

Report on the main results of the surveillance under article 11 for annex II, IV and V species (Annex B)

SPECIES NAME: **Rana esculenta**

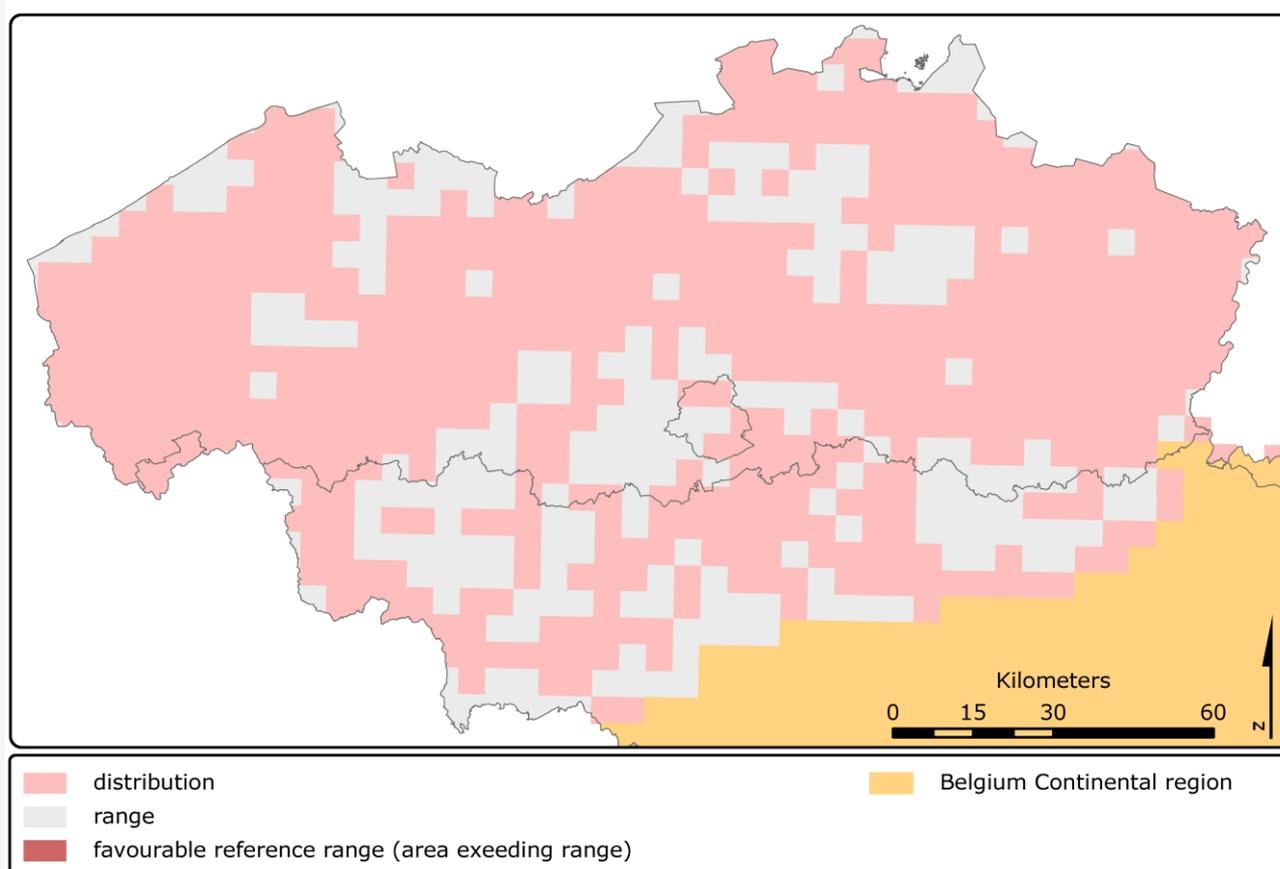
1. National level

Biogeographic regions and/or marine regions concerned in the MS: **ATL CON**

2. Biogeographical or marine level

2.1 Biogeographical region or marine region: Atlantic

Bauwens D. (2008) Conservation status of the Natura 2000 species Edible Frog - Green frog - Common water frog (*Rana esculenta*) for the Belgian Atlantic region, In: Paelinckx D., Van Landuyt W. & De Bruyn L. (ed.). Conservation status of the Natura 2000 habitats and species. Report of the Research Institute for Nature and Forest, INBO.R.2008.15. Brussels. In prep



2.2 Published sources and/or websites | www.inbo.be/natura2000be

2.3 Range of species in the biogeographic region or marine region

2.3.1 Surface range of the species in km² | 18829

2.3.2 Date of range determination | 2000-2006

2.3.3 Quality of data concerning range | Good e.g based on extensive surveys

2.3.4 Range trend | Stable (=)

2.3.5 Range trend magnitude (km2) - optional	0
2.3.6 Range trend period	1970-2006
2.3.7 Reasons for reported trend	Unknown
Other (specify)	N/A

2.4 Population of the species in the biogeographic region or marine region

2.4.1 Population size estimation		
Minimum population	Maximum population	Population units
585	585	Grids
2.4.2 Date of population estimation	2000-2006	
2.4.3 Method used for population estimation	From comprehensive inventory	
2.4.4 Quality of population data	Good e.g based on extensive surveys	
2.4.5 Population trend	Stable (=)	
2.4.6 Population trend magnitude	0	
2.4.7 Population trend period	1970-2006	
2.4.8 Reasons for reported trend	Unknown	
Other (specify)	N/A	
2.4.9 Justification of % thresholds for trends (optional)	N/A	
2.4.10 Main pressures	701 - water pollution 810 Drainage 850 Modification of hydrographic functioning, general 952 - eutrophication 953 - acidification	
2.4.11 Threats	701 - water pollution 810 Drainage 850 Modification of hydrographic functioning, general 952 - eutrophication 953 - acidification	

2.5 Habitat for the species in the biogeographic region or marine region

2.5.1 Habitats for the species	Spends the entire activity season in or in the immediate neighbourhood of its aquatic habitat. It is found in a large variety of waters including ditches, canals, ponds, lakes, sand and clay quarries, old meanders, fens, etc.
2.5.2 Area estimation (km2)	N/A
2.5.3 Date of estimation	2006
2.5.4 Quality of the data	Poor e.g. based on very incomplete data or on expert judgement
2.5.5 Trend of the habitat	Unknown (X)
2.5.6 Trend period	1995-2006
2.5.7 Reasons for reported trend	Unknown
Other (specify)	N/A
2.6 Future prospects for the species	Good prospects - species expected to survive and prosper

2.7 Complementary information

2.7.1 Favourable reference range (km2)	18829
2.7.2 Favourable reference population	585
2.7.3 Suitable habitat for the species	N/A

2.7.4 Other relevant information	Given the practical difficulties to distinguish <i>R.esculenta</i> from <i>R.lessonae</i> and <i>R. ridibunda</i> , these three species by external characteristics, they are treated here as a single species "synklepton"	
Conclusion	Biogeographical or marine level	Conclusions within Natura 2000 sites (optional)
(2.3) Range	Favourable (FV)	N/A
(2.4) Population	Favourable (FV)	N/A
(2.5) Habitat for the species	Unknown (XX)	N/A
(2.6) Future prospects	Favourable (FV)	N/A
Overall assessment	Favourable (FV)	N/A