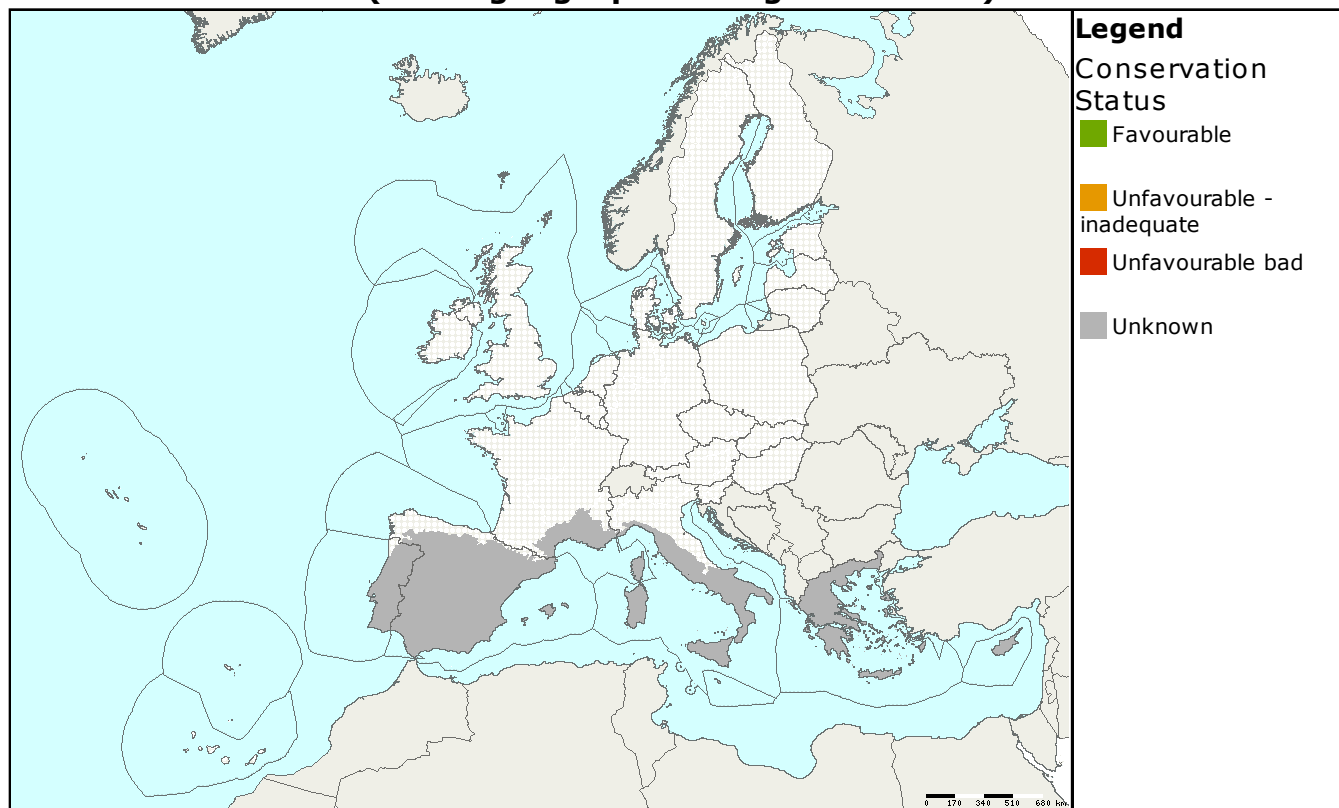


Species name: **Elaphe sauromates** (previously part of *Elaphe quatuorlineata*) Species group: **Amphibians & Reptiles**  
 Regions: **MED**  
 Annex: **II, IV**

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



MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Population size & unit	Population Trend
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall		
EU25	MED							=

The east-four-lined ratsnake is a species occurring mainly in south-western Asia, ranging from Kazakhstan and Turkmenistan to north-eastern Greece. Within EU it also occurs in Romania and Bulgaria.

The conservation status was assessed as 'unknown'; better information is required.

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



MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Size&unit	Population trend	Data quality
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall			
EL	MED						38 - (38) grids	=	3

Data quality is based on an 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>