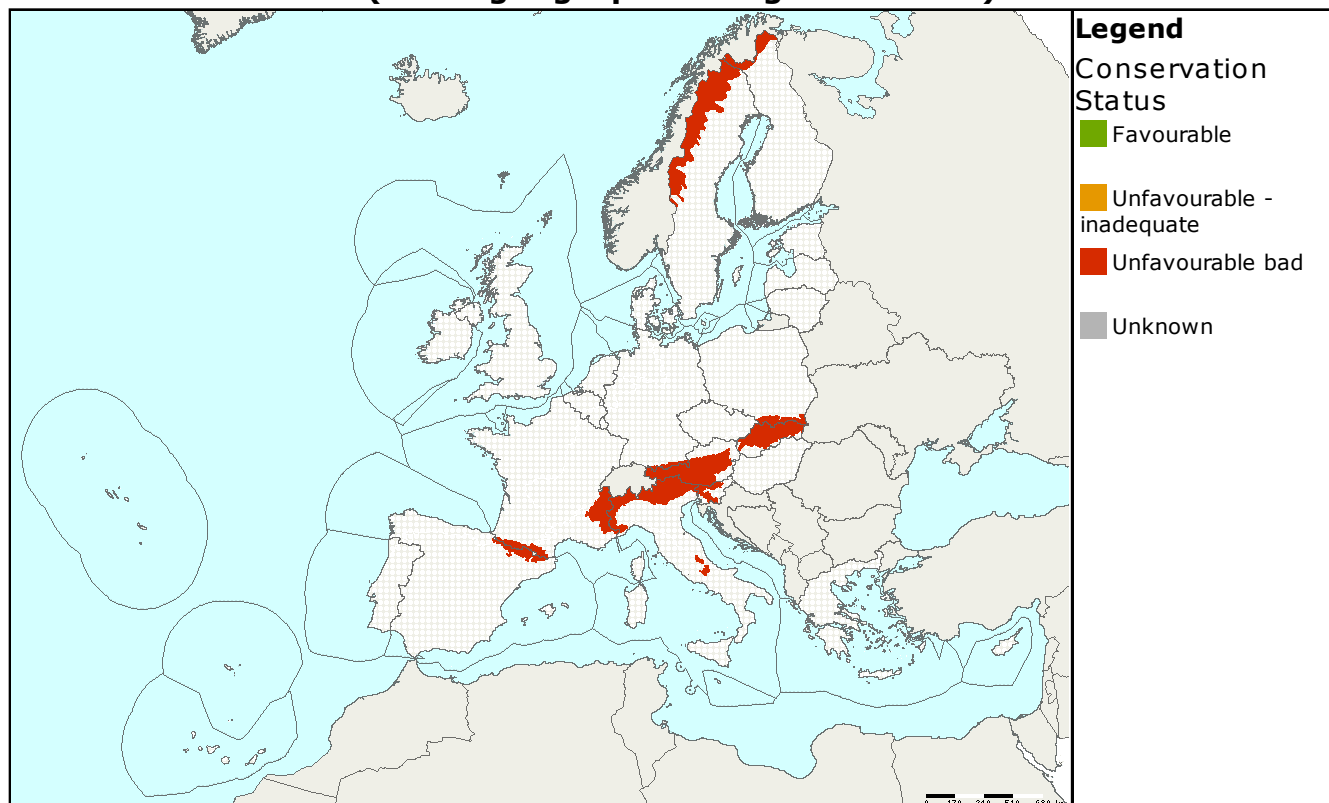


Species name: **Clossiana improba**
Annex: **II**

Species group: **Invertebrates**
Regions: **ALP**

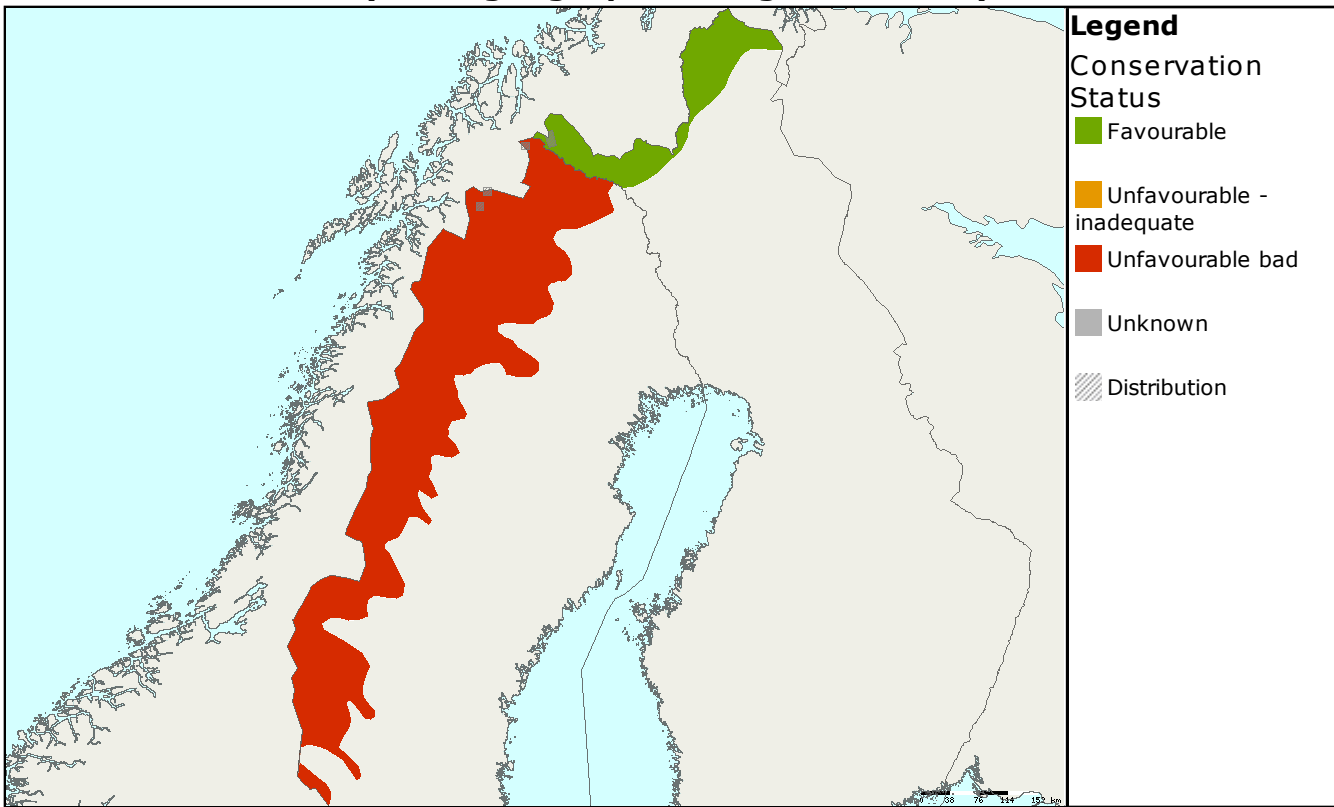
Assessments of conservation status at the European level (all biogeographical regions - EU25)



MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Population size & unit	Population Trend
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall		
EU25	ALP						4 grids	=

Dusky-winged Fritillary (*Clossiana improba*) is a butterfly species recorded from Alpine biogeographical region from Finland and Sweden. There are records of this species in North America as well. The imagos keep low to the ground or congregate on meadow patches on southern slopes of river terraces and ravines, where they actively visit the flowers of *Trientalis europaea*, *Taraxacum*, *Crepis nigrescens*, *Polygonum viviparum*. Overall assessment for this species is 'unfavourable-bad' based on Swedish report covering majority of the species' distribution area. Assessment for Finland is 'favourable' in all four parameters.

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			
FI	ALP						2 - (2) grids	=	2
SE	ALP						7 - 12 loc.	=	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

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