Conservation planning in Poland

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Forms of nature protection in Poland

1) national park  NP
2) national nature reserve  NNR
3) landscape park
4) zone of protected landscape
5) Natura 2000 site (HD, BD)
6) nature monument
7) scientific documentation site  SSSI
8) local nature reserve  LNR
9) nature-landscape complex
10) legal protection of species (plants, animals, fungi)
## Planning of conservation

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Conservation plans

Planning based on good recognition of nature valours and conditions

Usually a contracted task

1. Collection of existing data

2. Supplementing the data with inventories and research, up to several years
Plan of conservation tasks

Planning based on existing knowledge – quick preventive planning

Usually a contracted task

1. Collection of existing data

2. Supplementing the knowledge gaps based on field research, restricted time, rather verification than inventory
Conservation tasks

Planowaniem Intervention planning – quick preventive measures
Mainly done by own staff of Regional Conservation Authority

1. Collection of existing data. Often the tasks are based on or initiated by the to-date research of academic or non-governmnetal institutions

2. Supplementing of knowledge gaps by hiring an expert, often of specific field
Action Plans

Long term planning for the conservation of particular species

Mainly done by expert teams or academic institutions

1. Collection of existing data
   Often own unpublished data is used.

2. Supplementing of data by expert research (often creation of dedicated teams of experts)
Natura 2000 Plan of conservation tasks

- delimitation of the borders

- conditions: geographic, natural, social, economic, cultural

- description of the conservation subjects
  verification of the SDF, collection of data and field research

- analysis of planning documents

- estimation of the situation of the subjects of conservation
  3 levels of ranking: FV – proper, U1 – unsatisfactory, U2 – bad

- estimation of existing and potential threats for the sustaining of the proper conservation status
Natura 2000 Plan of conservation tasks

● goals of conservation tasks

● defining conservation tasks counteracting the identifies threats – responsible body, estimated cost, including active conservation, monitoring

● suggestions for the planning documents when there is expectation of negative influence on Natura 2000
Natura 2000 Conservation plans

- for the whole area or a part of it

- based on the complete knowledge – requires inventories and expertise

- contains suggestions for the human activities in areas important for the sustaining of proper conservation status
Thank you for your attention!

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