



## Data Request Form

To obtain data from the European Vegetation Archive (EVA), please first make an enquiry to the EVA database administrator Ilona Knollová (ikuzel@sci.muni.cz) whether the data meeting your needs are available. If they are, please fill in the form below and submit it to Milan Chytrý (chytry@sci.muni.cz) or another member of the EVA Coordinating Board.

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- Project title:

How much biodiversity is in Natura 2000

- Brief description of aims and methods of the study:

The project is commissioned by DG Environment of the European Commission, and concerns an assessment of species (birds, reptiles, mammals, and plants) inside and outside protected areas (Natura 2000). Regarding the plants an analysis will be performed based on random selected vegetation plots inside and outside Natura 2000 sites. By counting the total number of species in 2x2 km grid cells, and counting the total number of red list species (as far as country based digital lists are available) we want to prove that Natura 2000 matters for biodiversity in Europe. Especially with EU leadership of The Netherlands the next 4 years we need to prove that the Natura 2000 network needs to be secured, or even extended, and should certainly not be restricted. No individual releves, nor distribution maps will be published. Part of the work will also be devoted to the maintenance of the EVA database.

- Will someone else be involved in data editing or analysis in addition to the applicant?

Joop Schaminée for the analysis of the plants part

- Estimated time of delivery of results (e.g. manuscript submission):

March 2016

- Geographic area needed (e.g. countries or range of geographic coordinates):

EU28 countries

- Vegetation types needed (syntaxa):

In principle all vegetation type

- Other data selection criteria:

Only georeferenced data can be used



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- Envisaged publications:

Report

- Specification of the co-authorship arrangements in publications based on the requested data (e.g. the extent of possible involvement of the original data providers, or of EVA data managers if extra work for this project is needed from them):

In the report the EVA-datasets used, and their custodians will be mentioned.

I agree with the terms of EVA Data Property and Governance Rules as approved on 26 May 2012 (<http://euroveg.org/download/eva-rules.pdf>).

Wageningen, 8 January 2016

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