

Aquila adalberti

SPANISH IMPERIAL EAGLE

SPEC 1 (1994: 1) **Status** (Endangered)

Criteria See IUCN below

European IUCN Red List Category EN

Criteria C1; C2a(i)

Global IUCN Red List Category EN

Criteria C1; C2a(i)



Aquila adalberti is endemic to Europe, where its entire global range is restricted to central and south-western Iberia. Its European breeding population is very small (as few as 175 pairs), but underwent a large increase between 1970–1990. The stronghold population in Spain increased slightly overall during 1990–2000, and hence would qualify as Vulnerable. However, it apparently declined slightly towards the end of the decade. As a consequence of this decline and its very small population, this globally threatened species is provisionally evaluated as Endangered in Europe.



Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag. %	References
Portugal	1 – 3	03	+	N	
Spain	175 – 175	02	+	0–19	10,16
Total (approx.)	175 – 180		Overall trend Small increase		
Breeding range	>100,000 km ²		Gen. length 11	% Global pop. 100	

2000 population

100

1990 population

100

Data quality (%) – *Aquila adalberti*

□ unknown □ poor ■ medium ■ good

1990–2000 trend

99

1970–1990 trend

100