

# *Phoenicurus ochruros*

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Non-SPEC (1994: —) Status Secure

Criteria —

European IUCN Red List Category —

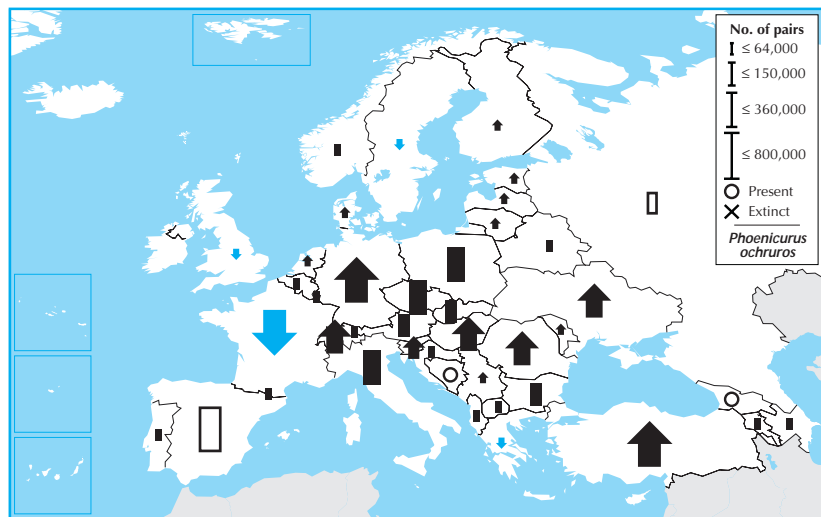
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*Phoenicurus ochruros* is a widespread breeder across much of Europe, which accounts for less than half of its global breeding range. Its European breeding population is very large (>4,000,000 pairs), and was stable between 1970–1990. Although there were declines in a few populations during 1990–2000—notably the sizeable one in France—trends were stable or increasing across most of Europe, and the species underwent a small increase overall. Consequently, it is evaluated as Secure.



Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag. %	References
Albania	2,000 – 7,000	02	(0)	(0–19)	
Andorra	(6,000 – 10,000)	99–01	(0)	(0–19)	1,3
Armenia	50,000 – 65,000	00–02	0	0–19	
Austria	(100,000 – 200,000)	98–02	(0)	(0–19)	
Azerbaijan	(10,000 – 100,000)	96–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Belarus	20,000 – 35,000	97–02	0	0–19	
Belgium	18,000 – 35,000	01–02	0	0–19	1
Bosnia & HG	Present	90–03	?	–	
Bulgaria	50,000 – 150,000	96–02	0	0–19	
Croatia	(25,000 – 50,000)	02	(0)	(0–19)	16
Czech Rep.	200,000 – 400,000	00	0	0–19	
Denmark	750 – 1,000	93–96	+	0–9	3
Estonia	300 – 600	98	+	20–29	1
Finland	20 – 100	98–02	(+)	(300)	
France	(400,000 – 1,600,000)	98–02	(–)	(12)	4,3
Georgia	Present	03	?	–	
Germany	600,000 – 1,000,000	95–99	+	0–19	
Greece	(10,000 – 30,000)	95–00	(–)	(0–19)	
Hungary	<b>170,000 – 270,000</b>	99–02	+	20–49	19
Italy	(200,000 – 400,000)	03	(0)	(0–19)	
Latvia	800 – 2,000	00–03	+	50–79	22
Liechtenstein	300 – 500	98–00	0	0–19	
Lithuania	(10,000 – 30,000)	99–01	(+)	(0–19)	20
Luxembourg	8,000 – 10,000	02	0	0–19	
Macedonia	(5,000 – 15,000)	90–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Moldova	6,000 – 8,500	90–00	+	30–49	
Netherlands	<b>27,000 – 37,000</b>	98–00	+	<b>14</b>	1
Norway	10 – 50	90–03	0	<b>0–19</b>	
Poland	<b>250,000 – 400,000</b>	00–02	0	0–19	23
Portugal	(20,000 – 200,000)	02	(0)	(0–19)	
Romania	240,000 – 410,000	00–02	+	0–19	48
Russia	(50,000 – 250,000)	90–00	?	–	8,17,61,116
Serbia & MN	40,000 – 65,000	95–02	+	<b>50–79</b>	1,29,155,172a, 78,225,227
Slovakia	100,000 – 200,000	90–99	0	0–19	
Slovenia	100,000 – 200,000	00	(+)	(0–19)	
Spain	(400,000 – 900,000)	92	?	–	13,12,10
Sweden	<b>500 – 1,000</b>	99–00	–	10–19	
Switzerland	<b>250,000 – 500,000</b>	93–96	+	0–9	
Turkey	(400,000 – 900,000)	01	(+)	(0–19)	
Ukraine	200,000 – 355,000	90–00	+	30–49	
UK	<b>26 – 74</b>	96–00	–	<b>29</b>	

Total (approx.) Breeding range 4,000,000 – 8,800,000 >5,000,000 km<sup>2</sup>

Overall trend Small increase  
Gen. length. <3.3 % Global pop. 25–49  
(See p. 203, top, for data quality graph)