Report on the implementation of AEWA for the period 2009-2011

The format for reports on the implementation of the Agreement on the Conservation of African-Eurasian Migratory Waterbirds (AEWA) for the period 2009-2011 was approved at the 4th session of the Meeting of the Parties (15-19 September 2008, Antananarivo, Madagascar) by Resolution 4.7. Further amendments were endorsed by the Standing Committee in August 2011 in accordance with operative paragraph 11 of Resolution 4.7. This format has been constructed following the AEWA Action Plan, the AEWA Strategic Plan 2009-2017 and resolutions of the Meeting of the Parties (MOP).

In accordance with Article V.1(c) of the Agreement on the Conservation of African-Eurasian Migratory Waterbirds, each Party shall prepare to each ordinary session of the MOP a National Report on its implementation of the Agreement and submit that report to the Agreement Secretariat not later than 120 days before the session of the MOP. The 5th Session of the Meeting of the Parties (MOP5) is taking place on 14-18 May 2012 in La Rochelle, France; therefore the deadline for submission of National Reports is 14 January 2012.

The AEWA National Reports 2009-2011 will be compiled and submitted through the CMS Family Online Reporting Facility, which is an online reporting tool for the whole CMS Family. However, AEWA will be the first of the CMS-related treaties to use the CMS Family Online Reporting System for its reporting to MOP5. The CMS Family Online Reporting System was developed in 2010-2011 by the UNEP-World Conservation Monitoring Centre (UNEP-WCMC) in close collaboration with and under the guidance of the UNEP/AEWA Secretariat.

As a new product, the system may still need some refining and improving, we therefore request your understanding: any feedback or suggestions on your side would be greatly appreciated.

The online reporting system offers flexibility and versatility superior to the previously used paper-based reporting and the UNEP/AEWA Secretariat hopes that the Parties will find it to be more convenient and efficient. In particular, it will make information more easily accessible and also enhance ways of using it. In this context, Resolution 4.7 also requests UNEP to assist in the development of an analytical tool and calls upon Parties to support this initiative and provide financial resources and thus strengthen the online format for national reporting in collaboration with UNEP-WCMC. The online reporting system brings national reporting to a different level, enabling the information provided to be used much more effectively; it also serves as a tool for self-assessment by Parties. In addition, it can help to enhance cooperation and coordination between various stakeholders in your country by making the national reporting more of a collective, collaborative and continuous process.

To contact the UNEP/AEWA Secretariat please send your inquiries to aewa_national_reporting@unep.de.

1. General Information

Name of reporting Contracting Party
› Libya

Date of entry into force of AEWA in the Contracting Party
› 01/06/2005

List any reservations that the Contracting Party has made (if any) upon deposition of its instruments of accession on provisions of the Agreement or its Action Plan in accordance with Article XV of AEWA
› None
2. Institutional Information

Please update information on the National AEWA Administrative Authority, the National Focal Points, the Designated National Respondent and the other contributors to this report.

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Please select from the list below as appropriate.
☑ The National Focal Point (NFP) has been designated as the National Respondent

Other contributors to the AEWA National Report 2009-2011

Please list the names and affiliations (institution, organisation) of the other contributors to this report.
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Status
3. Species Status
Please select from the drop-down list below only the species that occur in your country

AEWA Species - Tachybaptus ruficollis / Little Grebe

English Common name(s):
Little Grebe

French Common name(s):
Grébe castagneux, Grèbe castagneux

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 92

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
› 36

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Increasing

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - *Podiceps cristatus* / Great Crested Grebe

**English Common name(s):**
Great Crested Grebe

**French Common name(s):**
Grèbe huppé

**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

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Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Podiceps auritus / Slavonian Grebe

**English Common name(s):**
Horned Grebe, Slavonian Grebe

**French Common name(s):**
Grèbe esclavon

**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Passage**
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑ Yes

**Legal Status - Field for additional information (optional)**
Optionally you can provide additional information on the legal status of the species in the country
› just one bird recorded in 2006 in farwa lagoon near the border with Tunisa

**National Red List Status**
Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Podiceps nigricollis / Black-necked Grebe

**English Common name(s):**
Black-necked Grebe, Eared Grebe

**French Common name(s):**
Grèbe à cou noir

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑️ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑️ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑️ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑️ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 170

- **Population data quality**
  ☑️ Good

- **Source of information**
  > Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2009

- **Population unit**
  ☑️ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 151

- **Population data quality**
  ☑️ Good
Population trend

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Phalacrocorax carbo / Great Cormorant

English Common name(s): Great Cormorant
French Common name(s): Grand Cormoran

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 2629

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 1029

Population data quality
☑ Good
**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Egretta garzetta / Little Egret

**English Common name(s):**
Little Egret

**French Common name(s):**
Aigrette garzette

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country

☑ Native

**Species Status - Passage**

Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?

☑ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?

☑ Yes

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**Latest population estimate**

**Year**

> 2010

**Population unit**

☑ Individuals

**Maximum**

> 180

**Population data quality**

☑ Good

**Source of information**

> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

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**Previous population estimate**

**Year**

> 2009

**Population unit**

☑ Individuals

**Maximum**

> 52
Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Population trend
Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
**AEWA Species - Ardea cinerea / Grey Heron**

**English Common name(s):**
Grey Heron

**French Common name(s):**
Héron cendré

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Passage**

Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 158

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

- **Source of information**
  > Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2009

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 68
Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

**Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?**
☑ No
AEWA Species - Ardea purpurea / Purple Heron

English Common name(s):
Purple Heron

French Common name(s):
Héron pourpre, Héron pourpré

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Passage
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 2

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 1
Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Unknown

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Bubulcus ibis / Cattle Egret

English Common name(s):
Buff-backed Heron, Cattle Egret

French Common name(s):
Héron garde-bœufs

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Breeding
Does the species occur in the country during the breeding period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 1132

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 102

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Increasing

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Legal Status**

*(measures as per paragraph 2.1.2 of the AEWA Action Plan - applicable to species with populations listed on Column B of the AEWA Table 1)*

Taking of birds and eggs during reproductive or rearing period and pre-nuptial migration prohibited
☑ No

Regulated modes of taking in place
☑ No

Established limits of taking (birds or eggs per hunter per day or season)
☑ No

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Ardeola ralloides / Squacco Heron

English Common name(s):
Squacco Heron

French Common name(s):
Crabier chevelu, Héron crabier

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

AEWA Table 1 Categorisation
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column B - Category 1

Species Status - Passage
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 2

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009
Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 0

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Population trend

Population trend
☑ Unknown

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Ixobrychus minutus / Little Bittern

English Common name(s):
Little Bittern

French Common name(s):
Blongios nain

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Passage
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 1

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 0
Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Population trend
Population trend
☑ Unknown

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Ciconia nigra / Black Stork

English Common name(s):
Black Stork

French Common name(s):
Cigogne noire

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Passage
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑ Yes

Legal Status - Field for additional information (optional)
Optionally you can provide additional information on the legal status of the species in the country
> just one individual recorded in the wintering survey from 2005-2006 but in 2009 in June about 15 individual recorded in Ain Elshakika

National Red List Status
Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Ciconia ciconia / White Stork

English Common name(s):
White Stork

French Common name(s):
Cigogne blanche

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑️ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑️ Native

Species Status - Breeding
Does the species occur in the country during the breeding period?
☑️ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010
Population unit
☑️ Individuals
Maximum
> 50
Population data quality
☑️ Good
Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009
Population unit
☑️ Individuals
Maximum
> 29
Population data quality
☑️ Good
Population trend

Population trend
☑ Increasing

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Plegadis falcinellus / Glossy Ibis

English Common name(s):
Glossy Ibis

French Common name(s):
Ibis falcinelle

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Passage
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
☑ 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
☑ 11

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
☑ Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
☑ 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
☑ 15
Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Legal Status - Field for additional information (optional)**

Optionally you can provide additional information on the legal status of the species in the country
› it is Concentrated in tawurgha complex about 260 Km from Tripoli

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Platalea leucorodia / Eurasian Spoonbill

English Common name(s):
Eurasian Spoonbill, Spoonbill, White Spoonbill

French Common name(s):
Spatule blanche

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2019
Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
> 99
Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009
Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
> 84
Population data quality
☑ Good
Population trend

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?

National Red List Status

☑ No

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya
AEWA Species - Phoenicopterus roseus / Greater Flamingo

**English Common name(s):**
Greater Flamingo

**French Common name(s):**
Flamant rose

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

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Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Previous population estimate**

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Population data quality
☑ Good
Population trend
Population trend ☑ Fluctuating
Trend data quality ☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

National Red List Status
Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Anser anser / Greylag Goose

English Common name(s):
Greylag Goose

French Common name(s):
Oie cendrée

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☒ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☒ Native

Species Status - Passage
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☒ Yes

Legal Status - Field for additional information (optional)
Optionally you can provide additional information on the legal status of the species in the country
>
just one individual recorded in 2010

National Red List Status
Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☒ No
AEWA Species - Tadorna ferruginea / Ruddy Shelduck

English Common name(s): Ruddy Shelduck
French Common name(s): Tadorne casarca

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Legal Status - Field for additional information (optional)
Optionally you can provide additional information on the legal status of the species in the country
› just one individual recorded in Sabkhat Boubesla in the eastern part of Libya in 2006

National Red List Status
Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Tadorna tadorna / Common Shelduck

English Common name(s):
Common Shelduck, Shelduck

French Common name(s):
Tadorne de Belon

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 281

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 759

Population data quality
☑ Good
Population trend

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Anas penelope / Eurasian Wigeon

English Common name(s):
Eurasian Wigeon, Wigeon

French Common name(s):
Canard siffleur

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☐ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 3

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 93

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information  
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend  
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality  
☑ Good

Source of information  
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?  
☑ No
AEWA Species - Anas strepera / Gadwall

**English Common name(s):**
Gadwall

**French Common name(s):**
Canard chipeau

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

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**Source of information**
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Previous population estimate**

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Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend  
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality  
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

**Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?**  
☑ No
AEWA Species - Anas crecca / Common Teal

English Common name(s):
Teal, Common Teal, Green-winged Teal

French Common name(s):
Sarcelle d'hiver

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 424

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 500

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
English Common name(s):
Common Mallard, Mallard

French Common name(s):
Canard colvert

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 12

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 42

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya  2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya  2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Anas acuta / Northern Pintail

**English Common name(s):**
Common Pintail, Northern Pintail, Pintail

**French Common name(s):**
Canard pilet, Pilet

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country

☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?

☑ Yes

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**Latest population estimate**

**Year**

› 2010

**Population unit**

☑ Individuals

**Maximum**

› 111

**Population data quality**

☑ Good

**Source of information**

› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

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**Previous population estimate**

**Year**

› 2009

**Population unit**

☑ Individuals

**Maximum**

› 169

**Population data quality**

☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Anas querquedula / Garganey

**English Common name(s):**
Garganey, Garganey Teal

**French Common name(s):**
Sarcelle d'été

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑️ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑️ Native

**Species Status - Passage**

Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑️ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑️ Yes

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**Latest population estimate**

Year
▶️ 2010

Population unit
☑️ Individuals

Maximum
▶️ 2

Population data quality
☑️ Good

Source of information
▶️ Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

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**Previous population estimate**

Year
▶️ 2007

Population unit
☑️ Individuals

Maximum
▶️ 1
Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
☑ Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya  2005-2010

Population trend
☑ Unknown

Source of information
☑ Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya  2005-2010

Legal Status - Field for additional information (optional)
Optionally you can provide additional information on the legal status of the species in the country
☑ recorded just 3 individuals in 2 years from 6 of survey

National Red List Status
Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Anas clypeata / Northern Shoveler

English Common name(s):
Northern Shoveler, Shoveler

French Common name(s):
Canard souchet, Souchet

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 598

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 1844

Population data quality
☑ Good
Population trend

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Aythya ferina / Common Pochard

English Common name(s):
Common Pochard, Pochard
French Common name(s):
Fuligule milouin

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010
Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
› 158
Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009
Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
› 192
Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**National Red List Status**

*Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?*
☑ No
**AEWA Species - Aythya nyroca / Ferruginous Duck**

**English Common name(s):**
Ferruginous Duck, Ferruginous Pochard, White-eyed Pochard

**French Common name(s):**
Fuligule nyroca

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

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**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**: > 2010
- **Population unit**: ☑ Individuals
- **Maximum**: > 12
- **Population data quality**: ☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

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**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**: > 2009
- **Population unit**: ☑ Individuals
- **Maximum**: > 36
- **Population data quality**: ☑ Good
Population trend

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Aythya fuligula / Tufted Duck

**English Common name(s):**
Tufted Duck

**French Common name(s):**
Fuligule morillon

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 1

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Previous population estimate**

Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 15

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Grus grus / Common Crane

English Common name(s):
Common Crane, Crane

French Common name(s):
Grue cendrée

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 823

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 726

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Legal Status - Field for additional information (optional)**

Optionally you can provide additional information on the legal status of the species in the country
› In 2011 in a place we visited it for first time we count more than 1100 individual

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Rallus aquaticus / Water Rail

English Common name(s):
Water Rail
French Common name(s):
Râle d'eau

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010
Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
› 2
Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009
Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
› 1
Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Gallinula chloropus / Common Moorhen

**English Common name(s):**
Common Moorhen, Moorhen

**French Common name(s):**
Gallinule poule-d'eau, Poule d'eau

**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Breeding**
Does the species occur in the country during the breeding period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  - > 2010

- **Population unit**
  - ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  - > 376

- **Population data quality**
  - ☑ Good

- **Source of information**
  - Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005-2010

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  - > 2009

- **Population unit**
  - ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  - > 701

- **Population data quality**
  - ☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Legal Status - Field for additional information (optional)**

Optionally you can provide additional information on the legal status of the species in the country
› The most important place for moorhen breeding is pool of Al Labadia

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Fulica atra / Common Coot

English Common name(s):
Common Coot, Coot, Eurasian Coot

French Common name(s):
Foulque macroule

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 211

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 763

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Haematopus ostralegus / Eurasian Oystercatcher

**English Common name(s):**
Eurasian Oystercatcher, Oystercatcher

**French Common name(s):**
Huîtrier pie

**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 15

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Previous population estimate**

Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 35

Population data quality
☑ Good
**Source of information**
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

**Source of information**
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005-2010

**Legal Status - Field for additional information (optional)**

Optionally you can provide additional information on the legal status of the species in the country
› annually present on the tidal mudflats and sandbanks of Farwah Lagoon and all along the coast between this major wetland and the Tunisian border

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Himantopus himantopus / Black-winged Stilt

**English Common name(s):**
Black-winged Stilt

**French Common name(s):**
Echasse blanche, Échasse blanche

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Breeding**
Does the species occur in the country during the breeding period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 267

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

**Source of information**
> Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 - 2010

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2009

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 204

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Increasing

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**National Red List Status**

*Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?*
☑ No
AEWA Species - Recurvirostra avosetta / Pied Avocet

**English Common name(s):**
Avocet, Pied Avocet

**French Common name(s):**
Avocette élégante

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 37

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

**Source of information**
> Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2008

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 49

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Pluvialis apricaria / Eurasian Golden Plover

English Common name(s):
Eurasian Golden-Plover, European Golden-Plover, Golden Plover

French Common name(s):
Pluvier doré

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 246

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 361

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Population trend
Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Pluvialis squatarola / Grey Plover

English Common name(s):  
Black-bellied Plover, Grey Plover  
French Common name(s):  
Pluvier argenté

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 136

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 54

Population data quality
☑ Good
Population trend

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
**AEWA Species - Charadrius hiaticula / Common Ringed Plover**

**English Common name(s):**
Common Ringed Plover, Ringed Plover

**French Common name(s):**
Grand Gravelot, Grande Gravelot, Pluvier grand-gravelot

**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 76

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

- **Source of information**
  > Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2009

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 6

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Population trend
Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

National Red List Status
Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Charadrius dubius / Little Ringed Plover

**English Common name(s):**
Little Ringed Plover

**French Common name(s):**
Petit Gravelot, Pluvier petit-gravelot

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

  - **Maximum**
    > 5

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

**Source of information**

- Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2009

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

  - **Maximum**
    > 10

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good
Population trend

Population trend
☐ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☐ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☐ No
AEWA Species - Charadrius alexandrinus / Kentish Plover

**English Common name(s):**
Kentish Plover, Snowy Plover

**French Common name(s):**
Gravelot à collier interrompu, Pluvier à collier interrompu

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Breeding**
Does the species occur in the country during the breeding period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  - 2010

- **Population unit**
  - ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  - > 1129

- **Population data quality**
  - ☑ Good

- **Source of information**
  - Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  - 2009

- **Population unit**
  - ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  - > 576

- **Population data quality**
  - ☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Charadrius leschenaultii / Greater Sandplover

**English Common name(s):**
Greater Sand Plover

**French Common name(s):**
Gravelot de Leschenault, Pluvier de Leschenault

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑️ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑️ Native

**Species Status - Passage**
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑️ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑️ Yes

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**Latest population estimate**

**Year**
>

2010

**Population unit**
☑️ Individuals

**Maximum**
>

3

**Population data quality**
☑️ Good

**Source of information**
>

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**Previous population estimate**

**Year**
>

2008

**Population unit**
☑️ Individuals

**Maximum**
>

1

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Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Unknown

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**National Red List Status**

**Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?**
☑ No
AEWA Species - Eudromias morinellus / Eurasian Dotterel

**English Common name(s):**
Eurasian Dotterel

**French Common name(s):**
Pluvier guignard

### Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

### Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

### Species Status - Passage
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑ Yes

### Latest population estimate

- **Year**
  - > 2010

- **Population unit**
  - ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  - > 31

- **Population data quality**
  - ☑ Good

**Source of information**
- > Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

### Previous population estimate

- **Year**
  - > 2006

- **Population unit**
  - ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  - > 3
Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Unknown

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Vanellus vanellus / Northern Lapwing

English Common name(s):
Lapwing, Northern Lapwing

French Common name(s):
Vanneau huppé

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate

Year
＞ 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
＞ 13

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
＞ Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Previous population estimate

Year
＞ 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
＞ 10

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Gallinago gallinago / Common Snipe

**English Common name(s):**
Common Snipe, Snipe

**French Common name(s):**
Bécassine des marais

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 187

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Previous population estimate**

Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 70

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Lymnocryptes minimus / Jack Snipe

English Common name(s):
Jack Snipe

French Common name(s):
Bécassine sourde

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Passage
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑ Yes

Are quantitative estimates for the passage numbers available?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 3

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2008

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 1
Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Unknown

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbird of Libya 2005 -2010

**National Red List Status**

*Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?*
☑ No
AEWA Species - Limosa limosa / Black-tailed Godwit

**English Common name(s):**
Black-tailed Godwit

**French Common name(s):**
Barge à queue noire, Barge à queue noire

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

☑ The species occurs in the country
AEWA Species - Limosa lapponica / Bar-tailed Godwit

**English Common name(s):**
Bar-tailed Godwit

**French Common name(s):**
Barge rousse

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

Year
≥ 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
≥ 10

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Previous population estimate**

Year
≥ 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
≥ 4

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Unknown

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Numenius phaeopus / Whimbrel

English Common name(s):
Whimbrel
French Common name(s):
Courlis corlieu

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010
Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
> 2
Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2008
Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
> 1
Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Population trend
Population trend
☑ Stable

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Numenius arquata / Eurasian Curlew

**English Common name(s):**
Curlew, Eurasian Curlew

**French Common name(s):**
Courlis cendré

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**AEWA Table 1 Categorisation**
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column C - Category 1

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  - > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  - > 540

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

Source of information
- Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  - > 2009

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals
Maximum
> 450

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
**AEWA Species - Tringa erythropus / Spotted Redshank**

**English Common name(s):**
Spotted Redshank

**French Common name(s):**
Chevalier arlequin

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 9

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

- **Source of information**
  > Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2009

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 4

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Tringa stagnatilis / Marsh Sandpiper

English Common name(s):
Marsh Sandpiper

French Common name(s):
Chevalier stagnatile

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 1

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 1

Population data quality
☑ Good
Population trend

Population trend
☐ Unknown

Trend data quality
☐ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☐ No
AEWA Species - Tringa nebularia / Common Greenshank

English Common name(s):
Common Greenshank, Greenshank
French Common name(s):
Chevalier aboyeur

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate

Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 29

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

Previous population estimate

Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 16

Population data quality
☑ Good
Population trend

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Tringa ochropus / Green Sandpiper

English Common name(s):
Green Sandpiper

French Common name(s):
Chevalier culblanc, Chevalier cul-blanc

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 21

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 18

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

*Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?*
☑ No
AEWA Species - Tringa cinerea / Terek Sandpiper

**English Common name(s):**
Terek Sandpiper

**French Common name(s):**
Chevalier bargette

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Species Status - Field for additional information (optional)**
Optionally you can provide additional information on the status of the species in the country
>
One individual was recorded during the survey at Sabkhat al Thama (Benghazi) on 25 January 2008.

**National Red List Status**
Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
**AEWA Species - Tringa hypoleucos / Common Sandpiper**

**English Common name(s):**
Common Sandpiper

**French Common name(s):**
Chevalier guignette

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

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**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 13

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

- **Source of information**
  > Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

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**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2009

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 5

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

Population trend
Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Arenaria interpres / Ruddy Turnstone

English Common name(s):
Ruddy Turnstone, Turnstone

French Common name(s):
Tournepiere à collier

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 95

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 27

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Calidris alba / Sanderling

**English Common name(s):**
Sanderling

**French Common name(s):**
Bécasseau sanderling, Bécasseau sanderling

![Photo of a Sanderling bird](image)

**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country

☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?

☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

Year

› 2010

Population unit

☑ Individuals

Maximum

› 131

Population data quality

☑ Good

Source of information

› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**Previous population estimate**

Year

› 2009

Population unit

☑ Individuals

Maximum

› 8

Population data quality

☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Calidris minuta / Little Stint

English Common name(s):
Little Stint
French Common name(s):
Bécasseau minute

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010
Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
> 2408
Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
> Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009
Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
> 367
Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☐ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☐ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☐ No
AEWA Species - Calidris temmincki / Temminck's Stint

**English Common name(s):**
Temminck's Stint

**French Common name(s):**
Bécasseau de Temminck

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country

☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?

☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

**Year**

> 2008

**Population unit**

☑ Individuals

**Maximum**

> 2

**Population data quality**

☑ Good

**Source of information**

> Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

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**Previous population estimate**

**Year**

> 2007

**Population unit**

☑ Individuals

**Maximum**

> 10

**Population data quality**

☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Unknown

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Calidris alpina / Dunlin

English Common name(s):
Dunlin

French Common name(s):
Bécasseau variable

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 3972

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 2240

Population data quality
☑ Good
Population trend

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Calidris ferruginea / Curlew Sandpiper

**English Common name(s):**
Curlew Sandpiper

**French Common name(s):**
Bécasseau cocorli

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 53

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**Previous population estimate**

Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 370

Population data quality
☑ Good
Population trend

Population trend
- Fluctuating

Trend data quality
- Good

Source of information
- Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
- No
AEWA Species - Philomachus pugnax / Ruff

**English Common name(s):**
Ruff

**French Common name(s):**
Chevalier combattant, Combattant varié

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

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**Latest population estimate**

**Year**
> 2010

**Population unit**
☑ Individuals

**Maximum**
> 570

**Population data quality**
☑ Good

**Source of information**
> Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

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**Previous population estimate**

**Year**
> 2009

**Population unit**
☑ Individuals

**Maximum**
> 131

**Population data quality**
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering water birds of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Catharacta skua / Great Skua

**English Common name(s):**
Great Skua

**French Common name(s):**
Grand Labbe

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Species Status - Field for additional information (optional)**

Optionally you can provide additional information on the status of the species in the country
> The only confirmed sighting during the surveys form 2005 to 2010 is of an adult flying 100 m off the beach in front of Sabkhat al Ghbeba on 27 January 2010.

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Larus canus / Common Gull

English Common name(s):
Common Gull, Mew Gull

French Common name(s):
Goéland cendré

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Species Status - Field for additional information (optional)
Optionally you can provide additional information on the status of the species in the country
> during the survey form 2005 to 2010 2 birds recorded one in 2007 and one in 2010 in 2 wetlands

National Red List Status
Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Larus audouinii / Audouin's Gull

**English Common name(s):**
Audouin's Gull

**French Common name(s):**
Goéland d'Audouin

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**AEWA Table 1 Categorisation**
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column A - Category 3(a)

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

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Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya
AEWA Species - Larus argentatus / Herring Gull

**English Common name(s):**
Herring Gull

**French Common name(s):**
Goéland argenté

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑️ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑️ Native

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑️ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  - > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑️ Individuals

- **Population data quality**
  ☑️ Good
AEWA Species - Larus cachinnans / Yellow-legged Gull

English Common name(s):
Caspian Gull, Yellow-legged Gull
French Common name(s):
Goéland leucophée

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

AEWA Table 1 Categorisation
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column A - Category 1(c)

Species Status - Breeding
Does the species occur in the country during the breeding period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 3532

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
› 4063

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Larus fuscus / Lesser Black-backed Gull

**English Common name(s):**
Lesser Black-backed Gull

**French Common name(s):**
Goéland brun

**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**AEWA Table 1 Categorisation**
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column B - Category 2(c)

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  - > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  - > 4234

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

- **Source of information**
  - Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**Previous population estimate**

- **Year**
  - > 2009

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals
Maximum
› 4282

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

*Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?*
☑ No
AEWA Species - Larus ridibundus / Common Black-headed Gull

**English Common name(s):**
Black-headed Gull, Common Black-headed Gull

**French Common name(s):**
Mouette rieuse

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**AEWA Table 1 Categorisation**
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column C - Category 1

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

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Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**National Red List Status**

*Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?*
☑ No
AEWA Species - Larus genei / Slender-billed Gull

English Common name(s):
Slender-billed Gull

French Common name(s):
Goéland railleur

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 5042

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

Previous population estimate
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 2076

Population data quality
☑ Good
Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

Population trend
Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Larus melanocephalus / Mediterranean Gull

English Common name(s):
Mediterranean Gull

French Common name(s):
Mouette mélanocéphale

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☐ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☐ Native

AEWA Table 1 Categorisation
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☐ Column B - Category 2(a)

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☐ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
> 2010

Population unit
☐ Individuals

Maximum
> 887

Population data quality
☐ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
> 2009

Population unit
☐ Individuals
Maximum
> 569

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Increasing

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya
AEWA Species - Larus minutus / Little Gull

**English Common name(s):**
Little Gull

**French Common name(s):**
Mouette pygmée

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

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**Native or non-native species**

Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

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**AEWA Table 1 Categorisation**

Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column B - Category 1

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**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**

Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

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**Latest population estimate**

Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
> 12

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

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**Previous population estimate**

Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals
Maximum
> 0

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good
AEWA Species - Sterna nilotica / Gull-billed Tern

**English Common name(s):**
Gull-billed Tern

**French Common name(s):**
Sterne hansel

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**AEWA Table 1 Categorisation**
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column A - Category 2

**Species Status - Breeding**
Does the species occur in the country during the breeding period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Pairs

- **Maximum**
  > 6

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

- **Source of information**
  > Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya
AEWA Species - Sterna caspia / Caspian Tern

**English Common name(s):**
Caspian Tern

**French Common name(s):**
Sterne caspienne

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**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**AEWA Table 1 Categorisation**
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☑ Column A - Category 1(a)

**Species Status - Breeding**
Does the species occur in the country during the breeding period?
☑ Yes

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  - > 2010

- **Population unit**
  - ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  - > 76

- **Population data quality**
  - ☑ Good

- **Source of information**
  - > Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Previous population estimate**
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 109

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya
AEWA Species - Sterna bengalensis / Lesser Crested Tern

**English Common name(s):**
Lesser Crested Tern, Lesser Crested-Tern

**French Common name(s):**
Sterne voyageuse

**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**AEWA Table 1 Categorisation**
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column A - Category 1(c)

**Species Status - Breeding**
Does the species occur in the country during the breeding period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

Year
> 2010

Population unit
☑ Pairs

Maximum
> 2398

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
> Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**Previous population estimate**

Year
> 2009

Population unit
☑ Pairs
Maximum
› 2100

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Increasing

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010

**Species Status - Field for additional information (optional)**

Optionally you can provide additional information on the status of the species in the country
› A ringing program has been carried out since 2008

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Sterna sandvicensis / Sandwich Tern

English Common name(s):
Sandwich Tern

French Common name(s):
Sterne caugek

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

AEWA Table 1 Categorisation
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column B - Category 2(a)

Species Status - Breeding
Does the species occur in the country during the breeding period?
☐ No

Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

Latest population estimate
Year
› 2010

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 395

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Previous population estimate
Year
   › 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
   › 200

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
   › Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Increasing

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
   › Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**National Red List Status**

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Chlidonias hybridus / Whiskered Tern

**English Common name(s):**
Whiskered Tern

**French Common name(s):**
Guifette moustac

**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**AEWA Table 1 Categorisation**
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column C - Category 1

**Species Status - Passage**
Does the species occur in the country during the passage period?
☑ Yes

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

- **Year**
  > 2010

- **Population unit**
  ☑ Individuals

- **Maximum**
  > 74

- **Population data quality**
  ☑ Good

- **Source of information**
  > Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Previous population estimate**
Year
› 2009

Population unit
☑ Individuals

Maximum
› 41

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

Population trend

Population trend
☑ Increasing

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

National Red List Status

Is a National Red List of threatened species maintained in your country?
☑ No
AEWA Species - Chlidonias niger / Black Tern

**English Common name(s):**
Black Tern

**French Common name(s):**
Guifette noire

**Confirmation of species occurrence**
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

**Native or non-native species**
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

**AEWA Table 1 Categorisation**
Please indicate the AEWA Table 1 category(ies) applicable to the population(s) of this species occurring in the country.
☑ Column B - Category 2(c)

**Species Status - Non-breeding/wintering**
Does the species occur in the country during the non-breeding/wintering period?
☑ Yes

**Latest population estimate**

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Maximum
› 2

Population data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya

**Population trend**

Population trend
☑ Fluctuating

Trend data quality
☑ Good

Source of information
› Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya
Alien Species - Anas discors / Blue-winged Teal

English Common name(s):
Blue-winged Teal

French Common name(s):
Sarcelle à ailes bleues, Sarcelle soucrourou

Confirmation of species occurrence
Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country
☑ The species occurs in the country

Native or non-native species
Please confirm whether the species is native or non-native to your country
☑ Native

Species Status - Field for additional information (optional)
Optionally you can provide additional information on the status of the species in the country
> A male in breeding plumage was well watched on 28 January 2008 at Hijarah Lake near Sebha, 1,500 kms into the desert at 28°N, in the 2008 mid-winter survey.
Pressures and Responses
4. Species Conservation

4.1 Legal Measures

1.Were any exemptions granted to the prohibitions laid down in paragraphs 2.1.1 and 2.1.2 of the AEWA Action Plan? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 2.1.3)
☐ No

4.2 Single Species Action Plans

2. Please report on the progress of turning the International Single Species Action Plans (ISSAP), for species whose populations are listed on Column A of Table 1, developed under or recognised by AEWA, into National Single Species Action Plans (NSSAP). (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 2.2)

Please clarify the relevance of the AEWA International Single Species Action Plans or the other recognised plans (Dalmatian Pelican, Pygmy Cormorant, Red-breasted Goose, Marbled Teal, Slender-billed Curlew and Audouin's Gull) to your country
☐ None of the International Single Species Action Plans is relevant

3. Do you have in place or are you developing a National Single Species Action Plan for any species/population for which an AEWA ISSAP has not been developed? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 2.2.2)
☐ Yes

Please provide information on each species for which relevant action has been undertaken

National Single Species Action Plan for Sterna bengalensis / Lesser Crested Tern

For Sterna bengalensis / Lesser Crested Tern
☐ NSSAP in place and being implemented

Please provide details
› EGA started studying the important sites for lesser crested tern nests which is tree sites in Libya the major one is Al elba island it host more than 100 nest and number increased, it is about 12 km far from the sea shore, the tow other sites hosting 120 nest and 25 nest, we started ringing program with tree different colors of rings to simplify the recognition of the tree different populations, in 2010 one of the sites designated as MPA, EGA has site up master plane to designate the major island as MPA too, the smallest islet which located in side Banghaze city faced some problems in 2010 which cause the loss of around 120 nest, this year Libyan bird society with collaboration with EGA started program to restore and expansion for the site to improve nesting and increase nests this program funded by Conservatoire du littoral

4. Did you use the AEWA Guidelines for the preparation of National Single Species Action Plans for migratory waterbirds?
☐ No

4.3 Emergency Measures

5. Please report on any emergency situation that has occurred in your country over the past triennium and has threatened waterbirds. (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 2.3)

Please indicate whether an emergency situation threatening waterbirds, such as botulism, chemical pollution, earthquake, extreme weather, fire, harmful algal bloom, infectious disease, introduction of alien species, lead poisoning, nuclear accident, oil spill, predation, volcanic activity, war or other emergency (please specify), has occurred in the country over the past triennium
☐ No emergency situation has occurred

6. Are there any other emergency measures, which were not mentioned above, but were developed and are in place in your country?
☐ Yes

Please provide information on each emergency situation for which measures have been developed and are in place
Measures for Other emergency

Shortly describe the emergency measures in place in your country
› In one islet where lesser crested tern nesting (juliana lake) two years ago the government has started developing the area with new building, they were drying up the lake which cause losing around 100 nests

7. Did you use the AEWA Guidelines on identifying and tackling emergency situations for migratory waterbirds?
☑ No

Please explain the reasons. What was used instead as a basis for dealing with emergency situations?
› There is no national guidelines regarding this issue and the action during emergency situations depend on the situation

4.4 Re-establishments

8. Is there a regulatory framework for re-establishments of species, including waterbirds, in your country (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 2.4)?
☑ No

Please provide details
› Birds protection in enforced within the frame work on the Libyan institutes that working in conservation which EGA one of them, we use the national legislations.

9. Are you maintaining a national register of re-establishment projects occurring or planned to occur wholly or partly within your country? (Resolution 4.4)
☑ No

Please explain the reasons
› lack of capacity and finance

10. Has your country considered, developed or implemented re-establishment projects for any species listed on AEWA Table 1? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 2.4)
☑ No

4.5 Introductions

11. Does your country have legislation in place, which prohibits the introduction of non-native species of animals and plants, which may have a detrimental effect? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 2.5.1)
☑ Yes, and being enforced

Please provide the following details: title of legislation, year of adoption, institution that adopted it, institution that enforces it
› Libya using SITES regulations, also low No 15 which organize introducing species.

Field for additional information (optional)
› EGA is preparing a national legislation dealing with invasive and alien species, to be approved later by the government

12. Has your country introduced requirements to zoos, private collections, etc. in order to avoid the accidental escape of captive birds belonging to non-native species? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 2.5.2)
☑ No

Please explain the reasons
› Lack of arrangements and communications

13. Does your country have in place a National Action Plan for Invasive Species (NAPIS) (in the framework of other MEAs, such as CBD, Bern Convention, and GISP (Global Invasive Species Programme) (Strategic Plan 2009-2017, Objective 1, Target 5)?
☑ No

Please explain the reasons
› Lack of researches regarding this issue and communications, but there is some activities are in place for this
issue in the national level.

**14. Has an eradication programme been considered, developed or implemented for any non-native waterbird species in your country?**

☑ Not applicable

Please explain

› there is no non-native waterbird species.

**15. Did you use the AEWA Guidelines on avoidance of introductions of non-native waterbird species?**

☑ No

Please explain the reasons. What was used instead as a basis for dealing with the issue?

› there is no non-native waterbird species
Pressures and Responses
5. Habitat Conservation

5.1 Habitat Inventories

16. Has your country identified the network of all sites of international and national importance for the migratory waterbird species/populations listed on Table 1? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 3.1.2)
☑ Yes
Please provide full reference, e.g. title, year, authors, etc. or a web link
› in the Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010 we listed all the sites in Libya and which one has international or national important and which has potential international or national for each birds that exist in Libya

17. If your country has identified or is currently identifying the networks of sites of international and national importance, have you used the AEWA Guidelines on the preparation of site inventories for migratory waterbirds?
☑ Yes
Please provide details
› EGA started the waterbirds survey in 2005 with support from AEWA and collaborating with RCA/SPA we create international team during the 6 years of survey we trained national team, during the surveys we discovered all the wetland in Libya and we visit them at lest one time for the sites that not hold interesting numbers and species, and also with RAC/SPA we carried out a ringing program for lesser crested tern which more than 90% of the Mediterranean population nesting in Libya, reports are distributed in RAC/SPA website, and now we are publishing Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010 it will include all information about waterbirds in Libya with wetlands

5.2 Conservation of Areas

18. Which sites that were identified as important, either internationally or nationally, for Table 1 migratory waterbird species/populations have been designated as protected areas under the national legislation and have management plans that are being implemented? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 3.2.1)

Please report on both internationally and nationally important sites
☑ Reporting on designation and management of internationally important sites
☑ Reporting on designation and management of nationally important sites

All sites of international importance

Total number
› 8
Out of the above total: number of protected sites
› 1
Out of the above total: protected area (ha)
› 1
Number of protected sites with management plans in place which are being implemented
› 0

All sites of national importance

Total number
› 58
Out of the above total: number protected sites
› 3
Out of the above total: protected area (ha)
› 2
Number of protected sites with management plans in place which are being implemented
› 1

19. Has your country used the AEWA Guidelines on the management of key sites for migratory waterbirds?
☑ No

Please explain the reasons. What guidance has been used instead?
› In Libya there just two RAMSAR sites and the other two just designated one year ago

20. Have you accessed and used the Critical Site Network (CSN) Tool for the AEWA area?
☑ Yes

Please give examples of how you have used the CSN Tool
› EGA studied the IBAS and identified the international and national important sites for birds
Pressures and Responses
6. Management of Human Activities

6.1. Hunting

21. Does your country have an established system for the collection of harvest data, which covers the species listed in Table 1? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 4.1.3)
☑ Yes

Does it cover the following? (tick where applicable and provide details)
☑ All AEWA species occurring in your country
☑ Only some AEWA species occurring in your country
☑ The whole territory of your country
☑ Only part of the territory of your country
☑ Only some harvesting activities

22. Has your country phased out the use of lead shot for hunting in wetlands? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 4.1.4)
☑ No

Please explain the reasons
› A plan has been prepared but not implemented yet due to lack of awareness.

Have you introduced self-imposed and published timetable for banning the use of lead shot for hunting in wetlands?
☑ No

Please explain the reasons
› Hunting is prohibited, even if there is some illegal hunting in some places, because un forced legislations or weak and lack of awareness

23. Are there measures in your country to reduce/eliminate illegal taking? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 4.1.6)
☑ Yes

How would you rate the effectiveness of the measures?
☑ Low

Please provide details
› The low of prohibit hunting is exist but it is enforced just within protected areas

24. Has your country used the AEWA Guidelines on sustainable harvest of migratory birds?
☑ No

Please explain the reasons. What other guidance has been used instead?
› lack of awareness and capacity

6.2. Other human activities

25. Does your country have legislation in place, which provides for Strategic Environmental Assessment/Environmental Impact Assessment (SEA/EIA) of activities potentially negatively affecting natural habitats or wildlife? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 4.3.1)
☑ Yes and being implemented

Do the SEA/EIA processes consider waterbirds and habitats on which they depend?
☑ Yes

Please provide details
› The law No. 15-2003 on protection and improvement of the environment, specifies in details the process of EIA. EGA is a responsible institution to enforce such regulation, EIA studies either conducted by independent consultant and revise by EGA monitoring department, or conducted by a research team from EGA and up on the results the permission is granted or not.

Do the SEA/EIA processes include public participation?
☑ No
26. In the last three years, has your country used SEA/EIA for all relevant projects to assess the impact of proposed projects on migratory waterbird species listed on table 1 and/or habitats/sites on which they depend? (AEWA Action Plan, paragraph 4.3.1)
☑ Yes, all proposed projects

Please provide information on the outstanding cases
› all projects that will established they must have EIA before starting

27. Is by-catch of waterbirds in fishing gear taking place in your country? (Resolution 3.8)
☑ Not applicable

Please explain
› by catch of waterbirds in libya it is very few there is no recoded cases

28. Has your country undertaken steps towards the adoption/application of measures to reduce the incidental catch of seabirds and combat Illegal Unregulated and Unreported (IUU) fishing practices in the Agreement area? (Resolution 3.8)
☑ Not applicable

Please explain
› by catch of waterbirds in libya it is very few there is no recoded cases
Pressures and Responses
7. Research and Monitoring

29. Does your country have waterbird monitoring schemes for the AEWA species in place? (Strategic Plan 2009-2017, Objective 3, Target 2)
☑ Yes

Covering the breeding period
☑ Partially

Please provide details
› EGA has started program of ringing lesser crested tern in 2008, in 2009 started also studying other biological factors may affect the species

Covering the passage/migration period
☑ Partially

Please provide details
› there is just regular wintering survey and summer survey not regular

Covering the non-breeding/wintering period
☑ Fully

Please provide details
› Since 2005 we started wintering water bird censuses

Field for additional information (optional)
› Recent waterbird studies with bilateral cooperation has started as far as 1993, with coastal birds survey that was conducted in collaboration with the former IWRB (Wetlands international). The mission team have surveyed the coastal area for census and identification of IBA’s.
National Wetland inventory project in coordination of MedWet is under preparation.

30. Have you used the AEWA Guidelines for a waterbird monitoring protocol?
☑ Yes

Please provide details
› Establishing of national waterbirds monitoring guidelines and the standard form of waterbird census in Africa adopted by wetland international has been used since 2005

31. List (or provide links to lists) of research related to waterbirds and their conservation that has been undertaken or results published in the past triennium (Strategic Plan 2009-2017, Objective 3, Target 5)
› RAC/SPA website, also Atlas of wintering waterbirds of Libya 2005-2010 unpublished yet it will be publish before May 2012

32. Has your government provided over the past triennium funds and/or logistical support for the International Waterbird Census at international or national level? (Strategic Plan 2009-2017, Objective 3, Target 1)
☑ Yes

Nationally
☑ Yes

Please provide details
› Since 2005 Libya government located budget for wintering survey and for ringing program, also provide the necessary equipments for the filed surveys, with logistic support.

Internationally
☑ Yes

Please provide details
› Since 2005 AEWA and RAC/SPA supported EGA by providing international experts to work with the national team, also in ringing program, also provide some equipment for the filed surveys, and field guides.
Pressures and Responses
8. Education and Information

8.1. AEWA Communication Strategy

33. Has your country developed and implemented programmes for raising awareness and understanding on waterbird conservation and about AEWA? (Strategic Plan 2009-2017, Objective 3, Target 3 and AEWA Action Plan, paragraphs 6.1-6.4)
☑ Yes, being implemented

Please list major features of the programmes and details of a contact person for each programme

› Interviews with researchers working on birds are conducted with national and local radios and TV’s.
Wetlands and its biological, ecological and cultural importance were subjects of many articles in ALBEEAH (The Environment) magazine, and workshops organized during the last few years.
Training course in water birds identification has been done on international level collaboration with RAC/SPA trainee from 5 Arab countries are participated to the training with Libyan participant, 2 international trainer one form Tunisia and one from France.
In 2012 first society of birds established which is Libya bird society

34. Has your country provided funding and other support, as appropriate (e.g. expertise, network, skills and resources), secured for the implementation of the AEWA Communication Strategy? (Strategic Plan 2009-2017, Objective 3, Target 1 and Resolution 3.10)
☑ No

Please explain the reasons

› lack of capacity

35. In Resolution 3.10 the Meeting of the Parties encouraged Contracting Parties to host AEWA Exchange Centres for their respective regions. Has your country considered/shown interest in hosting a Regional AEWA Exchange Centre? (Strategic Plan 2009-2017, Objective 3, Target 2 and Resolution 3.10)
☑ Not considered yet

Please provide details on the answer given above

› lack of awareness and capacity

36. Training for CEPA (Communication, Education and Public Awareness) at national level is supposed to be conducted by staff, which has been trained in the framework of the AEWA Training of Trainers programme. Has such training taken place in your country in the past triennium? (Strategic Plan 2009-2017, Objective 3, Target 2)

Applicable only for countries in regions where Training of Trainers programme has taken place
☑ No

Please explain the reasons

› lack of capacity
Pressures and Responses

9. Implementation

37. Has your country approached non-contracting parties to encourage them to ratify the Agreement? (Resolution 3.10)
Report only on activities over the past triennium
☑ No
Please explain the reasons
› lack of capacity and communication

38. Has your country supported/developed international co-operation projects for the implementation of the Agreement, according to the priorities outlined in the AEWA International Implementation Tasks (IIT) for the current triennium? (Resolution 3.11)
☑ No
Please explain the reasons
› There is limited resources and capacity

39. Has your country resourced the AEWA Small Grants Fund over the past triennium? (Strategic Plan 2009-2017, Objective 5, Target 5)
☑ No
Please explain the reasons
› lack of capacity

40. Does your country have in place a national coordination mechanism for implementation of AEWA, possibly linking to national coordination mechanisms for other biodiversity Multilateral Environmental Agreements (MEAs)? (Strategic Plan 2009-2017, Objective 5, Target 8)
☑ Yes, it is operational on a regular basis
Please provide details
› The focal point for AEWA is the same organization for the other biodiversity agreements

41. How would you suggest promoting further links between the biodiversity MEAs to which your country is a Contracting Party, so as to make your work more efficient and effective?
› - Increase national institutional capacity toward the implementation of AEWA agreement.
- Improve and strength the role of national focal point in communication with governmental and NGOs working in related issues to improve conservation.
- Strength the implementation of single species action plans on the national level.
Pressures and Responses

10. Avian Influenza

42. What issues have proved challenging in responding nationally to the spread of the Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI) in the last triennium and what further guidance or information would be useful in this respect?

List challenges
- Lack of awareness
- Lack of national capacity.
- Produce educational material for different stakeholders relevant to HPAI.
- Improve the national technical and institutional capacity to manage the spread of HPAI.

List required further guidance or information
- Preparing national awareness and communication plan for relevant stakeholders.
- Ensure circulation and deliver of educational material.
- Establish standard data collection system and data base for HPAI outbreaks

43. Have you visited and used as a reference the AIWEb (the Avian Influenza, Wildlife and the Environment web site)?
☑ Yes

Optionally you can provide additional information on section 10. Avian Influenza
- When HPAI appear Libyan government established national committee from different sectors to follow up the issue
11. Confirmation

Confirmation of information verification and approval for submission

Please confirm:

In addition a scanned copy of an official letter from the relevant state institution, approving the report for submission, can be attached.

☑ I declare that the information provided in the Report on the implementation of AEWA for the period 2009-2011 has been verified and the report has been approved for submission by the appropriate state institution in the country.

Date of submission

› 29/3/2012