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Highlights

- We detected antibodies against *Toxoplasma gondii* and *Neospora caninum* in raccoons from Poland, Germany and the Czech Republic
- DNA of *T. gondii* was detected in 41% of the analyzed samples
- DNA of *N. caninum* was not demonstrated

Abstract

The studies were carried on raccoons from Poland, Germany and the Czech Republic. Tissue samples from raccoon hearts, lungs and brains were used for molecular examination while meat juice was collected for immunological tests.

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