Białowie a Forest

1. World Heritage Property Data

1.1 - Name of World Heritage property

Białowie a Forest

1.2 - World Heritage property details

1.3 - Geographic information table

Name	Coordinates	Property (ha)	Buffer zone (ha)	Total (ha)	Inscription year
	0/0	?	?	?	
	0/0	?	?	?	
Bialowieza Forest	52.728 / 23.981	82308	130873	213181	2014
Bialowieza Forest	52.728 / 23.899	59577	35835	95412	2014
Total (ha)		141885	166708	308593	

1.4 - Map(s)

Title	Date	Link to source
Belovezhskaya Pushcha /Bialowieza Forest UNESCO - map of inscribed property	2009	
Białowie a Forest - map of inscribed extension	2014	

1.5 - Web and Social Media data of the property (if applicable)

- 1. Natural site datasheets from WCMC: Belovezhskaya Pushcha National Park (Belarus)
- 2. Belovezhskaya Pushcha National Park
- 3. Bialowieza Forest, Poland
- 4. Bialowieski National Park
- 5. Belavezhskaya Puscha (Virtual Guide to Belarus)
- 6. Białowie a National Park
- 7. UNESCO World Heritage Sites in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Comment

Links 1-3 guide to "Sorry, we couldn't find what you're looking for" unep-wcmc.org pages 5. Should be: https://en.unesco.org/biosphere/eu-na/bialowieza 6. works properly, validate 7. works properly, validate 8. Bosnia and Herzegovina sites are not parts of Bialowie a Forest World Heritage Site - the whole point 8 should be removed

2. Other Conventions/Programmes under which the World Heritage property is protected (if applicable)

2.1 - Records indicate that your World Heritage property (in whole or in part) is designated and/or protected under the Conventions/programmes shown in the prefilled table below. Please check and amend as necessary.

		The World Heritage property (in whole or in part) <u>is</u> designated and/or protected under this convention/programme	The World Heritage property (in whole or in part) is not designated and/or protected under this convention/programme
2.1.1	International Register of Cultural Property under Special Protection (1954 Hague Convention for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict)		×
2.1.2	List of Cultural Property under Enhanced Protection (Second Protocol to the 1954 Hague Convention for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict)		×
2.1.3	The List of Wetlands of International Importance (The Ramsar List) (Convention on Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar Convention))		×
2.1.4	World Network of Biosphere Reserves Man and the Biosphere (MAB) Programme	×	
2.1.5	Global Geoparks Network UNESCO Global Geoparks		×

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- 2.2 Please provide comments on 2.1 if necessary
- 2.3 Do your national authorities intend to request the granting of Enhanced Protection (if relevant) under the Second Protocol to the 1954 Hague Convention for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict for the World Heritage property in the next three years?

Not applicable

2.4 - Do your national authorities intend to designate whole or part of the World Heritage property for inclusion in the List of Wetlands of International Importance (The Ramsar List), if relevant, in the next three years?

Not applicable

2.5 - Do your national authorities intend to designate whole or part of the World Heritage property as a Man and Biosphere Reserve (if relevant) in the next three years?

Not applicable

2.6 - Do your national authorities intend to apply for whole or part of World Heritage property to be designated as a UNESCO Global Geopark (if relevant) in the next three years?

Not applicable

2.7 - Please indicate the level of cooperation at property level between designations under different Conventions/Programmes

2.7.1	1954 Hague Convention for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict	
2.7.1	There is no contact with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	×
2.7.2	The World Heritage Site Manager occasionally communicates with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	
2.7.3	The World Heritage Site Manager regularly communicates with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	
2.7.4	The World Heritage Site Manager also manages this designation/programme.	
2.7.2	Second Protocol to the 1954 Hague Convention for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict	
2.7.1	There is no contact with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	×
2.7.2	The World Heritage Site Manager occasionally communicates with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	
2.7.3	The World Heritage Site Manager regularly communicates with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	
2.7.4	The World Heritage Site Manager also manages this designation/programme.	
2.7.3	Convention on Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar Convention)	
2.7.1	There is no contact with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	×
2.7.2	The World Heritage Site Manager occasionally communicates with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	
2.7.3	The World Heritage Site Manager regularly communicates with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	
2.7.4	The World Heritage Site Manager also manages this designation/programme.	
2.7.4	Man and the Biosphere (MAB) Programme	
2.7.1	There is no contact with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	
2.7.2	The World Heritage Site Manager occasionally communicates with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	×
2.7.3	The World Heritage Site Manager regularly communicates with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	
2.7.4	The World Heritage Site Manager also manages this designation/programme.	
2.7.5	UNESCO Global Geoparks	
2.7.1	There is no contact with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	×
2.7.2	The World Heritage Site Manager occasionally communicates with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	
2.7.3	The World Heritage Site Manager regularly communicates with the Focal Point(s) of this designation/programme.	
2.7.4	The World Heritage Site Manager also manages this designation/programme.	

- 2.8 Please add any further comments on cooperation with the other designation(s)/programme(s)
- 2.9 Are you aware of any elements associated with the World Heritage property that have been inscribed on the Representative List of the Intangible Cultural Heritage?

Yes

2.10 - Please list any elements associated with the World Heritage property inscribed under the Convention for the Safeguarding of the

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Intangible Cultural Heritage of which you are aware

Tree beekeeping culture - Poland and Belarus, inscribed in 2020.

2.11 - Are you aware of any documentary heritage listed under the Memory of the World Programme associated with the World Heritage property?

No

- 2.12 Please list any documentary heritage associated with the World Heritage property listed under the Memory of the World Programme of which you aware.
- 3. Statement of Outstanding Universal Value
- 3.1 Statement of Outstanding Universal Value for the property as adopted by the World Heritage Committee

Statement of Outstanding Universal Value

Brief synthesis

Bialowieza Forest is a large forest complex located on the border between Poland and Belarus. Thanks to several ages of protection the Forest had survived in its natural state to this day. The Bialowieza National Park, Poland, was inscribed on the World Heritage List in 1979 and extended to include Belovezhskaya Pushcha, Belarus, in 1992. A large extension of the property in 2014 results in a property of 141,885 ha with a buffer zone of 166,708 ha.

This property includes a complex of lowland forests that are characteristics of the Central European mixed forests terrestrial ecoregion. The area has exceptionally conservation significance due to the scale of its old growth forests, which include extensive undisturbed areas where natural processes are on-going. A consequence is the richness in dead wood, standing and on the ground, and consequently a high diversity of fungi and saproxylic invertebrates. The property protects a diverse and rich wildlife of which 59 mammal species, over 250 bird, 13 amphibian, 7 reptile and over 12,000 invertebrate species. The iconic symbol of the property is the European Bison: approximately 900 individuals in the whole property which make almost 25% of the total world's population and over 30% of free-living animals.

Criterion (ix): Bialowieza Forest conserves a diverse complex of protected forest ecosystems which exemplify the Central European mixed forests terrestrial ecoregion, and a range of associated non-forest habitats, including wet meadows, river valleys and other wetlands. The area has an exceptionally high nature conservation value, including extensive old-growth forests. The large and integral forest area supports complete food webs including viable populations of large mammals and large carnivores (wolf, lynx and otter) amongst other. The richness in dead wood, standing and on the ground, leads to a consequent high diversity of fungi and saproxylic invertebrates. The long tradition of research on the little disturbed forest ecosystem and the numerous publications, including description of new species, also contributes significantly to the values of the nominated property.

Criterion (x): Bialowieza Forest is an irreplaceable area for biodiversity conservation, due in particular to its size, protection status, and substantially undisturbed nature. The property is home to the largest free-roaming population of European Bison, which is the iconic species of this property. However the biodiversity conservation values are extensive, and include protection for 59 mammal species, over 250 bird species, 13 amphibians, 7 reptiles, and over 12,000 invertebrates. The flora is diverse and regionally significant, and the property also is notable for conservation of fungi. Several new species have been described here and many threatened species are still well represented.

Integrity

The property is a large, coherent area conserved via a range of protective designations representing the full range of forest ecosystems of the region, and providing habitat for large mammals. The presence of extensive undisturbed areas is crucial to its nature conservation values. Some of the ecosystems represented in the property (wet meadows, wetlands, river corridors) require maintenance through active management, due to the decrease of water flow and absence of agriculture (hay cutting). The buffer zone that has been proposed by both State Parties appears sufficient to provide effective protection of the integrity of the property from threats from outside its boundaries. There are some connectivity challenges, from barriers inside the property, and its relative isolation within surrounding agricultural landscapes, that require continued management and monitoring.

Protection and management requirements

The property benefits from legal and institutional protection in both States Parties, through a variety of protected area designations.

Protection and management requires strong and effective cooperation between the States Parties, and also between institutions in each State Party. The Bialowieza National Park (Poland), the Polish Forestry Administration and the Belovezhskaya Pushcha National Park authorities have entered into an agreement regarding preparation and implementation of an integrated management plan for the nominated property, and to establish a transboundary steering group. In addition the State Party of Poland has developed an agreement establishing a Steering Committee between the National Park and the Forest Administration aiming to achieve a coordinated approach to integrated management. It is essential to ensure the effective functioning of this Steering Committee, including through regular meetings, and its input to transboundary coordination and management. It is essential that the national parks of both States Parties maintain effective and legally adopted management plans, and an adopted management plan for the Bialowieza National Park (Poland), to support its inclusion in the property, is an essential and long-term requirement.

It is essential to ensure that the integrated management plan for the property addresses all key issues concerning the effective management of this property, particularly forest, meadows and wetlands management, and that it is adequately funded on a long term basis to ensure its effective implementation.

Effective and well-resourced conservation management is the main long-term requirement to secure the property, and maintain the necessary management interventions that sustain its natural values. Threats that require long-term attention via monitoring and continued management programmes include fire management, the impacts of barriers to connectivity, including roads, firebreaks and the border fence. There is also scope to continually improve aspects of the management of the property, including in relation to ensuring connectivity within the property, and in its wider landscape, and to also secure enhanced community engagement.

3.2 - Please list the key attributes of Outstanding Universal Value of your property and give an assessment of their condition. As a guideline, it is suggested to focus on approximately five key attributes (no more than 15 overall).

	Brief identification of attribute	Preserved	Compromised	Seriously compromised	Lost
3.2.1	A diverse complex of protected forest ecosystems and non-forest habitats; this large and dense forest area is home to viable populations of large mammals that form a complete food web. The abundance of dead trees - both standing and lying - leads to a large diversity of species of fungi and saproxylic invertebrates.	×			

3.2.2	he area is irreplaceable for the preservation of biodiversity, due to its size, protected status and almost untouched nature, which ensures the protection of hundreds of species: mammals (including free-living bison), birds, amphibians, reptiles, over 12,000 species of invertebrates, as well as a variety of flora and fungi, many of which are threatened with extinction.	×		
3.2.3	The site is a large, coherent area subject to various protection regimes, covering all types of forest ecosystems in the region and constituting a natural habitat for large mammals. The presence of vast, untransformed areas is the essence of nature conservation.	×		
3.2.4		×		
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3.2.9				
3.2.10				
3.2.11				
3.2.12				
3.2.13				
3.2.14				
3.2.15				

3.3 - Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to Statement of Outstanding Universal Value

4. Factors Affecting the Property

4.1. Buildings and Development

4.1.1 - Housing

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	• Inside	Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
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4.1.2 - Commercial development

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

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Relevant	X Not relevant

4.1.3 - Industrial areas

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant
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4.1.4 - Major visitor accommodation and associated infrastructure

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	✗ Not relevant

4.1.5 - Interpretative and visitation facilities

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

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4.1.6 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.1 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.2. Transportation Infrastructure

4.2.1 - Ground transport infrastructure

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.2.2 - Underground transport infrastructure

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.2.3 - Air transport infrastructure

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.2.4 - Marine transport infrastructure

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.2.5 - Effects arising from use of transportation infrastructure

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.2.6 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.2 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.3. Services Infrastructures

4.3.1 - Water infrastructure

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
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4.3.2 - Renewable energy facilities

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

X Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
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4.3.3 - Non-renewable energy facilities

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant
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4.3.4 - Localised utilities

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.3.5 - Major linear utilities

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.3.6 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.3 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.4. Pollution

4.4.1 - Pollution of marine waters

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.4.2 - Ground water pollution

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.4.3 - Surface water pollution

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	→ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
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4.4.4 - Air pollution

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	→ Decreasing	⇒ Stable	Increasing
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○ Negative X		×		×			

4.4.5 - Solid waste

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

X Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact Origin		Trend of impact				
Impact	Current	Potential	• Inside	© Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
Positive							
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4.4.6 - Input of excess energy

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

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Relevant × Not relevant

4.4.7 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.4 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.5. Biological resource use/modification

4.5.1 - Fishing/collecting aquatic resources

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant × Not relevant

4.5.2 - Aquaculture

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant × Not relevant

4.5.3 - Land conversion

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Positive, Current, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	© Outside	→ Decreasing	⇒ Stable	Increasing
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Negative X		×		×		\Rightarrow	

4.5.4 - Livestock farming/Grazing of domesticated animals

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant
	The following

4.5.5 - Crop production

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.5.6 - Commercial wild plant collection

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	V Not relevant
Relevant	X Not relevant

4.5.7 - Subsistence wild plant collection

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Inside

× Relevant	Not relevant						
Impact			Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	→ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
O Positive							
○ Negative X		×	×				

4.5.8 - Commercial hunting

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

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4.5.9 - Subsistence hunting

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

✗ Relevant			1	Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	© Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
O Positive X	×					→	
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4.5.10 - Forestry/Wood production

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Positive, Current, Outside

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Impact		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
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4.5.11 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.5 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.6. Physical resource extraction

4.6.1 - Mining

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant	
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4.6.2 - Quarrying

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.6.3 - Oil and gas

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.6.4 - Water (extraction)

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

	Relevant	X Not relevant
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4.6.5 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.6 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.7. Local conditions affecting physical fabric

4.7.1 - Wind

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Positive, Negative, Current, Potential, Inside, Outside

× Relevant	Not relevant						
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	▶ Decreasing	⇒ Stable	Increasing
O Positive X	×	×		×			

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4.7.2 - Relative humidity

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.7.3 - Temperature

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Outside

× Relevant			ı	Not relevant			
Impact		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	→ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
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Negative	×	×		×			/

4.7.4 - Radiation/Light

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant					
	Impact Origin			Origin Trend of impact					
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	→ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing		
Positive									
Negative X		×		×		→			

4.7.5 - Dust

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.7.6 - Water (rain/water table)

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Current, Potential, Inside, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant				
	Impact Origin			Trend of impact				
Impact	Current	Potential	• Inside	© Outside	→ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing	
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Negative X	×	×	×	×	S			

4.7.7 - Pests

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

× Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	© Outside	→ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
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Negative	×	×	×				P

4.7.8 - Micro-organisms

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

X Relevant	Not relevant

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	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	♦ Decreasing	⇒ Stable	Increasing
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4.7.9 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.7 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.8. Social/Cultural uses of heritage

4.8.1 - Ritual/Spiritual/Religious and associative uses

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.8.2 - Society's valuing of heritage

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

4.8.3 - Indigenous hunting, gathering and collecting

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant
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4.8.4 - Changes in traditional ways of life and knowledge system

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.8.5 - Identity, social cohesion, changes in local population and community

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Outside

× Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact Origin			Trend of impact			
Impact	Current	Potential	• Inside	© Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
Positive X		×	×	×			•
Negative X		×	×	×			7

4.8.6 - Impacts of tourism/Visitation/Recreation

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Positive, Current, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant				
	Impact Origin			Trend of impact				
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	© Outside	№ Decreasing	⇒ Stable	Increasing	
Positive X	×			×				
○ Negative X		×		×			7	

4.8.7 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.8 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.9. Other human activities

4.9.1 - Illegal activities

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

4.9.2 - Deliberate destruction of heritage

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

¥ Relevant				Not relevant				
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	G Current	Potential	• Inside	Outside	▶ Decreasing	⇒ Stable	Increasing	
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○ Negative X		×		×		→		

4.9.3 - Military training

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

× Relevant		Not relevant					
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	G Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
O Positive							
Negative X	×	×		×	S		

4.9.4 - War

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

≭ Relevant				Not relevant				
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	Current	Potential	• Inside	Outside	→ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing	
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Negative X		×		×		\rightarrow		

4.9.5 - Terrorism

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.9.6 - Civil unrest

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

X Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
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4.9.7 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.9 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.10. Climate change and severe weather events

4.10.1 - Storms

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Relevant, Negative, Potential, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	→ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing

Positive				
Negative X	×	×		1

4.10.2 - Flooding

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.10.3 - Drought

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Outside

× Relevant			1	Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	→ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
Positive							
○ Negative ※		×		×			7

4.10.4 - Desertification

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.10.5 - Changes to oceanic waters

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.10.6 - Temperature change

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Outside

× Relevant				Not relevant				
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	G Current	Potential	Inside	© Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing	
O Positive								
Negative X		×		×			7	

4.10.7 - Other climate change impacts

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.10.8 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.10 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.10.3, 4.10.6

4.11. Sudden ecological or geological events

4.11.1 - Volcanic eruption

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.11.2 - Earthquake

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

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4.11.3 - Tsunami/Tidal wave

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.11.4 - Avalanche/Landslide

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.11.5 - Erosion and siltation/Deposition

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.11.6 - Fire (wildfire)

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Potential, Inside, Outside

※ Relevant				Not relevant				
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	© Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing	
O Positive								
Negative X		×	×	×			7	

4.11.7 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.11 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.12. Invasive/alien species or hyper-abundant species

4.12.1 - Translocated species

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

× Relevant				Not relevant				
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	© Outside	→ Decreasing	⇒ Stable	Increasing	
O Positive								
○ Negative X		×		×			· ·	

4.12.2 - Invasive/Alien terrestrial species

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Current, Potential, Inside, Outside

★ Relevant				Not relevant					
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact				
Impact	Current	Potential	• Inside	© Outside	№ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing		
O Positive									
Negative X	×	×		×			,		

4.12.3 - Invasive/Alien freshwater species

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.12.4 - Invasive/Alien marine species

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

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Relevant X Not relevant

4.12.5 - Hyper-abundant species

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Negative, Current, Potential, Inside, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant				
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	Current	Potential	• Inside	Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing	
Positive								
Negative X	×	×	×	×		→		

4.12.6 - Modified genetic material

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant X Not relevant

4.12.7 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.12 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

4.12.5

4.13. Management and institutional factors

4.13.1 - Management system/Management plan

X Relevant			Not relevant					
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	© Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing	
Positive								
Negative X	×		×	×	S			

4.13.2 - Legal framework

X Relevant				Not relevant				
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	G Outside	→ Decreasing	⇒ Stable	Increasing	
O Positive								
○ Negative X	×			×		→		

4.13.3 - Governance

* Relevant				Not relevant					
	Impact Origi		Origin		Trend of impact				
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	© Outside	→ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing		
O Positive X		×	×			\rightarrow			
Negative									

4.13.4 - Management activities

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Positive, Negative, Current, Inside, Outside

X Relevant			Not relevant					
	Impact Origin		Origin		Trend of impact			
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	© Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing	
O Positive X	×		×	×		\rightarrow		
○ Negative X	×		×	×		\rightarrow		

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4.13.5 - Financial resources

Relevant	X Not relevant

4.13.6 - Human resources

X Relevant			ı	Not relevant			
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact		
Impact	Current	Potential	• Inside	Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing
Positive X		×	×	×			1
Negative							

4.13.7 - Low impact research/monitoring activities

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

• Relevant, Positive, Current, Inside, Outside

X Relevant				Not relevant					
	Impact		Origin		Trend of impact				
Impact	Current	Potential	Inside	Outside	▶ Decreasing	→ Stable	Increasing		
O Positive 🗶	×		×	×		→			
Negative									

4.13.8 - High impact research/monitoring activities

Previous answer Cycle 2 (30/07/2014):

Not relevant

Relevant	Not relevant			

4.13.9 - Please comment as necessary on how the factors selected as relevant in 4.13 are affecting the property either negatively or positively

Lack of Management plan and unclear legal framework - the plan preparation is currently on-going process. The plan, as what we are aware right now, will - among the others - include directions for preaparing proposalls to adjust legal framework for managing the UNESCO World Heritage Objects. The plan should be prepared this (2023) year, however the date of approval is difficult to predict.

4.14. Other factor(s)

4.14.1 - Other factor(s)

4.15. Factors Summary Table

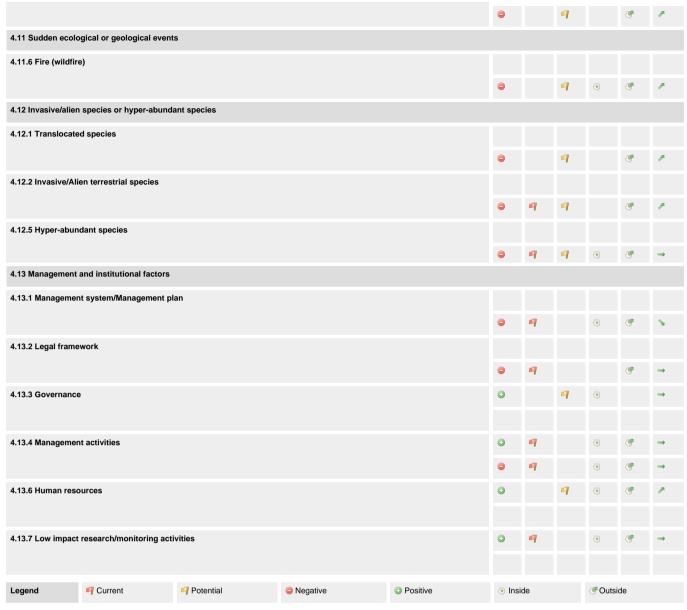
4.15.1 - Factors Summary Table

Name	Impact	npact		Origin		Trend
4.1 Buildings and Development						
4.1.1 Housing						
			9		G	\rightarrow
4.3 Services Infrastructures						
4.3.1 Water infrastructure	•	9			G	\rightarrow
			9			5
4.3.2 Renewable energy facilities	O		9			\rightarrow
			9		G	5
4.4 Pollution						
4.4.3 Surface water pollution						
			9	•	G	1
4.4.4 Air pollution						
			9		G	
4.4.5 Solid waste						

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			P	•		
4.5 Biological resource use/modification						
4.5.3 Land conversion	•		q		F	→
			q		G	\rightarrow
4.5.7 Subsistence wild plant collection						
			P	@		
4.5.9 Subsistence hunting	O	q	·			⇒
		•				
4.5.10 Forestry/Wood production			9		(G	
w.s. to rotest y/wood production	•		7		G	M
4.7 Local conditions affecting physical fabric						
4.7.1 Wind	O	9	4		F	
		9	9		C	-
4.7.3 Temperature						
		9	9		C	1
4.7.4 Radiation/Light						
			9		F	\rightarrow
4.7.6 Water (rain/water table)						
		q	P	•	G	S
4.7.7 Pests						
		4	A	•		<i>P</i>
4.7.8 Micro-organisms						
			q	•	G	\rightarrow
4.8 Social/Cultural uses of heritage						
4.8.5 Identity, social cohesion, changes in local population and community	•		q	•	F	7
			A	@	(\$	<i>p</i>
4.8.6 Impacts of tourism/Visitation/Recreation	O	q	_		₹ *	
		•			·	7
40 Other human cathida			7		G	
4.9 Other human activities						
4.9.2 Deliberate destruction of heritage						
			9		(→
4.9.3 Military training						
		9	9		C	N
4.9.4 War						
			9		G	\rightarrow
4.9.6 Civil unrest						
		q			G	\rightarrow
4.10 Climate change and severe weather events						
4.10.1 Storms						
			9		G	/
4.10.3 Drought						
			9		Œ	7
4.10.6 Temperature change						

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4.16. Assessment of current and potential positive and negative factors

4.16.1 - Assessment of current and potential negative and positive factors

4.1 Buildings and Development

Name	Impact Impact			Origin		Trend	
4.1.1 Hous	4.1.1 Housing						
				9		F	\rightarrow
Spatial age	ale - Area affected by the factor						
Spatial Sca	ale - Alea allected by the factor						
×	Restricted						
	Localised						
	Extensive						
	Widespread						
Temporal	scale - Occurence of the impact						
×	One off or rare						
	Intermittent or sporadic						
	Frequent						

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	On-going
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes
×	Insignificant
	Minor
	Significant
	Major
Manageme	ont response - Capacity of management to respond
	High capacity
	Medium capacity
	Low capacity
×	No capacity and / or resources
Trend - De	velopement over the last 6 years
	Decreasing
×	Static
	Increasing

4.3 Services Infrastructures

Name		Impact		Origin		Trend	
4.3.1 Water	infrastructure	0	9			Œ	\rightarrow
				9			•
Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor						
	Restricted						
×	Localised						
	Extensive						
	Widespread						
Temporal s	scale - Occurence of the impact						
	One off or rare						
	Intermittent or sporadic						
	Frequent						
×	On-going On-going						
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes						
	Insignificant						
×	Minor						
	Significant						
	Major						
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond						
	High capacity						
	Medium capacity						
	Low capacity						
×	No capacity and / or resources						
Trend - De	velopement over the last 6 years						
	Decreasing						

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×	Static
	Increasing

Name	Impact		Origin		Trend
4.3.2 Renewable energy facilities	•	9		→	
		9		C	•

Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor
×	Restricted
	Localised
	Extensive
	Widespread
Temporal s	scale - Occurence of the impact
×	One off or rare
	Intermittent or sporadic
	Frequent
	On-going On-going
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes
×	Insignificant
	Minor
	Significant
	Major
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond
	High capacity
	Medium capacity
×	Low capacity
	No capacity and / or resources
Trend - Dev	velopement over the last 6 years
	Decreasing
×	Static
	Increasing

4.4 Pollution

Name	Impact		npact		mpact		Origin			Trend
4.4.3 Surface water pollution										
			9	•	Œ	-				

			-		
Spatial sca	ale - Area affected by the factor				
	Restricted				
	Localised				
×	Extensive				
	Widespread				
Temporal s	scale - Occurence of the impact				
×	One off or rare				

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	Intermittent or sporadic					
	Frequent					
	On-going					
Impact -	mpact on the attributes					
	Insignificant					
	Minor					
×	Significant					
	Major					
Manager	ent response - Capacity of management to respond					
	High capacity					
	Medium capacity					
	Low capacity					
×	No capacity and / or resources					
Trend - I	evelopement over the last 6 years					
	Decreasing					
×	Static					
	Increasing					
Name		Impact		Origin		Trend
4.4.4 Air	oliution		~3		Œ	
			9		G.	
Spatial s	ale - Area affected by the factor					
	Restricted					
×	Localised					
	Extensive					
	Widespread					
Tempora	scale - Occurence of the impact					
	One off or rare					
×	Intermittent or sporadic					
	Frequent					
	On-going On-going					
Impact -	mpact on the attributes					
	Insignificant					
×	Minor					
	Significant					
	Major					
Manager	ent response - Capacity of management to respond					
	High capacity					
	Medium capacity					
×	Low capacity					
	No capacity and / or resources					
Trend - I						

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	Decreasing				
	Static				
×	Increasing				
Name		Impact		Origin	Trend
4.4.5 Solid	waste				
			9	•	
Spatial scal	e - Area affected by the factor				
×	Restricted				
	Localised				
	Extensive				
	Widespread				
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact				
×	One off or rare				
	Intermittent or sporadic				
	Frequent				
	On-going				
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes				
	Insignificant				
×	Minor				
	Significant				
	Major				
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond				
	High capacity				
×	Medium capacity				
	Low capacity				
	No capacity and / or resources				
Trend - Dev	elopement over the last 6 years				
	Decreasing				
×	Static				
	Increasing				

4.5 Biological resource use/modification

Name		Impact		Origin		Trend	
4.5.3 Land	4.5.3 Land conversion		③		9 3		\rightarrow
				9		C	→
Spatial sca	lle - Area affected by the factor						
×	Restricted						
	Localised						
	Extensive						
	Widespread						
Temporal s	Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact						

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×	One off or rare				
	Intermittent or sporadic				
	Frequent				
	On-going				
Impact - Ir	npact on the attributes				
	Insignificant				
×	Minor				
	Significant				
	Major				
Managem	ent response - Capacity of management to respond				
	High capacity				
	Medium capacity				
×	Low capacity				
	No capacity and / or resources				
Trend - De	evelopement over the last 6 years				
	Decreasing				
×	Static				
	Increasing				
Name		Impact		Origin	Trend
4.5.7 Subs	istence wild plant collection				
			q	•	
Spatial sc	ale - Area affected by the factor				
×	Restricted				
	Localised				
	Extensive				
	Extensive Widespread				
Temporal					
Temporal ×	Widespread				
	Widespread scale - Occurence of the impact				
	Widespread scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare				
	Widespread scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic				
×	Widespread scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent				
×	Widespread scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going				
X Impact - Ir	Widespread scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going npact on the attributes				
X Impact - Ir	Widespread Scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Inpact on the attributes Insignificant				
X Impact - Ir	Widespread scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Inpact on the attributes Insignificant Minor				
Impact - Ir	Widespread scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Inpact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant				
X Impact - Ir	Widespread Scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Inpact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major				
Impact - Ir	Scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Inpact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major ent response - Capacity of management to respond				
X Impact - Ir	Widespread scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Inpact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major ent response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity				
Impact - Ir	Scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Inpact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major ent response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity				

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Trend - Dev	velopement over the last 6 years						
	Decreasing						
×	Static						
	Increasing						
Name		Impact			Origin		Trend
4.5.9 Subsi	stence hunting	•	q				\rightarrow
Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor						
	Restricted						
	Localised						
×	Extensive						
	Widespread						
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact						
	One off or rare						
	Intermittent or sporadic						
	Frequent						
×	On-going On-going						
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes						
	Insignificant						
×	Minor						
	Significant						
	Major						
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond						
	High capacity						
×	Medium capacity						
	Low capacity						
	No capacity and / or resources						
Trend - Dev	velopement over the last 6 years						
	Decreasing						
×	Static						
	Increasing						
Name	stry/Wood production	Impact		9	Origin	Œ	Trend
4.5.101016	sa y wood production			-1		G	70
Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor						
×	Restricted						
	Localised						
	Extensive						
	Widespread						
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact						

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	One off or rare
×	Intermittent or sporadic
	Frequent
	On-going On-going
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes
	Insignificant
×	Minor
	Significant
	Major
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond
	High capacity
	Medium capacity
×	Low capacity
	No capacity and / or resources
Trend - Dev	velopement over the last 6 years
×	Decreasing
	Static
	Increasing

4.7 Local conditions affecting physical fabric

A7.1 Wind Spatial scale - Area affected by the factor Restricted ***Localised Extensive Widespread Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant **Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity	Name		Impact Origin		Origin		Trend	
Spatial scale - Area affected by the factor Restricted Localised Extensive Widespread Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity	4.7.1 Wind		•	q	9		Œ	
Restricted Localised Extensive Widespread Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity				q	9		G	-
Restricted Localised Extensive Widespread Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity								
Extensive Widespread Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity	Spatial sca	ile - Area affected by the factor						
Extensive Widespread Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare X Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant X Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity		Restricted						
Widespread Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity	×	Localised						
Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity		Extensive						
Management response - Capacity of management to respond Medium capacity Medium capacity Intermittent or sporadic Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major Medium capacity		Widespread						
Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant X Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity	Temporal s	scale - Occurence of the impact						
Frequent On-going Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity		One off or rare						
Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity	×	Intermittent or sporadic						
Impact - Impact on the attributes Insignificant Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity		Frequent						
Insignificant Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity		On-going						
Minor Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity	Impact - Im	npact on the attributes						
Significant Major Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity		Insignificant						
Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity	×	Minor						
Management response - Capacity of management to respond High capacity Medium capacity		Significant						
High capacity Medium capacity		Major						
Medium capacity	Manageme	ent response - Capacity of management to respond						
		High capacity						
		Medium capacity						
Low capacity		Low capacity						

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×	No capacity and / or resources
Trend - Dev	relopement over the last 6 years
	Decreasing
	Static
×	Increasing

Name	Impact	Impact		Origin		
4.7.3 Temperature						
		4	9		Œ	1
Spatial scale - Area affected by the factor						
Restricted						

Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor
	Restricted
	Localised
	Extensive
×	Widespread
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact
	One off or rare
	Intermittent or sporadic
	Frequent
×	On-going On-going
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes
	Insignificant
	Minor
×	Significant
	Major
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond
	High capacity
	Medium capacity
	Low capacity
×	No capacity and / or resources
Trend - Dev	velopement over the last 6 years
	Decreasing
	Static
×	Increasing

Name	Impact	t		Origin		Trend
4.7.4 Radiation/Light						
			9		C	→

Spatial sca	Spatial scale - Area affected by the factor				
×	Restricted				
	Localised				
	Extensive				
	Widespread				

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	scale - Occurence of the impact						
×	One off or rare						
	Intermittent or sporadic						
	Frequent						
	On-going Control of the Control of t						
Impact - In	pact on the attributes						
×	Insignificant						
	Minor						
	Significant						
	Major						
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond						
	High capacity						
	Medium capacity						
	Low capacity						
×	No capacity and / or resources						
Trend - De	velopement over the last 6 years						
	Decreasing						
×	Static						
	Increasing						
Name		Impact	i		Origin		Trend
4.7.6 Wate	(rain/water table)	_		_	•		
				<u> </u>	•	G	
Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor						
	Restricted						
	Localised						
	Extensive						
×	Widespread						
Temporal	scale - Occurence of the impact						
	One off or rare						
	Intermittent or sporadic						
	Frequent						
×	On-going						
Impact - In	pact on the attributes						
	Insignificant						
	Minor						
	Significant						
×	Major						
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond						
	High capacity						
	Medium capacity						
×	Low capacity						
	No capacity and / or resources						

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Trend - Developement over the last 6 years							
	Decreasing						
	Static						
×	Increasing						
Name		Impact			Origin		Trend
4.7.7 Pests							
			9	9	•		
Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor						
	Restricted						
×	Localised						
	Extensive						
	Widespread						
Temporal s	Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact						
	One off or rare						
	Intermittent or sporadic						
×	Frequent						
	On-going On-going						
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes						
	Insignificant						
	Minor						
×	Significant						
	Major						
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond						
	High capacity						
	Medium capacity						
×	Low capacity						
	No capacity and / or resources						
Trend - Dev	relopement over the last 6 years						
	Decreasing						
	Static						
×	Increasing						
Name		Impact		Origin		Trend	
4.7.8 Micro	organisms			~3		18	
				4	•	G	\Rightarrow
Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor						
×	Restricted						
	Localised						
	Extensive						
	Widespread						
Temporal s	Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact						

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×	One off or rare
	Intermittent or sporadic
	Frequent
	On-going
Impact - Im	spact on the attributes
	Insignificant
×	Minor
	Significant
	Major
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond
	High capacity
	Medium capacity
	Low capacity
×	No capacity and / or resources
Trend - De	velopement over the last 6 years
	Decreasing
×	Static
	Increasing

4.8 Social/Cultural uses of heritage

Name		Impact		Origin		Trend
4.8.5 Identi	4.8.5 Identity, social cohesion, changes in local population and community		9	•	F	-
			9	•	F	/
0 411						
Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor					
	Restricted					
	Localised					
×	Extensive					
	Widespread					
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact					
	One off or rare					
	Intermittent or sporadic					
	Frequent					
×	On-going					
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes					
	Insignificant					
×	Minor					
	Significant					
	Major					
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond					
	High capacity					
	Medium capacity					
	Low capacity					

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×	No capacity and / or resources				
Trend - Developement over the last 6 years					
	Decreasing				
	Static				
×	Increasing				

×	Increasing							
Name		Impact			Origin		Trend	
4.8.6 Impa	8.6 Impacts of tourism/Visitation/Recreation			Œ				
				9		Œ	1	
Spatial sca	ale - Area affected by the factor							
	Restricted							
×	Localised							
	Extensive							
	Widespread							
Temporal	scale - Occurence of the impact							
	One off or rare							
	Intermittent or sporadic							
×	Frequent							
	On-going							
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes							
	Insignificant							
×	Minor							
	Significant							
	Major							
Manageme	ent response - Capacity of management to respond							
	High capacity							
	Medium capacity							
×	Low capacity							
	No capacity and / or resources							
Trend - De	Trend - Developement over the last 6 years							

4.9 Other human activities

Decreasing
Static
Increasing

Name	Impact	:		Origin		Trend
4.9.2 Deliberate destruction of heritage						
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Spatial sca	ale - Area affected by the factor
×	Restricted
	Localised
	Extensive

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	Widespread						
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact						
×	One off or rare						
	Intermittent or sporadic						
	Frequent						
	On-going						
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes						
×	Insignificant						
	Minor						
	Significant						
	Major						
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond						
	High capacity						
	Medium capacity						
×	Low capacity						
	No capacity and / or resources						
Trend - Dev	relopement over the last 6 years						
	Decreasing						
×	Static						
	Increasing						
Name		Impact	t		Origin		Trend
Name 4.9.3 Militar	y training	Impact	i.		Origin		Trend
	y training	Impact	9	9	Origin	Œ	Trend
4.9.3 Militar	y training le - Area affected by the factor			9	Origin	Œ	Trend
4.9.3 Militar				q	Origin	E	Trend
4.9.3 Militar	le - Area affected by the factor			9	Origin	Œ	Trend
4.9.3 Militar	le - Area affected by the factor Restricted			q	Origin	G	Trend
4.9.3 Militar	le - Area affected by the factor Restricted Localised			व	Origin	G	Trend
4.9.3 Militar	le - Area affected by the factor Restricted Localised Extensive			9	Origin	Œ	Trend
4.9.3 Militar	le - Area affected by the factor Restricted Localised Extensive Widespread			व	Origin	(Trend
4.9.3 Militar	le - Area affected by the factor Restricted Localised Extensive Widespread cale - Occurence of the impact			4	Origin	(F	Trend
4.9.3 Militar	le - Area affected by the factor Restricted Localised Extensive Widespread cale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare			व	Origin	©	Trend
4.9.3 Militar	le - Area affected by the factor Restricted Localised Extensive Widespread cale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic			q	Origin	E	Trend
4.9.3 Militar Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor Restricted Localised Extensive Widespread cale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent			न	Origin	4	Trend
4.9.3 Militar Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor Restricted Localised Extensive Widespread cale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going			4	Origin	4	Trend
4.9.3 Militar Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor Restricted Localised Extensive Widespread cale - Occurence of the impact One off or rare Intermittent or sporadic Frequent On-going pact on the attributes			9	Origin		Trend
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	Low capacity			
×	No capacity and / or resources			
Trend - Dev	Trend - Developement over the last 6 years			
	Decreasing			
	Static			
×	Increasing			

Name	Impact	Impact			Origin	
4.9.4 War						
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Spatial scale - Area affected by the factor						

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Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor				
	Restricted				
	Localised				
	Extensive				
×	Widespread				
Temporal s	scale - Occurence of the impact				
×	One off or rare				
	Intermittent or sporadic				
	Frequent				
	On-going				
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes				
	Insignificant				
	Minor				
	Significant				
×	Major				
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond				
	High capacity				
	Medium capacity				
	Low capacity				
×	No capacity and / or resources				
Trend - De	velopement over the last 6 years				
	Decreasing				
	Static				
×	Increasing				

Name	Impact	Impact		Origin		Trend
4.9.6 Civil unrest						
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Spatial sca	Spatial scale - Area affected by the factor					
	Restricted					
×	Localised					
	Extensive					

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	Widespread
Temporal	scale - Occurence of the impact
	One off or rare
	Intermittent or sporadic
	Frequent
×	On-going
Impact - Im	npact on the attributes
	Insignificant
×	Minor
	Significant
	Major
Manageme	ent response - Capacity of management to respond
	High capacity
	Medium capacity
	Low capacity
×	No capacity and / or resources
Trend - De	velopement over the last 6 years
	Decreasing
	Static
×	Increasing

4.10 Climate change and severe weather events

Name		Impact	Origin		npact		act Origin		Trend
4.10.1 Stor	ms								
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Spatial sca	ale - Area affected by the factor								
	Restricted								
×	Localised								
	Extensive								
	Widespread								
Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact									
	One off or rare								
×	Intermittent or sporadic								
	Frequent								
	On-going								
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes								
	Insignificant								
×	Minor								
	Significant								
	Major								
Manageme	ent response - Capacity of management to respond								
	High capacity								

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	Medium capacity					
×	Low capacity					
	No capacity and / or resources					
Trend - Dev	relopement over the last 6 years					
	Decreasing					
	Static					
×	Increasing					
Name		Impact		Origin		Trend
4.10.3 Drou	ght					
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Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor					
	Restricted					
	Localised					
×	Extensive					
	Widespread					
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact					
	One off or rare					
×	Intermittent or sporadic					
	Frequent					
	On-going					
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes					
	Insignificant					
	Minor					
×	Significant					
	Major					
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond					
	High capacity					
	Medium capacity					
×	Low capacity					
	No capacity and / or resources					
Trend - Dev	relopement over the last 6 years					
	Decreasing					
	Static					
×	Increasing					
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Name 4.10.6 Tem	perature change	Impact		Origin		Trend
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Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor					
	Restricted					
	Localised					

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	Extensive
×	Widespread
Temporal	scale - Occurence of the impact
	One off or rare
	Intermittent or sporadic
	Frequent
×	On-going
Impact - Im	npact on the attributes
	Insignificant
	Minor
×	Significant
	Major
Manageme	ent response - Capacity of management to respond
	High capacity
	Medium capacity
×	Low capacity
	No capacity and / or resources
Trend - De	velopement over the last 6 years
	Decreasing
	Static
×	Increasing

4.11 Sudden ecological or geological events

Name	Impact		Origin		Trend	
4.11.6 Fire (wildfire)						
			9	•	G	-
Spatial scale - Area affected by the factor						

Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor
	Restricted
×	Localised
	Extensive
	Widespread
Temporal s	scale - Occurence of the impact
	One off or rare
×	Intermittent or sporadic
	Frequent
	On-going On-going
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes
	Insignificant
×	Minor
	Significant
	Major
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond

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	High capacity
×	Medium capacity
	Low capacity
	No capacity and / or resources
Trend - De	velopement over the last 6 years
Trend - De	Decreasing
×	

4.12 Invasive/alien species or hyper-abundant species

Name		Impact		Origin		Trend	
4.12.1 Tran	4.12.1 Translocated species						
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Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor						
	Restricted						
×	Localised						
	Extensive						
	Widespread						
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact						
	One off or rare						
×	Intermittent or sporadic						
	Frequent						
	On-going On-going						
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes						
	Insignificant						
×	Minor						
	Significant						
	Major						
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond						
	High capacity						
×	Medium capacity						
	Low capacity						
	No capacity and / or resources						
Trend - Dev	velopement over the last 6 years						
	Decreasing						
	Static						
×	Increasing						

Name	Impact		Origin		Trend	
4.12.2 Invasive/Alien terrestrial species						
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Spatial scale - Area affected by the factor

	Restricted					
	Localised					
×	Extensive					
	Widespread					
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact					
	One off or rare					
	Intermittent or sporadic					
	Frequent					
×	On-going On-going					
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes					
	Insignificant					
×	Minor					
	Significant					
	Major					
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond					
	High capacity					
×	Medium capacity					
	Low capacity					
	No capacity and / or resources					
Trend - Dev	elopement over the last 6 years					
	Decreasing					
	Static					
×	Increasing					
Name		Impact		Origin		Trend
4.12.5 Hype	r-abundant species					
			E)	•	(F	\Rightarrow
Spatial sca	e - Area affected by the factor					
	Restricted					
×	Localised					
	Extensive					
	Widespread					
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact					
	One off or rare					
	Intermittent or sporadic					

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On-going

Impact - Impact on the attributes

Insignificant

Minor

Significant

Major

Manageme	Management response - Capacity of management to respond				
	High capacity				
	Medium capacity				
×	Low capacity				
	No capacity and / or resources				
Trend - De	velopement over the last 6 years				
	Decreasing				
	Static				
×	Increasing				

4.13 Management and institutional factors

4.13.1 Management system/Management plan		
	Œ	•
Spatial scale - Area affected by the factor		
Restricted		
Localised		
X Extensive		
Widespread		
Temporal scale - Occurence of the impact		
One off or rare		
Intermittent or sporadic		
Frequent		
✗ On-going		
Impact - Impact on the attributes		
Insignificant		
Minor		
X Significant		
Major		
Management response - Capacity of management to respond		
High capacity		
Medium capacity		
Low capacity		
No capacity and / or resources		
Trend - Developement over the last 6 years		
Decreasing		
Static		
Increasing		

Name	Impact	Origin	Trend
4.13.2 Legal framework			

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Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor						
	Restricted						
	Localised						
×	Extensive						
	Widespread						
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact						
	One off or rare						
	Intermittent or sporadic						
	Frequent						
×	On-going						
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes						
	Insignificant						
	Minor						
×	Significant						
	Major						
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond						
	High capacity						
	Medium capacity						
×	Low capacity						
	No capacity and / or resources						
Trend - Dev	velopement over the last 6 years						
	Decreasing						
×	Static						
	Increasing						
Name		Impact			Origin		Trend
4.13.3 Gove	ernance	•		9	•		→
Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor						
	Restricted						
	Localised						
	Extensive						
×	Widespread						
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact						
	One off or rare						
	Intermittent or sporadic						
	Frequent						
×	On-going						
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes						
	Insignificant						
×	Minor						

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	Significant					
	Major					
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond					
	High capacity					
×	Medium capacity					
	Low capacity					
	No capacity and / or resources					
Trend - Dev	relopement over the last 6 years					
	Decreasing					
×	Static					
	Increasing					
Name		Impact		Origin		Trend
4.13.4 Mana	agement activities	O	9	•	(→
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Spatial sca	le - Area affected by the factor					
×	Restricted					
	Localised					
	Extensive					
	Widespread					
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact					
	One off or rare					
	Intermittent or sporadic					
×	Frequent					
	On-going					
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes					
	Insignificant					
	Minor					
×	Significant					
	Major					
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond					
×	High capacity					
	Medium capacity					
	Low capacity					
	No capacity and / or resources					
Trend - Dev	relopement over the last 6 years					
	Decreasing					
×	Static					
	Increasing					
Name		Impact		Origin		Trend

4.13.6 Human resources

Spatial sca	e - Area affected by the factor					
	Restricted					
	Localised					
×	Extensive					
	Widespread					
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact					
	One off or rare					
	Intermittent or sporadic					
	Frequent					
×	On-going On-going					
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes					
	Insignificant					
	Minor					
×	Significant					
	Major					
Manageme	nt response - Capacity of management to respond					
	High capacity					
×	Medium capacity					
	Low capacity					
	No capacity and / or resources					
Trend - Dev	elopement over the last 6 years					
	Decreasing					
×	Static					
	Increasing					
Name		Impact			gin	Trend
4.13.7 Low	mpact research/monitoring activities	•	9	•	G	→
Spatial sca	e - Area affected by the factor					
	Restricted					
	Localised					
×	Extensive					
	Widespread					
Temporal s	cale - Occurence of the impact					
	One off or rare					
	Intermittent or sporadic					
×	Frequent					
	On-going					
Impact - Im	pact on the attributes					
	Insignificant					
×	Minor					

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	Significant
	Major
Manageme	ent response - Capacity of management to respond
	High capacity
×	Medium capacity
	Low capacity
	No capacity and / or resources
Trend - De	velopement over the last 6 years
	Decreasing
×	Static
	Increasing

4.17. Serial inscriptions (national or transnational)

4.17.1 - If your property is a serial inscription (national or transnational) please identify which components of the property are impacted by each factor

4.18. Prediction of the state of conservation at next cycle of Periodic Reporting.

4.18.1 - Please predict what the state of conservation of each attribute will be approximately 6 years from now (at the time of the next cycle of Periodic Reporting)

	Attribute	Preserved	Compromised	Seriously compromised	Lost
4.18.1.1					
4.18.1.2					
4.18.1.3					
4.18.1.4					
4.18.1.5					

5. Protection and Management of the Property

5.1. Boundaries and Buffer Zones

5.1.1 - Are the boundaries of the World Heritage property adequate to maintain the property's Outstanding Universal Value?

The boundaries are **adequate to maintain** the property's Outstanding Universal Value

5.1.2 - Are the boundaries of the World Heritage property known and recognised?

The boundaries are known by the management authority but are not known by local communities/landowners

5.1.3 - Are the buffer zone(s) of the World Heritage property adequate to maintain the property's Outstanding Universal Value?

The buffer zones are adequate to maintain the property's Outstanding Universal Value

5.1.4 - Are the boundaries of the buffer zones known and recognised?

The buffer zones of the World Heritage property are known and recognised by the management authority but are not known by local communities/landowners

5.1.5 - Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to boundaries and buffer zones of the World Heritage property

5.2. Protective Measures

5.2.1 - Protective designation (legal, regulatory, contractual, planning, institutional and/or traditional).

Belarus

The legal basis for the conservation of biological diversity in the Republic of Belarus is structured around general and special laws; particularly, the Land Code of the Republic of Belarus (1999), Forest Code (2000), the Law of the Republic of Belarus on Special Protected Natural Areas (1994, 2000), the Law of the Republic of Belarus on State Ecological Examination (Environmental Impact assessment) (2000).

- Laws of the Republic of Belarus "On the Environment Protection" (1992),
- "On Specially Protected Natural Territories" (1994),
- "On Use of the Animal World" (1996);
- Land Code of the Republic of Belarus (1999);
- Law of the Republic of Belarus "On Flora" (2003);
- Forest Code of the Republic of Belarus (2000);
- Decree of the Belarusian President No.59 of 02/09/2012, which approved the Regulation on Belovezhskaya Puscha National Park

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Poland

Protected areas in Poland have been established under the 16th October 1991 Act of Nature Protection. The Act defines the concept of a national park as well as other forms of nature protection, whereby national parks in Poland are given the highest degree of protection which is administratively implemented by the state.

In order to ensure the proper functioning of the Bialowieza National Park and its protection, the protection plan, according to the art. 20 of the Nature Conservation Act from 16th April 2004 (Journal of Laws, 2009, no. 151, item 1220, with later amendments), is prepared for the period of 20 years. Regulations of art. 18, 19 and 20 of the quoted act define who and when prepares the project of the protection plan for the national park. They also define the range of information which should be considered while preparing the project of the protection plan and what elements the project should contain. According to art. 30 sec. 1 in connection with the art. 29 of the act, the protection plan of the national park become the protection plan for the Natura 2000 area situated within the borders of the Park.

Nature Conservation Act (Poland; 16th April 2004 / Journal of Laws, 2009, no. 151, item 1220, with later amendments)
 Source: Periodic Reporting Cycle 2

Comment

There is also the area of the Natura 2000 outside the national park, managed by State Forests. For this area, according to the Nature Conservation Act, there is a separate protection plan, or protective tasks plan. Also, according to the Forest Law Act (September 28th 1991), each forest district has its' own management plan (covering the period of 10 years).

5.2.2 - Please list any legislation and other measures (regulatory -including spatial planning- contractual, institutional or traditional) not included in 5.2.1 and indicate the category

1991 / Forest Act / Act / yes / https://isap.sejm.gov.pl/isap.nsf/download.xsp/WDU19911010444/U/D19910444Lj.pdf

5.2.3 - Is the legal framework (i.e. legislation and/or regulation including spatial planning) adequate for maintaining the Outstanding Universal Value including conditions of Integrity and/or Authenticity of the property?

An adequate legal framework for maintaining of the Outstanding Universal Value including conditions of Authenticity and/or Integrity of the World Heritage property exists but there are some deficiencies in implementation

5.2.4 - Is the legal framework (i.e. legislation and/or regulation) adequate in the buffer zone for maintaining the Outstanding Universal Value including conditions of Integrity and/or Authenticity of the property?

The legal framework in the buffer zone for the maintenance of the Outstanding Universal Value including conditions of Authenticity and/or Integrity of the World Heritage property provides an adequate basis for effective management and protection

5.2.5 - Is the legal framework (i.e. legislation and/or regulation) in the broader setting of the World Heritage property adequate for maintaining the Outstanding Universal Value including conditions of Integrity and/or Authenticity of the property?

The legal framework for the broader setting of the World Heritage property is inadequate to ensure the maintenance of the Outstanding Universal Value including conditions of Authenticity and/or Integrity of the property

5.2.6 - Can the legal framework (i.e. legislation and/or regulation) be enforced?

There is acceptable capacity/resources to enforce legislation and/or regulation in the World Heritage property but some deficiencies of enforcement remain

- 5.2.7 Please provide a short summary of how the legislation, including spatial planning and other regulation, works in practice
- 5.2.8 Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations about the information related to the measures taken to protect the World Heritage property
- 5.3. Management System/Management Plan
- 5.3.1 Please check the box which most closely match the character of the governance and management system of the property Public management system joint national/ local
- If 'Other', please specify
- 5.3.2 Management System: Please indicate which of the various management tools listed below are used to help protect the property.

A statutory Management Plan or zoning plan for the property.

Traditional ways of management recognised by local communities and other specific groups

A disaster, climate or conflict risk management plan

5.3.3 - Please give a brief description of the management system currently in place at your property

An integrated management plan praparation combining World Heritage and any other designations is currently an on-going process. The initial deadline of its' preparation was March 2023. Submitting the project of the plan will be followed by public consultation and later on approved. The date of an official approval is difficult to predict.

- 5.3.4 Management Documents
- 5.3.5 Has any use been made of the 2011 Recommendation on the Historic Urban Landscape in developing policies and best practices for the protection of this property?

The 2011 Recommendation on the Historic Urban Landscape is **not relevant** to this property

- 5.3.6 If the Historic Urban Landscape Recommendation has been used at this property, please describe briefly what has been done.
- 5.3.7 Has any use been made of the Policy Document on the Impacts of Climate Change on World Heritage Properties at the property?

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Some use has been made of the World Heritage Policy for Climate Change

- 5.3.8 If the Climate Change policy has been used, please briefly describe what has been done along with any research on the impacts of Climate Change on the property:
- 5.3.9 Has any use been made of the Strategy for Reducing Risks from Disasters at World Heritage Properties at the property? Some use has been made of the Strategy for Reducing Risks from Disasters at World Heritage Properties
- 5.3.10 If the Strategy for Reducing Risks from Disasters at World Heritage Properties has been used, please briefly describe what has been done
- 5.3.11 Rate the coordination between the various levels of administration (i.e. national/federal; regional/provincial/state; local/municipal etc.) involved in the management of the World Heritage property

There is coordination between the range of administrative bodies involved in the management of the property, but it could be improved

5.3.12 - Is the management system/plan adequate to maintain the property's Outstanding Universal Value?

The management system/plan is only partially adequate to maintain the property's Outstanding Universal Value

5.3.13 - Is the management system being implemented?

The management system is being only partially implemented

5.3.14 - Is there an annual work/action plan and is it being implemented?

No annual work/action plan exists and it is not needed

5.3.15 - Does the management system include formal mechanisms and procedures that ensure participation and contribution of the following groups, living within or near the World Heritage property and/or buffer zone in management decisions that maintain the Outstanding Universal Value of the property?

		Not applicable	No mechanisms for participation	Some participation	Direct participation	Transformative participation in all relevant decision processes
5.3.15.1	Local communities			×		
5.3.15.2	Local authorities			×		
5.3.15.3	Landowners in the property and the buffer zone			×		
5.3.15.4	Indigenous peoples	×				
5.3.15.5	Women			×		
5.3.15.6	Other specific groups	×				
	If you selected, 'Other specific groups' please specify					

5.3.16 - Please rate the cooperation/relationship between the World Heritage property managers/coordinators/staff and the following groups

		Not applicable	Non-existent	Poor	Fair	Good
5.3.16.1	Local communities				×	
5.3.16.2	Local/Municipal authorities				×	
5.3.16.3	Indigenous peoples	×				
5.3.16.4	Landowners			×		
5.3.16.5	Women				×	
5.3.16.6	Youth/Children				×	
5.3.16.7	Researchers				×	
5.3.16.8	Local Visitors/Tourists				×	
5.3.16.9	National/International tourists				×	
5.3.16.10	Tourism Industry			×		
5.3.16.11	Local businesses and industries			×		
5.3.16.12	NGOs				×	
5.3.16.13	Other specific groups	×				
	If you selected 'Other specific groups', please specify					

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5.3.17 - Please rate the extent to which the management system of your property contributes towards achieving the objectives of the World Heritage Committee's Policy for the Integration of a Sustainable Development Perspective into the Processes of the World Heritage Convention

		Not applicable	No contribution	Limited	Significant	Full achievement
5.3.17.1	The management system of the property contributes to gender equality	×				
5.3.17.2	The management system of the property provides ecosystem services/benefits to the local community (e.g. fresh air, water, food, medicinal plants)			×		
5.3.17.3	The management system of the property contributes to social inclusion and equity, improving opportunities for all, irrespective of age, sex, disability, ethnicity, origin, religion or economic or other status		×			
5.3.17.4	The management system of the property integrates a human rights-based approach	×				
5.3.17.5	The management system of the property contributes to fostering inclusive local economic development, and to enhancing livelihood		×			
5.3.17.6	The management system of the property contributes to conflict prevention, including respect for cultural diversity within and around the World Heritage property		×			

- 5.3.18 Please provide further details on the ratings of the management system given in the table above
- 5.3.19 Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to the management system/plan
- 6. Financial and Human Resources
- 6.1. Funding

6.1.1 - If your funding sources do not exactly fit those shown, put the relevant amounts against the funding type that most closely represents your situation, and use the comment box below to provide more details.

		Project costs	Running costs
6.1.1.1	Multilateral funding (GEF, World Bank, etc.)	0 %	0 %
6.1.1.2	Bilateral international funding	0 %	0 %
6.1.1.3	World Heritage Fund (International Assistance)	0 %	0 %
6.1.1.4	Contribution from other conventions and programmes	85 %	0 %
6.1.1.5	International donations (NGOs, foundations, etc.)	0 %	0 %
6.1.1.6	Governmental (national/federal)	15 %	45 %
6.1.1.7	Governmental (regional/provincial/state)	0 %	9 %
6.1.1.8	Governmental (local/municipal)	0 %	45 %
6.1.1.9	In-country donations (NGOs, foundations, etc.)	0 %	0 %
6.1.1.10	Individual visitor charges (e.g. entry, toilets, parking, camping fees, etc.)	0 %	1 %
6.1.1.11	Commercial activities (e.g. merchandising and catering, filming permit, concessions, etc.)	0 %	0 %
6.1.1.12	Other	0 %	0 %
		Total 100 %	Total 100 %

- 6.1.2 Please comment here on any other aspects of funding sources not covered in the table above
- 6.1.3 Is the current budget sufficient to manage the World Heritage property effectively?

The available **budget is acceptable** but **could be further improved** to fully meet the management needs

6.1.4 - Are the existing sources of funding secure and likely to remain so?

The existing sources of funding are not secure

- 6.1.5 Comments, conclusion, and/or recommendations related to finance and infrastructure
- 6.1.6 Estimate the distribution of men and women involved in the management, conservation, interpretation of the World Heritage properties and the extent to which they are drawn from local communities.

		From local communities %	From elsewhere %
6.1.6.1	Men	50 %	40 %
6.1.6.2	Women	50 %	60 %
		Total 100 %	Total 100 %

6.1.7 - Are available human resources adequate to manage the World Heritage property?

No human resources are dedicated to managing the property despite an identified need

6.1.8 - Considering the management needs of the World Heritage property, please rate the availability of professionals in the following disciplines

Conservation	Good
Environmental sustainability	Poor
Community participation and inclusion	Poor
Risk preparedness	Fair
Capacity development and education	Fair
Administration	Good
Research and monitoring	Fair
Awareness raising and public information/communication	Poor
Marketing and promotion	Poor
Interpretation	Fair
Visitor management/tourism	Good
Enforcement (custodians, police)	Poor

6.1.9 - Please rate the availability of training opportunities for the management of the World Heritage property in the following disciplines

Conservation	Fair
Environmental sustainability	Fair
Community participation and inclusion	Poor
Risk preparedness	Not available
Capacity development and education	Poor
Administration	Fair
Research and monitoring	Fair
Awareness raising and public information/communication	Not available
Marketing and promotion	Poor
Interpretation	Poor
Visitor management/tourism	Fair
Enforcement (custodians, police)	Poor

6.1.10 - Has any use been made of the World Heritage Strategy for Capacity Building at the property?

Some use has been made of the World Heritage Strategy for Capacity Building

- 6.1.11 If the World Heritage Strategy for Capacity Building has been used, please briefly describe what has been done.
- 6.1.12 Are there site-specific capacity building plans or programmes that develop local expertise and that contribute to the transfer of skills for the conservation and management of the World Heritage property?

There is no site-based capacity building plan or programme in place; management is implemented by external staff and skills are not transferred

- 6.1.13 Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to human resources, expertise and training
- 7. Scientific Studies and Research Projects
- 7.1 Is there adequate knowledge (scientific or traditional) about the values and attributes of the World Heritage property to support planning, management and decision-making to ensure that Outstanding Universal Value is maintained?

Knowledge about the values $\,$ and attributes of the World Heritage property is $\,$ insufficient $\,$

7.2 - Is there a planned programme of research at the property which is directed towards management needs and/or improving understanding of Outstanding Universal Value?

There is considerable research but it is not directed towards management needs and/or improving understanding of Outstanding Universal Value

7.3 - Are results from research programmes publicly available and disseminated?

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7.4 - Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to scientific studies and research projects

7.3 The most acurate answear to this question would be: Research results are ahared with local communities and some national agencies, but there is a big gap between research results and its use in everyday practice.

8. Education, Information and Awareness Building

8.1 - Please rate the awareness and understanding of the existence and justification for inscription of the World Heritage property amongst the following groups

Local communities	Fair
Local/municipal authorities	Good
Indigenous peoples	Not applicable
Landowners	Poor
Women	Fair
Youth/children	Poor
Researchers	Good
Local visitors	Fair
National/international tourists	Poor
Tourism industry	Fair
Local businesses and industries	Fair
NGOs	Good
Other specific groups	Not applicable
If you selected 'Other specific groups', please describe	

8.2 - Does the property have a heritage education programme(s) for children and/or youth, that can contribute to a better understanding of heritage, promote diversity and foster intercultural dialogue?

There is a **limited and ad hoc education** and awareness programme for children and/or youth

8.3 - Who are the target audiences for education and awareness programmes at your property?

Youth/children	
Local Visitors	
National/international tourists	

8.4 - Please rate the adequacy of the following visitor facilities and services at the World Heritage property for education, information, interpretation and awareness building

Visitor centre	Fair
Site museum	Not provided but needed
Information booths	Not needed
Guided tours	Good
Trails/routes	Good
Printed information materials	Poor
Online (website, social media, etc.)	Fair
Transportation facilities	Poor
Other	Not needed
If 'Other' is selected, please specify	

8.5 - Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to education, information and awareness building

9. Visitor Management

9.1 - Please provide estimated annual visitor numbers (including national and international visitors) since the last Periodic Report

10000 / 143000 / 159000 / 174000 / 156000 /

9.2 - What information sources are used to collect visitor statistics?

Entry tickets and registries

9.3 - What is the average length stay of a visitor to the World Heritage property?

Overnight stay

- 9.4 Please provide the source of information
- 9.5 What is the approximate average daily visitor expenditure? (Please provide an estimated monetary figure in USD)

45 / 25 / 40 / 15 / 10 / 12 /

- 9.6 Please provide the source of information
- 9.7 Does the management system/plan for the World Heritage property include a strategy with an action plan to manage visitors, tourism activity and its derived economic, socio-cultural and environmental impacts?

There is no strategy to manage visitors, tourism activity and its derived impacts on the World Heritage property

- 9.8 Please provide any comments relating to the answer provided above in question 9.7
- 9.9 Is visitor use effectively managed to maintain the Outstanding Universal Value of the property?

There is some management of the visitor use of the World Heritage property

9.10 - Is the effectiveness of tourism management regularly monitored?

No

If a different system, please specify

9.11 - How does the tourism industry cooperate with the site management to improve visitor experiences and maintain the Outstanding Universal Value of the World Heritage property?

There is contact between those responsible for the World Heritage property and the tourism industry but this is largely confined to administrative or regulatory matters

9.12 - How well is the information on the Outstanding Universal Value of the property presented and interpreted?

The presentation and interpretation of the Outstanding Universal Value of the property is acceptable but improvements could be made

9.13 - At how many locations is the World Heritage emblem displayed at the property?

In many locations and easily visible to visitors

9.14 - How does visitor/tourism revenue (e.g. entry charges, permits) contribute to the management of the World Heritage property? Fees are collected, and make some contribution to the management of the World Heritage property

9.15 - Are there locally driven sustainable tourism initiatives?

Yes

If 'Yes', please specify

9.16 - Are the benefits of tourism shared with local communities?

Yes

If 'Yes', please specify

taxes

9.17 - Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to visitation/tourism/public use of the World Heritage property

10. Monitoring

10.1 - Is there a monitoring programme at the property directed towards management needs and/or towards improving the understanding of the Outstanding Universal Value?

There is a small amount of monitoring, but it is not planned

10.2 - Is necessary information available in order to define key indicators for measuring the state of conservation and are they used in monitoring how the Outstanding Universal Value of the property is being maintained?

Information on the values of the World Heritage property is sufficient to define key indicators, but this has not been done

10.3 - Are key indicators defined and in place for the following principal aspects of the property?

	Extend of indicators	Not applicable	No indicators	Indicators have been defined but are not yet in use	Indicators are in place and in use since the last Periodic Reporting cycle
10.3.1	State of conservation		×		
10.3.2	Effectiveness of the management system		×		
10.3.3	Character of governance		×		

10.3.4	Appropriate synergy with other conservation designations	×	
10.3.5	Contribution to sustainable development	×	
10.3.6	Capacity development	×	

10.4 - Please provide information on relevant key indicators adopted at the property

10.5 - Please rate the level of involvement in monitoring of the following groups:

World Heritage managers/coordinators and staff	Not applicable
Local/municipal authorities	Not applicable
Local communities	Not applicable
Indigenous peoples	Not applicable
Landowners	Not applicable
Women	Not applicable
Researchers	Not applicable
Tourism industry	Not applicable
Local businesses and industry	Not applicable
NGOs	Not applicable
Other specific groups	Not applicable
If you selected 'Other specific groups', please specify	

10.6 - Has the State Party implemented relevant recommendations arising from the World Heritage Committee? Implementation is underway

10.7 - Please provide comments relevant to the implementation of recommendations from the World Heritage Committee.

The amangement plan is prepared and right now awaiting for publication to public cinsultations by the Ministry of Environment.

10.8 - Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to Monitoring

11. Identification of Priority Management Needs

11.1 - Identification of Priority Management Needs

5.1	Boundaries and Buffer Zones	
5.1.2	The boundaries of the World Heritage property are known by the management authority but are not known by local communities/landowners	
5.1.4	The buffer zones of the World Heritage property are known and recognised by the management authority but are not known and recognized by local communities/landowners	
5.2	Protective Measures	
5.2.3	An adequate legal framework for maintaining of the Outstanding Universal Value including conditions of Authenticity and/or Integrity of the World Heritage property exists but there are some deficiencies in implementation	
5.2.5	The legal framework for the broader setting of the World Heritage property and the buffer zone is inadequate to ensure the maintenance of the Outstanding Universal Value including conditions of Authenticity and/or Integrity of the property	×
5.2.6	There is acceptable capacity/resources to enforce legislation and/or regulation in the World Heritage property but some deficiencies of enforcement remain	
5.3	Management System/Management Plan	
5.3.7	Some use has been made of the Policy Document on the Impacts of Climate Change on World Heritage Properties at the property	×
5.3.9	Some use has been made of the Strategy for Reducing Risks from Disasters at World Heritage Properties at the property	
5.3.11	There is coordination between the range of administrative bodies involved in the management of the property, but it could be improved	
5.3.12	The management system/plan is only partially adequate to maintain the property's Outstanding Universal Value	
5.3.13	The management system at the property is only being partially implemented	

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5.3.17	 In a limited manner, the management system of the World Heritage property does provide ecosystem services/benefits to the local community (e.g. fresh air, water, food, medicinal plants) The management system of the World Heritage property does not contribute to social inclusion and equity, improving opportunities for all, irrespective of age, sex, disability, ethnicity, origin, religion or economic or other status The management system of the World Heritage property does not contribute to fostering inclusive local economic development, and to enhancing livelihood The management system of the World Heritage property does not contribute to conflict prevention, including respect for cultural diversity within and around the World Heritage property 	
6.1	Funding	
6.1.3	The available budget is acceptable but could be further improved to fully meet the management needs of the World Heritage property	
6.1.4	Existing sources of funding are not secure	
6.1.7	No human resources are dedicated to managing the World Heritage property despite an identified need	×
6.1.10	Some use has been made of the World Heritage Strategy for Capacity Development at the World Heritage property	×
6.1.12	There is no site-based capacity building plan or programme in place; management is implemented by external staff and skills are not transferred	
7	Scientific Studies and Research Projects	
7.1	Knowledge about the values and attributes of the World Heritage property is insufficient	
7.2	There is considerable research in the World Heritage property but it is not directed towards management needs and/or improving understanding of Outstanding Universal Value	
8	Education, Information and Awareness Building	
8.2	There is a limited and ad hoc education and awareness programme for children and/or youth	×
9	Visitor Management	
9.7	There is no strategy to manage visitors, tourism activity and its derived impacts on the World Heritage property	
9.9	There is some management of the visitor use of the World Heritage property	×
9.11	There is contact but this is largely confined to administrative or regulatory mattersThere is contact between those responsible for the World Heritage property and the tourism industry but this is largely confined to administrative or regulatory matters	×
9.12	The presentation and interpretation of the Outstanding Universal Value of the property is acceptable but improvements could be made	
10	Monitoring	
10.1	There is a small amount of monitoring at the World Heritage property, but it is not planned	×
10.2	Information on the values of the World Heritage property is sufficient to define key indicators, but this has not been done	
Pleas	se select 2 more issues.	
□ Ple	ease save this question to reflect changes	

12. Summary and Conclusions

12.1. Summary - Factors affecting the Property

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4.3	Services Infr	astructures						
4.3.1	Water infrastructure	Biodiversity and natural processes	Siemianówka Nature Reserve, established to and observe the influence on the Object.	Ornitological research, monitoring of the influence of artificial Siemianówka lake on the forest ecosystem.	on-going	The Regional Directorate of Environment Protection in Białystok, State Water Holding Polish Waters.	The Siemianówka lake is an artificial lake built in 1977–1990. The lake and surroundings are the the ideal place for many bird species.	
4.7	4.7 Local conditions affecting physical fabric							
4.7.3	Temperature	Biodiversity and natura processes	al Monitoring	On-going	constant	Forestry Research Institute	There is a low for influence of locally undertaken initiatives.	

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4.7.6	Water (rain/water table)		Monitoring, the project of slowing down intermittent rain water was developed the implementation is not done yet (included however in the planned project of hydrogenic sites protection "Wetlands Green Life".	er	water vin 2021	g down ttent rain vas developed I, it is ed to last for	The Bureau of Forest Management and Geodesy, in cooperat with General Director of Environment Protection and Agricultural University Cracow.	tion I rate s	The field actions of Wetlands Green Life project are supported by State Forest Holding.
4.8	Social/Cultura	al uses of heritage							
4.8.5	Identity, social cohesion, changes in local population and community	Biodiversity and natural processes	Infrastructure investments (roads mainly), cultural and educational activities.	By the Local communities, Bia National Park, F. Districts of Biało Browsk, Hajnów	alowie a orest wie a,	n-going	Voluntary processes	gets gene migr. Peop com regic they enth natu differ	"original" society older and young pration mostly ates to bigger city. ble from big cities to live in the on and although are usually very usiastic about tre, there is erent type of election.
4.9	Other human	activities							
4.9.3	Military training	Biodiversity and natural processes	Monitoring and cooperation with services command and a Regional Directorate of Environment Protection	on-going		(timeframe o predict)	Many - border guard, army, General and Regional Directorates Environment Protectio	of ar n m th	ilitary activities arted in 2021, they e connected with igration crisis on e border with elarus.
4.9.4	War	Biodiversity and natural processes	Monitoring	on-going	Since F 2022	ebruary G	Government of Poland	ap Fe al	ne risk of war opeared in obruary 2022, ong with Russian vasion in Ukraine.
4.9.6	Civil unrest	Biodiversity and natural processes	Constant monitoring along with litter collection; Fence built in Bialowie a Forest as the way to fight the migration crisis on the border with Belarus is an additional (to existing since 1980's fence on Belarussian site), obstacle for the wildlife	on-going	on-going	for Bia	order guard, army, esters and ałowie a National rk staff.	of site n	not much influence nanagement staff clue of the issue.
4.10	Climate chan	ge and severe weather ev	rents						
4.10.6	Temperature change	Biodiversity and natural processes		on the level of scien state environmental monitoring	ists, on - g		spectorate of mental Protection	research coordina them, an poor imp	many various n done, but poor ation between nd therefore rather olementaion from level to life.
4.13	Management	and institutional factors							
4.13.1	Management system/Managen plan	Biodiversity and natural processes	The management p for Polish site of the Object is prepared, the public consultati process did not star	nut on	shoul	nanagement plan d be ready until n 2023.	The Ministry of C and Environmen		The process seems to be delayed in time.
4.13.2	Legal framewo	rk Biodiversity and natur processes	The need for chang law was expressed project of Managen Plan for the Object.	in the nent	Difficult to predict	Enviro	finistry of Climate and onment, Polish onment	adju	need of law stment is ficant.

12.2. Summary - Management Needs12.2.1 - Summary - Management Needs

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5.2	Protective Measu	res			
		Actions	Timeframe	Lead agency (and others involved)	More info / comment
5.2.5	The legal framework for the broader setting of the World Heritage property and the buffer zone is inadequate to ensure the maintenance of the Outstanding Universal Value including conditions of Authenticity and/or Integrity of the property	The need for changes in the law was expressed in the project of Management Plan for the Object. The law needs to be changed that way, so to include and standarize UNESCO sites in nature protection system in Poland.	Difficult to predict.	The Ministry of Climate and Environment	The need of law adjustment in Poland was expressed in the project of an Integrated Management Plan.
5.3	Management Sy	stem/Management Plan			
5.3.7	Some use has been made of the Policy Document on the Impacts of Climate Change on World Heritage Properties at the property	The Policy Document on the Impac of Climate Change on World Heritz Properties was included while preparing the project of an Intergra Management Plan.	age	The Ministry of Climate and Environment	The process of the Integrated Management Plan public consultation and approval is delayed in time.
6.1	Funding				
6.1.7	No human resources ar dedicated to managing the World Heritag property desp an identified need	project of an Integrated Management Plan.	the under way	The Ministry of Climate and Environment, the Government of Poland	The process of the Integrated Management Plan public consultation and approval is delayed in time.
6.1.10 Some use to been made the World Heritage Strategy for Capacity Developme the World Heritage property		Capacity Development at the W Heritage property was included preparing the project of an Intergrated Management Plan.	orld	Ministry of Climate and Environment	t The process of the Integrated Management Plan public consultation and approval is delayed in time.
8	Education, Informa	ation and Awareness Building			
8.2	There is a limited and ad hoc education and awarness programme for children and/or youth	The ecological and forest education of children and youth is conducted by BNP and State Forests staff, it however not strictly directed on the UNESCO World Heritage Object.	ongoing	id	ne needs on the field of education were entified in the project of Integrated anagement Plan.
9	Visitor Manageme	ent			
9.9	There is some management of the visitor use of the World Heritage property	The Bialowie a National Park Museum and Education Center, education centers of forest districts, educational trails, touristic trails (foot paths, bicycle trails, horse trails, forest touristic railway)	on-going	Bialowie a National Park, forest districts of Białowie a, Browsk, Hajnówka	The educational and tourist infrastructure is not directly aimed on the UNESCO World Heritage Object, but they introduce the values of the site.

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9.11	There is contact but this is largely confined to administrative or regulatory mattersThere is contact between those responsible for the World Heritage property and the tourism industry but this is largely confined to administrative or regulatory matters	There are agreements beetween forest districts and Polish Association of Tourism and Sightseeing, appylig to the management of touristic trails and exchanging of information.	on-going	Polish Association of Tourism and Sightseeing, along with forest districts of Białowie a, Browsk, Hajnówka	No comments.
10	Monitoring				
10.1	There is a small amount of monitoring at the World Heritage property, but it is not planned	There is a lot of research and monitoring activities, they are however not aimed on the World Heritage Object. Covering all of the research and monitoring is included in the project of Management Plan.	on-going	The Ministry of Climate and Environment	The process of Management Plan approval is deleyed in time.

- 12.3. Conclusions on the State of Conservation of the Property
- 12.3.1 Following the analysis undertaken for this report, what is the current state of Authenticity of the World Heritage property?

 The Authenticity of the World Heritage property has been preserved
- 12.3.2 Following the analysis undertaken for this report, what is the current state of Integrity of the World Heritage property? The Integrity of the World Heritage property has been compromised by factors described in this report
- 12.3.3 Following the analysis undertaken for this report, what is the current state of the World Heritage property's Outstanding Universal Value?

The World Heritage property's Outstanding Universal Value has been maintained.

12.3.4 - What is the current state of the property's other values?

Other important cultural and/or natural values are being degraded and have had an impact on the state of conservation of the World Heritage property

- 12.3.5 Comments. conclusions and/or recommendations related to the state of conservation of the property.
- 13. Impact of World Heritage Status
- 13.1 Please rate the impacts of World Heritage status of the property in relation to the following areas

Conservation	No impact
Research and monitoring	No impact
Management effectiveness	No impact
Quality of life for local communities and indigenous peoples	No impact
Recognition	Positive
Education	No impact
Infrastructure development	No impact
Funding for the property	No impact
International cooperation	No impact
Political support for conservation	Positive
Legal/Policy framework	No impact
Advocacy	No impact
Institutional coordination	No impact

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Security	No impact
Gender equality	No impact
Provision of ecosystem services/ benefits to local communities	No impact
Social inclusion and equity, and improvement of opportunities for all, irrespective of age, sex, disability, ethnicity, origin, religion, or economic or other status	No impact
Fostering inclusive local economic development and enhancing livelihood	No impact
Contributing to conflict prevention, including respect for cultural diversity within and around heritage properties	No impact
Other	Not applicable
If 'Other', please specify	

- 13.2 Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to World Heritage status and its impacts
- 14. Good Practice in the Implementation of the World Heritage Convention
- 14.1 Example of good practice in World Heritage protection, identification, conservation or management at the property level
- 14.2 Define which topics are covered by this example of best practice at the property level

Synergies

- 15. Assessment of the Periodic Reporting Exercise
- 15.1. Relevance of Periodic Reporting
- 15.1.1 Has the Periodic Reporting process improved the understanding of the following?

Management effectiveness to maintain the Outstanding Universal Value

Monitoring and reporting

15.1.2 - Please rate the follow-up to conclusions and recommendations from previous Periodic Reporting exercise by the following entities

State Party	Poor
Site Managers	Poor
UNESCO World Heritage Centre	Fair
Advisory Bodies (ICOMOS, IUCN, ICCROM)	Fair

- 15.2. Use of Data
- 15.2.1 How do the authorities in charge of the property plan to use the data recorded from this cycle of Periodic Reporting?

Awareness raising

- 15.2.2 Comments on use of data from the Cycle of Periodic Reporting
- 15.3. Timing and resources
- 15.3.1 Entities involved in the filling out of this online questionnaire (tick as many boxes as applicable)

Governmental institutions responsible for cultural and natural heritage

Site Manager/Coordinator World Heritage property staff

- 15.3.2 Has a gender balanced contribution and participation been considered in the filling out of this questionnaire? Gender balance has **not been explicitly** considered or implemented in the process.
- 15.3.3 Were you given adequate time (i.e. roughly ten months) to gather necessary information and to fill in this questionnaire?

 Yes
- 15.3.4 Please estimate the time (working hours) needed to complete this questionnaire

4/5/15/

15.3.5 - Did you mobilise any additional resources to fill out this questionnaire?

	Additional resources	No	Yes
15.3.5.1	Human resources		×
15.3.5.2	Financial resources for organizing consultation meetings/ training	×	

15.4. Format and content of the Periodic Report

15.4.1 - How accessible was the information required to complete this questionnaire?

Most required information was accessible.

15.4.2 - Was the questionnaire easy to use and clear to understand?

		Very Difficult	Difficult	Easy	Very easy
15.4.2.1	Ease of use of questionnaire			×	
15.4.2.2	Clarity of questions			×	

15.4.3 - Please provide suggestions for improvement of the Periodic Reporting questionnaire

15.5. Training and Guidance

15.5.1 - Please rate the level of support in terms of training and guidance from the following entities in completing this questionnaire

UNESCO World Heritage Centre	Not applicable
UNESCO (other sectors/field offices)	Not applicable
UNESCO National Commission	Good
ICOMOS International	Not applicable
IUCN International	Not applicable
ICCROM international/regional	Not applicable
ICOMOS national/regional	Not applicable
IUCN national/regional	Not applicable

15.5.2 - Please rate the level of support for completing the Periodic Reporting questionnaire from the following entities

UNESCO World Heritage Centre	Not applicable
State Party Representative (national Focal Point)	Good
UNESCO other sectors (e.g. field office)	Not applicable
National Commission for UNESCO	Good
ICOMOS International	Not applicable
ICCROM International/regional	Not applicable
ICOMOS national/regional	Not applicable
IUCN national/regional	Not applicable
IUCN International	Not applicable

15.5.3 - Were the online training resources prepared by the World Heritage Centre regarding Periodic Reporting adequate for you to complete this questionnaire?

Yes

15.5.4 - If you found that the online training resources were not adequate, what changes would you like to see implemented?

15.6. Actions that will require formal consideration by the World Heritage Committee

15.6.1 - Summary of actions that will require formal consideration by the World Heritage Committee

No item were proposed for update

15.7. Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to the Assessment of the Periodic Reporting Exercise

15.7.1 - Comments, conclusions and/or recommendations related to the Assessment of the Periodic Reporting Exercise

All the answears and comment included in this Report apply to the Polish site of the Bialowie a Forest UNESCO World Heritage Site. Until the time of submitting the report there was no information received from the Republic of Belarus.

15.7.2 - Thank you for having filled in all the questions. Please contact your National Focal Point for validation.