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0.1 Member State	GR
0.2.1 Species code	1302
0.2.2 Species name	Rhinolophus mehelyi
0.2.3 Alternative species scientific name	N/A
0.2.4 Common name	Rinolofos tou Mehely

1. National Level

1.1 Maps

1.1.1 Distribution Map	Yes
1.1.1a Sensitive species	Yes
1.1.2 Method used - map	Estimate based on partial data with some extrapolation and/or modelling (2)
1.1.3 Year or period	1988-2012
1.1.4 Additional map	No
1.1.5 Range map	Yes

2. Biogeographical Or Marine Level

2.1 Biogeographical Region

Mediterranean (MED)

2.2 Published sources

Hanak V., Benda P., Ruedi M., Horacek I. & Sofianidou T. S. 2001: Bats (Mammalia: Chiroptera) of the Eastern Mediterranean. Part 2. New records and review of distribution of bats in Greece. Acta Societatis Zoologicae Bohemicae 65: 279–346.; - Ivanova T. 2000: New data on bats (Mammalia: Chiroptera) from the Eastern Rhodopes, Greece (Thrace, Evros). Histor. Natur. Bulg. 11: 117–125.; - Papadatou, E., 2006. Ecology and conservation of the long-fingered bat Myotis capaccinii in the National Park of Dadia-Lefkimi Soufli, Greece. Ph.D. Dissertation, University of Leeds.; - Paragamian K., I. Nikoloudakis, E. Papadatou & E. Sfakianaki. 2004. Environmental Study Of The Cave Of Maroneia (Rodopi, Greece). Final Report (In Greek). Hellenic Institute Of Speleological Research, 176pp ; - Vohralík V. & Sofianidou T. S. 1992: Small mammals (Insectivora, Rodentia) of Thrace, Greece. Acta Univ. Carol. – Biol. 36: 341–369.

2.3 Range

2.3.1 Surface area - Range (km ²)	77752
2.3.2 Method - Range surface area	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	stable (0)
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 N/A unknown Yes method Expert judgement
2.3.10 Reason for change	Improved knowledge/more accurate data Use of different method

2.4 Population

2.4.1 Population size (individuals or agreed exception)	Unit	number of individuals (i)
	min	500 max 1000

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2.4.2 Population size (other than individuals)	Unit	N/A		
	min		max	
2.4.3 Additional information	Definition of locality			
	Conversion method			
	Problems	Many unknown colonies may be present. Seasonal movement not taken in account. Min value from roost counts, max from class 4.		
2.4.4 Year or period	1988-2012			
2.4.5 Method – population size	Estimate based on partial data with some extrapolation and/or modelling (2)			
2.4.6 Short-term trend period	2001-2012			
2.4.7 Short term trend direction	unknown (x)			
2.4.8 Short-term trend magnitude	min		max	confidence interval
2.4.9 Short-term trend method	Absent data (0)			
2.4.10 Long-term trend period				
2.4.11 Long term trend direction	N/A			
2.4.12 Long-term trend magnitude	min		max	confidence interval
2.4.13 Long-term trend method	N/A			
2.4.14 Favourable reference population	number			
	operator	N/A		
	unknown	Yes		
	method			
2.4.15 Reason for change	Improved knowledge/more accurate data	Use of different method		

2.5 Habitat for the Species

2.5.1 Surface area - Habitat (km ²)	30950			
2.5.2 Year or period	1988-2012			
2.5.3 Method used - habitat	Estimate based on partial data with some extrapolation and/or modelling (2)			
2.5.4 a) Quality of habitat	Unknown			
2.5.4 b) Quality of habitat - method	Its roosting and foraging habits are not understood enough. Roosts in caves and mines which are abundant, but threatened.			
2.5.5 Short term trend period	2001-2012			
2.5.6 Short term trend direction	unknown (x)			
2.5.7 Long-term trend period				
2.5.8 Long term trend direction	N/A			
2.5.9 Area of suitable habitat (km ²)	43800			
2.5.10 Reason for change	Improved knowledge/more accurate data	Use of different method		

2.6 Main Pressures

Pressure	ranking	pollution qualifier(s)
speleology (G01.04.02)	medium importance (M)	N/A
recreational cave visits (G01.04.03)	medium importance (M)	N/A
Vandalism (G05.04)	low importance (L)	N/A
closures of caves or galleries (G05.08)	medium importance (M)	N/A
underground collapses (L06)	low importance (L)	N/A

2.6.1 Method used – pressures mainly based on expert judgement and other data (2)

2.7 Main Threats

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Threat	ranking	pollution qualifier(s)
speleology (G01.04.02)	medium importance (M)	N/A
recreational cave visits (G01.04.03)	medium importance (M)	N/A
Vandalism (G05.04)	low importance (L)	N/A
closures of caves or galleries (G05.08)	medium importance (M)	N/A
underground collapses (L06)	low importance (L)	N/A

2.7.1 Method used – threats expert opinion (1)

2.8 Complementary Information

2.8.1 Justification of % thresholds for trends

2.8.2 Other relevant Information

For this species not enough data were collected during the period 2001-2014. Thus, the distribution, range, population size, habitat area and suitable habitat area were calculated or estimated using the most recent qualitative and quantitative data.

The data of the geographical distribution and range of the species are based on recent bibliographic and field data that have been tested for their accuracy and does not confirm its presence on the sites GR2320002 and GR2320009. These data will be also used to update Standard Data Forms of Natura 2000 network.

2.8.3 Trans-boundary assessment

2.9 Conclusions (assessment of conservation status at end of reporting period)

2.9.1 Range

assessment Unknown (XX)
qualifiers N/A

2.9.2. Population

assessment Unknown (XX)
qualifiers N/A

2.9.3. Habitat

assessment Unknown (XX)
qualifiers N/A

2.9.4. Future prospects

assessment Unknown (XX)
qualifiers N/A

2.9.5 Overall assessment of Conservation Status

Unknown (XX)

2.9.5 Overall trend in Conservation Status

N/A

3. Natura 2000 coverage and conservation measures - Annex II species

3.1 Population

3.1.1 Population Size

Unit number of individuals (i)
min 250 max 500

3.1.2 Method used

Estimate based on partial data with some extrapolation and/or modelling (2)

3.1.3 Trend of population size within

N/A

3.2 Conversation Measures

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3.2.1 Measure	3.2.2 Type	3.2.3 Ranking	3.2.4 Location	3.2.5 Broad Evaluation
Establish protected areas/sites (6.1)	Legal One-off	medium importance (M)	Inside	Long term Unknown
Legal protection of habitats and species (6.3)	Legal	high importance (H)	Both	Long term Unknown