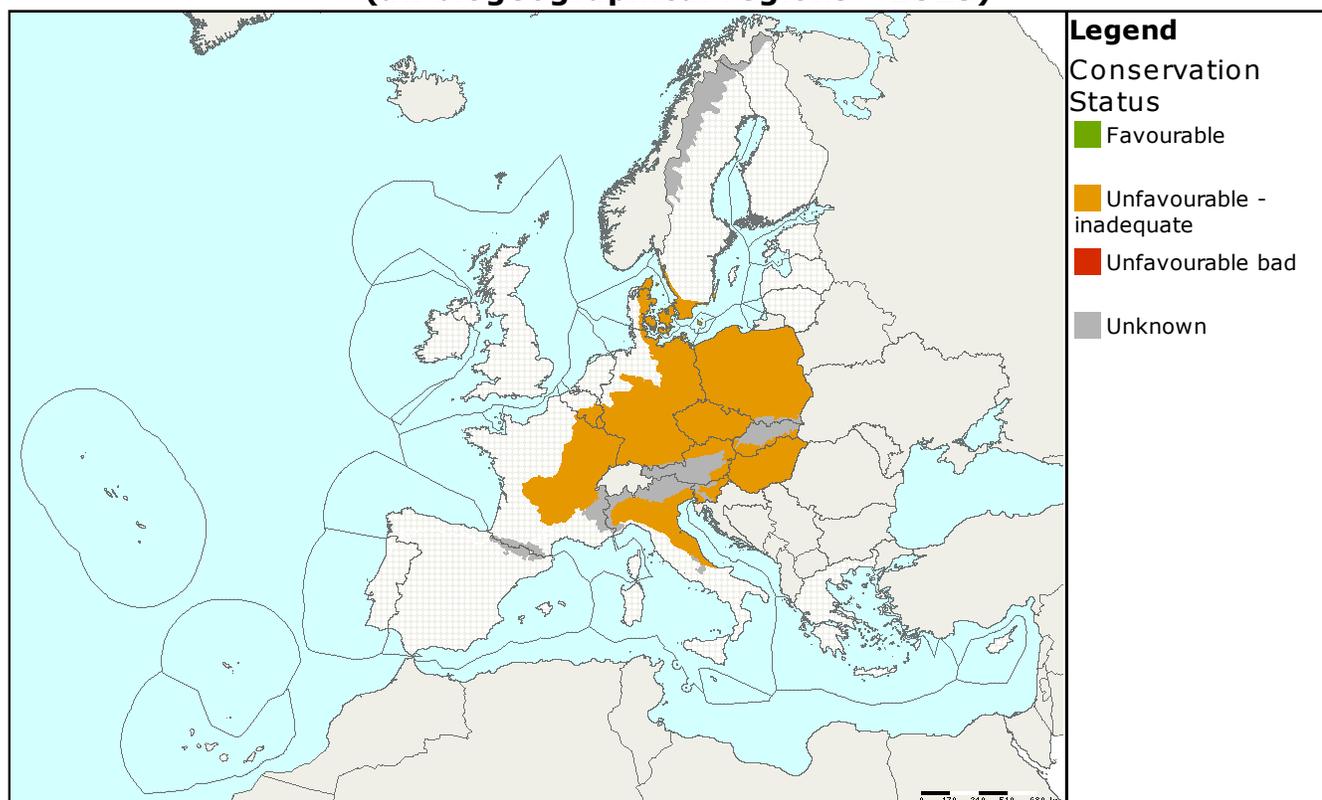


Species name: **Gymnocephalus schraetzer** Species group: **Fish**  
 Annex: **II, V** Regions: **ALP CON PAN**

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

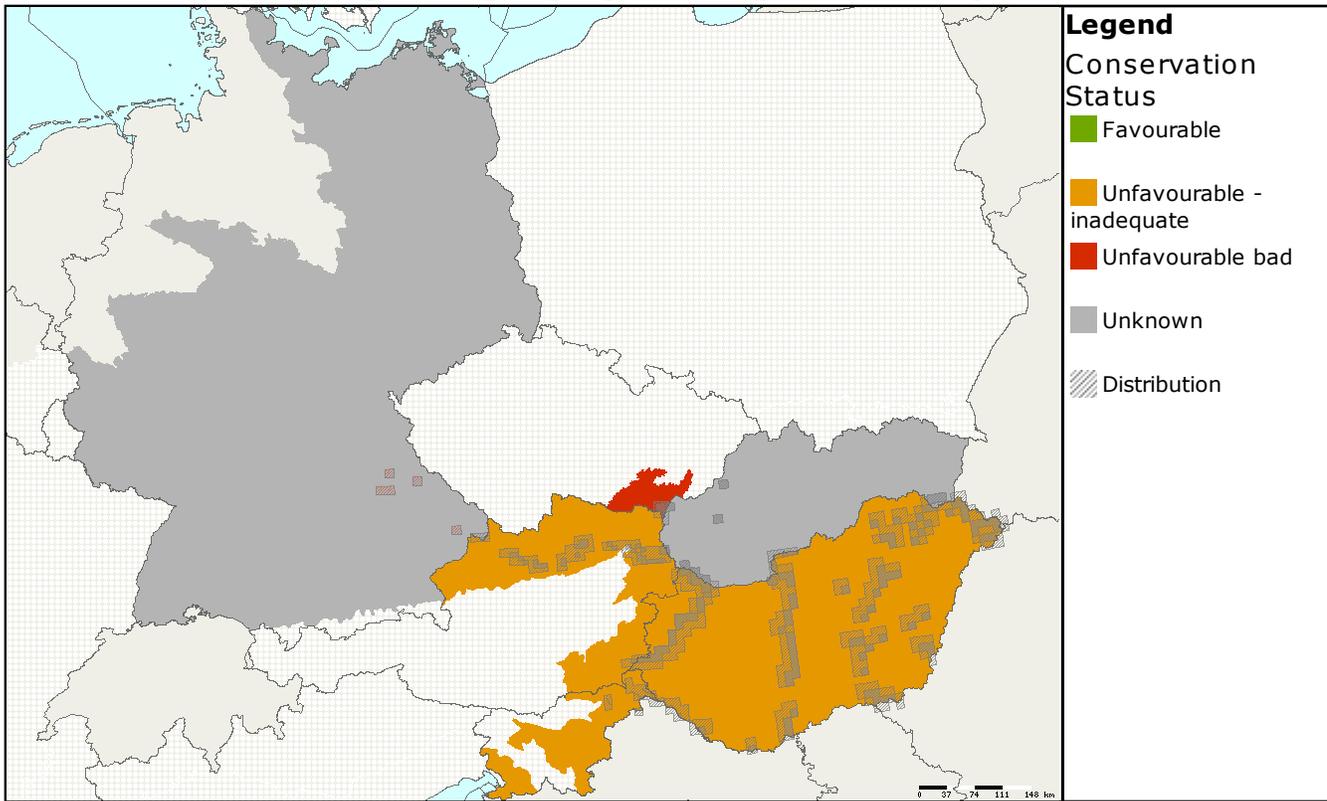


MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Population size & unit	Population Trend
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall		
EU25	ALP							X
EU25	CON						64 grids	X
EU25	PAN						280 grids	X

The striped ruffe is a fish species of the Danube river basin. It lives on open sand and mud bottom of large rivers with moderate current.

For Alpine region reported only by Slovakia. Poorly known with all parameters reported as 'unknown'. It is more widespread in Austria and Hungary (Continental and Pannonian regions). For Continental and Pannonian regions overall assessments are 'unfavourable-inadequate'. It is 'unfavourable-inadequate' in Austria (result of human impacts) but poorly known elsewhere in the Continental region. In Pannonian region it is widespread in Hungary but rare elsewhere in the Danube and tributaries. It is reported as 'unfavourable-bad' in Czech Republic. Better information is required for all regions. IUCN status of the species recently (2008) changed to 'least concern'. It used to be 'vulnerable'.

## 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			
SK	ALP						1 - 1 x	X	3
AT	CON						10000 - 100000 x	X	2
DE	CON						5 - (5) x	X	3
SI	CON						7 - (7) grids	X	3
CZ	PAN						2 - 2 grids	X	2
HU	PAN						150 - 200 loc.	X	2
SK	PAN						4 - 12 x	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>