**Checklist of habitats/species reported and their overall conservation status**

The tables in this section list the habitats/species reported by Member States, indicating if the habitat/species are marginal, occasional, extinct etc. In addition they give the overall conservation status for each habitat/species.

All species are listed with the name from the annexes of the Habitats Directive (HD), excluding synonyms and author(s) of the species name. If the name used by a Member State was different, it was changed and the list of changes are included in the table *Names of species, as supplied by Member States (MS), that were changed to those given in the Annexes of the Habitats Directive (HD)*.

Marine habitats and species reported in terrestrial biogeographical regions were listed in the corresponding marine regions. Conversely terrestrial habitats and species reported in marine regions were listed in the corresponding terrestrial biogeographical regions. The list of changes are included in the tables *Habitats/Species for which the biogeographical regions were changed*.

In the case where two separate reports were provided for marine habitats/species, one a marine and a second a terrestrial region, they were merged for the purpose of assessment.

The following abbreviations were used in the Checklists to indicate the status of the habitat/species:

**The species and habitats types that were used to calculate the statistics in the National Summaries:**

- **P** habitat/species present
- **EX** extinct (probably extinct) after Habitat Directive came into force

**The species and habitats types that are excluded from the statistics in the National Summaries:**

- **MAR** marginal habitat
- **OCC** occasional, vagrant or marginal species
- **PEX** extinct (probably extinct) prior to when the Habitats Directive came into force
- **INT** introduced species
- **NA** species not listed in the annexes of the Habitat Directive

Abbreviations used for biogeographical and marine regions:

- **ALP** Alpine
- **ATL** Atlantic
- **BOR** Boreal
- **CON** Continental
- **MAC** Macaronesian
- **MED** Mediterranean
- **PAN** Pannonian
- **MATL** Marine Atlantic
- **MBAL** Marine Baltic
- **MMAC** Marine Macaronesian
- **MMED** Marine Mediterranean

The overall conservation status was indicated for each habitat/species in each biogeographical region as reported by the Member State by using the following colours:

- **FV** – Favourable
- **U1** – Unfavourable inadequate
- **U2** – Unfavourable bad
- **XX** - Unknown
- **NA** – Not reported
**Names of species, as supplied by Member States (MS), that were changed to those given in the Annexes of the Habitats Directive (HD)**

The table in this section lists the changes performed to the species names as supplied by the Member States in order to match the species names as provided in the annexes of the Habitats Directive excluding synonyms and author(s) of the species name, to allow aggregation of the data at the EU level.

**Habitats/Species for which the biogeographical regions were changed**

The tables in this section lists the habitats/species for which the biogeographical regions were changed. Changes were made for marine habitats/species that were reported in terrestrial biogeographical regions as well to the terrestrial habitats/species that were reported in the marine regions. Changes were performed as well if the Member State reported a habitat/species in a biogeographical region that is not present in that Member State.

The following habitats and species were considered as being marine only:

1110 Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time
1120 Posidonia beds (*Posidonion oceanicae*)
1160 Large shallow inlets and bays
1170 Reefs
1180 Submarine structures made by leaking gases
8330 Submerged or partially submerged sea caves

- **Gorgonacea - Coralliidae**
  - *Coralium rubrum*
- **Docoglossa - Patellidae**
  - *Patella ferruginea*
- **Mytiloida - Miltiidae**
  - *Lithophaga lithophaga*
  - *Pinna nobilis*
- **Decapoda - Scyllaridae**
  - *Scyllarides latus*
- **Echinothuroidea - Diadematidae**
  - *Centrostephanus longispinus*
- **Nemalionales - Corallinaceae**
  - *Lithothamnium coralloides*
  - *Phymatholithon calcareum*
- **Carnivora - Phocidae**
  - *Halechoerus grypus*
  - *Monachus monachus*
  - *Phoca hispida botnica*
  - *Phoca vitulina*
  - All other seals (*Phocidae*) excluding *P. h. Saimensis* which only occurs in the Saimaa Lake system of Eastern Finland
- **Carnivora - Cetacea**
  - *Tursiops truncatus*
  - *Phocoena phocoena*
  - All other dolphins and whales
- **Chelonia – Cheloniidae**
  - *Caretta caretta*
  - *Chelonia mydas*
  - *Lepidochelys kempii*
  - *Eretmochelys imbricata*
- **Chelonia - Dermochelyidae**
  - *Dermochelys coriacea*

Species that may also be attributed to one or several marine regions in addition to the terrestrial biogeographical region(s):

- **Petromyzoniformes - Petromyzonidae**
  - *Lampetra fluviatilis*
  - *Petromyzon marinus*
- **Acipenseriformes - Acipenseridae**
  - *Acipenser sturio*
  - *Acipenser naccarii*
  - All other sturgeons (*Acipenseridae*)
Questions to the MS regarding the status of habitats/species

The table in this section lists the habitats and species that were considered as being marginal, occasional, extinct etc, based on the information provided by the Member State in Article 17 report. The Member States are requested to confirm/change the status of the habitat/species. The list of abbreviations which should be used in the “Status” column are given at the beginning of this document.

The Member States are requested to add in the table any other habitat/species that should be considered as occasional, marginal, extinct etc. The “Status” column should be filled in this case and a short explanation should be added in the column dedicated for comments.

If needed the National Summary and the Checklists will be updated based on the information provided by the Member States in this table. As it was mentioned in the Explanatory Note of the National Summary, the statistics that are performed are not taking into account the habitats/species that are marginal, occasional, introduced, extinct prior HD came into force, wrong reports etc. Therefore clarification of the presence status of the habitats and species is essential.

Annex I habitats / annex II species mentioned in the Natura 2000 reference list but not reported

This section lists the habitats and species that are mentioned in the current Natura 2000 reference list but that were NOT reported by the Member States in the Article 17 Report. Indication about the sites or the number of sites were the habitat/species are mentioned in the Natura 2000 database are provided as well in order to facilitate MS to identify the issues.

Member States are required to provide information related to the habitats/species that were not reported.