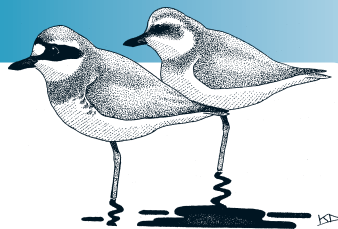


# *Charadrius leschenaultii*

## GREATER SAND PLOVER



**SPEC 3** (1994: 3) **Status** (Endangered)

**Criteria** See IUCN below

**European IUCN Red List Category** EN

**Criteria** C1

**Global IUCN Red List Category** —

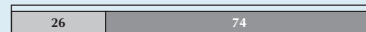
**Criteria** —

*Charadrius leschenaultii* has a predominantly Asian distribution, although it also occurs as a summer visitor to parts of Turkey and southern Russia. Its European breeding population is very small (as few as 1,000 pairs), but the trend between 1970–1990 was also unknown. Although the trend of the Russian population during 1990–2000 was also unknown, the species underwent a moderate decline in Turkey, and probably underwent a moderate decline (>10%) overall. As a consequence of this continuing decline and its small population, the species is provisionally evaluated as Endangered.

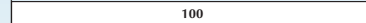


Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag. %	References
Russia	(200 – 600)	90–00	?	–	28,29,60
Turkey	800 – 1,200	01	(–)	(20–29)	
<b>Total (approx.)</b>	<b>1,000 – 1,800</b>		<b>Overall trend</b>	<b>Moderate decline</b>	
<b>Breeding range</b>	<b>&gt;20,000 km<sup>2</sup></b>		<b>Gen. length.</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>% Global pop. &lt;5</b>

2000 population



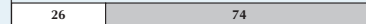
1990 population



Data quality (%) – *Charadrius leschenaultii*

□ unknown □ poor ■ medium ■ good

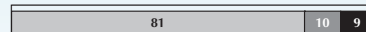
1990–2000 trend



1970–1990 trend



2000 population



1990 population



Data quality (%) – *Charadrius alexandrinus* (see p. 111, bottom)

□ unknown □ poor ■ medium ■ good

1990–2000 trend



1970–1990 trend

