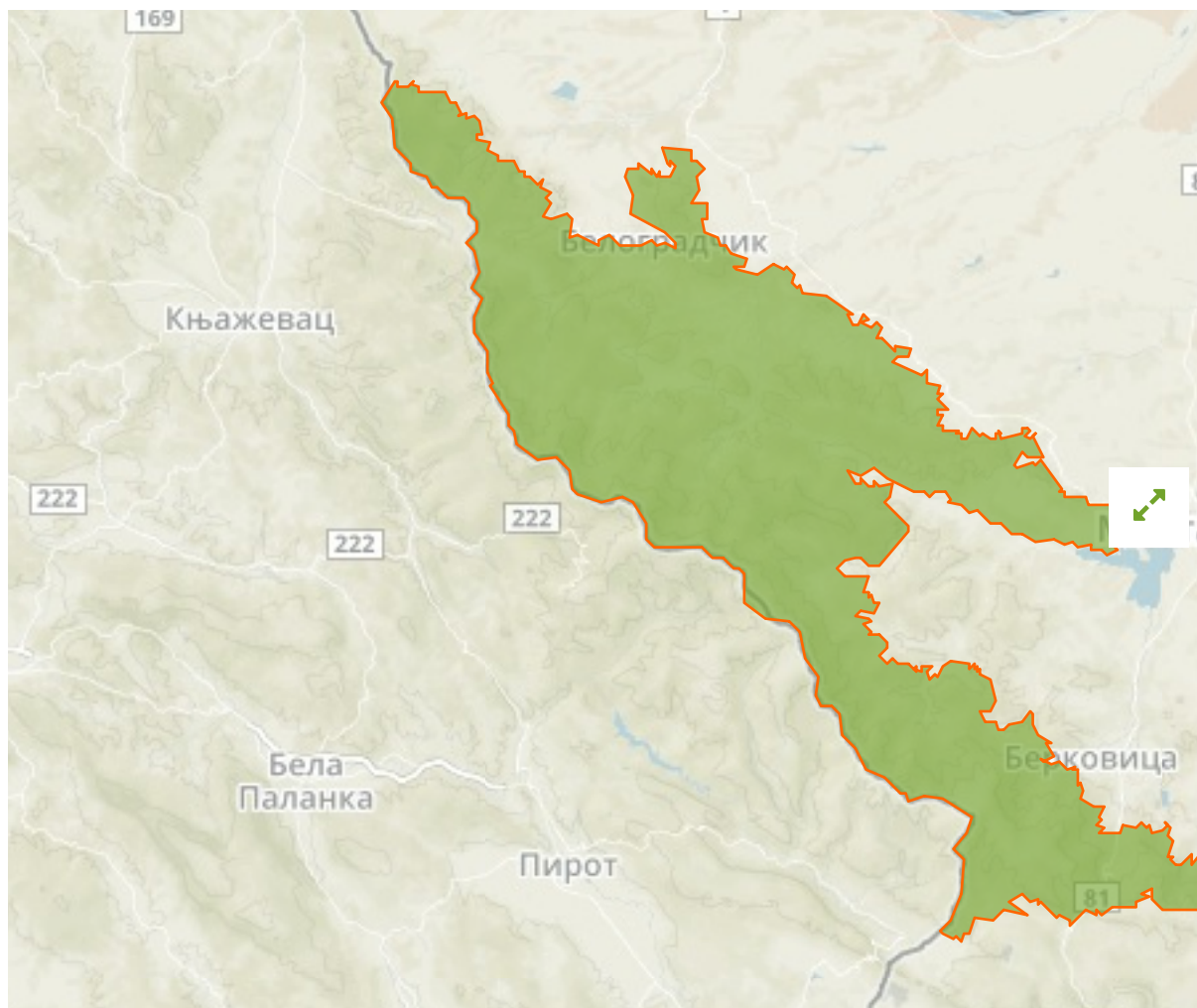


## Zapaden Balkan in Bulgaria



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**555537071**

Reported Area

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**1468.32 km<sup>2</sup>**

## Management Effectiveness Evaluations

No information available

## Attributes

<b>Original Name</b>	<b>Zapaden Balkan</b>
<b>English Designation</b>	<b>Special Protection Area (Birds Directive)</b>
<b>IUCN Management Category</b>	<b>Not Reported</b>
Status	Designated
Type of Designation	Regional
Status Year	2007
Sublocation	
Governance Type	Federal or national ministry or agency
Management Authority	Regional Inspectorates of Environment and Water - Montana; Sofia; Forestry Departments - Belogradchik; Berkovitsa; Barzia; Govezha; Godech; Montana; Svoje; Chiprovtsi; Chuprene; State Game-breeding Center - Midzhur;
Management Plan	Not Reported
International Criteria	Not Applicable

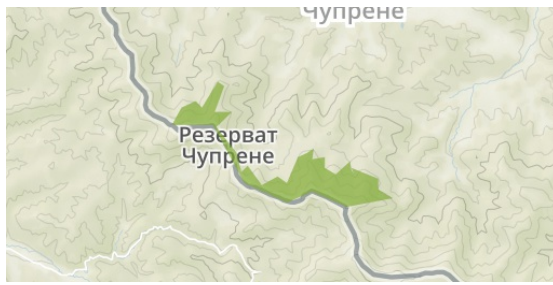
## Site network breakdown

### Transboundary sites

**Chuprene**

**Stara planina**

in Bulgaria



English Designation  
Strict Nature Reserve

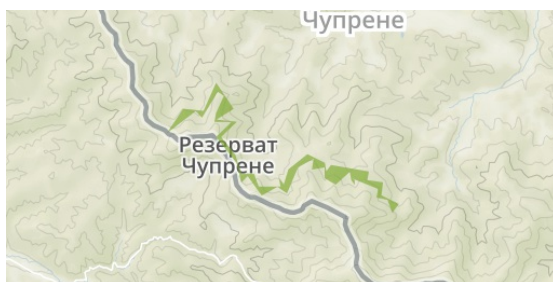
IUCN Category  
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WDPA ID      Year of Designation  
11504

Reported Area  
14.5 km<sup>2</sup>

### Chuprenski buki

in Bulgaria



English Designation  
Protected Site

IUCN Category  
VI

WDPA ID      Year of Designation  
349893

Reported Area  
5.5 km<sup>2</sup>

### Kopren

in Bulgaria

in Serbia



English Designation  
Nature Park

IUCN Category  
V

WDPA ID      Year of Designation  
16397

Reported Area  
1143.3 km<sup>2</sup>

### Zapadna Stara planina i Predbalkan

in Bulgaria



English Designation  
Site of Community Importance  
(Habitats Directive)

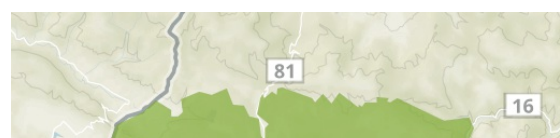
IUCN Category  
Not Reported

WDPA ID      Year of Designation  
555516642

Reported Area  
2197.5 km<sup>2</sup>

### Ponor

in Bulgaria





English Designation  
Protected Site

IUCN Category  
VI

WDPA ID      Year of Designation  
176686

Reported Area  
5.4 km<sup>2</sup>

English Designation  
Special Protection Area (Birds  
Directive)

IUCN Category  
Not Reported

WDPA ID      Year of Designation  
555537074

Reported Area  
313.8 km<sup>2</sup>

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