



NATURA 2000 - STANDARD DATA FORM
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Estepas cerealistas de La Campiña (ES0000167 - SPA)

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1. Site Identification

1.1 Type

A

1.2 Site Code

ES0000167

1.3 Site Name

Estepas cerealistas de La Campiña

1.4 First Compilation date

1997-12

1.5 Update date

2024-09

1.6 Respondent

Name/Organisation: Consejería de Desarrollo Sostenible. D.G. de Medio Natural y Biodiversidad. Junta de Comunidades de Castilla-La Mancha

Address: No information provided

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1.7 Site indication and designation / classification dates

Date site classified as SPA: 2005-07

National legal reference of SPA designation: Decreto 82/2005, de 12-07-2005, por el que se designan 36 zonas de especial protección para las aves, y se declaran zonas sensibles

Date site proposed as SCI: No information provided

Date site confirmed as SCI: No information provided

Date site designated as SAC: No information provided

National legal reference of SAC designation: No information provided

Explanations: Plan de gestión aprobado en base a la Orden 63/2017, de 3 de abril, de la Consejería de Agricultura, Medio Ambiente y Desarrollo Rural, por la que se aprueba el Plan de gestión de las zonas de especial protección para las aves de ambientes esteparios. [2017/4045]

2. Site Location

2.1 Site-centre location [decimal degrees]

Longitude: -3.2925

Latitude: 40.6153

2.2 Area [ha]

2484.51

2.3 Marine area [%]

No information provided

2.4 Sitelength [km] (optional)

No information provided

2.5 Administrative region code and name

NUTS Level 2 Code

Region Name

NUTS Level 2 Code	Region Name
ES42	Castilla-La Mancha

2.6 Biogeographical Region(s)

Name	Cover [%]
Mediterranean	100

3. Ecological Information

3.1 Habitat types present on the site and assessment for them

Annex I Habitat Types						Site Assessment				
Code	Name	PF	NP	Cover [ha]	Caves [number]	Data Quality	Representativity	Relative Surface	Conservation	Global
5330	Thermo-Mediterranean and pre-desert scrub			101.5		P	C	C	B	B
6220	Pseudo-steppe with grasses and annuals of the Thero-Brachypodietea			10.06		P	C	C	C	B
6420	Mediterranean tall humid grasslands of the Molinio-Holoschoenion			0.64		P	D			
92A0	Salix alba and Populus alba galleries			1.1		P	D			
9340	Quercus ilex and Quercus rotundifolia forests			11.87		P	C	C	B	B

PF: Habitat types 6210, 7130, 9430 priority depend on the habitat characteristics. Letter 'X' indicates that the reported habitat characteristics corresponds to its priority form.

NP: In case that a habitat type no longer exists in the site enter: x (optional)

Cover: Decimal values can be entered

Caves: For habitat types 8310 and 8330 (caves), the number of caves when the estimated surface is not available.

Data Quality: G = Good (e.g. based on surveys), M = Moderate (e.g. based on partial data with some extrapolation), P = Poor (e.g. rough estimation)

Representativity: A = excellent representativity, B = good representativity, C = significant representativity, D = non-significant presence

Relative Surface: A ≥ 15%, B = 2-15%, C ≤ 2%

Conservation: A = excellent conservation, B = good conservation, C = average or reduced conservation

Global: A = excellent value, B = good value, C = significant value

3.2 Species referred to in Article 4 of Directive 2009/147/EC and listed in Annex II of Directive 92/43/EEC and site evaluation for them

Species			Population in the site							Site Assessment				
Group	Code	Scientific Name	S	NP	Type	Size Min	Size Max	Unit	Abundance	Data Quality	Population	Conservation	Isolation	Global
B	A405	Aquila adalberti			p	1	1	p		P	C	C	C	B

Species			Population in the site							Site Assessment				
Group	Code	Scientific Name	S	NP	Type	Size Min	Size Max	Unit	Abundance	Data Quality	Population	Conservation	Isolation	Global
B	A133	Burhinus oedicnemus			p				R	DD	C	C	C	C
B	A243	Calandrella brachydactyla			r				C	DD	C	B	C	B
B	A081	Circus aeruginosus			p	2	2	p		P	C	B	C	B
B	A082	Circus cyaneus			p	5	5	i		P	C	C	B	C
B	A084	Circus pygargus			r	3	3	bfemales		P	C	C	C	C
B	A399	Elanus caeruleus			w				R	DD	C	B	C	B
B	A727	Eudromias morinellus			c				V	DD	A	B	C	C
B	A098	Falco columbarius			w				C	DD	C	B	C	B
B	A095	Falco naumanni			r	10	14	p		P	C	C	C	C
B	A244	Galerida cristata			r				C	DD	C	B	C	B
B	A245	Galerida theklae			p				P	DD	C	B	C	B
B	A242	Melanocorypha calandra			p				C	DD	C	B	C	B
B	A129	Otis tarda			r	102		i		P	C	B	C	B
B	A129	Otis tarda			p	61	135	i		P	C	B	C	B
B	A420	Pterocles orientalis			p				V	DD	C	C	C	C
B	A210	Streptopelia turtur			r	64	193	p		P	C	C	C	C
B	A128	Tetrax tetrax			p	12	17	i		P	C	C	C	C

Group: A = Amphibians, B = Birds, F = Fish, I = Invertebrates, M = Mammals, P = Plants, R = Reptiles

S: In case that the data on species are sensitive and therefore have to be blocked for any public access enter: Yes

NP: In case that a species is no longer present in the site enter: x (optional)

Type: p = permanent, r = reproducing, c = concentration, w = wintering (for plant and non-migratory species use permanent)

Unit: i = individuals, p = pairs or other units according to the Standard list of population units and codes in accordance with Article 12 and 17 reporting ([see reference portal](#))

Abundance: C = common, R = rare, V = very rare, P = present - to fill if data are deficient (DD) or in addition to population size information

Data Quality: G = Good (e.g. based on surveys), M = Moderate (e.g. based on partial data with some extrapolation), P = Poor (e.g. rough estimation), DD = Data deficient (use this category only, if not even a rough estimation of the population size can be made, in this case the fields for population size can remain empty, but the field 'Abundance' has to be filled in)

Population: A = >15%, B = 2-15%, C = <2%, D = non-significant population

Conservation: A = excellent conservation, B = good conservation, C = average or reduced conservation

Isolation: A = population (almost) isolated, B = population not-isolated, but on the margins of are of distribution, C = population not-isolated withing extended distribution range

Global: A = excellent value, B = good value, C = significant value

3.3 Other important species of flora and fauna (optional)

Species			Population in the site						Motivation					
Group	Code	Scientific Name	S	NP	Size Min	Size Max	Unit	Abundance	Species Annex IV	Species Annex V	Other Cat. A	Other Cat. B	Other Cat. C	Other Cat. D
B	A247	Alauda arvensis						C			x			x

Group: A = Amphibians, B = Birds, F = Fish, Fu = Fungi, I = Invertebrates, L = Lichens, M = Mammals, P = Plants, R = Reptiles

Code: For Birds, Annex IV and V species the code as provided in the reference portal should be used in addition to the scientific name

S: In case that the data on species are sensitive and therefore have to be blocked for any public access enter: Yes

NP: In case that a species is no longer present in the site enter: x (optional)

Unit: i = individuals, p = pairs or other units according to the Standard list of population units and codes in accordance with Article 12 and 17 reporting ([see reference portal](#))

Abundance: C = common, R = rare, V = very rare, P = present - to fill if data are deficient (DD) or in addition to population size information

Motivation: Species Annex IV and Species Annex V: the species is listed under Annex IV or Annex V of the Habitats Directive. A = Species listed in the National Red List, B = Endemic species, C = Species listed under an International convention, D = Other reasons

4. Site Description

4.1 General site character

Code	Habitat Class	Cover [%]
N18	Evergreen woodland	0.05
N09	Dry grassland, Steppes	0.06
N16	Broad-leaved deciduous woodland	0.08
N06	Inland water bodies (Standing water, Running water)	0.14
N21	Non-forest areas cultivated with woody plants (including Orchards, groves, Vineyards, Dehesas)	0.71
N23	Other land (including Towns, Villages, Roads, Waste places, Mines, Industrial sites)	1.75
N08	Heath, Scrub, Maquis and Garrigue, Phygrana	6.1
N12	Extensive cereal cultures (including Rotation cultures with regular fallowing)	91.11
Total Habitat Cover		100

Other Site Characteristics

Esta ZEPA se extiende sobre llanuras ubicadas en una terraza fluvial del río Henares, ocupada mayoritariamente por cultivos herbáceos en secano y los barbechos asociados a esta práctica de cultivo. La deforestación del área es total y prácticamente no existen rastros de la vegetación potencial que se corresponde con encinares mesomediterráneos con quejigares en las zonas más frescas además de olmedas de *Ulmus minor* en las vegas y choperas de *Populus alba* en las orillas de los cauces. No obstante, además de estos cultivos se pueden encontrar en las superficies marginales no cultivables pastizales anuales basófilos y mosaicos de matorral y pastizal con tomillares raros incluyendo aliaga (*Genista scorpius*), tomillo (*Thymus vulgaris*), coronilla (*Coronilla minima*) o lino (*Linum suffruticosum*). Además existen erales y cultivos abandonados en los que se pueden encontrar retamas (*Retama sphaerocarpa*) con cierta presencia de regenerado de encinar y juncales de junco churrero (*Scirpus holoschoenus*) y algún pie de sauce (*Salix sp.*) en los arroyos que cruzan el espacio.

4.2 Quality and importance

La importancia de este espacio se la confiere la avifauna que sustenta, ya que alberga una densa población de avutarda, que ocupa también terrenos de características similares en la Comunidad de Madrid también incluidos en Red Natura como ZEPA. Junto a la avutarda (*Otis tarda*) son comunes en la zona otras especies residentes de aves esteparias como sisón (*Tetrax tetrax*), ortega (*Pterocles alchata*), calandria (*Melanocorypha calandria*), terrera común (*Calandrella brachydactyla*), alondra (*Alauda arvensis*), cogujada común (*Galerida theklae*) y triguero (*Miliaria calandria*). En época de cría es también común el aguilucho cenizo (*Circus pygargus*), y en invernada aguilucho pálido (*Circus cyaneus*), esmerejón (*Falco columbarius*) y elanio azul (*Elanus caeruleus*). Además, en esta ZEPA se localiza una colonia de cernícalo primilla (*Falco naumanni*) localizada en un primillar artificial en Quer.

4.3 Threats, pressures and activities with impacts on the site

Negative Impacts			Positive Impacts
Rank	Threats and pressures [code]	Pollution (optional) [code]	Occurrence [i o b]
L	A02		i
L	A07		i
L	A08		i
L	A09		o
L	C01.01		o
L	D01.02		o
L	D01.04		o
L	D02.01		i
L	D04.02		o
L	E01		o
L	E02		o
L	F03.01		i
L	F03.02.09		i

Rank: H = high, M = medium, L = low

Pollution: N = Nitrogen input, P = Phosphore/Phosphate input, A = Acid input/acidification, T = Toxic inorganic chemicals, O = Toxic organic chemicals, X = Mixed pollutions

Occurrence: i = inside, o = outside, b = both

4.4 Ownership (optional)

Type	[%]
Public - National/Federal	0
Public - State/Province	0
Public - Local/Municipal	0
Public - Any Public	0
Joint or Co-Ownership	0
Private	100
Unknown	0
Total	100

4.5 Documentation (optional)

Documents: Estudios Territoriales Integrados, S.L. 1.994. Base de información cartográfica y biológica sobre especies de aves esteparias de interés especial en Castilla-La Mancha. Informe inédito. Consejería de Agricultura y Medio Ambiente. Junta de Comunidades de Castilla-La Mancha. Servicio de Medio Natural de la D.P.M.A. Guadalajara. 2004. Informes y censos anuales de aves esteparias. Periodo Septiembre 2001-Julio 2004. Informe Inédito. Viada, C. (ed.). 1998. Áreas importantes para las aves de España. 2ª Edición Revisada y Ampliada; Monografía nº 5; SEO-Birdlife.

5. Site Protection Status

5.1 Designation types at national and regional level (optional)

Code	Cover [%]
ES00	0

5.2 Relation of the described site with other sites (optional)

No information provided

5.3 Site designation (optional)

No information provided

6. Site Management

6.1 Body(ies) responsible for the site management

Organisation: Consejería de Desarrollo Sostenible. D.G. de Medio Natural y Biodiversidad. Junta de Comunidades de Castilla-La Mancha

Address: No information provided

Email: rednaturaclm@jccm.es

6.2 Management Plan(s)

Yes

Name: Plan de gestión para las Zonas de Especial Protección para las Aves de ambientes esteparios

Link: <http://www.castillalamancha.es/node/199633>

No, but in preparation

No

6.3 Conservation measures (optional)

No information provided

7. Map of the Site

7.1 INSPIRE ID

No information provided

7.2 Map delivered as PDF in electronic format (optional)

No

