

Annex B - Bird Species' status and trends report (Article 12)

1. Species information

1.1 Member State	Hungary
1.2 Species code	A294
1.3 EURING code	12420
1.4 Species scientific name	Acrocephalus paludicola
1.5 Subspecific population	
1.6 Alternative species scientific name	
1.7 Common name	csíkosfejű nádiposzáta
1.8 Season	Breeding (B)

2. Population size

2.1 Year or period	2013-2018
2.2 Population size	a) Unit number of calling males (cmales) b) Minimum 0 c) Maximum 0 d) Best single value
2.3 Type of estimate	Best estimate
2.4 Population size Method used	Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate
2.5 Sources	http://www.birding.hu/
2.6 Change and reason for change (since previous report)	No change The change is mainly due to:
2.7 Additional information	Last breeding record in 2009.

3. Population trend

3.1 Short-term trend (last 12 years)

3.1.1 Short-term trend Period	2007-2018
3.1.2 Short-term trend Direction	Decreasing (-)
3.1.3 Short-term trend Magnitude	a) Minimum 100 b) Maximum 100 c) Best single value
3.1.4 Short-term trend Method used	Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate
3.1.5 Sources	Ecsedi Z. (2004): A Hortobágy madárvilága. Hortobágy Természetvédelmi Egyesület, Winter Fair, Balmazújváros-Szeged, 602 p. Expert opinions Végvári, Zs. & Flade, M. (2012): Aufstieg und Fall: Seggenrohrsänger in Ungarn. Der Falke 59: 100-103. http://www.birding.hu/

3.2 Long-term trend (since c. 1980)

3.2.1 Long-term trend Period	1980-2018
3.2.2 Long-term trend Direction	Decreasing (-)
3.2.3 Long-term trend Magnitude	a) Minimum 100

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b) Maximum 100

c) Best single value

3.2.4 Long-term Trend Method used

Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate

3.2.5 Sources

Expert opinions

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[Http://www.birding.hu/](http://www.birding.hu/)

3.3 Additional information

Last breeding record in 2009.

4. Breeding distribution map and size

4.1 Sensitive species

No

4.2 Year or period

2014-2018

4.3 Breeding distribution map

Yes

4.4 Breeding distribution surface area

0

4.5 Breeding distribution Method used

Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate

4.6 Additional maps

No

4.7 Sources

<http://map.mme.hu/maps/map2>

4.8 Additional information

5. Breeding range trend

5.1 Short-term trend (last 12 years)

5.1.1 Short-term trend Period

2007-2018

5.1.2 Short-term trend Direction

Decreasing (-)

5.1.3 Short-term trend Magnitude

a) Minimum 100

b) Maximum 100

c) Best single value

5.1.4 Short-term trend Method used

Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate

5.1.5 Sources

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Kovács, G. & Végyvári, Zs. (1999): The Aquatic Warbler *Acrocephalus paludicola* in Hungary. Vogelwelt 120: 121-125.

<http://map.mme.hu/maps/map2>

5.2 Long-term trend (since c. 1980)

5.2.1 Long-term trend Period

1980-2018

5.2.2 Long-term trend Direction

Decreasing (-)

5.2.3 Long-term trend Magnitude

a) Minimum 100

b) Maximum 100

c) Best single value 100

5.2.4 Long-term trend Method used

Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate

5.2.5 Sources

Végyvári, Zs. & Flade, M. (2012): Aufstieg und Fall: Seggenrohrsänger in Ungarn. Der Falke 59: 100-103.

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5.3 Additional information

6. Progress in work related to international Species Action Plans (SAPs), Management Plans (MPs) and Brief Management Statements (BMSs)

6.0 Is/Will the information related to international SAPs, MPs and BMSs (section 6) be provided for the other season for this species?	No
6.1 Type of international plan	Species Action Plan (SAP)
6.2 Has a national plan linked to the international SAP/MP/BMS been adopted?	No
6.3 If 'NO', describe any measures and initiatives taken related to the international SAP/MP/BMS	The species' breeding habitats are in Hortobágy National Park Directorate, in state-owned and estate management. Extensive grazing. Fire and mowing ban. Complete annual monitoring.
6.4 Assessment of the effectiveness of SAPs for globally threatened species (Art. 12, Species Action Plans)	moving towards the plan's aim/objective(s) (towards)
6.5 Assessment of the effectiveness of MPs for huntable species in non-Secure status (Articles 3 and 7, Management Plans)	()
6.6 Sources of further Information	Végyvári Zs., Kovács G., Szilágyi A., Schmidt A. (2010): National Reports for the Aquatic Warbler MOU and Action Plan. Http://www.cms.int/species/aquatic_warbler/meetings/2nd%20Mtg/aw_mou_nd_signatories_mtg.htm

7. Main pressures and threats

a) Pressure	b) Ranking	c) location
Conversion from one type of agricultural land use to another (excluding drainage and burning) (A02)	H	outside EU (outEU)
Fire (natural) (M09)	M	inside the Member State (inMS)
Droughts and decreases in precipitation due to climate change (N02)	H	inside the Member State (inMS)
a) Threat	d) Ranking	e) location
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7.2 Sources of information

Expert opinions

Gábor Kovács – Zsolt Végvári – Attila Szilágyi (2005): Habitat selection and conservation of the

Aquatic Warbler in Hungary. Study presented at Aquatic Warbler International Conference, 18-20 August 2005, Palencia, Spain.

7.3 Additional information

8. Main Conservation Measures

8.1 Status of measures

Measures identified and taken

8.2 Main purpose of the measures taken

Expand the current distribution of the species

8.3 Location of the measures

Only inside Natura 2000

8.4 Response to the measures

Medium-term results (within the next two reporting periods, 2019-2030)

8.5 List of main conservation measures

CA01 - Prevent conversion of natural and semi-natural habitats, and habitats of species into agricultural land

CA03 - Maintain existing extensive agricultural practices and agricultural landscape features

CL02 - Minimise/prevent impacts of geological and natural catastrophes

CN01 - Adopt climate change mitigation measures

CN02 - Implement climate change adaptation measures

8.6 Additional information

9. Natura 2000 (SPAs) coverage

9.1 Population size inside the Natura 2000 (SPA) network

a) Unit number of calling males (cmales)

b) Minimum 0

c) Maximum 0

d) Best single value

9.2 Type of estimate

Best estimate

9.3 Population size inside the network Method used

Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate

9.4 Short-term trend of population size within the network Direction

Decreasing (-)

9.5 Short-term trend of population size within the network Method used

Complete survey or a statistically robust estimate

9.6 Additional information

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