



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

1.1 Type B	1.2 Site code BG0001375	Back to top
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1.3 Site name

Ostritsa

1.4 First Compilation date 2006-09	1.5 Update date 2021-11
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1.6 Respondent:

Name/Organisation:	Ministry of Environment and Water, "National Nature Protection Service" Directorate
Address:	Sofia Kn. Maria Luiza Blvd. 22 1000 Sofia
Email:	natura2000@moew.government.bg

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:	2021-03
National legal reference of SAC designation:	Designation Order No. RD - 321/ 31.03.2021 (promulgated SG 52 /2021) issued by the Minister of Environment and Water.
Explanation(s):	Adopted by Council of Ministers Decision No. 122/02.03.2007 (promulgated SG 21/2007). Issued by the Minister of Environment and Water designation Order No. RD - 321/ 31.03.2021 (promulgated SG 52 /2021) with prohibitions and restrictions on activities contradicting the conservation objectives of the site.

2. SITE LOCATION

2.1 Site-centre location [decimal degrees]:

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						Min	Max				Pop.	Con.	Iso.	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		C R V P	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												X	
P		Ophrys insectifera												X	
R		Podarcis muralis												X	
A		Rana dalmatina												X	
P		Tulipa urumoffii												X	
P		Verbascum urumoffii											X		
R		Vipera ammodytes												X	

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- **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
N12	1.0
N19	2.0
N23	1.0
N22	13.0
N16	15.0
N08	18.0
N17	1.0
N09	49.0
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]
M	G01.03		i
L	D02.01		i
M	B03		i
H	B02.01		i
H	B01.02		i
M	B02.03		i
M	F03.02.01		i
H	F03.01		i
L	A08		i

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

M	B02.02		i
L	F04		i
M	C01.04		i
H	B		i
M	J01		i
M	B02.04		i
L	H07		i
H	A04.03		i
L	A07		i
H	F03.02.03		i
L	A02		i
L	F03.02		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, bbf@biodiversity.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)

5.1 Designation types at national and regional level:

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

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

6.1 Body(ies) responsible for the site management:

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

6.2 Management Plan(s):

An actual management plan does exist:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	No, but in preparation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	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).