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Summary. The issue is devoted to investigations of rare mammal species of Ukraine and adjacent countries and questions of their conservation both at reserved and transformed territories. A special attention was given to questions of estimation and attribution of conservation categories to species which don't have a conservation status. Articles are grouped at five sections.

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