



NATURA 2000 - STANDARD DATA FORM

For Special Protection Areas (SPA),
Proposed Sites for Community Importance (pSCI),
Sites of Community Importance (SCI) and
for Special Areas of Conservation (SAC)

SITE BG0001375
SITENAME Ostritsa

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1. SITE IDENTIFICATION

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1.1 Type B	1.2 Site code BG0001375
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1.3 Site name

Ostritsa

1.4 First Compilation date	1.5 Update date
2006-09	2018-12

1.6 Respondent:

Name/Organisation:	Ministry of Environment and Water, "National Nature Protection Service" Directorate
Address:	Sofia Kn. Maria Luiza Blvd. 22 1000 Sofia
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1.7 Site indication and designation / classification dates

Date site classified as SPA:	0000-00
National legal reference of SPA designation	No data

Date site proposed as SCI:	2007-03
Date site confirmed as SCI:	2008-12

Date site designated as SAC:

No data

National legal reference of SAC designation:

No data

Explanation(s):

Adopted by Council of Ministers Decision No. 122/02.03.2007 (promulgated SG 21/2007).

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2. SITE LOCATION

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2.1 Site-centre location [decimal degrees]:

Longitude

23.065833333333334

Latitude

42.535833333333333

2.2 Area [ha]:

4429.5

2.3 Marine area [%]

0.0

2.4 Sitelength [km]:

0.0

2.5 Administrative region code and name

NUTS level 2 code

Region Name

BG41

Югозападен / Yugozapaden

2.6 Biogeographical Region(s)

Continental (100.0
%)

3. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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3.1 Habitat types present on the site and assessment for them

Annex I Habitat types						Site assessment			
Code	PF	NP	Cover [ha]	Cave [number]	Data quality	A B C D	A B C		
						Representativity	Relative Surface	Conservation	Global
4090B			29.89		G	A	C	A	A
40A0B			44.3		M	A	B	A	A
40C0B			0.27		G	A	B	A	A
6110B			77.17		G	A	B	A	A
6210B			841.01		G	A	C	A	A
62A0B			1417.44		G	A	B	A	A
8210B			4.87		G	A	C	A	A
9150B			44.26		M	B	C	B	C
9170B			320.23		M	B	C	B	C
9180B			2.57		M	C	C	B	C
91H0B			108.3		M	B	C	B	B

PF: for the habitat types that can have a non-priority as well as a priority form (6210, 7130, 9430) enter "X" in the column PF to indicate the priority form.

NP: in case that a habitat type no longer exists in the site enter: x (optional)

Cover: decimal values can be entered

Caves: for habitat types 8310, 8330 (caves) enter the number of caves if estimated surface is not available.

Data quality: G = 'Good' (e.g. based on surveys); M = 'Moderate' (e.g. based on partial data with some extrapolation); P = 'Poor' (e.g. rough estimation)

3.2 Species referred to in Article 4 of Directive 2009/147/EC and listed in Annex II of Directive 92/43/EEC and site evaluation for them

Species				Population in the site						Site assessment				
G	Code	Scientific Name	S	NP	T	Size		Unit	Cat.	D.qual.	A B C D	A B C		
						Min	Max				Pop.	Con.	I so.	Glo.
A	1193	Bombina variegata			p	2	2	localities	V	P	C	A	C	A
M	1352	Canis lupus			p		1	i		G	C	A	C	A
P	4080	Centaurea immanuelis-loewii			p	25000	25000	i	C	G	A	A	A	A
P	4067	Echium russicum			p				R	DD	C	A	C	B
I	6199	Euplagia quadripunctaria			p	48	108	i	V	P	C	A	C	B
P	2327	Himantoglossum caprinum			p	60	60	i	R	M	C	A	C	A
I	4037	Lignyoptera fumidaria			p				V	DD	B	B	B	B
I	1083	Lucanus cervus			p	11166	21964	i	R	M	C	C	C	C
I	1089	Morimus funereus			p	46714	54260	i	R	M	C	B	C	B
I	1087	Rosalia alpina			p				P	DD	C	B	C	C
M	1335	Spermophilus citellus			p				P	DD	D			
R	1219	Testudo graeca			p			localities	P	DD	C	A	B	A
R	1217	Testudo hermanni			p			localities	P	DD	C	C	C	C
A	1171	Triturus karelinii			p			localities	P	DD	C	C	C	C
M	1354	Ursus arctos			c	0	1	i	V	G	C	C	B	C
M	2635	Vormela peregusna			p				P	DD	C	B	C	A

Group: A = Amphibians, B = Birds, F = Fish, I = Invertebrates, M = Mammals, P = Plants, R = Reptiles

S: in case that the data on species are sensitive and therefore have to be blocked for any public access enter: yes

NP: in case that a species is no longer present in the site enter: x (optional)

Type: p = permanent, r = reproducing, c = concentration, w = wintering (for plant and non-migratory species use permanent)

Unit: i = individuals, p = pairs or other units according to the Standard list of population units and codes in accordance with Article 12 and 17 reporting (see [reference portal](#))

Abundance categories (Cat.): C = common, R = rare, V = very rare, P = present - to fill if data are deficient

(DD) or in addition to population size information

Data quality: G = 'Good' (e.g. based on surveys); M = 'Moderate' (e.g. based on partial data with some extrapolation); P = 'Poor' (e.g. rough estimation); VP = 'Very poor' (use this category only, if not even a rough estimation of the population size can be made, in this case the fields for population size can remain empty, but the field "Abundance categories" has to be filled in)

3.3 Other important species of flora and fauna (optional)

Species					Population in the site				Motivation					
Group	CODE	Scientific Name	S	NP	Size		Unit	Cat.	Species Annex		Other categories			
					Min	Max			IV	V	A	B	C	D
R		Ablepharus kitaibelii						C					X	
P		Adonis vernalis						R					X	
P		Anemone sylvestris						R			X			
P		Bromus moesiacus						C					X	
A		Bufo viridis						C					X	
P		Cachrys alpina						R			X			
R		Coronella austriaca						C					X	
P		Daphne cneorum						R			X			
P		Edraianthus serbicus						R			X			
R		Elaphe longissima						R					X	
P		Fritillaria orientalis						R			X			
A		Hyla arborea						R					X	
R		Lacerta agilis						R					X	
R		Lacerta viridis						C					X	
P		Ophrys insectifera						V					X	
R		Podarcis muralis						C					X	
A		Rana dalmatina						C					X	
P		Tulipa urumoffii						R					X	
P		Verbascum urumoffii						R				X		
R		Vipera ammodytes						C					X	

Group: A = Amphibians, B = Birds, F = Fish, Fu = Fungi, I = Invertebrates, L = Lichens, M = Mammals, P = Plants, R = Reptiles

CODE: for Birds, Annex IV and V species the code as provided in the reference portal should be used in addition to the scientific name

S: in case that the data on species are sensitive and therefore have to be blocked for any public access enter: yes

NP: in case that a species is no longer present in the site enter: x (optional)

Unit: i = individuals, p = pairs or other units according to the standard list of population units and codes in accordance with Article 12 and 17 reporting, (see [reference portal](#))

Cat.: Abundance categories: C = common, R = rare, V = very rare, P = present

Motivation categories: **IV, V:** Annex Species (Habitats Directive), **A:** National Red List data; **B:** Endemics; **C:** International Conventions; **D:** other reasons

4. SITE DESCRIPTION

4.1 General site character

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Habitat class	% Cover
N23	1.0
N16	15.0
N12	1.0
N08	18.0
N09	49.0
N17	1.0
N19	2.0
N22	13.0
Total Habitat Cover	100

Other Site Characteristics

The SCI includes part of the low mountain Golo Bardo and the Ostritza natural reserve. The grassy habitats are the most important here. The area is an active center for evolution of rare plant species.

4.2 Quality and importance

The site protects representative limestone habitats, most of them priority ones with high diversity of protected plant species.

4.3 Threats, pressures and activities with impacts on the site

The most important impacts and activities with high effect on the site

Negative Impacts			
Rank	Threats and pressures [code]	Pollution (optional) [code]	inside/outside [i o b]
L	F04		i
H	F03.01		i
M	J01		i
M	C01.04		i
M	B02.04		i
H	A04.03		i
L	A07		i
L	F03.02		i
M	B02.02		i
L	D02.01		i
L	A02		i
H	B02.01		i
H	B01.02		i
H	F03.02.03		i

Positive Impacts			
Rank	Activities, management [code]	Pollution (optional) [code]	inside/outside [i o b]

L	H07		i
L	A08		i
H	B		i
M	G01.03		i
M	B02.03		i
M	B03		i
M	F03.02.01		i

Rank: H = high, M = medium, L = low

Pollution: N = Nitrogen input, P = Phosphor/Phosphate input, A = Acid input/acidification,

T = toxic inorganic chemicals, O = toxic organic chemicals, X = Mixed pollutions

i = inside, o = outside, b = both

4.4 Ownership (optional)

4.5 Documentation

Initial proposal and description of the site made by Balkani Wildlife Society, office@balkani.org; Green Balkans, office@greenbalkans.org; Bulgarian Biodiversity Foundation, bbfbiodiversity.bg; Wilderness Fund; B. Assiov, Tz. Denchev - Institute of Botany, BAS.Data revised by a team of Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (http://www.bas.bg).New data provided by project "Mapping and assessment of the conservation status of the natural habitats and species - Phase 1" (see link).

Link(s): <http://natura2000.moew.government.bg/Home/ProtectedSite?code=BG0001375&siteType=HabitatDirective>

5. SITE PROTECTION STATUS (optional)

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5.1 Designation types at national and regional level:

Code	Cover [%]	Code	Cover [%]	Code	Cover [%]
BG00	96.687327135122	BG04	3.312672865032363		

5.2 Relation of the described site with other sites:

designated at national or regional level:

Type code	Site name	Type	Cover [%]
BG04	Ostritza	+	3.312672865032363

5.3 Site designation (optional)

6. SITE MANAGEMENT

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6.1 Body(ies) responsible for the site management:

Organisation:	Regional Inspectorate of Environment and Water: Pernik
Address:	
Email:	

6.2 Management Plan(s):

An actual management plan does exist:

- Yes
 No, but in preparation
 No

6.3 Conservation measures (optional)

7. MAP OF THE SITES

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INSPIRE ID:

Map delivered as PDF in electronic format (optional)

- Yes No

Reference(s) to the original map used for the digitalisation of the electronic boundaries (optional).