# Studbook breeding programme <u>Hyla savignyi</u>

(Yellow-lemon tree frog, savignyi tree frog)



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## **Annual report 2010**

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#### Introduction.

2010 was not a very good year for the studbook *Hyla savignyi*. There where less breedings and the number of deaths were bigger; especially on location A. This was due the moving of location A from Ureterp to Klazienaveen. The frogs aparently couldn't manage this.

#### **Studbook population:**

At December 31th 2010 contains 144 living animals.

#### **Locations:**

At December 31<sup>th</sup> 2010 there are 5 locations where animals are kept. These are the same locations as last year.

#### 4. Breedings:

In 2010 there is a number of hundreds of eggs laid at three locations. At one of te locations the eggs were laid on places they couldn't survive. At December 31<sup>th</sup> there where at least 100 living froglets at two locations. 12 of them are registered into the studbook on 2 locations. 5 are sold to "Das en Boom" in Nijmegen. The other tree frogs will be sold to other people and are not registered into the studbook.

#### 5. Imports

In 2008 there was one import of *Hyla savignyi*, coming from a breeder in Greece, containing 6 froglets. 3 of them are still living and are registered at location A. Further imports aren't to be expected, then *Hyla savignyi* is listed on the Convention of Bern.

#### 6. Deaths.

In 2010 there were 19 deaths, most of them due to a moving from location A.

#### 7. Transfers:

In 2010 there were no transfers.

#### More information about locations:

#### **Location A:**

At the end of 2009 group A contained 34 frogs.

In the spring location A moved from Ureterp to Klazienaveen. This leaded to the death of 14 frogs. In September another frog died.

There were 200 new-bred froglets, but many of them died. 80 of them survived. 25 of them are still living on location A. 5 frogs are moved tot "Das en Boom" in Nijmegen. The other frogs are sold to other people. 5 of them now are part of the studbook.

From a breeder in Greece 6 froglets came to location A. 3 of them died; the other 3 are registered in the Studbook.

At the end of 2010 location A consists of 28 frogs...

#### **Location B:**

In 2009 the location B consists of 44 frogs. In 2010 several eggs are laid, instead in the water, they were laid on the land and the glass of the terraria. Probably this is due to the fact that all of the frogs were very young.

4 frogs died. 20 are given away to other people.

At the end of 2010 location B consists of 15 frogs.

#### Locatie C:

At the end of 2009 location C consists of 20 frogs.

There were 5 deaths. There no breedings.

At the end of 2009 there location C consists of 15 frogs.

#### **Locatie D:**

At the end of 2009 there are 46 frogs on location D. 9 of them died. There were hundreds of eggs laid, but a lot of froglets died. The reason is unknown, but this happens very often by new-bred tree frogs, especially when they are bred in large numbers. Yet 70 of them are left; another 40 are sold.

Three of the froglets are albino. Last year there were albinos too.

At the end of 2010, location D consists of 40 frogs, from which 8 are albino.

#### Locatie E.

At the end of 2008 there were 5 frogs on location E.

There were no death. There was no breeding. There were no frogs received or moved. At the end of 2009 location E there were 5 frogs on location E.

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