

## **APPENDIX 1**

### **Geographical distribution of VL**

#### **61 countries**

##### **1.1) Central and South America (11)**

Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Venezuela.

##### **1.2) Europe (15)**

Albania, Azerbaidjan, Cyprus, France, Georgia, Greece, Italy, Khazakhstan, Malta, Portugal, Spain, Tajikistan, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan.

##### **1.3) Southwestern Asia (10)**

Afghanistan, Iraq, Islamic Republic of Iran, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Oman, Saudi Arabia, Syrian Arab Republic and Yemen.

##### **1.4) Africa (20)**

Algeria, Angola, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Djibouti, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gambia, Guinea Bissau, Kenya, Libyan Arab Republic, Malawi, Morocco, Niger, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia.

##### **1.5) Asia (5)**

Bangladesh, China, India, Nepal and Pakistan