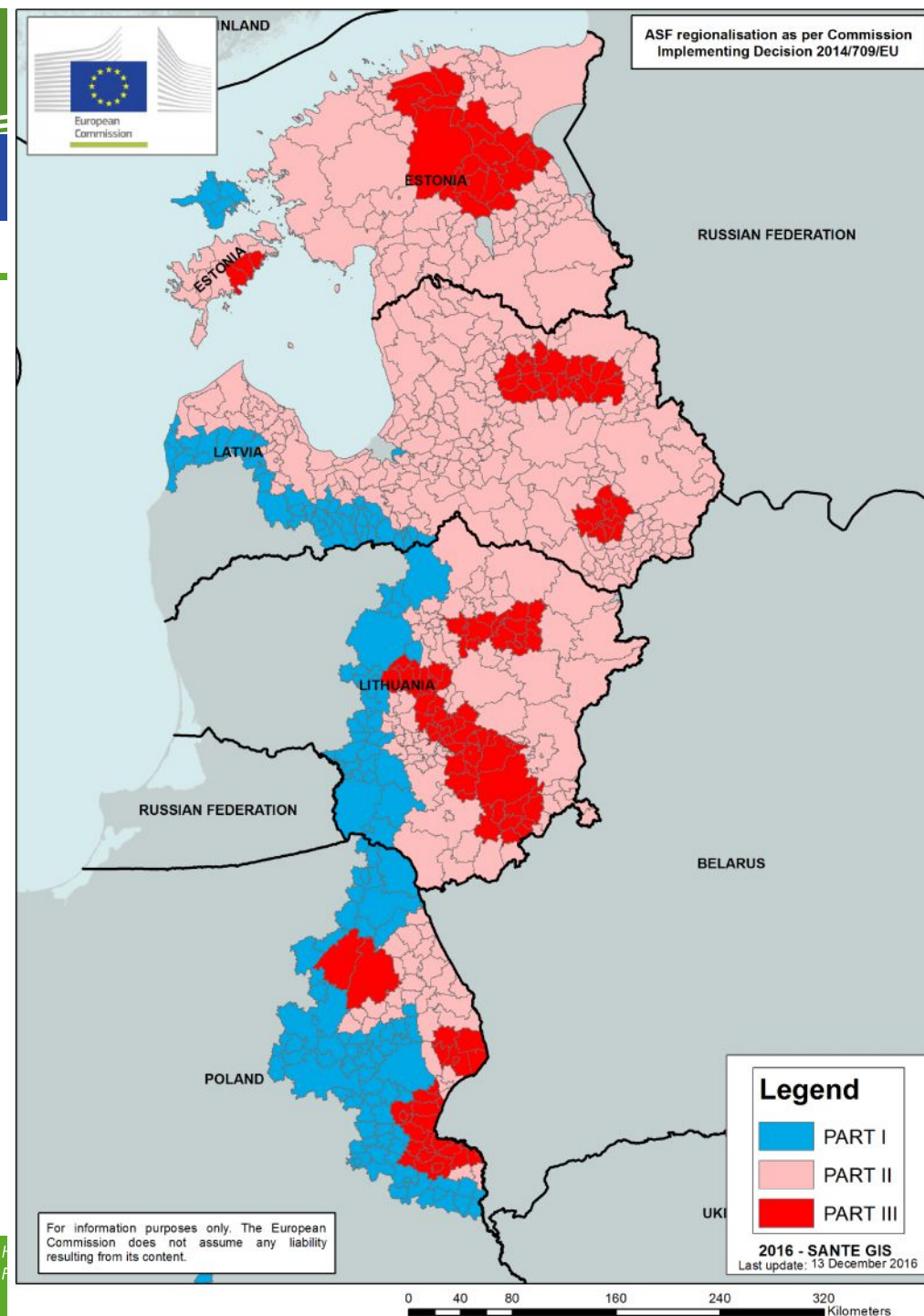
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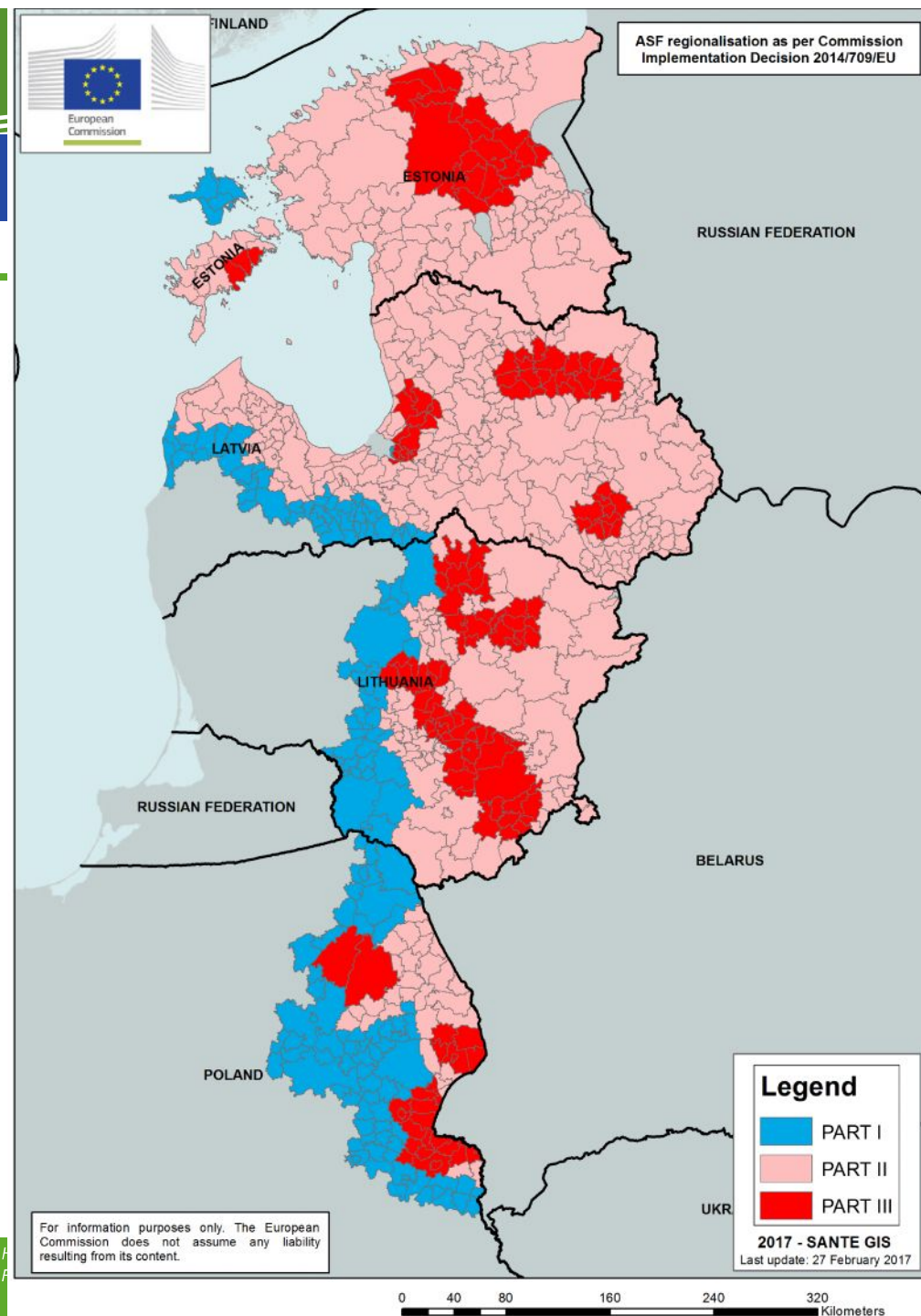
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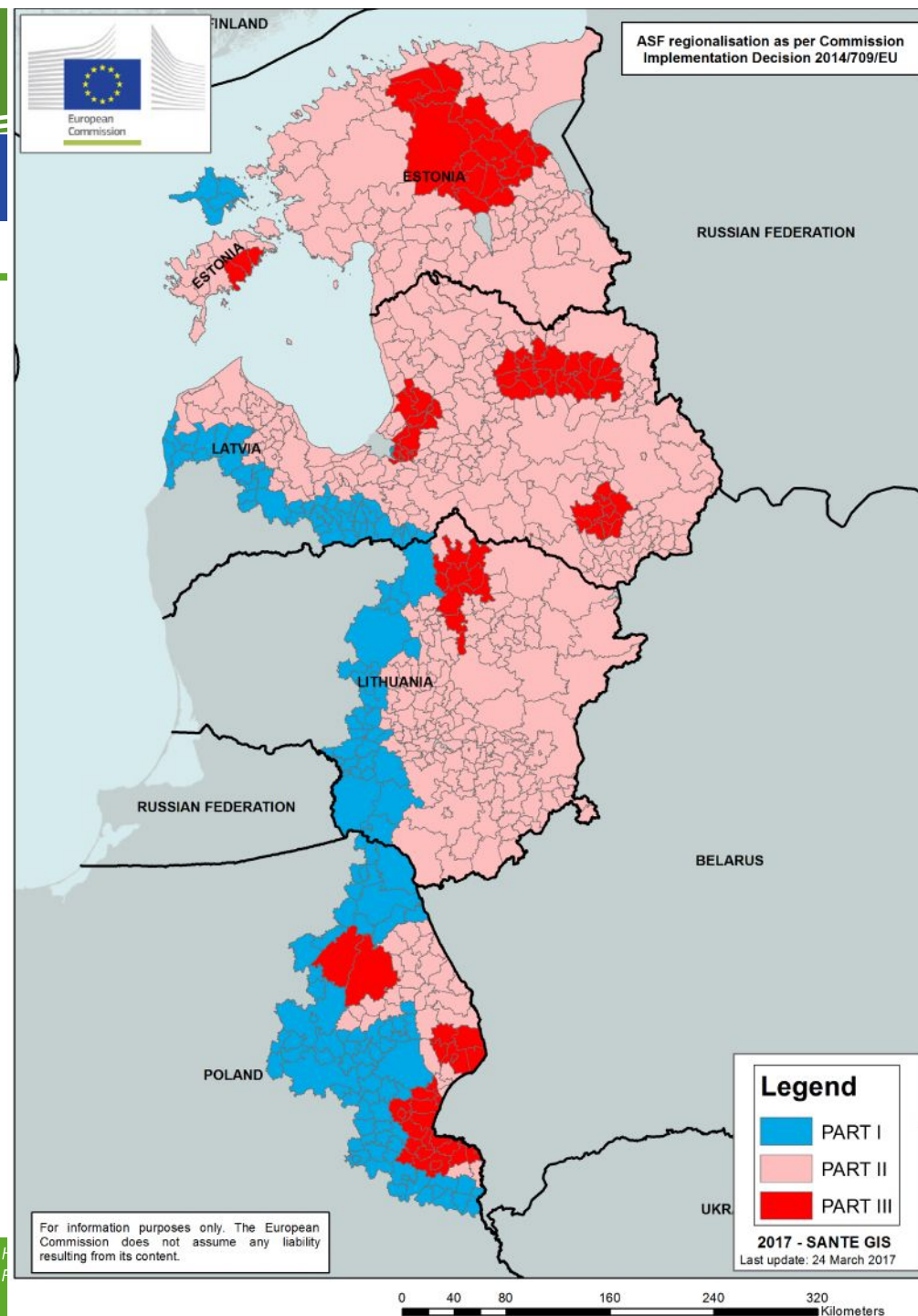
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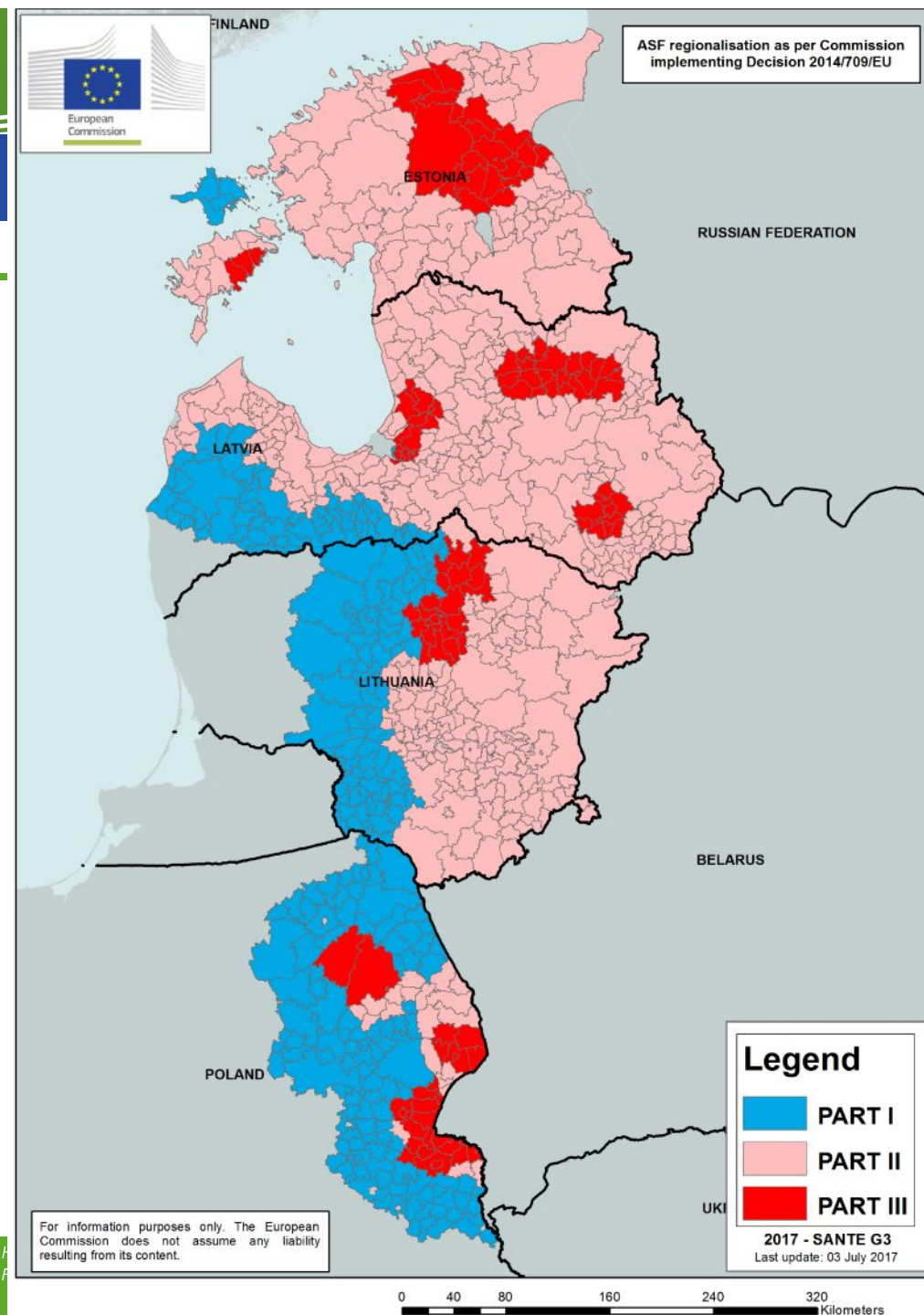
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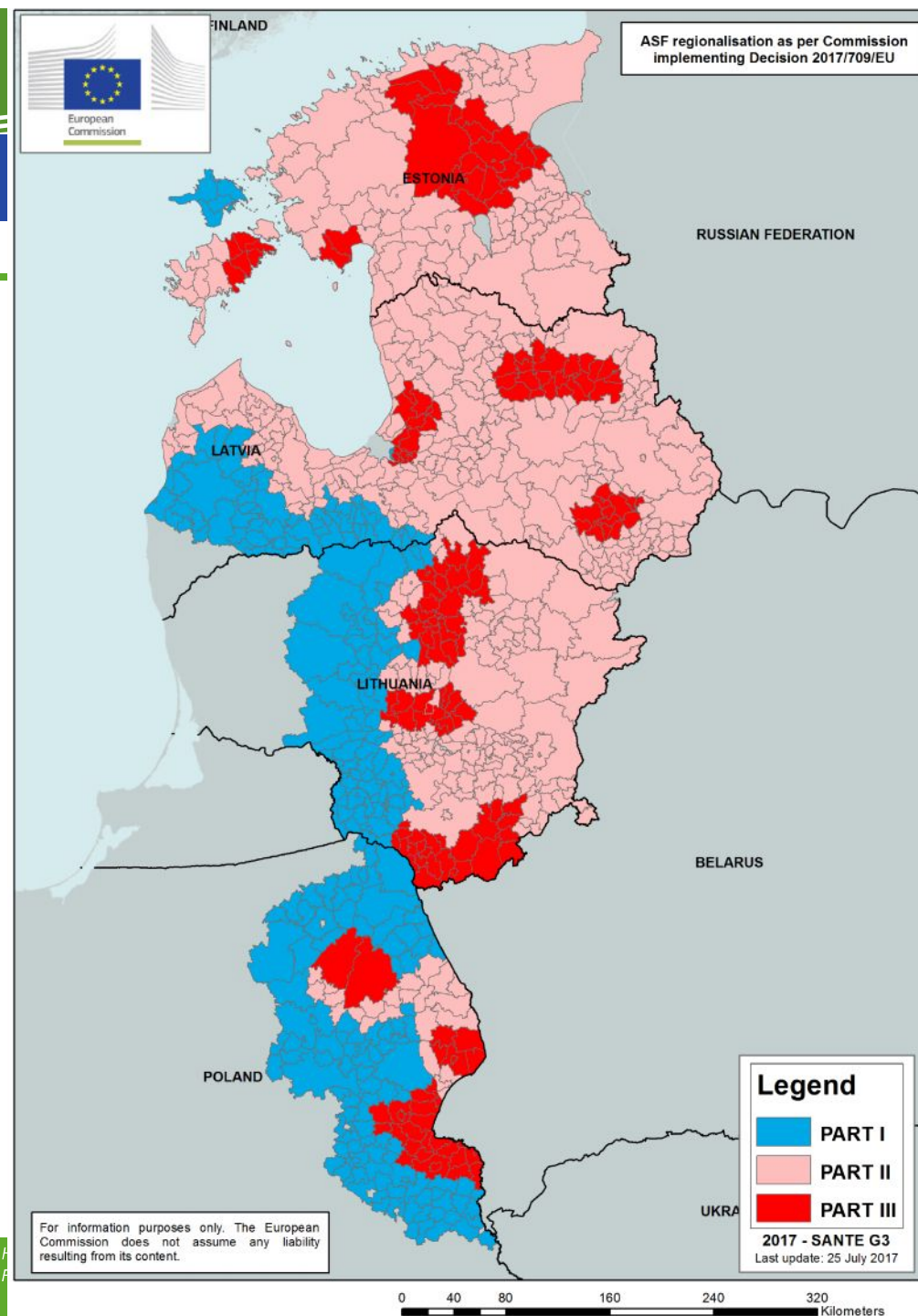
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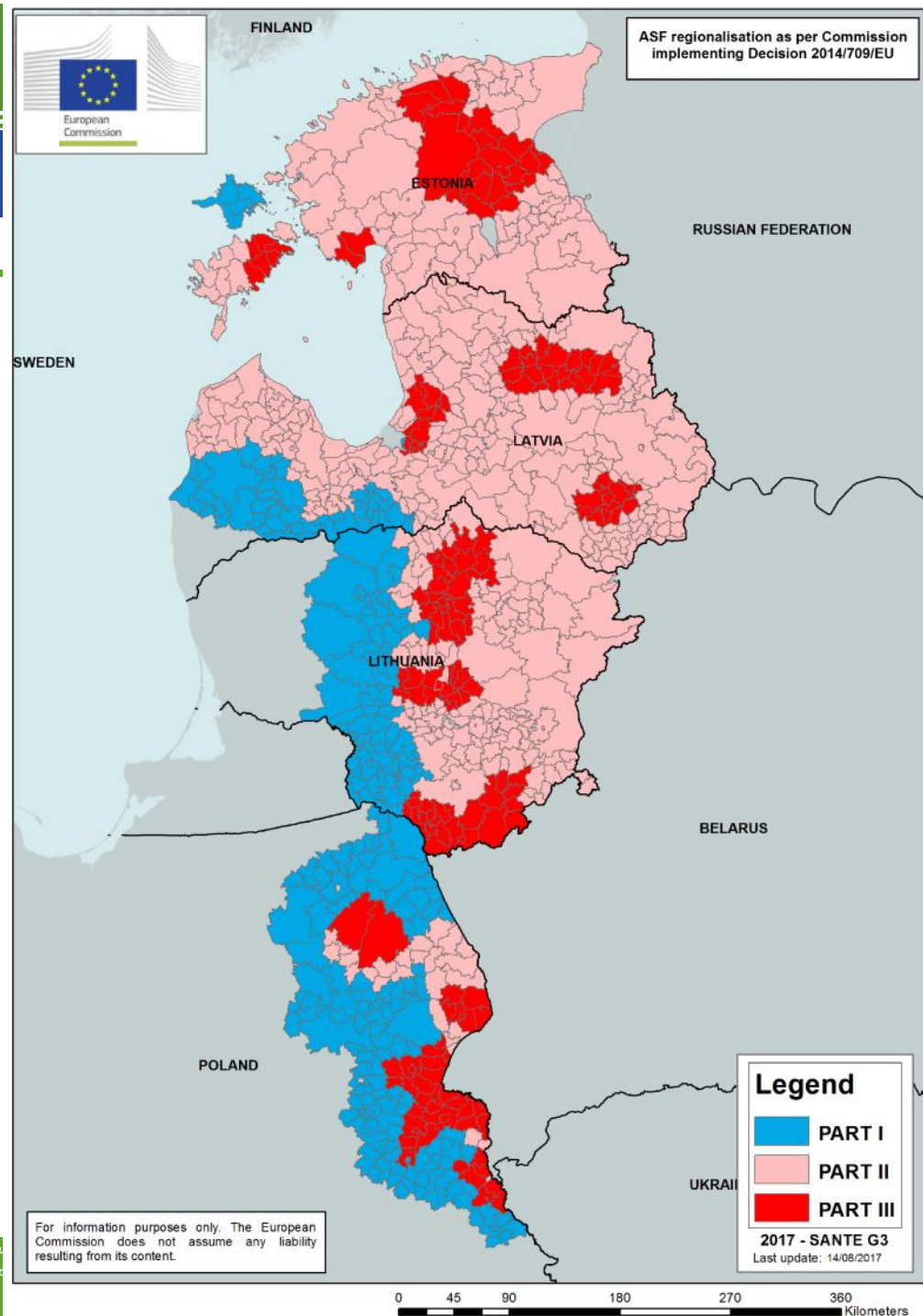
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To sum up EU LEGISLATION on REGIONALIZATION:

- **36 COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING DECISIONS were adopted 2014-2017 in order to set up and amend ASF regionalisation.**
- **Of these decisions, 5 setup or reviewed the measures themselves**
- **12 decision with protective measures (safeguard)**



ASF EU strategy

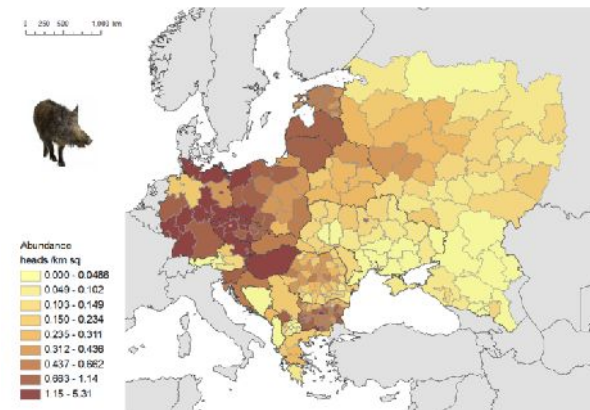
ASF Strategy in a nutshell

Wild boar management: long term

- Hunting: selective, adult females
- Feeding ban: in selected areas
- Carcass removal disposal: fast

Human factor: short term

- Awareness
- Enforcement swill feeding ban
- Biosecurity strengthened
- Hunter vs farming: behaviour risks



Summary EU actions

International coordination
Technical support
Scientific support
Financial support
Audits



EU international cooperation (I)

- **GFTADs (FAO/OIE):**

- **8** meeting of the Standing Group of Experts on ASF in the Baltic and Eastern Europe region since 2014:
 - Bern (22/09/14) - Kick-off
 - Minsk (1-2/12/14) – Wildboar management
 - Tallinn (11-12/02/15) – backyard holding management
 - Moscow (15-16/03/16) - reviewing the outcome of the ASF filed visits
 - Lisbon (19/09/16) - ASF situation and planning actions
 - Vilnius (28-29/11/16) - ASF situation and planning actions
 - Paris (23/05/17) - ASF situation and planning actions
 - Moldova (20-21/09/17) – awareness and communication
- **8** Field visits by GFTADs experts in Belarus, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Russia, Ukraine and Moldova.



EU international cooperation (II)

- **4 High level Ministerial** meetings (MSs+Non EU)
 - Vilnius – 17/05/15
 - Tallinn – 26/02/16
 - Warsaw – 28/10/16
 - Riga – 02/06/17
 - Prague 08/11/17



EU Technical support

- **Better Training for Safer Food (BTSF)** on ASF:
 - **4** Workshops (UA, LT, BY, PL) + 1 planned in CZ
 - **6** STM on ASF (basics) in MSs
 - **8** STM with vets and BIPs
 - **11** STM on surveillance and wildlife management
 - **3** STM carried out in UKR, Georgia and Moldova
- **EU Veterinary Emergency team (CVET)** missions:
 - **21** CVET field visits on ASF since 2007 (countries covered: Georgia, Armenia, Ukraine, Lithuania, Poland, Latvia, Estonia, Romania, Moldova, Hungary, the Czech Republic)



EU Scientific support

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

- **3** EFSA Scientific Opinions
- **3** EFSA technical reports (next one is due in October)

EU Reference Laboratory

- EU initiative for maintaining the required EU diagnostic capability for ASF in all Member States through the EU reference laboratory;
- specific technical and material support to Moldova and Ukraine in terms of dispatch of experts and specific training of Moldovan experts coupled of dispatch of diagnostic tests for ASF (twice).



EU co-financing MSs

- The EU co-funded measures in MSs with a programme are:
 - surveillance, sampling and testing of animals;
 - awareness-raising campaigns;
 - wild boar management measures as targeted hunting to control populations and removal of dead wild boar from the environment to reduce the viral load;
 - disinfection actions;
 - compensation to farmers for the slaughtering and culling; and
 - other duly justified measures provided they are epidemiologically relevant,



EU co-financing MSs

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	TOTAL
EE	45.000	349.200	2.400.000	2.184.000	2.425.000	7.403.200
LV	829.000	1.595.700	667.000	1.695.000	1.867.000	6.653.700
LT	1.454.000	3.885.800	1.176.000	1.393.000	1.557.000	9.465.800
HU	0	211.000	241.000	348.000	340.000	1.140.000
PL	143.000	4.512.000	1.332.000	1.515.000	3.002.000	10.504.000
RO	0	0	55.000	102.000	309.000	466.000
SK	0	27.000	106.000	335.000	115.000	583.000
FI	0	0	0	0	23 000	23 000
TOTAL:	2.471.000	10.580.700	5.977.000	7.572.000	9.638.000	€36.238.700



EU co-financing Non-EU

Pilot projects – Grant agreement:

- Moldova
- Ukraine

EU audits – fact finding

- Audits carried out by the Commission services on **ASF** in Poland and Lithuania (2014), Estonia (2015), Latvia and Estonia (2016), Poland and Romania (2017);
- Audits and fact findings mission carried on **measures at borders** carried out in 2016 and in 2017 in Finland, Estonia Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Hungary, Romania and Slovakia.

Thank you for your attention!

ASF Strategy for Eastern Part of the EU:

http://ec.europa.eu/food/sites/food/files/animals/docs/ad_control-measures_asf_wrk-doc-sante-2015-7113.pdf