

## ***Mergellus albellus* (Smew)**

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#### **Further information**

<http://www.birdlife.org/datazone/info/euroredlist>

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<http://www.iucnredlist.org/initiatives/europe>

<http://ec.europa.eu/environment/nature/conservation/species/redlist/>

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**Table 1.** Reported national breeding population size and trends in Europe<sup>1</sup>.

Country (or territory) <sup>2</sup>	Population estimate				Short-term population trend <sup>4</sup>				Long-term population trend <sup>4</sup>				Subspecific population (where relevant)
	Size (pairs) <sup>3</sup>	Europe (%)	Year(s)	Quality	Direction <sup>5</sup>	Magnitude (%) <sup>6</sup>	Year(s)	Quality	Direction <sup>5</sup>	Magnitude (%) <sup>6</sup>	Year(s)	Quality	
Belarus	15-30	<1	2012	medium	F	10-50	2001-2012	medium	?				
Finland	2,000-5,500	26	2006-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	+	67-425	1986-2012	medium	North-west & Central Europe (win)
Norway	35-65	<1	2013	medium	+	75-550	2003-2013	good	+	75-550	1990-2013	good	
Romania	10-15	<1	2008-2013	medium	?				?				North-east Europe/Black Sea & East Mediterranean
Russia	6,000-10,000	61	2002-2012	poor	+	5-20	2002-2012	medium	-	5-30	1980-2012	poor	
Sweden	1,100-2,000	13	2008-2012	poor	0	0	2001-2012	poor	+	60-120	1980-2012	poor	North-west & Central Europe (win)
<b>EU27</b>	<b>3,100-7,500</b>	<b>38</b>			<b>Stable</b>								
<b>Europe</b>	<b>9,200-17,600</b>	<b>100</b>			<b>Increasing</b>								

<sup>1</sup> See 'Sources' at end of factsheet, and for more details on individual EU Member State reports, see the Article 12 reporting portal at <http://bd.eionet.europa.eu/article12/report>.

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<sup>3</sup> In the few cases where population size estimates were reported in units other than those specified, they were converted to the correct units using standard correction factors.

<sup>4</sup> The robustness of regional trends to the effects of any missing or incomplete data was tested using plausible scenarios, based on other sources of information, including any other reported information, recent national Red Lists, scientific literature, other publications and consultation with relevant experts.

<sup>5</sup> Trend directions are reported as: increasing (+); decreasing (-); stable (0); fluctuating (F); or unknown (?).

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**Table 2.** Reported national wintering population sizes and trends in Europe<sup>1</sup>. Note that some countries within the species' wintering range did not report any data, and that only minimum totals are presented, to avoid double-counting of birds moving between countries.

Country (or territory) <sup>2</sup>	Population estimate				Short-term population trend <sup>4</sup>				Long-term population trend <sup>4</sup>				Subspecific population (where relevant)
	Size (individuals) <sup>3</sup>	Europe (%)	Year(s)	Quality	Direction <sup>5</sup>	Magnitude (%) <sup>6</sup>	Year(s)	Quality	Direction <sup>5</sup>	Magnitude (%) <sup>6</sup>	Year(s)	Quality	
Albania	10-80	<1	2002-2012	medium	-	30-80	2002-2012	medium	-	30-50	1980-2012	poor	
Armenia	2-229	<1	2003-2013	good	?				?				
Austria	60-70	<1	2008-2010	good	-	30-60	2001-2012	good	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Azerbaijan	100-700	1	1996-2002	medium	?				?				
Belarus	50-100	<1	2009-2013	good	0	0	2001-2012	medium	?				
Belgium	164-195	<1	2008-2012	good	-	0-3	2001-2012	good	+	1-2	1992-2012	good	
Bosnia & HG	1-10	<1	2008-2013	medium	F	0-100	2000-2013	medium	?				
Bulgaria	5-280	<1	2000-2012	good	F	20-900	2000-2012	good	F	10-700	1980-2012	good	
Croatia	50-100	<1	2011	medium	?				?				
Czech Rep.	81	<1	2011	medium	0	0	2000-2011	medium	+	350	1980-2011	medium	
Denmark	2,080	5	2008	good	+	100-1000	2000-2011	good	+	100-1000	1980-2011	good	
Estonia	1,000-4,000	5	2008-2012	medium	+	50-70	2001-2012	medium	+	50-70	1980-2012	medium	
Finland	170-1,000	1	2007-2012	medium	+	37-754	2001-2012	good	+	1186-640761	1983-2012	good	
France	225	1	2008-2012	good	F	0	2000-2012	good	F	0	1980-2012	good	
Georgia	681	2	2002	good	?				?				
Germany	11,000	26	2000-2005	good	F	0	1997-2009	good	+	113-254	1984-2009	good	
Greece	10-144	<1	2007-2013	good	0	0	2004-2013	medium	0	0	1982-2013	medium	
Hungary	600-1,500	2	2008-2012	medium	-	55-65	2000-2012	medium	?				
Rep. Ireland	2	<1	2004-2009	poor	?				?				
Kosovo	0-3	<1	2009-2014		?				?				
Latvia	20-200	<1	2001-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1984-2012	medium	
Lithuania	300-500	1	2011-2012	medium	F	0	2001-2012	medium	F	0	1980-2012	medium	
Luxembourg	10-40	<1	2008-2012	good	F	0-30	2000-2012	medium	+	10-20	1980-2012	medium	
FYRO Macedonia	0-40	<1	2001-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Moldova	3-15	<1	2000-2010	medium	F	0	2000-2010	medium	F	0	1980-2010	medium	
Montenegro	2-10	<1	2003-2012	good	F	0	2003-2012	medium	F	0	1991-2012	good	
Netherlands	2,639-5,649	9	2006-2010	good	F	0	2000-2011	good	0	0	1981-2011	good	
Norway	200-300	1	1994-2003	medium	?				?				
Poland	2,000-6,000	8	2011-2012	medium	?				F	0	1985-2012	medium	
Romania	3,000-6,000	10	2008-2013	medium	-	10-20	2000-2013	medium	?				
Russia	2,100-6,100	8	2010	medium	?				?				

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Serbia	600-2,000	3	2008-2012	medium	-	30-40	2000-2012	medium	?				
Slovakia	320-400	1	2011	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	poor	
Slovenia	31-100	<1	2008-2012	good	-	50-80	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Sweden	3,000-5,000	9	2008-2012	good	0	0	2001-2012	good	+	500-1000	1980-2012	good	
Switzerland	4-23	<1	2008-2012	good	-	60-80	2001-2012	good	-	44-88	1980-2012	good	
Turkey	33-996	<1	2012	good	F	0	2002-2012	poor	?				
Ukraine	800-9,000	6	1998-2009	medium	F	10-50	1998-2009	medium	F	25-50	1980-2009	medium	
United Kingdom	180	<1	2004-2008	medium	-	31	1999-2010	good	+	285	1980-2010	good	
<b>EU27</b>	<b>26,900-44,600</b>	<b>77</b>			<b>Fluctuating</b>								
<b>Europe</b>	<b>31,500-65,000</b>	<b>100</b>			<b>Fluctuating</b>								

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## Trend maps

A symbol appears in each country where the species occurs: the shape and colour of the symbol represent the population trend in that country, and the size of the symbol corresponds to the proportion of the European population occurring in that country.

### KEY

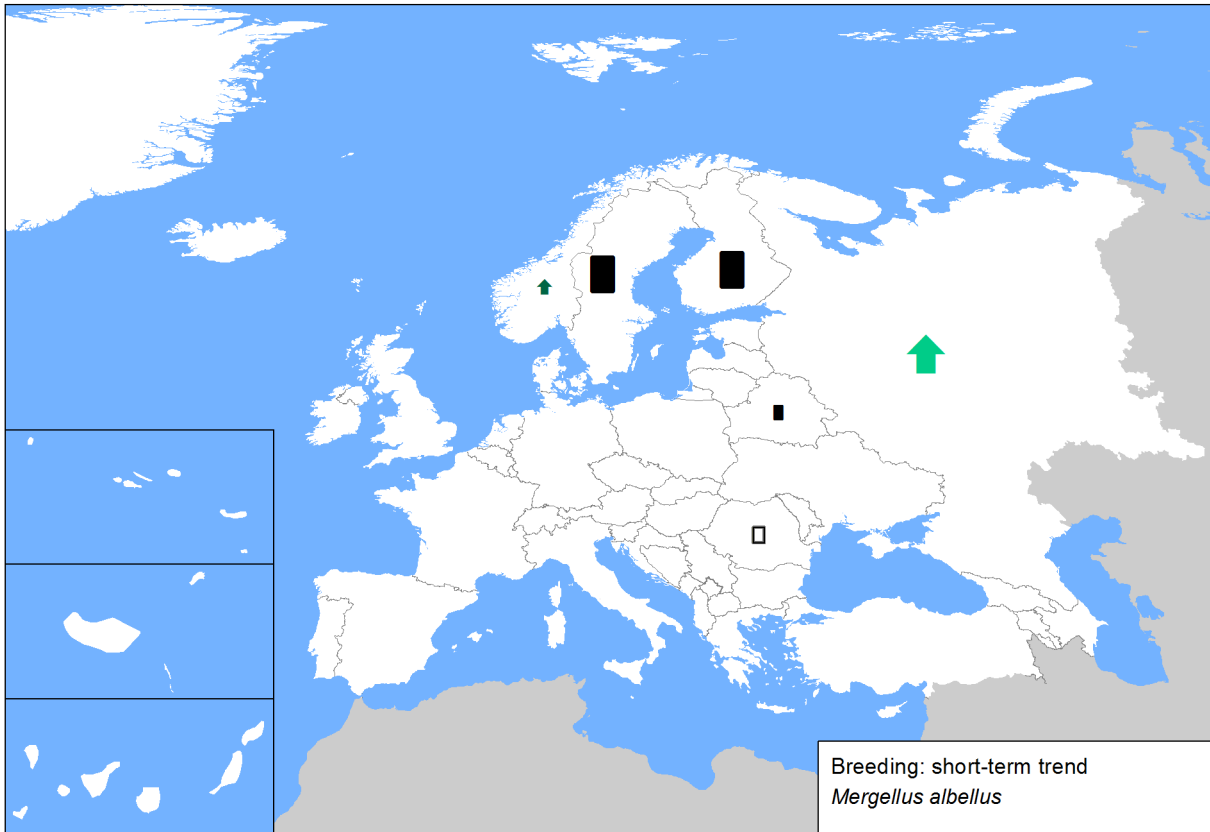
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|---|----------------------------------|
| ↑ Large increase ( $\geq 50\%$ )        | ↓ Large decrease ( $\geq 50\%$ ) |
| ↑ Moderate increase (20–49%)            | ↓ Moderate decrease (20–49%)     |
| ↑ Small increase ( $< 20\%$ )           | ↓ Small decrease ( $< 20\%$ )    |
| ↑ Increase of unknown magnitude         | ↓ Decrease of unknown magnitude  |
| ■ Stable or fluctuating                 |                                  |
| □ Unknown                               |                                  |
| ○ Present (no population or trend data) |                                  |
| × Extinct since 1980                    |                                  |

Each symbol, with the exception of Present and Extinct, may occur in up to three different size classes, corresponding to the proportion of the European population occurring in that country.

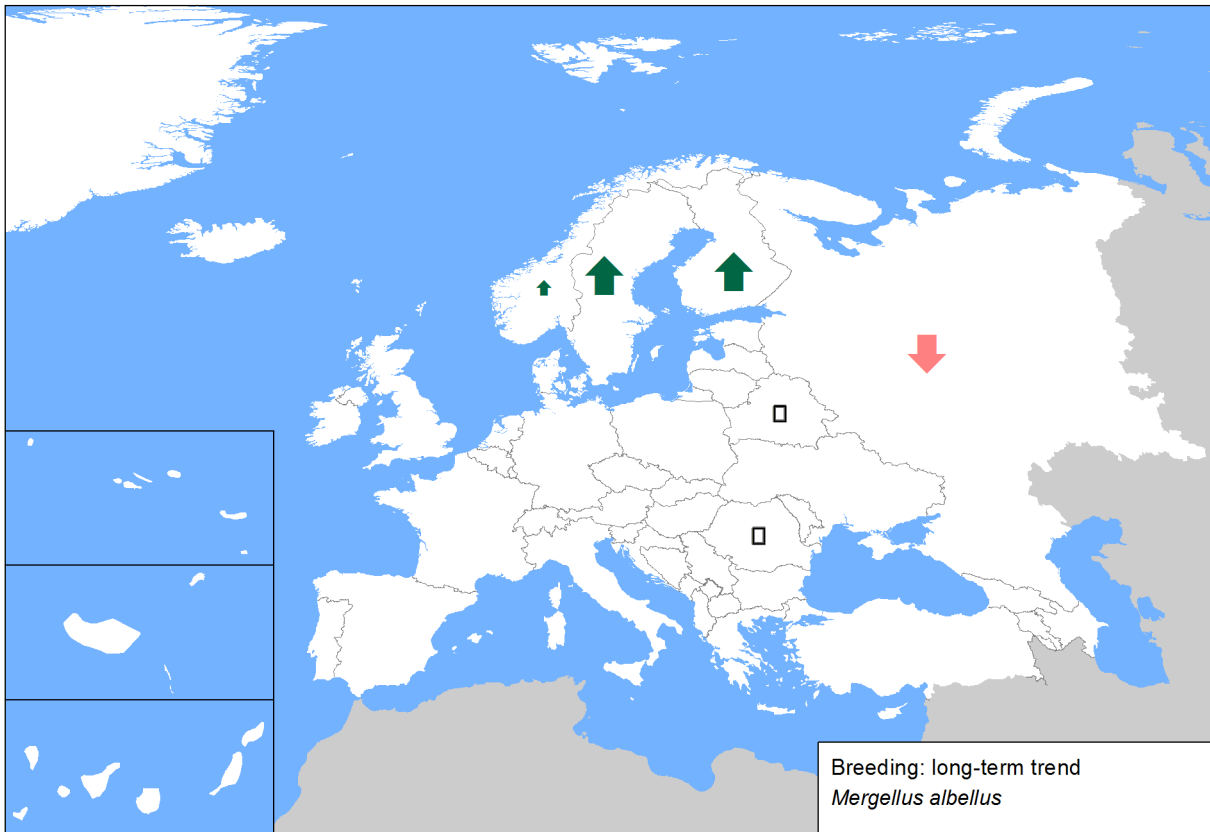
- ↑ Large:  $\geq 10\%$  of the European population
- ↑ Medium: 1–9% of the European population
- ↑ Small:  $< 1\%$  of the European population

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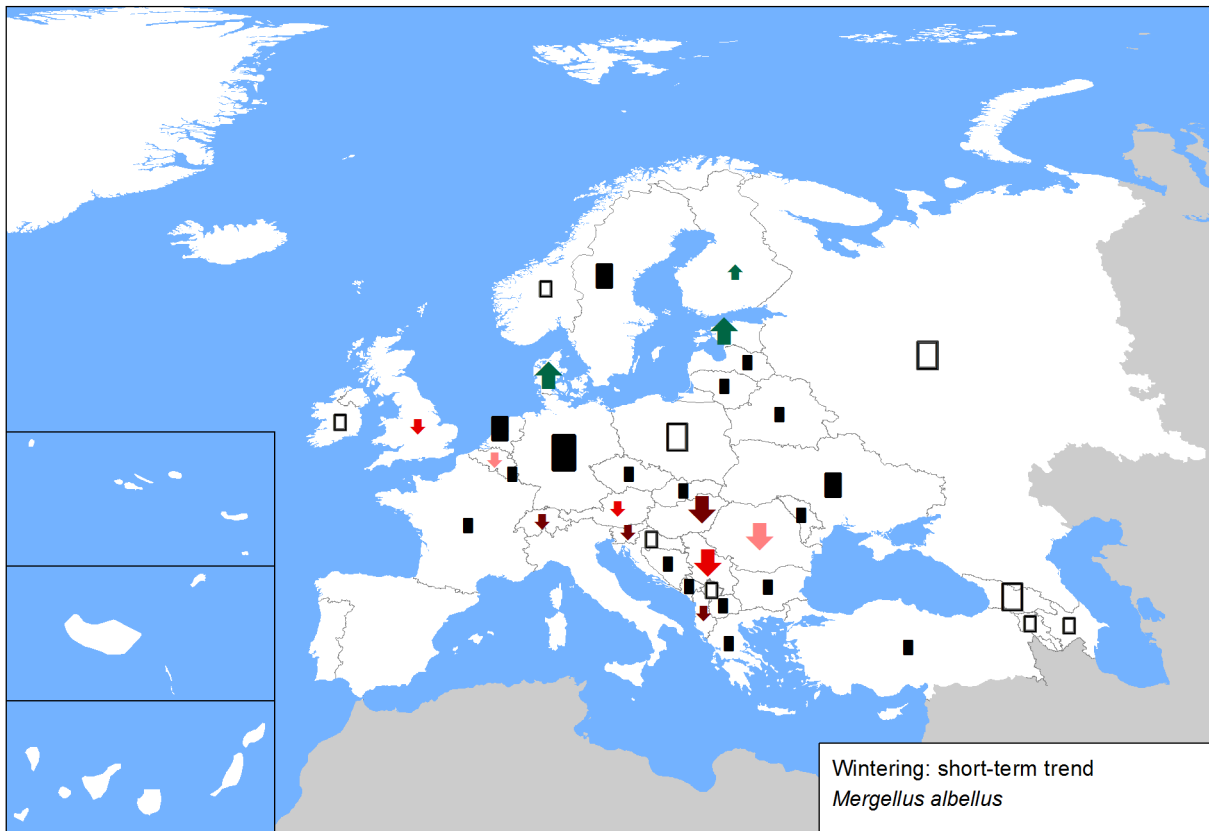
**Figure 1.** Breeding population sizes and short-term trends across Europe.



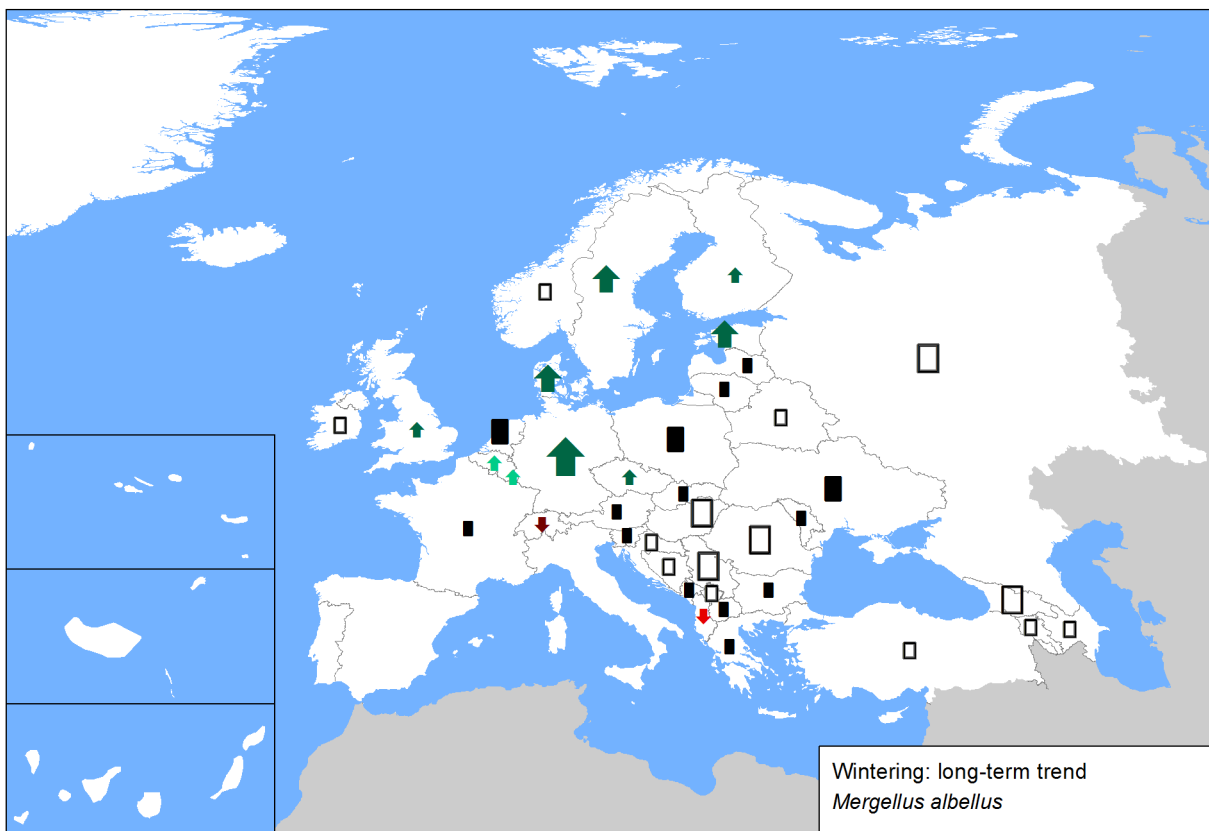
**Figure 2.** Breeding population sizes and long-term trends across Europe.



**Figure 3.** Reported wintering population sizes and short-term trends across Europe. Note that some countries within the species' wintering range did not report any data.



**Figure 4.** Reported wintering population sizes and long-term trends across Europe. Note that some countries within the species' wintering range did not report any data.



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<b>Winter long-term trend:</b> Bino pers. obs.

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<b>Winter short-term trend:</b> BirdLife Austria, unpublished IWC data
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**Winter long-term trend:** Monitoring rastender Wasservogel

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