

Implementation review (updated at AC12)

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The document was updated during AC12 by the Implementation Review group and after the Meeting by the Secretariat.

Bold: Outstanding actions

Resolutions with actions to be done by AC or Secretariat	Actions	Evolution of the work	Situation
MoP1 - Res. Clarification of area of Agreement	AC to identify migration ranges and present to MoP2		analysed again in MoP2
MoP1 – Res. 1995-98 Plan	AC to determine monitoring methodologies	<u>AC9</u> : Establishment of IWG <u>AC10-11</u> : IWG continues to work	Done (Res. 2.2)
	4.9: AC to produce “Guidelines on monitoring methodologies”		IWG ongoing at AC12
	AC to prepare priority list for autecological studies		analysed again in MoP2
	AC to prepare programme proposal for trans-boundary research and long-term monitoring of migration routes and present to MoP2		Done (Res. 2.3)
2.2 – Consistent monitoring methodologies	Secretariat (with AC) to establish database of monitoring activities and present to MoP3	<u>AC4</u> : Sec present doc; establishment of IWG <u>AC5</u> : Establishment of another IWG <u>AC6</u> : IWG continues to work <u>AC7</u> : IWG dissolved	Done (not possible to prepare database of monitoring data)
	AC to (1) Review intersessional progress of Secretariat’s and Parties monitoring work (2) Refine guidelines and present to MoP3	<u>AC4</u> : Establishment of IWG <u>AC5</u> : IWG continues to work <u>AC6</u> : IWG continues to work <u>AC7</u> : IWG dissolved	(1) Missing (datasheet on methodologies prepared by Jessamy) (2) Done (no need to change). Work completed by AC12
2.3 – Transboundary programme: species proposals	Secretariat (with AC) to use savings and seek external funding to encourage projects on <i>M. dasycneme</i> e <i>P. nathusii</i> (description in annex; developed and implemented by an external agency) and present to MoP3	<u>AC4</u> : revision of Draft Action Plans of <i>M. dasycneme</i> and <i>R. ferrumequinum</i> <u>AC6</u> : suggest that EUROBATS should (1) ask Range States to identify activities in reports, (2) use activities of Plan and Underground habitats to assist in setting	It was considered that this item was included in Res. 2.2, but it would be good if someone could analyse the process and confirm if any other actions should be proposed.

	<p>4.9: AC to prepare recommendations on future work required to assess timing and distribution patterns of migration (this should lead in due course to recommendations on the conservation of migratory species)</p>	<p>criteria for site assessment, (3) initiate prioritisation of research (with Res. on priority species), (4) co-ordinate monitoring (with Species Monitoring) <u>AC9</u>: Establishment of IWG <u>AC10-11</u>: IWG continues to work</p>	<p>IWG ongoing at AC12</p>
<p>2.4 – Transboundary programme: habitat proposals</p>	<p>AC to assess national data on underground roosts</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Compilation of data 2. Evaluation 3. Guidelines for protection and management of roosts <p>4.3: AC to prepare “Guidelines for the conservation and management of underground habitats for bats”</p>	<p><u>AC4</u>: Establishment of IWG <u>AC5</u>: IWG continues to work <u>AC6</u>: IWG continues to work <u>AC7</u>: IWG continues to work <u>AC8</u>: IWG continues to work <u>MoP4</u>: 4.3 <u>AC9-11</u>: IWG continues to work</p>	<p>IWG ongoing at AC12 and work close to completion</p>
	<p>AC to assess national data on forests</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Data collection 2. Assessment 3. Compilation and evaluation 4. Recommendations and guidelines <p>4.4</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Secretariat to collate information for forest managers and forest workers 2. AC to instigate the investigation and, if appropriate, the development of the use of bats as indicators 3. AC to prepare “Guidelines on bat-friendly forestry practices” 	<p><u>AC4</u>: Establishment of IWG <u>AC5</u>: IWG continues to work <u>AC6</u>: Establishment of another IWG <u>AC7</u>: IWG continues to work <u>AC8</u>: WG review Draft Res. <u>MoP4</u>: 4.4</p>	<p>Done (Res. 4.9)</p> <p>Forest Working Group resurrected at AC12</p>
<p>2.5 – Geographical scope</p>	<p>Secretariat to investigate if Canary Islands, Madeira and Azores should be included and present to MoP3</p>	<p><u>AC5</u>: Sec presented Draft Res; WG prepared list of species; Draft Res postponed <u>AC8</u>: WG tried to analyse countries of occurrence of species of EUROBATS. IWG will prepare list of countries</p>	<p>Closed by AC12</p>

	Directs AC priority: buildings industry awareness (action 21)	<u>AC4</u> : Establishment of IWG (actions 20 + 21) <u>AC5</u> : IWG continues to work <u>AC6</u> : IWG dissolved	It was considered that it was not worth to continue this topic
	Directs AC priority: pesticides (action 22) 4.9: AC to review the impact of anti-parasitic drugs for livestock on bat populations	<u>AC4</u> : Establishment of IWG (actions 22 + 23) <u>AC5</u> : IWG continues to work <u>AC6</u> : IWG continues to work <u>AC7</u> : IWG dissolved <u>AC9</u> : Establishment of IWG on antiparasitic drugs	Done (Res. 4.5) IWG continues at AC12 and work close to completion
	Directs AC priority: pesticides (action 23)	<u>AC4</u> : Establishment of IWG (actions 22 + 23) <u>AC5</u> : IWG continues to work <u>AC6</u> : IWG continues to work <u>AC7</u> : IWG dissolved	Done (Res. 4.9)
	Directs AC priority: continue work on use of linear features	<u>AC7</u> : decide to circulate document in AC8 and consider in conjunction with agricultural biodiversity issues in relation to CBD and CMS <u>AC8</u> : decide to analyse document in AC9	Done (Res. 4.9)
	AC to review needs for a European Bat Information Centre and present to MoP3	<u>AC3</u> : decides that this topic should be discussed in AC4	Done (part is included in guidelines for permits for ringing)
	AC to investigate initiatives of international co-operation, and review them annually		It was considered that it was not worth to continue this topic
3.6 – Guidelines for permits for ringing or other marking	AC to prepare guidelines for permits for ringing or other marking 4.6: AC to continue to develop and, as appropriate, revise the annexes	<u>AC5</u> : Sec presented Draft Res on restriction of ringing during hibernation; WG suggested AC to prepare guidelines for permits for ringing or other marking <u>MoP3</u> : Establishment of IWG <u>AC6</u> : IWG continues to work <u>AC7</u> : IWG continues to work <u>AC8</u> : IWG to continue to develop and, as appropriate, revise the annexes	Done (Res. 4.6) IWG finished by AC12
4.7 – Wind turbines and bat populations	AC to assess the evidence of the impact and, if appropriate, develop guidelines for assessing potential impacts on bats and for the establishment of wind turbines	<u>AC9</u> : Establishment of IWG	IWG continues at AC12

Future operation of AC and IWG	Secretariat to identify actions to be taken after meetings and communicate to members		In course
	Secretariat to investigate discussion forum on website		In course
	Chair and Vice-Chair to provide more proactive role in co-ordination of IWG		In course
4.9 – 2003-2006 Plan	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> AC to gather information on methods used to identify critical feeding areas close to important maternity colonies AC to prepare general guidance for supporting the preparation of National Guidelines on bat habitats conservation 	<u>AC9</u> : Establishment of IWGs	<p>IWG continues at AC12</p> <p>AC12 agreed to take forward work as part of the Critical feeding areas IWG</p>
Joint work programme of CBD and CMS 4.10	<p>4.10</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> AC to review KWP and develop proposals for the JWP 2006 onwards Sec to carry forward the proposals developed by AC to CMS 	<p><u>AC7</u>: decides to reanalyse document in 8AC. Decides to discuss in MoP4</p> <p><u>AC8</u>: Sec (assisted by AC) to contact MCPFE. When co-operation is established, develop guidelines on bat-friendly forestry practises in consultation with MCPFE</p> <p><u>AC9</u>: Establishment of IWG</p>	<p>Done (Res. 4.9)</p> <p>IWG to be resurrected at AC12?</p>
MOP5 Resolutions			
5.2 Bats and Rabies in Europe	Maintain collaboration with bats workers and keep up to date with developments	Deal with queries and questions, and maintain presence at international meetings.	IWG was not created at IWG12
5.4 Monitoring bats across Europe	Support the development of long-term pan- European surveillance to provide Europe wide population trends for bat species and site condition monitoring or protected sites for bats with particular reference to underground sites.	Develop project and obtain funds	Work to be taken forward as part of the monitoring guidelines IWG at AC12
5.12 Global Year of the bat	Parties to make additional efforts in the year 2008 to promote bat conservation and public awareness of problems bats are facing.	Decision at Standing Committee to delay until 2011. Decide a strategy for taking this forward.	IWG created at AC12