



NATURA 2000 - STANDARD DATA FORM

For Special Protection Areas (SPA),
Proposed Sites for Community Importance (pSCI),
Sites of Community Importance (SCI) and
for Special Areas of Conservation (SAC)

SITE **ES0000496**
SITENAME **Espacio marino de la Costa de Ferrolterra-Valdoviño**

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1. SITE IDENTIFICATION

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1.1 Type A	1.2 Site code ES0000496
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1.3 Site name

Espacio marino de la Costa de Ferrolterra-Valdoviño

1.4 First Compilation date 2014-03	1.5 Update date 2014-09
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1.6 Respondent:

Name/Organisation: Dirección General de Sostenibilidad de la Costa y del Mar - Ministerio de Agricultura, Alimentación y Medio Ambiente
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1.7 Site indication and designation / classification dates

Date site classified as SPA:	2014-07
National legal reference of SPA designation	Orden AAA/1260/2014, de 9 de julio, por la que se declaran Zonas de Especial Protección para las Aves en aguas marinas españolas.

2. SITE LOCATION

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2.1 Site-centre location [decimal degrees]:

Longitude
-8.276105

Latitude
43.589715

2.2 Area [ha]:

6817.6471

2.3 Marine area [%]

100.0

2.4 Sitelength [km]:

0.0

2.5 Administrative region code and name

NUTS level 2 code

Region Name

ESZZ	Extra-Regio
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2.6 Biogeographical Region(s)

Atlantic (0.0
%)

Marine (100.0
Atlantic %)

3. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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3.2 Species referred to in Article 4 of Directive 2009/147/EC and listed in Annex II of Directive 92/43/EEC and site evaluation for them

Species				Population in the site						Site assessment				
Group	Code	Scientific Name	S	NP	Type	Size		Unit	Cat.	Data quality	A B C D			
						Min	Max				C R V P			
											Pop.	Cons.	Isol.	Glob.
B	A010	Calonectris diomedea			c				P	DD	D			
B	A014	Hydrobates pelagicus			r	80	90	P		M	B	B	C	C
B	A183	Larus fuscus			c				P	DD	D			
B	A176	Larus melanocephalus			c				P	DD	D			
B	A604	Larus michahellis			p				P	DD	D			
B	A179	Larus ridibundus			c				P	DD	D			
B	A065	Melanitta nigra			c				P	DD	D			
B	A016	Morus bassanus			c				P	DD	D			
B	A684	Phalacrocorax aristotelis aristotelis			r	89	89	P		G	B	C	C	C
B	A012	Puffinus griseus			c				P	DD	D			
B	A013	Puffinus puffinus			c				P	DD	D			
B	A384	Puffinus puffinus mauretanicus			c				C	DD	C	B	C	B
B	A188	Rissa tridactyla			c				P	DD	D			
B	A173	Stercorarius parasiticus			c				P	DD	D			
B	A172	Stercorarius pomarinus			c				P	DD	D			
B	A175	Stercorarius skua			c				P	DD	D			

B	A193	Sterna hirundo			c				P	DD	D			
B	A191	Sterna sandvicensis			c				P	DD	D			

Group: A = Amphibians, B = Birds, F = Fish, I = Invertebrates, M = Mammals, P = Plants, R = Reptiles

S: in case that the data on species are sensitive and therefore have to be blocked for any public access enter: yes

NP: in case that a species is no longer present in the site enter: x (optional)

Type: p = permanent, r = reproducing, c = concentration, w = wintering (for plant and non-migratory species use permanent)

Unit: i = individuals, p = pairs or other units according to the Standard list of population units and codes in accordance with Article 12 and 17 reporting (see [reference portal](#))

Abundance categories (Cat.): C = common, R = rare, V = very rare, P = present - to fill if data are deficient (DD) or in addition to population size information

Data quality: G = 'Good' (e.g. based on surveys); M = 'Moderate' (e.g. based on partial data with some extrapolation); P = 'Poor' (e.g. rough estimation); VP = 'Very poor' (use this category only, if not even a rough estimation of the population size can be made, in this case the fields for population size can remain empty, but the field "Abundance categories" has to be filled in)

4. SITE DESCRIPTION

4.1 General site character

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Habitat class	% Cover
N01	100.0
Total Habitat Cover	100

Other Site Characteristics

Espacio marino que rodea a las islas Gabeiras, situadas a unos 400 metros de la costa, en el área de la boca norte de la ría de Ferrol, y a las islas de Os Cabalos, localizadas al norte de la ZEPA. La profundidad máxima apenas supera los 50 m. Sus fondos son arenosos y rocosos. En la franja costera contigua existen tanto acantilados, como grandes playas de arena.

4.2 Quality and importance

Extensión marina de la colonia de cría del paño europeo (*Hydrobates pelagicus*) más importante de Galicia, situada en las islas Gabeiras, y de varios núcleos reproductores de cormorán moñudo (*Phalacrocorax aristotelis aristotelis*). La zona es relevante, también, para una gran diversidad de aves marinas migratorias, entre las que destaca, por su importancia, la pardela balear (*Puffinus mauretanicus*).

4.3 Threats, pressures and activities with impacts on the site

The most important impacts and activities with high effect on the site

Negative Impacts			
Rank	Threats and pressures [code]	Pollution (optional) [code]	inside/outside [i o b]
H	H03.01		b
M	H01		b
M	E01		b
M	F02		b
M	C03.03		b
H	D03		b

Positive Impacts			
Rank	Activities, management [code]	Pollution (optional) [code]	inside/outside [i o b]
	X		i

Rank: H = high, M = medium, L = low

Pollution: N = Nitrogen input, P = Phosphor/Phosphate input, A = Acid input/acidification,

T = toxic inorganic chemicals, O = toxic organic chemicals, X = Mixed pollutions

i = inside, o = outside, b = both

4.5 Documentation

Álvarez, D. y A. Velando. 2007. El cormorán moñudo en España. Población en 2006-2007 y método de censo. SEO/BirdLife. Madrid. Arcos, J.M., J. Bécares, B. Rodríguez y A. Ruiz. 2009. Áreas Importantes para la Conservación de las Aves marinas en España. LIFE04NAT/ES/000049-Sociedad Española de Ornitología (SEO/BirdLife). Madrid. SEO/BirdLife 2012. Atlas de las Aves en invierno en España 2007-2010. Ministerio de Agricultura, Alimentación y Medio Ambiente-SEO/BirdLife. Madrid. SEO/BirdLife 2013. Proyecto LIFE+ INDEMARES "Inventario y designación de la Red Natura 2000 en áreas marinas del Estado español". Unedited.

6. SITE MANAGEMENT

6.1 Body(ies) responsible for the site management:

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6.2 Management Plan(s):

An actual management plan does exist:

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> No, but in preparation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

7. MAP OF THE SITES

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INSPIRE ID:

Map delivered as PDF in electronic format (optional)

Yes No

Reference(s) to the original map used for the digitalisation of the electronic boundaries (optional).