

Beech Forest Vegetation Database of SE Balkan

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Abstract: Beech forest vegetation database of SE Balkan Peninsula (GIVD ID EU-00-012) held at Institute of Biology SRC SASA, Ljubljana, Slovenia. It contains published relevé material from the territory of Slovenia, Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Serbia, Macedonia, Montenegro, Bulgaria and Greece. Relevés originate mainly from published sources and also from grey literature (theses, survey reports, manuscripts, etc.). The database is used for archiving relevé material, for preparation of classifications and other analyses of beech forest vegetation of Balkan Peninsula.

Keywords: *Fagus sylvatica*; relevé.

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Scope: The database comprises vegetation relevés of beech forests from Slovenia, Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Serbia, Montenegro, Bulgaria, Macedonia and Northern Greece.			
Status: completed and continuing		Period: 1938-2010	
Database manager(s): Aleksander Marinšek (marinsek@zrc-sazu.si)			
Owner: [NA]			
Web address: [NA]			
Availability: after blocking period		Online upload: [NA]	Online search: [NA]
Database format(s): TURBOVEG		Export format(s): TURBOVEG, Excel	
Publication: [NA]			
Plot type(s): normal plots		Plot-size range: 16-6,400 m ²	
Non-overlapping plots: 5,952		Estimate of existing plots: [NA]	Completeness: [NA]
Total plot observations: 5,952		Number of sources: [NA]	Valid taxa: [NA]
Countries: BA: 11.8%; BG: 8.2%; GR: 8.0%; HR: 12.9%; ME: 0.5%; MK: 2.9%; RS: 11.6%; SI: 44.1%			
Forest: [NA] — Non-forest: [NA]			
Guilds: all vascular plants: 100%; bryophytes (terricolous or aquatic): 35%			
Environmental data: altitude: 98%; slope aspect: 96%; slope inclination: 86%			
Performance measure(s): cover: 100%			
Geographic localisation: [NA]			
Sampling periods: [NA]			
Information as of 2012-07-12; further details and future updates available from http://www.givd.info/ID/EU-00-012			

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