




Information on Wetlands of International Importance provided by Ramsar Administrative Authorities





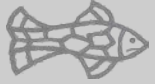




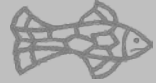


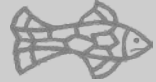
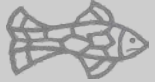




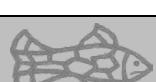


KEY :	Good quality Ramsar Information Sheets available for:	Good quality maps available for:	Site-specific management plans being implemented at:
	<i>all or most Ramsar Sites</i>		
	<i>a substantial number of Ramsar Sites</i>		
	<i>only very few Ramsar Sites</i>		
<p style="text-align: center;">*</p> <p style="text-align: center;">*</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>COUNTRIES WITH DESIGNATED RAMSAR SITES NOT YET LISTED:</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">AUSTRIA: 1; BELARUS: 1; ESTONIA: 4; FRANCE: 4; GREENLAND: 1; ICELAND: 2; ROMANIA: 2; SPAIN: 5; UKRAINE: 9; UK: 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Countries that have announced the designation of new Ramsar Sites:</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">ARMENIA: 1; DENMARK (Faroe Islands): 3; ITALY: 4; LITHUANIA: 2; NORWAY: 12</p>		

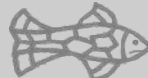
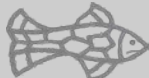
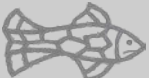









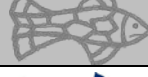










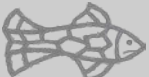



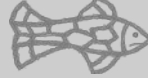
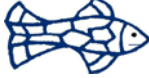
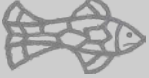
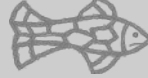
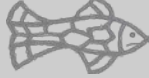
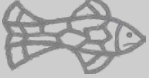



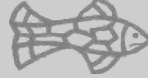

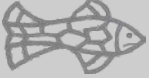
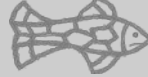
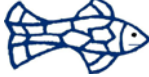
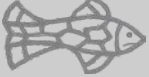
Good quality Ramsar Information Sheets according to the format in Appendix A of the Ramsar handbook n. 17 – “Designating Ramsar Sites” (<http://www.ramsar.org/pdf/lib/hbk4-17.pdf>)

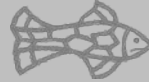


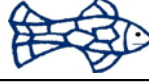








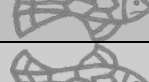
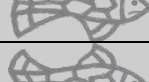

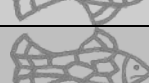





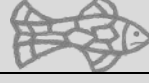
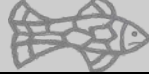
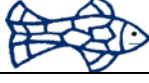
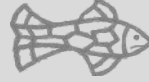


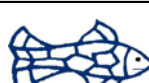
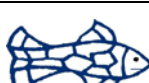
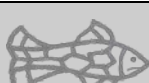
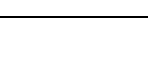
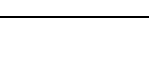

Good quality RIS are updated at least every six years (cf. Resolution VI.13) unless specific changes require a partial update in between.










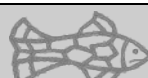
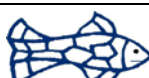
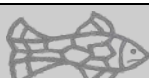

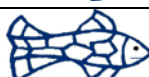




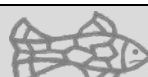

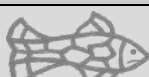

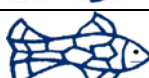



















Good quality maps correspond to the “Additional guidelines for the provision of maps and other spatial data for Ramsar Sites” as exemplified in Annex III of Resolution VIII.13.

¹ **Area of national territory** is the sum of all land and water areas delimited by international boundaries and coastlines, according to <http://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/index.html>. Corrections for large marine parts of Ramsar sites (where applicable) would modify the respective percentage values slightly downwards

CONTRACTING PARTIES	Information on Wetlands of International Importance as of 24.09.11					
	Number of Ramsar Sites listed	Total area (ha) of listed Ramsar Sites	Area of national territory ¹	Quality of Ramsar Information Sheets	Quality of Ramsar Site maps	Ramsar Sites with a management plan being implemented
ALBANIA	3	83 062	2,8%			
ARMENIA	2*	492 239	16.5%			
AUSTRIA	19*	254 805	3.0%			
BELARUS	9*	370 956	1.8%			
BELGIUM	9	42 937	1.4%			
BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA	3	56 779	1.1%			
BULGARIA	11	35 273	0.3%			

CROATIA	4	86 579	1.5%			
CYPRUS	1	1 585	0.2%			
CZECH REPUBLIC	12	54 681	0.7%			
DENMARK (+Faroe Islands)	27*	736 513	16.6%			
GREENLAND	11*	1 342 310	0.6%			
ESTONIA	13*	237 200	5.2%			
FINLAND	49	799 518	2.4%			
FRANCE	29*	769 551	1.4%			
Overseas dependent territories	7*	249 607	2.7%			
GEORGIA	2	34 480	0.5%			
GERMANY	33	868 226	2.4%			
GREECE	10	163 501	1.2%			
HUNGARY	29	244 913	2.6%			
ICELAND	3*	58 970	0.6%			
IRELAND	45	66 994	1%			

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ITALY	52*	60 223	0.2%			
LATVIA	6	148 363	2.3%			
LIECHTENSTEIN	1	101	0.6%			
LITHUANIA	5*	50 451	0.8%			
LUXEMBOURG	2	17 213	6.7%			
MALTA	2	16	0.1%			
MOLDOVA	3	94 705	2.8%			
MONACO	1	10	10.0%			
MONTENEGRO	1	20 000	1.4 %			
NETHERLANDS	43	816 898	19.7%			
Overseas dependent territories	6	2010	1.7%			
NORWAY	42*	135 531	0.4%			
Svalbard	9	695 610	11.2%			

POLAND	13	145 075	0.5%			
PORTUGAL	28	86 581	0.9%			
ROMANIA	6*	799 294	3.4 %			
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	35	10 323 767	0.6%			
SERBIA	9	55 627	0.7%			
SLOVAK REPUBLIC	14	40 697	0.8%			
SLOVENIA	3	8 205	0.4%			
SPAIN	68*	285 185	0.6%			
SWEDEN	51	514 506	1.1%			
SWITZERLAND	11	14 688	0.4%			
THE FYR OF MACEDONIA	2	21 616	0.8%			
TURKEY	13	179 898	0.2%			
UKRAINE	33*	744 651	1.2%			
UNITED KINGDOM	150*	917 988	3.8%			
Overseas dependent territories	16	458 736	6.4%			