Rana dalı	natina	Region: 10						
Taxonomic Au	ithority: Bonaparte, 1840							
Synonyms:		Common Names:						
Rana agilis	Thomas, 1855	Agile Frog	English					
		Prytkaya Lyagushka	Russian					
		Rana Ágil	Spanish					
		rana agile	Italian					
		rana dalmatina	Italian					
		Zaba Dalmatynska	Polish					
		Zaba Zwinka	Polish					
Order:	Anura	Family: Ranidae						
Notes on taxo	nomy:							

## General Information

## Biome

## Terrestrial

## ✓ Freshwater

## Habitat and Ecology Information:

Marine

It is found in glades and open sites within light deciduous woodland (oak, beech, hornbeam etc.), less frequent in meadows and thickets. It generally it does not occur in pasture, arable areas or coniferous forests. In Spain the species is restricted to Quercus pedunculata Oak forest, and is associated with wet meadows. It spawns in small wetlands (pools, fens and marshes, ditches) within forests and at their edges. High levels of larval mortality have been recorded.

### Threats:

It is generally threatened by the drainage and eutrophication of breeding sites, development (and logging) of suitable habitat, and replacement of deciduous forest habitat with unsuitable coniferous species. It is locally threatened by road mortality during breeding migrations. Grossenbacher (in Krone et al., 1997) reported skin diseases (possibly associated with viral infection) in populations from Switzerland and northern Italy that are potentially related to declines.

#### Geographic Range of species: This species is widely distributed in m

This species is widely distributed in much of Europe and northern Turkey. Within Europe it is widespread, but it is restricted to Álava, Burgos and Navarra Provinces in Spain, and it is absent from Portugal, the British Isles (except Jersey, where a small population is present) and much of Scandinavia (except eastern Denmark and southern Sweden). In addition, there is a need to confirm the presence of this species in Poland, where it is supposed to occur in the southeast. In the former Soviet Union, it is known only from the Transcarpathian Plain (including adjacent foothills and mountain slopes) of the Ukraine. In Turkey this species is found in Turkish Thrace and northern parts of Anatolia; further studies are needed to determine the distributions of Rana dalmatina and Rana macrocnemis along the southern Black Sea coastline. It occurs from sea level to elevations approaching 1,700m asl.

### **Conservation Measures:**

It is listed on Appendix II the Berne Convention and on Appendix IV of the EU Natural Habitats Directive. This species is protected by national legislation in many countries and is recorded in several national and sub-national Red Data books and lists. It is present in many protected areas. Further research into the distribution limits of this species in Turkey is needed. Conservation initiatives have been undertaken for the small Jersey population. In parts of its range, mitigation measures to reduce road kill have been established.

## Species population information:

It is a relatively abundant species. The species is common in much of central and eastern Europe (eg. Hungary and Romania) and Turkey. It is experiencing localised declines in southwestern Europe and it is scarce to uncommon in northern Europe (eg. Sweden, Denmark). In Spain it is an endangered species and is extremely rare.

Country Distribution	Native - Presence Confirmed	Native - Presence Possible	Extinct	Reintroduced	Introduced	Vagrant
Albania	$\checkmark$					
Austria	$\checkmark$					
Belgium	$\checkmark$					
Bosnia and Herzegovina	$\checkmark$					
Bulgaria	$\checkmark$					
Croatia	$\checkmark$					
Czech Republic	$\checkmark$					
Denmark	$\checkmark$					
France	$\checkmark$					
Germany	$\checkmark$					
Greece	$\checkmark$					
Hungary	$\checkmark$					
Italy	$\checkmark$					
Luxembourg	$\checkmark$					
Macedonia, the former Yugoslav Republ	$\checkmark$					

	Native -	Native -			
rbia and Montenegro	$\checkmark$				
ited Kingdom	$\checkmark$				
raine	$\checkmark$				
rkey	$\checkmark$				
ritzerland	$\checkmark$				
veden	$\checkmark$				
ain	$\checkmark$				
ovenia	$\checkmark$				
ovakia	$\checkmark$				
mania	$\checkmark$				
land		$\checkmark$			

Native Native Presence Presence Confirmed Possible

Extinct Reintroduced Introduced

# FAO Marine Habitats

## Major Lakes

# Major Rivers

Upper Level Habitat Preferences	Score	Lower Level Habitat Preferences	Score
1.4 Forest - Temperate	Broadleaf Crops	3	
4.4 Grassland - Temperate	Broadleaf Forest	1	
5.4 Wetlands (inland) - Bogs, Marshes, Swamps, Fens, Peatl	Conifer Forest	3	
5.7 Wetlands (inland) - Permanent Freshwater Marshes/Pool	s 1	Cool Broadleaf Forest	9
(under 8ha)	Cool Conifer Forest	3	
5.8 Wetlands (inland) - Seasonal/Intermittent Freshwater	1	Cool Fields and Woods	3
Marshes/Pools (under 8ha)	1	Cool Grasses and Shrubs	3
12.2 Artificial/Aquatic - Ponds (below 8ha)		Cool Irrigated Cropland	3
12.9 Artificial/Aquatic - Canals and Drainage Channels, Ditches		Cool Mixed Forest	3
		Corn and Beans Cropland	3
		Crops, Grass, Shrubs	3
		Dry Woody Scrub	3
		Evergreen Forest and Fields	2
		Fields and Woody Savanna	3
		Forest and Field	2
		Grass Crops	3
		Hot and Mild Grasses and Shrubs	3
		Hot Irrigated Cropland	3
		Marsh Wetland	9
		Mediterranean Scrub	3
		Mire, Bog, Fen	9
		Mixed Forest	2
		Shrub Deciduous	3
		Shrub Evergreen	3
		Small Leaf Mixed Woods	3
	Tall Grasses and Shrubs	3	
Major threats		Conservation Measures	
Code Description of threat Past Pres		Code Conservation measures	In place Needed
1 Habitat Loss/Degradation (human induced)		1 Policy-based actions	
1.1 Agriculture	/ /	1.1 Management plans	
1.1.1 Crops	/	1.1.1 Development	
1.1.1.3 Agro-industry farming		1.1.2 Implementation	
1.1       Agriculture         1.1.1       Crops         1.1.1       Crops         1.1.2       Wood plantations         1.1.2.1       Small-scale         1.1.2.2       Large-scale         1.1.4       Livestock         1.1.4.3       Agro-industry	/	1.2 Legislation	
1.1.2.1 Small-scale		1.2.1 Development	
1.1.2.2 Large-scale		1.2.1.1 International level	
1.1.4 Livestock		1.2.1.2 National level	
1.1.4.3 Agro-industry		1.2.2 Implementation	

<ul> <li>1.3 Extraction</li> <li>1.3.3 Wood</li> <li>1.3.3.2 Selective logging</li> <li>1.3.3.3 Clear-cutting</li> <li>1.4 Infrastructure development</li> <li>1.4.2 Human settlement</li> <li>6 Pollution (affecting habitat and/or species)</li> <li>6.3 Water pollution</li> <li>6.3.1 Agriculture</li> </ul>				1.2.2.2 2 2.2 3 3.2 3.3 3.4 3.5 3.6 3.8 3.9 4 4.1 4.4 4.4.2 4.4.3 5 5.4 5.7	1 International level 2 National level Communication and Education Awareness Research actions Population numbers and range Biology and Ecology Habitat status Threats Uses and harvest levels Conservation measures Trends/Monitoring Habitat and site-based actions Maintenance/Conservation Protected areas Establishment Management Species-based actions Recovery management Ex situ conservation actions Captive breeding/Artificial propagation			$\mathbf{X} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{X} \mathbf{X} $		
Utilisation of Species										
<b>Purpose/Type of Use</b> 1. Food - human		Subsistence		National	I International		Other purpose:			
Primary forms removed from the wild13. Parts - lethal removal							Other forms removed fr	om the wil	d:	
						Other source of specim	ens:			
Trend in wild offtake/harvest in relation to total					er last five	e years:	Unknown			
Trend in offtake/harvest produced through don CITES: Not listed	nesticat	ion/cultiv	atio	n over la	st five yea	ars:				
Red Listing         Red List Assessment:       Least Concern (LC)         Red List Criteria:       Rationale for the Red List Assessment:       Liste unlike         Current Population Trend:       Decreasing         Assessor(s):       Sergius Kuzmin, Theodore Paper         Notes on Red listing:	ely to be	declining	g fast	view of it enough t Date o	o qualify f f Assessr	tribution, or listing <b>nent:</b>	in a more threatened categ 4/5/2004	ory.		
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