



# 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 BG0000181

SITENAME Reka Vit

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## 1. SITE IDENTIFICATION

|                 |                                                  |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| <b>1.1 Type</b> | <b>1.2 Site code</b> <a href="#">Back to top</a> |
| B               | BG0000181                                        |

### 1.3 Site name

|          |
|----------|
| Reka Vit |
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|                                   |                        |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| <b>1.4 First Compilation date</b> | <b>1.5 Update date</b> |
| 2004-08                           | 2021-11                |

### 1.6 Respondent:

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

### 1.7 Site indication and designation / classification dates

|                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Date site classified as SPA:</b>                 | 0000-00                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>National legal reference of SPA designation</b>  | No data                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>Date site proposed as SCI:</b>                   | 2007-03                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>Date site confirmed as SCI:</b>                  | 2008-12                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>Date site designated as SAC:</b>                 | 2021-03                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>National legal reference of SAC designation:</b> | Designation Order No. RD - 324/ 31.03.2021 (promulgated SG 52 /2021) issued by the Minister of Environment and Water.                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>Explanation(s):</b>                              | 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 - 324/ 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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|   |  |                                      |  |  |  |  |  |   |  |  |   |  |  |  |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|---|--|--|---|--|--|--|
| P |  | <a href="#">Utricularia vulgaris</a> |  |  |  |  |  | R |  |  | 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

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4.1 General site character

| Habitat class       | % Cover |
|---------------------|---------|
| N08                 | 4.0     |
| N15                 | 23.0    |
| N23                 | 2.0     |
| N21                 | 2.0     |
| N06                 | 1.0     |
| N09                 | 50.0    |
| N16                 | 18.0    |
| Total Habitat Cover | 100     |

Other Site Characteristics

The site includes the stream of Vit River north from Pleven, with the system of marshes (old river beds), some alluvial forests and steppe loees communities on the hills above the river.

4.2 Quality and importance

Fish fauna of Vit River includes 44 taxa. It is iportant as a biocorridor.

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<br>[code] | Pollution<br>(optional)<br>[code] | inside/outside<br>[i o b] |
| M                | E01.01                          |                                   | o                         |
| M                | F02.03                          |                                   | i                         |
| H                | L08                             |                                   | i                         |
| L                | D01.04                          |                                   | i                         |
| H                | E01                             |                                   | i                         |
| M                | A04                             |                                   | i                         |
| M                | K01.01                          |                                   | i                         |
| H                | B                               |                                   | b                         |
| M                | A05.01                          |                                   | i                         |
| H                | C01.01                          |                                   | i                         |
| M                | A09                             |                                   | i                         |
| M                | D01.02                          |                                   | i                         |
| H                | E01.01                          |                                   | i                         |
| H                | F06                             |                                   | i                         |
| M                | E01                             |                                   | o                         |
| H                | J02.05.02                       |                                   | i                         |
| M                | F03.01                          |                                   | i                         |
| H                | F02.01.02                       |                                   | i                         |
|                  |                                 |                                   |                           |

| Positive Impacts |                                  |                                   |                            |
|------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Rank             | Activities, management<br>[code] | Pollution<br>(optional)<br>[code] | inside /outside<br>[i o b] |
| M                | F02.03                           |                                   | i                          |
| L                | D01.04                           |                                   | i                          |
| M                | D01.02                           |                                   | i                          |
| M                | E01                              |                                   | o                          |

|   |        |  |   |
|---|--------|--|---|
| H | A01    |  | b |
| M | E04.01 |  | b |
| M | K01.02 |  | 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 T. Trichkova, T. Stefanov, M. Vasilev, M. Zhivkov; V. Popov, I. Pandurski, S. Zidarova - Institute of Zoology, 1 Tsar Osvoboditel Blvd., 1000 Sofia;Mladen Angelov - Green Balkans Federation; Dr. R. Tzonev - Sofia University.Initially listed publications: Shishkov, G. 1937. Fish fauna of the Vit River.- Fisher. Rev., 7, 5, 66-68.(In Bulgarian).Drensky, P. 1951. Fishes of Bulgaria., Sofia, 270 pp.(In Bulgarian).Karapetkova, M., C. Dikov. 1986. On the composition, distribution and biomass of the ichthyofauna of the river Vit. - Hydrobiology, Sofia, 28, 3-14.(In Bulgarian with Russian and English summaries).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=BG0000181&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 [%] |
|------|-----------|------|-----------|------|-----------|
| BG06 | 0.682     | BG00 | 99.318    |      |           |

5.2 Relation of the described site with other sites:

designated at national or regional level:

| Type code | Site name        | Type | Cover [%] |
|-----------|------------------|------|-----------|
| BG06      | Lugut - Drumkata | +    | 0.682     |

5.3 Site designation (optional)

Important water basin for Bulgarian ichthyofauna.

6. SITE MANAGEMENT

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6.1 Body(ies) responsible for the site management:

|               |                                                        |
|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| Organisation: | Regional Inspectorate of Environment and Water: Pleven |
| 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).