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CODE: 9340

NAME: Quercus ilex and Quercus rotundifolia forests

## 1. National Level

### 1.1 Maps

1.1.1 Distribution Map	Yes
1.1.2 Distribution Method	Estimate based on partial data with some extrapolation and/or modelling (2)
1.1.3 Year or period	2006-2012
1.1.4 Additional map	No
1.1.5 Range Map	Yes

## 2. Biogeographical Or Marine Level

### 2.1 Biogeographical Region

### 2.2 Published

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## 2.3 Range of the habitat type in the biogeographical region or marine region

2.3.1 Surface area - Range (km <sup>2</sup> )	12211
2.3.2 Range method used	Estimate based on partial data with some extrapolation and/or modelling (2)
2.3.3 Short-term trend period	2001-2012
2.3.4 Short-term trend direction	stable (0)
2.3.5 Short-term trend magnitude	min max
2.3.6 Long-term trend period	
2.3.7 Long-term trend direction	N/A
2.3.8 Long-term trend magnitude	min max
2.3.9 Favourable reference range	area (km <sup>2</sup> ) operator approximately equal to (≈) unkown No method
2.3.10 Reason for change	Improved knowledge/more accurate data Use of different method

## 2.4 Area covered by Habitat

2.4.1 Surface area (km <sup>2</sup> )	1837
2.4.2 Year or period	2000-2012
2.4.3 Method used	Estimate based on partial data with some extrapolation and/or modelling (2)
2.4.4 Short-term trend period	2001-2012
2.4.5 Short-term trend direction	stable (0)
2.4.6 Short-term trend magnitude	min max
2.4.7 Short term trend method used	Estimate based on partial data with some extrapolation and/or modelling (2)
2.4.8 Long-term trend period	
2.4.9 Long-term trend direction	N/A
2.4.10 Long-term trend magnitude	min max
2.4.11 Long term trend method used	N/A
2.4.12 Favourable reference area	area (km) operator approximately equal to (≈) unknown No method
2.4.13 Reason for change	Improved knowledge/more accurate data Use of different method

## 2.5 Main Pressures

Pressure	ranking	pollution qualifier(s)
Cultivation (A01)	low importance (L)	N/A
grazing (A04)	low importance (L)	N/A
annual and perennial non-timber crops (A06)	low importance (L)	N/A
Forest and Plantation management & use (B02)	low importance (L)	N/A
forest exploitation without replanting or natural regrowth (B03)	low importance (L)	N/A
grazing in forests/ woodland (B06)	low importance (L)	N/A
Forestry activities not referred to above (B07)	low importance (L)	N/A
Roads, paths and railroads (D01)	low importance (L)	N/A
Utility and service lines (D02)	low importance (L)	N/A
Discharges (E03)	low importance (L)	N/A

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Hunting and collection of wild animals (terrestrial) (F03)	low importance (L)	N/A
fire and fire suppression (J01)	low importance (L)	N/A
Other ecosystem modifications (J03)	low importance (L)	N/A

2.5.1 Method used – pressures mainly based on expert judgement and other data (2)

## 2.6 Main Threats

Threat	ranking	pollution qualifier(s)
Cultivation (A01)	low importance (L)	N/A
grazing (A04)	low importance (L)	N/A
Forest and Plantation management & use (B02)	low importance (L)	N/A
forest exploitation without replanting or natural regrowth (B03)	low importance (L)	N/A
Forestry activities not referred to above (B07)	low importance (L)	N/A
Roads, paths and railroads (D01)	low importance (L)	N/A
Utility and service lines (D02)	low importance (L)	N/A
Discharges (E03)	low importance (L)	N/A
invasive non-native species (I01)	low importance (L)	N/A
fire and fire suppression (J01)	low importance (L)	N/A

2.6.1 Method used – threats expert opinion (1)

## 2.7 Complementary Information

### 2.7.1 Species

Arbutus andrachne
Arbutus unedo
Asparagus acutifolius
Asplenium onopteris
Brachypodium retusum
Brachypodium sylvaticum
Carex flacca
Cercis siliquastrum
Cistus creticus
Cotinus coggygria
Erica arborea
Fraxinus ornus
Hypericum empetrifolium
Juniperus oxycedrus
Laurus nobilis
Lonicera implexa
Phillyrea latifolia
Pistacia terebinthus
Quercus coccifera
Quercus ilex

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Quercus pubescens

Rubia peregrina

Ruscus aculeatus

Smilax aspera

Stipa bromoides

Styrax officinalis

Tamus communis

## 2.7.2 Species method used

Typical species were determined on the basis of a vegetation database, comprised of about 22000 sampling plots. First, a list of possible typical species was determined per habitat type, selecting the ones presenting a high fidelity value to the habitat types according the algorithm of Tsiripidis et al. (2009) and the phi coefficient value (Chytrý et al. 2002). Then typical species per habitat type were selected from the above-mentioned lists by expert judgment and using as criteria species niche breadth, their ability to comprise indicators of habitat types' conservation status and their function as keystone species. The nomenclature of the typical species follows Dimopoulos et al. (2013).

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## 2.7.3 Justification of % - thresholds for trends

## 2.7.4 Structure and functions - methods used

Complete survey/Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate (3)

## 2.7.5 Other relevant information

## 2.8 Conclusions (assessment of conservation status at end of reporting period)

### 2.8.1 Range

assessment Favourable (FV)  
qualifiers N/A

### 2.8.2 Area

assessment Favourable (FV)  
qualifiers N/A

### 2.8.3 Specific structures and functions (incl Species)

assessment Favourable (FV)  
qualifiers N/A

### 2.8.4 Future prospects

assessment Favourable (FV)  
qualifiers N/A

### 2.8.5 Overall assessment of Conservation Status

Favourable (FV)

### 2.8.5 Overall trend in Conservation Status

N/A

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## 3. Natura 2000 coverage \_conservation measures - Annex I habitat types on biogeographical level

### 3.1 Area covered by habitat

3.1.1 Surface area (km<sup>2</sup>)

min 592 max 592

3.1.2 Method used

Complete survey/Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate (3)

3.1.3. Trend of surface area

stable (0)

### 3.2 Conversation Measures

3.2.1 Measure

3.2.2 Type

3.2.3 Ranking

3.2.4 Location

3.2.5 Broad Evaluation

Restoring/improving forest habitats (3.1)

One-off

medium importance (M)

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Maintain Long term

Establish protected areas/sites (6.1)

Legal Administrative One-off

medium importance (M)

Inside

Maintain Long term