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CODE: 9380

NAME: Forests of *Ilex aquifolium*

1. National Level

1.1 Maps

1.1.1 Distribution Map	Yes
1.1.2 Distribution Method	Estimate based on expert opinion with no or minimal sampling (1)
1.1.3 Year or period	2005-2012
1.1.4 Additional map	No
1.1.5 Range Map	Yes

2. Biogeographical Or Marine Level

2.1 Biogeographical Region

2.2 Published

Mediterranean (MED)

The present Habitat assessment (fields 0.1-3.1) has been compiled by Pierangela Angelini (ISPRA). Published and unpublished data, information and experts' judgments have been provided by Edoardo Biondi, Liliana Zivkovic and Giovanni Spampinato (SBI), Pietro Massimiliano Bianco and Pierangela Angelini (ISPRA, field 2.7.1).

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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 ²)	4800	
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	decrease (-)	
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 ²)	
	operator	approximately equal to (≈)
	unknown	No
	method	
2.3.10 Reason for change	genuine change	No
	improved knowledge	Yes
	different method	Yes

2.4 Area covered by Habitat

2.4.1 Surface area (km²)	9,74		
2.4.2 Year or period	2005-2012		
2.4.3 Method used	Estimate based on expert opinion with no or minimal sampling (1)		
2.4.4 Short-term trend period	2001-2012		
2.4.5 Short-term trend direction	decrease (-)		
2.4.6 Short-term trend magnitude	min	max	confidence interval
2.4.7 Short term trend method used	Estimate based on expert opinion with no or minimal sampling (1)		
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	confidence interval
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 dataUse of different method		

2.5 Main Pressures

Pressure	ranking	pollution qualifier(s)
burning down (J01.01)	medium importance (M)	N/A
roads, motorways (D01.02)	medium importance (M)	N/A
motorised vehicles (G01.03)	medium importance (M)	N/A
removal of forest undergrowth (B02.03)	medium importance (M)	N/A
artificial planting on open ground (non-native trees) (B01.02)	medium importance (M)	N/A
dispersed habitation (E01.03)	medium importance (M)	N/A

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Erosion (K01.01)	medium importance (M)	N/A
forest exploitation without replanting or natural regrowth (B03)	medium importance (M)	N/A
forestry clearance (B02.02)	medium importance (M)	N/A
grazing (A04)	low importance (L)	N/A

2.5.1 Method used – pressures Estimate based on partial data with some extrapolation and/or modelling(2)

2.6 Main Threats

Threat	ranking	pollution qualifier(s)
burning down (J01.01)	medium importance (M)	N/A
roads, motorways (D01.02)	medium importance (M)	N/A
motorised vehicles (G01.03)	medium importance (M)	N/A
removal of forest undergrowth (B02.03)	medium importance (M)	N/A
artificial planting on open ground (non-native trees) (B01.02)	medium importance (M)	N/A
dispersed habitation (E01.03)	medium importance (M)	N/A
Erosion (K01.01)	medium importance (M)	N/A
forest exploitation without replanting or natural regrowth (B03)	medium importance (M)	N/A
forestry clearance (B02.02)	medium importance (M)	N/A
grazing (A04)	low importance (L)	N/A

2.6.1 Method used – threats Estimate based on expert opinion with no or minimal sampling(1)

2.7 Complementary Information

2.7.1 Species

<i>Ilex aquifolium</i>
<i>Taxus baccata</i>
<i>Anemone apennina</i>
<i>Aquilegia nugorensis</i>
<i>Arrhenatherum nebrodensis</i>
<i>Digitalis purpurea</i> var. <i>gyspergerae</i>
<i>Euphorbia amygdaloides</i> subsp. <i>Arbuscula</i>
<i>Geranium versicolor</i>
<i>Helleborus lividus</i> ssp. <i>Corsicus</i>
<i>Ornithogalum pyrenaicum</i>
<i>Paeonia corsica</i>
<i>Melittis melissophyllum</i> subsp. <i>albida</i> (=Melittis albida)
<i>Quercus ichnusae</i>
<i>Sanicula europaea</i>
<i>Silene sicula</i>
<i>Teucrium siculum</i>

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Thalictrum calabricum

2.7.2 Species method used	Selected by ISPRA's expert from bibliographical and field research
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2.7.3 Justification of % - thresholds for trends	
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2.7.4 Structure and functions - methods used	Estimate based on expert opinion with no or minimal sampling(1)
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2.7.5 Other relevant information	
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2.8 Conclusions (assessment of conservation status at end of reporting period)

2.8.1 Range	assessment Inadequate(U1) qualifiers N/A
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2.8.2 Area	assessment Inadequate(U1) qualifiers N/A
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2.8.3 Specific structures and functions (incl Species)	assessment Inadequate(U1) qualifiers N/A
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2.8.4 Future prospects	assessment Favourable(FV) qualifiers N/A
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2.8.5 Overall assessment of Conservation Status	Inadequate(U1)
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2.8.5 Overall trend in Conservation Status	declining(-)
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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 (km²)	min 9,0276 max 9,0276
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3.1.2 Method used	Complete survey/Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate (3)
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3.1.3. Trend of surface area	N/A
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3.2 Conversation Measures

Notes

Habitat code: 9380 Region code: MED

Field label	Note	User
2.8.4 a)Conclusion future prospects	La localizzazione di questo habitat in aree protette rende le prospettive future favorevoli	ISPRA_habi