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Support for the implementation of the ENI-SEIS II East 2017-2018 Regional and National Work Plan in assisting reporting to the Emerald network

Resolution No. 8(2012) Reporting Format

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Resolution 8(2012) Reporting Format

- ✓ **Entirely based on the EU Art. 17 and Art. 12 reporting format as adopted for the 2013-2018 period**
- ✓ **For Bern Convention: merging all reporting obligations in one format, including Birds**



Art. 17 and Art. 12
Reporting



Resolution 8(2012)
Reporting

Reporting Format for the implementation of Rec. 16 (1989) and Res. 5 (1998) on the Emerald Network

2013

← Draft list of Reporting Topics ...

2014

← First Draft Reporting Format

2015

← Second Draft Reporting Format

2016

← Third Draft Reporting Format
- fully compatible with revised EU Art. 17/12 Reporting
- only selection of species and habitats for the first
reporting period (2013-2018)

2017

← Final draft Reporting format
Adoption of Reporting Format under the Bern Convention

Reporting Format: [T-PVS/PA\(2017\)09](#) and Guidelines

- **4 main parts (annex A, B, D and F)**
 - **Annex A: general reporting format**
 - **Annex B: Resolution No. 6(1998) species**
 - **Annex D: Resolution No. 4(1996) habitats**
 - **Annex F: Resolution No. 6(1998) birds**
- **2 parts on definition of Conservation Status for species and habitats (annex C and E)**

Annex A – General reporting format

- 1. Main achievements**
- 2. General information sources**
- 3. Emerald Network – site designations**
- 4. Management measures**
- 5. Approval of plans and projects**
- 6. Coherence of the Emerald Network**
- 7. Birds: Research**

Annex B – Res. 6 Species

Annex D – Res. 4 Habitats

- 1. National level**
- 2. Biogeographical level**
- 3. Emerald Network – coverage**

Annex B - Reporting format on species, except birds (Annex F), listed in Resolution No. 6 (1998)

| National Level | |
|--|--|
| 1. General Information | |
| 1.1 Country | Use two digit code according to list in the Reference Portal |
| 1.2 Species code | Select code from species checklist in the Reference Portal |
| 1.3 Species scientific name | Select name from species checklist in the Reference Portal |
| 1.4 Alternative species scientific name Optional | Scientific name used at national level if different to 1.3 |
| 1.5 Common name Optional | In national language |

Biogeographical Level

Complete for each biogeographical region or marine region concerned

3. Biogeographical and marine regions

3.1 Biogeographical region or marine region where the species occurs

Choose one of the following: Alpine, Arctic, Atlantic, Black Sea, Boreal , Continental, Mediterranean, Macaronesian, Pannonian, Steppic, Marine Atlantic, Marine Mediterranean, Marine Black Sea, Marine Caspian, Marine Macaronesian, Marine Baltic Sea , and Marine Arctic

3.2 Sources of Information

For data reported in the sections below provide relevant available bibliographic references and/or link to Internet site(s).

11 Emerald Network coverage for Resolution No. 6 species

| | | |
|---|--|---|
| 11.1 Population size inside the Emerald network <i>(on the biogeographical/marine level including all sites where the species is present)</i> | a) Unit | <i>Use reporting unit as in field 5.2 a)</i> |
| | b) Minimum | <i>Number (raw, i.e. not rounded). Provide either interval (b and c) and/or best single value(d)</i> |
| | c) Maximum | <i>Number (raw, i.e. not rounded). Provide either interval (b and c) and/or best single value (d)</i> |
| | d) Best single value | <i>Number (raw, i.e. not rounded). Provide either interval (b and c) and/or best single value (d)</i> |
| 11.2 Type of estimate | <i>Best estimate / multi-year mean / 95% confidence interval / minimum</i> | |

Population units for each species group (a concrete table with the 46 selected species will be uploaded on the Resolution 8(2012) Reference Portal

| Species group | Individuals | Grids | Comments |
|---|-------------|-------|--|
| Molluscs | | | |
| All molluscs | | X | |
| Arthropods | | | |
| All arthropods | | X | All arthropods except species listed in Table 22 |
| Other invertebrates | | | |
| <i>Centrostephanus longispinus</i> , <i>Corallium rubrum</i> , <i>Hirudo medicinalis</i> | | X | |
| Fish and lampreys | | | |
| <i>Acipenseridae</i> | X | | |
| All other fish and lampreys | | X | |
| Amphibians | | | |
| All amphibians | | X | |

Main goal (at country level):

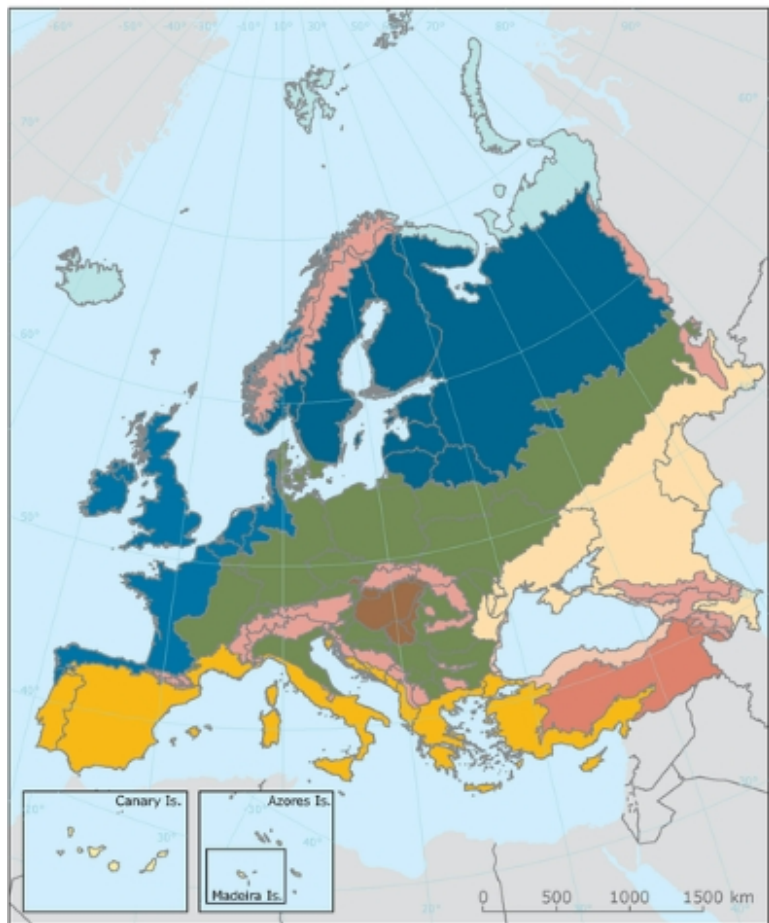
Assessing **conservation status** for:

- Habitats of Resolution 4(1996)
- Species (other than birds) of Resolution 6(1998)

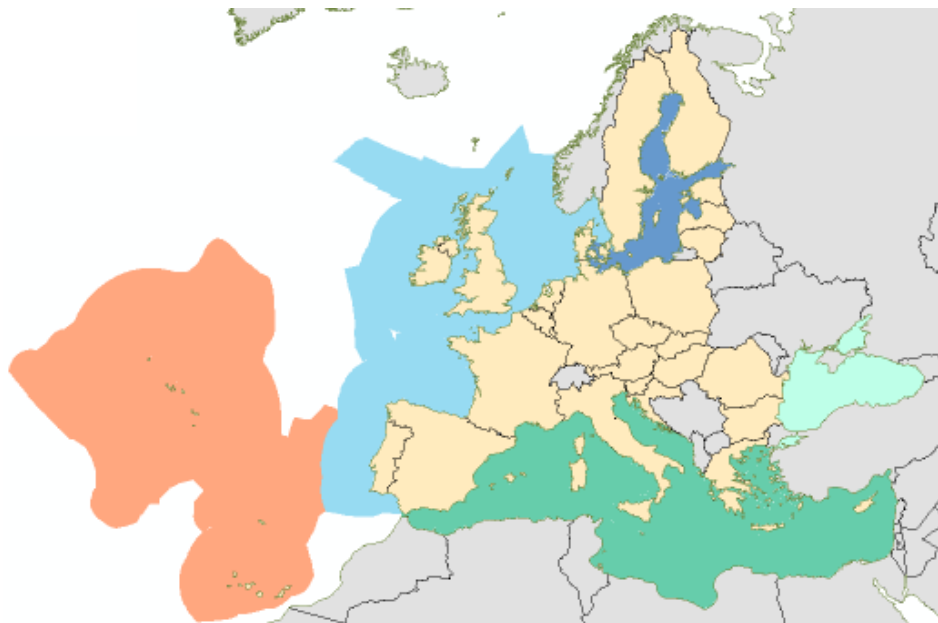
Reporting on population size and trend for:

- Birds of Resolution 6(1998)

Art. 17- Conservation status, MS level



Assessment concerns
national-biogeographical /
national-marine region
of each EU MS



Art. 17- Conservation status, MS level

- An assessment for each habitat / species per national region
- Parameters for assessing conservation status:

| Species | Habitats |
|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Range | Range |
| Population | Area |
| Habitat of the species | Structure and functions |
| Future prospects | Future prospects |

- Each parameter is assessed separately
- Overall conservation status is assessed from the combination of the parameters' assessments

| | | | | |
|--------------------------|--|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Status of parameters | All favourable or three favourable and one unknown | Two or more unknown combined with favourable or all unknown | One or more inadequate but no bad | One or more bad |
| Overall assessment of CS | Favourable (FV) | Unknown (XX) | Unfavourable – Inadequate (U1) | Unfavourable – bad (U2) |



General evaluation matrix (per biogeographical region within a country): Annex C and E

| Parameter | Conservation Status | | | |
|--------------|---|--|--|--|
| | Favourable ('green') | Unfavourable - Inadequate ('amber') | Unfavourable - Bad ('red') | <i>Unknown (insufficient information to make an assessment)</i> |
| Range | Stable (loss and expansion in balance) or increasing <u>AND</u> not smaller than the 'favourable reference range' | Any other combination | Large decline: Equivalent to a loss of more than 1% per year within period specified by the country OR more than 10% below favourable reference range | <i>No or insufficient reliable information available</i> |

+ Population, Habitat for the species and Future prospects

| | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|-------------------|--|
| Overall assessment of CS | All 'green' OR three 'green' and one 'unknown' | One or more 'amber' but no 'red' | One or more 'red' | Two or more 'unknown' combined with green or all "unknown" |
|---------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|-------------------|--|

Art. 12 - Bird status, MS level

- EU reporting does not request an overall assessment of bird status at national level, but MS estimate population size
- Within the reporting form short and long term trends are estimated for population and breeding distribution

 Increasing  Stable  Unknown  Decreasing  Fluctuating  Uncertain

Explanatory Notes and Guidelines

Part I

- ✓ **Entirely based on the EU Art. 17 and Art. 12 reporting guidelines, amended towards Resolution 8(2012) reporting**
- ✓ **Detailed notes and guidelines in addition to the short notes in the form**

Some more remarks

- ✓ Reporting is at the level of species and habitats
- ✓ Reporting will be done on a selection of species and habitats (the selection is based on countries with an Emerald sites data base)
- ✓ Other countries should also report under Res. No 8; Sections on the “Emerald coverage” will not have to be filled in

**Thank you for
your attention**

