

# Anas platyrhynchos

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Non-SPEC (1994: —) Status (Secure)

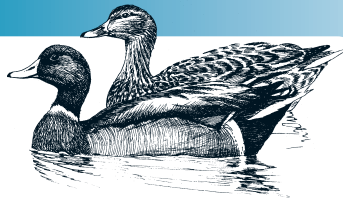
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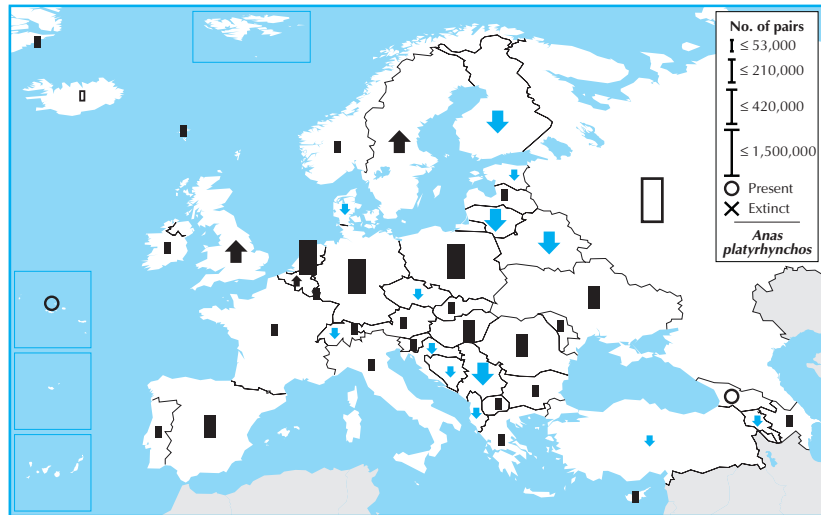
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*Anas platyrhynchos* is a widespread breeder across most of Europe, which accounts for less than a quarter of its global breeding range. Its European breeding population is very large (>3,300,000 pairs), and was stable between 1970–1990. Although the species declined in several countries during 1990–2000 (and the Russian trend was unknown), key populations in the Netherlands, Germany and Poland were stable, and the species probably declined only slightly overall. Consequently, it is provisionally evaluated as Secure.



Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag.%	References
Albania	50 – 200	96-02	(-)	(0-19)	6
Armenia	2,500 – 10,000	99-02	-	10-19	
Austria	(10,000 – 20,000)	98-02	(0)	(0-19)	
Azerbaijan	(1,000 – 5,000)	96-00	(0)	(0-19)	
Belarus	<b>60,000 – 100,000</b>	97-00	-	<b>20-29</b>	
Belgium	25,000 – 35,000	95-02	+	0-19	1
Bosnia & HG	(200 – 250)	90-00	(-)	(10-19)	
Bulgaria	1,500 – 4,000	96-02	0	0-9	
Croatia	(10,000 – 35,000)	02	(-)	(30-49)	54
Cyprus	20 – 60	98-00	(0)	(0-19)	
Czech Rep.	<b>25,000 – 45,000</b>	00	-	<b>20-29</b>	
Denmark	(20,000 – 50,000)	00	(-)	(30)	
Faroe Is.	300 – 300	95	(0)	(0-19)	
Greenland	(5,000 – 10,000)	90-00	(F)	(-)	
Estonia	25,000 – 30,000	98	-	20-29	1
Finland	150,000 – 250,000	99-01	-	<b>10</b>	
France	(30,000 – 60,000)	00	(0)	(0-19)	1
Georgia	Present	03	?	-	
Germany	210,000 – 470,000	95-99	0	0-19	
Greece	(100 – 1,000)	95-00	0	0-19	
Hungary	(100,000 – 150,000)	90-93	(0)	(0-19)	14
Iceland	(10,000 – 15,000)	78-94	?	-	1
Rep. Ireland	10,000 – 20,000	88-91	0	0-19	
Italy	(10,000 – 20,000)	03	(0)	(0-19)	6
Latvia	30,000 – 40,000	90-00	0	0-19	23,17
Liechtenstein	5 – 10	98-00	<b>0</b>	-	
Lithuania	(70,000 – 100,000)	99-01	(-)	(20-29)	20
Luxembourg	<b>1,000 – 1,500</b>	01-02	<b>0</b>	<b>0-19</b>	
Macedonia	650 – 1,000	90-00	(0)	(0-19)	
Moldova	3200 – 4,000	90-00	0	0-19	
Netherlands	<b>350,000 – 500,000</b>	98-00	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	1
Norway	(40,000 – 70,000)	90-03	0	0-19	
Poland	<b>200,000 – 400,000</b>	00	(0)	(0-19)	23
Portugal	(3,000 – 10,000)	02	(0)	(0-19)	
Azores	Present	02	?	-	
Romania	(120,000 – 200,000)	90-02	(0)	(0-19)	
Russia	1,300,000 – 1,700,000	90-00	?	-	85
Serbia & MN	75,000 – 95,000	90-02	-	10-29	1,143a,172a, 67a,13,101
Slovakia	12,000 – 20,000	90-99	0	0-19	
Slovenia	10,000 – 20,000	94	(0)	(0-19)	
Spain	(65,500 – 100,000)	92	(F)	(-)	13,12,10
Sweden	175,000 – 250,000	99-00	+	<b>50-79</b>	
Switzerland	<b>10,000 – 20,000</b>	93-96	-	0-9	
Turkey	(3,000 – 6,000)	01	(-)	(0-19)	
Ukraine	72,000 – 112,000	90-00	0	0-19	
UK	<b>63,000 – 158,900</b>	00	+	<b>25</b>	5,31
Total (approx.)	3,300,000 – 5,100,000				Overall trend Small decline
Breeding range	>8,000,000 km <sup>2</sup>				Gen. length. <3.3 % Global pop. 5-24 (See p. 56, bottom, for data quality graph)
<b>Winter pop. size (individuals)</b>					
Total (approx.)	>3,700,000				Overall trend Small decline
% in European IBAs	21-26				Gen. length <3.3 % Global pop. 5-24