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Further information

- <http://www.birdlife.org/datazone/info/euroredlist>
- <http://www.birdlife.org/europe-and-central-asia/european-red-list-birds-0>
- <http://www.iucnredlist.org/initiatives/europe>
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Table 1. Reported national breeding population size and trends in Europe¹.

Country (or territory) ²	Population estimate				Short-term population trend ⁴				Long-term population trend ⁴				Subspecific population (where relevant)
	Size (pairs) ³	Europe (%)	Year(s)	Quality	Direction ⁵	Magnitude (%) ⁶	Year(s)	Quality	Direction ⁵	Magnitude (%) ⁶	Year(s)	Quality	
Albania	200-800	<1	2002-2012	poor	-	10-20	2002-2012	poor	-	20-30	1980-2012	poor	
Armenia	300-600	<1	2002-2012	medium	?				?				
Austria	300-450	<1	2001-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	?				C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Azerbaijan	500-1,000	<1	1996-2000	poor	?				?				
Belarus	8,500-12,500	6	2000-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Belgium	100-500	<1	2008-2012	poor	0	0	2000-2012	poor	0	0	1973-2012	poor	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Bosnia & HG	300-500	<1	2010-2014	poor	?				?				
Bulgaria	1,387-2,433	1	2005-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Croatia	≥1,000-	1	2013	poor	?				?				
Cyprus	9-29	<1	2005-2009	good	0	0	2001-2012	good	+	50-150	1980-2012	medium	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Czech Rep.	800-1,400	1	2012	medium	F	0	2000-2012	good	0	0	1982-2012	good	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Denmark	300	<1	2011	medium	0	0	1999-2011	medium	0	0	1980-2011	medium	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Estonia	1,000-2,000	1	2008-2012	poor	+	20-50	2001-2012	poor	0	0-10	1980-2012	poor	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Finland	4,000-6,000	3	2006-2010	medium	?				0	0	1992-2012	medium	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
France	5,000-7,000	3	2010-2011	good	0	0	1996-2010	good	+	30-50	1984-2012	medium	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Georgia	Present	<1			?				?				
Germany	5,500-8,000	4	2005-2009	good	0	0	1998-2009	medium	0	0	1985-2009	medium	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Greece	3,000-5,000	2	2008-2012	poor	0	0	2001-2012	poor	?				C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Hungary	800-1,500	1	2005-2007	poor	?				?				C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Italy	2,300-4,000	2	2004	poor	?				-		1980-2004	poor	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Kosovo	150-250	<1	2009-2014	medium	?				?				
Latvia	422-819	<1	2000-2004	medium	?				-	45-79	1980-2004	poor	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa

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Liechtenstein	15-25	<1	2009-2014	good	F	50	2003-2014	good	+	30-50	1980-2014	good	
Lithuania	2,500-4,000	2	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Luxembourg	10-15	<1	2008-2012	medium	F	0-50	2000-2012	poor	F	0-50	1980-2012	poor	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
FYRO Macedonia	20-100	<1	2001-2012	poor	?				?				
Malta	5-6	<1	2010	good	+	200-400	2001-2012	good	+	400-500	1995-2012	good	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Moldova	5-10	<1	2000-2010	medium	-	20-40	2000-2010	medium	-	20-40	1980-2010	medium	
Montenegro	60-80	<1	2002-2012	good	-		2002-2012	good	?				
Netherlands	1,200-1,400	1	2011	good	0	0	2002-2011	good	+	6-35	1984-2011	good	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Norway	150-275	<1	2000-2013	medium	0	0	2000-2013	medium	?				
Poland	5,000-13,000	4	2008-2012	good	?				?				C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Portugal	1,000-5,000	1	2008-2012	poor	?				?				C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Romania	3,000-6,000	2	2008-2013	medium	?				?				C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Russia	40,000-120,000	38	2005-2008	poor	-	5-30	2000-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	poor	
Serbia	600-900	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	-	1-9	1980-2012	medium	
Slovakia	1,000-2,000	1	2012	poor	0	0	2000-2012	poor	0	0	1980-2012	poor	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Slovenia	300-500	<1	2001-2012	medium	-	10-20	2001-2012	medium	-	10-20	1980-2012	poor	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Spain	33,050	18	2007	good	-	9	1998-2011	good	0	0	1980-2011	poor	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
ES: Canary Is	50-250	<1	1997-2003	poor	-		2001-2012	good	?				C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Sweden	1,300-2,300	1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa
Switzerland	90-110	<1	2008-2012	medium	-	8-42	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1990-2012	medium	
Turkey	1,000-5,000	1	2013	medium	-	0-19	2000-2012	poor	-	20-29	1990-2013	poor	
Ukraine	7,000-10,600	5	2000	medium	F	10-15	1998-2010	medium	F	15-20	1980-2012	medium	
United Kingdom	1,200-1,300	1	2007	good	+	18	1989-2007	good	+	80	1984-2007	good	C. d. curonicus, Europe & North-west Africa/West Africa

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EU27	74,500-108,000	48			Stable								
Europe	134,000-262,000	100			Decreasing								

¹ 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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³ 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.

⁴ 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.

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

⁶ Trend magnitudes are rounded to the nearest integer.

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.

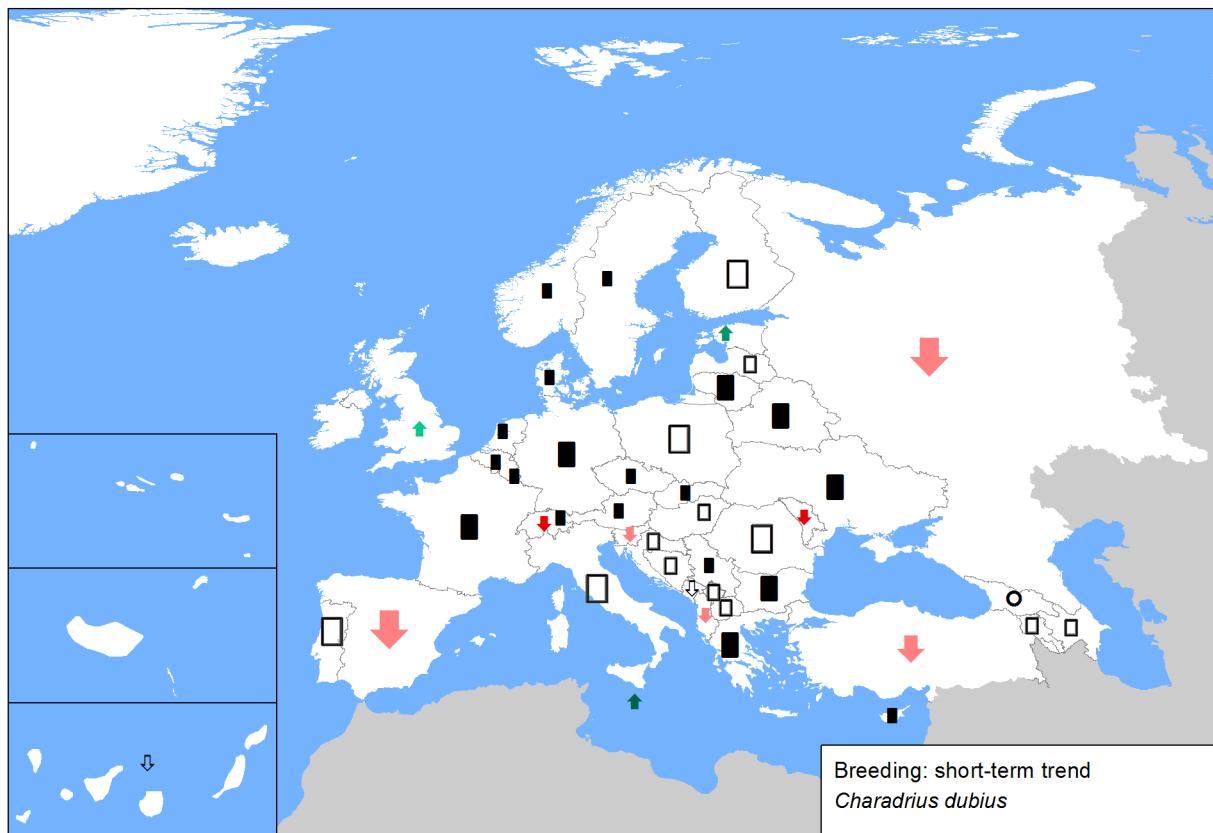
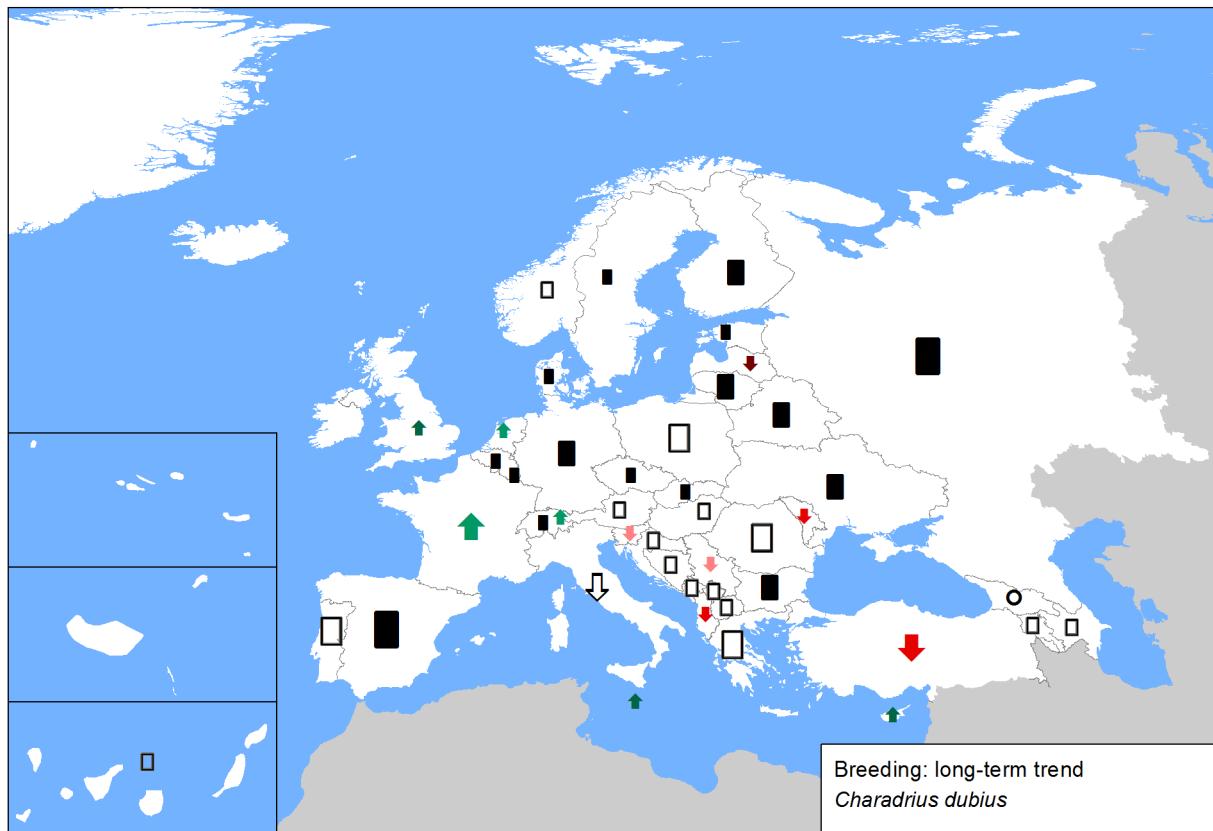


Figure 2. Breeding population sizes and long-term trends across Europe.



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