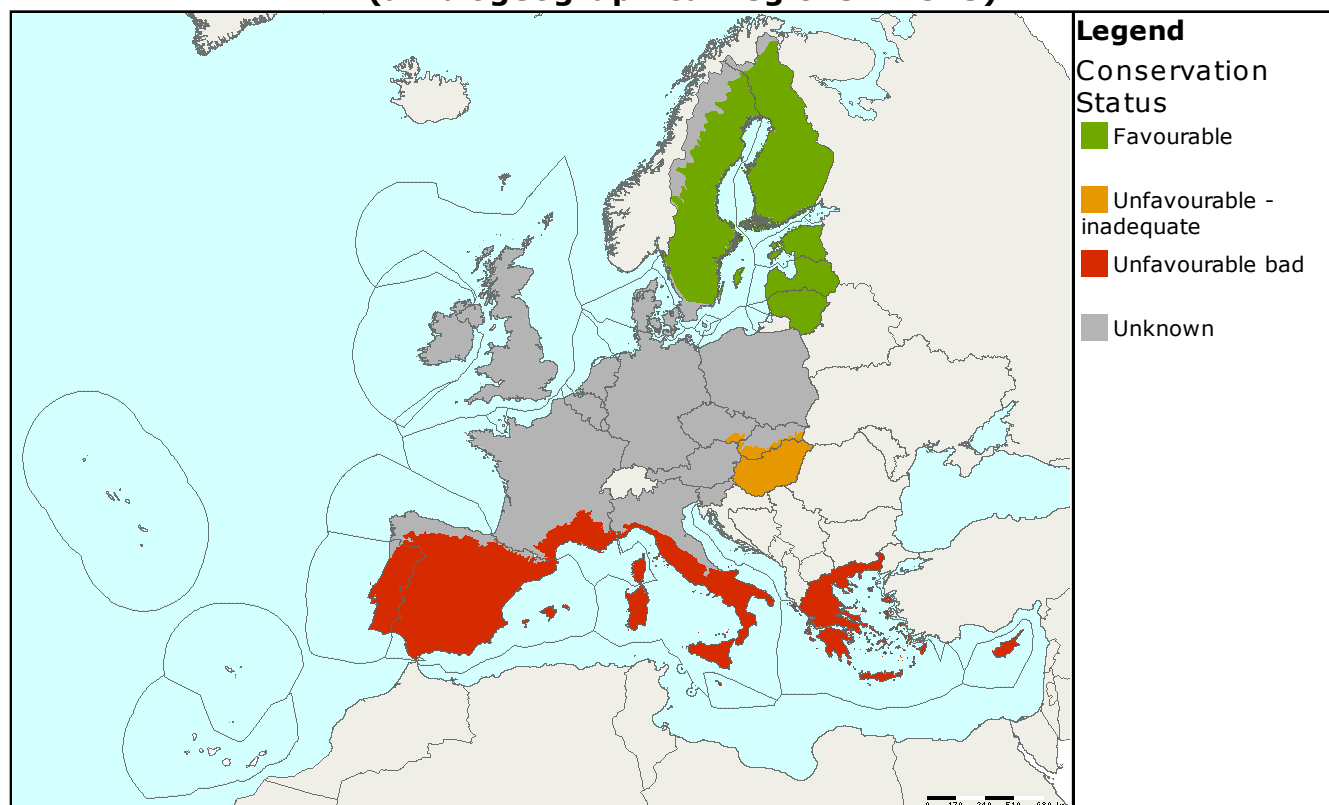




Species name: **Rana lessonae**
Annex: **IV**

Species group: **Amphibians & Reptiles**
Regions: **ALP ATL BOR CON MED PAN**

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



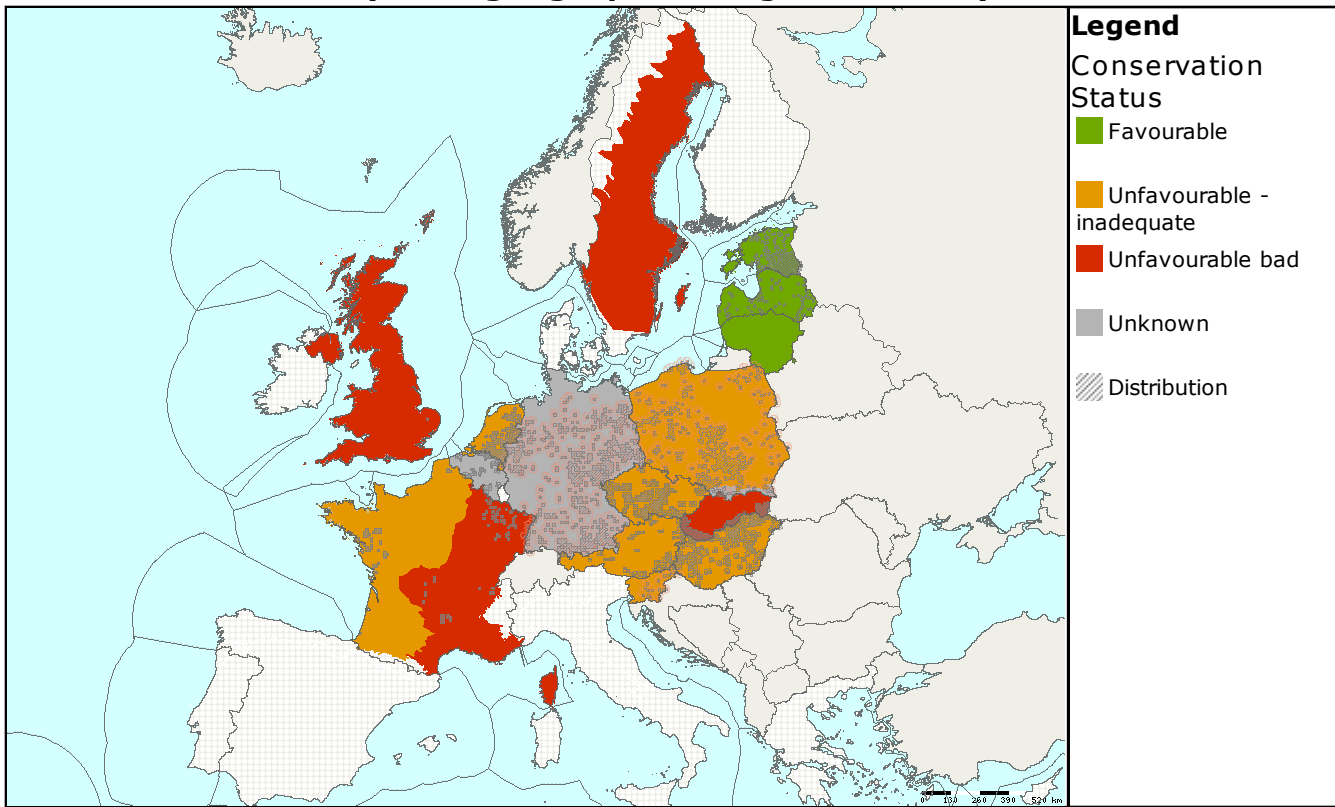
MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Population size & unit	Population Trend
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall		
EU25	ALP						192 grids	
EU25	BOR						> 277 grids	
EU25	CON						1666 grids	
EU25	MED						1 loc.	
EU25	PAN						617 grids	-
EU25	ATL						388 grids	

The pool frog is distributed over much of Europe, ranging as far east as the southern Ural Mountains of Russia. It was possibly native (now extirpated) to the British Isles. It is present in deciduous and mixed forests, forest steppe, steppe, bush lands, meadows, fields and fens.

Overall status of conservation for the species is 'unknown but not favourable' in Alpine, Continental and Atlantic regions. In Mediterranean region the status is 'unfavourable-bad' with information only reported by France. The assessment for Pannonian region is unfavourable-inadequate' and the Boreal region is the only one with a 'favourable' status.

The species is listed as 'Least Concern' by IUCN in view of its wide distribution and tolerance of a broad range of habitats. It is protected by national legislation in many countries.

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



MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Size&unit	Population trend	Data quality
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall			
AT	ALP						1700 - 17000 indiv.	X	3
DE	ALP						3 - (3) x	X	3
PL	ALP						(28) - 28 grids	X	3
SI	ALP						N/A x	-	3
SK	ALP						2 - 4 x	X	3
BE	ATL						62 - 62 grids	X	2
DE	ATL						88 - (88) x	X	2
FR	ATL						N/A loc.	-	3
NL	ATL						150000 - 2000000 indiv.	=	2
UK	ATL						1 - 1 x	+	1
EE	BOR						15000 - 15000 area	+	1
LT	BOR						130 - 130 loc.	=	3
LV	BOR						94 - 94 loc.	X	3
SE	BOR						8000 - 12000 x	+	1
AT	CON						4000 - 40000 indiv.	X	3
BE	CON						10 - (10) grids	X	3
CZ	CON						115 - 115 grids	+	2
DE	CON						506 - (506) x	X	3
FR	CON						N/A loc.	-	3
PL	CON						(399) - 399 grids	-	3
SI	CON						N/A x	-	3
FR	MED						1 - 1 loc.	N/A	3
CZ	PAN						13 - 13 grids	=	2
HU	PAN						477 - 477 loc.	-	3
SK	PAN						30 - 57 x	-	2

Data quality is based on an 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>