

Annex B - Bird Species' status and trends report (Article 12)

1. Species information

1.1 Member State	Greece
1.2 Species code	A070
1.3 EURING code	2230
1.4 Species scientific name	Mergus merganser
1.5 Subspecific population	
1.6 Alternative species scientific name	Mergus merganser merganser
1.7 Common name	Χηνοπρίστης
1.8 Season	Winter (W)

2. Population size

2.1 Year or period	2013-2018
2.2 Population size	a) Unit number of individuals (i) b) Minimum 9 c) Maximum 47 d) Best single value
2.3 Type of estimate	Best estimate
2.4 Population size Method used	Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate
2.5 Sources	1) Midwinter Counts Database (1967 - 2019), Hellenic Ornithological Society 2) BirdLife International (2017). European birds of conservation concern: populations, trends and national responsibilities. Cambridge. UK: BirdLife International. ISBN 978-1-912086-00-9, 3) Portolou, D., Bourdakis, S., Vlachos, C., Kastritis, T., and Dimalexis. T. (eds.) 2009. Important Bird Areas of Greece: Priority sites for conservation. Hellenic Ornithological Society. Athens.
2.6 Change and reason for change (since previous report)	Improved knowledge/more accurate data Use of different method The change is mainly due to: Improved knowledge/more accurate data
2.7 Additional information	

3. Population trend

3.1 Short-term trend (last 12 years)

3.1.1 Short-term trend Period	2007-2018
3.1.2 Short-term trend Direction	Unknown (X)
3.1.3 Short-term trend Magnitude	a) Minimum b) Maximum c) Best single value
3.1.4 Short-term trend Method used	Insufficient or no data available
3.1.5 Sources	no data

3.2 Long-term trend (since c. 1980)

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3.2.1 Long-term trend Period	1980-2018
3.2.2 Long-term trend Direction	Unknown (X)
3.2.3 Long-term trend Magnitude	a) Minimum b) Maximum c) Best single value
3.2.4 Long-term Trend Method used	Insufficient or no data available
3.2.5 Sources	Midwinter Counts Database, Hellenic Ornithological Society
3.3 Additional information	

4. Breeding distribution map and size

4.1 Sensitive species	No
4.2 Year or period	
4.3 Breeding distribution map	No
4.4 Breeding distribution surface area	
4.5 Breeding distribution Method used	
4.6 Additional maps	No
4.7 Sources	
4.8 Additional information	

5. Breeding range trend

5.1 Short-term trend (last 12 years)

5.1.1 Short-term trend Period	
5.1.2 Short-term trend Direction	
5.1.3 Short-term trend Magnitude	a) Minimum b) Maximum c) Best single value
5.1.4 Short-term trend Method used	
5.1.5 Sources	

5.2 Long-term trend (since c. 1980)

5.2.1 Long-term trend Period	
5.2.2 Long-term trend Direction	
5.2.3 Long-term trend Magnitude	a) Minimum b) Maximum c) Best single value
5.2.4 Long-term trend Method used	
5.2.5 Sources	
5.3 Additional information	

6. Progress in work related to international Species Action Plans (SAPs), Management Plans (MPs) and Brief Management Statements (BMSs)

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6.0 Is/Will the information related to international SAPs, MPs and BMSs (section 6) be provided for the other season for this species?	No
6.1 Type of international plan	No plan (NA)
6.2 Has a national plan linked to the international SAP/MP/BMS been adopted?	No
6.3 If 'NO', describe any measures and initiatives taken related to the international SAP/MP/BMS	
6.4 Assessment of the effectiveness of SAPs for globally threatened species (Art. 12, Species Action Plans)	()
6.5 Assessment of the effectiveness of MPs for huntable species in non-Secure status (Articles 3 and 7, Management Plans)	()
6.6 Sources of further Information	

7. Main pressures and threats

a) Pressure	b) Ranking	c) location
Freshwater fish and shellfish harvesting (professional) (G05)	H	both inside and outside EU (inOutEU)
Freshwater fish and shellfish harvesting (recreational) (G06)	H	both inside and outside EU (inOutEU)
Mixed source pollution to surface and ground waters (limnic and terrestrial) (J01)	H	outside EU (outEU)
Plant and animal diseases, pathogens and pests (I05)	H	unknown (Unk)
a) Threat	d) Ranking	e) location
Freshwater fish and shellfish harvesting (professional) (G05)	H	both inside and outside EU (inOutEU)
Freshwater fish and shellfish harvesting (recreational) (G06)	H	both inside and outside EU (inOutEU)
Mixed source pollution to surface and ground waters (limnic and terrestrial) (J01)	H	outside EU (outEU)
Plant and animal diseases, pathogens and pests (I05)	H	unknown (Unk)

7.2 Sources of information

IUCN. 2012. IUCN Red List of Threatened Species (ver. 2012.1). Available at: <http://www.iucnredlist.org>.

7.3 Additional information

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8. Main Conservation Measures

8.1 Status of measures	Measures needed but cannot be identified
8.2 Main purpose of the measures taken	
8.3 Location of the measures	
8.4 Response to the measures	

8.6 Additional information

9. Natura 2000 (SPAs) coverage

9.1 Population size inside the Natura 2000 (SPA) network	a) Unit	number of individuals (i)
	b) Minimum	6
	c) Maximum	10
	d) Best single value	
9.2 Type of estimate	Best estimate	
9.3 Population size inside the network Method used	Based mainly on extrapolation from a limited amount of data	
9.4 Short-term trend of population size within the network Direction	Unknown (X)	
9.5 Short-term trend of population size within the network Method used	Insufficient or no data available	
9.6 Additional information		

10. Information related to Annex II species (Art.7)

10.0 Is/Will the information related to Annex II species (section 10) be provided for the other season for this species?	No
10.1 Is the species nationally hunted?	No

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10.2 Hunting bag	a) Unit	number of individuals (i)					
	b) Statistics/ quantity taken	<i>Provide statistics per hunting season or per year (where season is not used) over the reporting period.</i>					
		<i>Season/ Year 1</i>	<i>Season/ Year 2</i>	<i>Season/ Year 3</i>	<i>Season/ Year 4</i>	<i>Season/ Year 5</i>	<i>Season/ Year 6</i>
	Min. <i>(raw, i.e. not rounded)</i>						
	Max. <i>(raw, i.e. not rounded)</i>						
	Unknown	No	No	No	No	No	No
10.3 Hunting bagMethod used							
10.4 Additional information							