

Loxia curvirostra

RED CROSSBILL



Non-SPEC (1994: —) **Status** (Secure)

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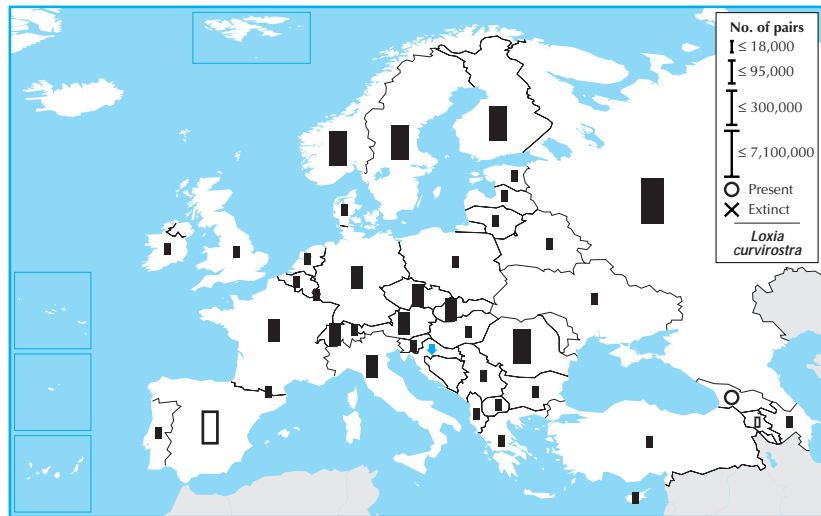
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Loxia curvirostra is a widespread resident across much of northern Europe, and also occurs more patchily farther south, with Europe accounting for less than a quarter of its global range. Its European breeding population is very large (>5,800,000 pairs), and was broadly stable between 1970–1990. Although there were widespread fluctuations during 1990–2000, the vast majority of national populations—including key ones in Russia and Fennoscandia—were broadly stable, and consequently the species is provisionally evaluated as Secure.



Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag.%	References
Albania	(500 – 2,000)	02	(0)	(0–19)	
Andorra	(300 – 1,000)	99–01	(0)	(0–19)	1,3
Armenia	50 – 100	95–02	?	–	
Austria	(60,000 – 150,000)	98–02	(F)	(>80)	
Azerbaijan	(0 – 250)	96–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Belarus	2,000 – 20,000	97–02	0	0–19	
Belgium	2,500 – 10,000	01–02	(0)	(0–19)	1
Bulgaria	3,000 – 6,000	96–02	F	30–49	
Croatia	(2,500 – 5,000)	02	(–)	(30–49)	16
Cyprus	(1,000 – 3,000)	94–02	(0)	(0–9)	
Czech Rep.	30,000 – 100,000	00	0	0–19	
Denmark	(1,000 – 3,000)	00	(F)	(–)	12,3
Estonia	(1,000 – 50,000)	98	F	20–29	1
Finland	50,000 – 400,000	98–02	F	50–1,000	
France	15,000 – 75,000	98–02	F	20–49	4
Georgia	Present	03	?	–	
Germany	27,000 – 100,000	95–99	F	50–79	
Greece	(5,000 – 10,000)	95–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Hungary	200 – 400	95–02	F	50–79	
Rep. Ireland	(1,000 – 2,500)	88–91	(F)	(50–79)	
Italy	(30,000 – 60,000)	03	(0)	(0–19)	
Latvia	1,000 – 15,000	90–00	(F)	(–)	18
Liechtenstein	(50 – 100)	98–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Lithuania	(3,000 – 30,000)	99–01	(0)	(0–19)	20
Luxembourg	(0 – 50)	02	F	>80	
Macedonia	(1,000 – 5,000)	90–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Netherlands	100 – 3,500	98–00	0	4	1
Norway	(100,000 – 500,000)	90–02	F	> 80	
Poland	(2,500 – 10,000)	90–00	F	>80	2
Portugal	(0 – 100)	02	(F)	(–)	
Romania	(125,000 – 680,000)	00–02	(0)	(0–19)	
Russia	(5,000,000 – 10,000,000)	90–00	(F)	(20–29)	122
Serbia & MN	4,000 – 6,700	95–02	(F)	(10–39)	1,172a,67a,155,225,227,117a,185,62
Slovakia	25,000 – 50,000	90–99	F	20–29	
Slovenia	5,000 – 10,000	00	(0)	(0–19)	
Spain	(140,000 – 190,000)	92	?	–	13,12,10
Sweden	100,000 – 500,000	99–00	(F)	(>80)	
Switzerland	30,000 – 60,000	98–02	F	30–49	
Turkey	(10,000 – 30,000)	01	(0)	(0–19)	
Ukraine	(3,600 – 8,000)	90–00	F	30–49	
UK	1,000 – 20,000	68–90	(0)	(0–19)	

Total (approx.) Breeding range 5,800,000 – 13,000,000 >5,000,000 km²

Overall trend Fluctuating
Gen. length. <3.3 % **Global pop.** 5–24
 (See p. 275, bottom, for data quality graph)