



16 - 18 MARCH 2018



20 years of Bearded Vulture in Italy after the extinction

ALTA VALTELLINA - SONDRIO

Importanza dei corridoi e dei progetti di reintroduzione a scala europea.

Importance of corridors and reintroduction projects in Europe.

Aggiornamento sulla distribuzione del grifone in Italia: quale futuro?

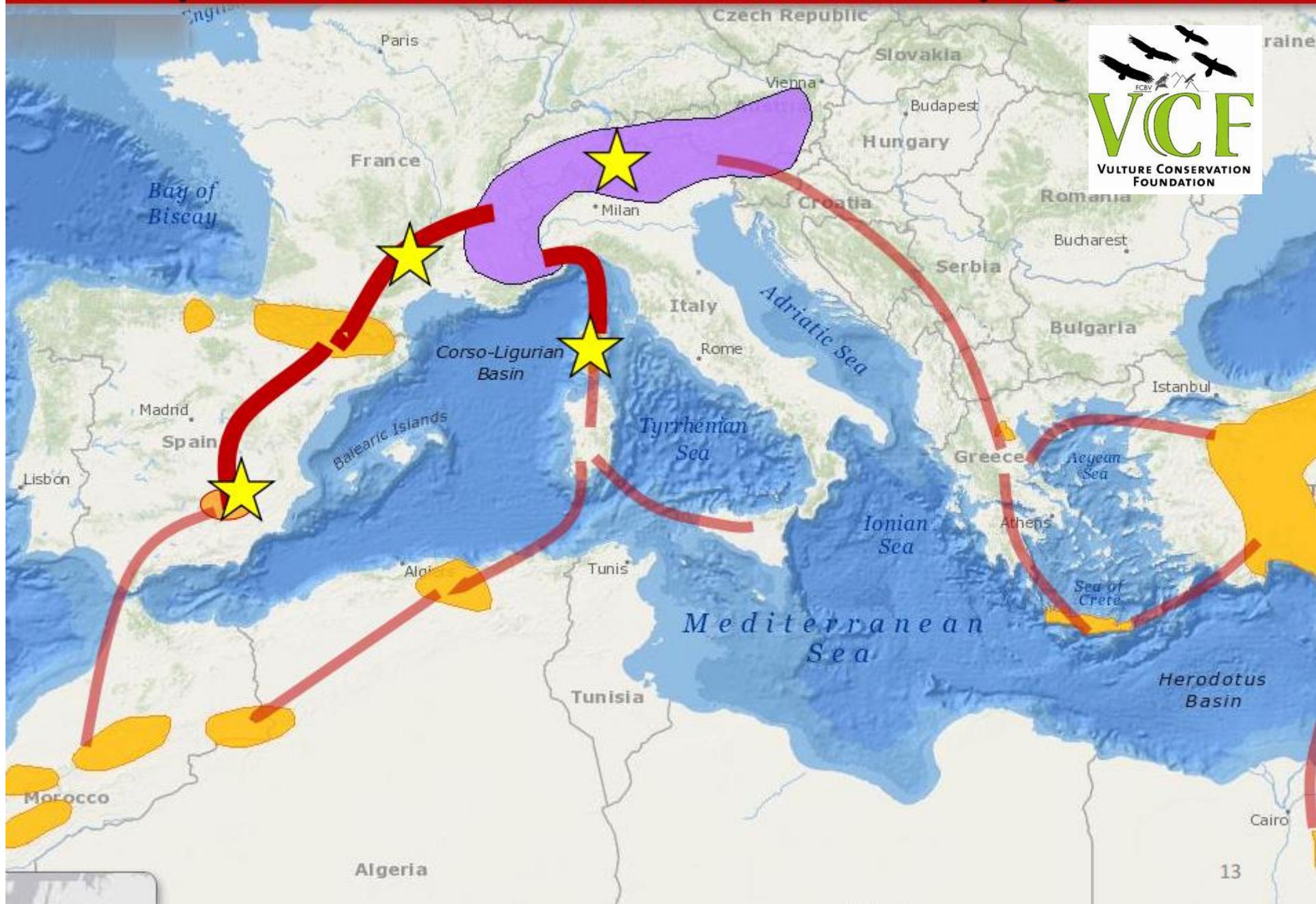
The situation of the Griffon Vulture in Italy: what future?

Fulvio Genero

Fulvio.genero@gmail.com



Europe-wide bearded vulture restoration programme

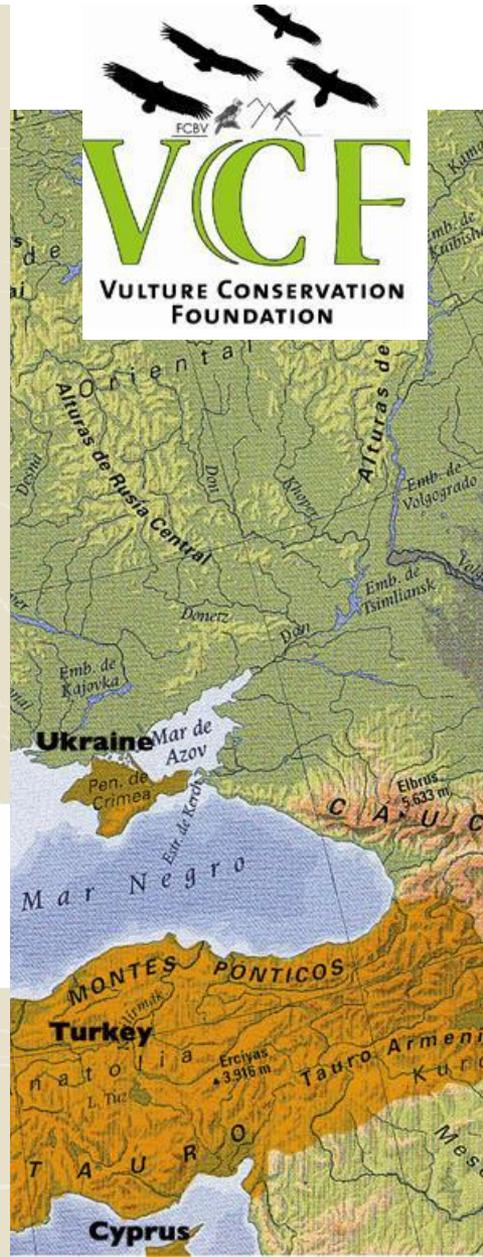


The VCF:



Vulture Multi-species Action Plan Workshop

25th - 29th October 2016
 Torrejón el Rubio, Extremadura (Spain)
 National Park of Monfragüe

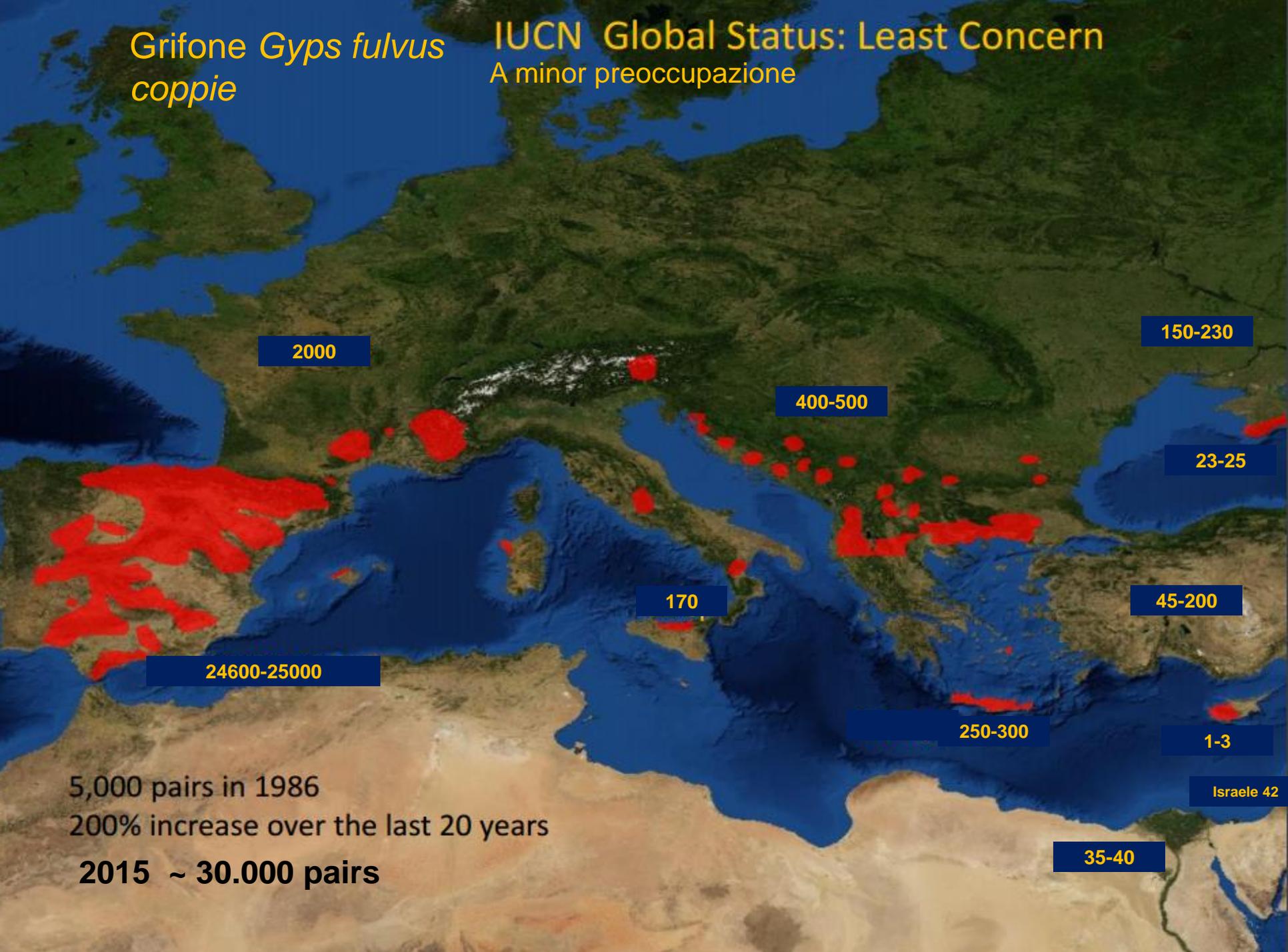


Organizers:

Sponsors:

Grifone *Gyps fulvus*
coppie

IUCN Global Status: Least Concern
A minor preoccupazione



2000

150-230

400-500

23-25

170

45-200

24600-25000

250-300

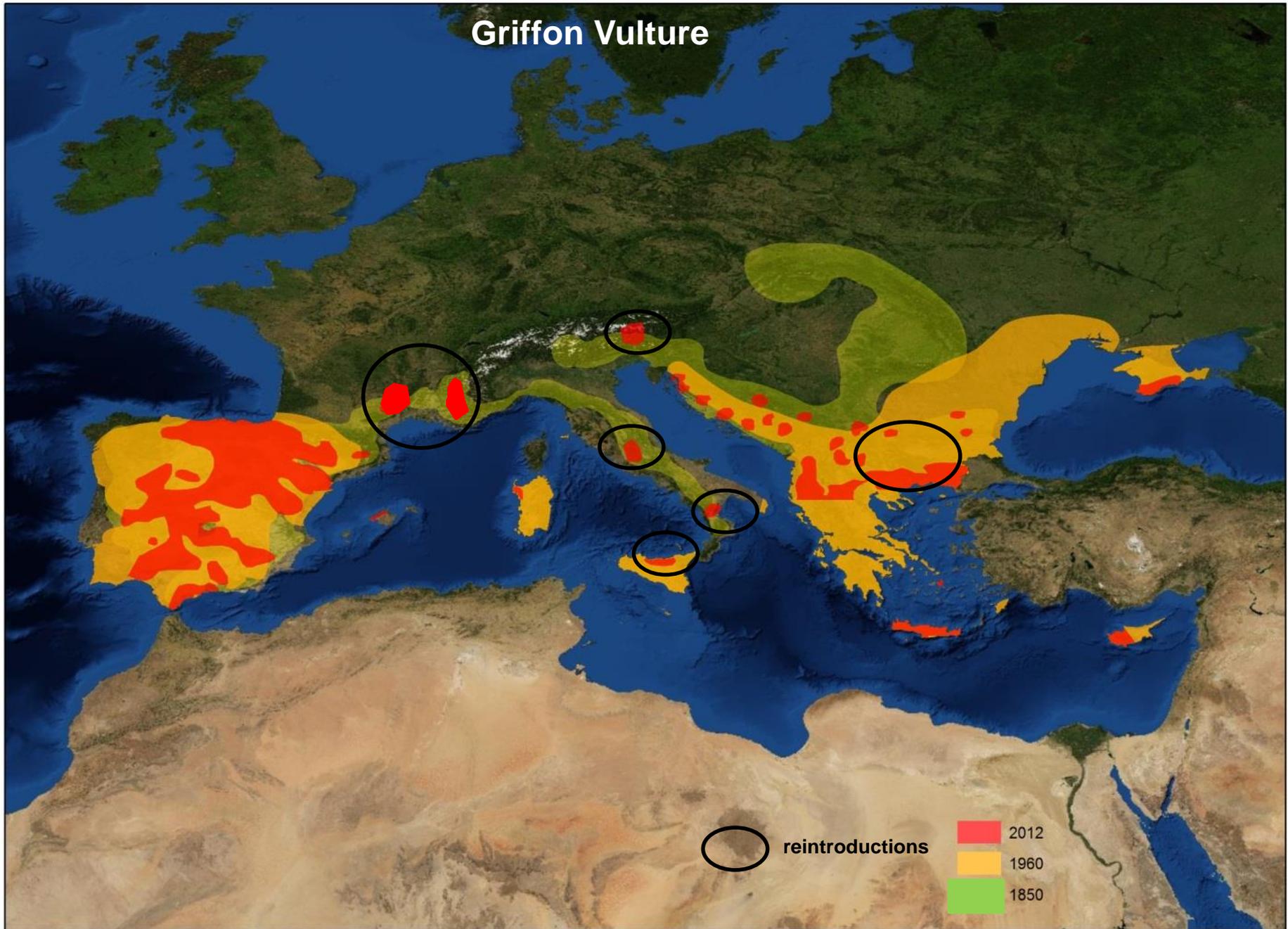
1-3

Israele 42

35-40

5,000 pairs in 1986
200% increase over the last 20 years
2015 ~ 30.000 pairs

Griffon Vulture



First reintroduction in Europe

Griffon Vulture

Massif Central – Grand Causses
Beginning 1968

LPO/FIR BirdLife France
FCBV BVCF
Parc National des Cévennes

.....







GRIFFON VULTURE

FRANCE- number of released birds

MASSIF CENTRAL – NAVACELLES (1970-1987) 86

Southern Alps (1996-2008): 227

Baronnies (1996-2001): 61

Dios (1999-2008): 75

Gorges du Verdon (1999-2005): 91

Grands Causses

Southern Alps

Jonte : 1981-1986

Navacelles
1993-1998

Vercors 1999-2007

Baronnies
1996 - 2001

Verdon 1999 - 2004

500

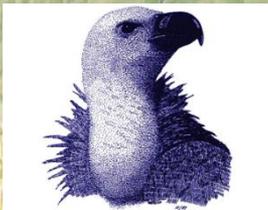
pairs

300

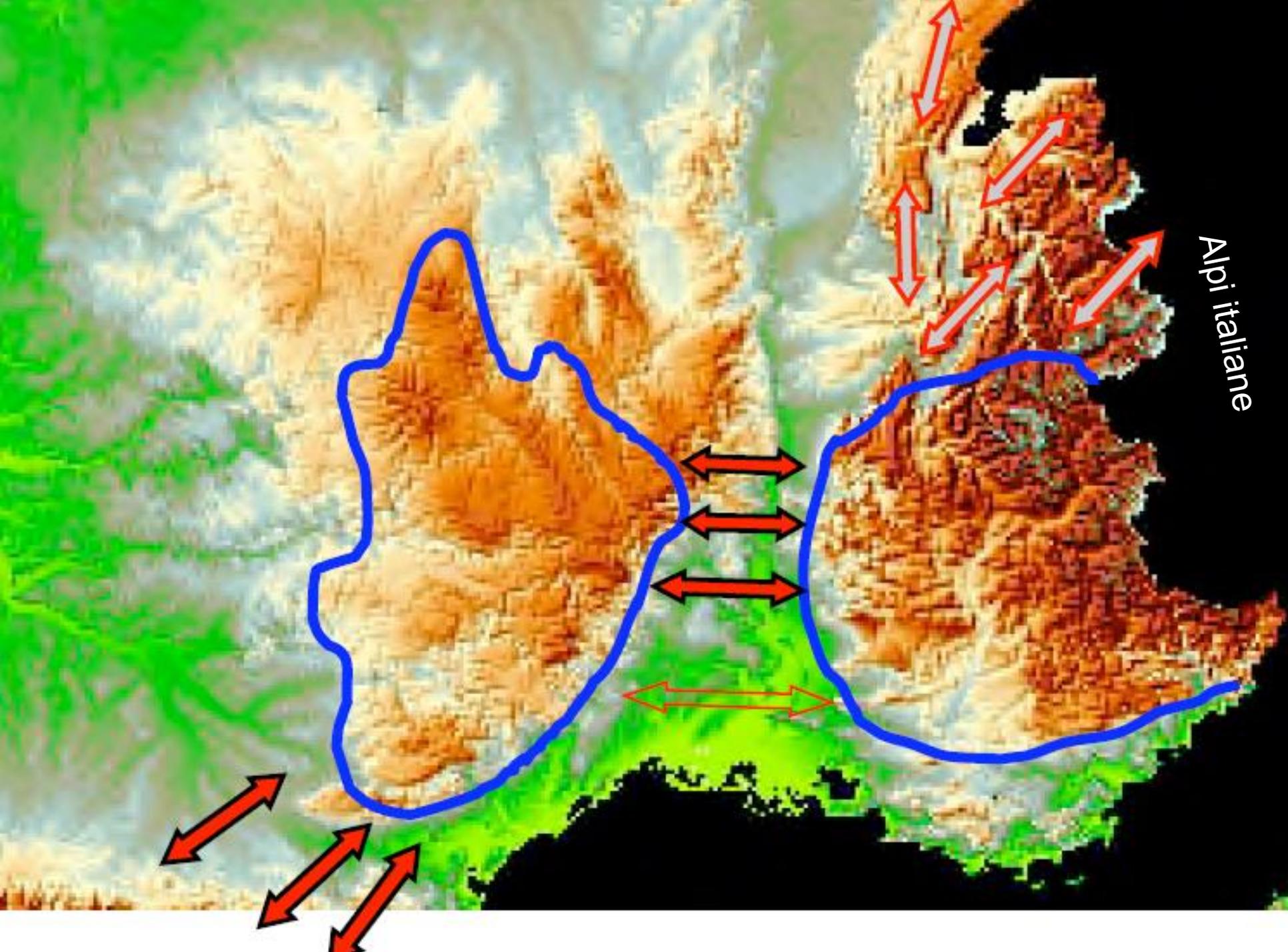


AGIR pour la
BIODIVERSITÉ
PACA

Reintroduction du
Vautour fauve
Reintroduction of the
Griffon vulture
cahier
technique
cahier
technique



VAUTOURS EN BARONNIES



Alpi italiane

n° individui per gruppo
N=685



22° rencontre du groupe Vautours France, Jaujac (Ardèche) 12 mars 2016



Luca Giraudo Parco Naturale Alpi Marittime
Alberti Silvia Parco Naturale Alpi Cozie

data	località	UTM Est	UTM Nord	Comune	Provincia
15/12/1789	Val Pellice	353933	4963391	VILLAR PELLICE	TO
01/01/1893	Treccate	480871	5031950	TRECCATE	NO
01/01/1905	rocche di Pocapaglia	411362	4952652	POCAPAGLIA	CN
01/01/1922	Valli di Lanzo	376284	5015502	PESSINETTO	TO
01/11/1957	Claviere, confin italo-francese	322901	4976982	CLAVIERE	TO
01/01/1972	Alpe Crosiassa, Val d'Ala di Lanzo	367008	5020315	ALA DI STURA	TO
28/04/1977		359504	4909372	DEMONTE	CN
13/11/1984	periferia del paese	459806	4984045	LU	AL
13/04/1986	V. ROVINA	369399	4895295	ENTRACQUE	CN
06/06/1989	Colle di Prale-M-Armetta, m 1330 , Val Tanaro	411706	4889202	ORMEA	CN
05/09/1997	Monte Ciarn	367213	5013903	VIU'	TO

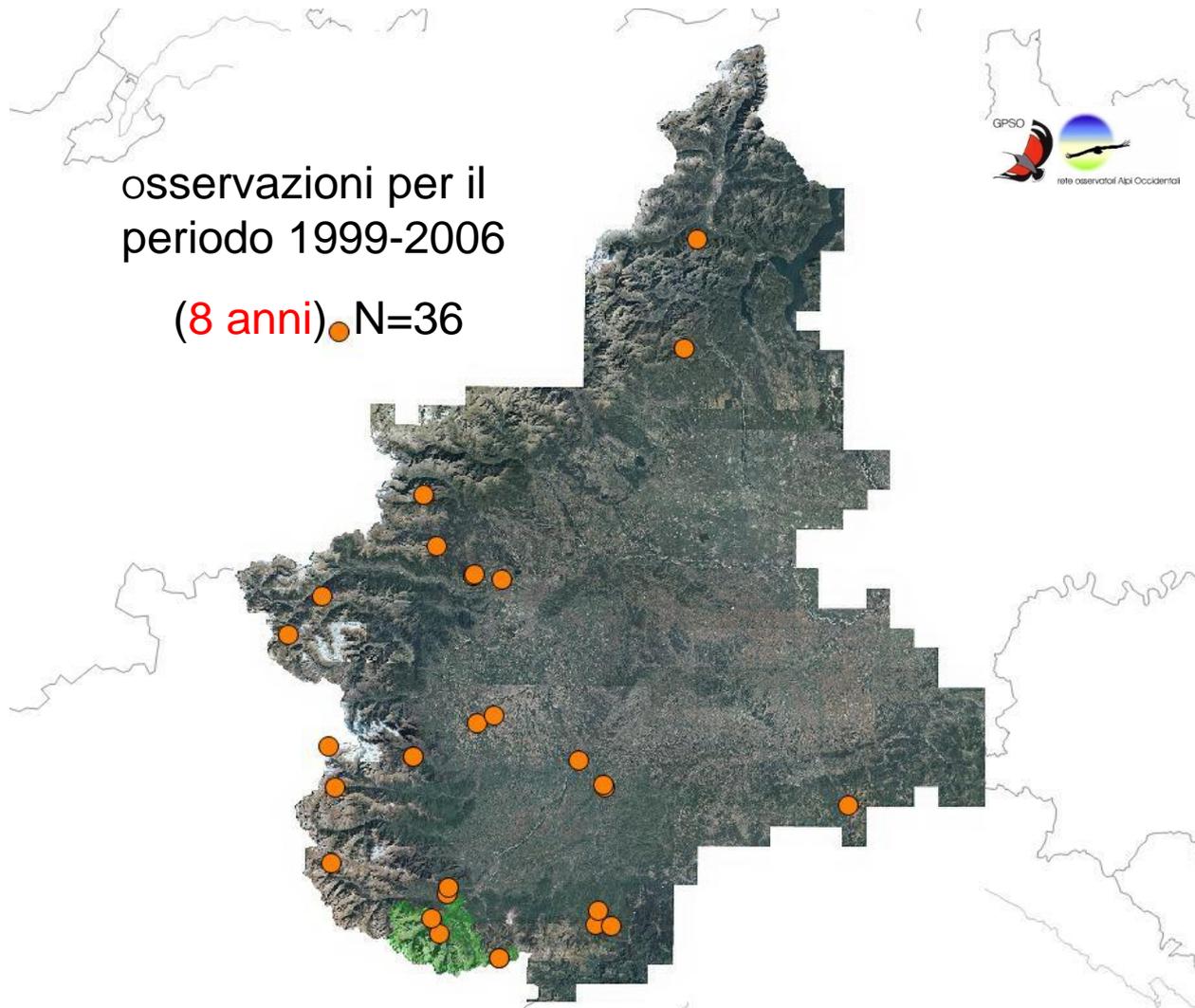
Observazioni per il
periodo 1789-1998
(210 anni) N=12



22° rencontre du groupe Vautours France, Jaujac (Ardèche) 12 mars 2016

Luca Giraudo Parco Naturale Alpi Marittime
Alberti Silvia Parco Naturale Alpi Cozie



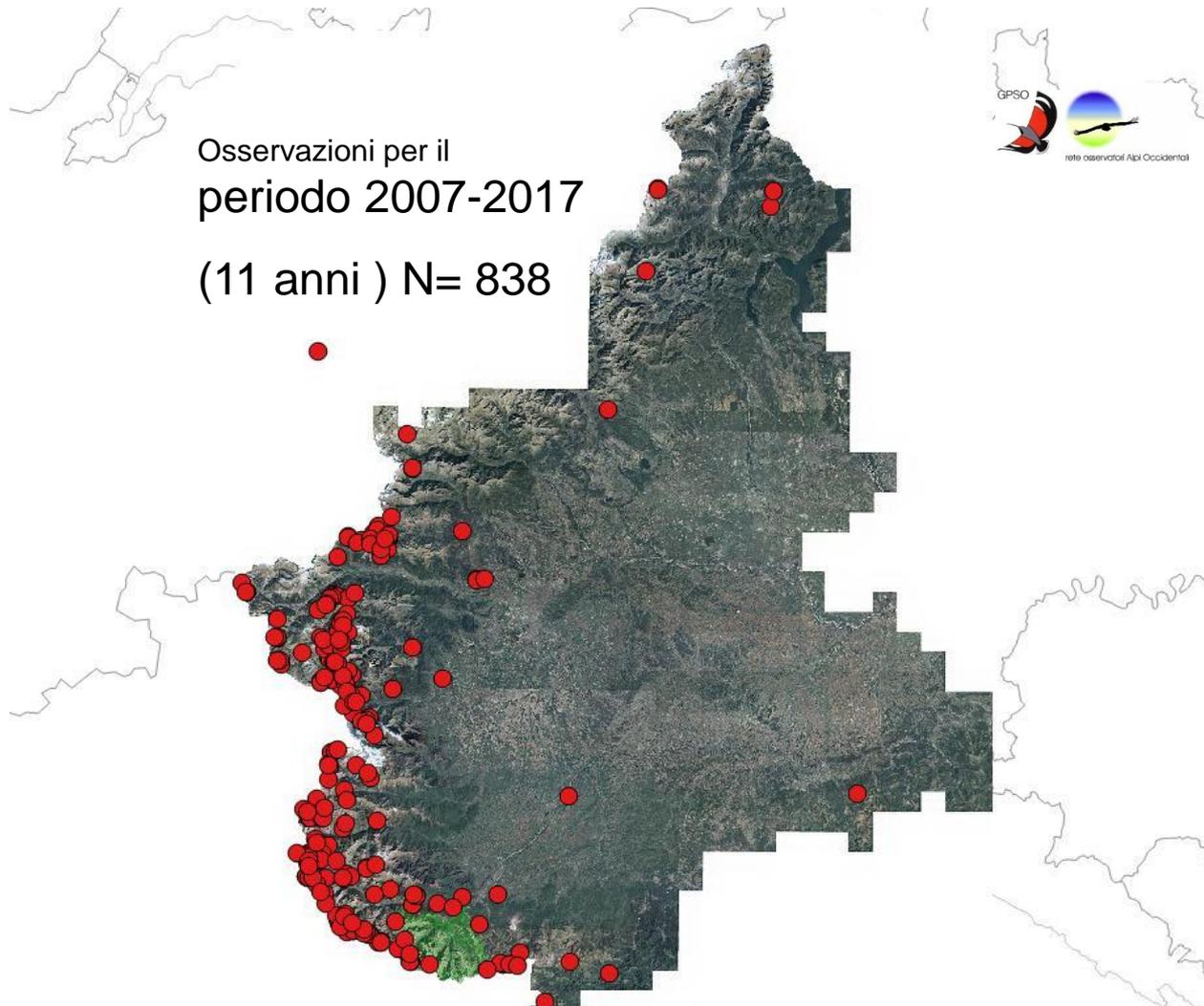


osservazioni per il
periodo 1999-2006

(8 anni) ● N=36



Luca Giraudo Parco Naturale Alpi Marittime
Alberti Silvia Parco Naturale Alpi Cozie



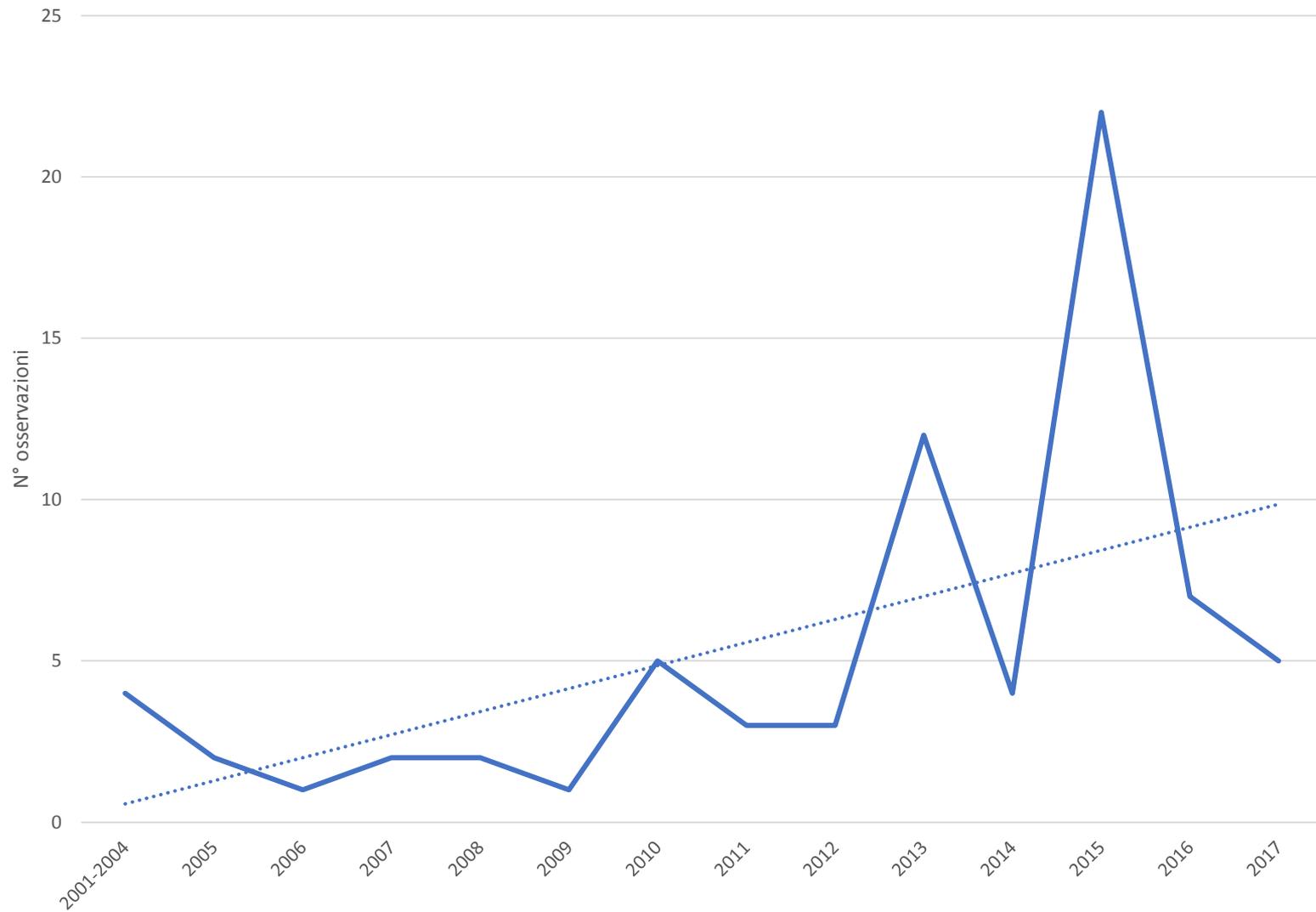
Osservazioni per il
periodo 2007-2017
(11 anni) N= 838

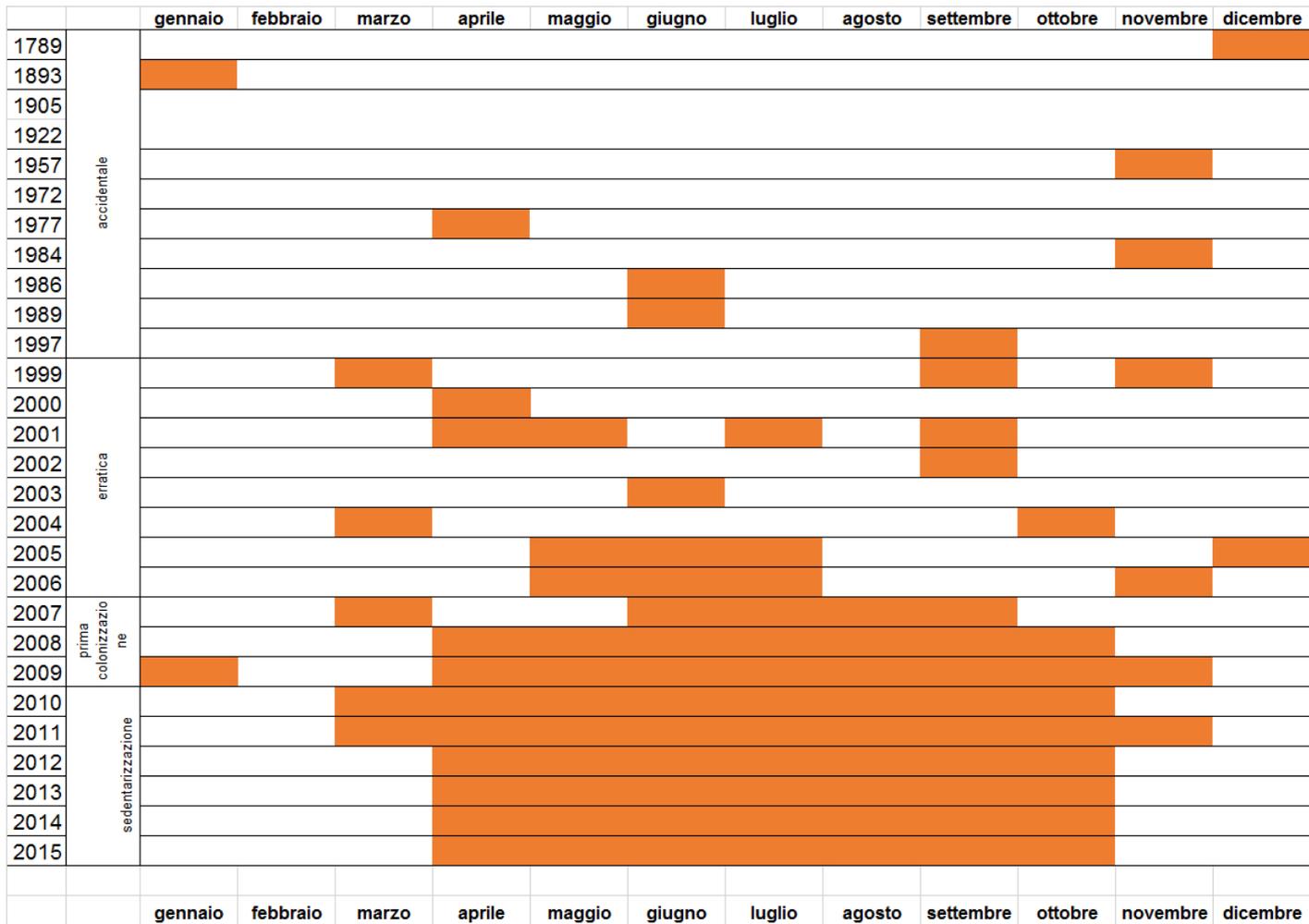


Luca Giraudo Parco Naturale Alpi Marittime
Alberti Silvia Parco Naturale Alpi Cozie

Enrico Bassi

Andamento delle osservazioni di grifone in Lombardia 2001-2017





Luca Girardo Parco Naturale Alpi Marittime
 Alberti Silvia Parco Naturale Alpi Cozie

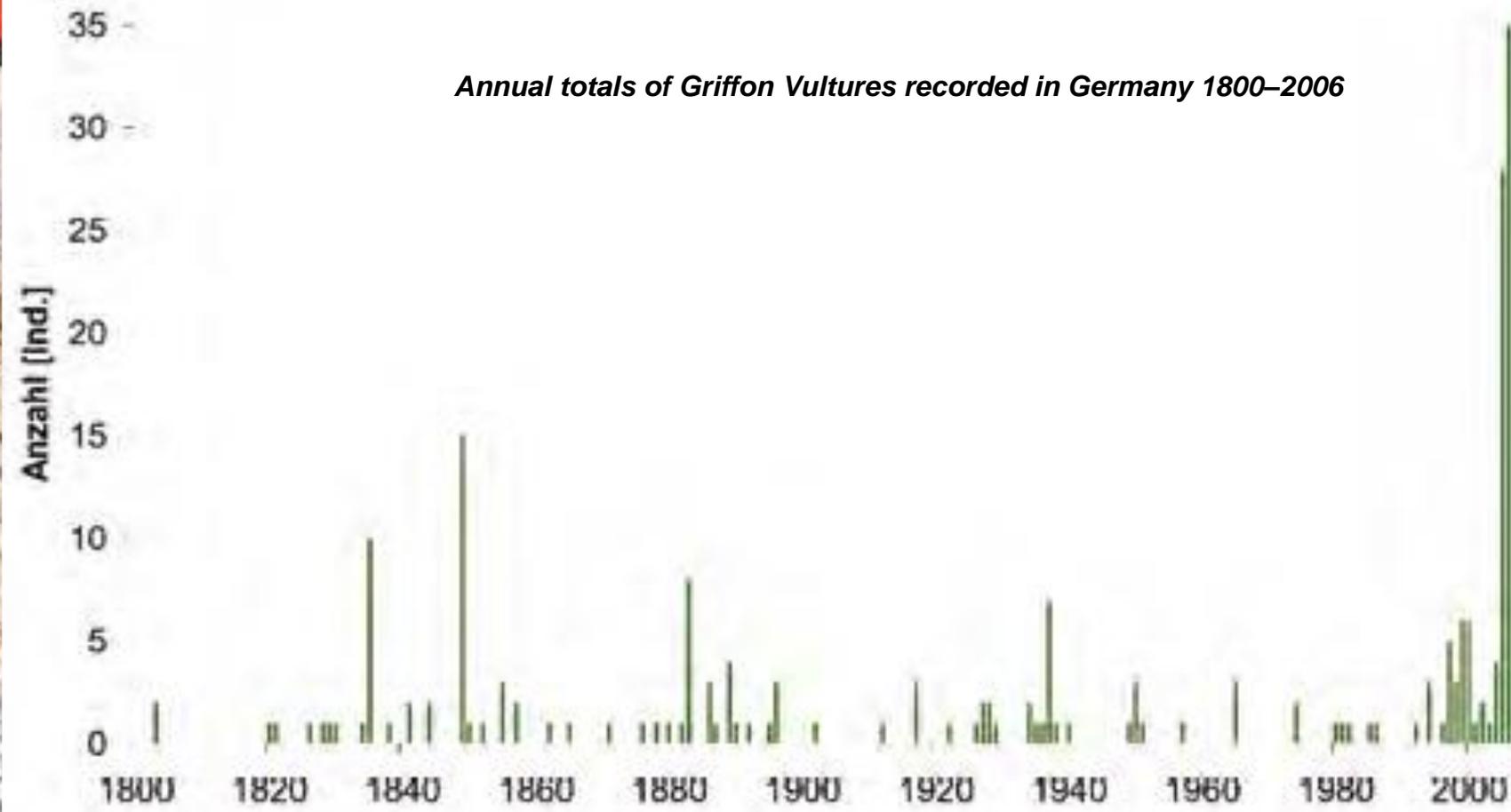


Geier-Alarm!

ndert: Gänsegeier in Pfeffingen gesichtet

Riesenvogel a

in No



Annual totals of Griffon Vultures recorded in Germany 1800–2006

fenbu
Vogel
zu 70
fresser mit bis zu
2,80 Metern Flügel-
spannweite gesicht
„Das ist ein gewalt'
Einflug“, berichtete
Freitag Thorsten Krüger
von der Staatlichen Vo-
gelschutzwarte in Han-



er Niedersa

Gänsegeier kreisen über Galenbeck

Wiederholte die 21-Jährige
sagen können wir
vom Februar. In der
Wasser-Wasser war
den über 70 Jahren
war gestrichelt, sparsam
und sehr gelich.

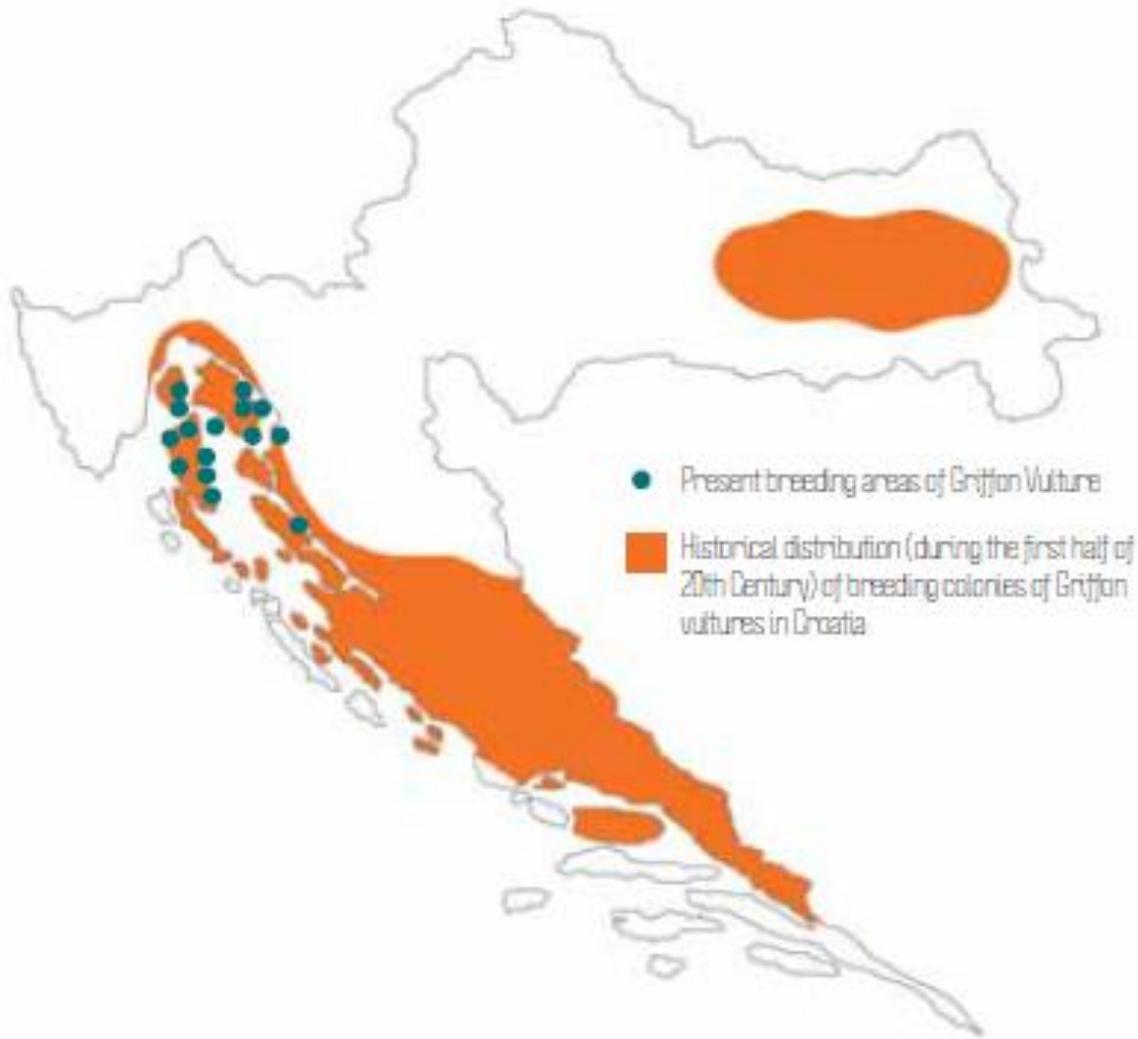
Wiederholte die 21-Jährige
sagen können wir
vom Februar. In der
Wasser-Wasser war
den über 70 Jahren
war gestrichelt, sparsam
und sehr gelich.



Croatian Griffons and their movements



map 1 Historical and present breeding areas of Griffon Vultures in Croatia



National Park Hohe Tauern



Central Balkans - Bulgaria



REGIONE AUTONOMA FRIULI VENEZIA GIULIA
Alpi orientali

Eastern italian Alps





RISERVA
NATURALE
LAGO DI
CORNINO

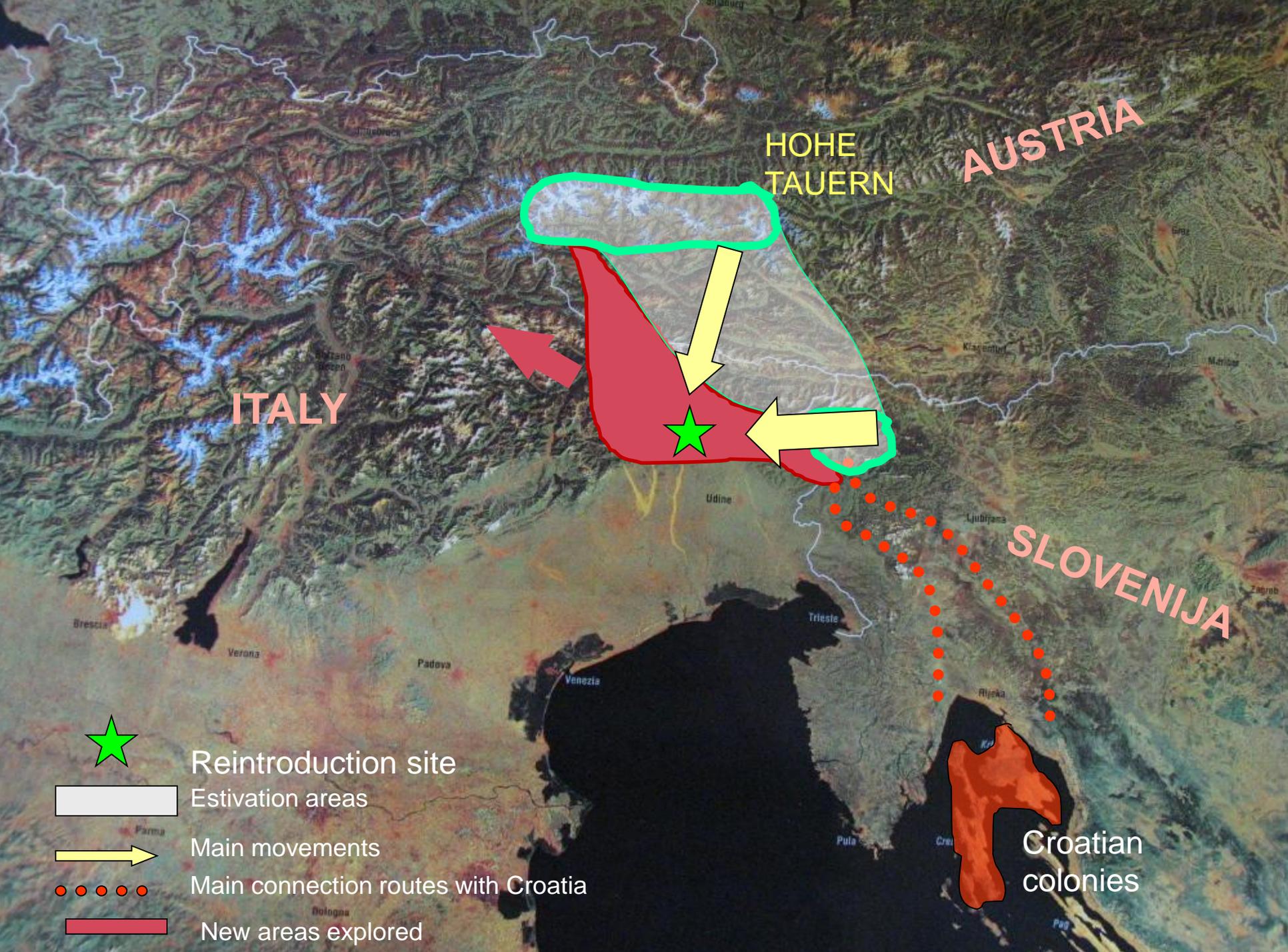




MINI TRANSPORTER
IBI 1000

WEBCAM





HOHE
TAUERN

AUSTRIA

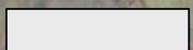
ITALY

SLOVENIJA

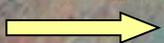
Croatian
colonies



Reintroduction site



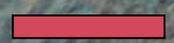
Estivation areas



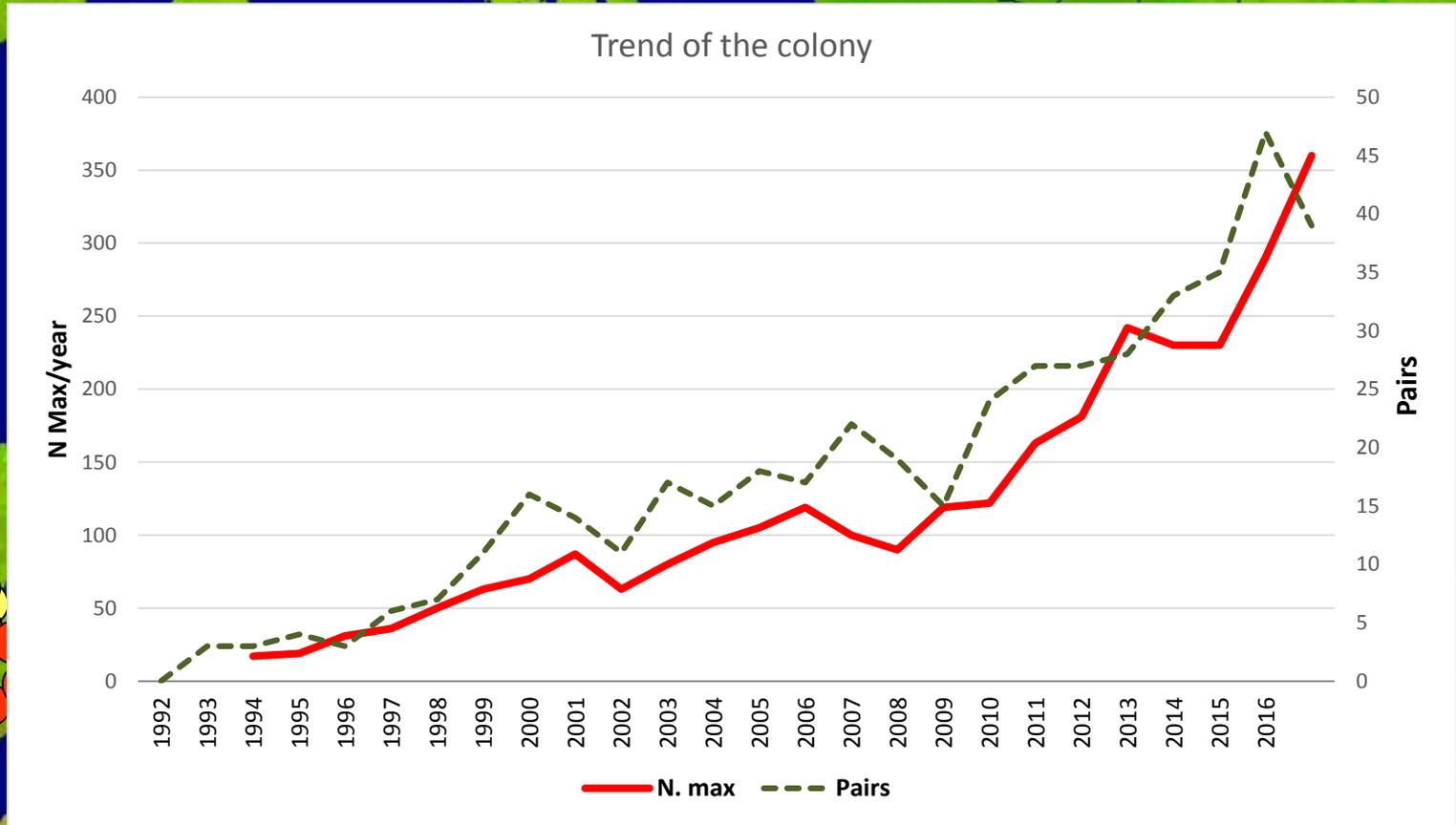
Main movements



Main connection routes with Croatia



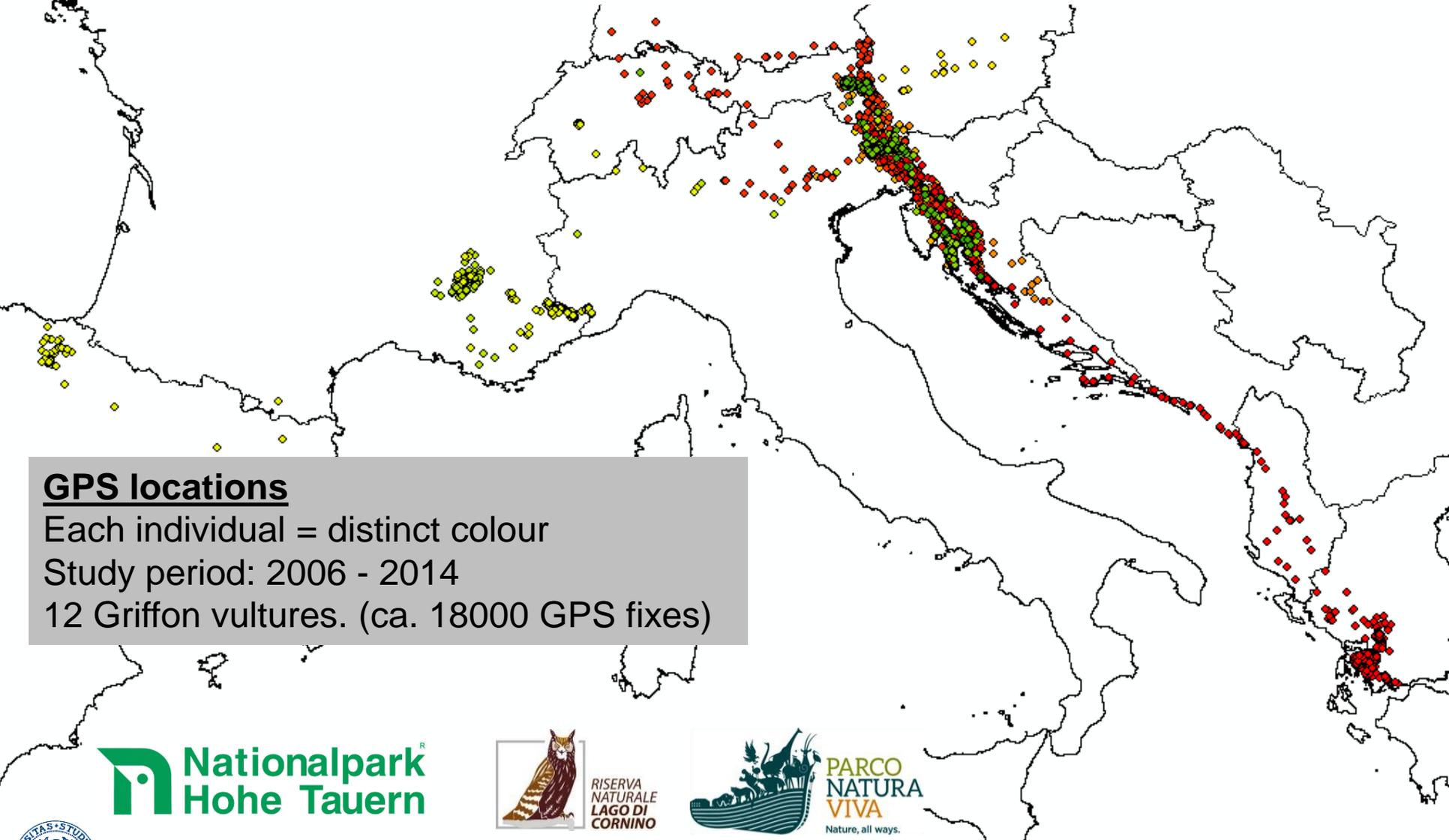
New areas explored



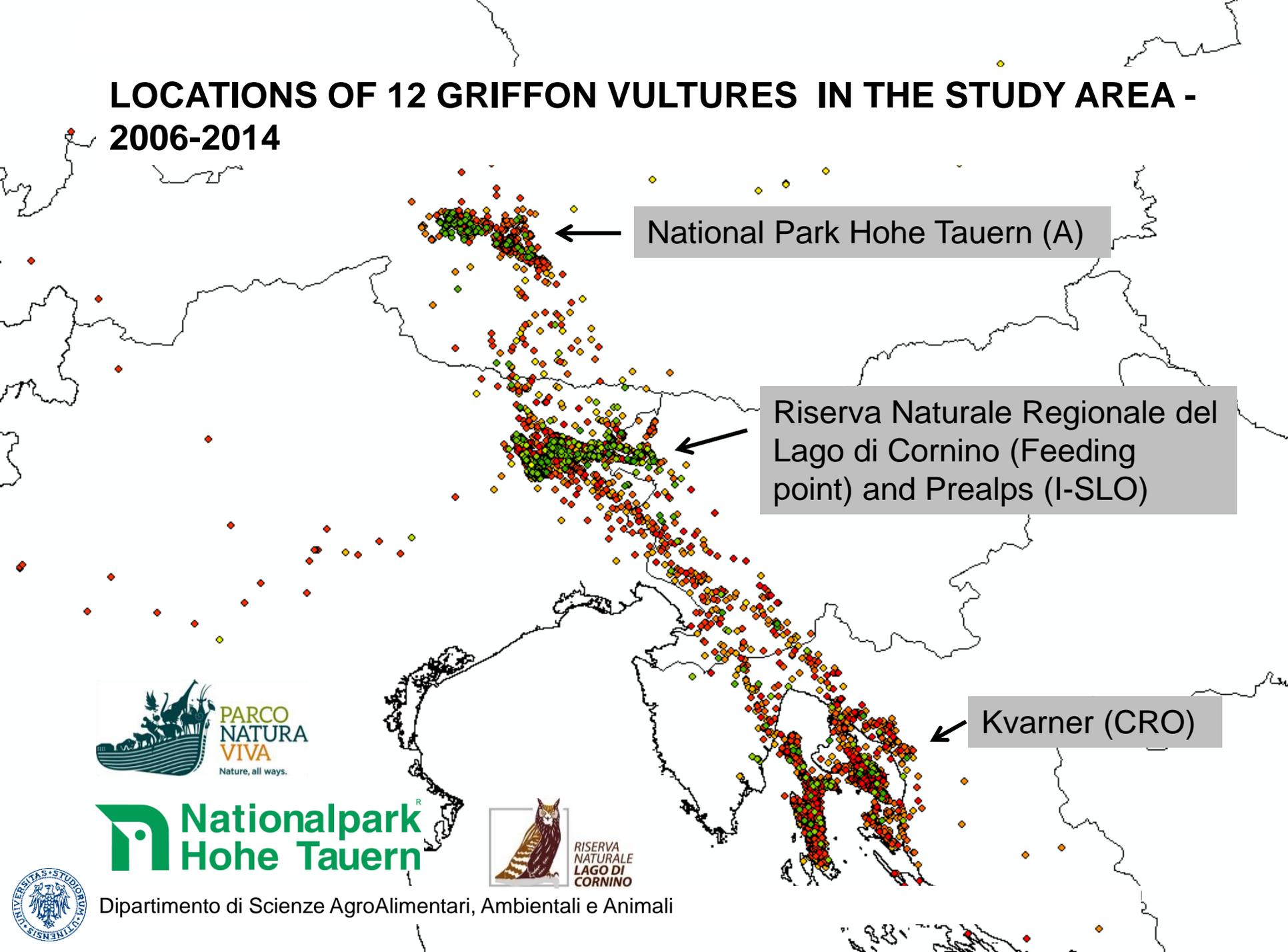
-  **Origin of the birds observed**
-  **Movements of released birds**



LOCATIONS OF 12 GRIFFON VULTURES - 2006-2014



LOCATIONS OF 12 GRIFFON VULTURES IN THE STUDY AREA - 2006-2014



National Park Hohe Tauern (A)

Riserva Naturale Regionale del Lago di Cornino (Feeding point) and Prealps (I-SLO)

Kvarner (CRO)



Main food resources in the areas

Feeding point – FVG (I)
50 tons/year



Pastoralism Kvarner (CRO)
All year in the field
35.000 sheep



**Pastoralism and livestock
NPHT-Salzburg (A)**

From June to September

Cattle 15.000

Sheep 12.000

Horses 400



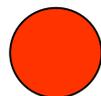
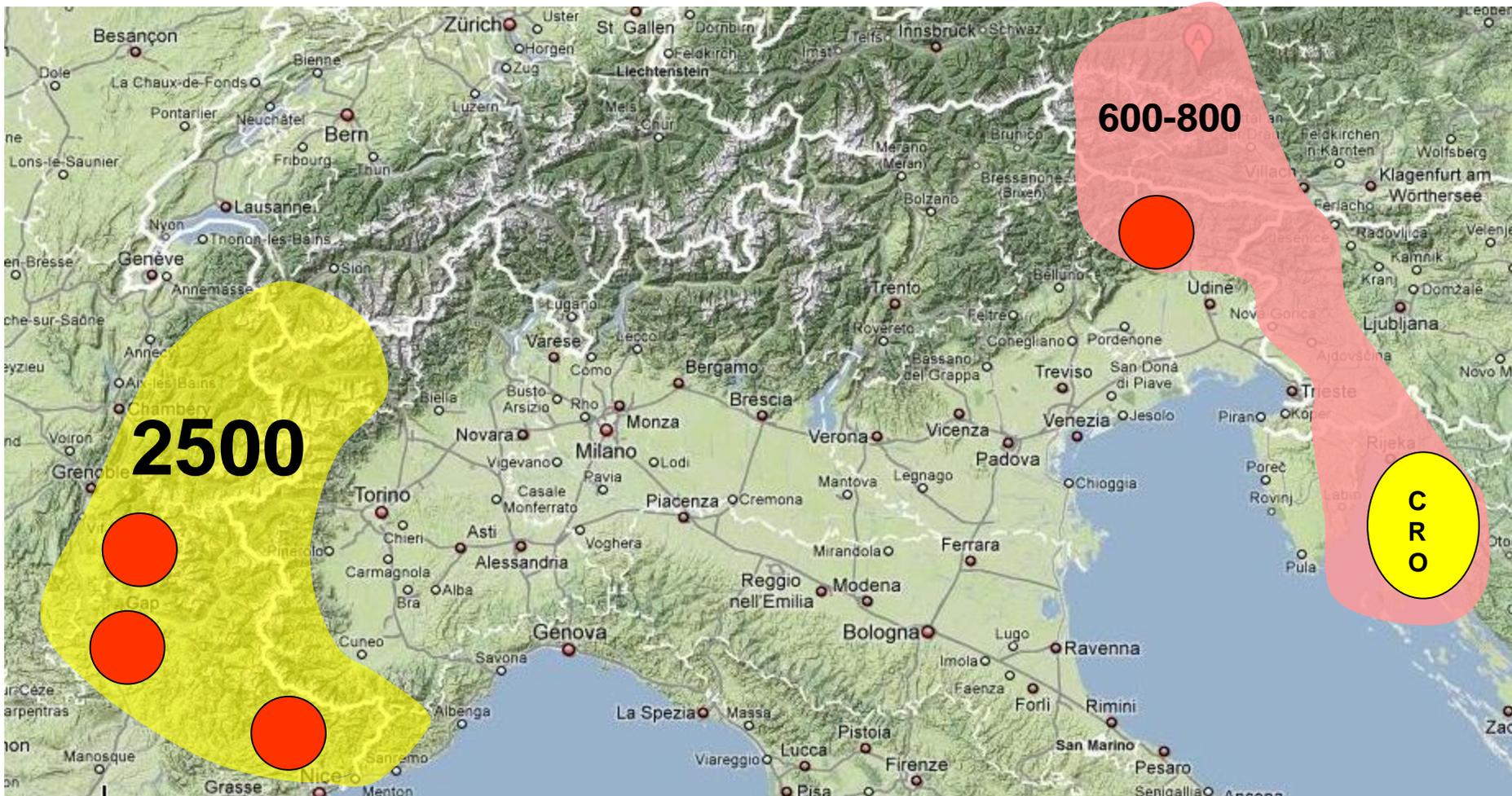
Diois - Vercors

Baronnies

Gorges du Verdon

Contemporary census in the Alps (August 2017) N. of birds

NE Italy

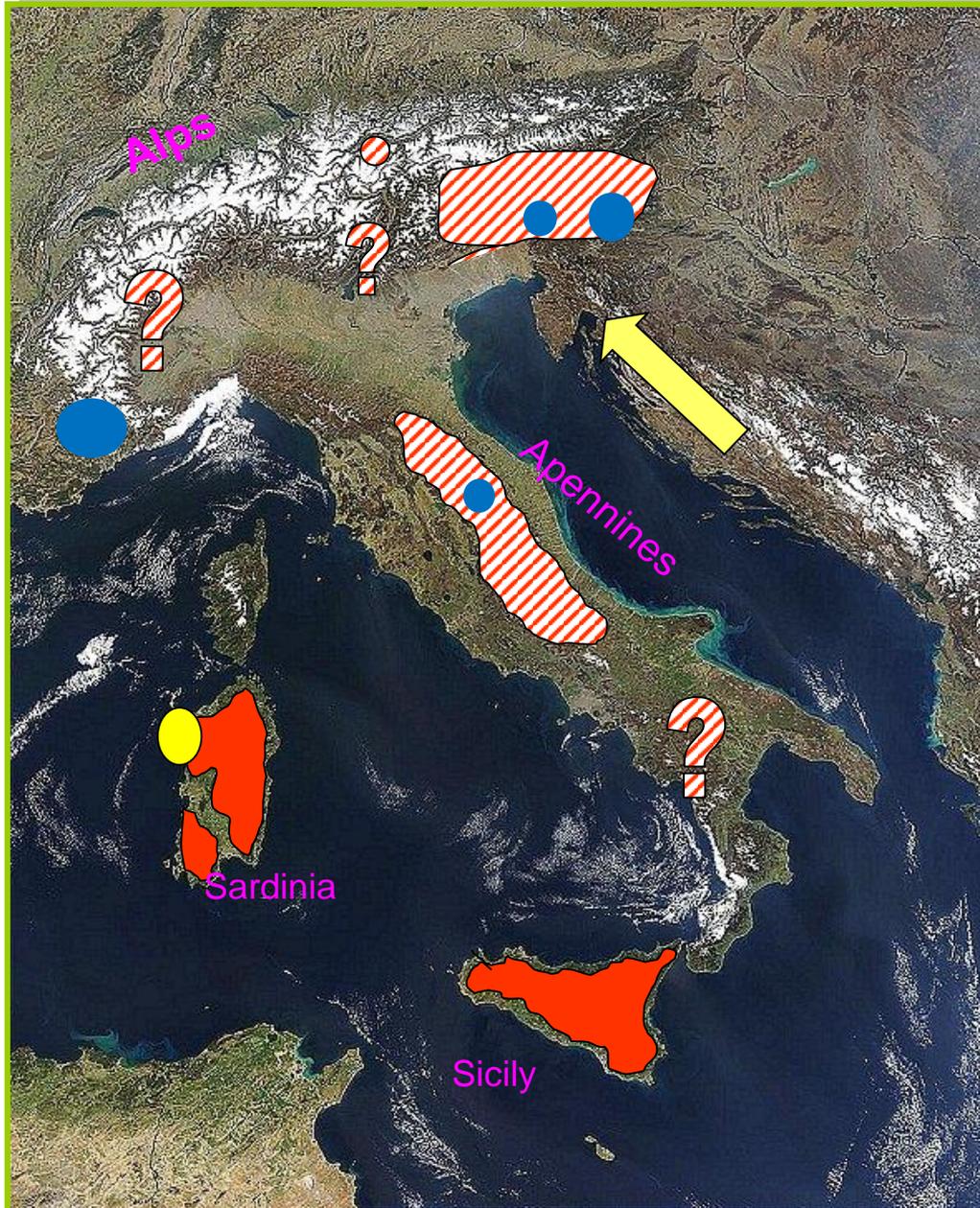


Reintroductions



Breeding colonies in Croatia

Historical presence of the Griffon Vulture in Italy



-  Recently disappeared
-  Uncertain information
-  Certain Information
-  Last colony in Sardinia
-  Main movements

Situation of the Griffon Vulture in Italy - 2017



<u>Area</u>	2017		<u>Released</u>
	<u>Pairs</u>	<u>Ind</u>	
Sardinia	45	150?	60*
East. Alps	45	200-400	80
Appennines	50	200	93
Sicily	30	130	81
Parks Pollino e Appennino Lucano	3-5?	?	75
Tot.	180	700-900	389

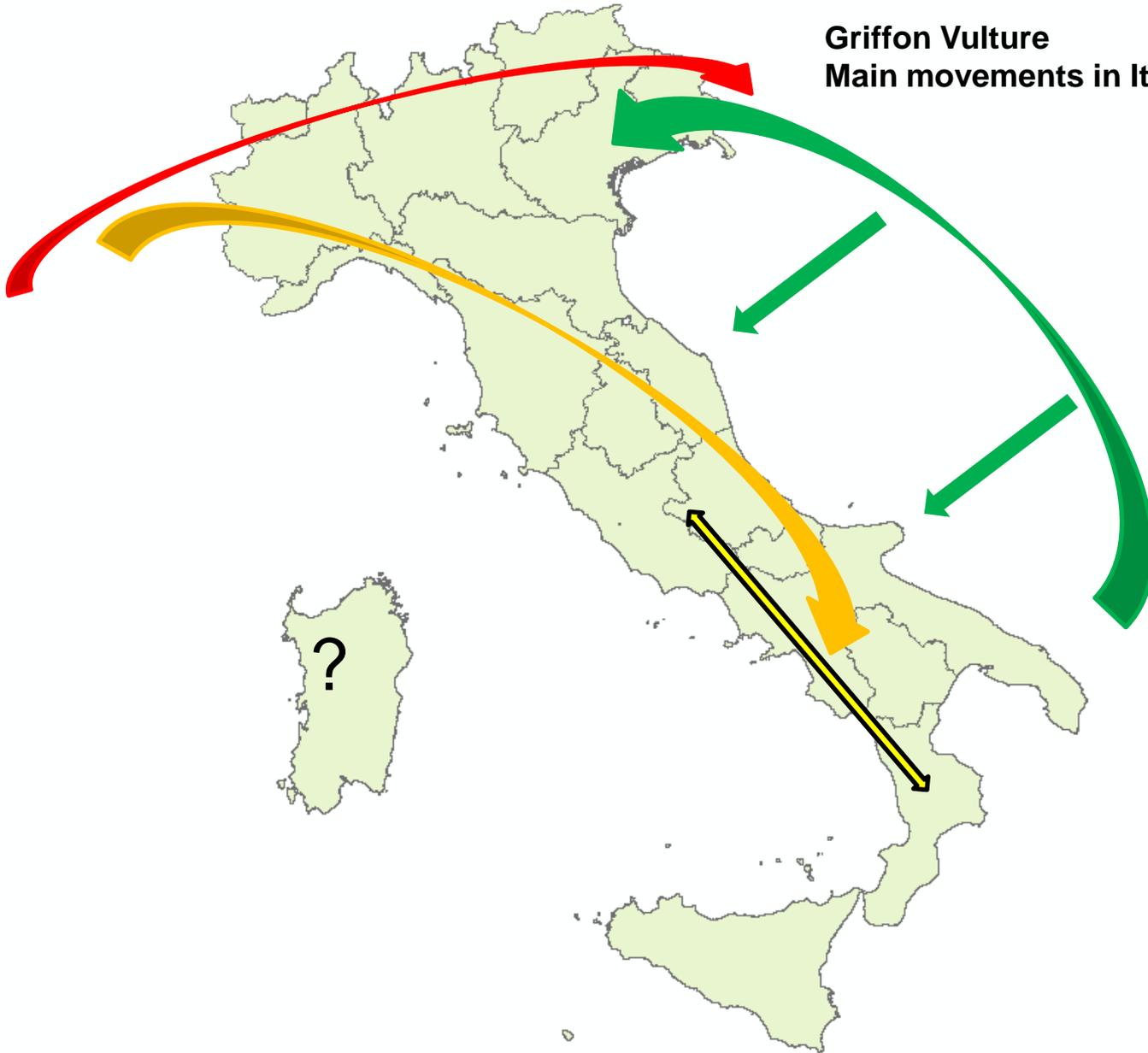
* Restocking in progress

 Last colonies in sardinia

 Reintroductions

 Main movements

Griffon Vulture
Main movements in Italy





Grazie

**Thanks for
your attention**