

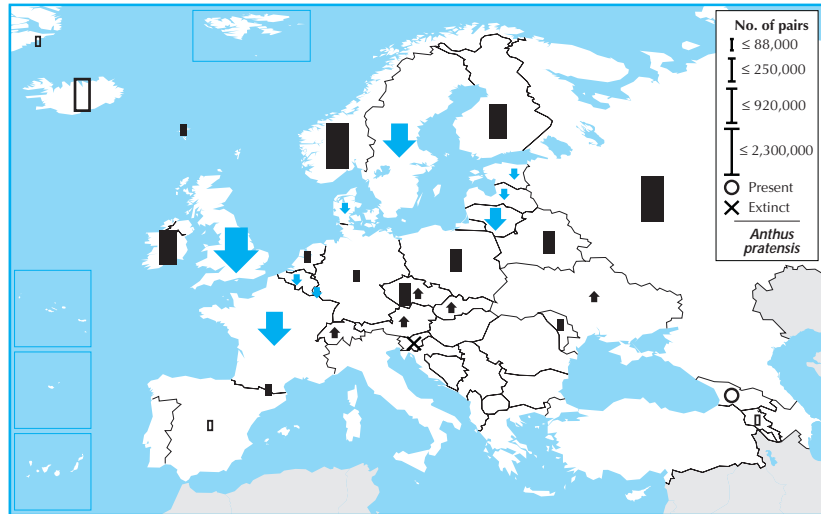
Anthus pratensis

MEADOW PIPIT

Non-SPEC^E (1994: 4) **Status** (Secure)
Criteria —
European IUCN Red List Category —
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Global IUCN Red List Category —
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Anthus pratensis is a widespread breeder across much of central and northern Europe, which constitutes >75% of its global breeding range. Its European breeding population is very large (>7,000,000 pairs), and was stable between 1970–1990. Although there were declines in countries such as the United Kingdom, France and Sweden during 1990–2000, the species was stable or increased across most of its European range—including in Norway and Russia—and probably declined only slightly overall. Consequently, it is provisionally evaluated as Secure.



Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag.%	References
Andorra	(0–10)	99-01	(0)	(0-19)	1,3
Armenia	15,000–50,000	97-02	?	–	
Austria	1,300–2,300	98-02	+	20-29	
Belarus	180,000–230,000	97-02	0	0–19	
Belgium	6,800–12,000	01-02	–	30–49	1
Czech Rep.	35,000–70,000	00	0	10–19	
Denmark	30,000–45,000	00	–	20-29	12
Faroe Is.	1,500–1,500	95	(0)	(0-19)	
Greenland	(10–500)	90-00	?	–	
Estonia	50,000–100,000	98	–	20-29	1
Finland	700,000–1,200,000	98-02	0	5	
France	(250,000–1,000,000)	98-02	(–)	(35)	4,2
Georgia	Present	03	?	–	
Germany	64,000–120,000	95-99	0	0–19	
Iceland	(500,000–1,000,000)	78-94	?	–	1
Rep. Ireland	500,000–1,000,000	88-91	0	0–19	
Latvia	50,000–100,000	90-00	–	30–49	23,16,2
Lithuania	(200,000–300,000)	99-01	(–)	(0-19)	20
Luxembourg	250–350	00-02	–	30-49	
Moldova	500–600	90-00	0	0–19	
Netherlands	70,000–80,000	98-00	F	24	1
Norway	(1,000,000–5,000,000)	90-03	(0)	(0-19)	
Poland	150,000–300,000	00-02	0	0–19	23
Russia	1,000,000–2,500,000	90-00	(0)	(0-19)	122
Slovakia	250–500	80-99	+	30-49	
Slovenia	0–0	94	–	X	
Spain	(50–100)	98-02	?	–	10
Sweden	500,000–1,000,000	99-00	–	10-19	
Switzerland	500–500	93-96	+	0–19	
Ukraine	21,000–26,000	90-00	+	5–9	
UK	1,680,000–1,680,000	00	–	16	5,31
Total (approx.)	7,000,000–16,000,000			Overall trend Small decline	
Breeding range	>5,000,000 km²			Gen. length. <3.3 % Global pop. 75-94	

Year	Unknown	Poor	Medium	Good
2000 population	36	45	19	
1990 population	27	61	11	
Data quality (%) – <i>Anthus pratensis</i>				
□ unknown ◻ poor ◻ medium ◻ good				
1990–2000 trend	7	45	21	27
1970–1990 trend	50	33	17	