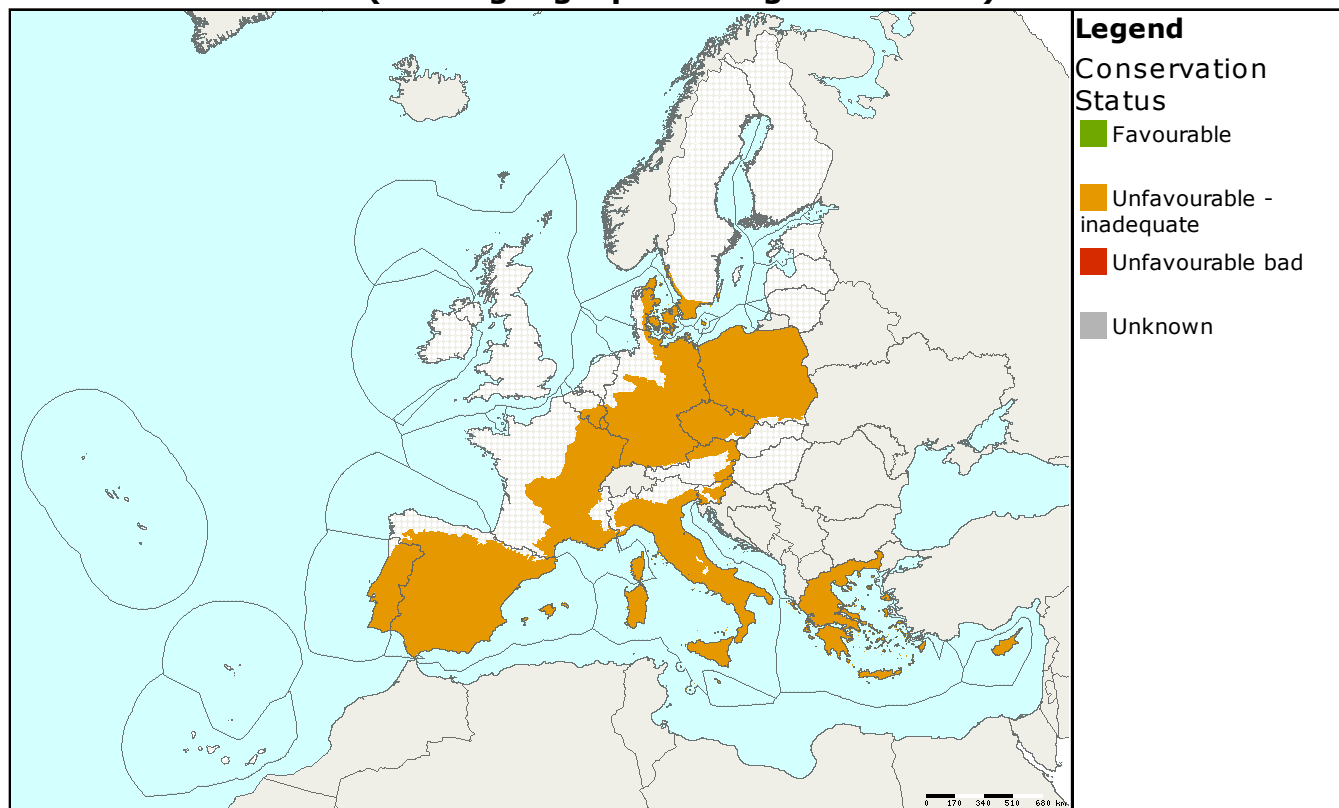


Habitat code: **2240**
 Habitat name: **Brachypodietalia**
dune grasslands with annuals

Habitat group: **dunes habitats**
 Regions: **CON MED**

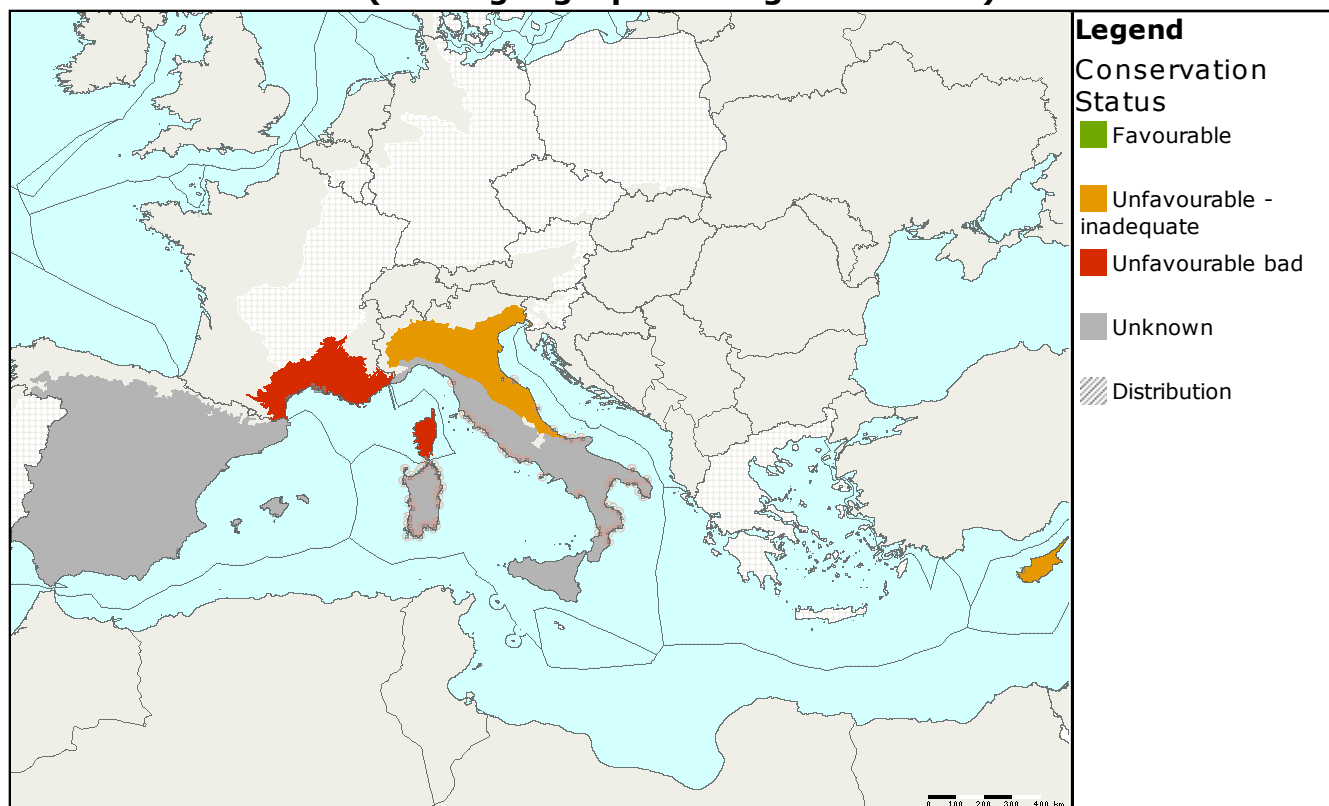
Assessments of conservation status at the European level (all biogeographical regions - EU25)



MS	Biogeographic Region	Conservation status assessment					Km ²	Trend in area
		Range	Area	Structure & function	Future prospects	Overall		
EU25	CON	Orange	Orange	Grey	Grey	Orange	1	=
EU25	MED	Green	Orange	Grey	Grey	Orange	>89	

Open grass communities rich in plants typical of coastlines of the central Mediterranean. The vegetation is similar to habitat type 6220 *Pseudo-steppe with grasses and annuals of the *Thero-Brachypodietea* which occurs inland. These grasslands host a large number of therophytes (annual plants which survive the unfavourable season in the form of seeds). Assessed as 'unfavourable-inadequate' for both the Mediterranean and Continental regions as the area is below the favourable reference value. However all countries except France (where the habitat is assessed as 'unfavourable-bad') report two or more parameters as 'unknown'. More information required.

Assessments of conservation status as reported by Member states (all biogeographical regions - EU25)



MS	Biogeographic Region	Conservation status assessment					Km ²	Trend in area	Data quality
		Range	Area	Structure & function	Future prospects	Overall			
IT	CON	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unknown	Unknown	Unfavourable - inadequate	1	=	2
CY	MED	Unknown	Unknown	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable - inadequate	0.001	X	2
ES	MED	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	N/A	N/A	
FR	MED	Favourable	Unfavourable bad	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable bad	35	-	2
IT	MED	Favourable	Favourable	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	54	=	2

Data quality is based on as assessment by each Member State, 1 = good, 2 = medium, 3 = poor

This information is derived from the Member State national reports submitted to the European Commission under Article 17 of the Habitats Directive in 2007 and covering the period 2001-2006. More detailed information is available at <http://biodiversity.eionet.europa.eu/article17>