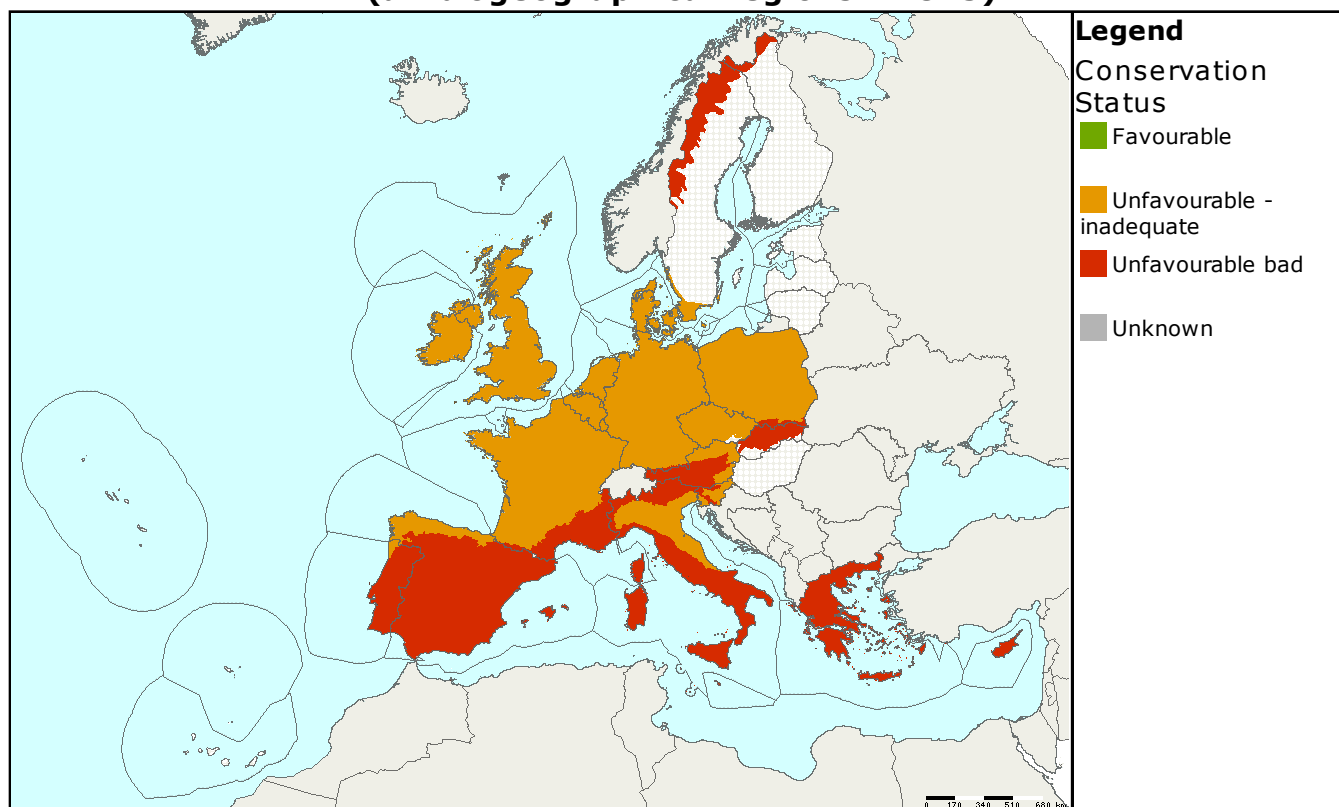


Species name: **Oxygastra curtisii**
 Annex: **II, IV**

Species group: **Invertebrates**
 Regions: **ALP ATL CON MED**

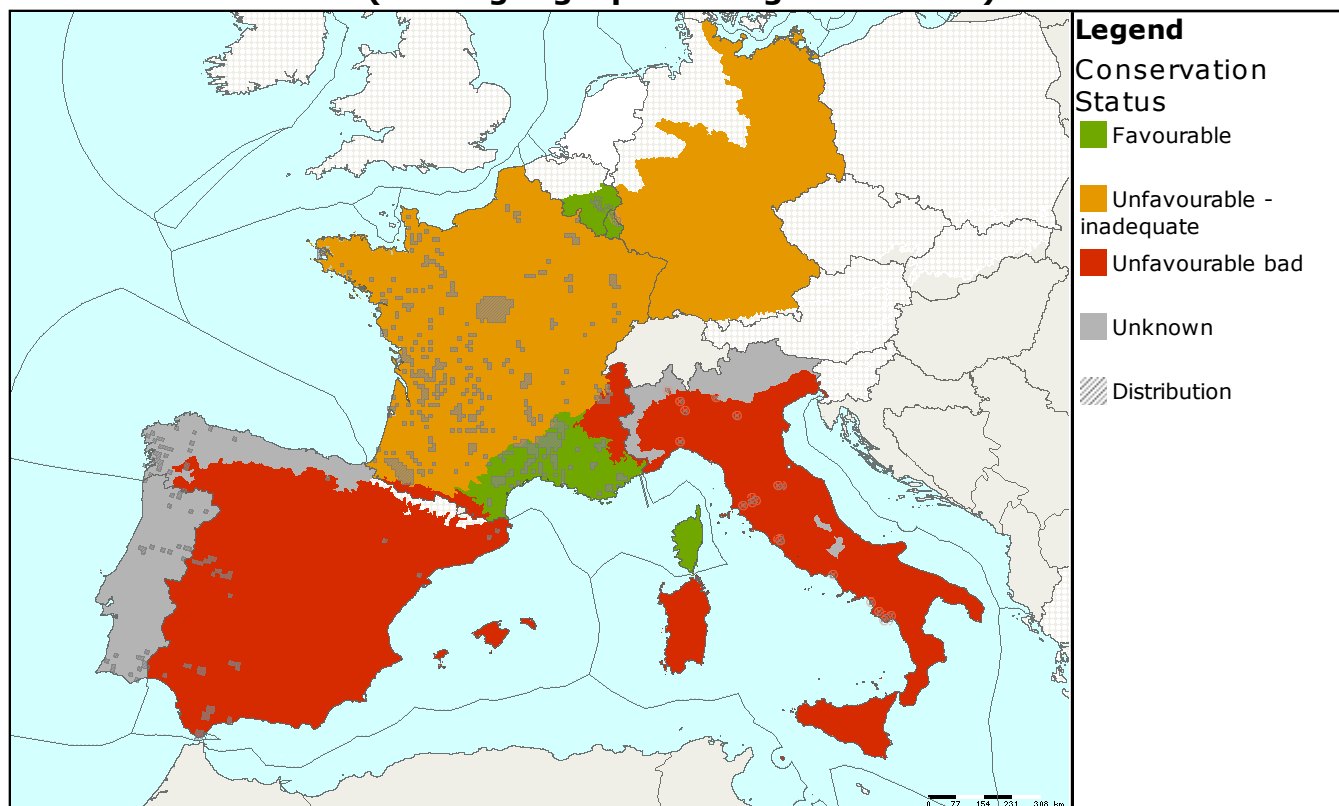
Assessments of conservation status at the European level (all biogeographical regions - EU25)



MS	Region	Conservation status assessment					Population size & unit	Population Trend
		Range	Population	Habitat	Future prospects	Overall		
EU25	ALP	Unfavourable bad	Unknown	Unknown	Unfavourable bad	Unfavourable bad	30 grids	
EU25	ATL	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable - inadequate	347 grids	
EU25	CON	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unknown	Favourable	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable - inadequate	199 grids	
EU25	MED	Unfavourable bad	Unfavourable bad	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable - inadequate	Unfavourable bad	214 grids	

The orange-spotted emerald is a dragonfly distributed in south-western Europe. The species lives mainly along the calmer parts of watercourses with abundant vegetation of plants in and along the water. The nymphs live in the mud near the banks, in rivers. The species is reported by France and Italy in Alpine region. The conservation status in the Alpine region is 'unfavourable-bad'. This is due to assessments in France, where the majority of the distribution area of the species is located. The same conclusion is made for the Mediterranean region with very different national reports ('favourable' in France, 'unknown' in Portugal) but influenced by Italy and Spain. For Atlantic and Continental regions assessments are 'unfavourable-inadequate', with 'unknown' reported by Spain and Portugal in Atlantic, and 'favourable' reports from Luxemburg and Belgium in Continental region. According to IUCN species is listed as 'nearly threatened'.

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			
FR	ALP						N/A x	-	3
IT	ALP						1 - 2 loc.	-	2
ES	ATL						28 - 31 loc.	=	1
FR	ATL						N/A x	+	2
PT	ATL						N/A x	X	
NL	ATL						N/A x	N/A	
BE	CON						36 - 36 colony	+	1
DE	CON						1 - (1) loc.	+	1
FR	CON						N/A x	-	1
IT	CON						7 - 17 loc.	-	2
LU	CON						1200 - 1200 indiv.	+	1
ES	MED						46 - 47 loc.	X	1
FR	MED						N/A x	=	2
IT	MED						19 - 43 loc.	-	2
PT	MED						N/A x	X	

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>