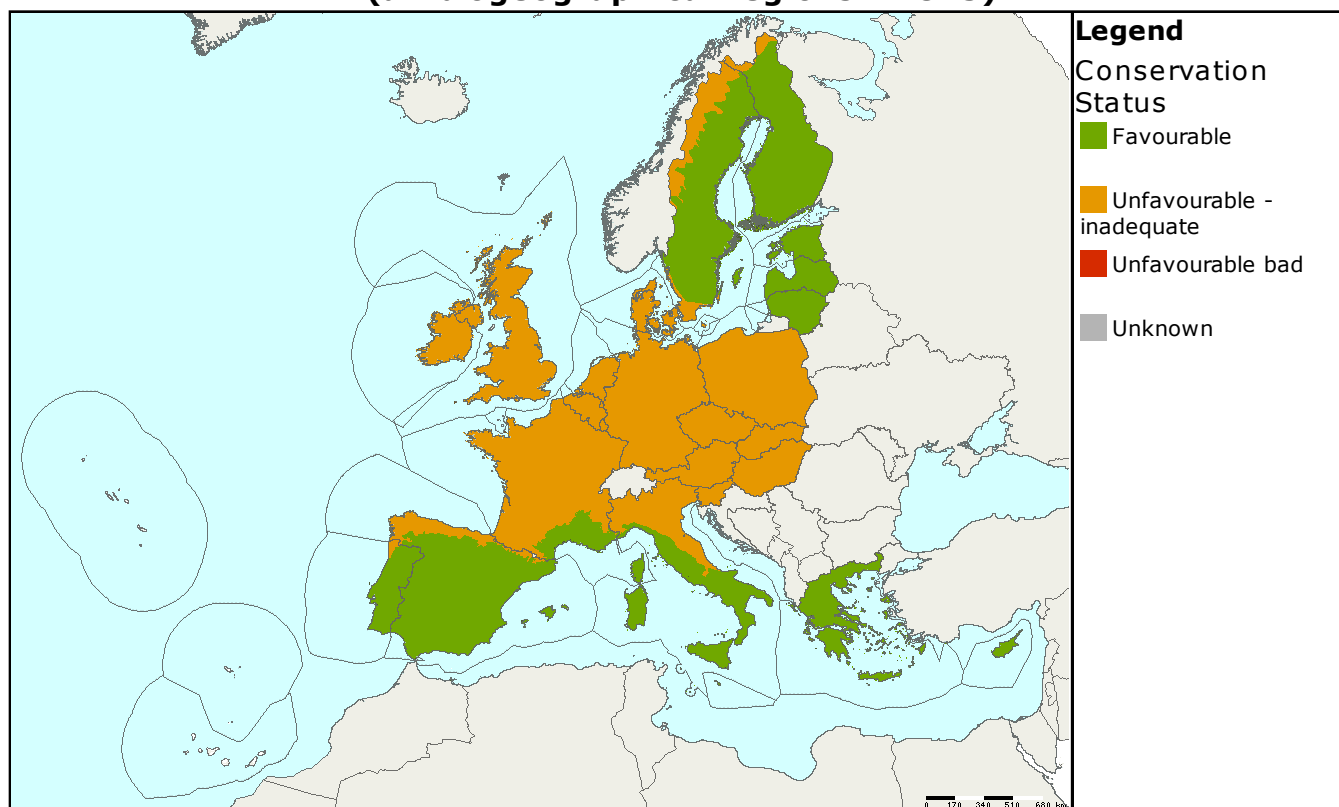


Species name: **Rana esculenta**
Annex: **V**

Species group: **Amphibians & Reptiles**
Regions: **ALP ATL BOR CON MED PAN**

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



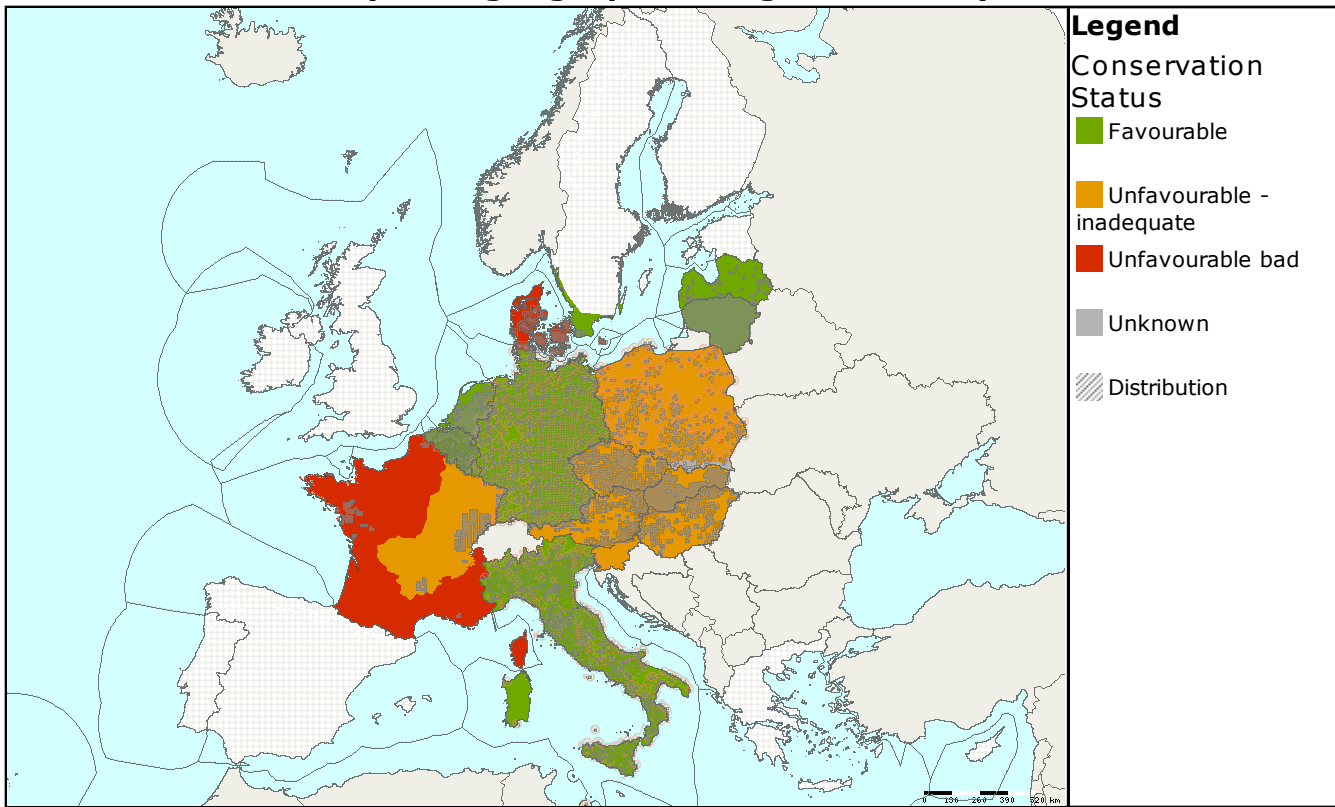
MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Population size & unit	Population Trend
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall		
EU25	ALP	Green	Grey	Orange	Grey	Orange	> 772 grids	
EU25	BOR	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	706 grids	
EU25	CON	Green	Orange	Orange	Green	Orange	> 5098 grids	
EU25	MED	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	878 grids	
EU25	PAN	Orange	Orange	Grey	Orange	Orange	756 grids	
EU25	ATL	Green	Green	Orange	Green	Orange	1248 grids	

The edible frog, *Rana esculenta*, is widely spread across central Europe. It is a largely aquatic species associated with wetlands such as ponds, channels, ditches and slow moving rivers and streams.

Overall assessments are 'favourable' for Boreal and Mediterranean regions. For the other four regions (Alpine, Atlantic, Continental and Pannonian) overall assessments are 'unfavourable- inadequate' with national reports ranging from 'favourable' to 'unfavourable-bad'. However, future prospects are 'favourable' for Continental and Atlantic regions.

According to IUCN species is still considered as 'least concern' but with declining population.

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			
AT	ALP	Green	Orange	Orange	Green	Green	4000 - 80000 indiv.	X	3
DE	ALP	Green	Grey	Green	Green	Green	10 - (10) x	X	3
FR	ALP	Red	Red	Orange	Red	Red	3 - 3 loc.	-	3
IT	ALP	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	141 - 141 grids	X	3
PL	ALP	Green	Grey	Green	Green	Green	(30) - 30 grids	X	3
SI	ALP	Green	Grey	Orange	Green	Orange	N/A x	-	3
SK	ALP	Green	Grey	Orange	Green	Orange	90 - 120 x	X	3
BE	ATL	Green	Green	Grey	Green	Green	585 - 585 grids	=	1
DE	ATL	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	367 - (367) x	=	2
DK	ATL	Green	Red	Orange	Red	Red	2066 - 2066 area	-	3
FR	ATL	Orange	Red	Orange	Orange	Orange	N/A x	-	3
NL	ATL	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	3750000 - 17500000 indiv.	+	2
LT	BOR	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	2622000 - 10488000 indiv.	=	3
LV	BOR	Green	Grey	Green	Green	Green	70 - 70 loc.	X	3
AT	CON	Green	Orange	Orange	Green	Orange	6300 - 126000 indiv.	X	3
BE	CON	Green	Green	Grey	Green	Green	900 - 900 grids	+	1
CZ	CON	Green	Orange	Orange	Green	Orange	234 - 234 grids	=	2
DE	CON	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	1700 - (1700) x	=	3
DK	CON	Green	Red	Orange	Red	Red	13204 - 13204 area	-	3
FR	CON	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	N/A x	-	3
IT	CON	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	687 - 708 grids	=	2
LU	CON	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	223 - 223 loc.	=	1
PL	CON	Green	Orange	Orange	Green	Orange	(491) - 491 grids	-	3
SE	CON	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	15000 - 25000 x	+	2
SI	CON	Green	Grey	Orange	Grey	Orange	N/A x	-	3

MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Size&unit	Population trend	Data quality
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall			
FR	MED						1 - 3 loc.	N/A	3
IT	MED						816 - 816 grids	X	3
CZ	PAN						26 - 26 grids	=	2
HU	PAN						477 - 477 loc.	-	3
SK	PAN						100 - 122 x	X	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>