



Proposed additional habitats for Resolution 4

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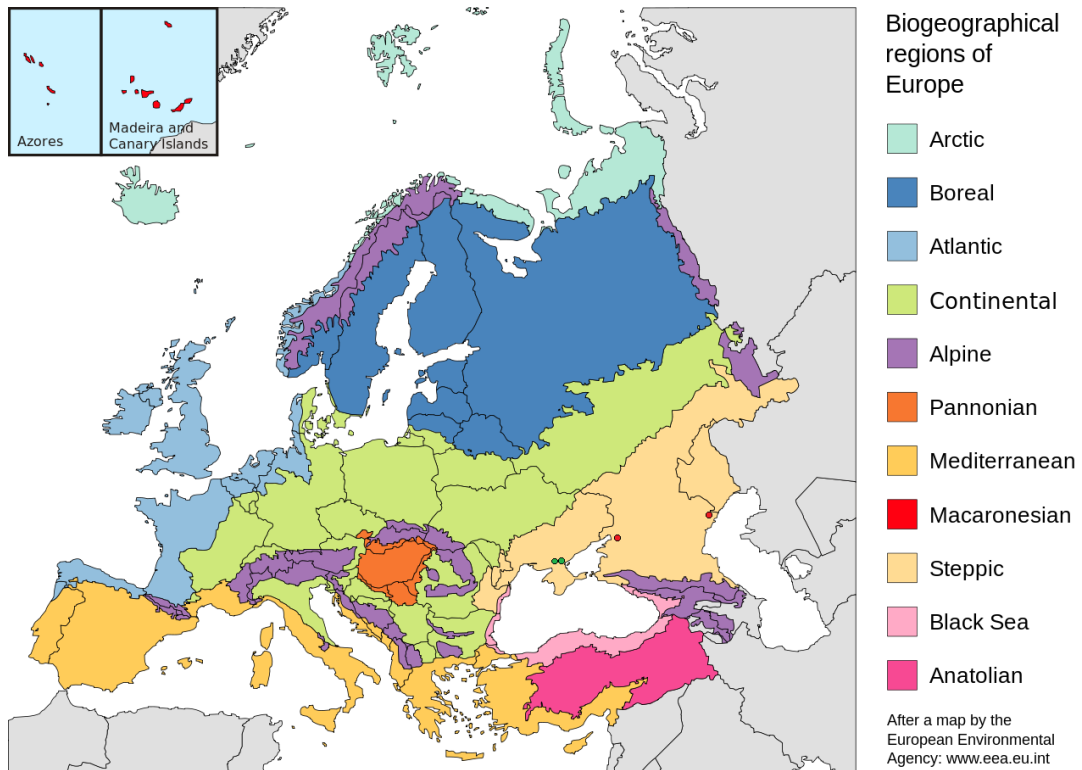
- Two proposals from Switzerland dating back to 2014
[pa04f_2014_forms_four_new_habitats_Switzerland.pdf](#)
- Following repeated invitations to propose additional habitats for Resolution 4, Ukraine proposed 4 new habitats in June 2018
- Proposals reviewed by the European Topic Centre on Biological Centre
- Evaluation available as document T-PVS/PA (2018) 7



Depressions (pody) of the Steppe zone

Recommendation

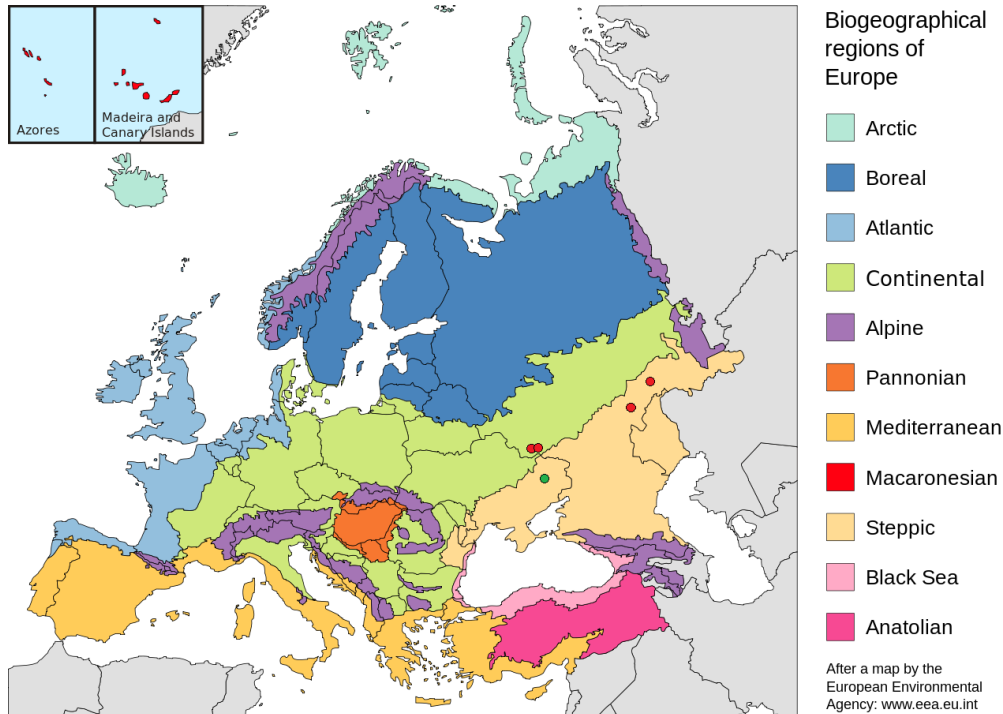
Accept. A new habitat complex is added to the EUNIS habitats classification (X36).



Pine forests on chalk

Recommendation

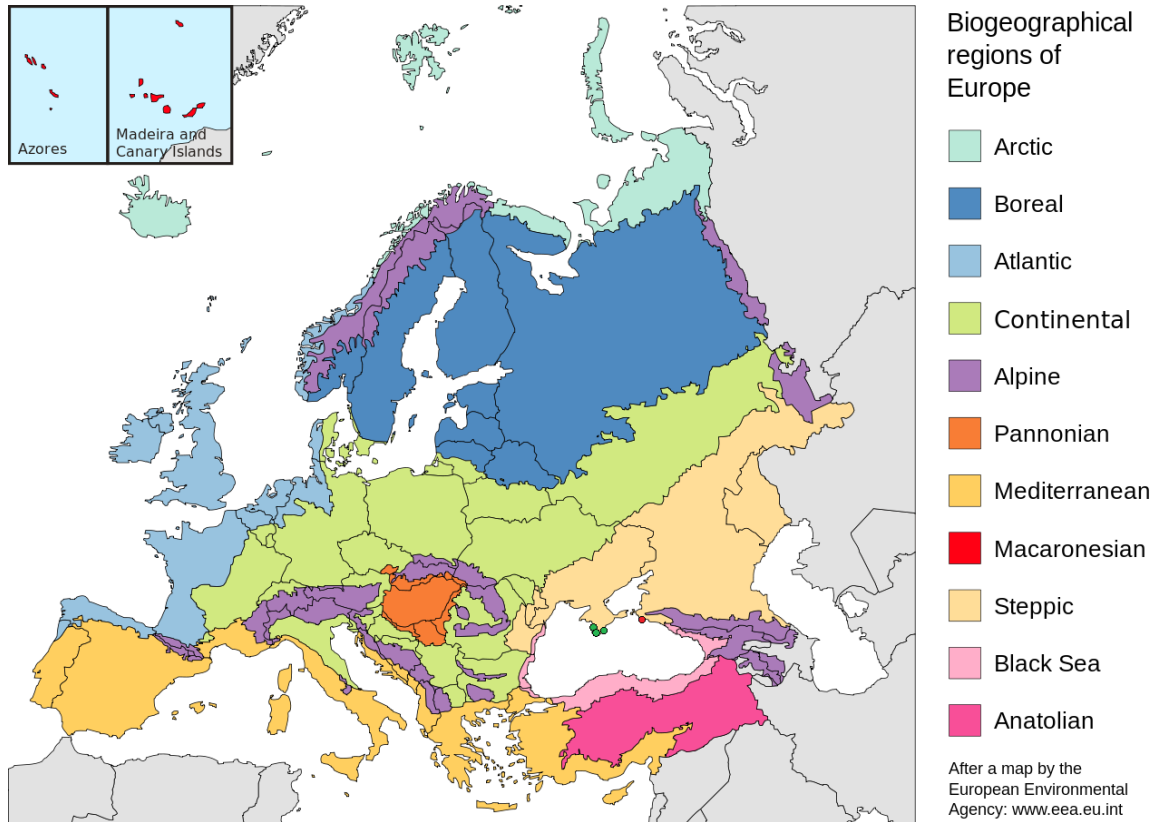
It appears that the proposal is very similar to 'G3.4E - Ponto-Caucasian *Pinus sylvestris* forests', but after consultation of the experts in Ukraine and Russia it was decided to create a new EUNIS unit: G3.4G *Pinus sylvestris* forest on chalk in the steppe zone.



Pistacia mutica woodland

Recommendation

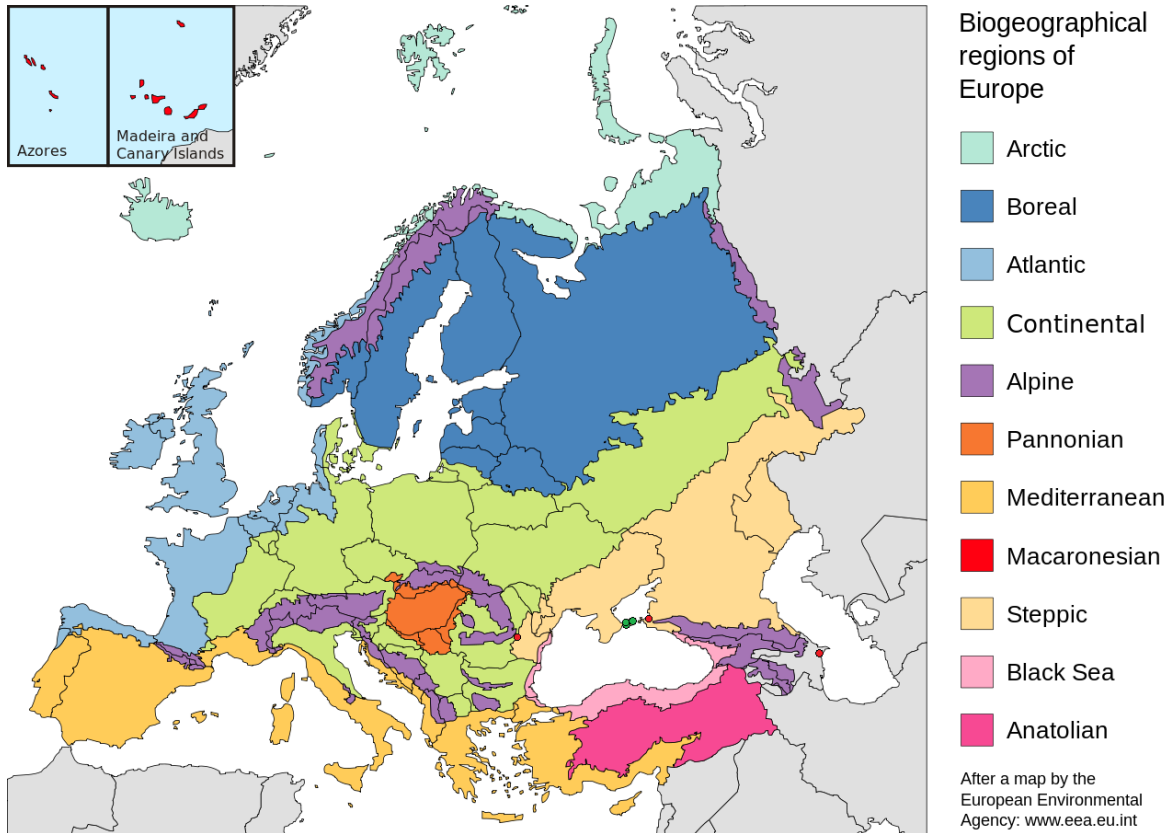
Appears to be already covered by 'G1.7 Thermophilous deciduous woodland' but the Interpretation will be revised to better cover the many subtypes.



Mud volcanoes

Recommendation

Mud volcanoes are part of H6.1 so are already included in Resolution No. 4 (1996) but this will be made more explicit by revising the Interpretation Manual



Distribution wider than shown



Thank you

