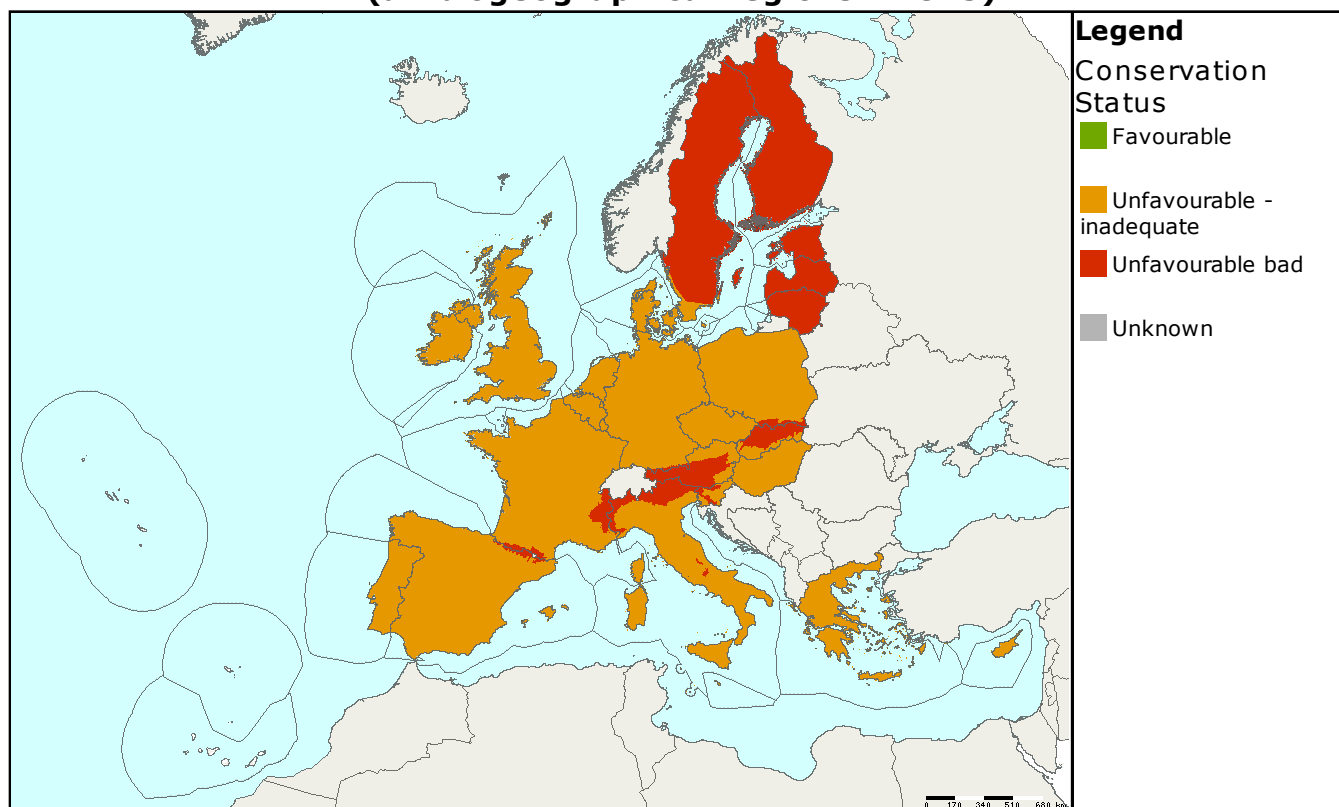


Species name: **Triturus cristatus**
Annex: **II, IV**

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

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



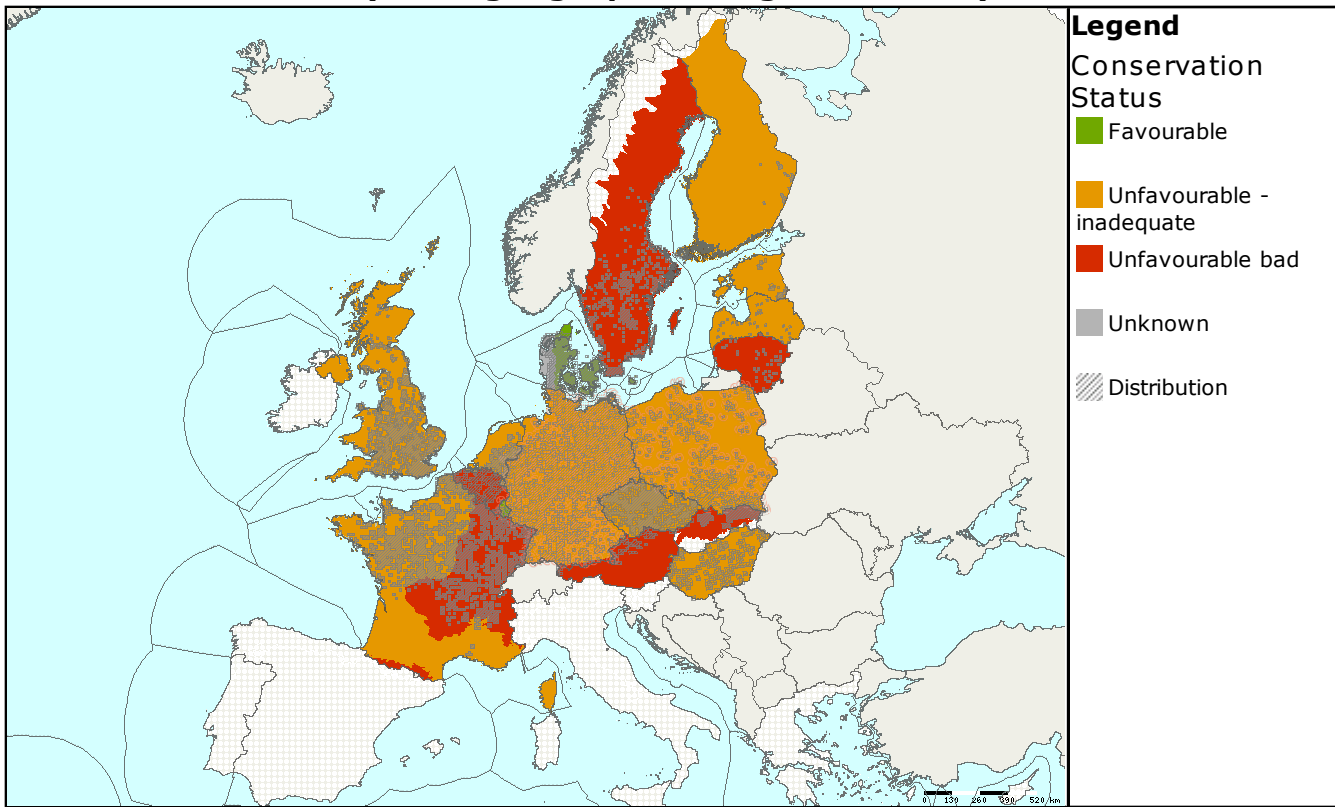
MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Population size & unit	Population Trend
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall		
EU25	ALP						358 grids	
EU25	BOR						565 grids	
EU25	CON						5030 grids	
EU25	MED						17 loc.	-
EU25	PAN						475 grids	
EU25	ATL						2889 grids	

The crested newt is widely distributed from the United Kingdom and northern France, through southern Scandinavia, and central Europe, to the south-western part of West Siberia. It can be found in coniferous, mixed and deciduous forests, bush lands, pastures, meadows, parks and gardens. The major threat for the species is its sensitivity to changes in water quality.

The conservation status is considered 'unfavourable-bad' for Alpine and Boreal regions and 'unfavourable-inadequate' for Atlantic, Continental, Mediterranean and Pannonian regions. Information related to Mediterranean region was only reported by France and the parameter range has an unexpected conclusion.

IUCN conservation status is 'Least Concern' in view of its wide distribution.

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	Red	Red	800 - 8000 indiv.	-	3
DE	ALP	Grey	Orange	Orange	Red	Red	5 - (5) x	X	3
FR	ALP	Red	Red	Orange	Red	Red	10 - 34 x	-	2
PL	ALP	Green	Grey	Orange	Grey	Orange	(72) - 72 grids	-	3
SK	ALP	Red	Red	Orange	Red	Red	50 - 70 x	-	2
BE	ATL	Red	Red	Grey	Red	Red	157 - 157 grids	-	1
DE	ATL	Orange	Orange	Orange	Green	Orange	284 - (284) x	-	1
DK	ATL	Green	Grey	Grey	Green	Grey	N/A x	X	3
FR	ATL	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	975 - 1997 x	=	2
NL	ATL	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	878 - 1500 grids	=	2
UK	ATL	Green	Orange	Grey	Green	Orange	75000 - 75000 loc.	-	3
EE	BOR	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	150 - 150 loc.	-	1
FI	BOR	Green	Green	Orange	Grey	Orange	72 - 80 x	-	1
LT	BOR	Green	Red	Green	Green	Red	3000 - 5000 indiv.	+	2
LV	BOR	Green	Grey	Green	Green	Orange	45 - 45 loc.	X	3
SE	BOR	Green	Red	Orange	Green	Red	400 - 800 loc.	-	2
AT	CON	Green	Orange	Orange	Red	Red	4500 - 45000 indiv.	-	3
BE	CON	Green	Red	Grey	Red	Red	90 - 90 grids	-	1
CZ	CON	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	336 - 336 grids	+	2
DE	CON	Green	Orange	Orange	Orange	Orange	1360 - (1360) x	-	2
DK	CON	Green	Grey	Green	Green	Green	N/A x	X	3
FR	CON	Orange	Red	Grey	Red	Red	493 - 1135 x	-	2
LU	CON	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	47 - 47 loc.	+	1
PL	CON	Green	Orange	Orange	Grey	Orange	(530) - 530 grids	-	3
SE	CON	Green	Red	Orange	Orange	Red	150 - 400 loc.	-	2

MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Size&unit	Population trend	Data quality
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall			
FR	MED						17 - 17 loc.	-	2
CZ	PAN						16 - 16 grids	=	2
HU	PAN						41 - 41 loc.	X	3

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>