INBOVEG, a treasury of vegetation relevés

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INBOVEG is a web application given access to a repository of vegetation relevés, maintaining the original data of historical and new recordings and making the relevés available for future use. It can be used by every user after registration.

Recording Types
- BioHab = protocol of Natura2000 monitoring
- Classic relevés: stand alone, element of a collection, element of a chain (relative position within a series)

Interpretation - History
Original observations are preserved and a full history of subsequent identifications is stored.

Validation status
Relevés can be marked as:
- Needs work = incomplete relevé, eg undetermined species
- Checked versus Source = verification data with source, content control
- Validation = check features of recording type, no content control

WEB application
INBOVEG allows an immediate input of data in the field. Possible to consult the database on-line. Ample selection and export functions toward analysis tools are provided. The first version was launched in 2012 for internal use only. The system will be optimized and extended for external use in the 2nd half of 2013.

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