

**Report on the progress of the project of Internet monitoring
of wildlife trade in CEE countries in 2011**

In 2011 CEEweb CITES Working Group carried out a monitoring of internet wildlife trade in chosen Central and Eastern European countries. The monitoring consists of two surveys. Each survey last one week and was carried out by qualified expert from the CITES WG member organizations on the basis of the methodology elaborated by the WG.

Countries covered by the project: Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia and Ukraine.

Organizations/institutions participated in the project: Green Balkans, Birds of Prey Protection Society, Czech Environmental Inspectorate, Nimfea, PTOB "Salamandra", Milvus Group, Young Researchers of Serbia, ORCA, BROZ and Association Fauna.

As deep analysis of the collected data were not the subject of this project, below only some preliminary results are presented.



GENERAL RESULTS

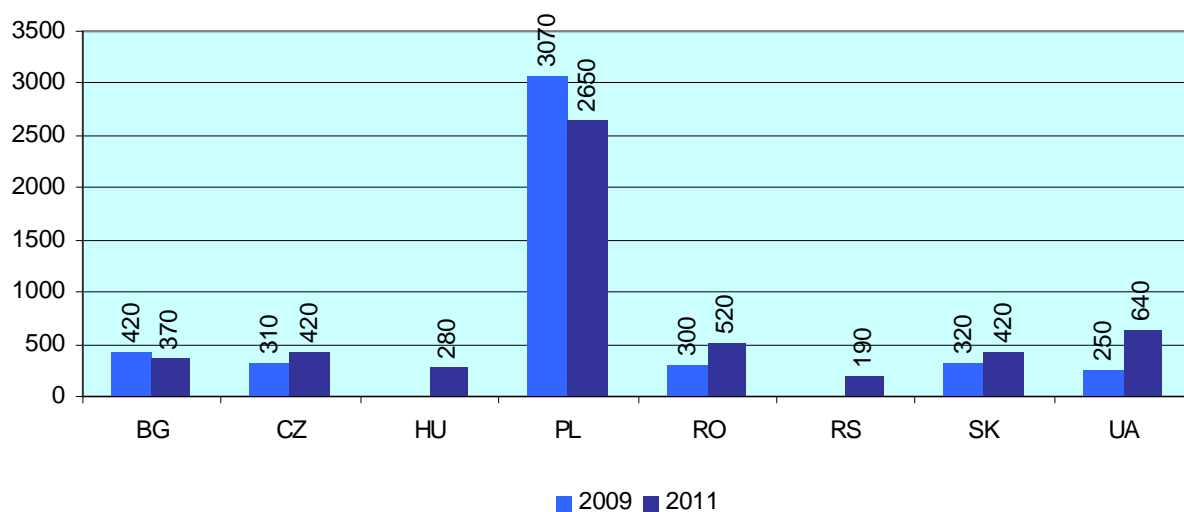


Fig I Estimated average number of CITES specimens' offers available on the websites of monitored countries in 2009 and 2011

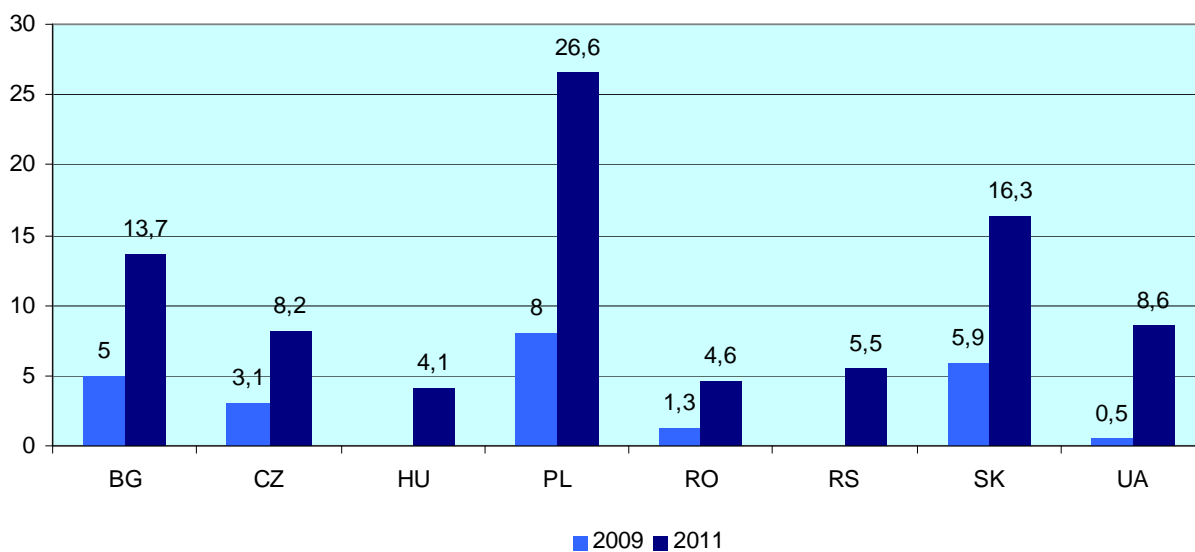


Fig II Estimated average number of CITES specimens offered for sale available on the Internet in the monitored countries per 100 thousand citizens in 2009 and 2011

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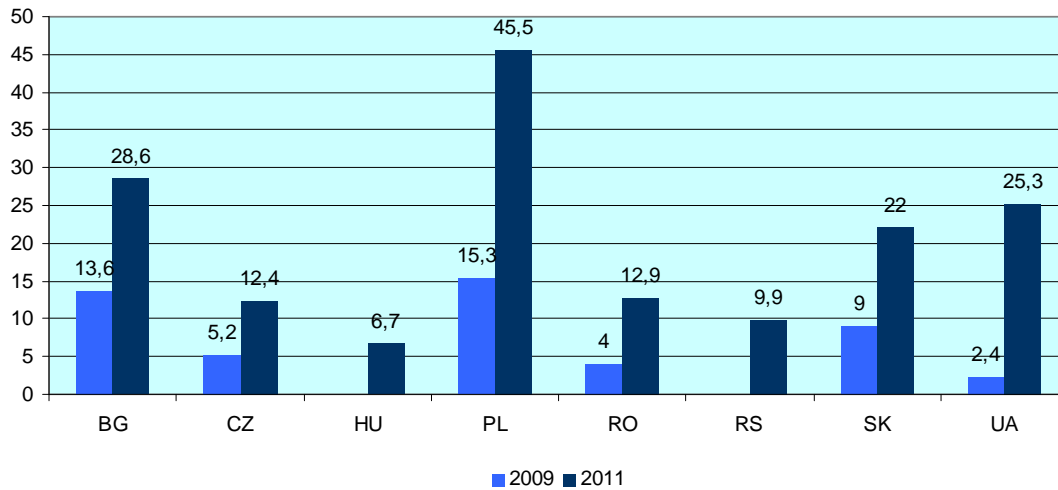


Fig III Estimated average number of CITES specimens offered for sale available on the Internet in the monitored countries per 100 thousand internet users in 2009 and 2011

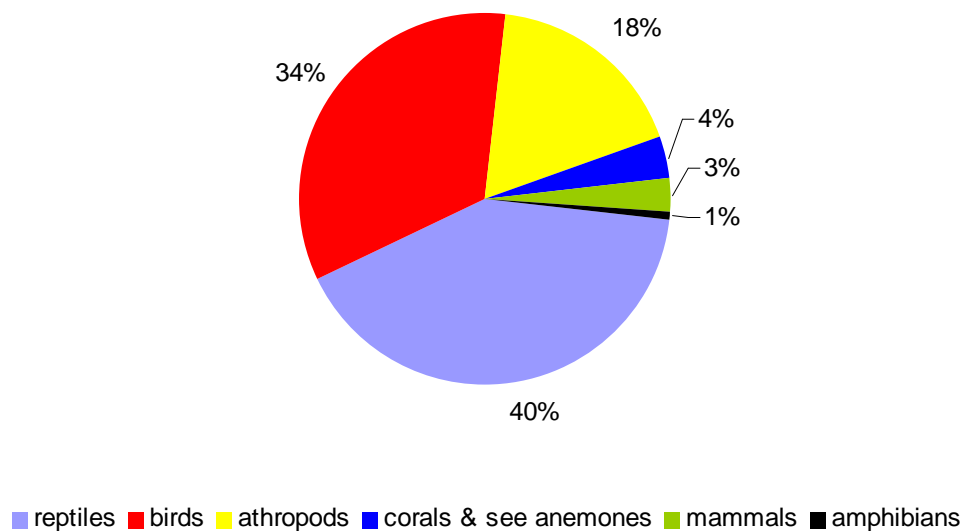


Fig IV Percentage share of different systematic groups of species, which were offered for sale on the Internet in the monitored countries in 2011

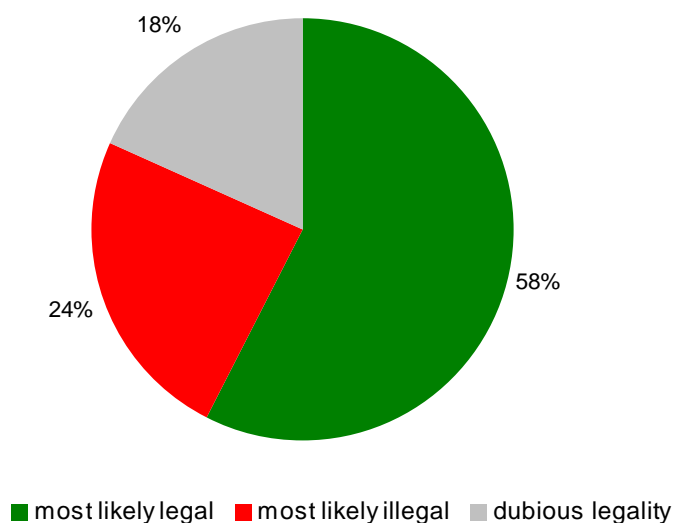


Fig V Division of the monitored sales offers in terms of legality

BULGARIA

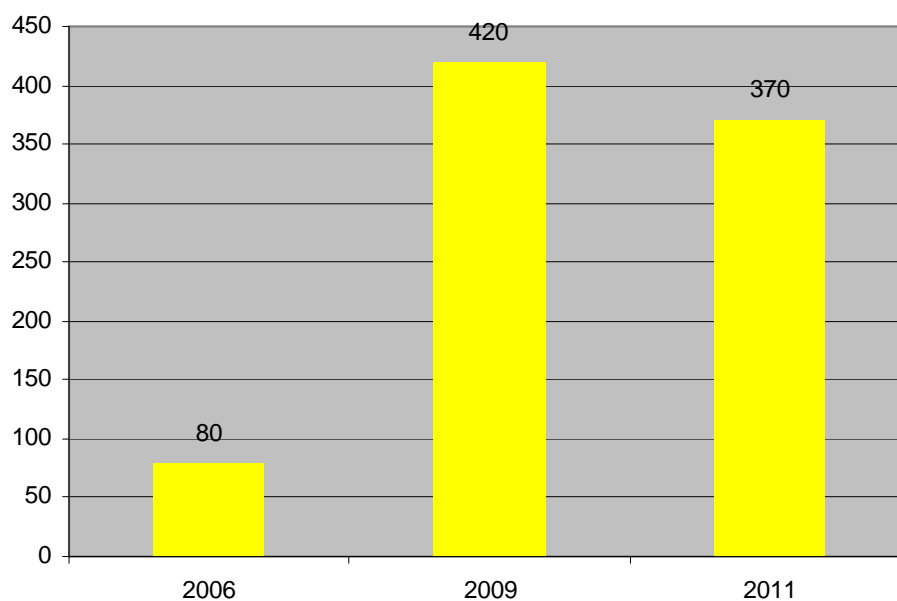


Fig VI Estimated average numbers of CITES specimens offers available on the Internet in Bulgaria in the years 2006, 2009 and 2011

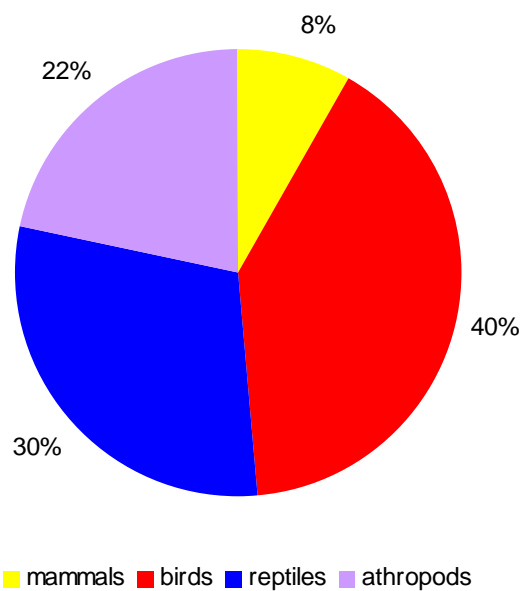


Fig VII Percentage share of different systematic groups of species, which were offered for sale on the Internet in Bulgaria in 2011

CZECH REPUBLIC

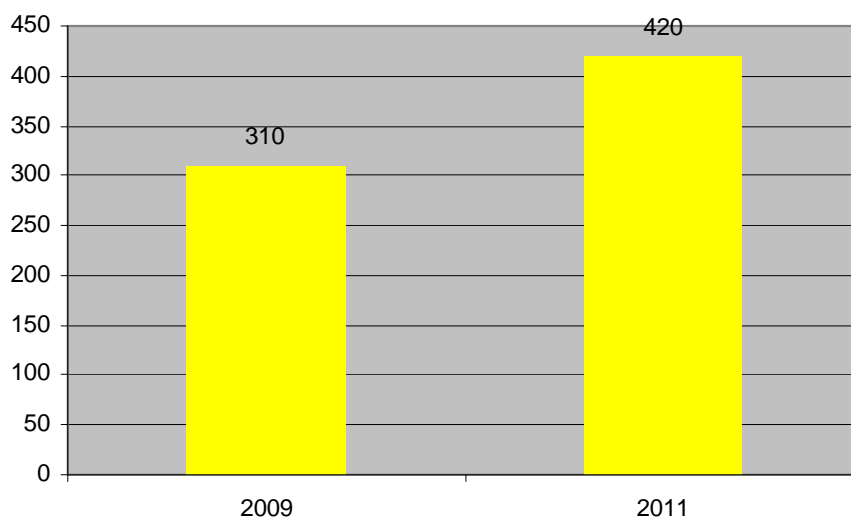


Fig VIII Estimated average numbers of CITES specimens offers available on the Internet in Czech Republic in the years 2009 and 2011

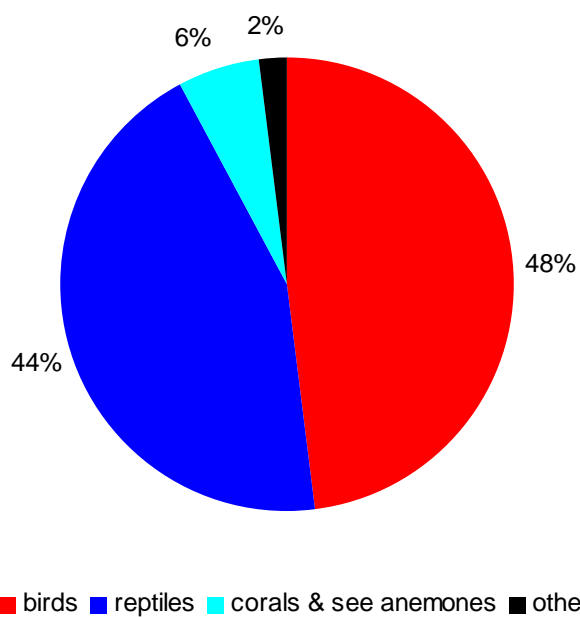


Fig IX Percentage share of different systematic groups of species, which were offered for sale on the Internet in Czech Republic in 2011

HUNGARY

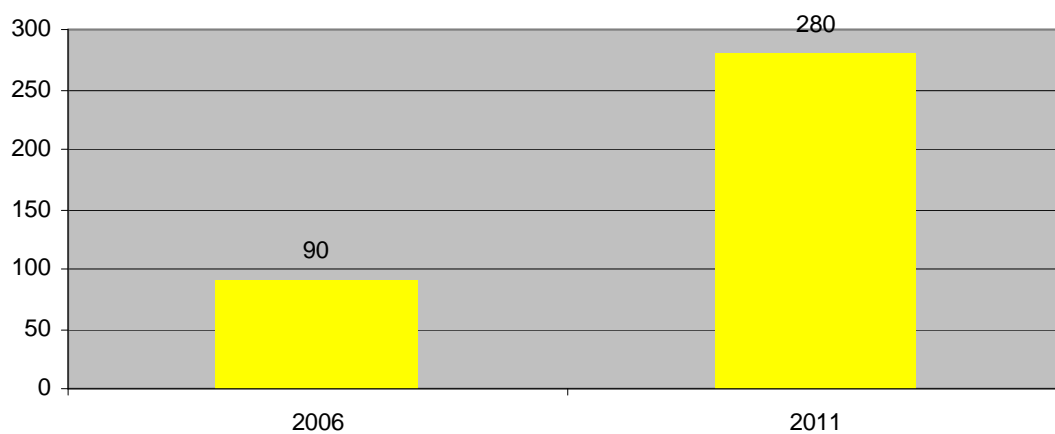


Fig X Estimated average numbers of CITES specimens *offers* available on the Internet in Hungary in the years 2006 and 2011

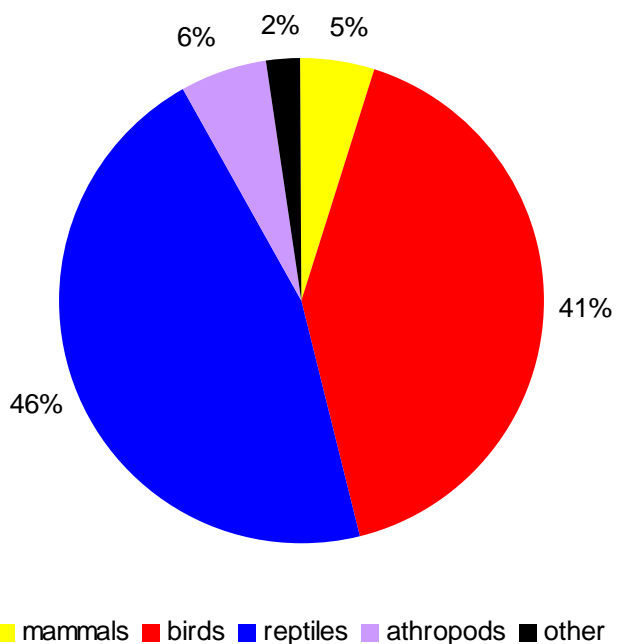


Fig XI Percentage share of different systematic groups of species, which were offered for sale on the Internet in Hungary in 2011

POLAND

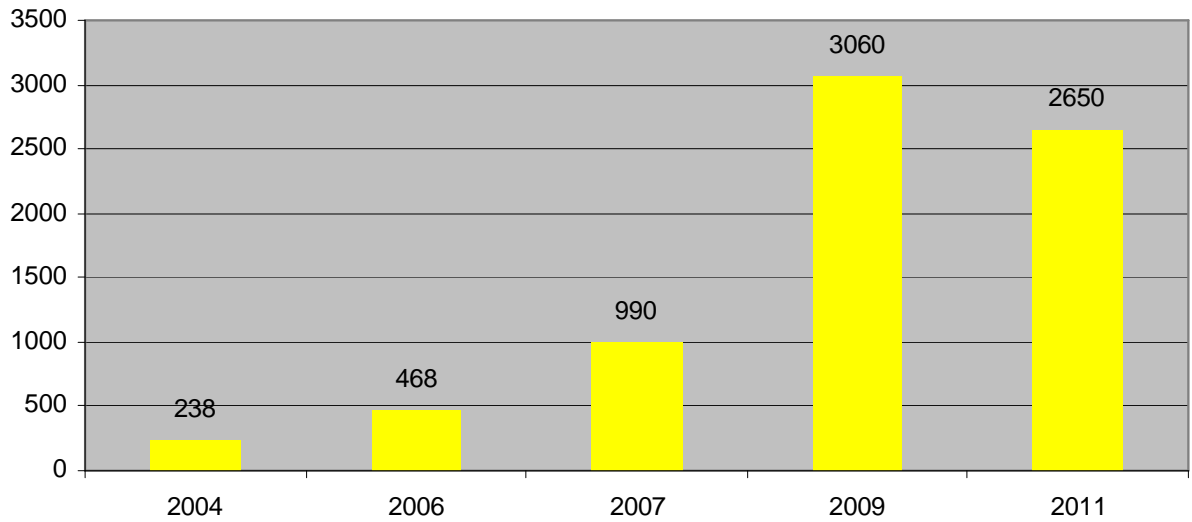


Fig XII Estimated average numbers of CITES specimens offers available on the Internet in Poland in the years 2004, 2006, 2007, 2009 and 2011

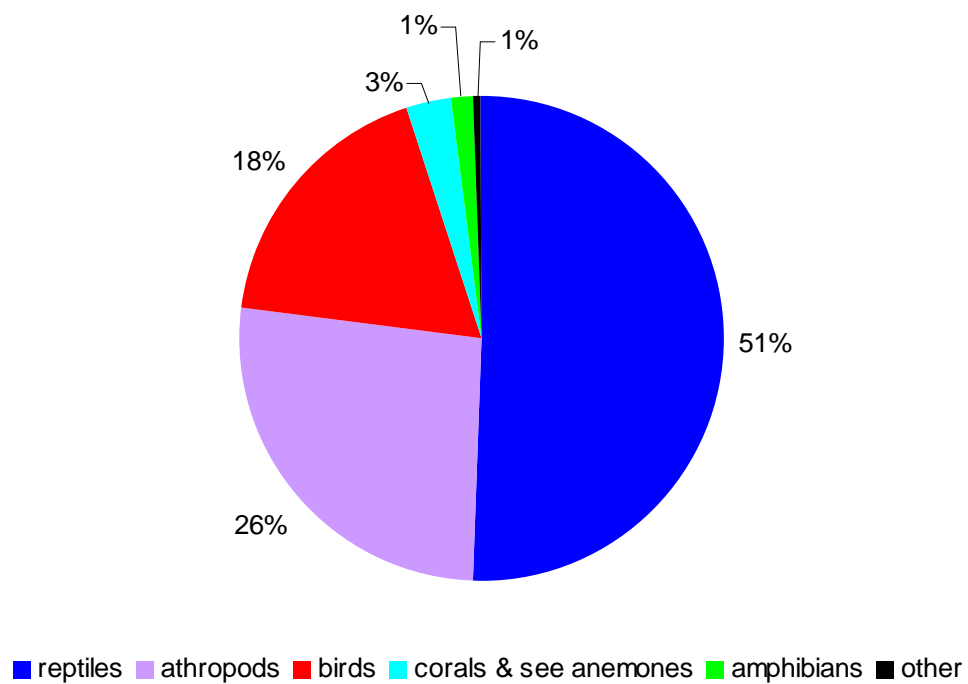


Fig XIII Percentage share of different systematic groups of species, which were offered for sale on the Internet in Poland in 2011

ROMANIA

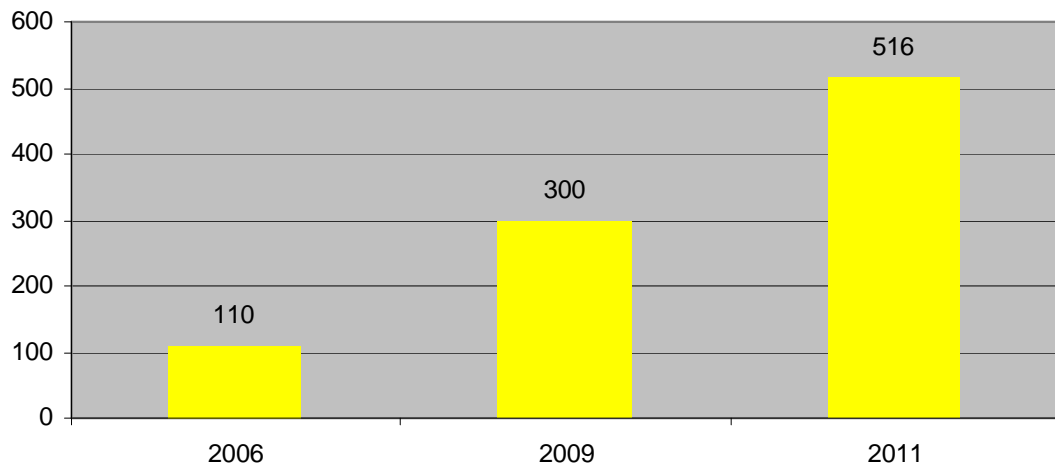


Fig XIV Estimated average numbers of CITES specimens offers available on the Internet in Romania in the years 2006, 2009 and 2011

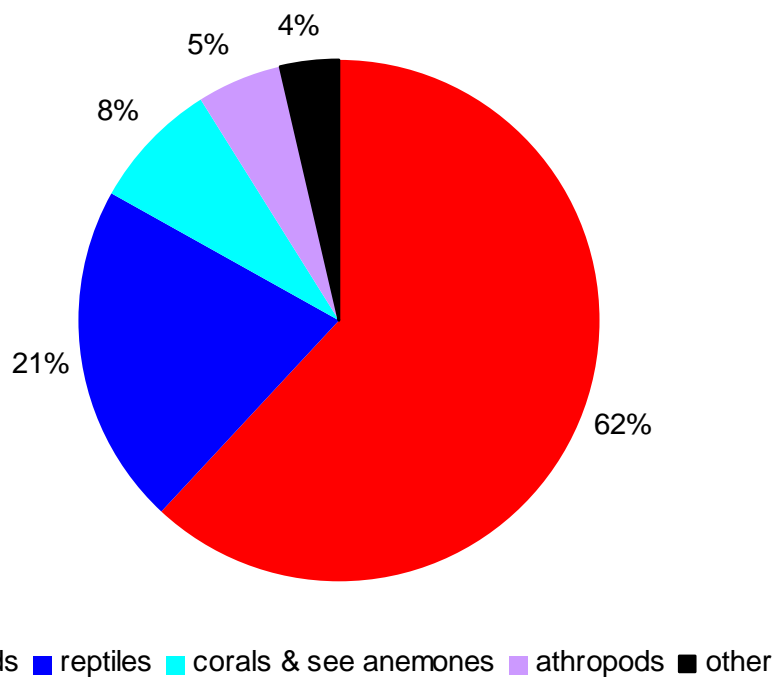


Fig XV Percentage share of different systematic groups of species, which were offered for sale on the Internet in Romania in 2011

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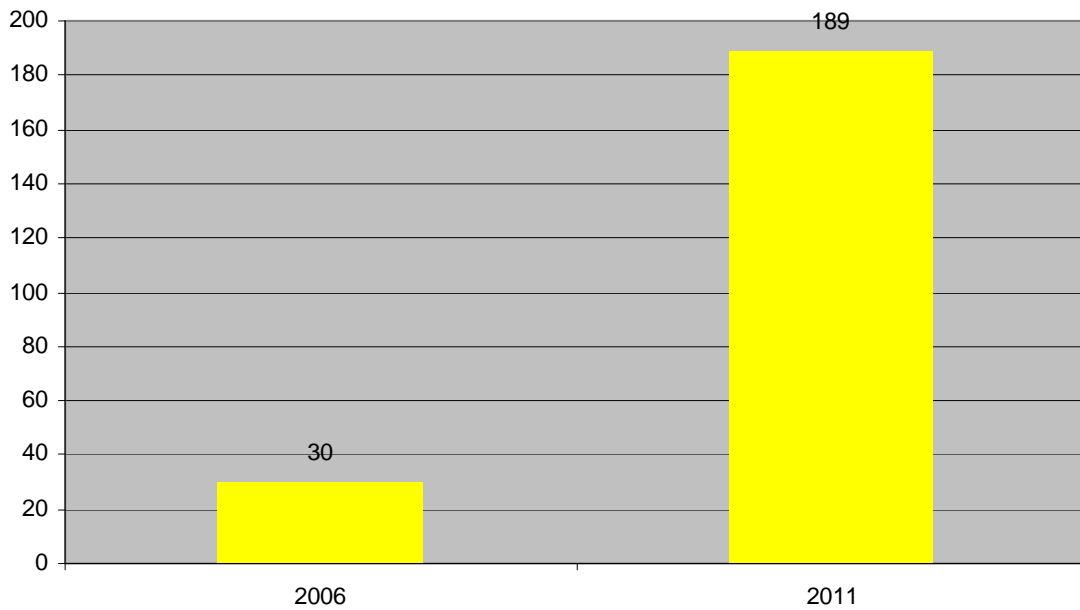


Fig XVI Estimated average numbers of CITES specimens offers available on the Internet in Serbia in the years 2006 and 2011

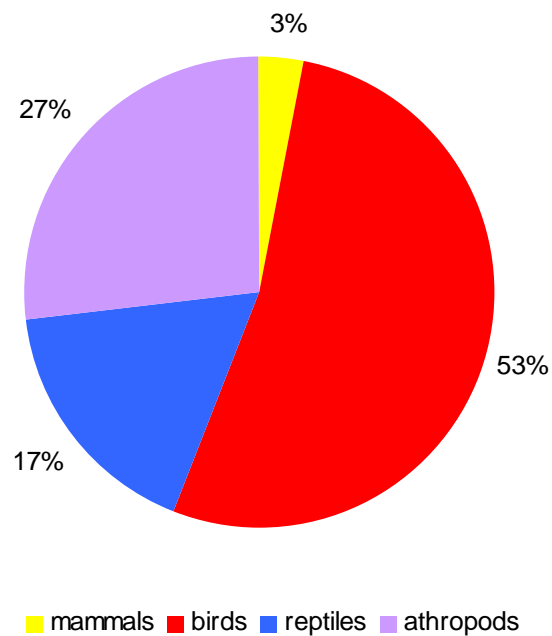


Fig XVII Percentage share of different systematic groups of species, which were offered for sale on the Internet in Serbia in 2011

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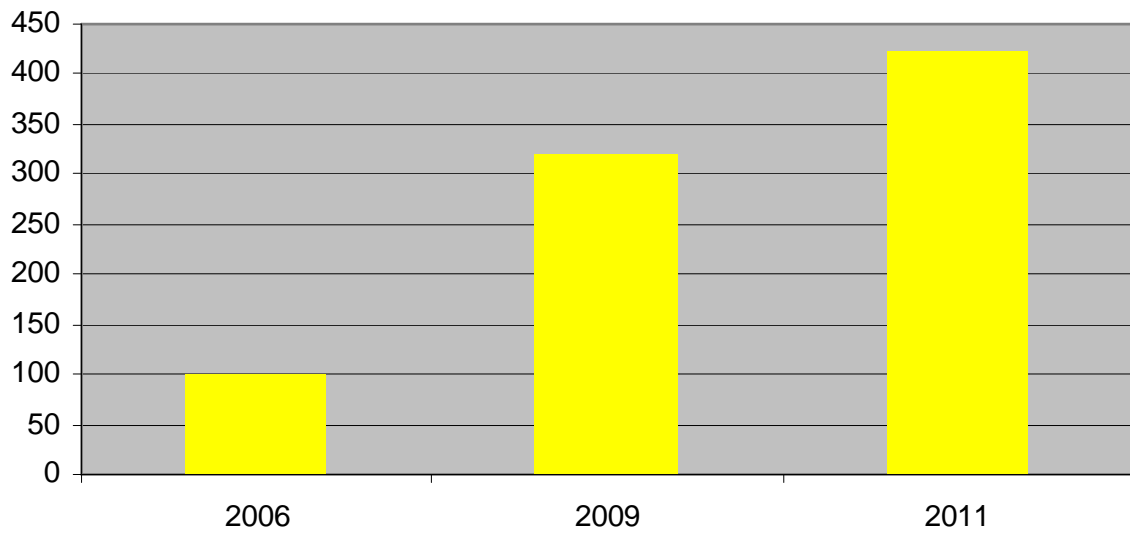


Fig XVIII Estimated average numbers of CITES specimens offers available on the Internet in Slovakia in the years 2006, 2009 and 2011

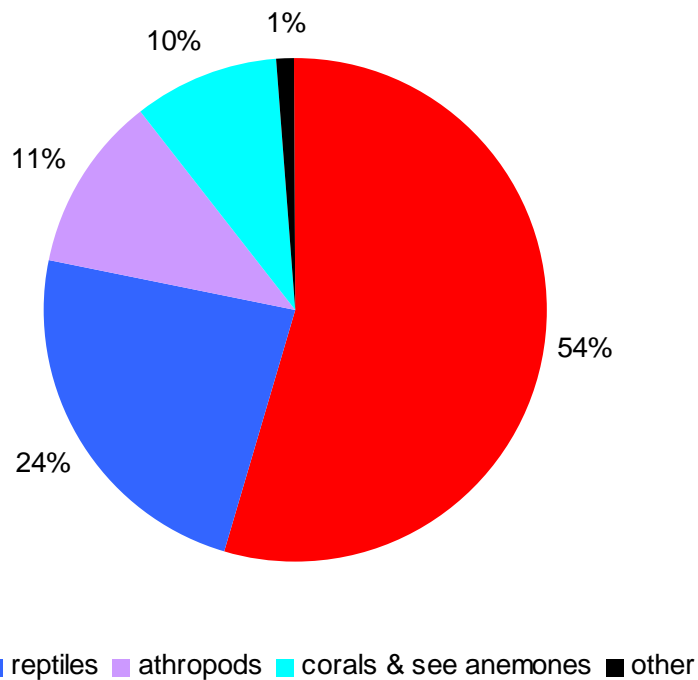


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UKRAINE

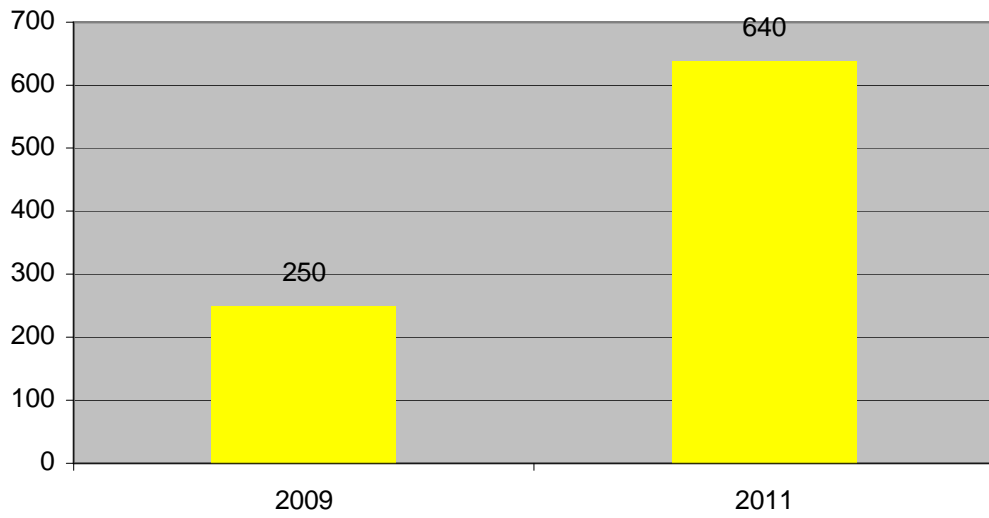


Fig XX Estimated average numbers of CITES specimens offers available on the Internet in Ukraine in the years 2009 and 2011

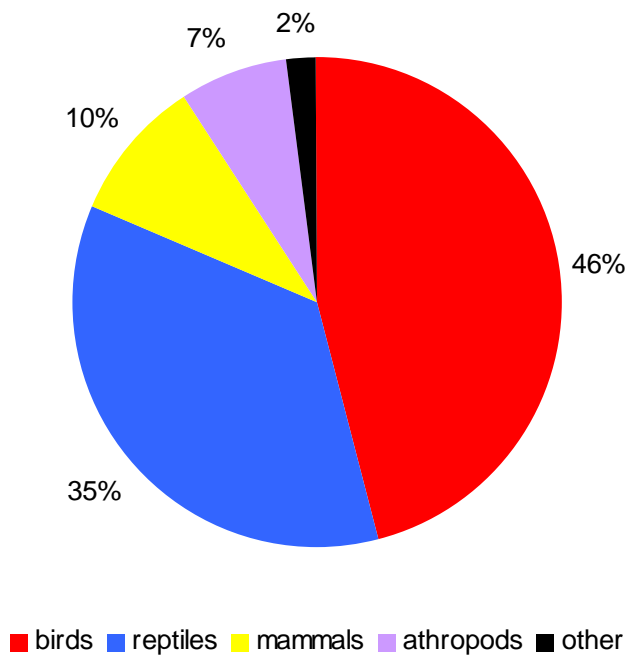


Fig XI Percentage share of different systematic groups of species, which were offered for sale on the Internet in Ukraine in 2011

Visual samples of Internet sale offers regarding specimens of species covered by EU wildlife trade regulations and CITES noticed during the project

