

Research task: The recognition and mapping of the main types of vegetation in the Olkusz ore-bearing Region

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The study area



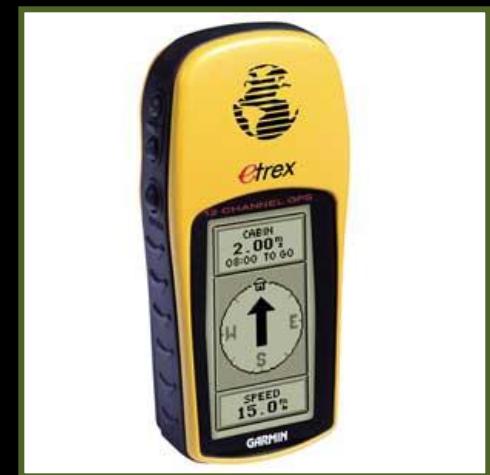


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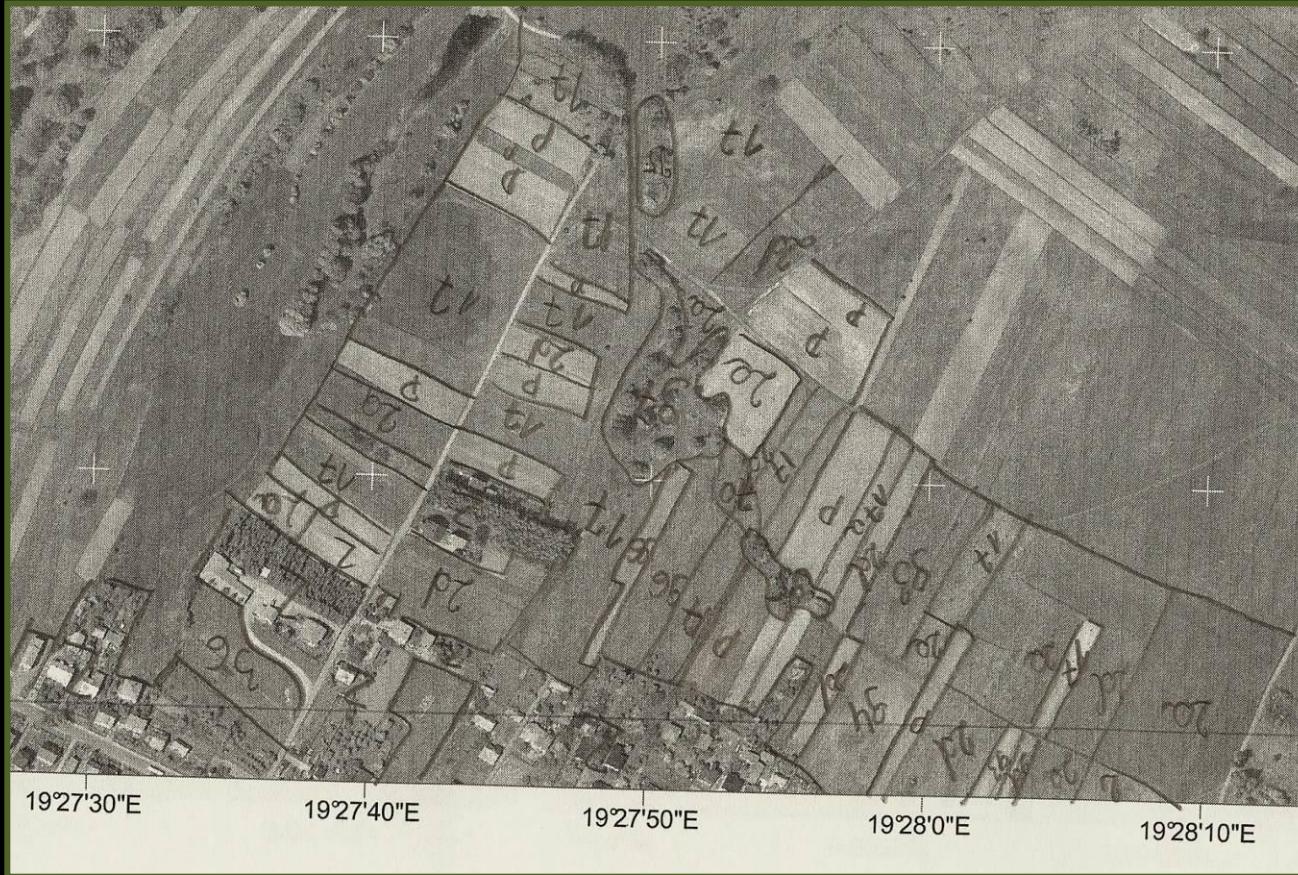
Field research



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Mapping



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ArcGIS 9
version 9.3

psammophilous grasslands

34

50

77

99

77

117



Non-forest communities

Tall herb humid meadows (*Molinion, Calthion*) and fresh meadows (*Arrhenatherion*) - mowed and abandoned

Rushes

Rich and poor fens

Thermophilous thickets

Termophilous grasslands

Psammophilous communities

Communities of fallows

Ruderal and nitrophilous fringe communities

Class: *Molinio-Arrhenatheretea* –semi-natural tall-herb humid meadows, fresh meadows, tall herb communities



Dominants: *Arrhenatherum elatius*, *Rumex acetosa*, *Knautia arvensis*, *Dactylis glomerata*



Dominants: *Angelica sylvestris*, *Cirsium oleraceum*, *Juncus conglomeratus*, *Cirsium palustre*, *Juncus effusus*, *Veronica officinalis*



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Tall herb humid meadows

Dominants: *Cirsium rivulare*, *Deschampsia caespitosa*, *Selinum carvifolia*, *Lathyrus pratensis*, *Sanguisorba officinalis*, *Geum rivale*



Dominants: *Deschampsia caespitosa*, *Cirsum palustre*, *Juncus conglomeratus*, *Angelica sylvestris*, *Lysimachia vulgaris*, *Agrostis capillaris*



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Dominants: *Molinia caerulea*, *Plantago lanceolata*, *Achillea millefolium*, *Filipendula ulmaria*, *Galium mollugo*



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Class: *Phragmitetea* - rushes



Reed-mace rushes



Reed rushes

Class: *Scheuchzerio-Caricetea nigrae*



Dominants: *Carex fusca*, *Valeriana simplicifolia*, *Parnassia palustris*, *Comarum palustre*, *Cirsium palustre*, *Hypericum tetrapterum*,



Class: *Festuco-Brometea* Thermophilous grasslands

Occurrence:
hills, old excavations

Dominants: *Brachypodium pinnatum*,
Geranium sanguineum, *Galium boreale*,
Euphorbia cyparissias, *Anthericum ramosum*



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Dominants: *Festuca ovina*, *Gypsophila fastigiata*, *Silene vulgaris*, *Galium album*,
Anthyllis vulneraria, *Thymus pulegioides*



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Class: *Rhamno-Prunetea* thermophilous tickests

Occurrence: among fields, fallows, on calcareous hills near xerothermic grasslands



Dominants:

Prunus spinosa,
Cornus sanguinea, Corylus avellana,
Crataegus sp. *Coryllus avellana,*
Euonymus europaea



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Class: Koelerio-Corynephoretea psammophilous communities



Dominants: *Armeria elongata*, *Plantago lanceolata*, *Phleum phleoides*, *Trifolium arvense*, *Festuca rubra*, *Jasione montana*

Dominants: *Corynephorus canescens*,
Herniaria glabra, *Dianthus deltoides*,
Anthyllis vulneraria)



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Class: *Agropyretea intermedia-repentis* – communities of fallows

Dominants: *Leontodon hispidus*, *Carex hirta*, *Dactylis glomerata*, *Plantago lanceolata*



D: *Calamagrostis epigejos*



D: *Leontodon hispidus*



D: *Elymus repens*



Convolvulo-Agropyretum
(dominant *Solidago canadensis*)





Dominants: *Picris hieracioides*, *Daucus carota*, *Tussilago farfara*, *Artemisia vulgaris*, *Senecio jacobaea*

Class: *Stellarietea mediae*

Dominants: *Galinsoga ciliata*, *Veronica persica*, *Euphorbia cyparissias*, *Centaurea cyanus*, *Sinapis arvensis*



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Class: *Artemisietea* ruderal communities



Dominants: *Solidago canadensis*, *Urtica dioica*,
Eupatorium cannabinum, *Reynoutria japonica*,
Epilobium hirsutum, *Aster* sp.



Dominants: *Tussilago farfara*, *Erigeron annuus*,
Conyza canadensis, *Sonchus oleraceus*



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A photograph of a grassy hillside. A large, dark, triangular shadow is cast across the grass from the top left towards the bottom right. In the top right corner, there is a cluster of small bushes with yellow and green leaves. The grass is a mix of green and yellowish-green colors.

Thank you for attention