



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 **BG0000498**

SITENAME **Vidbol**

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1. SITE IDENTIFICATION

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| 1.1 Type B | 1.2 Site code BG0000498 |
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1.3 Site name

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| Vidbol |
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| 1.4 First Compilation date | 1.5 Update date |
| 2005-07 | 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 |
| Email: | natura2000@moew.government.bg |

1.7 Site indication and designation / classification dates

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| 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 |

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| National legal reference of SAC designation: | No data |
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| 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
22.715

Latitude
43.797

2.2 Area [ha]:

1305.14

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

BG31

Северозападен / Severozapaden

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 |
| 3260B | | | 45.809 | | G | B | C | B | B |
| 6110B | | | 0.03 | | G | A | C | A | B |
| 6210B | | | 50.56 | | M | A | C | A | B |
| 6430B | | | 80.89 | | M | A | C | A | B |
| 6510B | | | 14.9 | | M | A | C | A | B |
| 9150B | | | 0.12137 | | | D | | | |
| 91E0B | | | 3.35 | | G | B | C | B | B |
| 91H0B | | | 1.05324 | | | D | | | |
| 91M0B | | | 46.25 | | M | B | C | C | B |
| 91Z0B | | | 1.43956 | | | D | | | |

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. | Iso. | Glo. |
| F | 1130 | Aspius aspius | | | p | 321120 | 321120 | area | P | P | C | A | C | C |
| I | 1093 | Austropotamobius torrentium | | | p | | | i | P | M | D | A | C | B |
| M | 1308 | Barbastella barbastellus | | | p | 6 | 10 | i | V | M | D | | | |
| F | 1138 | Barbus meridionalis | | | p | 16547 | 16547 | i | C | G | C | A | B | A |
| A | 1188 | Bombina bombina | | | p | | | localities | P | DD | C | A | B | B |
| M | 1352 | Canis lupus | | | p | | | | P | M | D | | | |
| I | 1088 | Cerambyx cerdo | | | p | | | | P | DD | C | C | C | C |
| F | 2533 | Cobitis elongata | | | p | | | | P | DD | D | | | |
| F | 1149 | Cobitis taenia | | | p | 1215410 | 1215410 | area | P | P | C | A | C | A |
| I | 4032 | Dioszeghyana schmidtii | | | p | 245 | 431 | i | V | P | C | C | A | C |
| R | 5194 | Elaphe sauromates | | | p | | | localities | P | DD | C | C | C | C |
| R | 1220 | Emys orbicularis | | | p | | | localities | P | DD | C | A | C | B |
| F | 2484 | Eudontomyzon mariae | | | p | | | | V | DD | D | | | |
| F | 2555 | Gymnocephalus baloni | | | p | 325990 | 325990 | area | P | P | C | A | B | B |
| F | 1157 | Gymnocephalus schraetzer | | | p | 179490 | 179490 | area | P | P | C | A | B | B |
| I | 1083 | Lucanus cervus | | | p | 5612 | 11039 | i | R | M | C | C | C | C |
| M | 1355 | Lutra lutra | | | p | 2 | 8 | i | | G | C | B | C | B |
| M | 2609 | Mesocricetus newtoni | | | p | | | | P | DD | D | | | |
| M | 1310 | Minopterus schreibersii | | | p | 6 | 10 | i | V | G | D | | | |
| I | 1089 | Morimus funereus | | | p | 12448 | 14458 | i | R | M | C | C | C | C |
| M | 1307 | Myotis blythii | | | p | 11 | 50 | i | P | M | C | B | C | C |
| M | 1316 | Myotis capaccinii | | | p | | | | P | DD | D | | | |
| M | 1321 | Myotis emarginatus | | | p | | | | P | DD | D | | | |
| M | 1324 | Myotis myotis | | | p | 11 | 50 | i | P | M | C | B | C | C |
| F | 2522 | Pelecus cultratus | | | p | 320000 | 320000 | area | P | P | C | B | B | B |
| M | 1306 | Rhinolophus blasii | | | p | | | | P | DD | D | | | |
| M | 1305 | Rhinolophus euryale | | | p | 6 | 10 | i | R | G | D | | | |
| M | 1304 | Rhinolophus ferrumequinum | | | p | 11 | 50 | i | P | M | C | B | C | C |
| M | 1303 | Rhinolophus | | | p | 11 | 50 | i | P | M | C | B | C | C |

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|---|------|---|--|--|---|--------|--------|------------|---|----|---|---|---|---|
| | | hipposideros | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| M | 1302 | Rhinolophus mehelyi | | | p | | | | P | DD | D | | | |
| F | 5339 | Rhodeus amarus | | | p | 21269 | 21269 | i | C | G | C | A | C | B |
| F | 5329 | Romanogobio vladykovi | | | p | 336100 | 336100 | area | C | P | C | A | B | A |
| I | 1087 | Rosalia alpina | | | p | | | | P | DD | C | C | B | C |
| F | 1146 | Sabanejewia aurata | | | p | 11759 | 11759 | i | R | G | C | A | C | A |
| M | 1335 | Spermophilus citellus | | | p | | | | P | DD | D | | | |
| R | 1217 | Testudo hermanni | | | p | 1 | 1 | localities | V | P | C | C | C | C |
| I | 4064 | Theodoxus transversalis | | | p | | | i | V | M | B | A | C | A |
| A | 1993 | Triturus dobrogicus | | | p | | | localities | P | DD | C | A | C | A |
| I | 1032 | Unio crassus | | | p | 59586 | 59586 | i | R | M | C | A | C | B |
| M | 2635 | Vormela peregusna | | | p | | | | P | DD | C | B | C | B |
| F | 1160 | Zingel streber | | | p | 320020 | 320020 | area | P | P | C | A | B | B |
| F | 1159 | Zingel zingel | | | p | 320020 | 320020 | area | P | P | C | B | B | B |

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 |
| P | | Agrimonia eupatoria | | | | | | C | | | | | | X |
| F | | Alburnoides bipunctatus | | | | | | R | | | | | X | |
| P | | Alopecurus pratensis | | | | | | C | | | | | | X |
| P | | Aristolochia clematitis | | | | | | C | | | | | | X |
| A | | Bufo viridis | | | | | | C | | | | | X | |
| R | | Coluber caspius | | | | | | P | | | | | X | |
| P | | Deschampsia caespitosa | | | | | | C | | | | | | X |
| R | | Elaphe longissima | | | | | | P | | | | | X | |

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| F | | Esox lucius | | | | | | R | | | | | | | | | X |
| F | | Gobio gobio | | | | | | R | | | | | | | | | X |
| A | | Hyla arborea | | | | | | C | | | | | | | X | | |
| P | | Knautia arvensis | | | | | | C | | | | | | | | | X |
| R | | Lacerta viridis | | | | | | C | | | | | | | X | | |
| F | | Leuciscus cephalus | | | | | | C | | | | | | | | | X |
| F | | Leuciscus idus | | | | | | R | | | | | | | | | X |
| R | | Natrix tessellata | | | | | | C | | | | | | | X | | |
| F | | Neogobius fluviatilis | | | | | | C | | | | | | | | | X |
| F | | Noemacheilus barbatulus | | | | | | R | | | | | | | | | X |
| P | | Parietaria erecta | | | | | | C | | | | | | | | | X |
| A | | Pelobates fuscus | | | | | | P | | | | | | | X | | |
| F | | Perca fluviatilis | | | | | | C | | | | | | | | | X |
| P | | Poa sylvicola | | | | | | C | | | | | | | | | X |
| R | | Podarcis muralis | | | | | | R | | | | | | | X | | |
| R | | Podarcis taurica | | | | | | C | | | | | | | X | | |
| A | | Rana dalmatina | | | | | | P | | | | | | | X | | |
| F | | Rutilus rutilus | | | | | | C | | | | | | | | | X |
| P | | Sanguisorba officinalis | | | | | | C | | | | | | | | | X |
| P | | Saponaria officinalis | | | | | | R | | | | | | | | | X |
| P | | Urtica dioica | | | | | | C | | | | | | | | | X |
| R | | Vipera ammodytes | | | | | | P | | | | | | | X | | |
| I | | Zerynthia polyxena | | | | | | 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 |
|---------------|---------|
| N16 | 15.0 |
| N23 | 5.0 |
| N10 | 5.0 |

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| N15 | 19.0 |
| N12 | 10.0 |
| N06 | 5.0 |
| N09 | 15.0 |
| N20 | 5.0 |
| N08 | 1.0 |
| N21 | 10.0 |
| N07 | 5.0 |
| N14 | 5.0 |
| Total Habitat Cover | 100 |

Other Site Characteristics

Total area of the site 1298.7 ha (5.11 % of the area of the water catchment of Vidbol River - 25 400 ha).Habitat 6510 - Habitat with restricted distribution in the water catchment area of Vidbol River, due to the decreased population, the lack of intensive and extensive stockbreeding. Main tree composition - *Poa sylvicola*, *Deschampsia caespitosa*, *Alopecurus pratensis*, *Knautia arvensis*, *Sanguisorba officinalis*, *Lychnis*, *Ranunculus* etc. They are distributed on chernozem soils.Habitat 91E0 A - Widely distributed habitat along the Vidbol river with clearly expressed fragmented character, often broken at places with disconnections caused by afforested with foreign species areas, in the regions of the settlements is cut off. Main tree composition - *Alnus glutinosa* /50%/ , *Salix alba* /30%/ , *Salix fragilis*/5%/ , *Salix triandra* /10%/ , *Populus alba*, *Populus nigra*, *Fraxinus oxycarpa* /5%/ at places single species of *Jglans regia*, *Prunus cerasifera*, *Ulmus minor*.Main shrubs and grasses composition - *Urtica dioica*, *Aristolochia clematitis*, *Parietaria erecta*,*Saponaria officinalis*, *Galium* sp., *Agrimonia eupatoria*, *Rubus* sp., *Scrophularia* sp. In the water part of the habitat along the riverside, there are big spots of riverside vegetation - *Typha angustifolia*, *Caltha* sp.Other important habitat types - Ponto-Pannonic riverbank dwarf sedge communities 22.2113Riverside lines of willow44.1, *Stitchwort* ash-alder woods44.3211, Riverside belts of vegetation 53

4.2 Quality and importance

Region - West tributaries of the Danube River in the region of Timok - Danube Rivers. Sub region - Vidbol with Davidova bara, including its left tributary Gramadska River. The flora region is the Danube plain and part of West Predbalkan. Physical - geographical sub region - West Danube plain. Water catchment with area 330 sq. km and average altitude 254 m. a.s.l.Representative for the water catchment of Vidbol River are the riverside habitats 91E0 and 91F0, situated along the treeless riverbed between the villages Tzar Shishmanovo and Valchek. The riverside habitat has well developed vertical structure and it is disconnected at the settlements areas.The ithtiofauna of Vidbol River is extremely rich for a river of such a size. found are 15 fish species in total, of which 4 are included in Annex 2 of Directive 92/43.

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 | E03.01 | | i |
| L | F02.03 | | i |
| M | A05.01 | | i |
| L | E03.04 | | i |
| M | A04 | | i |
| M | J02.12 | | i |
| M | A10 | | o |
| M | IO1 | | i |

| Positive Impacts | | | |
|------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| Rank | Activities, management [code] | Pollution (optional) [code] | inside/outside [i o b] |
| M | A04 | | i |
| M | A03 | | i |
| M | A10 | | o |
| M | A05.01 | | 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 Ivailo Dimitrov Nikolov, s. Kaletsa, obl. Lovech, 147 "Hristo Botev" Str., ivodimnik@abv.bg; Tihomir Stefanov - National Museum of Natural History, 1 Tzar Osvoboditel Blvd., Sofia 1000, tisho@nmnh.bas.bg 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=BG0000498&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 | 100.0 | | | | |

5.2 Relation of the described site with other sites:

5.3 Site designation (optional)

The site preserves representative and relatively well preserved for the region of the rivers in the Vidin area habitats 91E0 and 3260.

6. SITE MANAGEMENT

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6.1 Body(ies) responsible for the site management:

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|---------------|---|
| Organisation: | Regional Inspectorate of Environment and Water: Montana |
| Address: | |
| Email: | |

6.2 Management Plan(s):

An actual management plan does exist:

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

6.3 Conservation measures (optional)

Forestry Management project, Forestry Enterprise Vidin

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).