

Aquila pomarina

LESSER SPOTTED EAGLE



SPEC 2 (1994: 3) **Status** (Declining)

Criteria Moderate recent decline

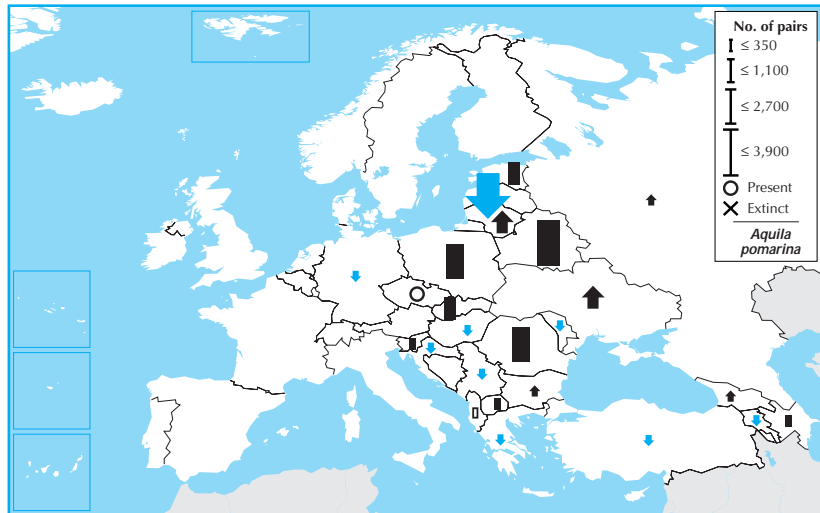
European IUCN Red List Category —

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Global IUCN Red List Category —

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Aquila pomarina is a summer visitor to east-central Europe, which constitutes more than 95% of its global breeding range. Its European breeding population is relatively small (<19,000 pairs), but was stable between 1970–1990. Although the species increased or was stable across much of its core range during 1990–2000, the key Latvian population declined—along with many smaller peripheral populations—and it probably underwent a moderate decline overall. Consequently, the species is provisionally evaluated as Declining.

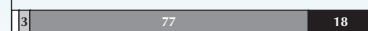


Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag. %	References
Albania	2 – 10	96-02	?	–	
Armenia	20 – 30	99-02	–	0-19	
Azerbaijan	(20 – 100)	96-00	(0)	(0-19)	
Belarus	3,200 – 3,800	97-02	0	0-19	
Bulgaria	120 – 200	96-02	+	30–49	
Croatia	60 – 70	02	(–)	(>80)	70,16
Czech Rep.	Present	00	?	–	
Estonia	480 – 600	98	0	0-19	1
Georgia	10 – 70	94-03	(+)	(–)	
Germany	134 – 143	95-99	–	0-19	
Greece	67 – 90	97	–	0-19	
Hungary	30 – 60	95-02	–	50-79	1
Latvia	2,800 – 5,200	90-00	–	0-19	21
Lithuania	900 – 1,200	99-01	+	20–29	20
Macedonia	3 – 10	99-00	(0)	(0-19)	3
Moldova	2 – 5	90-00	–	30–49	
Poland	1,700 – 1,900	98	0	0-19	33
Romania	2,500 – 2,800	96-02	0	0-19	62,63
Russia	300 – 400	96-00	+	20–29	60,63,74,163
Serbia & MN	20 – 25	97-02	–	0-19	1,161,155,172a
Slovakia	800 – 900	90-99	0	0-19	
Slovenia	2 – 4	99-00	0	0-19	
Turkey	(80 – 120)	01	–	20–29	
Ukraine	500 – 1,000	90-00	+	0-19	
Total (approx.)	14,000 – 19,000				
Breeding range	>1,000,000 km²		Overall trend Moderate decline	Gen. length. 11	% Global pop. >95

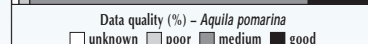
2000 population



1990 population



1990–2000 trend



1970–1990 trend



Data quality (%) – *Aquila pomarina*

□ unknown □ poor □ medium ■ good