

Strix nebulosa

GREAT GREY OWL

Non-SPEC (1994: —) **Status** (Secure)

Criteria —

European IUCN Red List Category —▼

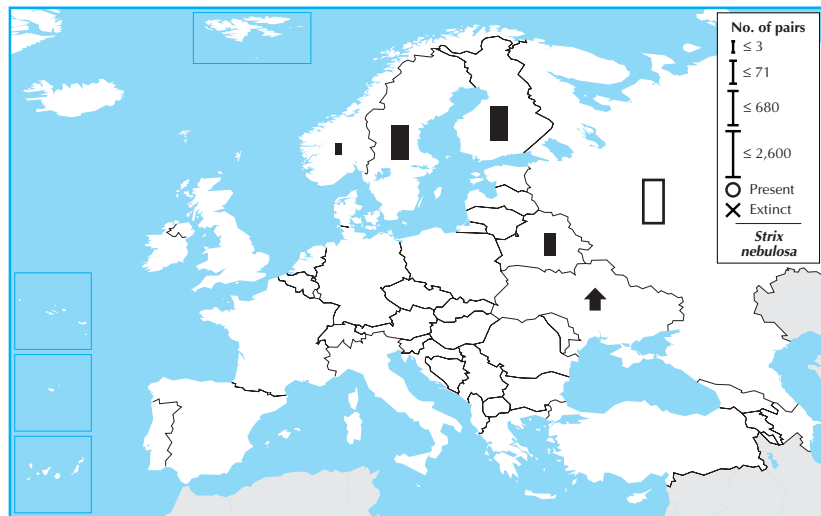
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Global IUCN Red List Category —

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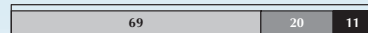


Strix nebulosa is resident in the boreal zone of Europe, which accounts for less than a quarter of its global range. Its European breeding population is small (as few as 2,100 pairs), but was broadly stable between 1970–1990. No trend was available for the key population in Russia during 1990–2000, but the species probably remained broadly stable overall. Although the size of the European population could render it susceptible to the risks affecting small populations, it is marginal to a much larger non-European population. Consequently, the species is provisionally evaluated as Secure.

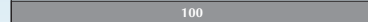


Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag. %	References
Belarus	50 – 100	97–02	0	0–19	
Finland	300 – 1,500	98–01	F	200–1,000	
Norway	0 – 10	90–03	F	>80	
Russia	(1,500 – 4,500)	90–00	?	–	2,60,103,125, 126,128
Sweden	250 – 500	99–00	0	0–19	
Ukraine	15 – 100	90–00	+	50–79	
Total (approx.)	2,100 – 6,700		Overall trend	Unknown	
Breeding range	>2,000,000 km ²		Gen. length. 5	% Global pop. 5–24	

2000 population



1990 population



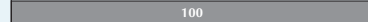
1990–2000 trend

Data quality (%) – *Strix nebulosa*

□ unknown □ poor □ medium ■ good



1970–1990 trend



2000 population



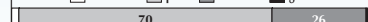
1990 population



1990–2000 trend

Data quality (%) – *Asio otus* (see p. 165, top)

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1970–1990 trend

