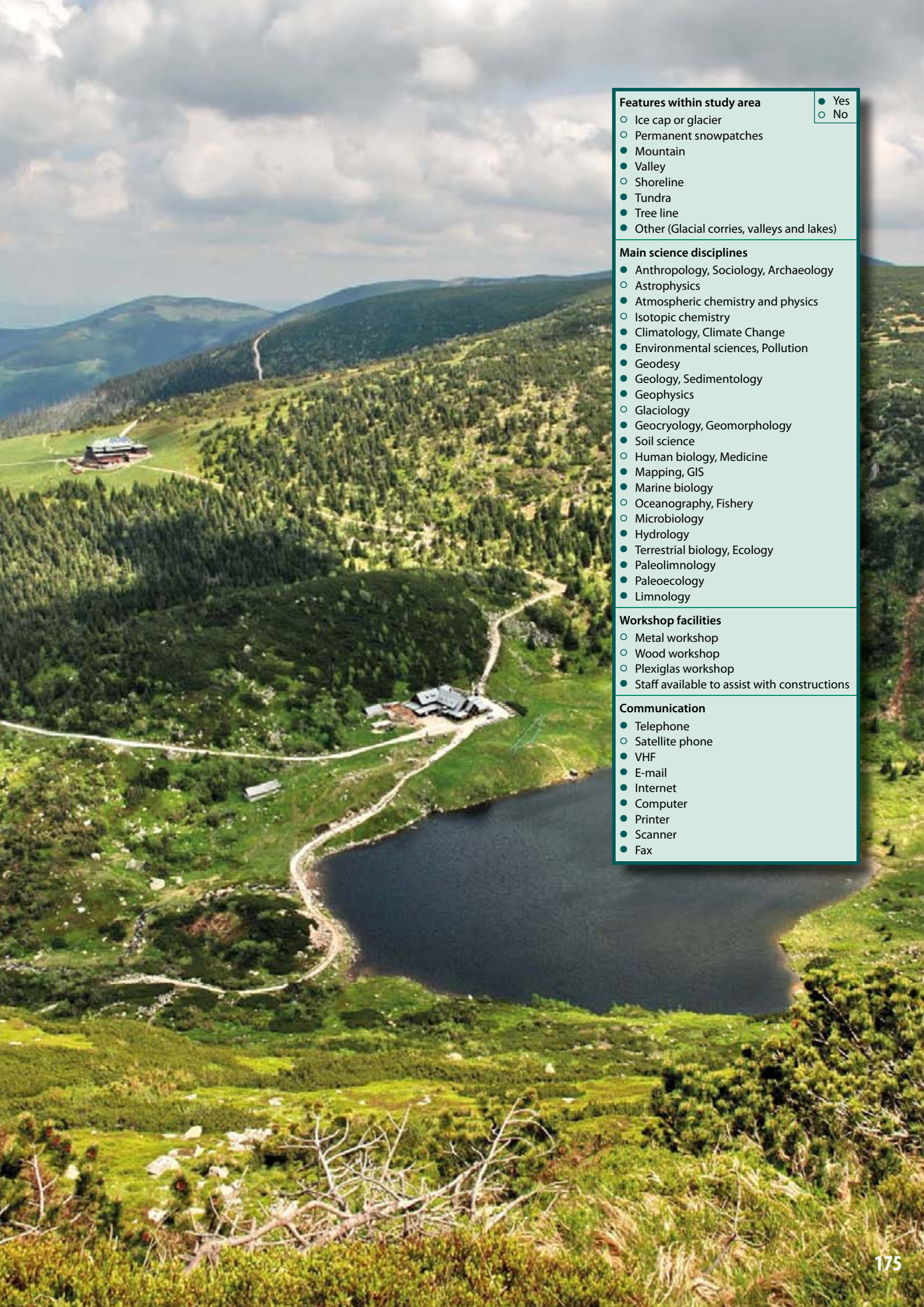


Category	Sub-Category	Krkonoše (CZ)/Karkonosze (PL) National Park
Website		www.krnapp.cz/www.kpnmap.pl
Country		Czech Republic, Poland
Opening year		1963/1959
Operational period		Year-round
Permitting issues categories	Permits required for access to the station	Yes (only for car entrance)
	Permits required for studies	Yes
	Contact (permit issues)	jandrle@krnap.cz or roksana@kpnmap.pl
Facility owner and manager	Name of the facility owner	State property (Czech Republic/Poland)
	Owner status	Government
	Institution responsible for managing the station	Krkonoše (CZ)/Karkonosze (PL) National Park Administration
	Contact (access to station)	jandrle@krnap.cz or roksana@kpnmap.pl
	Website (institution)	www.krnapp.cz or www.kpnmap.pl
Other institutions	Name	–
	Country	–
Location	Geographical coordinates	50°44' N, 15°44' E
	Altitude of station	1400 m a.s.l.
	Min. altitude within study area	920 m a.s.l.
	Max. altitude within study area	1602 m a.s.l.
	Nearest town/settlement	Vrchlabí/Karpacz (12 000/5000 inhabitants)
	Distance to nearest town/settlement	10/5 km
	Map	Yes
Climate	Climate zone	Alpine/Sub-Arctic
	Permafrost	–
	Years measured	130 years (data from the highest peak of Krkonoše/Karkonosze 1602 m a.s.l.). The conditions can differ from those on tundra plateau
	Mean annual temperature	0.8 °C
	Mean temperature in February	-4 °C
	Mean temperature in July	13 °C
	Mean annual wind speed	12.7 m/s
	Max. wind speed	67 m/s (10 minutes measurement)
	Dominant wind direction	SW
	Total annual precipitation	1177 mm
	Precipitation type	Rain, snow, fogs, hails
	Ice break up	Lakes: April/May
	Station facilities	Area under roof
Scientific laboratories		15 m <sup>2</sup>
Logistic		–
Number of rooms (beds)		10-30
Number of staff on station (peak/off season)		–
Max. number of visitors at a time		–
Showers		Yes
Laundry facilities		–
Power supply (type)		230 V
Power supply	24 hours per day	
Scientific equipment	Specific device	–
	Scientific services offered	–
Medical facilities	Medical facilities	Well-equipped
	Medical suite	Yes
	No. of staff with basic medical training or doctor	–
	Distance to hospital (estimated time)	15-20 km (10-30 min.)
	Compulsory safety equipment	–
Recommended safety equipment	First aid kit, avalanche seeker	
Landing facilities	Airstrip (Length × Width)	–
	Airstrip surface	–
	Helipad	Yes
	Ship landing facilities	–
Vehicles at station	Sea transportation	–
	Land transportation	Car, snowmobiles
Transport and freight	Transport to station	Car, railway
	Number of ship visits per year (period)	–
	Number of flight visits per year (period)	–







Features within study area	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
<input type="radio"/> Ice cap or glacier	
<input type="radio"/> Permanent snowpatches	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Mountain	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Valley	
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<input checked="" type="radio"/> Other (Glacial corries, valleys and lakes)	
<b>Main science disciplines</b>	
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<input type="radio"/> Astrophysics	
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<b>Workshop facilities</b>	
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<b>Communication</b>	
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<input checked="" type="radio"/> VHF	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> E-mail	
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