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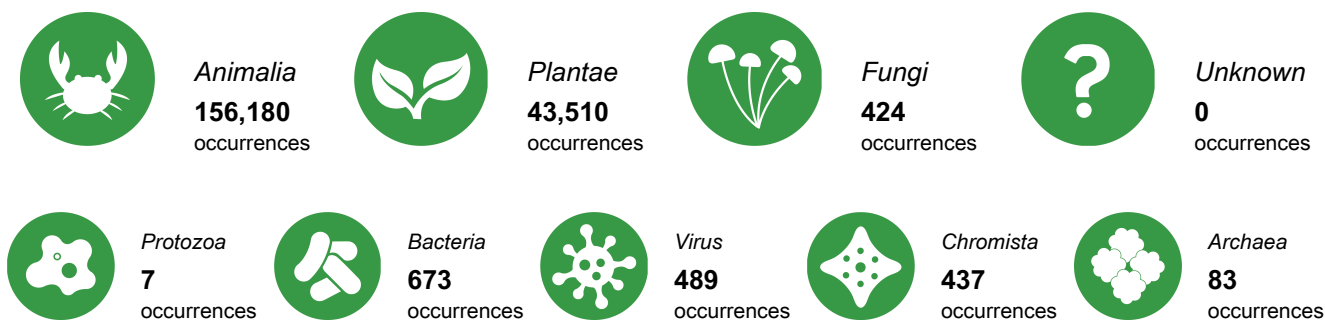
Jordan

This report provides a series of summary charts, statistics and other details about the mobilization and use of open-access species data through the GBIF network, relating to users and participating institutions in Jordan. These metrics show status at the time of report generation, unless otherwise noted. Taken together, the elements of this report can help guide and measure progress toward the information needs for biodiversity research, as well as for national commitments on biodiversity and sustainable development.

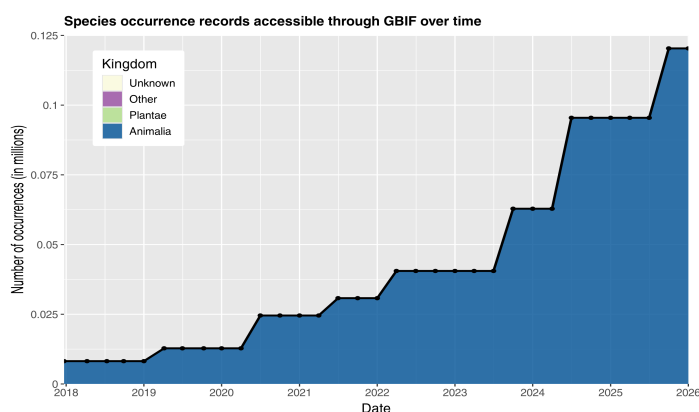
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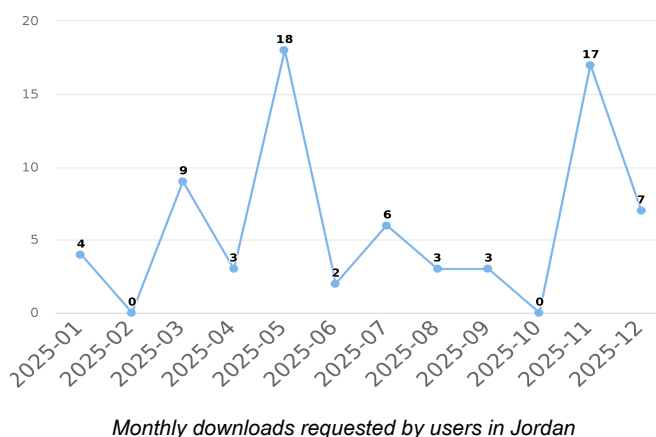
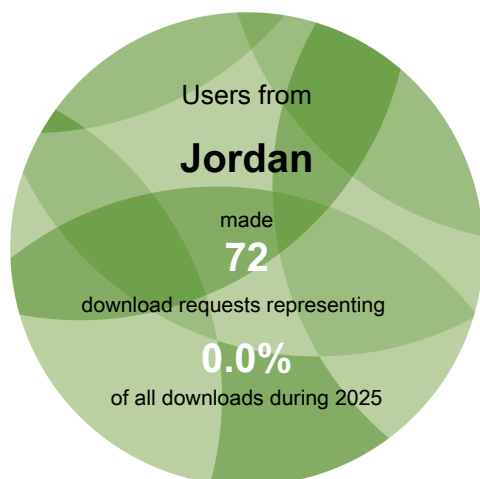


Number of records published by institutions in Jordan,
categorized by kingdom



Access and usage

Data downloads on GBIF.org from users in Jordan



Recent peer-reviewed articles using GBIF-mediated data by co-authors based in Jordan

The GBIF Secretariat maintains and reports on an ongoing literature tracking programme, giving priority to substantive uses of GBIF-mediated data in peer-reviewed literature while identifying the countries or areas of the authors' institutional affiliations. The citations below represent the five most recent journal articles with at least one co-author from Jordan.

Those interested in assisting the Secretariat in identifying additional peer-reviewed uses of GBIF-mediated data may forward relevant citations to comms@gbif.org.

Begum, Ambala, Kumar *et al.* (2024) Climate Change-based Urban Geographical Regions Planning: Sustainable Application Using Artificial Intelligence. *Remote Sensing in Earth Systems Sciences*.
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s41976-024-00177-1>

Qumsiyeh, Hussein, Boulad *et al.* (2023) UPDATING AND ENHANCING THE PROTECTED AREAS NETWORK OF PALESTINE: A STEP TOWARDS BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION. *PARKS*.
<https://doi.org/10.2305/iucn.ch.2023.parks-29-2mbq.en>

Boulad, Al Shogoor, Sahwan *et al.* (2022) Systematic Conservation Planning as a Tool for the Assessment of Protected Areas Network in Jordan. *Land*.
<https://doi.org/10.3390/land11010056>

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Data availability

Total data available for selected taxonomic groups in Jordan



Mammals
1,904
occurrences



Birds
137,580
occurrences



Bony fish
2,843
occurrences



Amphibians
211
occurrences



Insects
6,905
occurrences



Reptiles
2,225
occurrences



Molluscs
1,486
occurrences



Arachnids
449
occurrences



Flowering plants
42,926
occurrences



Ferns
115
occurrences



Gymnosperms
266
occurrences



Mosses
62
occurrences



Sac fungi
328
occurrences



Basidiomycota
83
occurrences

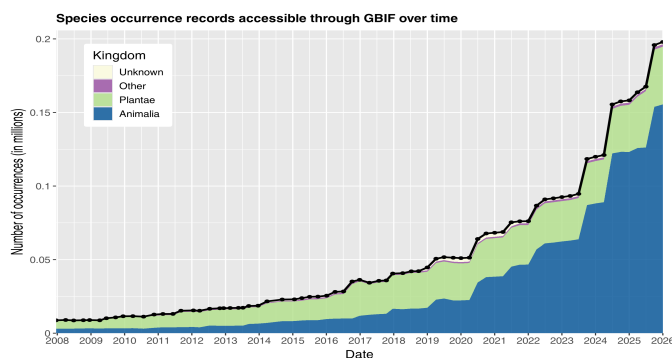
Mammals = Class *Mammalia*
Birds = Class *Aves*
Bony fish = Superclass
Osteichthyes p.p.
Amphibians = Class *Amphibia*

Insects = Class *Insecta*
Reptiles = Class *Testudines*,
Sphenodontia, *Squamata* &
Crocodylia
Molluscs = Phylum *Mollusca*

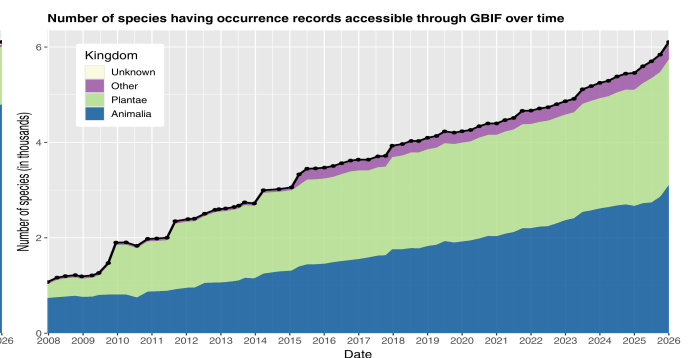
Arachnids = Class *Arachnida*
Flowering plants = Phylum
Magnoliophyta
Gymnosperms = Superclass
Gymnospermae

Ferns = Phylum *Pteridophyta*
Mosses = Phylum *Bryophyta*
Sac fungi = Phylum *Ascomycota*
Basidiomycota = Phylum
Basidiomycota

Change over time in records about biodiversity in Jordan



Occurrence records available about species occurring in Jordan



Species for which at least one occurrence record is available in Jordan

WHY MIGHT THE AMOUNT OF MOBILIZED DATA DECREASE?

Datasets are sometimes removed by publishers, but more often decreases in the number of records are due to the removal of duplicate records and datasets.

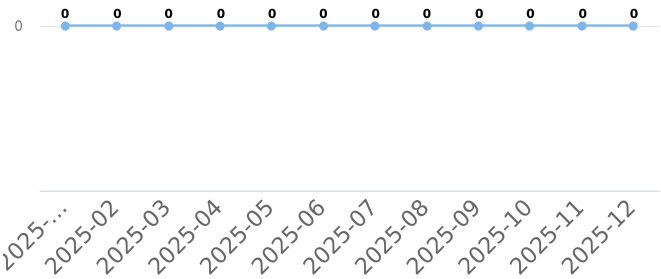
SPECIES COUNTS represent the number of binomial scientific names for which GBIF has received data records, organized as far as possible using synonyms recorded in key databases like the Catalogue of Life



Newest publishers from Jordan

No data available

Occurrence records downloaded from GBIF.org, published by institutions in Jordan



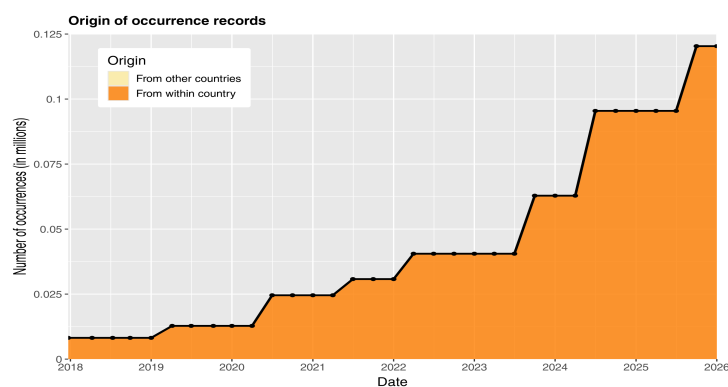
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Number of occurrence records downloaded via GBIF.org published by institutions in Jordan

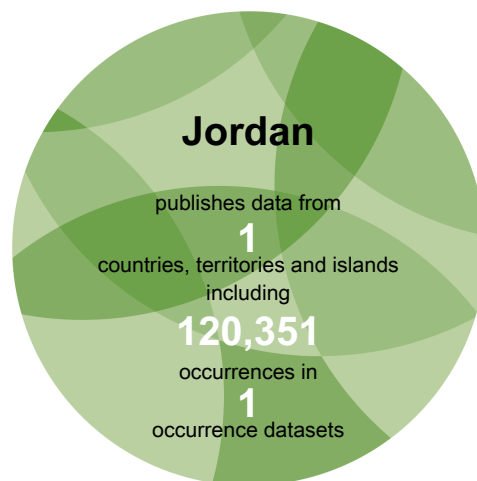


Data mobilization

Data sharing with country or area of origin by national institutions in Jordan



Data sharing with country or area of origin



The chart above shows the number of records shared over time by publishers within Jordan, with separate colours for records about species occurring within undefined and those occurring elsewhere.

Top data contributors about biodiversity in Jordan

Rank	Country or area	No. of occurrences
1	Jordan	120,351
2	United States of America	14,434
3	United Kingdom	13,654
4	International organization or unknown country	8,651
5	Netherlands	7,574
6	Colombia	6,480
7	Israel	6,229
8	Sweden	5,588
9	Germany	4,844
10	Estonia	4,291

Table 1. Ranking of countries or areas contributing data about Jordan

Top datasets contributing data about Jordan

EOD – eBird Observation Dataset. *120,351 occurrences in Jordan.* (Last updated 29 Oct 2025)

iNaturalist Research-grade Observations. *10,349 occurrences in Jordan.* (Last updated 31 Dec 2025)

A global database for the distributions of crop wild relatives. *6,478 occurrences in Jordan.* (Last updated 9 Feb 2024)

Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew - Herbarium Specimens. *6,219 occurrences in Jordan.* (Last updated 2 Jan 2026)

Observation.org, Nature data from around the World. *5,835 occurrences in Jordan.* (Last updated 16 Dec 2025)

See all contributing countries and areas or datasets: gbif.org/country/JO/about