**Titre d’article :** Peste of small ruminants in algeria: virus circulation by serosurvey preliminary results

**Résumé :**

Peste of small ruminants (PPR) is a highly contagious viral disease that mainly infects sheep and goats. PPR was firstly reported in West Africa in 1942 (Gargadennec and Lalanne, 1942) and spread to East Africa, the Middle East and Asia (Muniraju et al., 2014). In recent years it is extending to all the North African countries (Couacy-Hymann, 2013) and this could be due to the movement of animals from Sudan, Egypt and the Middle East (Banyard et al., 2010).