Habitats Directive Article 17 Reporting

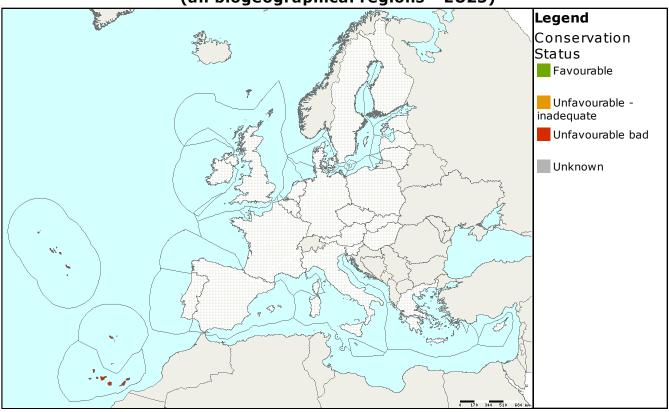


Habitat code: 4050 Habitat group: heath & scrub

Habitat name: **Endemic** Regions: **MAC**

Macaronesian heaths

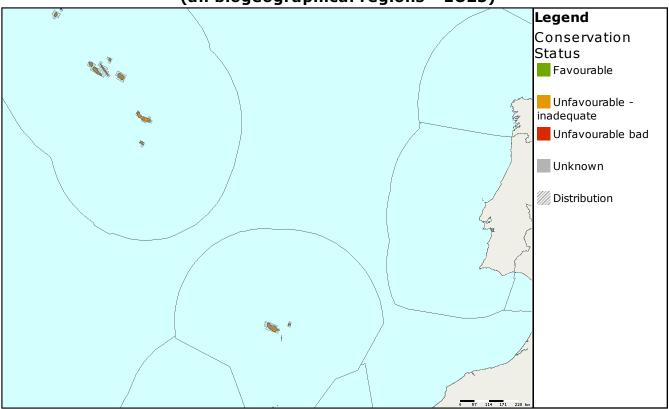
Assessments of conservation status at the European level (all biogeographical regions - EU25)



MS	Biogeographic Region	Conservation status assessment						Trand
		Range	Area	Structure & function	Future prospects	Overall	Km ²	Trend in area
EU25	MAC						1505	-

Heaths of the Macaronesian islands with a variety of dwarf scrubs. Assessed as 'unfavourable-bad' due to the small range in the Canary Islands (Spain). In Portugal, assessed as 'unfavourable-inadequate due to poor 'structure and functions'. Pressures and threats mostly linked to inappropriate management including the abandonment of traditional grazing regimes.

Assessments of conservation status as reported by Member states (all biogeographical regions - EU25)



MS	Biogeographic Region	Conservation status assessment						Trand	Data
		Range	Area	Structure & function	Future prospects	Overall	Km ²	Trend in area	Data quality
ES	MAC						541	-	1
PT	MAC						963.8	-	2

Data quality is based on as assessment by each Member State, 1 = good, 2 = medium, 3 = poor

This information is derived from the Member State national reports submitted to the European Commission under Article 17 of the Habitats Directive in 2007 and covering the period 2001-2006. More detailed information is available at http://biodiversity.eionet.europa.eu/article17